



# TAVI & durabilité des bioprothèses

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## DÉCLARATION DE LIENS D'INTÉRÊT AVEC LA PRÉSENTATION

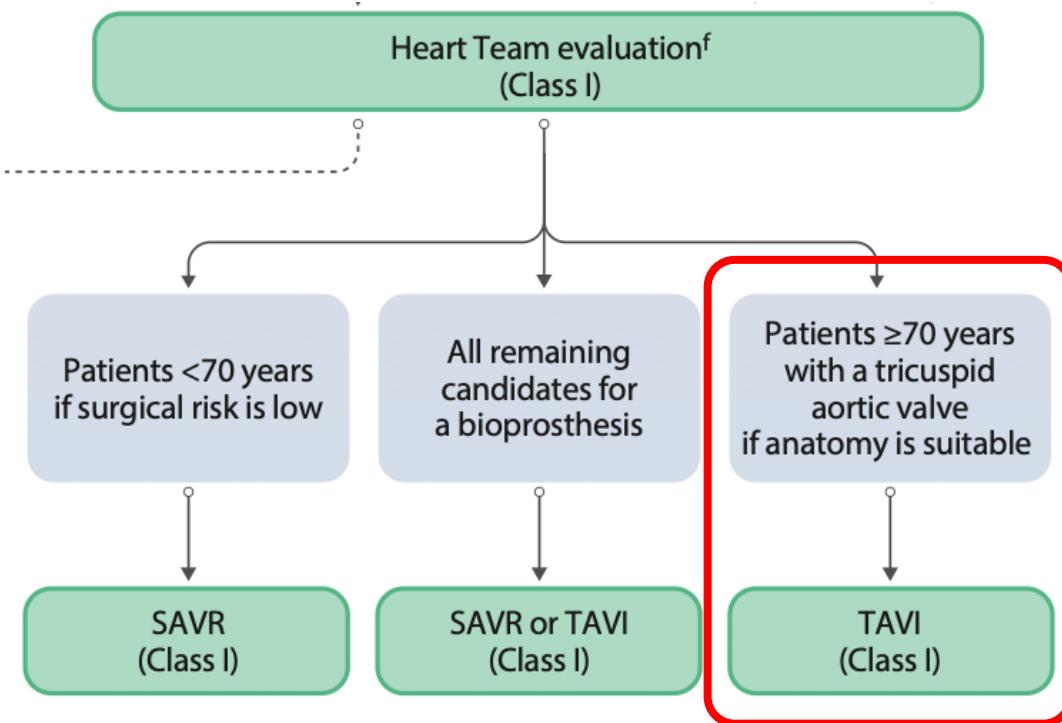
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Je déclare les liens d'intérêt potentiel suivants :

Consultant : Abbott, Asahi, Medtronic

# Les patients sont de plus en plus jeunes...

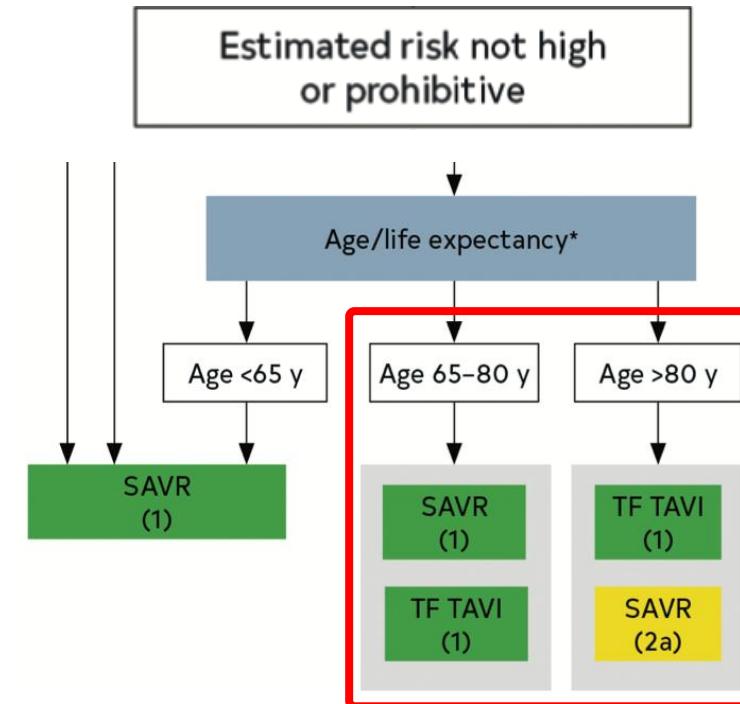
## 2025 ESC/EACTS Guidelines for the management of valvular heart disease



## ACC/AHA CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINE

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## Espérance de vie > durabilité des prothèses ?

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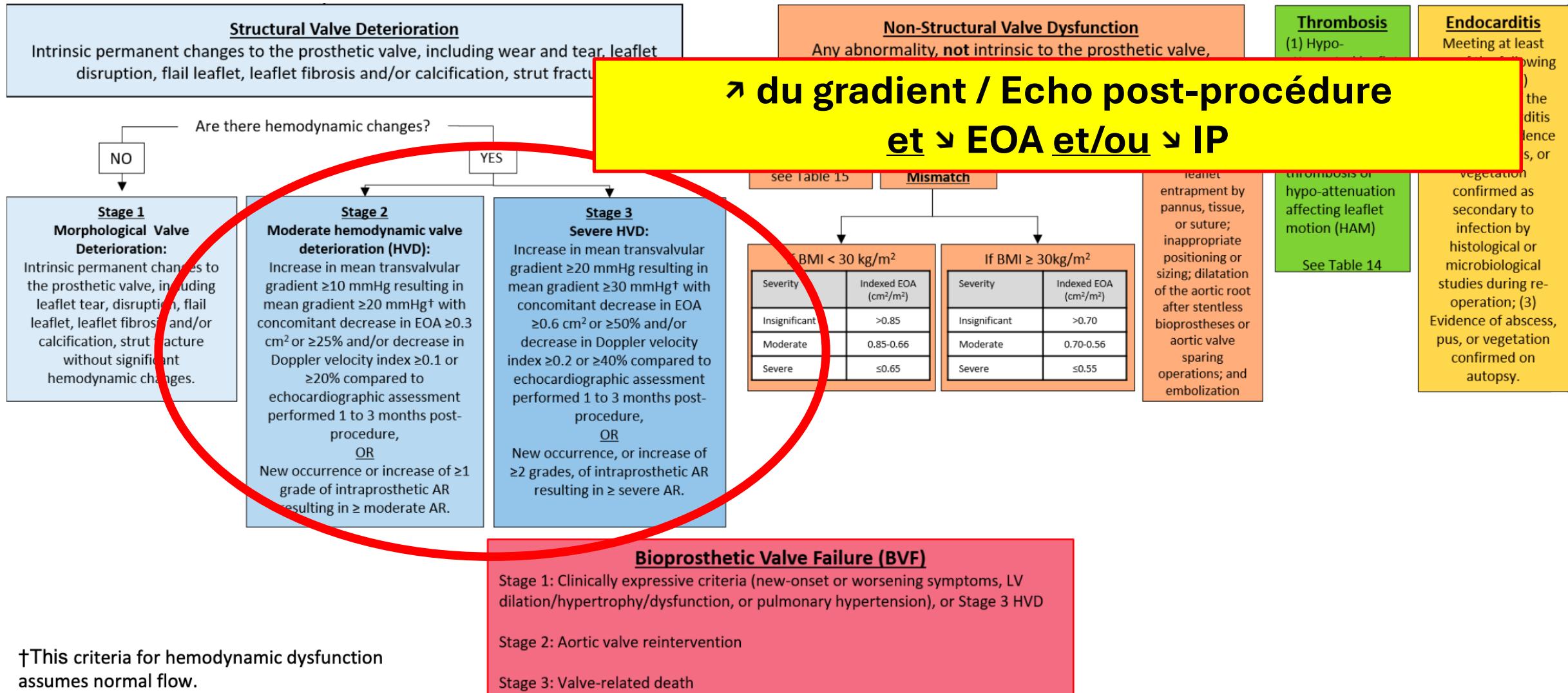
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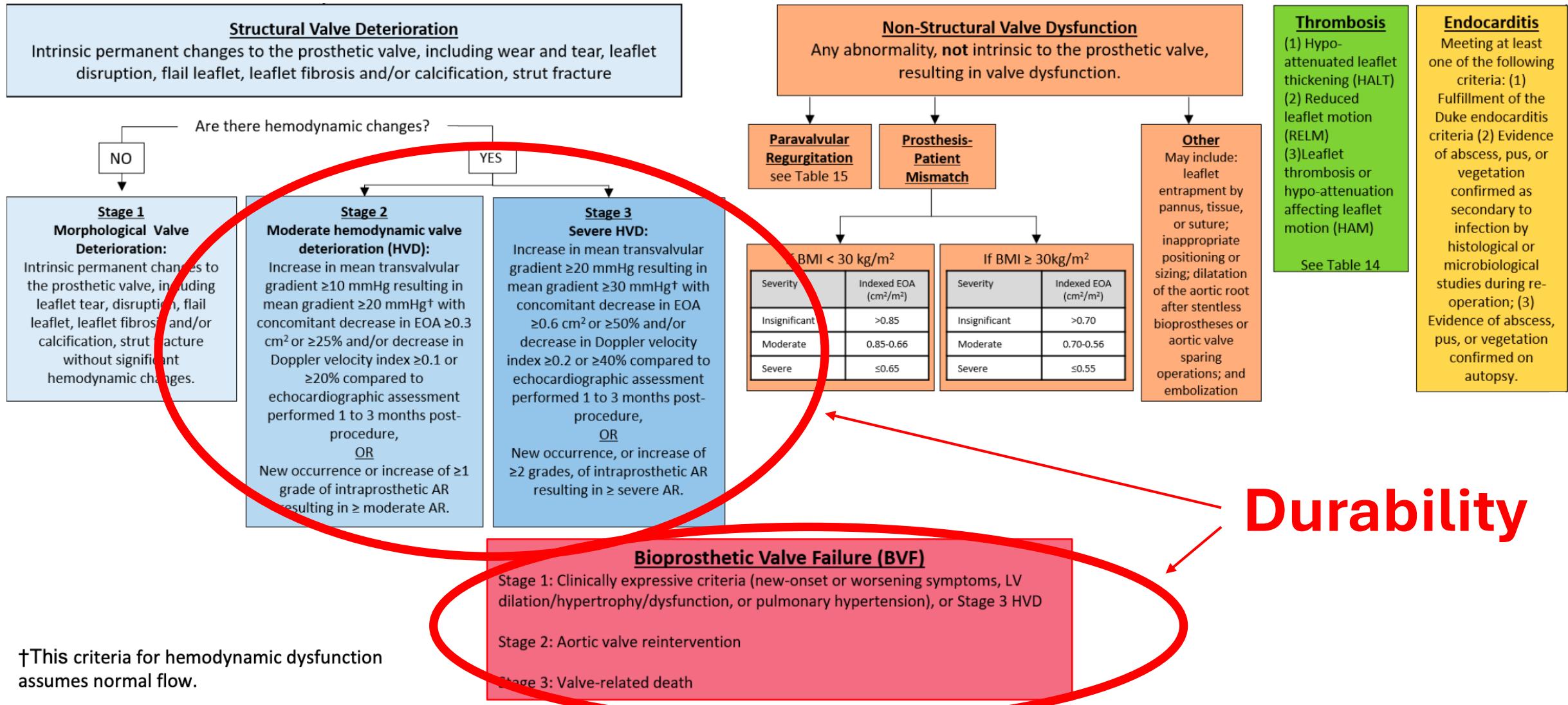
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Définition de la durabilité ?

# Bioprosthetic Valve Dysfunction (VARC-3)



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**Durabilité des prothèses TAVI / Chirurgie**

**Que disent les études randomisées ?**

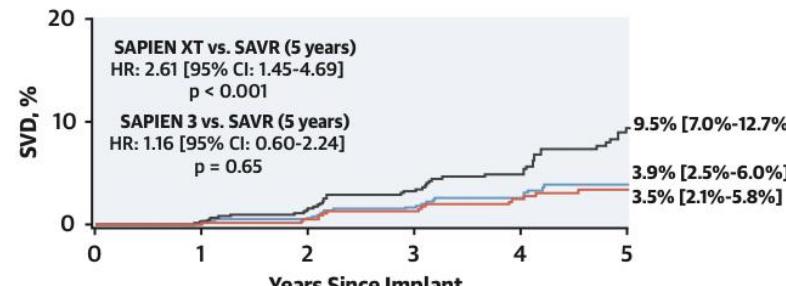
# Intermediate risk patients at 5 years

Plus de SVD et BVF avec la XT vs. SAVR  
**SVD et BVF similaires avec la S3 vs. SAVR**

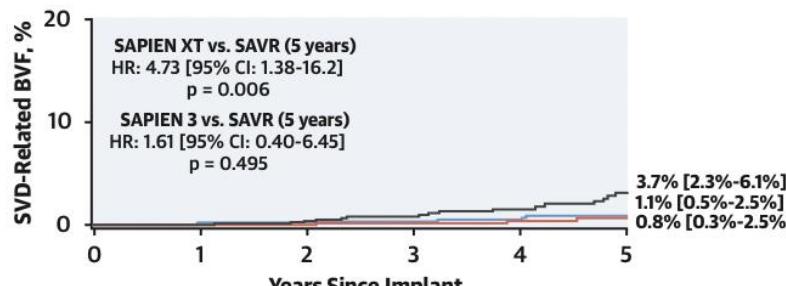
## Structural Deterioration of Transcatheter Versus Surgical Aortic Valve Bioprostheses in the PARTNER-2 Trial



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No. at risk:

	0	1	2	3	4	5
SAVR	664	625	538	449	346	265
SAPIEN XT	774	733	622	505	368	297
SAPIEN 3	891	827	705	581	412	283

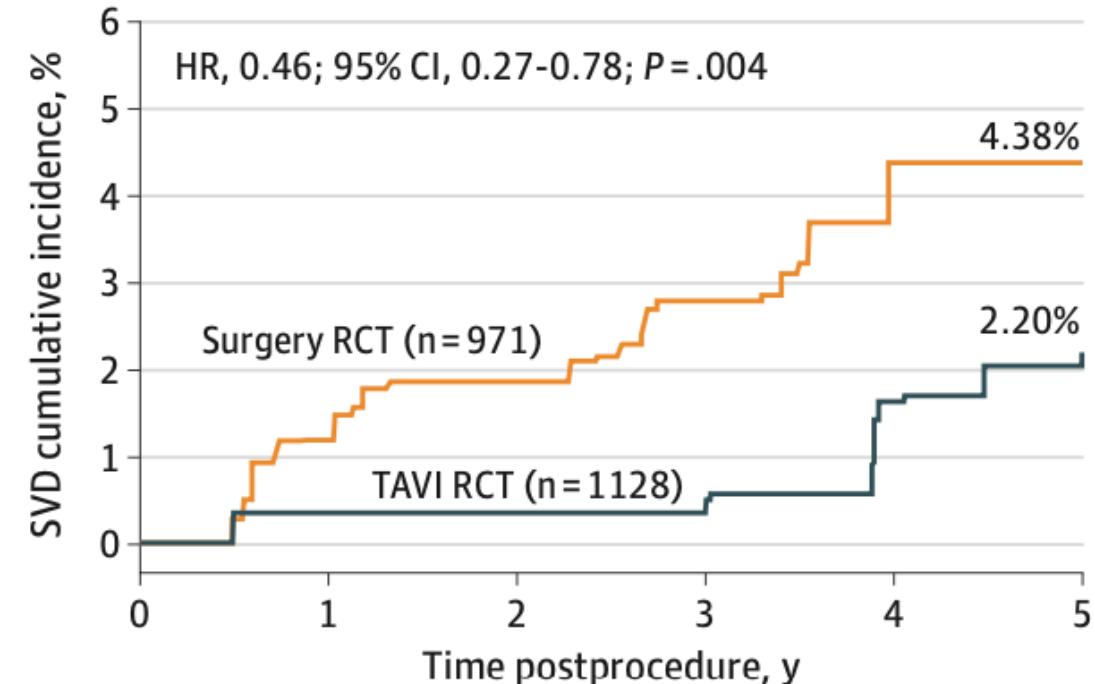
**Moins de SVD avec la Coreval/Evolut R vs. SAVR**

JAMA Cardiology | Original Investigation

## Structural Valve Deterioration After Self-Expanding Transcatheter or Surgical Aortic Valve Implantation in Patients at Intermediate or High Risk

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### 5-y Cumulative incidence rate of SVD

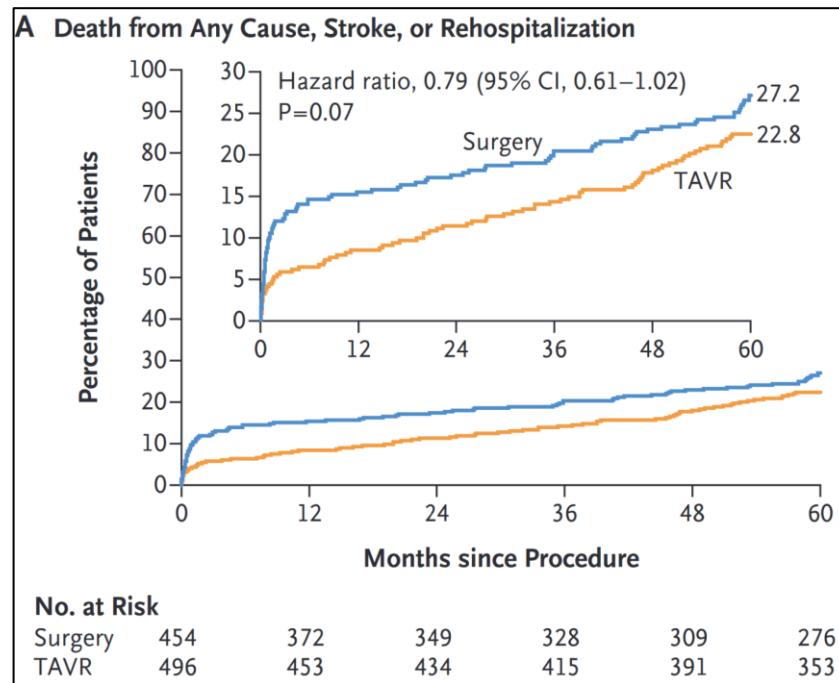


# Low risk patients at 5 years

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

## Transcatheter Aortic-Valve Replacement in Low-Risk Patients at Five Years

PARTNER 3



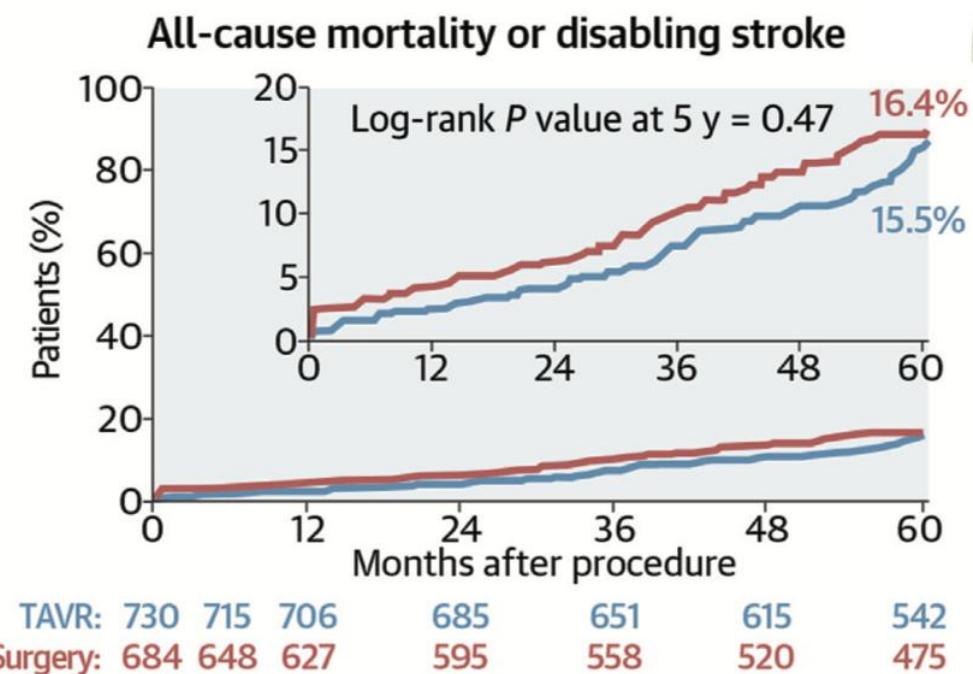
**Aortic valve reintervention:**  
**2.6% TAVR vs 3.0% SAVR**

Mack MJ et al. NEJM 2023;389:1949-1960

## 5-Year Outcomes After Transcatheter or Surgical Aortic Valve Replacement in Low-Risk Patients With Aortic Stenosis



Evolut Low Risk

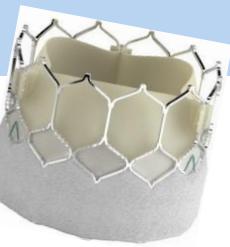


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Forrest JK et al. JACC 2025;85:1523-1532

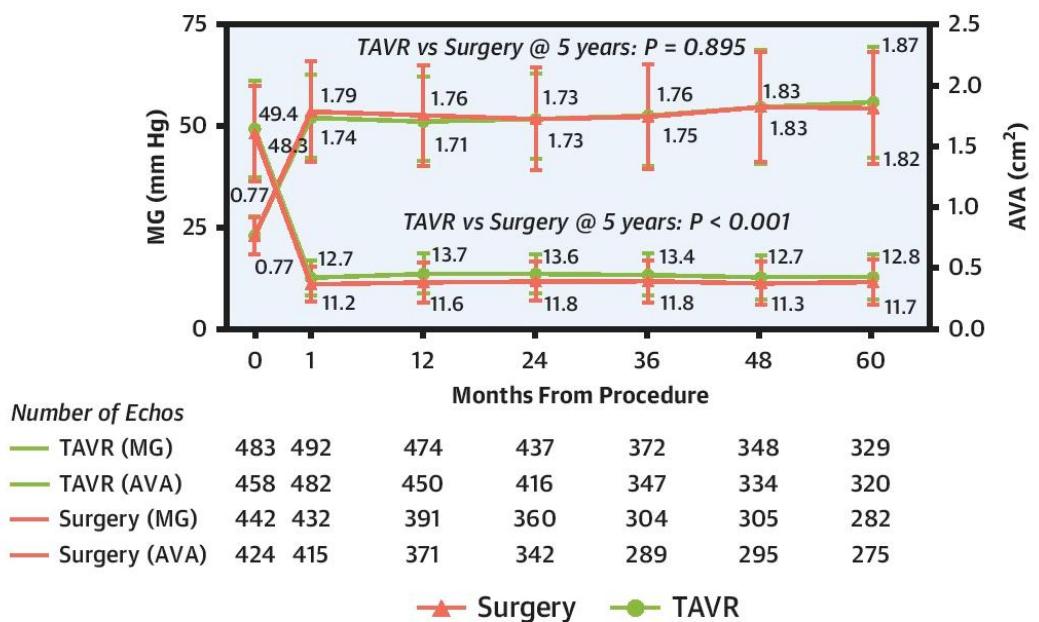
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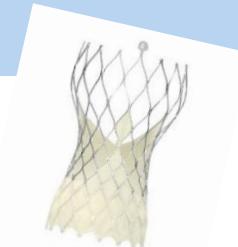


## Similar hemodynamics with SAPIEN 3 TAVR vs SAVR

### MG and AVA Through 5 Years by Treatment



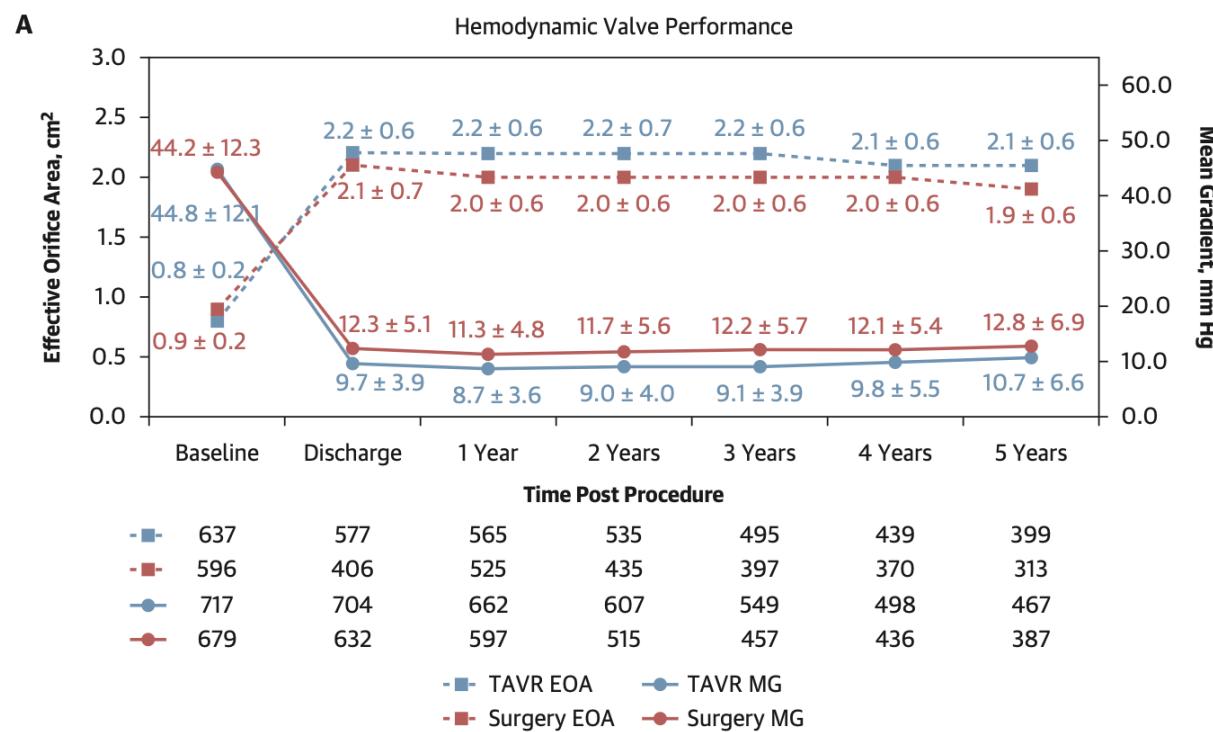
Similar and stable valve hemodynamics were observed for both treatment groups; severe PPM and  $\geq$ mild PVR at 30 days were not associated with an increased risk of clinical outcomes



Evolut Low Risk

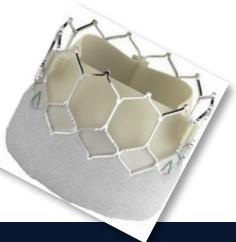
## Better hemodynamics with Evolut TAVR vs SAVR

