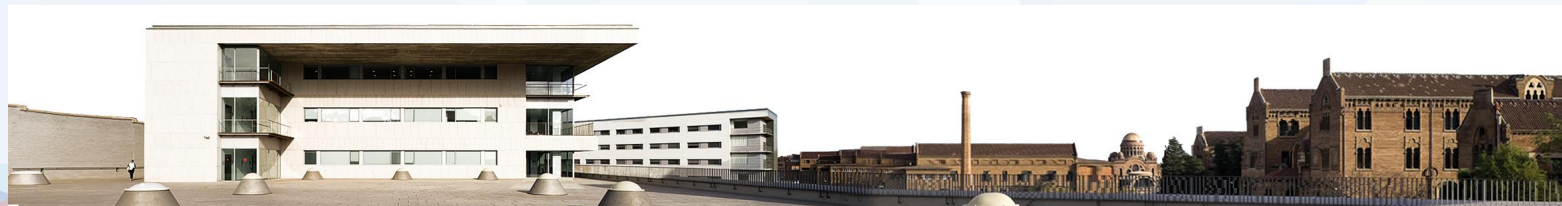


FFR Angiográfico: ¿Simplifica el intervencionismo coronario?

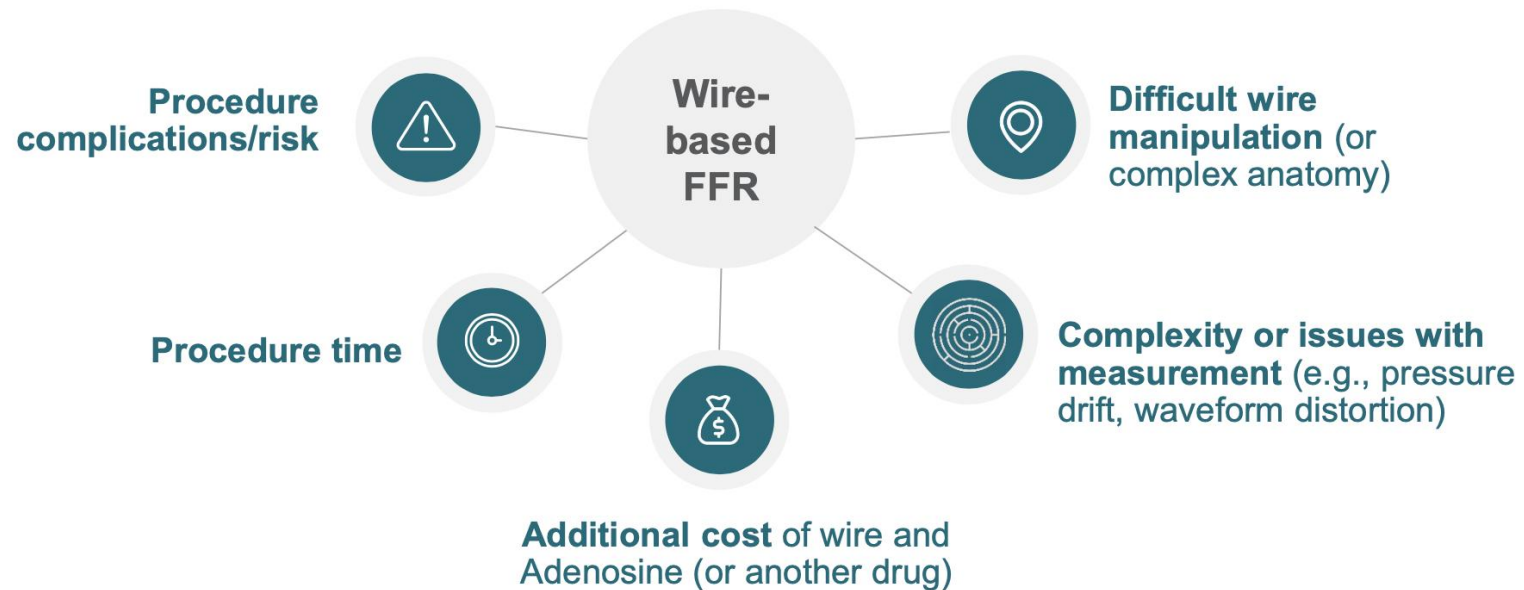
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✓ FFR / iFR , RFR... : Valoración fisiológica de lesiones coronarias.

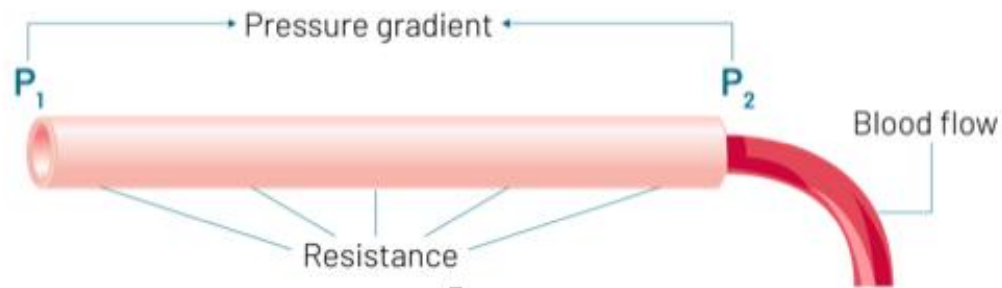
Limitations of Wire-Based FFR in the Cath Lab¹



CathWorks FFRangio® System

Combina inteligencia artificial y computacional avanzada para obtener información fisiológica a partir de angiogramas coronarios

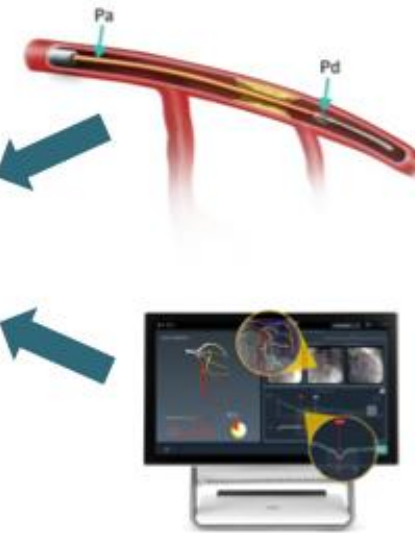
Blood Flow, Pressure and Resistance¹



$$R = \frac{\rho L}{\pi r^4}$$

$$Q = \frac{\Delta P}{R}$$

(Flow)

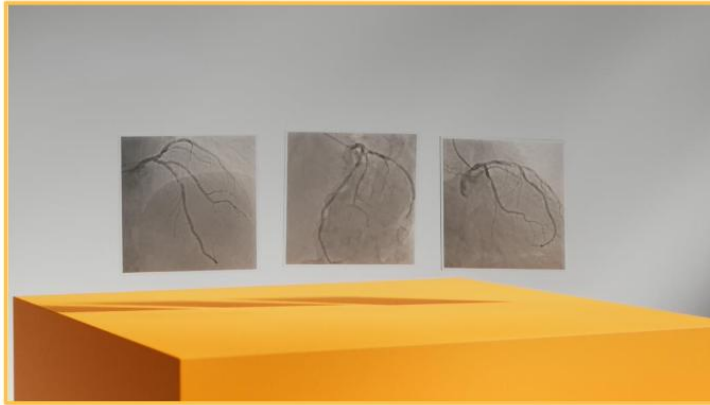


$$\text{Blood flow (Q)} = \Delta P / R$$

*If blood pressure decreases, flow decreases.
If resistance increases, flow decreases.*

CathWorks FFRangio® System

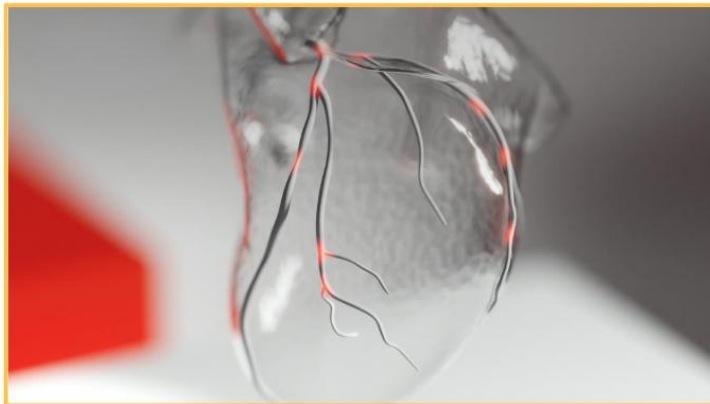
1 Optimal 2D Angiography



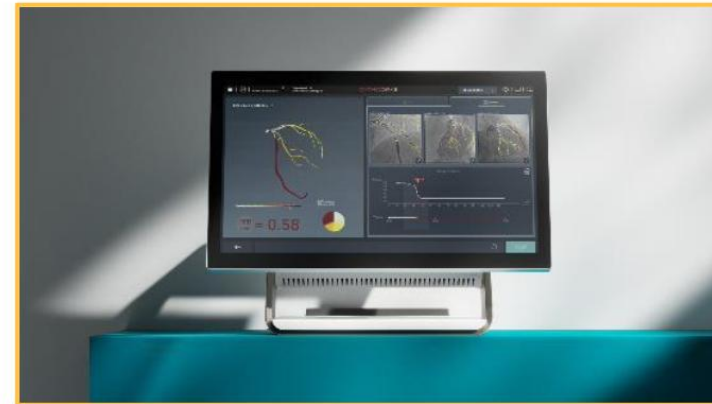
2 3D Model Reconstruction



3 Resistance Analysis



4 Comprehensive Physiological Assessment



Pre-processing Angiograms and Starting an Analysis

The screenshot displays the CATHWORKS software interface. At the top, it shows the patient name "John Smith" and the date "11-Mar-2018 10:11". The interface is divided into several sections:

- Top Left:** A row of four angiogram thumbnails labeled RAO 34.2 | CRAN 33.2 #11, RAO 14.9 | CRAN 38.8 #14, RAO 35.1 | CRAN 35.4 #15, and RAO 8.6 | CRAN 38.5 #16.
- Center:** A 3D anatomical model of the heart with a red vessel highlighted. A "Select target vessel" dialog is open, listing options: RCA, PDA, LAD, DIAG, RAMUS, LCX, and MARG. A "Recommended" box lists: RAO 30 | CRAN 30, LAO 10 | CRAN 30, and RAO 30 | CAUD 30.
- Bottom Center:** A "Set mean aortic pressure" section with a numeric keypad showing "0 mmHg".
- Bottom:** A progress bar with two steps: "1 | Select target vessel" and "2 | Set mean aortic pressure".
- Right Side:** A "LAO 10 | CRAN 30" view with a refresh icon and a "LAO 24.4 | CAUD 36.7 #13" angiogram thumbnail.

Blue arrows indicate the workflow: from the "Select target vessel" dialog to the "Recommended" box, then to the "LAO 10 | CRAN 30" view, and finally to the "Set mean aortic pressure" section. A circular callout on the right says "Hover over the target vessel" with a mouse cursor icon.

