



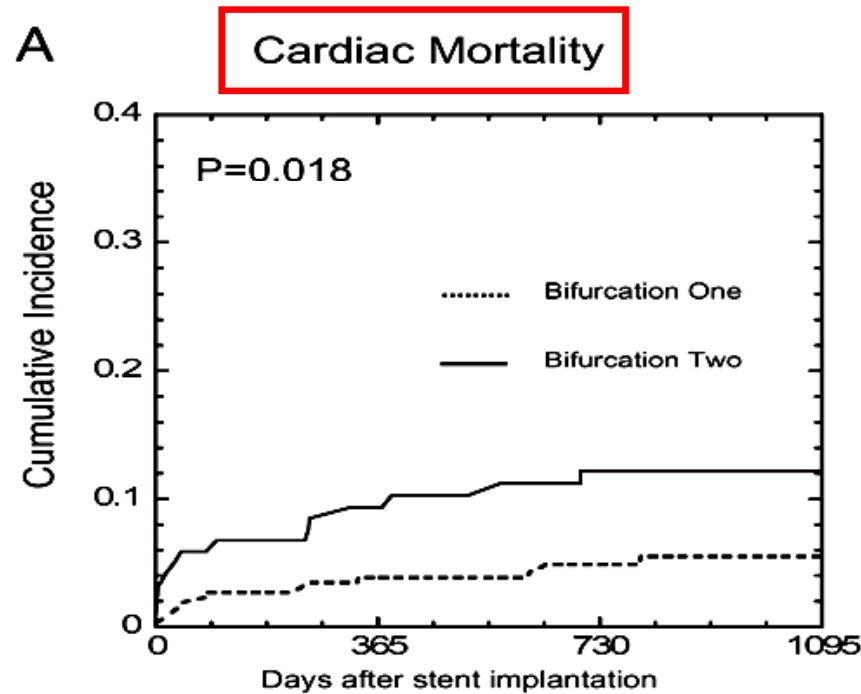
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Left Main: always one stent whatever IVUS findings ?

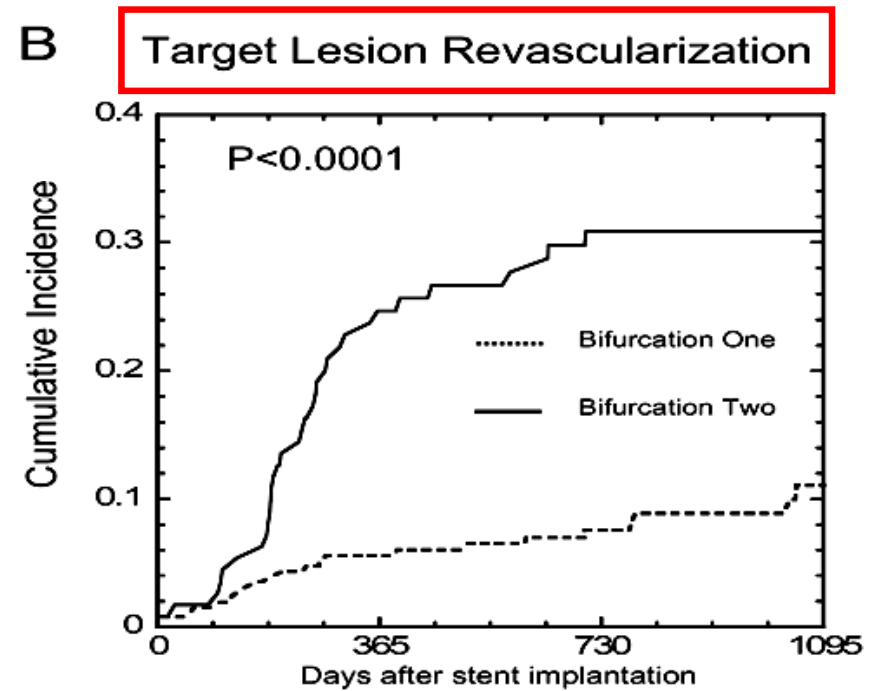
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3Y Outcomes After SES Implantation for ULM Coronary Artery Disease: Insights From the j-Cypher Registry

Cardiac death and TLR in pts treated for ULMCA / distal bifurcation stenting strategy



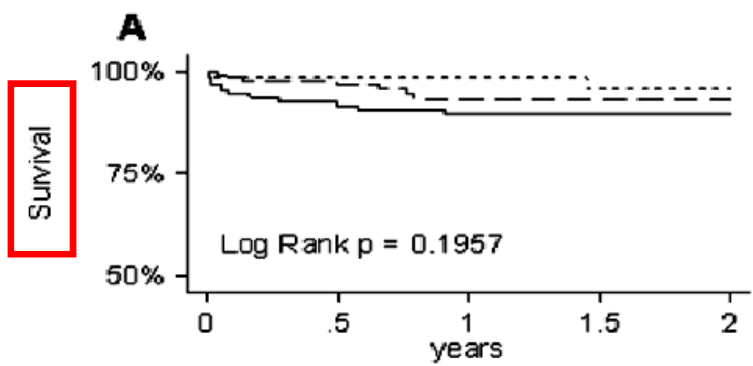
Day	0	365	730	1095
Bifurcation One				
Incidence (%)		3.9	4.9	5.5
No. at risk	261	242	180	86
Bifurcation Two				
Incidence (%)		9.4	12.2	12.2
No. at risk	119	105	86	52



Day	0	365	730	1095
Bifurcation One				
Incidence (%)		5.6	7.6	11.1
No. at risk	261	229	161	76
Bifurcation Two				
Incidence (%)		24.6	30.9	30.9
No. at risk	119	81	62	37

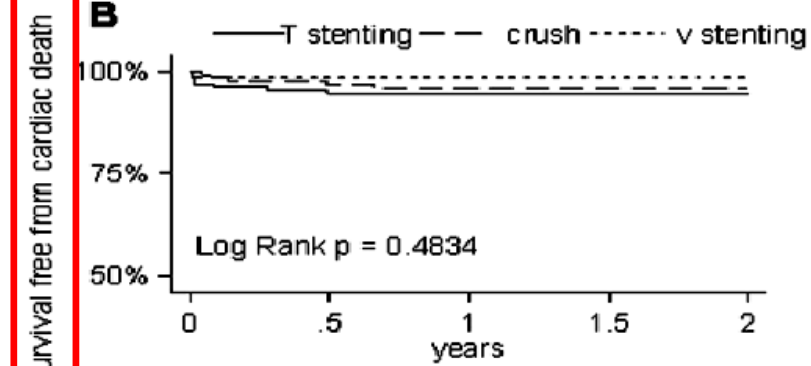
Impact of Bifurcation Technique on 2-Year Clinical Outcomes in 773 Pts With Distal ULM Stenosis Treated With DES

T-stenting, V-stenting, or crush stenting ?



