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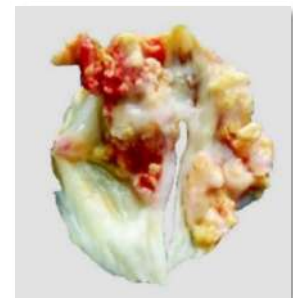
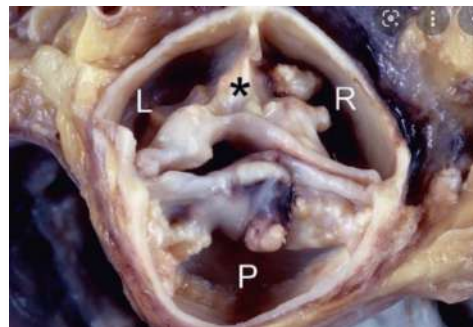


Toutes les bicuspidies se valent-elles ?

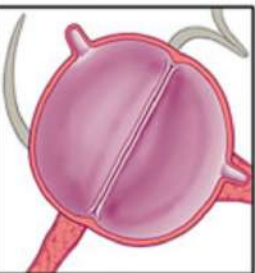
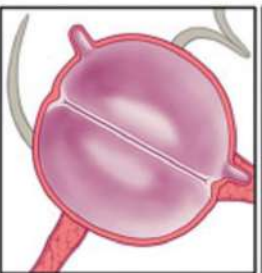
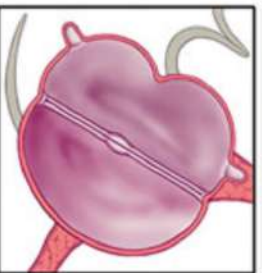
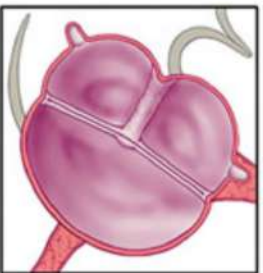
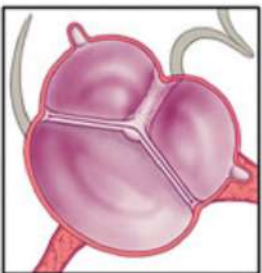
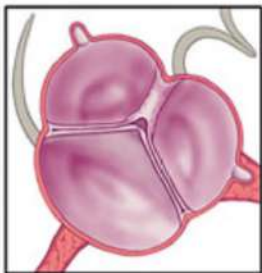
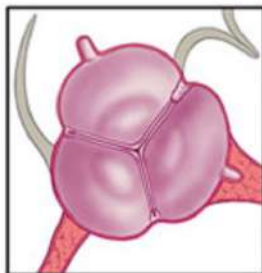
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Anatomical Spectrum of BAV



Partial-fusion BAV
(Forme Fruste)

Fused BAV
Very asymmetric

Fused BAV
Asymmetric

Fused BAV
Symmetric

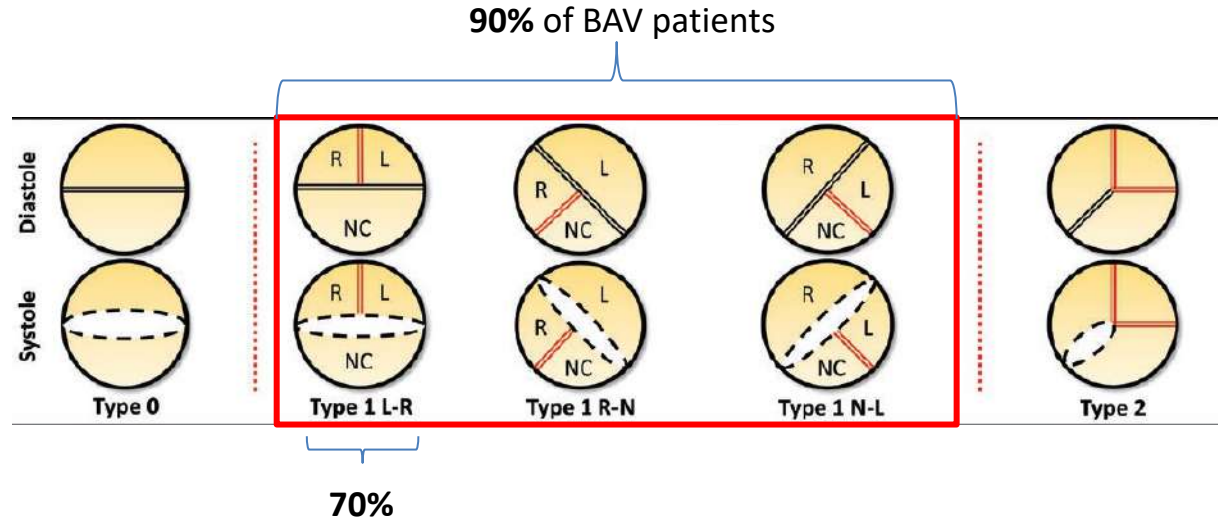
Fused BAV
Symmetric no raphe

2-Sinus BAV
Antero-posterior

2-Sinus BAV
Latero-lateral

Cligmore

Sievers classification



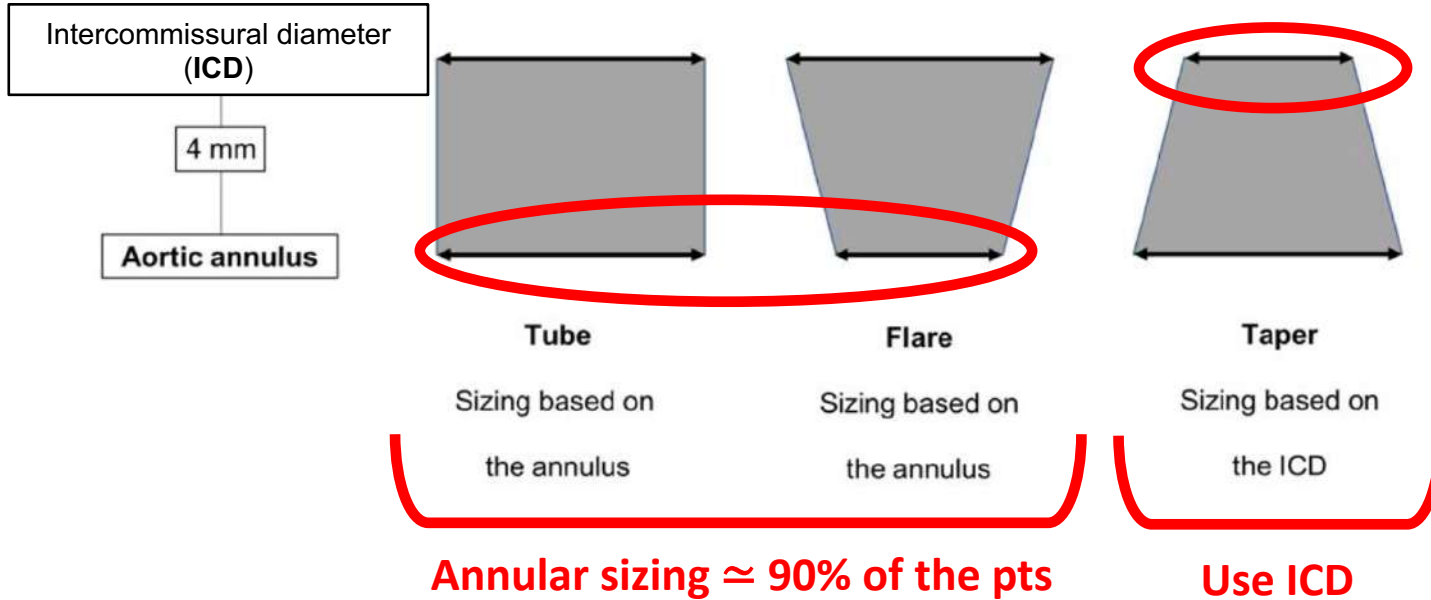
- Based on **number of Raphe** and orientation
- Insufficient to delineate the complexity of BAV

