

**I-LOVE-IT – A Prospective, Multicenter Clinical Trial of TIVOLI™ Bioabsorbable Polymer Based Sirolimus-Eluting vs. ENDEAVOR™ Zotarolimus-Eluting Stent in Patients with Coronary Artery Disease: 8-Month Angiographic and 1-Year Clinical Follow-Up Results**

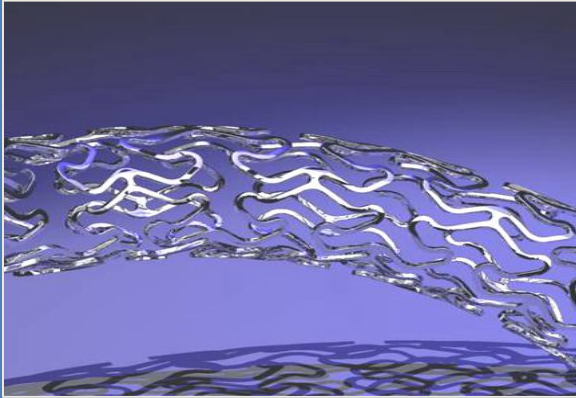
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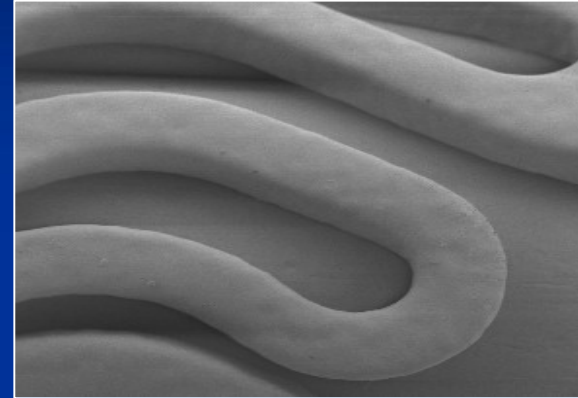
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# TIVOLI DES Components

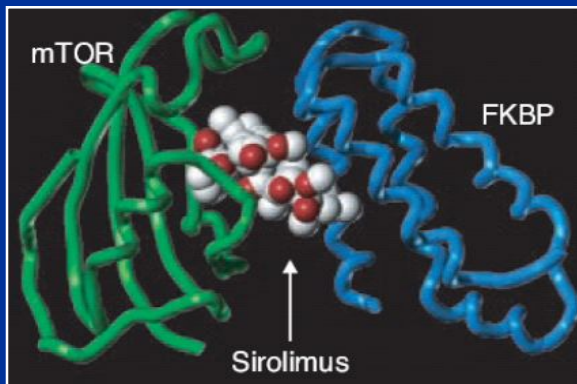
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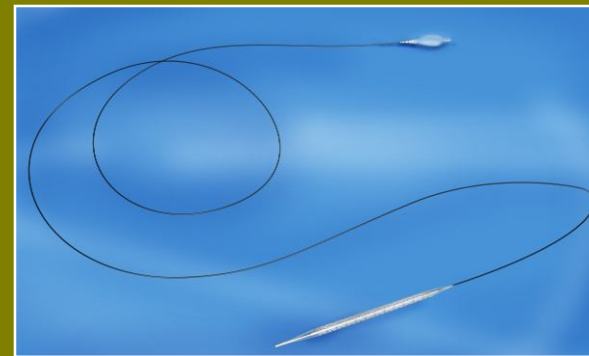
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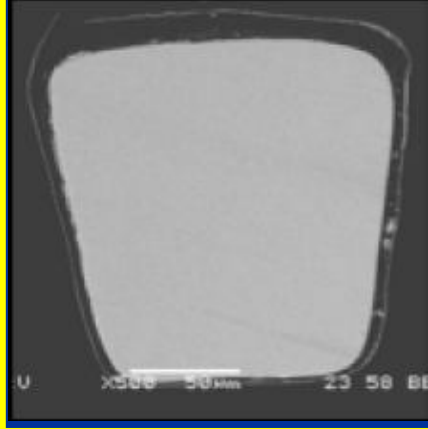