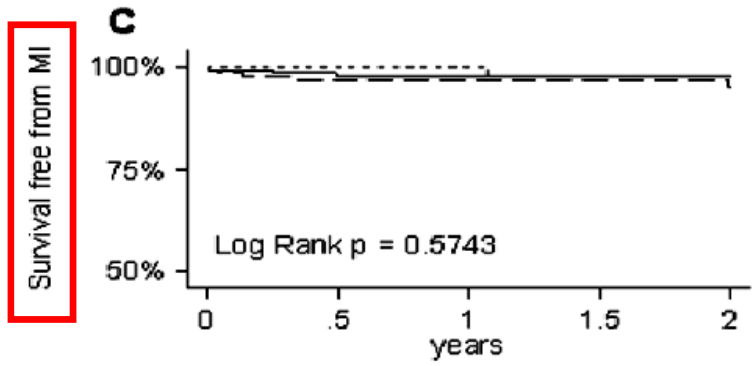
At-risk

T stenting	128	104	84	65	56
crush	121	97	76	59	50
v stenting	60	50	42	33	30



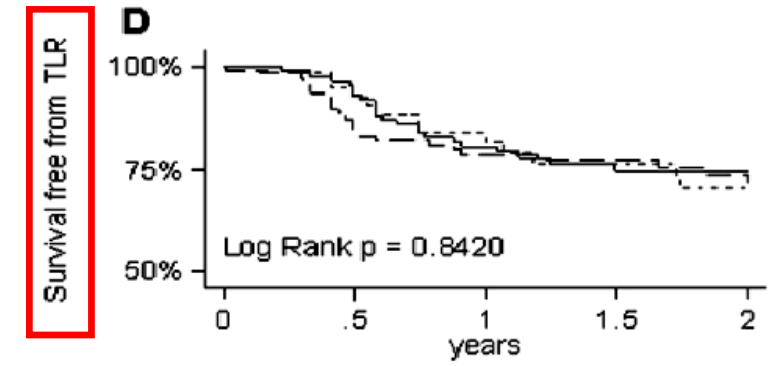
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crush	121	96	75	58	49
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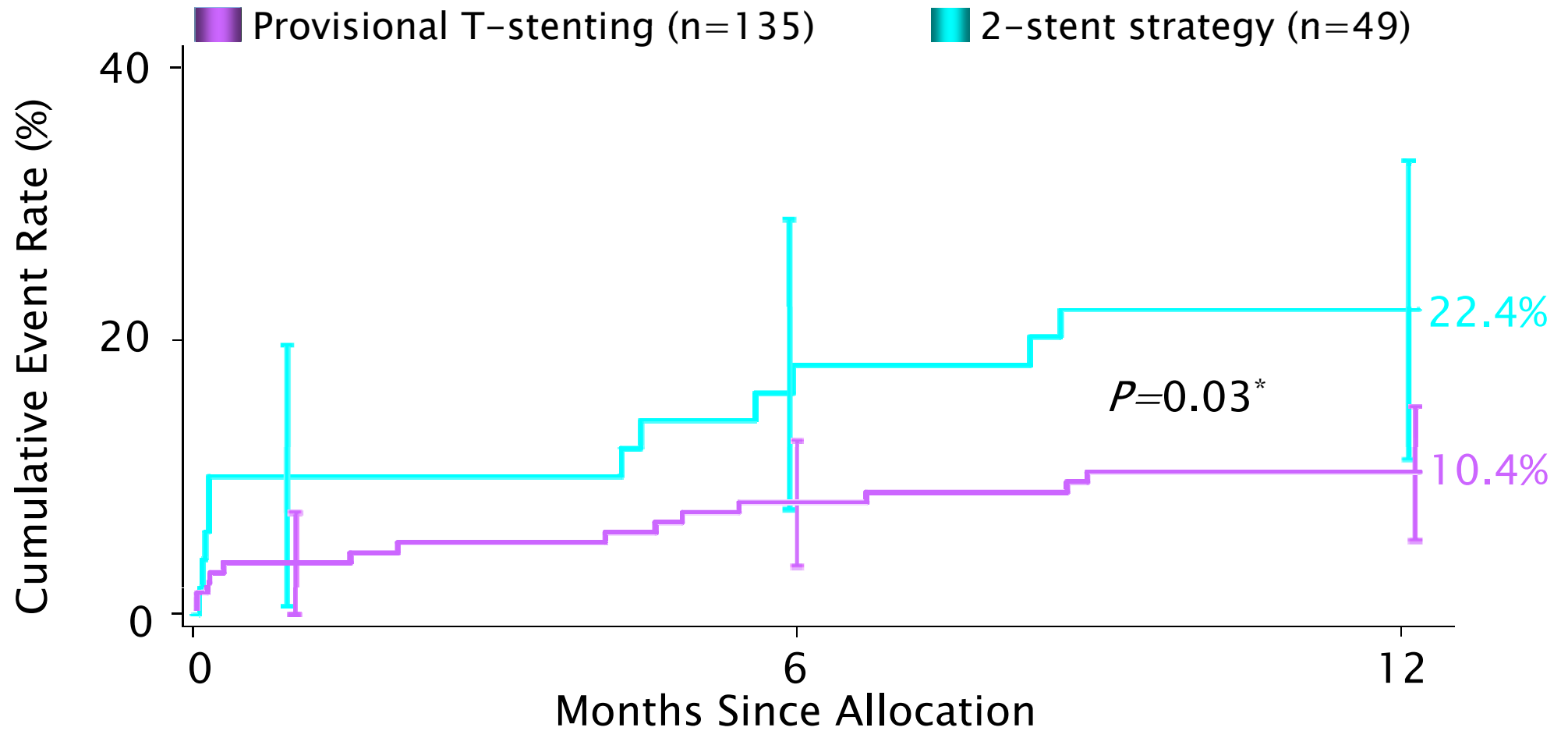


At-risk

T stenting	128	96	67	46	38
crush	121	82	61	47	38
v stenting	60	46	35	26	23

SYNTAX, MACCE to 12 Months





LM PCI Subset



Event Rate \pm 1.5 SE, *Fisher exact test

ITT population

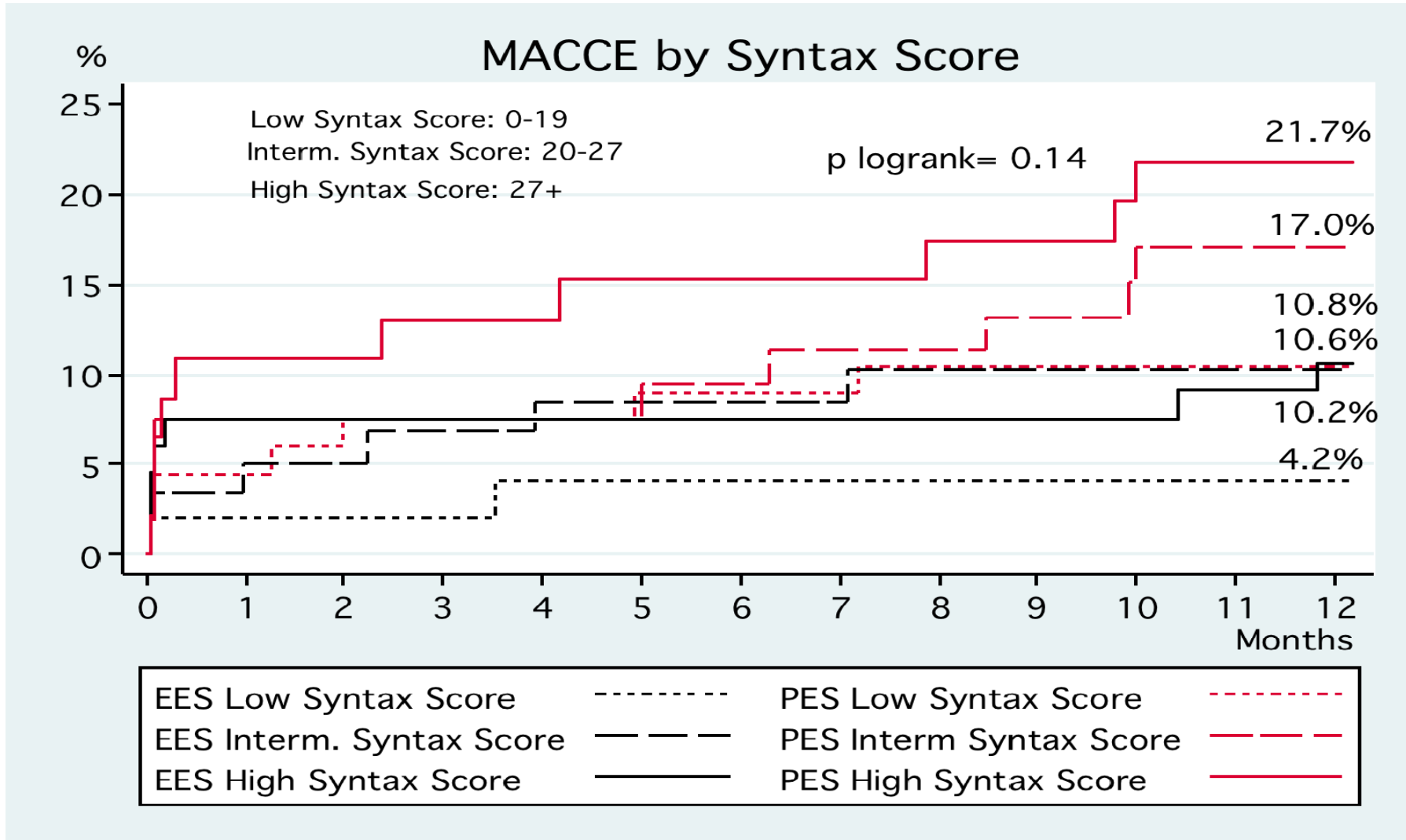
French Multi-center Left Main studies with DES

	Pilot Taxus* 2004	FRIEND** 2006	LEMAX 2008	
Nb patients	291	151	174	= 616
% distal lesion	78	69	81	
% 2 stents	42	 26	 19	
Mean LM stent diameter (mm)	3.44±0.39	 3.59±0.49	 3.63±0.33	
12 month TLR	5.9%	2.7%	2.3%	

*B. Vaquerizo et al. Circulation 2009;119:2349-56

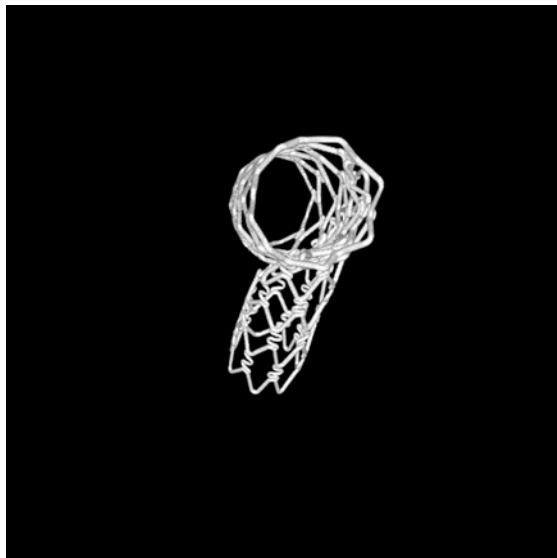
**D.Carrié et al., Eurointerv 2009;4:449-56

