



MEET 2015
MULTIDISCIPLINARY EUROPEAN
ENDOVASCULAR THERAPY

BUILDING
ENDOVASCULAR
SYNERGIES

OFF THE SHELF SOLUTION: SELECTION BASED ON PLANNING

N. MANGIALARDI MD
San Filippo Neri Hospital
Roma Italy

Disclosure

Speaker name:

.....NICOLA MANGIALARDI.....

I have the following potential conflicts of interest to report:

- Consulting GORE, CORDIS, TRIVASCULAR
- Employment in industry
- Shareholder in a healthcare company
- Owner of a healthcare company
- Other(s)

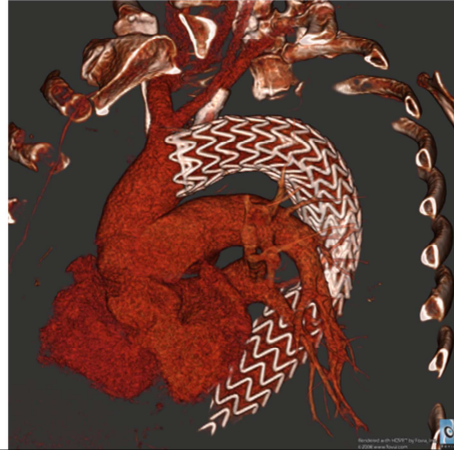
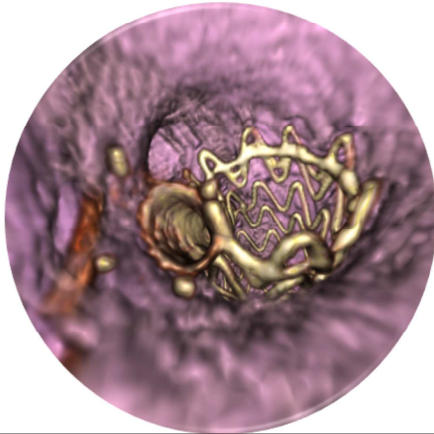
- I do not have any potential conflict of interest

Chimney Technique for Aortic Arch Pathologies: An 11-Year Single-Center Experience

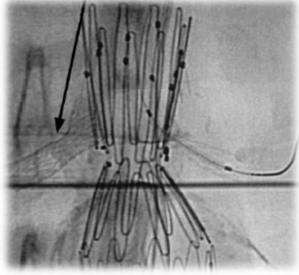
**Nicola Mangialardi, MD; Eugenia Serrao, MD; Holta Kasemi, MD; Vittorio Alberti, MD;
Stefano Fazzini, MD; and Sonia Ronchey, MD, PhD**

Department of Vascular Surgery, San Filippo Neri Hospital, Rome, Italy.

J Endovasc Ther. 2014;21:312-323



RECENTLY WE PUBLISHED OUR EXPERIENCE ON CHIMNEY
TECHINQUE THAT I CONSIDER THE QUEEN OF OTS SOLUTIONS



RK Greenberg JVS 2003



T Larzon EJVES 2005

Born as a rescue
CHIMNEY/PERISCOPE/
DOUBLE BARREL:

preservation of
overstented vessels
with bare or covered
stent parallel to the
aortic graft