Adapted from Sievers et al, J Thorac Cardiovasc surgery, 2007

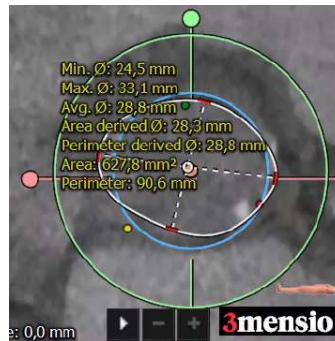
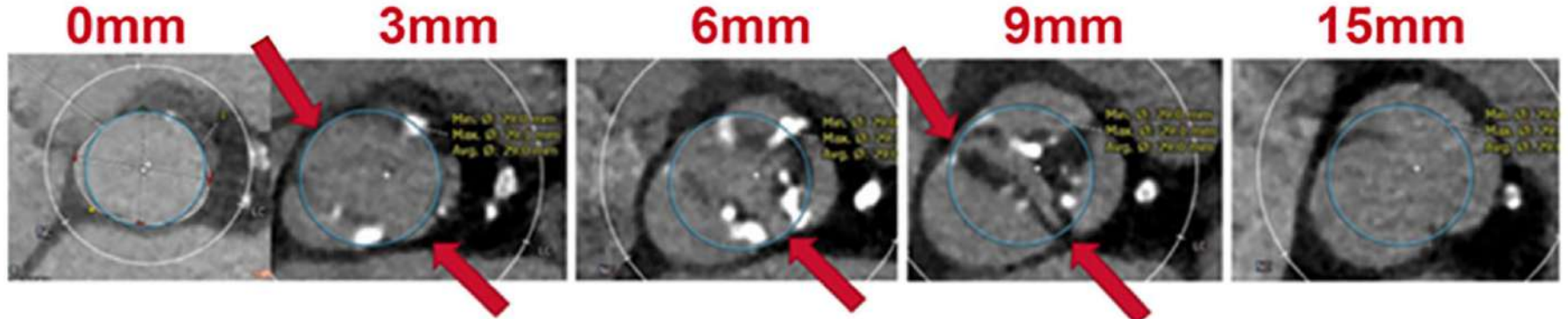
Anatomic features and procedural challenges

	Anatomic challenges	Procedural challenges
Annulus	Elliptical annulus (type 0 > 1) Large size	PVL risk
Calcification	Dense calcium Middle leaflet	Root injury, pacemaker, stroke risk, coronary obstruction
Raphe	Calcified raphe Position, Assymetry	PVL, underexpansion, root injury, unpredictable valve movement
Aortopathy	Dilated ascending aorta Horizontal aorta	Aortic injury (weak media tunica) Crossing valve issues Positioning issues

