

# CoreValve in a Degenerative Surgical Valve



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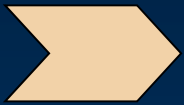
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# Background

- Surgical bioprosthetic valves tend to fail over time.
- Mode of failure could be aortic stenosis, aortic regurgitation, para-valvular leak or mix failure.
- Re-do SAVR is associated with augmented risk and often occurs at advanced age.
  - Jones J. M. et al.; J Thorac Cardiovasc Surg 2001;122:913-918
- TAVI offers a novel mode of treatment for aortic bioprosthetic valve failure instead of re-do SAVR.

# Mechanism of valve failure

AS



Pannus



Thrombus



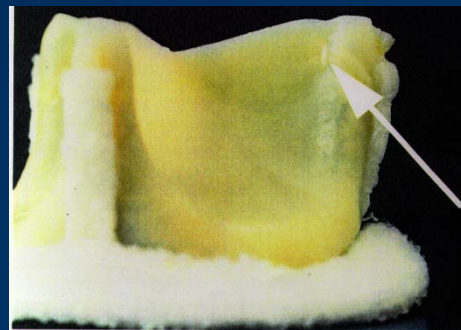
Calcification



Wear& Tear (int.)



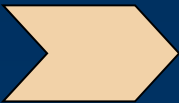
Wear& Tear (ext.)



Endocarditis

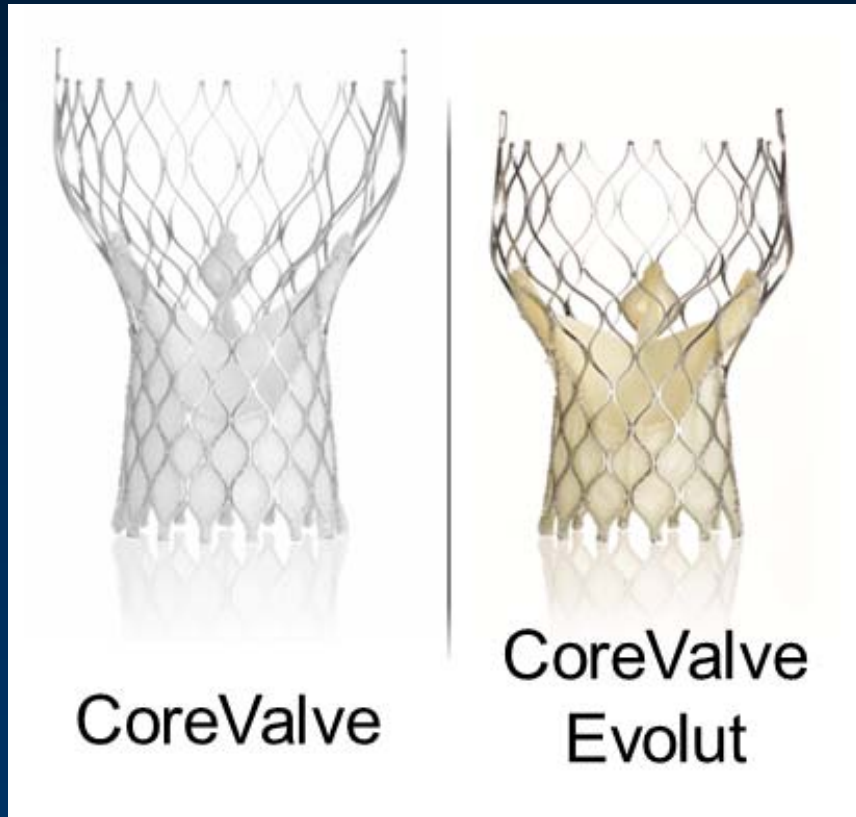


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# CoreValve in a Degenerative Surgical Valves

## CoreValve \ CoreValve Evolut™ Design



### Principle features:

- Tailored height and shape
- Conformability and sealing
- Optimized radial force
- Coaptation in non-circular anatomy
- Supra-annular valve position

### In the CoreValve Evolut™:

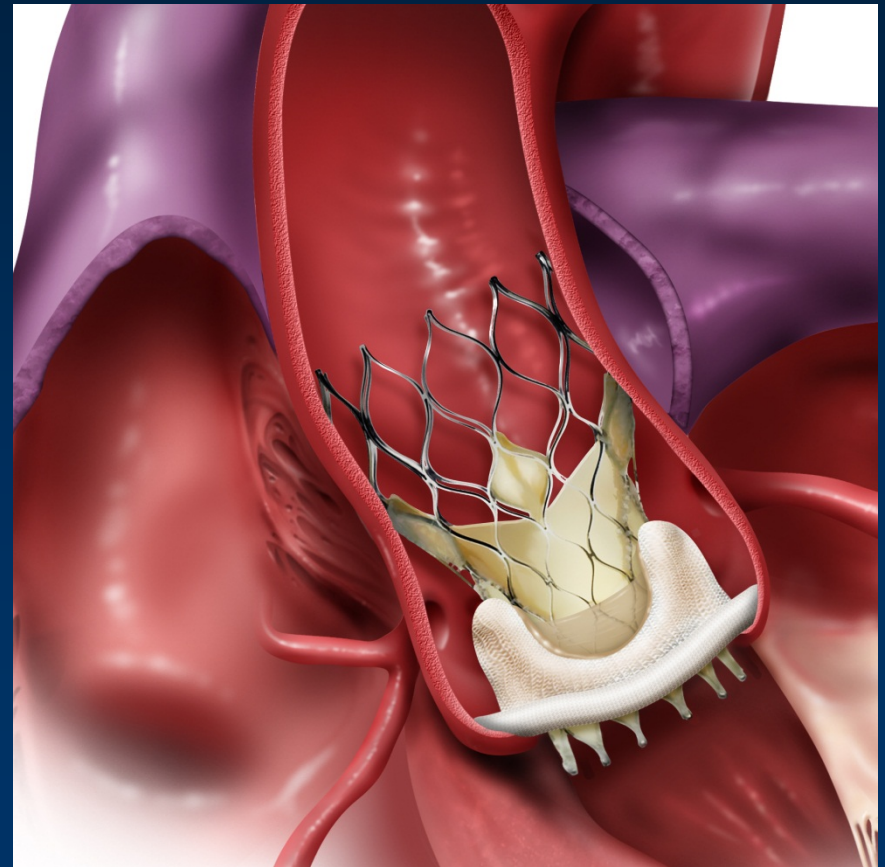
#### AOA® Anti-Mineralization Treatment:

