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Histology Is a Big Key to Success in CTO-PCI

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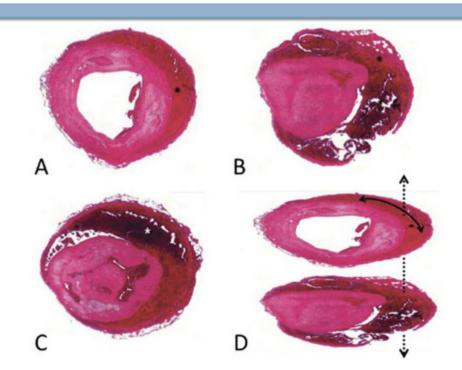
Why should we consider histology?

- CTO-PCI = Operator x Equipment x CTO lesion
 - Operator's Skill, and Strategy
 - Antegrade approach, retrograde approach
 - Single wire, Parallel wire
 - Retrograde wire cross, Kissing wire cross, CART, reverse CART
 - Equipment
 - Guiding catheter, micro catheter, wire, balloon, stent, etc.
 - CTO lesion itself
 - All CTO lesions are not same.
 - How serious to understand CTO lesion?

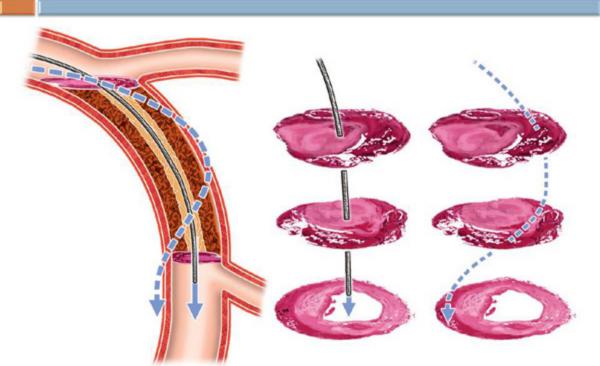
Key points in Histology

- Intimal plaque / subintimal space
 - Intimal plaque tracking, subintimal tracking
 - » Key to success of wire cross
- Micro-channel/Loose tissue
 - Loose tissue tracking
 - » Wire selection handling

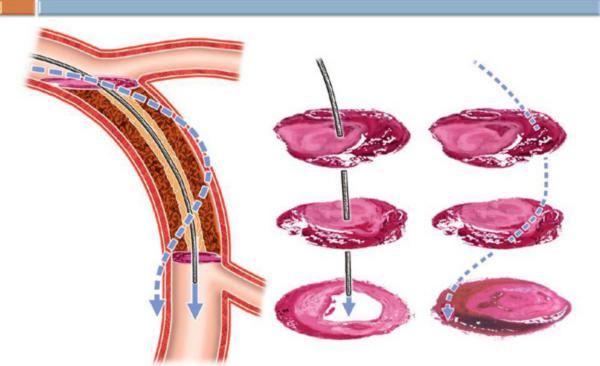
Feature of Subintima



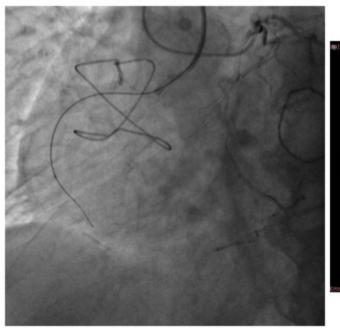
Subintimal tracking in antegrade

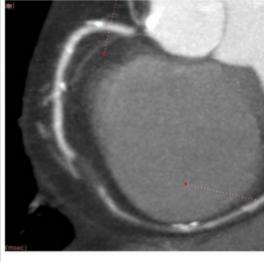


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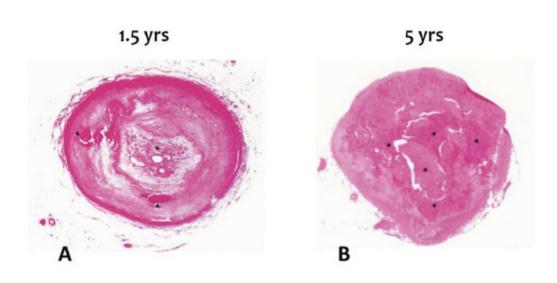


