

# **Advances in Cardiac Arrhythmias and Great Innovations in Cardiology - Torino, 27/28 ottobre 2017**

**Management of complex cases with Onyx:  
the benefit of a dedicated stent for small and large vessel**



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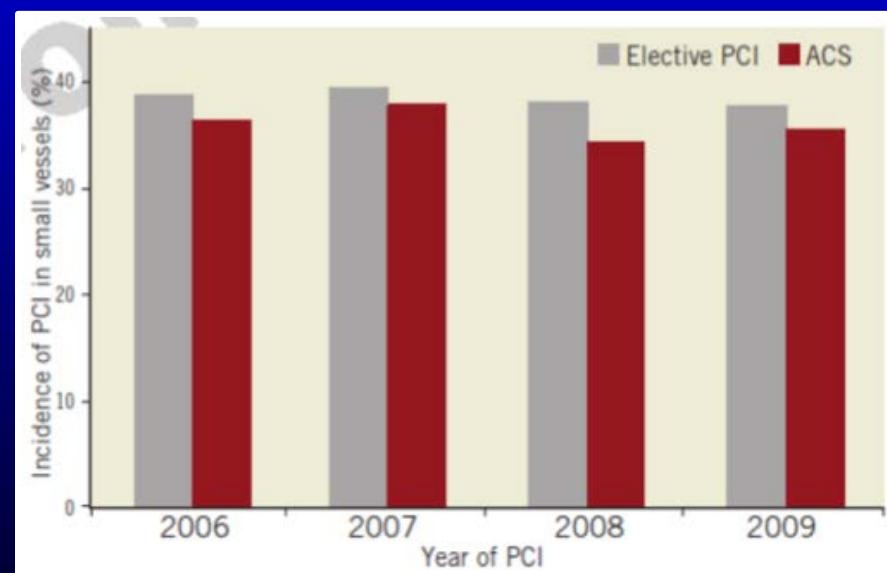


## WHAT ARE SMALL VESSELS ?

- Variably defined
- Coronary arteries <2.8 mm in diameters
- Commonly, coronary arteries < 2.5 mm in diameter
- Not uncommon

35-40% in German ALKK-PCI Registry

(Eurointervention 2011;7:k 57-70)



## SMALL VESSELS – scope of the problem

- Reference vessel diameter is a key determinant of restenosis and TLF after PCI
- Even in DES era pts present lower rates of survival free from MACEs
- Distal small vessel disease is seen in ptz with multiple comorbidities



# First Report of the Resolute Onyx 2.0-mm Zotarolimus-Eluting Stent for the Treatment of Coronary Lesions With Very Small Reference Vessel Diameter

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**TABLE 3 Clinical Outcomes at 12-Month Follow-Up (N = 100)**

TLF	5.0 (5/100)
TVF	5.0 (5/100)
TV-MI	3.0 (3/100)
MACE	5.0 (5/100)
Cardiac death	0.0 (0/100)
Noncardiac death	0.0 (0/100)
Cardiac death or TV-MI	3.0 (3/100)
TLR	2.0 (2/100)
TVR	2.0 (2/100)
Stent thrombosis (ARC) definite/probable	0.0 (0/100)
Early thrombosis ( $\leq 30$ days)	0.0 (0/100)
Late thrombosis (31–360 days)	0.0 (0/100)

Values are % (n/N).

ARC = Academic Research Consortium; MACE = major adverse cardiac event(s); TLF = target lesion failure; TVF = target vessel failure; TV-MI = target vessel myocardial infarction.



## Continuous Sinusoid Technology *Resolute Onyx stent*

Flexible stent platform for outstanding flexibility and conformability



Sinusoid-formed wire



Helical wrap



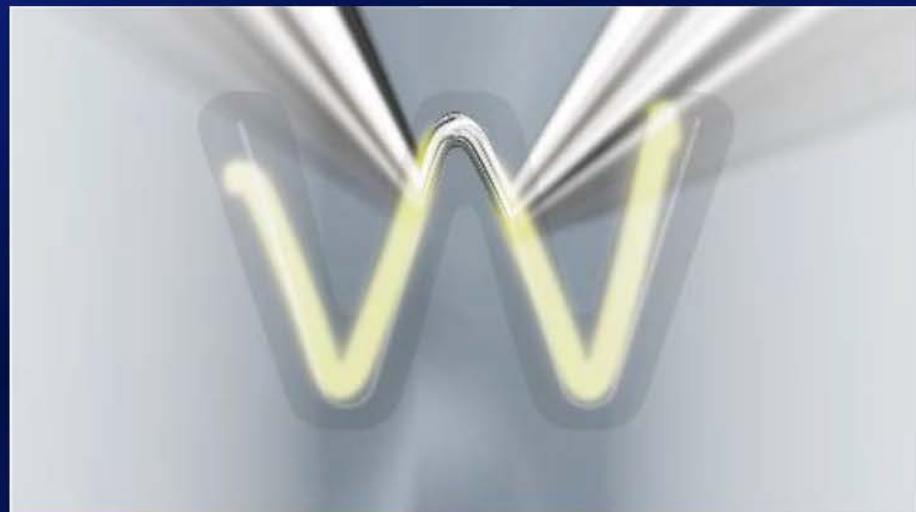
Laser-fused

A single strand of cobalt alloy is formed into a sinusoid, wrapped in a helical pattern, and laser fused

# *Resolute Onyx stent*

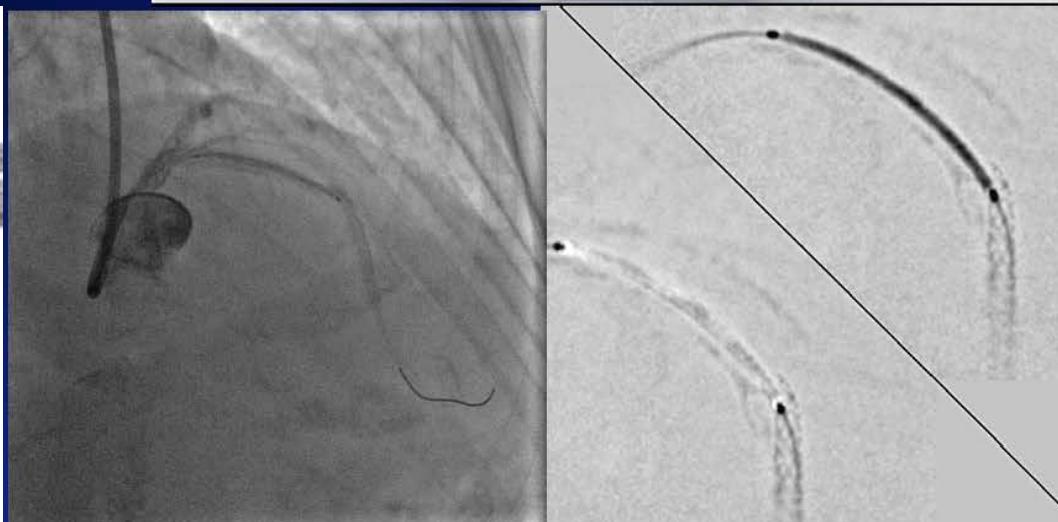
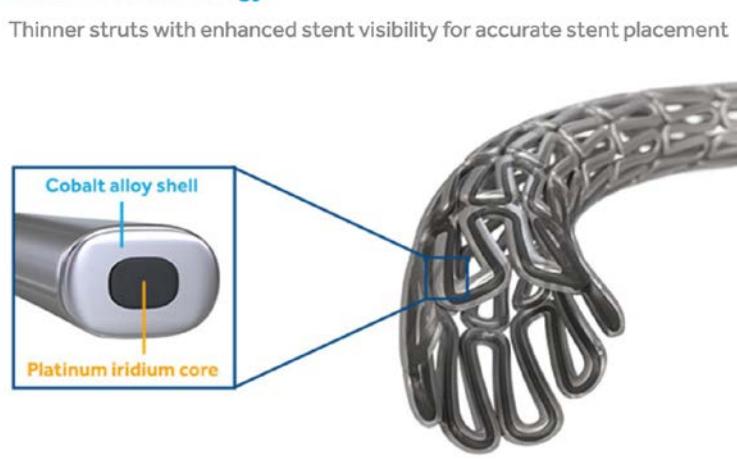
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- Core wire technology – platinum core in the wire
- Thinner struts with
  - enhanced radiopacity
  - No loss of radial strength