- Reduce both early and late valvular calcification

# CoreValve in a Degenerative Surgical Valve

## Supra-Annular Design

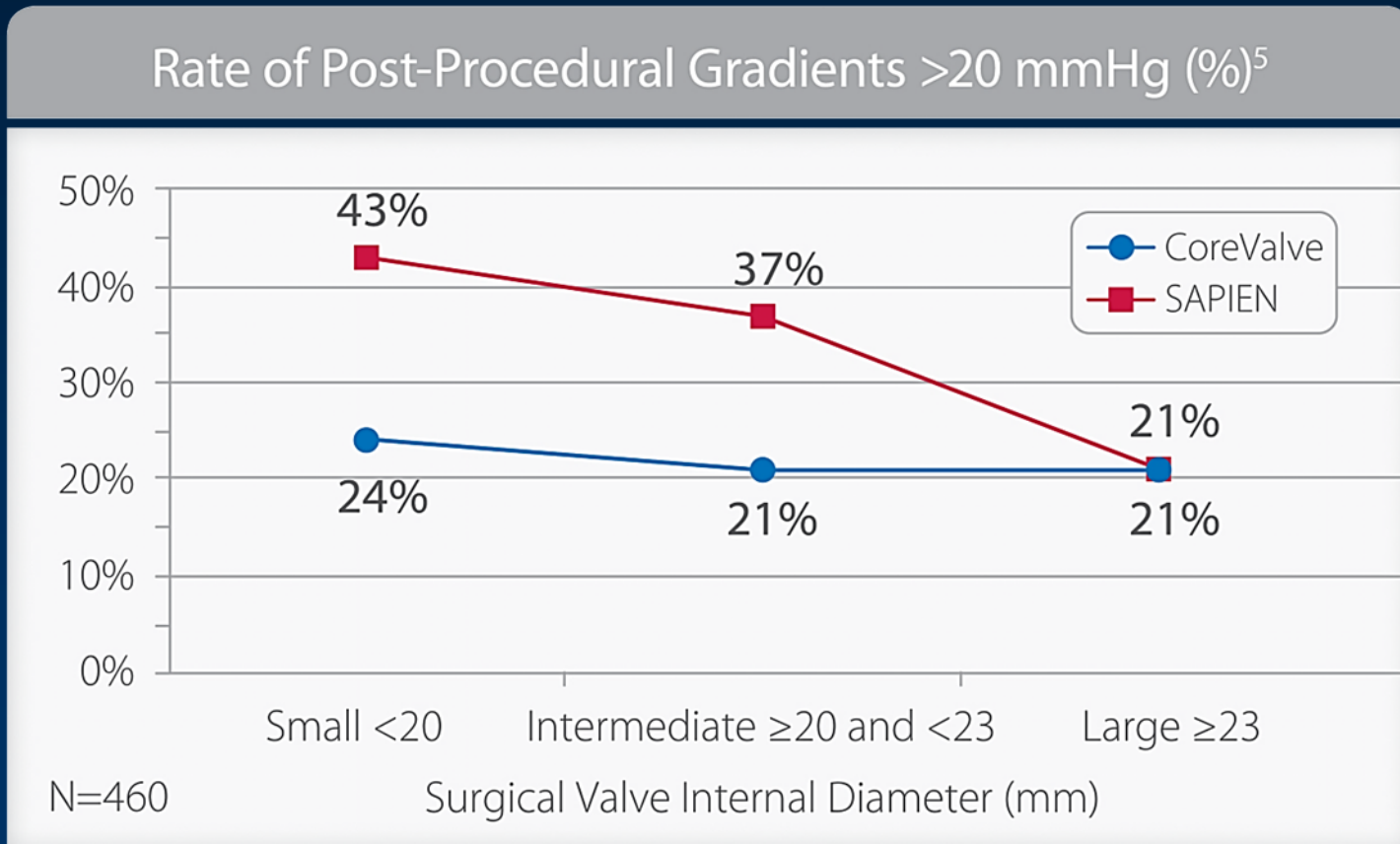
- The supra-annular design enables blood flow as the leaflets are positioned *above* the surgically implanted valve; reducing dependence on the inner dimension of the surgical bioprosthesis.



# CoreValve in a Degenerative Surgical Valve

## Hemodynamic Performance

- CoreValve demonstrates lower post-procedural gradients following Valve-in-Valve procedures.



# Stented versus Stentless Valves

## Important Consideration



Stented SAV

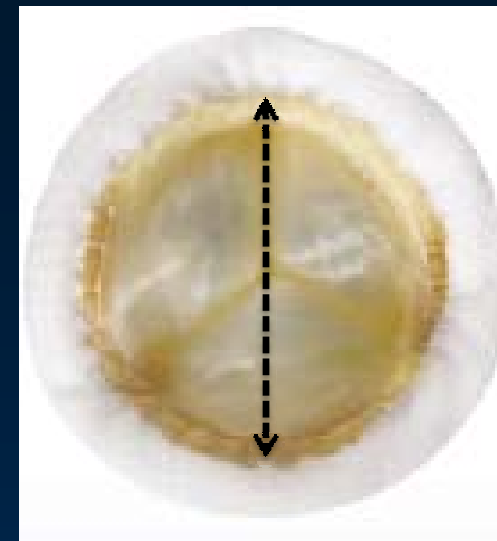


Stentless SAV



# VIV Inside Diameter Importance

↕ = valve inside diameter →



### Valve-in-Valve Sizing Guide

A = Valve Height  
B = Valve Orifice Diameter

#### Stented Bioprostheses

Valve Size	19 mm	21 mm	23 mm	25 mm	27 mm	29 mm	31 mm
<b>Medtronic Mosaic<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	17.5	18.5	20.5	22.5	24	26	
Height	13.5	15	16	17.5	18.5	20	
<b>Medtronic Hancock<sup>®</sup> #1</b>							
Orifice	18.5	20.5	22.5	24	26		
Height	15	16	17.5	18.5	20		
<b>Medtronic Hancock Modified Orifice (M.O.) 250<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	16	18	20	21.8			
Height	17	18.5	19.5	21.25			
<b>Medtronic Hancock Porcine Standard<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice		20	21.8	22.3	24.1	26	
Height			17.25	18.75	20	21.25	22.75
<b>Edwards Perimount Z100<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	18	20	22	24	26	28	
Height	13	14	15	16	17	18	
<b>Edwards Perimount 2800<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	18	20	22	24	26	28	
Height	14	15	16	17	18	19	
<b>Edwards Perimount Magna 3000<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	18	20	22	24	26	28	
Height	14	15	16	17	18	19	
<b>Edwards Perimount Magna Ease 3300<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	18	20	22	24	26	28	
Height	13	14	15	16	17	18	
<b>Edwards Porcine Bioprostheses 2625<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	17	19	21	23	25	27	29
Height	15	16	16	18	18	19	19
<b>Edwards S.A.V.<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	17	19	21	23	25	27	
Height	14	15	16	17	17	18	

#### Stented Bioprostheses

Valve Size	19 mm	21 mm	23 mm	25 mm	27 mm	29 mm	31 mm
<b>Sorin Mitroflow LX<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	15.4	17.3	19	21	22.9		
Height	11	13	14	15	16		
<b>Sorin Mitroflow 12<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	15.4	17.3	19	21	22.9	24.7	
Height	11	13	14	15	16	16.4	
<b>St. Jude Medical Bicor<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	19	21	23	25	27	29	
Height		14	15	16	17	19	
<b>St. Jude Medical Epic<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	19	21	23	25	27	29	
Height		14	15	16	17	19	
<b>St. Jude Medical Epic Supra<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	19	21	23	25	27	29	
Height		14	15	16	17	19	
<b>St. Jude Medical Trifecta<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	17	19	21	23	25		
Height	15	16	17	18	19		

#### Stentless Bioprostheses

Valve Size	19 mm	21 mm	23 mm	25 mm	27 mm	29 mm	31 mm
<b>Medtronic Freestyle<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	16	18	20	21.5	23.5	26	
Height	30	32	32	34	34	39	
<b>Medtronic 3F<sup>®</sup></b>							
Orifice	17	19.6	22.6	23.7	25.8	27.6	
Height	23	25	27	29	31	32	

Valve Size	Aortic Annulus Diameter	Aortic Aorta Diameter	Posterior Bulge
23 mm	18 mm - 20 mm	≤ 34 mm	56 mm - 62.8 mm
26 mm	20 mm - 23 mm	≤ 40 mm	62.8 mm - 72.3 mm
29 mm	23 mm - 27 mm	≤ 43 mm	72.3 mm - 84.8 mm
31 mm	26 mm - 29 mm	≤ 43 mm	81.6 mm - 91.1 mm

