

Echocardiography as a Treatment Tool- Theranostics in Echocardiography

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Objectives

1. Present Potential Microvascular Therapeutic Applications



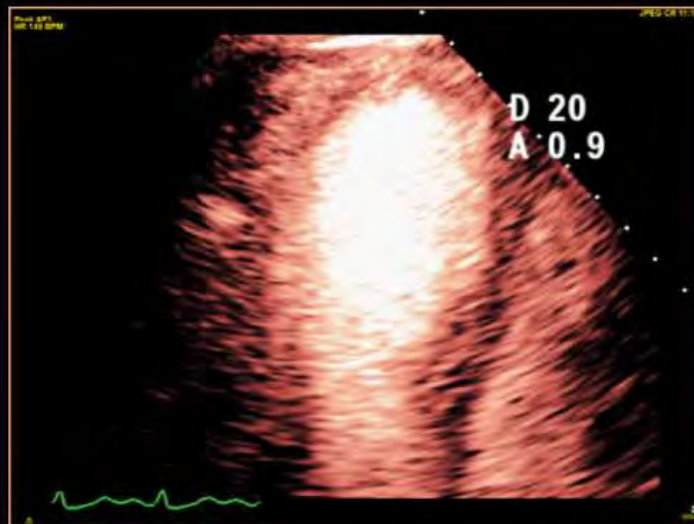
Dobutamine Stress Echocardiography

Apical Three Chamber View

Rest



Peak



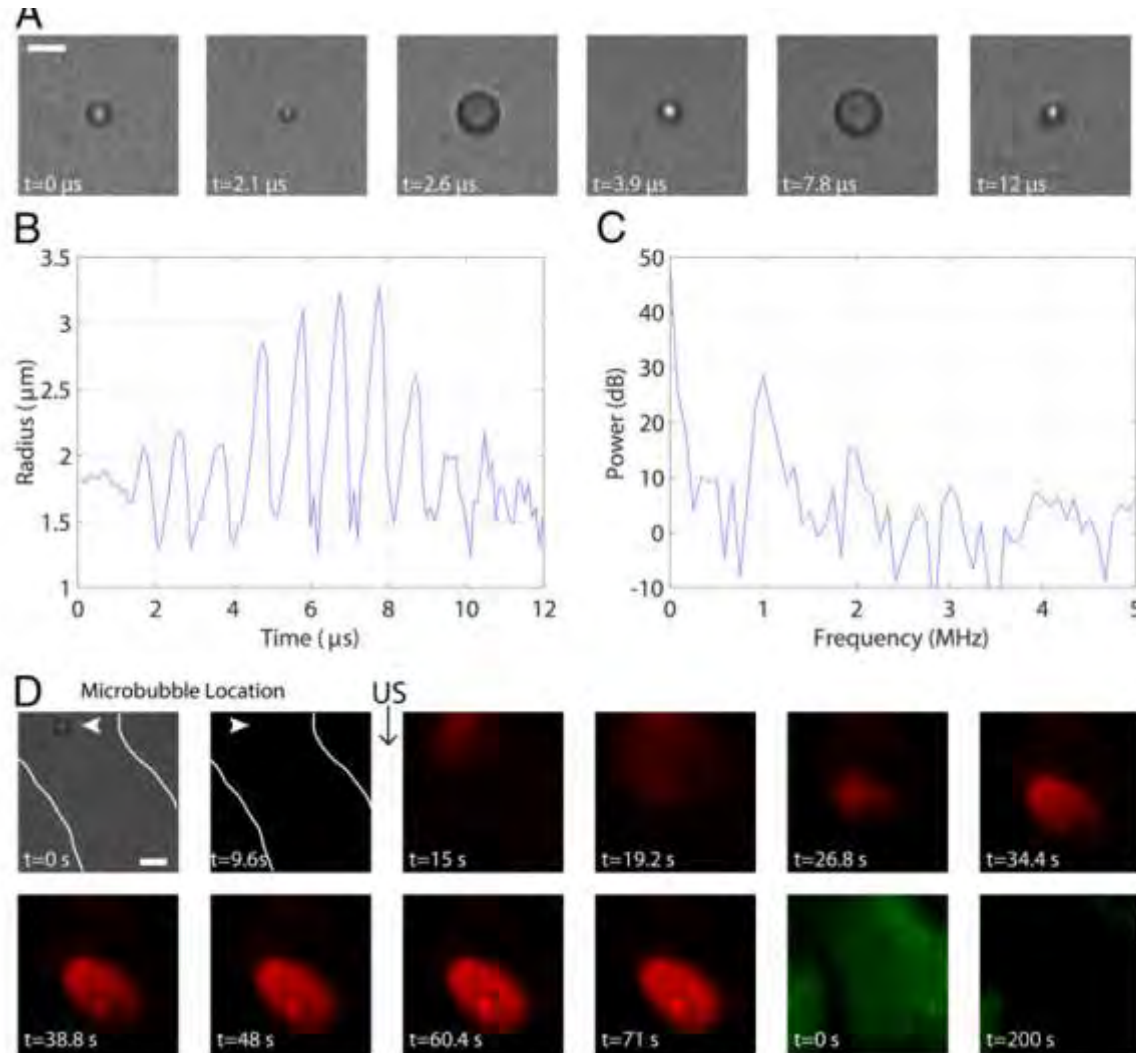
High MI Impulses

Diagnostic for FDA Approved Indications

**-Off Label Application: Microvascular
Perfusion Imaging**

**High MI impulse-Inertial Cavitation
Shear**

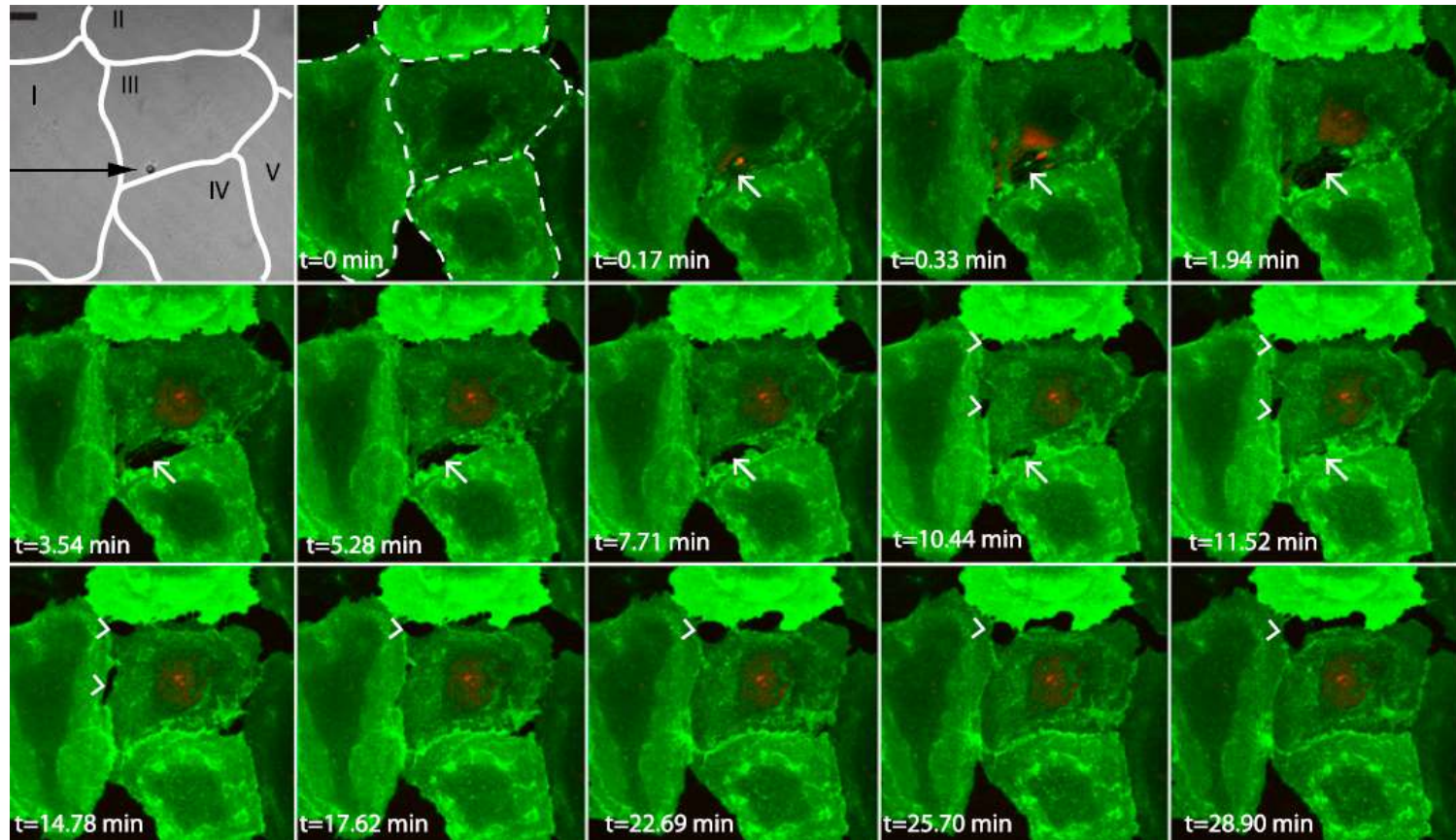
The High MI Impulse in the Capillaries (8usec pulse DUS Freq)