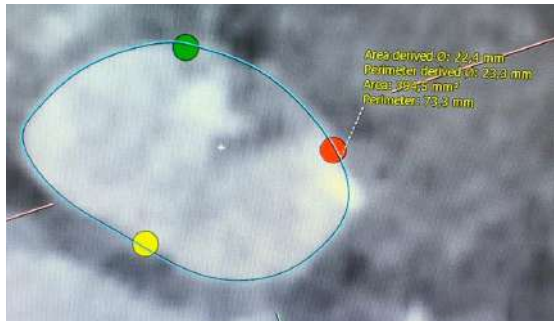
Select the smallest dimension



Circle line technique



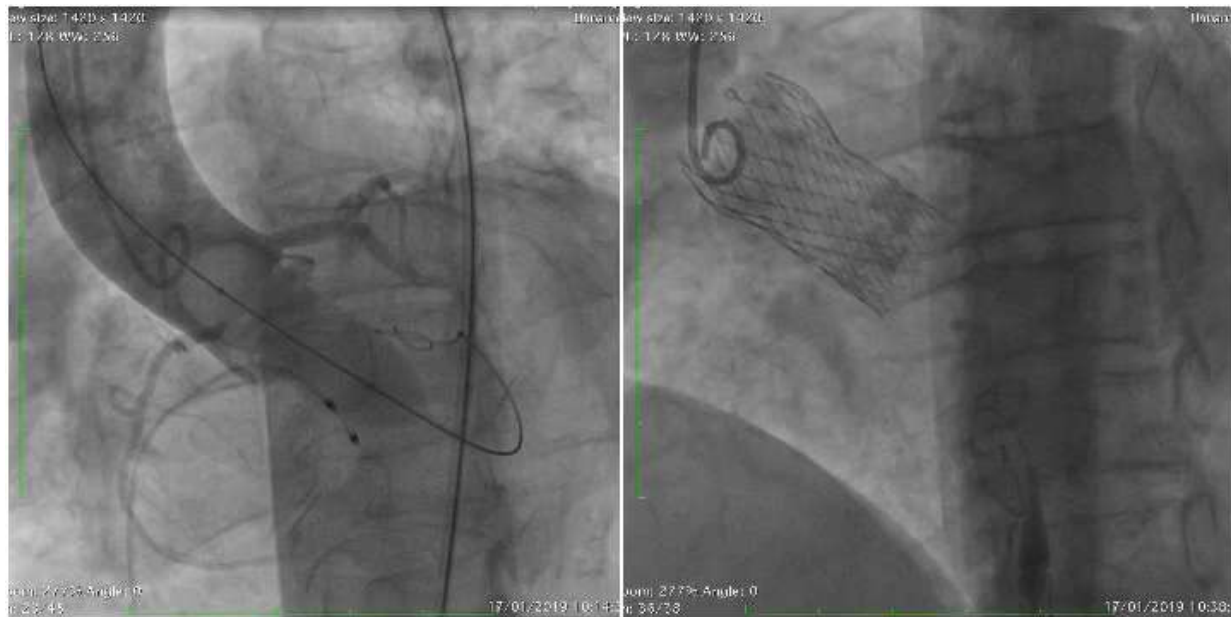
Perimeter derived Diam = 23.3mm



4mm IDC= 22.8mm

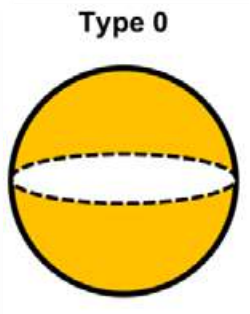
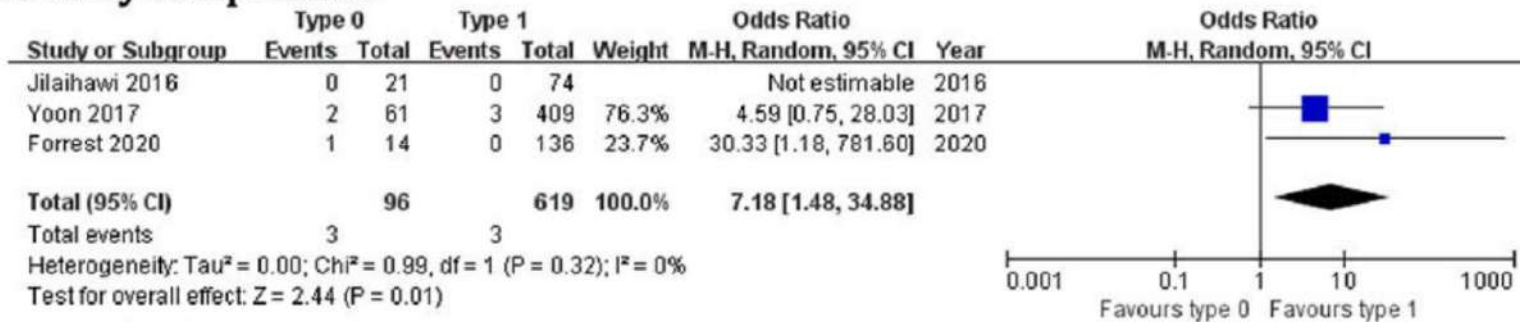


Evolut Pro 26mm



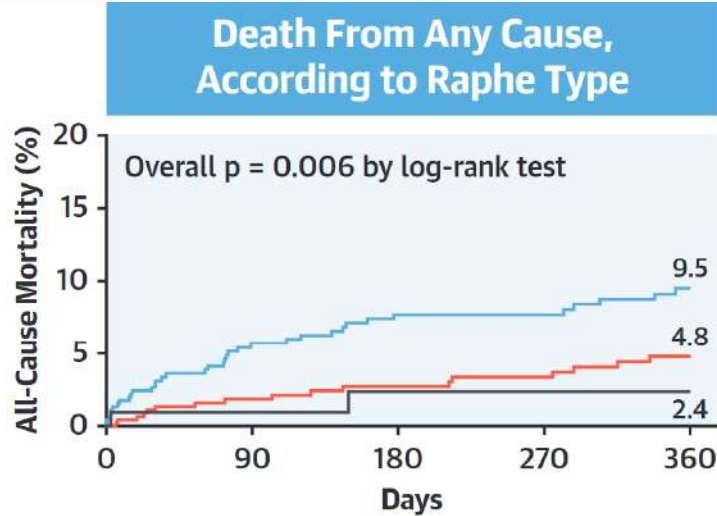
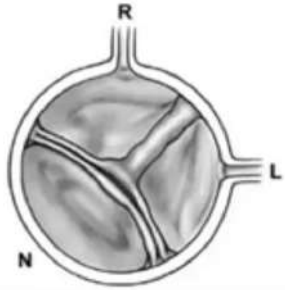
Absence of raphe

coronary compromise



- Increased risk of coronary obstruction
- Elevated mean gradient (more elliptical ?)
- More frequently treated with SE-valve

Presence of Raphe

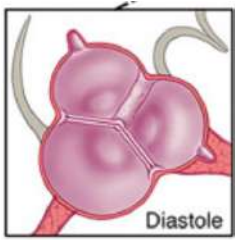


No. at Risk

— Calcified Raphe (Type 1)	461	317	229
— Noncalcified Raphe (Type 1)	466	320	242
— No Raphe (Type 0)	107	65	49

Calcified raphe = calcification > half the raphe

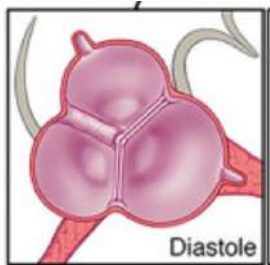
Position of Raphe



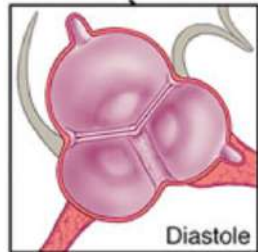
Type 1 LR fusion



- Increase new PPI risk (increase compression of the membranous septum / His Bundle under NCC)



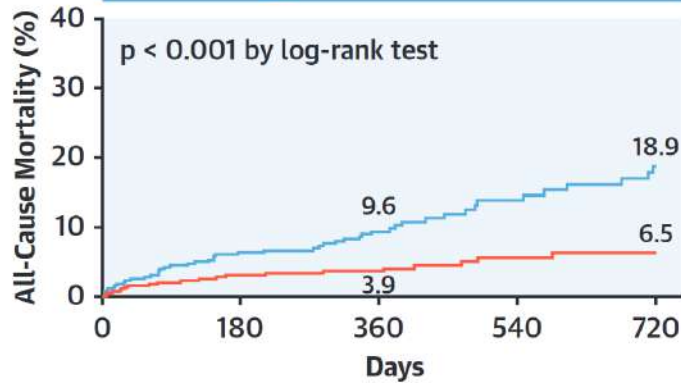
Type 1 RC fusion



Type 1 LN fusion

- Increase risk of coronary obstruction (long lealets, calcified tips)