Corresponding Medtronic CoreValve

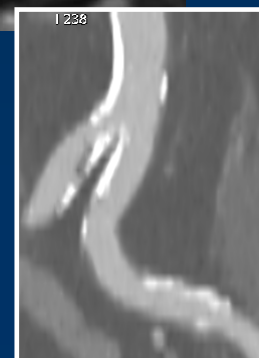
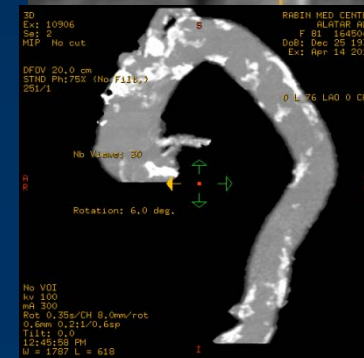
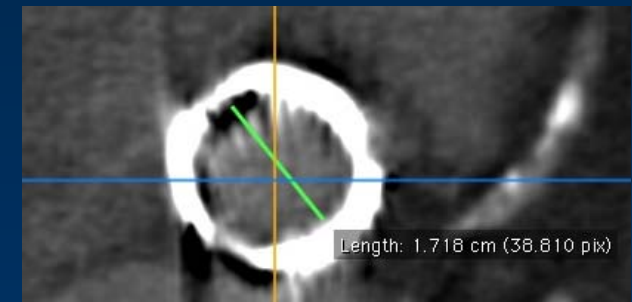
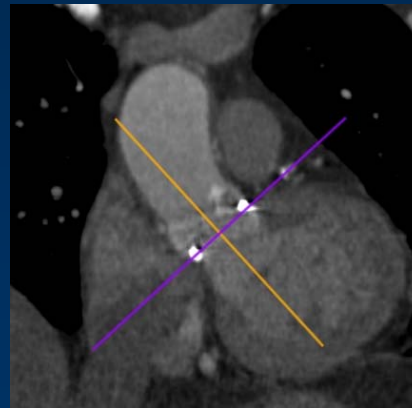
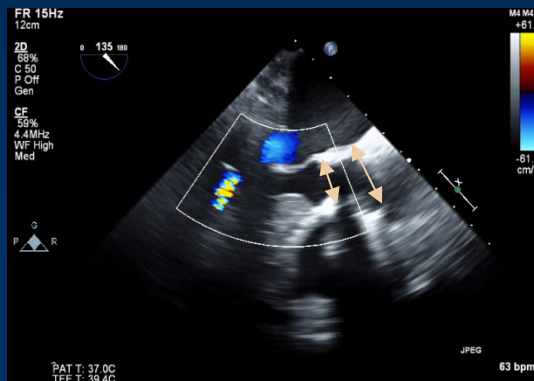
It is very important to recognize the angiographic “signature” of each valve

# Determine Annulus Diameter of SAV

**Echo (also TEE) and Computed tomography (CT) are required.**

- Inside diameter of SAV inflow (at the annulus)
- Distance between coronary ostia take off and the valve
- R/O additional cardiac pathologies (thrombus, vegetation etc.)

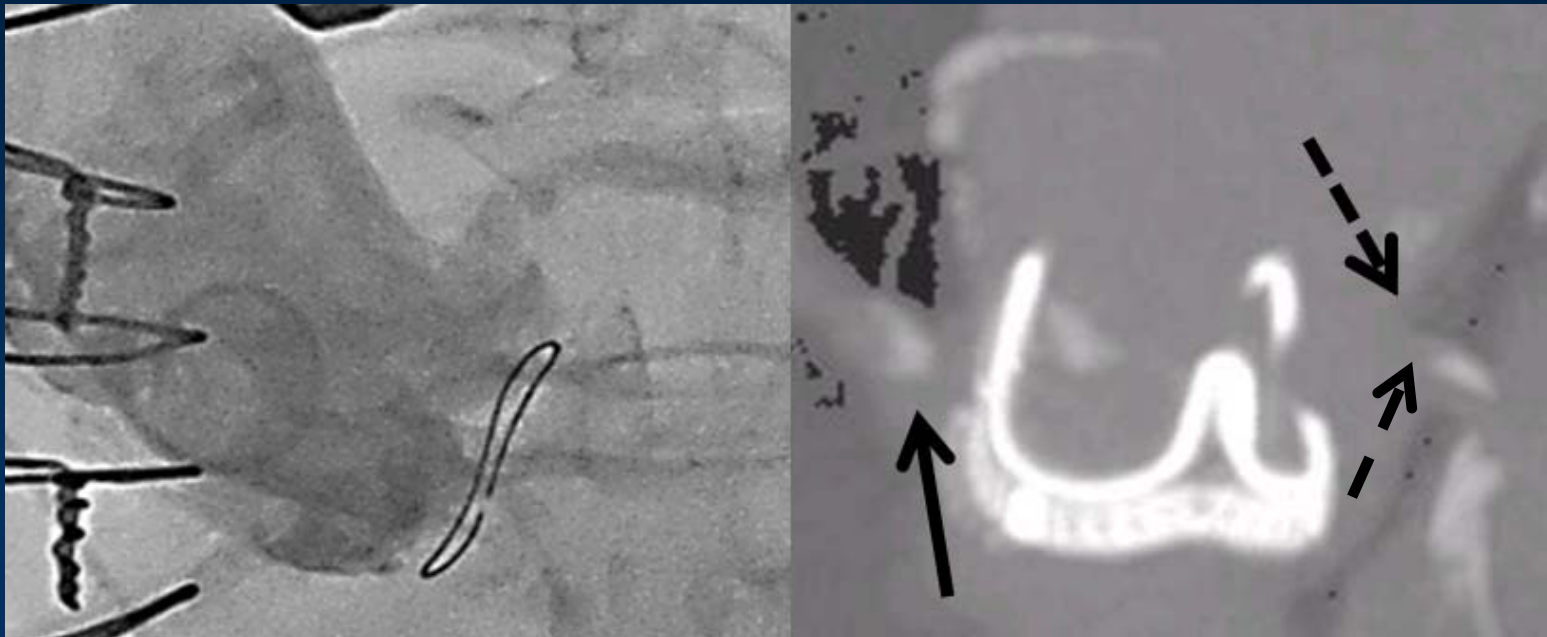
Echo measurement of the annulus and aortic root and assessment of additional cardiac structures.



Comprehensive CT evaluation: Access and the aortic root & bioprosthesis.

