

OCT for Guiding Complex PCI: Wisdom from Experience



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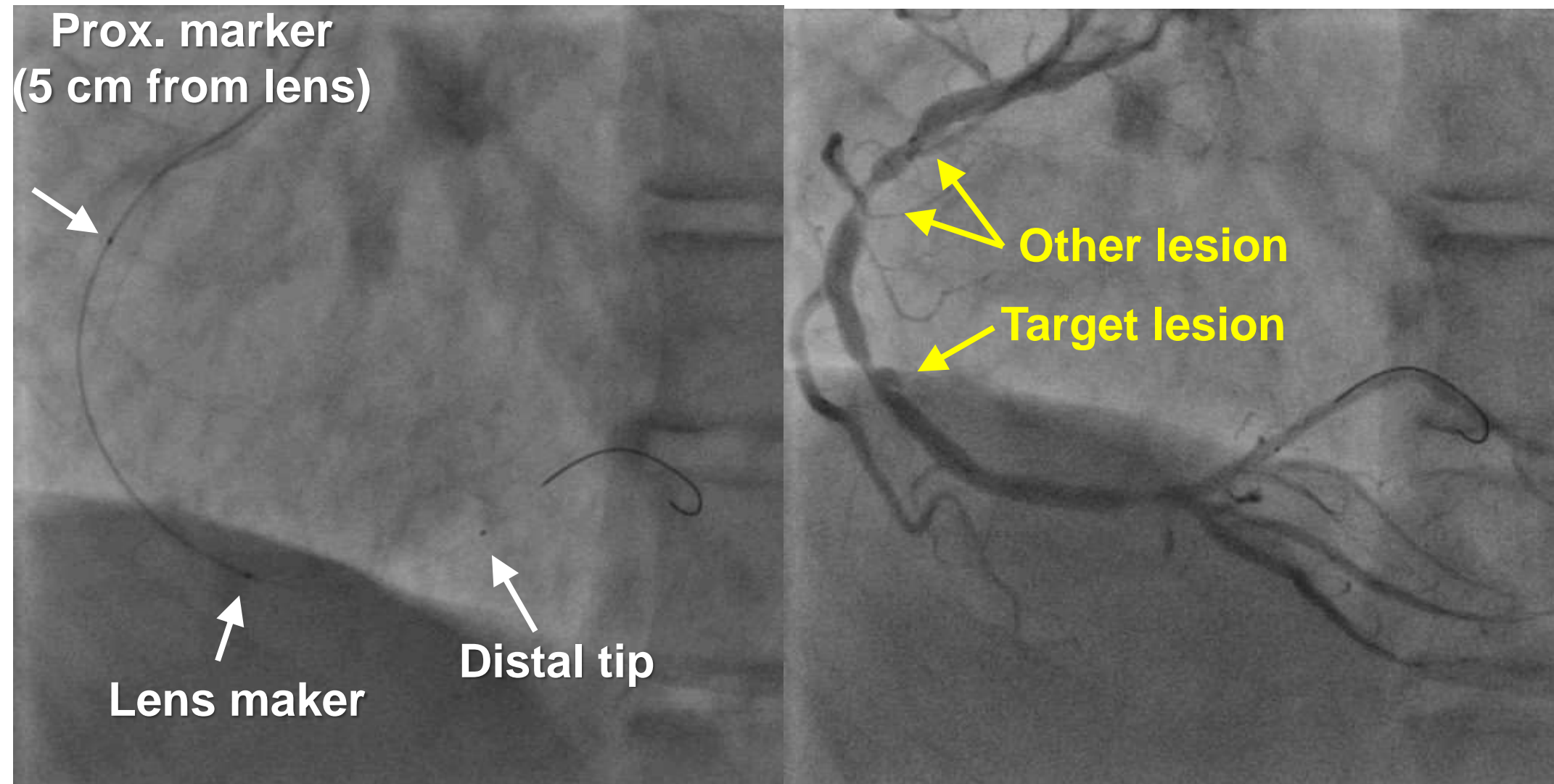
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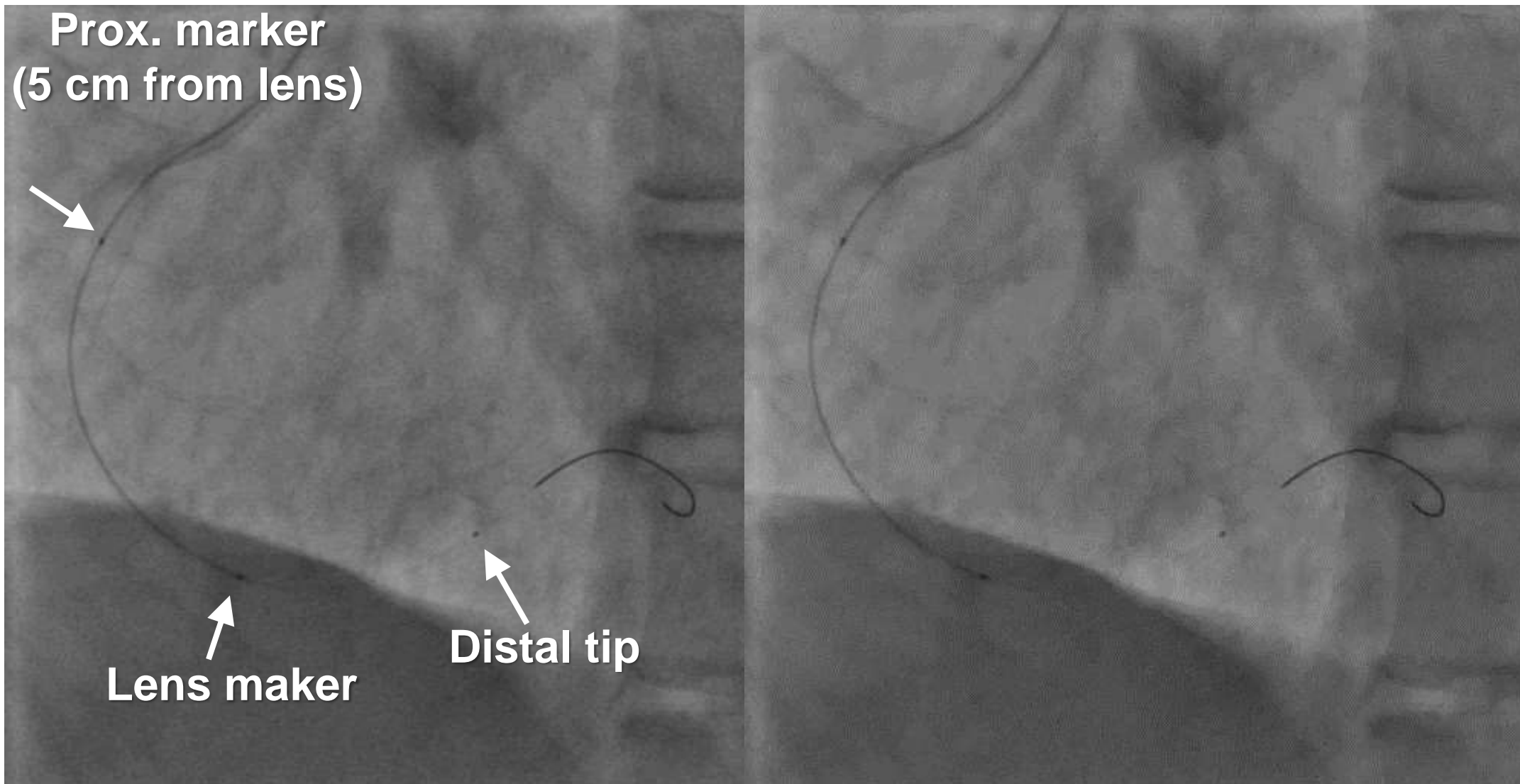
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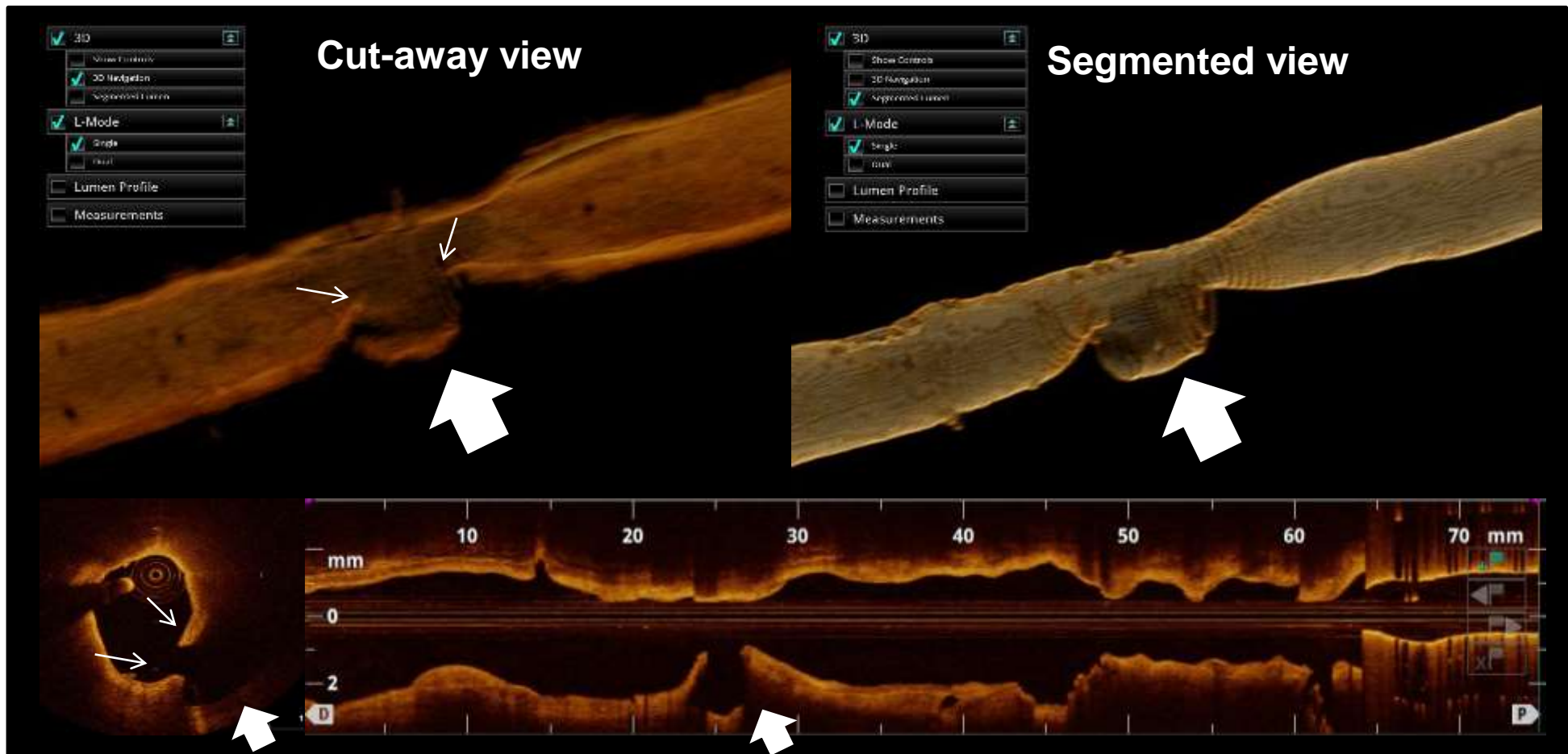
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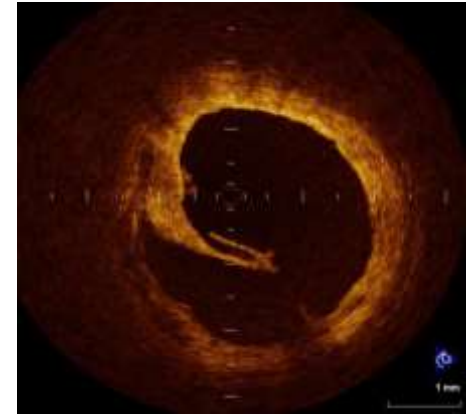
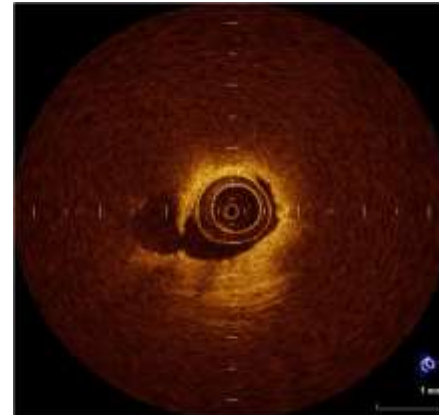
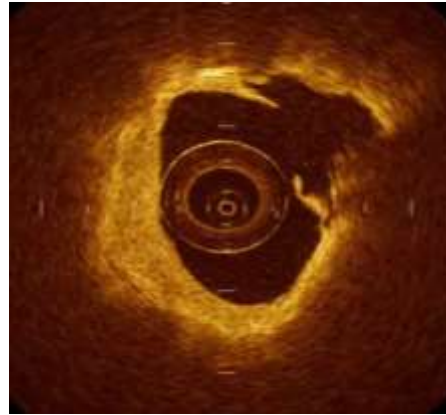


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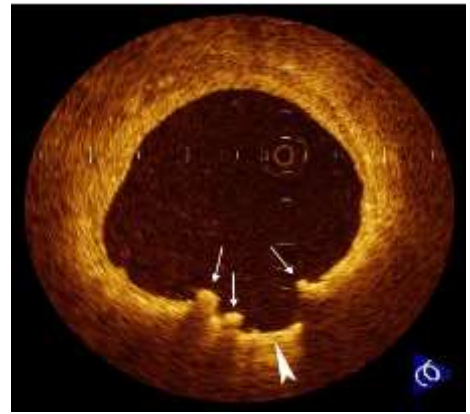
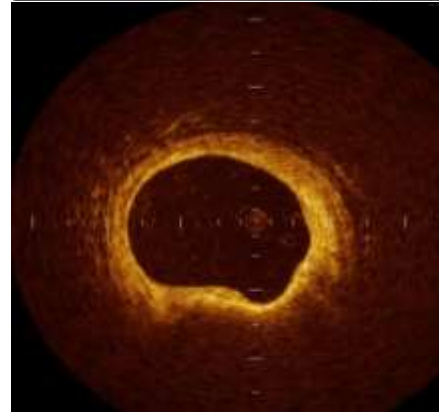
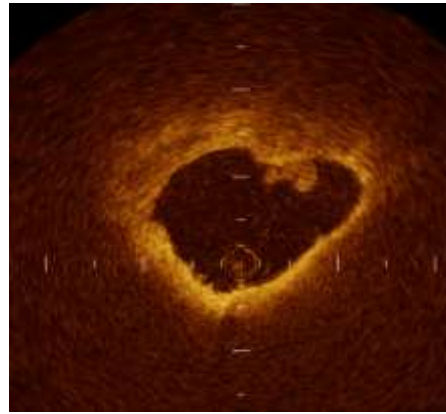


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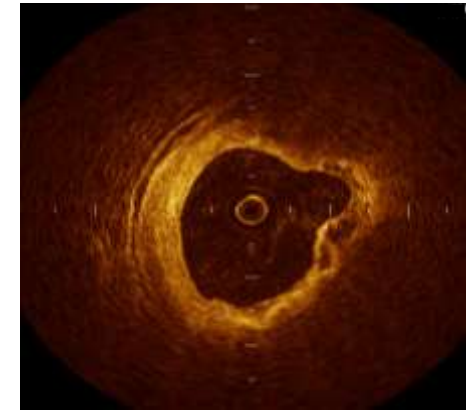
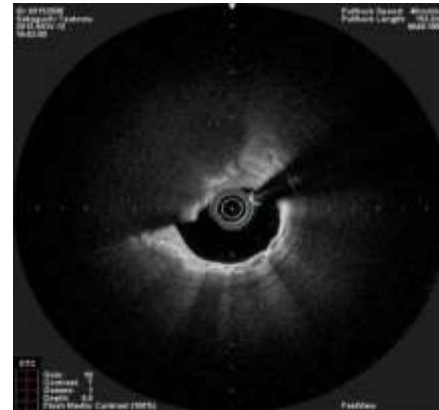
Plaque rupture
60 – 70 %



Plaque erosion
20 – 30 %

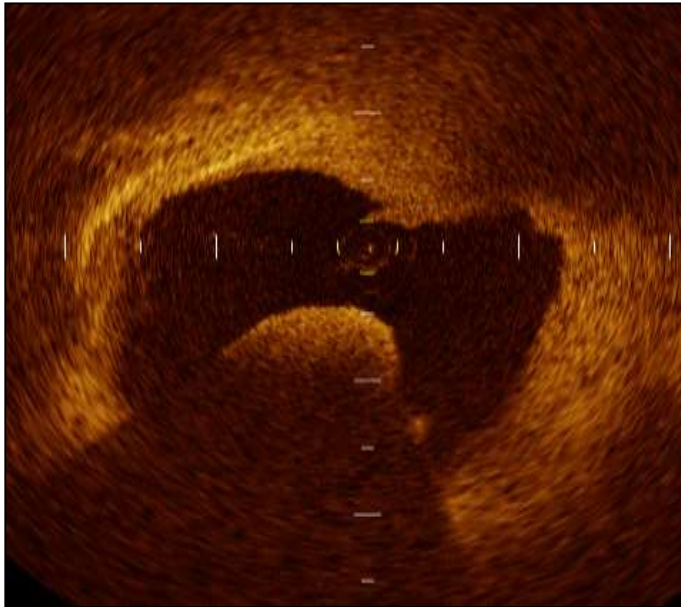


Calcified nodule
5 – 6 %



Red & white thrombus

Red thrombus



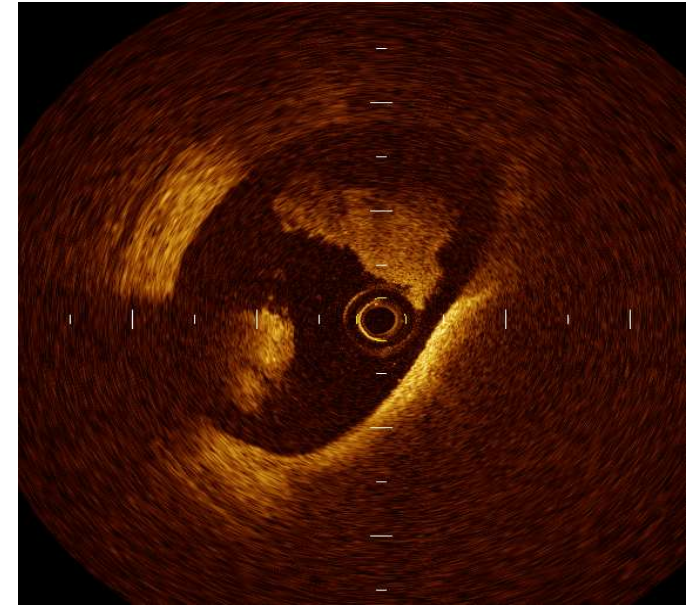
**Protrusion mass
with shadow**

White thrombus



**Protrusion mass
without shadow**

Mixed thrombus



**Protrusion mass
with & without shadow**

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Consensus Statement Acquisition, Management Intravascular OCT

A Report From the
Optical Coherence

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Objectives

The purpose of this document is to provide a consensus on the use of OCT in the catheterization laboratory, with attention to the following objectives:

Background

Intravascular OCT is a noninvasive imaging modality that provides high-resolution cross-sectional images of the vessel wall. It is used to assess the degree of atherosclerosis, the presence of intraluminal thrombus, and the degree of stenosis. It is also used to guide percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) and to assess the results of PCI.

Methods

The International Working Group on Intravascular OCT (IWG-OCT) was convened to develop this document. The group consisted of experts in the field of OCT and PCI from various countries. The document was developed through a series of meetings and discussions.

Results

Knowledge of OCT is essential for the proper use of this technology in the catheterization laboratory. This document provides a consensus on the use of OCT in the catheterization laboratory.

Conclusions

This document may be broadly used as a reference for the use of OCT in the catheterization laboratory. It is intended for researchers and clinicians who are interested in the use of OCT in the catheterization laboratory. This is an open access article under the CC BY-NC-ND 4.0 International license.



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Imaging of atherosclerosis

Expert review document part 1: terminology, terminology and clinical applications of optical coherence tomography for the assessment of interventional procedures

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OCT- vs. angio-guided PCI with DES or BMS

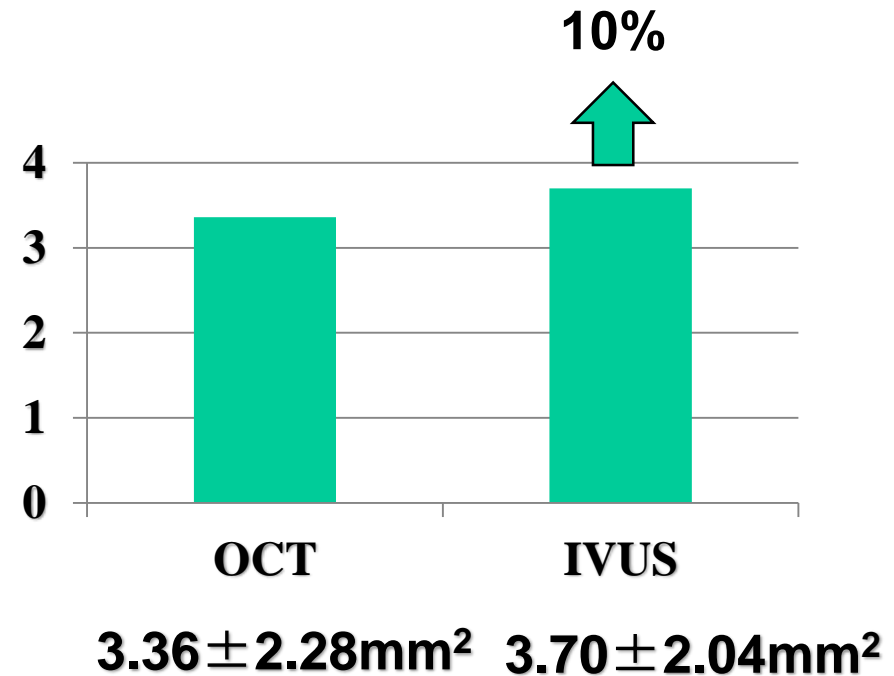
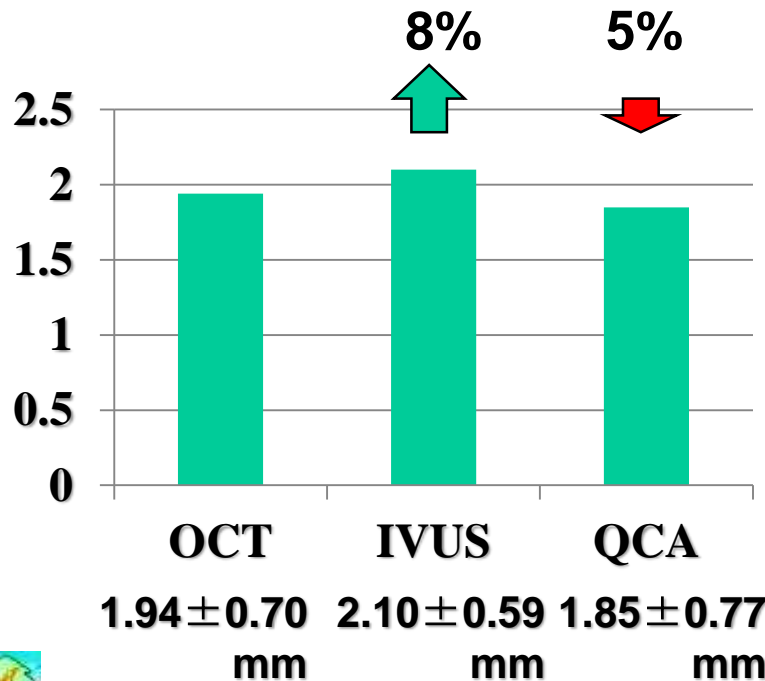
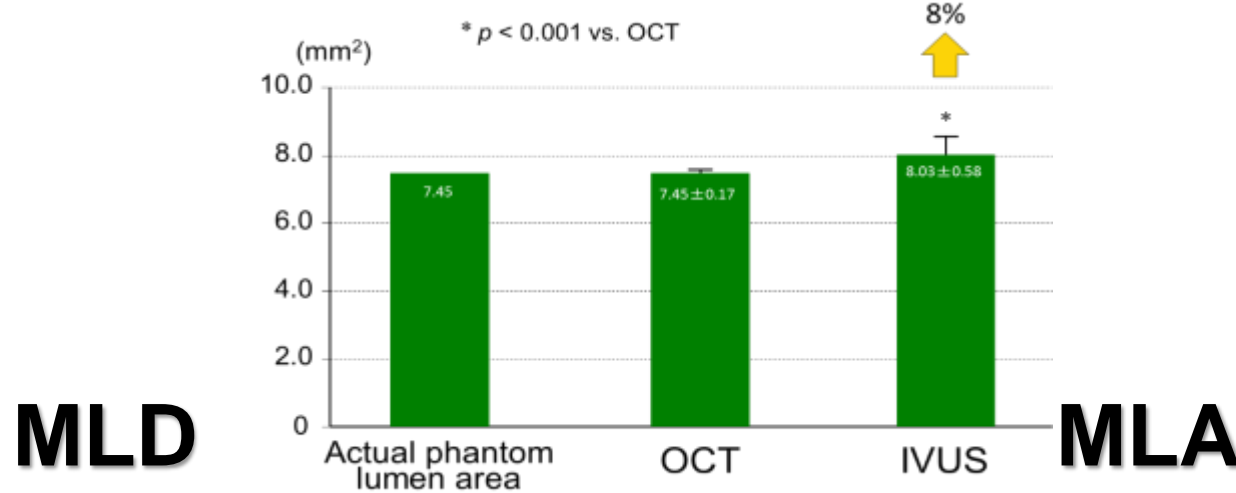
The retrospective Centro per la Lotta contro l'Infarto-
Optimisation of Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (CLI-OPCI) study

Events at 1-year follow-up	Angiographic guidance group (n=335)	Angiographic plus OCT guidance group (n=335)	<i>p</i> -value
Death	23 (6.9%)	11 (3.3%)	0.035
Cardiac death	15 (4.5%)	4 (1.2%)	0.010
Myocardial infarction	29 (8.7%)	18 (5.4%)	0.096
Target lesion repeat revascularisation	11 (3.3%)	11 (3.3%)	1.0
Definite stent thrombosis	2 (0.6%)	1 (0.3%)	1.0
Cardiac death or myocardial infarction	43 (13.0%)	22 (6.6%)	0.006
Cardiac death, myocardial infarction, or repeat revascularisation	50 (15.1%)	32 (9.6%)	0.034

The use of OCT can improve clinical outcomes of patients
undergoing PCI.



