



# 6. Thromboseforum

## Stuttgart 30.01.2016

## Koronare Herzerkrankung und Klappenerkrankung

Antithrombozytäre Therapie nach Drug-eluting stents (DES) und bioresorbierbaren Scaffolds (BVS)  
bei stabiler koronarer Herzkrankheit

Wolfgang Bocksch  
Leiter der Herzkatheterlabore  
Innere Medizin III (Kardiologie und Kreislauferkrankungen)  
Eberhard-Karls-Universität Tübingen



# Bare-Metal-Stent

Reduktion der subakuten Stentthomboserate (30-Tage) von  
-> 25% (ASS Monotherapie) auf  
-> 5-7% (Marcumar+ASS) auf  
-> unter 3% (ASS+Ticlopidine), STARS, FANTASTIC)  
  
+Hochdruckimplantaion 10-25 bar+Oversizing (IVUS)

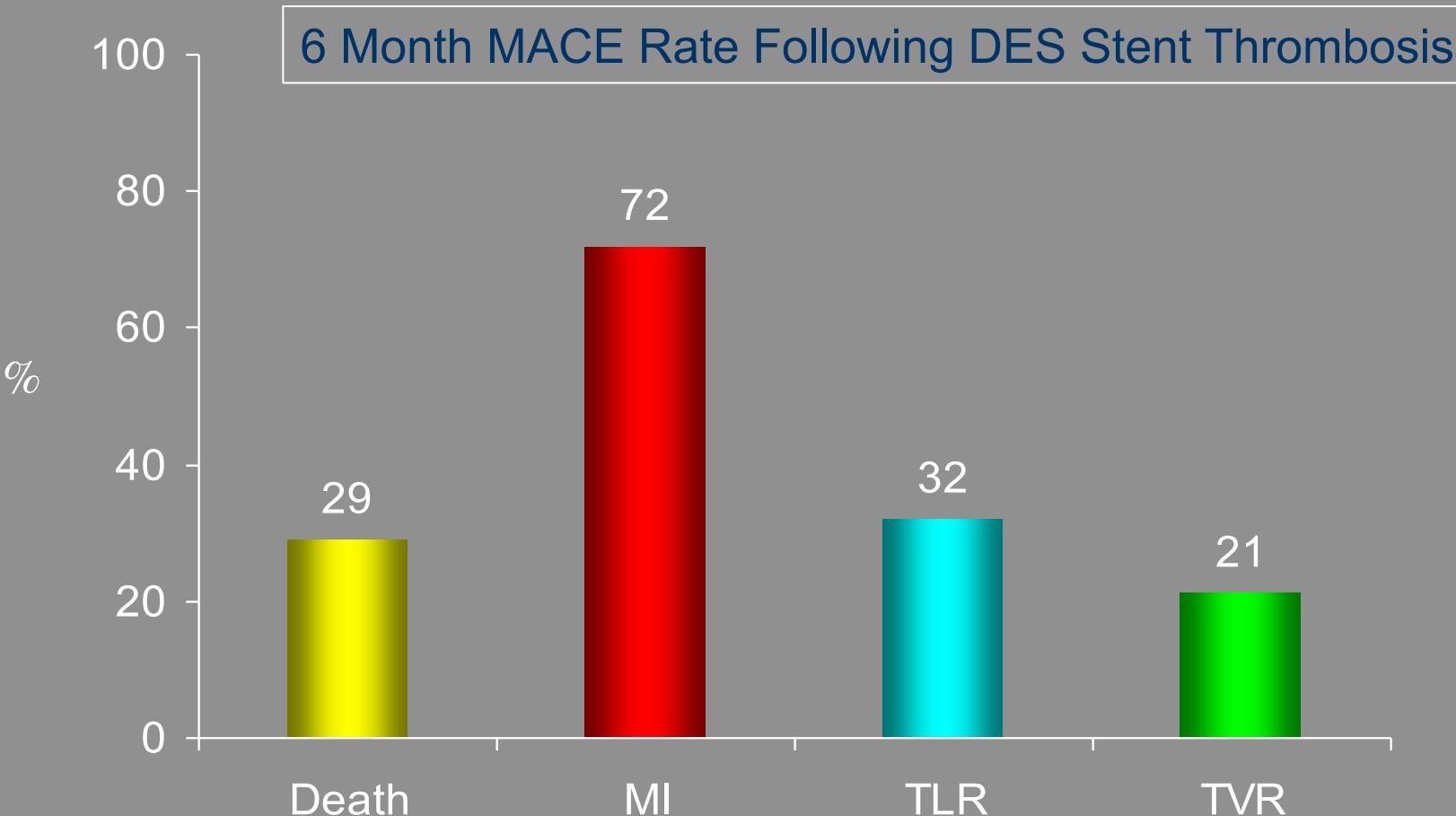
**Nachteil:** Restenoserate von 15-30% !!



# Stent Thrombosis Outcome

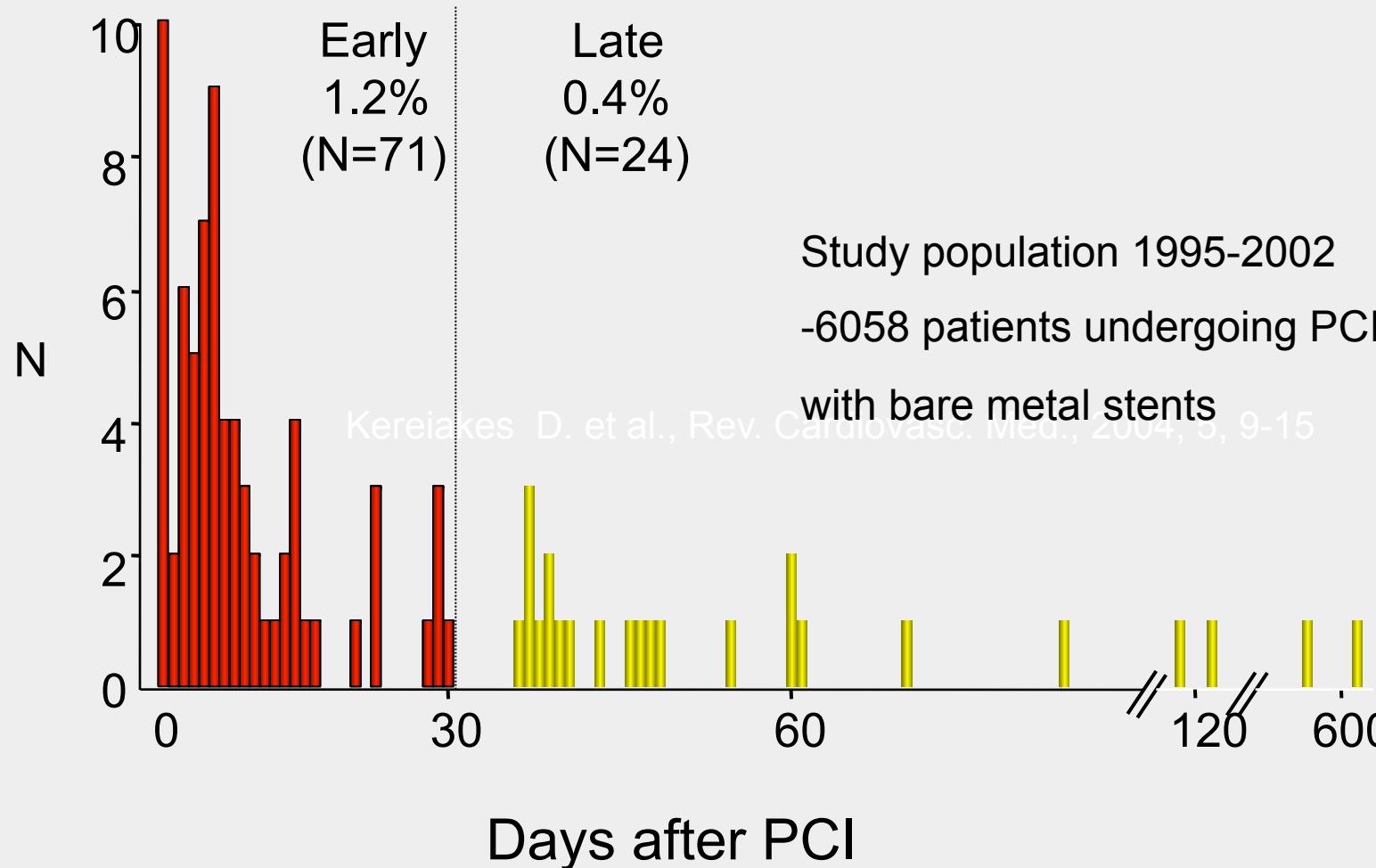
Study population (April 2003–November 2004): 2974 patients treated with DES

Overall incidence of ST: 38/2974 patients (1.3%)



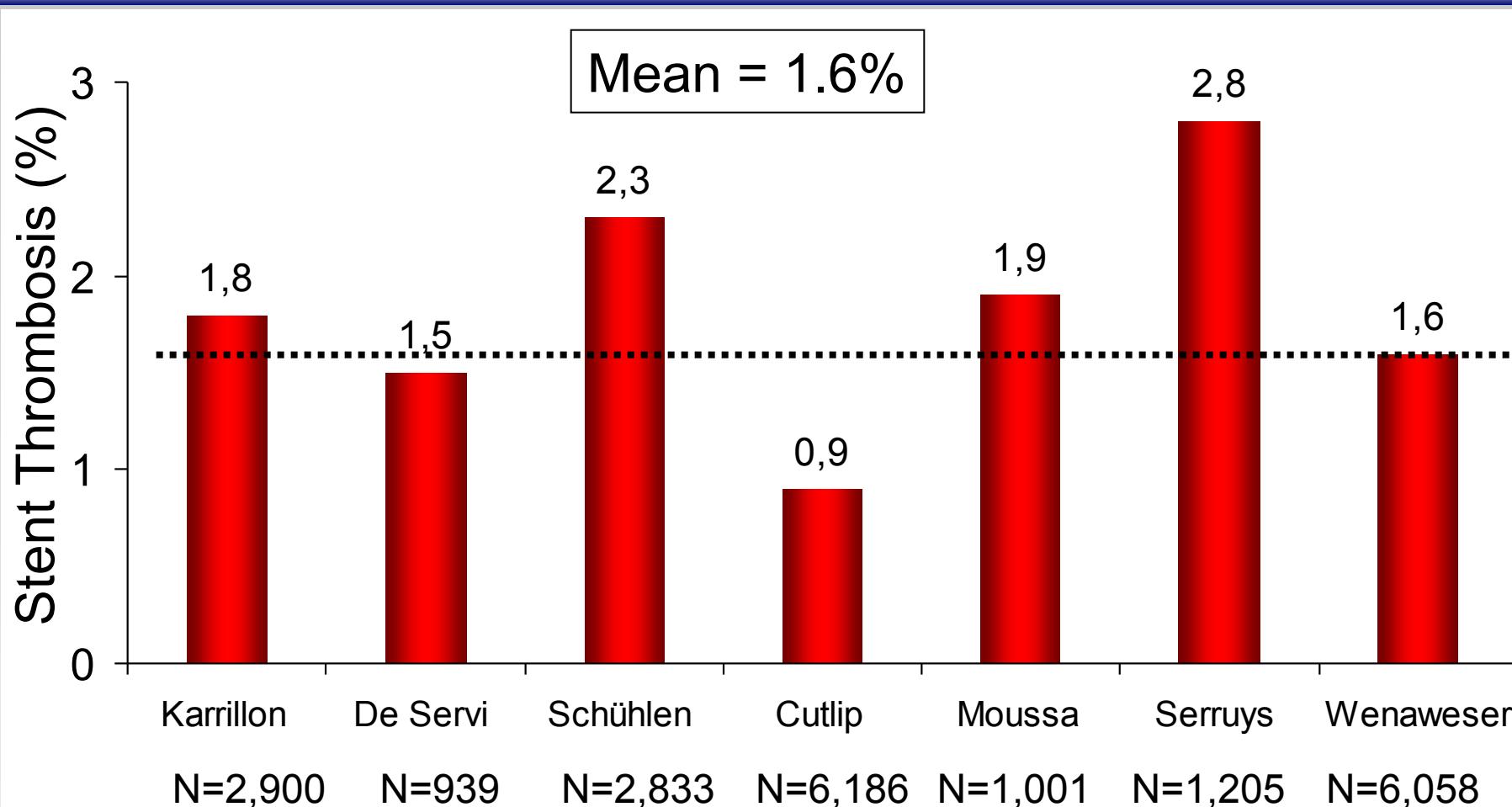


# Stent Thrombosis Bare Metal Stents





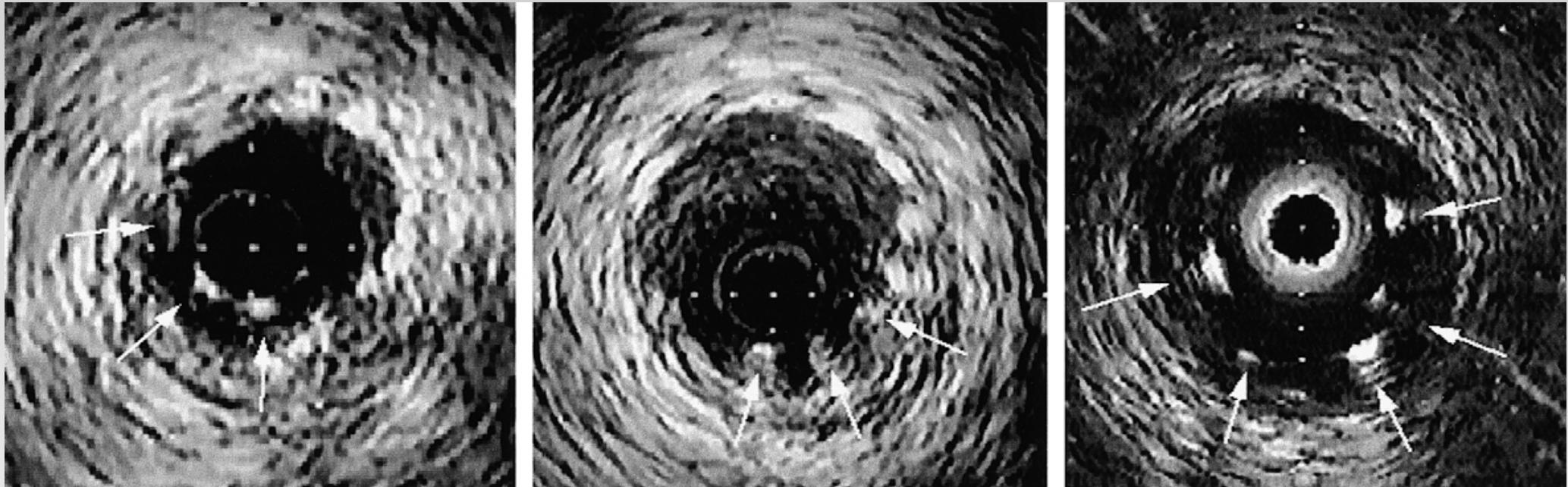
# Akute/Subakute Stentthrombose BMS (30 Tage)





