

# **Le ballon actif en première intention: une approche confortée par la littérature**

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## Un regain d'intérêt pour le ballon actif (DCB)?

- **Ne laisser aucun implant tout en délivrant une drogue antiproliférative locale**
  - Retour à une vasomotricité originelle
  - Retour à un remodelage positif
  - Éviter les complications induites par les stents: sous expansion, malapposition, néo-athérome, fracture de stents, réactions polymère-métal, et thromboses tardives à très tardives
- **Réduction de la durée de la DAPT à 1 mois**

## Les DCB

- Ballons semi-compliants
- Coating / Agent cytotoxique
  - Paclitaxel++ (3  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mm}^2$ ): délivrance homogène pendant l'inflation++, et  $\frac{1}{2}$  vie de 2 mois
  - Sirolimus
- L'excipient retient la drogue sur le ballon, et lors de l'inflation autorise une délivrabilité rapide dans la paroi du vaisseau par sa **lipophilie**

## Les DCB

DCB type

Sequent Please **B.Braun**

Pantera Lux **BIOTRONIK**

IN.PACT Falcon **Medtronic**

Dior second generation **Eurocor**

Elutax SV Aachen Resonance

Lutonix Bard

Danubio APR Medtech

Excipient / coating technique

Iopromide matrix coating

BTHC matrix coating

FreePac matrix coating

Shellac matrix coating

No excipient

Polysorbate

BHTC excipient

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**Les Lésions de Novo  
- Petits Diamètres**

# DCB et lesions de novo: les évidences: les études Pilotes

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Ho et al	320	0,8%	0%	4%
Valentines-II Trial	103			2,9%-4%
Leipzig Prospective Reg	76	0%	1%	0%
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BELLO study IN.Pact	180			Late loss++
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Wohrle 2012	572/2095			1%

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Rosenberg 2018	1025	2,3% (731 de novo lesions)	5,6%
Nishiyama 2016 (IVUS)	30	0% (vs 6,1% DES)	
Kleber 2014	58	Late lumen increases 4 mth	
Rosenberg 2019	234	3,8% (small vl)-1% (large vl)	

Lésions de novo

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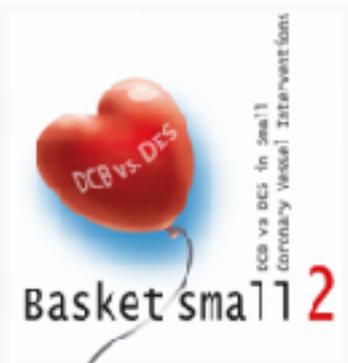
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## DEB et lésions de novo: les évidences

### Drug-Coated Balloons for Small Coronary Artery Disease: BASKET-SMALL 2



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### Rationale

- 2<sup>nd</sup>-generation drug-eluting stents (DES) are the preferred treatment for de-novo coronary lesions
- Efficacy of DES is limited in small vessels due to high rates of in-stent restenosis
- Drug-coated balloons (DCB) are an established treatment strategy for in-stent restenoses of bare metal stents and DES
- The efficacy and safety of DCB in de-novo stenoses is unknown



2 essais randomisés antérieurs  
Petits échantillons  
Comparatif: stent 1<sup>ère</sup> génération  
Endpoints angiographiques

