Supplemental Table 3 – Incidence of dominant intratidal recruitment/derecruitment (R/D), linear expansion and overdistension in participating centers.

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|  | Group | Intra-tidal  R/D | Linear expansion | Overdistension | Σ |
| Foggia | Low PEEP | 5 | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| High PEEP | 2 | 8 | 0 | 10 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boston | Low PEEP | 6 | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| High PEEP | 2 | 5 | 1 | 8 |
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Values are given as absolute numbers; positive end-expiratory pressure (PEEP)