

# Current and Future Landscape of Trans-Catheter Mitral Valve Replacement

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# TRANS CATHETER MITRAL VALVE REPLACEMENT

- In recent years, with the addition of minimally invasive surgical techniques, chordal sparing procedures and more durable bio-prostheses, *Mitral Valve Replacement* has become a viable option for treatment of severe MR
- When comparing repair vs replacement in ischemic MR, Acker and colleagues, from the CTS Network observed no significant difference in left ventricular reverse remodeling or survival at 12 months between patients who underwent mitral-valve repair and those who underwent replacement.  
*Replacement provided a more durable correction of mitral regurgitation.*

# TRANS CATHETER MITRAL VALVE REPLACEMENT

The advent of trans-catheter heart valve therapy for the Aortic valve has led to novel and lesser invasive approaches for Cardiac Valve Replacement.

# TRANS CATHETER MITRAL VALVE REPLACEMENT: Challenges

- Delivery
  - Increased device size (more than aortics) with need for more folding may lead to excessive compression with serious concerns over durability
- Fixation
  - More complex structure
  - No calcium to anchor
  - Annulus is not round , particularly when diseased and less pliable
  - Orientation may be important
- Seal
  - Paravalvular leaks in mitral position are usually not well tolerated compared to aortic PVL (hemolysis)
- Function
  - LVOT obstruction may be a concern
  - Need to preserve the subvalvular apparatus remains imperative

# TRANS CATHETER MITRAL VALVE REPLACEMENT: Landscape



Braile  
Biomedica



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Biomedica



CardiaQ 1<sup>st</sup>  
G



CardiaQ  
Edwards



Cephea



Direct Flow  
Medical



Twelve  
Medtronic



M-Valve



Edwards  
Fortis



HighLife



Navigate



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Tiara



PermaValve  
MID



Sinomed  
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Tendyne



SATURN  
TMVR



MitraTech



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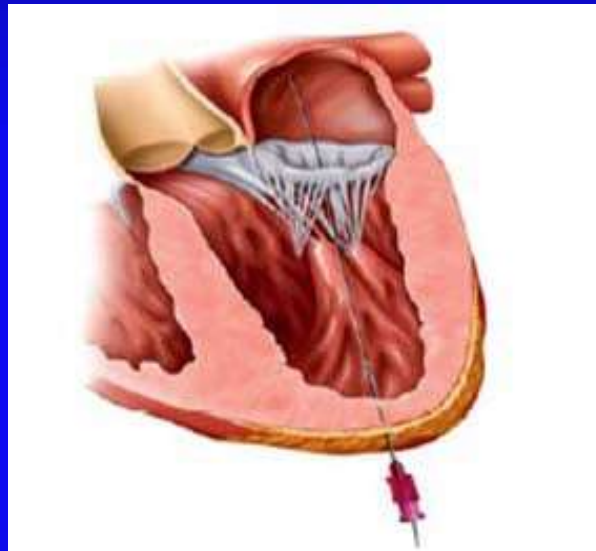
**Others:** MitraHeal, Mitrasist, Mitraltech, Mehr Medical, Mitracath, Mitralix MAESTRO, Nakostech, St. George ATLAS, Transcatheter Technologies Tresillo



# Transapical approach

## Pros

- Straight shot
- TAVR experience



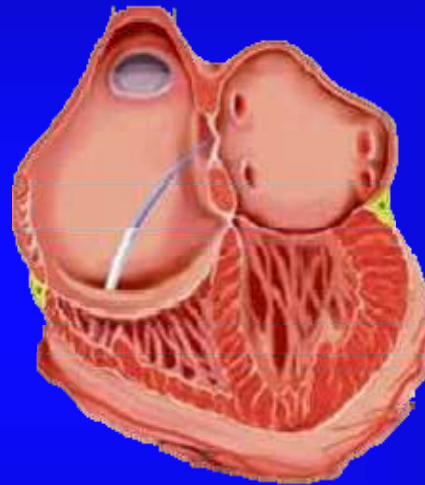
## Cons

- LV dysfunction / large bore catheters (>30F)
- Retrograde approach (subvalvular apparatus entanglement)
- Thoracotomy (invasive)

# Transseptal approach

## Pros

- Direct antegrade approach
- Avoids LV puncture
- Transseptal puncture

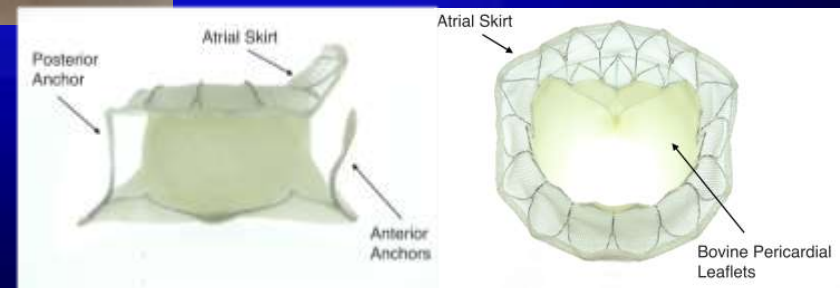
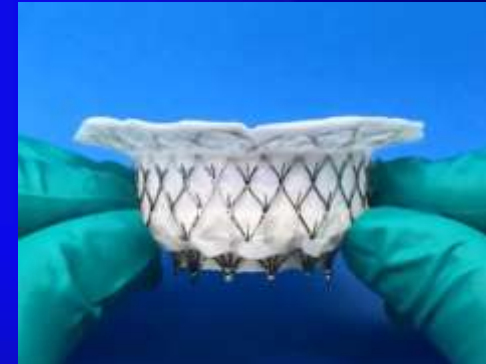


## Cons

- Navigation and steering more than transatrial
- Veno-arterial access (submitral apparatus)
- Atrial septal defect / large catheter OD



# TRANS CATHETER MITRAL VALVE REPLACEMENT: Where are we today !



# Most active clinical program to date : Abbott Tendyne™

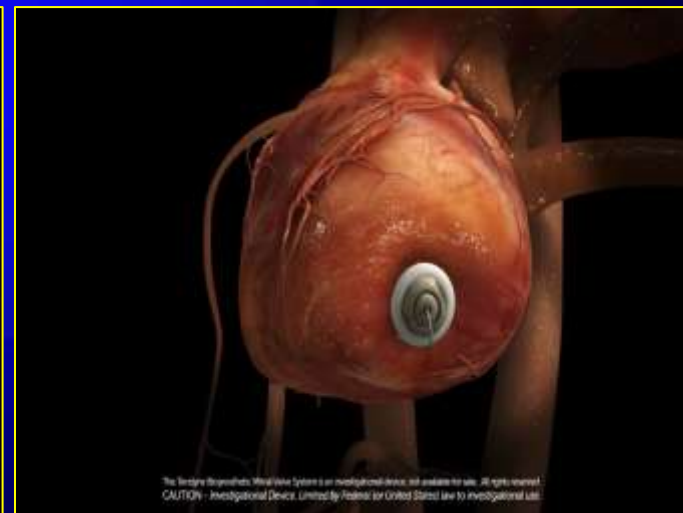
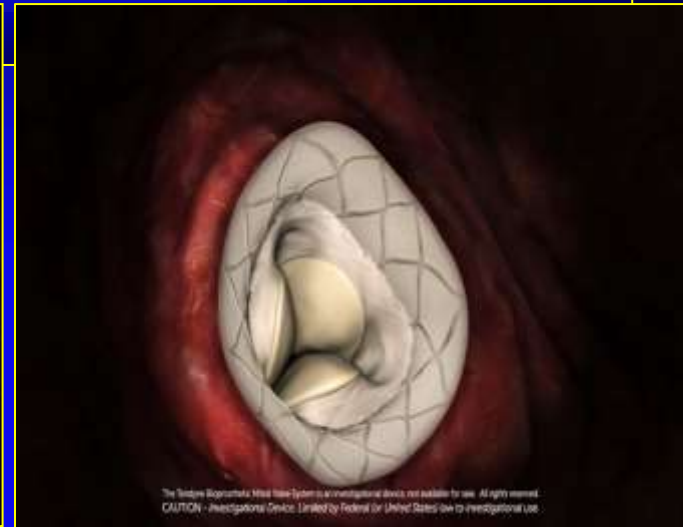
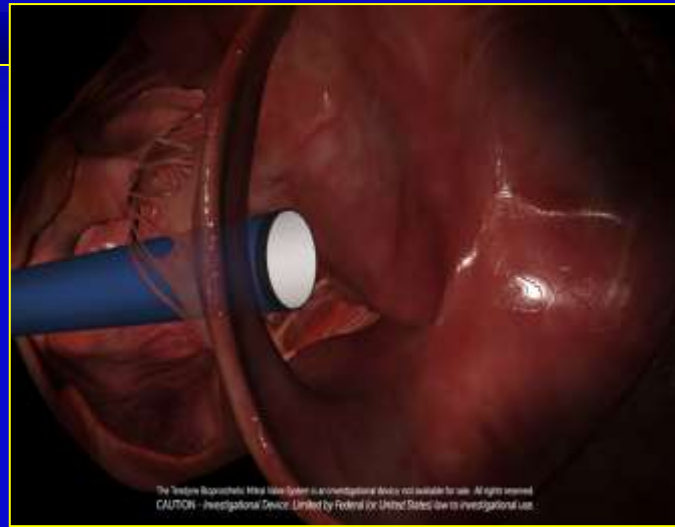


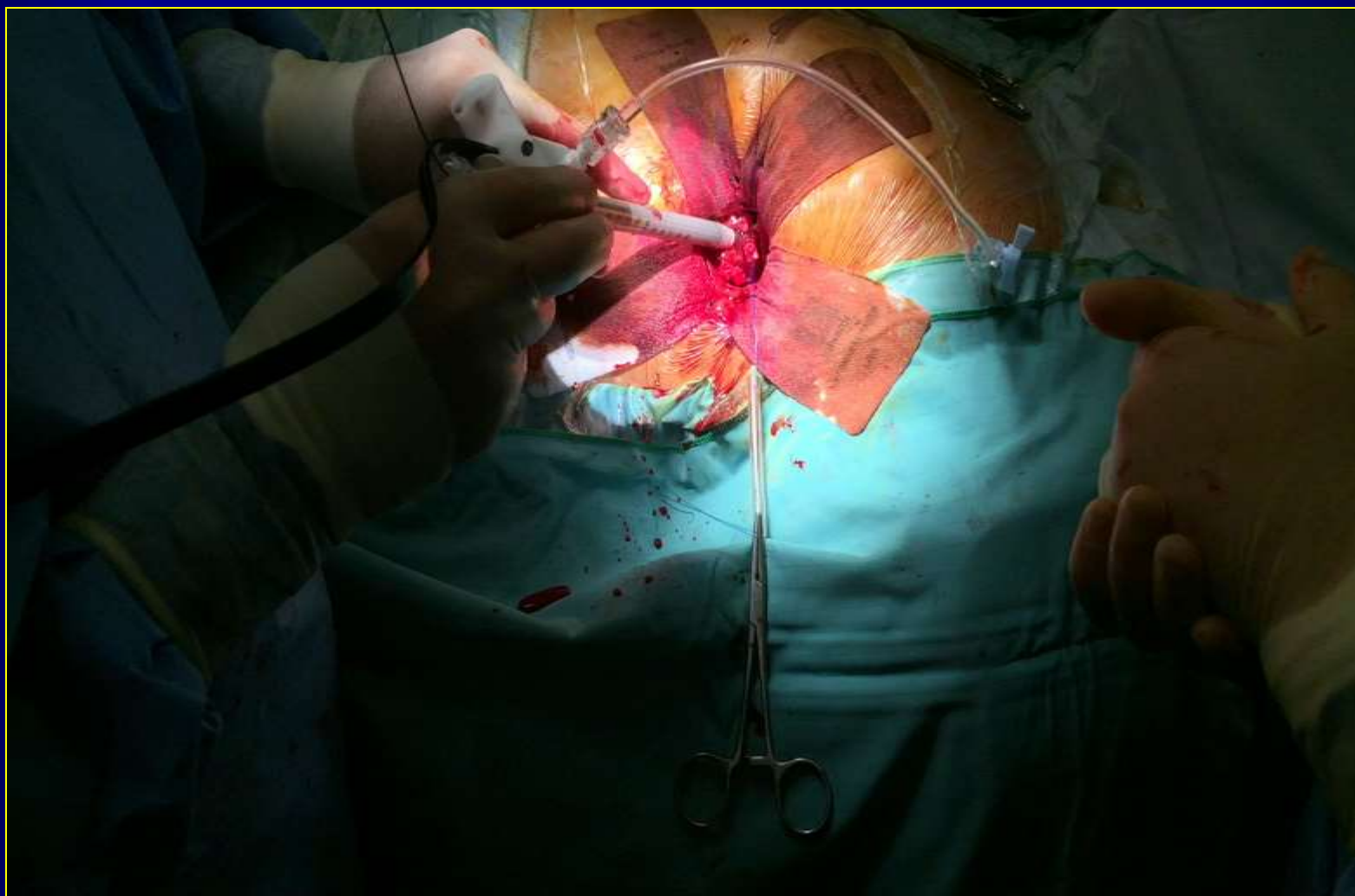
- D-shaped
- Outer and inner frame
- Anchoring tether with hemostatic pad
- Retrievable, repositionable

# Tendyne Transcatheter Mitral Valve

## Tendyne Procedure

- ✓ Insert Catheter into LA
- ✓ Align D-Shape Cuff
- ✓ Intra-Annular  
Deployment
- ✓ Secure Tether with  
Apical Pad





