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# Evolving TAVR Indications: Heart Failure, Asymptomatic AS, AR

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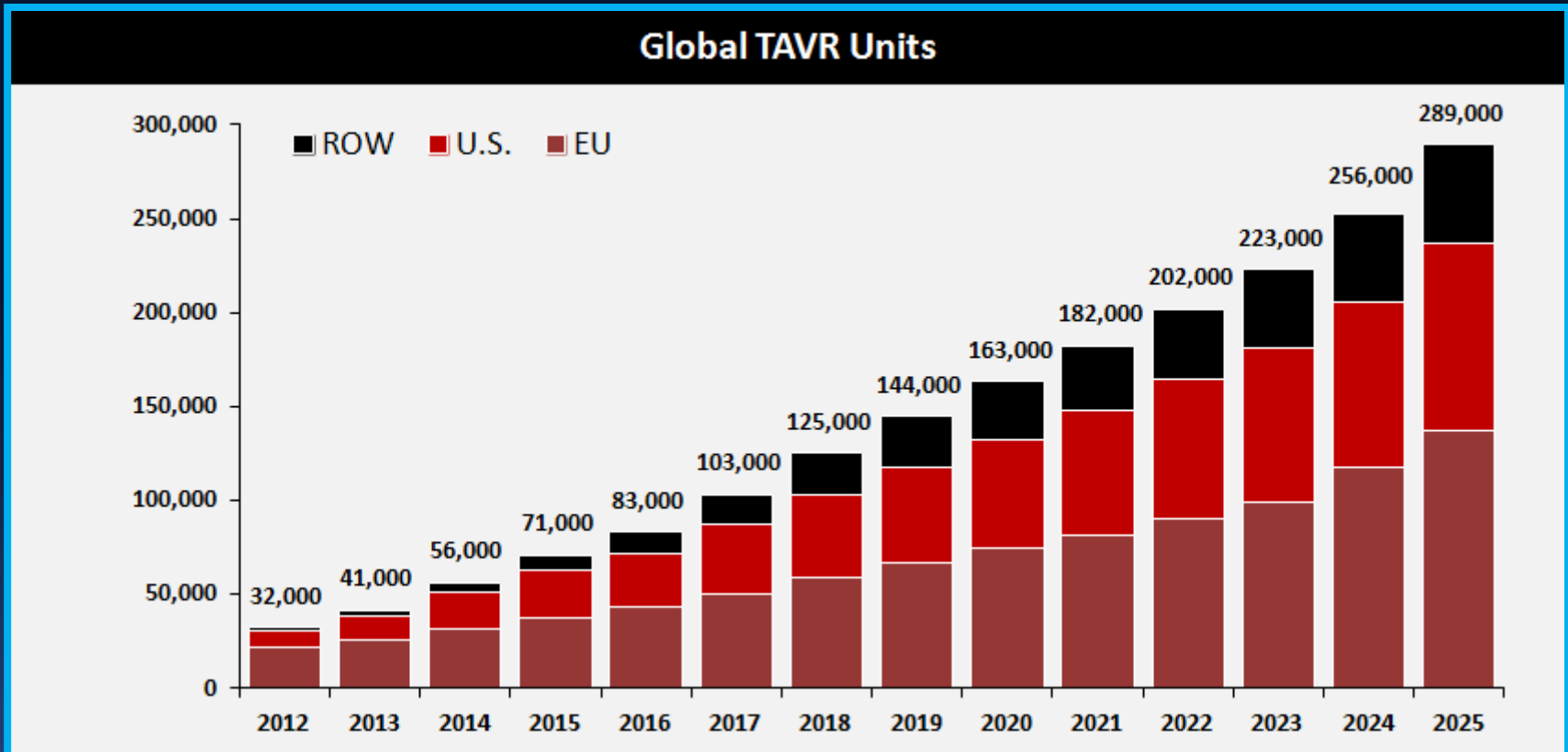
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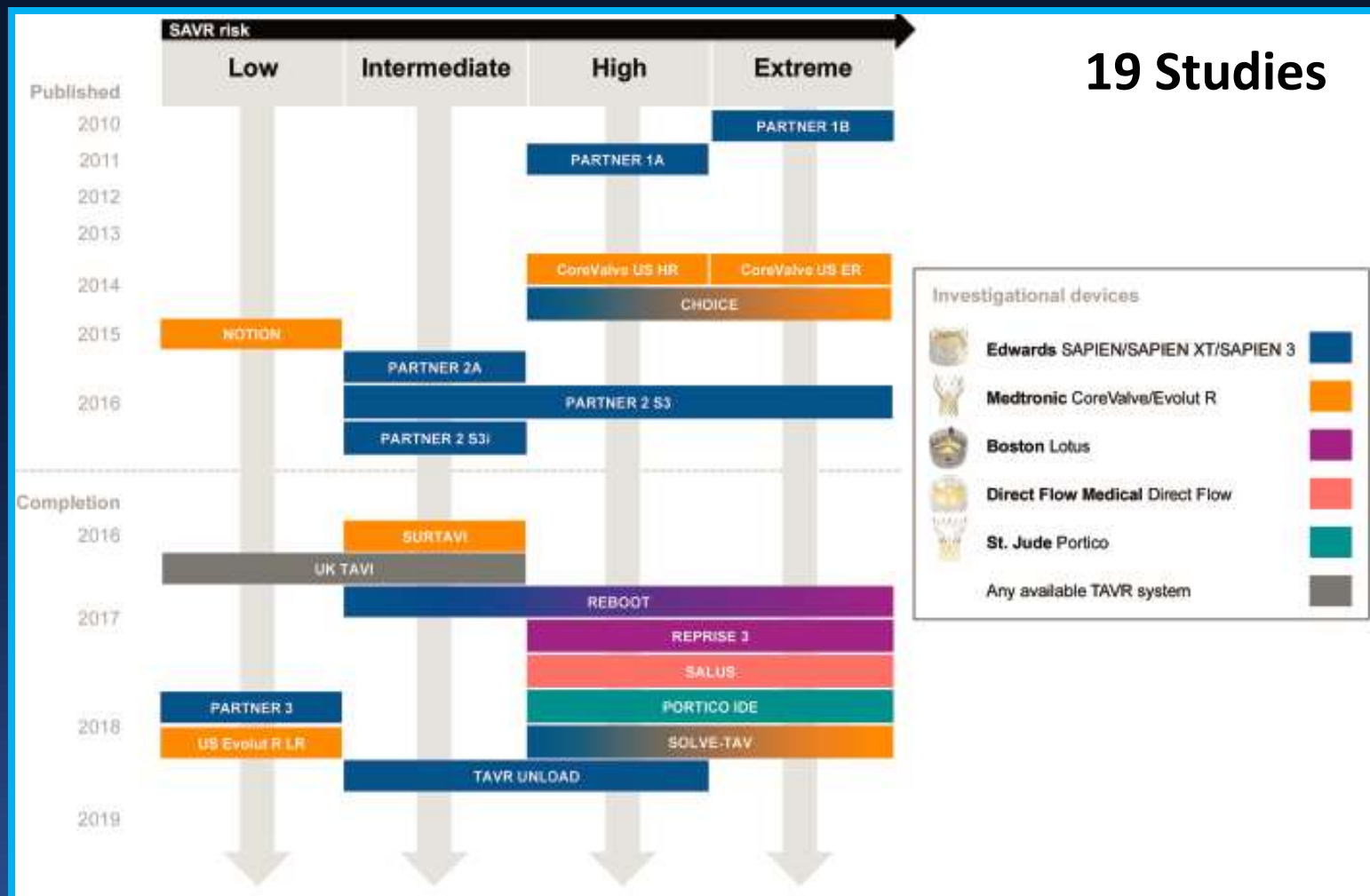
# Estimated Global TAVR Growth



