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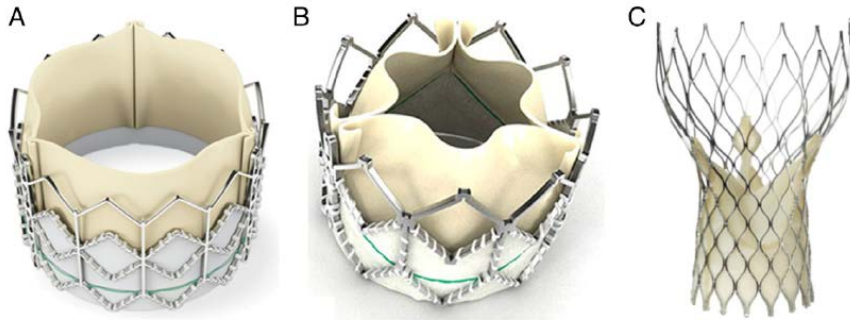


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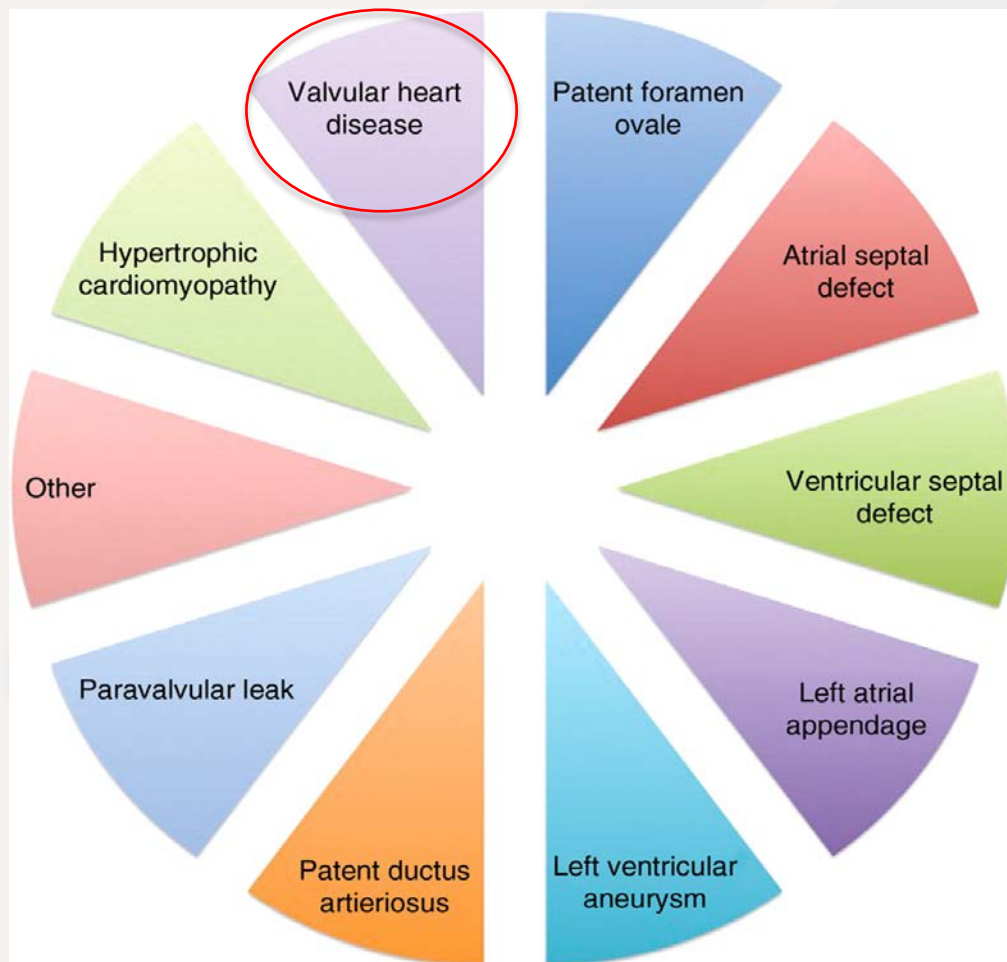


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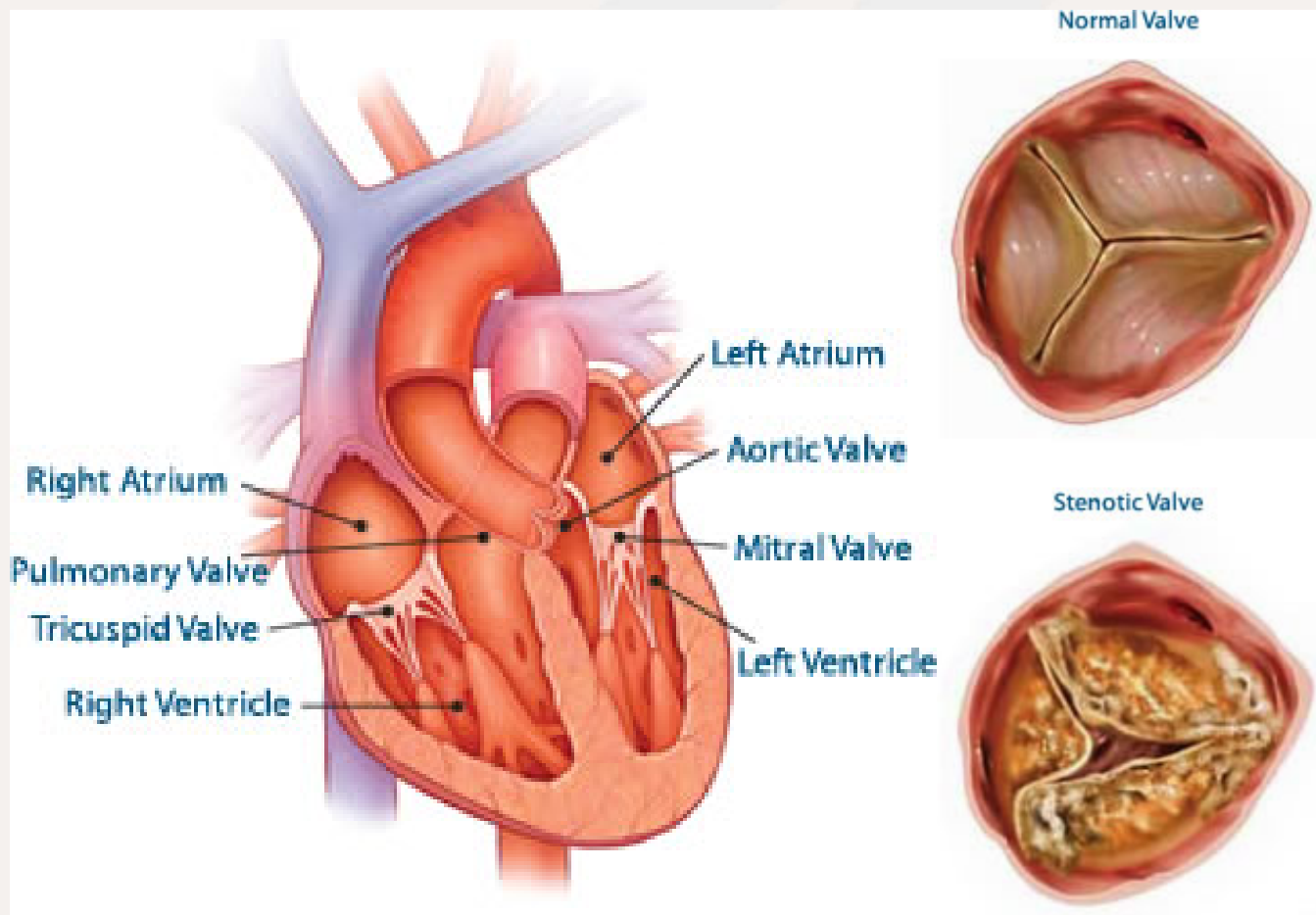


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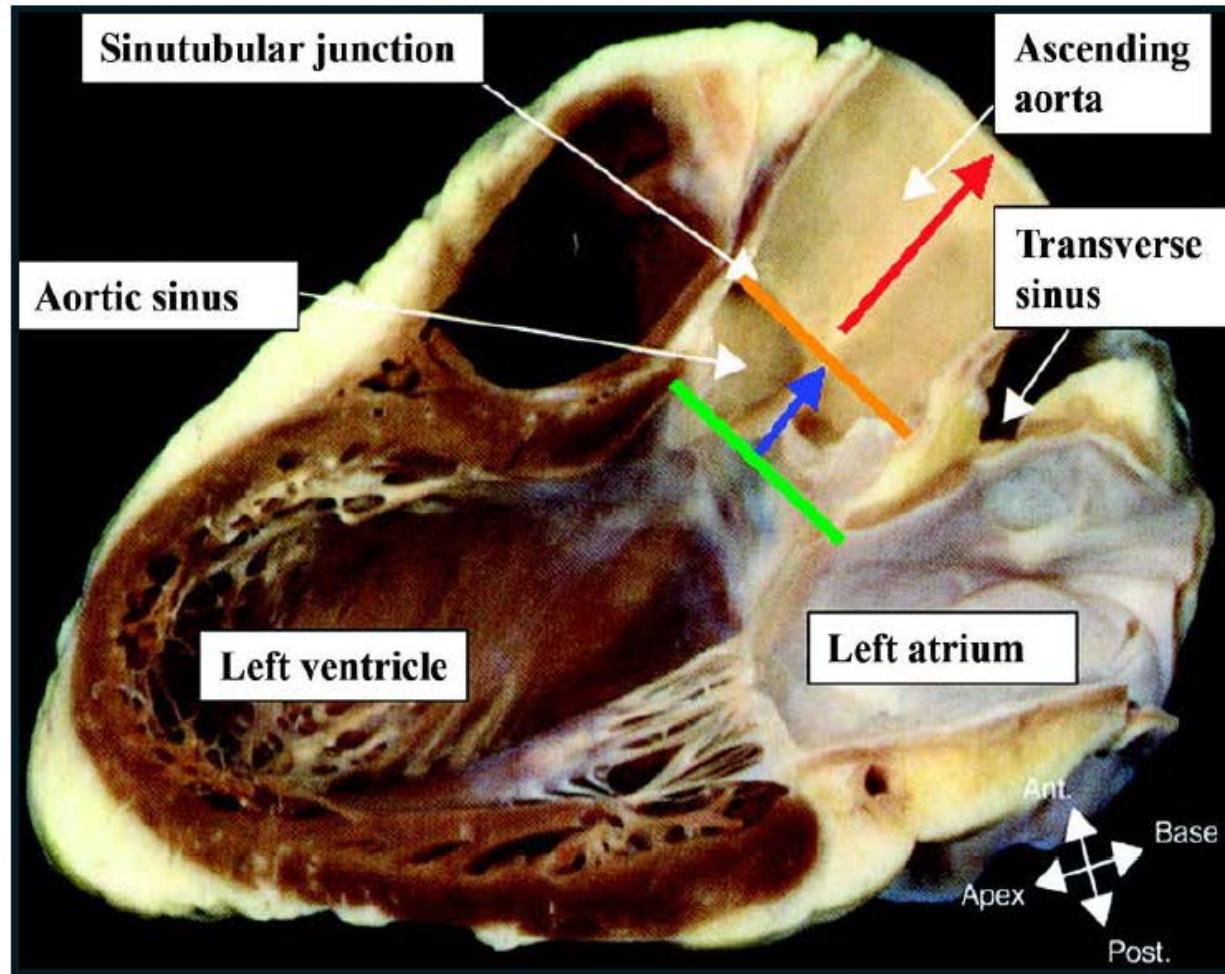


Aortic Valve Anatomy





Aortic Root Anatomic Overview



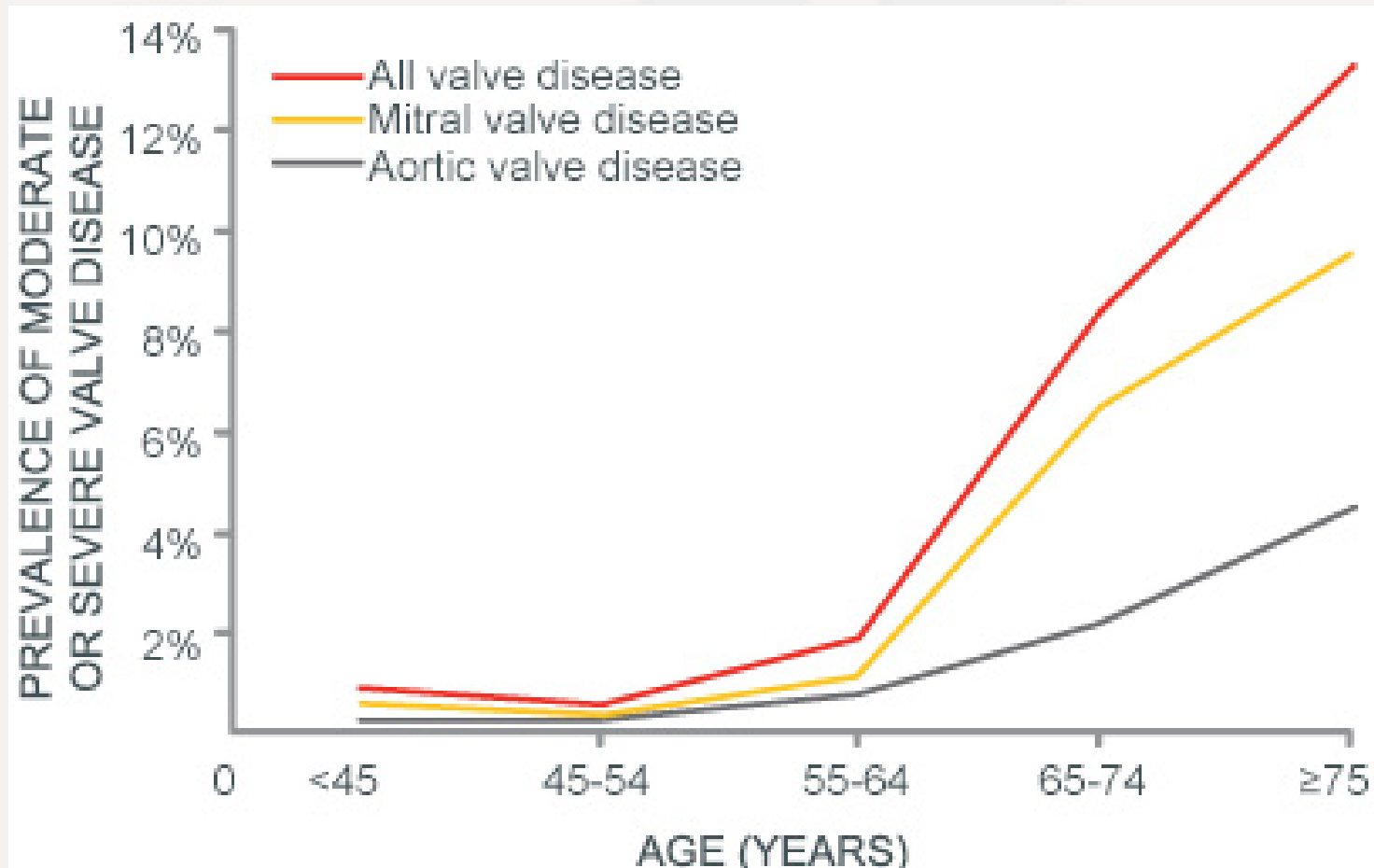


Causes of Aortic Stenosis

- Age related-Annular Calcification
- History of Rheumatic Fever
- Congenital Anomalies (Bicuspid Valve)
- History of Chest Radiation
- Autoimmune Diseases
- Congenital Hypercholesterolemia
- End-stage Renal Disease



