

Pulmonary Vein Stenosis

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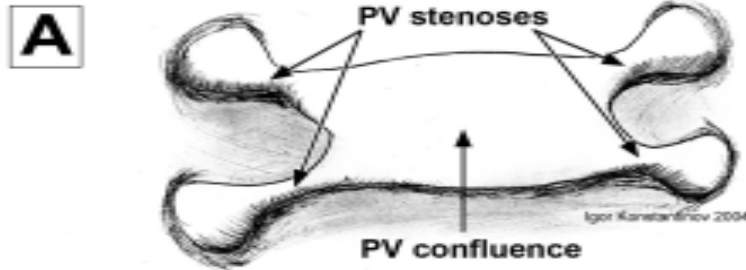
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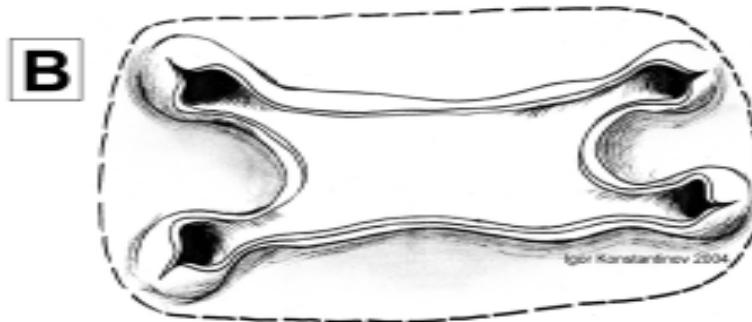
Pulmonary Vein Stenosis

- **Etiology: Acquired vs. Congenital**
- **Classification**
- **Indications for intervention**
 - : For individual vein (diffuse disease, atresia..)
 - : For patients
- **Surgical techniques**
 - : Excision vs. Incision
 - Sutureless Repair vs. Conventional technique

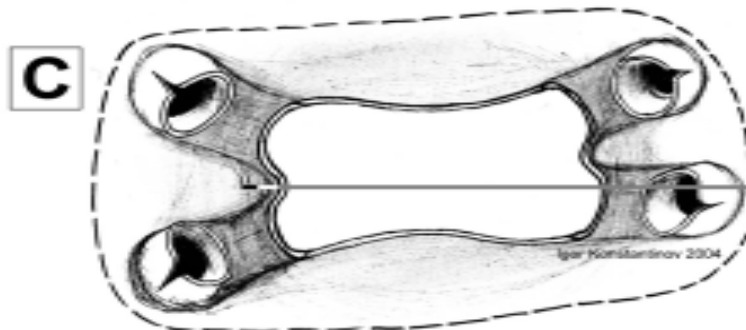
Excision vs. Incision



: PVS



: Incision of PV



: Excision of PV

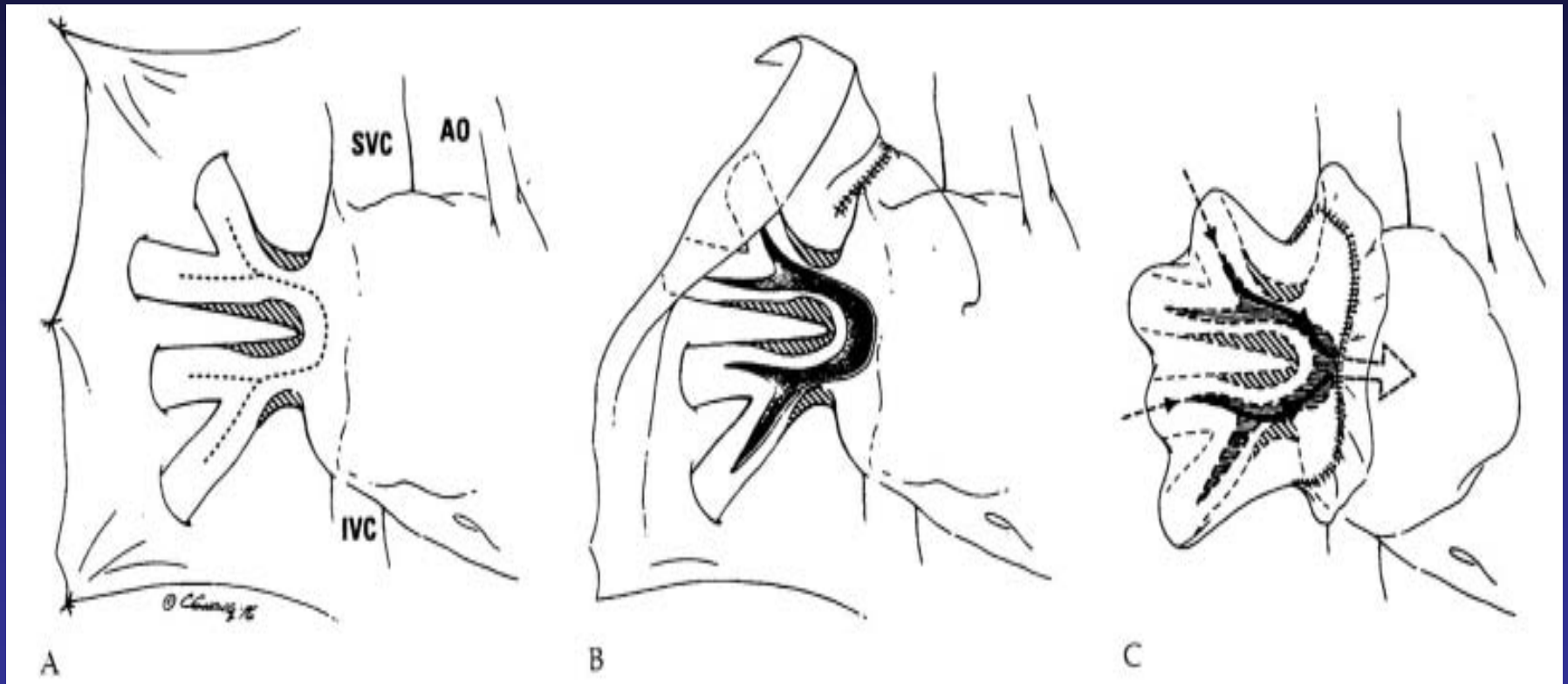
Sutureless technique for repair of pulmonary vein stenosis - Extension of indications -

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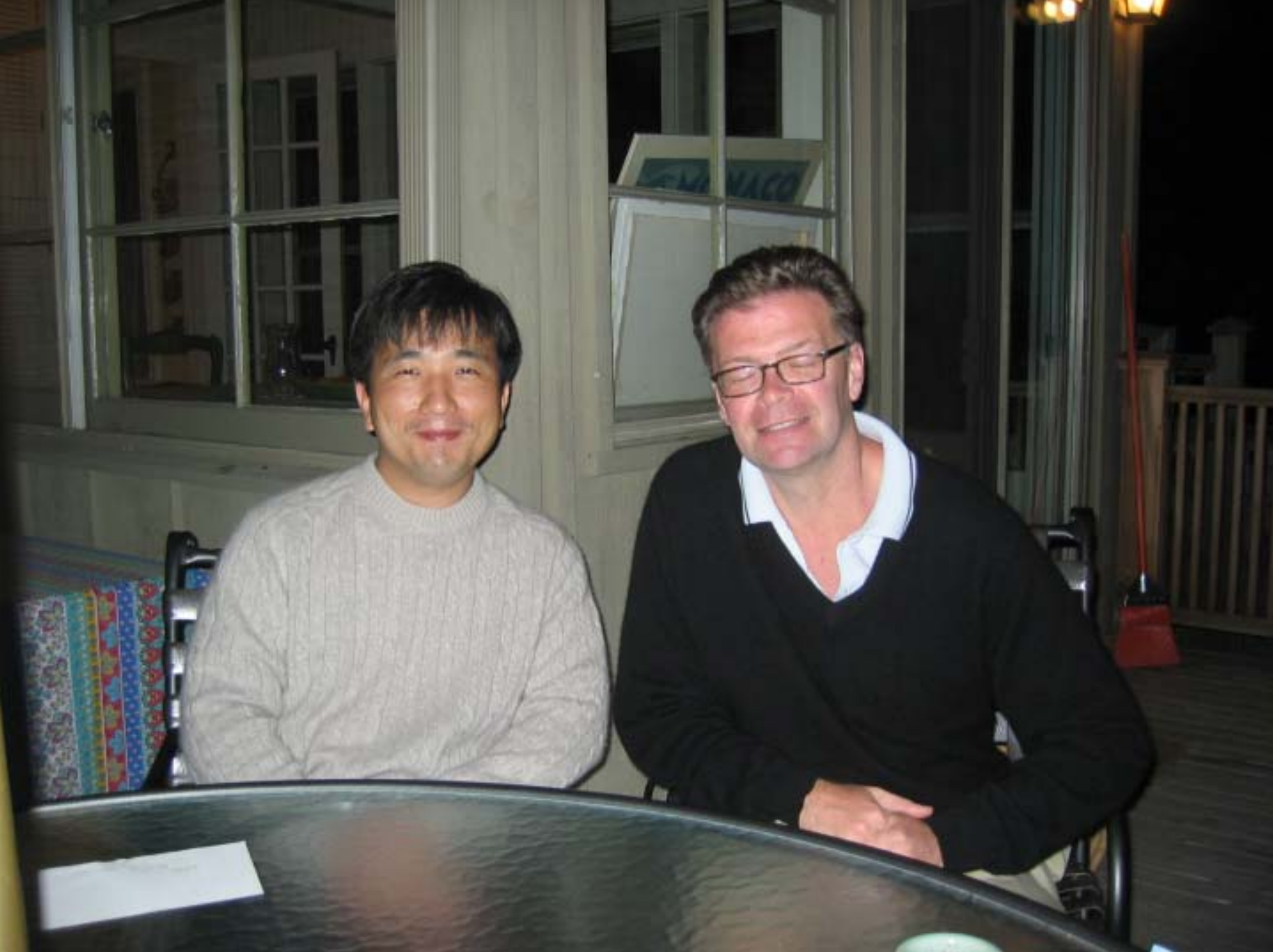
Sutureless Repair



Sutureless repair (SR)

- Theoretical advantage -

- **Avoid geometric distortion**
- **No suture material on PV**
- **Avoid restriction of ostial growth**





