

CHIRURGIE MITRALE RÉPARATRICE

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**CARDIO-THORACIC CENTRE
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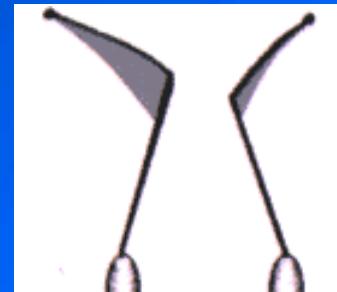
Introduction

Mitral Valve Repair is in constant evolution :

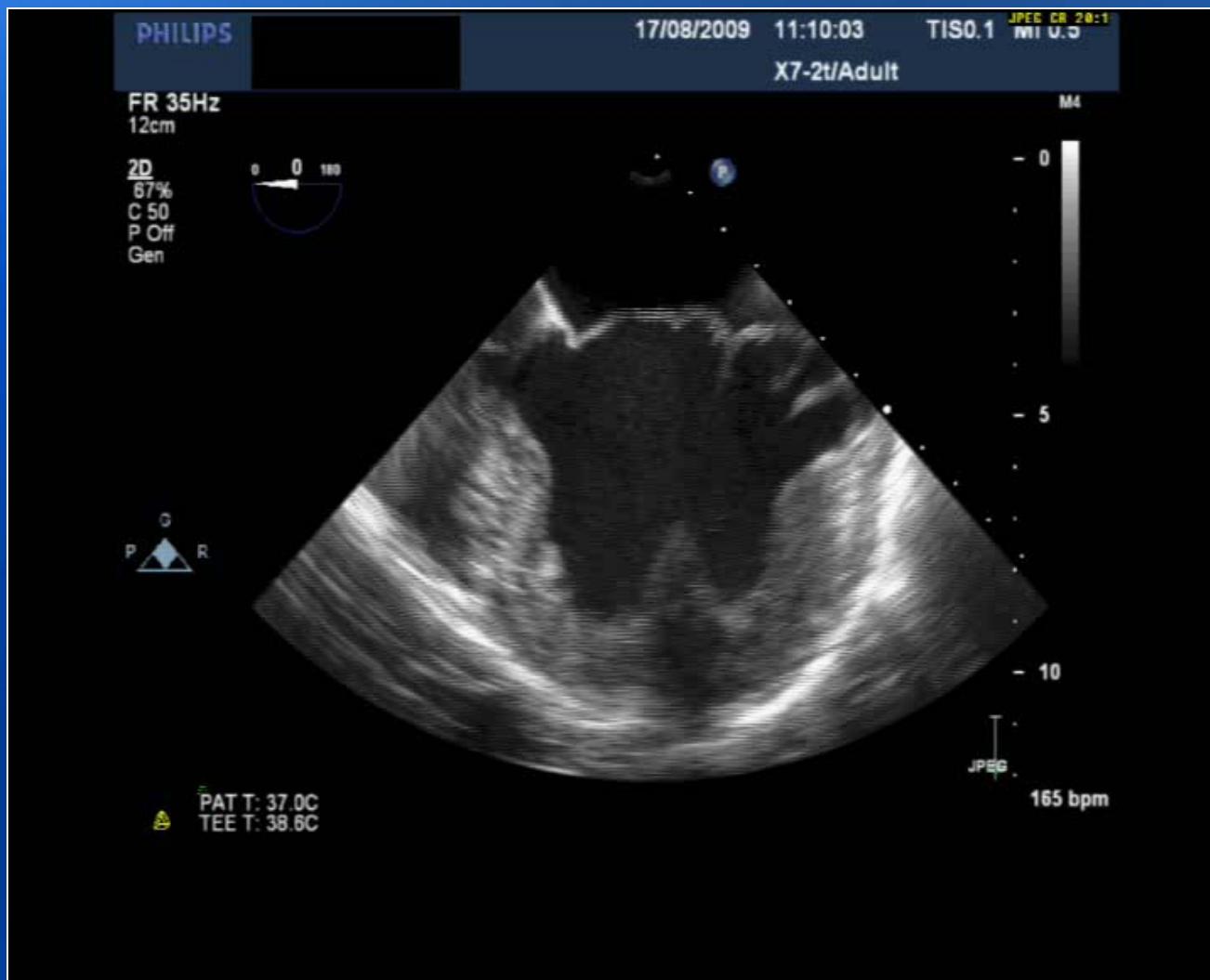
- new assessment criteria : **quantitative**
- new **guidelines**
- better **surgery** , especially for AL
- better approach to both ends of the spectrum:
 - . **Asymptomatic** patients
 - . **Heart failure** patients

