

# Coronary Reaccess and PCI After TAVR: Tips and Tricks

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# Coronary access after TAVR

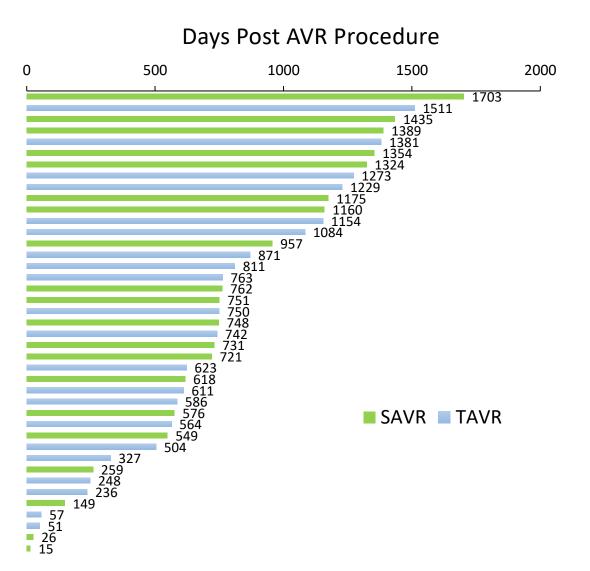


#### TIMING OF POST-AVR PCI

In the multicenter SURTAVI trial, 2.2% (36/1660) of patients required PCI after valve replacement with a surgical or transcatheter valve.

The duration of time between the index AVR procedure and PCI varied widely for both TAVR and SAVR patients:

- Mean days from index AVR to PCI Procedure
  - TAVR: 699.8±406.9 days
  - SAVR: 822.1 ±527.1 days
- Linearized rate of PCI post AVR in patients (per year)
  - TAVR: 0.008
  - AVR: 0.009







#### POST-TAVR ANGIOGRAPHY AND PCI SUCCESS RATES

#### Clinical data show that coronary access post-TAVR is technically feasible

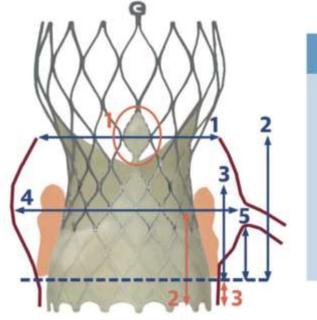
Source	TAVs	PCI Success Rate**
Tanaka, et al. Cardiovascular Revasc Med, 2019 <sup>1</sup>	37 CoreValve™ 4 Evolut R™	28/30 <b>(93.3%)</b>
Kleiman, et al. Presentation at CRT, 2019 <sup>2</sup>	20 CoreValve	30/33 <b>(90.9%)</b>
Htun et al., Catheter Cardiovasc Inter, 2018 <sup>3</sup>	28 CoreValve	29/29 <b>(100%)</b>
Zivelonghi et al., Am J Cardiol, 2017 <sup>4</sup>	41 SAPIEN 3™* 25 Evolut R	17/17 <b>(100%)</b>
Chetcuti et al., TCT, 2016 <sup>5</sup>	169 CoreValve	103/113 <b>(91.2%)</b>
Allali et al. Cardiovasc Revasc Med, 2016 <sup>6</sup>	24 CoreValve	23/24 <b>(95.8%)</b>
Blumenstein et al., Clin Res Cardiol, 2015 <sup>7</sup>	19 SAPIEN™* 10 CoreValve 4 Symetis™* 1 Portico™* 1 Jena Valve™*	10/10 <b>(100%)</b>

Average PCI Success Rate\*\*<sup>1-7</sup> **93.8%** 

Refer to individual study for definition of PCI success rates.

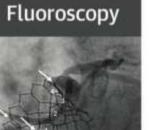
\*\* PCI success rates calculated for those patients in which PCI was attempted.

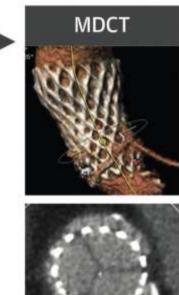
#### CLINIQUE Pasteur Factors influencing coronary access post TAVI

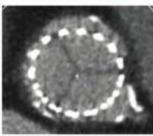




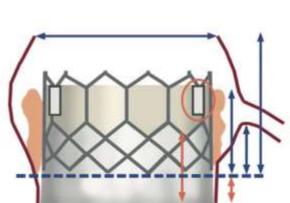
- 1. Sinotubular junction dimensions
- 2. Sinus height
- 3. Leaflet length and bulkiness
- 4. Sinus of Valsalva width
- 5. Coronary height











