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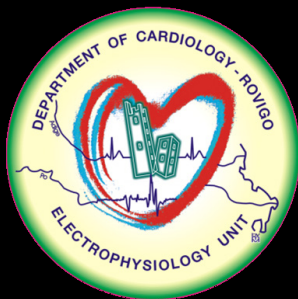
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Pacing site in pacemaker dependent patients: should a septal lead position be used?



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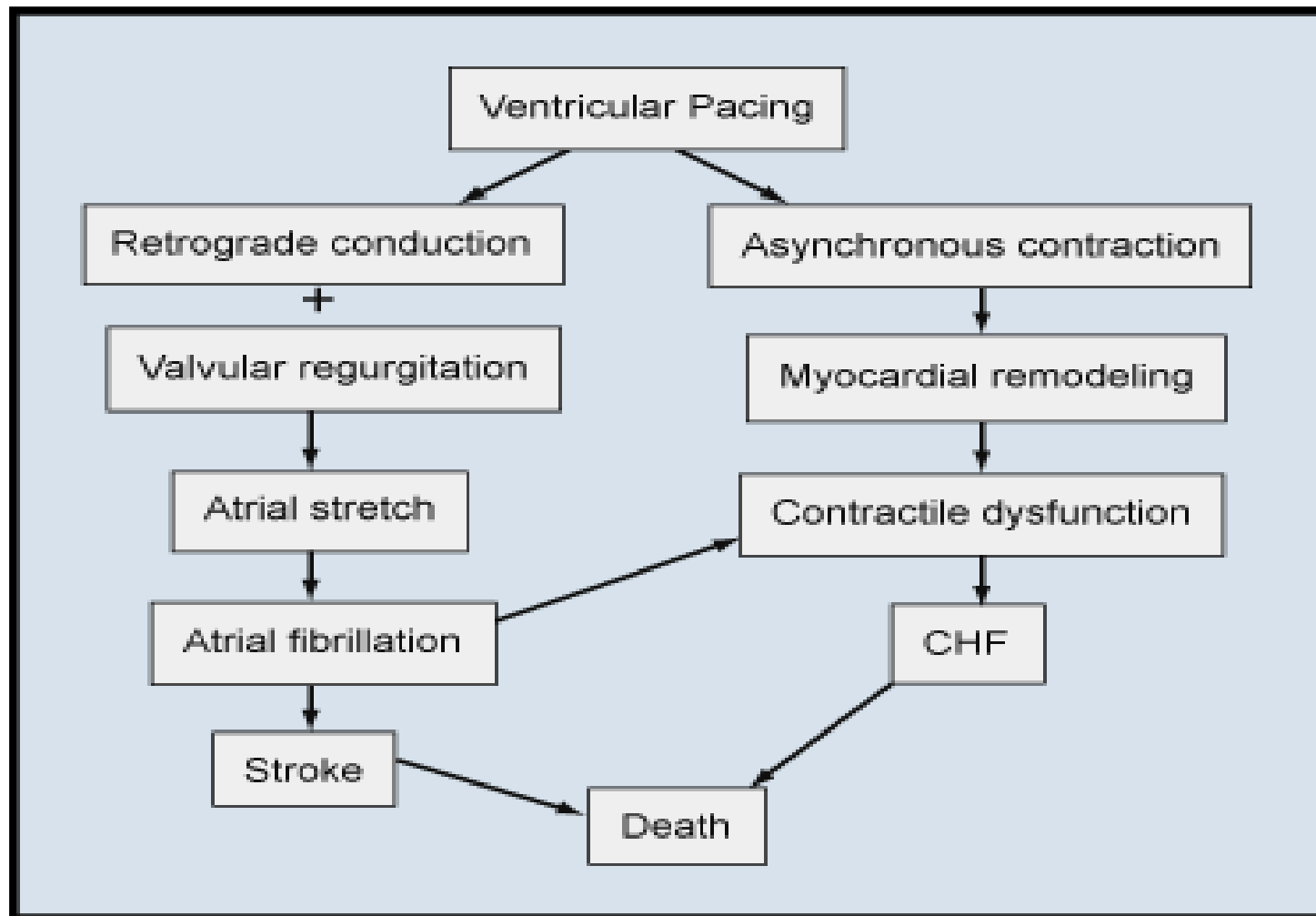
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Avoid Ventricular Apical Pacing?

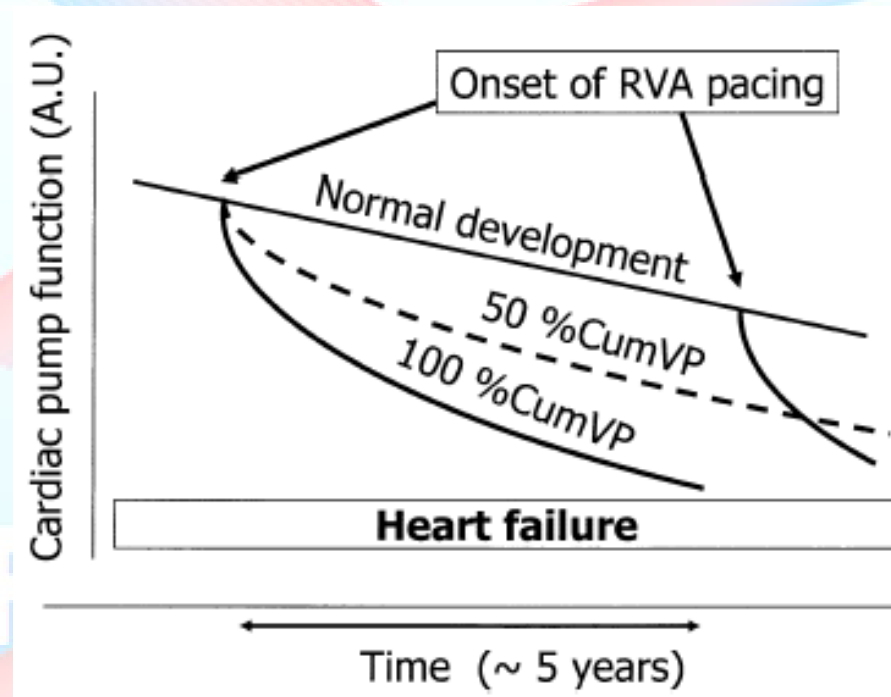
Effects of RV Apical pacing



WHY...

Avoid Ventricular Apical Pacing?

Relationship between duration of mechanical asynchrony and heart failure development



This relationship, derived from various randomized clinical trials, indicates that attempts to avoid asynchronous activation may decrease the risk for developing heart failure most in patients requiring pacing for a longer time (children) and in patients with already-reduced pump function. A.U. = arbitrary units; RVA = right ventricular apex; Cum%VP = cumulative percent ventricular pacing.

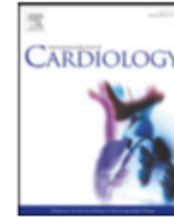


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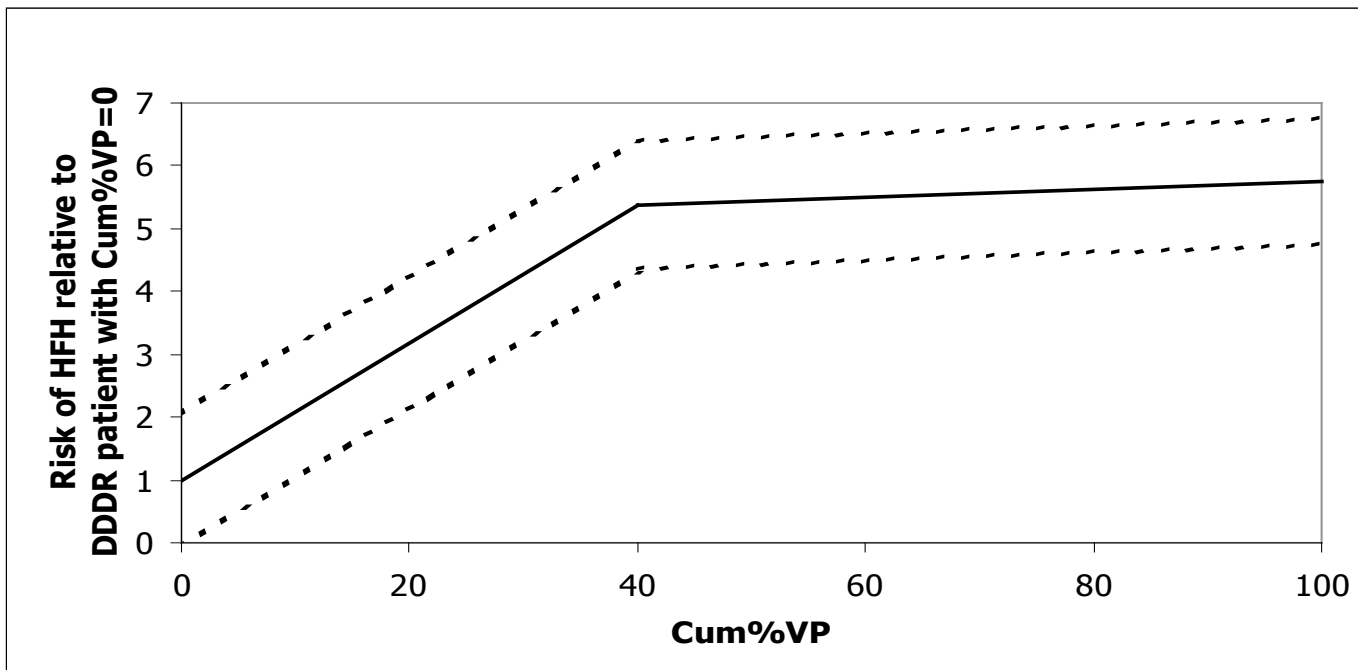
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Risk of heart failure- and cardiac death gradually increases with more right ventricular pacing^{☆,☆☆}



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Is RV OT or Septal Pacing Superior to RVA Pacing?

Mixed Results in Chronic Clinical Studies

Author	Publication	N = pts	Non-RVA Site	Results
Giudici	AJC 1997	89	RVOT	+
Karpawich	PACE 1997	22	Septum	+
De Cock	PACE 1998	17	RVOT	+
Mera	PACE 1999	12	RVOT	+
Schwaab	JACC 1999	14	Septum	+
Kolettis	Chest 2000	20	RVOT	+
Tse	JACC 2002	18	RVOT	+
Victor	JCE 2006	28	Septum	+
Lewicka-Nowak	Kardiol Pol 2006	27	RVOT	+
Flevari	PACE 2009	36	Low Septum	+
Takemoto	Circ J 2009	55	Septum	+
Leong	JCE 2010	58	RVOT	+
		396 pts		12 positive
Victor	JACC 1999	16	RVOT	±
Stambler	JCE 2003	103	RVOT	±
Kypta	Europace 2008	98	Hgh Septum	±
Gong	Clin Cardiol 2009	96	RVOT	±
Dabrowska	Circ J 2009	122	RVOT	±
		435 pts		5 no difference
Ng	AJC 2009	34	Septum	-
		34 pts		1 negative

Beneficial effects of right ventricular non-apical vs. apical pacing: a systematic review and meta-analysis of randomized-controlled trials

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Table 2 Randomized-controlled trials that compared the effects of right ventricular apical pacing ($n = 277$) and right ventricular non-apical pacing ($n = 297$) on left ventricular ejection fraction

Author	LVEF as an inclusion criterion	Mode of LVEF assessment	Follow-up (months)	Baseline LVEF (%) (mean \pm SD)		Final LVEF (%) (mean \pm SD)	
				RVA	RVNA	RVA	RVNA
Leong et al. 2010	No	Echocardiography	11–53 ^c	60.0 \pm 6.0	61.0 \pm 9.0	52.0 \pm 9.0	60.0 \pm 7.0
Cano et al. 2010	Yes; ≥ 50	Echocardiography	12	62.9 \pm 6.3	64.2 \pm 8.0	62.9 \pm 7.9	66.5 \pm 7.2
Gong et al. 2009	Yes; ≥ 50	Echocardiography	12	67.9 \pm 6.4	68.3 \pm 6.4	65.7 \pm 6.6	67.6 \pm 5.2
Flevari et al. 2009	No	Echocardiography	12	49.0 \pm 4.3	50.0 \pm 4.9	43.0 \pm 3.1	59.0 \pm 3.0
Kypta et al. 2008	No	Echocardiography	3 ^b	59.0 \pm 11.0	55.0 \pm 11.0	57.0 \pm 10.0	57.0 \pm 10.0
Occhetta et al. 2006	No	Echocardiography	6	51.9 \pm 8.8	51.9 \pm 8.8	50.0 \pm 7.9	53.4 \pm 7.9
Victor et al. 2006	Yes; ≥ 45	Nuclear imaging	3	52.0 \pm 6.0	52.0 \pm 6.0	51.0 \pm 7.0	52.0 \pm 6.0
Victor et al. 2006	Yes; < 45	Nuclear imaging	3	38.0 \pm 5.0	38.0 \pm 5.0	37.0 \pm 4.0	42.0 \pm 5.0
Lewicka-Nowak et al. 2006	No	Echocardiography	89–93	56.0 \pm 11.0	54.0 \pm 7.0	47.0 \pm 8.0	53.0 \pm 9.0
Stambler et al. 2003	Yes; < 40	Echocardiography	3	Stated as 'similar'		41.0 \pm 13.4	43.8 \pm 14.4
Tse et al. 2002	Yes; ≥ 50	Nuclear imaging ^a	18	57.0 \pm 12.0	59.0 \pm 14.0	47.0 \pm 3.0	56.0 \pm 1.0
Bourke et al. 2002	No	Nuclear imaging	3–12	51.0 \pm 9.0	49.0 \pm 6.0	48.0 \pm 10.0	45.0 \pm 9.0
Victor et al. 1999	Yes; ≥ 40	Nuclear imaging	3	51.0 \pm 5.0	51.0 \pm 5.0	48.0 \pm 7.0	48.0 \pm 5.0
Victor et al. 1999	Yes; < 40	Nuclear imaging	3	27.0 \pm 9.0	27.0 \pm 9.0	30.0 \pm 10.0	28.0 \pm 9.0
Mera et al. 1999	No	Nuclear imaging	2	Not measured		43.0 \pm 10.0	51.0 \pm 14.0

LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; RVA, right ventricular apex; RVNA, right ventricular non-apex; SD, standard deviation.