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The High MI Impulse in the Microvasculature



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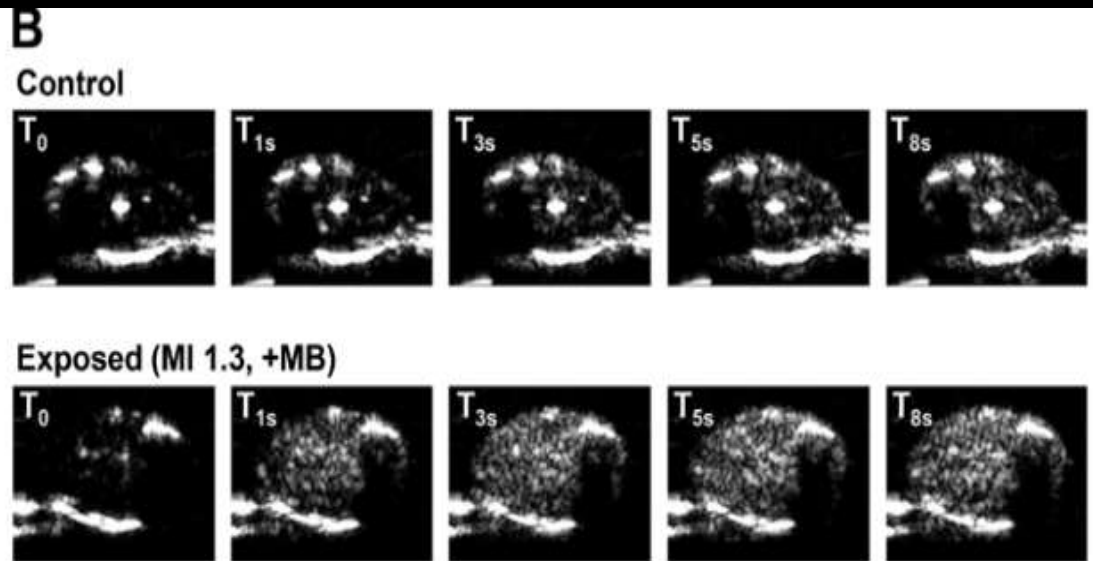
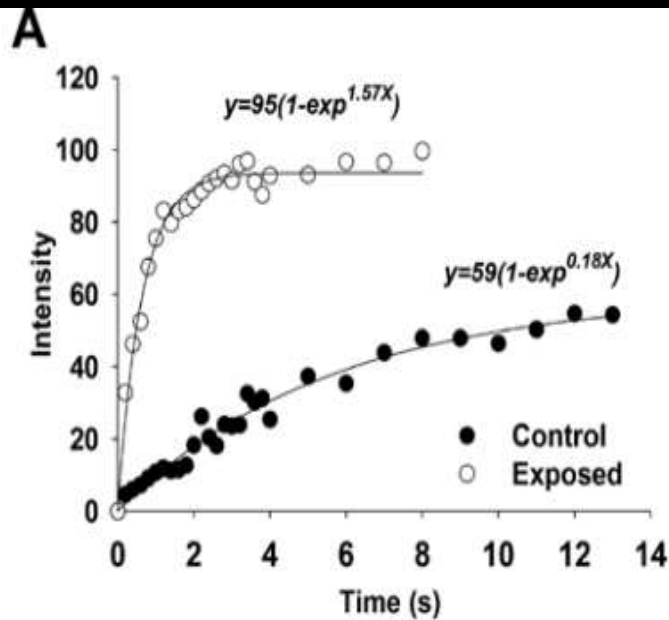


Potential Therapeutic Effect of High MI Impulse during Microbubble Infusion

- On Cells (Endothelial/RBCs)
Blood Brain Barrier
Shear Dependent NO release
- On Thrombus-macro/micro

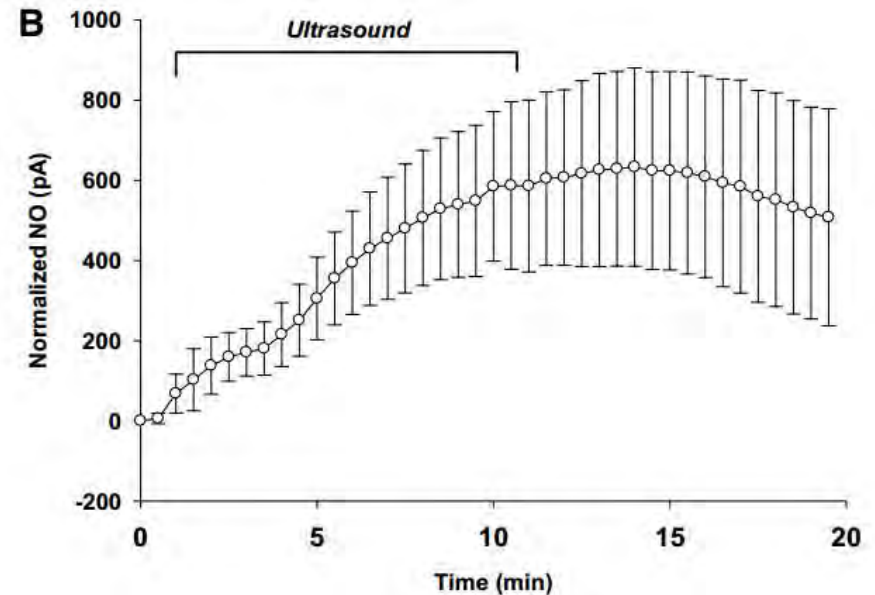
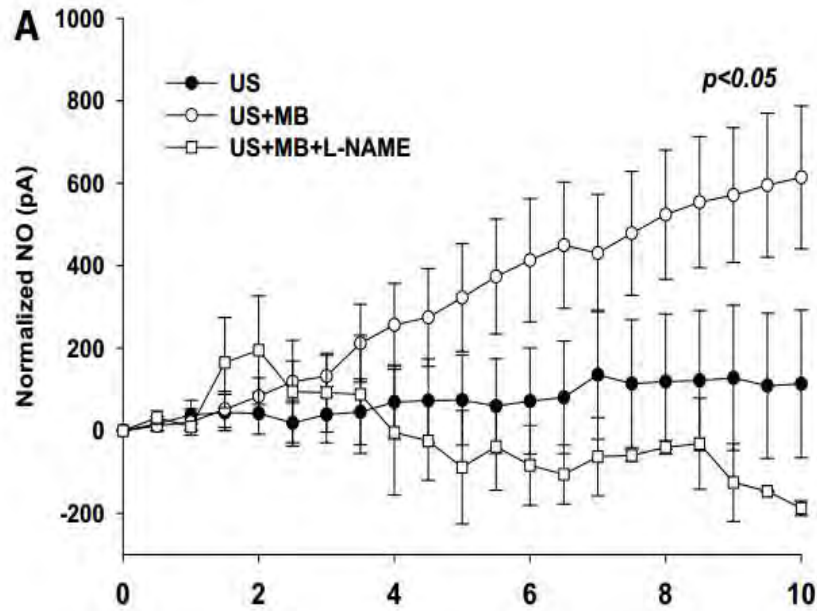