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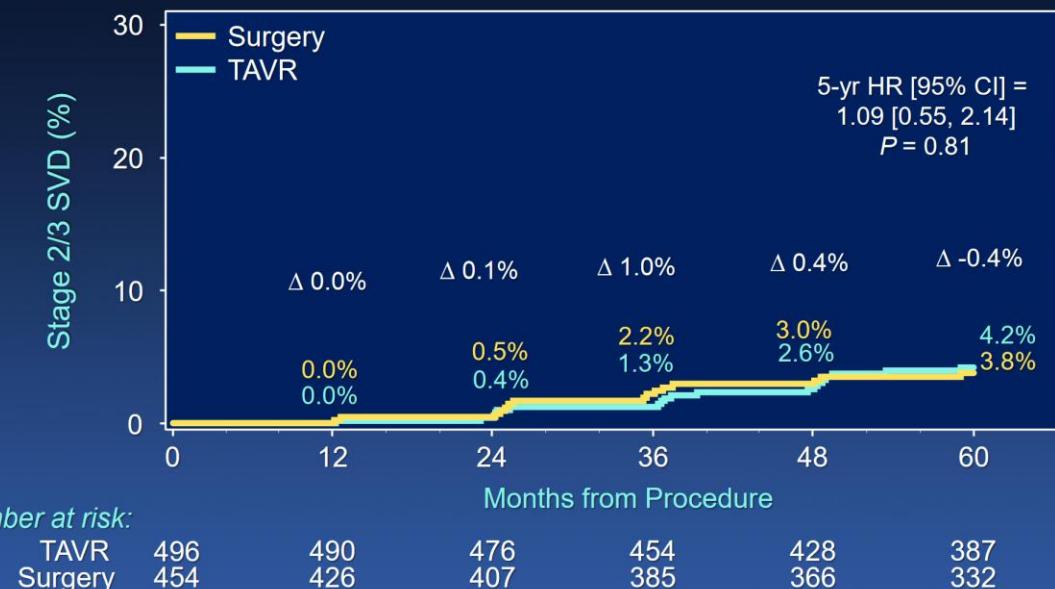
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low risk



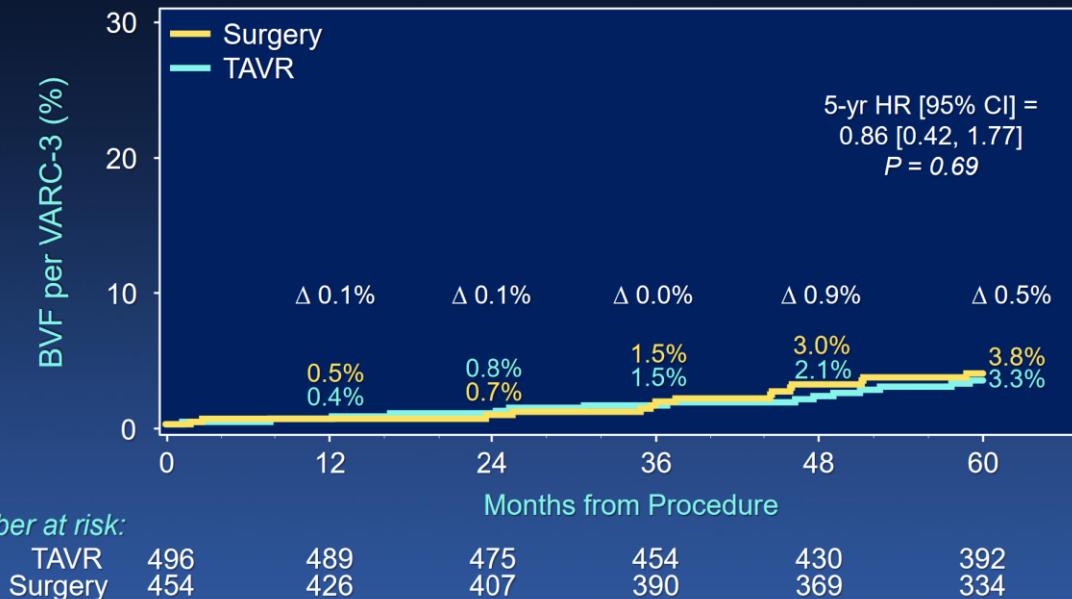
Similar durability at 5 years with Sapien 3 TAVR vs Surgery



## Stage 2/3 SVD to 5 Years (VARC 3)



## BVF to 5 Years (VARC-3)



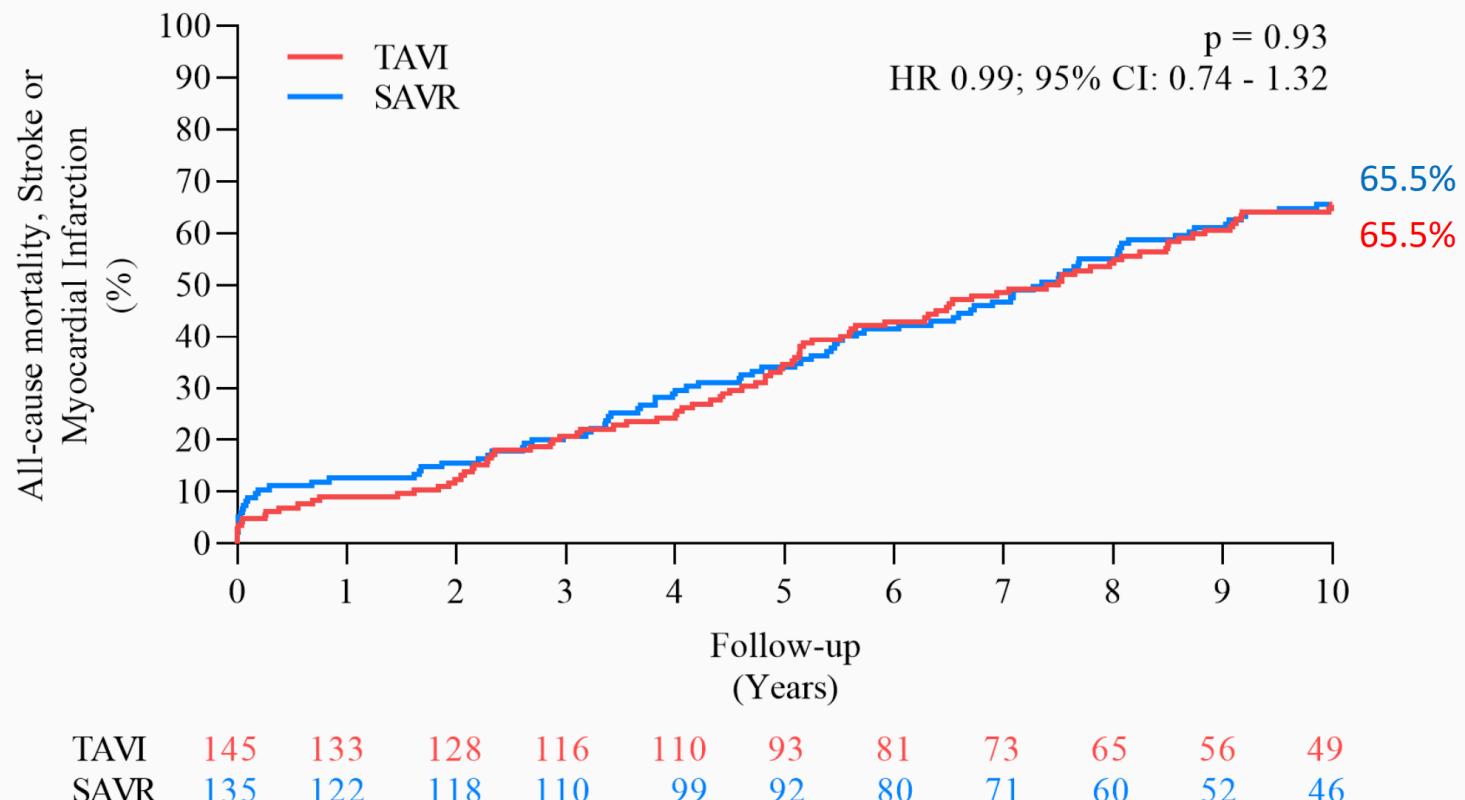
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# NOTION Trial - 10 years

RCT TAVR (corevalve) vs. SAVR in lower risk patients  $\geq 70$ ans

## All-cause mortality, Stroke, Myocardial infarction

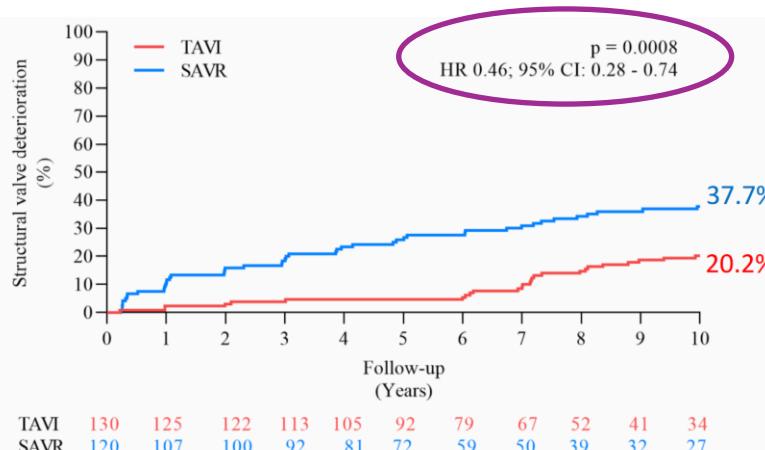


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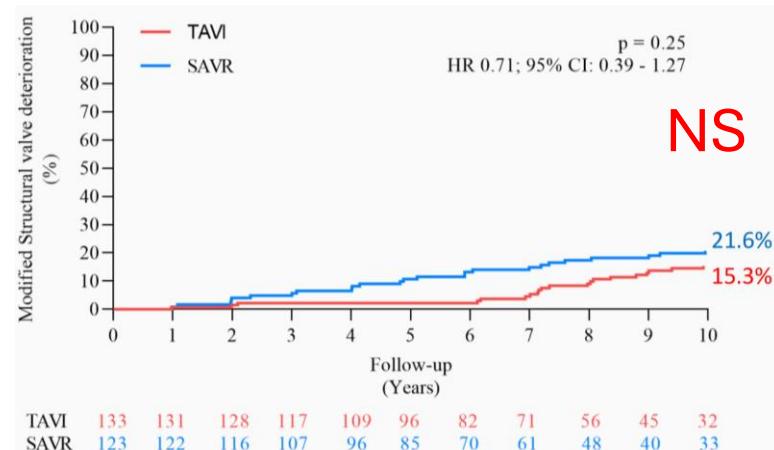
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## Moins de SVD avec la Corevalve / SAVR

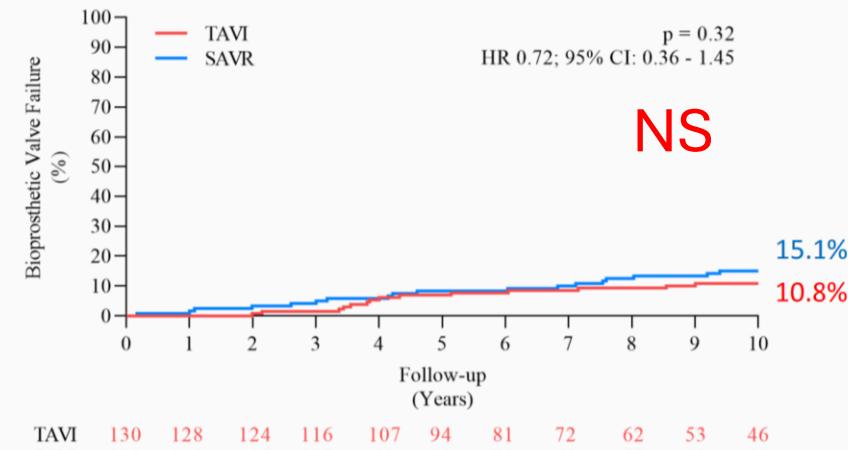
### Structural Valve Deterioration



### Modified SVD



### Bioprostheses Valve Failure



Moderate or severe haemodynamic SVD

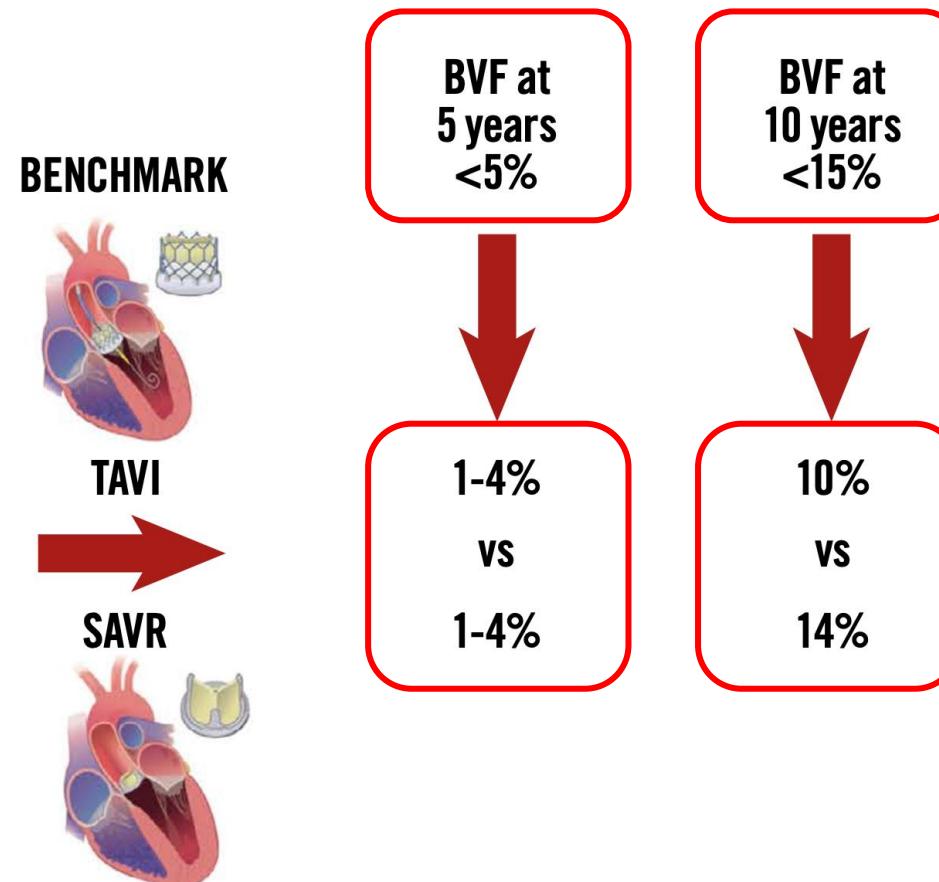
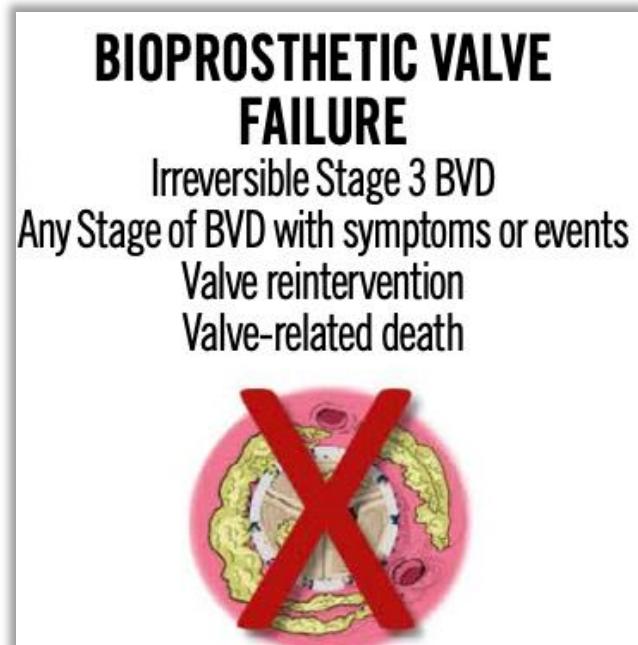
- Mean gradient  $\geq 20$  mmHg OR
- Mean gradient  $\geq 10$  mmHg change from baseline OR
- Moderate/severe intra-prosthetic aortic regurgitation (new or worsening from baseline)