Incidence of Aortic and Mitral Valve Disease



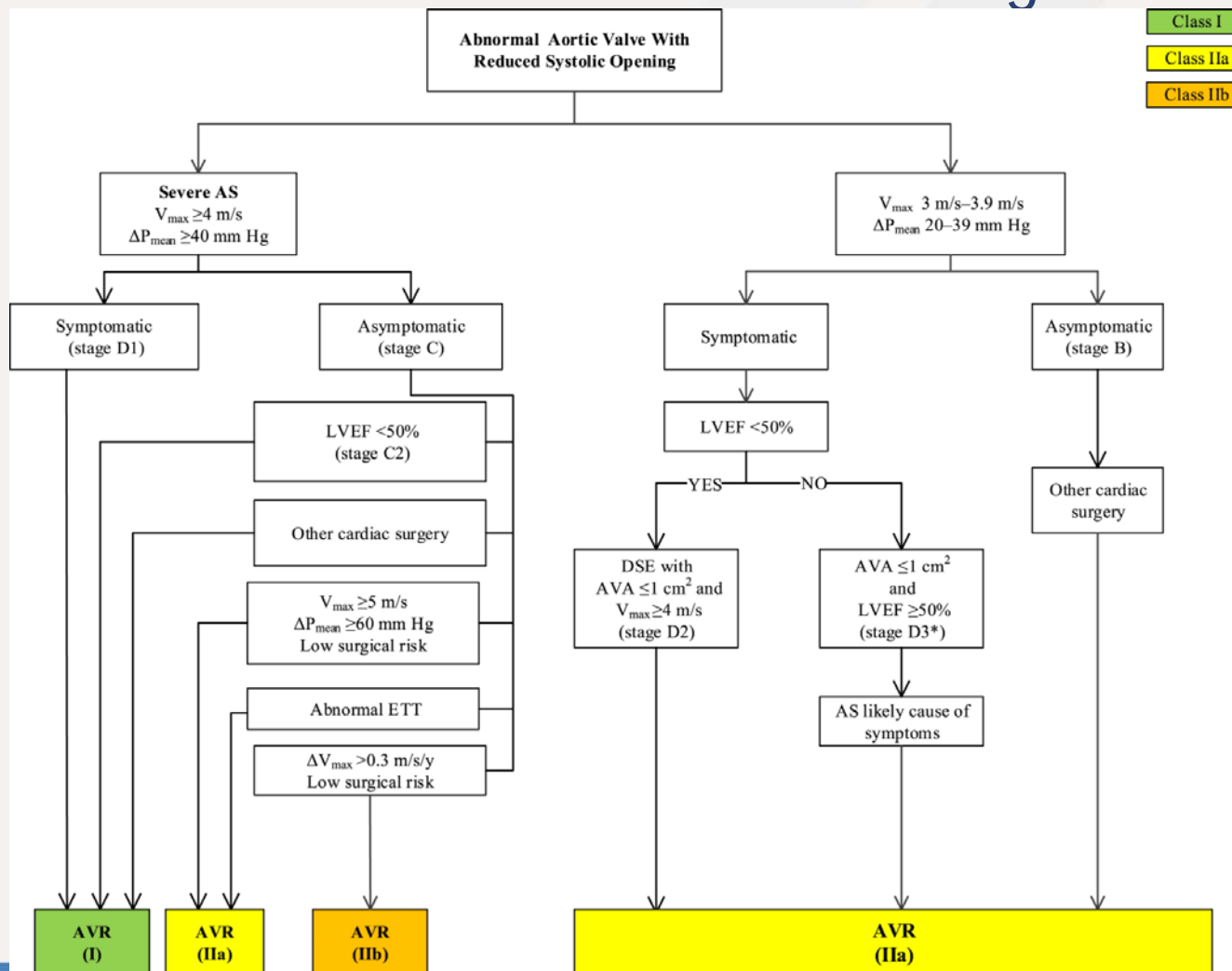


Natural History and Symptoms of Aortic Stenosis





Aortic Stenosis Treatment Algorithm





Choice of Surgical or Transcatheter Treatment of AS

Recommendations	Class	LOE
Surgical AVR in low or intermediate risk patients	I	A
TAVI or high-risk Surgery should be performed under Heart Team Guidance	I	C
TAVI for extremely high-risk patients + post TAVI predicted survival > 12 months	I	B
TAVI alternative to SAVR for high-risk patients	IIa	B
BAV as a bridge to TAVI or SAVR	IIb	C
TAVI not recommended in patients with comorbidities which preclude benefit	III	B



PARTNER 1B-Extremely High Risk Pts

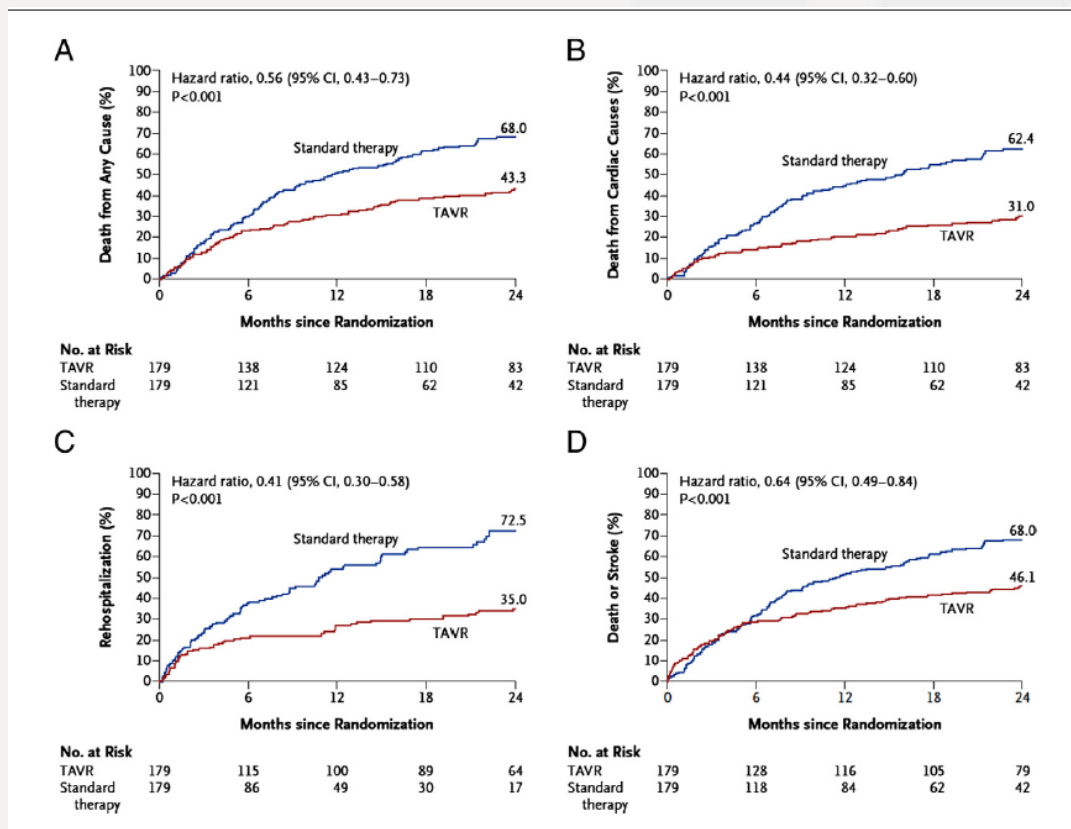


Figure 6 The PARTNER 1B Trial Compared Transarterial TAVR to Medical Management in Extremely High-Risk (Inoperable) Patients

Time to event analyses of death (A), death due to cardiac causes (B), rehospitalization (C), and the combined endpoint of death or stroke (D). Redrawn from Leon MR, Smith CR, Mack M, et al. Transcatheter aortic-valve implantation for aortic stenosis in patients who cannot undergo surgery. *N Engl J Med* 2010;363:1597–607, with information from Makkar RR, Fontana GP, Jilaihawi H, et al. Transcatheter aortic-valve replacement for inoperable severe aortic stenosis. *N Engl J Med* 2012;366:1696–704, with permission from the Massachusetts Medical Society. PARTNER = Placement of AoRTic TraNscatheterER Valve; TAVR = transcatheter aortic valve replacement.



US CoreValve Trial

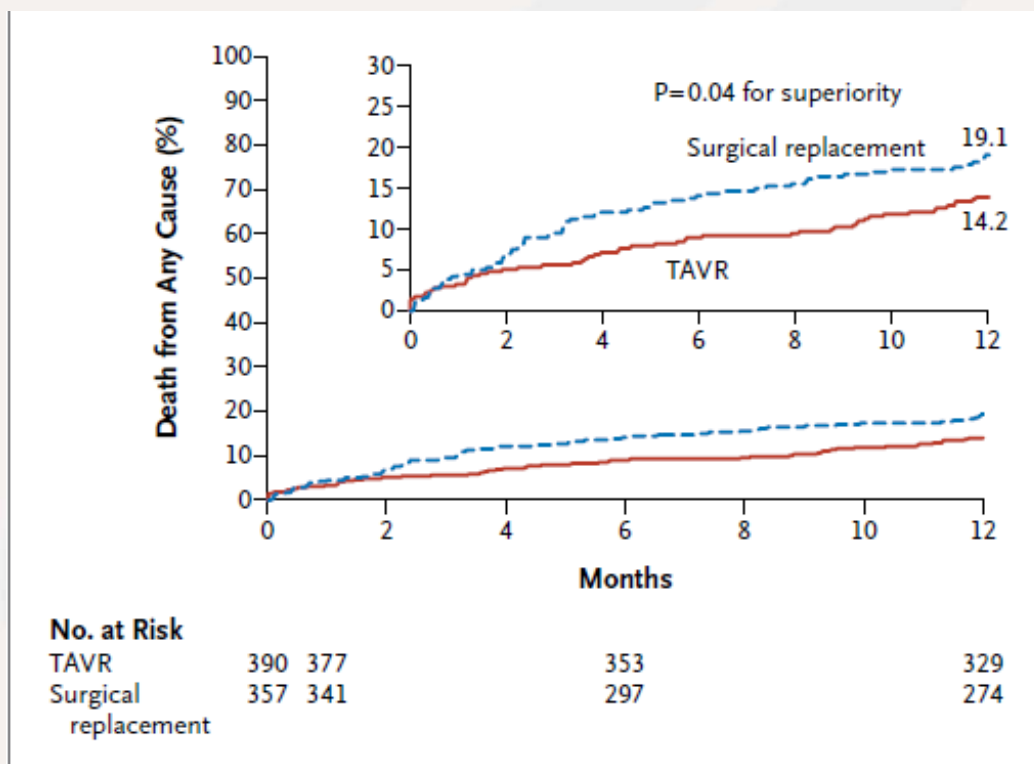


Figure 2. Kaplan–Meier Cumulative Frequency of Death from Any Cause.

The rate of death from any cause in the TAVR group was noninferior to that in the surgical group ($P < 0.001$). A subsequent test for superiority at 1 year showed that TAVR was superior to surgical replacement ($P = 0.04$). The inset shows the same data on an enlarged y axis.



TAVI Candidates

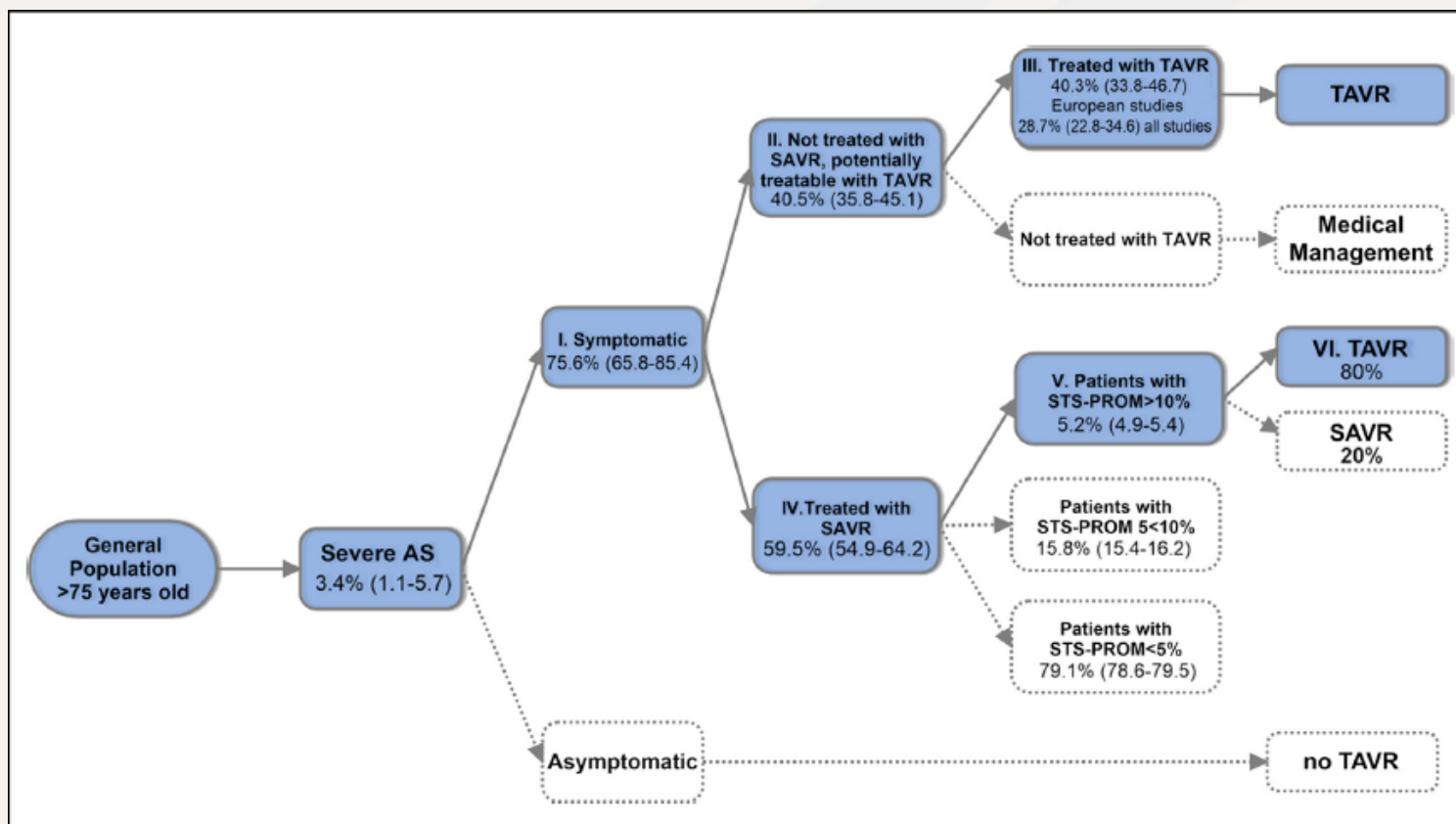
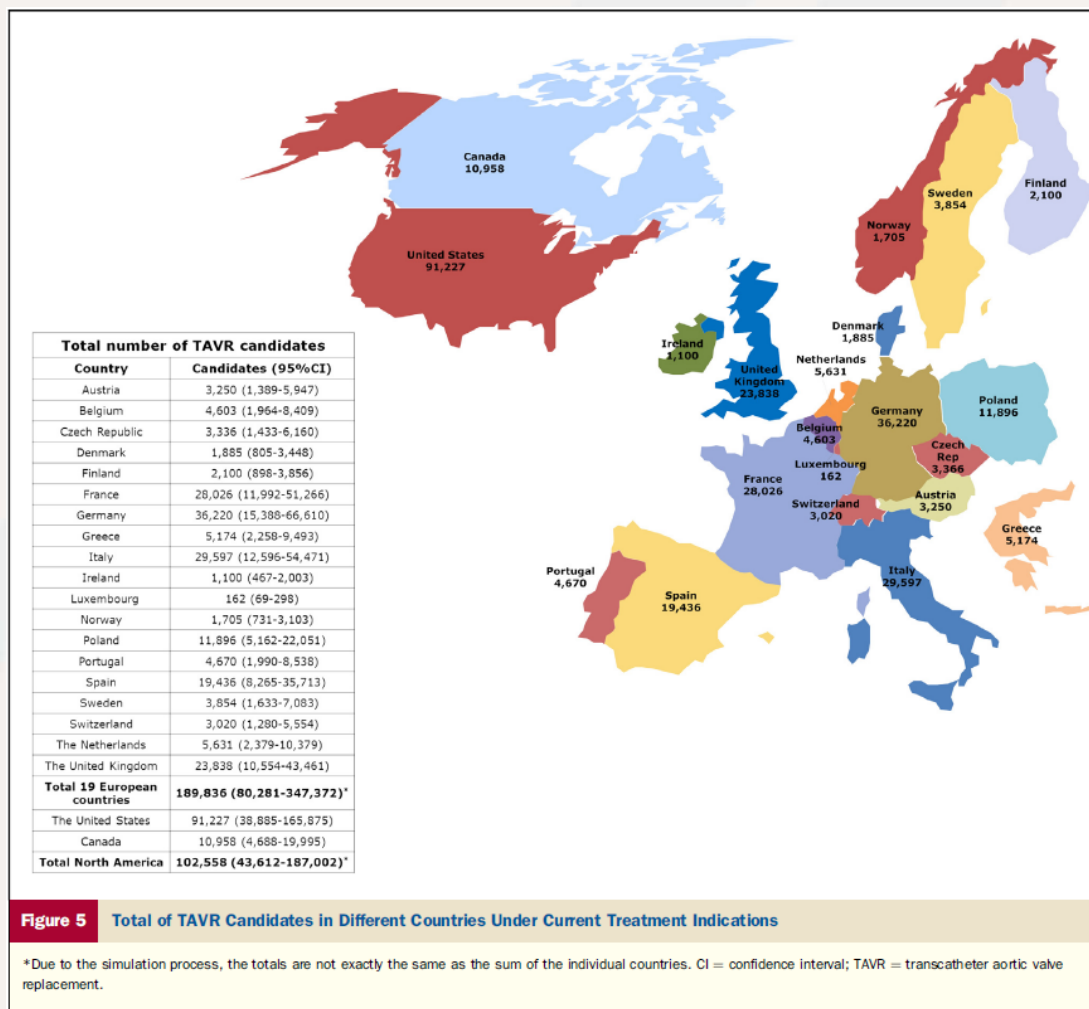