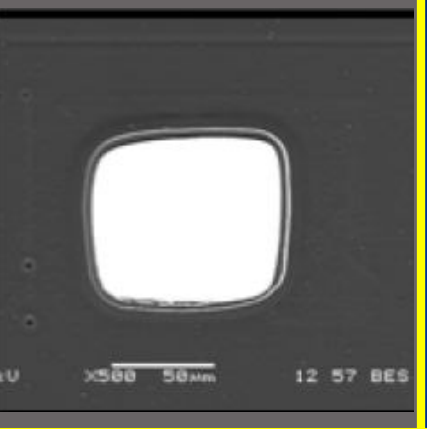
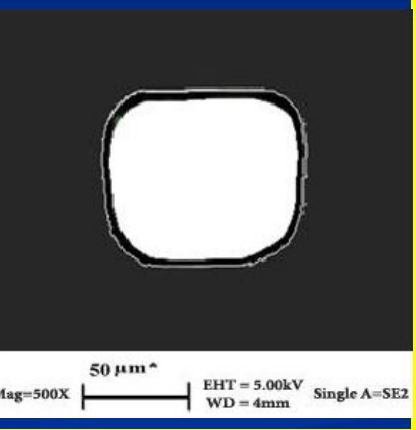
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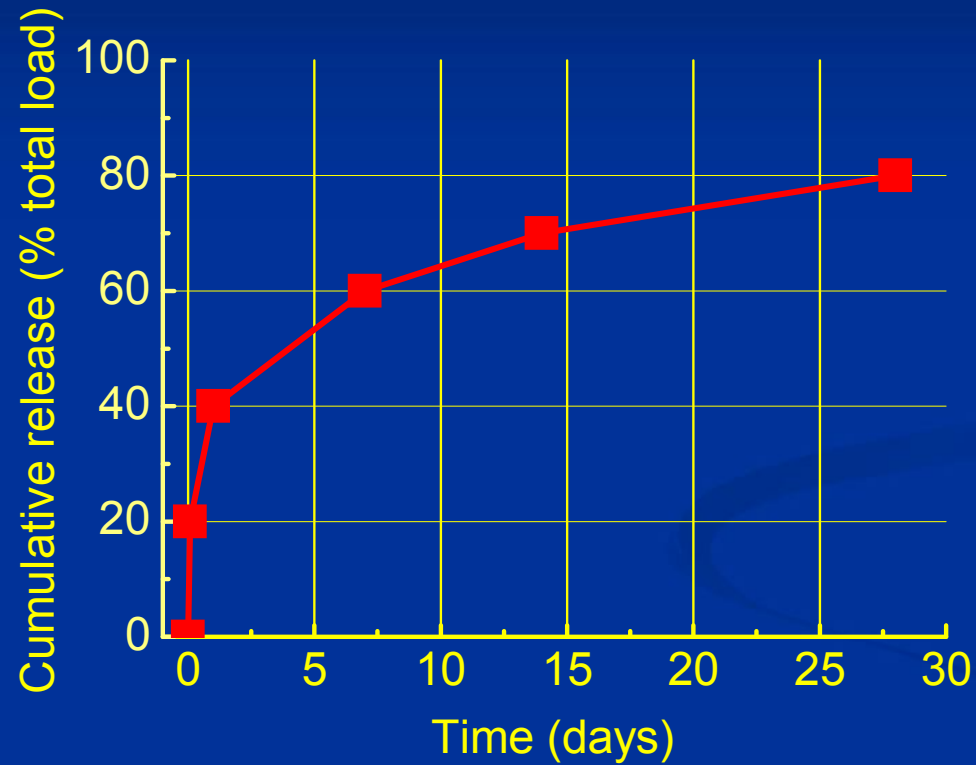
## Stent Delivery System



# Comparison of Strut and Coating Thickness

Cypher®	Endeavor™	Xience™ V	Tivoli™
			
<b>Strut Thickness</b>	<b>Strut Thickness</b>	<b>Strut Thickness</b>	<b>Strut Thickness</b>
<b>140 μm</b>	<b>91 μm</b>	<b>81 μm</b>	<b>80 μm</b>
<b>Polymer Thickness</b>	<b>Polymer Thickness</b>	<b>Polymer Thickness</b>	<b>Polymer Thickness</b>
<b>12.6 μm</b>	<b>5.3 μm</b>	<b>7.6 μm</b>	<b>5.5 μm</b>
<b>PEVA+PBMA</b>	<b>PC</b>	<b>Fluoropolymer</b>	<b>PLGA</b>
<b>Sirolimus</b>	<b>Zotarolimus</b>	<b>Everolimus</b>	<b>Sirolimus</b>