# Determine Valve to Coronary Distance

Assess the risk for coronary obstruction





# Valve in Valve – Case Examples

# Patient 1 (D.I)

**Age: 81**  
**Gender: Female**

**First valve:**  
**1998**

**Valve type:**  
**CE Primount –**  
**stented 19mm**



**TAVI - V in V**

**April 2013**

**CV Evolut™ 23mm**

**Access: Femoral**

**Pre: Severe AS**  
**(67\42 mmHg)**

**AR grade post: 0\1**

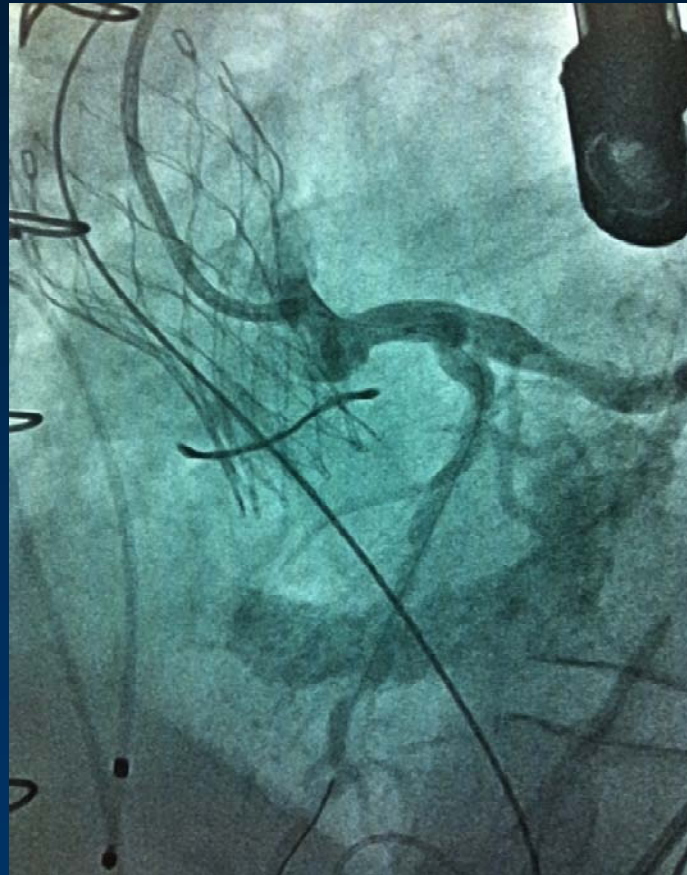
**Post gradient:**  
**(21\13 mmHg)**

# Patient 2 (S.A)

**Age: 82**  
**Gender: Male**

**First valve:**  
**2003**

**Valve type:**  
**Mitroflow –**  
**stented 19mm**



**TAVI - V in V**

**December 2012**

**CV Evolut™ 23mm**

**Access: Femoral**

**Pre: AR +AS**

**AR grade post: 0**

**Post gradient:**

**(18\9 mmHg)**

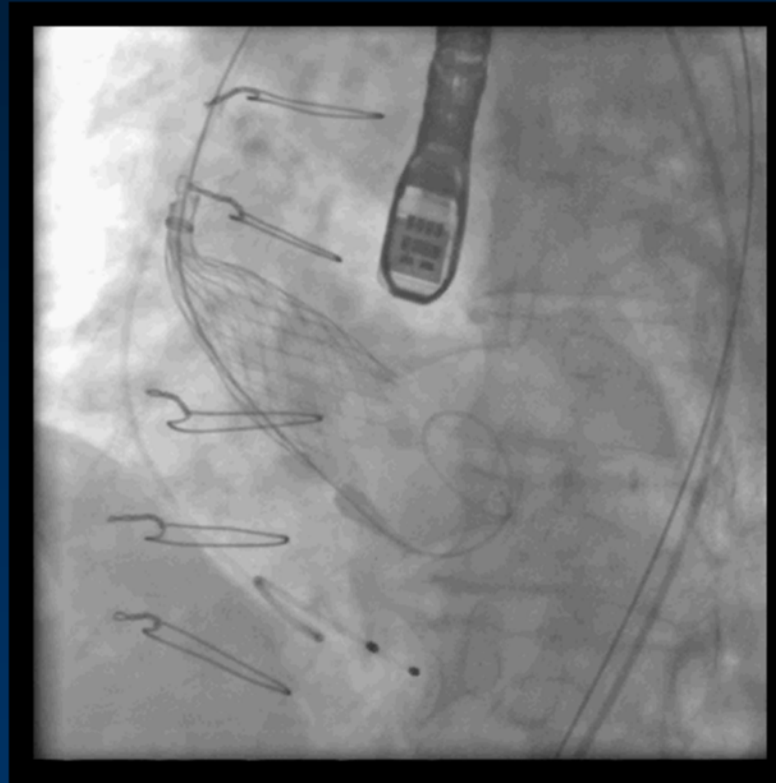
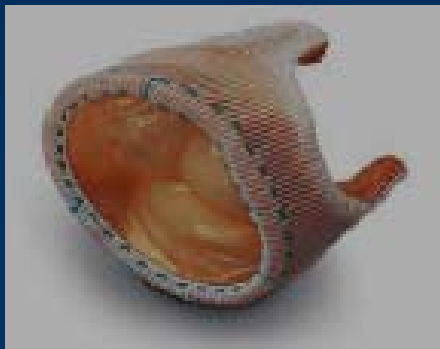
# Patient 3 (S.A)

**Age: 86**

**Gender: male**

**First valve:  
1996**

**Valve type:  
Toronto -  
stentless**



**TAVI - V in V**

**March 2012**

**CoreValve, 26mm**

**Access: Femoral**

**AR grade pre: 4**

**AR grade post: 1**

# Stentless VIV Implants

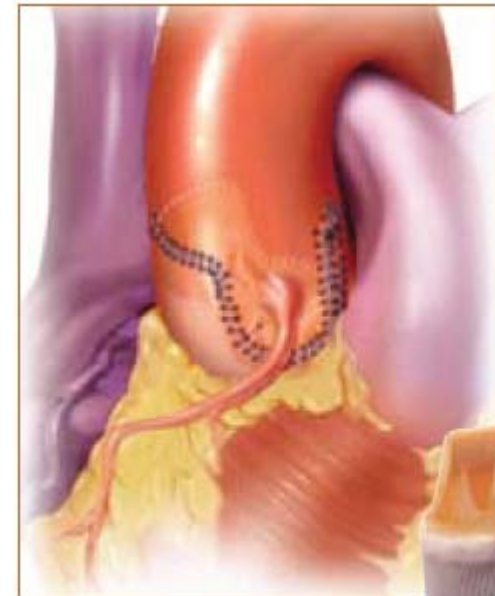
Typical Implant Techniques for Homografts and Stentless Bioprostheses



Full Root



Complete Subcoronary



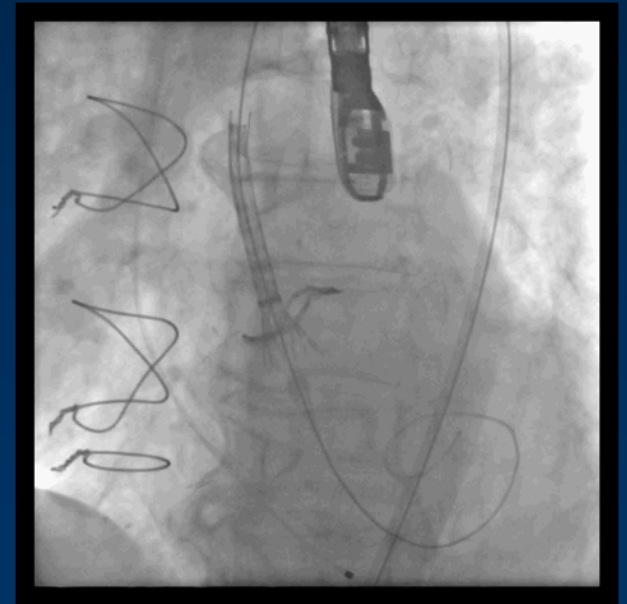
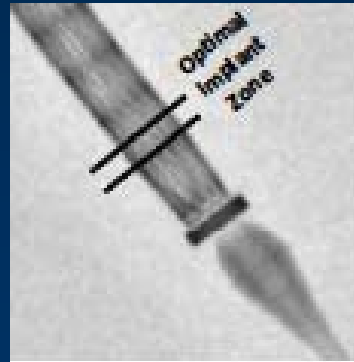
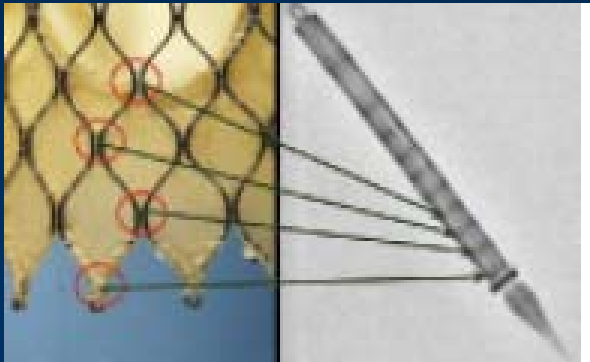
Modified Subcoronary

Stentless bioprostheses and homografts lack radiopaque structures and calcification is typically less than with native valves. This challenges visualization of the level of the annulus.