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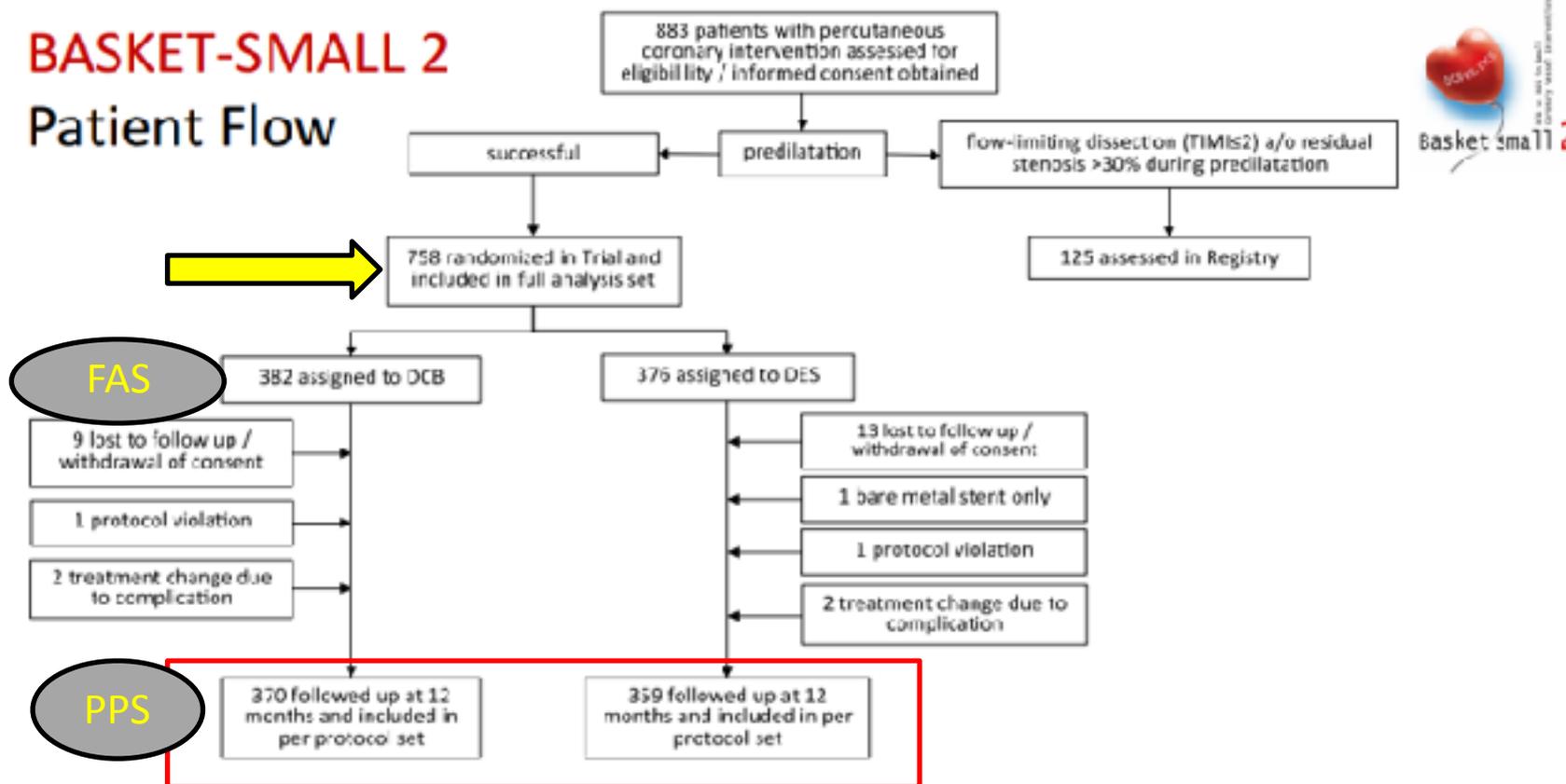
### Design



- Multicenter, randomized controlled non-inferiority trial (14 centers in Germany, Switzerland, and Austria)
- Patients undergoing PCI in native coronary arteries  $< 3$  mm
- Initial comparison Sequent Please<sup>®</sup> DCB (B. Braun Melsungen) vs. Taxus Element<sup>®</sup> DES (Boston Scientific), then changed to Xience<sup>®</sup> DES (Abbott Vascular) after appr. 25% of patients
- Primary endpoint: Non-inferiority for major adverse cardiac events (MACE; cardiac death, non-fatal myocardial infarction, and target vessel revascularization) @ 12 months
- Expected MACE rates of 7% for DCB and 10% for DES with non-inferiority margin  $< 4\%$  (upper limit of the two-sided 95% confidence interval of the absolute risk difference)
- Sample size calculation (based on Xience<sup>®</sup>): 758 patients

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## BASKET-SMALL 2 Patient Flow



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### Clinical Baseline Characteristics



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Sex Male (%)	295	(77.2)	262	(69.7)
Current/former smoker (%)	226	(60.4)	195	(53.1)
Hypercholesterolemia (%)	262	(68.8)	259	(70.0)
Arterial hypertension (%)	324	(84.8)	332	(88.8)
Family history of CAD (%)	150	(42.6)	128	(38.0)
Diabetes melitus (%)	122	(32.0)	130	(34.9)
Previous MI (%)	160	(41.9)	133	(35.4)
Cerebrovascular insult (%)	29	(7.6)	37	(9.8)
PAOD (%)	27	(7.1)	26	(6.9)
COPD (%)	28	(7.3)	36	(9.6)
Renal failure (%)	54	(14.1)	59	(15.7)