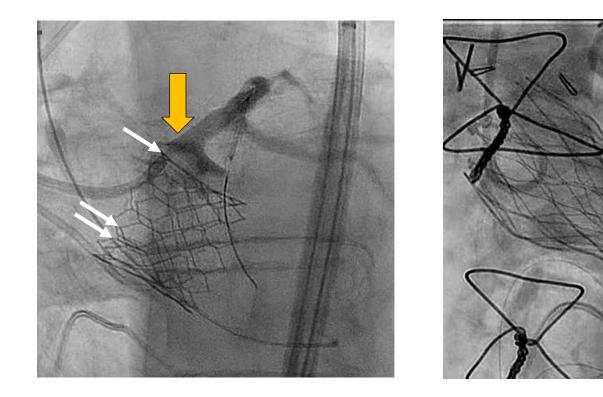
#### **Device and Procedural**

- 1. Commissural tab orientation
- 2. Sealing skirt height
- 3. Valve implant depth

Faroux L et al., JACC 2019



# Reasons for Difficult Coronary Re-access



Bulky calcium at LM orifice; Commissural tab facing LM Supra-annular leaflet with small STJ

Yudi MB, Sharma SK, Tang GH, Kini A. J Am Coll Cardiol 2018;71:1360-78



29mm

Evolut R /

PRO

29 mm

23 mm

34 mm

45 mm

26 mm

13 mm

10.2 mm 11.6 mm

29 mm

22.5 mm