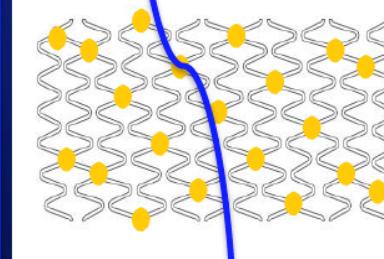
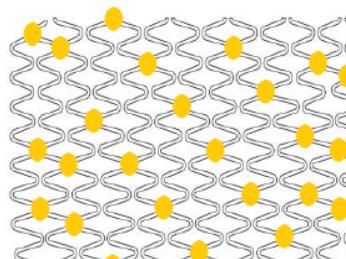
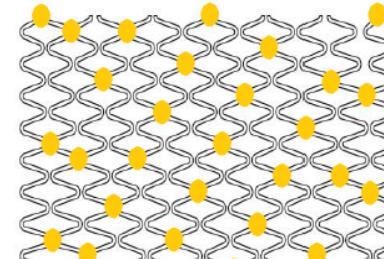


## Core Wire Technology

Thinner struts with enhanced stent visibility for accurate stent placement

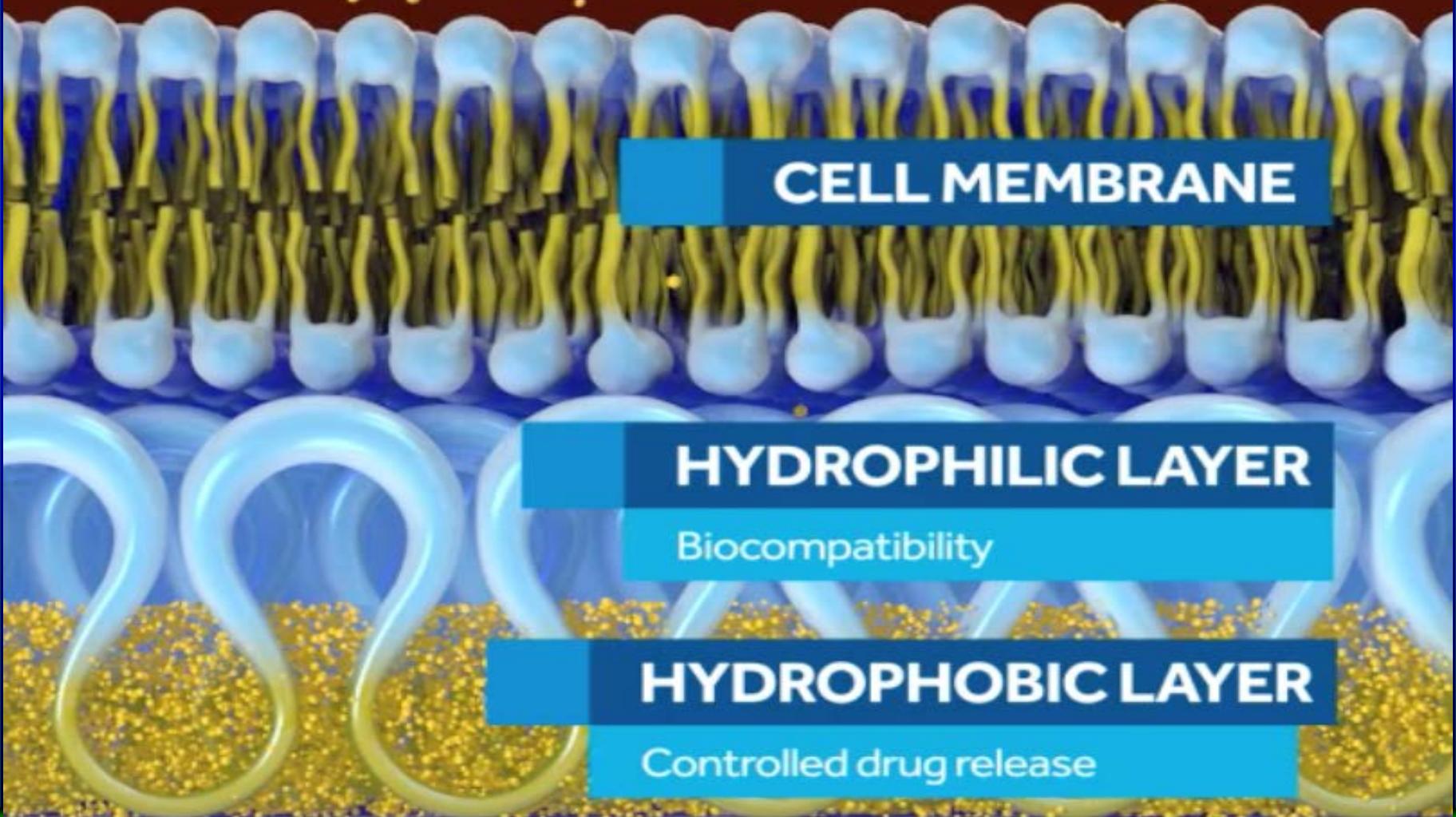


# Resolute Onyx stent

Characteristic	Resolute Onyx™ DES		
Stent size (mm)	<b>2.00</b> , 2.25, 2.50	2.75, 3.00	3.50, 4.00
Strut dimensions	0.0032"/81 µm	0.0032"/81 µm	0.0032"/81 µm
Crowns	6.5	8.5	9.5
Fusion pattern	Every 4 <sup>th</sup> crown fused 	Every 5 <sup>th</sup> crown fused 	Every 4 <sup>th</sup> crown fused 
Maximum expansion (mm)—MSID*	<b>3.25</b>	3.75	4.75
Open cell area for bifurcation (mm)	3.7	3.8	3.8

Data on file at Medtronic, Inc.

\*MSID = maximum stent inner diameter



**CELL MEMBRANE**

**HYDROPHILIC LAYER**

Biocompatibility

**HYDROPHOBIC LAYER**

Controlled drug release

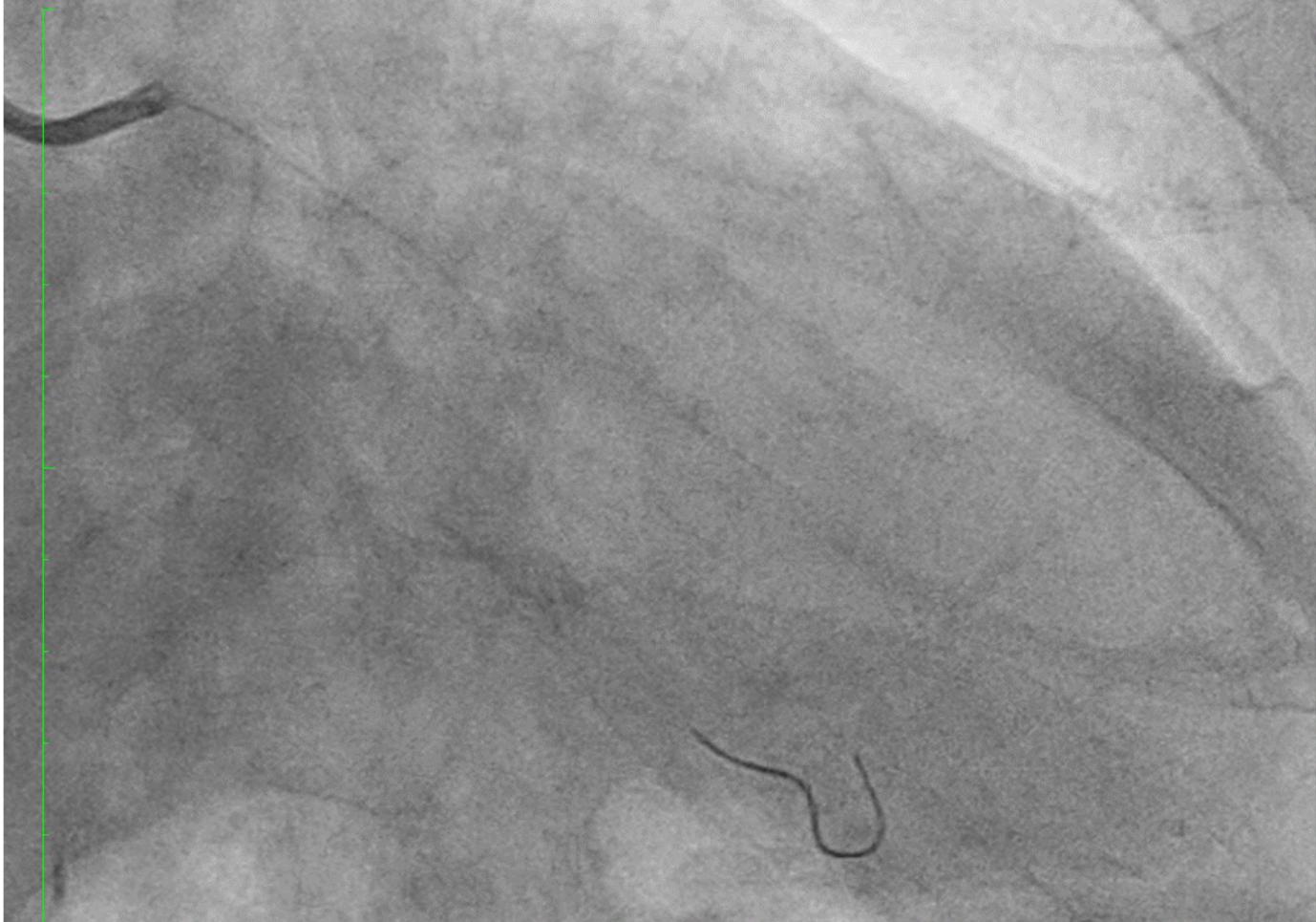
# **Conclusion**

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- Small vessels are a problem particularly if calcified
- Drug-eluting balloon angioplasty is one option
- Often stenting is required
- Dedicated small vessel stent like Resolute Onyx enables stenting of small vessels
- Added quality of excellent trackability and radioopacity