Comparison of measurements (OCT, IVUS & QCA) (OPUS-CLASS study)





Multi-laboratory inter-institute reproducibility study of IVOCT and IVUS assessments using published consensus document definitions

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The aim of this study was to investigate the reproducibility of intravascular optical coherence tomography (IVOCT) assessments, including a comparison to intravascular ultrasound (IVUS). Intra-observer and inter-observer variabilities of IVOCT have been previously described, whereas inter-institute reliability in multiple laboratories has never been systematically studied.

Methods and results

In 2 independent laboratories with intravascular imaging expertise, 100 randomized matched data sets of IVOCT and IVUS images were analysed by 4 independent observers according to published consensus document definitions. Intra-observer, inter-observer, and inter-institute variabilities of IVOCT qualitative and quantitative measurements vs. IVUS measurements were assessed. Minor inter- and intra-observer variability of both imaging techniques was observed for detailed qualitative and geometric analysis, except for inter-observer mixed plaque identification on IVUS ($\kappa = 0.70$) and for inter-observer fibrous cap thickness measurement reproducibility on IVOCT (ICC = 0.48). The magnitude of inter-institute measurement differences for IVOCT was statistically significantly less than that for IVUS concerning lumen cross-sectional area (CSA), maximum and minimum lumen diameters, stent CSA, and maximum and minimum stent diameters ($P < 0.001$, $P < 0.001$, $P < 0.001$, $P = 0.02$, $P < 0.001$, and $P = 0.01$, respectively). Minor inter-institute measurement variabilities using both techniques were also found for plaque identification.

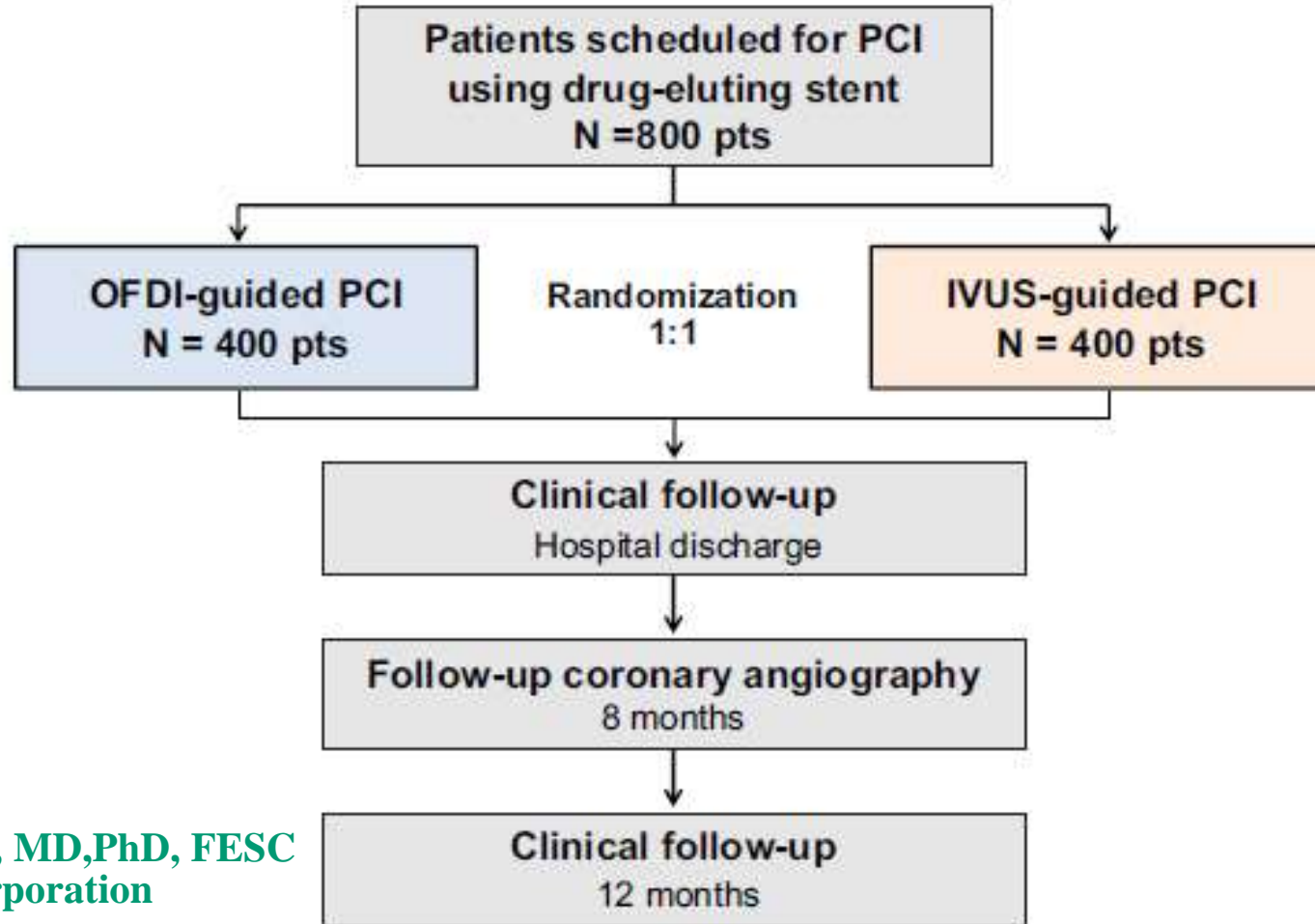
Conclusion

In the measurement of lumen CSA, maximum and minimum lumen diameters, stent CSA, and maximum and minimum stent diameters by analysts from two different laboratories reproducibility of IVOCT was more consistent than that of IVUS.



The OPINION study design

Prospective, multi-center (n=42), randomized (1:1) non-inferiority trial comparing OFDI-guided PCI with IVUS-guided PCI



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FD-OCT and IVUS criteria of optimal stent deployment

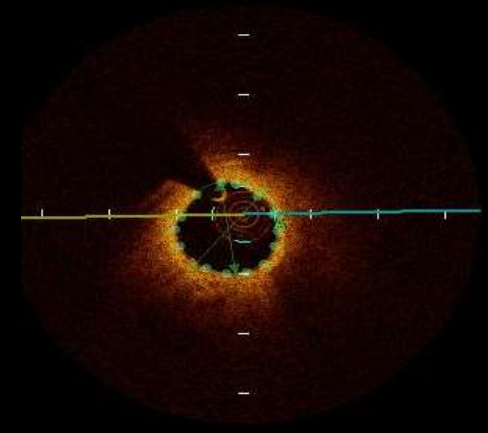
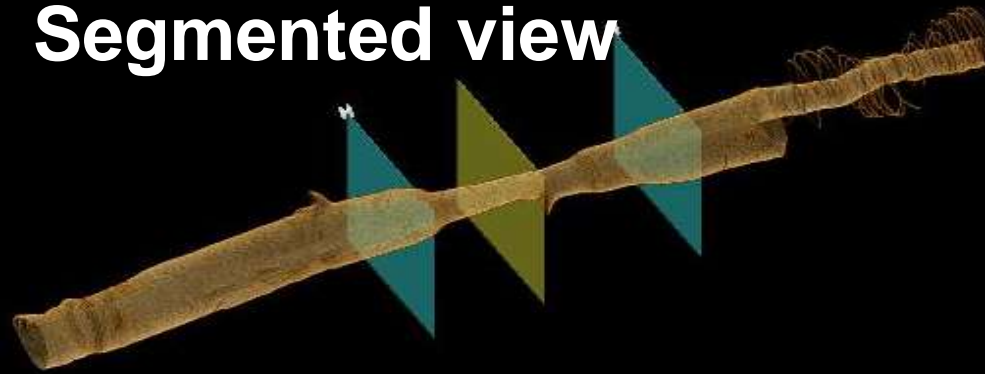
	FD-OCT-guided PCI	IVUS-guided PCI
Reference site	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most normal looking • No lipidic plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Largest lumen • Plaque burden < 50%
Determination of stent diameter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • By measuring lumen diameter at proximal and distal reference sites 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • By measuring vessel diameter at proximal and distal reference sites
Determination of stent length	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • By measuring distance from distal to proximal reference site 	
Goal of stent deployment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In-stent minimal lumen area \geq 90% of the average reference lumen area • Complete apposition of the stent over its entire length against the vessel wall • Symmetric stent expansion defined by minimum lumen diameter / maximum lumen diameter \geq 0.7 • No plaque protrusion, thrombus, or edge dissection with potential to provoke flow disturbances 	

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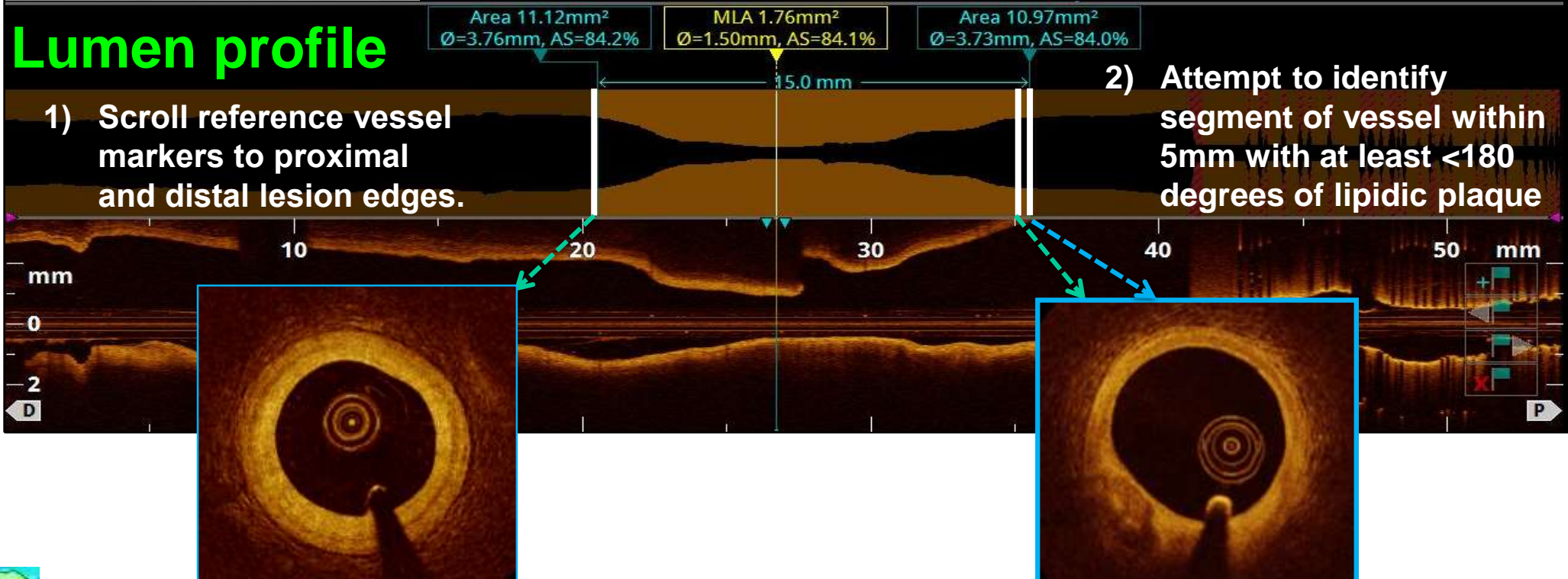


Pre-PCI assessment, #6 90%, (DES 4.0 × 15mm)

Segmented view

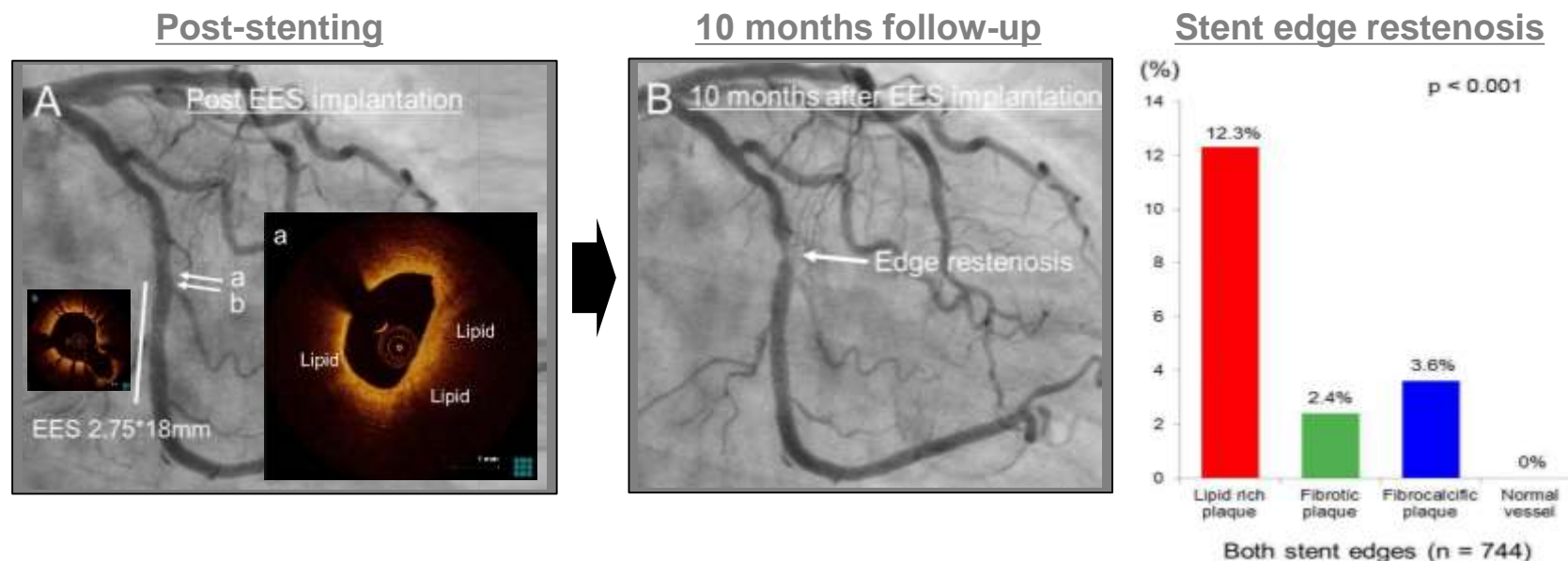


Lumen profile



Precursor lesion of stent edge restenosis

In 744 stent (EES) edge segments, OCT was used to evaluate morphological characteristics of the coronary plaques that developed stent edge restenosis.

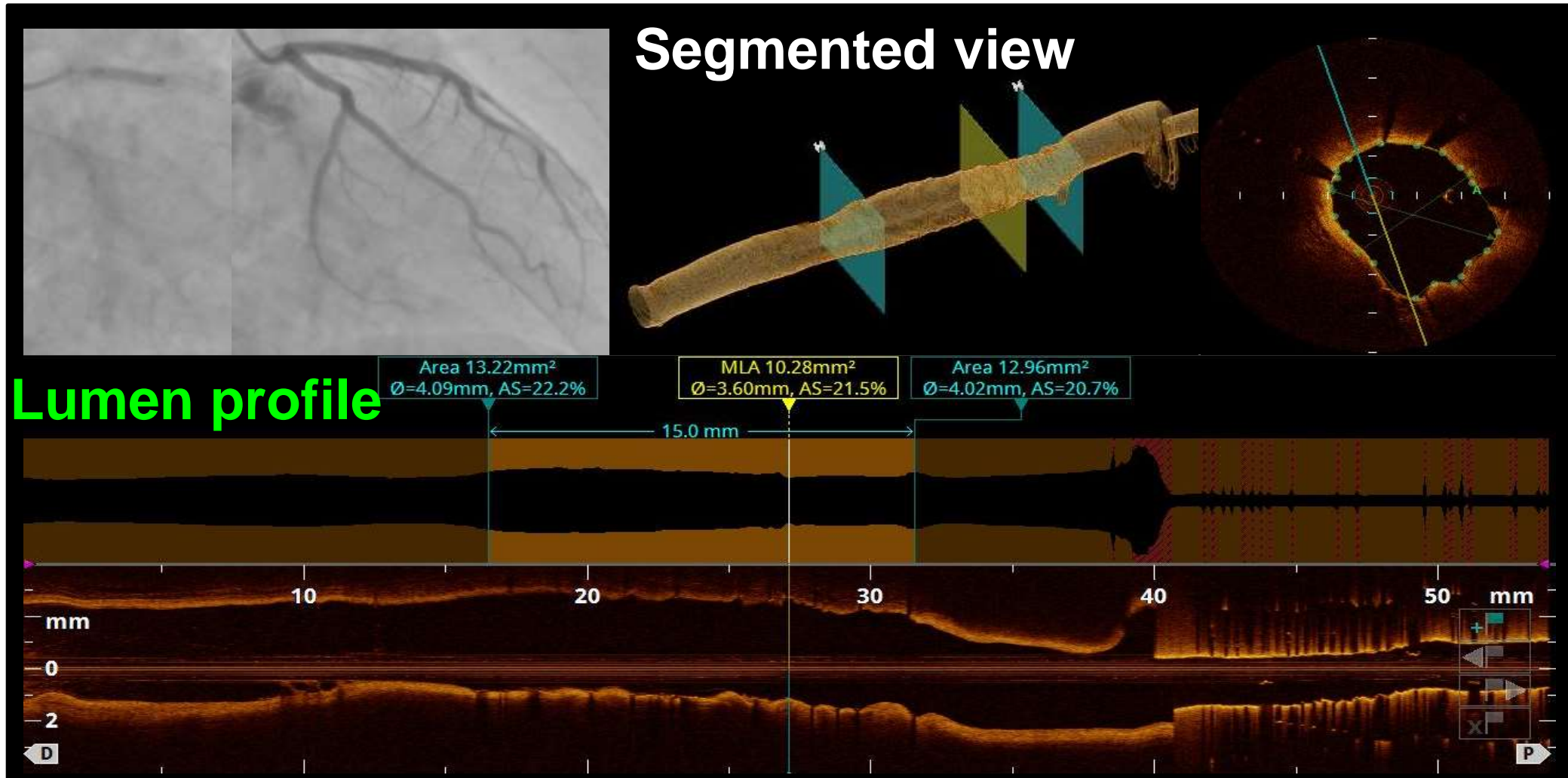


(A) Immediately after EES implantation, OCT images showed lipid rich plaque at the proximal stent edge (a, b).
(B) At 10-month follow-up, angiography demonstrated stent edge restenosis at the proximal edge of the stent.

Conclusion: Lipidic plaque in the stent edge segments at post- PCI was a predictor of late stent edge restenosis.