Targeted Microvascular Impulses



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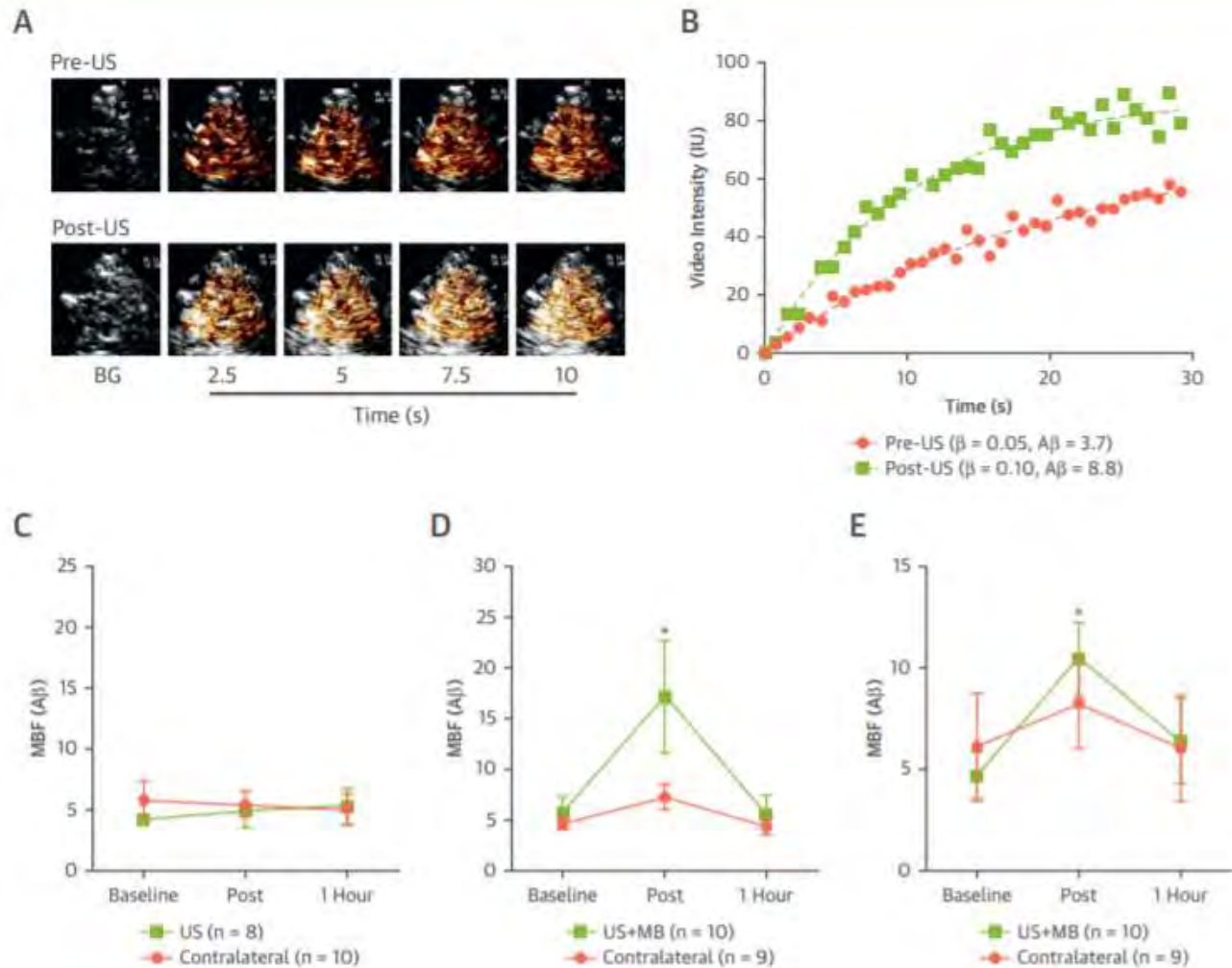
CENTRAL ILLUSTRATION: Ultrasound Exposure of the Calf Skeletal Muscle During Infusion of Ultrasound Contrast Agents Results in Microbubble Inertial Cavitation



Mason, O'N.R. et al. J Am Coll Cardiol Img. 2020;13(3):641-51.

10 patients with PVD; ABI<0.9; Symptomatic

Theranostic US in PVD Patients



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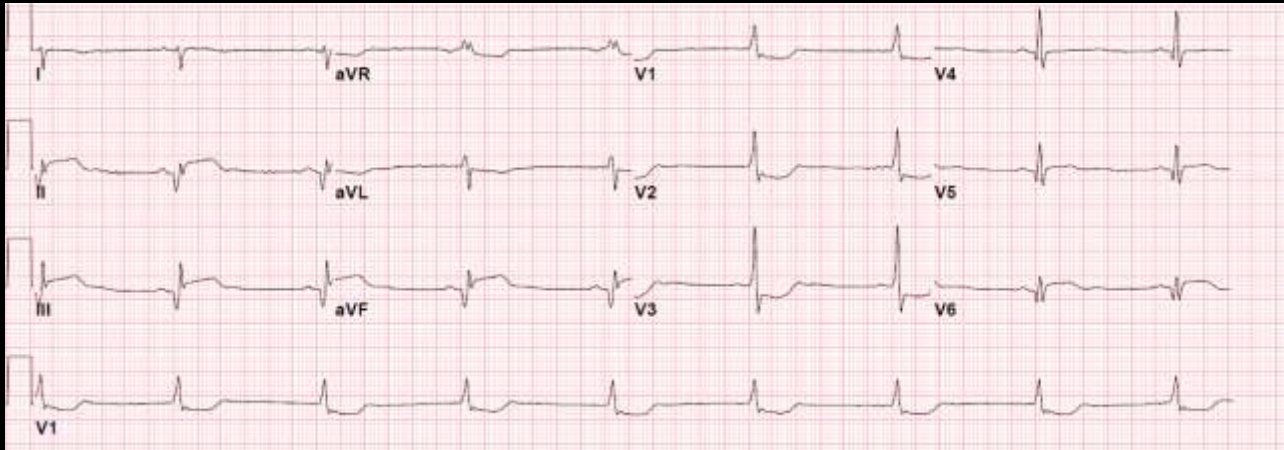
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ACUTE MI

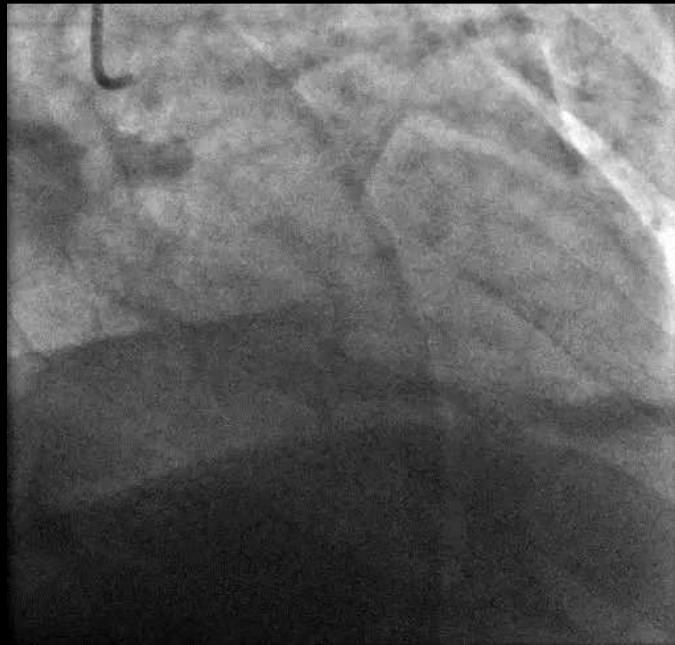
- Emergent PCI
 - Restores TIMI 2-3 flow in the Culprit Vessel
 - Almost complete pain relief
 - Microvascular Effects

64 year old male no prior cardiac history with prolonged substernal chest pain-intermittent



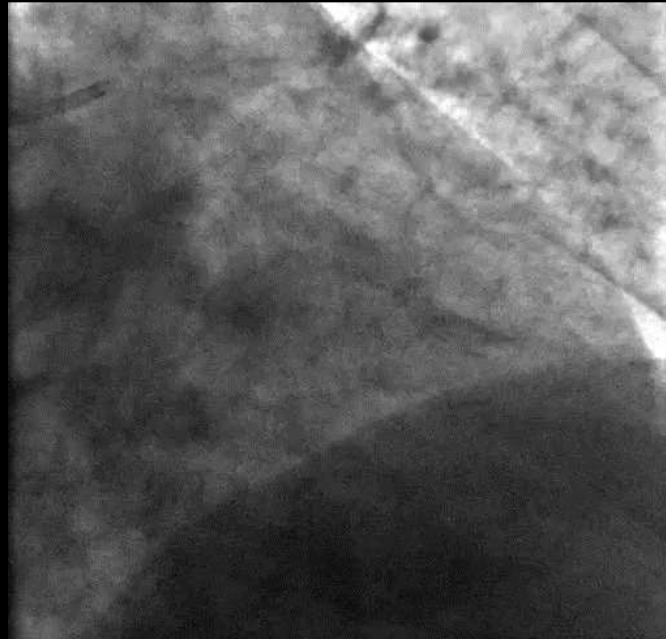
Pre PCI

Lossy compression - not intended for diagnosis



Post PCI-read out as TIMI 3 flow in the infarct vessel.