Objectives

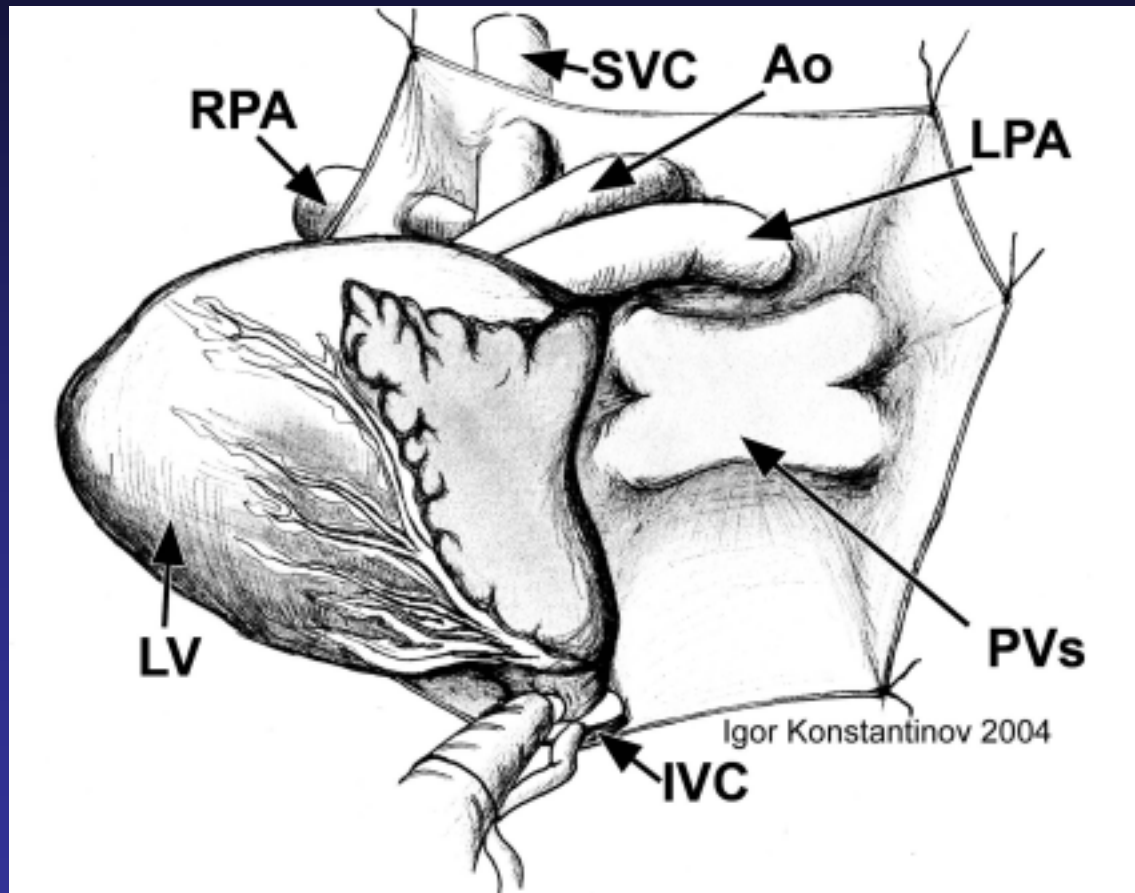
Evaluate Sutureless Repair (SR):

Post-repair PVS (After repair of TAPVD)

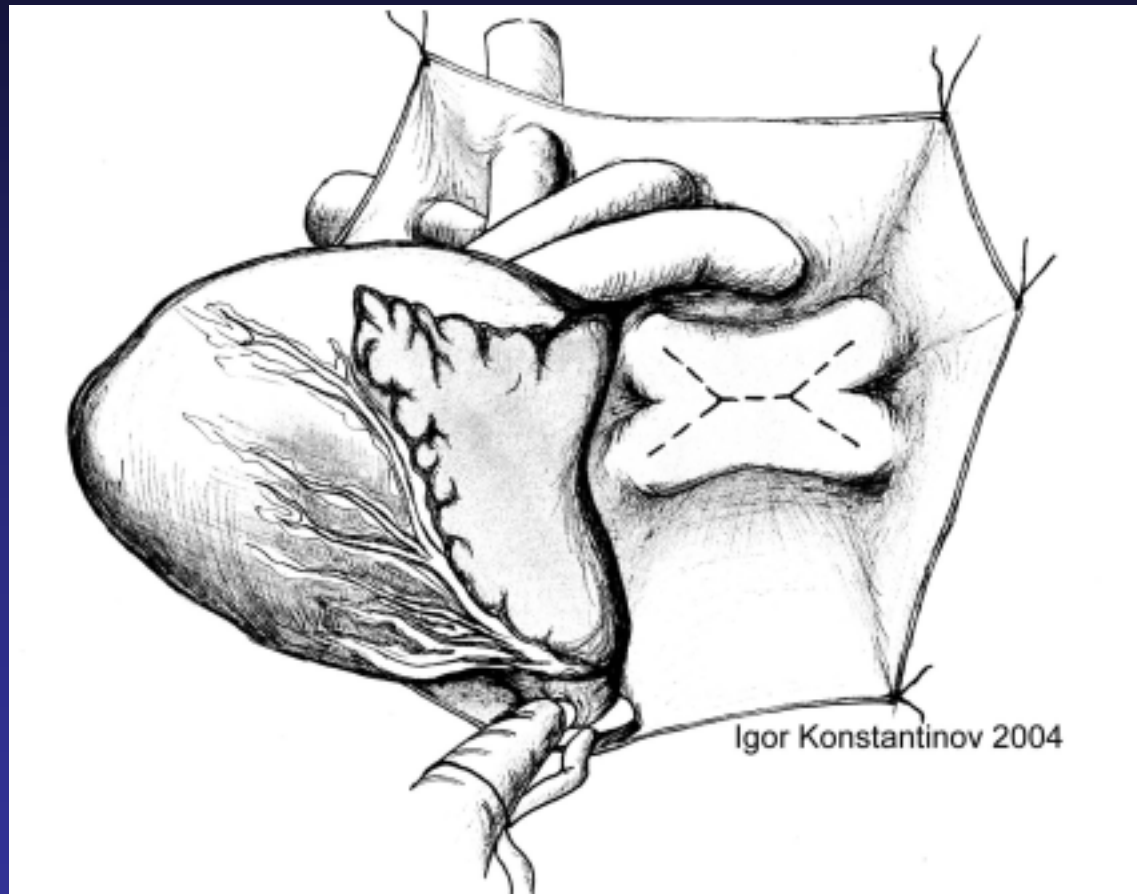
Efficacy of SR for other indications

Safety of SR without retrocardiac adhesion

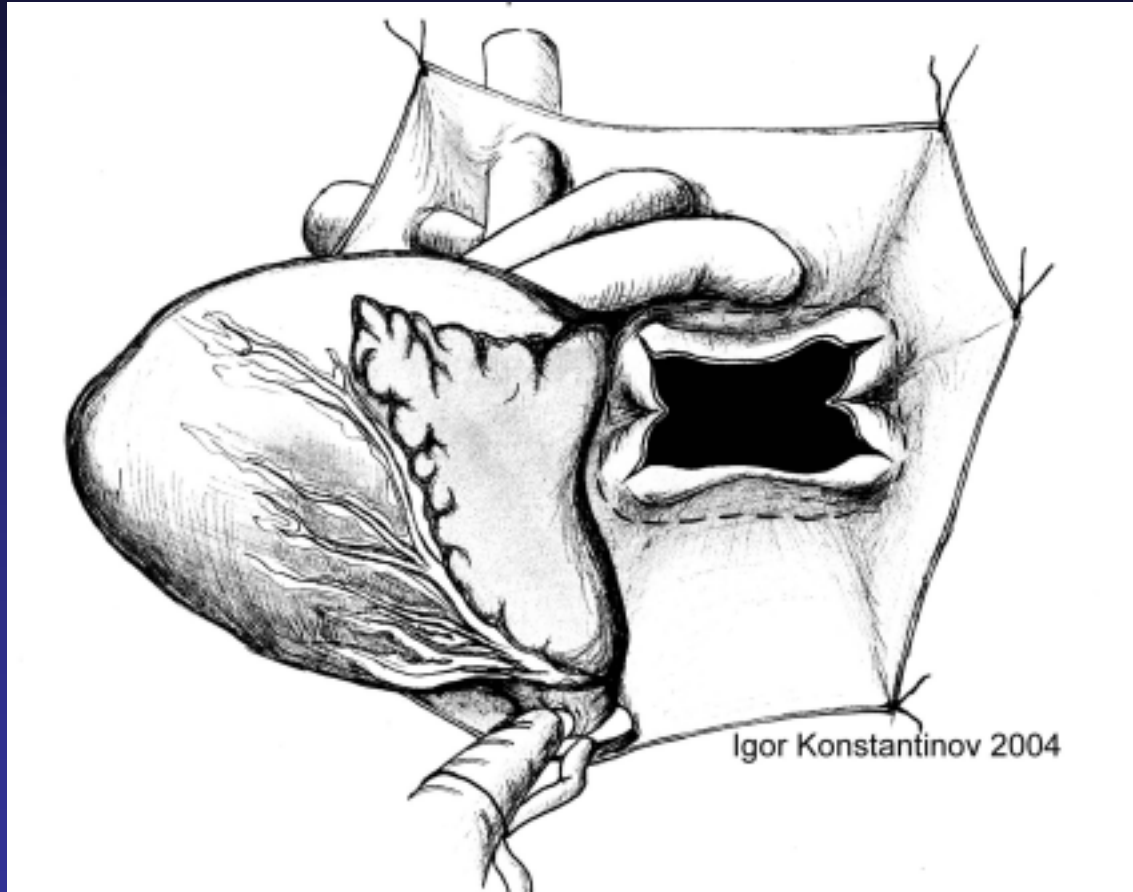
SR without Retro-cardiac adhesion



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Methods

60 PVS patients over 20 years

73 procedures (40 Sutureless Repairs)

Age: 7 d – 38 m (4.4 m)

Follow-up: 1 m – 18.6 yrs (2.9 yrs)

Complete: 88%

Statistical Analysis

Retrospective analysis

Cox Proportional Hazard Survival Model

Endpoint: Re-operation or death

Variables:

Age

Indication category

Extent of disease (PVS score)

Heterotaxy syndrome

Types of intervention

Previous cardiac operation

Model validation with bootstrap analysis

PVS score

Individual pulmonary vein stenosis graded

0: No PVS

1: Mild-Moderate PVS

2: Severe PVS

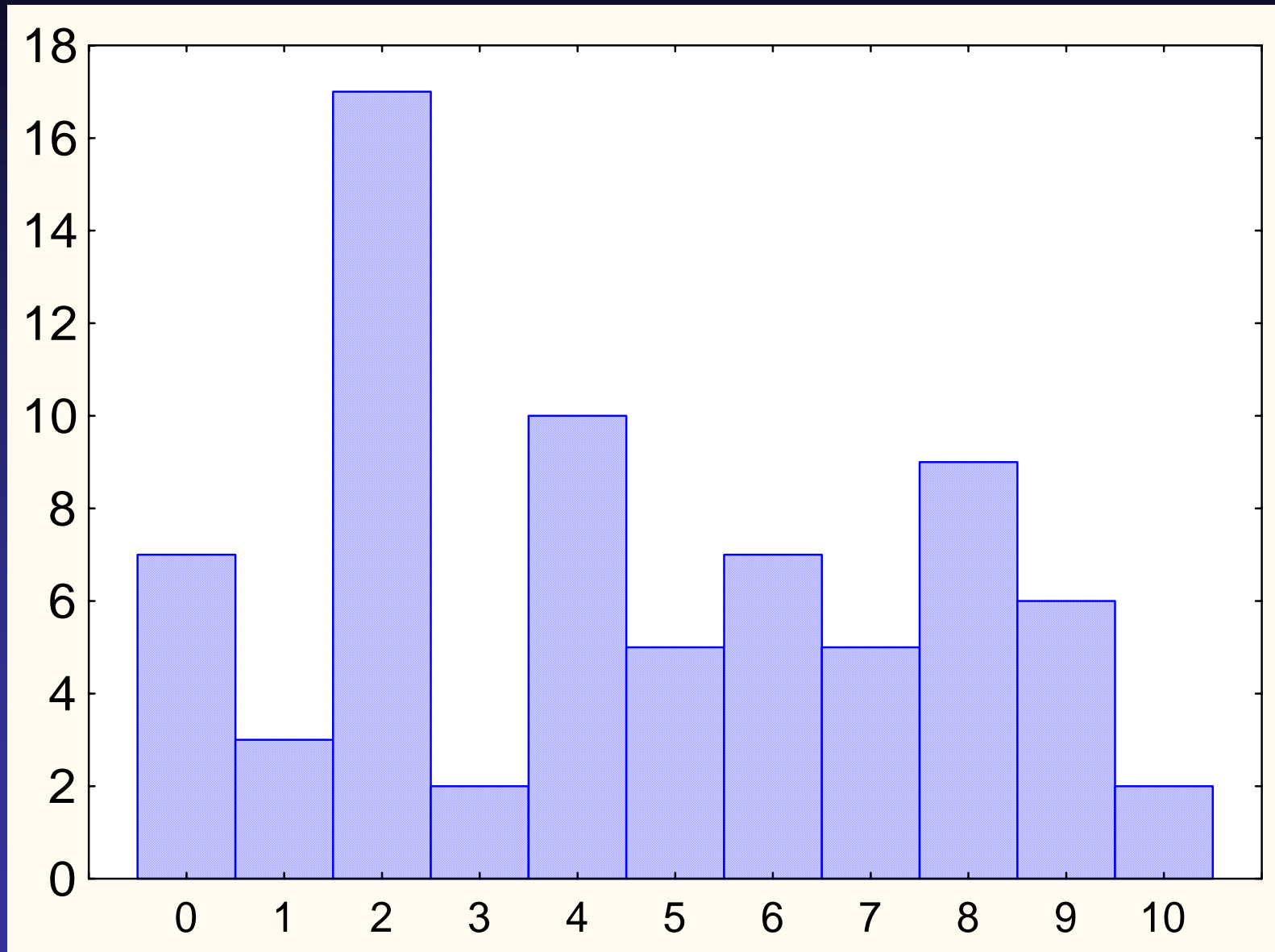
3: Obstruction

Summation of four PV grades

>>>> 'PVS score'