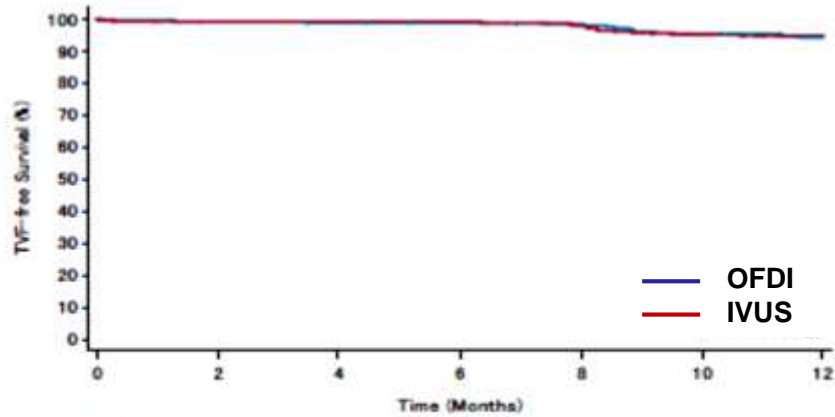
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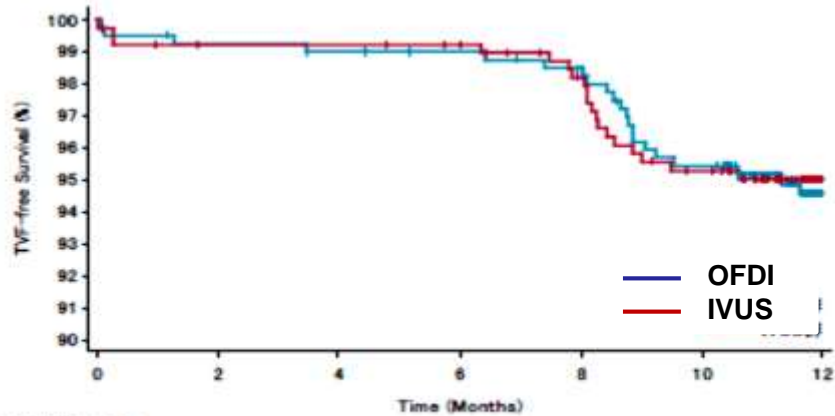
MLA \geq 90% of the average reference lumen area



TVF



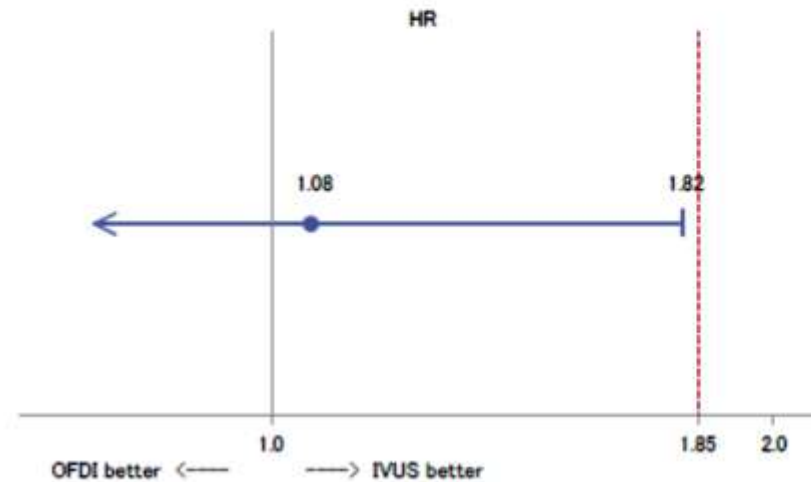
No. of patients at risk	0	2	4	6	8	10	12
OFDI	401	396	394	392	387	374	265
IVUS	390	384	384	381	373	360	255



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Event number / study patient		(%)	HR	95 % CI	HR: 95 % CI	P value
OFDI IVUS	21/412	(5.1)	1.08	(0.58, 2.01)	1.82	0.0446
	19/405	(4.7)	1.00			

HR for upper limit of non-inferiority; 1.85





Optical frequency domain imaging vs. intravascular ultrasound in percutaneous coronary intervention (OPINION trial): one-year angiographic and clinical results

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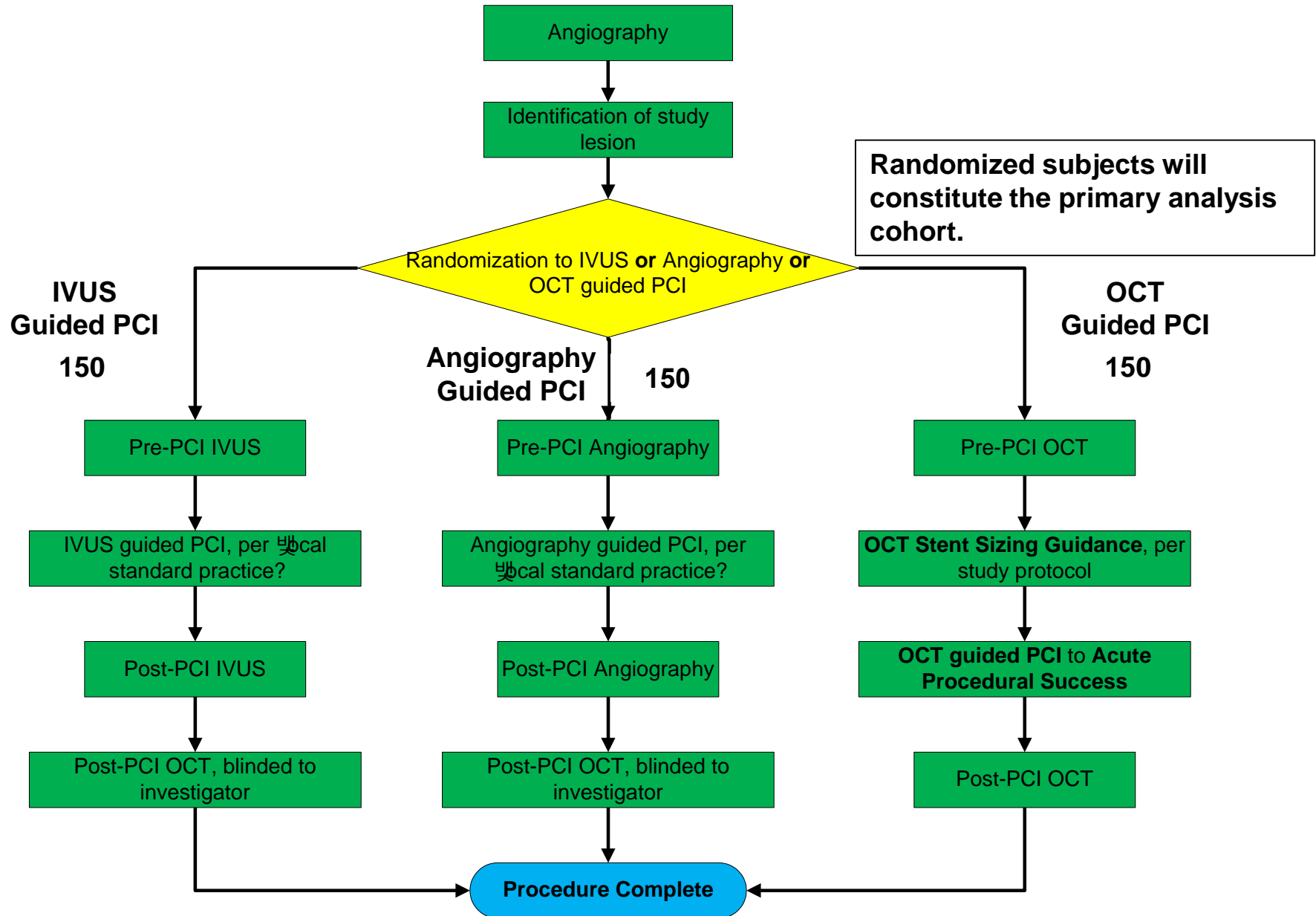
ased, high-resolution intravascular imaging l imaging technique for guiding percutane- ority of OFDI-guided PCI compared with trolled, non-inferiority study to compare generation drug-eluting stent. The primary death, target-vessel related myocardial infarction, and ischaemia-driven target vessel revascularization until 12 months after the PCI. The major secondary endpoint was angiographic binary restenosis at 8 months. We randomly allocated 829 patients to receive OFDI-guided PCI ($n = 414$) or IVUS-guided PCI ($n = 415$). Target vessel failure occurred in 21 (5.2%) of 401 patients undergoing OFDI-guided PCI, and 19 (4.9%) of 390 patients undergoing IVUS-guided PCI, demonstrating non-inferiority of OFDI-guided PCI to IVUS-guided PCI (hazard ratio 1.07, upper limit of one-sided 95% confidence interval 1.80; $P_{\text{non-inferiority}} = 0.042$). With 89.8% angiographic follow-up, the rate of binary restenosis was comparable between OFDI-guided PCI and IVUS-guided PCI (in-stent: 1.6% vs. 1.6%, $P = 1.00$; and in-segment: 6.2% vs. 6.0%, $P = 1.00$).

Conclusion

The 12-month clinical outcome in patients undergoing OFDI-guided PCI was non-inferior to that of patients undergoing IVUS-guided PCI. Both OFDI-guided and IVUS-guided PCI yielded excellent angiographic and clinical results, with very low rates of 8-month angiographic binary restenosis and 12-month target vessel failure.



ILUMIEN III : OPTIMIZE PCI (Study Protocol)



Optical coherence tomography compared with intravascular ultrasound and with angiography to guide coronary stent implantation (ILUMIEN III: OPTIMIZE PCI): a randomised controlled trial



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Summary

Background Percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) is most commonly guided by angiography alone. Intravascular ultrasound (IVUS) guidance has been shown to reduce major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE) after PCI, principally by resulting in a larger postprocedure lumen than with angiographic guidance. Optical coherence tomography (OCT) provides higher resolution imaging than does IVUS, although findings from some studies suggest that it might lead to smaller luminal diameters after stent implantation. We sought to establish whether or not a novel OCT-based stent sizing strategy would result in a minimum stent area similar to or better than that achieved with IVUS guidance and better than that achieved with angiography guidance alone.

Methods In this randomised controlled trial, we recruited patients aged 18 years or older undergoing PCI from 29 hospitals in eight countries. Eligible patients had one or more target lesions located in a native coronary artery with a visually estimated reference vessel diameter of 2.25–3.50 mm and a length of less than 40 mm. We excluded patients with left main or ostial right coronary artery stenoses, bypass graft stenoses, chronic total occlusions, planned two-stent bifurcations, and in-stent restenosis. Participants were randomly assigned (1:1:1; with use of an interactive web-based system in block sizes of three, stratified by site) to OCT guidance, IVUS guidance, or angiography-guided stent implantation. We did OCT-guided PCI using a specific protocol to establish stent length, diameter, and expansion according to reference segment external elastic lamina measurements. All patients underwent final OCT imaging (operators in the IVUS and angiography groups were masked to the OCT images). The primary efficacy endpoint was post-PCI minimum stent area, measured by OCT at a masked independent core laboratory at completion of enrolment, in all randomly allocated participants who had primary outcome data. The primary safety endpoint was procedural MACE. We tested for non-inferiority of OCT guidance to IVUS guidance (with a non-inferiority margin of

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Interpretation OCT-guided PCI using a specific reference segment external elastic lamina-based stent optimisation strategy was safe and resulted in similar minimum stent area to that of IVUS-guided PCI. These data warrant a large-scale randomised trial to establish whether or not OCT guidance results in superior clinical outcomes to angiography guidance.

(one-sided 97.5% lower CI -0.70 mm²; $p=0.001$), but not superior ($p=0.42$). OCT guidance was also not superior to angiography guidance ($p=0.12$). We noted procedural MACE in four (3%) of 158 patients in the OCT group, one (1%) of 146 in the IVUS group, and one (1%) of 146 in the angiography group (OCT vs IVUS $p=0.37$; OCT vs angiography $p=0.37$).

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2018 ESC/EACTS Guidelines on myocardial revascularization

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Recommendations on intravascular imaging for procedural optimization

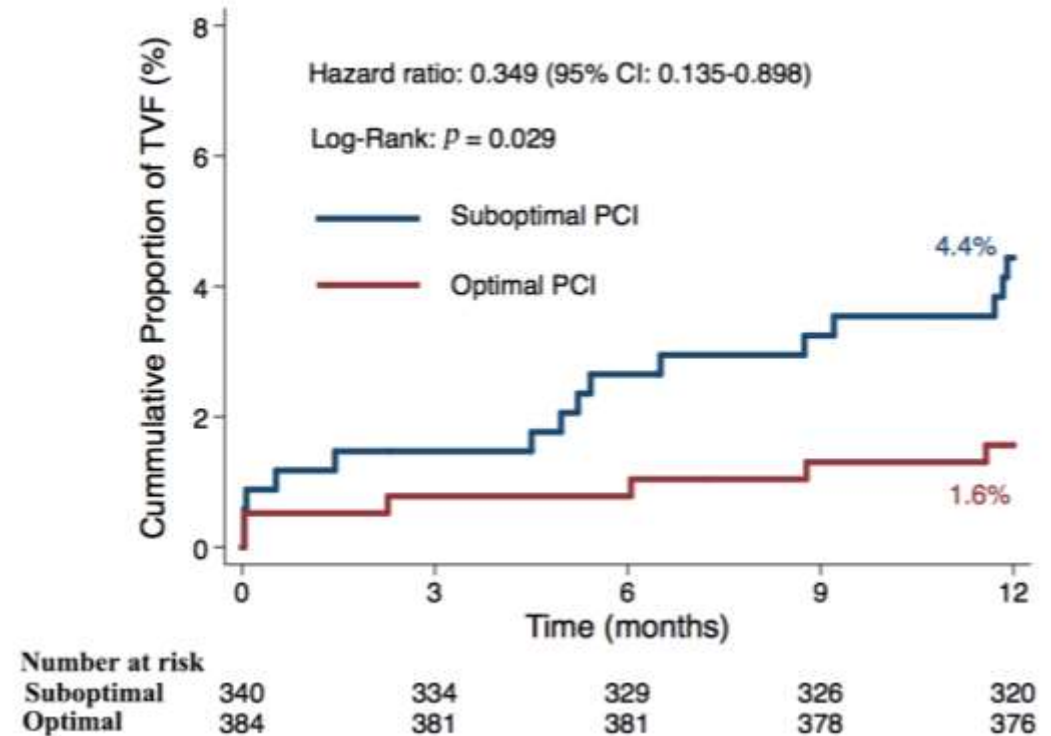
Recommendations	Class ^a	Level ^b
IVUS or OCT should be considered in selected patients to optimize stent implantation. ^{603,612,651–653}	Ila	B
IVUS should be considered to optimize treatment of unprotected left main lesions. ³⁵	Ila	B
Restenosis		
DES are recommended for the treatment of in-stent restenosis of BMS or DES. ^{373,375,378,379}	I	A
Drug-coated balloons are recommended for the treatment of in-stent restenosis of BMS or DES. ^{373,375,378,379}	I	A
In patients with recurrent episodes of diffuse in-stent restenosis, CABG should be considered by the Heart Team over a new PCI attempt.	Ila	C
IVUS and/or OCT should be considered to detect stent-related mechanical problems leading to restenosis.	Ila	C

Optimal vs Suboptimal IVUS-guided PCI (ULTIMATE trial)

PCI results

	Optimal group	Suboptimal group	<i>P</i>
No. of patients n (%)	384 (53.0)	340 (47.0)	
No. of lesions n (%)	578 (60.1)	384 (39.9)	
MSA, mm²	6.09	5.45	<0.001
Prox. edge plaque burden	37.2%	51.2%	<0.001
Dist. edge plaque burden	24.2%	35.1%	<0.001

TVF at 12 months



Stent sizing



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FASTTRACK CLINICAL RESEARCH

Coronary artery disease

Clinical use of intracoronary imaging. Part 1: guidance and optimization of coronary interventions. An expert consensus document of the European Association of Percutaneous Cardiovascular Interventions

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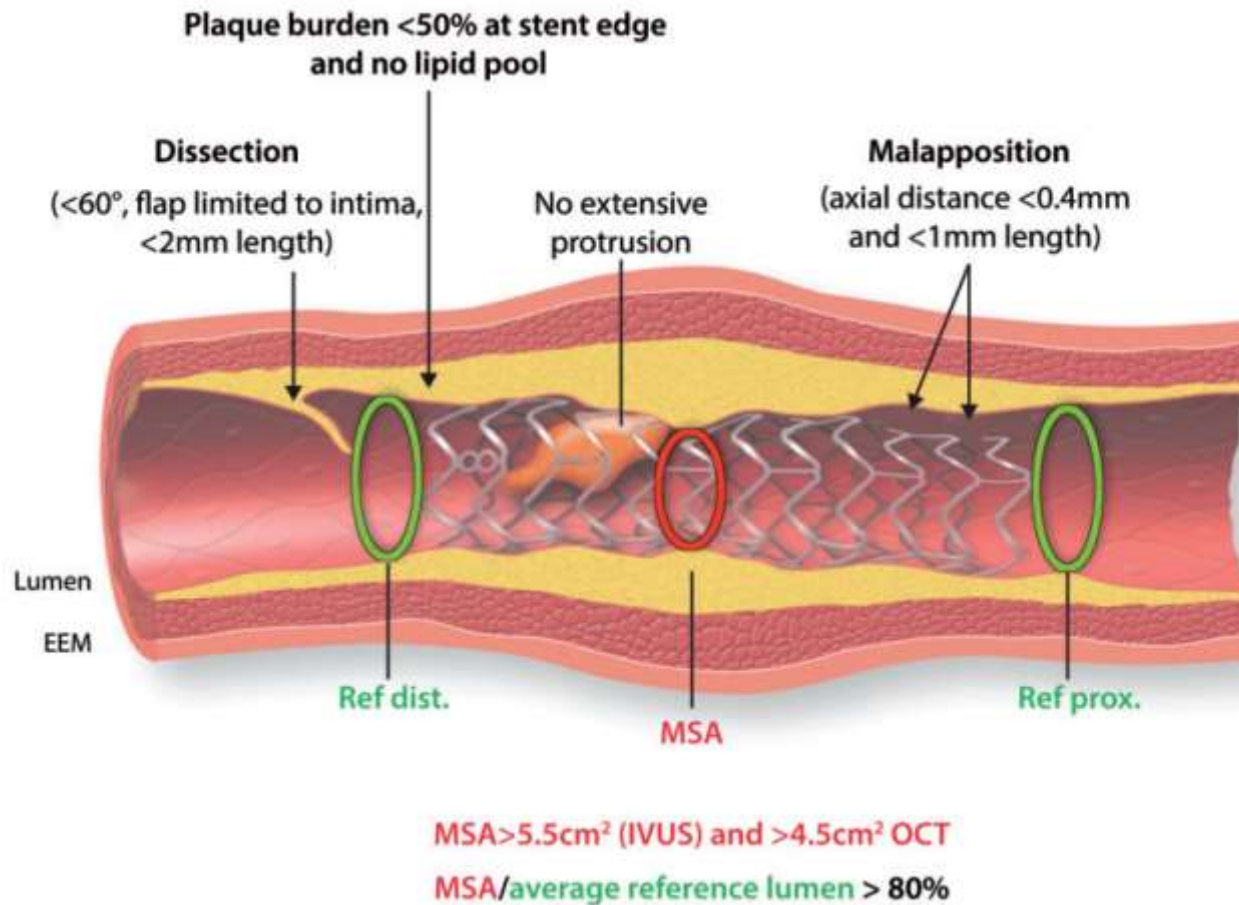
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- The beneficial effect of imaging-guided PCI does not appear to be strictly linked to the algorithm used for stent sizing by IVUS or OCT.
- From a practical standpoint, a distal lumen reference based sizing may represent a safe and straightforward approach with subsequent optimization of the mid and proximal stent segments. Specifically, the mean distal lumen diameter with up rounding stent (0–0.25 mm) may be used (e.g. 3.76 → 4.0 mm), or the mean EEM (2 orthogonal measurements) with down rounding to the nearest 0.25 mm stent size (e.g. 3.76 → 3.5 mm).
- When using OCT, an EEM reference based sizing strategy appears feasible, although more challenging than a lumen based approach for routine clinical practice.
- Appropriate selection of the landing zone is crucial as residual plaque burden (<50%) and particularly lipid rich tissue at the stent edge is associated with subsequent restenosis.
- Co-registration of angiography and IVUS or OCT is a useful tool to determine stent length and allows for precise stent placement.

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Post PCI optimization



- **MSA > 4.5 cm², or > 80% of RA.**
- **Malapposition < 400 μm distance, < 1 mm length.**
- **No extensive protrusion.**
- **Distal landing: PB < 50%**
No lipid pool
- **Distal edge dissection: < 60°**
Flap: limited to intima < 2 mm length

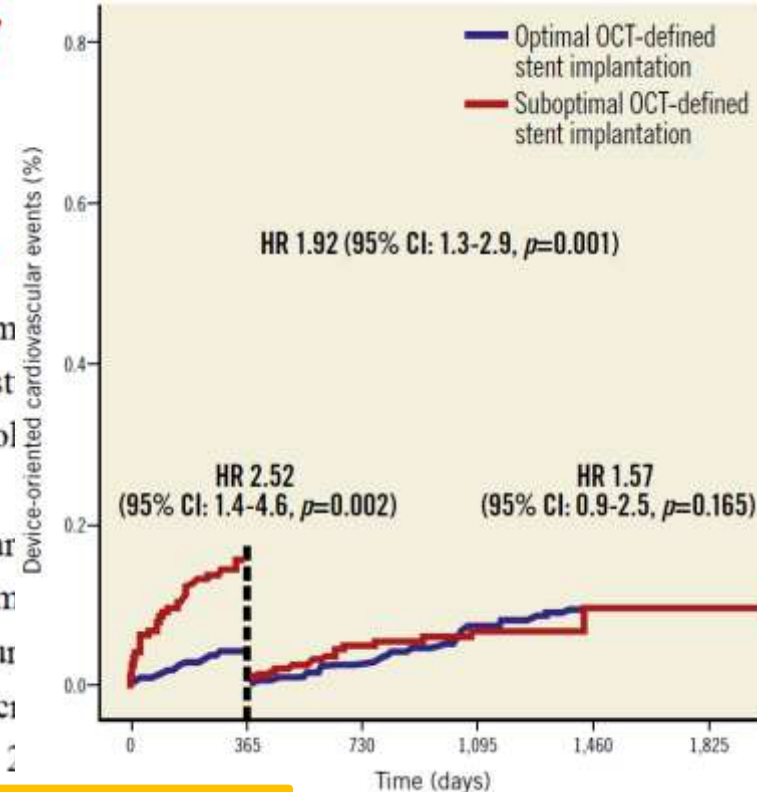
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Long-term consequences of optical coherence tomography findings during percutaneous coronary intervention: the Centro Per La Lotta Contro L'infarto – Optimization Of Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (CLI-OPCI) LATE study

Aims: The role of intraprocedural optical coherence tomography (OCT) on the long-term of percutaneous coronary interventions (PCI) remains undefined. The aim of the present study was to evaluate the impact of quantitative OCT-defined suboptimal stent implantation at long-term follow-up.

Methods and results: In the context of the multicentre Centro per la Lotta contro l'Infarto di Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (CLI-OPCI) registry, we compared the long-term outcomes of 1,211 patients from 13 independent OCT-experienced centres according to end-procedure OCT assessment. Suboptimal stent implantation was defined as in-stent minimum lumen area (MLA) <4.5 mm² (HR 1.82, p<0.001), distal stent edge dissection >200 µm (HR 2.03, p=0.004), and significant reference vessel plaque and lumen area <4.5 mm² at either the distal (HR 5.22, p<0.001) or proximal (HR 5.67, p<0.001) stent edges. Conversely, in-stent MLA/mean reference lumen area <70%, acute stent malapposition, and intra-stent plaque/thrombus protrusion were not associated with worse outcomes. Using multivariable Cox hazard analysis, the presence of at least one of the significant criteria for suboptimal OCT stent deployment was confirmed as an independent predictor of device-oriented cardiovascular events (DoCE) (HR 1.92, p=0.001).



Conclusions: Suboptimal stent deployment, defined according to specific quantitative OCT criteria, was confirmed as an independent outcome predictor at long-term follow-up.