SOURCE: Credit Suisse TAVI Comment –January 8, 2015. ASP assumption for 2024 and 2025 based on analyst model. Revenue split assumption in 2025 is 45% U.S., 35% EU, 10% Japan, 10% ROW

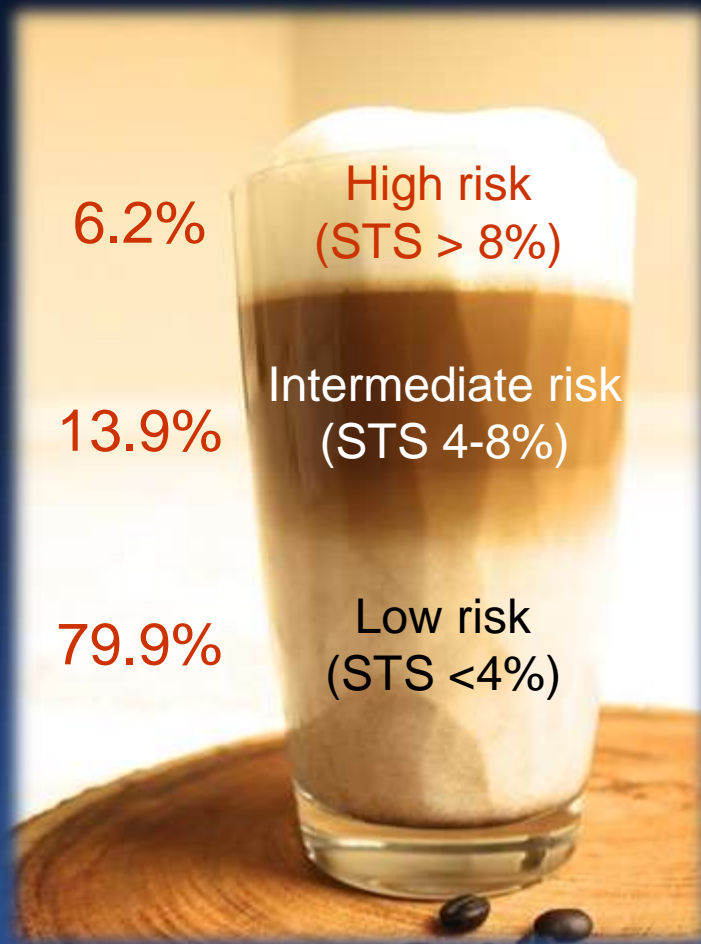
***In the next 10 years, TAVR growth will increase X4!***

