

First Clinical Results and Future Developments of RES Technology NEVO RES I Trial

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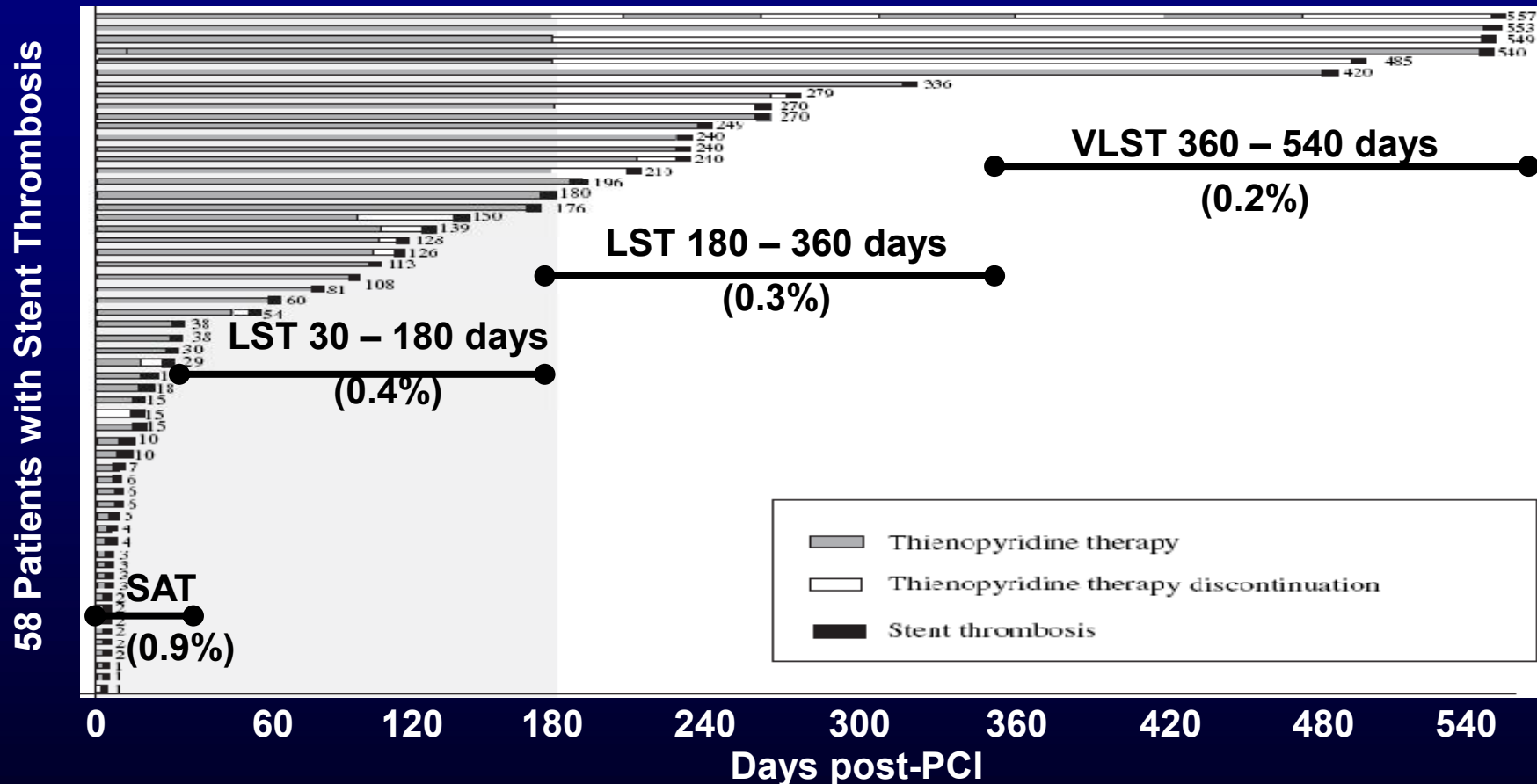


A Few Misconceptions.....

- Late and very late stent thrombosis have virtually disappeared from my practice because:
 - Prolonged dual antiplatelet therapy has increased safety
 - « Second generation » drug eluting stents are safer



Relationship between discontinuation of thienopyridine therapy and ST



Median time from clopidogrel discontinuation and ST:

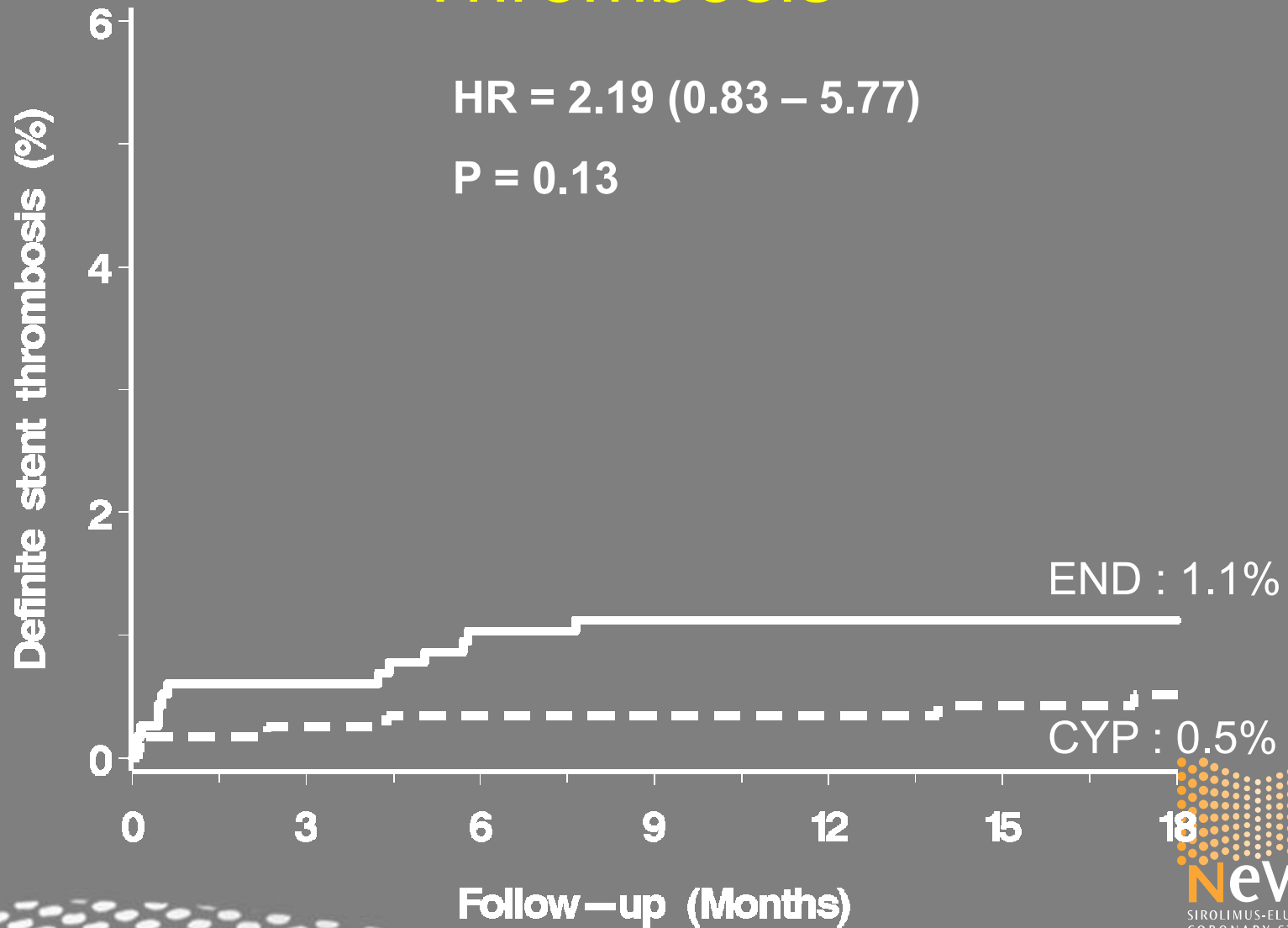
- ST within first 6 months: 13.5 days (IQR range, 5.2 to 25.7)
- ST after the first 6 months: 90 days (IQR, 30 to 365 days)

Park S-J et al, N Engl J Med 2010

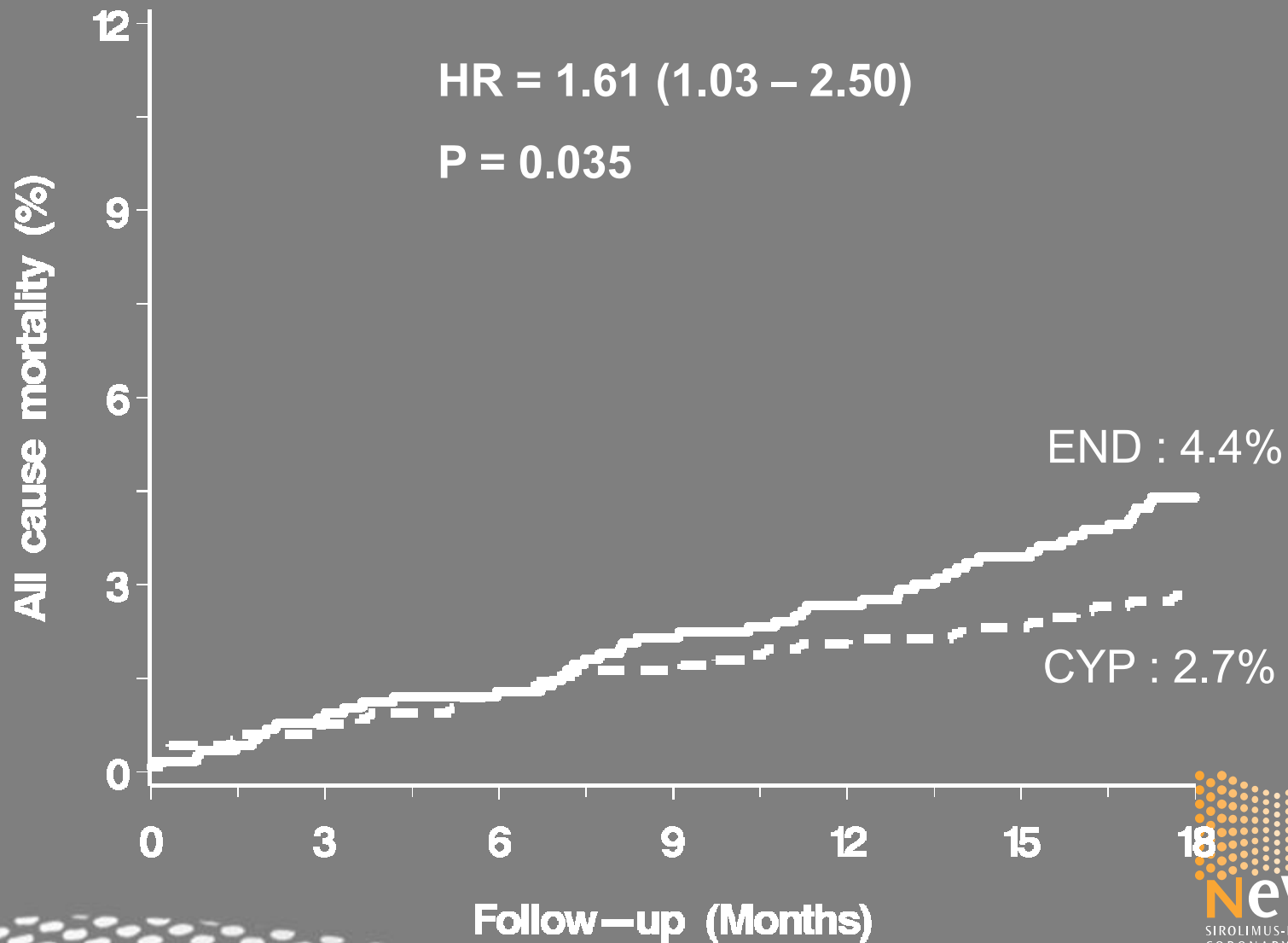
Table 3. Outcome Rates at 12 Months and 24 Months, According to Treatment Group.*

