TAVR in Intermediate Risk Populations / Optimizing Systems for TAVR

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TAVR: The new standard of care

- TAVR once considered a destructive technology is standard of care for high and intermediate risk patients with aortic stenosis
- TAVR is most well studied procedure in Cardiac sciences, and low risk trials have completely enrollment
- Improvements of technology/procedure have made this treatment option suitable for all patients with Aortic stenosis irrespective of age



Two most common Implants used worldwide (>200,000 cases)

Balloon Expandable TAVR



Sapien 3 THV(Edwards Lifesceinces)

Self Expanding TAVR



The Medtronic Evolut™ PRO TAVR system



Clinical Evidence for TAVR

- Partner I, 2A, 2B trial
- S3 single arm study
- Pivotal trial using the Core valve
 - Single arm high risk study
 - Pivotal study vs surgery
 - SURTAVI Trial



Evidence of TAVR in intermediate risk patients

- Partner 2A and S3i trials
- SURTAVI trial
- Ongoing post market registries



SAPIEN 3 TAVR Compared with Surgery in Intermediate-Risk Patients: A Propensity Score Analysis

Transcatheter aortic valve replacement versus surgical valve replacement in intermediate-risk patients: a propensity score analysis



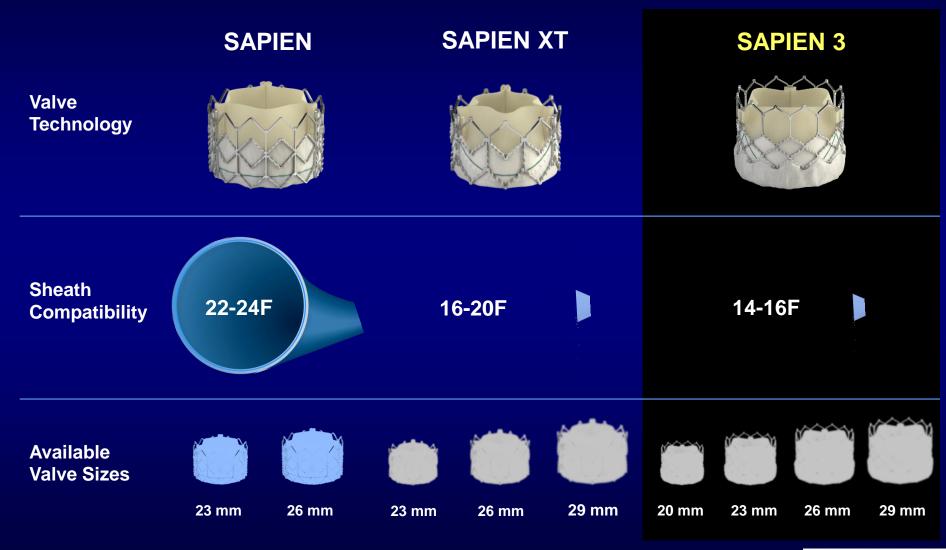
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SAPIEN Platforms in PARTNER Device Evolution