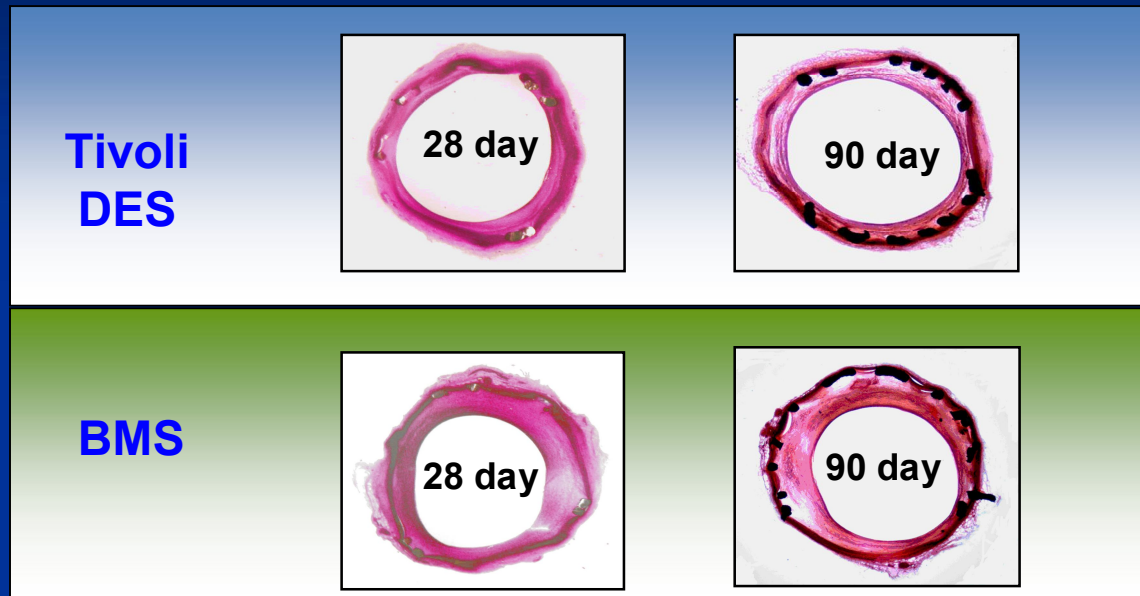
# Drug Eluting Kinetics



**8 ug Sirolimus per mm stent length**

# TIVOLI Animal Study

28 days to 90 days



Time	Stents	Lumen area (mm <sup>2</sup> )	Internal elastic lamina area (mm <sup>2</sup> )	Neointimal area (mm <sup>2</sup> )	Stenosis(%)
28 days	BMS	2.65 ± 1.03	4.53 ± 0.36	1.88 ± 0.71	42.67% ± 17.14%
	POS	2.19 ± 0.70	3.89 ± 0.36	1.71 ± 0.69	43.63% ± 17.54%
	DES	3.19 ± 0.76	4.09 ± 0.55	0.90 ± 0.40	22.83% ± 12.12%*
90 days	BMS	2.75 ± 0.48	4.79 ± 0.60	1.90 ± 0.55	40.00% ± 11.98%
	POS	2.39 ± 0.70	4.57 ± 0.62	2.17 ± 0.73	47.83% ± 16.77%
	DES	3.50 ± 0.48	4.81 ± 0.15	1.33 ± 0.54	27.33% ± 10.69%#

\* At 28-day, the DES compared with BMS resulted in significantly less area stenosis(%), P=0.015

# At 90-day, the DES tended to show less area stenosis (%) compared with BMS, P=0.128

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## Objective:

- To demonstrate non-inferiority of Tivoli to the Endeavor drug eluting stent in subjects with a maximum of two *de novo* native coronary artery lesions (lesion length  $\leq$  40mm; RVD 2.25-4.0mm)

# Study Design

Prospective, Parallel, Controlled, Multi-Center Clinical Study  
Lesions  $\leq 40$  mm in length, 2.25 – 4.0 mm diameter  
324 Patients at 12 Centers

**Tivoli™**  
**Sirolimus-eluting Stent**  
**N = 168**

**Endeavor™ Coronary Stent**  
**(Control Group)**  
**N = 156**

## Antiplatelet Therapy:

Clopidogrel 300 mg loading dose, 75 mg QD at least 6 months  
Aspirin 100 -300mg QD for 3 months, and daily ASA indefinitely



# I-LOVE-IT: Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria

## Key Inclusion

- Age 18-75yrs
- Target lesion no.  $\leq 2$
- Lesion length  $\leq 40$ mm
- RVD 2.25mm~4.0mm
- DS%  $\geq 70\%$  by visual estimation

## Key Exclusion

- CTO (TIMI 0), LM, ostial lesion, SVG, bifurcation (side branch RVD  $\geq 2.5$ mm), ISR
- AMI within 1 week
- Thrombus-containing lesion
- NYHA  $\geq III$  or LVEF  $< 40\%$
- Prior stenting in target vessel or in any vessel within 6mo

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## ■ Primary Endpoint

--- Angiographic in-stent late loss at 240-day

## ■ Secondary Endpoints

- Angiographic in-stent and in-segment binary restenosis at 240-day
- Clinical (MACE, TLR, MI, cardiac death, stent thrombosis) outcomes at 1-year
- Device and procedure success

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## ■ Statistical Assumptions

- Two-sided 95% upper confidence bound for the difference in means between treatment groups
- Margin of difference to support non-inferiority was 0.20 mm
- SD = 0.46\*
- Alpha = 0.05
- power = 80%

## ■ 168 patients needed

## ■ A total 320 patients needed due to an assumed 45% lost to angiographic follow-up

\* Fajadet J, Wijns W, Laarman GJ, Kuck KH, Ormiston J, Munzel T, Popma JJ, Fitzgerald PJ, Bonan R, Kuntz RE. *Circulation*. 2006;114(8):798-806.