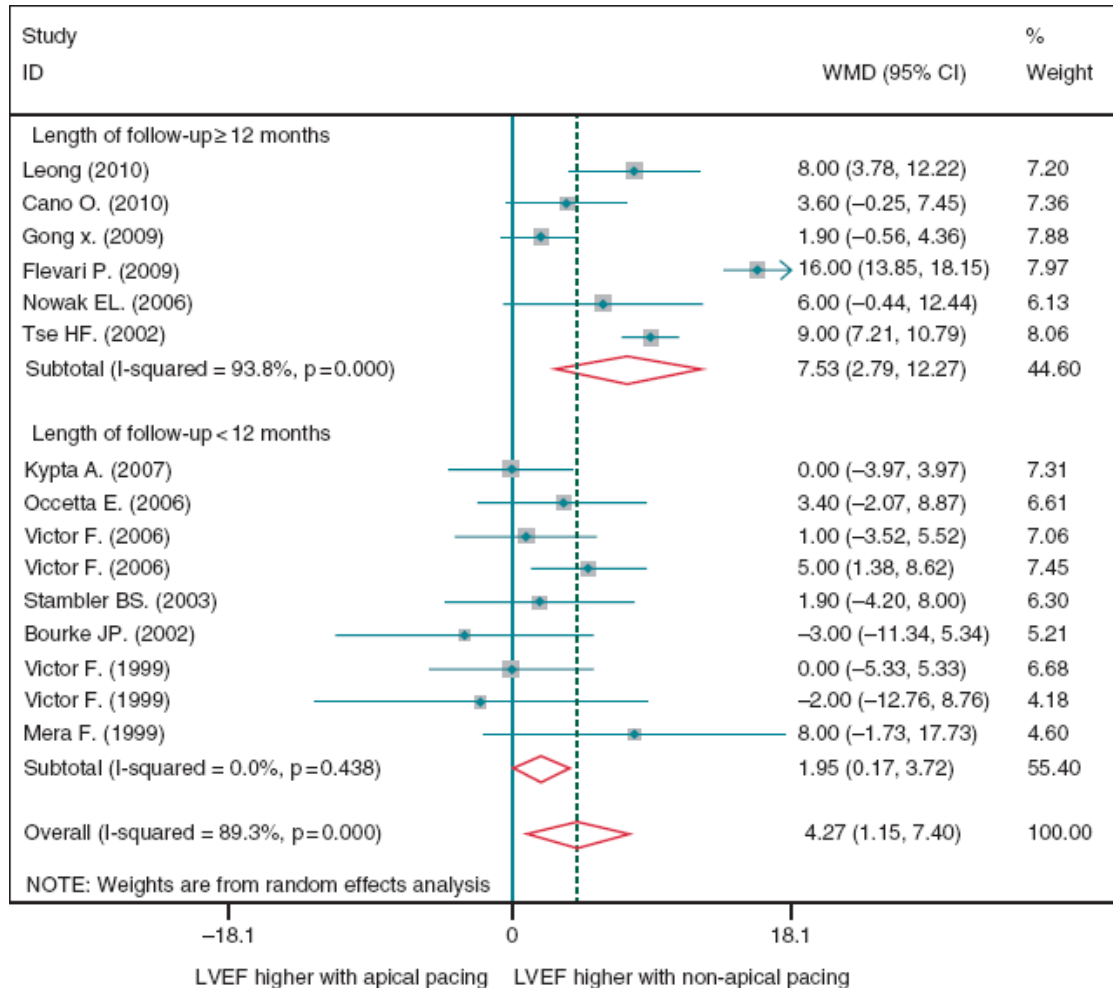
^aBaseline LVEF was measured by echocardiography and final LVEF was measured by nuclear imaging.

^bOriginal study had two periods of follow-up (3, 18 months). The results of the longer follow-up could not be used due to insufficient data.

^cSince follow-up period ranged from 11 to 53 months, the data from Leong et al. were pooled together with those studies with a long-term follow-up, i.e. ≥ 12 months.

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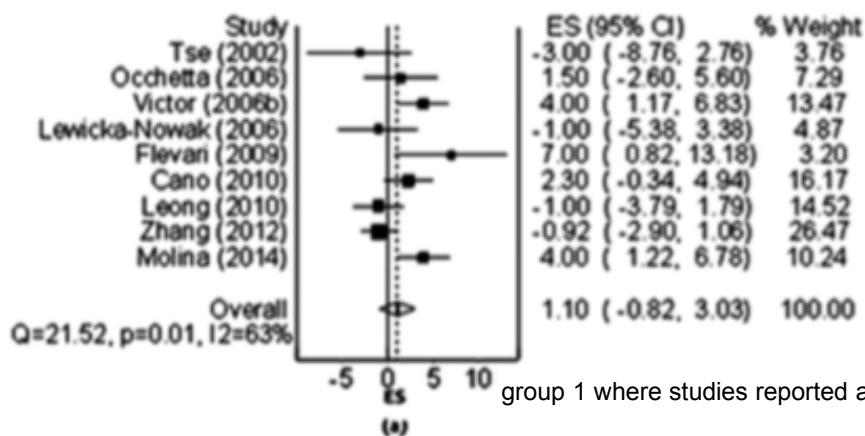
The Effect of Right Ventricular Apical and Nonapical Pacing on the Short- and Long-Term Changes in Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of Randomized-Controlled Trials

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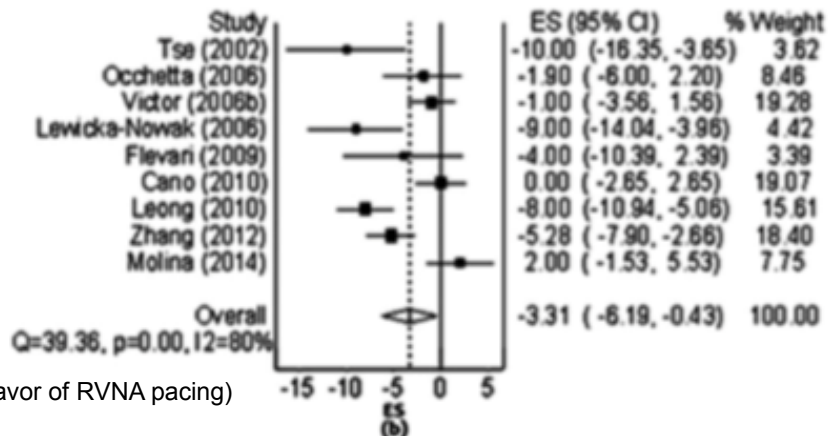
poor baseline LVEF (<40%) in combination with greater than 12 months follow-up was three times more common in group 1 compared to group

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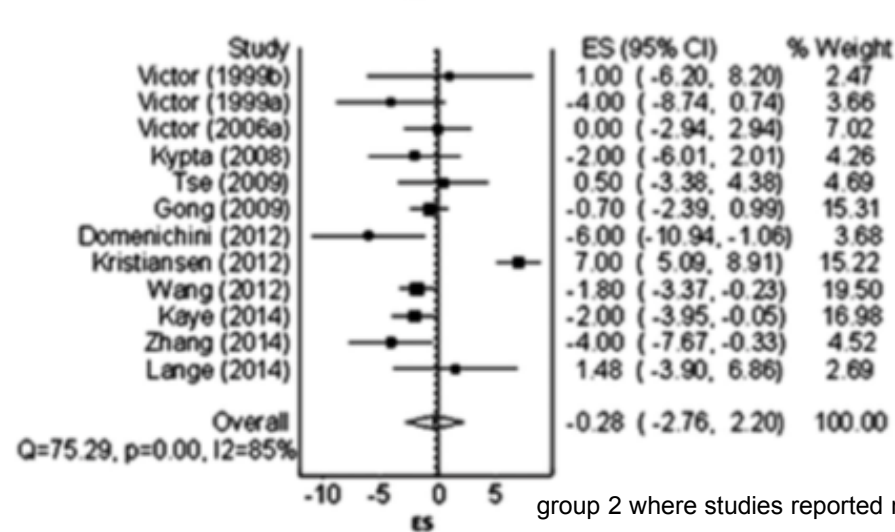
24 studies (n = 1,628 patients)



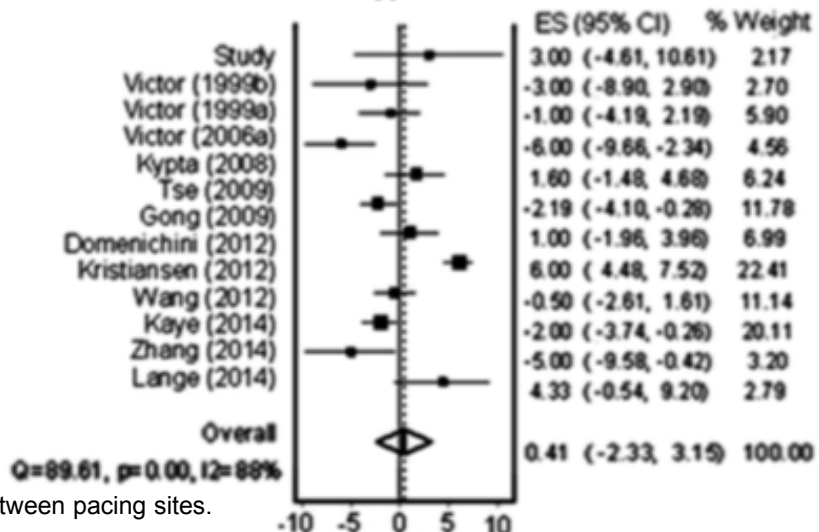
group 1 where studies reported a difference (in favor of RVNA pacing)



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group 2 where studies reported no difference between pacing sites.



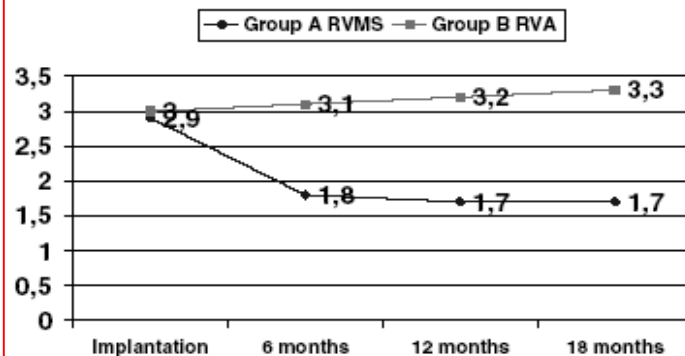
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TABLE 1
Patient's Characteristics

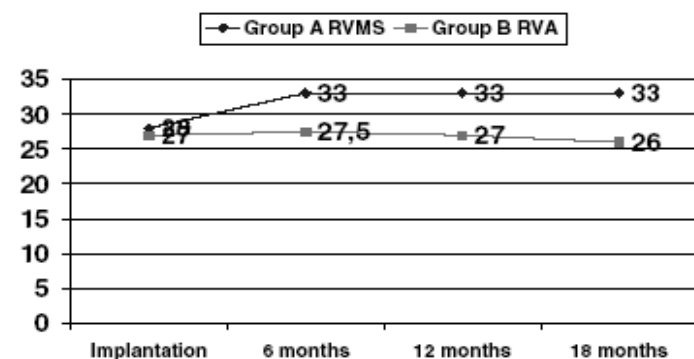
	Group A (RVMS)	Group B (RVA)
Patients (number)	113	120
Mean age (years)	69 ± 10	71 ± 8
NYHA class	2.9 ± 0.4	3 ± 0.5
EF (%)	28 ± 2	27 ± 2
Coronary artery disease (n)	54	57
Valvular disease (n)	14	11
Hypertension (n)	82	79
Myocardial infarction (n)	36	44
Cardiac surgery (n)	21	16

Clinical characteristics in Group A and Group B were similar.