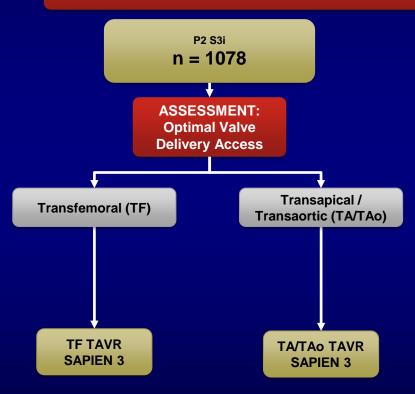


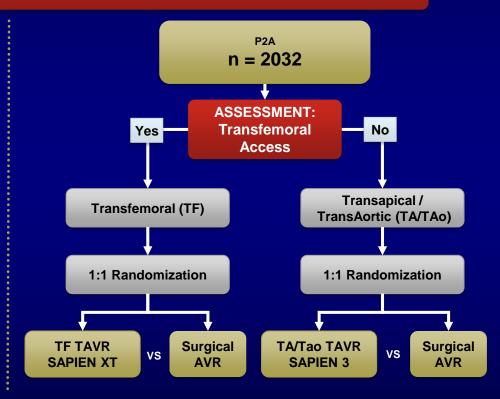
The PARTNER 2A and S3i Trials

Study Design

Intermediate Risk Symptomatic Severe Aortic Stenosis

Intermediate Risk ASSESSMENT by Heart Valve Team





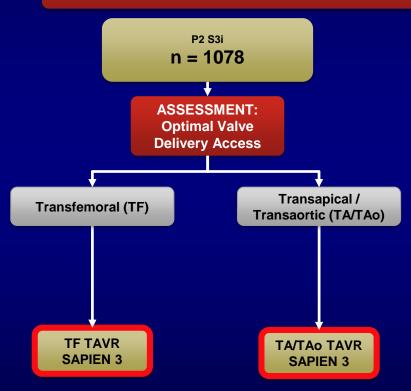


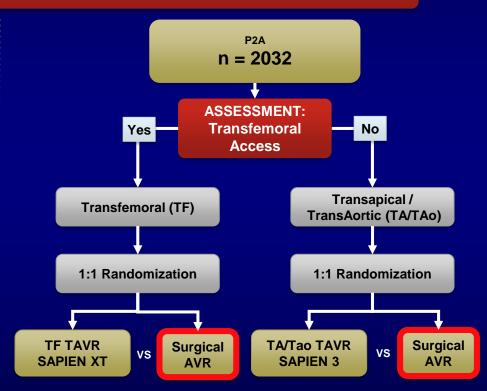
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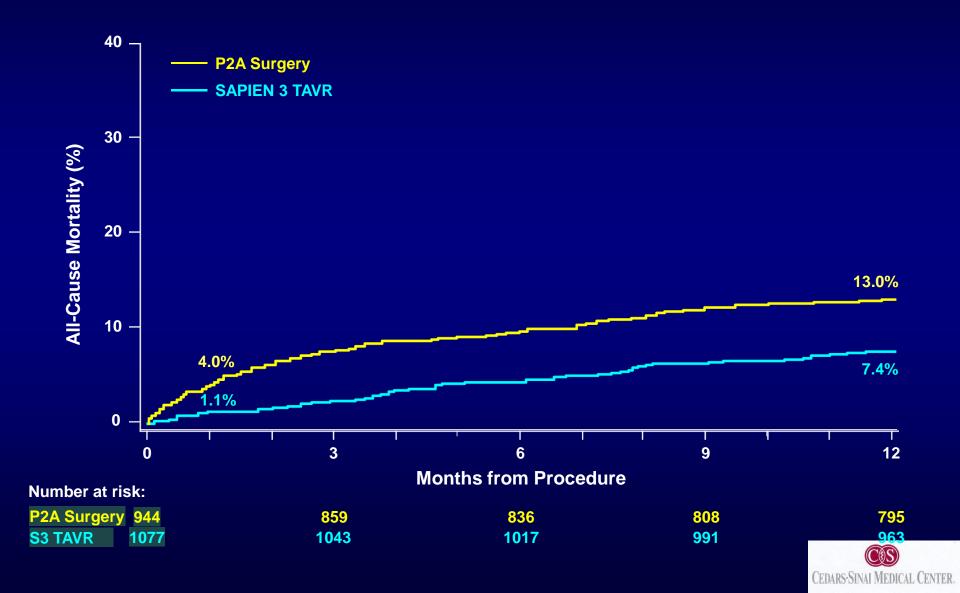