8.1 mm

29 mm

26 mm

20 mm

7.0 mm

26 mm

34mm

Evolut R

34 mm

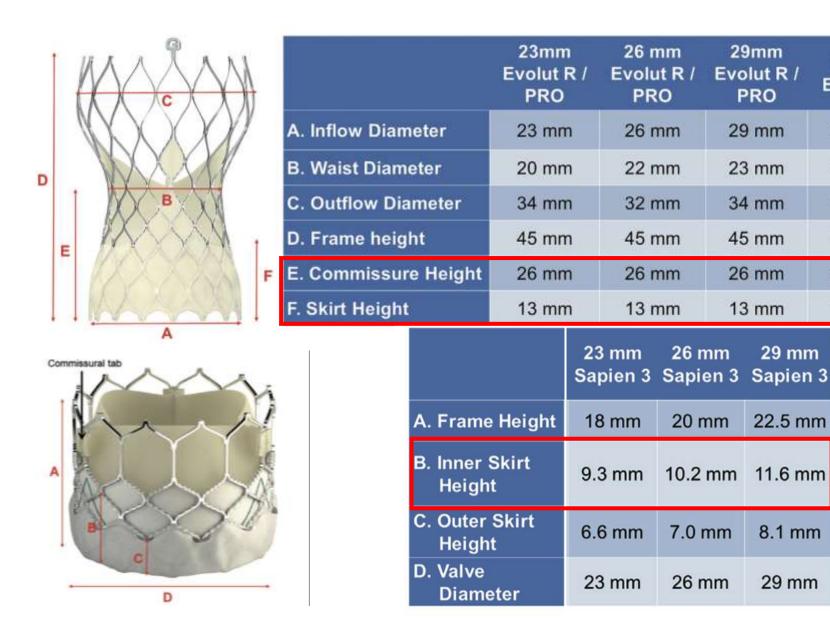
24 mm

38 mm

46 mm

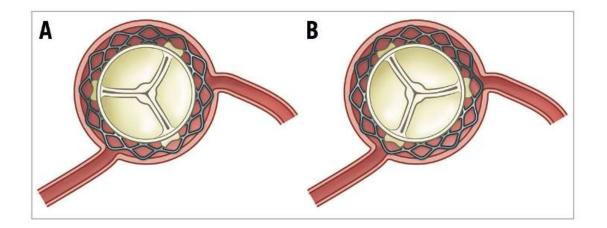
26 mm

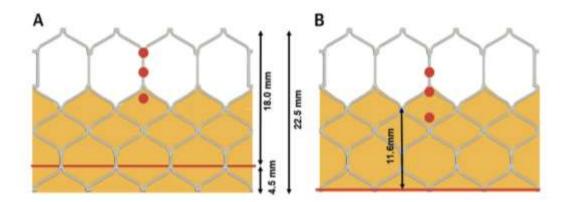
14 mm





## **Commissural alignment**







## Case 1



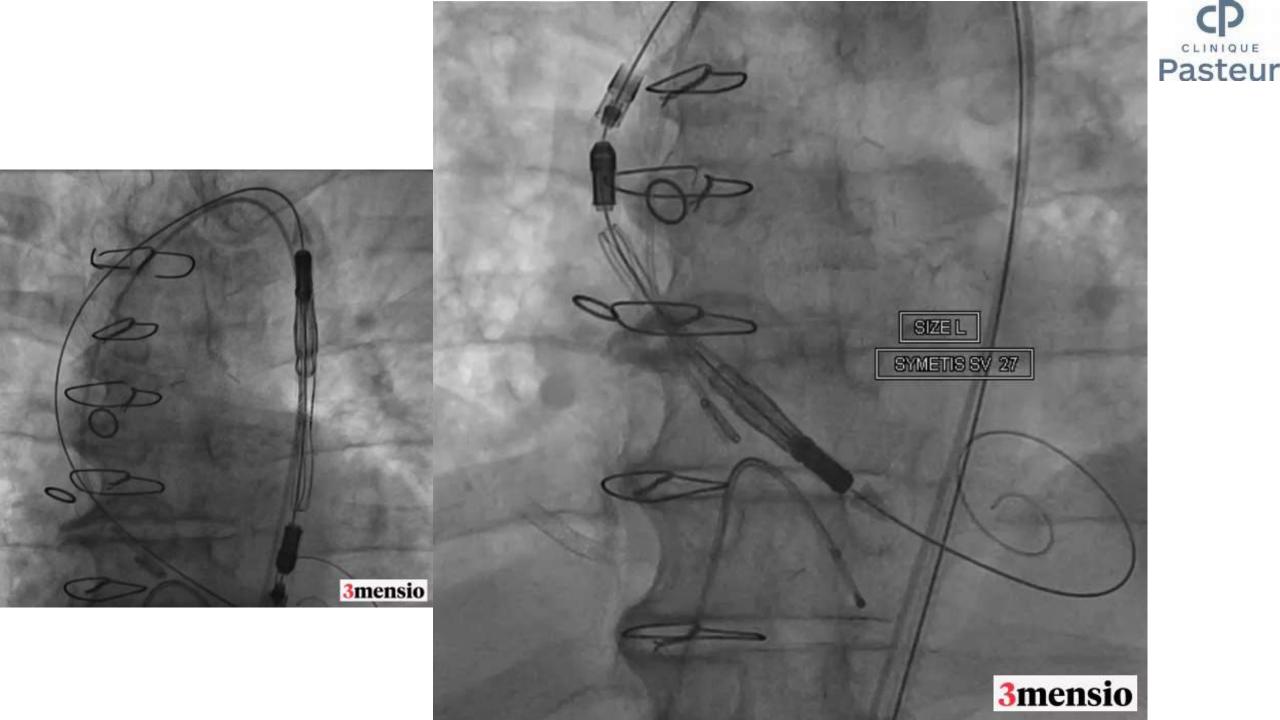
**85 y.o. male** CABG and PCI of SVG Cr Cl 35 ml/min/m2

#### NYHA 3 no angina

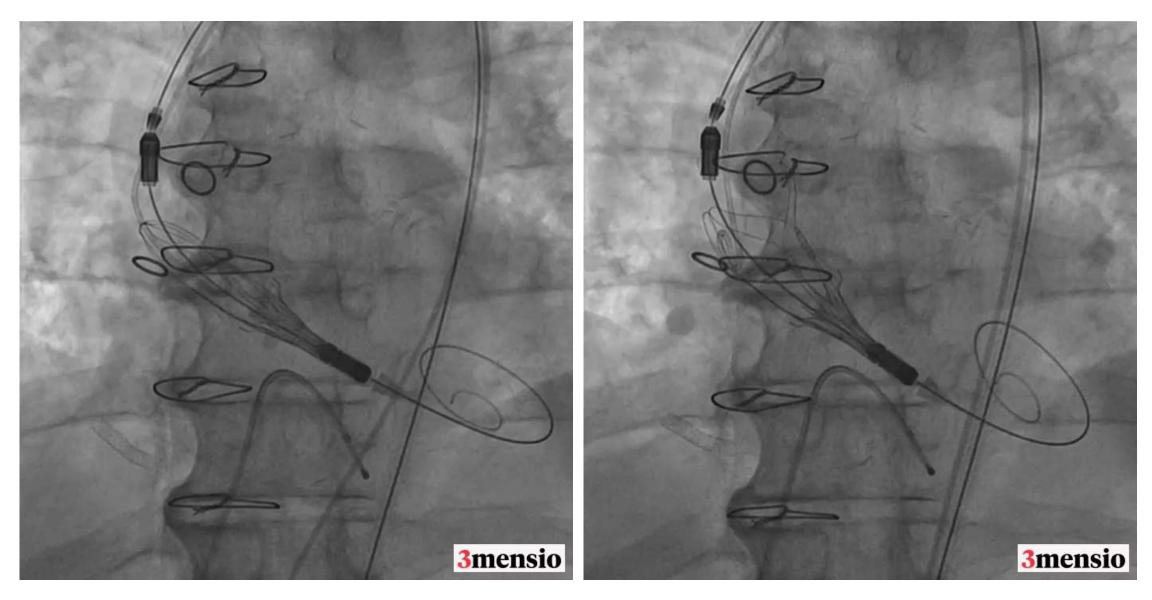
AS: AVA 0.8 cm2-Mean Gdt 45 mmHg-LVEF 45%-SPAP 56 mmHg

