

# Transcatheter Mitral Valve Implantation

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# Disclosure:

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- Abbott
- Edwards Lifesciences
- Gore
- Medtronic
- Mitralign
- Orford
- St Jude Medical
- Transverse Medical
- Siemens
- Valtech
- Vivotro

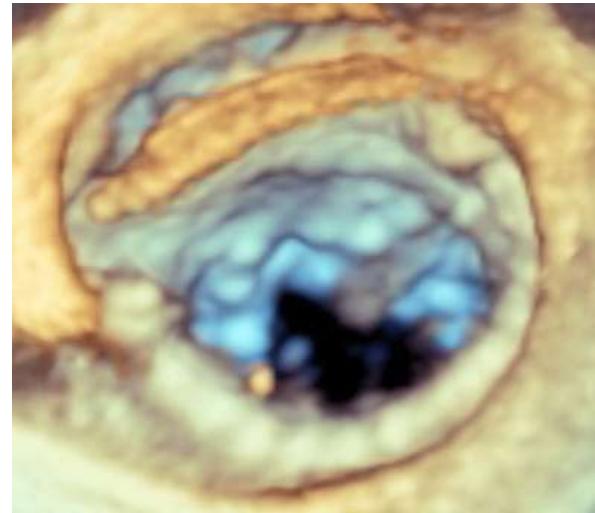
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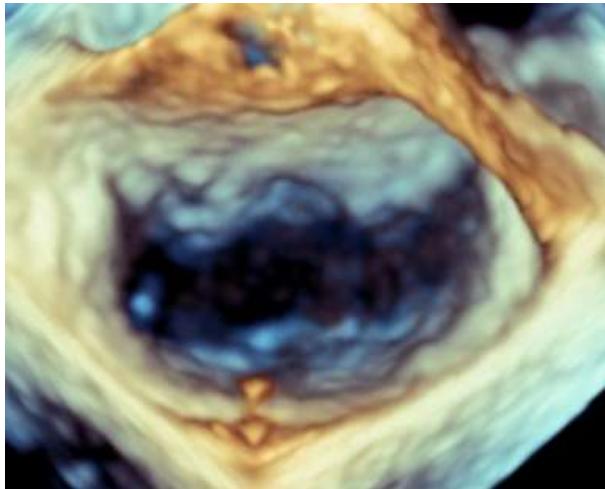
# Transcatheter mitral repair & replacement



Leaflet repair: Mitraclip



Annuloplasty: Cardioband



Chordal repair: Neochord



TMVI: 5 in trials now

# Transcatheter Mitral Valves in Humans



Edwards Fortis



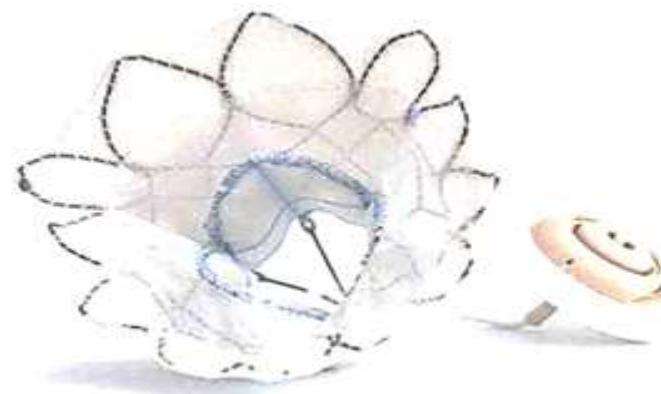
Neovasc Tiara



Edwards CardiAQ

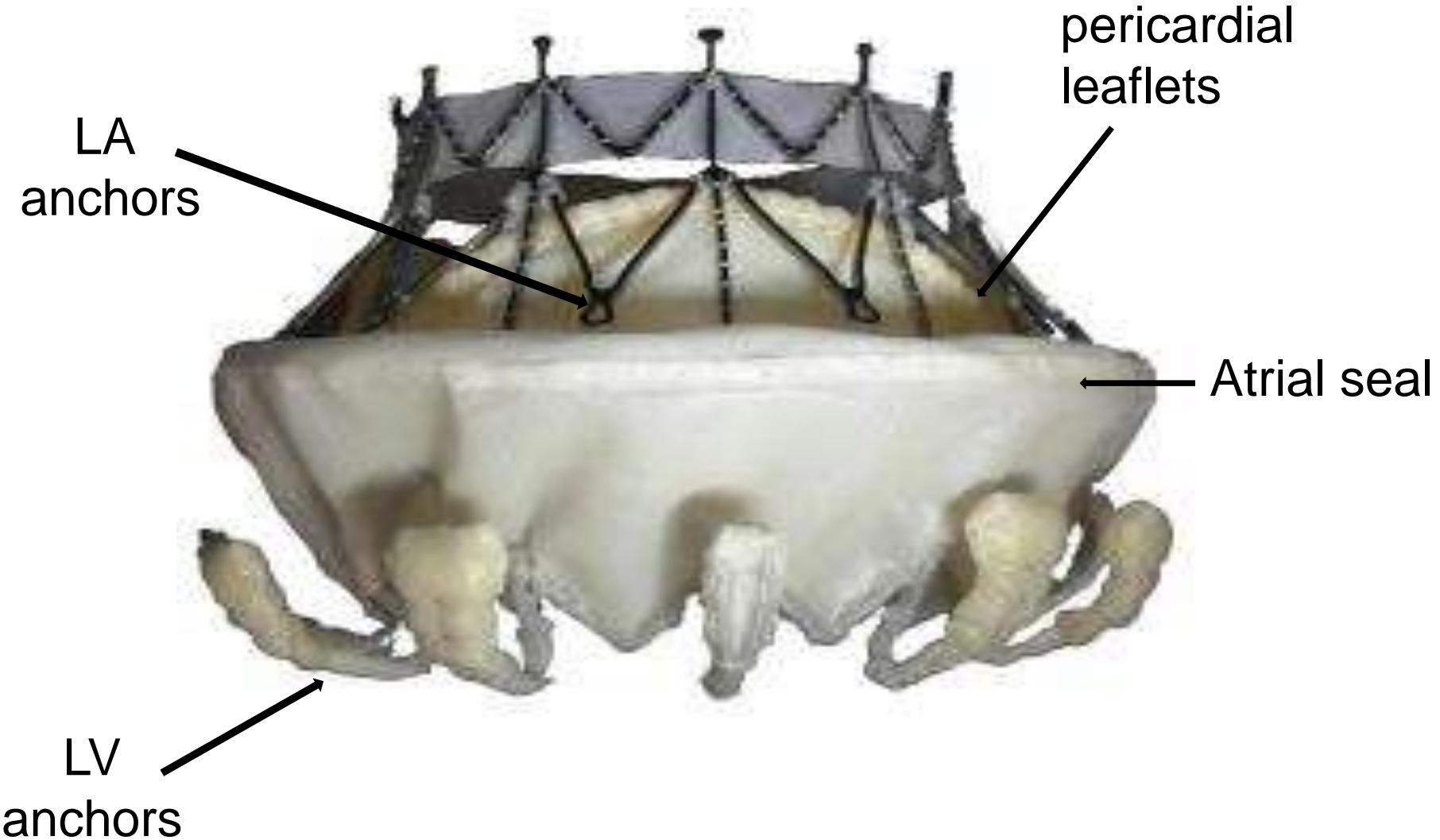


Medtronic Intrepid



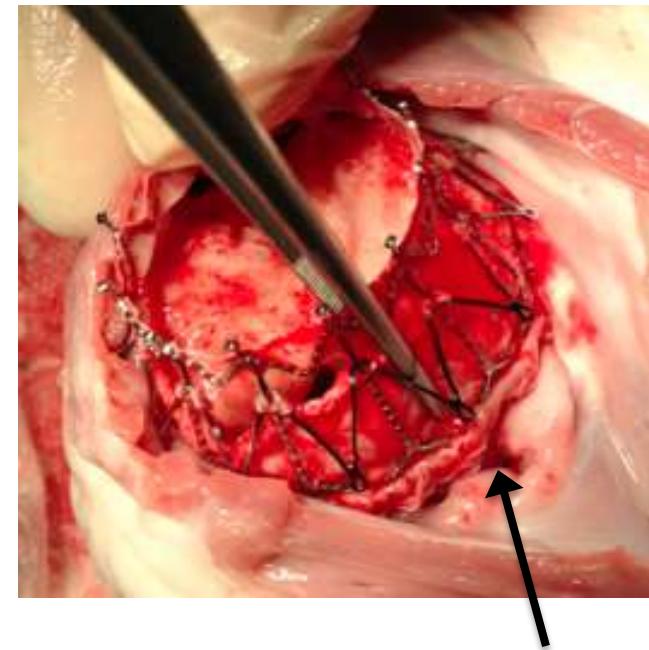
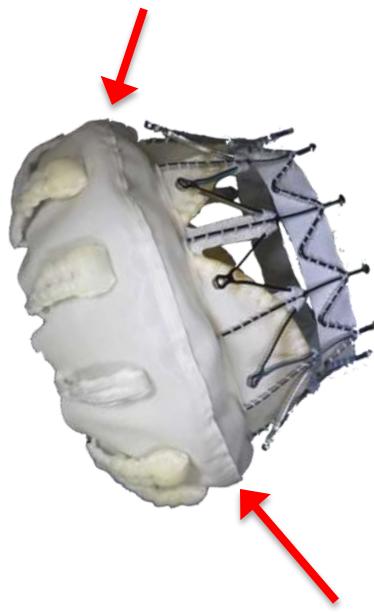
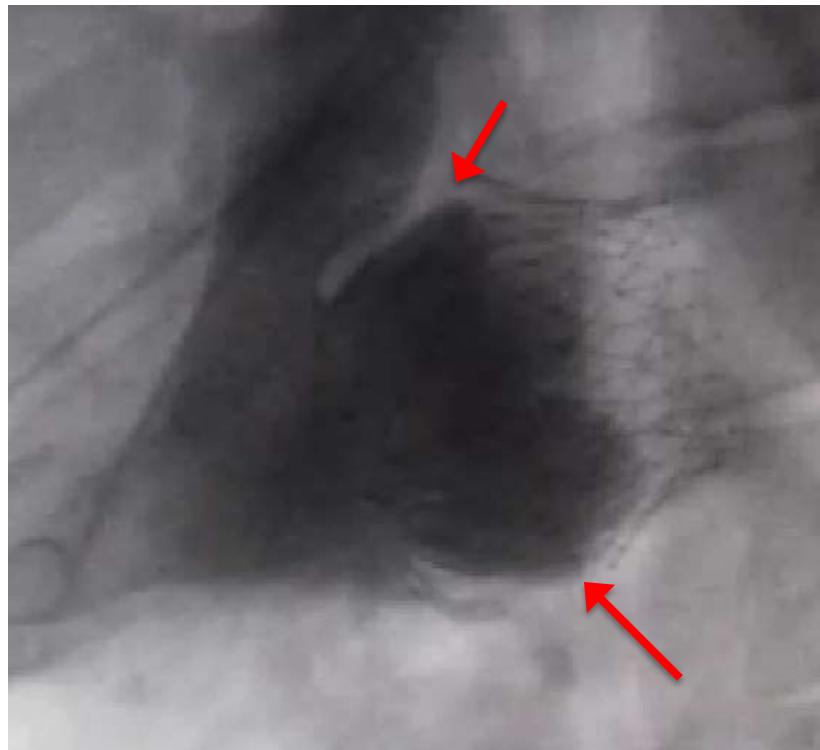
Abbott Tendyne

# CardiAQ (Edwards Lifesciences)

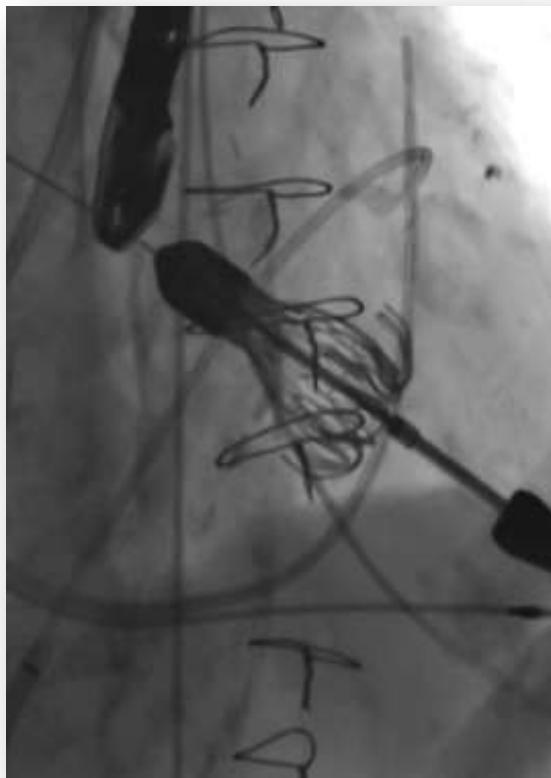


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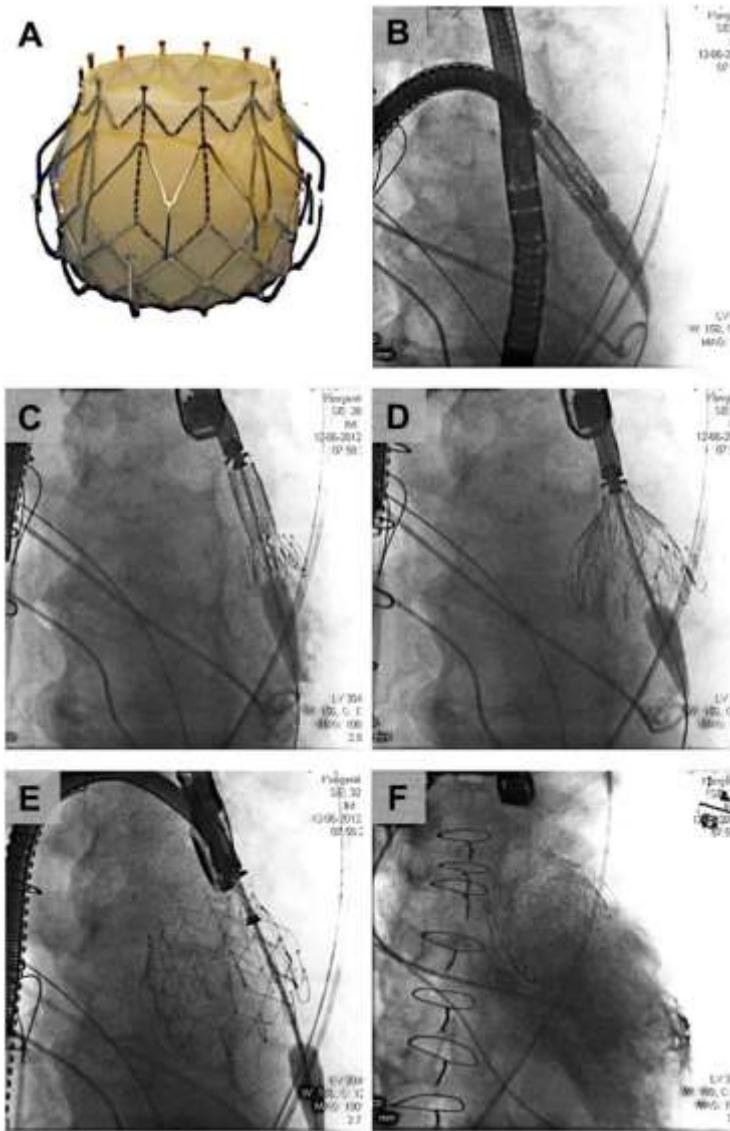
## Intra-annular Sealing Skirt to prevent PVL



# CardiAQ: transapical implantation



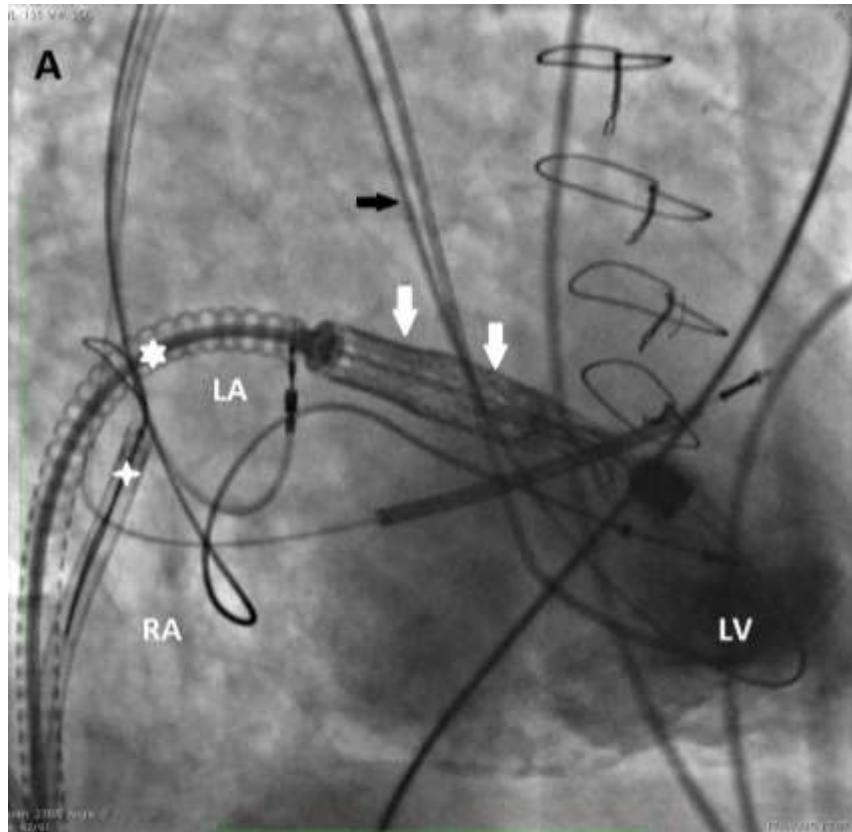
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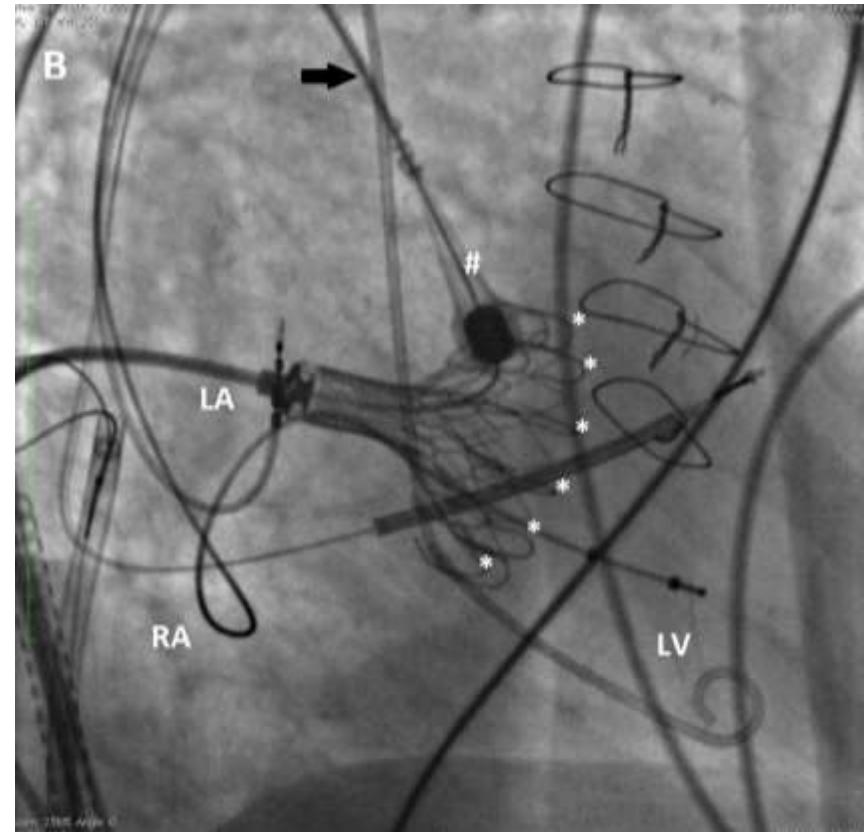
**June 12, 2012**  
**1<sup>st</sup> TMVI**  
**Copenhagen**  
**Transseptal**  
**Fem-fem bypass**  
**Successful**  
**Multiorgan failure**  
**Died day #3**