Lossy compression - not intended for diagnosis



Post Successful Circumflex Stenting- Echo one day later.....



Acute STEMI treated with TIMI 3 flow post PCI

Variable	Total (N=321)
Age(y)	64 ± 12
Male	209 (65%)
Caucasian	281 (88%)
Smoker	236 (74%)
Hypertension	166 (52%)
Hyperlipidemia	145 (45%)
Diabetes mellitus	61 (19%)
History of CAD	212 (66%)
History of CHF	39 (12%)

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Microvascular Flow Post Treated STEMI TIMI 3 FLOW

- TIMI 3 flow in the Infarct Vessel
- Normal MVP at 24-48 hours= 61 patients (19%)
- Delayed MVP at 24-48 hours=132 patients(41%)
- MVO-at 24-48 hours =128 patients (40%)



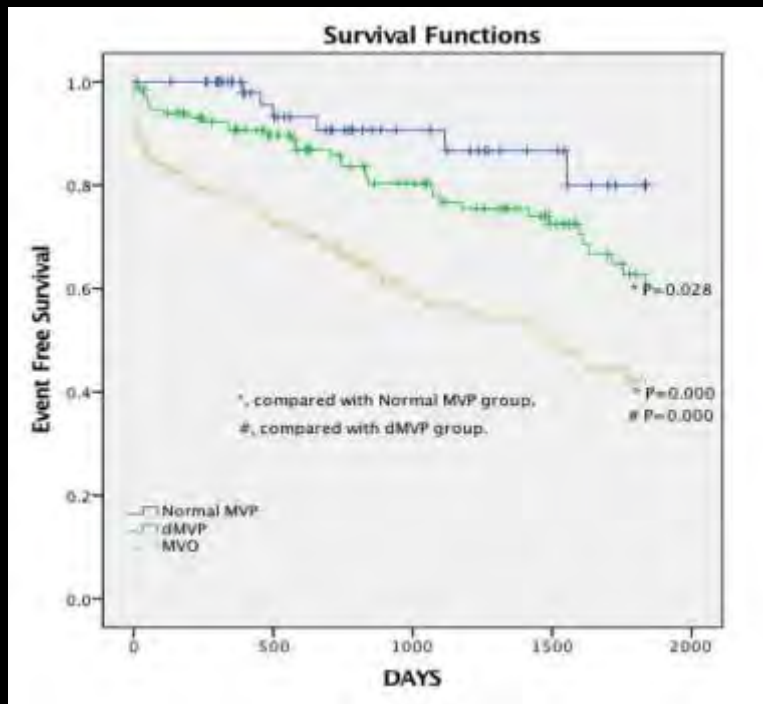
Distribution of infarct territory

Territory	Total (N=321)	Normal MVP group (n=61 [19%])	dMVP group (n=132 [41%])	MVO group (n=128 [40%])
LCx	53 (17%)	14 (23%)	23 (17%)	16 (13%)
LAD	138(43%)	8 (13%)	43 (33%)*	87 (68%)*#
RCA	140 (40%)	40 (66%)	71 (54%)	29 (23%)*#

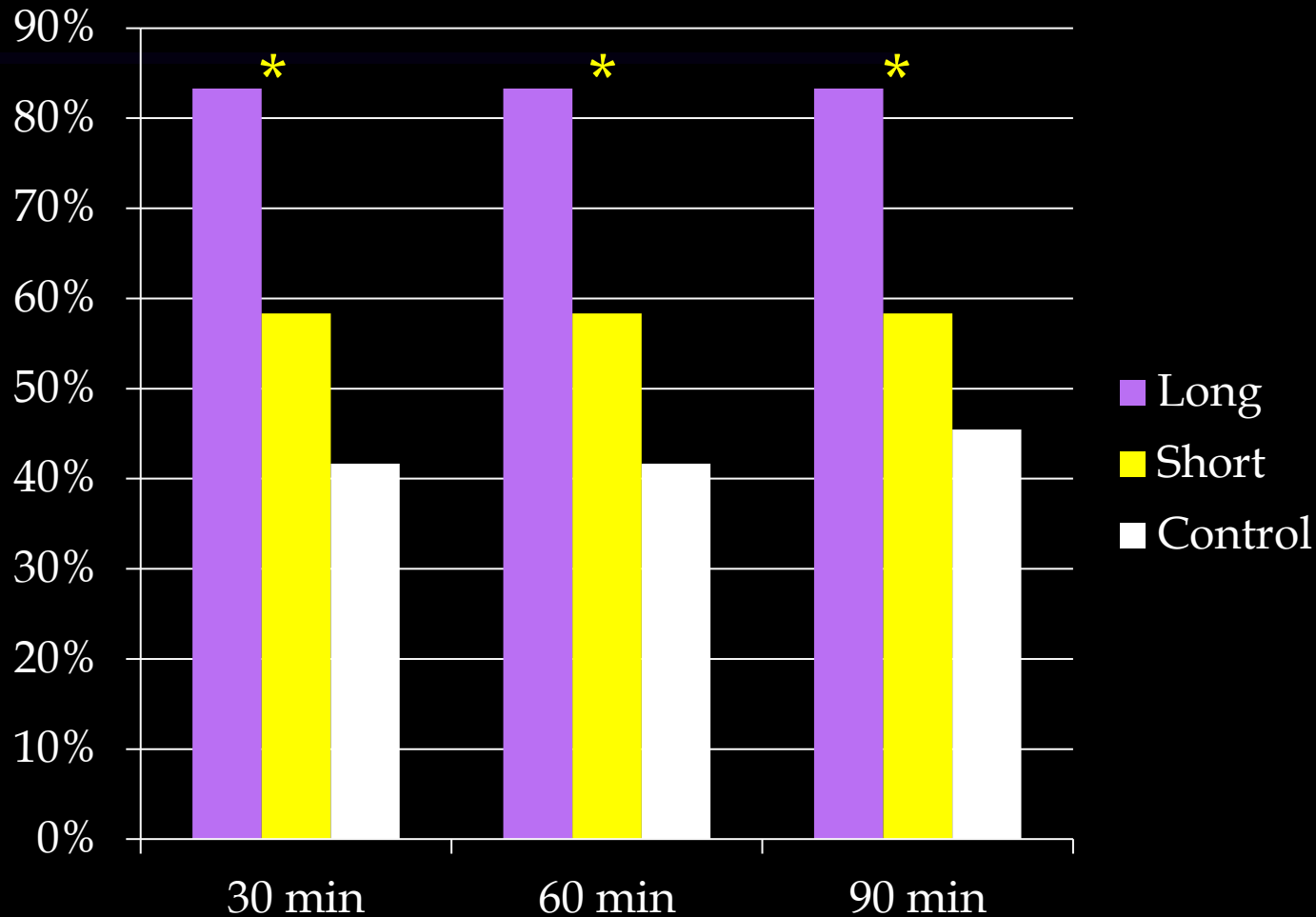
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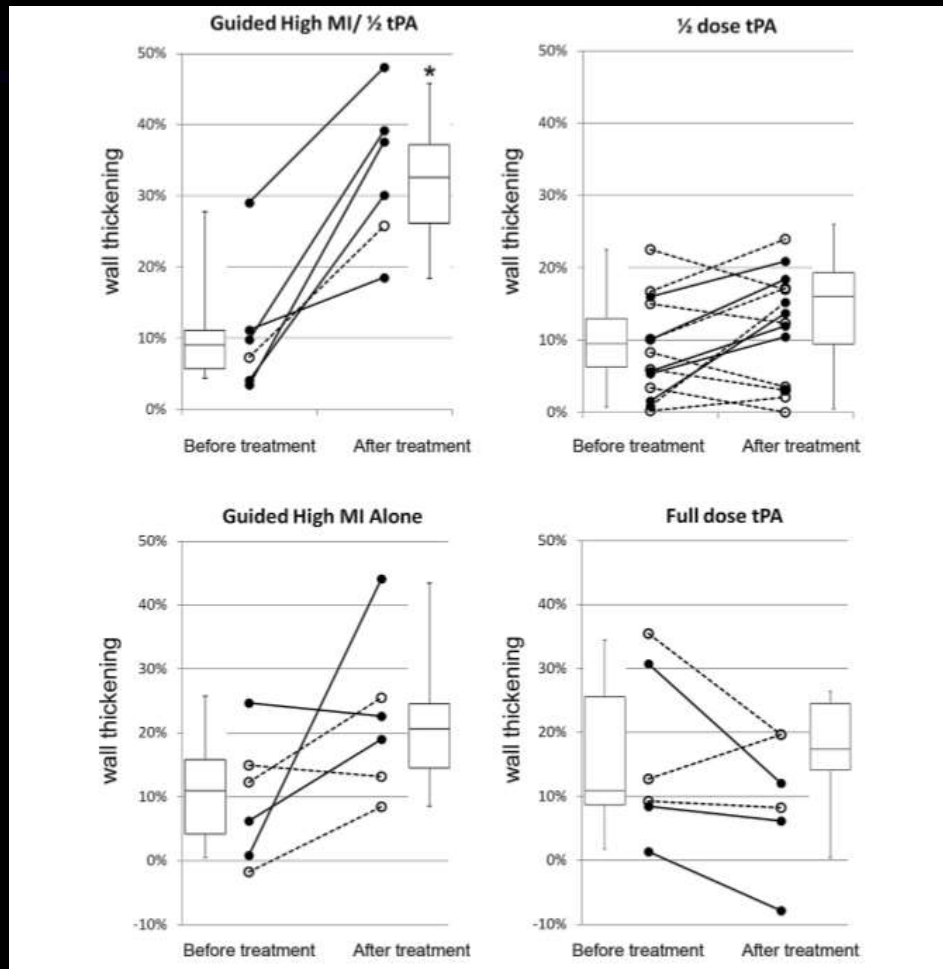
Microvascular Obstruction with TIMI 3 Flow



