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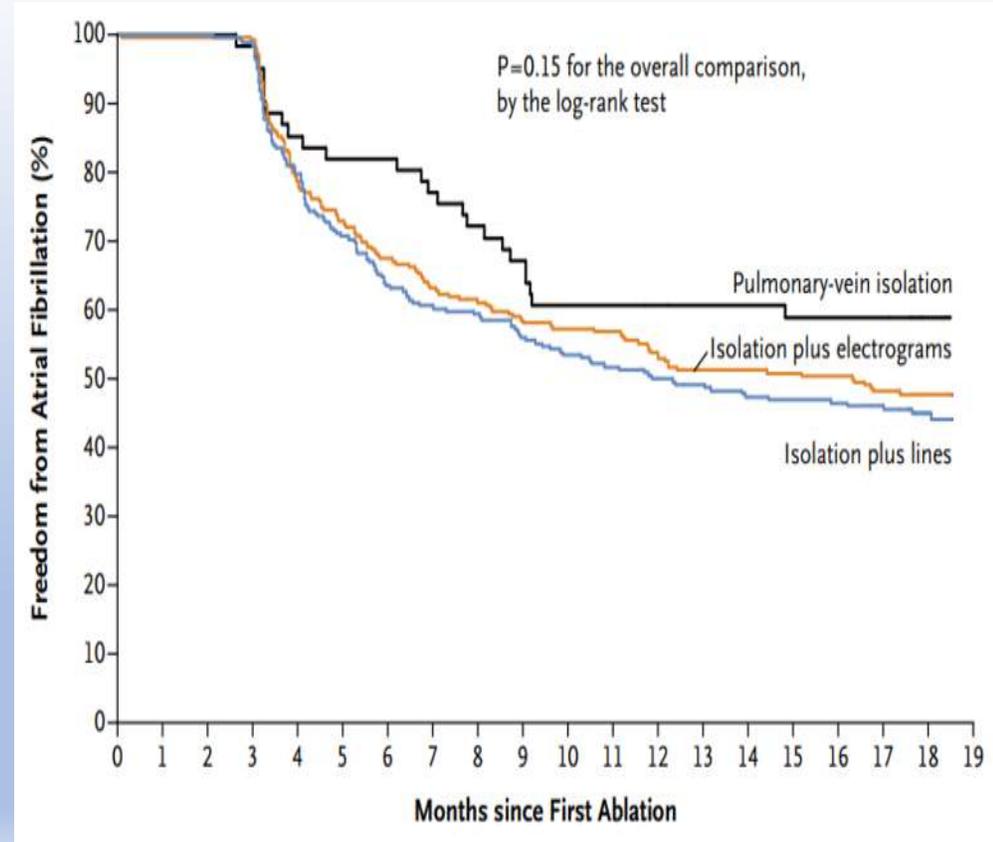
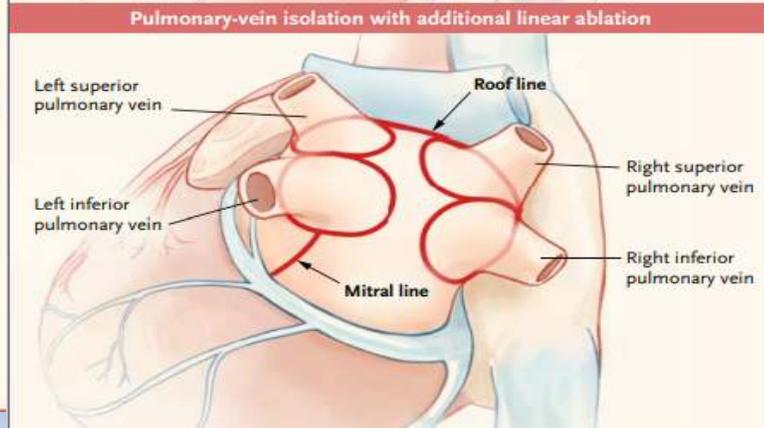
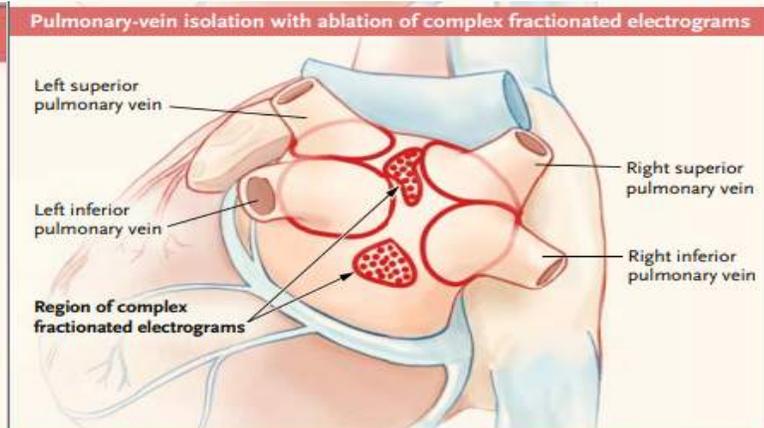
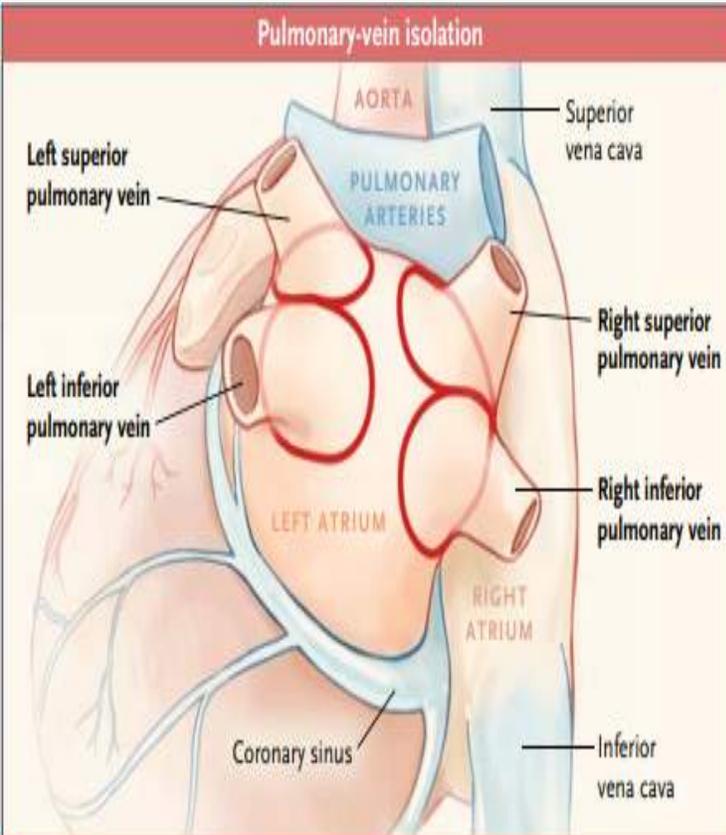
ISOLAMENTO DELLE VENE POLMONARI: PIETRA MILIARE DELL'ABLAZIONE DI FA

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Approaches to Catheter Ablation for Persistent Atrial Fibrillation

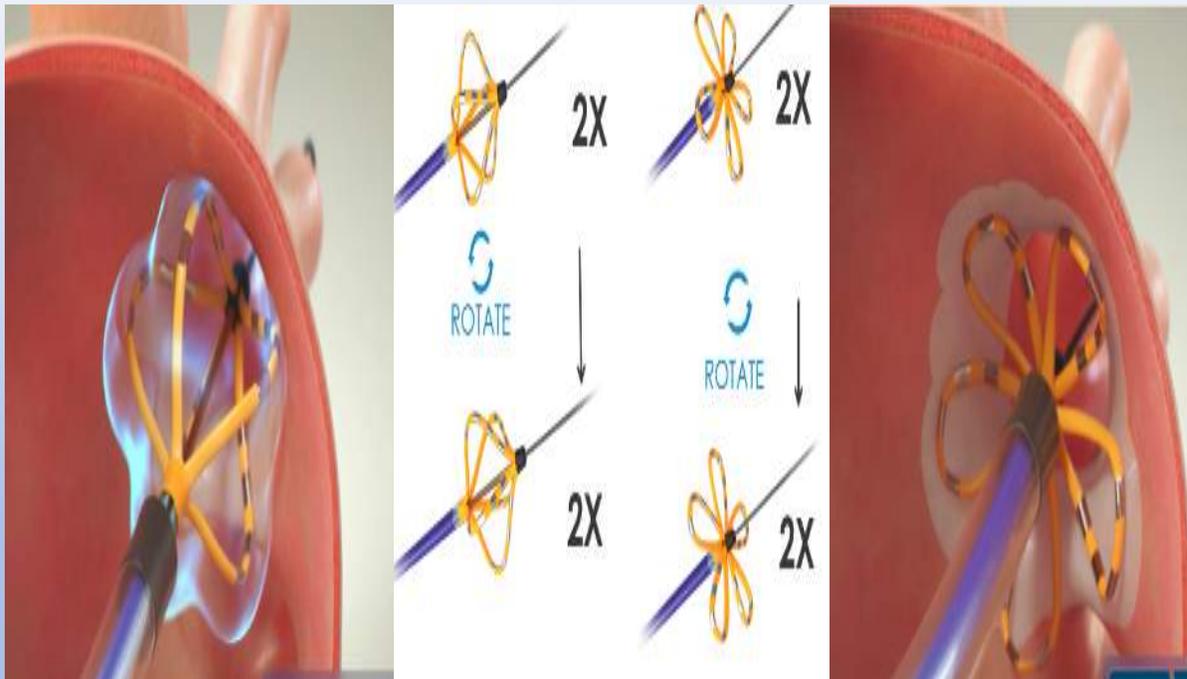
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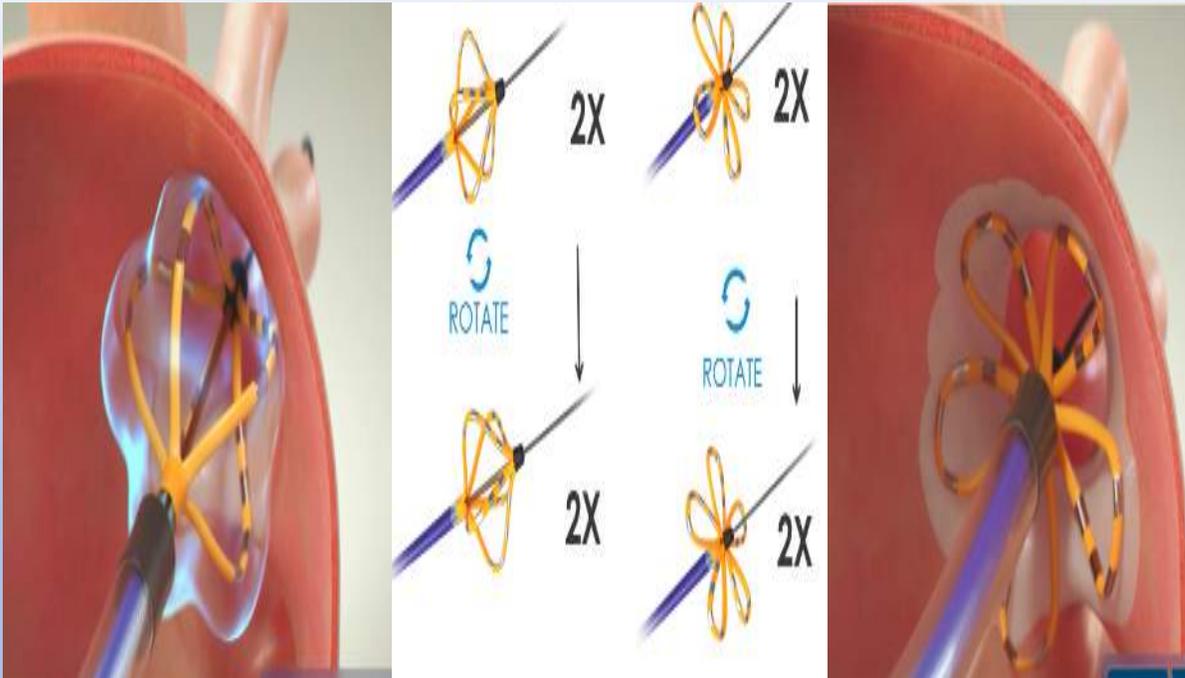
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PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE

LA LESIONE ANTRALE NEI PERSISTENTI GARANTISCE OUTCOME MIGLIORE

Comparative Effectiveness of Wide Antral Versus Ostial Pulmonary Vein Isolation A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