NYHA Class



Ejection Fraction



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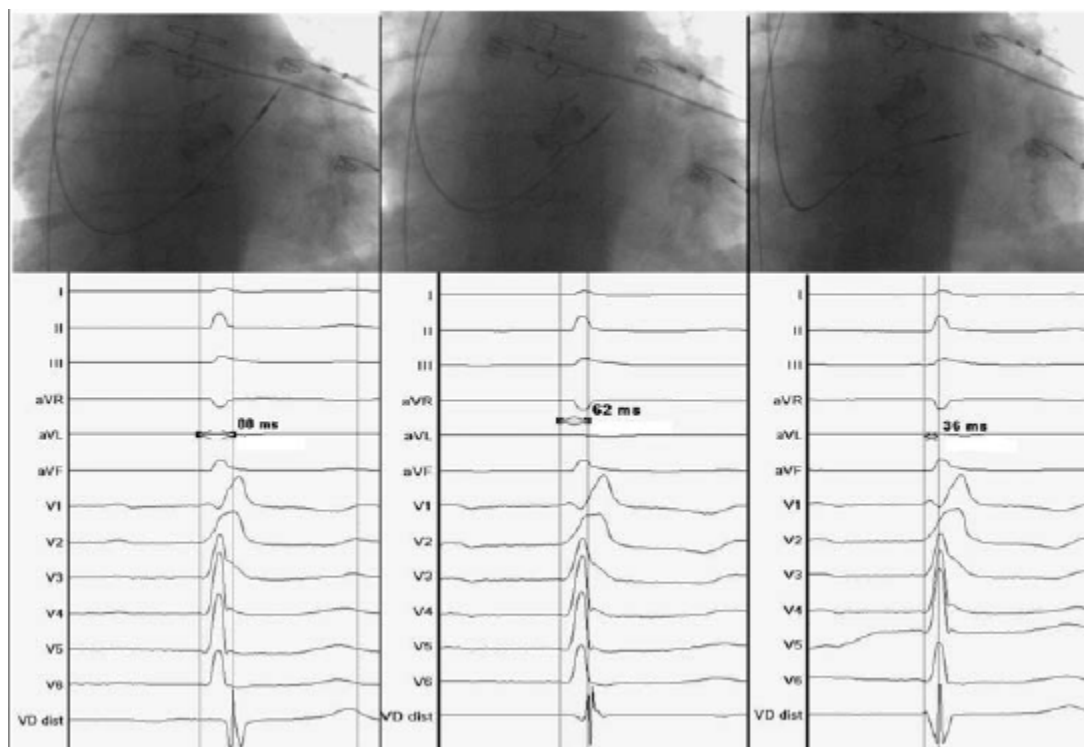
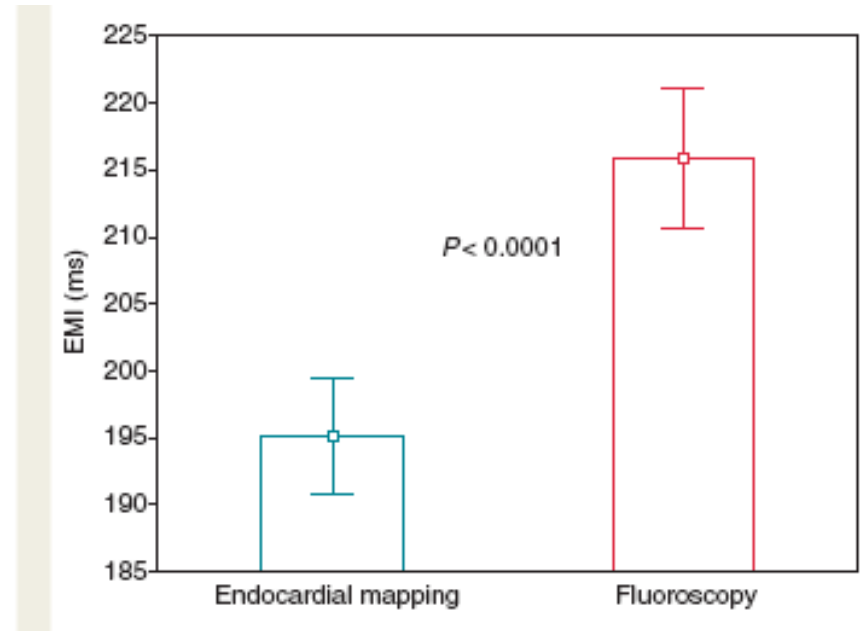
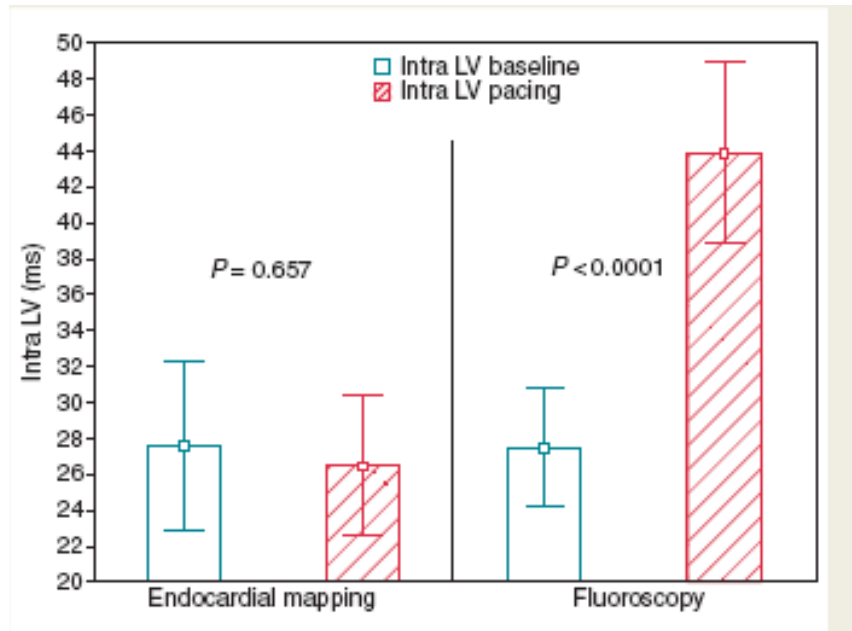


Table 1 Baseline patient characteristics

Variable	RVS F + EP approach n = 63	RVS F approach n = 93	P
Clinical data			
Gender (male)	42 (66.6%)	61 (59.2%)	0.89
Age (years)	78.6 ± 7.2	77.9 ± 6.4	0.56
Hypertension	52 (82.5%)	77 (82.8%)	0.96
Coronary disease	18 (28.6%)	25 (26.9%)	0.82
Electrocardiographic data			
QRS width (ms)	132.6 ± 27.6	133.9 ± 30.2	0.80
Normal QRS	25 (39.7%)	36 (38.7%)	0.98
Complete RBBB/ bifascicular block	27 (42.8%)	40 (43.0%)	
Complete LBBB	11 (17.5%)	17 (18.3%)	
Echocardiographic data			
LVEF (%)	61.9 ± 7.0	61.4 ± 7.1	0.66
LVEDV (mL/m ²)	60.2 ± 16.8	60.3.3 ± 15.2	0.97
LVESV (mL/m ²)	23.7 ± 10.6	23.7 ± 9.1	0.98
Intra-LV (ms)	27.6 ± 18.7	27.5 ± 15.9	0.95
Intra-LV > 40 ms	9 (14.2%)	14 (15.0%)	0.96
EML (ms)	169.5 ± 19.9	168.8 ± 24.7	0.95

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P

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P

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Peso: 60 Kg

PQ

QRS

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QRS

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Razza:

QT

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336

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60

BP: 140-80 (mmHg)

QTc

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0 - 2.5 sec.

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V5



III

aVF

V3

V6



II



0 - 10 sec.

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F2+BL

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REVIEW ARTICLES

Direct His Bundle and Parahisian Cardiac Pacing

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A. Pure HIS Pacing:

B. Pure paraHisian Pacing

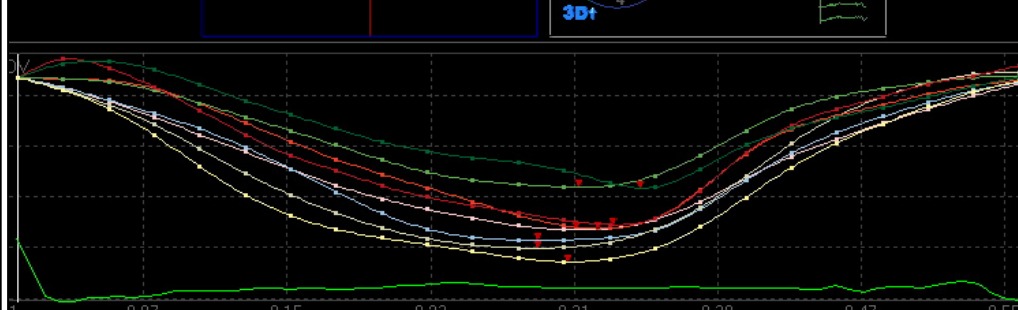
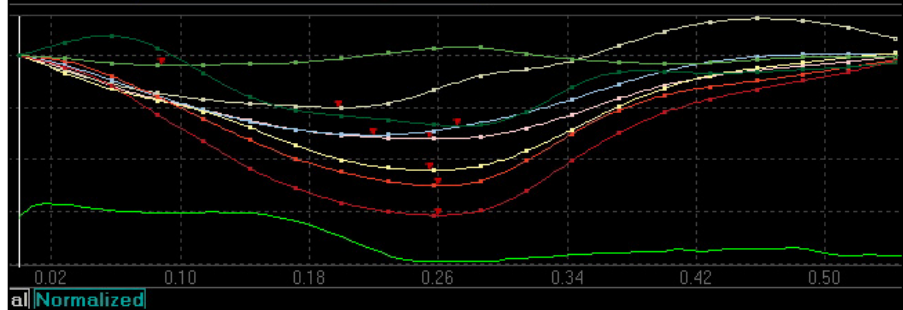
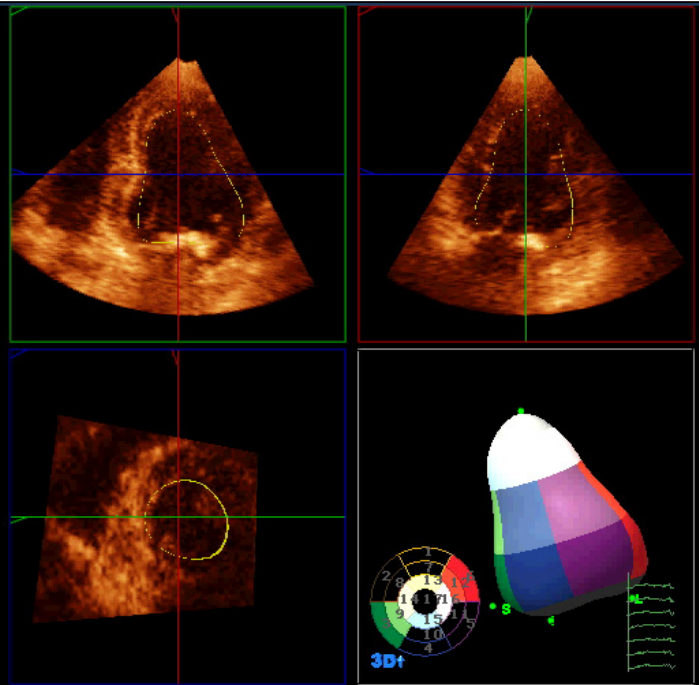
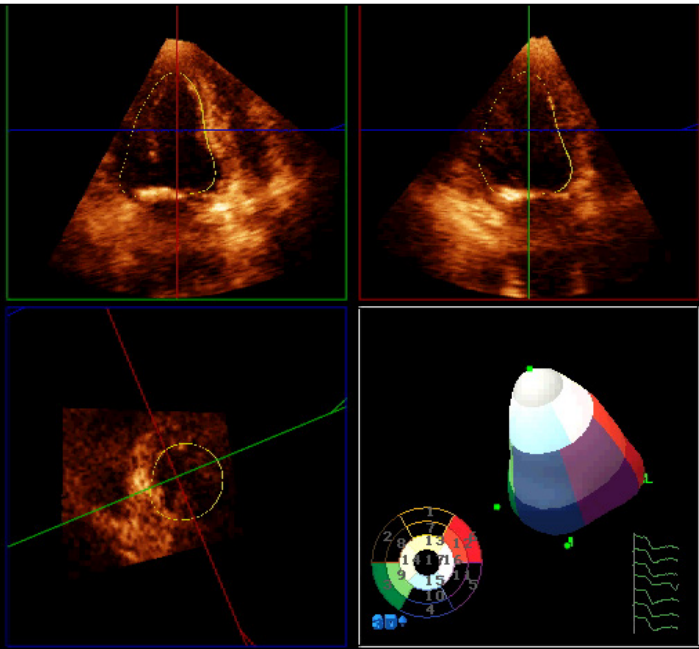
C. Pseudo (or false) paraHisian Pacing

