

Outcomes	Patients (n= 174)
Thirty-day mortality	0
Symptomatic stroke	0
Re-exploration	2 (1.1)
Renal failure	5 (2.9)
Reintubation	1 (0.5)
Surgical sight infection	1 (0.5)
Sepsis	0
Pneumonia	0
Aortic dissection	0
Femoral artery trauma	0
Postoperative atrial fibrillation	25 (14.3)
Lower extremity compartment syndrome	0
Intensive care unit readmission	0
Chest tube output (total or within 24 hours), mL	171 (\pm 165)
Timing of chest tube removal (day)	1.6 (\pm 1.0)
Blood transfusion	34 (\pm 19.4)
Length of hospital stay, days	9.4 (\pm 7.5)

Table 3. Postoperative outcome of 174 patients who underwent MICS and postoperative MRI.

The values were presented as n (%) or median (interquartile range).

MICS, minimally invasive cardiac surgery; MRI, magnetic resonance imaging