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		Total population (1,211)	Patients with OCT suboptimal deployment* (375)	Patients with OCT optimal deployment* (836)	p-value	HR
DoCE (%)		144 (11.9)	76 (20.3)	68 (8.1)	<0.001	2.70 (1.9-3.7)
Cardiac death (%)		41 (3.4)	19 (5.1)	22 (2.6)	0.027	2.00 (1.1-3.7)
Target vessel MI (%)		103 (7.2)	56 (12.7)	47 (4.8)	<0.001	2.71 (1.8-4.0)
Periprocedural		42 (2.9)	19 (4.3)	23 (2.3)	0.046	1.86 (1.1-3.4)
During follow-up		61 (4.3)	37 (8.4)	24 (2.4)	<0.001	3.46 (2.1-5.8)
Target lesion revascularisation (%)	patient basis	102 (8.4)	61 (16.3)	41 (4.9)	<0.001	3.69 (2.5-5.5)
	lesion basis	122 (8.6)	70 (15.9)	52 (5.3)	<0.001	3.22 (2.2-4.6)
Target vessel revascularisation (%)	patient basis	124 (10.2)	64 (17.1)	60 (7.2)	<0.001	2.61 (1.8-3.7)
	lesion basis	152 (10.7)	75 (17.0)	77 (7.8)	<0.001	2.31 (1.7-3.2)
Stent thrombosis (%)	patient basis	32 (2.6)	27 (7.2)	5 (0.6)	<0.001	12.46 (4.8-32.3)
	lesion basis	34 (2.4)	29 (6.6)	5 (0.5)	<0.001	13.17 (5.1-34.0)
Days of follow-up [†]		833 (415-1,447)	746 (380-1,458)	881 (426-1,445)	0.160	–

* Either in-stent MLA <4.5mm², dissection >200 μ at the distal stent edges, or distal or proximal reference narrowing. [†] Expressed as median and interquartile range. DoCE: device-oriented cardiovascular events, i.e., hierarchical major adverse cardiac events (cardiac death, non-fatal target vessel myocardial infarction, target lesion revascularisation); MI: myocardial infarction

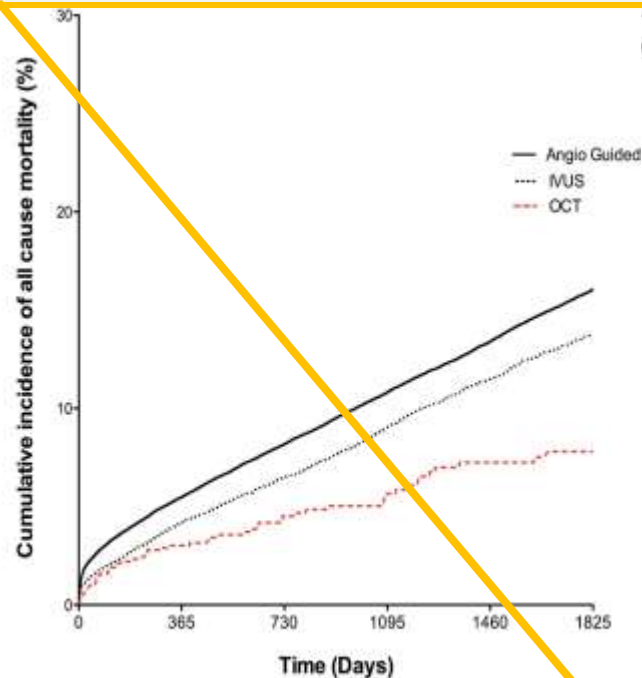


Angiography Alone Versus Angiography Plus Optical Coherence Tomography to Guide Percutaneous Coronary Intervention

Outcomes From the Pan-London PCI Cohort

CONCLUSIONS In this large observational study, OCT-guided PCI was associated with improved procedural outcomes, in-hospital events, and long-term survival compared with standard angiography-guided PCI. (J Am Coll Cardiol Interv 2018;11:1313-21)

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METHODS This was a cohort study based on the Pan-London (United Kingdom) PCI registry, which includes 123,764 patients who underwent PCI in National Health Service hospitals in London between 2005 and 2015. Patients undergoing primary PCI or pressure wire use were excluded leaving 87,166 patients in the study. The primary endpoint was all-cause mortality at a median of 4.8 years.

RESULTS OCT was used in 1,149 (1.3%) patients, intravascular ultrasound (IVUS) was used in 10,971 (12.6%) patients, and angiography alone in the remaining 75,046 patients. Overall OCT rates increased over time ($p < 0.0001$), with variation in rates between centers ($p = 0.002$). The mean stent length was shortest in the angiography-guided group, longer in the IVUS-guided group, and longest in the OCT-guided group. OCT-guided procedures were associated with greater procedural success rates and reduced in-hospital MACE rates. A significant difference in mortality was observed between patients who underwent OCT-guided PCI (7.7%) compared with patients who underwent either IVUS-guided (12.2%) or angiography-guided (15.7%; $p < 0.0001$) PCI, with differences seen for both elective ($p < 0.0001$) and acute coronary syndrome subgroups ($p = 0.0024$). Overall this difference persisted after multivariate Cox analysis (hazard ratio [HR]: 0.48; 95% confidence interval [CI]: 0.26 to 0.81; $p = 0.001$) and propensity matching (hazard ratio: 0.39; 95% CI: 0.21 to 0.77; $p = 0.0008$; OCT vs. angiography-alone cohort), with no difference in matched OCT and IVUS cohorts (HR: 0.88; 95% CI: 0.61 to 1.38; $p = 0.43$).

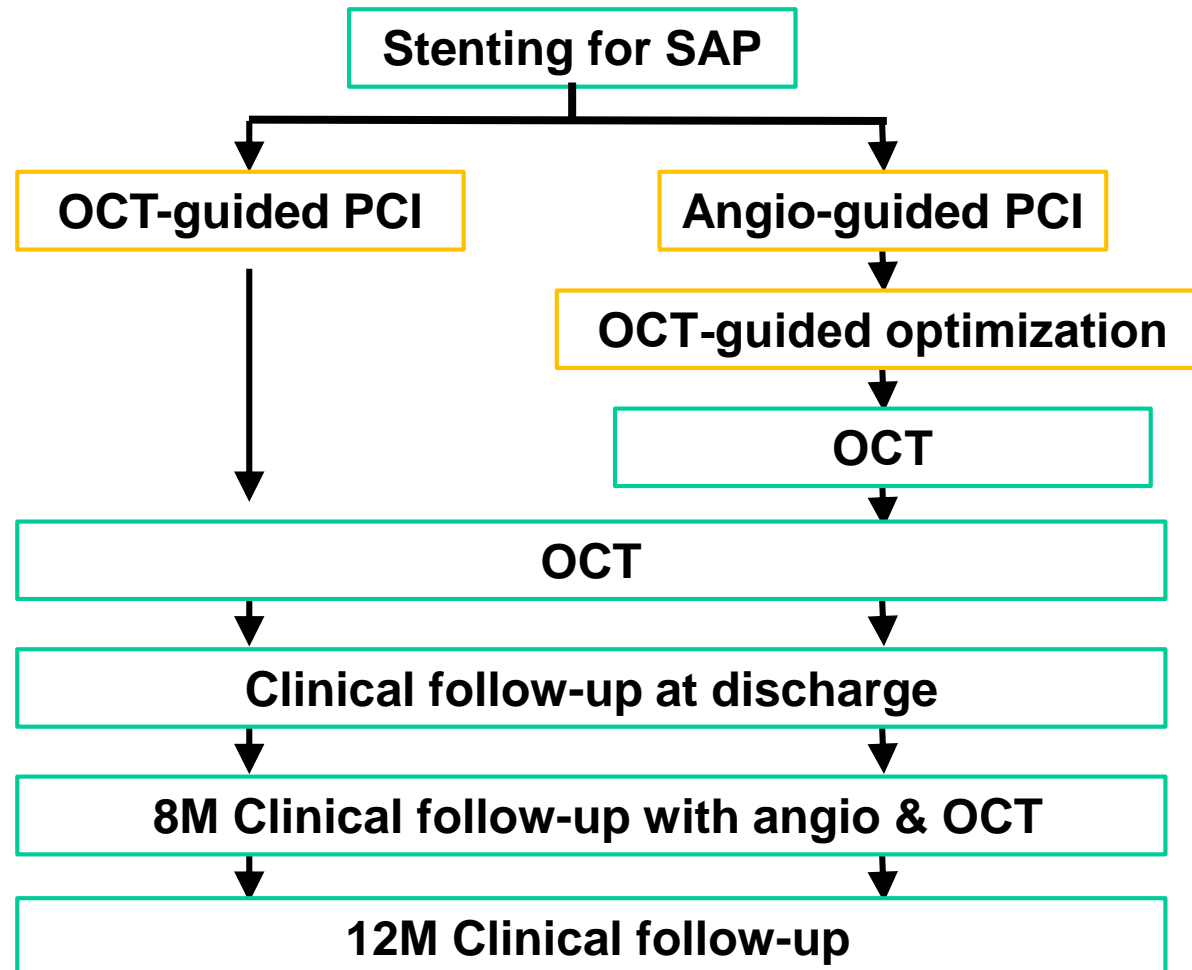
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Numbers at risk						
Angio Only	75046	66033	56182	51030	40053	28765
IVUS	10971	8954	7838	6632	5431	4242
OCT	1149	901	789	654	561	410

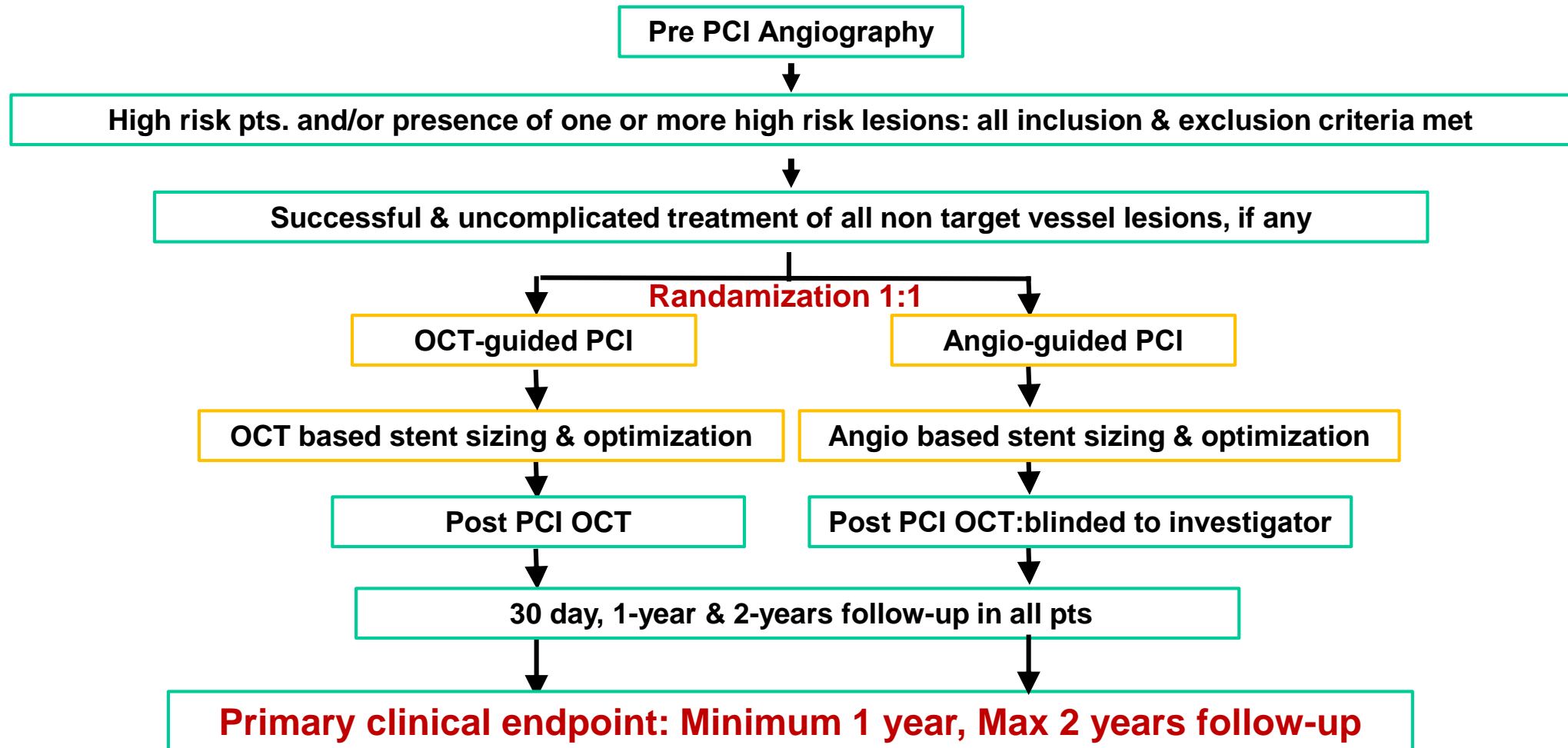
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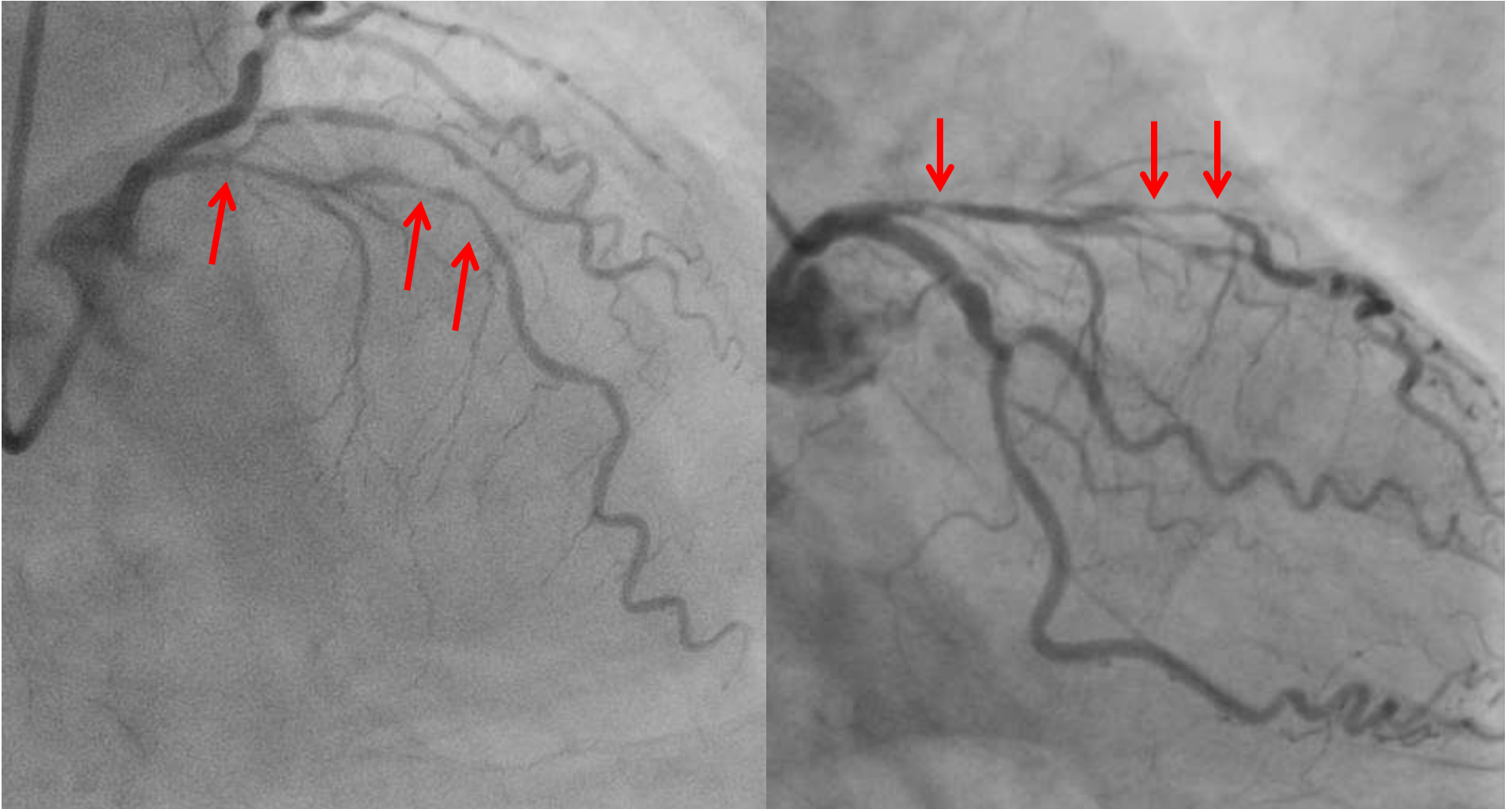


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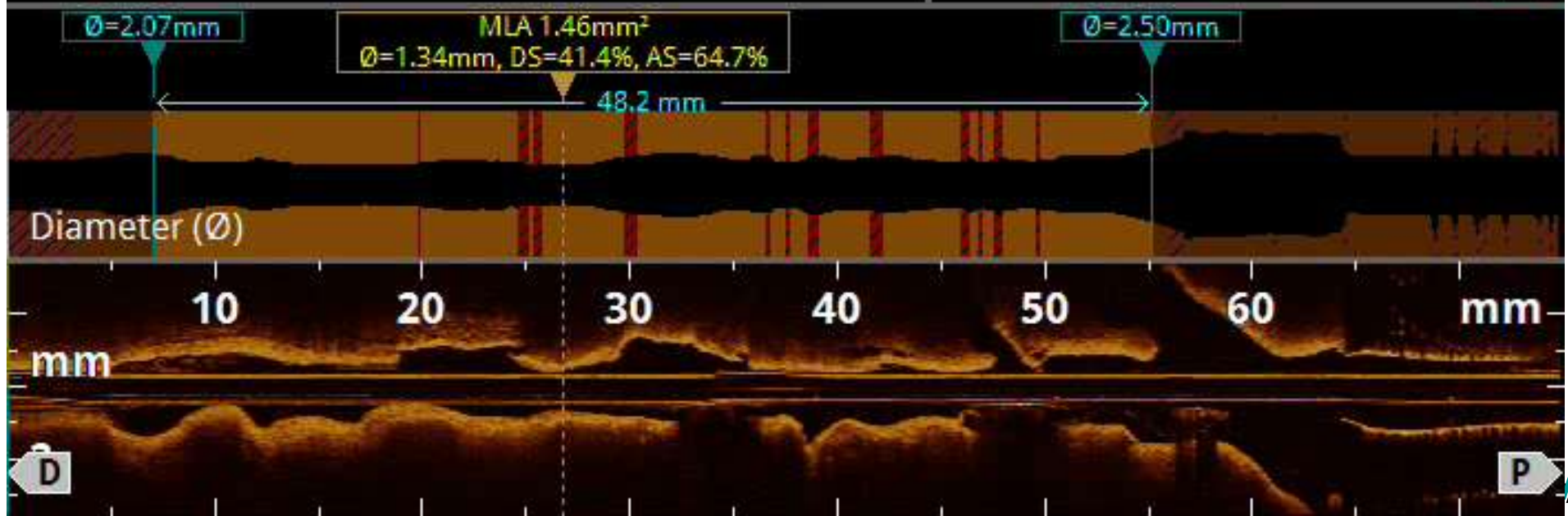
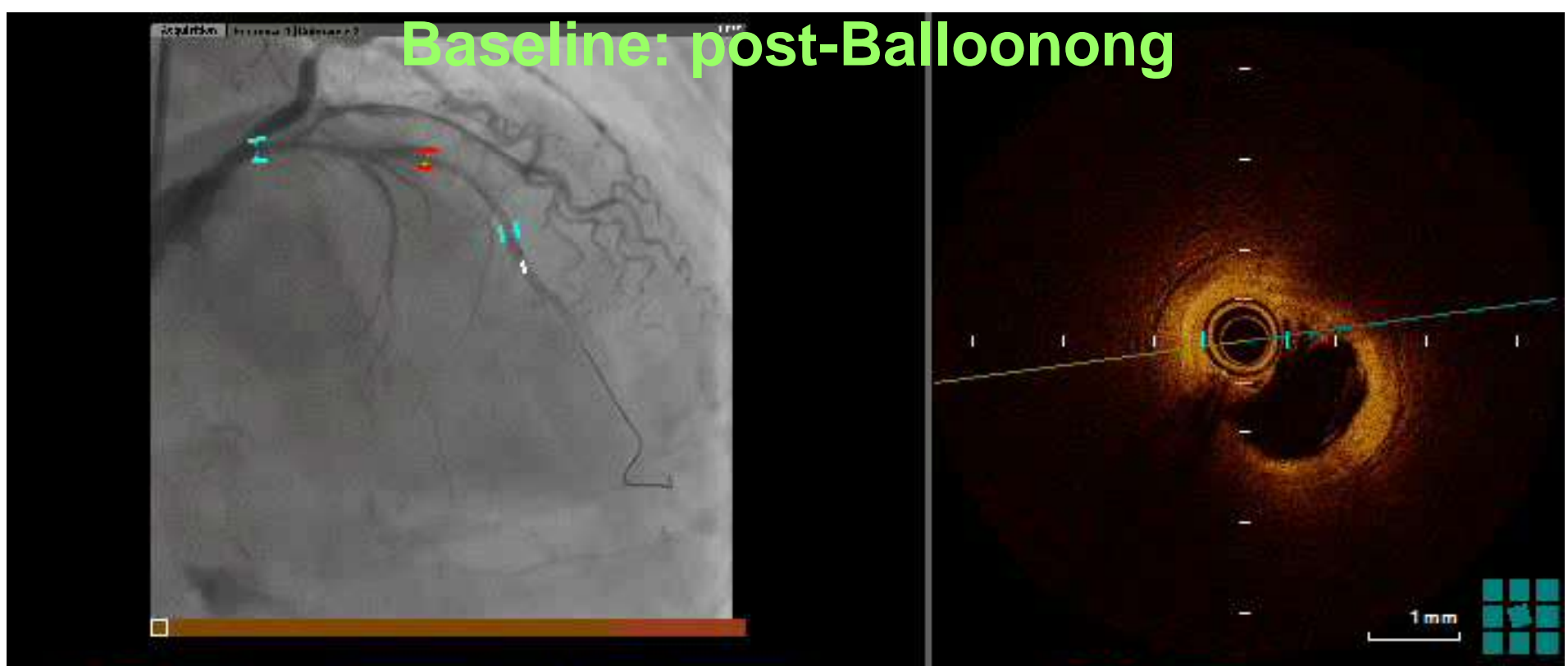
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Coronary angio. (Pre PCI)