Functional Approach *Pr Carpentier*

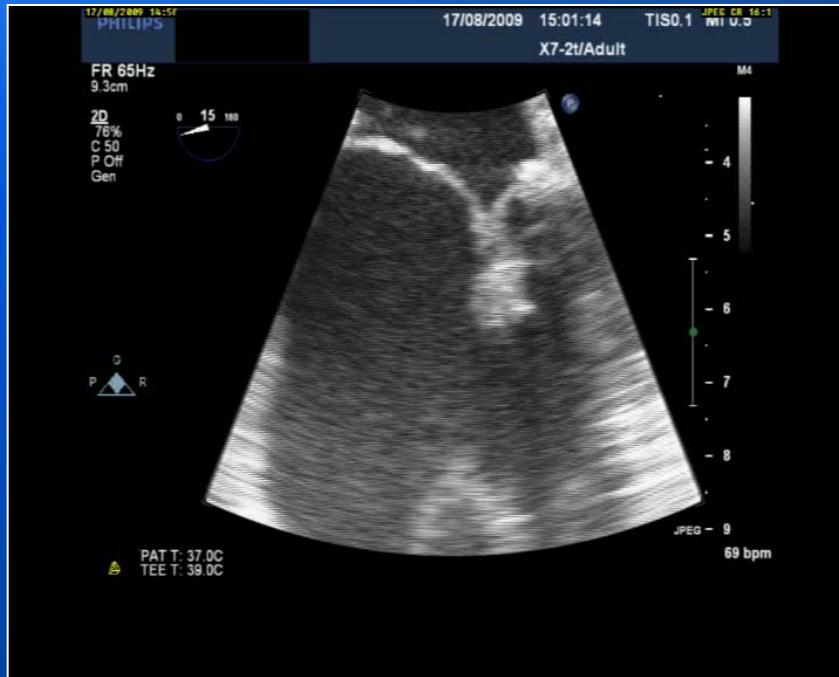
- “Restoring normal valve function rather than normal valve anatomy”
- Only 2 functional abnormalities -in relation to leaflet motion- leading to regurgitation
 - Leaflet prolapse: increased leaflet motion
 - Restricted leaflet motion



Maladie Barlow - preop



Coaptation - *postop*

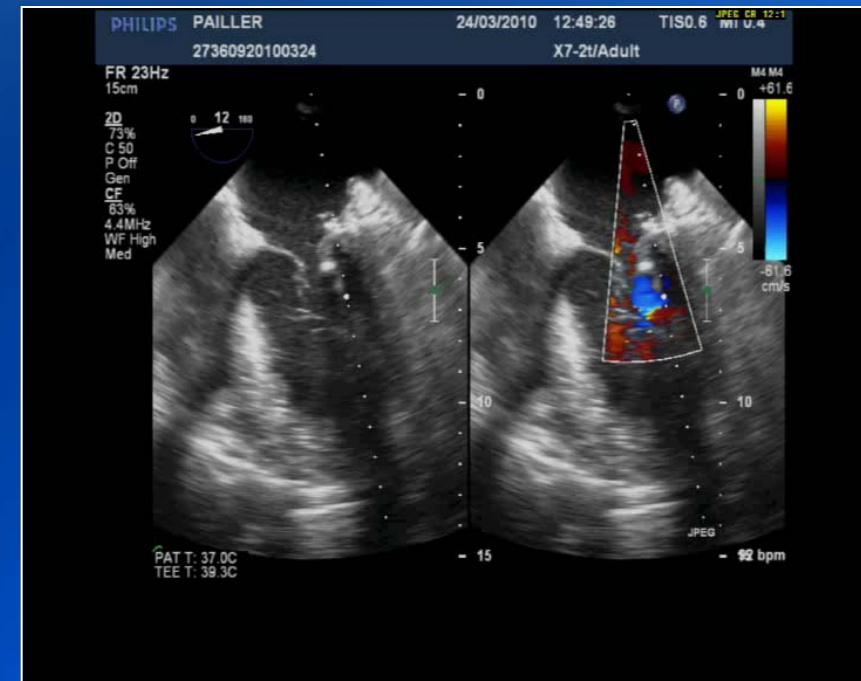


preop



C.C.M.

Mobilité de la petite valve - postop



Assessment of the severity of mitral regurgitation

	Regurgitant volume	Effective regurgitant orifice
grade 1	< 30 mL	< 20 mm ²
grade 2	30 - 44 mL	20 - 29 mm ²
grade 3	45 - 59 mL	30 - 39 mm ²
grade 4	≥ 60 mL	≥ 40 mm ²