Possible range: 0 - 12

PVS score



60 Patients

60 Patients

Post Repair (PR)-PVS (n=17)

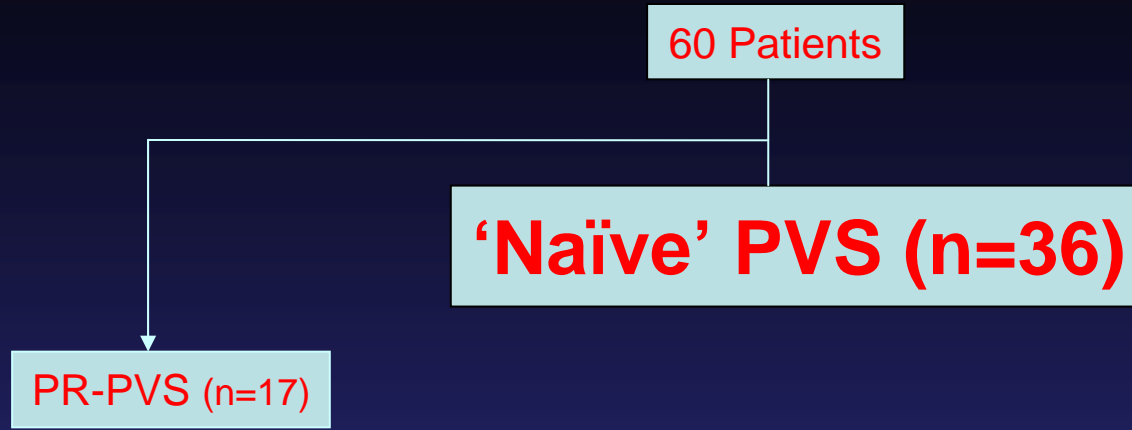
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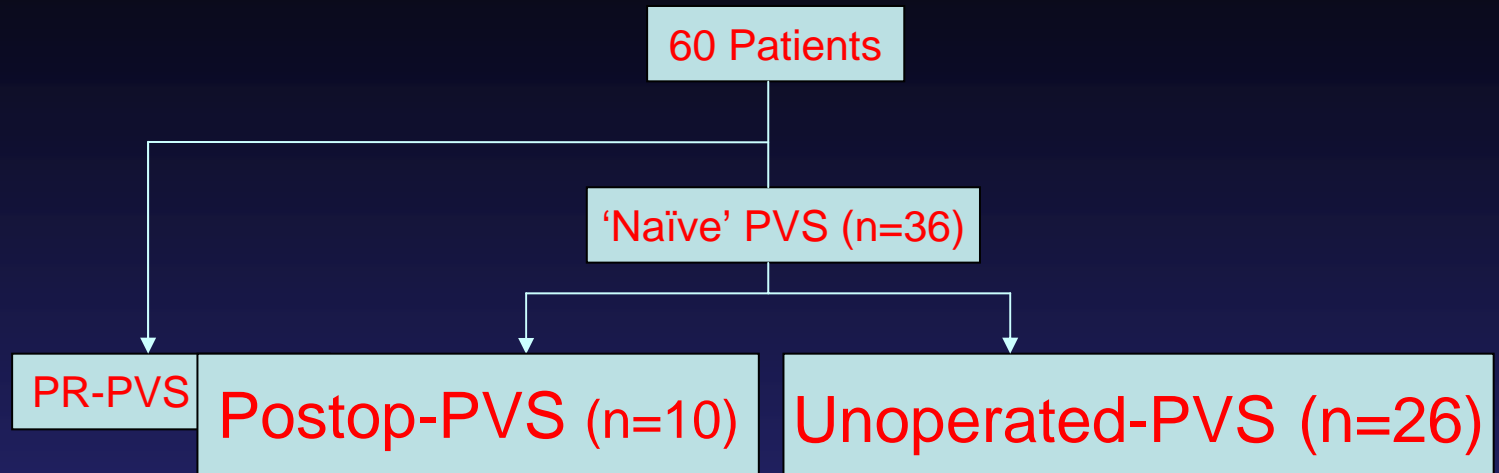
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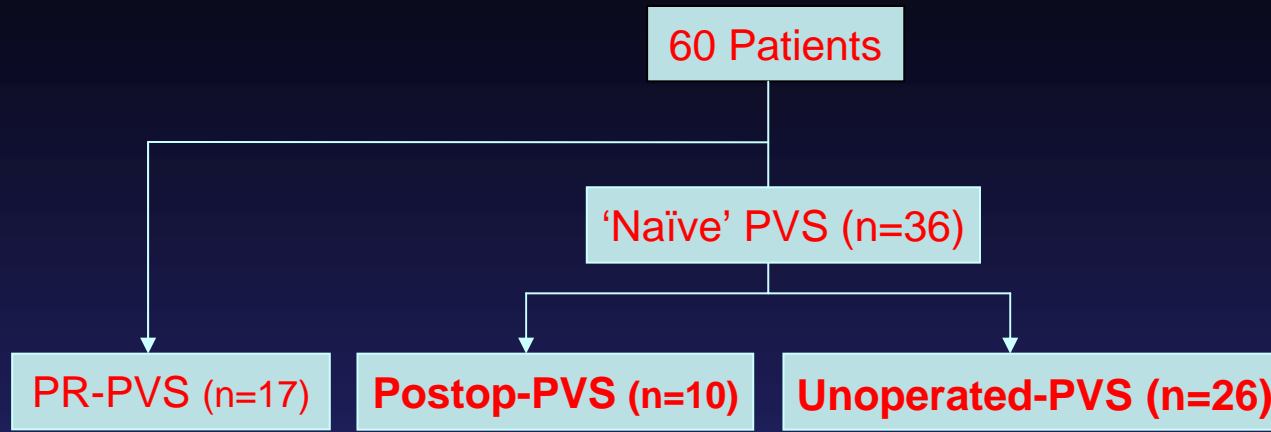
PR-PVS (n=17)

Sutureless repair (SR)	5 (0)*
Patch pulmonary venoplasty (PVP)	6 (5)*
Ostial endovenectomy (OE)	2 (0)*
Stent	3 (2)*
Atrial PVP	1 (1)*

* Reop or death

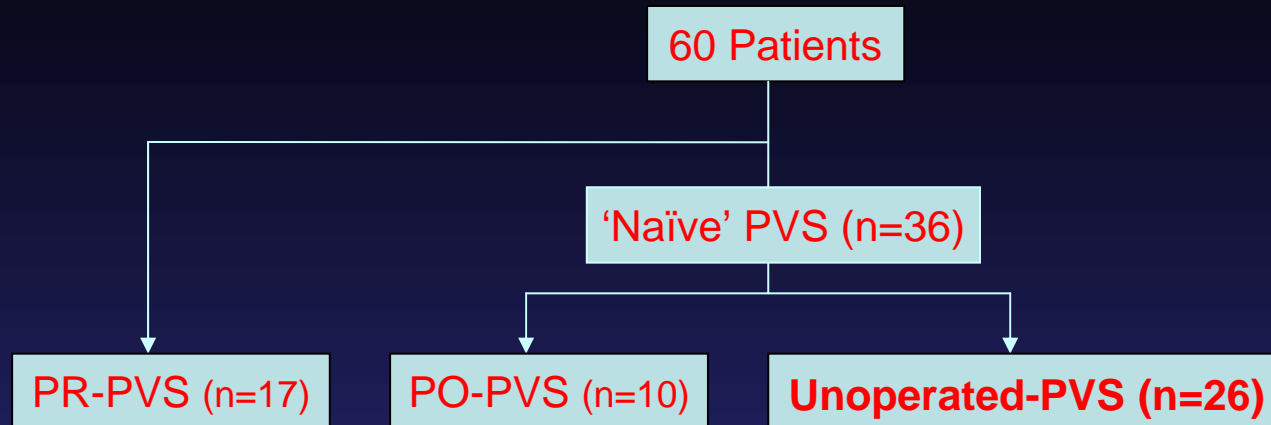






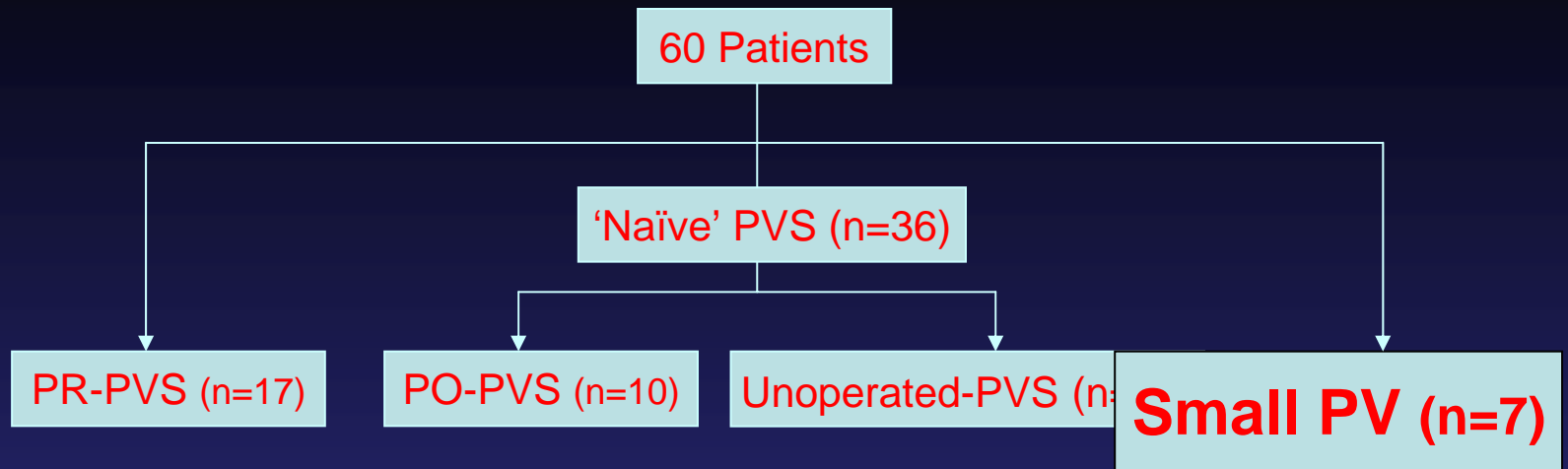
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Atrial PVP	0 (0)

