



**EffPac - Trial:**

Effectiveness of LUMINOR® DCB versus POBA in the SFA:  
primary endpoint and 6 months results

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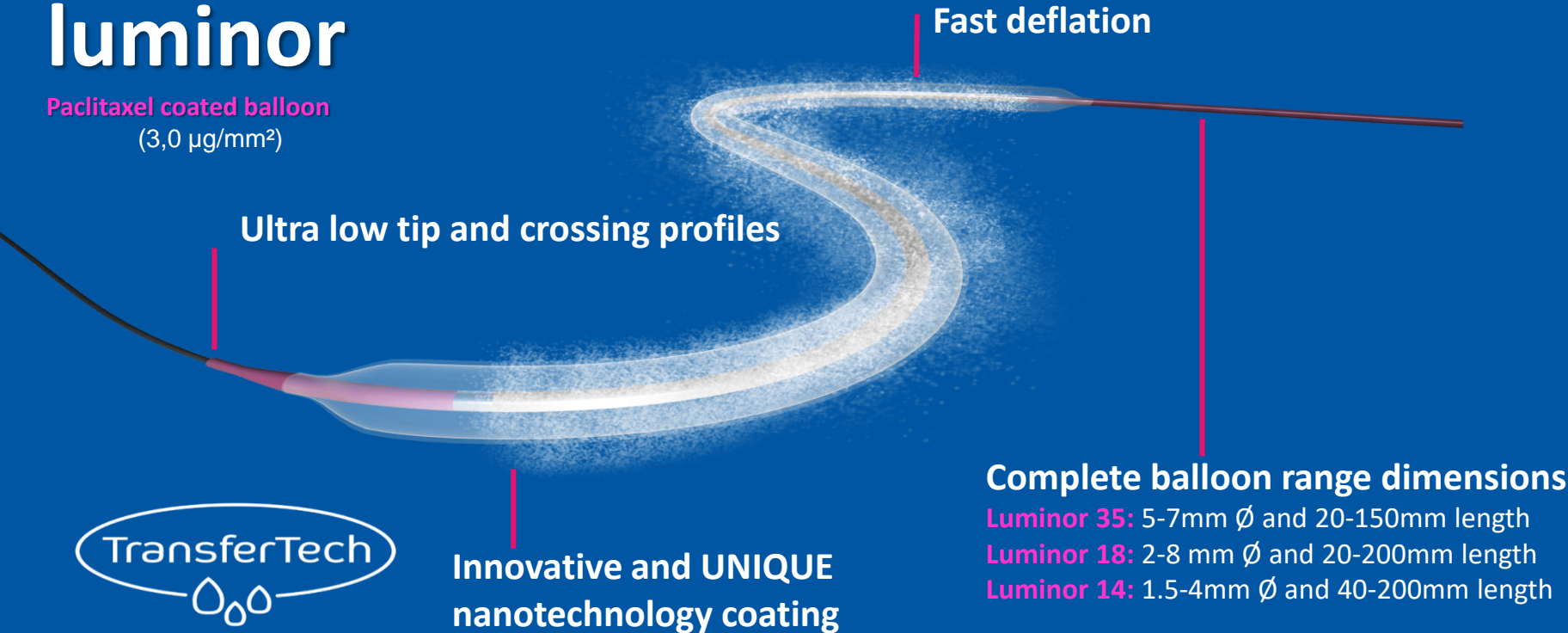
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Paclitaxel coated balloon  
(3,0 µg/mm<sup>2</sup>)



Ultra low tip and crossing profiles

Fast deflation

Complete balloon range dimensions

**Luminor 35:** 5-7mm Ø and 20-150mm length

**Luminor 18:** 2-8 mm Ø and 20-200mm length

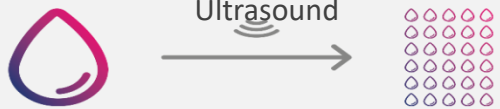
**Luminor 14:** 1.5-4mm Ø and 40-200mm length