Outcome	Total No. of Events		Cumulative Event Rate at 12 Mo		Cumulative Event Rate at 24 Mo		Hazard Ratio (95% CI) [†]	P Value
	Clopidogrel +Aspirin	Aspirin Alone	Clopidogrel +Aspirin	Aspirin Alone	Clopidogrel +Aspirin	Aspirin Alone		
Primary end point: MI or death from cardiac causes	20	12	0.7	0.5	1.8	1.2	1.65 (0.80–3.36)	0.17
Secondary end points								
Death from any cause	20	13	0.5	0.5	1.6	1.4	1.52 (0.75–3.50)	0.24
MI	10	7	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.7	1.41 (0.54–3.71)	0.49
Stroke	9	4	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.3	2.22 (0.68–7.20)	0.19
Stent thrombosis, definite	5	4	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.4	1.23 (0.33–4.58)	0.76
Repeat revascularization	36	26	1.7	1.1	3.1	2.4	1.37 (0.83–2.27)	0.22
MI or death from any cause	27	17	0.8	0.8	2.3	1.7	1.57 (0.85–2.88)	0.15
MI, stroke, or death from any cause	35	20	1.1	1.1	3.2	1.8	1.73 (0.99–3.00)	0.05
MI, stroke, or death from cardiac causes	28	15	1.0	0.8	2.7	1.3	1.84 (0.99–3.45)	0.06
Major bleeding, according to TIMI criteria [‡]	3	1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	2.96 (0.31–28.46)	0.35

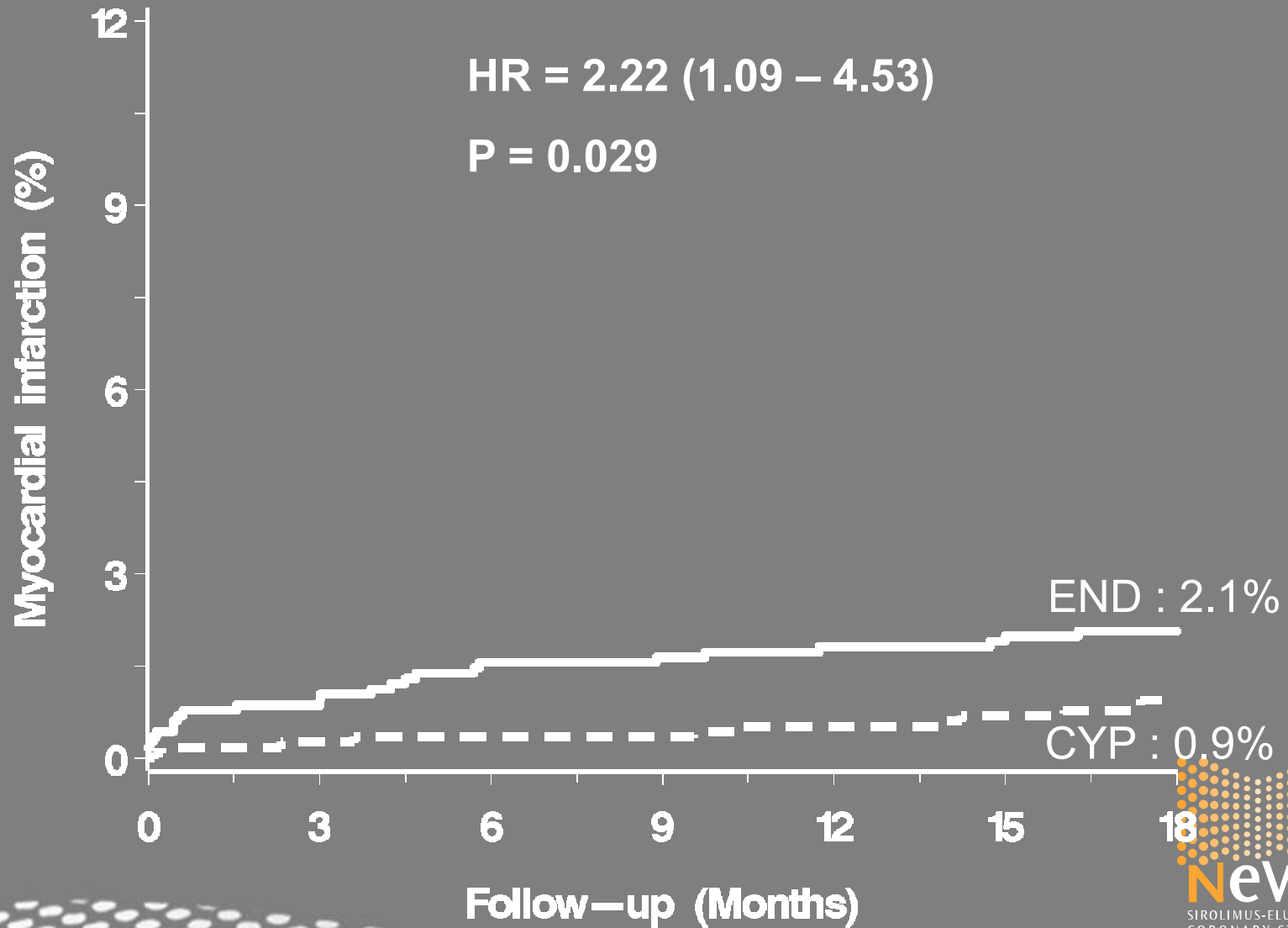
SORT OUT III Definite Stent Thrombosis



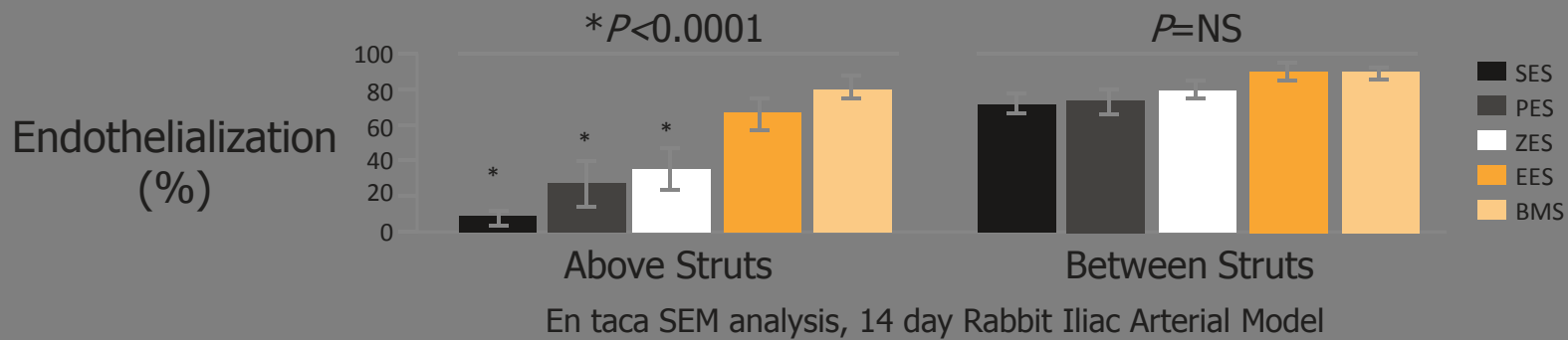
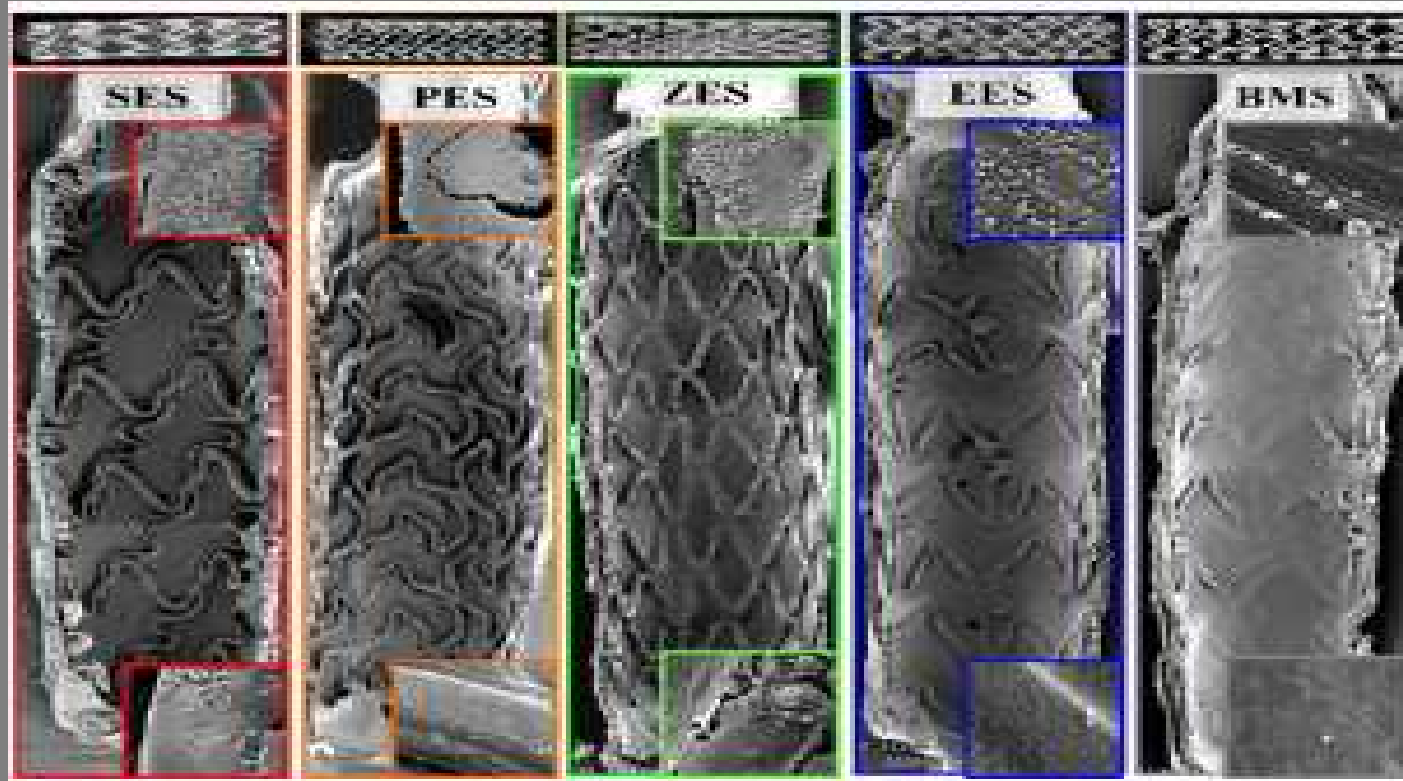
SORT OUT III All Cause Mortality



