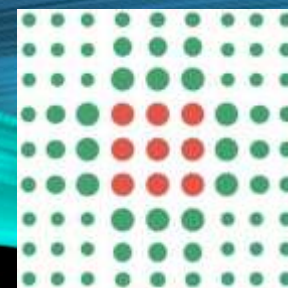


LA TERAPIA CHIRURGICA DELLE **VALVULOPATIE** NEL PAZIENTE CON **INSUFFICIENZA CARDIACA**

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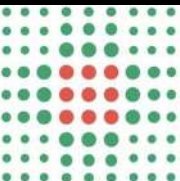
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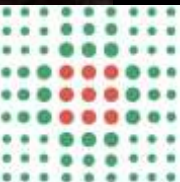
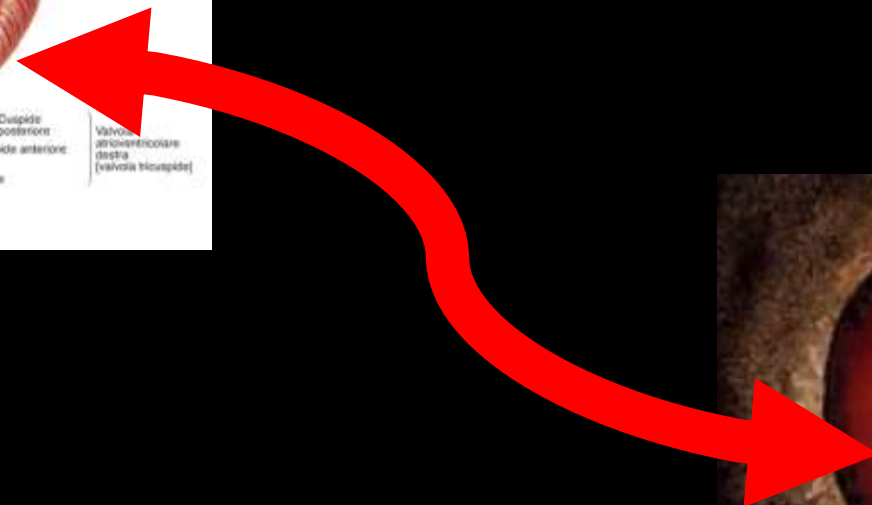
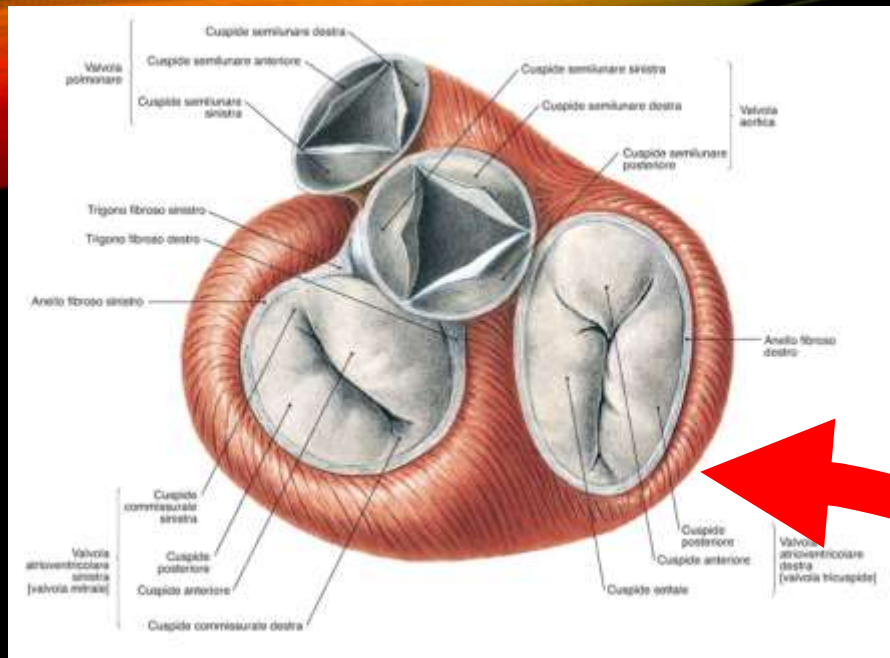
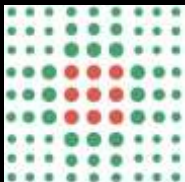
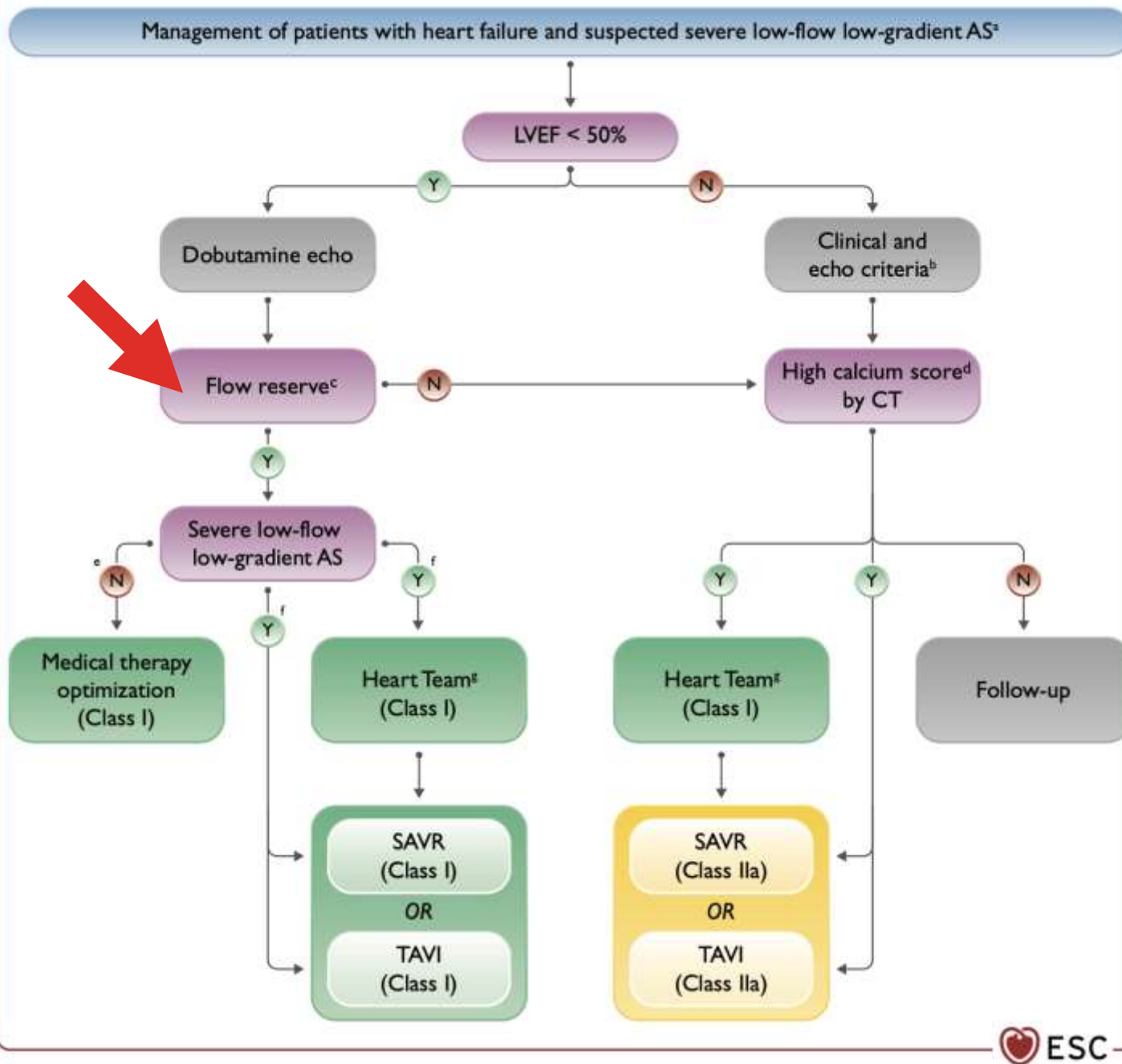