Direct His Bundle and Parahisian Cardiac Pacing

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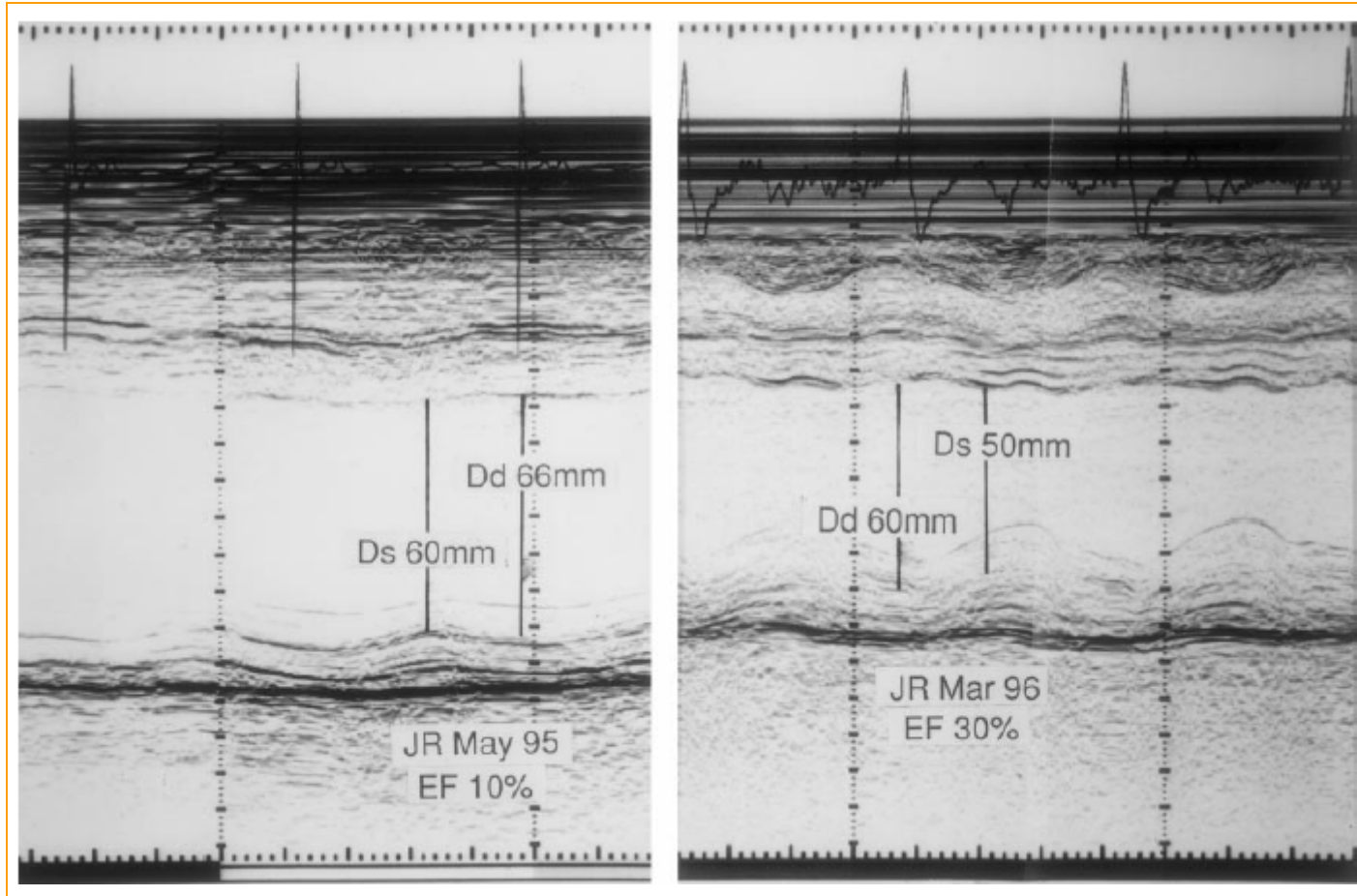




Permanent, Direct His-Bundle Pacing
A Novel Approach to Cardiac Pacing in Patients With Normal
His-Purkinje Activation

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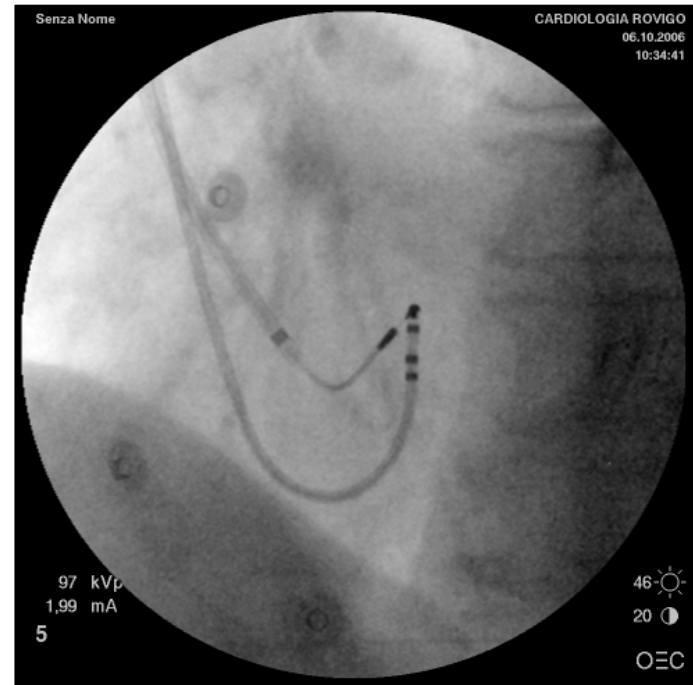
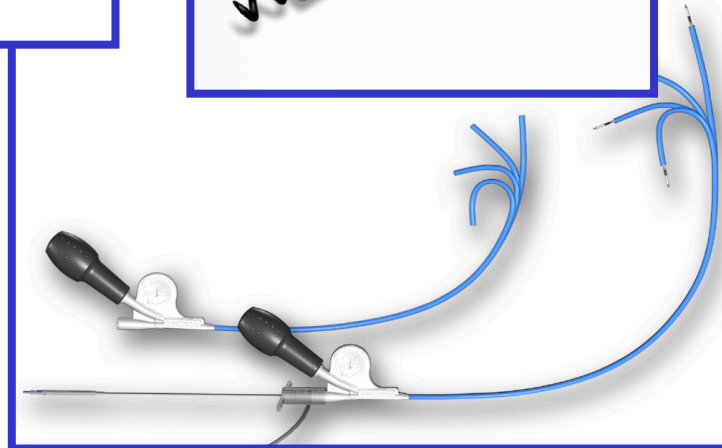
Direct His-Bundle pacing



A Feasible Approach for Direct His-Bundle Pacing Using A New Steerable Catheter to Facilitate Precise Lead Placement

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Prevention of Ventricular Desynchronization by Permanent Para-Hisian Pacing After Atrioventricular Node Ablation in Chronic Atrial Fibrillation

A Crossover, Blinded, Randomized
Study Versus Apical Right Ventricular Pacing

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Table 3. Functional and Echocardiographic Data Regarding Baseline Conditions, Para-Hisian Stimulation, and Right Ventricular Apical Pacing of the 16 Patients in the Study

	Baseline	Hisian/Para-Hisian Pacing	Right Apical Pacing
NYHA functional class	2.33 ± 0.6	1.75 ± 0.4†	2.5 ± 0.4
6-min walk test (m)	378 ± 60	431 ± 73†	360 ± 71
QoL (score)	32.5 ± 15	16.2 ± 8.7*	20.6 ± 8.5
LV-EDV (ml)	98.8 ± 29.6	93.2 ± 26.6	99.4 ± 33.1
LV-ESV (ml)	49.3 ± 25.0	44.7 ± 17.6	50.9 ± 23.2
LVEF (%)	52.0 ± 9.1	53.4 ± 7.9	50.0 ± 7.9
MR degree	1.68 ± 0.6	1.22 ± 0.8†	1.93 ± 1
TR degree	1.62 ± 0.7	1.46 ± 0.5‡	1.93 ± 0.7
PAPs (mm Hg)	32.7 ± 5.6	32.9 ± 6.1	36.3 ± 7.8

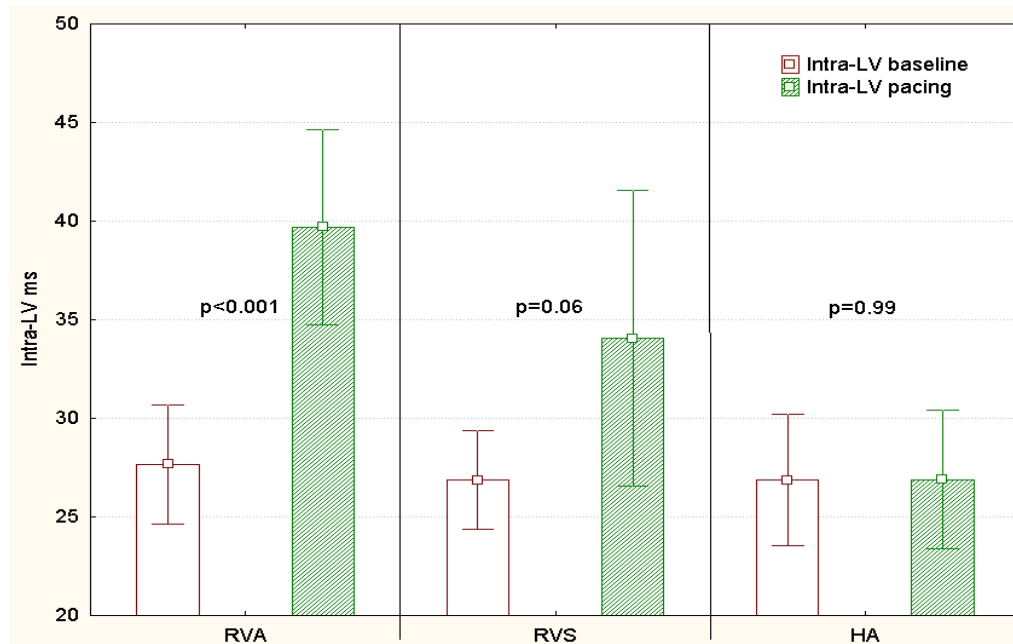
*p < 0.05 para-Hisian pacing vs. baseline; †p < 0.05 para-Hisian pacing vs. apical pacing and vs. baseline; ‡p < 0.05 para-Hisian pacing vs. apical pacing.

LV-EDV = left ventricular end-diastolic volume; LVEF = left ventricular ejection fraction; LV-ESV = left ventricular end-systolic volume; MR = mitral regurgitation; NYHA = New York Heart Association; PAP = systolic pulmonary pressure; QoL = quality of life; TR = tricuspid regurgitation.

Variability of Left Ventricular Electromechanical Activation during Right Ventricular Pacing: Implications for the Selection of the Optimal Pacing Site

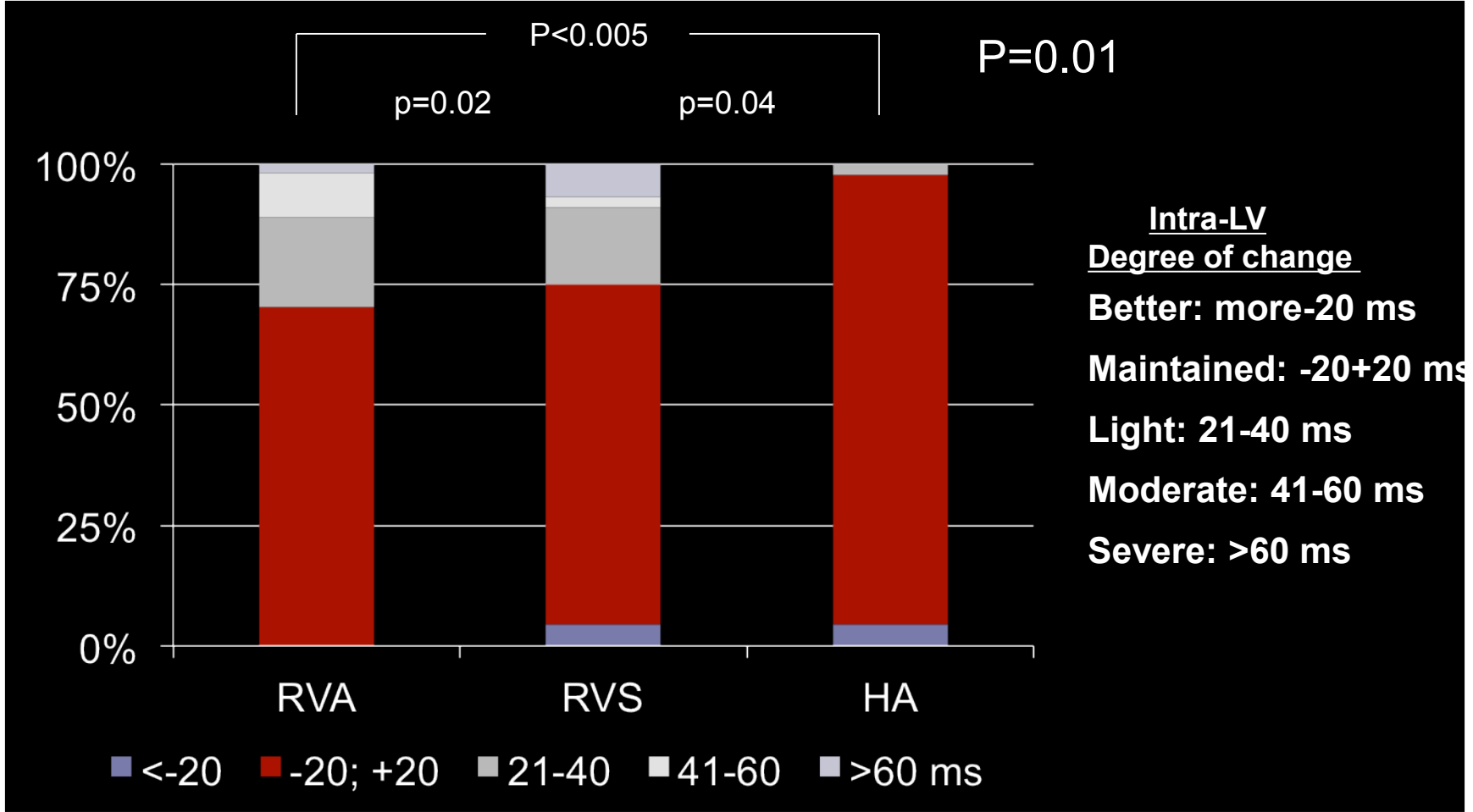
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	Intra LV ms post pacing	Apex vs Septal	Septal vs His	Apex vs His	Cut-off value Intra-LV >40 ms N pts (%)	p
Apex	39 ± 18	p=0.34	p=0.2	p=0.004	27 (50.0)	p=0.001
Septal	34 ± 25				13 (29.4)	
His	27 ± 11	7 (15.9)				