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DISTAL LAD/SMALL VESSEL

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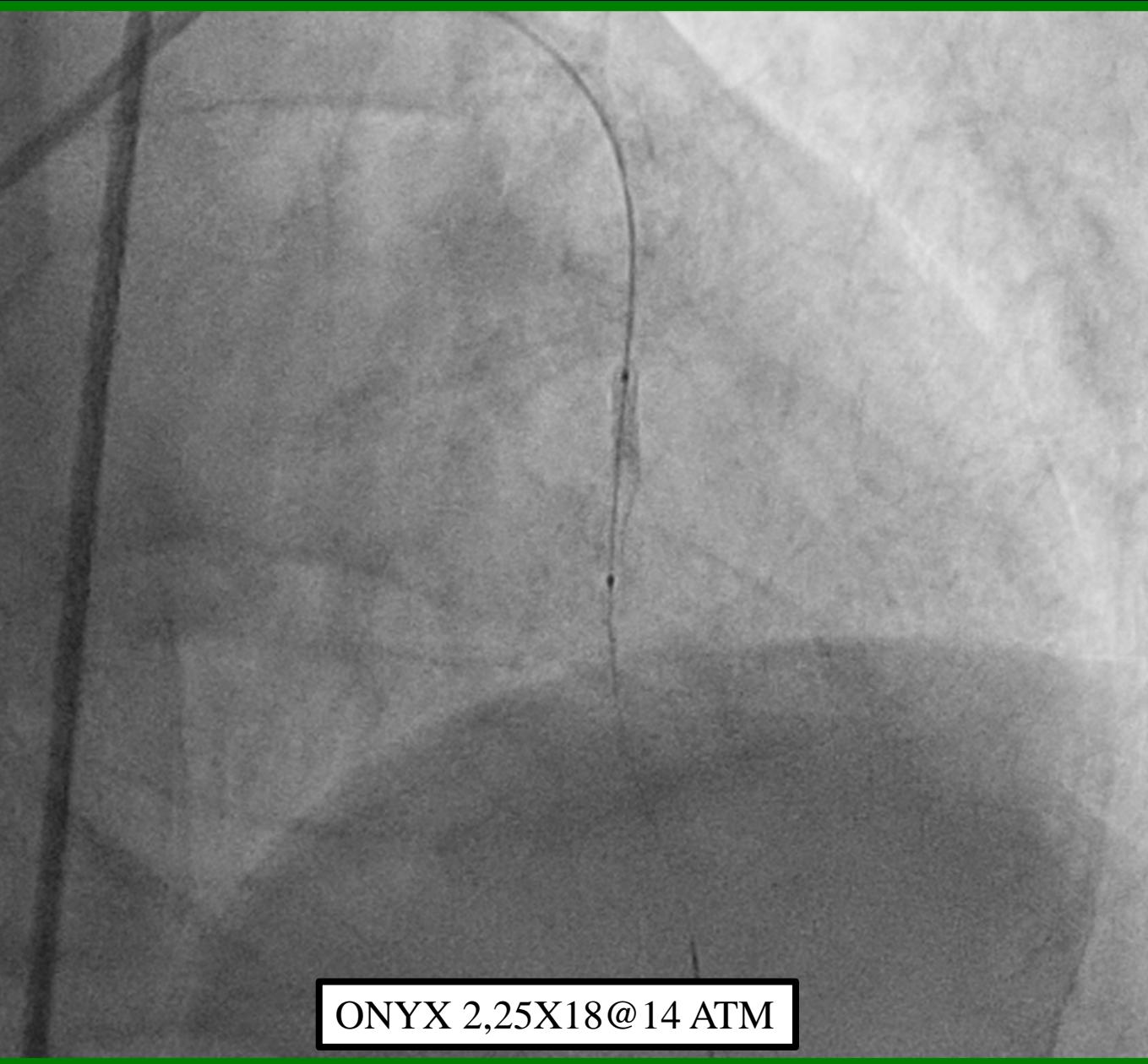
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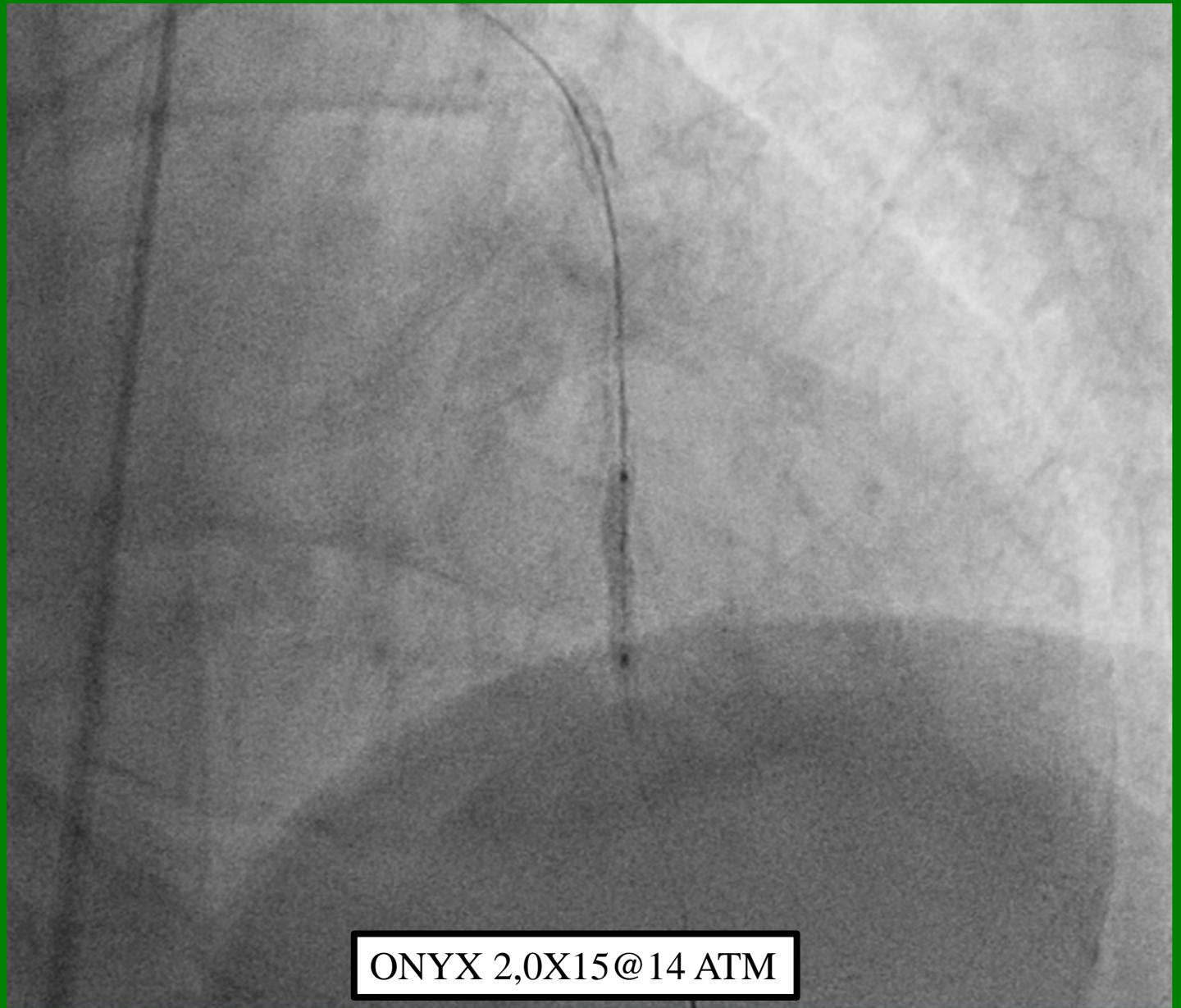
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“SUB-OPTIMAL” RESULT