SORT OUT III Myocardial Infarction



ENDOTHELIALIZATION



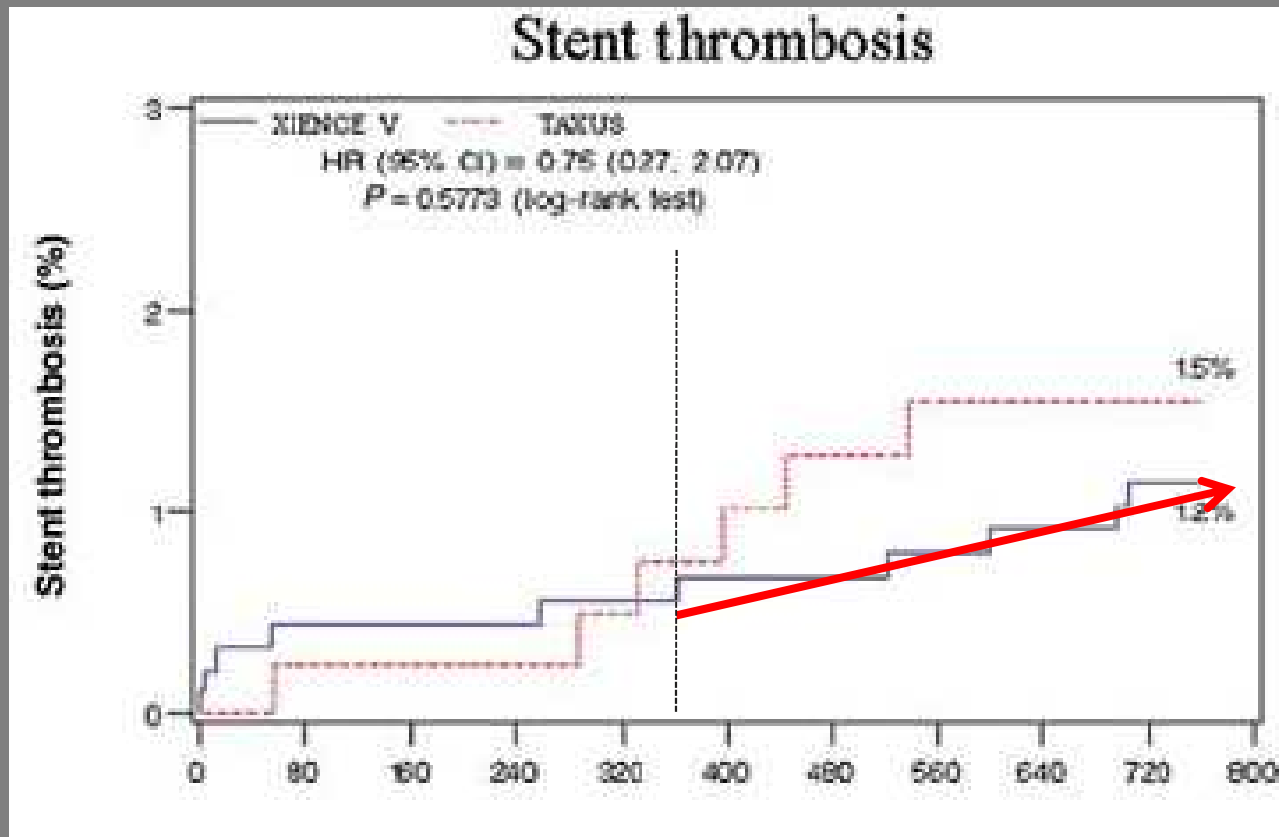
Jonker M et al. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2009;52(5):722-742. Text reprinted with permission.



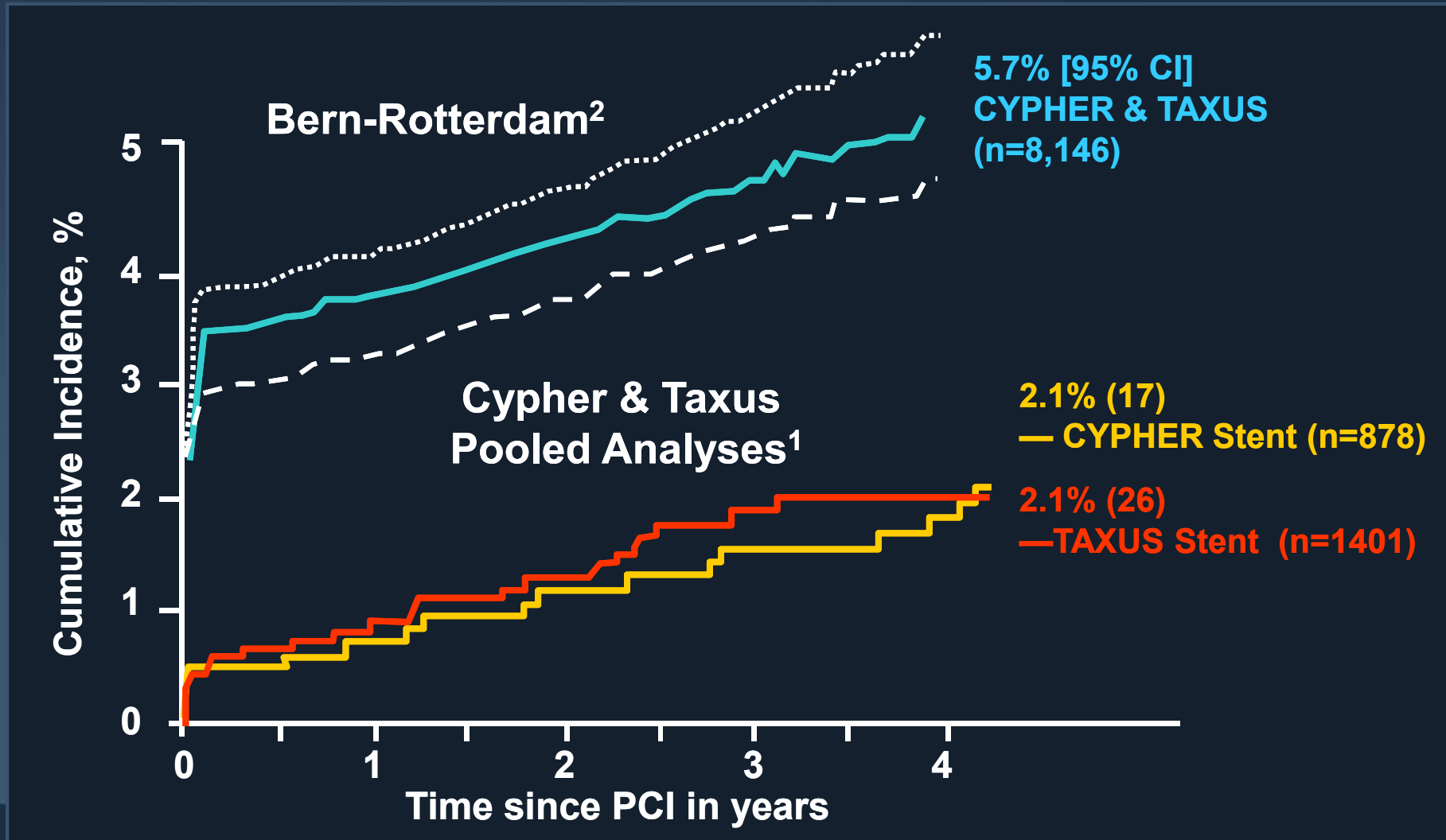
NEWER SURFACE-COATED DES CONTINUE TO HAVE LIMITATIONS AFTER 1 YEAR (XIENCE V)

0.5% VLST (ARC def/prob, or protocol) rate in SPIRIT II/III

Awaiting long-term follow-up from SPIRIT IV/COMPARE



Cumulative Incidence of ARC Def/Prob ST over 4 yrs after DES (CYPHER & TAXUS)