# Predictors and Outcomes of Stent Thrombosis (POST)

## Malapposition



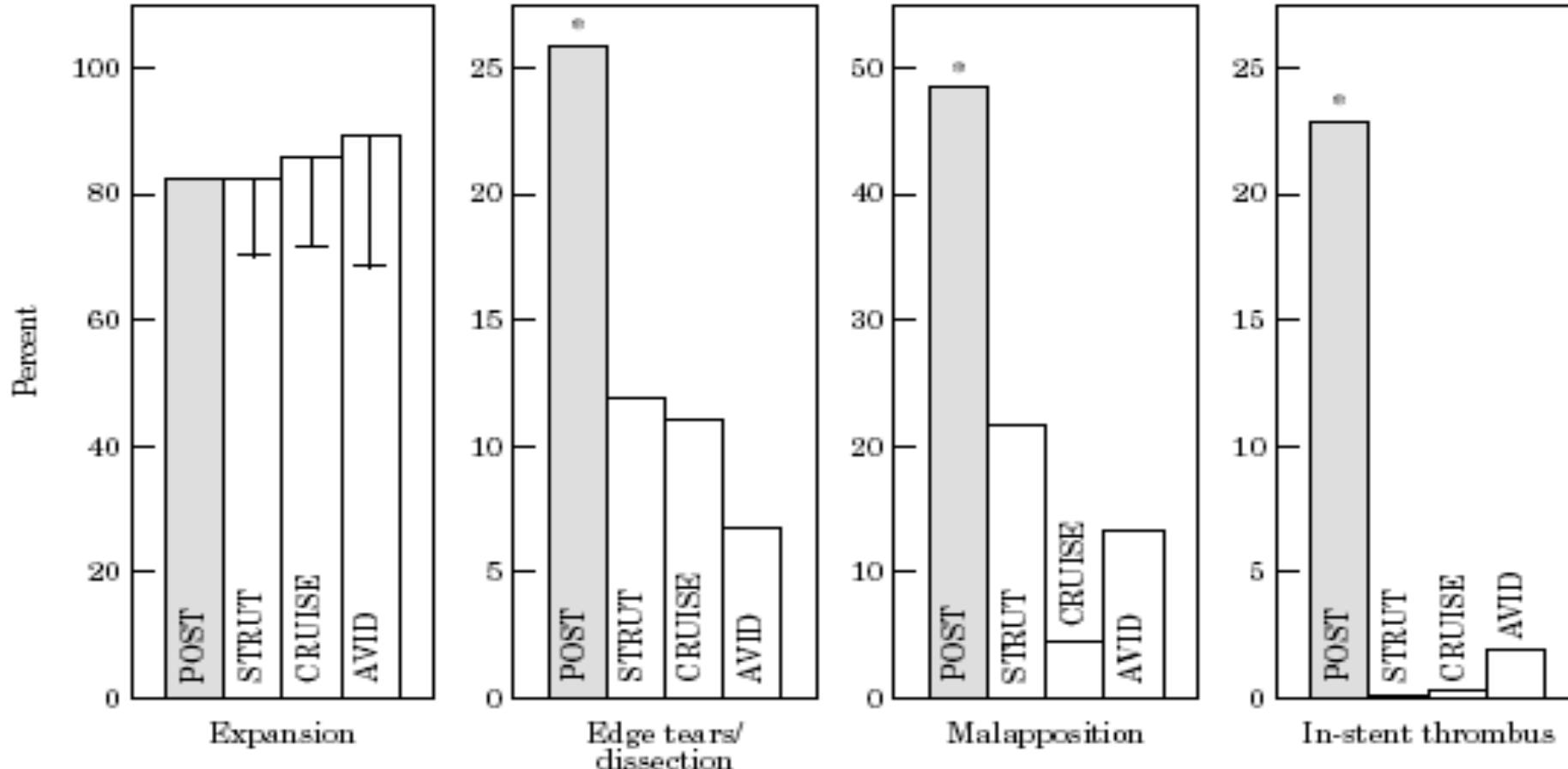
Mild

Moderate

Severe



# Predictors and Outcomes of Stent Thrombosis (POST)



**Figure 4** A direct comparison of POST with existing ultrasound-guided stent deployment registries (STRUT) and ultrasound-guided stent deployment studies (CRUISE, AVID) with respect to percent stent expansion, edge tear/dissection, malapposition, and thrombus (\* $P < 0.05$  vs STRUT, CRUISE, and AVID).



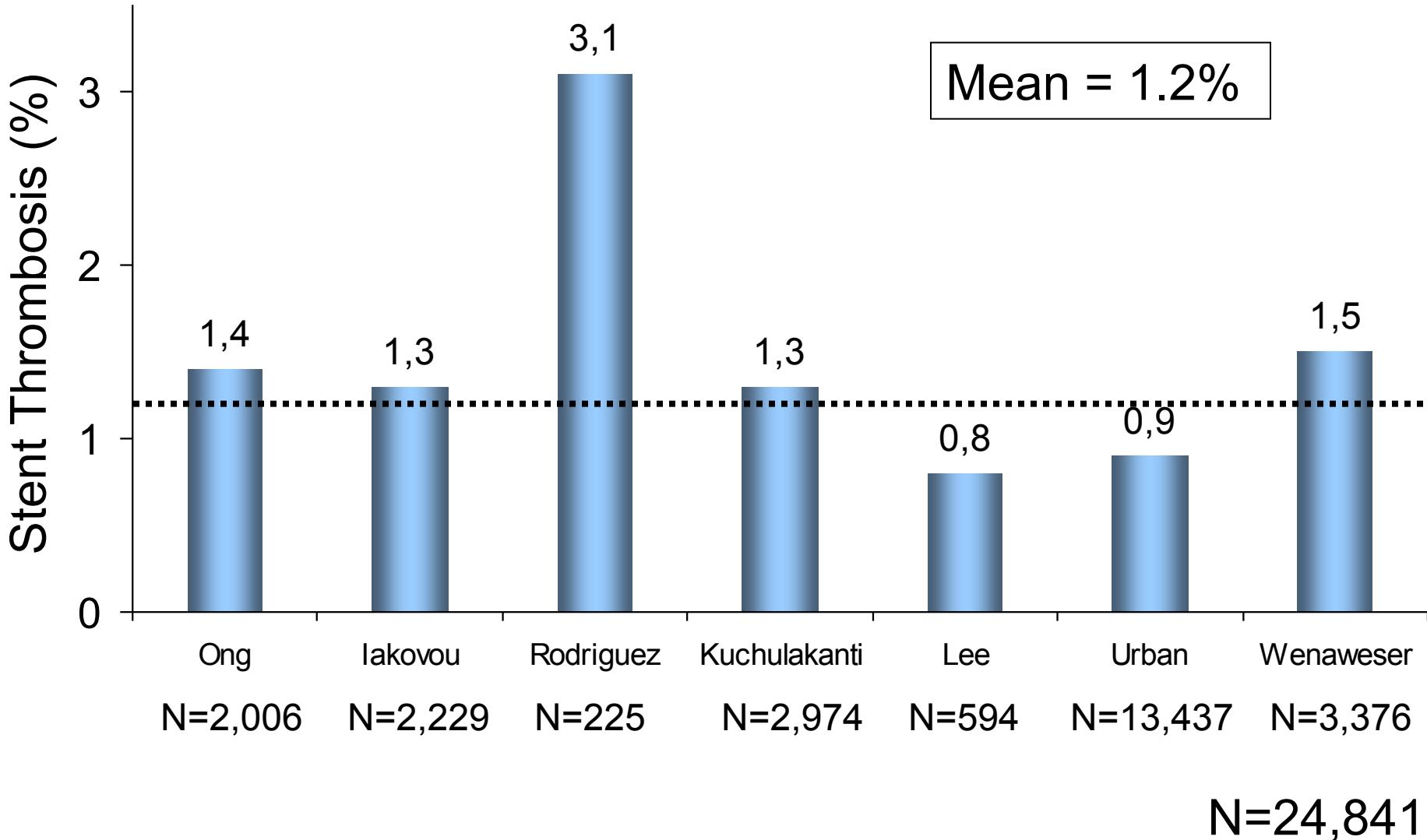
# Drug-eluting stents (DES)

## 1. Generation, Aufbau

<p><b>TAXUS</b></p> <p>Figure 1. The structure of taxol .</p> <p><b>Paclitaxel</b> <b>Drug</b></p>	<p>COATED EXPRESS 8mmWH POST-EXPAN 10/11/01MD</p> <p><b>Polyolefin derivative</b> <b>Polymer</b></p>	<p><b>Liberté</b> <b>Stent</b></p>
<p><b>Cypher</b></p> <p><b>Sirolimus</b></p>	<p>SR#304 RAPAMYCIN COATED BX</p> <p><b>PEVA + PBMA blend</b></p>	<p><b>BX Velocity</b></p>



# Akute/Subakute Stenttrhombose DES (30 Tage)





# Stentthrombose



Frühe  $\leq$  1 Mo

Späte  $> 1 \text{ Mo} \leq 1 \text{ Jahr}$

Sehr späte  $> 1 \text{ Jahr}$

Tag 0	bis Tag 1	Akute Stentthrombose
$>$ Tag 1	bis 1 Monat	Subakute Stentthrombose (SAT)
$> 1 \text{ Monat}$ (VLST)	to 1 Jahr	Späte Stentthrombose (LST)
	$> 1 \text{ year}$	Sehr späte Stentthrombose (VLST)

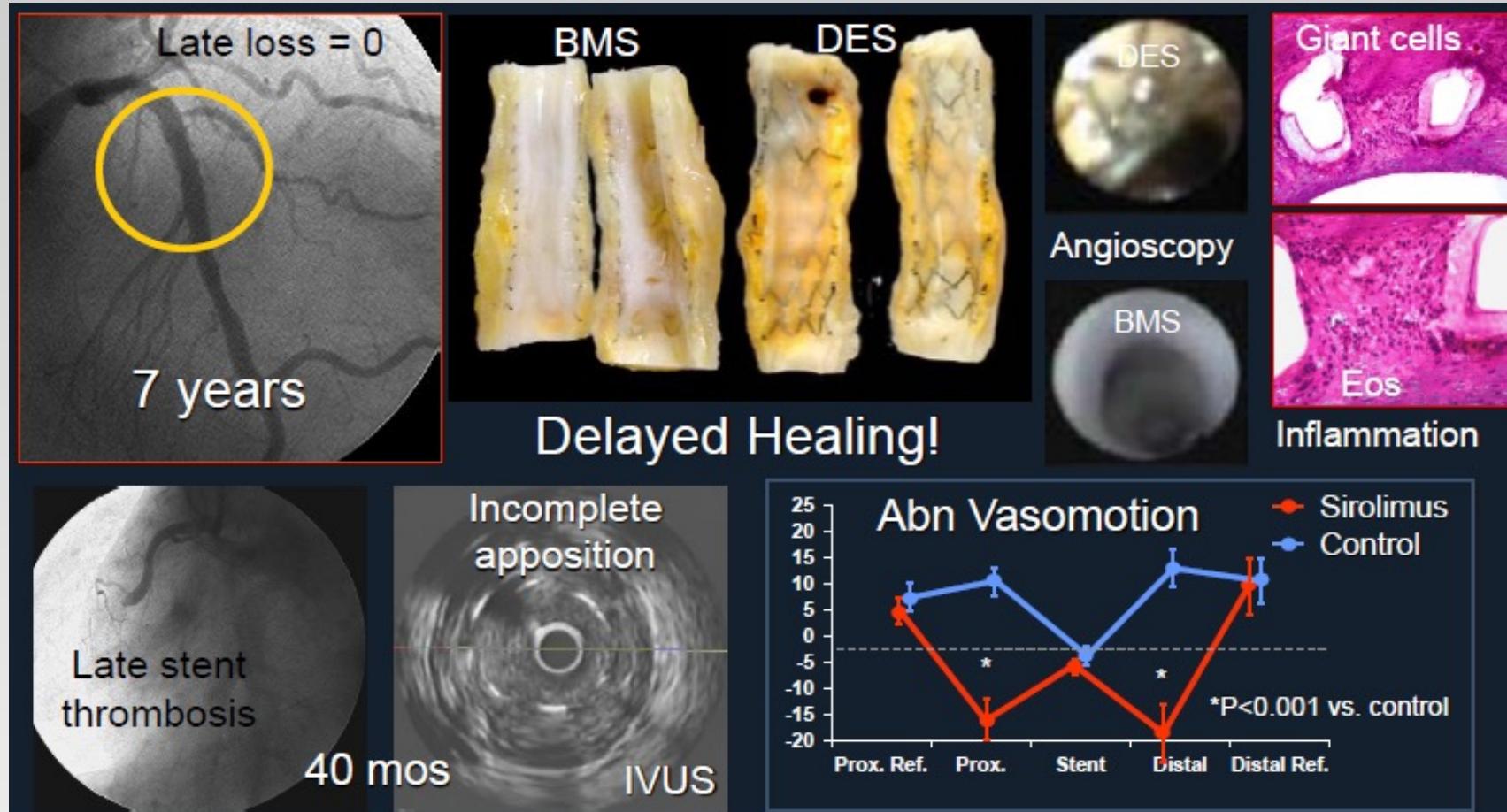
**Empfehlung-> DAPT 12 Monate**



# Drug-eluting stents (DES)

## 1. Generation, Limitationen

Durch verzögerte Endotelialisierung Auftreten später Stentthrombosen !!



-> duale Plättchenhemmung (ASS+Clopidogrel) für 6-12 Monate



# Stentthrombose

## Limitationen

- Herzchirurgischer Standpunkt

Was ist das für eine Behandlung, die das Überleben des Patienten von der täglichen korrekten Einnahme von zwei Tabletten über ein Jahr abhängig macht ??