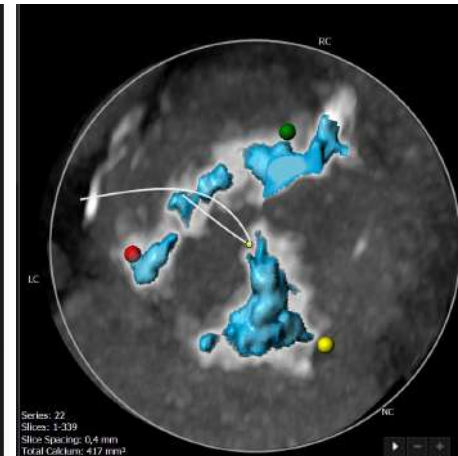
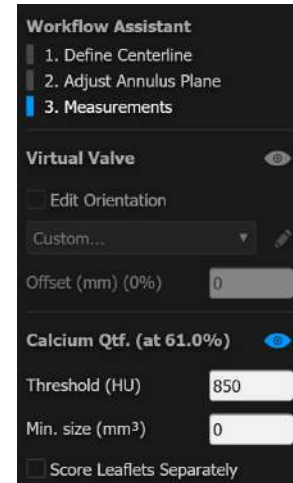
Death From Any Cause, According to Leaflet Calcification



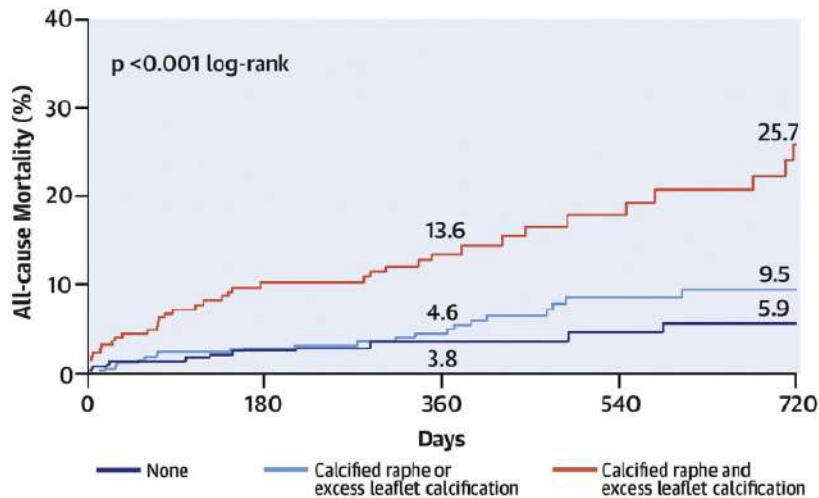
No. at Risk

	0	360	720
Excess Leaflet calcification	517	242	89
Mild Leaflet calcification	517	278	114

- Excess calcification = calcium volume > **382mm³**



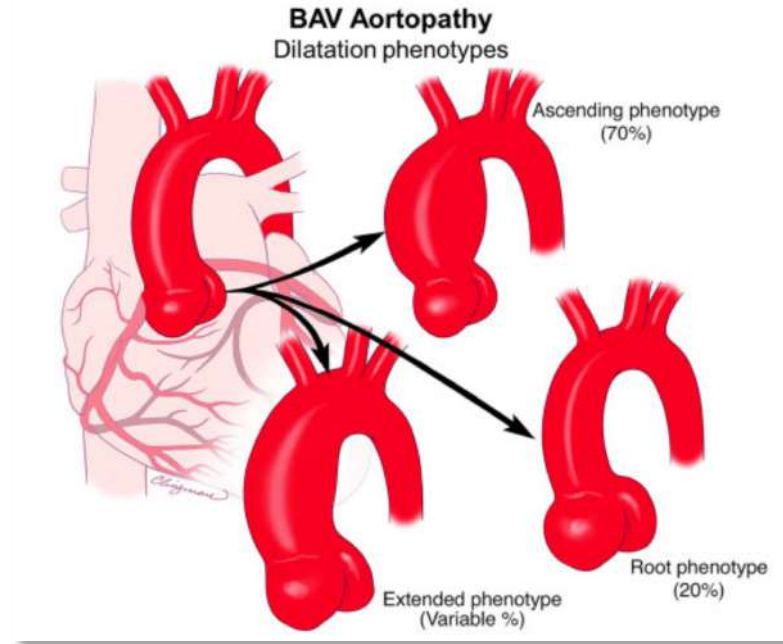
Excessive leaflet calcification + calcified raphe



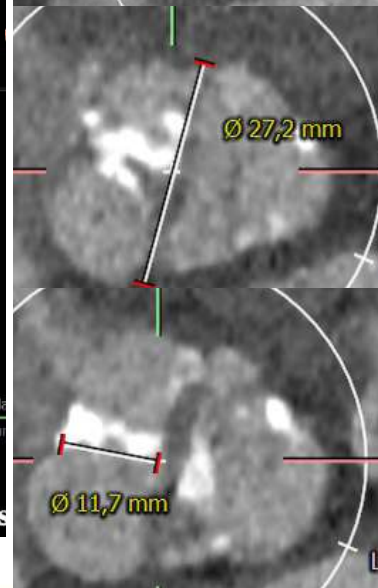
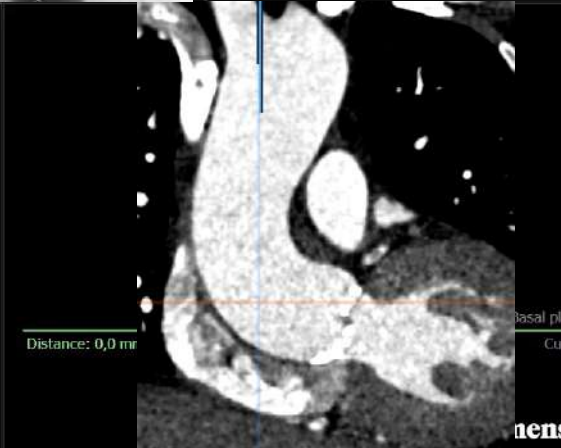
- Aortic root injury x 3
- New PPI 15%
- PVL, conversion to surgery

Yoon et al, JACC 2020

- Larger and more horizontal vs tricuspid
- 3 phenotypes :
 - Ascending (70%) : most common, older BAV, stenosis, type 1 R/N
 - Root (20%) : younger, regurgitation, type 1 L/N and L/R
 - Entire aorta (10%): type 2