Selección de Angiografías

Invalid: Too close to a selected angiogram

Invalid: Too close to a selected angiogram

Not recommended: All cranial angle

Not recommended: All cranial angle

Invalid: Too close to a selected angiogram

Not recommended: All cranial angle

Not Recommended: Close to a selected angiogram

RAO 30 | CRAN 30

RAO 30 | CAUD 30

LAO 10 | CRAN 30

Select an angiogram and verify optimal frame

Recommended

- RAO 30 | CRAN 30
- LAO 10 | CRAN 30
- RAO 30 | CAUD 30

Drag marker to lesion location

Drag marker to lesion location

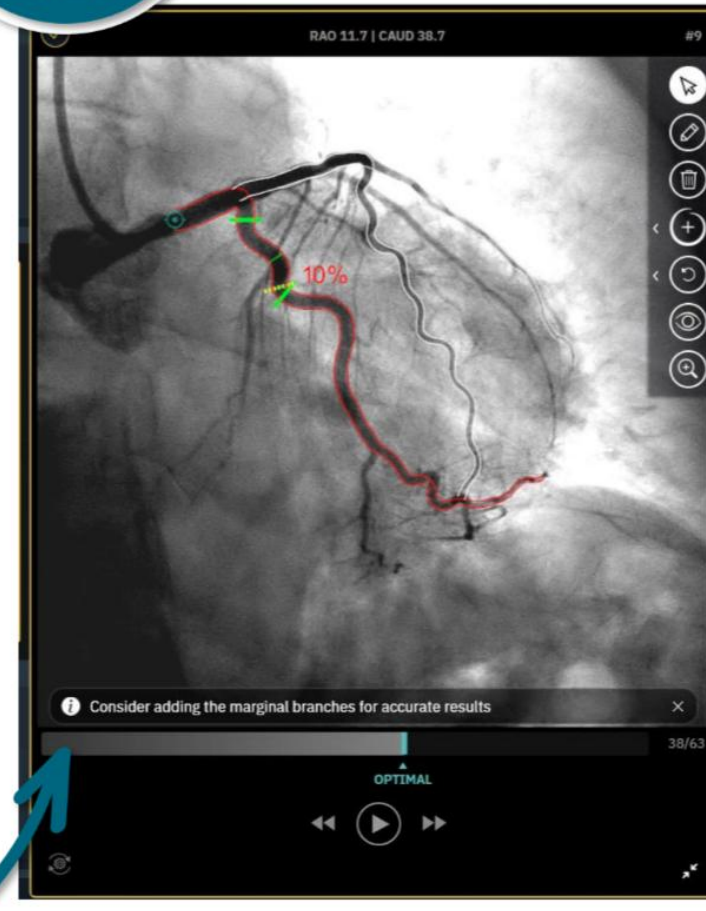
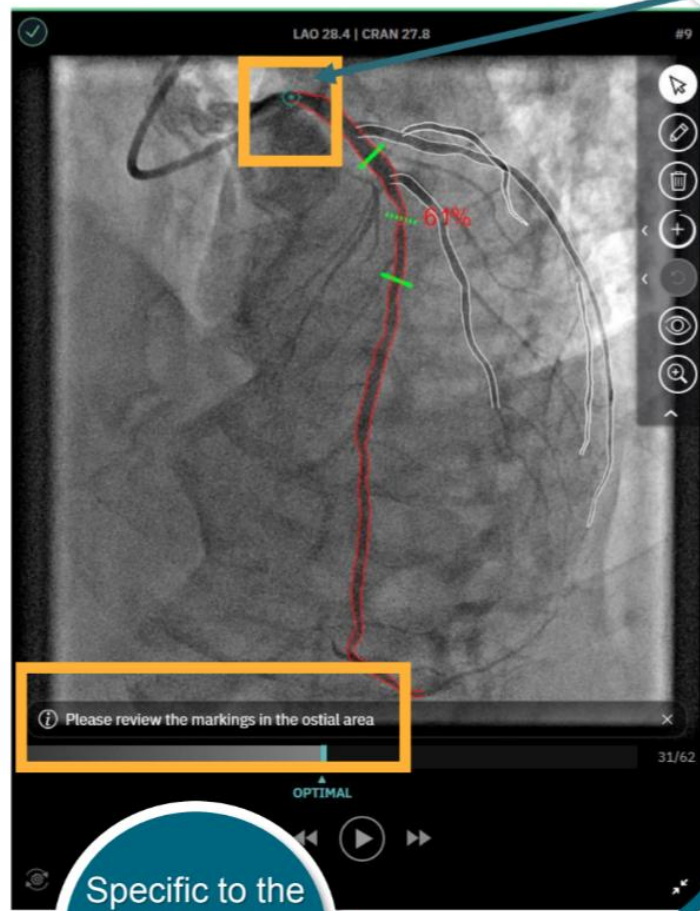
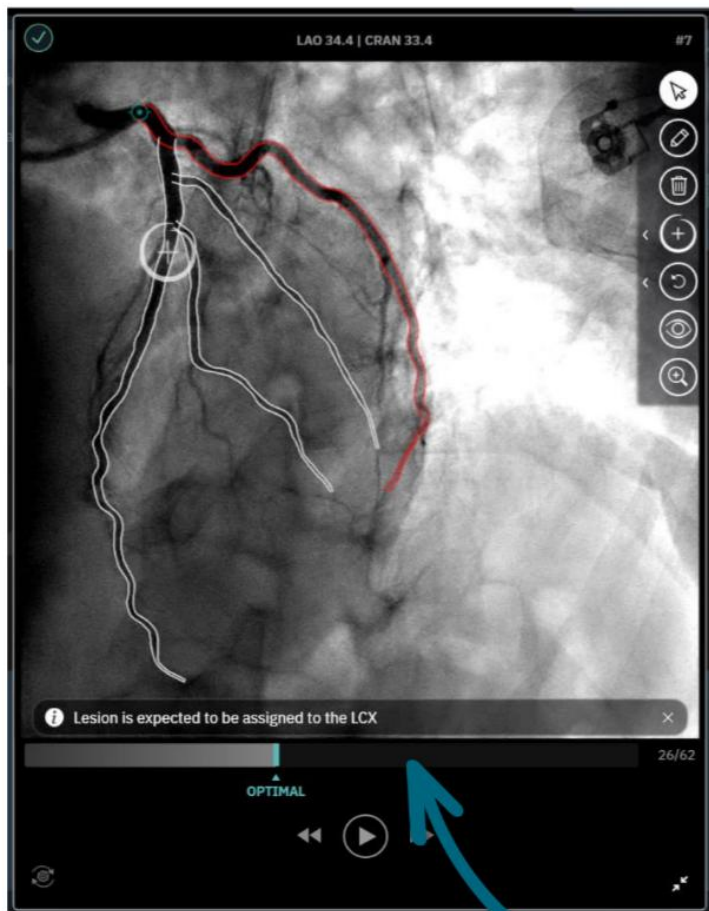
1 | Select 3 angiograms and verify optimal frame

2 | Mark lesion

3 | Review lesion boundaries and vessel markings

AI Communication and Editing Toolbar

Consider correcting radii or moving ostium location with this message



Specific to the selected target vessel

FFRangio System Major Publications

In multiple robust clinical studies, the FFRangio System has demonstrated excellent diagnostic performance compared to invasive FFR.

Publication	Study Overview	Accuracy	Sensitivity	Specificity	AUC	Conclusions
Witberg G, et al. Diagnostic Performance of Angiogram Derived Fractional Flow Reserve ¹	Pooled analysis of five prospective studies assessing FFRangio diagnostic performance 588 patients, 700 lesions	93%	91%	94%	0.95	The pooled analysis demonstrated that FFRangio had excellent diagnostic performance and a strong correlation with invasive FFR. The results were robust across a wide spectrum of patients and lesions.
Fearon W, et al. Accuracy of Fractional Flow Reserve Derived from Coronary Angiography ²	FAST-FFR pivotal trial assessing FFRangio diagnostic performance in 10 centers 301 patients, 319 vessels	92%	94%	91%	0.94	The study demonstrated that FFRangio had excellent diagnostic performance versus invasive FFR, including in the grey zone between 0.75 and 0.85.
Omori H, et al. Angiogram Based Fractional Flow Reserve in Patients with Dual/Triple Vessel Coronary Artery Disease ³	Prospective study assessing FFRangio diagnostic performance in patients with multivessel disease 50 patients, 118 lesions	92%	92%	92%	0.92	The study demonstrated that FFRangio had excellent diagnostic performance versus invasive FFR, with high per-vessel accuracy, sensitivity and specificity.
Skalidis I, et al. Diagnostic Performance of Angiography-derived Fractional Flow Reserve in Patients with NSTEMI ⁴	Prospective study assessing FFRangio diagnostic performance in patients with NSTEMI 46 patients, 60 vessels	97%	96%	97%	0.97	The study demonstrated that FFRangio had excellent diagnostic performance in NSTEMI patients with values for sensitivity, specificity, PPV, NPV and accuracy all being greater than 95% compared to invasive FFR.

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4. Skalidis I, et al. Diagnostic performance of angiography-derived fractional flow reserve in patients with NSTEMI. Catheter Cardiovasc Interv. 2022; 1-8

FAST – FFR

Compara FFR Angio con FFR invasivo

FAST-FFR Pivotal Study by the Numbers¹

The robust FAST-FFR pivotal study included data from 10 centers and 19 different FFRangio operators, across a wide range of patients and lesions.



301 patients in primary analysis

319 vessels

54% LAD; **24%** RCA; **19%** LCX



45% significant lesions

0.82 median FFR

31% in grey zone²

89% lesion class B or C



10 sites; **19** FFRangio users;
45+ Operators; **All 4** C-arms^{2,3}

FFR measured on site and
qualified by independent core lab

FFRangio on-site by cath lab staff;
<4% disqualified

Main Exclusion Criteria^{1,2}

- STEMI or prior STEMI on same side (right/left)
- CTO in target vessel
- Prior CABG, heart transplant, or valve surgery or prior TAVI/TAVR
- ≥ Moderate aortic stenosis
- LVEF ≤45%
- TIMI grade 2 or lower
- Left main (stenosis >50%)
- Separate ostium
- PCI with stent in target vessel in past 12 months or ISR
- Severe diffuse disease
- Ectatic or aneurysmatic target lesion
- Major collaterals

1. Fearon W, et al. Accuracy of Fractional Flow Reserve Derived From Coronary Angiography. Circulation. 2019; 139: 477-484
2. Data on file – CathWorks - FAST-FFR FFRangio Pivotal Clinical Study Report - CLI-000184

FAST - FFR

Compara FFR Angio con FFR invasivo

FAST-FFR Trial^{1,2}

Primary Endpoint and Accuracy

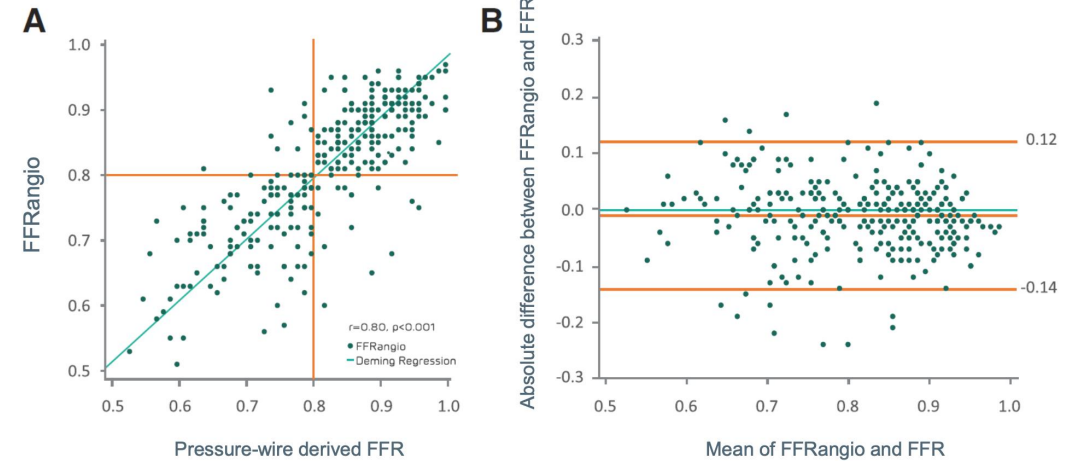


Diagnostic Characteristic	
Sensitivity	93.5% (87.8, 96.6)
Specificity	91.2% (86.0, 94.6)
Diagnostic Accuracy	92.2% (88.7, 94.8)
Positive Predictive Value	89.0% (82.6, 93.2)
Negative Predictive Value	94.8% (90.3, 97.3)



Grey zone Accuracy (0.75-0.85)	
Sensitivity	88.5%
Specificity	85.1%
Diagnostic Accuracy	86.9%

Correlación entre FFR y FFR angio Bland-Altman plot



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1-Year Clinical Outcomes Study

Study Design

Real-world data from 7 centers in Japan and Israel.



Gifu Heart Center
Fukuoka Sano Hospital
Fukuyama Cardiology Hospital
Ichinomiya Nishi Hospital
Sakakibara Hear Institute
Saga-Kem Medical Center



Rabin Medical Center

Managed per FFRangio Guidance
1,435 patients
(1,967 lesions)

Deferred
Negative FFRangio
888 patients

Revascularized
Positive FFRangio
547 patients
100% follow-up

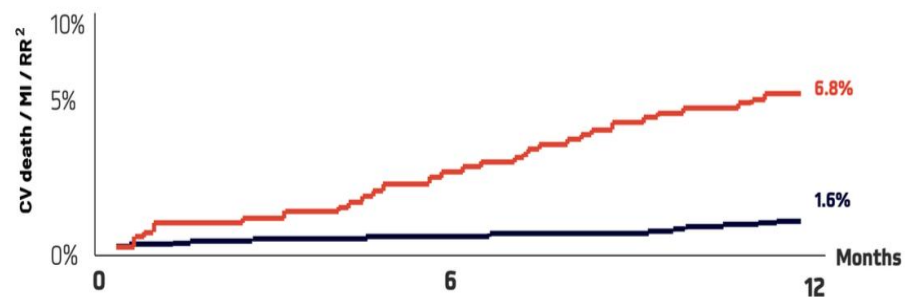
Baseline Characteristics

The revascularized cohort included a higher proportion of patients who suffered from diabetes, were active smokers and/or presented with acute coronary syndrome.

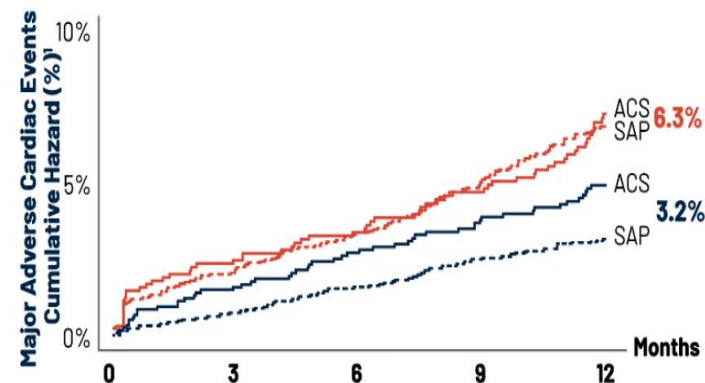
	All (n=1,435)	Deferred (n=888)	Revascularized (n=547)	P-value
Male	997 (70.4%)	579 (65.8%)	418 (77.8%)	<0.01
Diabetes mellitus	532 (37.2%)	293 (33.1%)	239 (43.9%)	<0.01
Dyslipidemia	860 (60.1%)	508 (57.3%)	352 (64.7%)	0.006
Acute coronary syndrome	381 (26.8%)	183 (20.8%)	198 (36.2%)	<0.01

1-Year Results in Perspective

In the largest wire-based FFR pooled analysis reported to date, a similar rate of events was observed between the deferred (negative FFR) and revascularized (positive FFR) cohorts as was reported in the FFRangio study.