# Drug-eluting stents (DES)

## Verhinderung der Stentthrombose

### Stent factors

- Surface
- Drugs
- Polymer

### Procedural factors

- Dissection
- Incomplete stent apposition

### Lesion factors

- Vessel size/length
- Thrombus
- Plaque characteristics
- Bifurcation

## STENT THROMBOSIS

### Blood factors

- Coagulation activity
- Platelet inhibition

### Antithrombotic and anticoagulation therapy

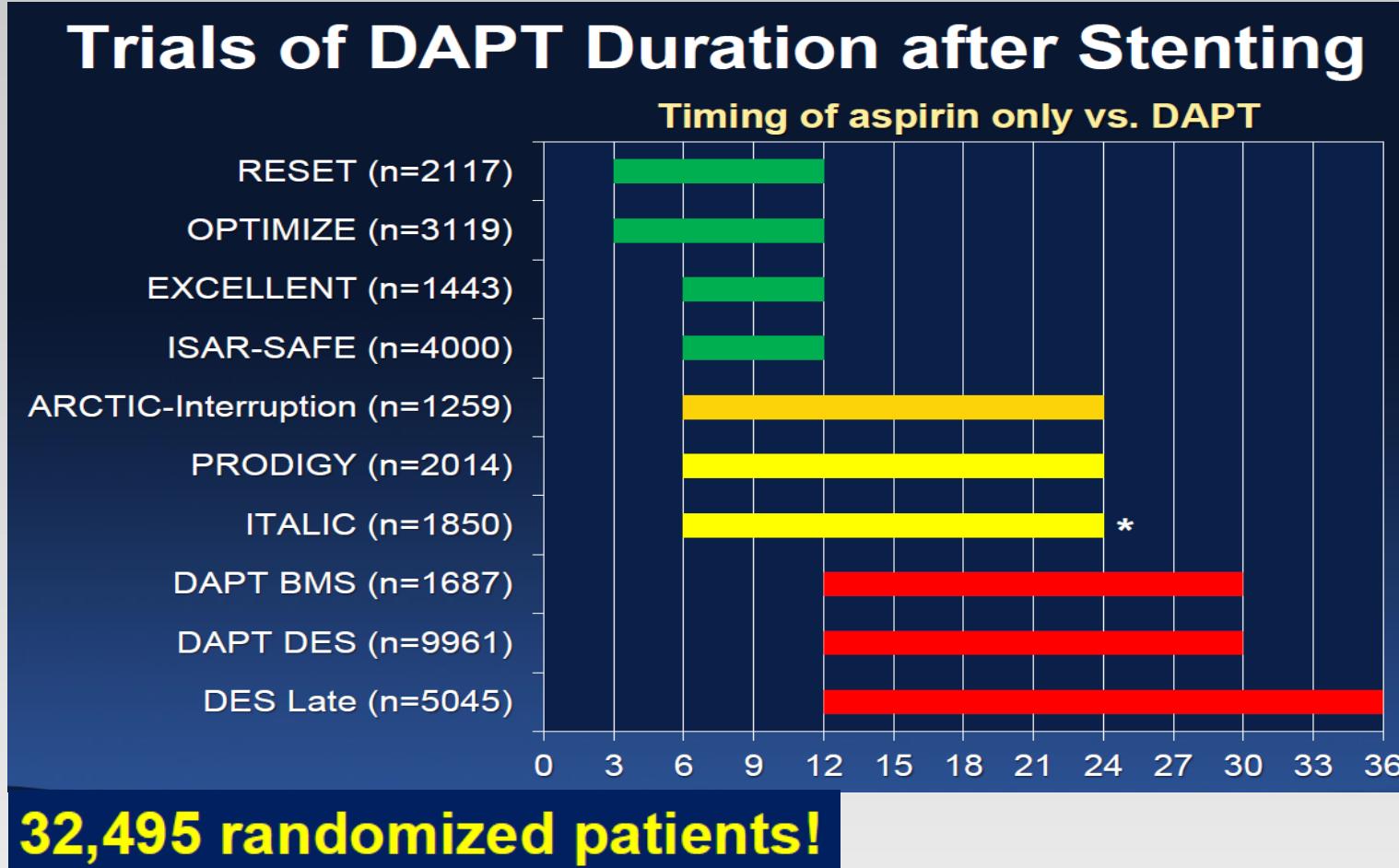
### Patient factors

- Drug response/interactions
- Gene polymorphism
- LV function
- ACS
- Renal failure
- Diabetes



# Duale Plättchenhemmung-wie lange ?

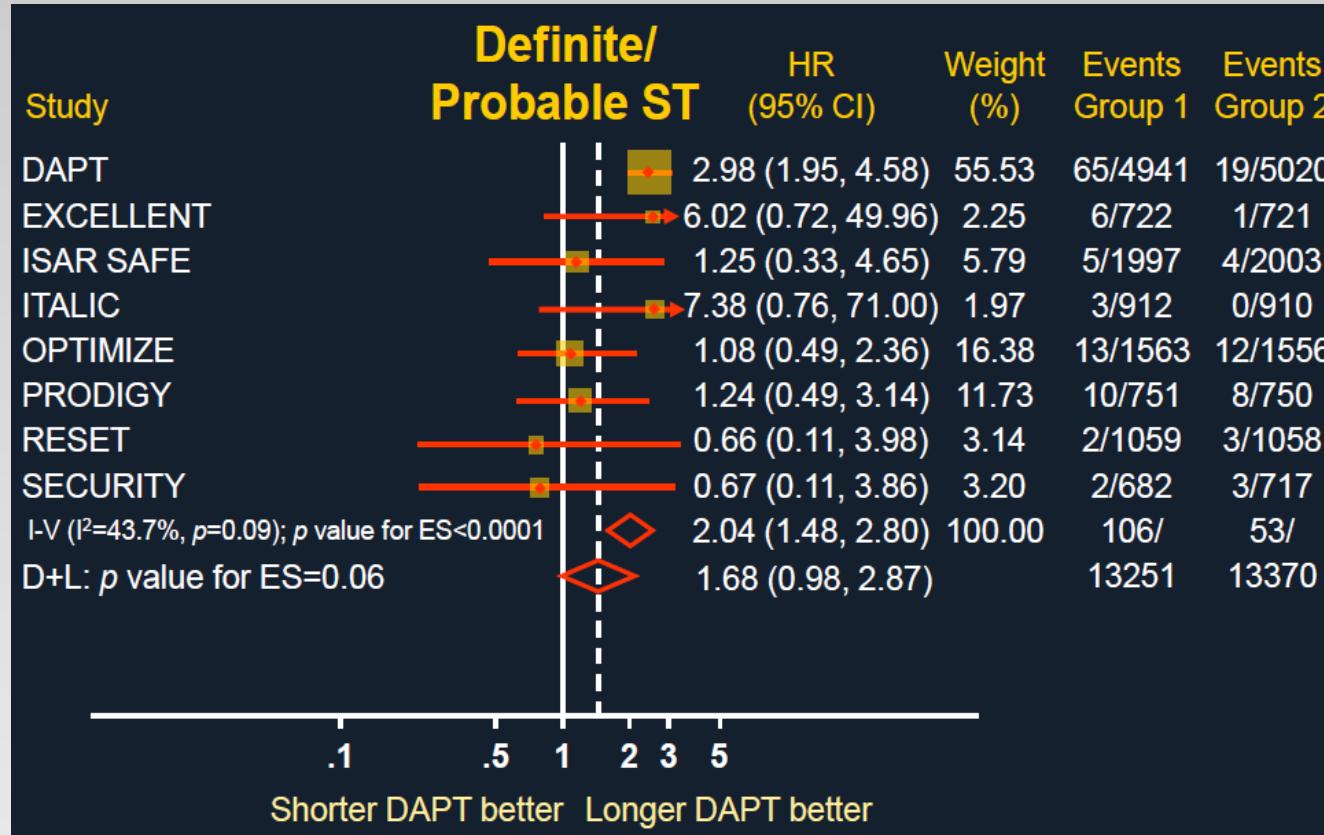
## Meta-Analyse 10 RCTs (31.666 Pat.)





# Duale Plättchenhemmung-wie lange ?

## Meta-Analyse 10 RCTs (31.666 Pat.)

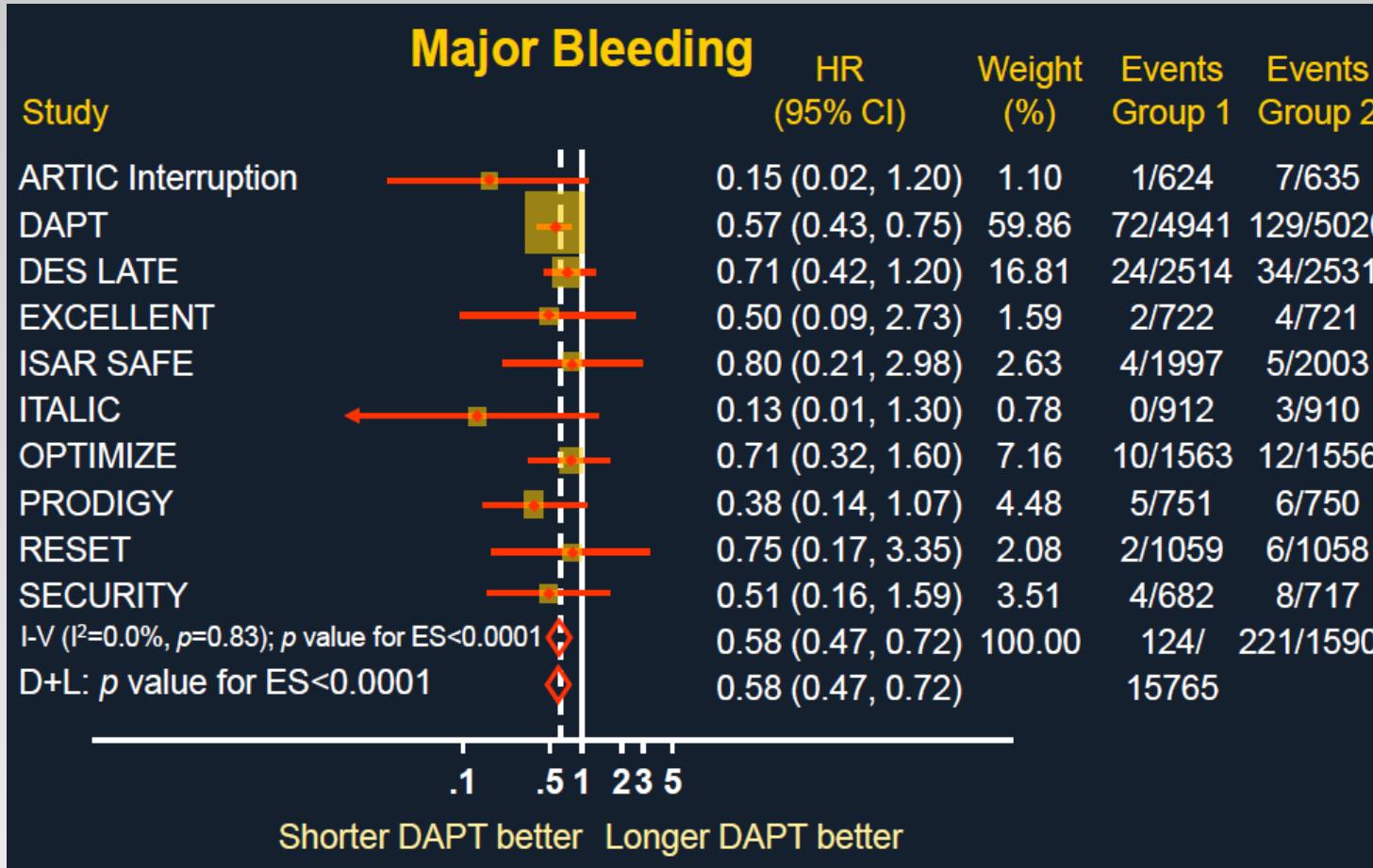


41% ↓  
**stent thrombosis with prolonged DAPT ( $p=0.06$ )**



# Duale Plättchenhemmung-wie lange ?

## Meta-Analyse 10 RCTs (31.666 Pat.)

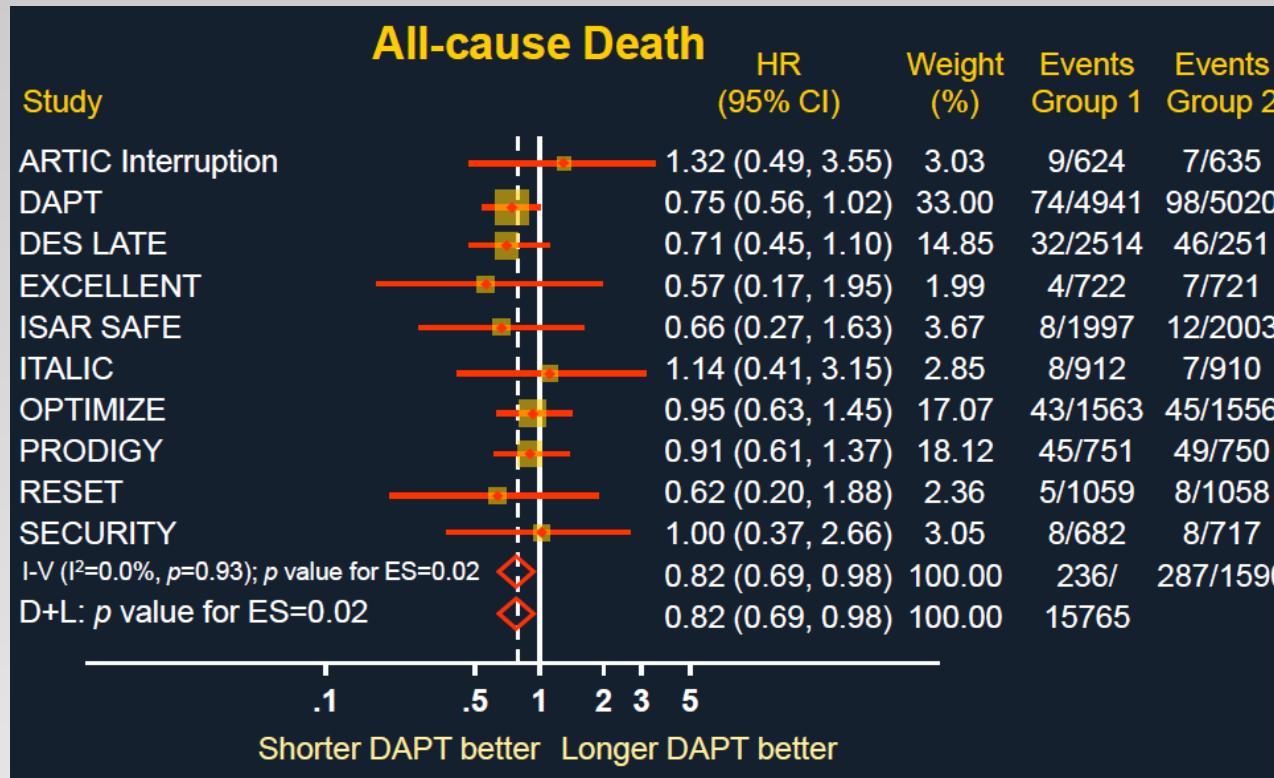


72% ↑  
bleeding  
with  
prolonged  
DAPT  
( $p<0.0001$ )