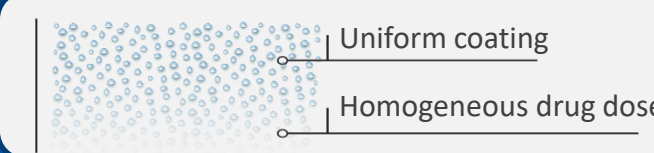
Innovative and **UNIQUE**  
nanotechnology coating

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## UNIQUE nanotechnology coating



**Spray Technology**  
Dosage of uniform diameter nanodrops by ultrasonic deposition



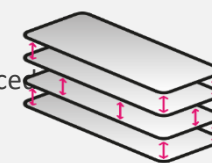
Uniform coating  
Homogeneous drug dose

**TransferTech**




**Multi-layer technology**

- Coating durability during the procedure
- No cracking



**Dry-off**

- Microcrystalline structure
- Optimal drug transfer to the vessel wall within 30-60s seconds



Excipient **20%**  
Paclitaxel **80%**

Excipient	Paclitaxel
• Organic ester	• Lipophilic
• Biocompatible	• Inhibition of stenosis
• Lipophilic	• Specific cellular receptors

Proprietary nanotechnology dosage system for an **uniform, flexible and ultrathin coating**

## Study Title

Multicenter Randomized Controlled Trial to assess the

**Effectiveness of Paclitaxel-coated Luminor®  
Balloon Catheter**

**vs.**

**Uncoated Balloon Catheter**

**in the Superficial Femoral and Popliteal Arteries to Prevent  
Vessel Restenosis or Reocclusion**

# EffPac-Trial

## **Design:**

**Investigator-initiated, prospective, multi-centre, intention-to-treat trial and 2 arms randomised study**

## **Objective:**

**Safety and efficacy of the Luminor® paclitaxel drug-eluting balloon in inhibiting restenosis and in ensuring long-term patency**