BECAUSE IT WAS FIRSTLY DESCRIBED AS A RESCUE FOR
UNVULONTARY COVERAGE OF SUPRAORTIC VESSELS



Born as a rescue (our experience)
..unintended coverage of aortic branch

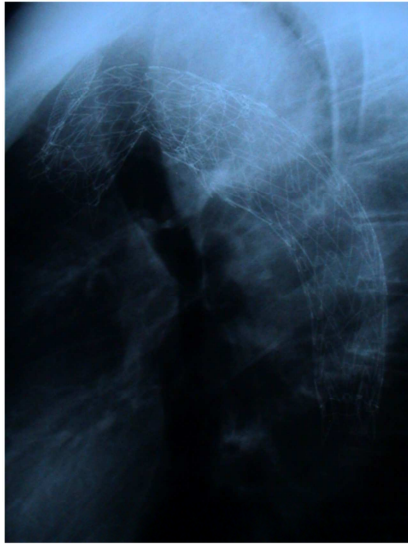
1. 06/2002 overstenting of the **LCCA**

2. 12/2002 overstenting of the **IA**

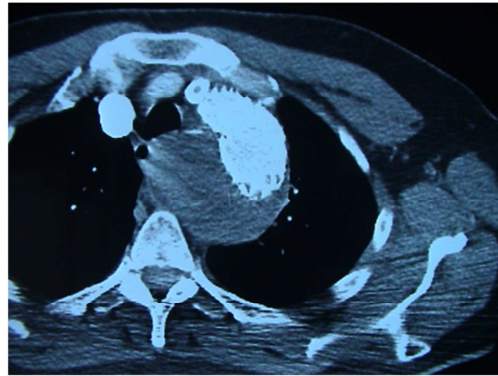


AS WELL AS IN OUR EXPERIENCE WITH 2 RESCUE CASES

OVERSTENTING LCCA

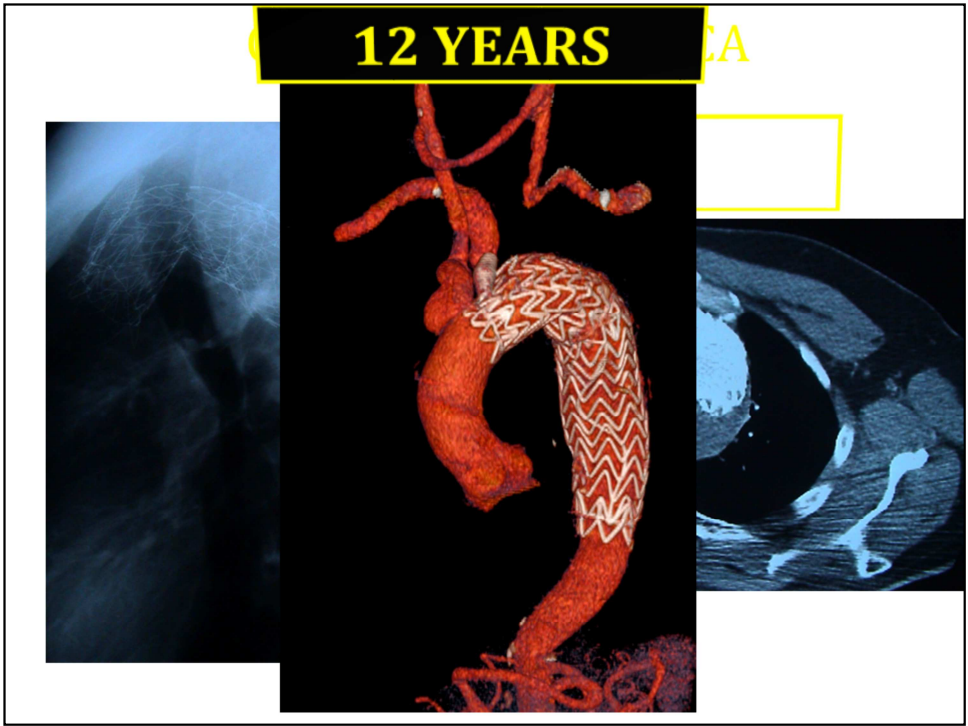


**OCCLUDED
22 MTHS**

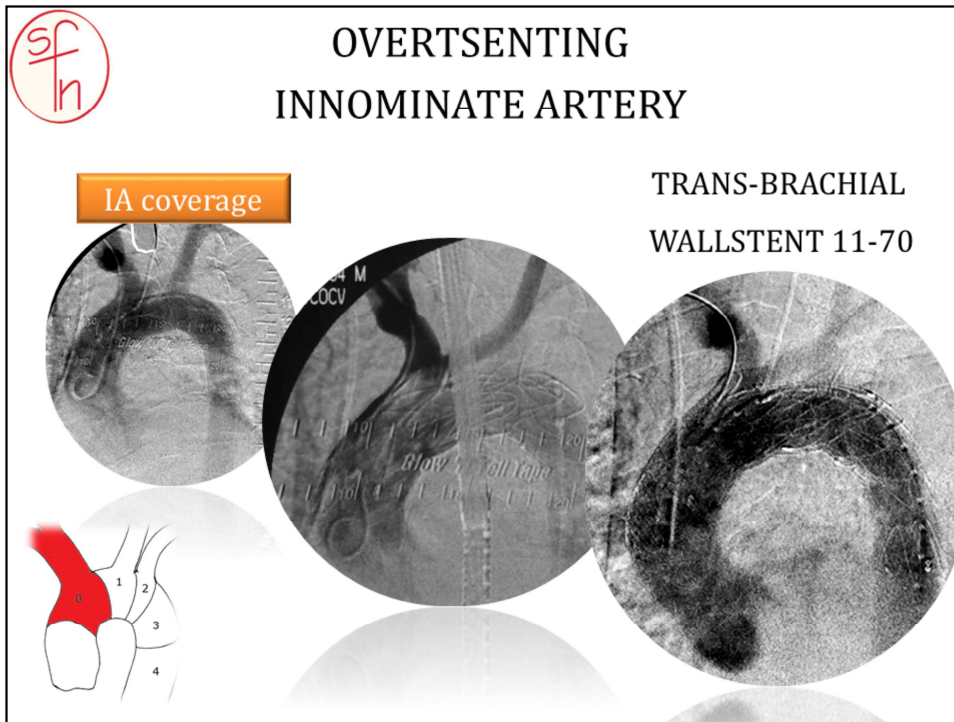


THE ONE FOR AN A LCCA OVERSTENTING ,

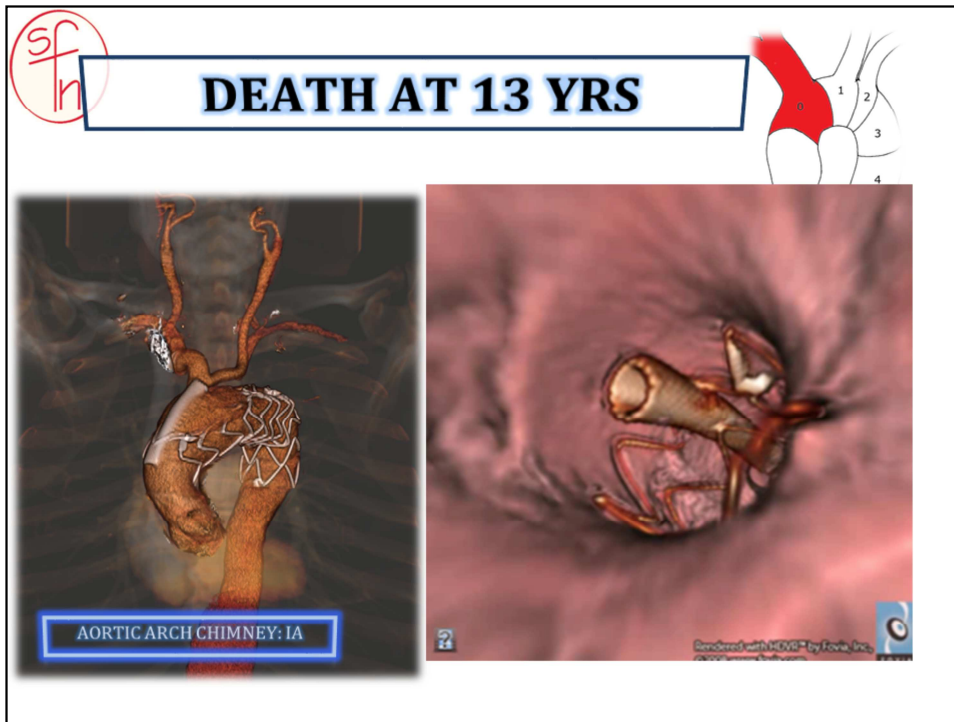
THE STENT WAS PROBABLY TOO SHORT AND ASYMPTOMATICALLY
OCCLUDED AFTER 22 MONTHS



AND WAS RESCUED WITH A CAROTID-CAROTID BYPASS



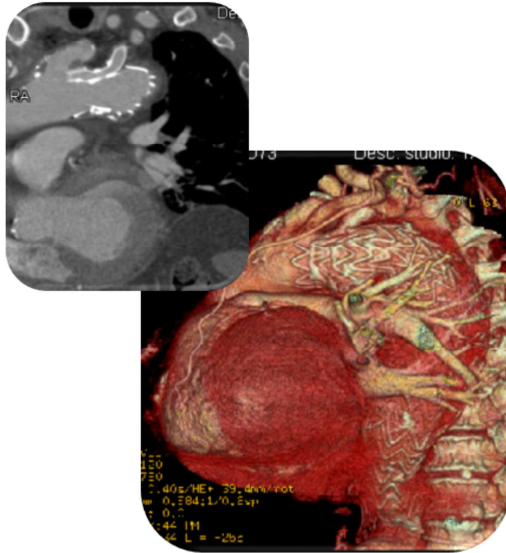
THIS IS THE SECOND CASE, HERE A BARE STENT WAS USED TO RESTORE PERFUSION AFTER AN ACCIDENTAL COVERAGE OF THE INNOMINATE ARTERY



THE PATIENT DIED FOR PULMONARY COMPLICATIONS WITH HIS CHIMNEY STILL PATENT




BETWEEN 2002 & 2008 RESCUE



LSA	1
LSA+LCCA	1
LCCA	1

IN THE SUBSEQUENT YEARS WE TREATED ALWAYS FOR RESCUE
SPORADICAL CASES

 **The Chimney Graft, a Systematic Review**
Jip L. Tolenaar,^{1,2} Jasper W. van Keulen,^{1,3,4} Santi Trimarchi,² Bart E. Muhs,³ Frans L. Moll,¹ and Joost A. van Herwaarden,¹ Utrecht, The Netherlands; Milan, Italy; and New Haven, Connecticut
 Ann Vasc Surg - od 2012

Endovascular Chimney Technique of Aortic Arch Pathologies: A Systematic Review
Jian Yang,^{1,2} Jiang Xiong,¹ Xiaoping Liu,¹ Xin Jia,¹ Yating Zhu,¹ and Wei Guo,¹ Beijing, People's Republic of China
 Ann Vasc Surg - od 2012

Triple-barrel Graft as a Novel Strategy to Preserve Arch-TEVAR Procedures: Clinical Study
R. Shahverdyan,¹ M. G. ...