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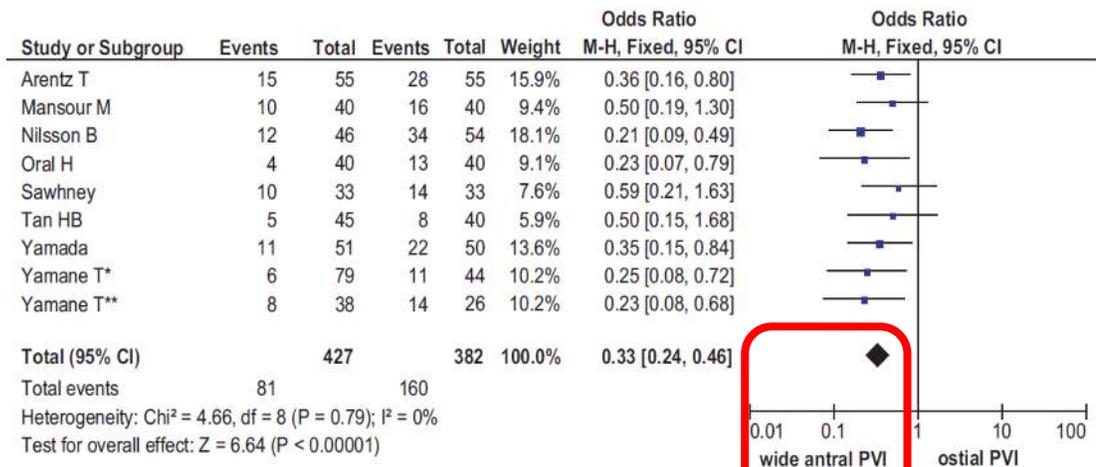
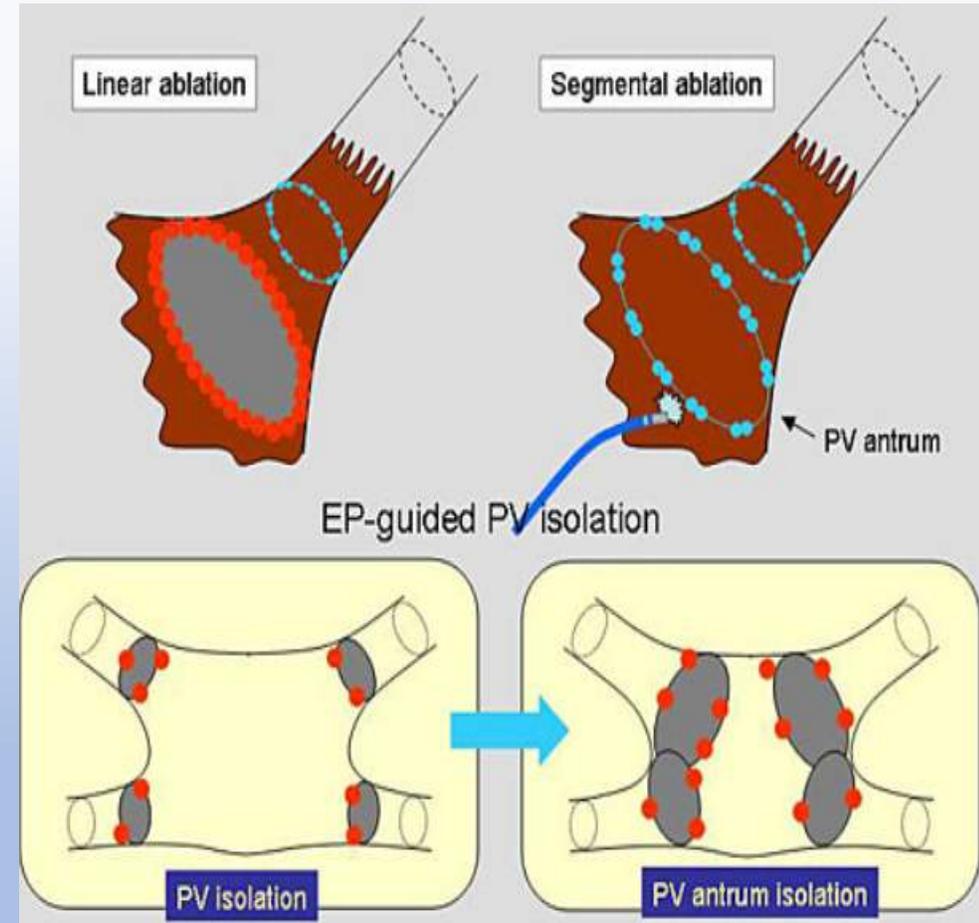


Figure 3. Antral vs ostial; outcome: recurrence AF



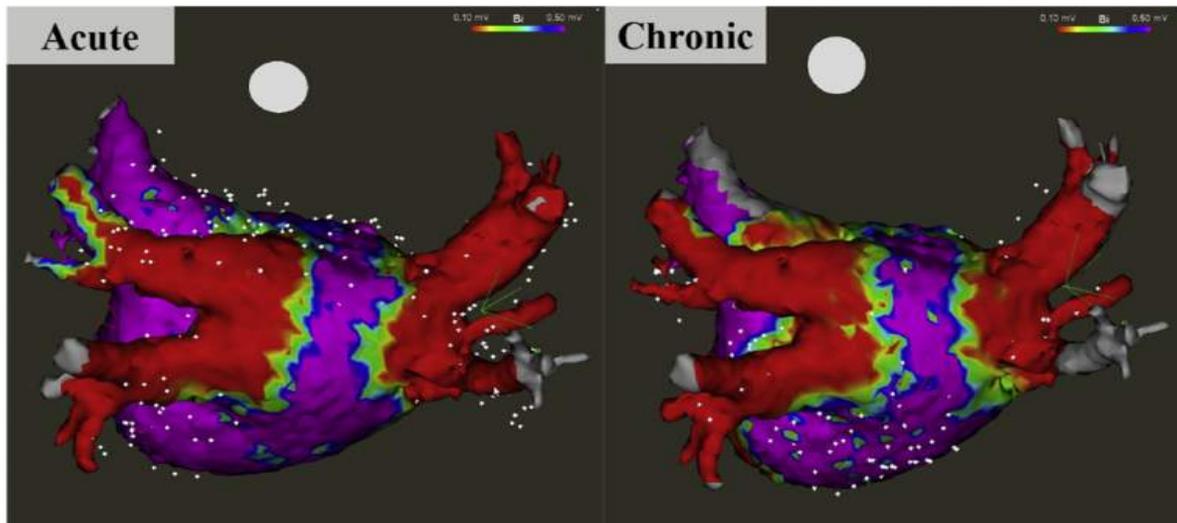
PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE

LA LESIONE FARAPULSE E' ANTRALE E NON REGREDISCE

Does pulsed field ablation regress over time? A quantitative temporal analysis of pulmonary vein isolation 

Iwanari Kawamura, MD,* Petr Neuzil, MD, PhD,† Poojita Shivamurthy, MD,*

Durability



LA LESIONE NON REGREDISCE DOPO 3 MESI

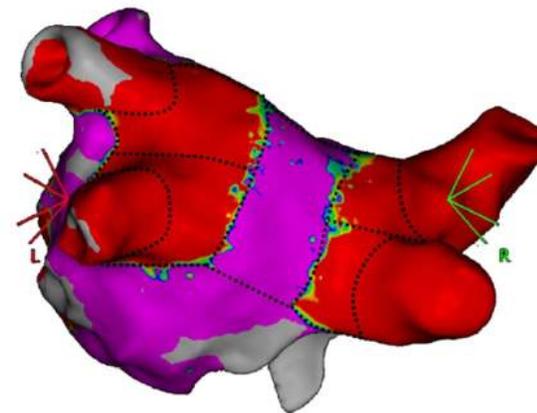
Acute lesion extension following pulmonary vein isolation with two novel single shot devices: Pulsed field ablation versus multielectrode radiofrequency balloon

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FARAPULSE



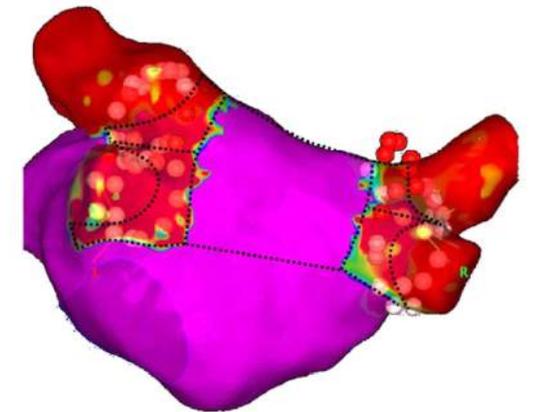
(A) Pulsed-Field Ablation (PFA)



HELIOSTAR



(B) Radiofrequency Balloon Ablation (RFB)



LA LESIONE HA AMPIO VOLUME ANTRALE

PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE: ANCHE NEI REDO

PFA ESTENDE LE LESIONI RF PREGRESSE

Efficacy of Pulsed Field vs Radiofrequency for the Reablation of Chronic Radiofrequency Ablation Substrate
Redo Pulsed Field Ablation

FIGURE 5 Histology of the Intercaval Line

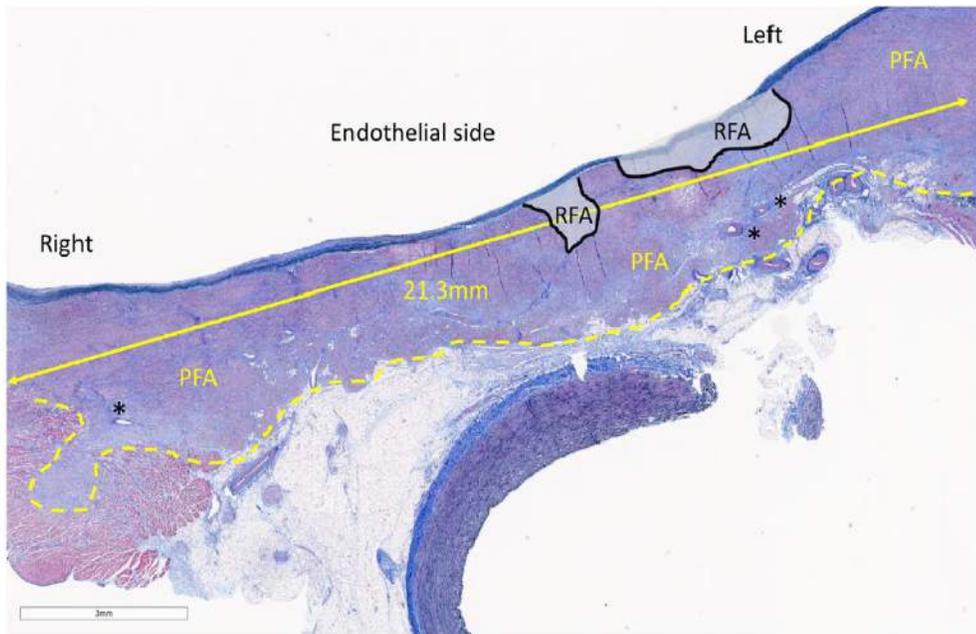
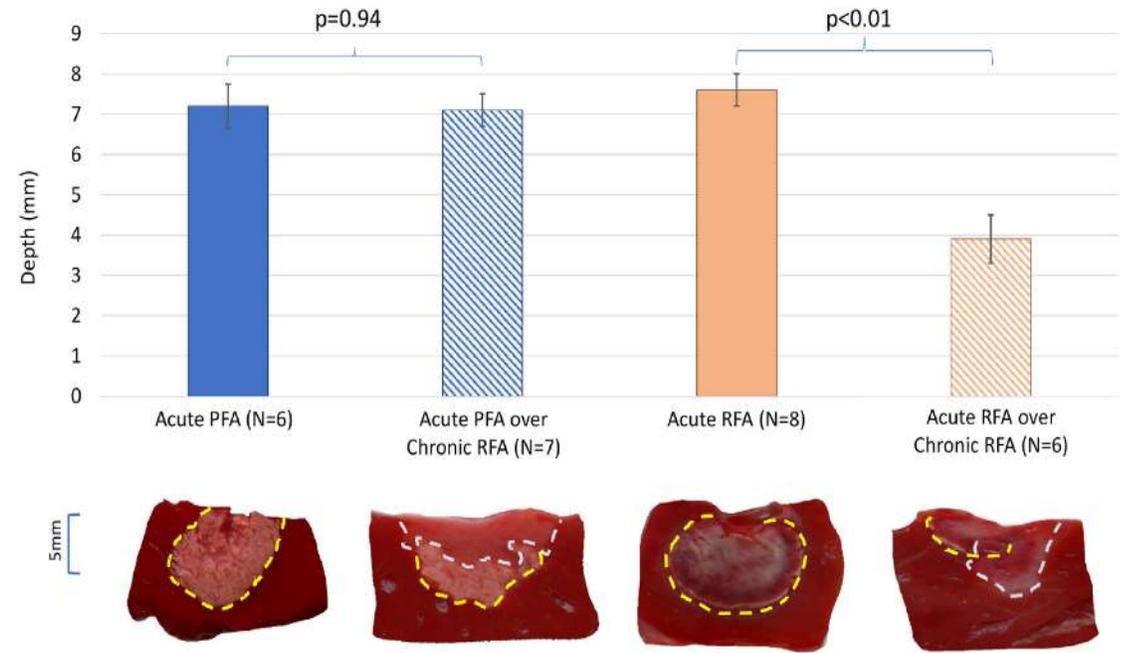