Table 5 Causes of heart failure, common modes of presentation and specific investigations

Cause	Examples of presentations	Specific investigations
CAD	Myocardial infarction Angina or "angina-equivalent" Arrhythmias	Invasive coronary angiography CT coronary angiography Imaging stress tests (echo, nuclear, CMR)
Hypertension	Heart failure with preserved systolic function Malignant hypertension/acute pulmonary oedema	24 h ambulatory BP Plasma metanephrines, renal artery imaging Renin and aldosterone
Valve disease	Primary valve disease e.g., aortic stenosis Secondary valve disease, e.g. functional regurgitation Congenital valve disease	Echo – transoesophageal/stress
Arrhythmias	Atrial tachyarrhythmias Ventricular arrhythmias	Ambulatory ECG recording Electrophysiology study, if indicated
CMPs	All Dilated Hypertrophic Restrictive ARVC Peripartum Takotsubo syndrome Toxins: alcohol, cocaine, iron, copper	CMR, genetic testing Right and left heart catheterization CMR, angiography Trace elements, toxicology, LFTs, GGT
Congenital heart disease	Congenitally corrected/repai red transposition of great arteries Shunt lesions Repaired tetralogy of Fallot Ebstein's anomaly	CMR
Infective	Viral myocarditis Chagas disease HIV Lyme disease	CMR, EMB Serology



Aortic Stenosis (and Aortic Regurgitation)



Recommendations

Class^a

Level^b

Aortic stenosis

Aortic valve intervention, TAVI or SAVR, is recommended in patients with HF and severe high-gradient aortic stenosis to reduce mortality and improve symptoms.⁵⁹⁴

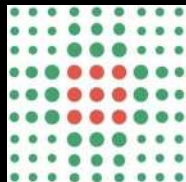
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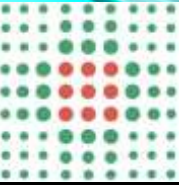
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It is recommended that the choice between TAVI and SAVR be made by the Heart Team, according to individual patient preference and features including age, surgical risk, clinical, anatomical and procedural aspects, weighing the risks and benefits of each approach.⁵⁹²

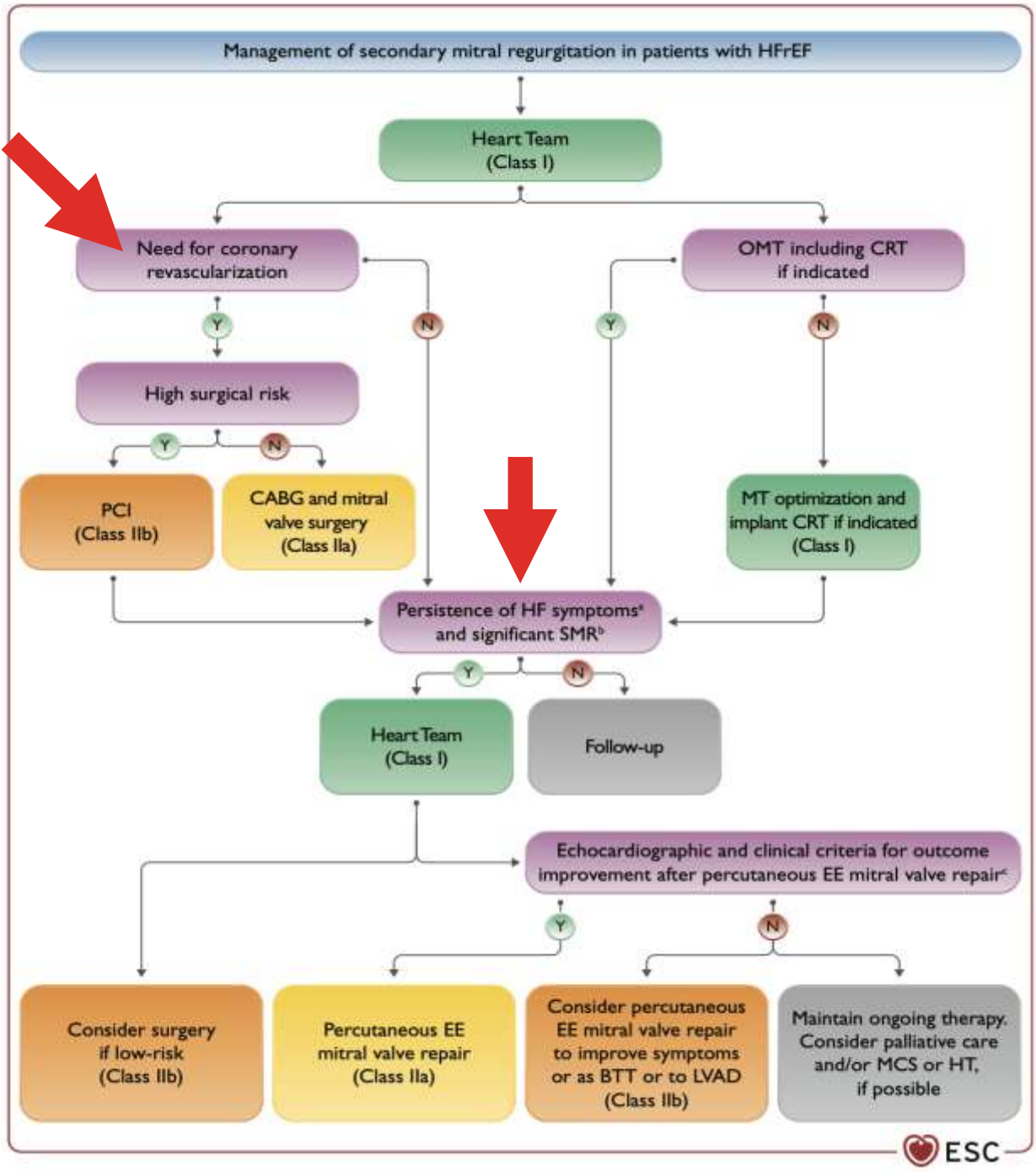
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Functional Mitral Regurgitation