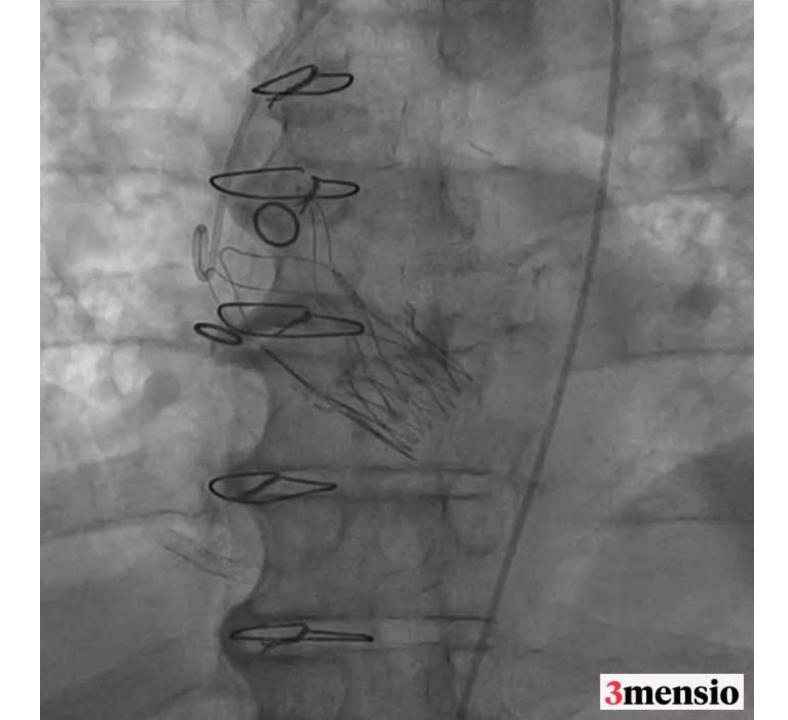
70% Proximal LCx (aneurysmal segment) 50% PDA 40 % proximal SVG-PDA

 $\rightarrow$  TF TAVI no coronary treatment













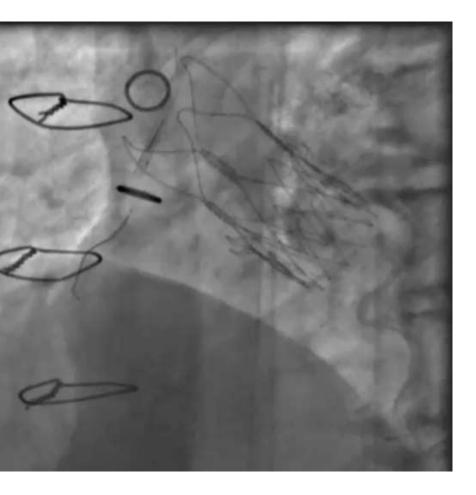
### 12 months post TAVI: angina CCS2

## 15% ischemia inferior and lateral wall

LCx disease + SVR-PDA disease







Filter EZ

3.0/15 balloon

SYNERGY 3.5/20 mm







3.5/15 balloon

SYNERGY 4/20 mm





## Case 2



# Case Example 2

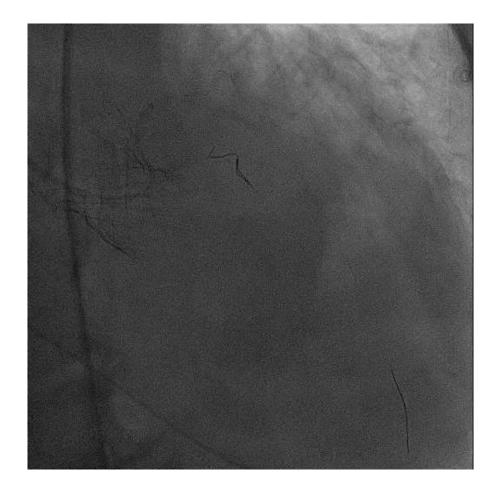




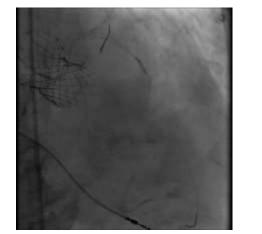
**Tip:** 0.35" J-wire advanced through strut close to LCA