FIGURE 7 Left Ventricular Reablation



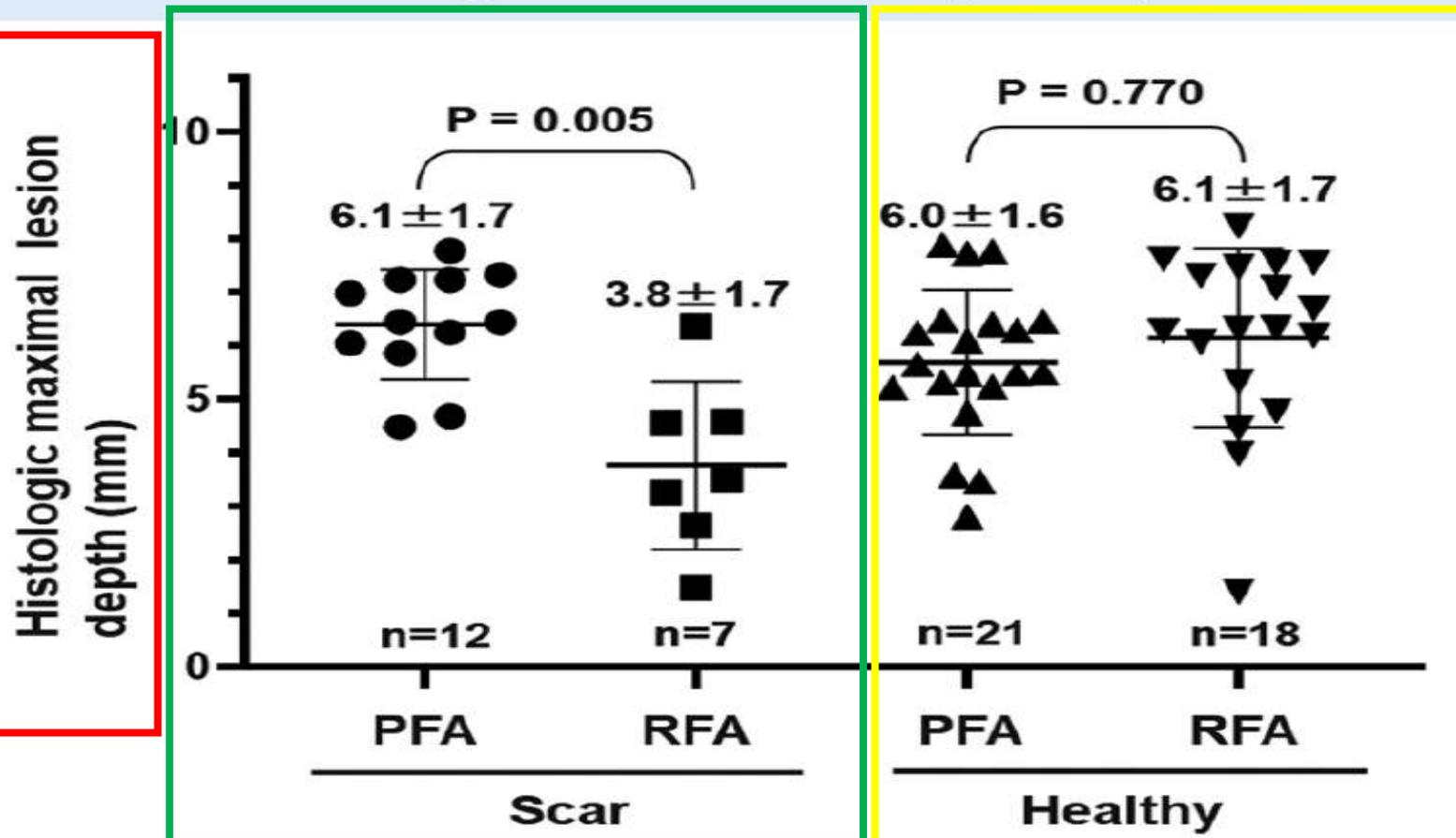
PFA LESION EXPANDS AND HOMOGENIZES THE PREVIOUS RF LESIONS

PFA PENETRATES PREVIOUS RF SCAR BETTER THAN A RF REDO

LA PFA E' PIU' EFFICACE DELLA RF NELLA FIBROSI

PFA CREATES DEEPER LESIONS IN DISEASED TISSUE COMPARED TO RF

FIGURE 6 Histologic Maximal Lesion Depth Comparison



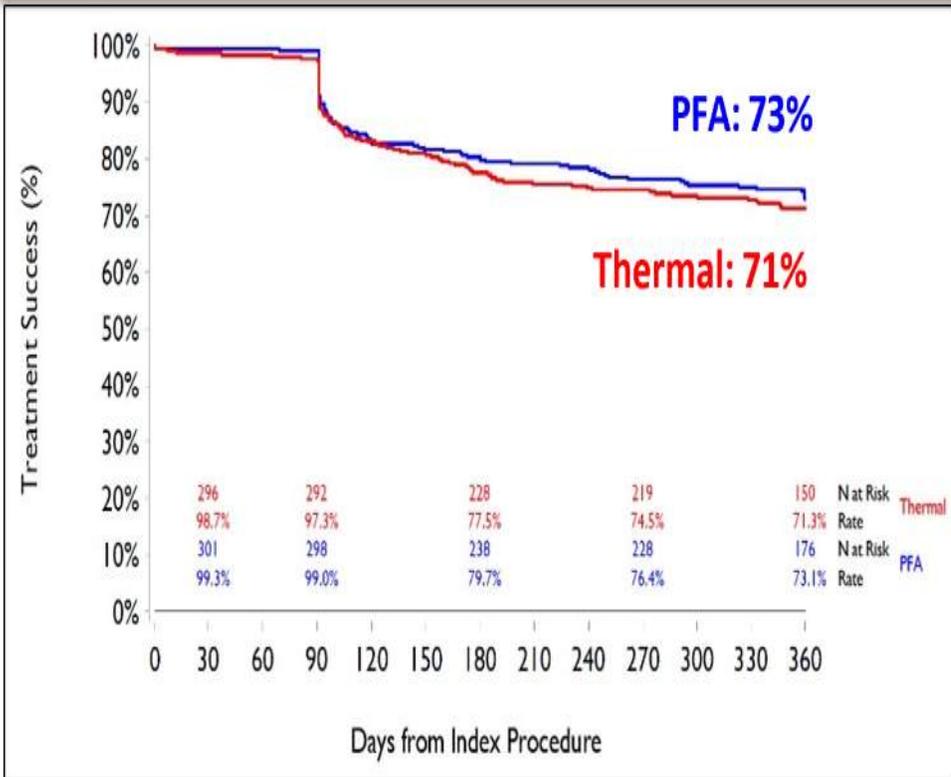
PFA PERFORMS EQUALLY WELL AS RF IN HEALTHY VENTRICULAR TISSUE

PFA CREATES MUCH DEEPER LESIONS THAN RF IN VENTRICULAR SCARS

EFFICACIA DELLA PFA NELLA FA PERSISTENTE

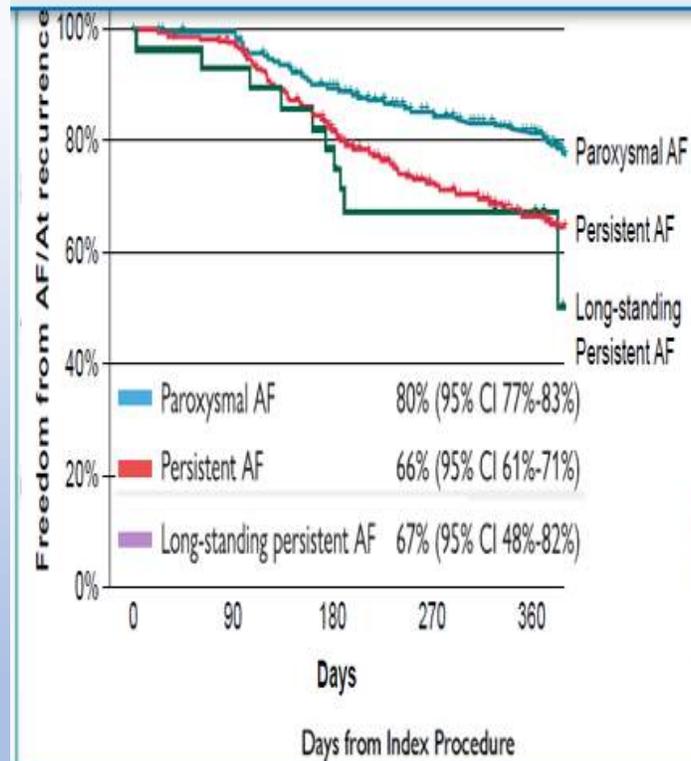
STUDIO DI CONFRONTO SOLO SU FA PAROSSISTICA

STUDIO RANDOMIZZATO ADVENT: 300 PZ



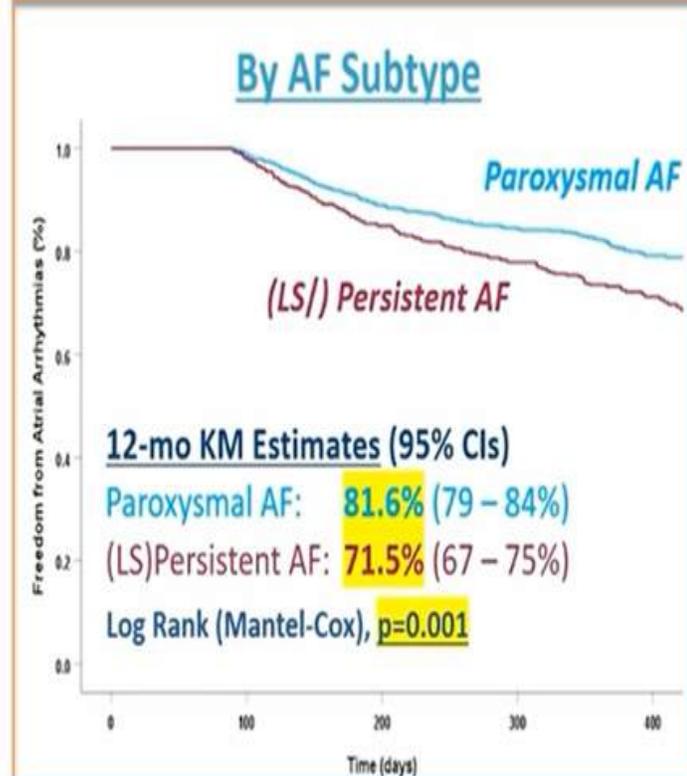
FA PAROSSISTICA (SENZA FARMACI)

EUPHORIA: 1233 PZ



EFFICACIA FA PERSISTENTE

MANIFEST: 1568 PZ



PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE: SICUREZZA

- Retrospective observational study of the real-world commercial use of FARAPULSE Pulsed Field Ablation.
- The data expands beyond the previously published MANIFEST-PF registry to include a total of 17,642 (35% PersAF) patients.
- Excluded the initial patients already reported in MANIFEST-PF
 - Excluded 1,758 patients at the original 24 MANIFEST-PF sites
- The first PFA cases from the initial MANIFEST-PF sites were performed an average of 14 months (6/2021) in advance of the expanded MANIFEST-17K sites (8/2022).



106 Centers



91.4% of all commercial centers using FARAPULSE

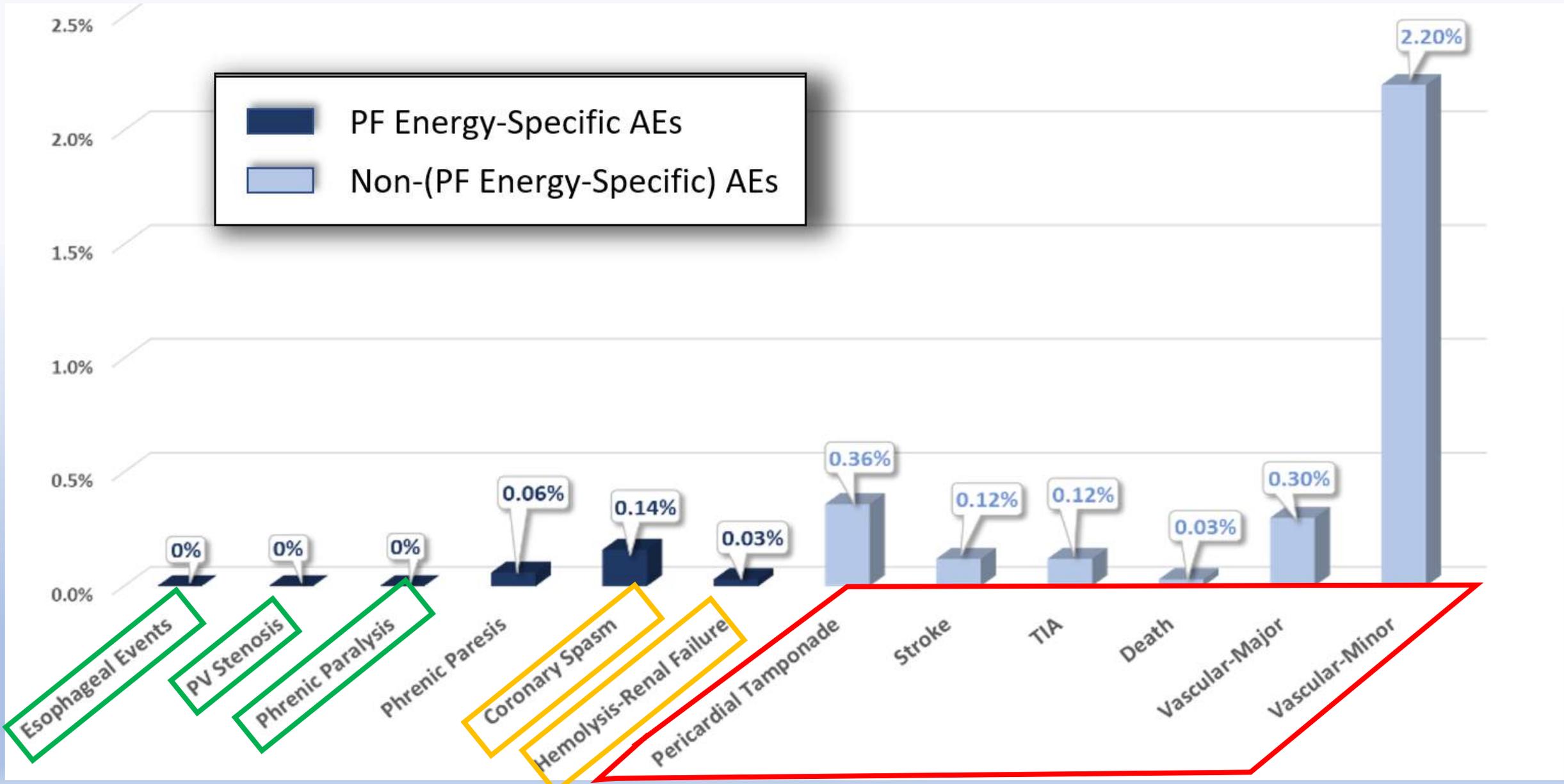


413 Operators



**17,642 Patients
(35% PersAF)**

PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE: SICUREZZA



PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE: SICUREZZA

META-ANALISI: CRIOABLAZIONE VS PFA

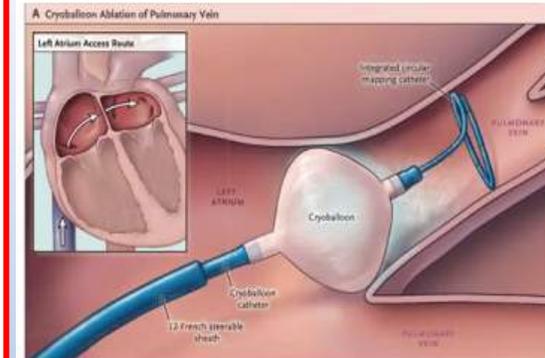
Comparative Safety of Pulsed Field Ablation and Cryoballoon Ablation Technologies for Pulmonary Vein Isolation in Patients with Paroxysmal Atrial Fibrillation: A Critical Literature Review and Indirect Treatment Comparison

Sonia Maccioni · Reecha Sharma · Donghyun D. Lee · Anja Haltner · Rahul Khanna · Johan Vijgen

497 PFA patients vs 1113 CRYO patients
With similar clinical characteristics

Table 4 Number of events for individual safety outcomes in pooled PFA and CBA trials

Events	Pulsed field ablation (n = 497 patients)	Cryoballoon ablation (n = 1113 patients)
Composite major adverse events	4	57
Cardiac perforation	0	NR
Cardiac tamponade	1	1
Pericardial effusion	1	6
Pericarditis	0	NR
Stroke or cerebrovascular accident (CVA)	1	1
Thromboembolism	0	NR
Transient ischemic attack (TIA)	0	2
Major vascular access complication / bleeding ^a	1	12
Myocardial Infarction	0	NR
Phrenic nerve paralysis	0	33
Atrio-esophageal (AE) fistula	0	0
Device- or procedure-related death	0	0
Pulmonary vein (PV) stenosis	0	2



