was no difference in the impact of digitalis use upon mortality between participants in the SPORTIF III Study, which took place in 259 sites in 23 countries in Europe, Asia and Australasia, compared with SPORTIF V patients from 409 North American sites.

It is our hope that our focus on the potential problem of digitalis use in atrial fibrillation may lead to further analyses of available databases.

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