LEMAX and TAXUS LM registries

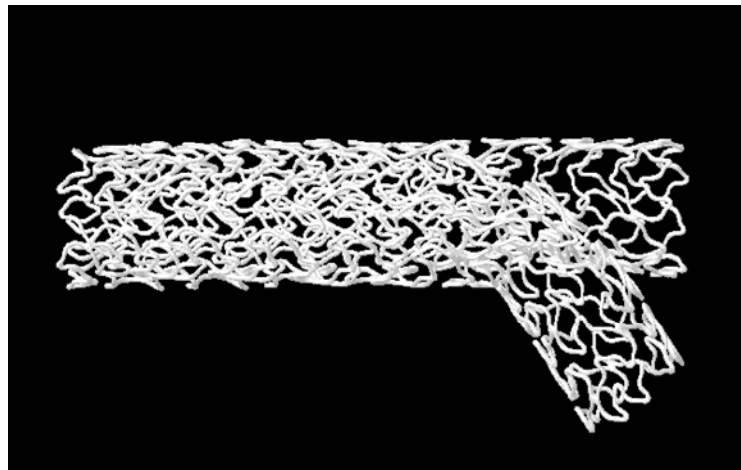


Complex techniques: to suppress the gaps at SB ostium

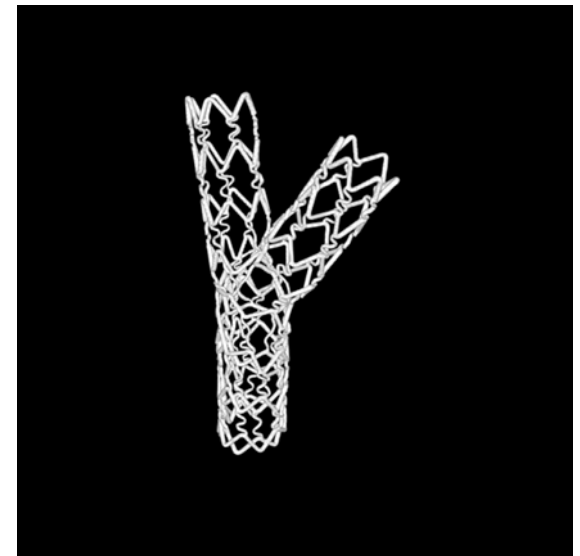
Crush



SKS

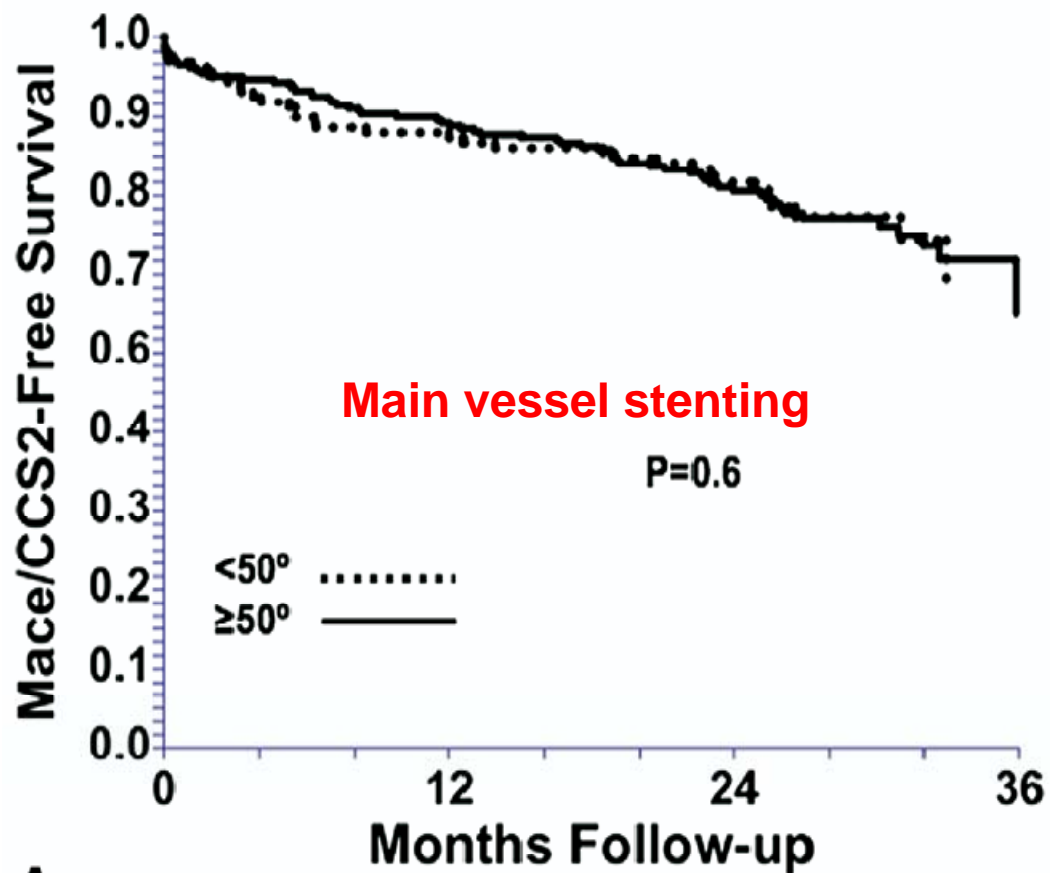


Culotte

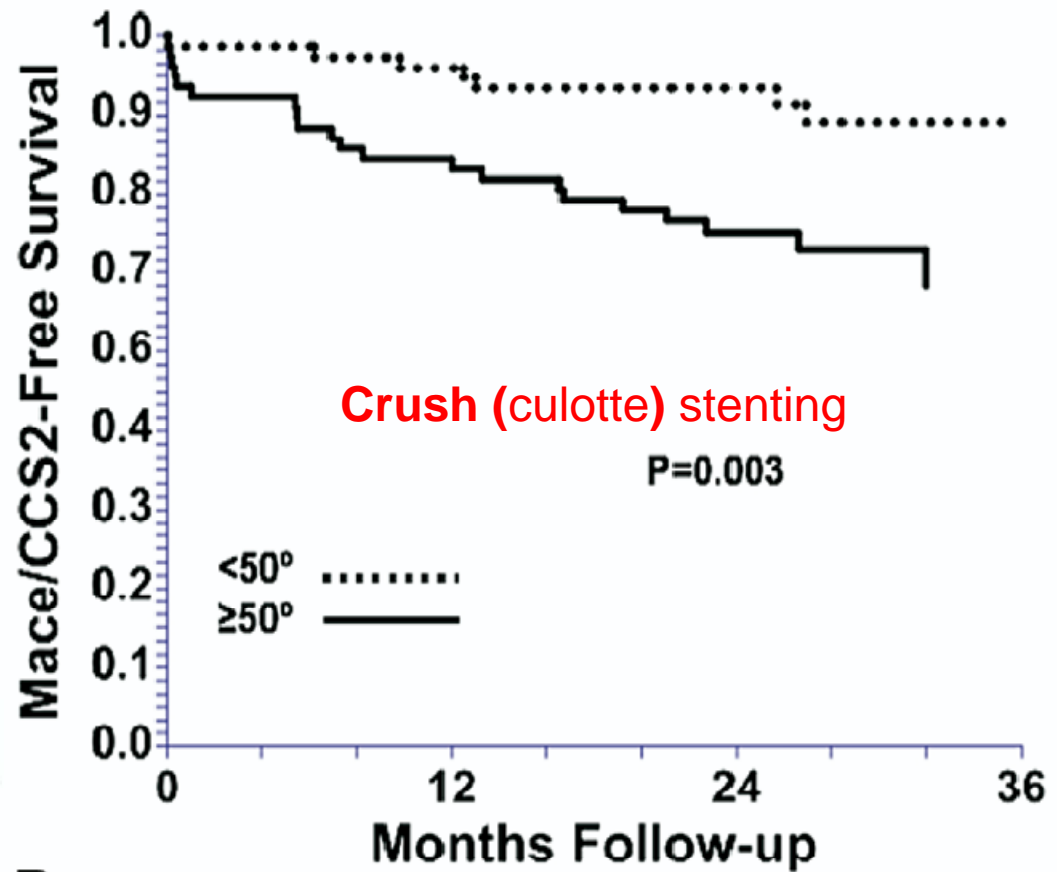


Video

Outcome After Bifurcation PCI: role of angle



A



B

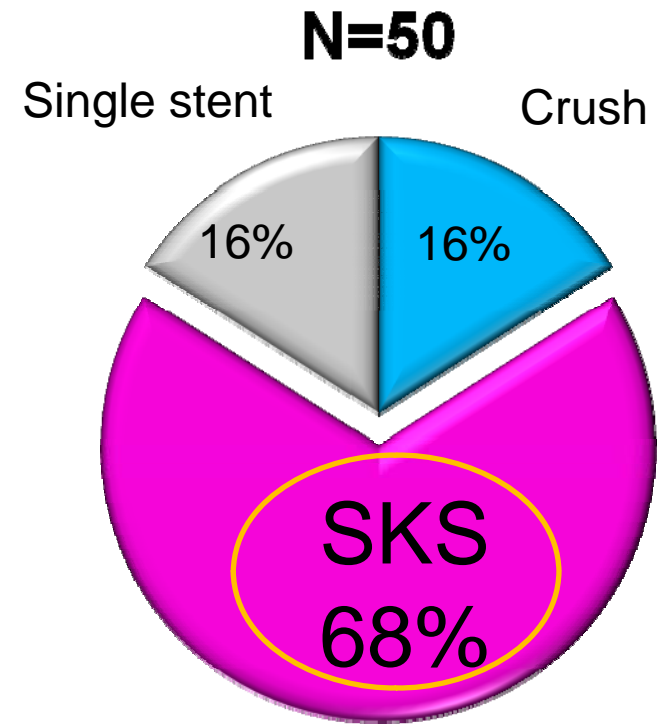
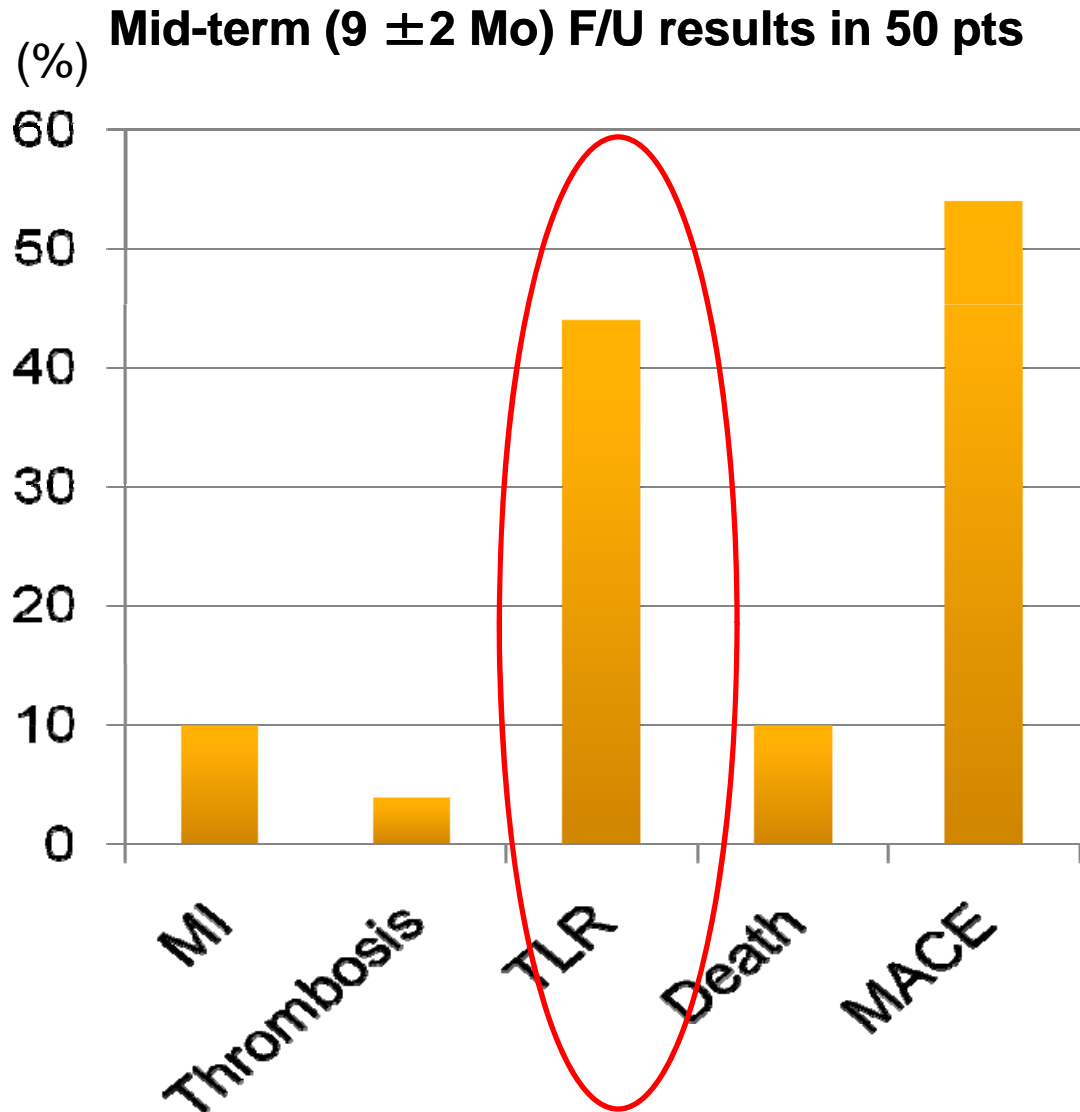
Kaplan-Meier curves for MACE or CCS class 2 angina-free survival / bifurcation angle

Culotte stenting : 1y dedicated QCA and clinical outcomes

Variable	Odds ratio (95% CI)	P-value
Age increase by 10 years	2.38 (1.21–4.96)	0.01
Diabetes	3.43 (0.71–16.60)	0.13
Male sex	0.62 (0.15–2.53)	0.51
Medina classification	0.42 (0.13–1.32)	0.14
Restenotic lesion	0.52 (0.12–2.24)	0.38
Bifurcation angle increase by 10°	1.53 (1.04–2.23)	0.03
Calcified lesion	0.53 (0.12–2.24)	0.39
Proximal main vessel		
Reference vessel diameter decrease by 1 mm	4.55 (0.17–123.36)	0.37
Baseline stenosis increase by 10%	0.91 (0.67–1.23)	0.54
Distal main vessel		
Reference vessel diameter decrease by 1 mm	0.10 (0.00–3.17)	0.19
Baseline stenosis increase by 10%	1.47 (1.03–2.09)	0.03
Side branch vessel		
Reference vessel diameter decrease by 1 mm	31.83 (1.71–592.77)	0.02
Baseline stenosis increase by 10%	0.97 (0.82–1.15)	0.75
Kissing balloon post-dilatation	0.37 (0.13–1.10)	0.07