Device	Trial name (NCT #) Author (Year)	Sample size (relevant arm)	Study design	Intervention	Comparator (control)	Follow-up
Pulsed field ablation	IsopIRE (Wave II) (NCT04524364) / IsopIRE (Wave I) Dreyeshaefer et al. (2023)	226	Prospective, multi-center, single-arm trial	VAREPULSE [®] Catheter and TRIPULSE [®] Generator, Biosense Webster	None	12 months
	IMPULSE / PEFCAT / PEFCAT II (NCT03700585 / NCT03734178 / NCT04170608)	121 (40/71/10)*	Prospective, multi-center, single-arm trial	Farapulse, Boston Scientific	None	12 months
	Reddy et al. (2021) PULSED AF (NCT04198701) / Verma et al. (2023)	150	Prospective, multi-center, single-arm trial	PulseSelect, Medtronic	None	12 months
Cryoballoon ablation	Cryo Versus RF (NCT01058115) / Hunter et al. (2015)	78	Prospective, single-center, randomized, controlled trial	Arctic Front [™] cryoballoon catheter, Medtronic	RFA	12 months
	SUPER (NCT01645917) / Reddy et al. (2015)	21	Prospective, single-center, single-arm trial	Arctic Front [™] cryoballoon catheter, Medtronic	None	3.4 (2.9-4.1) months Median (range)
	plusONE (NCT02789358) / Ferrero-de Loma-Ojea et al. (2017)	140	Prospective, multi-center, randomized, controlled trial	Arctic Front [™] cryoballoon catheter, Medtronic	CBA (new protocol)	12.29 (2.99) months, mean (SD)
	STOP AF PAS (NCT01456949) / Knight et al. (2019)	344	Prospective, multi-center, single-arm trial	Arctic Front [™] cryoballoon catheter, Medtronic	None	34.5 (7.4) months, mean (SD)
	FreezeAF (NCT00774566) / Luik et al. (2015)	156	Prospective, randomized, controlled, non-interventive study	Arctic Front [™] cryoballoon catheter, Medtronic	RFA	12 months
Fire and ice (NCT01490814) / Kuk et al. (2016)	374	Prospective, randomized, controlled trial	Arctic Front [™] cryoballoon catheter, Medtronic	RFA	18 months (mean); 35 months (maximum)	

Outcome

Differenza Significativa

Indirect comparison

PFA vs. CBA risk difference % (95% CI)

PFA vs. CBA risk ratio (95% CI)

Single-arm meta-analyses

PFA events % (95% CI) CBA events % (95% CI)

Composite of major adverse events (primary)

- 4.3 (- 5.8, - 2.8)

0.16 (0.07, 0.45)

0.4 (0.0, 1.3)

5.6 (2.6, 8.6)

Composite of prespecified adverse events (secondary)

- 2.5 (- 4.4, - 0.5)

0.53 (0.31, 0.96)

2.7 (1.2, 4.1)

5.8 (2.7, 9.0)

PERCHE' PVI NEI PERSISTENTI CON FARAPULSE: EFFICIENZA

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Pulsed Field Versus Cryoballoon Pulmonary Vein Isolation for Atrial Fibrillation: Efficacy, Safety, and Long-Term Follow-Up in a 400-Patient Cohort

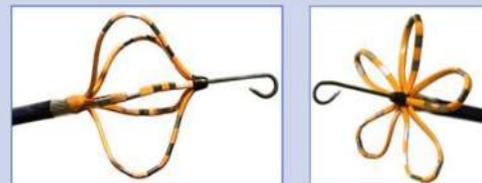
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Balanced Cohorts

Cryoballoon



Pulsed field ablation



Blanking period

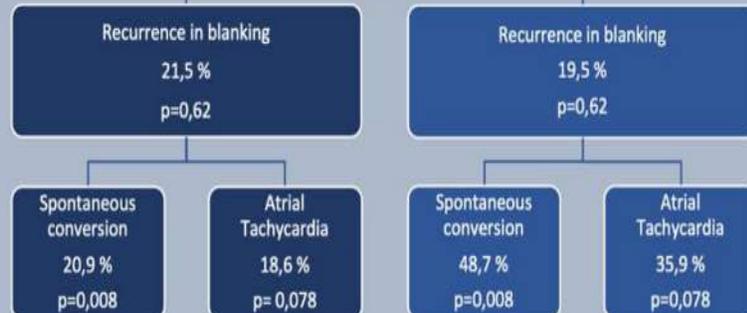
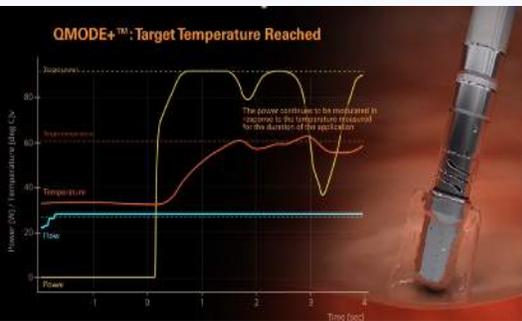


Table 2. Procedural Data

Procedural data	CB (n=200)	PFA (n=200)	P value
Procedural time, min	50 (45–60)	34.5 (29–40)	<0.001
Fluoroscopy time, min	6.9 (5.5–8.8)	7.1 (5.5–8.9)	0.958
Fluoroscopy dose, uGym ²	491 (292–874)	414.5 (263–712)	0.058
PVs identified	783	787	
PVs acutely isolated with CB/PFA	779/783 (99.5%)	787/787 (100%)	0.062
CTI ablation	3/200 (1.5%)	3/200 (1.5%)	

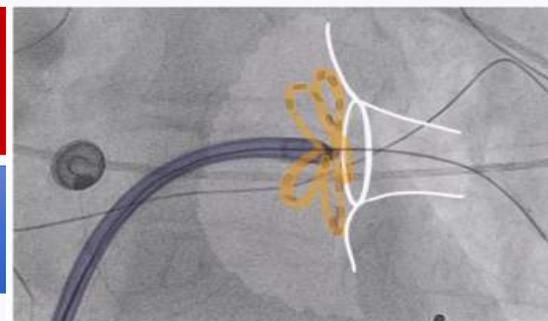
Table 3. Procedural Complications

Procedural complications	CB (n=200)	PFA (n=200)	P value
Complications at access site	7 (3.5%)	5 (2.5%)	0.558
Persistent PNP	3 (1.5%)	0	0.248
Tamponade	0	1 (0.5%)	
Stroke or TIA	1 (0.5%)	0	
Esophageal injury	1 (0.5%)	0	
Hemoptysis	1 (0.5%)	0	
Total	13 (6.5%)	6 (3.0%)	0.1



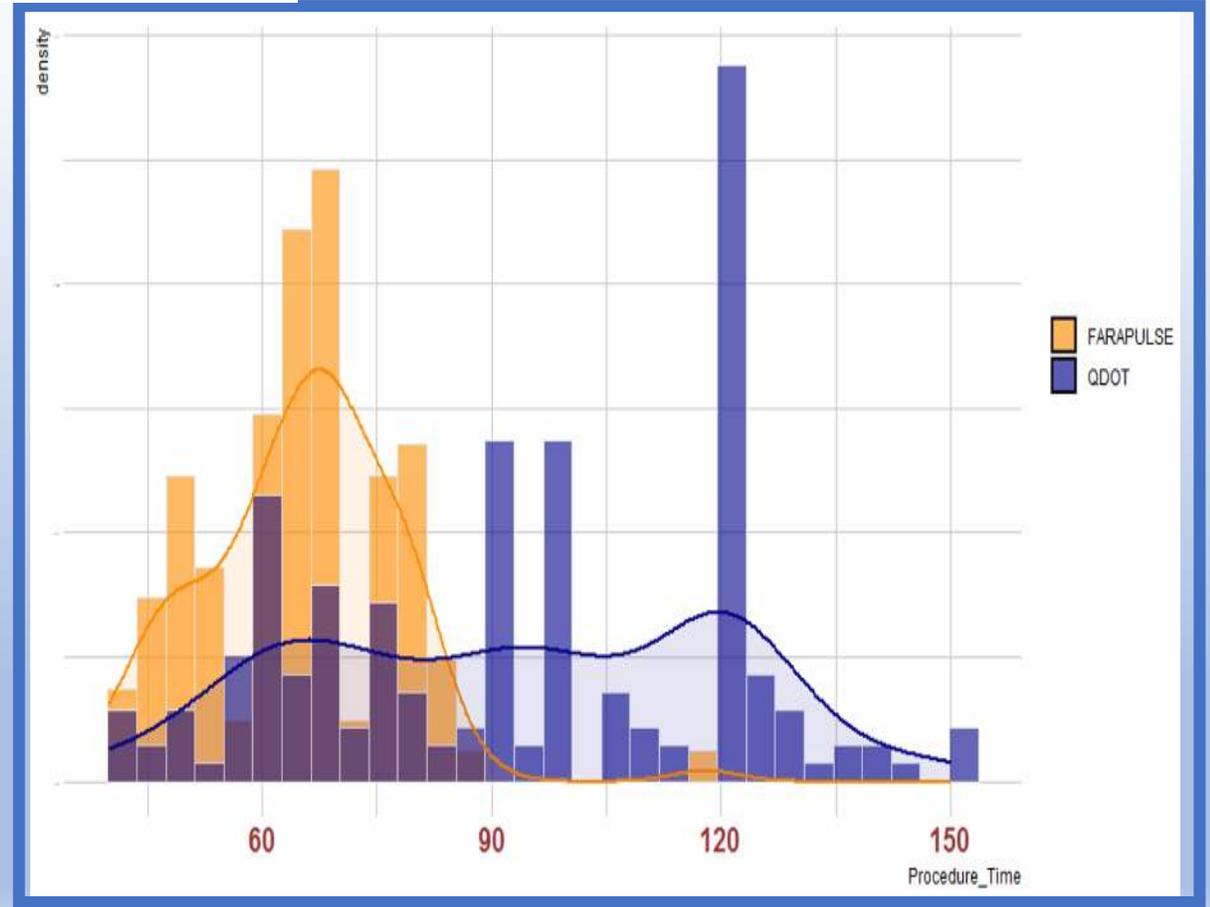
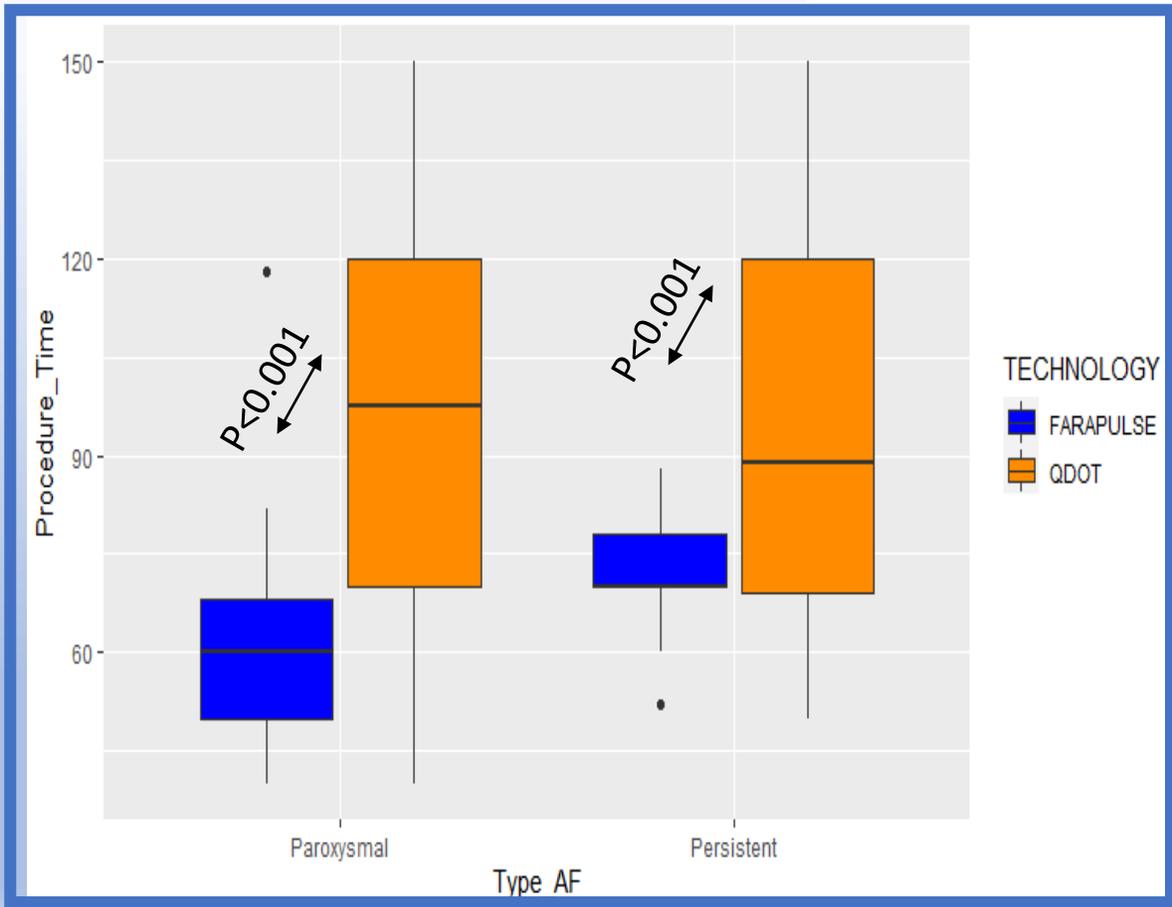
90 W/4s VS FARAPULSE:IN REVIEW

PROCEDURE TIME



Pulsed Field versus Very-High Power Short Duration Radiofrequency Ablation for Atrial Fibrillation: Results of a Multicenter, Real-World Experience

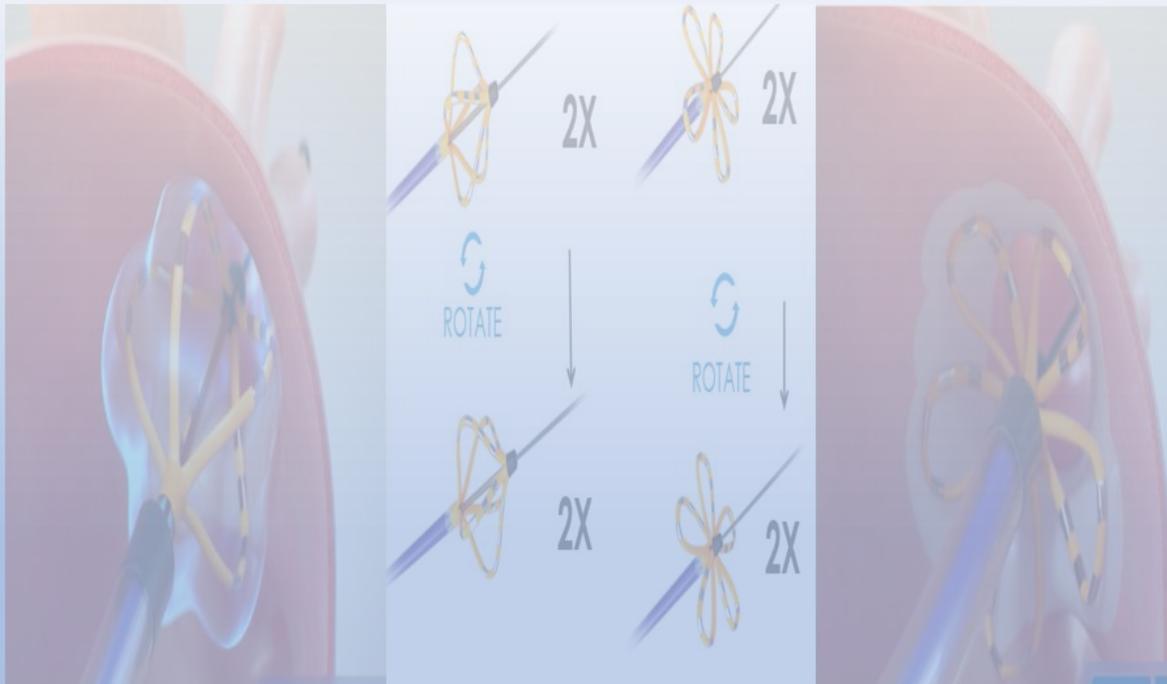
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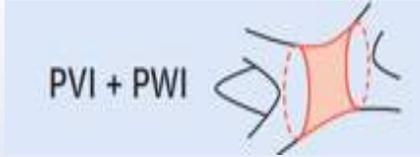


