

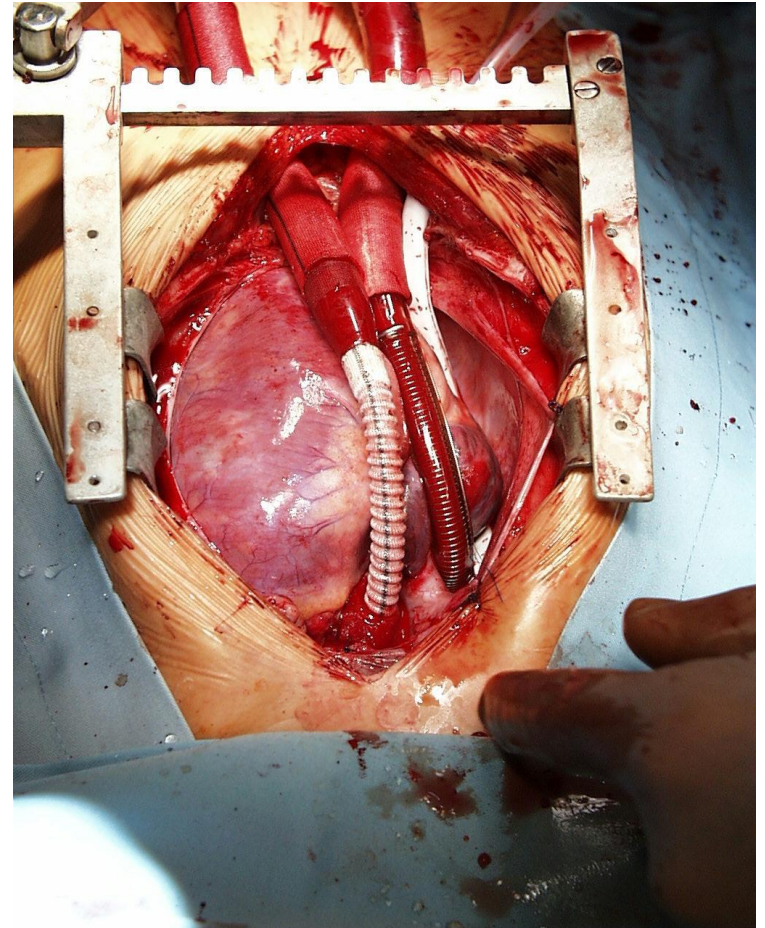
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The MEDOS VAD System

- On the market since 1994
- more than 500 operations in about 80 heart centres
- short and medium term use
- one of the leading systems in Europe
- Application field not as a matter of routine, therefore simplicity and efficiency is of particular importance

Indications

- Short to midterm circulation assistance for patients with myocardial failure of circulation and failure in conventional therapy
- postcardiotomy
- Cardiogenic shock
- DCM
- myocarditis
- Myocardial infarct
- Acute rejection after TX
- Acute left and right heart failure