# TAVR Clinical Evidence



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# *STS database 2002-2010 (141,905 pts)*



Since 2007, in the U.S.,  
>15,000 patients  
have been enrolled  
in FDA studies  
(including 6 RCTs) with  
multiple generations of  
two TAVR systems!

# The PARTNER 3 Trial Study Design



Symptomatic Severe Calcific Aortic Stenosis

Low Risk ASSESSMENT by Heart Team  
(STS < 4%, TF only)

1:1 Randomization  
(n=1,228)

TF - TAVR  
(SAPIEN 3)

CT Imaging Sub-Study (n=200)

Actigraphy/QoL Sub-Study

Surgery  
(Bioprosthetic Valve)

CT Imaging Sub-Study (n=200)

Actigraphy/QoL Sub-Study

PARTNER 3  
Registries

Alternative Access  
(n=100)  
(TA/TAo/Subclavian)

Bicuspid Valves  
(n=50)

SAVR or TAVR ViV  
(n=100/25)

Mitral ViV or ViR  
(n=50/50)

**PRIMARY ENDPOINT:**

Composite of all-cause mortality, all strokes,  
or re-hospitalization at 1 year post-procedure

Follow-up: 30 days, 6 mos, 1 year and annually through 10 years

# Expanding TAVR Clinical Indications

## *A Transformative Technology at the Crossroads?*

- Bioprosthetic aortic valve failure
- Low-risk patients (? all-comers)
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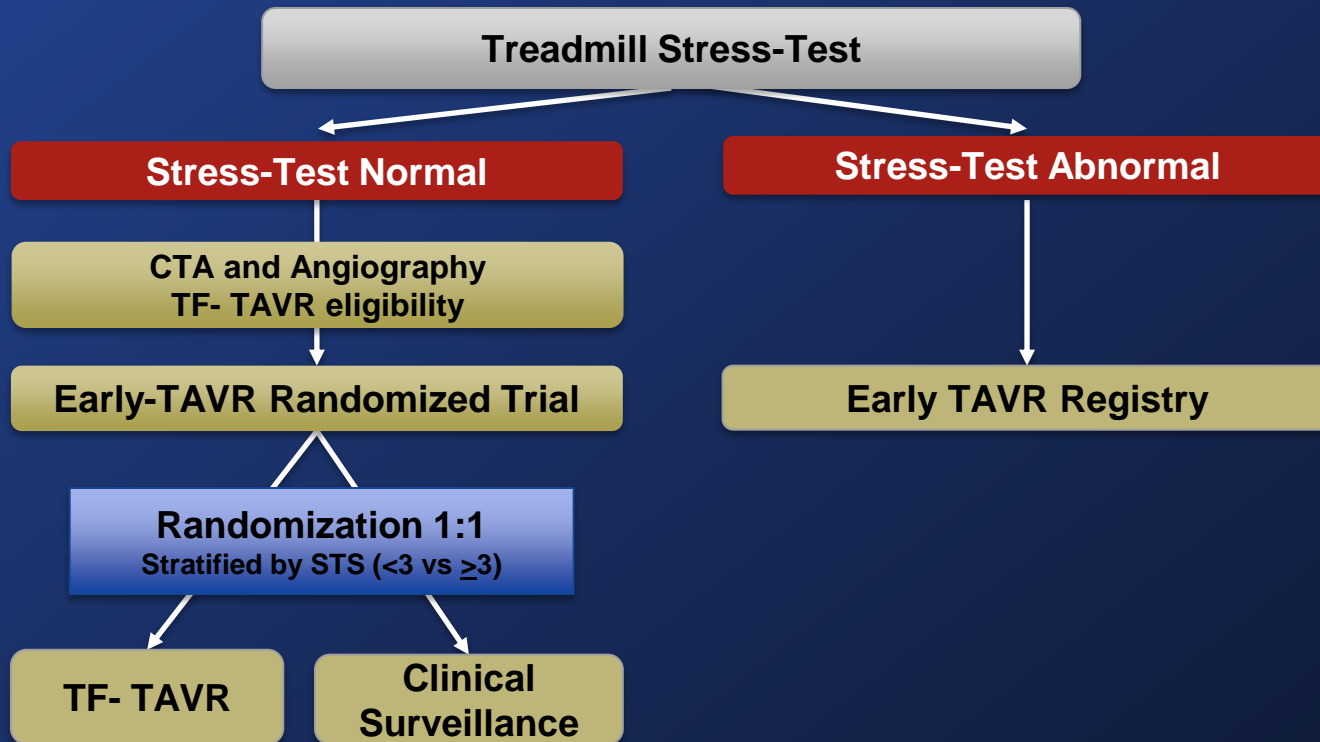


