A Thrombotic Left Main Aneurysm

A Case of a Successful Recanalization of AMI Caused by Thrombus in a Giant Aneurysm on Left Main Coronary Artery

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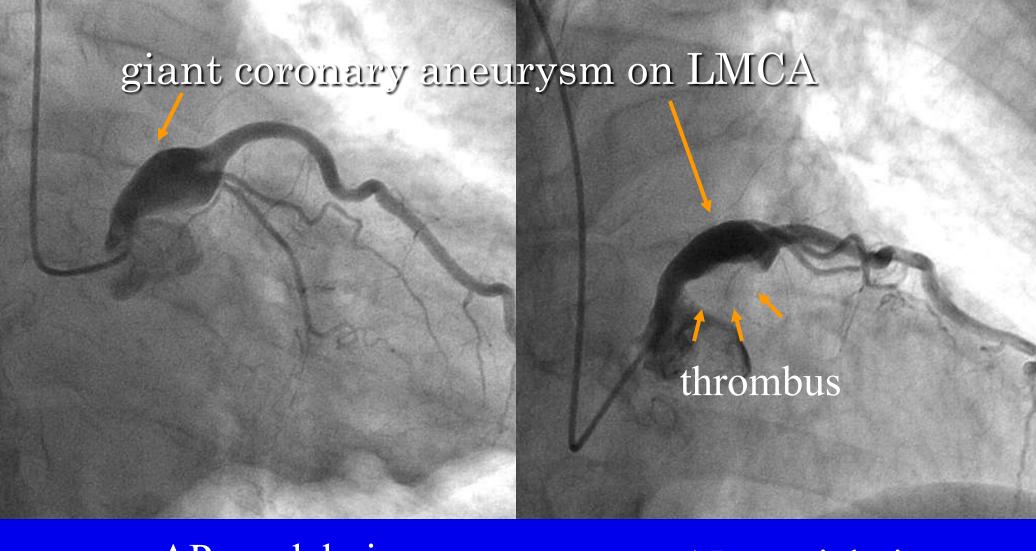
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Case 69y.o. female

A 69-year-old woman visited our hospital because of a chest pain.

ECG showed an ST elevation in leads V1 to V6, Echocardiography revealed akinesis on the antero-septal wall.

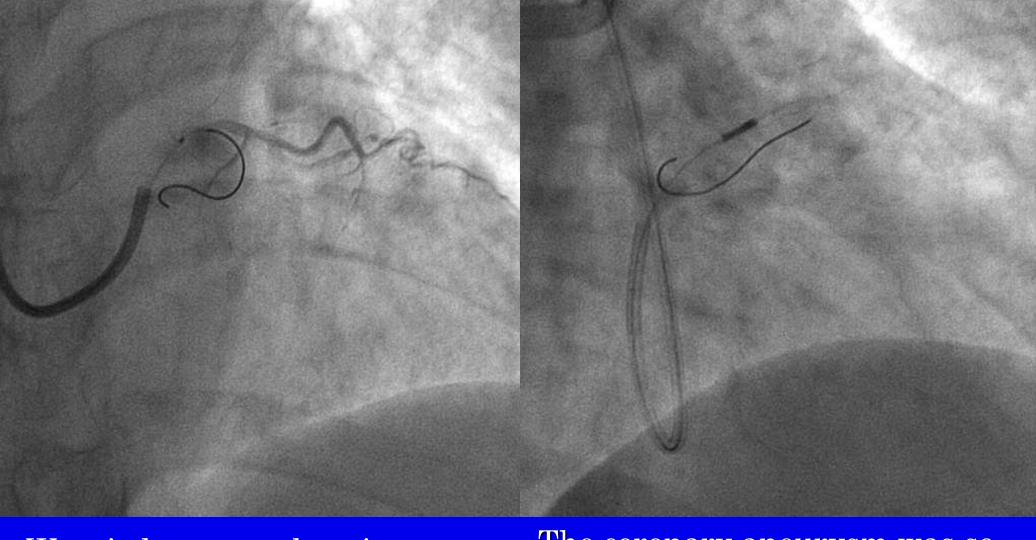
Emergent CAG revealed a giant coronary aneurysm on left main coronary artery (LMCA). The ostium of LAD was completely occuluded, so we performed PCI