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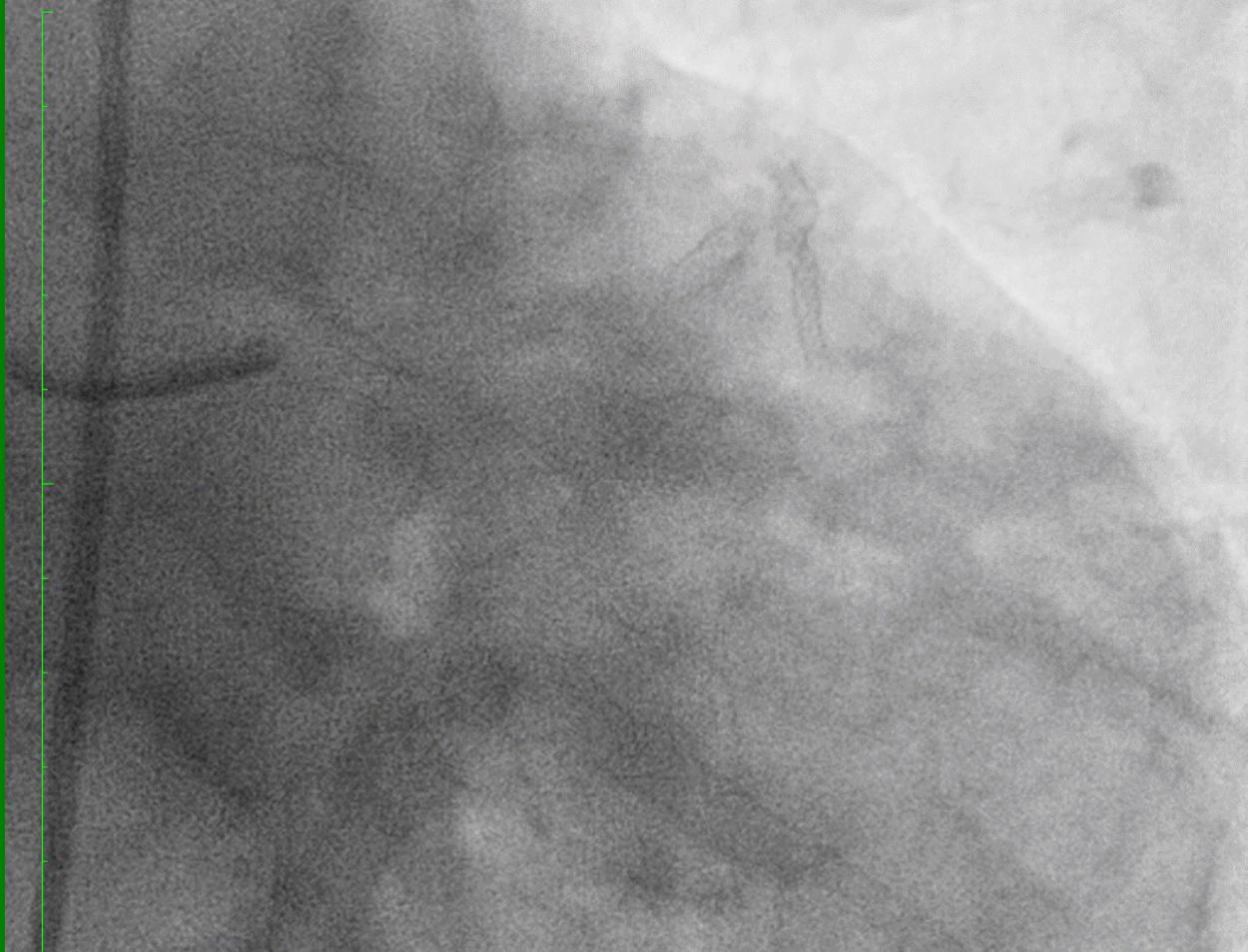
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**FINAL RESULT**

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6-MONTH F.UP ANGIO

# Percutaneous coronary intervention for coronary bifurcation disease: 11th consensus document from the European Bifurcation Club

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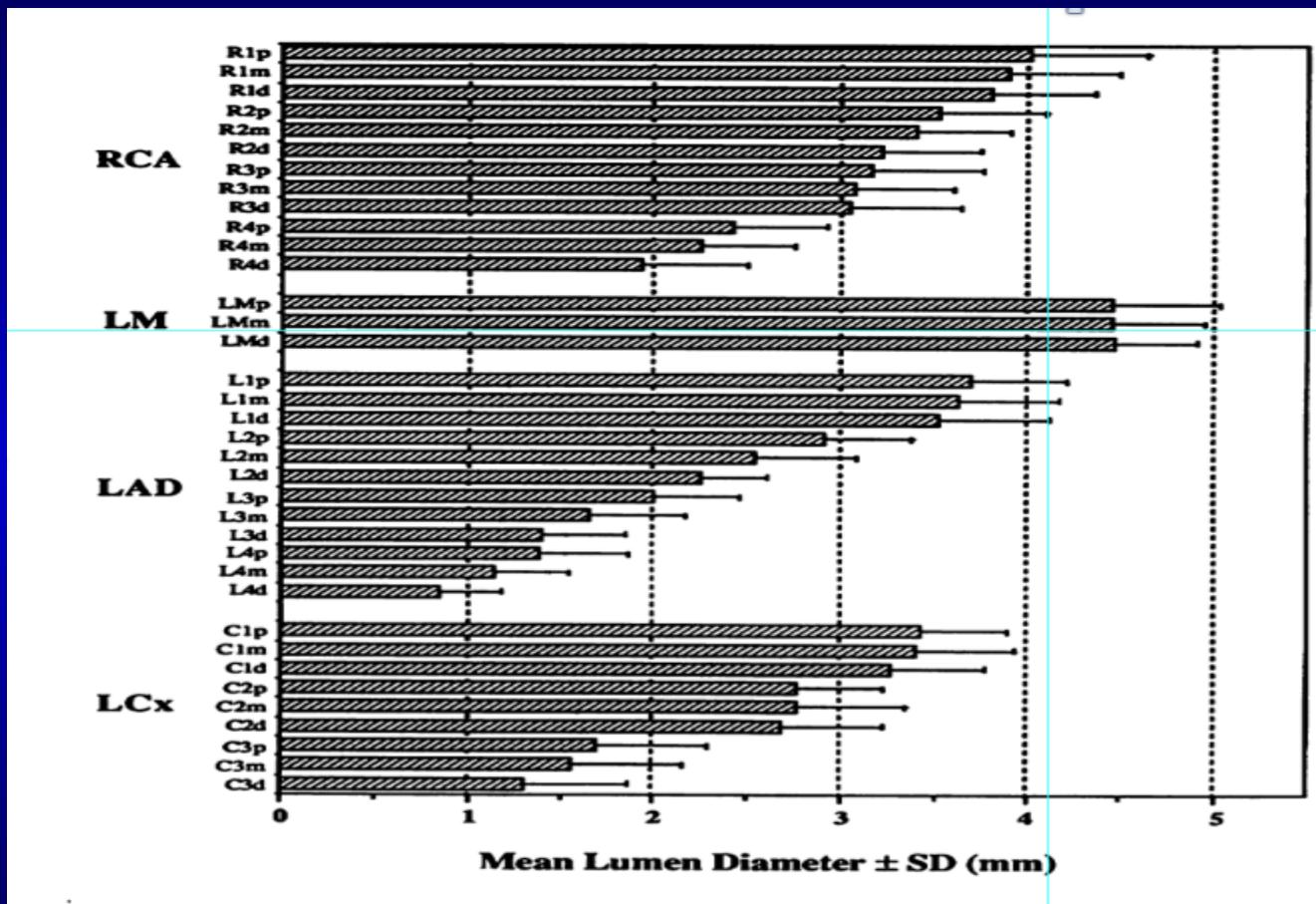
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## Differences between the LM and other bifurcations

The LM is the largest bifurcation of the coronary tree and has a number of unique features, which may demand different technical approaches from non-left main bifurcations<sup>28</sup>. The most important differences are the following. 1) The myocardium supplied by the LM generally accounts for considerably more than 50% of the total myocardial mass. 2) The SB is most often the circumflex artery (Cx) which generally has a large diameter, and is not always easy to access. Occlusion of the Cx is not acceptable since it often results in ischaemia of a large myocardial territory and may induce acute ischaemic mitral regurgitation. 3) The LM is the only bifurcation where the proximal MB originates directly from the aorta. 4) The proximal reference diameter generally measures between 4.5 and 5.5 mm - close to, or above, the dilatation limit of most currently available coronary stents. 5) Trifurcations