Triple-barrel Graft as a Novel Strategy to Preserve Arch-TEVAR Procedures: Clinical Study
... Ilias Dalainas¹, George S. Sfyroeras¹, Fotis ...
 Ann Cardiothorac Surg 2013;2(3):339-346

Value and limitations of chimney grafts to treat arch lesions

Mean Morbidity 15,84%
Mean Mortality 4,2%
Mean Follow up 10,28 months

J CARDIOVASC SURG 2015;56:503-11 N. MANGIALARDI¹, S. RONCHEY¹, A. MALAJ², S. FAZZINI¹
 V. ALBERTI¹, V. ARDITA¹, M. ORRICO¹, M. LACHAT³

WITH GOOD RESULTS CONFIRMED BY ONGOING LITERATURE



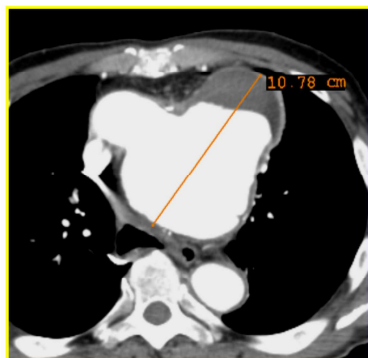
2008 PLANNED

INNOMINATE ARTERY CHIMNEY

•81 YRS – 108 mm ATA

•COPD (O₂ Dep)- CAD - HTA

•UNFIT FOR TOT DEBRANCH/



TECHNIQUE

•RETROPHARYNGEAL HEMIARCH
DEBRANCHNG

> CUT-DOWN

•R/t FEMORAL

•R/t BRACHIAL

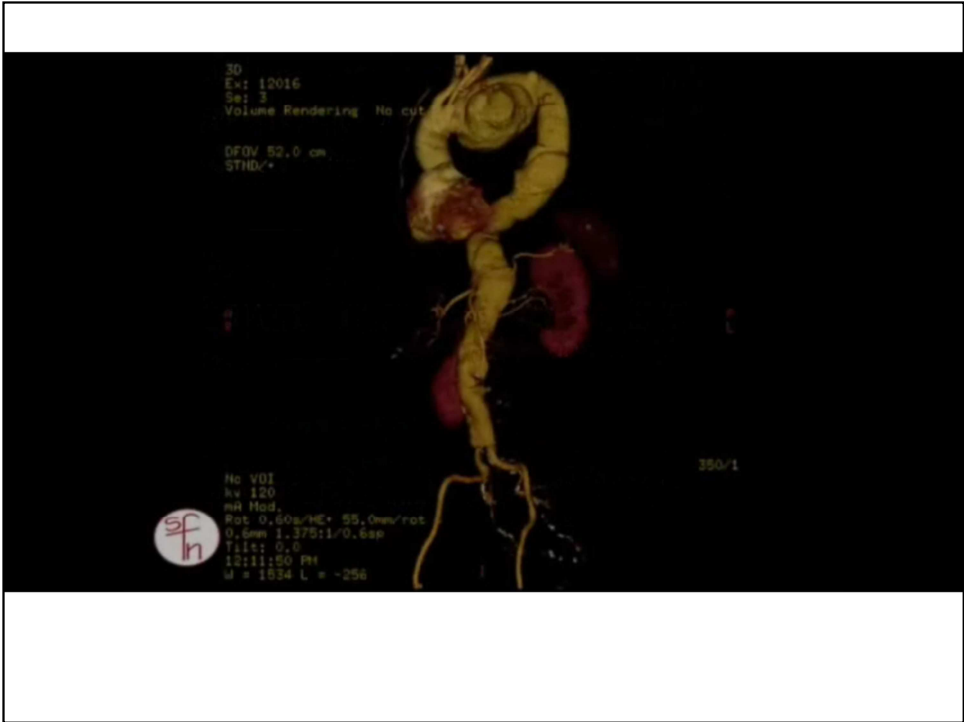
MATERIALS

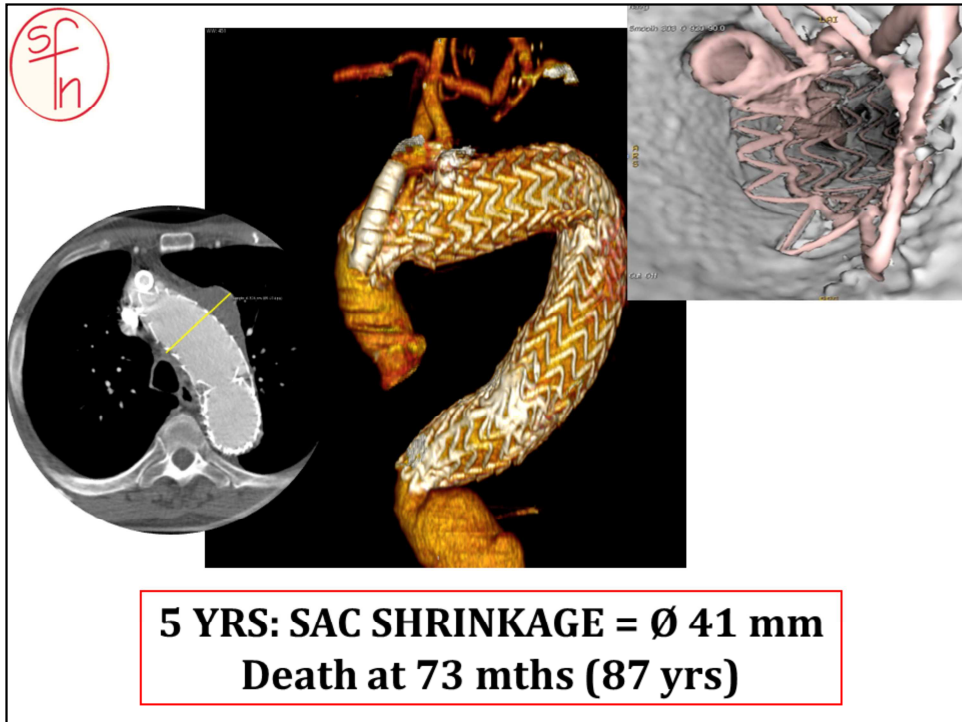
•GORE TAG 40 (20+15)