CT for intimal plaque tracking

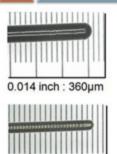




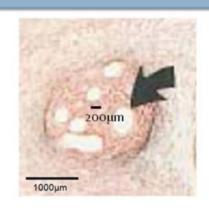
Typical young and aged CTO

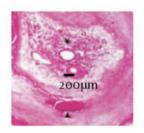


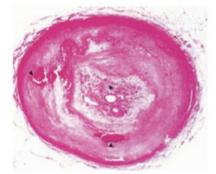
Loose Tissue / Micro-channel



0.009 inch : 230µm







Loose Tissue / Micro-channel

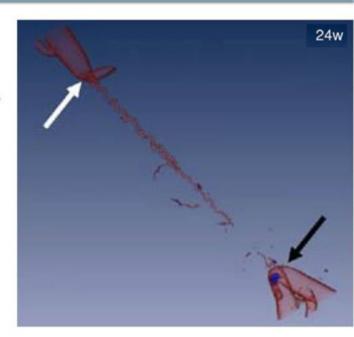
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Loose Tissue / Micro-channel

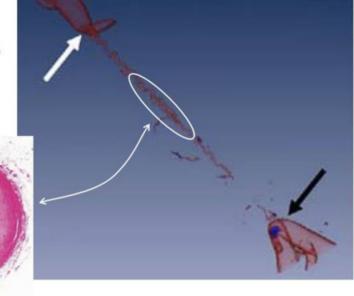
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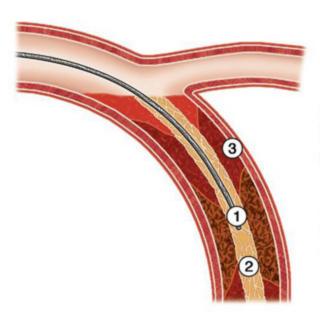
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Concept of "Loose Tissue Tracking"

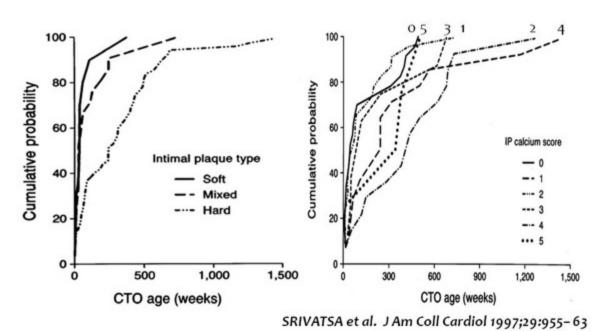


- ① wire-tip force
- 2 resistance in loose tissue
- ③ resistance in plaque

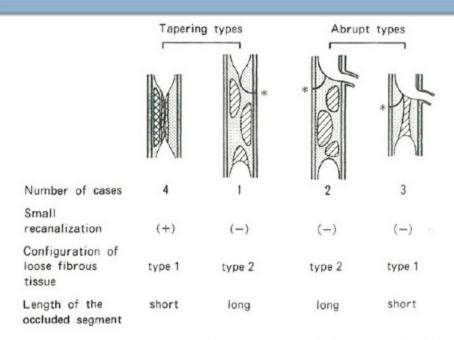
If we can control

②< ① < ③, wire might easily pass CTO.

Histopathological features of CTO

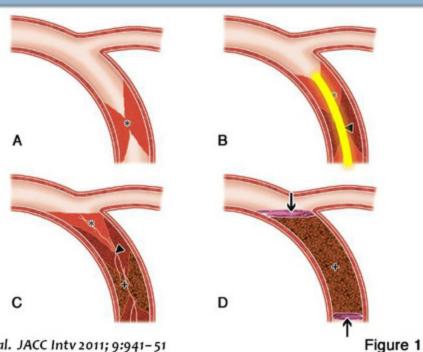


Histopathological features of CTO



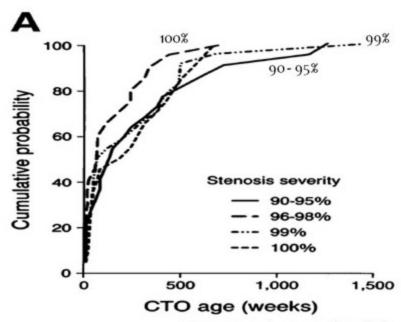
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Progression of CTO