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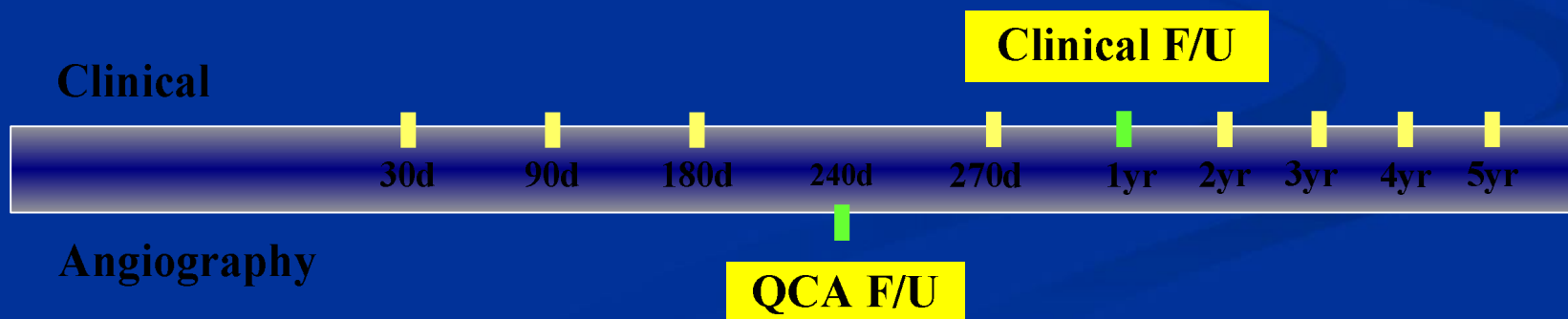
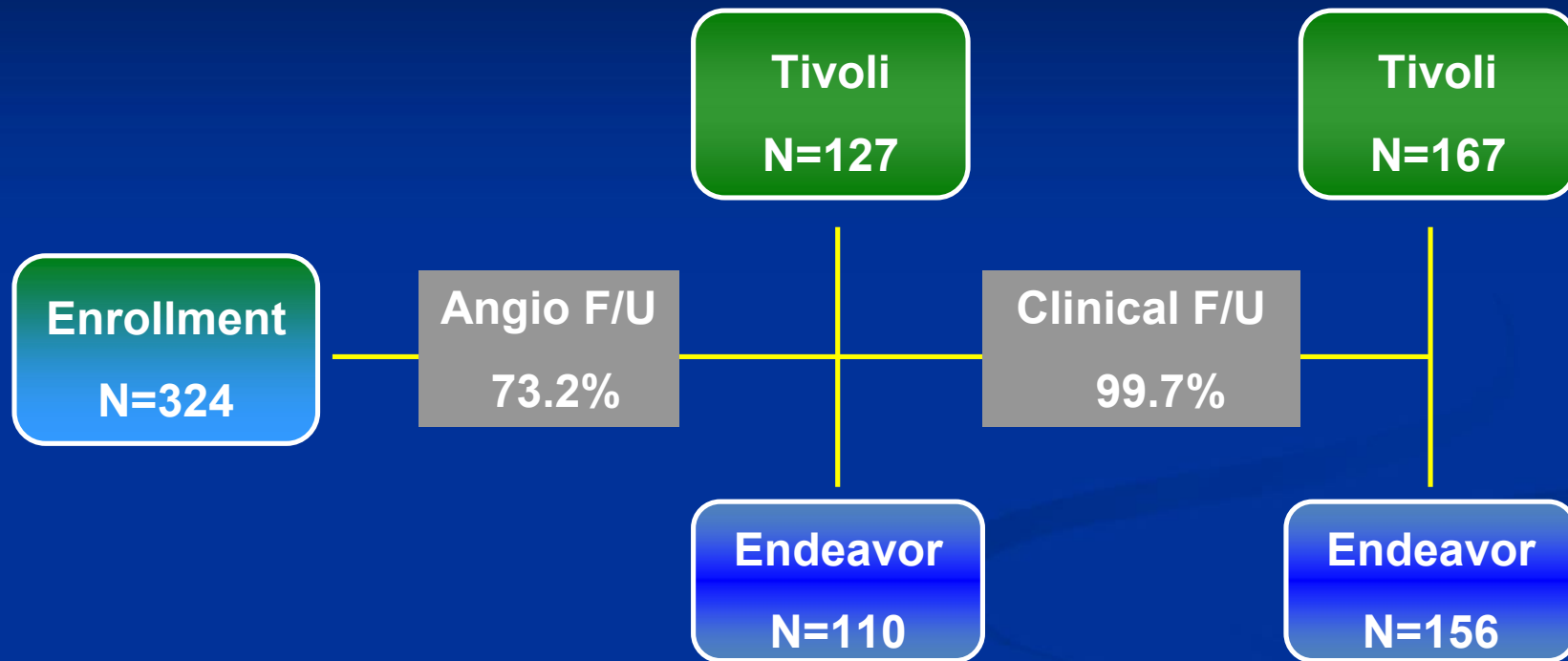
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# Trial Follow Up Schedule