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STEMI	11 (3%)	4 (1%)
NSTEMI	53 (14%)	56 (15%)
UA	48 (13%)	42 (11%)
STABLE ANGINA	270 (70%)	274 (73%)

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Target vessel				
Left anterior descending artery (%)	128	(33.5)	116	(30.9)
Left circumflex artery (%)	179	(46.9)	183	(48.7)
Right coronary artery (%)	75	(19.6)	77	(20.5)
Bifurcation lesion (%)	22	(5.8)	29	(8.0)
Procedural success (%; mean, SD)	96	(19)	98	(13)
Number of DCB or DES (mean, SD)	1.68	(0.82)	1.26	(0.55)
Length of DCB or DES (mm; mean, SD)	23.93	(11.74)	23.18	(12.85)
Effective size of DCB or DES (mm; mean, SD)	2.75	(2.14)	2.57	(0.25)
Inflation pressure (atm; mean, SD)	11.06	(3.54)	13.58	(3.90)
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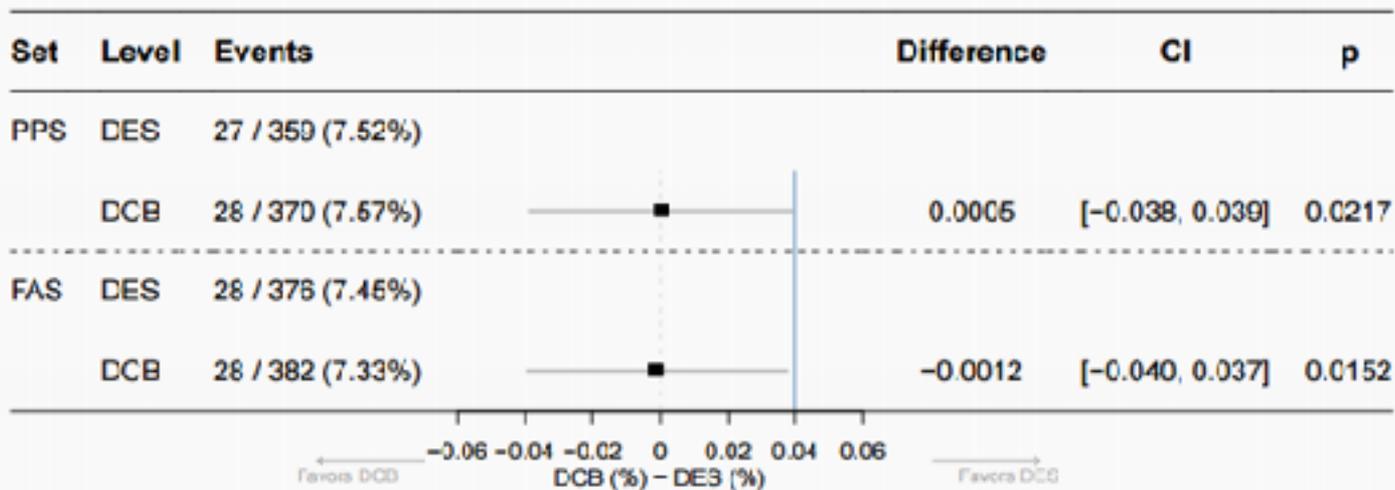
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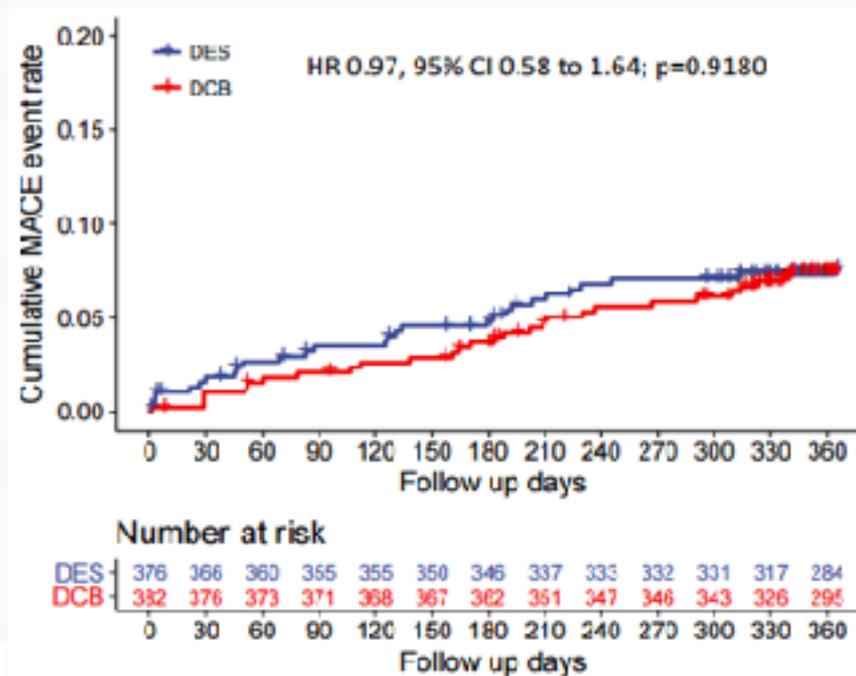
### Primary Endpoint (Non-Inferiority)