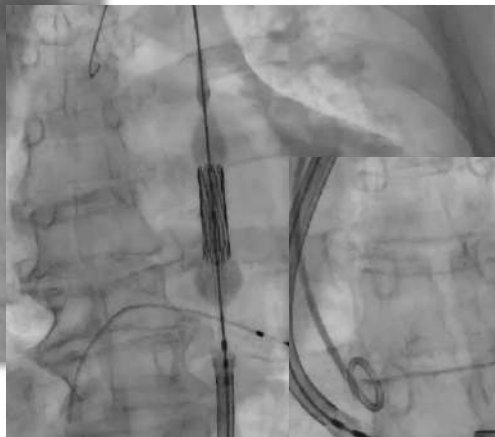
Type 1 R/N



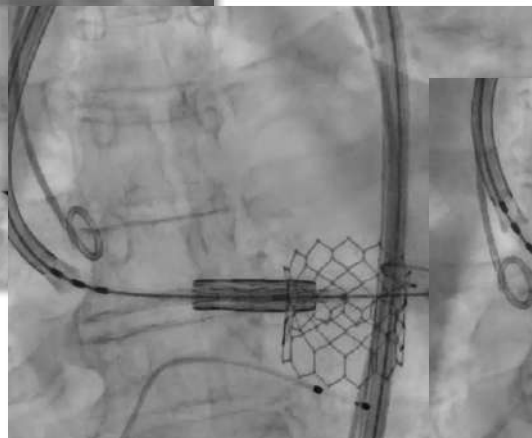
- Annulus sizing (flared)
- No excess leaflet calcification
- Calcified Raphe
- Horizontal dilated aorta