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Direct His bundle pacing preserves coronary perfusion compared with right ventricular apical pacing: a prospective, cross-over mid-term study

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Table 4 Perfusion difference for each segment

	Base	Mid	Apical	Apex
Antero-basal	0	0	-0.166	-0.41
Antero-septal	0.16	0	-0.25	-0.75
Infero-septal	-0.16	-0.75	-0.91	
Inferior	-0.16	-0.5	-0.5	
Infero-lateral	-0.25	-0.08	-0.16	
Antero-lateral	0	0	-0.16	

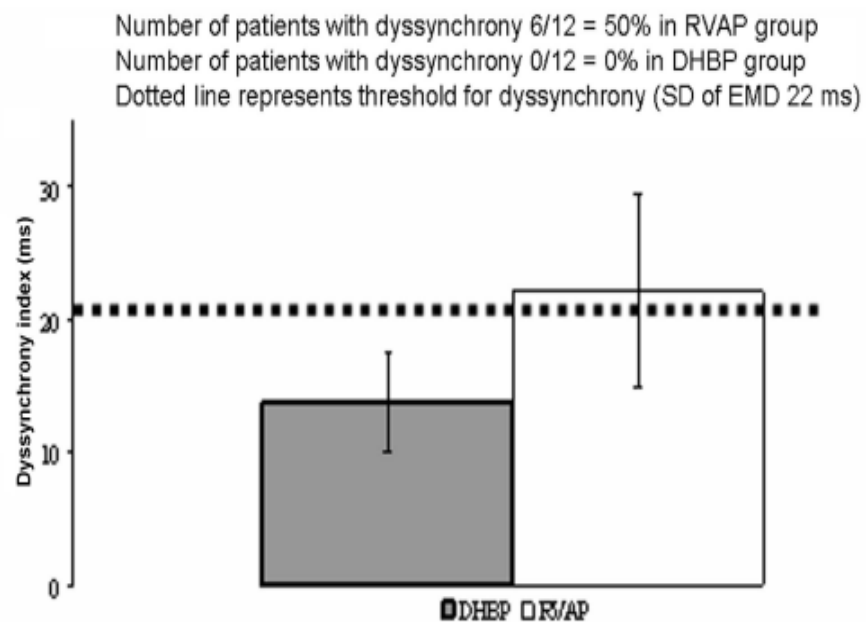
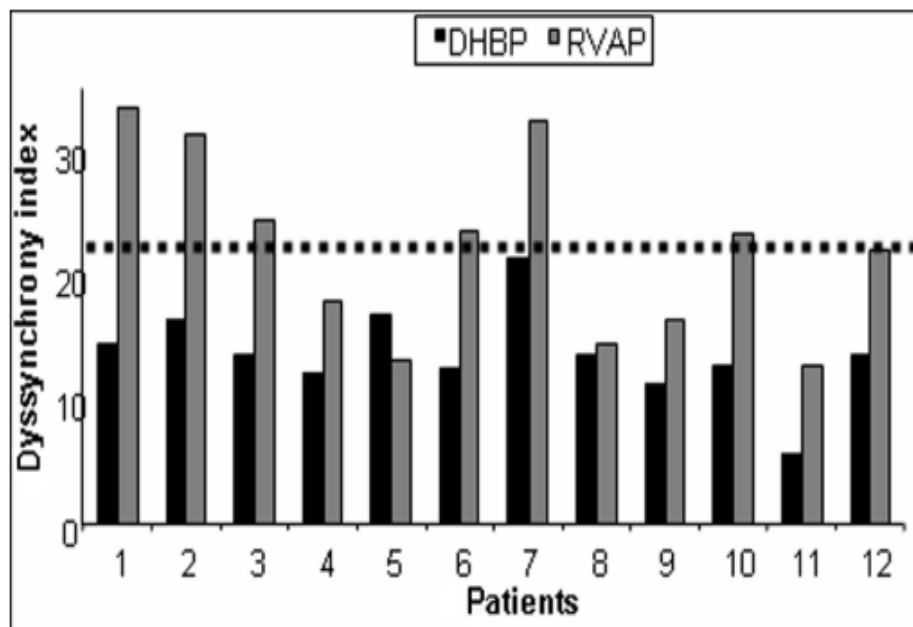
For each ventricular segment the difference in perfusion is expressed as mean of all the differences in perfusion related to that segment.

Table 2 Global perfusion score

	Mean perfusion during DHBP	Mean perfusion during RVAP	Δ % of perfusion in 3 months
1	0.05 ± 0.22	0.1 ± 0.4	-0.05
2	1.1 ± 1.2	1.25 ± 1.1	-0.15
3	0.3 ± 0.5	1.25 ± 1.4	-0.95
4	0.6 ± 0.8	1.3 ± 1.1	-0.7
5	0.1 ± 0.4	0.5 ± 0.8	-0.4
6	0	0	0
7	0.15 ± 0.36	0.6 ± 0.8	-0.45
8	0.75 ± 0.9	0.8 ± 1	-0.05
9	0.4 ± 0.8	0.45 ± 0.9	-0.05
10	1.65 ± 1.6	1.65 ± 1.6	0
11	0.15 ± 0.3	0.25 ± 0.4	-0.1
12	0.1 ± 0.3	0.4 ± 0.5	-0.3
Total	0.445 ± 0.503	0.713 ± 0.533	-0.26666
	mean ± SD		± 0.306

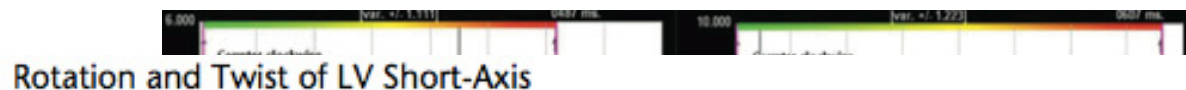
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Acute Mechanical Effect of Right Ventricular Pacing at Different Sites Using Velocity Vector Imaging

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Rotation and Twist of LV Short-Axis

	RA Pacing	His Bundle Pacing	RVOT Pacing	RVA Pacing
LV twist (°)	17.03 ± 7.62	16.08 ± 5.87	8.76 ± 3.20*	9.09 ± 2.35*
Peak apical rotation (°)	8.52 ± 6.53	9.77 ± 4.01	5.12 ± 3.28	4.84 ± 2.01
Peak basal rotation (°)	-8.51 ± 3.10	-6.30 ± 2.00	-3.59 ± 1.12*	-4.25 ± 1.29*

*Compared with RA pacing, P < 0.05.



Radial Strain at Each Wall of LV Short-Axis

	RA Pacing	His Bundle Pacing	RVOT Pacing	RVA Pacing
Anteroseptal (%)	22.01 ± 5.76	21.37 ± 6.83	11.11 ± 8.12†	10.33 ± 8.95†
Anterior (%)	20.11 ± 7.55	19.21 ± 5.44	10.45 ± 7.21†	13.55 ± 9.16†
Lateral (%)	17.31 ± 7.32	18.76 ± 7.34	16.22 ± 6.53	17.03 ± 7.02
Posterior (%)	18.32 ± 8.76	17.21 ± 8.11	15.22 ± 7.11	14.44 ± 5.87*
Inferior (%)	20.26 ± 10.22	19.11 ± 6.77	14.16 ± 6.45*	11.54 ± 8.36†
Septal (%)	21.66 ± 6.57	20.11 ± 7.11	12.33 ± 8.64†	10.92 ± 6.54†
Average (%)	19.28 ± 6.36	19.16 ± 9.10	13.78 ± 5.76†	12.43 ± 7.43†
AS-P delay by RS (ms)	105.57 ± 21.91	114.86 ± 20.89	165.86 ± 33.46*	176.5 ± 49.11*
SDt _{6S} by RS (ms)	30.25 ± 8.65	34.67 ± 6.28	39.76 ± 8.90*	45.33 ± 11.53*

*Compared with RA pacing, P < 0.05.

†Compared with RA pacing, P < 0.01.



Hisian area and right ventricular apical pacing differently affect left atrial function: an intra-patients evaluation

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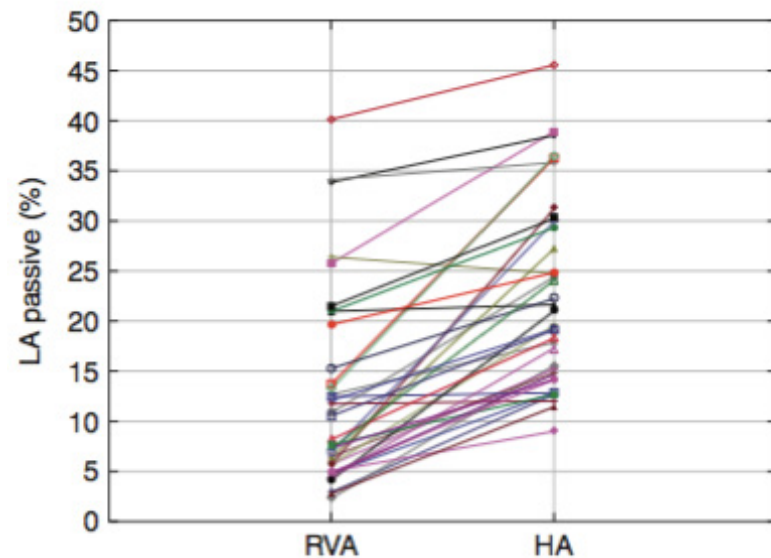
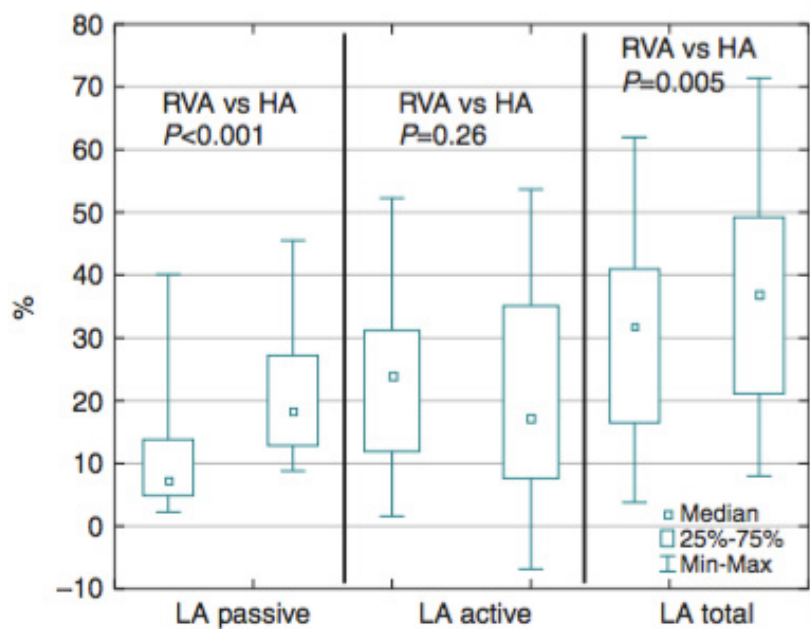


