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2. Protocol Synopsis

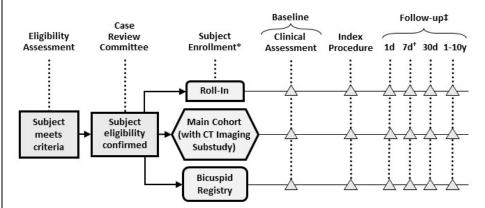
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Study Objective(s)	To evaluate safety and effectiveness of the LOTUS $Edge^{TM}$ Valve System when used with the Lotus TM or iSleeve TM Introducer Sets for transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) in symptomatic subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are considered at intermediate risk for surgical valve replacement including those who have a bicuspid native valve.	
Intended Use	The LOTUS <i>Edge</i> Valve System is intended to improve aortic valve function in symptomatic subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are at intermediate risk for standard surgical aortic valve replacement (SAVR), including those who have a bicuspid native valve. The iSleeve and Lotus Introducer Sets are intended to provide percutaneous access to the vascular system.	
Test Device(s) and Sizes	Device Name/Size LOTUS Edge Valve System Valve diameter: - 23mm - 25mm - 27mm The iSleeve™ Ir	Description Includes 2 main components: - a bioprosthetic bovine pericardial aortic valve (similar to the Lotus™ Valve System used in the REPRISE III IDE study [NCT02202434] and the RESPOND post-market surveillance study [NCT02031302]) - a next generation delivery system designed to increase flexibility, trackability, and coaxial alignment The LOTUS Edge Valve System is introduced percutaneously via the femoral artery. attroducer Set (iSleeve) and the large Lotus Introducer Set used as accessories to facilitate vascular introduction and
	deployment of t 27mm valve siz a dilator enablir intended for use	the LOTUS <i>Edge</i> Valve System (23mm, 25mm, and tes). The iSleeve has an expandable sheath component and ag access to transfemoral arteries \geq 5.9 mm. The LIS-L is the insubjects with femoral vascular access \geq 6.5 mm. In the introducer sets are approved, the commercial devices

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	will be used. In countries where they are not approved, they will be considered investigational devices.	
Comparator	For the primary endpoint, a performance goal (PG) based on 1-year TAVR outcomes derived from published literature will be used as the comparator for analysis.	
Study Design	REPRISE IV is a prospective, multicenter single-arm study designed to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of the LOTUS <i>Edge</i> Valve System for TAVR in symptomatic subjects who have severe native aortic stenosis and are considered at intermediate risk for surgical valve replacement. Study cohorts include the following.	
	 Main Cohort: A prospective, multicenter, single-arm cohort of subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are considered at intermediate risk for surgical aortic valve replacement and are treated with the LOTUS Edge Valve System. CT Imaging Substudy: Selected centers with the ability to perform high quality 4D computed tomography (CT) scans will include subjects from the Main Cohort in a CT imaging substudy to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. 	
	Bicuspid Nested Registry: A prospective, single-arm, nested registry cohort of subjects who have a native bicuspid aortic valve, are considered at intermediate risk for surgical aortic valve replacement and are treated with the LOTUS Edge Valve System.	
	• Roll-In Cohort: A roll-in phase with the study device for centers that do not have implantation experience with the LOTUS <i>Edge</i> Valve System; each of these centers will perform at least 2 roll-in cases before commencing enrollment in the evaluable Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry. Data from roll-in subjects will be summarized separately from the evaluable Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry. Roll-in subjects will not be included in the primary endpoint analysis.	
	The REPRISE IV study will be conducted in accordance with 21 CFR Parts 11, 50, and 54; the relevant parts of the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) Guidelines for Good Clinical Practices (GCP); the International Standard ISO 14155 Clinical Investigation of Medical	

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Devices for Human Subjects – Good Clinical Practice; ethical principles that have their origins in the Declaration of Helsinki; and pertinent individual country/state/local laws and regulations. The study shall not begin until the required approval/favorable opinion from the Institutional Review Board/Human Research Ethics Committee (IRB/HREC) and/or regulatory authority has been obtained, if appropriate.

The study design is summarized in the figure below.



- * Subjects are considered enrolled when an attempt is made to insert the LOTUS Edge Transfemoral Aortic Valve System into the femoral artery.
- † Discharge or 7 days, whichever comes first
- # Includes clinic/in-person visit at 30 days and years 1-5, 7 & 10; telephone follow-up at years 6, 8 & 9. Enrolled subjects who do not have a study device implanted will be assessed through 1 year post procedure for safety.

REPRISE IV Study Design Overview

Planned Number of Subjects/ Investigational Centers/ Countries

Subjects will be enrolled at up to 65 centers in the United States and Australia. There will be up to 926 subjects enrolled in REPRISE IV as shown below.

Cohort	Number of Subjects
Main	696*
Bicuspid Nested Registry	100
Roll-In	Up to 130

* Up to 200 subjects from the main cohort will be enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy. If 200 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy by completion of enrollment in the main cohort, additional subjects who meet the REPRISE IV eligibility criteria will be enrolled in a separate CT Imaging Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy.

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Primary Endpoint	Composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year.	
Additional Measurements	Additional measurements based on the VARC ^a endpoints and definitions will be collected peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, and annually through 10 years post index procedure, unless otherwise specified below.	
	• Safety endpoints adjudicated by an independent Clinical Events Committee (CEC):	
	Mortality: all-cause, cardiovascular, and non-cardiovascular	
	o Stroke: disabling and non-disabling	
	 Myocardial infarction (MI): periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) and spontaneous (>72 hours post index procedure) 	
	 Bleeding: life-threatening (or disabling) and major (through 5 years) 	
	 Acute kidney injury (≤7 days post index procedure): based on the AKIN System Stage 3 (including renal replacement therapy) or Stage 2 	
	 Major vascular complication (through 5 years) 	
	 Repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction (surgical or interventional therapy) 	
	 Hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA class III or IV) 	
	 New permanent pacemaker implantation resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances 	
	 New onset of atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter 	
	 ○ Coronary obstruction: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) 	
	 ○ Ventricular septal perforation: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) 	
	 Mitral apparatus damage: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) 	
	 ○ Cardiac tamponade: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) 	

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- Prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning, including valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment
- o Transcatheter aortic valve (TAV)-in-TAV deployment
- Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis
- o Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis
- Device Performance endpoints peri- and post-procedure:
 - o Successful vascular access, delivery and deployment of the study valve, and successful retrieval of the delivery system
 - o Successful retrieval of the study valve if retrieval is attempted
 - Successful repositioning of the study valve if repositioning is attempted (see Note 1 below)
 - o Grade of aortic valve regurgitation: paravalvular, central, and combined
- Device success, defined as absence of procedural mortality, correct positioning of a single valve into the proper anatomical location, intended performance of the study device (effective orifice area [EOA] >0.9 cm² for BSA <1.6 m² and EOA >1.1 cm² for BSA ≥1.6 m² plus either a mean aortic valve gradient <20 mm Hg or a peak velocity <3m/sec, and no moderate or severe prosthetic valve aortic regurgitation)
- Additional indications of prosthetic aortic valve performance as measured by transthoracic echocardiography (TTE; see Note 2 and Note 3 below) and assessed by an independent core laboratory, including effective orifice area, mean and peak aortic gradients, peak aortic velocity, and grade of aortic regurgitation
- Functional status as evaluated by the following:
 - o 5-m gait speed test (at 1 year compared to baseline)
 - New York Heart Association (NYHA) classification (see Note 3 below)
- Neurological status as determined by the following:
 - National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale (NIHSS) and modified Rankin Scale (mRS) assessments, which must be performed at baseline and pre-specified timepoints for all enrolled subjects (see Note 4 below). NIHSS and mRS must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel.

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- o For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam, mRS, and NIHSS must be performed after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days following a stroke; the simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment. The neurological physical exam must be conducted by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner.
- Health status as evaluated by Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 Quality of Life questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, and 1 and 5 years.
- For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry, a CT scan at 30 days post LOTUS Edge Valve implantation. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.
- For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, a 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.

Note 1: For the LOTUS *Edge* valve, repositioning may be achieved with partial or full resheathing of the valve.

Note 2: At least 1 echocardiogram must be obtained before discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first); if multiple echocardiographic studies are performed prior to discharge and within 7 days of the procedure, the latest study performed will be used for analysis.

Note 3: Echocardiography and NYHA assessment are not required in years 6, 8, and 9 (telephone follow-up only).

Note 4: NIHSS is required at discharge and 1 year; mRS is required at all follow-up visits up to 5 years.

a: Leon M, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2011;57:253–69 Kappetein AP, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2012;60:1438–54

Method of Assigning Subjects to Treatment

Main Cohort: Subjects with severe aortic valve stenosis who meet all eligibility criteria may be treated with the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System.

- Up to 200 subjects from the main cohort will be enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy. If 200 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy by completion of enrollment in the main cohort, additional subjects who meet the REPRISE IV eligibility criteria

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	will be enrolled in a separate CT Imaging Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy.	
	Bicuspid Nested Registry: Subjects with a native bicuspid aortic valve who meet all inclusion criteria and have no other exclusion criterion may be treated with the LOTUS <i>Edge</i> Valve System as part of a single-arm, nested registry cohort.	
	Roll-In Cohort: For centers that do not have implantation experience with the LOTUS <i>Edge</i> Valve System 2 to 4 roll-in subjects will be treated before commencing enrollment in the Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry.	
Follow-up Schedule	All subjects implanted with a study device will be assessed at baseline, peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, 1 year, and then annually for up to 10 years post-procedure. Subjects who are enrolled but not implanted with a study device at the time of the procedure will be followed for safety through 1 year.	
	The visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years, and 10 years are to be an office/clinical or in-person visit but may be done in-hospital should the subject be admitted at the time. Telephone follow-up is allowed at 6, 8, and 9 years. Procedures at each scheduled visit are described above under "Additional Measurements."	
Study Duration	Subjects implanted with a study device will be followed for 10 years after the index procedure.	
	Enrollment is expected to be completed in approximately 24 months; therefore, the total study duration is estimated to be approximately 12 years.	
Participant Duration	The study duration for each subject is expected to be approximately 10 years.	
Adjunctive Pharmacologic Therapy	Anticoagulant Therapy	
	Anticoagulant therapy (e.g., unfractionated heparin) per local standard of care must be administered during the implant procedure, with a recommended target activated clotting time of ≥250 seconds during the index procedure.	

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Anti-Platelet Therapy

Per society guidelines^b, antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and/or a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) is recommended after TAVR to decrease the risk of thrombotic or thromboembolic complications if there are no contraindications to these medications.

Study subjects must receive some antiplatelet therapy (aspirin and/or a $P2Y_{12}$ inhibitor) for at least 1 month following valve implant. A loading dose of the same antiplatelet medication (aspirin and/or a $P2Y_{12}$ inhibitor) is required for subjects who have not been on the antiplatelet therapy for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure (see below for recommended doses).

Note 5: It is recommended that subjects be treated with both aspirin and a $P2Y_{12}$ inhibitor for at least 1 month after valve implantation.

Aspirin Dose

The recommended loading dose of aspirin is 75–325 mg for subjects who have not been on aspirin therapy for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure. The loading dose must be administered prior to the implant procedure. Subjects who have been taking aspirin daily for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure do not require a loading dose of aspirin.

After the valve implant procedure, the recommended dose of aspirin is ≥75 mg daily given for at least 1 month. It is recommended that daily aspirin be given indefinitely thereafter as per local standard of care.

P2Y₁₂ Inhibitor Dose (clopidogrel recommended)

The recommended loading dose of a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is \geq 300 mg clopidogrel, 60 mg prasugrel, or 180 mg ticagrelor for subjects who have not been on P2Y₁₂ inhibitor therapy for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure. The loading dose must be administered prior to the implant procedure. Subjects who have been taking a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor daily for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure do not require a loading dose of the P2Y₁₂ inhibitor.

After the valve implant procedure, P2Y₁₂ inhibitor dosing per local standard of care is recommended for at least 1 month (clopidogrel is recommended with a dose of 75 mg daily).

Note 6: If a subject requires chronic anticoagulation, either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) or aspirin is recommended prior to

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and after the implant procedure in addition to the anticoagulant therapy (but both aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor are not recommended). After the implant procedure, the subject should be treated with an oral anticoagulant (warfarin or another vitamin K antagonist recommended) and either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) or aspirin for at least 1 month.

b: Holmes DR, et al. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2012;59:1200–1254 Nishimura R, et al. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2014;63: e57–e185 Nishimura R, et al. *Circulation*. 2017;135:e1159–e95

Inclusion Criteria

- IC1. Subject has documented severe aortic stenosis defined as initial AVA ≤1.0 cm² (or AVA index ≤0.6 cm²/m²) AND a mean pressure gradient ≥40 mm Hg OR maximal aortic valve velocity ≥4.0 m/s OR Doppler velocity index ≤0.25 as measured by echocardiography and/or invasive hemodynamics^{c,d}
 - **Note 7:** In cases of low flow, low gradient aortic stenosis with left ventricular dysfunction (ejection fraction <50%), dobutamine can be used to assess the grade of aortic stenosis (maximum dobutamine dose of 20 mcg/kg/min recommended)^c; the subject may be enrolled if echocardiographic criteria are met with this augmentation.
- IC2. A subject in the Bicuspid Aortic Valve Nested Registry cohort must have a documented Sievers Type 0 or Sievers Type 1 bicuspid aortic valve based on CT assessment and confirmed by the CT core lab with hemodynamic parameters that meet the criteria in IC1.
- IC3. Subject has a documented aortic annulus size of ≥20 mm and ≤27 mm based on the center's assessment of pre-procedure diagnostic imaging (and confirmed by the Case Review Committee [CRC]).
- IC4. Subject has symptomatic aortic valve stenosis per IC1 definition above with NYHA Functional Class ≥ II.
- IC5. Heart team (which must include an experienced cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon) agrees that the subject is at intermediate risk of operative mortality (≥3% and <8% at 30 days based on the Society of Thoracic Surgeons [STS]

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risk score and other clinical comorbidities unmeasured by the risk calculator) and TAVR is appropriate.

Note 8: Risk of operative mortality must be assessed via an inperson evaluation by a center cardiac surgeon and must be confirmed by the CRC (which must include an experienced cardiac surgeon).

- IC6. Heart team agrees that the subject is likely to benefit from valve replacement.
- IC7. Subject (or legal representative) has been informed of the study requirements and the treatment procedures and provides written informed consent.
- IC8. Subject, family member, and/or legal representative agree(s) and subject is capable of returning to the study hospital for all required scheduled follow-up visits.
- IC9. Subject is expected to be able to take the protocol-required adjunctive pharmacologic therapy.
- c: Nishimura RA, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2014;63:e57–e185
- d: Leon M, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2011;57: 253–69

Exclusion Criteria

EC1. Subject has a unicuspid or bicuspid aortic valve (not applicable to subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort).

Note 9: Subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort will have a documented Sievers Type 0 or Sievers Type 1 bicuspid aortic valve based on CT assessment and confirmed by the CT core lab. Subjects are not eligible for inclusion in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort if the maximum diameter of the ascending aorta is >45 mm or if the subject has another indication for aortic root replacement. Subjects with a Sievers Type 2 bicuspid valve are not eligible for enrollment in any study cohort.

EC2. Subject has had an acute myocardial infarction within 30 days prior to the index procedure (defined as Q-wave MI or non–Q-wave MI with total CK elevation ≥ twice normal in the presence of CK-MB elevation and/or troponin elevation).

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- EC3. Subject has had a cerebrovascular accident or transient ischemic attack clinically confirmed by a neurologist or neuroimaging within the past 6 months prior to study enrollment.
- EC4. Subject is on renal replacement therapy or has GFR <20 (based on hospital preferred method). See AEC1 below if subject is in the CT Imaging Substudy.
- EC5. Subject has a pre-existing prosthetic aortic or mitral valve.
- EC6. Subject has severe (4+) aortic, tricuspid, or mitral regurgitation.
- EC7. Subject has moderate to severe mitral stenosis (mitral valve area ≤1.5 cm² and diastolic pressure half-time ≥150 ms, Stage C or D°).
- EC8. Subject has a need for emergency surgery for any reason.
- EC9. Subject has a history of endocarditis within 6 months of index procedure or evidence of an active systemic infection or sepsis.
- EC10. Subject has echocardiographic evidence of new intra-cardiac vegetation or intraventricular or paravalvular thrombus requiring intervention.
- EC11. Subject has platelet count <50,000 cells/mm³ or >700,000 cells/mm³, or white blood cell count <1,000 cells/mm³.
- EC12. Subject will refuse transfusions or has had a gastrointestinal bleed requiring hospitalization or transfusion within the past 3 months or has other clinically significant bleeding diathesis or coagulopathy that would preclude treatment with required antiplatelet regimen.
- EC13. Subject has known hypersensitivity to contrast agents that cannot be adequately pre-medicated, or has known hypersensitivity to aspirin, all P2Y₁₂ inhibitors, heparin, nickel, tantalum, titanium, or polyurethanes.
- EC14. Subject has a life expectancy of less than 24 months due to non-cardiac, comorbid conditions based on the assessment of the investigator at the time of enrollment.
- EC15. Subject has hypertrophic cardiomyopathy.
- EC16. Subject has any therapeutic invasive cardiac or vascular procedure within 30 days prior to the index procedure (except for balloon

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- aortic valvuloplasty or pacemaker or implantable cardioverter defibrillator implantation, which are allowed).

 EC17. Subject has multivessel coronary artery disease with a Syntax score >22, and/or an unprotected left main coronary artery.
- EC18. Subject has severe left ventricular dysfunction with ejection fraction <20%.
- EC19. Subject is in cardiogenic shock or has hemodynamic instability requiring inotropic support or mechanical support devices.
- EC20. Subject has arterial access that is not acceptable for the study device delivery system as defined in the device Instructions For Use.
- EC21. Subject has severe vascular disease that would preclude safe access (e.g., aneurysm with thrombus that cannot be crossed safely; marked tortuosity; significant narrowing of the abdominal aorta; severe unfolding of the thoracic aorta; or thick, protruding, ulcerated atheroma in the aortic arch).
- EC22. Subject has current problems with substance abuse (e.g., alcohol, etc.) that may interfere with the subject's participation in this study.
- EC23. Subject is participating in another investigational drug or device study that has not reached its primary endpoint.
- EC24. Subject has untreated conduction system disorder (e.g., Type II second degree atrioventricular block) that in the opinion of the treating physician is clinically significant and requires a pacemaker implantation. Enrollment is permissible after permanent pacemaker implantation.
- EC25. Subject has severe incapacitating dementia.
- c: Nishimura RA, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2014;63:e57–e185

Additional Exclusion Criteria

Additional exclusion criteria apply to subjects considered for enrollment in the CT Imaging Substudy as listed below.

AEC1. Subject has eGFR <30 mL/min (chronic kidney disease stage IV or stage V).

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	AEC2. Subject has atrial fibrillation that cannot be rate controlled to ventricular response rate < 60 bpm.	
	AEC3. Subject is expected to undergo chronic anticoagulation therapy after the index procedure.	
	Note 10: Subjects treated with short-term anticoagulation post procedure can be included in the imaging substudy; in these subjects the 30-day imaging will be performed 30 days after discontinuation of anticoagulation.	
Statistical Meth	ods	
Analysis Sets	Analysis sets are listed below.	
	- <u>Intention-To-Treat (ITT)</u> : This population includes all subjects who sign an Informed Consent Form and are enrolled in the study, regardless of whether the study device is implanted.	
	- <u>Implanted</u> : This population includes all subjects who sign an Informed Consent Form, are enrolled in the study, and are implanted with the study device.	
	A subject is considered enrolled in the study when an attempt is made to insert a LOTUS <i>Edge</i> valve.	
Primary Endpoint Statistical Hypothesis	In the Main Cohort, the rate of the primary endpoint (composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year) is less than the performance goal (PG) of 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%).	
Statistical Test Method for the Primary	A one-sample z-test will be used to test the one-sided hypothesis that the 1-year primary endpoint rate for LOTUS <i>Edge</i> in the Main Cohort is less than the PG:	
Endpoint	$H_0: P_{LOTUS Edge} \ge PG$	
	H ₁ : P _{LOTUS Edge} < PG	
	where P _{LOTUS} Edge is the primary endpoint rate for the LOTUS <i>Edge</i> group and PG is the performance goal.	
	The primary analysis set for the primary endpoint is the ITT analysis set. This endpoint will also be analyzed for the implanted analysis set.	

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Sample Size The sample size calculation for the primary endpoint (composite of all-**Parameters for** cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year) is based on the following the Primary assumptions. **Endpoint** • Expected rate for LOTUS $Edge = 11.1\%^{\dagger}$ • Testing margin = 4.1% (37% relative to the expected rate) • Performance goal (PG) = 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%) • Test significance level (α) = 0.025 (1-sided) • Power = 87.5%• Number of evaluable subjects = 675 • Expected rate of attrition = 3% • Total enrolment (evaluable Main Cohort) = 696 subjects † Estimated pooled rate from the fixed effect model based on the TAVR arm data from PARTNER II S3ie and SURTAVIf e: Thourani VH, et al. Lancet 2016;387:2218-25 f: Reardon MJ, et al. N Engl J Med 2017:376:1321-31 Success If the P value from the one-sample z-test is <0.025, it will be concluded that the primary endpoint with the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System is less Criteria for the Primary than the PG. This corresponds to the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence **Endpoint** bound of the observed composite rate of all-cause mortality and all stroke in the Main Cohort at 1 year being < 15.2%. **Bicuspid** The planned enrollment for the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort is up to Nested 100 subjects. Descriptive statistics for all endpoints will be summarized Registry using both the ITT and implanted analysis sets.

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4. Introduction

This protocol specifies procedures and contains information relevant to the clinical evaluation of the LOTUS $Edge^{TM}$ Valve System, a transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) device designed and manufactured by Boston Scientific Structural Heart a Division of Boston Scientific Corporation (BSC). The LOTUS Edge Valve System consists of a preloaded, stent-mounted tissue valve prosthesis and catheter delivery system designed to enable predictable and precise placement of the valve during TAVR. Early leaflet function during valve deployment and the presence of a radiopaque tantalum marker on the braided frame facilitate optimal initial positioning of the valve. If needed, the valve may be partially or fully resheathed for repositioning prior to final release or can be fully retrieved if during the procedure the decision is made not to implant. The valve also has a polycarbonate-based urethane outer seal (Adaptive SealTM) designed to minimize paravalvular regurgitation (PVR).

The LOTUS *Edge* Valve System is introduced into the body using either the iSleeveTM Introducer Set or the large Lotus Introducer Set. Both sets are designed to facilitate vascular introduction and deployment of the system. Both devices have a dilator and sheath component, but the iSleeve sheath can expand temporarily as LOTUS *Edge* is inserted through the femoral artery. This allows for an extended range of vascular access.

Additional device information can be found in Section 5.

Study subjects will be entered into the Roll-In Cohort, single-arm Main Cohort, or a single-arm, nested registry cohort of subjects with a native bicuspid aortic valve (Bicuspid Nested Registry). Additional information on study design can be found in Section 7.

4.1. Background

4.1.1. Aortic Stenosis

The incidence of aortic stenosis (AS), which most commonly occurs in the very elderly, is increasing due to the aging of the world-wide population and the lack of drug therapies to prevent, halt, or effectively slow the stenotic process¹⁻³. It is estimated that nearly 5% of elderly \geq 75 years of age have AS and its prevalence is expected to increase due to an aging population^{2,3}. Aortic stenosis is associated with high rates of death and complications after the appearance of symptoms^{2,3}.

Many patients with severe and symptomatic aortic stenosis are successfully treated with surgical aortic valve replacement (SAVR), which can reduce symptoms and improve survival²⁻⁵. However, up to one-third of patients with severe AS are not treated with SAVR because of their comorbidities and consequent perioperative risk⁶⁻⁸. With standard medical therapy, mortality after 1 year among these patients may be as high as 50%^{2,3,8}. Percutaneous transluminal aortic valvuloplasty, which was introduced as an alternative to SAVR in elderly and/or high-risk surgical patients, can provide symptomatic relief and/or temporary improvement but does not provide definitive treatment in patients with severe calcific AS. It is also associated with relatively high mortality and complication rates^{3,9}.

Transcatheter aortic valve replacement provides an alternative to the surgical approach in the treatment of severe AS. An antegrade (transapical) or retrograde (e.g., transfemoral, transaortic through the ascending aorta, trans-subclavian) approach can be used¹⁰. Patients generally undergo a joint interdisciplinary screening process, including comprehensive multimodality imaging¹¹⁻¹⁴, prior to procedure recommendation. Because of the limitations of existing surgical risk scores 15-18, center heart teams also consider other co-morbidities and patient frailty to fully characterize risk¹⁹. The use of TAVR has produced significant reductions in mortality and repeat hospitalization compared to medical therapy^{8,20,21}. In selected high-risk surgical patients. TAVR has also resulted in similar²²⁻²⁴ or lower²⁵⁻²⁷ mortality when compared to SAVR. Continuous procedural refinements and device improvements have aimed to widen application to lower risk patients^{28,29}. Propensity score analyses have suggested comparable mortality after TAVR or SAVR in some intermediaterisk patients³⁰⁻³², and 2 recent randomized, controlled trials (RCT) showed similar outcomes between the two treatment groups^{33,34}. Meta-analyses have also shown similar long-term survival after TAVR compared to SAVR^{35,36}. Currently, TAVR is approved for use in AS patients considered inoperable or at intermediate to high surgical risk and expert consensus documents have outlined TAVR patient selection criteria^{4,5,37,38}.

Recently, reduced aortic valve leaflet motion, mainly asymptomatic, has been identified with follow-up CT among some TAVR subjects^{39,40}. Therapeutic anticoagulation with warfarin was associated with a decreased incidence and leaflet motion could be restored with anticoagulation. This phenomenon has not been definitively linked with abnormal clinical symptoms. Studies to assess its prevalence and determine any relationship to patient, procedural, or pharmacologic factors or clinical events are ongoing.

Table 4.1-1 summarizes outcomes at 30 days and 1 year from TAVR studies that enrolled subjects similar to those planned for this study (intermediate surgical risk, transfemoral access), as well as results from studies with inoperable and high-risk surgical patients.

Table 4.1-1: TAVR Outcomes at 30 Days and 1 Year – Transfemoral Access

Study	Device/N	All-cause Death	Disabling/ Major Stroke	Major VC	LT Bleeding	AKI
30-Day Outcomes -	Randomized Studies					
PARTNER 1A ^a (2011) ²²	SAPIEN / 244 [†]	3.3	2.9	14.0	9.5 ^b	2.5°
PARTNER 2A ^d (2016) ³³	SAPIEN XT / 775*	3.0	2.3	8.5	6.7	0.5 ^e
PARTNER 2Bf	SAPIEN XT / 284 [†]	3.5	3.2	9.5	7.8	15.4 ^g
$(2015)^{41}$	SAPIEN / 276 [†]	5.1	3.0	15.2	12.4	16.8 ^g
CoreValve High Risk ^h (2014) ²⁵	CoreValve / 390 [†]	3.3	3.9	5.9	13.6	6.0^{g}
NOTION ⁱ (2015) ⁴²	CoreValve / 142 [‡]	2.1	1.4 ^j	5.6	11.3 ^k	0.7^{1}
SURTAVI ^m (2017) ³⁴	CoreValve / 864*	2.2	1.2	6.0	12.2	1.7 ¹
CHOICE ^f (2014) ⁴³	SAPIEN XT / 121 [†]	4.1	2.5	9.9	8.3 ^b	4.1e
CHOICE (2014)	CoreValve / 117 [†]	5.1	2.6	11.1	12.0 ^b	9.4 ^e

Table 4.1-1: TAVR Outcomes at 30 Days and 1 Year – Transfemoral Access

Study	Device/N	All-cause Death	Disabling/ Major Stroke	Major VC	LT Bleeding	AKI
REPRISE III ^f	Lotus Valve ⁿ / 607 [†]	2.5	2.0	7.0	8.0	2.5 ¹
$(2018)^{44}$	CoreValve ⁿ / 305 [†]	2.3	3.3	5.3	5.0	3.6^{1}
30-Day Outcomes -	- Single-Arm Studies					
PARTNER NRCA ^f (2014) ⁴⁵	SAPIEN / 1023 [†]	4.3	2.4	8.0	6.8 ^b	1.6e
SAPIEN 3°	SAPIEN 3 / 953*	1.1	0.7	6.3	3.6	0.8^{1}
$(2016)^{46}$	SAPIEN 3 / 491 [†]	1.6	0.8	5.5	5.5	1.2^{1}
CoreValve Extreme Risk ^p (2014) ⁴⁷	CoreValve / 489 [†]	8.4	2.3	8.2	12.7	11.8
Evolut R First in Man ^q (2015) ⁴⁸	Evolut R / 60 [†]	0.0	0.0 ^j	8.3	5.0	1.7^{1}
EVOLUT R US Study ^r (2017) ⁴⁹	Evolut R / 241 [†]	2.5	3.3	7.5	7.1	1.21
PORTICO Pre-CE Mark Study ^f (2018) ⁵⁰	Portico / 222 [†]	3.6	3.2	7.3	3.6	1.4°
1-Year Outcomes -	Randomized Studies					
PARTNER 1A ^a (2011) ²²	SAPIEN / 244 [†]	22.2	3.8	14.4	16.2 ^b	5.1°
PARTNER 2A ^d (2016) ³³	SAPIEN XT / 775*	10.0	4.3	8.8	11.1	2.2e
PARTNER 2Bf	SAPIEN XT / 284 [†]	22.3	4.8	10.3	14.1	31.0e
$(2015)^{41}$	SAPIEN / 276 [†]	23.3	5.5	16.1	19.9	31.3e
CoreValve High Risk ^h (2014) ²⁵	CoreValve / 390 [†]	14.2	5.8	6.2	16.6	6.0^{g}
$NOTION^{i} (2015)^{42}$	CoreValve / 142‡	4.9	2.9^{j}	_	_	_
SURTAVI ^m (2017) ³⁴	CoreValve / 864*	6.7	2.2	_	-	_
CHOICE ^f (2015) ⁵¹	SAPIEN XT / 121 [†] CoreValve / 117 [†]	17.4 12.8	5.8 3.4	11.6 12.0	14.0 ^b 12.8 ^b	_ _
REPRISE III ^f	Lotus Valve ^s / 607 [†]	11.9	3.6	7.7	9.9	2.6 ¹
$(2018)^{44}$	CoreValve ^s / 305 [†]	13.5	7.1	6.1	9.8	3.7^{1}
	Single-Arm Studies					
PARTNER NRCA ^f (2014) ⁴⁵	SAPIEN / 1023 [†]	19.0	3.6	8.4	12.9 ^b	3.6e
CoreValve Extreme Risk Pivotal ^p (2014) ⁴⁷	CoreValve / 489 [†]	24.3	4.3	8.4	17.6	11.8
SAPIEN 3 ^t (2016) ³²	SAPIEN 3 / 925*	6.5	1.7	_	_	_
PORTICO Pre-CE Mark Study ^f (2018) ⁵⁰	Portico / 222 [†]	13.8	5.8	8.8	5.2	3.0

Table 4.1-1: TAVR Outcomes at 30 Days and 1 Year – Transfemoral Access

Study Device/N	All-cause Death	Disabling/ Major Stroke	Major VC	LT Bleeding	AKI
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Data are presented as %; N is the number of subjects with transfemoral/iliofemoral access unless indicated otherwise; † = high/extreme surgical risk; * = intermediate surgical risk; ‡ = all comers study.

The SAPIENTM, SAPIEN XTTM, and SAPIEN 3TM Transcatheter Heart Valve Systems are manufactured by Edwards Lifesciences, Irvine, CA, USA. The CoreValve[®] and CoreValve EvolutTM R Transcatheter Aortic Valve Systems are manufactured by Medtronic Corp, Dublin, Ireland. The LotusTM Valve System is manufactured by Boston Scientific Corporation, Marlborough, MA, USA.

- a: 70% TF and 30% TA
- b: Major bleeding
- c: Renal replacement therapy
- d: 76% TF and 24% TA
- e: AKIN Stage 3 (including renal replacement therapy)
- f: 100% TF
- g: Modified RIFLE classification per VARC 1
- h: 83% TF and 17% TAo/SC
- i: 97% TF and 3% SC
- j: All stroke
- k: Life-threatening and major
- 1: AKIN Stage 2 or 3
- m: 94% TF, 4% TAo, and 2% SC
- n: Outcomes are for the implanted analysis sets: N=601 Lotus; N=303 CoreValve (153 CoreValve and 144 Evolut R)
- o: 87% TF and 13% TA/TAo (intermediate and high risk)
- p: 99% TF (1% not implanted)
- q: 98% TF and 2% TAo
- r: 90% TF and 10% other
- s: Outcomes are shown for the Implanted analysis sets: N=587 Lotus; N=297 CoreValve
- t: 88% TF and 12% TA/TAo

Abbreviations: AKI=acute kidney injury; LT=life threatening; PVR=paravalvular regurgitation; SC=subclavian; TA=transapical; TAo=trans-aortic; TAVR=transcatheter aortic valve replacement; TF=transfemoral/iliofemoral; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium; VC=vascular complications

Though infrequent, significant complications can occur with TAVR and subsequently impact long-term outcomes and possibly limit use in lower risk patients⁵². Precise valve positioning can be challenging, particularly in the context of markedly altered or unfolded aortic anatomy or large and eccentric calcified plaques at the aorto-ventricular interface. Under such conditions, TAVR can result in valve misplacement, embolization, the need for a second device, or coronary occlusion⁵³. Placement in a heavily calcified native valve can produce an incomplete seal between the bioprosthetic valve and aortic annulus, resulting in PVR, which in turn has been associated with increased mortality in some studies⁵⁴⁻⁵⁶. The impact of mild PVR is less clear^{57,58} although a recent meta-analysis suggested that mild PVR may also be associated with increased all-cause and cardiovascular mortality⁵⁹.

The LotusTM Valve System was designed to address issues with earlier TAVR devices⁶⁰. Controlled mechanical expansion and early leaflet functioning allow for precise positioning. If needed, minor repositioning is accomplished through partial valve recapture; full recapture

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facilitates removal of the valve if a different valve is required. The outer seal is designed to minimize PVR. Additional device information can be found in Section 5.1.

The safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System and the follow-on LOTUS *Edge* Valve System for TAVR in symptomatic high-risk surgical patients with severe AS are under evaluation in the REPRISE clinical program as described in Section **4.1.2**. REPRISE IV will evaluate safety and effectiveness of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System for TAVR in intermediate-risk surgical patients, including those who have a native bicuspid aortic valve.

4.1.2. REPRISE Clinical Program

The REPRISE clinical program includes an evolving set of clinical studies intended to demonstrate the safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System. To ensure proper use and mitigate any procedural complication that could be secondary to misuse or misinterpretation of the Instructions for Use (IFU), a comprehensive training and proctorship program was implemented by BSC. Given the importance of selecting appropriate subjects, a Case Review Committee (CRC) comprised of the Principal Investigators (PI), other investigators experienced with TAVR, and the Sponsor was established to confirm subject eligibility across study centers during the trial screening process. Safety endpoints for the REPRISE studies are adjudicated independently (Clinical Events Committee [CEC] for the RCT and single-arm trials; Independent Medical Reviewer [IMR] for the postmarket study). Prosthetic valve function and cardiac function endpoints are assessed by independent echocardiography and electrocardiography core labs. Clinical endpoint definitions and prespecified follow-up measurements are based on Valve Academic Research Consortium (VARC) metrics^{61,62}. The Lotus Valve System is evaluated in the single-arm REPRISE I (ClinicalTrials.gov Identifier NCT01383720), REPRISE II (NCT01627691), and REPRISE Japan (NCT02491255) trials; the REPRISE III (NCT02202434) RCT; and the RESPOND (NCT02031302) postmarket safety surveillance study. The LOTUS Edge Valve System and the iSleeve Introducer Set are evaluated in the single-arm REPRISE NG DS (NCT02329496) and REPRISE EDGE (NCT02854319) studies.

Described below are results from studies that have reached their primary endpoints.

4.1.2.1. REPRISE I Study

The prospective, single arm, multicenter REPRISE I (<u>RE</u>positionable <u>Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of LotusTM Valve <u>SystEm</u>; NCT01383720) feasibility study (N=11) assessed the acute safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System in symptomatic subjects with calcific aortic stenosis who were considered high risk for surgical valve replacement⁶³. The primary endpoint was clinical procedural success, defined as successful implantation of a Lotus Valve (per the VARC-1 definitions⁶¹) without in-hospital major adverse cardiovascular and cerebrovascular events (MACCE, defined as all-cause mortality, periprocedural myocardial infarction ≤72 hours after the index procedure, major stroke, urgent/emergent conversion to surgery or repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction) through discharge or 7 days post-procedure, whichever came first.</u>

The primary endpoint was achieved in 9/11 subjects⁶³. The device was successfully implanted in all 11 subjects but there was a device failure in 1 subject based on a mean gradient of 22 mmHg. Ten (10) of 11 subjects had no in-hospital MACCE; there were no deaths and 1 major stroke. At discharge TTE, PVR was mild in 2 subjects, trivial in 1 subject, and absent in the other 8 subjects. **Table 4.1-2** shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes to the end of the study (5 years). Valve function was excellent with minimal PVR and low clinical event rates. The results of the REPRISE I feasibility study support the safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System.

Table 4.1-2: Outcomes to 5 Years in REPRISE I

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Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years	5 Years
Clinical Outcomes (CEC Adju			I		T	T
All-cause mortality	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	9.1 (1/11)	27.3 (3/11)	36.4 (4/11)
Cardiovascular	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)
All stroke	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)	18. (2/11)
Major stroke	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)
Major vascular complications	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)
Life-threatening/disabling bleeding	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)
Major bleeding	18.2 (2/11)	18.2 (2/11)	27.3 (3/11)	27.3 (3/11)	27.3 (3/11)	27.3 (3/11)
AKI – Stage 2/3	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)
New PPM ^a	36.4 (4/11)	36.4 (4/11)	36.4 (4/11)	36.4 (4/11)	36.4 (4/11)	36.4 (4/11)
Myocardial infarction	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	9.1 (1/11)
Valve-related dysfunction ^c	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)
Hospitalization ^d	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)
TAV-in-TAV	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)
Valve thrombosis	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)
Endocarditis	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)
Aortic Valve Performance by	Transthoracic	Echocardiogr	aphy (Core La	b Assessment)		
EOA (2)e	1.59±0.14	1.51±0.22	1.51±0.19	1.56±0.23	1.55±0.21	1.55±0.37
EOA (cm ²) ^e	(11)	(11)	(11)	(8)	(7)	(5)
Mean gradient (mmHg) ^f	11.7±3.0	15.4±4.6	15.5±4.4	15.6±4.4	15.6±4.6	14.1±4.1
	(11)	(11)	(11)	(8)	(7)	(6)
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation	on					
None	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	81.8 (9/11)	87.5 (7/8)	100 (7/7)	80.0 (4/5)
Trace/trivial	0.0 (0/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	0.0 (0/8)	0.0 (0/7)	20.0 (1/5)
Mild	18.2 (2/11)	9.1 (1/11)	9.1 (1/11)	12.5 (1/8)	0.0 (0/7)	0.0 (0/5)
Moderate or Severe	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/8)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/8)	0.0 (0/7)	0.0 (0/5)
New York Heart Association Class ^g						
Class I	27.3 (3/11)	45.5 (5/11)	54.5 (6/11)	62.5 (5/8)	57.1 (4/7)	66.7 (4/6)
Class II	63.6 (7/11)	54.5 (6/11)	45.5 (5/11)	12.5 (1/8)	14.3 (1/7)	16.6 (1/6)
Class III	9.1 (1/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	25.0 (2/8)	28.6 (2/7)	16.6 (1/6)
Class IV	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/11)	0.0 (0/8)	0.0 (0/7)	0.0 (0/6)

Numbers are presented as % (count/sample size) or mean±SD (n)

a: Resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances

b: Periprocedural

c: Requiring repeat procedure (surgical/interventional)

d: For valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure

Table 4.1-2: Outcomes to 5 Years in REPRISE I

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years	5 Years
a: Recaling affective orifice erec	$(cm^2) \cdot 0.68 \pm 0$	10 (11): chan	a from boselin	a is significant	at all time point	te.

e: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²): 0.68 ± 0.19 (11); change from baseline is significant at all time points

f: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 53.9±20.9 (11); change from baseline is significant at all time points

g: At baseline, 6 subjects were considered Class II and 5 subjects were considered Class III.

Abbreviations: AKI=acute kidney injury; CEC=clinical events committee; EOA=effective orifice area;

TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

References: Meredith 2014⁶³; Gooley 2018⁶⁴

4.1.2.2. REPRISE II Study

The <u>RE</u>positionable <u>Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of LotusTM Valve <u>System – Evaluation of Safety and Performance</u> (REPRISE II; NCT01627691) clinical trial was designed to evaluate the safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System for TAVR in symptomatic subjects with calcific stenotic aortic valves who were considered high risk for SAVR. This prospective, single-arm, multicenter, CE-Mark study enrolled 120 subjects in the main cohort at 14 investigative centers in Australia, France, Germany and the United Kingdom. Clinical follow-up will extend through 5 years.</u>

The primary device performance endpoint was the mean aortic valve pressure gradient at 30 days post implant as measured by echocardiography. This endpoint was analyzed on an as-treated (subjects who received the Lotus Valve) basis. A one-sample *t*-test was used to test the one-sided hypothesis that the primary device performance endpoint is less than the prespecified performance goal (PG) of 18 mmHg. Two interim analyses were conducted on the first 40 and 60 subjects; the alpha-adjustment for multiple comparisons⁶⁵ was 0.01123 and 0.00792, respectively. The alpha level adjustment for the final analysis conducted on the fully enrolled cohort of 120 subjects was 0.01305. The primary safety endpoint was all-cause mortality at 30 days after the implant procedure and was evaluated on an intention-to-treat (ITT; all subjects enrolled, whether or not a study device is implanted) basis.

The 30-day mean aortic valve pressure gradient was 11.45±5.20 mmHg with a one-sided 98.695% upper confidence bound of 12.64. The *P* value from the one-sample *t*-test was <0.0001 and so the Lotus Valve was concluded to have a 30-day mean aortic pressure gradient <18 mmHg and the primary device performance endpoint was met. **Table 4.1-3** shows device performance endpoints⁶⁶. Successful vascular access, delivery and deployment of the Lotus Valve along with successful retrieval of the delivery system was achieved in all 120 subjects. Repositioning and/or retrieval was successful in all patients in whom it was attempted. **Table 4.1-4** shows 30-day, 1-year, 2-year, 3-year, 4-year, and 5-year clinical and echocardiographic outcomes. Mortality at 30 days, 1 year, and 5 years was 4.2%, 11.0%, and 42.6%, respectively; the disabling stroke rate was 1.7%, 3.5%, and 7.0%. Mean aortic valve pressure gradient remained low at 12.58±5.66 mmHg (1 year) and 14.43±6.44 mmHg (5 years). There were no repeat procedures for valve-related dysfunction through 5 years. Core lab assessment of PVR at 30 days indicated no severe regurgitation and 1 case of moderate regurgitation; in 83.3% (80/96) of subjects there was trace/trivial or no PVR. The low PVR rate observed at 30 days was maintained at 1 year (89% with none/trivial PVR) and

out to 5 years (80%with none/trivial PVR). The observed clinical results are consistent with other TAVR studies (see **Table 4.1-1**) and the rates of PVR are lower^{8,22,25,32,41,43,46-48,51}. The results of the REPRISE II study support the safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System.

Table 4.1-3: Device Performance Endpoints – REPRISE II Main Cohort

Outcomes	REPRISE II
Successful vascular access, delivery, and deployment of the Lotus Valve System, and successful retrieval of the delivery system	100.0% (120/120)
Successful repositioning (partial or complete resheathing of the Lotus Valve in the catheter and redeployment in a more accurate position within the aortic valve annulus) of the Lotus Valve System if repositioning is attempted for the last valve attempted	100.0% (32/32)
Successful retrieval (complete resheathing of the Lotus Valve in the catheter and removal from the body) of the Lotus Valve System if retrieval is attempted	100.0% (6/6)

Values are % (count/sample size) Reference: Meredith 2014⁶⁶

Table 4.1-4: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 5 Years – REPRISE II

Main Cohort (N=120)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years	5 Years	
Clinical Outcomes (CEC Adjudicated, VARC Definitions)							
All-cause mortality	4.2 (5/119)	11.0 (13)	16.9 (20)	23.1 (27)	30.8 (36)	42.6 (50)	
Cardiovascular	4.2 (5/119)	6.7 (8)	10.4 (12)	12.3 (14)	16.3 (18)	24.0 (25)	
Stroke	6.1 (7/115)	9.5 (11)	9.5 (11)	10.5 (12)	10.5 (12)	13.0 (14)	
Disabling stroke	1.7 (2/115)	3.5 (4)	3.5 (4)	4.5 (5)	4.5 (5)	7.0 (7)	
Major vascular complications	2.6 (3/116)	2.5 (3)	2.5 (3)	2.5 (3)	2.5 (3)	2.5 (3)	
New PPM ^a	29.1(34/117)	32.2 (38)	34.2 (40)	35.4 (41)	35.3 (41)	36.4 (42)	
Life-threatening/disabling bleeding	5.1 (6/117)	5.9 (7)	7.8 (9)	7.8 (9)	11.3 (12)	15.0 (15)	
Major bleeding	17.9(21/117)	21.4 (25)	23.3 (27)	23.3 (27)	23.3 (27)	23.3 (27)	
MI – Peri-procedural (≤72 h)	3.4 (4/117)	3.3 (4)	3.3 (4)	3.3 (4)	3.3 (4)	3.3 (4)	
MI – Spontaneous (>72 h)	0.0 (0/117)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	1.1 (1)	1.1 (1)	2.4 (2)	
AKI Stage 2	1.7 (2/115)	1.7 (2)	1.7 (2)	3.4 (4)	1.7 (2)	1.7 (2)	
AKI Stage 3	1.7 (2/115)	1.7 (2)	1.7 (2)	1.7 (2)	1.7 (2)	1.7 (2)	
Repeat procedure ^b	0.0 (0/115)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	
Hospitalization ^c	4.3 (5/115)	5.2 (6)	8.0 (9)	12.2 (13)	17.5 (18)	19.8 (20)	
Atrial fibrillation – New onset	5.2 (6/115)	6.0 (7)	6.0 (7)	6.0 (7)	6.0 (7)	6.0 (7)	
Atrial flutter – New onset	0.0 (0/115)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	
Coronary obstruction ^d	0.9 (1/115)	0.8 (1)	0.8 (1)	0.8 (1)	0.8 (1)	0.8 (1)	
Ventricular septal perforation ^d	0.0 (0/115)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	
Mitral apparatus damage ^d	2.6 (3/115)	2.6 (3)	2.6 (3)	2.6 (3)	2.6 (3)	2.6 (3)	
Cardiac tamponaded	4.3 (5/117)	4.2 (5)	4.2 (5)	4.2 (5)	4.2 (5)	4.2 (5)	

Table 4.1-4: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 5 Years – REPRISE II Main Cohort (N=120)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years	5 Years	
Prosthetic valve malapposition ^e	0.0 (0/115)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	
Prosthetic valve thrombosis	0.0 (0/115)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	
Prosthetic valve endocarditis	0.0 (0/115)	0.9 (1)	2.8 (3)	2.8 (3)	2.8 (3)	2.8 (3)	
Aortic Valve Performance	by Transthorac	cic Echocardiog	graphy (Core L	ab Assessment			
EOA (cm ²) ^f	1.67±0.43 (78)	1.65±0.51 (79)	1.66±0.45 (69)	1.62±0.48 (57)	1.55±0.43 (55)	1.60±0.48 (40)	
Mean gradient (mmHg) ^g	11.45±5.20 (97)	12.58±5.66 (92)	12.30±6.18 (75)	11.26±5.23 (61)	12.41±6.88 (55)	14.43±6.44 (43)	
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg) ^h	21.30±9.26 (97)	23.09±10.14 (92)	21.25±11.03 (75)	21.27±9.65 (61)	22.20±11.03 (55)	26.55±11.34 (43)	
Peak aortic velocity (m/s)i	2.25±0.48 (97)	2.35±0.50 (92)	2.23±0.56 (75)	2.25±0.51 (61)	2.29±0.54 (55)	2.52±.53 (43)	
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgi	Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation						
None	78.1 (75/96)	86.4 (76/88)	87.8 (65/74)	87.5 (49/56)	74.1 (43/58)	59.1 (26/44)	
Trace/trivial	5.2 (5/96)	2.3 (2/88)	2.7 (2/74)	0.0 (0/56)	10.3 (6/58)	20.5 (9/44)	
Mild	15.6 (15/96)	11.4 (10/88)	9.5 (7/74)	12.5 (7/56)	13.8 (8/58)	15.9 (7/44)	
Moderate	1.0 (1/96)	0.0 (0/88)	0.0 (0/74)	0.0 (0/56)	1.7 (1/58)	4.5 (2/44)	
Severe	0.0 (0/96)	0.0 (0/88)	0.0 (0/74)	0.0 (0/56)	0.0 (0/58)	0.0 (0/44)	

Values are presented as % (count/sample size), % (n), or mean±SD (n); for clinical events, binary rates are presented through 30 days, time-to-event (Kaplan-Meier) data are presented at 1 year and beyond.

- a: Due to new conduction disturbances or arrhythmias
- b: For valve-related dysfunction (surgical or interventional)
- c: For valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA class III or IV)
- d: Peri-procedural
- e: Including valve migration, valve embolization, ectopic valve deployment, or TAV-in-TAV
- f: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²): 0.68 ± 0.19 (11); change from baseline is significant at all time points
- g: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 53.9±20.9 (11); change from baseline is significant at all time points
- h: Baseline peak aortic gradient (mmHg): 76.54±23.56 (104); change from baseline is significant at all time points
- i: Baseline peak aortic velocity (m/s): 4.30±0.67 (105); change from baseline is significant at all time points

Abbreviation: AKI=acute kidney injury; EOA=effective orifice area; MI=myocardial infarction; PPM=permanent pacemaker; TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

References: Meredith 2014⁶⁶, 2015⁶⁷, 2016^{68,69}; Hildick-Smith 2017⁷⁰; Dumonteil 2018⁷¹

The REPRISE II study was subsequently expanded to enroll 130 additional subjects in the REPRISE II extended trial cohort at centers in Australia and Europe. The main trial cohort and the extended trial cohort had the same overall study design. The main trial cohort received additional neurologic evaluation and annual imaging assessments to determine valve frame integrity. Per the protocol, a statistically powered analysis based on the combined main and extended trial cohorts (full cohort, N=250) was performed for the primary safety endpoint (mortality at 30 days). The primary safety endpoint was analyzed on an ITT basis. A one-sample z test was used to test the one-sided hypothesis that 30-day all-cause mortality is less than the prespecified PG of 16% (based on an expected rate of 9.8% plus a testing

margin of 6.2%). All-cause mortality at 30 days was 4.4% with an upper confidence bound of 6.97% and the primary safety endpoint was met⁷².

Table 4.1-5 shows device performance endpoints, clinical outcomes, and echocardiographic outcomes through 4 years for the full cohort. Outcomes were similar to that reported for the main cohort (see **Table 4.1-3**). At 30 days, the mean aortic valve gradient was 11.70±6.77 mmHg, mortality was 4.4%, and the disabling stroke rate was 3.3%. Through 1 year, mortality was 12% and the disabling stroke rate was 3.6%; valve endocarditis (N=2) and thrombosis (N=3) were successfully resolved with antibiotics and anticoagulant therapy, respectively, without sequelae. The new PPM implant rate was 29.6% at 30 days. Reported rates for early conduction abnormalities and the need for PPM implantation after TAVR have ranged from 3% to 8% with SAPIEN and 14% to 40% with CoreValve⁷³. Mechanical pressure from the valve frame may cause conduction tissue injury or inflammation during TAVR, especially with longer stent frames, self-expanding valves, pre- or post-dilatation and deep implant depth⁷⁴. With an expanded length compared to previous generation balloonexpandable valves, the SAPIEN 3 valve has also been associated with somewhat higher rates of PPM^{75,76}. While undesirable, PPM early after TAVR has generally not been associated with an increase in mortality⁷⁷⁻⁷⁹, although recent reports from the PARTNER trial and registries did find patients with prior pacemaker, new PPM, or chronic left bundle branch block had attenuated improvement in left ventricular ejection fraction (LVEF), more repeat hospitalization, and higher rates of all-cause death at 1 year compared to patients who had none of these conditions^{80,81}. However, PPM was associated with significantly less unexpected death in another study⁸².

There was no severe PVR and none/trace/trivial PVR in 85% of REPRISE II full-cohort subjects at 30 days. A number of independent studies^{55,56,83-90} and large meta-analyses^{57,91} have found an association between PVR post TAVR and early or late mortality; moderate/severe PVR, often more common with CoreValve than SAPIEN^{55,87,88}, has been an independent predictor of both. A recent meta-analysis suggested that mild PVR may also be associated with increased all-cause and cardiovascular mortality⁵⁹. The low PVR rate observed at 30 days with Lotus was maintained at 1 year and 4 years as most subjects (91% and 88%, respectively) had none/trace/trivial PVR, 2 subjects had moderate PVR at 4 years, and there was no severe PVR.

In summary, the observed clinical results in the full cohort are consistent with other TAVR studies and the PVR rates are lower. The results of the REPRISE II study support the safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System.

Table 4.1-5: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 4 Years – REPRISE II Full Cohort (N=250)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years	
Clinical Outcomes (CEC Adjudicated, VARC Definitions)						
All-cause mortality	4.4 (11/249)	11.8 (29)	19.1 (47)	28.3 (69)	38.7 (94)	
Cardiovascular	4.0 (10/249)	7.8 (19)	9.5 (23)	14.3 (33)	19.0 (42)	
Stroke	7.1 (17/241)	8.6 (21)	9.6 (23)	10.6 (25)	10.6 (25)	
Disabling stroke	3.3 (8/241)	3.7 (9)	4.7 (11)	6.2 (14)	6.2 (14)	

Table 4.1-5: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 4 Years – REPRISE II Full Cohort (N=250)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years
Major vascular complications	5.4 (13/241)	5.2 (13)	5.2 (13)	5.2 (13)	5.2 (13)
New PPM ^a	29.6 (72/243)	33.1 (81)	35.1 (85)	35.7 (86)	36.3 (87)
Life-threatening/disabling bleeding	7.3 (18/247)	9.4 (23)	10.7 (26)	10.7 (26)	14.4 (32)
Major bleeding	21.5 (53/247)	23.7 (58)	25.1 (61)	25.7 (62)	25.7 (62)
MI – Peri-procedural (≤72 h)	2.9 (7/243)	2.8 (7)	2.8 (7)	2.8 (7)	2.8 (7)
MI – Spontaneous (>72 h)	0.0 (0/243)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	1.6 (3)	2.2 (4)
AKI Stage 2	1.3 (3/240)	1.2 (3)	1.2 (3)	1.2 (3)	1.2 (3)
AKI Stage 3	1.7 (4/240)	1.6 (4)	1.6 (4)	1.6 (4)	1.6 (4)
Repeat procedure ^b	0.0 (0/240)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Hospitalization ^c	2.9 (7/240)	7.1 (17)	9.9 (23)	14.1 (31)	19.7 (41)
Atrial fibrillation – New onset	5.8 (14/241)	6.6 (16)	6.6 (16)	6.6 (16)	6.6 (16)
Atrial flutter – New onset	0.8 (2/241)	0.4(1)	0.4(1)	0.4(1)	0.4(1)
Coronary obstruction ^d	0.8 (2/241)	0.8 (2)	0.8 (2)	0.8 (2)	0.8 (2)
Ventricular septal perforation ^d	0.0 (0/240)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)
Mitral apparatus damaged	1.7 (4/240)	1.6 (4)	1.6 (4)	1.6 (4)	1.6 (4)
Cardiac tamponade ^d	3.7 (9/246)	3.2 (8)	3.2 (8)	3.2 (8)	3.2 (8)
Prosthetic valve malapposition ^e	0.0 (0/240)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)
Prosthetic valve thrombosis	0.0 (0/240)	1.3 (3)	1.3 (3)	1.8 (4)	2.4 (5)
Prosthetic valve endocarditis	0.0 (0/240)	0.9(2)	1.8 (4)	1.8 (4)	1.8 (4)
Aortic Valve Performance by	Fransthoracic Ech	ocardiography (Core Lab Assessi	nent)	
EOA (cm ²) ^f	1.74±0.45 (149)	1.68±0.49 (157)	1.64±0.47 (123)	1.55±0.47 (119)	1.50±0.43 (95)
Mean gradient (mmHg) ^g	11.70±6.77 (183)	12.49±5.35 (176)	12.18±5.99 (135)	12.19±6.02 (125)	12.69±7.13 (97)
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg)h	20.75 ± 9.05 (183)	21.90±9.40 (176)	21.25±10.15 (135)	22.32±10.38 (125)	23.11±12.14 (97)
Peak aortic velocity (m/s)i	2.23 ± 0.47 (183)	2.29 ± 0.47 (176)	2.24±0.53 (135)	2.30±0.53 (125)	2.33±0.56 (97)
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation	n				
None	80.2 (142/177)	82.2 (134/163)	87.1 (115/132)	77.5 (100/129)	73.7 (73/99)
Trace/trivial	5.6 (10/177)	3.1 (5/163)	3.0 (4/132)	10.1 (13/129)	14.1 (14/99)
Mild	13.6 (24/177)	14.7 (24/163)	9.8 (13/132)	10.9 (14/129)	10.1 (10/99)
Moderate	0.6 (1/177)	0.0 (0/163)	0.0 (0/132)	1.6 (2/129)	2.0 (2/99)
Severe	0.0 (0/177)	0.0 (0/163)	0.0 (0/132)	0.0 (0/129)	0.0 (0/99)

Values are presented as % (count/sample size), % (n), or mean \pm SD (n); for clinical events, binary rates are presented through 30 days, time-to-event (Kaplan-Meier) data are presented at 1 year and beyond.

- a: Due to new conduction disturbances or arrhythmias
- b: For valve-related dysfunction (surgical or interventional)
- c: For valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA class III or IV)
- d: Peri-procedural
- e: Including valve migration, valve embolization, ectopic valve deployment, or TAV-in-TAV
- f: Baseline effective orifice area (cm2): 0.68 ± 0.19 (201); change from baseline is significant at all time points
- g: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 45.36 ± 13.75 (216); change from baseline is significant at all time points
- h: Baseline peak aortic gradient (mmHg): 78.41±21.21 (216); change from baseline is significant at all time points

Table 4.1-5: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 4 Years – REPRISE II Full Cohort (N=250)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	4 Years

i: Baseline peak aortic velocity (m/s): 4.270±0.60 (217); change from baseline is significant at all time points Abbreviation: AKI=acute kidney injury; EOA=effective orifice area; MI=myocardial infarction; PPM=permanent pacemaker; TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium References: Meredith 2016⁹², 2017⁹³; Tchétché 2017⁹⁴; Blackman 2018⁹⁵

4.1.2.3. RESPOND Post-Market Surveillance Study

The Repositionable Lotus Valve System – Post-market Evaluation of Real World Clinical Outcomes (RESPOND; NCT02031302) study is a prospective, open label, single-arm, multicenter, observational post-market surveillance study designed to collect real-world clinical and device performance outcomes data with the Lotus Valve System as used in routine clinical practice to treat subjects with severe calcific aortic stenosis. There were 1014 consecutive (defined as a commitment by the participating investigators at each study center to enroll all consented subjects admitted for TAVR who are selected to receive a Lotus Valve) subjects enrolled at 41 study centers in Europe, New Zealand, Israel, and Colombia. Independent data assessments include core laboratory review of baseline, pre-discharge, and 1-year echocardiography data and adjudication of center-reported mortality and stroke events by an independent medical reviewer (IMR). The statistically powered primary endpoint of 30-day mortality was compared to a predefined performance goal. Clinical follow-up will extend through 5 years. Data through 30-day and 1-year follow-up are provided below.

Procedural device success among the as-treated analysis set is shown in **Table 4.1-6**. Correct positioning of one transcatheter valve in the proper location was achieved in 99.7% of subjects. There was no moderate or severe prosthetic valve regurgitation (central or paravalvular) in 99.6% of subjects.

Table 4.1-6: Procedural Device Success, RESPOND As-Treated Analysis Set

Variable	N=996
Procedural mortality	0.2% (2/996)
Correct positioning of a single transcatheter valve into the proper anatomical location	99.7% (993/996)
Mean aortic valve gradient <20 mmHg	96.4% (894/927)
Peak velocity <3m/sec	96.1% (891/927)
No moderate or severe prosthetic valve regurgitation ^a	99.6% (931/935)

Numbers are % (count/sample size).

a: Total prosthetic aortic valve regurgitation (includes central and paravalvular) per VARC 2⁶² definition; core-lab adjudicated

Abbreviation: VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

Reference: Falk 2017⁹⁶

The 30-day primary endpoint, all-cause mortality in the ITT population, was 2.6% (26/1005) with a one-sided upper confidence bound of $4.1\%^{96}$. This was significantly below (P<0.0001) the performance goal of 14.0% and the 30-day primary endpoint was met. The statistically

powered secondary effectiveness endpoint, rate of moderate or severe PVR pre-discharge (as measured by TTE and assessed by an independent core laboratory) in the as-treated analysis set was 0.3% (3/934) with a one-sided upper bound of 1.1%. This was significantly below (P<0.0001) the performance goal of 16.5% and the powered secondary effectiveness endpoint was met.

Table 4.1-7 shows secondary safety endpoint outcomes assessed at 30 days and 1 year in the RESPOND as-treated analysis set. At 30 days, all-cause mortality was 2.2%, in-hospital mortality was 1.8%, and disabling stroke was 2.3%. Mortality was 11.7% and disabling stroke was 4.0% at 1 year. **Table 4.1-8** shows core laboratory TTE assessments pre-discharge and at 1 year in the as-treated analysis set. Mean aortic gradient improved significantly (P<0.0001) from 38.0±15.5 mmHg at baseline to 10.8±4.6 mmHg at discharge and remained low at 1 year (10.8±5.1 mmHg, P<0.0001). There was also a significant (P<0.0001) improvement in mean effective orifice area (EOA) from 0.7±0.2 cm² at baseline to 1.8±0.5 cm² at discharge, which was sustained at 1 year (1.8±0.4 cm², P<0.0001). There were no cases of severe PVR at discharge or 1 year. There were 3 cases of moderate PVR at discharge and 2 cases (0.4%) at 1 year; in >90% of evaluable subjects PVR was trivial or absent.

Table 4.1-7: RESPOND Secondary Endpoints – VARC Safety Assessments at 30 Days and 1 Year Post-Procedure; As-Treated Analysis Set

Outcome	30 Days	1 Year
IMR-Adjudicated Events		
All-cause mortality and disabling stroke	4.1% (41/996)	13.7% (135/988)
All-cause mortality	2.2% (22/996)	11.7%(116/988)
In-hospital mortality	1.8% (18/996)	1.8% (18/996)
Cardiovascular	2.0% (20/996)	7.5% (74/988)
Non-cardiovascular	0.2% (2/996)	4.3% (42/988)
Disabling stroke	2.3% (23/996)	4.0% (4/998)
Center-Reported Events		
Major vascular complications	3.0% (30/996)	3.3% (33/988)
Life-threatening or disabling bleeding	2.2% (22/996)	3.5% (35/988)
Acute kidney injury (Stage 2 or 3, including renal replacement therapy)	1.6% (16/996)	1.7% (17/988)
New conduction disturbances and need for permanent pacemaker implantation	30.0% (299/996)	32.0% (316/988)
Peri-procedural MI (≤72 hours)	0.4% (4/996)	0.4% (4/988)
Spontaneous MI (>72 hours after index procedure)	0.3% (3/996)	1.3% (13/988)
Valve-related dysfunction requiring repeat procedure (surgical/interventional)	0.1% (1/996)	0.2% (2/988)
Hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure	1.4% (14/996)	7.5% (74/988)
Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis	0.4% (4/996)	0.8% (8/988)
Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis	0.2% (2/996)	1.3% (13/988)

Table 4.1-7: RESPOND Secondary Endpoints – VARC Safety Assessments at 30 Days and 1 Year Post-Procedure; As-Treated Analysis Set

Outcome	30 Days	1 Year
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Numbers are % (count/sample size).

Abbreviations: IMR=Independent Medical Reviewer; MI=myocardial infarction; VARC=Valve Academic

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References: Falk 2017⁹⁶; Van Mieghem 2017⁹⁷

Table 4.1-8: Core Laboratory Echocardiographic Assessments at Pre-Discharge and 1 Year, RESPOND As-Treated Analysis Set

Parameter	Pre-Discharge	1 Year
Aortic valve area (effective orifice area) (cm ²) ^a	1.8±0.5 (854)	1.8±0.4 (516)
Mean aortic valve gradient (mmHg) ^b	10.8±4.6 (927)	10.8±5.1 (542)
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg)	19.3±8.0 (927)	19.1±8.8 (542)
Peak aortic velocity (m/s)	2.2±0.4 (927)	2.1±0.5 (542)
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation	•	
None	80.8% (755/934)	83.9% (457/545)
Trace/trivial	11.1% (104/934)	10.6% (58/545)
Mild	7.7% (72/934)	5.1% (28/545)
Moderate	0.3% (3/934)	0.4% (2/545)
Severe	0.0% (0/934)	0.0% (0/545)

Numbers are mean±SD or % (count/sample size).

References: Falk 2017⁹⁶; Van Mieghem 2017⁹⁷

Compared to tricuspid aortic valves, bicuspid aortic valves have a larger annulus perimeter, asymmetrical valve orifice, and heavily calcified leaflets/raphe^{98,99}. Thus, TAVR in bicuspid aortic valves may be subject to an increased risk of complications related to irregular and incomplete expansion of the prosthetic valve¹⁰⁰. Existing data with first generation TAVR valves indicate a higher post-TAVR rate of moderate/severe PVR among patients with bicuspid aortic valves (25%) compared with tricuspid aortic valves (15%; P=0.05)¹⁰¹. In RESPOND, 31 patients (3.1%) were identified as having a bicuspid aortic valve¹⁰²; 81.5% were classified as Sievers Type 1¹⁰³, 14.8% as Sievers Type 0, and 3.7% as Sievers Type 2. Subjects with bicuspid valves were older and at baseline had a lower mean effective orifice area (0.6 cm² vs. 0.7 cm², P=0.0043) and a higher mean aortic valve gradient (51.6 mmHg vs. 43.6 mmHg, P=0.0132). **Table 4.1-9** compares echocardiographic outcomes at predischarge and clinical outcomes at 30 days in the 2 groups. Mean effective orifice area increased and mean aortic valve gradient decreased from baseline to discharge in both groups. Notably, there were no significant differences between groups in echocardiographic or clinical outcome measures after TAVR. Although this substudy is limited by the small

a: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²): 0.7 ± 0.2 (877)

b: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 38.0 ± 15.5 (923)

number of RESPOND patients with bicuspid anatomy, the observed results support the safety and effectiveness of TAVR with the Lotus Valve in bicuspid aortic valve stenosis.

Table 4.1-9: Bicuspid and Non-Bicuspid Groups in RESPOND – As-Treated Analysis Set (N=996)

Outcome	Bicuspid (N=31)	Non-Bicuspid (N=965)	P value						
30-Day Principal Safety Results (VARC	30-Day Principal Safety Results (VARC Definitions)								
All-cause mortality	3.2% (1/31)	2.2% (21/955)	0.51						
Cardiovascular	3.2% (1/31)	2.0% (19/955)	0.48						
Disabling stroke	3.2% (1/31)	2.2% (21/955)	0.51						
Non-disabling stroke	0.0% (0/31)	0.8% (8/955)	1.00						
Major vascular complications	6.5% (2/31)	2.8% (27/955)	0.23						
New conduction disturbances and need for permanent pacemaker implantation	19.4% (6/31)	30.4% (290/955)	0.19						
Life-threatening or disabling bleeding	6.5% (2/31)	2.1% (20/955)	0.15						
Acute kidney injury	3.2% (1/31)	2.5% (24/955)	0.56						
Myocardial infarction	0.0% (0/31)	0.6% (6/955)	1.00						
Valve Performance by TTE (Pre-Dischar	rge – Core Lab Assessme	ent)							
Mean effective orifice area (cm ²) ^a	1.7±0.43 (28)	1.8±0.45 (826)	0.20						
Mean aortic valve gradient (mmHg) ^b	11.8±5.06 (29)	10.8±4.53 (898)	0.21						
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation									
None	69.0% (20/29)	81.2% (735/905)	0.10						
Trace/Trivial	17.2% (5/29)	10.9% (99/905)	0.36						
Mild	13.8% (4/29)	7.5% (68/905)	0.27						
Moderate	0.0% (0/29)	0.3% (3/905)	1.00						
Severe	0.0% (0/29)	0.0% (0/905)	_						

Numbers are % (count/sample size) or mean±SD (n).

Abbreviations: TTE=transthoracic echocardiography; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium Reference: Blackman 2016¹⁰²

After enrollment of the main RESPOND cohort was completed the study was extended to enroll an additional cohort (RESPOND Extension) to assess center-driven implantation technique with the commercially available Lotus Valve System with DepthguardTM technology. Depthguard results in a slightly decreased rate of retraction of the outer sheath during valve deployment. This minimizes interaction between the frame and the LVOT during deployment and could limit the need for PPM implantation.

Table 4.1-10 shows clinical outcomes at 30 days and echocardiographic outcomes at predischarge. Mortality and disabling stroke were 0.0% and 2.0%, respectively, and new PPM implantation was 18.0%. There were no cases of moderate or severe PVR; in 86% of cases PVR was trivial or absent.

a: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²) was significantly different between the 2 groups: 0.6 ± 0.2 (28) vs. 0.7 ± 0.2 (847), P=0.004

b: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg) was significantly different between the 2 groups: 51.6 ± 16.97 (30) vs. 43.6 ± 17.44 (876), P=0.013

Table 4.1-10: RESPOND Extension – VARC Safety Assessments (30 Days) and Core Lab Echocardiographic Assessments (Pre-Discharge); As-Treated Analysis Set

Outcome	N=50
IMR-Adjudicated Events (30 Days)	
All-cause mortality and disabling stroke	2.0% (1/50)
All-cause mortality	0.0% (0/50)
Disabling stroke	2.0% (1/50)
Center-Reported Events (30 Days)	
Major vascular complications	2.0% (1/50)
Life-threatening or disabling bleeding	0.0% (0/50)
Acute kidney injury (Stage 2 or 3, including renal replacement therapy)	2.0% (1/50)
New conduction disturbances and need for permanent pacemaker implantation	18.0% (9/50)
Peri-procedural MI (≤72 hours)	0.0% (0/50)
Spontaneous MI (>72 hours after index procedure)	0.0% (0/50)
Valve-related dysfunction requiring repeat procedure (surgical/interventional)	0.0% (0/50)
Hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure	0.0% (0/50)
Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis	0.0% (0/50)
Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis	0.0% (0/50)
Echocardiography (Pre-Discharge)	
Aortic valve area (effective orifice area) (cm ²) ^a	1.7±0.3 (35)
Mean aortic valve gradient (mmHg) ^b	11.8±4.4 (37)
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg)	21.1±8.5 (37)
Peak aortic velocity (m/s)	2.3±0.4 (37)
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation	
None	64.9% (24/37)
Trace/trivial	21.6% (8/37)
Mild	13.5% (5/37)
Moderate	0.0% (0/37)
Severe	0.0% (0/37)

Numbers are mean±SD or % (count/sample size).

Abbreviations: IMR=Independent Medical Reviewer; MI=myocardial infarction; VARC=Valve Academic

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Reference: Van Mieghem 2017¹⁰⁴

In summary, the observed 30-day and 1-year outcomes among RESPOND subjects and 30-day outcomes in RESPOND Extension show good hemodynamic results, a very low PVR rate, low mortality, and overall favorable event rates. There also were no significant differences in pre-discharge echocardiographic or 30-day clinical outcome measures between subjects with and without a native bicuspid valve. The results from this study have demonstrated that the commercially available Lotus Valve System is a safe and effective treatment for subjects with severe calcific aortic stenosis in routine clinical practice.

a: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²): 0.7 ± 0.2 (44)

b: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 39.8 ± 13.7 (45)

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4.1.2.4. REPRISE III Randomized Controlled Trial

The REPRISE III pivotal study (REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of LotusTM Valve System – Randomized Clinical Evaluation; NCT02202434) includes a prospective, multicenter, randomized, controlled trial (RCT) designed to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of the LotusTM Valve System (23mm, 25mm, or 27mm valve; test device) compared to a commercially available self-expanding transcatheter heart valve (CoreValve® device, Medtronic Corp, Dublin, Ireland; 26mm, 29mm, and 31mm valve; control device) in symptomatic subjects with severe calcific aortic stenosis who are considered extreme or high risk for surgical valve replacement. There were 912 subjects randomized at 55 centers in the United States, Germany, France, Australia, The Netherlands, and Canada. Subjects were considered enrolled in the study upon randomization. Clinical follow-up will extend through 5 years. The trial included independent core laboratory analysis and independent event adjudication with data validated by independent statisticians.

The 30-day primary safety composite endpoint for REPRISE III includes all-cause mortality, stroke, life-threatening and major bleeding events, stage 2 or 3 acute kidney injury, and major vascular complications. The primary effectiveness endpoint for noninferiority includes the combined rate of mortality, disabling stroke, and moderate/severe PVR at 1 year post implant procedure. Other measurements incorporated the minimum data collection and endpoints recommended and defined by the VARC guidelines. Subject screening, data collection, and event assessments were as described for REPRISE II (Section **4.1.2.2**) Data for the primary endpoint in the RCT have been published⁴⁴.

A total of 607 subjects were randomized to the Lotus group and 305 were randomized to the CoreValve group (ITT analysis set). Subject analysis groups are shown in **Figure 4.1-1**. The first-generation Lotus Valve System was used throughout the study while the second-generation CoreValve Evolut R device was introduced mid-way in the study. Thus, in the implanted analysis set of the CoreValve treatment group 51.5% of subjects received CoreValve and 48.5% received CoreValve Evolut R (153/297 and 144/297, respectively).

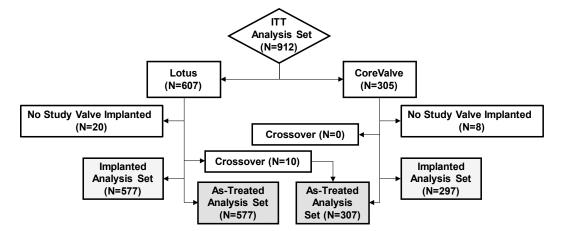


Figure 4.1-1: REPRISE III Randomized Subject Analysis Groups

The ITT population includes all randomized subjects, whether or not an assigned study device was implanted. The implanted population includes ITT subjects who received the assigned, randomized study device. The astreated population includes ITT subjects who received a study device, based on treatment actually received.

The REPRISE III primary safety endpoint was met because in the implanted analysis set the rate for the Lotus group (20.3%) was non-inferior to the rate for the CoreValve group (17.2%). Non-inferiority was concluded because the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound on the difference between treatment groups (Lotus minus CoreValve; 3.1%) was less than the non-inferiority margin of 10.5% with a P value <0.025 (P=0.0027). Non-inferiority was also shown for the ITT and as-treated analysis sets.

The primary effectiveness endpoint was met because in the implanted analysis set the rate for Lotus group (15.4%) was non-inferior to the rate for CoreValve (25.5%). Non-inferiority was concluded because the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound on the difference between treatment groups (Lotus minus CoreValve; -4.41%) was less than the non-inferiority margin of 9.5% with a P value <0.025 (P<0.0001). Non-inferiority was also shown for the ITT and as-treated analysis sets. The rate of the primary effectiveness endpoint for Lotus was shown to be superior to that for CoreValve in the ITT analysis set (P=0.0006) and also in the implanted and as-treated analysis sets.

Table 4.1-11 shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes at 30 days and 1 year. The following were similar between the 2 cohorts:

- All-cause mortality in the CoreValve arm and Lotus arm was 2.3% and 2.5%, respectively (P=0.86), at 30 days and 13.5% and 11.9%, respectively (P=0.51), at 1 year.
- Cardiovascular mortality was 2.3% (CoreValve) and 2.3% (Lotus, *P*=0.99) at 30 days and 9.8% (CoreValve) and 7.7% (Lotus, *P*=0.29) at 1 year.
- The overall stroke rate in the CoreValve and Lotus cohorts was 4.3% and 4.8%, respectively (*P*=0.72), at 30 days and 9.4% and 7.0%, respectively (*P*=0.20), at 1 year.

- The rate of major vascular complications was 5.3% (CoreValve) and 7.0% (Lotus, P=0.32) at 30 days and 6.1% (CoreValve) and 7.7% (Lotus, P=0.38) at 1 year.
- Life-threatening/disabling bleeding was 5.0% (CoreValve) and 8.0% (Lotus, P=0.09) at 30 days and 9.8% (CoreValve) and 9.9% (Lotus, P=0.96) at 1 year.

The following were statistically significantly different between the 2 cohorts:

- The disabling stroke rate in the CoreValve and Lotus cohorts was 3.3% and 2.0%, respectively (P=0.23), at 30 days and 7.1% and 3.6%, respectively (P=0.02), at 1 year.
- The rate of permanent pacemaker implantation among subjects without a prior pacemaker was 19.6% (CoreValve) and 35.5% (Lotus, P < 0.001) at 30 days and 23.0% (CoreValve) and 41.4% (Lotus, P < 0.001) at 1 year.
- The valve thrombosis rate was 0.0% for both cohorts at 30 days; it was 0.0% (CoreValve) and 1.5% (Lotus, P=0.03) at 1 year.
- Repeat procedures for prosthetic valve-related dysfunction occurred in 1.0% of CoreValve subjects and 0.0% of Lotus subjects at 30 days (*P*=0.04) and 2.0% (CoreValve) and 0.2% (Lotus) by1 year (*P*=0.007).
- Prosthetic valve malpositioning (including valve migration, valve embolization, and ectopic valve deployment to discharge/7 days) occurred in 2.6% of subjects in the CoreValve group and 0.0% of subjects in the Lotus group (P<0.001).
- TAV-in-TAV deployment occurred in 3.0% of subjects in the CoreValve group and in no subjects in the Lotus group (P < 0.001).
- Mean gradient was significantly lower and EOA was significantly higher in the CoreValve group at discharge and beyond (both P < 0.001).

There was significantly less PVR with Lotus compared to CoreValve at all time points (P < 0.001).

Table 4.1-11: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes at 30 Days and 1 Year in REPRISE III RCT

M		30 Days ^a		1-Year ^a				
Measure	CoreValve (N=305)	Lotus (N=607)	P Value	CoreValve (N=305)	Lotus (N=607)	P Value		
Clinical Outcomes (CEC Adju	dicated, VARC Definitio	ns)						
All-cause mortality	2.3% (7/303)	2.5% (15/601)	0.86	13.5% (40/297)	11.9% (70/587)	0.51		
Cardiovascular	2.3% (7/303)	2.3% (14/601)	0.99	9.8% (29/297)	7.7% (45/587)	0.29		
Stroke	4.3% (13/303)	4.8% (29/601)	0.72	9.4% (28/297)	7.0% (41/587)	0.20		
Disabling stroke	3.3% (10/303)	2.0% (12/601)	0.23	7.1% (21/297)	3.6% (21/587)	0.02		
All-cause mortality or disabling stroke	5.3% (16/303)	4.0% (24/601)	0.37	17.8% (53/297)	13.3% (78/587)	0.07		
Major vascular complications	5.3% (16/303)	7.0% (42/601)	0.32	6.1% (18/297)	7.7% (45/587)	0.38		
Access site related	3.3% (10/303)	4.7% (28/601)	0.34	3.7% (11/297)	5.1% (30/587)	0.35		
New PPM ^b	15.8% (48/303)	29.1% (175/601)	< 0.001	18.5% (55/297)	34.2% (201/587)	< 0.001		
No prior PPM ^b	19.6% (48/245)	35.5% (175/493)	< 0.001	23.0% (55/239)	41.4% (201/485)	< 0.001		
Life-threatening/disabling bleeding	5.0% (15/303)	8.0% (48/601)	0.09	9.8% (29/297)	9.9% (58/587)	0.96		
MI ≤ 72 hours	1.0% (3/303)	0.5% (3/601)	0.41	1.3% (4/297)	0.5% (3/587)	0.23		
MI > 72 hours	0.3% (1/303)	0.2% (1/601)	1.00	3.4% (10/297)	2.7% (16/587)	0.59		
AKI – Stage 2/3	3.6% (11/303)	2.5% (15/601)	0.34	3.7% (11/297)	2.6% (15/587)	0.34		
Repeat procedure ^c	1.0% (3/303)	0.0% (0/601)	0.04	2.0% (6/297)	0.2% (1/587)	0.007		
Hospitalization ^d	3.0% (9/303)	1.7% (10/601)	0.20	13.8% (41/297)	11.2% (66/587)	0.27		
New onset atrial fibrillation/flutter	4.3% (13/303)	5.8% (35/601)	0.33	4.7% (14/297)	6.6% (39/587)	0.25		
Coronary obstruction ^e	0.7% (2/303)	0.2% (1/601)	0.26	0.7% (2/297)	0.2% (1/587)	0.26		
Ventricular septal perforation ^e	0.0% (0/303)	0.2% (1/601)	1.00	0.0% (0/297)	0.2% (1/587)	1.00		
Mitral apparatus damage ^e	0.3% (1/303)	0.0% (0/601)	0.34	0.3% (1/297)	0.0% (0/587)	0.34		
Cardiac tamponade ^e	1.0% (3/303)	2.5% (15/601)	0.13	1.3% (4/297)	2.6% (15/587)	0.24		
Prosthetic aortic valve malapposition ^f	2.6% (8/303)	0.0% (0/601)	< 0.001	2.7% (8/297)	0.0% (0/587)	< 0.001		
TAV-in-TAV deployment	3.0% (9/303)	0.0% (0/601)	< 0.001	3.7% (11/297)	0.0% (0/587)	< 0.001		
Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis	0.0% (0/303)	0.0% (0/601)	Undefined	0.0% (0/297)	1.5% (9/587)	0.03		

Table 4.1-11: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes at 30 Days and 1 Year in REPRISE III RCT

Maganna		30 Days ^a		1-Year ^a				
Measure	CoreValve (N=305)	Lotus (N=607)	P Value	CoreValve (N=305)	Lotus (N=607)	P Value		
Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis	0.0% (0/303)	0.2% (1/601)	1.00	0.0% (0/297)	0.7% (4/587)	0.31		
Valve Performance by TTE (C	Core Lab Assessment)							
EOA (cm ²) ^g	1.98±0.51 (238)	1.59±0.45 (506)	< 0.001	1.69±0.52 (199)	1.49±0.45 (420)	< 0.001		
Mean aortic valve gradient (mmHg) ^h	7.25±3.44 (261)	12.00±6.08 (544)	< 0.001	7.89±3.48 (219)	12.29±5.83 (462)	< 0.001		
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg)	13.59±6.21 (261)	21.46±10.27 (545)	< 0.001	15.22±6.44 (219)	22.74±10.53 (462)	< 0.001		
Peak aortic velocity (m/s)	1.80±0.40 (261)	2.26±0.46 (545)	< 0.001	1.91±0.41 (219)	2.33±0.51 (462)	< 0.001		
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation	on							
None	24.5% (65/265)	72.5% (392/541)	< 0.001	37.0% (81/219)	79.9% (362/453)	< 0.001		
Trace/trivial	14.7% (39/265)	10.7% (58/541)	0.10	10.5% (23/219)	5.7% (26/453)	0.03		
Mild	48.7% (129/265)	10.7% (58/541)	< 0.001	38.8% (85/219)	11.3% (51/453)	< 0.001		
Mild-moderate	0.0% (0/265)	0.0% (0/541)	Undefined	0.0% (0/219)	0.0% (0/453)	Undefined		
Moderate	7.2% (19/265)	0.4% (2/541)	< 0.001	5.9% (13/219)	0.9% (4/453)	< 0.001		
Moderate-severe	0.0% (0/265)	0.2% (1/541)	1.00	0.9% (2/219)	0.0% (0/453)	0.11		
Severe	0.0% (0/265)	0.0% (0/541)	Undefined	0.0% (0/219)	0.0% (0/453)	Undefined		
AR (severity not evaluable)	4.9% (13/265)	5.5% (30/541)	0.70	6.8% (15/219)	2.2% (10/453)	0.003		

Numbers are presented as % (n); outcomes were adjudicated by the CEC; aortic regurgitation grading is based on Pibarot, et al. (2015)¹⁰⁵

- a: From randomization to time point
- b: Due to new conduction disturbances or arrhythmias; "no prior PPM" indicates subjects without a PPM before the index procedure
- c: For valve-related dysfunction; surgical or interventional
- d: For valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA Class III or IV)
- e: Periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure)
- f: Includes valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment
- g: Baseline: $0.70\pm0.19 \text{ cm}^2$ (280) for CoreValve and $0.69\pm0.19 \text{ cm}^2$ (541) for Lotus (P=0.33)
- h: Baseline: 43.85±12.31 mmHg (294) for CoreValve and 44.64±13.35 mmHg (575) for Lotus (*P*=0.40)

Note: "Discharge" represents discharge from hospitalization or 7 days post-procedure, whichever came first.

Abbreviations: AR=aortic regurgitation; AKI=acute kidney injury; CEC=Clinical Events Committee; EOA= effective orifice area; MI=myocardial infarction;

PPM=permanent pacemaker; TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; TTE=transthoracic echocardiography; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

Reference: Feldman 2018⁴⁴

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In conclusion, in this large (N=912) randomized comparison of two different types of TAVR platforms, the Lotus Valve System was non-inferior to the commercially available CoreValve for the composite primary safety endpoint at 30 days. Lotus showed superiority for the composite primary effectiveness endpoint at 1 year, driven by significantly fewer disabling strokes (3.6% vs 7.1%, P=0.02) and significantly less moderate or severe PVR (0.9% vs 6.9%, P<0.0001; core lab determination). The frequency of overall stroke at 1 year was 7.0% with Lotus and 9.4% with CoreValve; the repositionability of Lotus did not lead to a higher stroke rate compared to CoreValve. Recently reported 1-year stroke rates include 5.6% among high-risk subjects in the adjudicated SAPIEN 3 registry¹⁰⁶ and 8.8% and 12.6% among TAVR and SAVR subjects, respectively, in the U.S. CoreValve High Risk Study²⁵. Lower stroke rates have been reported in lower-risk subject groups^{34,49}. Moderate or greater PVR has been associated with an increased risk of mortality^{55,56}. The impact of mild PVR is less clear^{57,58} although a recent meta-analysis suggested that mild PVR may also be associated with increased all-cause and cardiovascular mortality⁵⁹. Reported rates for moderate or greater PVR with newer generation devices have ranged from 1.5% with the balloon-expandable SAPIEN 3 valve³² to 5.3% with Evolut R⁴⁹ with lower rates in intermediate compared to high risk subjects.

There were more new pacemaker implantations (41.4% vs 23.0%, P<0.0001 among subjects without a prior pacemaker) at 1 year with Lotus. Pacemaker implantation is associated with subject morbidity and increased cost (including repeat hospitalization)⁸¹ but has not been associated with decreased survival in other studies of high risk subjects 77,78,82,107. A recently published meta-analysis found that subjects with and without PPM post TAVR had similar rates for all-cause mortality, cardiovascular mortality, MI, and stroke at 30 days and 1 year¹⁰⁸. This analysis did show that improvement in LVEF was significantly greater in subjects without PPM. Valve thrombosis was uncommon but there were significantly more cases, as defined by VARC criteria, with Lotus (1.5% vs. 0%, P=0.03). Most were identified based on increased mean aortic gradient at protocol-directed follow-up echocardiography and all showed a decrease in mean gradient after anticoagulation therapy. These results are consistent with a recent registry report based on CT showing subclinical leaflet thrombosis rates of 4% with surgical valves and 12% with TAVR valves and suggesting that the supraannular CoreValve may have a lower rate compared to TAVR valves with an annular location (CoreValve/Evolut R: 6%; Lotus: 14%; Edwards [Sapien, SAPIEN XT, and SAPIEN 3]: 14%; Portico: 30%)¹⁰⁹. A recent single-center retrospective analysis (281) balloon-expandable, 305 self-expanding, 56 Lotus) found an overall incidence of 2.8% for clinical valve thrombosis¹¹⁰. Reported rates were 4.6% for SAPIEN valves, 1.0% for CoreValve/Evolut R, and 3.6% for Lotus. At 1 year, valve malpositioning, repeat procedures, and TAV-in-TAV deployment were all less common with Lotus. The observed rate of TAVin-TAV with CoreValve was 2.3%; rates of TAV-in-TAV with CoreValve in prior US pivotal CoreValve trials have ranged from 1.3% to $6.7\%^{25,34,47,49}$.

Overall, outcomes in the REPRISE III RCT support the safety and efficacy of the Lotus Valve System in symptomatic subjects with severe calcific aortic stenosis who are considered extreme or high risk for surgical valve replacement.

4.1.2.5. REPRISE Japan

The objective of the REPRISE Japan clinical trial (REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of LotusTM Valve System – Clinical Evaluation in Japan; NCT02491255) was to confirm the safety and effectiveness of the LotusTM Valve System in the Japanese medical environment for TAVR in symptomatic subjects with calcific, severe native aortic stenosis considered at high or extreme risk for SAVR. The 30-day primary safety composite endpoint includes all-cause mortality, stroke, life-threatening and major bleeding events, stage 2 or 3 acute kidney injury, and major vascular complications. The primary effectiveness endpoint is a composite at 6 months of all-cause mortality and disabling stroke and moderate or greater PVR based on core lab assessment. Other measurements incorporated the minimum data collection and endpoints recommended and defined by the VARC guidelines. Subject screening, data collection, and event assessments were as described for REPRISE II (Section **4.1.2.2**).

There were 40 evaluable subjects enrolled at 5 centers in the transfemoral arm of REPRISE Japan. The primary safety composite endpoint rate was 15.0% (6/40) at 30 days and the primary effectiveness composite endpoint was 5.3% (2/38) at 6 months. **Table 4.1-12** shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes at 30 days, 6 months, and 1 year. Mortality through 1 year was low (7.5%) as was disabling stroke (2.5%). There was no moderate or severe PVR. Overall, outcomes were similar to that seen with Lotus in REPRISE II (Section **4.1.2.2**) and REPRISE III (Section **4.1.2.4**) and demonstrated consistent safety and effectiveness results with the Lotus Valve System in Japanese subjects.

Table 4.1-12: 30-Day, 6-Month, and 1-Year Outcomes – REPRISE Japan Evaluable Transfemoral Cohort (N=40)

Outcomes	30 Days	6 Months	1 Year						
Clinical Outcomes (CEC Adjudicated, VARC Definitions)									
All-cause mortality	0.0% (0/40)	2.5% (1/40)	7.5% (3/40)						
Cardiovascular	0.0% (0/40)	2.5% (1/40)	5.0% (2/40)						
All stroke	7.5% (3/40)	7.5% (3/40)	7.5% (3/40)						
Disabling stroke	2.5% (1/40)	2.5% (1/40)	2.5% (1/40)						
Major vascular complications	2.5% (1/40)	2.5% (1/40)	2.5% (1/40)						
Life-threatening or disabling bleeding	5.0% (2/40)	5.0% (2/40)	5.0% (2/40)						
Major bleeding	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Myocardial infarction	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Acute kidney injury – Stage 2 or 3 ^a	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
New PPM implantation ^b	22.5% (9/40)	22.5% (9/40)	25.0% (10/40)						
New PPM in subjects without prior PPM	23.7% (9/38)	23.7% (9/38)	26.3% (10/38)						
Coronary obstruction (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Ventricular septal perforation (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Mitral apparatus damage (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Cardiac tamponade (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Valve-related dysfunction ^c	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						
Hospitalization ^d	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)						

Table 4.1-12: 30-Day, 6-Month, and 1-Year Outcomes – REPRISE Japan Evaluable Transfemoral Cohort (N=40)

Outcomes	30 Days	6 Months	1 Year
Atrial fibrillation – new onset	5.0% (2/40)	5.0% (2/40)	5.0% (2/40)
Atrial flutter – new onset	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)
Prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning ^e	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)
TAV-in-TAV deployment	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)
Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)
Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/40)
Valve Performance by TTE (Core Lab Assessm	nent)		
Aortic valve area (effective orifice area) (cm ²) ^f	1.54±0.37 (40)	1.49±0.38 (35)	1.38±0.31 (35)
Mean aortic valve gradient (mmHg) ^g	13.04±4.87 (40)	13.40±5.65 (37)	14.22±6.09 (35)
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg)	21.81±8.39 (40)	22.69±9.26 (37)	24.44±10.61 (35)
Peak aortic velocity (cm/s)	2.30±0.43 (40)	2.34±0.45 (37)	2.42±0.51 (36)
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation			
None	60.0% (24/40)	75.7% (28/37)	75.0% (27/36)
Trace/trivial	10.0% (4/40)	10.8% (4/37)	8.3% (3/36)
Mild	27.5% (11/40)	13.5% (5/37)	16.7% (6/36)
Mild-moderate	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/37)	0.0% (0/36)
Moderate	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/37)	0.0% (0/36)
Moderate-severe	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/37)	0.0% (0/36)
Severe	0.0% (0/40)	0.0% (0/37)	0.0% (0/36)

Numbers are presented as % (count/sample size) or mean±SD (n). Data are from the intent-to-treat analysis set; aortic regurgitation grading is based on Pibarot, et al. (2015)¹⁰⁵.

- a: AKIN Stage 2 or Stage 3 (including renal replacement therapy)^{111,112}; ≤ 7 days post index procedure
- b: Resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances
- c: Requiring repeat procedure (surgical or interventional)
- d: For valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure
- e: Including valve migration, valve embolization, ectopic valve deployment (procedural)
- f: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²): 0.58 ± 0.20 (39)
- g: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 57.31 ± 20.16 (40)

Abbreviations: CEC=clinical events committee; PPM=permanent pacemaker; TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; TTE=transthoracic echocardiography; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

Reference: Saito 2017¹¹³, 2018¹¹⁴

4.1.2.6. <u>REPRISE NG DS Study</u>

The REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of LotuS ValvE with the Next Generation Delivery System (REPRISE NG DS) study (NCT02329496) is a first-human-use trial evaluating a modified version of the delivery system that was studied in REPRISE I, REPRISE II, REPRISE III, and RESPOND. In Cohort A of this prospective single-arm study, 10 subjects were enrolled at 2 investigative centers in Australia; the device was introduced into the body using the Lotus Introducer Set. In Cohort B, an additional 7 subjects were enrolled at the same centers to evaluate acute performance and safety of a further optimized version of the LOTUS *Edge* device (including

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radiopaque markers on the valve locking assembly). Cohort B also assessed the acute performance and safety of an early iteration of the iSleeveTM Introducer Set and its compatibility with the LOTUS *Edge* device. A third cohort (Cohort C) subsequently enrolled 21 subjects who were treated with a further refined version of the LOTUS *Edge* delivery system. In some Cohort C subjects a further refined version of the iSleeve Introducer was used. The primary endpoint in REPRISE NG DS is technical success, defined as follows: successful vascular access, delivery and deployment of the Lotus valve and successful retrieval with the Lotus NG delivery system; correct positioning of the Lotus valve in the proper anatomical location; and a single Lotus valve implanted in the proper anatomical location. Clinical follow-up will extend through 1 year.

The primary endpoint was achieved in 10/10 subjects in Cohort A¹¹⁵, 5/7 in Cohort B (in 1 subject a valve was not implanted and in 1 subject a valve was implanted using the current Lotus Valve System), and 21/21 in Cohort C¹¹⁶. **Table 4.1-13** shows core lab analyses of prosthetic valve performance as assessed by TTE at discharge/7 days post procedure (secondary endpoint) and valve function at 30 days and 1 year for the 3 cohorts. In all cohorts, mean aortic valve area and mean gradient improved at discharge and remained improved at 30 days and 1 year. There were no cases of moderate or severe PVR at discharge, 30 days, or 1 year in any cohort; the majority of patients had no PVR or trace PVR at all time points. Table 4.1-14 shows rates of CEC-adjudicated VARC-defined events through discharge/7 days, 30 days, 6 months, and 1 year. In Cohort A, one subject experienced the majority of events and subsequently died on day 13 post implant. In Cohort B, events were minimal. In Cohort C, new permanent pacemakers were placed in 2 subjects by 1 year for a rate of 9.5% (2/21) among all subjects and 11.1% (2/18) among subjects without a prior pacemaker. In summary, outcomes to 1 year in the REPRISE NG DS study demonstrate acceptable performance and safety of the Lotus valve with the next generation delivery system.

Table 4.1-13: Valve Performance by TTE, Core Lab Analysis – REPRISE NG DS Cohorts A, B and C

Measure		Cohort A (N=10) Cohort B (N=6) Cohort C (N=21)										
Measure	Baseline	Discharge	30 Days	1 Year	Baseline	Discharge	30 Days	1 Year	Baseline	Discharge	30 Days	1 Year
EOA (cm ²)	0.69±0.21 (10)	1.55±0.43 (10)	1.44±0.45 (9)	1.38±0.49 (6)	0.54±0.14 (6)	1.72±0.39 (4)	1.30±0.42 (5)	1.40±0.32 (5)	0.63±0.19 (21)	1.50±0.37 (21)	1.28±0.36 (21)	1.47±0.43 (20)
Mean gradient (mmHg)	48.5±13.3 (10)	13.4±4.3 (10)	15.7±8.0 (9)	15.8±9.2 (6)	51.3±14.5 (6)	10.1±3.9 (6)	10.5±0.9 (5)	12.9±2.0 (5)	51.3±9.5 (21)	14.0±4.4 (21)	14.7±5.6 (21)	14.1±5.1 (20)
Paravalvular	Aortic Regur	gitation										
None	N/A	80.0 (8)	66.7 (6)	66.7 (4)	N/A	83.3 (5)	60.0(3)	100.0 (5)	N/A	95.2 (20)	85.7 (18)	75.0 (15)
Trace	N/A	10.0(1)	11.1 (1)	33.3 (2)	N/A	20.0(1)	40.0(2)	0.0(0)	N/A	4.8 (1)	9.5 (2)	20.0 (4)
Mild	N/A	10.0(1)	11.1 (1)	0.0(0)	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	N/A	0.0(0)	4.8 (1)	5.0(1)
Moderate	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Severe	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	N/A	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)

Numbers are presented as mean±standard deviation (n) or % (n); only subjects who received a study valve are included in the core lab analyses.

Note: "Discharge" represents discharge from hospitalization or 7 days post-procedure, whichever came first.

Abbreviations: EOA=effective orifice area; N/A=not applicable; NGDS=Next Generation Delivery System; TTE=transthoracic echocardiography

Table 4.1-14: Discharge, 30-Day, 6-Month, and 1-Year Clinical Outcomes in REPRISE NG DS Cohorts A, B and C

VARC Event	Cohort A (N=10)				Cohort B (N=6)				Cohort C (N=21)			
VARC EVEIL	Discharge	30-Day	6-Month	1-Year	Discharge	30-Day	6-Month	1-Year	Discharge	30-Day	6-Month	1-Year
All-cause mortality	0.0(0)	10.0(1)	20.0(2)	20.0(2)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Cardiovascular	0.0(0)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Stroke	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)
Disabling stroke	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)
Major vascular complications	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	9.5 (2)	9.5 (2)	9.5 (2)	9.5 (2)
New PPM ^a	30.0 (3)	40.0 (4)	30.0 (3)	40.0 (4)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	9.5 (2) ^b	9.5 (2) ^b	9.5 (2) ^b	9.5 (2) ^b
Life-threatening/ disabling bleeding	20.0 (2)	20.0 (2)	20.0 (2)	20.0 (2)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
MI	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	9.5 (2)
AKI – Stage 2/3	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	10.0(1)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Repeat procedure ^c	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)

Table 4.1-14: Discharge, 30-Day, 6-Month, and 1-Year Clinical Outcomes in REPRISE NG DS Cohorts A, B and C

		Cohort A	(N=10)		Cohort B (N=6)				Cohort C (N=21)			
VARC Event	Discharge	30-Day	6-Month	1-Year	Discharge	30-Day	6-Month	1-Year	Discharge	30-Day	6-Month	1-Year
Hospitalization ^d	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	16.7 (1)	16.7 (1)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	9.5 (2)
New onset atrial fibrillation/flutter	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	9.5 (2)	9.5 (2)	9.5 (2)	9.5 (2)
Coronary obstruction ^e	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Ventricular septal perforation ^e	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Mitral apparatus damage ^e	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Cardiac tamponade ^e	10.0 (1)	10.0(1)	10.0 (1)	10.0 (1)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)
Prosthetic aortic valve malapposition ^f	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)
Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	0.0 (0)	10.0 (1)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)	4.8 (1)
Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)	16.7 (1)	16.7 (1)	0.0(0)	0.0 (0)	0.0(0)	0.0(0)

Numbers are presented as % (n); outcomes were adjudicated by the CEC; ITT analysis set for Cohorts A and C; as-treated analysis set for Cohort B

- a: Due to new conduction disturbances or arrhythmias
- b: In Cohort C, the rate of new PPM implantation among subjects without a prior pacemaker was 11.1%.
- c: For valve-related dysfunction (surgical/interventional)
- d: For valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure
- e: Periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure)
- f: Includes valve migration, valve embolization, ectopic valve deployment, or TAV-in-TAV

Note: "Discharge" represents discharge from hospitalization or 7 days post-procedure, whichever came first.

Note: In Cohort A, one subject experienced the majority of events and died on day 13. In Cohort B, there were 2 procedural minor access site related vascular complications and 1 procedural major bleeding events. In Cohort C, there were 2 minor access site related vascular complications and 2 major bleeding events.

Abbreviations: AKI=acute kidney injury; CEC=Clinical Events Committee; ITT=intention-to-treat; MI=myocardial infarction; NGDS=Next Generation Delivery System; PPM=permanent pacemaker; TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

4.1.2.7. REPRISE EDGE

The prospective, single-arm <u>REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of NatIve StEnotic</u> Aortic Valve through Implantation of LOTUS <u>EDGE</u> Valve System – <u>Evaluation of Performance</u> and Safety study (REPRISE EDGE; NCT02854319; N=15) has the same overall study design as REPRISE NG DS (Section **4.1.2.6**) and assessed acute performance and safety of the same LOTUS *Edge* design that was used in Cohort C. The primary endpoint was the mean aortic valve pressure gradient at discharge as measured by echocardiography and assessed by an independent core laboratory. Secondary endpoints included technical success and device performance peri- and post-procedure based in part on VARC criteria.

At discharge, the mean aortic gradient was 14.4±4.1 mmHg (N=15). Technical success was 100% and all attempts at repositioning or retrieving the valve were successful, and there was no moderate or severe PVR at discharge. **Table 4.1-15** shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes at 30 days and 1 year. There was no mortality and 1 disabling stroke through 1 year; PPM were placed in 2 subjects by 30 days for a rate of 13.3% among subjects without a prior PPM. Mean aortic valve area and mean gradient were improved at 30 days and 1 year with no moderate or severe PVR. Overall, outcomes with LOTUS Edge are consistent with outcomes observed in REPRISE II/II Extension and REPRISE III and with other TAVR studies using the VARC metrics.

Table 4.1-15: 30-Day and 1-Year Outcomes – REPRISE EDGE (N=15)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year
Clinical Outcomes (CEC Adjudicated, VARC Definitions)	•	
All-cause mortality	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
All stroke	6.7% (1/15)	6.7% (1/15)
Disabling stroke	6.7% (1/15)	6.7% (1/15)
Major vascular complications	20.0% (3/15)	20.0% (3/15)
Life-threatening or disabling bleeding	13.3% (2/15)	13.3% (2/15)
Major bleeding	20.0% (3/15)	20.0% (3/15)
Acute kidney injury – Stage 2 or 3 ^a	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
New PPM implantation ^b	13.3% (2/15)	20.0% (3/15)
New PPM in subjects without prior pacemaker	13.3% (2/15)	20.0% (3/15)
Coronary obstruction (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Ventricular septal perforation (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Mitral apparatus damage (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Cardiac tamponade (periprocedural)	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Myocardial infarction	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Valve-related dysfunction requiring repeat procedure ^c	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening CHF	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter (new onset)	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning ^d	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
TAV-in-TAV deployment	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/15)
Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis	0.0% (0/15)	6.7% (1/15)
Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis	0.0% (0/15)	6.7% (1/15)

Outcomes	30 Days	1 Year							
Valve Performance by Transthoracic Echocardiography (Core Lab Assessment)									
Aortic valve area (effective orifice area) (cm ²) ^e	1.24±0.29 (13)	1.38±0.34 (11)							
Mean aortic valve gradient (mmHg) ^f	14.95±8.40 (15)	12.98±4.52 (14)							
Peak aortic gradient (mmHg)	25.65±12.50 (15)	23.64±8.55 (14)							
Peak aortic velocity (cm/s)	2.47±0.57 (15)	2.39±0.42 (14)							
Paravalvular Aortic Regurgitation									
None	66.7% (10/15)	71.4% (10/14)							
Trace/trivial	13.3% (2/15)	28.6% (4/14)							
Mild	13.3% (2/15)	0.0% (0/14)							
Mild-moderate	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/14)							
Moderate	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/14)							
Moderate-severe	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/14)							
Severe	0.0% (0/15)	0.0% (0/14)							

Values are % (count/sample size) or mean±SD (n). Data are from the per-protocol analysis set (enrolled subjects implanted with a LOTUS Edge valve); aortic regurgitation grading is based on Pibarot, et al. (2015)¹⁰⁵.

- a: AKIN Stage 2 or Stage 3 (including renal replacement therapy); \leq 7 days post index procedure
- b: Resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances
- c: Surgical or interventional
- d: Including valve migration, valve embolization, ectopic valve deployment (procedural)
- e: Baseline effective orifice area (cm²): 0.64 ± 0.19 (10)
- f: Baseline mean aortic gradient (mmHg): 49.46 ± 16.01 (13)

Abbreviations: CEC=clinical events committee; CHF=congestive heart failure; PPM=permanent pacemaker;

TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

4.2. Study Rationale

As noted above, the Lotus Valve System potentially provides a number of performance and safety features beyond that of earlier TAVR devices. These include an enhanced ability to place the valve correctly at the first attempt, the capacity to reposition the device if the initial deployment is considered to be suboptimal, the ability to retrieve the device if during the procedure a decision is made to replace it with another valve to optimize implant or not to implant, and the aforementioned outer seal designed to minimize PVR. Because the investigational device, the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, consists of essentially the same preloaded, stent-mounted tissue valve prosthesis as the Lotus Valve System evaluated in the REPRISE I, REPRISE II, REPRISE III, REPRISE Japan, and RESPOND studies but with a catheter delivery system designed for improved deliverability (evaluated in the REPRISE NG DS and REPRISE EDGE studies) the anticipated benefits and risks are very similar. The valve component with the addition of tantalum (radiopaque) markers is also intended to enhance locking visualization. Like the Lotus Introducer, the iSleeve Introducer Set has a dilator and sheath component, but the iSleeve sheath is expandable. This allows for transient sheath expansion during delivery system introduction, enabling expanded vascular access

and reducing the duration of time the access vessel is expanded and therefore minimizing potential for vessel trauma. Both sheaths have a hydrophilic coating that when activated increases the lubricity of the surface to aid in delivery.

The anticipated risks and benefits associated with use of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, with either the Lotus or iSleeve Introducer Sets, by trained physicians with extensive TAVR experience, and with participation in this clinical investigation are summarized in the Investigator Brochure and in Section 18 of this document. The conclusion of this risk-benefit analysis demonstrates that the known risks associated with the procedure, and specifically the use of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, have been mitigated to acceptable limits, which are comparable to that for existing transcatheter aortic valves. It was also concluded that the aforementioned design features may improve procedural safety and longer term clinical outcomes. No new hazards/harms are introduced by the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System compared to the Lotus Valve System when used with either the Lotus or iSleeve Introducer Sets and the overall risk profile of the device has not changed. The available Sponsor-provided training program and proctorship for physicians further mitigates any residual risk. The result is a procedure with residual subject risk comparable to that of currently available transcatheter aortic valves and potential benefit compared with other alternatives.

It is therefore determined that:

- All applicable risks have been addressed through appropriate testing and any residual risks are acceptable when weighed against the potential benefits to the subject.
- The potential benefits of the use of the device out-weigh the risks.

5. Device Description

The investigational LOTUS $Edge^{TM}$ Valve System is intended to improve aortic valve function for symptomatic subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are at intermediate risk for standard surgical aortic valve replacement (SAVR), including those who have a bicuspid native valve.

5.1. LOTUS Edge Valve System

The LotusTM Valve System and LOTUS *Edge* Valve System are both made up of two principal elements: a bioprosthetic aortic valve implant and a catheter-based delivery system for introduction and delivery of the valve implant (**Figure 5.1-1**). The device is introduced percutaneously using conventional catheterization techniques. Access using a surgical cutdown approach can also be performed to gain arterial access. Valve sizes include 23mm, 25mm, and 27mm diameter. The Lotus family of devices provides a number of important performance and safety features beyond what is currently offered with first generation TAVR systems. Some of these improvements include the ability to reposition the device if the initial deployment is considered to be suboptimal and the ability to retrieve the device during the procedure if necessary. The LOTUS *Edge* Valve System is a design iteration of the Lotus Valve System, which was assessed in the REPRISE I, REPRISE II, REPRISE Japan,

REPRISE III, and RESPOND studies (Section **4.1.2**). The LOTUS *Edge* Valve System has a catheter delivery system with enhanced deliverability and tantalum (radiopaque) markers have been added to the valve locking assembly (i.e., buckle and post-top components) to aid visualization of locking during the procedure. The LOTUS *Edge* Valve System also incorporates a modified leadscrew component, referred to as the DepthguardTM technology, which results in a slightly decreased rate of retraction of the outer sheath, during valve deployment compared to the Lotus Valve System. Detailed product information can be found in the IFU and in the Investigator's Brochure.

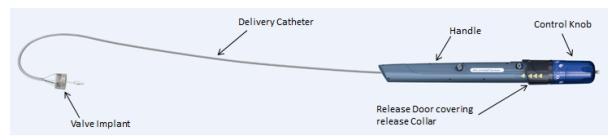


Figure 5.1-1: Overview of Principal Components of the LOTUS Edge Valve System

5.1.1. LOTUS *Edge* Valve

The LOTUS *Edge* valve is shown in **Figure 5.1-2**. It consists of 3 bovine pericardial leaflets. The commissures of the leaflets are attached to the valve frame through portions of the locking components. The valve frame is made of a single nitinol wire strand woven into a braid. The wire ends of this frame are encapsulated by a tantalum crimp that is used as a radiopaque marker and located in the center of the frame height. The braided structure is designed to foreshorten and expand radially when delivered and is then locked in this position using a post and buckle locking mechanism. Radiopaque markers on the post-top and buckle components aid visualization during the locking procedure. The Adaptive Seal is made of a polyurethane/polycarbonate blend and is located on the outside bottom half of the frame. This seal provides a barrier between the existing annulus and the frame to help reduce paravalvular leakage.

The valve is deployed in a beating heart and rapid pacing is not required during valve deployment. The valve begins to function early in the deployment process, providing stabilized hemodynamic functionality. The valve is available in three sizes: 23mm, 25mm, and 27mm. The frame height of all three valve sizes in the deployed state is approximately 19 mm.

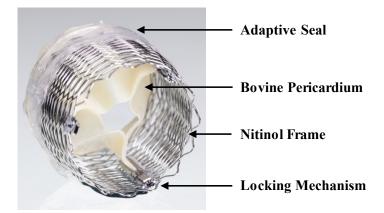


Figure 5.1-2: LOTUS Edge Valve Implant

5.1.2. LOTUS *Edge* Delivery System

The LOTUS *Edge* Delivery System is composed of 3 main assemblies: (1) an inner catheter assembly (referred to as the multi-lumen catheter), which is attached to the valve implant; (2) an outer catheter assembly (referred to as the outer sheath); and (3) a controller assembly, which is used to control placement and release of the valve. Changes between the Lotus Valve System and the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System are described in the Investigator Brochure.

The principal control used to deploy the valve is the control knob at the proximal end of the controller. This control knob is used to first unsheathe the device and deploy the implant into the intermediate functioning, but non-locked, configuration and subsequently to shorten the implant and lock it in the final, anchored configuration. The process can be reversed to unlock the device or recapture the implant inside the outer sheath. When the valve implant is successfully positioned and locked in the desired location the delivery system is permanently detached. Additional information on valve implantation and release is found in the IFU.

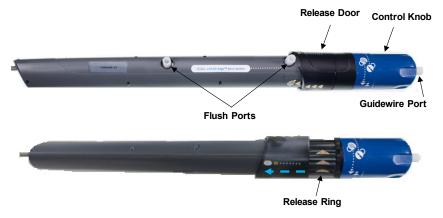


Figure 5.1-3: LOTUS Edge Controller

Top: Locked configuration. Bottom: Door pulled forward allowing the valve to be released

5.1.3. Lotus and iSleeve Introducer Sets

The large Lotus Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set (**Figure 5.1-4**) will be used as an accessory to the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System during the procedure. In countries where the introducer sets are approved, the commercial devices will be used. In countries where they are not approved, they will be considered investigational devices. They both include a dilator and an introducer sheath with a hydrophilic coating that, when activated, increases the lubricity of the surface to aid in delivery. The large Lotus Introducer is intended for use with the 23mm, 25mm, or 27mm LOTUS *Edge* valve in subjects with femoral vascular access ≥6.5 mm. The sheath component of the iSleeve is expandable, which allows for transient sheath expansion during delivery system introduction. Temporary expansion of the access vessel reduces the time the access vessel is expanded during device introduction and therefore potentially reduces vessel trauma. The 15F iSleeve is capable of introducing the 23mm, 25mm and 27mm LOTUS *Edge* valve sizes into subjects with femoral vascular access ≥5.9 mm.

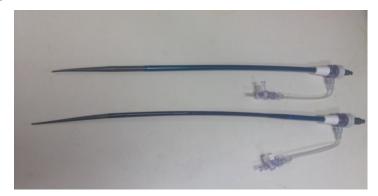


Figure 5.1-4: Lotus Introducer Set (Top) and iSleeve Introducer Set (Bottom)

Detailed information can be found in the respective Instructions For Use.

5.2. Device Labeling

The study Manual of Operations includes the IFUs for the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System and, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set. Study devices are labeled on the top and one side (one label wraps around the top and side) of the outer carton and on the sterile pouch. Packaging will include peelable, self-adhesive labels for each unit shipped. The labeling will include the following information.

- Product Name
- Unique identifier
- Lot number/Serial number
- Expiration (use by) date (labeled as month/year, device not to be used after the last day of the indicated month)

The following statement appears on the label.

Caution: Investigational Device. Limited by Federal Law (USA) to Investigational Use.

In addition, the following statements appear on the product labeling.

CAUTION: Exclusively for Clinical Investigations.

The IFU for the large Lotus Introducer Set will also be provided in the study Manual of Operations. The label will also include the above, with the exception of the investigational device statement for countries where the device is commercially available.

6. Study Objectives and Endpoints

6.1. Study Objectives

The objective of the REPRISE IV trial is to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System when used with the Lotus or iSleeve Introducer Set for transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) in symptomatic subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are considered at intermediate risk for surgical valve replacement, including those who have a bicuspid native valve.

6.2. Study Endpoints

Outcomes will be assessed on an intention-to-treat (ITT) basis and an implanted basis. The ITT analysis population includes all subjects who sign the Informed Consent Form (ICF; see Section 20) and are enrolled in the trial (see Section 9.1 for point of enrollment), regardless of whether a study valve is implanted. The implanted analysis population includes ITT subjects who are implanted with the study valve. Endpoint definitions can be found in **Table 25.2-1**.

6.2.1. Primary Endpoint

The primary endpoint is a composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year. The primary analysis set for the primary endpoint is the ITT analysis set.

6.2.2. Additional Measurements

Additional measurements based on the VARC endpoints and definitions^{61,62} (see *Note 1* below) will be collected peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, and annually up to 10 years post index procedure, unless otherwise specified below.

- Safety endpoints adjudicated by an independent Clinical Events Committee (CEC; Section 21.1.1):
 - o Mortality: all-cause, cardiovascular, and non-cardiovascular
 - Stroke: disabling and non-disabling

- o Myocardial infarction (MI): periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) and spontaneous (>72 hours post index procedure)
- o Bleeding: life-threatening (or disabling) and major (through 5 years)
- o Acute kidney injury (AKI; ≤7 days post index procedure): based on the AKIN System^{111,112} Stage 3 (including renal replacement therapy) or Stage 2
- o Major vascular complication (including annular rupture; through 5 years)
- o Repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction (surgical or interventional therapy)
- o Hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening CHF (NYHA class III or IV)
- New permanent pacemaker implantation resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances (definitions in Table 25.2-1; see *Note 2* below)
- New onset of atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter
- o Coronary obstruction: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure)
- o Ventricular septal perforation: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure)
- o Mitral apparatus damage: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure)
- o Cardiac tamponade: periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure)
- Prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning, including valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment
- o Transcatheter aortic valve (TAV)-in-TAV deployment
- Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis
- o Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis
- Device performance endpoints peri- and post-procedure:
 - Successful vascular access, delivery and deployment of the study valve and successful retrieval of the delivery system
 - o Successful retrieval of the study valve if retrieval is attempted
 - Successful repositioning of the study valve if repositioning is attempted (see *Note 3* below)
 - o Grade of aortic valve regurgitation: paravalvular, central and combined; the overall distribution of paravalvular aortic regurgitation (none, trace/trivial, mild, moderate, severe) will be determined as well as the percentage of subjects who have moderate or severe paravalvular regurgitation and the percentage of subjects who have mild, moderate or severe paravalvular regurgitation
- Device success, defined as absence of procedural mortality, correct positioning of a single transcatheter valve into the proper anatomical location, intended performance of the study device (effective orifice area [EOA] >0.9 cm² for BSA <1.6 m² and EOA >1.1 cm² for BSA ≥1.6 m² plus either a mean aortic valve gradient <20 mm Hg or a peak velocity <3m/sec, and no moderate or severe prosthetic valve aortic regurgitation)
- Additional indications of prosthetic aortic valve performance as measured by transthoracic echocardiography (TTE; see *Note 4* and *Note 5* below) and assessed by an

independent core laboratory, including EOA, mean and peak aortic gradients, peak aortic velocity, and grade of aortic regurgitation

- Functional status as evaluated by the following:
 - o 5-m gait speed test¹¹⁷ (at 1 year compared to baseline)
 - New York Heart Association (NYHA) classification (see *Note 5* below)
- Neurological status (see *Note 6* below) as determined by the following:
 - o National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale (NIHSS; performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel) at discharge and 1 year
 - Modified Rankin Scale (mRS; performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel) at all follow-up visits up to 5 years
- Health status as evaluated by Kansas City Cardiomyopathy¹¹⁸ and SF-12¹¹⁹ Quality of Life (QOL) questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, and 1 and 5 years.
- For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry, a computed tomography scan at 30 days post LOTUS *Edge* Valve implantation. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.
- For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, a 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.
- *Note 1:* The most current VARC definitions and endpoints available at the beginning of the trial were used.
- *Note 2:* Clinical indications for permanent pacemaker implantation are outlined in the ACCF/AHA/HRS Guidelines for Device-Based Therapy of Cardiac Rhythm Abnormalities¹²⁰. Permanent pacemaker implantation should generally be performed only for accepted Class I indications.
- *Note 3:* For the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, repositioning (see definition in **Table 25.2-1**) may be achieved with partial or full resheathing (see definitions in **Table 25.2-1**) of the valve; the proportion of subjects with partial valve resheathing and full valve resheathing will be determined.
- **Note 4:** At least 1 echocardiogram must be obtained before discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first); if multiple echocardiographic studies are performed prior to discharge and within 7 days of the procedure, the latest study performed will be used for analysis.
- *Note 5:* Echocardiography and NYHA assessment are not required in years 6, 8, and 9 (telephone follow-up only).
- *Note 6:* For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam (conducted by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner), NIHSS assessment, and mRS must be performed after the event. Additionally, mRS must be administered at 90±14 days after a stroke (see **Table 10.1-1**). If a subject who

has not received a study device experiences a stroke within the first 1 year after the index procedure, mRS must be performed on that subject after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days after a stroke and the results must be reported to the Sponsor. The simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment.

6.3. Overview of Objectives and Endpoints

Table 6.3-1 provides an overview of the aforementioned study objectives and endpoints and a justification for the specific endpoints.

Table 6.3-1: Overview of Objectives and Endpoints

Objective	Endpoint	Rationale for Endpoint
Primary Endpoint		
Evaluate safety and effectiveness of the valve implant	1-Year Composite: all-cause mortality and all stroke	Critical safety events that are observed in the elderly population undergoing TAVR; assessments recommended by VARC ^{61,62} ; assess the long-term benefit (1 year) in a large elderly population. Events are adjudicated by an independent CEC.
Additional Measure	ments of Safety and Effectiveness	
Evaluate safety of the valve implant and the procedure	Safety measures at discharge, 30 days, and annually up to 10 years post index procedure	Safety assessments recommended by VARC ^{61,62} for this elderly population. Events are adjudicated by an independent CEC.
Evaluate effectiveness of the valve implant	Effectiveness measures at discharge, 30 days, and annually up to 10 years post index procedure	Effectiveness assessments recommended by VARC ^{61,62} for this elderly population. Events are adjudicated by an independent CEC.

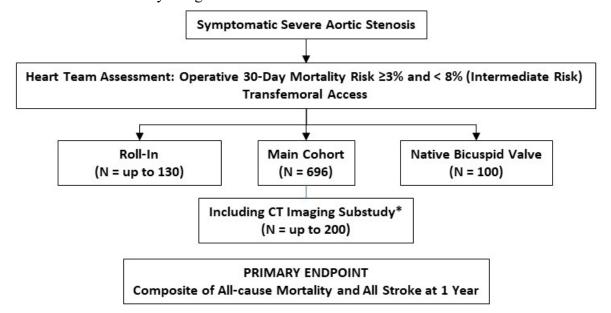
Abbreviations: CEC=Clinical Events Committee; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

7. Study Design

7.1. Scale and Duration

The REPRISE IV clinical study includes a prospective, multicenter, single-arm trial (Main Cohort; N=696) designed to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System when used with the Lotus[™] Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve[™] Introducer Set for TAVR in symptomatic subjects who have severe aortic stenosis and who are at intermediate risk for SAVR. There will be a roll-in phase (up to 130 subjects) for centers that do not have previous experience implanting the LOTUS *Edge* Valve. There will also be a single-arm nested registry cohort of subjects who have a bicuspid native valve to assess safety and effectiveness (Bicuspid Nested Registry; N=100). Selected centers with the ability to perform high quality 4D computed tomography (CT) scans will include up to 200 subjects from the Main Cohort in a CT Imaging Substudy to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. All subjects in these

centers will be approached for consent to participate in the CT study. If 200 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy by completion of enrollment in the main cohort, additional subjects who meet the REPRISE IV eligibility criteria will be enrolled in a separate CT Imaging Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy. **Figure 7.1-1** shows the study design.



^{*} Up to 200 subjects from the main cohort will be enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy. If 200 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy by completion of enrollment in the main cohort, additional subjects who meet the REPRISE IV eligibility criteria will be enrolled in a separate CT Imaging Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy.

Figure 7.1-1: REPRISE IV Study Design

All subjects implanted will be followed at baseline, peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, and then annually for up to 10 years post-procedure. Enrolled subjects who do not have a study device implanted will be assessed through 1 year post procedure for safety/adverse events.

The REPRISE IV study will be conducted in accordance with 21 CFR Parts 11, 50, and 54; the relevant parts of the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) Guidelines for Good Clinical Practices (GCP); the International Standard ISO 14155 Clinical Investigation of Medical Devices for Human Subjects – Good Clinical Practice; ethical principles that have their origins in the Declaration of Helsinki; and pertinent individual country/state/local laws and regulations. The study shall not begin until the required approval/favorable opinion from the Institutional Review Board/Human Research Ethics Committee (IRB/HREC) and/or regulatory authority has been obtained, if appropriate. See Section 10 below for additional information on study design and data collection.

The REPRISE IV study is registered at ClinicalTrials.gov (identifier NCT03618095).

7.2. Treatment Assignment

Screening materials from eligible subjects who are identified by the investigators as having met all the inclusion and none of the exclusion criteria (see below **Table 8.2-1** and **Table 8.3-1**, respectively) and who provide written informed consent will be reviewed by a Case Review Committee (CRC; see Section **21.2**) to assess and confirm suitability of subjects for enrollment. All subjects will have unique identification numbers.

Note 1: Subjects who have a bicuspid native valve will be enrolled in a separate nested registry cohort to assess safety and effectiveness. There will be a roll-in phase for centers that do not have previous experience implanting the LOTUS *Edge* Valve; each of these centers will perform at least 2 roll-in cases before commencing enrollment in the Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort.

Note 2: A roll-in subject cannot have a bicuspid aortic valve.

7.2.1. Treatment

See Section 5 for a detailed description of the test device and information on device sizes.

The test device is the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, which consists of a bioprosthetic bovine pericardial aortic valve and a delivery system. The large Lotus Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set (see Section **5.1.3**) is used as an accessory in the procedure. In countries where the introducer sets are approved, the commercial devices will be used. In countries where they are not approved, they will be considered investigational devices.

7.3. Justification for the Study Design

There will be up to 926 subjects in REPRISE IV. In order to support the stated objectives of this study (see Section 6.1) while also limiting the potential exposure of study subjects to risk, up to 130 subjects will be enrolled in the roll-in phase of this study (at centers without previous LOTUS *Edge* valve experience), 696 subjects will be enrolled in the Main Cohort, and 100 subjects will be enrolled in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort. Up to 65 centers in the United States and Australia will participate in the study. Safety and effectiveness results will be reported on all enrolled subjects (see Section 19 for information on safety reporting). In addition to the risk-benefit analysis noted in Section 4.2 (see also Section 18), ongoing dynamic data safety monitoring will be performed throughout the trial to minimize risk to subjects (see Section 21.1). All implanted subjects will be followed for up to 10 years post index procedure. Per society guidelines^{10,121} antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and/or a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is recommended after TAVR to decrease the risk of thrombotic or thromboembolic complications if there are no contraindications to these medications.

8. Subject Selection

8.1. Study Population and Eligibility

The study will include subjects presenting with symptomatic severe aortic stenosis who are considered at intermediate risk for surgical valve replacement, including those who have a bicuspid native valve. Prior to being eligible for the REPRISE IV study, a subject must meet all of the inclusion criteria (Section 8.2) and none of the exclusion criteria (Section 8.3).

8.2. Inclusion Criteria

Subjects who meet all criteria in **Table 8.2-1** may be given consideration for inclusion in this clinical investigation, provided no exclusion criterion (see **Table 8.3-1**) is met.

Table 8.2-1: REPRISE IV Inclusion Criteria

IC1. Subject has documented severe aortic stenosis defined as initial AVA ≤1.0 cm² (or AVA index of ≤0.6 cm²/m²) AND a mean pressure gradient ≥40 mm Hg OR maximal aortic valve velocity ≥4.0 m/s OR Doppler velocity index ≤0.25, as measured by echocardiography and/or invasive hemodynamics^{a,b}.

Note: In cases of low flow, low gradient aortic stenosis with left ventricular dysfunction (ejection fraction <50%), dobutamine can be used to assess the grade of aortic stenosis (maximum dobutamine dose of 20 mcg/kg/min recommended)^a; the subject may be enrolled if echocardiographic criteria are met with this augmentation.

- a: Nishimura RA, et al. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2014;63:e57–185 b: Leon M, et al. *J Am Coll Cardiol*. 2011;57: 253–69
- IC2. A subject in the Bicuspid Aortic Valve Nested Registry cohort must have a documented Sievers Type 0 or Sievers Type 1 bicuspid aortic valve based on CT assessment and confirmed by the CT core lab with hemodynamic parameters that meet the criteria in IC1.
- IC3. Subject has a documented aortic annulus size of \geq 20 mm and \leq 27 mm based on the center's assessment of pre-procedure diagnostic imaging (and confirmed by the CRC).
- IC4. Subject has symptomatic aortic valve stenosis per IC1definition above with NYHA Functional Class > II.
- IC5. Heart team (which must include an experienced cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon) agrees that the subject is at intermediate risk of operative mortality (≥3% and <8% at 30 days based on the Society of Thoracic Surgeons [STS] risk score and other clinical comorbidities unmeasured by the risk calculator) and TAVR is appropriate.
 - *Note:* Risk of operative mortality must be assessed via an in-person evaluation by a center cardiac surgeon and must be confirmed by the CRC (which must include an experienced cardiac surgeon).
- IC6. Heart team agrees that the subject is likely to benefit from valve replacement.
- IC7. Subject (or legal representative) has been informed of the study requirements and the treatment procedures and provides written informed consent.
- IC8. Subject, family member, and/or legal representative agree(s) and subject is capable of returning to the study hospital for all required scheduled follow up visits.
- IC9. Subject is expected to be able to take the protocol-required adjunctive pharmacologic therapy.

Table 8.2-1: REPRISE IV Inclusion Criteria

Abbreviations: AVA=aortic valve area; CRC=Case Review Committee; CT=computed tomography; NYHA=New York Heart Association; TAVR=transcatheter aortic valve replacement

8.3. Exclusion Criteria

Subjects who meet any one of the following criteria (**Table 8.3-1**) will be excluded from this clinical study.

Table 8.3-1: REPRISE IV Exclusion Criteria

- EC1. Subject has a unicuspid or bicuspid aortic valve (not applicable to subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort).
 - **Note:** Subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort will have a documented Sievers Type 0 or Sievers Type 1 bicuspid aortic valve based on CT assessment and confirmed by the CT core lab. Subjects are not eligible for inclusion in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort if the maximum diameter of the ascending aorta is >45 mm or if the subject has another indication for aortic root replacement. Subjects with a Sievers Type 2 bicuspid valve are not eligible for enrollment in any study cohort.
- EC2. Subject has had an acute myocardial infarction within 30 days prior to the index procedure (defined as Q-wave MI or non–Q-wave MI with total CK elevation ≥ twice normal in the presence of CK-MB elevation and/or troponin elevation).
- EC3. Subject has had a cerebrovascular accident or transient ischemic attack clinically confirmed by a neurologist or neuroimaging within the past 6 months prior to study enrollment.
- EC4. Subject is on renal replacement therapy or has eGFR <20 (based on hospital preferred method). See AEC1 below if subject is in the CT Imaging Substudy.
- EC5. Subject has a pre-existing prosthetic aortic or mitral valve.
- EC6. Subject has severe (4+) aortic, tricuspid, or mitral regurgitation.
- EC7. Subject has moderate or severe mitral stenosis (mitral valve area \leq 1.5 cm² and diastolic pressure half-time \geq 150 ms, Stage C or D¹²¹).
- EC8. Subject has a need for emergency surgery for any reason.
- EC9. Subject has a history of endocarditis within 6 months of index procedure or evidence of an active systemic infection or sepsis.
- EC10. Subject has echocardiographic evidence of new intra-cardiac vegetation or intraventricular or paravalvular thrombus requiring intervention.
- EC11. Subject has platelet count <50,000 cells/mm³ or >700,000 cells/mm³, or white blood cell count <1,000 cells/mm³.
- EC12. Subject will refuse transfusions or has had a gastrointestinal bleed requiring hospitalization or transfusion within the past 3 months or has other clinically significant bleeding diathesis or coagulopathy that would preclude treatment with required antiplatelet regimen.
- EC13. Subject has known hypersensitivity to contrast agents that cannot be adequately pre-medicated or has known hypersensitivity to aspirin, all P2Y₁₂ inhibitors, heparin, nickel, tantalum, titanium, or polyurethanes.

Table 8.3-1: REPRISE IV Exclusion Criteria

- EC14. Subject has a life expectancy of less than 24 months due to non-cardiac, comorbid conditions based on the assessment of the investigator at the time of enrollment.
- EC15. Subject has hypertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy.
- EC16. Subject has any therapeutic invasive cardiac or vascular procedure within 30 days prior to the index procedure (except for balloon aortic valvuloplasty or pacemaker or implantable cardioverter defibrillator implantation, which are allowed).
- EC17. Subject has multivessel coronary artery disease with a Syntax score >22, and/or unprotected left main coronary artery.
- EC18. Subject has severe left ventricular dysfunction with ejection fraction <20%.
- EC19. Subject is in cardiogenic shock or has hemodynamic instability requiring inotropic support or mechanical support devices.
- EC20. Subject has arterial access that is not acceptable for the study device delivery systems as defined in the device Instructions For Use.
- EC21. Subject has severe vascular disease that would preclude safe access (e.g., aneurysm with thrombus that cannot be crossed safely; marked tortuosity; significant narrowing of the abdominal aorta; severe unfolding of the thoracic aorta; or thick, protruding, and/or ulcerated atheroma in the aortic arch).
- EC22. Subject has current problems with substance abuse (e.g., alcohol, etc.) that may interfere with the subject's participation in this study.
- EC23. Subject is participating in another investigational drug or device study that has not reached its primary endpoint.
- EC24. Subject has untreated conduction system disorder (e.g., Type II second degree atrioventricular block) that in the opinion of the treating physician is clinically significant and requires a pacemaker implantation. Enrollment is permissible after permanent pacemaker implantation.
- EC25. Subject has severe incapacitating dementia.

Additional exclusion criteria apply to subjects considered for enrollment in the CT Imaging Substudy as listed below:

- AEC1. Subject has eGFR <30 mL/min (chronic kidney disease stage IV or stage V).
- AEC2. Subject has atrial fibrillation that cannot be rate controlled to ventricular response rate < 60 bpm.
- AEC3. Subject is expected to undergo chronic anticoagulation therapy after the index procedure.

 *Note: Subjects treated with short-term anticoagulation post procedure can be included in the imaging substudy; in these subjects the 30-day imaging will be performed 30 days after discontinuation of anticoagulation.

Abbreviations: CK=creatine kinase; CT=computed tomography; MI=myocardial infarction

9. Subject Accountability

9.1. Point of Enrollment

Subjects who are confirmed eligible for the study by the CRC (see Section 21.2) and who provided written informed consent are considered enrolled in the study as soon as an attempt is made to insert the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System into the subject's femoral artery.

9.2. Discontinuation of Study Intervention

If a LOTUS *Edge* valve test device is explanted during conventional scheduled or emergent surgical valve replacement or during an autopsy, if possible, the explanted valve should be assessed by the independent Histopathology Core Laboratory (Section **13.3.4**) for macroscopic and microscopic analyses. Please refer to the study Manual of Operations for recommendations on the explant procedure and shipment of the explanted valve.

Information on the explant procedure must be documented in source notes and captured in the Explant Form of the eCRFs.

9.3. Withdrawal

All subjects enrolled in the clinical study (including those withdrawn from the clinical study or lost to follow-up) shall be accounted for and documented. If a subject withdraws from the clinical investigation the reason(s) shall be reported. Reasons for withdrawal include but are not limited to physician discretion, subject choice to withdraw consent, or death. If such withdrawal is due to problems related to investigational device safety or performance, the investigator shall ask for the subject's permission to follow his/her status/condition outside of the clinical study.

While all efforts will be made to minimize attrition, subjects may withdraw from the study at any time, with or without reason, and without prejudice to further treatment. Withdrawn subjects will not undergo any additional study follow-up, nor will they be replaced. The reason for withdrawal will be recorded (if given) in all cases of withdrawal. The investigator may discontinue a subject from participation in the study if the investigator feels that the subject can no longer fully comply with the requirements of the study or if any of the study procedures are deemed potentially harmful to the subject. Data that have already been collected on withdrawn subjects will be retained and used for analysis, unless local regulations apply. No new data will be collected after withdrawal.

All applicable case report forms up to the point of subject withdrawal and an "End of Study" form for the subject must be completed. If the withdrawal is due to investigator discretion, the investigator should follow-up with the subject per standard of care. Information on determining if a subject is lost to follow-up can be found in Section 9.4.

9.4. Lost to Follow-Up

A subject will be considered "lost to follow-up" and terminated from the study when <u>all</u> of the following criteria have been met.

- Failure to complete 2 consecutive visits (or telephone follow-up as indicated in **Table 10.1-1**) without due cause (beginning with the 6-month and 1-year visits; i.e., subjects should not be considered lost to follow-up prior to the 1-year follow-up visit)
- Documentation of 3 unsuccessful attempts, one of which must be in written communication, by the Investigator or his/her designee to contact the subject or next of kin
- Notification from the Investigator to Sponsor reporting subject as lost to follow-up.

9.5. End-of-Study Definition

This clinical trial will be considered completed when subjects are no longer being examined or the last subject's last study visit as outlined in the data collection schedule (**Table 10.1-1**) has occurred. All subjects who receive a study device will be evaluated at discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first), 30 days, and annually up to 10 years post index procedure. Visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years and 10 years are office/in-person visits. Telephone follow-up is allowed at 6, 8, and 9 years. A subject's participation in the study will be considered complete after the 10-year visit. For subjects who do not receive a study device, participation in the study will be considered complete after the 1-year visit.

10. Study Methods

10.1. Data Collection

This section indicates the data needed to fulfill the objectives of this clinical study. Boston Scientific Corporation considers data collected from clinical trial subjects to be personal data (see definitions of different data categories in **Table 25.2-1**) and compliance with privacy and data protection laws and regulations (for example, the General Data Protection Regulation [GDPR]) to be critically important. Data collection for this clinical study has been carefully considered to comply with data privacy laws.

The study event schedule is shown diagrammatically in **Figure 10.1-1** and discussed in **Table 10.1-1** and Section **10.2** through Section **10.11**. The methods are based on VARC metrics^{61,62}, recommendations in the 2012 ACCF/AATS/SCAI/STS Expert Consensus Document on Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement¹⁰ and the 2014 AHA/ACC Guideline for the Management of Patients With Valvular Heart Disease¹²¹.

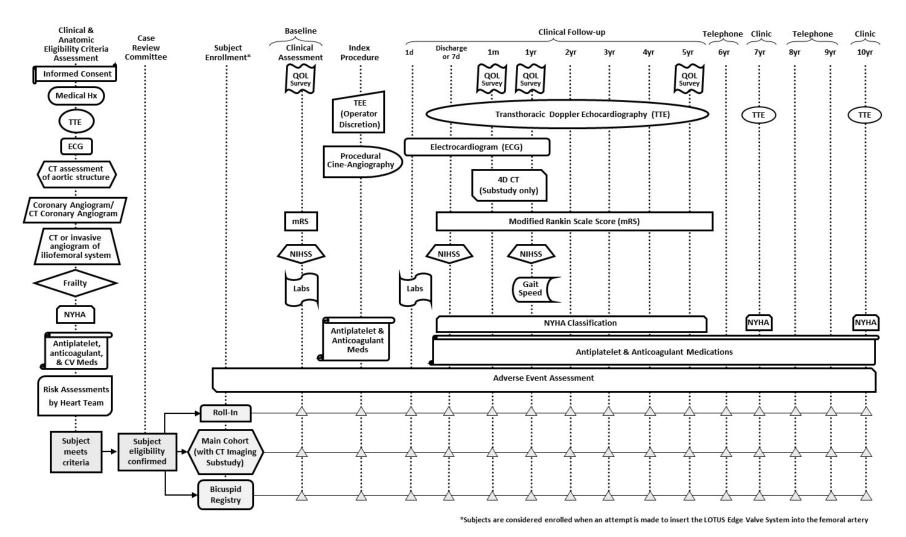


Figure 10.1-1: REPRISE IV Data Collection Scheme

Table 10.1-1: Study Event Schedule

Assessment	Screening ^a	Baseline	Procedure	Within 1 Day Post- procedure	Prior to Discharge or 7 Days Post- Procedure	30 Days ^b (±7 Days) Office Visit	12 Months ^b (±30 Days) Office Visit	24–60 Months ^b [Annual] (±45 Days) Office Visit	84 and 120 Months ^b (±60 Days) Office/In person Visit	72, 96, and 108 Months ^b (±60 Days) Telephone
Signed Informed Consent Form ^c	X	-	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	_
Demographics and medical history, including cardiac, neurological, renal (e.g., creatinine) and peripheral disease	X	_	-	-	-	ŀ	-	ŀ	-	_
NYHA Classification	X	_	-	_	X	X	X	X	X	_
NIHSS ^d	-	X	-	_	X	Ī	X	ı	-	_
Modified Rankin Scale ^d	-	X	-	_	X	X	X	X	-	_
12-lead ECG ^e	X	_	-	X	X	X	X	_	-	_
Laboratory tests ^f	-	X	-	X	-	-	-	_	-	_
Risk assessments ^g	X	_	-	_	-	Ī	-	ı	-	_
Frailty, disability and comorbidity ^h	X	=	_	_	_	=	X ^h	-	-	_
Antiplatelet and anticoagulant (if applicable) medications	X	_	X	_	X	X	X	X	X	X
Other CV medications	X	_		-	-	-	-	-	-	_
TTE ⁱ	X	_		-	X	X	X	X	X	_
TEE ^j	_	-	0	-	-	ï	-	ı	-	_
Coronary angiogram/CT coronary angiogram ^k	X	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_
CT angiogram of aortic structure ¹	X	_	_	-	_	X ^m	_	_	_	_
CT angiogram of iliofemoral system ⁿ	X	-	_	-	_	=	=	=	=	_
QOL surveys ^o	_	X	-	-	-	X	X	X^p	_	_

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Procedural cine-angiography (including post-deployment aortogram) ^q	_	-	X	_	_	_	_	_	-	-
AE and ADE assessments ^r	-	-	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-
Device deficiencies, SAE, SADE, UADE and CEC event assessments ^s	_	_	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
4D CT (Imaging Substudy only) ^t	_	-	-	-	-	X	X	-	-	_

Note 1: X = required; O = optional; – = not required; follow-up should be done by study personnel or as noted below.

- a: Screening materials for CRC review should be submitted electronically at least 5 days in advance of CRC review.
- b: All follow-up dates will be calculated from the date of the (attempted) index procedure. Where indicated, visits must be an office/clinical/in person visit but may be done in-hospital should the subject be admitted at the time. Subjects who are enrolled but do not receive a study device will be followed for 1 year to assess for safety but do not need to have protocol required TTE or ECG.
- c: Study-specific consent includes screening consent to perform required assessments that will be evaluated by the CRC to confirm subject eligibility. If the study Informed Consent Form is modified during the course of the study, study subjects will be re-consented as necessary.
 - Note 2: The subject should undergo the index procedure within 30 days after signing the study Informed Consent Form.
- d: NIHSS and mRS must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external certification for NIHSS; internal or external certification for mRS). The NIHSS and mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects). For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam, mRS, and NIHSS must be performed after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days after a stroke; the simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment. The neurological physical examination must be performed by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner who is independent of the study. If a subject who has not received a study device experiences a stroke within the first 1 year after the index procedure, mRS must be performed on that subject after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days after a stroke and the results must be reported to the Sponsor.
- e: All screening and post-procedure 12-lead ECGs must be performed according to the ECG Core Laboratory guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). If the subject is enrolled, the ECG must be provided to the Core Laboratory.
- f: Laboratory tests at baseline include CBC with platelets, albumin, serum creatinine, and cardiac enzymes. Cardiac enzymes (CK is required, CK-MB or troponin if CK is elevated) must be collected twice at intervals per standard of care within 6-24 hours post-procedure. Acute kidney injury (AKI) should be assessed through discharge/7 days based on the AKIN system.

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- g: Consists of STS score, euroSCORE II, and heart team assessment including an in-person evaluation by a center cardiac surgeon that must be confirmed by the CRC (which must include an experienced cardiac surgeon).
- h: Frailty, disability, and comorbidity risk assessments must be captured at screening: height, weight, strength and balance (use of wheelchair, gait speed to walk 5 meters, number of falls in the past 6 months, maximal grip strength), and activities of daily living (Katz Index); at 1 year, gait speed to walk 5 meters must be assessed again.
- i: Transthoracic echocardiogram (TTE) is required for all subjects who have a study valve implanted in the aortic position. This includes assessment of EOA, peak and mean aortic valve pressure gradients, peak aortic velocity, aortic regurgitation assessment, and LVEF. Screening TTE must be performed within 60 days prior to CRC approval. At least 1 echocardiogram must be obtained before discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first); if multiple echocardiographic studies are performed prior to discharge and within 7 days of the procedure, the latest study performed will be used for analysis. All TTEs must be performed according to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). If a subject does not receive an implanted study valve, then no follow-up TTE is required.
 - Note 3: In cases of low flow low gradient aortic stenosis with left ventricular dysfunction (ejection fraction <50%), dobutamine can be used to assess the grade of aortic stenosis; the subject may be enrolled if echocardiographic criteria are met with this augmentation. In cases where a subject who has met the echocardiographic criteria for enrollment receives BAV prior to the index procedure and subsequently no longer meets the REPRISE IV aortic valve pressure gradient or EOA criteria, the subject may still be enrolled based on the pre-BAV echocardiographic data. In such cases, the most recent echocardiogram done prior to the index procedure (even if after BAV) must be submitted to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory to be included in the baseline data.
- j: TEE can be performed at the discretion of the operator.
- k: A coronary angiogram/CT coronary angiogram must be performed within 365 days prior to CRC approval. If there is concern regarding the current extent of coronary artery disease or aortic stenosis, the CRC may recommend a repeat study closer to the time of enrollment.
- l: A CT angiogram of the aortic complex must be performed within 180 days prior to CRC approval (and should be performed within 90 days if possible) to evaluate the aortic valve anatomy and aortic root dimensions for device sizing. CT angiogram must be performed according to the CT/X-ray Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). It must be sent to the Core Laboratory for detailed measurements and analyses in advance of the CRC review where results will be assessed to confirm subject's eligibility.
- m: For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry Cohort, a computed tomography scan at 30 days post LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation. Please refer to the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). Results must be sent to the CT Core Laboratory.
- n: An assessment of the iliofemoral system must be performed within 180 days prior to CRC approval (and should be performed within 90 days if possible). A CT angiogram of the iliofemoral system should be performed for complete visualization of the iliac and femoral arteries to assess for dimensions, tortuosity, and calcification. The CT angiogram should be performed per the procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and sent to the CT

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Core Laboratory with the screening CT angiogram of the aortic structure. An iliofemoral invasive angiogram may be substituted for the iliofemoral CT angiogram.

- o: Includes the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 QOL questionnaires. Baseline QOLs should be performed within 30 days prior to the index procedure.
- p: QOL survey at 60 months.
- q: Procedural cine-angiogram including the baseline images of the aortic complex and the final post-deployment aortogram of the ascending aorta must be performed and sent to the CT/X-Ray Core Laboratory for analysis.
- r: AEs and ADEs will be monitored and collected from the time of enrollment through 12-month follow-up. For subjects who do not receive the study device, AEs will be monitored through 12-month follow-up.
- s: Information on device deficiencies for the test device(s) will be monitored and reported to Boston Scientific. Information on all SAEs, SADEs, UADEs, and CEC events will be monitored and reported to Boston Scientific for enrolled subjects from the time of enrollment through 5 years. After 5 years, serious adverse event assessment (includes SAE, SADE, UADE, and relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC [see *Note 4* below]) for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s) with associated treatment will be monitored and reported to Boston Scientific for enrolled subjects through termination of the study. For subjects who do not receive a study device, the aforementioned events will be monitored through 1-year post-index procedure. Please refer to Section 6.2.2 for a list of CEC events and Table 25.2-1 for definitions of these events, which specify data required for CEC adjudication. Complaint reporting of any device deficiencies for any commercially available products used should be carried out using the manufacturer's processes.
 - **Note 4:** Relevant VARC events after 5 years to be adjudicated by the CEC include the following: mortality, stroke, spontaneous myocardial infarction, acute kidney injury, repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction, hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA III or IV), new pacemaker, new onset atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter, prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning (valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment), TAV-in-TAV, prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis and endocarditis.
- t: For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, a 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1-year post LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation must be done. Please refer to the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). The data must be sent to the independent CT core laboratory.

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Abbreviations: AE=adverse event; ADE=adverse device effect; AKI=acute kidney injury; BAV=balloon aortic valvuloplasty; CBC=complete blood count; CEC=Clinical Events Committee; CK-MB=creatine kinase-myoglobin band; CRC=Case Review Committee; CT=computed tomography; CV=cardiovascular; ECG=electrocardiogram; EOA= effective orifice area; LDH=lactate dehydrogenase; LV=left ventricle; MRI=magnetic resonance imaging; mRS=modified Rankin Scale; NIHSS=National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale; NYHA=New York Heart Association; QOL=Quality of Life; SAE=serious adverse event; SADE=serious adverse device effect; STS=Society of Thoracic Surgery; TEE=transesophageal Doppler echocardiography; TTE=transthoracic Doppler echocardiography; UADE=unanticipated adverse device effect; VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

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10.2. Study Candidate Screening

Subjects will be evaluated for eligibility by the center heart team (which must include an experienced cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon). The heart team should take into account the Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS) score as well as other clinical comorbidities (including frailty) not accounted for in the risk calculation. Eligible subjects will have agreement from the heart team that the subject is at intermediate operative risk of mortality with SAVR (see **Table 8.2-1** for inclusion criteria). Risk of operative mortality and morbidity is to be assessed via an in-person evaluation by a center cardiac surgeon and must be confirmed by the CRC (which must include an experienced cardiac surgeon). The heart team must also agree that the subject is likely to benefit from valve replacement.

Clinical assessment and evaluation, collected tests and images (e.g., echocardiography, computerized tomography [CT], angiography) performed in preparation for TAVR, and any planned use of balloon aortic valvuloplasty (BAV) will be reviewed by the CRC (see Section 7.2 and Section 21.2). The CRC will be comprised of experienced cardiac surgeons, interventional cardiologists, and Sponsor staff proficient with the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System and will confirm subject eligibility for enrollment.

10.2.1. Strategies for Recruitment and Retention

The REPRISE IV study will include subjects presenting with documented severe native aortic valve stenosis who are indicated for TAVR (see Section 8). It is estimated that nearly 5% of elderly ≥75 years of age have aortic stenosis and its prevalence is expected to increase due to an aging population^{2,3}. Because aortic stenosis most commonly occurs in the very elderly, women are well represented in TAVR trials. Traditionally underrepresented populations (elderly and women) are expected to be included in the subject population as allowed by governing law/national regulation; as the very elderly will represent the majority of subjects enrolled in the trial, efforts to maximize retention are by definition targeted to traditionally under-represented groups. The inclusion and exclusion criteria are not expected to have a negative effect on recruitment or retention of said populations. In the United States, the subjects eligible for inclusion in this study are likely to be Medicare patients due to their expected age and the results of this study are likely to be highly generalizable to a Medicare population.

All efforts will be made to minimize attrition in REPRISE IV (see Section 9.4). Investigators are encouraged to enroll subjects who are willing to comply with the follow-up requirements of the study. If a visit is missed, the center should attempt to contact the subject to reschedule the missed visit and counsel the subject on the importance of maintaining the assigned visit schedule.

10.3. Subject Informed Consent

Informed consent (see Section 20) must be obtained from a potential subject prior to conducting any preoperative assessments that are not part of the local routine preparation and evaluation of a subject for TAVR, even if the subject's eligibility has not yet been completely determined.

The Investigator/designee, who has been trained on the protocol, will explain the nature and scope of the study, potential risks and benefits of participation, and answer questions for the subject. If the subject agrees to participate, the IRB/HREC-approved ICF must be signed and personally dated by the subject or his/her legally authorized representative. The Investigator/designee must also sign the ICF prior to subject enrollment. Any additional persons required by the center's IRB/HREC to sign the ICF must also comply. Study personnel should explain to the subject that even if the subject agrees to participate in the study and signs the ICF, the heart team and/or the CRC may determine that the subject is not a suitable candidate for the study and/or TAVR procedure.

If during the course of the preoperative evaluations, the subject is found not to be eligible for inclusion in the study, the subject should be notified. Reason for ineligibility will be accounted for as "screening failure" and will be documented as such in the eCRF screening module. If the subject has signed the ICF but is found not eligible for inclusion in the study prior to or during the procedure, the subject should receive the appropriate treatment as identified by the clinical investigator. Information regarding the screening failure will be captured on the screening module and subject will be included in the "screening cohort" accountability.

10.4. Screening Assessments

Results from the screening tests and procedures listed below must be submitted to the CRC (see Section 21.2) for evaluation to confirm a subject's eligibility for the study. Screening assessment documentation should be provided via electronic upload at least 5 days in advance of a scheduled CRC review or at least 5 days in advance of the planned procedure date. It is planned that CRC reviews will take place at least weekly or as needed to ensure timely review and confirmation of subject eligibility.

Note 1: It is recommended that predilatation be performed unless there is minimal calcification of the annulus and leaflets. Subjects in the bicuspid registry must have predilatation performed.

Note 2: Additional concomitant procedures, including percutaneous coronary intervention, are not allowed during the index procedure.

Centers will be trained on the screening process (see Section 16.4.2). Specific data points will be collected in the REPRISE IV electronic case report forms (eCRFs) as shown below.

- Clinical assessments
 - o Demographics including age and gender

- Medical history (general medical; cardiac [including previous cardiac surgery]; neurological, renal [including creatinine] and peripheral disease; and other medical conditions)
- o Physical examination including weight and height
- o NYHA classification
- o Current antiplatelet and other cardiovascular medications
- 12-lead electrocardiogram (ECG) at screening must be performed according to the ECG Core Laboratory guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and, if subject is enrolled, forwarded to the core laboratory for analysis
- Risk assessments: Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS) score, euroSCORE II, heart team assessment including an in-person evaluation by a center cardiac surgeon and any frailty assessments (detailed in next bullet).
- Frailty, disability, and comorbidity assessments (collected prospectively)^{122,123}
 - Body Mass Index from the physical exam
 - Strength and balance
 - Use of wheelchair
 - Gait speed as measured by a stopwatch for a subject to walk 5 meters (3 measures averaged)¹²³⁻¹²⁵
 - Number of falls in the past 6 months
 - Maximal grip strength (kg) in the dominant hand (3 measures averaged), using a hand-held dynamometer 126
 - Activities of daily living: Katz Index^{122,127} is based on an evaluation of the functional independence or dependence of a subject in bathing, dressing, going to toilet, transferring, continence, and feeding. A point is assigned for independence in each of the 6 functions, and 0 points if there is any dependence in these 6 categories.

• Imaging assessments

O Within 60 days prior to CRC approval, TTE (2-D, M-Mode, and color) must be carried out. The evaluation should include assessment of effective orifice area (EOA), peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, mitral regurgitation, LVEF, left ventricular end-diastolic and end-systolic diameter, tricuspid regurgitation (TR) jet velocity, and left atrial (LA) volume. The TTE must be performed according to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). For enrolled subjects, the TTE must be provided to the echocardiography core laboratory for independent analyses. In cases of low flow/low gradient aortic stenosis with left ventricular dysfunction (ejection fraction <50%), dobutamine can be used to assess the grade of aortic stenosis (maximum dobutamine dose of 20 mcg/kg/min recommended)¹²¹; the subject may be enrolled if echocardiographic criteria are met with this augmentation. In cases where a subject who has met the echocardiographic

criteria for enrollment receives BAV prior to the index procedure and subsequently no longer meets the REPRISE IV aortic valve pressure gradient or EOA criteria, the subject may still be enrolled based on the pre-BAV echocardiographic data. In such cases, the most recent echocardiogram done prior to the index procedure (even if after BAV) must be submitted to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory to be included in the baseline data.

- A coronary angiogram/CT coronary angiogram must be performed within 365 days prior to CRC approval. If there is concern regarding the current extent of coronary artery disease or aortic stenosis, the CRC may recommend a repeat study closer to the time of enrollment. An aortogram and hemodynamics including simultaneous ascending aorta and left ventricle pressure measurements should be performed.
- O A CT angiogram of the aortic complex must be performed 180 days prior to CRC approval (and should be performed within 90 days if possible) to evaluate the aortic valve anatomy and aortic root dimensions to determine eligibility and device sizing. It must meet the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and be provided in advance to the core laboratory for detailed measurements and independent analyses, which will be reviewed by the CRC to confirm a subject's eligibility.
- O An assessment of the iliofemoral system must be performed within 180 days prior to CRC approval (and should be performed within 90 days if possible). A CT angiogram of the iliofemoral system should be performed for complete visualization of the iliac and femoral arteries to assess for dimensions, tortuosity, and calcification. The CT angiogram of the iliofemoral system should be performed per the procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and provided to the CT Core Laboratory with the screening CT angiogram of the aortic structure for independent measurements and review by the CRC to confirm a subject's eligibility. An iliofemoral invasive angiogram may be substituted for the iliofemoral CT angiogram.

10.5. Baseline Assessments

The following assessments must be completed within 30 days prior to the index procedure, unless otherwise specified below. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

- Confirmation of CRC approval date
- NIH Stroke Scale (NIHSS), which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external certification); NIHSS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects)
- Modified Rankin Scale (mRS) score, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external or internal certification); mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects)

- Laboratory tests
 - o Complete blood count (CBC) with platelets
 - o Albumin
 - o Serum creatinine
 - o Cardiac enzymes (creatine kinase [CK] is required, CKMB or troponin if CK is elevated)
- Quality Of Life (QOL) Surveys: Kansas City Cardiomyopathy¹¹⁸ and SF-12¹¹⁹ QOL Questionnaires

Note: In cases where a subject who has met the echocardiographic criteria for enrollment receives BAV prior to the index procedure and subsequently no longer meets the REPRISE IV aortic valve pressure gradient or EOA criteria, the subject may still be enrolled based on the pre-BAV echocardiographic data. In such cases, the most recent echocardiogram done prior to the index procedure (even if after BAV) must be submitted to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory to be included in the baseline data.

10.6. Pre-procedure Medications

• Antiplatelet Therapy:

Per society guidelines 10,121 antiplatelet therapy is recommended to reduce the risk of thrombotic or thromboembolic complications if there are no contraindications to these medications. Study subjects must receive some antiplatelet therapy (aspirin and/or a $P2Y_{12}$ inhibitor) for at least 1 month following valve implant. A loading dose of the same antiplatelet medication (aspirin and/or a $P2Y_{12}$ inhibitor) is required for subjects who have not been on the antiplatelet therapy for ≥ 72 hours at the time of the index procedure (see below for recommended doses).

Aspirin Dose

The recommended loading dose of aspirin is 75–325 mg for subjects who have not been on aspirin therapy for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure. The loading dose must be administered prior to the implant procedure. Subjects who have been taking aspirin daily for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure do not require a loading dose of aspirin.

P2Y₁₂ Inhibitor Dose (Clopidogrel Recommended)

The recommended loading dose of a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is \geq 300 mg clopidogrel, 60 mg prasugrel, or 180 mg ticagrelor for subjects who have not been on P2Y₁₂ inhibitor therapy for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure. The loading dose must be administered prior to the implant procedure. Subjects who have been taking a P2Y₁₂

inhibitor daily for \geq 72 hours at the time of the index procedure do not require a loading dose of the P2Y₁₂ inhibitor.

Note: If a subject is treated with anticoagulation, either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor or aspirin is recommended prior to the implant procedure (but both aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor are not recommended).

- Anticoagulant therapy (e.g., unfractionated heparin) must be administered per local standard of care during the implant procedure, with a recommended target activated clotting time (ACT) of ≥250 seconds during the implantation procedure.
- Additionally, the subject should be given prophylactic antibiotic therapy according to local practice. The choice of antibiotic drug is left to the investigator's discretion.

10.7. Index Procedure

The preparation of the subject for the percutaneous procedure will be performed following standard techniques. Transfemoral access must be attempted for all subjects (assessment of the iliofemoral system prior to subject enrollment must indicate that transfemoral access is considered appropriate). If the transfemoral approach is unsuccessful, the operator will decide the best alternative approach to treat the subject.

Note 1: Additional concomitant procedures, including percutaneous coronary intervention, are not allowed during the index procedure.

Note 2: The subject should undergo the index procedure within 30 days after signing the study Informed Consent Form.

The large Lotus Introducer Set (Section **5.1.3**) or, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set (Section **5.1.3**) is prepared and introduced in the patient's femoral artery, as described in the iSleeve/Lotus Introducer IFUs. A balloon valvuloplasty on the existing valve following standard techniques may be performed with an appropriately sized valvuloplasty balloon (avoid oversizing) before implantation of the LOTUS *Edge* valve. Careful attention should be paid to the position of the guidewire throughout the BAV procedure. Prior to introduction of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, the subject's hemodynamic status and heart rhythm must be assessed and documented (12-lead ECG is not required). Information on the BAV, including number of inflations, should be documented in the source data and will be captured in the eCRFs.

Note 3: It is recommended that predilatation be performed unless there is minimal calcification of the annulus and leaflets; BAV must be performed in subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort.

Note 4: If the subject becomes hemodynamically unstable after the valvuloplasty for reasons unrelated to the aortic valve annulus and/or leaflets, the LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation should be interrupted until the subject is stable.

The LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation procedure requires two operators: First and Second Operators. Both operators must comply with the IFU and must be adequately trained and

certified by BSC personnel before performing the procedure (see Section 16.4.2**16.4.2** for additional information on training). Guidelines provided by the Sponsor for valve size selection should be followed.

The LOTUS *Edge* Valve System must be prepared in accordance with the IFU. Device preparation should only be performed by persons who have completed appropriate training with the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System.

Prior to insertion of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System catheter into the iSleeve/Lotus Introducer, the recommended target ACT of \geq 250 seconds should be confirmed, with additional boluses of heparin administered if needed.

The LOTUS *Edge* Valve System IFU should be followed. The following summarizes the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System procedure.

- 1) The LOTUS *Edge* delivery catheter is back-loaded onto a 0.035 in (0.89 mm) Super/Extra Stiff guidewire, maintaining proper guidewire positioning across the existing valve and into the ventricle.
- 2) The LOTUS *Edge* catheter is inserted in the iSleeve/Lotus Introducer and carefully advanced through the aorta and the aortic arch under fluoroscopy.
- 3) The catheter is then advanced slowly through the aortic annulus. The valve is then mechanically expanded and locked into the desired position.
- 4) Prior to the release of the LOTUS *Edge* valve, assessment of its position and function is performed using contrast injection and/or TEE.
- 5) If the position of the valve is deemed too aortic or too ventricular, the valve is then partially or completely resheathed inside the catheter, with a repositioning made by either pulling or pushing the catheter carefully, using the frame as a guide. The valve can then be re-expanded.
- 6) Once the LOTUS *Edge* valve position is deemed satisfactory and the valve is fully locked, the release process is then initiated, and the LOTUS *Edge* valve is detached from the catheter.
- 7) The nosecone is recaptured, and the system pulled out of the body.
- 8) A final post-deployment aortogram of the ascending aorta must be performed and forwarded to the core laboratory with the procedural cine-angiogram for analysis.
- 9) The iSleeve/Lotus Introducer is then removed.
- 10) The femoral access is then closed according to standard practice.

Labels from the devices used during the procedure (e.g., the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, iSleeve, Lotus Introducer) should be retained so that they can be included in the appropriate source documents and reported in the eCRFs.

During the procedure, designated center study personnel must capture necessary information on acute device/delivery system performance and procedure. The following information will be collected during the procedure.

- Date of procedure
- Device size (23mm, 25mm, or 27mm) and model
- Time of puncture (at site of TAVR sheath) and time of vascular closure for TAVR sheath (iSleeve/Lotus Introducer insertion and removal time)
- Descriptive information on balloon valvuloplasty, if performed (e.g., size of balloon, number of balloon inflations)
- Adjunctive procedures performed during implant procedure
- LOTUS Edge Valve System catheter insertion and removal time
- Descriptive information on LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation procedure and information on valve repositioning or retrieval (if performed)
- Adverse event (AE) assessment and associated treatment (including AE, serious adverse event [SAE], serious adverse device effect [SADE], unanticipated adverse device effect [UADE], adverse device effect [ADE] and Clinical Events Committee [CEC] events; see Section 19).
- Device deficiencies assessment for the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System

Note 5: All LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation procedures will be performed with the support/presence of trained BSC personnel (see Section **16.4.1**).

Note 6: In countries where the introducer sets are approved, a device deficiency should be reported as a complaint.

10.8. Post Index Procedure

The following are to be performed post-procedure.

- Per society guidelines^{10,121} antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and/or a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) is recommended to reduce the risk of thrombotic or thromboembolic complications if there are no contraindications to these medications. Study subjects must receive some antiplatelet therapy (aspirin and/or a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor) for at least 1 month following valve implantation. It is recommended that subjects be treated with both aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor for at least 1 month. Extended dual antiplatelet therapy may be administered per physician choice.
 - o After the valve implant procedure, aspirin (recommended dose of ≥75 mg daily) should be given for at least 1 month. It is recommended that daily aspirin be given indefinitely thereafter as per local standard of care. Aspirin dose may be adjusted to the closest approximation based on local tablet formulation availability.
 - After the valve implant procedure, a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is recommended for at least 1 month. Dosing should follow local standard of care.
 - o If a subject is treated with chronic anticoagulation, either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor or aspirin is recommended after the implant procedure in addition to the anticoagulant

therapy (but both aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor are not recommended). The subject should be treated with an oral anticoagulant (OAC) and either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) or aspirin for at least 1 month.

- Prophylactic antibiotic regimen should be completed as per local practice.
- Additional medications may be used at the investigator's discretion.
- It is recommended that the subject's heart rhythm be monitored using telemetry for at least 48 hours after the index procedure.
- 12-lead ECG must be completed within 24 hours post-procedure per the ECG core laboratory guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and must be forwarded to the core laboratory for analysis.
- Cardiac enzymes (CK is required, CK-MB or troponin if CK is elevated) must be collected twice within 6 to 24 hours post-procedure at intervals per local standard of care.

10.9. Prior to Discharge or 7 Days Post-Procedure (Whichever Comes First)

Subjects must be evaluated prior to discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first) based on the assessments below. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

- NYHA classification
- NIHSS, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external certification); NIHSS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects).
- Modified Rankin Scale score, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external or internal certification); mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects).
- 12-lead ECG per the ECG Core Laboratory guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and must be forwarded to the core laboratory for analysis.
- TTE, including assessment of EOA, peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, mitral regurgitation, LVEF, left ventricular enddiastolic and end-systolic diameter, TR jet velocity and LA volume, per the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). All TTEs for enrolled subjects must be provided to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory for independent analyses.

Note: For all subjects who have a transcatheter valve implanted in the aortic position during the index procedure at least 1 echocardiogram must be obtained before discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first); if multiple echocardiographic studies are performed prior to discharge and within 7 days of the procedure, the latest study

performed will be used for analysis. Subjects who do not receive a transcatheter valve during the index procedure are not required to have follow-up TTE.

- Current antiplatelet and anticoagulant (if applicable) medications
- Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE, and CEC events) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s), with associated treatment.

10.10. *Follow-up*

All implanted subjects will be evaluated at 30 days and then annually up to 10 years post index procedure. Subjects who do not have a study device implanted will be assessed through 1 year post index procedure for safety/adverse events. Physical clinic visits or in-person follow-up visits are scheduled for appointed times after the date of the procedure through 5 years and at 7 and 10 years. Telephone follow-up is allowed at 6, 8, and 9 years. It is important that this schedule be maintained as closely as possible for all subjects. Boston Scientific Corporation recognizes that subjects may not be able to return for all scheduled visits at precisely the date required, and therefore, a period of time in which each visit is allowed is indicated in **Table 10.1-1**. Visits/telephone follow-up not completed will be considered missed and recorded as protocol deviations. Visits/telephone follow-up completed outside these windows will be recorded as protocol deviations. Boston Scientific or its designee will review protocol deviations on a regular basis in accordance with applicable standard operating procedures.

Each follow-up must be performed as noted in **Table 10.1-1**. Data from the required tests and images as well as medical assessments will be recorded in source documentation and captured in the eCRFs. The determination of specified study endpoints and measurements such as valve function and CEC events will require data from images and tests as outlined in the event definitions in **Table 25.2-1**.

In the event that study personnel learn of a subject's hospitalization outside the study center, the center should make every effort to obtain copies of reports or results based on tests (e.g., echocardiogram) and/or procedures performed on the study subject.

Note 1: The follow-up visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years, and 10 years must be conducted in-person. If an in-person assessment cannot be performed, follow-up by telephone should be attempted. Subject or subject's physician should provide rationale for why the in-person assessment cannot be performed.

Note 2: A subject who has received a study valve should not be enrolled in a clinical trial of an investigational drug/device/treatment until the subject has reached the REPRISE IV primary endpoint (1 year).

10.10.1. 30-Day Follow-up (30±7 Days)

All enrolled subjects must be evaluated in person 30 (±7) days after the index procedure. During the 30-day follow-up visit, the following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

- NYHA classification
- Modified Rankin Scale score, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external or internal certification); mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects).
- 12-lead ECG per the ECG Core Laboratory guidelines (see study Manual of Operations), which must be forwarded to the core laboratory for analysis.
- Current antiplatelet, anticoagulant (if applicable) medications
- TTE including assessment of EOA, peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, mitral regurgitation, LVEF, left ventricular end-diastolic and end-systolic diameter, TR jet velocity and LA volume. TTE must be performed per the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). All TTEs for enrolled subjects must be provided to the Echocardiography Core Laboratory for independent analyses.

Note: TTE must be done for all subjects who have a transcatheter valve implanted in the aortic position during the index procedure. Subjects who do not receive a transcatheter valve during the index procedure are not required to have follow-up TTE.

- Quality of Life Surveys: Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 Quality of Life Questionnaires
 - *Note:* Quality of life will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy¹¹⁸ and SF-12¹¹⁹ questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. A formal health economics analysis may be completed if meaningful clinical results are obtained.
- Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE and CEC events) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s), with associated treatment
- For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort, a computed tomography scan at 30 days post LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation. The CT scan must be performed per the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and sent to the CT Core Laboratory for independent analyses.
- For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, assessment of prosthetic valve leaflet mobility using 4D CT must be performed per the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). All 4D CT scans for subjects enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy must be sent to the CT Core Laboratory for independent analyses.

Note: The CT scans will be read by the CT Core Laboratory and will not be provided to local investigators except as per below. Local reading should be done only for non-cardiac valve findings such as unexpected lung pathology. A study CT scan can be unblinded upon investigator request based on any of the following if the event occurs within 2 weeks of the study CT scan.

- Any neurological event
- o Any potential embolic event
- o Any MI (ST segment elevation MI or non-ST segment elevation MI)
- o Increase in aortic regurgitation to moderate or severe
- o A change in echocardiographic parameters including an increase in mean gradient of >10 mmHg or a change in Doppler velocity index (DVI) of >0.05.

If any of the above events occurs outside of the 2-week window around the study CT scan, the investigator must not be unblinded to the core laboratory assessment of the study CT scan and instead should perform a separate CT scan if clinically indicated. If an additional CT scan is performed for clinical indications, it should be sent to the CT Core Laboratory for analysis.

10.10.2. 12-Month Follow-up (365±30 Days)

All implanted subjects must be evaluated in person 365 (±30) days after the index procedure. During the 12-month follow-up, the following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

- Weight and height
- NYHA classification
- Modified Rankin Scale score, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external or internal certification); mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects).
- NIHSS, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external certification); NIHSS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects).
- Gait speed to walk 5 meters
- 12-lead ECG per the ECG Core Laboratory guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and must be forwarded for analysis
- Current antiplatelet and anticoagulant (if applicable) medications
- TTE including assessment of EOA, peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, mitral regurgitation, LVEF, left ventricular enddiastolic and end-systolic diameter, TR jet velocity and LA volume per the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). It must be provided to the core laboratory for independent analyses.

Note: TTE must be done for all subjects who have a transcatheter valve implanted in the aortic position during the index procedure. Subjects who do not receive a transcatheter valve during the index procedure are not required to have follow-up TTE.

- Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE and CEC events) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s), with associated treatment
- Quality of Life Surveys: Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 Quality of Life Ouestionnaires
 - *Note:* Quality of life will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. A formal health economics analysis may be completed if meaningful clinical results are obtained.
- For subjects enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy, assessment of prosthetic valve leaflet mobility using 4D CT must be performed per the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). The 4D CT scans done for the CT Imaging Substudy must be sent to the CT Core Laboratory for independent analyses.

 *Note: The CT scans will be read by the CT Core Laboratory and findings will not be provided to local investigators except as noted above. Local reading should be done only for non-cardiac valve findings such as unexpected lung pathology. A study CT scan can be unblinded upon investigator request based on the conditions described in Section 10.10.1 if the event occurs within 2 weeks of the study CT scan.

10.10.3. Annual Follow-up (±45 Days) to 5 Years

All implanted subjects must be evaluated in person at 24, 36, 48, and 60 months (2, 3, 4, and 5 years) after the index procedure, with a window of ±45 days. During the annual follow-up, the following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

- NYHA classification
- Modified Rankin Scale score, which must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external or internal certification); mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects).
- Current antiplatelet, anticoagulant (if applicable)
- TTE, including assessment of EOA, peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, mitral regurgitation, LVEF, left ventricular end-diastolic and end-systolic diameter, TR jet velocity, and LA volume, per the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines. All TTEs must be forwarded to the core laboratory for independent analyses.

Note: TTE must be done for all subjects who have a transcatheter valve implanted in the aortic position during the index procedure.

- Complete serious adverse event (SAE, SADE, UADE, and CEC events) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s) with associated treatment.
- Quality of Life Surveys: Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 Quality of Life Questionnaires at 5 years

Note: Quality of life will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. A formal health economics analysis may be completed if meaningful clinical results are obtained.

10.10.4. Follow-up (±60 Days) at 7 and 10 Years

All implanted subjects must be evaluated in person at 84 and 120 months (7 and 10 years) after the index procedure, with a window of ± 60 days. The following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

- NYHA classification
- Current antiplatelet, anticoagulant (if applicable)
- TTE, including assessment of effective orifice area, peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, peak aortic velocity, and LVEF per the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines. All TTEs must be forwarded to the core laboratory for independent analyses.
 - *Note:* TTE must be done for all subjects who have a transcatheter valve implanted in the aortic position during the index procedure.
- Serious adverse event (SAE, SADE, UADE, and relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s) with associated treatment.
 - *Note:* Relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC include the following: mortality, stroke, spontaneous myocardial infarction, acute kidney injury, repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction, hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA III or IV), new pacemaker, new onset atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter, prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning (valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment), TAV-in-TAV, prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis and endocarditis.

10.10.5. Follow-up (±60 Days) at 6, 8 and 9 Years

All implanted subjects must be evaluated at 72, 96, and 108 months (6, 8 and 9 years) after the index procedure, with a window of ± 60 days. This evaluation may be conducted by telephone. The following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.

• Current antiplatelet, anticoagulant (if applicable)

• Serious adverse event (SAE, SADE, UADE, and relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s) with associated treatment. Please see Section 10.10.4 for a list of relevant VARC events.

10.11. Study Completion

All subjects who receive a test device will be evaluated at discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first), 30 days, and then annually up to 10 years post index procedure. Visits in the first 5 years and at 7 and 10 years are office or in-person visits. Evaluations may be conducted by telephone at 6, 8 and 9 years. A subject's participation in the study will be considered complete after the 10-year visit. For subjects who do not receive a test device, participation in the study will be considered complete after the 1-year visit. Any ongoing adverse events after study completion should be managed per standard of care.

10.12. Source Documents

When available, original source documents (see **Table 25.2-1** for definition) should be maintained at the investigative center. In lieu of original source documents, certified copies are required to be maintained. A certified copy is a copy (irrespective of the type of media used) of the original record that has been verified (i.e., by a dated signature [PI or as delegated by the PI] or by generation through a validated process) to have the same information, including data that describe the context, content, and structure, as the original. Source documentation includes but is not limited to those items noted in **Table 10.12-1**.

Table 10.12-1: Source Documentation Requirements

Requirement	Disposition
Printed, optical, or electronic document containing source data. Examples may include but are not limited to hospital records, laboratory notes, device accountability records, photographic negatives, radiographs, records kept at the investigation center, at the laboratories and at the medico-technical departments involved in the clinical investigation.	Retain at center.

Note: Please see Table 25.2-1 for definitions of "source data" and "source document."

10.13. Local Laboratory/Vendor Documentation

Appropriate certifications and documentation records are required to be maintained at the investigative center for local laboratory/vendor work.

11. Statistical Considerations

11.1. Endpoints

11.1.1. Primary Endpoint

The primary endpoint is the composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year.

11.1.1.1 Statistical Hypothesis for the Primary Endpoint

The statistical hypothesis is that the rate of the primary endpoint (composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year) in the Main Cohort is less than the performance goal (PG) of 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%).

A one-sample z-test will be used to test the one-sided hypothesis that the 1-year primary endpoint rate for LOTUS *Edge* in the Main Cohort is less than the PG:

H₀: $P_{LOTUS Edge} \ge PG$ H₁: $P_{LOTUS Edge} < PG$

where PLOTUS *Edge* is the primary endpoint rate for the LOTUS *Edge* group and PG is the performance goal.

The primary analysis set for the primary endpoint is the intention-to-treat (ITT) analysis set (see Section 11.2.1). This endpoint will also be analyzed for the implanted analysis set.

11.1.1.2. Sample Size Parameters for the Primary Endpoint

The sample size calculation for the primary endpoint is based on the following assumptions.

- Expected rate for LOTUS *Edge* = 11.1%*
- Testing margin = 4.1% (37% relative to the expected rate)
- Performance goal (PG) = 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%)
- Test significance level (α) = 0.025 (1-sided)
- Power = 87.5%
- Number of evaluable subjects = 675
- Expected rate of attrition = 3%
- Total enrollment (evaluable Main Cohort) = 696 subjects
 - * Estimated pooled rate from the fixed effect model based on the TAVR arm data from PARTNER II $S3i^{32}$ and $SURTAVI^{34}$

11.1.1.3. Success Criteria – Primary Endpoint

If the P value from the one-sample z-test is <0.025, it will be concluded that the primary endpoint with the LOTUS Edge Valve System is less than the PG. This corresponds to the

one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound of the observed composite rate of all-cause mortality and all stroke in the Main Cohort at 1 year being < 15.2%.

11.1.1.4. Statistical Methods – Primary Endpoint

All subjects who are enrolled will be eligible for evaluation. Handling of dropouts and missing data will depend on their frequency and the nature of the outcome measure. Sensitivity analyses (e.g., tipping-point analysis) will be performed to assess the impact of subjects with inadequate follow-up (i.e., missing data) on the primary endpoint and to assess the robustness of the conclusion of the primary analysis. Statistical models that account for censored data will be employed in appropriate circumstances (e.g., for time-to-event outcomes). Suspected invalid data will be queried and corrected in the database prior to statistical analysis. Additional information may be found in the statistical analysis plan (SAP).

11.1.2. Baseline Comparability

Baseline data will be summarized separately for subjects in the Main Cohort, Roll-In Cohort, and Bicuspid Nested Registry Cohort. Subject demographics, clinical and neurological history, risk factors, and pre-procedure characteristics will be summarized using descriptive statistics (e.g., mean, standard deviation, n, minimum, maximum) for continuous variables and frequency tables or proportions for discrete variables. Procedural characteristics will be summarized similarly.

11.1.3. Post-procedure Measurements

Post-procedure information will be collected at regularly scheduled follow-up examinations as detailed in the clinical study schedule (see **Table 10.1-1**) and will be summarized using descriptive statistics for continuous variables (e.g., mean, standard deviation, n, minimum, maximum) and frequency tables or proportions for discrete variables. The Kaplan-Meier product-limit method will be used to estimate rates for time-to-event endpoints. Adverse event and SAE rates will be reported. No formal statistical testing will be done for the Roll-In Cohort or Bicuspid Nested Registry Cohort.

11.1.4. Subgroup Analyses

Primary and pre-specified additional endpoints will be summarized and compared for the following subgroups.

• Gender (male and female)

No adjustments for multiple comparisons will be made. Additional analyses may be performed as appropriate.

For the CT Imaging Substudy, data from the 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS *Edge* valve implantation to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility will be summarized and the relationship, if any, to clinical events will be explored.

11.2. General Statistical Methods

All statistical analyses will be performed using the SAS System software, version 9.2 or later (Copyright[©] 2000 SAS Institute Inc., SAS Campus Drive, Cary, North Carolina 27513, USA. All rights reserved).

All statistical analyses will be conducted according to applicable Standard Operating Procedures, Work Instructions, and the study-specific SAP.

11.2.1. Analysis Sets

The primary endpoint and additional measurements will be analyzed on an ITT and an implanted basis. For ITT analyses, all subjects who sign the IRB/HREC-approved study ICF (see Section 10.3) and are enrolled in the trial will be included in the analysis, whether or not a study valve was implanted. For implanted analyses, ITT subjects who had the study valve implanted will be included in the analysis.

For the Main Cohort, the primary endpoint will be analyzed for the ITT and implanted analysis sets. The primary analysis for the primary endpoints will be based on the ITT analysis set.

11.2.2. Control of Systematic Error/Bias

All subjects who have met the inclusion/exclusion criteria, received a positive recommendation from the CRC, and signed the ICF will be eligible for enrollment in the study. The center heart team's assessment of TTE measurements before device placement will contribute to the determination of subject eligibility for the study.

To control for inter-observer variability, data from independent core laboratories (see Section 13.3) will be used for analysis. These include an echocardiography core laboratory, a CT and procedural angiography core laboratory to assess all CT and procedural angiography data using standard techniques, and an electrocardiography core laboratory to independently analyze protocol-required 12-lead ECGs performed for each subject. Clinical endpoints will also be adjudicated by an independent CEC (Section 21.1.1).

11.2.3. Reporting Events

For all subjects, all events that occur from the time of enrollment will be reported. For time based clinical events, the cut-off for events for 30-day endpoints will be 30 days, for 1-year endpoints it will be 365 days, and for 2–10-year endpoints it will be 365 days times the number of years. For events at discharge or 7 days post-procedure, the cut-off for events will be the earlier of the date of discharge or 7 days post-procedure for each subject.

11.3. Data Analyses

Baseline and outcome variables will be summarized using descriptive statistics for continuous variables (mean, standard deviation, number of observations, minimum and

maximum) and discrete variables (percentage and count/sample). See Section 11.1 for a discussion on analysis of the primary endpoint and additional measurements.

11.3.1. Other Measurements

Other measurements not driven by statistical hypotheses are listed in Section 6.2.2.

11.3.2. Interim Analyses

No formal interim analyses are planned for the purpose of stopping this trial early for effectiveness or futility. Administrative analyses for regulatory agency review may be performed.

11.3.3. Justification of Pooling

All analyses will be performed using data pooled across clinical centers. An assessment of the poolability of subjects across centers will be made by fitting a logistic regression model with the primary composite endpoint of all death and all stroke and with the center as the main effect. If the P value for the coefficient for the center is ≥ 0.1 , the data can be pooled across centers. In the analysis to justify pooling across centers, the centers with fewer than 10 subjects enrolled will be combined into "virtual centers" based on geographic region so that "virtual centers" have ≥ 10 subjects, but no more than the largest enrolling center.

11.3.4. Multivariable Analyses

Univariate and multivariate analyses will be performed to assess the effect of potential predictors on the primary endpoint as described in the SAP.

11.3.5. Changes to Planned Analyses

Any changes to the planned statistical analyses made prior to performing the analyses will be documented in an amended SAP approved before performing the analyses. Changes from the planned statistical methods after performing the analyses will be documented in the clinical study report along with a reason for the deviation.

12. Health Economics Outcomes

A formal health economics analysis may be completed as part of this trial, provided meaningful clinical results are obtained. Quality of life will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy¹¹⁸ and SF-12¹¹⁹ questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. These inputs may be used in any health economics analysis performed.

13. Data Management

13.1. Data Collection, Processing, and Review

Subject data will be recorded in a limited access secure electronic data capture (EDC) system. Only personnel trained and authorized will have access to the system.

The clinical database will reside on a production server hosted by Medidata EDC System (New York, NY, USA). All changes made to the clinical data will be captured in an electronic audit trail and made available for review by BSC or its representative. The associated RAVE software and database have been designed to meet regulatory compliance for deployment as part of a validated system compliant with laws and regulations applicable to the conduct of clinical studies pertaining to the use of electronic records and signatures. Database backups are performed regularly.

The Investigator provides his/her electronic signature on the appropriate eCRFs in compliance with local regulations. A written signature on printouts of the eCRFs must also be provided if required by local regulation. Changes to data previously submitted to the Sponsor require a new electronic signature by the Investigator acknowledging and approving the changes.

Visual and/or electronic data review will be performed to identify possible data discrepancies. Manual and/or automatic queries will be created in the EDC system and will be issued to the center for appropriate response. Center staff will be responsible for resolving all queries in the database.

13.2. Data Retention

The Principal Investigator or his/her designee or investigational center will maintain all essential study documents and source documentation that support the data collected on the study subjects in compliance with applicable regulatory requirements. Documents must be retained for at least 2 years after the last approval of a marketing application or until at least 2 years have elapsed since the formal discontinuation of the clinical investigation of the product. These documents will be retained for a longer period of time by agreement with BSC or in compliance with other local regulations. It is BSC's responsibility to inform the Investigator when these documents no longer need to be maintained.

The Principal Investigator or his/her designee will take measures to ensure that these essential documents are not accidentally damaged or destroyed. If for any reason the Principal Investigator or his/her designee withdraws responsibility for maintaining these essential documents, custody must be transferred to an individual who will assume responsibility and BSC must receive written notification of this custodial change. Centers are required to inform BSC in writing where paper or electronic files are maintained in case files are stored off site and are not readily available.

13.3. Core Laboratories

13.3.1. Echocardiography Core Laboratory

An independent core laboratory will review echocardiography images from all centers and every subject enrolled in this study for qualitative and quantitative analysis. These analyses will minimize bias and inconsistencies by providing an independent interpretation of all measurements using standard techniques. The TTE procedure guideline is provided by the core laboratory in the study Manual of Operations.

13.3.2. CT and Angiography Core Laboratory

An independent core laboratory will centrally assess all of the CT and angiography data in this study to reduce variability. These analyses will minimize bias and inconsistencies by providing an independent interpretation of all measurements using standard techniques. Procedure guidelines are provided by the core laboratory in the study Manual of Operations.

13.3.3. Electrocardiography (ECG) Core Laboratory

All 12-lead ECGs performed at each of the required protocol visits will be sent to an ECG core laboratory (see study Manual of Operations) for independent analyses. These analyses will minimize bias and will provide consistent interpretation of the ECGs.

13.3.4. Histopathology Core Laboratory

If a LOTUS *Edge* valve is explanted during conventional scheduled or emergent surgical valve replacement or during an autopsy, please refer to the study Manual of Operations for recommendations on the explant procedure and shipment of the explanted valve for assessment by an independent histopathology laboratory.

14. Deviations

An Investigator must not make any changes or deviate from this protocol, except to protect the life and physical well-being of a subject in an emergency. An investigator shall notify the Sponsor and the reviewing IRB/HREC of any deviation from the investigational plan to protect the life or physical well-being of a subject in an emergency, and those deviations which affect the scientific integrity of the clinical investigation. Such notice shall be given as soon as possible, but no later than 5 working days after the emergency occurred, or per prevailing local requirements, if sooner than 5 working days.

All deviations from the investigational plan, with the reason for the deviation and the date of occurrence, must be documented and reported to the sponsor using the EDC CRF. Centers may also be required to report deviations to the IRB/HREC, per local guidelines and government regulations.

Deviations will be reviewed and evaluated on an ongoing basis and, as necessary, appropriate corrective and preventive actions (including IRB/HREC notification, center re-training, or center discontinuation/termination) will be put into place by the Sponsor.

15. Device Accountability

15.1. Device Accountability for Products Labelled Investigational

The investigational devices will be released by the Sponsor or designee to the clinical center only after the center has been initiated and all regulatory approvals as well as required documentation have been collected from the center.

The investigational devices shall be securely maintained and controlled and used only in this clinical study. Additionally, study personnel must follow the instructions related to the storage of the investigational devices as noted in the corresponding IFUs. An electronic interactive response technology (IRT) will be used for investigational device management and accountability during the study.

The Sponsor or designee shall keep records to document the physical location of all investigational devices from shipment of the investigational devices to the investigation centers until return or disposal. The IRT will be used to document reception of the investigational device at a center. Records shall be kept by authorized center study personnel to document the physical location and conditions of storage of all investigational devices. Centers must not dispose of any investigational devices for any reason at the center unless instructed to do so by BSC. Any investigational device that is disposed of at the center must be documented appropriately. Centers must document the reasons for any discrepancy noted in device accountability.

The Principal Investigator or an authorized designee shall keep records documenting the receipt, use, return, transfer, and disposal of the investigational devices, which shall include the following; this will be verified by personnel from BSC or its designee.

- Date of receipt at the center
- Identification of each investigational device (unique identifier or lot number/batch number/serial number, valve size)
- Expiry date, as applicable
- Date of use
- Subject identification
- Date on which the investigational device was returned/explanted from subject, if applicable
- Date of return and quantity of unused, expired, or malfunctioning investigational devices, if applicable.

Written procedures may be required by national regulations.

Once the Investigator and center are notified in writing by BSC that subject enrollment is complete, all unused investigational devices must be returned to BSC or its designee.

15.2. Commercial Device

For countries where the introducer sets are commercially available, appropriate information on the size and model will be collected.

16. Compliance

16.1. Statement of Compliance

The REPRISE IV study will be conducted in accordance with 21 CFR 814.20 Parts 11, 50, 54 56, and part 812 or 813; the relevant parts of the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) Guidelines for Good Clinical Practices (GCP) or the International Standard ISO 14155: Clinical Investigation of Medical Devices for Human Subjects – Good Clinical Practice; ethical principles that have their origins in the Declaration of Helsinki; and applicable individual country/state/local laws and regulations.

The study shall not begin until the required approval/favorable opinion from the IRB/HREC and/or regulatory authority has been obtained, if appropriate. Also, the study shall not begin prior to issuance of the center Authorization to Screen, as provided by the Sponsor. Any additional requirements imposed by the IRB/HREC or regulatory authority shall be followed, if appropriate.

16.2. Investigator Responsibilities

The Principal Investigator of an investigational center is responsible for ensuring that the study is conducted in accordance with the Clinical Study Agreement, the clinical investigation plan/protocol, ISO 14155 or ICH/GCP, ethical principles that have their origins in the Declaration of Helsinki, any conditions of approval imposed by the reviewing IRB/HREC, and prevailing local and/or country laws and/or regulations, whichever affords the greater protection to the subject.

The Principal Investigator's responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Prior to beginning the study, sign the Clinical Study Agreement and comply with the Investigator responsibilities as described in such Agreement.
- Prior to beginning the study, sign the Investigator Brochure Signature Page, Investigator Agreement and Protocol Signature page documenting his/her agreement to conduct the study in accordance with the protocol.
- Provide his/her qualifications and experience to assume responsibility for the proper conduct of the study and that of key members of the center team through up-to-date curriculum vitae or other relevant documentation and disclose potential conflicts of

interest, including financial, that may interfere with the conduct of the clinical study or interpretation of results.

- Complete all LOTUS *Edge* Valve System (investigational device) training requirements as detailed in the REPRISE IV Training Plan (Section **16.4.2**).
- Make no changes in or deviate from this protocol, except to protect the life and physical well-being of a subject in an emergency; document and explain any deviation from the approved protocol that occurred during the course of the clinical investigation.
- Create and maintain source documents throughout the clinical study and ensure their availability with direct access during monitoring visits or audits; ensure that all clinical-investigation-related records are retained per requirements.
- Ensure the accuracy, completeness, legibility, and timeliness of the data reported to the Sponsor in the CRFs and in all required reports.
- Record, report, and assess (seriousness and relationship to the device/procedure) every adverse event as applicable per the protocol and observed device deficiency.
- Report to BSC, per the protocol requirements, all SAEs and device deficiencies that could have led to a SADE and potential/USADE or UADE.
- Report to the IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities any SAEs and device deficiencies
 that could have led to a SADE and potential/USADE or UADE, if required by
 applicable laws or regulations or this protocol or by the IRB/HREC, and supply BSC
 with any additional requested information related to the safety reporting of a particular
 event.
- Maintain the device accountability records and control of the investigational device, ensuring that the investigational device is used only by authorized/designated users and in accordance with this protocol and instructions/directions for use.
- Allow the Sponsor and Sponsor representatives to perform monitoring and auditing
 activities and be accessible to the clinical research monitor or auditor and respond to
 questions during monitoring visits or audits.
- Allow and support regulatory authorities and the IRB/HREC when performing auditing activities.
- Ensure that informed consent is obtained in accordance with applicable laws, this protocol and local IRB/HREC requirements.
- Provide adequate medical care to a subject during and after a subject's participation in a clinical study in the case of adverse events, as described in the ICF.
- Inform the subject of the nature and possible cause of any adverse events experienced.
- Inform the subject of any new significant findings occurring during the clinical investigation, including the need for additional medical care that may be required.

- Provide the subject with well-defined procedures for possible emergency situations related to the clinical study, and make the necessary arrangements for emergency treatment, including decoding procedures for blinded/masked clinical investigations, as needed.
- Ensure that clinical medical records are clearly marked to indicate that the subject is enrolled in this clinical study.
- Ensure that, if appropriate, subjects enrolled in the clinical investigation are provided with some means of showing their participation in the clinical investigation, together with identification and compliance information for concomitant treatment measures (contact address and telephone numbers shall be provided).
- Inform, with the subject's approval or when required by national regulations, the subject's personal physician about the subject's participation in the clinical investigation.
- Make all reasonable efforts to ascertain the reason(s) for a subject's premature withdrawal from clinical investigation while fully respecting the subject's rights.
- Ensure that an adequate investigation center team and facilities exist and are maintained and documented during the clinical investigation.
- Ensure that maintenance and calibration of the equipment relevant for the assessment of the clinical investigation is appropriately performed and documented, where applicable.

16.2.1. Delegation of Responsibility

When specific tasks are delegated by an investigator, including but not limited to conducting the informed consent process, the Principal Investigator is responsible for providing appropriate training, so the delegate is competent to perform the tasks they have been delegated, and adequate supervision of those to whom tasks are delegated. Where there is a sub-investigator at a center, the sub-investigator should not be delegated the primary supervisory responsibility for the center. The investigator is accountable for regulatory violations resulting from failure to adequately supervise the conduct of the clinical study.

16.3. Institutional Review Board/Human Research Ethics Committee

The investigational center will obtain the written and dated approval/favorable opinion of their IRB/HREC for the clinical investigation before recruiting subjects and implementing all subsequent amendments, if required.

A copy of the written IRB/HREC approval of the protocol (or permission to conduct the study) and ICF, must be received by the Sponsor before recruitment of subjects into the study and shipment of investigational product. Prior approval must also be obtained for other materials related to subject recruitment or which will be provided to the subject.

If a protocol revision is necessary which affects the rights, safety or welfare of the subjects or scientific integrity of the data, an amendment is required. Any amendment to the protocol

will require review and approval by the IRB/HREC before the changes are implemented in the study. All changes to the ICF will be IRB/HREC approved; a determination will be made regarding whether a new ICF needs to be obtained from subjects who provided consent using a previously approved ICF. Annual IRB/HREC approval and renewals will be obtained throughout the duration of the study as required by applicable local/country laws or regulations or IRB/HREC requirements. Copies of the Investigator's reports and the IRB/HREC continuance of approval must be provided to the Sponsor.

16.4. Sponsor Responsibilities

All information and data sent to BSC and its authorized designee concerning subjects or their participation in this study will be considered confidential by BSC and will be kept confidential in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Only authorized BSC personnel, representatives, or designees will have access to these confidential records. Authorized regulatory personnel have the right to inspect and copy all records pertinent to this study. Study data collected during this study may be used by BSC for the purposes of this study, publication, and to support future research and/or other business purposes such as overseeing and improving the performance of its device, new medical research and proposals for developing new medical products or procedures. All data used in the analysis and reporting of this study or shared with a third-party researcher will be without identifiable reference to specific subjects.

Note: Boston Scientific may utilize a contract research organization (CRO) or other contractors to act as its representative for carrying out designated tasks.

Boston Scientific Corporation will keep subjects' health information confidential in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Information received during the study will not be used to market to subjects; subject names will not be placed on any mailing lists or sold to anyone for marketing purposes.

16.4.1. Role of Boston Scientific Corporation Representatives

Boston Scientific Corporation personnel (including field clinical engineers and specialists) who are trained in the use of the investigational device will provide technical support to the investigator and other health care personnel (collectively HCP) as needed during LOTUS *Edge* valve implant and testing required by the protocol. Boston Scientific Corporation is also responsible for ensuring investigators are trained on the investigational device(s). Support may include HCP training (see Section 16.4.2 below), addressing HCP questions, or providing clarifications to HCPs concerning the operation of BSC equipment/devices.

In addition, BSC personnel may perform certain activities to ensure study quality. These activities may include the following.

- Observing testing or medical procedures to provide information relevant to protocol compliance
- Reviewing collected data and study documentation for completeness and accuracy

Boston Scientific personnel will not do the following.

- Practice medicine
- Provide medical diagnosis or treatment to subjects
- Discuss a subject's condition or treatment with a subject without the approval and presence of the investigator
- Independently collect critical study data (defined as primary or secondary endpoint data)
- Enter data in electronic data capture systems or on paper case report forms

16.4.2. Training with the Investigational Device

The Sponsor is responsible for providing investigators with the information and training on the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System and iSleeve and Lotus Introducer Sets they need to conduct the study properly. The Sponsor is responsible for maintaining documentation of attendance at each of the training sessions provided.

Training on the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System has been developed that meets the requirements of ISO 5840-3 and includes the following elements.

- Device training to include a detailed description of all device components including a summary of the basic principle of operation and hands-on bench top demonstration using valve and delivery system components in a simulated implantation model.
- Patient selection and device sizing to include a review of the Instructions for Use (IFU) and pre-procedural and procedural imaging techniques to aid in sizing decisions and implantation of the valve.
- Implantation techniques to include a step-by-step review of the procedure (including alternative access, where applicable) while highlighting associated cautions and warnings from the IFU. Training should include video representation of implantation procedural steps and associated fluoroscopic images of each step. Clinical case reviews should be presented to demonstrate intended procedural steps as well as appropriate troubleshooting.
- Proctoring: The investigator and co-investigators as well as the scrub team will be proctored by an individual experienced with the LOTUS *Edge* valve and TAVR on a minimum of 5 implantation procedures. If the proctor or investigators (First Operator and Second Operator) are not satisfied that these initial proctored procedures are sufficient preparation, then subsequent proctoring sessions may be added as needed.

Note 1: If a physician has prior experience implanting the Lotus valve, he/she will be trained per above to the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System prior to re-starting first implants. Further, if the physician was considered proctor-free under the previous Lotus program, a proctor will not be required.

Note 2: For centers that do not have implantation experience with the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System, at least 2 roll-in cases will be performed before enrollment can commence in the Main Cohort or in the Bicuspid Nested Registry. For centers that do not have any previous experience implanting the Lotus valve, the roll-in subjects will be treated under the supervision of a proctor and will count towards the 5 required proctored cases. For centers with prior experience with the Lotus valve who are proctor-free, the roll-in subjects will not require the presence of a proctor.

16.5. Insurance

Where required by local/country regulation, proof and type of insurance coverage by BSC for subjects in the study will be obtained.

17. Monitoring

Monitoring will be performed during the study according to the monitoring plan to assess continued compliance with the protocol and applicable regulations. In addition, the clinical research monitor verifies that study records are adequately maintained, that data are reported in a satisfactory manner with respect to timeliness, adequacy, and accuracy, and that the Principal Investigator continues to have sufficient staff and facilities to conduct the study safely and effectively. The Principal Investigator/institution guarantees direct access to original source documents and/or certified copies (please see Section 10.12) by BSC personnel, their designees, and appropriate regulatory authorities.

The study may also be subject to a quality assurance audit by BSC or its designees, as well as inspection by appropriate regulatory authorities. It is important that the Principal Investigator and relevant study personnel are available during on-site monitoring visits or audits and that sufficient time is devoted to the process.

18. Potential Risks and Benefits

Risks to clinical subjects associated with their participation in this clinical investigation, arising from the clinical procedures set out in the study protocol, have been identified from prior studies conducted by Boston Scientific Corporation and review of relevant literature, most recently from the Edwards Lifesciences' Placement of Aortic Transcatheter Valves (PARTNER) trial^{8,20,22,23}, the PARTNER II trial (RCT and SAPIEN 3 intermediate risk arm)^{33,41,46}, the SAPIEN 3 CE Mark study⁷⁵, the CoreValve Extreme Risk study⁴⁷, the CoreValve High Risk Study²⁵, the Evolut R CE Mark study⁴⁸, the Surgical Replacement and Transcatheter Aortic Valve Implantation (SURTAVI) trial³⁴, the EVOLUT R US study⁴⁹, the PORTICO Pre-CE Mark study⁵⁰, and the PORTICO IDE randomized trial/RESOLVE registry/SAVORY registry⁴⁰.

Benefits to subjects anticipated to arise from the use of the investigational device have also been identified. These clinical risks and benefits are summarized below, with an assessment of the balance of risks and benefits to subjects. Potential risks and benefits have been included in the study-specific template of the ICF provided to the study centers (see Section 20).

18.1. Anticipated Adverse Events and Risks Associated with Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement

Adverse events (in alphabetical order) potentially associated with TAVR (including, but not limited to, standard cardiac catheterization, BAV, and the use of anesthesia) as well as additional risks related to the use of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System and the Lotus and iSleeve Introducer Sets include but may not be limited to the risks listed in **Table 18.1-1** below.

Table 18.1-1: Risks Associated with Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement

Abnormal lab values (including anemia and electrolytes)
Abnormal pressure gradient
Allergic reaction (including to medications, anesthesia, contrast, or device materials, including nickel, titanium, tantalum, bovine-derived materials or polyurethanes)
Aneurysm (cardiovascular)
Angina
Arrhythmia or new conduction system injury (including need for pacemaker insertion)
Bleeding or hemorrhage (possibly requiring transfusion or intervention)
Cardiac arrest
Cardiac failure/low cardiac output
Cerebrovascular accident, stroke, transient ischemic attack, or cerebral infarction including asymptomatic neuroimaging findings
Coronary obstruction
Death
Device embolization, misplacement or migration
Emboli (including air, tissue, thrombus or device materials)
Emergency cardiac surgery
Endocarditis
Fever
Heart failure
Hematoma or lymphatic problems or other complications at the access sites
Hemodynamic instability or shock
Hemolysis and/or hemolytic anemia
Hypertension/hypotension
Infection (local and/or systemic, including septicemia)
Inflammation
Mitral valve insufficiency or injury
Myocardial infarction or ischemia
Myocardial or valvular injury (including perforation or rupture)
Nerve injury or neurologic deficits (including encephalopathy)
Non-structural valve dysfunction including implant distortion, improper deployment or sizing
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Table 18.1-1: Risks Associated with Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement

Pain
Pericardial effusion or cardiac tamponade
Peripheral ischemia or infarction
Permanent disability
Pleural effusion
Pulmonary edema
Renal insufficiency or failure
Respiratory insufficiency or failure
Restenosis (including pannus formation)
Thrombosis/thromboembolism
Valve dysfunction, deterioration or failure
Valve-in-valve (need for additional valve within a valve)
Valve or device thrombosis
Valvular stenosis or regurgitation (central or paravalvular)
Vessel injury (including spasm, trauma, dissection, perforation, rupture, arteriovenous fistula, acute coronary occlusion, or pseudoaneurysm)
Wound healing disorders

Note: Risks are listed in alphabetical order.

As a result of these adverse events, the subject may require medical, percutaneous, or surgical intervention, including re-operation and replacement of the valve. These events may lead to fatal outcomes.

As the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System is an investigational device, uncertainty remains over risks of experiencing some or all of the complications listed above. There may be risks that are unknown at this time.

18.1.1. Hypoattenuated Leaflet Thickening/Reduced Leaflet Motion/Leaflet Thrombosis

Hypoattenuated leaflet thickening (HALT¹²⁸) and reduced leaflet motion (RLM¹²⁹) suggestive of subclinical leaflet thrombosis, as detected by high-resolution CT, has been reported with bioprosthetic TAVR and SAVR valves^{40,109,130,131}. It is less common among subjects receiving anticoagulant therapy and, in some cases, has been shown to resolve with such treatment^{40,109,110,130-133}.

Clinical signs of HALT and RLM include elevation of transvalvular gradients (as determined by echocardiography), central or peripheral thromboembolic events, and unexpected recurrence of heart failure. Computed tomography imaging is recommended to appropriately assess subjects with echocardiographic and/or clinical suspicion of leaflet thrombosis. Additional anticoagulant therapy may be indicated based on symptoms or signs and subject bleeding risk^{40,109,110,130-133}.

The subset of subjects undergoing 4D CT scans at 30 days and 1 year will be exposed to an additional radiation dose of about 20 millisieverts (mSv), which is equivalent to about 10 years' worth of natural background radiation. The contrast dye used during the image acquisition can cause medical problems such as allergic reactions and increase the risk of worsening kidney function or failure.

18.2. Risks Associated with the Study Device(s)

Overall, there are no incremental risks expected with the investigational device(s) compared to similar devices on the market.

18.3. Risks Associated with Participation in the Clinical Study

Risks associated with TAVR and participation in this clinical study are listed above in **Table 18.1-1**.

18.4. Possible Interactions with Concomitant Medical Treatments

Medications to be used in REPRISE IV constitute standard of care for TAVR as described in society guidelines^{10,121}. Please also see Section **10** for medications to be used in this study.

18.5. Risk Minimization Actions

Additional risks may exist. Risks can be minimized through compliance with this protocol, performing procedures in the appropriate hospital environment, adherence to subject selection criteria, close monitoring of the subject's physiologic status during research procedures and/or follow-ups and by promptly supplying BSC with all pertinent information required by this protocol.

Boston Scientific Corporation will employ measures throughout the course of this investigation consistent with the best practices and lessons learned from other ongoing TAVR trials and commercial use to minimize risk for subjects choosing to participate. All efforts will be made to minimize risks by selecting centers that are experienced and skilled in TAVR procedures.

Risk mitigation will be accomplished through the following actions.

- Clearly defining the inclusion/exclusion criteria to ensure only appropriate subjects are enrolled
- Confirmation of eligible subjects by a Case Review Committee, including experienced investigators in TAVR
- Ensuring that treatment and follow-up of the subject are consistent with current medical practices
- Selection of investigators who are experienced and skilled in TAVR procedures
- Completion of training and proctorship provided by the Sponsor

- Performing all procedures in accordance with the IFU, including the preparation of the valve and delivery system
- Dynamic safety review processes, including assessment by the Data Monitoring Committee (DMC, Section **21.1.2**) and CEC (Section **21.1.1**) adjudication of specified events as recommended by VARC^{61,62}.

In addition to its repositioning and self-centering features designed to facilitate optimal positioning, the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System provides physicians with control throughout the procedure by allowing them to pause, assess, lock, un-lock, incrementally reverse, resheathe and, if needed, retrieve the valve prior to final release. These features help the physician to do the following: place the valve correctly with the first attempt, reposition the device if the initial deployment is considered to be suboptimal, and retrieve the device if during the procedure the decision is made not to implant. The valve's outer seal is also designed to minimize paravalvular leakage.

Anticoagulation medication (e.g., heparin) will be administered during the procedure to reduce the risk of embolism and stroke. Additionally, post-procedure antiplatelet therapy is recommended to minimize any risk of thrombus formation, stroke, or transient ischemic attack. Neurological assessments (NIHSS and mRS) will be performed at each required follow-up visit to identify any change in the neurological status of the subjects as recommended by VARC^{61,62}.

Cardiac enzyme measurements as well as ECGs post-procedure will be performed to detect periprocedural MI.

Subjects will be carefully monitored during the procedure, hospitalization, and throughout the follow-up period. Serial echocardiograms and electrocardiograms will be used to evaluate valve and general cardiac function. Any abnormal rhythm will be assessed and, if needed, the implantation of a permanent pacemaker will be performed. Annual imaging will also be performed to assess for structural valve frame integrity.

Subjects who are converted to standard surgical aortic valve replacement will be carefully monitored in a method appropriate for their surgical procedure.

Data will be monitored as they are submitted to BSC. Qualified employees of BSC, or a designee under contract, will conduct monitoring visits at the initiation of the study and at interim intervals described in the monitoring plan throughout the course of the study to evaluate protocol compliance and determine if there are any issues that could affect the safety or welfare of any subject in the study.

18.6. Anticipated Benefits

18.6.1. Potential Benefits to the TAVR Procedure

Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) may offer certain advantages when compared to surgical replacement of the stenotic aortic valve. Known benefits associated

with TAVR, as described in the scientific literature (see summary in Section **4.1.1** of this document and details in the Investigator's Brochure), potentially include the following.

- Minimally invasive procedure and reduced risks related to open heart surgery
- Shorter stay in the intensive care unit and overall hospital stay
- Reduced blood loss
- More rapid recovery
- Reduced need for general anesthesia and associated risks

18.6.2. Potential Benefit Using the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System

Potential benefits that may be associated specifically with use of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System compared to other TAVR systems include the following.

- Pre-loaded delivery system minimizing time required and potential issues with preparing the device
- Accurate valve placement due to the ability to reposition the valve during deployment
- Device is minimally obstructive to the blood flow and maintains hemodynamic stability through the annulus during delivery because there is no balloon or other obstructive device required for deployment and due to early valve leaflet function
- Reduced need for post-dilation
- Reduced or obviated need for valve-in-valve repeat intervention
- Lower risk of ectopic valve placement and valve migration
- Reduced incidence of paravalvular aortic regurgitation due to the Adaptive Seal

18.7. Risk to Benefit Rationale

Review of the aforementioned clinical benefits versus risks takes into account the known risks/benefits that have been identified in the published literature on other TAVR devices. The estimation of risk also includes prior limited clinical experience with the Lotus Valve System including earlier generations of the device design. When used according to the IFU, all known risks associated with the TAVR procedure and the specific use of the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System are mitigated to acceptable limits comparable to existing TAVR devices. The design features of full repositioning and retrievability may improve TAVR procedural safety. The Adaptive Seal may provide long term benefit as it is designed to minimize paravalvular regurgitation, which has been associated with long term mortality in TAVR.

19. Safety Reporting

19.1. Reportable Events by Investigational Center to Boston Scientific

It is the responsibility of the investigator to assess and report to BSC any event that occurs in any of the following categories; reporting requirements are described below in **Table 19.4-1**.

- All serious adverse events
- All device-related adverse events
- All study procedure-related adverse events
- All investigational device deficiencies
- Unanticipated adverse device effects/unanticipated serious adverse device effects
- New findings/updates in relation to already reported events

When possible, the medical diagnosis should be reported as the Event Term instead of individual symptoms.

If it is unclear whether or not an event fits one of the above categories, or if the event cannot be isolated from the device or procedure, it should be submitted as an adverse event and/or device deficiency.

Any adverse event required by the protocol, experienced by the study subject after informed consent and once considered enrolled in the study (as defined in Section 9.1), whether during or subsequent to the procedure, must be recorded in the eCRF.

Underlying diseases are not reported as AEs unless there is an increase in severity or frequency during the course of the investigation. Death should not be recorded as an AE but should only be reflected as an outcome of ONE (1) specific SAE (see **Table 19.2-1** for AE definitions).

In-patient hospitalization is defined as the subject being admitted to the hospital, with the following exceptions.

- A hospitalization that is uncomplicated and elective/planned (i.e., planned prior to enrollment) does not have to be reported as an SAE.
- If complications or AEs occur during an elective/planned (i.e., planned prior to enrollment) hospitalization after enrollment, the complications and AEs must be reported as AEs or SAEs if they meet the protocol-specified definitions.

Event reporting (eCRF data entry) is required beginning from the time an attempt is made to insert the LOTUS *Edge* Valve System into the subject's femoral artery.

Refer to Section 18 for the known risks associated with the study devices.

Based on the VARC^{61,62} recommendations and definitions, the adverse events and/or safety endpoints requiring adjudication by the CEC include the following.

- Mortality: all-cause, cardiovascular, and non-cardiovascular
- Stroke: disabling and non-disabling
- Myocardial infarction (MI): periprocedural (≤72 hours post index procedure) and spontaneous (>72 hours post index procedure)
- Bleeding events: life-threatening (or disabling) and major (through 5 years)
- Acute kidney injury (≤7 days post index procedure): based on the AKIN System ^{111,112} Stage 3 (including renal replacement therapy) or Stage 2
- Vascular complications: major (including annular rupture; through 5 years)
- Repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction (surgical or interventional therapy)
- Hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA class III or IV)
- New permanent pacemaker implantation resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances
- New onset of atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter
- Coronary obstruction: periprocedural (\(\le 72\) hours post index procedure)
- Ventricular septal perforation: periprocedural (\(\le 72\) hours post index procedure)
- Mitral apparatus damage: periprocedural (\(\le 72\) hours post index procedure)
- Cardiac tamponade: periprocedural (\(\le 72\) hours post index procedure)
- Prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning, including valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment
- TAV-in-TAV deployment
- Prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis
- Prosthetic aortic valve endocarditis

Details on the CEC events and procedures are outlined in the CEC charter. Tests and images required to adjudicate these events are specified in the event definitions (see **Table 25.2-1**).

19.2. Definitions and Classification

Adverse event definitions are provided in **Table 19.2-1**. Administrative edits were made on the safety definitions from ISO 14155 and MEDDEV 2.7/3 for clarification purposes.

Table 19.2-1: Safety Definitions

Term	Definition
Adverse Event (AE) Ref: ISO 14155	Any untoward medical occurrence, unintended disease or injury, or any untoward clinical signs (including an abnormal laboratory finding) in subjects, users or other persons, whether or not related to the investigational medical device.

Table 19.2-1: Safety Definitions

Term	Definition
Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Note 1: This includes events related to the investigational medical device.
Rej. MEDDEV 2.7/3	Note 1: This includes events related to the investigational medical device. Note 2: This definition includes events related to the procedures involved. Note 3: For users or other persons, this definition is restricted to events related to the investigational medical device.
Adverse Device Effect (ADE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Adverse event related to the use of an investigational medical device <i>Note 1:</i> This includes any adverse event resulting from insufficiencies or inadequacies in the instructions for use, the deployment, the implantation, the installation, the operation, or any malfunction of the investigational medical device. *Note 2: This definition includes any event resulting from use error or intentional abnormal use of the investigational medical device.
Serious Adverse Event (SAE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	 Note 1: This definition meets the reporting objectives and requirements of ISO 14155 and MEDDEV 2.7/3. Adverse event that: a) Led to death, b) Led to serious deterioration in the health of the subject as defined by either: a life-threatening illness or injury, or a permanent impairment of a body structure or a body function, or in-patient hospitalization or prolongation of existing hospitalization, or medical or surgical intervention to prevent life-threatening illness or injury or permanent impairment to a body structure or a body function c) Led to fetal distress, fetal death, or a congenital abnormality or birth defect. Note 2: Planned hospitalization for a pre-existing condition, or a procedure required by the clinical investigational plan, without a serious deterioration in health, is not considered a serious adverse event.
Serious Adverse Device Effect (SADE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Adverse device effect that has resulted in any of the consequences characteristic of a serious adverse event.
Unanticipated Adverse Device Effect (UADE) Ref: 21 CFR Part 812	Any serious adverse effect on health or safety or any life-threatening problem or death caused by, or associated with, a device, if that effect, problem, or death was not previously identified in nature, severity, or degree of incidence in the investigational plan or application (including a supplementary plan or application), or any other unanticipated serious problem associated with a device that relates to the rights, safety, or welfare of subjects.
Unanticipated Serious Adverse Device Effect (USADE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Serious adverse device effect which by its nature, incidence, severity, or outcome has not been identified in the current version of the risk analysis report. Note: Anticipated serious adverse device effect (ASADE) is an effect which by its nature, incidence, severity or outcome has been identified in the risk analysis report.

Table 19.2-1: Safety Definitions

Term	Definition		
Device Deficiency	An inadequacy of an investigational medical device related to its identity, quality,		
Ref: ISO 14155	durability, reliability, safety or performance. This may include malfunctions, use		
Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	error, or inadequacy in the information supplied by the manufacturer.		

19.3. Relationship to Study Device(s)

The Investigator must assess the relationship of the reportable AE/SAE to the study device and procedure. See criteria in **Table 19.3-1**:

Table 19.3-1: Criteria for Assessing Relationship of Study Device and Procedure to Adverse Event

Classification	Description
Not Related	Relationship to the device or procedures can be excluded when:
Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	• the event is not a known side effect of the product category the device belongs to or of similar devices and procedures;
	 the event has no temporal relationship with the use of the investigational device or the procedures;
	 the serious event does not follow a known response pattern to the medical device (if the response pattern is previously known) and is biologically implausible;
	• the discontinuation of medical device application or the reduction of the level of activation/exposure - when clinically feasible – and reintroduction of its use (or increase of the level of activation/exposure), do not impact on the serious event;
	• the event involves a body-site or an organ not expected to be affected by the device or procedure;
	• the serious event can be attributed to another cause (e.g. an underlying or concurrent illness clinical condition, an effect of another device, drug, treatment or other risk factors);
	• the event does not depend on a false result given by the investigational device used for diagnosis, when applicable; harms to the subject are not clearly due to use error;
	• In order to establish the non-relatedness, not all the criteria listed above might be met at the same time, depending on the type of device/procedures and the serious event.
Possibly Related Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	The relationship with the use of the investigational device is weak but cannot be ruled out completely. Alternative causes are also possible (e.g. an underlying or concurrent illness/ clinical condition or/and an effect of another device, drug or treatment). Cases where relatedness cannot be assessed or no information has been obtained should also be classified as possible.

Table 19.3-1: Criteria for Assessing Relationship of Study Device and Procedure to Adverse Event

Classification	Description	
Probably Related Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	The relationship with the use of the investigational device seems relevant and/or the event cannot be reasonably explained by another cause, but additional information may be obtained.	
Causal Relationship Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	The serious event is associated with the investigational device or with procedures beyond reasonable doubt when:	
	the event is a known side effect of the product category the device belongs to or of similar devices and procedures;	
	the event has a temporal relationship with investigational device use/application or procedures;	
	the event involves a body-site or organ that:	
	- the investigational device or procedures are applied to;	
	- the investigational device or procedures have an effect on;	
	• the serious event follows a known response pattern to the medical device (if the response pattern is previously known);	
	• the discontinuation of medical device application (or reduction of the level of activation/exposure) and reintroduction of its use (or increase of the level of activation/exposure), impact on the serious event (when clinically feasible);	
	other possible causes (e.g. an underlying or concurrent illness/clinical condition or/and an effect of another device, drug or treatment) have been adequately ruled out;	
	harm to the subject is due to error in use;	
	• the event depends on a false result given by the investigational device used for diagnosis, when applicable;	
	• In order to establish the relatedness, not all the criteria listed above might be met at the same time, depending on the type of device/procedures and the serious event.	

19.4. Investigator Reporting Requirements

The communication requirements for reporting to BSC are as shown in Table 19.4-1.

Note: The "become aware date" for an event that requires reporting per the protocol is the date that study personnel listed on the Delegation of Authority Log identify or are notified of the event.

Table 19.4-1: Investigator Reporting Requirements

Event Classification	Communication Method	Communication Timeline (premarket studies)
		(MEDDEV 2.7/3: CLINICAL INVESTIGATIONS: SERIOUS ADVERSE EVENT REPORTING UNDER DIRECTIVES 90/385/EEC AND 93/42/EEC)
Unanticipated Adverse Device Effect / Unanticipated Serious Adverse Device Effect	Complete AE eCRF page with all available new and updated information.	 Within 1 business day of first becoming aware of the event. Terminating at the end of the study
(UADE/USADE)	Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/ pseudonymized) for reported event.	At request of Sponsor.
Serious Adverse Event (SAE)	Complete AE eCRF page with all available new and updated information.	Within 3 calendar days of first becoming aware of the event or as per local/regional regulations.
		Reporting required through the end of the study
	Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/ pseudonymized) for reported event.	At request of Sponsor
Serious Adverse Device Effects (SADE)	Complete AE eCRF page with all available new and updated information.	Within 3 calendar days of first becoming aware of the event or as per local/regional regulations.
, ,		Reporting required through the end of the study
	Provide all relevant source	When documentation is available
	documentation (de-identified/ pseudonymized) for reported event.	• At Sponsor request.
Device Deficiencies (including but not limited to failures, malfunctions, and product nonconformities) Note: Any	Complete eCRF page with all available new and updated information.	 Within 3 calendar days of first becoming aware of the event. Reporting required through 12 months
Investigational Device Deficiency that might		

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Event Classification	Communication Method	Communication Timeline (premarket studies) (MEDDEV 2.7/3: CLINICAL INVESTIGATIONS: SERIOUS ADVERSE EVENT REPORTING UNDER DIRECTIVES 90/385/EEC AND 93/42/EEC)
have led to a serious adverse event if a) suitable action had not been taken or b) intervention had not been made or c) if circumstances had been less fortunate is considered a reportable event.	Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/pseudonymized) for reported event.	• At request of Sponsor
Adverse Event including Adverse Device Effects (AE/ADE)	Complete AE eCRF page, which contains such information as date of AE, treatment of AE resolution, assessment of seriousness and relationship to the device.	 In a timely manner (e.g., recommend within 10 business days) after becoming aware of the information Reporting required through 12 months
	Provide all relevant source documentation (deidentified/pseudonymized) for reported event.	At request of Sponsor

Note: The AE eCRF page contains information such as date of AE, treatment of AE resolution, assessment of seriousness, and relationship to the device.

Please note that pre-market studies are clinical studies with investigational devices or with medical devices that bear the regulatory approval and are not being used for the same approved indications.

Abbreviations: AE=adverse event; eCRF=electronic case report form

19.5. Device Deficiencies

Complaint reporting of any device deficiencies for any commercially available products used should be carried out using the manufacturer's processes.

19.5.1. Boston Scientific Device Deficiencies

All device deficiencies (including but not limited to failures, malfunctions, use errors, product nonconformities, and inadequacy in the information supplied by the manufacturer) related to the investigational device or future iterations must be documented on the appropriate eCRF and reported to BSC. If possible, the device should be returned to BSC for analysis. Instructions for returning the investigational device will be provided in the study Manual of Operations. If it is not possible to return the device, the investigator should document why the device was not returned and the final disposition of the device. Device

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deficiencies, failures, and malfunctions should also be documented in the subject's medical record.

Device deficiencies and other device issues should not be reported as AEs. Instead, they should be reported on the appropriate eCRF. If an AE results from a device deficiency or other device issue, the AE must be reported on the appropriate eCRF.

Device deficiencies that did not lead to an AE but could have led to a SAE if a) suitable action had not been taken, or b) intervention had not been made, or c) circumstances had been less fortunate must be reported as described in **Table 19.4-1**.

19.6. Reporting to Regulatory Authorities / IRBs / HRECs / Investigators

Boston Scientific Corporation will notify all participating study centers if UADEs, SAEs, SADEs, or investigational device deficiencies occur which imply a possible increase in the anticipated risk of the procedure or use of the device or if the occurrence of certain SAEs/SADEs requires changes to the protocol or the conduct of the study in order to further minimize the unanticipated risks.

Boston Scientific Corporation is responsible for reporting adverse event information to all participating Principal Investigators, IRBs/HRECs, and regulatory authorities, as applicable according to local reporting requirements.

The Principal Investigator is responsible for informing the IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities of UADEs, SADEs, SAEs, Device Deficiencies and/or other CEC events as applicable according to local reporting requirements.

20. Informed Consent

Subject participation in this clinical study is voluntary. Informed Consent is required from each subject or his/her legally authorized representative. The Investigator is responsible for ensuring that Informed Consent is obtained prior to the use of any investigational devices, study-required procedures and/or testing, or data collection.

The obtaining and documentation of Informed Consent must be in accordance with the principles of the Declaration of Helsinki, the relevant parts of ISO 14155 and the ICH guidelines for GCP, any applicable national regulations, and local Ethics Committee and/or Regulatory authority body, as applicable. The ICF must be accepted by BSC or its delegate (e.g. CRO), and approved by the center's IRB/HREC, or central IRB/HREC, if applicable.

Boston Scientific Corporation will provide a study-specific template of the ICF to investigators participating in this study. The ICF template may be modified to meet the requirements of the investigative center's IRB/HREC. Any modification requires acceptance from BSC or authorized representative prior to use of the form. The ICF must be in a language understandable to the subject and if needed, BSC will assist the center in obtaining a written consent translation. Translated consent forms must also have IRB/HREC approval prior to their use. Privacy language shall be included in the body of the form or as a separate form as applicable.

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The process of obtaining Informed Consent shall at a minimum include the following steps, as well as any other steps required by applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines:

- be conducted by the Principal Investigator or designee authorized to conduct the process,
- include a description of all aspects of the clinical study that are relevant to the subject's decision to participate throughout the clinical study,
- avoid any coercion of or undue influence of subjects to participate,
- not waive or appear to waive subject's legal rights,
- use native language that is non-technical and understandable to the subject or his/her legal representative,
- provide ample time for the subject to consider participation and ask questions if necessary,
- ensure important new information is provided to new and existing subjects throughout the clinical study.

The ICF shall always be signed and personally dated by the subject or legal representative competent to sign the ICF under the applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines and by the investigator or an authorized designee responsible for conducting the informed consent process. If a legal representative signs the ICF, the subject shall be asked to provide informed consent for continued participation as soon as his/her medical condition allows. The original signed ICF will be retained by the center and a copy of the signed and dated document and any other written information must be given to the person signing the form.

Failure to obtain subject consent will be reported by BSC to the applicable regulatory body according to their requirements (e.g., the United States Food and Drug Administration [FDA] requirement is within 5 working days of learning of such an event). Any violations of the informed consent process must be reported as deviations to the Sponsor and local regulatory authorities (e.g. IRB/HREC), as appropriate.

If new information becomes available that can significantly affect a subject's future health and medical care, that information shall be provided to the affected subject(s) in written form via a revised ICF or, in some situations, enrolled subjects may be requested to sign and date an addendum to the ICF. In addition to new significant information during the course of a study, other situations may necessitate revision of the ICF, such as if there are amendments to the applicable laws, protocol, a change in Principal Investigator, administrative changes, or following annual review by the IRB/HREC. The new version of the ICF must be approved by the IRB/HREC. Boston Scientific Corporation approval is required if changes to the revised ICF are requested by the center's IRB/HREC. The IRB/HREC will determine the subject population to be re-consented.

Study personnel should explain that even if a subject agrees to participate in the study and signs an ICF, the heart team and/or the CRC may determine that the subject is not a suitable candidate for the study and/or TAVR procedure. A confidential Screening/Enrollment Log

will be maintained by the center to document select information about candidates who fail to meet the general or "other specific" entry criteria.

21. Committees

21.1. Safety Monitoring Process

To promote early detection of safety issues, the Clinical Events Committee (CEC) and Data Monitoring Committee (DMC; see below) will provide evaluations of safety events. Success of this program requires dynamic collection of unmonitored data as soon as the event is reported. This is expedited through the Sponsor or designee, which is responsible for coordinating the collection of information for the subject dossier from the centers and core laboratories. During regularly scheduled monitoring activities, clinical research monitors will support the dynamic reporting process through their review of source document and other data information. The BSC Medical Safety group includes physicians with expertise in cardiology and with the necessary therapeutic and subject matter expertise to evaluate and classify the events into the categories outlined above (Section 19).

21.1.1. Clinical Events Committee

A Clinical Events Committee (CEC) will be used in this study. A CEC is an independent group of individuals with pertinent expertise, including cardiovascular interventional therapy, cardiovascular surgery, and neurology, which reviews and adjudicates important endpoints and relevant adverse events reported by study investigators. The CEC will review a safety event dossier, which may include copies of subject source documents provided by study centers and adjudicate study endpoint related clinical events. The responsibilities, qualifications, membership, and committee procedures of the CEC are outlined in the CEC Charter.

21.1.2. Data Monitoring Committee

The Data Monitoring Committee (DMC) is responsible for the oversight review of all AEs. The DMC will include leading experts in cardiovascular interventional therapy, cardiovascular surgery, and biostatistics who are not participating in the study and who have no affiliation with BSC. During the course of the study, the DMC will review accumulating safety data to monitor the incidence of CEC events and other trends that would warrant modification or termination of the study. Responsibilities, qualifications, membership, and committee procedures are outlined in the DMC Charter.

21.2. Case Review Committee

A Case Review Committee (CRC) will be comprised of experienced cardiac surgeons and interventional cardiologists, including the Study Coordinating PIs, Center PIs, other Investigators, Proctors and Medical Consultants experienced in TAVR for their clinical/medical expertise, and the Sponsor for technical expertise on the LOTUS *Edge* Valve

System requirements. This committee will be responsible for the review of subject screening data to confirm eligibility given the increased surgical risk of the subject population being studied and to ensure consistency of subjects enrolled across study centers. Responsibilities, qualifications, membership, and committee procedures are outlined in the CRC Charter. Minutes are written for each CRC review session and the decisions are documented in these minutes and provided to the centers as appropriate.

21.3. Steering Committee

A Steering Committee consisting of Sponsor Clinical Management, the Study Coordinating PIs, cardiac surgeons, and other investigators experienced in TAVR will be convened. Responsibilities may include oversight of the overall conduct of the study with regard to protocol development, study progress, subject safety, overall data quality and integrity, as well as disseminating any study results through appropriate scientific sessions and publications. Steering Committee members may participate in the review and approval of all requests for data analysis, abstract and manuscript preparation and submission.

22. Suspension or Termination

22.1. Premature Termination of the Study

Boston Scientific Corporation reserves the right to terminate the study at any stage but intends to exercise this right only for valid scientific or administrative reasons and reasons related to protection of subjects. Investigators, associated IRBs/HRECs, and regulatory authorities, as applicable, will be notified in writing in the event of study termination.

22.1.1. Criteria for Premature Termination of the Study

Possible reasons for premature study termination include, but are not limited to, the following.

- The occurrence of unanticipated adverse device effects that present a significant or unreasonable risk to subjects enrolled in the study.
- An enrollment rate far below expectation that prejudices the conclusion of the study.
- A decision on the part of BSC to suspend or discontinue development of the device.

22.2. Termination of Study Participation by the Investigator or Withdrawal of IRB/HREC Approval

Any investigator or associated IRB/HREC in the REPRISE IV study or regulatory authority may discontinue participation in the study or withdraw approval of the study, respectively, with suitable written notice to BSC. Investigators, associated IRBs/HRECs, and regulatory authorities, as applicable, will be notified in writing in the event of these occurrences.

22.3. Requirements for Documentation and Subject Follow-up

In the event of premature study termination, a written statement as to why the premature termination has occurred will be provided to all participating centers by BSC. The IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities, as applicable, will be notified. Detailed information on how enrolled subjects will be managed thereafter will be provided.

In the event an IRB/HREC terminates participation in the study, participating investigators, associated IRBs/HRECs, and regulatory authorities, as applicable, will be notified in writing. Detailed information on how enrolled subjects will be managed thereafter will be provided by BSC.

In the event a Principal Investigator terminates participation in the study, study responsibility will be transferred to another investigator, if possible. In the event there are no opportunities to transfer Principal Investigator responsibility, detailed information on how enrolled subjects will be managed thereafter will be provided by BSC.

The Principal Investigator or his/her designee must return all study-related documents and investigational product to BSC, unless this action would jeopardize the rights, safety, or welfare of the subjects.

22.4. Criteria for Suspending/Terminating a Study Center

Boston Scientific Corporation reserves the right to stop the inclusion of subjects at a study center at any time after the study initiation visit if no subjects have been enrolled for a period beyond 4 months after center initiation, or if the center has multiple or severe protocol violations/noncompliance without justification and/or fails to follow remedial actions.

In the event of termination of center participation, all study devices and testing equipment, as applicable, will be returned to BSC unless this action would jeopardize the rights, safety or well-being of the subjects. The IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities, as applicable, will be notified. Study subjects will be contacted, as applicable, and be informed of changes to study visit schedule.

23. Publication Policy

Boston Scientific Corporation requires disclosure of its involvement as a sponsor or financial supporter in any publication or presentation relating to a BSC study or its results. Boston Scientific Corporation will submit study results for publication (regardless of study outcome) following the conclusion or termination of the study. Boston Scientific Corporation adheres to the Contributorship Criteria set forth in the Uniform Requirements of the International Committee of Medical Journal Editors (ICMJE; http://www.icmje.org). In order to ensure the public disclosure of study results in a timely manner, while maintaining an unbiased presentation of study outcomes, BSC personnel may assist authors and investigators in publication preparation provided the following guidelines are followed.

• All authorship and contributorship requirements as described above must be followed.

- BSC involvement in the publication preparation and the BSC Publication Policy should be discussed with the Coordinating Principal Investigator(s) and/or Steering Committee at the onset of the project.
- The First and Senior authors are the primary drivers of decisions regarding publication content, review, approval, and submission.

The data, analytic methods, and study materials for this clinical trial may be made available to other researchers in accordance with the Boston Scientific Data Sharing Policy (http://www.bostonscientific.com/en-US/data-sharing-requests.html).

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25. Abbreviations and Definitions

25.1. Abbreviations

Abbreviations are shown in **Table 25.1-1**.

Table 25.1-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
ADE	adverse device effect
AE	adverse event
AKIN	Acute Kidney Injury Network
AR	aortic regurgitation
AS	aortic stenosis
AV	atrioventricular
AVA	aortic valve area
AVR	aortic valve replacement
BARC	Bleeding Academic Research Consortium
BAV	balloon aortic valvuloplasty
BMI	body mass index
BSA	body surface area
BSC	Boston Scientific Corporation
CAD	coronary artery disease
CBC	complete blood count
CEC	Clinical Events Committee
CK	creatine kinase
CK-MB	creatine kinase-myoglobin band, a fraction of creatine kinase
CRC	Case Review Committee
CT	computed tomography
CVA	cerebrovascular accident
DVI	Doppler velocity index
ECG	electrocardiogram
eCRF	electronic case report form
EOA	effective orifice area
GCP	Good Clinical Practices
GDPR	General Data Protection Regulation
HALT	hypoattenuated leaflet thickening

Table 25.1-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
НСР	Health care personnel
HREC	Human Research Ethics Committee
IB	Investigator Brochure
ICF	Informed Consent form
ICH	International Conference on Harmonisation
iEOA	indexed effective orifice area
IFU	Instructions for Use
IRB	Institutional Review Board
IRT	Interactive Response Technology
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
ITT	intention-to-treat
LBBB	left bundle branch block
LV	left ventricle
LVEF	left ventricular ejection fraction
MACCE	major adverse cardiovascular and cerebrovascular events
MI	myocardial infarction
MRI	magnetic resonance imaging
mRS	Modified Rankin Scale
NIHSS	National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale
NYHA	New York Heart Association
OAC	oral anticoagulant
PPM	permanent pacemaker
QOL	quality of life
RLM	reduced leaflet motion
SADE	serious adverse device effect
SAE	serious adverse event
SAP	statistical analysis plan
SAVR	surgical aortic valve replacement
TAVI/TAVR	transcatheter aortic valve implantation/replacement
TEE	transesophageal Doppler echocardiography
TIA	transient ischemic attack
TTE	transthoracic Doppler echocardiography
UADE	unanticipated adverse device effect
URL	upper reference limit (defined as 99th percentile of normal reference range)
VARC	Valve Academic Research Consortium

25.2. Definitions

Terms are defined in **Table 25.2-1**. See **Table 25.1-1** for abbreviations.

Table 25.2-1: Definitions

Term	Definition		
ACUTE KIDNEY INJURY (AKI) (AKIN System ^{111,112})	 Change in serum creatinine (up to 7 days) compared to baseline: Stage 1: Increase in serum creatinine to 150–199% (1.5–1.99 × increase compared with baseline) OR increase of ≥0.3 mg/dl (≥26.4 mmol/L) Stage 2: Increase in serum creatinine to 200–299% (2.0–2.99 × increase compared with baseline) Stage 3: Increase in serum creatinine to ≥300% (>3 × increase compared with baseline) OR serum creatinine of ≥4.0 mg/dL (≥354 mmol/L) with an acute increase of at least 0.5 mg/dL (44 mmol/L) OR-Based on urine output (up to 7 days): Stage 1: <0.5 ml/kg per hour for >6 but <12 hours 		
	 Stage 2: <0.5 ml/kg per hour for >12 but <24 hours Stage 3: <0.3 ml/kg per hour for ≥24 hours or anuria for ≥12 hours Note: Subjects receiving renal replacement therapy are considered to meet Stage 3 criteria irrespective of other criteria. 		
ACUTE VESSEL OCCLUSION	The state of complete luminal obstruction with no antegrade blood flow		
ADVERSE EVENT (AE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Any untoward medical occurrence, unintended disease or injury or untoward clinical signs (including abnormal laboratory findings) in subjects, users or other persons, whether or not related to the investigational medical device. *Note: This definition includes events related to the investigational medical device or the comparator. *Note: This definition includes events related to the procedures involved. *Note: For users or other persons, this definition is restricted to events related to investigational medical devices.		
ADVERSE EVENT BECOME AWARE DATE	The become aware date for an adverse event that requires reporting per the protocol is the date that study personnel listed on the Delegation of Authority Log identify or are notified of the event.		
ADVERSE DEVICE EFFECT (ADE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Adverse event related to the use of an investigational medical device <i>Note:</i> This definition includes adverse events resulting from insufficient or inadequate instructions for use, deployment, implantation, installation, or operation, or any malfunction of the investigational medical device. <i>Note:</i> This definition includes any event resulting from use error or from intentional misuse of the investigational medical device.		
AORTIC DISSECTION	Intimal tear resulting in blood splitting the aortic media and producing a false lumen that can progress in an antegrade or retrograde direction Aortic dissection is further classified using Stanford classification (Types A and B depending on whether ascending or descending aorta involved) or DeBakey classification (Types I, II and III) [see Figure below].		

Table 25.2-1: Definitions

Term	Definition			
	I III Type A Type B			
AORTIC REGURGITATION (AR)	The leaking of the aortic valve that causes blood to flow in the reverse direction during ventricular diastole, from the aorta into the left ventricle. The echocardiographic findings in severe aortic regurgitation include the following. • An AR color jet dimension >60% of the left ventricular outflow tract diameter (may not be true if the jet is eccentric) • The pressure half-time of the regurgitant jet is <250 msec • Early termination of the mitral inflow (due to increase in LV pressure due to			
	 Early diastolic flow reversal in the descending aorta. Regurgitant volume >60 mL Regurgitant fraction >55% 			
ARRHYTHMIA	Any variation from the normal rhythm of the heartbeat, including sinus arrhythmia, premature beat, heart block, atrial fibrillation, atrial flutter and tachycardia. Complete heart block, ventricular tachycardia and ventricular fibrillation are considered major arrhythmias. Data should be collected on any new arrhythmia resulting in hemodynamic instability or requiring therapy (therapy includes electrical/medical cardioversion or initiation of a new medication [oral anticoagulation, rhythm or rate controlling therapy]). New onset atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter (AF) is diagnosed as any arrhythmia within hospitalization that has the ECG characteristics of AF and lasts sufficiently long to be recorded on a 12-lead ECG, or at least 30 seconds on a rhythm strip. The therapeutic approach to new-onset AF (spontaneous conversion, electrical or medical cardioversion, initiation of oral anticoagulation, and rate or rhythm control medications) and any clinical consequences should be documented. <i>Note:</i> See also definitions for conductance disturbance and permanent pacemaker.			
BLEEDING ^{61,62}	 Life-threatening or Disabling Bleeding Fatal bleeding (Bleeding Academic Research Consortium [BARC] type 5^{134,135}) Bleeding in a critical organ, such as intracranial, intraspinal, intraocular, or pericardial necessitating pericardiocentesis, or intramuscular with compartment syndrome (BARC type 3b and 3c) 			

Table 25.2-1: Definitions

Term	Definition
	Bleeding causing hypovolemic shock or severe hypotension requiring vasopressors or surgery (BARC type 3b)
	 Overt source of bleeding with drop in hemoglobin of ≥5 g/dL or whole blood or packed red blood cells (RBC) transfusion ≥4 units (BARC type 3b)*
	Major Bleeding (BARC type 3a)
	• Overt bleeding either associated with a drop in the hemoglobin level of at least 3.0g/dL or requiring transfusion of 2 or 3 units of whole blood/RBC, or causing hospitalization or permanent injury, or requiring surgery AND does not meet criteria of life-threatening or disabling bleeding
	Minor Bleeding (BARC type 2 or 3a, depending on the severity)
	• Any bleeding worthy of clinical mention (e.g., access site hematoma) that does not qualify as life-threatening, disabling, or major
	* Given one unit of packed RBC typically will raise blood hemoglobin concentration by 1 g/dL, an estimated decrease in hemoglobin will be calculated.
CARDIAC DECOMPENSATION	Inability of the heart to maintain adequate circulation
CARDIAC TAMPONADE	Evidence of a new pericardial effusion associated with hemodynamic instability and clearly related to the TAVR procedure. Clinical syndrome caused by the accumulation of fluid in the pericardial space, resulting in reduced ventricular filling and subsequent hemodynamic compromise.
CARDIOGENIC SHOCK	An insufficient forward cardiac output to maintain adequate perfusion of vital organs to meet ongoing demands for oxygenation and metabolism. Cardiogenic shock is due to either inadequate left ventricular pump function (such as in congestive heart failure) or inadequate left ventricular filling (such as in cardiac tamponade). Cardiogenic shock is defined as sustained hypotension (>30 minutes) with evidence of tissue hypoperfusion including oliguria (<30 mL/h), cool extremities, cyanosis, and altered mental status.
CEREBRAL INFARCTION	Evidence of brain cell death from imaging studies or pathological examination. If there are clinical symptoms, then it is a stroke; otherwise, it is an asymptomatic cerebral infarction.
CHRONIC RENAL INSUFFICIENCY	Subject has chronic impairment of kidney function.
CLINICAL PROCEDURAL SUCCESS (IN-HOSPITAL)	Implantation of the device in the absence of death, disabling stroke, major vascular complications, and life-threatening or major bleeding
CONDUCTION DISTURBANCES ^{61,62}	Implant-related new or worsened cardiac conduction disturbances include new or worsened first degree atrioventricular (AV) block, second degree AV block (Mobitz I or Mobitz II), third degree AV block, incomplete right bundle branch block (RBBB), RBBB, intraventricular conduction delay, left bundle branch block (LBBB), left anterior fascicular block, or left posterior fascicular block, including block requiring permanent pacemaker implant <i>Note:</i> High grade AV block is considered persistent if it is present every time the underlying rhythm is checked. <i>Note:</i> See also definitions for arrhythmia and permanent pacemaker.
CONVERSION TO OPEN SURGERY	Conversion to open sternotomy during the TAVR procedure secondary to any procedure-related complications

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CORONARY OBSTRUCTION	Angiographic or echocardiographic evidence of a new, partial or complete, obstruction of a coronary ostium, either by the valve prosthesis itself, the native leaflets, calcifications, or dissection, occurring during or after the TAVR procedure.
	Mechanical coronary artery obstruction following TAVR or surgical AVR that typically occurs during the index procedure. Possible mechanisms for mechanical coronary obstruction include the following.
	• Impingement of the coronary ostia by the valve support structure in the setting of suboptimal valve positioning and/or 'small aortic root' anatomy
	• Embolization from calcium, thrombus, air, or endocarditis displacement of native aortic valve leaflets towards the coronary ostia during TAVR
	• Suture-related kinking or obstruction or cannulation related obstruction of the coronary ostia associated with surgical AVR
	The diagnosis of TAVR-associated coronary obstruction can be determined by imaging studies (coronary angiography, intravascular ultrasound, multi-slice CT angiography, or echocardiography), surgical exploration, or autopsy findings. Cardiac biomarker elevations and ECG changes indicating new ischemia provide corroborative evidence.
DATA CATEGORIES	Data categories as defined by GDPR are listed below.
	Personal Data: GDPR defines "Personal Data" to be any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person ('data subject'); an identifiable natural person is one who can be identified, directly or indirectly, in particular by reference to an identifier such as a name, an identification number, location data, an online identifier or to one or more factors specific to the physical, physiological, genetic, mental, economic, cultural or social identity of that natural person. Sensitive Personal Data:
	GDPR defines "Sensitive Personal Data" as a subset of Personal Data, which, due to their nature have been classified as deserving additional privacy and security protections because their processing may create a risk for an individual's fundamental right and freedom. This subset includes but is not limited to the following: racial, ethnic origin or ethnicity; political opinions; religious or philosophical beliefs; trade union membership; genetic data; biometric data for the purpose of uniquely identifying a natural person; health data (including gender, family medical history, etc.); sex life or sexual orientation; criminal records or allegations of crimes (requires an even higher standard of protection). Identifiers:
	"Identifiers" are Personal Data that can be used alone or in combination with other identifiers to identify an individual. Identifiers include but are not limited to the following: • All government-issued identification numbers (including but not limited to
	names, social security number, certificate/license numbers, passport, national ID) • All financial account numbers (including but not limited to bank account
	 numbers, payment numbers, bank or credit card numbers) All geographic subdivisions smaller than a state, including street address, city, county, precinct, ZIP code, and their equivalent geocodes, except for the initial three digits of the ZIP code if, according to the current publicly

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	available data from the Bureau of the Census, the geographic unit formed by combining all ZIP codes with the same three initial digits contains more than 20,000 people and/or the initial three digits of a ZIP code for all such geographic units containing 20,000 or fewer people is changed to 000
	• All elements of dates (except year) for dates that are directly related to an individual, including birth date, admission date, discharge date, death date, and all ages over 89 and all elements of dates (including year) indicative of such age, except that such ages and elements may be aggregated into a single category of age 90 or older
	• Telephone numberS
	• Fax numbers
	 Device identifiers and serial numberS
	• E-mail addresses
	 Web Universal Resource Locators (URLs)
	• Internet Protocol (IP) addresseS
	Medical record numbers
	 Biometric identifiers, including finger and voice prints
	Health plan beneficiary numbers
	 Full-face photographs and any comparable images
	Any other unique identifying number, characteristic, or code (including subject ID number)
DEATH	All-cause Death
	Death from any cause after a valve intervention.
	Cardiovascular Death
	Any one of the following criteria is met.Any death due to proximate cardiac cause (e.g., myocardial infarction, cardiac
	tamponade, worsening heart failure)
	Sudden or unwitnessed death
	Death of unknown cause
	 Death caused by noncoronary vascular conditions such as neurological events, pulmonary embolism, ruptured aortic aneurysm, dissecting aneurysm, or other vascular disease
	• All procedure-related deaths, including those related to a complication of the procedure or treatment for a complication of the procedure
	• All valve-related deaths including structural or nonstructural valve dysfunction or other valve-related adverse events
	Non-cardiovascular Death
	• Any death in which the primary cause of death is clearly related to another condition (e.g. trauma, cancer, suicide)
DEVICE DEFICIENCY Ref: ISO 14155	Any inadequacy of an investigational medical device related to its identity, quality, durability, reliability, safety or performance.
Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Note: Device deficiencies may include malfunctions, use errors, or inadequacy in the information supplied by the manufacturer.
	A device failure is identified whenever the criteria for device success are not met.

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DEVICE MIGRATION	Device migration is defined as an upward or downward displacement of the implanted valve from its original implant location, after initial correct positioning within the aortic annulus from its initial position, with or without consequences. This can be confirmed by X-ray, echocardiography, CT scan or MRI or valve migration demonstrated by direct assessment during open heart surgery or at autopsy.
DEVICE RELATED COMPLICATIONS	Complications associated with the device as it relates to delivery, placement, efficacy or durability; these may involve the implanted device or the delivery system.
DEVICE SUCCESS (VARC 2 ⁷⁰ definition)	Absence of procedural mortality, correct positioning of a single valve into the proper anatomical location, and intended performance of the study device (indexed effective orifice area [iEOA] >0.85 cm²/m² for BMI <30 kg/cm² and iEOA >0.70 cm²/m² for BMI ≥30 kg/cm² plus either a mean aortic valve gradient <20 mmHg or a peak velocity <3m/sec, and no moderate or severe prosthetic valve aortic regurgitation).
ECTOPIC VALVE DEPLOYMENT	Permanent deployment of the valve prosthesis in a location other than the aortic root.
EMBOLISM	Examples include a free-flowing blood clot or lesion material that is located in the systemic or pulmonary circulation. Embolism may be manifested by a neurological event or a noncerebral embolic event.
ENCEPHALOPATHY	Altered mental state (e.g., seizures, delirium, confusion, hallucinations, dementia, coma, psychiatric episode, etc.)
ENDOCARDITIS	Infective endocarditis is diagnosed based on Duke criteria 136 and necessitates the following. Two major criteria -OR- One major and three minor criteria -OR- Five minor criteria Major Criteria Positive blood culture for infective endocarditis Typical microorganism consistent with infective endocarditis from 2 separate blood cultures, as noted below. Viridans streptococci, Streptococcus bovis, or HACEK group (Haemophilus [Haemophilus parainfluenzae, Haemophilus aphrophilus, and Haemophilus paraphrophilus], Actinobacillus actinomycetemcomitans [Aggregatibacter actinomycetemcomitans], Cardiobacterium hominis, Eikenella corrodens, Kingella kingae -OR- Community-acquired Staphylococcus aureus or enterococci, in the absence of a primary focus -OR- Microorganisms consistent with infective endocarditis from persistently positive blood cultures defined as noted below. Two (2) positive cultures of blood samples drawn >12 hours apart -OR- All of 3 or a majority of 4 separate cultures of blood (with first and last sample drawn 1 hour apart) Evidence of endocardial involvement
	o Positive echocardiogram for infective endocarditis defined as noted below.

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	 Oscillating intracardiac mass on valve or supporting structures, in the path of regurgitant jets, or on implanted material in the absence of an alternative anatomic explanation -OR- Abscess -OR-
	 New partial dehiscence of prosthetic valve
	 OR- New valvular regurgitation (worsening or changing of preexisting murmur not sufficient)
	Minor Criteria
	Predisposition: predisposing heart condition or intravenous drug use
	• Fever: temperature >38.0° C (100.4° F)
	Vascular phenomena: major arterial emboli, septic pulmonary infarcts, mycotic aneurysm, intracranial hemorrhage, conjunctival hemorrhages, and Janeway lesions
	• Immunologic phenomena: glomerulonephritis, Osler's nodes, Roth spots, and rheumatoid factor
	Microbiological evidence: positive blood culture but does not meet a major criterion as noted above or serological evidence of active infection with organism consistent with infective endocarditis
	• Echocardiographic findings: consistent with infective endocarditis but do not meet a major criterion as noted above
	Implanted valve endocarditis includes any infection involving an implanted valve. The diagnosis of operated valvular endocarditis is based on one of the following criteria.
	Fulfillment of the Duke endocarditis criteria as defined above
	 Evidence of abscess, paravalvular leak, pus, or vegetation confirmed as secondary to infection by histological or bacteriologic studies during a re- operation
	 Findings of abscess, pus, or vegetation involving a repaired or replaced valve during an autopsy.
EXPLANT	Removal of the investigational valve implant for any reason.
FRAILTY	Slowness, weakness, exhaustion, wasting and malnutrition, poor endurance and inactivity, loss of independence.
GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION	The General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) is a legal framework that sets guidelines for the collection and processing of personal information of individuals within the European Union.
HEMOLYSIS	Two plasma free hemoglobin values >40 mg/dL with the two readings taken within a single 48-hour period. If the second plasma free hemoglobin assessment is not performed within 48 hours following an initial determination of >40 mg/dL, this would qualify as an AE.
HOSTILE CHEST	Any of the following or other reasons that make redo operation through sternotomy or right anterior thoracotomy prohibitively hazardous:
	Abnormal chest wall anatomy due to severe kyphoscoliosis or other skeletal abnormalities (including thoracoplasty, Potts' disease)
	Complications from prior surgery
	Evidence of severe radiation damage (e.g. skin burns, bone destruction, muscle loss, lung fibrosis or esophageal stricture)

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	History of multiple recurrent pleural effusions causing internal adhesions
HYPO-ATTENUATED LEAFLET THICKENING (HALT) ¹²⁸	Hypo-attenuated leaflet thickening (HALT) is defined as visually identifiable increased leaflet thickness on contrast-enhanced multi-planar reformats, carefully aligned with the long and short axis of the valve prosthesis. The extent of HALT is classified as follows:
	MPR aligned with center of leaflet
	<25% 25-50% 50-75% >75% % leaflet involvement
	The dashed yellow line indicates the orientation of the long axis views in the lower row, aligned with the center of the cusps. The extent of leaflet thickening can be graded on a subjective 4-tier grading scale along the curvilinear orientation of the leaflet. Typically, hypo-attenuated leaflet thickening appears meniscal-shaped on long axis reformats, with greater thickness at the base than towards the center of the leaflet.
IMPLANTED ANALYSIS SET	This population includes all subjects who sign an Informed Consent Form, are enrolled in the trial, and are implanted with the assigned, randomized study device. Note: If a subject receives 2 valves, the subject is assigned to the group
	corresponding to the first valve received.
INTENT TO TREAT (ITT) ANALYSIS SET	This population includes all subjects who sign an Informed Consent Form, are enrolled in the trial, and are randomized, whether or not an assigned study device is implanted. Subjects in the ITT population will be followed with their ITT cohort. Note: If a subject receives 2 valves, the subject is assigned to the group corresponding to the first valve received.
INTERNAL MAMMARY ARTERY OR OTHER CRITICAL	A patent IMA graft that is adherent to the sternum such that injuring it during reoperation is likely. A patient may be considered extreme risk if any of the following are present:
CONDUIT(S) CROSSING MIDLINE AND/OR ADHERENT TO POSTERIOR	 The conduit(s) are radiographically indistinguishable from the posterior table of the sternum. The conduit(s) are radiographically distinguishable from the posterior table of the sternum but lie within 2-3mm of the posterior table.
TABLE OF STERNUM INTRACRANIAL HEMORRHAGE	Collection of blood between the brain and skull; subcategorized as epidural, subdural, and subarachnoid bleeds.

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 The appearance of typical complete LBBB in the three KEY leads (I, V1, and V6) with the following diagnostic criteria [see Figure below]. The heart rhythm must be supraventricular in origin QRS widening to at least 0.12 sec An upright (monophasic) QRS complex in leads I and V6; the QRS may be notched, but there should not be any q wave in either lead I or lead V6. A predominantly negative QRS complex in lead V1; there may or may not be 	
an initial small r wave in lead V1, that is, lead V1 may show either a QS or RS complex.	
Any of the following: • Child-Pugh class C • MELD score ≥10	
 Portal-caval, spleno-renal, or transjugular intrahepatic portal shunt Biopsy proven cirrhosis with portal hypertension or hepatocellular dysfunction 	
Angiographic or echocardiographic evidence of a new damage to the mitral valve apparatus (chordae papillary muscle, or leaflet) during or after the TAVR procedure.	
Periprocedural MI (≤72 hours after the index procedure)	
New ischemic symptoms (e.g., chest pain or shortness of breath) or new ischemic signs (e.g., ventricular arrhythmias, new or worsening heart failure, new ST-segment changes, hemodynamic instability, new pathological Q waves in at least two contiguous leads, or imaging evidence of new loss of viable myocardium or new wall motion abnormality) -AND-	
• Elevated cardiac biomarkers (preferably CK-MB) within 72 h after the index procedure, consisting of at least one sample post-procedure with a peak value exceeding 15× upper reference limit (troponin) or 5× for CK-MB. If cardiac biomarkers are increased at baseline (>99th percentile), a further increase of at least 50% post-procedure is required AND the peak value must exceed the previously stated limit.	
Spontaneous MI (>72 hours after the index procedure)	
 Any one of the following criteria applies. Detection of rise and/or fall of cardiac biomarkers (preferably troponin) with at least one value above the 99th percentile URL, together with evidence of myocardial ischemia with at least one of the following Symptoms of ischemia 	

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	 ECG changes indicative of new ischemia [new ST-T changes or new LBBB]
	New pathological Q waves in at least two contiguous leads
	 Imaging evidence of new loss of viable myocardium or new wall motion abnormality
	Sudden, unexpected cardiac death, involving cardiac arrest, often with
	symptoms suggestive of myocardial ischemia, and accompanied by
	presumably new ST-segment elevation, or new LBBB, and/or evidence of
	fresh thrombus by coronary angiography and/ or at autopsy, but death occurring before blood samples could be obtained, or at a time before the
	appearance of cardiac biomarkers in the blood.
	• Pathological findings of an acute myocardial infarction ¹³⁷ .
NEUROLOGICAL	Any central, new neurological deficit, whether temporary or permanent and
EVENT	whether focal or global, that occurs after the subject emerges from anesthesia
NEW YORK HEART	Classification system for defining cardiac disease and related functional
ASSOCIATION	limitations into four broad categorizations:
CLASSIFICATION (NYHA)	Class I Subject with cardiac disease but without resulting limitations of
	physical activity. Ordinary physical activity does not cause undue fatigue, palpitation, dyspnea, or anginal pain.
	Class II Subjects with cardiac disease resulting in slight limitation of
	physical activity. They are comfortable at rest. Ordinary physical
	activity results in fatigue, palpitation, dyspnea, or anginal pain.
	Class III Subjects with cardiac disease resulting in marked limitation of
	physical activity. They are comfortable at rest. Less than ordinary physical activity causes fatigue, palpitation, dyspnea, or
	anginal pain.
	Class IV Subjects with cardiac disease resulting in inability to carry on
	any physical activity without discomfort. Symptoms of cardiac
	insufficiency or of the anginal syndrome may be present even at rest. If any physical activity is undertaken, discomfort is
	increased.
NONSTRUCTURAL	Any abnormality not intrinsic to the valve itself that results in stenosis or
DYSFUNCTION	regurgitation of the operated valve or hemolysis. The term nonstructural
	dysfunction refers to problems (exclusive of thrombosis and infection) that do not
	directly involve valve components yet result in dysfunction of an operated valve, as diagnosed by re-operation, autopsy, or clinical investigation. Nonstructural
	dysfunction includes the following.
	• Entrapment by pannus, tissue, or suture
	Paravalvular leak
	Inappropriate sizing or positioning
	Residual leak or obstruction after valve implantation or repair
	Clinically important intravascular hemolytic anemia
	Development of aortic or pulmonic regurgitation as a result of technical errors
	Dilatation of the sinotubular junction Dilatation of the sinotubular junction
	• Dilatation of the valve annulus after either valve replacement with stentless prostheses, new onset of coronary ischemia from coronary ostial obstruction,
	or paravalvular aortic regurgitation
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OPERATIVE RISK	Operative risk is determined by a center cardiac surgeon and must be confirmed
	by the Case Review Committee (including a cardiac surgeon).
	Intermediate : Estimated 30-day risk of mortality is 3–10%
	High : Estimated 30-day risk of mortality is >10–15%%
	Very High : Estimated 30-day risk of mortality is >15%
	Extreme : Estimated 30-day risk of irreversible morbidity or mortality is ≥50%
PARAVALVULAR REGURGITATION	Leakage due to a separation of the prosthetic valve from the annulus. Any evidence of leakage of blood around the device. Diagnosis of paravalvular regurgitation may be obtained from TEE/TTE, however, definitive diagnosis is obtained at re-operation, explant, or autopsy.
PERMANENT PACEMAKER (PPM)	Implantation of new PPM after the index procedure resulting from new or worsened conduction disturbances
IMPLANTATION ¹²⁰	Procedure-related: PPM is implanted in subjects with new onset or worsened conduction disturbances occurring post index procedure
	Not related to procedure: PPM is implanted in subjects with known conduction disturbances that did not advance after the index procedure. Note: See also definitions for arrhythmia and conductance disturbance.
PORCELAIN AORTA	Heavy circumferential calcification of the entire ascending aorta extending to the arch such that aortic cross-clamping is not feasible
PROCEDURE RELATED COMPLICATIONS	Complications associated with any part of the vascular access procedure, associated treatments or necessary secondary interventions that do not necessarily involve the device. This includes morbidity associated with either premedication, or anesthesia, or other adjunct to the surgical procedure. Other technical errors including inappropriate subject selection, inappropriate operator techniques, measurements, or judgment that do not involve the device itself are also included.
PROCEDURE- RELATED EVENTS	Events occurring during or as a direct result of the index procedure.
REDUCED LEAFLET	Systolic leaflet excursion/motion is classified as:
MOBILITY/MOTION	Grade 0: normal/unrestricted;
(RLM) ¹²⁹	Grade 1: partially restricted – limited to base;
	Grade 2: mildly restricted – involving more than the base, but less than 50% of the leaflet along curvilinear dimensions;
	 Grade 3: moderately restricted – involving more than 50% but less than 75% of the leaflet along curvilinear dimensions;
	Grade 4: largely immobile. Quantitative assessment of leaflet motion is performed with a blood pool inversion volume rendered cine reconstruction throughout the cardiac cycle evaluating the bioprosthetic leaflets.
REPEAT PROCEDURE FOR VALVE- RELATED DYSFUNCTION	Any surgical or percutaneous interventional catheter procedure that repairs, otherwise alters or adjusts, or replaces a previously implanted valve. In addition to surgical re-operations, balloon dilatation, interventional manipulation, repositioning, or retrieval, and other catheter-based interventions for valve-related complications are also considered re-interventions. Cardiac re-interventions will be categorized as repeat TAVR, valvuloplasty, or surgical AVR.
REPOSITIONING OF A VALVE	Any movement of the valve after the lead in phase (after the posts have entered the buckles)

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RESHEATHING OF A VALVE	Full resheathing occurs when the tops of the posts re-enter the Lotus catheter during repositioning. Partial resheathing occurs when the posts do not re-enter the Lotus catheter
RESPIRATORY	during repositioning. Inadequate ventilation or oxygenation
INSUFFICIENCY RESPIRATORY FAILURE	The need for ventilatory support for >72 hours associated with an inability to wean from the respirator for any reason.
RIGHT VENTRICULAR INSUFFICIENCY	 Defined as sequelae of right ventricular failure including the following. Significantly decreased right ventricular systolic and/or diastolic function Tricuspid valvular regurgitation secondary to elevated pressure Clinical symptoms to include the following. Hepatic congestion Ascites Anasarca Presence of "hepato-jugular reflux" Edema Severe right ventricular dysfunction or severe pulmonary hypertension is primary or secondary pulmonary hypertension with PA systolic pressures greater than 2/3 of systemic pressure.
SAFETY ANALYSIS SET	This population includes all subjects in the ITT analysis set who have a study device implanted, regardless of the assigned treatment group.
SERIOUS ADVERSE EVENT (SAE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Adverse event that: • Led to a death • Led to serious deterioration in the health of the subject, that either resulted in: • a life-threatening illness or injury, or • a permanent impairment of a body structure or a body function, or • in-patient hospitalization or prolongation of existing hospitalization, or • medical or surgical intervention to prevent life- threatening illness • Led to fetal distress, fetal death or a congenital abnormality or birth defect *Note: Planned hospitalization for a pre-existing condition, or a procedure required by the protocol, without serious deterioration in health, is not considered a serious adverse event.
SERIOUS ADVERSE DEVICE EFFECT (SADE) Ref: ISO 14155 Ref: MEDDEV 2.7/3	Adverse device effect that has resulted in any of the consequences characteristic of a serious adverse event
SOURCE DATA (per ISO 14155)	All information in original records of clinical findings, observations, or other activities in a clinical investigation, necessary for the reconstruction and evaluation of the clinical investigation
SOURCE DOCUMENT (per ISO 14155)	Printed, optical or electronic document containing source data. Examples: hospital records, laboratory notes, device accountability records, photograhic negatives, radiographs, records kept at the investigation center, at the laboratories and at the medico-technical departments involveed in the clinical investigation.

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Tom	Note: If thermal paper from a device programmer is to be used for source documentation, signed and dated photocopies or printed portable document format files should be used instead or the strips should be electronically saved.
STROKE ^{61,62}	Stroke is defined as an acute episode of focal or global neurological dysfunction caused by brain, spinal cord, or retinal vascular injury as a result of hemorrhage or infarction.
	Stroke Classification
	 <u>Ischemic Stroke</u> is defined as an acute episode of focal cerebral, spinal, or retinal dysfunction caused by an infarction of central nervous system tissue. <u>Hemorrhagic Stroke</u> is defined as an acute episode of focal or global cerebral or spinal dysfunction caused by an intraparenchymal, intraventricular, or subarachnoid hemorrhage
	Note: The CEC will adjudicate ischemic versus hemorrhagic stroke.
	Note: A stroke may be classified as undetermined if there is insufficient information to allow categorization as ischemic or hemorrhagic
	 Stroke Diagnostic Criteria Rapid onset of a focal or global neurological deficit with at least one of the
	following: change in level of consciousness, hemiplegia, hemiparesis, numbness or sensory loss affecting one side of the body, dysphasia or aphasia, hemianopia, amaurosis fugax, or other neurological signs or symptoms consistent with stroke
	 Duration of a focal or global neurological deficit ≥24 h; OR <24 h, if available neuroimaging documents a new hemorrhage or infarct; OR the neurological deficit results in death
	 No other readily identifiable nonstroke cause for the clinical presentation (e.g., brain tumor, trauma, infection, hypoglycemia, peripheral lesion, pharmacological influences), to be determined by or in conjunction with
	designated neurologist
	• Confirmation of the diagnosis by at least one of the following.
	 Neurology or neurosurgical specialist Neuroimaging procedure (MRI or CT scan), but stroke may be diagnosed on clinical grounds alone
	<i>Note:</i> Subjects with non-focal global encephalopathy will not be reported as a stroke without unequivocal evidence based upon neuroimaging studies (CT scan or brain MRI).
	Stroke Definitions
	Diagnosis as above, preferably with positive neuroimaging study
	• Non-disabling: Modified Rankin Scale (mRS) score <2 at 90 days OR one that does not result in an increase of at least one mRS category from an individual's pre-stroke baseline
	 Disabling: Modified Rankin Scale score ≥2 at 90 days AND an increase of at least one mRS category from an individual's pre-stroke baseline Note: Modified Rankin Scale assessments should be made by a neurology professional or by qualified individuals according to a certification process.
	<i>Note:</i> Assessment of the mRS score should occur at all scheduled visits in a study; mRS also should be performed after a stroke and at 90 days after the onset of any stroke.

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TAV-IN-TAV DEPLOYMENT	An additional valve prosthesis is implanted within a previously implanted prosthesis because of suboptimal device position and/or function during or after the index procedure.			
TRANSIENT ISCHEMIC ATTACK	• Transient episode of focal neurological dysfunction caused by brain, spinal cord, or retinal ischemia, without acute infarction			
(TIA)	Duration of a focal or global neurological deficit is <24 h			
	Neuroimaging does not demonstrate a new hemorrhage or infarct (if performed) Note: The difference between TIA and ischemic stroke is the presence of tissue damage or new sensory-motor deficit persisting >24 hours. By definition, TIA does not produce lasting disability.			
UNANTICIPATED ADVERSE DEVICE EFFECT Ref: 21CFR Part 812 (UADE)	Any serious adverse effect on health or safety or any life-threatening problem or death caused by, or associated with a device, if that effect, problem, or death was not previously identified in nature, severity, or degree of incidence in the protocol or application (including a supplementary plan or application), or any other unanticipated serious problem associated with a device that relates to the rights, safety, or welfare of subjects.			
UNPLANNED USE OF CARDIOPUL- MONARY BYPASS	Unplanned use of cardiopulmonary bypass for hemodynamic support at any time during the TAVR procedure			
VALVE EMBOLIZATION	The valve prosthesis moves during or after deployment such that it loses contact with the aortic annulus.			
VALVE MALPOSITIONING	Includes valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment			
VALVE MIGRATION	After initial correct positioning the valve prosthesis moves upward or downward within the aortic annulus from its initial position, with or without consequences (e.g., regurgitation).			
VALVE-RELATED DYSFUNCTION	Mean aortic valve gradient ≥20 mmHg, EOA ≤0.9-1.1 cm², and/or DVI <0.35 AND/OR moderate or severe prosthetic valve aortic regurgitation (per VARC definition)			
VALVE-RELATED SYMPTOMS/CHF REQUIRING HOSPITALIZATION	The need for hospitalization associated with valve-related symptoms or worsening CHF (NYHA Class III or IV) is intended to serve as a basis for calculation of a "days alive outside the hospital" endpoint. Included are heart failure, angina, or syncope due to aortic valve disease requiring intervention or intensified medical management; clinical symptoms of CHF with objective signs including pulmonary edema, hypoperfusion, or documented volume overload AND administration of intravenous diuresis or inotropic therapy, performance of aortic valvuloplasty, institution of mechanical support (intra-aortic balloon pump or ventilation for pulmonary edema), or hemodialysis for volume overload; clear documentation of anginal symptoms AND no clinical evidence that angina was related to coronary artery disease or acute coronary syndrome; documented loss of consciousness not related to seizure or tachyarrhythmia.			
VALVE THROMBOSIS	Any thrombus attached to or near an implanted valve that occludes part of the blood flow path, interferes with valve function, or is sufficiently large to warrant treatment. Note that valve-associated thrombus identified at autopsy in a patient whose cause of death was not valve-related or at operation for an unrelated indication should not be reported as valve thrombosis.			

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VASCULAR ACCESS	Major Vascular Complications
SITE AND ACCESS RELATED	Any aortic dissection, aortic rupture, annulus rupture, left ventricle perforation, or new apical aneurysm/pseudoaneurysm
COMPLICATIONS	• Access site or access-related vascular injury (dissection, stenosis, perforation, rupture, arterio-venous fistula, pseudoaneurysm, hematoma, irreversible nerve injury, compartment syndrome, percutaneous closure device failure*) <i>leading to</i> death, life-threatening or major bleeding**, visceral ischaemia, or neurological impairment
	Distal embolization (non-cerebral) from a vascular source requiring surgery or resulting in amputation or irreversible end-organ damage
	• The use of unplanned endovascular or surgical intervention <i>associated</i> with death, major bleeding, visceral ischaemia or neurological impairment
	Any new ipsilateral lower extremity ischemia documented by patient symptoms, physical exam, and/or decreased or absent blood flow on lower extremity angiogram
	Surgery for access site-related nerve injury
	Permanent access site-related nerve injury
	Minor Vascular Complications
	• Access site or access-related vascular injury (dissection, stenosis, perforation, rupture, arterio-venous fistula, pseudoaneurysms, hematomas, percutaneous closure device failure*) not leading to death, life-threatening or major bleeding**, visceral ischaemia or neurological impairment
	Distal embolization treated with embolectomy and/or thrombectomy and not resulting in amputation or irreversible end-organ damage
	Any unplanned endovascular stenting or unplanned surgical intervention not meeting the criteria for a major vascular complication
	Vascular repair or the need for vascular repair (via surgery, ultrasound-guided compression, transcatheter embolization, or stent-graft)
	*Percutaneous Closure Device Failure
	Failure of a closure device to achieve hemostasis at the arteriotomy site leading to alternative treatment (other than manual compression or adjunctive endovascular ballooning)
	<i>Note:</i> Pre-planned surgical access or a planned endovascular approach to vascular closure (e.g., "pre-closure") ^{138,139} should be considered as part of the TAVR
	procedure and not as a complication, unless untoward clinical consequences are documented (e.g., bleeding complications, limb ischemia, distal embolization, or neurological impairment).
	Note: If unplanned percutaneous or surgical intervention does not lead to adverse outcomes this is not considered a major vascular complication.
	** Refers to VARC bleeding definitions ^{61,62}
VENTRICULAR SEPTAL PERFORATION	Angiographic or echocardiographic evidence of a new septal perforation during or after the TAVR procedure
VESSEL PERFORATION	Unexpected puncture of the vessel with evidence of extravasation into extraluminal surrounding tissue or space requiring treatment using interventional or surgical techniques

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Table 25.2-1: Definitions

Term Definition

Abbreviations: ADE=adverse device effect; AE=adverse event; AR=aortic regurgitation; AVA=aortic valve area; AVR= aortic valve replacement; CEC= Clinical Events Committee; CK= creatine kinase; CT=computed tomography; DVI=Doppler velocity index; ECG=electrocardiogram; EOA=effective orifice area; FEV= forced expiratory volume; GDPR= General Data Protection Regulation; LBBB=left bundle branch block; LV= left ventricle; MI=myocardial infarction; MRI=magnetic resonance imaging; NYHA=New York Heart Association; PPM=permanent pacemaker; RBC=red blood cell; SADE=serious adverse device effect; SAE=serious adverse event; TAV=transcatheter aortic valve; TAVR=transcatheter aortic valve replacement; TEE=transesophageal Doppler echocardiography; TIA=transient ischemic attack; URL=upper reference limit (defined as 99th percentile of normal reference range); VARC=Valve Academic Research Consortium

26. Revision History

26.1. Summary of Protocol Revision History

Protocol revision history is provided in **Table 26.1-1**.

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A	16-Nov-2016	90702637 Rev/Ver AG	-	Not applicable.			-
В	15-Feb-2017	90702637 Rev/Ver AG	Page 2	Current Version: 15-Feb-2017 Updated Table of Revision Hi			Updated for clarity
			2, Protocol Synopsis - Planned Number of	Subjects will be enrolled at up will be up to 840 subjects in R	REPRISE IV as shown below	States. There	Increase of number of subjects in the Bicuspid
			Subjects/ Investigational	Cohort	Number of Subjects		Nested Registry
			Centers/ Countries	Randomized Roll-In	620		
				Bicuspid Nested Registry	Up to 120		
			2, Protocol Synopsis – Exclusion Criteria	EC16. Subject has any therap a permanent implant that is pe procedure (unless part of plan coronary artery disease and ex cardioverter defibrillator impl	erformed within 30 days prior ned strategy for treatment of scept for pacemaker or impla antation which are allowed).	r to the index concomitant	Updated for clarity
				8.1 Scale and Duration	Updated Figure 8.1-1: REPRISE IV Study Design		Increase of number of subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry
			8.3 Study Design Justification	There will be up to 840 subjects in REPRISE IV. In order to support the stated objectives of this study (see Section 6) while also limiting the potential exposure of study subjects to risk, up to 120 subjects will be enrolled in the roll-in phase of this study (at centers without previous LOTUS Edge Valve experience), 620 subjects will be randomized and enrolled, and 100 subjects will be enrolled in the Bicuspid Nested Registry.		Increase of number of subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry	
				9.3 Exclusion Criteria	EC16. Subject has any therap a permanent implant that is pe procedure (unless part of plan coronary artery disease and ex cardioverter defibrillator impl	erformed within 30 days prior ned strategy for treatment of scept for pacemaker or impla	r to the index concomitant antable

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			11.1 Data Collection	Updated Figure 11.1-1: REPRISE IV Data Collection Scheme Updated Table 11.1-1: Study Event Schedule	Updated for clarity and to include CT assessment at 30 days for subjects enrolled in the Bicuspid Nested Registry. Increase of number of subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry
			11.10.1 30-Day Follow-up (30±7 Days)	 All enrolled subjects Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE and CEC events) with associated treatment For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry, a computed tomography scan at 30 days post LOTUS Edge Valve implantation. 	Updated for clarity and to include CT assessment at 30 days for subjects enrolled in the Bicuspid Nested Registry.
			27 Appendices	Added Section 27.1-1 and Table 27.1-1	Updated for clarity
С	23-Sep-2018	90702637 Rev/Ver AG	Page 1	Sponsor: Boston Scientific USA Australian Representative Boston Scientific Pty. Ltd. Building 1, Level 6 191 O'Riordan Street Mascot, NSW 2020, Australia	Added for Australian study centers in REPRISE IV
			Page 2	Clinical Contacts Laoti Bussone Senior Clinical Trial Manager, Interventional Cardiology Boston Scientific Corporation 100 Boston Scientific Way, Marlborough, MA 01752 USA Arjun M. Bhat Clinical Trial Manager, Structural Heart – Interventional Cardiology Boston Scientific Corporation 100 Boston Scientific Way, Marlborough, MA 01752 USA	New project managers
				Study Coordinating Principal Investigators	New study coordinating principal investigators

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				Ted Feldman, MD Evanston Hospital, I Cardiology Division 2650 Ridge Avenue Evanston, IL 60201	USA Co-Principal Investigator ular Institute Iospital Center	
				Current Version: 23-Sep Updated revision history	p-2018	Protocol revision
			Section 2	Device Name/Size	Description	Updated for clarity to
				LOTUS Edge	Includes 2 main a bioprosthetic(similar to the Lotus) - a nextintroduced percutaneously via the femoral artery.	reflect use of commercial introducer sets.
				iSleeve TM Introducer Set 14 and 15 French (F)	-a dilator arteries ≥5.5 mm with the 14F sheath (to deliver the 23mm LOTUS Edge valve) and ≥5.9 mm with the 15F sheath	
				(LIS-L) can be used as a deployment of the LOTU valve sizes). The iSleeve dilator enabling access to intended for use in subje	er Set (iSleeve) and the large Lotus Introducer Set accessories to facilitate vascular introduction and US Edge Valve System (23mm, 25mm, or 27mm as an expandable sheath component and a transfemoral arteries ≥5.9 mm. The LIS-L is acts with femoral vascular access ≥6.5 mm. In adducer sets are approved, the commercial devices	

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				will be used. In countries where they are not approved, they will be considered investigational devices.	
				Comparator For the primary endpoint, a performance goal (PG) based on 1-year TAVR outcomes derived from published literature will be used as the comparator for analysis.	Updated study design to single arm
			Section 2 Study Design	REPRISE IV is a prospective, multicenter single-arm study designed subjects who have severe native aortic stenosis Study cohorts include the following.	Addition of a CT Imaging Substudy.
				- Main Cohort: A prospective, multicenter, single-arm cohort of subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are considered at intermediate risk for surgical aortic valve replacement and are treated with the LOTUS Edge Valve System.	Text updated for clarity (including addition of a new study design overview figure)
				 CT Imaging Substudy: Selected centers with the ability to perform high quality 4D computed tomography (CT) scans will include subjects from the Main Cohort in a CT imaging substudy to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. 	
				- Bicuspid Nested Registry: A prospective, single-arm, nested registry cohort of subjects who have a native bicuspid aortic valve and are considered at intermediate risk for surgical aortic valve replacement and are treated with the LOTUS Edge Valve System.	
				- Roll-In Cohort: A roll-in phase with the study device for centers that do not have implantationevaluable Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry. Data from roll-in subjects will be summarized separately from the evaluable Main Cohort	
				The REPRISE IV study will be conducted in accordance with 21 CFR Parts 11, 50, and 54; the relevant parts of the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) Guidelines for Good Clinical Practices (GCP); or the International Standard ISO 14155 Clinical Investigation of Medical Devices for Human Subjects – Good Clinical Practice; ethical principles that have their origins in the Declaration of Helsinki; and pertinent individual country/state/local laws and regulations. The study shall not begin until the required approval/favorable opinion from the Institutional	

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				The study design is sum Eligibility Assessment Subject meets criteria * Subject are considered enrolled the femoral artery. † Discharge or 7 days, whichever co † Enrolled subjects who do not have	Research Ethics Committee (IRB/HREC) and/or been obtained, if appropriate. marized in the figure below. Baseline Clinical Follow-up‡ Clinical Index Assessment Procedure 1d 7d' 30d 1-5y When an attempt is made to insert the LOTUS Edge Transfemoral Aortic Valve System into mes first a study device implanted will be assessed through 1 year post procedure for safety. ISE IV Study Design Overview	
	Section 2 Subjects will be enrolled at up	d at up to 50 centers in the United States and up to 896 subjects enrolled in REPRISE IV as	Updated study design (including addition of a CT Imaging Substudy)			
			Investigational Centers/ Countries	Cohort	Number of Subjects	and addition of Australian investigative
				Randomized	696*	centers.
				Bicuspid Nested Registry	100	
				Roll-In	Up to 100	
			Imaging Substudy. If 20 Substudy by completion subjects who meet the I	om the main cohort will be enrolled in the CT 00 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging of enrollment in the main cohort, additional REPRISE IV eligibility criteria will be enrolled in Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT		
			Section 2 Primary Endpoint	Composite of all-cause	mortality and all stroke at 1 year	Updated study design

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			Section 2 Secondary Endpoint	No powered secondary endpoint	Updated study design
			Section 2 Additional Measurements	Additional measurements will be collected peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, 6 months, and 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 years post index procedureNeurological status as determined by the following:	Updated time points and measurements
				O Neurological physical exam at discharge	
				 National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale (NIHSS) and modified Rankin Scale (mRS) assessments, which must be performed at baseline and pre-specified timepoints for all enrolled subjects. NIHSS and mRS must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel. 	
				o For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam, mRS, and NIHSS must be performed after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days following a stroke; the simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment. The neurological physical exam must be conducted by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner	
				- For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry, a CT scan at 30 days post LOTUS Edge Valve implantation; the data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.	
				- For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, a 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS Edge valve implantation to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.	
				Note 1 : For the LOTUS Edge valve, repositioning may be achieved with partial or full resheathing of the valve.	
				Note 2 : At least 1 echocardiogram must be obtained before discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first); if multiple echocardiographic studies are performed prior to discharge and within 7 days of the procedure, the latest study performed will be used for analysis.	
			Section 2	Main Cohort: Subjects with severe aortic valve stenosis who meet all eligibility criteria may be treated with the LOTUS Edge Valve System.	Updated study design

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			Method of Assigning Subjects to Treatment	-Up to 200 subjects from the main cohort will be enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy. If 200 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy by completion of enrollment in the main cohort, additional subjects who meet the REPRISE IV eligibility criteria will be enrolled in a separate CT Imaging Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy Bicuspid Nested Registry: Subjects with a native bicuspid aortic valve who meet all inclusion criteria and have no other exclusion criterion may be treated with the LOTUS Edge Valve System as part of a single-arm, nested registry cohort. Roll-In Cohort: For centers that do not have implantation experience with the LOTUS Edge Valve System at least 2 roll-in subjects will be treated before commencing enrollment in the Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry.	
			Section 2 Follow-up Schedule	All subjects implanted with a study device will be assessed at baseline, peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, 6 months, 1 year, and then annually for up to 5 years post-procedure. Subjects who are enrolled but not implanted with a study device at the time of the procedure will be followed for safety through 1 year. Visits are to be an office/clinical visit but may be done in-hospital should the subject be admitted at the time. Procedures at each scheduled visit are	Text updated for clarity
			Section 2 Study Duration	described above under "Additional Measurements." Subjects implanted with a study device will be followed for 5 years after the index procedure. Enrollment is expected to be completed in approximately 12 months; therefore, the total study duration is estimated to be approximately 6 years.	
			Section 2 Participant Duration	The study duration for each subject is expected to be approximately 5 years.	
			Section 2 Adjunctive Pharmacologic Therapy	Anti-Platelet Therapy Per society guidelines ^b , antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) is recommended after TAVR to decrease the risk of thrombotic or thromboembolic complications if there are no contraindications to these medications.	Updated to reflect current therapy recommendations

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				P2Y ₁₂ Inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) A loading dose of a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor (recommended dose of ≥300 mg for clopidogrel, 60 mg for prasugrel, 180 mg for ticagrelor) is required for subjects who have not been on P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor therapy for ≥72 hours at the time of the index procedure. The loading dose must be administered prior to the implant procedure, a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor is required for at least 1 month (clopidogrel is recommended with a dose of 75 mg daily). Note 3: If a subject requires chronic anticoagulation, either a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) or aspirin is required prior to and after the implant procedure in addition to the anticoagulant therapy (but both aspirin and a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor are not required). After the implant procedure, the subject must be treated with an oral anticoagulant (warfarin or another vitamin K antagonist recommended) and either a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) or aspirin for at least 1 month. b: Holmes DR, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2012;59:1200–1254 Nishimura R, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2014;63: e57–e185 Nishimura R, et al. Circulation. 2017;135:e1159–e95	
			Section 2 Inclusion Criteria	IC2. A subject in the Bicuspid Aortic Valve Nested Registry cohort must have a documented Sievers Type 02 or Sievers Type 1 bicuspid valve based on IC3.Subject Committee [CRC]) and, for the randomized cohort, is deemed treatable with an available size of both test and control device. IC5. Heart team (which must include an experienced cardiac	Updated for clarity
				interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon) agrees that the subject is at intermediate risk of operative mortality (≥3% and <8% at 30 days based on the Society of Thoracic Surgeons risk score and other clinical comorbidities unmeasured by the risk calculator) and TAVR is appropriate. IC6. Heart team (which must include a cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon) agrees that the subject is likely to benefit from valve replacement.	

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				IC7. Subject (or legal representative) has been informed of the study requirements and the treatment procedures, and provides written informed consent.	
				IC8. Subject, family member, and/or legal representative agree(s) and subject is capable of returning to the study hospital for all required scheduled follow up visits.	
				IC9. Subject is expected to be able to take the protocol-required adjunctive pharmacologic therapy.	
			Section 2 Exclusion Criteria	EC1. Subject has a unicuspid or bicuspid aortic valve (not applicable to subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort).	
				Note 6: Subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort will have a documented Sievers Type 02 or Sievers Type 1 bicuspid valve based on CT assessment and confirmed by the CT core lab. Subjects are not eligible for inclusion in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort if the maximum diameter of the ascending aorta is >45 mm or if the subject has another indication for aortic root replacement. Subjects with a Sievers Type 2 bicuspid valve are not eligible for enrollment in any study cohort.	
				EC4. Subject is on renal replacement therapy or has GFR <20 (based on Cockcroft-Gault formula).	
				EC7. Subject has moderate to severe mitral stenosis (mitral valve area ≤1.5 cm² and diastolic pressure half-time ≥150 ms, Stage C or D°).	
				EC8. Subject has a need for emergency surgery for any reason. EC9. Subject has a history of endocarditis within 6 months of index procedure or evidence of an active systemic infection or sepsis. EC10. Subject has echocardiographic evidence of new intra-cardiac vegetation or intraventricular or paravalvular thrombus requiring intervention. EC11. Subject has platelet count <50,000 cells/mm³ or >700,000 cells/mm³, or white blood cell count <1,000 cells/mm³.	
				EC12. Subject has had a gastrointestinal bleed	
				EC16. Subject has any therapeutic invasive cardiac or vascular procedure within 30 days prior to the index procedure (except for	

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				balloon aortic valvuloplasty or pacemaker or implantable cardioverter defibrillator implantation, which are allowed). EC20. Subject has arterial access that is not acceptable for the study device (test or control) delivery systems as defined in the device (test or	
				eontrol) Instructions For Use. EC22.Subject has current problems with substance abuse (e.g., alcohol, etc.) that may interfere with the subject's participation in this study. c: Nishimura RA, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2014;63:e57–e185	
			Section 2 Additional Exclusion Criteria	Additional exclusion criteria apply to subjects considered for enrollment in the CT Imaging Substudy as listed below. AEC1. Subject has eGFR <30 mL/min (chronic kidney disease stage IV or stage V). AEC2. Subject has atrial fibrillation that cannot be rate controlled to ventricular response rate < 60 bpm. AEC3. Subject is expected to undergo chronic anticoagulation therapy after the index procedure. Note 7: Subjects treated with short-term anticoagulation post procedure can be included in the imaging substudy; in these subjects the 30-day imaging will be performed 30 days after discontinuation of anticoagulation.	Added for the CT Imaging Substudy
			Section 2 Analysis Sets	Analysis sets are listed below. - Intention-To-Treat (ITT): This population includes all subjects who sign an Informed Consent Form and are enrolled in the study and are randomized, regardless of whether the study device is implanted. - Implanted: This population includes all subjects who sign an Informed Consent Form, are enrolled in the study, and are implanted with the assigned, randomized study device. A subject is considered enrolled in the study when an attempt is made to insert a LOTUS Edge Valve.	Updated study design
			Section 2 Primary Endpoint Statistical Hypothesis	In the Main Cohort, the rate of the primary endpoint (composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year) is less than the performance goal (PG) of 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%).	

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			Section 2 Statistical Test Method for the Primary Endpoint	A one-sample z test will be used to test the one-sided hypothesis that the 1-year composite primary endpoint rate for LOTUS Edge in the Main Cohort is less than the PG: H0: P _{LOTUS Edge} ≥ PG H1: P _{LOTUS Edge} < PG where P _{LOTUS Edge} is the primary endpoint rate for the LOTUS Edge group and PG is the performance goal. The primary analysis set for the primary endpoint is the ITT analysis set. This endpoint will also be analyzed for the implanted analysis set.	
			Section 2 Sample Size Parameters for the Primary Endpoint	The sample size calculation for the primary endpoint (composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year) is based on the following assumptions. • Expected rate for LOTUS Edge = 11.1%† • Testing margin = 4.1% (37% relative to the expected rate) • Performance goal (PG) = 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%) • Test significance level (α) = 0.025 (1-sided) • Power = 87.5% • Number of evaluable subjects = 675 • Expected rate of attrition = 3% • Total enrolment (evaluable Main Cohort) = 696 subjects † Estimated pooled rate from the fixed/random effects model based on the ITT TAVR arm data from PARTNER II S3ie and SURTAVIf e: Thourani VH, et al. <i>Lancet</i> 2016;387:2218-25 f: Reardon MJ, et al. N Engl J Med 2017:376:1321-31	
			Section 2 Success Criteria for the Primary Endpoint	If the <i>P</i> value from the one-sample z-test is <0.025, it will be concluded that the primary endpoint with the LOTUS Edge Valve System is less than the PG. This corresponds to the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound of the observed composite rate of all-cause mortality and all stroke in the Main Cohort at 1 year being < 15.2%.	
			Section 2, Statistical Test Method Primary Endpoint–Superiority		Updated study design; there is no statistical test for superiority for

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			Section 2, Sample Size Parameters Primary Endpoint – Superiority		the primary endpoint and there is no secondary endpoint
			Section 2, Success Criteria Primary Endpoint–Superiority		
			Section 2, Secondary Endpoint Statistical Hypothesis		
			Section 2, Statistical Test Method Secondary Endpoint		
			Section 2, Sample Size Parameters Secondary Endpoint		
			Section 2, Success Criteria Secondary Endpoint		
			Section 2 Bicuspid Nested Registry	The planned enrollment for the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort is up to 100 subjects. Descriptive statistics for all endpoints will be summarized using both the ITT and implanted analysis sets.	Updated study design and for clarity
			Section 4 Introduction	The LOTUS Edge Valve System is introduced into the body using either the investigational iSleeve TM Introducer Set or the large Lotus Introducer Set. Both sets Study subjects will be entered into the Roll-In Cohort, single-arm Main Cohort, or	
			Section 4.1.1 Treatments	The incidence of aortic stenosis Many patients with severe and symptomatic aortic stenosis are successfully treated with surgical aortic valve replacement (SAVR), which can reduce symptoms Propensity score analyses have suggested comparable mortality after TAVR or SAVR in some intermediate-risk patients and 2 recent randomized, controlled trials (RCT) showed similar outcomes between	Additional literature references

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				the two treatment groups Meta-analyses have also shown similar long-term survival after TAVR compared to SAVR Currently, TAVR is approved for use in AS patients considered inoperable or at intermediate to high surgical risk and expert consensus documents have outlined TAVR patient selection criteria Added data from the following studies to Table 4.1-1: SURTAVI, REPRISE III, CoreValve Extreme Risk Study, EVOLUT R US Study, PORTICO Pre-CE Mark Study Placement in a heavily calcified native valve can produce an incomplete seal between the bioprosthetic valve and aortic annulus, resulting in PVR, which in turn has been associated with increased mortality in some studies The impact of mild PVR is less clear recent meta-analysis suggested that mild PVR may also be associated with increased all-cause and cardiovascular mortality	
				The Lotus™ Valve System was REPRISE IV will evaluate safety	
			Section 4.1.2 REPRISE Clinical Program	Described below are results from studies that have reached their primary endpoints Added REPRISE III results to Table 4.1-1	Added REPRISE III results to Table 4.1-1
			Section 4.1.2.1 REPRISE I Study	The device was successfully implanted in all 11 subjects but there was a device failure in 1 subject based on not meeting one of four VARC-1 eriteria for device success a mean gradient of 22 mmHg. Ten (10) Table 4.1-2 shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes to the end of the study (5 years). Valve function was excellent with minimal PVR and low clinical event rates. The results of the REPRISE I feasibility study support the safety and performance of the Lotus Valve System. Added new Table 4.1-2: Outcomes to 5 Years in REPRISE I	Data updated from 3 years to 5 years
			Section 4.1.2.2 REPRISE II Study	Table 4.1-4 shows 30-day, 1-year, 2-year, 3-year, 4-year, and 5-year clinical and echocardiographic outcomes. Mortality at 30 days, 1 year, and 5 years was 4.2%, 11.0%, and 42.6%, respectively; the disabling stroke rate was 1.7%, 3.5%, and 7.0%. Mean aortic valve pressure gradient remained low at 12.58±5.66 mmHg (1 year) and	Data updated to 5 years in the Main Cohort and 4 years in the Full Cohort

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				14.43±6.44 mmHg (5 years). There were no repeat procedures for valve- related dysfunction through 5 years. Core lab assessment of PVR at 30 days indicated no severe regurgitation and 1 case of moderate regurgitation; in 83.3% (80/96) of subjects there was trace/trivial or no PVR. The low PVR rate observed at 30 days was maintained at 1 year (89% with none/trivial PVR) and out to 5 years (80% with none/trivial PVR). The observed	
				Table 4.1-4: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 5 Years – REPRISE II Main Cohort (N=120) updated with data at 3 years, 4 years and 5 years	
				Table 4.1-5 shows device performance endpoints, clinical outcomes, and echocardiographic outcomes through 4 years for the fullindependent predictor of both. A recent meta-analysis suggested that mild PVR may also be associated with increased all-cause and cardiovascular mortality. The low PVR rate observed at 30 days with Lotus was maintained at 1 year and 4 years as most subjects (91% and 88%, respectively) had none/trace/trivial PVR, 2 subjects had moderate PVR at 4 years, and there was no severe PVR. Table 4.1-5: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes to 4 Years – REPRISE II Full Cohort (N=250) updated with data at 2 years, 3 years, and 4 years.	
			Section 4.1.2.3 RESPOND Post- Market Surveillance Study	Data through 30-day and 1-year follow-up are provided below Table 4.1-7 shows secondary safety endpoint outcomes assessed at 30 days and 1 year in the RESPOND as-treated analysis set. At 30 days, all-cause mortality was 2.2%, in-hospital mortality was 1.8%, and disabling stroke was 2.3%. Mortality was 11.7% and disabling stroke was 4.0% at 1 year. Table 4.1-8 shows core laboratory TTE assessments pre-discharge and at 1 year in the as-treated analysis set. Mean aortic gradient improved significantly (<i>P</i> <0.0001) from 38.0±15.5 mmHg at baseline to 10.8±4.6 mmHg at discharge and remained low at 1 year (10.8±5.1 mmHg, <i>P</i> <0.0001). There was also a significant (<i>P</i> <0.0001) improvement in mean effective orifice area (EOA) from 0.7±0.2 cm² at baseline to 1.8±0.5 cm² at discharge, which was sustained at 1 year (1.8±0.4 cm², <i>P</i> <0.0001). There were no cases of severe PVR at discharge or 1 year. There were 3 cases of moderate PVR at discharge	Data updated from 30 days to 1 year, add RESPOND Extension

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				and 2 cases (0.4%) at 1 year; in >90% of evaluable subjects PVR was trivial or absent.	
				Table 4.1-7: RESPOND Secondary Endpoints – VARC Safety Assessments at 30 Days and 1 Year Post-Procedure; As-Treated Analysis Set updated with data at 1 year	
				Table 4.1-8: Core Laboratory Echocardiographic Assessments at Pre-Discharge and 1 Year, RESPOND As Treated Analysis Set updated with data at 1 year	
				After enrollment of the main RESPOND cohort was completed the study was extended to enroll an additional cohort (RESPOND Extension) to assess center-driven implantation technique with the commercially available Lotus Valve System with Depthguard TM technology. Depthguard results in a slightly decreased rate of retraction of the outer sheath during valve deployment. This minimizes interaction between the frame and the LVOT during deployment and could limit the need for PPM implantation. Table 4.1-10 shows clinical outcomes at 30 days and echocardiographic outcomes at pre-discharge. Mortality and disabling stroke were 0.0% and 2.0%, respectively, and new PPM implantation was 18.0%. There were no cases of moderate or severe PVR; in 86% of cases PVR was trivial or absent.	
				Added Table 4.1-10: RESPOND Extension – VARC Safety Assessments (30 Days) and Core Lab Echocardiographic Assessments (Pre-Discharge); As-Treated Analysis Set	
				In summary, the observed 30-day and 1-year outcomes among RESPOND subjects and 30-day outcomes in RESPOND Extension show good hemodynamic results, a very low PVR rate, low mortality, and overall favorable event rates. There also were no significant differences in pre-discharge echocardiographic or 30-day clinical outcome measures between subjects with and without a native bicuspid valve. The results from this study have demonstrated that the commercially available Lotus Valve System is a safe and effective	

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				treatment for subjects with severe calcific aortic stenosis in routine clinical practice.	
			4.1.2.4 REPRISE III Randomized Controlled Trial	The REPRISE III pivotal study (REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of Lotus TM Valve System – Randomized Clinical Evaluation; NCT02202434) includes a prospective, multicenter, randomized, controlled trial (RCT) designed to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of the Lotus TM Valve System (23mm, 25mm, or 27mm valve; test device) compared to a commercially available self-expanding transcatheter heart valve (CoreValve® device, Medtronic Corp, Dublin, Ireland; 26mm, 29mm, and 31mm valve; control device) in symptomatic subjects with severe calcific aortic stenosis who are considered extreme or high risk for surgical valve replacement. There were 912 subjects randomized at 55 centers in the United States, Germany, France, Australia, The Netherlands, and Canada. Subjects were considered enrolled in the study upon randomization. Clinical follow-up will extend through 5 years. The trial included independent core laboratory analysis and independent event adjudication with data validated by independent statisticians. The 30-day primary safety composite endpoint for REPRISE III includes all-cause mortality, stroke, life-threatening and major bleeding events, stage 2 or 3 acute kidney injury, and major vascular complications. The primary effectiveness endpoint for noninferiority includes the combined rate of mortality, disabling stroke, and moderate/severe PVR at 1 year post implant procedure. Other measurements incorporated the minimum data collection and endpoints recommended and defined by the VARC guidelines. Subject screening, data collection, and event assessments were as described for REPRISE II (Section 4.1.2.2). Data for the primary endpoint in the RCT have been published44. A total of 607 subjects were randomized to the Lotus group and 305 were randomized to the CoreValve group (ITT analysis set). Subject analysis groups are shown in Figure 4.1 1. The first-generation Lotus Valve System was used throughout the study while the secondgeneration CoreValve Evolut R	Addition of new study data

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				group 51.5% of subjects received CoreValve and 48.5% received CoreValve Evolut R (153/297 and 144/297, respectively).	
				Added new Figure 4.1-1: REPRISE III Randomized Subject Analysis Groups	
				The REPRISE III primary safety endpoint was met because in the implanted analysis set the rate for the Lotus group (20.3%) was non-inferior to the rate for the CoreValve group (17.2%). Non-inferiority was concluded because the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound on the difference between treatment groups (Lotus minus CoreValve; 3.1%) was less than the non-inferiority margin of 10.5% with a P value <0.025 (<i>P</i> =0.0027). Non-inferiority was also shown for the ITT and astreated analysis sets. The primary effectiveness endpoint was met because in the implanted analysis set the rate for Lotus group (15.4%) was non-inferior to the rate for CoreValve (25.5%). Non-inferiority was concluded because the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound on the difference between treatment groups (Lotus minus CoreValve; -4.41%) was less than the non-inferiority margin of 9.5% with a <i>P</i> value <0.025 (<i>P</i> <0.0001). Non-inferiority was also shown for the ITT and as-treated analysis sets. The rate of the primary effectiveness endpoint for Lotus was shown to be superior to that for CoreValve in the ITT analysis set (<i>P</i> =0.0006) and also in the implanted and as-treated analysis sets. Table 4.1 11 shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes at 30 days and 1 year. The following were similar between the 2 cohorts: • All-cause mortality in the CoreValve arm and Lotus arm was 2.3% and 2.5%, respectively (<i>P</i> =0.86), at 30 days and 13.5% and 11.9%, respectively (<i>P</i> =0.51), at 1 year. • Cardiovascular mortality was 2.3% (CoreValve) and 2.3% (Lotus, <i>P</i> =0.99) at 30 days and 9.8% (CoreValve) and 7.7% (Lotus, <i>P</i> =0.29) at 1 year.	
				and 4.8%, respectively $(P=0.72)$, at 30 days and 9.4% and 7.0%, respectively $(P=0.20)$, at 1 year.	

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				 The rate of major vascular complications was 5.3% (CoreValve) and 7.0% (Lotus, P=0.32) at 30 days and 6.1% (CoreValve) and 7.7% (Lotus, P=0.38) at 1 year. Life-threatening/disabling bleeding was 5.0% (CoreValve) and 8.0% (Lotus, P=0.09) at 30 days and 9.8% (CoreValve) and 9.9% (Lotus, P=0.96) at 1 year. The following were statistically significantly different between the 2 cohorts: The disabling stroke rate in the CoreValve and Lotus cohorts was 3.3% and 2.0%, respectively (P=0.23), at 30 days and 7.1% and 3.6%, respectively (P=0.02), at 1 year. The rate of permanent pacemaker implantation among subjects without a prior pacemaker was 19.6% (CoreValve) and 35.5% (Lotus, P<0.001) at 30 days and 23.0% (CoreValve) and 41.4% (Lotus, P<0.001) at 1 year. The valve thrombosis rate was 0.0% for both cohorts at 30 days; it was 0.0% (CoreValve) and 1.5% (Lotus, P=0.03) at 1 year. Repeat procedures for prosthetic valve-related dysfunction occurred in 1.0% of CoreValve subjects and 0.0% of Lotus subjects at 30 days (P=0.04) and 2.0% (CoreValve) and 0.2% (Lotus) by1 year (P=0.007). Prosthetic valve malpositioning (including valve migration, valve embolization, and ectopic valve deployment to discharge/7 days) occurred in 2.6% of subjects in the CoreValve group and 0.0% of subjects in the CoreValve group and in no subjects in the Lotus group (P<0.001). TAV-in-TAV deployment occurred in 3.0% of subjects in the CoreValve group and in no subjects in the Lotus group (P<0.001). Mean gradient was significantly lower and EOA was significantly higher in the CoreValve group at discharge and beyond (both P<0.001). There was significantly less PVR with Lotus compared to CoreValve at all time points (P<0.001). 	
				Added new Table 4.1-11: Clinical and Echocardiographic Outcomes at 30 Days and 1 Year in REPRISE III RCT In conclusion, in this large (N=912) randomized comparison of two different types of TAVR platforms, the Lotus Valve System was non-	

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		Version		inferior to the commercially available CoreValve for the composite primary safety endpoint at 30 days. Lotus showed superiority for the composite primary effectiveness endpoint at 1 year, driven by significantly fewer disabling strokes (3.6% vs 7.1%, \$P=0.02\$) and significantly fewer disabling strokes (3.6% vs 7.1%, \$P=0.02\$) and significantly less moderate or severe PVR (0.9% vs 6.9%, \$P<0.0001\$; core lab determination). The frequency of overall stroke at 1 year was 7.0% with Lotus and 9.4% with CoreValve; the repositionability of Lotus did not lead to a higher stroke rate compared to CoreValve. Recently reported 1-year stroke rates include 5.6% among high-risk subjects in the adjudicated SAPIEN 3 registry and 8.8% and 12.6% among TAVR and SAVR subjects, respectively, in the U.S. CoreValve High Risk Study. Lower stroke rates have been reported in lower-risk subject groups. Moderate or greater PVR has been associated with an increased risk of mortality. The impact of mild PVR is less clear although a recent meta-analysis suggested that mild PVR may also be associated with increased all-cause and cardiovascular mortality. Reported rates for moderate or greater PVR with newer generation devices have ranged from 1.5% with the balloon-expandable SAPIEN 3 valve to 5.3% with Evolut R with lower rates in intermediate compared to high risk subjects. There were more new pacemaker implantations (41.4% vs 23.0%, \$P<0.0001 among subjects without a prior pacemaker) at 1 year with Lotus. Pacemaker implantation is associated with subject morbidity and increased cost (including repeat hospitalization) but has not been associated with decreased survival in other studies of high risk subjects. A recently published meta-analysis found that subjects with and without PPM post TAVR had similar rates for all-cause mortality, cardiovascular mortality, MI, and stroke at 30 days and 1 year. This analysis did show that improvement in LVEF was significantly greater in subjects without PPM. Valve thrombosis was uncommon but there were sig	
				(1.5% vs. 0%, P=0.03). Most were identified based on increased mean aortic gradient at protocol-directed follow-up echocardiography and all showed a decrease in mean gradient after anticoagulation therapy. These results are consistent with a recent registry report based on CT showing subclinical leaflet thrombosis rates of 4% with surgical valves and 12%	

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				with TAVR valves and suggesting that the supra-annular CoreValve may have a lower rate compared to TAVR valves with an annular location (CoreValve/Evolut R: 6%; Lotus: 14%; Edwards [Sapien, SAPIEN XT, and SAPIEN 3]: 14%; Portico: 30%). A recent single-center retrospective analysis (281 balloon-expandable, 305 self-expanding, 56 Lotus) found an overall incidence of 2.8% for clinical valve thrombosis. Reported rates were 4.6% for SAPIEN valves, 1.0% for CoreValve/Evolut R, and 3.6% for Lotus. At 1 year, valve malpositioning, repeat procedures, and TAV-in-TAV deployment were all less common with Lotus. The observed rate of TAV-in-TAV with CoreValve was 2.3%; rates of TAV-in-TAV with CoreValve in prior US pivotal CoreValve trials have ranged from 1.3% to 6.7%. Overall, outcomes in the REPRISE III RCT support the safety and efficacy of the Lotus Valve System.	
			4.1.2.5 REPRISE Japan	The objective of the REPRISE Japan clinical trial (REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of Stenotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of Lotus™ Valve System – Clinical Evaluation in Japan; NCT02491255) was to confirm the safety and effectiveness of the Lotus™ Valve System in the Japanese medical environment for TAVR in symptomatic subjects with calcific, severe native aortic stenosis considered at high or extreme risk for SAVR. The 30-day primary safety composite endpoint includes all-cause mortality, stroke, life-threatening and major bleeding events, stage 2 or 3 acute kidney injury, and major vascular complications. The primary effectiveness endpoint is a composite at 6 months of all-cause mortality and disabling stroke and moderate or greater PVR based on core lab assessment. Other measurements incorporated the minimum data collection and endpoints recommended and defined by the VARC guidelines. Subject screening, data collection, and event assessments were as described for REPRISE II (Section 4.1.2.2). There were 40 evaluable subjects enrolled at 5 centers in the transfemoral arm of REPRISE Japan. The primary safety composite endpoint rate was 15.0% (6/40) at 30 days and the primary effectiveness composite endpoint was 5.3% (2/38) at 6 months. Table 4.1-12 shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes at 30 days, 6 months, and 1 year. Mortality through 1 year was low (7.5%) as was disabling stroke	Addition of new study data

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				(2.5%). There was no moderate or severe PVR. Overall, outcomes were similar to that seen with Lotus in REPRISE II (Section 4.1.2.2) and REPRISE III (Section 4.1.2.4) and demonstrated consistent safety and effectiveness results with the Lotus Valve System in Japanese subjects. Added new Table 4.1-12: 30-Day, 6-Month, and 1-Year Outcomes – REPRISE Japan Evaluable Transfemoral Cohort (N=40)	
			Section 4.1.2.6 REPRISE NGDS Study	evaluating a modified version of the delivery system that was studied in REPRISE I, REPRISE II, REPRISE III, and RESPONDcompatibility with the LOTUS Edge device. A third cohort (Cohort C) subsequently enrolled 21 subjects who were treated with a further refined version of the LOTUS Edge delivery system. In some Cohort C subjects a further refined version of the iSleeve Introducer was used. The primary endpoint in REPRISE NG DS	Update previous data and add new study data
				The primary endpoint was achieved in 10/10 subjects in Cohort A, 5/7 in Cohort B (in 1 subject a valve was not implanted and in 1 subject a valve was implanted using the current Lotus Valve System), and 21/21 in Cohort C. Table 4.1-13 shows core lab analyses of prosthetic valve performance as assessed by TTE at discharge/7 days post procedure (secondary endpoint) and valve function at 30 days and 1 year for the 3 cohorts. In all cohorts, mean aortic valve area and mean gradient improved at discharge and remained improved at 30 days and 1 year. There were no cases of moderate or severe PVR at discharge, 30 days, or 1 year in any cohort; the majority of patients had no PVR or trace PVR at all time points. Table 4.1-14 shows rates of CEC-adjudicated VARC-defined events through discharge/7 days, 30 days, 6 months, and 1 year. In Cohort A, one subject experienced the majority of events and subsequently died on day 13 post implant. In Cohort B, events were minimal. In Cohort C, new permanent pacemakers were placed in 2 subjects by 1 year for a rate of 9.5% (2/21) among all subjects and 11.1% (2/18) among subjects without a prior pacemaker. In summary, outcomes to 1 year in the REPRISE NG DS study demonstrate acceptable performance and safety of the Lotus Valve with the next generation delivery system.	

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				Updated Table 4.1-13: Valve Performance by TTE, Core Lab Analysis – REPRISE NG DS Cohorts A, B and C with data at 1 year and Cohort C data Updated Table-4.1-14: Discharge, 30-Day, 6-Month, and 1-Year Clinical Outcomes in REPRISE NG DS Cohorts A, B and C with data at 6 months and 1 year and Cohort C data	
			4. 1.2.7 REPRISE EDGE	The prospective, single-arm REpositionable Percutaneous Replacement of NatIve StEnotic Aortic Valve through Implantation of LOTUS EDGE Valve System – Evaluation of Performance and Safety study (REPRISE EDGE; NCT02854319; N=15) has the same overall study design as REPRISE NG DS (Section 4.1.2.5) and assessed acute performance and safety of the same LOTUS Edge design that was used in Cohort C. The primary endpoint was the mean aortic valve pressure gradient at discharge as measured by echocardiography and assessed by an independent core laboratory. Secondary endpoints included technical success and device performance peri- and post-procedure based in part on VARC criteria. At discharge, the mean aortic gradient was 14.4±4.1 mmHg (N=15). Technical success was 100% and all attempts at repositioning or retrieving the valve were successful, and there was no moderate or severe PVR at discharge. Table 4.1 15 shows clinical and echocardiographic outcomes at 30 days and 1 year. There was no mortality and 1 disabling stroke through 1 year; PPM were placed in 2 subjects by 30 days for a rate of 13.3% among subjects without a prior PPM. Mean aortic valve area and mean gradient were improved at 30 days and 1 year with no moderate or severe PVR. Overall, outcomes with LOTUS Edge are consistent with outcomes observed in REPRISE II/II Extension and REPRISE III and with other TAVR studies using the VARC metrics. Added Table 4.1-15: 30-Day, and 1-Year Outcomes – REPRISE EDGE (N=15)	Addition of new study data
			Section 4.2 Justification for the Study	Because the investigational device, the LOTUS Edge Valve System, consists of essentially the same pre-loaded, stent-mounted tissue valve prosthesis as the Lotus Valve System evaluated in the REPRISE I, REPRISE II, REPRISE Japan, and RESPOND studies but	Updated to mention additional REPRISE studies and for clarity

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				with a catheter delivery system designed for improved deliverability (evaluated in the REPRISE NG DS and REPRISE EDGE studies) the anticipated benefits and risks are very similar. Like the Lotus Introducer, the investigational iSleeve Introducer Set	
			Section 5	Investigational Device Description The investigational LOTUS Edge TM Valve System is intended to improve aortic valve function for symptomatic subjects with severe aortic stenosis who are at intermediate risk for standard surgical aortic valve replacement (SAVR), including those who have a bicuspid native valve.	Change in study design to a single-arm study (no control device)
			Section 5.1	LOTUS Edge Valve System Figure 5.1-1: Overview of Principal Components of the LOTUS Edge Valve System – updated with a newer picture Figure 5.1-2: LOTUS Edge Valve Implant – updated with a newer picture	Updated device pictures; slight change in description of iSleeve; removal of the small Lotus Introducer set
				The controller assembly is shown in Figure 5.1-3 (locked configuration in the top image) and Figure 5.1-4 (controller door pulled forward).	
				Figure 5.1 3: LOTUS Edge Controller Top: Locked configuration. Bottom: Door pulled forward allowing the valve to be released	
				The large Lotus Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set (Figure 5.1-4) will be used as an accessory to the LOTUS Edge Valve System during the procedure. In countries where the introducer sets are approved, the commercial devices will be used. In countries where they are not approved, they will be considered investigational devices. They both include a dilator and an introducer sheath with a hydrophilic coating that, when activated, increases the lubricity of the surface to aid in delivery. The small Lotus Introducer The large Lotus Introducer is intended for use with the 23mm, 25mm, or 27mm LOTUS Edge valve in subjects with femoral vascular access ≥6.5 mm. The sheath component of the iSleeve is expandable, which allows for transient sheath expansion during delivery system introduction. Temporary	

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				expansion of the access vessel reduces the time the access vessel is expanded during device introduction and therefore potentially reduces vessel trauma. The 14F iSleeve Introducer Set The 15F iSleeve is capable of introducing the 23mm, 25mm and 27mm LOTUS Edge valve sizes into subjects with femoral vascular access ≥5.9 mm.	
			5.2 Edwards SAPIEN 3 (Control)	The control device is (section removed)	Study design change to single-arm version
			5.3 Device Labeling	5.2 Device Labeling The study Manual of Operations includes the IFUs for the LOTUS Edge Valve System and, when available, the iSleeve The IFU for the large Lotus Introducer Set will also be provided in the study Manual of Operations. The label will also include the above, with the exception of the investigational device statement for countries where the device is commercially available 5.3.2 Control Device Information	Updated for clarity; removed reference to control device because this is now a single-arm study
			7. Study Endpoints	Outcomes will be assessed on an intention-to-treat (ITT) basis and an implanted basis and an as-treated basis. The ITT analysis population includes all subjects who sign the Informed Consent Form (ICF; see Section 21) and are enrolled in the trial (see Section 10.1 for point of enrollment) and are randomized regardless of whether a study device valve is implanted. The implanted analysis population includes ITT subjects who are implanted with the study valve. The as-treated population Endpoint definitions can be found in Table 26.2-1.	Text updated for clarity with updated study design
			Section 7.1 Primary Endpoint	The primary endpoint is a composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke and mild or greater paravalvular aortic regurgitation (PVR; based on core lab assessment) at 1 year	Updated for the single arm design
			Section 7.2 Secondary Endpoint	(section removed)	
			Section 7.3 Additional Measurements	7.2 Additional Measurements Additional measurements will be collected peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, 6 months, and 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 years post index procedure -Neurological status (see Note 5 below) as determined by the following:	Text updated for clarity and addition of CT Imaging Substudy

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				Neurological physical exam	
				 National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale (NIHSS; performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel) at discharge and 1 year 	
				o and modified Rankin Scale (mRS) assessments, which must be performed at baseline and pre-specified timepoints for all enrolled subjects. NIHSS and mRS must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel.	
				o For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam, mRS, and NIHSS must be performed after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days following a stroke; the simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment. The neurological physical exam must be conducted by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner	
				- For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry, a CT scan at 30 days post LOTUS Edge Valve implantation. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory - For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, a 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS Edge valve implantation to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. The data will be evaluated by an independent CT core laboratory.	
				Note 5: For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam, mRS, and NIHSS must be performed after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days following a stroke; the simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment.	
				7.3 Overview of Objectives and Endpoints	
				Table 7.3-1 provides an overview of the aforementioned study objectives and endpoints and a justification for the specific endpoints. Table 7.3-1: Overview of Objectives and Endpoints – added table	
			Section 8.1 Scale and Duration	The REPRISE IV clinical study includes a prospective, multicenter, single-arm trial (Main Cohort; N=696) designed to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of the LOTUS Edge Valve System when used with the	Updated for clarity, including the single arm design and for addition

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	Version		Lotus TM Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve TM Introducer Set for TAVR in symptomatic subjects who have severe aortic stenosis and who are at intermediate risk for SAVR. There will be a roll-in phase (up to 100 subjects) for centers that do not have previous experience implanting the LOTUS Edge Valve. There will also be a single-arm nested registry cohort of subjects who have a bicuspid native valve to assess safety and effectiveness (Bicuspid Nested Registry; N=100). Selected centers with the ability to perform high quality 4D computed tomography (CT) scans will include up to 200 subjects from the Main Cohort in a CT Imaging Substudy to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility and its relationship, if any, to clinical events. All subjects in these centers will be approached for consent to participate in the CT study. If 200 subjects have not enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy by completion of enrollment in the main cohort, additional subjects who meet the REPRISE IV eligibility criteria will be enrolled in a separate CT Imaging Cohort to achieve a total of 200 subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy Figure 8.1 1 shows the study design.	of the CT Imaging Substudy	
				Inserted new Figure 8.1-1: REPRISE IV Study Design	
				All subjects implanted will be followed at baseline, peri- and post-procedure, at discharge or 7 days post-procedure (whichever comes first), 30 days, 6 months, and then annually for up to 5 years post-procedure. Enrolled subjects who do not have a study device implanted will be assessed through 1 year post procedure for safety/adverse events. The REPRISE IV study will be conducted in accordance with 21 CFR Parts 11, 50, and 54; the relevant parts of the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) Guidelines for Good Clinical Practices (GCP); the International Standard ISO 14155 Clinical Investigation of Medical Devices for Human Subjects – Good Clinical Practice; ethical principles that have their origins in the Declaration of Helsinki; and pertinent individual country/state/local laws and regulations. The study shall not begin until the required approval/favorable opinion from the Institutional Review Board/Human Research Ethics Committee (IRB/HREC) and/or regulatory authority has been obtained, if appropriate. See Section 11 below for additional information on study design and data collection.	

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				The REPRISE IV study is registered at ClinicalTrials.gov (identifier NCT03618095).	
			Section 8.2 Treatment Assignment	Screening materialsenrollment. All subjects will have unique identification numbers. Note 1: Subjects who have a bicuspid native valve will be enrolled in a separate nested registry cohort to assess safety and effectiveness. There will be a roll-in phase for centers that do not have previous experience implanting the LOTUS Edge Valve; each of these centers will perform at least 2 roll-in cases before commencing enrollment in the Main Cohort and Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort.	
			Section 8.2.1 Treatment	See Section 5 for a detailed description of the test device and information on device sizes. The large Lotus Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set is used as an accessory in the procedure. In countries where the introducer sets are approved, the commercial devices will be used. In countries where they are not approved, they will be considered investigational devices.	Updated for clarity regarding the test valve and introducer.
			Section 8.3 Study Design Justification	There will be up to 895 subjects in REPRISE IV. In, up to 100 subjects will be enrolled in the roll-in, 695 subjects will be enrolled in the Main Cohort, and 100 subjects will be enrolled in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort. Up to 50 centers in the United States and Australia will participate Per antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and a P2Y12 inhibitor is recommended after TAVR	Updated for the study design and for clarity
			Section 9.1 Study Population and Eligibility	The study will include subjects presenting with symptomatic severe aortic stenosis who are considered at intermediate risk for surgical valve replacement. Because aortic stenosis most commonly occurs in the very elderly, women are well represented in TAVR trials. Traditionally underrepresented populations (elderly and women) are expected to be included in the subject population as allowed by governing law/national regulation; as the very elderly will represent the majority of subjects enrolled in the trial, efforts to maximize retention are by definition targeted to traditionally under-represented groups. The inclusion and exclusion criteria are not expected to have a negative effect on recruitment or retention of said populations. In the United States, the subjects eligible for inclusion in this study are likely to be Medicare	Updated for clarity

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				patients due to their expected age and the results of this study are likely to be highly generalizable to a Medicare population. All efforts will be made to minimize attrition in REPRISE IV. Prior	
			Section 9.2 Inclusion Criteria	Table 9.2-1: REPRISE IV Inclusion Criteria IC2. A subject in the Bicuspid Aortic Valve Nested Registry cohort must have documented bicuspid aortic valve morphology based on CT assessment and confirmed by the CT core lab with hemodynamic parameters that meet the criteria in IC1. IC3. Subject has a documented aortic annulus size of ≥20 mm and ≤27 mm based on the center's assessment of pre-procedure diagnostic imaging (and confirmed by the CRC) and, for the randomized cohort, is deemed treatable with an available size of both test and control device. IC5. Heart team (which must include an experienced cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon) agrees that the subject is at intermediate risk of operative mortality (≥3% and <8% at 30 days) and TAVR is appropriate IC6. Heart team (which must include a cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon) agrees that the subject is likely to benefit from valve replacement. IC7. Heart team agrees (a priori) on treatment strategy for concomitant coronary artery disease (if present). The strategy must be the same regardless of whether the patient is to be treated with a test or control device. IC7. Subject (or legal representative) has been informed of the study requirements and the treatment procedures and provides written informed consent. IC8. Subject, family member, and/or legal representative agree(s) and subject is capable of returning to the study hospital for all required scheduled follow up visits. IC9. Subject is expected to be able to take the protocol-required adjunctive pharmacologic therapy.	
			Section 9.3 Exclusion Criteria	EC1. Subject has a unicuspid or bicuspid aortic valve (not applicable to subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort).	

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				aortic valvuloplasty or pacemaker or implantable cardioverter defibrillator implantation, which are allowed). EC20. Subject has arterial access that is not acceptable for the study device delivery system as defined in the device Instructions For Use.	

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				EC22. Subject has current problems with substance abuse (e.g., alcohol, etc.) that may interfere with the subject's participation in this study.	
				Additional exclusion criteria apply to subjects considered for enrollment in the CT Imaging Substudy as listed below: AEC1. Subject has eGFR <30 mL/min (chronic kidney disease stage IV or stage V). AEC2. Subject has atrial fibrillation that cannot be rate controlled to ventricular response rate < 60 bpm. AEC3. Subject is expected to undergo chronic anticoagulation therapy after the index procedure. Note: Subjects treated with short-term anticoagulation post procedure can be included in the imaging substudy; in these subjects the 30-day imaging will be performed 30 days after discontinuation of anticoagulation.	
			10.1 Point of Enrollment	Subjects who are confirmed eligible for the study by the CRC (see Section 22.2) and who provided written informed consent are considered enrolled in the study as soon as an attempt is made to insert the LOTUS Edge Valve System into the subject's femoral artery.	Updated per the new study design
			10.2 Withdrawal	All subjects enrolled in the clinical study (including those withdrawn from the clinical study or lost to follow-up) shall be accounted for and documented. If a subject withdraws from the clinical investigation, the reason(s) shall be reported. Reasons for withdrawal include but are not limited to physician discretion, subject choice to withdraw consent, or death. If such withdrawal is due to problems related to investigational device safety or performance, the investigator shall ask for the subject's permission to follow his/her status/condition outside of the clinical study. While all efforts will be made to minimize attrition, subjects may withdraw from the study at any time, with or without reason and without prejudice to further treatment. Withdrawn subjects will not undergo any additional study follow-up, nor will they be replaced. The reason for withdrawal will be recorded (if given) in all cases of withdrawal. The investigator may discontinue a subject from participation in the study if the investigator feels that the subject can no longer fully comply with	Updated for clarity

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				the requirements of the study or if any of the study procedures are deemed potentially harmful to the subject. Data that have already been collected on withdrawn subjects will be retained and used for analysis, unless local regulations apply. No new data will be collected after withdrawal. All applicable case report forms up to the point of subject withdrawal and an "End of Study" form for the subject must be completed. If the withdrawal is due to investigator discretion, the investigator should follow-up with the subject per standard of care. Information on determining if a subject is lost to follow-up can be found in Section 11.10.6.	
			10.3. End of Study Definition	This clinical trial will be considered completed when subjects are no longer being examined or the last subject's last study visit as outlined in the data collection schedule (Table 11.1 1) has occurred. All subjects who receive a test device will be evaluated at discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first), 30 days, 1 year, 2 years, 3 years, 4 years, and 5 years post index procedure. All visits are office visits. A subject's participation in the study will be considered complete after the 5-year visit. For subjects who do not receive a test device, participation in the study will be considered complete after the 1-year visit.	
			11.1 Data Collection	Updated figure and table:	
				Figure 11.1-1: REPRISE IV Data Collection Scheme	
				Table 11.1-1: Study Event Schedule	
				c: Study-specific consent as necessary. Note 2: The subject should undergo the index procedure within 30 days after signing the study Informed Consent Form.	
				d: Neurological physical examination must be performed by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner who is independent of the study. NIHSS and mRS must be performed by a neurology professional or certified personnel (external certification for NIHSS; internal or external certification for mRS). The NIHSS and mRS assessors should be independent (not involved with the care of study subjects). For subjects diagnosed with a stroke, a neurological physical exam, mRS, and	

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				NIHSS must be performed after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days after a stroke; the simplified mRS questionnaire may be used for this follow-up assessment. The neurological physical examination must be performed by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner who is independent of the study. If a subject who has not received a study device (investigational or control) experiences a stroke within the first 1 year after the index procedure, mRS must be performed on that subject after the event; mRS must also be administered at 90±14 days after a stroke and the results must be reported to the Sponsor	
				h: Frailty, disability, and comorbidity risk assessments must be captured at screening: height, weight, cognitive function (Mini-Cognitive Assessment for Dementia), strength	
				m: For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort, a computed tomography scan at 30 days post LOTUS Edge Valve implantation. Please refer to the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). Results must be sent to the CT Core Laboratory.	
				q: Procedural cine-angiogram including the baseline images of the aortic complex and the final post-deployment aortogram of the ascending aorta must be performed and sent to the CT/X-Ray Core Laboratory for analysis. Rotational angiography of the valve frame is required with results sent to the Core Laboratory.	
				t: For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy, a 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS Edge valve implantation must be done. Please refer to the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). The data must be sent to the independent CT core laboratory.	
			Section 11.2 Study Candidate Screening	Subjects will be evaluated for eligibility by the center heart team (which must include an experienced cardiac interventionalist and an experienced cardiac surgeon). The heart team should take into account the Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS) score as well as other clinical comorbidities not accounted for in the risk calculation. Eligible subjects will have agreement from the heart team that the subject is at intermediate	

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				operative risk of mortality with SAVR (see Table 9.2 1 for inclusion criteria; see definition of operative risk in Table 26.2 1). Risk	
			Section 11.4 Screening Assessments	Results from the screening tests and procedures listed below (including any planned concomitant treatment of CAD and any planned use of BAV during the index procedure) must be submitted to the CRC of subject eligibility. For the randomized cohort, a subject should be randomized after CRC approval and within 7 calendar days of CRC approval. Note 1: It is recommended that predilatation be performed unless there is minimal calcification of the annulus and leaflets. To minimize bias, planned use of BAV during the index procedure should not be influenced by type of study valve and therefore should be determined and reviewed and approved by the CRC prior to subject randomization. Subjects Note 2: Additional concomitant procedures, including percutaneous coronary intervention, are not allowed during the index procedure. Centers will • Clinical assessments • Risk reimbursement • Planned treatment of CAD and lanned use of BAV (i.e., predilatation) • Frailty • Body Mass • Cognitive Function: Mini Cognitive Assessment for	
				Dementia 126,127 (see study Manual of Operations) o Strength	
			11.5 Baseline Assessments	The following assessments must be completed within 30 days • Confirmation of CRC approval date	
				Neurological physical examination, which must be performed by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner (see Table 11.1 1).	
				NIH Stroke Scale	
			11.6 Pre-procedure Medications	loading dose. P2Y ₁₂ Inhibitor	

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				A loading dose of a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel at a dose of ≥300 mg is recommended; for other P2Y ₁₂ inhibitors recommended doses are 60 mg for prasugrel and 180 mg for ticagrelor) is required for subjects who have not been on P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor therapy for ≥72 hours at the time of the index procedure. The loading dose must be administered prior to the implant procedure. Note: If a subject is treated with anticoagulation, either a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor or aspirin is required prior to the implant procedure (but both aspirin and a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor are not required). Note 1: An alternative P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor (e.g., ticlopidine) may be prescribed if subject is allergic to or intolerant of clopidogrel. Note 2: If a subject requires chronic anticoagulation, either clopidogrel or aspirin is required prior to the implant procedure (but both aspirin and clopidogrel are not required). The subject should not receive a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor aside from clopidogrel.	
			11.7 Index Procedure	technical aspects of the index procedure. Note 1: Additional concomitant procedures, including percutaneous coronary intervention, are not allowed during the index procedure. Note 2: The subject should undergo the index procedure within 30 days after signing the study Informed Consent Form. The preparation of the subject for the percutaneous procedure will be performed following standard techniques. It is recommended that predilatation be performed unless there is minimal calcification of the annulus and leaflets. To minimize bias, planned use of BAV during the index procedure should not be influenced by type of study valve and therefore should be determined before subject randomization. BAV must be performed in patients in the bicuspid registry. Transfemoral access The large Lotus Introducer Set or, when available, the iSleeve Introducer Set iSleeve/Lotus Introducer is prepared and introduced in the patient's femoral artery, as described in the iSleeve/Lotus Introducer IFU. A balloon valvuloplasty heart rhythm must be assessed and documented (12-lead ECG is not required)	Updated for the new study design and for clarity

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				Note 3: It is recommended that predilatation be performed unless there is minimal calcification of the annulus and leaflets; BAV must be performed in subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort. Note 4: If the subject becomes (11.7.1 Edwards SAPIEN 3 removed) The LOTUS Edge Valve implantation procedure requires two operators: First and Second Operators. Both 3) The catheter is mechanically expanded and locked into the desired position 5) If the positionusing the radiopaque marker frame as a guide. The valve • Device deficiencies assessment for the LOTUS Edge Valve System and the iSleeve Introducer Set (if used) Note 5: All LOTUS Edge Valve implantation procedures will be performed with the support/presence of trained BSC personnel (see Section 17.4.2). Note 6: In countries where the introducer sets are approved, a device deficiency should be reported as a complaint.	
			11.8 Post-Procedure	 • Per society Subjects must be treated with aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor for at least 1 month • After the valve implant procedure, treatment with a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is required for at least 1 month. Dosing should follow local standard of care. • If a subject is treated with chronic anticoagulation, either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor or aspirin is required after the implant procedure in addition to the anticoagulant therapy (but both aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor are not required). The subject must be treated with an oral anticoagulant (OAC) and either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (clopidogrel recommended) or aspirin for at least 1 month. After 1 month, subjects requiring chronic anticoagulation may be switched from warfarin or other vitamin K antagonist to a new oral anticoagulant (NOAC) at the discretion of the treating physician. The subject should not receive a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor in combination with a NOAC but may be treated with a NOAC plus aspirin 	Updated to reflect current therapy recommendations

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				• Cardiac enzymes twice within 6 to 24 hours post-procedure at intervals per standard of care.	
			11.9 Prior to Discharge	collected. • NYHA classification • Neurological physical examination, which must be performed by a neurologist, neurology fellow, neurology physician assistant, or neurology nurse practitioner who is independent of the study.	Updated for clarity
			11.10 Follow-up	NIHSS, All implanted subjects will be evaluated at 30 days, 6 months, 12 months Visits completed outside these windows will be recorded as protocol deviations. After 6 months, visits will be scheduled on an annual basis from 1 through 5 years. Each follow-up visit	
			11.10.1 30-Day Follow-up	Quality of Life Note: Quality of life will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. A formal health economics analysis may be completed if meaningful clinical results are obtained.	
				Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE and CEC events) assessment for test and control device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s), with associated treatment For subjects in the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort, a computed tomography scan at 30 days post LOTUS Edge Valve implantation. The CT scan must be performed per the CT Core Laboratory procedure	
				guidelines (see study Manual of Operations) and sent to the CT Core Laboratory for independent analyses. • For subjects in the CT Imaging Substudy assessment of prosthetic valve leaflet mobility using 4D CT must be performed per the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). All 4D CT scans for subjects enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy must be	
				sent to the CT Core Laboratory for independent analyses. Note: The CT scans will be read by the CT Core Laboratory and will not be provided to local investigators except as per below. Local reading should be done only for non-cardiac valve findings such as unexpected lung pathology. A study CT scan can be unblinded upon investigator	

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				request based on any of the following if the event occurs within 2 weeks of the study CT scan. o Any neurological event o Any potential embolic event o Any MI (ST segment elevation MI or non-ST segment elevation MI) o Increase in aortic regurgitation to moderate or severe o A change in echocardiographic parameters including an increase in mean gradient of >10 mmHg or a change in Doppler velocity index (DVI) of >0.05. If any of the above events occurs outside of the 2 week window around the study CT scan, the investigator must not be unblinded to the core laboratory assessment of the study CT scan and instead should perform a separate CT scan if clinically indicated. If an additional CT scan is performed for clinical indications, it should be sent to the CT Core	
			11.10.2 6-Month Follow- up	Laboratory for analysis — (section removed)	
			11.10.3. 12-Month Follow- up	Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE and CEC events) assessment for test and control device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s), with associated treatment Quality of Life Surveys: Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 Quality of Life Questionnaires Note: Health utilities will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF 12 Quality of Life questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. A formal health economics analysis may be completed if meaningful clinical results are obtained.	
			11.10.4 Annual Follow-up	All implanted subjects must be evaluated • Complete adverse event (AE, SAE, SADE, UADE, ADE and CEC events) assessment for test and control device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s), with associated treatment • Quality of Life Surveys: Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF-12 Quality of Life Questionnaires	

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			11.10.7 Withdrawal	Note: Quality of life will be evaluated by the Kansas City Cardiomyopathy and SF 12 questionnaires at baseline, 1 month, 1 year, and 5 years. A formal health economics analysis may be completed if meaningful clinical results are obtained. • For subjects enrolled in the CT Imaging Substudy, assessment of prosthetic valve leaflet mobility using 4D CT must be performed per the CT Core Laboratory procedure guidelines (see study Manual of Operations). The 4D CT scans done for the CT Imaging Substudy must be sent to the CT Core Laboratory for independent analyses. Note: The CT scans will be read by the CT Core Laboratory and findings will not be provided to local investigators except as noted above. Local reading should be done only for non-cardiac valve findings such as unexpected lung pathology. A study CT scan can be unblinded upon investigator request based on the conditions described in Section 11.10.1 if the event occurs within 2 weeks of the study CT scan.	
			and Replacement	(separate section removed)	
			11.10.8 Explant Procedure	11.10.6 Explant Procedure If a valve If a SAPIEN 3 control Information	Updated to reflect single-arm design
			11.11 Study Completion	All subjects who receive a test or control device will be evaluated at 30 days, 6 months, 12 months For subjects who do not receive a test or control device, participation in the study will be considered complete after the 1-year visit. Any ongoing adverse events after study completion should be managed per standard of care.	Updated for clarity
			11.12 Source Documents	When available, original source documents (see Table 26.2 1 for definition) should be maintained at the investigational center. In lieu of original source documents, certified copies are required to be maintained. A certified copy is a copy (irrespective of the type of media used) of the original record that has been verified (i.e., by a dated signature [PI or as delegated by PI] or by generation through a validated process) to have the same information, including data that describe the context, content, and structure, as the original. Source documentation includes but is not limited to those items noted in Table 11.12 1. New Table 11.12-1 Source Documentation Requirements	

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			11.13 Local Laboratory/	Appropriate certifications and documentation records are required to be maintained at the investigative center for local laboratory/vendor work.	
			12.1 Endpoints	(section removed)	Updated for single-arm design
			12.1.1 Primary Endpoint	The primary endpoint is the composite of all-cause mortality, and all stroke and mild or greater paravalvular aortic regurgitation (PVR; based on core lab assessment) at 1 year.	
			12.1.1.1 Statistical Hypothesis for the Primary Endpoint	The statistical hypothesis for the Primary Endpoint The statistical hypothesis is that the rate of the primary endpoint (composite of all-cause mortality and all stroke at 1 year) in the Main Cohort is less than the performance goal (PG) of 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%). A one-sample z-test will be used to test the one-sided hypothesis that the 1-year primary endpoint rate for LOTUS Edge in the Main Cohort is less than the PG: H₀: P _{LOTUS Edge} ≥ PG H₁: P _{LOTUS Edge} < PG where P _{LOTUS Edge} is the primary endpoint rate for the LOTUS Edge group and PG is the performance goal. The primary analysis set for the primary endpoint is the intention-to-treat (ITT) analysis set (see Section 12.2.1). This endpoint will also be analyzed for the implanted analysis set.	
			12.1.1.1.2 Secondary Hypothesis	(section removed)	
			12.1.1.2 Sample Size Parameters for the Primary Endpoint	The sample size calculation for the primary endpoint is based on the following assumptions. • Expected rate for LOTUS Edge = 11.1%* • Testing margin = 4.1% (37% relative to the expected rate) • Performance goal (PG) = 15.2% (expected rate of 11.1% plus testing margin of 4.1%) • Test significance level (α) = 0.025 (1-sided) • Power (1 minus β) = 87.5% • Number of evaluable subjects = 675	
				• Expected rate of attrition = 3%	

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				• Total enrollment (evaluable Main Cohort) = 696 * Estimated pooled rate from the fixed/random effects model based on the ITT TAVR arm data from PARTNER II S3i and SURTAVI	
			12.1.1.2.2 Secondary Hypothesis	(section removed)	
			12.1.1.3 Success Criteria-Primary Endpoint	If the <i>P</i> value from the one-sample z-test is <0.025, it will be concluded that the primary endpoint with the LOTUS Edge Valve System is less than the PG. This corresponds to the one-sided upper 97.5% confidence bound of the observed composite rate of all-cause mortality and all stroke in the Main Cohort at 1 year being < 15.2%.	
			12.1.1.4 Statistical Methods-Primary Endpoint	All subjects who are enrolled and randomized will be eligible for evaluation. Any events or hospitalizations occurring after enrollment but prior to the index procedure should be entered in the electronic data capture system. Handling of dropouts and missing data will depend on their frequency and the nature of the outcome measure. Sensitivity analyses (e.g., tipping-point analysis) will be performed to assess the impact of subjects with inadequate follow-up (i.e., missing data) on the primary endpoint and to assess the robustness of the conclusion of the primary analysis. A sensitivity analysis of the primary endpoint, including events occurring after enrollment but prior to the index procedure, will be performed. This sensitivity analysis of the primary endpoint will include the last available post-procedure core lab assessment of PVR data for subjects who survive with no stroke through 1 year but have missing or unanalyzable data for PVR at 1 year. Statistical models	Updated for clarity
			12.1.2 Secondary Endpoint		Updated to reflect single-arm design and
			12.1.3 Baseline Comparability	Baseline data will be summarized by treatment group for the randomized subjects and separately for subjects in the Main Cohort, Roll-In Cohort, and Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort. Subject demographics variables. Treatments for the randomized subjects will be compared with a chisquare or Fisher exact test for discrete variables and a Student t test for continuous variables. Procedural characteristics will be summarized similarly.	for clarity

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			12.1.4 Post- procedure Measurements	12.1.3 Post-procedure Measurements Post-procedure information will be presented. Treatments for the randomized subjects will be compared with the chi-square or Fisher exact test for discrete variables and the Student t test for continuous variables. No inferences are planned on the additional measurements and, therefore, alpha adjustments for multiple comparisons will not be used. The Kaplan-Meier estimate rates for time-to-event endpoints and treatment groups will be compared using the Log-rank and Wilcoxon tests. Adverse	
			12.1.5 Subgroup Analyses for Randomized Subjects	12.1.4 Subgroup Analyses Primary and pre-specified additional endpoints as appropriate. For the CT Imaging Substudy, data from the 4D CT scan at 30 days and at 1 year post LOTUS Edge valve implantation to assess the prevalence of reduced leaflet mobility will be summarized and the relationship, if any, to clinical events will be explored.	Updated for clarity and for the CT Imaging Substudy
			12.2.1 Analysis Sets	The primary endpoints and additional measurements will be analyzed on an intention-to-treat (ITT), an as treated and an implanted basis. Among the randomized cohort, For ITT analyses, all subjects who sign the IRB/HREC-approved study ICF (see Section 11.3) and are enrolled in the trial and are randomized will be included in the analysis, whether or not an assigned study valve (LOTUS Edge Valve or SAPIEN 3 Valve) was implanted. The as treated control subject for the astreated analyses). For implanted analyses, ITT subjects who had the assigned, randomized study valve (LOTUS Edge Valve or SAPIEN 3 Valve) implanted will be included in the analysis. For all analysis sets, if a subject For the Main Cohort, the primary endpoint (both hypotheses) and the secondary endpoint—will be analyzed for the ITT, as treated, and implanted analysis sets. The primary analysis for the primary endpoint (both hypotheses) and the secondary endpoint will be based on the ITT analysis set.	Updated to reflect single-arm design
			12.2.3 Randomization	(section removed)	
			12.2.4 Reporting Events	12.2.3 Reporting Events For all randomized subjects, events from the time of randomization onward all events that occur from the time of enrollment will be reported. For randomized subjects For time based clinical events, the cut-off for	

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				events for 30-day endpoints will be 30 days, for 6-month endpoints will be 180 days, for 1-year endpoints	
			12.3 Data Analyses	Baseline and analysis of the primary safety endpoint, primary effectiveness endpoint, secondary endpoint, and additional measurements.	
			12.3.2 Interim Analyses	or futility. Administrative analyses for regulatory agency review may be performed.	Updated for clarity
			12.3.3 Justification of Pooling	All analyses for the primary endpoint will be presented performed using data pooled across clinical centers. An assessment made by fitting a logistic regression model with the primary composite endpoint of all death and all stroke and with the center as the main effect. If the P value for the coefficient for the center is ≥ 0.1 , the data can be pooled across centers. In the analysis centers with fewer than 106 -subjects enrolled have ≥ 106 subjects, but	
			12.3.4 Multivariable	Univariate and multivariate analyses will be performed to assess the effect of potential predictors on the primary endpoint and the secondary endpoint as described	
			13.1 Data Collection	The clinical database will reside on a production server hosted by Medidata EDC System (New York, New York, USA). All,,,	
			13.2 Data Retention	The Principal Investigator or his/her designee or Investigational center will maintain all essential study documents and source documentation that support the data collected on the study subjects in compliance with applicable regulatory requirements. Documents The Principal Investigator or his/her designee will take measures to ensure that these essential documents are not accidentally damaged or destroyed. If for any reason the Principal Investigator or his/her designee withdraws responsibility for maintaining these essential documents, custody must be transferred to an individual who will assume responsibility and BSC must receive written notification of this custodial change. Centers are required to inform BSC in writing where paper or electronic files are maintained in case files are stored off site and are not readily available.	
			13.3.4 Histopathology	If a LOTUS Edge valve (test device) is explanted	
			15. Deviations	An Investigator	

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				Deviations will be reviewed and evaluated on an ongoing basis and, as necessary, appropriate corrective and preventive actions (including IRB/HREC notification, center re-training, or center discontinuation/termination) will be put into place by the Sponsor.	
			16 Device Accountability	Ic. 1 Device Accountability for Products Labelled Investigational The LOTUS EdgeTM Valve System and iSleeveTM Introducer Set investigational devices will be released by the Sponsor or designee to the clinical center only after the center has been initiated and all regulatory approvals as well as required documentation have been collected from the center. The LOTUS EdgeTM Valve System and iSleeveTM Introducer Set investigational devices shall be securely maintained and controlled and used only in this clinical study. Additionally, the study personnel must follow the instructions related to the storage of the test and control investigational devices as noted in the corresponding IFUs. Device Accountability Logs for the LOTUS Edge Valve System and iSleeve Introducer will be provided to the centers and will be used to track subjects and device allocations during the study. An electronic interactive response technology (IRT) will be used for investigational device management and accountability during the study. The Sponsor or designee shall keep records to document the physical location of all investigational devices from shipment of the investigational devices to the investigation centers until return or disposal. The IRT will be used to document reception of the investigational device at a center. Records shall be kept by authorized center study personnel to document the physical location and conditions of storage of all investigational devices. Centers must not dispose of any investigational devices for any reason at the center unless instructed to do so by BSC. Any investigational device that is disposed of at the center must be documented appropriately. recorded in the Device Accountability Log. The PI Centers must document the reasons for any discrepancy noted in device accountability. The Principal Investigator or an authorized designee shall keep records documenting the receipt, use, return, transfer, and disposal of the investigational devices, which shall include the following; this will be verified by pe	

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				• Identification	
				Date of return and quantity of unused	
			16.2 Control Device	16.2 Commercial Device	
				For countries where the introducer sets are commercially available, appropriate information on the SAPIEN 3 control device size and model	
			17.1 Statement of Compliance	The REPRISE IV study will be conducted in accordance with 21 CFR 814.20 parts 11, 50, 54, 56, and part 812	
				The study appropriate. Also, the study shall not begin prior to issuance of the center Authorization to Screen, as provided by the Sponsor. Any	
			17.2 Investigator Responsibilities	The Principal Investigator of an investigational center is responsible for ensuring that the study is conducted in accordance with the Clinical Study Agreement, the clinical investigation plan/protocol • Provide results	
				Complete training requirements associated with the SAPIEN 3 device	
				Record, report adverse event as applicable per the protocol and observed device deficiency.	
				• Report to BSC, per the protocol requirements, all SAEs and device deficiencies that could have led to a SADE and potential/USADE or UADE.	
				• Report to the IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities any SAEs and device deficiencies that could have led to a SADE and potential/USADE or UADE, if required by applicable laws the national or regulations or this protocol	
				• Allow be accessible to the clinical research monitor or auditor and respond to questions during monitoring visits or audits	
				• Ensure that informed consent is obtained in accordance with applicable laws, this protocol and local IRB/HREC requirements	
				• Provide the subject with well-defined procedures for possible emergency situations related to the clinical study, and make the necessary arrangements for emergency treatment, including decoding procedures for	
				blinded/masked clinical investigations, as needed.	

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			17.2.1 Delegation of Responsibility	providing appropriate training so the delegate is competent to perform the tasks they have been delegated, and adequate supervision of those to whom tasks are delegated. Where there is a sub-investigator at a center, the sub-investigator should not be delegated the primary supervisory responsibility for the center. The investigator	
			17.3 Institutional Review Board	17.3 Institutional Review Board/Human Research Ethics Committee Prior to gaining Approval to Enroll status the investigational center will provide to the Sponsor documentation verifying that their IRB is registered or that registration has been submitted to the appropriate agency, as applicable according to national/regulatory requirements. The investigational center will obtain the written and dated approval/favorable opinion of their IRB/HREC for the clinical investigation before recruiting subjects and implementing all subsequent amendments, if required. A copy investigational product/equipment Any amendment to the protocol will require review and approval by the IRB/HREC before the changes are implemented in the study. All changes to the ICF will be IRB/HREC approved; a determination will be made regarding whether a new ICF needs to be obtained from subjects who provided consent using a previously approved ICF. Annual IRB/HREC approval and renewals will be obtained throughout the duration of the study as required by applicable local/country laws or regulations or IRB/HREC requirements. Copies of the Investigator's reports and the IRB/HREC continuance of approval must be provided to the Sponsor.	
			17.4 Sponsor Responsibilities	All information considered confidential by BSC and will be kept confidential in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Only research and/or other business purposes such as overseeing and improving the performance of its device, new medical research and proposals for developing new medical products or procedures. All data used in the analysis and reporting of this study or shared with a third-party researcher will be without identifiable reference to specific subjects Boston Scientific Corporation will keep subjects' health information confidential in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Boston Scientific Corporation may use subjects' health information to	

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				conduct this research, as well as for additional purposes, such as overseeing and improving the performance of its device, new medical research and proposals for developing new medical products or procedures, and other business purposes. Information	
			17.4.1 Training with the Investigational	Training on the LOTUS Edge Valve System has been developed that meets the requirements of ISO 5840-3 and includes the following elements.	
				Device Description: A detailed description of all components of the device including a summary of the basic principles of operation.	
				 Patient selection and sizing: A detailed review of pre-procedural imaging techniques to aid in patient selection and sizing decisions for valve implantation. 	
				 Step by Step Procedure: A detailed description of each step of the procedure. The training describes any warnings associated with any steps, and tips and tricks for valve implantation. 	
				 Implantation techniques: A detailed review of specific implantation techniques based on clinical cases. 	
				 Device Demonstration: A hands on training to practice the implantation procedure in a bench model or a robotic simulation system. 	
				 Device training to include a detailed description of all device components including a summary of the basic principle of operation and hands-on bench top demonstration using valve and delivery system components in a simulated implantation model. 	
				Patient selection and device sizing to include a review of the Directions for Use (IFU) and pre-procedural and procedural imaging techniques to aid in sizing decisions and implantation of the valve	
				 Implantation techniques to include a step-by-step review of the procedure (including alternative access, where applicable) while highlighting associated cautions and warnings from the IFU. Training should include video representation of implantation 	

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				procedural steps and associated fluoroscopic images of each step. Clinical case reviews should be presented to demonstrate intended procedural steps as well as appropriate troubleshooting.	
				 Proctoring: The investigator and co-investigators as well as the scrub team will be proctored by an experienced TAVR physician on a minimum of 5 6 implantation procedures. These are to be performed in the investigator's institution with his/her staff. If the proctor or investigators (First Operator and Second Operator) are not satisfied that these initial proctored procedures are sufficient preparation, then subsequent proctoring sessions may be added as needed. 	
				Note 1: The training requirements listed above apply to centers that do not have any previous If a physician has prior experience implanting the Lotus Valve, he/she will be trained per above to the LOTUS Edge Valve System prior to re-starting first implants. If the center has prior experience implanting the Lotus Valve but not the LOTUS Edge Valve System, the training will be modified to focus on the changes between Lotus and LOTUS Edge. These Lotus experienced physicians will not be certified to the LOTUS Edge Valve System until these training requirements have been met and three implants with the LOTUS Edge Valve System have been completed. Further, if the physician was considered proctor-free under the previous Lotus program, a proctor will not be required	
				Note 2: For centers that do not have implantation experience with the LOTUS Edge Valve System, at least 2 roll-in cases will be performed before enrollment can commence in the Randomized Main Cohort will count towards the 5 6 required proctored	
			17.4.2 Role of Boston Scientific	Boston Scientific Corporation personnel (including field clinical engineers) who are trained in the use of the investigational device will trained on the investigational device(s) IFU(s). Support may include HCP training (see Section 17.4.1), addressing HCP questions, or	
			18 Monitoring	In addition, the clinical research monitor verifies and that the Principal Investigator continues to have sufficient staff and facilities to conduct the study safely and effectively. The Principal	

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				Investigator/institution guarantees direct access to original source documents and/or certified copies (please see Section 11.12) by BSC It is important that the Principal Investigator and relevant	
			19 Potential Risks and Benefits	Risks to clinical subjects the Evolut R CE Mark Study, the Surgical Replacement and Transcatheter Aortic Valve Implantation (SURTAVI) trial, the EVOLUT R US study, the PORTICO Pre-CE Mark study, and the Potential risks and benefits have been included in the study-specific template of the ICF provided to the study centers (see Section 21). While some risks may be lower with SAPIEN 3 compared to LOTUS Edge (e.g., new conduction disturbance that may result in the need for a permanent pacemaker), there may also be potential benefits of the LOTUS Edge Valve over SAPIEN 3 (e.g., a lower likelihood of PVR and a lower likelihood of annular rupture or valve malpositioning).	Updated to reflect single-arm design and to include additional references
			19.1 Risks Associated with	19.1 Anticipated Adverse Events and Risks Associated with Adverse events use of the LOTUS Edge Valve System, and the Lotus and iSleeve Introducer Sets and/or SAPIEN 3 include but may not be limited to the following. • Abnormal lab values (including anemia, electrolytes, hemolysis and/or hemolytic anemia) • Access site complications (including arteriovenous [AV] fistula, hematoma or lymphatic problems) • Allergic reaction (including to medications, anesthesia, contrast, or device materials, including nickel, titanium, tantalum, bovine-derived materials or polyurethanes) • Bleeding or hemorrhage (possibly requiring transfusion or intervention additional procedure) • Cerebrovascular accident, stroke, transient ischemic attack or cerebral infarction including asymptomatic neuroimaging findings • Device misplacement, migration, or embolization • Emboli (including air, ealeium, tissue, thrombus or device materials) • Endocarditis • Fever or inflammation • Hemolysis and/or hemolytic anemia • Infection (local and/or systemic, including septicemia)	Updated for clarity

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				 Inflammation Mitral valve insufficiency Myocardial ischemia or infarction Nerve injury or neurologic deficits (including encephalopathy) Pericardial effusion or cardiac tamponade Restenosis (including pannus formation) Valve dysfunction As a result of these complications adverse events, the subject may require medical, percutaneous or surgical intervention, including reoperation and replacement of the valve. Such complications may be These events may lead to fatal outcomes. As the LOTUS Edge Valve System and the iSleeve Introducer Set are is an investigational device, uncertainty 19.2 Risks Associated with the Study Device(s) Overall, there are no incremental risks expected with the investigational device(s) compared to similar devices on the market. 	
			19.4 Risk Minimization Actions	19.5 Risk Minimization Actions Additional risks Neurological assessments (NIHSS and mRS) will be performed	
			19.6.1 Potential Benefits	as described in the scientific literature (see summary in Section 4.1 of this document and details in Sections 2 and 3 of the Investigator Brochure), potentially	Updated for clarity
			20.1 Reportable Events	It is the responsibility • Unanticipated adverse device effects/unanticipated serious adverse device effects • If complications or For the randomized cohort event reporting (eCRF data entry) is required beginning from the time of randomization. For the roll in cohort and the Bicuspid Nested Registry cohort, event reporting Event reporting Event reporting Refer to Section 19 for the known risks associated with the study devices (test and control)	Updated for clarity to reflect the single-arm design

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			20.2 Definitions and Classification	Adverse event definitions are provided in Table 20.2 1. Administrative edits were made on the safety definitions from ISO 14155 and MEDDEV 2.7/3 for clarification purposes. Table 20.2-1: Adverse Event Definitions Any untoward medical occurrence Note 1: This definition includes events related to the investigational medical device or the comparator.	
			Table 20.2 Serious Adverse Event Definition	Note 1: This definition meets the reporting objectives and requirements of ISO 14155 and MEDDEV 2.7/3. Adverse event that:or 3) in-patient hospitalization or prolongation of existing hospitalization, or Note 2: Planned hospitalization for a pre-existing condition, or a procedure required by the protocol clinical investigational plan, without a serious deterioration in health, is not considered a serious adverse event.	Changed to address updated regulatory requirements
			Table 20.2 Unanticipated Serious Adverse Device Effect (USADE) Definition	Added text: Serious adverse device effect which by its nature, incidence, severity, or outcome has not been identified in the current version of the risk analysis report. Note: Anticipated serious adverse device effect (ASADE) is an effect which by its nature, incidence, severity or outcome has been identified in the risk analysis report.	Updated for clarity
			20.3 Relationship to Study Device(s)	The Investigator must assess the relationship of the AE/SAE to the study device and procedure Table 20.3-1: Criteria for Assessing Relationship of Study Device and Procedure to Adverse Event	
			20.4 Investigator Reporting Requirements	The communication requirements event. Centers should report control device related deficiencies as per requirements in the control device IFU. Table 20.4 1: Investigator Reporting Requirements	Updated requirements

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				Unanticipated Adverse Device Effect/Unanticipated Serious Adverse Device Effect (UADE/USADE)	Complete adverse event (AE) electronic case report form (eCRF) page with all available new and updated information	Within 1 business day of first becoming aware of the event Beginning from time of enrollment for all subjects Terminating at the end of the study	
					Provide copies of all relevant source documentation (deidentified/pseudonymized) for reported event requested by BSC	At request of Sponsor	
				Serious Adverse Event (SAE) including Serious Adverse Device Effects (SADE)	Complete AE eCRF page with all available new and updated information	Within 3 calendar days of first becoming aware of the event or as per local/regional regulations. Beginning from time of enrollment	
						• Reporting required through the end of the study	
					Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/ pseudonymized) for reported event	When documentation is available At request of Sponsor	

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				Serious Adverse Device Effects (SADE)	Complete AE eCRF page with all available new and updated information.	Within 3 calendar days of first becoming aware of the event or as per local/regional regulations.	
						Reporting required through the end of the study	
					Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/ pseudonymized) for reported event.	 When documentation is available At Sponsor request. 	
				Adverse Event including Adverse Device Effects (AE/ADE)	Complete AE eCRF page, which contains such information as date of AE, treatment of AE resolution, assessment of seriousness and relationship to the device.	As soon as possible before the next planned monitoring visit In a timely manner (e.g., recommend within 10 business days) after becoming aware of the information Beginning from	
						time of enrollment for all subjects	
						Reporting required through 12 months	
					Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/	• At request of Sponsor	

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				Device Deficiencies (including but not limited to failures, malfunctions, and product nonconformities) Note:	pseudonymized) for reported event. Complete applicable eCRF fields/page with all available new and updated information. Provide all relevant source documentation (de-identified/pseudonymized) for reported event	Investigational Device • Within 3 calendar days of first becoming aware of the event • Reporting required through 12 months Control Device As required per IFU and as per local/regional regulations • At request of Sponsor	
				devices or with medical	ket studies are clinical studevices that bear the regume approved indications.	latory approval and are	
			20.5.1 Boston Scientific Device Deficiencies	All LOTUS Edge Valve System and iSleeve Introducer Set device deficiencies (including but not limited to failures, malfunctions, use errors, product nonconformities, and inadequacy in the information supplied by the manufacturer) related to the investigational device or future iterations must be documented			Updated for clarity
			20.5.2 Control Device Deficiencies	Section removed			Updated single-arm trial design
			20.6. Reporting to Regulatory	20.6. Reporting to Reg Investigators	ulatory Authorities / IR	Bs/ HRECs /	Updated for clarity

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			Authorities / IRBs/ Investigators	Boston Scientific Corporation is responsible for reporting AE information to all participating Principal Investigators, IRBs/HRECs, and regulatory authorities as applicable according to local reporting requirements. The Principal Investigator is responsible for informing the IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities of UADEs, SADEs, SAEs, Device Deficiencies and/or other CEC events as applicable according to local reporting requirements. A copy of the Investigator's reports and other relevant reports (if applicable) to the IRB/HREC must be provided to BSC in accordance with local requirements.	
			21 Informed Consent	Subject participation in this clinical study is voluntary. Informed Consent is required from each subject or his/her legally authorized and the local Ethics Committee and/or Regulatory authority body, as applicable The ICF shall always be signed and personally dated by the subject or legal representative competent to sign the ICF under the applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines and by the investigator or Failure to obtain subject consent will be reported by BSC to the applicable regulatory body according to their requirements (e.g., the United States Food and Drug Administration [FDA] requirement is within 5 working days of learning of such an event). Any violations of the informed consent process must be reported as deviations to the Sponsor and local regulatory authorities (e.g., IRB/HREC), as appropriate such as if there are amendments to the applicable laws, protocol, a change in Principal Investigator, administrative changes, or following annual review by the IRB/HREC. The new version of the ICF must be approved by the IRB/HREC. Boston Scientific Corporation approval is required if changes to the revised ICF are requested by the center's IRB/HREC. The IRB/HREC will determine the subject population to be re-consented. Study personnel should explain that even if a subject agrees to participate in the study and signs an ICF, the heart team and/or the CRC may determine that the subject is not a suitable candidate for the study and/or	

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				maintained by the center to document select information about candidates who fail to meet the general or "other specific" entry criteria.	
			22.1 Safety Monitoring Process	During regularly scheduled monitoring visits, clinical research monitors will support the dynamic reporting process through their review of source document and other data information	
			23.2 Termination of	Any investigator or associated IRB/HREC in the REPRISE IV study or regulatory authority may discontinue participation	
			23.4 Criteria for Suspending/	In the event of termination of investigator center participation, all study devices and testing equipment, as applicable, will be returned to BSC unless this action would jeopardize the rights, safety or well-being of the subjects. The IRB/HREC and regulatory authorities, as applicable, should will be notified. All subjects enrolled in the study at the center will continue to be followed per this protocol. The Principal Investigator at the center must make provision for these follow up visits unless BSC notifies the investigational center otherwise. Study subjects will be contacted, as applicable, and be informed of changes to study visit schedule.	
			24 Publication Policy	In accordance with the Global SOP Human Subject Data and Research Controls, Boston Scientific Corporation requires disclosure of its involvement as a sponsor or financial supporter in any publication or presentation relating to a BSC study or its results. In accordance with the Global SOP Human Subject Data and Research Controls, Boston Scientific Corporation will submit study results for publication (regardless of study outcome) in a timely manner following the conclusion or termination of the study. Boston Scientific Corporation follows authorship principals as adheres to the Contributorship Criteria set forth in the Uniform Requirements The data, analytic methods, and study materials for this clinical trial may be made available to other researchers in accordance with the Boston Scientific Data Sharing Policy (http://www.bostonscientific.com/en-US/data-sharing-requests.html).	
			25 Bibliography	Bibliography updated to accommodate new references in the Introduction, etc.	
			26.2 Definitions	Table 26.2-1 Definitions Removed "AS-TREATED ANALYSIS SET"	

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				IMPLANTED ANALYSIS SET	This population includes all subjects who sign the IRB/HREC-approved study Informed Consent Form, are enrolled in the trial, and are implanted with the assigned, randomized study device-valve. Note 1: If a subject receives 2 valves, the subject is assigned to the group corresponding to the first valve received.	
				INTENT TO TREAT (ITT) ANALYSIS SET	This population includes all subjects who sign the IRB/HREC-approved study Informed Consent Form and are enrolled in the trial and are randomized whether or not a assigned study device is implanted. Subjects in the ITT population will be followed with their ITT cohort. Note 1: If a subject receives 2 valves, the subject is assigned to the group corresponding to the first valve received.	
				OPERATIVE RISK	Operative risk is determined by a center cardiac surgeon and must be confirmed by the Case Review Committee (including a cardiac surgeon). Intermediate: Estimated 30-day risk of mortality is 3-10% High: Estimated 30-day risk of mortality is >10-15%% Very High: Estimated 30-day risk of mortality is >15% Extreme: Estimated 30-day risk of irreversible morbidity or mortality is >50%	
			27.1.2 Protocol Version B to Version C	Table 27.1-2: Table of	es between protocol versions B and C. Changes for REPRISE IV Protocol Version C SE IV Protocol Version B)	

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D	21-Nov-2018	90702637 Rev/Ver AG	Page 2	Study Coordinating Principal Investigators	Interventional Cardiologist Study Co-Principal Investigator Christopher U. Meduri, MD, MPH Piedmont Heart Institute 95 Collier Road Northwest, Suite 5015 Atlanta, GA 30309 Ted Feldman, MD Evanston Hospital, North Shore University Health System Cardiology Division—Walgreen Building 3rd Floor 2650 Ridge Avenue Evanston, IL 60201 USA	New Study Coordinating Principal Investigator
					Bicuspid Registry – Coordinating Principal Investigator Vivek Rajagopal, MD Piedmont Heart Institute 95 Collier Road Northwest, Suite 5015 1968 Peachtree Road, NW, Building 95, Suite 5015 Atlanta, GA 30309 USA	Updated address
					n: 21-Nov-2018 of Revision History	Updated for clarity
			11.2 Study Candidate Screening	Clinical assessment and evaluation, collected tests and images (e.g., echocardiography, computerized tomography [CT], angiography) performed in preparation for TAVR, any planned concomitant treatment of coronary artery disease (CAD), and any planned		Concomitant treatment of coronary artery disease is not allowed
			16.1 Device Accountability for Products Labeled Investigational		vestigational devices must be returned to BSC or its by of the Device Accountability Logs must also be	All Device Accountability records to be logged electronically with no separate Device Accountability Logs

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			27.1.3 Protocol Version C to Version D	Table 27.1-3 lists changes between protocol versions C and D. Table 27.1-3: Table of Changes for REPRISE IV Protocol Version D (Compared to REPRISE IV Protocol Version C)	Updated for clarity
Е	25-Feb-2020	90702637 Rev/Ver AG	Page 2	Current Version: 25-Feb-2020 Updated Table of Revision History	Updated for clarity
			2. Synopsis, Study Design	Updated REPRISE IV Study Design Overview figure to show follow-up to 10 years post index procedure.	FDA request to extend study to 10 years
		Additional Measurements Safety endpoints	2. Synopsis, Additional measurements will be of 10 years post index procedure • Safety endpoints • Bleeding: Life-threatening • Major vascular complication • Additional indications of prostheting measured by transthoracic echocal Note 3 below) • Functional (see Note 3 below) • Neurological (see Note 4 below) Note 3: Echocardiography and NYHA years 6, 8, and 9 (telephone follow-up) Note 4: NIHSS is required at discharges	 Safety endpoints Bleeding: Life-threatening (through 5 years) Major vascular complication (through 5 years) Additional indications of prosthetic aortic valve performance as measured by transthoracic echocardiography (TTE; see Note 2 and Note 3 below) Functional (see Note 3 below) Neurological (see Note 4 below) Note 3: Echocardiography and NYHA assessment are not required in years 6, 8, and 9 (telephone follow-up only). Note 4: NIHSS is required at discharge and 1 year; mRS is required at all follow-up visits up to 5 years. 	
			All subjects implanted and then annually for up to 10 years post-procedure The visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years, and 10 years are to be an office/clinical or in-person visit but may be done in-hospital should the subject be admitted at the time. Telephone follow-up is allowed at 6, 8, and 9 years.		
			2. Synopsis, Study Duration	Enrollmentapproximately 24 monthsthe total study duration is estimated to be approximately 12 years.	
			2. Synopsis, Participant Duration	study duration for each subject is estimated to be approximately 10 years.	
			7.2 Additional Measurements	Additional measurements collected annually up to 10 years post index procedure	Updated for clarity
				Safety endpoints	

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				 Bleeding: Life-threatening (through 5 years) Major vascular complication (including annular rupture; through 5 years) Neurological status modified Rankin Scale visits up to 5 years 	
				Note 5: Echocardiography and NYHA assessment are not required in years 6, 8, and 9 (telephone follow-up only).	
			7.3 Overview of Objectives	Table 7.3-1 Safety measures at discharge, 30 days, and annually up to 10 years post index procedure	FDA request to extend study to 10 years
			8.1 Scale	All subjects implanted will be followed annually for up to 10 years post-procedure.	
			8.3 Study Design	All implanted subjects will be followed for up to 10 years post index procedure.	
			10.3 End of Study Definition	All subjects who receive a study device will be evaluated at discharge or 7 days (whichever comes first), 30 days, and annually up to 10 years post index procedure. Visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years and 10 years are office/in-person visits. Telephone follow-up is allowed at 6, 8, and 9 years. A subject's participation in the study will be considered complete after the 10-year visit.	
			11.1 Data Collection	Figure 11.1-1 REPRISE IV Data Collection Scheme updated to show extension of study to 10 years post index procedure Table 11.1-1 Study Event Schedule updated to show extension of study to 10 years post index procedure	
			11.1 Data Collection	Figure 11.1-1 REPRISE IV Data Collection Scheme: In the "Clinical & Anatomic Eligibility Criteria Assessment" column added "/CT Coronary Angiogram" to the "Coronary Angiogram" box Table 11.1-1 Study Event Schedule: Assessment: Coronary angiogram/CT coronary angiogram	Clarify that CT angiogram can be used for coronary assessment, which reflects current standard of care
					reflects curren

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			11.2 Study Candidate Screening	Subjects will be In the United States, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) require independent evaluations by 2 cardiac surgeons for reimbursement. The heart team	Change to CMS requirements
			11.4 Screening Assessments	Risk assessments: Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS) score In the United States, CMS requires independent evaluations by 2 cardiac surgeons for reimbursement.	
			11.4 Screening Assessments	Imaging Assessments A coronary angiogram/CT coronary angiogram must	Reflects current standard of care
			11.10 Follow-up	All implanted subjects will be evaluated at 30 days and then annually up to 10 years post index procedure Physical clinic visits or in-person follow-up visits are scheduled for appointed times after the date of the procedure through 5 years and at 7 and 10 years. Telephone follow-up is allowed at 6, 8, and 9 years.	FDA request to extend study to 10 years
				Visits/telephone follow-up not completed will be considered missed and recorded as protocol deviations. Visits/telephone follow-up completed outside these windows will be recorded as protocol deviations. Each follow-up visit must be performed	
			11.10.3 Annual Follow-up (±45 Days)	Added "to 5 Years" to the section title All implanted subjects must be evaluated in person at 24, 36, 48, and 60 months	Updated for clarity
			11.10.4 Follow-up (±60 Days) at 7 and 10 Years	Added new section 11.10.4 All implanted subjects must be evaluated in person at 84 and 120 months after the index procedure, with a window of ±60 days. The following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.	FDA request to extend study to 10 years
				NYHA classification	
				Current antiplatelet, anticoagulant (if applicable)	
				• TTE, including assessment of effective orifice area, peak and mean aortic valve gradient pressure, aortic regurgitation assessment, peak aortic velocity, and LVEF per the Echocardiography Core Laboratory procedure guidelines. All TTEs must be forwarded to the Core Laboratory for	

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				independent analyses. Note: TTE must be done for all subjects who have a transcatheter valve implanted in the aortic position during the index procedure.	
				• Serious adverse event (SAE, SADE, UADE, and relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s) with associated treatment. Note: Relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC include the following: mortality, stroke, spontaneous myocardial infarction, acute kidney injury, repeat procedure for valve-related dysfunction, hospitalization for valve-related symptoms or worsening congestive heart failure (NYHA III or IV), new pacemaker, new onset atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter, prosthetic aortic valve malpositioning (valve migration, valve embolization, or ectopic valve deployment), TAV-in-TAV, prosthetic aortic valve thrombosis and endocarditis	
			11.10.5 Follow-up (±60 Days) at 6, 8 and 9 Years	Added new section 11.10.5 All implanted subjects must be evaluated at 72, 96, and 108 months after the index procedure, with a window of ±60 days. This evaluation may be conducted by telephone. The following assessments must be completed. The REPRISE IV eCRFs identify the specific data points to be collected.	
				Current antiplatelet, anticoagulant (if applicable) Serious adverse event (SAE, SADE, UADE, and relevant VARC events to be adjudicated by the CEC) assessment for test device(s) and device deficiencies assessment for test device(s) with associated treatment. Please see Section 11.10.4 for a list of relevant VARC events.	
			11.10.6 Management of Missed	NOTE: Updated section number from 11.10.4 to 11.10.8 Missed or late visits (or telephone follow-up as indicated in Table 11.1 1) will be recorded as protocol deviations and will be reviewed as such by the Sponsor or designee on a regular basis in accordance with applicable standard operating procedures. Note: The follow-up visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years, and 10 years must be conducted in-person.	
			11.10.7 Procedure for Determining	• Failure to complete 2 consecutive visits (or telephone follow-up as indicated in Table 11.1 1) without due cause	

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			11.11 Study Completion	All subjects who receive a test device will be evaluated at 30 days and then annually up to 10 years post index procedure. Visits in the first 5 years and at 7 and 10 years are office or in-person visits. Evaluations may be conducted by telephone at 6, 8 and 9 years. A subject's participation in the study will be considered complete after the 10-year visit.				
			12.2.3 Reporting Events	For time based clinical events, the cut-off for events for 30-day endpoints will be 30 days, for 1-year endpoints it will be 365 days, and for 2-10 year endpoints it will be 365 days times the number of years.				
			20.1 Reportable Events	Based on the VARC • Bleeding events: Life-threatening (through 5 years) • Vascular complications: major (including annular rupture; through 5 years)	Updated for clarity			
			27.1.4 Protocol Version D to Version E	Table 27.1-4 lists changes between protocol versions D and E. Table 27.1-4: Table of Changes for REPRISE IV Protocol Version E (Compared to REPRISE IV Protocol Version D)				
F	29-Apr-2020	90702637 Rev/Ver AL	Entire Document Page 1	Document transferred from template version AG to template version AL. Added National Clinical Trial Identification Number: NCT03618095	Updated protocol template			
						Page 2	Current Version: 29-Apr-2020 Updated Table of Revision History	
					Synopsis, Planned Number of Subjects	Subjects will be enrolled at up to 5065 centers There will be up to 896926 subjects Roll-In: Up to 100130	Addition of up to 15 centers	
			Synopsis, Adjunctive Pharmacologic Therapy	Anti-Platelet Therapy Per society guidelines ^b , antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and/or a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor medications.	Reflects current standard of care			
				Study subjects must receive some antiplatelet therapy (aspirin and/or a P2Y12 inhibitor) for at least 1 month following valve implant. A loading dose of the same antiplatelet medication (aspirin and/or a P2Y12 inhibitor) is required for subjects who have not been on the antiplatelet therapy for ≥72 hours at the time of the index procedure (see below for recommended doses).				

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				Note 5 : It is recommended that subjects be treated with both aspirin and a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor for at least 1 month after valve implantation.	
				Aspirin Dose A-The recommended loading dose of aspirin (recommended dose of is 75–325 mg) is required for subjects who Subjectsloading dose of aspirin. After the valve implant procedure, aspirin (the recommended dose of aspirin is ≥75 mg daily) must be given for at least 1 month	
				P2Y ₁₂ Inhibitor Dose (clopidogrel recommended) A The recommended loading dose of a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor is (recommended dose of ≥300 mg for clopidogrel, 60 mg for prasugrel, or 180 mg for ticagrelor) is required for subjects who have not Subjects who have been taking a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor daily for ≥72 hours at the time of the index procedure do not require a loading dose of the P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor. After the valve implant procedure, the recommended a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor dosing is per local standard of care is required for at least 1 month Note 56: If a subject or aspirin is required recommended prior to (but both aspirin and a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor are not required recommended). After the implant procedure, the subject must should be treated	
			Synopsis, Sample Size Parameters	† Estimated pooled rate from the fixed/random effects model based on the HTT TAVR arm data	Updated for clarity
			Section 6/Section 7	Sections 6 and 7 merged into Section 6 Study Objectives and Endpoints addition of Sections 6.1 and 6.2	Updated protocol template
			Section 7.1 Scale and Duration	There will be a roll-in phase (up to 100130 subjects) for Updated Figure 7.1-1 REPRISE IV Study Design	Addition of up to 15 centers (additional 30 Roll-In subjects)
			Section 7.3 Justification of the	There will be up to \$\frac{896}{926}\$ subjects In order to study subjects to risk, up to \$\frac{100}{100}\$ subjects Up to \$\frac{506}{5}\$ centers antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and/or a P2Y12 inhibitor is recommended after TAVR	Addition of up to 15 centers Reflect current standard of care

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			Sections 7 through 11	Sections 8 through 12 updated to Sections 7 through 11; some subsections moved to accommodate new protocol template; for example: 11.10.7 moved to 9.4; 11.10.8 moved to 9.2	Updated protocol template
			Section 9.2 Discontinuation of Study Intervention	Section 11.10.8 Explant Procedure moved to Section 9.2.	
			Section 9.4 Lost to Follow-Up	Section 11.10.7 Procedure for Determining when a subject is Lost to Follow-up moved to Section 9.4.	
			Section 10.1 Data Collection	Added paragraph: This section indicates the data needed to fulfill the objectives of this clinical study. Boston Scientific Corporation considers data collected from clinical trial subjects to be personal data (see definitions of different data categories in Table 25.2 1) and compliance with privacy and data protection laws and regulations (for example, the General Data Protection Regulation [GDPR]) to be critically important. Data collection for this clinical study has been carefully considered to comply with data privacy laws.	
			New Section 10.2.1 Strategies for Recruitment and Retention	New section; select information moved from Section 9.1 Study Population and Eligibility to new Section 10.2.1 The REPRISE IV study will include subjects presenting with documented severe native aortic valve stenosis who are indicated for TAVR (see Section 8). It is estimated that nearly 5% of elderly ≥75 years of age have aortic stenosis and its prevalence is expected to increase due to an aging population2,3. Because aortic stenosis most commonly occurs in the very elderly, women are well represented in TAVR trials. Traditionally underrepresented populations (elderly and women) are expected to be included in the subject population as allowed by governing law/national regulation; as the very elderly will represent the majority of subjects enrolled in the trial, efforts to maximize retention are by definition targeted to traditionally under-represented groups. The inclusion and exclusion criteria are not expected to have a negative effect on recruitment or retention of said populations. In the United States, the subjects eligible for inclusion in this study are likely to be Medicare	

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				patients due to their expected age and the results of this study are likely to be highly generalizable to a Medicare population.	
				All efforts will be made to minimize attrition in REPRISE IV (see Section 9.4). Investigators are encouraged to enroll subjects who are willing to comply with the follow-up requirements of the study. If a visit is missed, the center should attempt to contact the subject to reschedule the missed visit and counsel the subject on the importance of maintaining the assigned visit schedule.	
			Section 10.4 Screening	Maximum grip using a Jamar hand-held	Updated for clarity
			Section 10.6 Preprocedure Medications	 Antiplatelet Therapy: Per society guidelines^{10,121} antiplatelet therapy is recommended to reduce the risk of thrombotic or thromboembolic complications if there are no contraindications to these medications. Study subjects must receive some antiplatelet therapy (aspirin and/or a P2Y12 inhibitor) for at least 1 month following valve implant. A loading dose of the same antiplatelet medication (aspirin and/or a P2Y12 inhibitor) is required for subjects who have not been on the antiplatelet therapy for ≥72 hours at the time of the index procedure (see below for recommended doses). Aspirin Dose 	Reflect current standard of care
				A-The recommended loading dose of aspirin is (recommended dose of 75-325 mg) is required for subjects dose of aspirin.	
				P2Y12 Inhibitor Dose (Clopidogrel Recommended) A-The recommended loading dose of a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor is ≥300 mg clopidogrel, at a dose of ≥300 mg is recommended; for other P2Y12 inhibitors recommended doses are 60 mg for prasugrel, and or 180 mg ticagrelor) is required for Subjects who have been taking a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor daily for ≥72 hours at the time of the index procedure do not require a loading dose of the P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor.	
				Note: If a subject is treated with anticoagulation, either a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor or aspirin is required recommended prior to the implant	

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				procedure (but both aspirin and a P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor are not required recommended).	
			Section 10.7 Index Procedure	In the United States, CMS coverage index procedure. Moved Note 1 and Note 2 as shown below. The preparation of the subject approach to treat the subject. Note 1: Additional procedure. Note 2: The subject Form. The large Lotus Introducer	Change to CMS requirements
				8) A final post-deployment (including rotational angiography of the valve frame) must	Updated for clarity
			Section 10.8 Post Index Procedure	 Per society guidelines Study subjects must receive some antiplatelet therapy (aspirin and/or a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor) for at least 1 month following valve implant. It is recommended that subjects must be treated with aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor for at least 1 month following valve implantation. Extended After the valve implant procedure, aspirin (recommended dose of ≥75 mg daily) must should be given After the valve implant procedure, a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is recommended required for at least 1 month If a subject is treated with chronic anticoagulation, either a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor or aspirin is required recommended after the implant procedure in addition to the anticoagulant therapy (but both aspirin and a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor are not required recommended). The subject must should be treated 	Reflect current standard of care
			Section 10.10 Follow-up	<i>Note 1</i> : The follow-up visits at 30 days, 1–5 years, 7 years, and 10 years must be conducted in-person. If an in-person assessment cannot be performed, follow-up by telephone should be attempted. Subject or subject's physician should provide rationale for why the in-person assessment cannot be performed.	FDA request to extend trial to 10 years.
			Section 11.1.1.2 Sample Size Parameters	* Estimated pooled rate from the fixed/random effects model based on the ITT TAVR arm data from	Updated for clarity

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			Section 11.2.2 Control of Systematic	These include an echocardiography core laboratory, a CT and procedural rotational X-ray angiography core laboratory to assess all CT and procedural angiography rotational X-ray data using	
			New Section 12 Health Economics	New section; select information moved from Sections 11.10.1, 11.10.2, and 11.10.3 moved to new Section 12	Updated protocol template
			Sections 14 through 25	Section numbers 15 through 26 updated to Sections 14 through 25; Section 27 (Appendices) removed as all protocol changes are captured in the Revision History Table	Updated protocol template New information in the literature
			Section 16.3 Institutional Review Board/Human Research Ethics Committee	Section 14 Amendments removed; information on amendments found in Section 16.3provided to the subject. If a protocol revision is necessary which affects the rights, safety or welfare of the subjects or scientific integrity of the data, an amendment is required. Any amendment	Updated protocol template
			Section 16.4.1 Role of Boston Scientific	Section 17 renumbered to Section 16 per updated protocol template. Boston Scientific engineers and specialists) who Boston Scientific personnel will not do the following. • Enter systems or on paper case report forms.	Updated for clarity
			Section 16.4.2 Training with the Investigational Device	 Patient the Directions Instructions for Use (DFUIFU) and Implantation from the DFUIFU. Training Proctoring: The investigator proctored by an individual experienced with the LOTUS Edge valve and TAVR physician on a minimum 	Updated for clarity Updated to allow non- physician proctors
			Section 18.1 Anticipated	Moved text about risks into new Table 18.1-1 Risks Associated with Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement	Updated protocol template
			Section 18.1.1 Hypoattenuated Leaflet Thickening/Reduced	Add new section 18.1.1 Hypoattenuated leaflet thickening (HALT) and reduced leaflet motion (RLM) suggestive of subclinical leaflet thrombosis, as detected by high-	Updated for clarity

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			Leaflet Motion/Leaflet Thrombosis	resolution CT, has been reported with bioprosthetic TAVR and SAVR valves ^{40,109,128,129} . It is less common among subjects receiving anticoagulant therapy and, in some cases, has been shown to resolve with such treatment ^{40,109,110,128-131} .	
				Clinical signs of HALT and RLM include elevation of transvalvular gradients (as determined by echocardiography), central or peripheral thromboembolic events, and unexpected recurrence of heart failure. Computed tomography imaging is recommended to appropriately assess subjects with echocardiographic and/or clinical suspicion of leaflet thrombosis. Additional anticoagulant therapy may be indicated based on symptoms or signs and subject bleeding risk ^{40,109,110,128-131} .	
				The subset of subjects undergoing 4D CT scans at 30 days and 1 year will be exposed to an additional radiation dose of about 20 milliSieverts (mSv), which is equivalent to about 10 years' worth of natural background radiation. The contrast dye used during the image acquisition can cause medical problems such as allergic reactions and increase the risk of worsening kidney function or failure.	
			Section 18.3 Risks	Risks listed above in Table 18.1-1.	New Table 18.1-1
			Section 19.3 Relationship to	In Table 19.3-1 removed the row for "Unlikely Related."	Updated regulations and definitions
			Section 25.2	New definitions for Data Categories and General Data Protection Regulation; remove definition for Structural Valve Deterioration; added definitions for Hypoattenuated Leaflet Thickening and Reduced Leaflet Motion	
			New Section 26 Revision History	Added new Section 26 Revision History; merged the revision history tables into 1 table (called Table 26.1-1) per the new protocol template. New updates in the table show changes from Protocol Version D to Version E to Version F	Updated for clarity and per the new protocol template