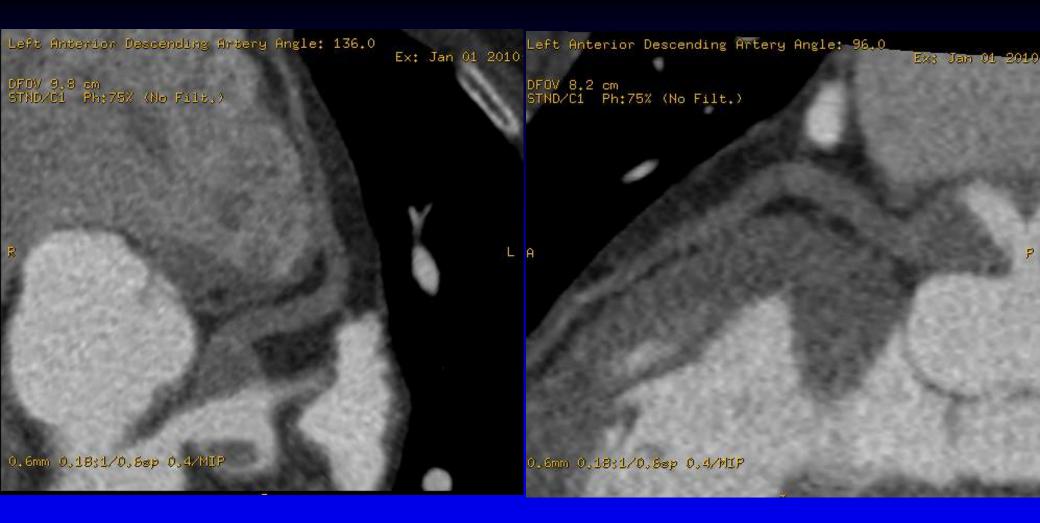
AP caudal view

AP cranial view

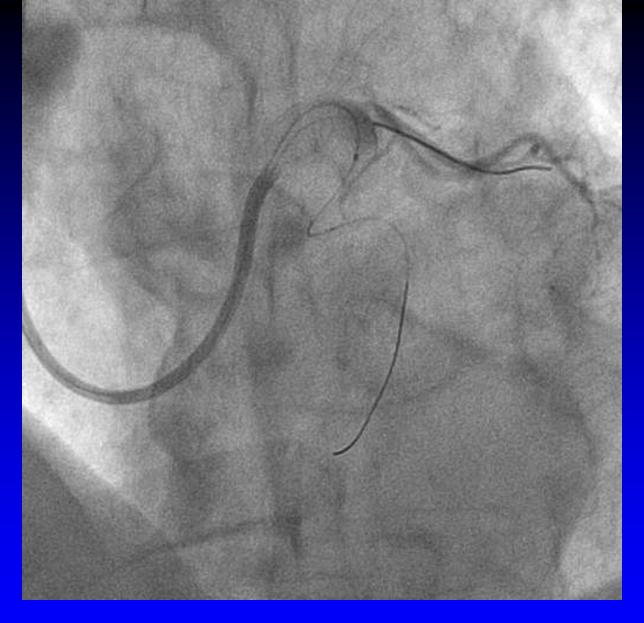
From rt. radial approach Guiding catheter RoadmasterKB JL35(6Fr) Micro catheter Finecross, Crusade Wire BMW, RunthroughNS, SION Athlete eel slender, whisper Balloon Lacrosse2.5×15, OZMA3.5×15 Aspiration catheter Thrombuster III GR, Dio