# Deployment Depth

- Within the aortic annulus (approximately 4 mm to 6 mm below the annulus)



# Global Valve in Valve Registry

Patients undergoing VIV procedures in 55 sites in *Europe, North-America, Australia, New Zealand and the Middle-East*  
(n=564)

Isolated Mitral VIV / VIR  
(n=88)

6 patients enrolled after data lock (September 10th 2012) were not analyzed

Aortic VIV procedures\*  
(n=460)

Medtronic CoreValve  
(n=213)

Non-Medtronic CoreValve  
(n=247)

\* Including 3 combined aortic VIV and mitral VIV procedures

# Baseline Demographics at Time of VIV

	<i>CoreValve</i> <i>n=213</i>
<b>Age (yrs)</b>	<b>77.6 ± 10.0</b>
<b>Gender (% male)</b>	<b>53.1%</b>
<b>LogEuroSCORE</b>	<b>31.1 ± 16.8</b>
<b>STS score (%)</b>	<b>12.8 ± 10.6</b>
<b>Diabetes Mellitus</b>	<b>31.1%</b>
<b>Peripheral Vascular Disease</b>	<b>17.9%</b>
<b>Chronic Renal Failure</b>	<b>38.0%</b>
<b>Previous stroke</b>	<b>12.2%</b>
<b>NYHA III/IV</b>	<b>93.9%</b>

# Baseline Valve Parameters

## Mechanism of failure

Regurgitation	36.6%
Stenosis	35.2%
Combined	28.2%

## CoreValve *n=213*

Stented	71.4%
Stentless	28.6%
Label Size	
≤21 mm	36.2%
22-26 mm	54.5%
≥27 mm	5.2%
Unknown	4.2%

# Bioprosthetic Valves Types

## Carpentier-Edwards



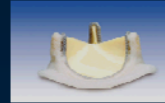
Magna



Theon



CE SAV



Perimount

## Medtronic



Hancock II



Mosaic



Freestyle  
Stentless

## Sorin Biomedica



Pericarbon



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Freedom



Freedom



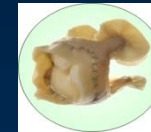
Soprano

## Sorin-Carbomedics



Mitroflow

## Shelhigh



NR 200  
Semistented



NR 900 A  
Tricuspid valve

## St Jude Medical



Toronto SPV  
Stentless



Biocor



Epic



Trifecta

## Vascutek



Aspire  
stented



Elan  
stentless

## Ionescu Shiley



## Labcor laboratories



Dokimos



Maxime



Imperiii  
stentless

## Gamina



Cryolife O'Brien  
stentless



TLPB-A-Supra



Kiros

# Valve in Valve Procedures

	<i>CoreValve</i> <i>n=213</i>
<b>Device size</b>	
23mm	3 (1.4%)
26mm	173 (81.2%)
29mm	34 (16.0%)
31mm	3 (1.4%)
<b>Access</b>	
femoral artery	197 (92.5%)
axillary artery	12 (5.6%)
apical	0
direct-aortic	4 (1.9%)
<b>TEE</b>	45.1%
<b>General anesthesia</b>	55.4%

# Valve in Valve Procedures

	<i>CoreValve</i> <i>n=213</i>
<b>Pre implantation valvuloplasty</b>	<b>19.2%</b>
<b>Initial device malposition</b>	<b>16.0%</b>
<b>Attempted Valve retrieval</b>	<b>9.0%</b>
<b>2nd device implanted</b>	<b>4.8%</b>
<b>Post implantation valvuloplasty</b>	<b>7.5%</b>
<b>Need for an emergent surgery</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
<b>Clinically-evident Coronary obstruction</b>	<b>3.0%</b>

# Post procedure Echocardiography

	<i>CoreValve</i> <i>n=213</i>
<b>AV area (cm<sup>2</sup>)</b>	<b>1.58 ± 0.41</b>
<b>AV max gradients (mmHg)</b>	<b>26.2 ± 12.1</b>
<b>AV mean gradients (mmHg)</b>	<b>14.1 ± 7.3</b>
<b>AR (≥2)</b>	<b>8.0%</b>
<b>LVEF (%)</b>	<b>51.2 ± 12.2</b>



# Aortic Valve in Valve Procedures

## 30-day clinical results

	<i>CoreValve</i> <i>n=213</i>
All cause death	7.2%
Cardiovascular death	5.8%
Major stroke	0.9%
Major vascular complication	8.5%
Major / life threatening bleeding	4.9%
Acute kidney injury (VARC $\geq$ 2)	5.0%
Permanent pacemaker implantation	12.3%

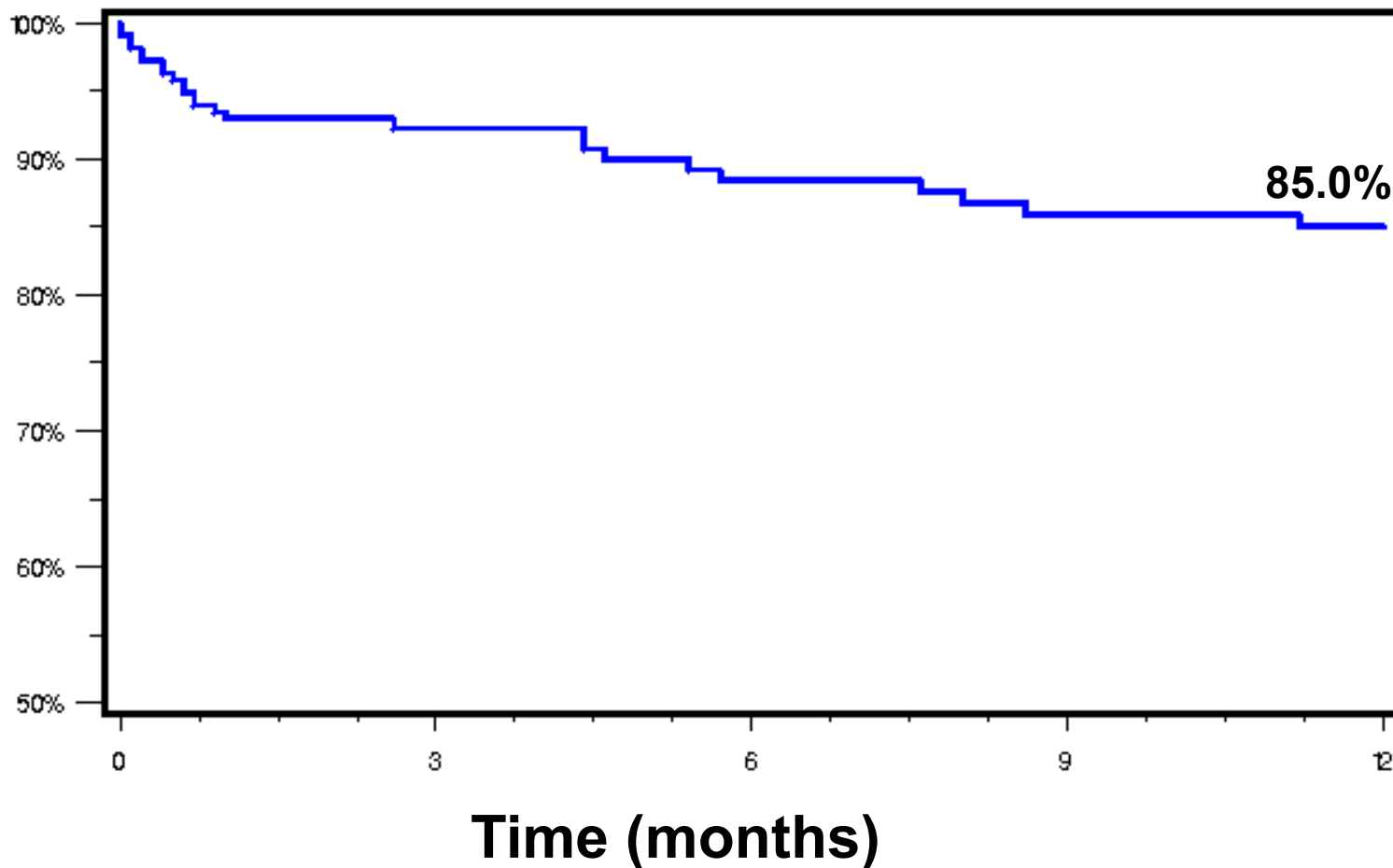
# Valve in Valve Procedures 30-day clinical results