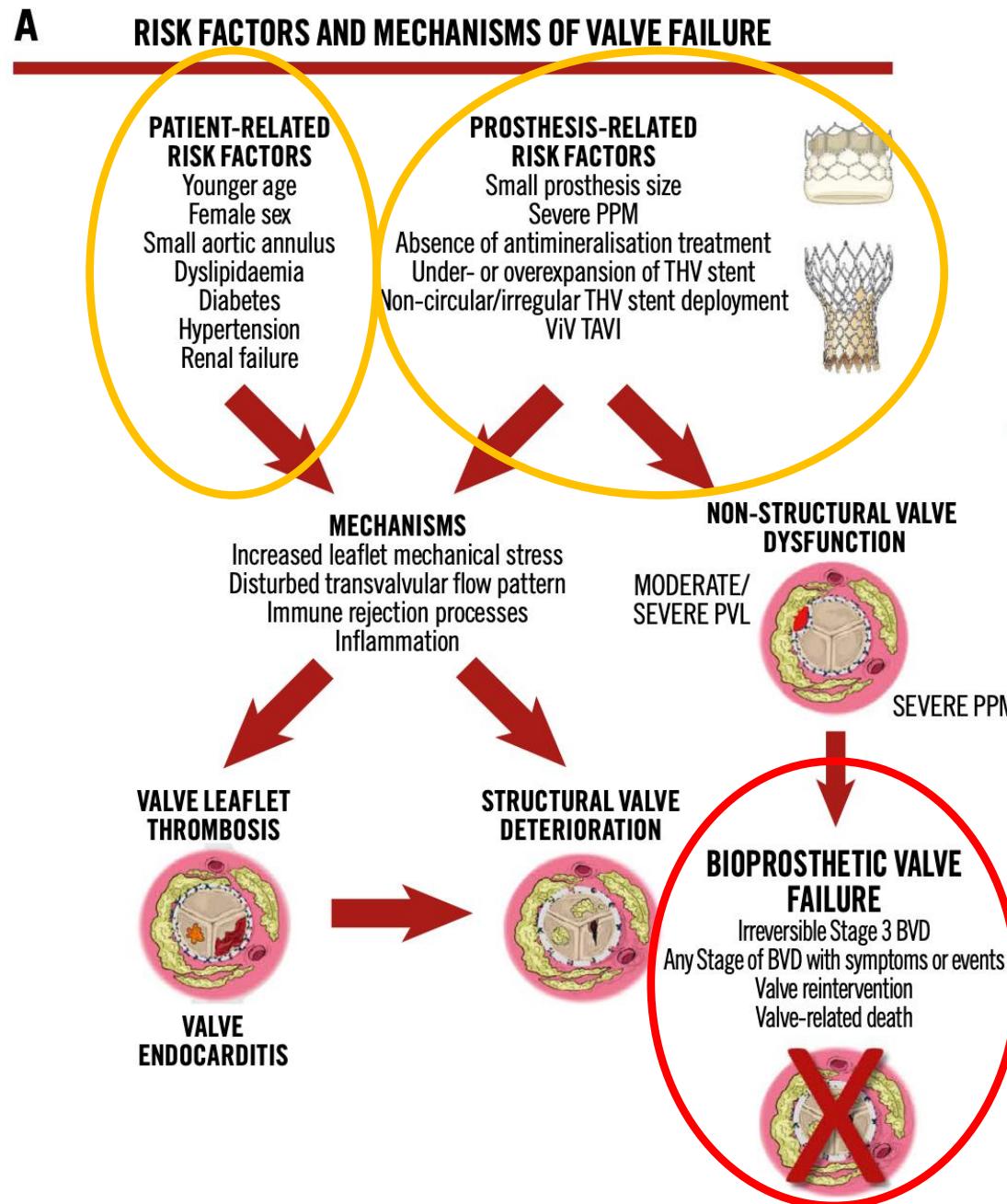
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# TAVI DURABILITY:

## MIDTERM DURABILITY: SIMILAR IN TAVI vs SAVR

## LONG-TERM DURABILITY: NEED MORE DATA TO CONFIRM





# Différence de durabilité des prothèses TAVI entre-elles ?

Très peu de données +++



Sapien 3U



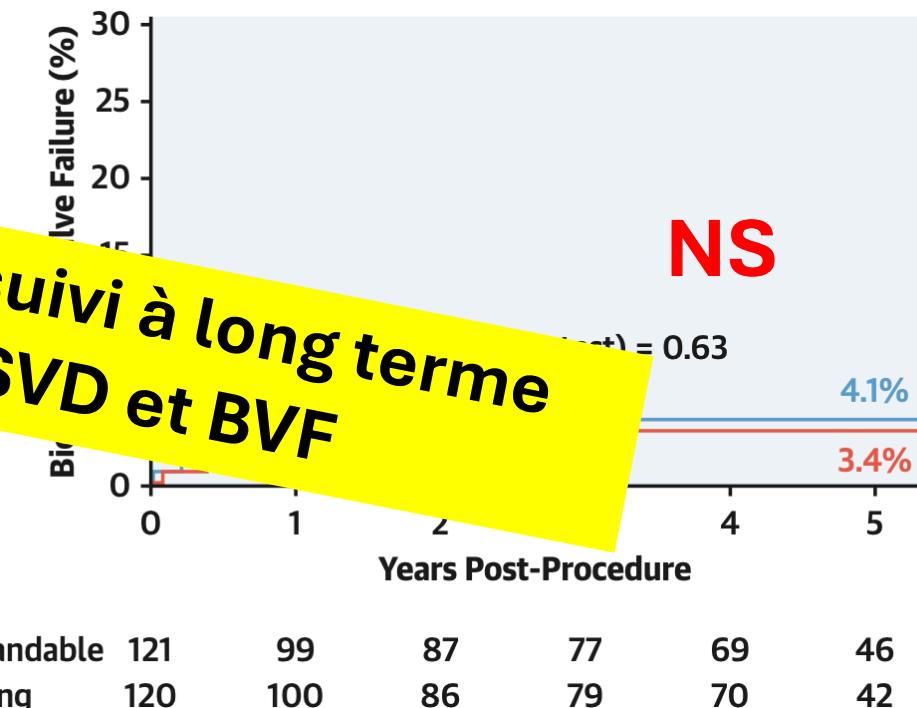
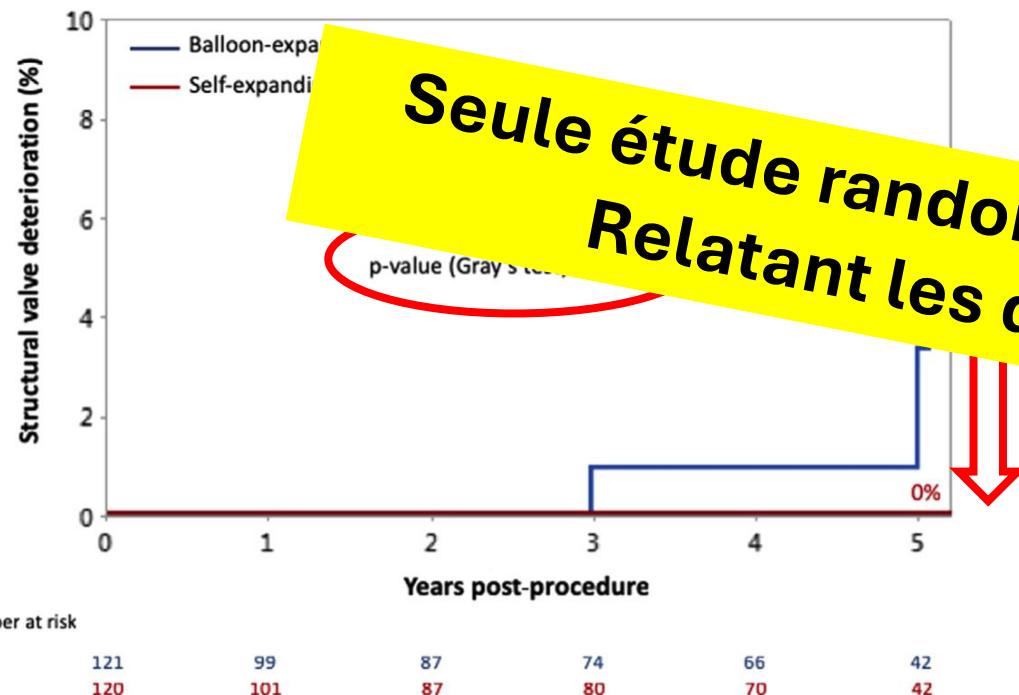
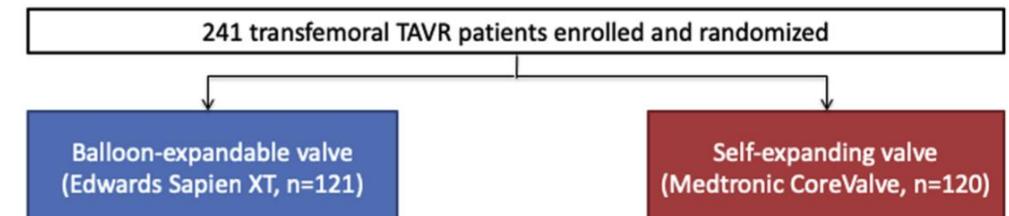
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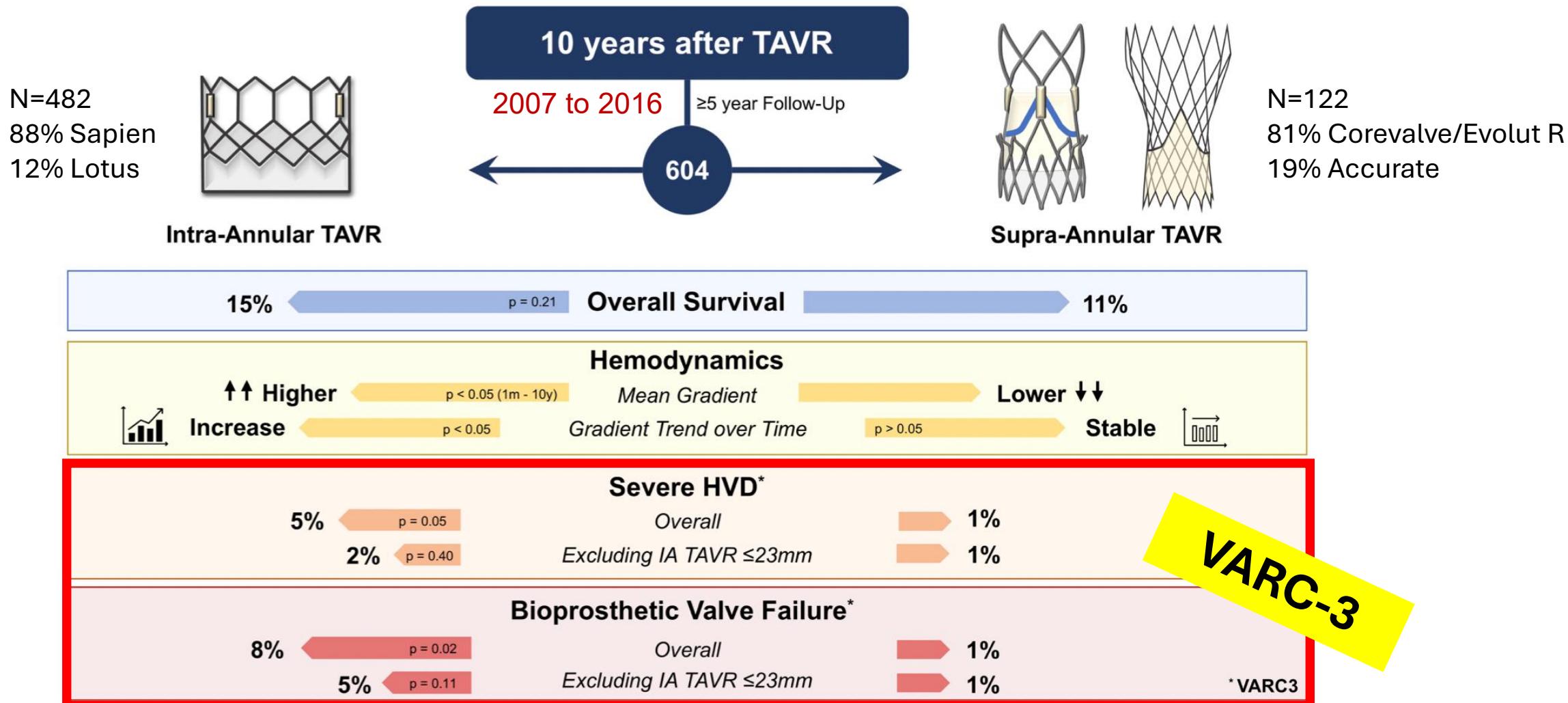
# Moins de SVD mais pas de BVF entre Corevalve et Sapien XT