Figure 3 Model for the Estimation of TAVR Candidates Among the Elderly

AS = aortic stenosis; SAVR = surgical aortic valve replacement; STS-PROM = The Society of Thoracic Surgery Predicted Risk of Mortality; TAVR = transcatheter aortic valve replacement.



Worldwide TAVI Candidates





Worldwide TAVI Incidence Candidates

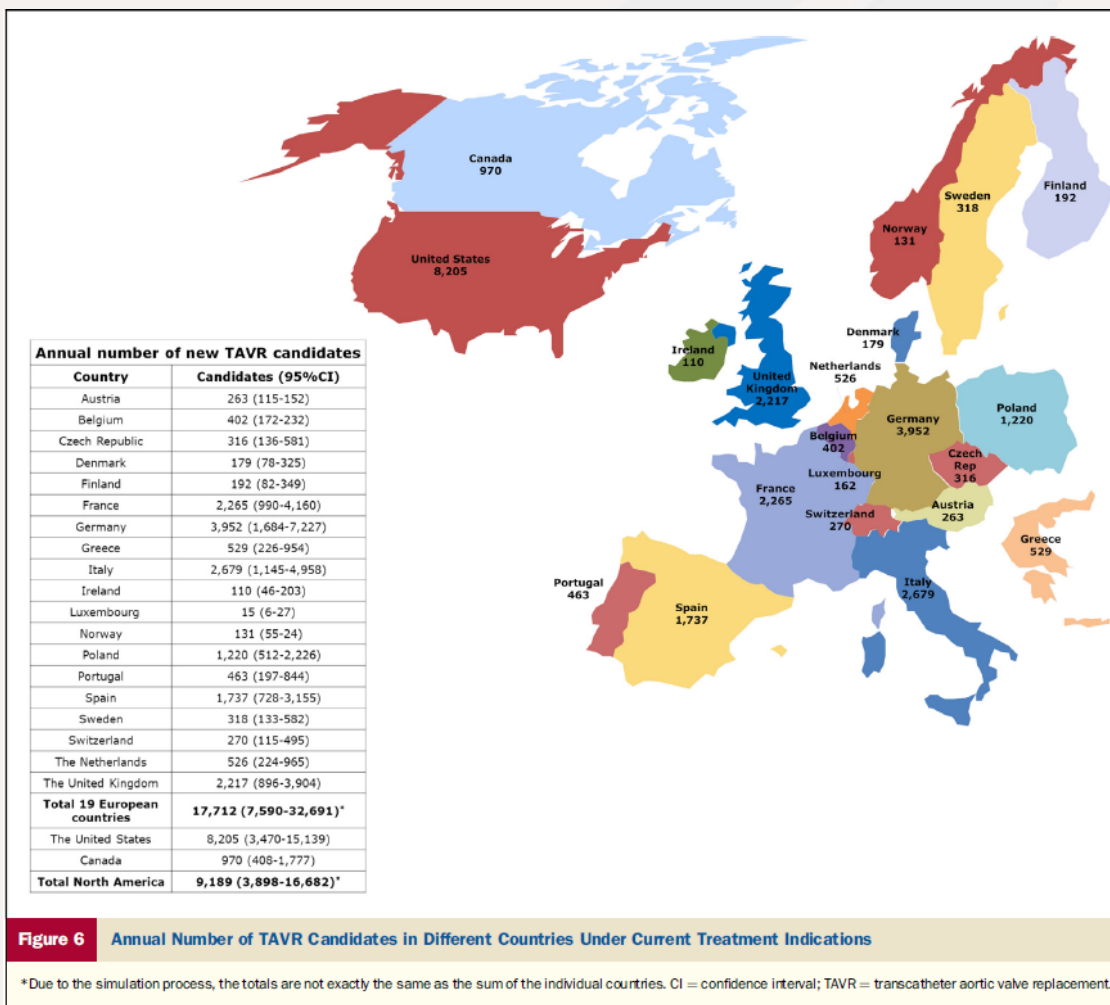


Figure 6 Annual Number of TAVR Candidates in Different Countries Under Current Treatment Indications

* Due to the simulation process, the totals are not exactly the same as the sum of the individual countries. CI = confidence interval; TAVR = transcatheter aortic valve replacement.



Edwards-Sapien XT Valve

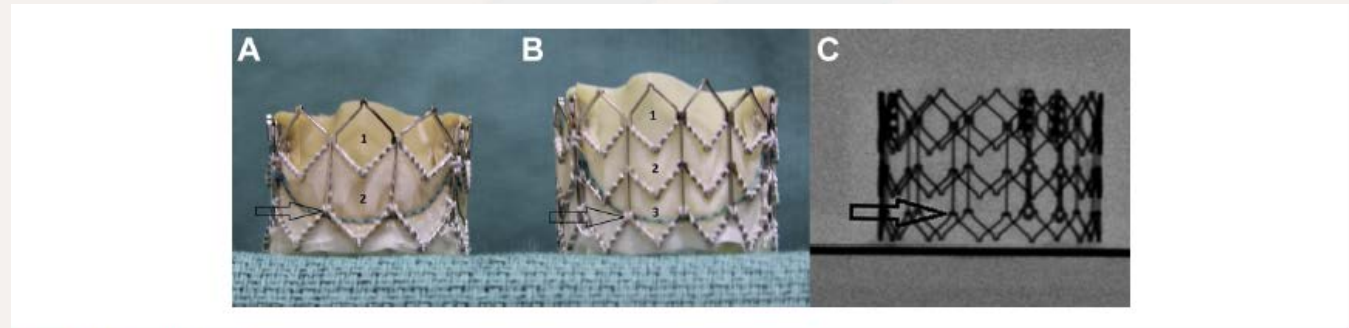


Figure 2. Sapien XT Valve Features

(A) Size 26 Sapien XT made of 2 rows of metal cells (1 and 2). **(B)** Size 29 Sapien XT made of 3 rows of metal cells (1, 2, and 3). **(C)** Sapien XT size 29 under fluoroscopy. **Arrows** point to the level of the nadir of the leaflets. Row 1 is not covered by the fabric across all sizes.



Figure 1. Profile of the Edwards SAPIEN Transcatheter Heart Valve

The Edwards SAPIEN transcatheter aortic prosthesis is mounted on a balloon-expandable stainless steel stent that is placed in the subcoronary position. The trileaflet bovine pericardial prosthesis is attached to the stent and treated with an anticalcification treatment. The stent has a polyethylene terephthalate fabric skirt that decreases perivalvular leaks.



CoreValve

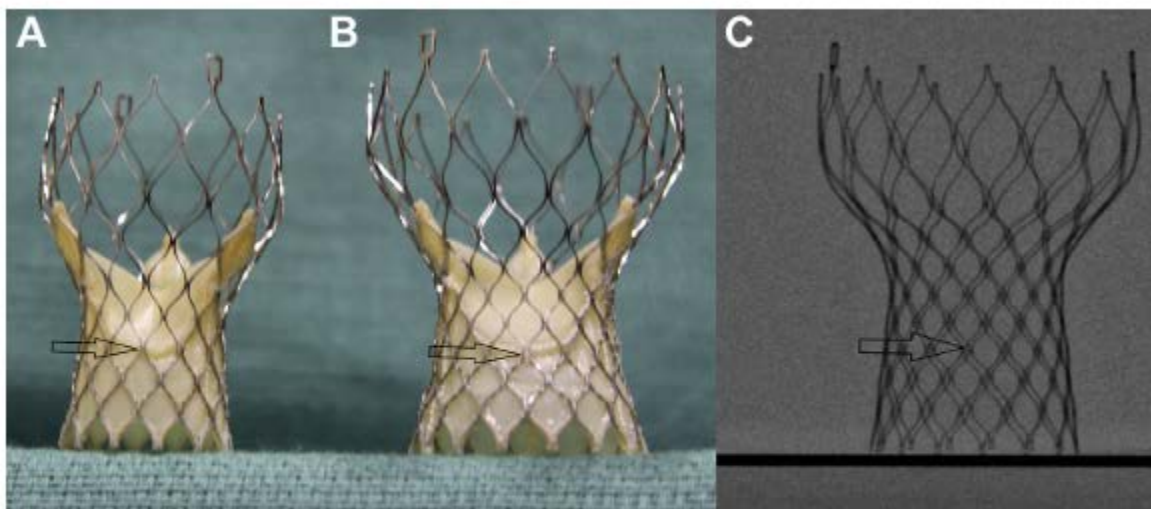


Figure 3. Evolute and CoreValve Features

(A) Evolute size 23; **(B)** CoreValve size 29; and **(C)** CoreValve size 29 under fluoroscopy. The **arrows** point to the third node, which corresponds to the nadir of the pericardial leaflets.



Emerging Valves

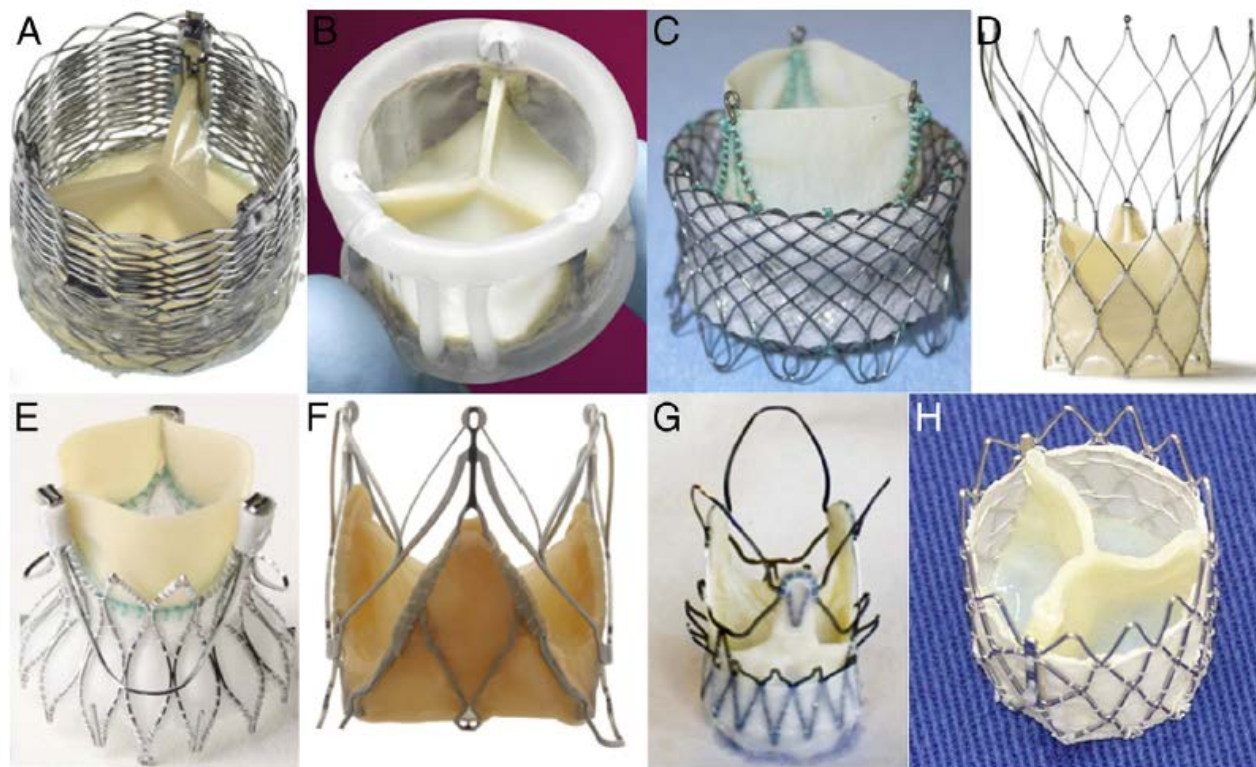
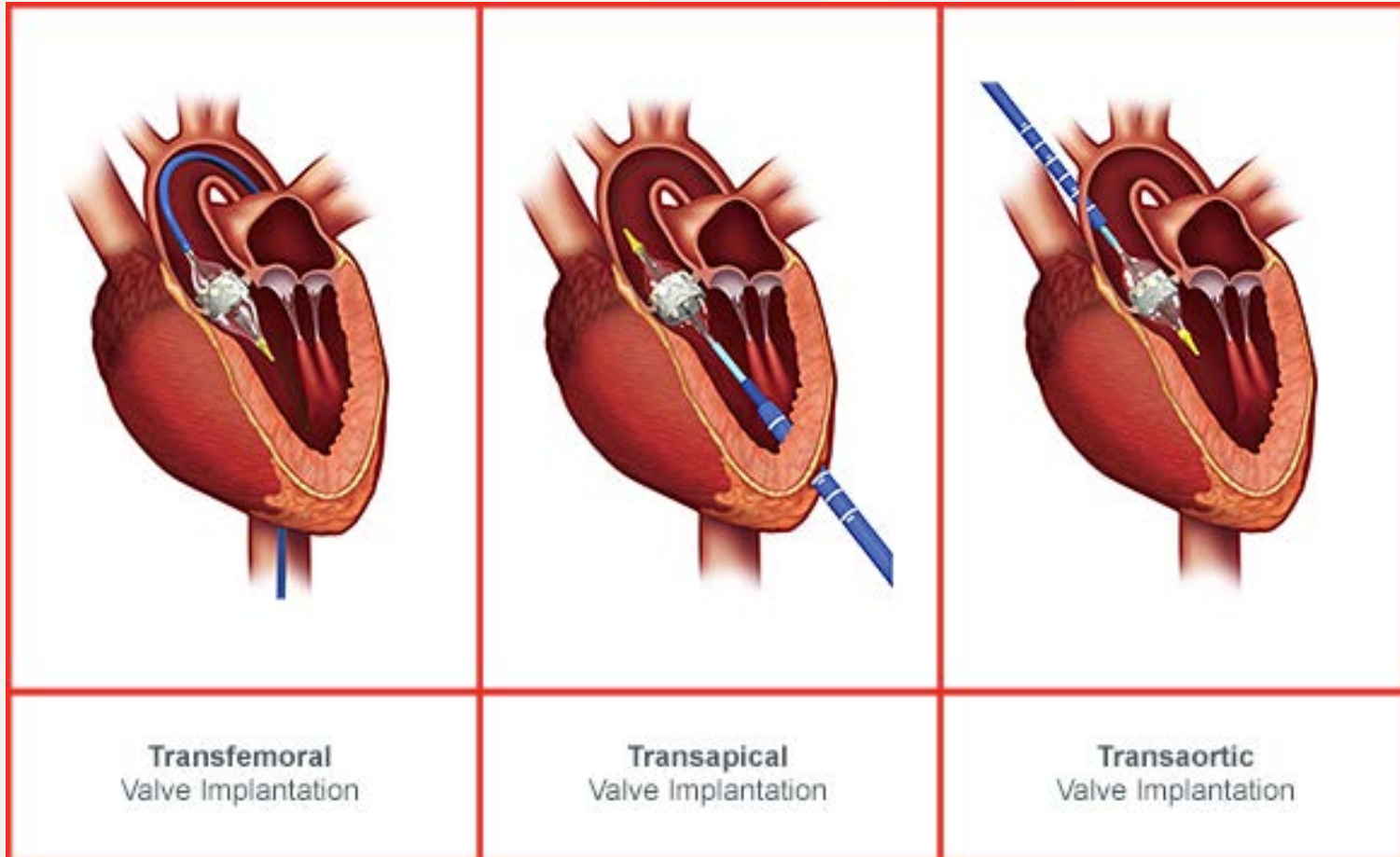