¹ Mauri et al; N Engl J Med 2007;356:1020-9

² Wenaweser et al; J Am Coll Cardiol 2008;52:1134-40

NEVO™: Advancing Safety Beyond Surface-coated Stents



Unique RES TECHNOLOGY™

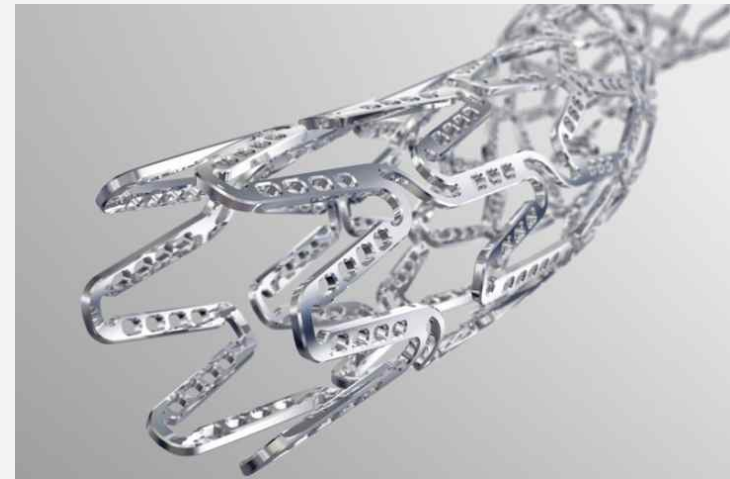
- No surface polymer coating
- Controlled drug delivery
- Bioabsorbable polymer, fully absorbed in as little as 90 days

Advanced Deliverability

- Optimized CoCr stent design
- Advanced delivery system

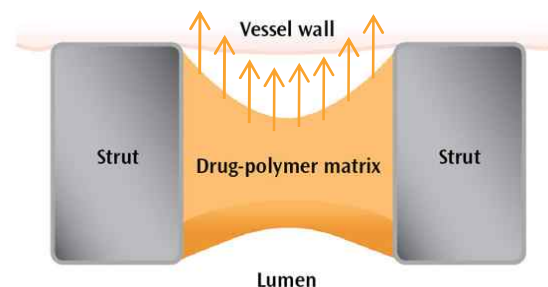
Proven Sirolimus Evidence

- CYPHER®-like tissue content
- Largest body of evidence up to 7 years



NEVO™ is Designed to Deliver as a BMS

Drug-polymer matrix is recessed into the reservoirs →
No polymer on the surface of NEVO™



Cross-section of reservoir

Polymer is protected during delivery
Less friction during stent delivery

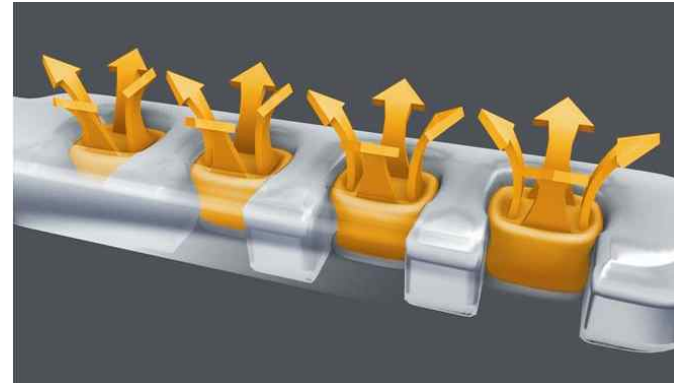


Designed to Deliver as a BMS

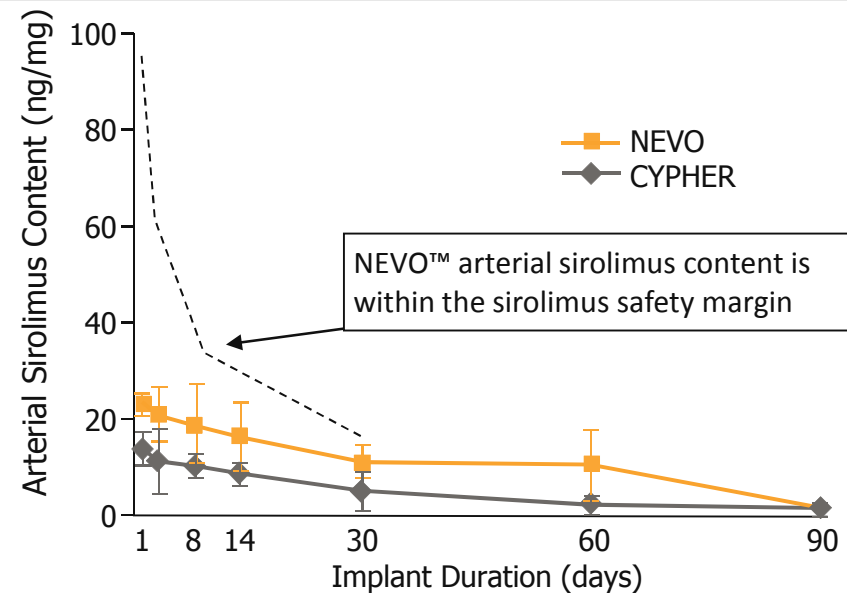
NEVO™ Delivers Sirolimus Directly to the Vessel Wall



NEVO™ provides controlled preferential delivery of sirolimus to the vessel wall



NEVO™ achieves sirolimus content in tissue similar to CYPHER

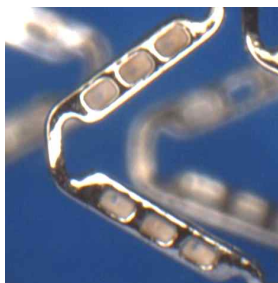


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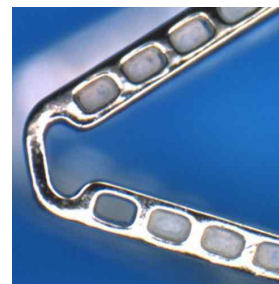
NEVO is designed to transform to a BMS



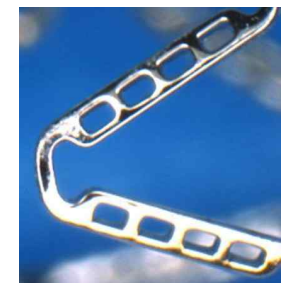
Day 1



Day 30



Day 60



Day 90

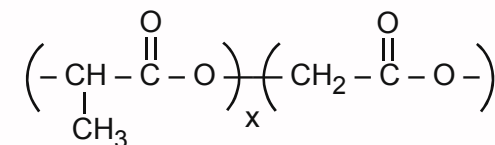
DES



BMS

Fully bioabsorbable PLGA polymer

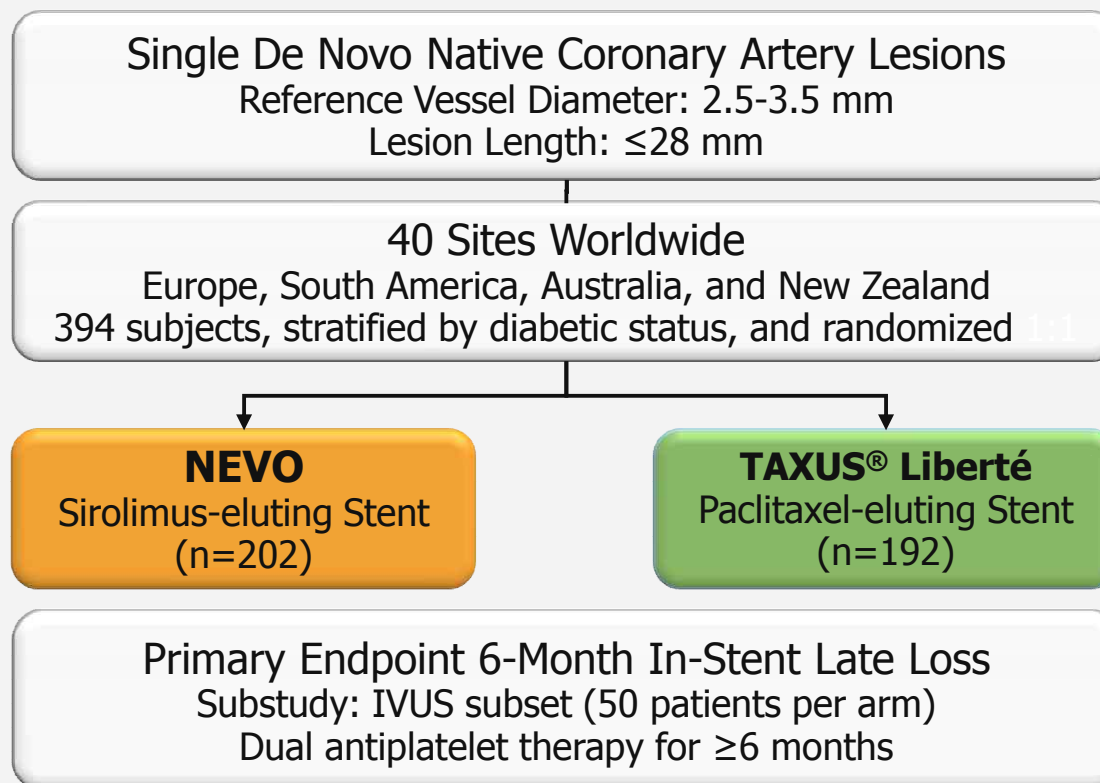
- Used in a variety of medical applications such as VICRYL™ sutures¹
- Designed for complete bioabsorption in as little as 90 days
- Highly biocompatible
- Fully metabolized bioproducts (CO₂ + H₂O)
- RES TECHNOLOGY stents transform into a BMS in as little as 90 days



1. Robert Falotico et al. "NEVO™: a new generation of sirolimus-eluting coronary stent"; EuroIntervention 5 (Supplement F) (2009) F88-F93

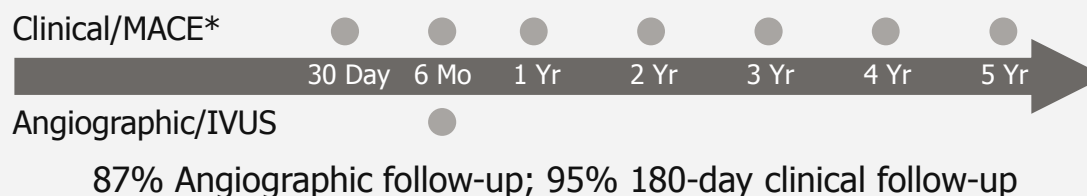


NEVO RES-I Study Overview



Principal Investigators

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Christian Spaulding



*MACE=Major adverse cardiac event.
EuroPCR 09, Oral presentation, Chr. Spaulding.