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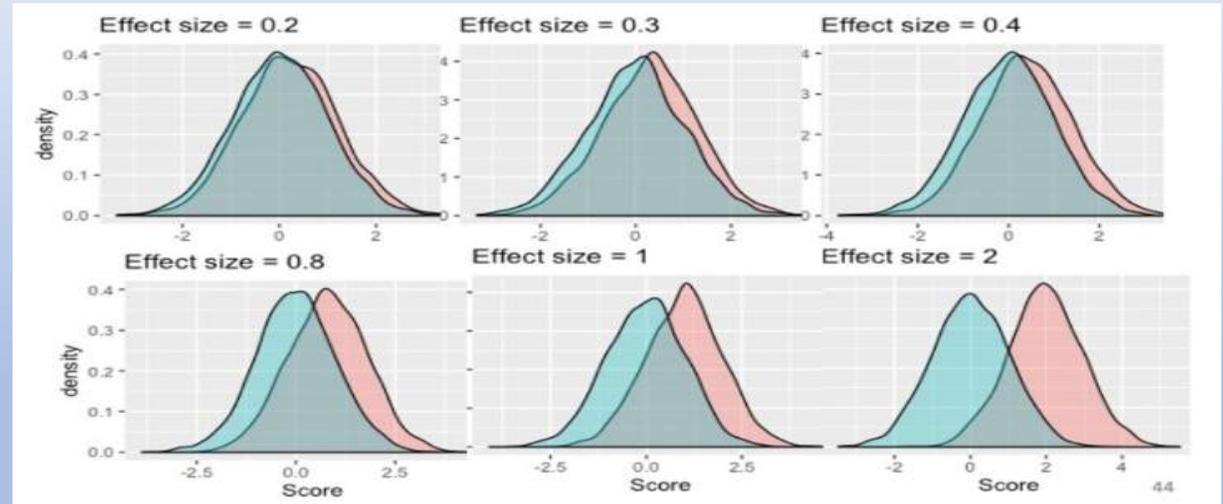
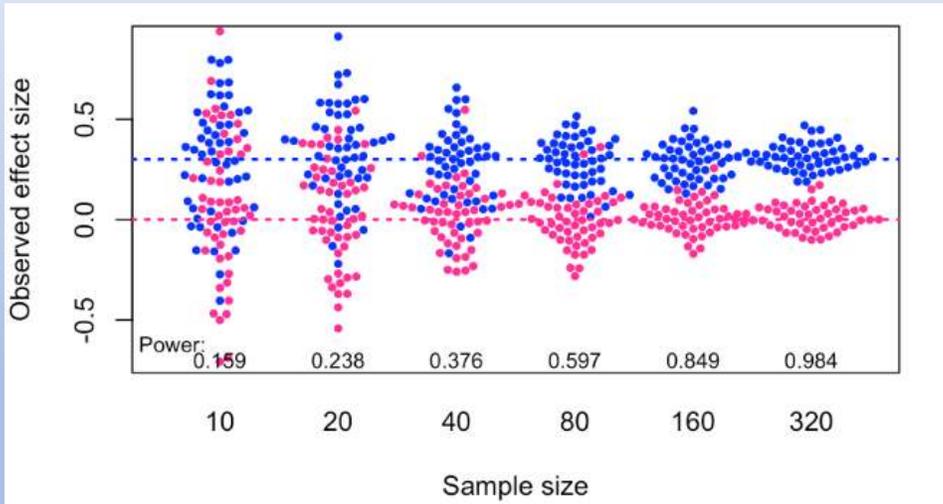
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**META-ANALISI TENDONO
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ESISTE UNA PROBLEMATICHE NELLA DEFINIZIONE DELLA NUMEROSITA' CAMPIONARIA E DELL'EFFETTO ATTESO?

L'ISOLAMENTO DELLA PARETE POSTERIORE NEI PERSISTENTI: CAPLA

LA DIMENSIONE CAMPIONARIA E LA STIMA DELL'EFFETTO SONO ' IMPORTANTI NEGLI STUDI SULLA PARETE POSTERIORE

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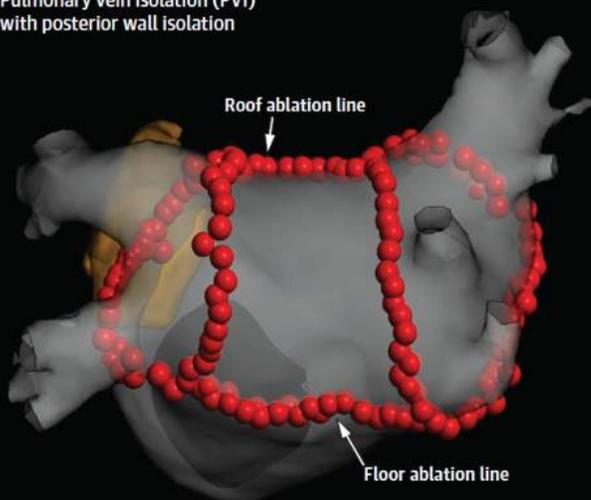
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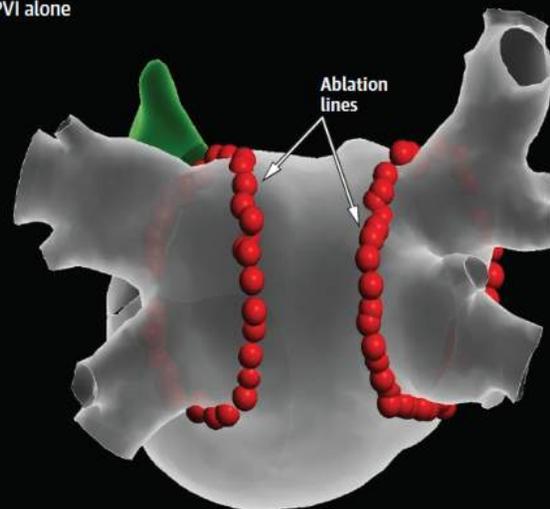
EFFETTO STIMATO: 15%

NUMEROSITA' NECESSARIA: 338

A Pulmonary vein isolation (PVI) with posterior wall isolation



B PVI alone



Statistical Analysis

Sample size calculation was based on prior studies which reported a single-procedure success rate of 60% with PVI alone.⁸ An incremental benefit of 15% from adding PWI was assumed based on findings from an observational study by O'Neill et al,¹⁴ which reported a 75% success rate from PWI. Based on this, 152 participants were needed in each group to reject the null hypothesis that the success rates for experimental and control participants were equal, with a power of 80% and type I error probability (2-sided) of .05. To account for a possible 10% participant dropout, 169 participants in each group were needed, resulting in a total sample size of 338.

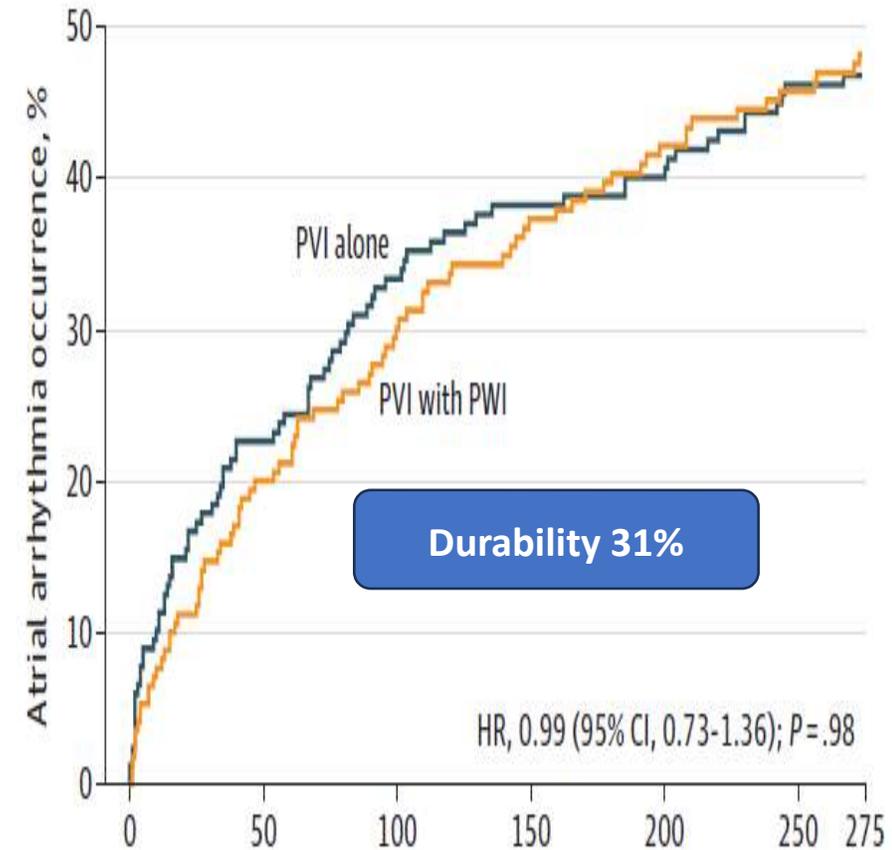
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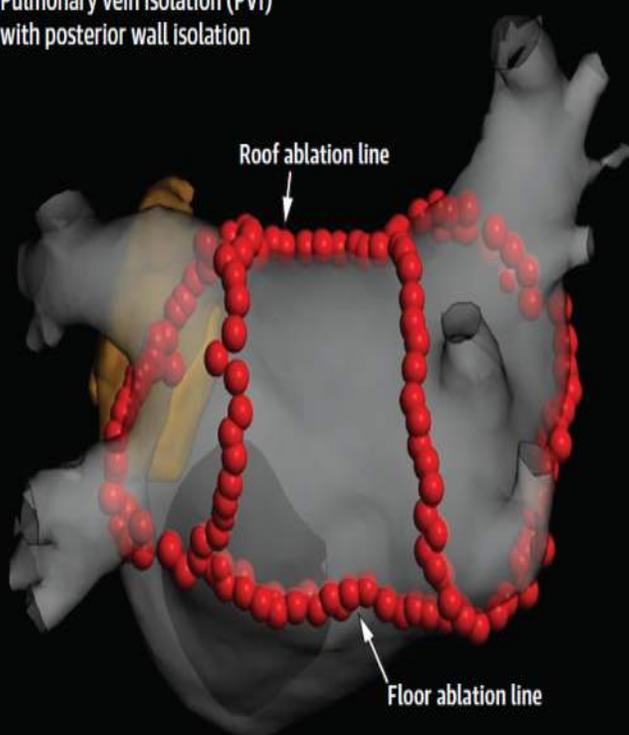
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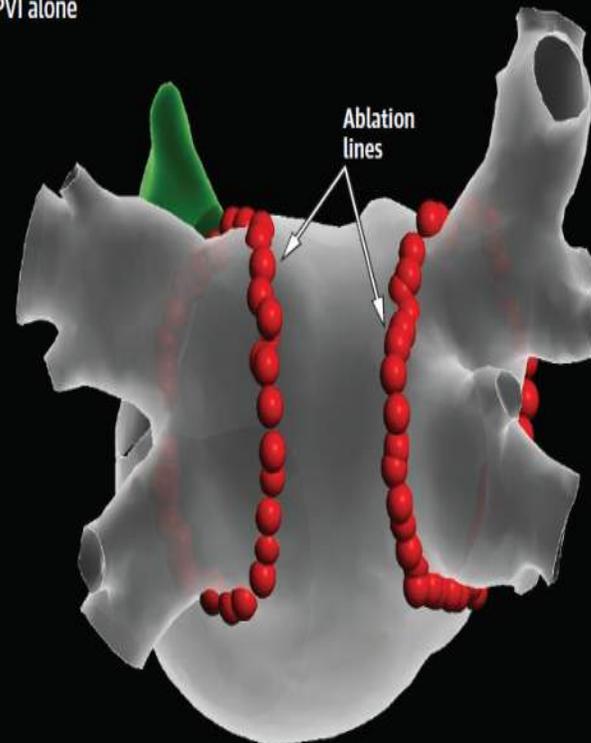
Figure 3. Any Atrial Arrhythmia Recurrence, Without Antiarrhythmic Medication, After a Single Ablation Procedure



A Pulmonary vein isolation (PVI) with posterior wall isolation



B PVI alone



EVIDENZE DALLE METAANALISI SU MIGLIAIA DI PAZIENTI

Adjunctive Left Atrial Posterior Wall Isolation in Treating Atrial Fibrillation

Insight From a Large Secondary Analysis

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Pooled Analysis:

3,287 AF patients

Age 61.7 ± 10.8 yrs

22.6% Par-AF

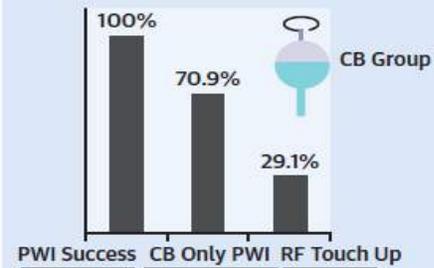
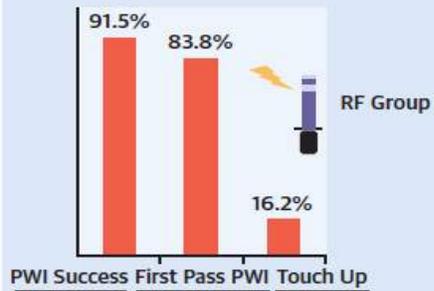
77.4% Per-AF