# Duale Plättchenhemmung-wie lange ?

## Meta-Analyse 10 RCTs (31.666 Pat.)

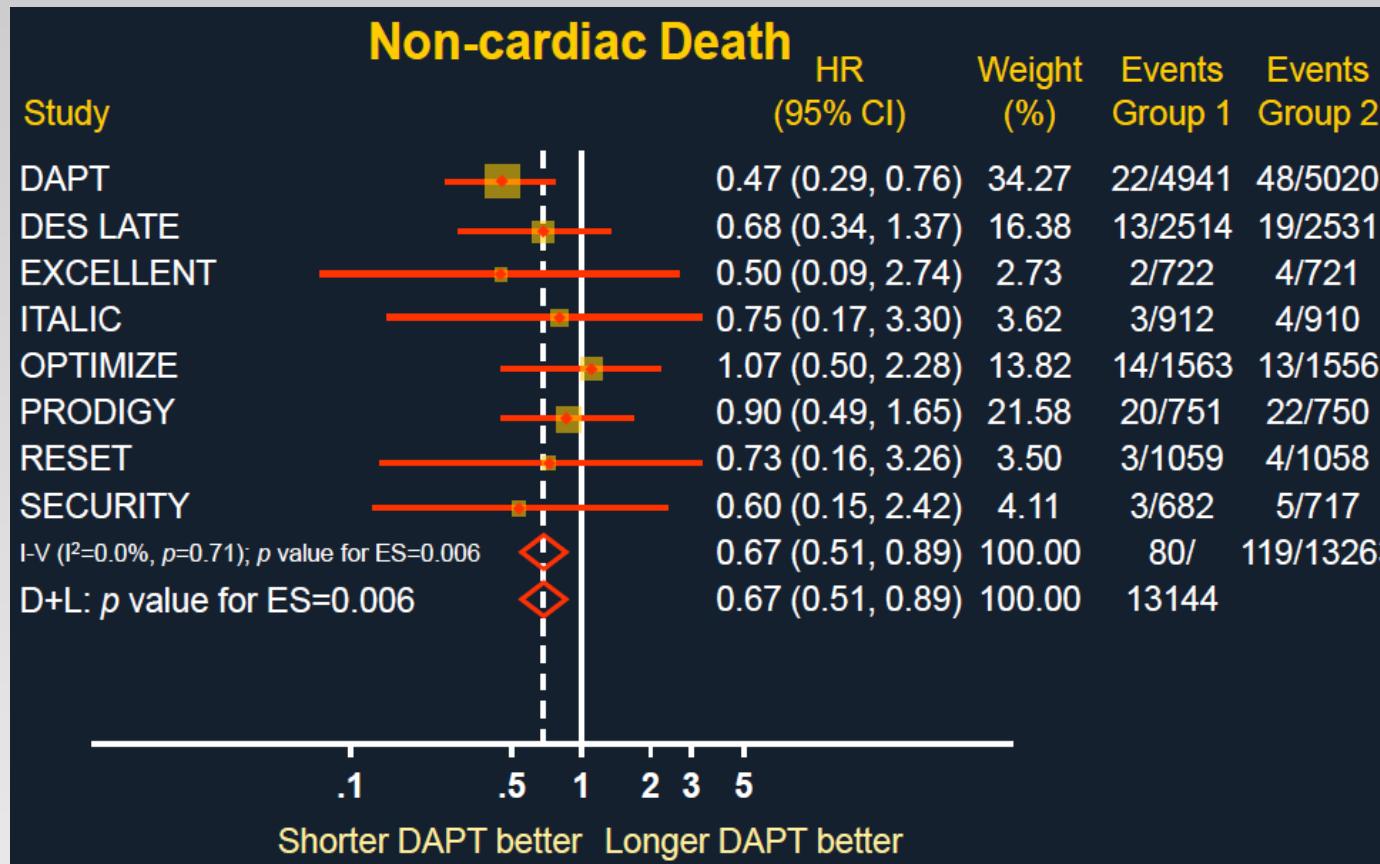


**22% ↑  
mortality  
with  
prolonged  
DAPT  
( $p=0.02$ )**



# Duale Plättchenhemmung-wie lange ?

## Meta-Analyse 10 RCTs (31.666 Pat.)



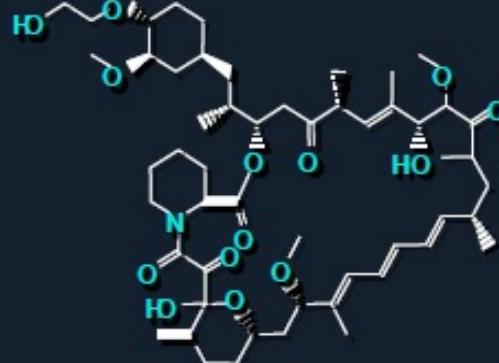
**49% ↑  
Non-  
cardiac  
mortality  
with  
prolonged  
DAPT  
( $p=0.006$ )**



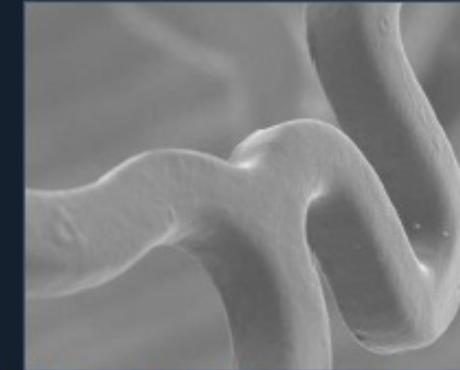
# Drug-eluting stents (DES)

2.Generation, Aufbau

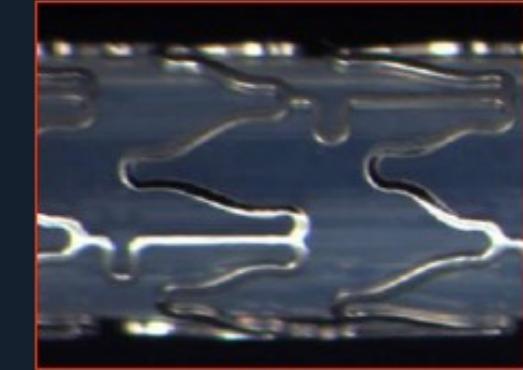
Xience V



Everolimus  
Drug

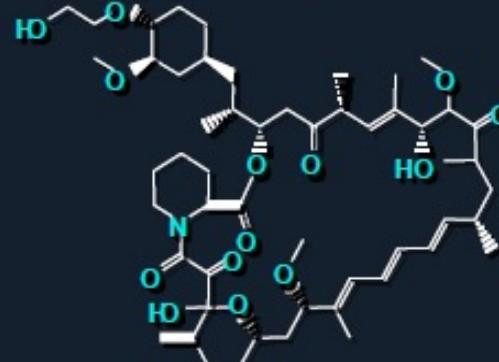


VDF + HFP copolymer  
Polymer



Vision  
Stent

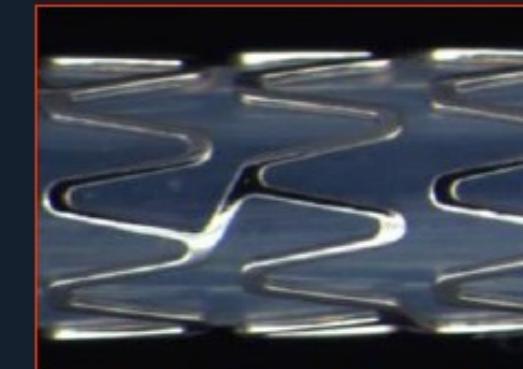
Promus  
Element



Everolimus



VDF + HFP copolymer



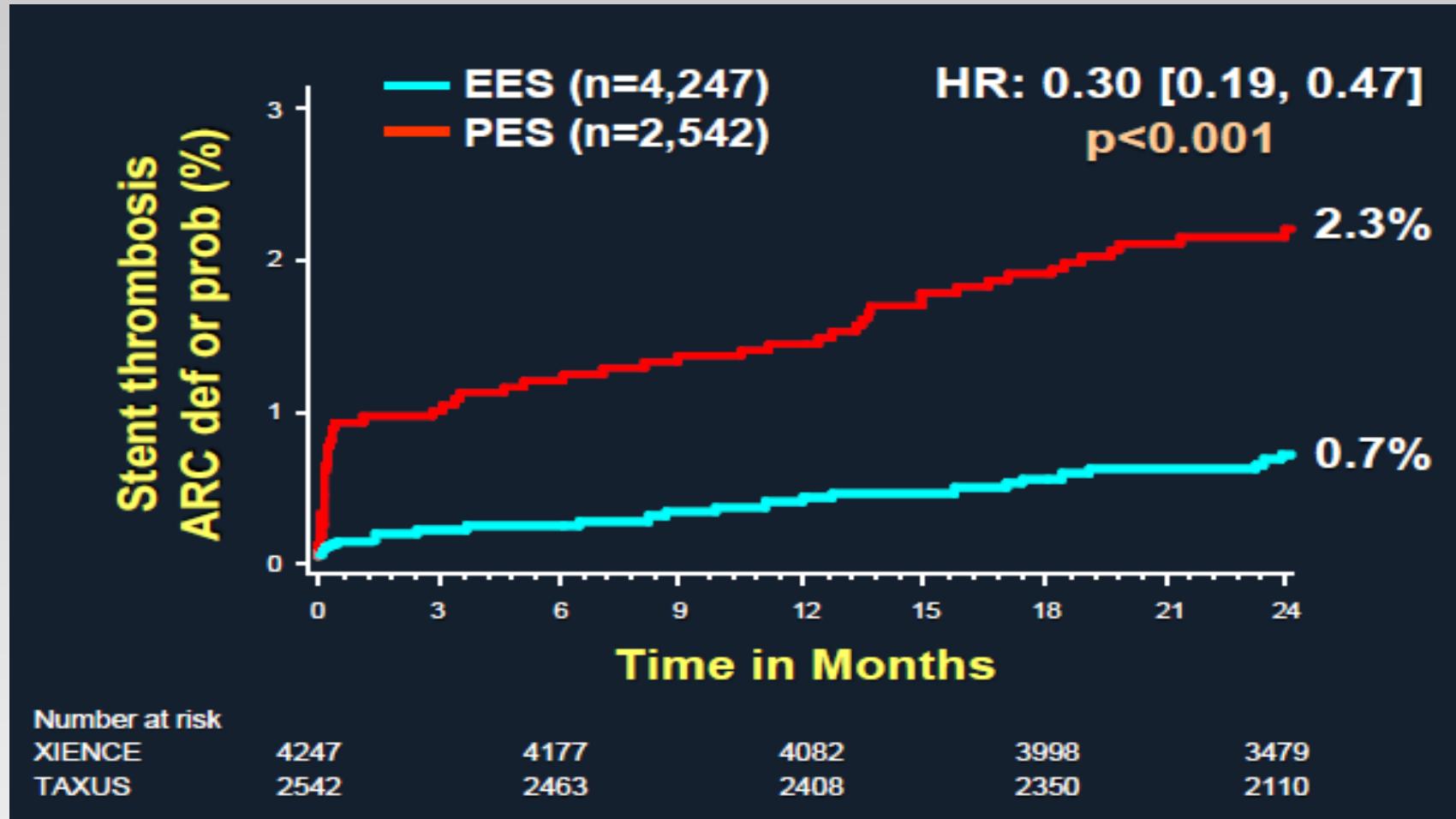
Element (Ion)



# Drug-eluting stents (DES)

1. Gen vs. 2.Gen. Stents

SPIRIT II-IV, COMPARE, Stentthromboserate

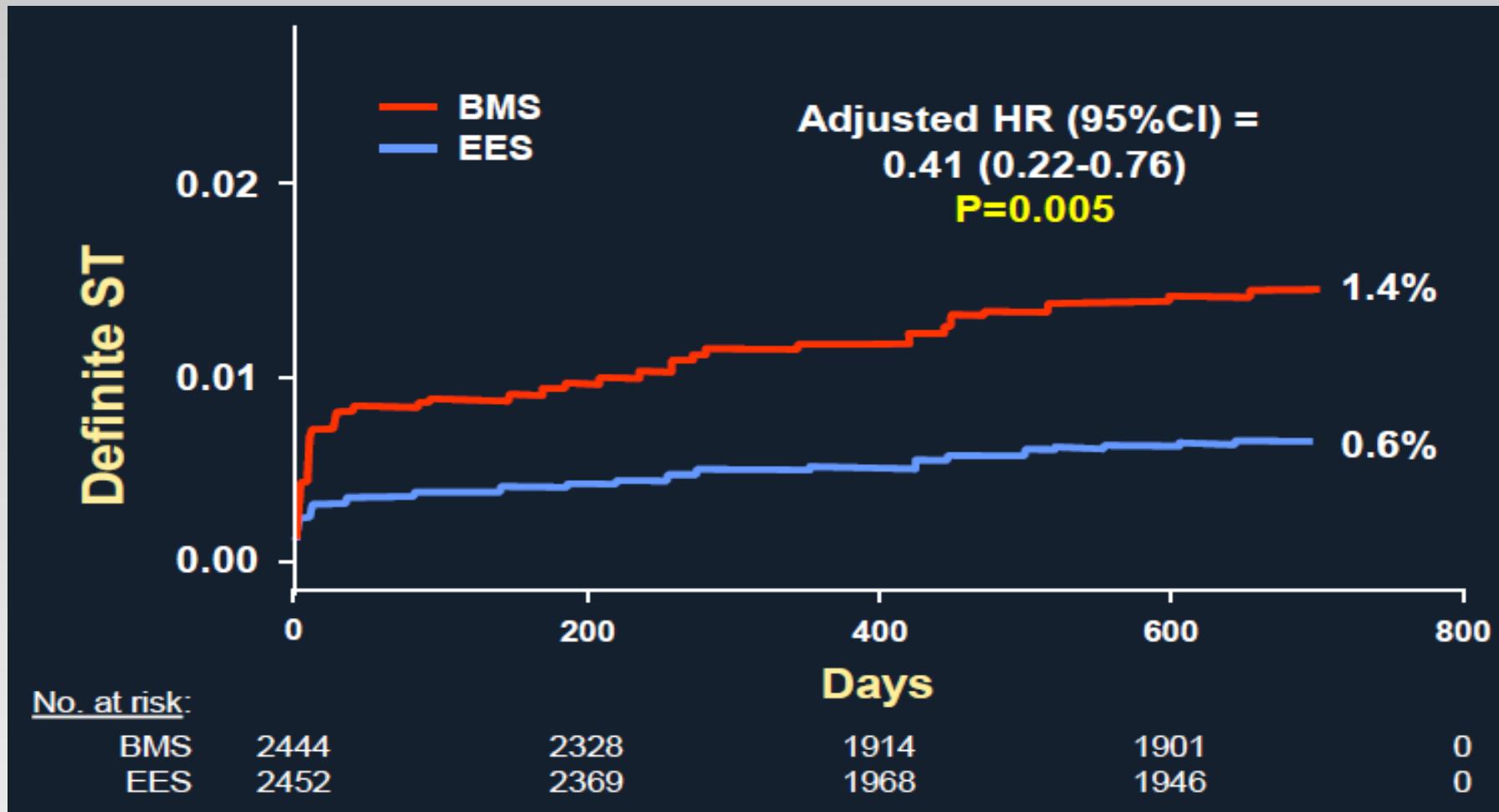




# Drug-eluting stents (DES)

## EES vs. BMS

### Stentthromboserate





# Drug-Eluting Stents (DES)

Weitere Verbesserung der Materialtechnik ?