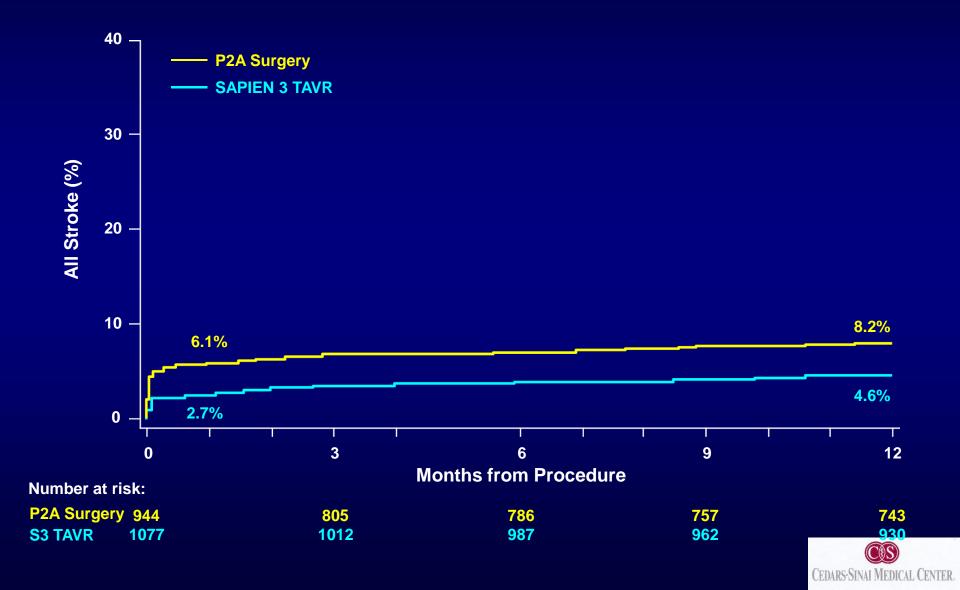
Primary Endpoint: All-Cause Mortality, All Stroke, or Mod/Sev AR at One Year (Non-inferiority Propensity Score Analysis)



Unadjusted Time-to-Event Analysis All-Cause Mortality (AT)



Unadjusted Time-to-Event Analysis All Stroke (AT)

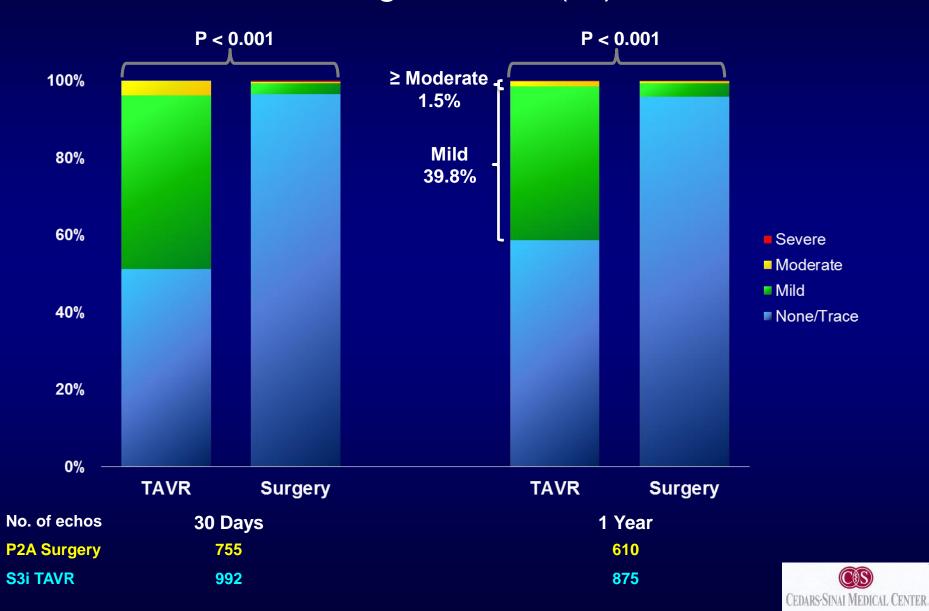


Other Unadjusted Clinical Outcomes At 30 Days and 1 Year (AT)