# LUMEN DIAMETER OF NORMAL HUMAN CORONARY ARTERIES



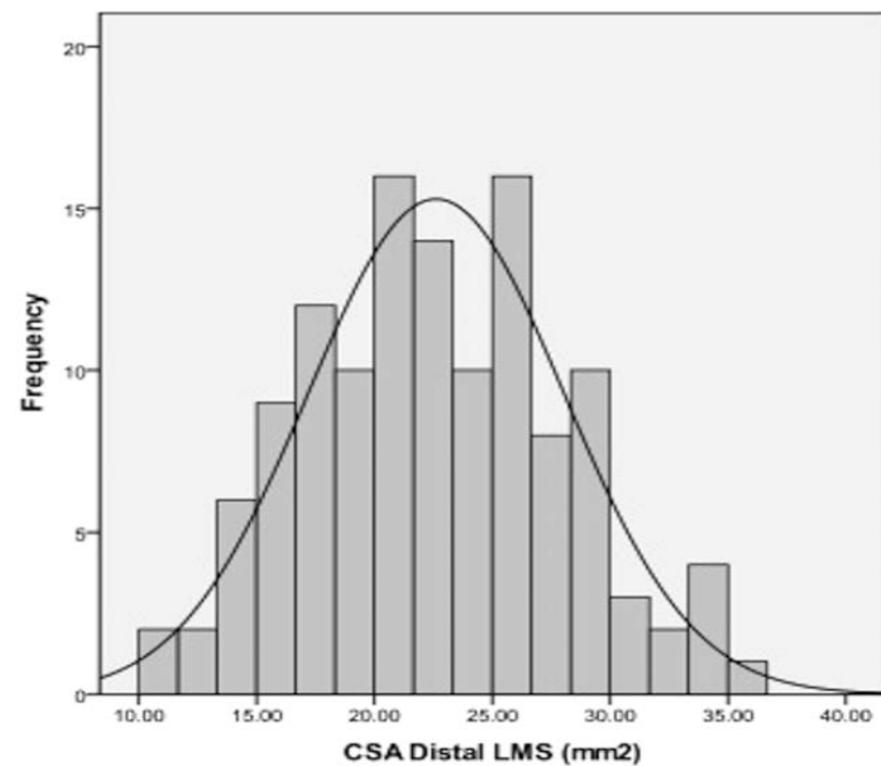
Dodge et al, Circulation 1992;86:232-246

A Prospective Intravascular Ultrasound Investigation of  
the Necessity for and Efficacy of Postdilation Beyond  
Nominal Diameter of 3 Current Generation DES  
Platforms for the Percutaneous Treatment of the Left  
Main Coronary Artery

TABLE I. Distal LMS Dimensions in 125 Patients with  $\geq 70\%$   
Stenosis in  $\geq 1$  Major Left Epicardial Artery

LMS dimension	Mean	SD	Range
CSA ( $\text{mm}^2$ )	22.6	$\pm 5.4$	10.9–35.5
LA ( $\text{mm}^2$ )	12.7	$\pm 5.4$	2.3–27.8
Maximal Vessel Diameter (mm)	5.7	$\pm 0.7$	4.0–7.4

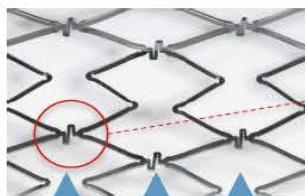
LMS: left mainstem coronary artery; SD: standard deviation; mm: millimeter.



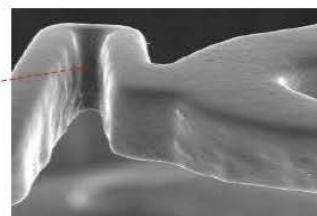
# STENTYS Self-Apposing® Stent



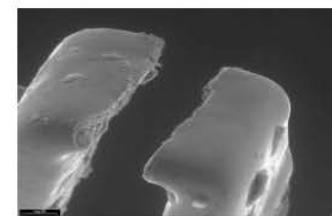
- Self-expanding nitinol stent constrained inside a Splitable Sheath over the balloon
- Bare or Sirolimus-eluting with ProTeqtor biostable polymer
- 6 French, single-wire, rapid exchange
- Disconnecting bridges over full length\* for side-branch access



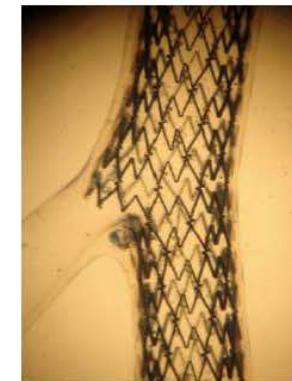
Disconnectors  
along the stent



Disconnectable  
interconnector



Disconnection



## Shaping an ectatic coronary artery: Stentys implantation

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## How should I treat a patient with a proximal left anterior descending large plaque burden embolising plaque?

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Never underestimate the comeback kid; a case report of very early side branch occlusion after Stentys Exposition implantation without kissing balloon

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Minding the gap between left main and branch vessels:  
Second-generation self-apposing, balloon-expandable, drug-eluting  
stent on trifurcated unprotected left main

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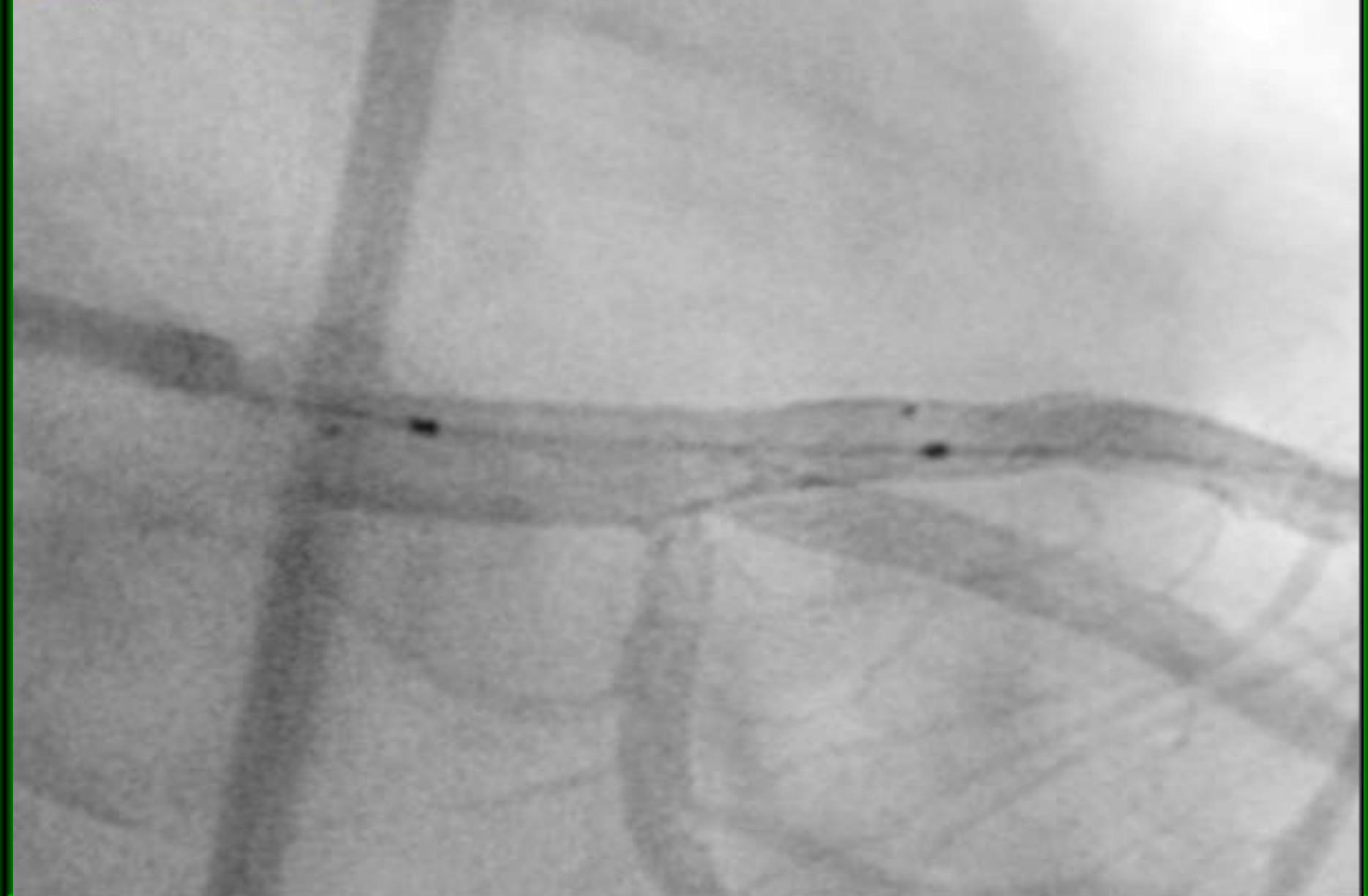
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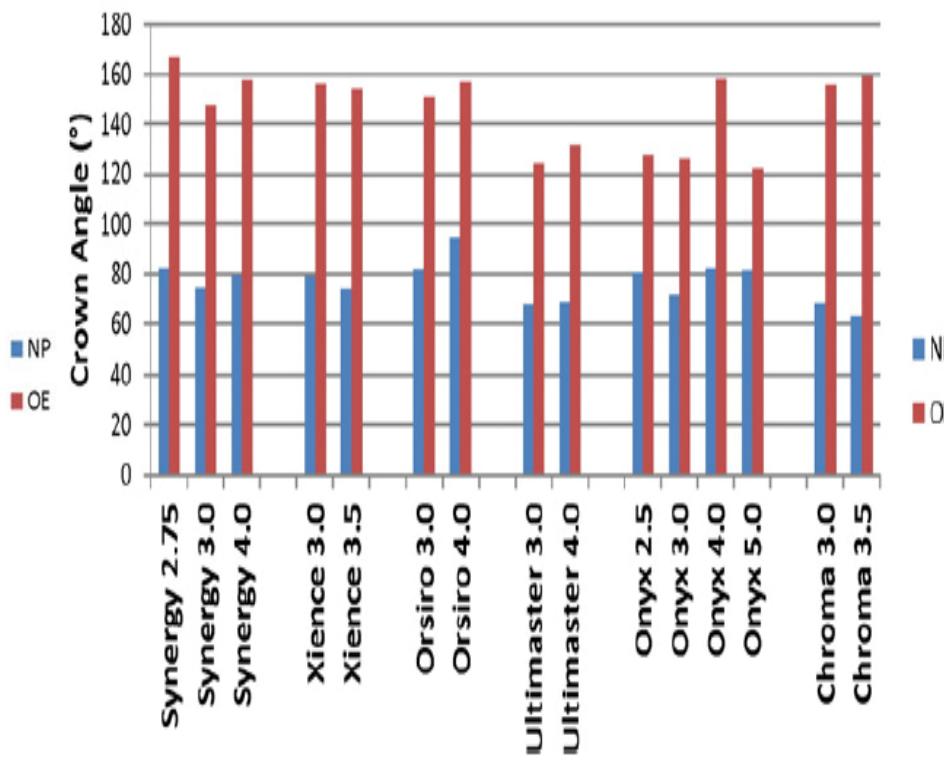
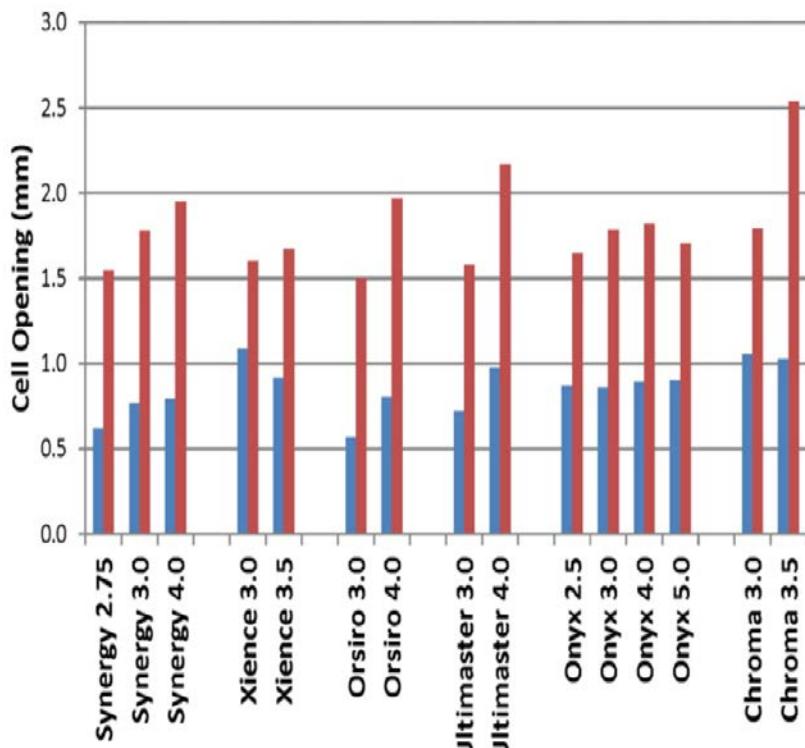