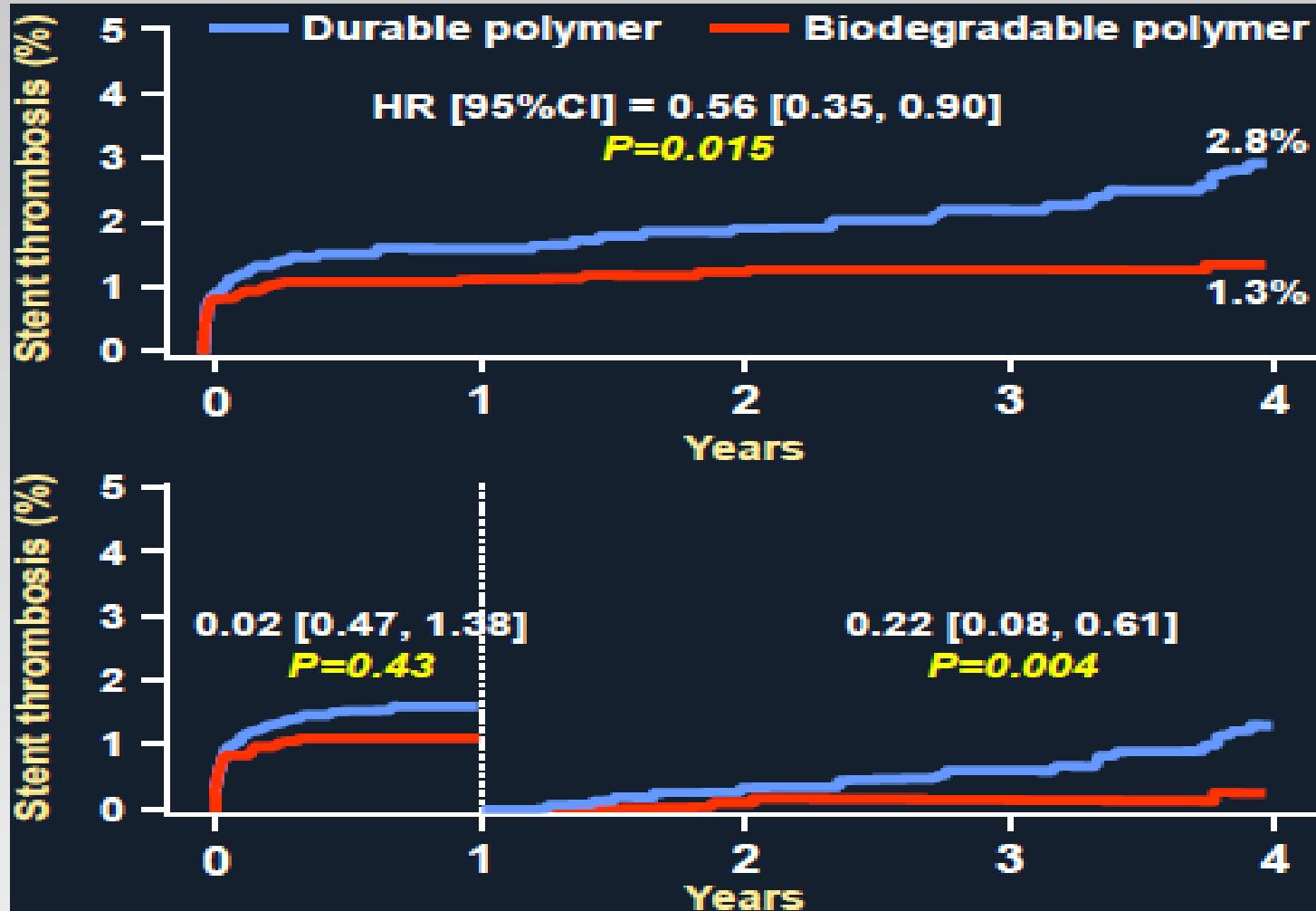
- Metallische DES mit resorbierbarem Polymer
- Polymerfreie metallische DES
- Komplett resorbierbare Stent (Scaffolds, BVS)



# Drug-Eluting Stents (DES)

Resorbierbares Polymer (4 RCTs, n=4066)

Meta-Analyse Biolimus A9 vs. Sirolimus (Cypher)





# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

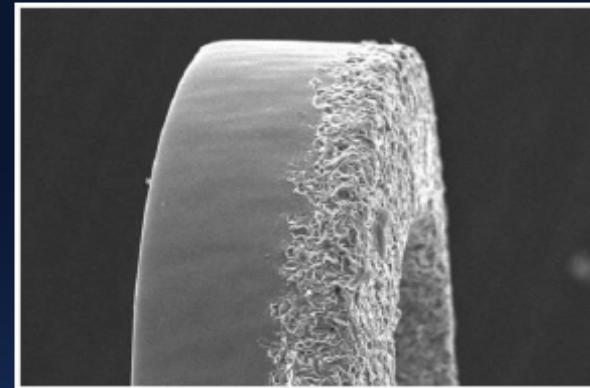
## BioFreedom Stent (Biosensors)

**Hypothesis: Polymer-free drug release via porous-eluting stents may reduce late events caused by polymer stent coatings.**

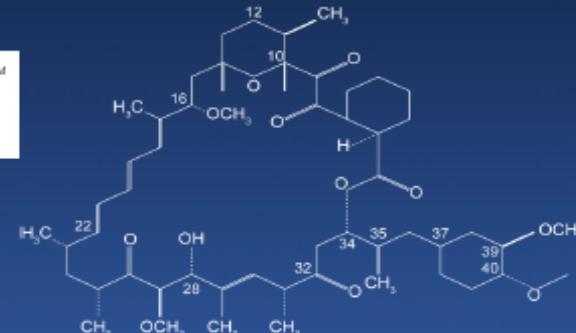
### Potential advantages

- Avoid long term late adverse effects that might be attributable to the polymer
- Improved surface integrity since there is no polymer to be sheared or peeled away from the stent struts
- Possible shorter need of dual antiplatelet therapy

Selectively micro-structured surface holds drug in abluminal surface structures



Biolimus A9 - lipophilic





# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

## LEADERS FREE Trial Design

Prospective, double-blind randomized (1:1) trial  
2466 High bleeding risk (HBR) PCI patients

BioFreedom™  
DCS

VS.

Gazelle™  
BMS

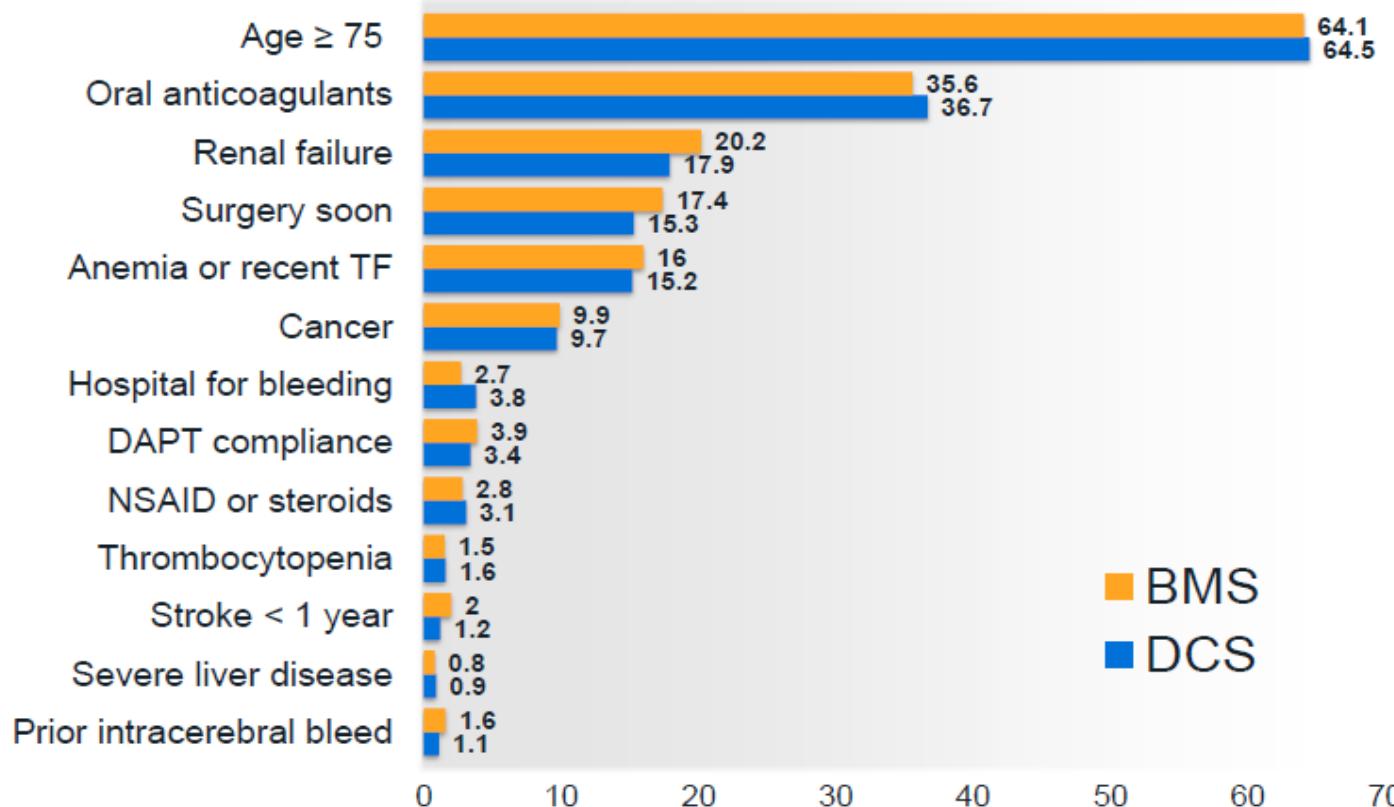
DAPT mandated for 1 month only, followed by long-term SAPT

- Primary safety endpoint:  
Composite of cardiac death, MI, definite / probable stent thrombosis at 1 year (non-inferiority then superiority)
- Primary efficacy endpoint:  
Clinically-driven TLR at 1 year (superiority)



# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

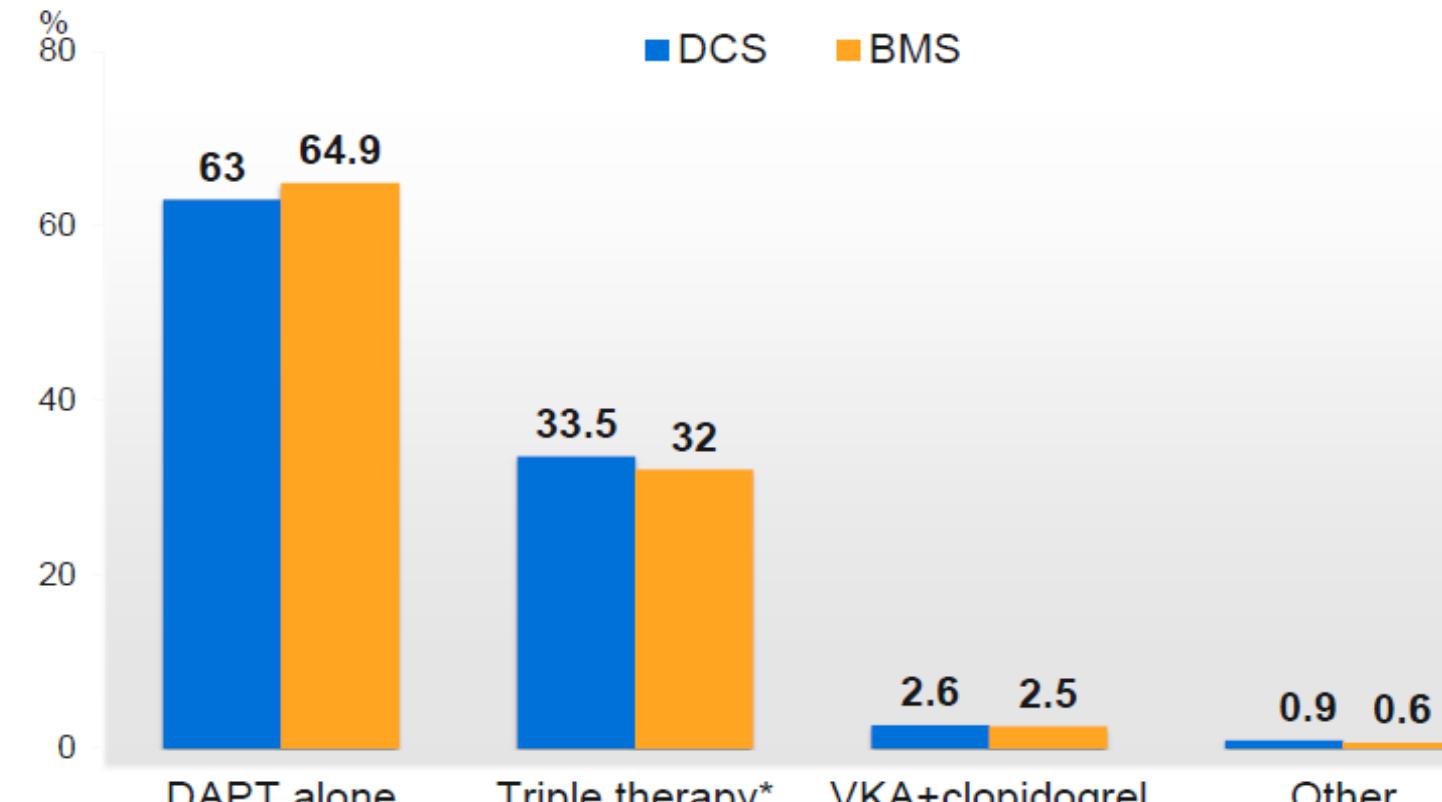
## Inclusion Criteria Applied (1.7 criteria / patient)





# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

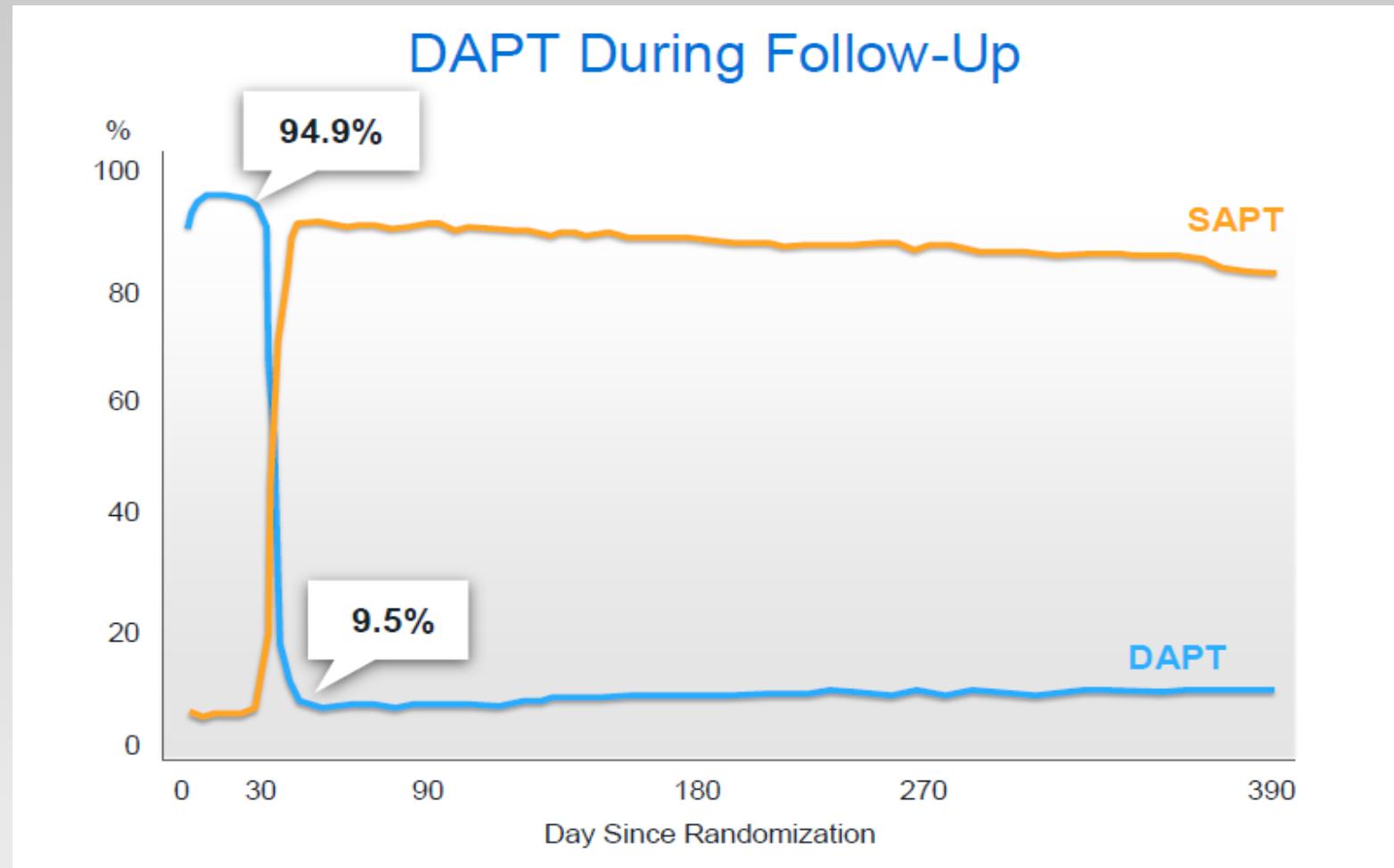
## Antithrombotic Medication at Discharge