**Sponsor: University of Jena, Germany**

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# EFFPac-Trial

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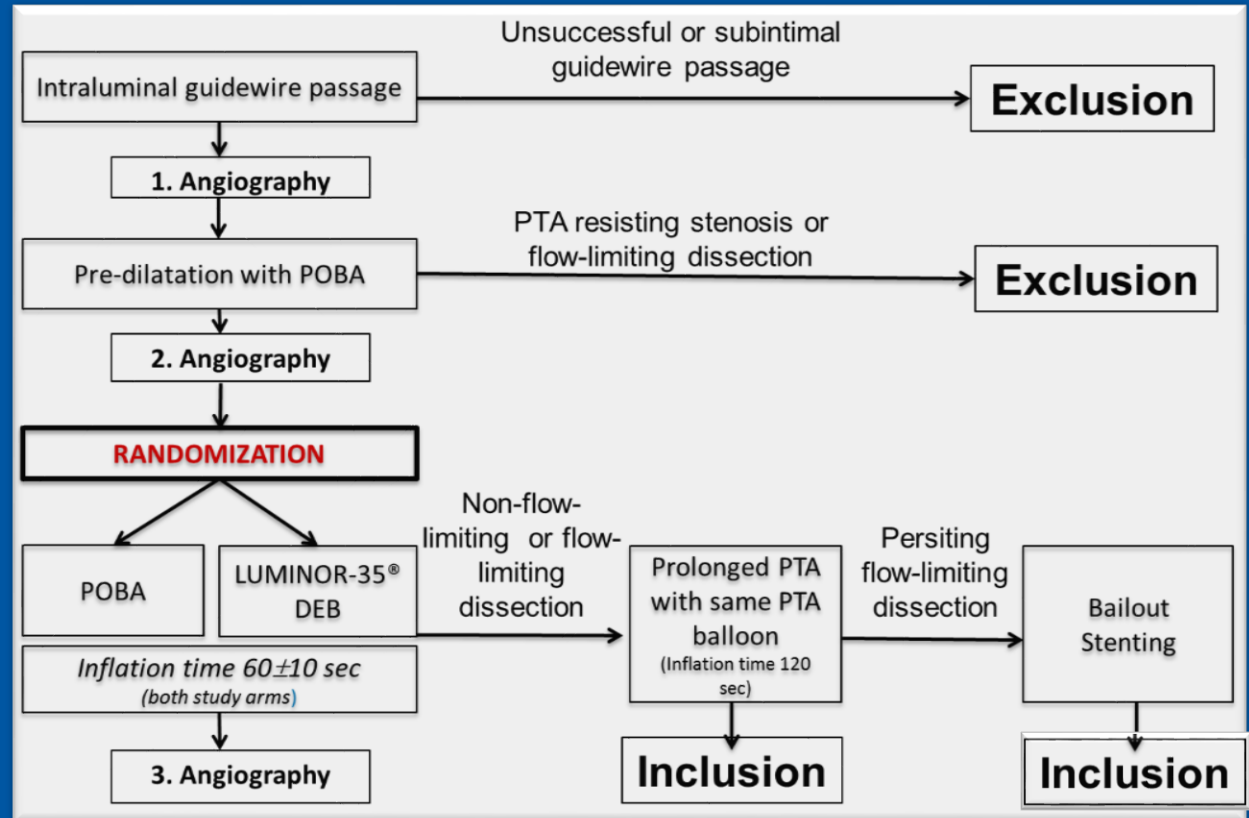
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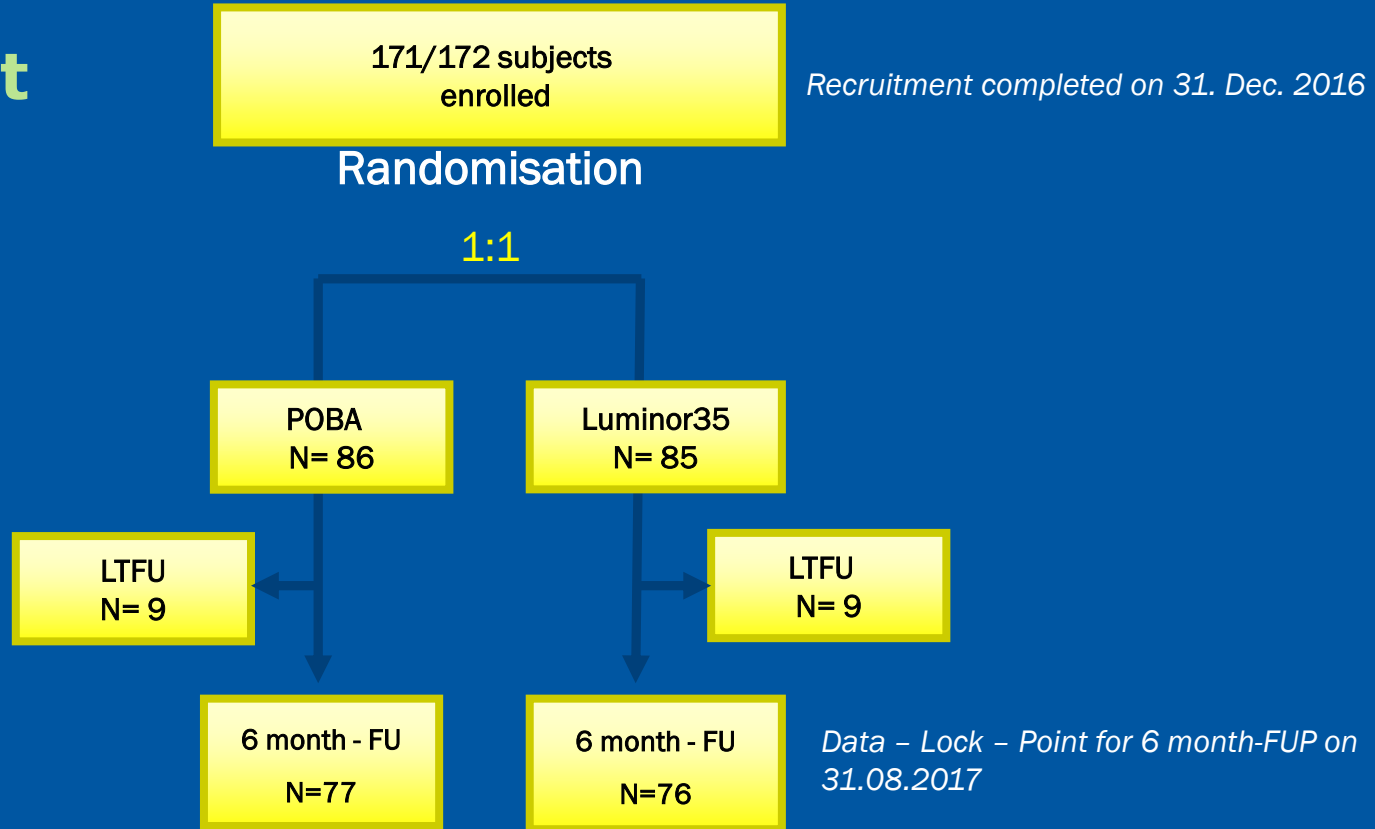
# Flowchart



