

**THE
RESILIENT
TRIAL**

12-Month Results

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RESILIENT: Study Device

LifeStent® NT Self-Expanding Stent

Helically-Designed, Nitinol Self-Expanding Stent



Sizes Used in the Study

Diameters	Lengths
6 mm	40, 60, 80 mm
7 mm	40, 60, 80 mm

LifeStent® NT Delivery System



RESILIENT: Trial Design

- Lesions: SFA and/or Proximal Popliteal Artery
- Lifestyle-Limiting Claudication: Rutherford Category 1 – 3
- Lesion Length: <150mm
- Test Device: LifeStent® NT Stent & Delivery System

Control Arm
(PTA Only)
n=69

1:2 Randomization
206 Patients
24 Study Sites

Test Arm
(PTA + LifeStent®)
n=137



Primary Endpoint: TLR and/or TVR at 6 months

Secondary Endpoints: Patency; Lesion-, Procedure-, and Clinical-Success

*MACE = Major Adverse Clinical Events

RESILIENT: Study Partners

- **Ultrasound Core Lab:**
 - **VasCore (Massachusetts General Hospital)**
 - Evaluated Color Duplex Ultrasound (C-DUS):
 - 30 days, 6 months, and 12 months
- **Angiographic and X-Ray Core Lab:**
 - **Cardiovascular Research Foundation (CRF)**
 - Evaluated baseline and procedural angiographic images
 - Evaluated X-ray images:
 - 6 months, 12 months, and 18 months

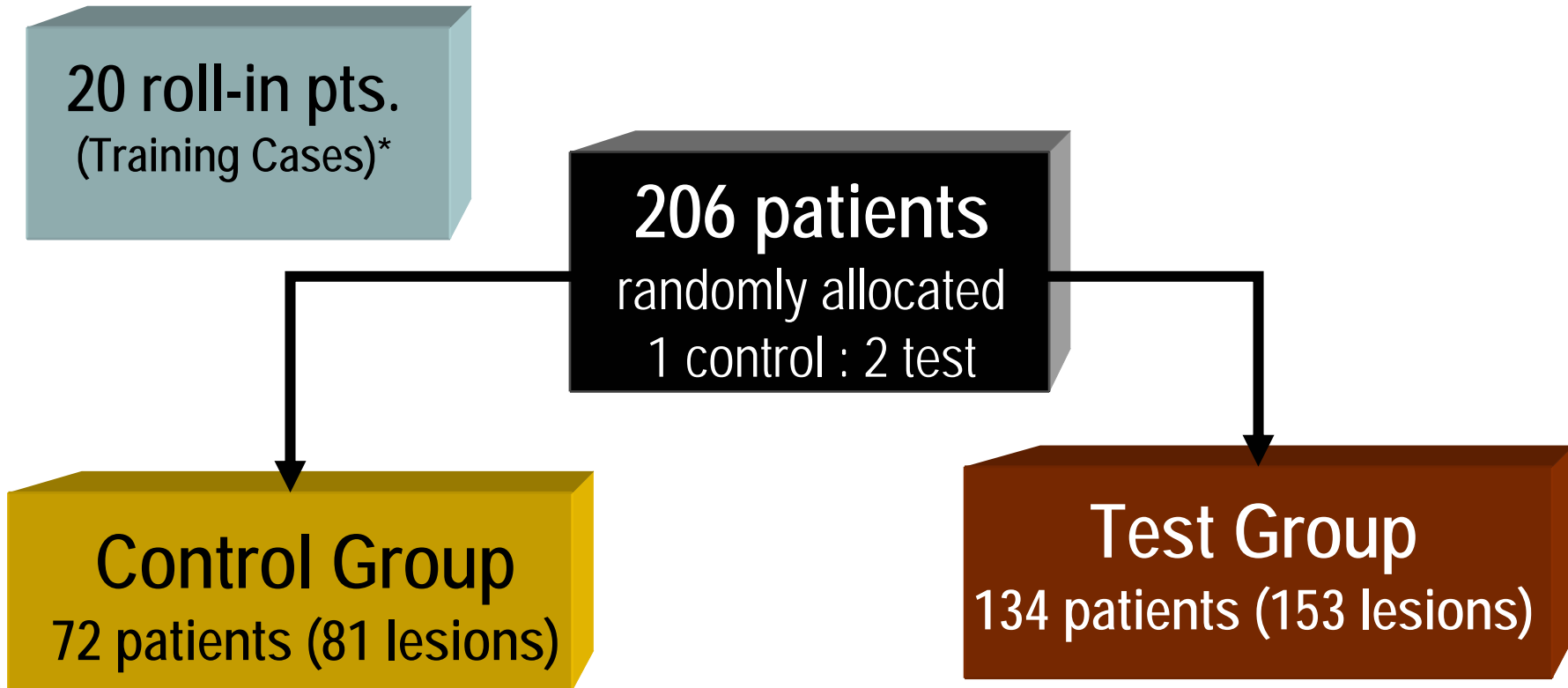
RESILIENT: Clinical Sites & Enrollment*

Leipzig, Germany	41
Philadelphia, PA	19
Vienna, Austria	16
La Jolla, CA	14
Springfield, IL	14
Harrisburg, PA	14
Washington, DC	13
New Orleans, LA	13
Columbus, OH	10
Chapel Hill, NC	8
Atlanta, GA	7
Boston, MA	7

Mountain View, CA	7
Buffalo, NY	6
Pittsburgh, PA	5
Miami, FL	5
Rochester, NY	5
Atlanta, GA	5
Lafayette, LA	5
Dayton, OH	4
Tulsa, OK	3
Phoenix, AZ	2
Annapolis, MD	2
Pittsburgh, PA	1