None of the regimens differ at  $p < 0.05$



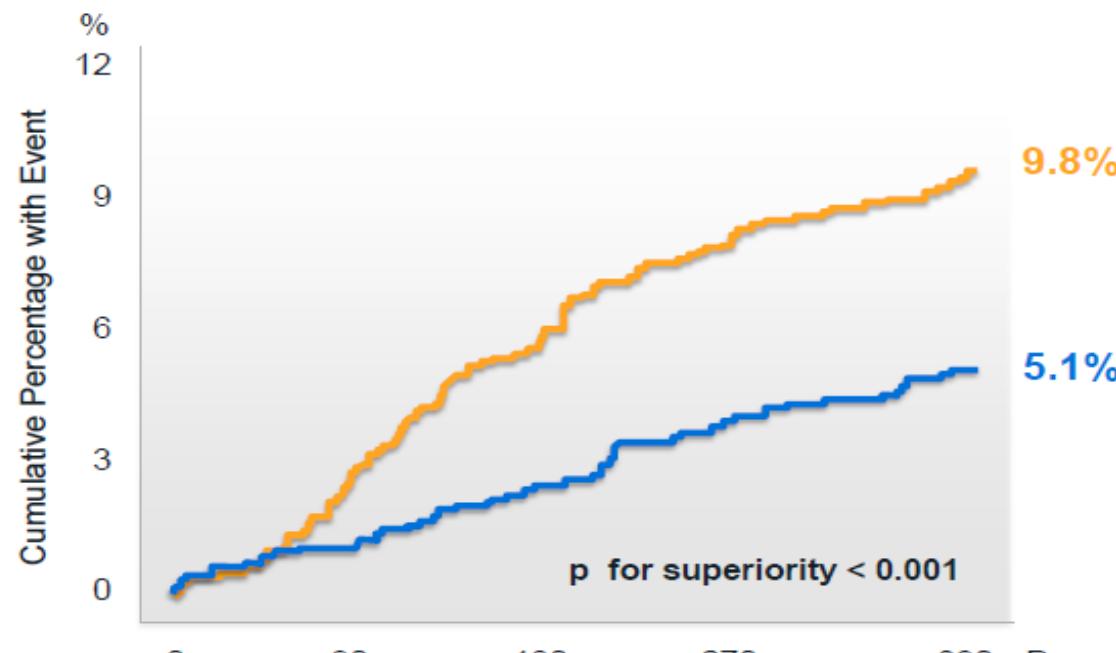
# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)





# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

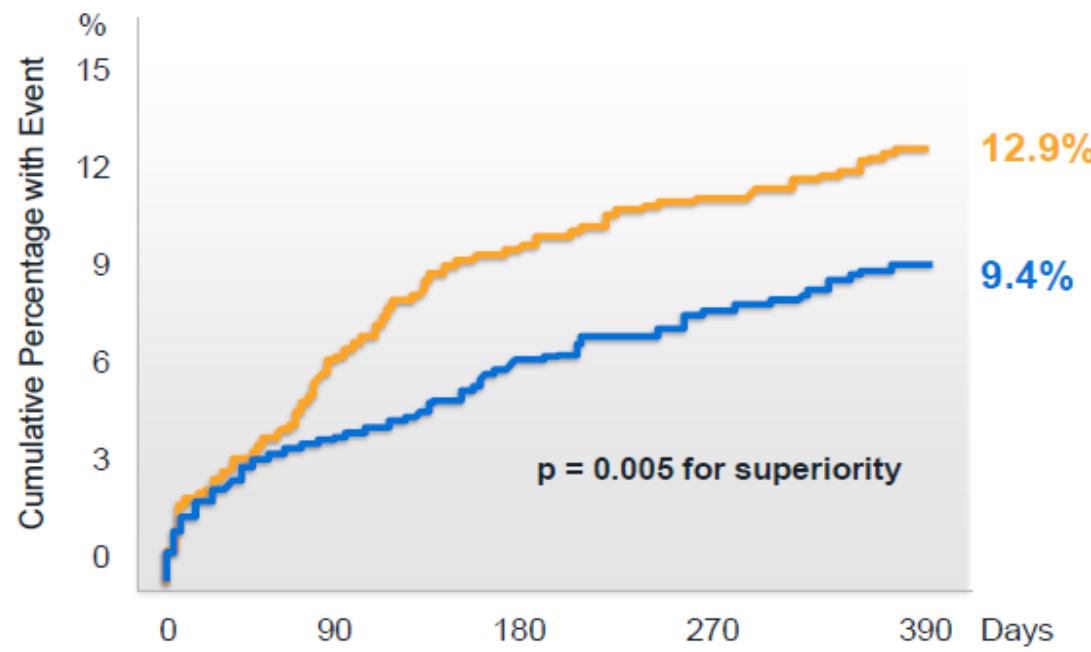
## Primary Efficacy Endpoint (Clinically-Driven TLR)





# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

## Primary Safety Endpoint (Cardiac Death, MI, ST)



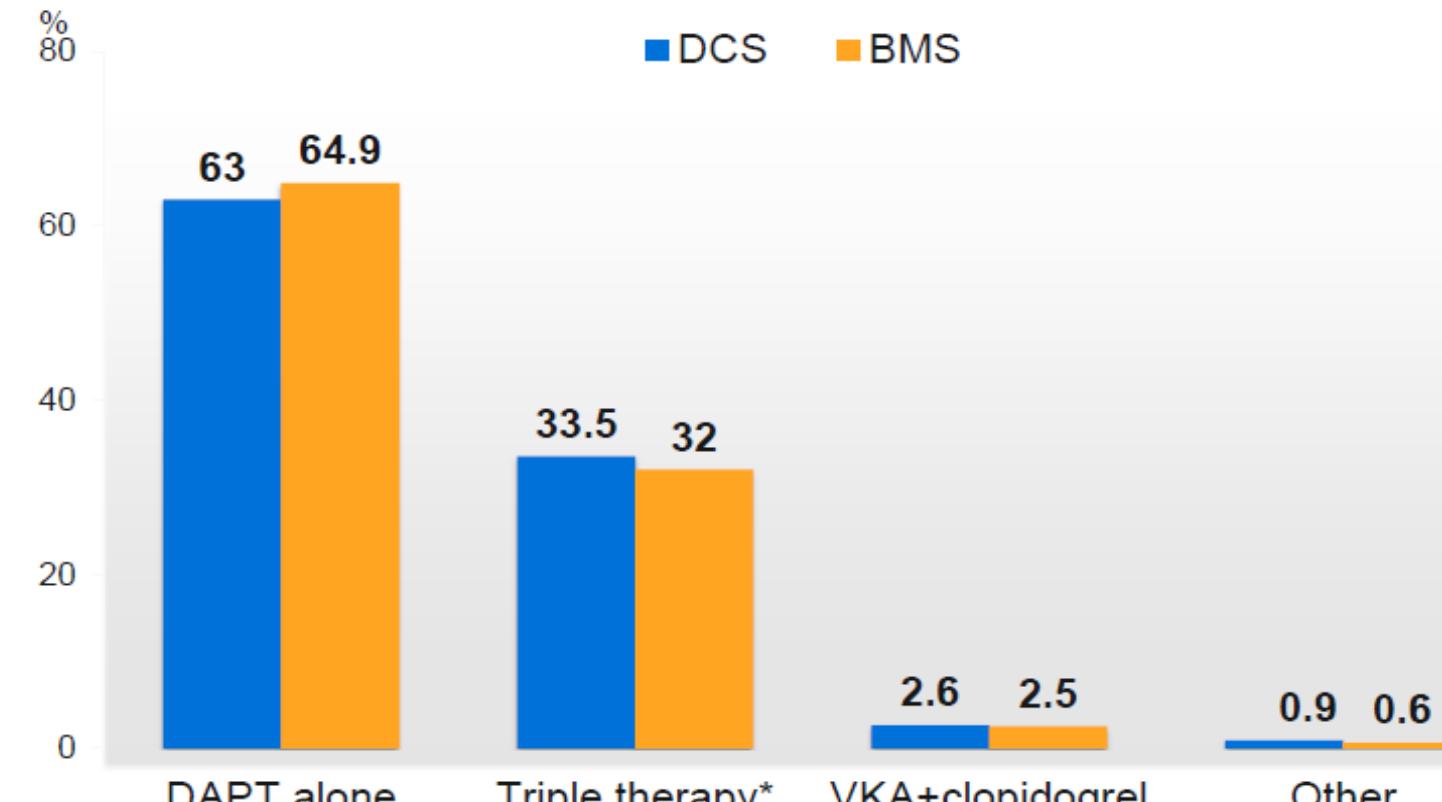
### Number at Risk

<b>DCS</b>	1221	1146	1105	1081	1045
<b>BMS</b>	1211	1115	1066	1037	1000



# Polymerfreie DES (Biofreedom)

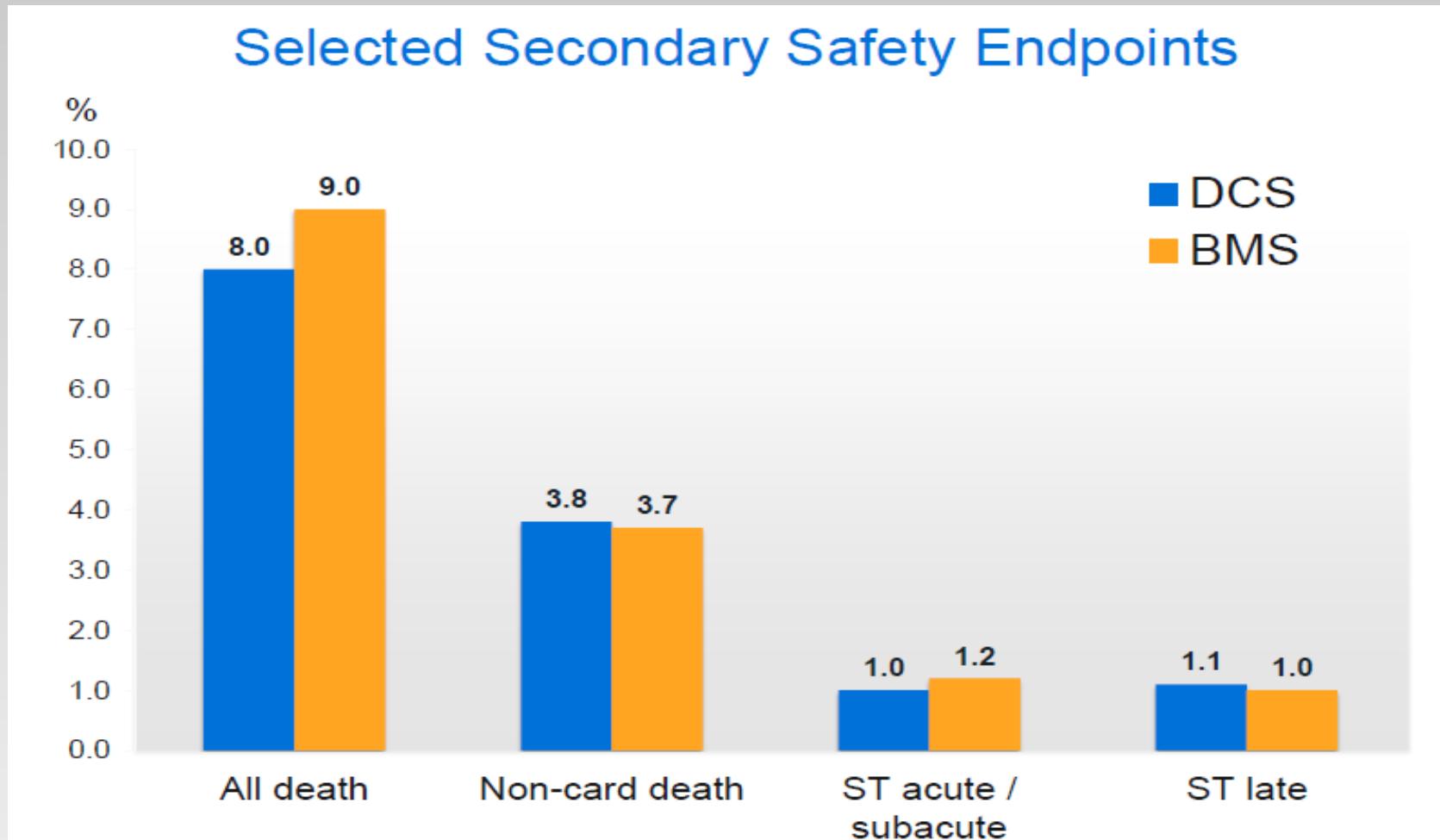
## Antithrombotic Medication at Discharge