PPS, per protocol set; FAS, full analysis set.

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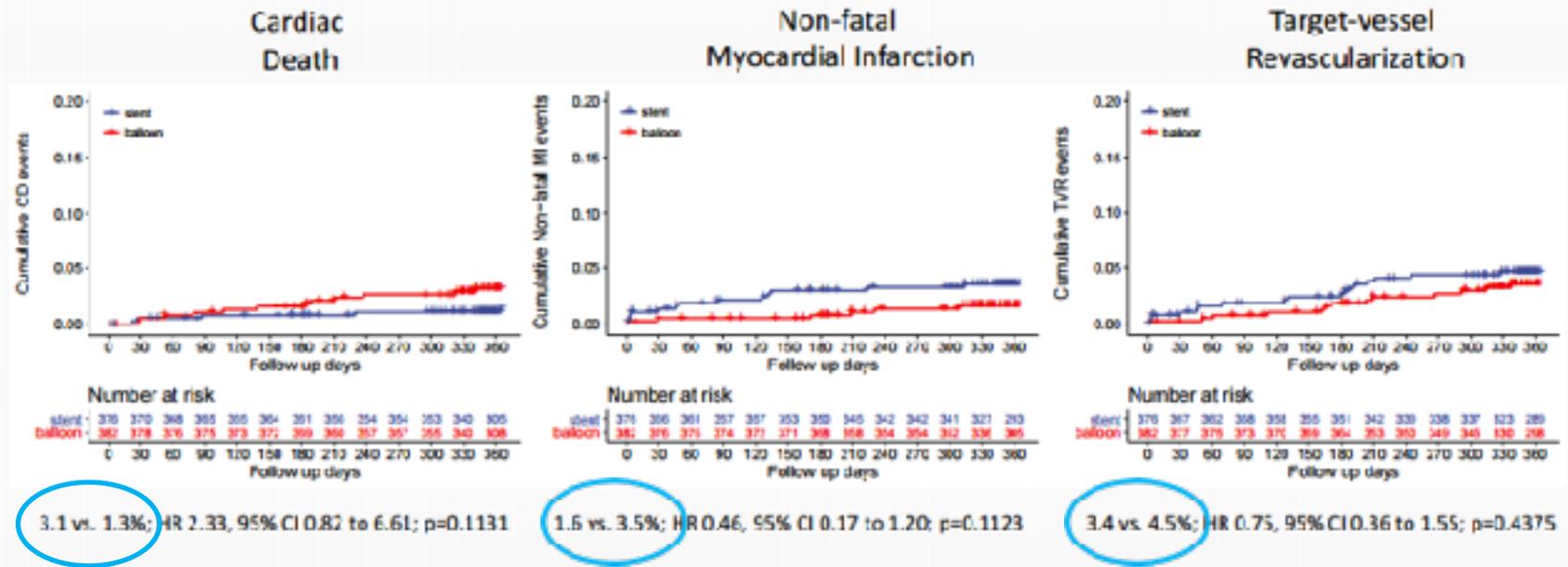
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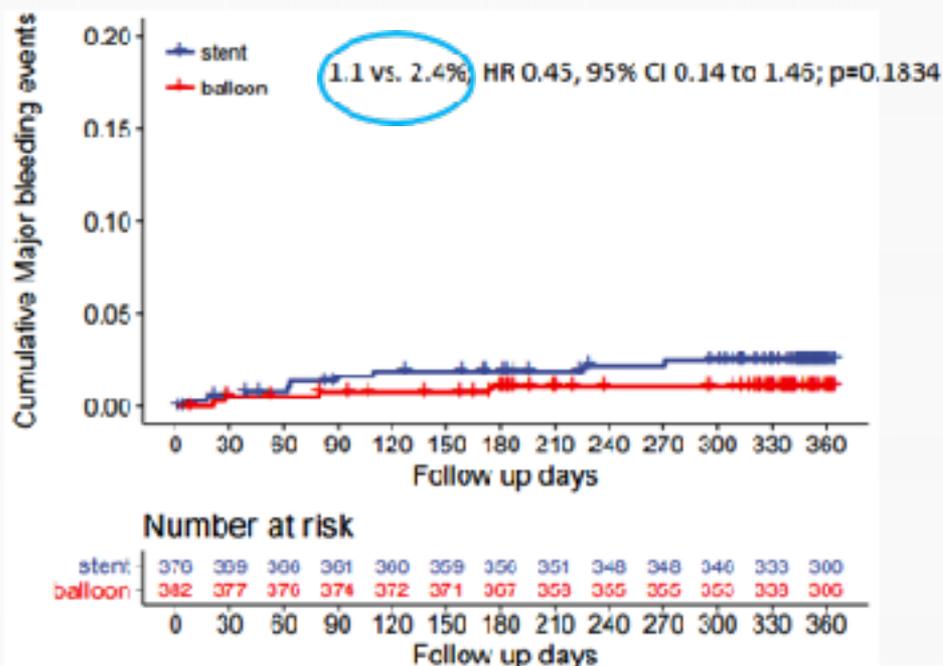
### Single Components of MACE (12 Months)