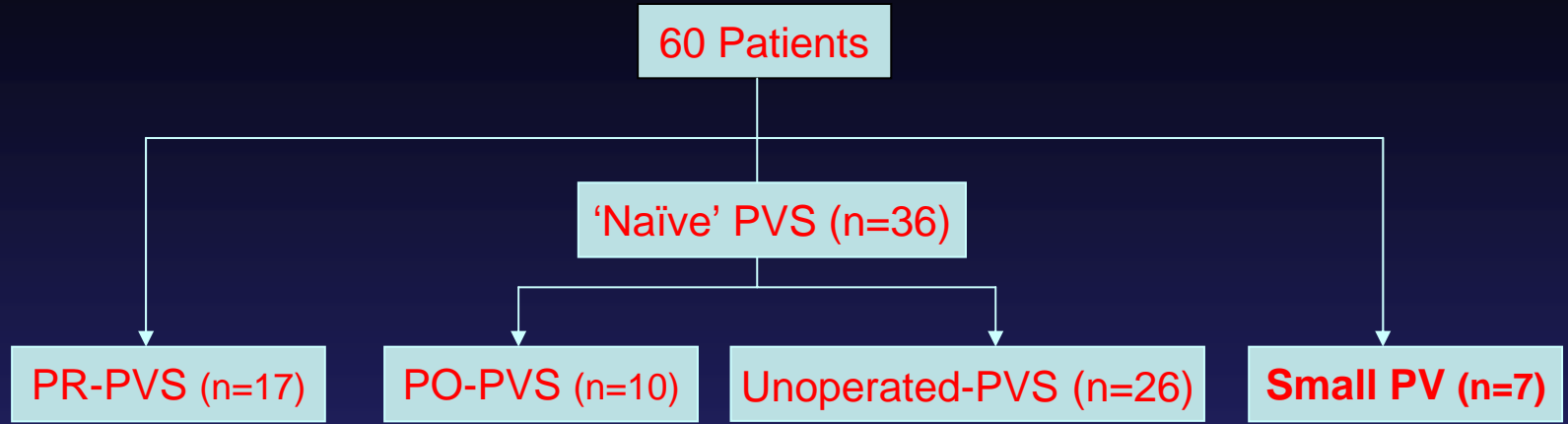
* Reop or death



Sutureless repair (SR)	18 (6)*
Patch pulmonary venoplasty (PVP)	1 (1)
Ostial endovenectomy (OE)	0 (0)
Stent	3 (2)
Atrial PVP	4 (1)

* Reop or death

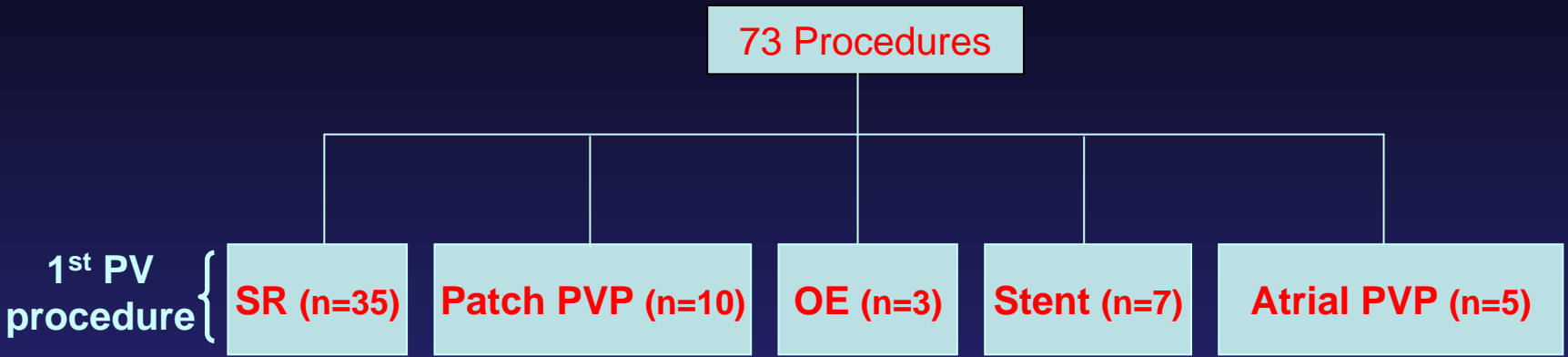


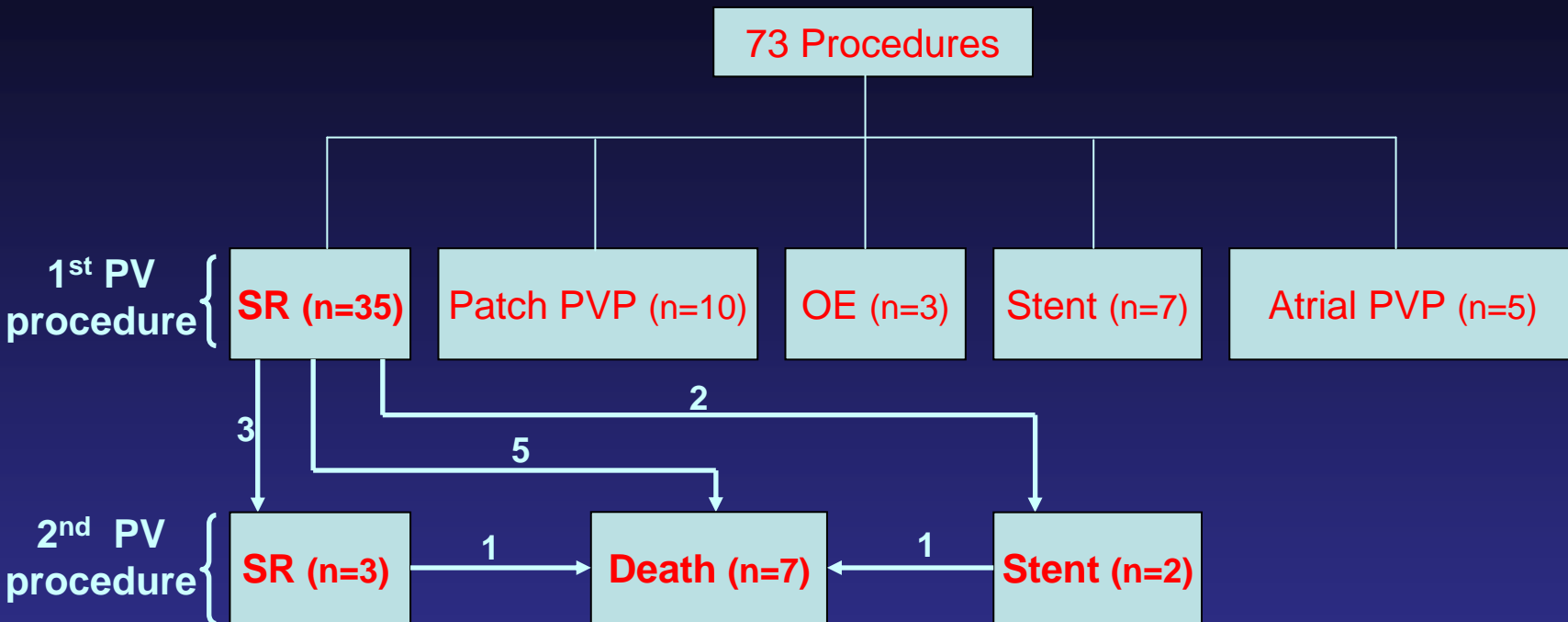


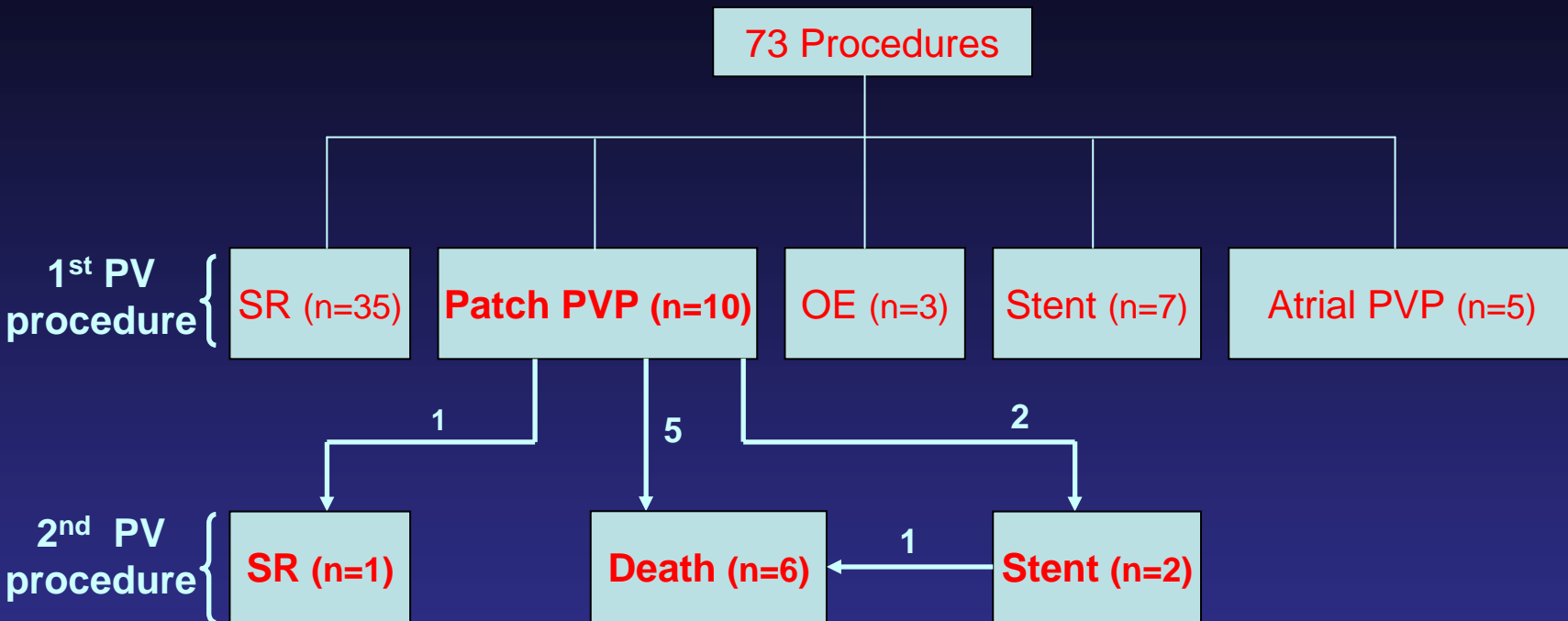
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Ostial endovenectomy (OE)	0 (0)
Stent	0 (0)
Atrial PVP	0 (0)