Figure 4 Intra-patient variation of LA passive emptying fraction

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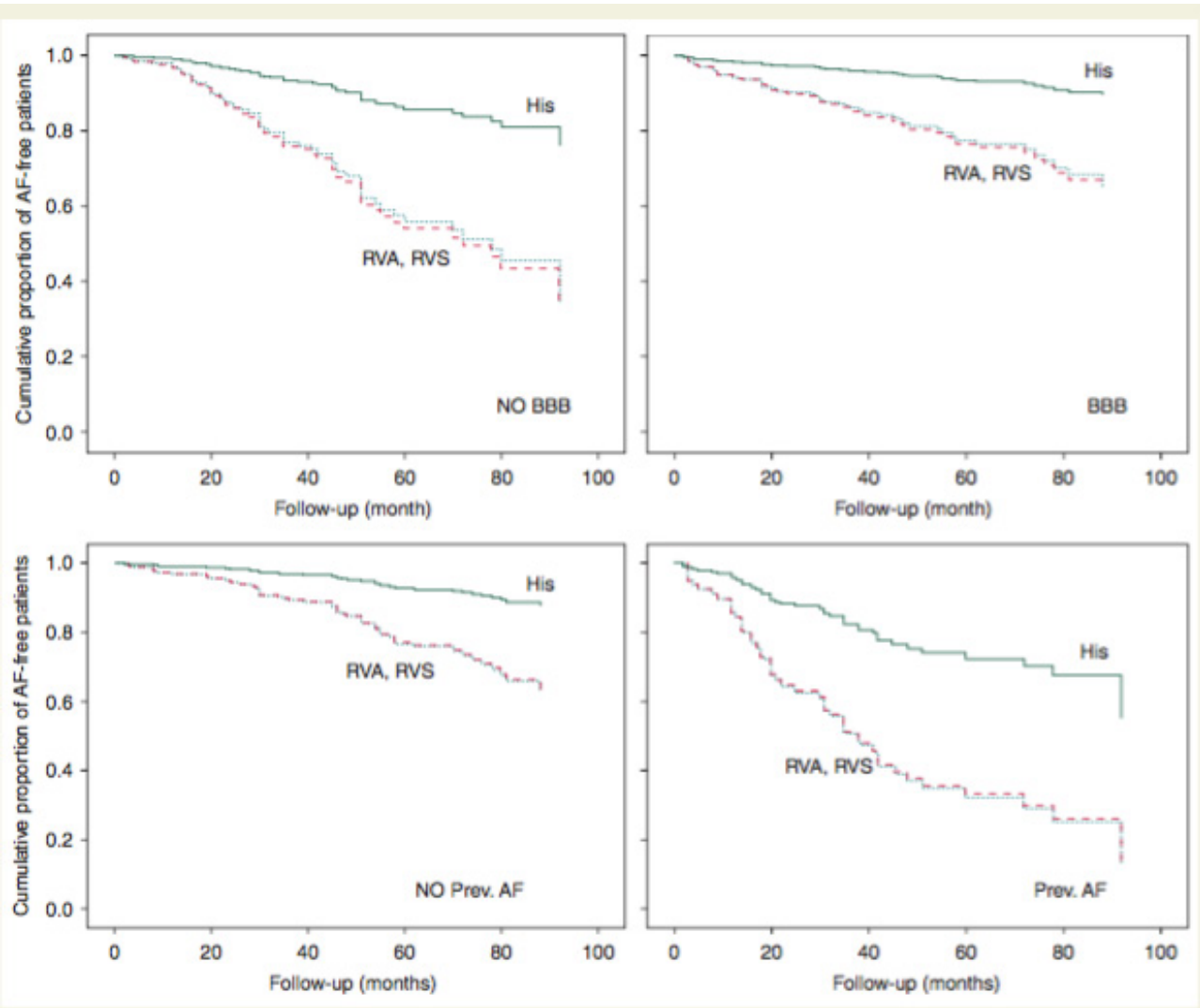
Variable	RV pacing site			P
	HA (148)	RVS (140)	RVA (189)	
Clinical data				
Age (years)	74.1 ± 8.5	76.9 ± 7.0	79.1 ± 8.3	0.011
Male gender	96 (64.9%)	96 (68.6%)	97 (51.3%)	0.001
BBB	48 (32.4%)	97 (69.3%)	128 (67.7%)	0.001
Previous history of AF	39 (26.4%)	23 (16.4%)	32 (16.9%)	0.052
Beta-blocker use	26 (17.6%)	23 (16.4%)	32 (16.9%)	0.363
ACE-ARB use	100 (67.6%)	98 (70.0%)	118 (62.4%)	0.359
Amiodarone use	6 (4.0%)	6 (4.3%)	7 (3.7%)	0.993
AR-1C/use	10 (6.8%)	8 (5.7%)	4 (2.1%)	0.098
Coronary disease	37 (25.0%)	45 (32.1%)	41 (21.7%)	0.136
Hypertension	126 (85.1%)	124 (88.6%)	163 (86.2%)	0.618
Diabetes	36 (24.3%)	38 (27.1%)	44 (23.3%)	0.729
Echocardiographic data				
LVEF (%)	62 ± 7	60 ± 8	60 ± 7	0.013
LVEDV (mL/m ²)	64.1 ± 14.4	59.6 ± 15.3	62.8 ± 14.1	0.083
LA (mm)	47.6 ± 8.1	46.5 ± 7.8	48.2 ± 8.1	0.382

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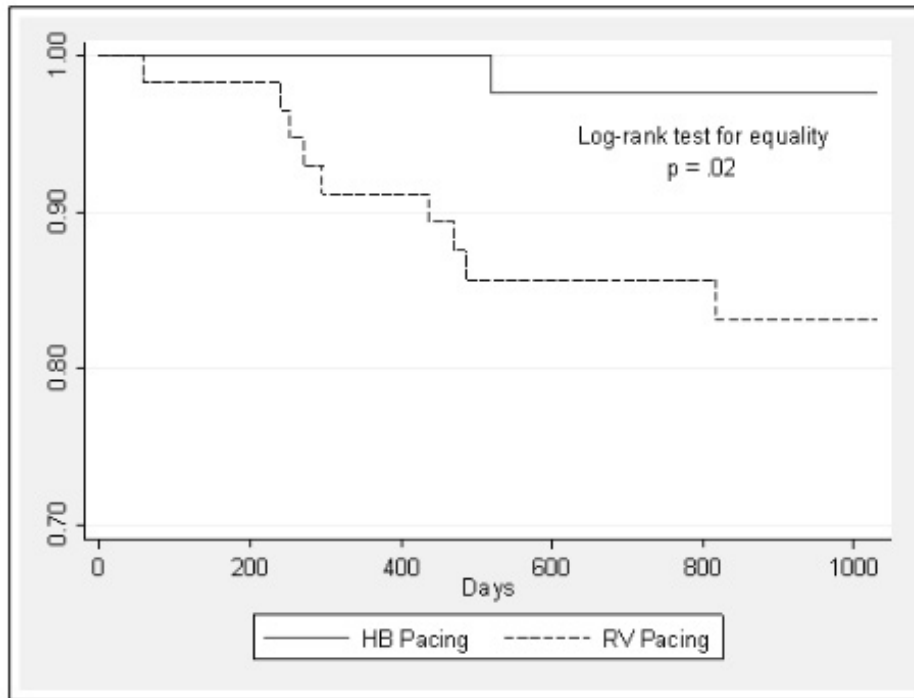


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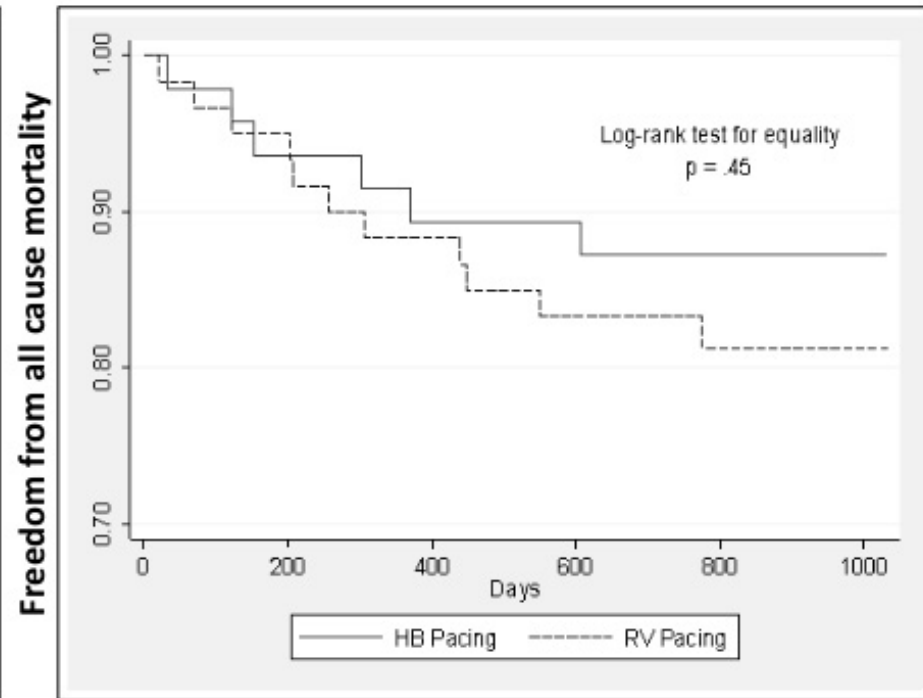
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HFH outcomes