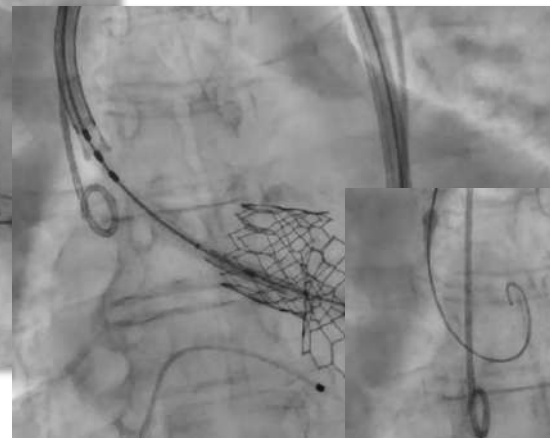
No predilatation



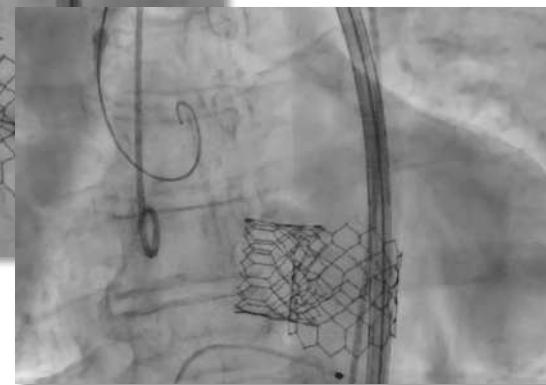
Crossing failure



2nd valve
implantation



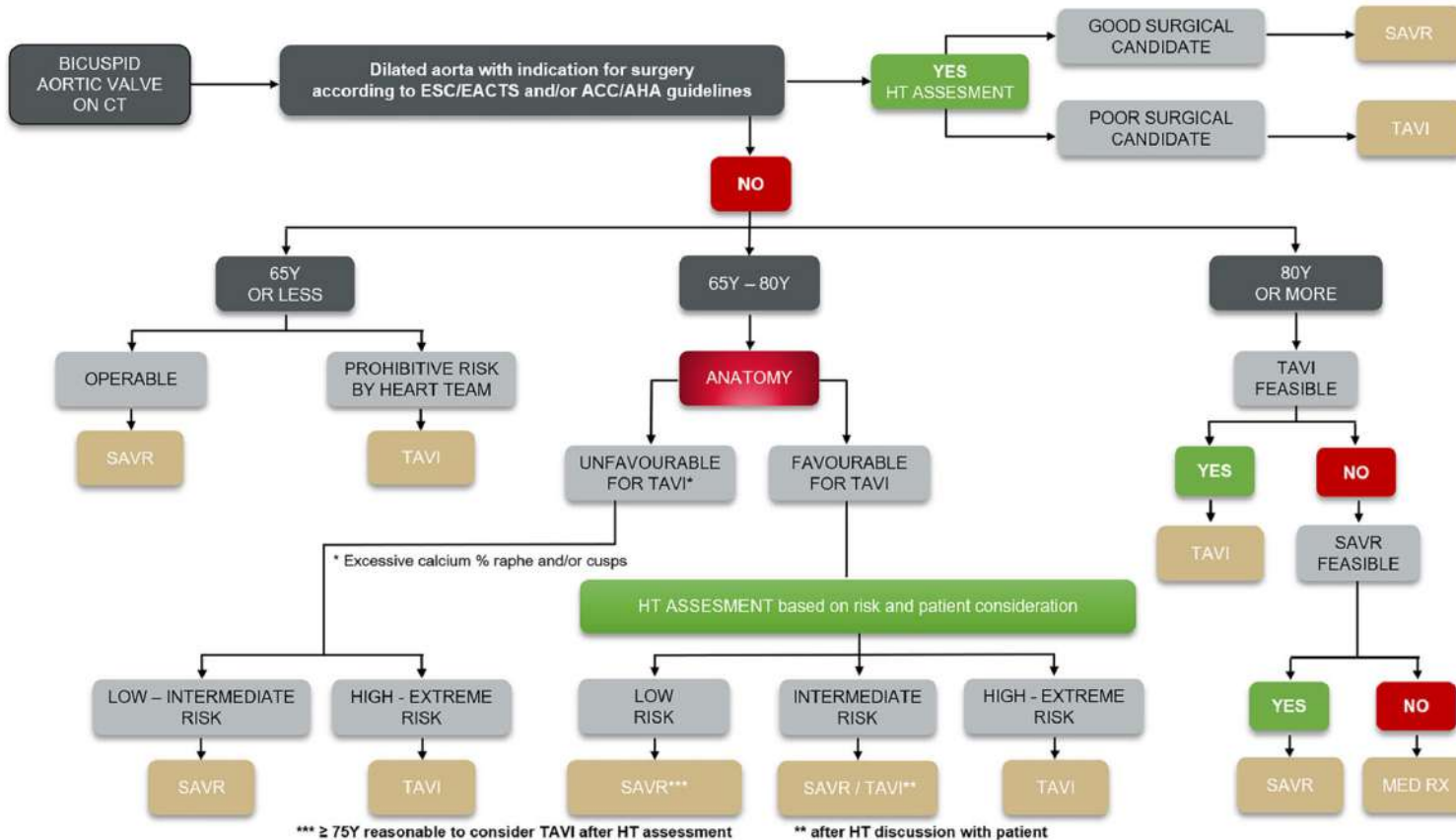
Postdilatation



Final angio

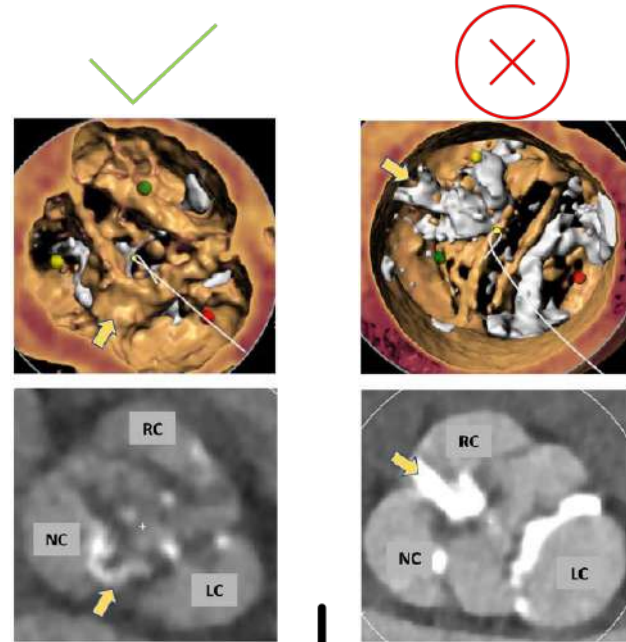
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Decision tree TAVR vs SAVR

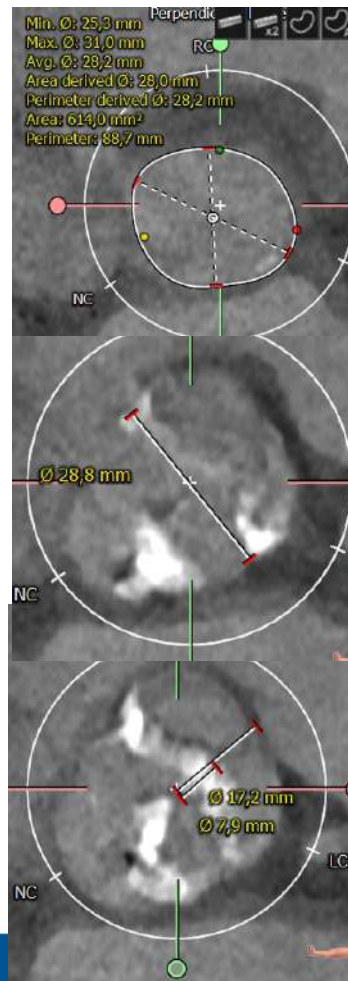
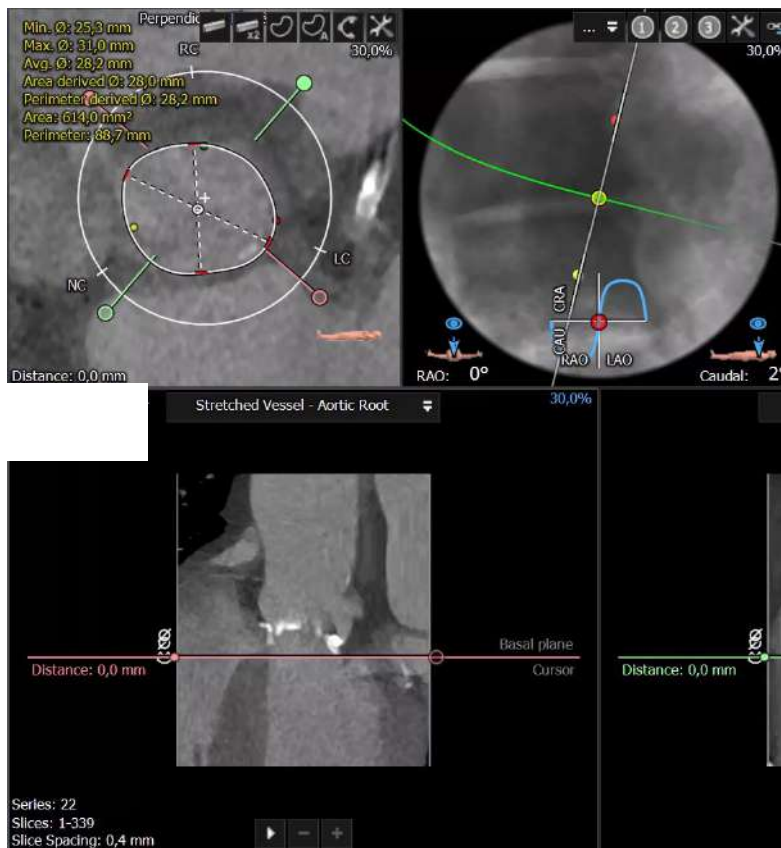


Weight of anatomical complexity to choose between TAVR and SAVR

Favorable for transcatheter aortic valve replacement	Favorable for surgical aortic valve replacement
Tricommissural bicuspid aortic valve with incomplete raphe (Incomplete or acquired Type 1 Sievers)	Sievers type 1 with heavily calcified raphe and excess leaflet calcification
Sievers type 1 with noncalcified raphe or incomplete raphe	Sievers type 2
Sievers type 0 (if circularity preserved)	Extreme elliptic shape
Annulus dimensions within transcatheter heart valve sizing range	highly calcified leaflet
Homogenous and moderate calcified leaflets	Circumferential calcifications
Absence of aortopathy or aorta dimension <45 mm (50 mm in high-risk patients)	Highly calcified left ventricular out-flow tract
	Low calcium burden and large annulus (mixed aortic regurgitation and aortic stenosis)
	Shallow/effaced sinus and long calcified leaflet or low coronary takeoff
	Anomaly of coronary implantation