Risk stratification in degenerative mitral valve disease

Mortality Risk Factors

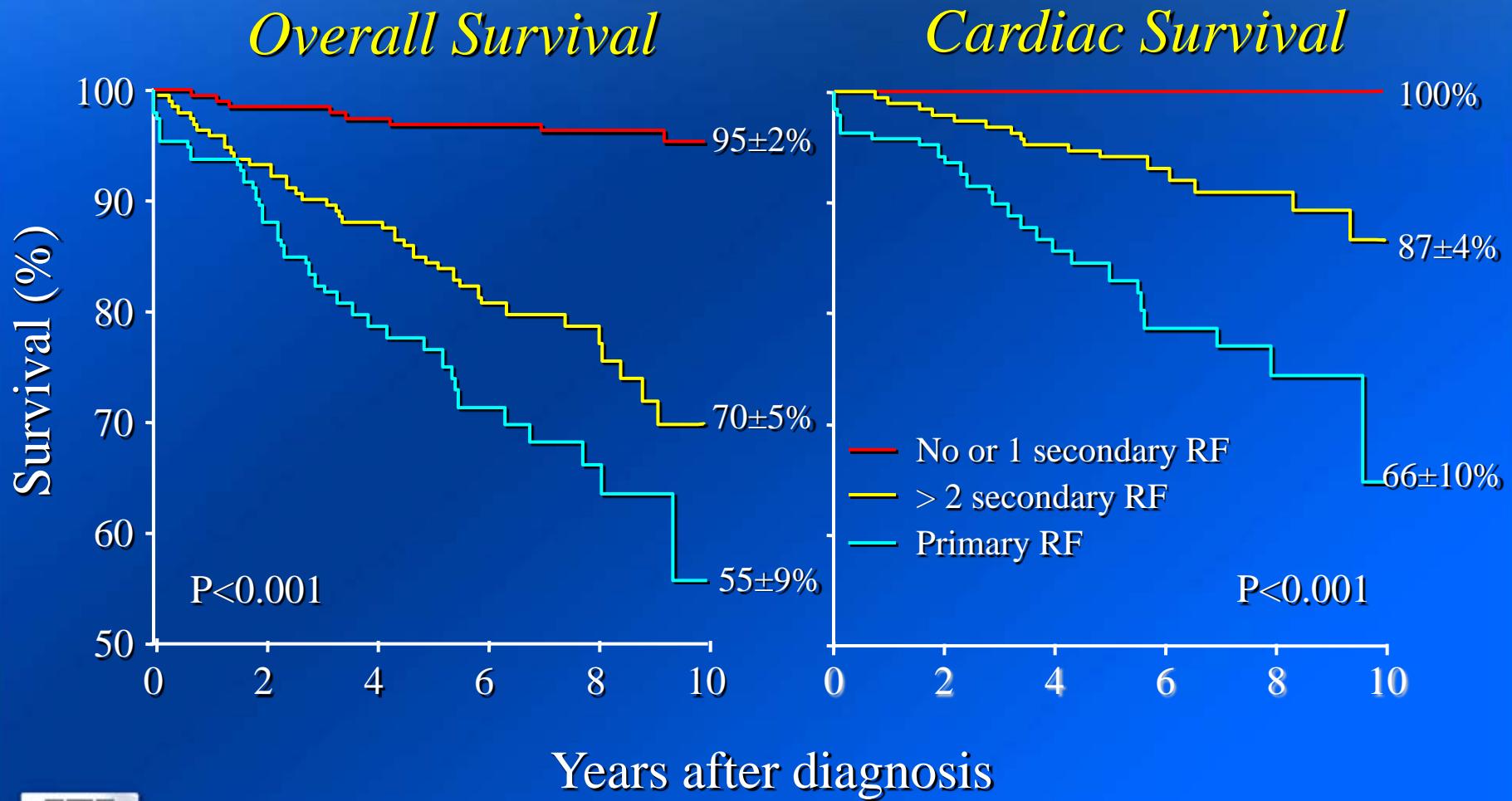
- EF < 50%
- MR ≥ moderate

Morbidity Risk Factors

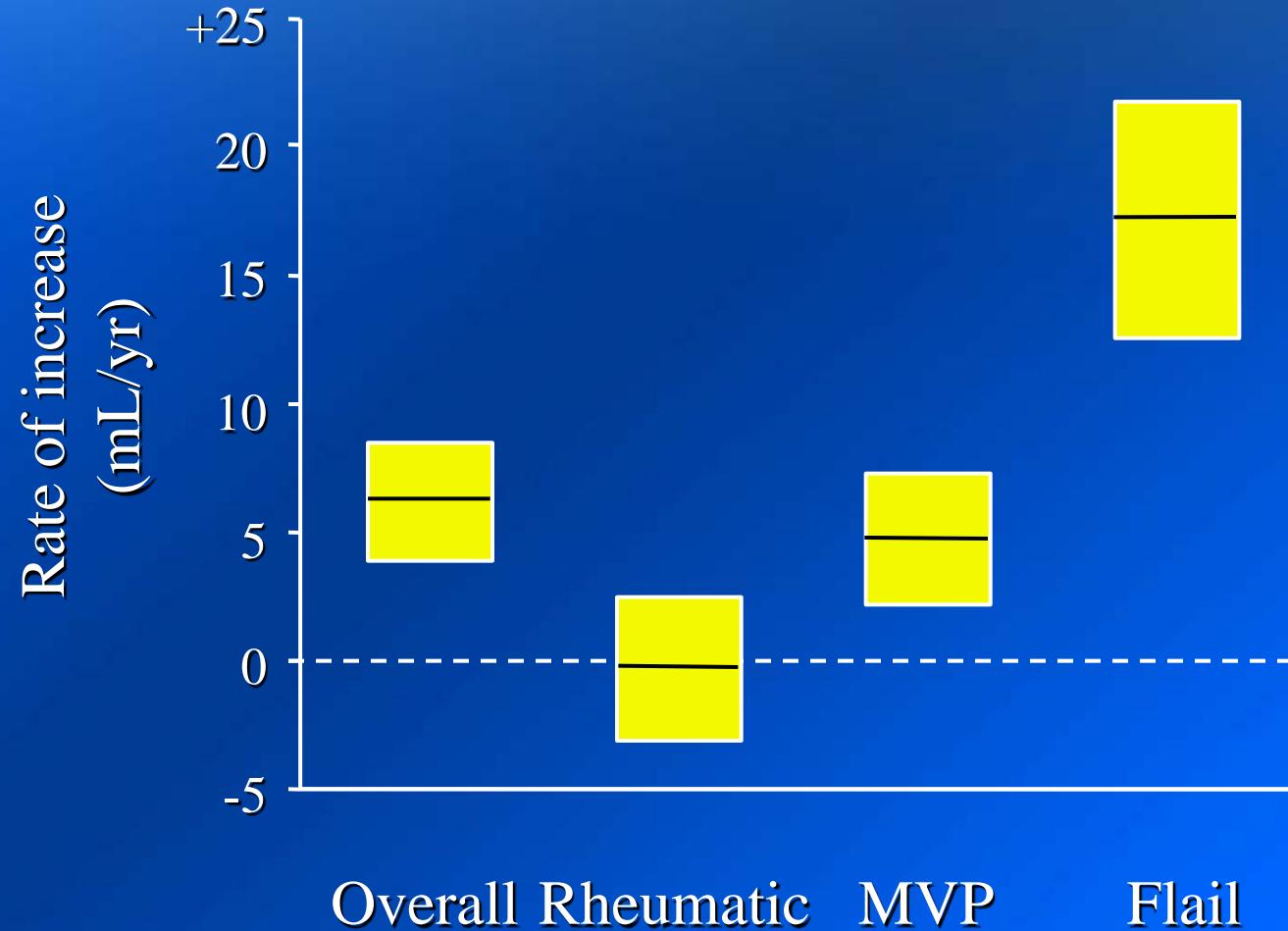
- Age ≥ 50 years
- Atrial Fib
- Slight MR
- Flail leaflet
- LA ≥ 40 mm