LVEF: $57.8 \pm 10.8\%$

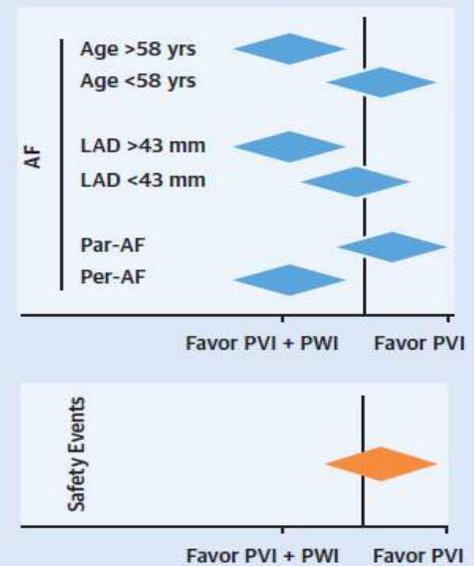
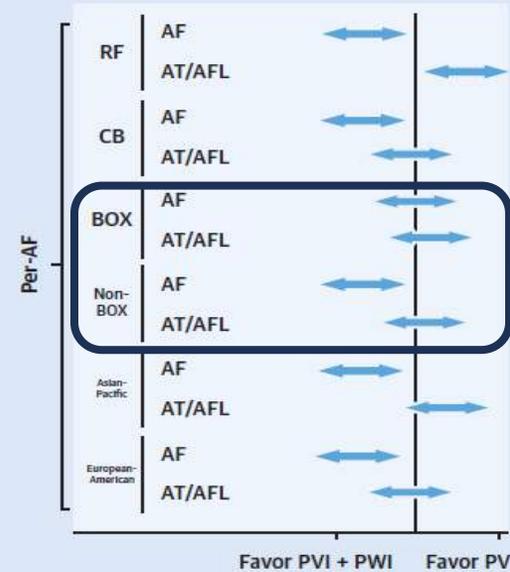
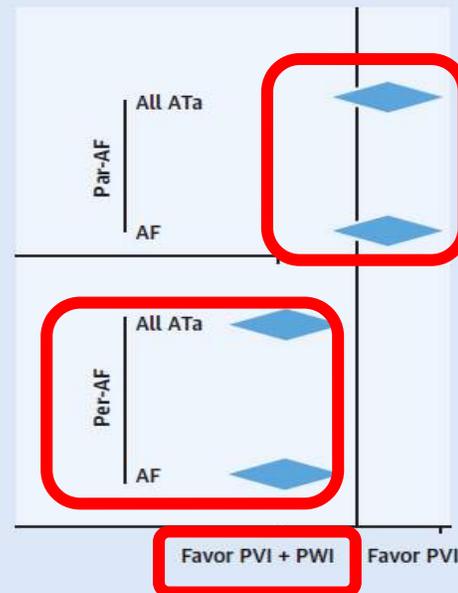
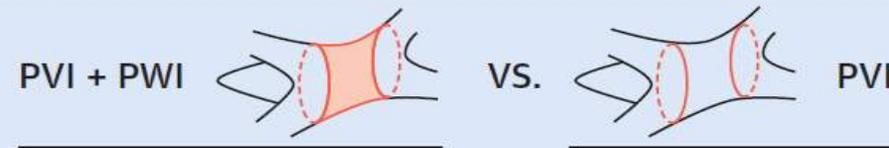
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FU: 15.2 ± 8.4 M

Demographic Character



Overall Procedural Success of PWI 92.8%



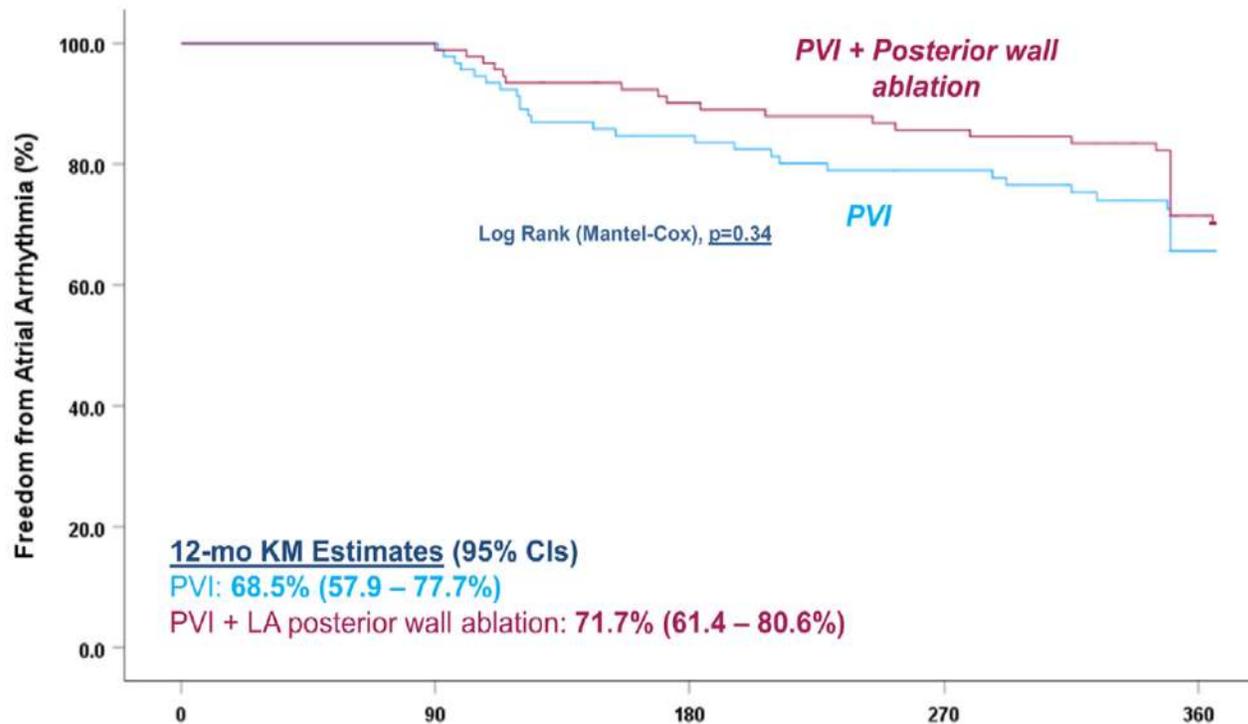
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PVI vs PVI e Parete Posteriore con PFA

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FIGURE 4 Primary Effectiveness Outcome in the Propensity-Matched Cohort



Propensity Score Matching

91 pazienti PVI
Vs
91 Pazienti PVI + parete posteriore

Nessun protocollo condiviso per effettuare e verificare l'isolamento della parete posteriore

Benefici dell'isolamento della parete posteriore in specifici casi

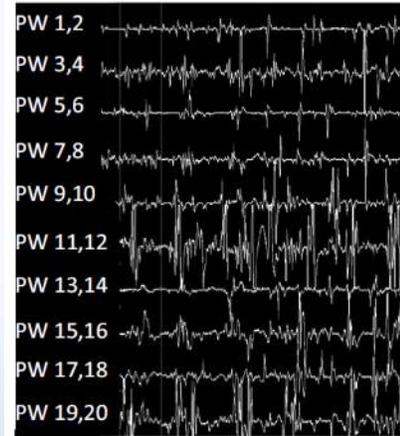
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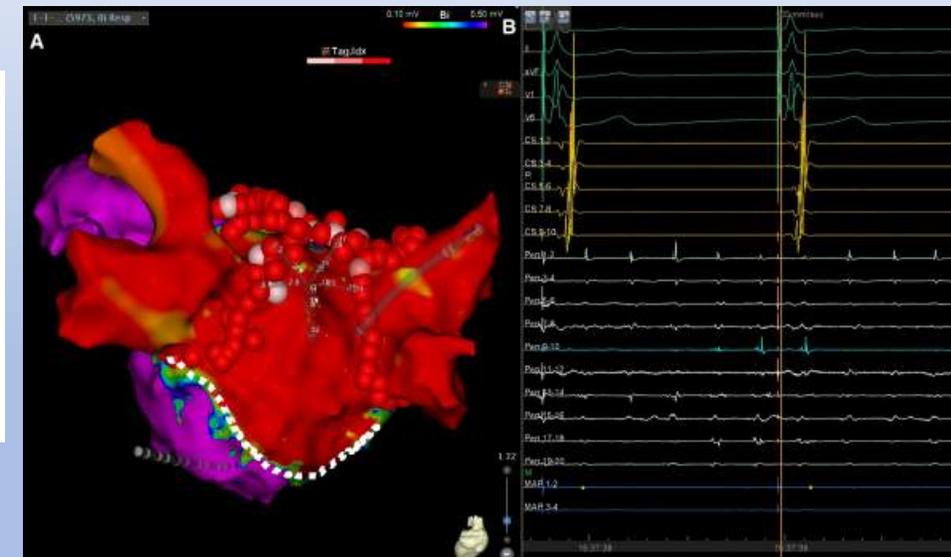
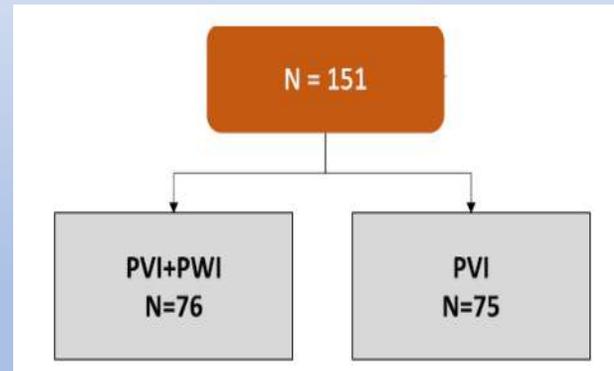
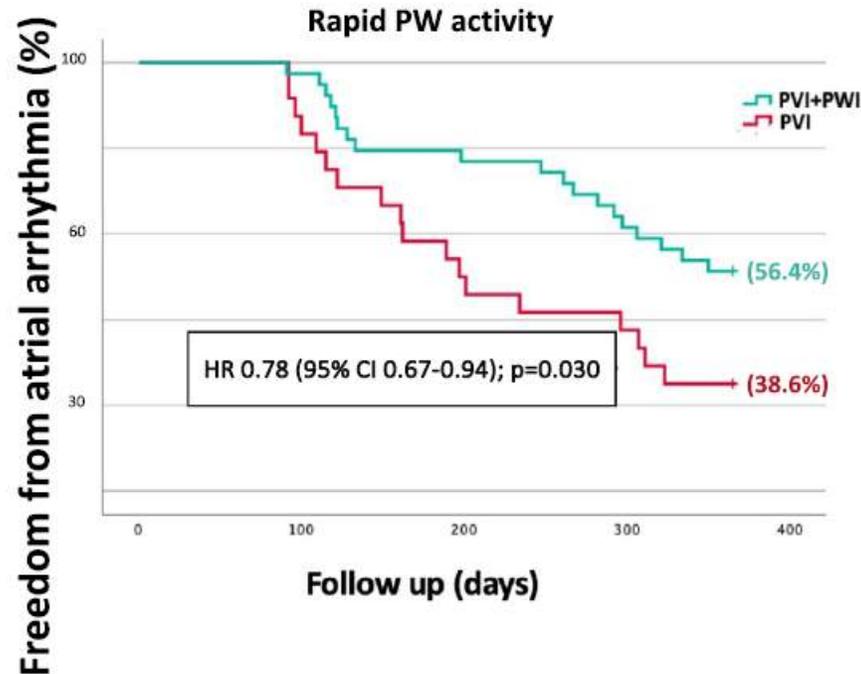
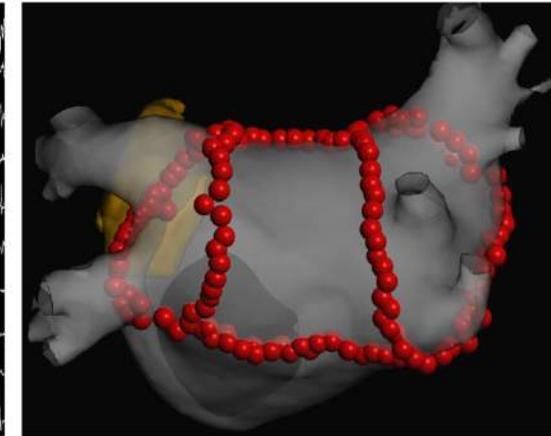
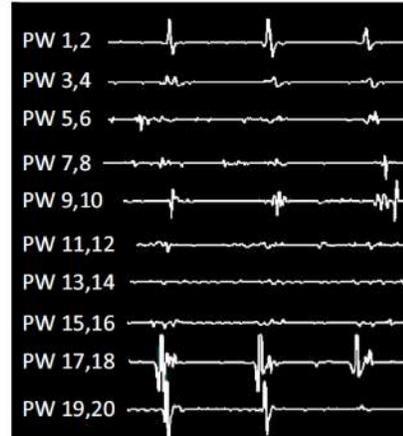
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Rapid posterior wall activity



