An In-Stent Restenosis Case of an Under Expanded Stent due to Heavy Calcification Treated by Rotational Atherectom y and Wire Cracking

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Case; 70-year-old male

Diagnosis: Angina Pectoris (CCS1)

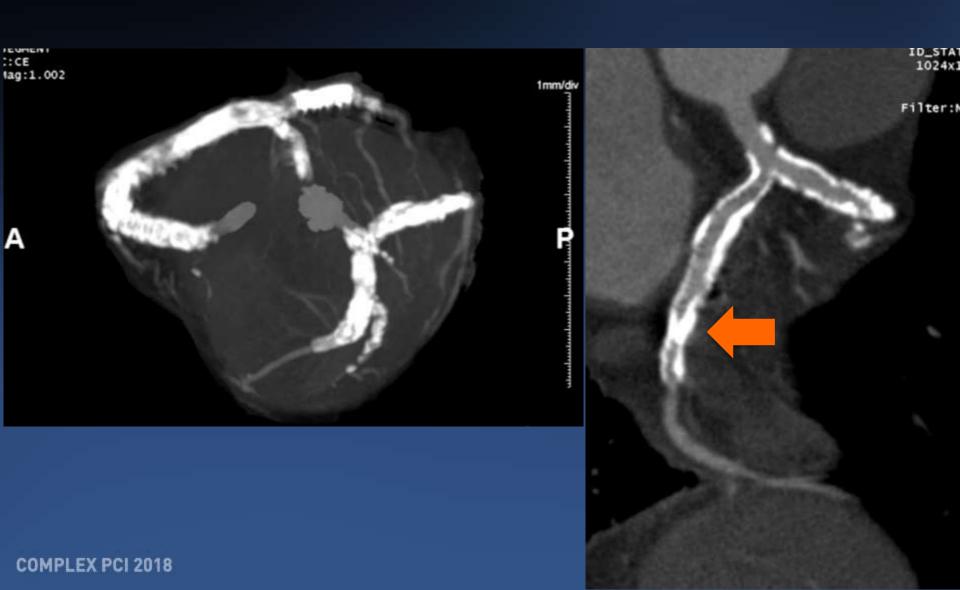
Present illness:

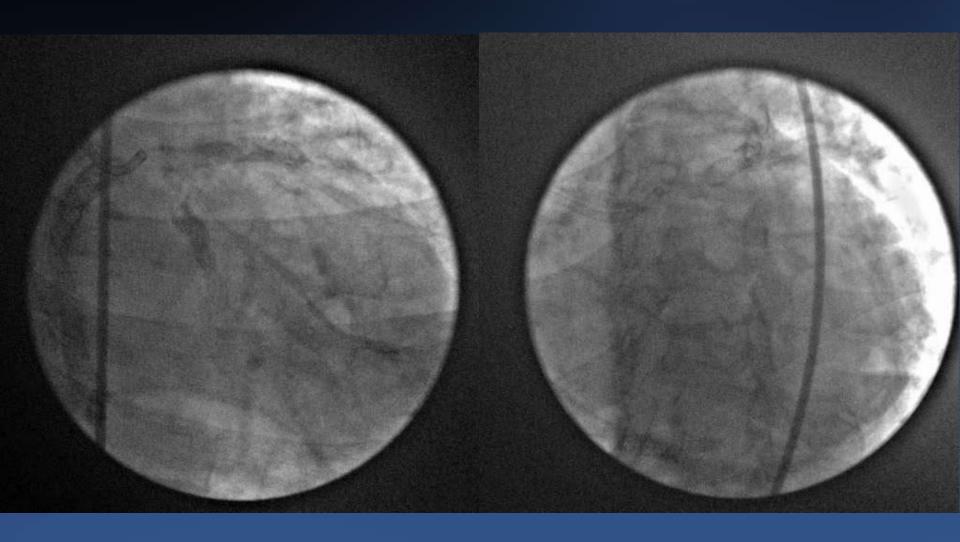
- PCI for acute antero-septal STEMI about 20 years ago
- Repeat revascularization to LAD and RCA.
- PCI for LCX 3years ago.
- Chest symptom on effort.
- An in-stent restenosis lesion was suspected in the LCX with CT angiography.