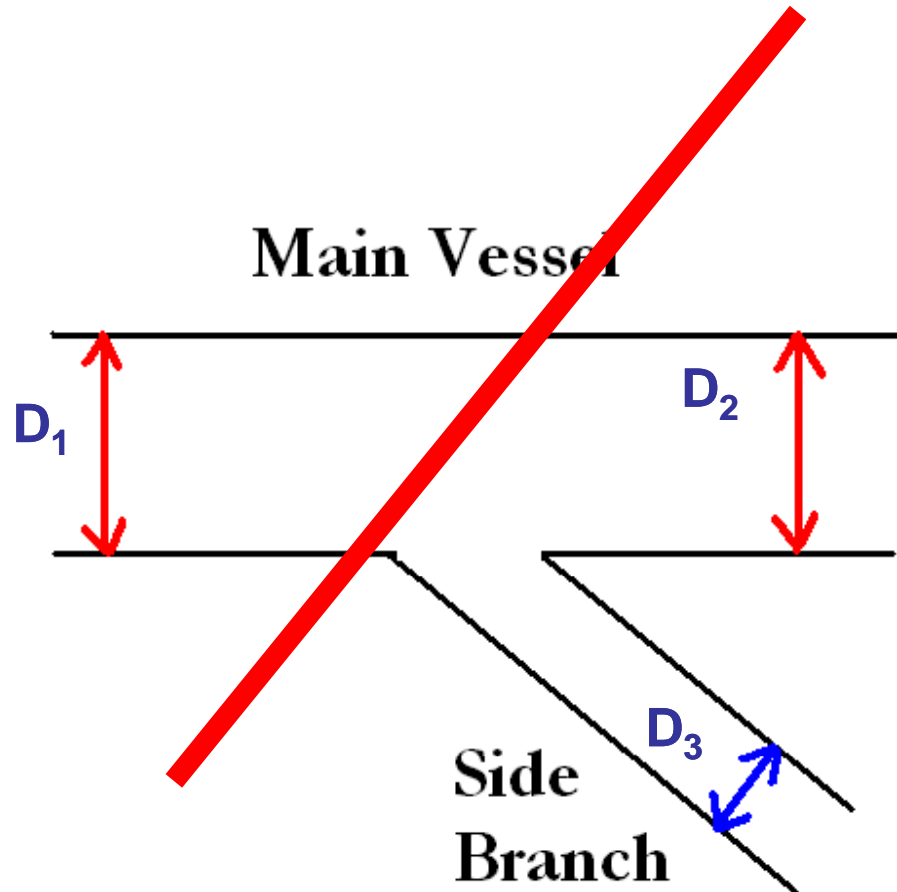
Predictors of binary restenosis

Disappointing results of SKS for LMCA



How I treat in practice

Bifurcation branching laws

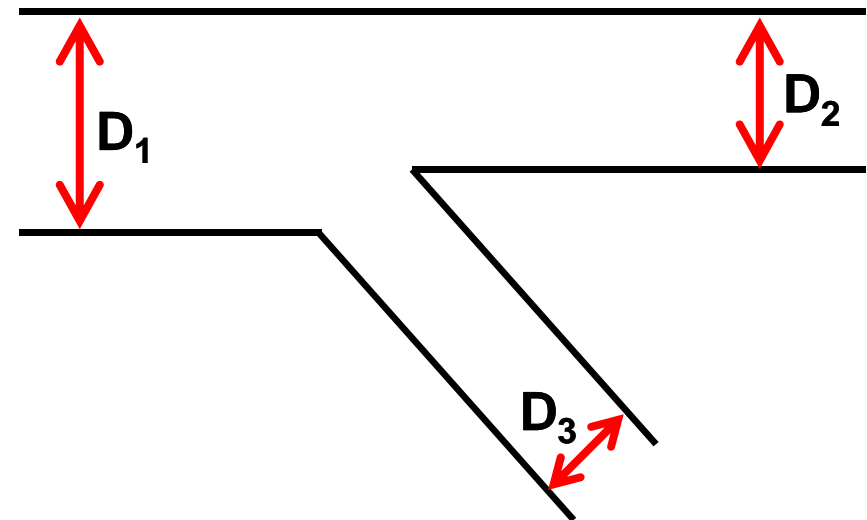


Murray's law

$$D_1^{3*} = D_2^{3*} + D_3^{3*}$$

Finet's law

$$D_1 = 0.67(D_2 + D_3)$$



* 2.3

From Koo, EBC, 2008

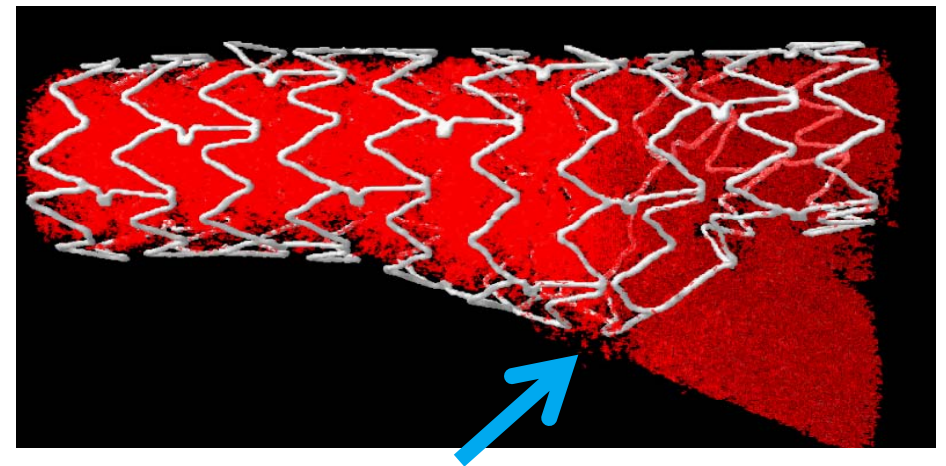
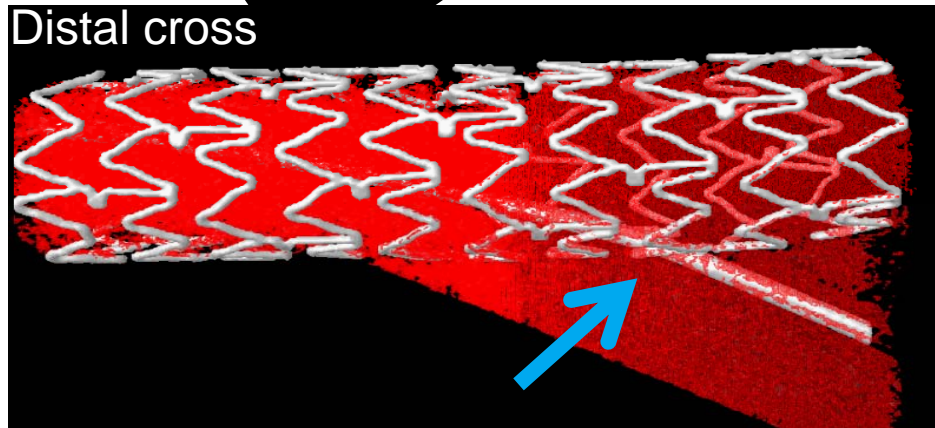