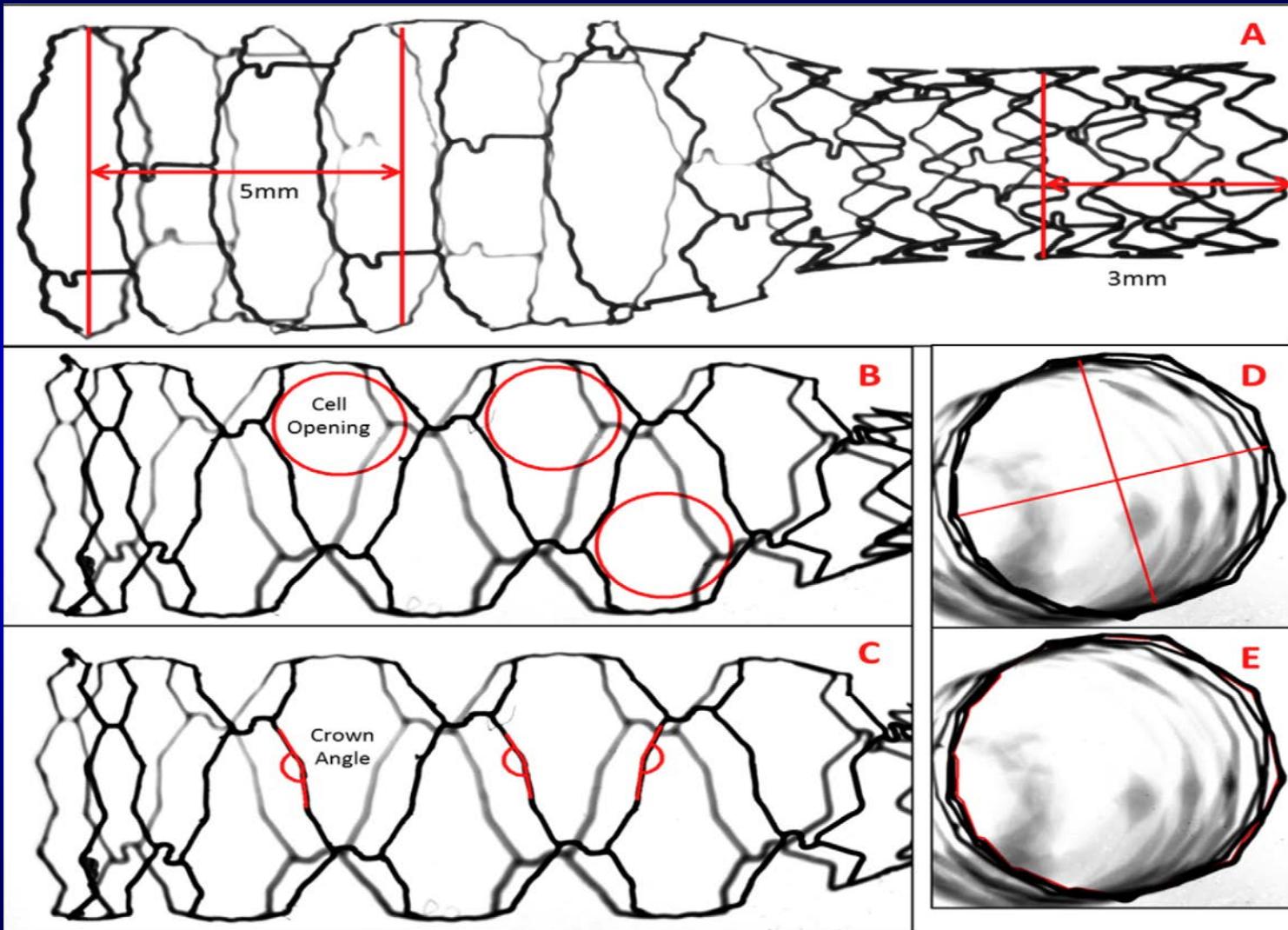
## NEW DES WORKHORSE AND MODEL DESIGNS



	<b>Synergy</b>	<b>Xpedition</b>	<b>Res. Onyx</b>	<b>Ultimaster</b>	<b>BioMatrix A</b>	<b>Orsiro</b>
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4.50			Extra-Large vessel (10.5 crowns, 2.5 connectors)			
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# NEW DES WORKHORSE CELL OPENING AND CRONW ANGLE