	Deferred (n=888)	Revascularized (n=547)
CV death/MI/RR	1.6%	6.8%
CV death	0.4%	0%
Myocardial infraction	0.1%	1.0%
Repeat revascularization	1.2%	6.8%



	Deferred (n=5129)	Revascularized (n=3450)
MACE	3.2%	6.3%
Death	0.6%	0.8%
Myocardial infraction	0.6%	1.8%
Unplanned revascularization	2.3%	4.5%

Patients were safely deferred when following FFRangio guidance, demonstrated by a similar repeat revascularization rate as seen in wire-based studies.²

1. Cerrato E, Mejia-Renteria H, Dehbi HM et al. Revascularization deferral of nonculprit stenoses on the basis of fractional flow reserve: 1-year outcomes of 8,579 patients. JACC Cardiovasc Interv. 2020 Aug 24;13(16):1894-1903.
2. Witberg G, et al. One-year clinical outcomes of FFR angio-guided treatment of coronary artery disease, as presented at EuroPCR 2023

Comparativa con FFR invasivo

Parameter	CathWorks FFRangio				Medis QFR				Pie Medical vFFR	
	Validation ¹	FAST-FFR ²	FFRangio MVD ³	Pooled Analysis ⁴	FAVOR ⁵	FAVOR II ⁶	WIFI II ⁷	FAVOR CHINA ⁸	FAST II Site ⁹	FAST II Corelab ⁹
Trial Design										
Year Published	2017	2018	2019	2020	2016	2018	2018	2017	2021	2021
N Patients	184	301	50	588	73	272	191	308	334	334
N Vessels	203	319	118	700	84	317	292	328	334	334
Diagnostic Performance Compared to FFR										
Sensitivity	88%	93.5%	92.3%	91.2%	74%	86.5%	77%	94.6%	71%	81%
Specificity	95%	91.2%	92.4%	93.5%	91%	86.9%	86%	91.7%	89%	95%
Accuracy	93%	92.2%	92.4%	92.6%	80-87%	86.8%	83%	92.7%	83%	90%
Positive Predictive Value		89.0%		91.2%					79%	90%
Negative Predictive Value		94.8%		93.5%					85%	90%

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6. Westra J, et al. Diagnostic Performance of In-Procedure Angiography-Derived Quantitative Flow Reserve Compared to Pressure-Derived Fractional Flow Reserve: The FAVOR II Europe-Japan Study. *J Am Heart Assoc.* 2018; 7: e009603. Table 3.
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8. Xu B, et al. Diagnostic Accuracy of Angiography-Based Quantitative Flow Ratio Measurements for Online Assessment of Coronary Stenosis. *Journal of the American College of Cardiology.* 2017; 70: 3077-3087
9. Masdjedi K, et al. Vessel fractional flow reserve (vFFR) for the assessment of stenosis severity: the FAST II study. *EuroIntervention: journal of EuroPCR in collaboration with the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the European Society of Cardiology.* 2022; 17: 1498-1505

CASO CLINICO

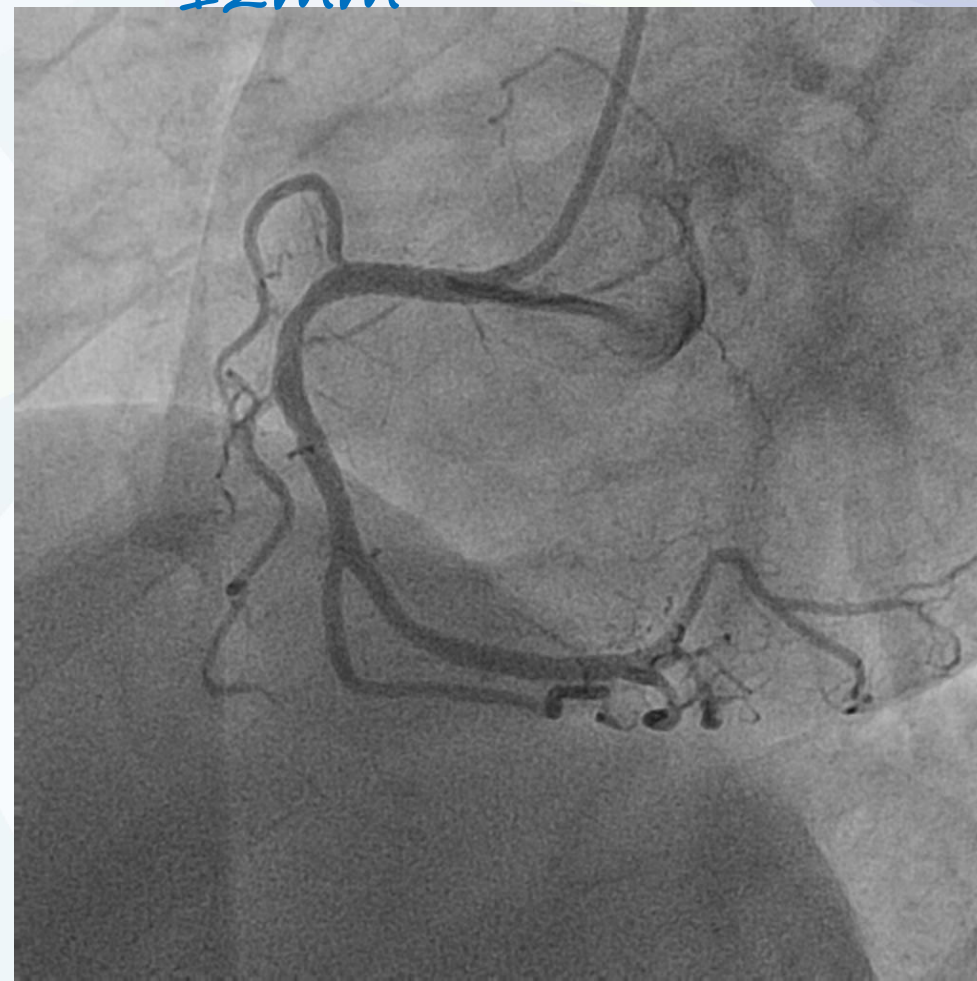
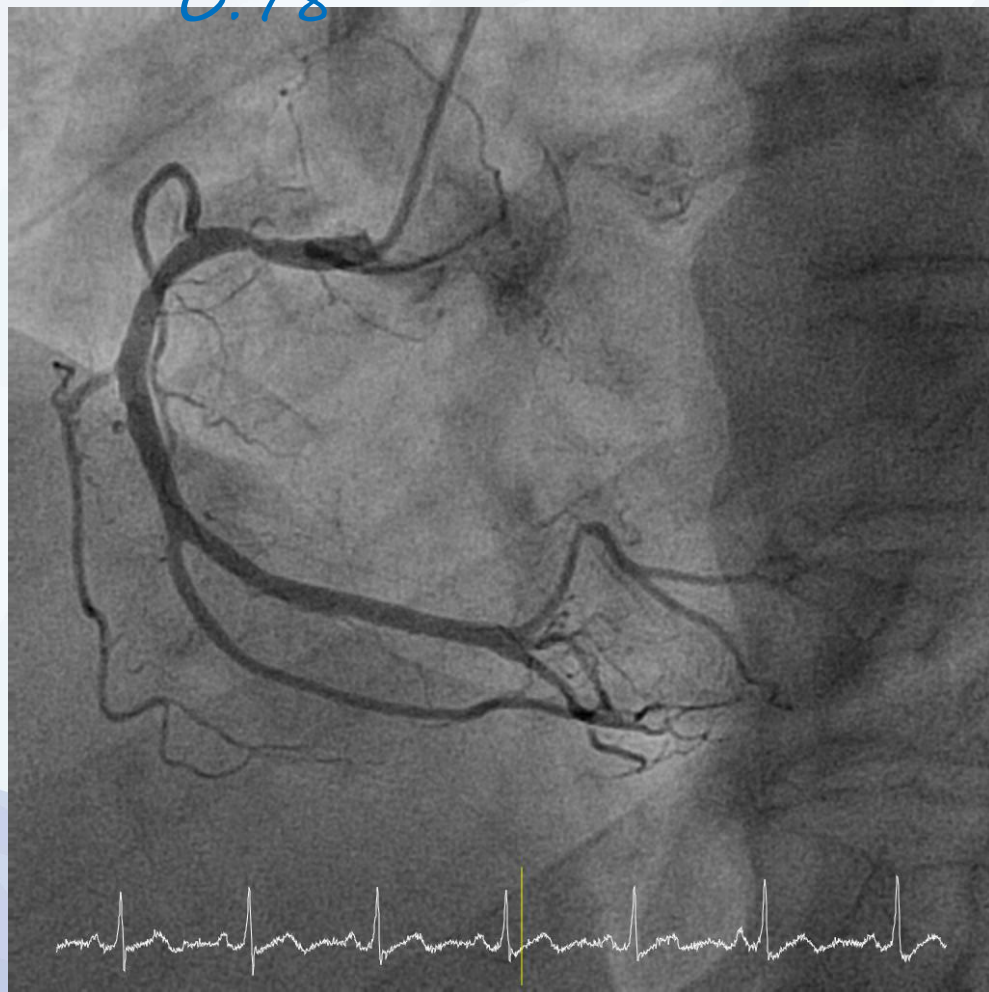
- Varón 69 años
- FRCV : HTA , DLP, DM 2. (HbA 1c 8,9% abril 2024)
- H. Cardiológica:
- 2013: Angor estable . cRMN: Isquemia subendocárdica inferior.
- Coronariografía: CD prox. 70%. DES 3.5x12mm
- Posterior seguimiento asintomático. PE negativa.

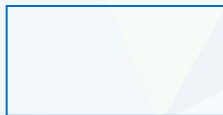


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CD prox - FFR :
0.78

Post DES 3.5 x
12mm

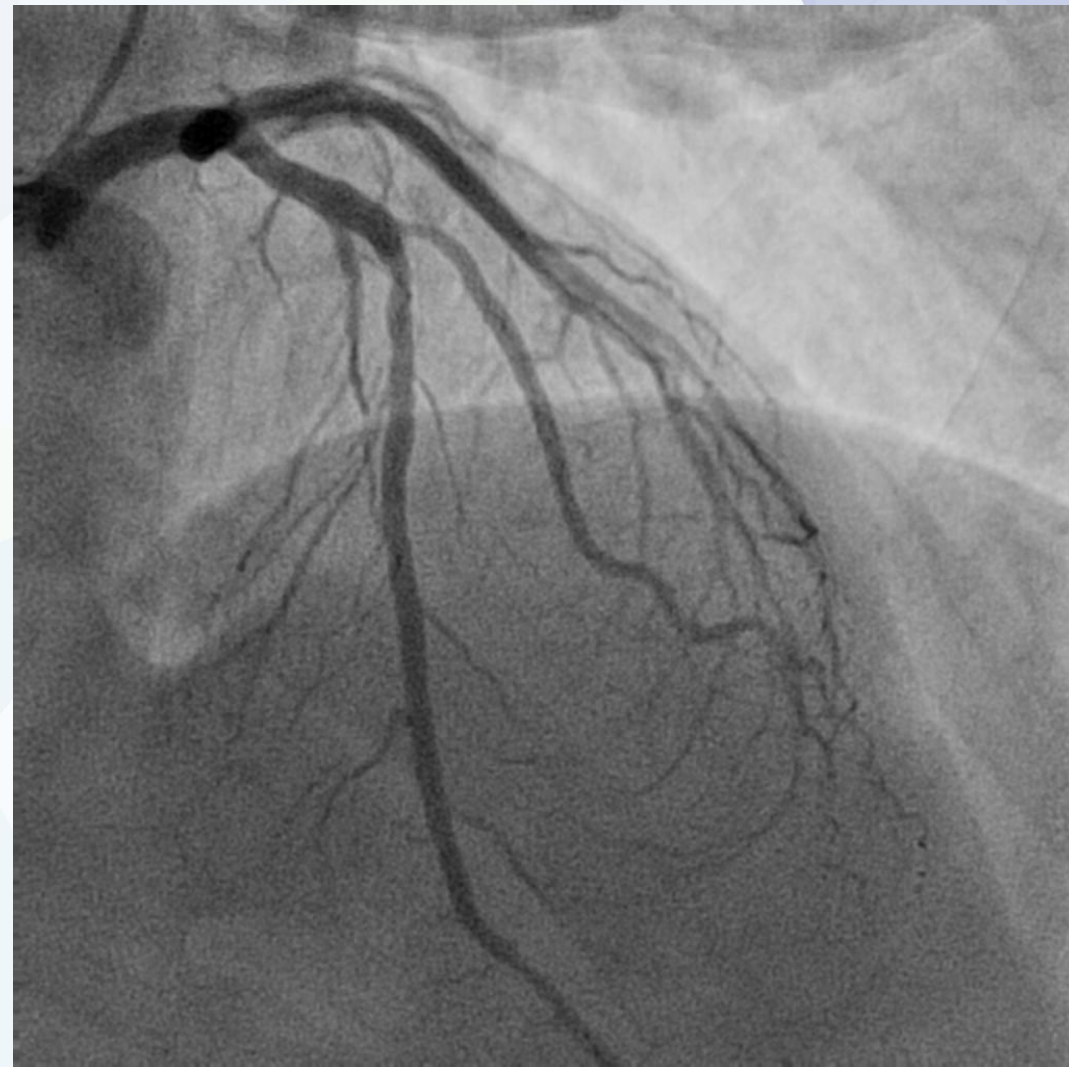
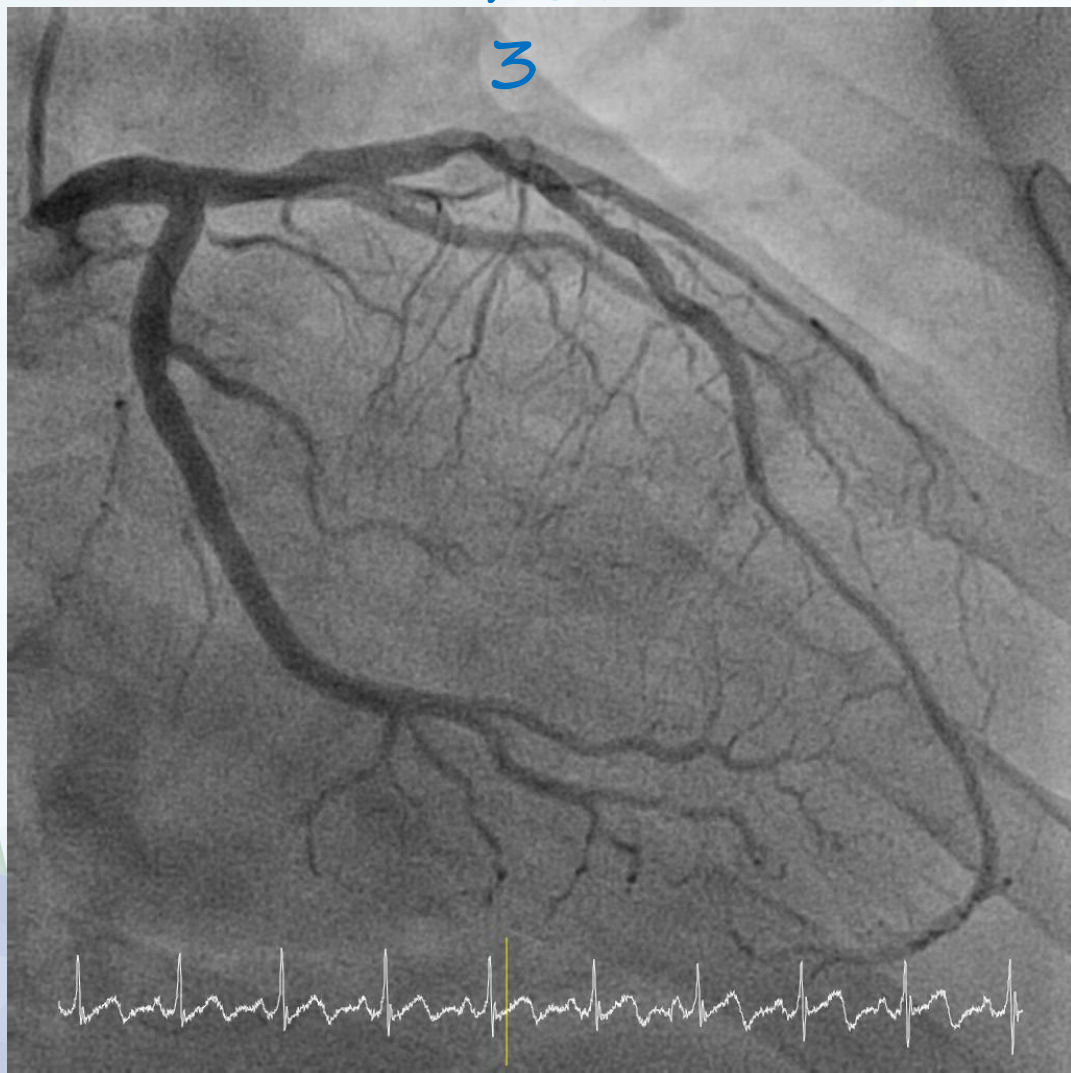