Figure 4 Valves Undergoing Early Evaluation

(A) Lotus (Boston Scientific Inc., Natick, Massachusetts), (B) Direct Flow (Direct Flow Medical Inc., Santa Rosa, California), (C) HLT (Bracco Inc., Princeton, New Jersey), (D) Portico (St. Jude Medical Inc., St. Paul, Minnesota), (E) Engager (Medtronic Inc., Minneapolis Minnesota), (F) JenaClip (JenaValve Inc., Munich, Germany), (G) Acurate valve (Symetis Inc., Ecublens, Switzerland), and (H) Inovare (Braile Biomedica Inc., São José do Rio Preto, Brazil) valves.



TAVI Route





Preclose technique

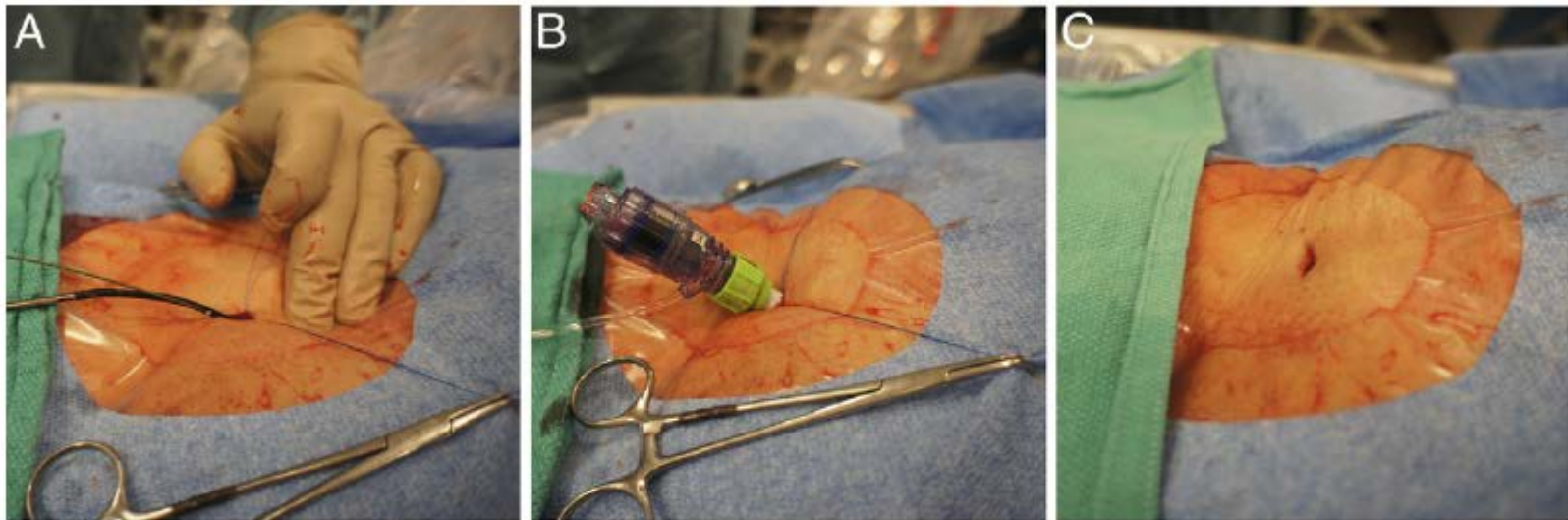


Figure 5 Percutaneous Access and Closure

(A) The femoral artery is punctured and a guidewire placed within the artery. Percutaneous sutures are placed using a "pre-closure" device. **(B)** The large vascular access sheath is inserted. **(C)** Following sheath removal the sutures are tightened.



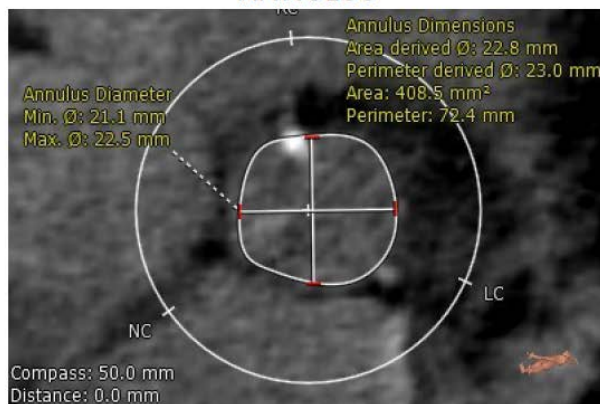
TAVI Screening

- Euroscore > 20%
- STS Score > 10%
- Echocardiogram
- Coronary Angiography
- **CT Angiography (Aorta & Peripherals)**

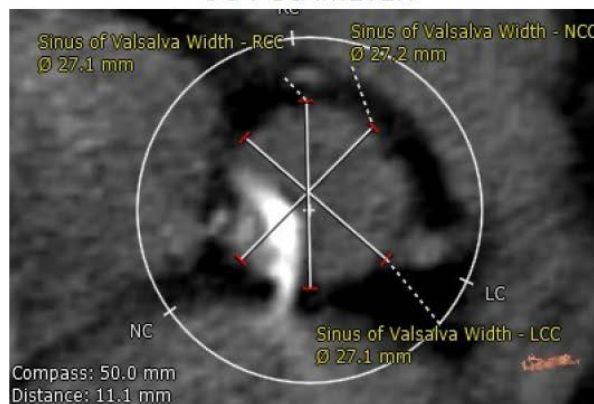


CT Angiography (LVOT-Annulus-SOV-Aorta)

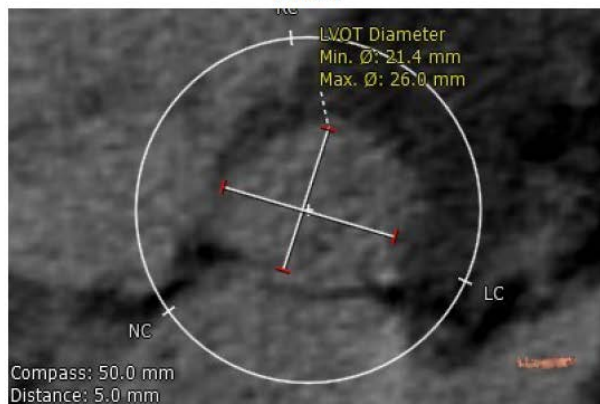
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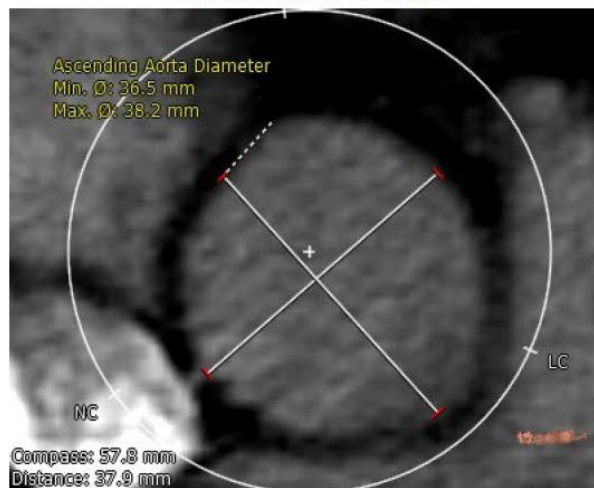
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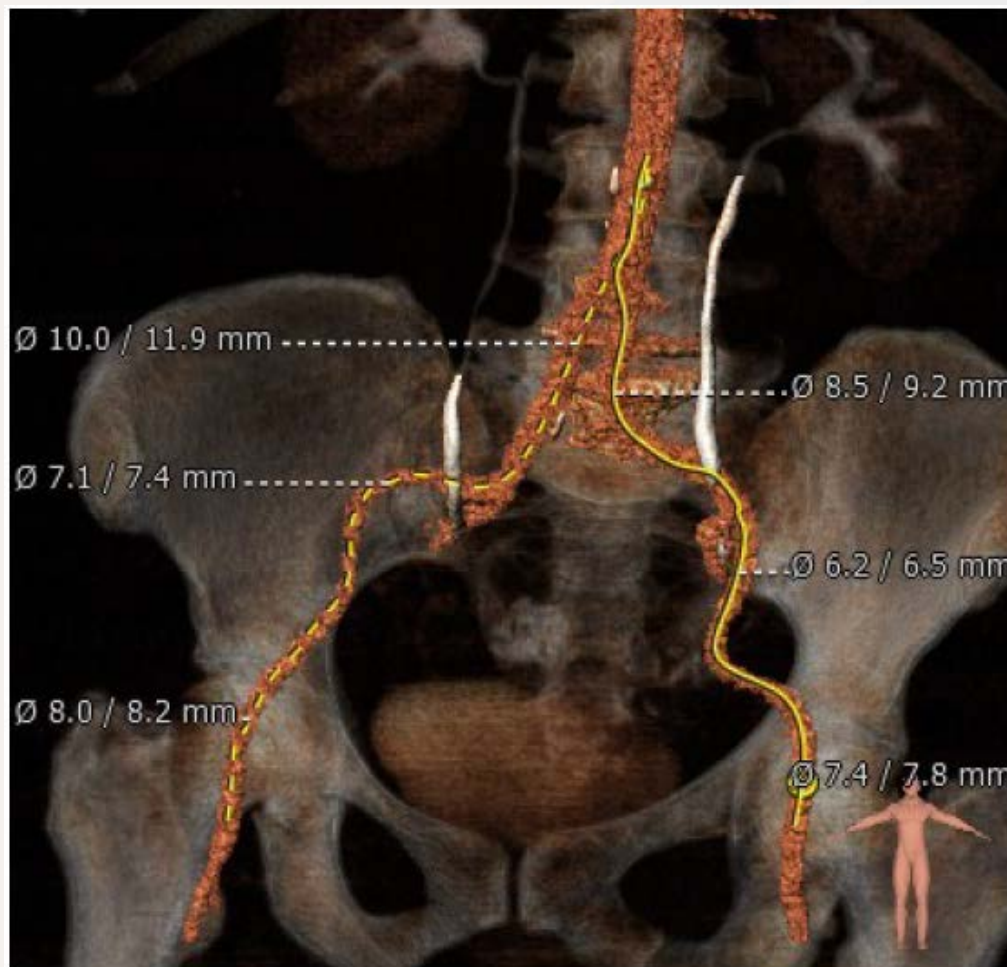


ASCENDING AORTA





CT Angiography (Peripherals)





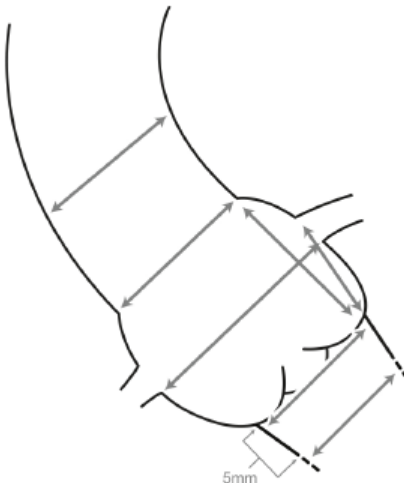
Screening Report

Max Ascending Aorta Diameter (mm)	38.2	
Sinotubular Junction Diameter (mm)	29.6	30.0
	Min	Max

ANNULUS

Diameter (mm)	21.1	22.5	21.8 mm
	Min	Max	Mean
Perimeter (mm)	72.4		23.0
			Derived Diameter

Area: 408.5 mm², 22.8 mm
Derived Diameter



Sinus of Valsalva Diameter (mm)	27.1	27.1	27.2
	LCC	RCC	NCC
	Sinus of Valsalva Height (mm)		
	17.7	20.0	19.3
	LCC	RCC	NCC
Coronary Ostia Height (mm)	10.4	13.2	
	Left	Right	
LVOT Diameter (mm)	21.4	26.0	
	Min	Max	

RIGHT

CIA Min Diameter (mm)	10.0	11.9
EIA Min Diameter (mm)	7.1	7.4
Femoral Min Diameter (mm)	8.0	8.2

LEFT

CIA Min Diameter (mm)	8.5	9.2
EIA Min Diameter (mm)	6.2	6.5
Femoral Min Diameter (mm)	7.4	7.8

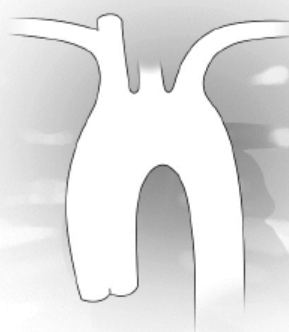
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Subclavian Min Diameter (mm)		
Annular Angulation		