*24 Sites enrolled 20 roll-in and 206 randomized patients

RESILIENT: Patient Enrollment

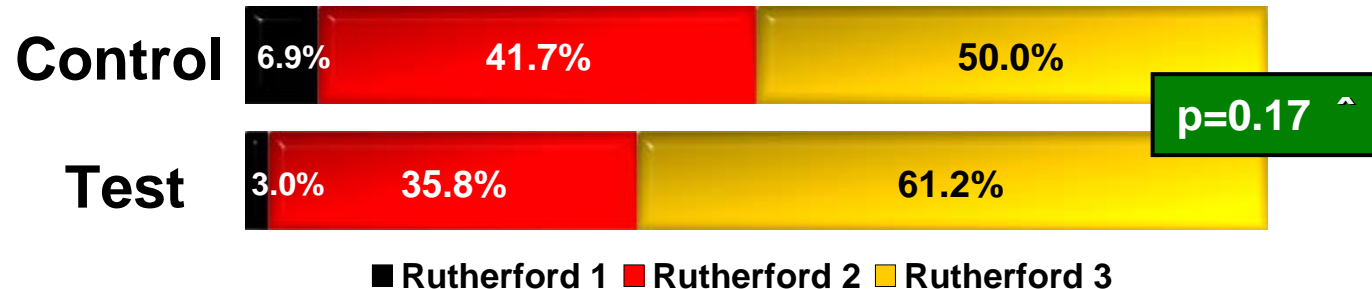


*Each new study site was allowed 1 LifeStent[®] training case

RESILIENT: Baseline Demographics

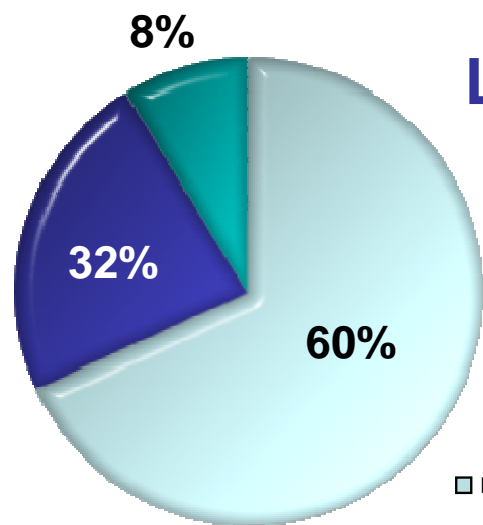
	Control Group (Pts. =72)	Test Group (Pts. =134)	p-value
Male / Female	66.7% / 33.3%	70.9% / 29.1%	0.53 [^]
Age, (years) $\mu \pm$ S.D.	66.1 \pm 9.2	68.4 \pm 9.9	0.11 ⁺
Hypertension	91.7%	83.6%	0.14 [#]
Hypercholesterolemia	73.6%	78.4%	0.49 [#]
Smoker (current / quit past 6 mo)	83.3%	71.6%	0.09 [#]
Coronary Artery Disease	54.2%	56.0%	0.88 [#]
Diabetes	38.9%	38.1%	1.00 [#]

Rutherford
Category:



Baseline Lesion Characteristics

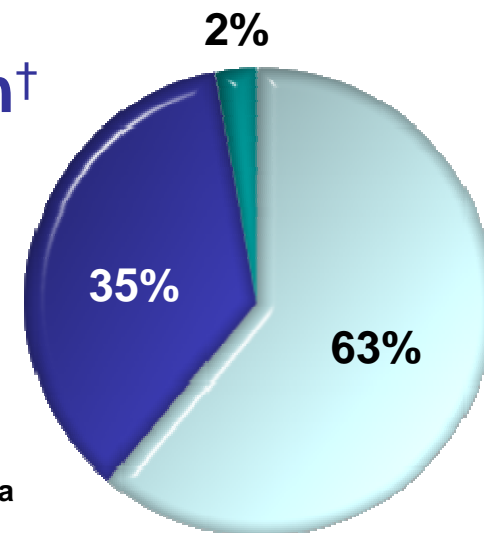
Characteristics [†] (mean ± S.D.) [#]	Control Group (Lesions=81)	Test Group (Lesions=153)	p-value ⁺
Target Vessel RVD	5.1 mm ± 0.7	5.2 mm ± 0.8	0.64
Lesion % Diameter Stenosis	74.5% ± 18.2	72.7% ± 17.6	0.49