# CardiAQ transseptal implantation

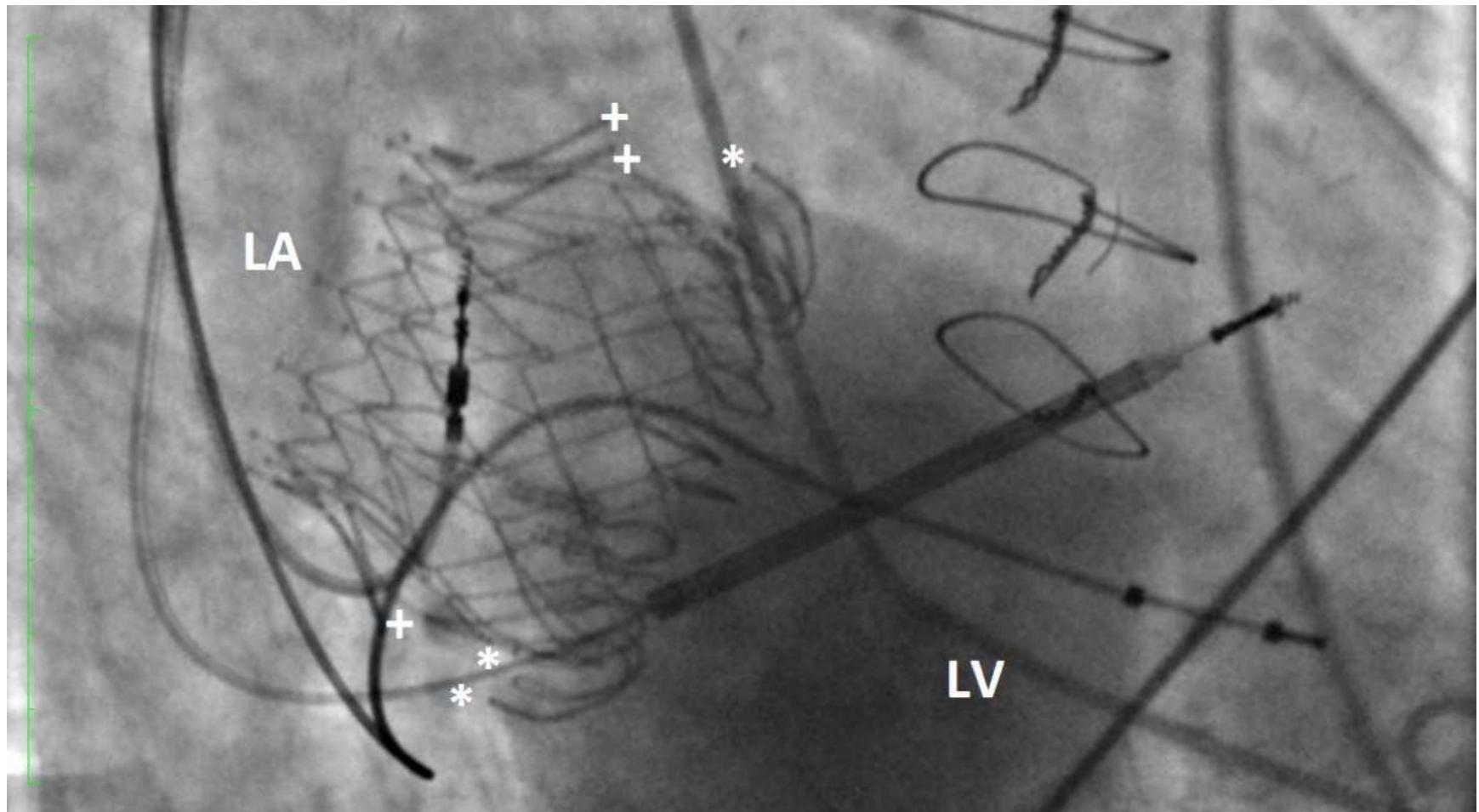
Transseptal access



AV wire loop for orientation

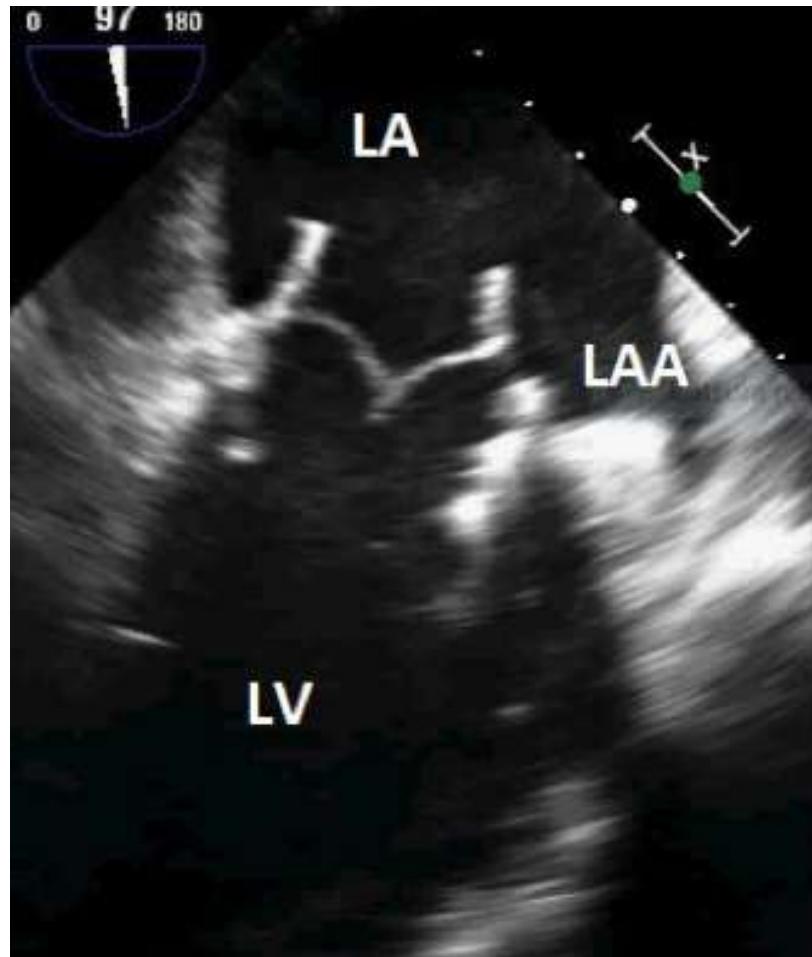


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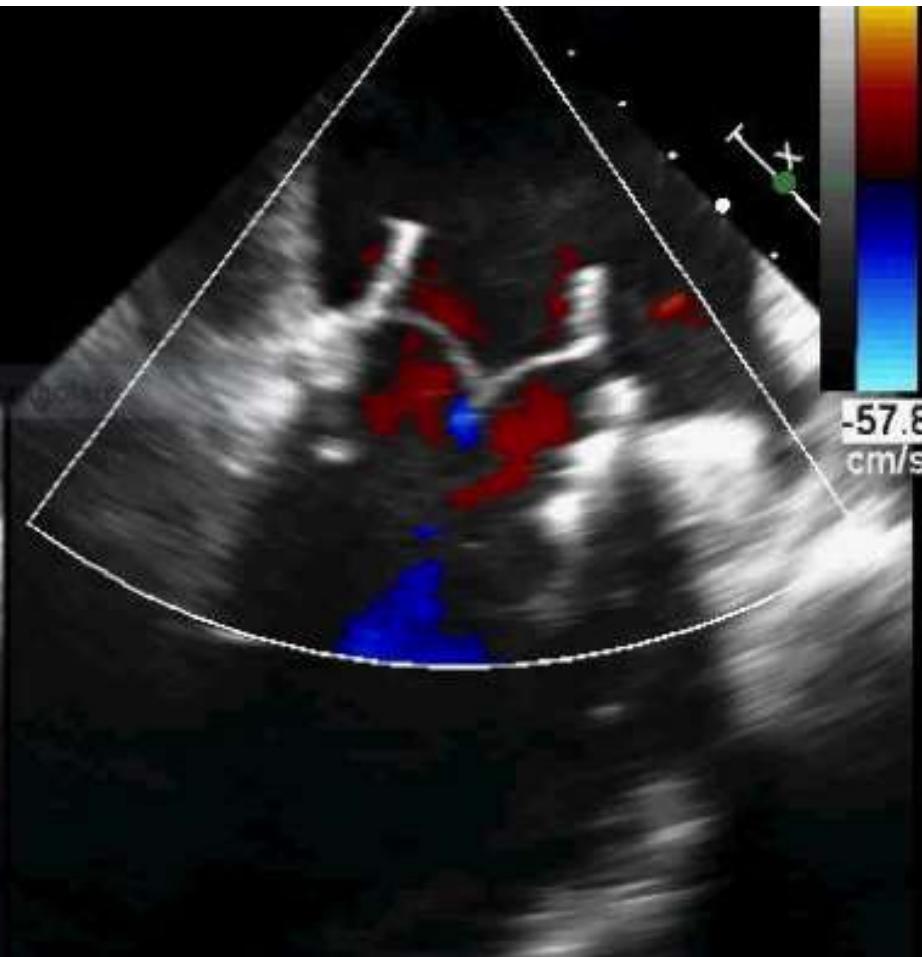


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Valve displaced into atrium

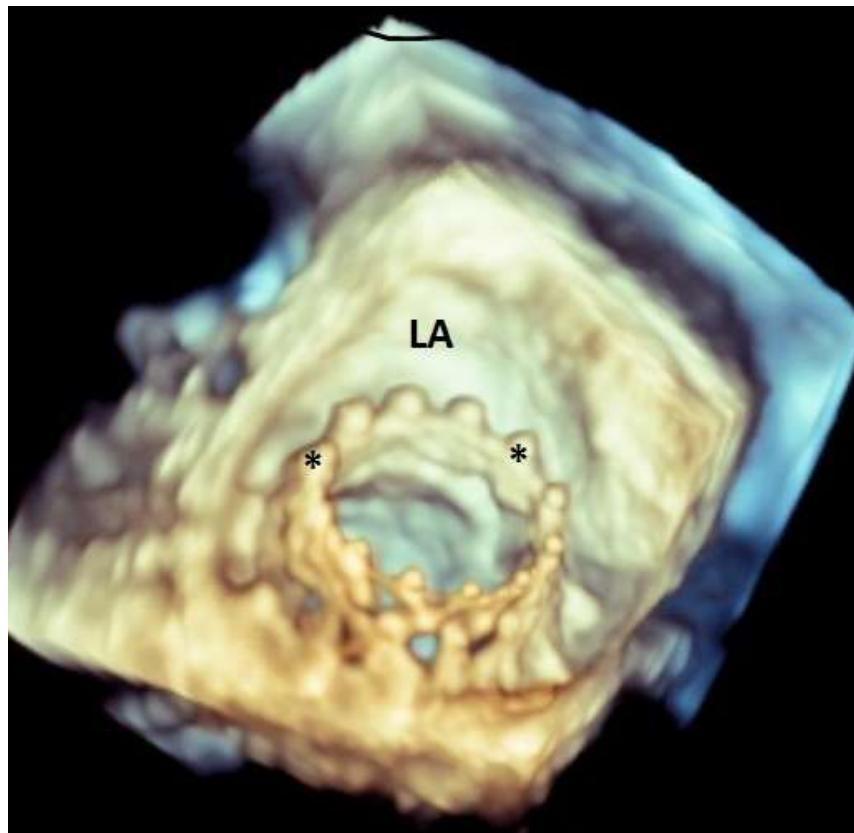


No leak, no LVOT obstruction

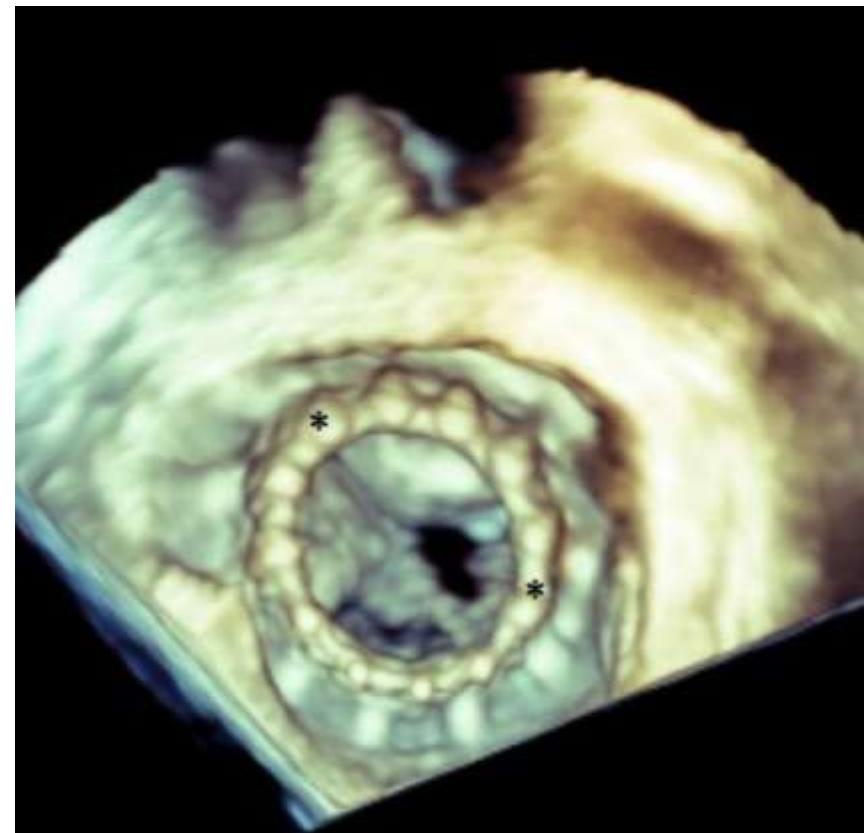


# CardiAQ

Atrial view

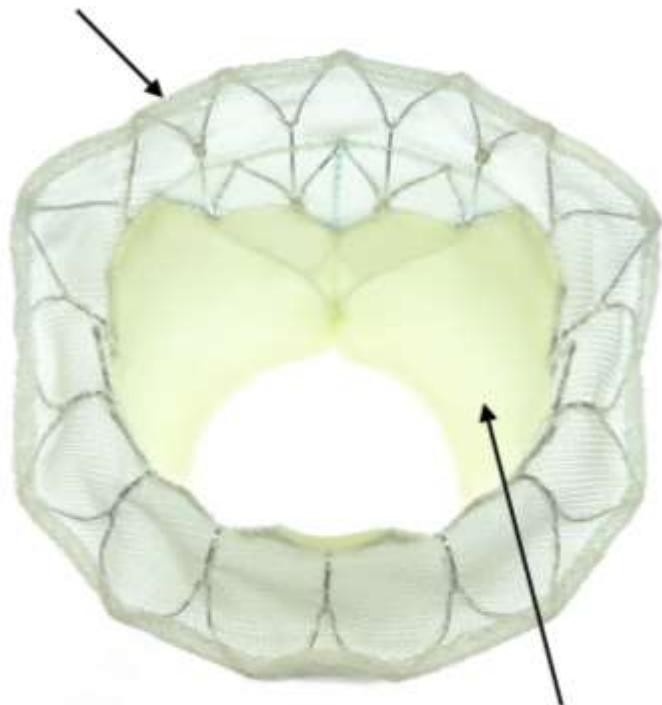


Ventricular view



# Tiara Mitral Prosthesis

Atrial Skirt



Bovine Pericardial  
Leaflets

- Nitinol self-expanding frame
- D-shaped trileaflet valve
- Bovine leaflets x3
- 35 and 40mm sizes