## SUSTAINED RADIAL STRENGTH



**Higher Is Better**

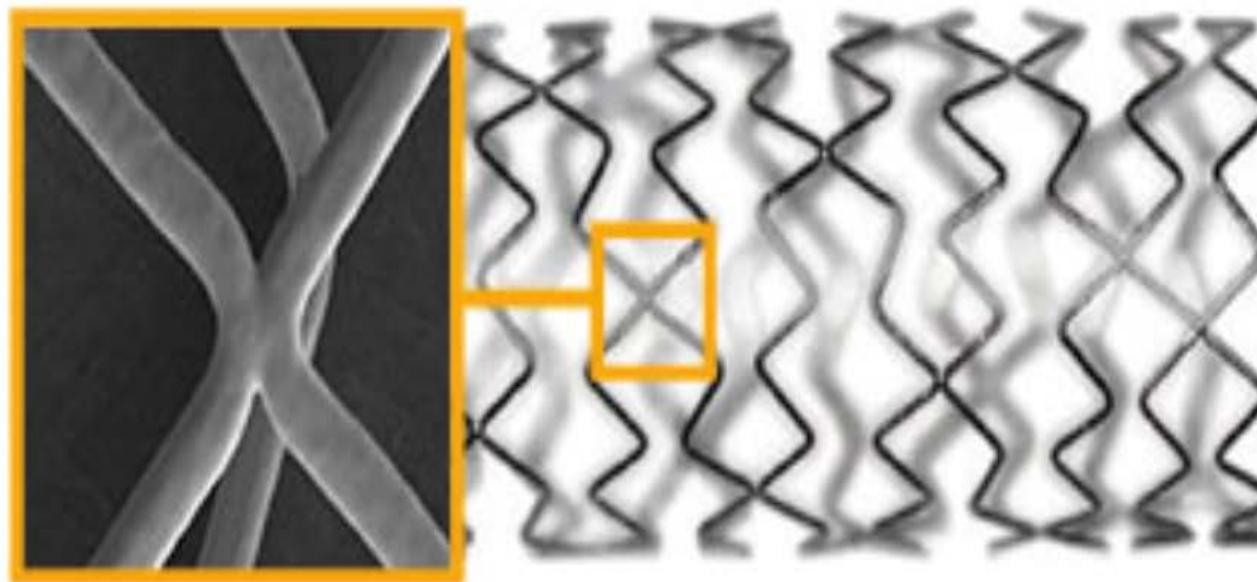
Compression resistance (N/mm per mm)

Bench test data on file at Medtronic. Stents expanded to nominal diameter.

# Resolute Onyx™ DES

5.0 mm x 18 mm

Deployed to 5.75 per IFU maximum  
overexpansion

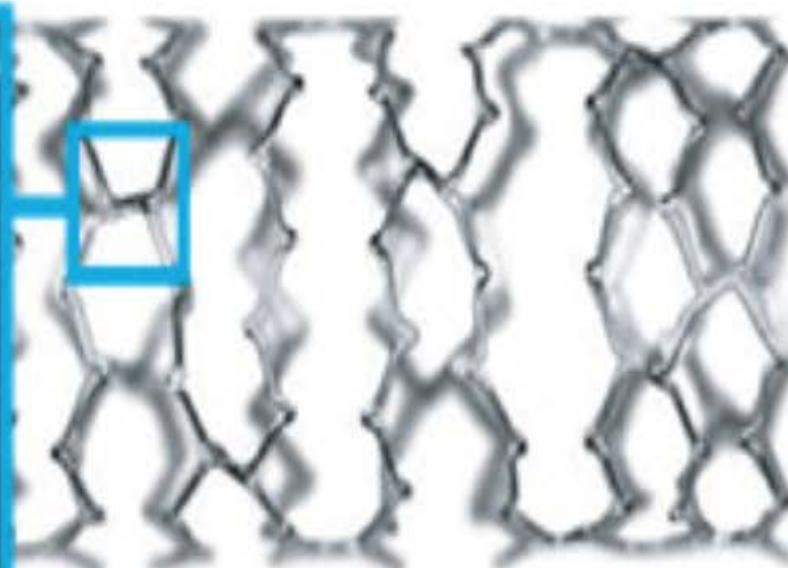


**0.8%**  
foreshortening

# Synergy™\* DES

4.0 mm x 20 mm

Deployed to 5.75 per IFU maximum  
overexpansion



**14.7%**  
foreshortening

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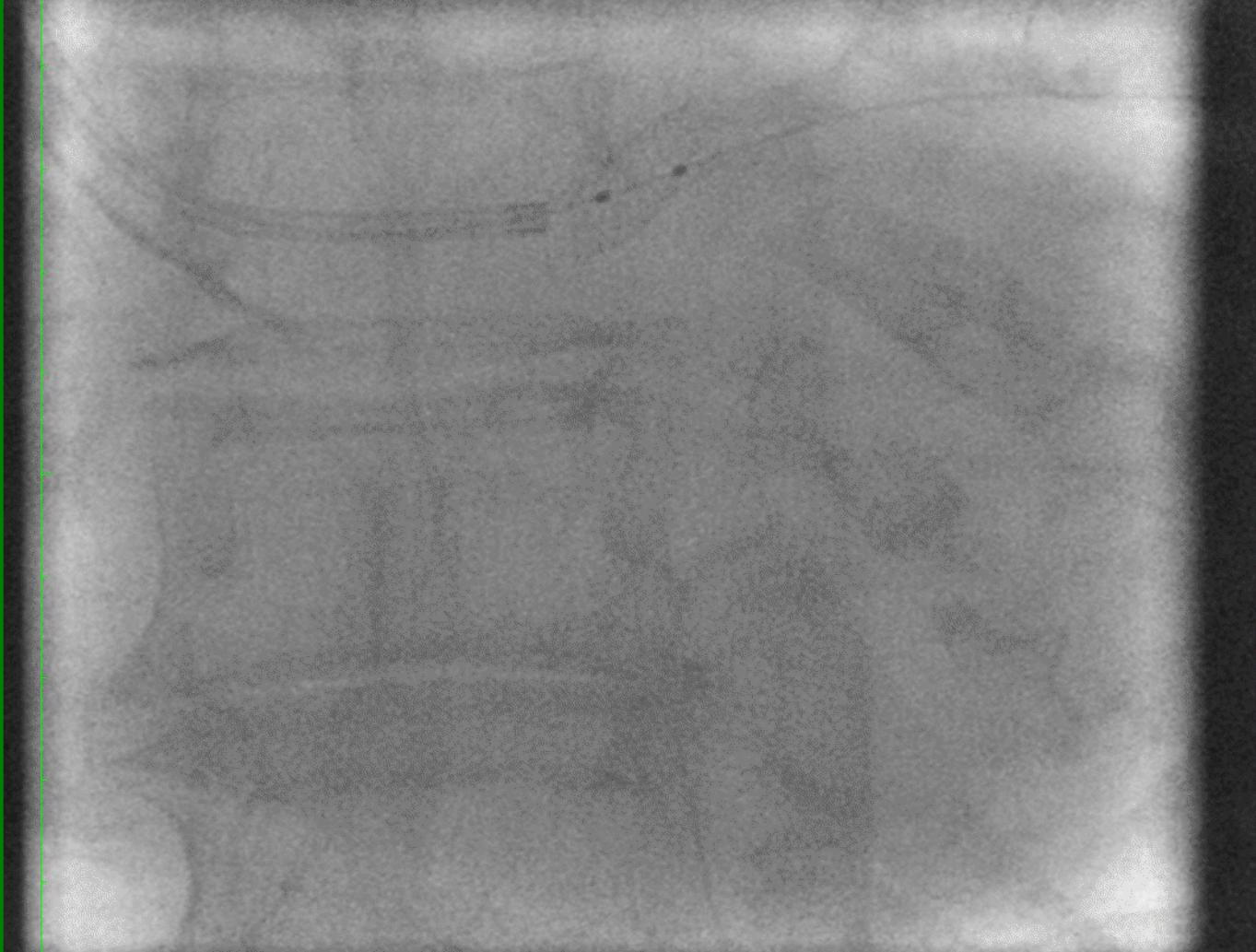
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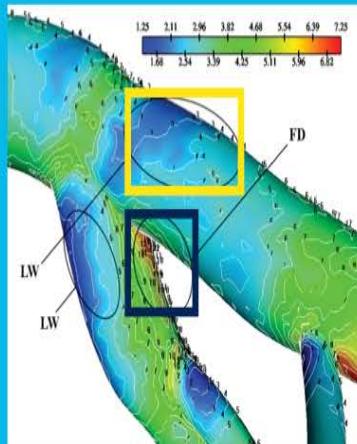
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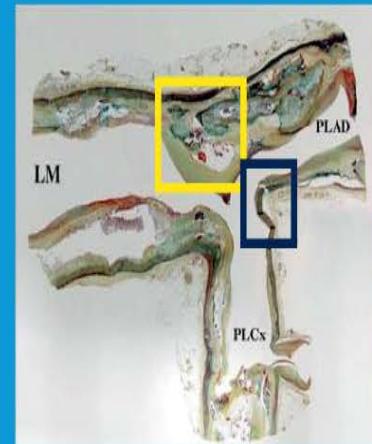


# LEFT MAIN BIFURCATION FLOW DYNAMICS FAVOR PROVISIONAL STENTING



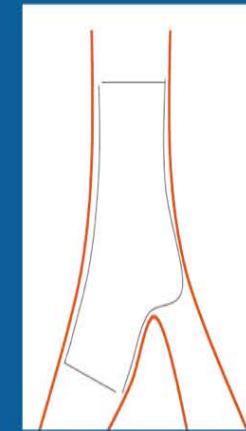
Atherosclerotic lesions tend to form in areas of low shear stress<sup>1</sup>