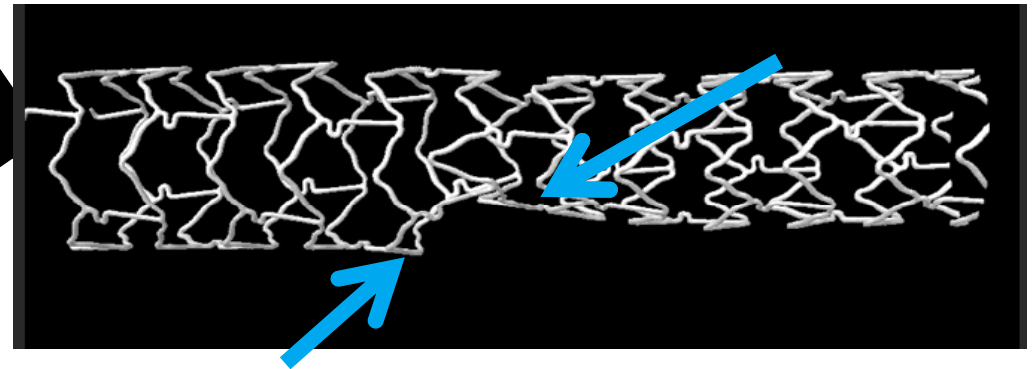
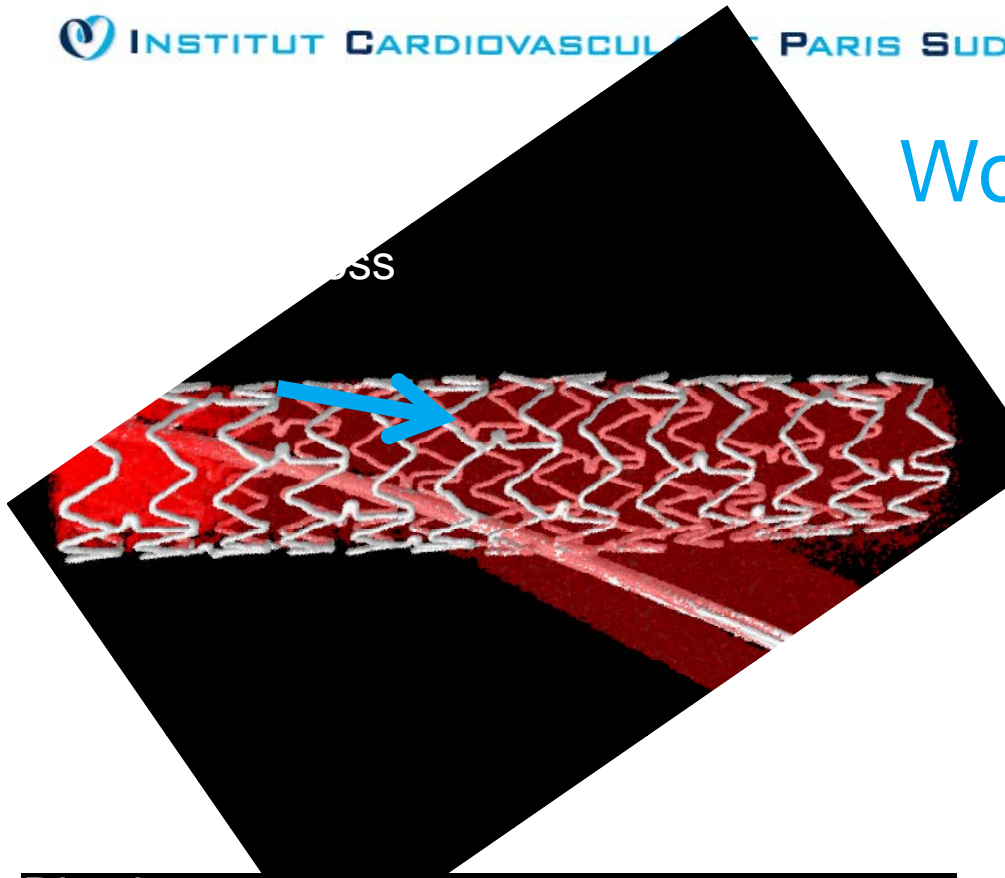
Plaque is shorter on Side Branch

	Bestent ¹	TULIPE ²	Sirolimus ³	Sirolimus ⁴
Patients (n)	105	187	85	47
Reference (mm)	2.7±0.4	2.3±0.5	2.1±0.3	2.1±0.5
Lesion length (mm)	5.6±4.2	3.7±3.3	5.3±4.2	4.5±3.0
Stenosis SB (%)	49±37	52±17	52±19	42±23

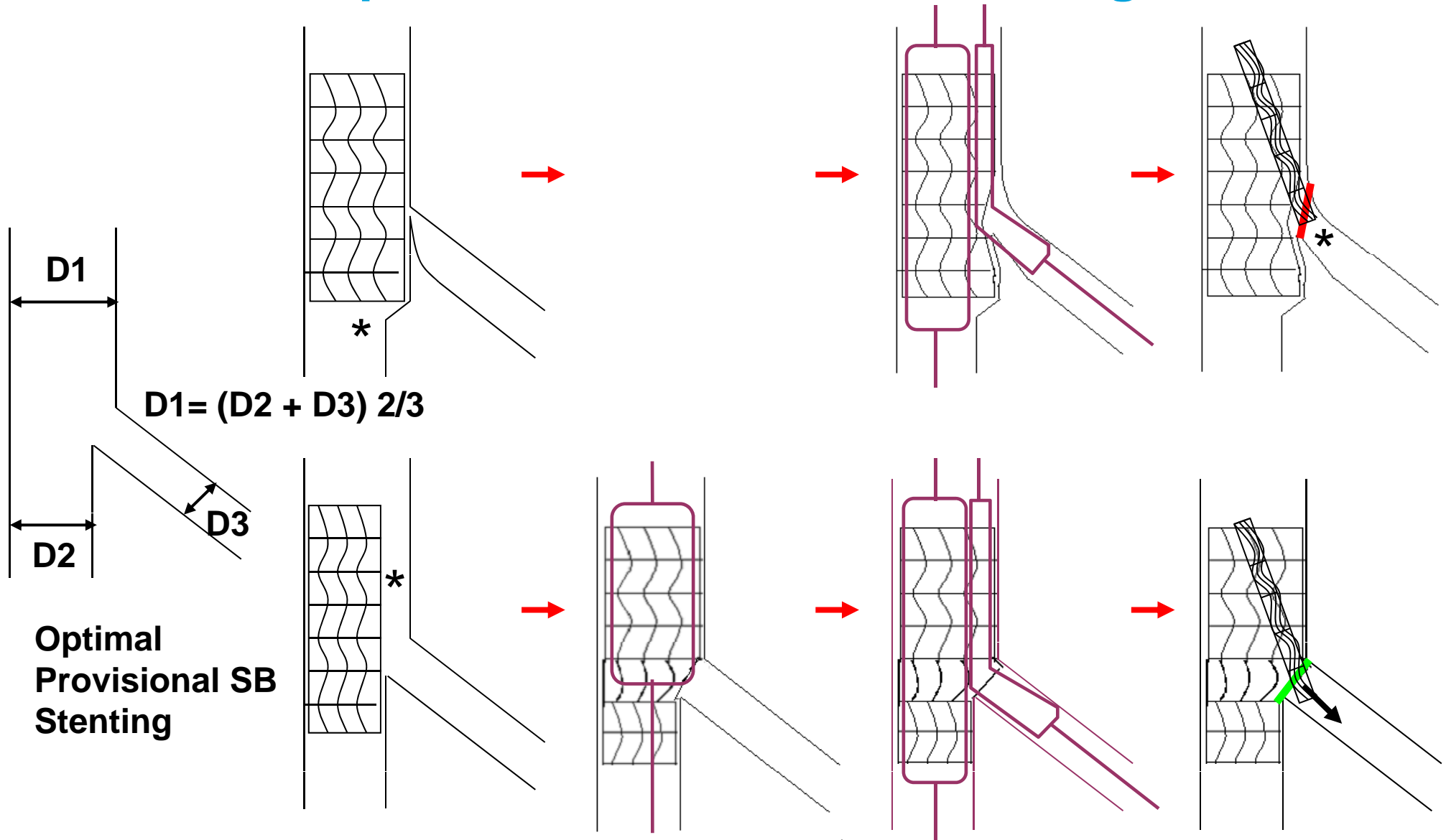
¹ Gobeil et al, Am J Cardiol 2001, ² Lefèvre et al, Am J Cardiol 2003 (abst. supp.)