Components

- MEDOS-VAD cannulae



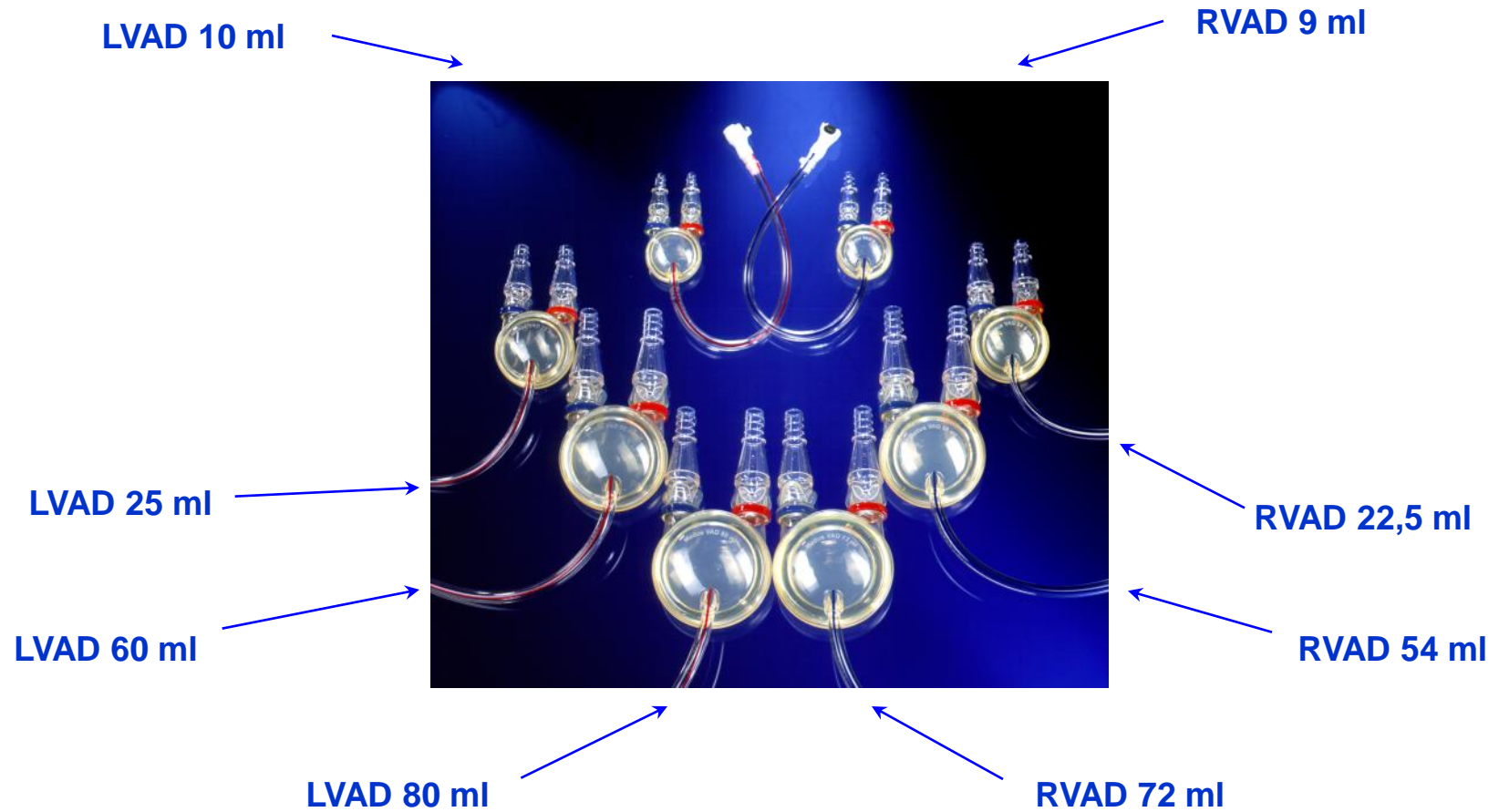
- MEDOS-VAD ventricles



- MEDOS-VAD driving



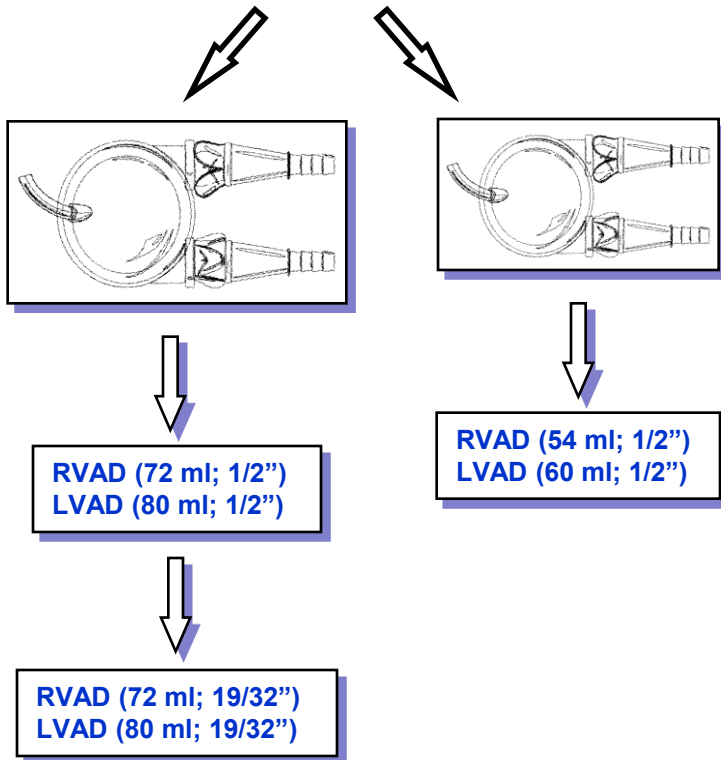
The ventricle family



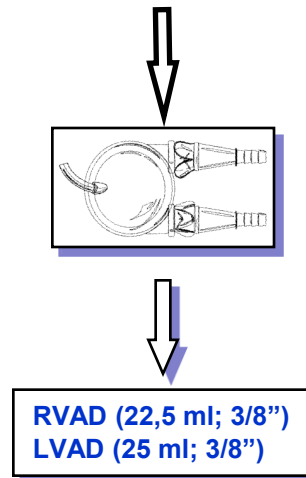
Description of the MEDOS-VAD ventricles

sterile disposable pneumatic bloodpump in the following sizes

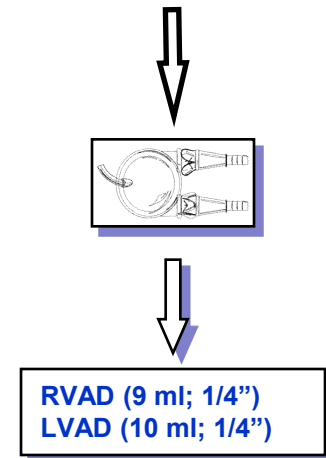
adults



children

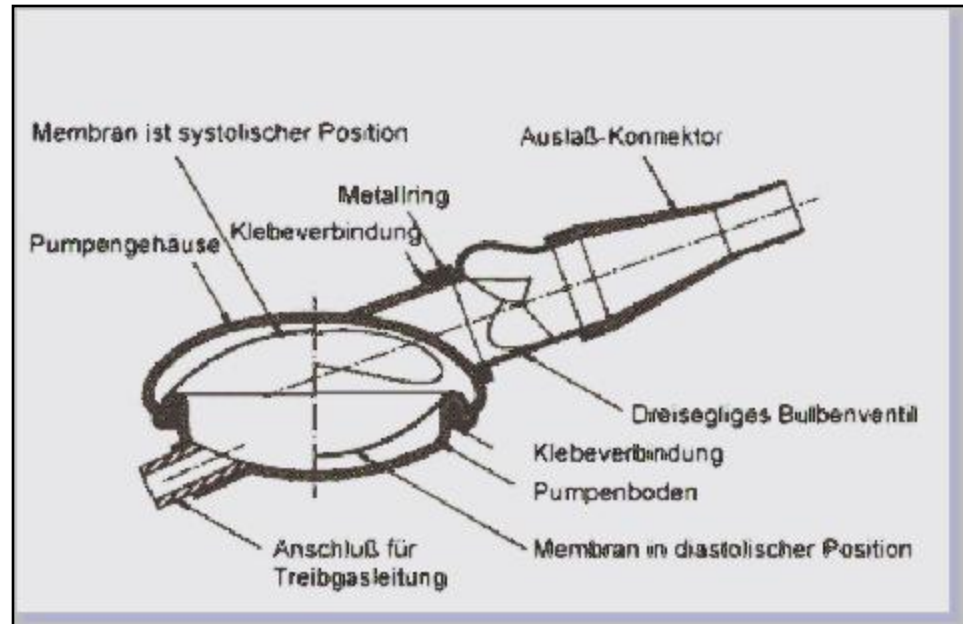


infants



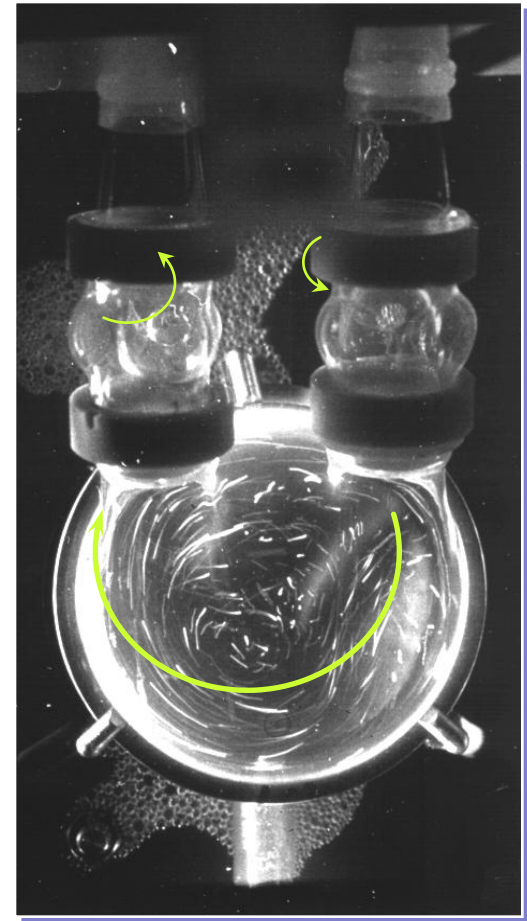
Essential characteristics of the pump I

- Displacement pump
 - extracorporeal
 - pulsatile
- Volume flow via enlargement resp. Reduction of the workspace volume
- the bloodflow is straightened by using a three leaflet bulb valve for inlet and outlet