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X7-2t/Adult



FR 50Hz  
18cm

2D  
76%  
C 50  
P Off  
Gen



PAT T: 37.0C  
TEE T: 38.6C

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113 bpm

Lossy



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FR 5Hz

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3D Beats 1

M4

3D

3D 52%

3D 40dB



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X7-2t/Adult

FR 5Hz  
12cm

3D Beats 1

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3D  
3D 52%  
3D 40dB



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TEE T: 40.3C

70 bpm  
Lossy

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X7-2t/Adult



FR 6Hz

10cm

3D Beats 1

3D

3D 52%

3D 40dB

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TEE T: 39.5C

79 bpm  
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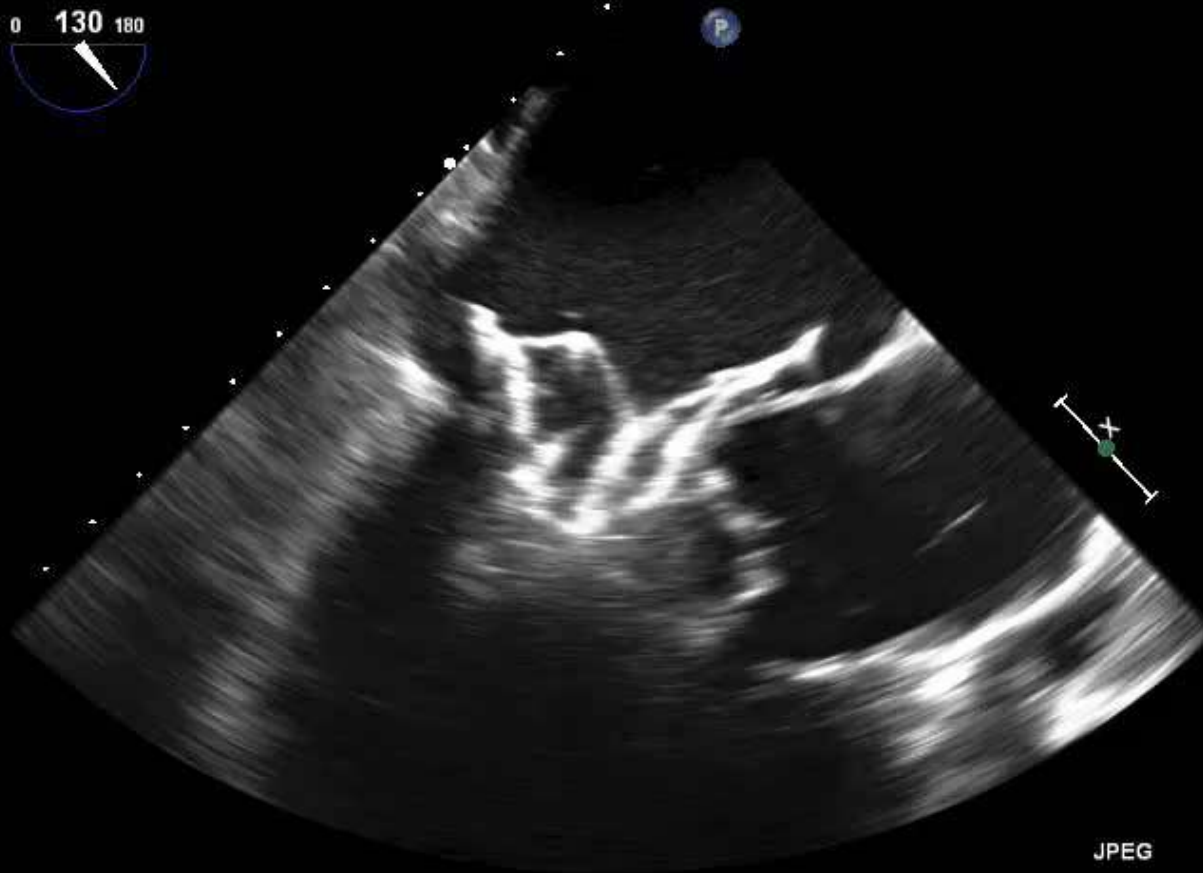
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68%  
C 50  
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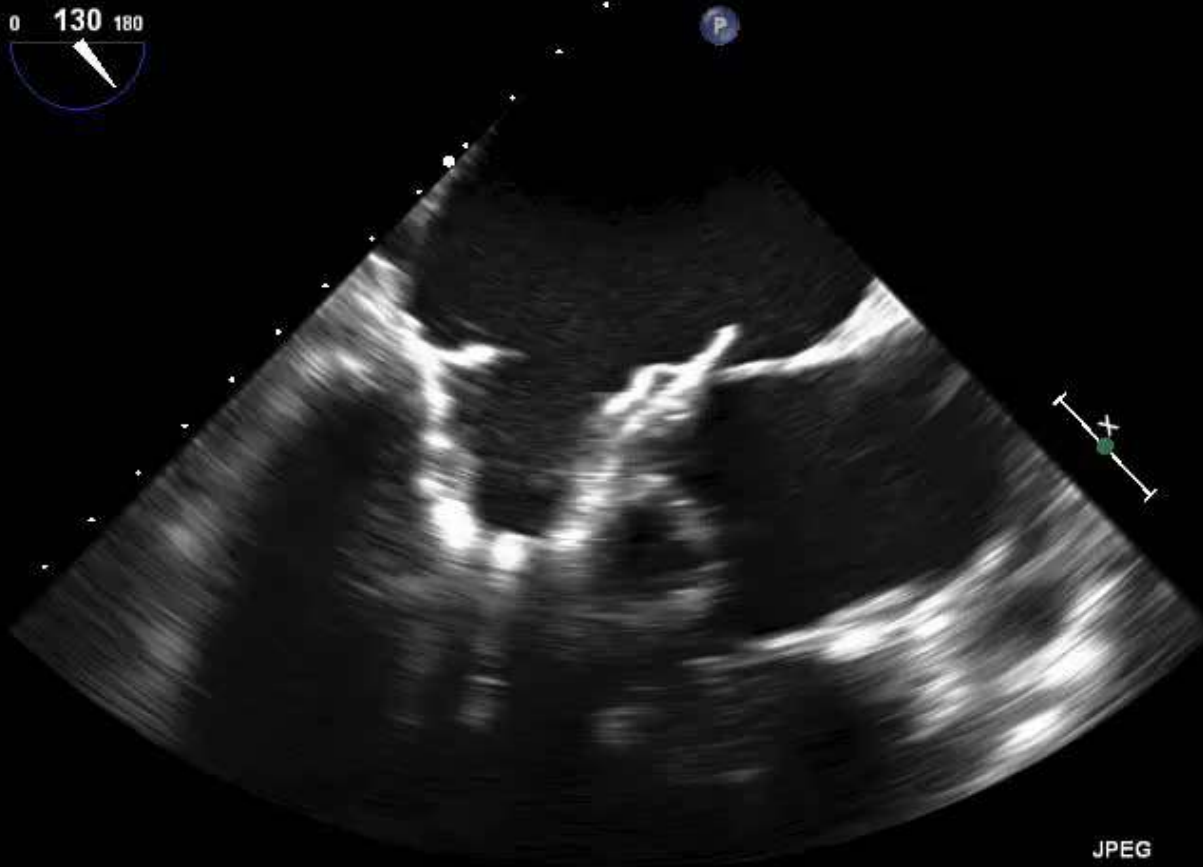
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FR 50Hz  
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2D  
65%  
C 50  
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Gen



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TEE T: 38.7C

39 bpm  
Lossy

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TIS0.6 MI 0.4



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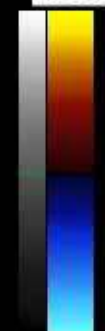


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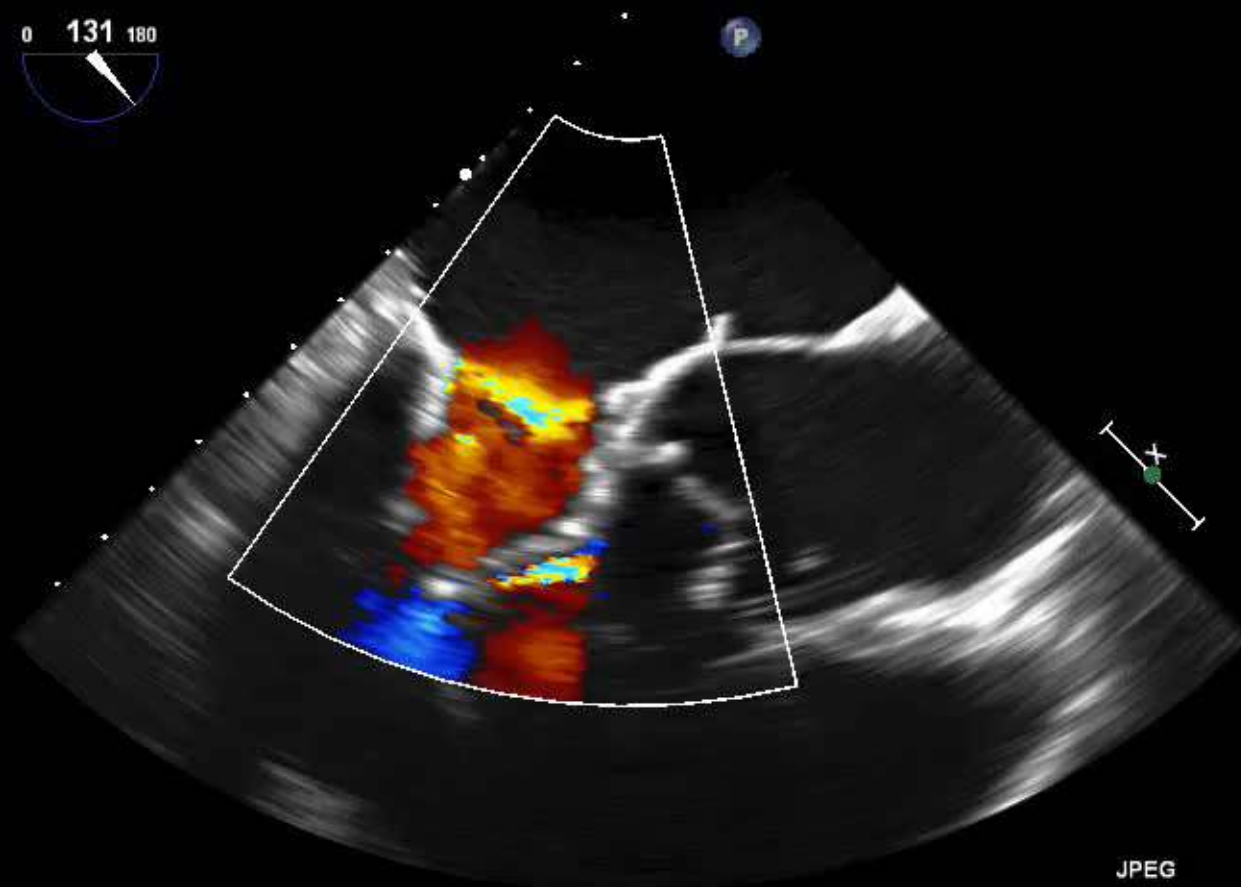


M4 M4

+56.3



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cm/s



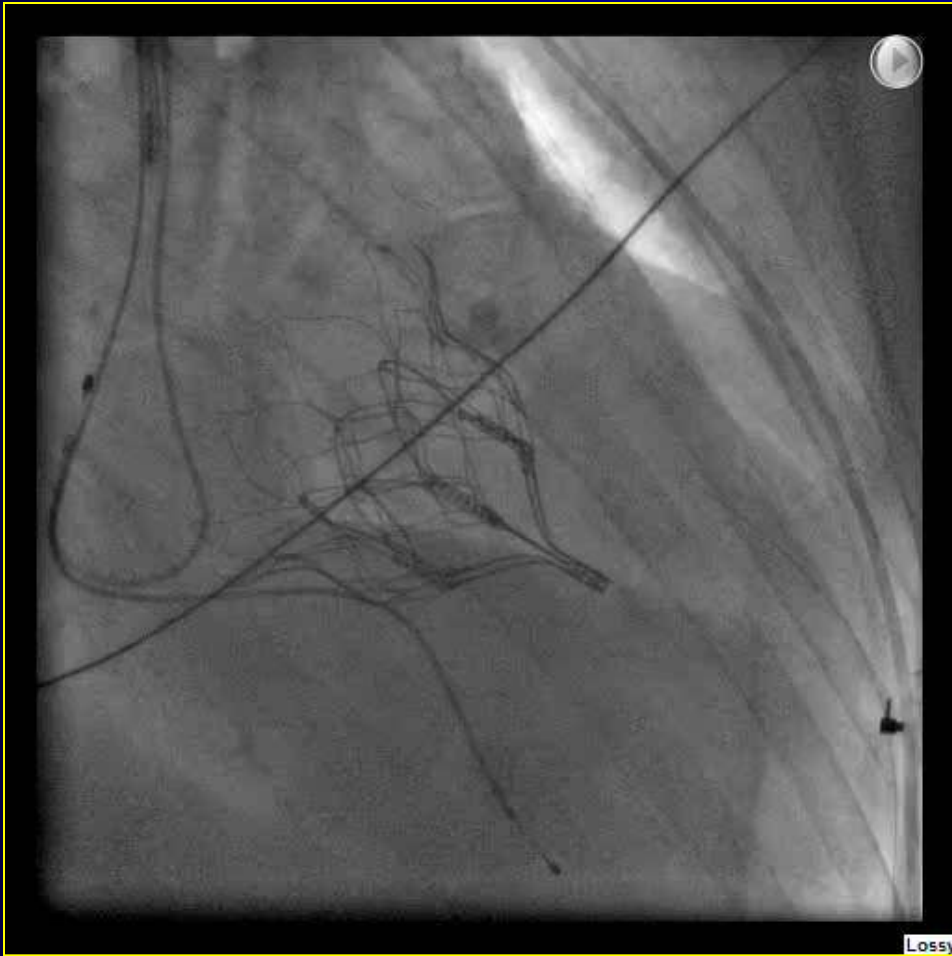
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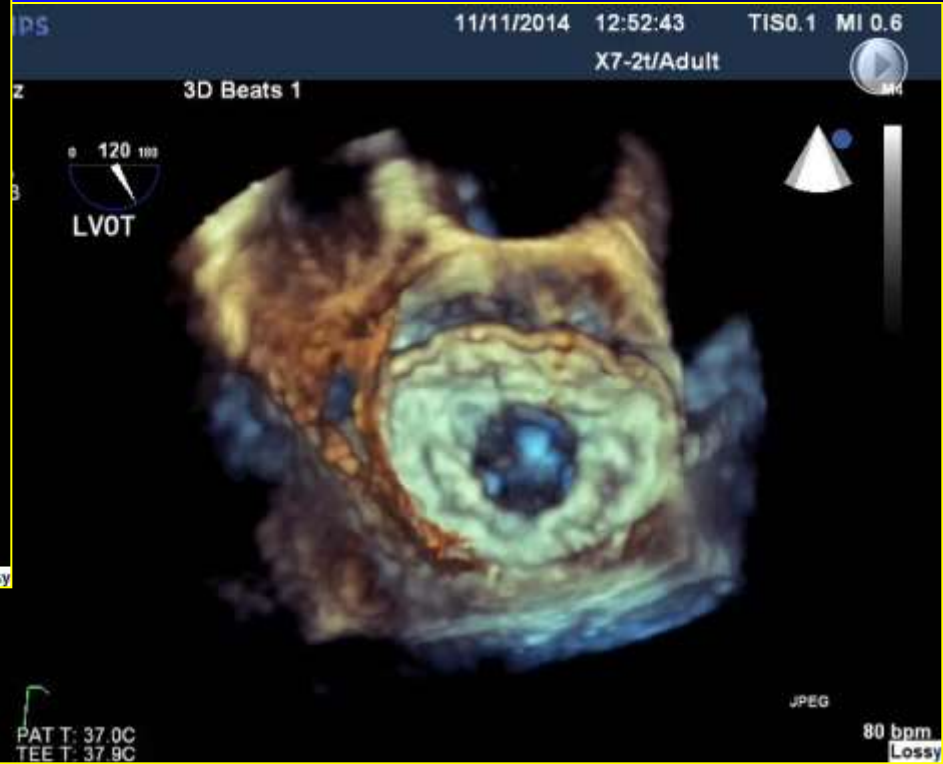
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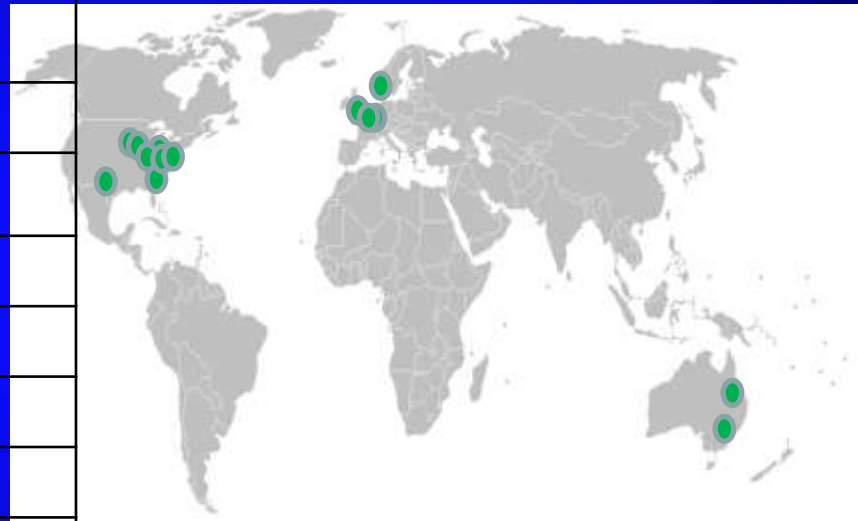
# Apical pad placement