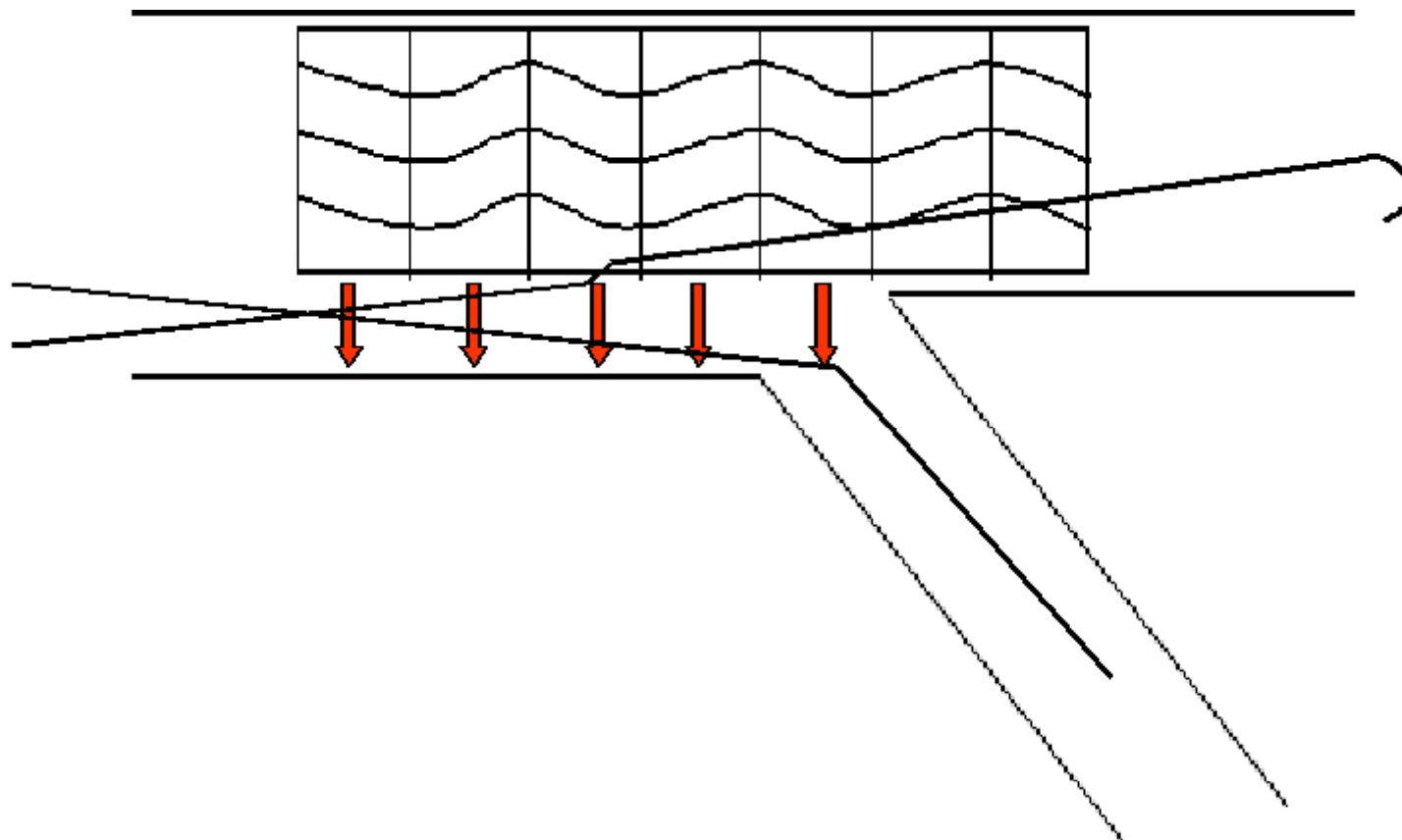
³ Colombo et al, Circulation 2004; 109: 1244-9, Sengotuel et al, JACC 2004 (abst. supp.)

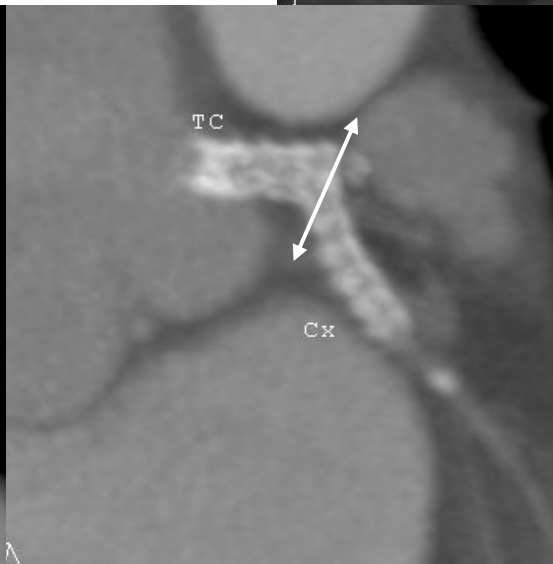
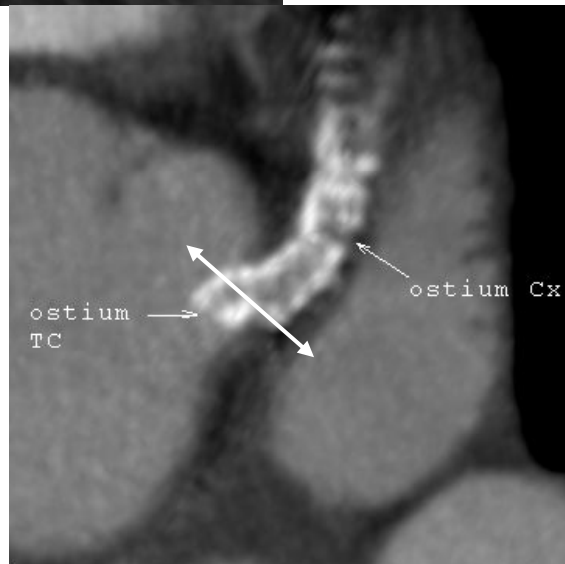
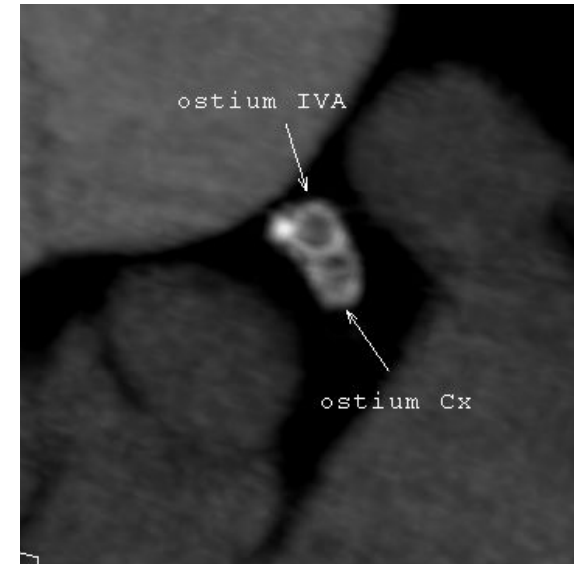
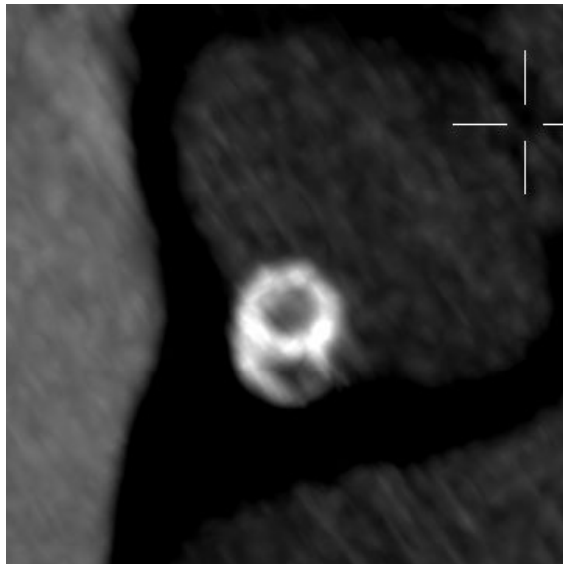
Working with Distal Strut