# Tiara Transcatheter Mitral Valve



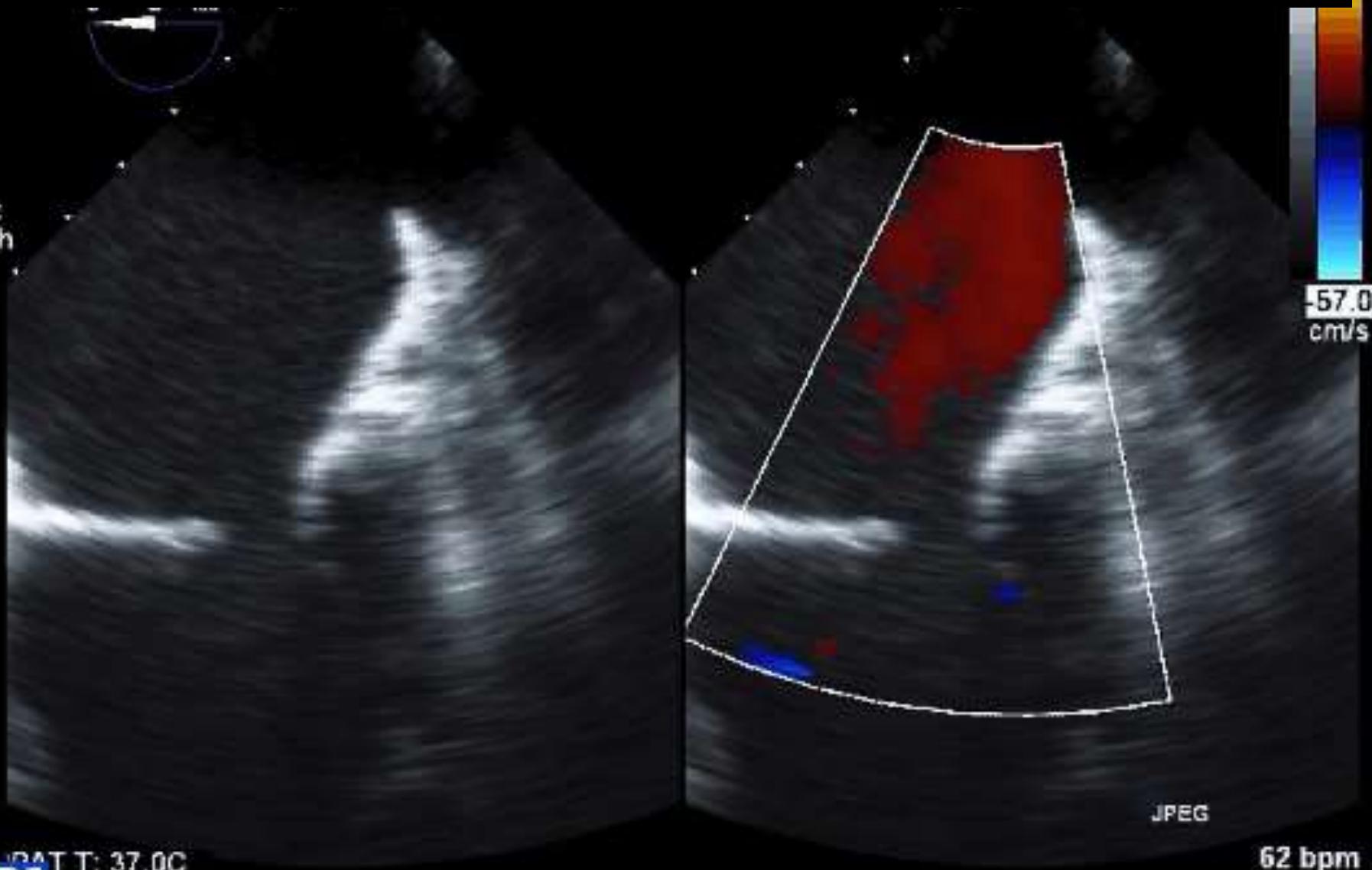
- Ventricular anchors
- Fixation
  - fibrous trigones
  - posterior annulus
- Captures the anterior and posterior leaflets

# Clinical Case

<b>Age/Gender</b>	79 year old male
<b>History</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2009 – CABG LIMA to LAD and AVR with 23mm Perimount pericardial valve</li><li>• PCI 2004 LAD, 2013 RCA</li><li>• NSTEMI 2015, PCI LM</li><li>• NYHA III with severe MR</li><li>• Chronic A.fib</li><li>• VVIR pacemaker</li><li>• HTN, dyslipemic</li><li>• STS – 8.3% EuroScore II – 8.7%</li></ul>
<b>Significant Comorbidities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mild to mod COPD</li><li>• Moderate CRI (eGFR 45)</li></ul>



- Severe MR LVEF ~35%
- Posterior leaflet tethering and markedly eccentric MR
  - EROA –  $0.59 \text{ cm}^2$

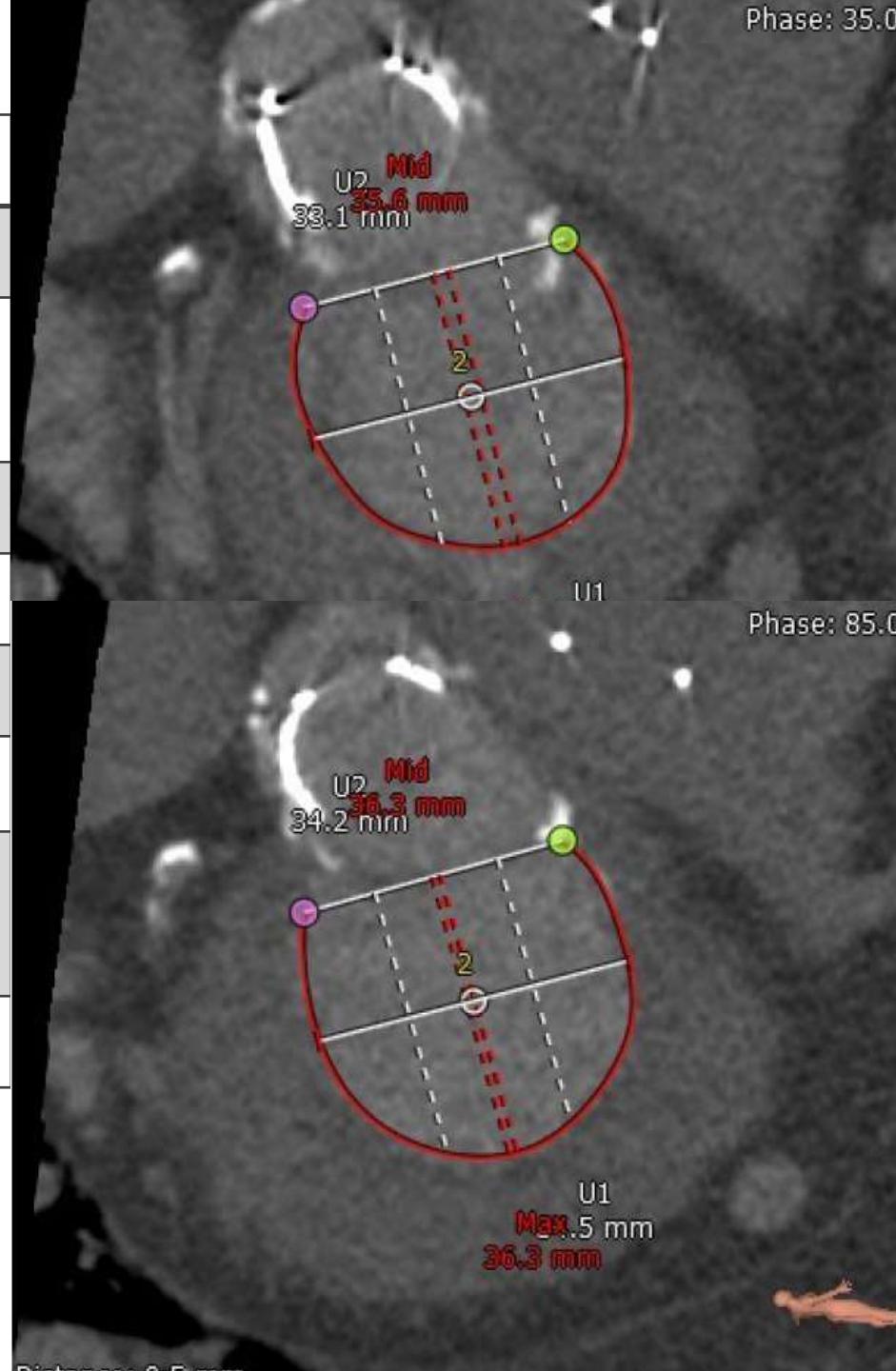


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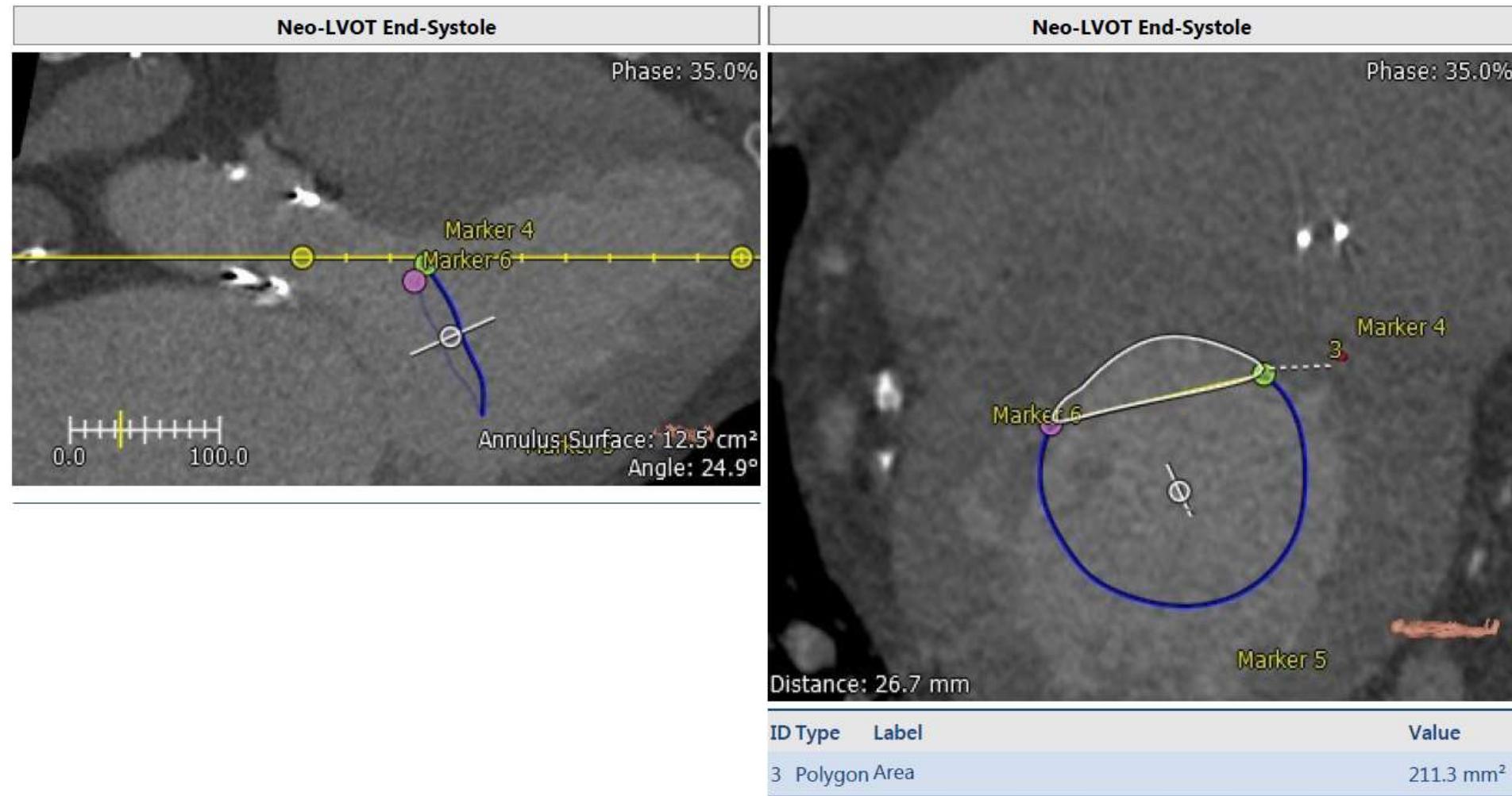
JPEG

62 bpm

CT Variable	Results	
	Systole	Diastole
Annulus Circumference	130 mm	130 mm
Annulus Area	12.5cm <sup>2</sup>	12.5cm <sup>2</sup>
A-P Distance	35.7mm	36.3mm
C-C Distance	40.6mm	40.8mm
Posterior Shelf	6.6 mm	8.6 mm
Mitral Annular Calcification	Mild at A3	
Atrial Height	89.9 mm	



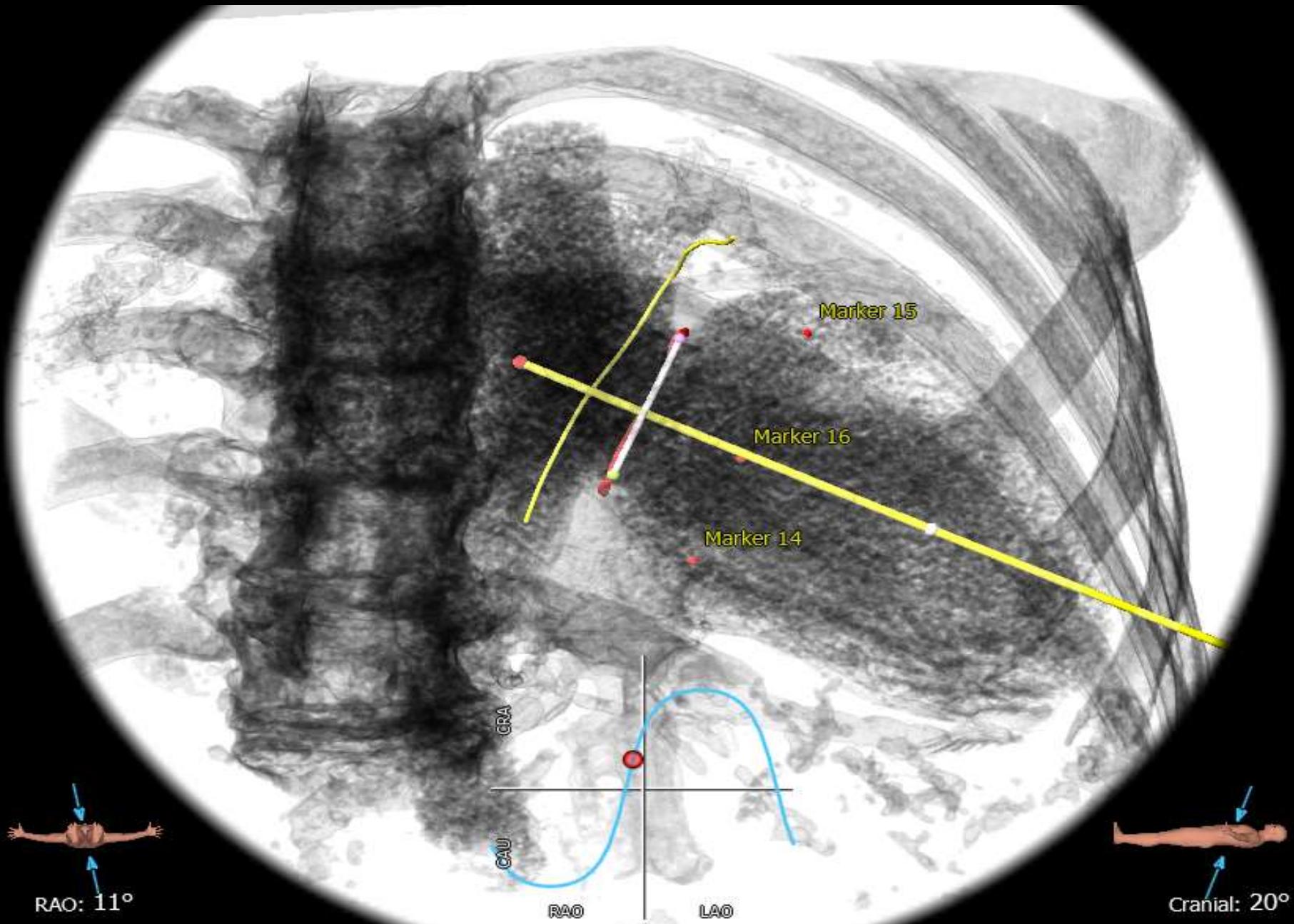
# Neo LVOT Area = 2.11 cm<sup>2</sup>



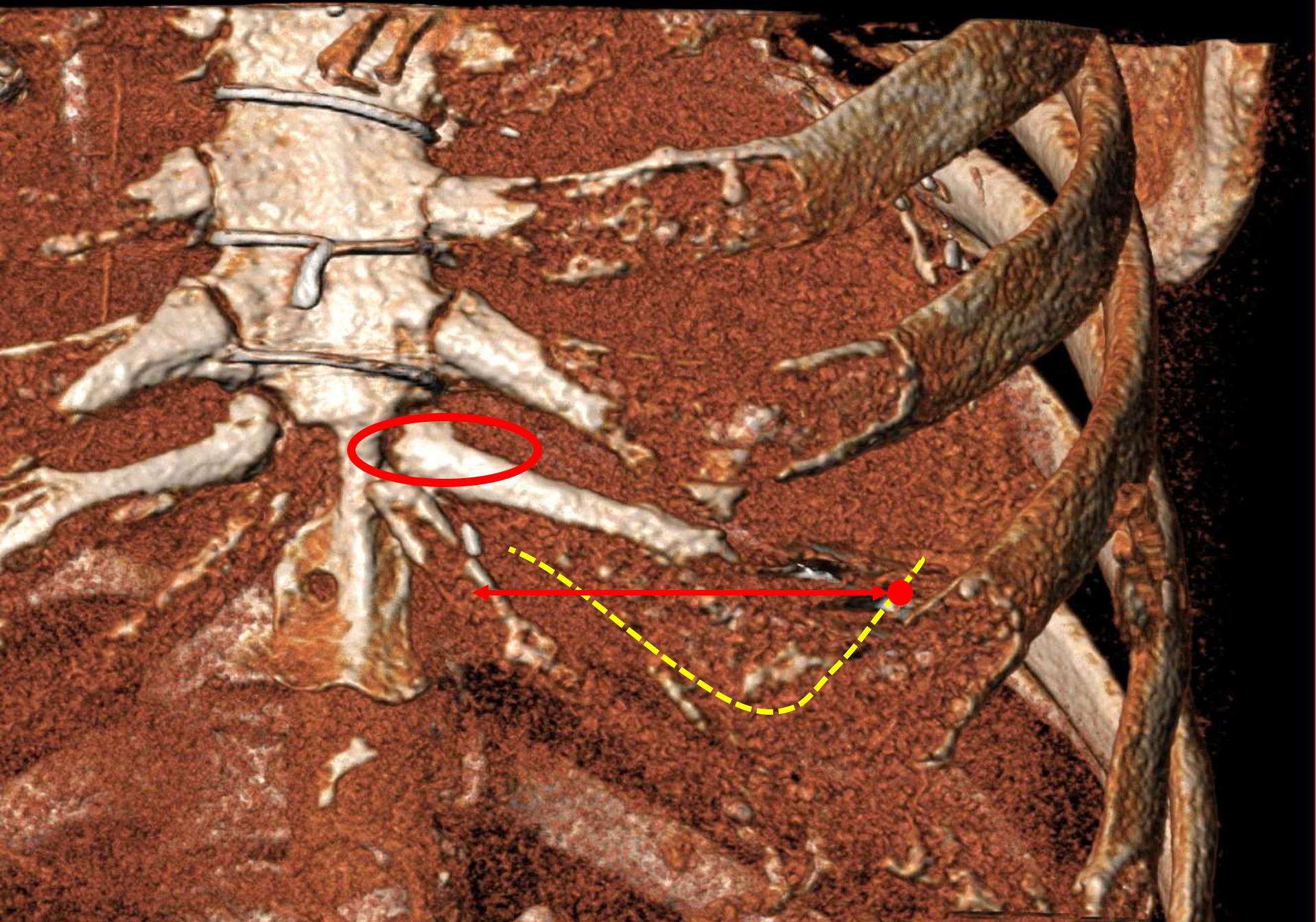
# 3D printing of CT (different patient)