(Courtesy D Muller)



# Tendyne Implant Experience

EFS/CE Mark Study Site Name (n=12 sites)	Patients Treated (n=54)
St. Vincent's	10
Prince Charles Hospital	6
Abbott	15
Cleveland Clinic	4
Baylor	4
Northshore	3
MedStar	3
Henry Ford Hospital	1
Pinnacle Health	1
West Virginia University	4
Oslo University Hospital	2
Emory	1



- 10 CU cases
  - 5 Royal Brompton Hospital
  - 2 University Hospital Zurich
  - 1 University of Bonn
  - 1 Abbott NW (MHI)
  - 1 Bad Nauheim

# Tendyne GFS: Patient Overview (n=30)

Baseline Mitral Valve pathology	
Primary MR	3 (10%)
Secondary MR	23 (76.7%)
Mixed pathology	4 (13.3%)
Baseline LV function	N=29
LVEF <30%	3 (10.3%)
LVEF 30-50%	14 (48.3%)
LVEF>50%	12 (41.4%)

# GFS: Acute Outcomes

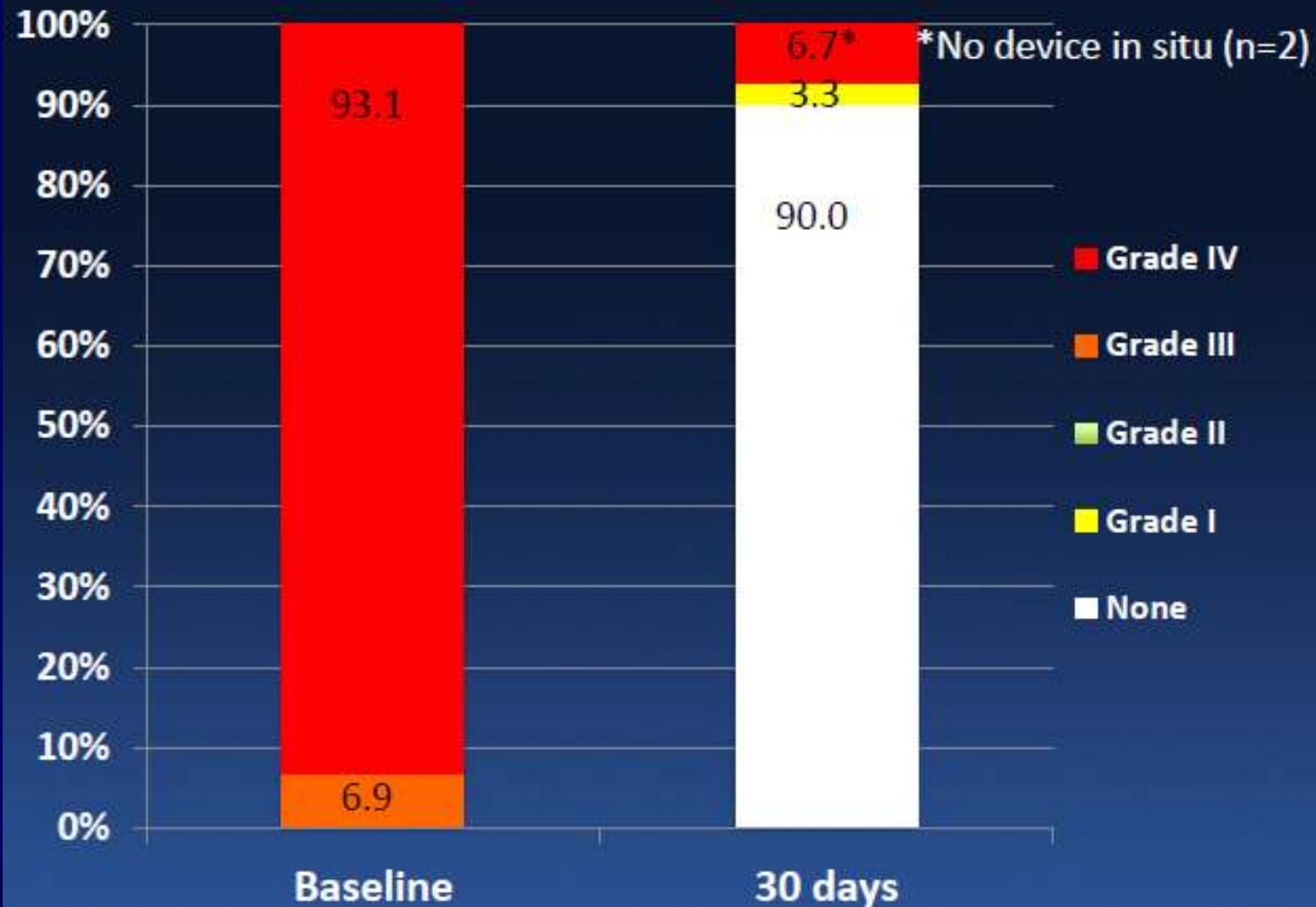
<b>Outcome</b>	<b>N=30</b>
Death (all cause)	0 (0%)
CVA	0 (0%)
<b>Major bleeding</b>	
Transfusion	3 (10%)
<b>Device-related</b>	
Device embolization	0 (0%)
Cardiac perforation	0 (0%)
Paravalvular leak	1 (3.3%)
<b>Device Retrieval</b>	
LVOT obstruction	1 (3.3%)
Did not properly seat - access issue	1 (3.3%)

# Tendyne TMVI: D30 Outcomes

Outcome	N=30
Death (all cause)	1 (3.3%)
Cardiac	0 (0%)
Non-cardiac	1 (3.3%)
CVA	0 (0%)
MV surgery	0 (0%)
Re-hospitalisation	
Heart failure	4 (13.8%)
LVAD/transplant	0 (0%)
Other (ileus)	1 (3.3%)
Device-related	
Hemolysis, transfusion	1 (3.3%)
Leaflet thrombosis	1 (3.3%)

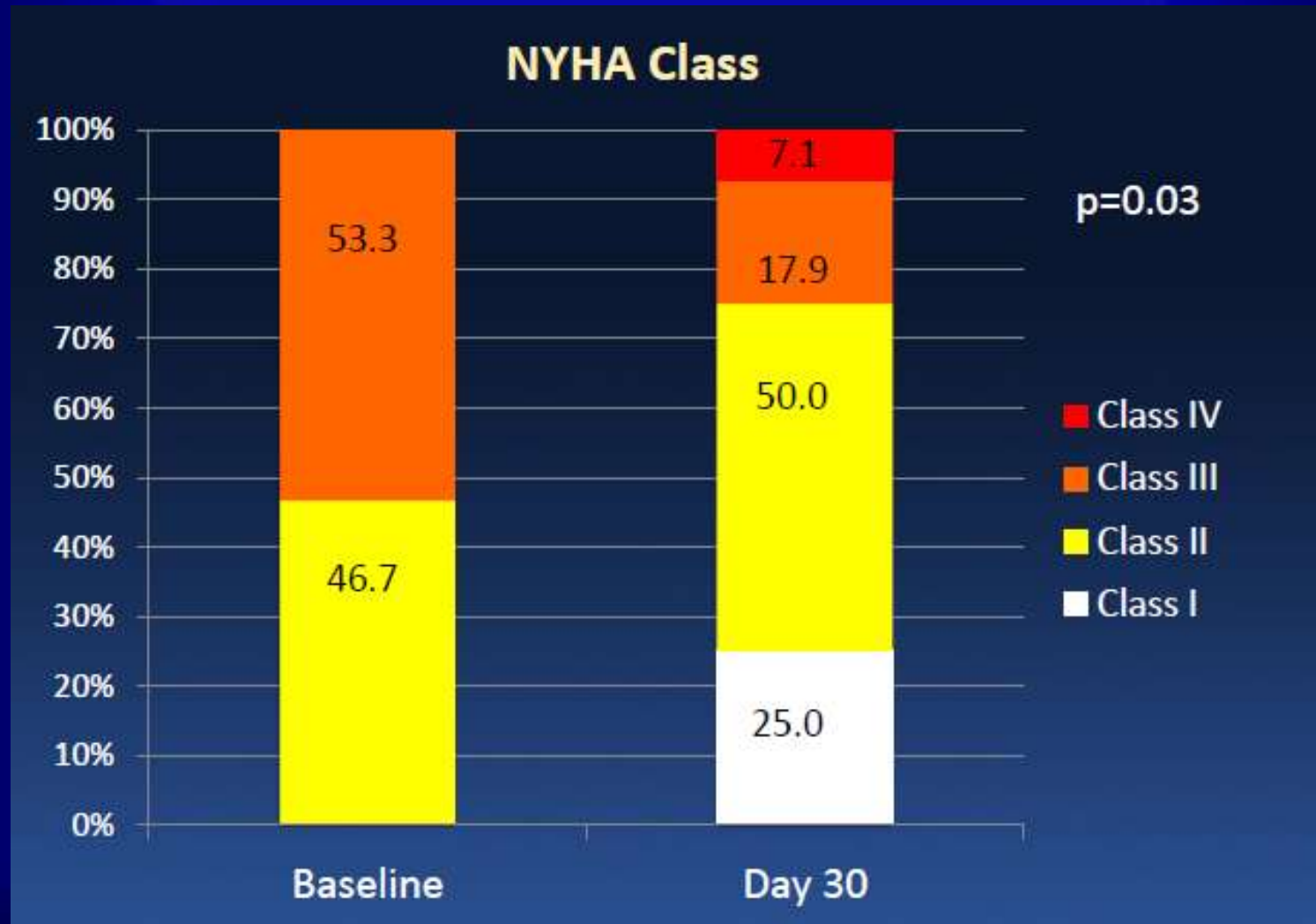


# MR severity post-TMVI (n=30)





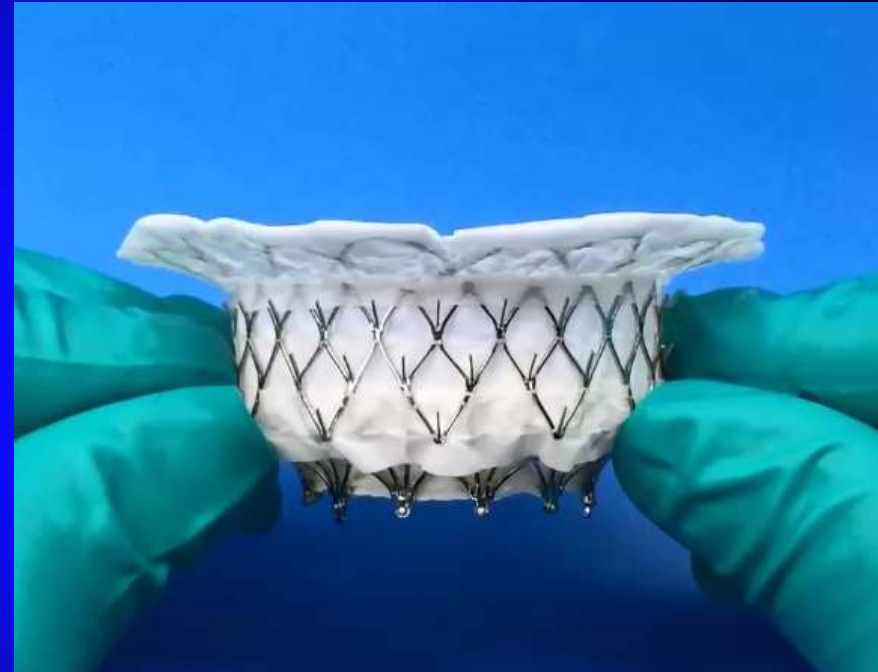
# Functional capacity post-TMVI (n=30)



# Medtronic Twelve™ Intrepid Design Concept

## Differentiated, dual stent design

- Conforms to native anatomy
- Separates fixation & sealing from valve function
- Isolates valve from the dynamic anatomy
- Preserves native mitral apparatus
- Ensures LVOT patency
- Suits both primary & secondary mitral valve disease
- Manages all patient sizes with one valve size