Essential characteristics of the pump II

- Optimal outwash of the pumping body and the valves only possible via taking the advantage of using the whole discharge volume
- Therefor the Full-/Empty-Mode has to be controled and eventually set by medical personell



The conventional drive



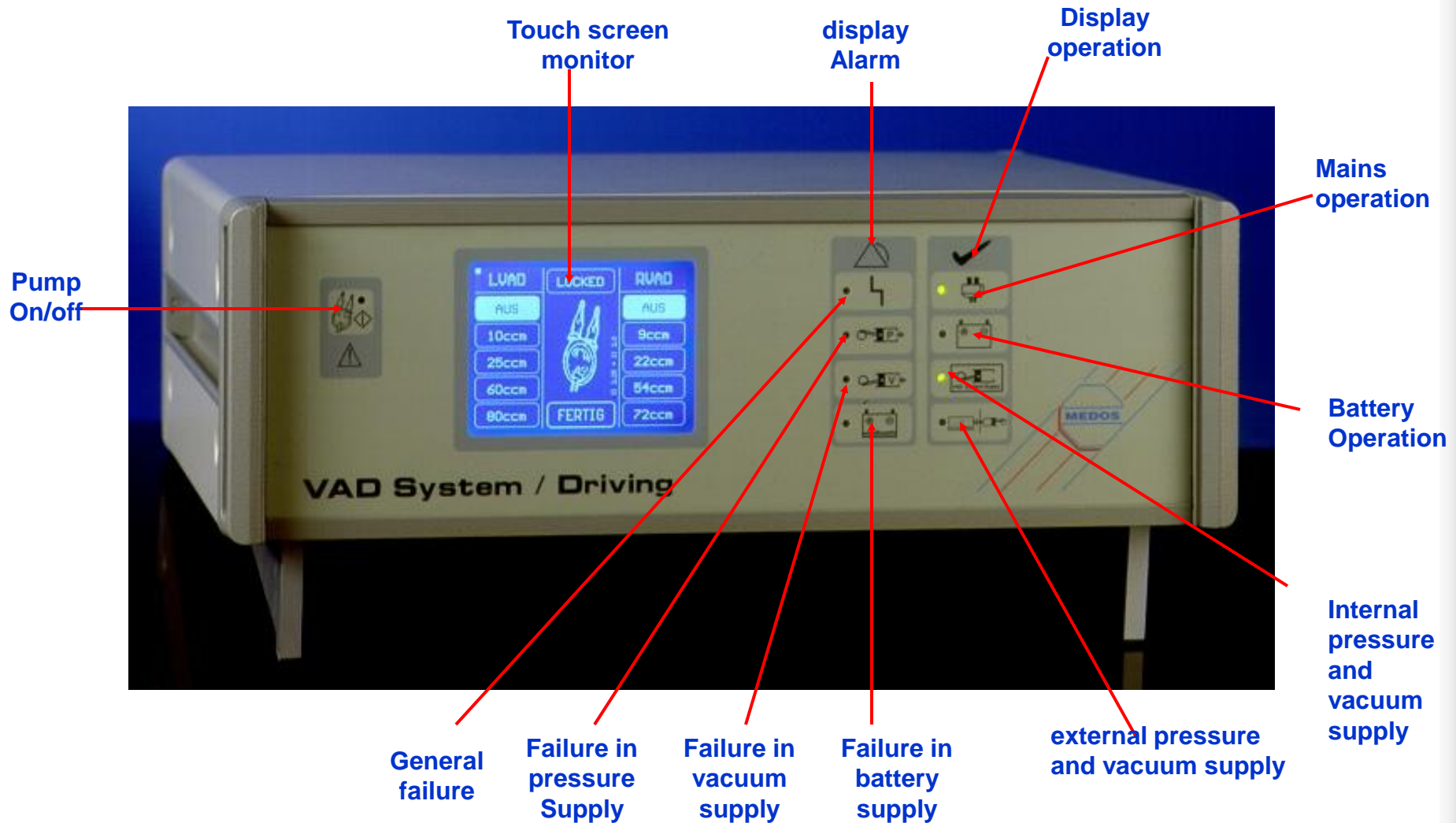
- very stable and solid
- battery supply 45 minutes for BiVAD Use
- flow measuring for patients monitoring
- very large and heavy
- complicated data acquisition
- small touch screen
- EKG triggered mode