# EARLY TAVR Trial

## Study Flow



**Asymptomatic Severe AS and 2D-TTE (PV  $\geq 4\text{m/s}$  or AVA  $\leq 1\text{ cm}^2$ )**  
Exclusion if patient is symptomatic, EF  $< 50\%$ , concomitant surgical indications, bicuspid valve, or STS  $> 8$



**Primary Endpoint (superiority): 2-year composite of all-cause mortality, all strokes, and repeat hospitalizations (CV)**

# The EARLY TAVR Trial

**Stanford University Hospital**

**William Fearon, MD and Michael Fischbein, MD**



Pt. ID: ETV-0020-004

Pt. Initials: JMB

Patient Information	
Age	73
Gender	M
<b>STS Score</b>	<b>0.89%</b>
NYHA Class	I
Height	168.5cm
Weight	103.4 kg
BMI	36.4
GFR	87 mL/min
CR	0.84 mg/dL
HGB	13.0 g/dL
Consent Date	12/7/2017
Planned Procedure Date	1/23/2018
Plan	
Cohort	Asymptomatic
Planned Valve Size	23 mm
Access	Left TF

## Relevant History:

- HTN, HLD, CAD

Results of the STS Adult Cardiac Surgery Online Risk Calculator	
Risk Model and Variables - STS Adult Cardiac Surgery Database Version 2.81	
Tuesday, January 16, 2018	
RISK SCORES	
Procedure:	AV Replacement
Risk of Mortality:	0.89%
Morbidity or Mortality:	9.301%
DSW Infection:	0.276%
Long Length of Stay:	2.769%
Permanent Stroke:	0.978%
Prolonged Ventilation:	4.355%
Renal Failure:	1.949%
Reoperation:	5.726%

# Treadmill Stress Test

Treadmill Stress Test	Response
Treadmill Stress Test performed?	Y
- If No, state reason	
- If No, did physician confirm pt is asymptomatic after thorough assessment?	
Protocol Used (Bruce, Modified Bruce, Naughton, Other)	Modified Bruce
Maximum minutes achieved	5.49 minutes
Maximum METs achieved	3.70 METs
Reason why test was terminated	ST Depression

Expected METs	Response
Age	73
Gender	M
60% Expected METs	4.2
100% Expected METs	7.1

Treadmill Stress Test	HR (bpm)	SBP (mmHg)	DBP (mmHg)
Baseline	100	140	80
Stage 1	122	163	88
Stage 2	134		
Stage 3			
Stage 4			
Completion			
Recovery 1	91	155	96
Recovery 2	89	132	84

Treadmill Stress Test	Response
Syncope/severe dizziness	N
Angina	N
Lack of increase or drop in SBP	N
Significant ventricular arrhythmias (≥ 4 consecutive PVCs)	N

**See comments from treadmill committee on next slide**

# Treadmill Stress Test Committee Comments

- Comments from Dr. Genereux: I am okay calling the pt asymptomatic based on the treadmill results and lack of symptoms.
- Comments from Dr. Schwartz: I am comfortable calling patient asymptomatic, agree that ST changes alone do not count as symptomatic.
- Comments from Dr. Holper: I am okay with it as well.