Slower posterior wall activity



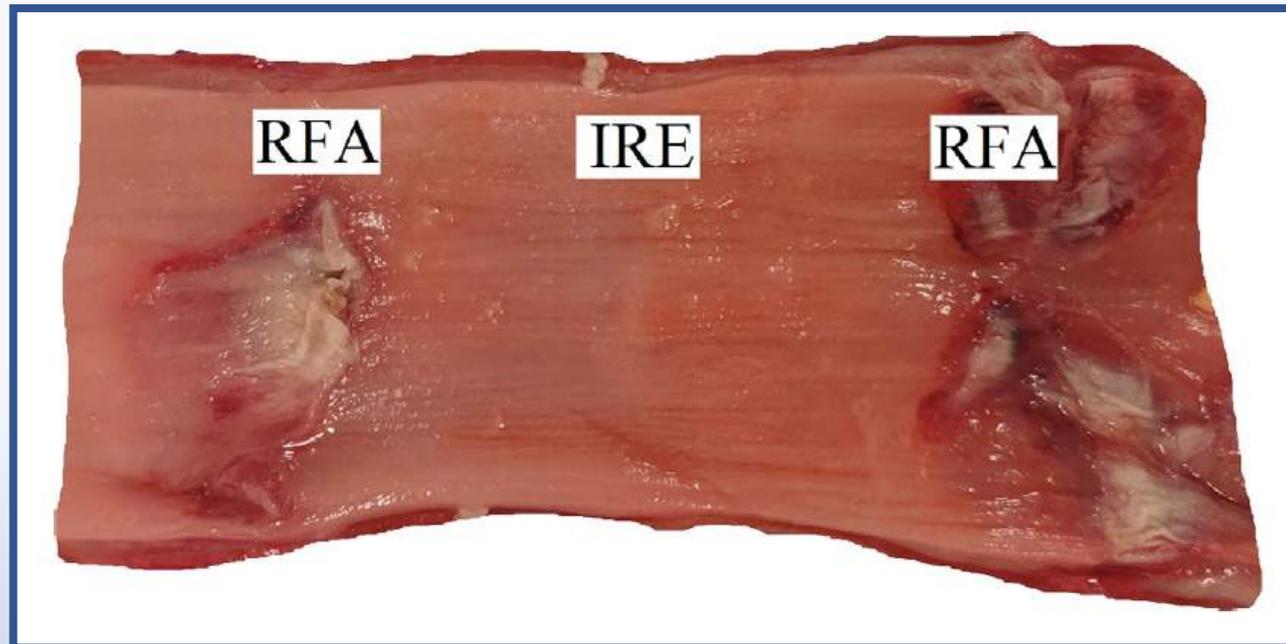
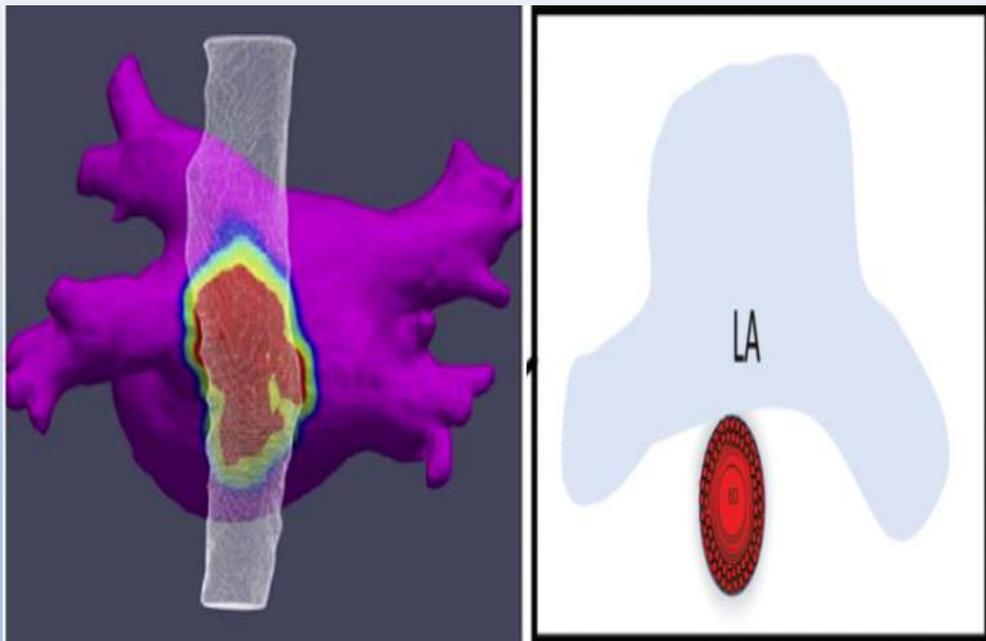
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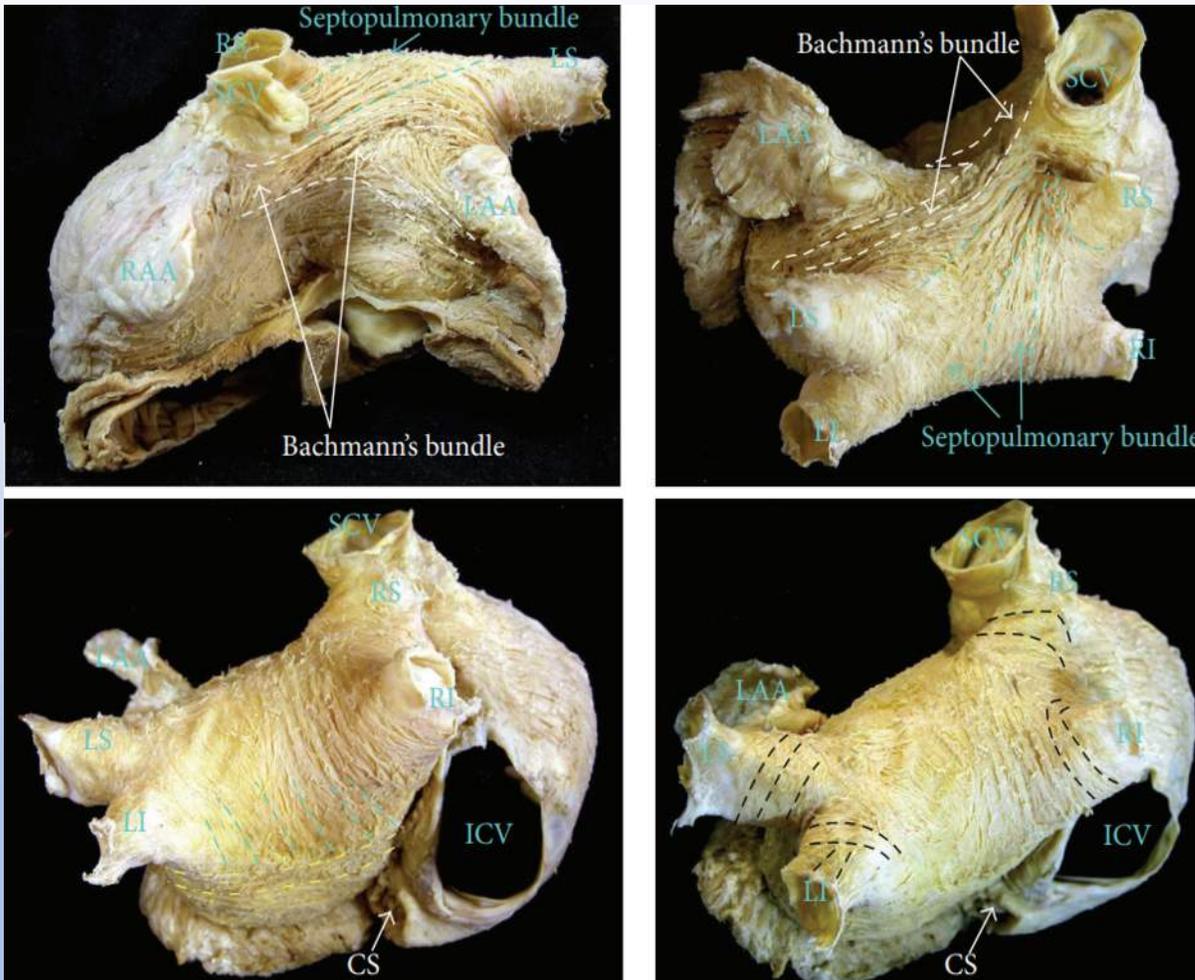


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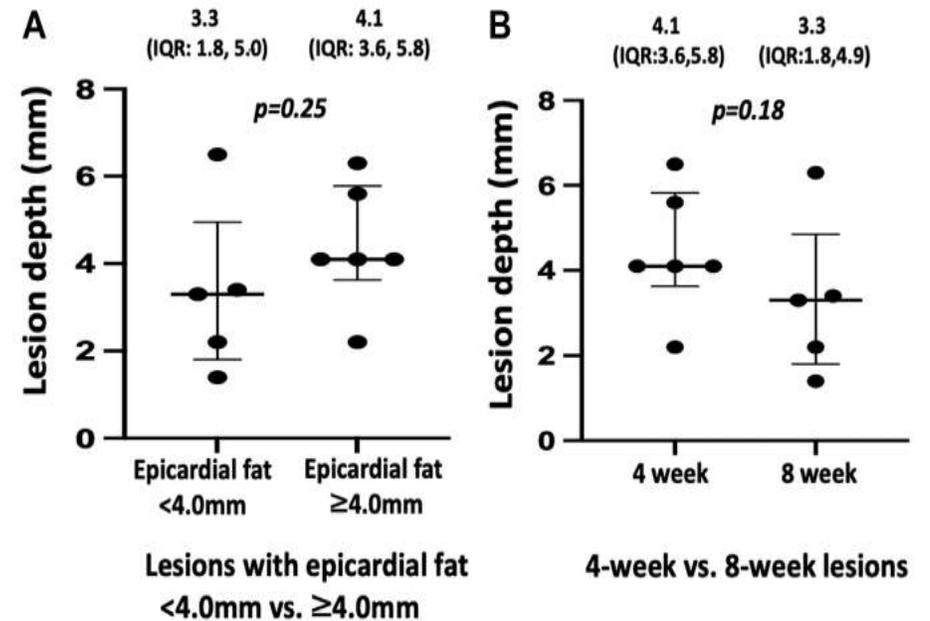
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LA PFA RIESCE A CREARE LESIONE OLTRE STRATI ADIPOSI

FIGURE 5 Epicardial PFA Lesion Depth



Epicardial pulsed field ablation (PFA) lesion depth sorted by (A) lesions with epicardial adipose tissue <4.0 mm versus ≥4.0 mm and (B) lesions at the 4- and 8-week time points.

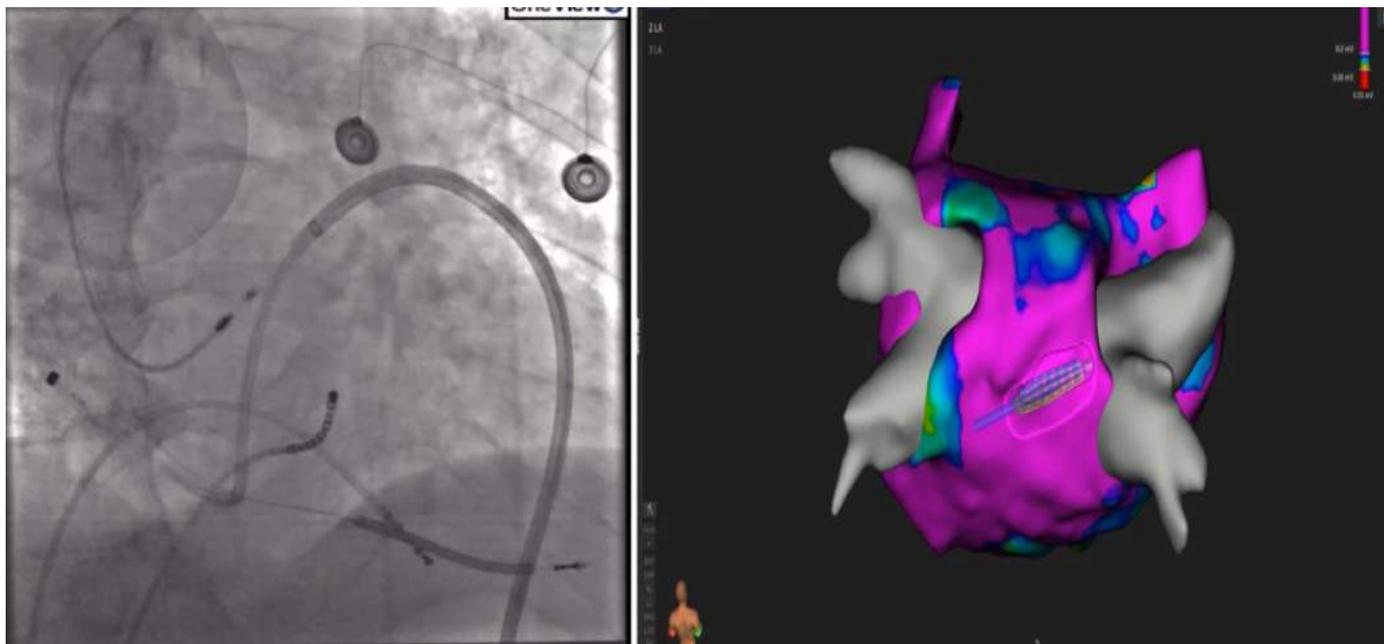
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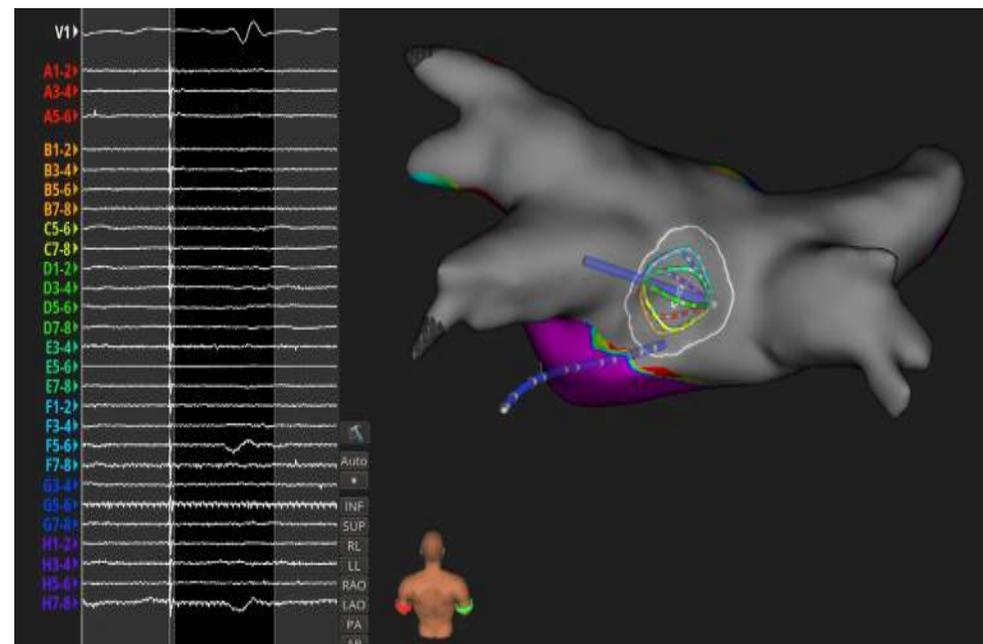
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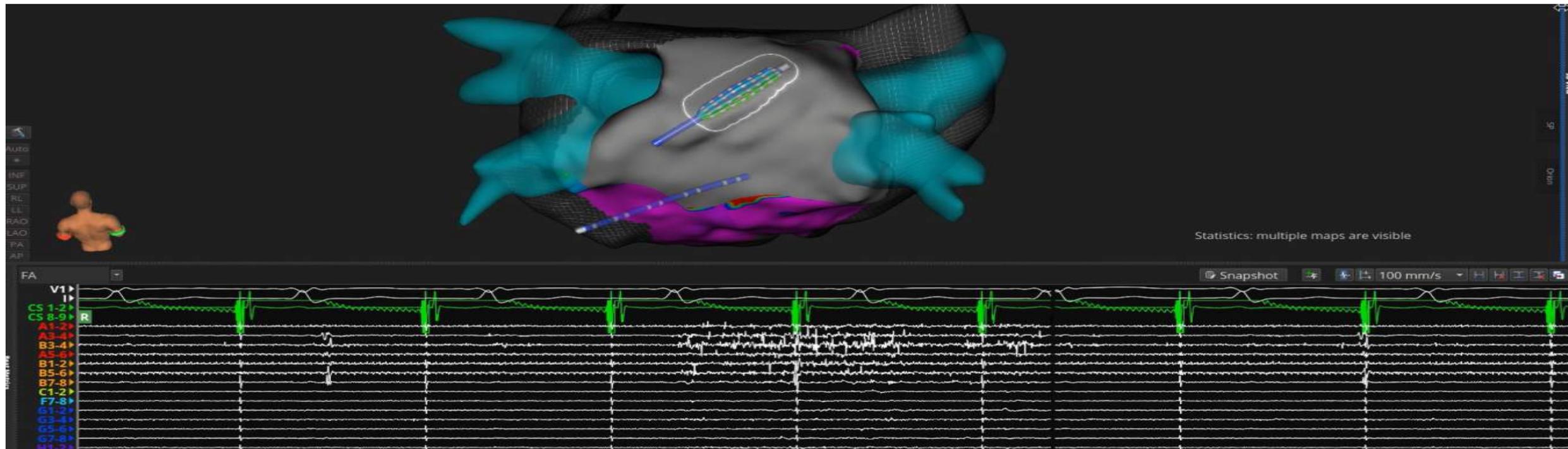