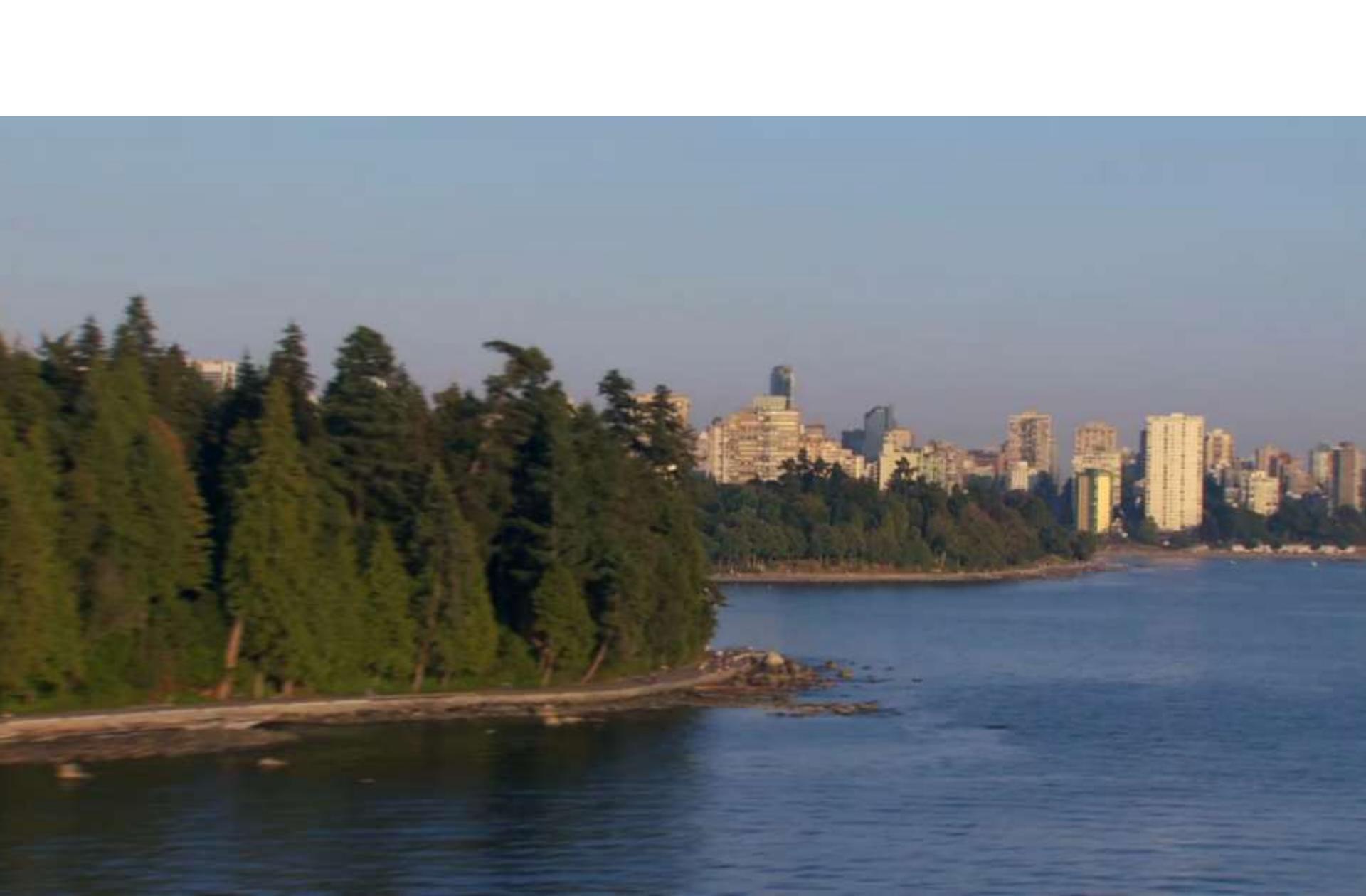


# Projected C-arm angulation

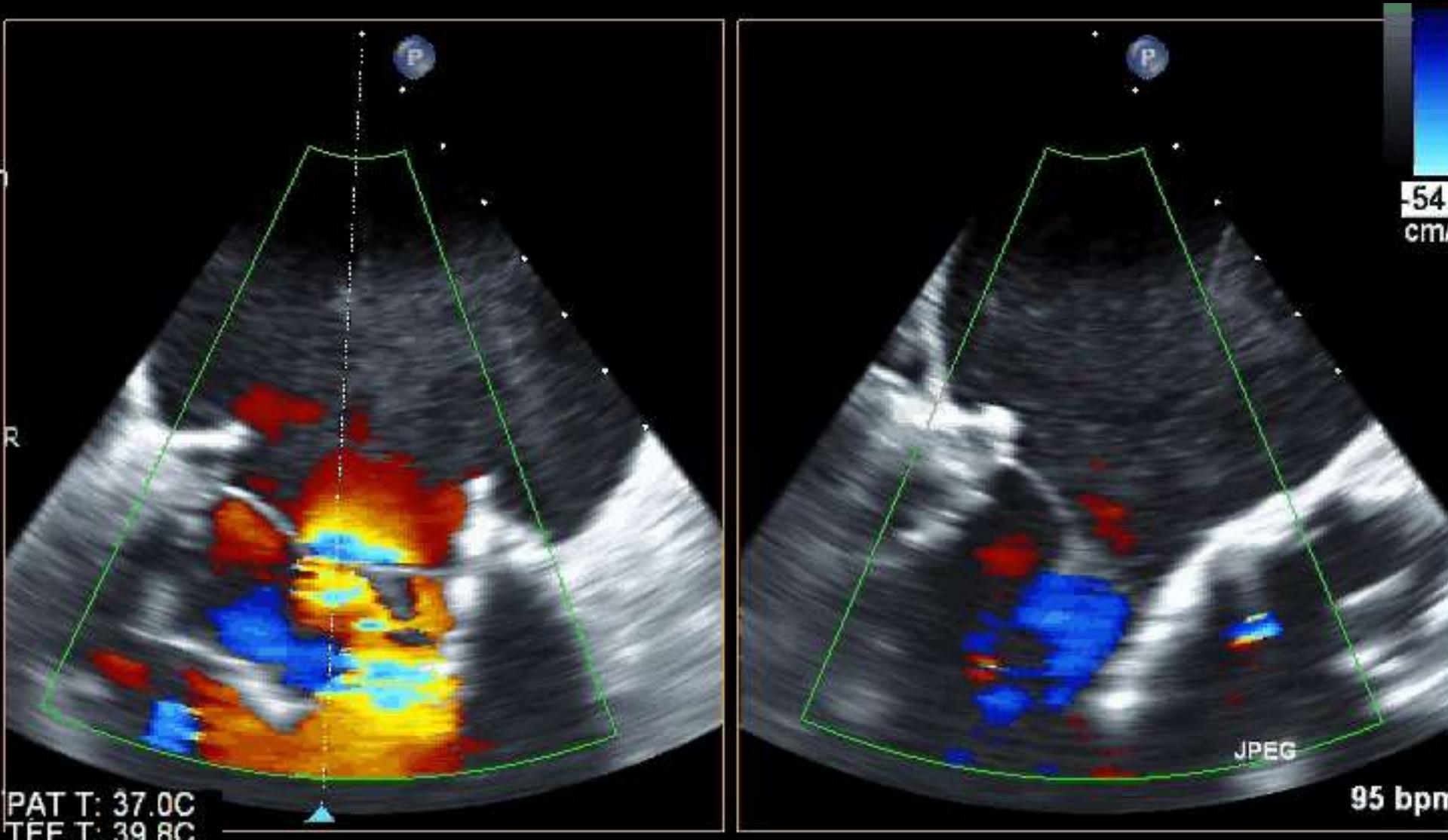


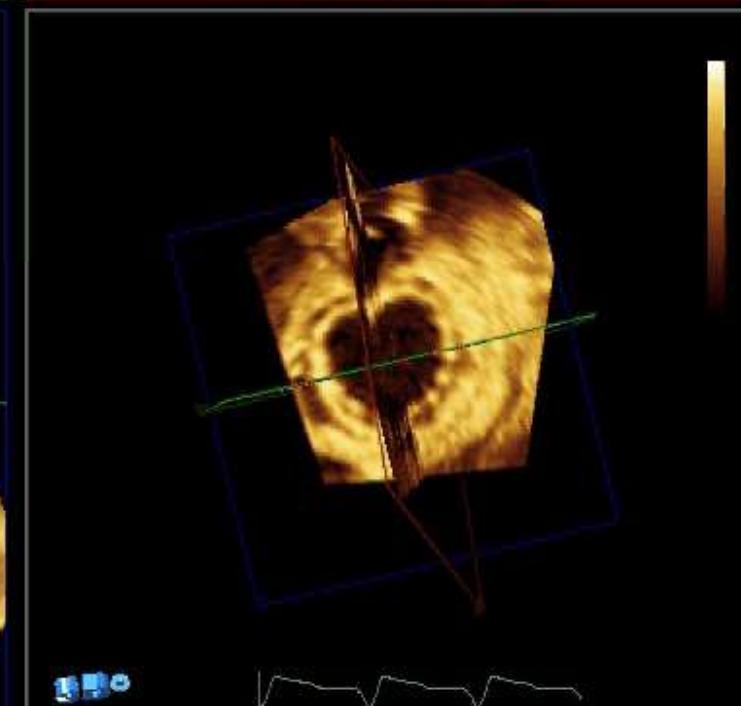
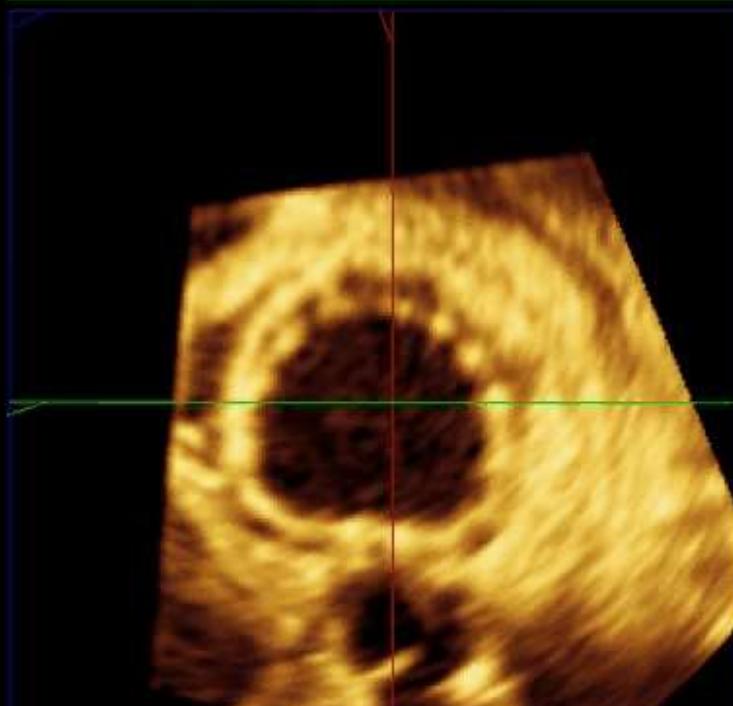
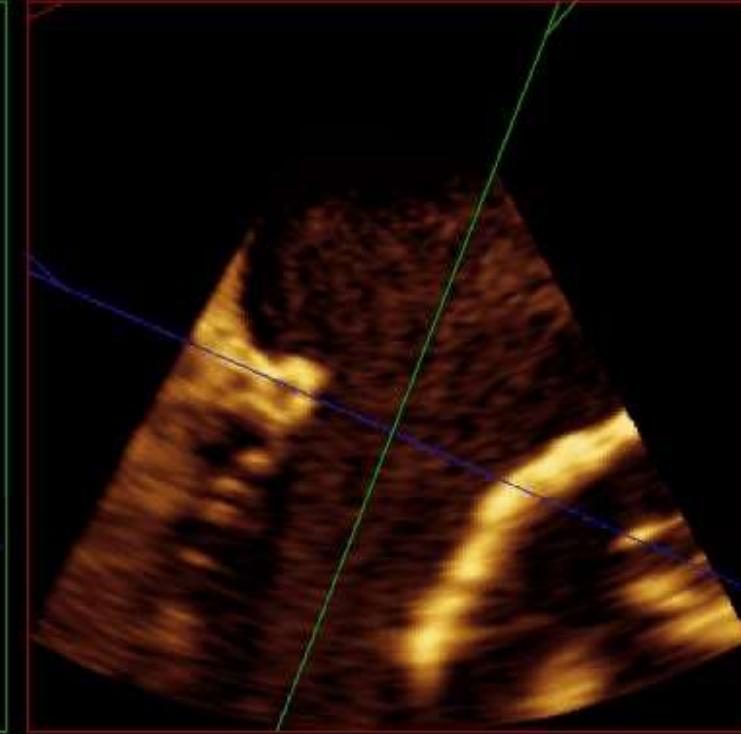
Incision 16 cm from midline





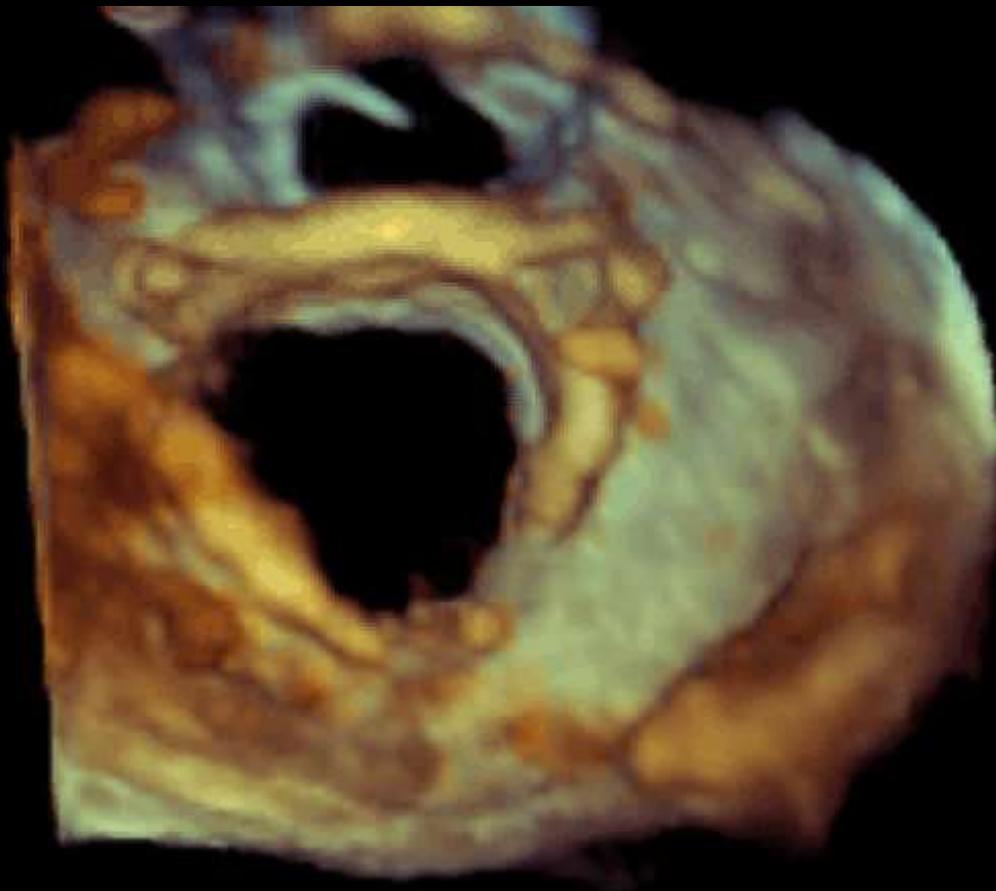
# Well functional valve with no MR or PVL