% Epicardial Recanalization Rates



Wall Thickening Improvement



Wu J et.al. Heart 2015;101:1468-74



Sonothrombolysis in ST Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction Treated with Primary Percutaneous Coronary Intervention: Final Results from the First Randomized Study in Humans

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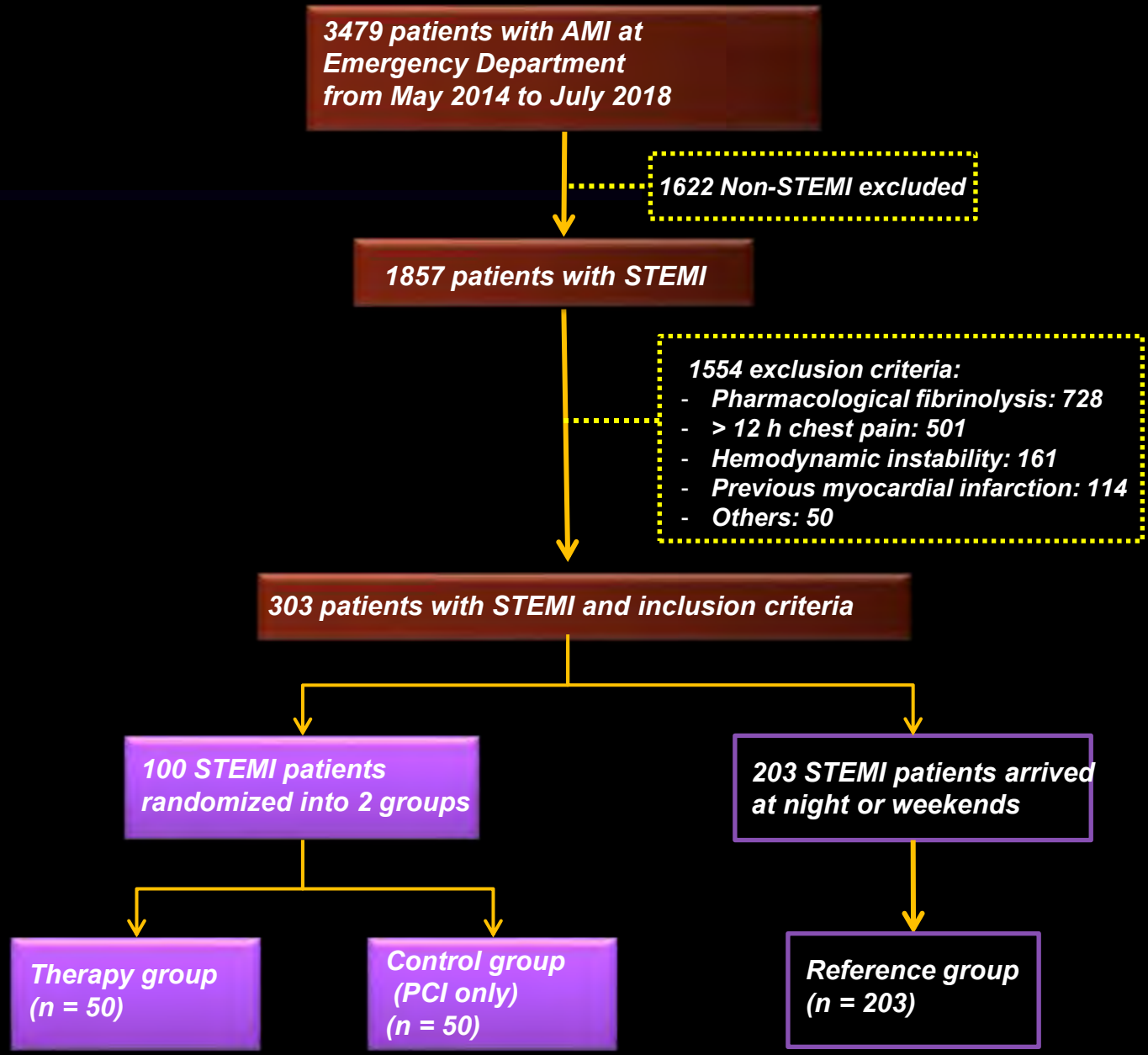
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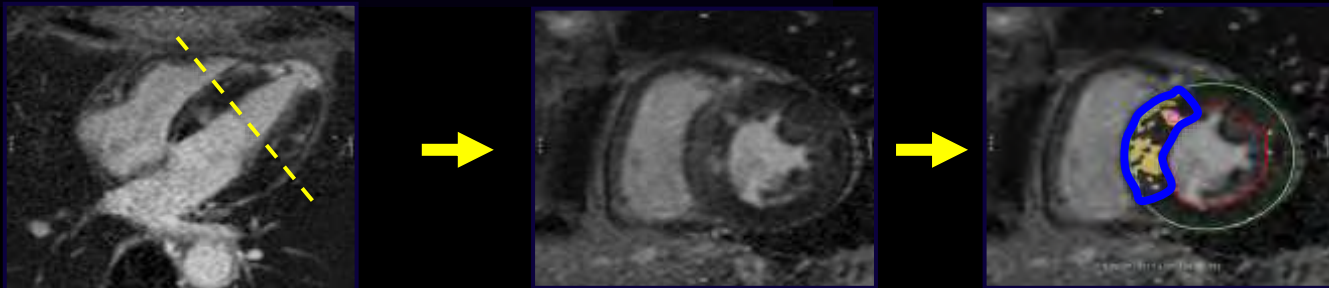
Patient Selection



Echocardiography and MRI

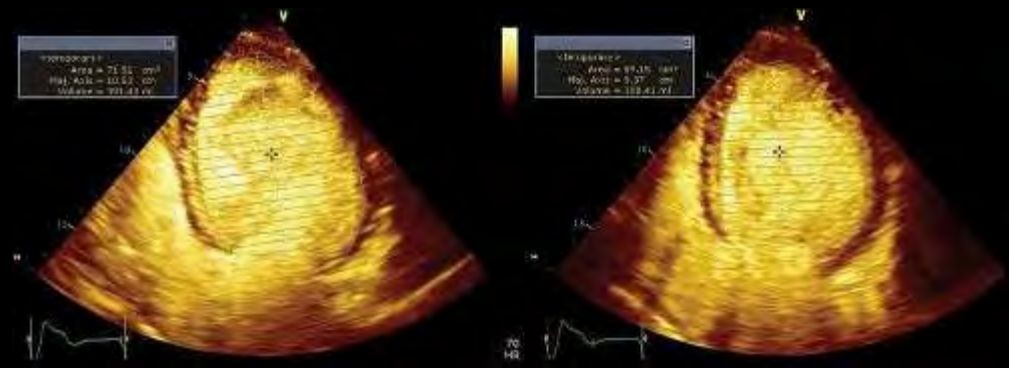
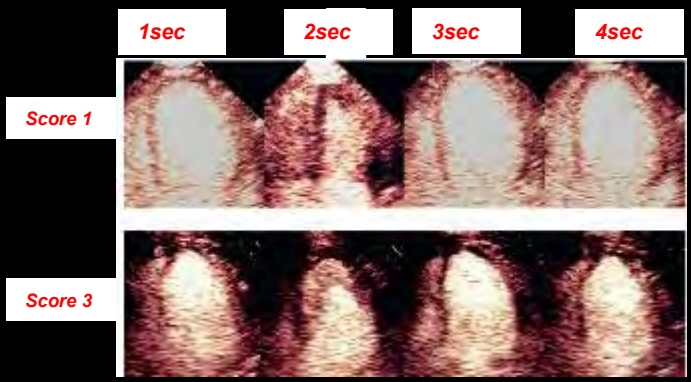
MRI by Achieva de 1,5T, Philips Medical Systems