# Trial Design and Endpoints

Endpoints		Baseline	6 month	12 month	24 month
<b>Efficacy</b>	Primary	Vessel diameter (mm)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Late Lumen Loss (LLL)*</li> </ul>	-	-
	Secondary		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Freedom from Target Lesion Revascularization (TLR/TVR)</li> <li>Patency</li> <li>Change of ABI, Rutherford stage, QoL (WIQ) , EQ-5D</li> </ul>		
<b>Safety</b>	Primary		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Major and minor amputation rate at index limb</li> <li>Mortality, independently of cause</li> </ul>		

# Flowchart



# Baseline Patient Characteristics

	LUMINOR®	POBA
<b>Age - yr</b>	68.0 ± 7.5 (85)	68.1 ± 8.8 (86)
<b>Male - % (no.)</b>	60.0% (51/85)	69.8% (60/86)
<b>Diabetes mellitus - % (no.)</b>	36.5% (31/85)	40.7% (35/86)
<b>Hypertension - % (no.)</b>	87.1% (74/85)	84.9% (73/86)
<b>Hyperlipidemia - % (no.)</b>	70.6% (60/85)	68.6% (59/86)

# Baseline Patient Characteristics

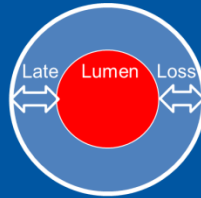
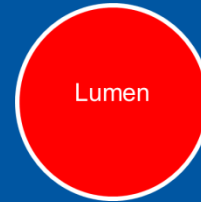
		LUMINOR®	POBA
<b>Rutherford Clinical Category</b>			
Mild claudication	1	0% (0/85)	0% (0/85)
Moderate claudication	2	15.3% (13/85)	21.2% (18/85)
Severe claudication	3	81.2% (69/85)	77.6% (66/85)
Ischemic rest pain	4	2.4% (2/85)	1.2% (1/85)
Minor tissue loss	5	1.2% (1/85)	0% (0/85)
Major tissue loss	6	0% (0/85)	0% (0/85)
<b>ABI (treated leg)</b>		0.73 ± 0.23 (69)	0.74 ± 0.23 (69)

# Baseline Angiographic Data

	LUMINOR®	POBA	p value
<b>Lesion Length (cm)</b>	5.9 ± 4.3 (84)	5.6 ± 3.9 (86)	0.731
<b>Total Occlusion</b>	20.2% (17/84)	25.6% (22/86)	0.468
<b>Calcification</b>			0.094
none/mild	54.2% (45/83)	44.2% (38/86)	
moderate	42.2% (35/83)	44.2% (38/86)	
severe	3.6% (3/83)	11.6% (10/86)	
<b>Diameter Stenosis (%)</b>	88.0 ± 9.8 (85)	90.1 ± 8.8 (86)	0.191
<b>Reference Vessel Diameter (mm)</b>	5.4 ± 0.6 (85)	5.4 ± 0.7 (86)	0.732
<b># of Patent Run-off Vessel</b>			0.311
0	0% (0/85)	1.2% (1/86)	
1	22.4% (19/85)	22.1% (19/86)	
2	41.2% (35/85)	31.4% (27/86)	
3	36.5% (31/85)	45.3% (39/86)	

# Efficacy: Late Lumen Loss - LLL

\* **LLL** = difference between the diameters (in mm) at 6 months follow-up minus post-procedure