•GORE HEMOBAHN 11 - 50

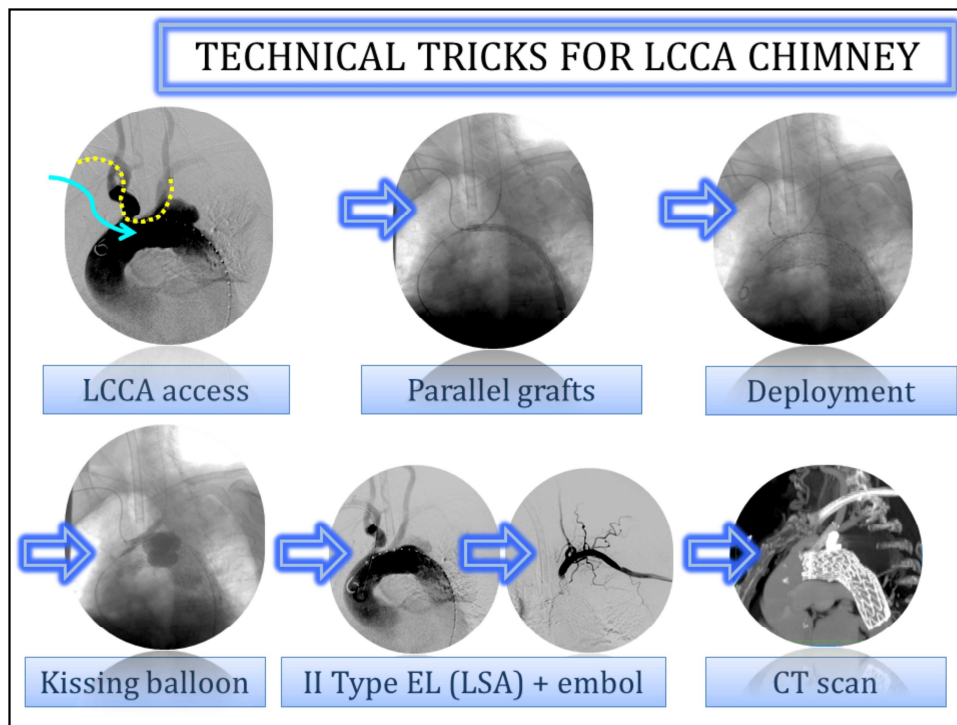
•WALLSTENT 12 - 40

THIS IS WHY IN 2008 WE PLANNED A CHIMNEY STRATEGY IN THIS HIGH RISK PATIENT WITH A HUGE, SYMPTOMATIC ANEURYSM TURNED DOWN FROM ANY OTHER OPTION



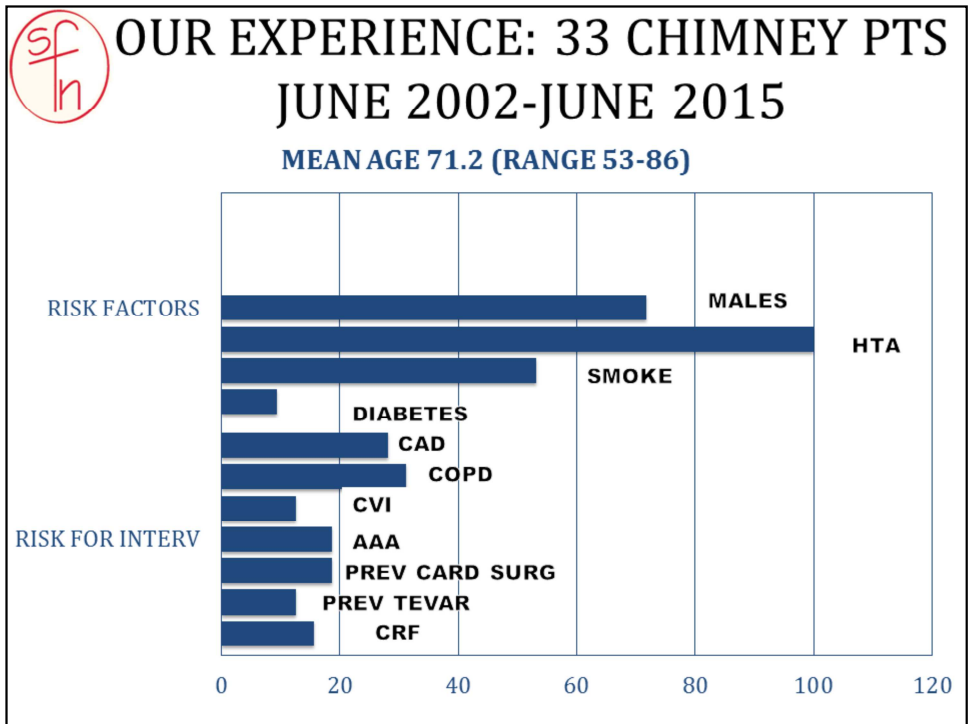


AND YOU CAN SEE WE OBTAINED A DRAMATIC SHRINKAGE OF 5 CM DURING FOLLOW UP



IN SOME CASES TO AVOID CUTDOWN FOR LEFT C CAROTID CHIMNEY WE FOUND USEFUL THE INSERTION OF THE CHIMNEY GRAFT FROM THE RIGHT BRACHIAL ARTERY

THE CANNULATION OF THE LCCA FROM A RIGHT BRACHIAL ACCESS TO INSERT THE PARALLELL GRAFT



GLOBALLY OUR EXPERIENCE CONSIST IN 33 CASES COLLECTED OVER 13 YEARS



OUR EXPERIENCE - 33 CASES JUN 2002 - JUNE 2015

- INDICATIONS

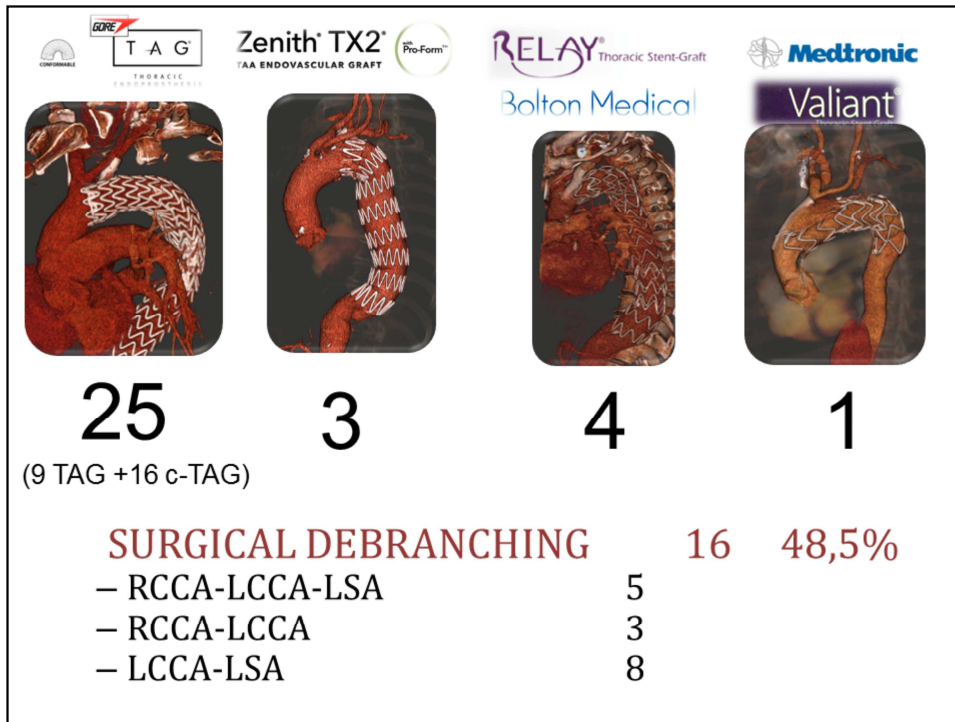
– EMERGENCY	9 (5 salvage)	27,3%
– PLANNED	24	72,7%