- ✓ Early (EGE) and Late gadolinium enhancement (LGE) images were obtained at 2 and 10 minutes following injection of 0.2 mmol/Kg Gadolinium. Interpretation: UNMC, USA



Echocardiography by IE33 – Philips Medical Systems

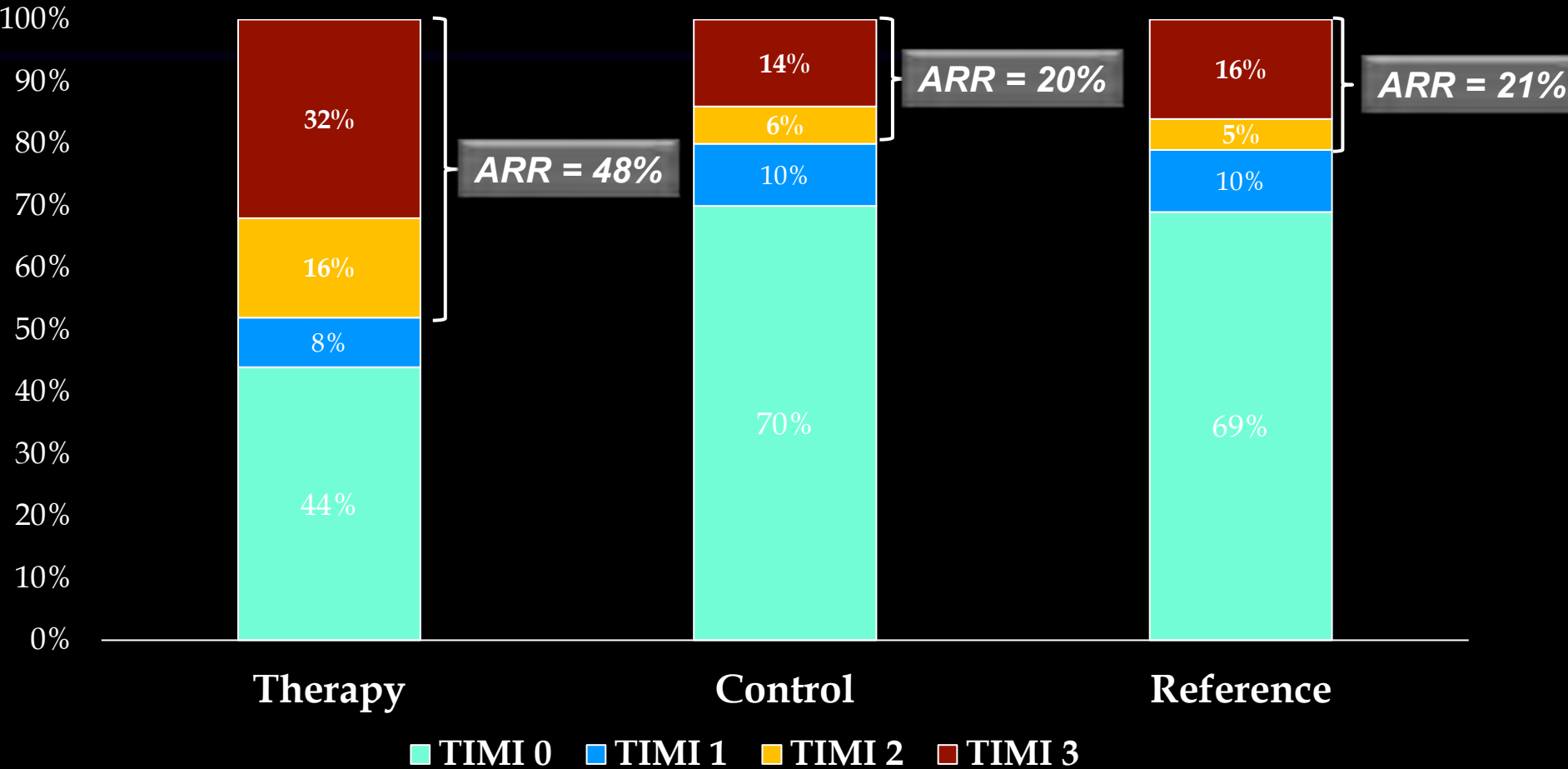
- ✓ A score of 1: normal perfusion; 2: >4 second delay; 3: absent replenishment at 10 seconds post high MI impulse (MVO).
- ✓ EDV, ESV and Ejection Fraction were computed by contrast images using Simpson's Rule.
- ✓ Interpretation: two experienced cardiologists blinded to treatment assignment (InCor, Brazil and UNMC-Nebraska)



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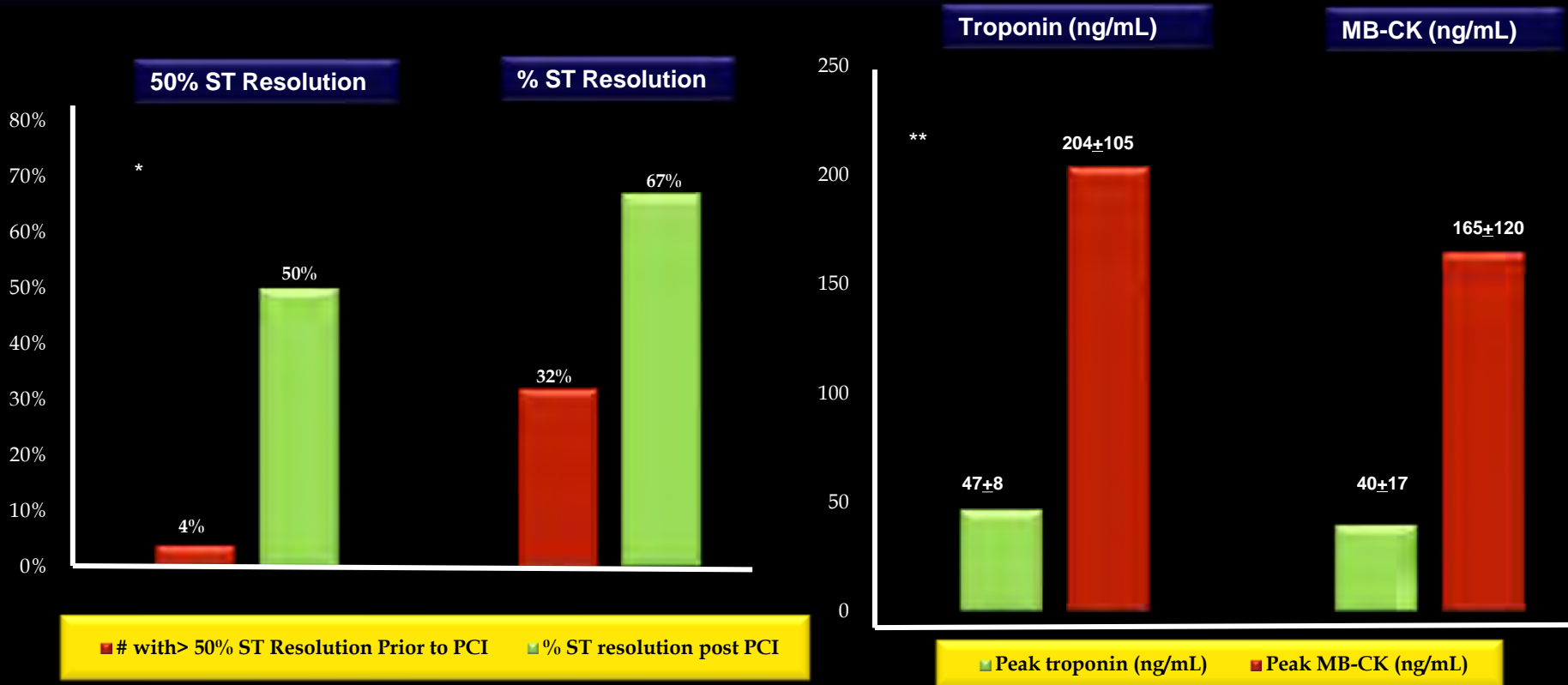
Angiographic Recanalization Rate Pre PCI