Secondary mitral regurgitation		
Percutaneous edge-to-edge mitral valve repair should be considered in carefully selected patients with secondary mitral regurgitation, not eligible for surgery and not needing coronary revascularization, who are symptomatic ^c despite OMT and who fulfil criteria ^d for achieving a reduction in HF hospitalizations. ⁶¹²	IIa	B
In patients with HF, severe secondary mitral regurgitation and CAD who need revascularization, CABG and mitral valve surgery should be considered.	IIa	C
Percutaneous edge-to-edge mitral valve repair may be considered to improve symptoms in carefully selected patients with secondary mitral regurgitation, not eligible for surgery and not needing coronary revascularization, highly symptomatic despite OMT and who do not fulfil criteria for reducing HF hospitalization. ⁶¹⁷	IIb	C

OPZIONI CHIRURGICHE NEL PAZIENTE CON VALVULOPATIA E INSUFFICIENZA CARDIACA

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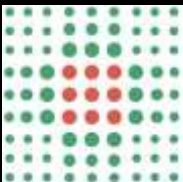
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- TAVI-TA / TAVI-TF

INSUFFICIENZA AORTICA:

- SOSTITUZIONE VALVOLARE AORTICA IN CEC
- TAVI-TA / TAVI-TF

INSUFFICIENZA MITRALICA FUNZIONALE:

- ANNULOPLASTICA STANDING ALONE
- RIAPPROSSIMAZIONE DEI MUSCOLI PAPILLARI (PP MM SLING) + ANNULOPLASTICA
- RIVASCOLARIZZAZIONE (SE NECESSARIA) + MITRAL VALVE SURGERY
- EDGE-TO-EDGE PERCUTANEA (MITRACLIP – PASCAL – ETC)



Normal left ventricle,
left atrium and mitral valve

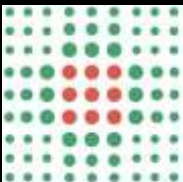


Cardiomyopathy:
left ventricular dilation/dysfunction
and left atrial enlargement with
mitral regurgitation

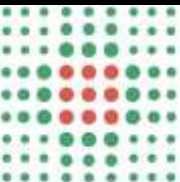
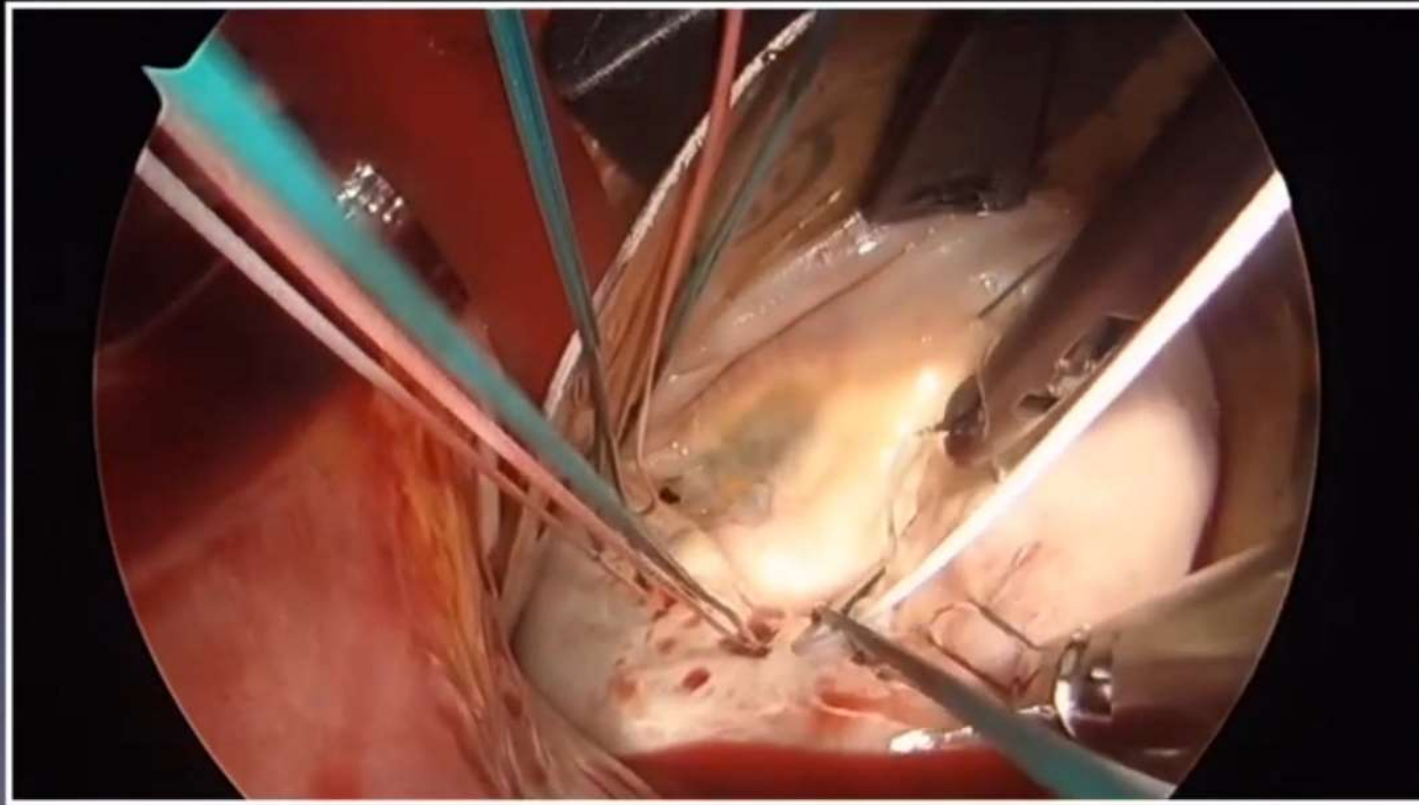