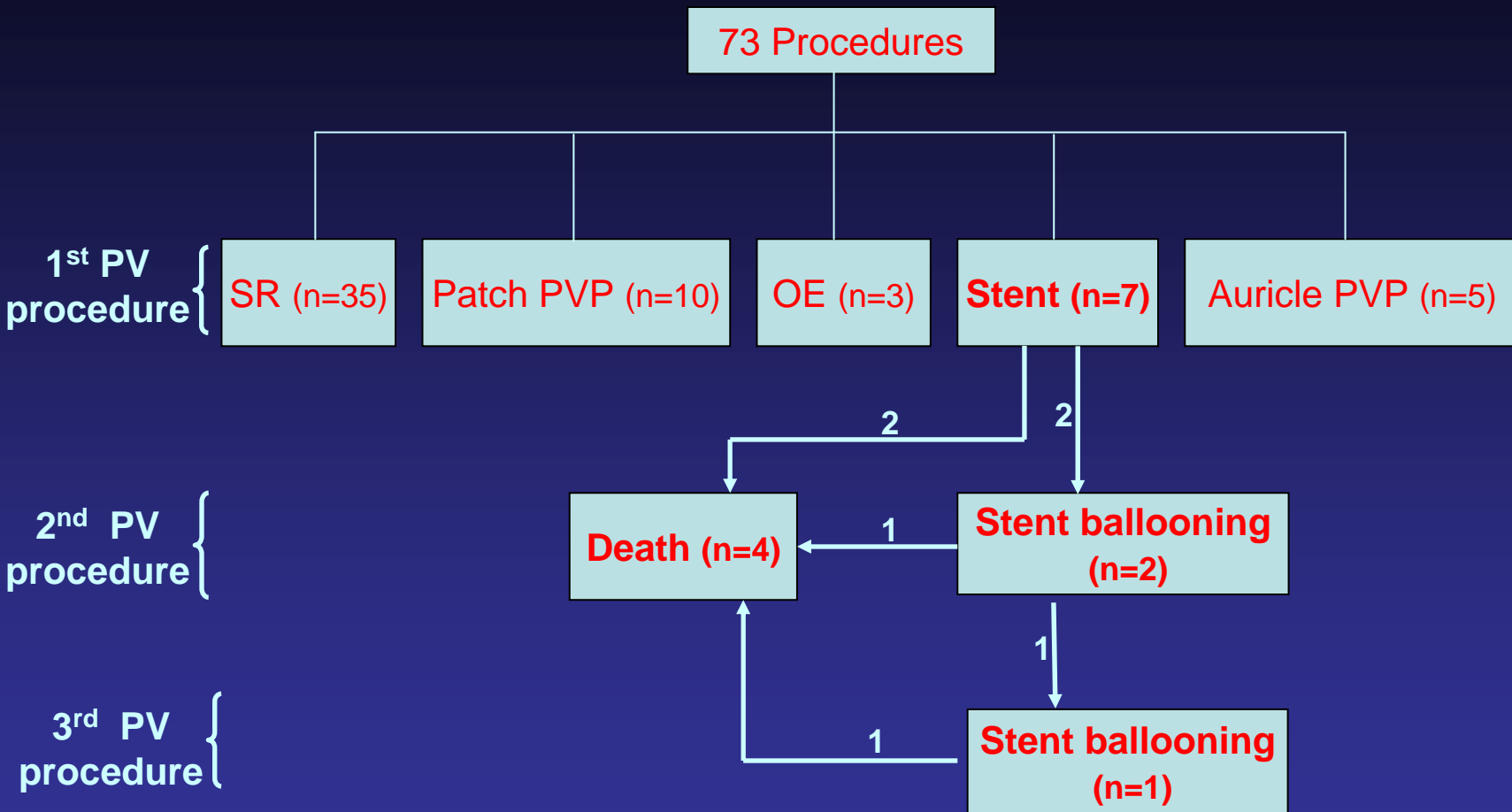
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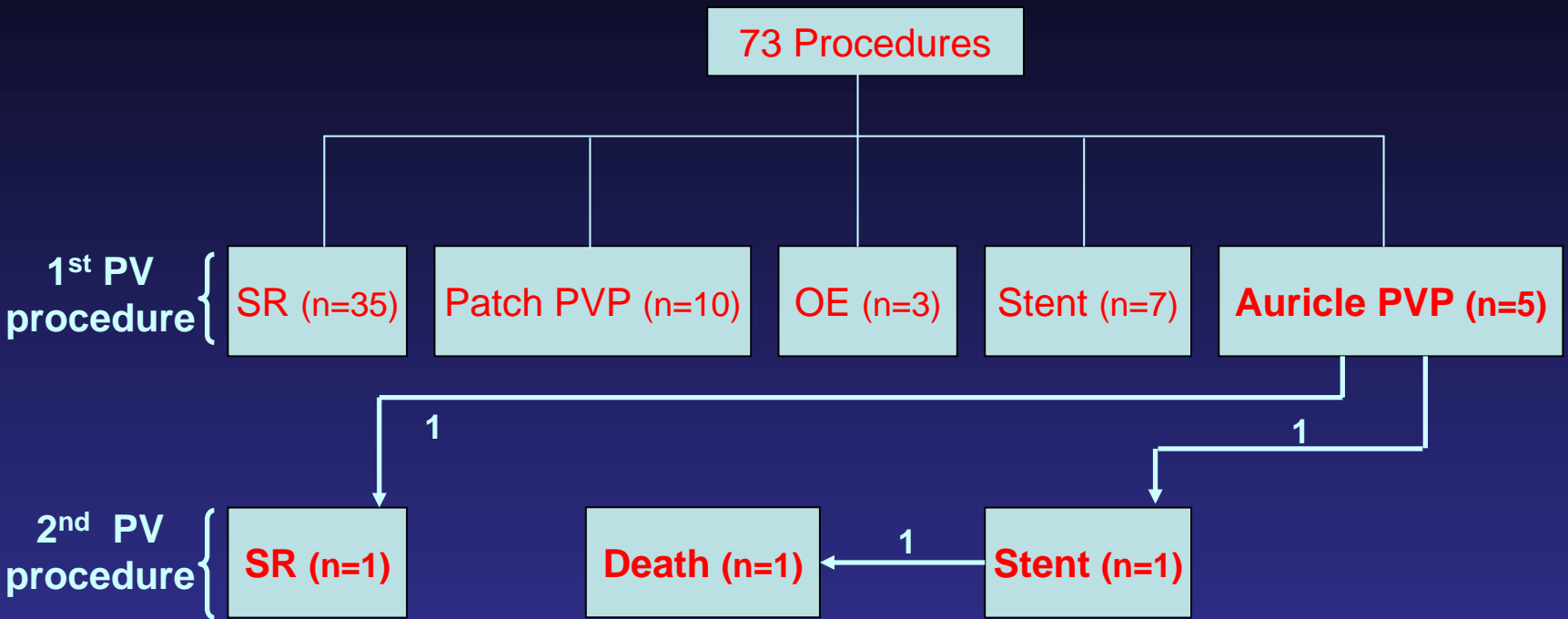
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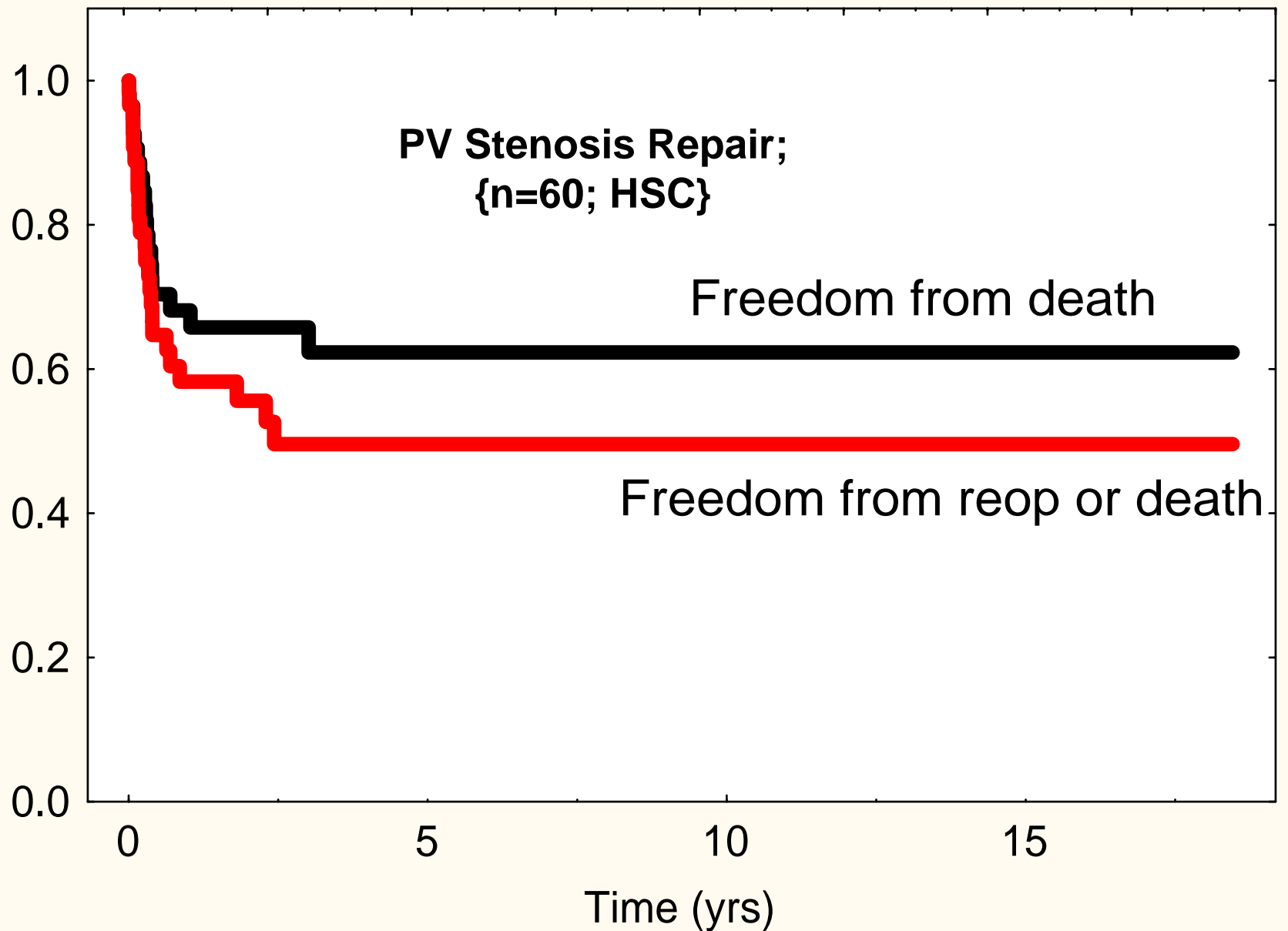