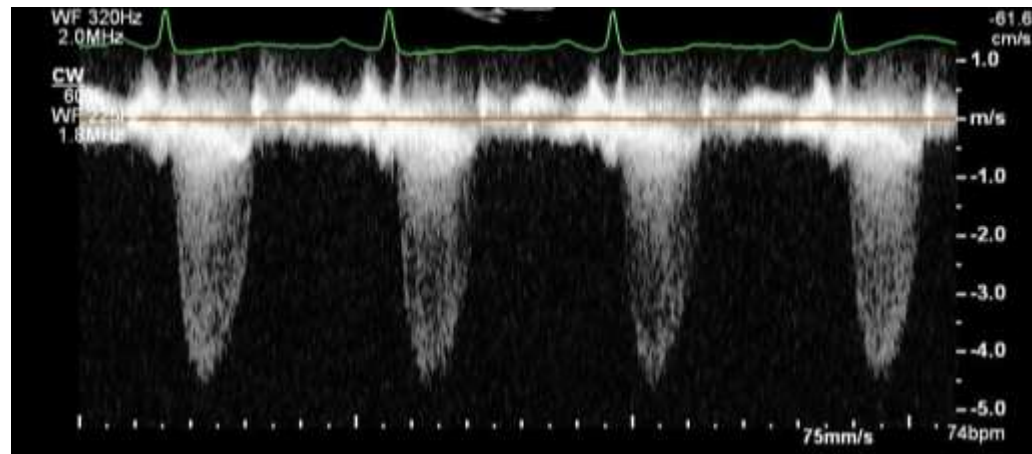
# Echo Analysis: 11/30/2017

Echo Variable (TTE)	Measure
Jet Velocity	4.61 m/s
Mean Gradient	52.8 mmHg
Calculated AVA	0.70 cm <sup>2</sup>
Calculated AVA index	0.33 cm <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>2</sup>
Ejection Fraction	65%
Severity of AR	Trace
Severity of MR	Trace
Severity of Mitral Stenosis (None, Mild, Moderate or Severe)	None
RV Pressure	29.9 mmHg
Is echo within window?	Yes
If OOW, date will be repeated	NA

## TTE Criteria

Jet Velocity  $\geq$  4.0 m/s or MG  $\geq$  40 mmHg AND

AVA  $\leq$  1.0 cm<sup>2</sup> or AVA index  $\leq$  0.6 cm<sup>2</sup>/m<sup>2</sup>



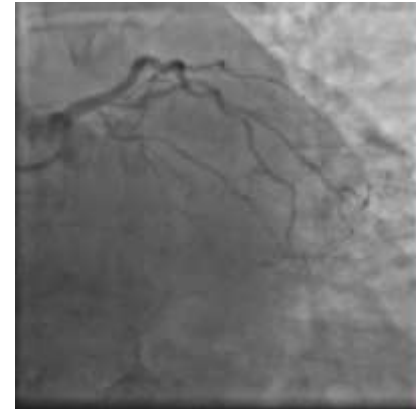
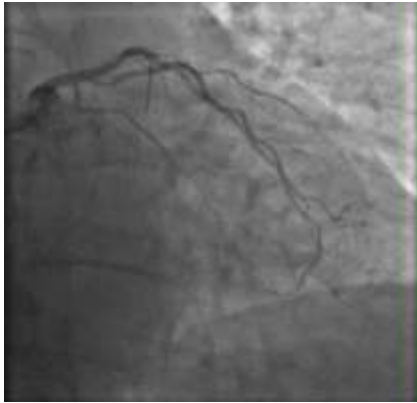
Comments:

In window TTE = 90 days

# Coronary Evaluation: 12/18/2017

Revascularization Planned?	No
Target PCI vessel(s)	NA

Planned PCI Date	NA
Same Day as TAVR or Staged?	NA



	% stenosis & location (native/graft – prox, mid, distal)
LM	0%
LAD	50% mid, 40% distal, 50% prox D1
LCX	0%
RCA	0%

Syntax Score (N/A for pts w/ prior CABG)	NA
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In window Cath = 1 yr

Comments:

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CT Measurement	Site
Area	411 mm <sup>2</sup>
% Oversizing	-1.2%
Planned Valve Size	23 mm



CT Measurement	Core Lab
Area	392.7 mm <sup>2</sup>
% Oversizing	+3.4%
Planned Valve Size	23 mm





# Clinical Surveillance Arm (for patients who are now symptomatic)

**The following slide should only be completed for patients who are randomized to the Clinical Surveillance arm and are now symptomatic and require TAVR treatment:**

- Complete next slide and submit entire presentation to your Clinical Specialist
- Updated presentation will be sent to the Treadmill Stress Test Review Committee for review/confirmation of symptomatic status before proceeding with TAVR treatment

Patient Assessment	Response
Date originally presented and approved by Case Review Board	1/18/2018
Date randomized to Clinical Surveillance?	1/19/2018
Approximate date pt began having symptoms?	4/8/2018
Does patient have any of the following symptoms:	
- Syncope/Dizziness	Yes
- Angina	No
- SOB	No
- Increased Fatigue	No
- BP Changes (If Y, increase or decrease?)	No
- Arrhythmias	Yes
Planned TAVR Procedure Date	4/13/2018

### Patient Assessment

#### Please describe patient's symptoms below:

73 y/o male from Northern California visiting Newport Beach with history of HTN and severe AS, currently at Hoag for management of his AS in the setting of VT arrest. Briefly, pt was enrolled in Edwards Life Sciences Early TAVR trial Jan/2018.