The Driving-System

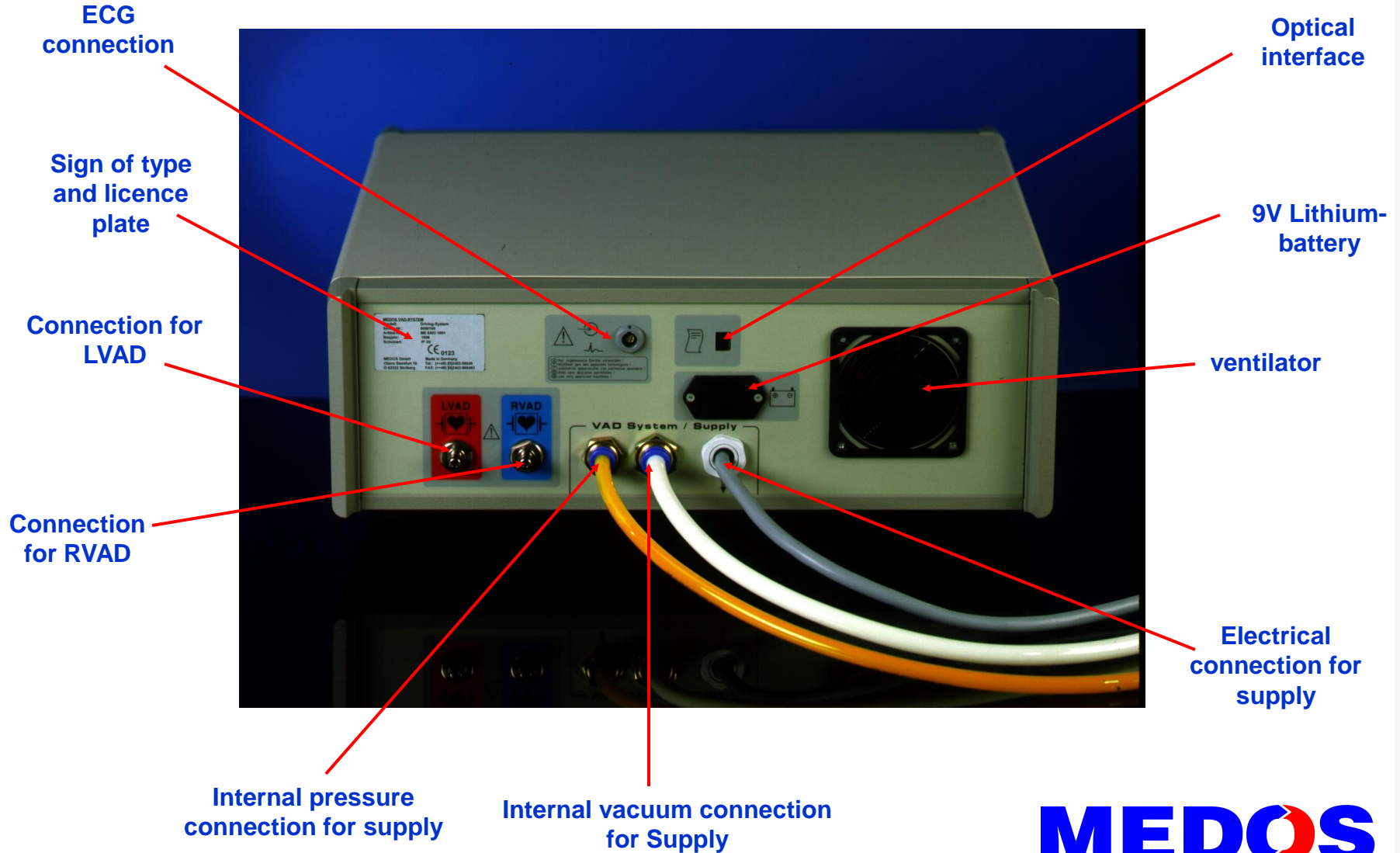


- Programming via Touch Screen Monitor
- monitoring of all user instructions on dialogue menu
- Use very safe by easy handling of the system