- PATHOLOGY

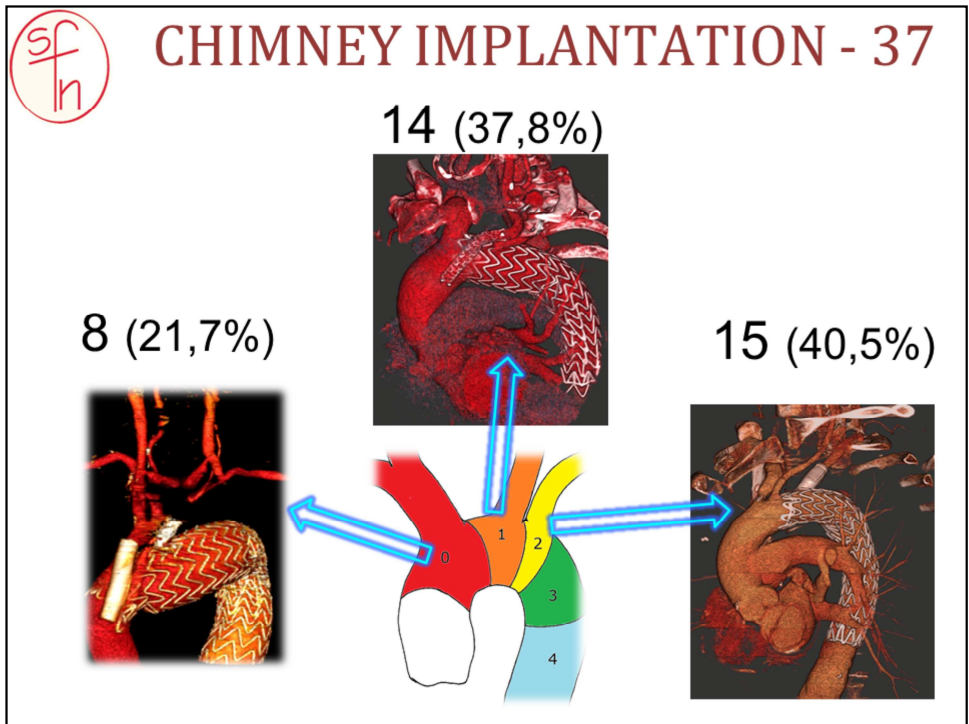
– TAA	17	51,6%
– TYPE B DISS	13	39,4%
– EL type I (TEVAR)	2	6,0%
– PAU	1	3,0%

9 CASES WERE DONE IN EMERGENCY, THE OTHER WERE PLANNED FOR COMORBIDITIES OR PREVIOUS CARDIAC SURGERY.

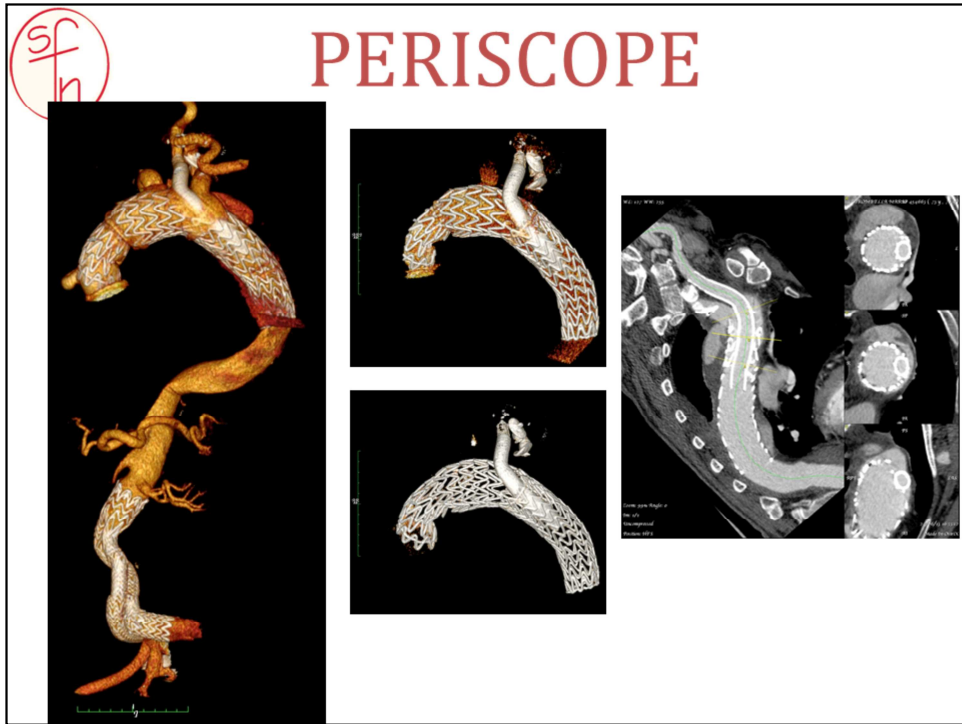
ANEURYSM and dissections were the MOST FREQUENT LESION but we used the technique even in 2 cases of type one endoleak



IN THE MAJORITY OF CASES WE USED THE GORE GRAFT AND CERVICAL DEBRANCHING WAS ASSOCIATED IN MORE THAN 40%







25% OF THE CHIMNEY WERE PLACED IN THE INNOMINATE ARTERY



AND IN TWO CASES WITH UNFAVOURABLE VESSEL TAKE OFF WE PERFORMED A PERISCOPE

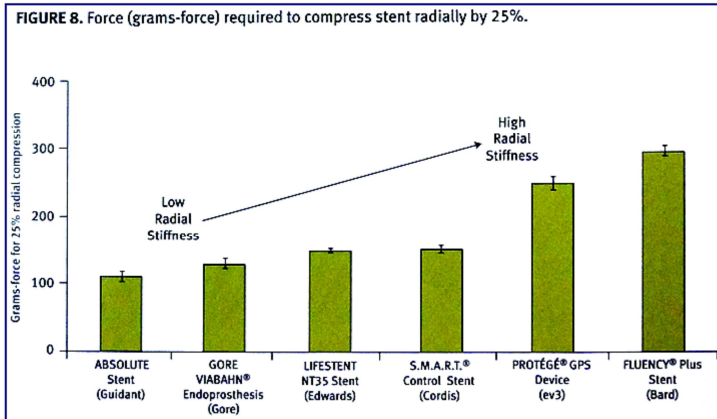
DEVICE
THOR/ S-G radial force

				
Proximal sealing zone	100	30	40	38
Distal sealing zone	42	30	43	15
Body spring	41	31	9	23

THE SG RADIAL FORCE

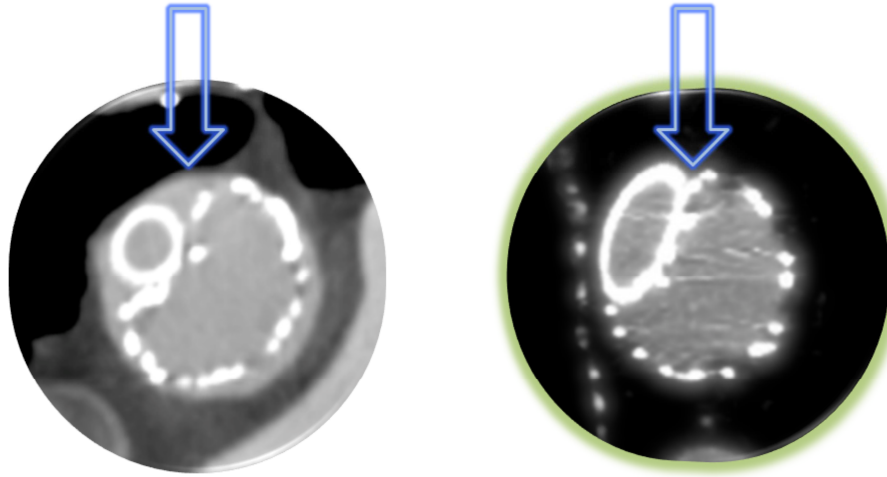
DEVICE

Choice of parallel graft:
flexibility \approx radial force



AS WELL AS THE FEATURES OF THE CHIMNEYS GRAFT MUST BE CONSIDERED WHEN PLANNING FOR THE OVERSIZING

ENDOLEAK: GUTTERS



TO REDUCE THE EL GUTTERS

Aortic graft Oversizing options

1. 20%
2. 30%
3. 30% for 2 vessels
40% for 3 vessels
4. $0,72 \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