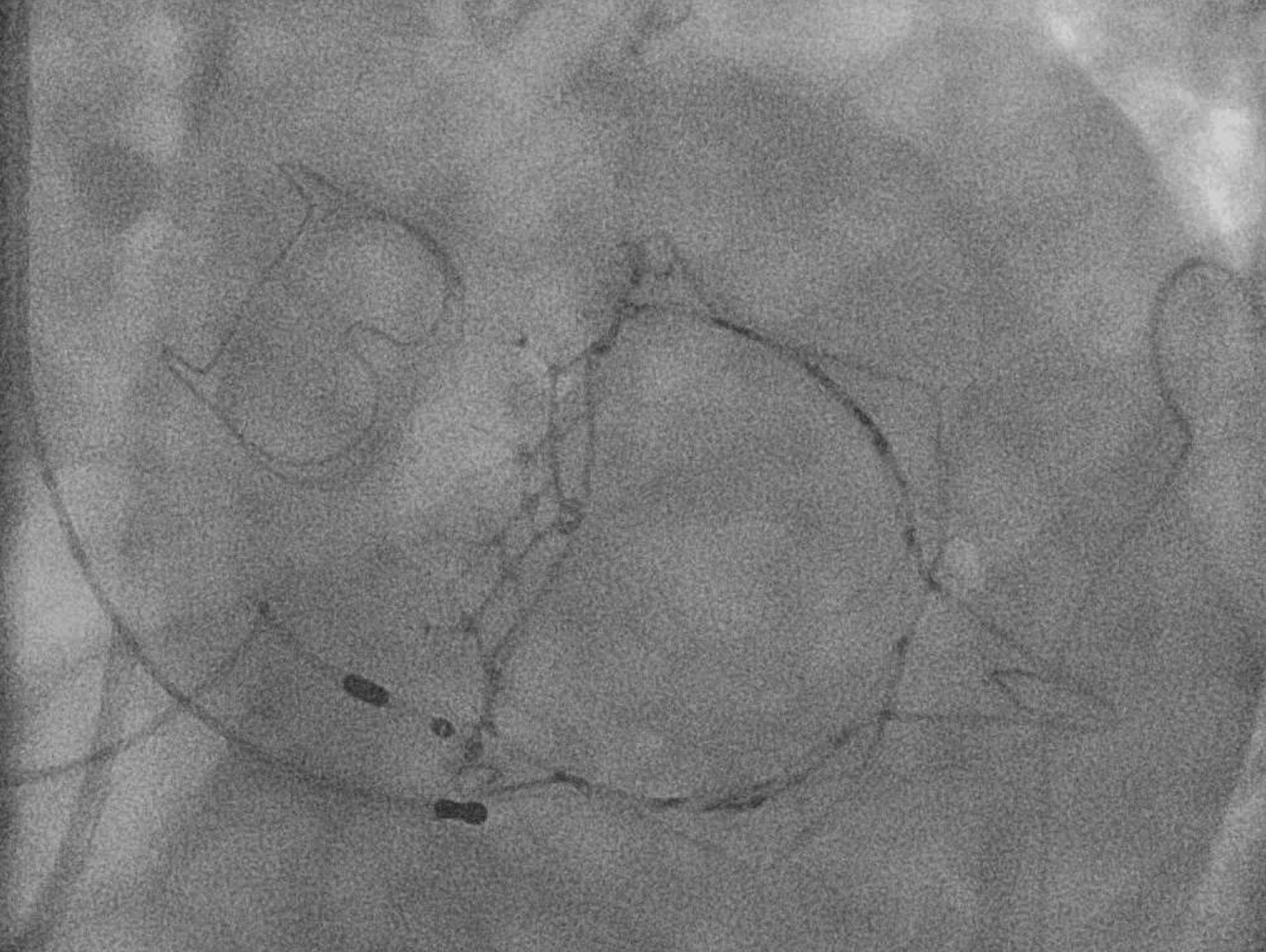




# No LVOT Obstruction

10Hz  
cm  
e 3D  
11%  
50dB





# Tiara Compassionate use: Patient Characteristics

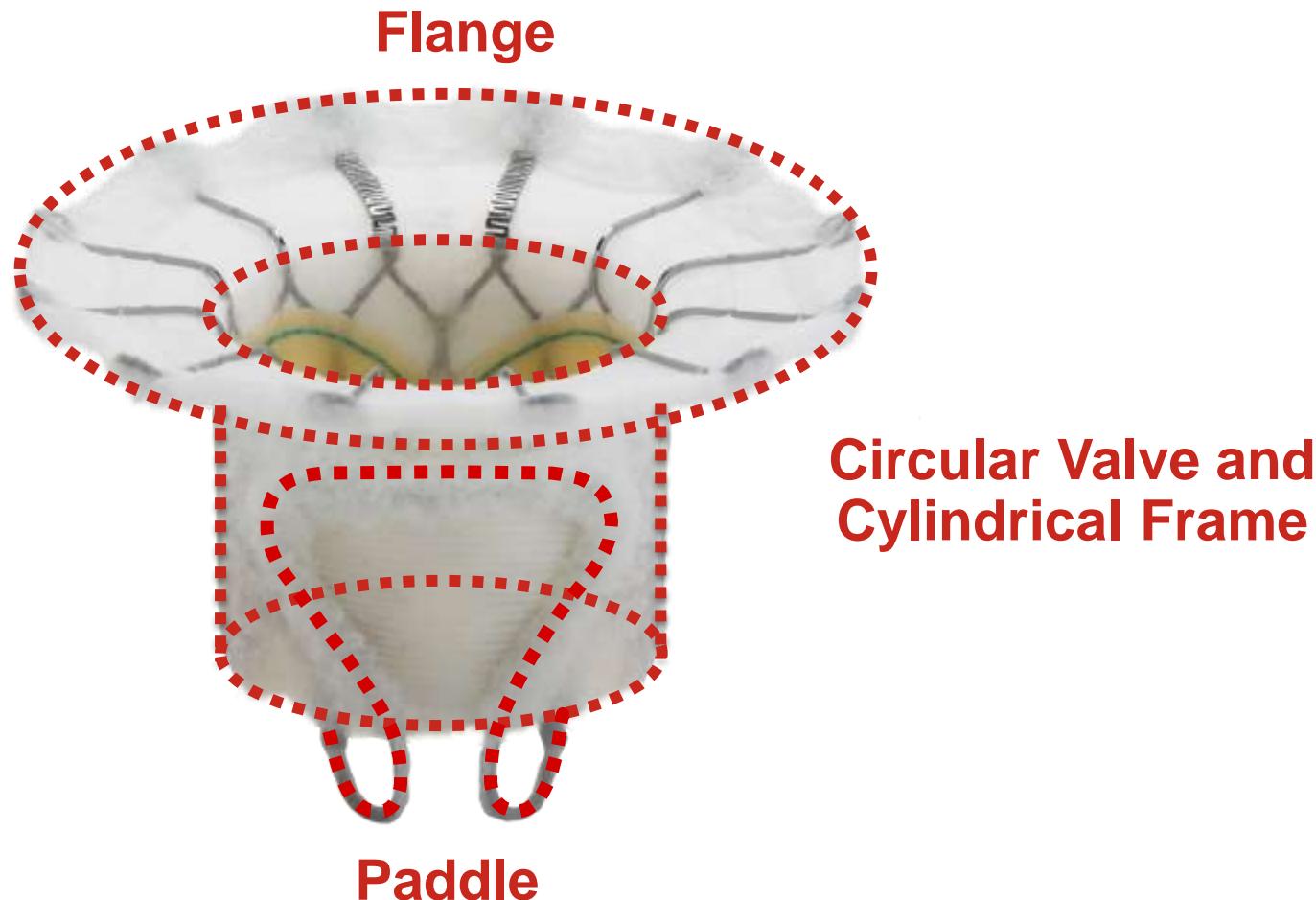
#	Age/ Gender	Etiology	NYHA	Comorbidities	STS (%)	LVE F (%)
1	73/M	Isch	IV	CRF (HD), pulm fibrosis (DLCO-22%), CRT-D	47.7	15
2	61/F	Isch	IV	Liver cirrhosis, CRF	5	25
3	39/M	Dilated	III	CRF, MitraClip aborted	2.4	20
4	79/M	Isch	III	CRF, CABG (1978, 1992), AVR (2012)	14.2	35
5	68/M	Isch/Valvular	IV	CRF, Mech AVR (1983), AVR (2013), CRTD, VT, CHF on inotropes	18.5	30
6	82/M	Rheumatic	III	CRF, Bentall with biological AVR, Recent PCI to LM, MS – MVG: 8 mmHg	13.8	45
7	81/M	Degenerative	III	S/P MV repair with a 29mm flexible ring (Barlow's), CRF, Chronic anemia	7.2	30
8	85/F	Isch	III	CRF, S/P PCI, Bleeding disorder	7.7	30
9	74/F	Isch	IV	CRF, Obesity, Ventricular and atrial tachyarrhythmia, DM, HTN, S/P CABG, anemia	11.7	45
10	89/F	Degenerative	III	CRF, COPD, S/P CABG,	16.1	65
11	64/M	Isch	III	CRF, S/P CVA, rupture pap muscle	5	30

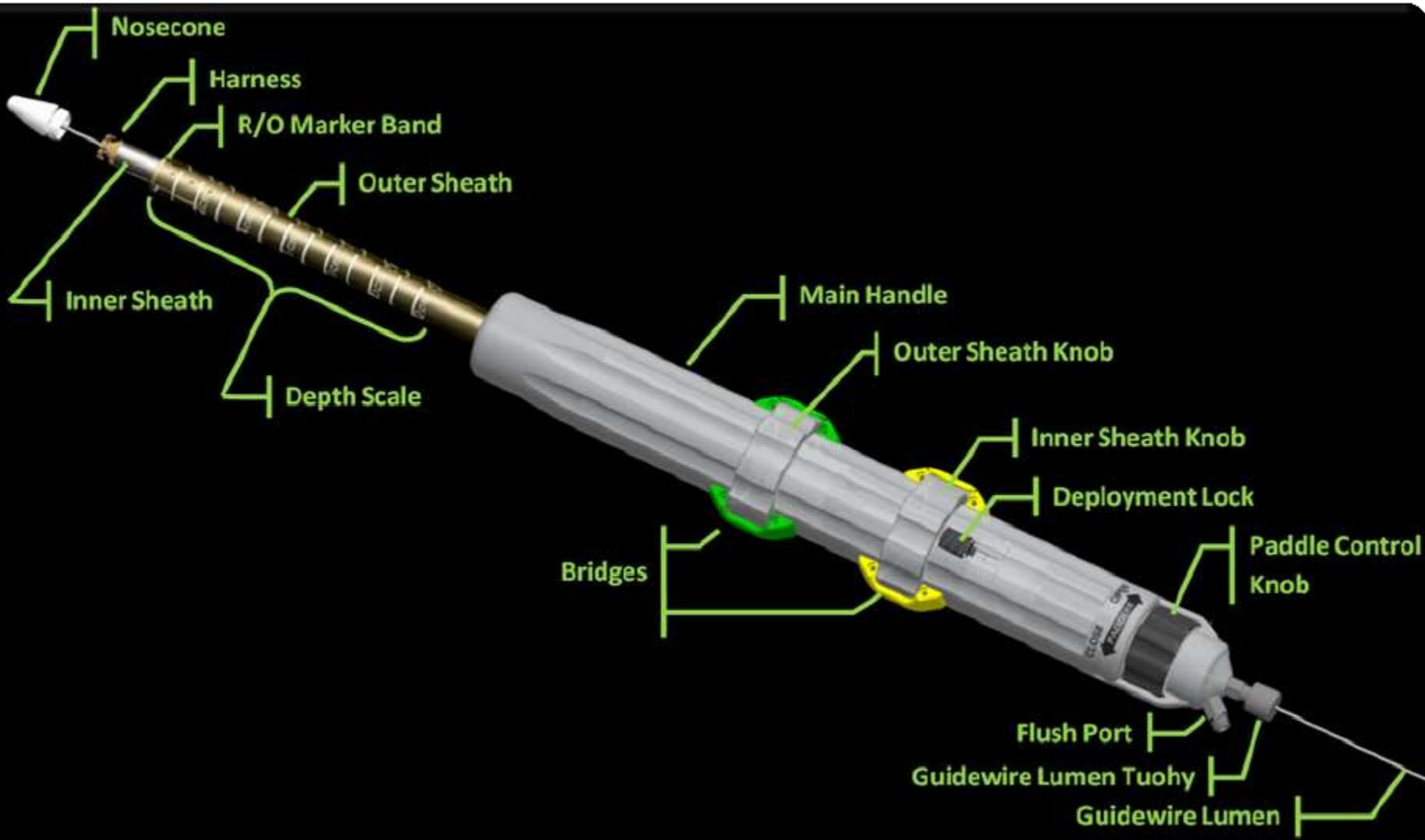
# TIARA compassionate use experience

Of the 9 patients with successful implantation:

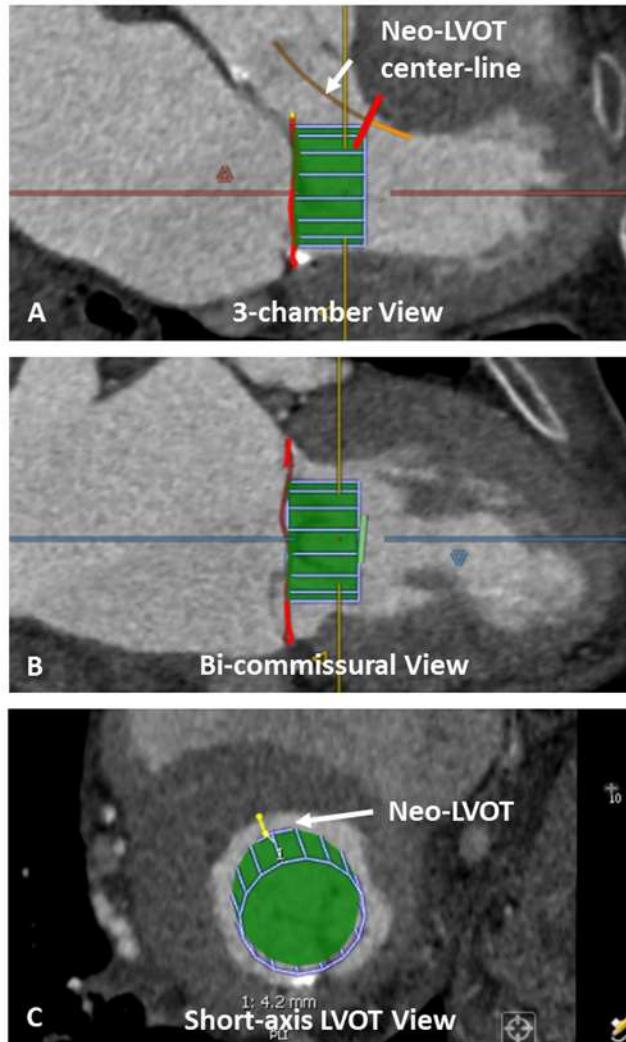
- Average Implantation Time: 21 min  
(from apical puncture to apical closure)
- No CPB
- No MR, no PVL
- No significant tran-svalvular gradient
- No LVOT gradient
- No LCx artery or coronary sinus obstruction
- Longest follow up 2 years, both patients with excellent valve function

# Edwards FORTIS Transcatheter Mitral Valve





# Prediction of new-LVOT dimensions



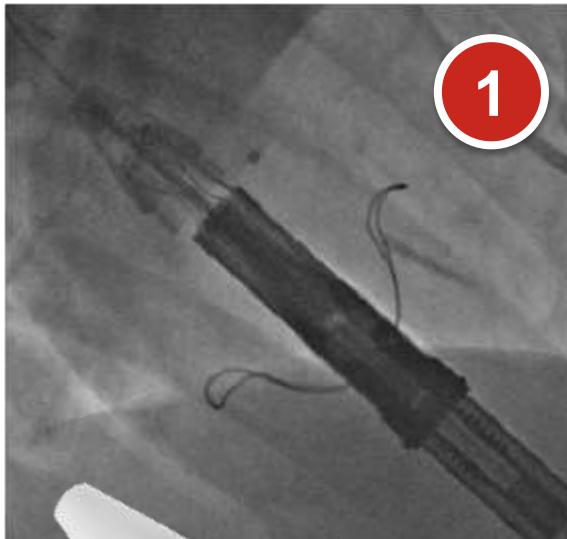
**A. Three-chamber view. Depicting the simulated cylindrical virtual valve implant**

**B. Bicommisural view.** The red bar indicates the orientation and position of the short-axis LVOT view

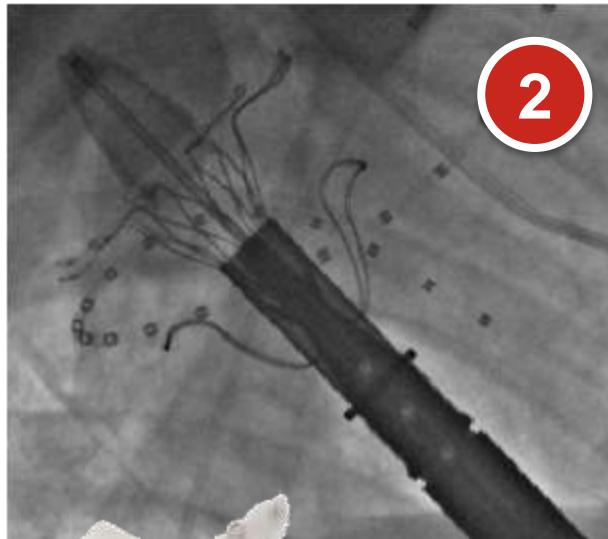
**C. Short-axis view.** The neo-LVOT is slit-like, suggestive of high risk for LVOT obstruction.