Coronary risk factors: Hypertension, Diabetes

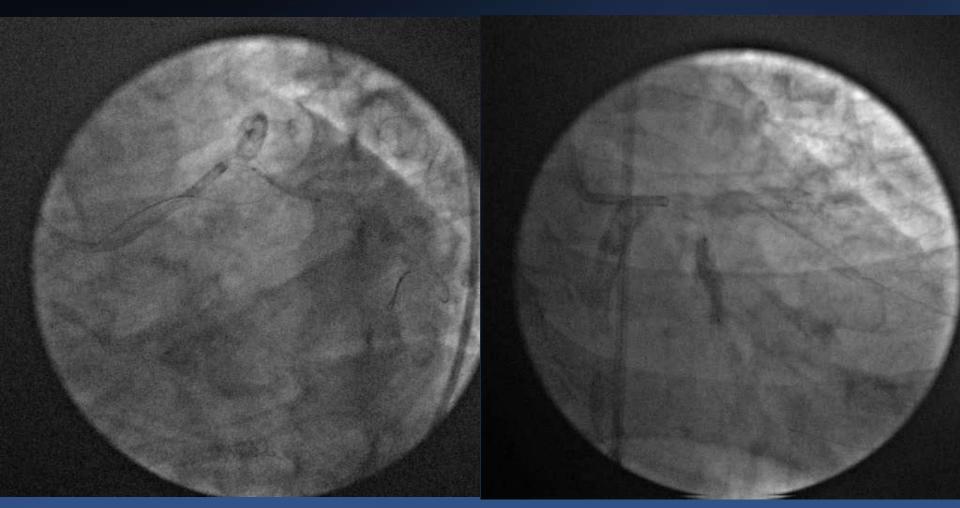


Coronary CT angiography



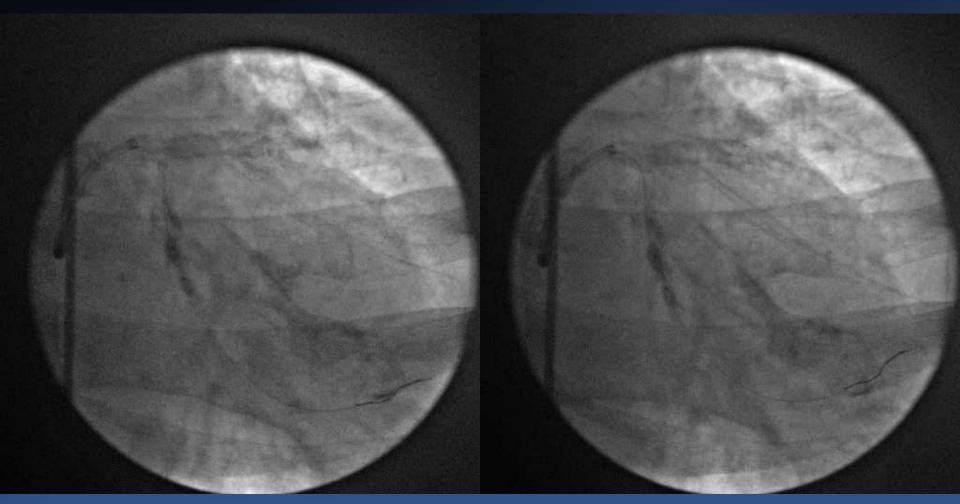






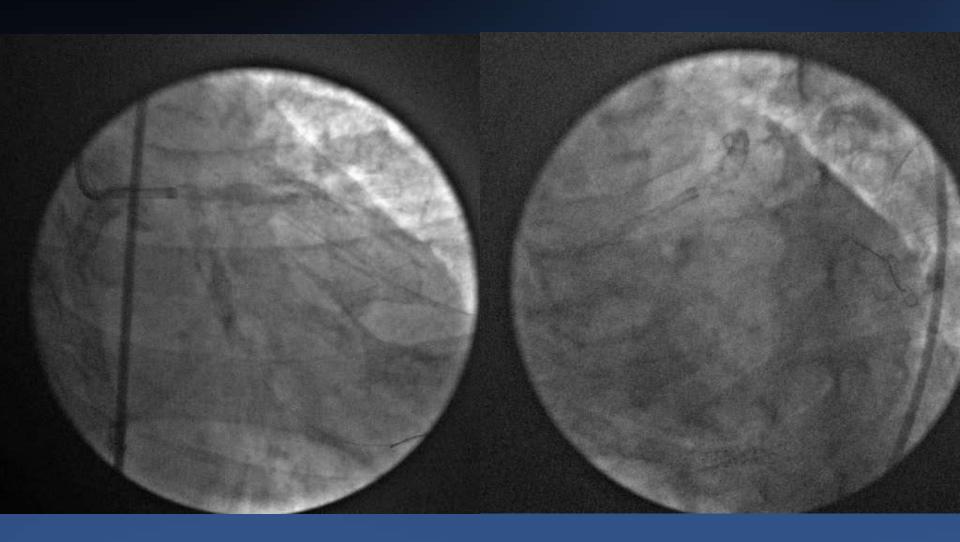
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NC Sprinter 2.75x12mm, 28atm