Frontview of the Driving



Backview of the Driving

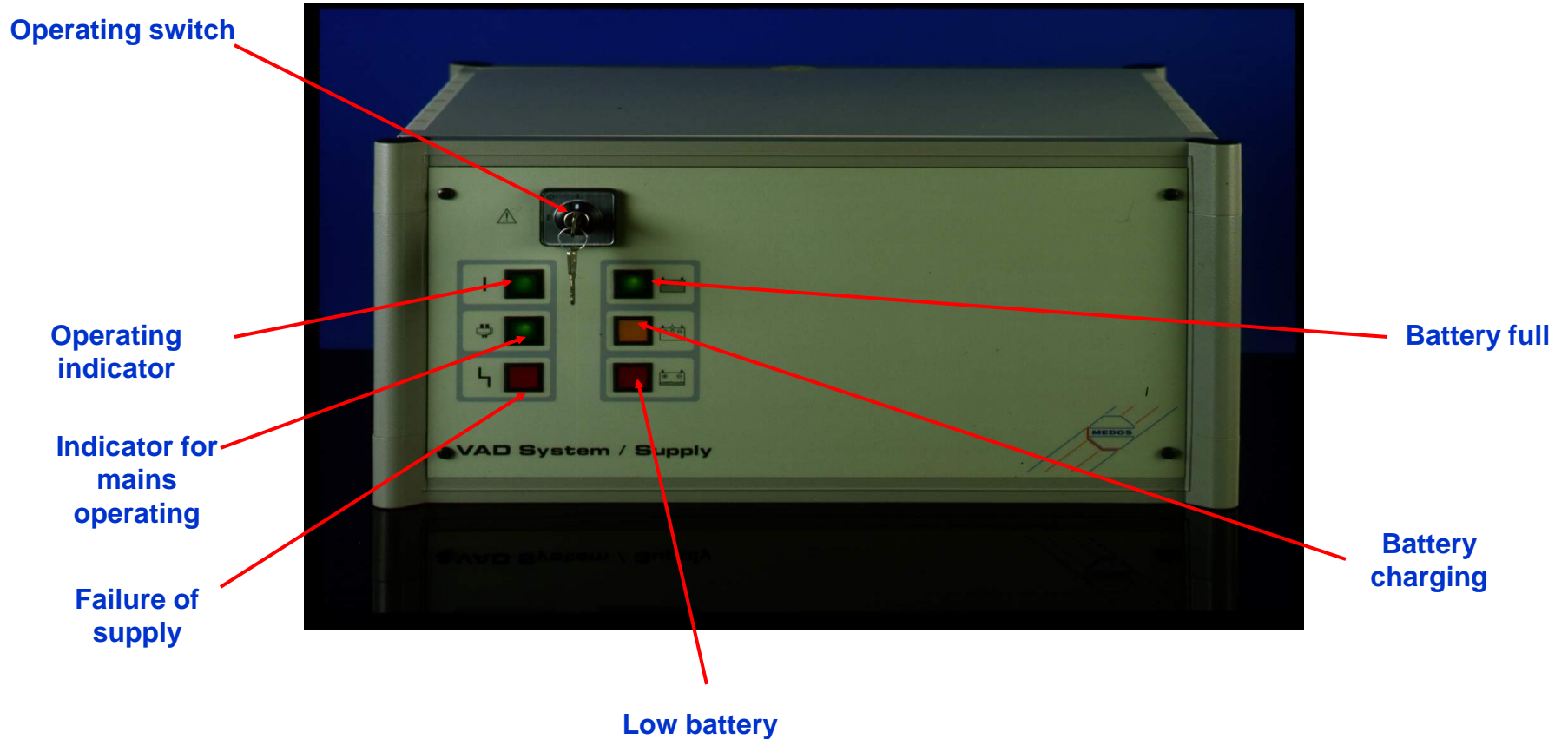


The Supply System

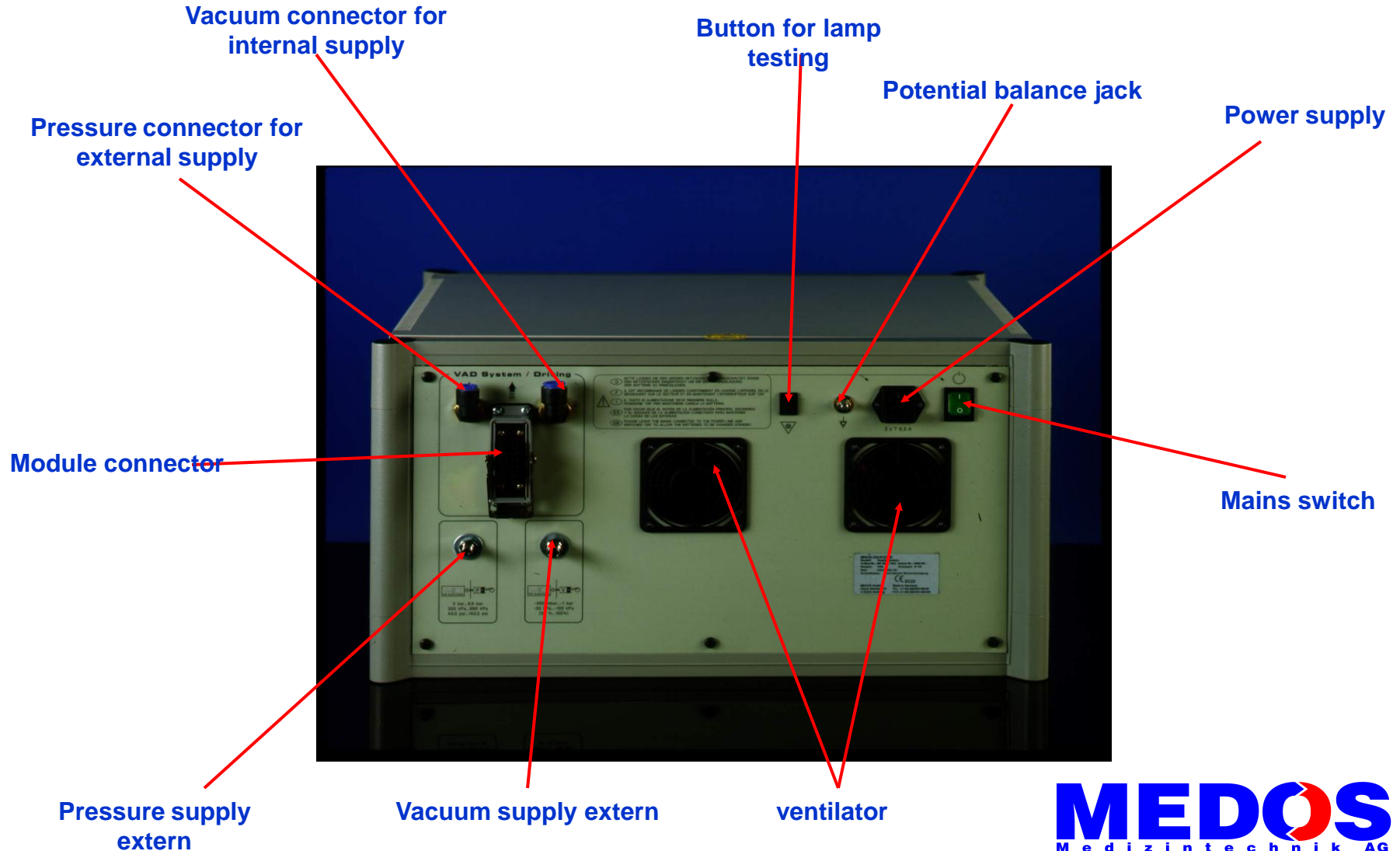


- Internal Akku (2 hrs)
- Internal Compressor
- injection of pressure and vacuum possible
- noiseless operation