Since then, he has had two syncope episodes.

The initial syncopal episode was on Feb 7, 2018. Stanford team was notified by the patient that he experienced a syncopal episode while exercising at his local gym. CRC called the patient directly to follow-up. He stated that he did not eat much nor hydrated adequately prior to the exercise. He felt this was why he had the syncopal episode. Subsequently, Dr. Fearon spoke to the patient and stated "Spoke with him and let him know he can resume gradual exercise and should he have another episode we will move forward with TAVR."

The most recent syncopal episode occurred the day of admission to Hoag Hospital Newport Beach on 4/8/18 when he had a syncope event while shopping. EMS was called and on route to the hospital, he had a VT arrest that was defibrillated x 1. His initial ECG was NSR with diffuse ST depressions that have normalized and his troponin peaked at 4.8. He had a LHC on 4/9/18 that showed significant stenosis of his LAD and ramus, both of which were stented with DES. His TTE done 4/8/18 showed preserved LV function and normal wall motion, but severe AS (mean AV gradient 56mmhg). He is currently in NSR, CP free without any more VT. Hoag heart team met on 4/12/18 and decided he would be an appropriate TAVR candidate as part of the Early TAVR trial.

#### Physician who deemed patient symptomatic:

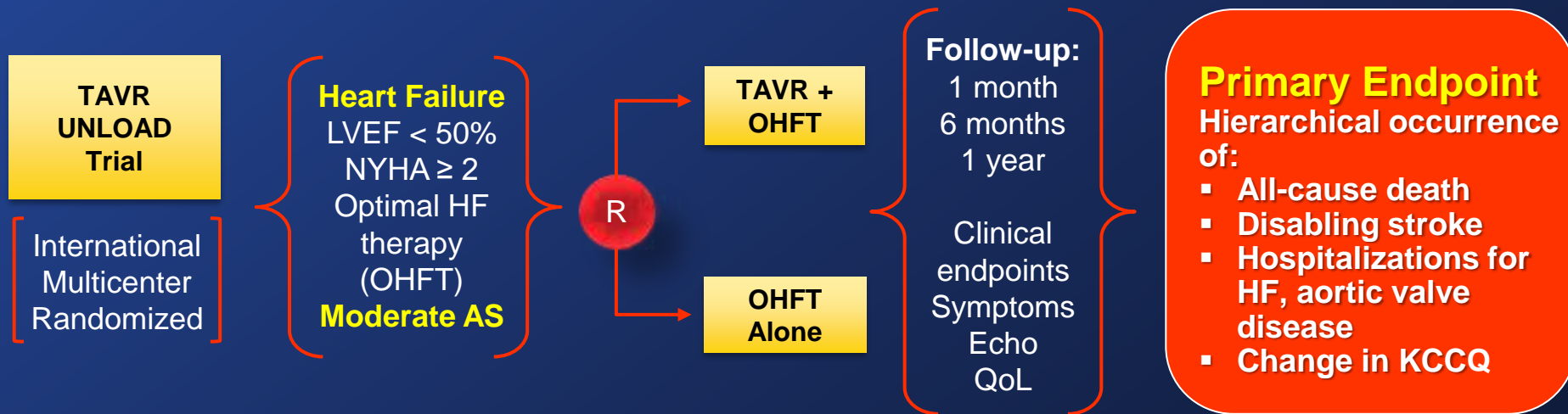
**Dr. Castellanos (Hoag)**

# TAVR UNLOAD Trial



## Study Design

(600 patients, 1:1 Randomized)