WHAT WE CURRENTLY ADOPT IS A MAIN GRAFT OVERSIZING BETWEEN 20 AND 30 %, ACCORDING TO LACHAT FORMULA

Aortic graft Oversizing options

$$4. 0,72 \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \quad (\text{Lachat})$$

Oversizing 25-35%
for double chimney
Lower for larger diameter



OR HIGHER FOR MORE COMPONENTS



CHIMNEY GRAFT

(OUR EXPERIENCE)

– HEMO/VIABAHN	28 (15 REINF)
– GORE LEG	3 (1 REINF)
– ADVANTA	1 (REINF)
– WALLSTENT	2
– BIOTRONIK	2
– PROTEGE'	4
– VISI-PRO	1

AS PARALL GRAFT WE USED SELF EXPANDABLE BARE STENT MAINLY FOR RESCUE AND VIABAHN FOR PLANNED CASES REINFORCED WITH BARE STENT IN PRESENCE OF SHARP ANGLE AND ALWAYS WHEN THE CHIMNEY WAS FOR THE INNOMINATE ARTERY

LIMB GRAFTS CAN BE NECESSARY IN CASE OF LARGE ARTERY DIAMETERS



30 DAYS RESULTS

- TECHNICAL SUCCESS 100%

- MORTALITY 3 9.1%
(RETR TYPE A-CEREBR HEMORR-RESP FAILURE)

- COMPLICATIONS 7 21.2%
 - MINOR STROKE (2 RUPT-1 ELECT) 3
 - PARAPARESIS 1
 - TYPE I EL 0
 - OTHERS (minor) 3

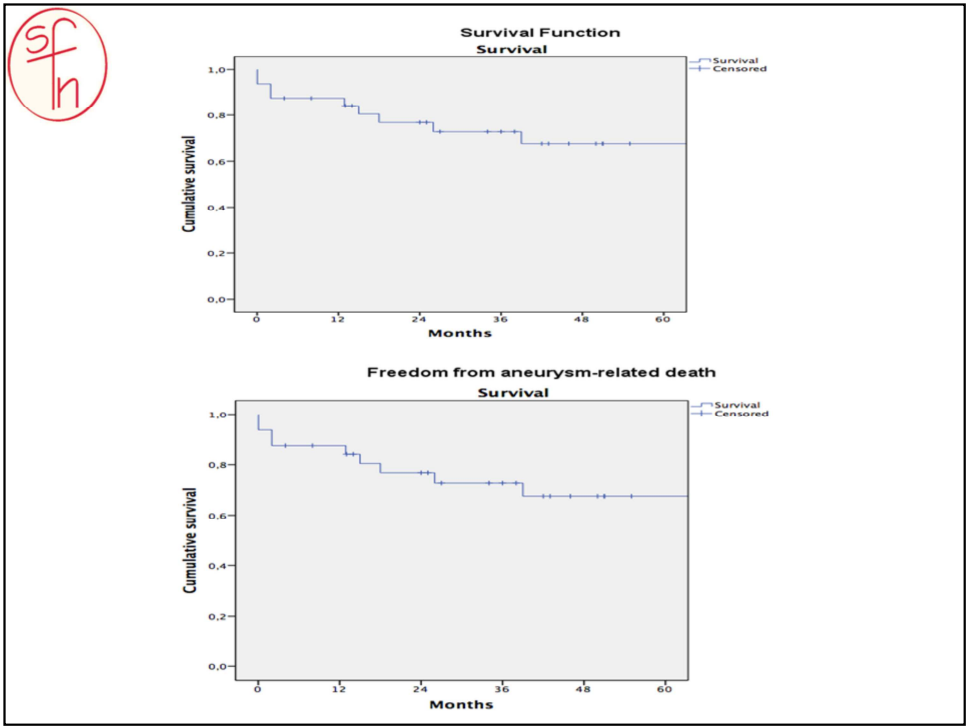
TECHNICAL SUCCESS WAS 100% AS IN OTHER EXPERIENCE
WE HAD 9 % OF MORTALITY
ONE PATENT DIED FOR RETROGRADE DISSECTION
3 MINOR STROKES OCCURRED TWO OF WHICH IN EMERGENCY
NO TYPE ONE ENDOLEAK WAS DETECTED AT COMPLETION
ANGIOGRAPHY



MORTALITY (23.3%) 7/30
MEAN FOLLOW-UP 42.3 MTHS
(1-151)

- ANEUR RUPT (MYCOTIC)	1	(3 MTHS)
- CONG HEART FAIL	1	(27 MTHS)
- RESPIRATORY FAILURE	1	(6 MTHS)
- CANCER	2	(14-73 MTHS)
- IMA	2	(2-151 MTHS)

AT 3 AND HALF YEARS FOLLOW UP WE HAD 4 DEATH ONLY ONE
PTHOLOGY RELATED DUE TO A MICOTIC ANEURYSM RUPTURE



THESE ARE THE SURVIVAL AND FREEDOM FROM ANEURYSM RELATED DEATH



CHIMNEY GRAFT COMPLIC. 4 (13.3%)

MEAN F-UP 42.3 MTHS (MIN 1-151)

- LSA ASYMPT OCCL 1 (11 MTHS)
- LCCA ASYMPT OCCL 1 (22 MTHS)
(TREATED → BYPASS)

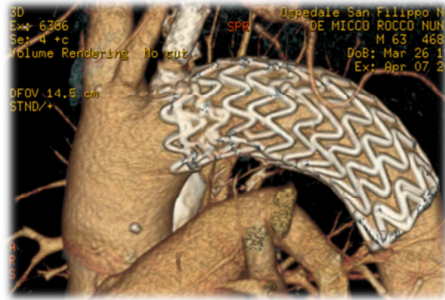
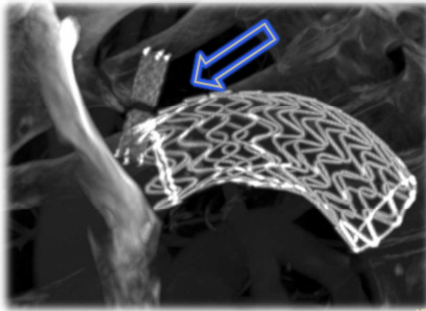
- STENT FRACTURE (ASYMPT) 1 (2 MTHS)
- VIABAHN STENOSIS 1 (24 MTHS)

WE OBSERVED 4 ASYMPTOMATIC CHIMNEY GRAFT COMPLICATIONS: 2 OCCLUSIONS, ONE ALREADY SHOWN, TREATED BECAUSE OF THE LEFT COMMON CAROTID ARTERY;