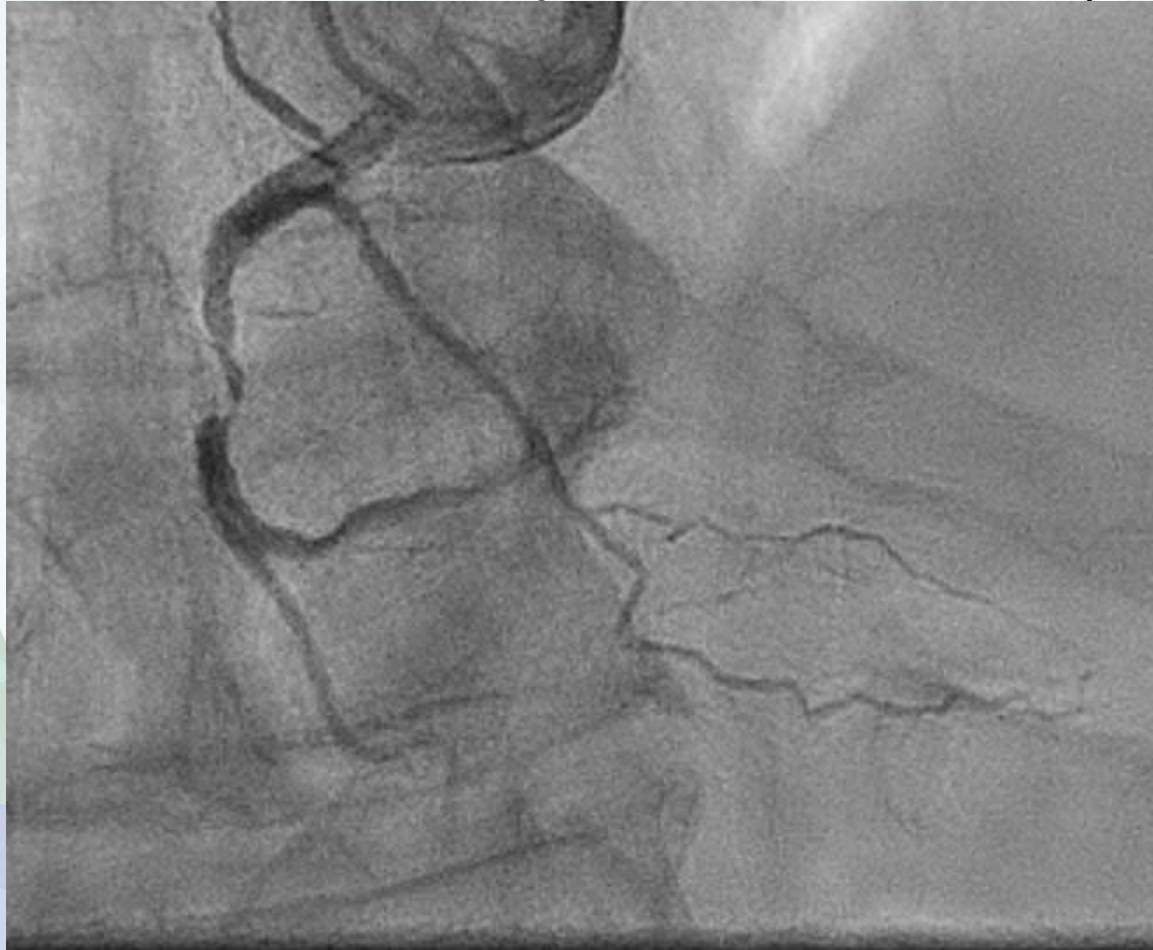
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2024 : SCASEST
ECG sin alteraciones – ETT: FEVI normal sin
segmentarismos – Trop. +





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Coronariografía Izquierda



FFR angio: CD - Basal



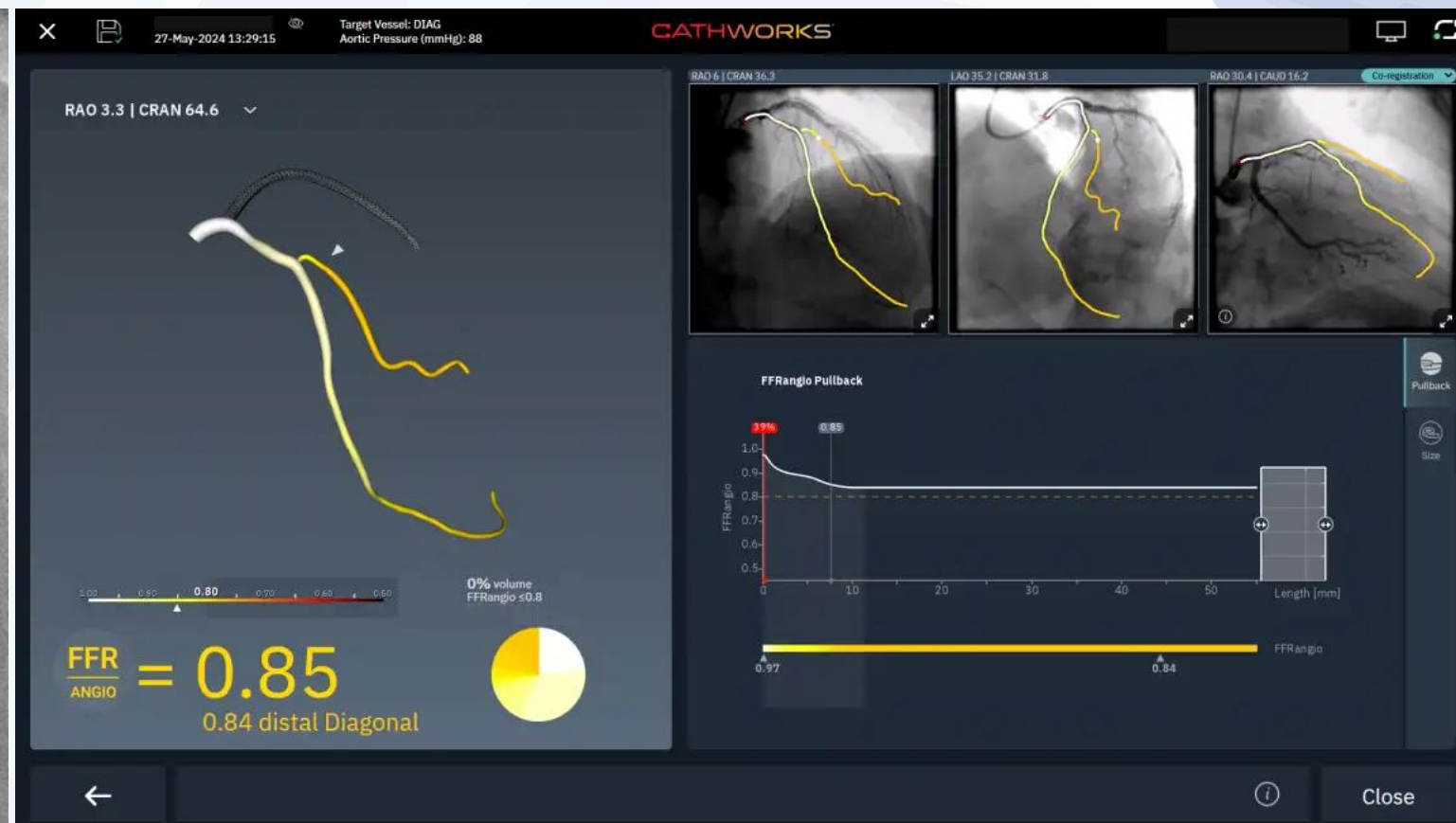
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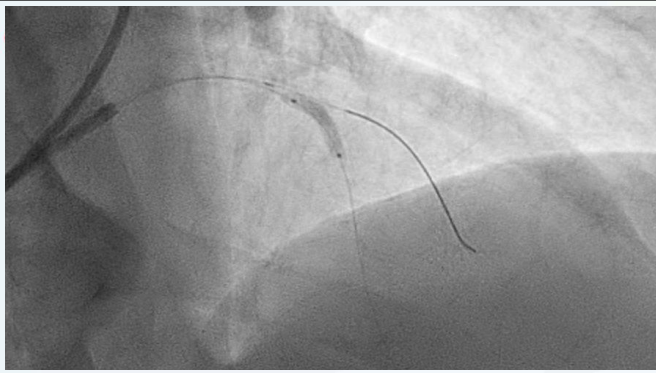
iFR: 0.88 - FFR:
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FFR angio: 1ª Diagonal - Basal



iFR: 0.96 - FFR
0.84

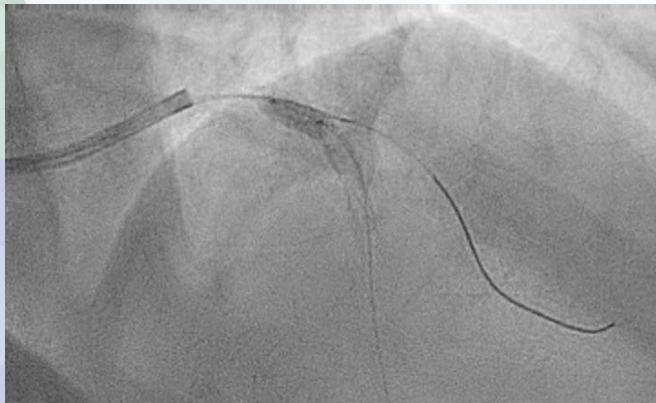
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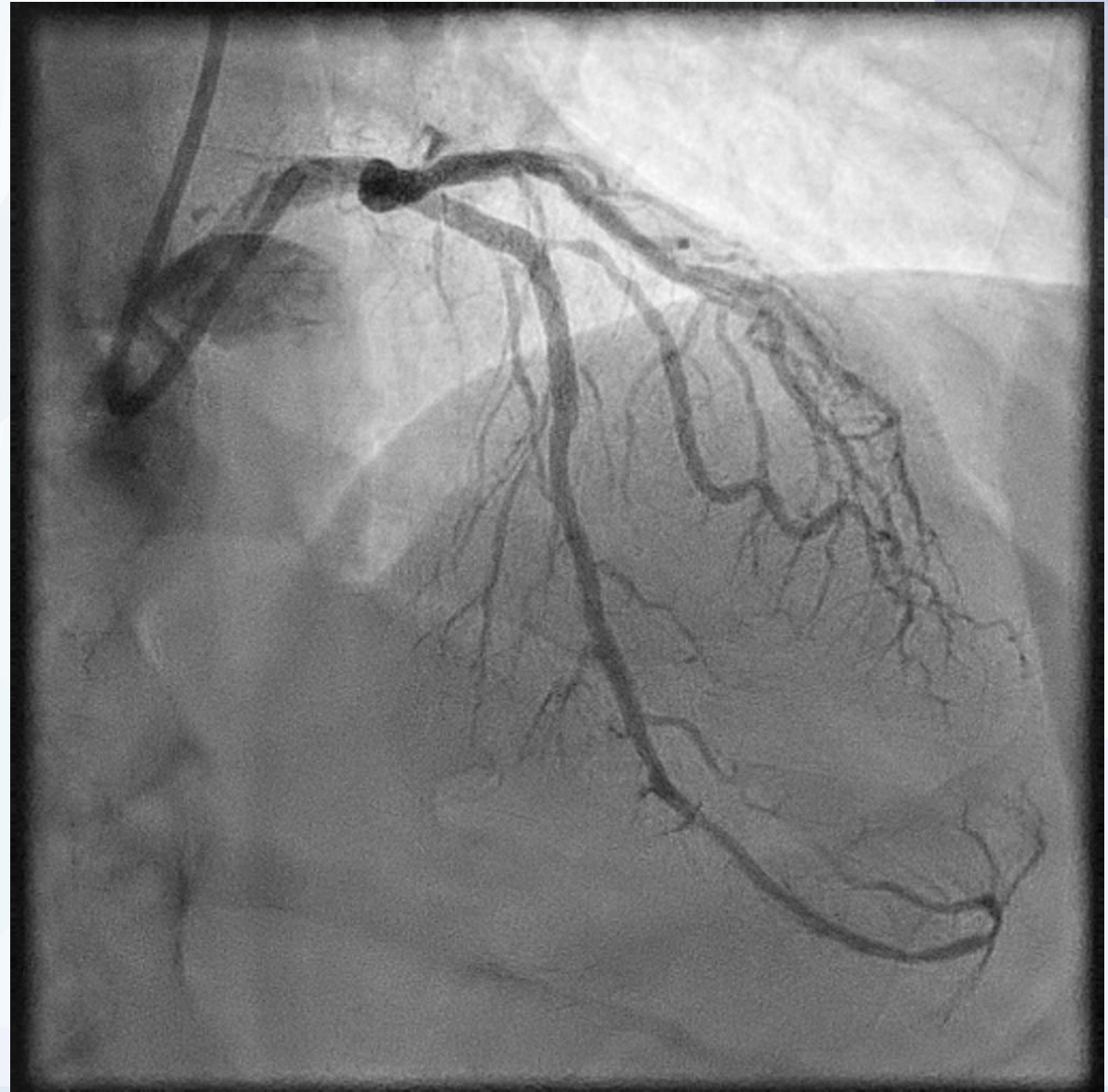
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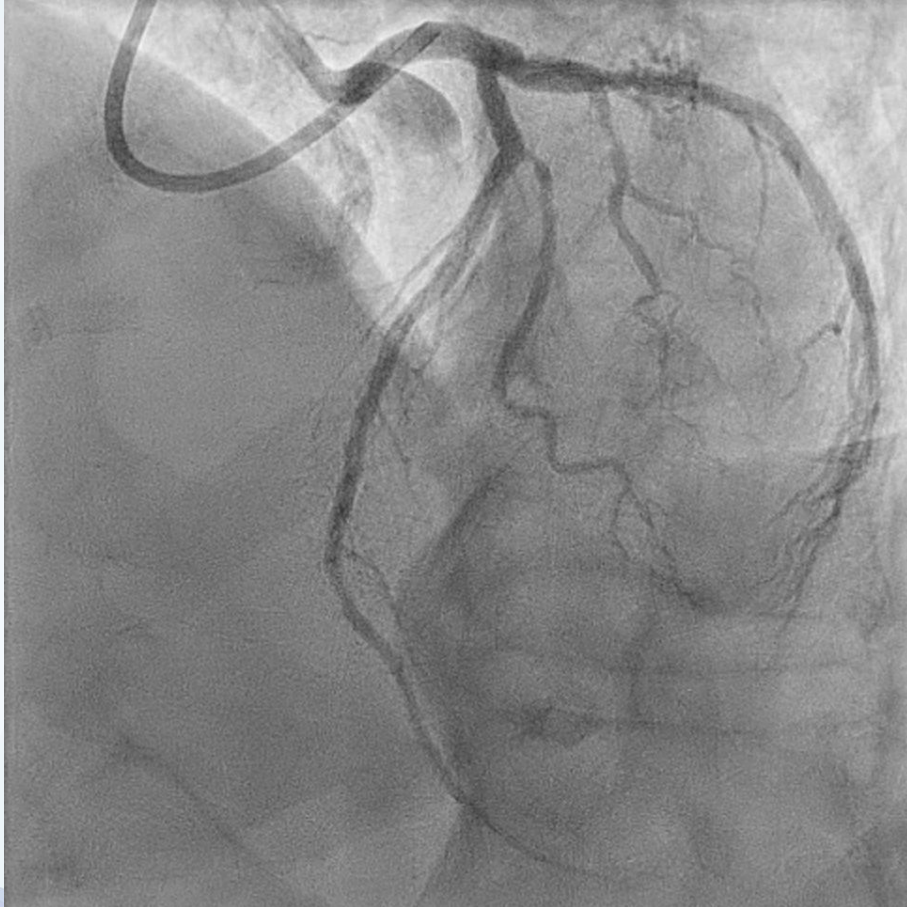