Outcome of asymptomatic degenerative mitral valve disease



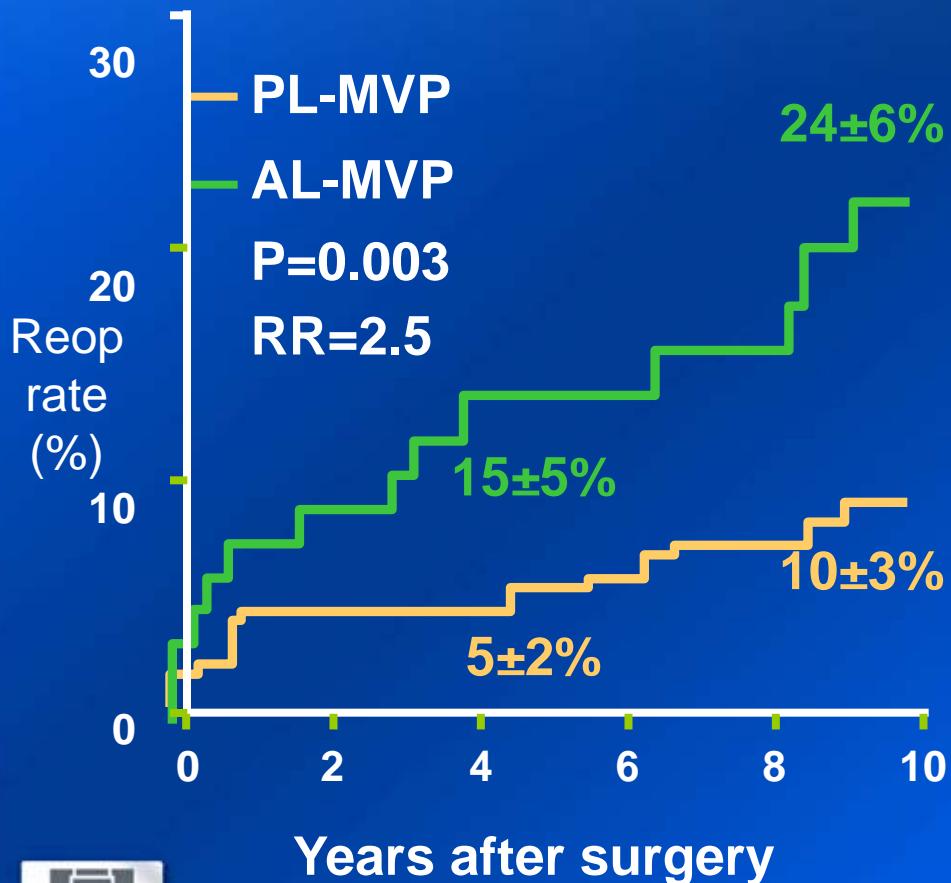
Progression of mitral regurgitation



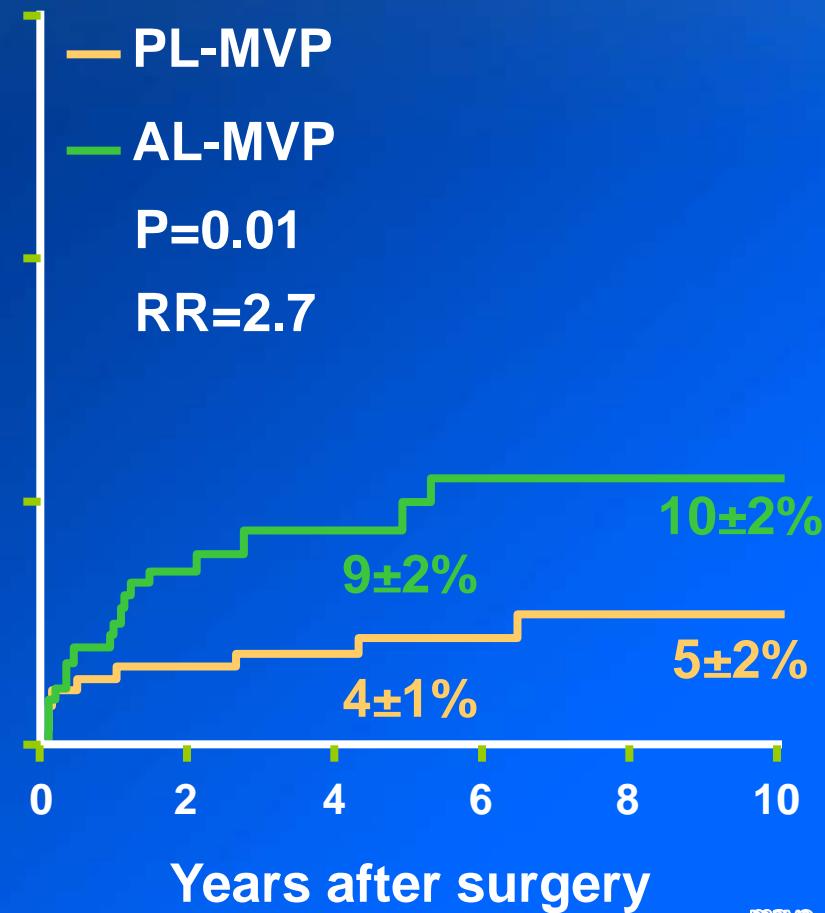