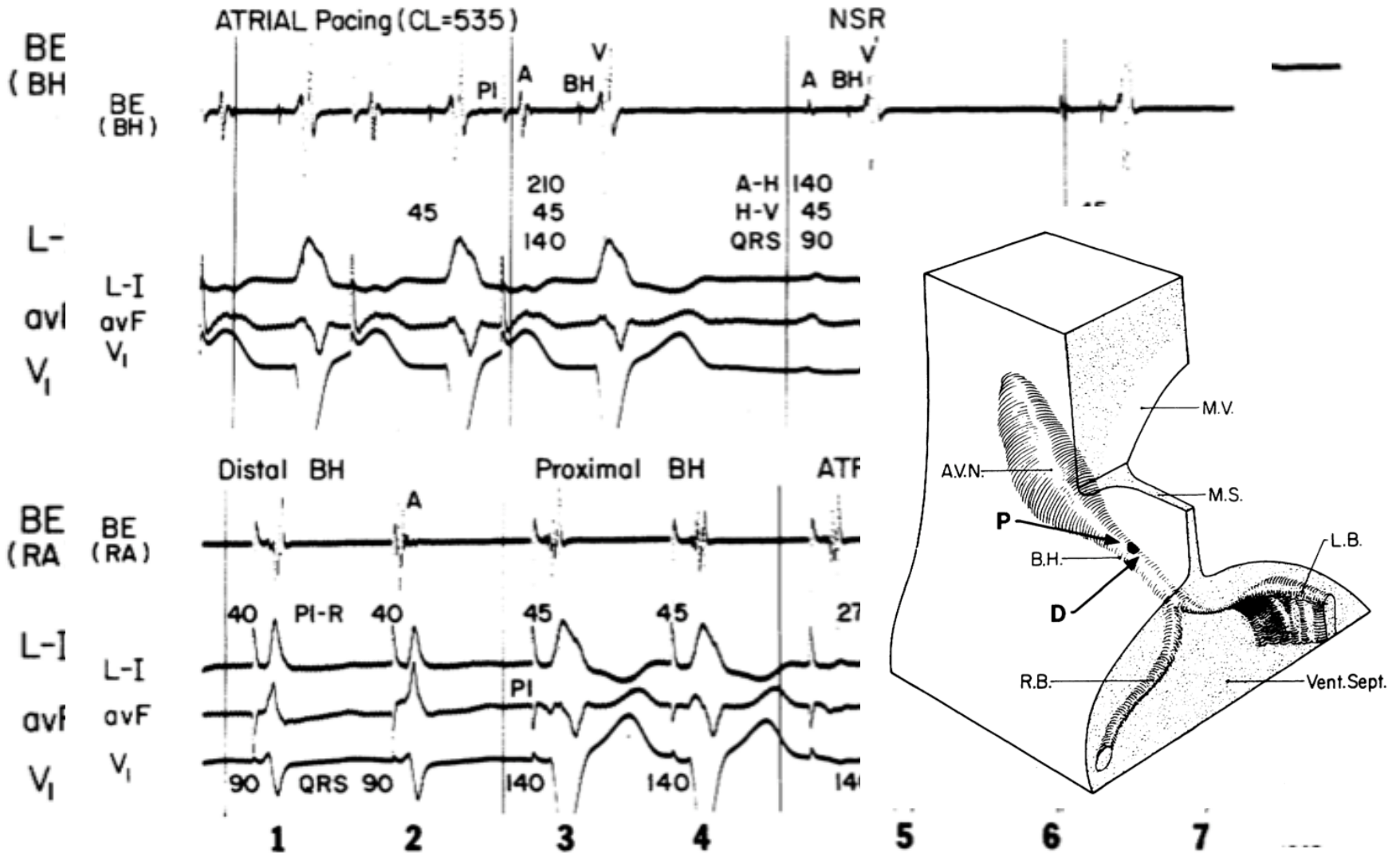
Mortality outcomes



HBP

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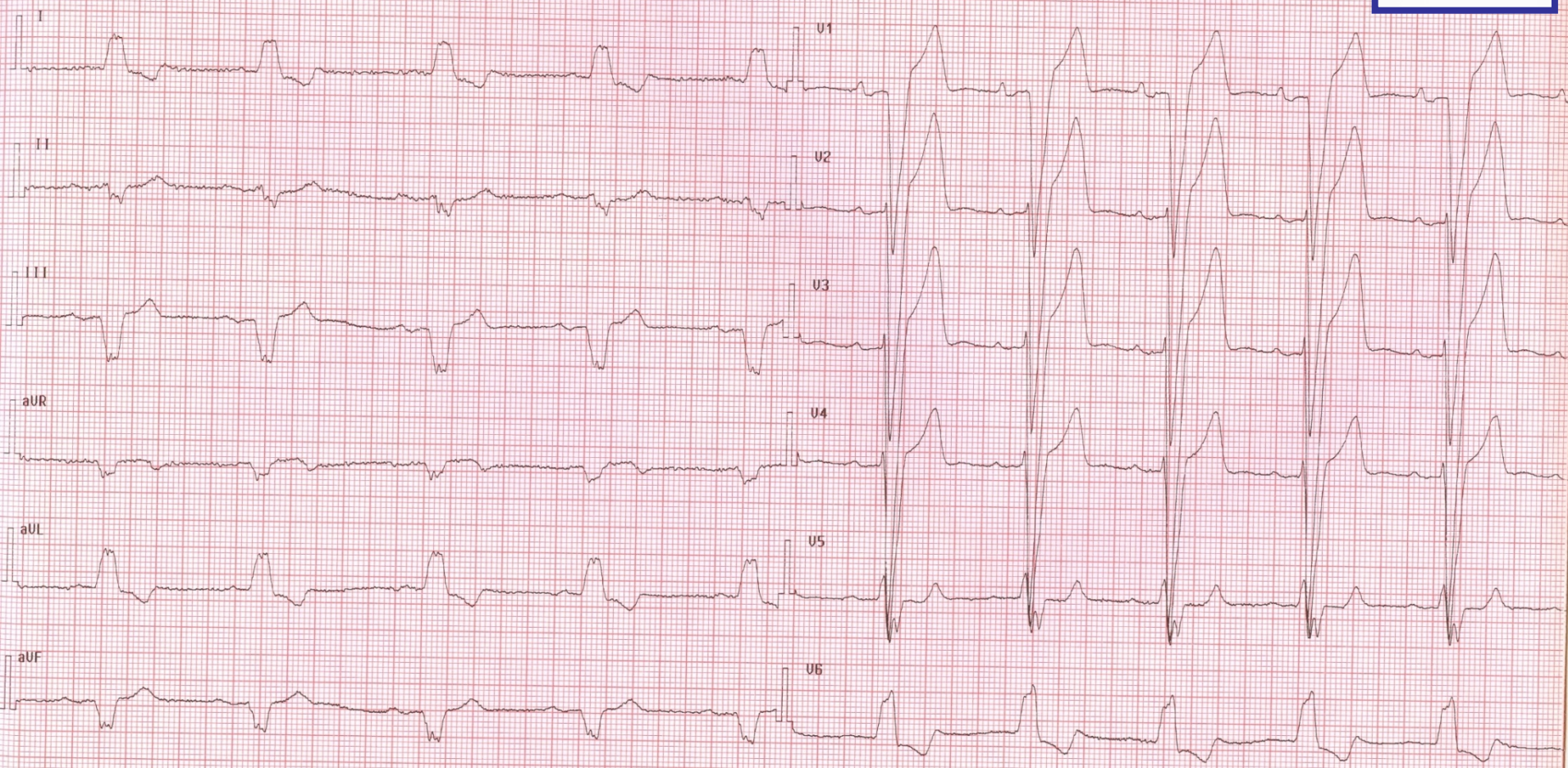
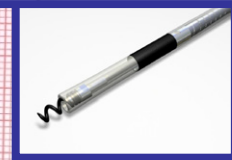
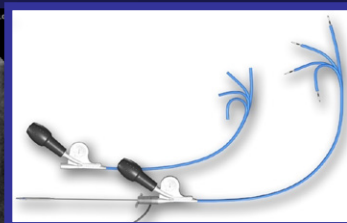
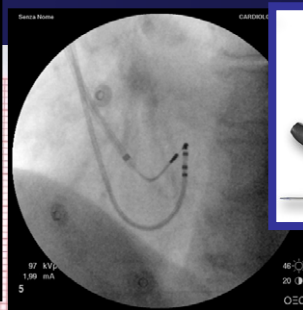
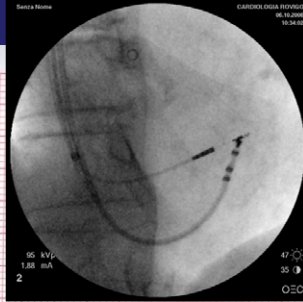
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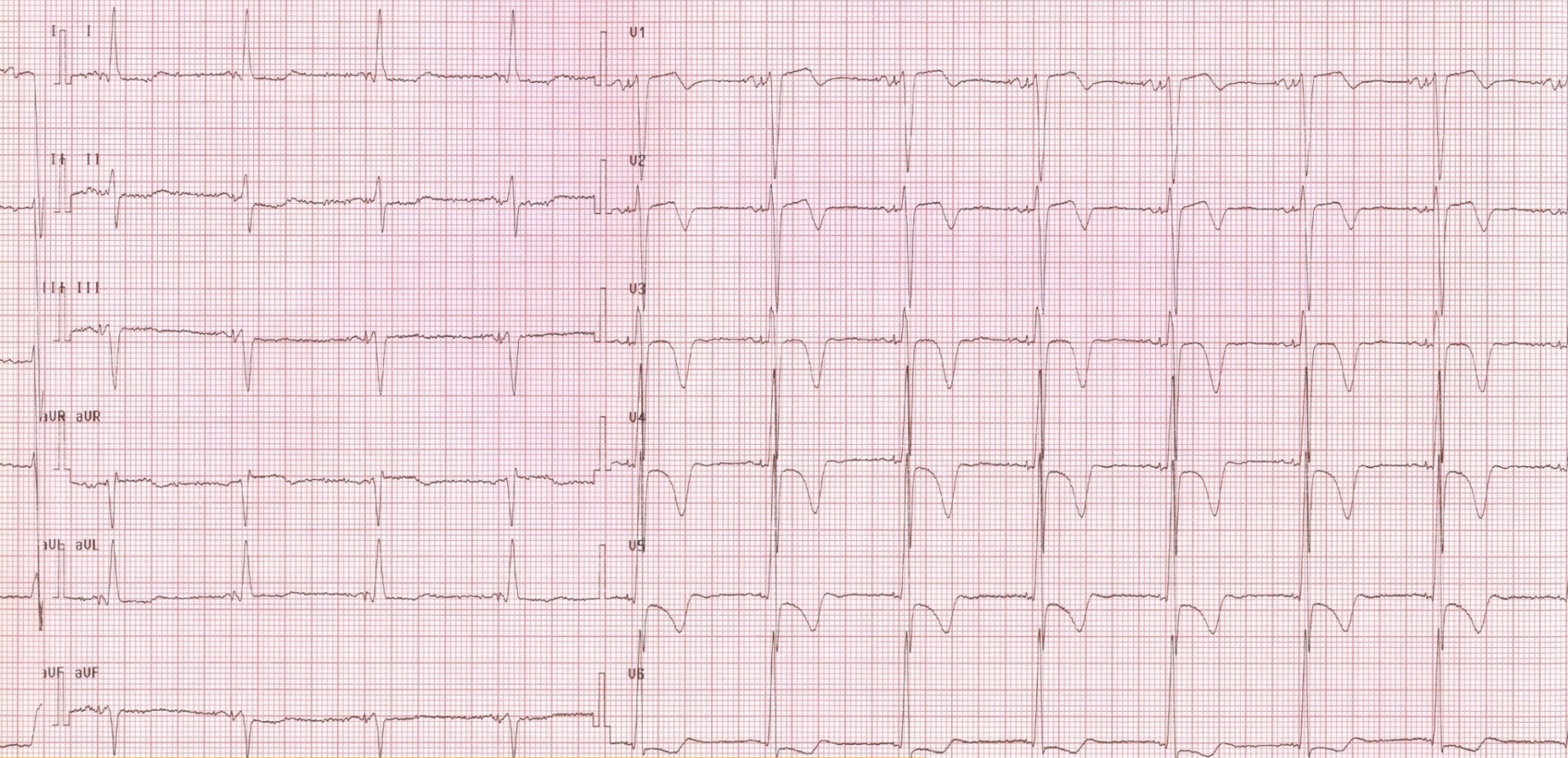
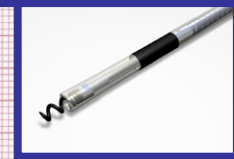
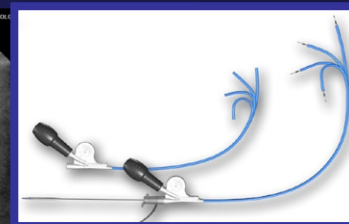
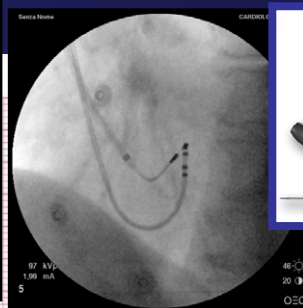
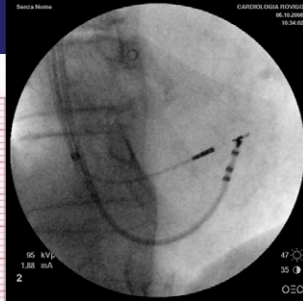


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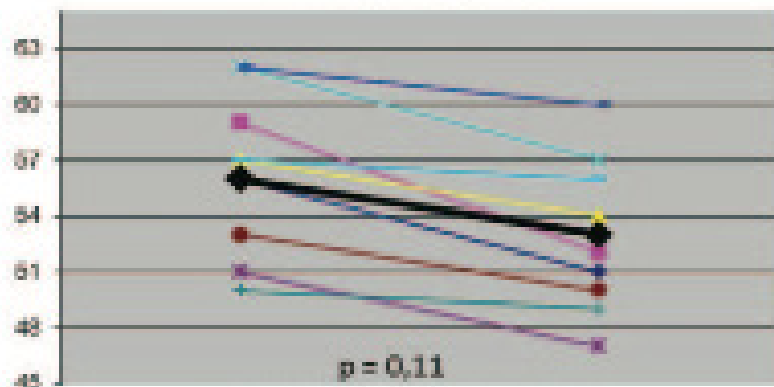
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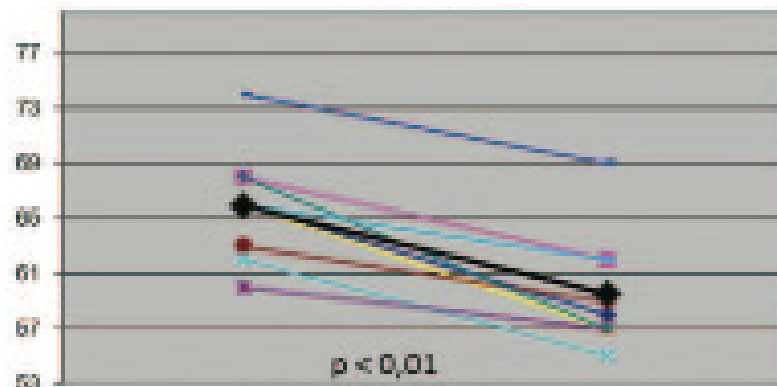
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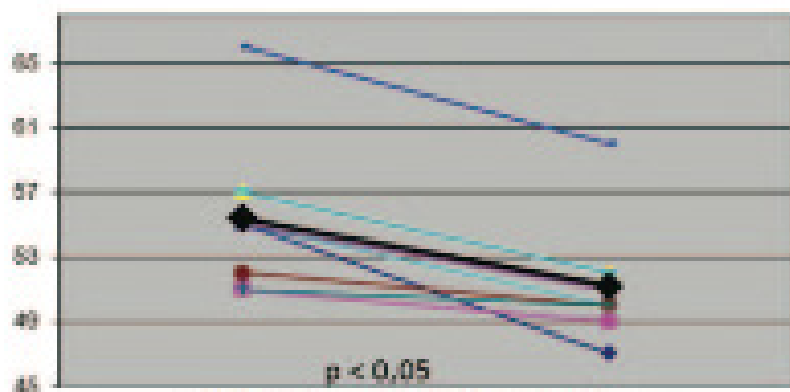
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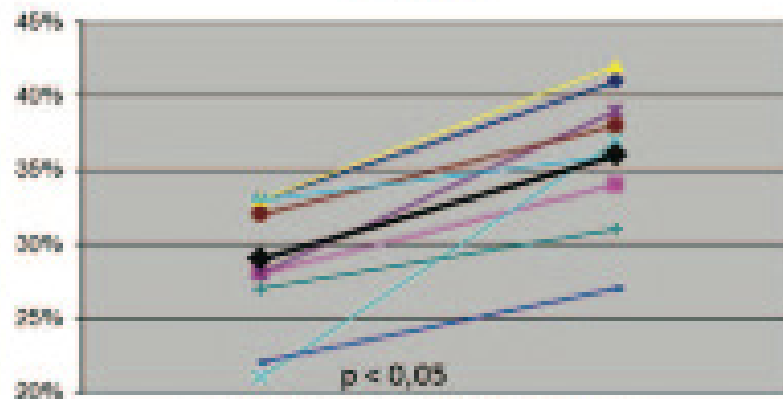
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LVEDS (mm)