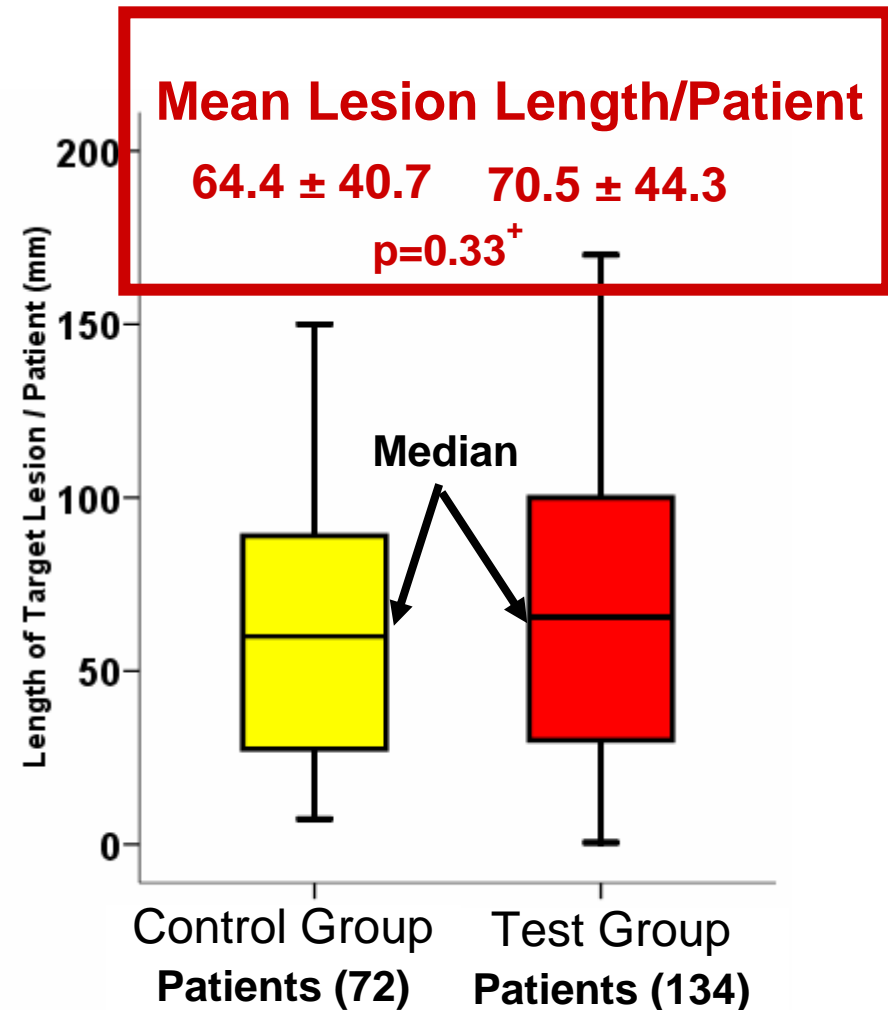
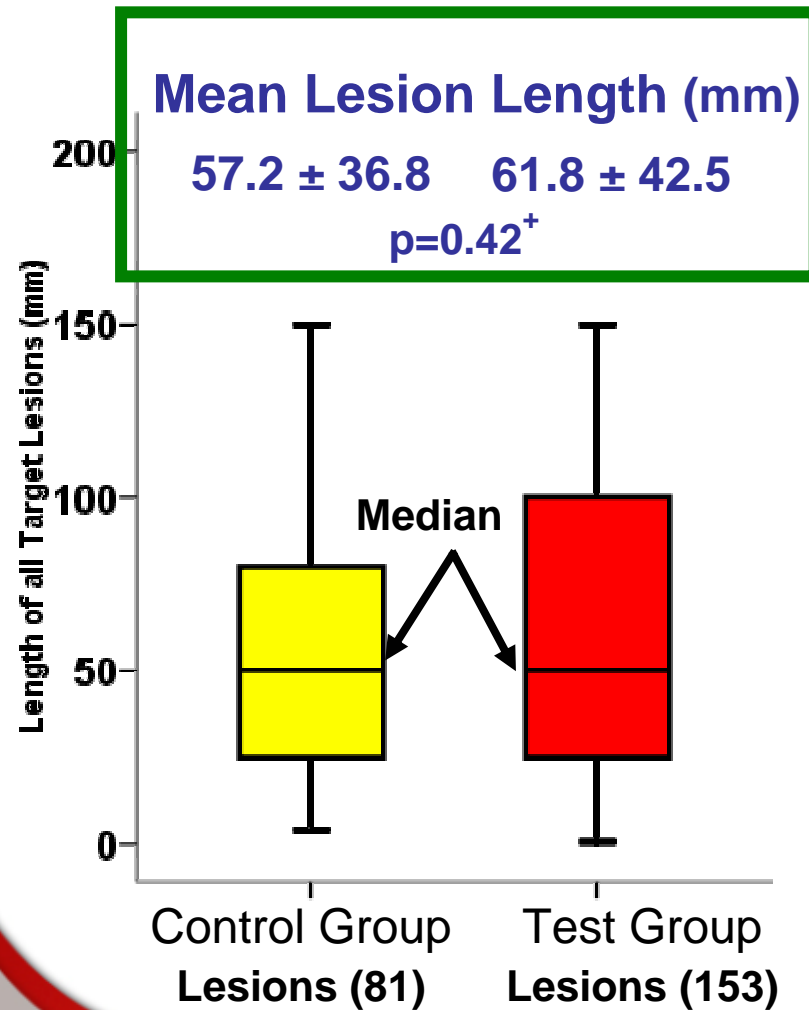
Lesion Calcification[†]