- Changes in left ventricular geometry
- Dyssynchrony of contraction
- Papillary muscle displacement/dysfunction
- Distortion of the subvalvular mitral apparatus
- Annular dilation?
- Atrial fibrillation

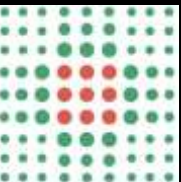
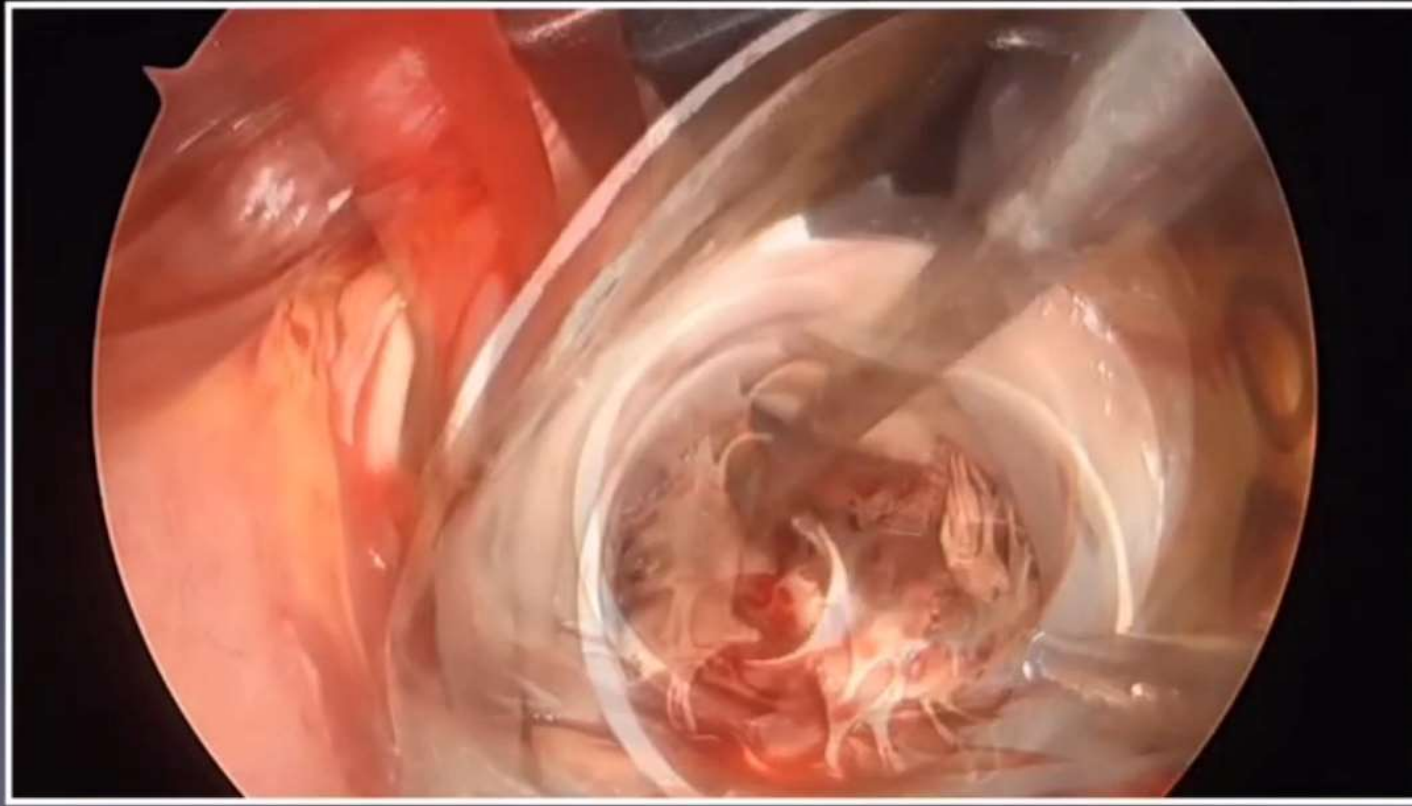
Fig. 1. Mechanisms of mitral regurgitation in ischemic and nonischemic cardiomyopathy.
Modified from Ref. [1].