Baseline: post-Balloonong



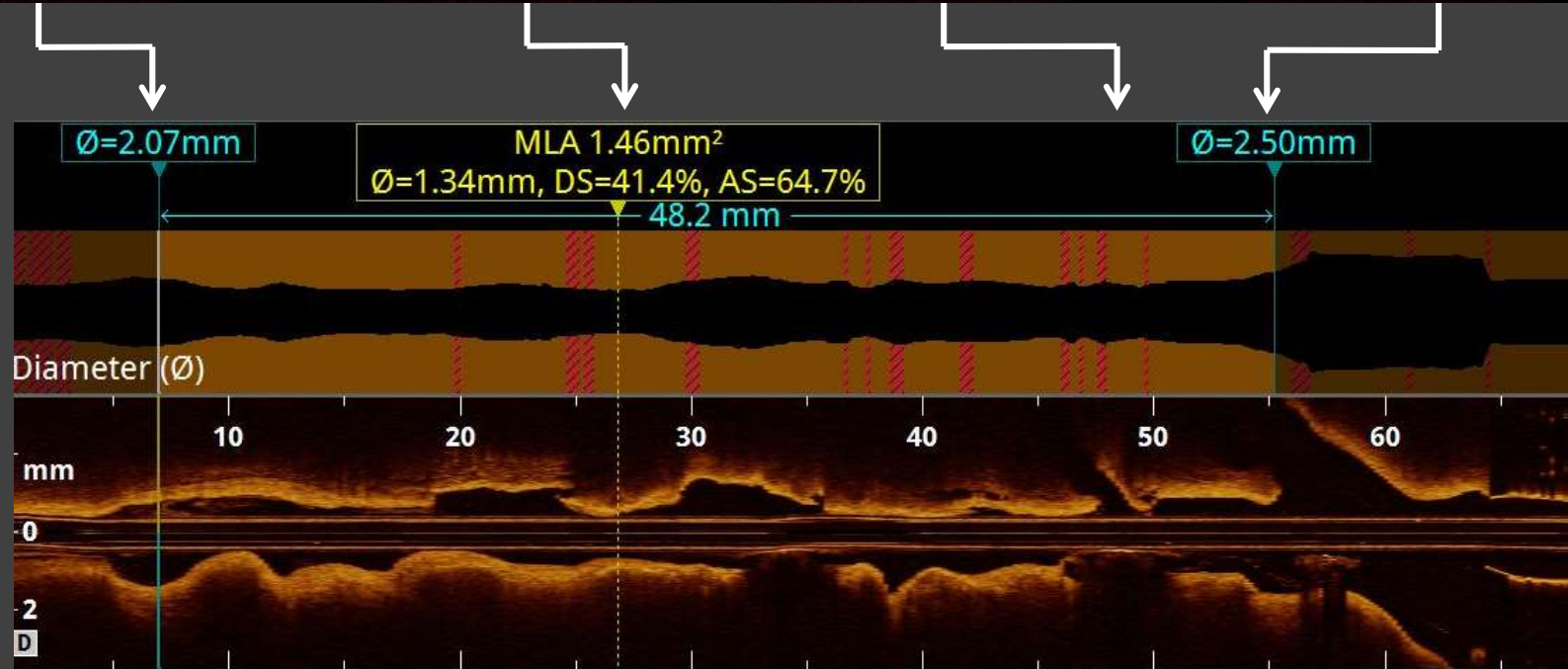
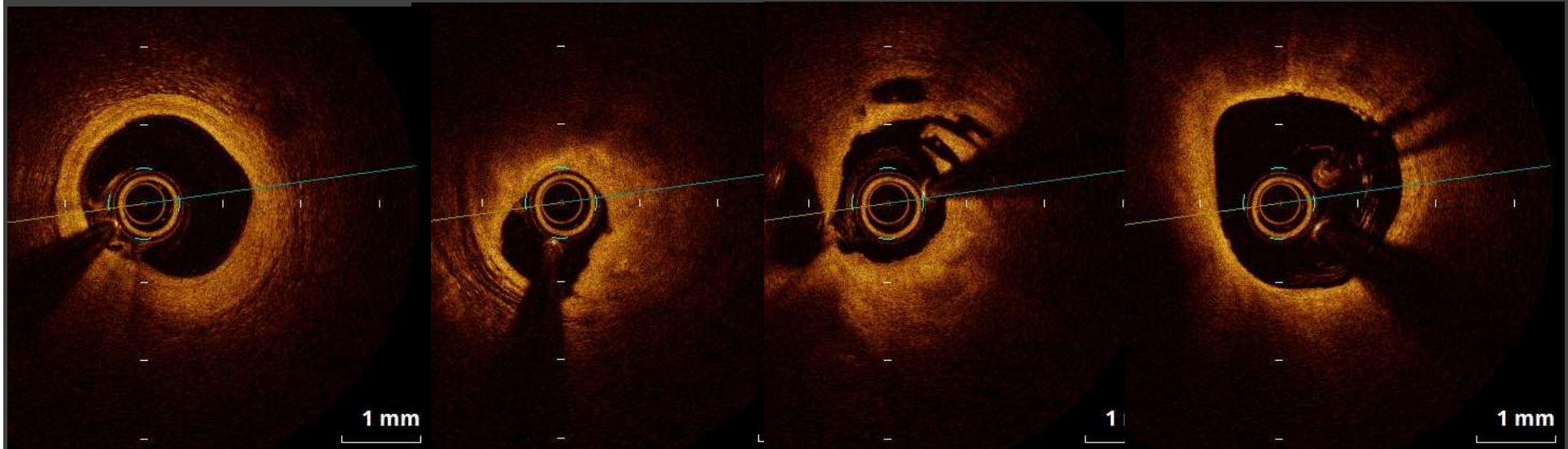
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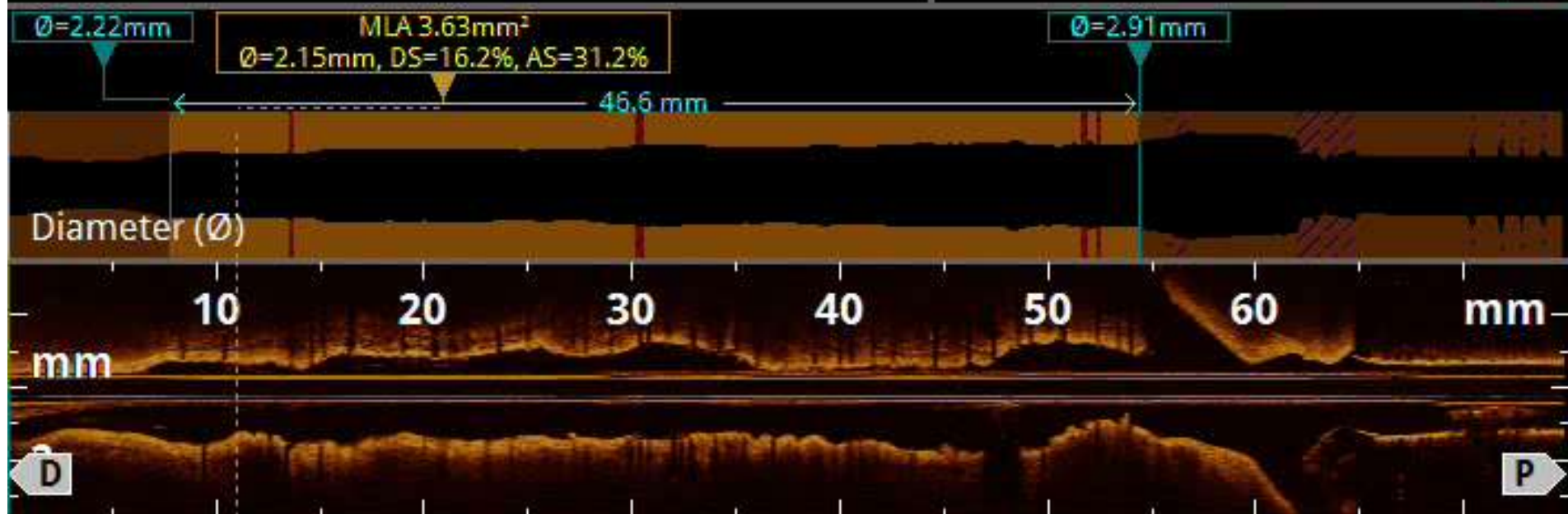
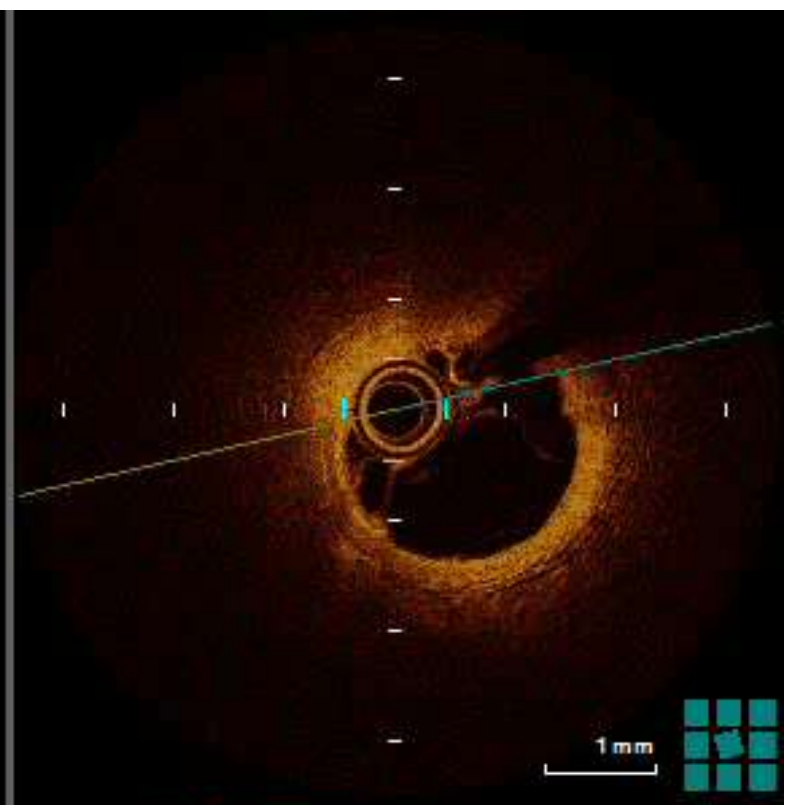
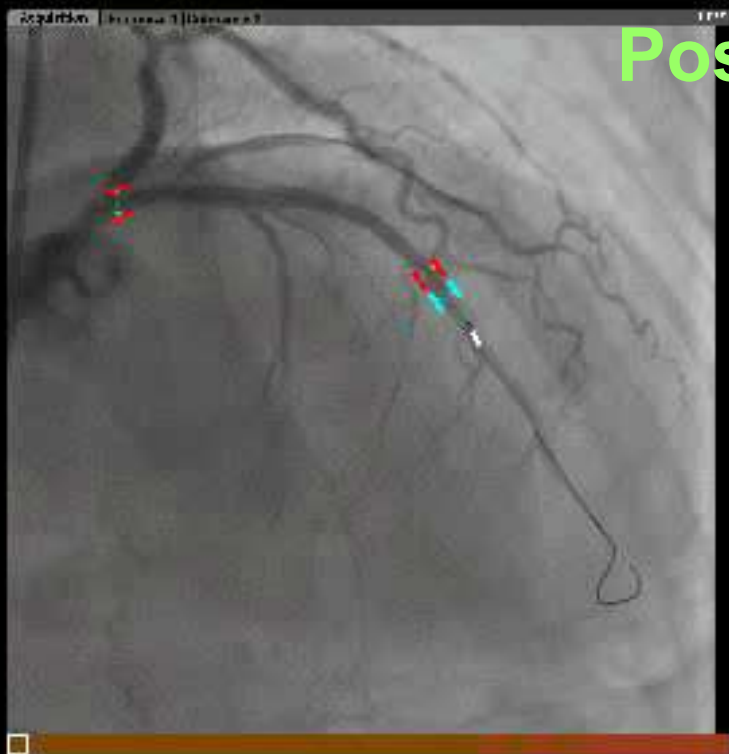
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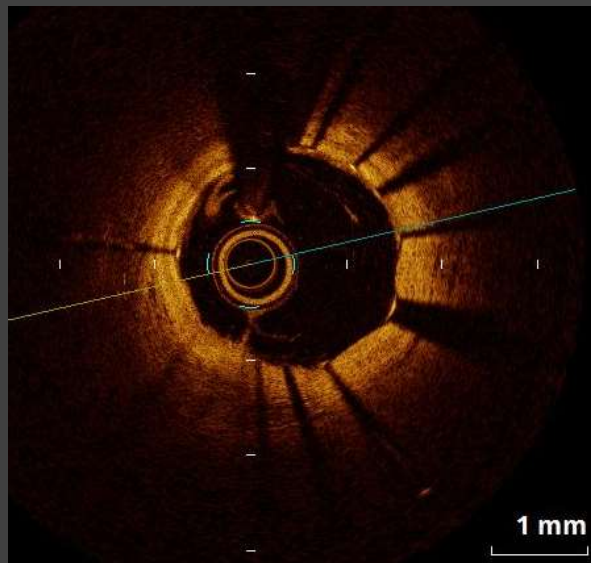


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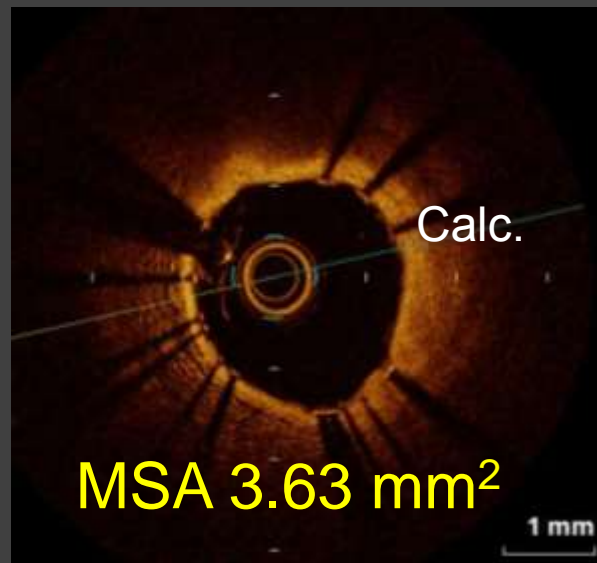


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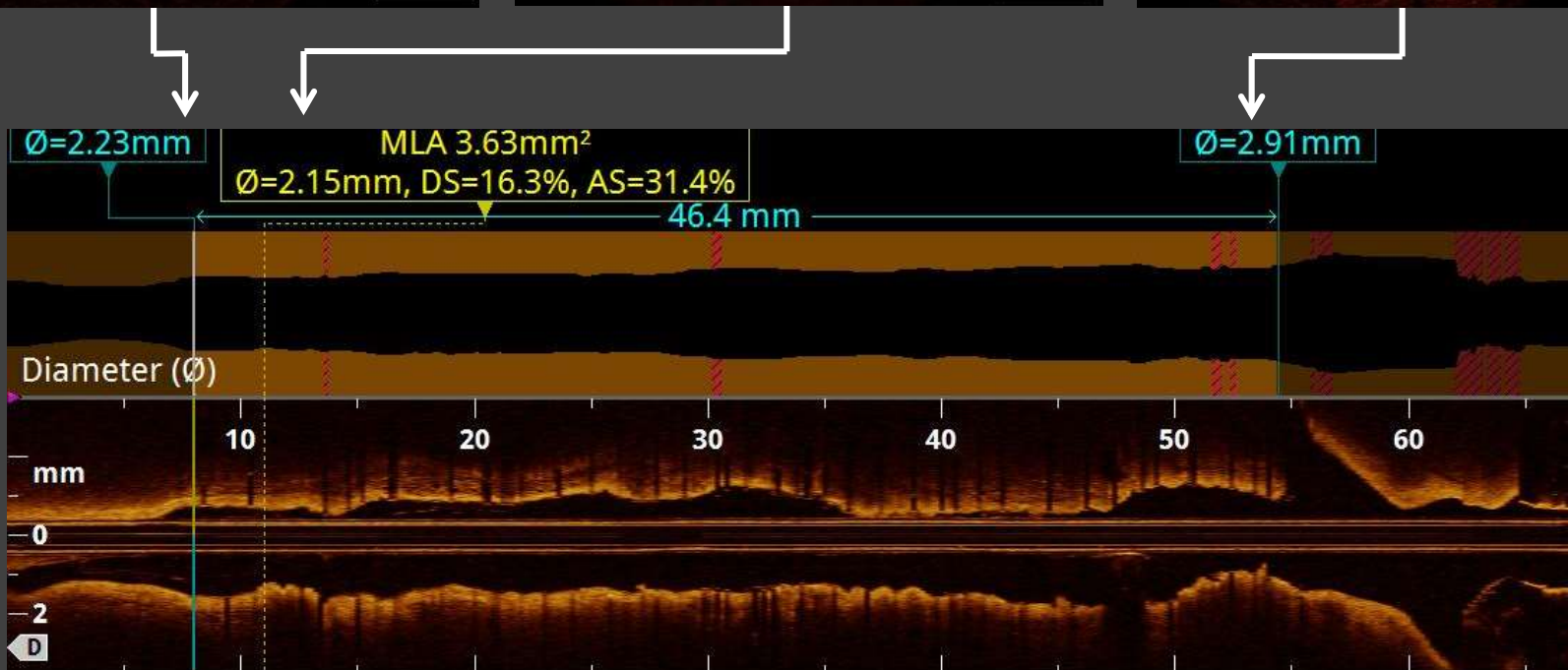
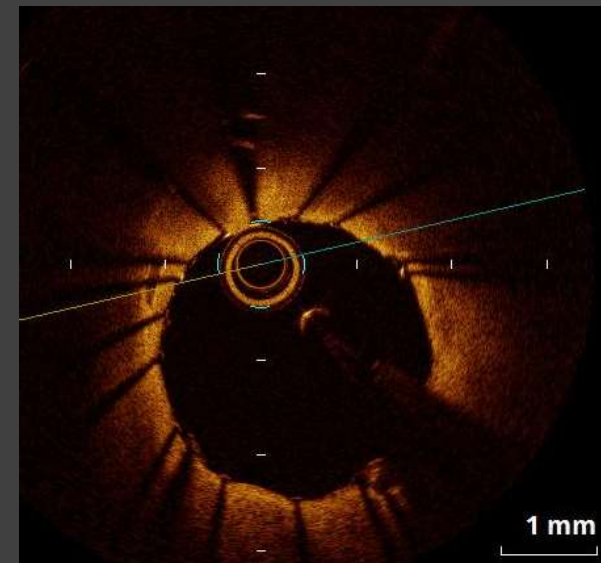
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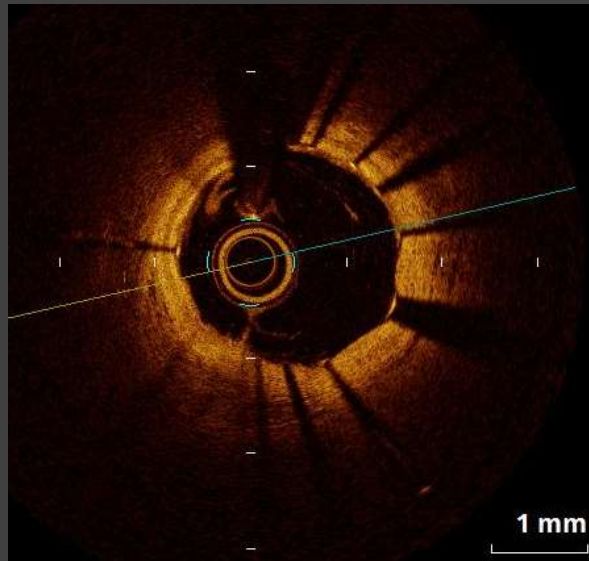


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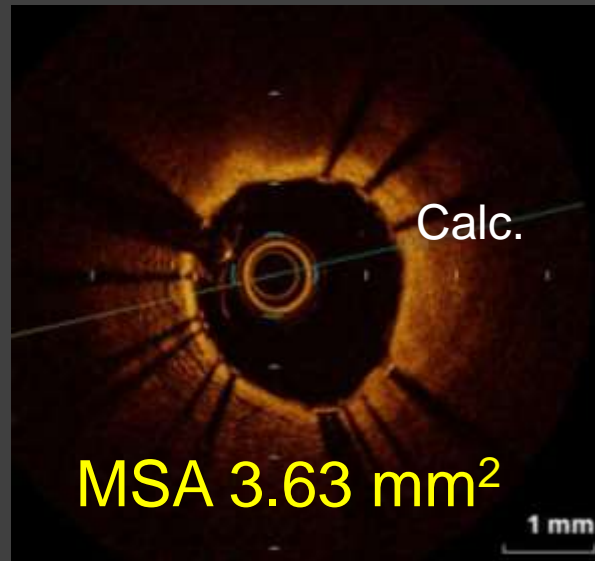


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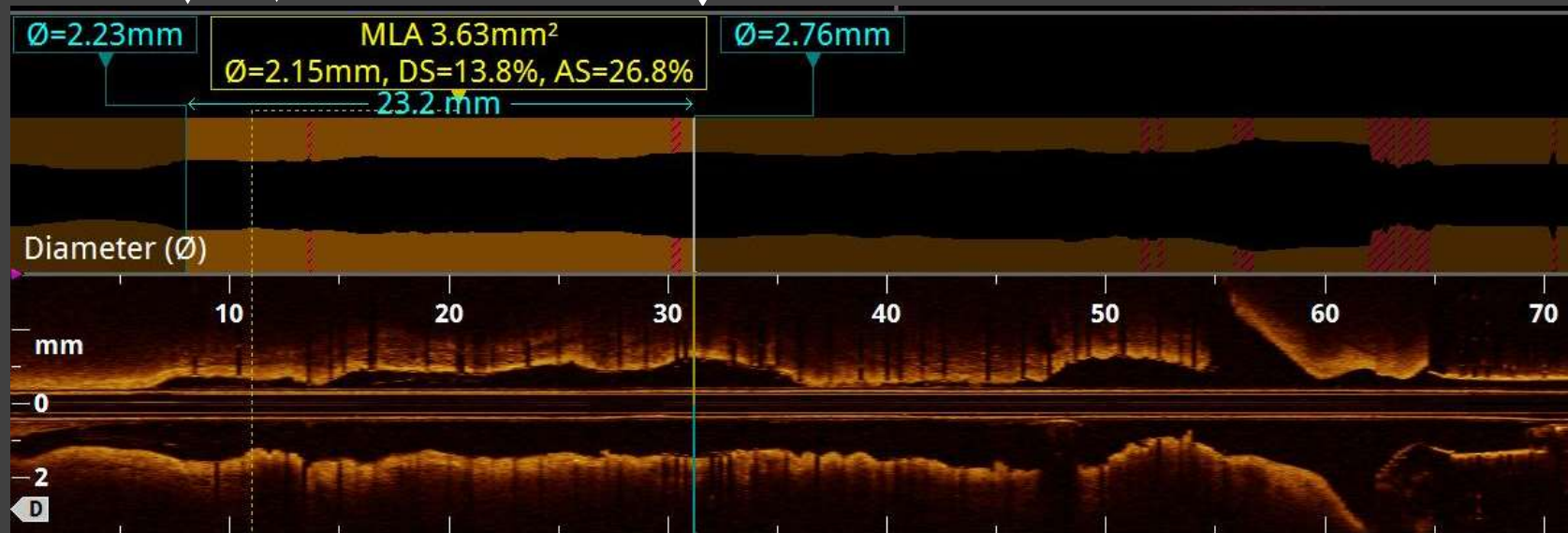
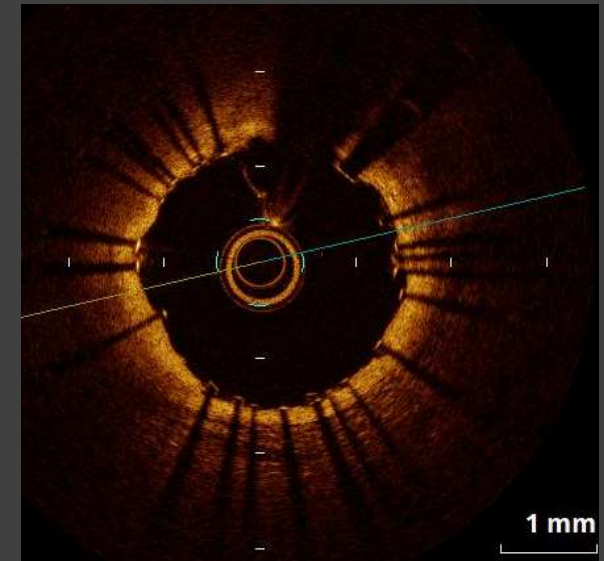
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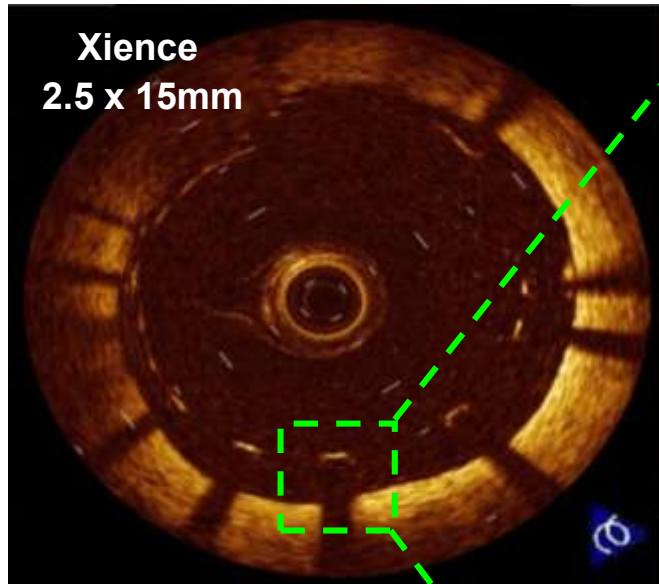
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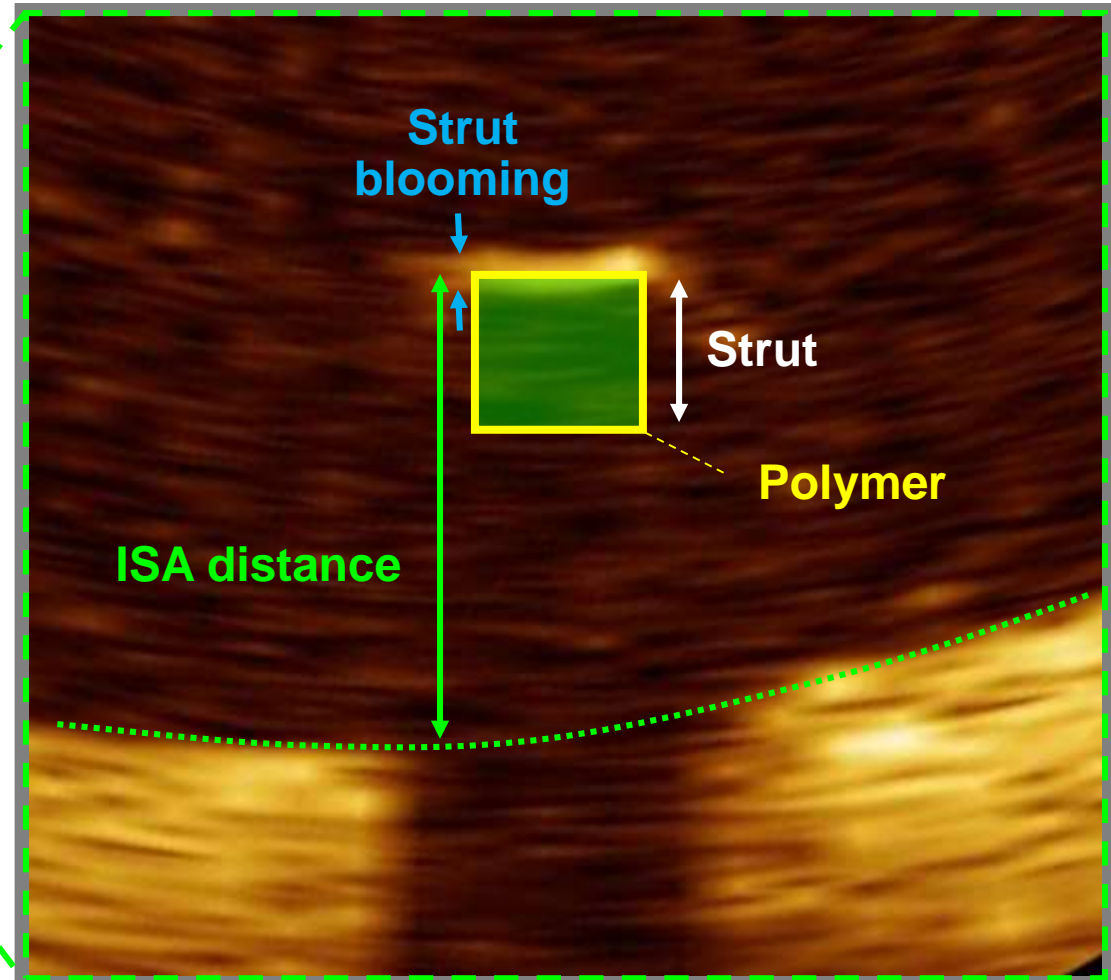
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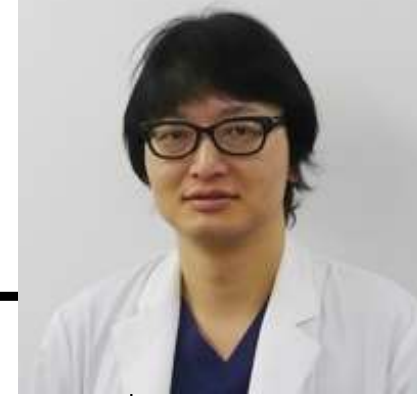
Definition of incomplete stent apposition (ISA)