STENT ONYX 3.0 x 22mm

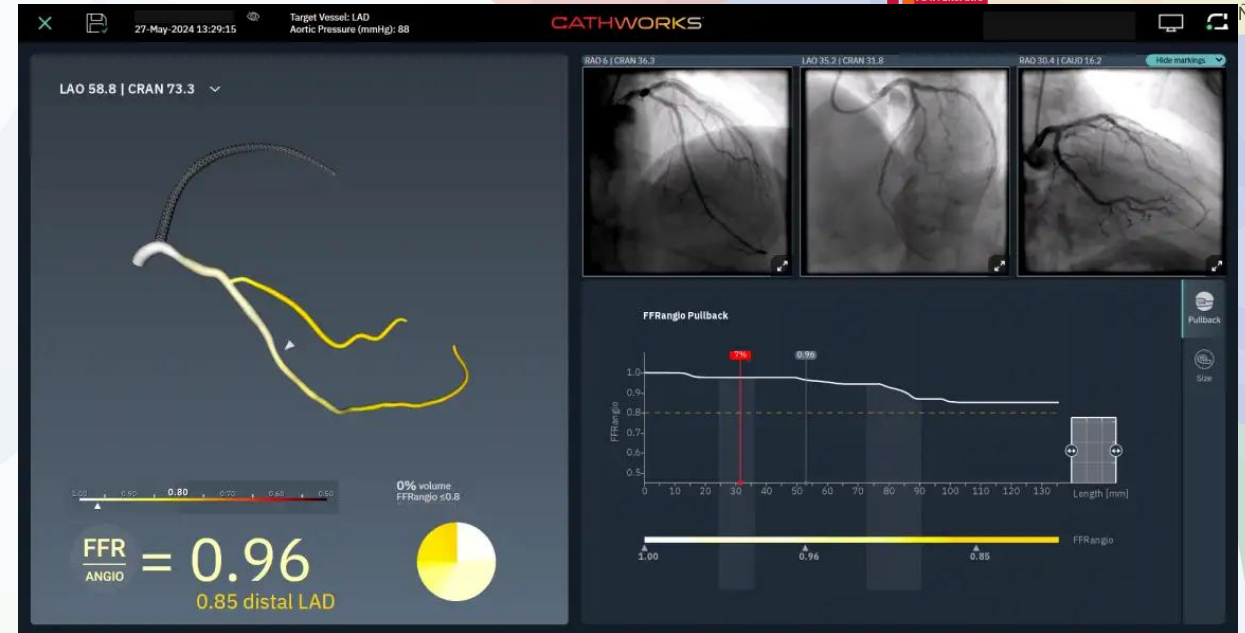


POT Balón NC 3.5 x 8 mm





Post STENT iFR: 0.90 -
FFR: 0.85

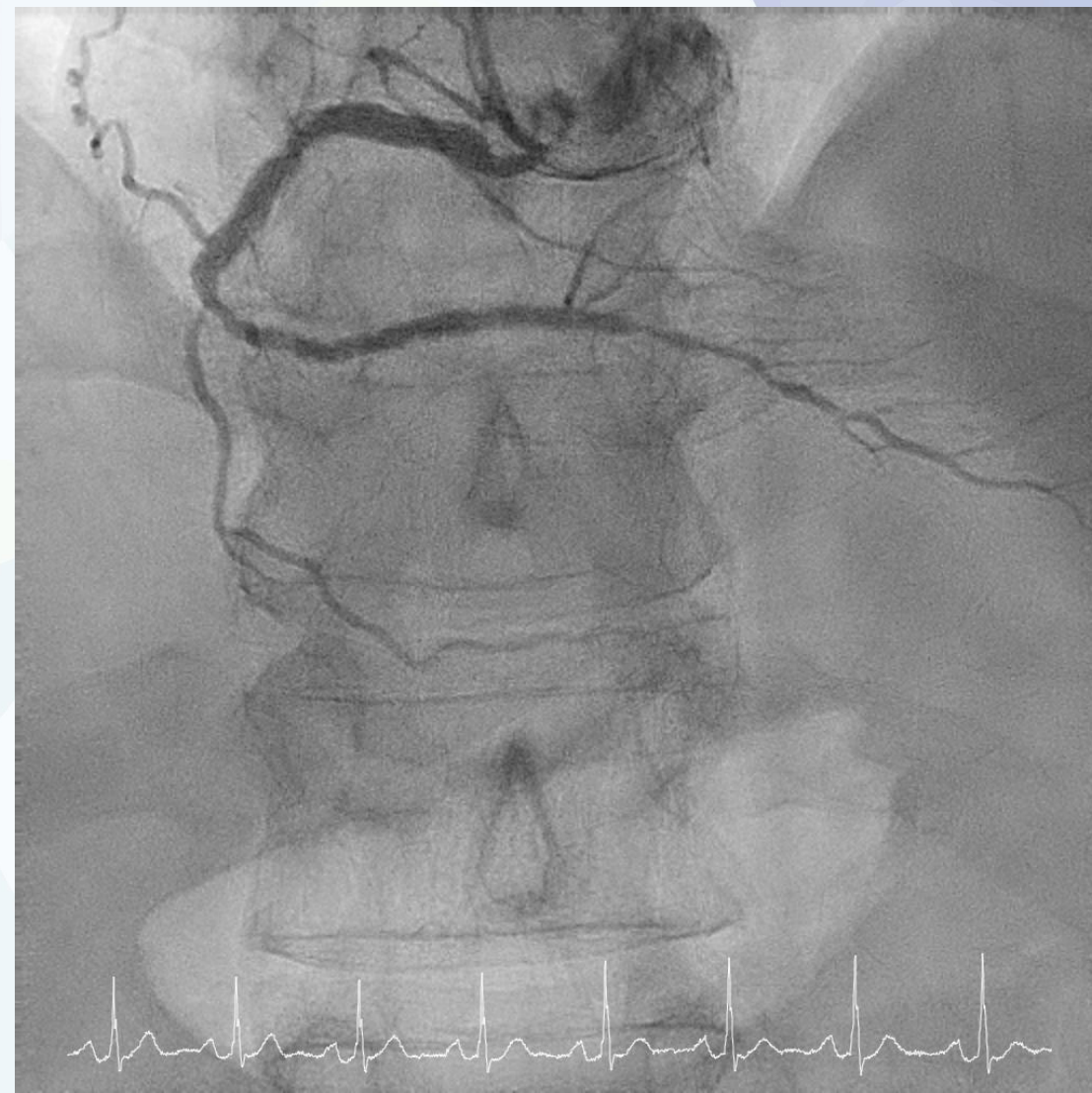
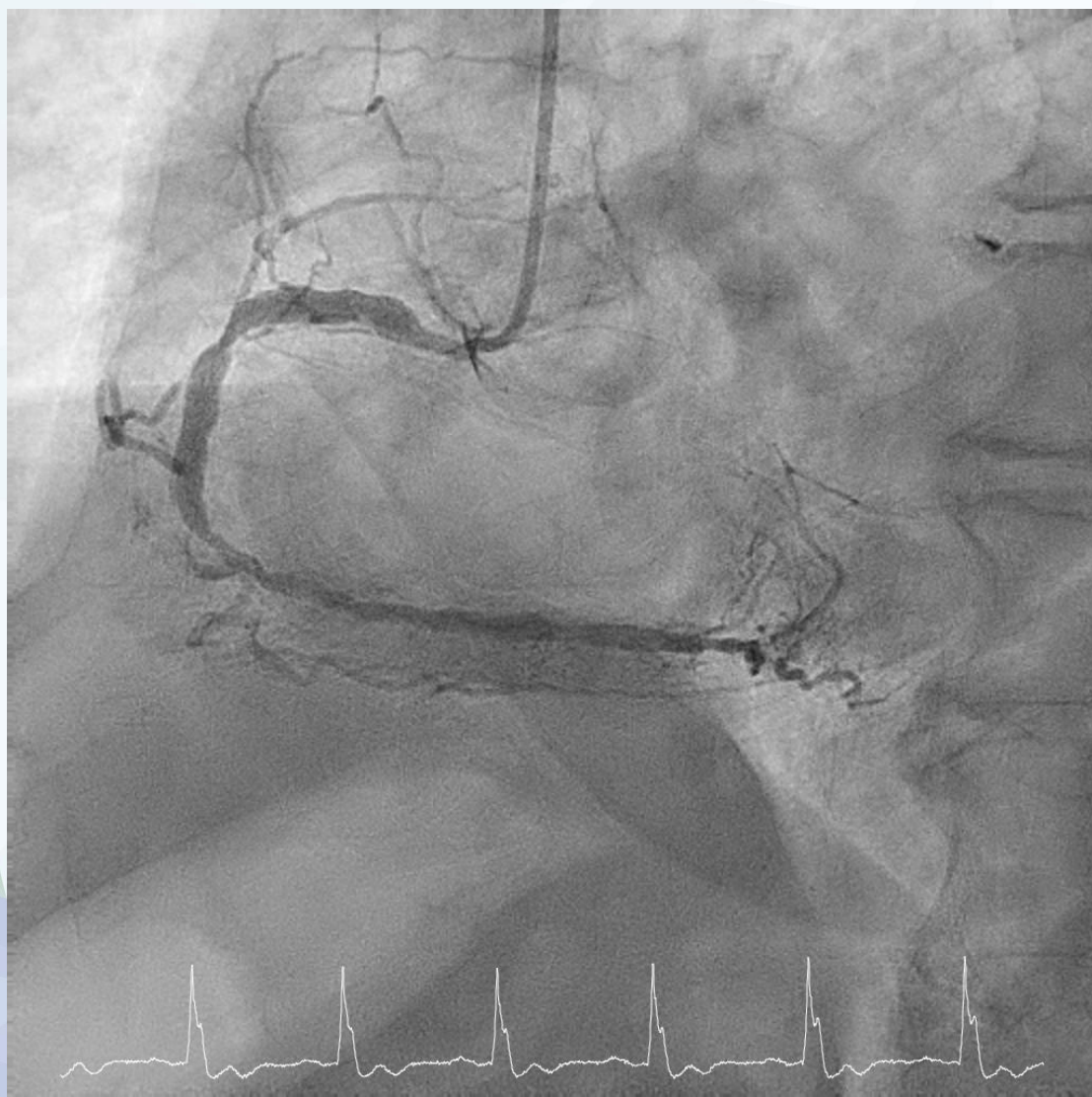