ANNULOPLASTICA



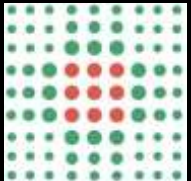
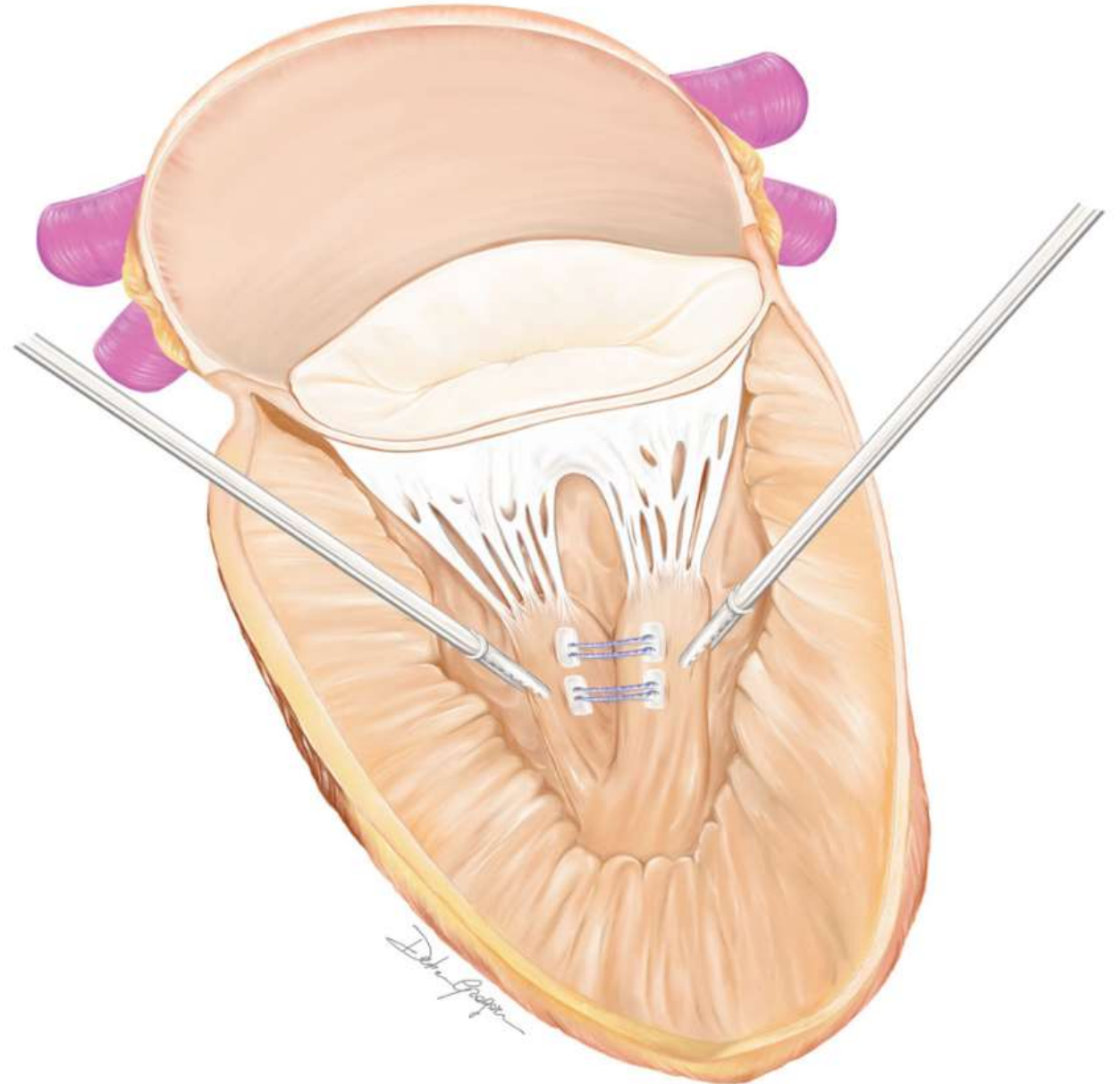
SLING DEI PAPILLARI



Subannular procedures on papillary muscle mitral valve regurgitation repair

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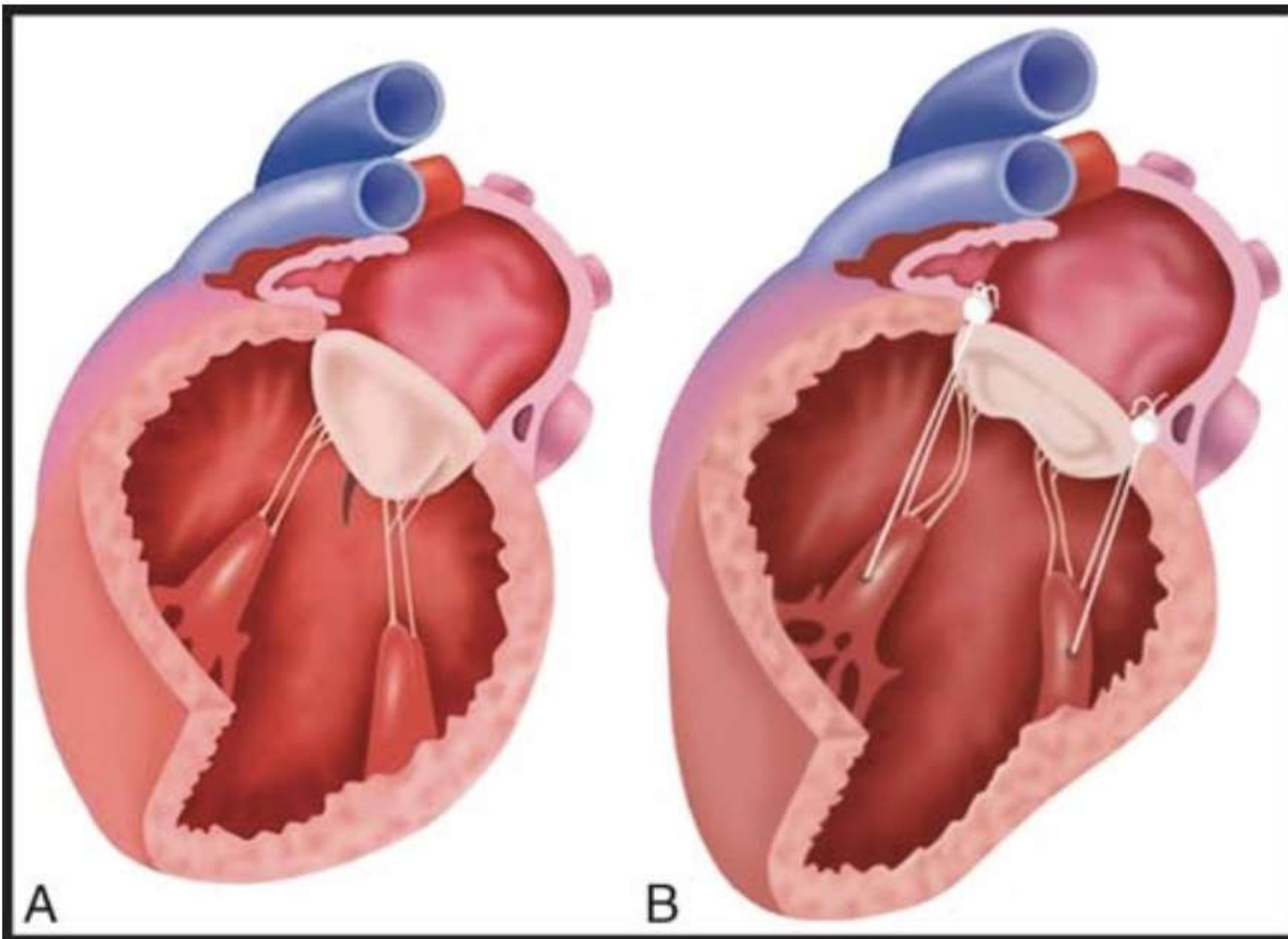
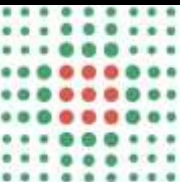


FIGURE 1. A and B, Placement of papillary muscle realignment sutures through the posteromedial papillary muscle (A) and through the posterior mitral annulus, in the P3 segment (B).