Cyclone HP 3.25x10mm, 30atm



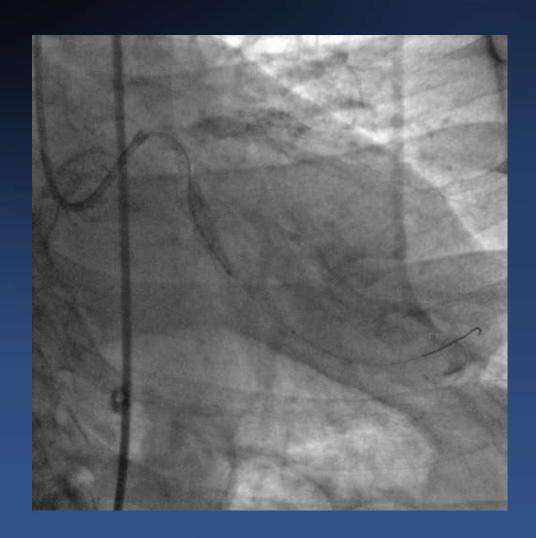
Control CAG

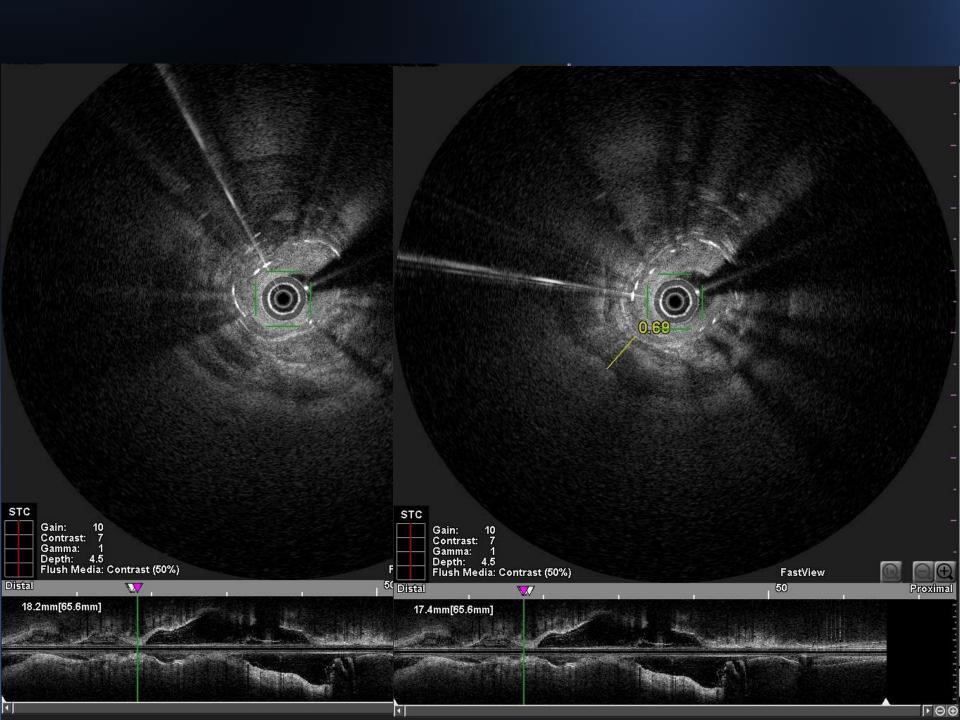
Lt.Femoral 7Fr approach G.C; Hyperion SPB375SH 7Fr