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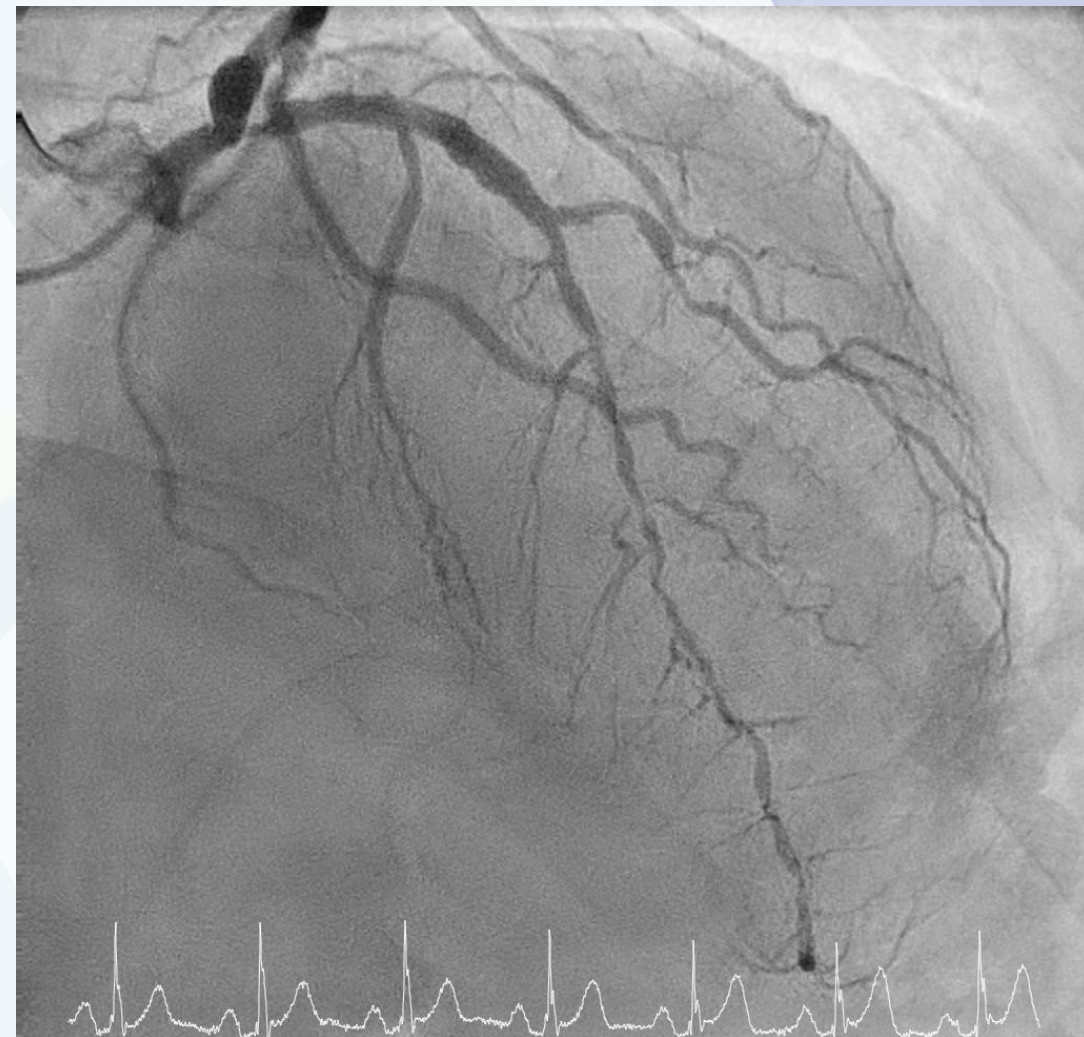
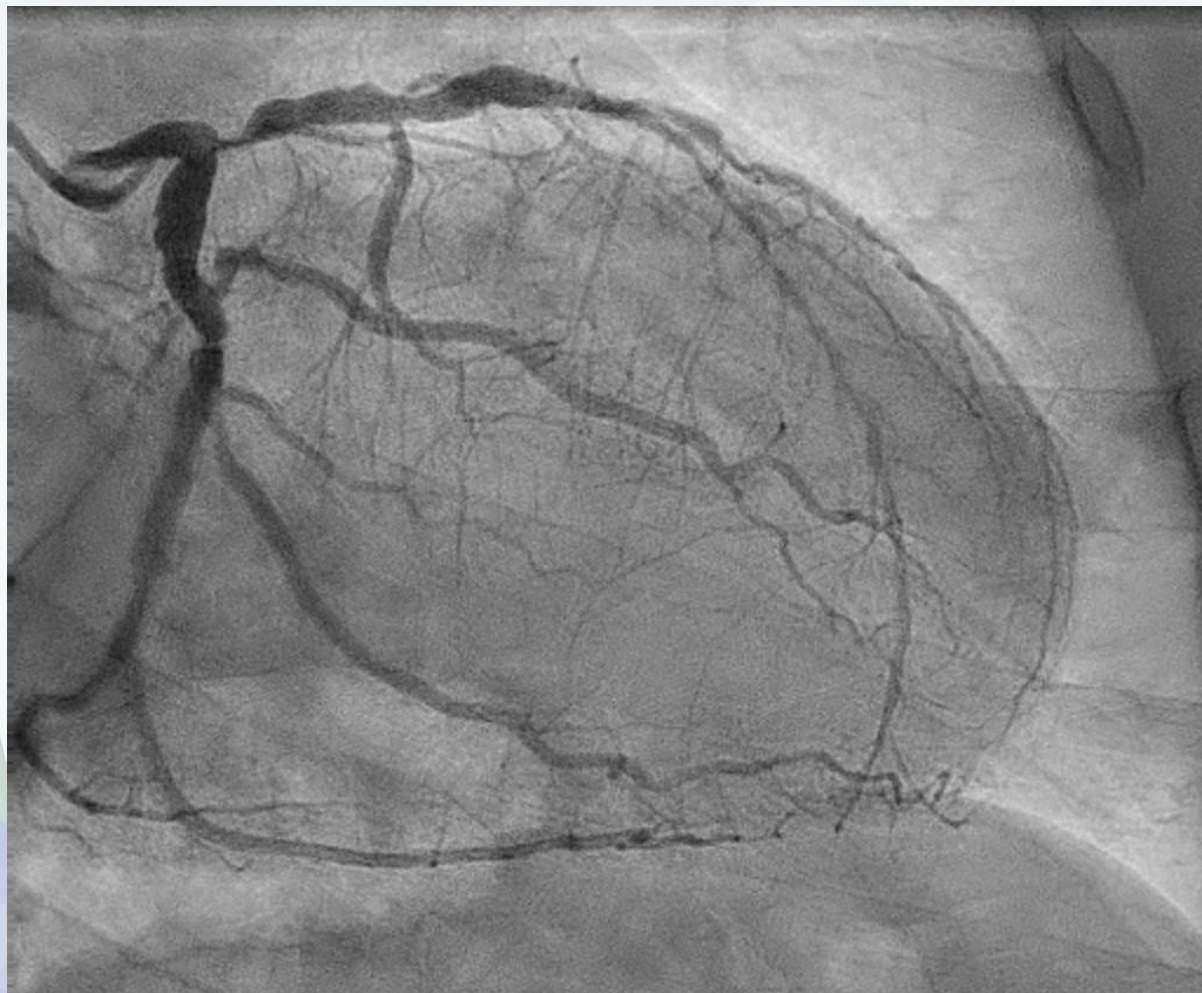


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- FRCV : HTA , DLP. Alergia contraste yodado.
- Dolor torácico atípico.
- PE: Clínicamente negativa. Eléctrica + (Infradesnivel ST V3-V6 alta carga) 98% FCMT
- TAC Coronario: Estenosis TC-DA ostial > 70% y en CD ostial > 70%. Cx ectasica estenosis moderada en tercio medio. OM2 prox. calcificación importante no descarta estenosis significativa.

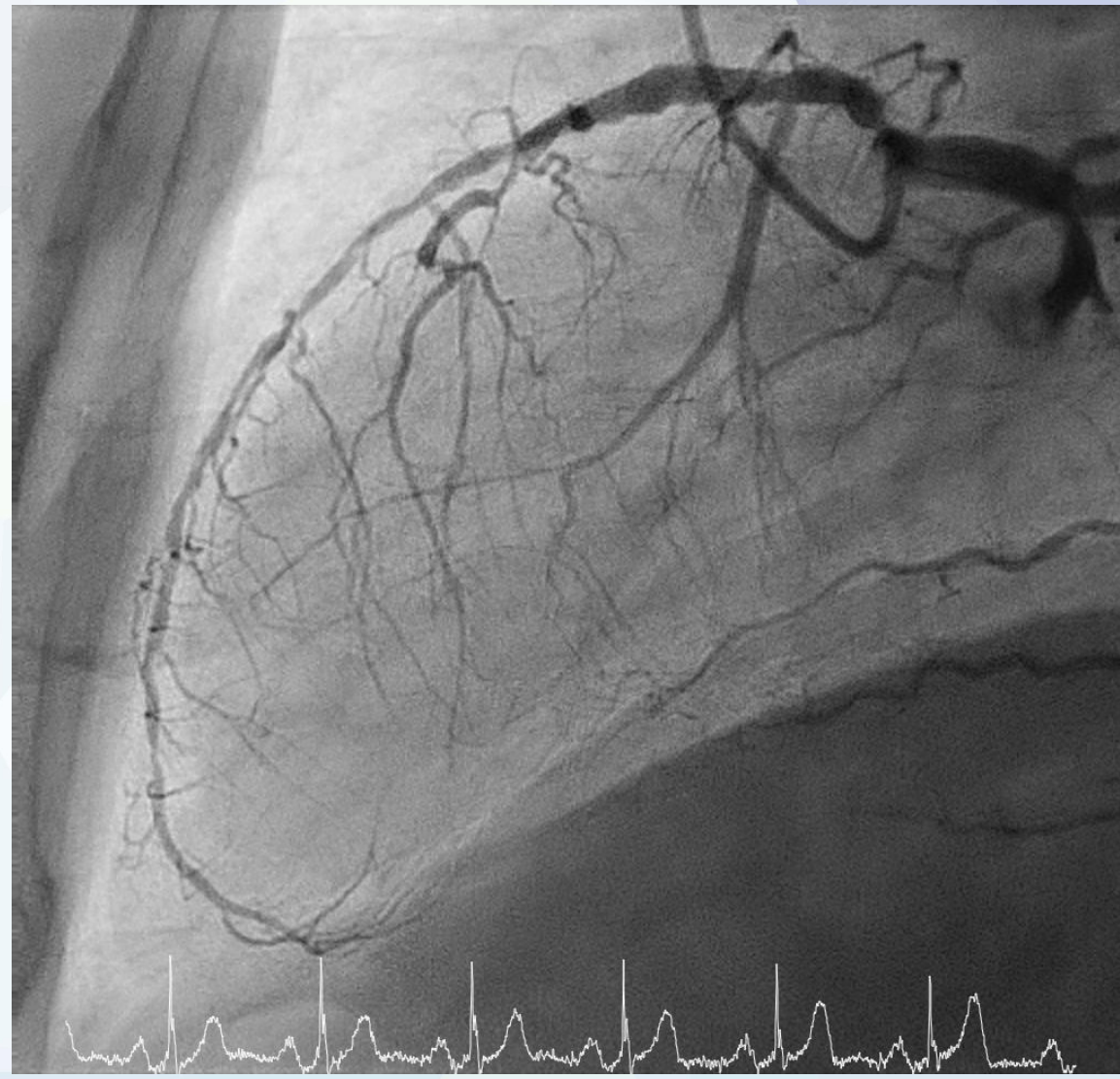
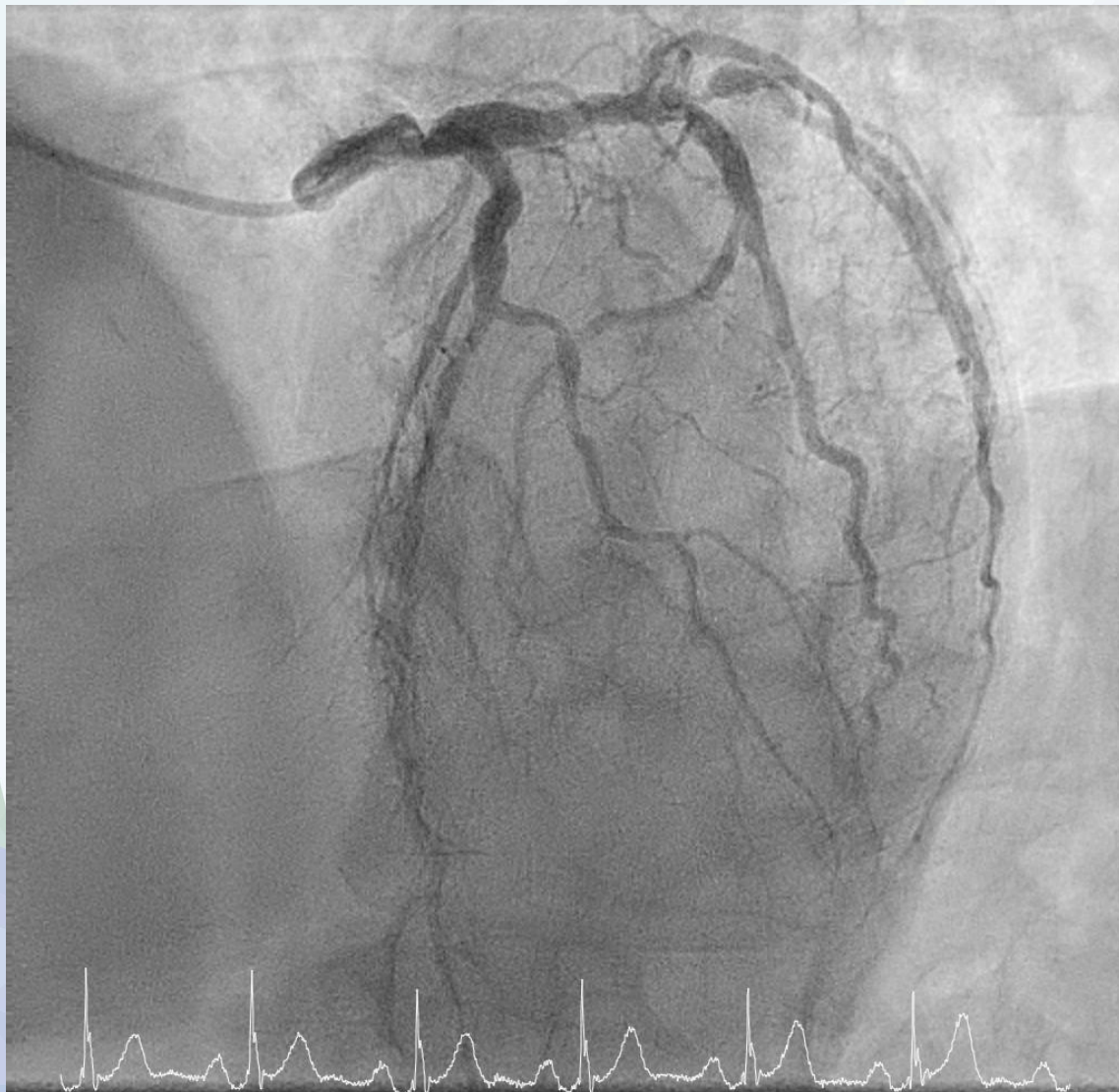
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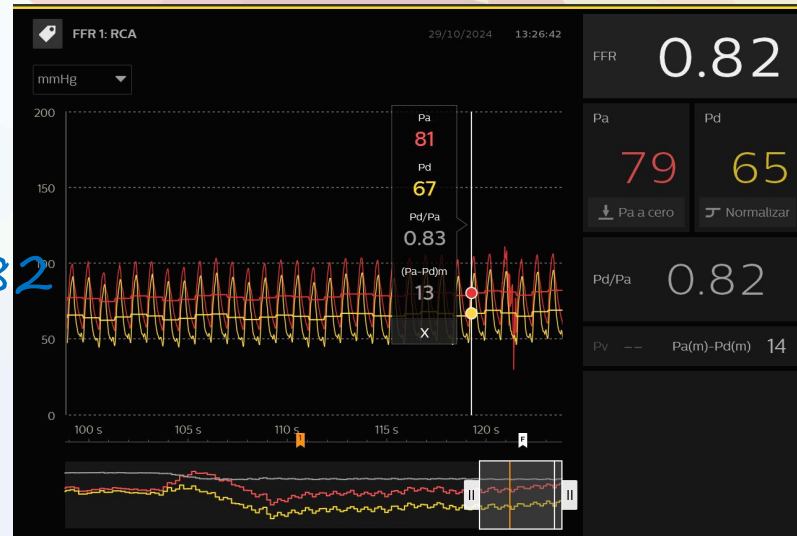
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Coronaria Derecha