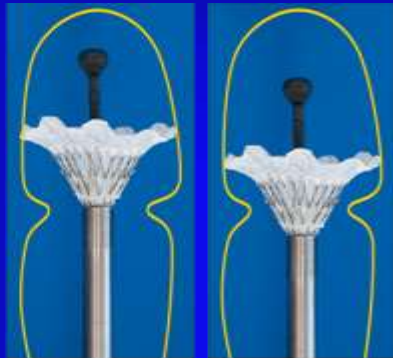


# Intrepid™ TMVR

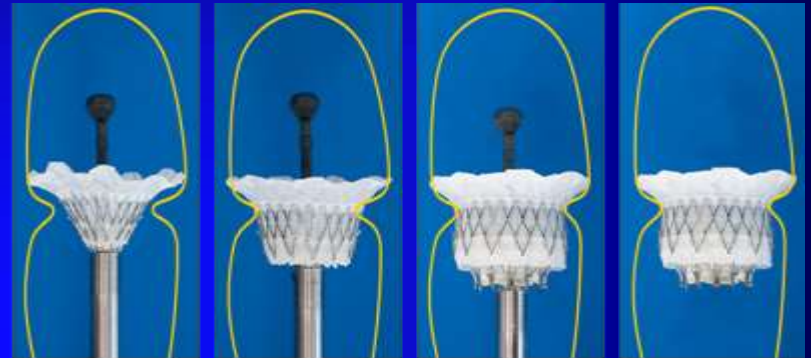
delivery system and deployment



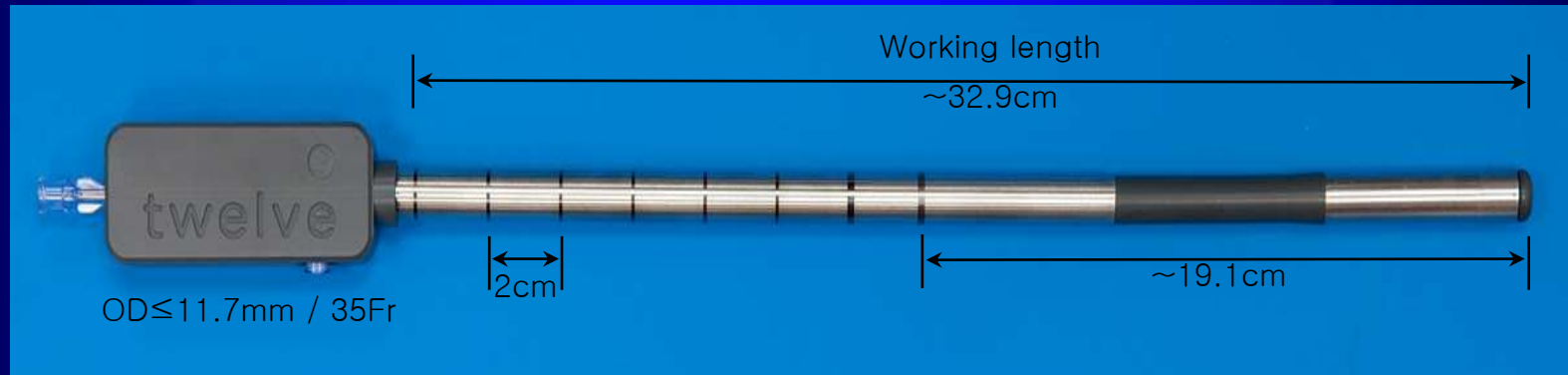
1. Advance into LA



2. Expand brim & align with annulus target



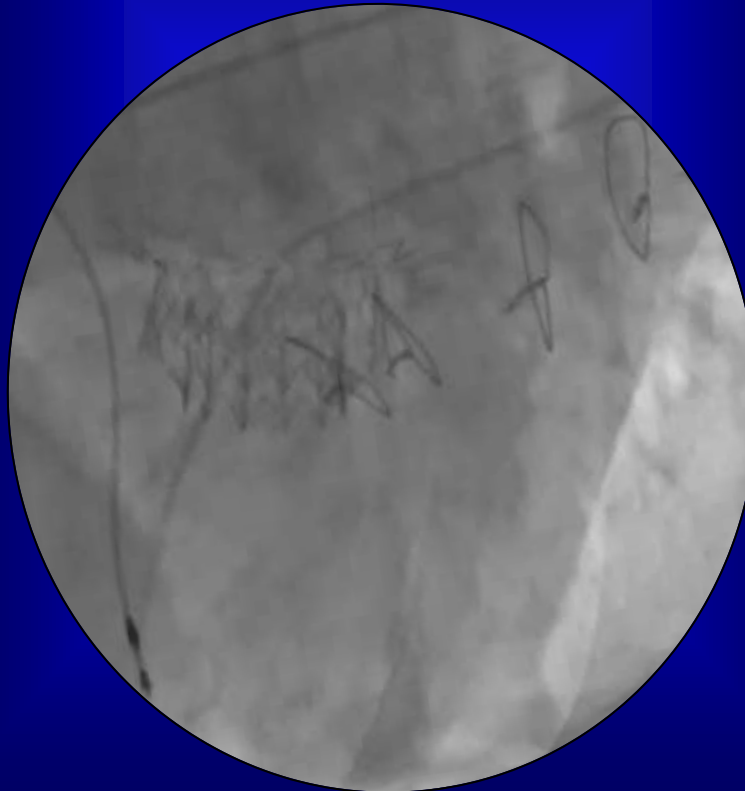
3. Retract to target & deploy



# Intrepid™ TMVR

Post-deployment Images from Human implant

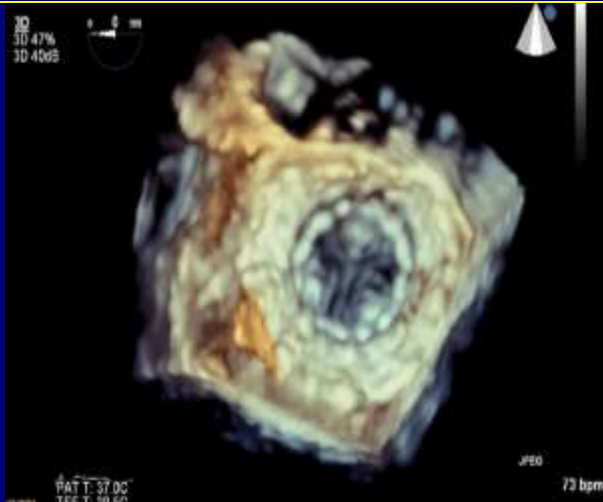
- Good sealing
- Secure fixation



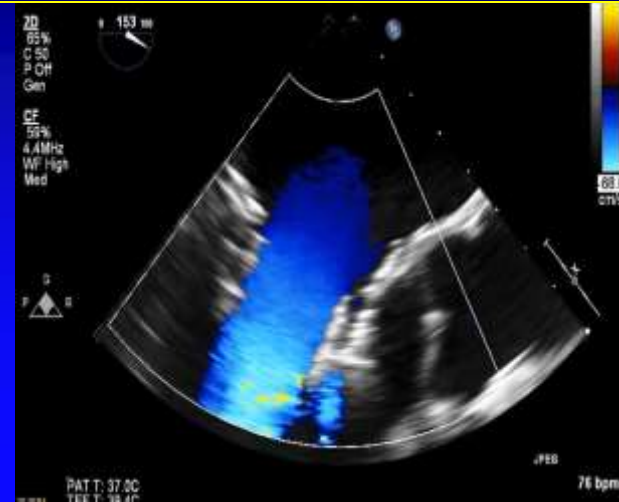
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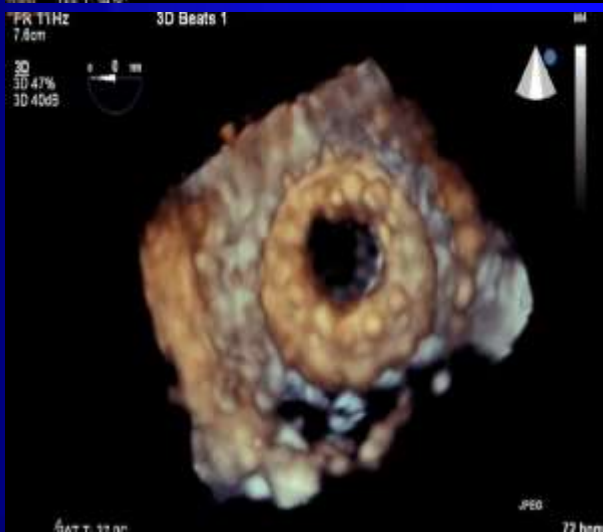
Atrial View



Intrepid Valve



Ventricular View



Patent LVOT

# Patient Demographics

## Pilot Study Clinical experience

### Baseline Characteristics (n=38)

Age (years)	73 (range: 48-90)
Sex (female)	12
NYHA Functional Class	
II	4
III	27
IV	7
Prior MI / Coronary Artery Disease	28
Previous Cardiac Surgery	17
Atrial Fibrillation	25
Pacemaker/BiV/ICD	14
STS Mortality score mean (%)	6.5 (range: 1-31)

### Baseline Echocardiogram (n=38)

	FMR	DMR
MR Etiology	30	8
LVEF mean (%)	38	53
< 30	4	0
30 – 50	22	3
> 50	4	5
MR grade $\geq$ 3+ (%)	100	



# Results

## Pilot Study Clinical experience

### Procedural Outcomes (n=38)

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Successful Deployment	35/37 <sup>1</sup>	
Apical Access Time (min)	30	(range: 17-53)
Deployment Time (min)	15	(range: 4-29)
Mean LVOT Gradient <sup>2</sup> (mmHg)	2	(range: 0-4)
Mean MV Gradient <sup>2</sup> (mmHg)	4	(range: 0-7)

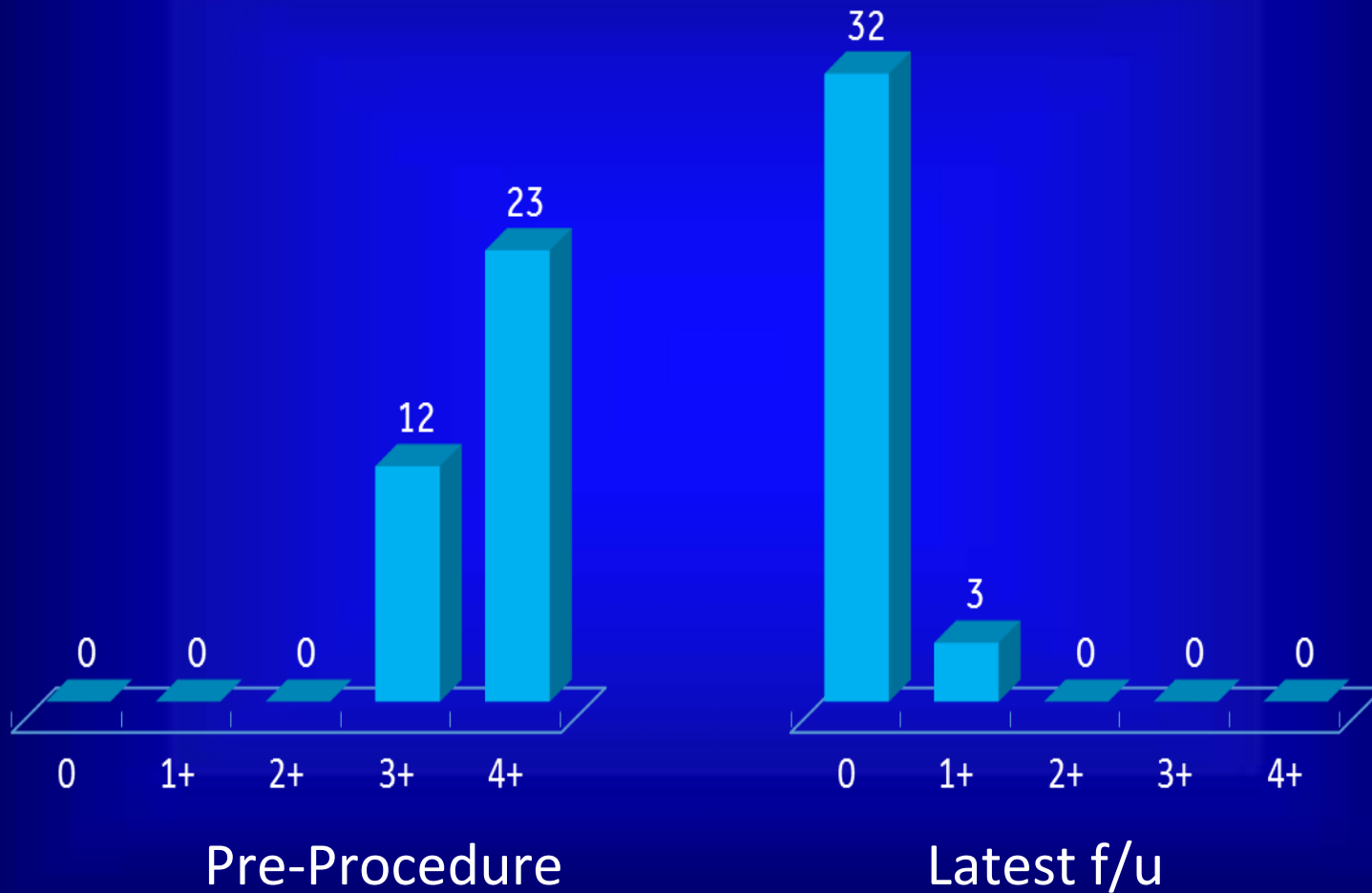
1 - in one patient deployment was not attempted