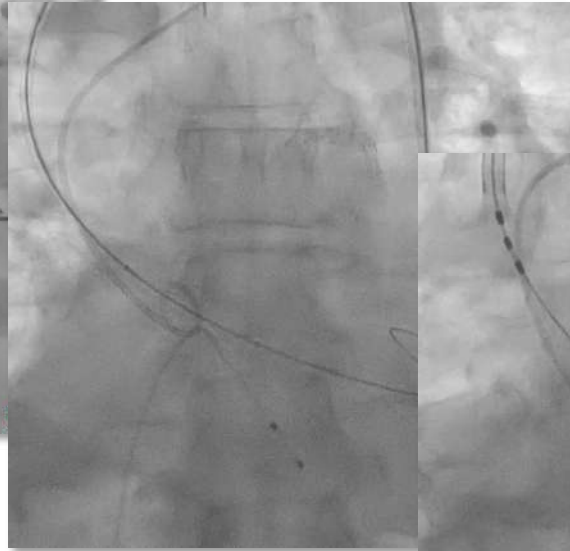
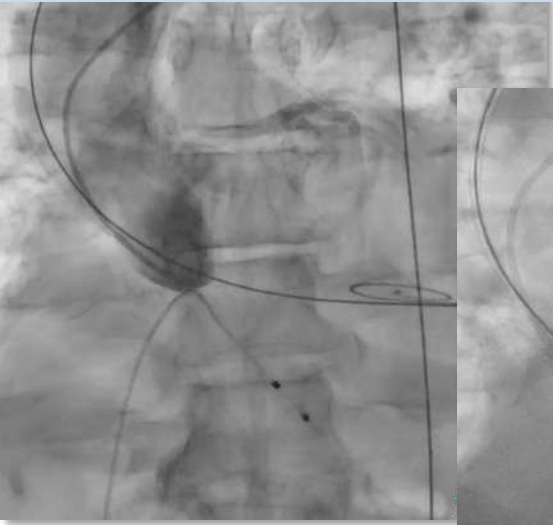


Vincent F, Ternacle J, et al. Circulation 2021

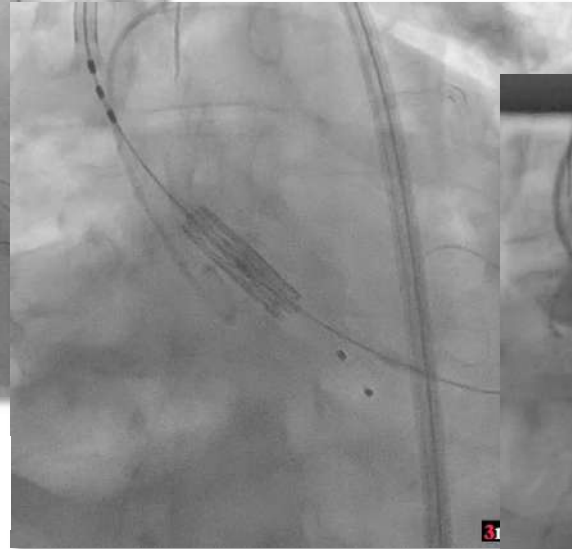


- Annulus sizing (flared)
- High Calcium volume
486mm³
- No calcified Raphe
- Horizontal aorta

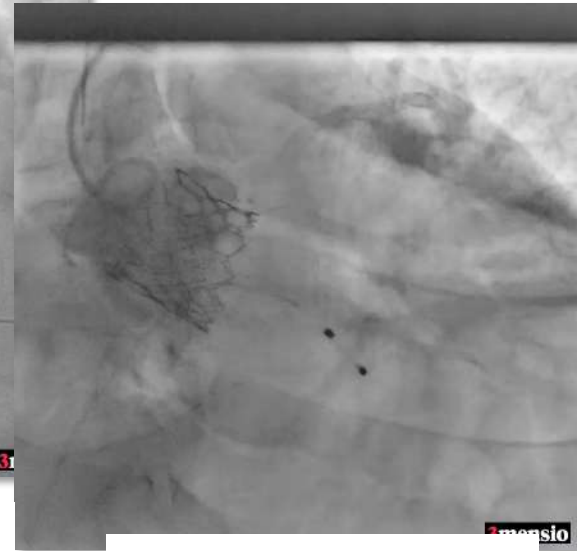




*Prédilatation ballon
20mm+1mL*



*SAPIEN 3 29mm
Cusp overlap technique*



No PVL, MG 9mmHg

Type 1 L/R

Perpendicular P

Min. Ø: 21,0 mm
Max. Ø: 28,5 mm
Avg. Ø: 24,8 mm
Area derived Ø: 24
Perimeter derived Area: 485,1 mm²
Perimeter: 79,9 mm

LAO: 2°
Caudal: 0°

Hockey Puck (MIP)

LC
RC
NC

Stretched Vessel

LAO: 1°
Caudal: 1°

Stretched Vessel

Cor Fl_ChestPain 0.75 I26...
06/02/2019
Phase: 7,0%

Basal plane
Cursor

Distance: 0,3 mm

Basal plane
Cursor

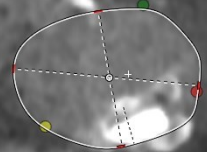
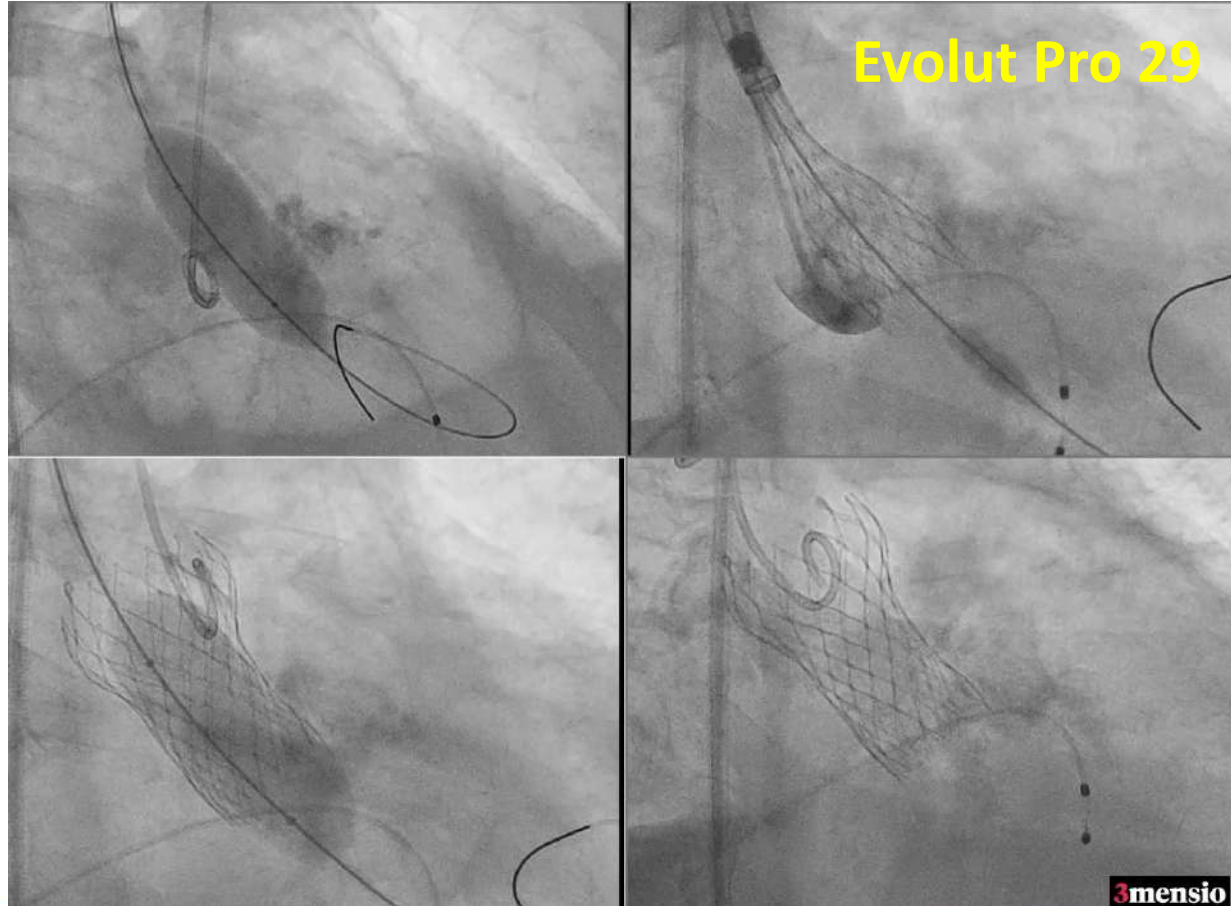
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Avg. Ø: 24,8 mm
Area derived Ø: 24,9 mm
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Inter-commissural distance at 4mm