LEFT

Subclavian Min Diameter (mm)		
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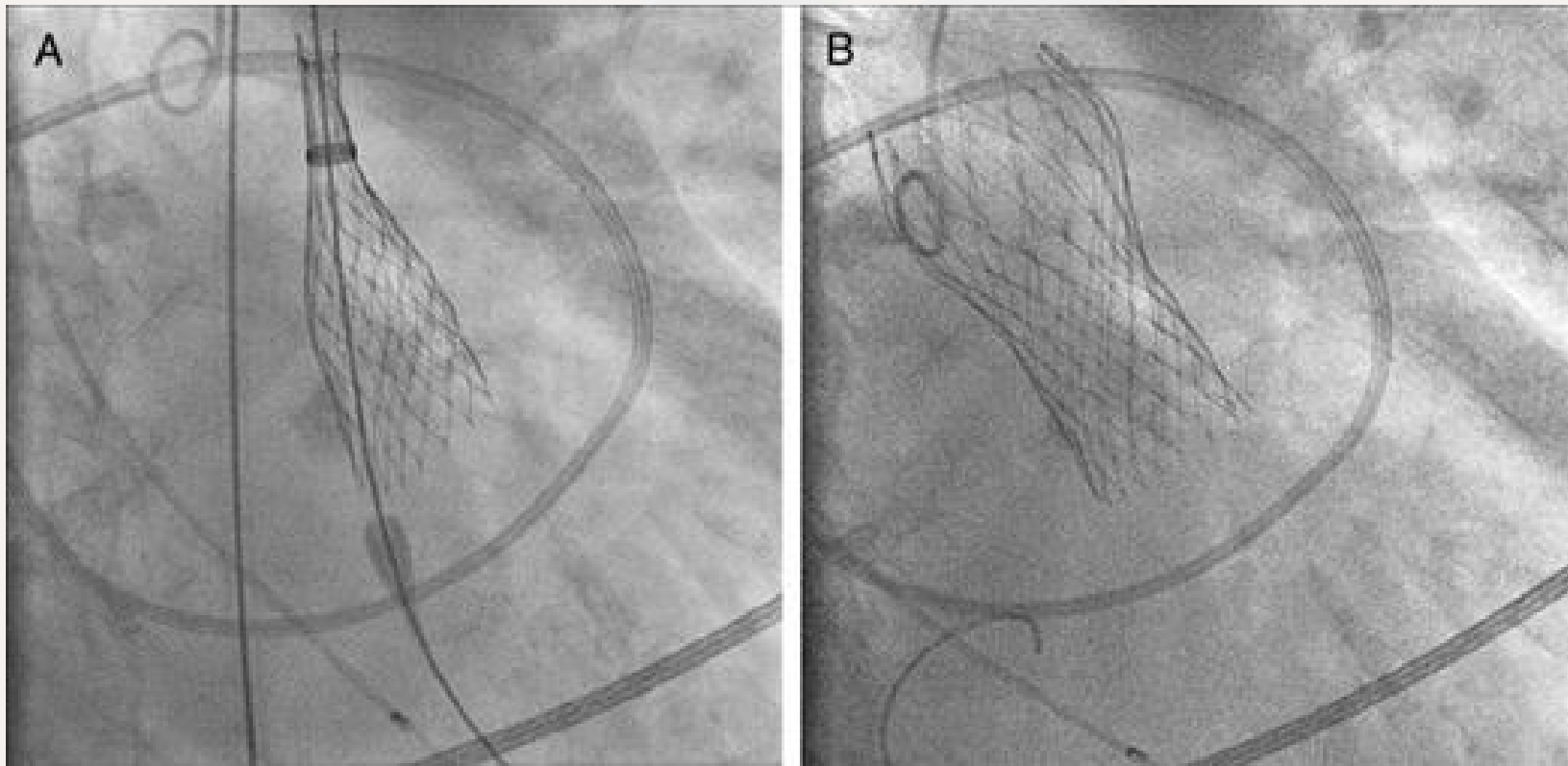
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Calcium: Mild Moderate Severe

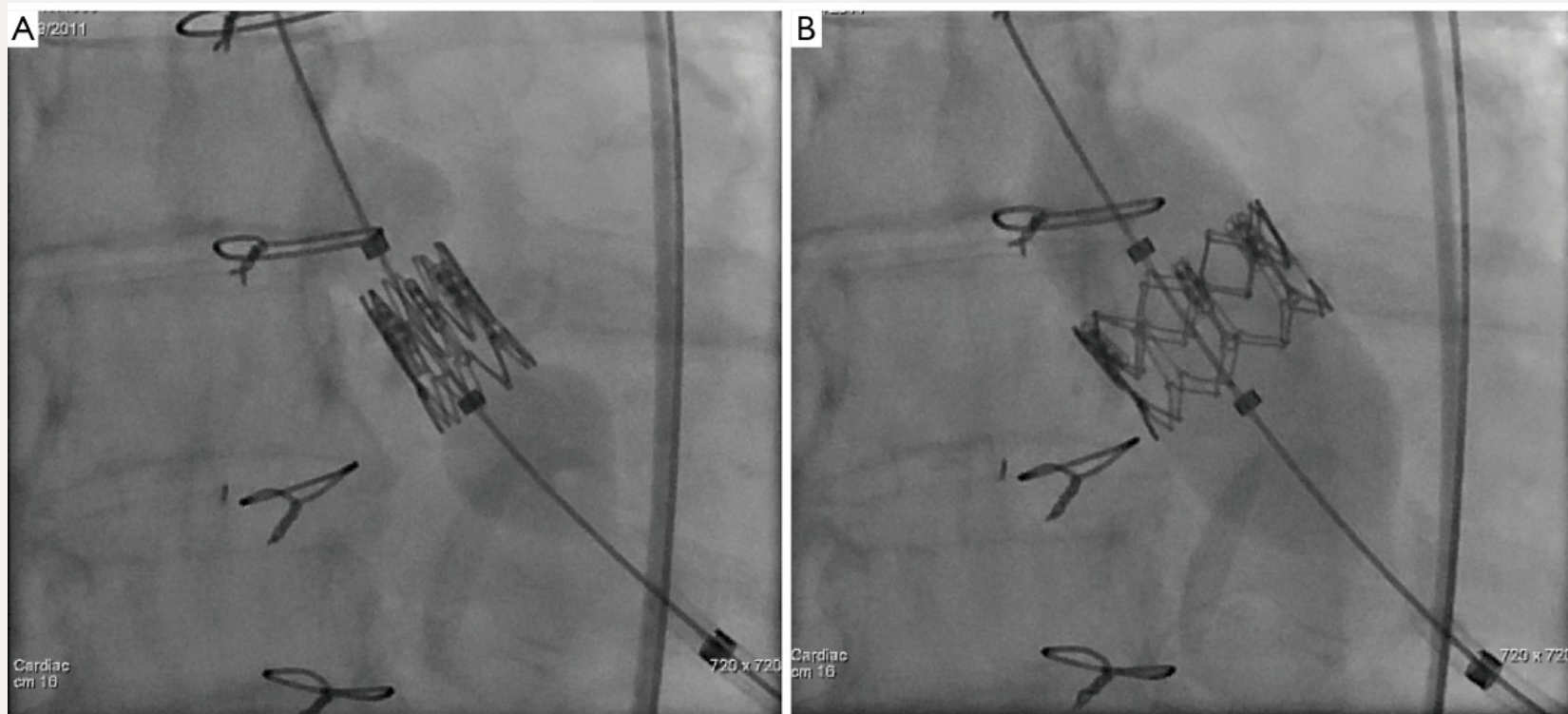


Fluoroscopic Image of Valve Release (CoreValve)



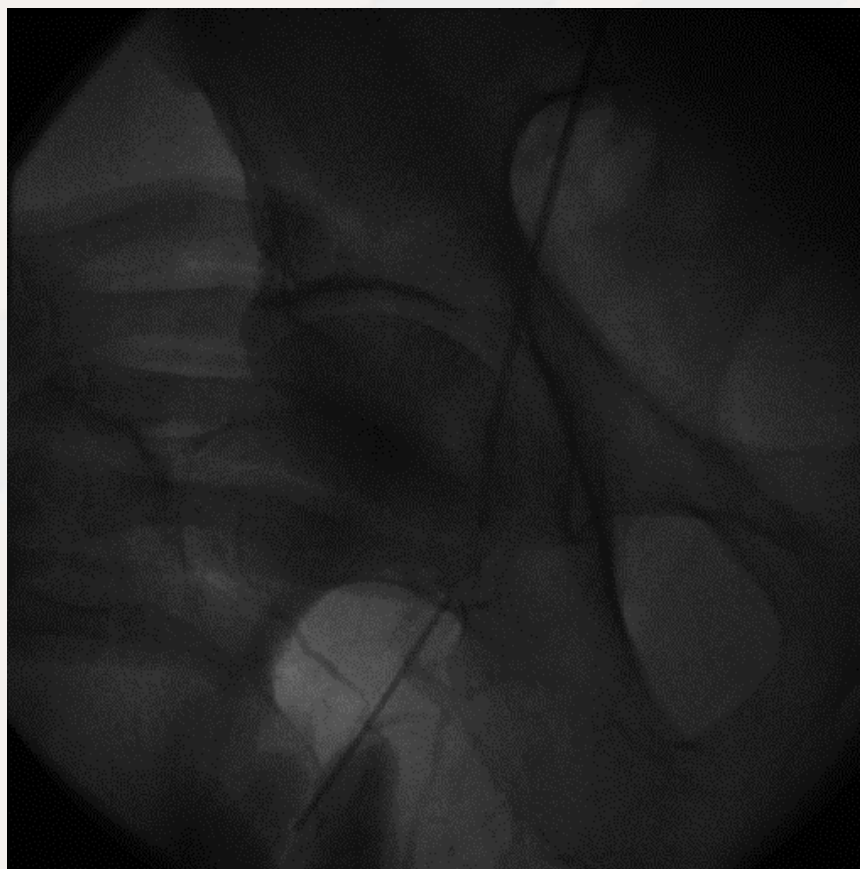


Fluoroscopic Image of Valve Release (Edwards-Sapien)



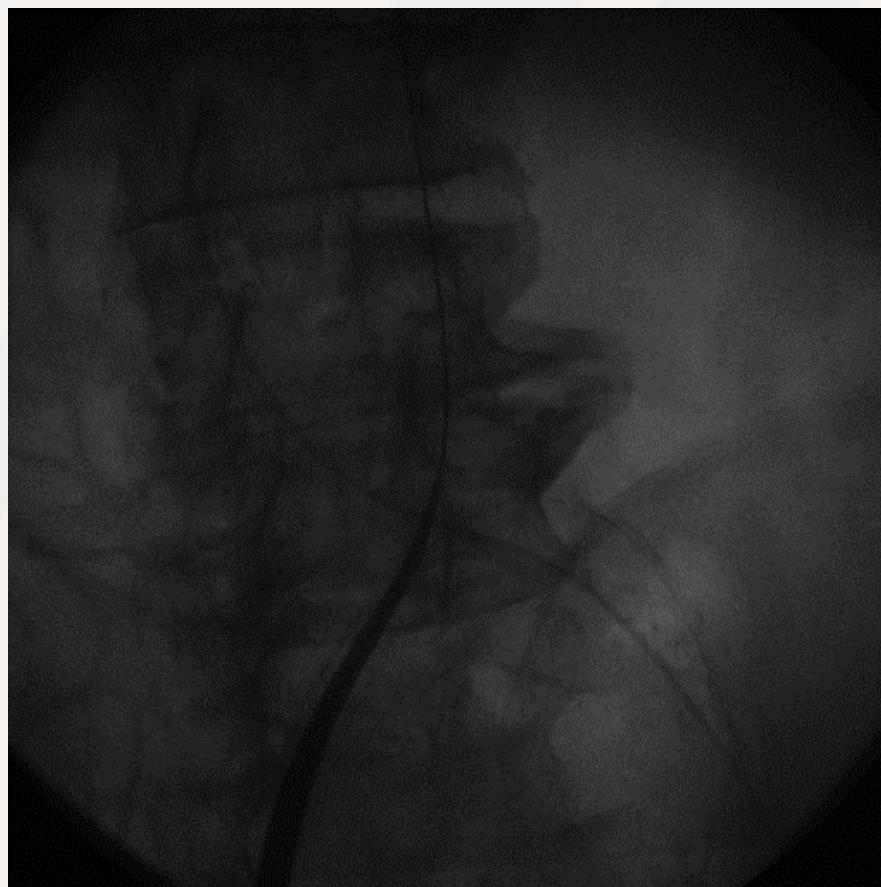


Femoral Arterial Puncture





Sheath Insertion (14-22 F)





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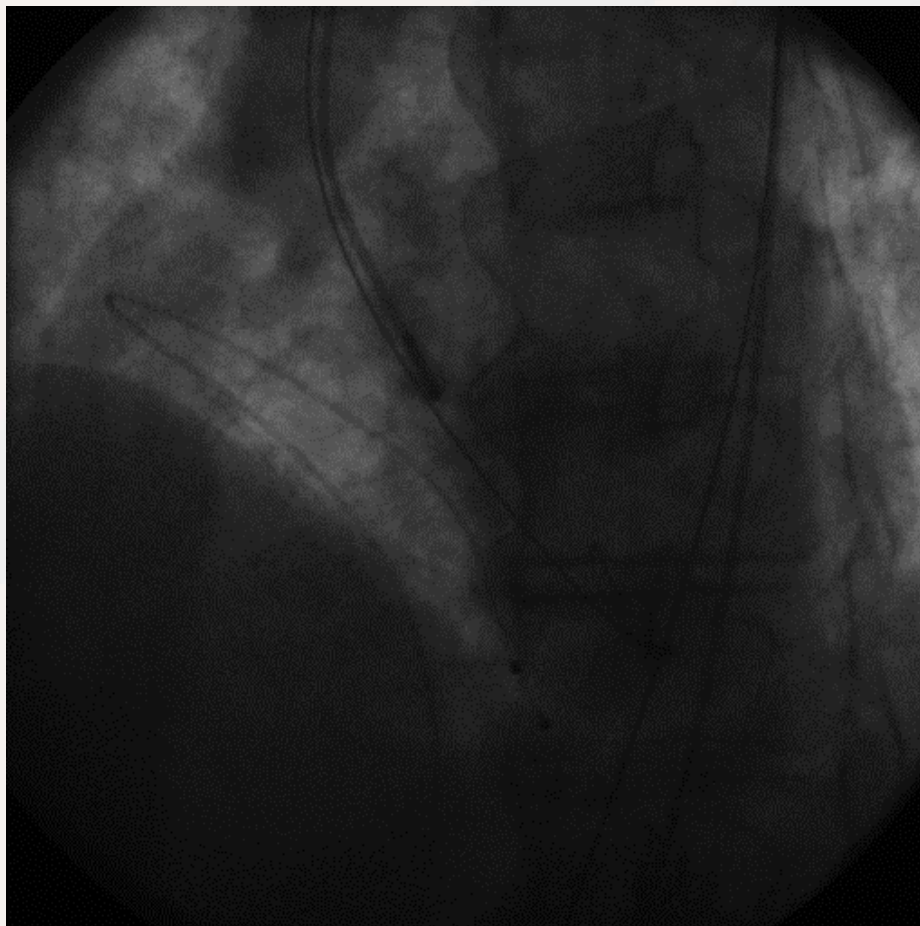


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Baseline Aortography





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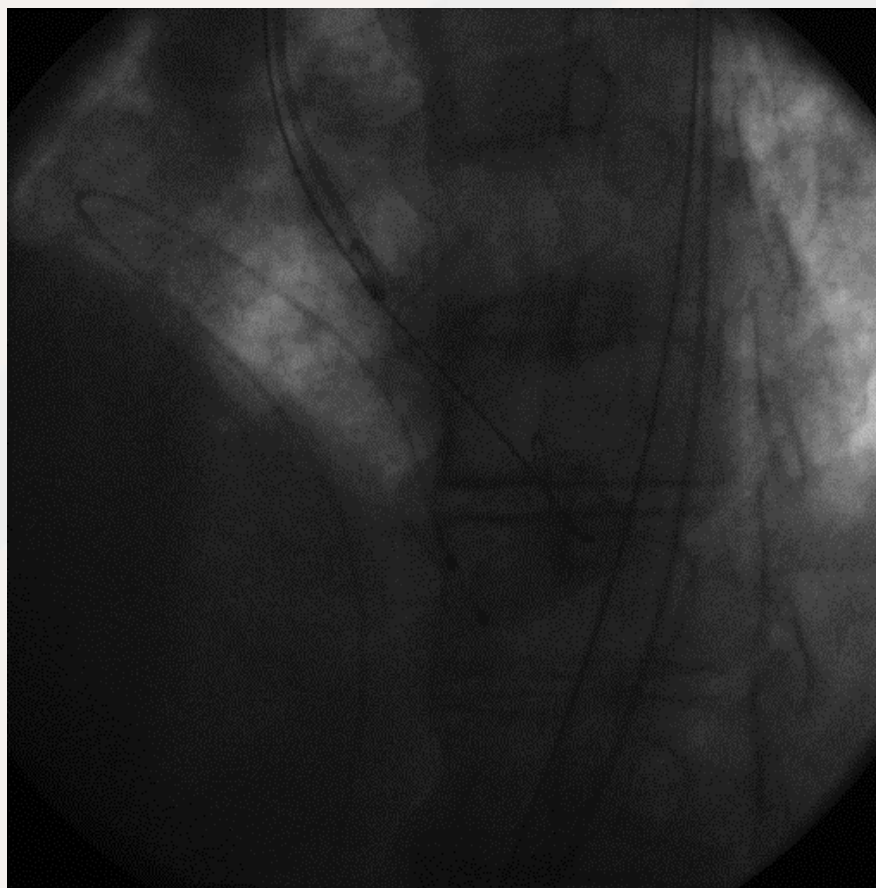