# Edwards FORTIS TMVR Procedure

**Leaflet Capture**



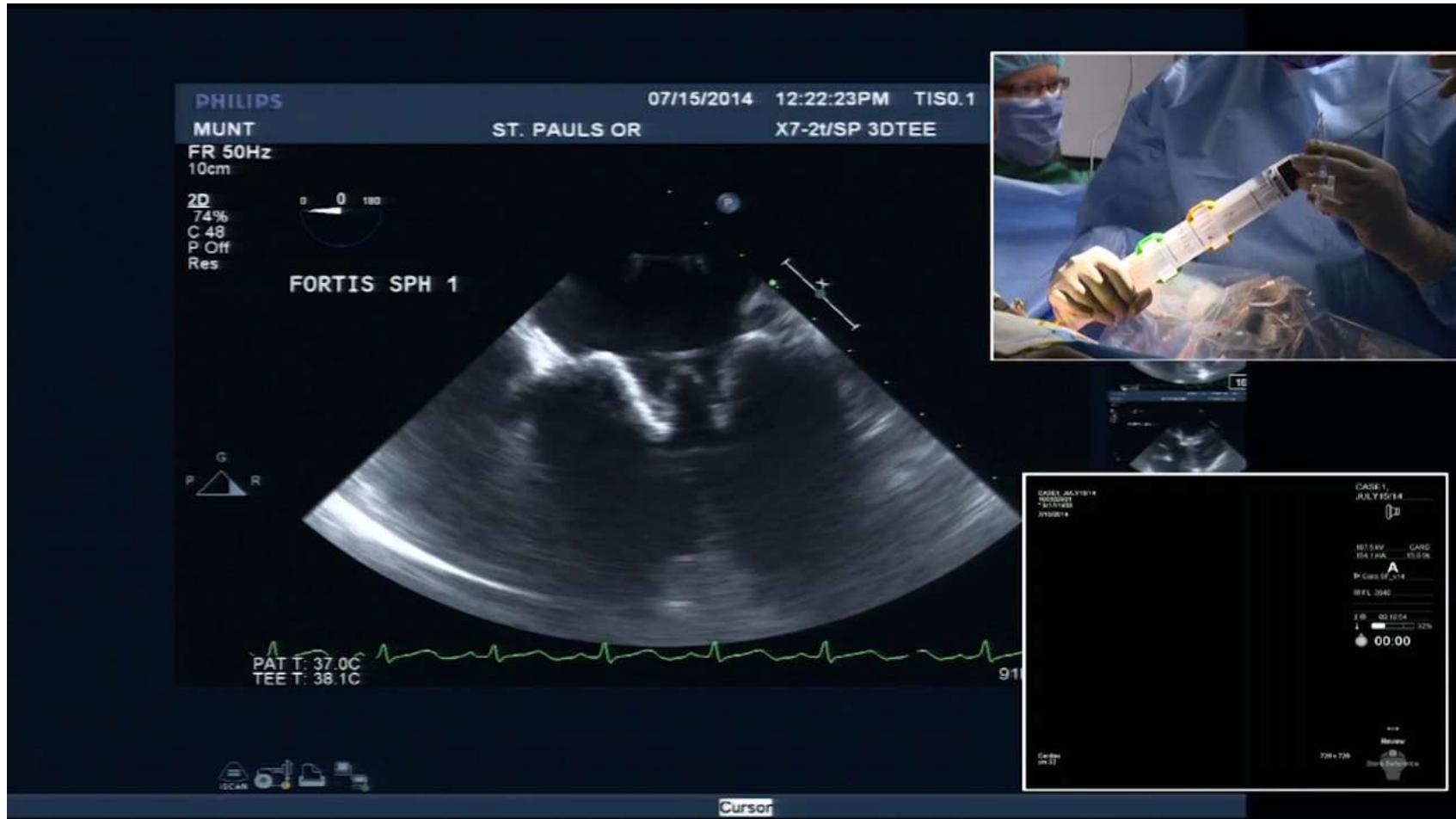
**Flange Release**



**Valve Release**



# Paddles capture AML and PML

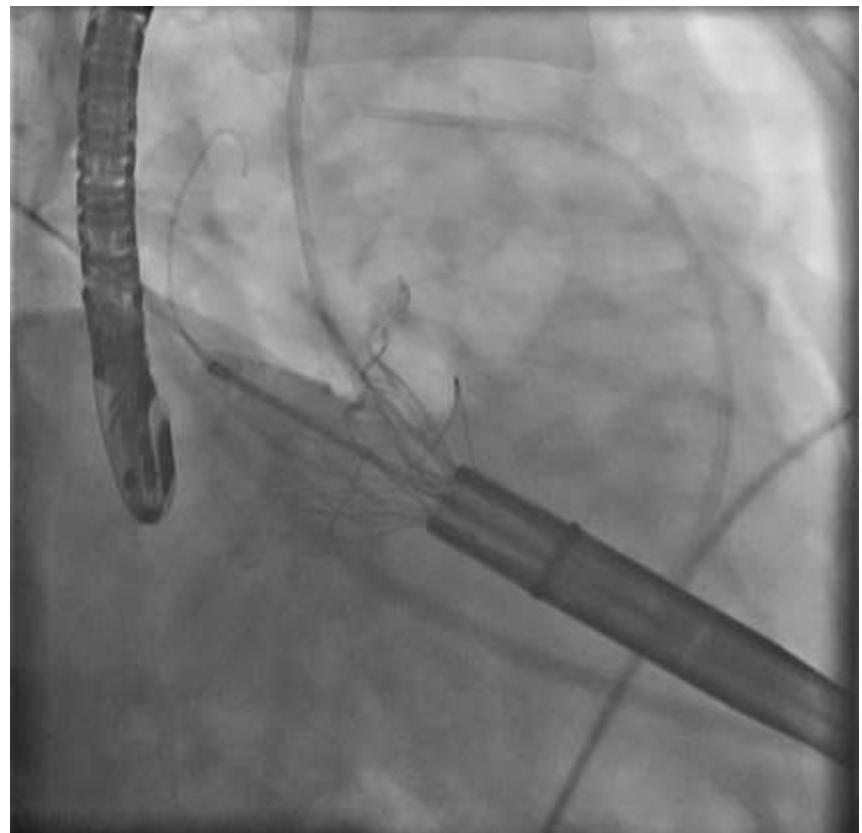


# Atrial flange opened and valve released

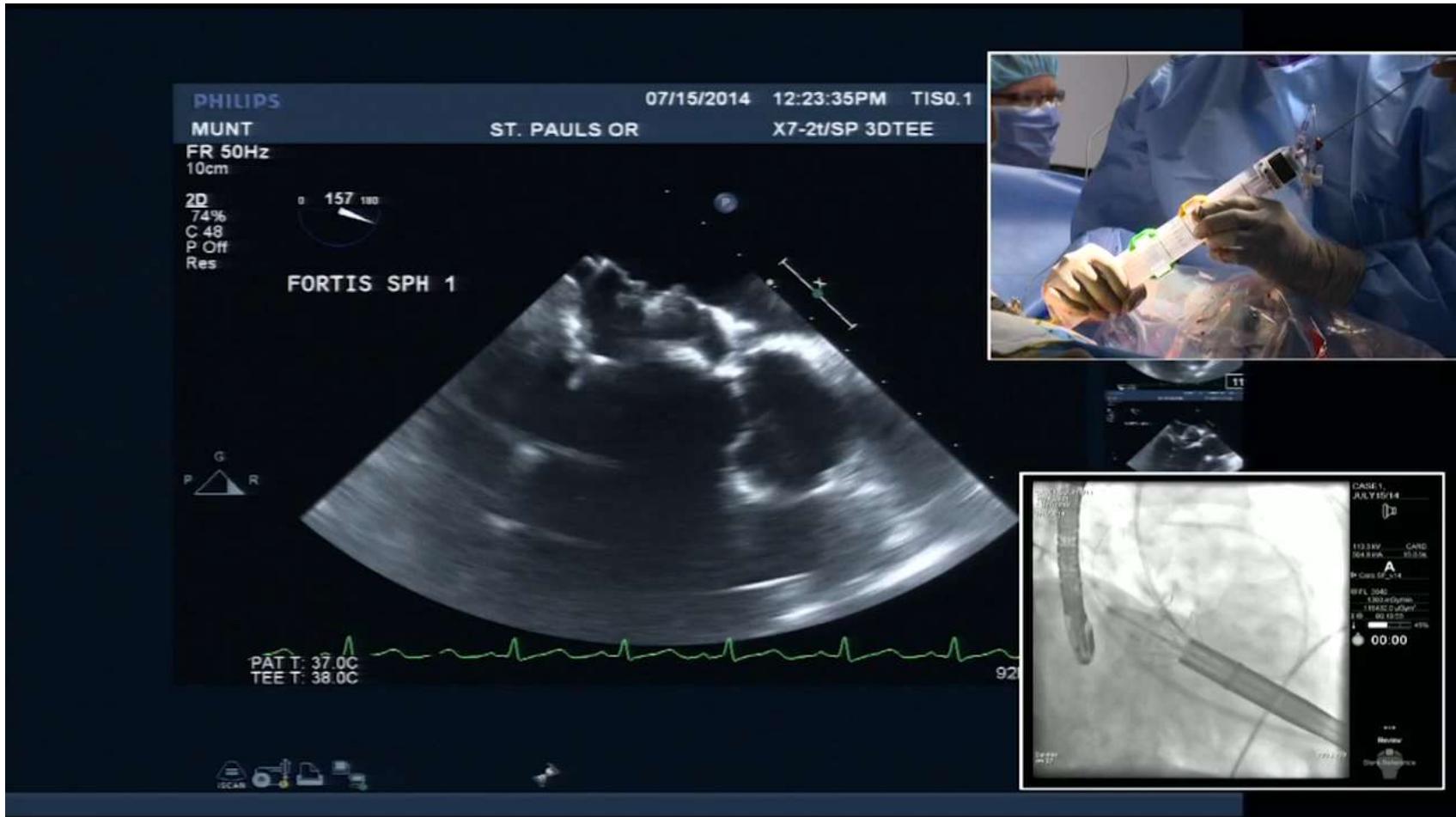
**Atrial flange opened**



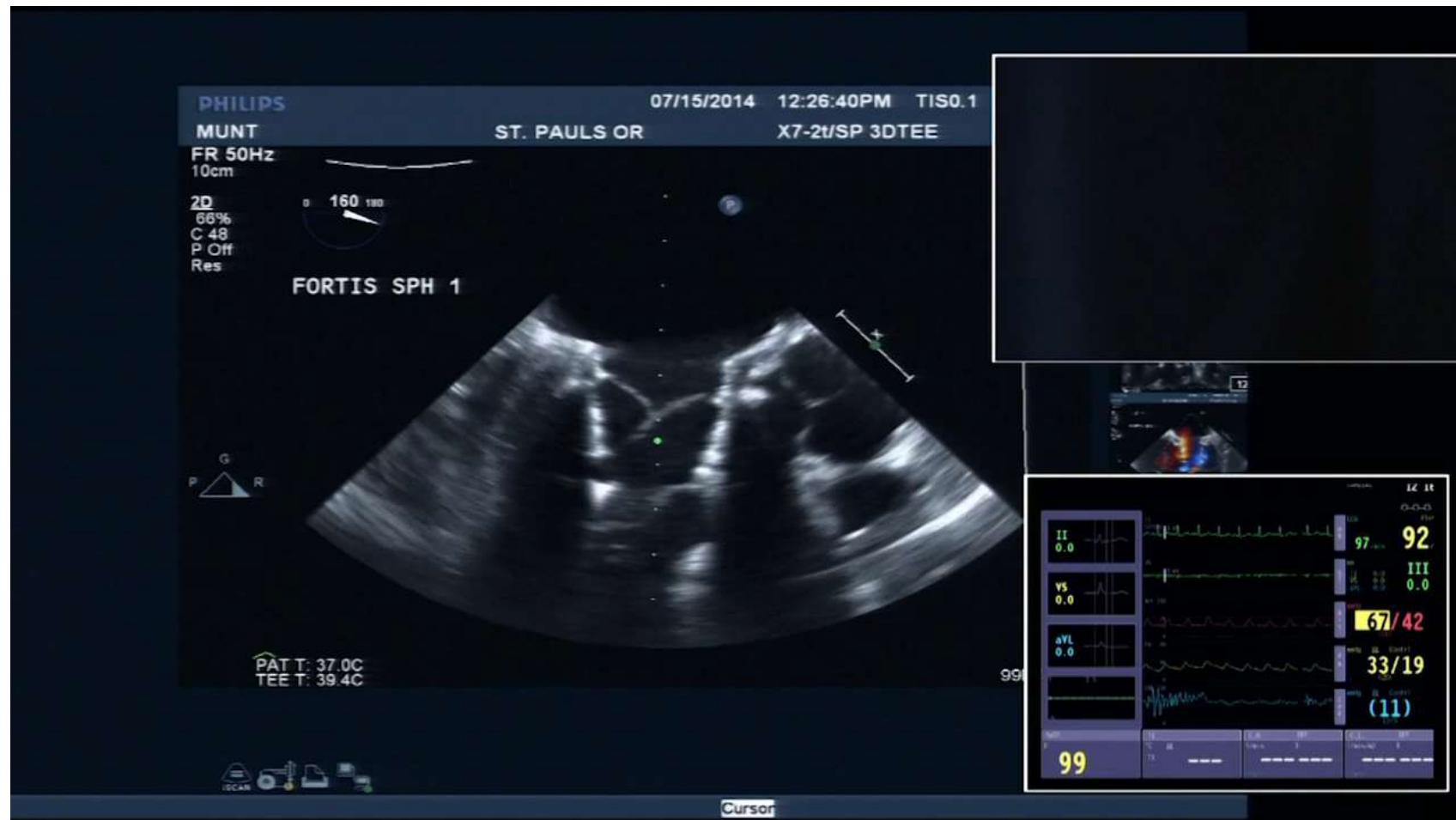
**Valve released**



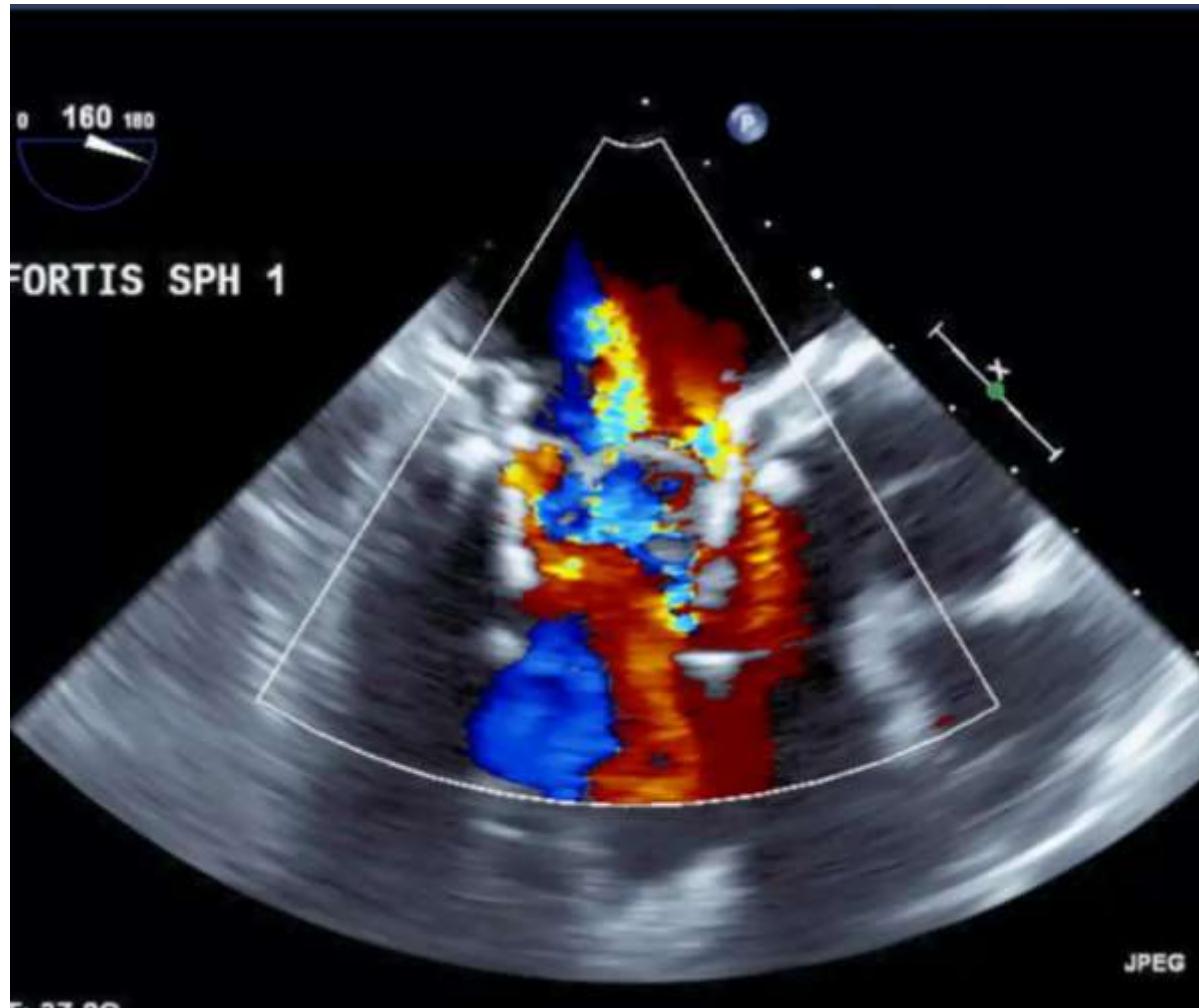
# Valve released, nosecone withdrawn



# Delivery system removed

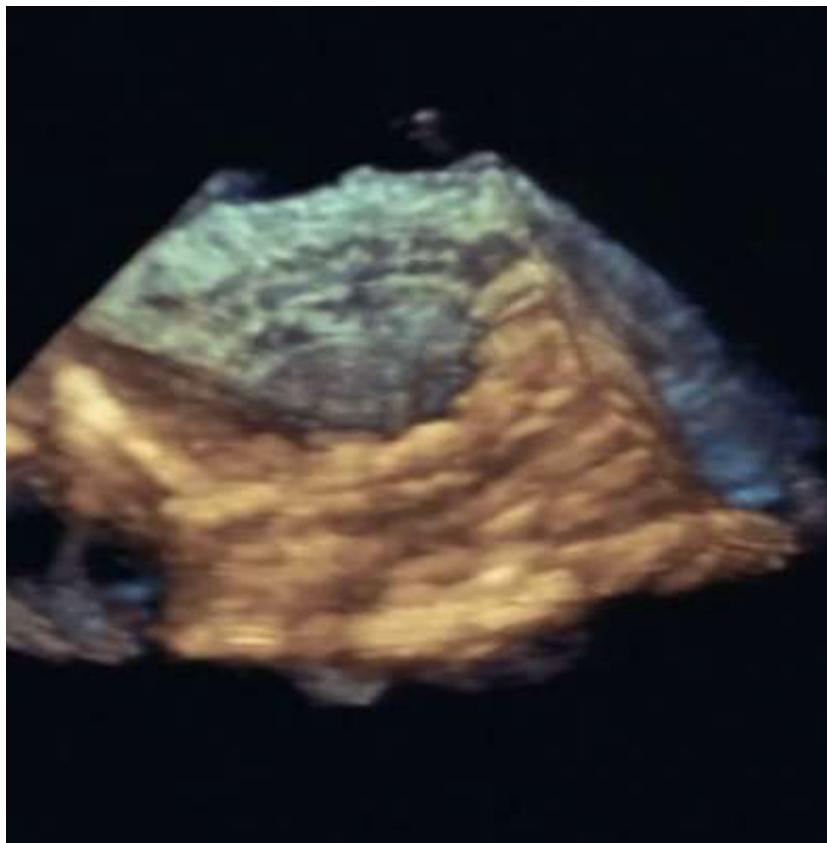


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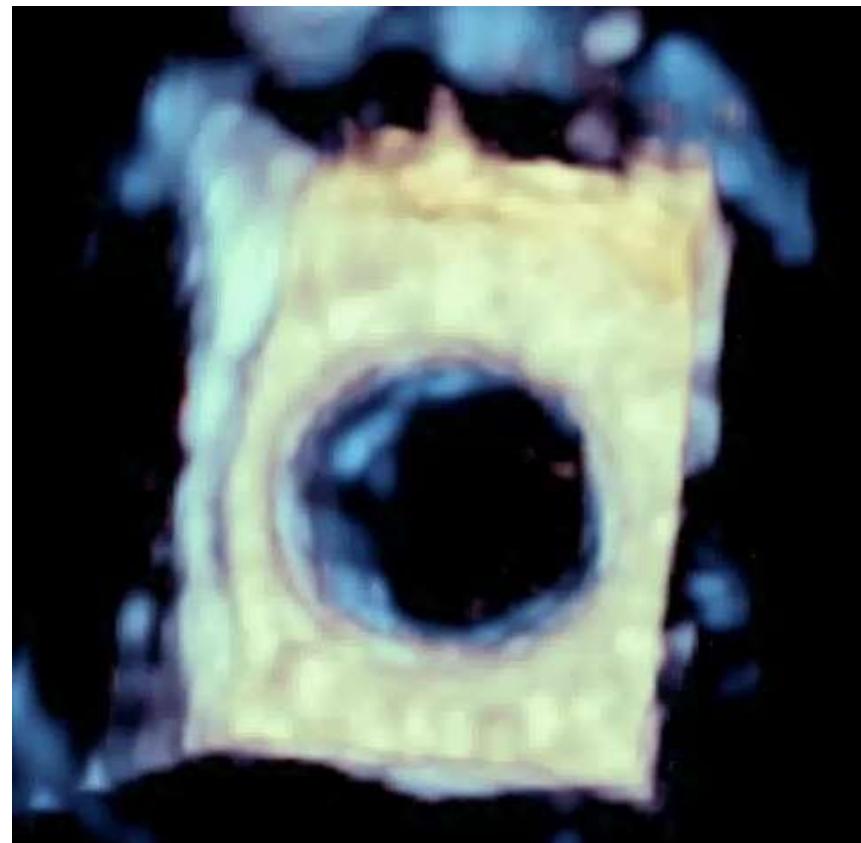


# 3D TEE

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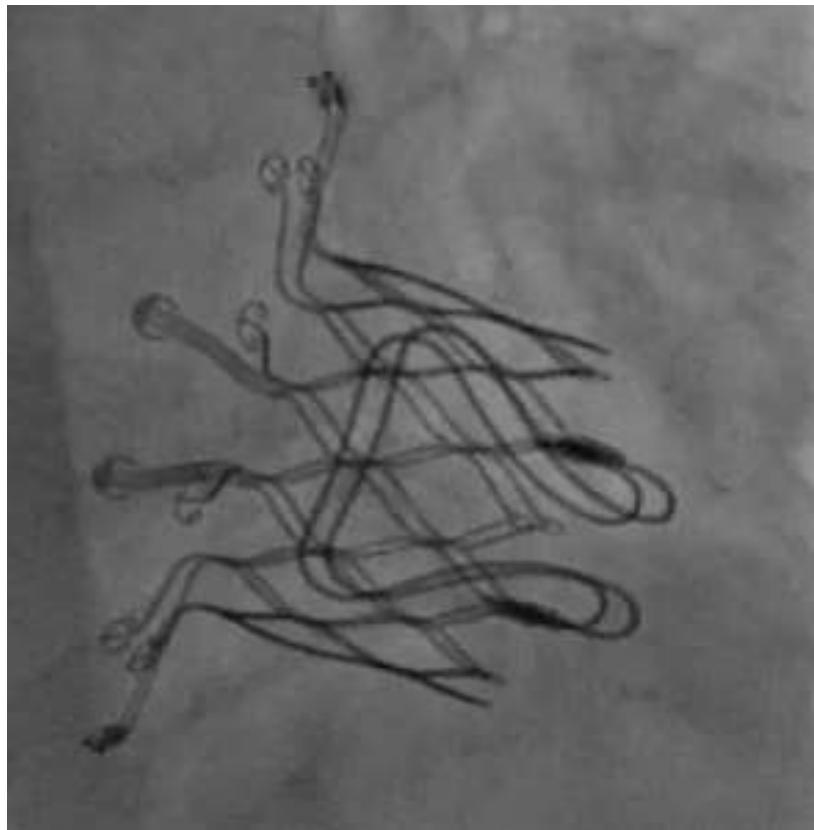