Statistical Analysis

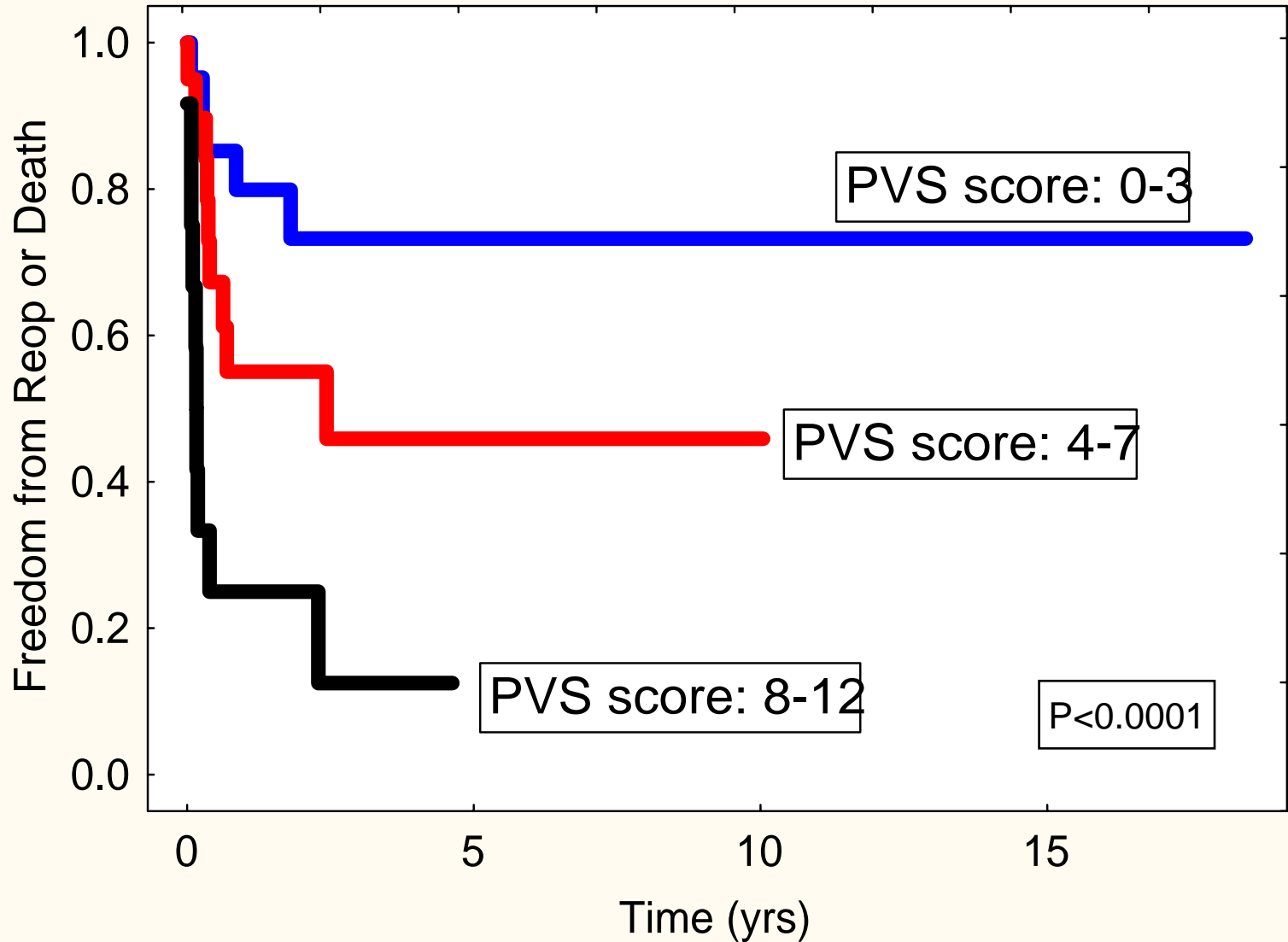
By multivariable analysis

Higher PVS score was associated with increased risk of re-operation or death

HR 12.9 for PVS score from 2-7 $p=0.0001$

Model validation failed bootstrap analysis

PVS score



Statistical Analysis

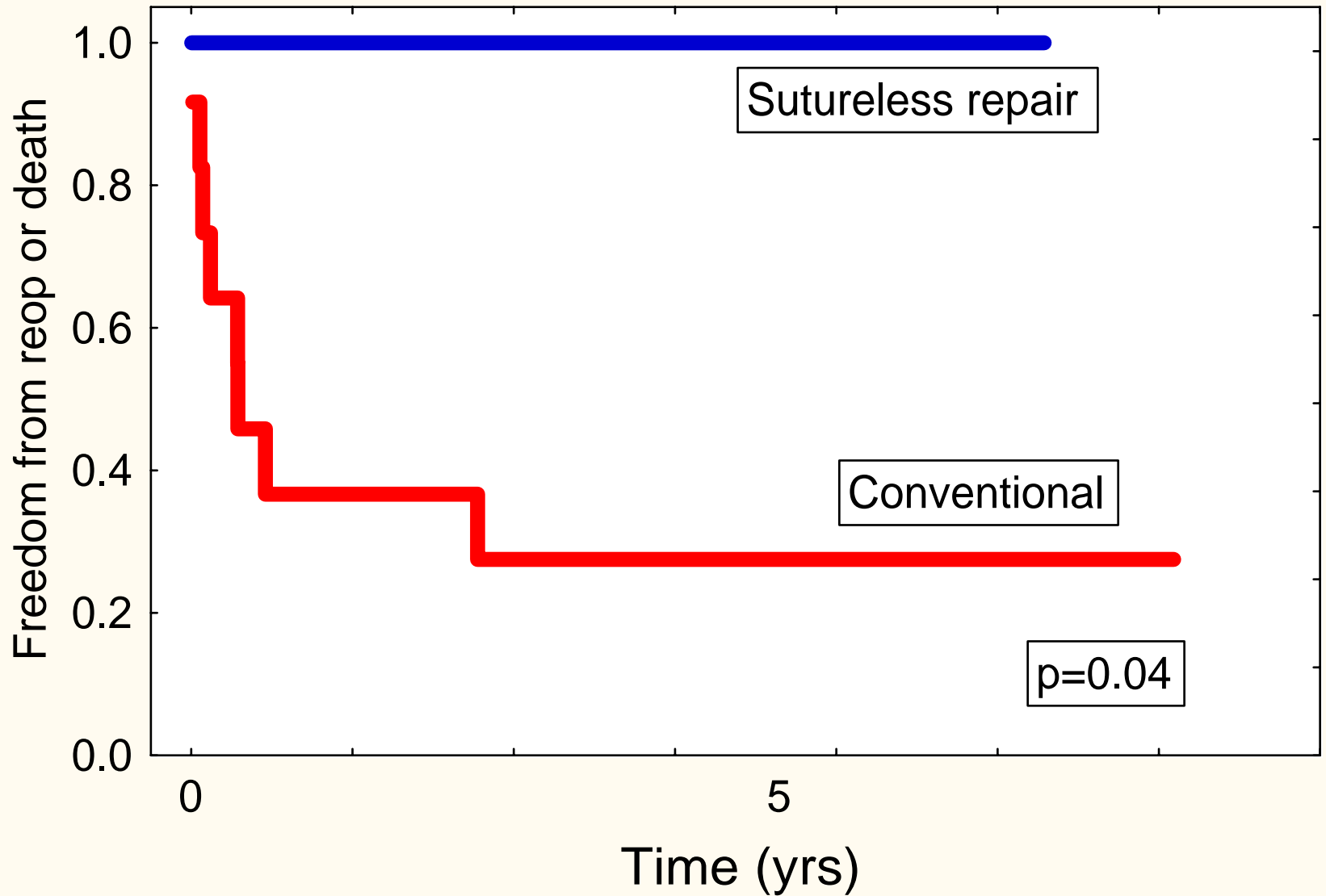
After adjustment for PVS score, the sutureless repair was associated with decreased risk of re-operation or death