## 5-Year Outcomes After TAVR With Balloon-Expandable Versus Self-Expanding Valves Results From the CHOICE Randomized Clinical Trial



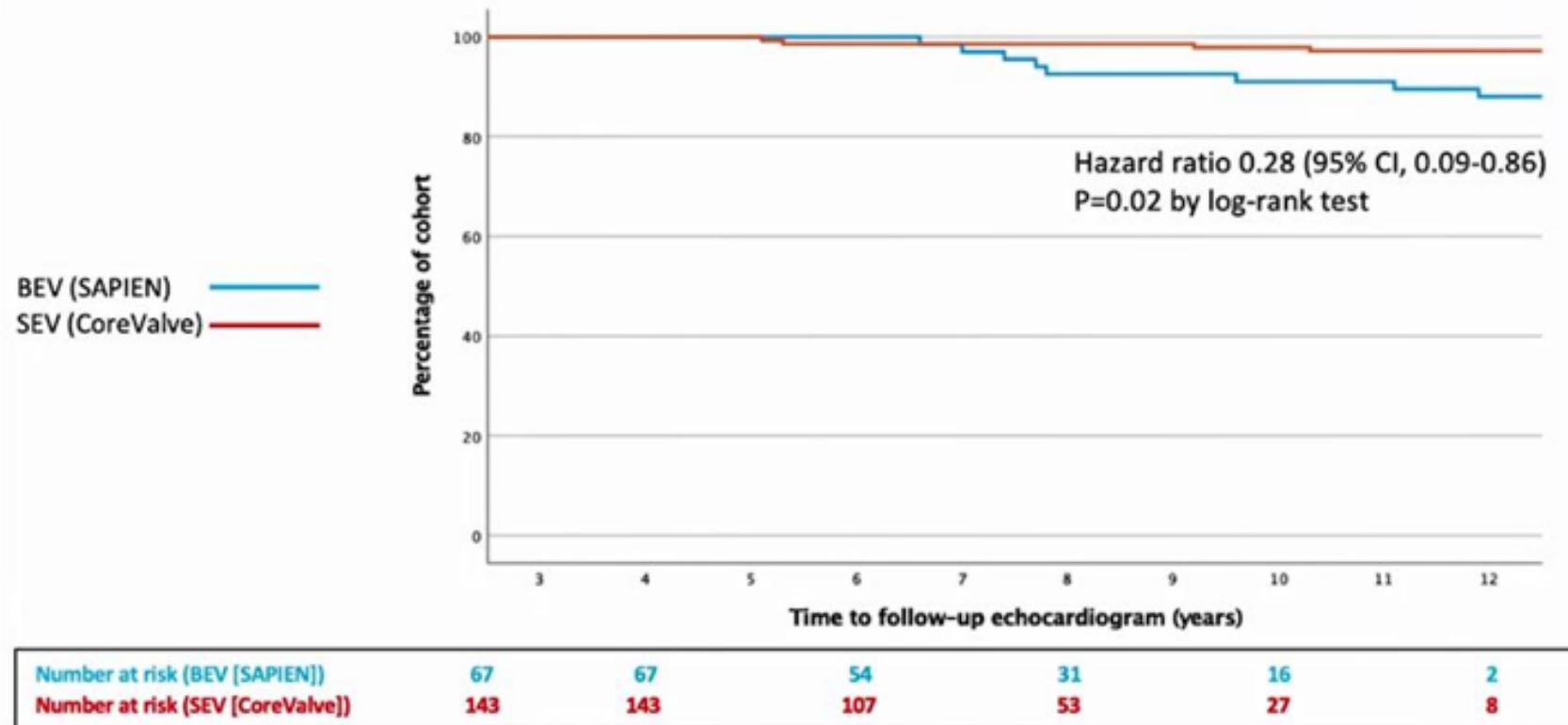
# Moins de SVD et de BVF avec prothèses supra-annulaires

## PUREVALVE registry



# Moins de Severe SVD à 10 ans avec SEV vs. BEV

## UK TAVI registry at 10 years



### *Comparison of valve types*

Higher proportion of SAPIEN BEV developed severe SVD compared to CoreValve SEV  
(8/67 [11.9%] vs. 5/143 [3.5%]; p=0.02)

**Les pistes ?**

# Le design de la prothèse

Stress mécanique plus élevé pour les prothèses balloon-expansible

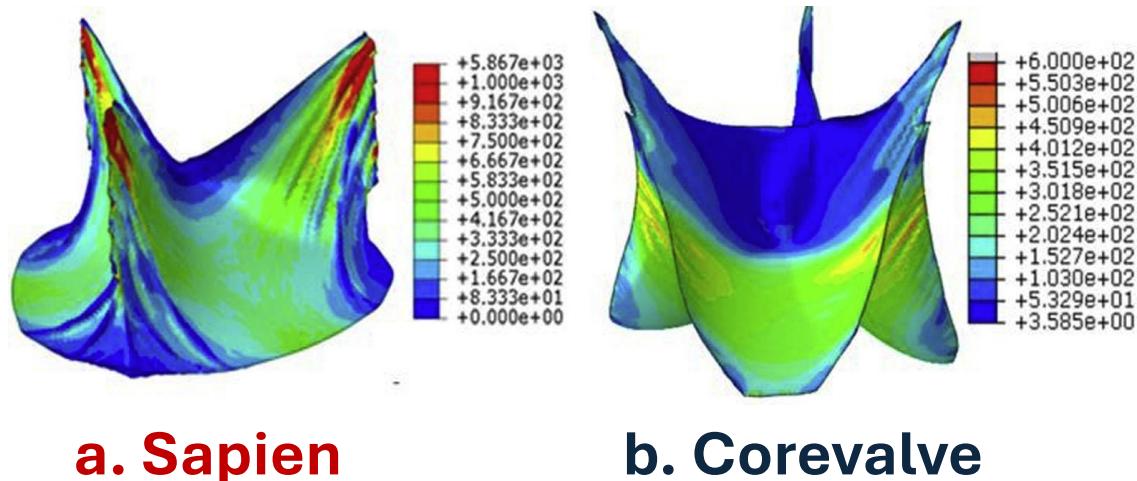
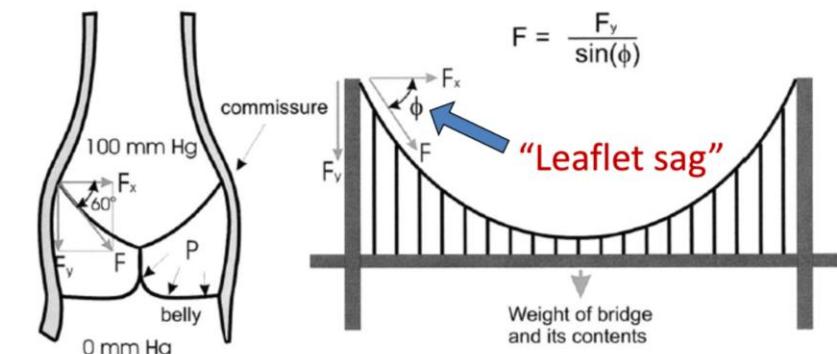


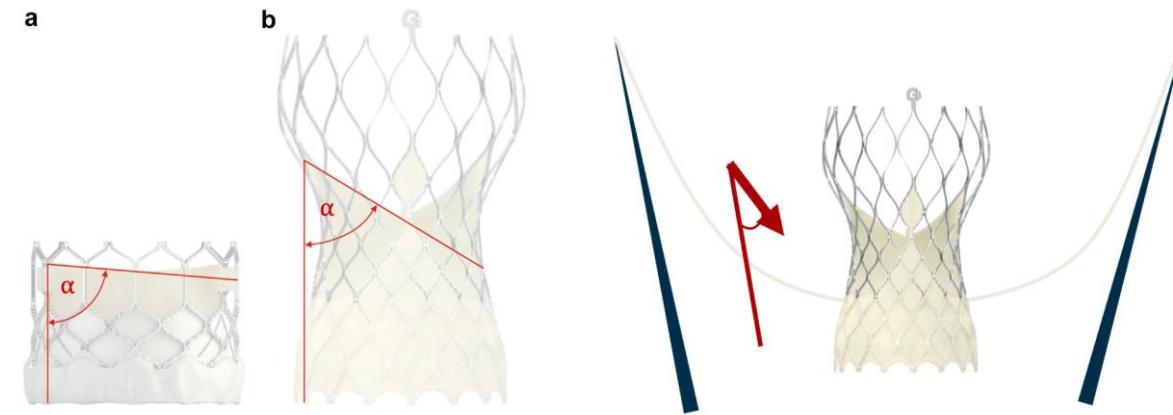
Figure 1. Maximum principal stress on the leaflets of a) Sapien and b) CoreValve.

**Self-expanding valve had 40% lower peak mechanical stress**

The greater the "sag" ( $\phi$ ), the lower the loaded stress on the leaflets



High and angled take-off optimizes leaflet sag & reduce leaflet stress

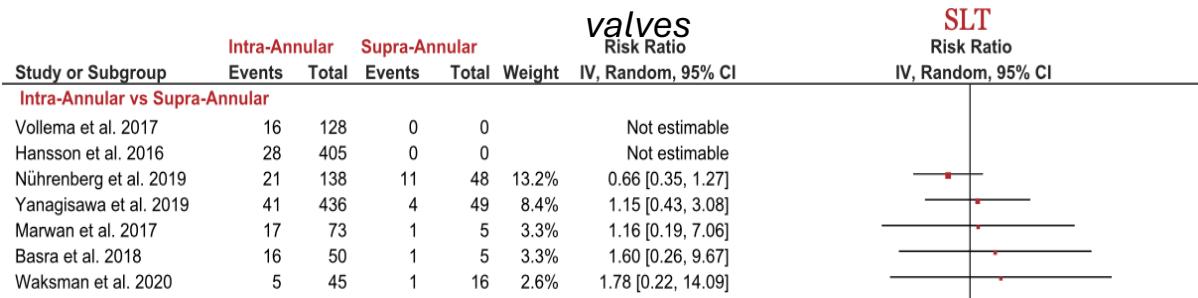


# Thrombooses de valve infracliniques

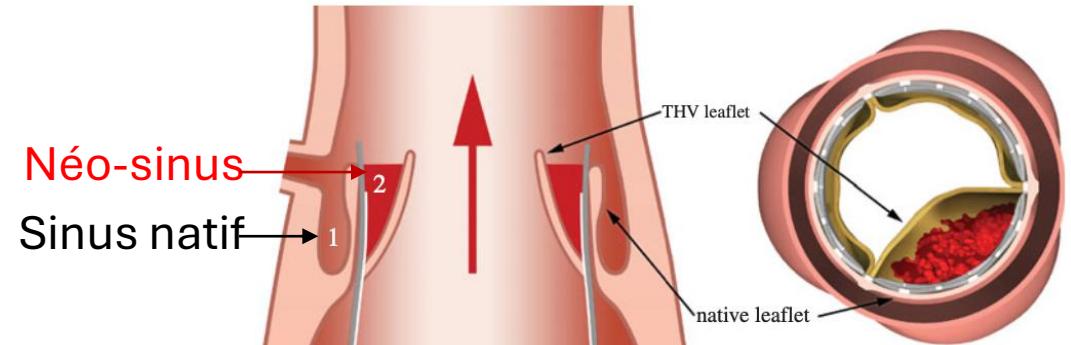
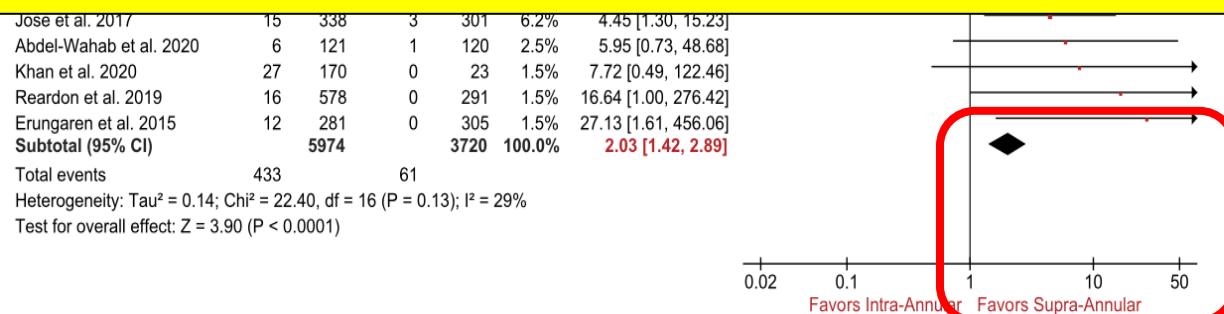
## Prothèses intra vs. supra-annulaires