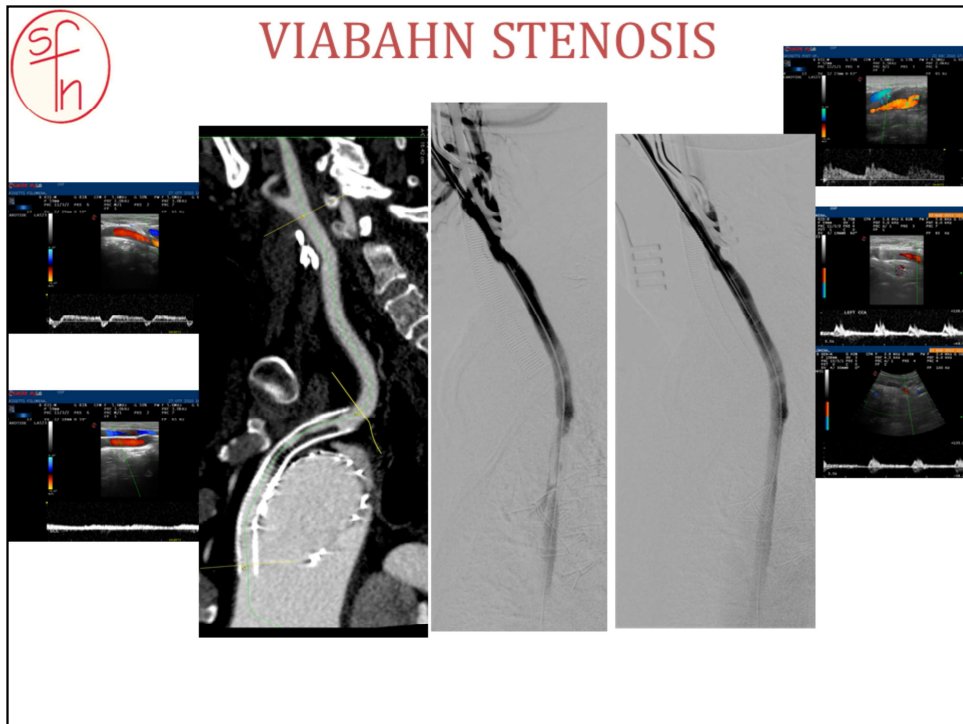
STENT FRACTURE

LSA Stent Fracture
after 2 months

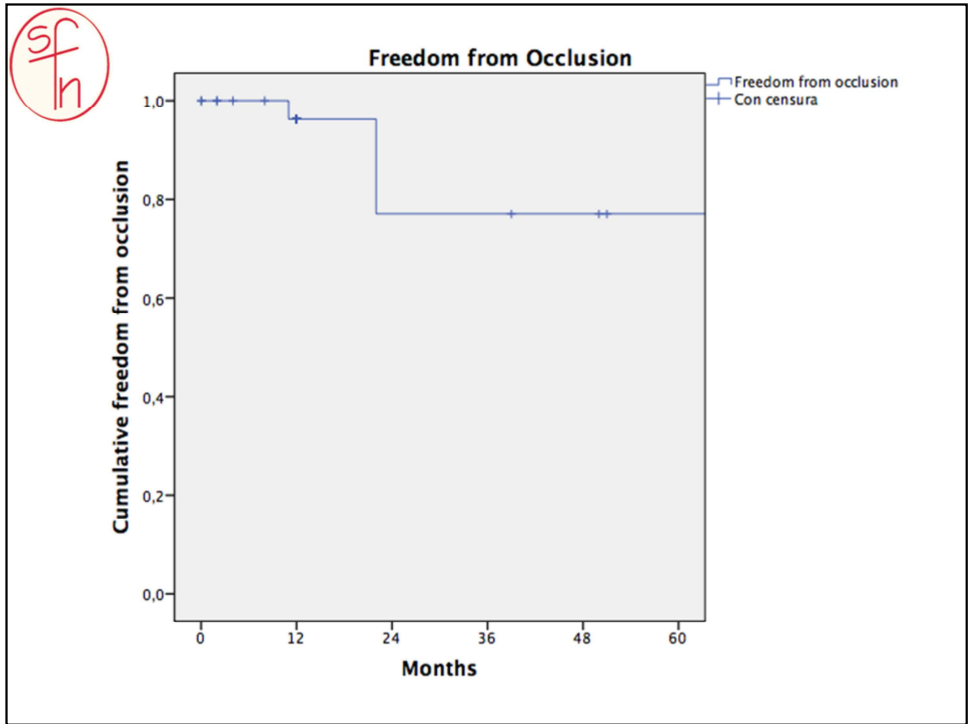
PATENT AT 54 mths



THE CHIMNEY WITH STENT FRACTURE IS STILL PATENT AND WAS LEFT UNTREATED



THE VIABAHN STENOSIS WAS TREATED BY ANGIOPLASTY AND STENTING VIA EXTERNAL CAROTID ARTERY



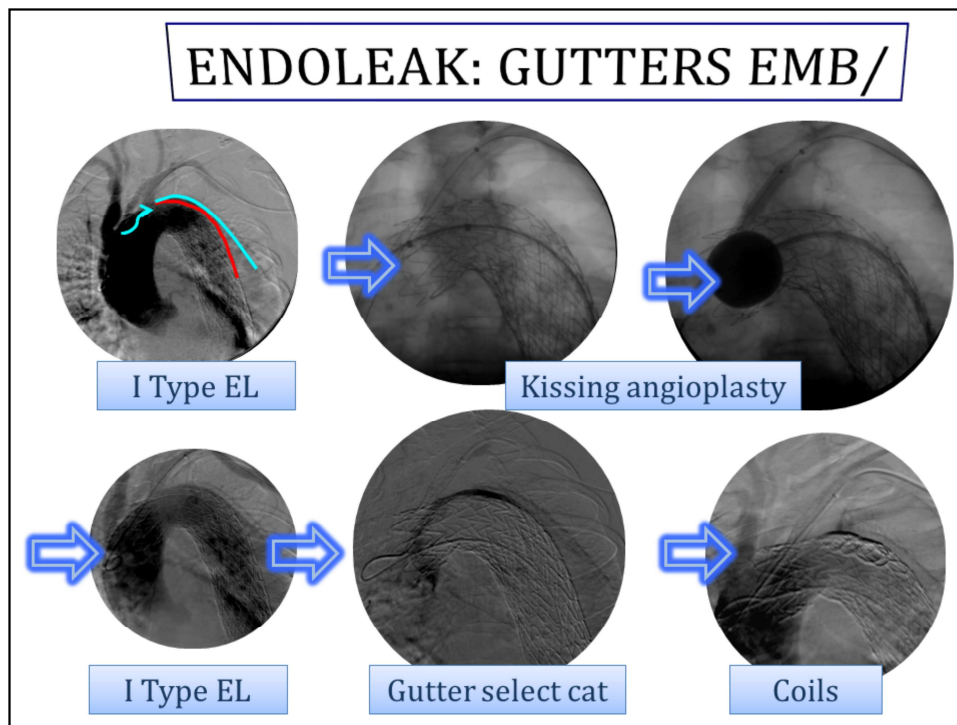
AND THIS IS THE FREEDOM FROM OCCLUSION CURVE



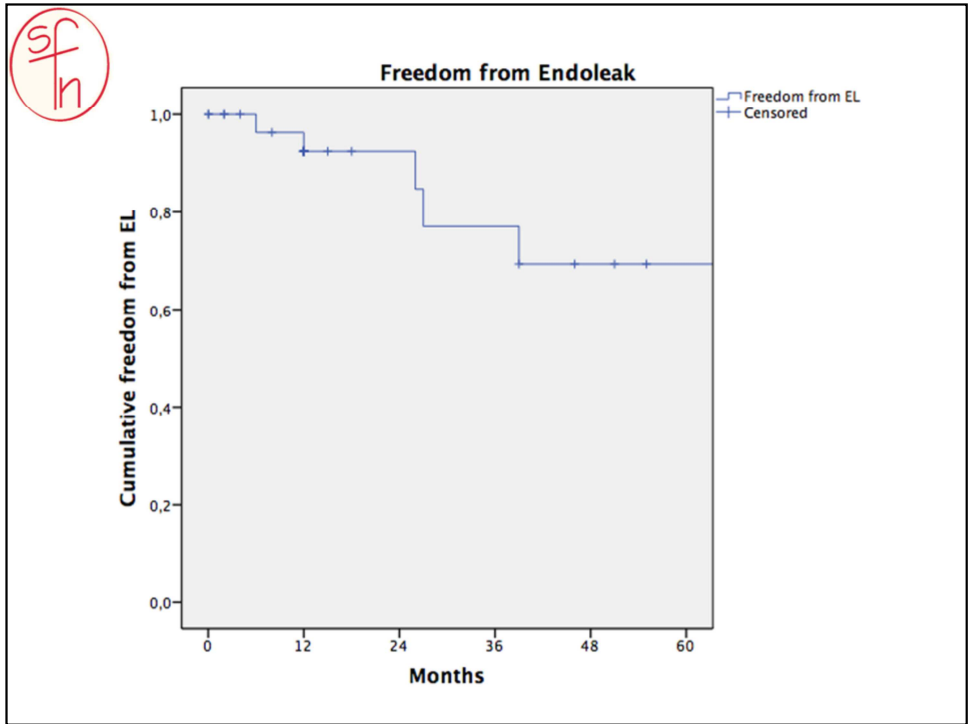
TYPE I ENDOLEAK (20%)
MEAN F-UP 42.3 MTHS (MIN 1-151)

- Ia 5
 - Sac enlargement 2 (IA 6 mths - LSA 10 mths)
(2 embolization + 1 ascending replacement)
 - w/out sac enlargement 3 (LCCA)(IA)(LCCA+LSA)
(91 yrs / lung K → death / COPD & tracheostomy)
- Ib 1 (47 mths)
(distal extension)

DURING FOLLOW UP 6 PATIENTS DEVELOPED TYPE ONE ENDOLEAK, THE ONE WITH TYPE ONE B WAS TREATED BY DISTAL EXTENSION, 3 WERE LEFT UNTREATED BECAUSE OBSERVED IN PROHIBITIVE RISK PATIENTS AND W/OUT SAC ENLARGEMENT, 2 WERE TREATED BY EMBOLIZATION AND ONE WAS EVEN TREATED FOR AN ASCENDING DILATATION BY THE CARDIAC SURGEON



THIS IS ONE OF THE TWO: AFTER AN INEFFECTIVE REDO KISSING BALLON ANGIOPLASTY WE PERFORMED A TRANSFEMORAL COILS EMBOLIZATION



AND THIS IS THE TYPE ONE ENDOLEAK FREE SURVIVAL CURVE



RIGHT STENT GRAFT LANDING ZONE