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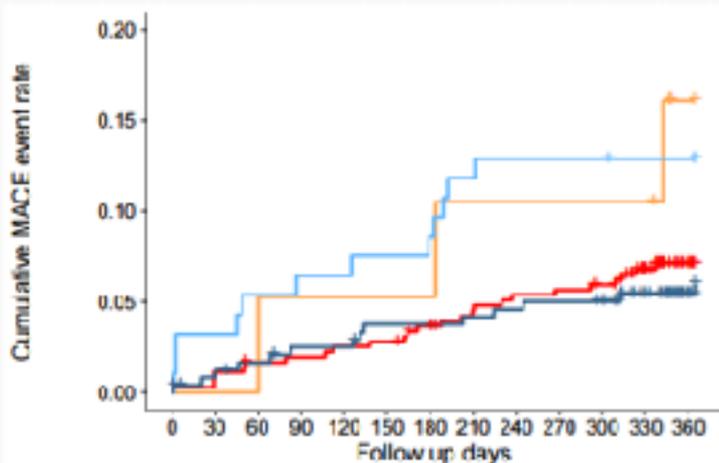
### Major Bleeding (BARC $\geq 3$ , 12 Months)



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### MACE (12 Months) for Device Subgroups



— DCB+DES  
— Taxus  
— DCB  
— Xience

} 15.8 vs. 7.0%, HR 2.11, 95% CI 0.62 to 7.19; p=0.2306  
} 12.8 vs. 5.7%, HR 2.04, 95% CI 0.88 to 4.76; p=0.0987

Number at risk

	0	30	60	90	120	150	180	210	240	270	300	330	360
DCB	368	362	349	348	348	315	310	335	332	331	328	311	284
DCB+DES	19	19	15	18	18	18	16	17	17	17	17	17	13
Taxus	53	50	48	47	47	46	45	42	41	41	41	40	40
Xience	243	239	236	233	233	229	229	228	227	226	225	212	185