p=0.44 #

□ none/mild ■ moderate/severe ■ no data

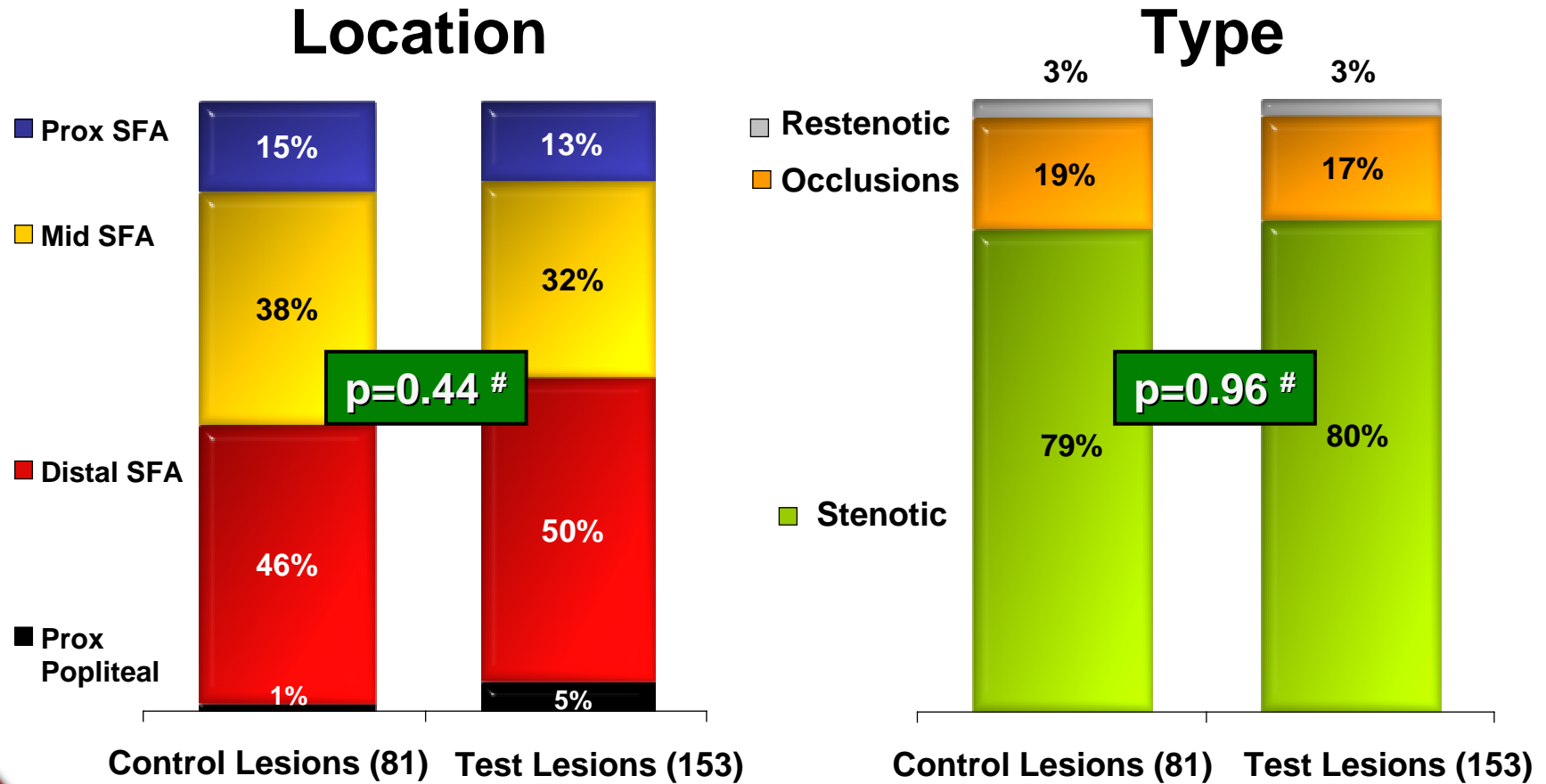


Baseline Lesion Characteristics*

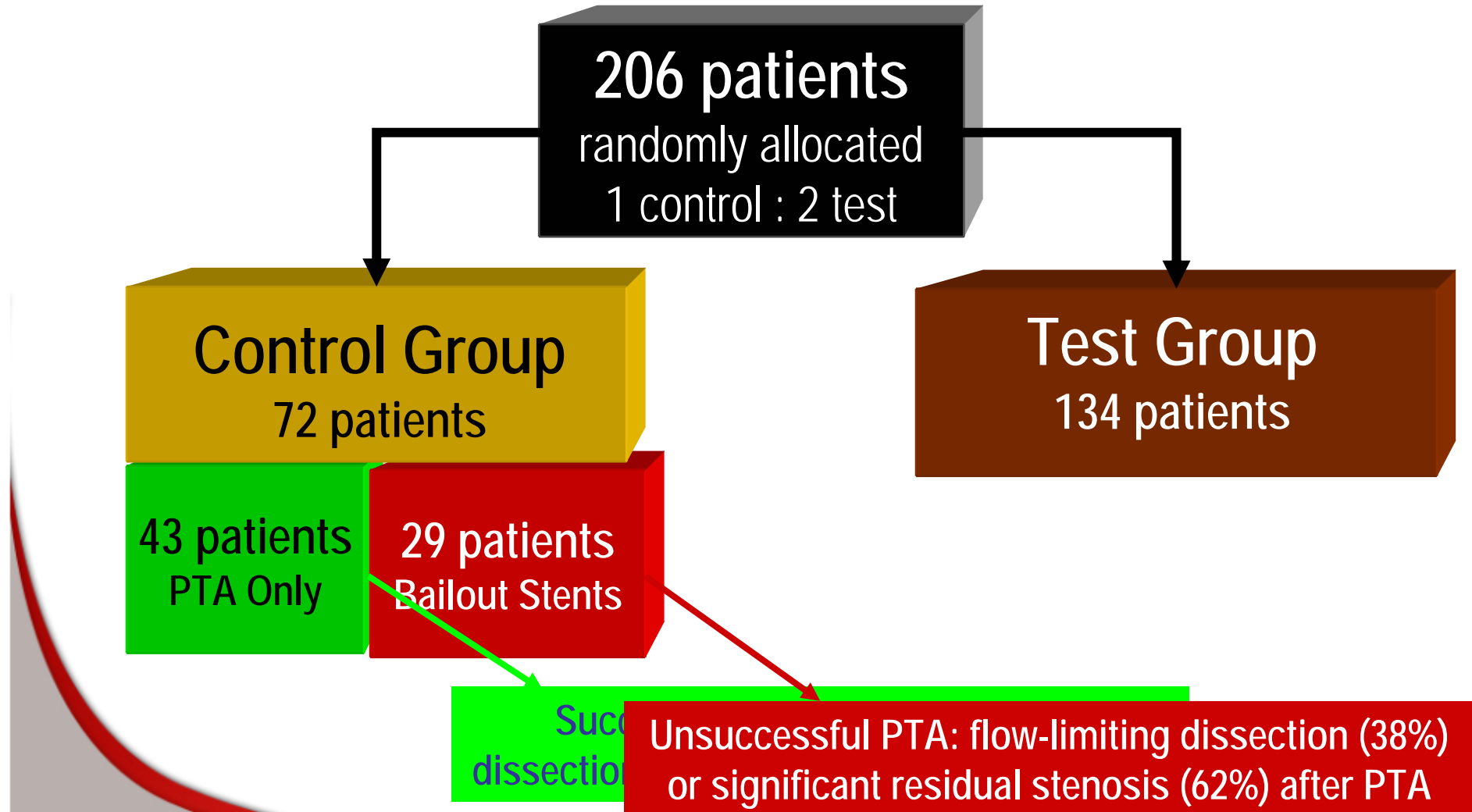


* = Site Reported
+ = t-test for Equality of Means

Baseline Lesion Characteristics*



Patient Enrollment: **Bailout Stenting**



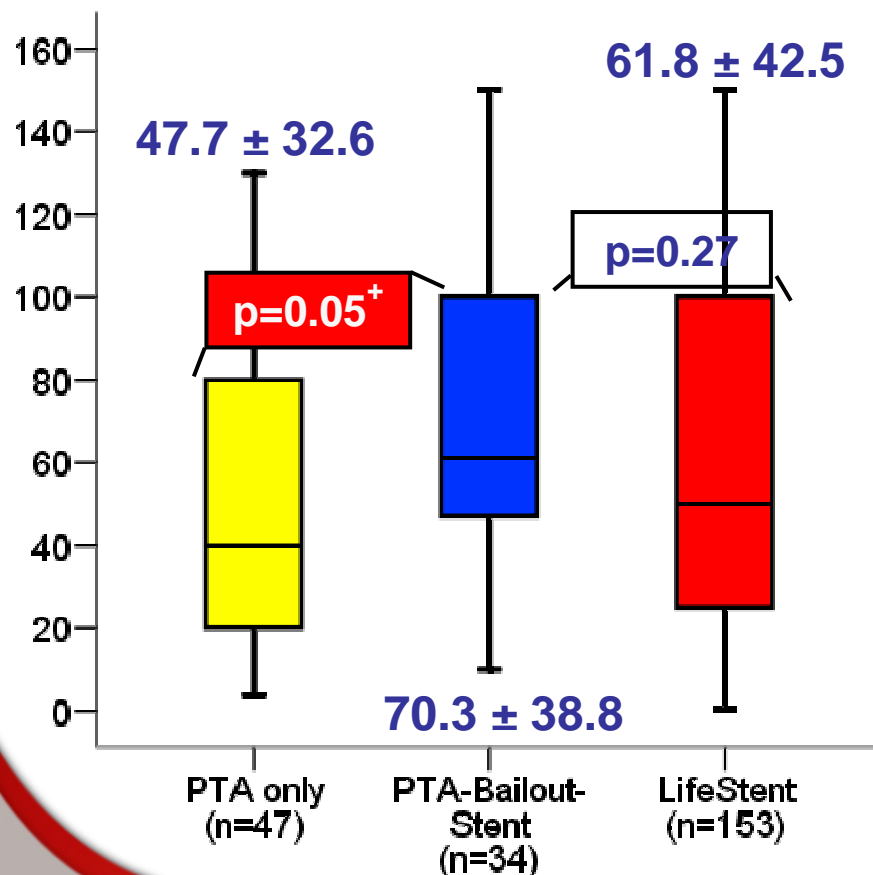
Bailout Stenting

- Data from the bailout stenting cases were included in the Control Arm (as randomized)
- Bailout stenting was considered a target lesion revascularization (TLR) & patency failure:
 - Immediate need for additional intervention, and
 - Loss of flow
- The need for bailout stenting was confirmed by:
 - Angiographic core lab and clinical events committee (93%), or
 - Study site documentation in two patients (7%)