Events (%)	30 Days		1 Year	
	TAVR (n = 1077)	Surgery (n = 944)	TAVR (n = 1077)	Surgery (n = 944)
Re-hospitalization	4.6	6.8	11.4	15.1
MI	0.3	1.9	1.8	3.1
Major Vascular Complication	6.1	5.4		
AKI (Stage III)	0.5	3.3		
Life-Threatening/Disabling Bleeding	4.6	46.7		
New Atrial Fibrillation	5.0	28.3	5.9	29.2
New Permanent Pacemaker	10.2	7.3	12.4	9.4
Re-intervention	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.5
Endocarditis	0.2	0.0	0.8	0.7



Paravalvular Regurgitation 3-Class Grading Scheme (VI)



SURTAVI Trial



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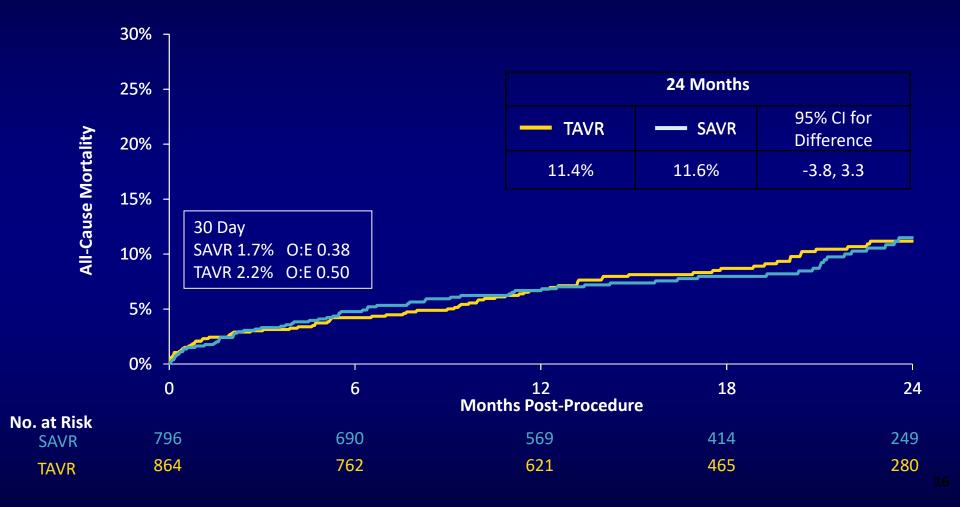
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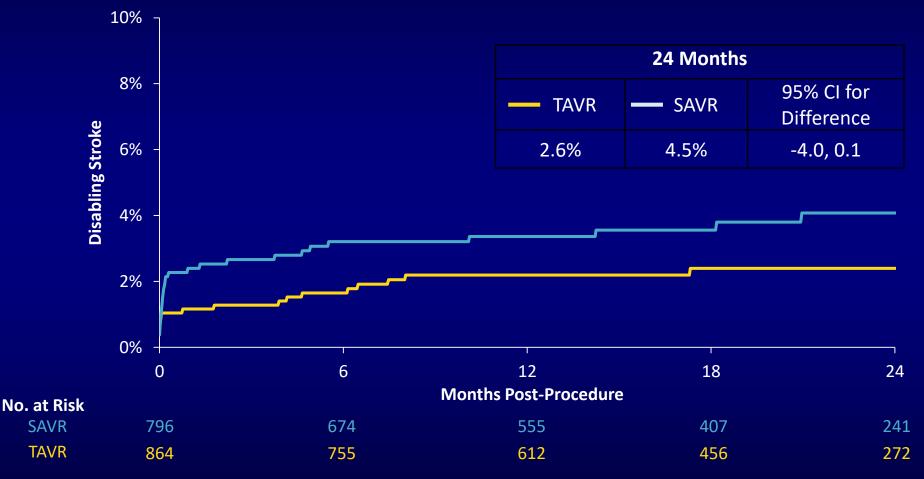