# Baseline Characteristics

Characteristic	Tivoli N=168 pts	Endeavor N=156 pts	P
Age, yr	<b>57.0 ± 11.4</b>	<b>60.4 ± 10.5</b>	<b>0.0054</b>
Male sex, %	70.2	71.2	0.8564
Prior MI, %	<b>31.6</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>0.0028</b>
Prior PCI, %	11.3	10.3	0.7601
Prior CABG, %	0.6	0.6	1.0000
Diabetes mellitus, %	26.2	25.6	0.9102
Hypertension, %	54.8	57.0	0.6784
Hypercholesterolemia, %	20.8	23.1	0.6258
Current smoker, %	46.4	43.6	0.8471
Unstable angina, %	<b>80.4</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>0.0096</b>
Left ventricular ejection fraction, %	<b>61.6 ± 8.9</b>	<b>65.5 ± 9.0</b>	<b>0.0003</b>
Lesion number/ patient	<b>1.43 ± 0.50</b>	<b>1.27 ± 0.44</b>	<b>0.0018</b>

# Baseline Vessel and Lesion Characteristics

Characteristic	Tivoli N=216 lesions	Endeavor N= 186 lesions	P
Target vessel location, %			0.9326
LAD	48.5	50.0	
LCX	21.4	21.6	
RCA	30.1	28.4	
ACC/AHA, %			0.7157
A/B1	51.2	49.5	
B2/C	48.8	50.5	
Pre-procedure QCA			
RVD, mm	2.81 ± 0.45	2.88 ± 0.47	0.0953
MLD, mm	0.80 ± 0.42	0.81 ± 0.41	0.6906
DS, %	72.1 ± 13.6	72.3 ± 12.1	0.8393
Lesion length, mm	<b>22.36 ± 10.94</b>	<b>19.38 ± 9.15</b>	<b>0.0028</b>



# Post-Procedure Results

Characteristic	Tivoli N=216 lesions	Endeavor N=186 lesions	P
Pre-dilatation, %	57.0	62.2	0.2788
Stent diameter, mm	3.04 ± 0.44	3.12 ± 0.46	0.0352
Stent length, mm	<b>29.18 ± 12.88</b>	<b>24.11 ± 9.84</b>	<b>&lt;0.0001</b>
Post-dilatation, %	20.5	23.3	0.4555
Device success, %	100%	100%	
Post-procedural QCA			
RVD, mm	3.14 ± 0.43	3.25 ± 0.45	0.0102
Minimum lumen diameter, mm			
In-stent	2.68 ± 0.40	2.82 ± 0.43	0.0008
In-segment	2.40 ± 0.46	2.42 ± 0.51	0.6341
Diameter stenosis, %			
In-stent	14.6 ± 4.4	13.3 ± 4.3	0.0020
In-segment	24.2 ± 8.1	26.2 ± 8.4	0.0158
Acute gain, mm			
In-stent	1.88 ± 0.41	2.01 ± 0.42	0.0030
In-segment	1.60 ± 0.44	1.61 ± 0.45	0.8860

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## Primary Endpoint Results

**240-day In-stent Late Loss\*, mm**

Diff [95% CI]  
-0.23 [-0.32, -0.14],  
P<0.0001

**56% reduction**



Tivoli (n=119)

Endeavor (n=105)

**PRIMARY ENDPOINT MET!**

\* Randomly select one lesion when more than one lesions involved.

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## Angiographic Results at 240-Day

*240-days In-segment Late Loss\*, mm*

Diff [95% CI]  
-0.13 [-0.23, -0.02],  
P=0.0083

40% reduction

0.25  
± 0.33

Tivoli (n=119)