None of the regimens differ at  $p < 0.05$



# Polymerfreie DES' (Biofreedom)





# Bioresorbierbare Scaffolds (BVS)

## Absorb III, Aufbau



**Fully Bioresorbable**

**Everolimus/PDLLA (1:1) matrix coating**

- 7 µm
- Conformal coating
- Controlled drug release similar to Xience CoCr-EES

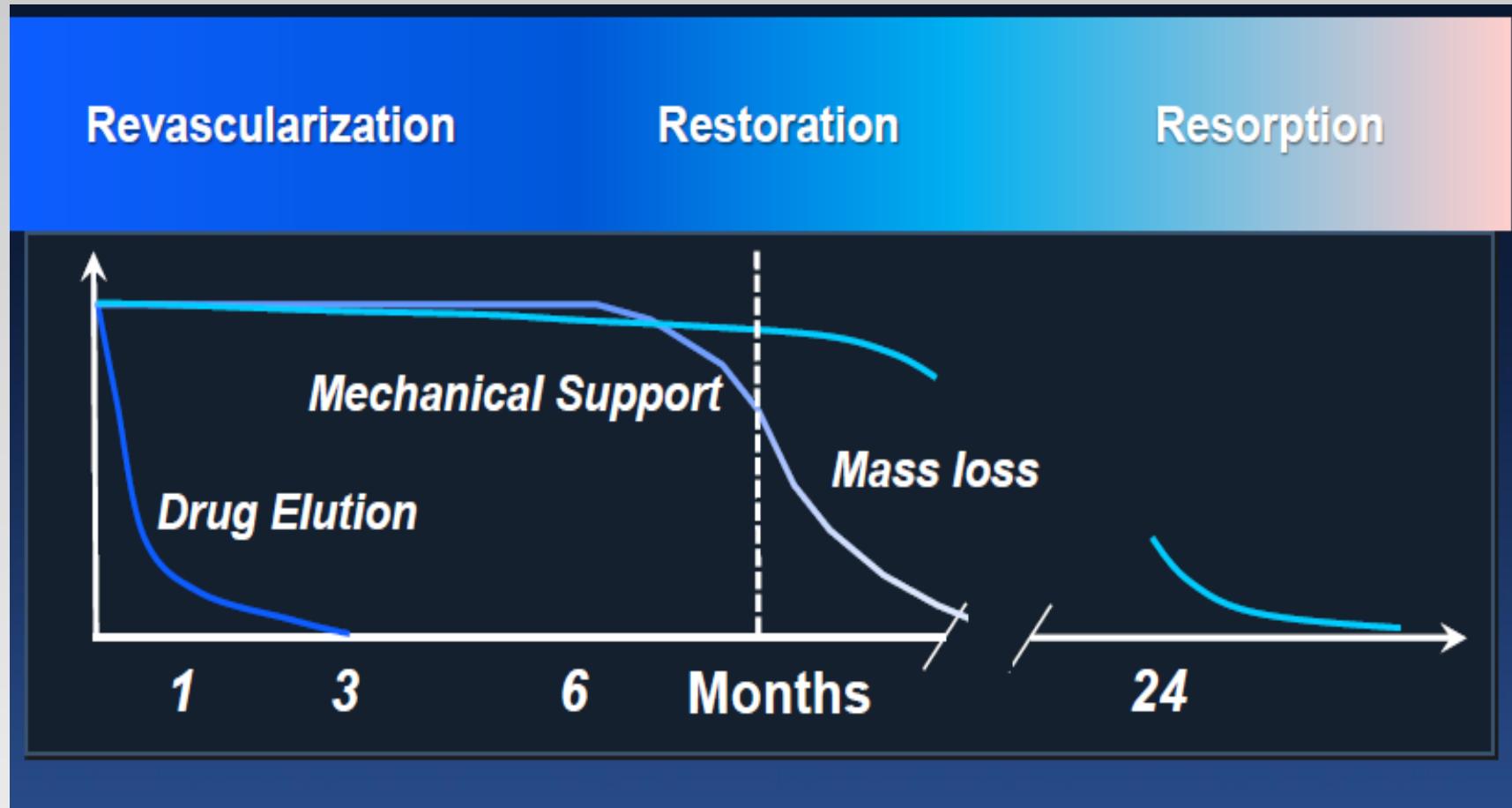
**PLLA Backbone**

- Semi-crystalline
- Circumferential sinusoidal rings connected by linear links
- Strut thickness 150 µm
- Platinum markers in each end ring



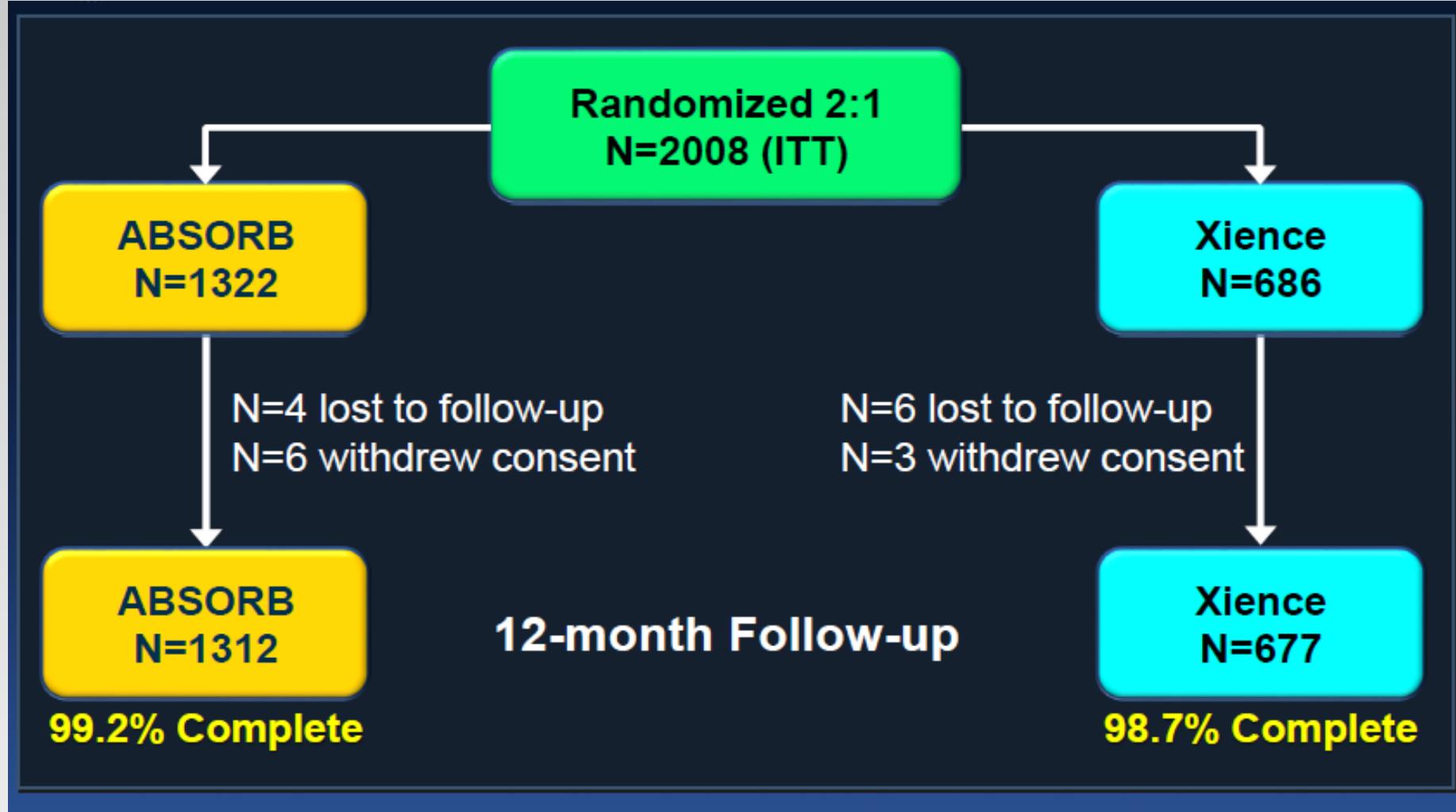
# Bioresorbierbare Scaffolds (BVS)

## Absorb III, Resorptionskinetik





# Bioresorbierbare Scaffolds (BVS) Absorb III





# Bioresorbierbare Scaffolds (BVS)

Absorb III, Stentthrombosen



## Device Thrombosis to 1 Year

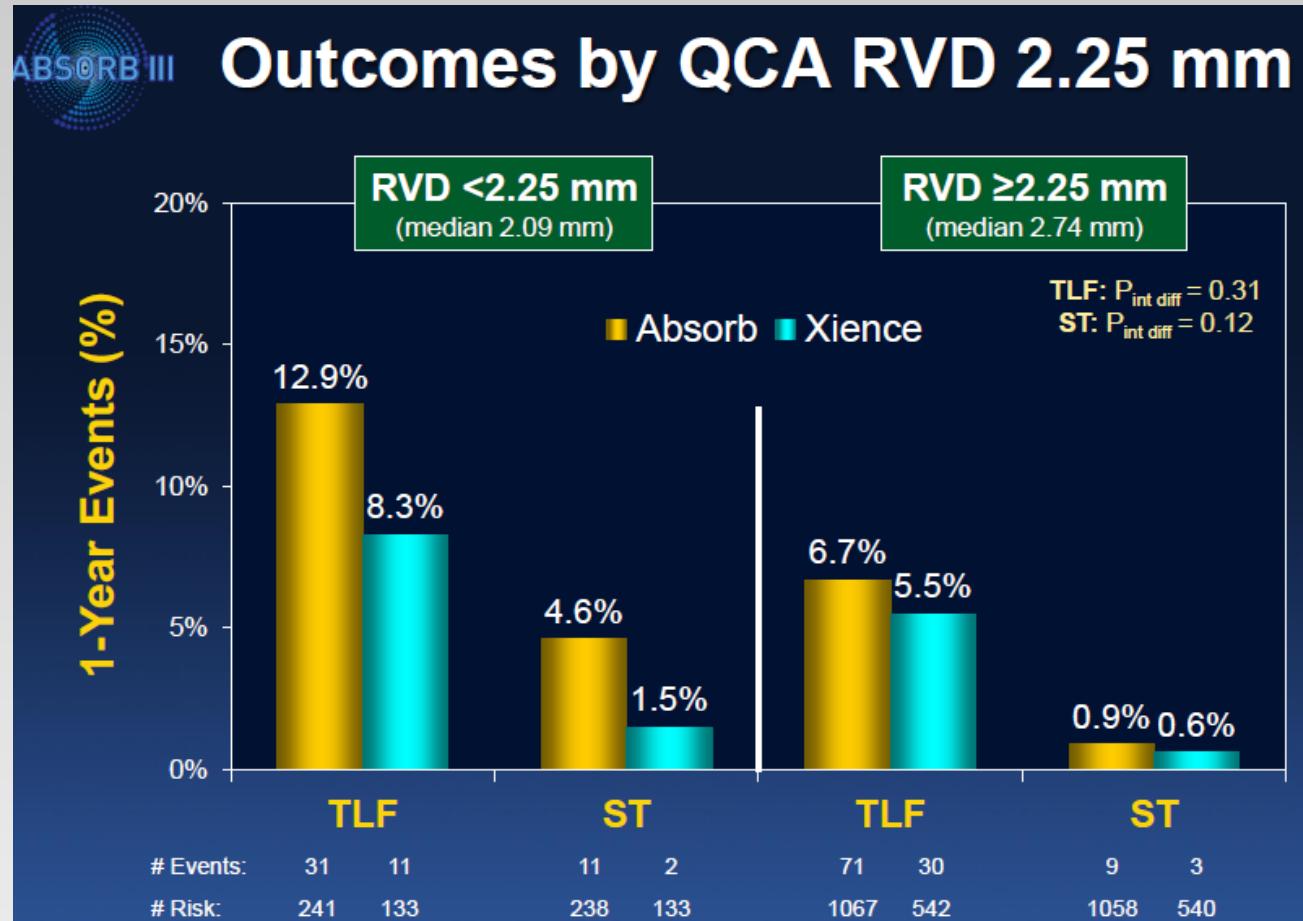
	<b>Absorb</b> (N=1322)	<b>Xience</b> (N=686)	<b>p-value</b>
Device Thrombosis (def*/prob)	1.54%	0.74%	0.13
- Early (0 to 30 days)	1.06%	0.73%	0.46
- Late (> 30 to 1 year)	0.46%	0.00%	0.10
- Definite* (1 year)	1.38%	0.74%	0.21
- Probable (1 year )	0.15%	0.00%	0.55

\*One “definite ST” in the Absorb arm by ITT  
was in a pt that was treated with Xience



# Bioresorbierbare Scaffolds (BVS)

Absorb III, Stentthrombosen  
kleine vs. Grosse Gefäße





# A.H, 81-Jahre, stabile AP CCS IV

## KHK-3, Hauptstammstenose



Chronischer Verschluss RCA-1/2



2 DES Biotrix Flex 3,5/33+28mm 16 bar



# A.H, 81-Jahre, stabile AP CCS IV

## KHK-3, Hauptstammstenose

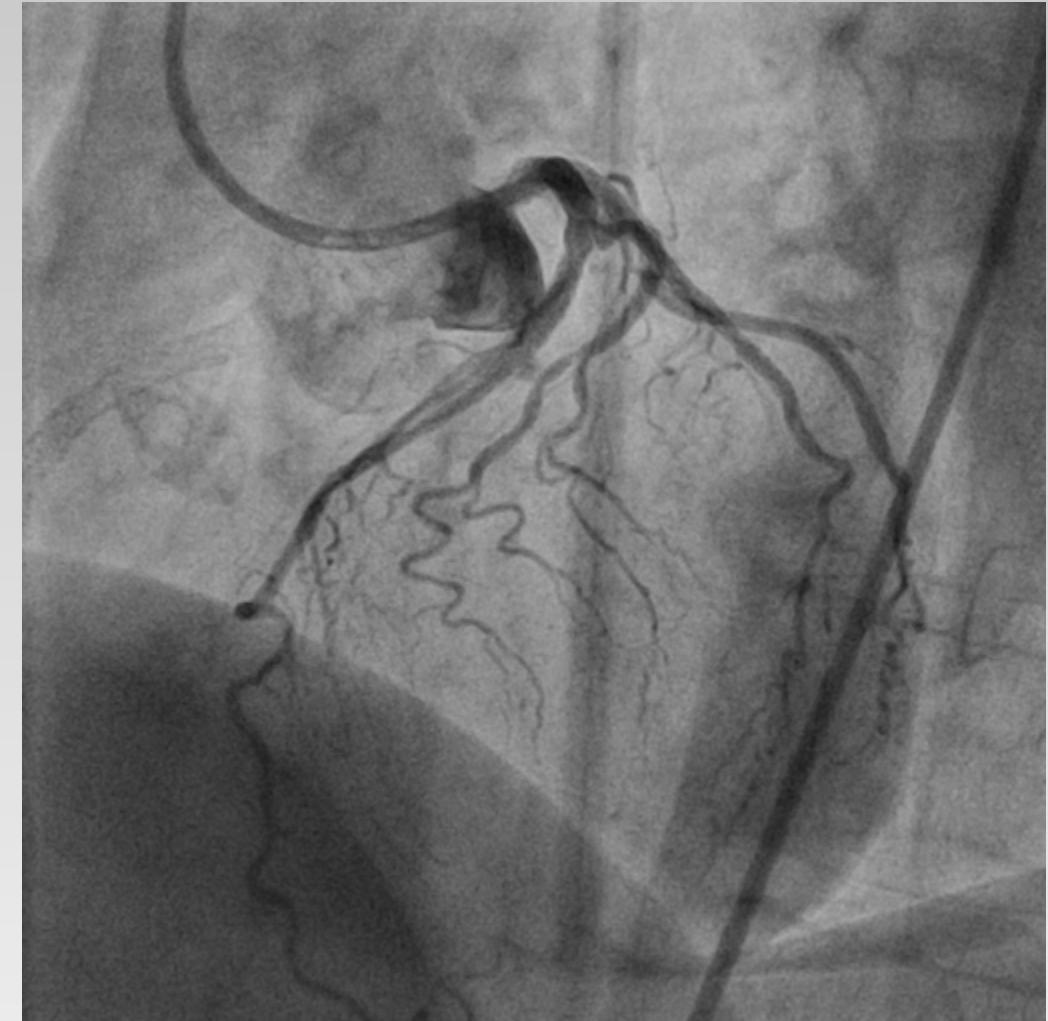
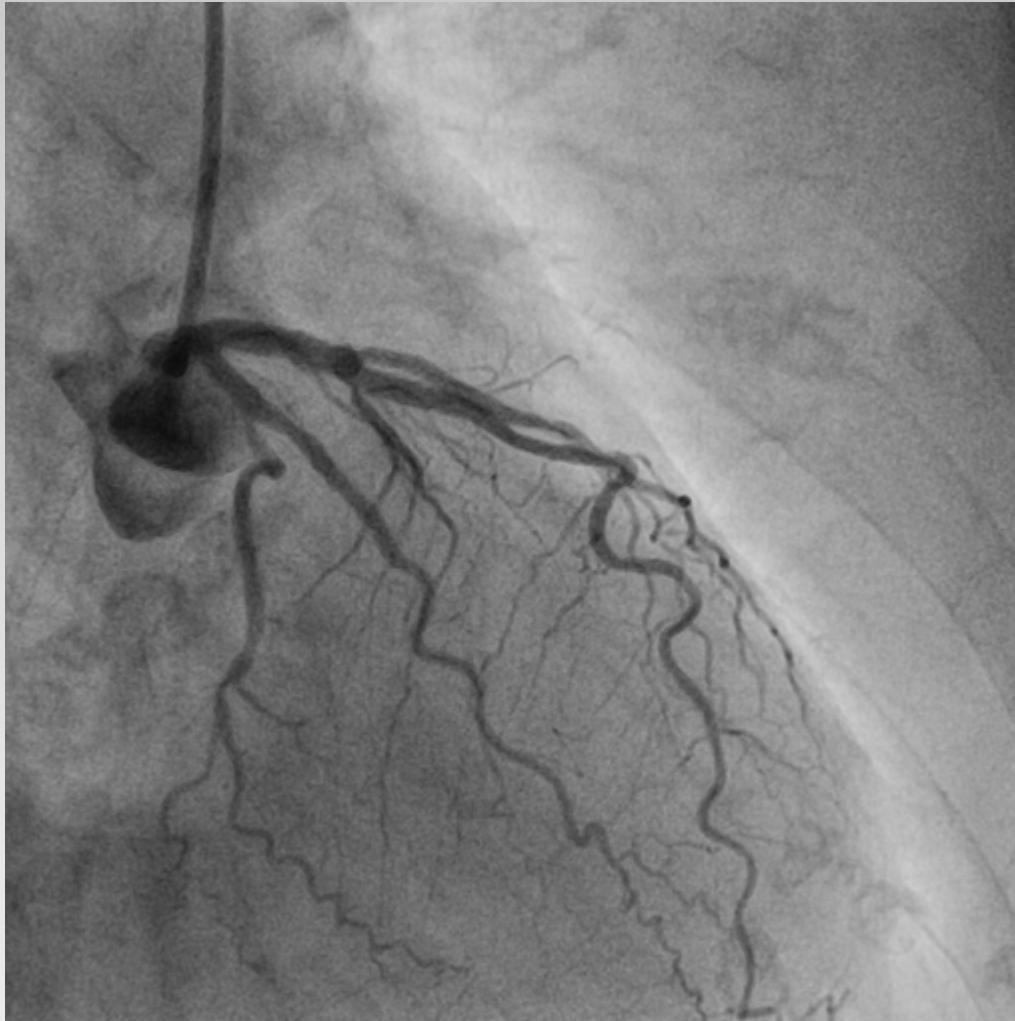