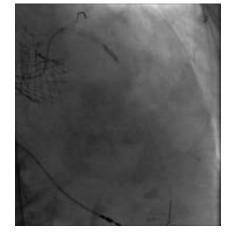
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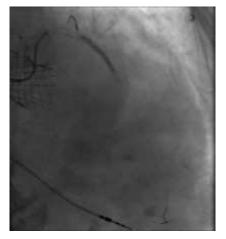


**Tip:** GC extension facilitates procedure



Predilation

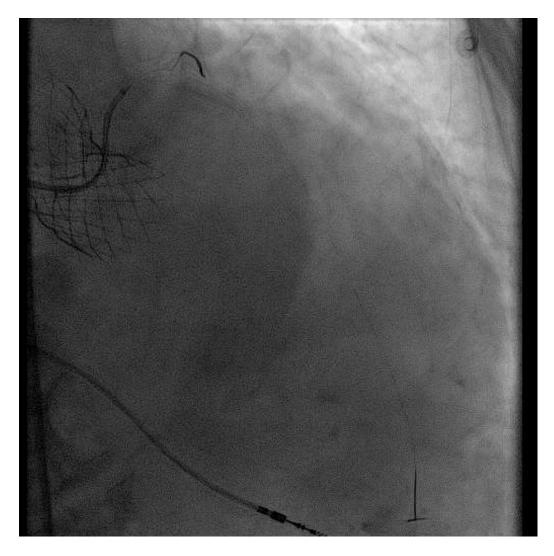




DES 3.0x28mm



# Case Example 2



**Final Result** 



## Case 3

#### TAVI MCV in 2011

- NSTEMI + acute pulmonary oedema
- Calcified Distal LM lesion

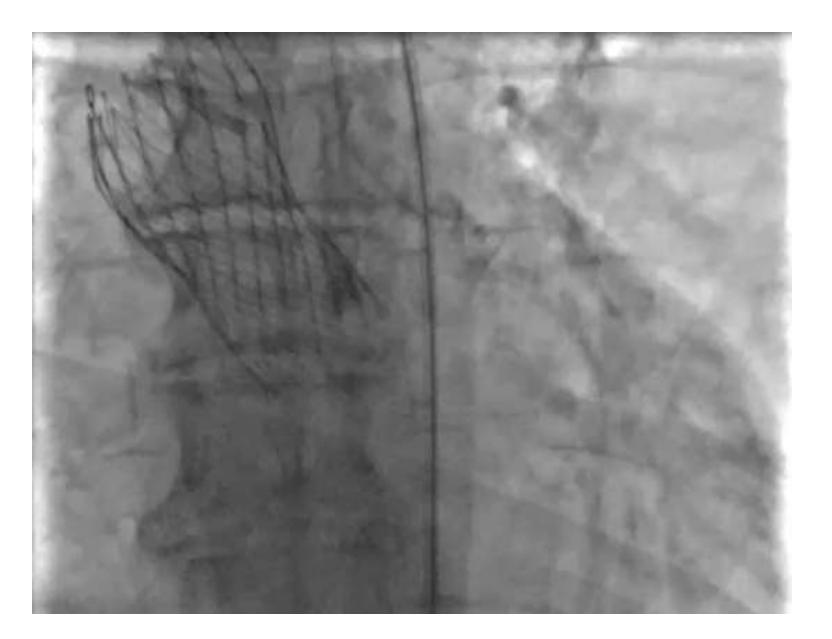
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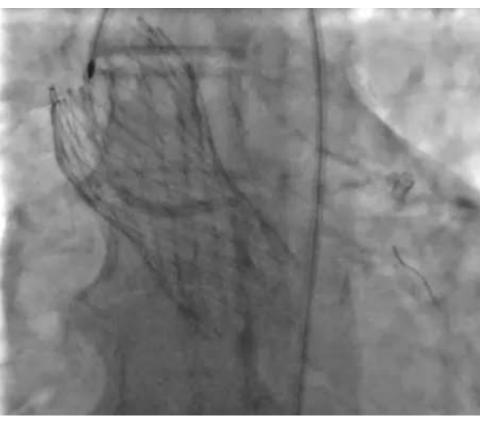