p < 0.001 between groups



ST Segment Resolution and Peak Troponin/MBCK Values

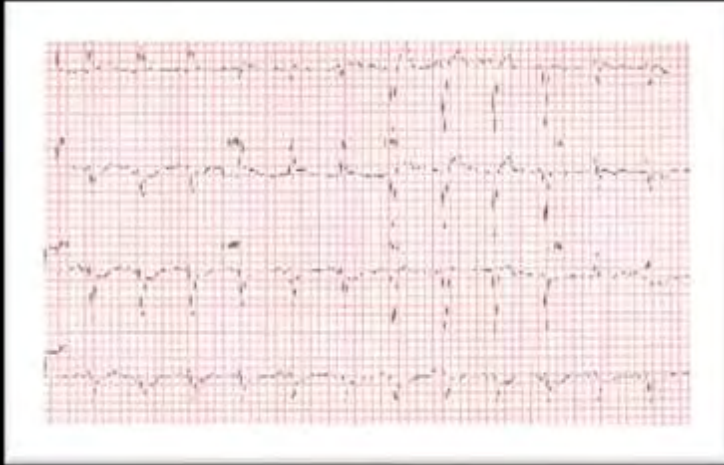


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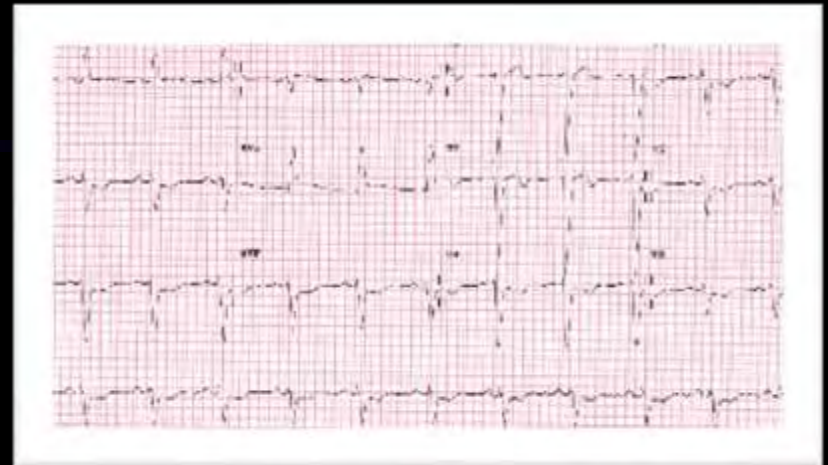


Clinical Case

EKG at arrival



EKG post PCI



Beginning of Sonothrombolysis

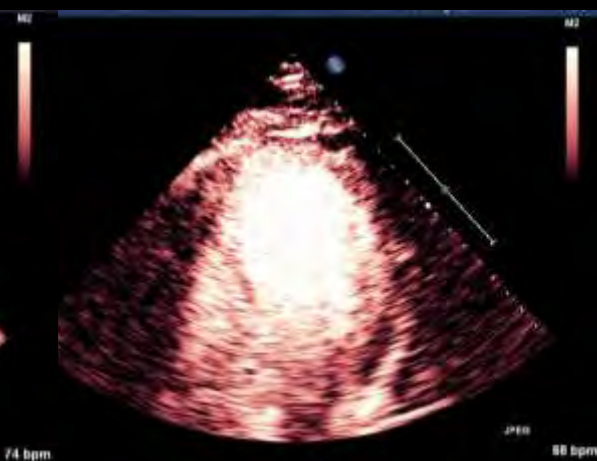


LVEF 29%

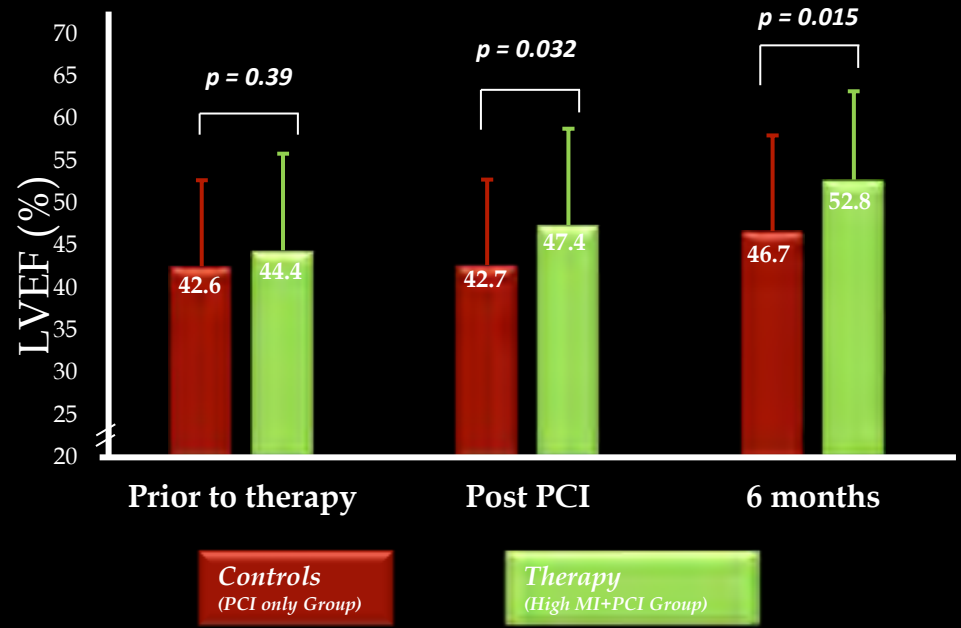
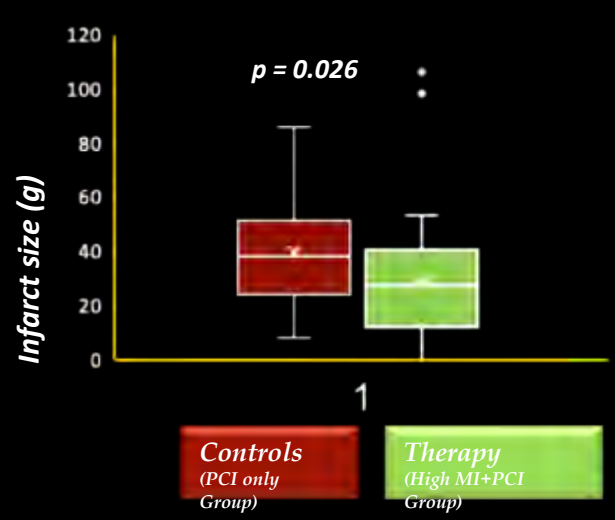
At 12 minutes of Sonothrombolysis