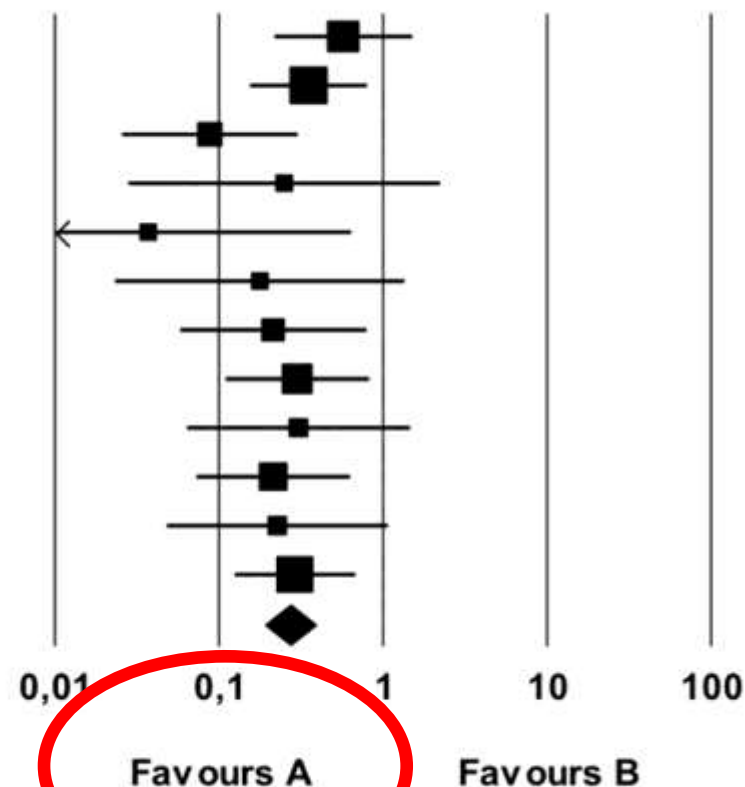


ORIGINAL RESEARCH ARTICLE

Subannular reconstruction in secondary mitral regurgitation: a meta-analysis

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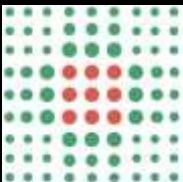
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	Odds ratio	Lower limit	Upper limit	p-Value	Group-A	Group-B
Wakasa et al., 2015	0,573	0,216	1,519	0,263	13 / 60	10 / 30
Ay et al., 2015	0,352	0,153	0,806	0,014	15 / 136	13 / 50
Fattouch et al., 2014(1)	0,088	0,025	0,305	0,000	3 / 115	13 / 50
Roshanali et al., 2013	0,250	0,028	2,252	0,217	1 / 31	8 / 69
Hvass et al., 2010	0,037	0,002	0,646	0,024	0 / 37	13 / 50
Langer et al., 2009	0,178	0,023	1,368	0,097	1 / 30	6 / 30
Varennes et al., 2009	0,214	0,057	0,801	0,022	3 / 44	13 / 50
Borger et al., 2007	0,300	0,109	0,832	0,021	6 / 43	18 / 49
Fattouch et al., 2012(1)	0,306	0,063	1,476	0,140	2 / 55	7 / 55
Hetzer et al., 2015	0,214	0,072	0,637	0,006	5 / 75	13 / 50
Fattouch et al., 2012(2)	0,227	0,048	1,082	0,063	2 / 69	8 / 69
Nappi et al., 2016	0,291	0,124	0,683	0,005	13 / 48	27 / 48
	0,268	0,189	0,380	0,000		



Heterogeneity: I-squared = 0%, tau-squared = 0, p = 0.691

A = annuloplasty + subannular reconstruction / **B = isolated annuloplasty**

PERCUTANEOUS EDGE TO EDGE REPAIR



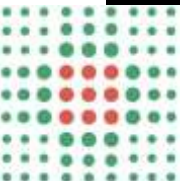
Key differences and similarities between COAPT and MITRA-FR trials.

	COA	Key echocardiographic characteristics	
Key inclusion criteria		Average LVEF	31 ± 9
Severity of symptomatic MR	Mod	Average LVEDV (mL/m ²)	101 ± 34
NYHA function class	II-IV	Average EROA (mm ²)	41 ± 15
HF hospitalizations	≥1 yr	EROA <30 mm ² (%)	14%
GDMT or device therapy prior to enrollment	Opti toler	Operator and Center experience	
BNP (or pro-BNP) level (pg/mL)	≥300	Number of clips	
Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction (LVEF)	20%	1	36%
Left Ventricular End-systolic diameter	≤70	≥2	64%
Effective Regurgitant Orifice Area (mm ²)	≥30	Procedural complications	8.5%
Regurgitant Volume (mL/beat)	>45	Post-procedural immediate residual MR ≥3+	5%
Surgical risk	STS I for surgery		

Key exclusion criteria

33 ± 7	History of mitral valve intervention
135 ± 35	Life expectancy <1 year due to non-cardiac condition
31 ± 10	Myocardial infarction, CABG, Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy, TAVR, cardioversion, or stroke within prior 3 months
52%	Coronary angioplasty within prior 1 month
	Renal replacement therapy
46%	Uncontrolled arterial hypertension
54%	
14.6%	
9%	

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Edge-to-edge surgical mitral valve repair in the era of MitraClip: what if the annuloplasty ring is missed?

Michele De Bonis, Elisabetta Lapenna, Alberto Pozzoli, Andrea Giacomini, and Ottavio Alfieri

Purpose of review

The purpose of this review is to define the role of annuloplasty in the surgical edge-to-edge repair, an issue that seems particularly relevant in the current MitraClip era, when more than 15 000 patients have been submitted to a percutaneous transcatheter edge-to-edge repair without concomitant annuloplasty.

Recent findings

Only a few studies have reported the clinical and echocardiographic outcomes of the ringless edge-to-edge mitral repair. In all of them, however, only mid-term data were provided. Recently, the long-term results of the surgical edge-to-edge procedure performed without a concomitant annuloplasty in a selected group of patients with degenerative mitral regurgitation have been published.