HR 0.47

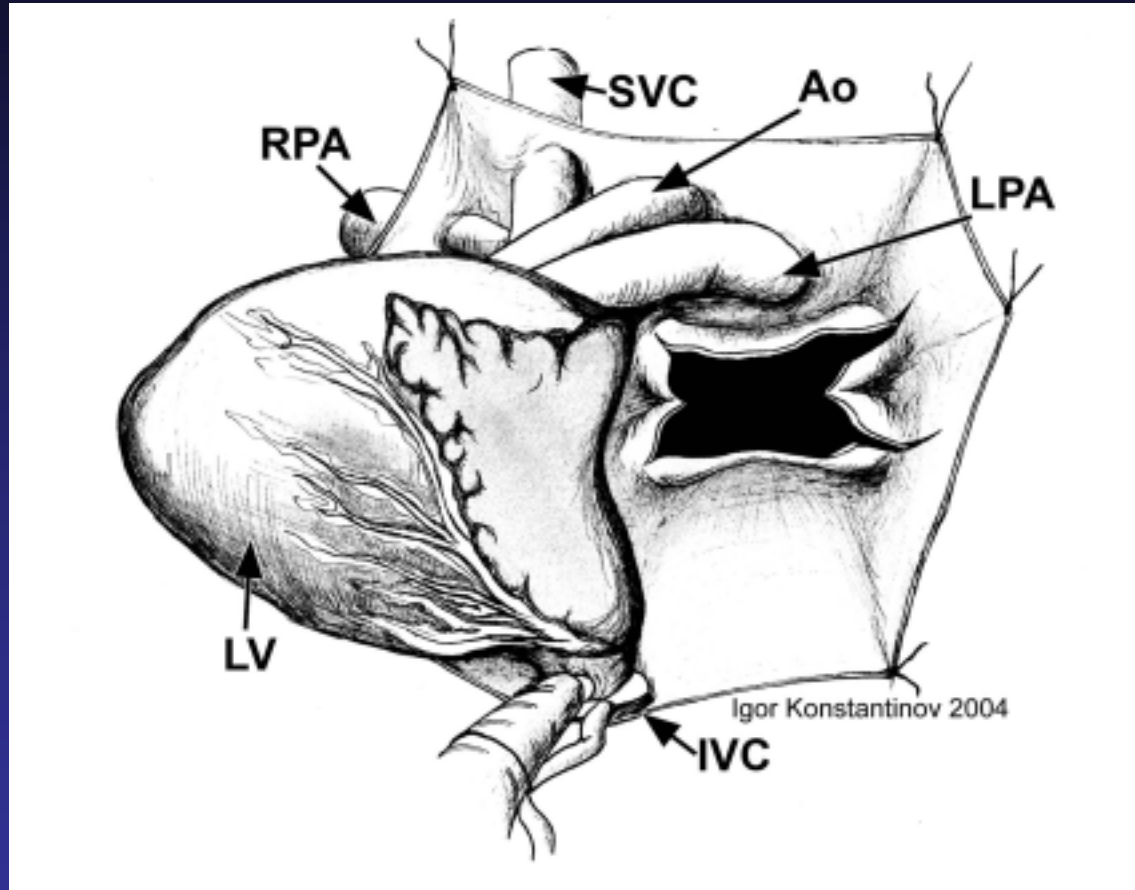
p=0.12

This effect was greatest in the patients with PVS after repair of TAPVD

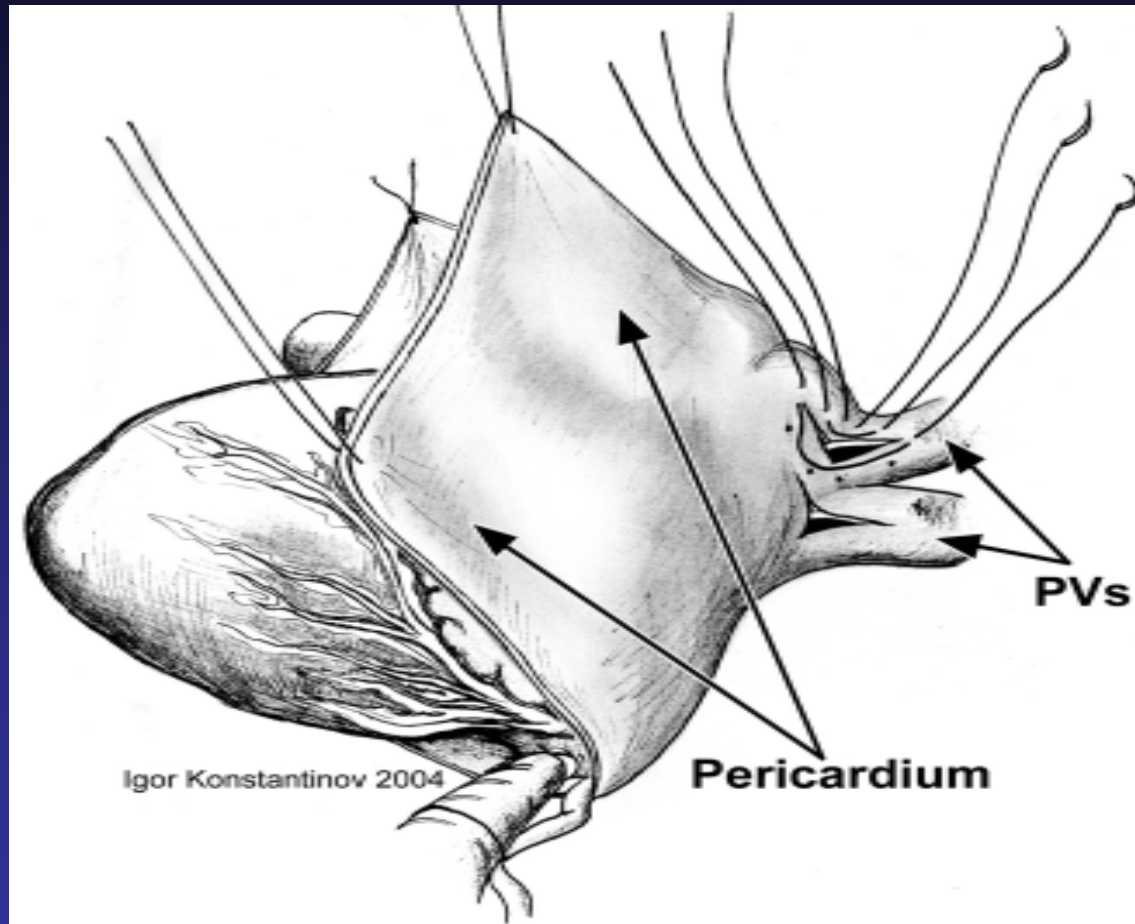
Post-Repair PVS



SR without Retro-cardiac adhesion



SR without Retro-cardiac adhesion



Summary (1)

Sutureless repair (SR) for **Post-repair PVS** is associated with excellent mid-term results.

PVS score is a significant risk factor for re-operation or death

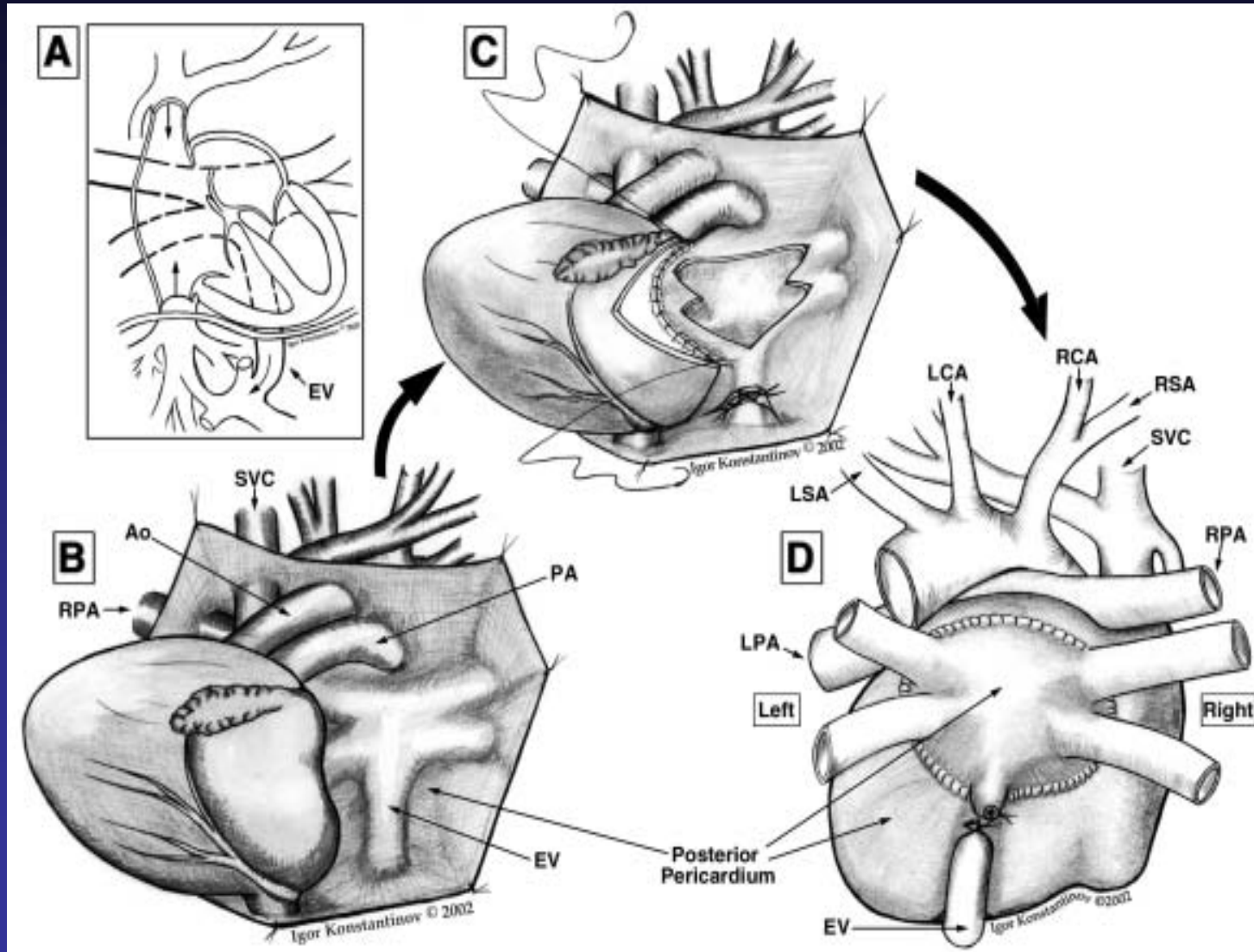
Summary (2)

Sutureless repair without **retrocardiac adhesion** appears safe with development of a simple hemostatic maneuver

The efficacy of the sutureless repair in patients with indications **other than PR-PVS** is not well defined due to the small number of patients in the present report

Consequently, a **registry-based approach** to evaluation would be expedient

SR for TAPVD with small PV/CPVC



Right isomerism with TAPVD

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Right atrial isomerism (RAI)

- Failure of lateralization with bilateral right-sidedness
- Centrally squeezed primary PV with abnormal PV drainage
- Dismal prognosis

Management and Outcome of RAI: A 26 year experience (Hashmi et al, JACC 1998)

- **The Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto**
- **91 RAI patients between 1970 and 1996**
- **Cardiac abnormality**
 - AVSD (81%), FSV (73%), PS (84%)**
 - TAPVD (87%, 1/3 obstructive)**
- **No Tx in 24% of patients (with 95% mortality)**
- **Overall mortality: 69%**
- **Surgical mortality for TAPVD repair: 95%**

Surgical management of TAPVD

: Impact of coexisting cardiac anomalies

(Caldarone CA et al, ATT 1998)

- **The Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto**
- **170 TAPVD pts between 1982 and 1996**
- **44 complex TAPVD**
- **Op. mortality of complex TAPVD: 52%**
- **Risk factors for Op. mortalities:**
 - FSV (P=0.03)**
 - Associated complex anomalies (P<0.01)**

TAPVD association in RAI

Incidence: 60% - 100%

(Varies according to the definition of TAPVD)

Outcome variables:

1. Drainage site obstruction
2. Individual PVS
3. Presence or absence of TAPVD
4. Types of TAPVD: Cardiac type?

Objective

Premise:

RAI associated with TAPVD is fatal

Question:

Can we modify the outcome
by aggressive Tx of TAPVD?

Methods

55 Patients of RAI over 10 years

**Patient enrolled: All patients of RAI
Including**

- 1) Patients without Surgical Tx**
- 2) Patients without TAPVD repair**
- 3) Patients with TAPVD repair**

Statistical Analysis

Retrospective analysis

Cox Proportional Hazard Survival Model

Observation starting point / end point

: Birth / Re-operation or death

Variables: Age

Types of TAPVD

Obstructive vs. non-obstructive

FSV vs. BVR candidate

PBF: or or

Types of intervention (SR vs. Others)

Model validation with bootstrap analysis

Withdrawal (n=11)

Decision making of withdrawal

by parents: 7 / 11

by co-existing medical problem: 4/11

Chromosomal anomaly (n=1)

Delayed Dx with MOF (n=1)

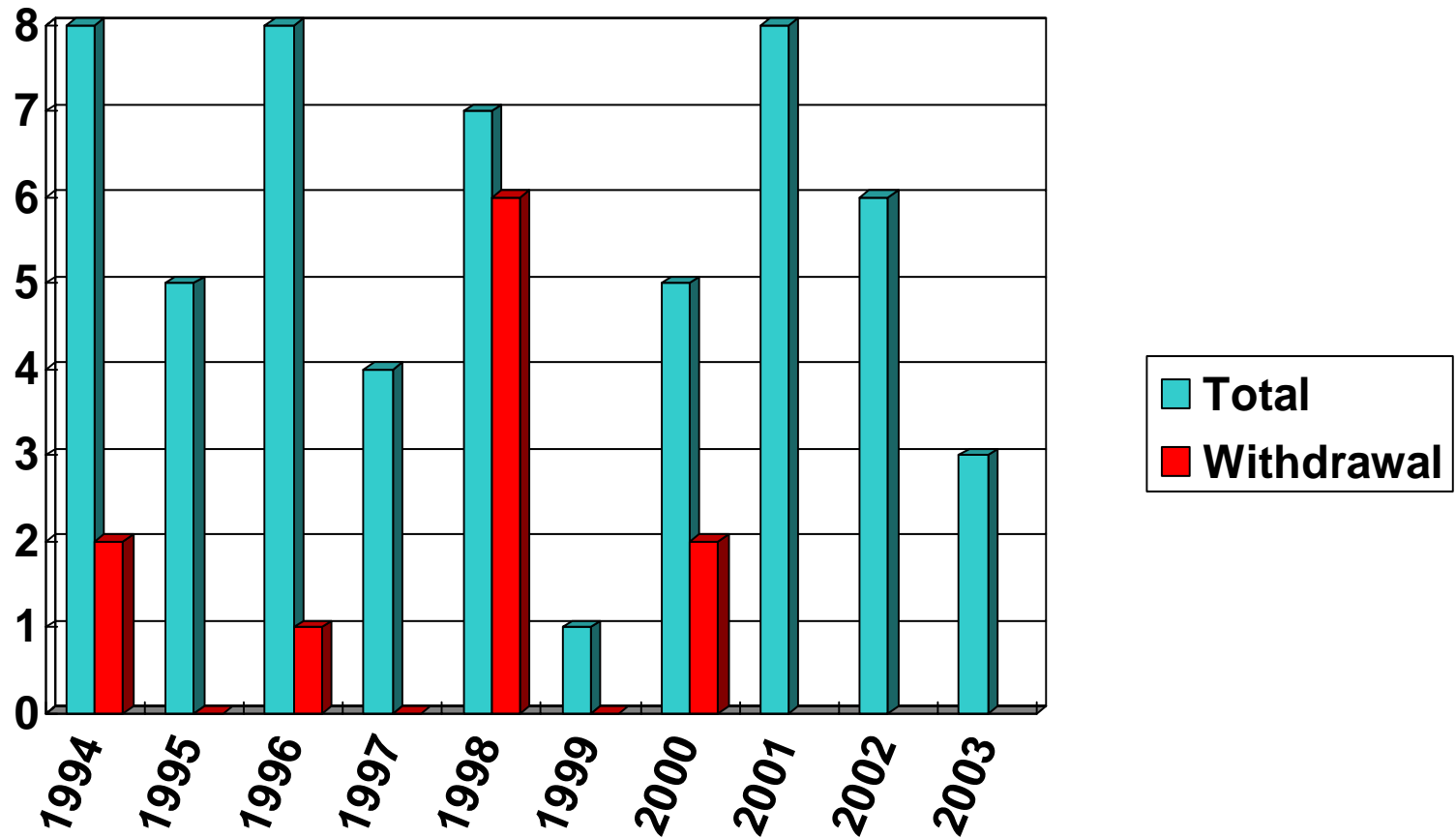
Complex obstructive TAPVD (n=2)