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Les sous groupes

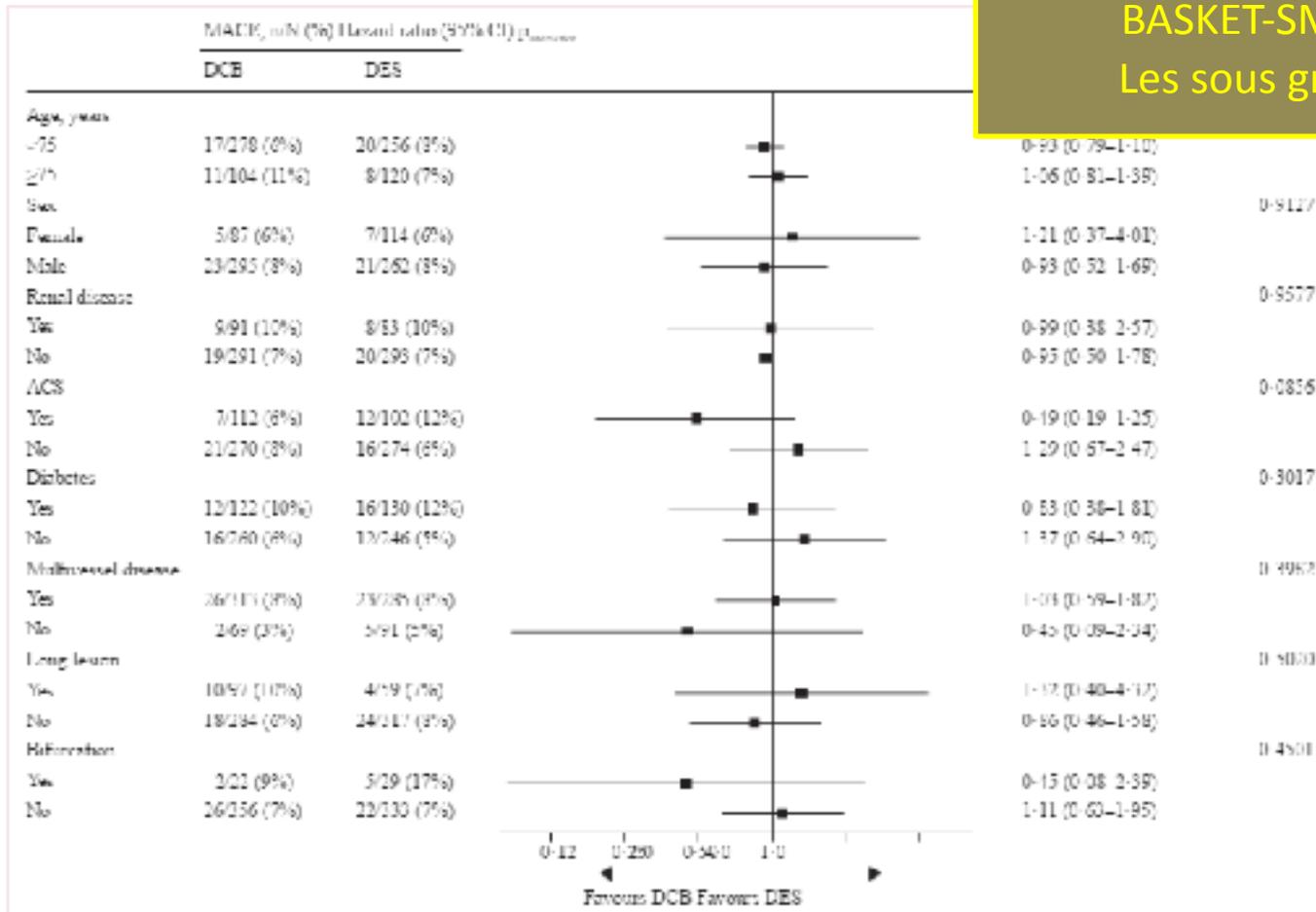


Figure 4: Subgroup analyses of MACE and hazard ratios  
Cox proportional hazards models were fitted with time-to-MACE as outcome and with patients censored at last observation if experiencing no event. All analyses were done on the full analysis population with the treatment group as assigned to patients at randomisation. MACE=major adverse cardiac events. DCB=drug coated balloons. DES=drug-eluting stents. ACS=acute coronary syndrome