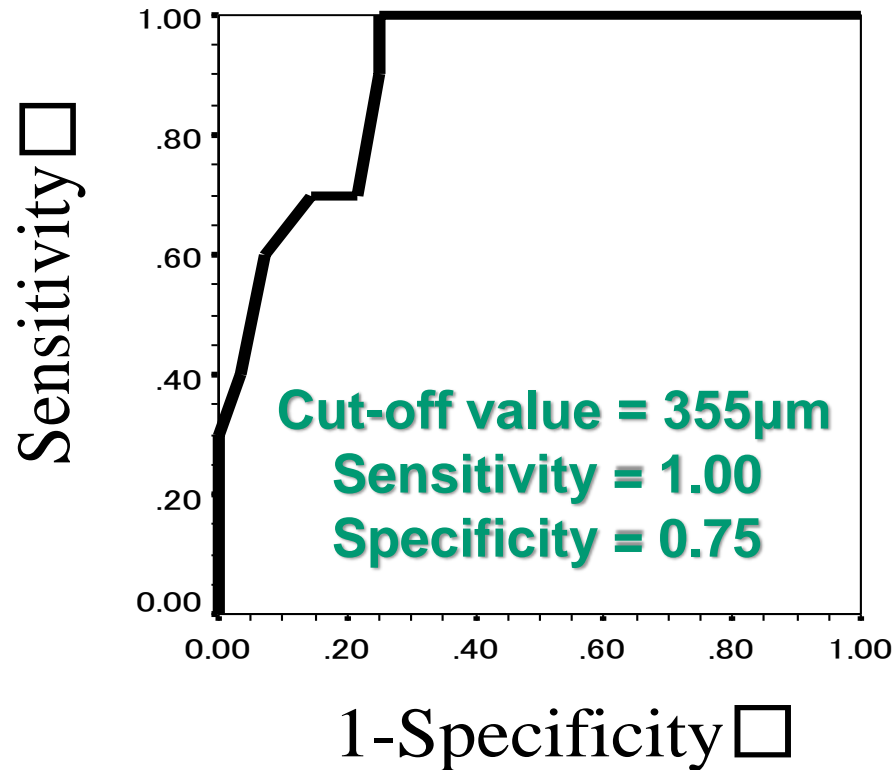
ISA was defined as a ISA distance of $>100\ \mu\text{m}$ in EES and $>170\ \mu\text{m}$ in SES.



ROC curve analysis of maximum ISA distance for predicting persistent ISA (Subanalysis of RESET study)

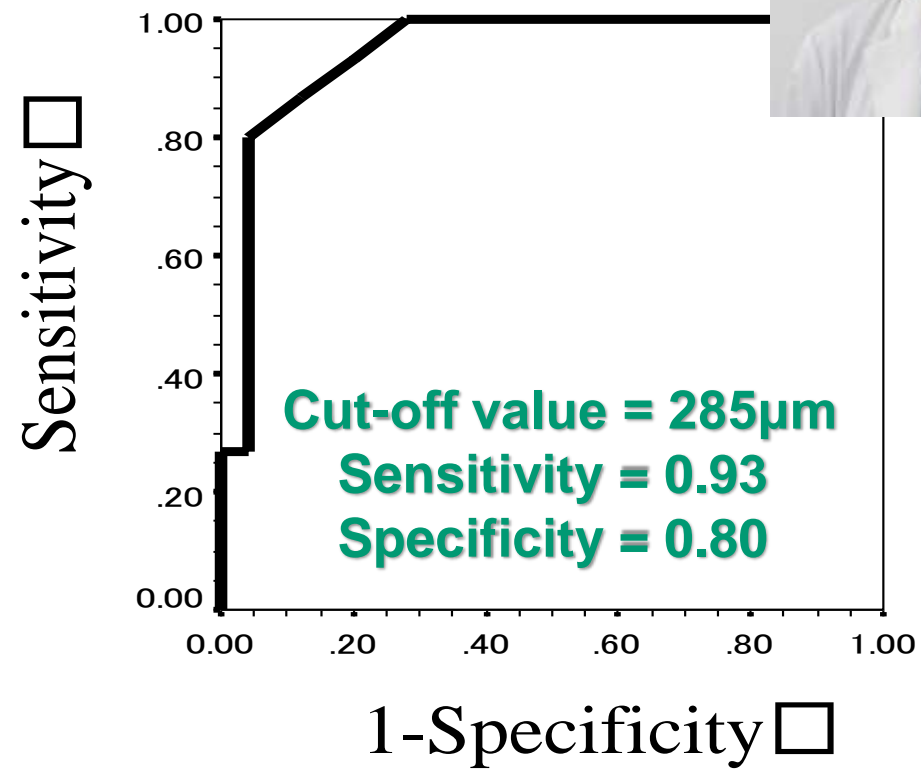


EES



ROC curve analysis identified a maximum ISA distance of **EES > 355µm** with as separating persistent from resolved ISA (sensitivity 100%, specificity 75%, area under the curve = 0.905; 95%CI, 0.812 to 0.999).

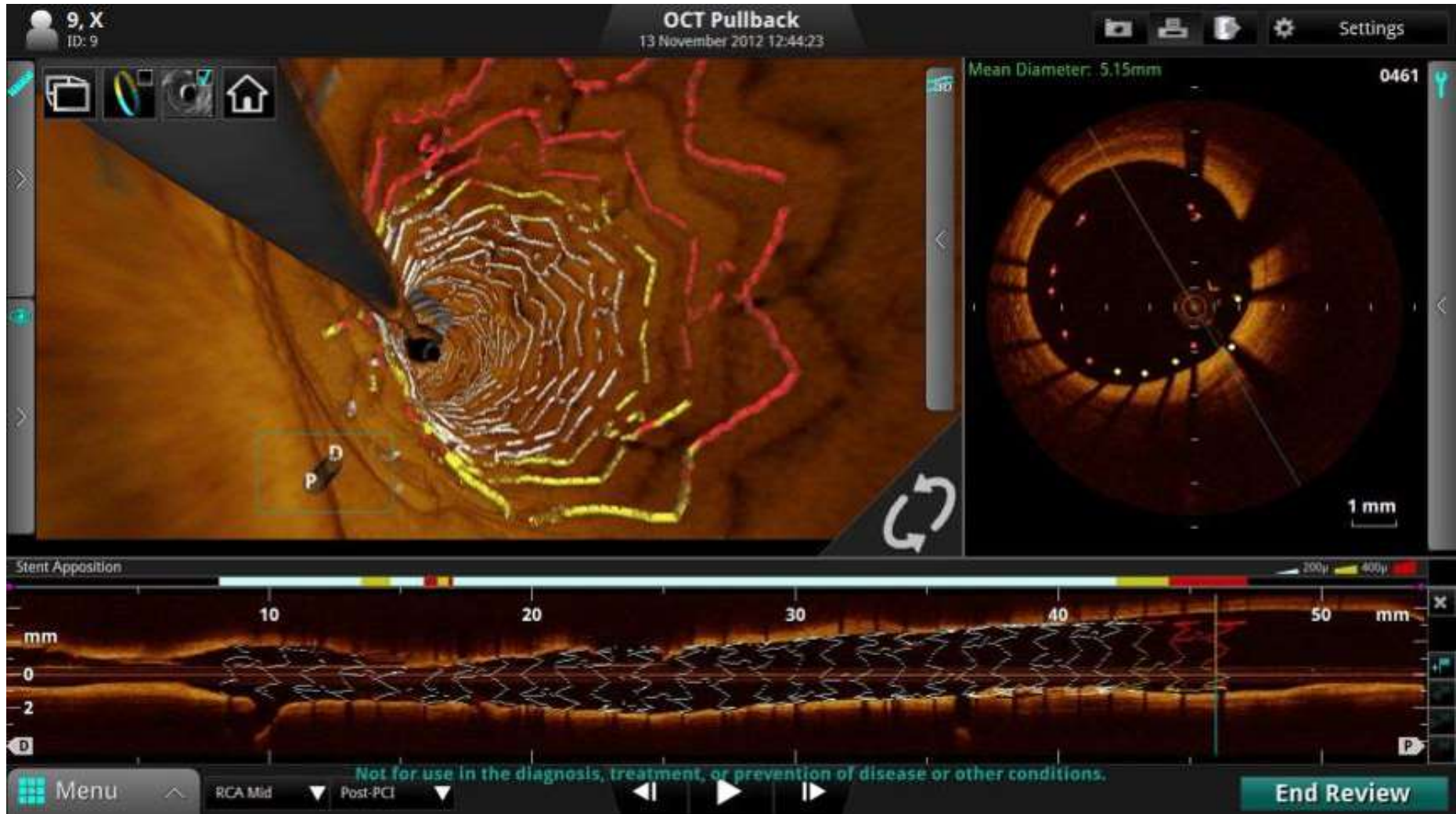
SES



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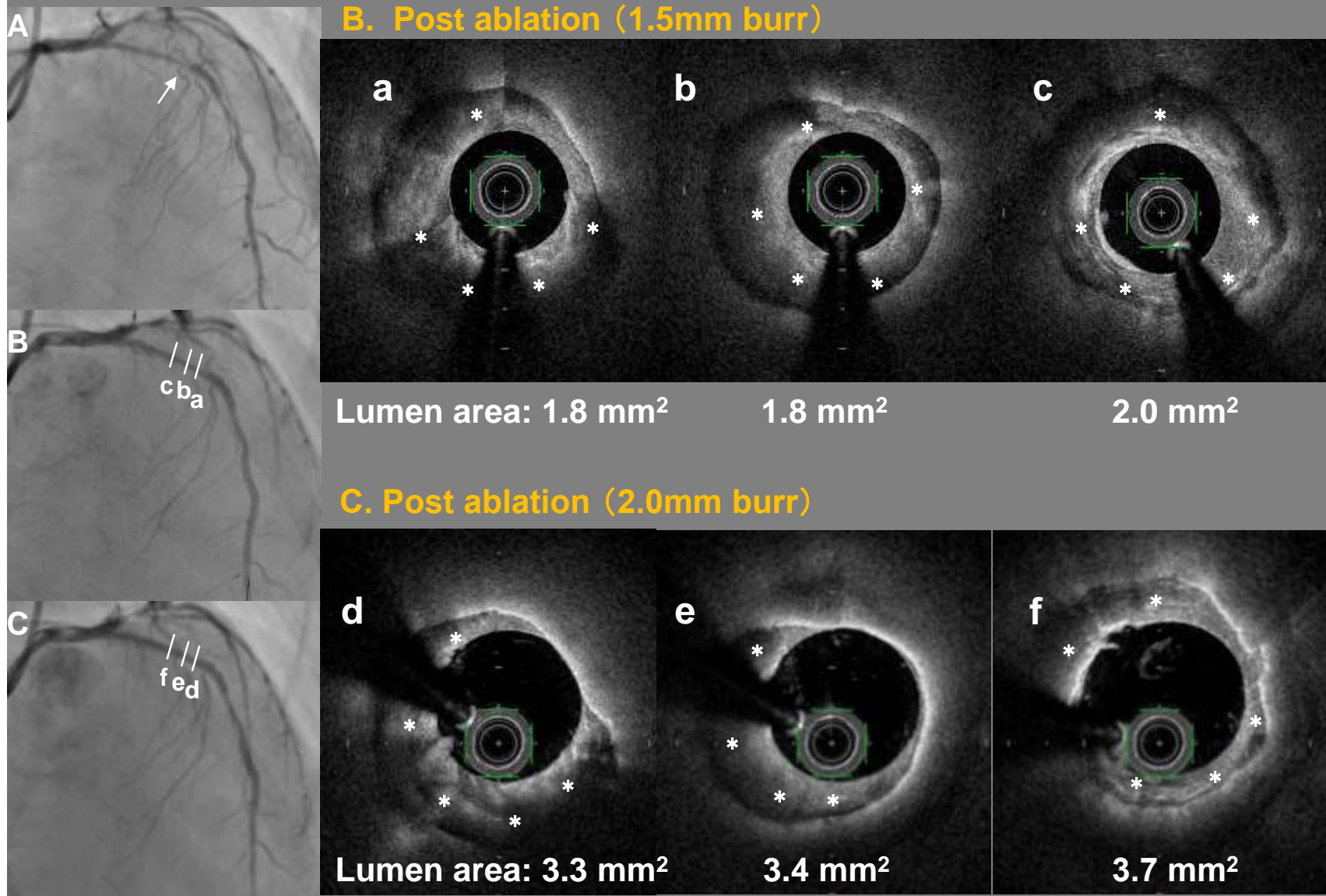


New Development in OCT



3-D reconstruction and color coded auto-detection of stent incomplete apposition can be demonstrated as fly through image by new OCT.

Step by step calcium ablation by OCT-guide



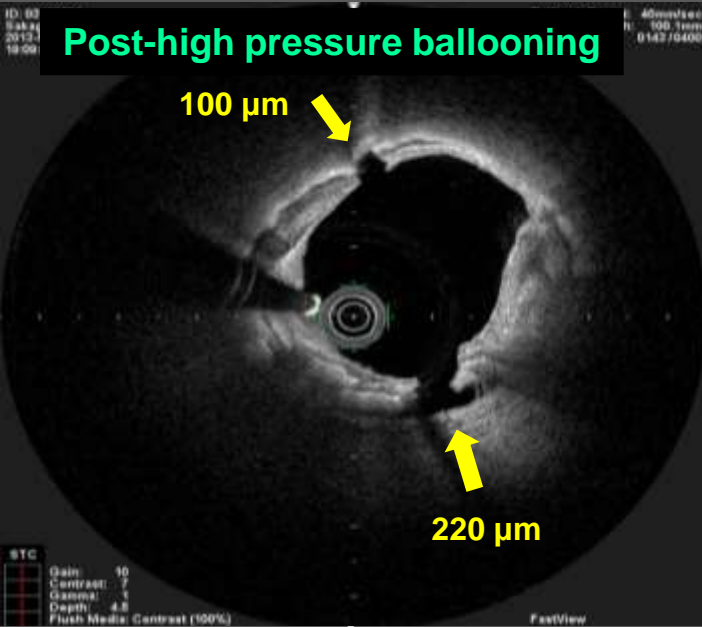
Non-stent strategy was selected because of subsequent colon cancer operation.



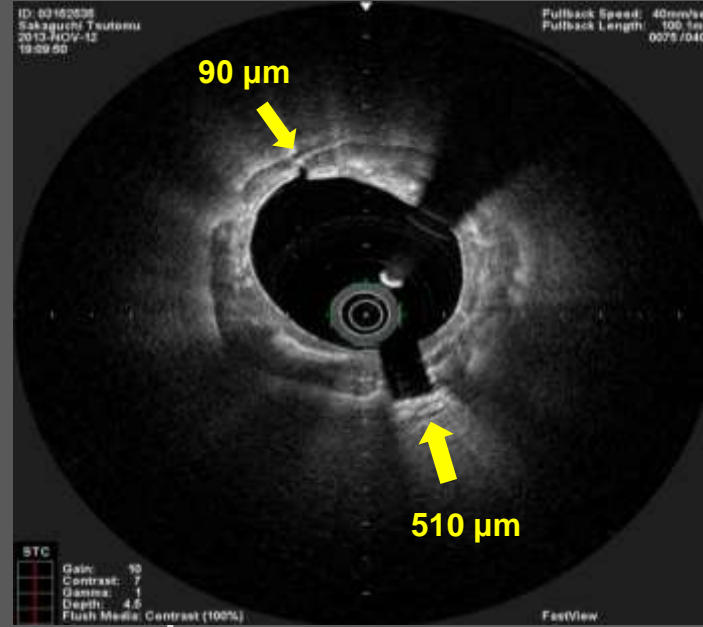
Making calcium fractures after rotablator by OCT-guide

Broken calcium plate

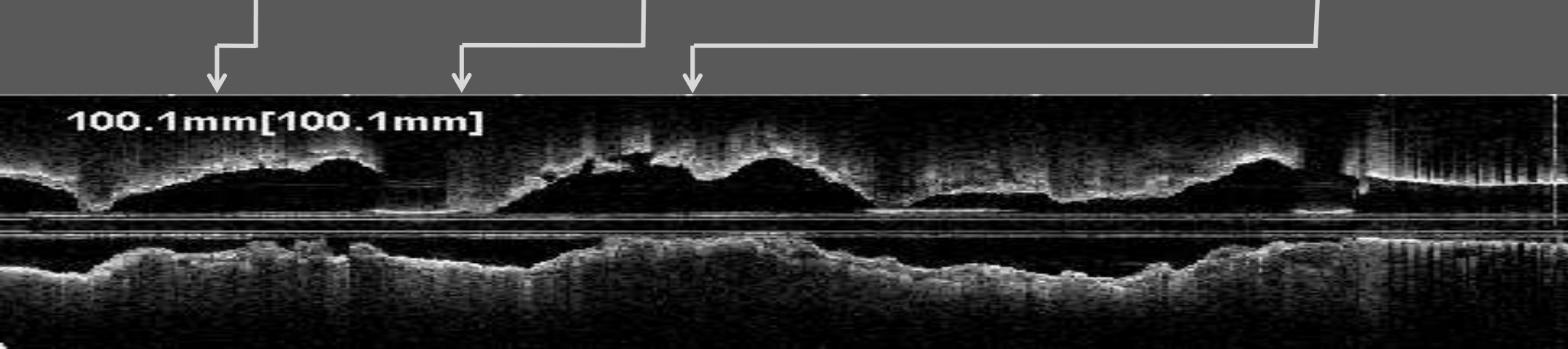
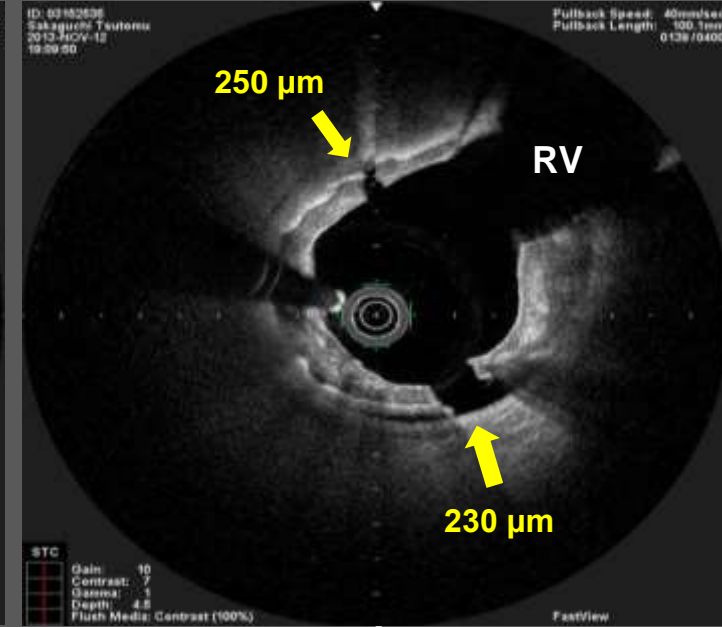
Post-high pressure ballooning