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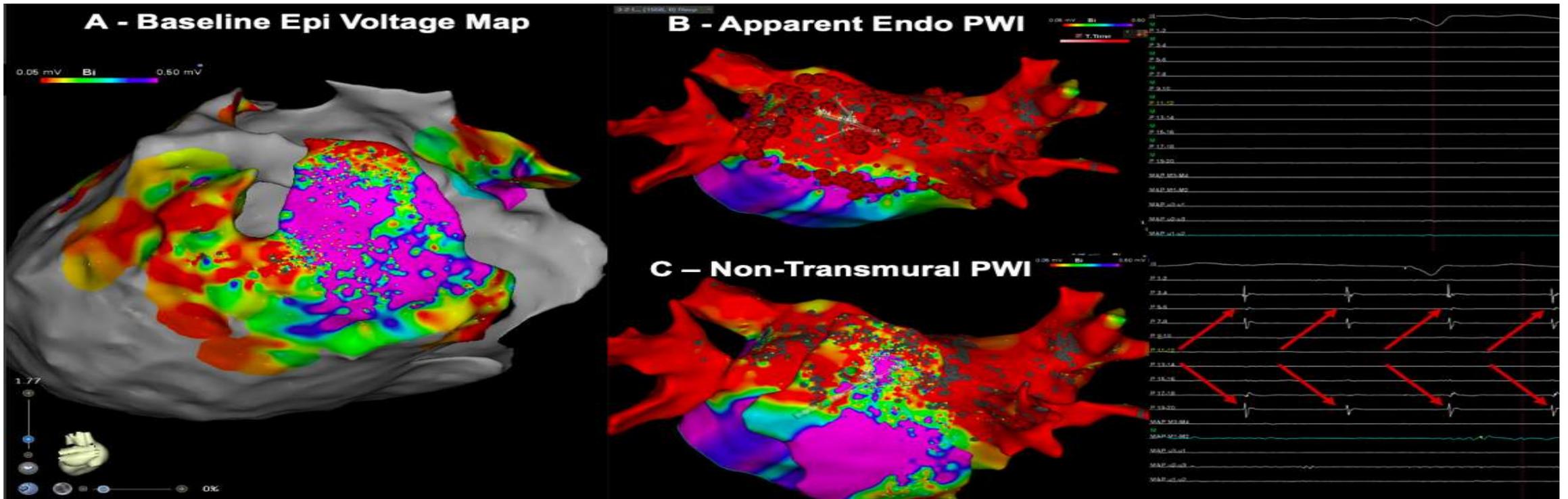


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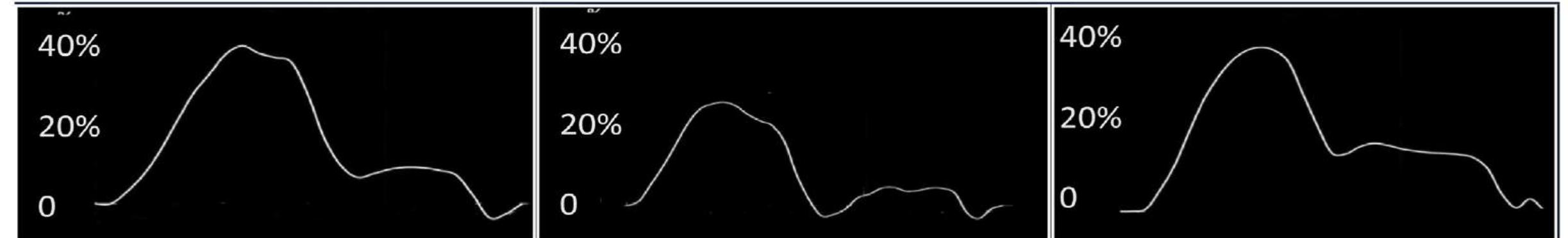
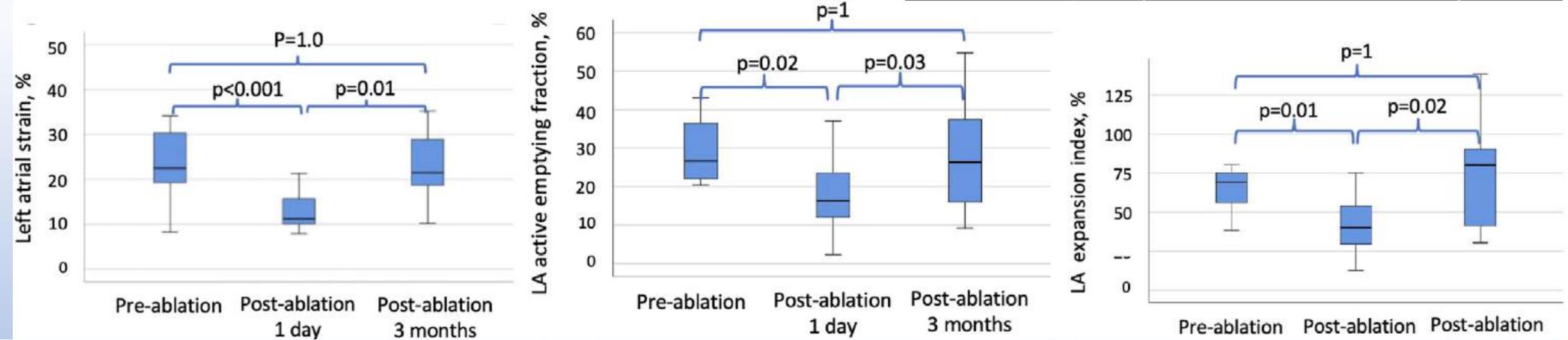
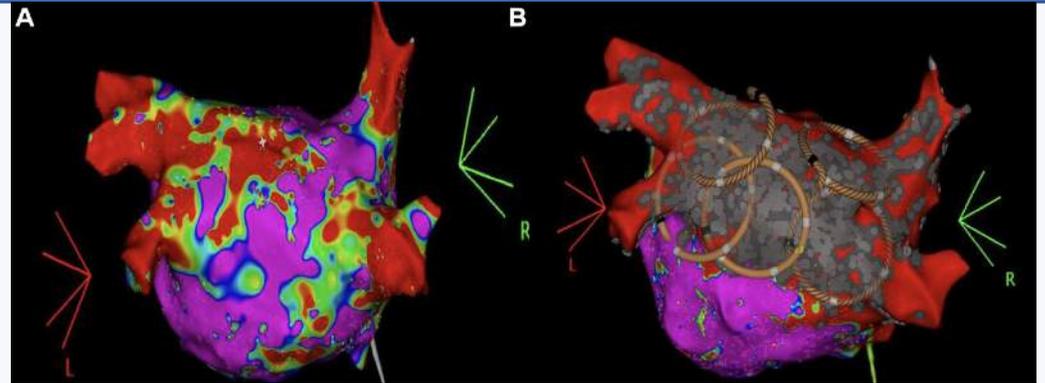
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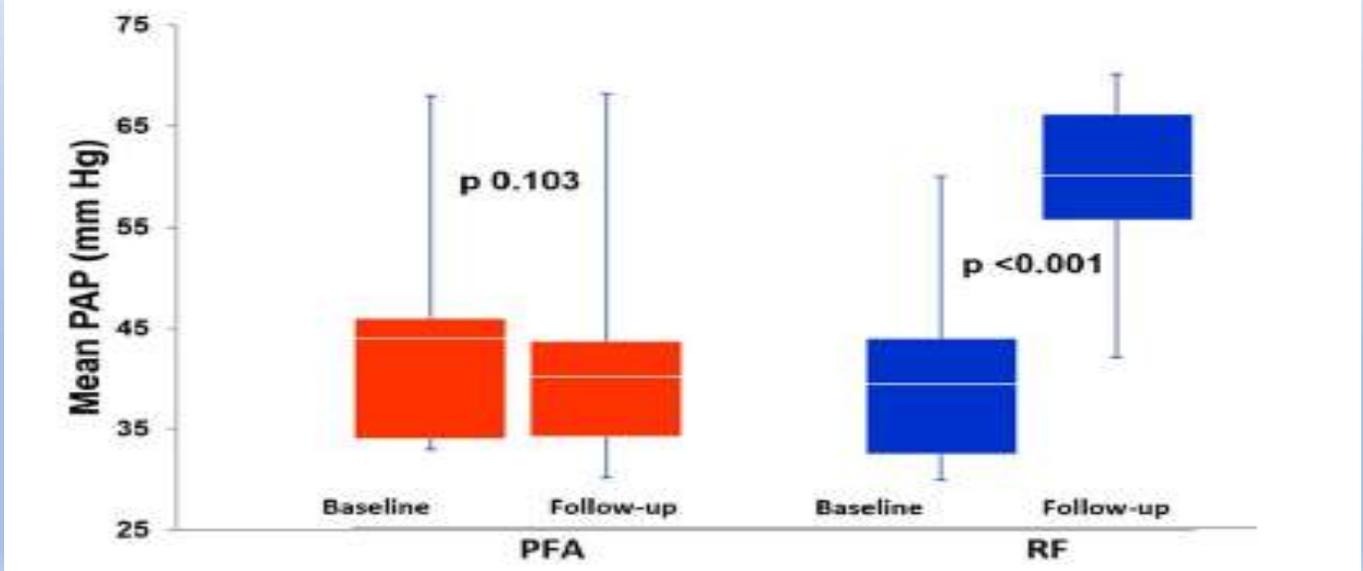
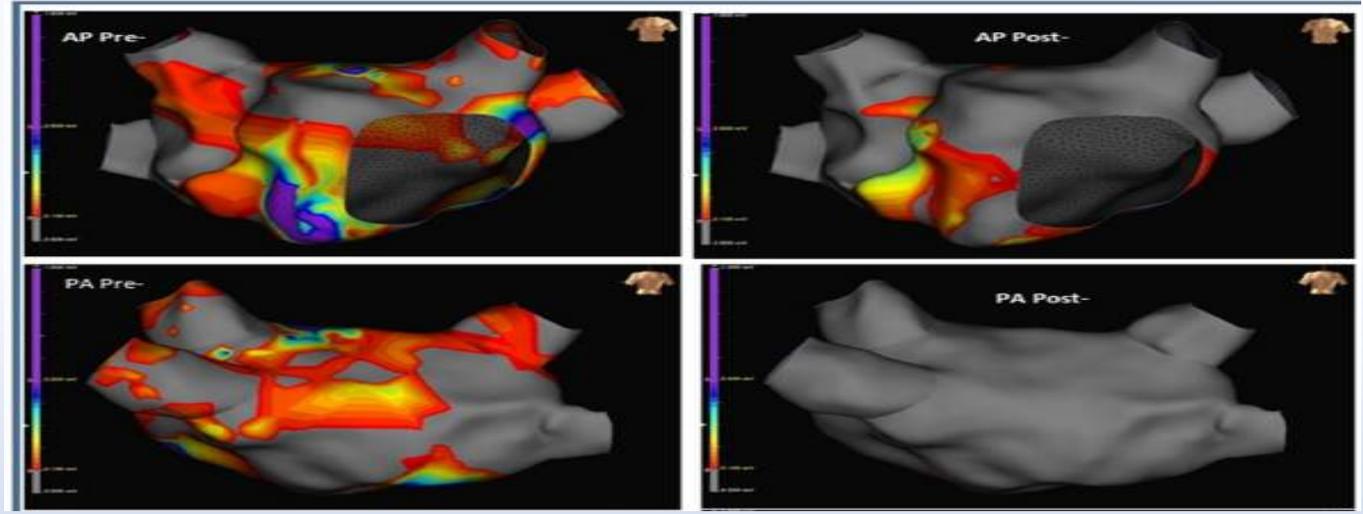
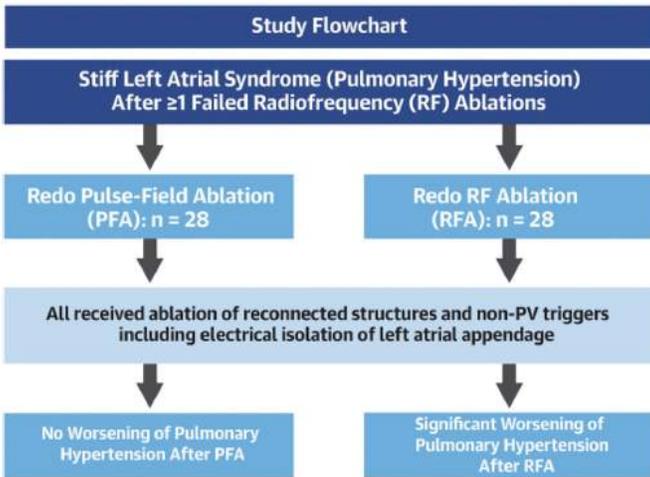
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28 RF vs 28 PFA propensity score matched

All patients redo after 1 RF with pulmonary hypertension (PAP>20mmHg)

CONCLUSIONI

LA PFA E' UNA TECNICA SICURA EFFICACE ED EFFICIENTE PER L'ABLAZIONE DELLA FA Persistene

NELL'ISOLAMENTO DELLE VENE, LA PFA CONSENTE DI OTTENERE UN LIVELLO ANTRALE DELLA LESIONE SENZA RISCHI PER LA SICUREZZA E CON UN TEMPO PIU' RAPIDO DELL'ENERGIA TEMICA

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