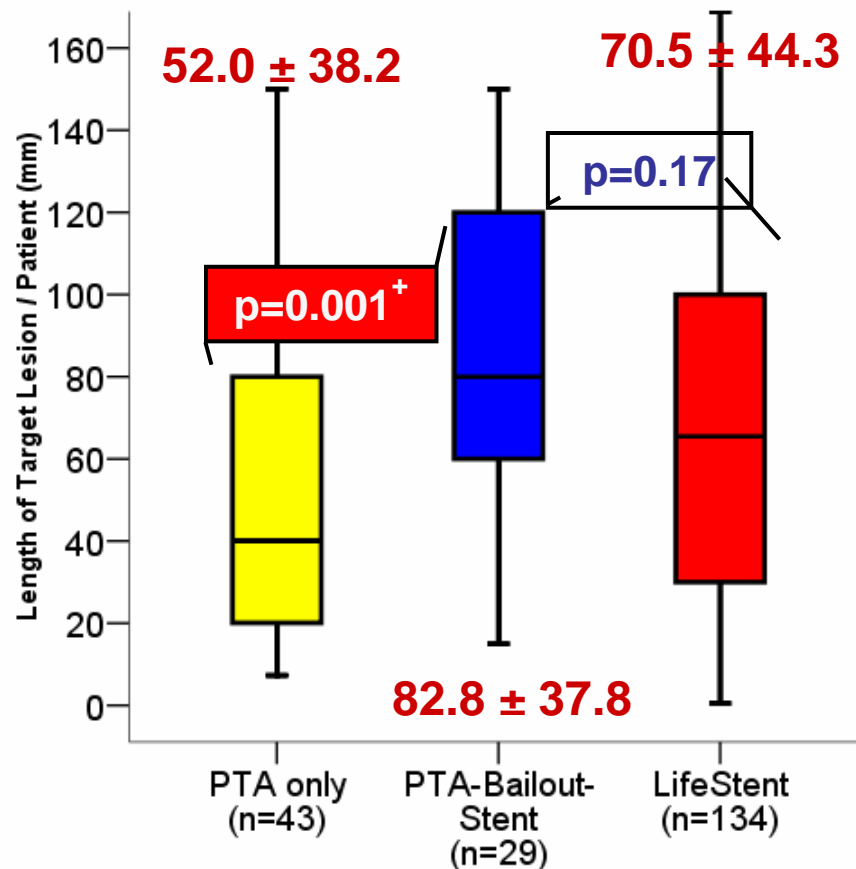
Bailout Lesion Characteristics*

Bailout lesions were significantly longer than the PTA-only lesions

Mean Lesion Length (mm).

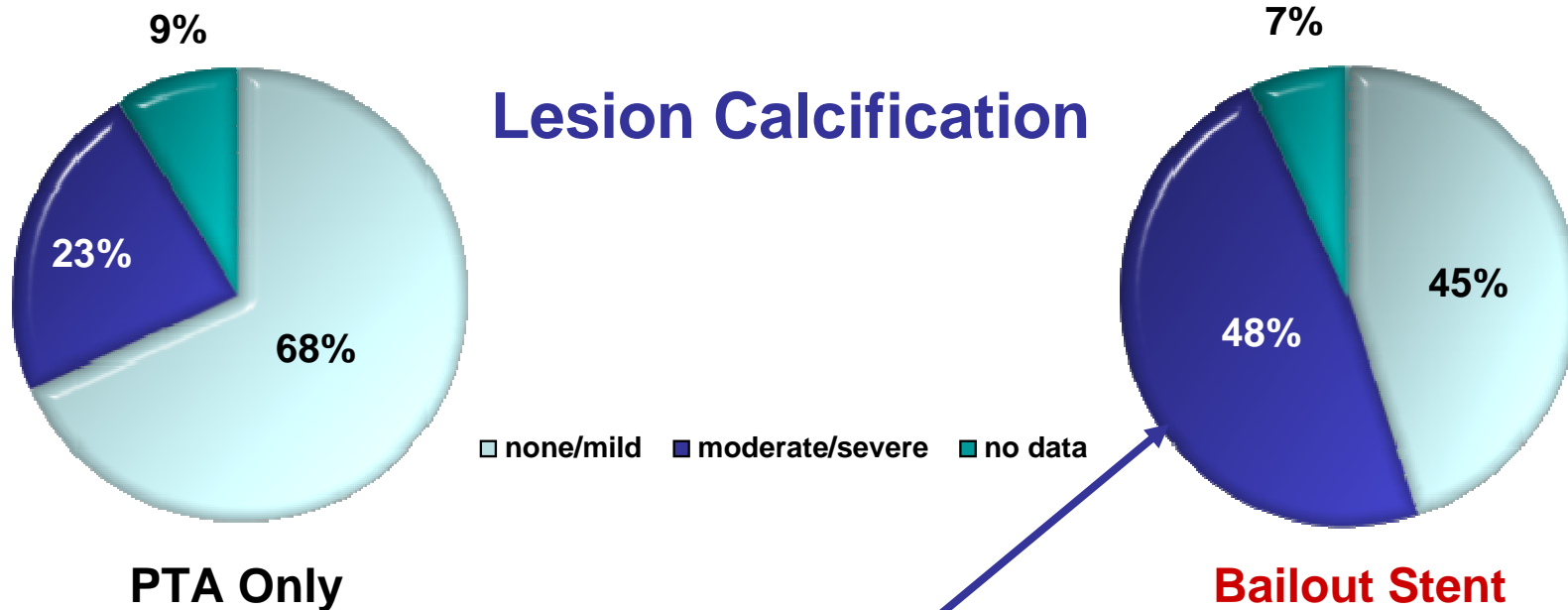


Mean Lesion Length / Patient (mm)



* = Site Reported
+ = Statistically Significant

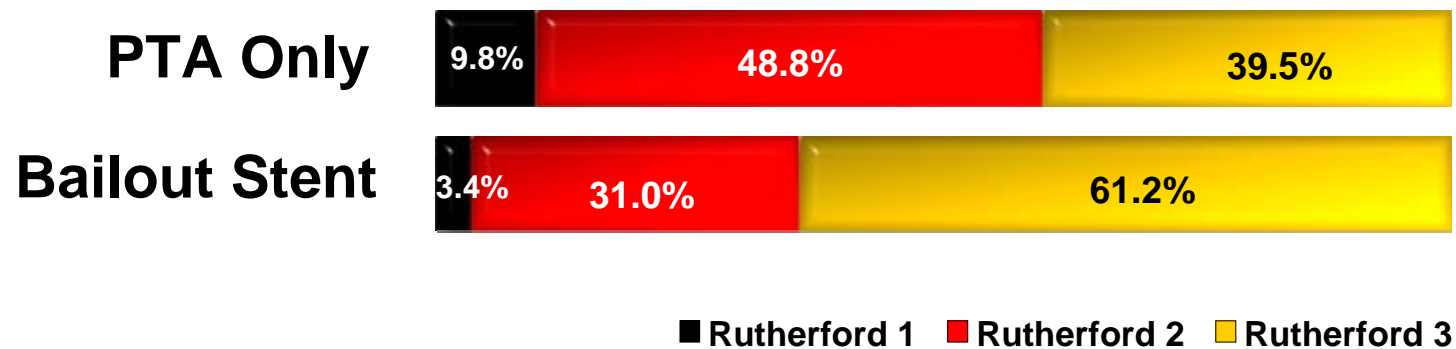
Bailout Lesion Characteristics



Bailout lesions tended to be more heavily calcified than the PTA-only lesions

Bailout Patient Characteristics

Rutherford Classification



Bailout stenting patients tended to have more severe claudication than the PTA-only patients