2 - latest follow-up

# Results

Pilot Study Clinical experience

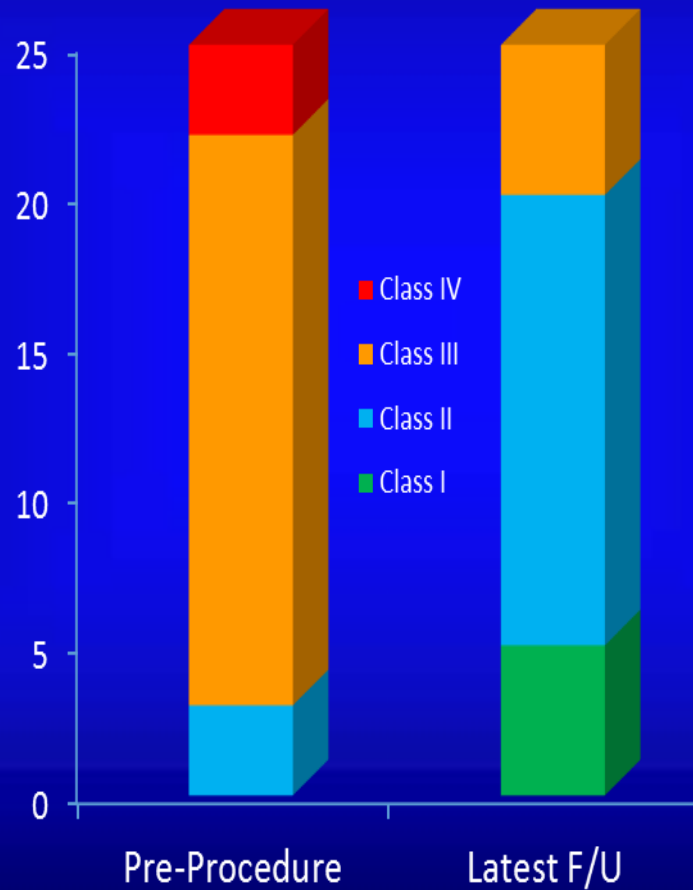
## MR Grade



# Results

Pilot Study Clinical experience

## NYHA Class



# The CardiAQ™ -Edwards

- **ONE VALVE, MULTIPLE DELIVERY SYSTEMS**

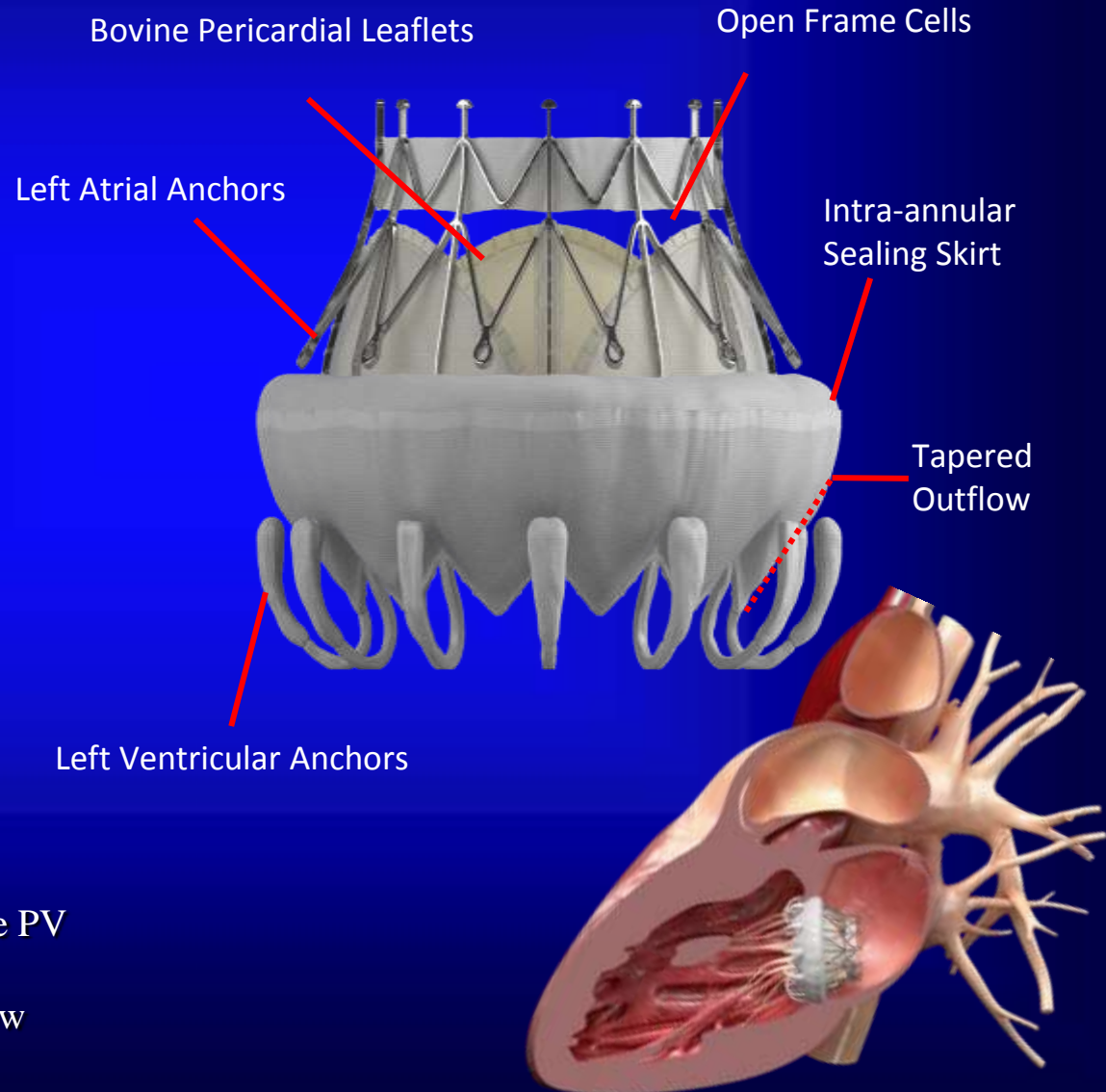
- TS – Transseptal approach
- TA – Transapical approach

- **ANCHORING MECHANISM**

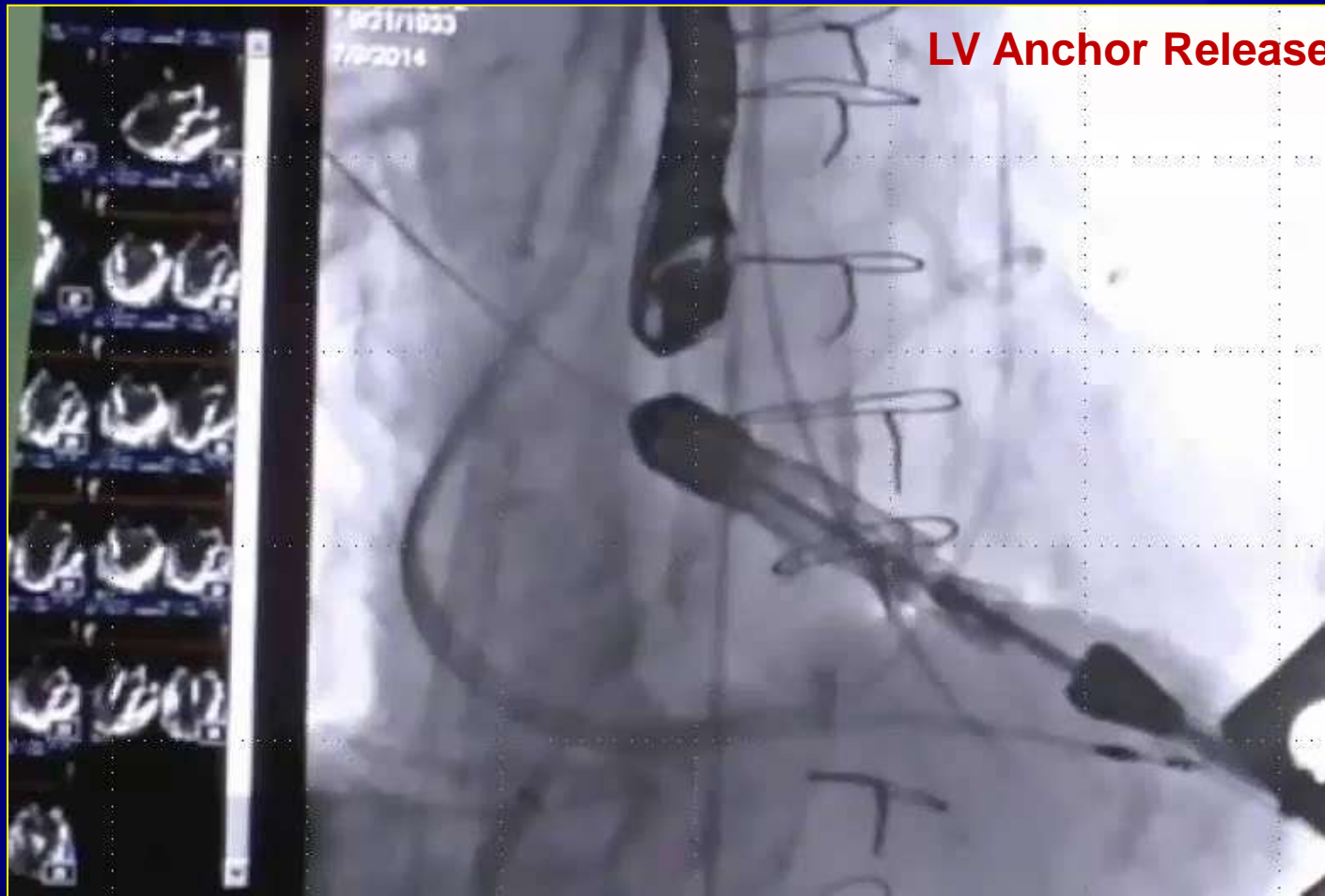
- Preserves chords and utilizes native leaflets
- Promotes load distribution among annulus, leaflets and chords

- **DESIGNED TO PROMOTE PHYSIOLOGIC FLOW**

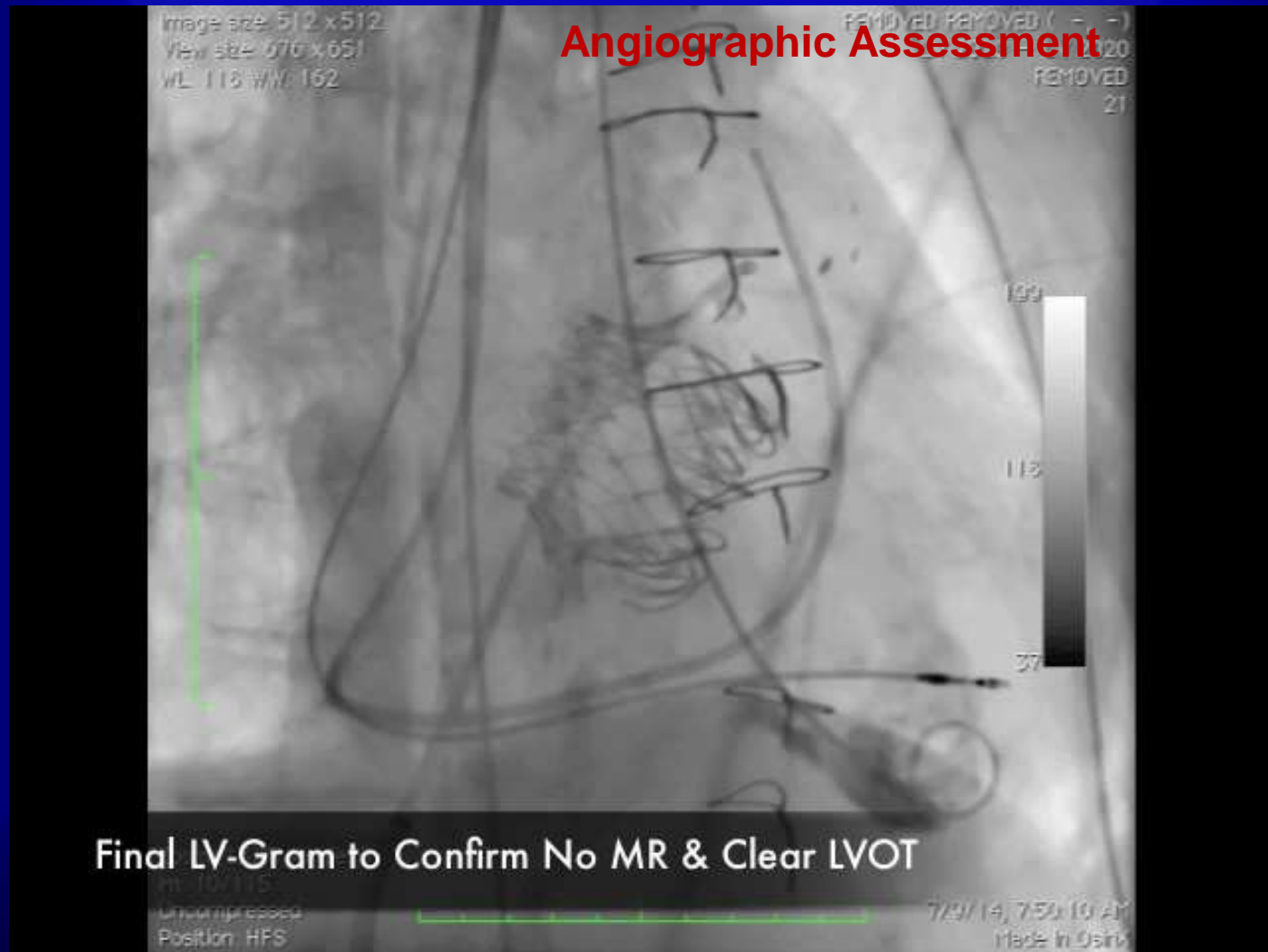
- Eliminate mitral regurgitation
- Supra-annular position and tapered outflow to minimize risk of LVOT obstruction
- Intra-annular sealing skirt to minimize PV leak
- Open frame cells to promote atrial flow



# The CardiAQ™ -Edwards Transapical TMVR Procedure



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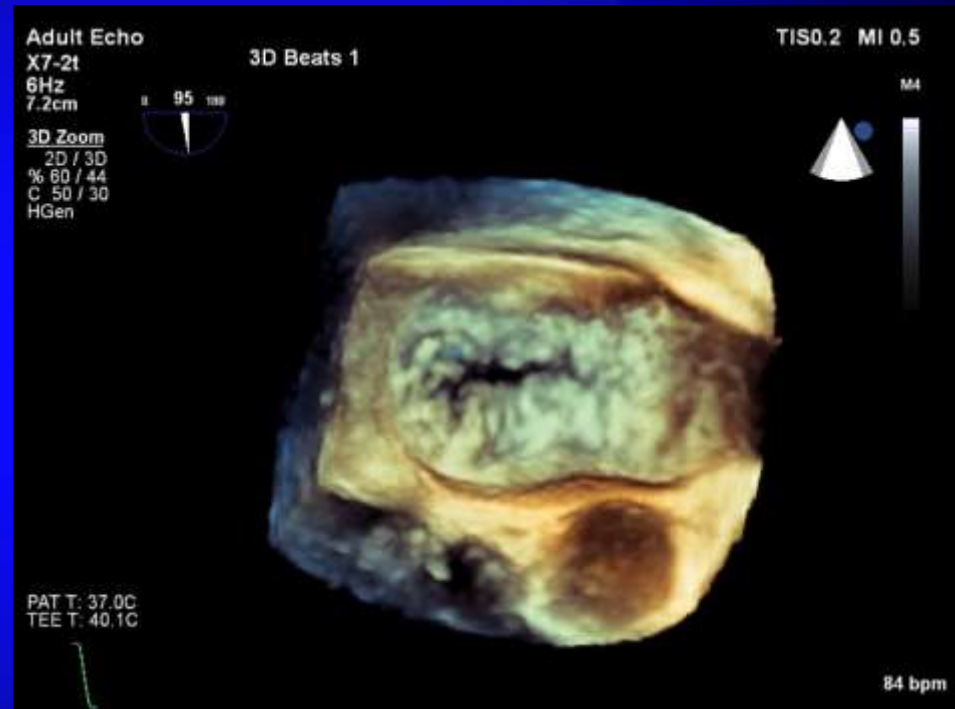
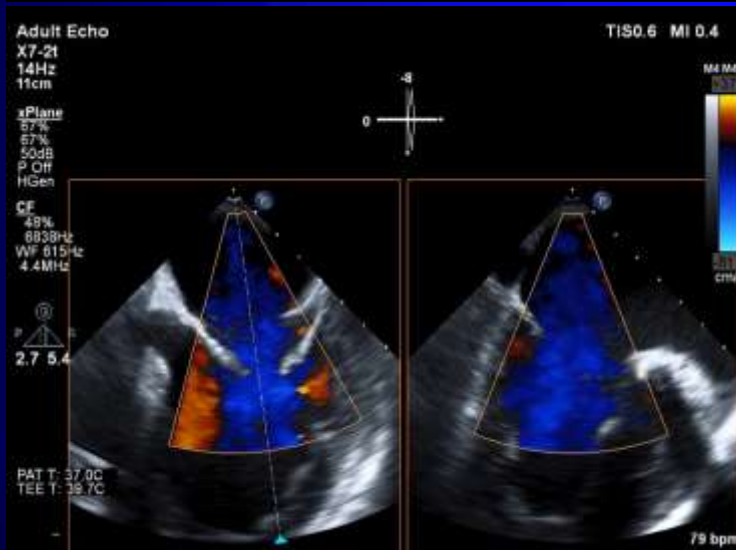
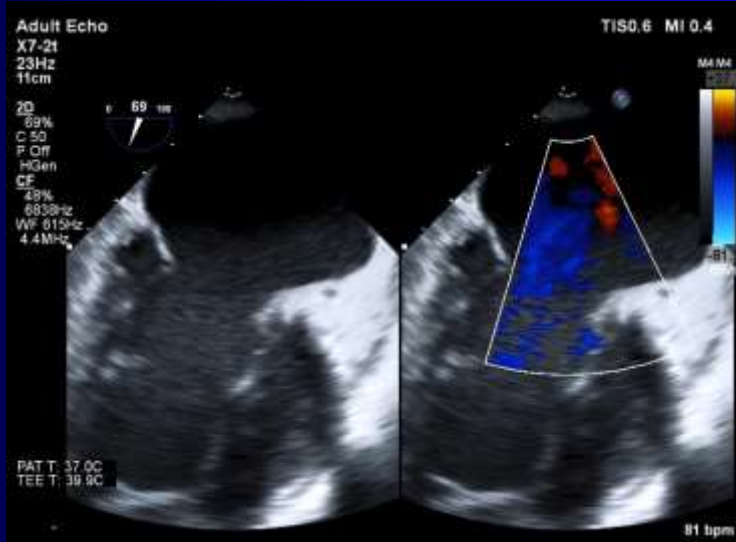
## Early Compassionate Use Experience