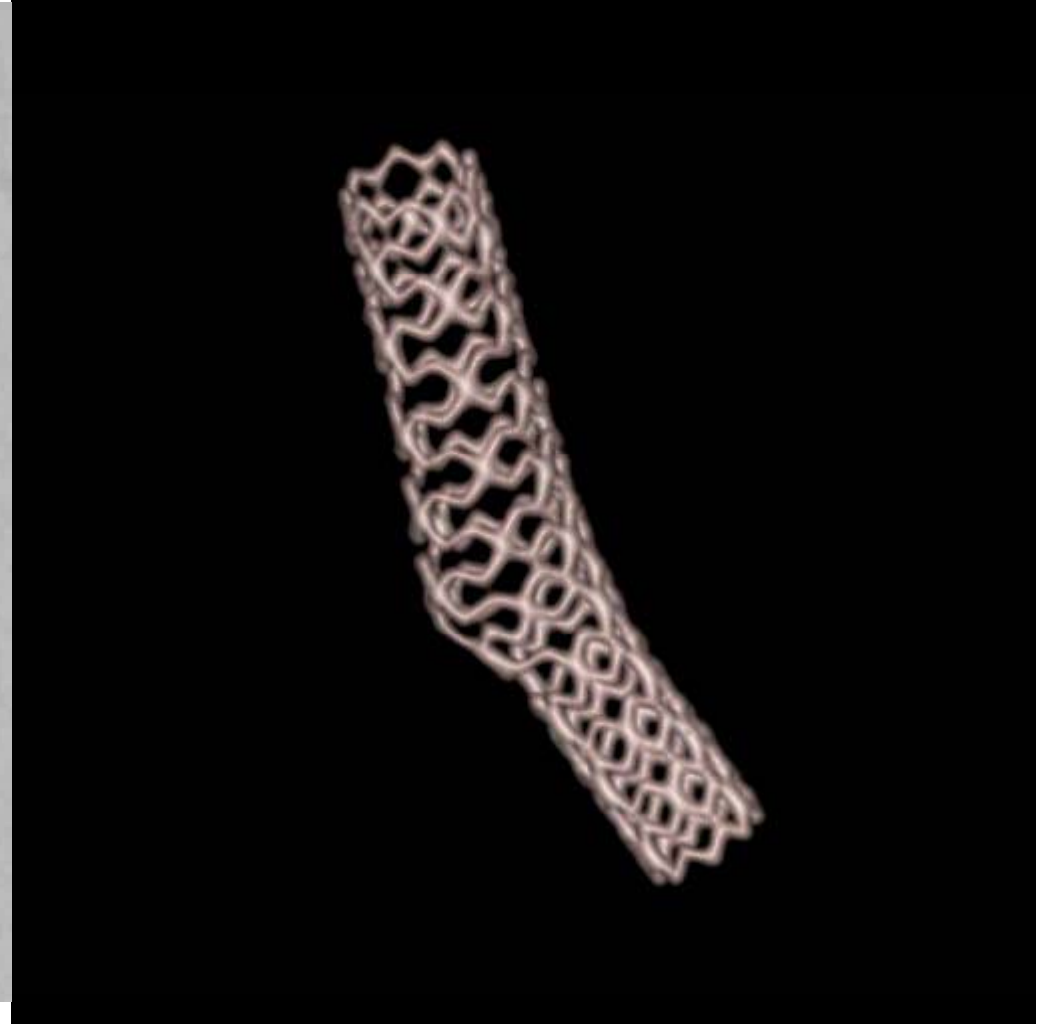
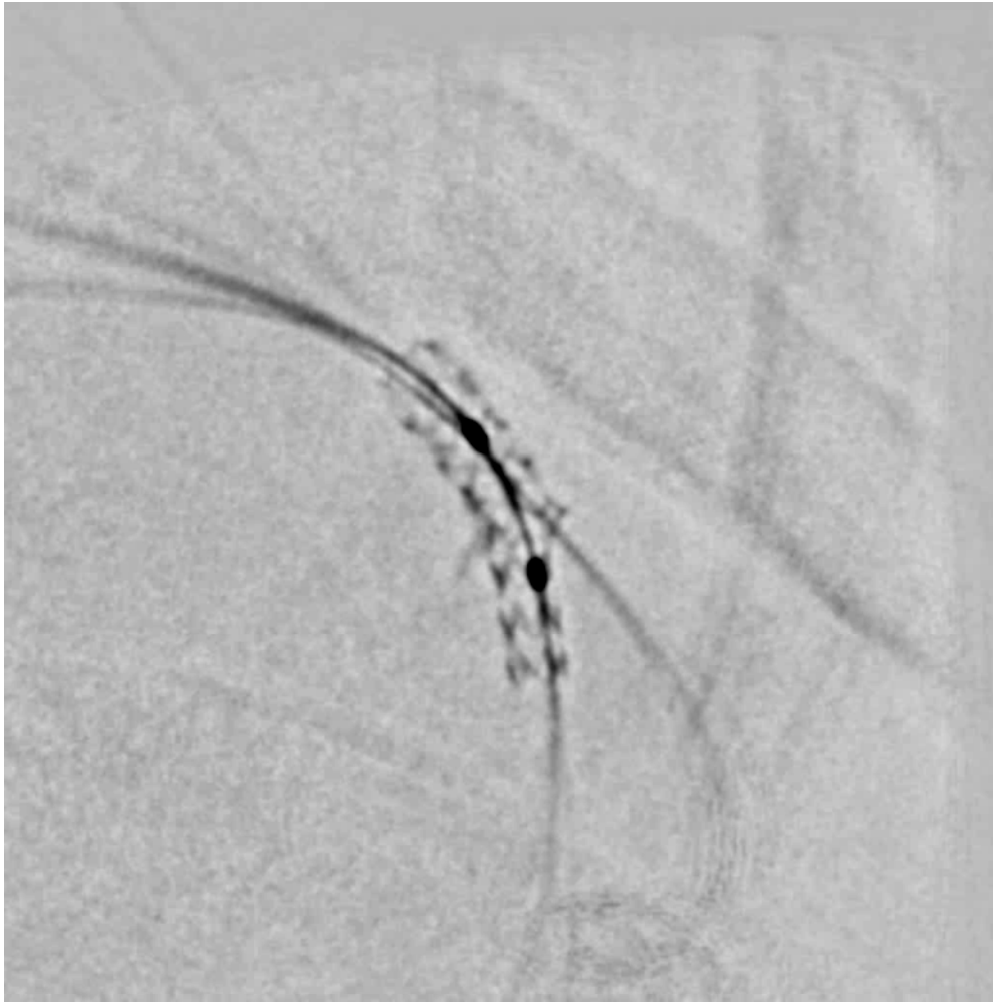
Optimal Provisional SB Stenting