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Aortic Valvuloplasty



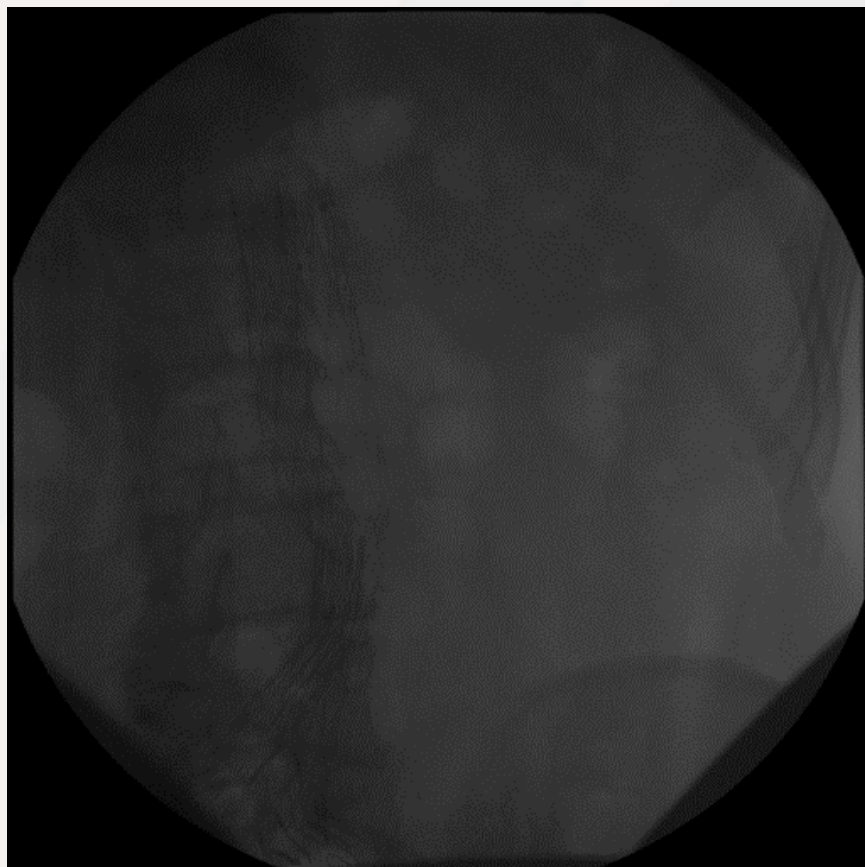


Final Valve Release (CoreValve)



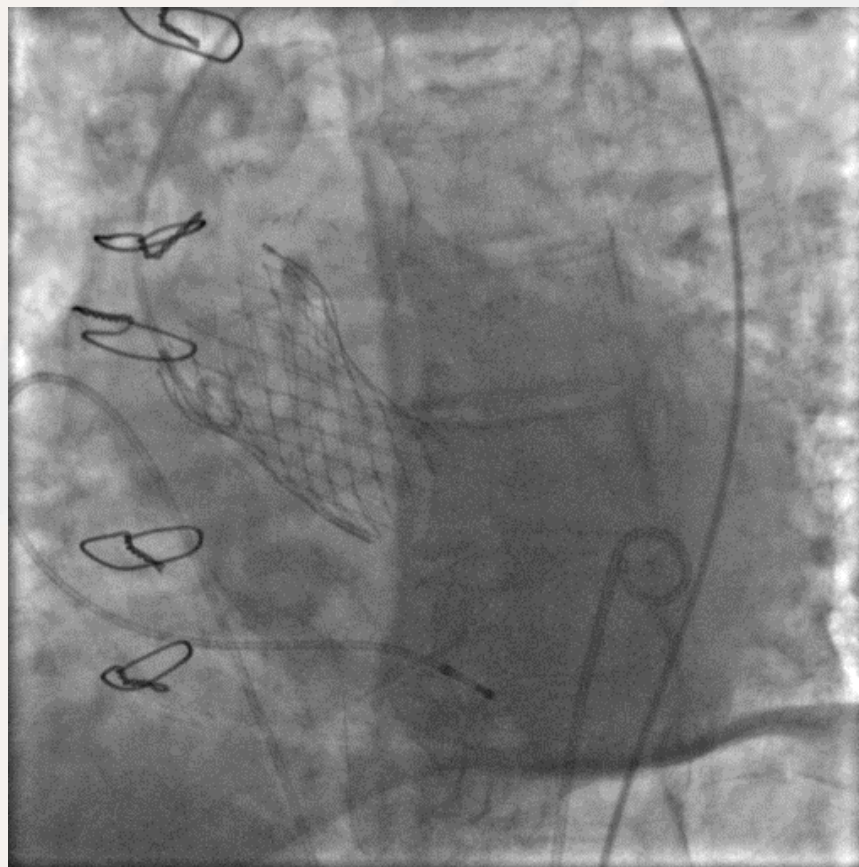


TAVI through Aortic Stent Graft





Final Evolut R Placement



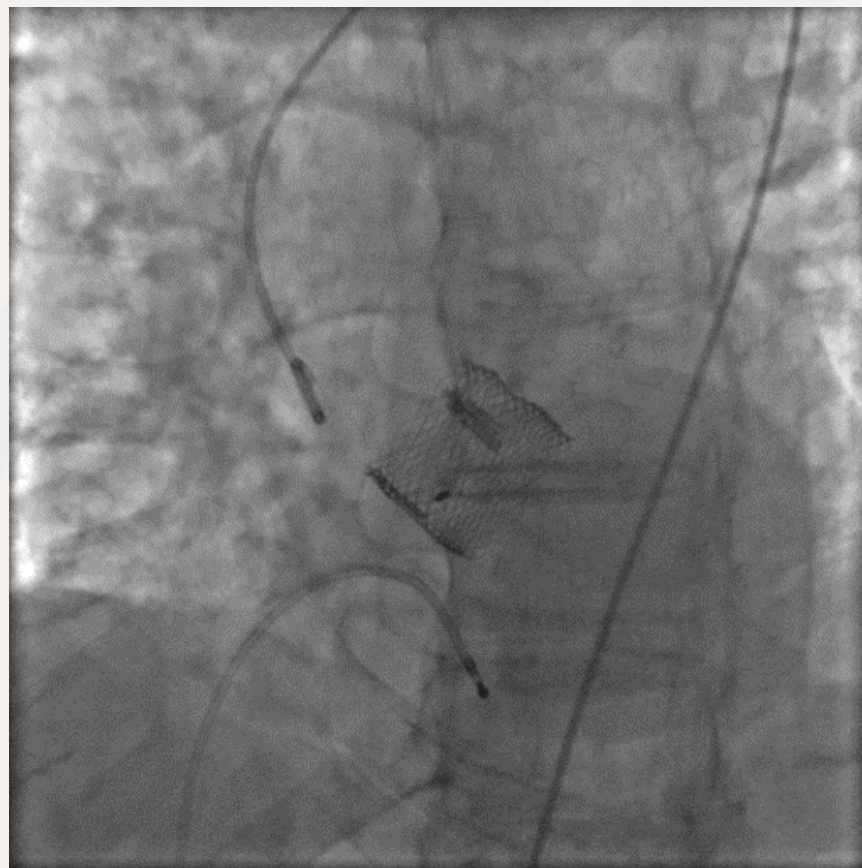


AS - Lotus Valve - Aortography





Final Placement of Lotus Valve



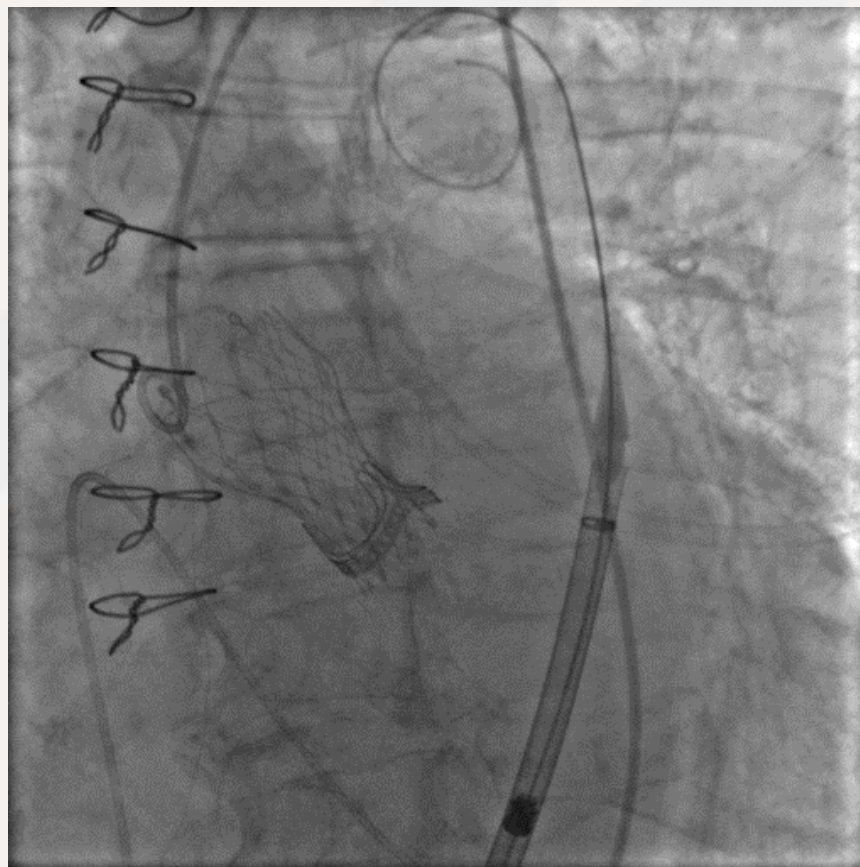


Valve in Valve CE Magna 21





Valve in Valve Evolut R





TAVI Vascular Arterial Complications

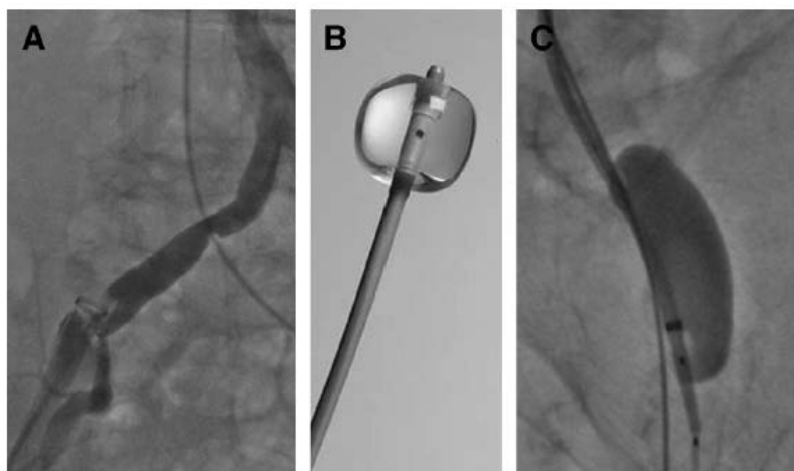


Figure 1. Vascular Injury

(A) Dissection of the right iliac artery. (B) Occlusion balloon (Occlusion Catheter, Boston Scientific, Natick, Massachusetts). (C) Occlusion balloon (Coda Occlusion Balloon Catheter, Cook Medical, Inc., Bloomington, Indiana) inflated in the left iliac artery.

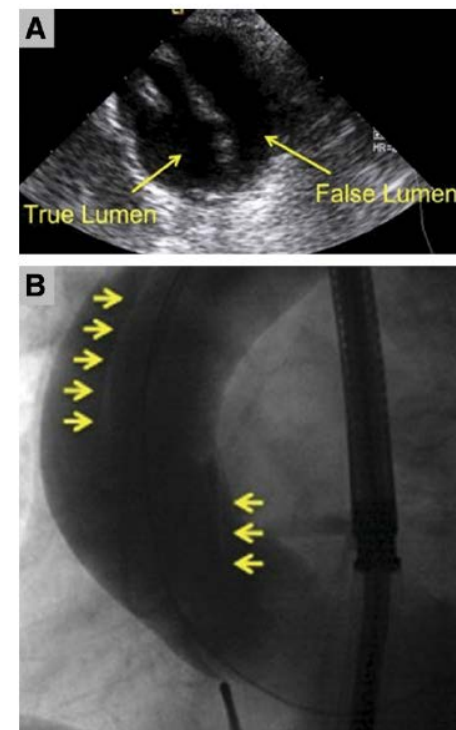


Figure 2. Dissection of the Ascending Aorta

(A) Cross-sectional transesophageal echocardiographic and (B) angiographic images (yellow arrows delineate the spiral dissection).



TAVI Mitral Valve Injury

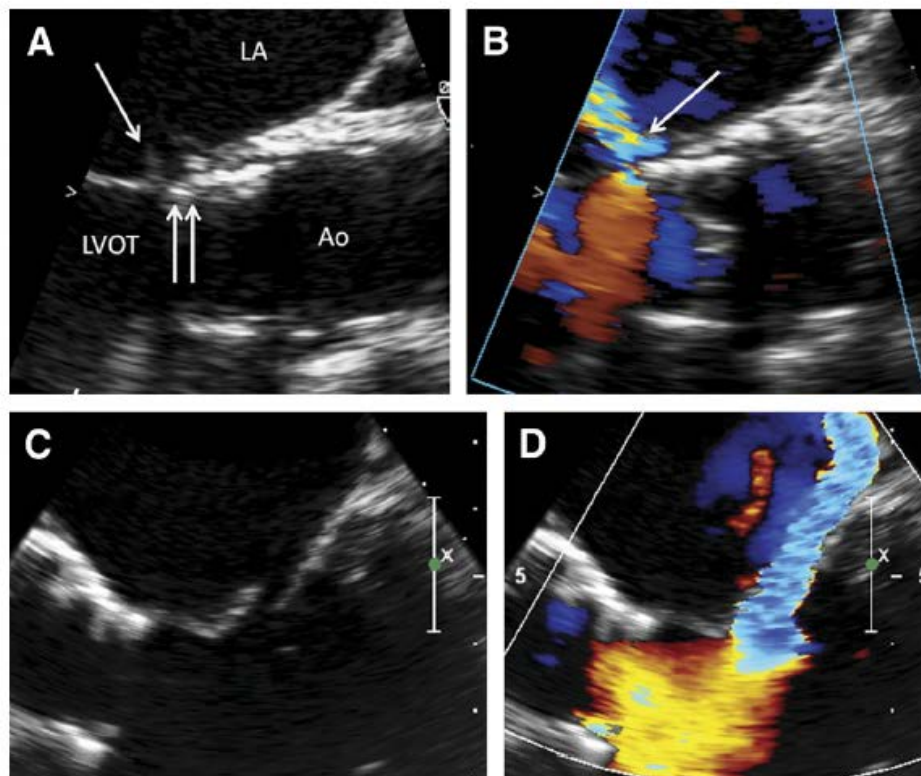


Figure 8. Delayed Mitral Valve Injury

(A) The stent (double arrow) is in contact with the anterior mitral leaflet. Prosthetic valve endocarditis 1 year after implantation associated with perforation of the mitral leaflet at the point of contact (single arrow). (B) En ensuing severe mitral regurgitation. (C) In a second patient, prolapse of the anterior mitral leaflet secondary to chordal rupture created (D) severe mitral regurgitation several months after the procedure. Ao = aorta; LA = left atrium; LVOT = left ventricular outflow tract.