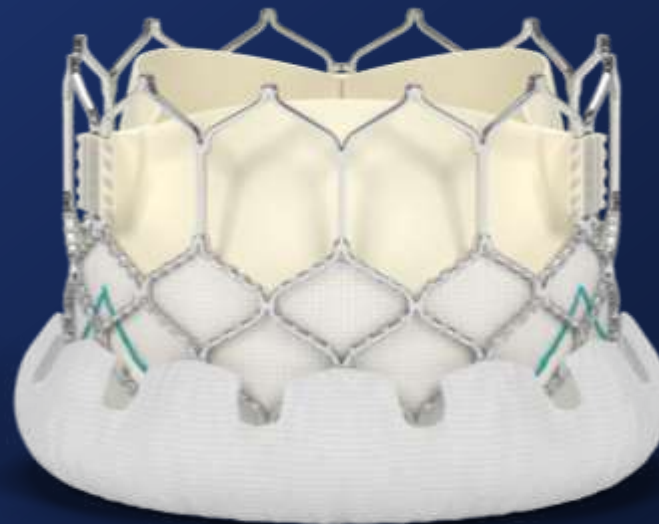
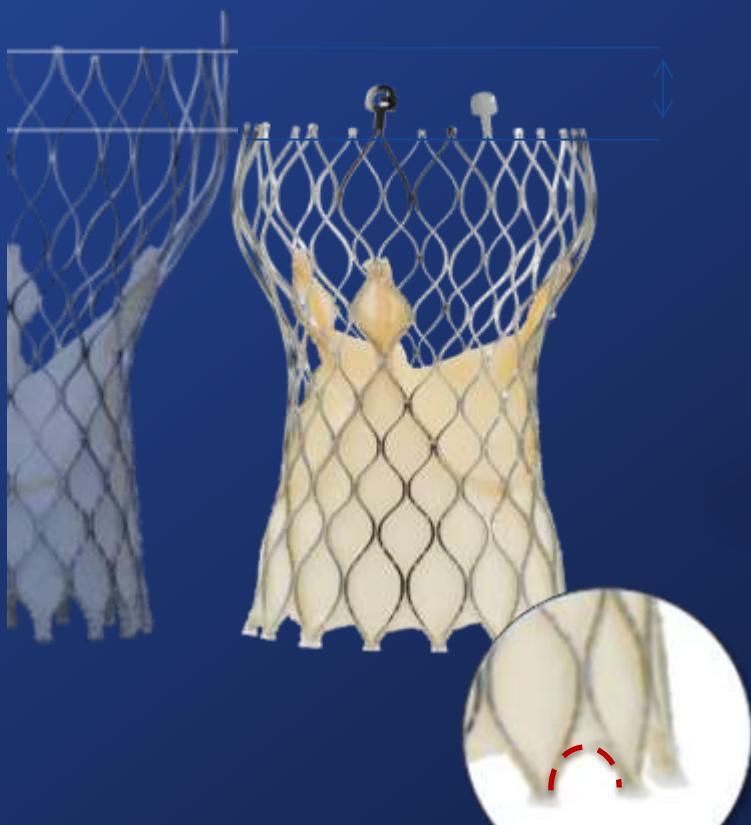
Reduced AFTERLOAD  
Improved LV systolic  
and diastolic function

# Current “Standards” for TAVR

PARTNER 3  
TRIAL

MDT Evolut R (PRO)

Edwards Sapien 3



# TAVR in NAVR

- Current device not optimal
- Registry: 254 patients, 56% Core, 12 days in hospital and 20% pacer.

Efficacy Beyond 30 Days Post-TAVR

	First-Generation THV (n = 109)	Newer-Generation THV (n = 145)
Clinical Efficacy	56%	72%
All-Cause Mortality	17%	8%
Cardiac Mortality	12%	7%
Noncardiac Mortality	5%	1%
All Stroke	3%	4%
Valve-Related Dysfunction	29%	10%
Moderate or Severe AR	26%	5%
NYHA Class III or IV	18%	13%

# *“Next in Line” for TAVR*



**LOTUS (Edge)**



**ACURATE neo**



**PORTICO**





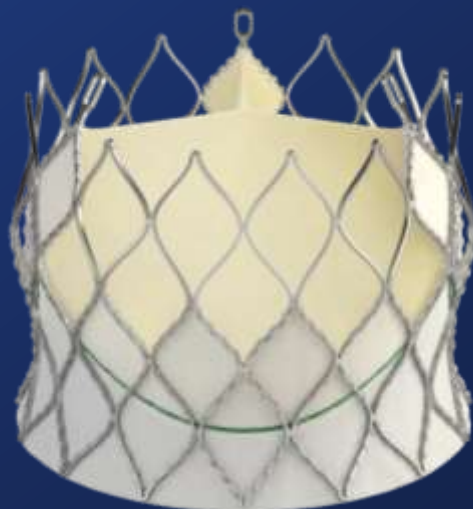
# ***“Rebooting” or Increasing Momentum***



