

Table 2. Comparison of the results obtained from apical four chamber view facilitated by the Right Cranial or Left Caudal platform tilt.

Parameter	Sham		PAB		Dunnet's post-hoc test	
	RiCr (mean $\pm$ SD)	LeCa (mean $\pm$ SD)	RiCr (mean $\pm$ SD)	LeCa (mean $\pm$ SD)	RiCr (Sham vs PAB)	LeCa (Sham vs PAB)
E (mm/sec)	222 $\pm$ 27	231 $\pm$ 30 <sup>§</sup>	251 $\pm$ 64	230 $\pm$ 59 <sup>§</sup>	n.s.	n.s.
A /mm/sec)	423 $\pm$ 50	404 $\pm$ 42 <sup>§</sup>	517 $\pm$ 74	491 $\pm$ 53 <sup>§</sup>	n.s.	n.s.
TAPSE (mm)	1.03 $\pm$ 0.08	1.08 $\pm$ 0.11 <sup>§</sup>	0.60 $\pm$ 0.08	0.61 $\pm$ 0.14 <sup>§</sup>	**	**
e' (mm/sec)	22.2 $\pm$ 2.4	20.1 $\pm$ 3.2 <sup>§</sup>	13.8 $\pm$ 3.7	13.9 $\pm$ 4.5 <sup>§</sup>	*	*
a' (mm/sec)	28.4 $\pm$ 4.4	26.9 $\pm$ 7.0 <sup>§</sup>	24.8 $\pm$ 4.9	26.2 $\pm$ 6.7 <sup>§</sup>	n.s.	n.s.
S (mm/sec)	23.8 $\pm$ 1.8	26.0 $\pm$ 3.8 <sup>§</sup>	18.4 $\pm$ 3.6	18.7 $\pm$ 6.3 <sup>§</sup>	n.s.	n.s.
E/e'	10.1 $\pm$ 1.7	11.7 $\pm$ 2.1 <sup>§</sup>	18.9 $\pm$ 5.0	17.3 $\pm$ 5.3 <sup>§</sup>	**	*
HR (bpm)	400 $\pm$ 33	401 $\pm$ 15 <sup>§</sup>	408 $\pm$ 41	409 $\pm$ 43 <sup>§</sup>	n.s.	n.s.