NEVO RES-I: Objective and Methods

Objective

To demonstrate noninferiority (and, if positive, superiority) of NEVO™ to TAXUS Liberté for the primary endpoint of angiographic in-stent late loss at 6 months

Major inclusion criteria

- Single de novo lesions in native coronary arteries
- Lesion length ≤ 28 mm
- 2.5 mm to 3.5 mm in diameter

Major exclusion criteria

- Acute myocardial infarction
- Unprotected left main stem lesions
- Ostial lesions
- Bifurcation lesions with side branch vessel diameter > 2.0 mm

DAPT Recommendation

Dual antiplatelet drug treatment recommended for a minimum of 6 months with 12 months recommended for all patients at low risk of bleeding

NEVO RES-I: Key Endpoints

Primary endpoint

Angiographic in-stent late loss at 6 months

Secondary endpoints

- In-stent /In-segment binary restenosis, % diameter stenosis, and MLD
- Device, lesion, and procedure success
- Stent thrombosis (ARC and "Protocol" definition), including follow-up to 5 years
- TLF/TVF/MACE and individual components, including follow-up to 5 years
- Stent malapposition and % volume obstruction (IVUS)
- Quality of life at baseline, 30 days, 6 months, and 1 year

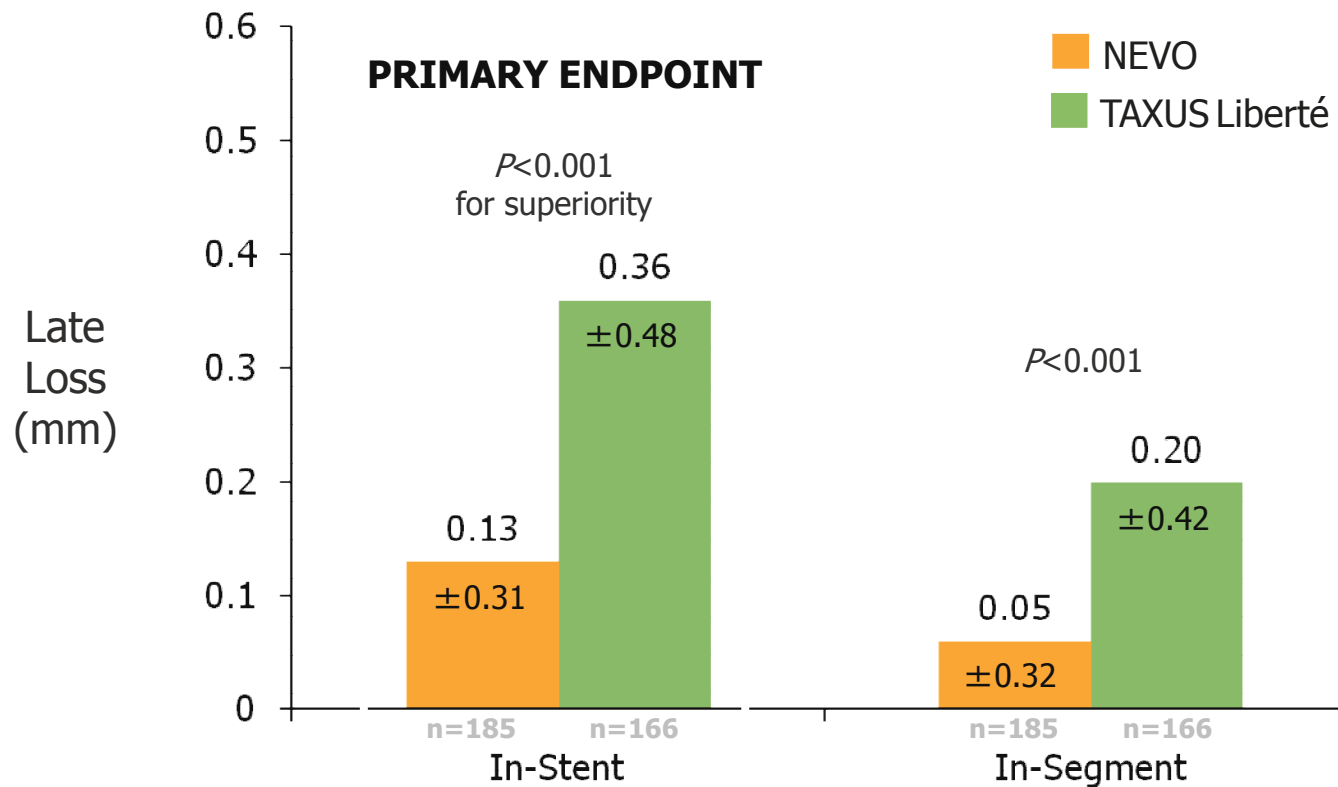
Pre-specified subgroup analyses

- Diabetes and no diabetes
- Reference vessel diameter
- Lesion length \leq versus ≥ 20 mm