### Meta-analysis (19 studies)

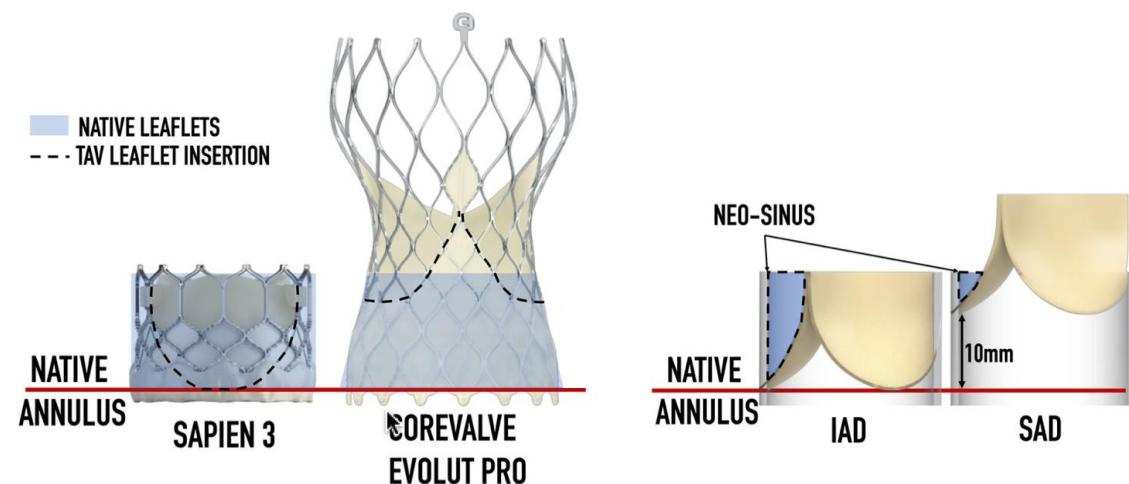
Incidence of SLT in *intra-annular* valves compared with *supra-annular*



Moins de Thrombooses infracliniques  
avec les prothèses supra-annulaires

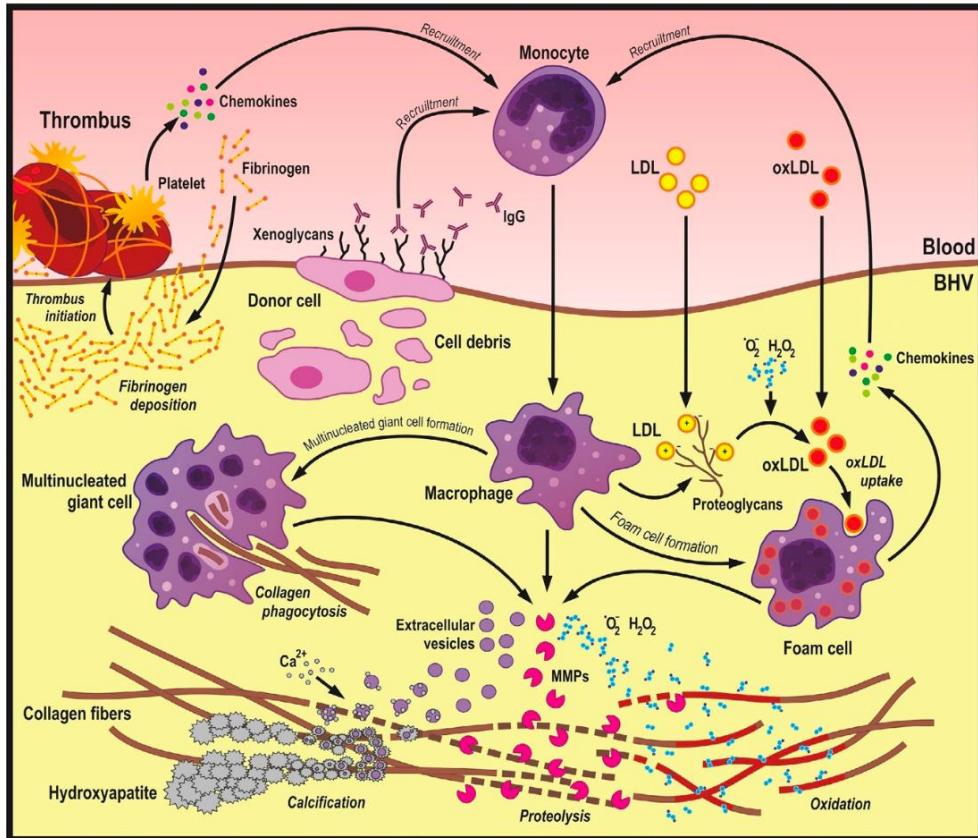


Midha et al. Circulation 2017



# Thrombose de valve ↔ dégénérescence ?

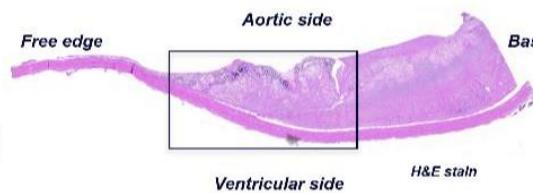
## Chronic inflammation in relation to SVD



## Two types of Calcium distribution

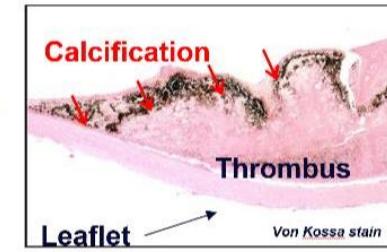
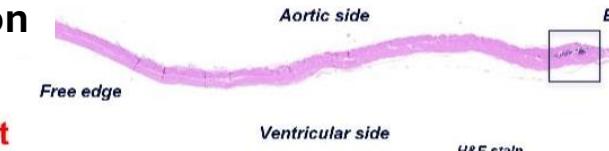
### Extrinsic calcification

Within thrombus



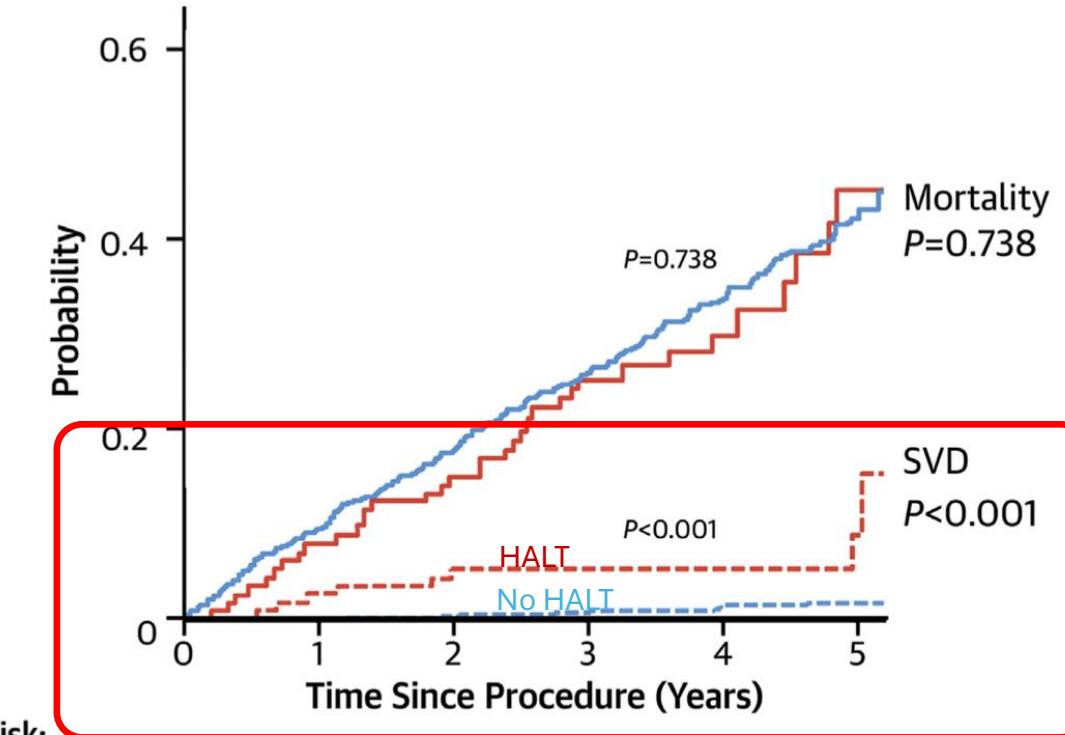
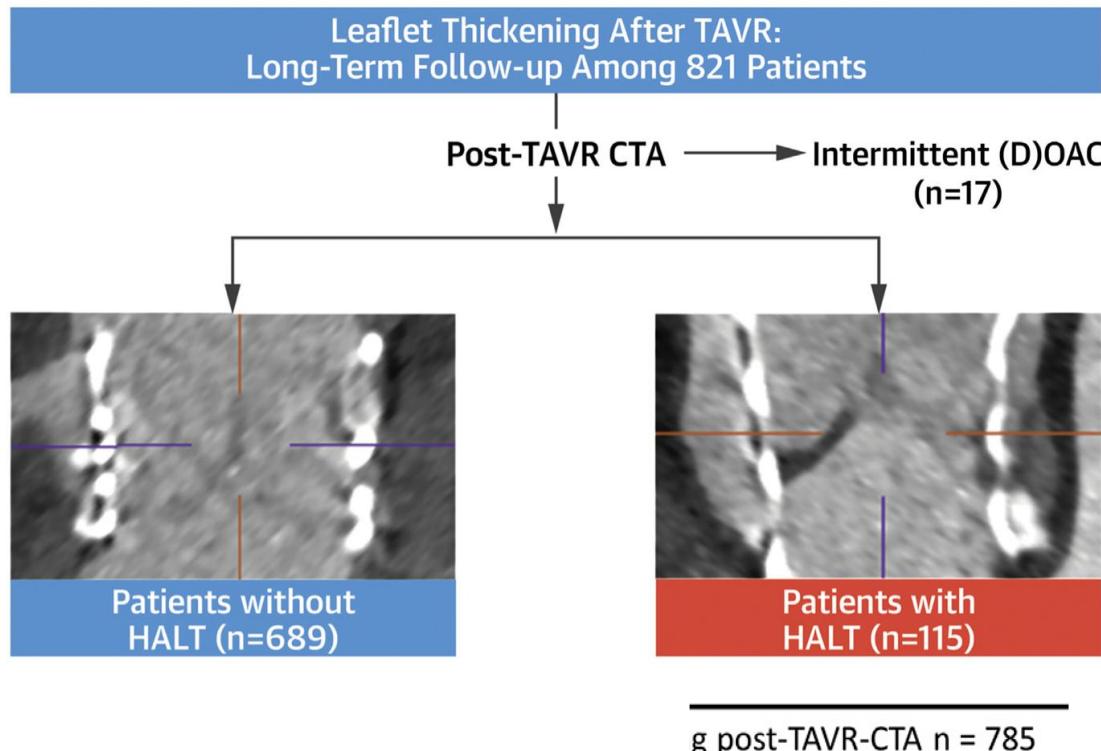
### Intrinsic calcification

Within leaflet



# Plus de SVD en cas de thromboses infra-cliniques précoces

## Long-Term Follow-Up of Hypoattenuated Leaflet Thickening After Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement



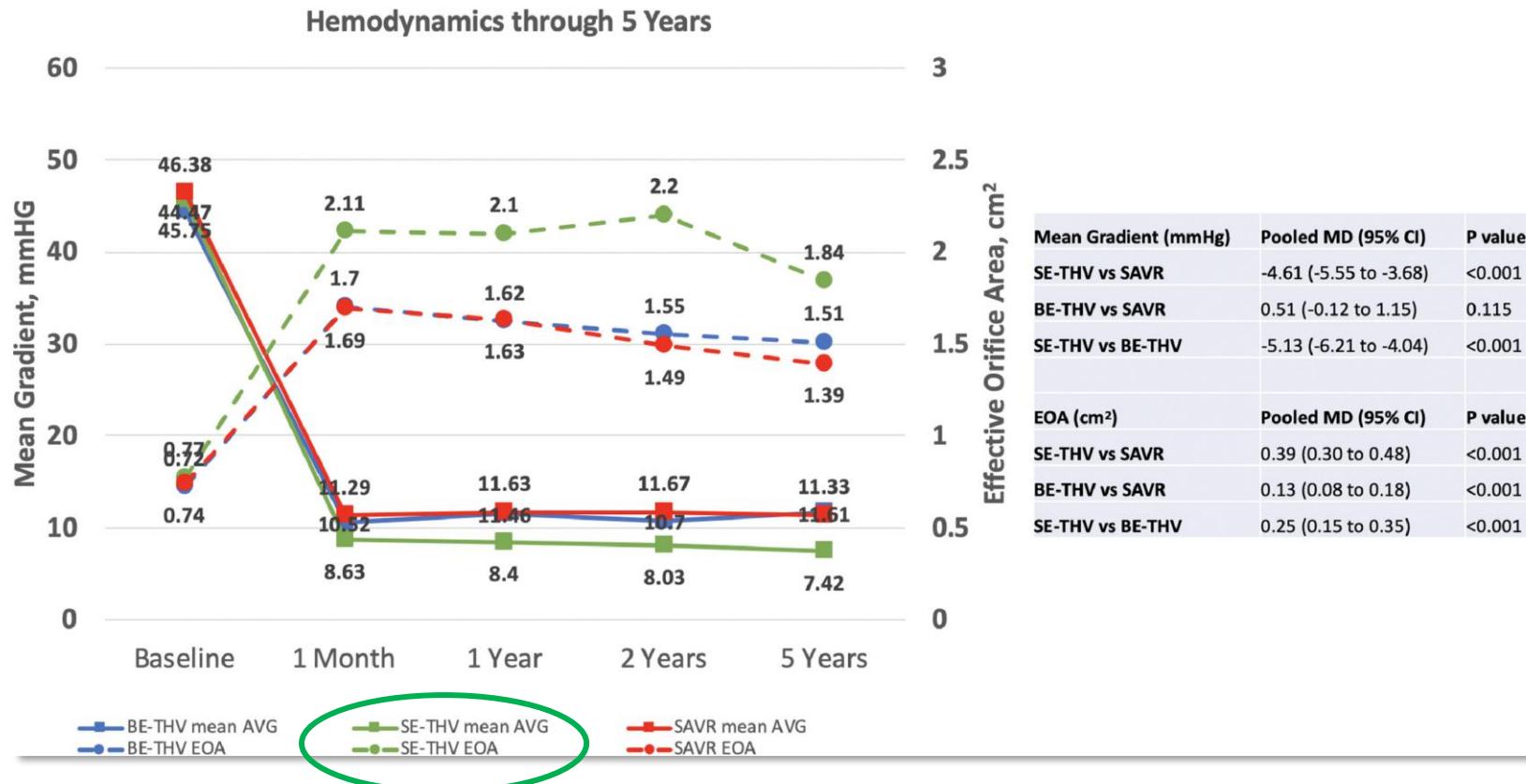
No. at risk:

—	No HALT	689	617	552	461	310	189
—	HALT	115	101	91	74	42	15
- - -	No HALT	689	449	435	378	242	154
- - -	HALT	115	76	70	60	29	13

SVD = symptomatic hemodynamic valve deterioration

# L'Hémodynamique

Gradients moins élevés et surfaces plus grandes  
avec les valves self-expanding



# Gradients moins élevés et surfaces plus grandes avec les valves self-expanding

## Encore plus marqué pour les petits anneaux

Bioprosthetic Valve Performance  
After Transcatheter Aortic Valve  
Replacement With Self-Expanding  
Versus Balloon-Expandable Valves in  
Large Versus Small Aortic Valve Annuli

Insights From the CHOICE Trial and the  
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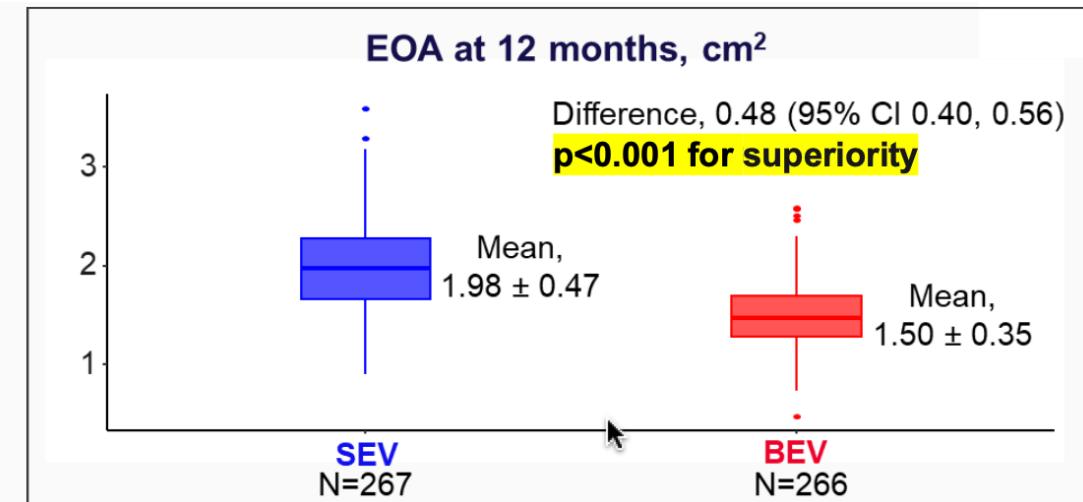
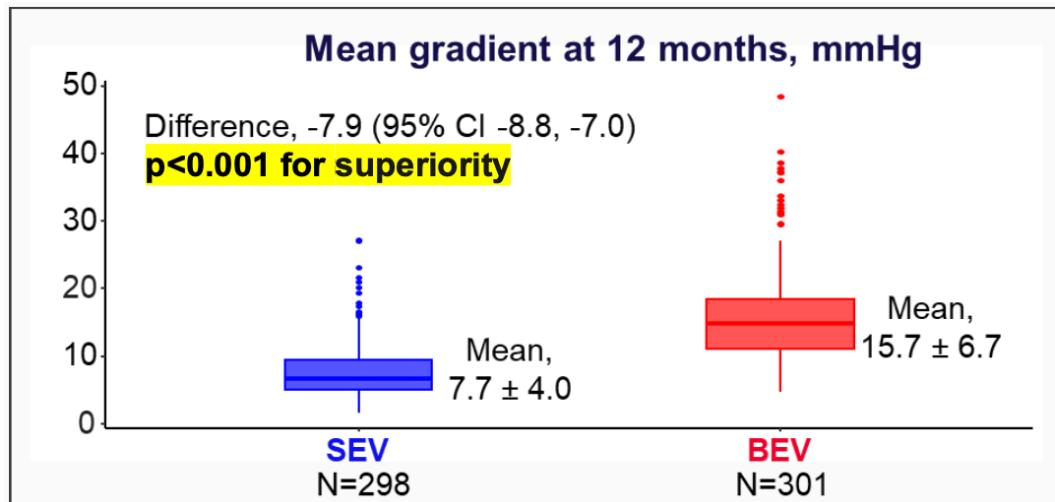
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Evolut PRO and SAPIEN ULTRA Performance in Small Aortic Annuli  
The OPERA-TAVI Registry

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# SMART Trial results - a landmark head-to-head randomized controlled TAVI trial

SMall Annuli Randomized To Evolut or SAPIEN = SMART Trial



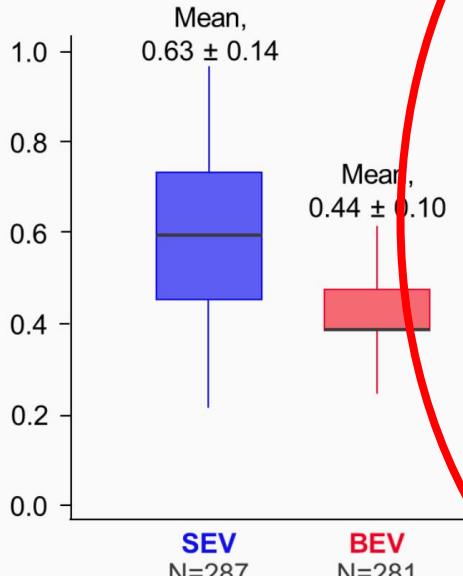
# Moins de mismatch sévère avec les prothèses self-expanding

## SMART

### Other hemodynamic outcomes at 12 months

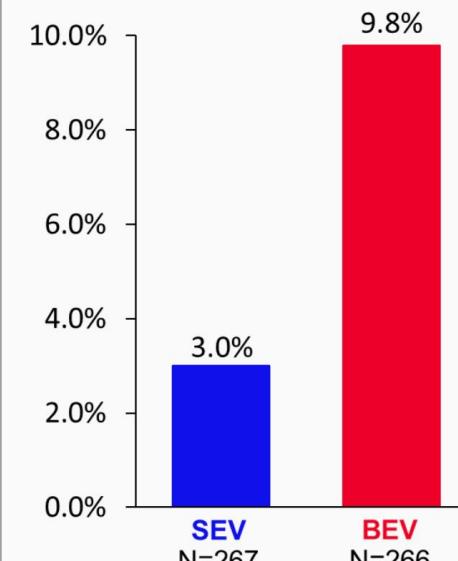
#### Doppler velocity index

Difference, 0.19 (95% CI 0.17, 0.21)  
p<0.001



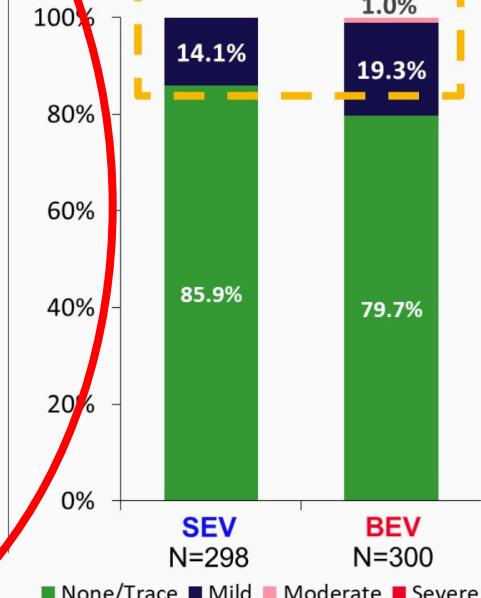
#### Severe Prosthesis-Patient Mismatch (VARC-3)

Difference, -6.8% (95% CI -10.9, -2.7)  
p=0.001



#### Total Aortic Regurgitation

$\geq$ Mild total AR at 12 months:  
14.1% SEV vs 20.3% BEV, p=0.043



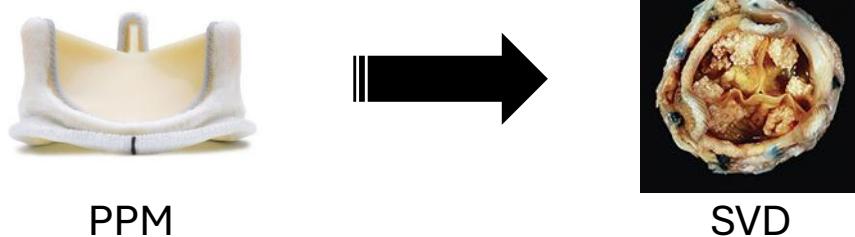
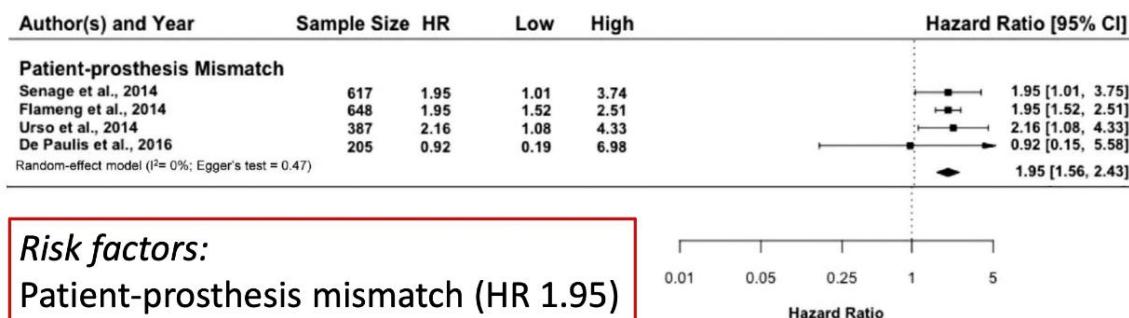
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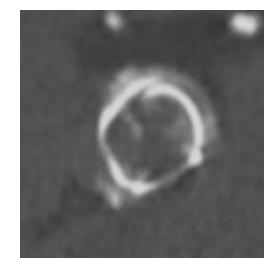
# Patient-prosthesis mismatch in SAVR patients

## Mismatch in SAVR pts promotes SVD



## Determinants of aortic bioprosthetic valve calcification assessed by multidetector CT

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**194 pts with bioprosthetic SAVR, FU= 7.9±3 yrs  
24% developed calcification on CT.**

**PPM = strongest predictor of valve calcification  
(OR =3.67; 95% CI: 1.25–10.6; P=0.01).**

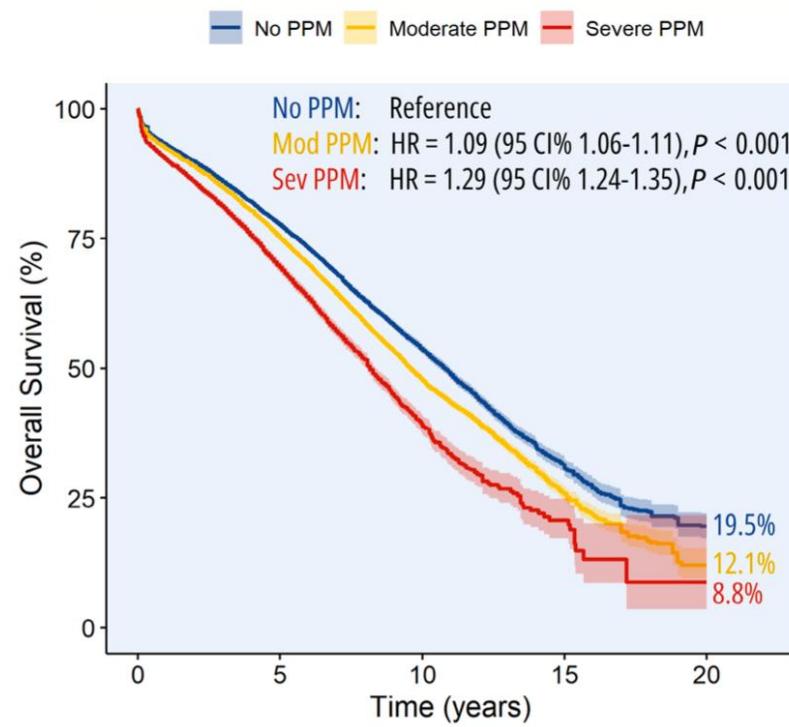
**Table 3** Multivariable predictors of bioprosthetic valve calcification

	OR	95% CI	p Value
Age (per 1 year increment)	0.96	0.92 to 1.01	0.1
Time interval since BPV implantation (per 1 year increment)	1.16	1.05 to 1.29	0.003
Calcium–phosphorus product (per 0.1 increment)	1.11	1.01 to 1.23	0.02
Prosthesis–patient mismatch	3.67	1.25 to 10.6	0.01

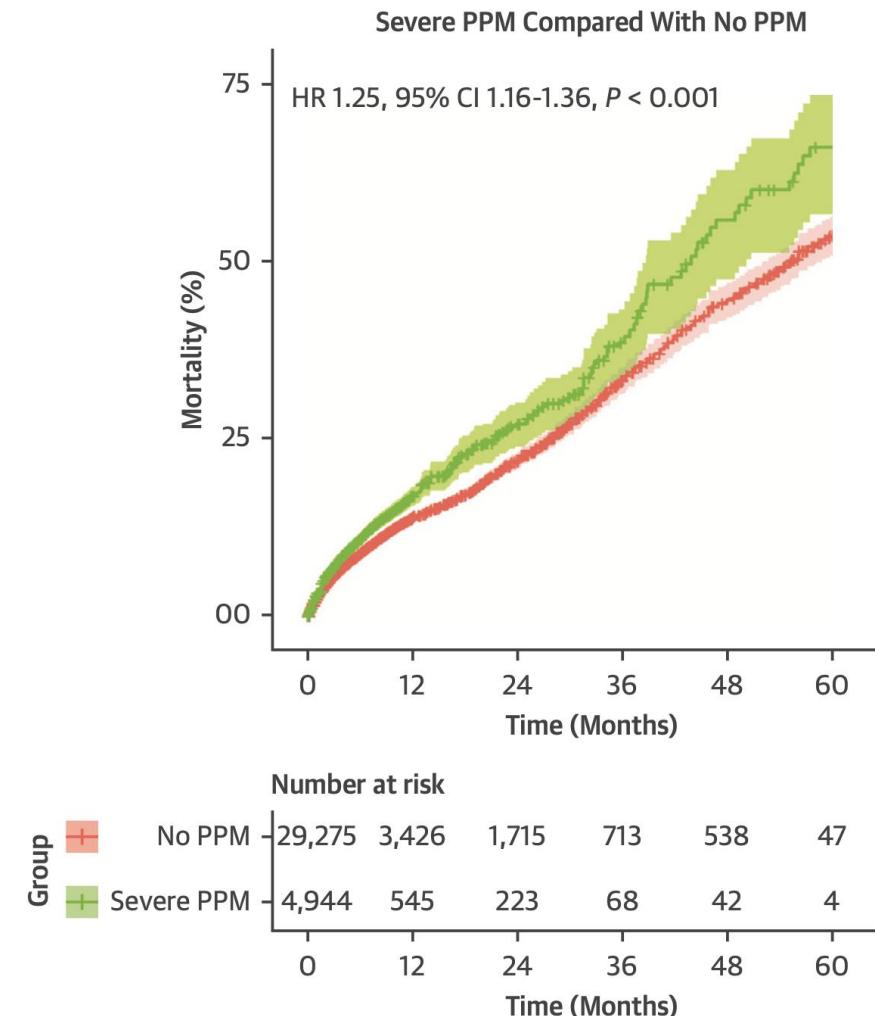
BPV, bioprosthetic valve.