RESILIENT: Peri-Procedural Results

Measure (per lesion)	Control Group	Test Group	p-value
Lesion Success ^{†(n)} residual stenosis < 30%	71.6% (58/68)	85.6% (131/136)	0.01 [#]

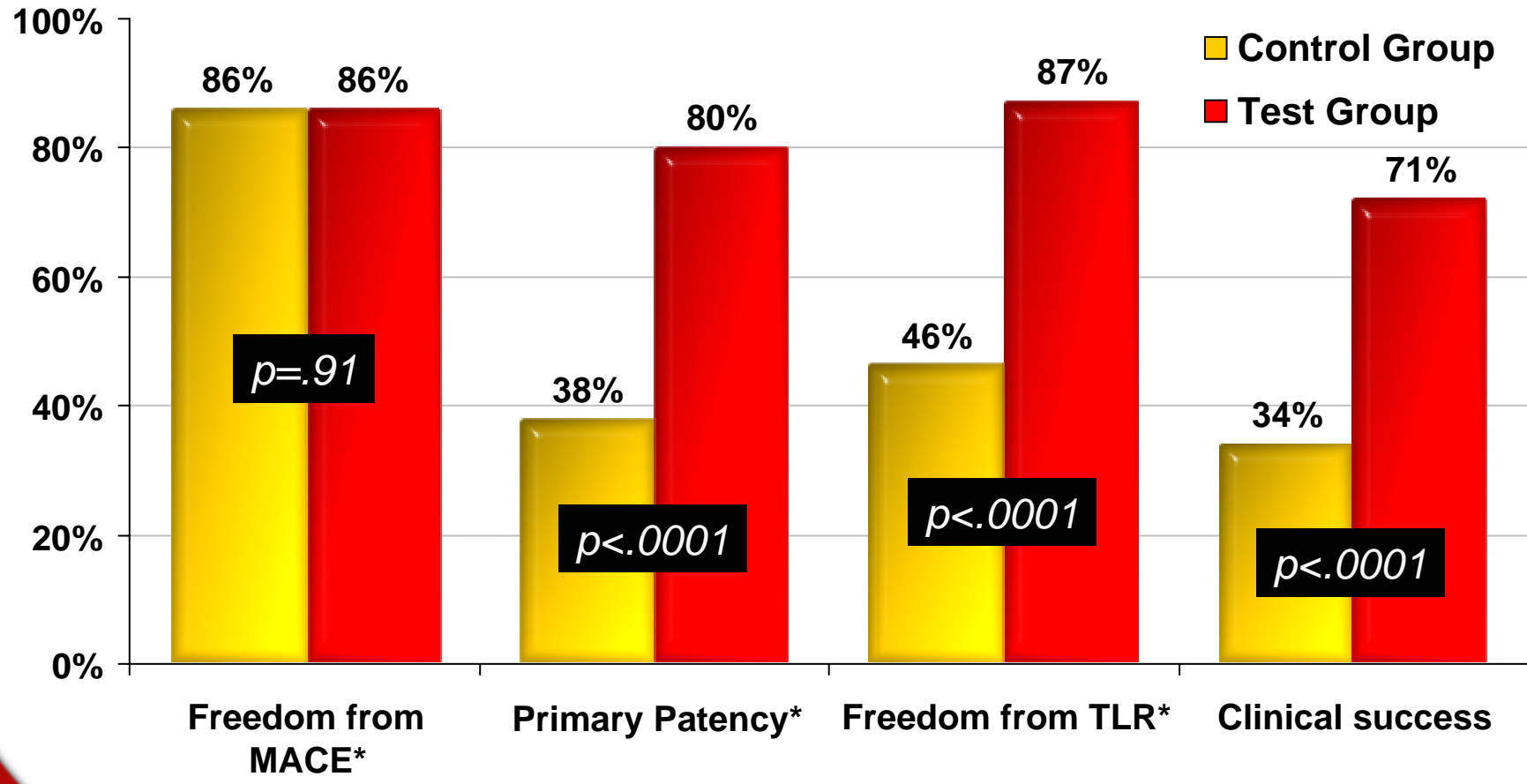
Measure (per patient)	Control Group	Test Group	p-value
Procedure Success ^{†(n)} residual stenosis < 30% and no peri-procedural complications	70.8% (51/59)	85.1% (114/119)	0.02 [#]

† = Core Lab Analysis
= Fisher's Exact Test

RESILIENT: Outcome Definitions

- **MACE (Major Adverse Clinical Events)**
 - Death, stroke, MI, significant distal embolization, emergent surgical revascularization of the limb, thrombosis, and Rutherford category worsening post-procedure.
- **Patency**
 - A failure of primary patency is any TLR or binary restenosis greater than 50%. DUS Peak Systolic Velocity (PSV) ratio < 2.5 is considered patent.
- **Target Lesion Revascularization (TLR)**
 - “Clinically-driven” repeat intervention of the target lesion
- **Clinical Success**
 - An improvement of baseline symptoms by at least one Rutherford category as a result of the test or control procedure and sustained through follow-up (with no additional intervention).