SURTAVI: All-Cause Mortality





SURTAVI: Disabling Stroke



30-Day Safety and Procedure-related Complications

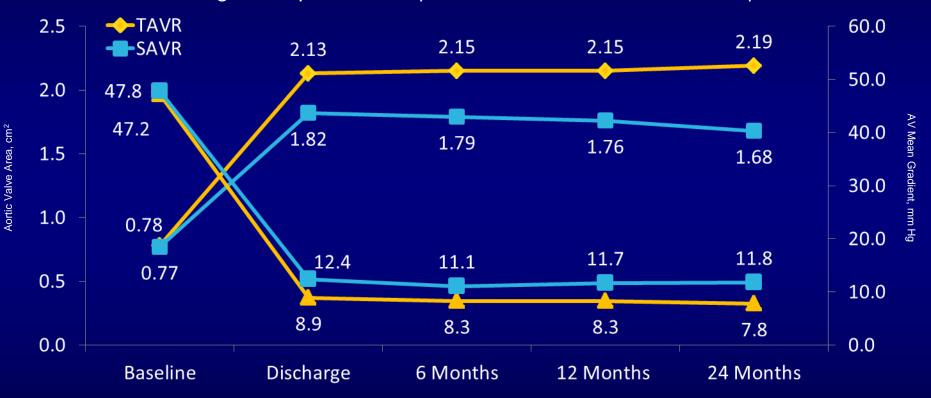
	TAVR (N=864)	SAVR (N=796)	95% CI for Difference
All-cause mortality or disabling stroke	2.8	3.9	-2.8, 0.7
All-cause mortality	2.2	1.7	-0.9, 1.8
Disabling stroke	1.2	2.5	-2.6, 0.1
All stroke	3.4	5.6	-4.2, -0.2
Overt life-threatening or major bleeding	12.2	9.3	-0.1, 5.9
Transfusion of PRBCs* - n (%)			
0 units	756 (87.5)	469 (58.9)	24.4, 32.5
2 – 4 units	48 (5.6)	136 (17.1)	-14.5 <i>,</i> -8.5
≥ 4 units	31 (3.6)	101 (12.7)	-11.7, -6.5
Acute kidney injury, stage 2-3	1.7	4.4	-4.4, -1.0
Major vascular complication	6.0	1.1	3.2, 6.7
Cardiac perforation	1.7	0.9	-0.2, 2.0
Cardiogenic shock	1.1	3.8	-4.2, -1.1
Permanent pacemaker implant	25.9	6.6	15.9, 22.7
Atrial fibrillation	12.9	43.4	-34.7, -26.4

^{*}Percentage rates, all others are Bayesian rates



Hemodynamics*

TAVR had significantly better valve performance over SAVR at all follow-up visits



^{*}Core lab adjudicated



TAVR vs Surgery in Intermediate risk patients Summary: Contemporary data

- TAVR is superior in mortality and disabling stroke at 30 days to 1 year follow up
- TAVR achieves a better Orifice area
- Lower morbidity
- TAVR is associated with higher incidence of Aortic regurgitation and pacer compared to SAVR



How did we achieve this outcome

- Improved valve platforms
- Improved case selection
- Operator experience/training



Issues about TAVR

- Vascular complications
- Pacermaker implants
- Perivalvular aortic regurgitation
- Periprocedural stroke
- Leaflet thrombosis/degeneration