1.25 Rota burr



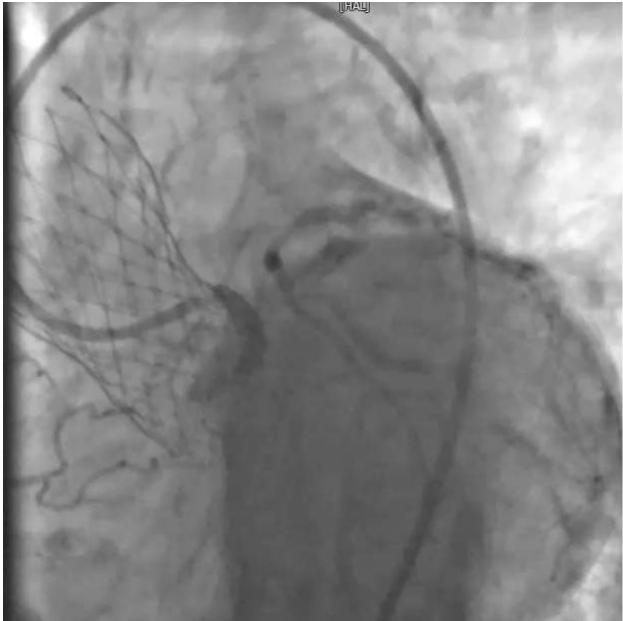




1.25 Rota burr

SYNERGY 4/20 mm

POT 4.5 NC

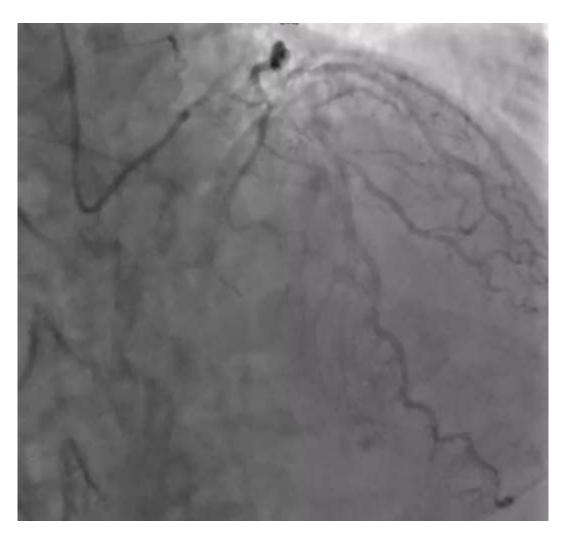


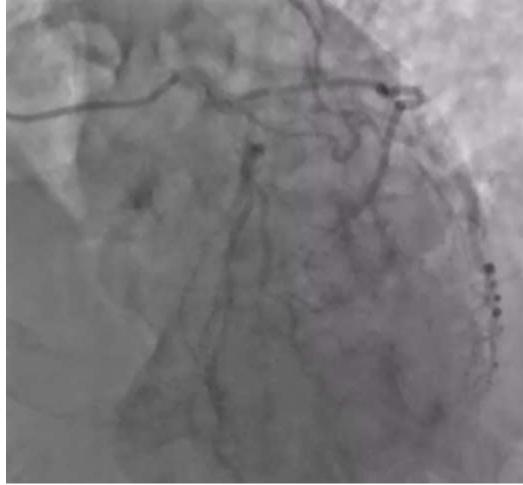




## Case 4





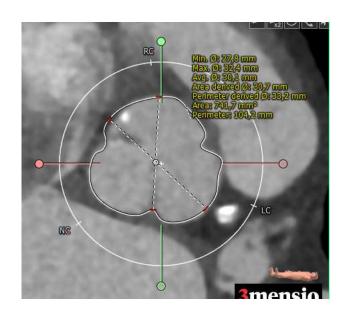


FFR 0.73

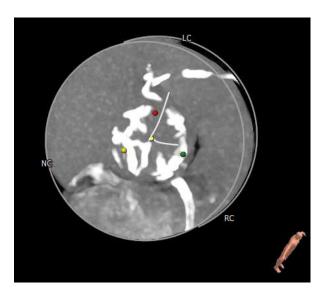
LM and Mid LAD

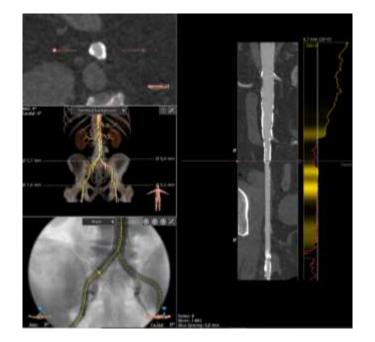


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Pasteur





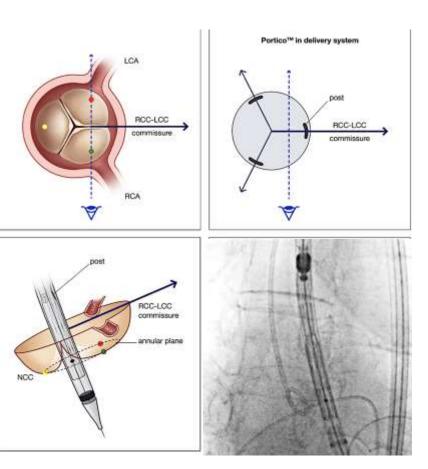
#### Strategy

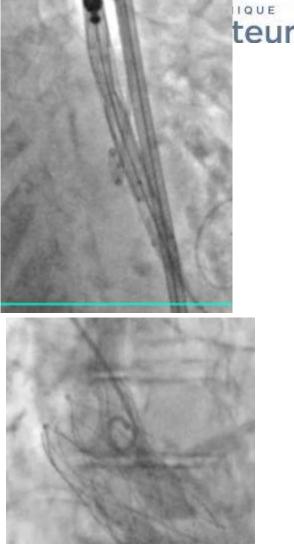
Streamlined TAVI with Portico 29 mm