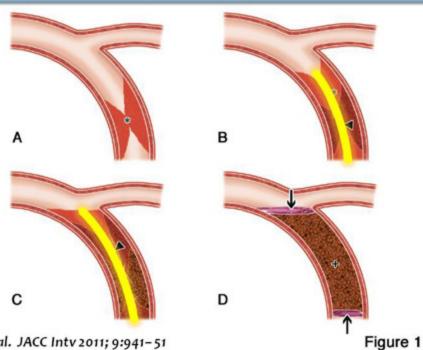
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Histopathologic features of CTO



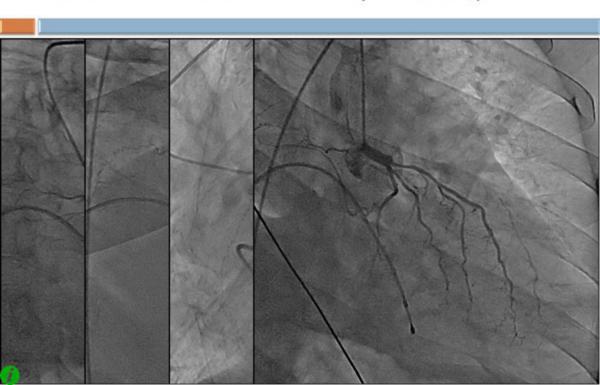
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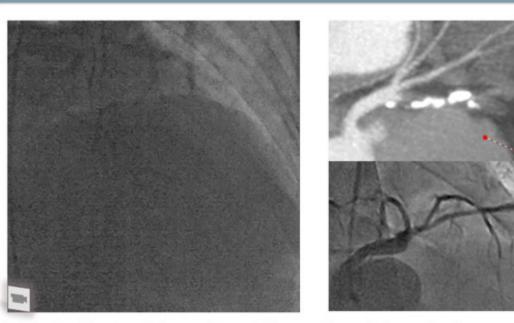
Case: occluded LAD (2008/6/14)



Heart CT (2008/6/25)

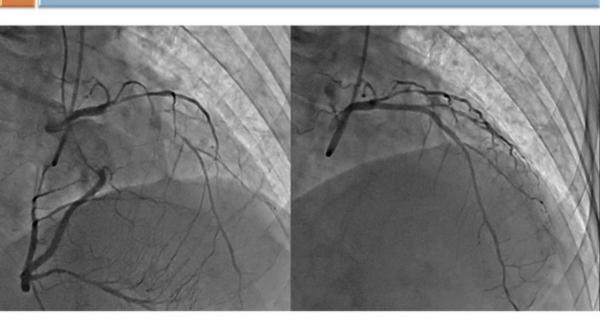


Loose Tissue Tracking

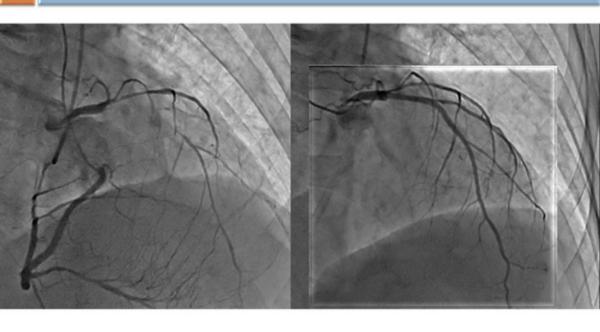


Wire looks like tracking soft part (loose tissue) in occlusion.