OFDI





Guideliner 7Fr



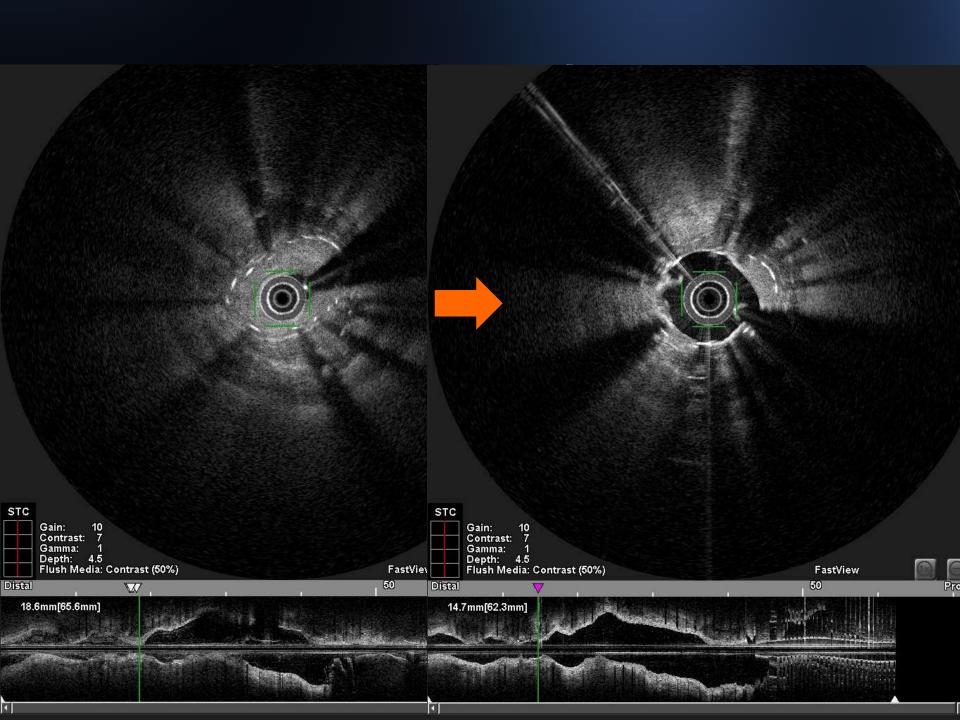


Rotational Atherectomy



Rotawire Extrasupport
1.5mm burr, 200,000rpm





POBA

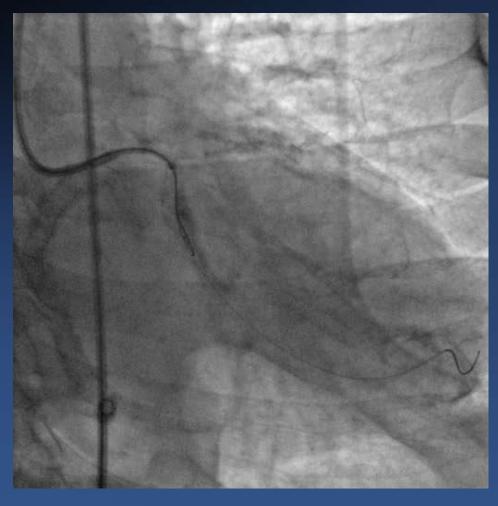


DOBEL 3.0x10mm, 30atm



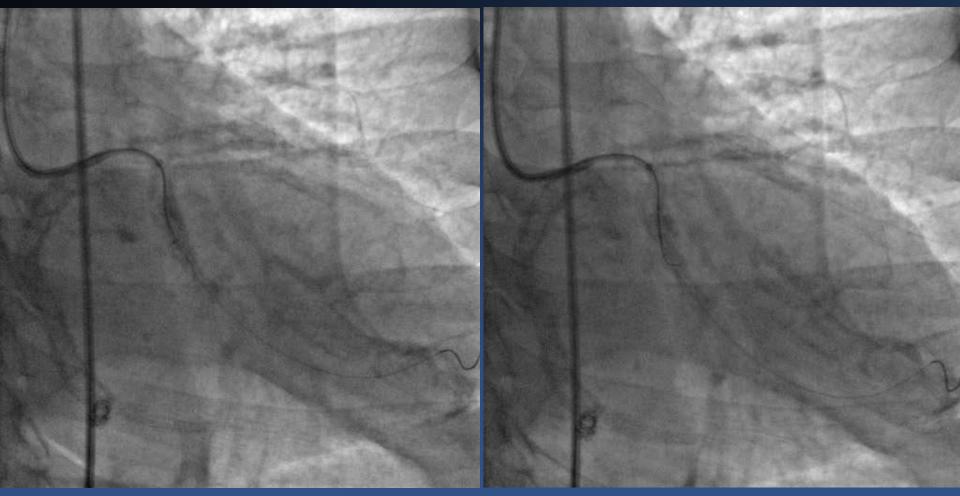
Wire Cracking

Crusade K support



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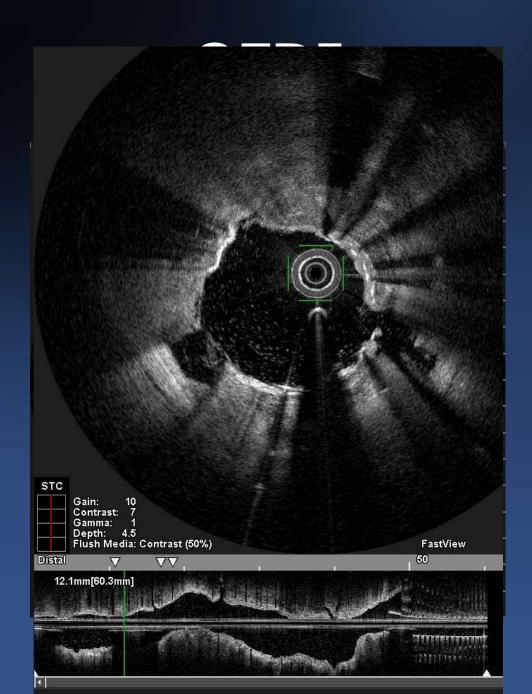
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Stenting

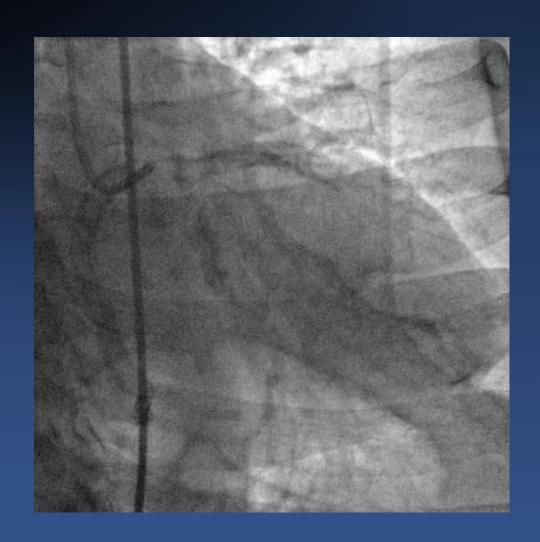




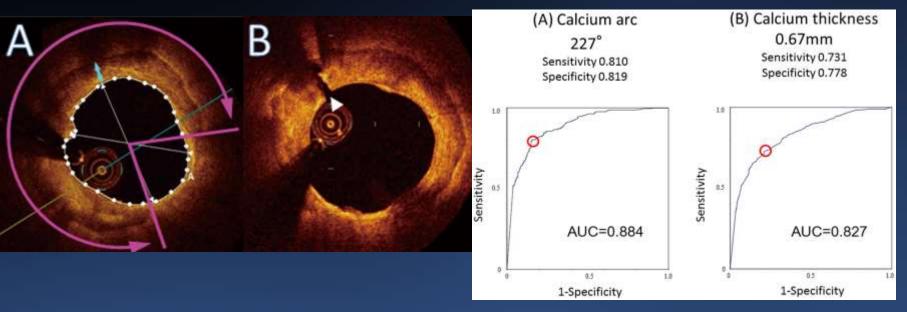
OFDI



Final CAG



Discussion



Presence of calcium crack was the important determinant of optimal stent expansion in the calcified coronary lesions.

Larger calcium arc (>227°) and thinner calcium thickness (<0.67mm (670μm)) were associated with formation of calcium crack (Circ J 2016; 80: 1413-1419)

In this case, in addition to thick calcification, the under expanded stent was the obstacle, and we needed to make mandatory cracks with stiff wir



Conclusion

 We report an in-stent restenosis case of an under expanded stent due to heavy calcification treated by rotational atherectomy and wire cracking.