In the left main bifurcation, wall shear stress is typically **low on the lateral walls** and high at the **carina**<sup>2</sup>



**Atherosclerosis is accelerated along the lateral wall of the left main, close to the bifurcation<sup>3,4</sup>**

The carina is frequently free of disease<sup>3,4</sup>



Left main bifurcation physiology is favorable towards provisional stenting

EBC consensus:<sup>5</sup>  
Provisional stenting is the preferred strategy in LMCA bifurcation lesions<sup>6</sup>

# DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS FOR LEFT MAIN BIFURCATION STENTING

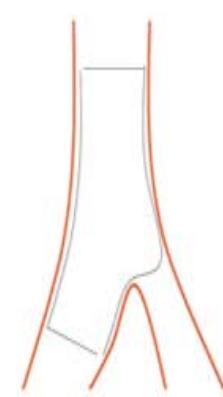
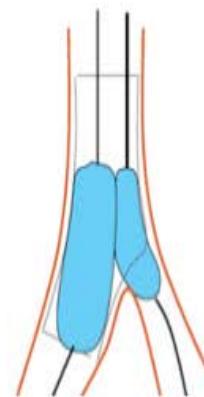
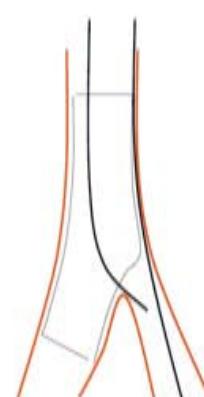
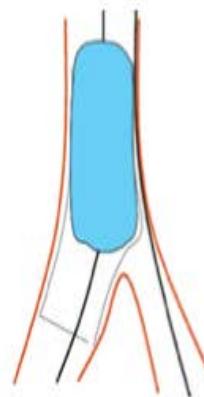
## PROCEDURAL STEP

### Proximal Optimisation Technique (POT)

### Sidebranch Access

### Kissing Balloon Technique (KBT)

### Final Scaffold



## CONSIDERATIONS

Appropriate sizing; scaffold integrity maintained with overexpansion

Potential for catching and longitudinal deformation; open cell structure to facilitate sidebranch access

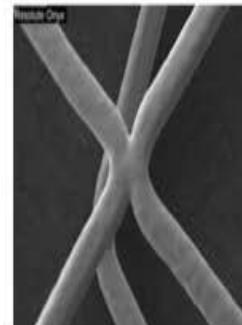
Expandable cell area for large sidebranch sizing

Flexibility and conformability for adequate stent apposition

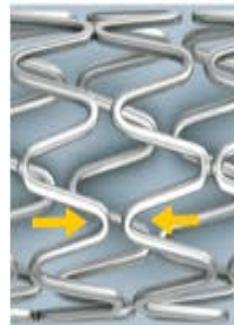
# RESOLUTE ONYX™ DES IS IDEALLY SUITED FOR LEFT MAIN BIFURCATION

## PROCEDURAL STEP

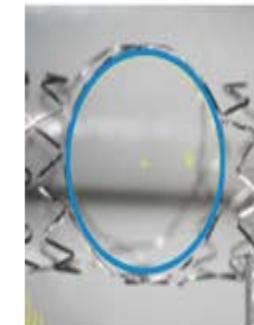
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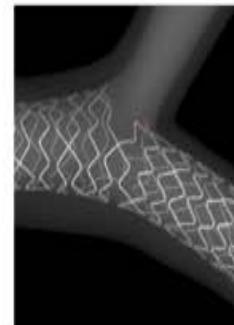
### Sidebranch Access



### Kissing Balloon Technique (KBT)



### Final Scaffold



## RESOLUTE ONYX™ DES ADVANTAGE

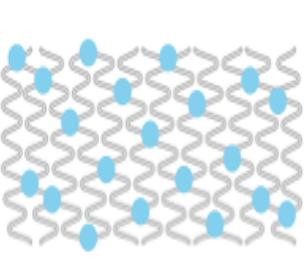
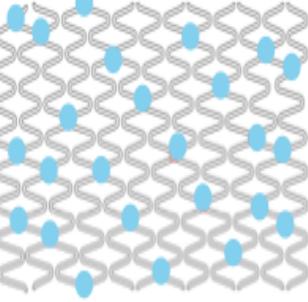
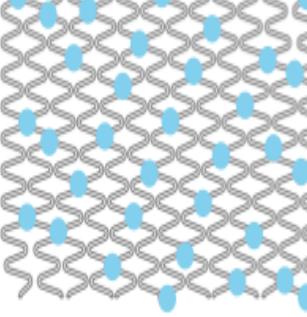
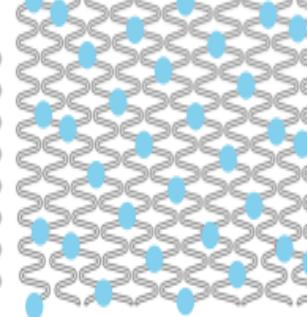
Scaffold integrity  
maintained with  
overexpansion

Resistance to  
catching and LSD

Large sidebranch  
sizing

Superior strut  
apposition<sup>1</sup>

# RESOLUTE ONYX™ THIS IS WHY I LIKE IT...

Characteristic	Resolute Onyx™ DES			
Stent size (mm)	2.00, 2.25, 2.50	2.75, 3.00	3.50, 4.00	4.50, 5.00
Outer material	Cobalt alloy conforming to ASTM F562-02			
Core material	Platinum iridium			
Strut thickness dimensions	0.0032"/81 µm	0.0032"/81 µm	0.0032"/81 µm	0.0036"/91 µm
Crowns	6.5	8.5	9.5	10.5
Fusion pattern	Every fourth crown fused	Every fifth crown fused	Every fourth crown fused	Every fourth crown fused
				
Maximum expansion (mm) — MSID <sup>1</sup>	3.25	3.75	4.75	5.75
Cell diameter for bifurcation (mm)	3.7	3.9	3.8	4.9

The image shows a panoramic view of a city, likely Turin, Italy, from a high vantage point. In the foreground, dark green trees frame the scene. In the middle ground, a large, ornate church with a tall, dark spire stands prominently against a sky filled with dynamic, white and grey clouds. The background features a vast, hilly landscape under a bright blue sky.

**THANKS FOR YOUR KIND ATTENTION**







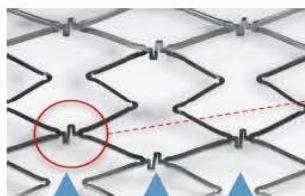




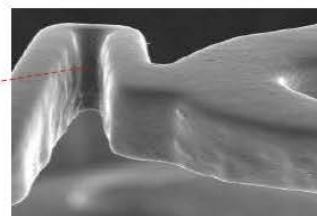
# STENTYS Self-Apposing® Stent



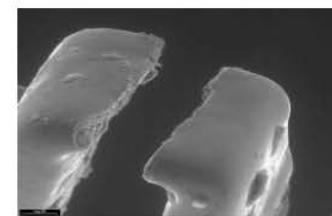
- Self-expanding nitinol stent constrained inside a Splitable Sheath over the balloon
- Bare or Sirolimus-eluting with ProTeqtor biostable polymer
- 6 French, single-wire, rapid exchange
- Disconnecting bridges over full length\* for side-branch access



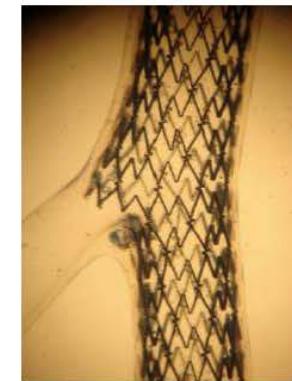
Disconnectors  
along the stent



Disconnectable  
interconnector



Disconnection



# Shaping an ectatic coronary artery: Stentys implantation

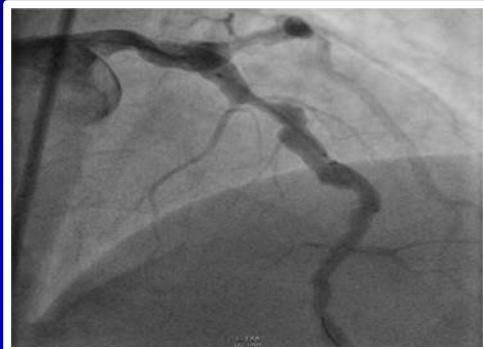
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stent on trifurcated unprotected left main

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Reliability:

RAO 11  
Caud 29  
5025  
85 %









## Conclusion on Resolute Onyx

Most deliverable stent

- stent thickness – thinner (81 um)
- delivery system – improved

Conformable

Radiopacity - good

Stent through stent – easy to cross

Balloon – can go to high pressure (26 Atm!)

Wide range of sizes: 2.0 – 5.0 mm diameter,  
Length (depending on size): 8 – 38 mm