Summary

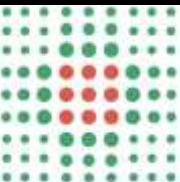
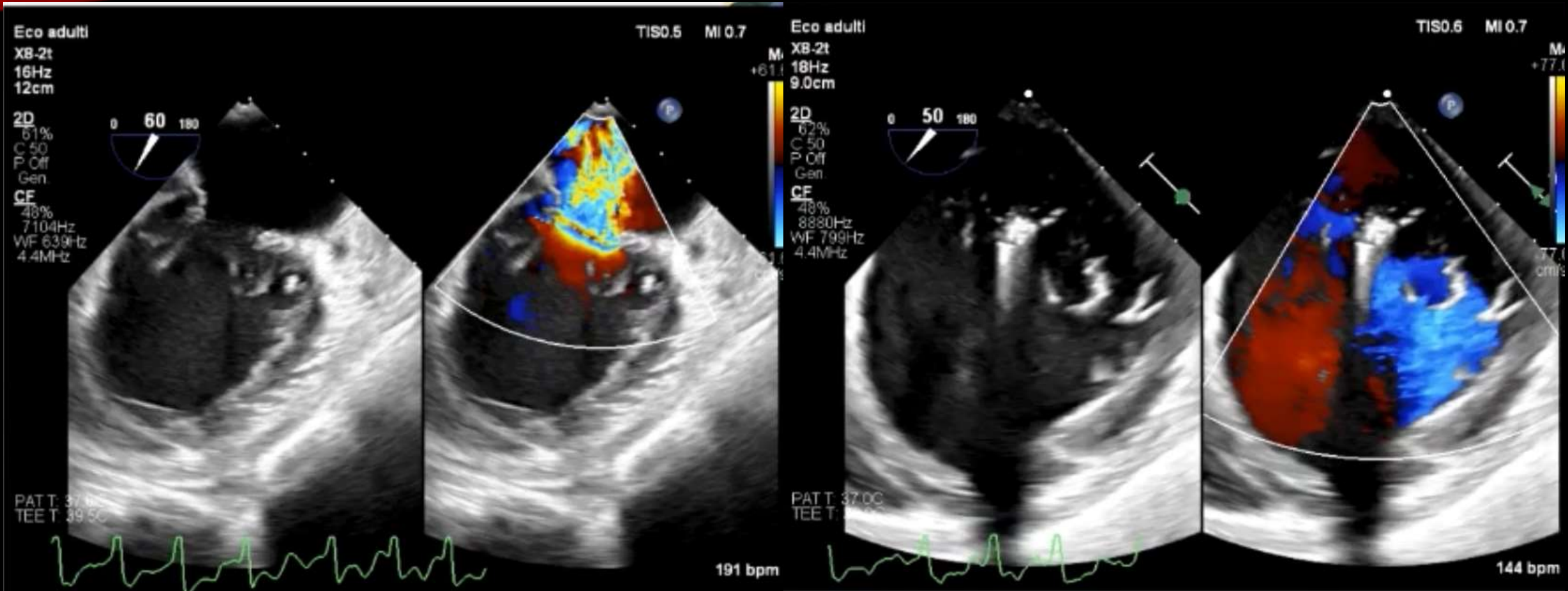
The surgical edge-to-edge technique should always be combined with prosthetic ring annuloplasty in order to provide excellent long-term outcomes in patients with degenerative mitral regurgitation. The overall long-term results of the surgical edge-to-edge technique without annuloplasty are not satisfactory. The ringless edge-to-edge technique is not effective in the challenging setting of extensively calcified annulus. In patients without annular calcification, in whom annuloplasty was intentionally avoided, the ringless edge-to-edge repair provides acceptable results in the mid term but is associated with a high failure rate in the long term. In the MitraClip perspective, these findings emphasize the need for a reliable annuloplasty to improve the long-term outcomes of the currently available transcatheter edge-to-edge procedure.

