

Intraoperative imaging controversy

Do we really need these costly machines?

Conventional C-arm is a rationale option

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Conflicts of interest

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Hybrid room advantages

More powerful X-ray generators

Better quality imaging

Cooling system much more efficient (long fluoroscopy times in obese patients)

Decreased X-ray dose and contrast load

Fusion with pre-op CT

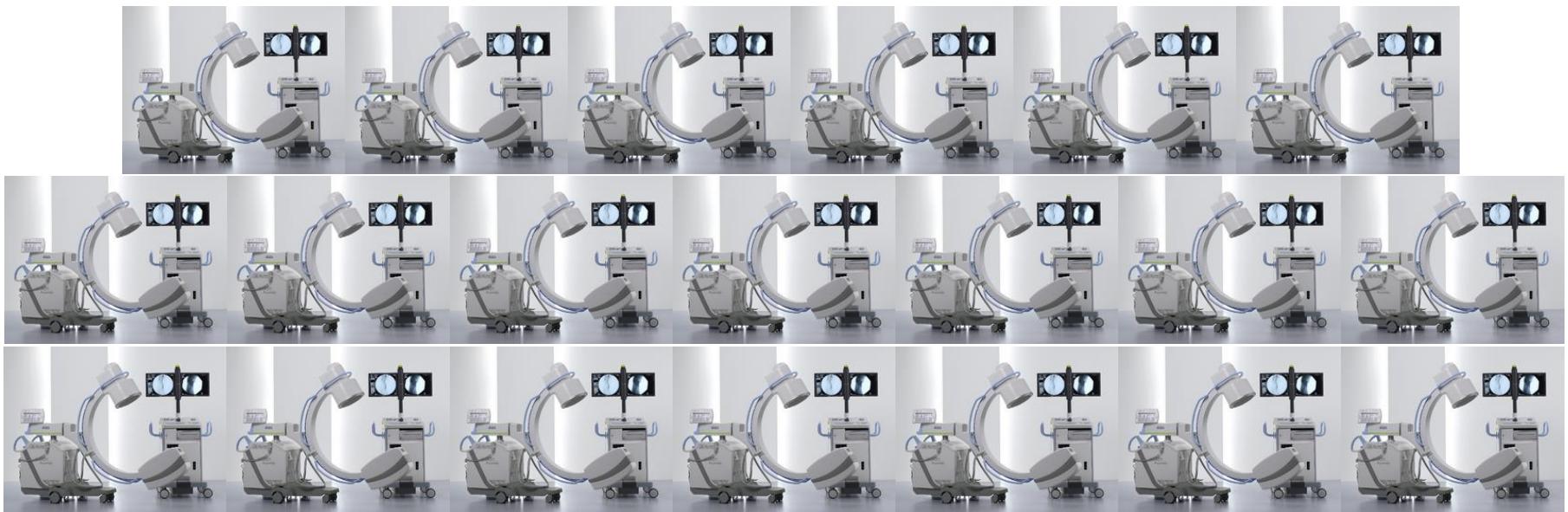
Cost hybrid room vs mobile C-arm

Material/setup 1500 k€ vs 150 k€

Maintenance 150 k€/an vs 1,5 k€

Global cost after 10 years

1 hybrid room = 20 mobile C-arms !!



Use of intraoperative imaging in the vascular operating room

CHU Saint-Etienne vascular activity 2013

N arterial procedures	988
N endovascular procedures	464 (47%)
Infrainguinal	200
Iliac	130
Infrarenal + thoracic stent-grafts	60
AV fistulae	15
Fenestrated SG	14 (3 %)
Renal and visceral	20
Carotids/ supra aortic trunks	25
	13 %

Fenestrated/ branched SG experience

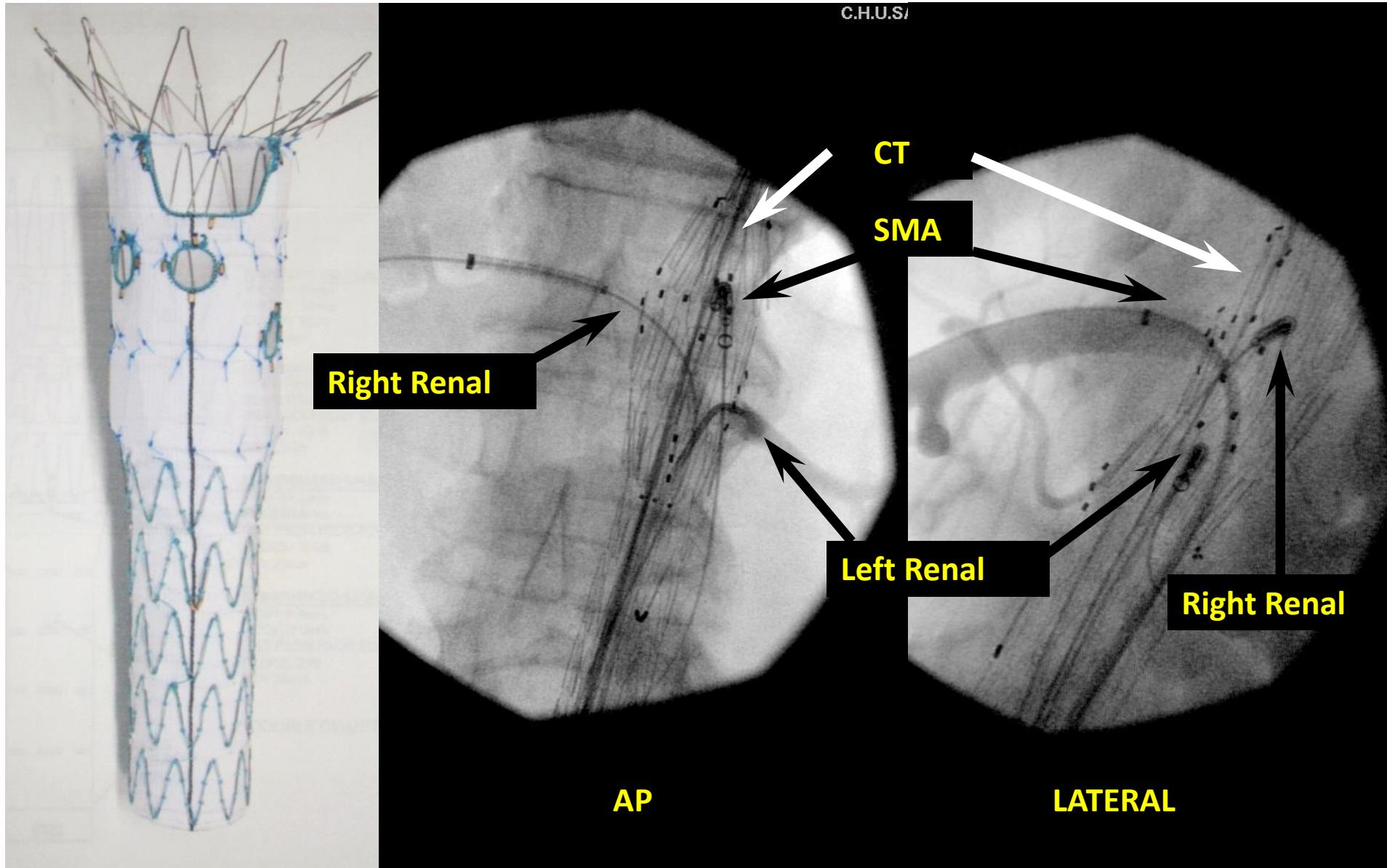
Collaboration Lyon/Clermont-Ferrand/Saint-Etienne

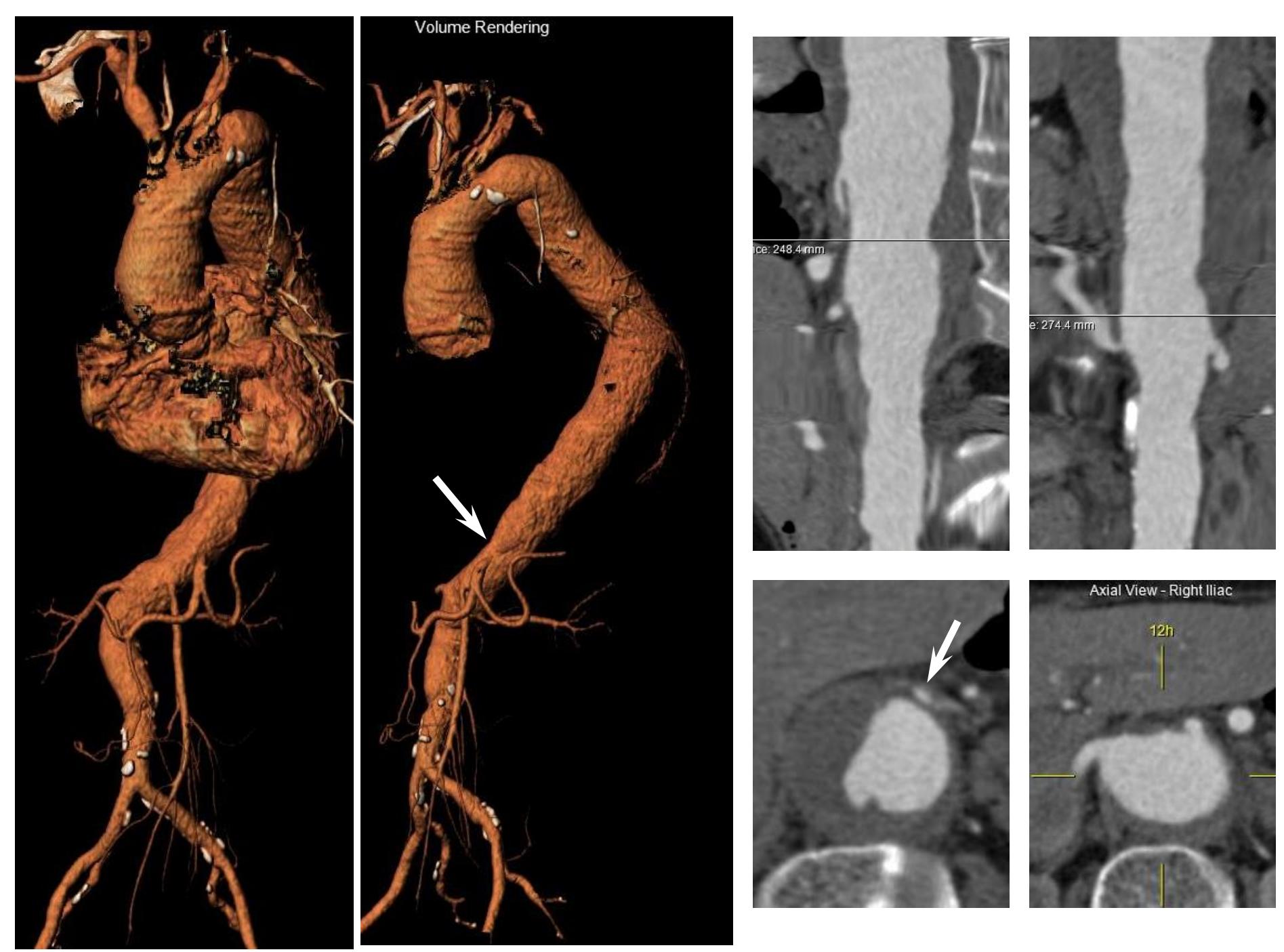


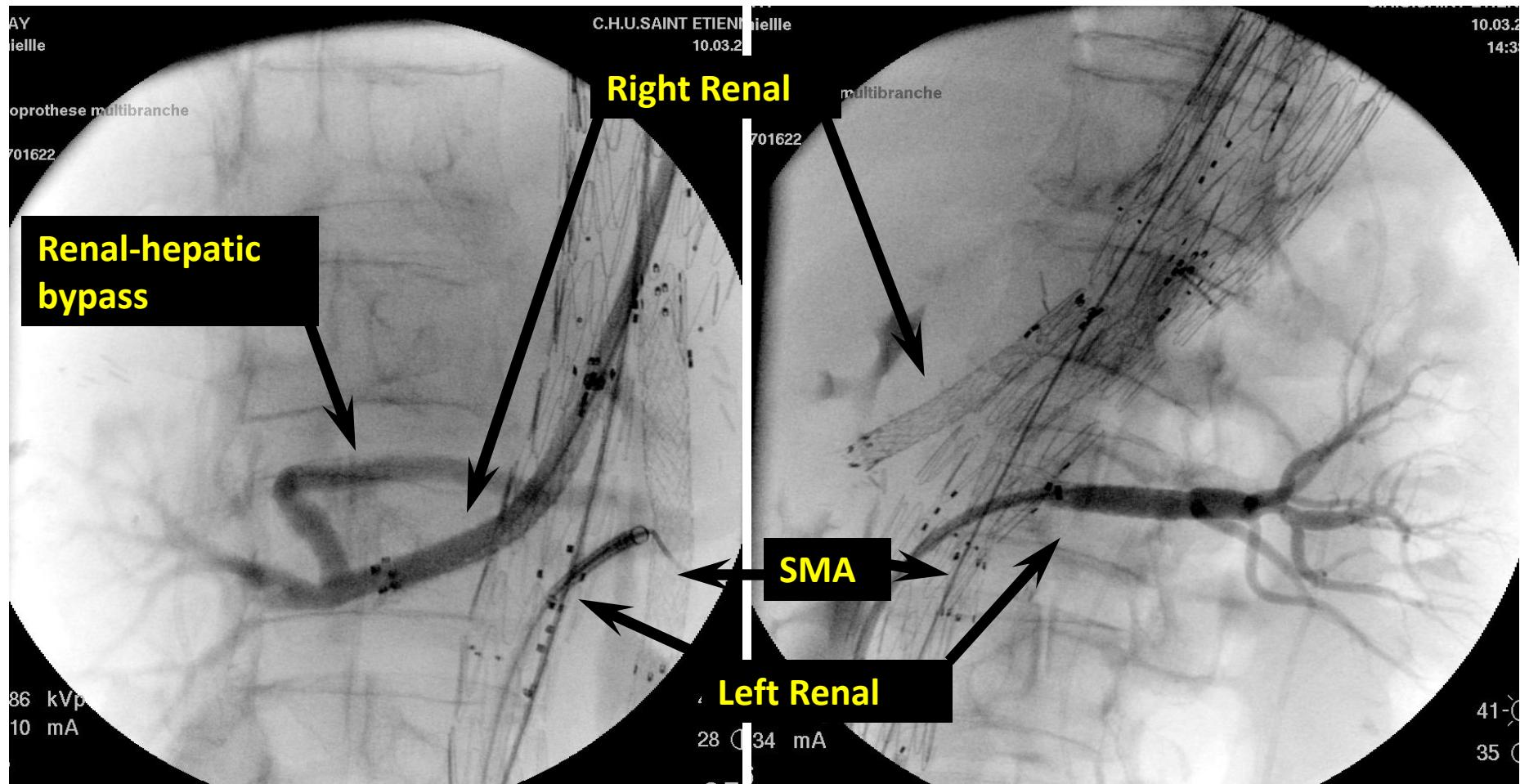
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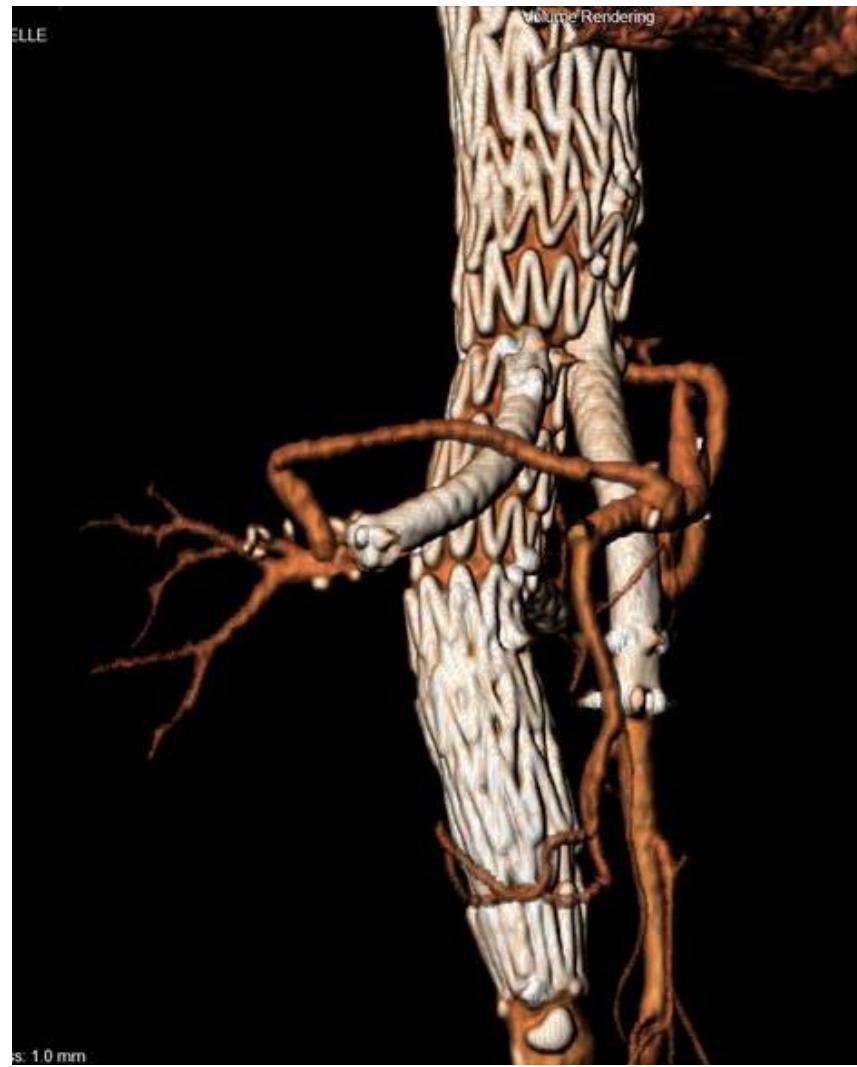
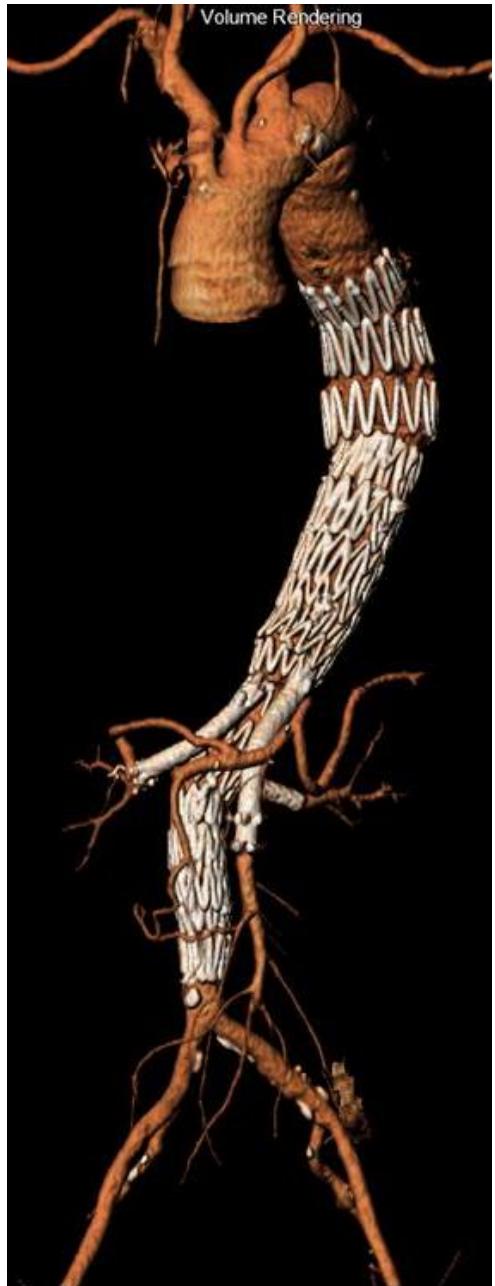
Mobile C-arms (Siemens Arcadis
Avantic/ Phillips Veradius/ OEC
9800)











Patients N=91

Nov 2005 - Janv 2015

Age 72 y (53-85)

Juxta and supra-renal	65
Thoraco-abdominal	26
High surgical risk	100%

Stent-grafts

Fenestrated	68
# Fenestrations	
1	1
2	18
3	32
4	17
Fenestrated + branch	14
Branch	9
Total	91

Procedures

Duration (min)	224 (150-617)
Fluoroscopy time (min)	75 (11-250)
Contrast load (ml)	148 (52-300)
Technical success	89 pts (98%)

Postoperative mortality

	N patients	N deaths	%
Global	91	5	5.5
AAA JR/SR	65	2	3
ATA	26	3	11.5

C-arm management during fenestrated/branch SG procedures

« Easy » steps

Guidewire placement and exchange

Stent-graft delivery system introduction/retrieval

Renal/visceral sheath, covered stent insertion

Balloon dilatation

Low dose setting (30-50 %)

Fluoro with

Pulse 4 to 8 frames / sec

No roadmapping

Minimal use of zoom and oblique views

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« Tricky » steps

SG orientation, visualisation of fen/branch markers

Fen/branch, target artery catheterism

Covered stent positionning

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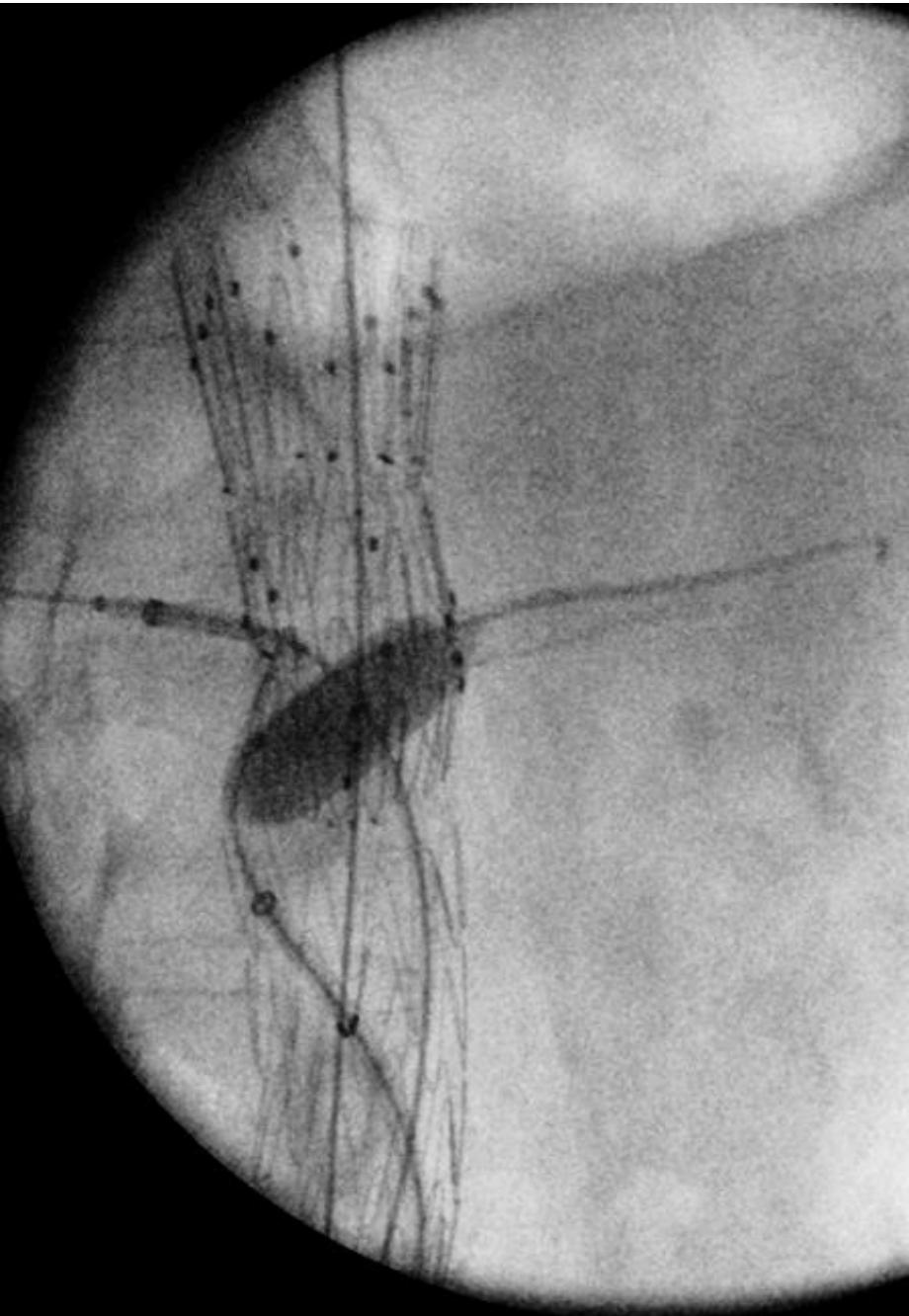
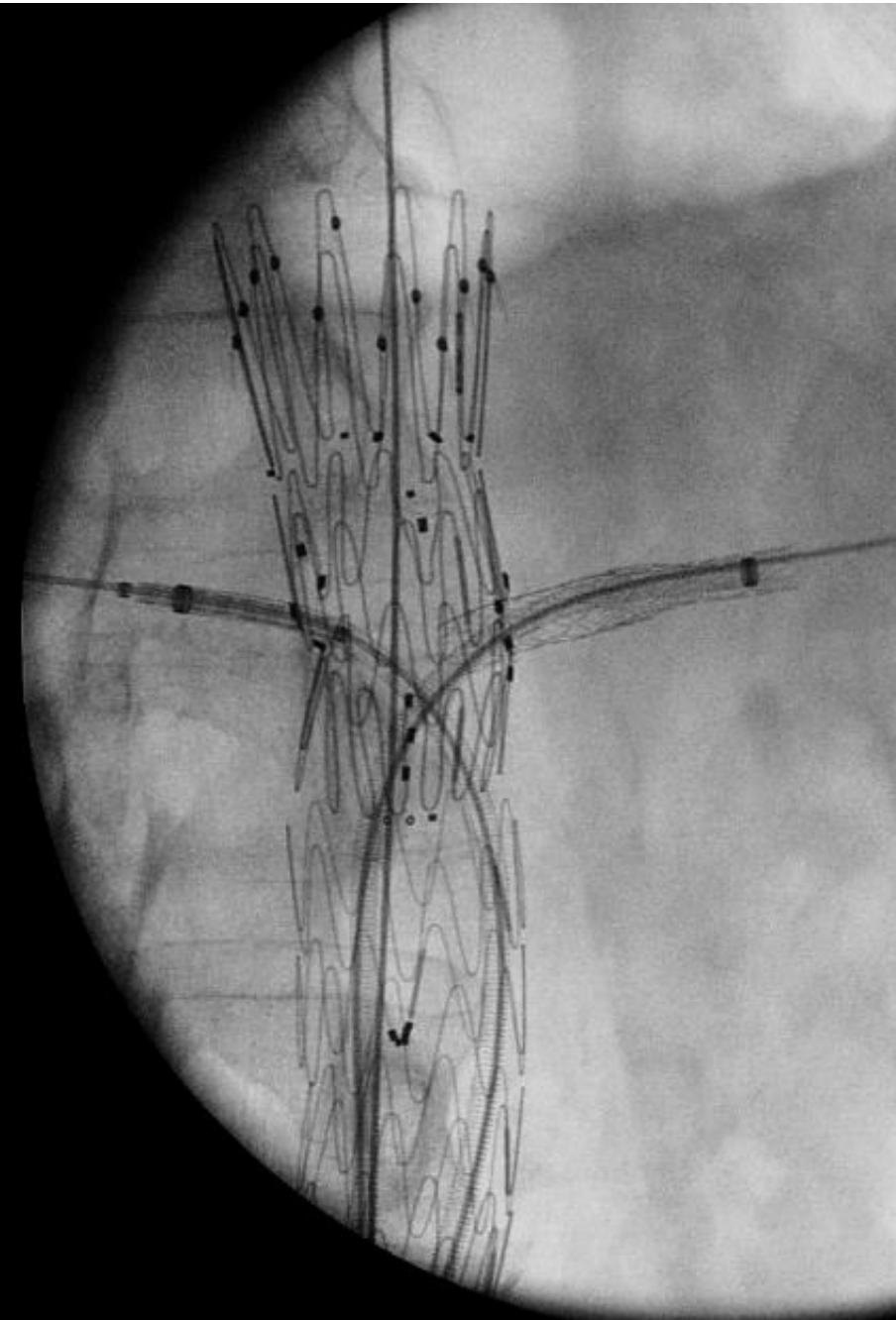
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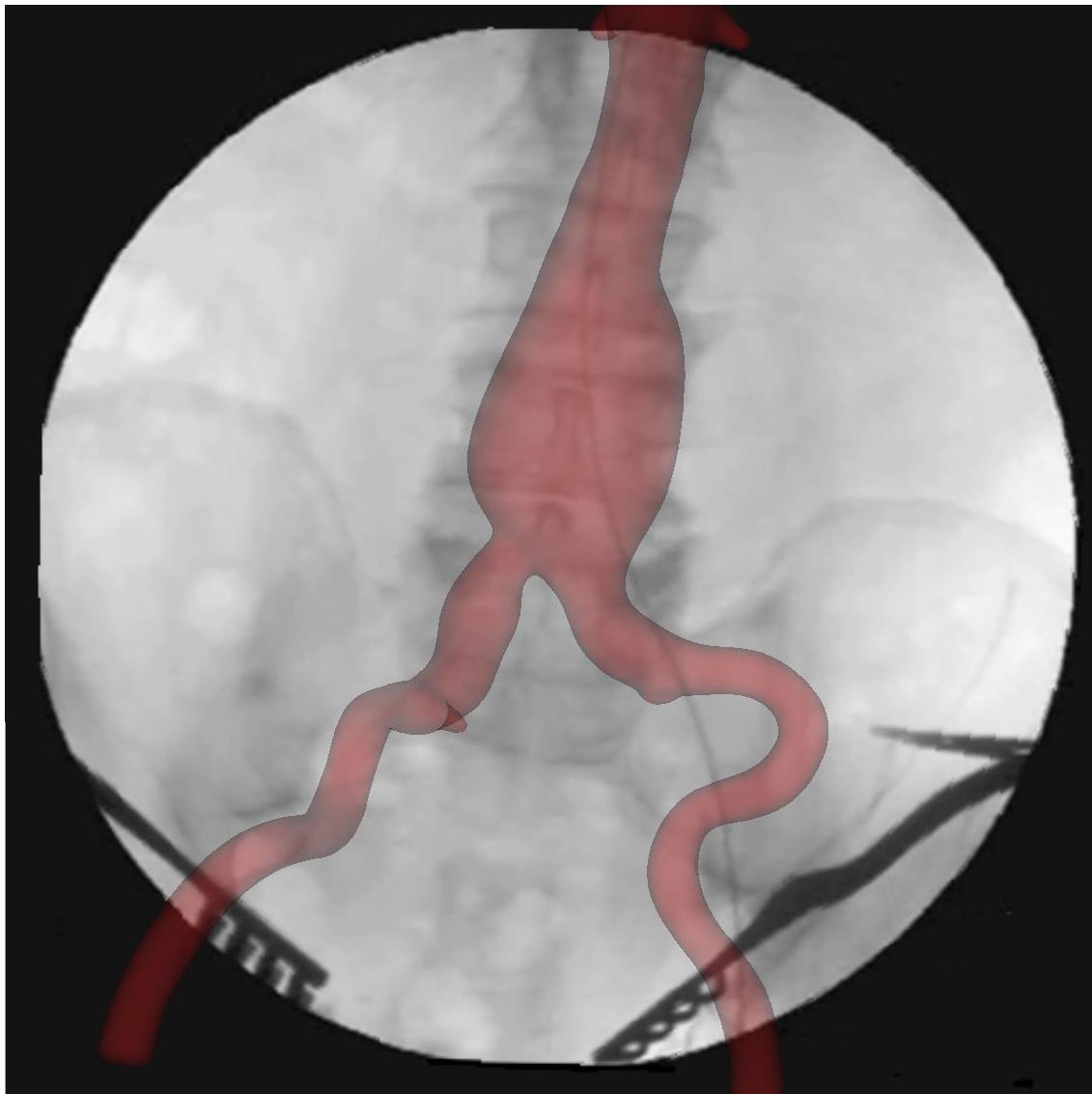
Zoom and oblique views if needed

High definition « snapshots »



Integration of fusion in mobile C-arms

Therenva Endonaut project



The ideal cardiovascular mobile C-arm

Flat detectors (Phillips)

High powered X-ray generators and cooling systems (Siemens CIOS alpha)

Motorisation (OEC 9900)

Fusion

Affordable cost

The future?



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