From LV

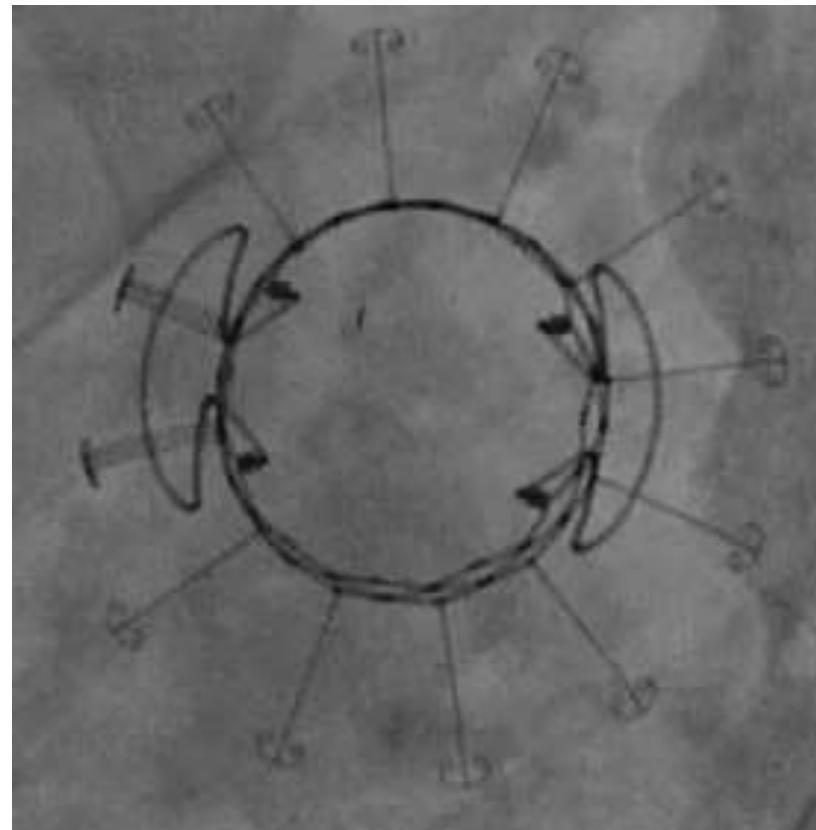


# Fluoroscopy

RAO



LAO Cau



# TTE 6 months, remains well at 2 years

**Valve stable, LVEF 45%**



**MR trivial, MG 3mmHg**



# Tendyne TMVR (Abbott)



- Self-Expanding Nitinol Outer Frame
- D-Shaped
- Porcine Pericardial Tri-Leaflet Valve
- Numerous sizes available
- Valve Tethered to Apex
- Apical Pad Assists in Access Closure

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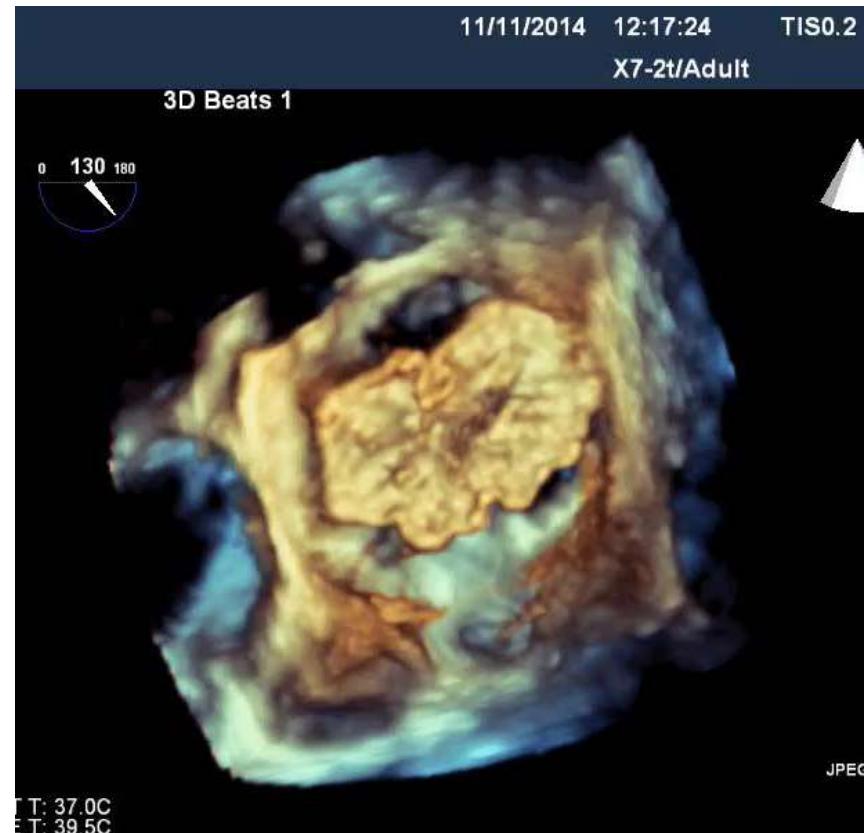


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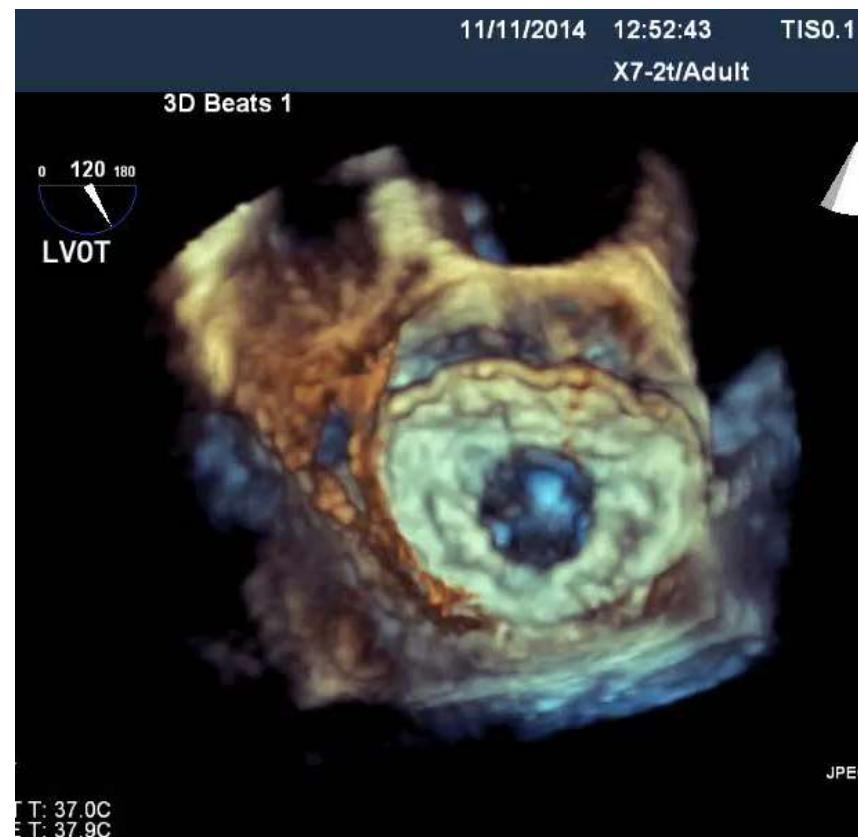
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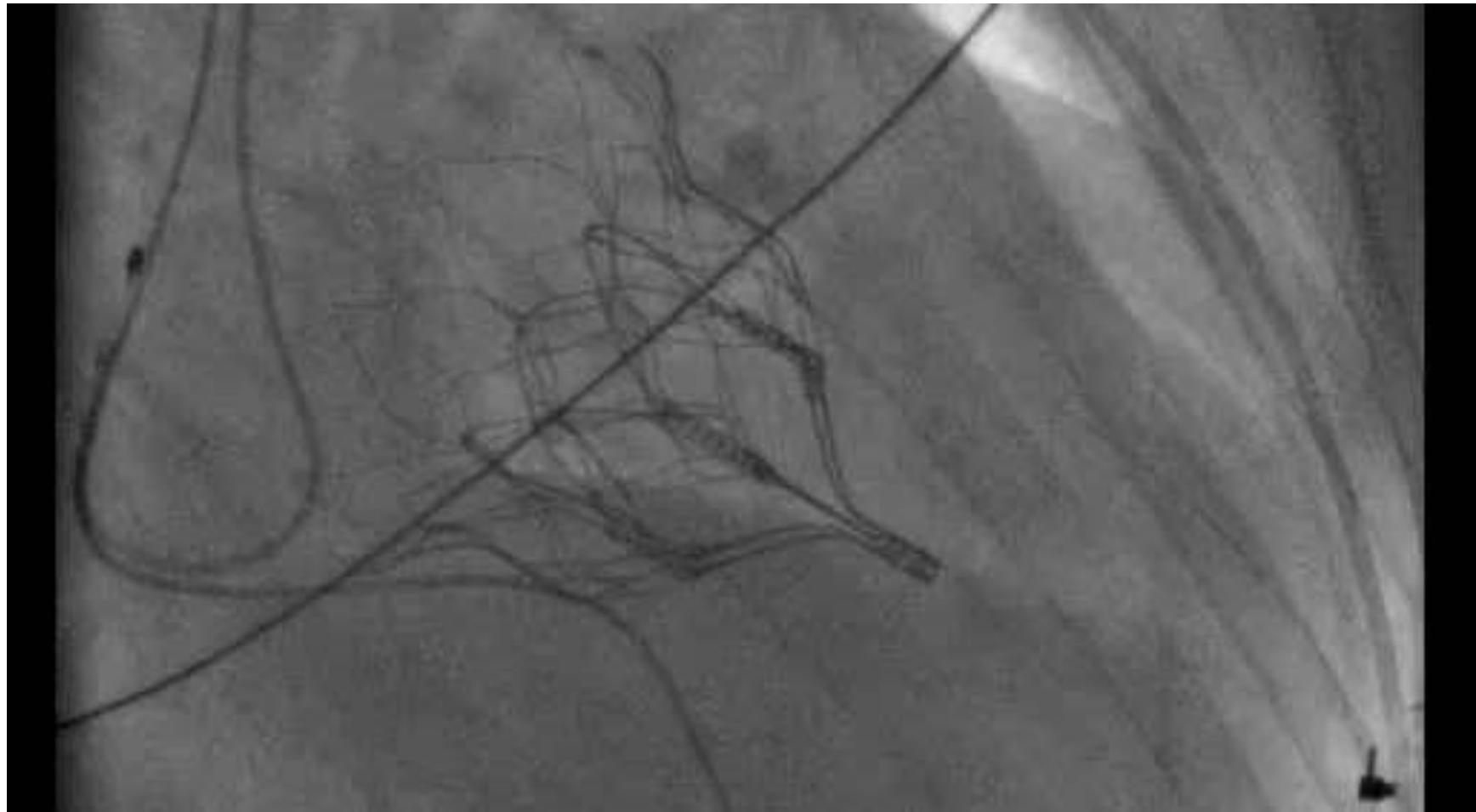
Atrial skirt