Ø 25,7 mm

Evolut Pro 29



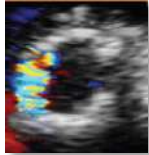
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VS

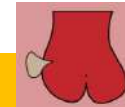


Device success, 1-year mortality : Similar



Paravalvular regurgitation

- Low but higher \geq moderate PVR with vs SE-valve (9.3% vs 0%, $p=0.043$)



Annulus injury

- Higher with BE-valve (OR: 5.81 [3.78; 8.92])



New Pacemaker

- Higher with SE-valve (STS registry : 15.4% with Evolut and 9.1% with SAPIEN 3)

Mangieri et al, Circulation intervention, 2020
Montaldo et al, JACC 2021
Pompeu et al, CCI 2021

BE or SE-valve ?



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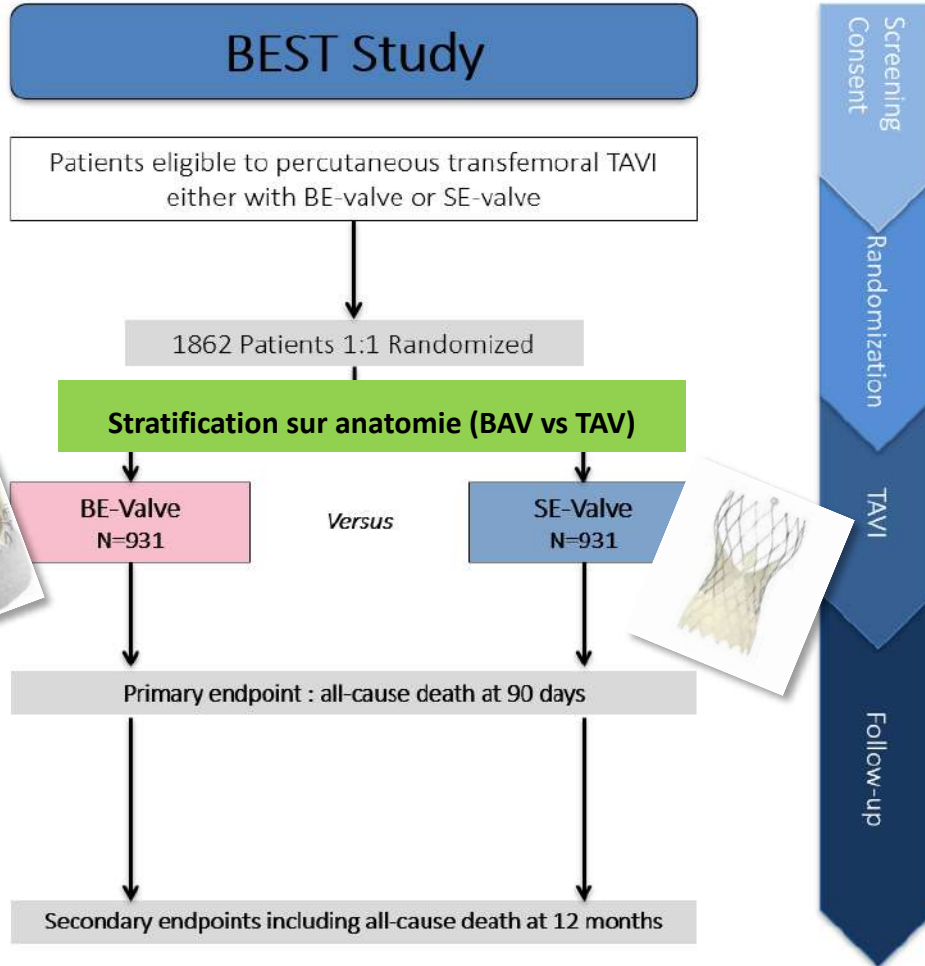
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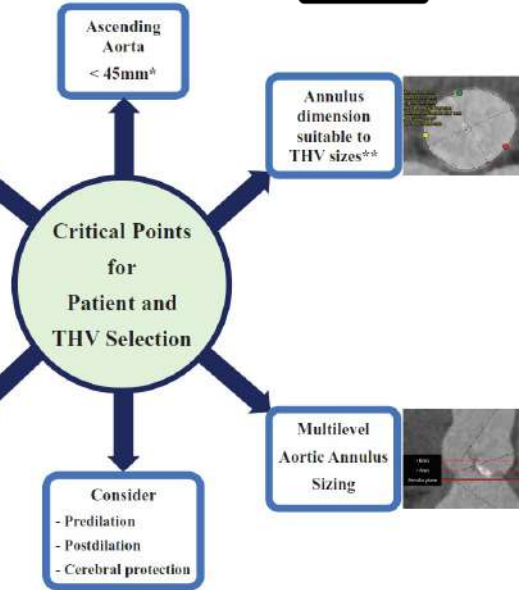


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Conclusion



#NotAllBicuspid !



- Be able to analyze pro-procedural CT / detect bicuspid anatomy
- Be aware of bicuspid specificities
- Beware of most calcified leaflets / raphe
- To prevent complications / troubleshoot difficulties
- More studies are warranted to better delineate the best TAVR/SAVR candidates