**JENA Valve**



**CENTERA**

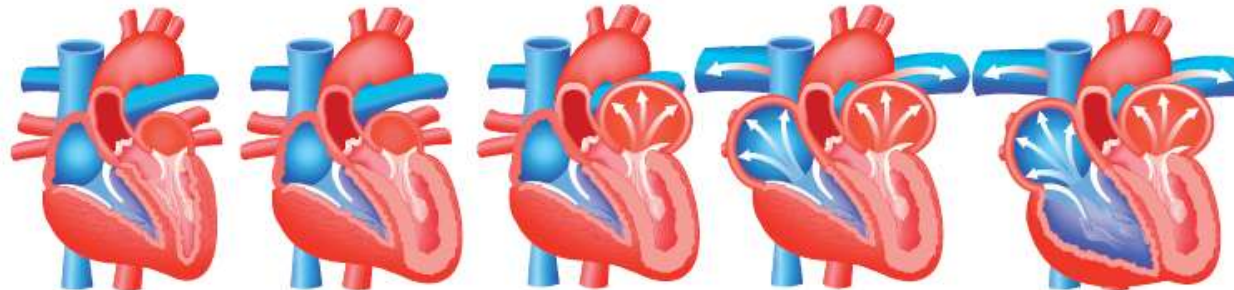


**VENUS A Valve**



## Staging classification of aortic stenosis based on the extent of cardiac damage

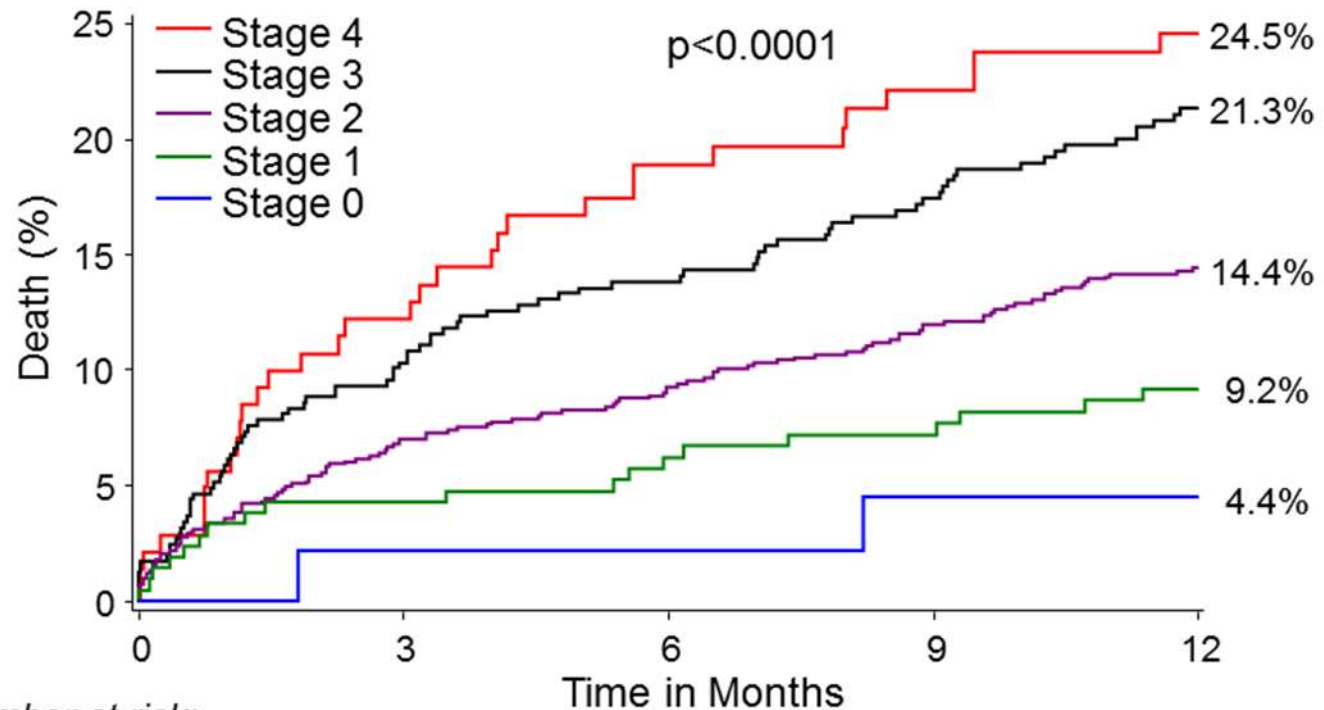
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	Stage 0	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Stage 4
<b>Stages/Criteria</b>	No Cardiac Damage	LV Damage	LA or Mitral Damage	Pulmonary Vasculature or Tricuspid Damage	RV Damage
<b>Echocardiogram</b>		Increased LV Mass Index >115 g/m <sup>2</sup> (Male) >95 g/m <sup>2</sup> (Female)	Indexed left atrial volume >34mL/m <sup>2</sup>	Systolic Pulmonary hypertension ≥60 mmHg	Moderate-Severe right ventricular dysfunction
		E/e' >14	Moderate-Severe mitral regurgitation	Moderate-Severe tricuspid regurgitation	
		LV Ejection Fraction <50%	Atrial Fibrillation		



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Number at risk: