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### **Our Commitment to Quality**

Medtronic was founded in 1949 and has grown to become a global leader in medical technology. Seeing what a difference medical technology could make in the lives of patients inspired our founder to develop the Medtronic Mission, which remains unchanged today.

The third tenet of the mission is all about quality:

"To strive without reserve for the greatest possible reliability and quality in our products, to be the unsurpassed standard of comparison, and to be recognized as a company of dedication, honesty, integrity, and service."

Regardless of function, all CRHF employees play a role in product quality. Whether designing new therapies, sourcing components, manufacturing products, hiring talented people, assigning financial resources to project teams, or serving in one of the hundreds of other roles, every employee has an influence on product quality.

Product performance information is received from many sources through various channels. Medtronic monitors information from many sources from Research and Development through Manufacturing and Field Performance Vigilance.

When a device is returned to Medtronic, laboratory technicians and engineers assess overall device function. Analysis of returned product is performed according to written procedures. These procedures determine the minimum analysis required. The analysis required varies depending on the type of device, age of the device, the associated information received with the device, actual experience with models of similar design, and other factors. Additional analysis is performed as necessary to investigate a performance concern from a customer, or to collect specific reliability data.

When a malfunction is identified, failure analysis is performed to provide the detailed information necessary to investigate possible causes and actions. Medtronic CRHF maintains in-house expertise and performs its failure analysis using facilities it owns and supports. This capability permits detailed failure analysis.

Analysis results are compared to original manufacturing records and design intent. Clinical observations are added to laboratory findings to help determine root cause. Each event is then compared to other events. If a pattern is detected, actions are taken to identify a common root cause, assess patient risk and an appropriate course of action.

Medtronic instituted the industry's first product performance reports in 1983 by publishing data on our chronic lead studies. Pacemakers and other devices followed as our performance reporting has constantly evolved based on customer needs and feedback. One thing has been a constant. It is our sincere commitment to communicate clearly, offering timely and appropriate product performance data and reliability information. This has always been and will continue to be our goal.

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# Introduction

For 35 years, Medtronic has monitored performance via both returned product analysis and multicenter clinical studies.

This Product Performance Report (PPR) presents device survival estimates, advisory summaries, performance notes, and other information pertinent to assessing the performance of Medtronic implantable pulse generators (IPGs), implantable cardioverter defibrillators (ICDs), cardiac resynchronization therapy (CRT) devices, and implantable pacing and defibrillation leads.

This Product Performance Report has been prepared in accordance with International Standard ISO 5841-2:2000(E).

The survival estimates provided in this report are considered to be representative of worldwide performance.

#### **Survival Estimates**

Medtronic, like other companies, monitors CRT, ICD, and IPG device performance using returned product analysis. We also monitor CRT, ICD, and IPG device performance using an active multicenter clinical study.

Returned product analysis is a passive approach to assessing product performance. This approach provides a suitable measure of product performance only when a significant number of explanted products are returned to the manufacturer. Returned product analysis provides a measure of hardware performance, but not necessarily the total clinical performance (e.g., the incidence of complications such as infection, erosion, muscle stimulation, etc. are not estimated).

The survival estimates provided in this report for CRT, ICD, and IPG devices are based on returned product analysis. This approach is suitable because a significant number of explanted generators are returned for analysis.

Lead performance is monitored differently. In contrast to CRT, ICD, and IPG devices, a very small percentage of leads are returned to the manufacturer due to the difficulty of explanting them. For leads, an active clinical study provides more accurate survival estimates compared to estimates based solely on returned product analysis.

Survival estimates for leads are based on clinical observations recorded via Medtronic's PAN Registry. This multicenter clinical study is designed to record clinical observations representative of the total clinical experience. Therefore, the lead survival estimates include both lead hardware failure and lead-related medical complications, and do not differentiate a lead hardware failure from other clinical events such as exit block, perforation, dislodgement, or concurrent pulse generator failure.

#### **ICD Charge Times**

Since May 2000, Medtronic has provided important information on charge time performance of ICDs. The information provided in this report shows how ICD charge time can vary during the time a device is implanted. The information is presented in graphical format showing charge time as a function of implant time. The data for charge times are collected from devices enrolled in the PAN registry.

### Introduction continued

#### **Advisory Summaries**

This Product Performance Report includes summaries of all advisories applicable to the performance of the products included in the report. An advisory is added to the report when any product affected by the advisory remains in service and at risk of experiencing the behavior described in the advisory. The advisory will remain in the report until Medtronic estimates no product affected by the advisory remains active, or the risk of experiencing the behavior described in the advisory has passed.

For most advisories, the products subject to the advisory retain essentially the same survival probability as the products of the same model(s) not affected by the advisory. For those advisories where the survival probabilities of the affected and non-affected populations do differ significantly, Medtronic will provide separate survival data for each population. The separate survival data will remain in the report until Medtronic estimates no affected product remains in active service.

#### **Performance Notes**

This report concludes with a number of Performance Notes developed by Medtronic to provide additional product performance information relevant to follow-up practice and patient management.

#### How You Can Help

Medtronic urges all physicians to return explanted products and to notify Medtronic when a product is no longer in use, regardless of the reason for explant or removal from use. The procedures for returning products vary by geographic location.

Mailer kits with prepaid US postage are available for use within the United States to send CRTs, ICDs, IPGs, ICMs, and leads to Medtronic's Cardiac Rhythm and Heart Failure (CRHF) Returned Product Analysis Lab. These mailers are sized to accommodate the devices and leads from a single patient or clinical event and are designed to meet US postal regulations for mailing biohazard materials.

If the product being returned is located outside the United States, please contact your local Medtronic representative for instructions.

Medtronic also requests the return of explanted products from non-clinical sources, such as funeral homes, and will assume responsibility for storage and disposal of the product once received.

Mailer kits can be obtained by contacting the Returned Product Lab. For information on how to contact the Lab, refer to the Contact Information page of this report.

We continually strive to improve this CRHF Product Performance Report. In keeping with this philosophy, we ask for your suggestions on the content and format of this report, as well as any information you have regarding the performance of Medtronic products. For information on how to comment on this report, see the Contact Information page.

### Introduction continued

#### **Overview of Survival Analysis**

Medtronic uses the Cutler-Ederer actuarial life table method for devices and Kaplan-Meier for leads to estimate the length of time over which they will perform within performance limits established by Medtronic. This probability to perform within performance limits over time is called the survival probability.

Devices and leads are followed until an event occurs where the device or lead ceases to operate within performance limits. The length of time from implant to the event is recorded for individual devices and leads in the population sample. The population sample for CRT, ICD, and IPG devices is made up of patients whose devices are registered as implanted in the United States. For leads, the population sample is the patients enrolled in our multicenter, international prospective Product Surveillance Registry.

For CRTs, IPGs and ICDs, the events can be normal battery depletion or a device malfunction. For leads, the events are complications as defined in the study protocol.

The actuarial life table method allows Medtronic to account for devices and leads removed from service for reasons unrelated to performance and for device and leads still in service. Devices and leads removed for reasons unrelated to performance or are still in service are said to be suspended. Examples of devices and leads removed from service for reasons unrelated to performance include:

- · Removed to upgrade the device or lead
- No longer in service due to the death of the patient for reasons unrelated to the device or leads
- Implanted in patients who are lost to follow-up

For each suspension, the device or lead has performed within performance limits for a period of time, after which its performance is unknown.

#### **Confidence Intervals**

Since survival curves are based on a sample of the device and lead population, they are only estimates of survival. The larger the effective sample size, the more confident the estimate. A confidence interval can be calculated to assess the confidence in an estimate. In the Product Performance Report, Medtronic provides a 95% confidence interval. This can be interpreted as meaning that 95% of the time, the true survival of the device will fall somewhere in the interval.

#### **Survival Curves in the Product Performance Report**

Since the survival estimate can become very imprecise with small effective sample sizes, Medtronic truncates the survival curve when the effective sample size is less than 100 for CRTs, ICDs, and IPGs, and when the number entered is less than 50 for leads. The survival charts in the Product Performance Report show the effective sample size for each year interval where Medtronic has experience. When the effective sample size reaches 100 for CRTs, ICDs, and IPGs or when the number entered reaches 50 for leads, the next data point is added to the survival curve.

Although the report provides tabular data in one-year intervals, the device curves are actually computed and plotted using the Cutler-Ederer method and 1-month intervals (for CRT, ICD, and IPG devices) and leads curves are computed and plotted using Kaplan-Meier, which uses individual survival times.

A number of references are available for additional information on survival analysis using the Cutler-Ederer life table method and for the Kaplan-Meier method.<sup>2</sup>

 $Lee, Elisa\ T. (2003)\ Statistical\ Methods\ for\ Survival\ Data\ Analysis\ -3rd\ Edition\ (Wiley\ Series\ in\ Probability\ and\ Statistics).$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Klein, John P., Moeschberger, Melvin L. Survival Analysis Techniques for Censored and Truncated Data, New York: Springer-Verlag New York, Inc., 1997.

### Method for Estimating CRT, ICD, and IPG Device Performance

The performance of CRT, ICD, and IPG devices is expressed in terms of device survival estimates, where "survival" refers to the function of the device, not the survival of the patient. These survival estimates are intended to illustrate the probability that a device will survive for a given number of years without malfunction or battery depletion.

The survival estimates are determined from the analysis of Medtronic Cardiac Rhythm and Heart Failure (CRHF's) United States device registration data and US returned product analysis data. These data are presented graphically and numerically.

Because this analysis is based on returned product analysis, the performance data does not reflect any device-related medical complications such as erosion, infection, muscle stimulation, or muscle inhibition.

#### Categorization of Depleted and Malfunctioning Devices for Survival Analysis

For survival estimation, every device returned to Medtronic CRHF and analyzed in the CRHF Returned Product Analysis laboratory is assigned to one of three categories. The device 1) is functioning normally, 2) has reached normal battery depletion, or 3) has malfunctioned. This categorization is combined with data from our device registry for the total number of implants and the implant durations to create the survival curves presented on the following pages.

#### Definition of Malfunction

Medtronic CRHF considers a device as having malfunctioned whenever the analysis shows that any parameter was outside the performance limits established by Medtronic while implanted and in service. To be considered a malfunction or battery depletion, the device must have been returned to Medtronic and analyzed.

Devices damaged after explant, damaged due to failure to heed warnings or contraindications in the labeling, or damaged due to interaction with other implanted devices (including leads) are not considered device malfunctions.

A device subject to a safety advisory is not considered to have malfunctioned unless it has been returned to Medtronic CRHF and found, through analysis, to actually have performed outside the performance limits established by Medtronic.

Not all malfunctions expose the patient to a loss of therapy. Some malfunctions included in the following survival estimates may not have been detected at all by the physician or the patient. These malfunctions, however, are included in the survival estimates and provide important feedback to our product development organization.

To provide insight into the nature of malfunctions, each malfunction is categorized as Malfunction with Compromised Therapy Function or Malfunction without Compromised Therapy Function.

For this report, Normal Battery Depletion, Malfunction with Compromised Therapy Function, and Malfunction without Compromised Therapy Function are defined as follows:

#### Normal Battery Depletion – The condition when:

- (a) a device is returned with no associated complaint and the device has reached its elective replacement indicator(s) with implant time that meets or exceeds the nominal (50 percentile) predicted longevity at default (labeled) settings, or
- (b) a device is returned and the device has reached its elective replacement indicator(s) with implant time exceeding 80% of the expected longevity calculated using the available device setting information.
- (c) a device is taken out of service without an associated complaint and with evidence the battery reached its elective replacement indicator(s).

### Method for Estimating CRT, ICD, and IPG Device Performance continued

Medtronic CRHF establishes expected longevity by statistically characterizing the power consumed by the device and the power available from the device battery. This characterization is applied to a number of parameter configurations to derive a statistical mean longevity value and standard deviation for each parameter configuration. The statistical mean value minus three standard deviations is used as the expected longevity for determining if a battery depleted normally. The actual longevity achieved for any device while implanted will depend on the actual programmed parameters and patient factors, and may differ significantly from these estimates.

#### Malfunction with Compromised Therapy Function

The condition when a device is found to have malfunctioned in a manner that compromised pacing or defibrillation therapy (including complete loss or partial degradation), while implanted and in service, as confirmed by returned product analysis.

Examples: Sudden loss of battery voltage; accelerated current drain such that low battery was not detected before loss of therapy; sudden malfunction during defibrillation therapy resulting in aborted delivery of therapy, intermittent malfunction where therapy is compromised while in the malfunction state.

#### Malfunction without Compromised Therapy Function

The condition when a device is found to have malfunctioned in a manner that did not compromise pacing or defibrillation therapy, while implanted and in service, as confirmed by returned product analysis.

Examples: Error affecting diagnostic functions, telemetry function, data storage; malfunction of a component that causes battery to lose power quickly enough to cause premature battery depletion, but slowly enough that the condition is detected through normal follow-up before therapy is lost; mechanical problems with connector header that do not affect therapy.

#### **Expanded Malfunction Detail**

The malfunctions are further divided into categories that identify the subject area of the malfunction. The malfunctions are divided into the following subject areas:

Electrical Component – Findings linked to electrical components such as integrated circuits, resistors, capacitors, diodes, etc.

Electrical Interconnect – Findings linked to the connections between electrical components such as wires, solder joints, wire bonds, etc.

Battery – Findings linked to the battery and its components

Software/Firmware – Findings linked to software or firmware function

Possible Early Battery Depletion – Findings where the actual reported implant time is less than 80% of the expected longevity calculated using the available device setting information with no device malfunction observed. There may not be sufficient device setting information to determine conclusively if battery depletion was normal or premature in the absence of a specific root cause finding. However, returned devices meeting the above criteria are conservatively classified as Possible Early Battery Depletion malfunctions.

Other – Findings related to other components such as insulators, grommets, setscrews, and packaging, and findings where analysis is inconclusive.

#### **Returned Product Analysis Process**

Analysis of returned product is performed according to written procedures. These procedures determine the minimum analysis required. The analysis required varies depending on the type of device, age of the device, the associated information received with the device, actual experience with models of similar design, and other factors. Additional analysis is performed as necessary to investigate a performance concern from a customer, or to collect specific reliability data.

When a device is returned with a performance concern from a customer, the general analysis process includes a preliminary analysis of the device in its as-received condition, followed by an automated functional test using test equipment equivalent to the equipment used in manufacturing.

When a malfunction is identified, failure analysis is performed to provide the detailed information necessary to investigate possible causes and actions. Medtronic CRHF maintains in-house expertise and performs its failure analysis using facilities it owns and supports. This capability permits detailed failure analysis.

#### **Statistical Methods for Survival Analysis**

Of the several different statistical methods available for survival analysis, the Standard Actuarial Method, with suspensions assumed distributed evenly within the intervals (Cutler-Ederer Method), is used to determine survival estimates for CRT, IPG and ICD devices. Implant times are calculated from the implant date to the earlier of the explant date or the cutoff date of the report. From this data an estimate of the probability of device survival is calculated at each monthly interval.

On the following pages, each graph includes a survival curve where events include malfunctions and normal battery depletions. This survival curve is a good representation of the probability a device will survive a period of time without malfunction and without battery depletion. For example, if a device survival probability is 95% after 5 years of service, then the device has a 5% chance of being removed due to battery depletion or malfunction in the first 5 years following implant.

In addition, a second curve is included to show survival excluding normal battery depletion. This curve is a good representation of the probability for a device to survive without malfunction. This curve includes only malfunctions as events and excludes normal battery depletion.

Since the survival estimate can become very imprecise with small effective sample sizes, Medtronic truncates the survival curve when the effective sample size is less than 100 for CRT, ICD, and IPG devices. The survival charts in the Product Performance Report show the effective sample size for each year interval where we have experience. When the effective sample size reaches 100, the next data point is added to the survival curve.

Although the report provides tabular data in one-year intervals, the curves are actually computed and plotted using one-month intervals.

The data in the tables are rounded to the nearest tenth of one percent. Occasionally, a graph may show 100% survival, but have one or more malfunctions or battery depletions. This occurs because, even with the malfunctions or battery depletions, the data rounds to 100%.

#### Sample Size and How the Population and Population Samples Are Defined

The population sample from which the survival estimates are derived is comprised of the devices registered as implanted in the United States as of the report cutoff date. The number of registered implants, as well as an estimate of the number that remain in active service, is listed for each model. To be included in the population, the device must have been registered with Medtronic's registration system and implanted for at least one day.

### Method for Estimating CRT, ICD, and IPG Device Performance continued

This sample based on US implants is considered to be representative of the worldwide population, and therefore the survival estimates shown in this report should be representative of the performance worldwide of these models.

A CRT, ICD, or IPG model or model family will be included in this report when it has accumulated at least 10,000 implant months and will remain in the report as long as at least 500 devices remain active.

#### Methods Used to Adjust for Underreporting of Malfunction and Battery Depletion

The tables on the following pages show the actual number of malfunctions and battery depletions recorded by the analysis lab for US registered devices. Since not all devices are returned to Medtronic CRHF for analysis, these numbers underestimate the true number of malfunctions and battery depletions. To more accurately estimate the device survival probabilities, the number of malfunctions and battery depletions used to plot each interval of the "Including Normal Battery Depletion" survival curves is adjusted (multiplied) by a factor that is based on an estimate of the magnitude of underreporting. The magnitude of underreporting is estimated by comparing data in Medtronic's Device And Registrant Tracking (DART) system with data from Returned Product Analysis.

The DART system is an important element of Medtronic's Quality System. The DART system is designed to meet or exceed the US FDA's device tracking requirements set forth by the Safe Medical Devices Act. In the United States, over 98% of Medtronic's CRT, ICD, and IPG implants become registered in the DART system.

Because pacemakers do not cure the patient's underlying health problem, when a pacemaker stops functioning (due to either normal battery replacement or malfunction) it is replaced with a new pacemaker. Therefore, the replacement recorded in the DART system is a good indication that the previous pacemaker experienced either battery depletion or malfunction. The fraction of replaced devices that are subsequently returned can be used to estimate the correction factor for the under reporting of the combination of battery depletion and malfunction.

Note that devices of patients who have expired do not factor into the calculation of the correction. It is possible some proportion of these devices experienced battery depletion or malfunction. Since these are not counted into the correction factor based on the return rate of replaced devices, a correction factor based only on the return rate of replaced devices may still underestimate the true rate of battery depletion and malfunction. However, devices that are replaced because the patient is receiving a system upgrade or are removed because the patient no longer needs it (e.g., due to heart transplant) do contribute to the calculation of the correction factor and therefore impart an opposite bias.

Also note that this method of calculating the correction factor cannot distinguish between devices that are removed due to malfunction and those due to normal battery depletion. It might seem intuitive that devices that unexpectedly malfunction should be much more likely to be returned to the manufacturer than a device with ordinary normal battery depletion. But this has not been conclusively demonstrated. Therefore, this method only provides a correction factor reflecting the combination of battery depletion and malfunction.

No adjustment for underreporting is applied to the malfunction-free survival curve because a method for estimating malfunction-only underreporting has not been developed.

# Adjustments to Registered Implants to Compensate for Unreported Devices Removed from Service

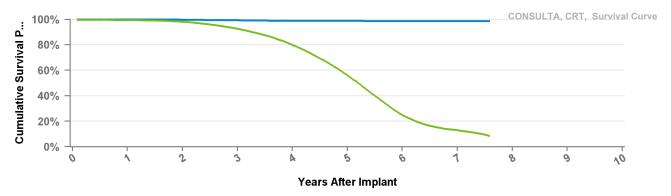
Devices are at times removed from service for reasons other than device malfunction or battery depletion. Examples are devices removed from service due to non-device related patient mortality and devices removed due to changes in the patient's medical condition. Because an accurate estimate of device survival depends on an accurate estimate of the number of devices in service, it is important not to overstate the number of devices in service.

# Method for Estimating CRT, ICD, and IPG Device Performance continued

Medtronic addresses this under reporting to ensure the number of devices in service is not overstated. Regular updates obtained from the Social Security Administration about deceased persons are used to update Medtronic's DART data about patients who have died but whose deaths had not been reported to Medtronic. In addition, the patient mortality rate derived from our DART system is monitored and compared to published mortality rates for comparable patient populations. If, during calculation of the survival curves, the patient mortality indicated by the data in DART is significantly different from published rates, an adjustment is applied to correct the difference. The correction factor for under reporting devices is also applied to account for devices that were removed and not reported or returned.

## D204TRM Consulta CRT-D

US Market Release	Jan-12	Total Malfunctions	3
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	3
Registered USA Implants	2,099	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	726	Electrical Component	1
Normal Battery Depletions	641	Poss Early Battery Depltn	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	0



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.997	0.993	0.989	0.988	0.987	0.987	0.987
Including NBD	0.995	0.981	0.926	0.798	0.56	0.248	0.13	0.084
Effective Sample Size	58003	52863	45908	35301	19997	6347	1476	159

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# D214TRM Consulta CRT-D

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Registered USA Implants

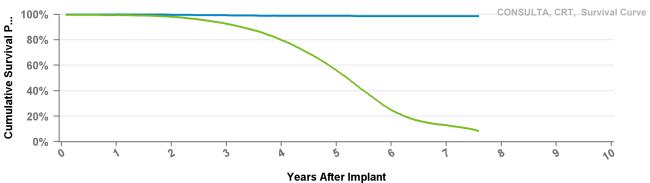
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

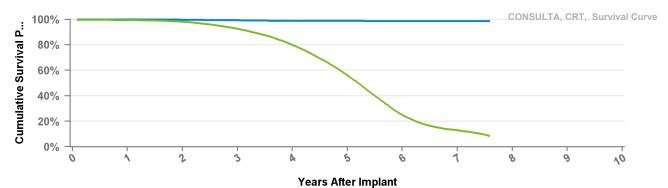
Therapy Function Compromised



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 91 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.997	0.993	0.989	0.988	0.987	0.987	0.987
Including NBD	0.995	0.981	0.926	0.798	0.56	0.248	0.13	0.084
Effective Sample Size	58003	52863	45908	35301	19997	6347	1476	159

## D224TRK Consulta CRT-D

US Market Release	Sep-08	Total Malfunctions	602
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	571
Registered USA Implants	65,981	Battery Malfunction	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	12,296	Electrical Component	65
Normal Battery Depletions	18,509	Electrical Interconnect	1
		Other Malfunction	1
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	496
		Software Malfunction	6
		Therapy Function Compromised	31
		Battery Malfunction	5
		Electrical Component	26



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 91 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.997	0.993	0.989	0.988	0.987	0.987	0.987
Including NBD	0.995	0.981	0.926	0.798	0.56	0.248	0.13	0.084
Effective Sample Size	58003	52863	45908	35301	19997	6347	1476	159

### D234TRK

### Consulta CRT-D

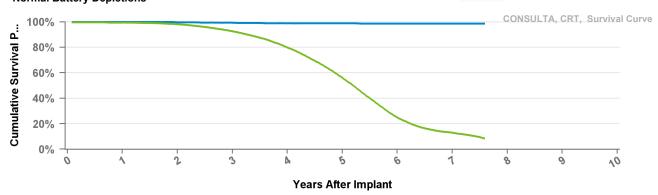
US Market Release Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Mar-08 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 3

Estimated Active USA Implants 1 Therapy Function Compromised

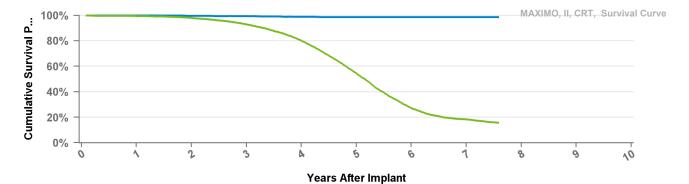
**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 91 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.997	0.993	0.989	0.988	0.987	0.987	0.987
Including NBD	0.995	0.981	0.926	0.798	0.56	0.248	0.13	0.084
Effective Sample Size	58003	52863	45908	35301	19997	6347	1476	159

## D264TRM Maximo II CRT-D

US Market Release	Jan-12	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date	Jul-10	Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	15	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	4	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	5		

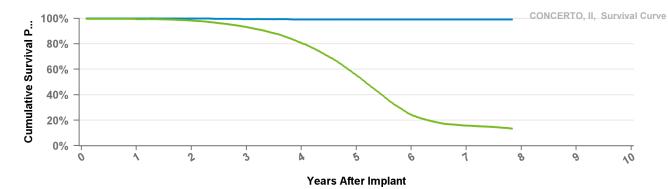


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 91 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.997	0.994	0.989	0.987	0.987	0.987	0.987
Including NBD	0.995	0.98	0.929	0.801	0.544	0.271	0.183	0.157
Effective Sample Size	12931	11677	10168	7757	4126	1426	502	117

## D274TRK Concerto II CRT-D

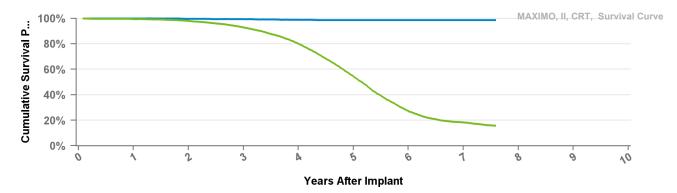
US Market Release	Aug-09	Total Malfunctions	186
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	175
Registered USA Implants	30,174	Battery Malfunction	1
<b>Estimated Active USA Implants</b>	6,246	Electrical Component	22
Normal Battery Depletions	7,915	Poss Early Battery Depltn	151
		Software Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	11
		Battery Malfunction	1
		Electrical Component	10



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 94 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.998	0.995	0.992	0.991	0.991	0.991	0.991
Including NBD	0.995	0.983	0.932	0.806	0.553	0.242	0.158	0.134
Effective Sample Size	25419	23235	20249	15462	8244	2672	1352	207

## D284TRK Maximo II CRT-D

US Market Release	Sep-08	Total Malfunctions	135
CE Approval Date	Mar-08	Therapy Function Not Compromised	130
Registered USA Implants	15,249	Electrical Component	6
Estimated Active USA Implants	3,096	Poss Early Battery Depltn	124
Normal Battery Depletions	3,996	Therapy Function Compromised	5
		Electrical Component	5



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 91 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.997	0.994	0.989	0.987	0.987	0.987	0.987
Including NBD	0.995	0.98	0.929	0.801	0.544	0.271	0.183	0.157
Effective Sample Size	12931	11677	10168	7757	4126	1426	502	117

Aug-08

#### D294TRK

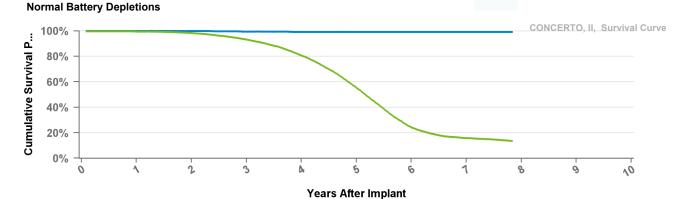
# Concerto II CRT-D

US Market Release
CE Approval Date
Registered USA Implants
Estimated Active USA Implants

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

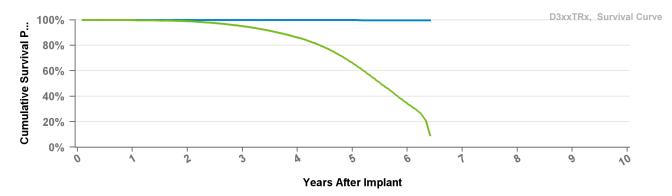
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 94 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.998	0.995	0.992	0.991	0.991	0.991	0.991
Including NBD	0.995	0.983	0.932	0.806	0.553	0.242	0.158	0.134
Effective Sample Size	25419	23235	20249	15462	8244	2672	1352	207

# D314TRG Protecta XT CRT-D

US Market Release	Mar-11	Total Malfunctions	91
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	73
Registered USA Implants	42,519	Battery Malfunction	7
<b>Estimated Active USA Implants</b>	13,958	Electrical Component	39
Normal Battery Depletions	9,425	Other Malfunction	2
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	25
		Therapy Function Compromised	18
		Battery Malfunction	10
		Electrical Component	8



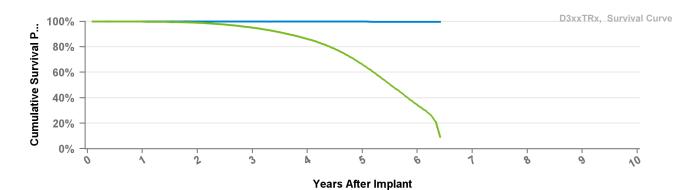
Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

### D314TRM Protecta XT CRT-D

US Market Release	Nov-11	Т
CE Approval Date		Т
Registered USA Implants	12,260	
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,414	
Normal Battery Depletions	3,002	
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Total Malfunctions 20
Therapy Function Not Compromised 17
Battery Malfunction 4
Electrical Component 8
Poss Early Battery Depltn 5
Therapy Function Compromised 3
Battery Malfunction 1

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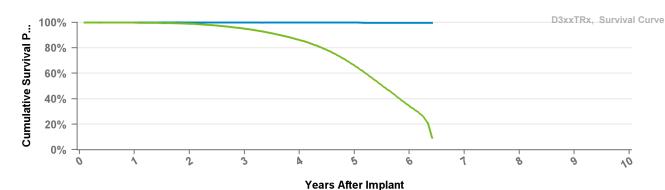
**Electrical Component** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

## D334TRG Protecta CRT-D

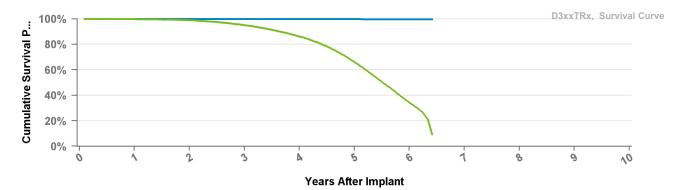
US Market Release	Mar-11	Total Malfunctions	13
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	11
Registered USA Implants	8,099	Electrical Component	8
<b>Estimated Active USA Implants</b>	2,989	Poss Early Battery Depltn	3
Normal Battery Depletions	1,850	Therapy Function Compromised	2
		Electrical Component	1
		Electrical Interconnect	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

### D334TRM Protecta CRT-D

US Market Release	Nov-11	Total Malfunctions	8
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	6
Registered USA Implants	1,785	Battery Malfunction	3
Estimated Active USA Implants	678	Electrical Component	1
Normal Battery Depletions	465	Poss Early Battery Depltn	2
		Therapy Function Compromised	2
		Battery Malfunction	2



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

## D354TRG Protecta XT CRT-D

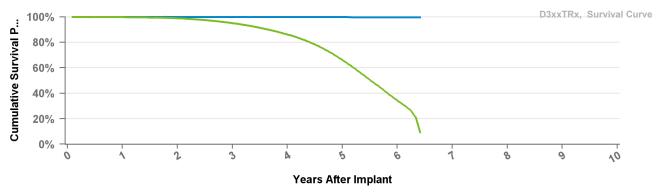
US Market Release Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Mar-10 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 2

Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

### D354TRM Protecta XT CRT-D

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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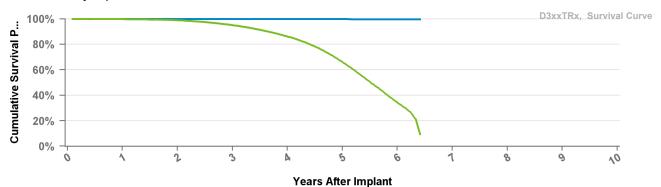
**Registered USA Implants** 

Jul-10 Therapy Function Not Compromised

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at // mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

### **D364TRG**

#### Protecta CRT-D

Mar-10

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

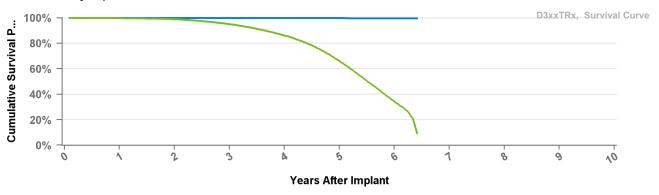
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

Estimated Active USA Implants

Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

#### **D364TRM**

### Protecta CRT-D

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Jul-10

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

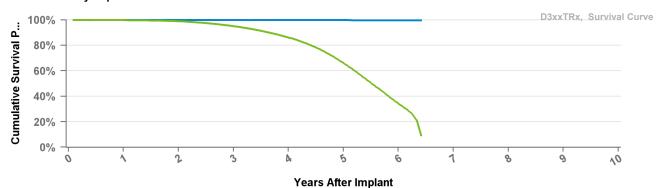
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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 



Jan-11

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

#### **D384TRG**

### Cardia CRT-D

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

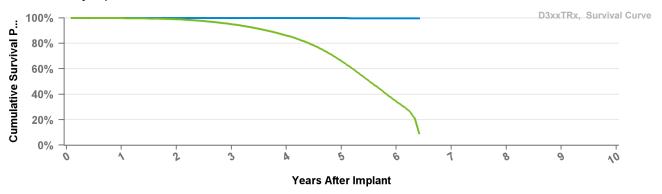
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



- Excluding Normal Battery Depletion Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

#### **D394TRG** Egida CRT-D

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

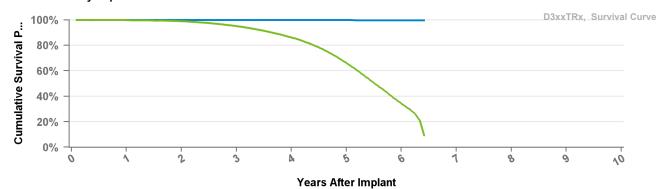
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 



 Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 77 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.989	0.95	0.861	0.661	0.342	0.093
Effective Sample Size	56215	51756	45535	36034	22075	6206	317

#### DTBA1D1

**US Market Release** 

Viva XT

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 56,498 **Battery Malfunction** 

Jan-13

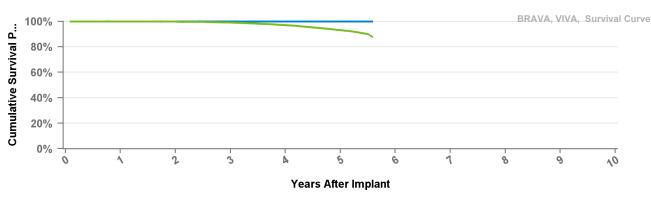
47,279 **Electrical Component** 931 Other Malfunction

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Battery Malfunction** 7

**Electrical Component** 3



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

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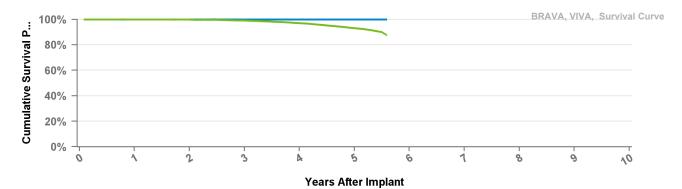
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### Viva XT DTBA1D4

US Market Release	Jan-13	Total Malfunctions	21
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	16
Registered USA Implants	19,854	Battery Malfunction	3
Estimated Active USA Implants	16,807	Electrical Component	10
Normal Battery Depletions	335	Poss Early Battery Depltn	3
		Therapy Function Compromised	5
		Battery Malfunction	2
		Electrical Component	3

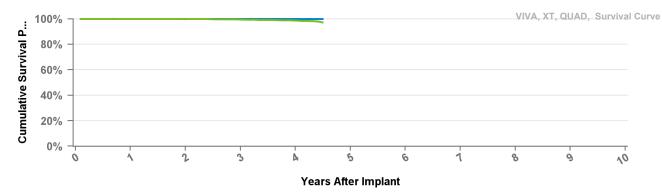


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### Viva Quad XT DTBA1Q1

US Market Release	Jul-14	Total Malfunctions	4
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	3
Registered USA Implants	10,846	Electrical Component	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	9,599	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions	57	Therapy Function Compromised	1
		Flectrical Component	1



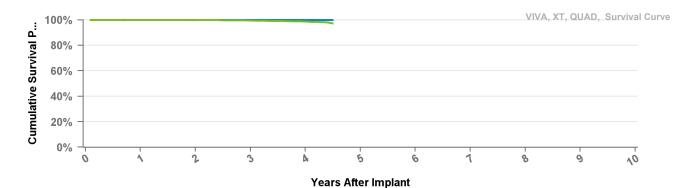
Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.987	0.971
Effective Sample Size	34433	31033	24055	8373	1142

## DTBA1QQ Viva Quad XT

US Market Release	Jul-14	Total Malfunc
CE Approval Date		Therapy Func
Registered USA Implants	27,075	Battery Malf
Estimated Active USA Implants	24,952	Electrical Co
Normal Battery Depletions	131	Electrical Int
		Other Malfur
		Therapy Func

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**Electrical Component** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.987	0.971
Effective Sample Size	34433	31033	24055	8373	1142

#### DTBA2D1 Viva XT

US Market Release
CE Approval Date Aug-16
Registered USA Implants 1

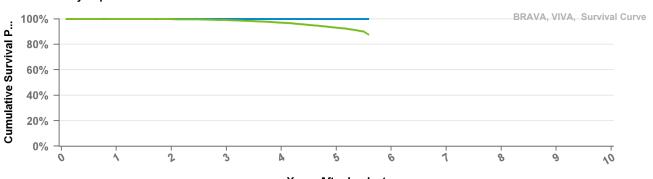
Registered USA Implants 1
Estimated Active USA Implants

Normal Battery Depletions

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



### Years After Implant

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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBA2D4 Viva XT

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

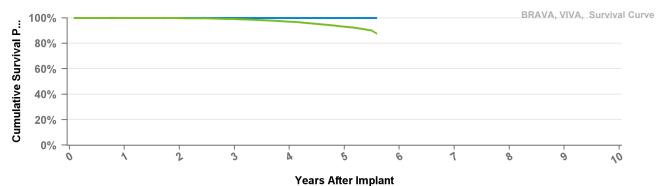
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBA2Q1

### Viva Quad XT

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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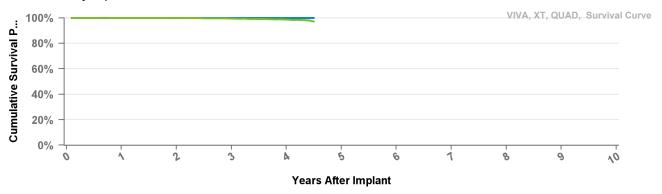
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.987	0.971
Effective Sample Size	34433	31033	24055	8373	1142

#### DTBA2QQ Viva Quad XT

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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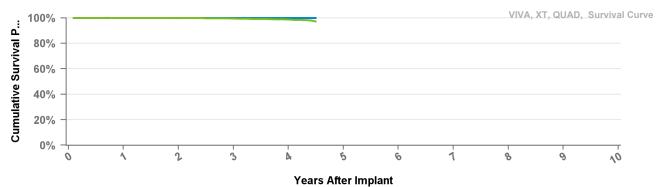
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



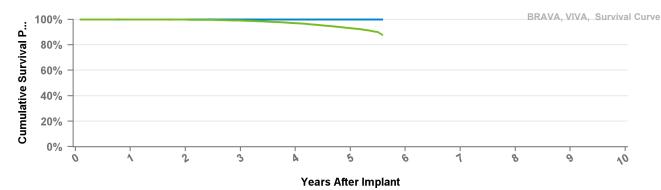
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.987	0.971
Effective	34433	31033	24055	8373	1142

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### Viva S

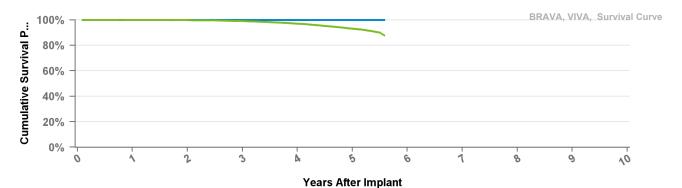
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CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	8
Registered USA Implants	13,956	Battery Malfunction	4
Estimated Active USA Implants	11,257	Electrical Component	3
Normal Battery Depletions	336	Poss Early Battery Depltn	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	3
		Battery Malfunction	2
		Electrical Component	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBB1D4 Viva S

US Market Release	Jan-13	Total Malfunctions	5
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	3
Registered USA Implants	4,555	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	3,810	Electrical Component	1
Normal Battery Depletions	120	Other Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	2
		Battery Malfunction	2



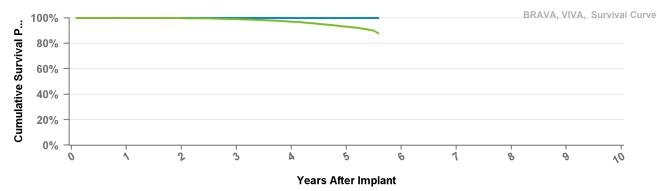
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBB1Q1

## Viva Quad S

US Market Release	Jul-14	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	2,294	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	2,036	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	15		

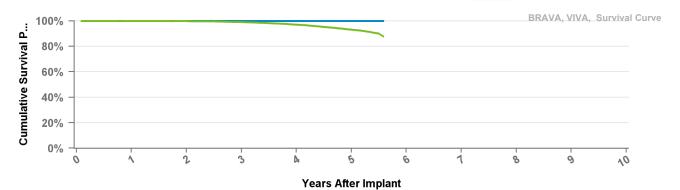


- Excluding Normal Battery Depletion Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

## DTBB1QQ Viva Quad S

US Market Release	Jul-14	Total Malfunctions	6
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	5
Registered USA Implants	5,049	Electrical Component	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,628	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions	33	Poss Early Battery Depltn	2
		Therapy Function Compromised	1
		Flectrical Component	1



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

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#### DTBB2D1

**US Market Release** 

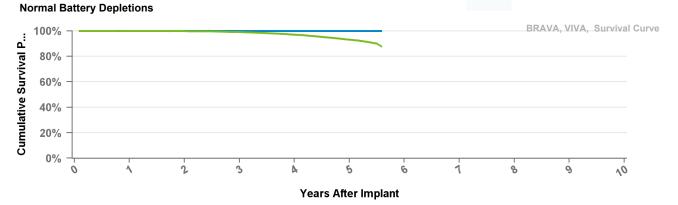
### Viva S

CE Approval Date
Registered USA Implants
Estimated Active USA Implants

Total Malfunctions

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBB2D4

Viva S

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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**Total Malfunctions** 

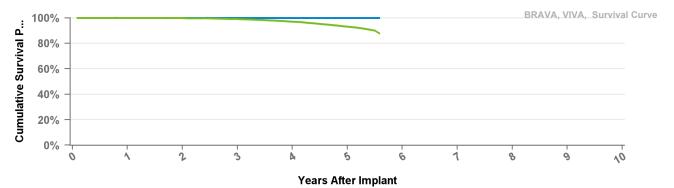
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

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## Viva Quad S

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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**Total Malfunctions** 

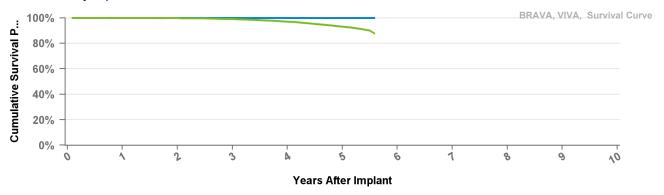
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



- Excluding Normal Battery Depletion Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

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**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

Aug-12

**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

BRAVA, VIVA, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 2 ż 5 6 1 0 10

**Years After Implant** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBC2D4

#### Brava

**US Market Release** 

Aug-12

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

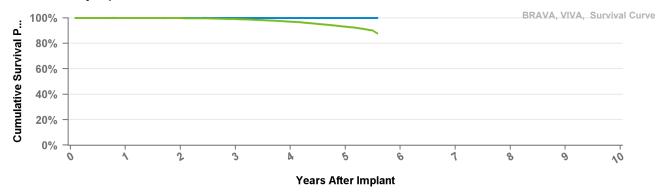
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



- Excluding Normal Battery Depletion Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBC2Q1 **Brava Quad**

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

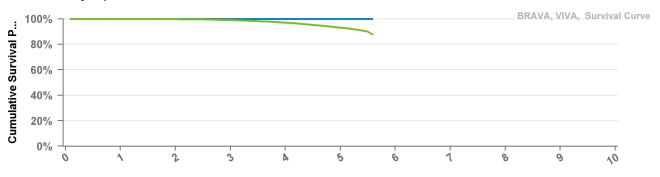
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



**Years After Implant** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Aug-12

Sep-13

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

#### DTBC2QQ

#### **Brava Quad**

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

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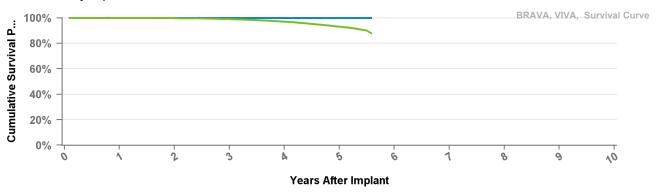
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

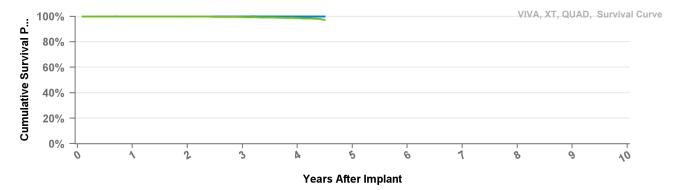


- Excluding Normal Battery Depletion Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 67 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.991	0.97	0.931	0.876
Effective Sample Size	91157	80097	61057	37823	13882	1077

## DTBX1QQ Viva Quad C

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US Market Release	Jul-14	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		<b>Therapy Function Not Compromised</b>	1
Registered USA Implants	637	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	502	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	35		



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.987	0.971
Effective Sample Size	34433	31033	24055	8373	1142

### DTBX2QQ

### Viva Quad C

Jul-14

US Market Release

**CE Approval Date** 

Registered USA Implants

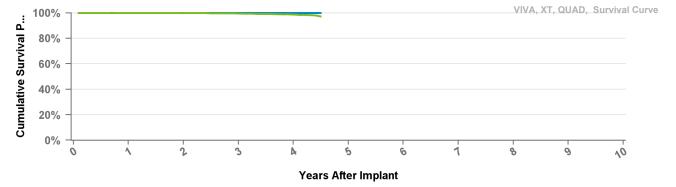
Estimated Active USA Implants

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.987	0.971
Effective Sample Size	34433	31033	24055	8373	1142

### DTMA1D1 Claria MRI

US Market Release CE Approval Date Dec-16 Total Malfunctions

Therapy Function Not Compromised

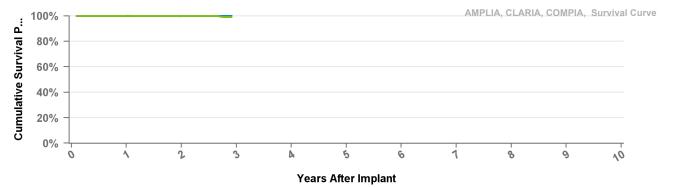
Registered USA Implants

Estimated Active USA Implants 5,

5,727 5,552

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective	10807	2705	113

#### DTMA1D4

#### Claria MRI

US Market Release CE Approval Date Dec-16

**Total Malfunctions** 

4,879

Therapy Function Not Compromised

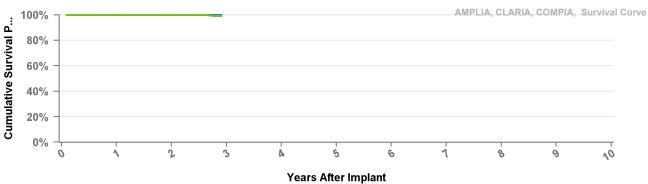
Registered USA Implants
Estimated Active USA Implants

4,723

1

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

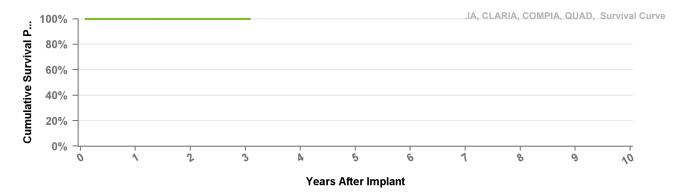
Normal Battery Depletions



Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

## DTMA1Q1 Claria MRI

US Market Release	Dec-16	Total Malfunctions	2
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	2
Registered USA Implants	3,785	Electrical Interconnect	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	3,687	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions	1	Therapy Function Compromised	0

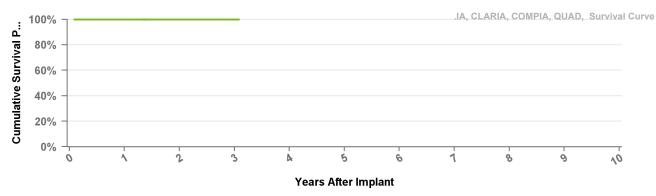


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

## DTMA1QQ Claria MRI

US Market Release	Dec-16	Total Malfunctions	3
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	23,398	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	22,873	Therapy Function Compromised	2
Normal Battery Depletions	2	Electrical Component	2



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

### DTMA2D1

### Claria MRI

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Aug-16

Registered USA Implants

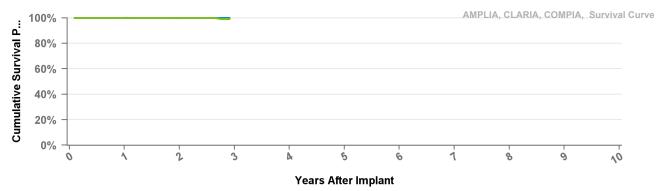
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective	10807	2705	113

#### DTMA2D4

#### Claria MRI

Feb-16

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Registered USA Implants

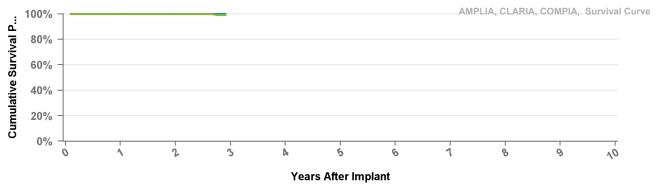
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**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

#### DTMA2Q1

### Claria MRI

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Aug-16

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

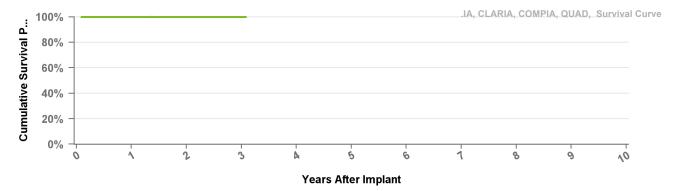
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

#### DTMA2QQ

#### Claria MRI

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Feb-16

**Total Malfunctions** 

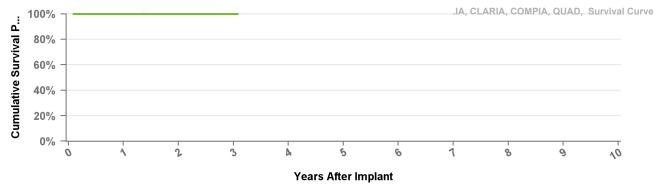
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

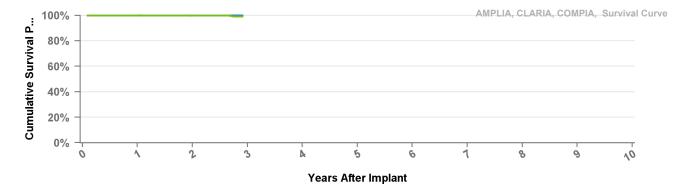
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

## DTMB1D1 Amplia MRI

US Market Release	Dec-16	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	4,007	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	3,877	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	1		

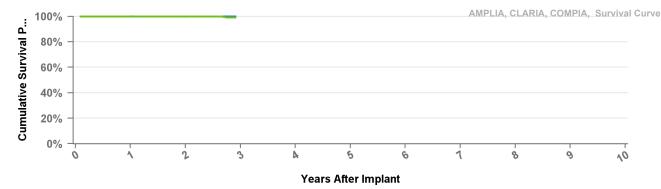


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

# DTMB1D4 Amplia MRI

US Market Release	Feb-16	Total Malfunctions	2
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	2
Registered USA Implants	4,431	Electrical Component	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,233	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	4		



Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

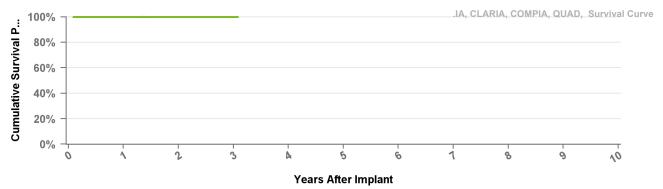
#### DTMB1Q1 **Amplia MRI**

**US Market Release** Dec-16 **Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date Registered USA Implants** 2,258 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 2,161

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 1

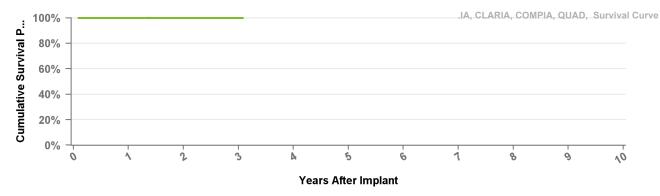


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

#### **Amplia MRI** DTMB1QQ

US Market Release	Feb-16	Total Malfunctions	9
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	9
Registered USA Implants	22,875	Electrical Component	6
Estimated Active USA Implants	21,985	Other Malfunction	3
Normal Battery Depletions	7	Therapy Function Compromised	0



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

### DTMB2D1

## **Amplia MRI**

**US Market Release** 

Aug-16 **CE Approval Date** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

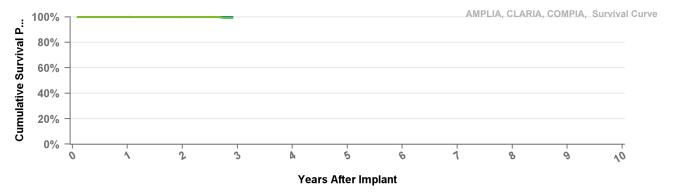
**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Registered USA Implants** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

### DTMB2D4

## Amplia MRI

Feb-16

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

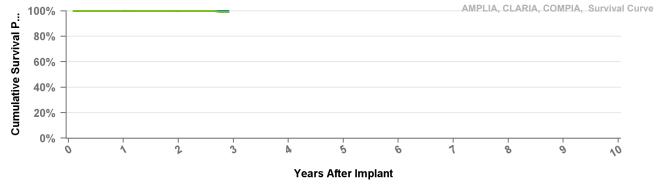
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

### DTMB2Q1

## **Amplia MRI**

Aug-16

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Registered USA Implants

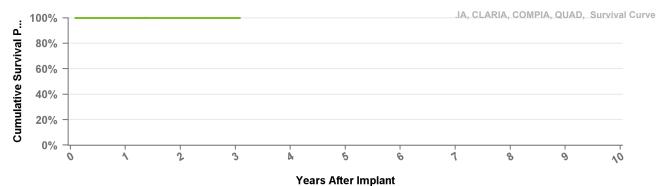
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

### DTMB2QQ

## Amplia MRI

Feb-16

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

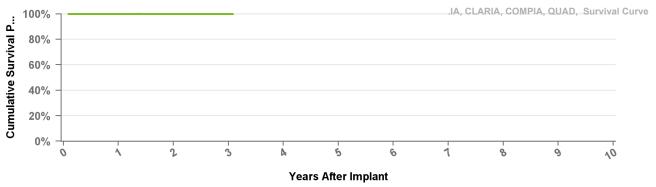
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

## DTMC1D1 Compia MRI

US Market Release CE Approval Date Dec-16 Total Malfunctions

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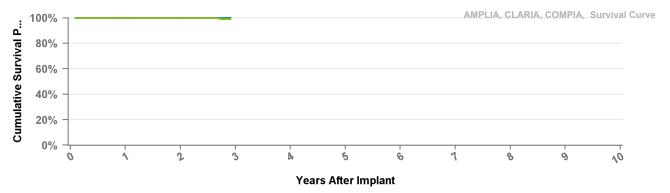
Registered USA Implants

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

Estimated Active USA Implants

476 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

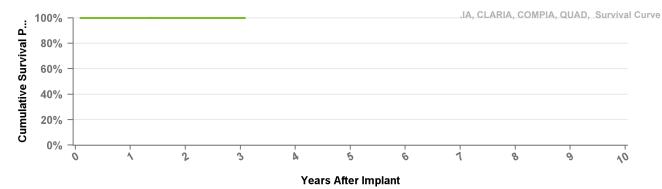


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective	10807	2705	113

## DTMC1QQ Compia MRI

2 **US Market Release** Feb-16 **Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised** 2 2 **Registered USA Implants** 2,560 **Electrical Component Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised** 2,469 0 **Normal Battery Depletions** 1



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective	33441	14383	980	358

### DTMC2D1

## Compia MRI

Aug-16

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

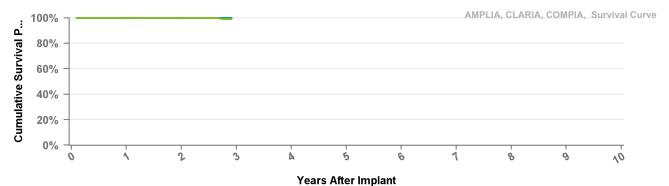
**Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective	10807	2705	113

### DTMC2D4

## Compia MRI

Feb-16

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

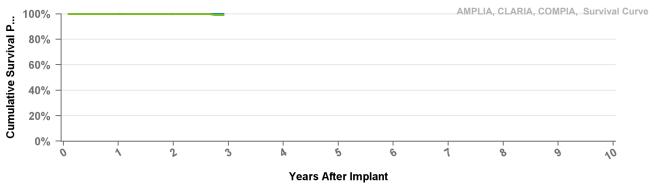
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	at 35 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.998	0.991
Effective Sample Size	10807	2705	113

# DTMC2QQ Compia MRI

**US Market Release** 

CE Approval Date

Feb-16

**Total Malfunctions** 

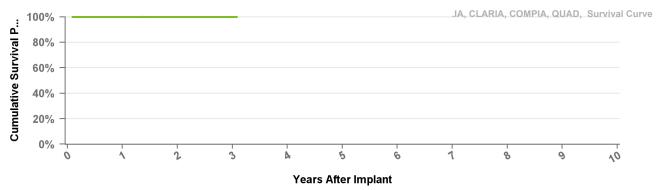
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Registered USA Implants

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Effective Sample Size	33441	14383	980	358

# 8042 InSync III

US Market Release	Feb-03	Total Malfunctions	104
CE Approval Date	Feb-01	Therapy Function Not Compromised	61
Registered USA Implants	39,511	Battery Malfunction	49
Estimated Active USA Implants	5,030	Electrical Component	2
Normal Battery Depletions	5,037	Electrical Interconnect	3
		Other Malfunction	5
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	2
		Therapy Function Compromised	43
		Battery Malfunction	31

Electrical Interconnect

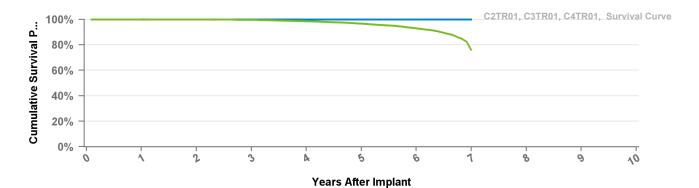
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• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 121 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.994	0.991	0.988	0.987
Including NBD	0.994	0.991	0.982	0.96	0.923	0.854	0.735	0.556	0.365	0.172	0.137
Effective Sample Size	30582	26210	22533	19260	16077	12306	8766	5667	2328	224	109

# C2TR01 Syncra CRT-P

US Market Release	Mar-11	Total Malfunctions	4
CE Approval Date	May-10	Therapy Function Not Compromised	4
Registered USA Implants	10,228	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	6,956	Poss Early Battery Depltn	3
Normal Battery Depletions	241	Therapy Function Compromised	0



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 84 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.996	0.985	0.967	0.929	0.76
Effective Sample Size	27493	24536	21223	16421	10574	4845	211

#### **C3TR01** Consulta CRT-P

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

May-10

**Registered USA Implants** 

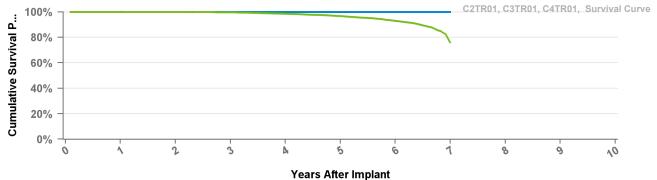
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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 2

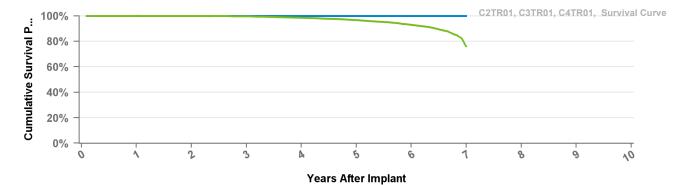


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 84 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.996	0.985	0.967	0.929	0.76
Effective Sample Size	27493	24536	21223	16421	10574	4845	211

#### **C4TR01** Consulta CRT-P

**US Market Release** Mar-11 **Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised Registered USA Implants** 23,537 Poss Early Battery Depltn **Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised** 17,571 **Normal Battery Depletions** 449



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 Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

at 9.4

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.996	0.985	0.967	0.929	0.76
Effective Sample Size	27493	24536	21223	16421	10574	4845	211

#### **C5TR01** Viva CRT-P

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

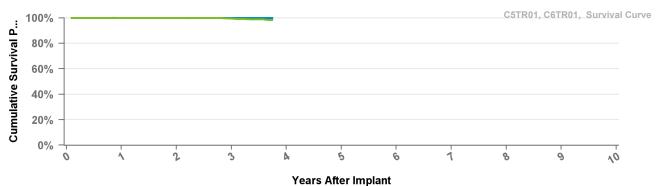
**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

Apr-14

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	at 45 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.995	0.983
Effective Sample Size	7666	6052	2667	190

#### Viva CRT-P **C6TR01**

**US Market Release** Jul-14 **CE Approval Date** 

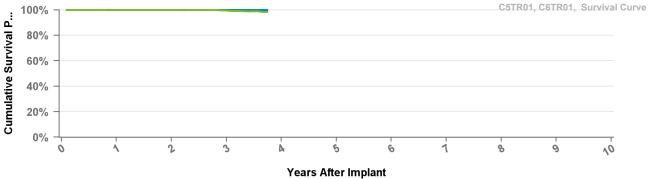
**Registered USA Implants** 9,297 8,404

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 20 **Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

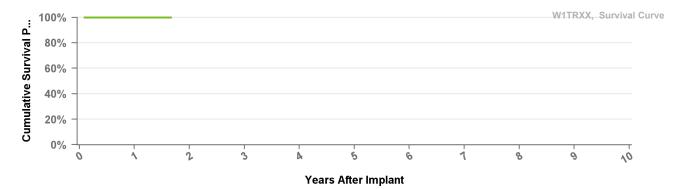
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	at 45 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.995	0.983
Effective Sample Size	7666	6052	2667	190

# W1TR01 Percepta CRTP MRI

US Market Release	May-17	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	2,406	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	2,337	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions			

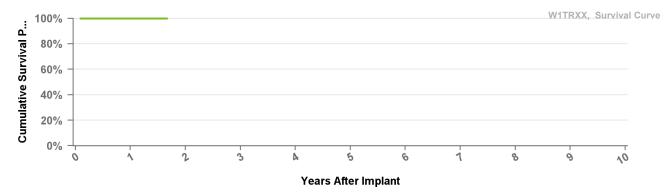


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

		at 20
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	1280	136

# W1TR02 Serena CRTP MRI

US Market Release	May-17	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	635	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	615	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions			



		at 20
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	1280	136

#### **W1TR03** Solara CRTP MRI

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** May-17

1,132

Feb-17

**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

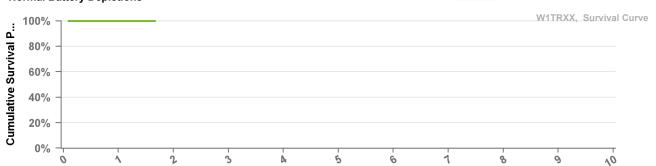
**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

1,166

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 



**Years After Implant** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	at 20 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	1280	136

#### **W1TR04** Percepta CRTP MRI

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

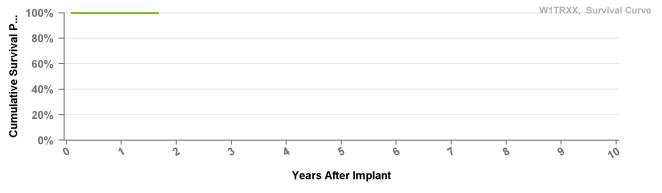
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	at 20 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective	1280	136

## W1TR05 Serena CRTP MRI

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

Feb-17

**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

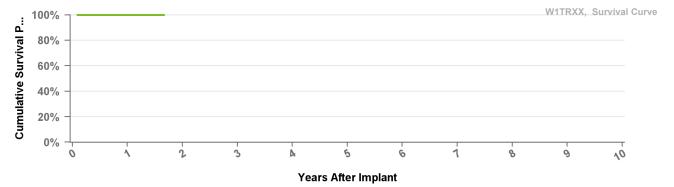
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

		at 20
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	1280	136

### **W1TR06**

### Solara CRTP MRI

Feb-17

**US Market Release** 

Total Malfunctions

**CE Approval Date** 

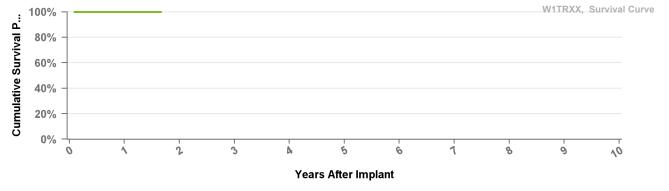
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**Registered USA Implants** 

Estimated Active USA Implants

Therapy Function Compromised

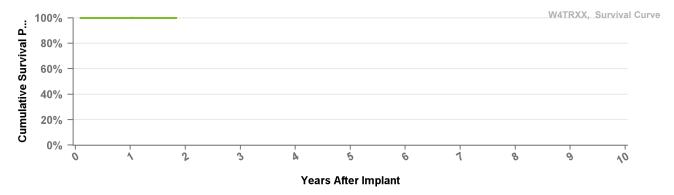
**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	at 20 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	1280	136

# W4TR01 Percepta Quad CRTP MRI SureScan

US Market Release	May-17	Total Malfunctions	2
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	2
Registered USA Implants	10,027	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	9,723	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions		Therapy Function Compromised	0



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	at 22 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999
Effective Sample Size	6130	123

### **W4TR02**

# Serena Quad CRTP MRI SureScan

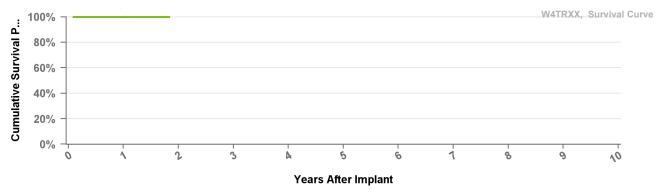
US Market Release May-17 Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 2,123

Estimated Active USA Implants 2,066 Therapy Function Compromised

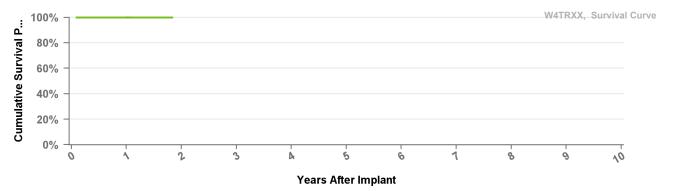
**Normal Battery Depletions** 



		at 22
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999
Effective Sample Size	6130	123

## W4TR03 Solara Quad CRTP MRI SureScan

US Market Release	May-17	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	0
Registered USA Implants	3,460		
Estimated Active USA Implants	3,335	Therapy Function Compromised	1
Normal Battery Depletions		Electrical Component	1



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

		at 22
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999
Effective Sample Size	6130	123

# W4TR04 Percepta Quad CRT-P MRI SureScan

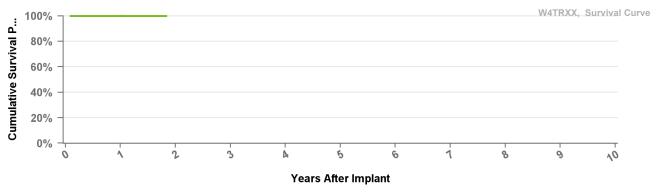
US Market Release Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Feb-17 Therapy Function Not Compromised

**Registered USA Implants** 

Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	at 22 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999
Effective Sample Size	6130	123

### **W4TR05**

## Serena Quad CRTP MRI SureScan

Feb-17

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

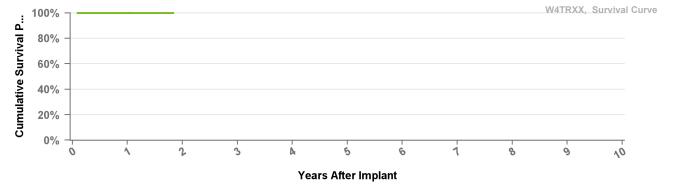
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	at 22 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999
Effective Sample Size	6130	123

### **W4TR06**

## Solara Quad CRTP MRI SureScan

Feb-17

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

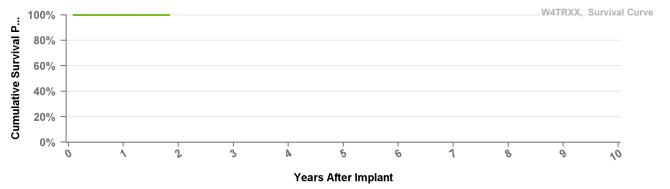
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

Estimated Active USA Implants

Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	at 22 mo
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Effective Sample Size	6130	123

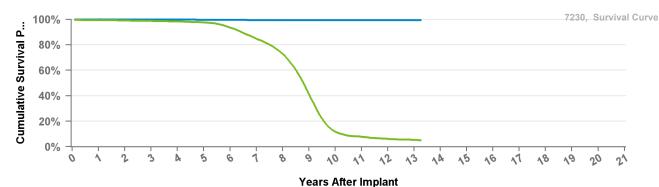
#### Marquis VR 7230B

US Market Release	Dec-02
CE Approval Date	Aug-02
Registered USA Implants	237
Estimated Active USA Implants	11
Normal Battery Depletions	25

**Total Malfunctions Therapy Function Not Compromised** 0

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Battery Malfunction** 



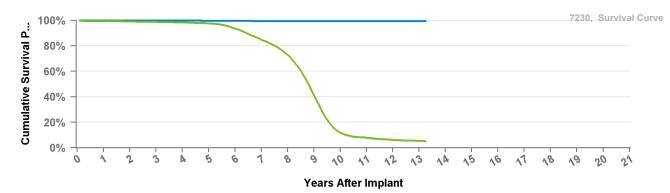
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	at 159 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.995	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993
Including NBD	0.994	0.991	0.988	0.984	0.976	0.935	0.847	0.728	0.414	0.117	0.078	0.062	0.054	0.05
Effective Sample Size	16507	12759	10565	9428	8384	7283	6049	4812	2538	549	291	184	117	101

#### 7230Cx Marquis VR

US Market Release	Dec-02
CE Approval Date	Apr-02
Registered USA Implants	18,517
Estimated Active USA Implants	1,182
Normal Battery Depletions	3,366

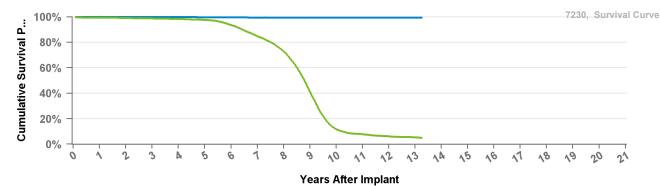
**Total Malfunctions** 56 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 30 **Battery Malfunction** 1 **Electrical Component** 14 Poss Early Battery Depltn 14 Software Malfunction **Therapy Function Compromised** 26 **Battery Malfunction** 17 **Electrical Component** 9



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Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.995	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993
Including NBD	0.994	0.991	0.988	0.984	0.976	0.935	0.847	0.728	0.414	0.117	0.078	0.062	0.054	0.05
Effective Sample Size	16507	12759	10565	9428	8384	7283	6049	4812	2538	549	291	184	117	101

# 7230E Marquis VR

US Market Release	Dec-02	Total Malfunctions	3
CE Approval Date	Aug-02	Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	632	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	39	Therapy Function Compromised	2
Normal Battery Depletions	76	Battery Malfunction	2



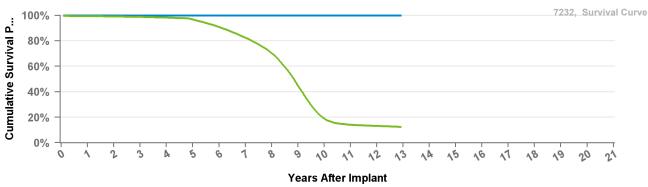
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	at 159 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.995	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993	0.993
Including NBD	0.994	0.991	0.988	0.984	0.976	0.935	0.847	0.728	0.414	0.117	0.078	0.062	0.054	0.05
Effective Sample Size	16507	12759	10565	9428	8384	7283	6049	4812	2538	549	291	184	117	101

## 7232B Maximo VR

US Market Release Oct-03 Total Malfunctions
CE Approval Date Oct-04 Therapy Function Not Compromised
Registered USA Implants 170
Estimated Active USA Implants 24 Therapy Function Compromised

Normal Battery Depletions 33



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	at 155 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.994	0.992	0.988	0.983	0.968	0.908	0.824	0.702	0.449	0.189	0.141	0.132	0.123
Effective Sample Size	38270	34245	30526	26919	23714	20616	17404	13900	8265	2874	1622	1039	157

# Maximo VR

Oct-03
Oct-03
43,674
4,976
10,219

#### **Total Malfunctions** 72 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 57

**Electrical Component** 28 Other Malfunction 2

Poss Early Battery Depltn 25 Software Malfunction 2

#### **Therapy Function Compromised** 15

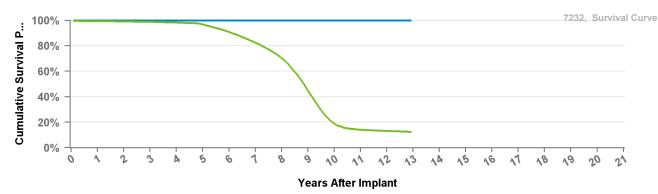
**Electrical Component** 

**Electrical Interconnect** 1

12

Other Malfunction 1 1

Poss Early Battery Depltn

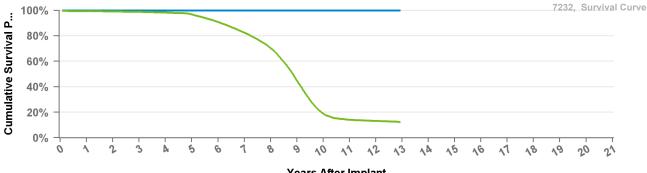


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	at 155 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.994	0.992	0.988	0.983	0.968	0.908	0.824	0.702	0.449	0.189	0.141	0.132	0.123
Effective	38270	34245	30526	26919	23714	20616	17404	13900	8265	2874	1622	1039	157

#### Maximo VR 7232E

US Market Release	Oct-03	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date	Oct-04	Therapy Function Not Compromised	0
Registered USA Implants	490		
Estimated Active USA Implants	66	Therapy Function Compromised	1
Normal Battery Depletions	85	Electrical Component	1



### **Years After Implant**

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	at 155 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.994	0.992	0.988	0.983	0.968	0.908	0.824	0.702	0.449	0.189	0.141	0.132	0.123
Effective Sample Size	38270	34245	30526	26919	23714	20616	17404	13900	8265	2874	1622	1039	157

### **D144DRG**

## **Entrust Escudo**

**US Market Release** 

CE Approval Date

Jun-08

**Total Malfunctions** 

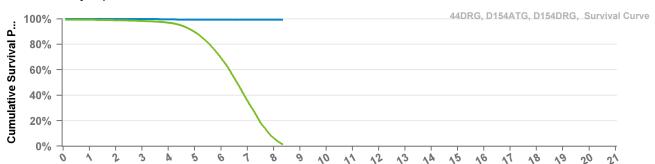
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

Registered USA Implants

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

Normal Battery Depletions

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



### **Years After Implant**

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

**Total Malfunctions** 

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 100 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.994	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.993
Including NBD	0.993	0.99	0.984	0.969	0.896	0.694	0.359	0.063	0.015
Effective Sample Size	24826	22608	20235	17787	14662	10482	4875	727	176

### **D144VRC**

## **Entrust Escudo**

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Jun-08

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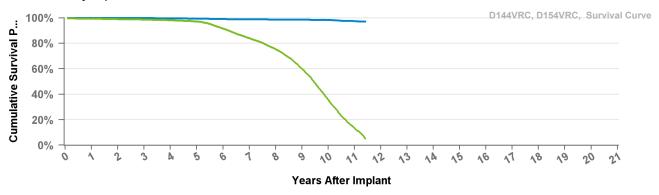
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

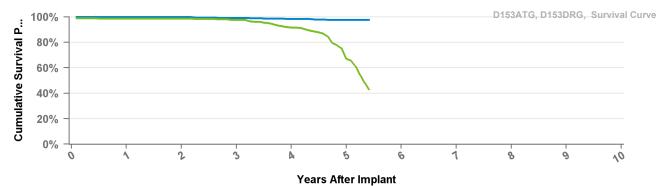
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	at 137 mo
Excluding NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.994	0.991	0.988	0.987	0.986	0.983	0.974	0.971
Including NBD	0.994	0.99	0.987	0.982	0.972	0.915	0.841	0.753	0.599	0.359	0.133	0.052
Effective Sample Size	12605	11408	10198	8981	7899	6866	5846	4894	3535	1866	521	149

# D153ATG Entrust AT

US Market Release	Jun-05	Total Malfunctions	8
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	7
Registered USA Implants	459	Poss Early Battery Depltn	7
Estimated Active USA Implants	13	Therapy Function Compromised	1
Normal Battery Depletions	179	Electrical Component	1

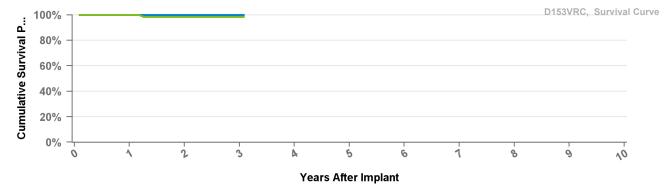


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	0.998	0.998	0.992	0.983	0.976	0.976
Including NBD	0.987	0.987	0.975	0.916	0.671	0.429
Effective Sample Size	410	376	339	278	194	107

# D153VRC Entrust VR

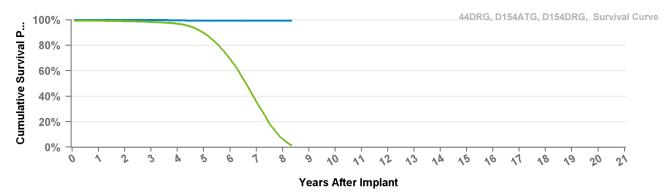
US Market Release CE Approval Date	Jun-05	Total Malfunctions Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	165	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	7	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	28		



Years	1	2	3	at 37 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.985	0.985	0.985
Effective Sample Size	141	119	102	100

# **D154ATG** Entrust AT

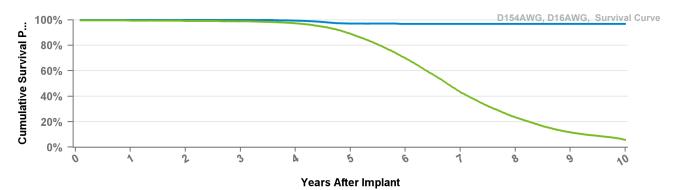
US Market Release	Jun-05	Total Malfunctions	125
CE Approval Date	Feb-05	Therapy Function Not Compromised	109
Registered USA Implants	28,151	Electrical Component	30
Estimated Active USA Implants	947	Electrical Interconnect	1
Normal Battery Depletions	8,751	Other Malfunction	1
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	74
		Software Malfunction	3
		Therapy Function Compromised	16
		Electrical Component	16



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 100 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.994	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.993
Including NBD	0.993	0.99	0.984	0.969	0.896	0.694	0.359	0.063	0.015
Effective	24826	22608	20235	17787	14662	10482	4875	727	176

# D154AWG Virtuoso DR

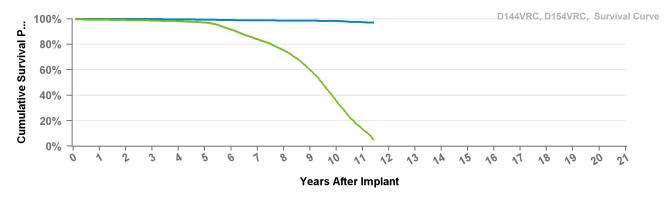
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CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	3,294
Registered USA Implants	76,859	Battery Malfunction	9
Estimated Active USA Implants	10,320	Electrical Component	3,145
Normal Battery Depletions	20,923	Electrical Interconnect	2
		Other Malfunction	3
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	132
		Software Malfunction	3
		Therapy Function Compromised	51
		Battery Malfunction	2
		Electrical Component	45
		Other Malfunction	3
		Poss Farly Battery Deplth	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 120 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.994	0.971	0.969	0.969	0.969	0.968	0.968
Including NBD	0.995	0.992	0.988	0.973	0.891	0.699	0.432	0.235	0.117	0.057
Effective Sample Size	63446	58190	53025	48182	40935	29745	16542	7688	3120	236

# D154VRC Entrust VR

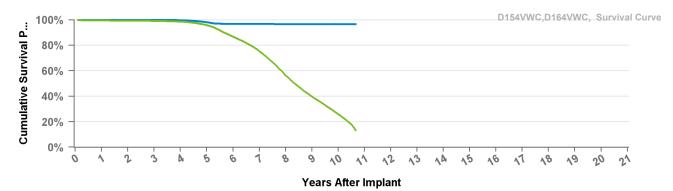
US Market Release	Jun-05	Total Malfunctions	152
CE Approval Date	Feb-05	Therapy Function Not Compromised	102
Registered USA Implants	14,465	Battery Malfunction	19
Estimated Active USA Implants	976	Electrical Component	47
Normal Battery Depletions	3,165	Other Malfunction	12
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	24
		Therapy Function Compromised	50
		Battery Malfunction	19
		Electrical Component	27
		Other Malfunction	4



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	at 137 mo
Excluding NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.994	0.991	0.988	0.987	0.986	0.983	0.974	0.971
Including NBD	0.994	0.99	0.987	0.982	0.972	0.915	0.841	0.753	0.599	0.359	0.133	0.052
Effective Sample Size	12605	11408	10198	8981	7899	6866	5846	4894	3535	1866	521	149

# D154VWC Virtuoso VR

US Market Release	May-06	Total Malfunctions	692
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	672
Registered USA Implants	33,150	Battery Malfunction	12
Estimated Active USA Implants	6,598	Electrical Component	640
Normal Battery Depletions	7,298	Electrical Interconnect	1
		Other Malfunction	4
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	15
		Therapy Function Compromised	20
		Battery Malfunction	3
		Electrical Component	17



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 128 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.981	0.969	0.968	0.967	0.967	0.966	0.966
Including NBD	0.996	0.994	0.992	0.987	0.958	0.867	0.752	0.564	0.397	0.258	0.133
Effective Sample Size	28616	26099	23785	21760	19341	16180	13067	9025	5646	2415	335

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## D164AWG Virtuoso DR

US Market Release

CE Approval Date Mar-06

Registered USA Implants 10

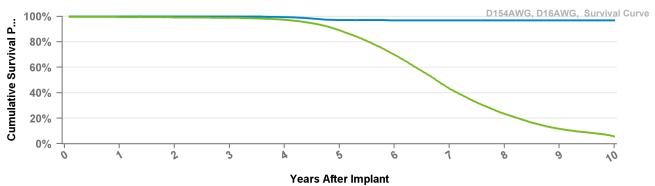
Estimated Active USA Implants 3

Normal Battery Depletions

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

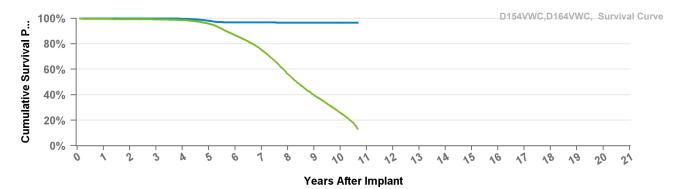
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 120 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.994	0.971	0.969	0.969	0.969	0.968	0.968
Including NBD	0.995	0.992	0.988	0.973	0.891	0.699	0.432	0.235	0.117	0.057
Effective Sample Size	63446	58190	53025	48182	40935	29745	16542	7688	3120	236

# D164VWC Virtuoso VR

US Market Release		Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date	Mar-06	Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	6	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	2	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions			

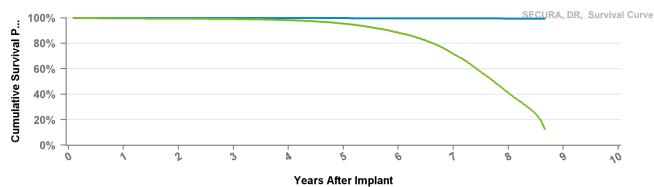


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 128 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.981	0.969	0.968	0.967	0.967	0.966	0.966
Including NBD	0.996	0.994	0.992	0.987	0.958	0.867	0.752	0.564	0.397	0.258	0.133
Effective Sample Size	28616	26099	23785	21760	19341	16180	13067	9025	5646	2415	335

## D204DRM Secura DR

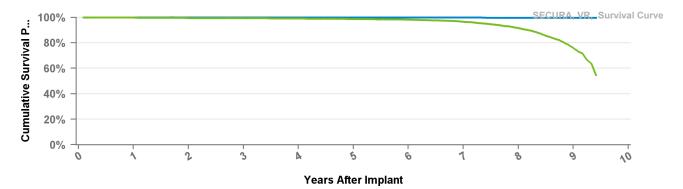
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CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	1,879	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	1,305	Therapy Function Compromised	2
Normal Battery Depletions	63	Electrical Component	2



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.995	0.995
Including NBD	0.996	0.994	0.991	0.982	0.955	0.884	0.716	0.411	0.128
Effective Sample Size	45395	42543	39949	37066	33189	26613	16602	5632	182

#### Secura VR D204VRM

US Market Release	May-12	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	1,184	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	952	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	1		



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 113 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.995	0.994	0.991	0.987	0.982	0.965	0.916	0.759	0.546
Effective Sample Size	18313	17106	16125	15026	13792	12145	9826	6485	1768	317

### **D214DRM**

## Secura DR

**US Market Release Total Malfunctions** 

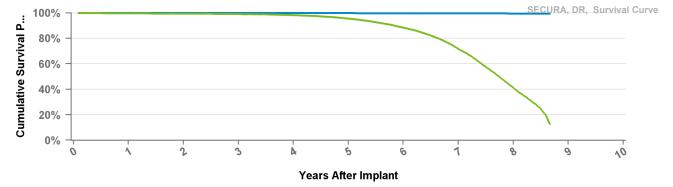
**CE Approval Date** Jul-10 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 1

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.995	0.995
Including NBD	0.996	0.994	0.991	0.982	0.955	0.884	0.716	0.411	0.128
Effective Sample Size	45395	42543	39949	37066	33189	26613	16602	5632	182

# **D214VRM**

## Secura VR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** Dec-10

**CE Approval Date** 

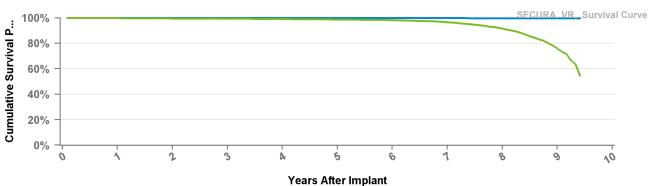
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

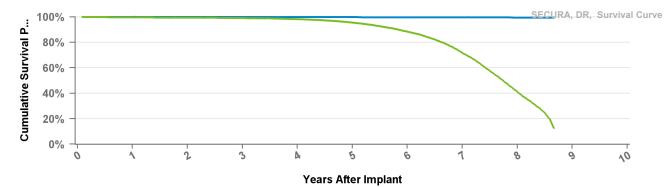
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 113 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.995	0.994	0.991	0.987	0.982	0.965	0.916	0.759	0.546
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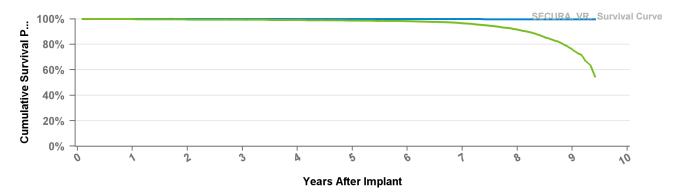
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CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	115
Registered USA Implants	49,913	Battery Malfunction	14
Estimated Active USA Implants	13,886	Electrical Component	38
Normal Battery Depletions	8,718	Other Malfunction	4
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	50
		Software Malfunction	9
		Therapy Function Compromised	31
		Battery Malfunction	15
		Electrical Component	13
		Other Malfunction	1
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	1
		Software Malfunction	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 104 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.995	0.995
Including NBD	0.996	0.994	0.991	0.982	0.955	0.884	0.716	0.411	0.128
Effective Sample Size	45395	42543	39949	37066	33189	26613	16602	5632	182

# D224VRC Secura VR

US Market Release	Sep-08	Total Malfunctions	45	
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	34	
Registered USA Implants	20,044	Battery Malfunction	13	
Estimated Active USA Implants	9,401	Electrical Component	10	
Normal Battery Depletions	967	Other Malfunction	1	
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	8	
		Software Malfunction	2	
		Therapy Function Compromised	11	
		Battery Malfunction	3	
		Electrical Component	6	
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	1	
		Software Malfunction	1	



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.995	0.994	0.991	0.987	0.982	0.965	0.916	0.759	0.546
Effective Sample Size	18313	17106	16125	15026	13792	12145	9826	6485	1768	317

### **D234DRG**

## Secura DR

**US Market Release CE Approval Date** 

Mar-08

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

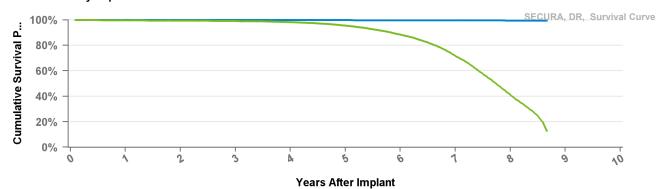
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

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• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 104 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.995	0.995
Including NBD	0.996	0.994	0.991	0.982	0.955	0.884	0.716	0.411	0.128
Effective Sample Size	45395	42543	39949	37066	33189	26613	16602	5632	182

### **D234VRC**

### Secura VR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Mar-08 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

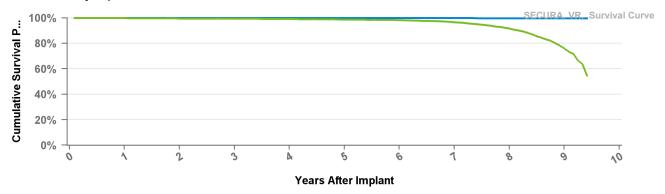
**Registered USA Implants** 

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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 113 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.995	0.994	0.991	0.987	0.982	0.965	0.916	0.759	0.546
Effective Sample Size	18313	17106	16125	15026	13792	12145	9826	6485	1768	317

## D264DRM Maximo II DR

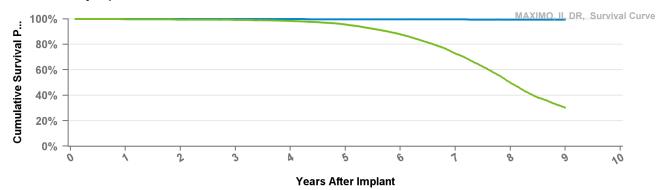
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CE Approval Date Jul-10 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 7

Estimated Active USA Implants 1 Therapy Function Compromised

Normal Battery Depletions 2



**Total Malfunctions** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 108 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.996	0.994	0.994
Including NBD	0.997	0.995	0.992	0.984	0.956	0.878	0.727	0.498	0.302
Effective Sample Size	17591	16432	15447	14339	12829	10023	5962	2194	224

### **D264VRM**

### Maximo II VR

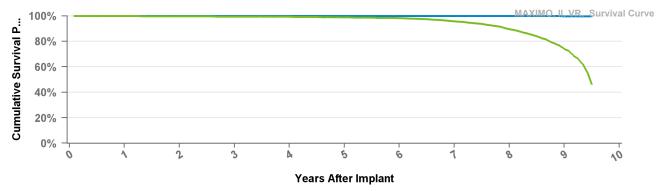
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CE Approval Date Dec-10 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 1

Estimated Active USA Implants 1 Therapy Function Compromised

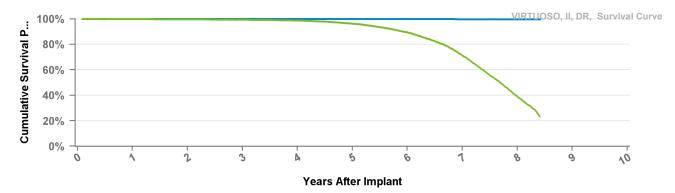
**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 114 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.995	0.993	0.988	0.982	0.957	0.895	0.74	0.466
Effective Sample Size	11257	10555	9943	9248	8494	7514	6037	3828	1159	112

# D274DRG Virtuoso II DR

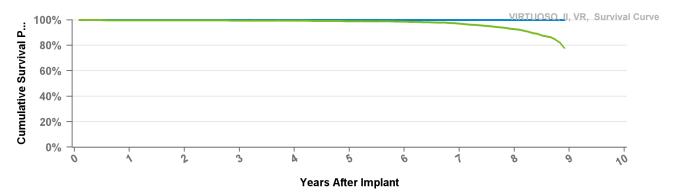
US Market Release	Aug-09	Total Malfunctions	44
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	29
Registered USA Implants	22,238	Battery Malfunction	10
Estimated Active USA Implants	6,299	Electrical Component	11
Normal Battery Depletions	3,823	Poss Early Battery Depltn	7
		Software Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	15
		Battery Malfunction	12
		Electrical Component	2
		Other Malfunction	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 101 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.996	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.987	0.962	0.894	0.712	0.389	0.232
Effective Sample Size	19348	18171	17106	15895	14170	11401	7377	2281	396

# D274VRC Virtuoso II VR

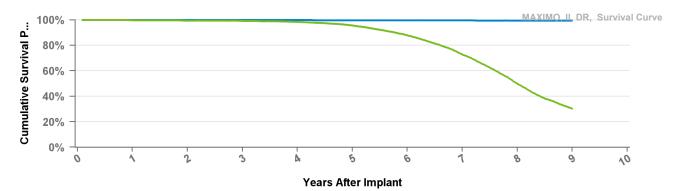
US Market Release	Aug-09	Total Malfunctions	16
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	12
Registered USA Implants	9,125	Battery Malfunction	5
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,788	Electrical Component	4
Normal Battery Depletions	277	Poss Early Battery Depltn	2
		Software Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	4
		Battery Malfunction	3
		Electrical Component	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 107 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.997	0.997	0.995	0.994	0.99	0.986	0.97	0.927	0.779
Effective Sample Size	7800	7324	6914	6434	5937	5398	4776	2897	252

# D284DRG Maximo II DR

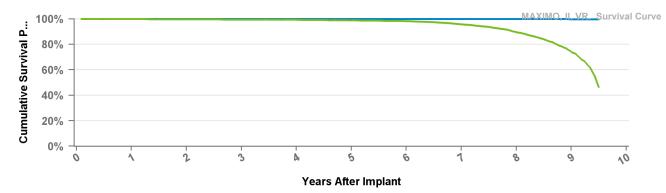
US Market Release	Sep-08	Total Malfunctions	69	
CE Approval Date	Mar-08	Therapy Function Not Compromised	53	
Registered USA Implants	20,096	Battery Malfunction	6	
Estimated Active USA Implants	6,000	Electrical Component	15	
Normal Battery Depletions	3,123	Other Malfunction	2	
	Poss Early Battery Depltn			
		Therapy Function Compromised	16	
		Battery Malfunction	10	
		Electrical Component	5	
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	1	



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 108 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.996	0.994	0.994
Including NBD	0.997	0.995	0.992	0.984	0.956	0.878	0.727	0.498	0.302
Effective Sample Size	17591	16432	15447	14339	12829	10023	5962	2194	224

#### Maximo II VR **D284VRC**

US Market Release	Sep-08	Total Malfunctions	24
CE Approval Date	Mar-08	Therapy Function Not Compromised	19
Registered USA Implants	13,037	Battery Malfunction	7
<b>Estimated Active USA Implants</b>	6,312	Electrical Component	6
Normal Battery Depletions	784	Poss Early Battery Depltn	3
		Software Malfunction	3
		Therapy Function Compromised	5
		Battery Malfunction	2
	Electrical Compo		2
		Software Malfunction	1



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

**Total Malfunctions** 

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 114 mo
Excluding NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.997	0.997
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.995	0.993	0.988	0.982	0.957	0.895	0.74	0.466
Effective Sample Size	11257	10555	9943	9248	8494	7514	6037	3828	1159	112

## D294DRG

### Virtuoso II DR

**US Market Release CE Approval Date** 

Aug-08

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

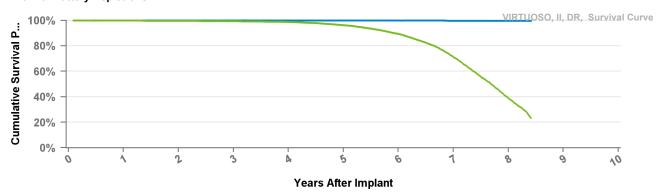
**Registered USA Implants** 

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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 101 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.996	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.987	0.962	0.894	0.712	0.389	0.232
Effective Sample Size	19348	18171	17106	15895	14170	11401	7377	2281	396

#### **D294VRC** Virtuoso II VR

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Aug-08

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

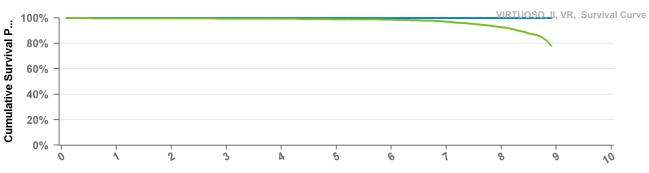
**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



**Years After Implant** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

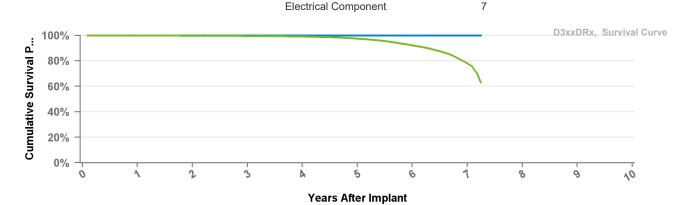
Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 107 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.997	0.997	0.995	0.994	0.99	0.986	0.97	0.927	0.779
Effective Sample Size	7800	7324	6914	6434	5937	5398	4776	2897	252

#### **D314DRG** Protecta XT DR

US Market Release	Mar-11
CE Approval Date	
Registered USA Implants	34,843
Estimated Active USA Implants	19,350
Normal Battery Depletions	1,877

**Total Malfunctions** 57 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 40 **Battery Malfunction** 9 **Electrical Component** 25 Electrical Interconnect Other Malfunction 1 Poss Early Battery Depltn 4 **Therapy Function Compromised** 17 **Battery Malfunction** 10

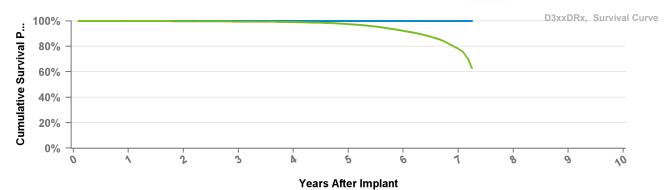
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

# D314DRM Protecta XT DR

US Market Release	Nov-11	Total Malfunctions	16
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	14
Registered USA Implants	13,923	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	9,676	Electrical Component	12
Normal Battery Depletions	391	Other Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	2
		Battery Malfunction	2

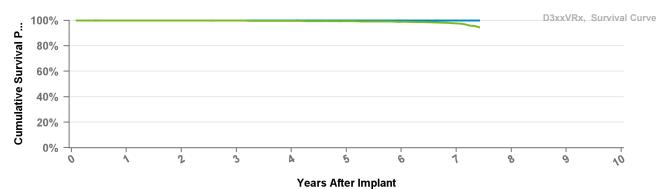


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

# D314VRG Protecta XT VR

US Market Release	Mar-11	Total Malfunctions	19
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	14
Registered USA Implants	14,218	Battery Malfunction	4
Estimated Active USA Implants	10,333	Electrical Component	9
Normal Battery Depletions	108	Other Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	5
		Battery Malfunction	4
		Electrical Component	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

#### **D314VRM** Protecta XT VR **US Market Release** May-12 **Total Malfunctions** 5 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 3 **CE Approval Date Registered USA Implants** 2 7,376 **Electrical Component Estimated Active USA Implants** 5,790 Poss Early Battery Depltn 1 **Normal Battery Depletions Therapy Function Compromised** 2 28 **Electrical Component** 2 D3xxVRx, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 3 5 1 2 6 0 8 9 10 Years After Implant • Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion at 89 Years 2 3 5 6 mo 0.999 0.999 0.998 0.998 **Excluding NBD** Including NBD 0.999 0.999 0.998 0.996 0.993 0.99 0.976 0.945 Effective 26706 25034 23586 21942 19751 14055 3407 186 Sample Size

#### D334DRG Protecta DR **US Market Release Total Malfunctions** Mar-11 14 **CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised** 8 **Registered USA Implants Battery Malfunction** 2 10,691 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 5,790 **Electrical Component** 5 **Normal Battery Depletions** 810 Poss Early Battery Depltn 1 **Therapy Function Compromised** 6 **Battery Malfunction** 3 **Electrical Component** 3 D3xxDRx, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 3 6 0, **Years After Implant** Excluding Normal Battery Depletion · Including Normal Battery Depletion at 87 Years 2 3 4 5 6 7 0.999 0.998 0.998 **Excluding NBD** 0.999 0.999 0.999 Including NBD 0.921 0.78 0.628 0.998 0.997 0.995 0.991 0.974 4802 Effective 55802 52433 49202 45642 40684 27244 770 Sample Size

# D334DRM Protecta DR

US Market Release Nov-11
CE Approval Date

Therapy Function Not Compromised

2,059

Registered USA Implants 2,993

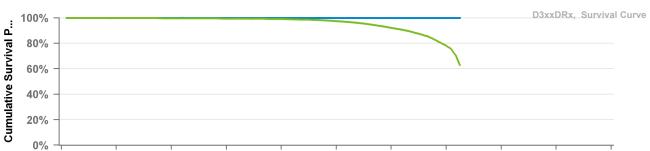
Therapy Function Compromised

**Total Malfunctions** 

Normal Battery Depletions 147

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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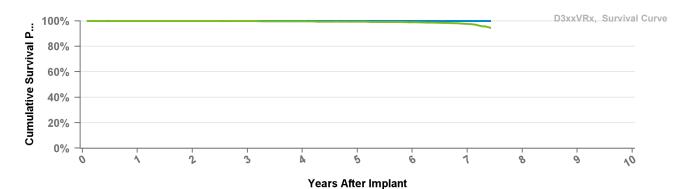
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

# D334VRG Protecta VR

US Market Release	Mar-11	Total Malfuncti
CE Approval Date		Therapy Functi
Registered USA Implants	6,482	Battery Malfu
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,817	Electrical Con
Normal Battery Depletions	38	Therapy Functi
		Battery Malfu



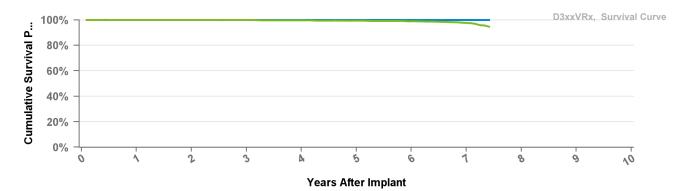


**Electrical Component** 

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective Sample Size	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

# D334VRM Protecta VR

US Market Release	May-12	Total Malfunctions	2
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	2
Registered USA Implants	2,162	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	1,708	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions	10	Therapy Function Compromised	0



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

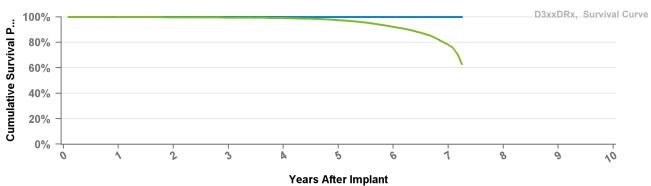
Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective Sample Size	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

## **D354DRG**

# Protecta XT DR

US Market Release Total Malfunctions
CE Approval Date Mar-10 Therapy Function Not Compromised
Registered USA Implants 5
Estimated Active USA Implants 3 Therapy Function Compromised

Normal Battery Depletions 1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

#### **D354DRM** Protecta XT DR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Jul-10

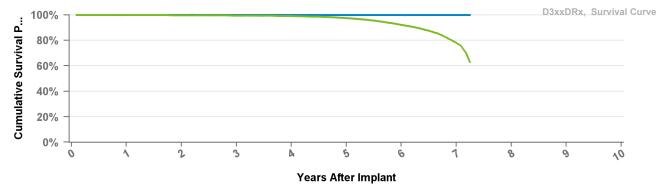
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**Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 1

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

## **D354VRG**

## Protecta XT VR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Sample Size

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

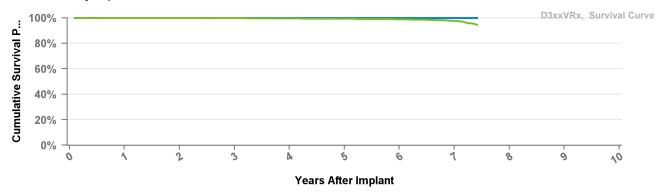
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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

#### **D354VRM** Protecta XT VR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

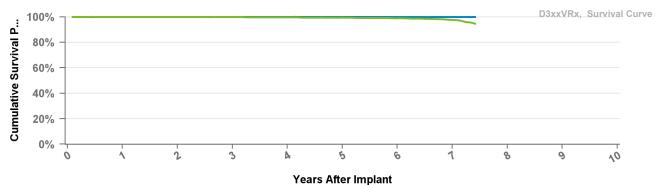
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** Dec-10

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective Sample Size	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

## **D364DRG**

## Protecta DR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

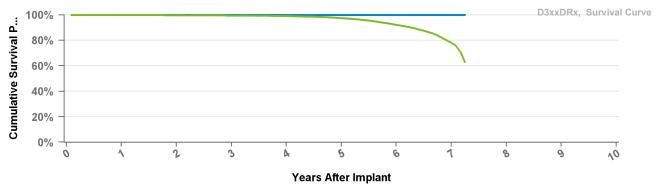
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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

## D364DRM

# Protecta DR

**US Market Release** 

CE Approval Date

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**Total Malfunctions** 

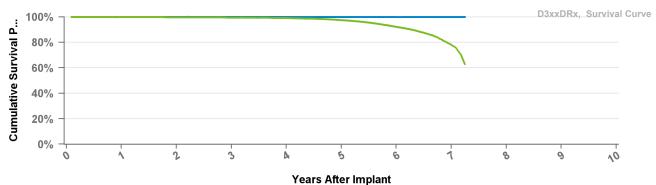
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

Registered USA Implants

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

**Total Malfunctions** 

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

# **D364VRG**

## Protecta VR

**US Market Release** 

Mar-10

CE Approval Date

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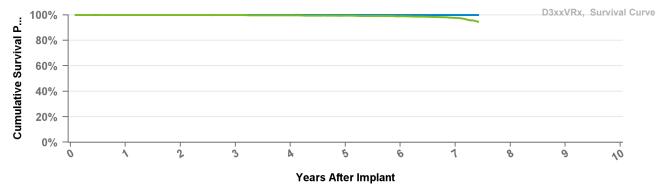
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Estimated Active USA Implants 1

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
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Effective	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

#### **D364VRM** Protecta VR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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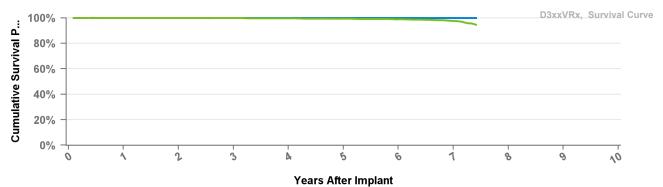
**Registered USA Implants** 

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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective Sample Size	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

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#### **D384DRG**

## Cardia DR

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

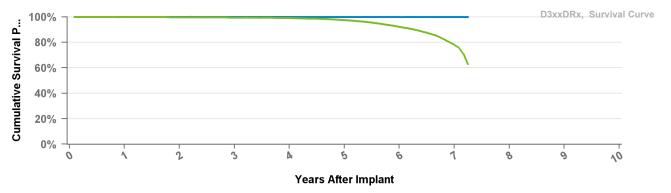
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

## **D384VRG**

# Cardia VR

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants** 

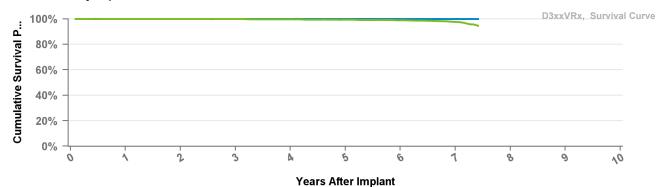
**Normal Battery Depletions** 

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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

**Total Malfunctions** 

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective Sample Size	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

## **D394DRG**

# Egida DR

**US Market Release** 

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**CE Approval Date** 

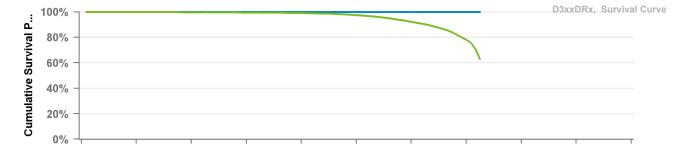
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** 

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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



# 5 **Years After Implant**

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• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 87 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.991	0.974	0.921	0.78	0.628
Effective Sample Size	55802	52433	49202	45642	40684	27244	4802	770

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# D394VRG Egida VR

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

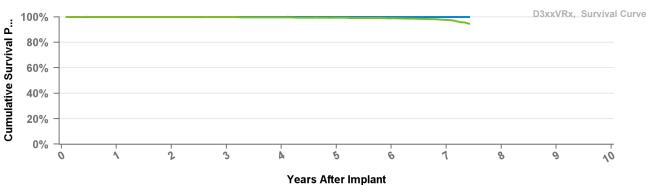
**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 



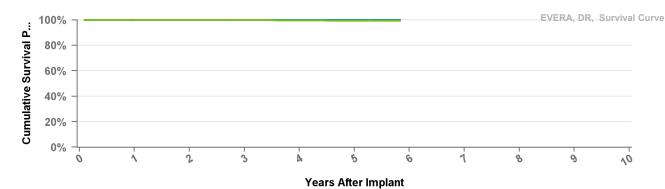
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 89 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.99	0.976	0.945
Effective Sample Size	26706	25034	23586	21942	19751	14055	3407	186

# DDBB1D1 Evera XT

US Market Release Apr-13
CE Approval Date
Registered USA Implants 42,264
Estimated Active USA Implants 36,980
Normal Battery Depletions 69

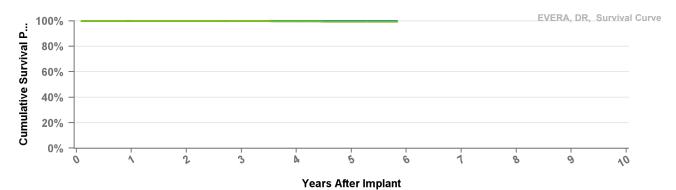
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

# DDBB1D4 Evera XT

**US Market Release** Apr-13 **Total Malfunctions** 24 **Therapy Function Not Compromised CE Approval Date** 14 **Registered USA Implants** 30,143 7 **Battery Malfunction Estimated Active USA Implants** 26,669 **Electrical Component** 5 **Normal Battery Depletions** 27 **Electrical Interconnect** 1 Other Malfunction 1 **Therapy Function Compromised** 10 **Battery Malfunction** 7 **Electrical Component** 3



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

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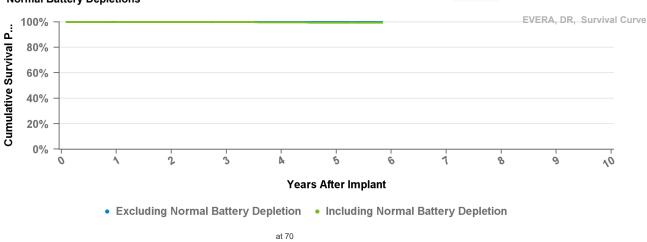
US Market Release Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Dec-12 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 2

Estimated Active USA Implants 1 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

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# Evera XT

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

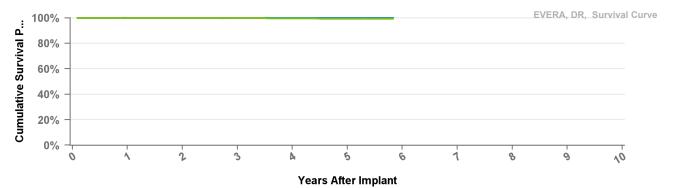
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**Total Malfunctions** 

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**Therapy Function Compromised** 





• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

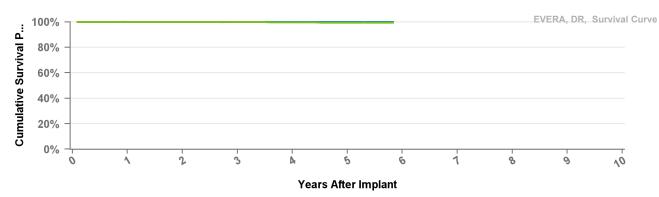
Dec-12

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

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# Evera S

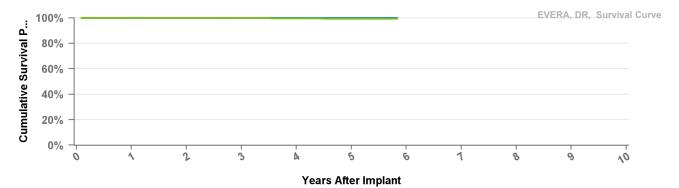
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CE Approval Date	Dec-12	Therapy Function Not Compromised	3
Registered USA Implants	8,302	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	7,295	Electrical Component	2
Normal Battery Depletions	10	Therapy Function Compromised	2
		Battery Malfunction	1
		Electrical Component	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

#### DDBC3D4 Evera S

US Market Release	Apr-13	Total Malfunctions	6
CE Approval Date	Dec-13	Therapy Function Not Compromised	4
Registered USA Implants	5,986	Battery Malfunction	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	5,266	Electrical Component	2
Normal Battery Depletions	5	Therapy Function Compromised	2
		Battery Malfunction	1
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	1

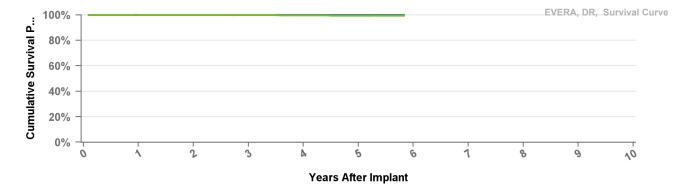


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

#### **Evera MRI XT** DDMB1D1

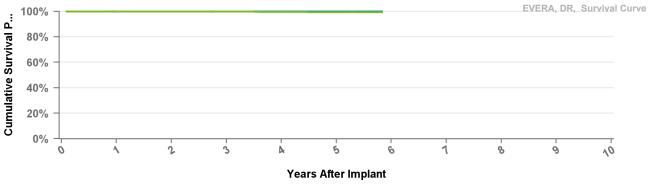
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CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	2
Registered USA Implants	21,582	Electrical Interconnect	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	20,967	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions	2	Therapy Function Compromised	0



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

# DDMB1D4 Evera MRI XT

US Market Release	Sep-15	Total Malfunctions	9
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	9
Registered USA Implants	53,171	Electrical Component	7
Estimated Active USA Implants	50,816	Electrical Interconnect	1
Normal Battery Depletions	23	Other Malfunction	1
		Therapy Function Compromised	0



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

# DDMB2D1 Evera MRI XT

US Market Release

CE Approval Date Sep-16

Registered USA Implants 1,011

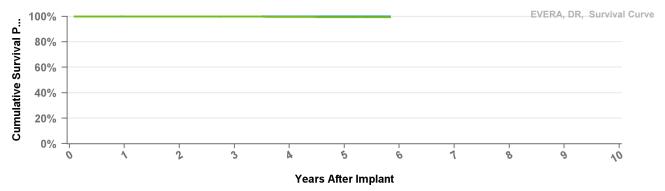
Estimated Active USA Implants 989

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

#### **Total Malfunctions**

Therapy Function Not Compromised

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
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**Evera MRI XT** 

**US Market Release CE Approval Date** 

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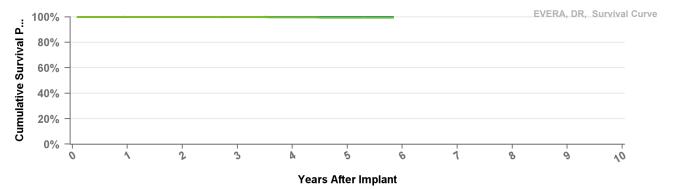
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

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## Evera MRI S

**US Market Release** Oct-16

**CE Approval Date** Sep-16 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

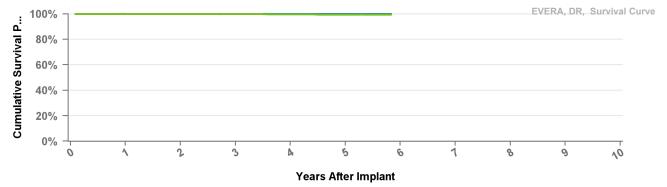
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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

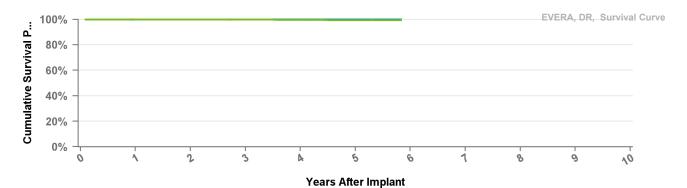
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

# DDMC3D4 Evera MRI

US Market Release	Sep-15	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date	Mar-14	Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	3,621	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	3,469	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions			

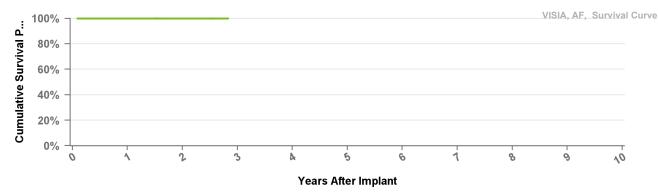


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 70 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	132006	96688	64258	37610	14653	217

# DVAB1D1 Visia AF

US Market Release	Jan-16	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	2,801	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	2,657	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	4		



Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

# DVAB1D4 Visia AF

US Market Release

Jan-16 Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

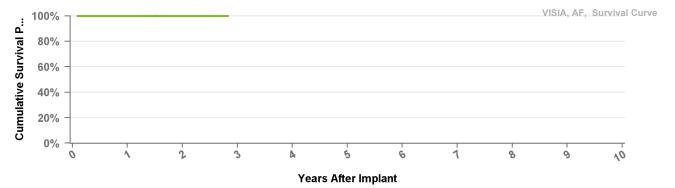
Registered USA Implants

1,859

1,772

Therapy Function Compromised

Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

#### **DVAB2D1**

# Visia AF XT

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**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

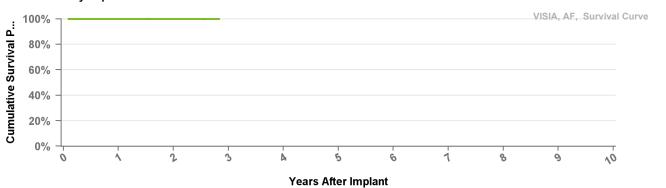
**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

Registered USA Implants

Therapy Function Compromised

Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions



Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

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# Visia AF S

**US Market Release CE Approval Date** 

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**Total Malfunctions** 

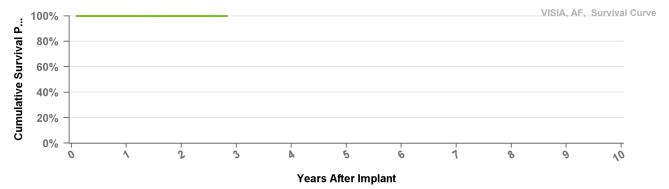
**Registered USA Implants** 

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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

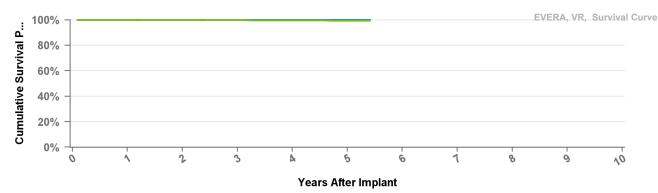
Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective	26392	10232	175

## DVBB1D1

## **Evera XT**

US Market Release	Apr-13	Total Malfun
CE Approval Date		Therapy Fun
Registered USA Implants	16,092	Battery Ma
<b>Estimated Active USA Implants</b>	13,817	Electrical C
Normal Battery Depletions	11	Therapy Fun
		Battery Ma

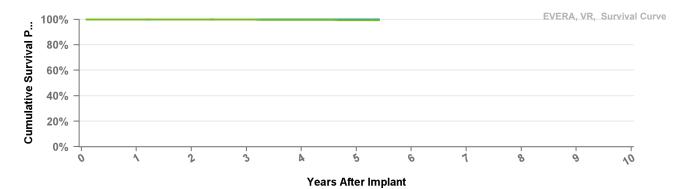
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

#### DVBB1D4 **Evera XT**

US Market Release	Apr-13	Total Malfunctions	31
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	22
Registered USA Implants	22,352	Battery Malfunction	11
Estimated Active USA Implants	19,720	Electrical Component	7
Normal Battery Depletions	15	Other Malfunction	4
		Therapy Function Compromised	9
		Battery Malfunction	8
		Electrical Component	1



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Dec-12

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

#### DVBB2D1 **Evera XT**

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

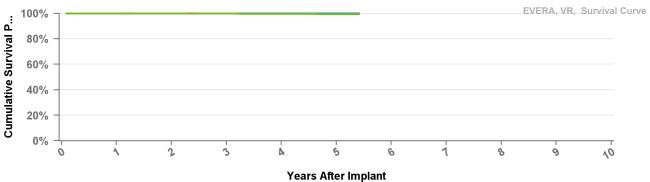
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

#### DVBB2D4 Evera XT

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

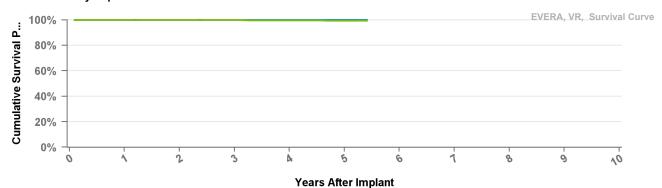
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**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Dec-12

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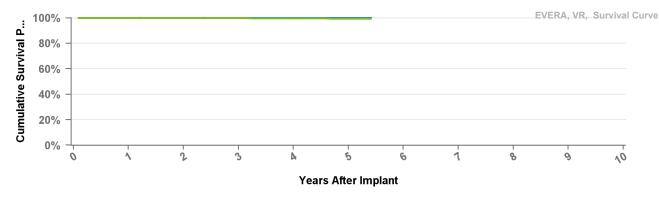
Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
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Effective	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

#### DVBC3D1 Evera S

**US Market Release** Apr-13 **CE Approval Date** Dec-12 **Registered USA Implants** 4,566 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 3,969 **Normal Battery Depletions** 3

**Total Malfunctions** 11 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 7 **Battery Malfunction** 6 **Electrical Component** 1 **Therapy Function Compromised** 4 3 **Battery Malfunction** 

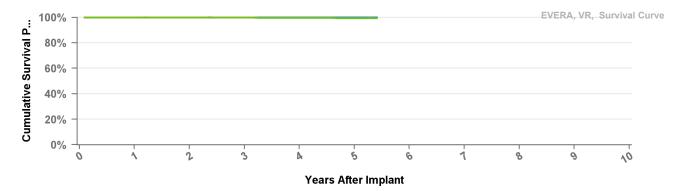
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
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Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

# DVBC3D4 Evera S

US Market Release	Apr-13	Total Malfunctions	6
CE Approval Date	Dec-12	Therapy Function Not Compromised	5
Registered USA Implants	5,577	Battery Malfunction	3
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,933	Electrical Component	2
Normal Battery Depletions	4	Therapy Function Compromised	1
		Battery Malfunction	1



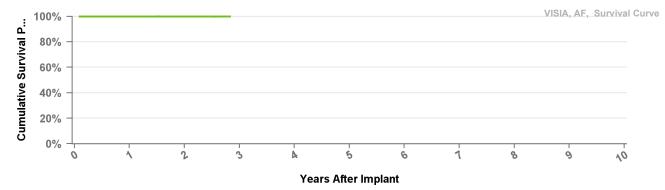
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
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Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

# DVFB1D1

# Visia MRI AF

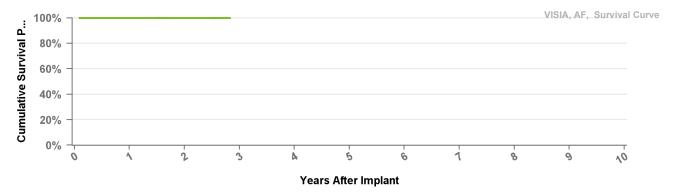
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CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	7,460	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	7,256	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	3		



Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

#### Visia MRI AF DVFB1D4

US Market Release	Jan-16	Total Malfunctions	4
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	4
Registered USA Implants	28,707	Electrical Component	3
Estimated Active USA Implants	27,640	Other Malfunction	1
Normal Battery Depletions	2	Therapy Function Compromised	0



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

#### DVFB2D1 Visia MRI AF XT

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** Sep-16

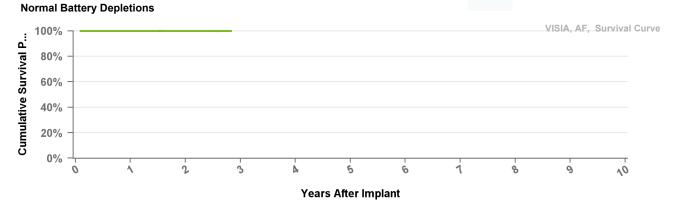
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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

# DVFB2D4 Visia MRI AF XT

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

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**CE Approval Date** 

Oct-15 Therapy Function Not Compromised

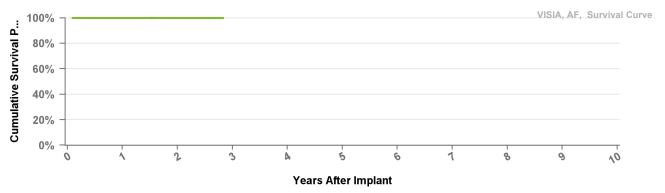
**Registered USA Implants** 

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Estimated Active USA Implants

Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective	26392	10232	175

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# Visia MRI AF S

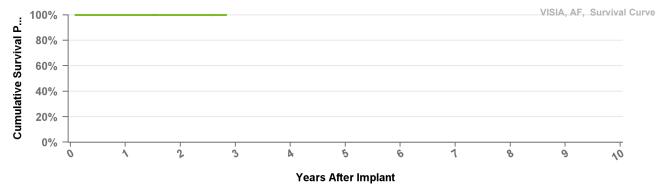
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CE Approval Date Sep-16 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 545

Estimated Active USA Implants 536 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

# DVFC3D4 Visia MRI AF S

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Total Malfunctions
Therapy Function Not Compromised

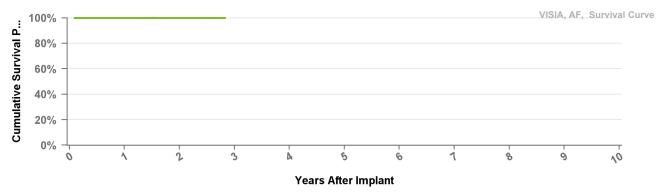
Registered USA Implants
Estimated Active USA Implants

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**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

17 Therapy Function Compromised



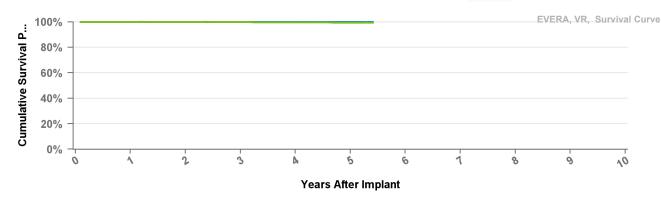
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	at 34 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998
Effective Sample Size	26392	10232	175

## DVMB1D4 Evera MRI XT

US Market Release Sep-15 Total Malf
CE Approval Date Therapy F
Registered USA Implants 10,582 Battery
Estimated Active USA Implants 9,808 Electrica
Normal Battery Depletions 5 Other Malf

Total Malfunctions6Therapy Function Not Compromised5Battery Malfunction1Electrical Component3Other Malfunction1Therapy Function Compromised1Battery Malfunction1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

## DVMB2D4

# **Evera MRI XT**

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

Mar-14

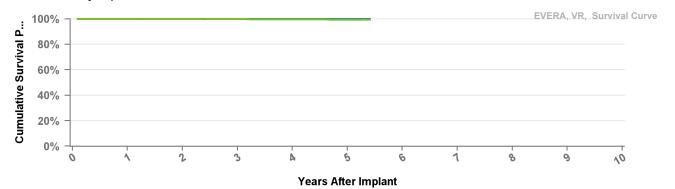
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**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

## DVMC3D1

## Evera MRI S

**US Market Release** 

Oct-16

**Total Malfunctions** 

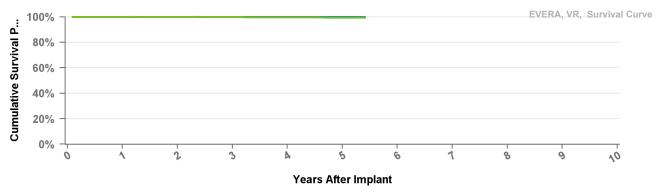
**CE Approval Date** Sep-16 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



- Excluding Normal Battery Depletion Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.994
Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

# DVMC3D4 Evera MRI S

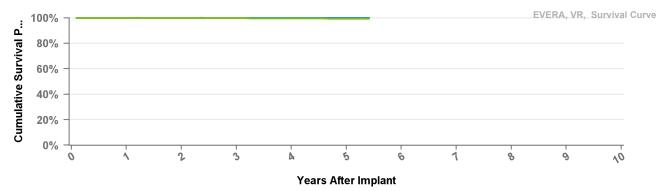
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CE Approval Date Mar-14 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 1

Estimated Active USA Implants 1 Therapy Function Compromised

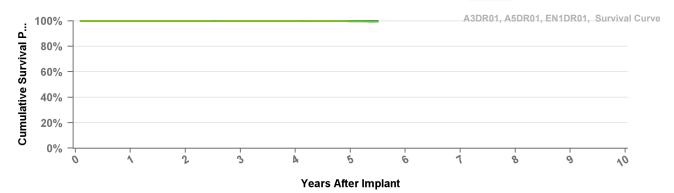
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 65 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.999	0.999
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Effective Sample Size	53541	49849	40058	21311	5529	436

# A2DR01 Advisa DR MRI

US Market Release	Jan-13	Total Malfunctions	46
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	42
Registered USA Implants	342,493	Battery Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	320,527	Electrical Component	25
Normal Battery Depletions	141	Electrical Interconnect	2
		Other Malfunction	1
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	11
		Software Malfunction	2
		Therapy Function Compromised	4
		Flectrical Component	4

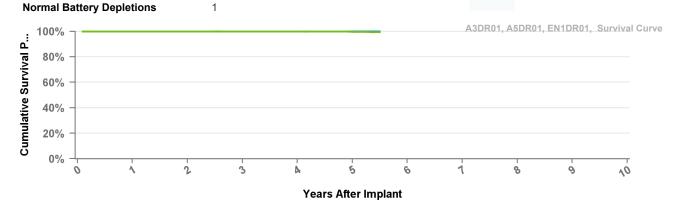


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.994
Effective Sample Size	310761	228849	141359	67065	16367	1927

# A3DR01 Advisa DR MRI

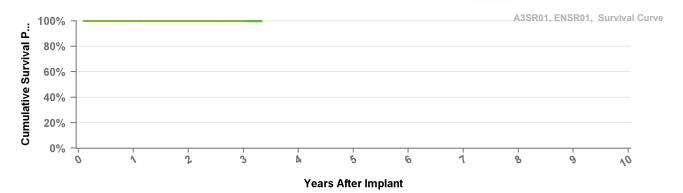
US Market Release Total Malfunctions
CE Approval Date Jun-09 Therapy Function Not Compromised
Registered USA Implants 14
Estimated Active USA Implants 7 Therapy Function Compromised





# A3SR01 Advisa SR MRI

US Market Release	Mar-15	Total Malfunctions	7
CE Approval Date	Apr-14	Therapy Function Not Compromised	7
Registered USA Implants	28,047	Electrical Component	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	25,967	Electrical Interconnect	1
Normal Battery Depletions	12	Other Malfunction	2
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	2
		Therapy Function Compromised	0

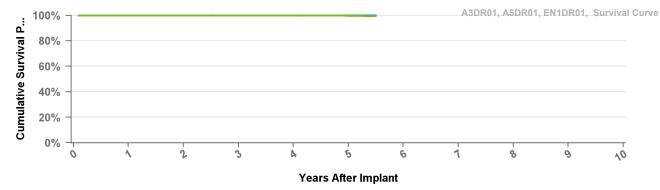


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	at 40 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997
Effective	22484	13096	3060	462

# A4DR01 Advisa DR

US Market Release	Apr-11	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date		Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	1,536	Poss Early Battery Depltn	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	1,246	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions	4		



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 66 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.994
Effective Sample Size	310761	228849	141359	67065	16367	1927

## **A5DR01**

# Advisa DR

**US Market Release** 

Jun-09 **CE Approval Date** 

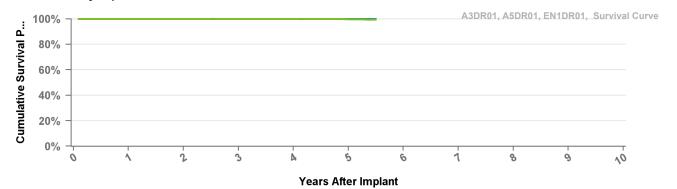
**Registered USA Implants** 1 1

**Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 66 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.994
Effective Sample Size	310761	228849	141359	67065	16367	1927

## ADD01

# Adapta D

**US Market Release** 

Jul-06

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

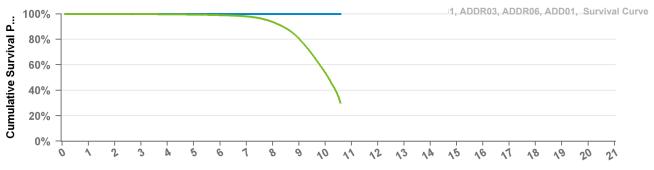
Sep-05

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



#### **Years After Implant**

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 127 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.99	0.98	0.936	0.806	0.54	0.3
Effective Sample Size	410115	381319	349089	314862	276481	233078	186591	136173	74787	19699	1703

# ADDR01 Adapta DR US Market Release Jul-06 CE Approval Date Sep-05 Registered USA Implants 459,353 Estimated Active USA Implants 287,634

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

Total Malfunctions 90
Therapy Function Not Compromised 63

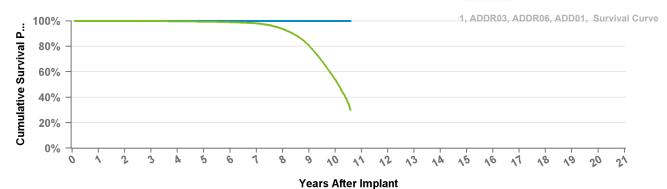
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Other Malfunction 1
Poss Early Battery Depltn 6

Therapy Function Compromised 27

Electrical Component 22
Electrical Interconnect 3

Other Malfunction 2



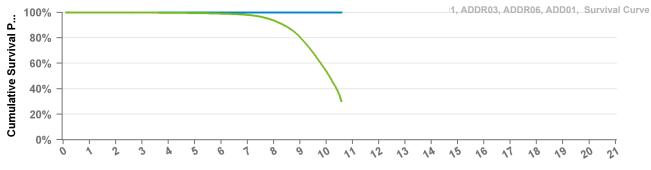
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 127 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.99	0.98	0.936	0.806	0.54	0.3
Effective	410115	381319	349089	314862	276481	233078	186591	136173	74787	19699	1703

24,203

# ADDR03 Adapta DR

**US Market Release** Jul-06 **Total Malfunctions** 2 **CE Approval Date** Sep-05 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 1 **Registered USA Implants** 4,451 **Electrical Component** 1 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 2,506 **Therapy Function Compromised** 1 **Normal Battery Depletions** 348 **Electrical Component** 1



#### **Years After Implant**

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 127 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.99	0.98	0.936	0.806	0.54	0.3
Effective Sample Size	410115	381319	349089	314862	276481	233078	186591	136173	74787	19699	1703

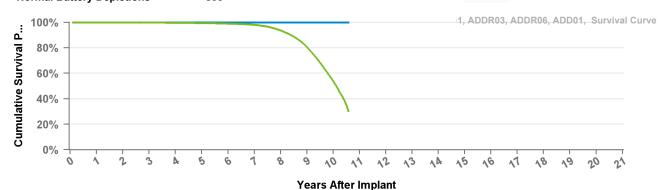
# ADDR06 Adapta DR

US Market Release Jul-06
CE Approval Date Sep-05
Registered USA Implants 3,418
Estimated Active USA Implants 1,574
Normal Battery Depletions 305

Total Malfunctions 1
Therapy Function Not Compromised 1
Electrical Component 1

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Therapy Function Compromised



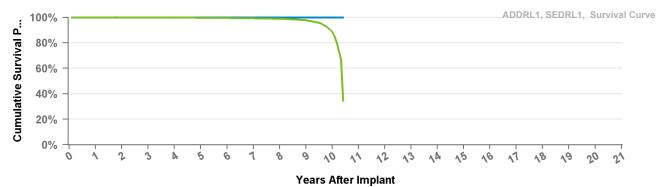
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Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 127 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.99	0.98	0.936	0.806	0.54	0.3
Effective Sample Size	410115	381319	349089	314862	276481	233078	186591	136173	74787	19699	1703

# ADDRL1 Adapta L DR

US Market Release Jul-06
CE Approval Date Sep-05
Registered USA Implants 138,042
Estimated Active USA Implants 109,224
Normal Battery Depletions 1,432

16 **Total Malfunctions Therapy Function Not Compromised** 12 **Electrical Component** 10 Electrical Interconnect 1 Poss Early Battery Depltn 1 **Therapy Function Compromised** 4 **Electrical Component** 1 **Electrical Interconnect** 1 Other Malfunction 2



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 125 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.993	0.989	0.977	0.885	0.344
Effective Sample Size	123072	113574	101295	86768	70257	53243	36881	23042	11551	2814	133

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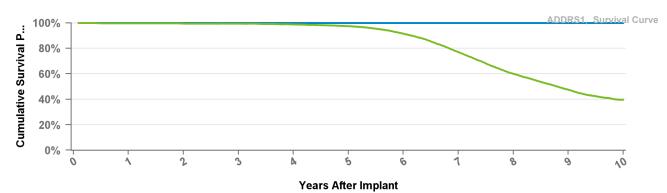
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CE Approval Date	Sep-05	Tł
Registered USA Implants	48,626	
Estimated Active USA Implants	26,495	
Normal Battery Depletions	4,005	Tł

Total Malfunctions13Therapy Function Not Compromised8Electrical Component6Poss Early Battery Depltn2

Therapy Function Compromised
Electrical Component

5

Other Malfunction 2



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.997	0.995	0.994	0.988	0.974	0.915	0.77	0.6	0.475	0.397
Effective Sample Size	41431	37505	33542	29525	24875	18888	11973	6037	2280	137

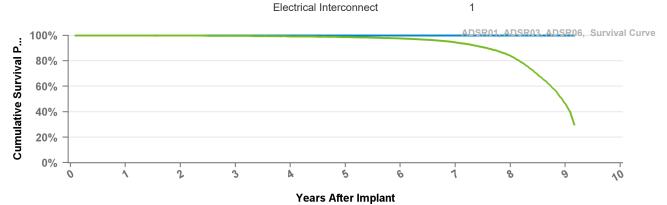
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US Market Release	Jul-06
CE Approval Date	Sep-05
Registered USA Implants	92,569
Estimated Active USA Implants	51,682
Normal Battery Depletions	3,285

Total Malfunctions18Therapy Function Not Compromised12Electrical Component7Electrical Interconnect1Poss Early Battery Depltn4Therapy Function Compromised6

Electrical Component
Electrical Interconnect

5



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 110 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.987	0.976	0.945	0.839	0.464	0.299
Effective	74939	65727	57348	48182	37628	28174	19149	10235	1760	613

# ADSR03 Adapta SR

US Market Release Jul-06
CE Approval Date Sep-05

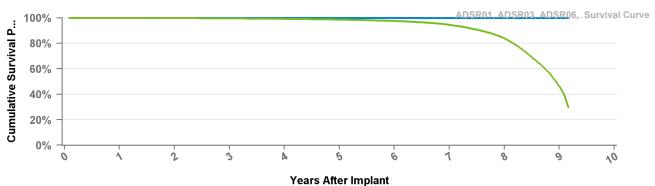
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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

Registered USA Implants 2,052 Estimated Active USA Implants 963

Therapy Function Compromised

Normal Battery Depletions 118

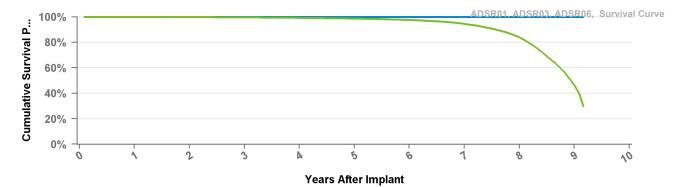


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 110 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.987	0.976	0.945	0.839	0.464	0.299
Effective	74939	65727	57348	48182	37628	28174	19149	10235	1760	613

# ADSR06 Adapta SR

2 **US Market Release** Jul-06 **Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised** 2 Sep-05 2 **Registered USA Implants** 2,801 **Electrical Component Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised** 1,231 0 **Normal Battery Depletions** 179



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 110 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.987	0.976	0.945	0.839	0.464	0.299
Effective Sample Size	74939	65727	57348	48182	37628	28174	19149	10235	1760	613

#### ADVDD01 Adapta VDD

**US Market Release CE Approval Date** 

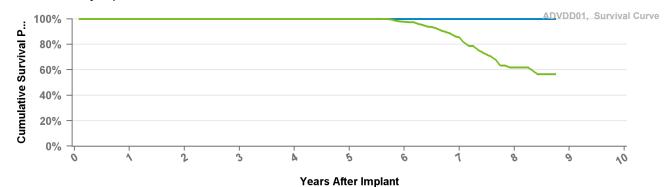
Jul-06 Sep-05 **Total Malfunctions** 

**Registered USA Implants** 1,408 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** 

724 73

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 105 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	1	1	1	1	0.977	0.854	0.618	0.566
Effective	1213	1102	987	881	769	618	416	194	103

#### ATDR01 Attesta DR MRI

**US Market Release** 

Aug-17 **Total Malfunctions** Jun-17

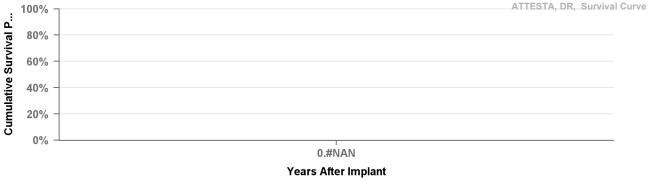
**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years **Excluding NBD** Including NBD

Effective Sample Size

# ATDRL1 Attesta L DR MRI Aug-17 **US Market Release Total Malfunctions** Jun-17 **Therapy Function Not Compromised CE Approval Date Registered USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** ATDRL1, SPDRL1, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 0.#NAN **Years After Implant** Years **Excluding NBD** Including NBD Effective

Sample Size
ATDRS1

# Attesta S DR MRI

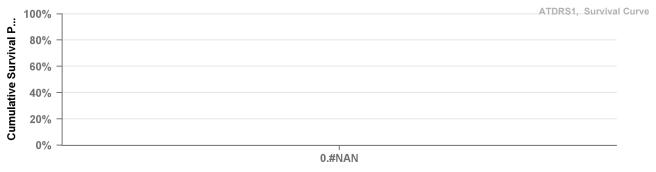
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CE Approval Date Jun-17 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants

Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years After Implant

Years Excluding NBD

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Effective
Sample Size

## ATSR01 Attesta SR MRI

US Market Release

Aug-17

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

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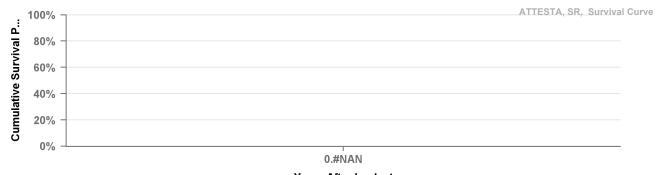
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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Registered USA Implants** 



Years After Implant

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Years
Excluding NBD
Including NBD

Effective Sample Size

# EN1DR01 Ensura MRI

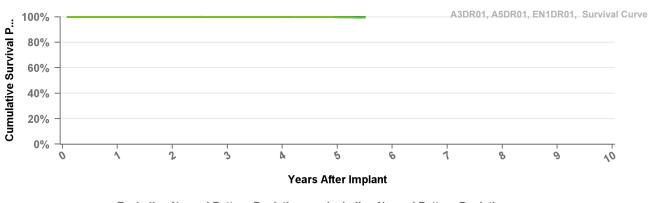
US Market Release Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Jun-10 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 16

Estimated Active USA Implants 12 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 66 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.994
Effective Sample Size	310761	228849	141359	67065	16367	1927

# EN1SR01

## **Ensura SR MRI**

**US Market Release** 

CE Approval Date Apr-14

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

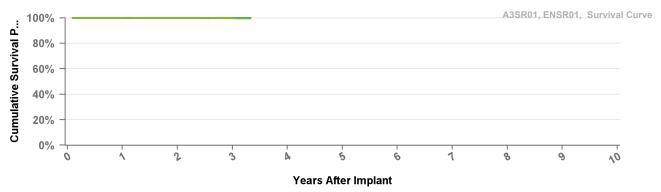
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**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

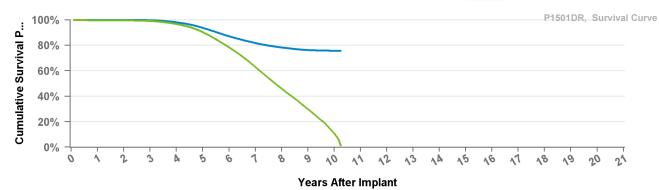
**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	at 40 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.998	0.997
Effective Sample Size	22484	13096	3060	462

# P1501DR EnRhythm DR

US Market Release	May-05	Total Malfunctions	15,090
CE Approval Date	Aug-04	Therapy Function Not Compromised	15,035
Registered USA Implants	110,095	Battery Malfunction	14,905
Estimated Active USA Implants	20,116	Electrical Component	59
Normal Battery Depletions	16,253	Electrical Interconnect	2
		Other Malfunction	1
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	68
		Therapy Function Compromised	55
		Battery Malfunction	6
		Electrical Component	38
		Electrical Interconnect	4
		Other Malfunction	5
		Poss Early Battery Depltn	2



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 123 mo
Excluding NBD	0.999	0.999	0.997	0.98	0.937	0.871	0.817	0.783	0.763	0.758	0.758
Including NBD	0.997	0.996	0.991	0.967	0.903	0.783	0.629	0.459	0.298	0.11	0.013
Effective Sample Size	95565	89229	83188	76170	66131	52014	37531	23733	11021	1972	283

#### RED01 Relia D

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants** 

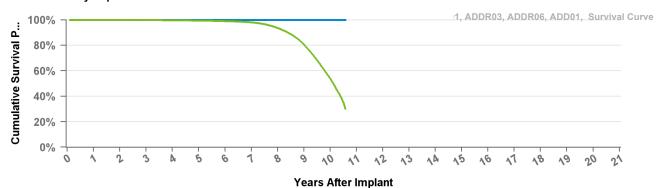
**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

May-08

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 127 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.99	0.98	0.936	0.806	0.54	0.3
Effective Sample Size	410115	381319	349089	314862	276481	233078	186591	136173	74787	19699	1703

#### REDR01 Relia DR

**US Market Release** 

**CE Approval Date** May-08

**Registered USA Implants** 

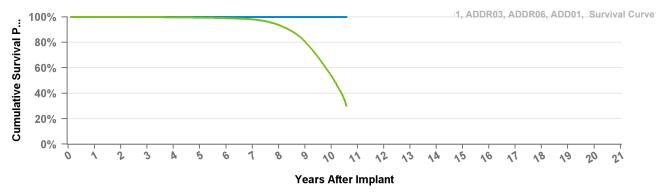
**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

4 2 **Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 127 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.995	0.99	0.98	0.936	0.806	0.54	0.3
Effective Sample Size	410115	381319	349089	314862	276481	233078	186591	136173	74787	19699	1703

#### RES01 Relia S

**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

May-08

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

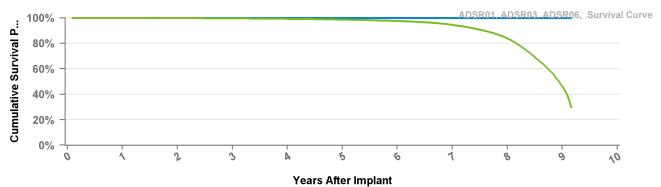
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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 110 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.987	0.976	0.945	0.839	0.464	0.299
Effective Sample Size	74939	65727	57348	48182	37628	28174	19149	10235	1760	613

## RESR01

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**US Market Release** 

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

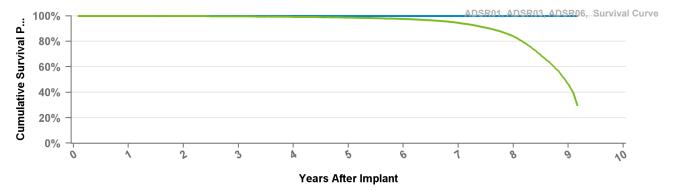
**Normal Battery Depletions** 

May-08

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**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 110 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.987	0.976	0.945	0.839	0.464	0.299
Effective Sample Size	74939	65727	57348	48182	37628	28174	19149	10235	1760	613

## REVDD01 Relia VDD

**US Market Release** 

CE Approval Date

Registered USA Implants

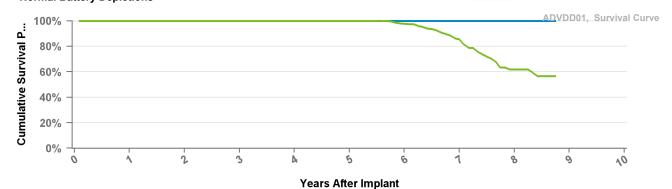
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**Total Malfunctions** 

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 



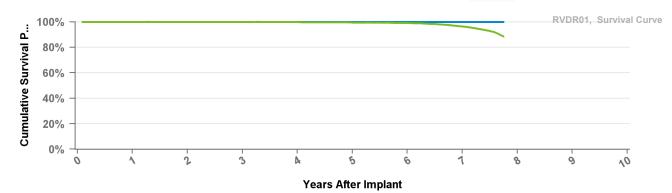
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 105 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	1	1	1	1	0.977	0.854	0.618	0.566
Effective Sample Size	1213	1102	987	881	769	618	416	194	103

## RVDR01 Revo MRI SureScan

US Market Release Feb-11
CE Approval Date
Registered USA Implants 69,127
Estimated Active USA Implants 56,247
Normal Battery Depletions 819

**Total Malfunctions** 91 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 88 **Battery Malfunction** 1 **Electrical Component** 37 Other Malfunction Poss Early Battery Depltn 46 Software Malfunction 3 **Therapy Function Compromised** 3 **Electrical Component** 3



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	at 93 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.998
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.995	0.991	0.964	0.884
Effective Sample Size	61218	57790	54870	51372	47378	39774	16934	905

#### **SD303** Sigma 300 D **US Market Release** 2 Aug-99 **Total Malfunctions** 0 **CE Approval Date** Dec-98 **Therapy Function Not Compromised Registered USA Implants** 123 **Therapy Function Compromised** 2 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 21 2 Electrical Interconnect **Normal Battery Depletions** 8 SDR303, SDR306, SD303, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% **Years After Implant** • Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion at 178 Years 2 3 5 6 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 mo **Excluding NBD** 1 0.999 0.999 0.998 0.997 0.996 0.995 0.994 0.994 0.993 0.993 0.992 0.992 0.997 0.996 0.994 0.991 0.987 0.979 0.897 0.823 0.391 0.257 0.105 Including NBD Effective 88292 78249 69208 60888 53415 46784 40583 35103 30210 25203 19387 11986 6101 2172 121 Sample Size **SDR303** Sigma 300 DR **US Market Release** 288 Aug-99 **Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date** Dec-98 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 62 **Registered USA Implants** 105,517 **Electrical Component** 9 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 12,076 **Electrical Interconnect** 51 **Normal Battery Depletions** 10,558 Other Malfunction 1 Poss Early Battery Depltn 1 **Therapy Function Compromised** 226 **Electrical Component** 7 **Electrical Interconnect** 218 Other Malfunction 1 SDR303, SDR306, SD303, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% **Years After Implant** • Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	at 178 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.995	0.994	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.992	0.992
Including NBD	0.997	0.996	0.994	0.991	0.987	0.979	0.968	0.941	0.897	0.823	0.711	0.55	0.391	0.257	0.105
Effective	88292	78249	69208	60888	53415	46784	40583	35103	30210	25203	19387	11986	6101	2172	121

#### Sigma 300 DR **SDR306 US Market Release** Aug-99

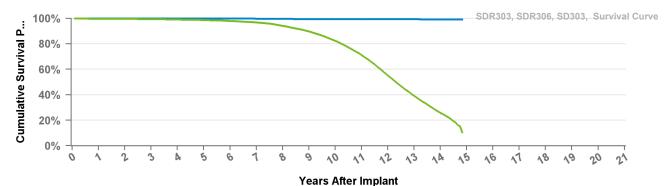
**CE Approval Date** Dec-98 **Registered USA Implants** 1,209

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 81 **Normal Battery Depletions** 168 **Total Malfunctions** 5 0

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

5 5 **Electrical Interconnect** 



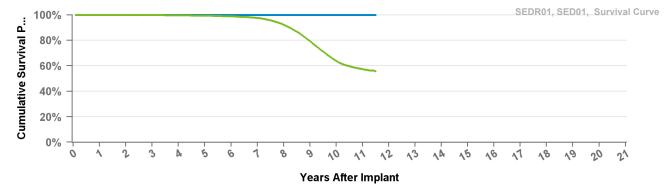
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	at 178 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.995	0.994	0.994	0.993	0.993	0.992	0.992
Including NBD	0.997	0.996	0.994	0.991	0.987	0.979	0.968	0.941	0.897	0.823	0.711	0.55	0.391	0.257	0.105
Effective Sample Size	88292	78249	69208	60888	53415	46784	40583	35103	30210	25203	19387	11986	6101	2172	121

#### SED01 Sensia D

**US Market Release** Jul-06 **Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date** Sep-05 **Therapy Function Not Compromised Registered USA Implants** 7

**Therapy Function Compromised Estimated Active USA Implants** 3 **Normal Battery Depletions** 1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	at 138 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.994	0.988	0.975	0.922	0.794	0.638	0.574	0.556
Effective	127419	118153	109210	97378	84938	71681	57868	41918	24241	9403	2292	283

#### SEDR01 Sensia DR

US Market Release	Jul-06	Total Malfunctions
CE Approval Date	Sep-05	Therapy Function Not Compromised
Registered USA Implants	149,332	Electrical Component
Estimated Active USA Implants	78,675	Electrical Interconnect
Normal Battery Depletions	8,103	Other Malfunction
		Therapy Function Compromised
		Electrical Component

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SEDR01, SED01, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 0

**Years After Implant** 

Poss Early Battery Depltn

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	at 138 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.996	0.994	0.988	0.975	0.922	0.794	0.638	0.574	0.556
Effective	127419	118153	109210	97378	84938	71681	57868	41918	24241	9403	2292	283

#### SEDRL1 Sensia L DR

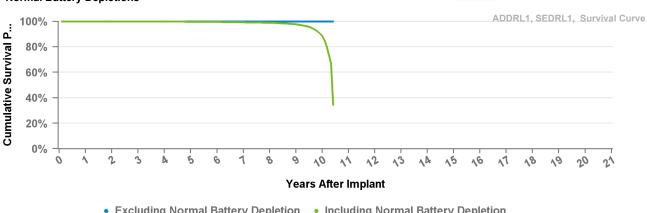
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**CE Approval Date** Sep-05 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 2

**Therapy Function Compromised Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	at 125 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	1	0.999	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.996	0.993	0.989	0.977	0.885	0.344
Effective Sample Size	123072	113574	101295	86768	70257	53243	36881	23042	11551	2814	133

#### Sensia S **SES01**

**US Market Release CE Approval Date** 

Jul-06

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

Sep-05

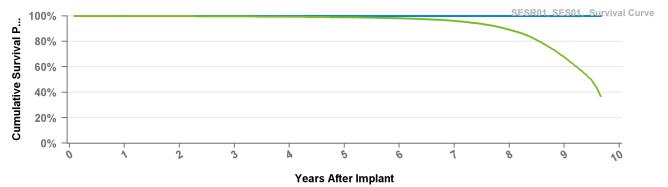
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 

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**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

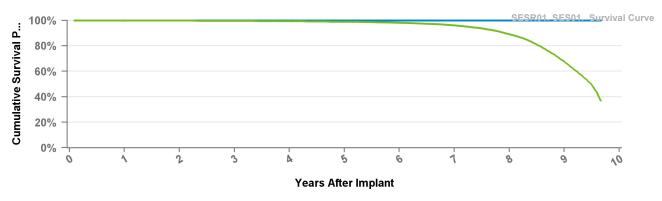
Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 116 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.998	0.998	0.996	0.994	0.989	0.981	0.961	0.891	0.676	0.368
Effective Sample Size	88915	78281	68550	58012	46734	36222	26059	15504	5498	417

#### SESR01 Sensia SR

**US Market Release** Jul-06 **CE Approval Date** Sep-05 **Registered USA Implants** 117,212 **Estimated Active USA Implants** 61,188 **Normal Battery Depletions** 4,146

**Total Malfunctions** 16 **Therapy Function Not Compromised** 13 **Electrical Component** 8 Other Malfunction 1 Poss Early Battery Depltn 4 **Therapy Function Compromised** 3

**Electrical Component** 2 **Electrical Interconnect** 1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	at 116 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.998	0.998	0.996	0.994	0.989	0.981	0.961	0.891	0.676	0.368
Effective Sample Size	88915	78281	68550	58012	46734	36222	26059	15504	5498	417

## SPDR01 Sphera DR MRI

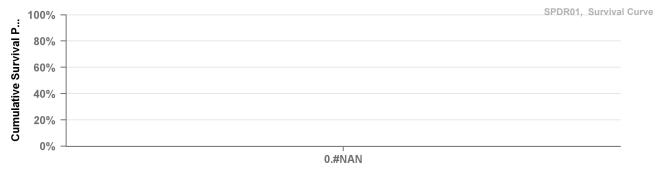
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CE Approval Date Jun-17 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 1

Estimated Active USA Implants 1 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



**Years After Implant** 

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Years
Excluding NBD
Including NBD
Effective

Sample Size

# SPDRL1 Sphera L DR MRI

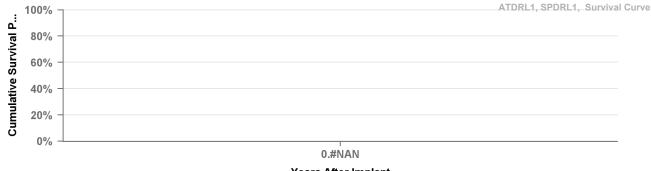
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CE Approval Date Jun-17 Therapy Function Not Compromised

**Registered USA Implants** 

Estimated Active USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years After Implant

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Years

Excluding NBD

Including NBD

Effective
Sample Size

## SPSR01 Sphera SR MRI

US Market Release

Aug-17

-17 Total Malfunctions

**CE Approval Date** 

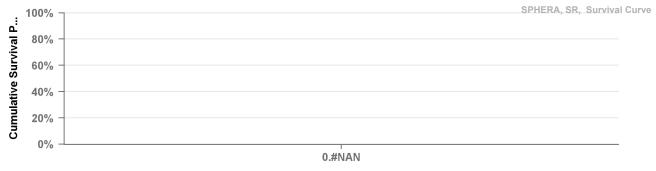
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**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

Registered USA Implants
Estimated Active USA Implants

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



**Years After Implant** 

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Years
Excluding NBD
Including NBD

Effective Sample Size

#### **SS303**

# Sigma 300 S

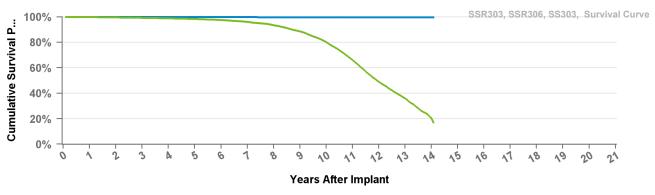
US Market Release Sep-99 Total Malfunctions

CE Approval Date Dec-98 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 249

Estimated Active USA Implants 48 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.997	0.996	0.996	0.996	0.996	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.989	0.983	0.975	0.96	0.934	0.885	0.801	0.66	0.49	0.36	0.203	0.171
Effective Sample Size	41043	33916	28096	23362	19468	16194	13464	11198	9101	7004	4791	2687	1211	226	153

# SSR303 Sigma 300 SR

US Market Release	Aug-99
CE Approval Date	Dec-98
Registered USA Implants	51,673
Estimated Active USA Implants	4,519
Normal Battery Depletions	2 943

Total	Malfur	nctio	ns			58
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Therapy Function Not Compromised 11
Electrical Interconnect 10

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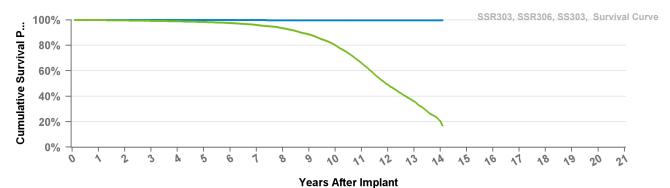
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Other Malfunction

Therapy Function Compromised

Electrical Component

Electrical Interconnect 44

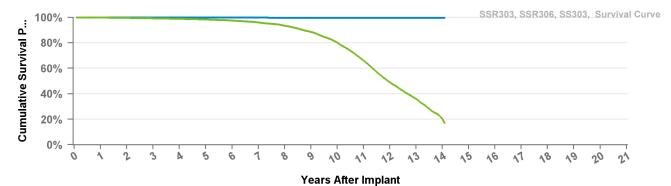


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	at 169 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.997	0.996	0.996	0.996	0.996	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.989	0.983	0.975	0.96	0.934	0.885	0.801	0.66	0.49	0.36	0.203	0.171
Effective Sample Size	41043	33916	28096	23362	19468	16194	13464	11198	9101	7004	4791	2687	1211	226	153

# SSR306 Sigma 300 SR

US Market Release	Sep-99	Total Malfunctions	2
CE Approval Date	Dec-98	Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	2,216	Electrical Component	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	153	Therapy Function Compromised	1
Normal Battery Depletions	153	Electrical Interconnect	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	at 169 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	0.999	0.998	0.997	0.997	0.997	0.996	0.996	0.996	0.996	0.996
Including NBD	0.998	0.996	0.992	0.989	0.983	0.975	0.96	0.934	0.885	0.801	0.66	0.49	0.36	0.203	0.171
Effective Sample Size	41043	33916	28096	23362	19468	16194	13464	11198	9101	7004	4791	2687	1211	226	153

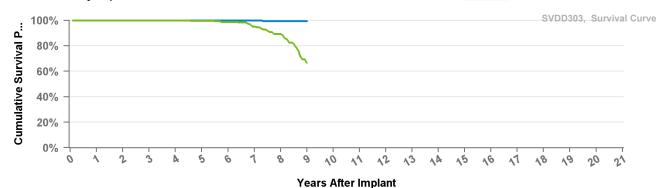
## SVDD303 Sigma 300 VDD

US Market Release Sep-99
CE Approval Date Dec-98
Registered USA Implants 653
Estimated Active USA Implants 42
Normal Battery Depletions 81

Total Malfunctions 1
Therapy Function Not Compromised 0

Therapy Function Compromised

Electrical Interconnect 1



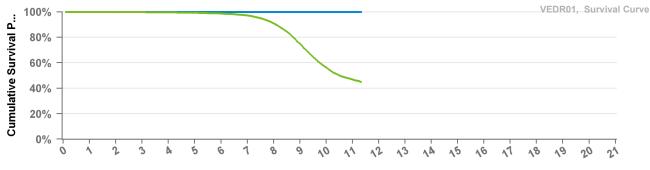
• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 108 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.995	0.995
Including NBD	1	1	1	1	0.997	0.987	0.952	0.892	0.666
Effective Sample Size	531	461	413	365	317	265	211	166	105

## VEDR01 Versa DR

US Market Release Jul-06
CE Approval Date Sep-05
Registered USA Implants 118,804
Estimated Active USA Implants 63,909
Normal Battery Depletions 8,009

18 **Total Malfunctions Therapy Function Not Compromised** 10 **Electrical Component** 7 **Electrical Interconnect** 2 1 Poss Early Battery Depltn **Therapy Function Compromised** 8 **Electrical Component** 4 Other Malfunction 4

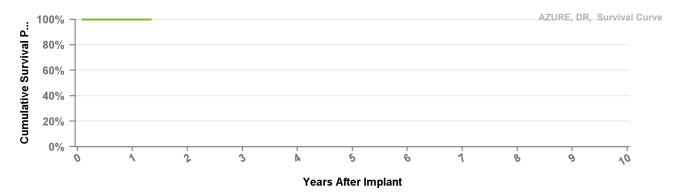


#### Years After Implant

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	at 136 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Including NBD	0.999	0.998	0.998	0.996	0.993	0.987	0.972	0.909	0.749	0.563	0.469	0.448
Effective	102581	93746	84435	76277	67739	58698	48256	35534	19939	7171	1442	235

# W1DR01 Azure XT DR

US Market Release	Aug-17	Total Malfunctions	9
CE Approval Date	Mar-17	Therapy Function Not Compromised	8
Registered USA Implants	90,751	Electrical Component	3
Estimated Active USA Implants	89,208	Other Malfunction	5
Normal Battery Depletions		Therapy Function Compromised	1
		Electrical Component	1

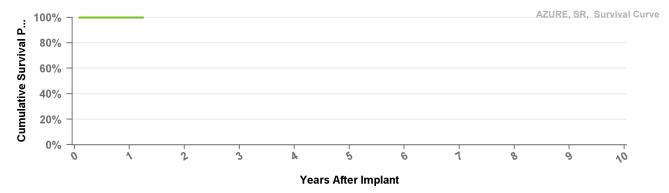


• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

		at 16
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective	14896	526

# W1SR01 Azure XT SR

US Market Release	Aug-17	Total Malfunctions	1
CE Approval Date	Mar-17	Therapy Function Not Compromised	1
Registered USA Implants	7,755	Other Malfunction	1
Estimated Active USA Implants	7,508	Therapy Function Compromised	0
Normal Battery Depletions			



Years	1	at 15 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	1372	206

## **W2DR01**

## Azure XT DR

**US Market Release** 

CE Approval Date

Mar-17

**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

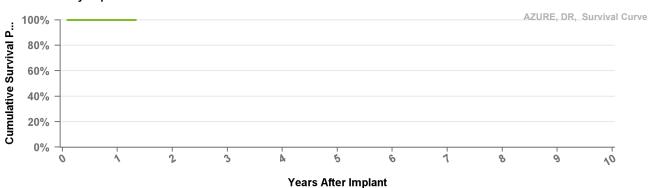
**Registered USA Implants** 

1 1 Therapy Function Compromised

**Total Malfunctions** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 



• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

		at 16
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	14896	526

#### **W2SR01**

## Azure XT SR

**US Market Release** 

Mar-17

**Total Malfunctions** 

**CE Approval Date** 

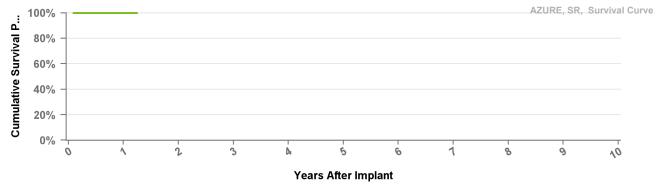
**Therapy Function Not Compromised** 

**Registered USA Implants** 

Estimated Active USA Implants

**Therapy Function Compromised** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	at 15 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective	1372	206

## W3DR01 Azure S DR

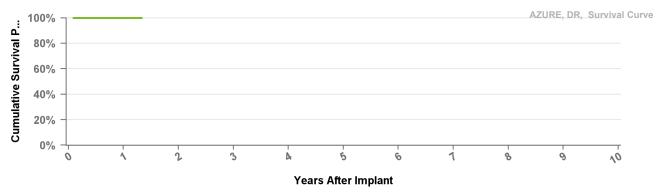
US Market Release Aug-17

CE Approval Date Mar-17 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 11,545

Estimated Active USA Implants 11,368 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



**Total Malfunctions** 

• Excluding Normal Battery Depletion • Including Normal Battery Depletion

		at 16
Years	1	mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective Sample Size	14896	526

#### W3SR01

## Azure S SR

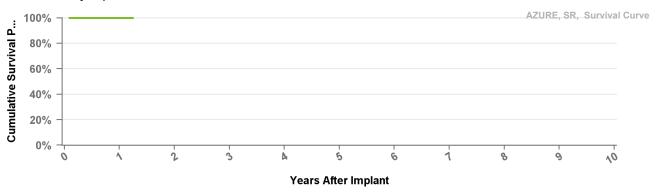
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CE Approval Date Mar-17 Therapy Function Not Compromised

Registered USA Implants 2,019

Estimated Active USA Implants 1,953 Therapy Function Compromised

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years	1	at 15 mo
Excluding NBD	1	1
Including NBD	1	1
Effective	1372	206

#### **X2DR01** Astra XT DR MRI SureScan

**US Market Release Total Malfunctions** 

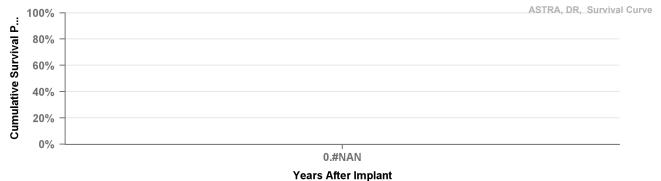
**Therapy Function Not Compromised CE Approval Date** Mar-17

**Registered USA Implants** 1

**Therapy Function Compromised** 1

**Normal Battery Depletions** 

**Estimated Active USA Implants** 



Years **Excluding NBD** Including NBD Effective

## Sample Size X2SR01

# Astra XT SR MRI SureScan

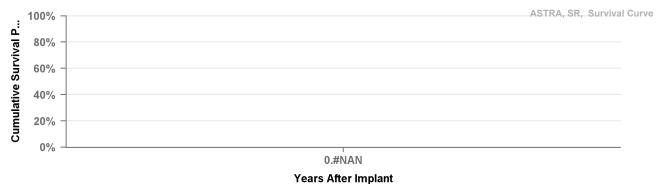
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**CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised** Mar-17

**Registered USA Implants** 

**Therapy Function Compromised Estimated Active USA Implants** 

**Normal Battery Depletions** 



Years **Excluding NBD** Including NBD Effective

Sample Size

## **X3DR01** Astra S DR **US Market Release Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date** Mar-17 **Therapy Function Not Compromised Registered USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** ASTRA, DR, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 0.#NAN **Years After Implant** Years **Excluding NBD** Including NBD Effective Sample Size Astra S SR X3SR01 **US Market Release Total Malfunctions CE Approval Date Therapy Function Not Compromised** Mar-17 **Registered USA Implants Therapy Function Compromised Estimated Active USA Implants Normal Battery Depletions** ASTRA, SR, Survival Curve 100% Cumulative Survival P... 80% 60% 40% 20% 0% 0.#NAN **Years After Implant** Years **Excluding NBD** Including NBD Effective

Sample Size

# **Method for Estimating Lead Performance**

Medtronic Cardiac Rhythm and Heart Failure (CRHF) has tracked lead survival for over 35 years with its multicenter, global chronic lead studies.

#### **Leads Performance Analysis**

Implanted leads operate in the challenging biochemical environment of the human body and the body's response to foreign objects. Implanted leads are also subject to mechanical stresses associated with heart motion, body motion, and patient anatomy.

In this environment, pacemaker and defibrillation leads cannot be expected to last forever. While IPGs and ICDs have a battery that will deplete after a predictable length of time, a lead's longevity cannot be predicted easily based on mechanical measurements, nor are there simple indicators that a lead is approaching the end of its service life. Therefore, regular monitoring while implanted, and evaluation of lead integrity upon IPG or ICD replacement, is necessary to determine if a lead may be approaching the end of its service life.

#### Shortfalls Of Using Returned Product And Complaints To Estimate Lead Performance

Leads and lead segments returned to Medtronic are analyzed to determine whether or not they meet performance limits established by Medtronic. Although returned product analyses are valuable for gaining insight into lead failure mechanisms, this data cannot be used by itself for determining the survival probability of leads because only a small fraction of leads are explanted and returned for analysis. Some leads are modified due to adverse device effect, however may not be explanted. Additionally, those leads that are returned cannot be assumed to be statistically representative of the performance of the total population for a given lead model. Partial or total lead extraction can result in significant damage to a lead, making a definitive analysis of a suspected failure, and its cause, impossible.

To account for the under reporting inherent with lead survival analysis based solely on returned product, some manufacturers add reported complaints where adverse product performance is evident but the product itself has not been returned. The improvement to the accuracy of survival estimates depends on the degree to which all complaints are actually communicated to the manufacturer. Since not all complaints are communicated to the manufacturer, adding complaints to the survival analysis does not completely solve the under reporting problem.

Lead survival probabilities are more appropriately determined through a prospective clinical surveillance study that includes active follow up with the patients. Although Medtronic monitors returned product analysis and complaints, these are not used to determine lead survival estimates.

Medtronic consolidated all cardiac rhythm surveillance registries into the PAN Registry. The PAN Registry is a patient centric surveillance platform which follows patients implanted with Medtronic cardiac rhythm product(s). The Product Performance Report (PPR) tracks PAN Registry enrolled patients to monitor lead performance status in vivo. The PAN Registry is designed to record clinical observations representative of the total clinical experience. Lead survival estimates include both lead hardware failure and lead-related clinical events that are classified as product performance events, and do not differentiate a lead hardware failure from other clinical events such as Failure to capture, perforation, dislodgement, or concurrent pulse generator failure.

## **PAN Registry**

Medtronic has been monitoring the performance of its cardiac therapy products with a multicenter study since 1983 and has evaluated the performance of more than 131,000 leads, with data reported from countries around the world. Throughout this time period, Medtronic has continually worked to adapt systems and processes to more effectively monitor product performance following market release. The following summarizes current registry requirements.

Medtronic's product surveillance registry is a world-wide study that has a prospective, non-randomized, observational design. A key purpose of the registry is to provide continuing evaluation and periodic reporting of the long-term reliability and performance of Medtronic market-released cardiac rhythm therapy products. Product-related adverse events, indicating the status of the product, are collected to measure product survival probabilities. The data gathered may also be used to support the design and development of new cardiac therapy products. The registry is designed to continue indefinitely, encompassing new products as they become commercially available.

To ensure a sufficiently large and representative source of data, participating clinical sites must meet prespecified selection criteria. Patients are enrolled upon implantation of a Medtronic Cardiac rhythm product. Every effort is made to ensure participants are representative of the range of clinical environments in which Medtronic cardiac rhythm products are used. Eligible products for enrollment include Medtronic market-released cardiac rhythm therapy products for which additional information to further characterize product performance following market release is desired. Number of enrollments is reviewed regularly to ensure adequate sample size is obtained for each individual product. Enrollment may be capped and follow-up discontinued when sufficient duration and precision is achieved to effectively characterize product survivability.

Enrolled patients are followed in accordance with the standard care practices of their care provider from their implant date until they can no longer be followed (e.g., death, lost to follow-up, etc.). However, to ensure regular patient status assessments are completed, follow-up windows consistent with typical care practices have been established with a minimum annual follow-up requirement. Product-related adverse events, system modifications and changes in patient status (e.g. death and withdrawal from the study) are required to be reported upon occurrence. This active surveillance model ensures a robust dataset for effectively monitoring product performance.

Patients are eligible for enrollment if:

- Patient is intended to be implanted or is within 30 days post-implant of a Medtronic marketreleased cardiac lead connected to a market-released CRT, ICD, or IPG device, and the lead is used for a pacing, sensing, or defibrillation application, or
- Patient participated in a qualifying investigational study of a Medtronic cardiac rhythm product
  that is now market-released; complete implant and follow-up data are available; and the data can be
  appropriately and legally released

Each site is require to inform Medtronic whenever a lead event has occurred, a lead is modified, or when a patient is no longer participating. Timely, accurate, and complete reporting and analysis of safety information for surveillance is crucial for the protection of patients, clinicians, and the sponsor Medtronic continually evaluates the quality and integrity of the data through a combination of on-site and centralized monitoring activities.

#### **Lead Complications**

Chronic lead performance is characterized by estimating lead related complication free survival probabilities. For analysis purposes, the complication criteria, which align with the AdvaMed 'Industry Guidance for Uniform Reporting of Clinical Performance of Cardiac Rhythm Management Pulse Generators and Leads', are defined below. These criteria do not, however, enable a lead integrity or "hardware" failure to be conclusively differentiated from other clinical events such as an undetected lead dislodgement, perforation, or concurrent pulse generator failure manifested as a sensing or capture problem.

All reported lead-related adverse events are classified by the reporting investigator and are adjudicated by an independent event adjudication committee <sup>1</sup>. A lead-related event with at least one of the following classifications that is adjudicated by the committee as a complication and occurs more than 30 days after implant is considered a product performance event and will contribute to the survival analysis endpoint. Events with an onset date of 30 days or less after the implant are considered procedure related and therefore are not included as product performance events. Product performance events include, but are not limited to:

- Failure to capture
- Failure to sense/undersensing
- Oversensing
- Elevated pacing thresholds
- Abnormal pacing impedance (based on lead model, but normal range is typically 200 2,000 ohms)
- Abnormal defibrillation impedance (based on lead model, but normal range is typically 20 200 ohms)
- Lead Insulation breach
- Lead Conductor fracture, confirmed electrically, visually or radiographically
- Extracardiac stimulation
- Cardiac perforation
- Lead dislodgement
- Structural Lead Failure

#### **Data Analysis Methods**

The performance of leads is expressed in terms of lead survival estimates, where "survival" refers to the function of the lead, not the survival of the patient.. These survival estimates are intended to illustrate the probability that a lead will survive for a given number of years without a chronic lead-related complication.

Active surveillance normally begins at the time of implant and continues until a product performance or censoring event occurs. In some cases in the PAN Registry, active surveillance of a device starts after the device was implanted. The survival probability of such device is conditional on survival to the time when the device enters the Registry. This phenomenon is called Left-truncation<sup>2</sup>. PPR lead survival analysis is estimated using the Kaplan-Meier method, a statistical method to incorporate data from these retrospectively enrolled devices, left-truncated data, was applied. The statistical technique uses data from existing devices while appropriately adjusting the device survival curves for the time the device was not actively followed in the registry. Thus, in some cases sample sizes may fluctuate from one time interval to the next interval.

On the following pages, each graph includes a survival curve for each lead model. The survival estimates is the probability that a lead is free of a product performance event at a given time point. For example, if a survival probability is 95% after 5 years of service, then the lead has a 5% chance of experiencing a lead-related complication in the first 5 years following implant.

The data in the tables is rounded to the nearest tenth of one percent. Occasionally, a graph may show 100% survival, but have one or more complications. This occurs because even with the complications, the data rounds to 100%.

The survival curves are statistical estimates. As sample size increases and performance experience accumulates, the estimation improves. Confidence intervals are provided as a way to indicate the degree of certainty of the estimates. Greenwood's formula is used to calculate the standard errors, and the log-log method is used to produce the 2-sided 95% confidence bounds.

Since the survival estimate can become very imprecise with small effective sample sizes, Medtronic truncates the survival curve when the number of leads entering an interval is less than 50 leads. When the number of leads entering an interval reaches 50, the next data point is added to the survival

curve. For those lead models that do not have sufficient sample size, a survival curve will not be presented.

#### **Definition of Analysis Dataset**

The survival estimates are derived from all device components successfully enrolled as of the data received cut-off date (e.g. date of data entry at a study site). The number of enrollments is listed for each lead model.

This sample is considered to be representative of the worldwide population, and therefore the survival estimates shown should be representative of the performance worldwide of these models.

#### Criteria for Model Inclusion

Performance information for a model or model family will be published when more than 100 leads have been enrolled and no fewer than 50 leads followed for at least 6 months. Medtronic, at its discretion, may stop providing updated performance information on lead models that received original US market-release approval 20 or more years ago.

#### **Returned Product Analysis Results**

Although the returned product analysis data is not used to generate the survival estimates, the data provides valuable insight into the causes of lead malfunction.

For reporting returned product analysis results, Medtronic CRHF considers a lead as having malfunctioned whenever the analysis shows that any parameter was outside the performance limits established by Medtronic while implanted and in service. To be considered a malfunction for returned product analysis reporting, the lead must have been returned to Medtronic and analyzed.

The results of the analysis is presented in four categories. The lead reporting categories are:

**Conductor Fracture**: Conductor malfunction with complete or intermittent loss of continuity that could interrupt current flow (e.g., fractured conductors), including those associated with clavicle flex fatigue or crush damage.

**Insulation Breach**: A malfunction of the insulation allowing inappropriate entry of body fluids or inappropriate current flow between the conductors, or between the conductor and the body. Examples include cuts, tears, depressions, abrasions, and material degradation.

**Crimps/Welds/Bonds**: Any malfunction in a conductor or lead body associated with a point of connection.

**Other:** Malfunctions of specific lead mechanical attributes, such as sensors, connectors, seal rings, or malfunction modes not included in the three categories above.

A lead subject to a safety advisory is not considered to have malfunctioned unless it has been returned to Medtronic CRHF and found, through analysis, to actually have performed outside the performance limits established by Medtronic.

For leads designed for either ventricular or atrial use, the numbers listed in the Returned Product Analysis tables include both.

The numbers of malfunctions listed in the Returned Product Analysis tables are the actual numbers confirmed in the returned product analysis. The numbers of complications listed in the complications tables are the actual numbers observed in the PSR centers around the world.

#### US Reports of Acute Lead Observations (Occurring within First Month of Service)

In the first weeks following lead implantation, physiologic responses and lead performance can vary until long-term lead stability is attained. Acute (defined as the first month after implant) lead performance may be subject to a number of factors, including patient-specific anatomy, clinical conditions and/or varying implant conditions/techniques. After a period of time, the implant and the lead performance stabilizes. It is for this reason that the Product Surveillance Registry results, which are intended to measure long-term performance, do not include complications that occur within the first 30 days after implant.

Information about the clinical experience in the first month of service is included in our reporting. The source for this information is Medtronic's complaint handling system database. The information is summarized in tables titled "US Reports of Acute Lead Observations."

Each Event Report received by Medtronic's complaint handling system is assigned one or more Reason for Report codes based on the information received. The Reason for Report codes have been grouped into Acute Lead Observation categories. The categories used for this product performance reporting are drawn from the "FDA Guidance for Submission of Research and Marketing Applications for Permanent Pacemaker Leads and for Pacemaker Lead Adapter 510(k) Submissions." The categories are:

- 1. Cardiac Perforation
- 2. Conductor Fracture
- 3. Lead Dislodgement
- 4. Failure to Capture
- Oversensing
- 6. Failure to Sense
- 7. Insulation Breach
- 8. Impedance Abnormal
- 9. Extracardiac Stimulation
- 10. Unspecified

Although multiple observations are possible for any given lead, only one observation is reported per lead. The observation reported is the observation highest on the list. For example, if an Event Report includes observations for both Lead Dislodgement and Failure to Sense, Lead Dislodgement is reported.

The lead event reported to Medtronic may or may not have involved clinical action or product returned to Medtronic. The lead may have remained implanted and in service.

#### Estimated Number of Implanted and Active Leads in the United States

In addition to providing the number of leads enrolled in the PSR, we also provide the number of leads registered as implanted and the number remaining active in the United States based on the status recorded in the Medtronic Device and Registrant Tracking system.

#### Footnotes:

- 1: During the evolution of SLS, event adjudication was transitioned from a Medtronic technical review committee to an independent event adjudication committee in 2011. Data analyses include adjudication using both methods.
- 2: Klein, John P., Moeschberger, Melvin L. Survival Analysis Techniques for Censored and Truncated Data, New York: Springer-Verlag New York, Inc., 1997.

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US Mark	ket Release	03-Aug-2005	US Returned Product	t Analysis	
CE Appr	roval	31-Jan-2003	Conductor Fracture	23	(
Registe	red USA Implants	49,472		20	
Estimat	ed Active USA Implants	39.220	Crimp Weld Bond		
		Fixed Screw	Insulation Breach	36	E
Fixation	Туре	Fixed Screw	Other	8	F
Pace Sei	nse Polarity	Bipolar			F
Steroid In	ndicator	Yes			
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#### **US Acute Lead Observations** Cardiac Perforation 11 Conductor Fracture 2 Extracardiac Stimulation 4 Failure To Capture 145 Failure To Sense 7 Impedance Abnormal 1 Insulation Breach 1 Lead Dislodgement 190 Oversensing 35 Unspecified 2

#### **Atrial Placement**

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results** Number of Leads Enrolled in Study 1,100 Cumulative Months of Followup

54,197 Number of Leads Active in Study 483

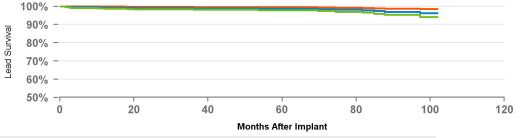




Upper 95 Pct Confidence

Lower 95 Pct Confidence

Cumulative Survival Probability



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Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	at 102 mo
%	99.3%	99.0%	99.0%	98.9%	98.7%	98.4%	97.8%	97.0%	96.3%
#	896	739	628	514	418	349	247	122	74

#### **His Placement**

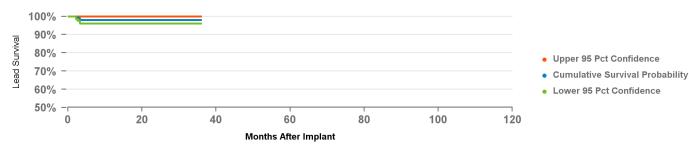
Product Surveillance Registry Results	
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	363
Cumulative Months of Followup	5,112
Number of Leads Active in Study	310

## **Qualifying Complications**

Failure To Capture



Oversensing



Years	1	2	at 36 mo
%	98.0%	98.0%	98.0%
#	133	91	56

#### **Ventricular Placement**

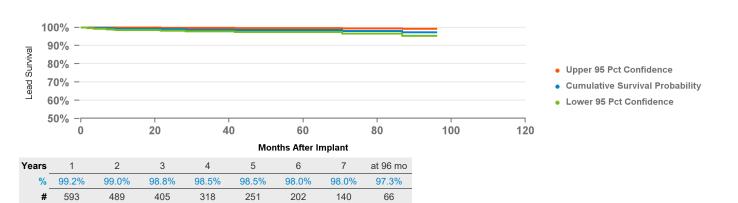
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Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	772
Cumulative Months of Followup	34,626
Number of Leads Active in Study	354

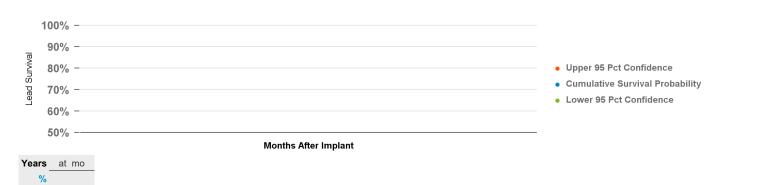
#### **Qualifying Complications**

ailure To Capture	4	Impedance Abnormal	1
		Lead Dislodgement	4
		Other Complication	1

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#### 4073 CapSure Sense US Market Release 23-Jun-2002 **US Returned Product Analysis US Acute Lead Observations** CE Approval 01-Feb-2002 771 Registered USA Implants 279 Estimated Active USA Implants Fixation Type Tines Pace Sense Polarity Unipolar Steroid Indicator Yes



0	74	CapSure So	ense		
	US Market F	Release		23-Jun-20	002
	CE Approva			01-Feb-2	002
	Registered	JSA Implants		128,034	
	Estimated A	ctive USA Implants		77,325	
	Fixation Type	)		Tines	
	Pace Sense	Polarity		Bipolar	
	Steroid Indica	ator		Yes	

# US Returned Product Analysis Conductor Fracture 10 Crimp Weld Bond Insulation Breach 40 Other

#### **US Acute Lead Observations** Cardiac Perforation 25 Conductor Fracture 2 Extracardiac Stimulation 3 Failure To Capture 93 Failure To Sense 5 2 Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement 121 Oversensing 6

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Unspecified

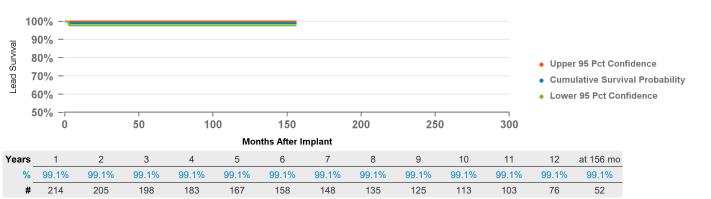
#### **Atrial Placement**

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	227
Cumulative Months of Followup	24,411
Number of Leads Active in Study	99

#### Qualifying Complications

Failure To Sense 1 Lead Dislodgement



## Ventricular Placement

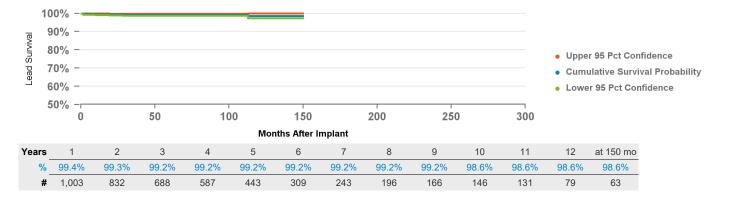
#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,157
Cumulative Months of Followup	65,561
Number of Leads Active in Study	326

## **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture 1 Impedance Abnormal
Failure To Capture 3 Insulation Breach
Lead Dislodgement
Other Complication

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	US Market	Release		25-Feb-2004
	CE Approva	al		14-Jun-2004
	Registered	USA Implants		617,699
	Estimated.	Active USA Implant	S	432,695
	Fixation Typ	oe e		Active Screw In
	Pace Sense	Polarity		Bipolar
	Steroid India	cator		Yes

## **US Returned Product Analysis**

Conductor Fracture	93
Crimp Weld Bond	1
Insulation Breach	132
Other	20

#### **US Acute Lead Observations**

Cardiac Perforation	122
Conductor Fracture	6
Extracardiac Stimulation	17
Failure To Capture	159
Failure To Sense	63
Impedance Abnormal	26
Insulation Breach	1
Lead Dislodgement	429
Oversensing	48
Unspecified	10

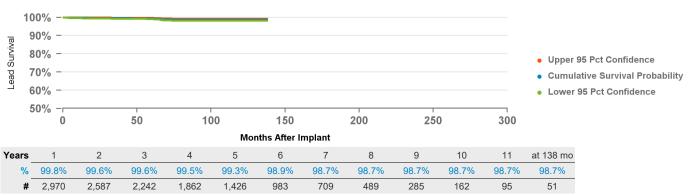
#### **Atrial Placement**

# **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	3,584
Cumulative Months of Followup	185,977
Number of Leads Active in Study	1,480

#### Qualifying Complications 24

Cardiac Perforation	1 In:	sulation Breach	2
Conductor Fracture	2 Le	ead Dislodgement	7
Failure To Capture	7 0	versensing	1
Failure To Sense	3 0	ther Complication	1



## Ventricular Placement

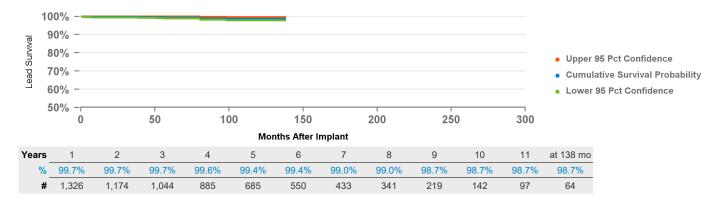
#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,602
Cumulative Months of Followup	92,375
Number of Leads Active in Study	442

## **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture	1	Impedance Abnormal	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	1	Lead Dislodgement	1
Failure To Capture	5	Other Complication	1

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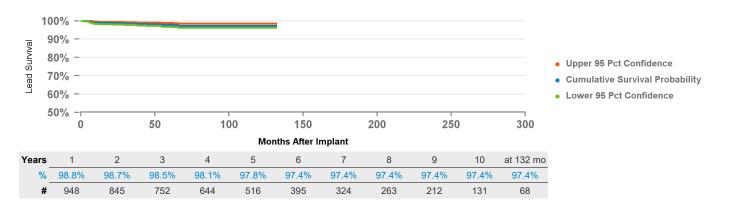
#### CapSure SP Novus 4092 US Market Release 17-Sep-1998 **US Returned Product Analysis US Acute Lead Observations** CE Approval 15-Apr-1998 Cardiac Perforation 4 Conductor Fracture Registered USA Implants 187,226 Crimp Weld Bond Conductor Fracture 4 Estimated Active USA Implants 66,465 Extracardiac Stimulation 1 Insulation Breach 86 Fixation Type Tines Other Failure To Capture 35 Pace Sense Polarity Bipolar Failure To Sense Steroid Indicator Yes 2 Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach 1 Lead Dislodgement 35 Oversensing 1 Unspecified 1 21

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,194
Cumulative Months of Followup	68,372
Number of Leads Active in Study	34

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture	3	Impedance Abnormal	1
Extracardiac Stimulation	1	Lead Dislodgement	4
Failure To Capture	12		



45	74	CapSure Sense	
	US Market F	Release	23-Jun-2002
	CE Approva	l	01-Feb-2002
	Registered	USA Implants	88,910
	Estimated A	Active USA Implants	57,926
	Fixation Type	e	J-shape, tines
	Pace Sense	Polarity	Bipolar
	Steroid Indic	ator	Yes

#### **US Returned Product Analysis** Conductor Fracture Crimp Weld Bond Insulation Breach 15 Other

#### **US Acute Lead Observations** Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture Extracardiac Stimulation 1 Failure To Capture 59 Failure To Sense 23 Impedance Abnormal 3 Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement 149

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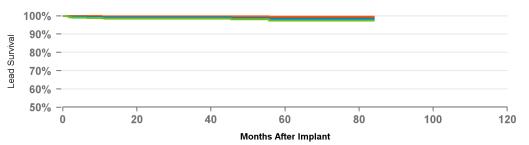
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#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,160
Cumulative Months of Followup	41,680
Number of Leads Active in Study	624

## **Qualifying Complications**

Qualifying Complications		10	
Conductor Fracture	2	Lead Dislodgement	7
Failure To Capture	1		



<ul><li>Upper</li></ul>	95	Pct	Confidence
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Oversensing

Unspecified

- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 84 mo
%	99.1%	99.1%	99.1%	98.9%	98.5%	98.5%	98.5%
#	885	664	517	366	259	143	65

4592	CapSure	SP	Novus
US Market F	Release		

US Market Release	05-Oct-1998
CE Approval	15-Apr-1998
Registered USA Implants	89,536
Estimated Active USA Implants	33,459
Fixation Type	J-shape, tines
Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar
Steroid Indicator	Yes

## **US Returned Product Analysis**

Conductor Fracture	10
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	31
Other	

#### **US Acute Lead Observations**

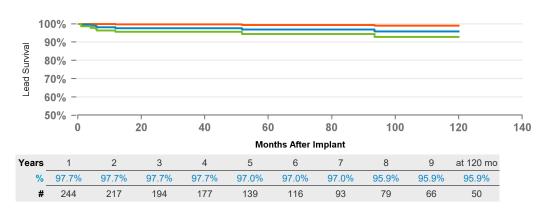
Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	
Extracardiac Stimulation	
Failure To Capture	10
Failure To Sense	2
Impedance Abnormal	
Insulation Breach	1
Lead Dislodgement	37
Oversensing	2
Unspecified	2

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	355
Cumulative Months of Followup	19,699
Number of Leads Active in Study	48

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Failure To Capture	5	Lead Dislodgement	2
Failure To Sense	1		



- Upper 95 Pct Confidence
- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

C	)54	CapSure Z	Novus		
	US Market	Release		03-Jun-19	998
	CE Approv	ral		05-Jun-19	997
	Registered	d USA Implants		99,463	
	Estimated	Active USA Implants		33,589	
	Fixation Ty	ре		Tines	
	Pace Sense	e Polarity		Bipolar	
	Steroid Indi	cator		Yes	

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Conductor Fracture	15
Crimp Weld Bond	1
Insulation Breach	39
Other	

**US Returned Product Analysis** 

US Acute Lead Observations	
Cardiac Perforation	2
Conductor Fracture	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	
Failure To Capture	23
Failure To Sense	
Impedance Abnormal	4
Insulation Breach	1
Lead Dislodgement	30
Oversensing	
Unspecified	9

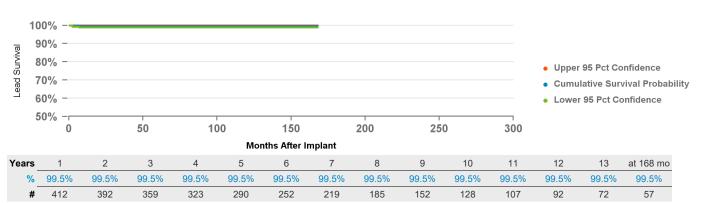
#### **Atrial Placement**

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	426
Cumulative Months of Followup	39,772
Number of Leads Active in Study	56

#### Qualifying Complications

Failure To Capture 1 Lead Dislodgement



## Ventricular Placement

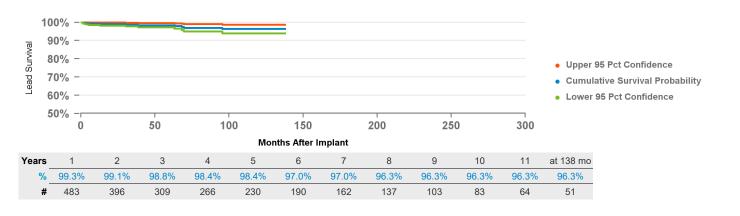
#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	986
Cumulative Months of Followup	33,930
Number of Leads Active in Study	32

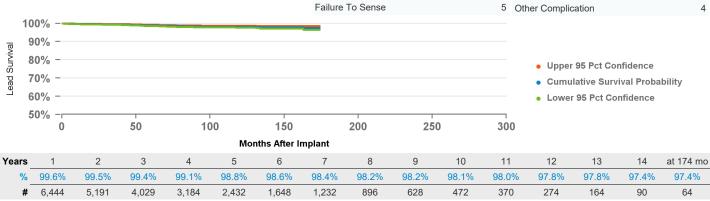
## **Qualifying Complications**

Failure To Capture 7 Impedance Abnormal Failure To Sense 2 Lead Dislodgement

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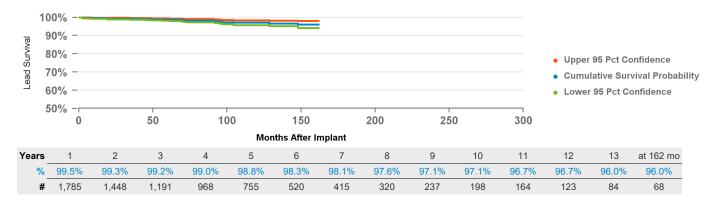
US Market Release  CE Approval Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants Fixation Type Pace Sense Polarity Steroid Indicator  Separate Active Streem In Pace Sense Polarity Steroid Indicator  Steroid Indicator  Steroid Indicator  12-Aug-1999 Conductor Fracture 992 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture 992 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture 1992 Conductor Fracture 1992 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture 1992 Conductor Fracture 1992 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture 1992 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture 1992 Conductor Fracture 1992 Conductor Fracture 1992 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture 1992 Conductor Fracture 1993 Conductor Fracture 1993 Conductor Fracture 1993 Conductor Fracture 1993 Conduct	
Registered USA Implants  2,522,836  Estimated Active USA Implants  1,683,781  Fixation Type  Active Screw In Pace Sense Polarity  Bipolar  Steroid Indicator  Yes  Conductor Fracture  992  Cardiac Ferioration  992  Cardiac Ferioration  Conductor Fracture  1,027  Extracardiac Stimulation  Other  175  Failure To Capture  Failure To Sense	ions
Estimated Active USA Implants  1,683,781  Insulation Breach  1,027  Extracardiac Stimulation  Fixation Type  Active Screw In  Pace Sense Polarity  Bipolar  Steroid Indicator  Yes  Crimp Weld Bond  Conductor Fracture  Extracardiac Stimulation  Other  175  Failure To Capture  Failure To Sense	956
Fixation Type Active Screw In Pace Sense Polarity Bipolar Cytes Other 175 Failure To Sense  Steroid Indicator Yes	22
Pace Sense Polarity  Bipolar  Steroid Indicator  Yes  Other  175  Failure To Capture  Failure To Sense	72
Steroid Indicator Yes	1,147
Steroid Indicator Yes Impedance Abnormal	414
	101
Insulation Breach	10
Lead Dislodgement	2,901
Oversensing	341
Unspecified	26
Atrial Placement	
Product Surveillance Registry Results Qualifying Complications 68	
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study 8,774 Cardiac Perforation 2 Impedance Abnormal	6
	2
Number of Leads Active in Study 4,063 Extracardiac Stimulation 2 Lead Dislodgement 2	.1



Failure To Capture

## **Ventricular Placement**





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Oversensing

# 5086MRI CapsureFix Novus MRI

US Market Release	08-Feb-2011
CE Approval	21-Jan-2009
Registered USA Implants	208,575
Estimated Active USA Implants	182,692
Fixation Type	Active Screw In
Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar
Steroid Indicator	Yes

#### **US Returned Product Analysis**

Conductor Fracture	70
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	122
Other	11

## **US Acute Lead Observations**

Cardiac Perforation	214
Conductor Fracture	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	18
Failure To Capture	140
Failure To Sense	28
Impedance Abnormal	9
Insulation Breach	1
Lead Dislodgement	309
Oversensing	31
Unspecified	

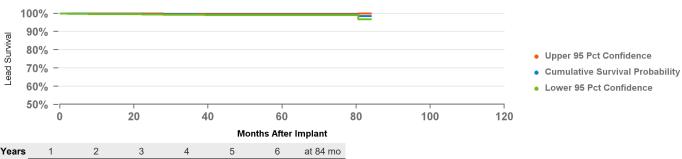
#### **Atrial Placement**

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	3,102
Cumulative Months of Followup	125,924
Number of Leads Active in Study	1,526

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture	3	Lead Dislodgement	11
Failure To Capture	1	Oversensing	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 84 mo
%	99.8%	99.6%	99.6%	99.4%	99.4%	99.4%	98.5%
#	2.651	2.227	1.865	1.413	631	198	55

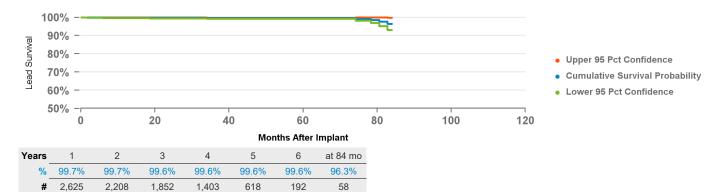
#### **Ventricular Placement**

## **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

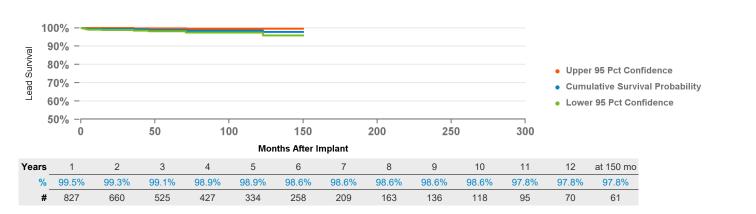
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	3,049
Cumulative Months of Followup	124,788
Number of Leads Active in Study	1,502

## **Qualifying Complications**

Qualifying Complications		16	
Conductor Fracture	1	Impedance Abnormal	1
Failure To Capture	8	Lead Dislodgement	3
Failure To Sense	1	Oversensing	2



5092 CapSure SP No	ovus				
US Market Release	03-Jun-1998	US Returned Product	Analysis	US Acute Lead Observ	ations
CE Approval	25-Sep-1997	5-Sep-1997 Conductor Fracture 23		Cardiac Perforation	-
Registered USA Implants	141,332	Crimp Weld Bond	20	Conductor Fracture	2
Estimated Active USA Implants	52,473	Insulation Breach	63	Extracardiac Stimulation	3
Fixation Type	Tines	Other	1	Failure To Capture	49
Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar	Culci		Failure To Sense	7
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	1
				Insulation Breach	3
				Lead Dislodgement	72
				Oversensing	1
				Unspecified	8
Product Surveillance Registry Resul	Its	Qualifying Complications	10		
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,212	Extracardiac Stimulation	1 Impedan	ce Abnormal	1
Cumulative Months of Followup	53,026	Failure To Capture		slodgement	5
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Number of Leads Active in Study

55	554	CapSure Z Novus		
	US Market	Release	03-Jun-19	98
	CE Approva	al	05-Jun-19	97
	Registered	USA Implants	64,538	
	Estimated /	Active USA Implants	24,075	
	Fixation Typ	e	Tines	
	Pace Sense	Polarity	Bipolar	
	Steroid India	eator	Yes	

<b>US Returned Product Ana</b>	lysis
Conductor Fracture	21
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	35
Other	

	US Acute Lead Observations	
	Cardiac Perforation	
	Conductor Fracture	1
	Extracardiac Stimulation	
	Failure To Capture	31
	Failure To Sense	2
	Impedance Abnormal	1
	Insulation Breach	
	Lead Dislodgement	38
	Oversensing	
	Unspecified	3

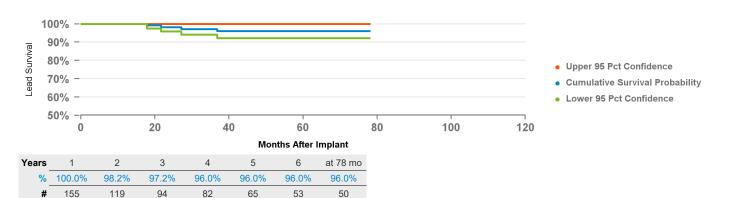
#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	363
Cumulative Months of Followup	8,955
Number of Leads Active in Study	11

## **Qualifying Complications**

Failure To Capture	2	Impedance Abnormal	1
		Lead Dislodgement	1
		Oversonsing	1

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5ŧ	592 CapSure SP	Novus
	US Market Release	03-Jun-1998
	CE Approval	25-Sep-1997
	Registered USA Implants	37,295
	Estimated Active USA Implants	16,895
	Fixation Type	Tines
	Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar
	Steroid Indicator	Yes

#### **US Returned Product Analysis** Conductor Fracture Crimp Weld Bond Insulation Breach Other

#### **US Acute Lead Observations** Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture Extracardiac Stimulation Failure To Capture 4 Failure To Sense 3 Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement 43

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Oversensing

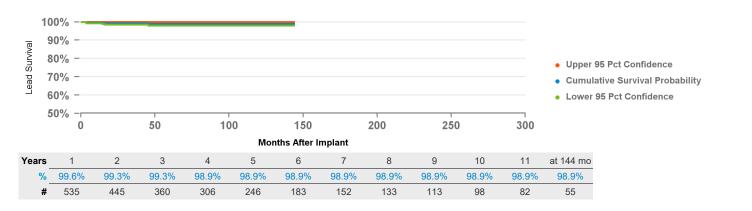
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#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	714
Cumulative Months of Followup	37,243
Number of Leads Active in Study	42

#### **Qualifying Complications**





55	<b>94</b> CapSure SP No	ovus	
	US Market Release	25-Jun-2001	US Returne
	CE Approval	23-Mar-2001	Conductor Fract
	Registered USA Implants	17,593	Crimp Weld Bon
	Estimated Active USA Implants	9,407	Insulation Breac
	Fixation Type	Tines	
	Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar	Other
	Steroid Indicator	Yes	

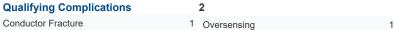
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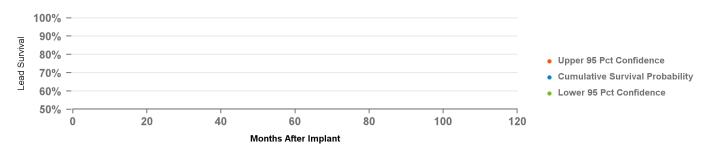


#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	33
Cumulative Months of Followup	2,954
Number of Leads Active in Study	9









67	<b>'21</b>	<b>Epicardial Patch</b>		
	US Market F	Release	31-Mar-1	994
	CE Approval		01-Jan-1	993
	Registered	USA Implants	3,269	
	Estimated A	Active USA Implants	1,124	
	Fixation Typ	е	Suture	
	Pace Sense	Polarity	n/a	
	Steroid Indic	ator	None	

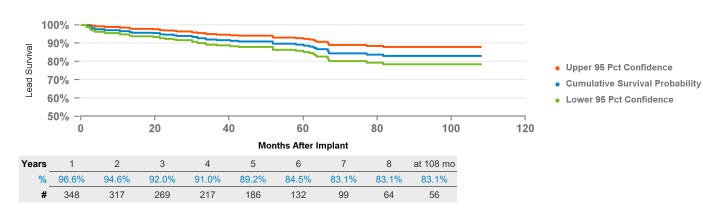
<b>US Returned Product An</b>	alysis
Conductor Fracture	15
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	1
Other	

US Acute Lead Observations	
Cardiac Perforation	1
Conductor Fracture	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	
Failure To Capture	2
Failure To Sense	1
Impedance Abnormal	13
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	
Oversensing	1
Unspecified	

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	417
Cumulative Months of Followup	23,841
Number of Leads Active in Study	7



Conductor Fracture	21	Impedance Abnormal	4
Failure To Capture 8		Insulation Breach	2
		Oversensing	12



69	30	Sprint Fidelis		
	US Market F	Release	02-Sep-2004	
	CE Approva	l		
	Registered	USA Implants	354	
	Estimated A	ctive USA Implants	116	
	Fixation Type	•	Tines	
	Pace Sense	Polarity	True Bipolar/One Co	il

#### **US Returned Product Analysis**

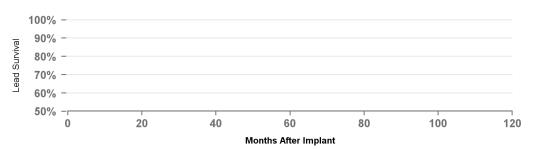
Conductor Fracture	5
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	
Other	

#### **US Acute Lead Observations**

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Steroid Indicator

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	4
Cumulative Months of Followup	280
Number of Leads Active in Study	1



• Upper 95 Pct Confidence

- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence



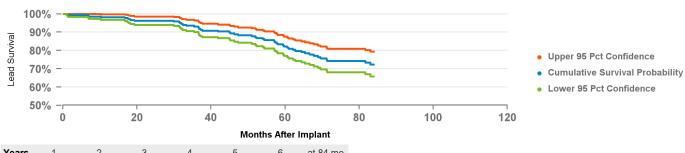
3	931	Sprint Fideli	S	
	US Market	Release	02-Sep-2004	
	CE Approva	al		
	Registered	USA Implants	8,075	
	Estimated /	Active USA Implants	2,072	
	Fixation Typ	e	Active Screw In	
	Pace Sense	Polarity	True Bipolar/One Coi	il
	Steroid India	cator	Yes	

US Returned Product An	alysis
Conductor Fracture	648
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	1
Other	5

US Acute Lead Observations	
Cardiac Perforation	1
Conductor Fracture	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	
Failure To Capture	1
Failure To Sense	1
Impedance Abnormal	
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	1
Oversensing	3
Unspecified	1

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	310
Cumulative Months of Followup	17,507
Number of Leads Active in Study	21

Qualifying Complications		58	
Conductor Fracture	35	Impedance Abnormal	10
Failure To Capture	3	Lead Dislodgement	2
Failure To Sense	1	Oversensing	7



Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 84 mo
%	98.2%	96.2%	93.1%	88.3%	82.2%	74.3%	72.3%
#	271	242	214	169	138	103	67

US Market Release	01-Nov-2008	US Returned Produc	ct Analysis	US Acute Lead Observ	ations
CE Approval Registered USA Implants Estimated Active USA Implants Fixation Type Pace Sense Polarity Steroid Indicator	31-Mar-2008 59,666 47,374 Active Screw In True Bipolar/One Coil Yes	Conductor Fracture Crimp Weld Bond Insulation Breach Other	312 9 41	Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture Extracardiac Stimulation Failure To Capture Failure To Sense Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement Oversensing	2:
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Product Surveillance Registry Results	<b>S</b>	Qualifying Complications	44		
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	2,669	Cardiac Perforation	1 Impedance	e Abnormal	5
Cumulative Months of Followup	118,629	Conductor Fracture	17 Lead Disl	odgement	7
Number of Leads Active in Study	954	Extracardiac Stimulation	1 Oversens	ing	6
		Failure To Capture	4 Unspecifie	ed	1
100% -		Failure To Sense	1 Other Cor	nplication	1
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50%	40 60	80 100	120		

95.5%

75

99.4%

2,264

99.2%

1,830

98.9%

1,457

98.6%

1,131

98.4%

888

98.0%

97.1%

310

96.1%

US Ma	arket Release	02-Aug-2012	US Returned Product	t Analys	sis	US Acute Lead Observ	ations	5
CE Ap	proval	12-Jul-2012	Conductor Fracture	2	261 (	Cardiac Perforation		9
•	tered USA Implants	198,468	Crimp Weld Bond			Conductor Fracture		
	ated Active USA Implants	187,121	Insulation Breach		11 E	Extracardiac Stimulation		1
Fixation Type Pace Sense Polarity					35 F	Failure To Capture		17
						Failure To Sense		4
Steroid	Indicator	Yes			ı	Impedance Abnormal		4
					I	Insulation Breach		
					L	Lead Dislodgement		29
					(	Oversensing		14
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at 66 mo

97.7%

83

5

98.7%

226

2

99.5%

3,071

Years

99.6%

4,482

3

99.1%

1,700

4

98.9%

#### Transvene SVC-CS 6937A US Market Release 06-Apr-2001 **US Acute Lead Observations US Returned Product Analysis** CE Approval Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture Registered USA Implants 2,541 Crimp Weld Bond Conductor Fracture Estimated Active USA Implants 1,531 Extracardiac Stimulation Insulation Breach Fixation Type Passive Other Failure To Capture Pace Sense Polarity One Coil Failure To Sense Steroid Indicator None Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement Oversensing Unspecified 2 **Product Surveillance Registry Results Qualifying Complications** 14 Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Conductor Fracture 122 Impedance Abnormal Cumulative Months of Followup 13,579 Insulation Breach 2 Number of Leads Active in Study 12 Lead Dislodgement Unspecified Other Complication 100% 90% Lead Survival 80% Upper 95 Pct Confidence 70% Cumulative Survival Probability 60% Lower 95 Pct Confidence 50 100 150 200 250 300 Months After Implant

9

92.2%

110

8

93.5%

169

10

91.2%

72

at 126 mo

91.2%

57

3

97.2%

584

96.7%

490

2

97.5%

697

Years

98.49

829

5

95.4%

391

6

94.9%

315

93.9%

69	944	Sprint Quattro		
	US Market I	Release	13-Dec-2000	
	CE Approva	al	05-Nov-1999	
	Registered	USA Implants	44,848	
	Estimated A	Active USA Implants	19,442	
	Fixation Typ	е	Tines	
	Pace Sense	Polarity	True Bipolar/Two Coils	
	Steroid India	eator	Yes	

#### **US Returned Product Analysis**

Conductor Fracture	199
Crimp Weld Bond	1
Insulation Breach	5
Other	4

#### **US Acute Lead Observations**

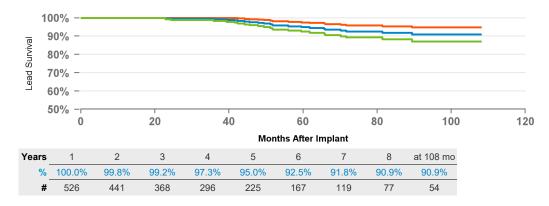
Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	
Failure To Capture	17
Failure To Sense	3
Impedance Abnormal	10
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	24
Oversensing	18
Unspecified	6

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	614
Cumulative Months of Followup	32,282
Number of Leads Active in Study	141

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture	14	Impedance Abnormal	4
Failure To Capture	4	Oversensing	3
Failure To Sense	1	Unspecified	1



<ul><li>Upper</li></ul>	95	Pct	Confidence
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- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

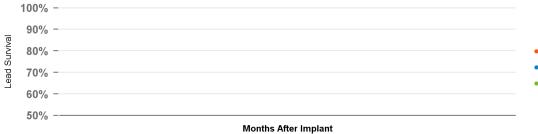
#### 6946M Sprint Quattro

Steroid Indicator

US Market Release	05-Jan-2016
CE Approval	12-Sep-2013
Registered USA Implants	1,583
Estimated Active USA Implants	1,541
Fixation Type	Tines
Pace Sense Polarity	True Bipolar/Two Coils

#### **US Returned Product Analysis**

<b>US Acute Lead Observations</b>	
Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	
Extracardiac Stimulation	
Failure To Capture	
Failure To Sense	
Impedance Abnormal	
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	5



• Upper 95 Pct Confidence

Oversensing Unspecified

Cumulative Survival Probability

Lower 95 Pct Confidence

Years at mo

US Market Release	12-Nov-2001	US Returned Prod	uct Analysis	US Acute Lead Obse	rvations
CE Approval	04-Oct-2001	Conductor Fracture	1.089	Cardiac Perforation	or vacions
Registered USA Implants	375,195	Crimp Weld Bond	1,009	Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	201,443	Insulation Breach	93	Extracardiac Stimulation	
Fixation Type	Active Screw In	Other	187	Failure To Capture	
Pace Sense Polarity	True Bipolar/Two Coils	Suiter	107	Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	
				Insulation Breach	
				Lead Dislodgement	1.
				Oversensing	1
				Unspecified	
oduct Surveillance Registry Resul	ts	Qualifying Complications	79	- 1	
mber of Leads Enrolled in Study	4,394	Conductor Fracture	28 Impeda	nce Abnormal	12
mulative Months of Followup	243,050	Failure To Capture	6 Insulati	on Breach	5
mber of Leads Active in Study	1,161	Failure To Sense	2 Lead D	slodgement	5
			Overse		17
			Unspec	ified	2
100%			Other C	complication	2
90% -					
80% - 70% -					
700/				Upper 95 Pct Confidence	
70% -				Cumulative Survival Probabilit	У
60% -			•	Lower 95 Pct Confidence	
50%	400 450	200	200		
0 50	100 150	200 250	300		

99.3%

3,216

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2,716

98.7%

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98.2%

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98.0%

1,425

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1,040

97.2%

724

96.6%

425

95.9%

237

95.6%

159

94.8%

103

94.8%

89

94.1%

#### 6947M **Sprint Quattro Secure** US Market Release 13-Feb-2012 **US Returned Product Analysis US Acute Lead Observations** CE Approval 12-Mar-2010 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture Registered USA Implants 110,628 Crimp Weld Bond Conductor Fracture Estimated Active USA Implants 99,750 Extracardiac Stimulation Insulation Breach 10 Fixation Type Active Screw In Other 21 Failure To Capture True Bipolar/Two Coils Pace Sense Polarity Failure To Sense Steroid Indicator Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement Oversensing

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	2,078
Cumulative Months of Followup	85,063
Number of Leads Active in Study	999

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture	6 Lead Dislodgement	1
Failure To Capture	4 Other Complication	1
Egiluro To Sonso	2	

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Unspecified

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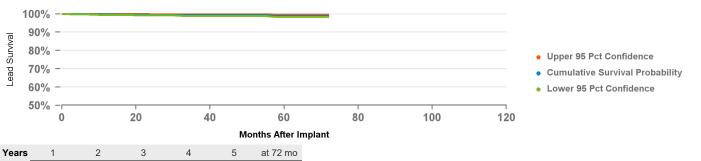
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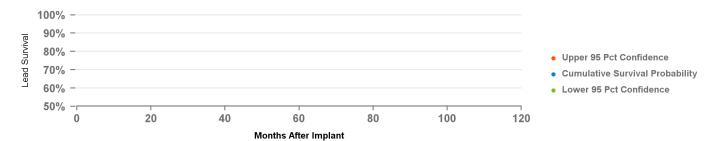
Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 72 mo
%	99.7%	99.5%	99.3%	99.3%	99.0%	99.0%
#	1,693	1,408	1,186	937	685	180

6948	Sprint Fidelis					
US Mark	et Release	02-Sep-2004	US Returned Produc	t Analysis	US Acute Lead Observation	ons
CE Appr	roval		Conductor Fracture	205	Cardiac Perforation	
Registe	red USA Implants	10,374	Crimp Weld Bond		Conductor Fracture	2
Estimate	ed Active USA Implants	3,009	Insulation Breach	3	Extracardiac Stimulation	
Fixation 7	Гуре	Tines	Other	3	Failure To Capture	7
Pace Ser	nse Polarity	True Bipolar/Two Coils			Failure To Sense	
Steroid Ir	ndicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	
					Insulation Breach	
					Lead Dislodgement	7
					Oversensing	1
					Unspecified	3

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	39
Cumulative Months of Followup	2,231
Number of Leads Active in Study	5

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture 3 Impedance Abnormal





US Market Release	02-Sep-2004	US Returned Produc	t Analys	sis	US Acute Lead Obser	vations	
CE Approval		Conductor Fracture		769	Cardiac Perforation		10
Registered USA Implants	186,697	Crimp Weld Bond		3	Conductor Fracture		46
Estimated Active USA Implants	45,538	Insulation Breach		37	Extracardiac Stimulation		
Fixation Type	Active Screw In	Other		90	Failure To Capture		31
Pace Sense Polarity	True Bipolar/Two Coil	S			Failure To Sense		19
Steroid Indicator	Yes				Impedance Abnormal		19
					Insulation Breach		5
					Lead Dislodgement		22
					Oversensing		35
					Unspecified		25
Product Surveillance Registry Results		Qualifying Complications		125	ū		25
Product Surveillance Registry Results Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	977	Qualifying Complications Conductor Fracture	71	125 Impedance	Unspecified	19	25
• •	977 54,360		71 5		Unspecified  Abnormal	19 2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study		Conductor Fracture		Impedance A	Unspecified  Abnormal reach		25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance /	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance / Insulation Br Lead Dislode	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance A Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup Number of Leads Active in Study	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance A Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup Number of Leads Active in Study	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance / Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing Other Comp	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement d	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup Number of Leads Active in Study	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance // Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing Other Comp	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement J lication	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup Number of Leads Active in Study  100%	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance / Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing Other Comp	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement J lication  er 95 Pct Confidence nulative Survival Probability	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup Number of Leads Active in Study  100%	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance / Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing Other Comp	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement J lication	2	25
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study Cumulative Months of Followup Number of Leads Active in Study  100%	54,360	Conductor Fracture Failure To Capture	5	Impedance / Insulation Br Lead Dislode Oversensing Other Comp   • Uppe • Cum • Low	Unspecified  Abnormal reach gement J lication  er 95 Pct Confidence nulative Survival Probability	2	25

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79.3%

148

9

78.6%

94

10

77.2%

66

at 126 mo

73.1%

55

2

96.5%

726

Years

98.5%

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93.4%

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91.0%

522

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88.2%

425

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84.4%

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81.5%

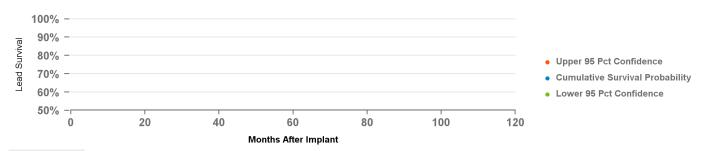
6996	Sub-Q Lead					
US Ma	rket Release	11-Jun-2001	US Returned Product Ana	ılysis	US Acute Lead Observations	
CE App	proval	19-Dec-1997	Conductor Fracture	30	Cardiac Perforation	1
Regist	ered USA Implants	5,060	Crimp Weld Bond		Conductor Fracture	
Estima	ated Active USA Implants	2,797	Insulation Breach		Extracardiac Stimulation	
Fixation	**	Suture on Anchor Sleeve	Other		Failure To Capture	1
	ense Polarity	One Coil			Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator None		None			Impedance Abnormal	12
					Insulation Breach	1
					Lead Dislodgement	1
					Oversensing	1
					Unspecified	
Product S	urvoillance Registry Results	Out	alifying Complications	3		

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	53
Cumulative Months of Followup	2,213
Number of Leads Active in Study	10

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture 1 Impedance Abnormal







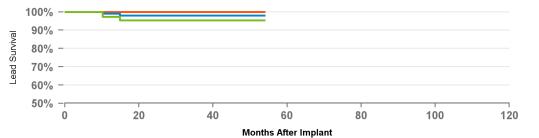
21	187	Attain LV	
	US Market I	Release	28-Aug-2001
	CE Approval		
	Registered	USA Implants	11,980
	Estimated /	Active USA Implants	1,767
	Fixation Typ	e	Distal Continous Curve
	Pace Sense	Polarity	Unipolar
	Steroid India	eator	None

<b>US Returned Product Ana</b>	lysis
Conductor Fracture	1
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	1
Other	2

<b>US Acute Lead Observations</b>	
Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	
Extracardiac Stimulation	1
Failure To Capture	3
Failure To Sense	1
Impedance Abnormal	
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	9
Oversensing	
Unspecified	

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	139
Cumulative Months of Followup	6,860
Number of Leads Active in Study	6

### **Qualifying Complications**Failure To Capture 3



<ul> <li>Upper 95 Pct Confidence</li> </ul>	•	Upper	95	Pct	Confidence
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- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

Years	1	2	3	4	at 54 mo
%	99.1%	98.0%	98.0%	98.0%	98.0%
#	105	89	69	56	51

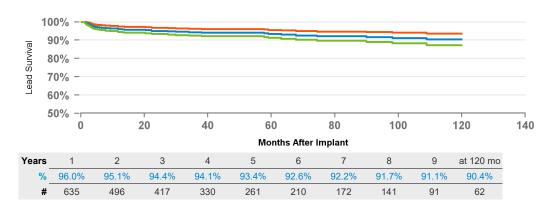
41	93 Attain OTW	
	US Market Release	03-May-2002
	CE Approval	22-Dec-2000
	Registered USA Implants	100,812
	Estimated Active USA Implants	23,390
	Fixation Type	Double Curve
	Pace Sense Polarity	Unipolar
	Steroid Indicator	Yes

<b>US Returned Product Analy</b>	sis
Conductor Fracture	80
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	29
Other	12

US Acute Lead Observations	
Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	
Extracardiac Stimulation	18
Failure To Capture	11
Failure To Sense	
Impedance Abnormal	
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	45
Oversensing	1
Unspecified	2

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	802
Cumulative Months of Followup	39,685
Number of Leads Active in Study	73

Qualifying Complications		46	
Conductor Fracture	1	Impedance Abnormal	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	9	Lead Dislodgement	14
Failure To Capture	17	Unspecified	3



- Upper 95 Pct Confidence
- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

1	194	Attain OTV	V	
	US Market	Release		24-Aug-2004
	CE Approv	ral		14-Jul-2003
	Registered	d USA Implants		114,975
	Estimated	Active USA Implants	3	52,506
	Fixation Typ	ре		Double Curve
	Pace Sense	e Polarity		Bipolar
	Steroid Indi	cator		Yes

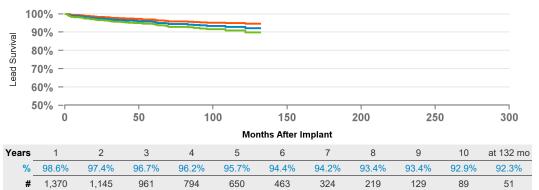
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US Acute Lead Observations	
Cardiac Perforation	2
Conductor Fracture	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	49
Failure To Capture	42
Failure To Sense	
Impedance Abnormal	9
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	151
Oversensing	2
Unspecified	4

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,633
Cumulative Months of Followup	84,281
Number of Leads Active in Study	366

#### Qualifying Complications

Conductor Fracture	2	Insulation Breach	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	11	Lead Dislodgement	29
Failure To Capture	19	Insulation Breach Esc	1



- Upper 95 Pct Confidence
- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

41	95	Attain StarFix		
	US Market I	Release	15-Aug-2008	
	CE Approva	al	13-May-2005	
	Registered	USA Implants	17,404	
	Estimated A	Active USA Implants	11,011	
	Fixation Typ	е	Deployable Lobe F	ixation
	Pace Sense	Polarity	Unipolar	
	Steroid India	ator	Yes	

# US Returned Product Analysis Conductor Fracture 7 Crimp Weld Bond Insulation Breach 2

US Acute Lead Observations	
Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	
Extracardiac Stimulation	30
Failure To Capture	21
Failure To Sense	
Impedance Abnormal	4
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	30
Oversensing	
Unspecified	1

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

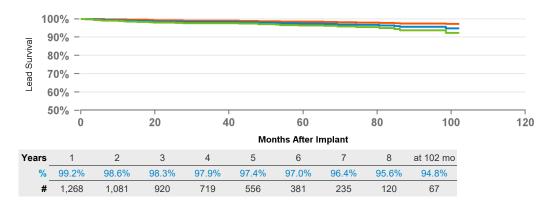
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,485
Cumulative Months of Followup	72,641
Number of Leads Active in Study	383

#### Qualifying Complications

Other

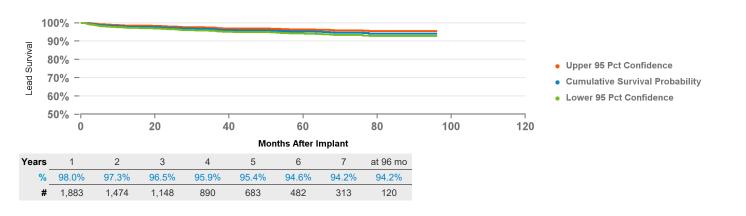
Conductor Fracture	4	Impedance Abnormal	2
Extracardiac Stimulation	12	Insulation Breach	5
Failure To Capture	6	Lead Dislodgement	5

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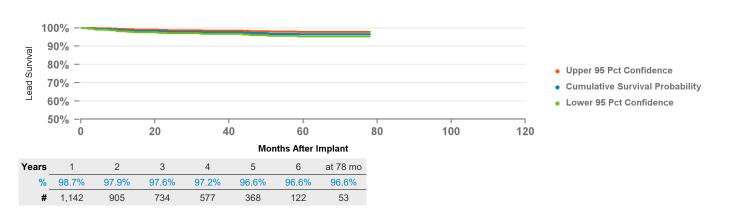


- Upper 95 Pct Confidence
- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

4196 Attain Ability					
US Market Release	15-May-2009	US Returned Product	Analys	is US Acute Lead	Observations
CE Approval	24-Jul-2007	Conductor Fracture		23 Cardiac Perforation	1 ;
Registered USA Implants	68,663	Crimp Weld Bond		Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	47,317	Insulation Breach		2 Extracardiac Stimu	
Fixation Type	Double Curve	Other		9 Failure To Capture	
Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar	Other		Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnorn	
				Insulation Breach	
				Lead Dislodgemen	t 209
				Oversensing	
				Unspecified	:
Product Surveillance Registry Results		Qualifying Complications		82	
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	2,276	Conductor Fracture	3	Impedance Abnormal	2
Cumulative Months of Followup	97,161	Extracardiac Stimulation		Insulation Breach	1
Number of Leads Active in Study	481	Failure To Capture	37	Lead Dislodgement	22
				Other Complication	3



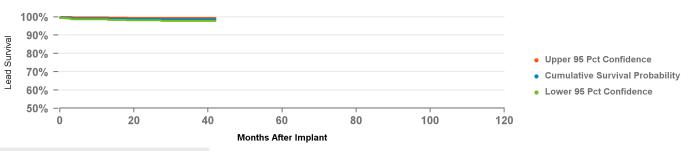
296 Attain Ability Plus					
US Market Release	01-Apr-2011	US Returned Product	Analysis	US Acute Lead Obse	vations
CE Approval	18-Dec-2009	Conductor Fracture	3	Cardiac Perforation	
Registered USA Implants	34,561	Crimp Weld Bond	2	Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	28,128	Insulation Breach	2	Extracardiac Stimulation	
Fixation Type	Double Curve	Other	5	Failure To Capture	
Pace Sense Polarity	<b>Dual Electrodes</b>	Other	3	Failure To Sense	•
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	
Steroid Indicator				Insulation Breach	
				Lead Dislodgement	1.
				Oversensing	
				Unspecified	
oduct Surveillance Registry Results		Qualifying Complications	34		
mber of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,446	Extracardiac Stimulation	12 Lead	Dislodgement	13
umulative Months of Followup	54,233	Failure To Capture	_	Complication	1
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516

Number of Leads Active in Study

298 Attain Performa					
US Market Release	01-Aug-2014	US Returned Product	Analysis	US Acute Lead Observ	ations
CE Approval	01-Jan-2013	Conductor Fracture	2	Cardiac Perforation	
Registered USA Implants	67,426	Crimp Weld Bond	_	Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	63,440	Insulation Breach		Extracardiac Stimulation	
Fixation Type	Double Curve	Other	13	Failure To Capture	
Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar	Guioi	10	Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	
				Insulation Breach	
				Lead Dislodgement	
				Oversensing	
				Unspecified	
oduct Surveillance Registry Results		<b>Qualifying Complications</b>	16		
mber of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,760	Extracardiac Stimulation	4 Lead Dis	slodgement	11



36,241

1,298

Years	1	2	3	at 42 mo
%	99.2%	98.8%	98.6%	98.6%
#	1.152	740	336	163

Cumulative Months of Followup

Number of Leads Active in Study

Other Complication

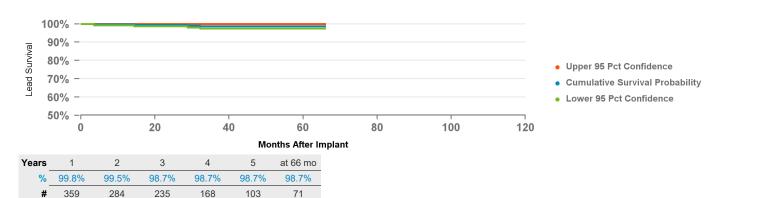
#### 4396 Attain Ability Straight 31-Mar-2011 **US Market Release US Returned Product Analysis US Acute Lead Observations** CE Approval 18-Dec-2009 Cardiac Perforation Conductor Fracture Registered USA Implants 7,859 Crimp Weld Bond Conductor Fracture Estimated Active USA Implants 6,272 Extracardiac Stimulation 18 Insulation Breach Fixation Type Tines Other Failure To Capture 11 Pace Sense Polarity **Dual Electrodes** Failure To Sense Steroid Indicator Yes Impedance Abnormal Insulation Breach Lead Dislodgement 34 Oversensing Unspecified

#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	459
Cumulative Months of Followup	17,107
Number of Leads Active in Study	195

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Failure To Capture 3 Lead Dislodgement

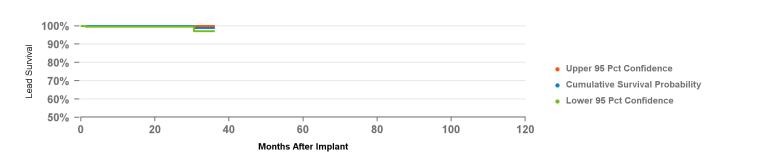


4398 Attain Perform	na Straight				
US Market Release	10-Dec-2014	US Returned Produc	t Analysis	US Acute Lead Observation	ons
CE Approval	01-Jan-2013	Conductor Fracture	2	Cardiac Perforation	3
Registered USA Implants	19,211	Crimp Weld Bond		Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	18,313	Insulation Breach		Extracardiac Stimulation	53
Fixation Type	Tines	Other	2	Failure To Capture	30
Pace Sense Polarity	Bipolar			Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	4
				Insulation Breach	
				Lead Dislodgement	15
				Oversensing	
				Unspecified	

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	886
Cumulative Months of Followup	11,376
Number of Leads Active in Study	730

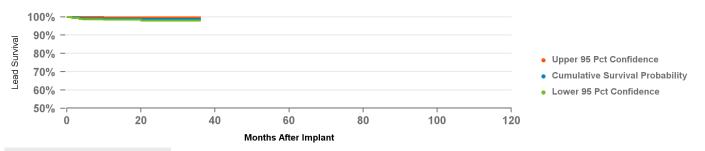
#### **Qualifying Complications**

Failure To Capture 2 Lead Dislodgement



Years	1	2	at 36 mo
%	99.8%	99.8%	99.0%
#	364	172	65

4598 Attain Performa S					
US Market Release	10-Dec-2014	US Returned Product	Analysis	US Acute Lead Observa	tions
CE Approval	01-Jan-2013	Conductor Fracture	4	Cardiac Perforation	
Registered USA Implants	35,848	Crimp Weld Bond	•	Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	34,241	Insulation Breach		Extracardiac Stimulation	5
Fixation Type	S-shape	Other	3	Failure To Capture	3
Pace Sense Polarity	Quad Pole	Outer		Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal	
				Insulation Breach	
				Lead Dislodgement	3
				Oversensing	
				Unspecified	
Product Surveillance Registry Results		Qualifying Complications	8		
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,045	Extracardiac Stimulation	2 Lead Dis	slodgement	5



Failure To Sense

16,732

827

Years	1	2	at 36 mo
%	99.1%	98.8%	98.8%
#	556	307	102

Cumulative Months of Followup

Number of Leads Active in Study

4965 CapSure	e Epi			
US Market Release	06-Sep-1996	US Returned Produc	t Analysis	US Acute Lead Observations
CE Approval	01-Jan-1993	Conductor Fracture	273	Cardiac Perforation
Registered USA Implants	23,292	Crimp Weld Bond	1	Conductor Fracture
Estimated Active USA Imp	ants 8,533	Insulation Breach	55	Extracardiac Stimulation
Fixation Type	Suture	Other		Failure To Capture
Pace Sense Polarity	Unipolar	Culoi		Failure To Sense
Steroid Indicator	Yes			Impedance Abnormal
				Insulation Breach
				Lead Dislodgement
				Oversensing

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	232
Cumulative Months of Followup	7,230
Number of Leads Active in Study	5

#### **Qualifying Complications**

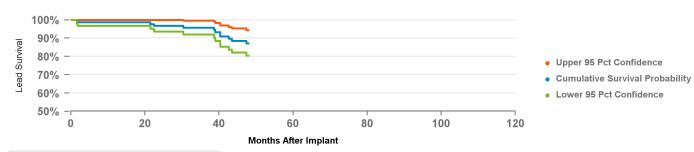
Conductor Fracture	9 Insulation Breach	1
Failure To Capture	3 Oversensing	2
Failure To Sense	1	

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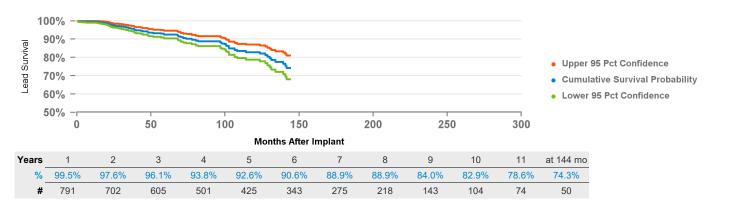
Years	1	2	3	at 48 mo
%	98.6%	96.8%	95.7%	87.1%
#	131	112	91	67

4968	CapSure Epi				
US Mark	et Release	16-Sep-1999	US Returned Produc	t Analysis	US Acute Lead Observations
CE Approval		21-Apr-1998	Conductor Fracture	97	Cardiac Perforation
Registered USA Implants		47,263	Crimp Weld Bond	0.	Conductor Fracture
Estimated Active USA Implants		29,121	Insulation Breach	51	Extracardiac Stimulation
Fixation Type Su		Suture	Other	1	Failure To Capture
Pace Sense Polarity Bip		Bipolar			Failure To Sense
Steroid Indicator		Yes			Impedance Abnormal
					Insulation Breach
					Lead Dislodgement
					Oversensing
					Unspecified

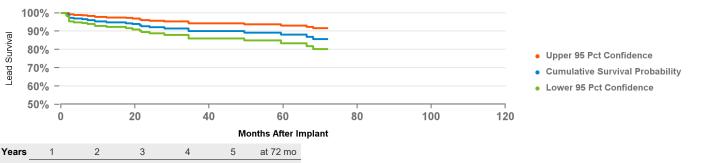
Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	1,015
Cumulative Months of Followup	57,407
Number of Leads Active in Study	248

#### **Qualifying Complications**

Conductor Fracture	25	Impedance Abnormal	5
Extracardiac Stimulation	2	Insulation Breach	3
Failure To Capture	28	Oversensing	24
Failure To Sense	3	Other Complication	1



71 Screw-in					
US Market Release	03-Dec-1992	US Returned Product	Analysis	US Acute Lead	Observations
CE Approval	01-Jan-1993	Conductor Fracture	24	Cardiac Perforation	
Registered USA Implants	53,859	Crimp Weld Bond		Conductor Fracture	
Estimated Active USA Implants	16,928	Insulation Breach	2	Extracardiac Stimul	
Fixation Type	Fixed Screw	Other	1	Failure To Capture	
Pace Sense Polarity	Unipolar	Other	1	Failure To Sense	
Steroid Indicator None				Impedance Abnorm	nal
				Insulation Breach	iai
				Lead Dislodgement	
				· ·	L
				Oversensing	
				Unspecified	
roduct Surveillance Registry Results		Qualifying Complications	31		
umber of Leads Enrolled in Study	442	Conductor Fracture	3 Imped	ance Abnormal	1
umulative Months of Followup	12,945	Extracardiac Stimulation	1 Lead [	Dislodgement	1
umber of Leads Active in Study	102	Failure To Capture	20 Overs	ensing	2
		Failure To Sense	2 Other	Complication	1



Years	1	2	3	4	5	at 72 mo
%	95.3%	92.2%	90.1%	90.1%	88.2%	85.8%
#	231	173	137	107	73	52

503	38	CapSure \	/DD-2	
	US Market R	elease		10-Sep-1998
	CE Approval			15-Apr-1997
	Registered U	JSA Implants		10,288
	Estimated A	ctive USA Implant	s	3,690
1	Fixation Type			Tines

#### **US Returned Product Analysis**

Conductor Fracture	8
Crimp Weld Bond	
Insulation Breach	2
Other	

#### **US Acute Lead Observations**

Cardiac Perforation	
Conductor Fracture	
Extracardiac Stimulation	1
Failure To Capture	2
Failure To Sense	1
Impedance Abnormal	
Insulation Breach	
Lead Dislodgement	6
Oversensing	1
Unspecified	

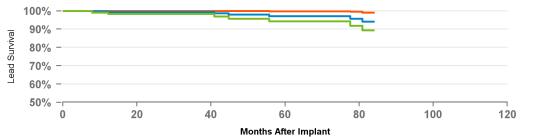
#### **Product Surveillance Registry Results**

Pace Sense Polarity

Steroid Indicator

Number of Leads Enrolled in Study	568
Cumulative Months of Followup	15,765
Number of Leads Active in Study	4

# Qualifying Complications8Conductor Fracture3Failure To Capture2Failure To Sense3



Quadripolar

Yes

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Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	at 84 mo
%	99.7%	99.3%	99.3%	97.9%	97.0%	97.0%	94.1%
#	292	222	164	134	106	77	55

Upper 95 Pct Confidence

- Cumulative Survival Probability
- Lower 95 Pct Confidence

#### **ICD and CRT-D Charge Time Performance**

Medtronic continues its commitment to providing updated information on charge time performance.

#### Introduction

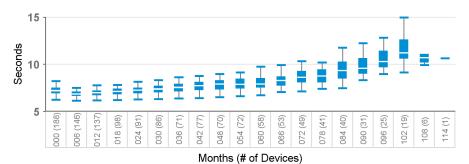
Information on charge time performance of Medtronic products is presented in this section of the CRHF Product Performance Report. Medtronic implemented the collection of charge time data on July 1, 1999. The data are collected via our ongoing active clinical study of long-term system performance called the Product Surveillance Registry. The study protocol requests device data be routinely taken and sent to Medtronic at no more than 6-month intervals.

In our analysis performed for this report, only charge times resulting from full energy charges are considered. To ensure consistent reporting across devices, the charge time reported at implant represents the last charge time available from date of implant. When more than one charge time is available in a 6-month interval, a conservative approach has been adopted whereby only the maximum charge time in each 6-month interval is reported. As charge time is directly proportional to the time elapsed since the last capacitor reformation, charges occurring within 15 days of a previous charge are excluded. This precludes the reporting of overly optimistic results.

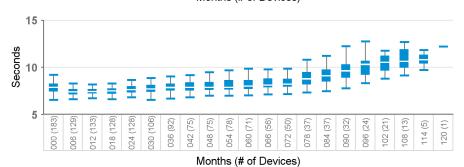
Data from over 20,000 devices contribute to the charge time data in this report. By tracking and reporting this charge time data, Medtronic is able to ascertain the actual performance of its charging circuitry. The insight gained through this information is applied to Medtronic's ongoing efforts to provide charge times that are short and consistent over the life of the product.

Charge time data for ICD and CRT-D models are presented using boxplots at 6-month intervals. The shaded box on the plots represents the middle half of the data – the Interquartile Range (IQR). The white line in the middle of each box is the median charge time. The top of the box representing the IQR is the third quartile or the 75th percentile (i.e., 75% of all charge times fall below this line), whereas the bottom of the box represents the first quartile or the 25th percentile. Vertical lines are drawn from the quartiles to the farthest value not more than 1.5 times the interquartile range. Any values more extreme than the vertical lines are considered outliers.

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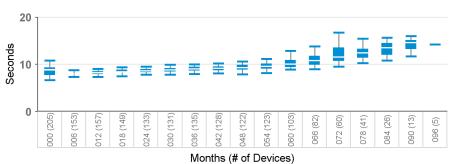


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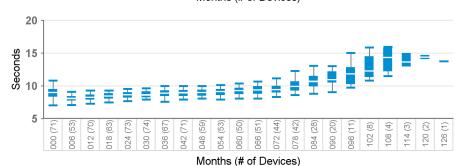
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D154ATG	Entrust AT



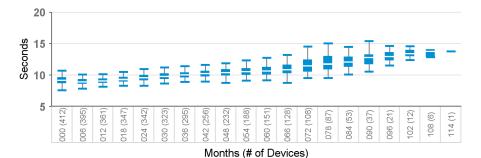
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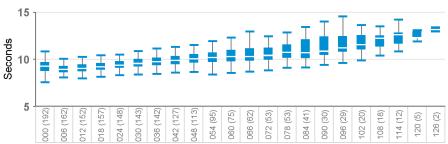
#### **D154AWG, D164AWG**

Model Number	Brand
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D164AWG	Virtuoso DR



#### **D154VWC, D164VWC**

Model Number	Brand
D154VWC	Virtuoso VR
D164VWC	Virtuoso VR



#### D204DRM, D214DRM, D224DRG, D234DRG

Model Number	Brand
D204DRM	Secura DR
D214DRM	Secura DR
D224DRG	Secura DR
D234DRG	Secura DR

#### D204TRM, D214TRM, D224TRK, D234TRK

Model Number	Brand
D204TRM	Consulta CRT-D
D214TRM	Consulta CRT-D
D224TRK	Consulta CRT-D
D234TRK	Consulta CRT-D

# D204VRM, D214VRM, D224VRC, D234VRC

Model Number	Brand
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D214VRM	Secura VR
D224VRC	Secura VR
D234VRC	Secura VR

#### D264DRG, D284DRG, D384DRx, D394DRx

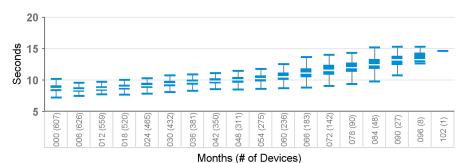
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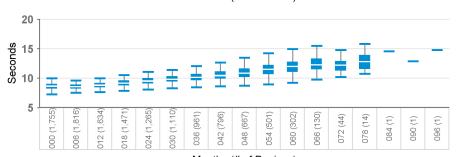
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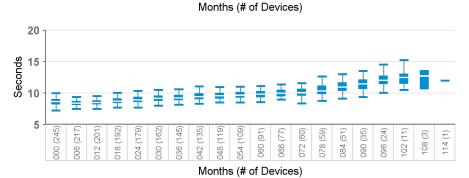
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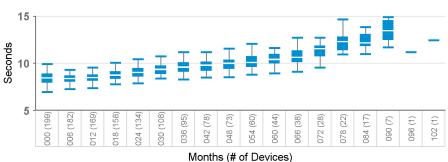
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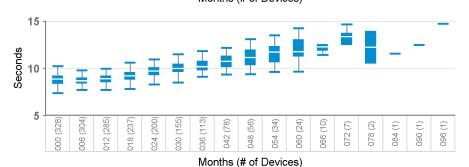
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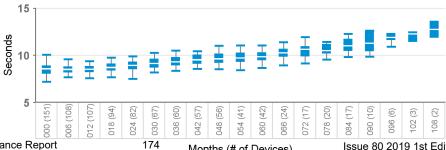






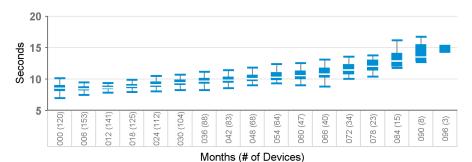






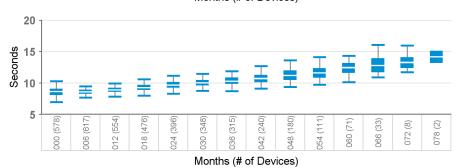
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Model Number	Brand
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D294DRG	Virtuoso II DR



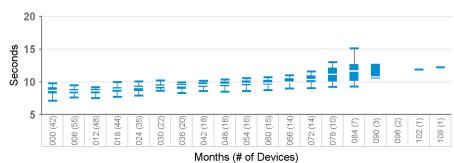
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Model Number	Brand
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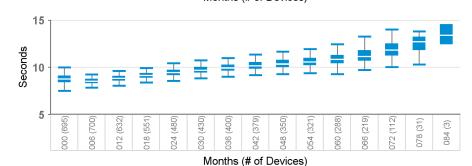
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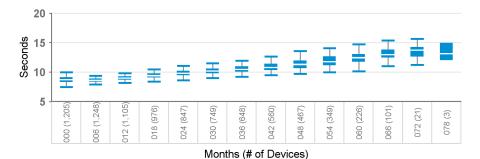
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Model Number	Brand
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D314DRM	Protecta XT DR



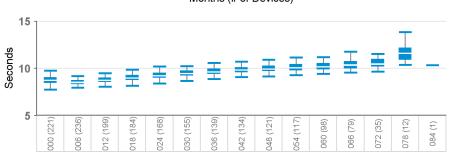
#### D314TRx

Model Number	Brand
D314TRG	Protecta XT CRT-D
D31/TRM	Protecta XT CRT-D



#### D314VRx

Model Number	Brand
D314VRG	Protecta XT VR
D314VRM	Protecta XT VR



#### D334DRx, D364DRx

Model Number	Brand
D334DRG	Protecta DR
D334DRM	Protecta DR
D364DRG	Protecta DR
D364DRM	Protecta DR

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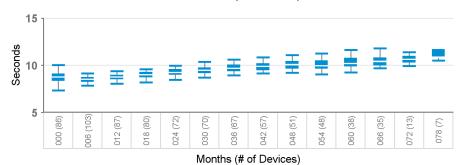
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D364TRM	Protecta CRT-D



#### D334VRx, D364VRx

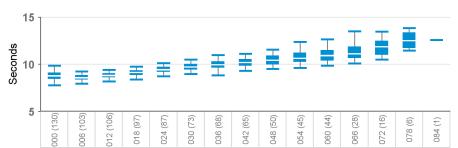
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#### Months (# of Devices)



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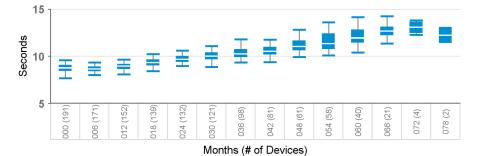
Model Number	Brand
D354DRG	Protecta XT DR
D354DRM	Protecta XT DR



#### D354TRx

Model Number	Brand
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Months (# of Devices)



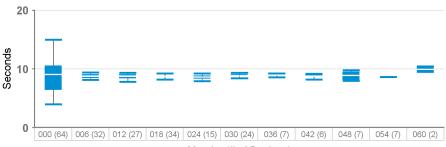
#### D354VRx

Model Number	Brand
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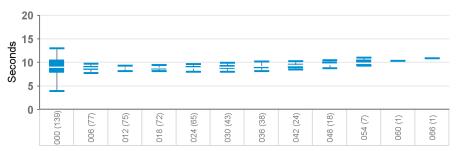


#### DDxxxxx, DR

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DDBB1D1	Evera XT
DDBB1D4	Evera XT
DDBB2D1	Evera XT
DDBB2D4	Evera XT
DDBC3D1	Evera S
DDBC3D4	Evera S
DDMB1D1	Evera MRI XT
DDMB1D4	Evera MRI XT
DDMB2D1	Evera MRI XT
DDMB2D4	Evera MRI XT
DDMC3D1	Evera MRI S
DDMC3D4	Evera MRI



DTxxxxx, CR	T-D
Model Number	Brand
DTBA1D1	Viva XT
DTBA1D4	Viva XT
DTBA1Q1	Viva Quad XT
DTBA1QQ	Viva Quad XT
DTBA2D1	Viva XT
DTBA2D4	Viva XT
DTBA2Q1	Viva Quad XT
DTBA2QQ	Viva Quad XT
DTBB1D1	Viva S
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DTBC2D4	Brava
DTBC2Q1	Brava Quad
DTBC2QQ	Brava Quad
DTBX1QQ	Viva Quad C
DTBX2QQ	Viva Quad C
DTMA1D1	Claria MRI
DTMA1D4	Claria MRI
DTMA1Q1	Claria MRI
DTMA1QQ	Claria MRI
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DTMB1Q1	Amplia MRI
DTMB1QQ	Amplia MRI
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DTMB2D4	Amplia MRI
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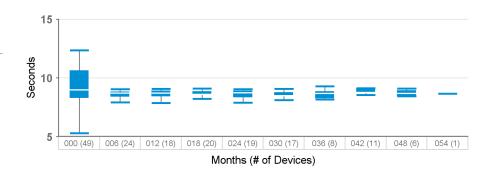
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DVxxxxx, VR			
Model Number	Brand		
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DVAB1D4	Visia AF		
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DVAC3D1	Visia AF S		
DVBB1D1	Evera XT		
DVBB1D4	Evera XT		
DVBB2D1	Evera XT		
DVBB2D4	Evera XT		
DVBC3D1	Evera S		
DVBC3D4	Evera S		
DVFB1D1	Visia MRI AF		
DVFB1D4	Visia MRI AF		
DVFB2D1	Visia MRI AF XT		
DVFB2D4	Visia MRI AF XT		
DVFC3D1	Visia MRI AF S		
DVFC3D4	Visia MRI AF S		
DVMB1D4	Evera MRI XT		
DVMB2D4	Evera MRI XT		
DVMC3D1	Evera MRI S		

Evera MRI S

DVMC3D4



# **Dual Chamber IPG Circuit Error**

Adapta, Versa, Sensia, Relia, Attesta, Sphera, and Vitatron A, E, G, Q series

# Original Date of Advisory: January 2019

#### **Product**

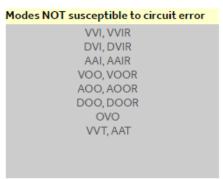
A subset of Medtronic dual chamber pacemakers distributed worldwide between 10 March 2017 and 7 January 2019 under the brand names Adapta<sup>TM</sup>, Versa<sup>TM</sup>, Sensia<sup>TM</sup>, Relia<sup>TM</sup>, Attesta<sup>TM</sup>, Sphera<sup>TM</sup>, and Vitatron<sup>TM</sup> A, E, G, Q series may experience a circuit error that affects device functionality. Please note that not all devices within these brand names are affected by this recall. You may use the "Search for Information by Serial Number" tool on home page of this web site to determine if a specific device is affected.

## **Advisory**

Devices in the affected subset, when programmed to a dual chamber mode with atrial-sensing, may experience a circuit error that affects device functionality. See Table 1 for modes that are susceptible to this circuit error. For this error to occur, a unique combination of events must take place while the device is processing an atrial-sensed event. If this error occurs, the device will be unable to provide pacing until a ventricular-sensed event (VS) is detected. Once a VS is detected, normal pacing functionality is restored immediately. If a VS is not detected, the device will withhold both atrial and ventricular pacing. In addition, until a VS is detected, the device will be unable to initiate a session with a programmer, initiate a session with a CareLink $^{\text{TM}}$  remote monitor, or respond to a magnet. Single chamber and dual chamber pacing modes that do not sense atrial activity are not susceptible to this circuit error (see Table 1).

Table 1:Identification of modes susceptible/not susceptible to circuit error

# Modes susceptible to circuit error DDD, DDDR DDI, DDIR VDD ADI, ADIR VDI, VDIR ODO OAO MVP - when operating in DDD, DDDR, DDI or DDIR mode



Through 4 January 2019, Medtronic is aware of four (4) reported occurrences in two (2) patients where a pause in pacing therapy was clinically apparent due to this circuit error. These reported events occurred in three (3) devices from a total of 156,957devices sold worldwide. No deaths have been reported as a result of this issue.

Patient risk is determined by the patient's underlying cardiac rhythm and whether the device is in a susceptible pacing mode as described above. Through our analysis of this issue, Medtronic estimates that on average, a device in a susceptible pacing mode has a 2.8% chance per month of experiencing a pacing pause of 1.5 seconds or longer. Risk is minimized in patients who have an escape rhythm adequate to prevent syncope during a loss of ventricular pacing, since a VS restores full device functionality. No risk of a pause due to this circuit error exists for patients programmed to a non-susceptible pacing mode.

The root cause for this issue is related to a design change to an integrated circuit in a subset of devices that were distributed between 10 March 2017 and 7 January 2019.

Medtronic is developing a software update that can be installed into affected devices to correct this issue. Medtronic estimates submission of this software update to regulatory agencies by the 2nd half of 2019. Upon subsequent regulatory approval, Medtronic will notify customers of its availability. Until that time, Medtronic is providing the patient management recommendations described below and depicted in Appendix A.

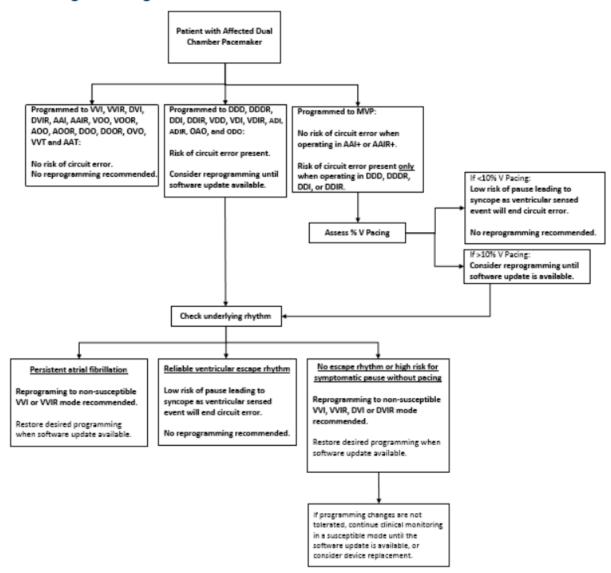
# Patient Management Recommendations

We realize that each patient requires unique clinical considerations. In consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel (IPQP), **Medtronic recommends programming to a non-susceptible pacing mode as the primary mitigation for patients implanted with an affected device until the software update has been installed.** Specific patient risk assessment and programming recommendations are outlined below and provided in Appendix A.

- For patients whose device is programmed to a non-susceptible mode (see Table 1), no action is needed at this time. Continue routine clinical monitoring.
- For patients whose device is programmed to a susceptible mode and are continually in persistent atrial fibrillation, reprogramming the device to the non-susceptible VVI or VVIR mode is recommended to eliminate risk due to this issue until the software update has been installed. Continue routine clinical monitoring.
- For patients whose device is programmed to a susceptible mode and either: have no underlying ventricular escape rhythm; or are at risk for a symptomatic pause until a ventricular escape beat occurs, programming to a nonsusceptible mode is recommended to eliminate risk due to this issue until the software update has been installed. Continue routine clinical monitoring.
- For patients who do not tolerate programming to a non-susceptible pacing mode and either: have no underlying ventricular escape rhythm; or are at risk for a symptomatic pause until a ventricular escape beat occurs, continue clinical monitoring in a susceptible mode until the software update is available, or consider device replacement.
- o The estimated per patient mortality risk due to this issue is 0.021% when programmed to a susceptible pacing mode over the estimated time until the software update becomes available. This risk is comparable to the Medtronic estimated per-patient mortality risk associated with a device replacement (0.027%) \*.
- o If a patient reports symptoms consistent with a pacing pause, and you would like assistance assessing whether a patient had a pause due to this issue, contact your Medtronic representative.
- Advise patients remaining in a susceptible mode to seek immediate medical attention if they experience new or unexpected symptoms consistent with a pacing pause.
- Other than reprogramming to a non-susceptible pacing mode, no additional programming options have been identified to mitigate this issue.

<sup>\*</sup>Medtronic Data on File. MDT2260884-CRHF CIED Infection Report; MRCS: MDT2260884, Version 2.0, 11/02/2015.

# Appendix A: Programming decision flow chart



# Potential Loss of High Voltage and ATP Therapy

# EnTrust® and Escudo® VR/DR/AT ICDs

# Original Date of Advisory: June 2018

#### **Product**

All models of EnTrust and Escudo VR/DR/AT ICDs devices.

#### **Advisory**

EnTrust and Escudo implantable cardioverter defibrillators (ICDs) have the potential for loss of high voltage and antitachycardia pacing therapy as they near elective replacement indicator (ERI) voltage. Under certain circumstances, the device may display an immediate End of Life (EOL) Observation with no prior ERI alert. Though no ERI alert is triggered, there may not be enough remaining battery capacity to charge the high voltage circuits, resulting in an excessive charge time EOL Observation (refer to Image 1), leading to a loss of high voltage and anti-tachycardia pacing therapy. Bradycardia therapies will continue to operate as expected.

Through June 15, 2018, Medtronic confirmed 25 charge timeout events related to this issue, with no (0) patient deaths or complications. All events occurred during routine capacitor formation or in-clinic charge testing. Twenty-one (21) events occurred with no ERI alert; four (4) events followed an ERI alert. Time from implant to the devices experiencing the issue ranges from 7.9 - 11.7 years.

EnTrust and Escudo ICDs were last manufactured in 2010. Approximately 25,000 sold devices globally are in-scope of this advisory. As of June 2018, an estimated 2,770 of those devices remained actively implanted worldwide (209 confirmed as active in the U.S.). The rate of occurrence in remaining active devices is estimated to be 0.00098 in single chamber ICDs and 0.00005 in dual chamber devices.

# **Patient Management Recommendations**

We realize that each patient requires unique clinical considerations. In consultation with the Independent Physician Quality Panel, Medtronic recommends the following actions:

- Consider scheduling an in-office patient follow-up as soon as possible to assess the potential for this issue per the steps described below.
- Ensure the Excessive Charge Time EOL...and the Low Battery Voltage ERI... Patient Alerts have been programmed to "On-High" (Refer to Image 2).
- Instruct patients to contact your office if they hear device alert tones. Consider utilizing the "Demonstrate Tones..." function to ensure patients recognize the audible tone.
- If this issue has occurred, an "EOL: replace device immediately" Observation will be displayed on the QuickLook report. Schedule device replacement immediately.

Additionally, Medtronic recommends the following actions to help ensure patient safety and effective high voltage therapy remain as the device battery voltage approaches its 2.61V ERI threshold.

# If Battery Voltage ≤ 2.64V:

Prophylactic device replacement should be strongly considered since the device is near its elective replacement and additional programming would provide only minimal additional months of service. For patients for whom it is determined that delaying replacement is clinically desirable, contact Medtronic Technical Services.

# If Battery Voltage > 2.64V:

Step 1: If the Auto-Cap Formation Interval is set to "Auto", reprogram the value to "6" (Refer to Image 3).

Change from an "Auto" value to a fixed numeric value will ensure that an excessive charge time will trigger an audible patient alert.

Step 2: Conduct an in-clinic manual high voltage charge in "Tests - Charge/Dump" (Refer to Image 4a).

DO NOT Dump the Test Charge as it will dissipate on its own and allow for capacitor reformation to occur.

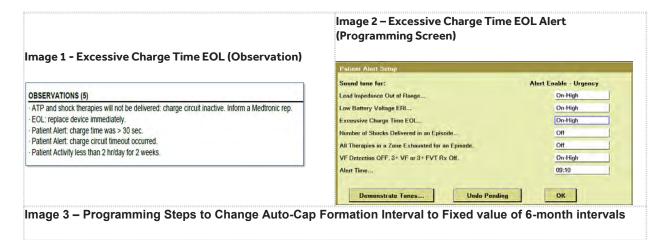
Step 3: Retrieve Data after the Test Charge (Refer to Image 4b)

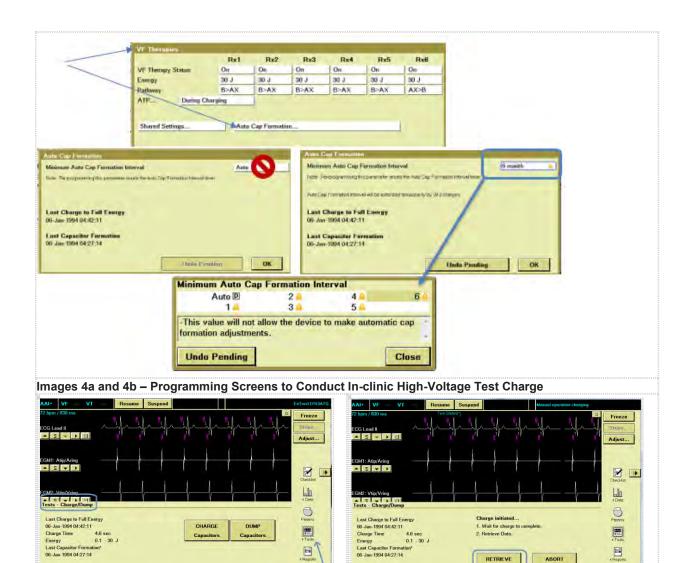
- If Charge Time is less than 16 seconds, no further action is required. Continue with routine follow-up per clinic practice (recommend 3-month follow-up sessions per labeling).
- If Charge Time is 16 seconds or longer, or an "EOL" Observation is displayed, schedule device replacement immediately.

# **Status Update**

As of April 18, 2019, there have been 31 confirmed events related to this issue. An estimated 1,200 remain active WW with less than 50 in the US.

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# **Potential for Device Reset**

# Percepta<sup>™</sup> CRT-P MRI SureScan<sup>™</sup> and Percepta<sup>™</sup> Quad CRT-P MRI SureScan<sup>™</sup>

# Original Date of Advisory: June 2018

#### **Product**

All models of Percepta and Percepta Quad CRT-P devices.

#### **Advisory**

Percepta and Percepta Quad CRT-P devices have the potential for a device reset to occur due to a timing interaction between the EffectivCRT™ Diagnostic and the Ventricular Safety Pacing feature (VSP). When an AP-VS interval measures 100-109ms during a short, nightly device check, a single reset is generated. This reset produces a non-programmable, wireless CareAlert™, but does not alter device therapy. If the device experiences more than five resets due to this timing sequence between in-clinic device interrogations, a full reset (sometimes referred to as a power on reset) will occur. By design, a full reset automatically reverts device operation to RV-only pacing at VVI/65 until the next programmer session is conducted – at which time the full reset condition can be cleared, and the device can be reprogrammed to its prior settings.

A Software update, Application SW040 Version 8.1, is available for installation onto all CareLink™ Model 2090 and Encore™ programmers to eliminate this issue. Once installed on a programmer, an in-clinic device interrogation will update the patient's device automatically to prevent this timing interaction from generating a reset. No changes to programmed device functionality will occur as a result of this device update.

No other Medtronic pacemaker, ICD, CRT-D or CRT-P device models are susceptible to this issue.

# Status Update April 2019

As of April 2019, a Software update, Application SW040 Version 8.1, has been deployed onto all CareLink™ Model 2090 and Encore™ programmers to eliminate this issue. Once installed on a programmer, an in-clinic device interrogation will update the patient's device automatically to prevent this timing interaction from generating a reset. No changes to programmed device functionality will occur as a result of this device update.

If the Patient Management guidance provided below is followed, no additional resets due to this timing interaction will occur.

# **Patient Management Recommendations**

In consultation with the Independent Physician Quality Panel, Medtronic recommends the following actions:

- The updated Percepta CRT-P Application Software (SW040 Version 8.1) has been fully deployed worldwide onto Medtronic 2090 and Encore programmers.
- For a patient whose Percepta CRT-P device has experienced a Reset Alert or Observation:

Consider scheduling an in-clinic device interrogation as soon as possible for the patient's device to receive the automatic update.

• For a patient whose Percepta CRT-P device has not experienced a Reset Alert or Observation:

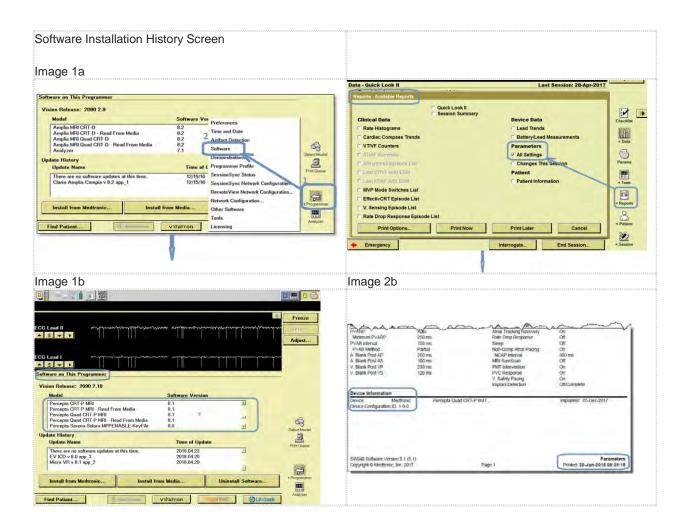
At their next scheduled in-clinic device interrogation, the patient's device will receive the automatic update.

#### How to verify a patient's device has received the software update:

- Ensure the programmer has been updated to Percepta Application Software "Version 8.1" by viewing the software installation history under the Programmer Icon; Refer to Image 1a and 1b.
- Interrogate the patient's device; Print the Parameters Report Verify the Device ID listed at the bottom of the printout displays "Device Configuration ID: 1-0-0" or "Device Configuration ID: 1-1-0; Refer to Images 2a and 2b.
- If the Parameters Report does not display the new Device ID number, verify that the correct software application has already been installed (SW040 Version 8.1).
- If the programmer has not been updated, install Software Application SW040 Version 8.1 and re-interrogate the patient's device.
- If the programmer has been updated and the Device Configuration ID is not 1-0-0 or1-1-0, the patient's device
  was unable to successfully receive the update. Contact Medtronic Technical Services for additional
  instructions.

If you have any questions, please contact your local Medtronic Representative or Medtronic Technical Services at 800-723-4636.

#### PROGRAMMER USER SCREENS



# Potential Loss of Device Functionality Lower Risk Subset

# Amplia, Claria, Compia, and Viva CRT-D, and Evera and Visia ICD Original Date of Advisory: March 2018

#### Product

In January 2018, Medtronic completed notification to physicians about a subset of 48 Medtronic Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy Defibrillators (CRT-Ds) and Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillators (ICDs) underwent a specific sequence of manufacturing processes that could result in an unexpected loss of device functionality, including high-voltage therapy.

Within this Lower-Risk Subset of 752 devices, if the device delivered the maximum number of shocks until battery depletion, we estimate 0.5% of these devices would experience arcing during high voltage charging, with failure occurring within the first two (2) high-voltage charges in 0.18% of the devices. See table below for comparison of device subsets.

Through 8 March 2018, there have been zero (0) complaints related to internal arcing in these 752 devices. While the risk for failure is lower in this group of devices, it is not possible to identify which of these 752 devices may fail or when they may fail. Successful delivery of previous high-voltage therapy does not ensure future performance.

You may use the "Search for Information by Serial Number" tool at http://wwwp.medtronic.com/productperformance/ to determine if a specific device is affected.

#### Table - Device Subsets

Table Device Subsets				
January 2018 48 Implanted Higher-Risk Devices	March 2018 752 Lower-Risk Devices			
One field failure has been observed with no deaths reported	No field failures have been observed			
7.7% of these devices are projected to fail during the first two high-voltage charges	0.18% of these devices are projected to fail during the first two high-voltage charges			
Medtronic communicated a recommendation to strongly consider prophylactic replacement in these devices.	Patient management recommendations follow below.			

#### Patient Management Recommendations - Lower Risk Subset

We realize that each patient requires unique clinical considerations. In consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel (IPQP), Medtronic provides the following recommendations to physicians for patients who have been implanted with one of the identified devices:

- Prophylactic device replacement should be considered for patients at higher risk, including patients whose clinical history indicates prior need for high-voltage therapy and/or for pacemaker-dependent patients.
- Physicians should carefully weigh the risks and benefits of device replacement. The estimated per patient risk for mortality due to this issue is 0.02% to 0.04% considering the risk of device failure and the likelihood of a patient requiring high voltage therapy. This is comparable to the estimated per patient mortality risk of complications associated with a device replacement (0.04%)[1],(ii).
- For patients in whom it is determined that replacement is not warranted:
  - Consider programming changes to reduce the potential for high-voltage charges associated with arrhythmia detection and therapies, such as enabling ATP before charging for fast ventricular rhythms or programming a separate fast VT via VF zone with ATP. For assistance with patient-specific programming needs, contact Medtronic Technical Services at 800-723-4636.
  - O Continue three-month in-clinic or remote follow-ups to verify device functionality. Inability to interrogate a device or a failed remote monitoring transmission may be an indication that internal arcing has occurred.

- Devices that have failed will not send an alert as telemetry and all device functionality is immediately lost if internal arcing occurs.
- O Advise patients to seek medical attention immediately if they experience new or unexpected symptoms suspicious for a ventricular arrhythmia.

# **Status Update**

Within the 752 lower-risk devices, there have been zero confirmed failures (0%) through April 18, 2019. An estimated 535 devices remain active

		Active Population	Current Malfunction Rate (confirmed malfunctions over total population)
<b>752</b> Worldwide (all in USA, Puerto Rico or US Virgin Islands.)	0	535	<b>0%</b> Worldwide

Medtronic Data on File. MDT2260884-CRHF CIED Infection Report; MRCS: MDT2260884, Version 2.0, 11/02/2015.

Birnie, D et al. Complications associated with defibrillation threshold testing: The Canadian experience. Heart Rhythm, Volume 5, Issue 3, Pages 387-390.

# Potential Loss of Device Functionality

# Amplia, Claria, Compia, and Viva CRT-D, and Evera and Visia ICD

# Original Date of Advisory: January 2018

#### Product

A subset of 48 Medtronic Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy Defibrillators (CRT-Ds) and Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillators (ICDs) underwent a specific sequence of manufacturing processes that could result in an unexpected loss of device functionality, including high-voltage therapy. You may use the "Search for Information by Serial Number" tool on home page of this web site to determine if a specific device is affected. No other Medtronic devices are included in this advisory.

# **Advisory**

These 48 devices were sent through a manufacturing sequence that introduced the potential for internal arcing during highvoltage charging, leading to the immediate and permanent loss of device functionality. Through 12 January 2018, Medtronic has confirmed one (1) implanted device failure resulting in loss of high-voltage therapy related to this issue, where the patient was rescued with external defibrillation.

Due to the nature of this issue, it is not possible to identify which of these 48 devices may fail or when they may fail. Further, we cannot predict how many high-voltage charges can occur prior to a potential failure. Based on testing of a limited number of available devices that underwent this manufacturing sequence, this failure was observed during high-voltage cycle testing to battery depletion in 23% of these devices, with failure observed within the first two (2) high-voltage charges in 7.7% of the tested devices. Successful delivery of previous high-voltage therapy does not guarantee future performance.

#### **Patient Management Recommendations**

We realize that each patient requires unique clinical considerations. In consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel (IPQP), Medtronic provides the following recommendation:

 Prophylactic device replacement should be strongly considered for patients who have been implanted with one of the devices in the affected subset.

# **Status Update**

Within the 48 devices, there has been 1 confirmed failure (2.1%) through April 18,2019. An estimated 7 devices remain active.

	,	Population	Current Malfunction Rate (confirmed malfunctions over total population)
<b>48</b> Worldwide (all USA)	1	7	<b>2.1%</b> Worldwide

# Potential Loss of Left Ventricle Pacing Due to Software Issue

All models of Claria MRI CRT-D SureScan and Amplia MRI CRT-D SureScan devices.

# Original Date of Advisory: December 2016

#### Product

All models of Claria MRI CRT-D SureScan and Amplia MRI CRT-D SureScan devices.

#### Status Update April 2019

Medtronic has obtained the necessary regulatory approvals worldwide of a programmer software update (SW034 Software Version 8.2) to correct this software issue in the devices. In addition, as previously described in the original advisory letter, the software update also addresses a transient mode switch behavior that may occur in MRI Quadripolar CRT-D device models (Claria  $MRI^{TM}$ , Amplia  $MRI^{TM}$  and Compia  $MRI^{TM}$ ). Deployment of the software is complete worldwide.

Any devices not yet corrected will be corrected automatically at the next in-clinic device interrogation. If you have any questions, or if we can be of further assistance, please contact your local Medtronic Representative or Medtronic Technical Services at 800-723-4636.

### **Original Advisory**

Due to a device software issue, a loss of Left Ventricle (LV) pacing occurs following a specific device programming sequence. If it occurs, this issue can be corrected by re-programming the device. All tachyarrhythmia detection and therapy features remain fully operational.

A software update is being developed to address this issue. Further information will be communicated once the software update receives applicable regulatory approvals.

All models of Claria MRI and Amplia MRI devices are included in the affected population. This issue can only occur in devices that have been programmed from Managed Ventricular Pacing (MVP) mode to a pacing mode with AdaptivCRT enabled.

When a patient with AdaptivCRT enabled (shipped setting) is subsequently programmed to MVP mode and then reprogrammed back to DDD or DDDR, AdaptivCRT is not re-enabled. When this programming sequence occurs, LV pacing is not delivered, despite parameters indicating AdaptivCRT is enabled. This will result in RV only pacing, which may be undesirable for the patient. LV pacing will remain disabled until a specific programming sequence is manually completed; refer to the Patient Management section below for details.

Through 10 November 2016, two events have been reported to Medtronic related to this issue. A review of available data revealed an overall occurrence rate of 0.38%. **Medtronic has not received any reports of patient injury related to this issue.** 

### **Original Patient Management Recommendations**

After consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel, Medtronic offers the following options for managing patients with a device that may be susceptible to the AdaptivCRT/MVP interaction.

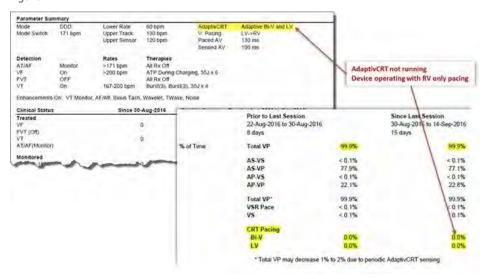
Until the software update has been approved and the affected device models receive the update, follow the programming recommendations provided below. These recommendations also apply to any new device implants.

At the patient's next scheduled CareLink transmission or in-office follow-up, identify if the patient's device
is operating with AdaptivCRT enabled and loss of LV-pacing. Continue this practice for all subsequent
device evaluations until the software update has been implemented.

Using CareLink or Programmer interrogation session reports:

- If the CRT setting is currently programmed to Adaptive Bi-V and LV or Adaptive Bi-V (Figure 1), review rate histogram CRT Pacing percentages (CRT Pacing: Bi-V and LV).
- If Bi-V and LV pacing percentages Since Last Session are both near 0%, then the device has encountered the programming sequence and has lost LV pacing; proceed to step 2.

Figure 1



## 2. For patients identified with loss of LV pacing:

Perform the following programming steps to restore the device to its expected operating state with AdaptivCRT enabled:

- Select the CRT parameter window, select Nonadaptive CRT, and select PROGRAM.
- Select the CRT parameter window, select the desired AdaptivCRT setting (Adaptive Bi-V and LV or Adaptive Bi-V), and select PROGRAM.

# Until the software update is available, follow the programming steps above to avoid the loss of LV pacing.

As part of the software update previously mentioned, Medtronic will also address an unrelated transient mode switch behavior that may occur in MRI Quadripolar CRT-D device models (Claria MRI, Amplia MRI and Compia MRI). The mode switch behavior is unrelated to ventricular tachyarrhythmia detection and therapies. This behavior only occurs when a VectorExpress<sup>TM</sup> Test is started, but then aborts due to a fast or unstable rate, or due to a manual user abort (i.e., manually selecting STOP Test). Under these scenarios, the device remains in the transient mode switch state until any of the following occur:

- An automatic Atrial Capture Management™ (ACM) pacing threshold search,
- An automatic delivery of any ATP or shock therapy, or
- An in-office follow-up activity, such as a pacing parameter programming or conducting one of the following inoffice tests: Sensing, Threshold, Underlying Rhythm, or CardioSync™. A "Test Started" indication is sufficient
  to clear the transient state.

Through 10 November 2016, Medtronic has not received any field reports or complaints of this transient mode switch behavior

If you have any questions, please contact your local Medtronic Representative or Medtronic Technical Services at 800-723-4636.

# Potential Rapid Battery Depletion Due To Circuit Component

Viva<sup>™</sup> CRT-D and Evera<sup>™</sup> ICD

# Original Date of Advisory: August 2016

#### Product

A specific subset of 78 Viva CRT-D and Evera ICD may experience rapid battery depletion due to a low resistance path developing within a circuit component. You may use the "Search for Information by Serial Number" tool at http://wwwp.medtronic.com/productperformance to determine if a specific device is affected.

#### **Advisory**

Devices in the affected population may experience rapid battery depletion due to a low resistance path developing within a circuit component. This is not related to a failure within the battery.

Development of a low resistance path in the circuit component in some cases has been reported to cause battery depletion in seven (7) days or less and may present clinically during a patient follow-up visit as:

- One or more electrical resets, which will display as an observation on the programmer.
- No pacing or defibrillation therapy output.
- No telemetry.
- Programmer screen display of "SERIOUS DEVICE MEMORY FAILURE."

Patient audible alerts and CareAlerts™ may not reliably notify the patient or clinician, due to this issue.

Reported complications have included shortness of breath, pocket heating, low heart rate, and early device explant.

## **Patient Management Recommendations**

We realize that each patient requires unique clinical consideration and we support your judgment in caring for your patients. After consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel, Medtronic offers the following options for managing patients implanted with an affected device:

Advise patients to seek medical attention immediately if they experience symptoms (e.g., fainting or lightheadedness) or if the audible patient alert sounds.

For pacemaker-dependent patients or those at a higher risk of Ventricular Tachycardia (VT) or Ventricular Fibrillation (VF):

• Physicians should consider device replacement.

For patients where the physician does not believe device explant is the best course of action, Medtronic offers these additional options:

- Program the audible alerts for "Low Battery Voltage RRT" to "On-High". It is possible that alerts may not sound if the battery is depleted. Therefore physicians should also consider one of the following:
  - o Provide a handheld magnet to patients to frequently check device status.
    - Requires one or more audible alerts be programmed ON.
    - Device operation may be monitored frequently (e.g., daily) by patients placing the magnet over the device for 1-2 seconds and then removing the magnet. If the device is functional, a steady tone will sound for approximately 10 seconds. If no tone or an oscillating high/low tone is heard, advise patients to seek care immediately.
  - Prescribe either a CareLink™ transmission be performed by the patient, or a maintenance transmission by the clinic, on a more frequent basis (e.g., weekly or daily) based on the unique patient considerations. The clinic should review these transmissions upon receipt.
    - If the transmission is unsuccessful the patient should be brought into the clinic for immediate follow-up as this may be an indication that the device battery has depleted to a level where it can no longer support telemetry.
    - Review transmissions for any signs of this issue (e.g., one or more electrical resets, or notification that a
      device alert has occurred).
    - Each transmission will decrease battery longevity by approximately one day

# **Status Update**

Within the 78 devices, there have been 10 confirmed failures (13%) through April 18,2019. Medtronic modeling predicts an additional three (3) failures may occur in the remaining active population. An estimated 18 devices remain active

Initial Affected Population		Population	Current Malfunction Rate (confirmed malfunctions over total population)
<b>78</b> Worldwide	10 Worldwide	18 Worldwide	13% Worldwide

# Potential High Battery Impedance

# InSync® III Model 8042

# Original Date of Advisory: November 2015

#### **Product**

All InSync® III Model 8042 Pacemakers

#### **Advisory**

Medtronic has identified an issue related to long-term battery performance. Through 27 October 2015, Medtronic has confirmed 30 devices (0.03%) worldwide have been impacted by this issue, for which the root cause is unexpected high battery impedance.

Unexpected high battery impedance can result in the battery's inability to supply sufficient electrical current, impacting device function. Twelve (12) of the 30 devices had reports of unexpected loss of pacing capture. The other 18 devices experienced some form of erratic behavior, including early elective replacement indication (ERI), significant fluctuations in remaining longevity estimates, and inaccurate lead impedances. Through 27 October 2015, events associated with this issue have occurred in devices with implant durations of 53 months or more. Medtronic has received one report of a patient death, where it is possible, but unconfirmed, that this issue was a contributing factor.

If pacing capture is compromised, some patients may experience a return of heart failure symptoms due to loss of biventricular pacing. In cases involving pacemaker-dependent patients, a loss of pacing capture could result in serious injury or death.

The Physician Letter for this issue is available at http://www.medtronic.com/insync-iii-crt-p

# Patient Management Recommendations (As of November 2015)

We realize that each patient requires unique clinical consideration. After consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel (IPQP), Medtronic offers the following recommendations for patients with an InSync III CRT-pacemaker:

- Prophylactic device replacement in non-pacemaker-dependent patients is not recommended.
- For pacemaker-dependent patients, physicians should carefully weigh the risks and benefits of device replacement to mitigate this issue on an individual patient basis
  - The estimated per patient mortality risk of this issue (0.007% to 0.02%) is comparable to the
    estimated per patient mortality risk of complications associated with an incremental, early device
    replacement (0.005%).
- Continue routine patient follow up in accordance with standard practice, and advise patients to seek medical
  attention immediately if they experience new or unexpected symptoms.

# **Status Update**

As of April 18, 2019, approximately 1,500 devices remain active worldwide, from an original implant population of 96,800. In the United States, 700 active devices remain. Our modeling predicts an estimated failure rate between 0.16% and 0.6% for the remaining active devices. Due to the unpredictable nature of this issue, it is not possible to identify which devices might fail or when they might fail. The issue cannot be mitigated by programming changes or increasing patient follow-up frequency. InSync III CRT-pacemakers are no longer distributed.

Initial Affected Population	Number of Confirmed Advisory Related Events	Estimated Remaining Active Population	Current Malfunction Rate (confirmed malfunctions over total population)
<b>96,800</b> Worldwide	-	<b>-,500</b> 11011a111a0	0.16% Worldwide
( <b>39,900</b> United States)	United States)	(1000::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	( <b>0.22%</b> United States)

# **Potential Rapid Battery Depletion**

# EnTrust® VR/DR/AT ICDs

Original Date of Advisory: March 2012

#### **Product**

All EnTrust ICDs.

# **Advisory**

A small percentage of EnTrust ICDs may not meet expected longevity or provide at least three months of device operation between the Elective Replacement Indicator (ERI) and End of Life (EOL) due to a more-rapid-than-expected drop in battery voltage. No patient deaths or serious injuries have been reported as a result of this issue.

The reported events have involved a drop in battery voltage from ~3.0 V to ERI (2.61 V) over a time period ranging from approximately one week to six months. All reported events have occurred at least 30 months after implant.

Medtronic has identified the cause of these occurrences to be an internal battery short that develops as the battery capacity is consumed. The Physician Letter is available at  $\frac{http://www.medtronic.com/product-advisories/entrust/physician/index.htm}{http://www.medtronic.com/product-advisories/entrust/physician/index.htm}$ 

# Patient Management Recommendations (As of March 2012)

After consultation with Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel, Medtronic offers the following patient management recommendations:

- Physicians should continue routine follow-up sessions at least every three months in accordance with product labeling.
- Physicians should program the audible patient alerts for "Low Battery Voltage ERI" and "Excessive Charge Time EOL" to ON.
- Physicians should replace devices promptly after they reach ERI if the decline in voltage is more rapid than expected.
- Prophylactic replacement of EnTrust ICDs is not recommended.

# Status Update

As of April 18, 2019, there have been 97 confirmed events. No patient deaths have been reported due to this issue. No reports have been made of a failure to deliver high voltage therapy.

Initial Affected Population	Number of Confirmed Advisory Related Events	Population Population	Current Malfunction Rate (confirmed malfunctions over total population)
<b>69,200</b> Worldwide ( <b>44,300</b> United States)	97 Worldwide (75 United States)	<b>1,200</b> Worldwide ( <b>less than 50</b> United States)	<b>0.14%</b> Worldwide ( <b>0.17%</b> United States)

# Potential Conductor Wire Fracture

# 6930, 6931, 6948, 6949 Sprint Fidelis Defibrillation Leads

Original Date of Advisory: October 2007

#### **Product**

All Model 6930, 6931, 6948, and 6949 implantable defibrillation leads.

# Advisory

There are two primary locations where chronic conductor fractures have occurred on Sprint Fidelis leads: 1) the distal portion of the lead, affecting the anode (ring electrode) and 2) near the anchoring sleeve tie-down, predominantly affecting the cathode (helix tip electrode), and occasionally the high voltage conductor. These two locations account for approximately 90% of the chronic fractures identified in Returned Product Analysis (RPA). The remaining 10% of chronic fractures occurred in the DF-1 connector leg and the proximal portion of the RV coil. High voltage conductor fractures could result in the inability to deliver defibrillation therapy. Anode or cathode conductor fractures (at either location) may present clinically as increased impedance, oversensing, increased interval counts, multiple inappropriate shocks, and/or loss of pacing output.

# Patient Management Recommendations (Updated April 2011)

The Lead Integrity Alert (LIA) provides three days advance notice prior to inappropriate therapy to 76% of patients with lead fractures<sup>1</sup>. As a result, we strongly recommend that all Sprint Fidelis patients who have the ability to upgrade to Lead Integrity Alert do so promptly. Also ensure that high voltage lead impedance alerts (maximum of 100 ohms) are programmed. When a lead fracture is suspected or confirmed, immediate patient attention is strongly recommended. Physicians should inform their patients to seek medical attention without delay if they experience unexpected shocks.

- If a Fidelis lead fracture of any type has occurred, we recommend implanting a new high voltage lead with or without extraction of the Fidelis lead.
- In patients with normal device function and no manifestation of lead fracture, no action is recommended. The risk of prophylactic intervention appears to be greater than serious injury resulting from lead fracture even for pacemaker dependent patients, except in select individual patient circumstances as determined by the physician.
- In the event of a device change-out or upgrade procedure, with no manifestation of lead fracture, consider the patient age and lead model data above, as well as patient life expectancy, co-morbidities, ease of extraction related to implant time, patient preference, etc., for the following options:
  - o Leave a properly performing lead intact.
  - o Implant a new ICD lead without extraction of the existing lead.
  - o Carefully consider all factors before prophylactic placement of a pace-sense lead. Data shows an increased risk of high voltage conductor fracture if a pace-sense conductor fracture has previously occurred. This data is available at <a href="http://www.medtronic.com/us-en/healthcare-professionals/products/product-performance/sprint-fidelis-11-2015-update.html">http://www.medtronic.com/us-en/healthcare-professionals/products/product-performance/sprint-fidelis-11-2015-update.html</a>
  - o Individual patient circumstances may warrant extracting and implanting a new ICD lead. If warranted, Medtronic's Independent Physician Quality Panel recommends the lead extraction procedure be performed by a physician with extensive lead extraction experience.<sup>2</sup>

# **Status Update**

As of April 18, 2019, of the initial implant population of 205,600 in the United States, approximately 51,000 remain implanted. According to Product Surveillance Registry results, lead survival is estimated to be 73.2% (+4.9/-4.6%) at 126 months. As the implanted population ages and the sample size increases for each time interval, the accuracy of the estimated survival probability will increase as shown by tighter confidence intervals.

Initial Attected Population		Estimated Remaining Active Population
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# Footnotes:

- 1: Swerdlow C, Gunderson, B, et al. "Downloadable Algorithm to Reduce Inappropriate Shocks Caused by Fractures of Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillator Leads", Circulation, November 2008, 118: 2122-2129.
- 2: "Transvenous Lead Extraction: Heart Rhythm Society Expert Consensus on Facilities, Training, Indications, and Patient Management", Heart Rhythm, Vol 6, No 7, July 2009.

# Dual Chamber Pacemakers with Measurement Lock-up ERI Kappa 600, 700, 800, 900, EnPulse, Adapta, Versa, Sensia, Relia, and Vitatron Models E50A1, E60A1, and G70A1

# **Purpose of this Information**

This Performance Note describes a rare measurement lock-up issue that impacts the Medtronic dual chamber pacemakers listed above. If this measurement lock-up occurs, the device will trigger a false Elective Replacement Indicator (ERI). A reset is available to clear this condition and there is no need to explant the device. This issue does not impact battery longevity.

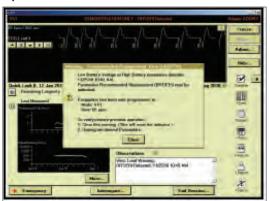
# **Background**

If this rare measurement lock-up occurs in the pacemaker, it causes the device to read a value of zero for battery voltage. After four measurements of zero, the device will trigger ERI and revert to a VVI pacing mode at 65 bpm. There is no loss of ventricular pacing and the output voltage will remain the same.

# Programmer Software Reset Method (Adapta, Versa, Sensia, Relia, Vitatron Series E and G)

Programmer software is available which can differentiate a regular ERI and an ERI caused by the measurement lock-up issue. Upon interrogation of a device with the measurement lock-up ERI, the programmer software

Example 1 – Programmer Software Detects Measurement Lock-up ERI



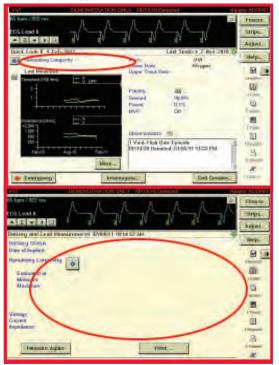
recognizes the issue and guides the clinician to clear the ERI (Example 1). Following an ERI reset, the device parameters should be reviewed and reprogrammed to clinician specifications.

# Reset Method for Kappa and EnPulse

A service tool continues to be available through Medtronic Technical Services to clear the measurement lock-up issue for Kappa and EnPulse devices.

The issue can be identified using the programmer or via CareLink transmission; the battery voltage measurements and remaining longevity will appear as blank values (Example 2). If this measurement lock-up occurs, contact Medtronic Brady Technical Services at 1-800-505-4636 for assistance.

Example 2 – Programmer Screens for Measurement Lock-up ERI (Kappa and EnPulse)



# **Clinical Management of VCM near Elective Replacement**

# **Background**

Medtronic Technical Services has received reports of devices going to ERI or end of life (EOL) sooner than expected after a normal follow-up in which the device longevity was projected to be approximately 18 months. It has been noted that these cases typically involve Kappa 700 devices where Ventricular Capture Management set the ventricular lead to high output (5 V, 1 ms), which occurs by device design when a high threshold is measured. It is important for physicians and allied professionals to understand VCM behavior as it relates to longevity so that they can, in turn, understand how this affects management of the device and follow-up visits as VCM equipped IPGs near the end of their expected life.

# **Device Longevity and VCM Behavior**

Ventricular Capture Management is a feature that uses evoked response sensing to determine the stimulation threshold needed to capture the ventricular chamber. Proper detection of the evoked response is crucial to the VCM algorithm determining an accurate capture threshold. There are rare conditions, however, during which the VCM algorithm will not be able to measure the evoked response accurately. When this occurs, for safety reasons the VCM algorithm will reprogram the output to 5 V, 1 ms until the subsequent VCM measurement.

If the device has considerable remaining longevity, these occasional excursions to high output do not substantially affect remaining longevity. However, if the device has less than approximately 18 months remaining longevity, there is the possibility that the high output condition caused by the 5 V, 1 ms output will drain the battery and trigger ERI.

When ERI is declared by the device, VCM is disabled and the outputs are left at 5 V, 1 ms until the device is reprogrammed at an in-office follow-up. This increased current drain of a high output condition will speed depletion of the device, possibly resulting in the device getting to the EOL (battery voltage  $\leq$  2.15 V).

Please note that the following parameter changes occur when the device goes to ERI:

Table: IPG Therapy Parameter Changes at ERI

Parameter	Value
Pacing Mode	VVI
Lower Rate	65 bpm
Single Chamber Hysteresis	OFF
Sleep Function	OFF
Ventricular Capture Management	OFF
Atrial Sensing Assurance	OFF
Ventricular Sensing Assurance	OFF

Kappa 700 is Medtronic's first-generation VCM algorithm, which has a relatively higher incidence of evoked response undersensing compared to subsequent algorithms, resulting in more frequent high output conditions. Therefore, Kappa 700 products are the primary focus of this note. It should be noted that IPGs equipped with the second-generation VCM algorithm (Kappa 900, EnPulse, Adapta/Versa/Sensia, and Relia) have not been observed with evoked response undersensing in the general population, though the items listed in "Follow-Up Considerations" may also be used on these devices.

# **Follow-Up Considerations**

- Estimated longevity in the event the device goes to high output can be determined by the following steps. This allows the clinician to determine follow-up frequency if he or she is concerned the device may go to ERI due to high output.
  - Program the ventricular channel to 5 V, 1 ms
  - Navigate to Data/Battery and Lead Measurements
  - When the message stating "Warning Old Data" is displayed, select "Yes" to measure battery voltage and lead impedance at the new ventricular outputs
  - An updated remaining longevity estimate will be calculated on the elevated outputs. Note the "Minimum Remaining Longevity." Clinical decisions can be based on this value.
  - Program the Amplitude and Pulse Widths back to their original values before leaving the session
- If the capture trends and lead impedance trends are stable, VCM can be programmed to "Monitor Only" for the remaining device life. This should be considered only if remaining longevity is 18 months or less.
- Follow-up frequency can be increased for those patients who do not have stable capture or lead impedance trends.
   This can be done via a CareLink Home Monitor, or in-office.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Medtronic, Inc. (2001). Medtronic Kappa 700/600 Series Pacemaker Reference Guide (Chapter 4, p. 27). Can be retrieved from http://manuals.medtronic.com.

# **General Follow-Up and Replacement of ICD Leads**

Implanted leads operate in the challenging biochemical environment of the human body and the body's response to foreign objects. Implanted leads are also subject to mechanical stresses associated with heart motion, body motion, and patient anatomy.

In this environment, pacemaker and defibrillation leads cannot be expected to last forever. Unlike implantable cardioverter defibrillators (ICDs), a lead's longevity cannot be predicted nor are there simple indicators that a lead is approaching the end of its service life. The determination that a lead may be approaching end of service life requires follow-up of the chronically implanted lead and thorough evaluation of lead integrity at ICD replacement.

# Follow-Up of Chronically Implanted Leads

The frequency of follow-up for ICD patients will depend on a number of factors including the patient's medical condition, ICD system implant time, hospital/clinic followup practice, and Medicare guidelines.

In all cases, it is important to assess the functionality of the ICD system and the integrity. For newly implanted leads, it is beneficial to establish a baseline of chronic performance parameters once the lead has stabilized, generally within 6 to 12 months after implant. These performance parameters should include pacing and sensing thresholds and impedance. During routine patient follow-up, these procedures can be used to evaluate lead integrity.

- Measure pacing and sensing threshold and compare to the chronic baseline. Significant increases or decreases may be indicative of lead failure, dislodgement, perforation, exit block, etc.
- Measure pacing impedance where possible and compare to the chronic baseline. Decreases of 30% or more or pacing impedances below 200-250 ohms may be indicative of insulation failure. Sudden and significant increases in pacing impedance may be indicative of conductor fracture.
- High voltage lead circuit impedance should be between 10-75 ohms at system implant. Chronic measurements below 10 and above 200 ohms may be indicative of high voltage lead circuit failure.
- Carefully review ECGs or the nonsustained detection log on Medtronic ICDs for indications of pacing and/or sensing abnormalities such as oversensing, undersensing, and loss of capture
- Elicit and investigate any patient complaints/symptoms that may be suggestive of potential lead failure

Where routine follow-up indicates, additional tools should be used to further evaluate performance. Tools include radiographic data, ICD electrograms, ICD Patient Alert and performance information from the Product Surveillance Registry (PSR).

The final decision on the functional integrity and continued use of an implanted lead must be a matter of medical judgment based on these factors as well as specific patient conditions.

# **General Criteria for Lead Replacement**

The evaluation of a chronically implanted lead is an important part of the decision to continue to use the lead with a new ICD. However, these results alone do not necessarily predict the future integrity of that lead. With the expected longevity of today's ICDs varying between approximately 5 and 10 years, a physician replacing a device should consider a number of factors, including those listed below.

Factors that should be considered in a decision to replace or continue to use include:

- Pacing and sensing thresholds should be evaluated for the potential to maintain acceptable levels
- Pacing impedance should be measured. Bear in mind that pacing impedance below 250 ohms results in excessive battery current drain, which may seriously compromise ICD longevity, regardless of lead integrity.
- The physical appearance of the lead should be examined for insulation cracks, breaches, or other indications of lead wear or degradation
- Medtronic System Longevity Study data should be referenced. Actuarial survival of the lead and the observed lead failure mechanisms are specific factors to consider. Use of a new lead should be considered if failure mechanisms suggest an increased time dependency as suggested in the shape of performance curve for the specific lead model.
- Current publications may provide additional information on the clinical management of leads.<sup>1-3</sup> Ultimately, the decision to replace an implanted lead involves medical judgment.
- <sup>1</sup> Hauser RG, Cannom D, Hayes DL, et al. Long-term structural failure of coaxial polyurethane implantable cardioverter defibrillator leads. *PACE*. June 2002;25(6):879-882.
- <sup>2</sup> Ellenbogen KA, Wood MA, Shepard RK, et al. Detection and management of an implantable cardioverter defibrillator lead failure: incidence and clinical implications. *J Am Coll Cardiol.* January 1, 2003;41(1):73-80.
- <sup>3</sup> Hauser RG, Kallinen LM, Almquist AK, Gornick CC, Katsiyiannis WT. Early failure of a small-diameter highvoltage implantable cardioverter-defibrillator lead. *Heart Rhythm*. July 2007;4(7):892-896.

# **Clinical Management of High-Voltage Lead System Oversensing**

Appropriate sensing by an ICD system refers to the sensing of cardiac events that may or may not require therapy delivery. ICD systems must sense relatively large QRS complexes while avoiding sensing of smaller T waves, yet continue to sense often small variable amplitude ventricular fibrillation. Thus, ICD systems attempt to dynamically adjust sensing of electrical events and discriminate between them based on detection algorithms and programmed settings.

Inappropriate sensing can occur when an ICD system classifies events of non-cardiac origin as QRS/VF events, or senses and counts T and far-field P waves as ventricular depolarizations. This is often referred to as "oversensing," and may result in delivery of inappropriate high-voltage therapies. This is due, in part, to the desire to err on the side of delivering lifesaving high voltage therapy rather than withholding

it. Thus, an ICD system that is experiencing oversensing issues will continue to deliver therapeutic shocks as required, but may also subject the patient to unnecessary shocks.

Oversensing can be difficult to manage, in that the precipitating cause of the oversensing can be problematic to isolate. Oversensing can be caused by many factors, including myopotentials/far-field sensing, electromagnetic interference, T wave sensing, connector issues, incomplete or complete conductor fractures, and insulation breaches. While the individual physician must exercise medical judgment in determination of appropriate clinical management of ICD systems, the chart below may assist in the process of causal factor differentiation and possible intervention.

Phenomenon	Causal Factors	Characteristics	Management/Comments
Myopotentials/ Far-field sensing	Diaphragmatic muscle potentials in breathing, wide tip-to-ring (coil on integrated bipolar leads) spacing	Nonphysiological sensed event on EGM, which may confuse detection potentially resulting in false positive shocks	Check R waves for deterioration. Reprogram sensitivity. Try repositioning lead. Consider change-out to true bipolar lead, or if true bipolar lead in use, one with closer tip-to-ring spacing than current lead.
EMI (Electro-Magnetic Interference)	Arc welders, electrical generators, store walk-through security scanners, poorly insulated electrical equipment	Multiple and consecutive short intervals (< 140 ms) independent of underlying sinus beats. Associated with proximity to the EMI source.	Avoid EMI areas. True bipolar leads less susceptible.
T-wave sensing	Drugs, ischemic tissue, exercise, Long QT syndrome, electrolyte imbalance	Sense markers seen on EGM related to T wave. False positive detection.	Check for R wave deterioration and characteristics. If R wave > 3.0 mV, reprogram sensitivity. If R wave < 3.0 mV, reposition/replace lead. Address causal factor (e.g., drugs [if appropriate/medically viable]).
Connector problems	Loose setscrew, cross-threaded setscrew, incomplete lead insertion into header	This is an acute phenomenon seen within 6 months of implant (usually sooner)	Requires invasive check of connections.  May be reproducible with pocket manipulation.
Incomplete conductor fracture	One or more filars of a multifilar conductor fracturing while leaving enough filars intact to provide a conduction circuit	Characterized by chaotic oversensing related to motion of the fracture site	Check EGMs and x-rays. Manipulate lead at suspected fracture site if possible as a provocative test. If confirmed, replace lead.
Lead insulation breach	Cuts, tears, metal ion oxidization, abrasion, cold flow, environmental stress cracking	Characterized by cyclical and/or erratic, intermittent, spontaneous oversensing; often post-pace or post-shock can cause false positives	Replace lead. If acute, usually secondary to implant damage/replacement damage. If late, material characteristic.
Oversensing during interrogation with programming head (not wireless telemetry) with complete lead fracture	Interrogation with a programming head in combination with complete lead fracture that creates an open circuit can induce noise on the sensing circuitry inside the ICD can	Nonphysiologic sensed event on EGM. If detection is enabled during interrogation, oversensing may result in inappropriate therapy.	Quickly remove the programming head. CANCEL the interrupted interrogation and manually load the software for the specific device model. Reposition the programmer head over the device and immediately select SUSPEND. Device will resume detection when programming head is removed, or when RESUME is selected. Replace lead.

Technical Services is available at all times to advise clinicians in the troubleshooting and management of Medtronic products. For assistance in the United States, please call 1 (800) 723-4636. In other countries, please contact your local Medtronic representative.

# **Tests and Observations for Clinical Assessment of Chronic Pacing Leads**

Test/Observation	Possible Insulation Failure	Possible Conductor Failure	Possible Other System Failure	Effect on Test/ Observation
Pacing Impedance (Telemetered or Measured Invasively)	Sudden and Significant Decrease	Sudden and Significant Increase	Dislodgement	Increase or Decrease Increase or Decrease
Pacing Thresholds (Telemetered/Programmed or Measured Invasively)	Sudden and Significant Increase, Especially in Bipolar System	Sudden and Significant Increase	Dislodgement	Increase Increase Increase
Electrograms (Telemetered or Measured Invasively)	Sudden and Significant Decrease in Amplitudes and/or Slew Rates for P and/or R Waves	Sudden and Significant Decrease or Disappearance of Amplitudes and/or Slew Rates for P and/or R Waves	Dislodgement	Decrease Decrease .Decrease
Waveform Analysis (Oscillographs of Pacer Artifact from ECG Electrodes)	Sudden Increase in Ratios of Leading-Edge Voltages to Trailing-Edge Voltages (i.e., over 25% increase)	Intermittent or No Pacer Artifacts (Even in Asynchronous Mode)	Improper IPG/Lead Connection	Intermittent or No Pacer Artifacts (Even in Asynchronous Mode)
Radiographs (Post-Implant, Recent, Current)	Not Discernible	Visual Observation of Conductor/Connector/ Electrode Fracture (Sometimes Discernible)	Dislodgement or Perforation. Improper IPG/Lead Connection.	Sometimes Discernible
Visual Inspection (Invasive)	Insulation Breach and/or Degradation, or Ligature Cut-Through	Not Easily Discernible	Connector Defect or Connector Pulled Apart. Improper IPG/ Lead Connection.	Sometimes Discernible
Pectoral Muscle Stimulation	Sudden Onset, Especially in Bipolar System		Connector Defect in Bipolar or Unipolar. Hypersensitivity to Unipolar Pulse Generator Can. Anti-Stim Coating or Protection Deficient.	
Phrenic Nerve/ Diaphragmatic Stimulation	Sudden Onset in Bipolar or Unipolar Systems		Perforation or Displacement of Atrial Lead (Phrenic Nerve)	
Pacemaker ECG Stimulus Artifact Size and Morphology Change (May Not Be Possible with Digital ECG)	Sudden Onset and Significant Change, Especially in Bipolar System (Increase in Size)	Sudden Changes, Usually a Decrease in Size	Perforation or Dislodgement. Connector Defect. Improper IPG/ Lead Connection.	Sometimes Discernible
Oversensing (Intermittent or Continuous)	Sudden Onset, Especially in Bipolar Systems		Physical Contact between the Electrode(s) on the Lead and that of Another Lead. Inappropriate IPG Parameter Setting. Improper IPG/Lead Connection.	Sometimes Discernible
Undersensing (Intermittent or Continuous)	Sudden Onset in Either Unipolar or Bipolar Systems	Sudden Onset in Either Unipolar or Bipolar Systems	Dislodgement or Perforation. Infarct at Electrode Site. Electrolyte Imbalance. Inappropriate IPG Parameter Setting. Improper IPG/Lead Connection.	Sometimes Discernible
Loss of Capture	See "Pacing Thresholds" Above	See "Pacing Thresholds" Above	See "Pacing Thresholds" Above	

# Potential for no output/no telemetry condition in subset of IPG and CRT-P products due to ceramic capacitor leakage pathway

Medtronic has identified a rare but potentially serious failure mode in a population of Azure<sup>™</sup> and Astra<sup>™</sup> pacemakers, and Percepta<sup>™</sup>, Serena<sup>™</sup> and Solara<sup>™</sup> cardiac resynchronization therapy pacemakers (CRT-P), manufactured with a specific multilayer ceramic capacitor. These devices continue to perform within reliability projections.

While inherently very reliable, a known failure mode of these capacitors is the potential for internal cracking that can be caused by thermal-mechanical stress during manufacturing. Under rare conditions, internal cracking within a capacitor may result in the development of a leakage pathway, causing high current drain and leading to rapid battery depletion. While the issue presents as rapid battery depletion, this is not a battery performance issue.

As of April 26, 2019, three complaints out of ~266,700 devices distributed worldwide since February 2017, have been received that included a no output /no telemetry scenario resulting from rapid battery depletion. Battery depletion due to this issue can range from several days to several weeks. One of these reported events contributed to a patient death. The three confirmed failures occurred within 9 months post implant. The projected rate for this issue is 0.0028%, with the most susceptible period for a leakage pathway to develop in the capacitor being the first 12 months post implant.

Based on the low predicted rate of failure and the recent implementation of process and component enhancements, Medtronic expects few, if any, additional events to occur. Medtronic, in consultation with our Independent Physician Quality Panel, does not recommend device replacement. Physicians should continue normal patient follow-up in accordance with standard practice, and where possible, continue to utilize the low battery voltage wireless CareAlert<sup>TM</sup> (shipped ON), together with remote monitoring via CareLink<sup>TM</sup> home monitor or the MyCareLink Heart<sup>TM</sup> mobile app. Per the instructions for use, at each follow-up, verify the status of the implanted system as well as the clinical effectiveness of the device. Pay attention to any unexpected changes in remaining longevity estimates or the inability to interrogate the device and/or transmit data.

Contact Medtronic Technical Services if you have concerns on a specific patient.

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Confirmed premature battery depletions, regardless of cause, are reported in our semi-annual Product Performance report under the confirmed "Malfunctions" section for each device model. Product Performance information can be accessed directly at: <a href="https://wwwp.medtronic.com/productperformance/">https://wwwp.medtronic.com/productperformance/</a>

# Mailer Kits Available for Returning Product

Medtronic urges all physicians to return explanted products and to notify Medtronic when a product is no longer in use, regardless of reason for explant or removal from use. The procedures for returning products vary by geographic location.

Mailer kits with prepaid US postage are available for use within the United States to send CRT, ICD, IPG, and leads to Medtronic's CRHF Returned Product Analysis Lab. These mailers are sized to accommodate the devices and leads from a single patient or clinical event and are designed to meet US postal regulations for mailing biohazard materials.

If the product being returned is located outside the United States, please contact your local Medtronic representative for instructions.

Medtronic also requests the return of devices from non-clinical sources, such as funeral homes, and will assume responsibility

for storage and disposal of the product once received.

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