- 12 patients treated under compassionate use as of Nov 2015
  - First-ever TMVR TS patient 2012 with 1<sup>st</sup> generation device
- 11 patients with 2<sup>nd</sup> generation valve (2014-2015)
  - 82% male
  - Prior CABG: 73%
  - Etiology: 64% FMR, 36% DMR
  - LVEF range <20-72%
  - Technical success rate (successful delivery, deployment and retrieval of DS): 82%
  - Two procedure related deaths:
    - 1 interaction with mechanical AV
    - 1 malpositioning due to sub-leaflet calcification
  - Four non-valve related deaths (all had good valve function):
    - Pneumonia (PO day 9)
    - Right heart failure/cardiac decompensation (PO day 7)
    - Multi-organ failure (PO day 18)
    - Sepsis (PO day 36)

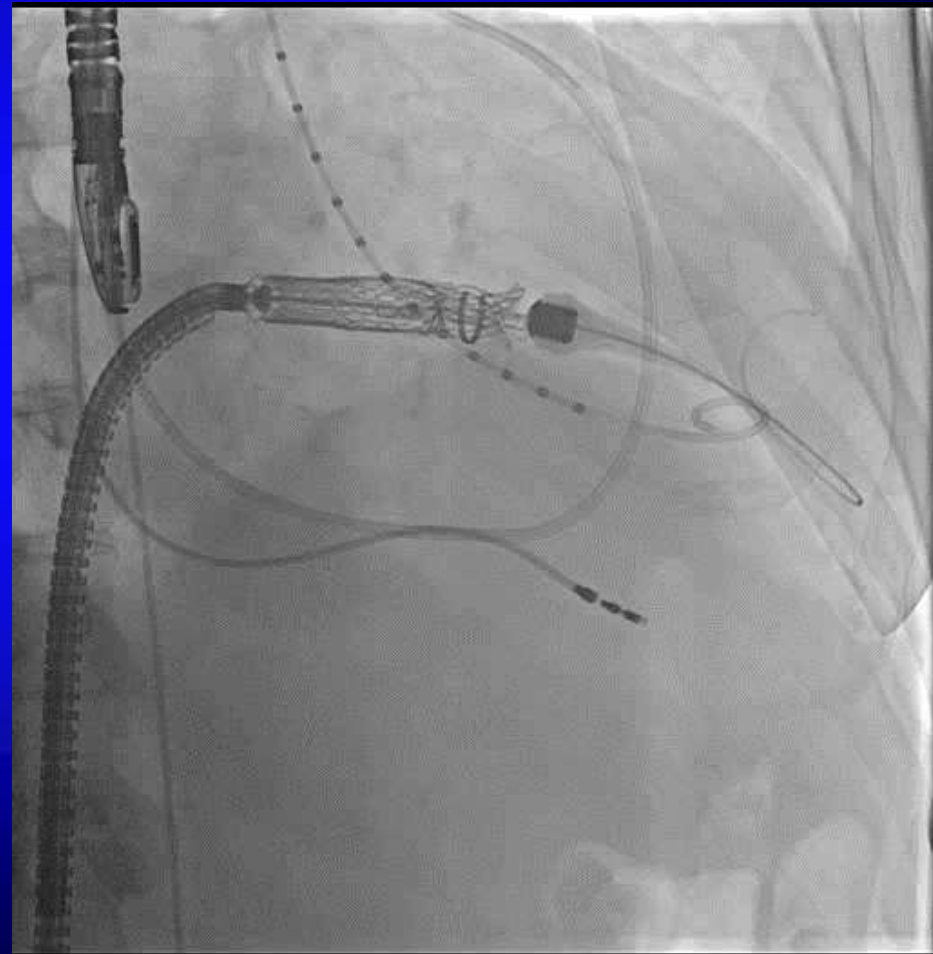
# The CardiAQ™ -Edwards TMVR Clinical Program Status

- Compassionate use experience ongoing in Europe
- US EFS trial enrolling: *high risk patients*
  - *Brief pause in case scheduling while key clinical learnings were being implemented, but full patient screening is now continuing in anticipation of Q2 cases*
- Future Pipeline
  - Reduced delivery profile
  - Additional valve sizes
  - Delivery system improvements
    - Current TS approach is technically more demanding, but less invasive than transapical approach
    - *Technical improvements expected to make this procedure easier*
  - Proven valve tissue – the same bovine pericardial tissue and processes as Edwards surgical valves

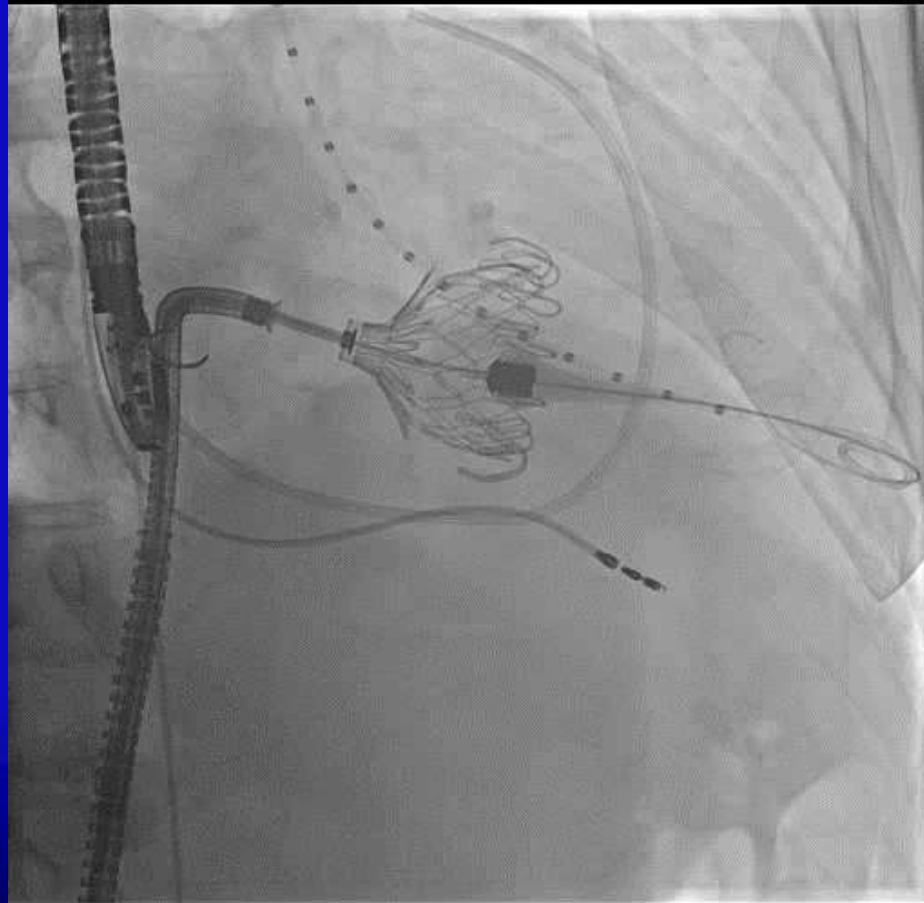
# Trans-septal TMVR with CardiAQ-Edwards



# Transseptal TMVR with CardiAQ-Edwards



# Transseptal TMVR with CardiAQ-Edwards





# Transseptal TMVR with CardiAQ-Edwards

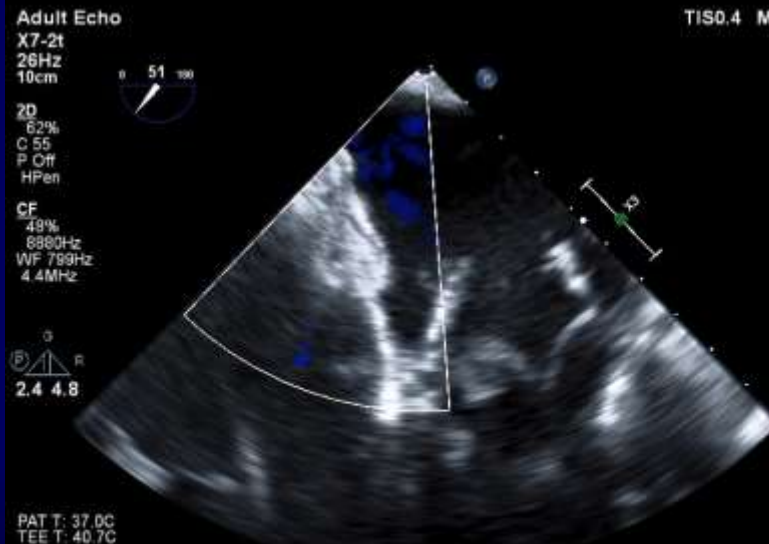
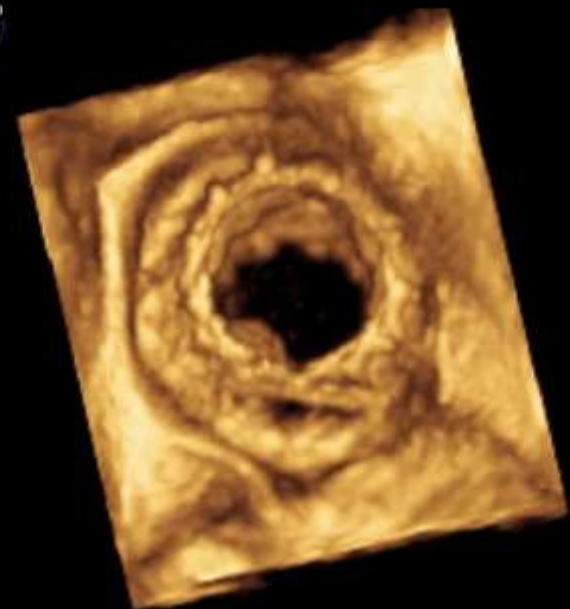


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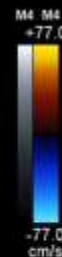
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C 55 / 50  
Gen

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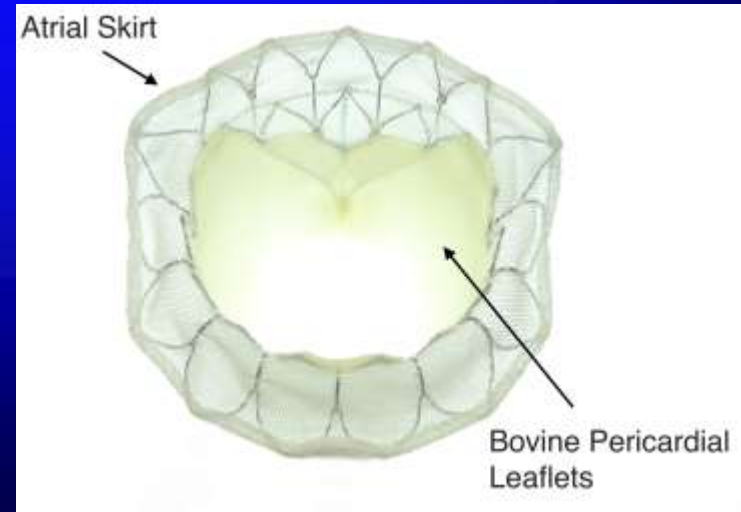


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# Neovasc TIARA™ Trans Catheter Mitral Valve

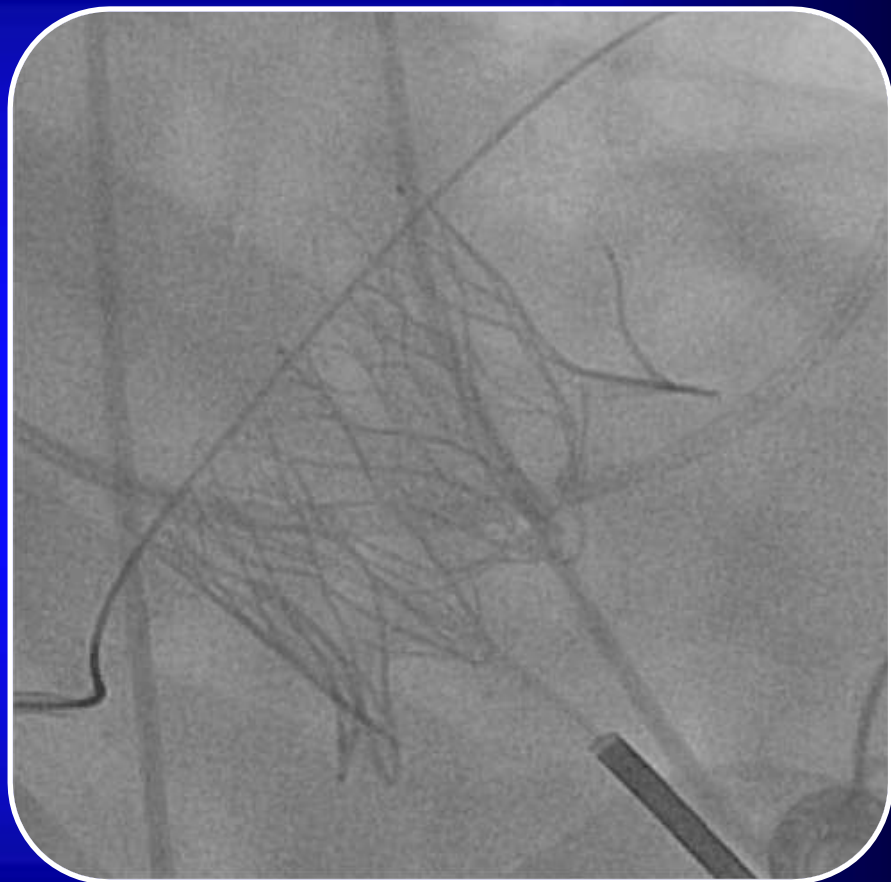
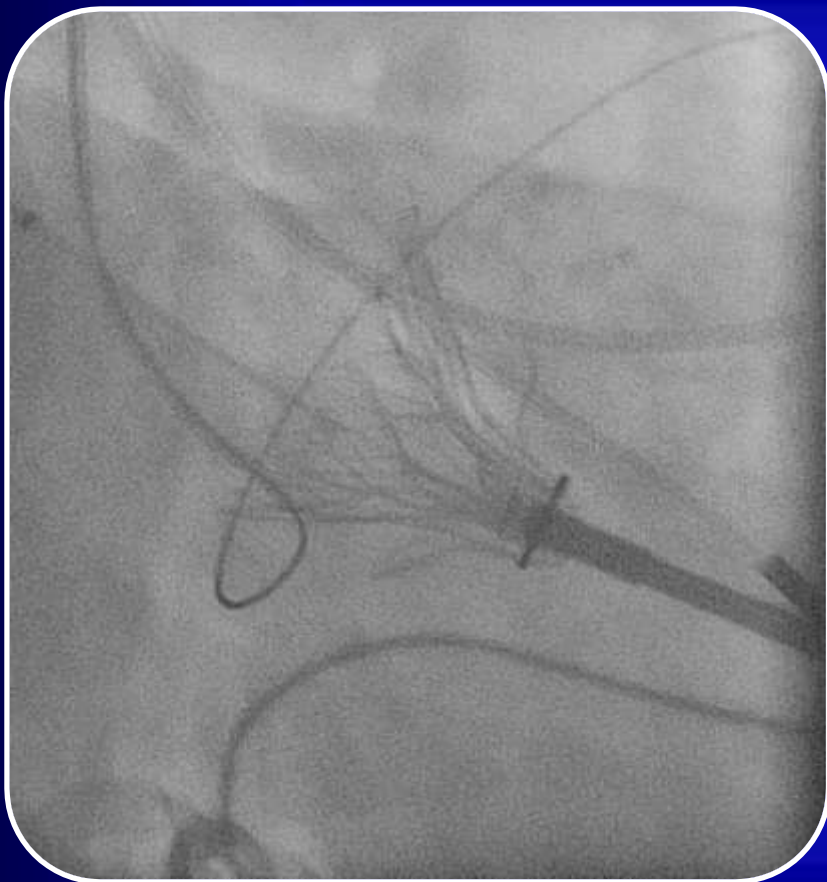
- Anatomically shaped (D-shaped)
- Nitinol based, self-expanding frame
- Bovine pericardium 3 leaflets
- Ventricular anchors to fix the valve onto fibrous trigons and posterior annulus
- 35mm and 40mm available sizes