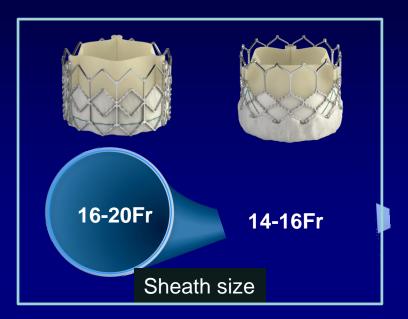


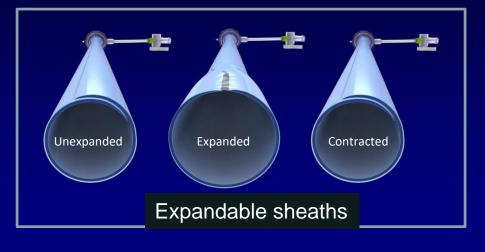
Solutions

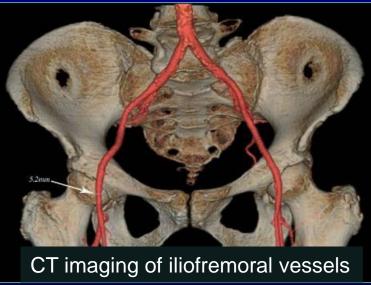
- Vascular complications have dramatically reduced with reduction in size of sheath
- Perivalvular AI, has reduced with design of the culf around the valve, and better sizing
- Pacemaker requirement is still there, but reduced with optimal valve deployment
- Stroke is prevented by cerebral protection devices

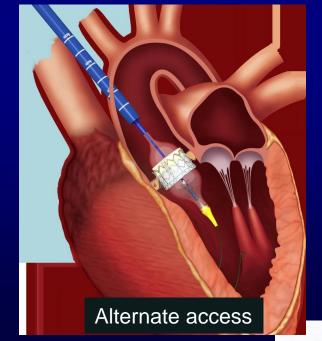


Strategies to reduce vascular complications



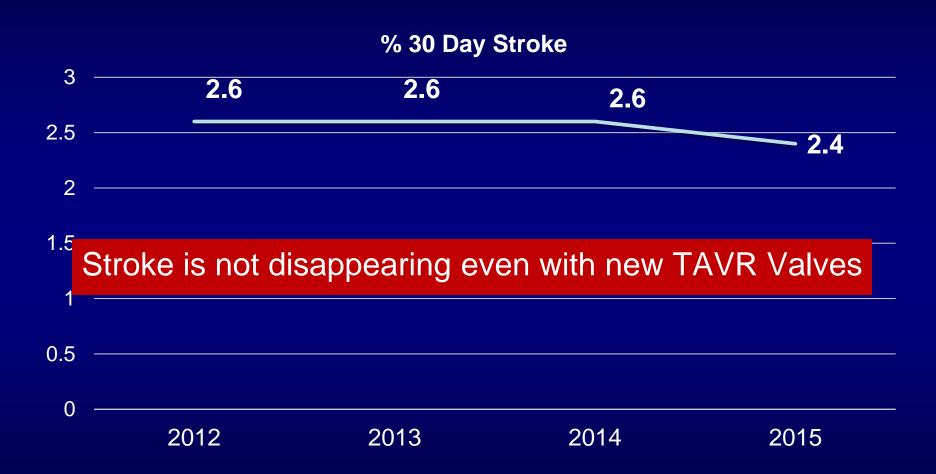






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US TVT Registry Stroke Rate





Embolic Debris is Derived from a Variety of Sources During TAVR

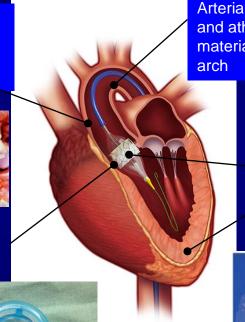


Arterial wall and calcific and atherosclerotic material from ascending arch



Valve leaflet tissue and calcific deposits from stenotic valve

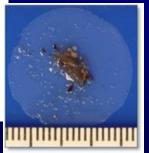


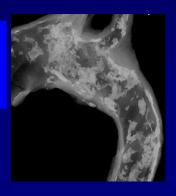


Arterial wall and calcific and atherosclerotic material from transverse arch



Myocardium









Claret Medical® Sentinel® Cerebral Protection System





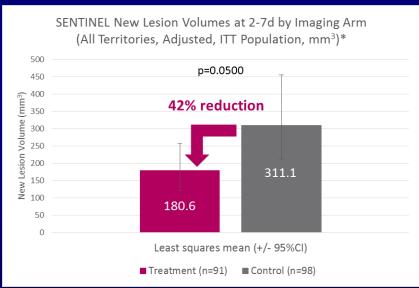
- Dual independent filters for embolic debris capture and removal
- Right transradial 6F sheath
- access
- Deflectable sheath facilitates cannulation of LCC
- Low profile in aortic arch to minimize interaction with TAVR delivery catheter