NEVO RES-I: Primary Endpoint – Late Lumen Loss at 6 Months



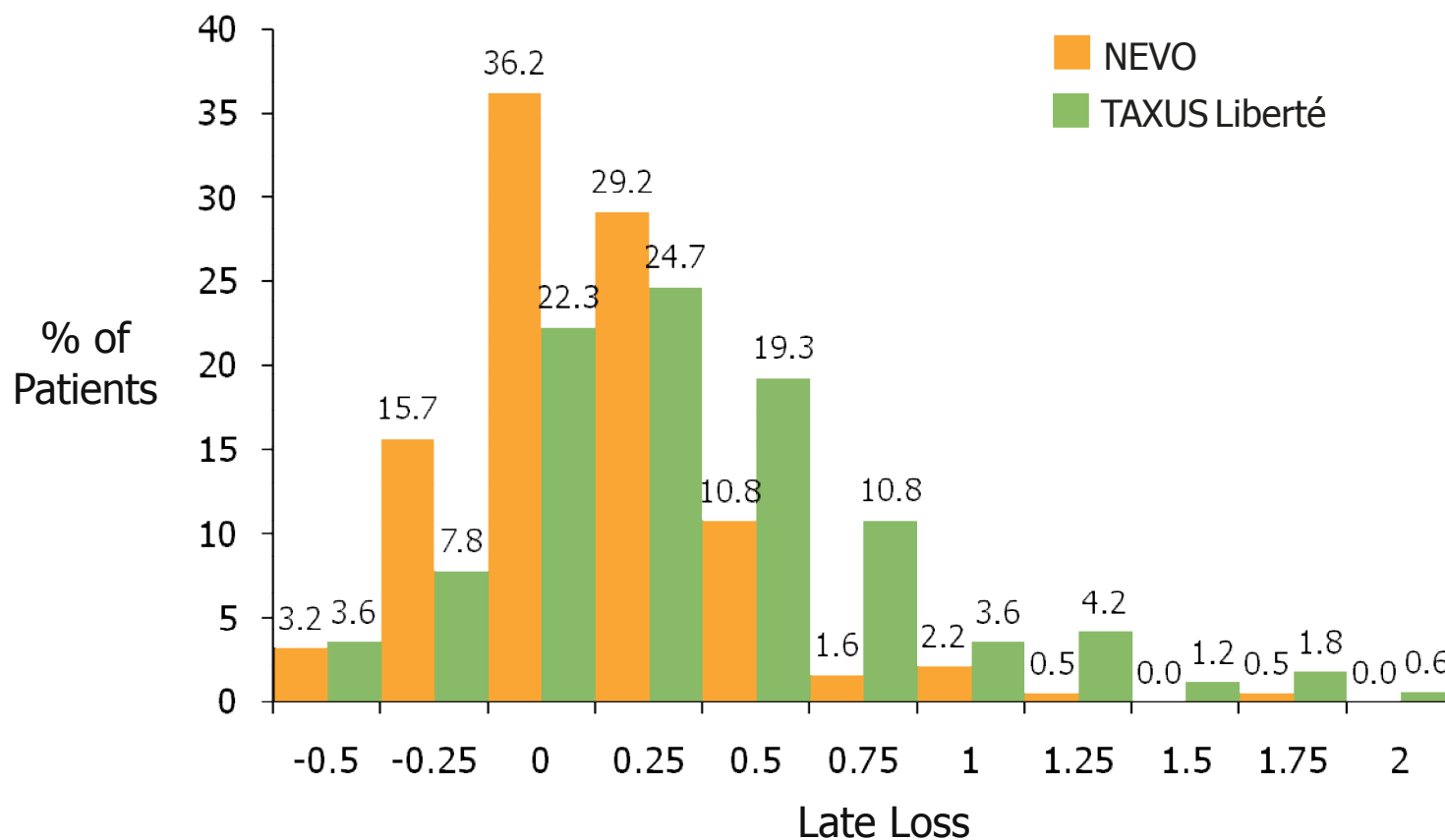
PRIMARY ENDPOINT: LATE LUMEN LOSS AT 6 MONTHS



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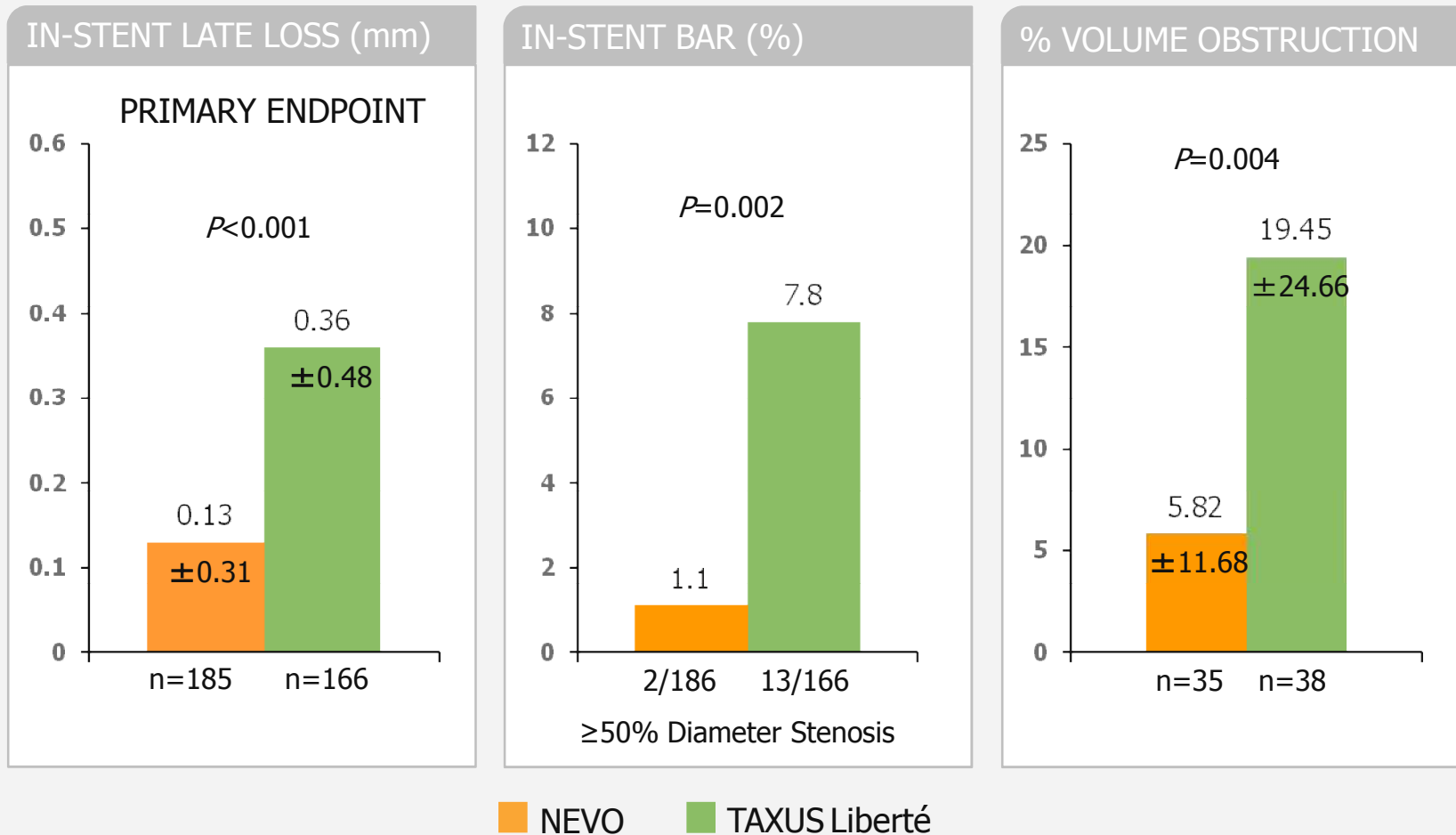
NEVO RES-I: Distribution of In-Stent Late Loss

DISTRIBUTION OF IN-STENT LATE LOSS



Data reflect completed 6 months follow-up, core lab, and CEC adjudication.
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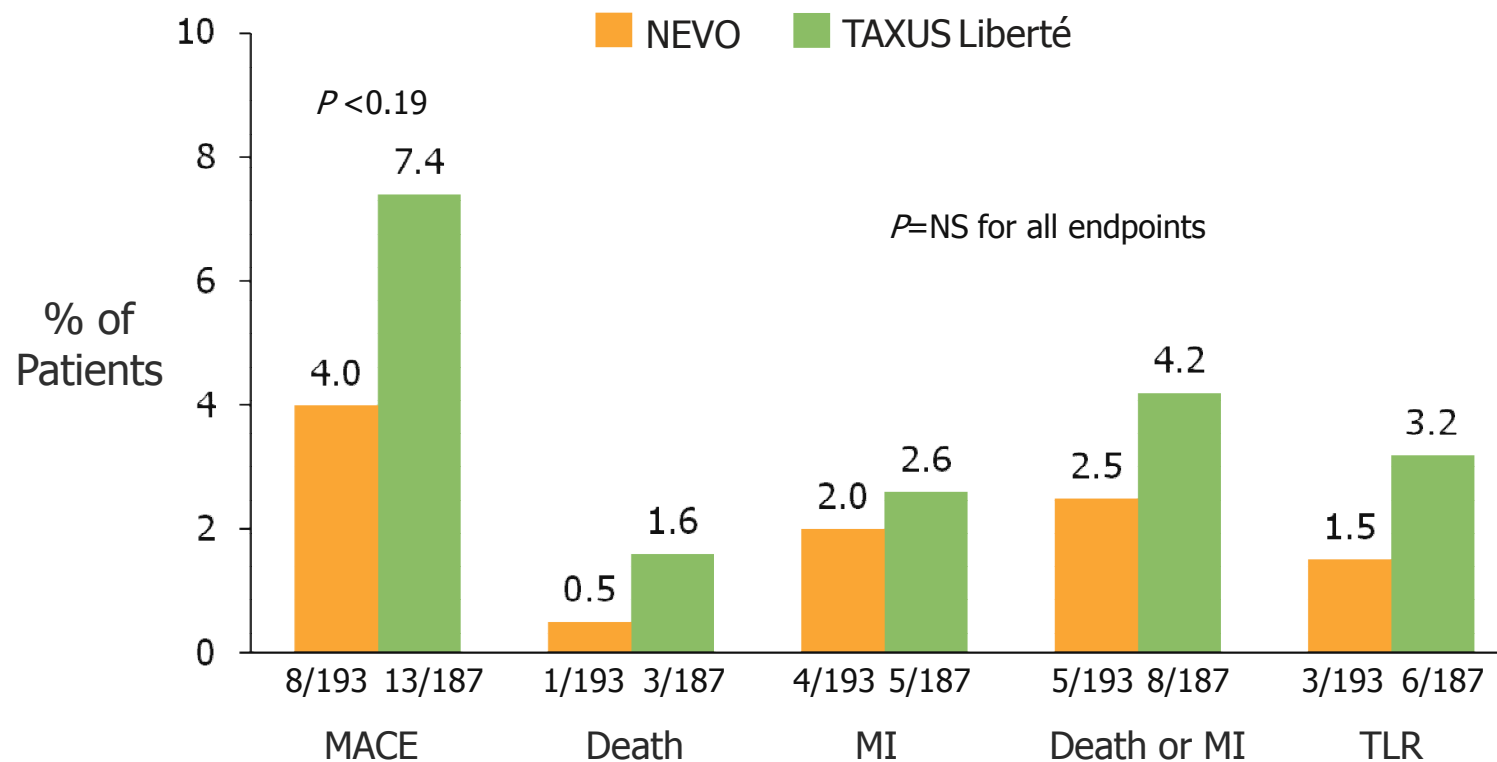
NEVO RES-I: 6-Month In-Stent Late Loss, In-Stent Bar, and IVUS-defined % Volume Obstruction



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NEVO RES-I: 6-Month MACE and Components

6-MONTH MACE AND COMPONENTS

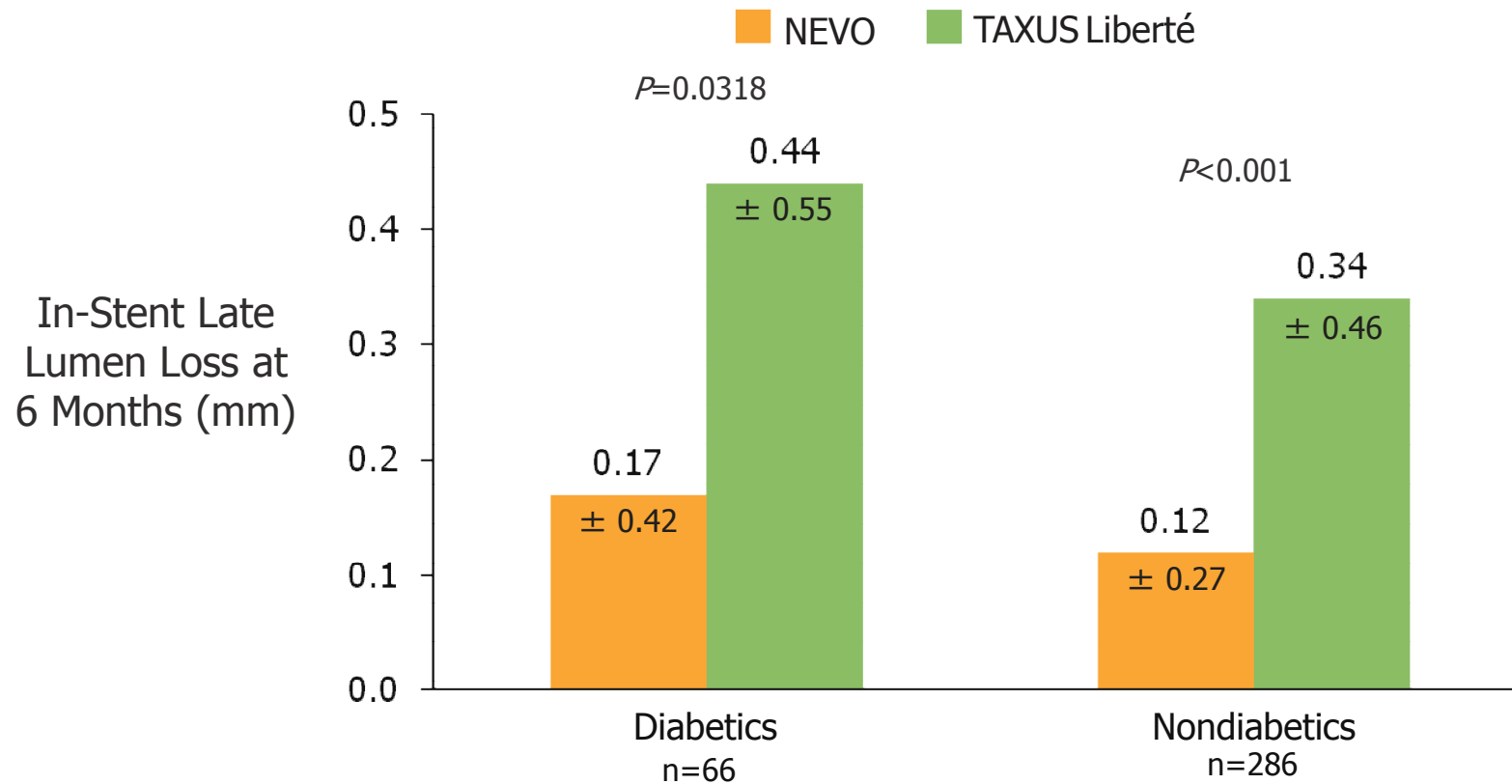


MACE=Major adverse cardiac events.
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NEVO RES-I: Diabetic Subgroup Analysis – In-Stent Late Loss at 6 Months