Broken calcium plate

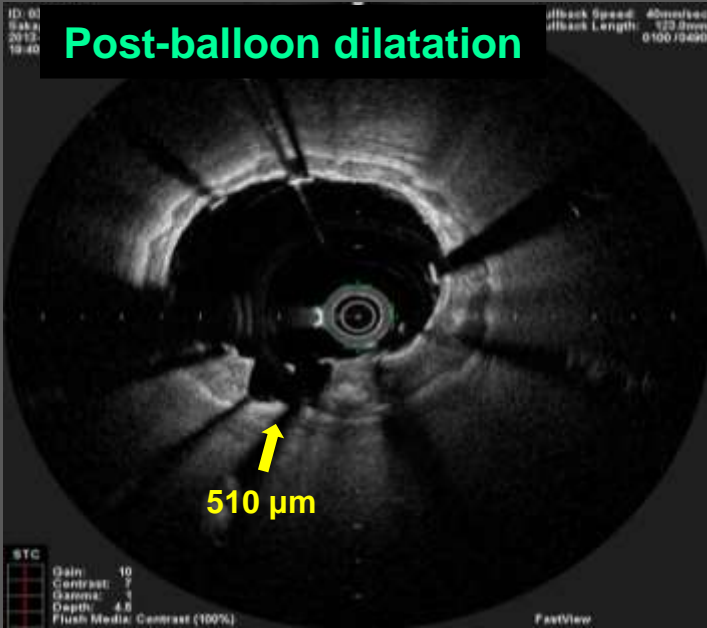


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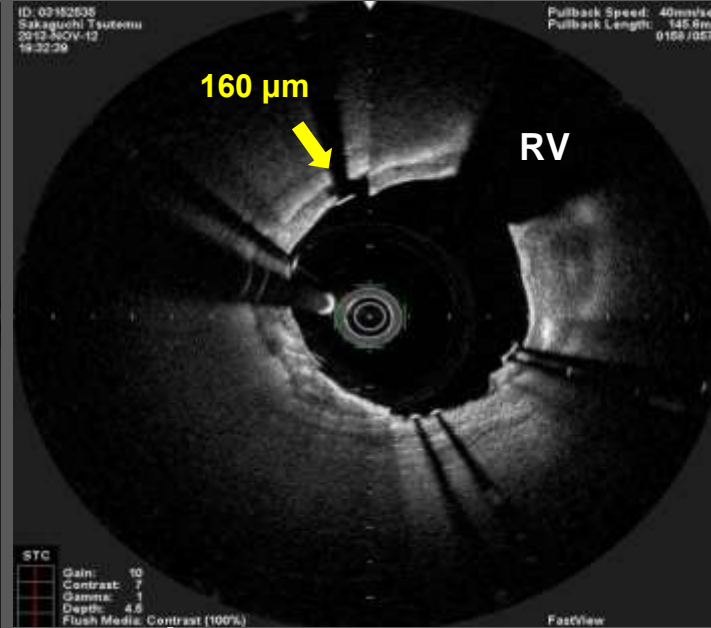


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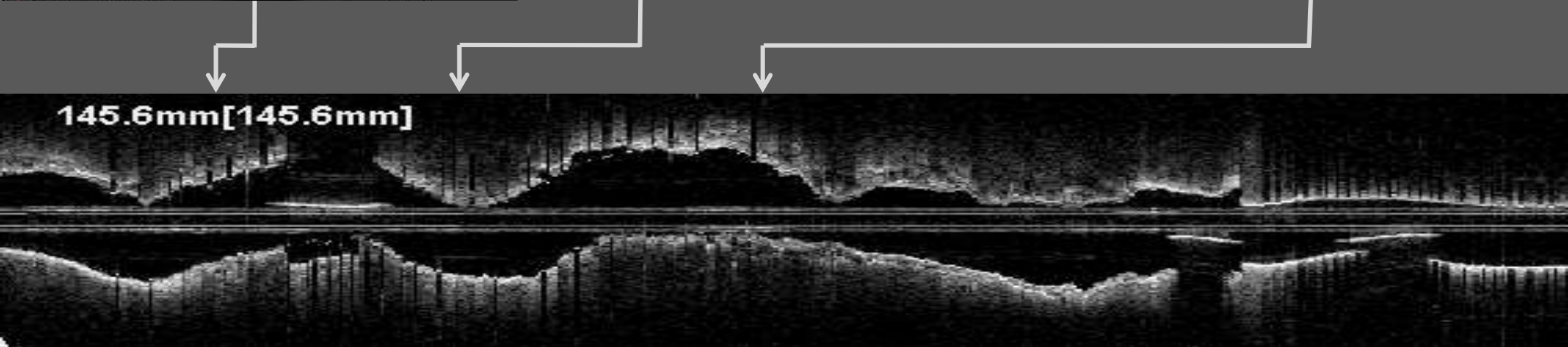
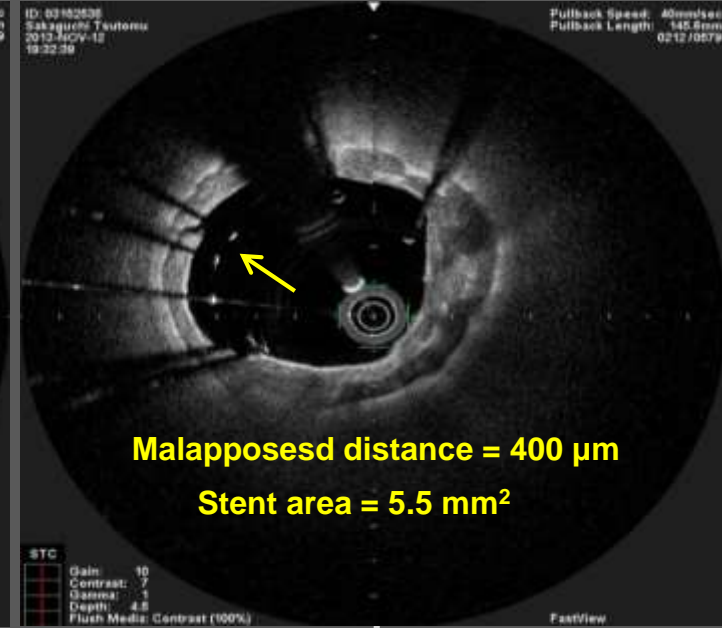
Post-balloon dilatation



Broken calcium plate



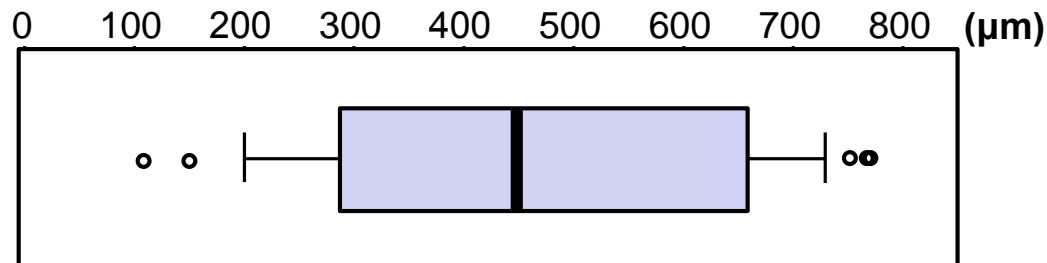
Stent malapposition



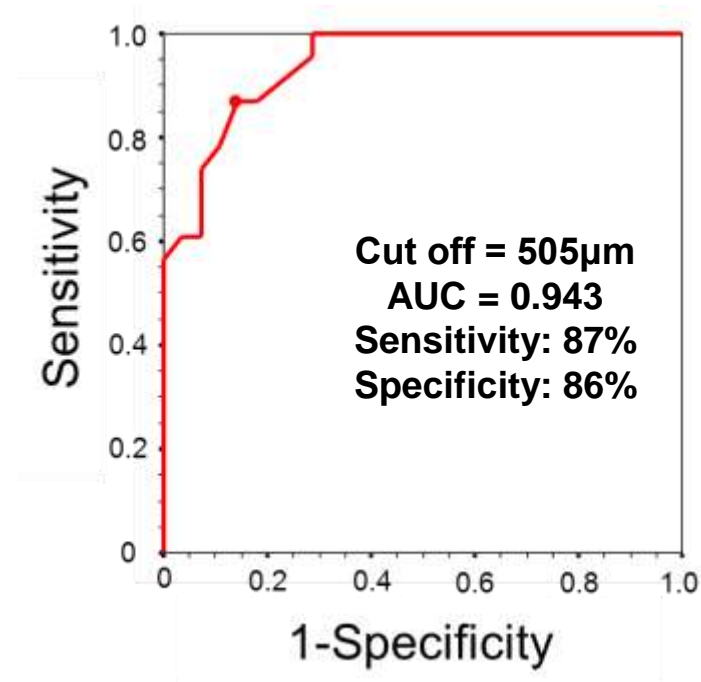
Prediction of calcium plate fracture by ballooning

OFDI was performed to assess vascular response immediately after high pressure ballooning in 61 patients with severe calcified coronary lesion.

Thickness distribution of calcium fracture



Median = 450 μm ; Lower quartile = 300 μm ; Upper quartile = 660 μm ; Minimum = 110 μm ; and Maximum = 770 μm .

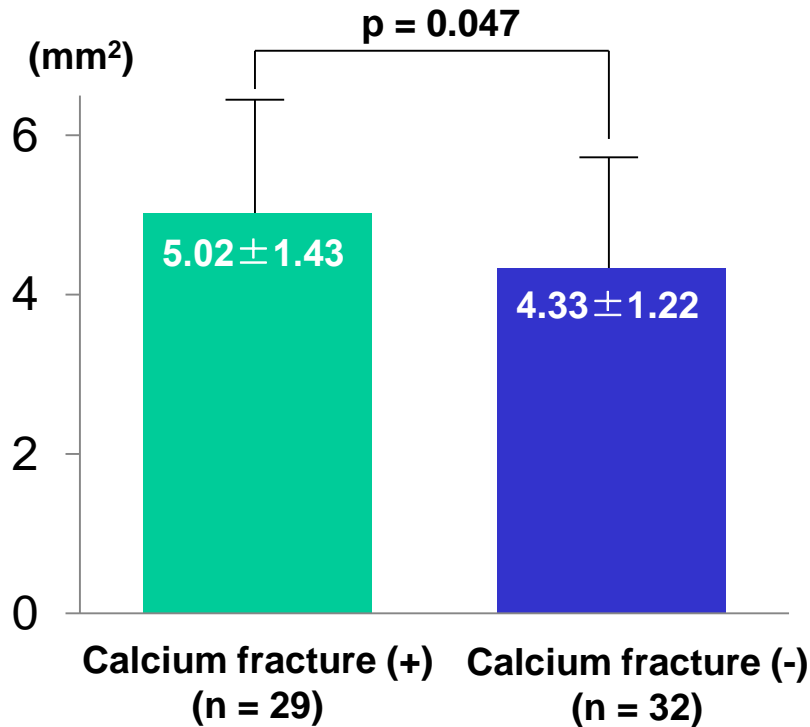


Conclusion: A calcium plate thickness < 505 μm was the corresponding cut-off value for predicting calcium plate fracture by high pressure ballooning.

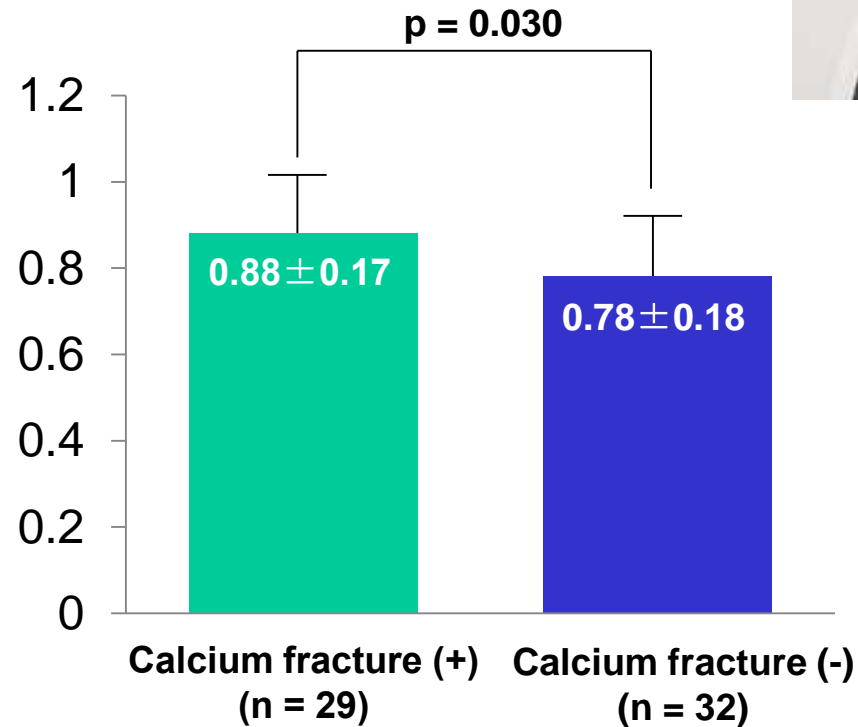
Stent expansion at post-PCI



Minimum stent area



Stent expansion index

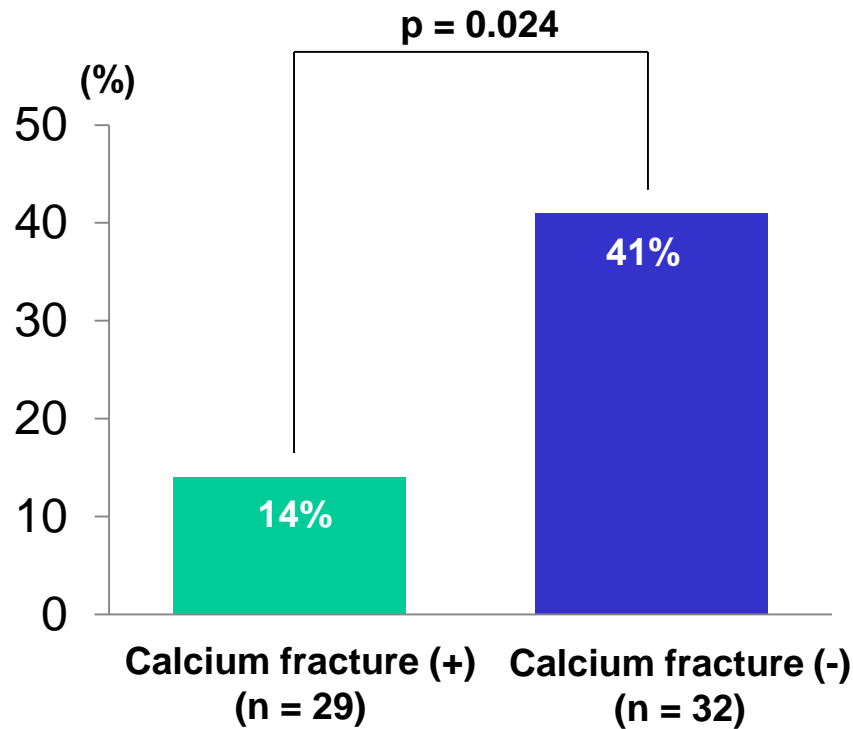


Minimum stent area and stent expansion index were significantly greater in the group with calcium fracture compared with the group without calcium fracture.

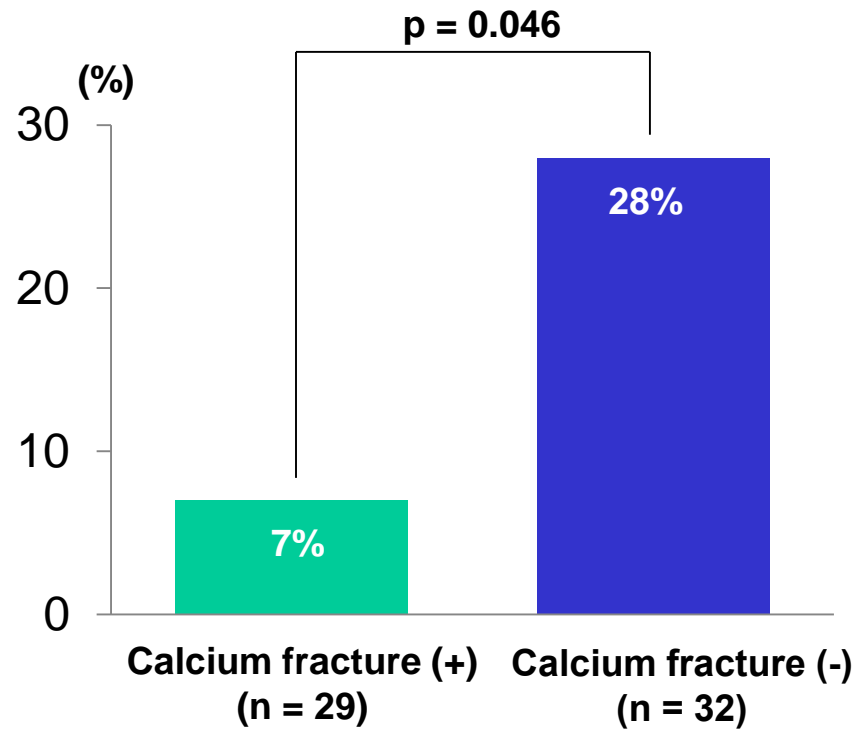


Restenosis and TLR at 10 months follow-up

Binary restenosis

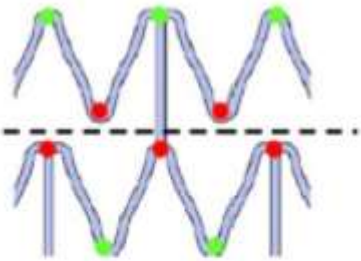
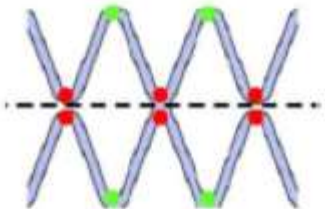
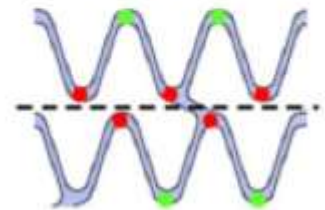


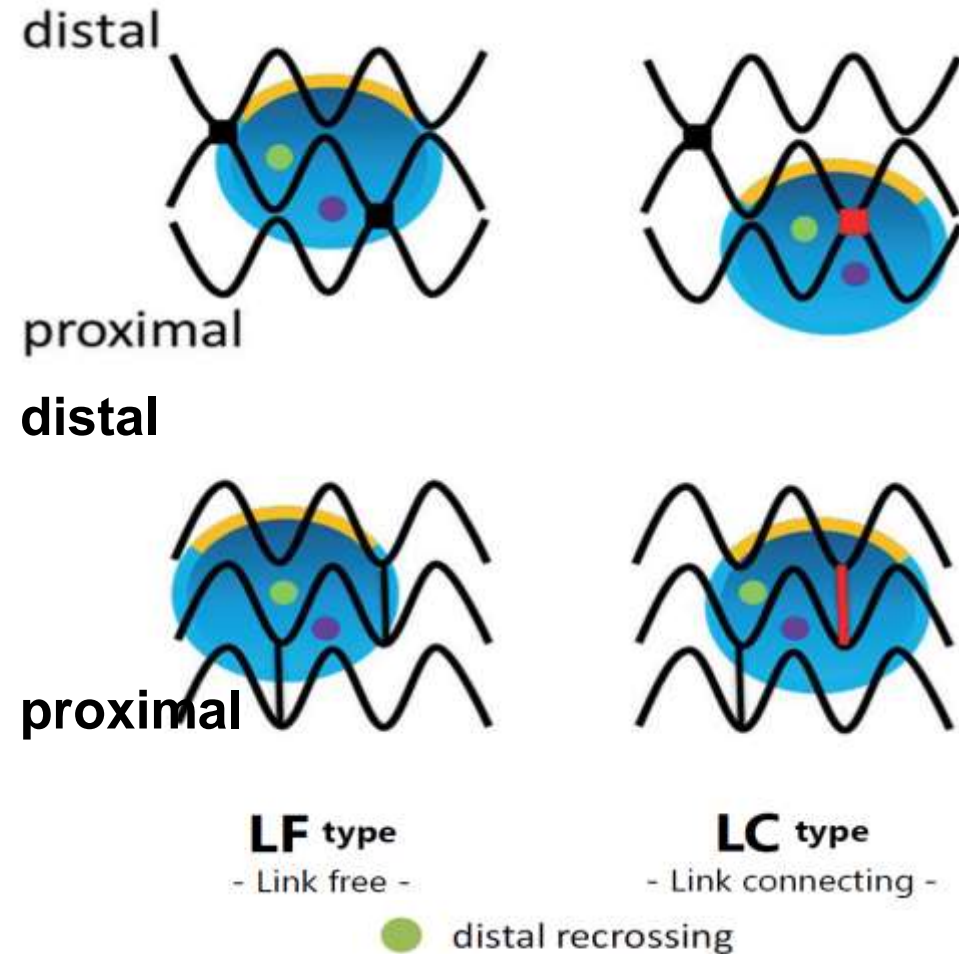
Target lesion revascularization



The frequency of binary restenosis and target lesion revascularization was significantly lower in the group with calcium fracture compared with the group without calcium fracture.