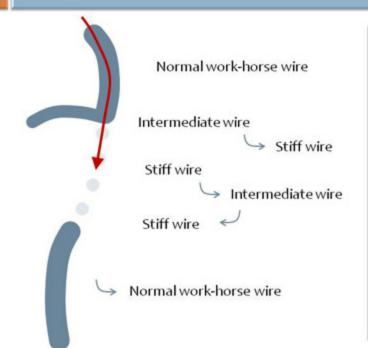
Wire cross for easy total occlusion



Wire cross for easy total occlusion



PCI CTO wire selection & handling antegrade approach

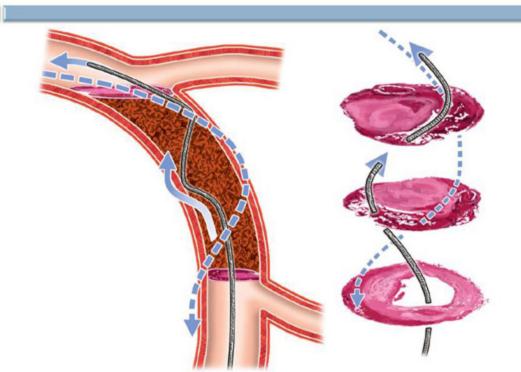


Careful wire control to get dimple of CTO entry

Drill or Controlled drill

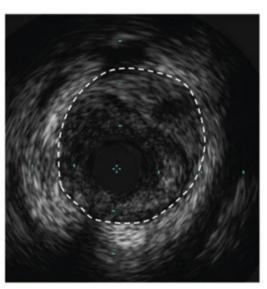
Controlled wire manipulation (needs controllable wire)

Subintimal tracking in retrograde

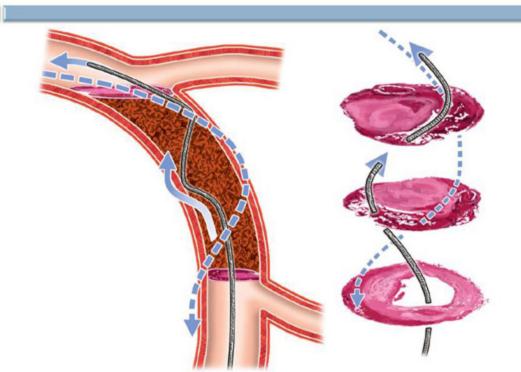


Subintima: histopathology vs. IVUS

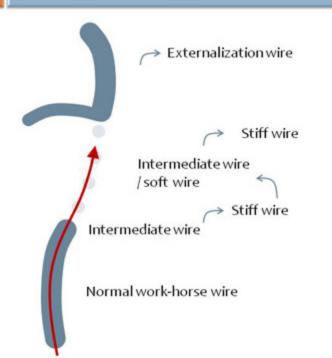




Subintimal tracking in retrograde

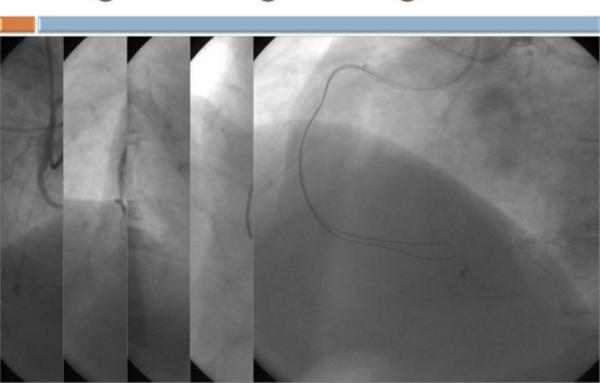


PCI CTO wire selection & handling retrograde approach

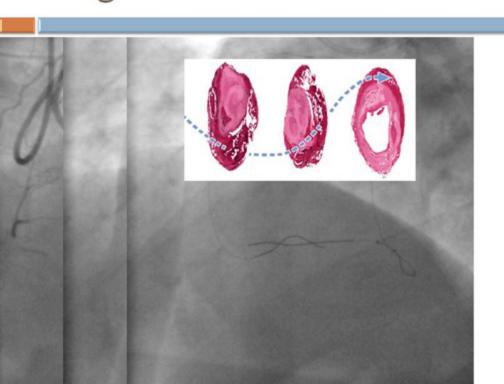


Intentional wire cross Polymer Jacket wire Intermediate wire with Drilling or Knuckle technique Careful wire control not to perforate