TO PREVENT
RETROGRADE TYPE A

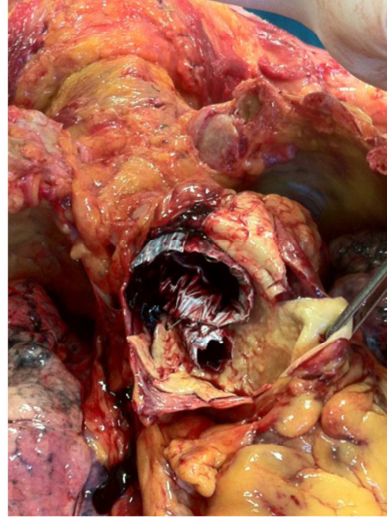






RETROGRADE TYPE A

Day 4 sudden death



Aortic arch debranching and thoracic endovascular repair

105 pts

Paola De Rango, MD, PhD,^b Piergiorgio Cao, MD, FRCS,^a Ciro Ferrer, MD,^a Gioele Simonte, MD,^b Carlo Coscarella, MD,^a Enrico Cieri, MD, PhD,^b Gabriele Pogany, MD,^a and Fabio Verzini, MD, PhD,^b Rome and Perugia, Italy

- ZONE 0 19
- ZONE I 51
- ZONE II 35

Overall, four de novo type A retrograde dissections were recorded at 30 days: three occurred in patients with zone 0 repair (two were lethal) and one after 10 days in a patient with zone 1 partial debranching who was successfully treated with ascending aorta replacement.

- MORTALITY 5.8% (4/6 ZONE 0)
2 RETR TYPE A
- STROKE 3.8% (1/3 ZONE 0)
- SCI 2.9%

(J Vasc Surg 2014;59:107-14.)



CHIMNEYS

- OFF THE SHELF
- FEASIBLE
- SAFE

- DURABLE

SO I THINK I CAN CONCLUDE THAT CHIMNEY TECHNIQUE IS NOT ONLY FEASIBLE AND SAFE IN THE IMMEDIATE BUT EVEN DURABLE IN THE LONG RUN

TYPE I ENDOLEAK IS STILL AN ISSUE

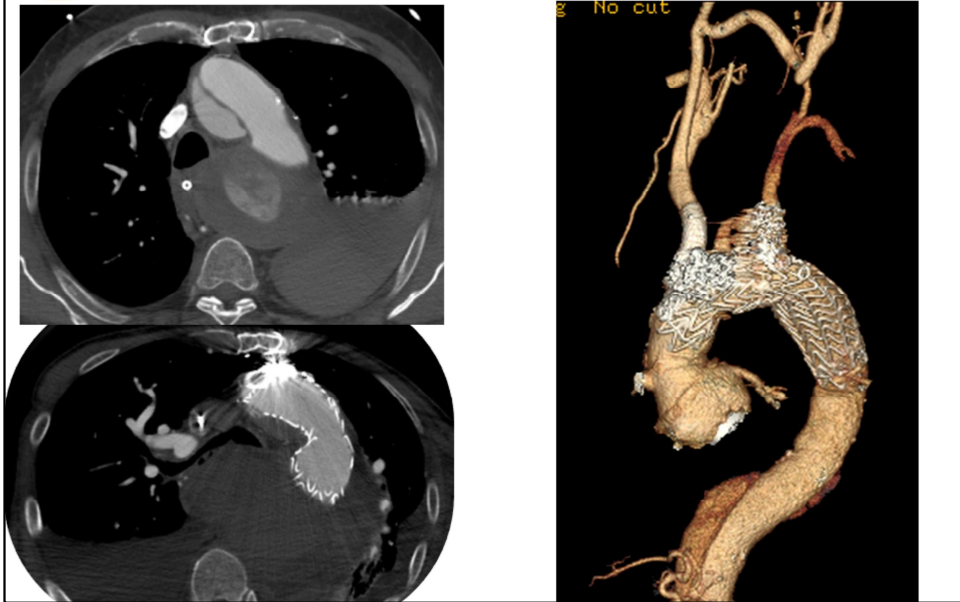


CHIMNEY ROLE

- ✓ RESCUE
- ✓ EMERGENCY
- ✓ HIGH RISK PATIENTS
- ✓ CUSTOM SG LIMITATION



CURRENT ROLE EMERGENCY



AND CERTAINLY CANNOT BE USE FOR URGENT CASES LIKE THIS
RUPTURE