# Impact du mismatch sévère sur la mortalité

## Meta-analysis - SAVR



## Meta-analysis - TAVR

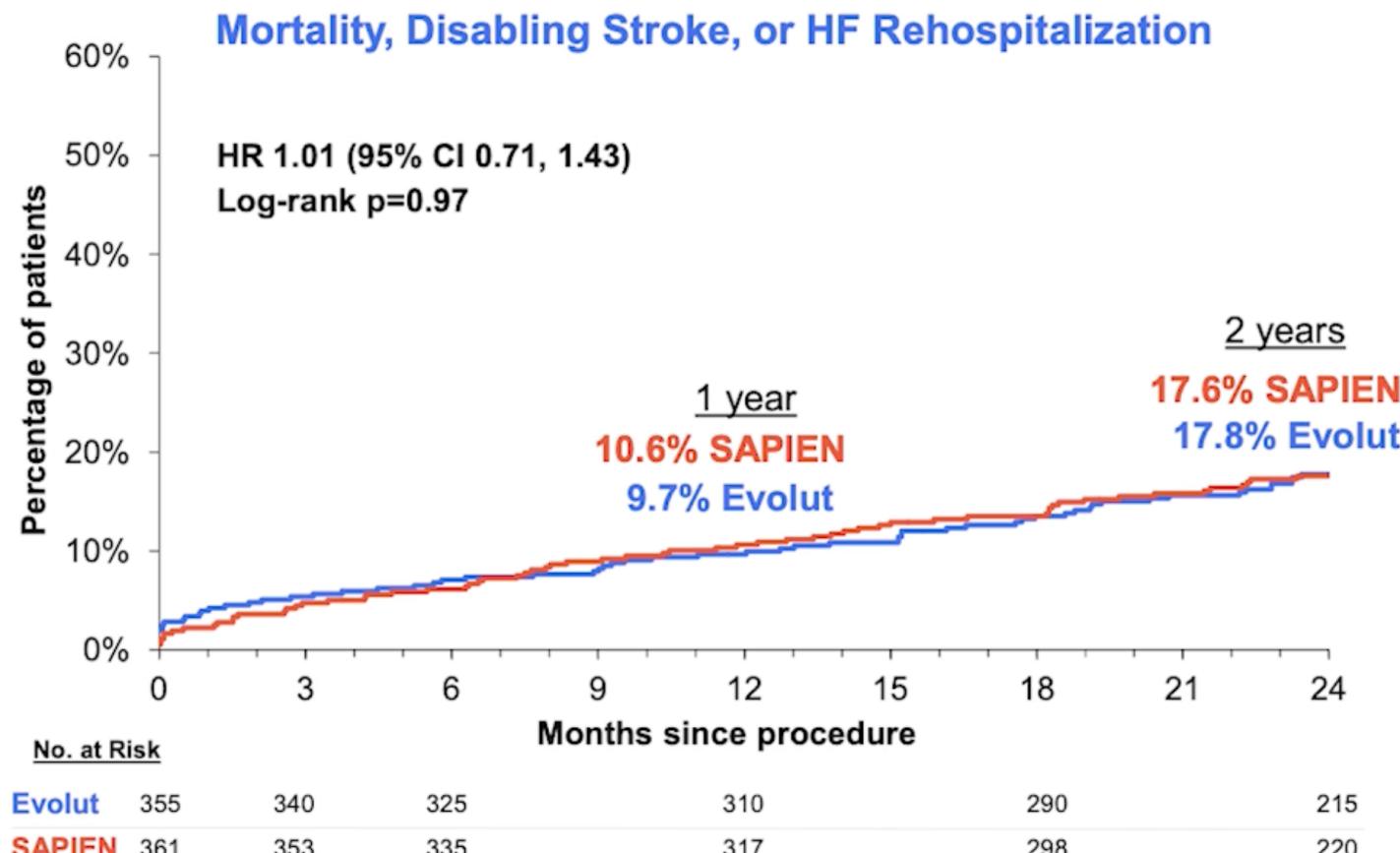


# Auto-expansible vs. Ballon-expansible dans les petits anneaux

## Pas d'impact clinique à 2 ans

### SMART trial

Clinical outcome composite & components through 2 years



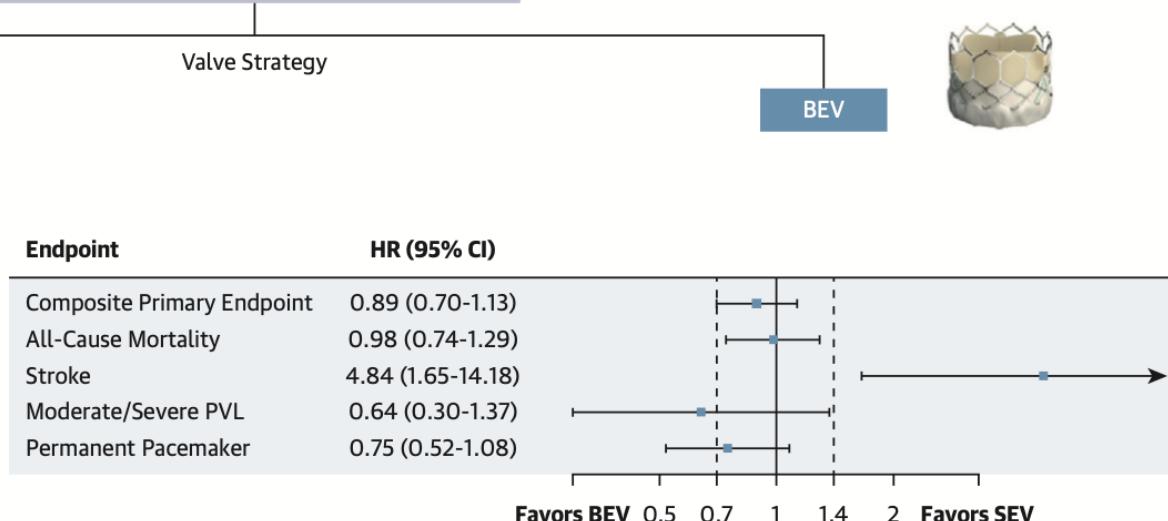
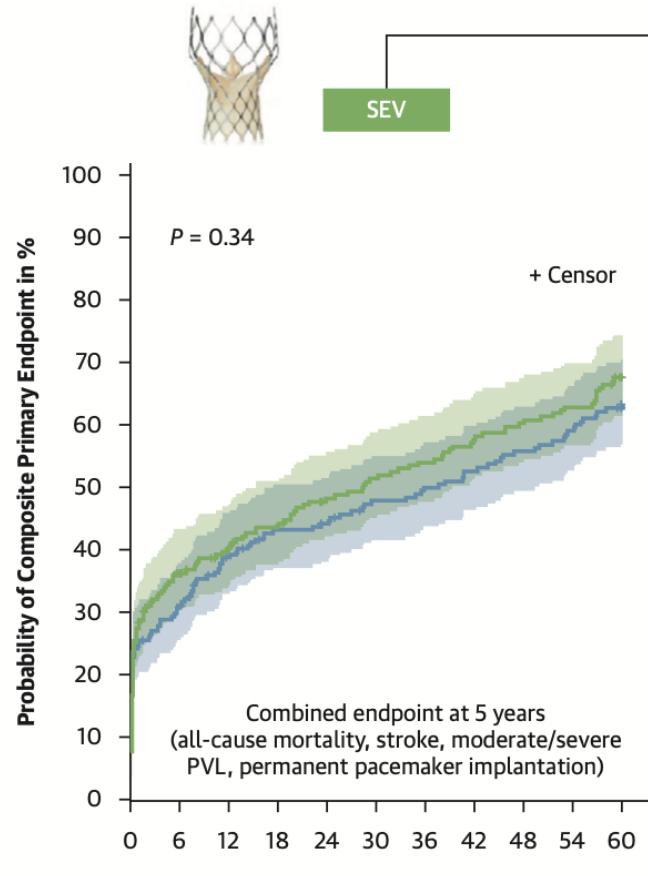
# 5-Year Results of the Randomized SOLVE-TAVI Trial

447 intermediate- to high-risk pts with symptomatic aortic stenosis



Symptomatic Aortic Stenosis With TAVR Indication

Valve Strategy





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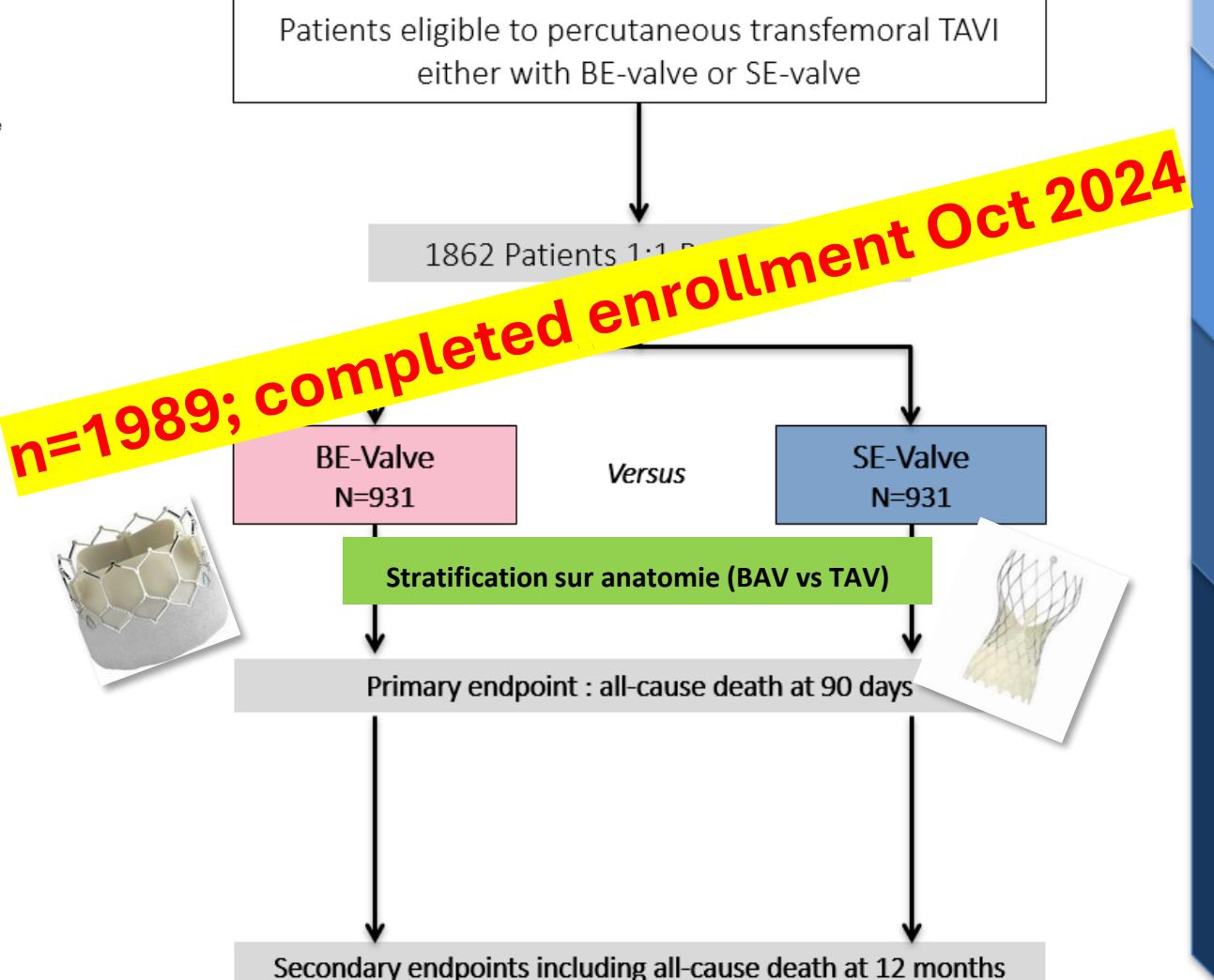


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## Take Home Message

- La durabilité des prothèses TAVI est une question essentielle au moment où l'espérance de vie des patients implantés augmentent.
- Plus de 20 après l'implantation du premier TAVI, la durabilité de ces prothèses est éprouvée et semble au moins similaire aux prothèses chirurgicales.
- Des études comparant les prothèses TAVI de nouvelles générations et utilisant les définitions standardisées VARC-3 (SVD & BVF) sont en cours avec des suivis prévus à très long-terme (SMART, BEST).

Merci !

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