85.5% had NYHA class I /II 30 days after Corevalve VIV procedure!

	<i>Stenosis</i> <i>n=168</i>
<b>NYHA I</b>	<b>43.7%</b>
<b>NYHA II</b>	<b>41.8%</b>
<b>NYHA III</b>	<b>6.6%</b>
<b>NYHA IV</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
<b>Death</b>	<b>7.2%</b>

# 1-year Survival Curve of patients who underwent VIV procedures Using Medtronic CoreValve

Survival



85.0%

# pt at risk

213

125

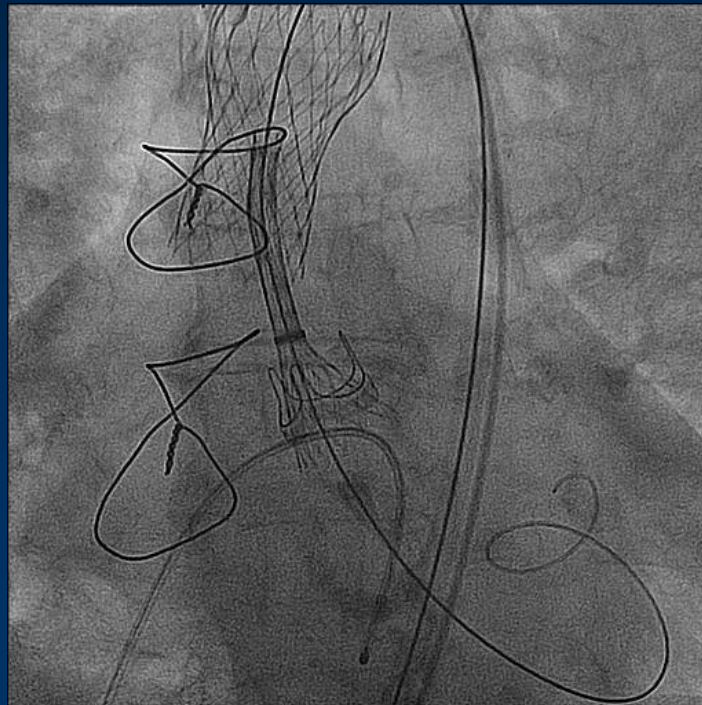
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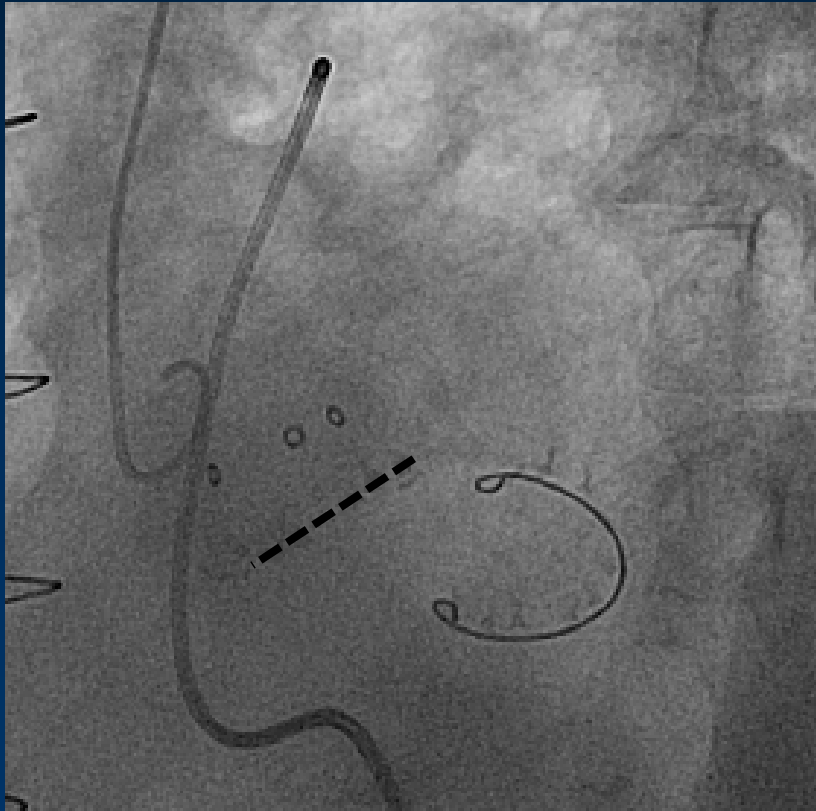
# Safety & Efficacy Concern 1: Device Malpositioning

CoreValve device retrieval: 9.0%  
2<sup>nd</sup> THV device implanted: 4.8%



# Safety & Efficacy Concern 2: Difficult positioning

Difficult positioning in s Mosaic valve:  
No fluoro markers at the sewing ring



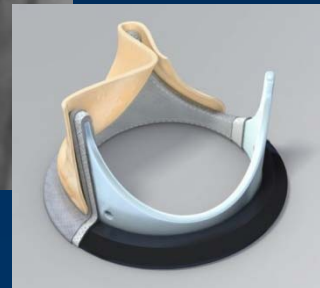
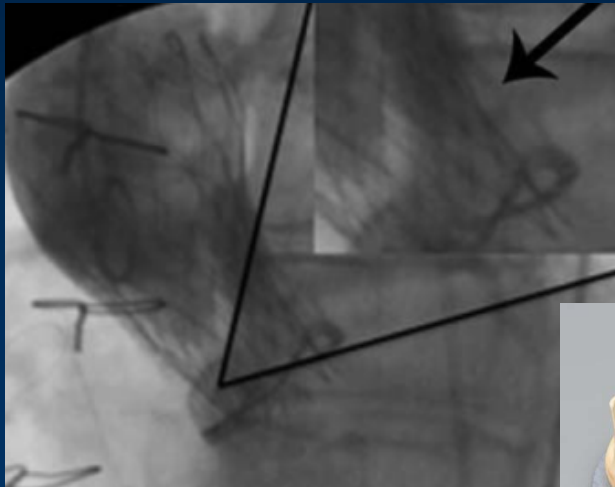
Difficult positioning in a regurgitant stentless valve:  
No fluoro markers, no calcification