iFR 0.97 - FFR : 0.82

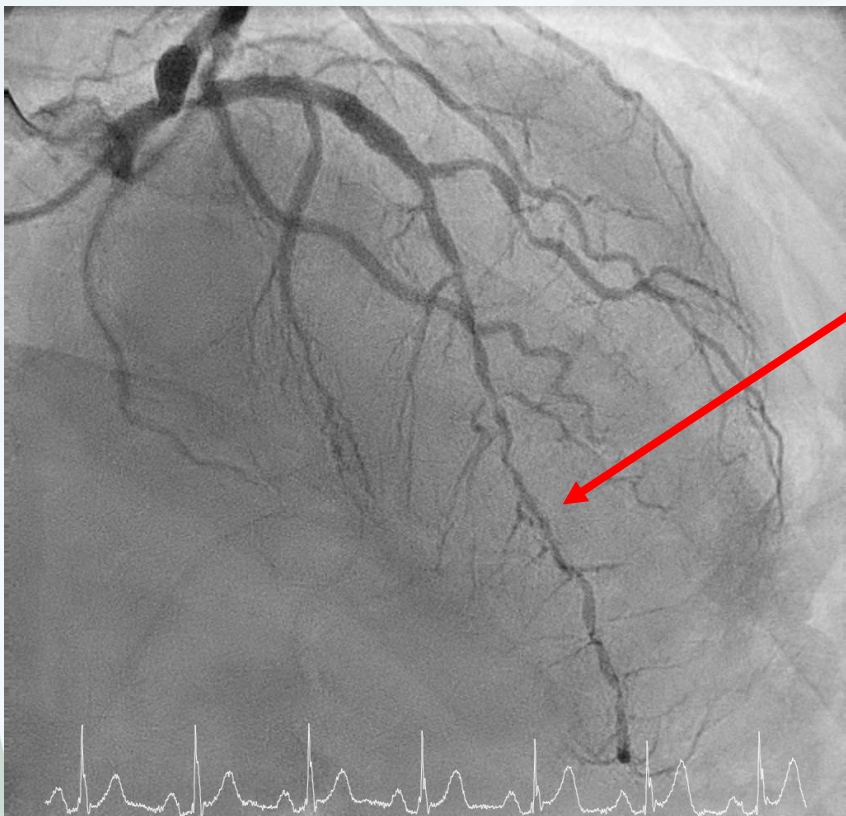


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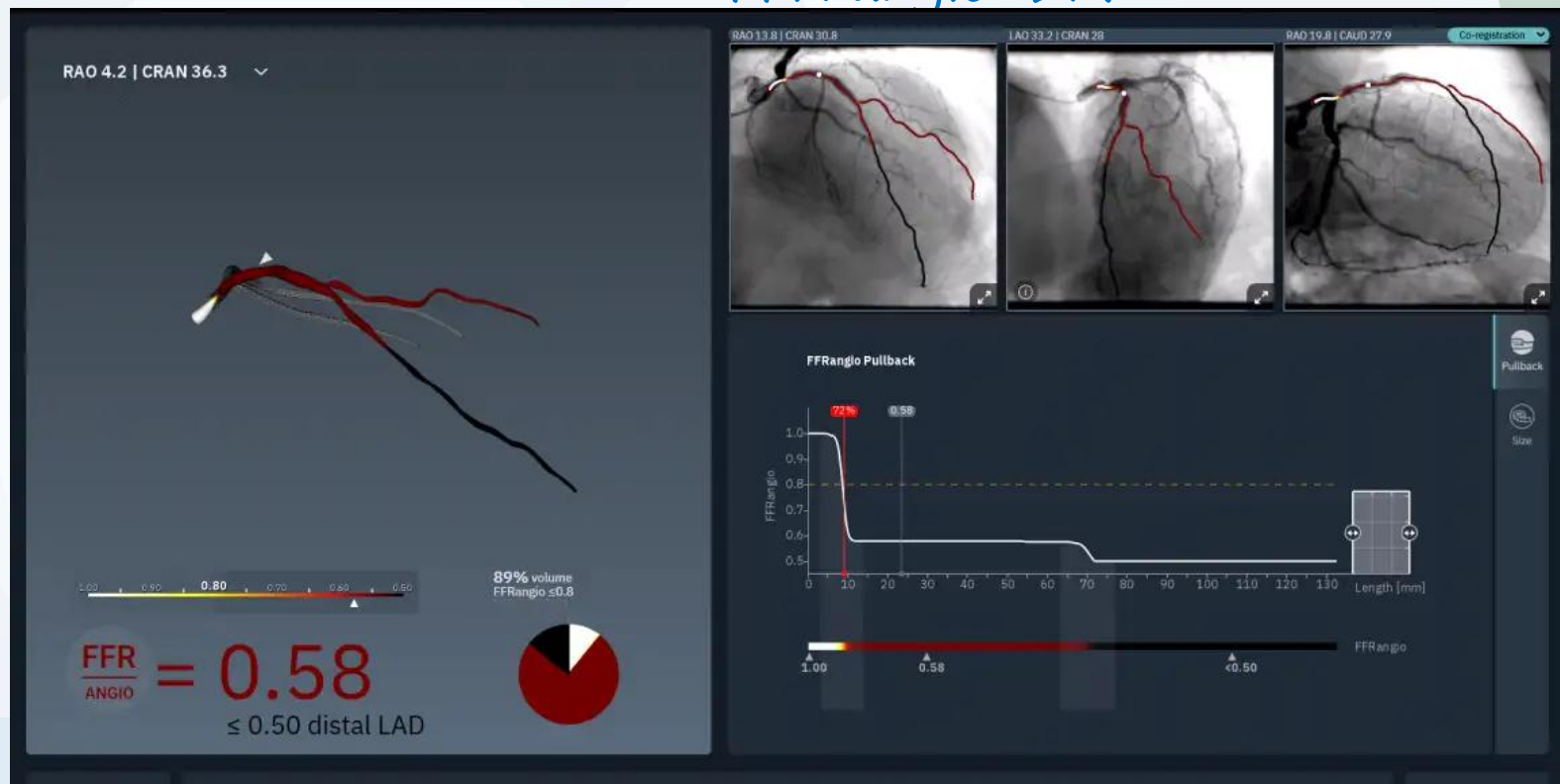


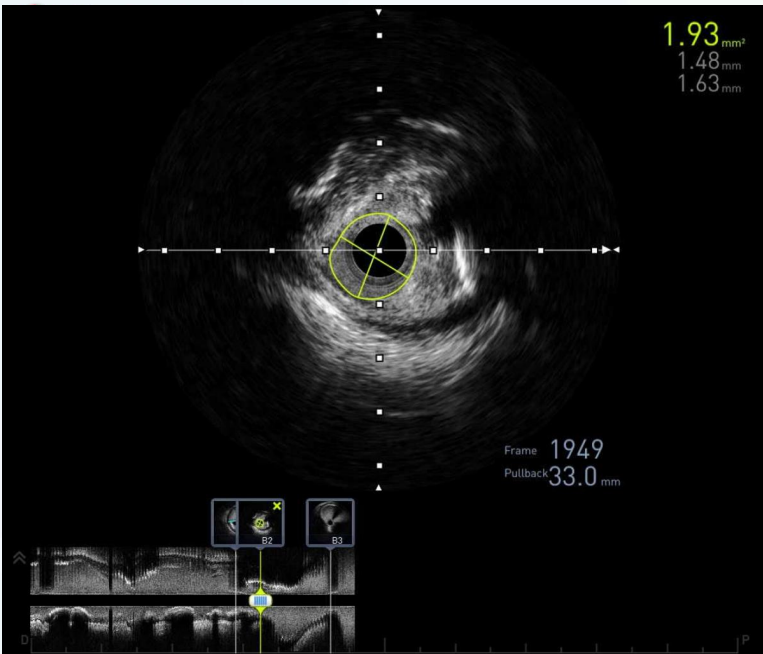
iFR : 0.66

Descendente Anterior

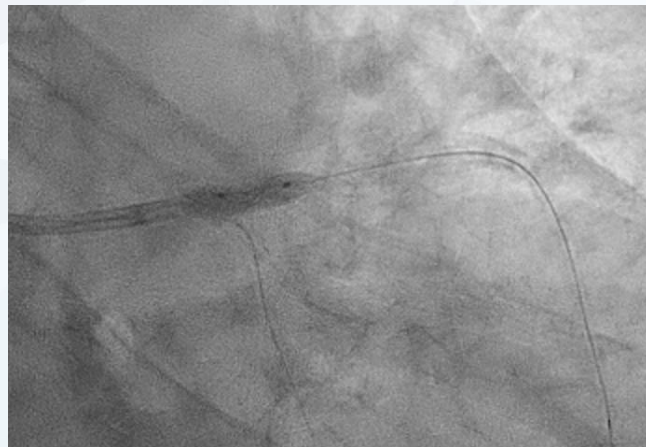


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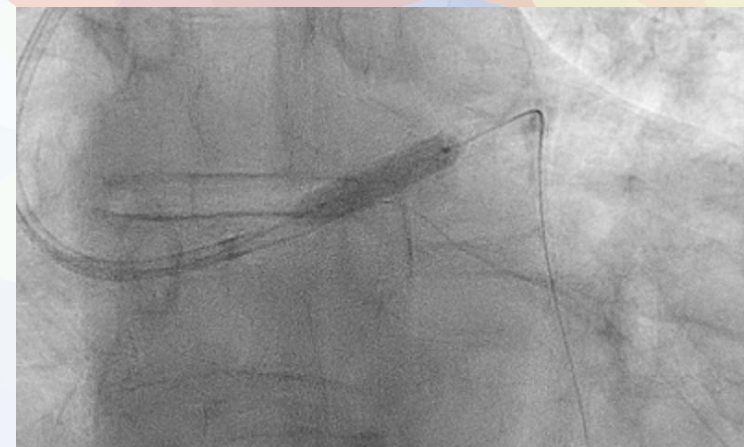




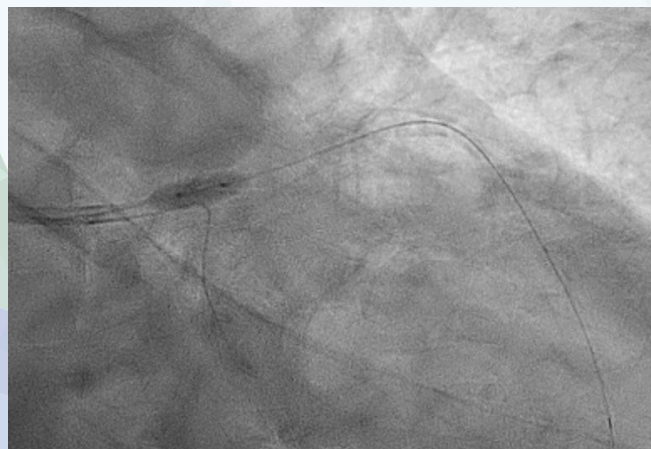
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Balón NC 4.0x10mm