IN-STENT LATE LUMEN LOSS AT 6 MONTHS



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NEVO RES-I: ARC Stent Thrombosis (ST) Through 6 Months

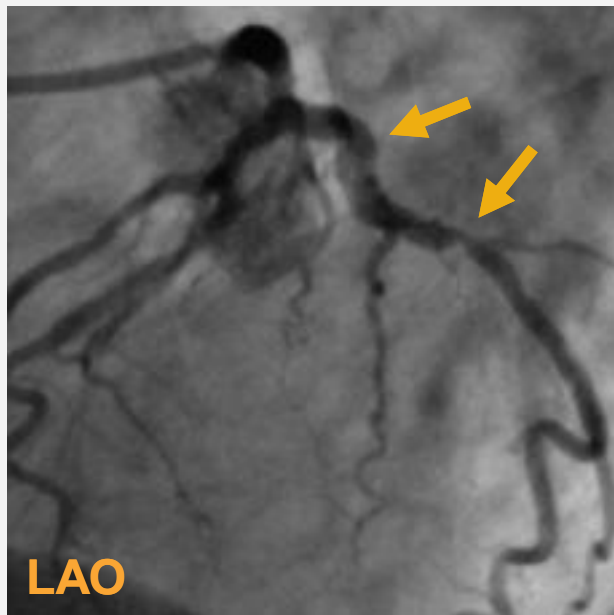
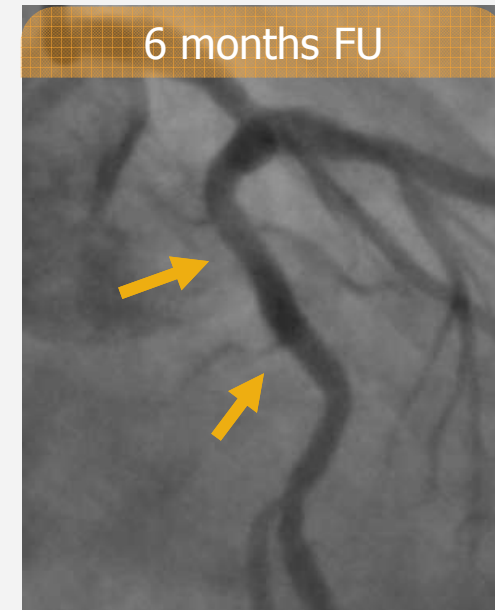
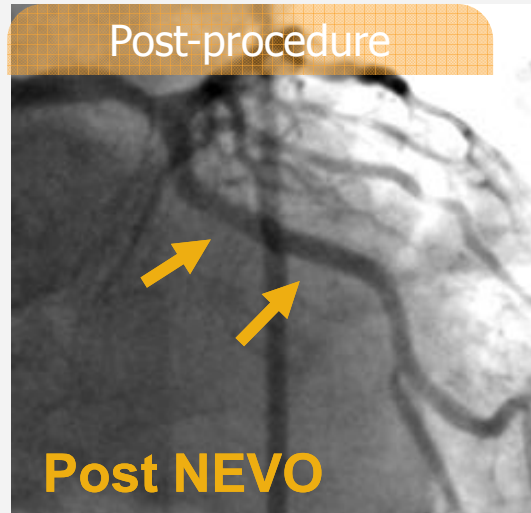
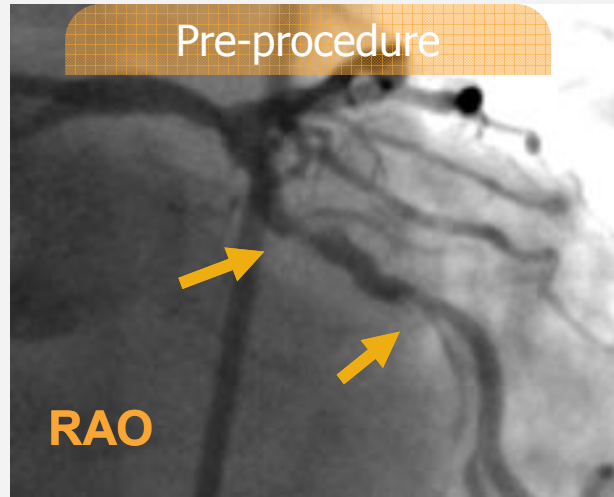


	NEVO (n=202)	TAXUS Liberté (n=192)	P Value
Definite	0	0	--
Probable	0	1 (0.5%)	0.49
Possible	0	1 (0.5%)	0.49
Any ARC	0	2 (1.1%)	0.24

- No reports of early (first 30 days) stent thrombosis in either arm
- 2 reports of late stent thrombosis in TAXUS Liberté-treated patients
 - ARC probable stent thrombosis on day 180
 - ARC possible stent thrombosis on day 101

Through 6 months, no cases of stent thrombosis, regardless of definition, were reported in NEVO-treated patients

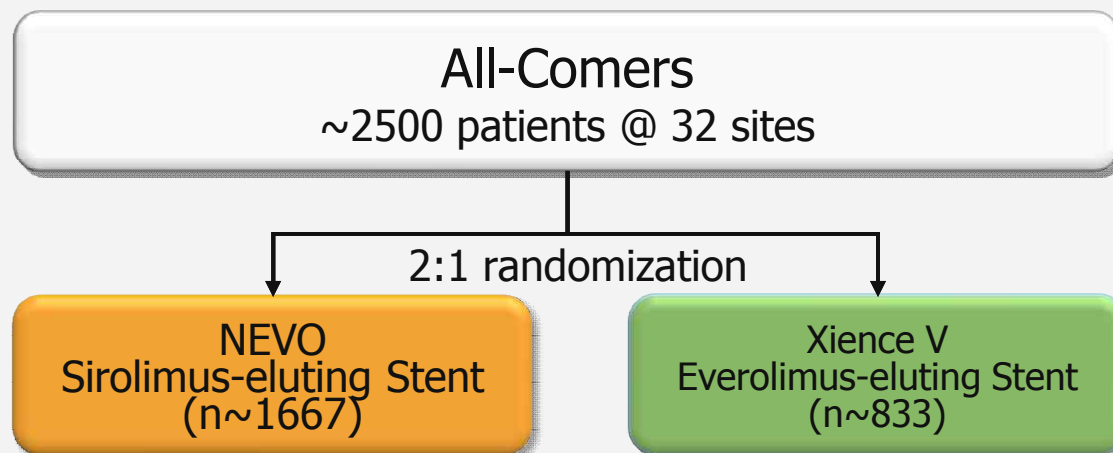
First Patient Enrolled- Angiogram with NEVO™



NEVO™ Stent Deployment
(2.5 mm x 22 mm)

Images courtesy of:
John Ormiston, MD
NEVO RES-I:
March 19, 2008,
Auckland, NZ

NEVO™-II Study Overview



Principal Investigators
 Patrick Serruys
 Stefan Windecker
 Manel Sabaté

Primary Endpoint: 12M Composite Clinical Endpoint of Cardiac Death, TV-related MI, and Clinically Driven TLR

Angiographic substudy of near on-label patients:
 NEVO: 150 angio/75 IVUS
 Xience V: 75 angio/38 IVUS



NEVO™-III US IDE Nonrandomized Trial

Up to 2 lesions in up to 2 vessels

Lesion length: ≤ 34 mm

Reference vessel diameter: 2.25 - 3.5 mm

Principal Investigators

Dan Simon

David Kandzari

1300 patients @ ~100 sites in US and Canada

NEVO
Sirolimus-eluting Stent
(n=1300)

Primary Endpoint 6-Month In-Stent Late Loss
Dual antiplatelet therapy for ≥ 6 months but recommend 12 months in patients at low risk of bleeding

Clinical/MACE*

● 30 Day ● 6 Mo ● 1 Yr ● 2 Yr ● 3 Yr ● 4 Yr ● 5 Yr

CYNERGY- The CYPHER and NEVO Clinical REGISTRY



10,000 patients @ 150 sites from 20 EMEA countries

PI : P Urban

CYPHER®
Sirolimus-eluting Stent
(n=4,000)

NEVO™
Sirolimus-eluting Stent
(n=6,000)

Primary Endpoint:
TLF at 12 months in NEVO™ group

ONLY patients with
STEMI
MVD
Diabetes

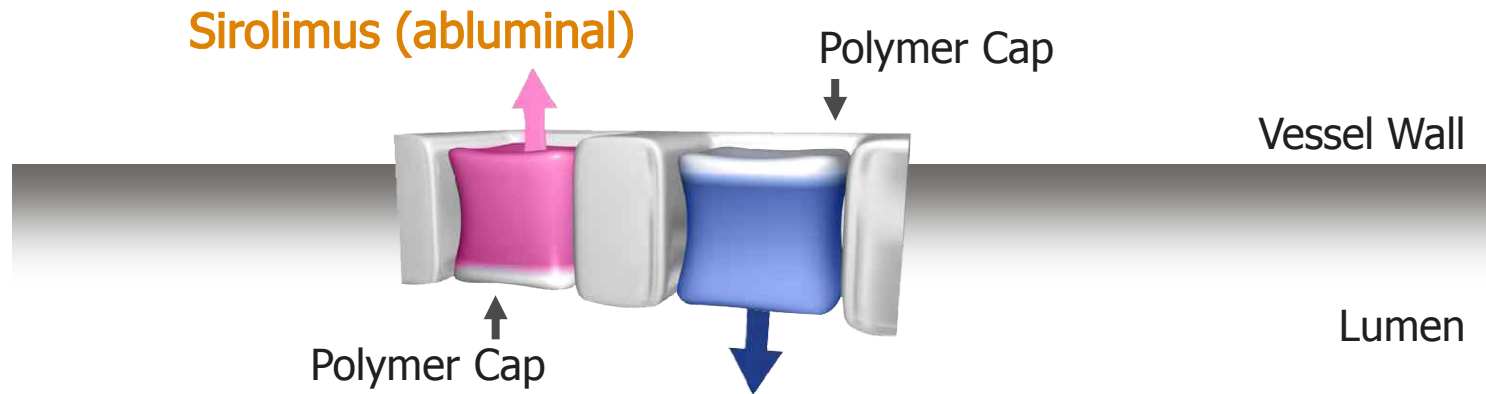
ALL patients, including
STEMI
MVD
Diabetes
Other