Reoperation after Valve Repair

Improving Results

1980's



1990's



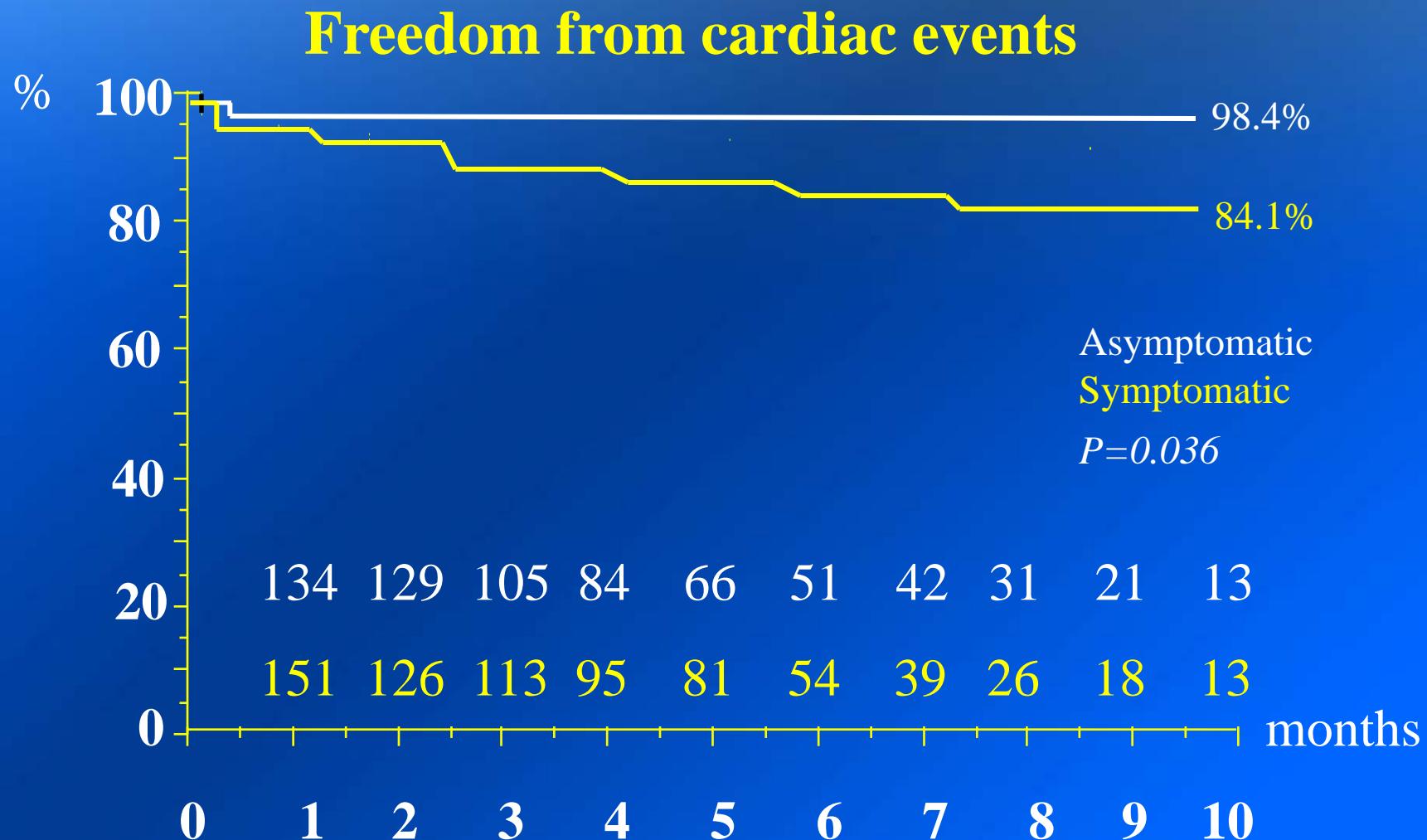
Asymptomatic MR: does it justify Suregry?