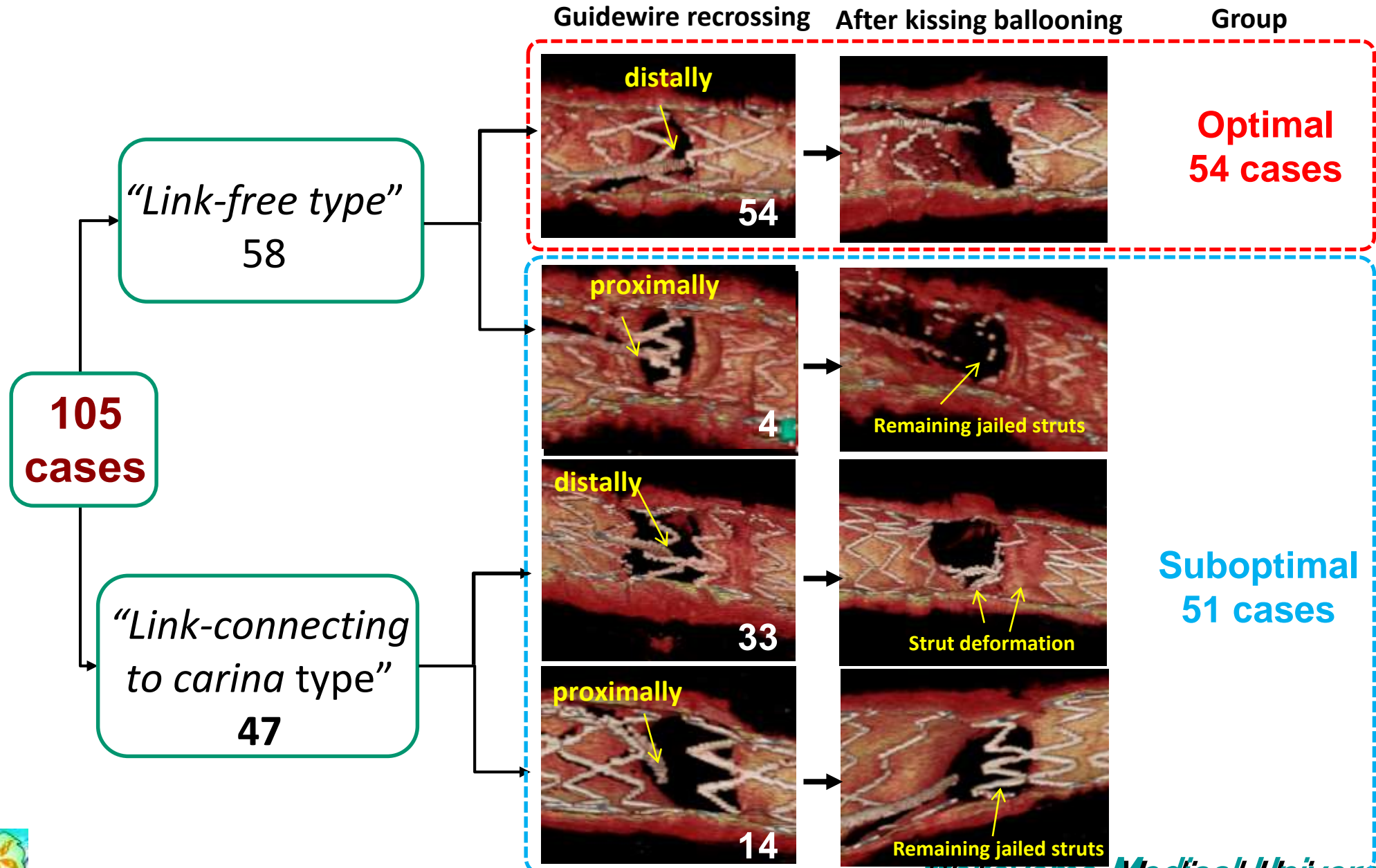
Stent design based on the rink position & wire re-cross point at bifurcation orifice

Peak to Valley (P-V) DES	Peak to Peak (P-P) DES
XIENCE	Synergy Resolute Onyx Ultimaster
	<p>Peak to Peak</p>  <p>Offset Peak to Peak</p> 



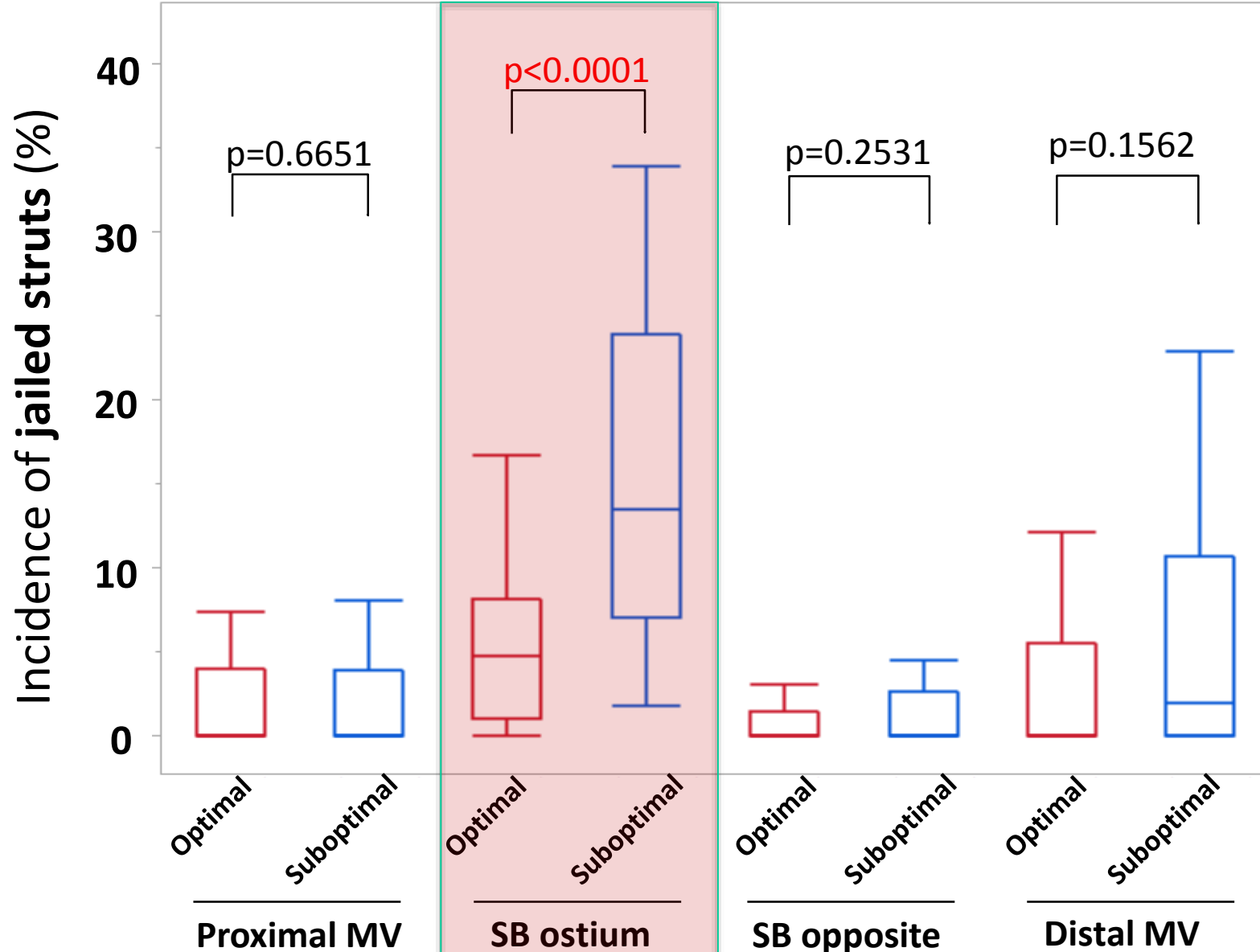
Frequency of jailing configuration & GW rewiring position

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Incidence of ISA at each segment

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Angiographic ISR at 9 Month

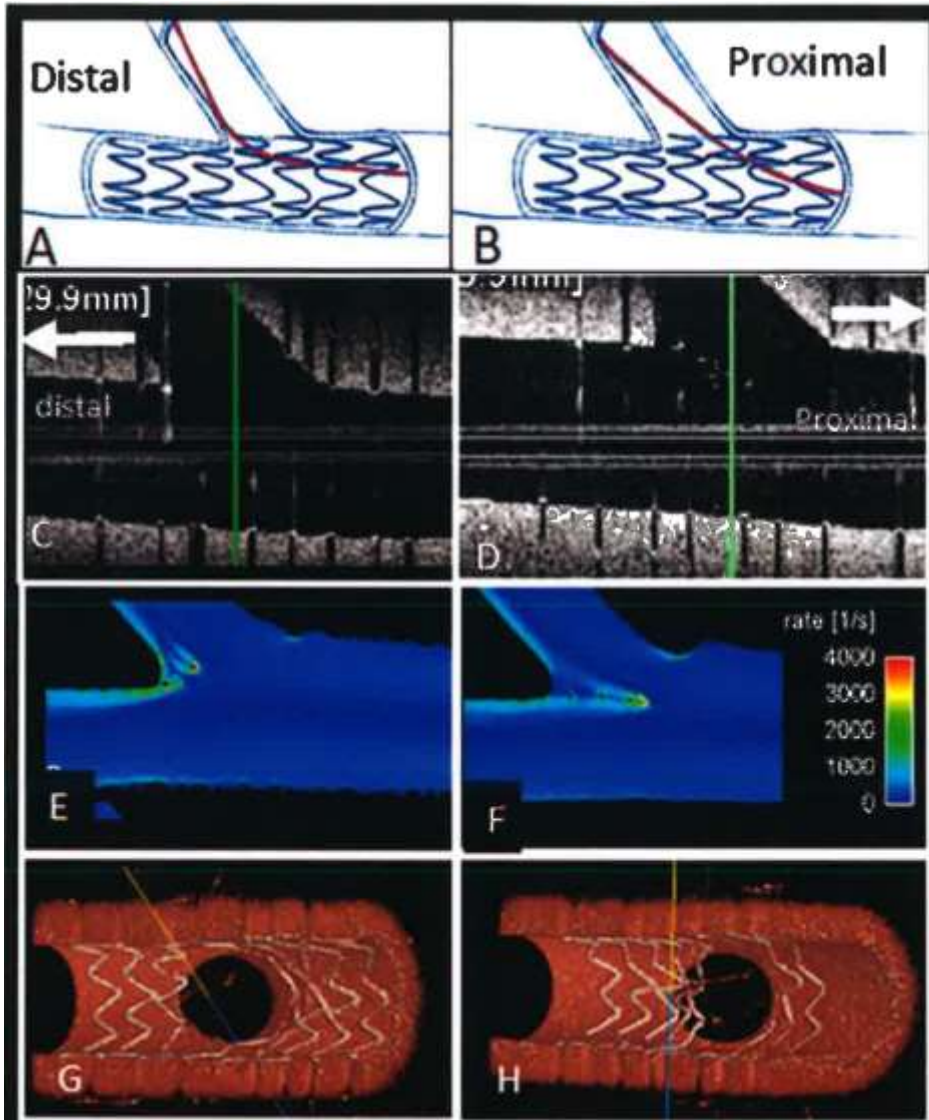
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	All	Optimal	Suboptimal	P value
n	87	48	39	
ISR	12(13.8%)	4(8.3%)	8(20.5%)	0.1254
PMV	0(0%)	0(0%)	0(0%)	-
DMV	1(1.1%)	1(2.1%)	0(0%)	1.0000
Side Br Orifice	12(13.8%)	4(8.3%)	8(20.5%)	0.1254



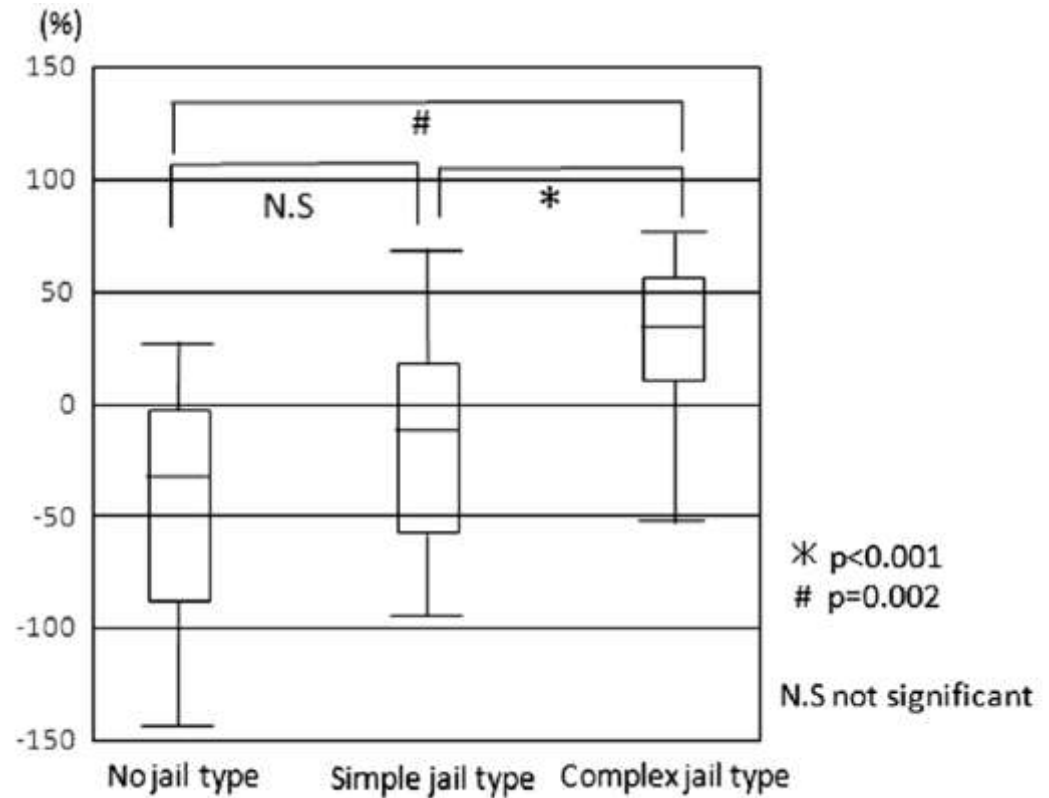
Impact of the rewiring position Strut malapposition & shear stress

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Comparison of % reduction of the side branch flow area Comparison among each jailed type

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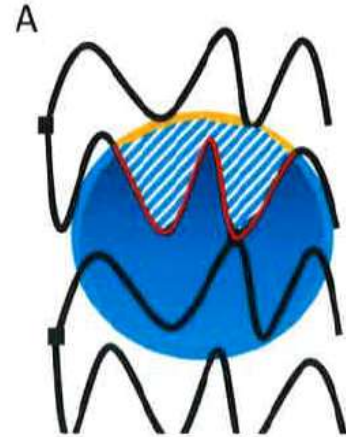


Optimal rewiring point in side branch ostium according to different configurations of overhanging struts

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Out-of-phase,
Peak to peak design
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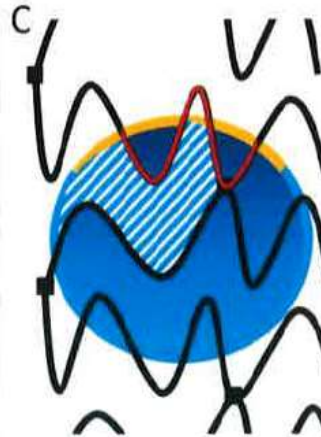
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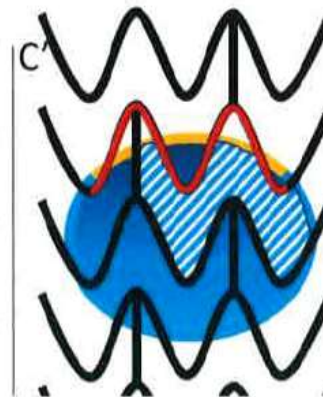
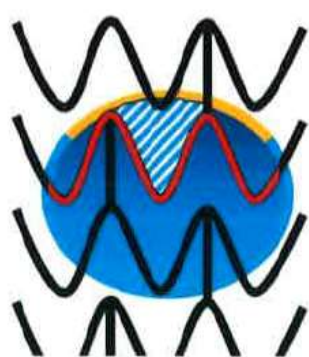


Configuration 3



↑ Distal
↓ Proximal

In-phase,
Peak to valley design
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↑ Distal
↓ Proximal



Take home message

OCT for Guiding Complex PCI: Wisdom from Experience

- **Pre- & post-PCI lesion morphology can be assessed easily, precisely and accurately by OCT because of higher resolution with high frame rate using auto-pullback & auto-measurement systems, and 3D reconstruction, etc..**
- **OCT-guided PCI is becoming more popular in daily clinical practice by the guideline recommendation as class IIa, and consensus documents regarding OCT-guided PCI has just described officially.**
- **Much more precise PCI could be expected by OCT compared with IVUS-guidance in specific lesions such as severe calcification, left main bifurcation, and so on, and OCT may allow us to change our daily clinical practice in PCI.**
- **Randomized prospective studies should be perform to demonstrate the advantages of OCT for specific pathological condition as a game changer in the field of PCI.**



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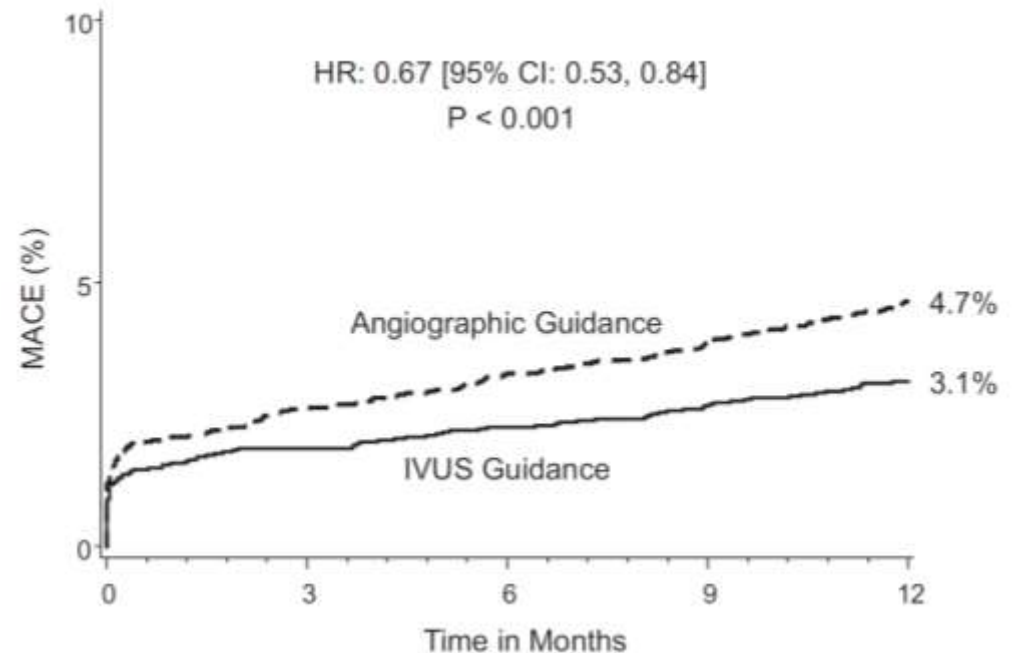
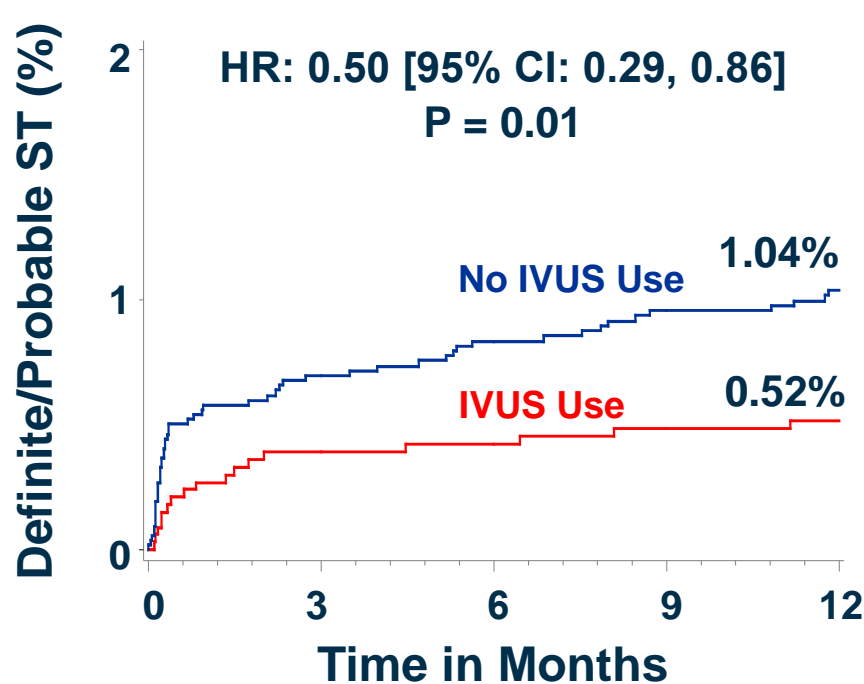


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IVUS- vs. angio-guided PCI with DES

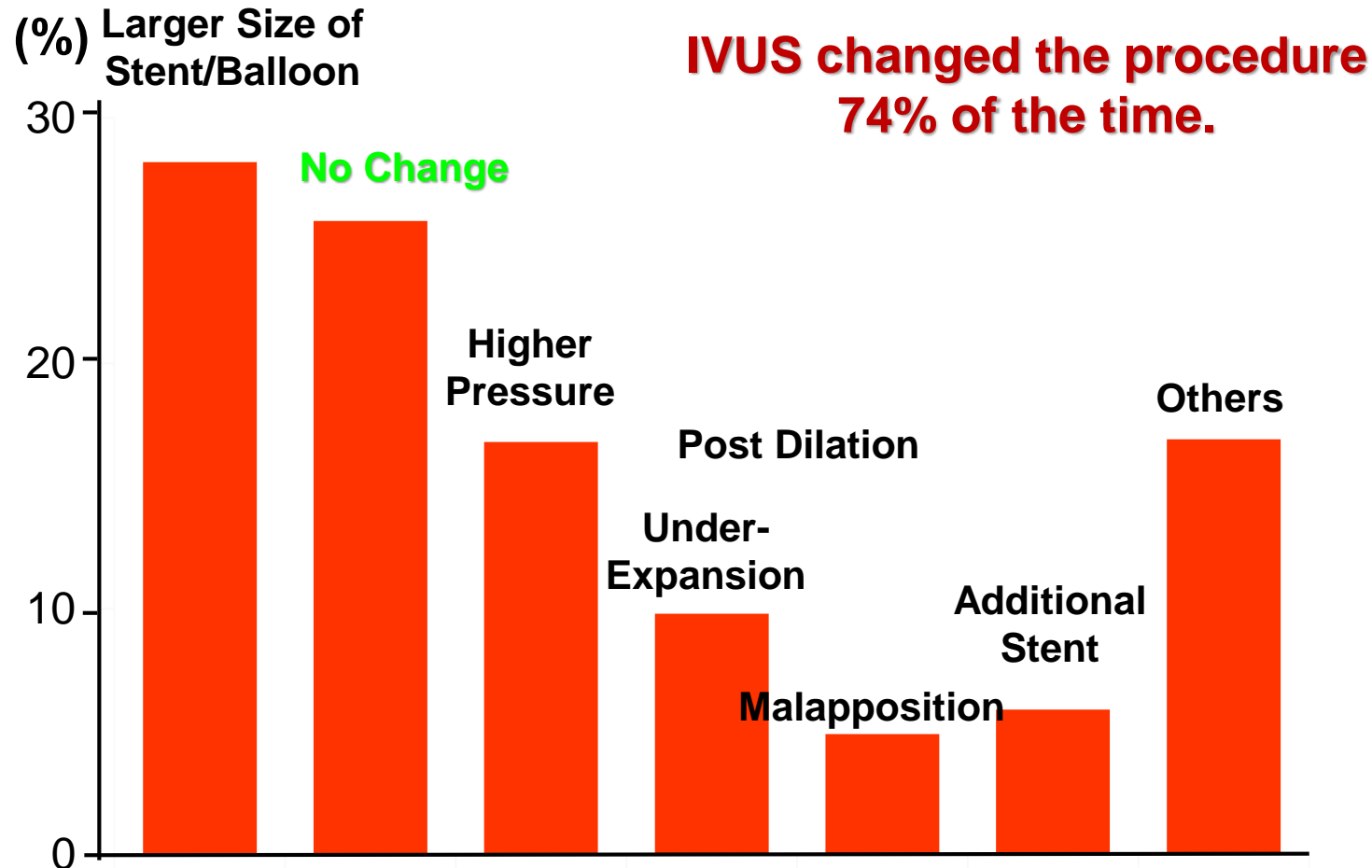
In the assessment of dual antiplatelet therapy with drug-eluting stent (ADAPT-DES) substudy, IVUS guidance compared with angiography in 8,583 'all-comers' pts at 11 international centers.



Conclusion: Compared with angiography, IVUS guidance reduces ST in addition to MI and MACE within 1 year after DES implantation.



How IVUS changed the procedure in ADAPT-DES substudy



Intracoronary imaging & physiology in ESC guideline 2014

Recommendations	Class ^a	Level ^b	Ref. ^c
FFR to identify haemodynamically relevant coronary lesion(s) in stable patients when evidence of ischaemia is not available.	I	A	50,51,713
FFR-guided PCI in patients with multivessel disease.	IIa	B	54
IVUS in selected patients to optimize stent implantation.	IIa	B	702,703,706
IVUS to assess severity and optimize treatment of unprotected left main lesions.	IIa	B	705
IVUS or OCT to assess mechanisms of stent failure.	IIa	C	
OCT in selected patients to optimize stent implantation.	IIb	C	

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