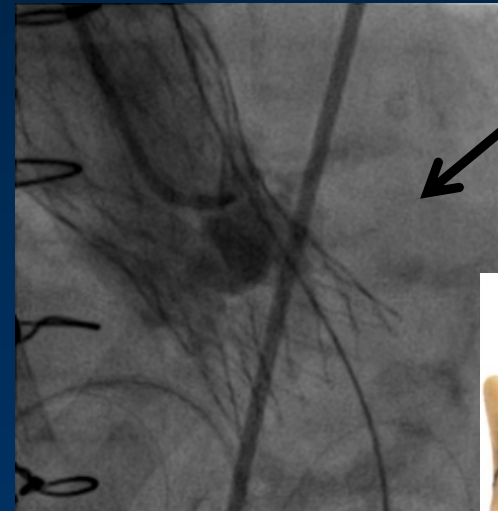
# Safety & Efficacy Concern 3: Coronary Obstruction

	<i>Stenosis</i>	<i>Regurgitation</i>	<i>P</i>
<b>Coronary Obstruction*</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.02</b>

**Immediate LM obstruction post VIV**



**Mitroflow**

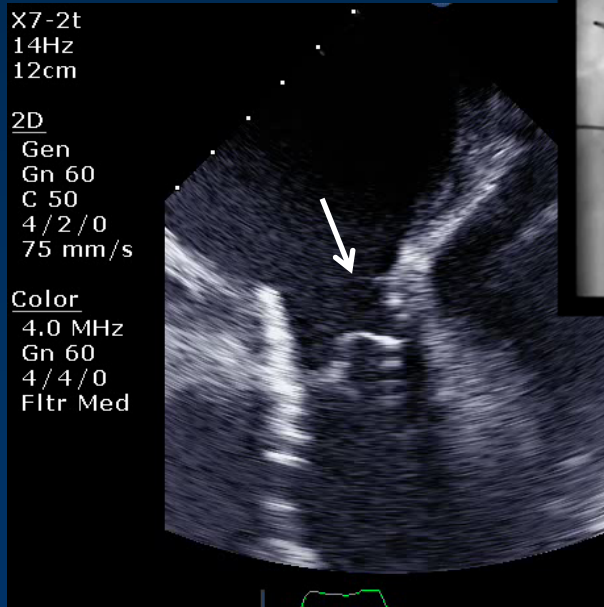
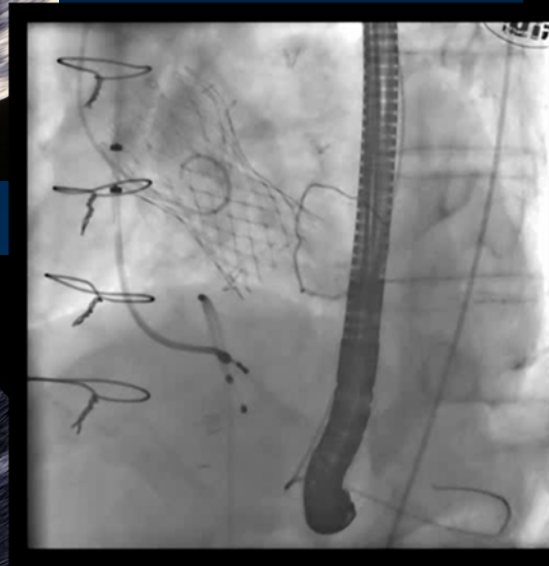
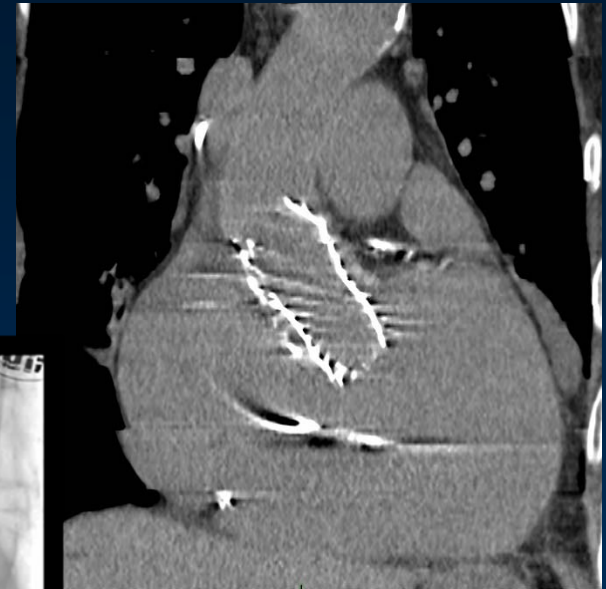
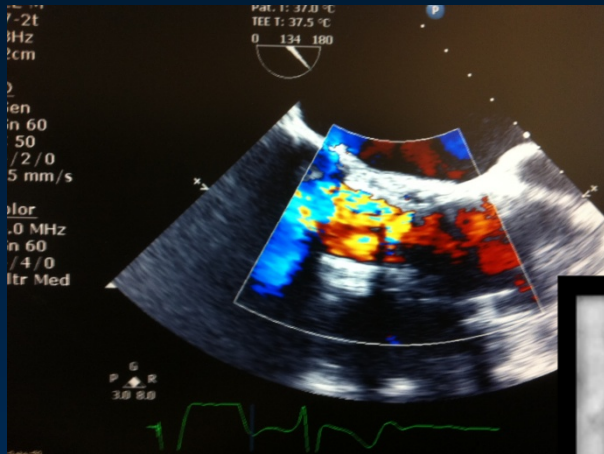


**Sorin Freedom**

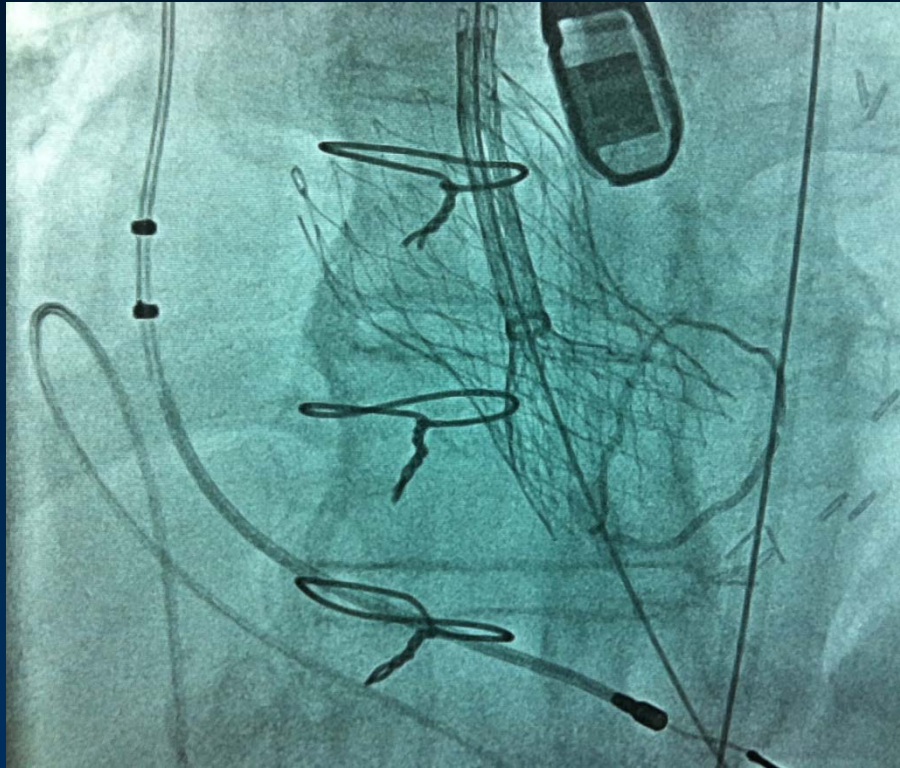
\* Overall quote in the global registry included all VIV procedures (CV & ES)