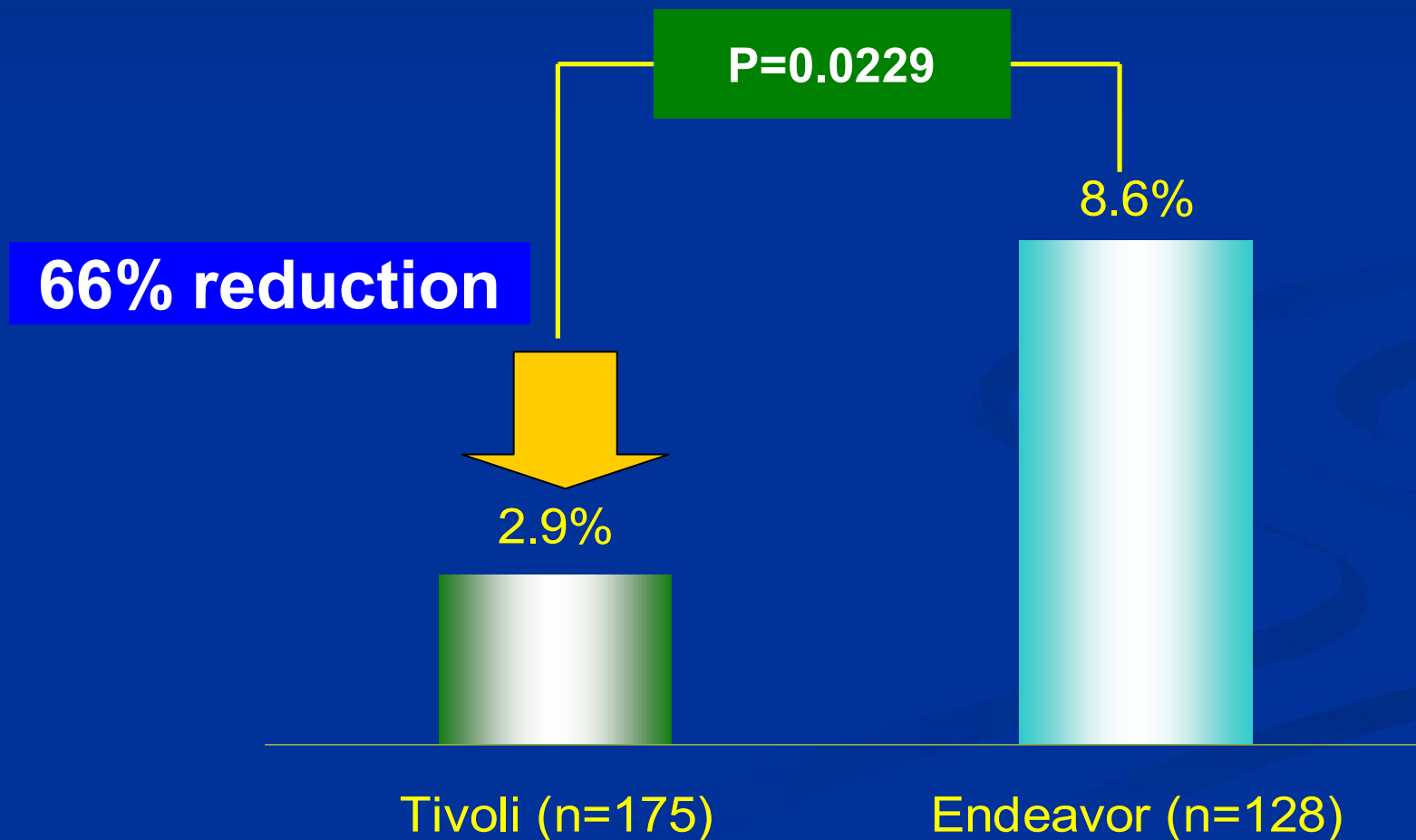
0.42  
± 0.55

Endeavor (n=105)

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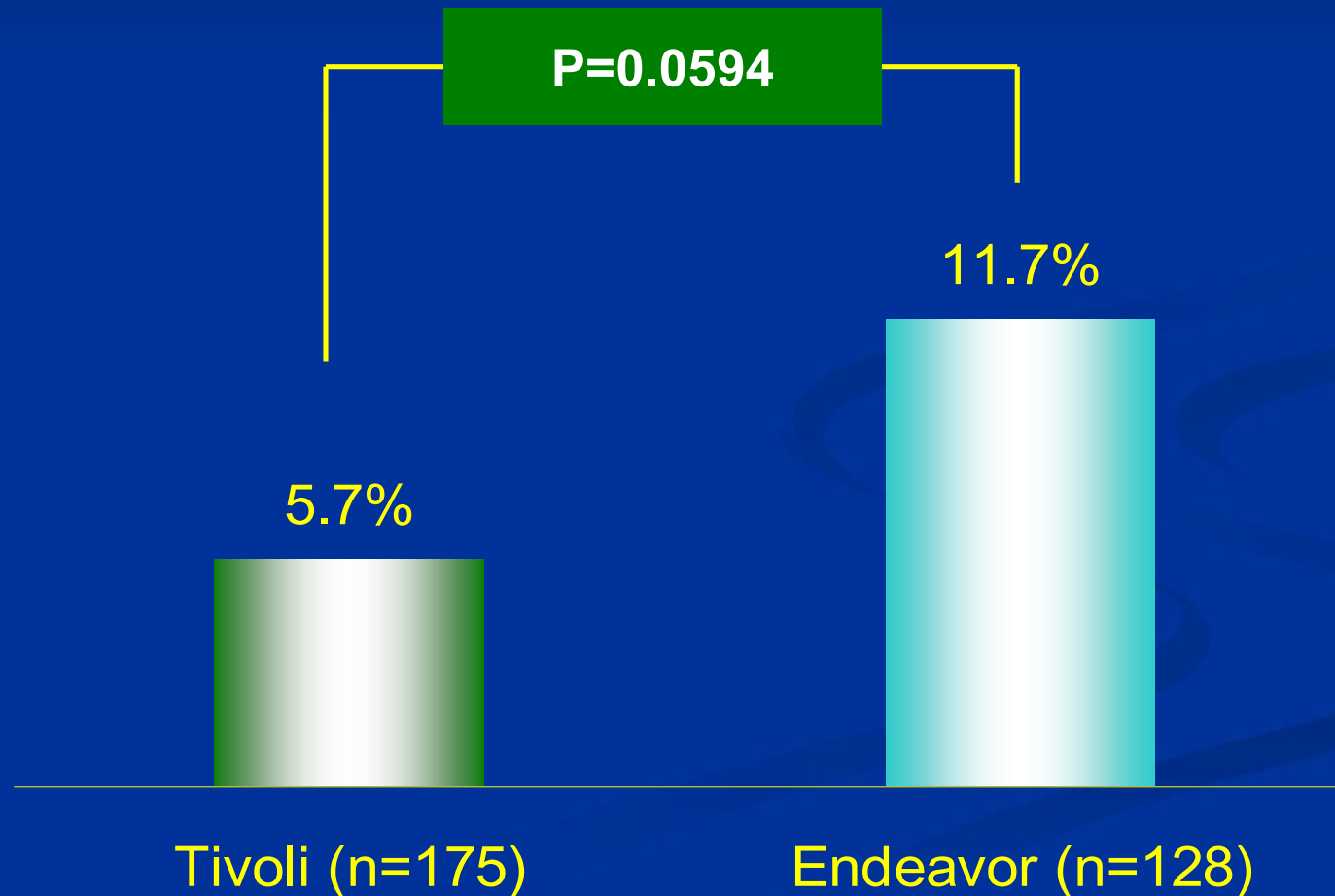
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### *In-segment Angiographic Binary Restenosis*



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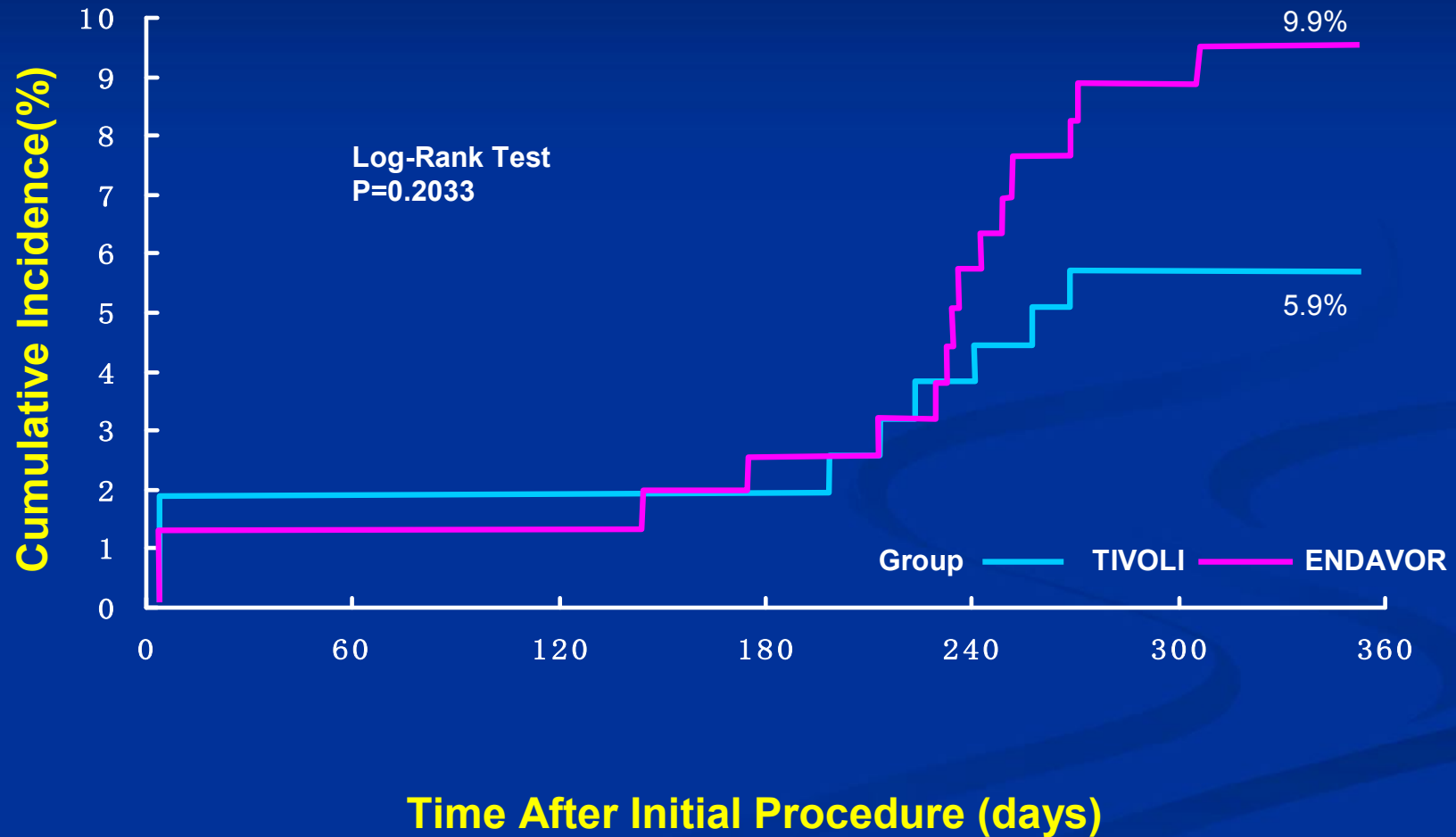
## Clinical Outcomes at One-Year

Outcome	Tivoli N=168 pts	Endeavor N=156 pts	P
MACE, n (%)	10(6.0)	17(10.9)	0.1424
Death, n (%)	0	0	-
Cardiac death, n (%)	0	0	-
MI, n (%)	4(2.4)	2(1.3)	0.6859
Q wave	1(0.6)*	0	1.0000
Non-Q wave	3(1.8)	2(1.3)	1.0000
TLR, n (%)	7(4.2)	15(9.6)	0.0495
Re-PCI	7(4.2)	15(9.6)	0.0495
CABG	0	0	1.0000

\* After 1 wk following the procedure, the patient stopped taking aspirin w/o permission for two wks due to a stomach disorder.

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## One-Year Cumulative Incidence (MACE)



# Dual Antiplatelet Therapy





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## Stent Thrombosis at One-Year

	Tivoli	Endeavor	P
<b>ARC definite/probable</b>	1*/168 (0.6%)	0/156 (0%)	-
- <b>Definite</b>	1*/168 (0.6%)	0/156 (0%)	-
- <b>Probable</b>	0/168 (0%)	0/156 (0%)	-
- <b>&lt; 24 hours</b>	0/168 (0%)	0/156 (0%)	-
- <b>24 hours - 30 days</b>	1*/168 (0.6%)	0/156 (0%)	-
- <b>&gt; 30 days – 1 year</b>	0/168 (0%)	0/156 (0%)	-

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# Tivoli Compared to Other DES

	SIRIUS	TAXUS IV	ENDEAVOR II	SPIRIT III	I-LOVE-IT
DES	Cypher	Taxus	Endeavor	Xience V	Tivoli
Patients enrolled	533	662	598	669	168
RVD, mm	2.80 ± 0.47	2.75 ± 0.47	2.74 ± 0.48	2.77 ± 0.45	2.81 ± 0.45
Lesion Length, mm	14.4 ± 5.8	13.4 ± 6.3	14.1 ± 5.6	14.7 ± 5.6	22.36 ± 10.94
Angiographic F/U, day	240	270	240	240	240
In-stent binary restenosis, %	3.2	5.5	9.4	2.3	2.9
In-segment binary restenosis, %	8.9	7.9	13.2	4.7	5.7
In-stent late loss, mm	0.17 ± 0.45	0.39 ± 0.50	0.61 ± 0.46	0.16 ± 0.41	0.25 ± 0.33
Clinical F/U, day	270	270	270	360	360
MACE, %	7.1	8.5	7.3	6.0	6.0
Cardiac death, %	0.9	1.4	0.8	0.8	0
MI, %	2.8	3.5	2.7	2.8	2.4
TLR, %	4.1	3.0	4.6	3.4	4.2
Stent thrombosis, %	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.6

# Limitation

- This is a non-randomized trial, bias may exist; however, the baseline characteristics for both groups are comparable, Tivoli group had slightly unfavorable baseline characteristics such as lesion length.
- The TLR reported for this trial are “all TLR”, instead of “clinically driven TLR”, because of 8-month angiographic follow-up.

# Conclusion: I-LOVE-IT

- The data indicates that the TIVOLI™ stent was superior to the ENDEAVOR™ stent with respect to in-stent late loss at 8-month
- TIVOLI™ stent shows lower binary restenosis rate at 8-months
- TIVOLI™ stent is as safe as ENDEAVOR™ stent according to 1-year clinical results
- TIVOLI™ stent shows lower TLR at 1-year





**Thank you**