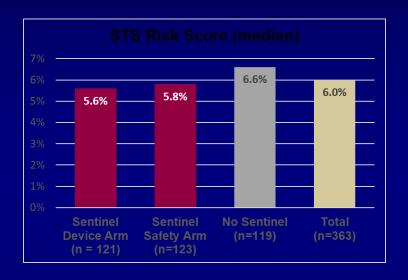
Average STS score was 6.0% for SENTINEL subjects

Cerebral protection captured debris in 99% of patients and reduced cerebral damage by >42%

- Average STS score 6.0% (SD 3.2%)
- Cerebral embolic debris was captured in 99% of SENTINEL patients treated with Claret (n=103)









SENTINEL study shows neurologist adjudicated stroke rate for the control arm (unprotected TAVR) of 9.1%

	Device Arm (n=234)	Control Arm (n=111)	p-value
30-day Clinical Outcom	nes		
Any MACCE [†]	7.3% (17/234)	9.9% (11/111)	0.40
Death (all-cause)	1.3% (3/234)	1.8% (2/111)	0.65
Stroke	5.6% (13/231)	9.1% (10/110)	0.25
Disabling	0.9% (2/231)	0.9% (1/109)	1.00
Non-disabling	4.8% (11/231)	8.2% (9/110)	0.22
AKI (Stage 3)	0.4% (1/231)	0%	1.00
TIA	0.4% (1/231)	0%	1.00
Sentinel Access Site			
Complications	0.4% (1/244)	N/A	0.53

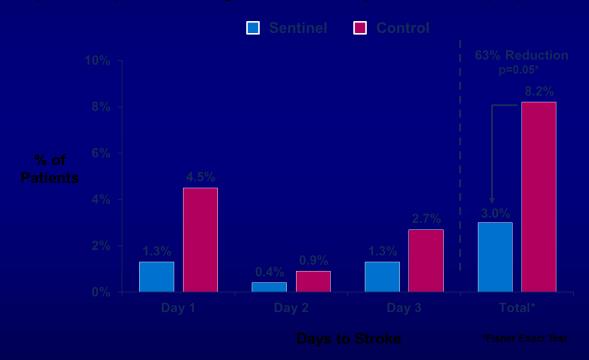
+MACCE defined as All Death, All Stroke, Acute Kidney Injury (Stage 3) as 72 hours or discharge, whichever occurs first

Kapadia, et al. Cerebral embolic protection during transcatheter aortic valve replacement. *JACC*. doi: 10.1016/j.jacc.2016.10.023.



SENTINEL study shows significant procedural stroke reduction

Results from SENTINEL multi-national randomized trial of n=363 TAVI patients with vs. without protection using SentinelTM cerebral embolic protection system shows a significant reduction in procedural stroke (63%)



SENTINEL trial. Data presented at Sentinel FDA Advisory Panel, February 23, 2017



Clinical summary

 Transcatheter cerebral embolic protection(TCEP) is safe

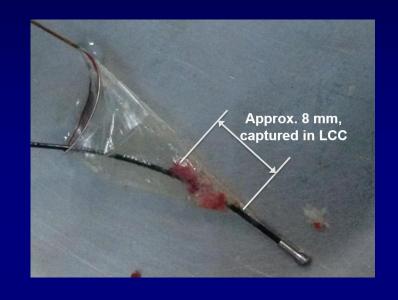
 Embolic debris was captured in 99% of patients

 No significant reduction of new lesion volume by MRI



Is Cerebral Protection Necessary?