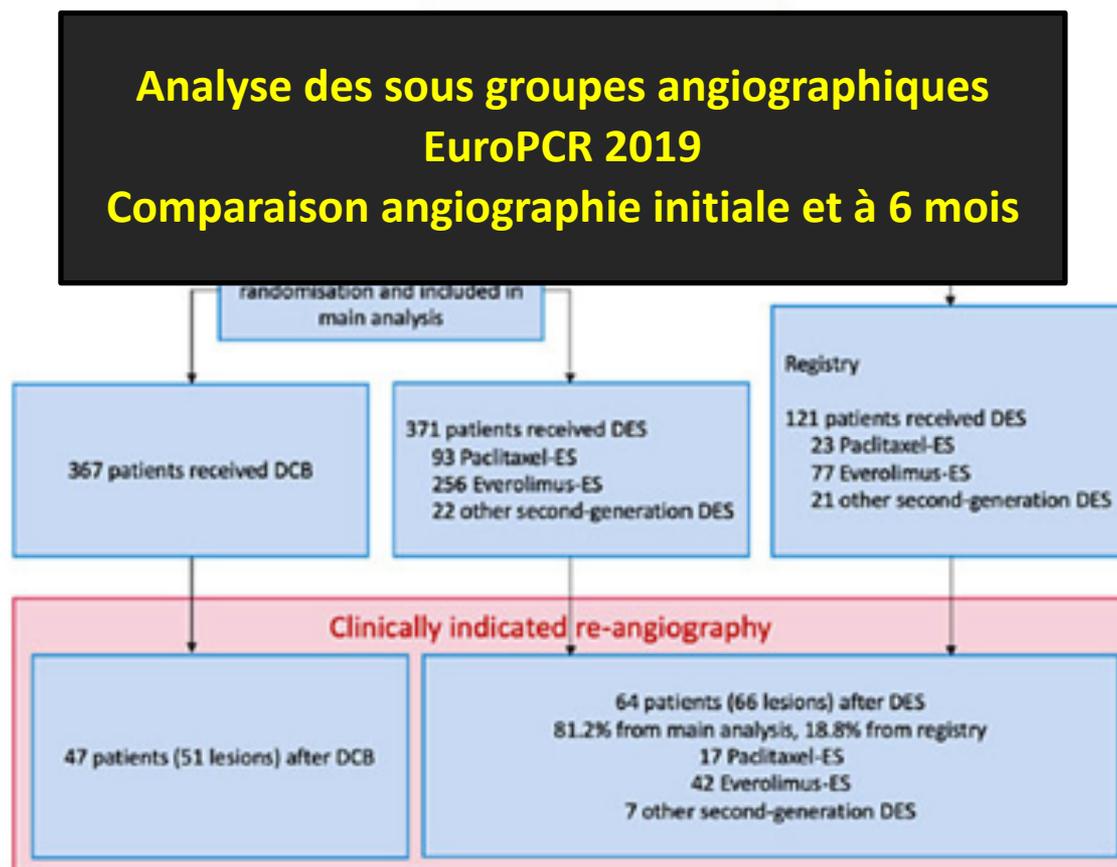
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- Limites:
  - Changement de DES 2de génération:
    - nouveau comparateur possible: DES à polymère biodégradable et mailles extra ou ultrafine?
  - Distribution inégale dans le sexe entre les 2 groupes
  - Pas d'extrapolation possible aux autres DCB
  - Pas de suivi angiographique: possible sous estimation des évènements