**LM 50-75%, LAD-6 75%, LCX-11 75%, RCA-1/2 100%**



# A.H, 81-Jahre, stabile AP CCS IV

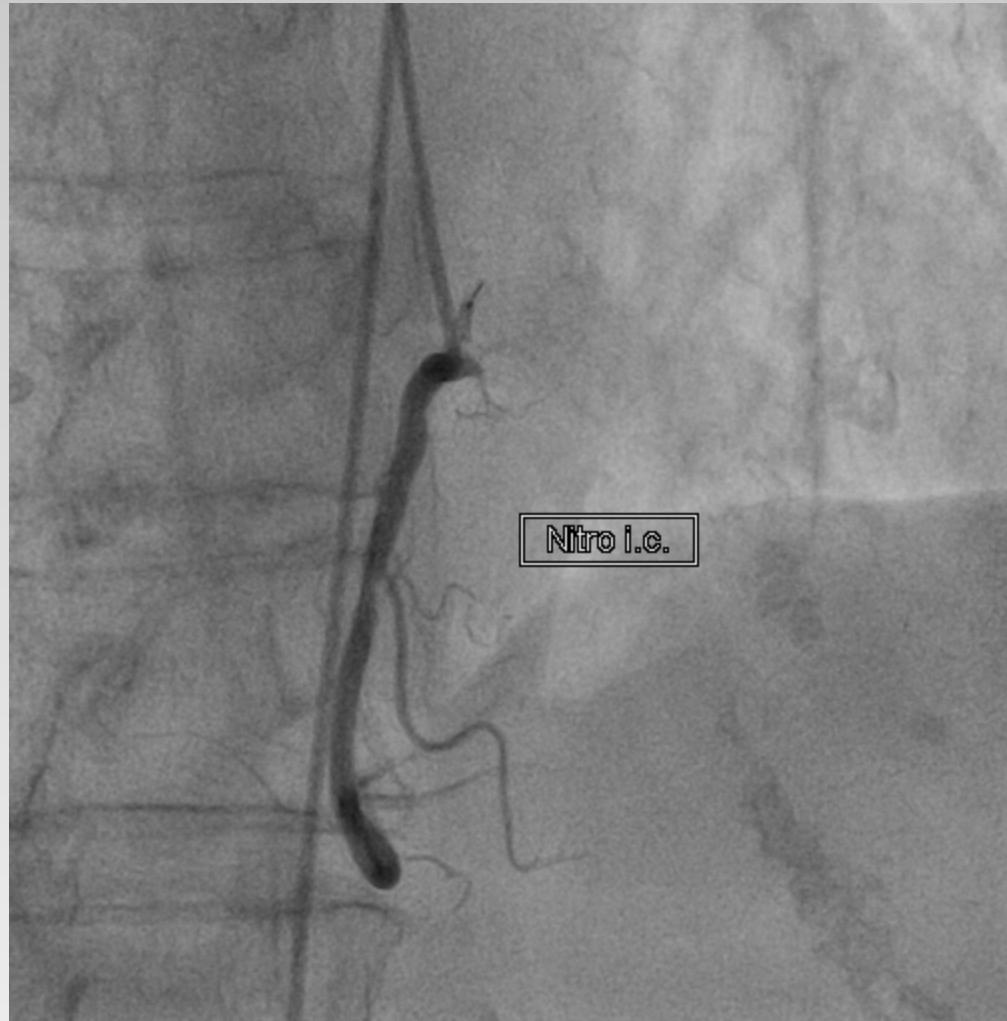
## KHK-3, Hauptstammstenose



3 DES: LAD-6 Biomatrix Flex 3,5/18, LM/LAD-6/LCX-11 Mini-Crush Biomatrix Flex 3,5/14+2,5/33mm

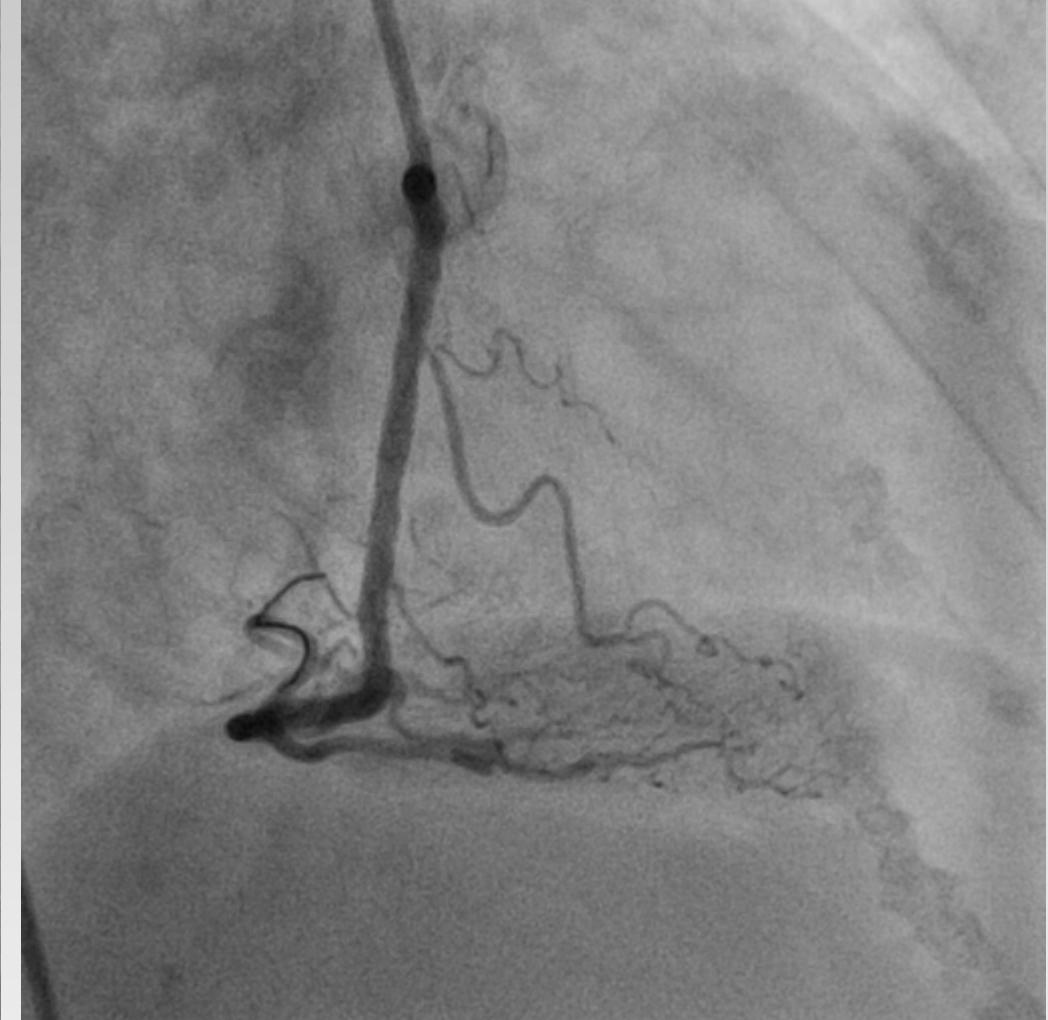
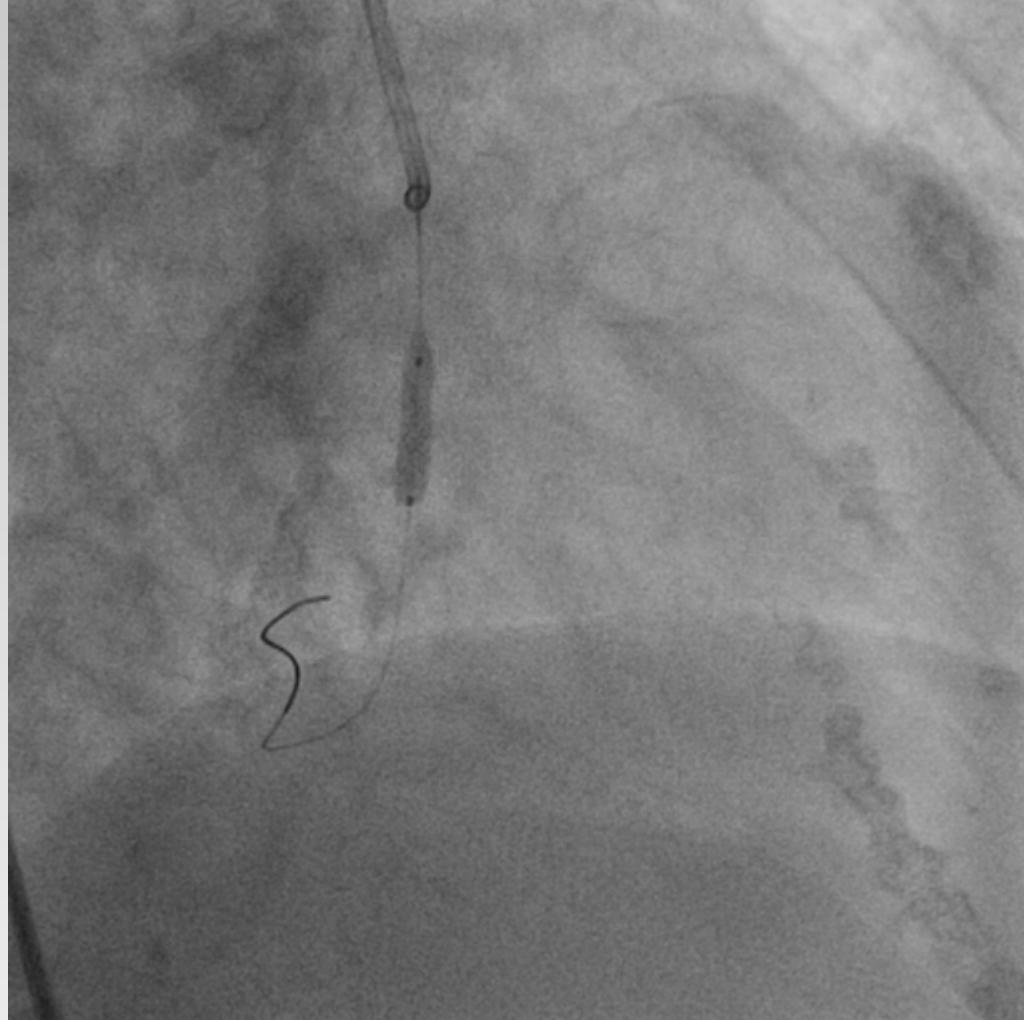


# R.H, 78-Jahre, stabile AP CCS II KHK-1





R.H, 78-Jahre, stabile AP CCS II  
KHK-1



DES 3,5/12mm Promus Element



# Zusammenfassung I

- Nach elektiver DE-Stentimplantation der 2. Generation ist eine duale Plättchenhemmung (DAPT = ASS+Clopidogrel) von 6 Monaten ausreichend.
- Nach elektiver DE-Stentimplantation der 2. Generation unter DAPT über 6 Monate ist eine späte Stentthrombose extreme selten und vergleichbar häufig oder seltener als nach BMS-Implantation.
- Eine längere DAPT über 6 Monate sollte nur in Ausnahmefällen nach Rücksprache/Empfehlung des interventionellen Zentrums verordnet werden.



## Zusammenfassung II

- Bei Verwendung polymerfreier DE-Stents (Biofreedom) kann eine DAPT von nur 1 Monat vertreten werden.
- BVS (medikamentenfreisetzende bioresorbierbare Stents) sollten aufgrund der limitierten Datenlage auf grosse Koronargefäße ( $> 2,5\text{mm}$ ) beschränkt werden und mindestens über 6 Monate mit DAPT behandelt werden.



## Zusammenfassung III

- Grundvoraussetzung für eine langfristig sichere und effektive koronare Stentimplantation jeglicher Bauart (BMS/DES/BVS) ist eine sorgfältige Implantation (Läsionsvorbereitung, adequate Größenauswahl, Hochdruckimplantation) durch den interventionellen Kardiologen !!