Echo post PCI



Infarct Size by MRI and LVEF by Echo



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Microvascular Theranostics

Targeted Diagnostic High MI Applications

Improve Microvascular Flow

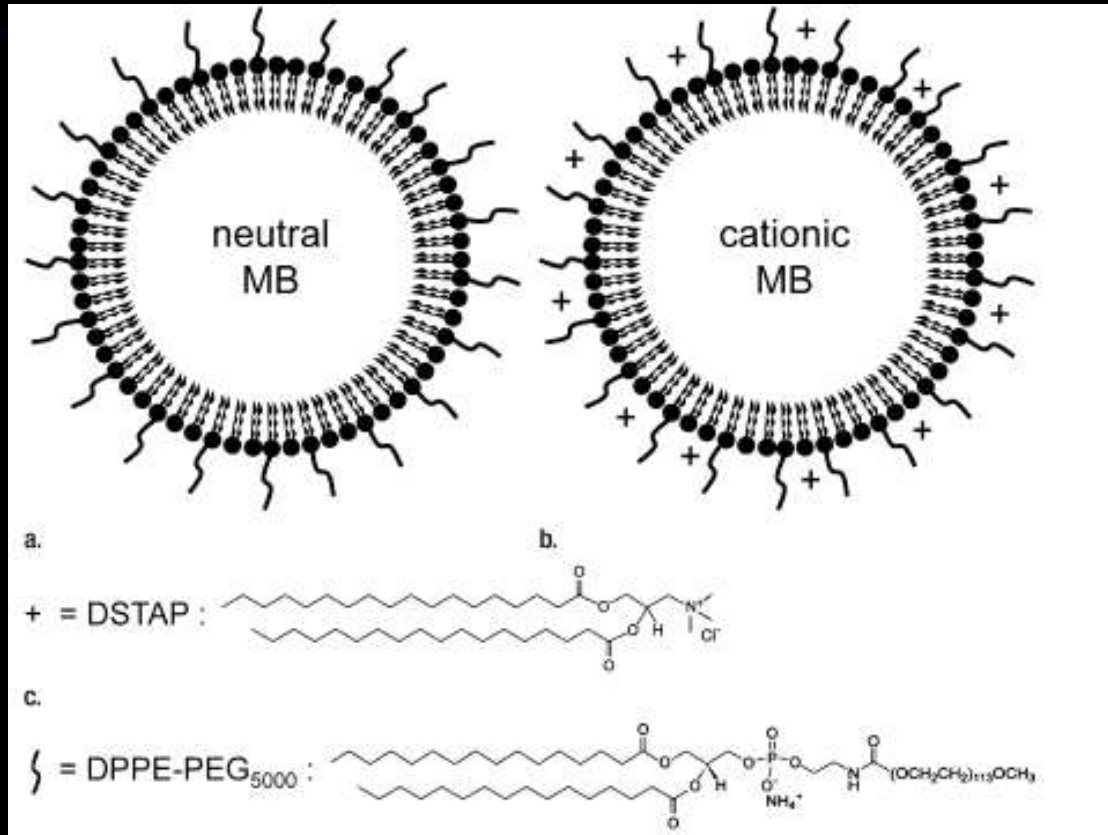
In Skeletal Muscle of PVD patients

In Microvascular Obstruction post MI

Targeted Drug/Gene Delivery



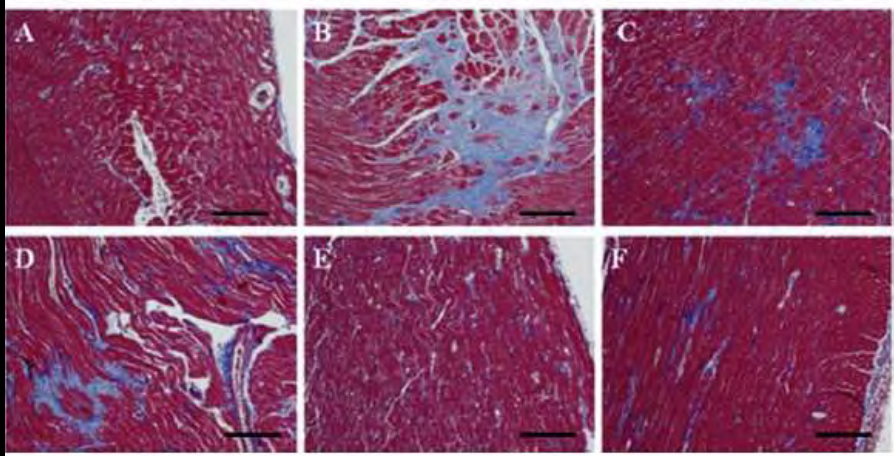
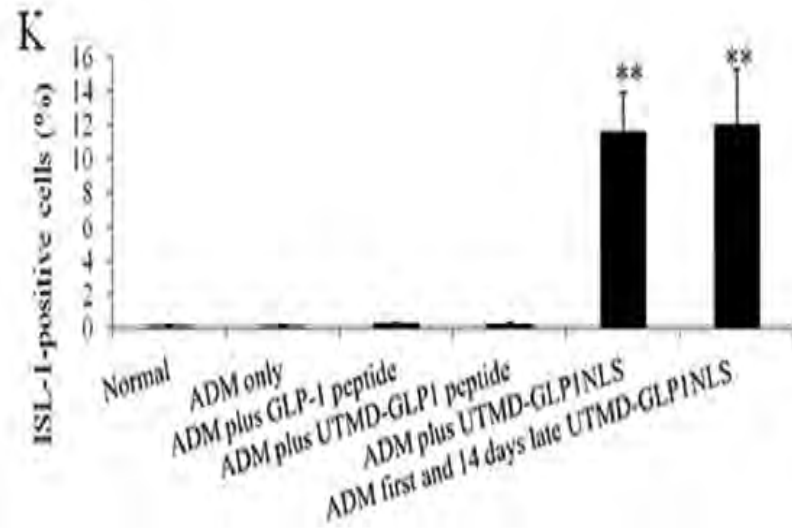
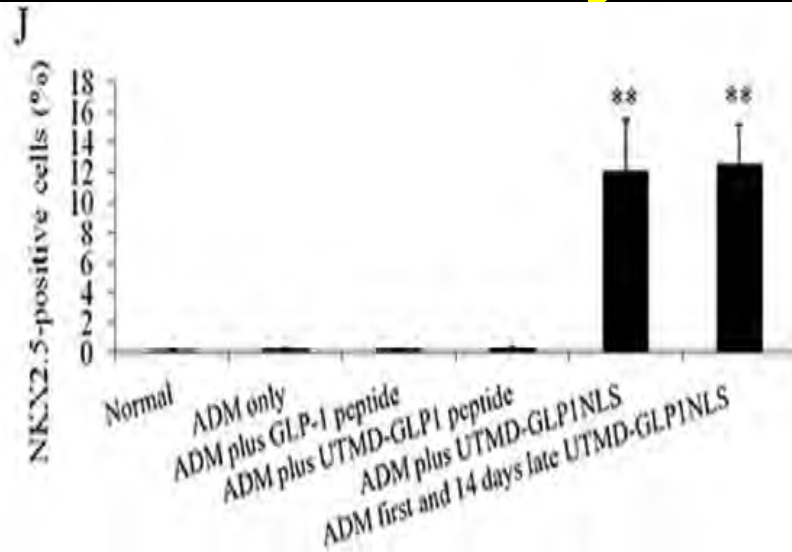
Targeted Delivery-CV Applications



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Adriamycin Cardiotoxicity

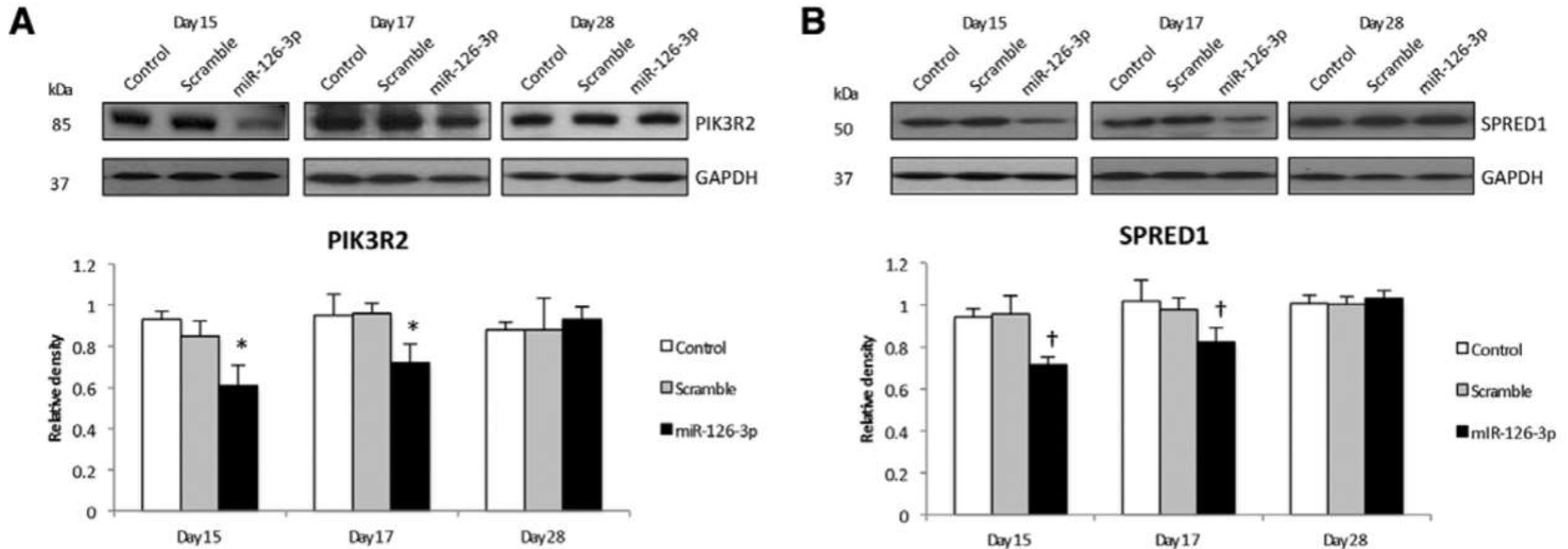


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Targeted Therapy in PAD

UTMD of miR 126-33p CMB



60,000 miR 126-33p molecules/MB