	LUMINOR®	POBA	Difference, 95% CI (LUMINOR® vs. POBA)	p value
<b>LLL 6M (mm)*</b>	0.14 [CI: -0.38; 0.67]	1.06 [CI: 0.54; 1.59]	-0.92 [CI: -1.36; -0.49]	<0.001

\* Estimated LLL (Mean, 95% CI) from linear mixed model adjusted for center

# Efficacy: Late Lumen Loss - LLL

Study	Drug-coated balloon 6 mo LLL (mm)	Control 6 mo LLL (mm)	LLL Difference (mm)
THUNDER Tepe et al. 2008 Paccocath coating	0.4±1.2	1.7±1.8	-1.3
AcoArt I Trial Jia et al. 2016 Orchid (Acotec)	0.05±0.73	1.15±0.89	-1.1
<b>EFFPAC 2017 Luminor (iVascular)</b>	<b>0.14 [CI: -0.38; 0.67]</b>	<b>1.06 [CI:0.54; 1.59]</b>	<b>-0.92</b>
RANGER Bausback et al. 2017 Ranger DCB	-0.16±0.99	0.76±1.4	-0.60
LEVANT I Scheinert et al. 2014 Lutonix (Bard)	0.46±1.13	1.09±1.07	-0.63
BIOLUX P-I Trial Scheinert et al. 2015 Passeo-18 Lux (Biotronik)	0.51±0.72	1.04±1.0	-0.53
FEMPAC Werk et al. 2008 Paccocath DCB	0.5±1.1	1.0±1.1	-0.5
CONSEQUENT 2017 SeQuent Please (B. Braun)	0.35 [CI: 0.19; 0.79]	0.72 [CI: 0.68; 1.22]	-0.37



# Efficacy: Improvement of Rutherford after 6M

Improvement of Rutherford Stages	LUMINOR®	POBA
Deterioration of 1 stage	1.4% (1/74)	0% (0/82)
No improvement	13.5% (10/74)	25.0% (18/82)
Improvement of 1 stage	12.2% (9/74)	20.8% (15/82)
Improvement of 2 stages	28.4% (21/74)	26.4% (19/82)
Improvement of 3 stages	44.6% (33/74)	27.8% (20/82)

Significant higher improvement of LUMINOR® compared to POBA ( $p=0.021$ )

# Efficacy: Target Lesion Revascularization (TLR)

	LUMINOR®	POBA	Relative Risk, 95% CI (LUMINOR® vs. POBA)	Number needed to treat (NNT)	p value
<b>TLR 6M (%)</b>	1.3 (1/76)	17.1 (13/76)	0.082 [CI: 0.012; 0.560]*	7	<0.001

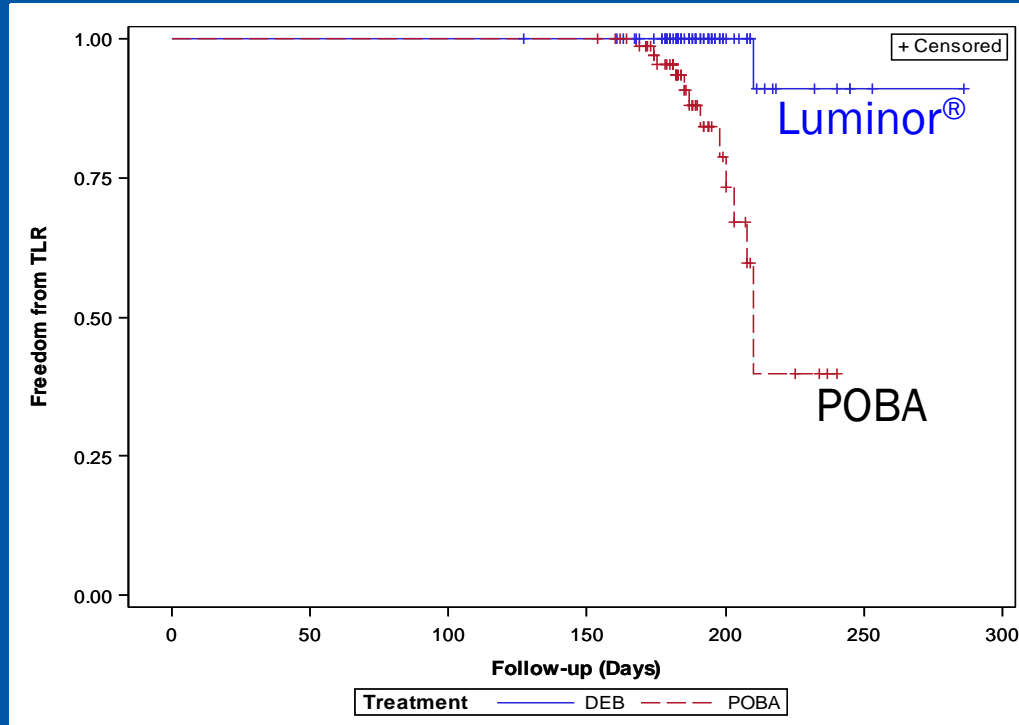
\*Relative Risk Reduction (RRR) = 91.8%, Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel estimate, adjusted for center