Pre operative echocardiogram findings

	Asymptomatic	Symptomatic	<i>p</i>
LVESD:	$39,6 \pm 6,1$ mm	$48.2+/-5.1$	0.034
LVEDD:	$56.9+/-5.6$ mm	$63.9+/-6$	0.021
M.R.	$3,39 \pm 0,5$	$3,4 \pm 0,6$	0.79
LA diameter:	$49 \pm 5,6$ mm	56.2 ± 8.7	0.013
E.F.	$60,2 \pm 8,7$ %	$54 \pm 12.3\%$	0.036



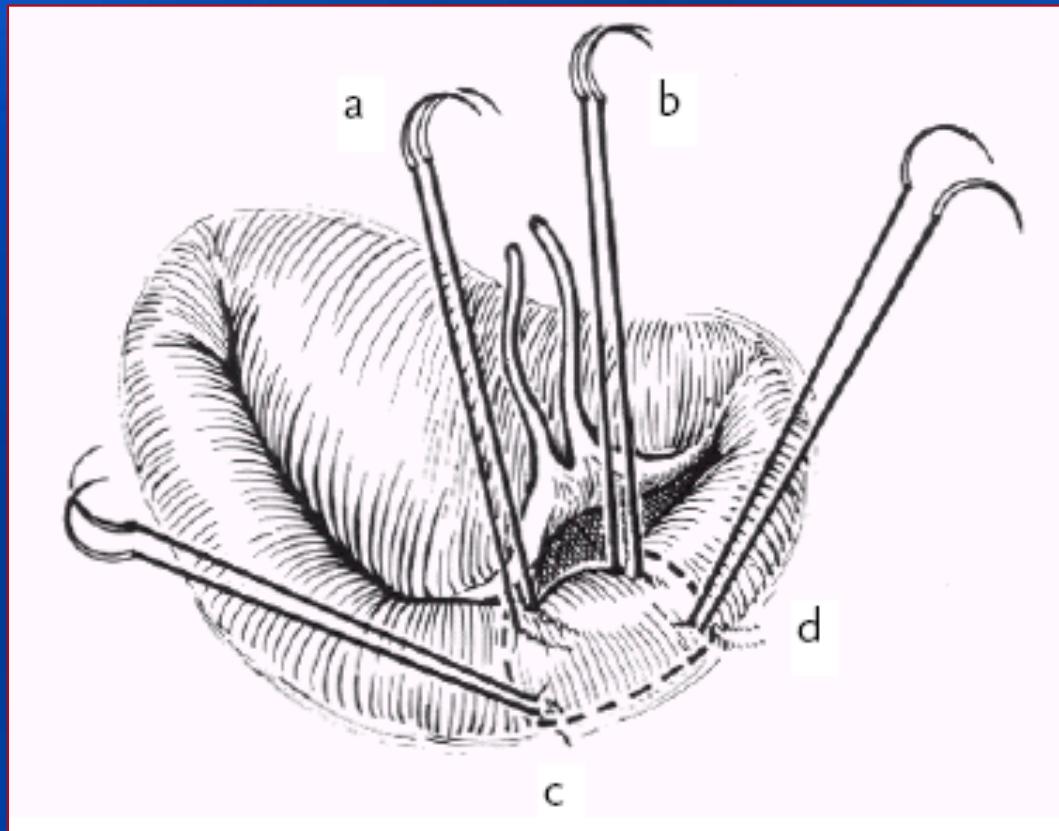
Asymptomatic MR: does it justify Surgery?