# Delivery System

- 32 F sheathless system
- Self dilating tip
- Transapical approach





## **Referral Sites:**

### **TIARA-I Early Feasibility Trial Sites**

- United States (Columbia University, Northwestern University, University of Washington)
- Belgium (Middelheim University)
- Canada (St. Paul's Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre, University of Alberta Hospital)

### **Special Access/Compassionate Use Programs**

- Canada (St. Paul's Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre, University of Alberta Hospital)
- Italy (San Raffaele Hospital)
- Germany (Hamburg University Clinic Eppendorf)



## Baseline Demographics (n=24)

Mitral Valve Pathology	
Degenerative MR	5 (21%)
Functional MR	15 (63%)
Mixed MR	3 (12%)
Rheumatic	1 (4%)
Baseline LVEF	
< 30%	9 (38%)
31 – 50%	14 (58%)
>50%	1 (4%)
Mean LVEDD (mm)	68 ± 11 (52 – 94)
Mean Systolic Pulmonary Artery Pressure (mmHg)	51 ± 16 (23 – 79)

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>n=24</b>
<b>Death</b>	0
<b>CVA/MI</b>	0
<b>Permanent Pacemaker</b>	1 (4%)
<b>Conversion to open MVR</b>	3 (12.5%)
<b>Device Malpositioning/Embolization</b>	3 (12.5%)
<b>LVOT Obstruction</b>	0
<b>Major Bleed</b>	1 (4%)



## 30 Day Outcomes

<b>Day 30 Outcomes*</b>	<b>n=22</b>
<b>Death</b>	3 (13.6%)
<b>Cardiac</b>	2 (Arrhythmia, VSD)
<b>Non-Cardiac</b>	1 (Sepsis)
<b>CVA/MI</b>	0
<b>Reintervention</b>	0

\*2 patient has not reached the 30 day timepoint



# Landscape of trans-catheter mitral valve replacement therapies with *early* human experience

Device	Edwards CardiAQ	Neovasc Tiara	Abbott Tendyne	Medtronic Intrepid
				
Fixation required				
Posterior leaflet	-	-	-	-
Posterior ridge	-	+	-	-
Anterior leaflet	-	-	-	-
Recapture/retrieval	-	-	Retrievable	Retrievable
Suitable for			soon	
FMR / DMR	+ / +/-	+ / +	+ / +	+ / +
Sheath size	36 Fr	32 Fr	32 Fr	35 Fr
N patients treated	14	17	37	17
Procedural success	9/11 (82%)	14 (82%)	26/28 (93%)	15 (88%)
Early mortality	6/12 (50%)	3 (18%)	1/23 (4%)	4 (24%)

*NEW COMERS...*

# HighLife

## Device Characteristics and Unique Features

- The valve
  - 31mm **TA** valve
  - Bovine pericardium
  - Nitinol frame
  - Polyester cover
- The ring **TF** implant
  - Polymer tube
  - Nitinol hook
  - Polyester cover

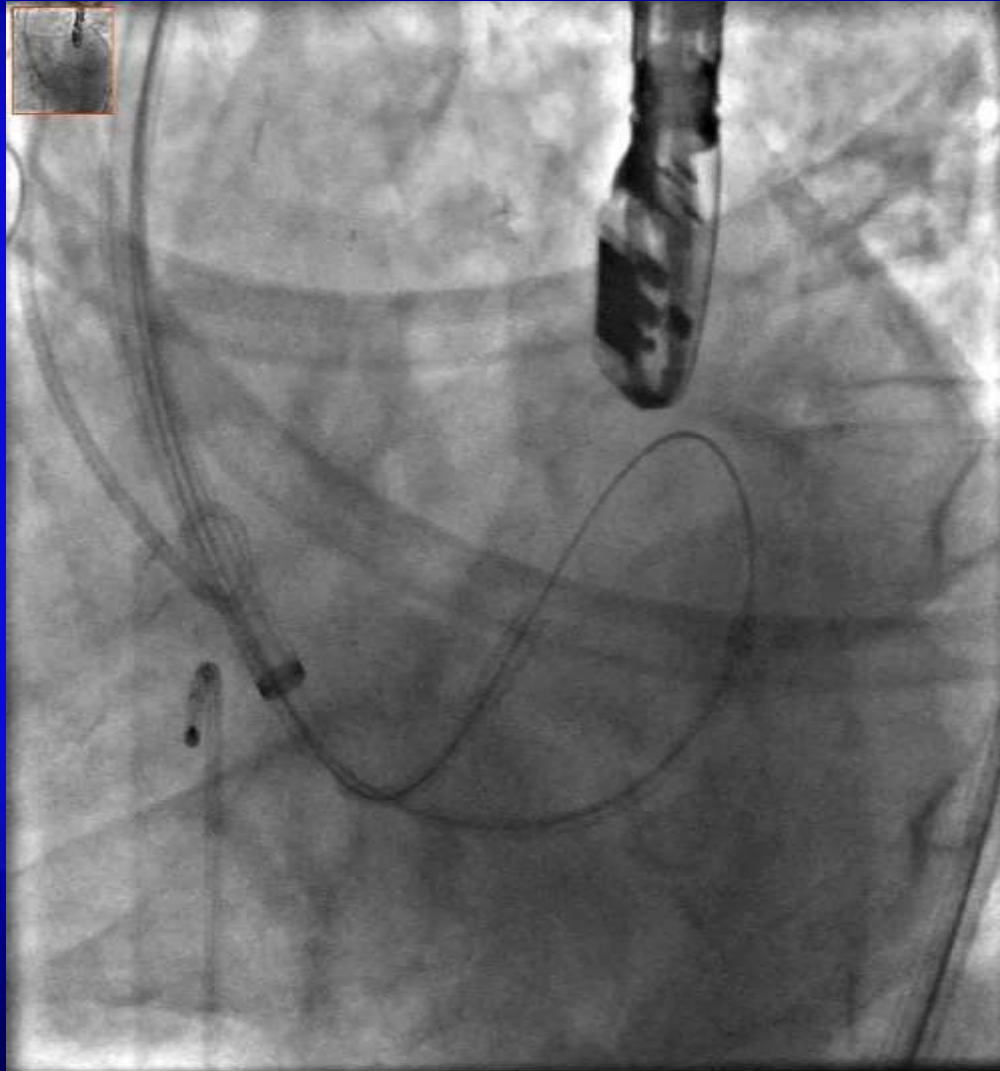


# HighLife

## Device Characteristics and Unique Features

- 3 step approach
  - Guide wire looped around mitral leaflets
  - Ring implanted over guide wire loop
  - Valve-in-Ring implantation

# Ring insertion and closure



# MV Valve™

- MV Valve is developing a similar approach to valve in valve, this time enabling *Trans-catheter* valve replacement, without a prior surgical prosthesis in the mitral position:
  - Step 1 – deployment of a proprietary valve support/dock device around the native mitral annulus
  - Step 2 – deployment of a transcatheter valve prosthesis within the Docking support system.

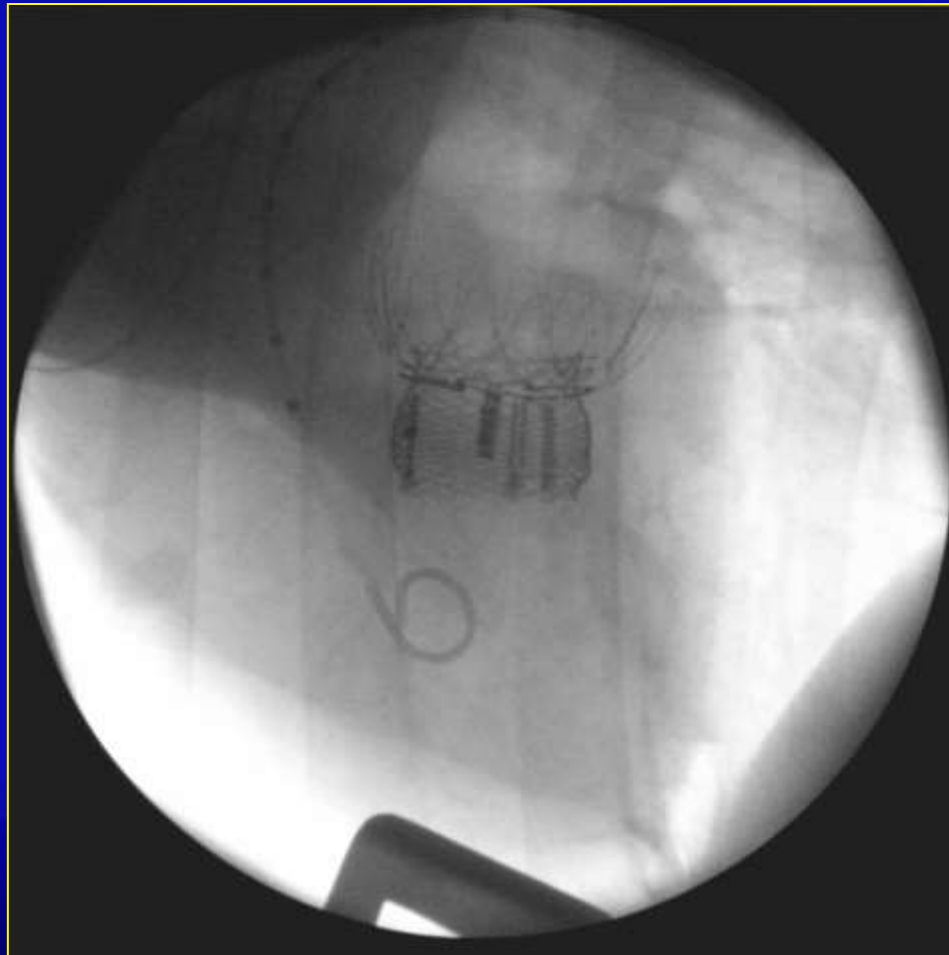




# Advantages of the MValve™ System approach

- The MValve™ dock is designed as a UNIVERSAL device fully compatible with a variety of commercially available as well as proprietary trans-catheter valves.
- The docking system enables accurate and optimal positioning of the valve prosthesis given it's:
  - Excellent fluoroscopic visibility
  - Sealing with minimal/no paravalvular leaks