High withdrawal rate by specific cardiologist

	Cardiologist A	Others
Tx	11	33
No Tx	7	4
Total	18	37

(P=0.000326, OR=12.2)

Annual changes in withdrawal



Types of TAPVD (n=55)

Group	No TAPVD	SupraC	Cardiac	InfraC	Mixed
No Tx	0	5(2)	1(0)	1(1)	4(3)
TAPVD repair (-)	4(0)	3(1)	3(0)	0	3(0)
TAPVD repair (+)	0	19(7)	5(4)	5(3)	2(1)

TAPVD, Total anomalous pulmonary venous drainage; Tx, Treatment; (), Draining site obstruction

Operative procedures

	Without TAPVD repair	With TAPVD repair
Systemic-pulmonary shunt	7	7
PA banding	2	4
BCPS	1	9
Fontan operation	1	3
Cardiac Transplantation	2	2
PA angioplasty	0	7
Isolated TAPVD repair	0	4
Norwood operation	2	0
Miscellaneous*	0	3

Ventricular Morphology and Surgical Strategies

	No Tx	BVR	OVR	HTx	Undetermined*
Balanced ventricles (n=20)	2	2	5	1	10
Unbalanced ventricles (n=35)	9	0	16	1	9

Tx, treatment; BVR, Biventricular repair; OVR, One ventricle repair; HTx, Heart Transplantation

* Undetermined: operative death or treatment withdrawal before determination of surgical strategy

55 patients

**Withdrawal of Tx
(n=11)**

**No TAPVD repair
(n=16)**

**TAPVD repair
(n=28)**

10

**Death
(n=10)**

1

**Survival without further Tx
(n=1)**

55 patients

**Withdrawal of Tx
(n=11)**

**No TAPVD repair
(n=16)**

**TAPVD repair
(n=28)**

**BCPS
(n=5)**

**Death
(n=12)**

**Fontan
(n=5)**

10

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55 patients

**Withdrawal of Tx
(n=11)**

**No TAPVD repair
(n=16)**

**TAPVD repair
(n=28)**

**Death
(n=13)**

**BCPS
(n=12)**

**Heart TPL
(n=2)**

**Fontan
(n=6)**

**Biventricular repair
(n=1)**

**Waiting
(n=1)**

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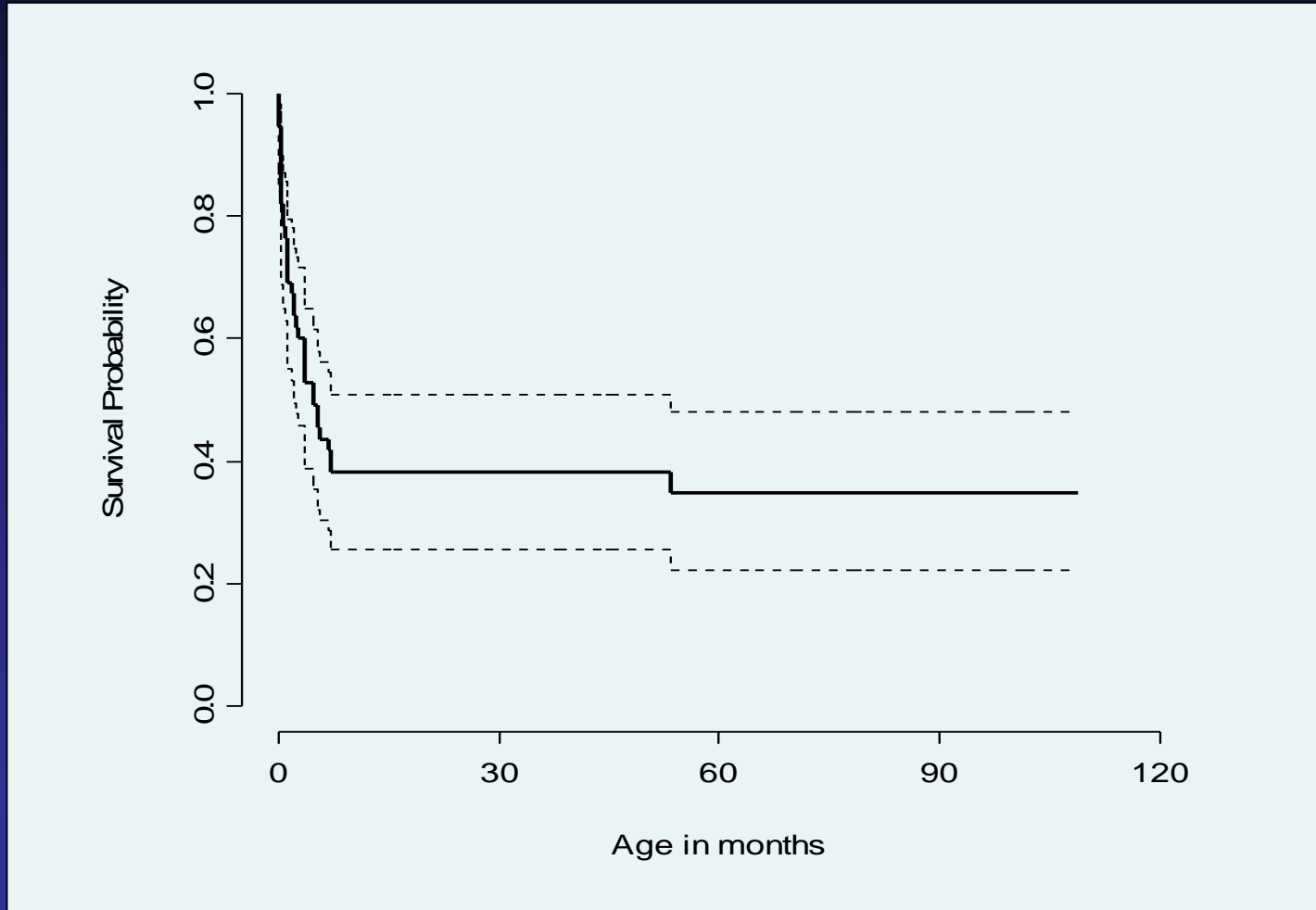
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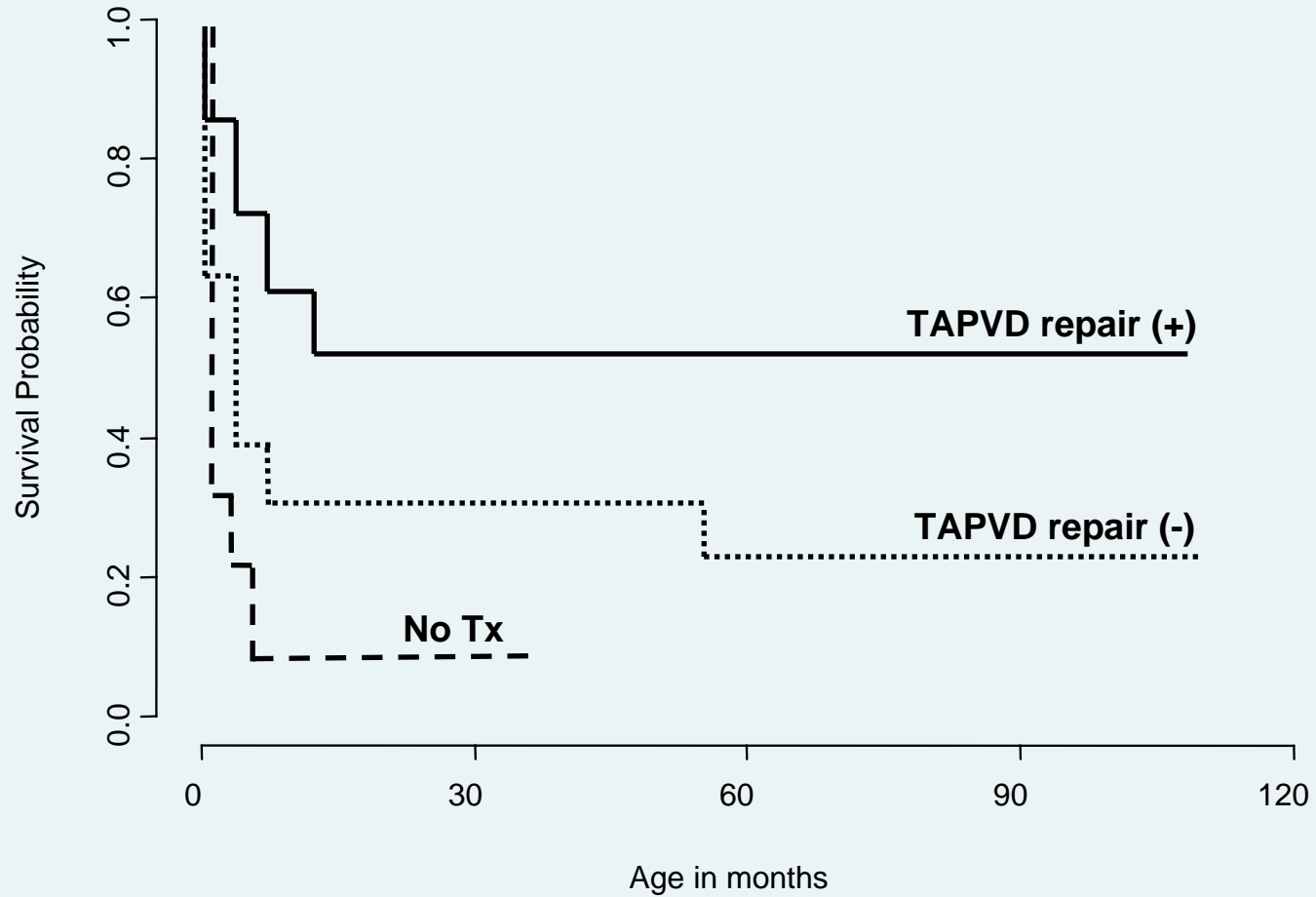
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Survival after birth (Entire cohort, n=55)



Survival by groups



Summary

- **Withdrawal** from treatment has poor results with 95% mortality within a year
- **Risk factors** for death in TAPVD repair group
 - 1) Obstructive TAPVR
 - 2) Mixed and infracardiac type TAPVR
- Adjusted with these risk factors, **primary sutureless repair for TAPVD** provide survival benefit (HR:0.43)

Conclusions

- Most patients with PVS are **Surgical candidates**
- Sutureless repair for **PR-PVS** shows excellent long term outcome
- Surgical Tx of **Congenital PVS** is still challenging, and Sutureless repair might be an option
- Primary Sutureless repair for **TAPVD with small PV** needs to be defined
- **Registry based approach** for PVS might be expedient to come up with a conclusion