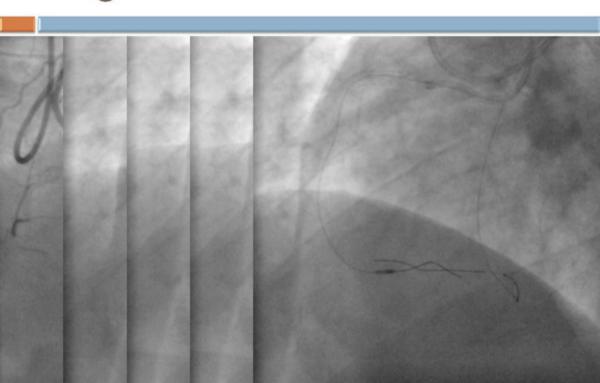
Diagnostic Angio & Stage 1 PCI



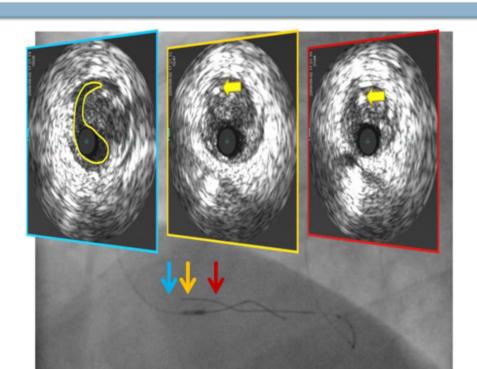
Stage 2 RETRO CTO PCI



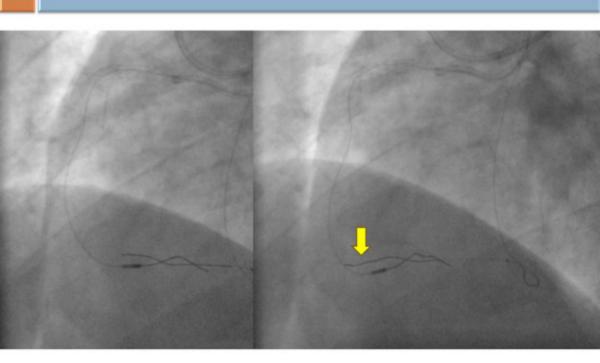
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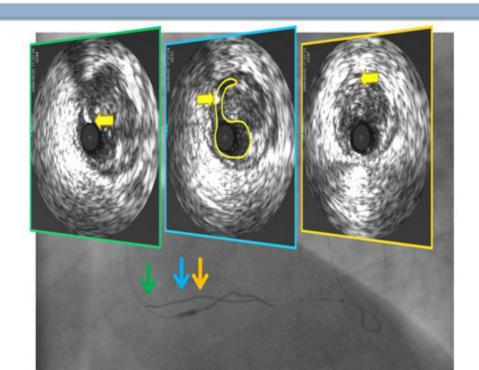
IVUS in reverse CART



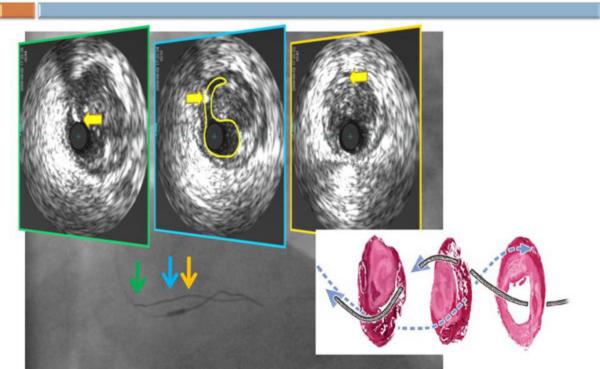
RETRO wire cross to prox. true lumen



IVUS after little advancing RETRO wire



IVUS after little advancing RETRO wire



Procedure & Final Result



Fundamental Wire Technique and Current Standard Strategy of Percutaneous Intervention for Chronic Total Occlusion With Histopathological Insights

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Currently, successful treatment of chronic total occlusion (CTO) seems markedly improved, due to several new techniques and dedicated device developments. However, this improved success rate is often limited to procedures performed by skilled, highly experienced operators. To improve the overall success rate of percutaneous coronary intervention of CTO from a worldwide perspective, a deeper understanding of CTO histopathology might offer insights into the development of new techniques and procedural strategies. In this review, CTO histopathology and wire techniques are discussed on the basis of the fundamental concepts of antegrade and retrograde approaches. Although details pertaining to wire manipulation are very difficult to explain objectively, we tried to describe this as best as possible in this article. Finally, a systematic review of the current standard CTO strategy is provided. Hopefully, this article will enhance the understanding of this complex procedure and, consequently, promote safe and effective CTO-percutaneous coronary intervention for patients who present with this challenging lesion subset.

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Summary

- Because CTO-PCI consist of physician, equipment, and lesion, we must know CTO lesion with histologic aspect.
- In CTO histology, "intimal plaque vs. subintimal space" and "loose tissue including microchannels" are most important for CTO-PCI.
- With understanding of those, CTO-PCI can be more logic, reproducible, and successful.