# Lotus™ in MVValve™ (in vivo swine model)

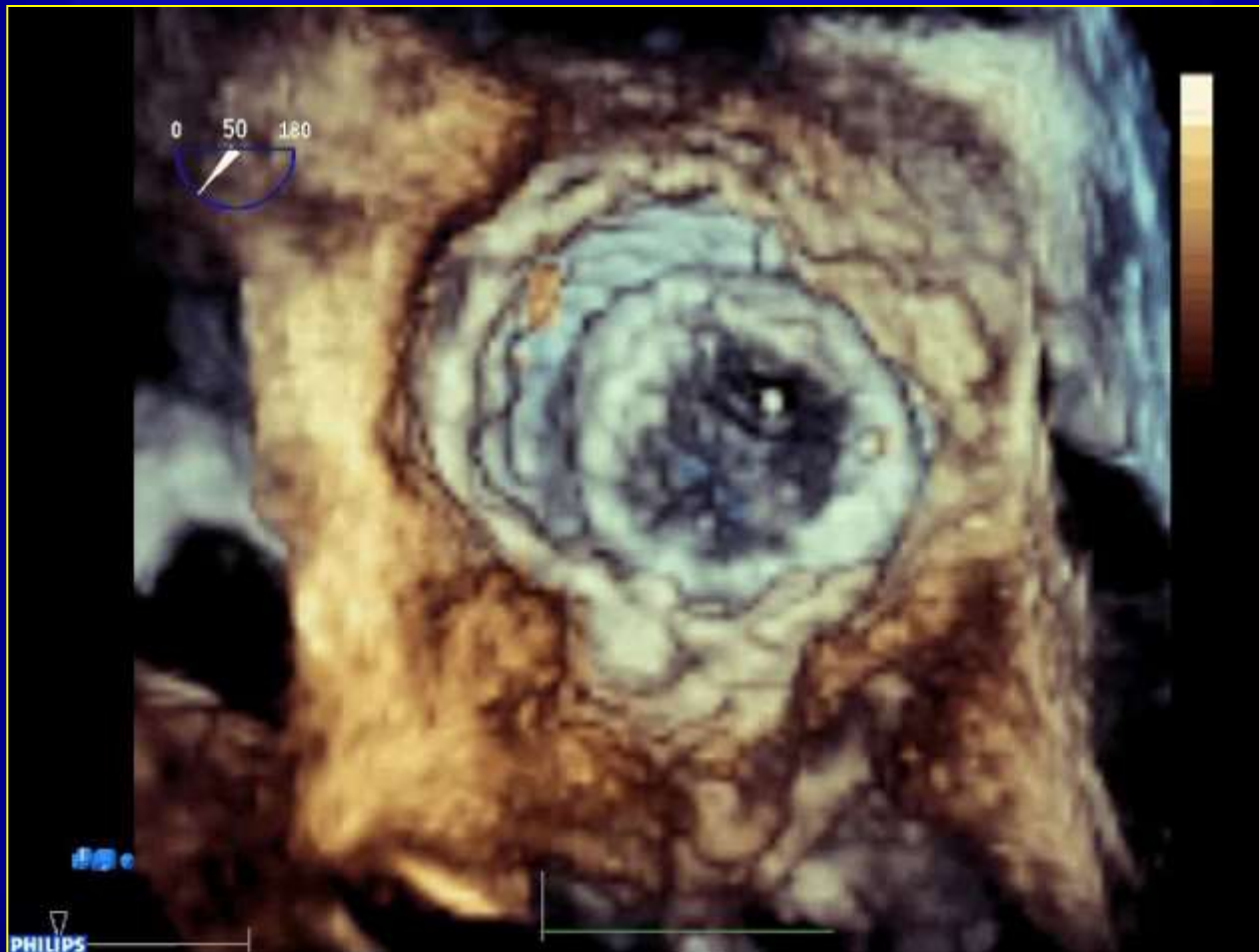


# MValve™ System is fully retrievable

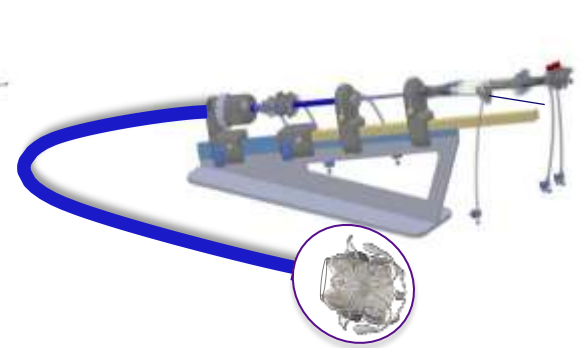
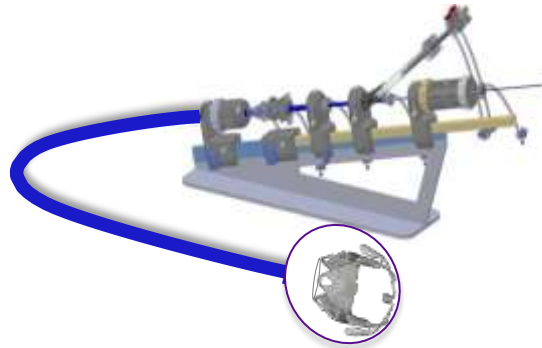
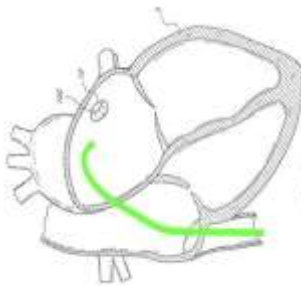
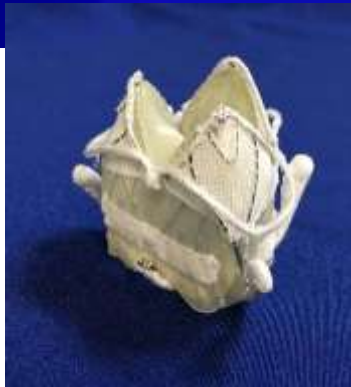
Using a custom retrieval system, the MValve™ dock can be re-captured, collapsed and fully withdrawn



# First Human Experience



# Caisson TMVR System



Transeptal

Controlled

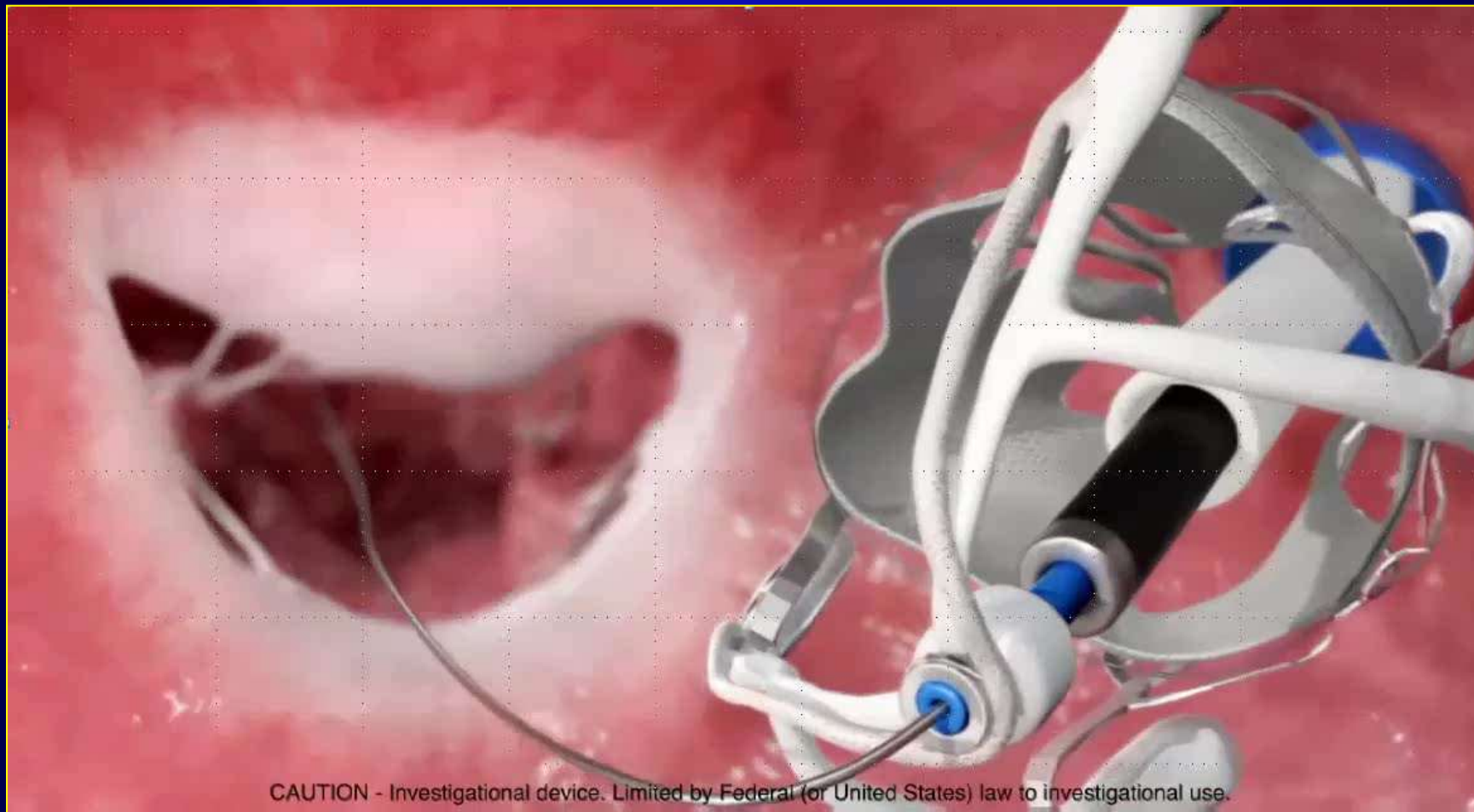
Repositionable

System

Delivery

Retrieval

# Caisson TMVR System



CAUTION - Investigational device. Limited by Federal (or United States) law to investigational use.



# FIH Outcomes (n=5)

Pt.	Days Since Implant	Status	Intra-Op PVL	30 day PVL	Device Embolization	Device Retrieval
02-001	(28) <sup>(1)</sup>	Deceased	Mild	None <sup>(2)</sup>	No	No
02-002	116	Alive	None	None	No	No
SAP	96	Alive	None	None	No	No
02-003	89	Alive	None	Mild	No	No
02-004	N/A <sup>(3)</sup>	Alive	N/A	N/A	No	Yes

1: Death day 28 following Colectomy

2: None on Day 25 TEE

3: Patient received MitraClip following Device Retrieval

# FIH 30-Day Quantified Outcomes (n=5)

Pt.	Days Since Implant	NYHA: BL -> 30d	MR: BL -> 30d	EF: BL -> 30d
02-001	(28) <sup>(1)</sup>	III -> N/A	4 -> Trace <sup>(2)</sup>	30% -> N/A
02-002	116	III -> I	3+ -> 0	57% -> 68%
SAP	96	III -> II	4+ -> 0	28% -> 35%
02-003	89	III -> II	4+ -> 1+	58% -> 70%
02-004	N/A <sup>(3)</sup>	III -> N/A	4+ -> N/A	40% -> N/A

1: Day of death

2: Day 25 TEE

3: Patient received MitraClip following Device Retrieval

# Cephea's TMVR System

## (1) Antegrade Delivery Approach

- Trans-atrial and trans-septal

## (2) Low Profile Frame Structure

- Sub-annular anchoring
- Minimal LVOT interference and sub-valvular injury
- Enables trans-septal delivery

## (3) Suspension Leaflet Central Core

- Isolates leaflets function from dynamic annular compression
- Flexibility in design of anchoring elements

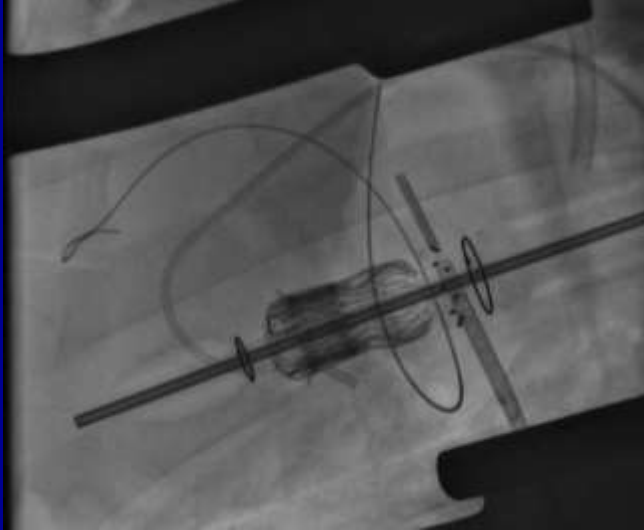
## (4) Optimized AV Hemodynamics

- Smooth transition from LA to LV



# Cephea's TMVR System

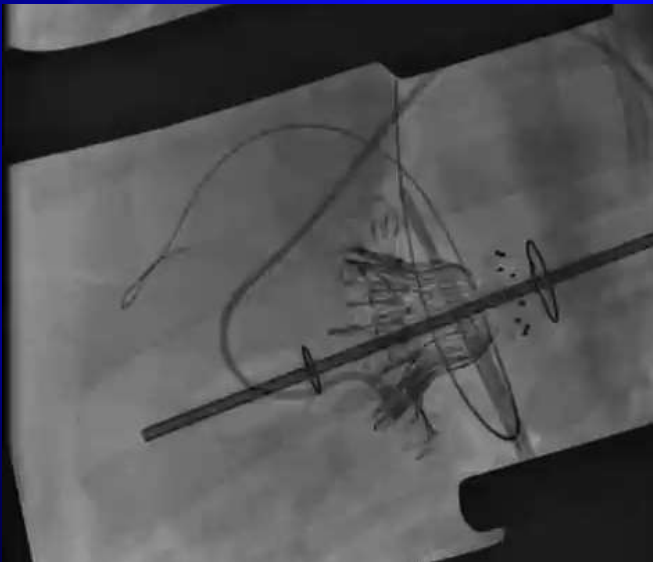
Positioning + Partial Deployment



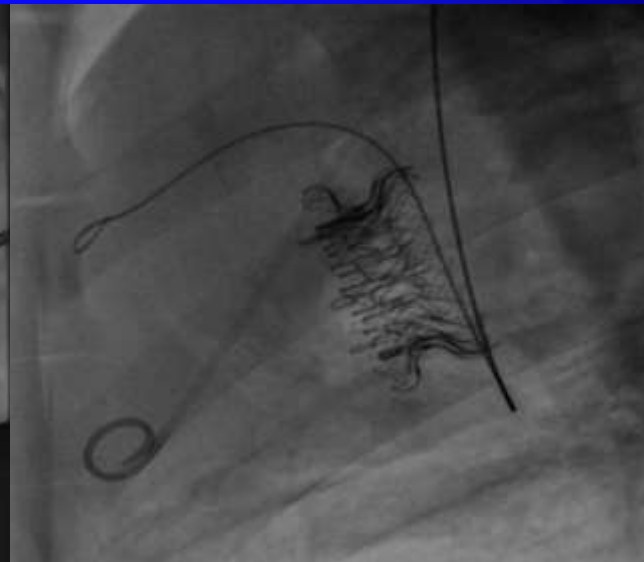
Ventricular Disk Deployment



Full Device Deployment



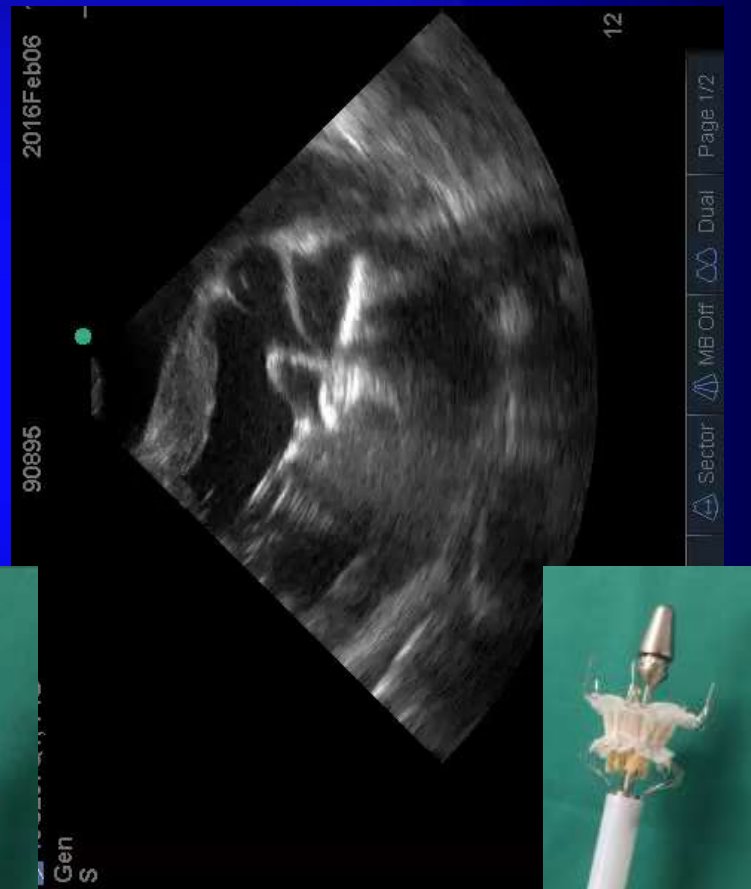
Post-Deployment



# Accufit™ Sinomed TMVR System

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# Accufit™ Sinomed TMVR System

Chronic animal experiments



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