(Kaplan-Meier)

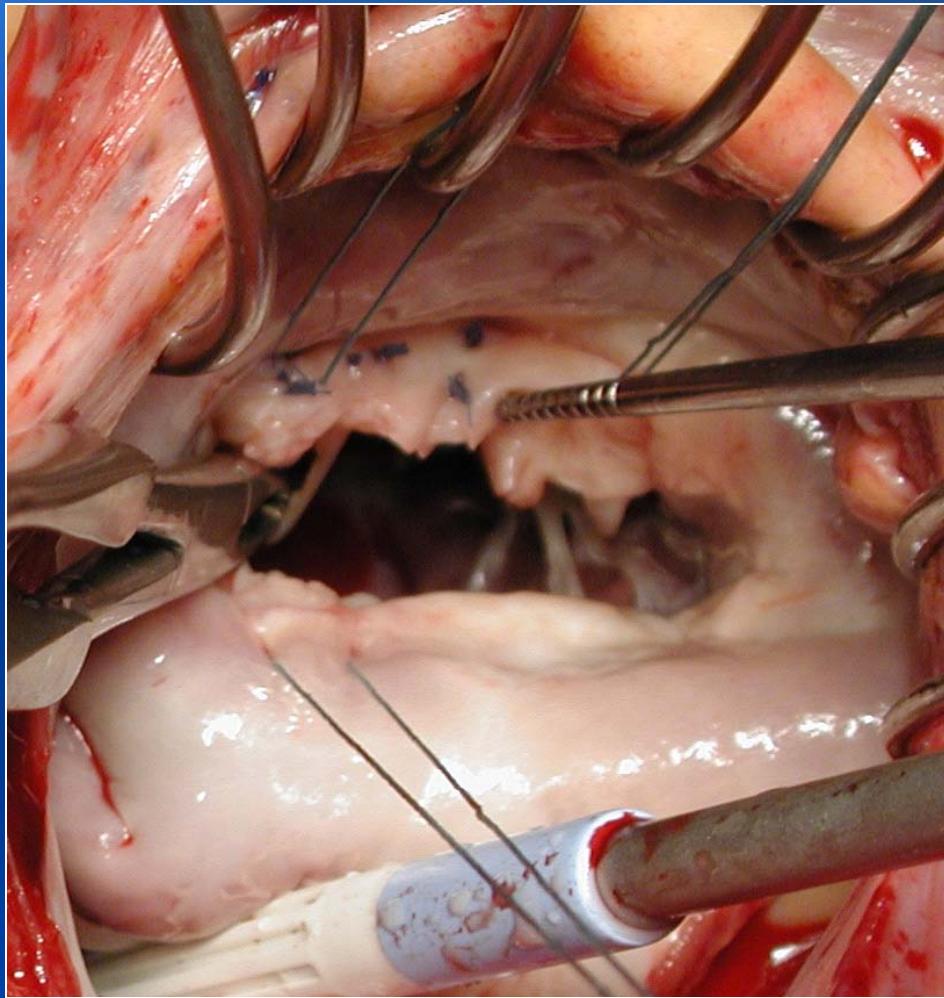
Mitral Valve Pathophysiology and Repair Techniques

Chordal transposition



Carpentier, Lessana

TECHNIQUE



« The Chorda are inserted behind of Leaflet's Free-edge »

Current results of Mitral Valve Repair

Degenerative

Durability

Anterior/bi-leaflet prolapse: PM repositioning

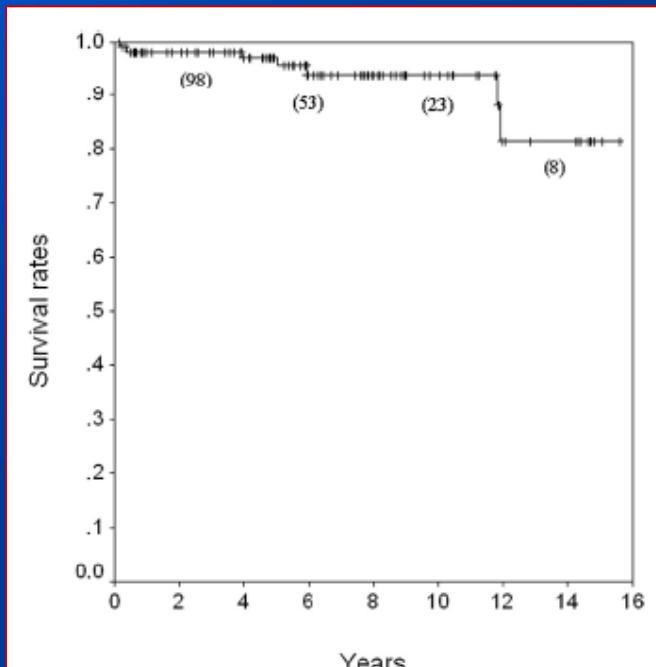


Figure 6. Freedom from reoperation curve. Numbers in parentheses are subjects at risk.