RESILIENT: 12-Month Results



*Data from Kaplan-Meier Survival Analysis

RESILIENT: Study Summary

- 206 Patients (claudicants) were enrolled at 24 sites:
 - SFA and proximal popliteal lesions < 150 mm
 - Randomly allocated to “PTA only” or “PTA + LifeStent®”
- Baseline characteristics were similar for both groups.
- Mean stented length (Test Group): **99 mm ± 50 mm**

RESILIENT : 12-Month Results

	Control Group	Test Group
Primary Patency	38%	80%
Freedom from TLR	46%	87%

RESILIENT: Stent Fracture Observations

Fracture Type	Total 0-12 months	2 or more overlapping stents	Stent Elongation at deployment	Locations*	Lesion Moderate - Severe Calcification
Type I	4	1 of 4	1 of 4	MMMD	2 of 4
Type II	-	-	-	-	-
Type III	-	-	-	-	-
Type IV	5	4 of 5	5 of 5	MMMMP	3 of 5

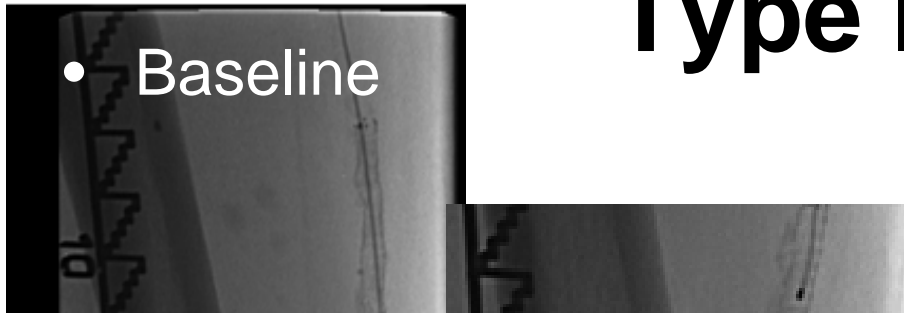
Period 0 – 12 months	TOTAL
Fractured Stents	9
Fracture Rate [#]	3.2%

9 stent fractures / 280 stents evaluated by the angiographic core lab

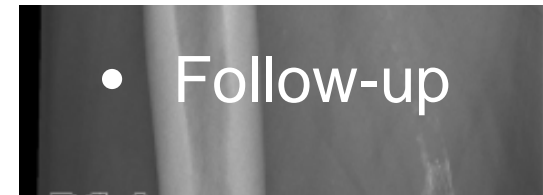
* Per Core Lab Analysis:
M=Mid SFA; D=Distal SFA; P=Popliteal

RESILIENT: Stent Fracture Type IV

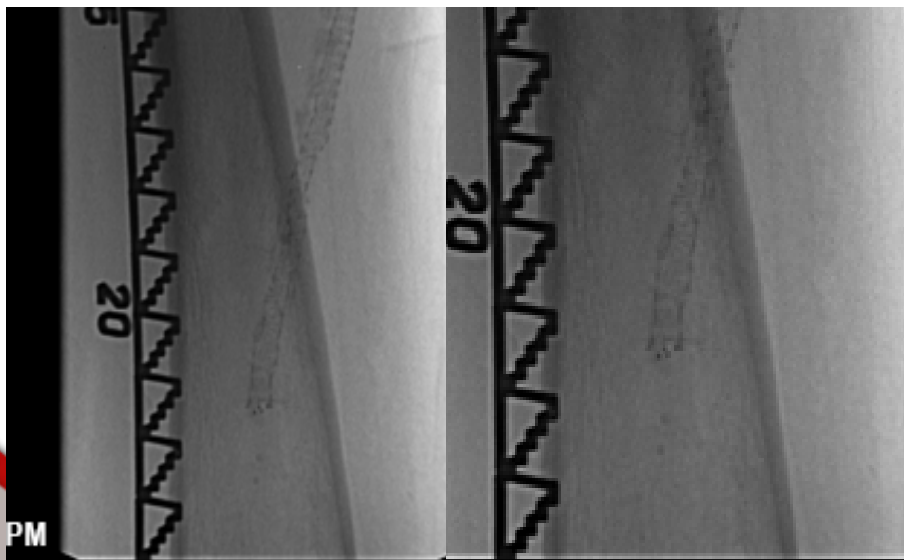
- Baseline



- Follow-up



None of the Stent Fractures were associated with restenosis at 12 months



RESILIENT: Study Observations

- “Longer” and/or “more calcified” lesions did not respond sufficiently to a PTA-only strategy:
 - The bailout stenting rate in the Control Group was 40.2%
- A low fracture rate:
 - Observed fractures may be partially explained by elongation of the stent at deployment.
 - A “One Stent” strategy is recommended when possible.

RESILIENT: Study Conclusions

RESILIENT's Level 1 evidence illustrated:

- In claudicants with SFA/ proximal popliteal lesions shorter than 150 mm, a **primary stenting strategy with the LifeStent® was superior to a PTA-only strategy ...**
 - **Peri-procedurally** – as evidenced by lesion success and procedure success; and at
 - **One year** – as evidenced by primary patency, freedom from TLR, and clinical success
- A PTA-only strategy has a role in patients with less complex lesions (i.e., shorter, less heavily calcified)
- Use of the LifeStent® did **not** lead to a higher rate of “Major Adverse Clinical Events” than PTA alone

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