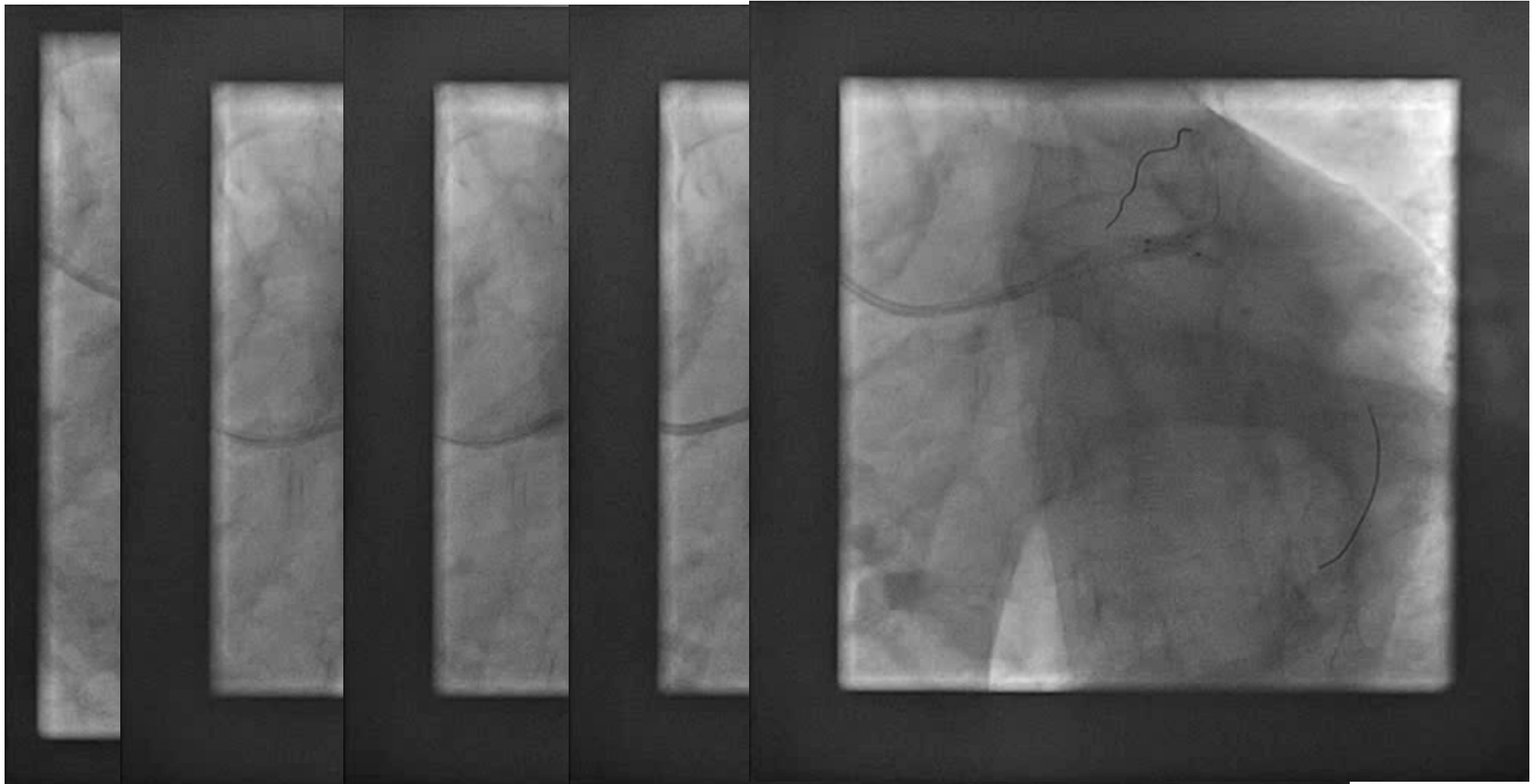


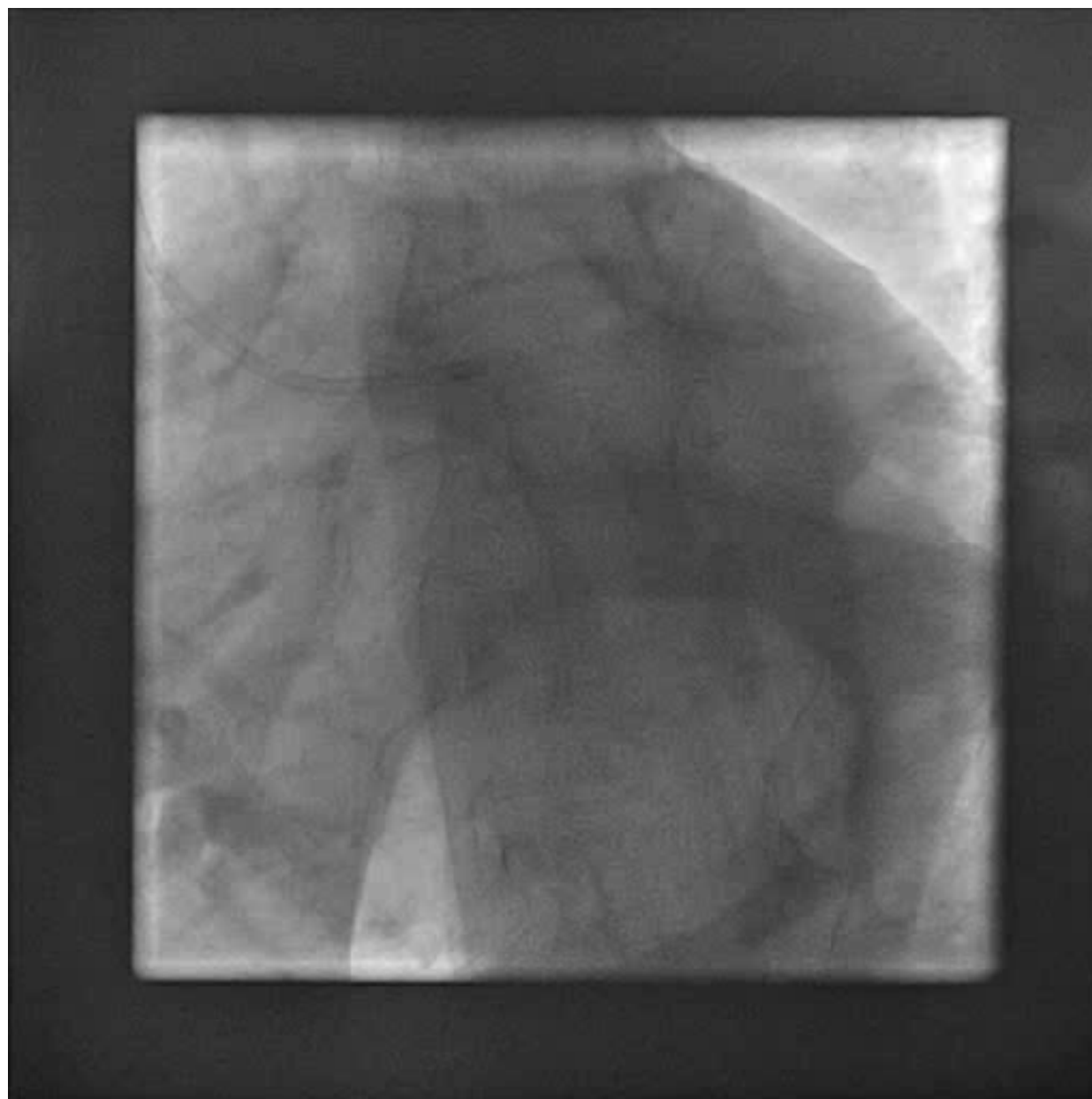


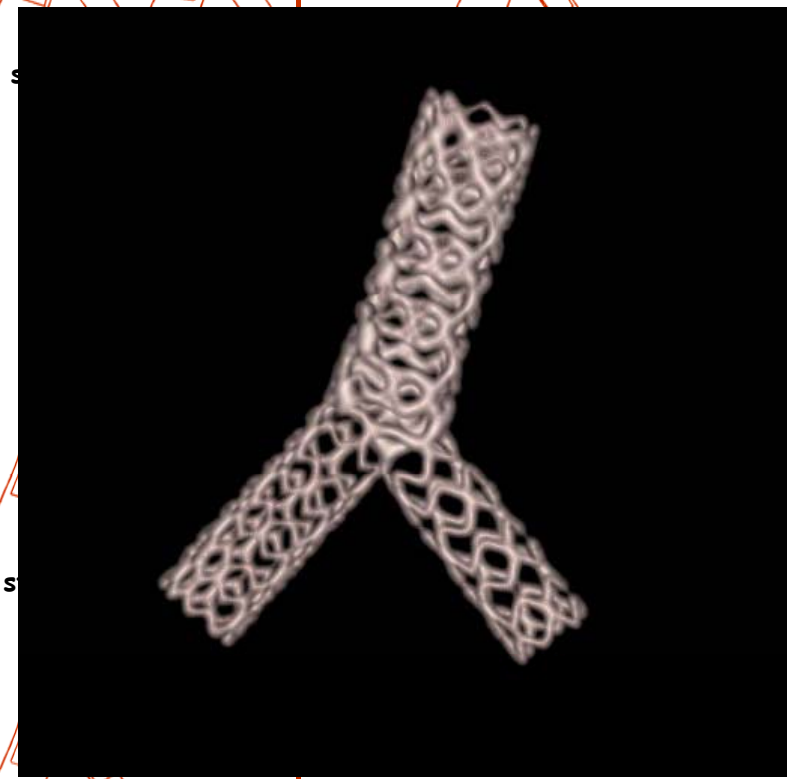
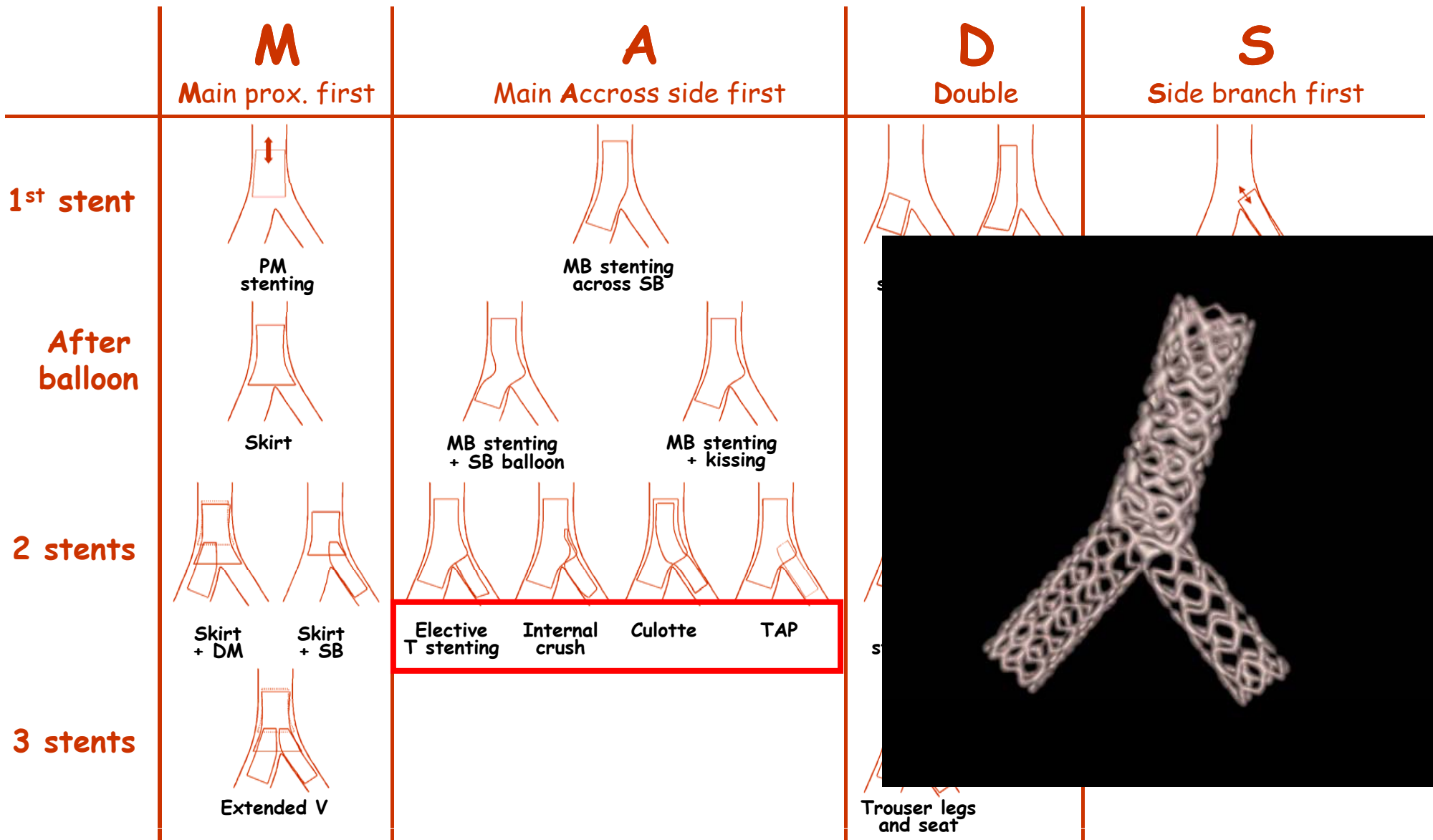
Optimal aspect for provisional stenting



Distal LM POT







LM & Bifurcation stenting with DES

- Provisional SB stenting strategy is very effective even for distal LM stenting (20% of second stenting)
- As for other techniques it is essential to remember that LM diameter is bigger than both distal branches
- POT technique before wire exchange is essential
- Randomized comparisons of techniques ? Too late?