TAVI Paravalvular Regurgitation

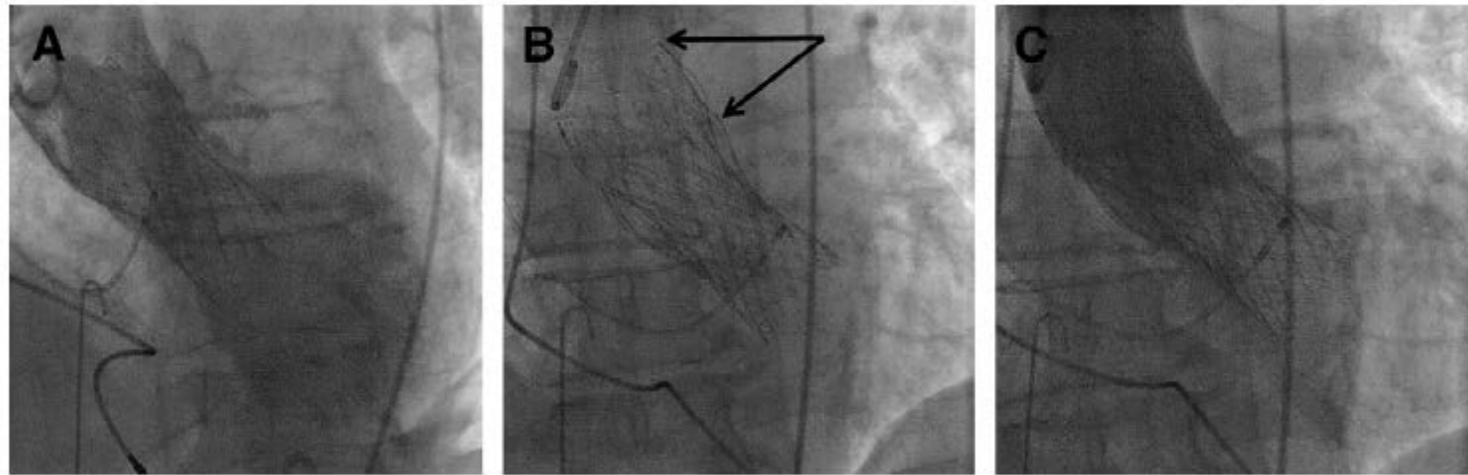


Figure 9. Paravalvular Regurgitation

(A) Self-expanding valve implanted too low, resulting in severe paravalvular regurgitation. (B) A second prosthesis was implanted in the correct position (arrows indicate the distal edge of both prostheses). (C) Mild residual paravalvular leak.



TAVI Annulus Rupture

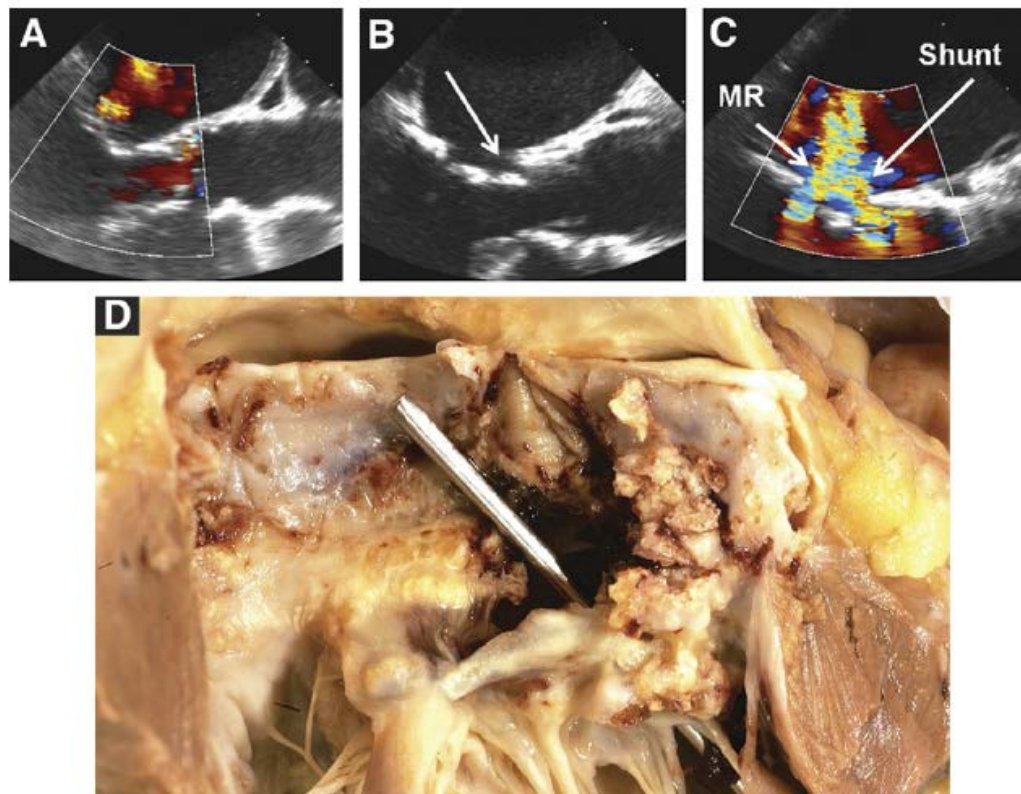


Figure 11. Annulus Rupture

(A) Pre-implantation significant mitral regurgitation (MR) and severe calcification of the aortic annulus and subvalvular tissues. (B and C) After valve implantation, a tear (arrows) is visible at the ventricular edge of the stent, connecting the left ventricular outflow tract and left atrium, with large left ventricular to left atrial shunt. (D) Autopsy proven tear of the anterior mitral curtain.



TAVI Coronary Obstruction

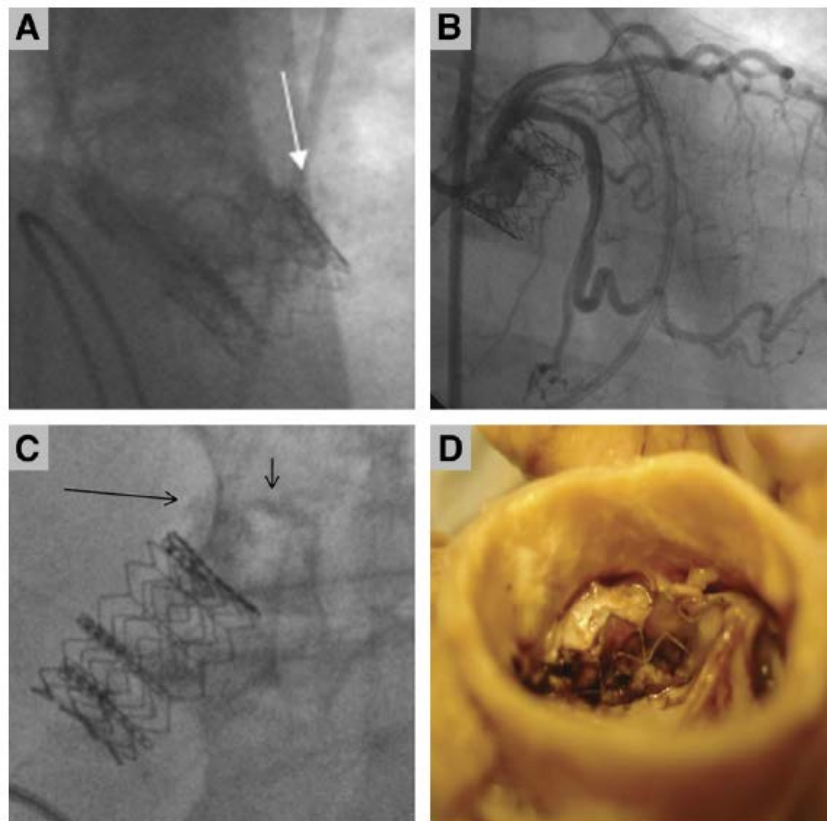
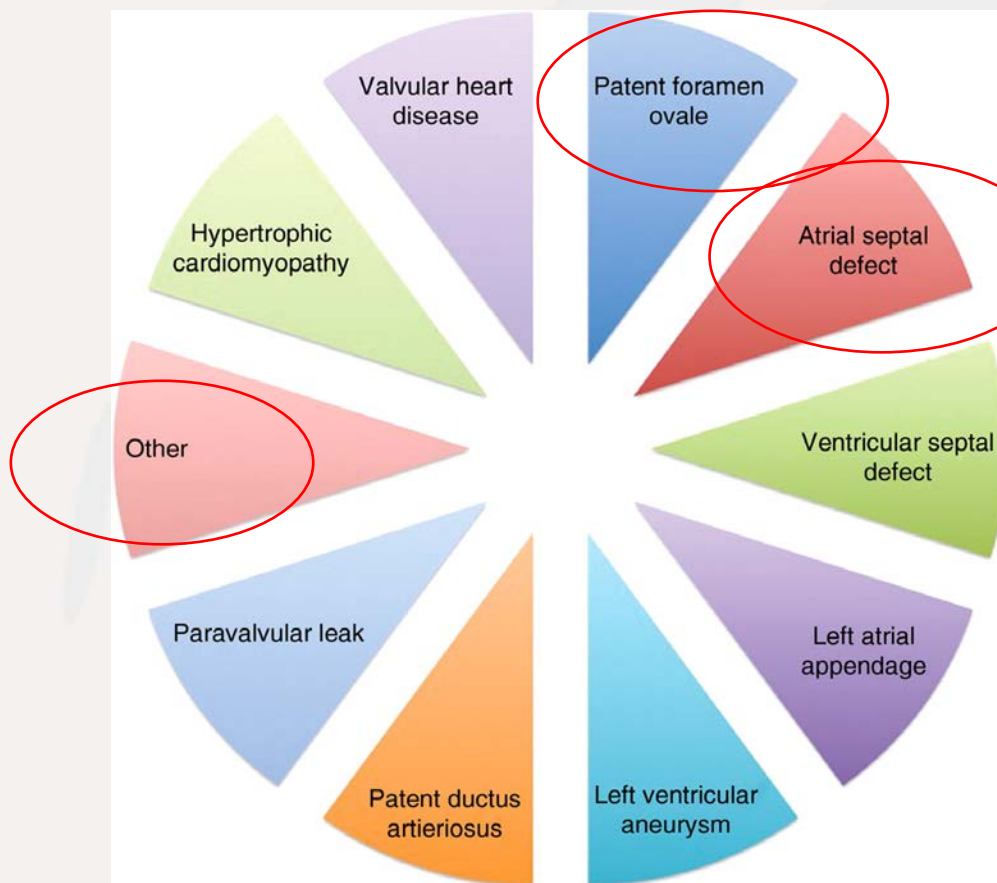


Figure 7. Left Main Obstruction

(A) Left main coronary artery occlusion resulting from a bulky leaflet displaced over the ostium. (B) Successful percutaneous intervention restored left coronary flow. (C) In a second patient, calcifications from the native aortic leaflet and left main (arrows) are approximated after valve implantation. (D) At autopsy, the leaflet (not the stent itself) seemed to obstruct the ostium.

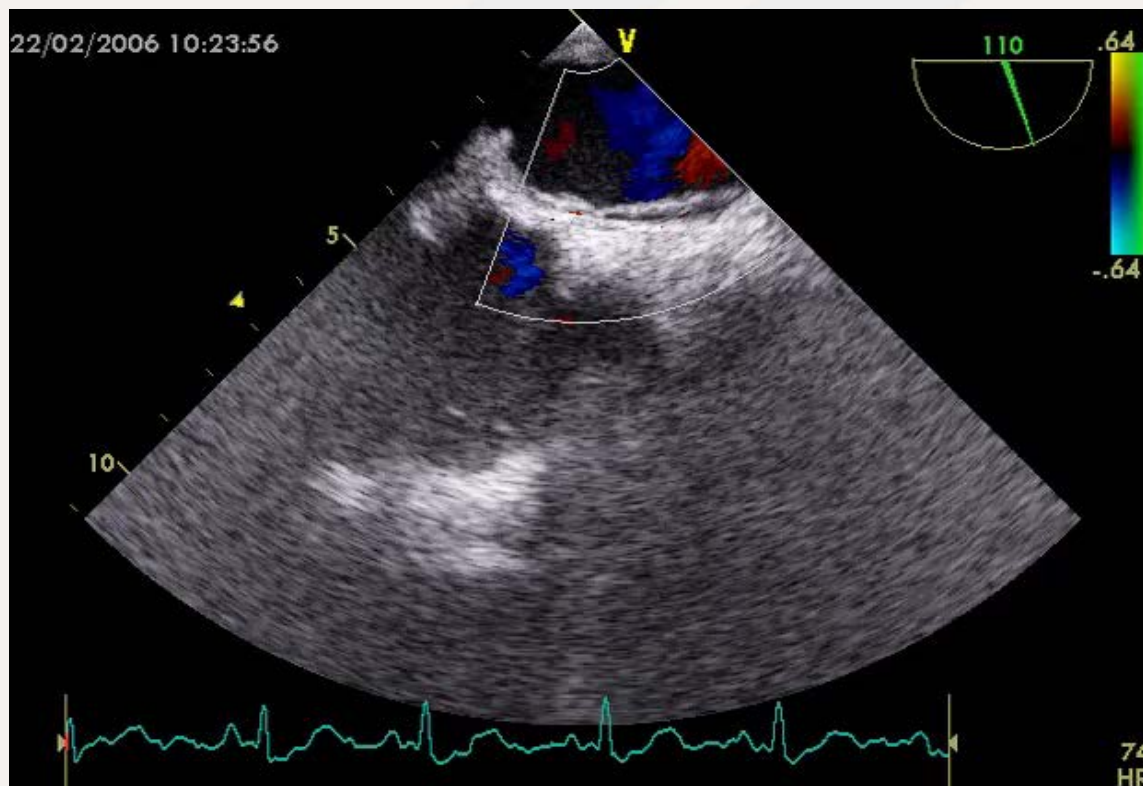


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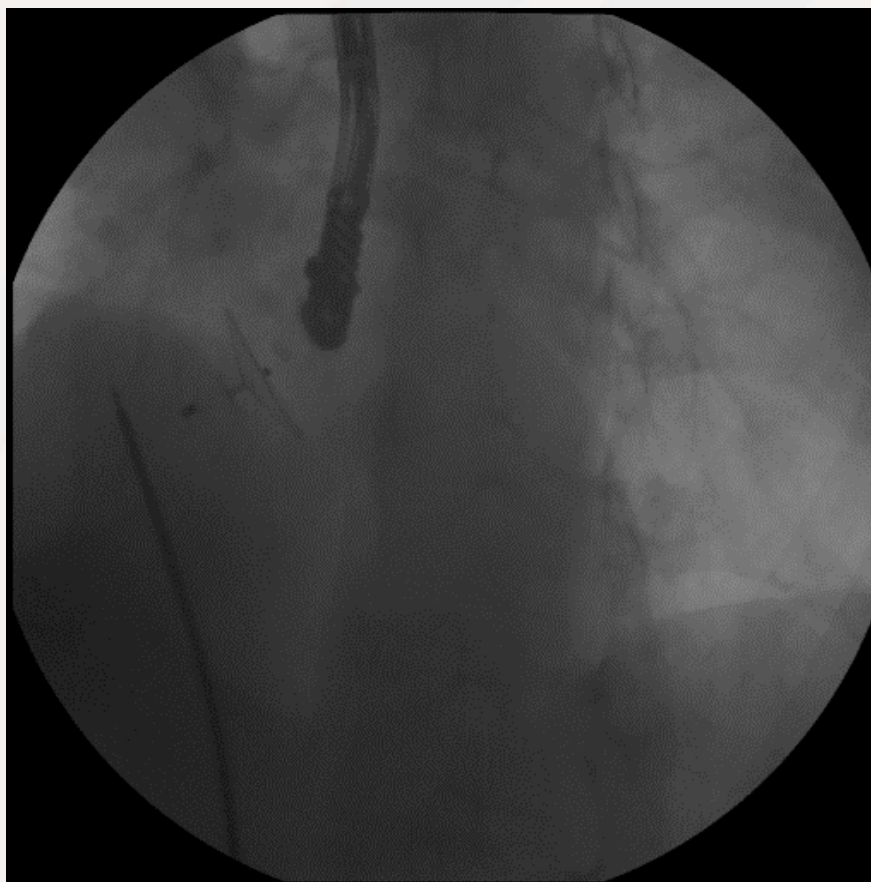