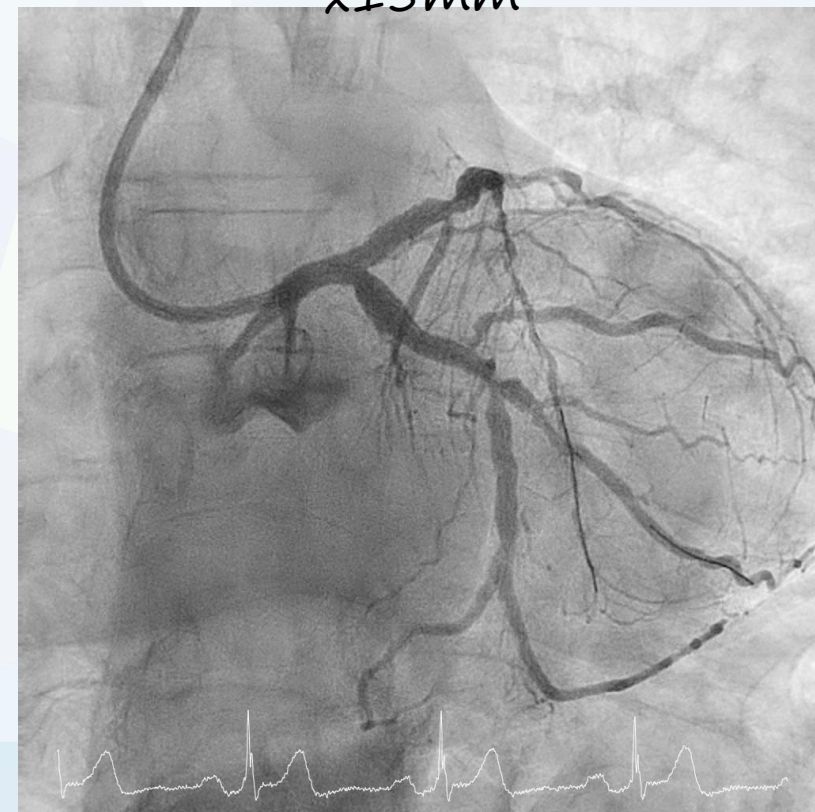
TC-DA Stent Onyx 4,5
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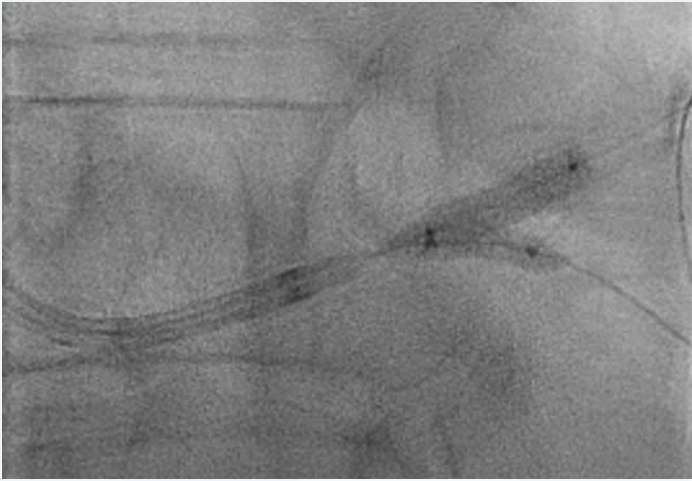
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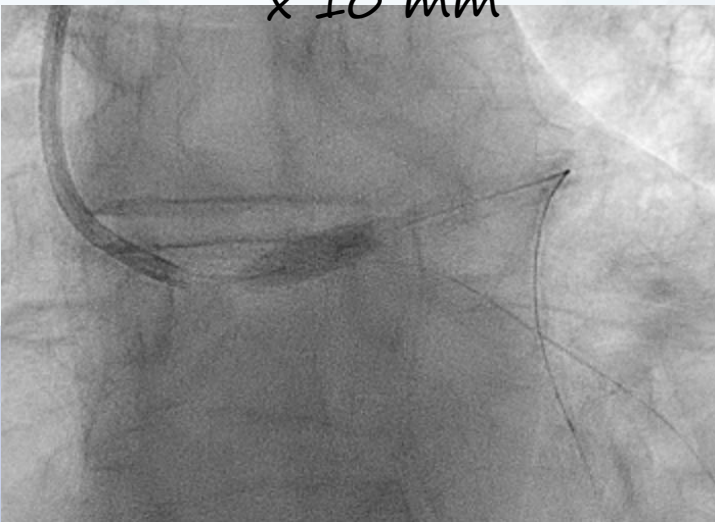
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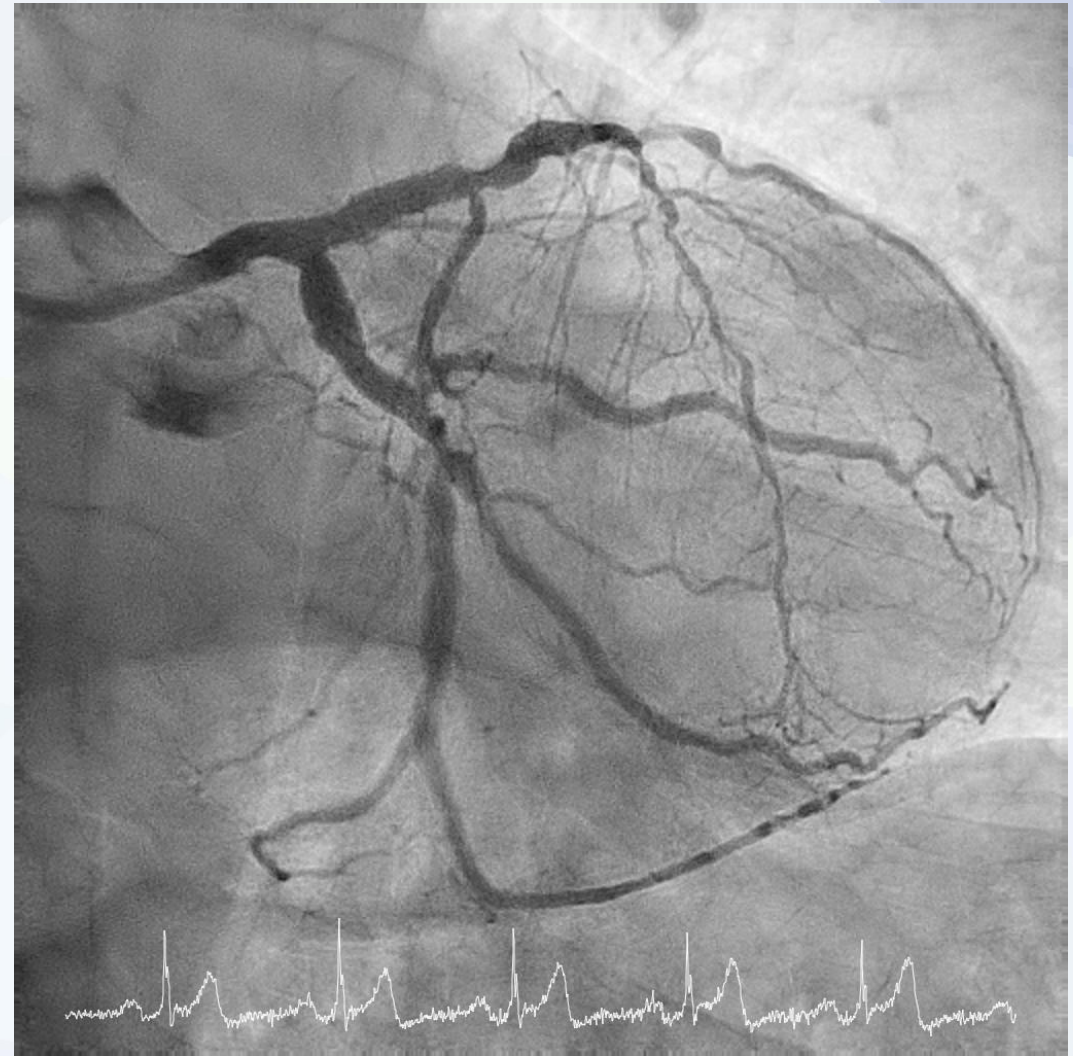
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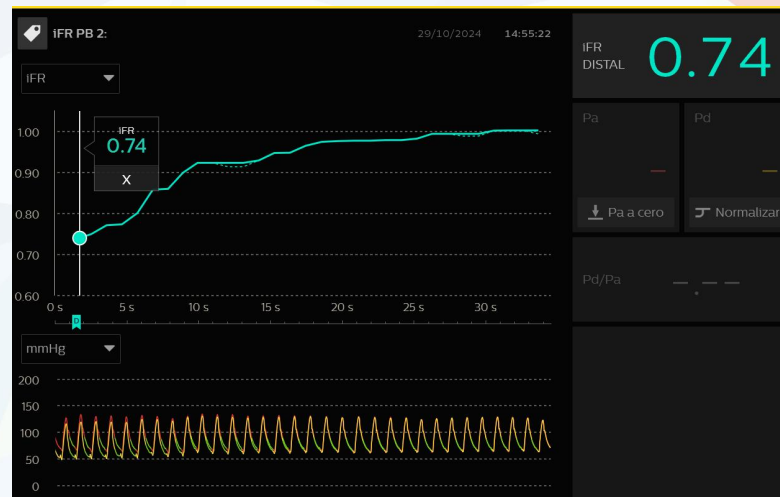


Kissing Balloon NC 4,5 x12 y 3,5
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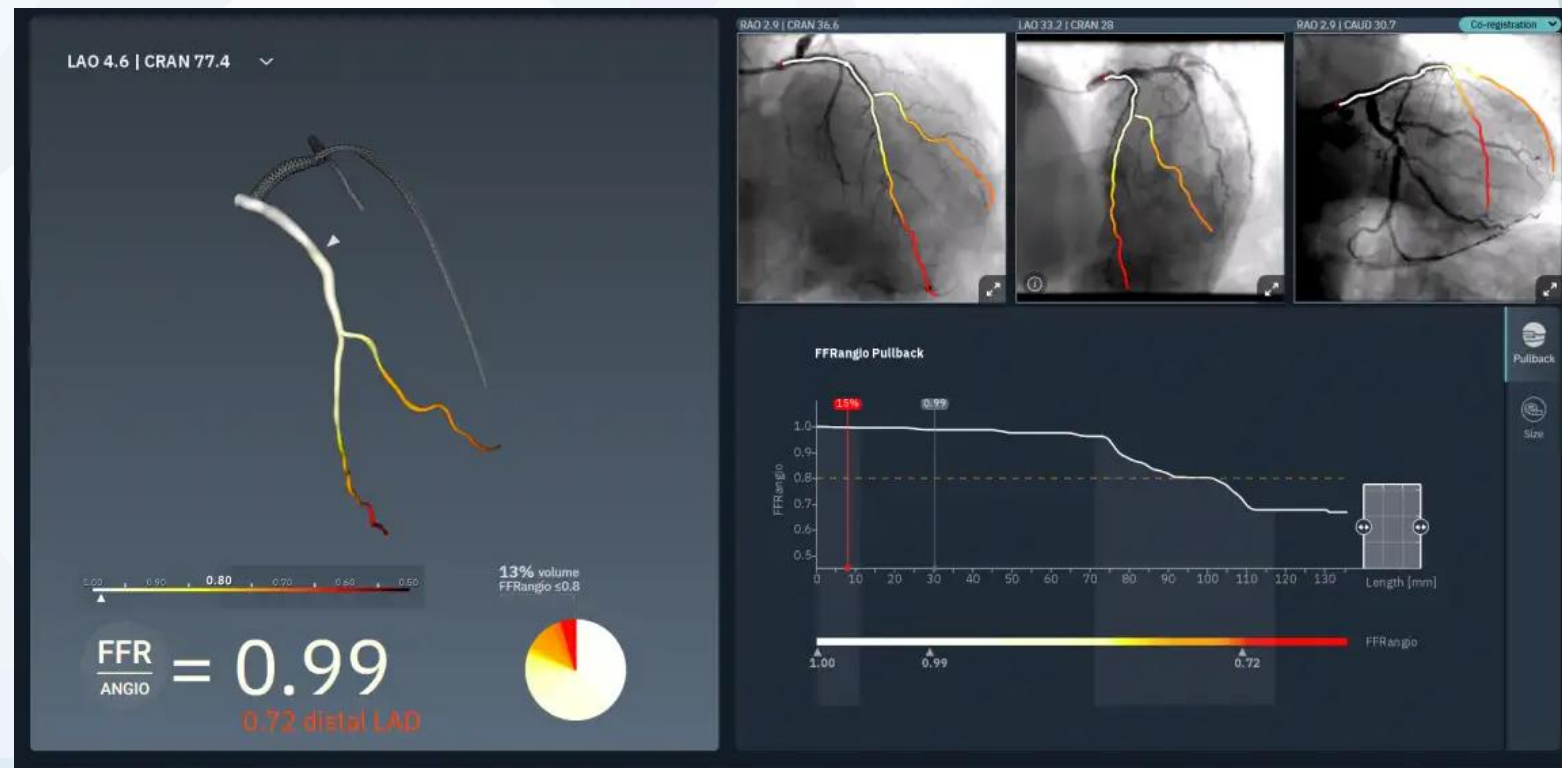
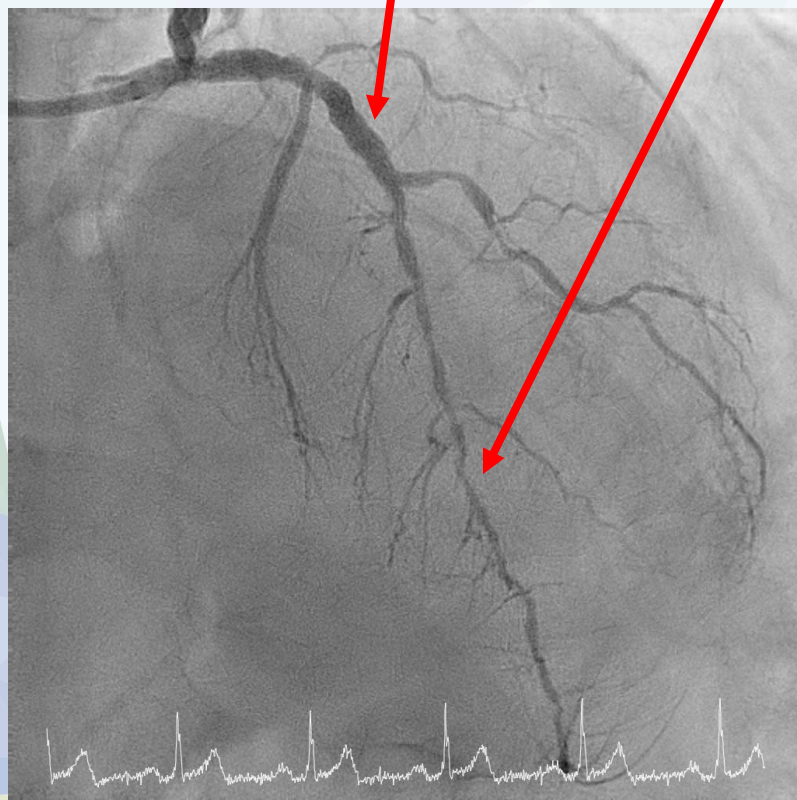


POT Balón NC 5,0 x 8





FFR angio:
DA post
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CONCLUSIONES

- CathWorks FFR Angio a demostrado una alta precision diagnóstica 92% en centros experimentados.
- FFR Angio contribuiría a simplificar el intervencionismo coronario:
 - Evita el uso de guías invasivas
 - Acorta tiempo de procedimiento
 - Podría disminuir costes.
- Faltan estudios randomizados para determinar si FFR-Angio puede recomendarse como herramienta diagnóstica, no inferior a la evaluación fisiológica invasiva en tratamiento enfermedad arterial coronaria.
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