# Efficacy: Target Lesion Revascularization (TLR)

Study	DCB 6 mo TLR (%)	Control 6 mo TLR (%)
<b>EFFPAC 2017 Luminor (iVascular)</b>	<b>1.3 (1/76)</b>	<b>17.1 (13/76)</b>
THUNDER Tepe et al. 2008 Paccocath coating	4.2 (2/48)	37.0 (20/54)
AcoArt I Trial Jia et al. 2016 Orchid (Acotec)	6.1 (6/99)	38.8 (38/98)
FEMPAC Werk et al. 2008 Paccocath DCB	6.7 (3/45)	33.3 (14/42)
CONSEQUENT 2017 SeQuent Please (B. Braun)	8.9 (7/78)	30.7 (23/75)
RANGER Bausback et al. 2017 Ranger DCB	5.6 (4/71)	12.0 (4/34)
BIOLUX P-I Trial Scheinert et al. 2015 Passeo-18 Lux (Biotronik)	3.8 (1/26)*	4.2 (1/24)*

\*Kaplan-Meier estimates, clinically driven TLR

# Efficacy: Target Lesion Revascularization (TLR)



# Efficacy: Patency

	LUMINOR®	POBA	Relative Risk*, 95% CI (LUMINOR® vs. POBA)	Number needed to treat (NNT)	p value
<b>Patency (%)</b>	94.7 (72/76)	75.0 (57/76)	1.26 [CI: 1.100; 1.443]	6	<0.001

\* Interpretation: Relative chance for patency is increased by 26% in the LUMINOR® group

**Primary patency:** Freedom from restenosis (determined by duplex ultrasound PSVR <2.5) and freedom from TLR at 6 months

# Efficacy: Patency

Study	DCB 6 mo Patency (%)	Control 6 mo Patency (%)
LEVANT I Scheinert et al. 2014 Lutonix DCB	71.8 (28/39)**	41.4 (17/41)**
RANGER-SFA 2017 Ranger DCB	87.0 (62/71)	60.0 (20/34)
<b>EFFPAC 2017 Luminor (iVascular)</b>	<b>94.7 (72/76)</b>	<b>75.0 (57/76)</b>
FEMPAC Werk et al. 2008 Paccocath DCB	93.5 (29/31)	94.1 (32/34)

\* Interpretation: Increase of relative chance for patency DCB vs. POBA

\*\* Patency based on freedom from target lesion revascularization and restenosis, restenosis by angiography (>50%DS) at 6M

# Safety: Adverse Events

	LUMINOR®	POBA	p value
Minor Amputation (%)	0 (0/85)	1.2 (1/86)	1.000
Major Amputation (%)	0 (0/85)	0 (0/86)	1.000
Death (not related, %)	0 (0/85)	2.3 (2/86)	0.497

## Conclusions

The **LUMINOR® Paclitaxel-coated balloon catheter** demonstrates to be clinical highly effective and safe in **inhibiting restenosis** compared to POBA

The **innovative coating technique** matters and is **shown** not only in the **patency, LLL and TLR data**, but also in an **improvement of the Rutherford stage**

The results of the study allow **direct comparison to other already-completed RCTs** applying Paclitaxel-coated DEB from different manufacturers in the same target vessel



# EffPac-Trial results of 12-months follow-up will be presented on April 2018