Predil with 22 mm balloon

Commissural alignment

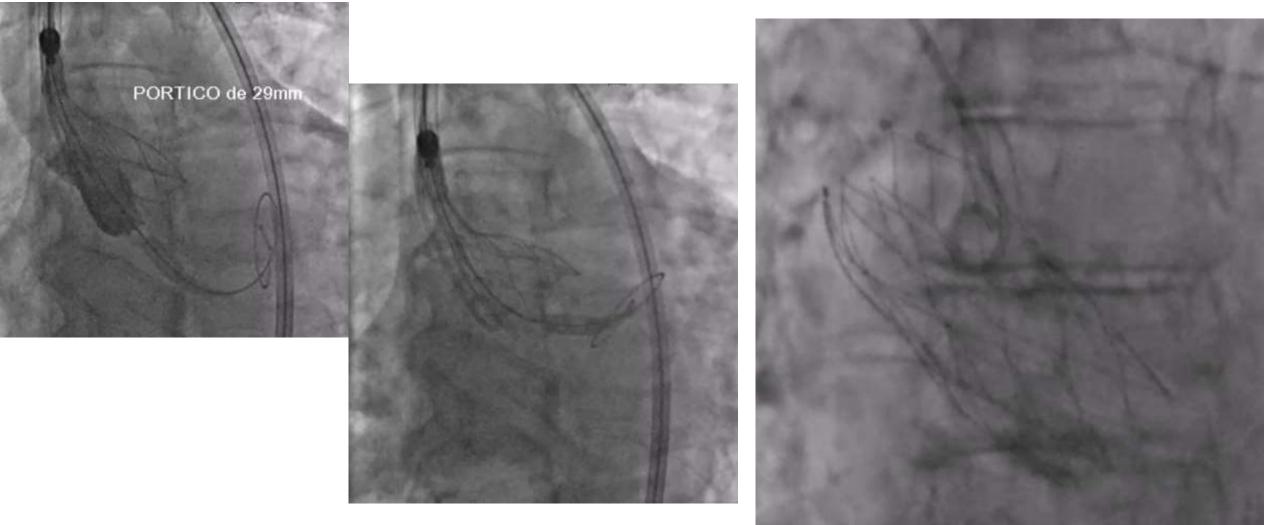
Post TAVI PCI

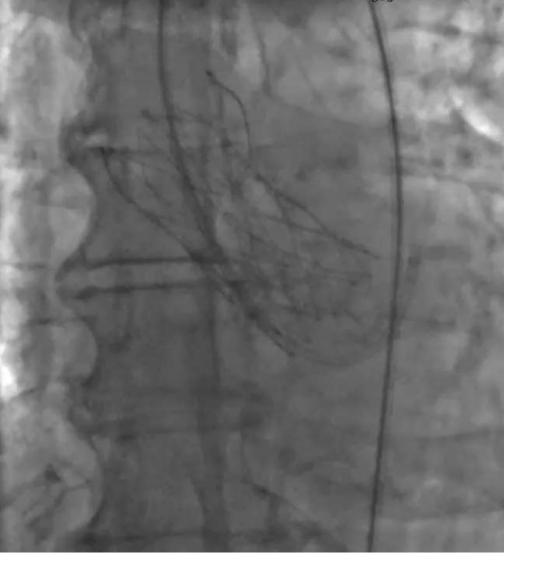






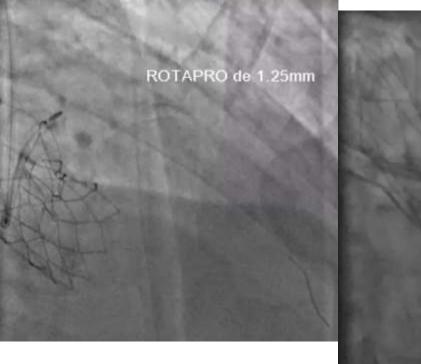


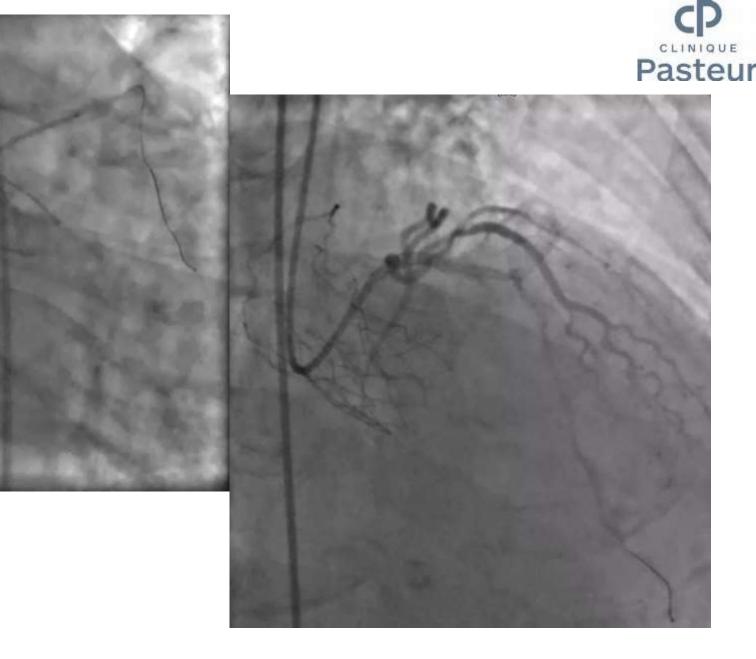




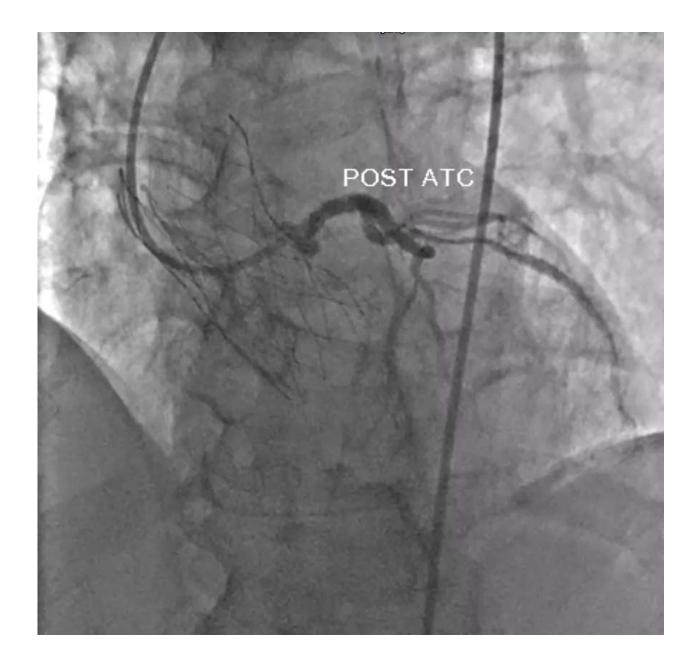








RotraPro 1.25 mm + XIENCE x2







# Tips & Tricks for coronary access post TAVI

- Aortic root shot to understand the anatomy
- Consider using pigtail catheter or placing wire in LV to ensure you are inside the THV, especially in dilated aorta
- LCA: EBU/XB, JL, AL. Use ½ size smaller than you would normally use
- RCA: JR, AL 0.75, AR, MPA
- Non-selective wiring of coronary artery
- Consider microcatheter exchange or dual lumen catheter for more supportive wire, e.g. Grand Slam as GC may be non-selective for most of procedure
- Liberal use of GC extension, esp. if struggling to advance the GC through a valve strut. Beware of damaging or distorting GC tip or dissecting coronary ostium. GC extension softer
- May need an anchoring balloon in coronary to advance GC extension into ostium
- Cobra or Venture steerable microcatheters may be useful