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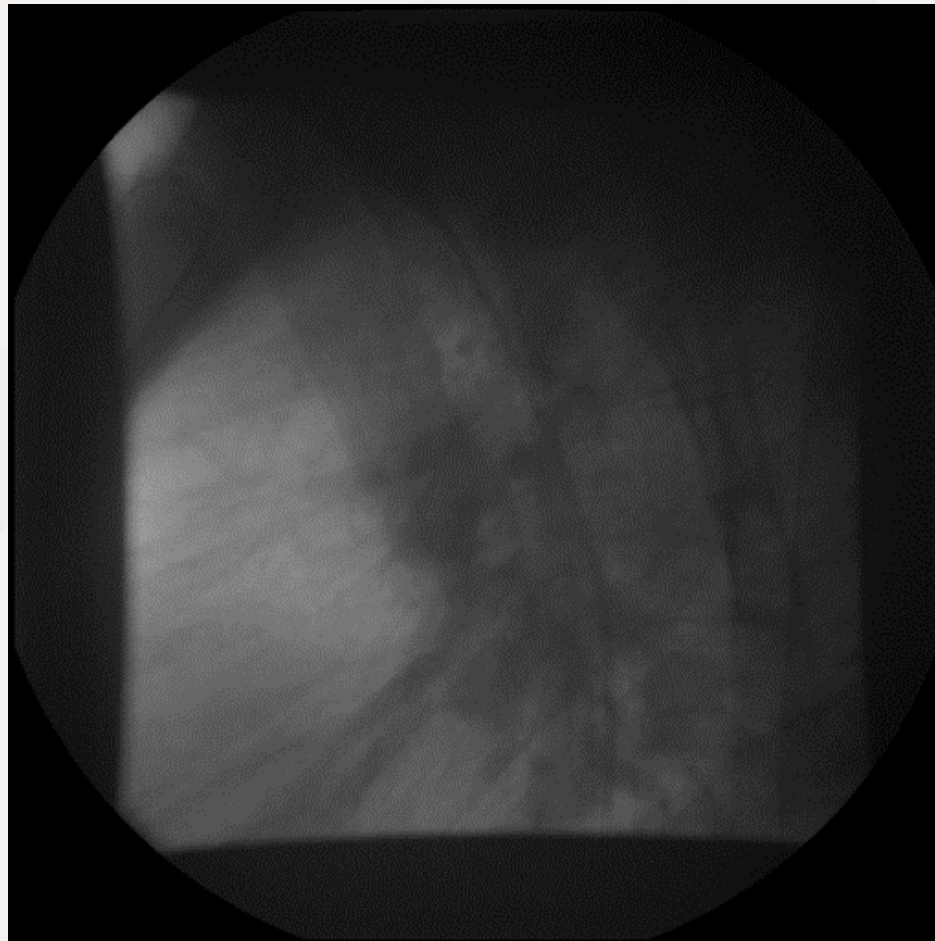


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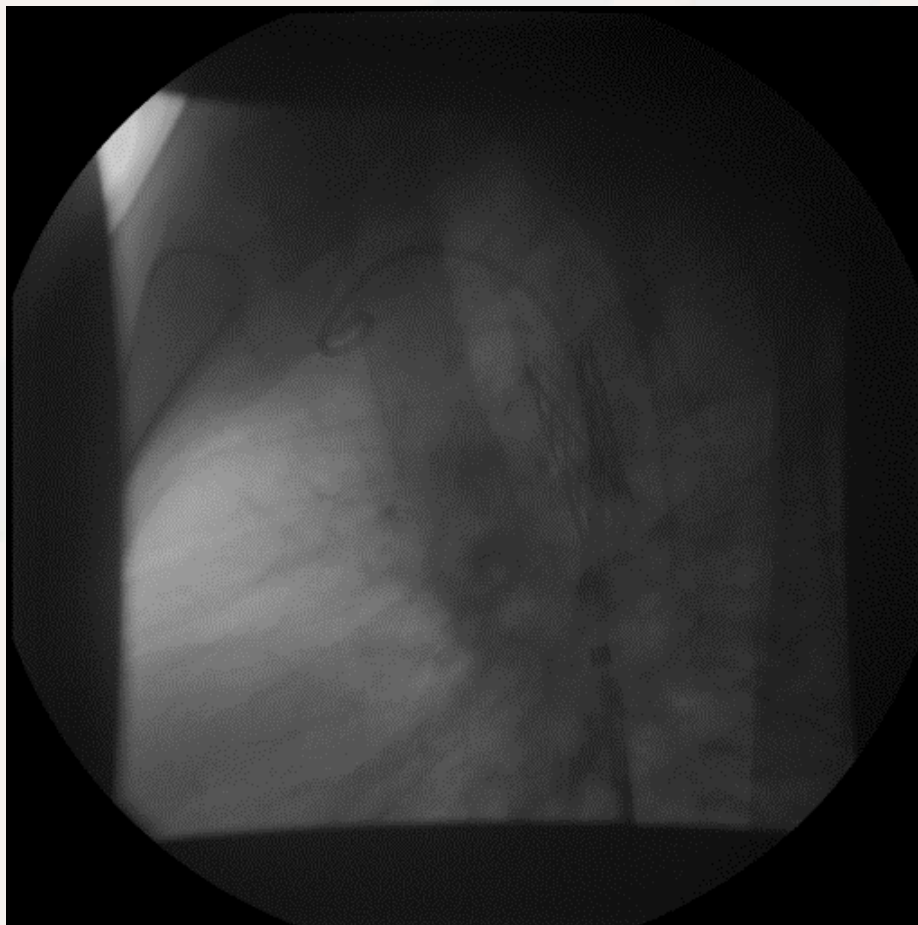


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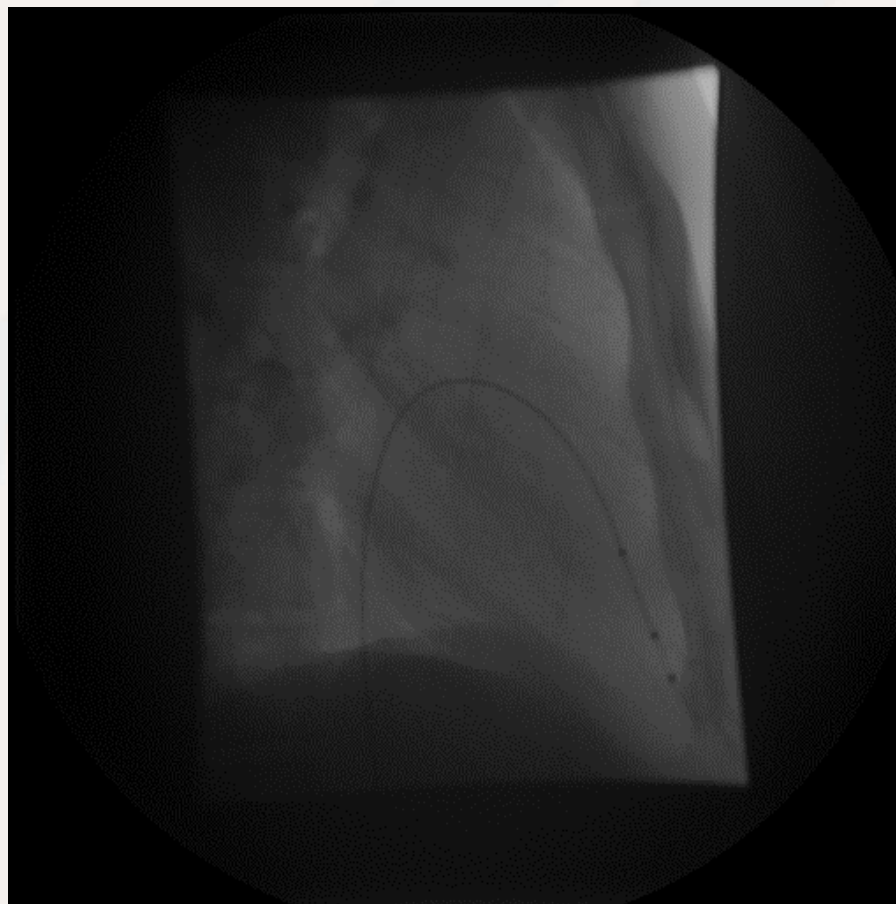


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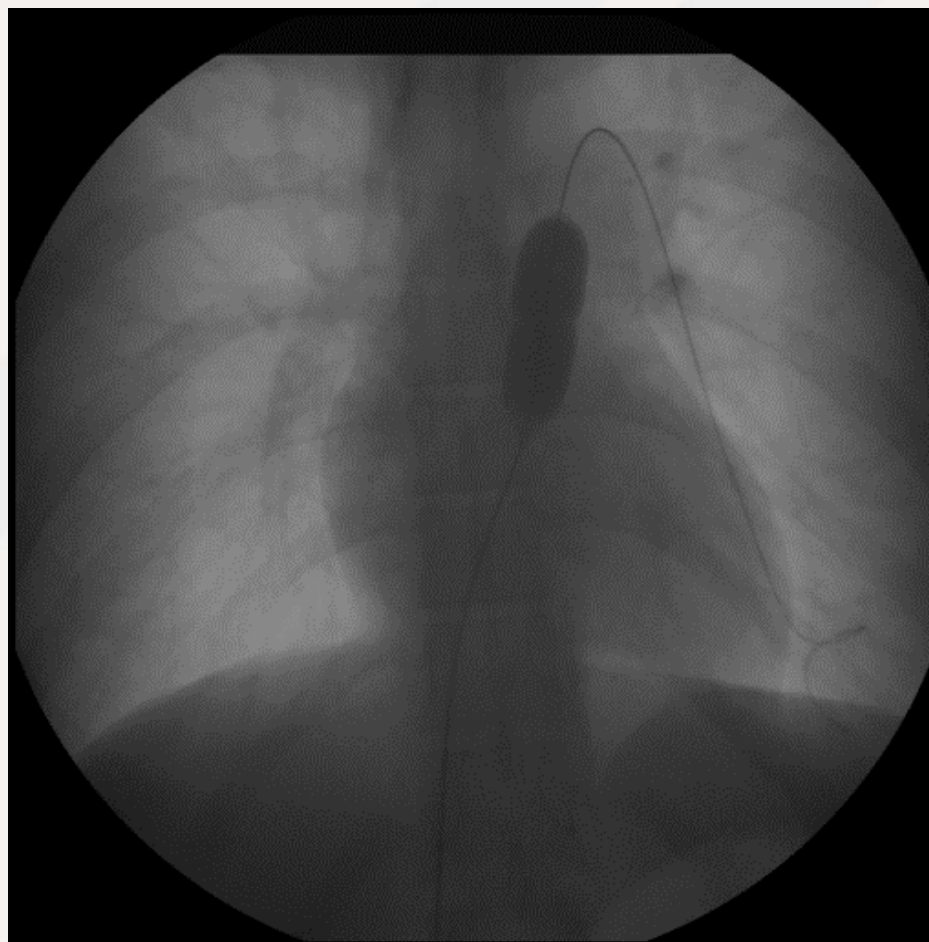


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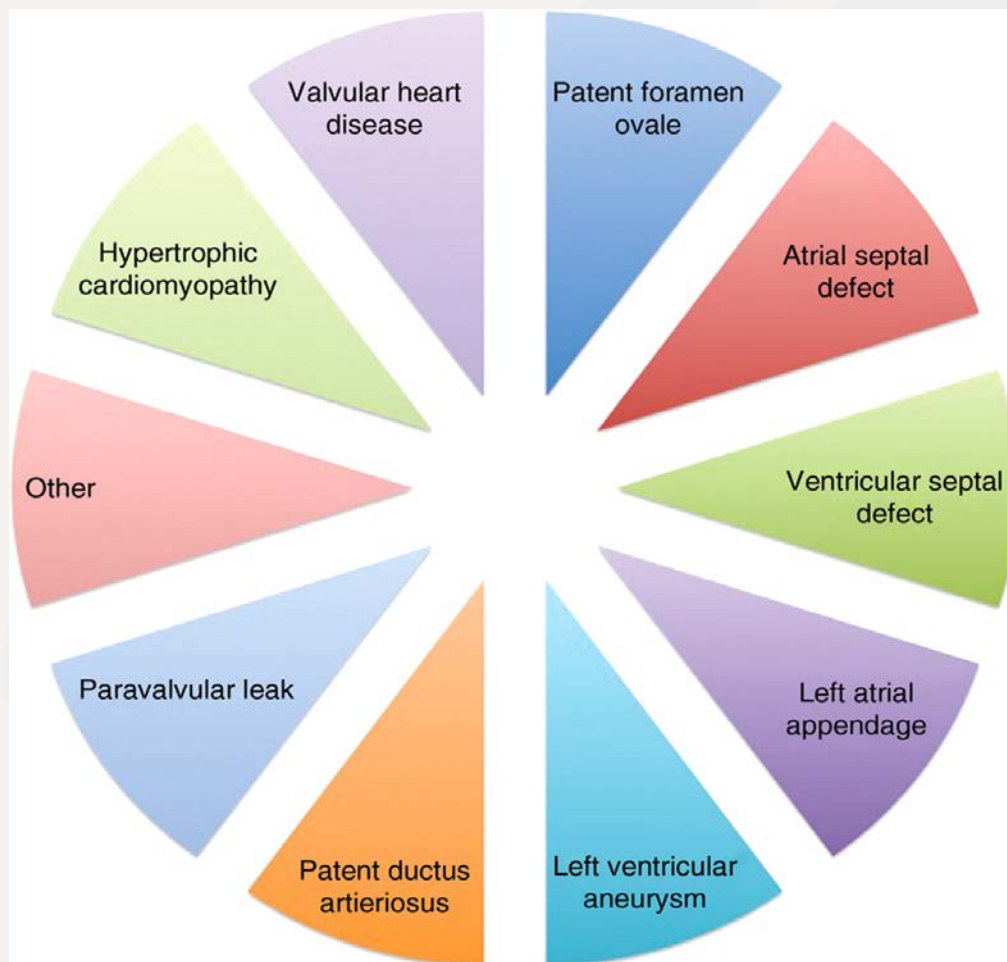


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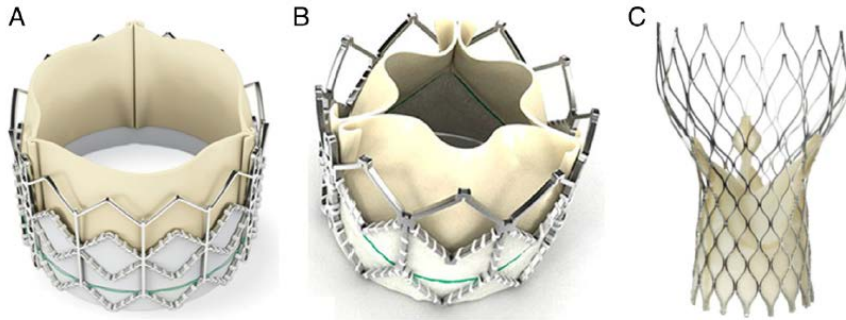


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