Keywords

annuloplasty, edge-to-edge technique, mitral regurgitation, mitral repair

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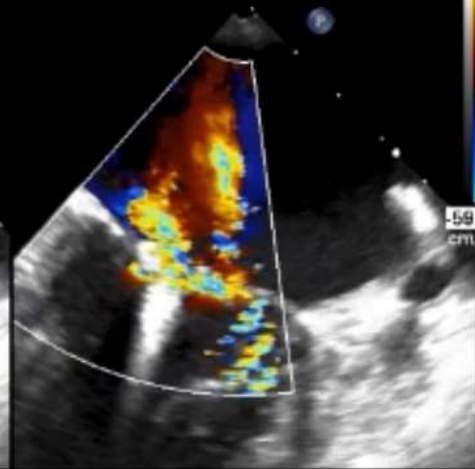
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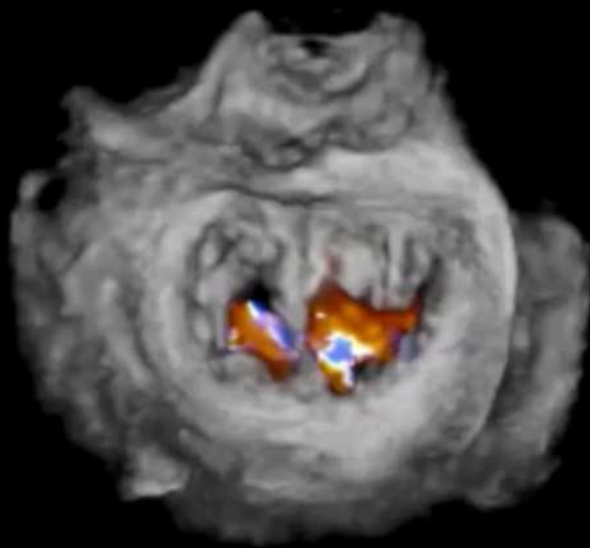
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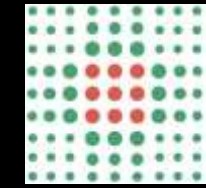
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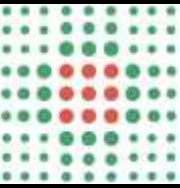
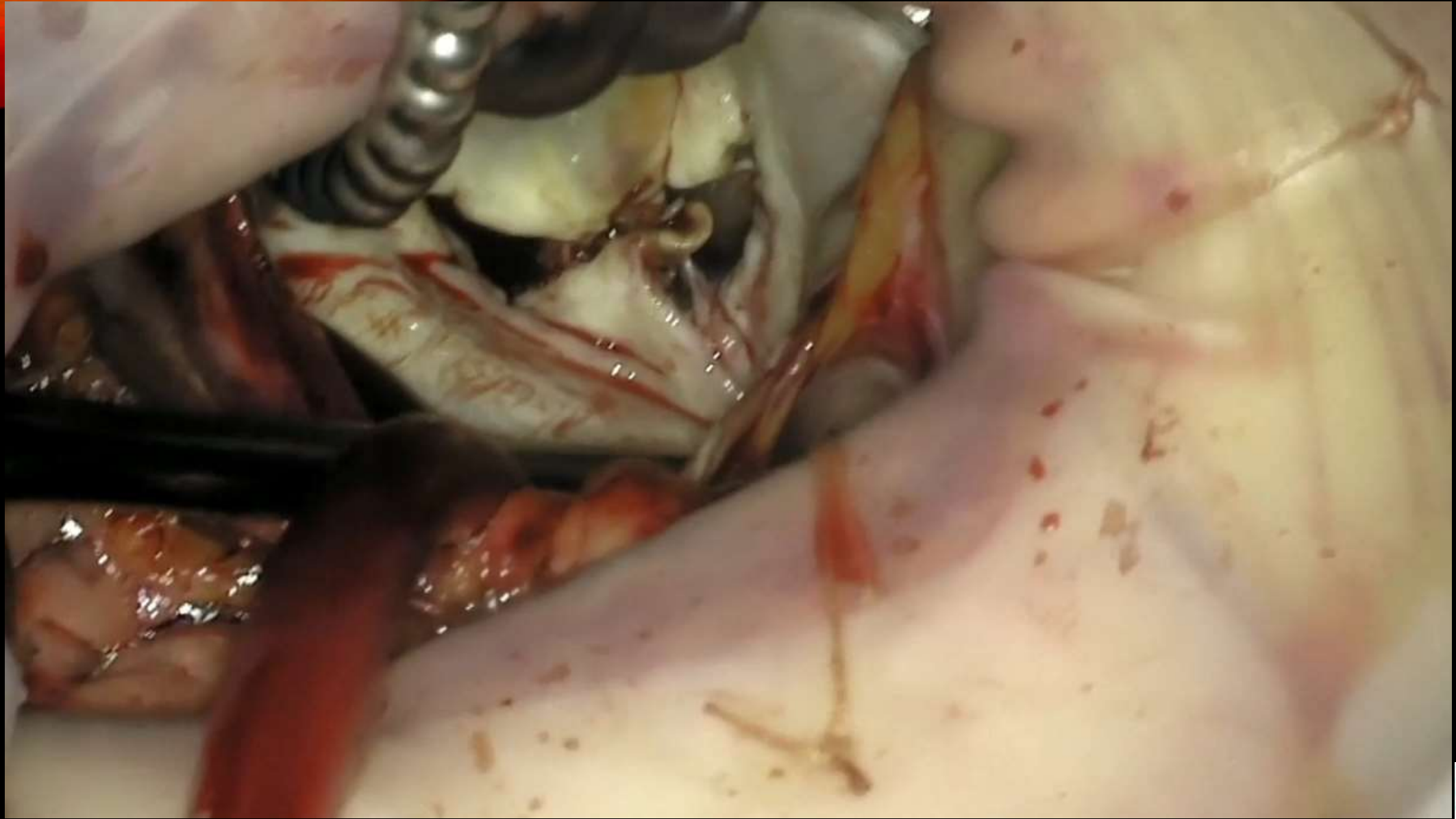


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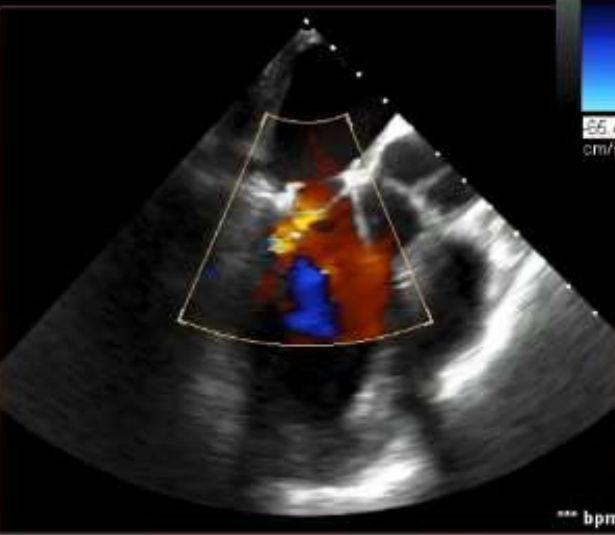
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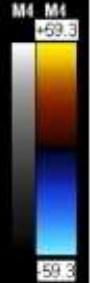
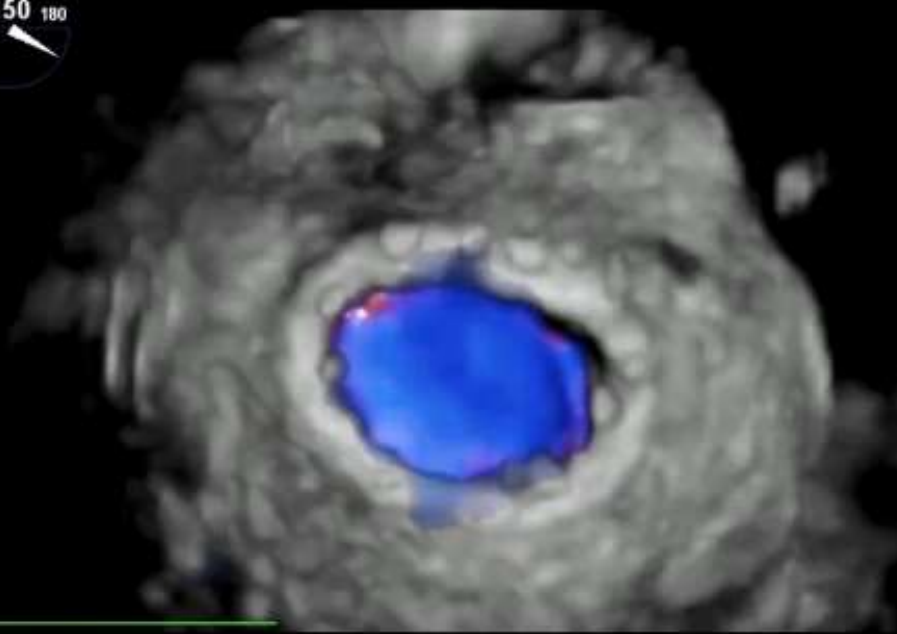
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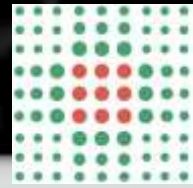
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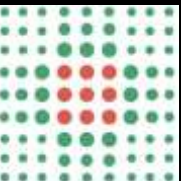


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