## **Evolution of transcatheter hearts valves** and results

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#### Self expandable Medtronic CoreValve



## Improved valve designed and delivery systems *Reduction of sheath sizes*



#### Approaches used for valve implantation



#### Valve positioning





#### Intra-annulus Sub-coronary

Intra-annulus Aorta, supra-coronary



#### 30-day mortality and complications

Edwards	PARTNER N=130	SOURCE N=1038	Webb et al N=168	FRANCE N=166	CoreValve
Mortality TF TA	8.1% 18.8%	6.3% 10.3%	8.0% 18.2%	8.4% 16.9%	10.3%
Stroke	3.0%	2.5%	4.2%	3.6%	2.2%
Pacemaker	3.0%	7.0%	5.4%	5.4%	25%
Major Vascular	10.0%	7.0%	6.6%	6.0%	7%

PARTNER: PCR 2009 SOURCE: PCR 2009 Webb et al: Circulation 2009 France: AHA 2009

PCR 2009

#### Learning curve is evident

J. WEBB et al, Circulation 2009; 119: 3009-16



# No change in EOA and gradient over time



#### All Cause Mortality Transfemoral and Early Studies





## Many other valves under investigation



## **Perspectives and Conclusions**

The perspectives of TAVI are wide and the future looks bright!

- Over the last 5 years, the devices and procedures have rapidly evolved making TAVI simpler, faster, safer and more efficient
- The number of centers and well trained interventionists will continue to expand worldwide for the treatment of high surgical risk patients
- With the improved devices profile, TAVI will be soon performed in the vast majority of patients as a stent-like procedure
- **In 2011/2012**, depending on the results of PARTNER-US and in the event of FDA approval, TAVI might explode in USA and worldwide in the subset of high risk patients.

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• The issue of valve+platform durability remains unsolved and should be better assessed before expanding the indications to younger patients with less surgical risks

• Within 10 years, and depending on the *long term results* of upcoming controlled trials in a broad population, TAVI might become the treatment of choice in a majority of patients with degenerative AS.