Freedom from re-operation:

1 year:	97.4%
5 years:	97.4%
10 years:	92.8%
15 years:	86.7%

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Anterior leaflet prolapse: PTFE neochordae

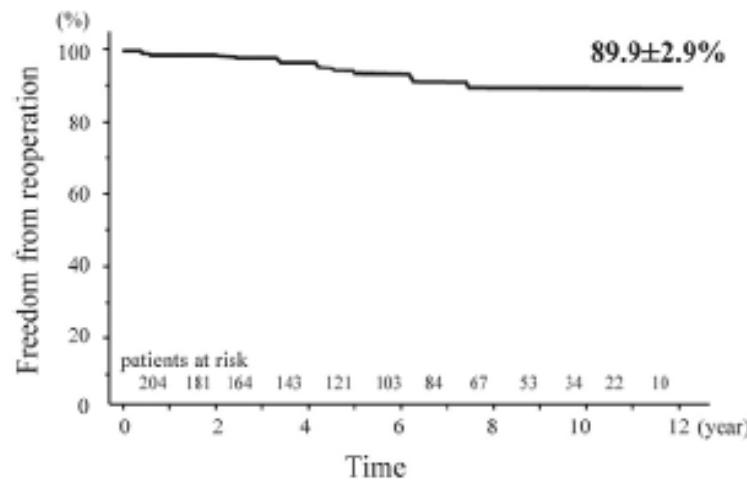


Fig 5. Actuarial freedom from reoperation.

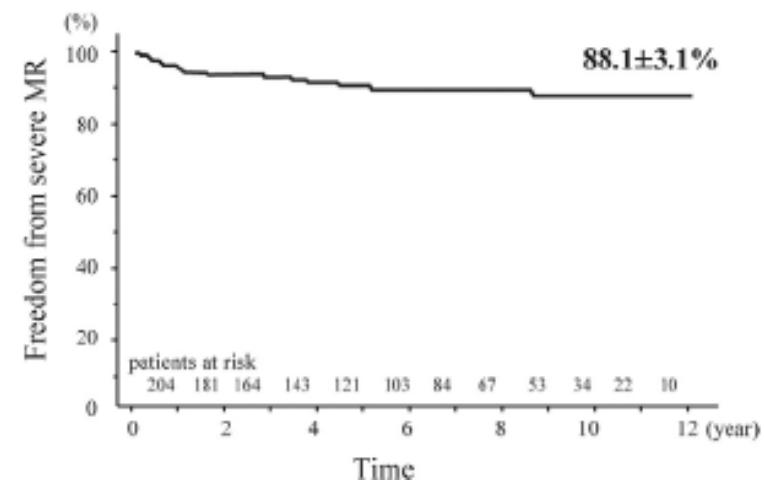
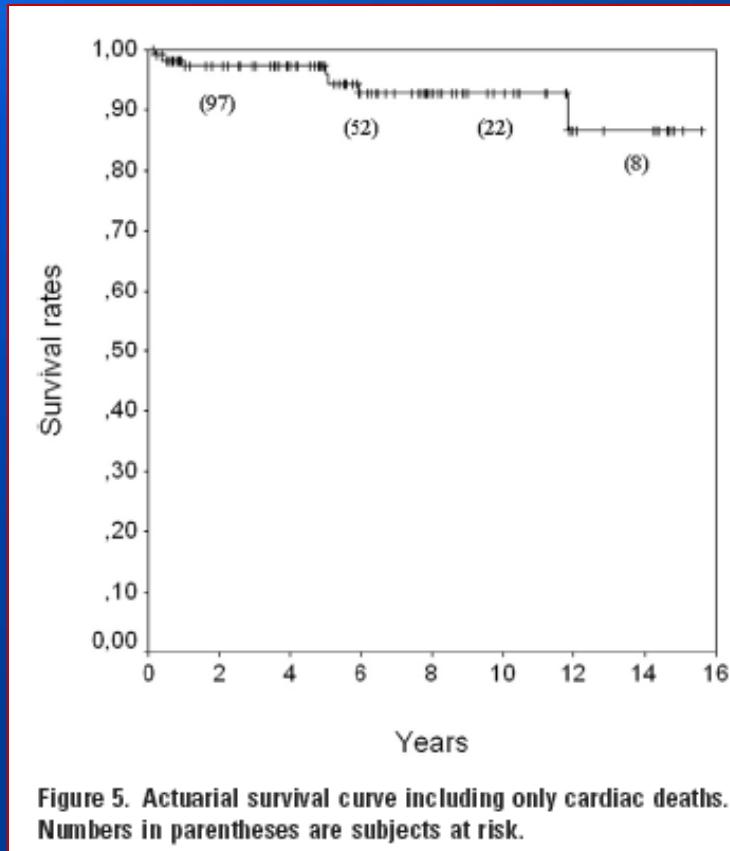


Fig 6. Actuarial freedom from severe mitral regurgitation (MR). Overall, freedom from severe mitral regurgitation (maximum regurgitant jet area $\geq 7.0 \text{ cm}^2$) estimate at 12 years was $88.1\% \pm 3.1\%$.

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Degenerative

Long term Survival



Anterior and bileaflet prolapse

Actuarial survival:

1 year:	98.3%
5 years:	97.2%
10 years:	94.1%
15 years:	81.4%

- A.L. is supposed to be complex BUT:
only few options
- P.L. is supposed to be easy BUT:
many options and results may be
sub optimal

MR

« Feasibility of repair »

**in all Guidelines is NOT an acceptable
concept**

**Surgeon's experience and expertise is
the key factor for M.V repair**



What is the role of minimal approach? approach not surgery

- cosmetics: **BENEFIT**
- recovery: **LITTLE / NO BENEFIT**
- quality of repair: **NO BENEFIT**

Simplified repair techniques might jeopardize long term results