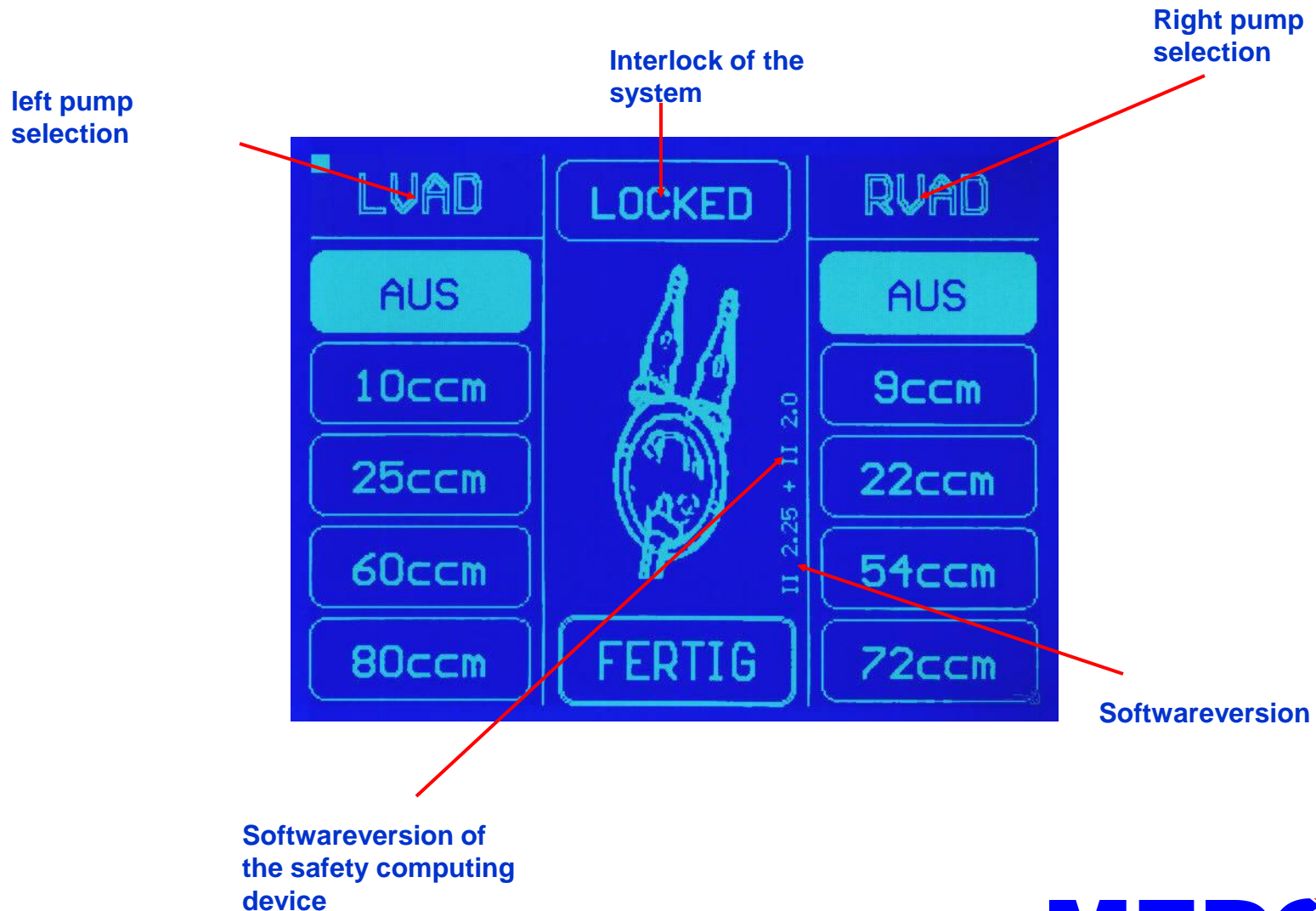
Frontview of the Supply



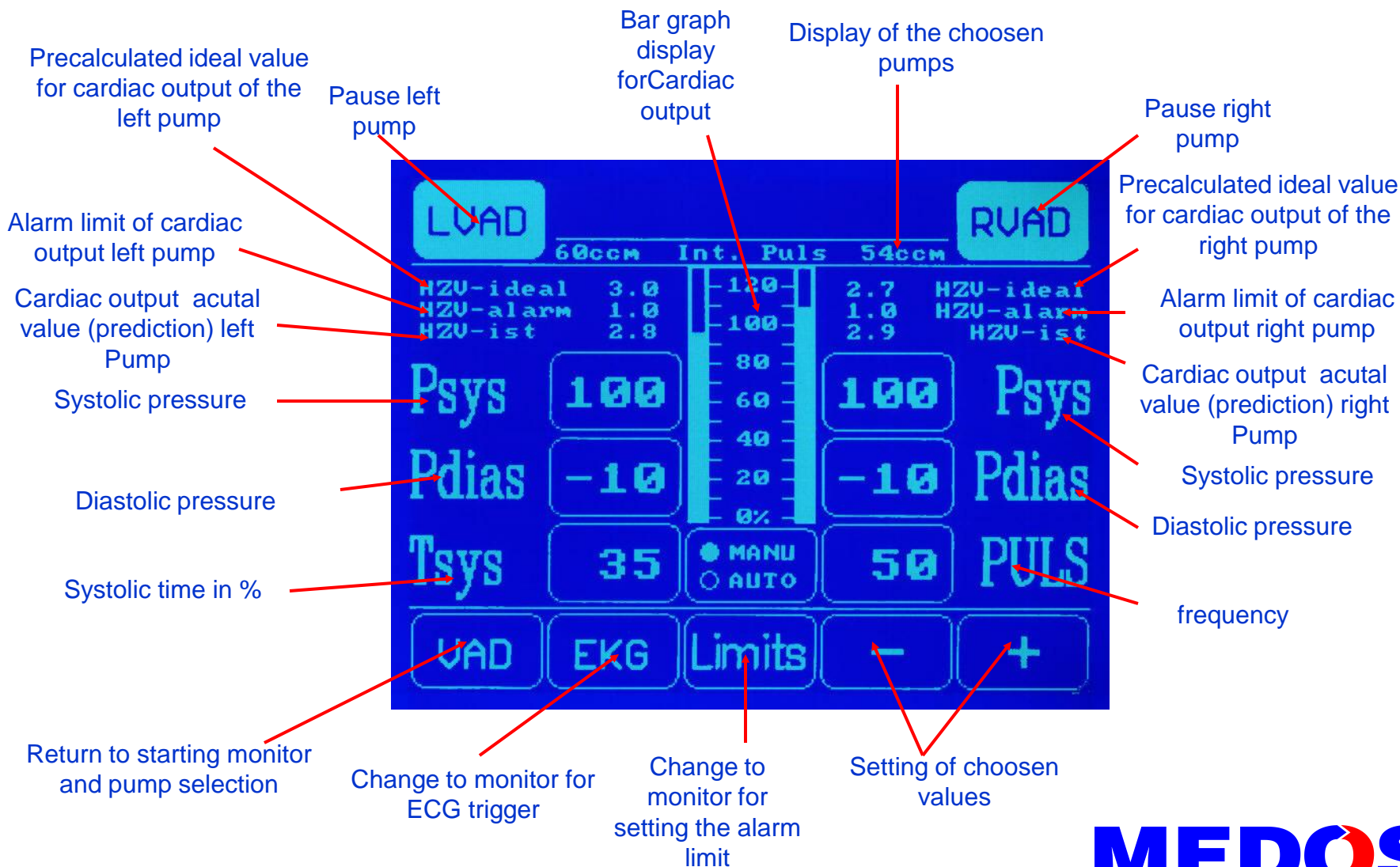
Backview of the Supply



Display after starting the System

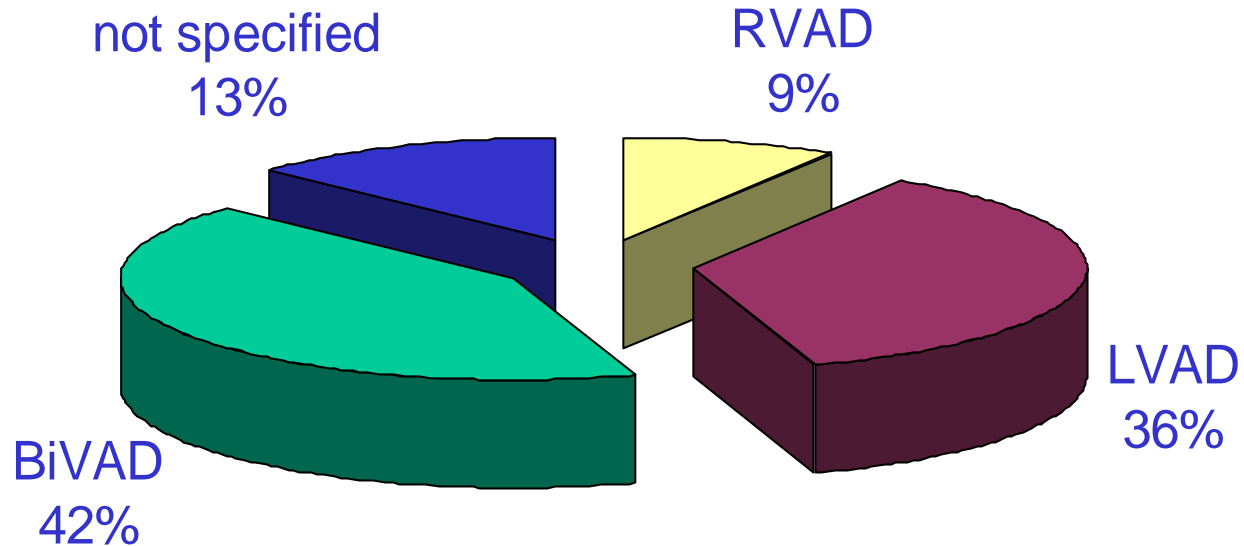


The pressure – setting - menue



The MEDOS VAD System

support mode