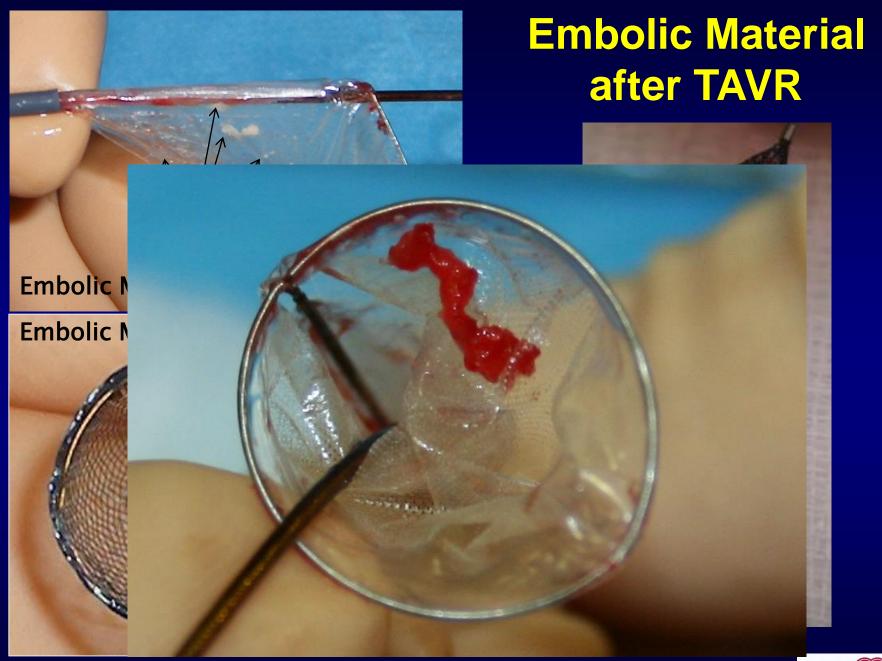




Would you take a chance and drive without a seatbelt?

You never know when you'll need protection





Leaflet thrombosis

- Still an issue: present on both surgical and TAVR valves
- Might be lower in suprannular valves



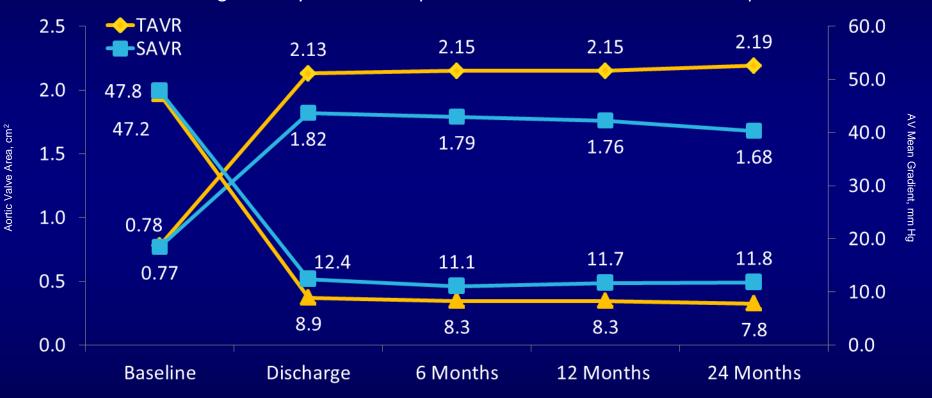
Valve orifice

- TAVR has clearly shown in two studies to reveal a better valve area
- Low risk of Patient prosthetic mismatch



Hemodynamics*

TAVR had significantly better valve performance over SAVR at all follow-up visits



^{*}Core lab adjudicated



TAVR and Low risk patients

- Low risk is not equal to low age
- Concerns of TAVR in young patients
 - Durability
 - Leaflet thrombosis/degeneration
 - Increased use of pacer
 - Higher proportion of bicuspid aortic pathology
- Low risk trials will need longer follow up
 - Enroller older patients with few comorbidities
- Very young patients
 - New generation mechanical valves is still the best option



Conclusions

- TAVR should be the default therapy in most cases of aortic valve stenosis, irrespective or risk
- Surgical valve replacement should be reserved for only
 - very young patients
 - aortic valve disease and aortic aneurysm
 - Some cases of bicuspid aortic valve stenosis



Future

 Cardiac surgeons will have to consult interventional cardiologist prior to offering surgery to any patient with valve disease