Co-Primary Endpoint:
Non-inferiority of TLF at 12 months



RES TECHNOLOGY

Antithrombotic Stent Strategies



2nd Drug (luminal)

SURFACE MODIFICATION

- Heparin
- Nitric oxide
- Endothelial cell promoter

ELUTABLE ANTITHROMBOTIC

- Thrombin inhibitor
- GP2b/3a inhibitor
- Other platelet inhibitors

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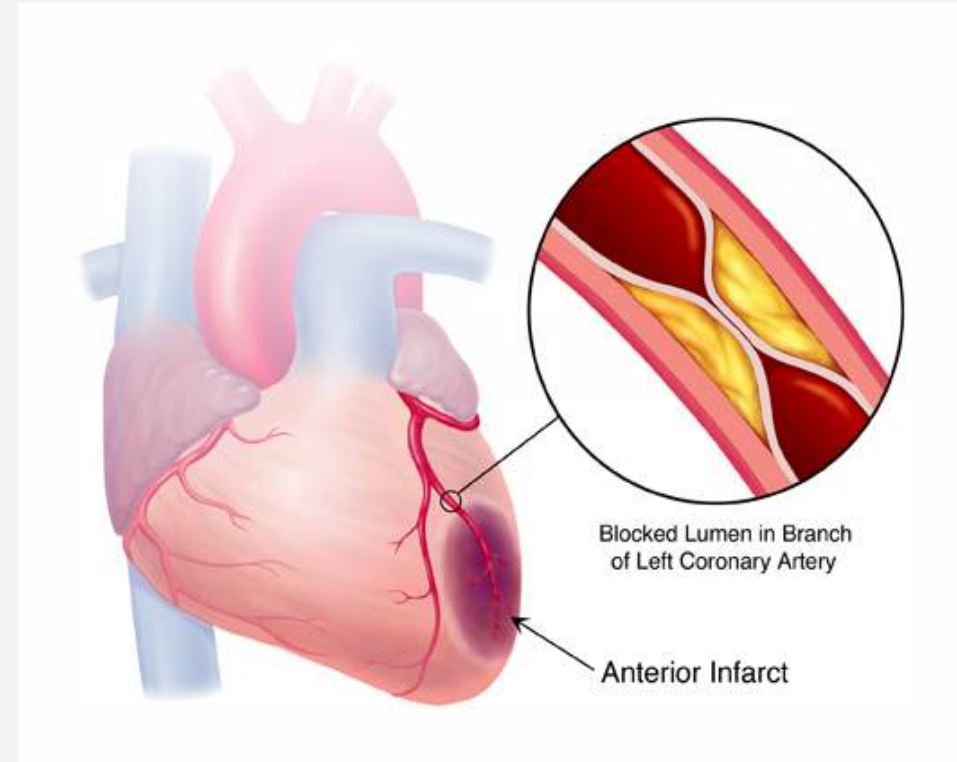
RES TECHNOLOGY

Acute Myocardial Infarction



Objectives

- Rapid reperfusion of ischemic myocardium with a stent
- Elution of a therapeutic agent downstream to reduce infarct size
 - Prevent “no-reflow”
 - Prevent reperfusion injury
 - Reduce stent thrombosis
- Reduce mortality, prevent LV dysfunction and CHF



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RES TECHNOLOGY

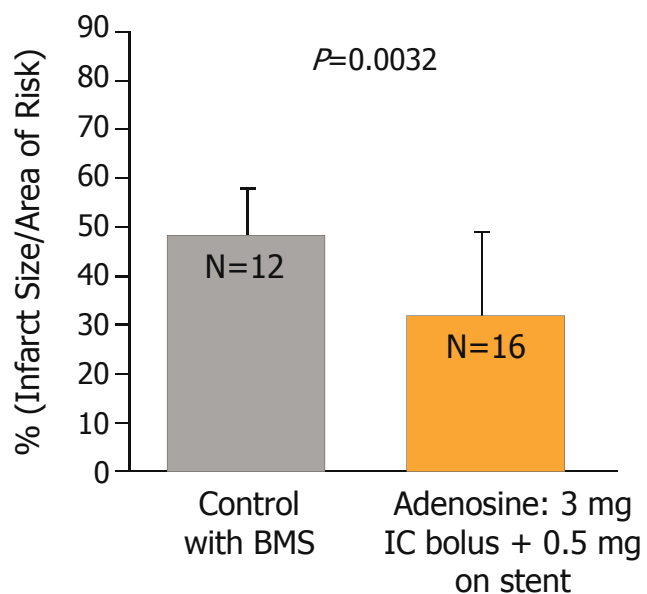
Acute Myocardial Infarction



Preclinical Study

Adenosine + stent reduces infarct size compared with adenosine alone

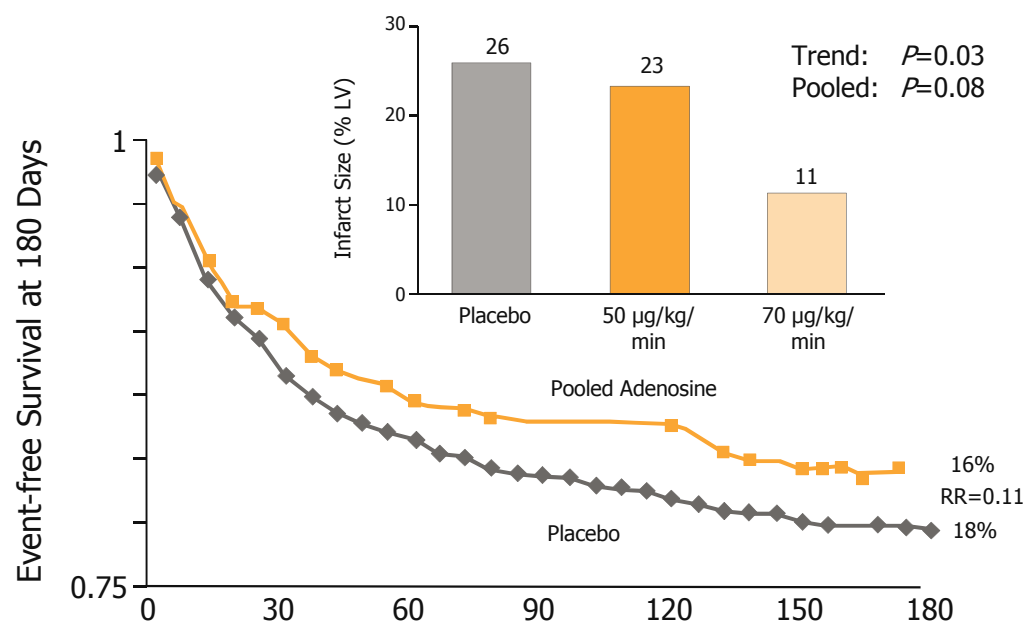
ADENOSINE STUDY



Clinical Study

Adenosine infusion may reduce infarct size in humans

AMISTAD 2



- Patients with anterior wall MI reperfused within 6 hours
- Intravenous adenosine infusion for 3 hours (50 or 70 µg/kg/min)
- Significant reduction in infarct size at 70 µg/kg/min dose
- Improved survival at 6 months if treated within 3 hours

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Need references for these two graphs/pieces of data

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RES TECHNOLOGY

Diabetes and Vascular Dysfunction

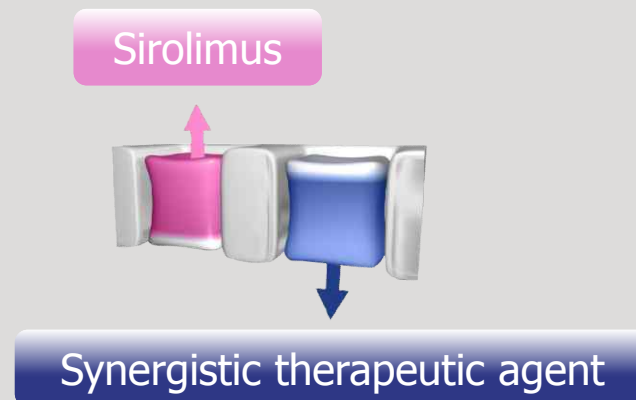


Diabetes Mellitus (Type 2)

Problem	Increased neointimal proliferation post-PCI increased thrombosis
Objective	Address unmet need of the diabetic patient <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Further reduce neointimal proliferation and restenosis• Expand treatment options

Synergistic therapeutic agent:

- Antiproliferative
- Anti-inflammatory
- Antithrombotic



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NEVO RES-I: Conclusions

- NEVO™ was superior to the Taxus® Liberté® stent for the angiographic primary endpoint of in-stent late loss
 - Superiority was also observed in the predefined subgroups of diabetes, vessel diameter, and lesion length
 - More uniform tissue response was observed with NEVO™
- No ARC stent thromboses with NEVO™
 - 2 reports of late thromboses with Taxus Liberté (1 probably, 1 possible)
- While not powered for clinical endpoints, the rates of death, MI, and revascularization, as well as the composite endpoints of TLF, TVF, and MACE, all favored NEVO™ over Taxus Liberté
- On-going clinical program: NEVO II, III, Cynergy

RES TECHNOLOGY™ Will Greatly Expand the Scope and Potential of Drug-eluting Stents



- NEVO utilizing RES TECHNOLOGY™
 - Allows transformation to bare metal stent in as little as 90 days
 - Significantly reduces tissue-to-polymer ratio
 - Effectively controls drug release kinetics
 - Reduces the potential for late stent thrombosis
 - Leads to better vascular compatibility
- RES TECHNOLOGY™ offers great versatility in unique drug delivery
 - Elutes single or multiple drugs independently with a directional release
 - Independent release kinetics and long or short release duration
 - Potential to modify bare metal surface for therapeutic benefit
- Programs are underway to investigate the potential of this technology in the areas of acute MI, diabetes, and thrombosis