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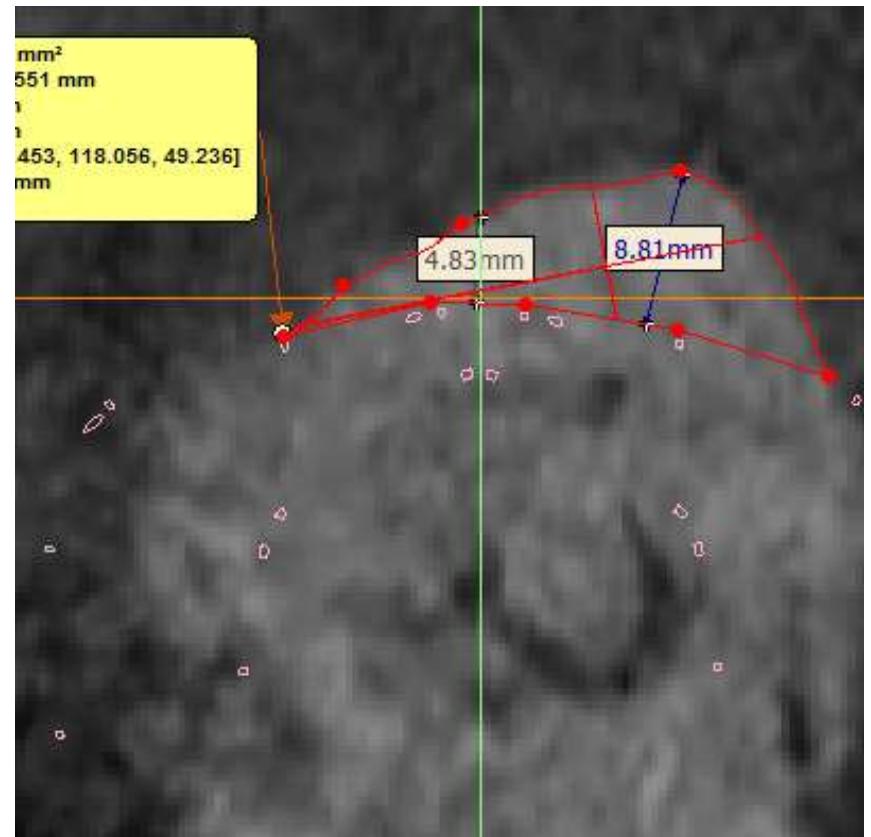


# Case: Patient at risk of LVOT obstruction

TEE



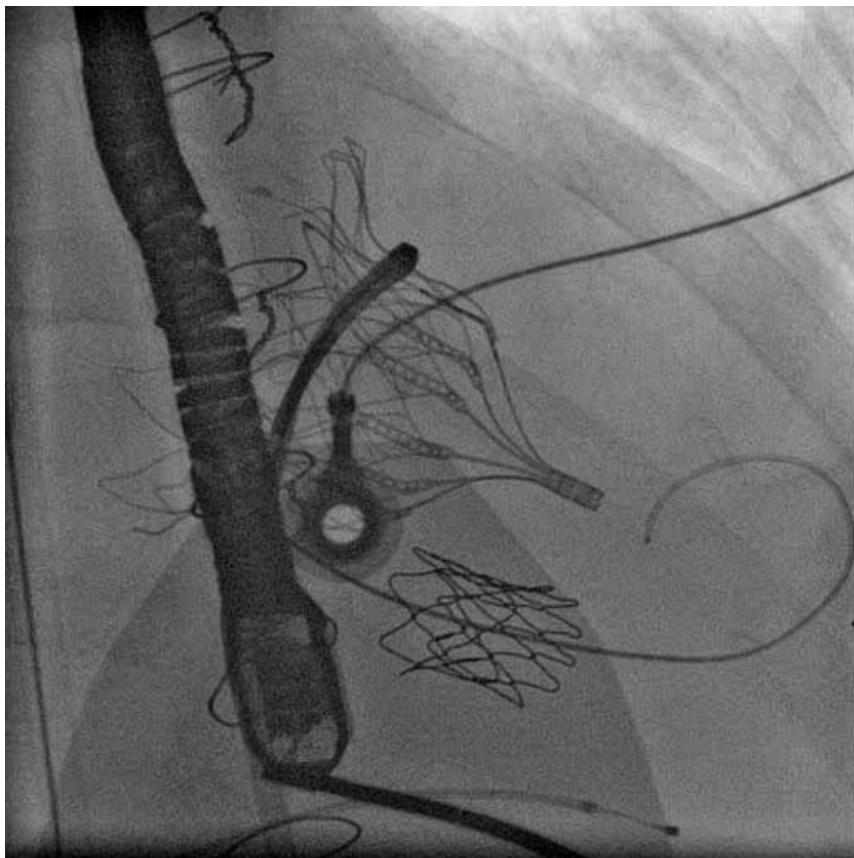
CT



Aortic-mitral angle is acute

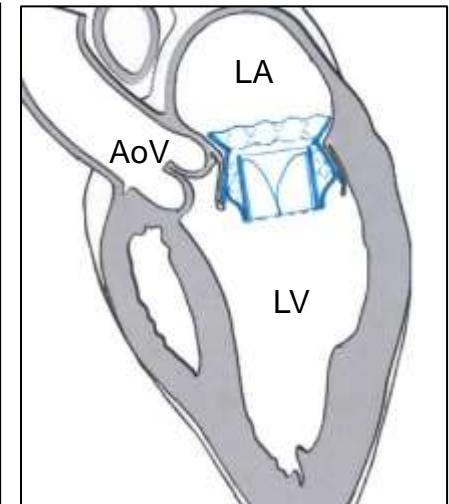
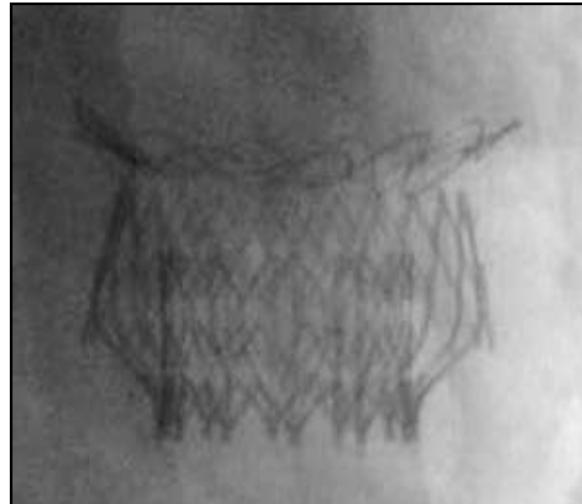
Neo LVOT is small

# LVOT stenting



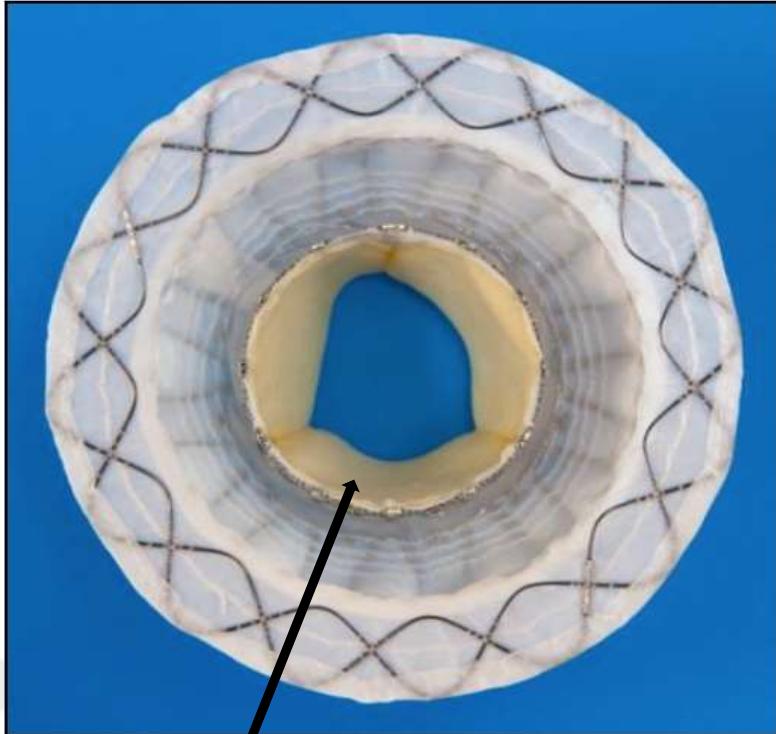
# Twelve/Intrepid TMVI (Medtronic)

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  - Radial force, small cleats, frictional elements & tissue ingrowth
  - Leveraging, but not relying on, the native leaflets



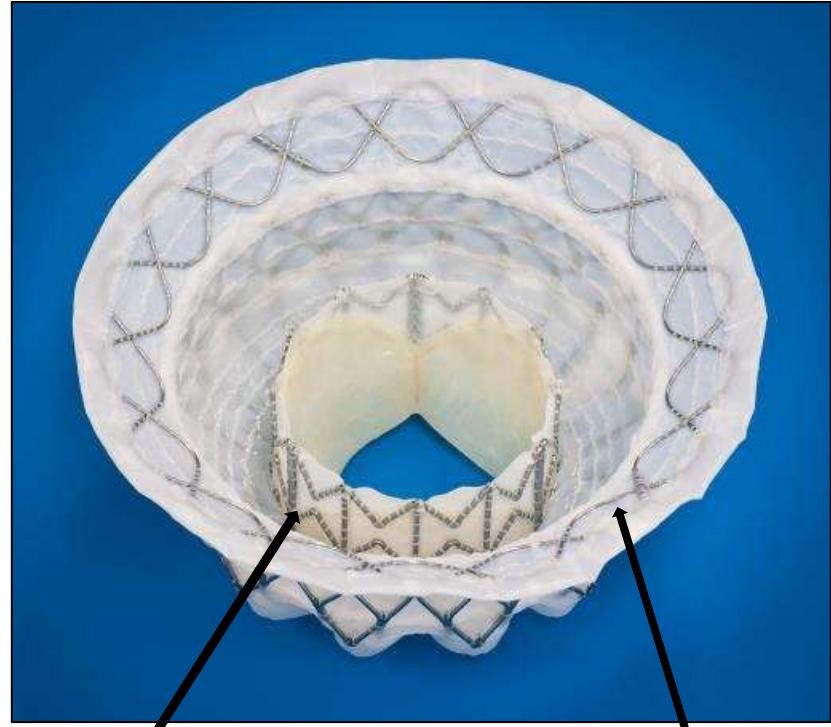
# Intrepid (Medtronic)

Atrial view



27mm bovine  
tricuspid valve

Left ventricular view

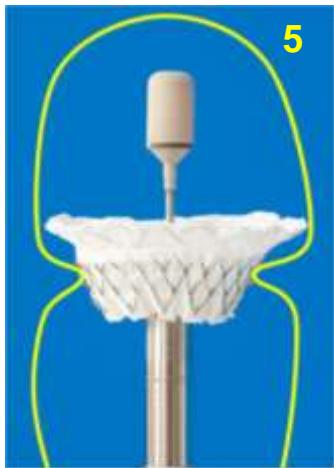
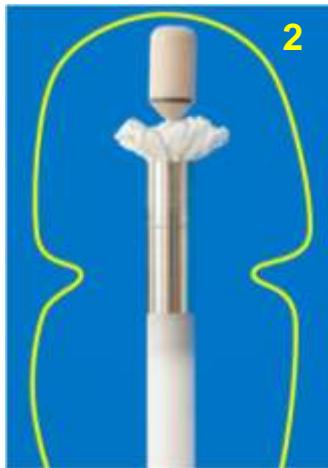
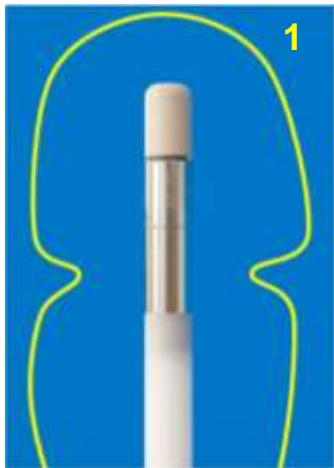


Inner stent

Outer stent

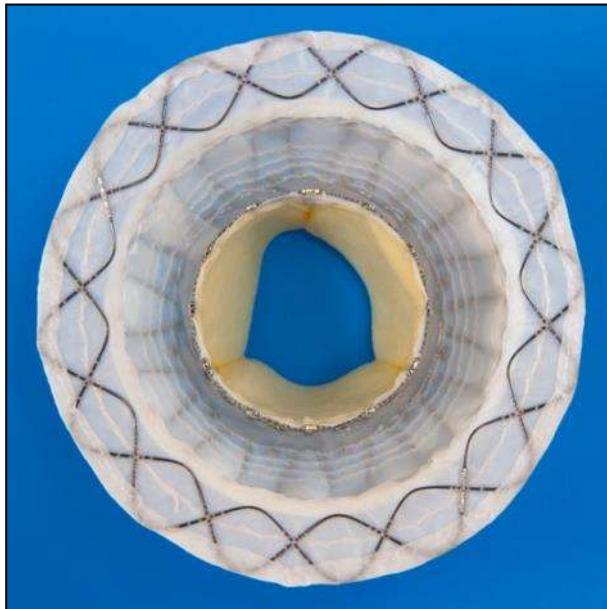
# Straightforward Apical Procedure

Controlled deployment of self-expanding implant

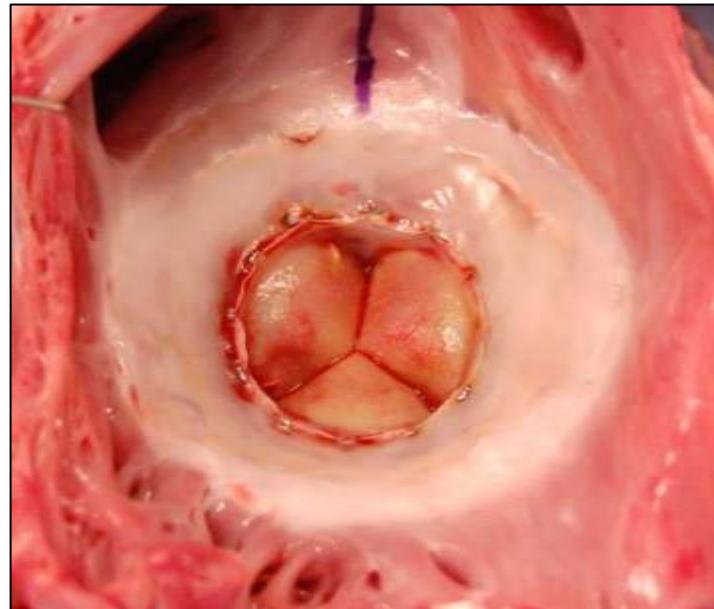


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*Implant with atrial brim*



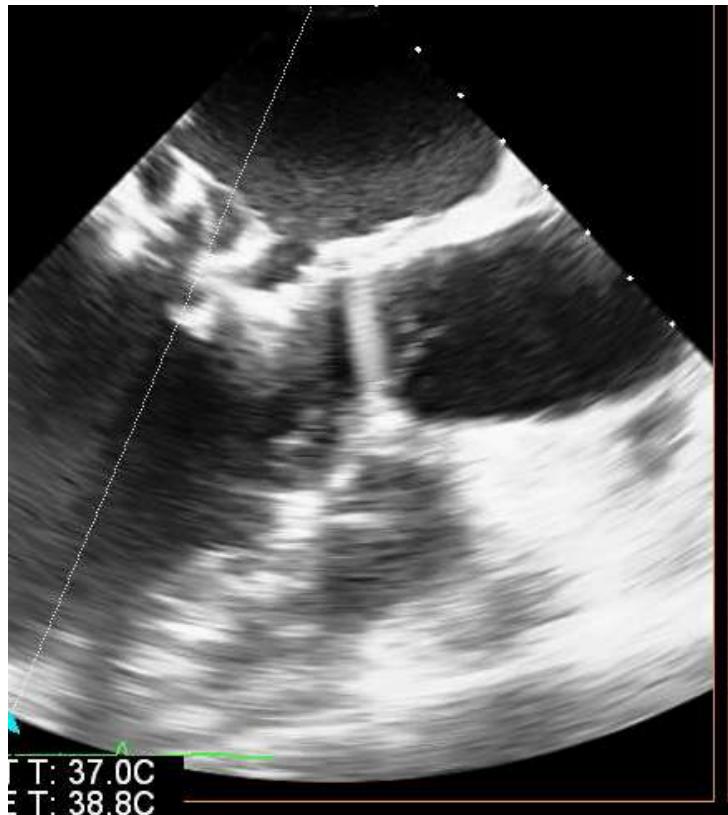
*Atrial view (94 days *in vivo*)*

# Animal study: Patent LVOT

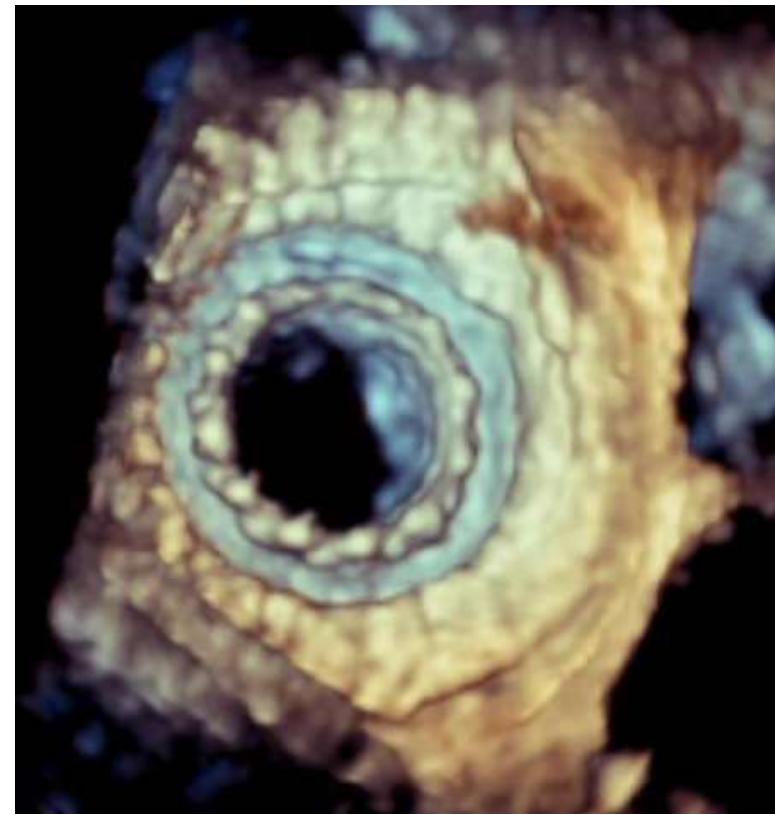


# Intrepid: human implant

TEE 2D LAX



TEE 3D from LA



Thankyou