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LVEF (%)



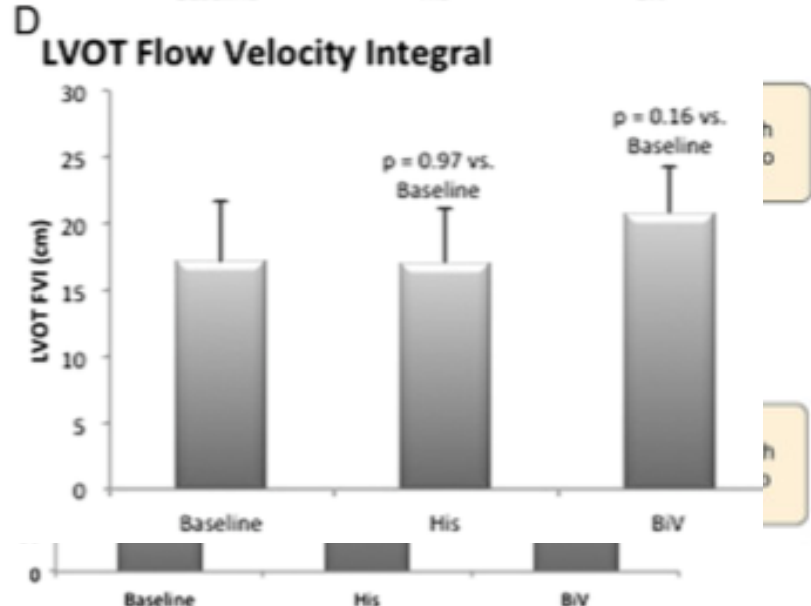
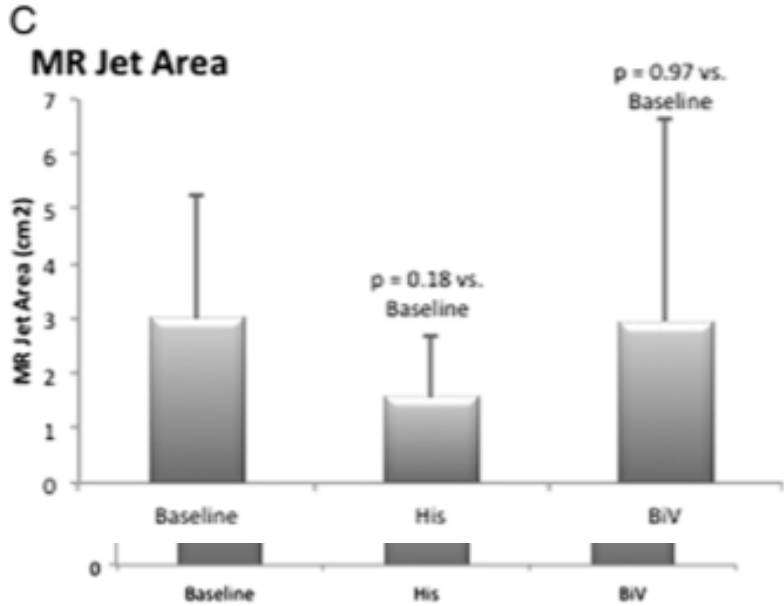
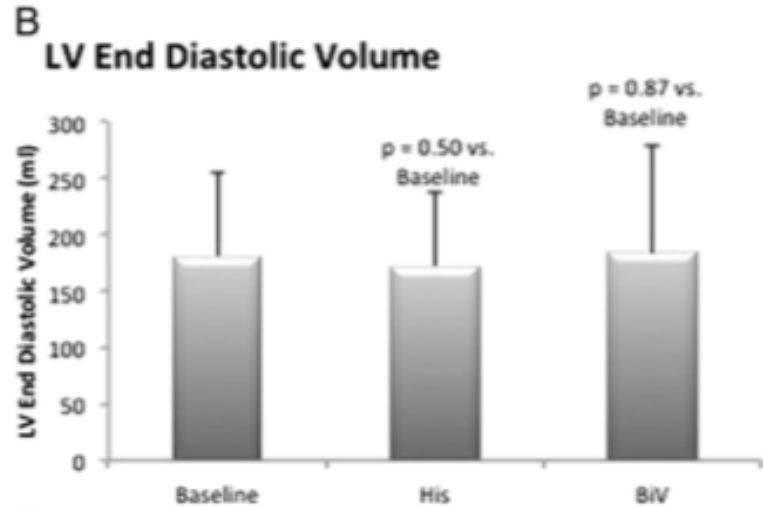
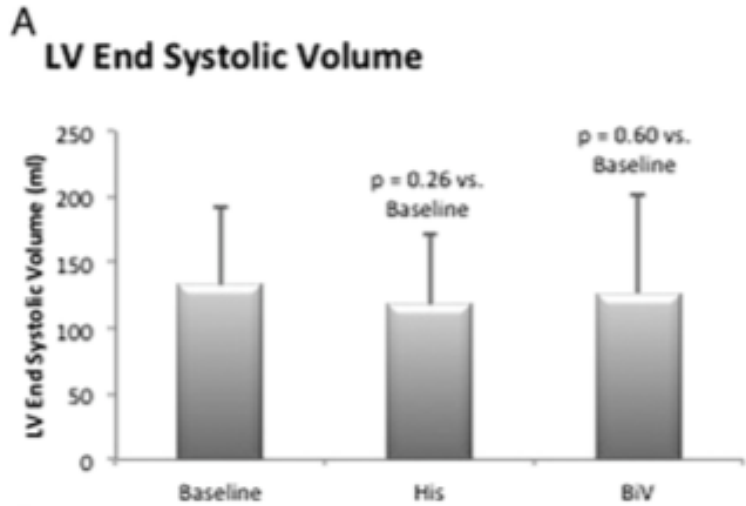
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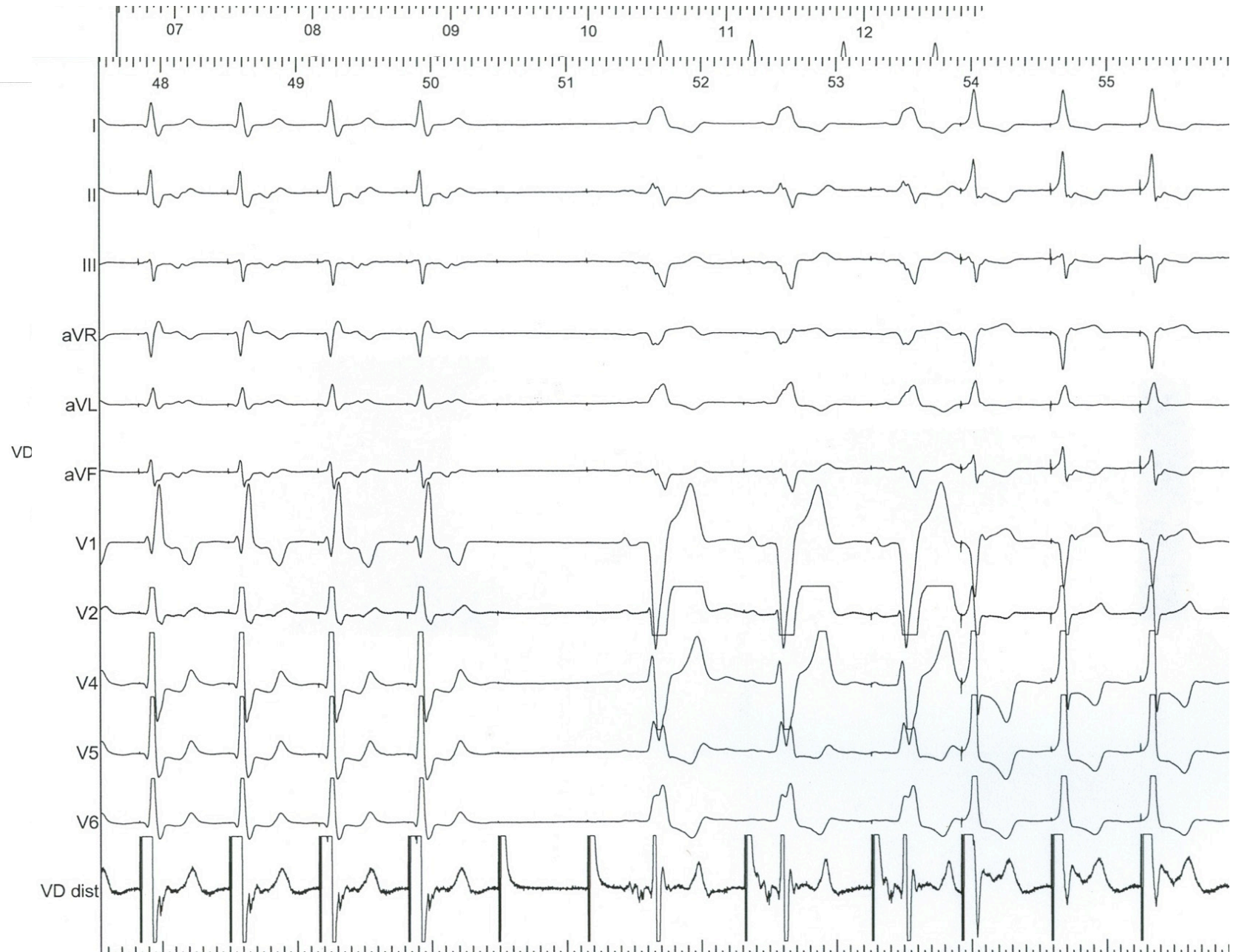
His-bundle pacing versus biventricular pacing in cardiac resynchronization therapy patients: A crossover design comparison

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29 patients enrolled

21/29 with QRS narrowing





A green highway sign with the text "What's Next?" in white, mounted on a metal structure against a blue sky with white clouds. The sign is rectangular with rounded corners and is supported by a metal frame. The text is centered on the sign in a large, bold, sans-serif font. The background is a bright blue sky filled with fluffy white clouds.

What's Next?

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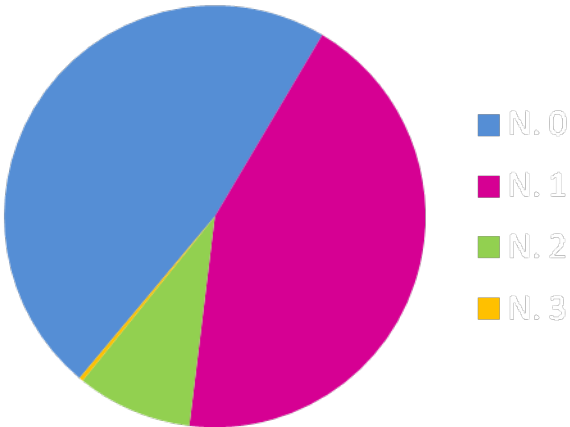
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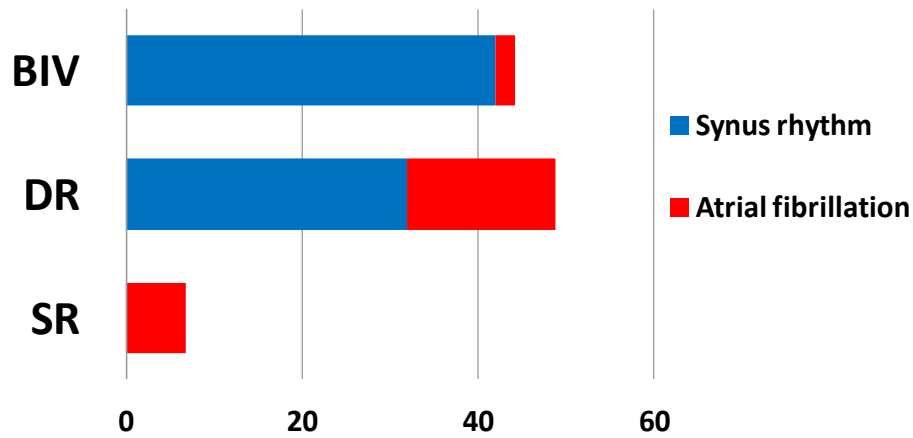
Mean Follow-up (years)	6.4±2.7

Patients with ≥ 1 Device Replacement	N. 172 (52.6%)

N° of device replacement



Type of device (%)



	N.	AF (%)	RS (%)

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