# Safety & Efficacy Concern 4: Durability?

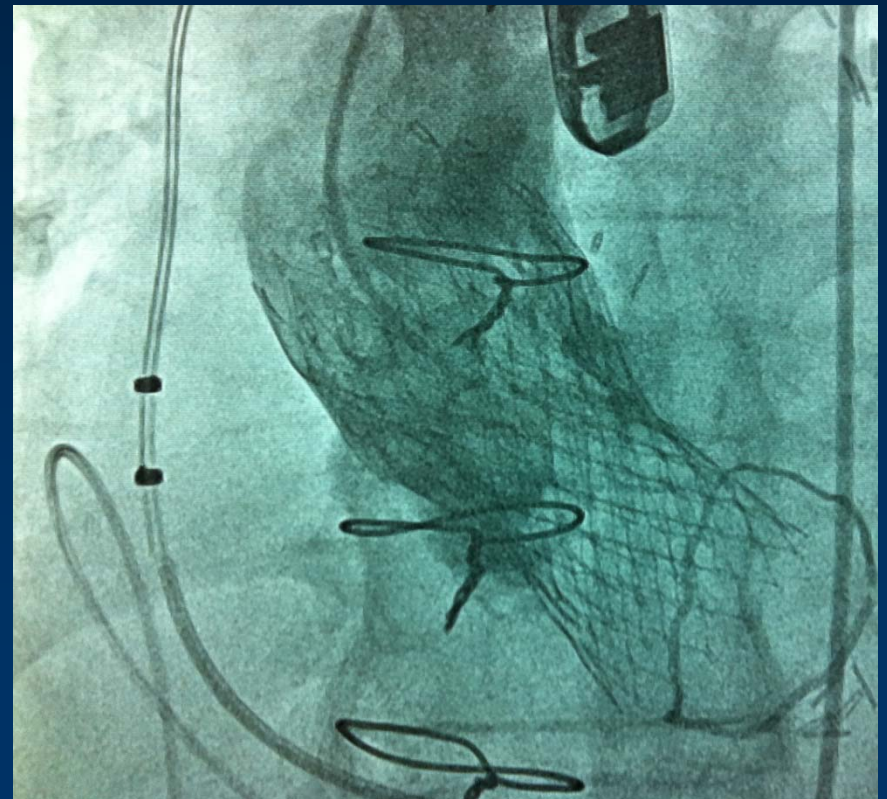
Severe AR 3 yrs following TAVI within failed stentless valve and one year after suspected endocarditis



# Re-do Valve in Valve TAVI 3 years post VIV procedure



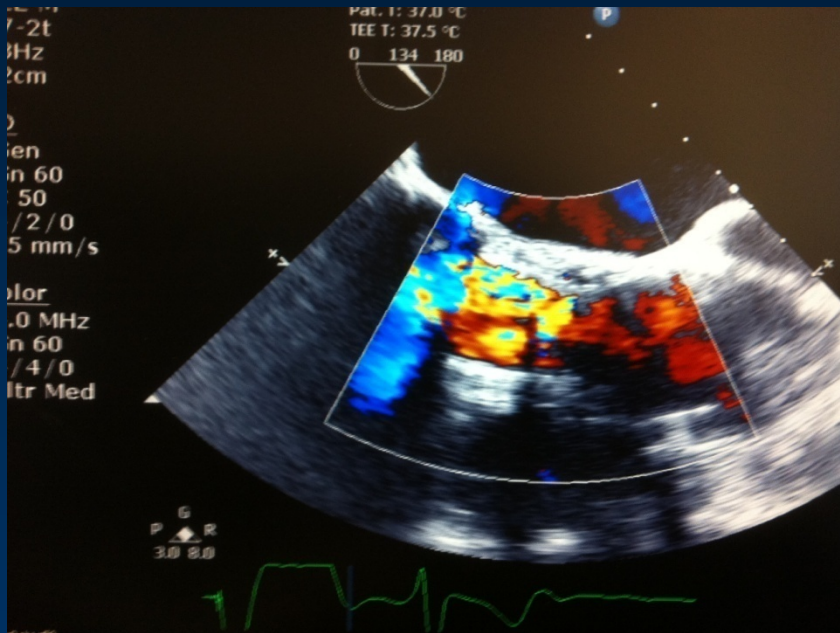
CoreValve 29 mm within previously implanted  
CoreValve 29 mm (3 yrs ago) for VIV indication  
(within 25 mm Toronto SPV)



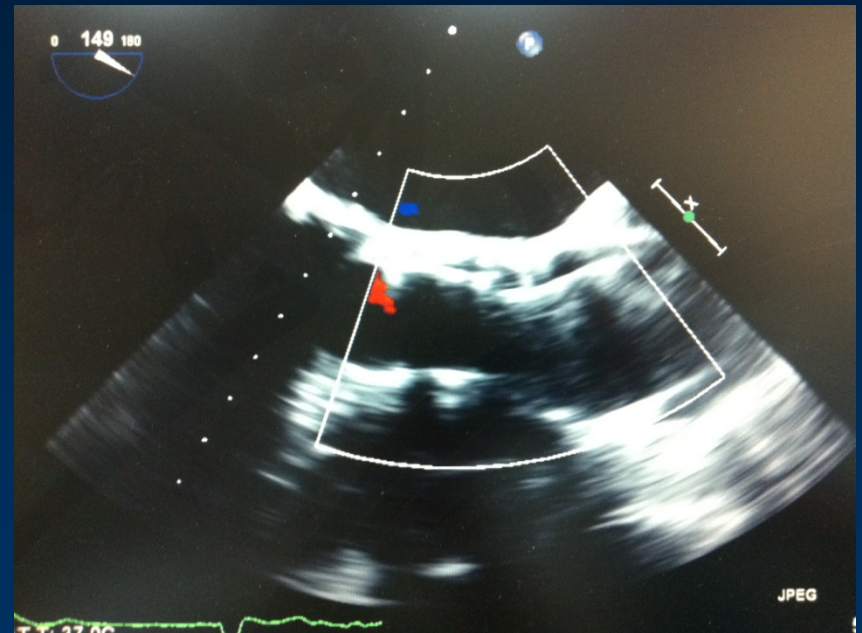


# Re-do Valve in Valve 3 years post VIV procedure

Pre VIV-IV



Post VIV-IV



# Conclusions

- The VIV procedure using the Medtronic *CoreValve* device is feasible but technically challenging.
- Clinically, the technique is extremely effective in most patients, with 1-year results comparable with other TAVR cohorts.
- Residual valve gradients are low and relatively unaffected by valve sizes, probably due to supra-annular functional positioning.
- *The CoreValve Evolut 23mm* is a very useful add for VIV that should expand the treatment options for failed aortic bioprosthetic valves