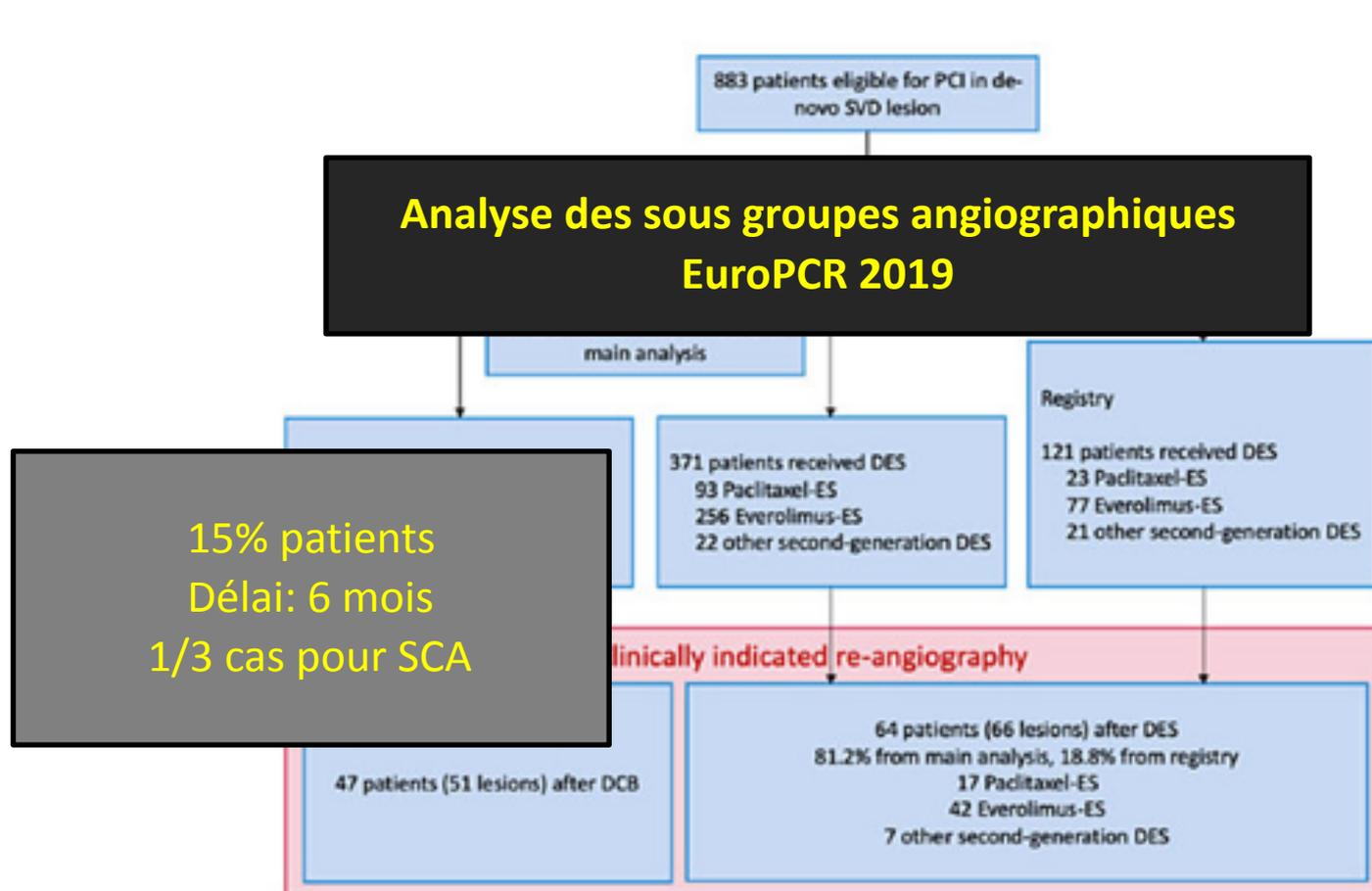
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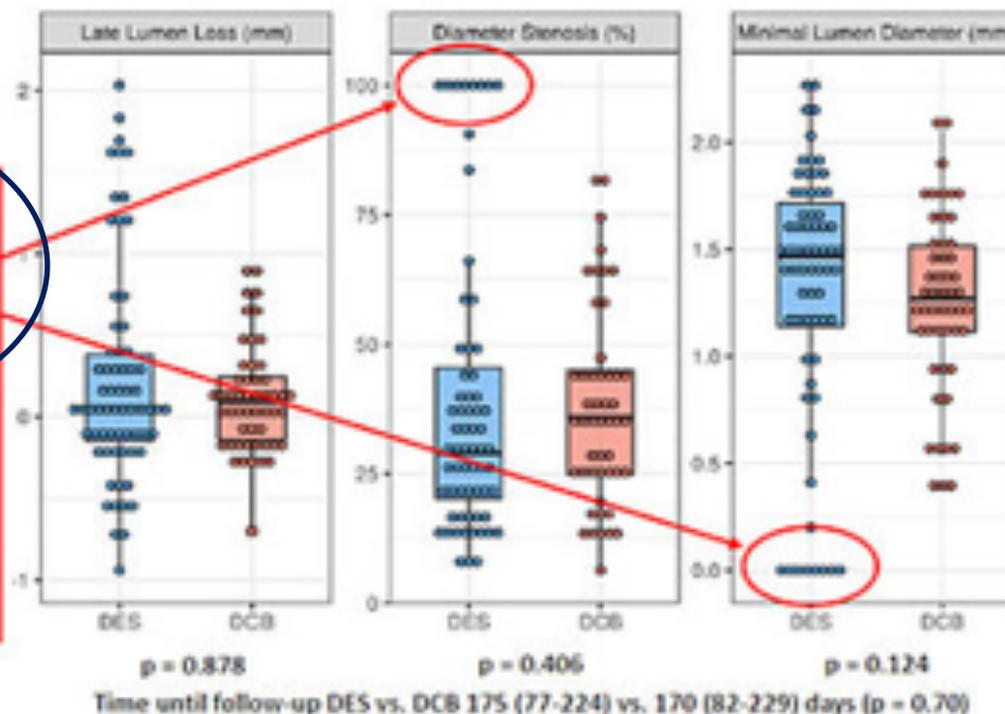
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### Key Results

Complete thrombotic vessel occlusion in 8 patients with DES (Xience n=5, Taxus n=3) vs. none with DCB (p = 0.009)

Clinical presentation:  
- 3 STEMI  
- 1 NSTEMI  
- 3 unstable angina  
- 1 heart failure

All but one on DAPT



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### Conclusions



- First large randomized controlled trial testing the efficacy of a paclitaxel-iodopromide-coated DCB vs. second-generation DES in a large all-comer population regarding clinical endpoints
- DCB are non-inferior to DES in lesions of small native coronary arteries regarding MACE up to 12 months, with similar event rates for both treatment groups



Small native coronary artery disease may safely be treated with DCB after successful predilatation

**Merci pour votre attention**