Analysis of Data I

Indications

Patients n=502

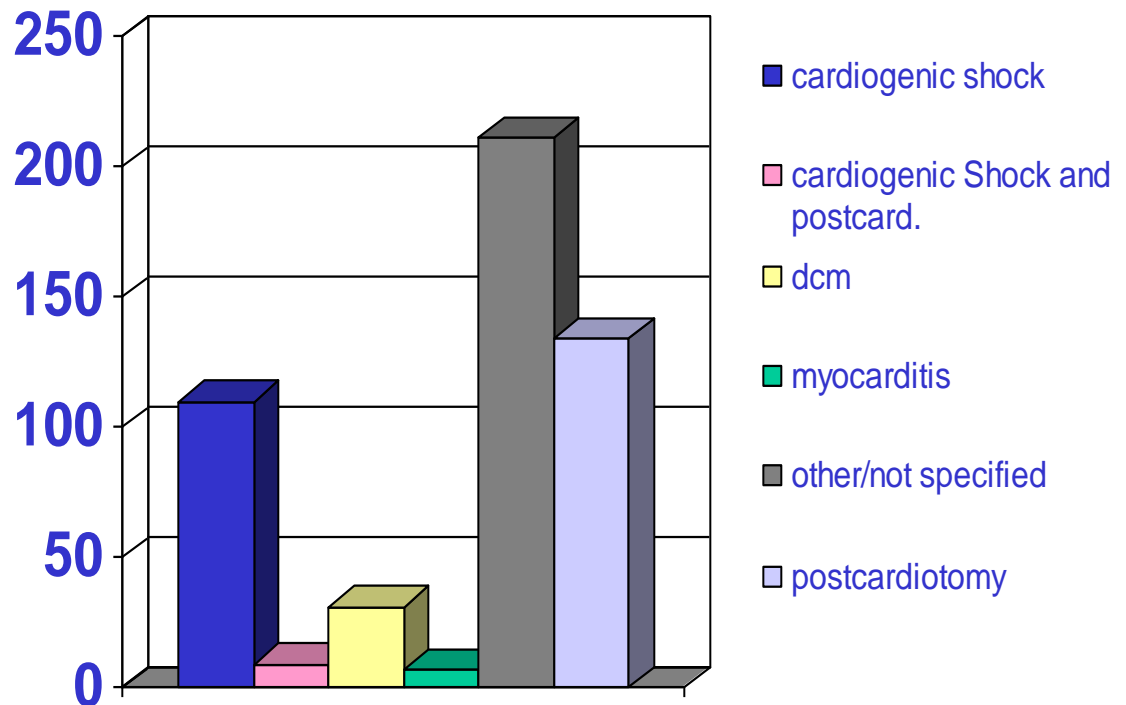
321 male

181 female

Age average

42,196 yrs

(0,01 – 67 yrs)



Analysis of Data II

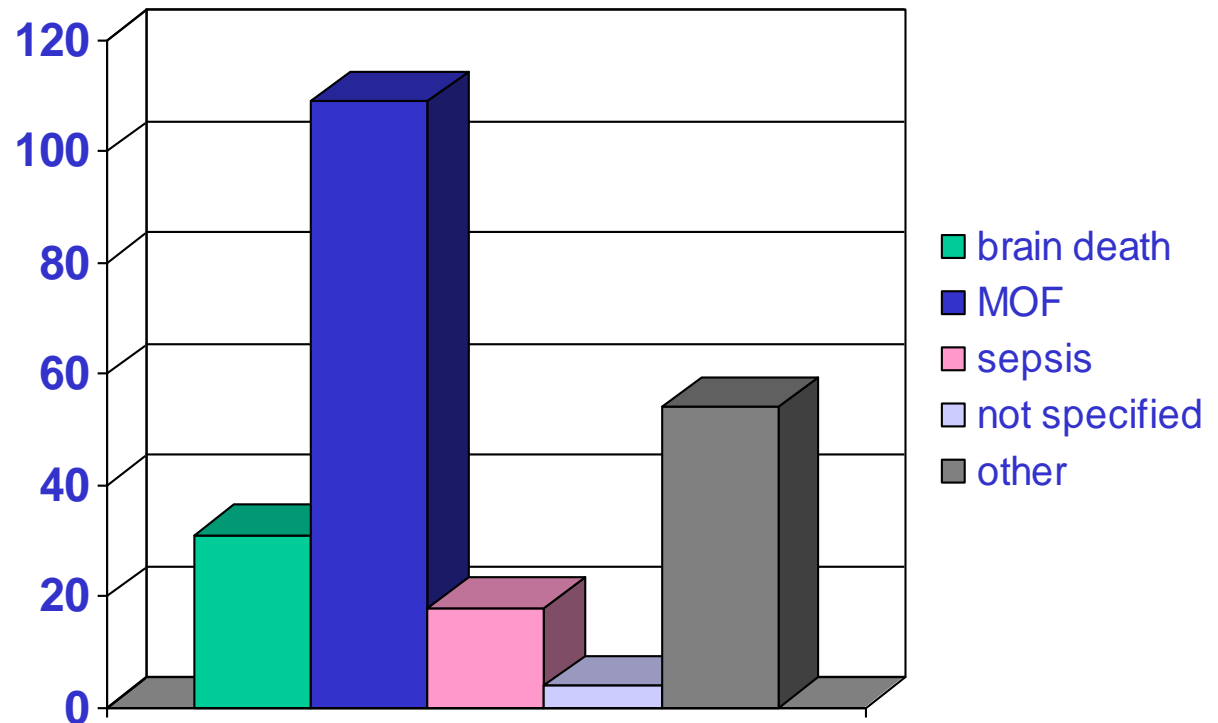
Patients n=502

Purpose:

Transplantation	123
Weaning	230
Not specified	121

Outcome:

Death	216
Weaning	150
Transplantation	135



the new arterial VAD cannulae

cannula with ePTFE graft



cannula with gelatine coated graft



Characteristics of the new arterial cannulae

- material: PVC (Polyvinylchlorid)
- Graft of high flexibility by expanded PTFE (Polytetrafluoräthylene) and ring amplification
- Different length and diameters
- Lower end of the cannula closed with lead-through-assistance
- Dacron tissue in lead through area



clinical experiences

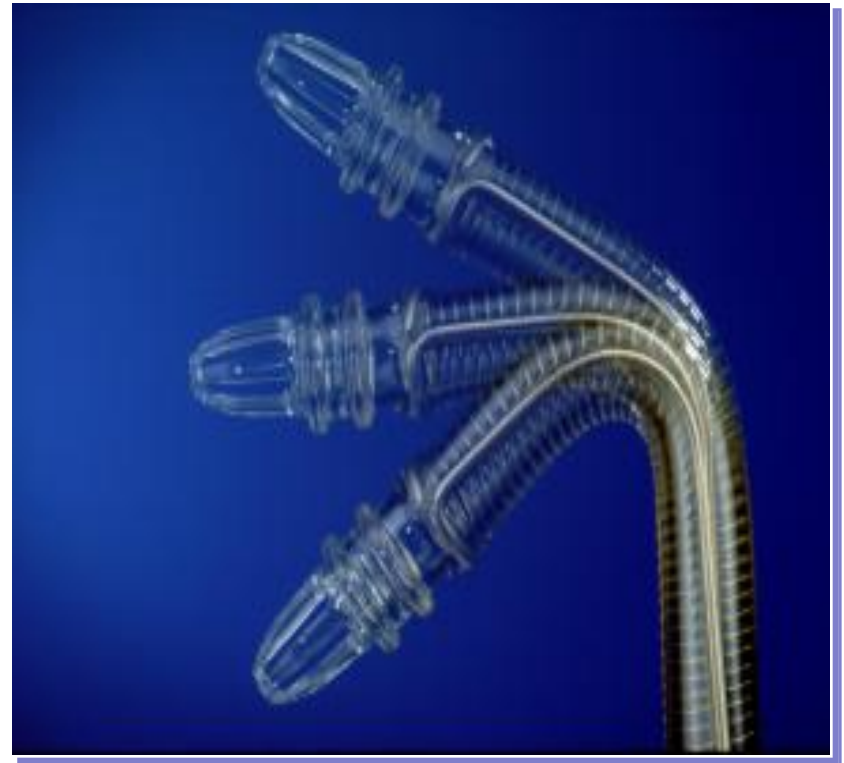
- ✓ already routinely use for dialysis AV shunts
- ✓ artificial substitution of peripheral vessels

animal experiments show the following conclusions:

- ✓ the graft has optimal flexibility
- ✓ Optimal density also at stitch ducts by using stitching material recommended by the manufacturer
- ✓ soft material
- ✓ handling very easy

Characteristics of the venous cannulae

- material: PVC (Polyvinylchlorid)
- Wire reinforced upper third
- Different length, diameter and angles (Standard 135°)
- Upper end with blood taking basket as well as seam elevation for fixation by double pursestring suture
- Lower end of the cannula closed with lead-through-assistance
- Dacron tissue in lead through area



availability

arterial cannula with ePTFE graft

inner diameter [mm]	article number	connection	for VAD ventricle
5,0	ME 656 B0053	1/4"	9/10 ml
6,0	ME 656 B0063	1/4"	9/10 ml
8,0	ME 656 B0083	1/4"	9/10 ml
8,0	ME 656 B0084	3/8"	22,5/25 ml
10,0	ME 656 B0104	3/8"	22,5/25 ml
10,0	ME 656 B0105	1/2"	54/60 ml 72/80 ml
13,0	ME 656 B0135	1/2"	54/60 ml 72/80 ml

availability

arterial cannula with gelatine coated graft

inner diameter [mm]	article number	connection	for VAD ventricle
6,0	ME 6560S 0063	1/4"	9/10 ml
8,0	ME 6560S 0083	1/4"	9/10 ml
8,0	ME 6560S 0084	3/8"	22,5/25 ml
10,0	ME 6560S 0104	3/8"	22,5/25 ml
12,0	ME 6560S 0125	1/2"	54/60 ml 72/80 ml
14,0	ME 6560S 0145	1/2"	54/60 ml 72/80 ml

Our Future: The MEDOS *HD*_{eight}



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specifications of the MEDOS *HD_{eight}*

- ✓ mobile drive
- ✓ battery supply up to 4 hours plus emergency energy (about 1 hour)
- ✓ automatic mode via flow measurement
- ✓ improved flow measurement
- ✓ size: 340x315x134 (BTH) weight: 9,8 kg
- ✓ easy data acquisition
- ✓ large touch screen 640x480 integrated into the console

Conventional drive vs. *HD_{eight}*

	Conventional drive	<i>HD_{eight}</i>
Application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - LVAD, RVAD, BiVAD - Ventricle Size 9 ml to 80/72 ml 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - LVAD, RVAD, BiVAD - Ventricle Size 9 ml to 80/72 ml
Operating Mode	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fixed-rate mode - EKG mode 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fixed-rate mode - Automatic modus = first fill then empty -> var. rate
Biventricular mode	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - push – push operation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - push – push operation - alternating operation
Portability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - emergency battery supply up to 45 minutes - size: 1150x700x750 mm - weight: 115 kg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - battery supplied up to 4 h plus emergency energy >= 1h - size: 340x315x134 (BxTxH) mm - weight: 9,8 kg - environmental fit: explosion proof - waterproof

Conventional drive vs. *HD_{eight}*

	Conventional drive	<i>HD_{eight}</i>
Securities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - processor controlled security system with integrated emergency power - optic and acoustic warning signals on fail of functions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Integrated autonomous backups Monitoring and alarm possibilities: flow, pressure incl. tube buckling - - minimal false handling because of user guide and integrated ventricle typing
Technical Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - beating frequency: 40 to 180 BPM - beating volume: - pressure left/right: 300 mmHg max - vacuum left/right: -99 mmHg max - battery supplied mode: emergency 45 min max - operating voltage: 2 x 12V intern, DC 24V/ 230 V, others available 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - beating frequency: 35 to 130 BPM - beating volume: 160 ml max. - pressure left/right: 400 mmHg max - vacuum left/right: -200 mmHg max - battery supplied mode: 4 h max plus 1h memergency energy - operating voltage: 12V intern, DC 12V / 110-240 VAC extern
User interface	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - push – push operation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - push – push operation - alternating operation



Patient 1:

43 years

cardiogenic shock

60 min. reanimation

Implantation of LVAD

transplantation after 57 days





Patient 2:

15 years

DCM

Implantation of LVAD (60ml)

Transplantation after 14 days