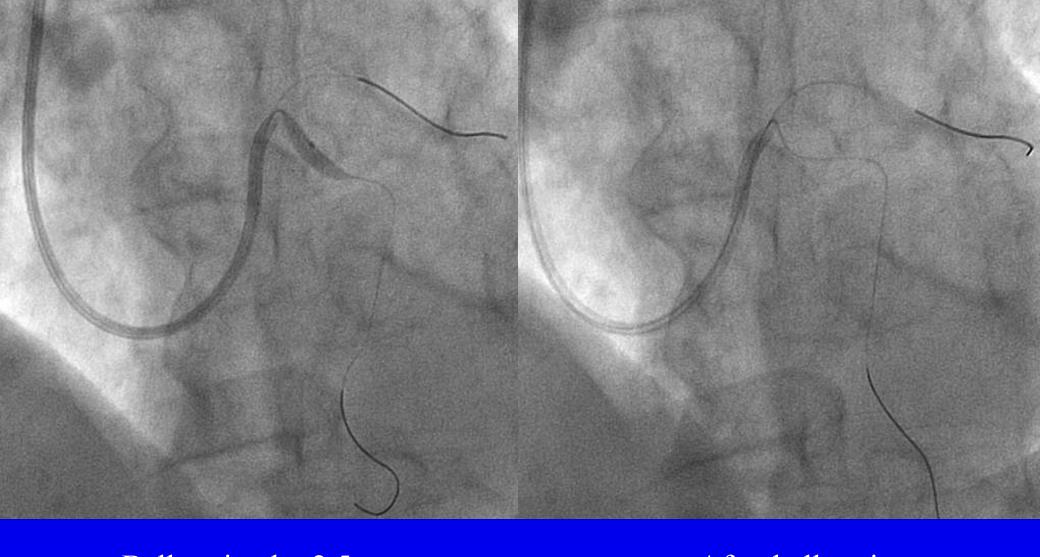
We tried to cross the wire to the LAD but we could not find the entry of LAD. The coronary aneurysm was so large that we could not detect the entry to the LAD by IVUS



So we performed a coronary CT to locate the entry of LAD.

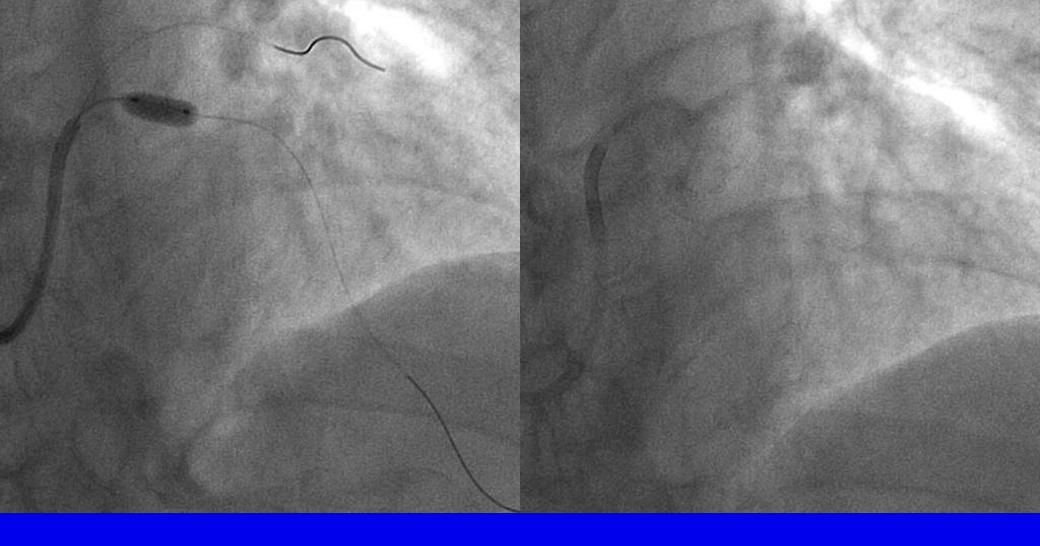


We finally succeeded in crossing the wire to LAD



Ballooning by 2.5mm

After ballooning



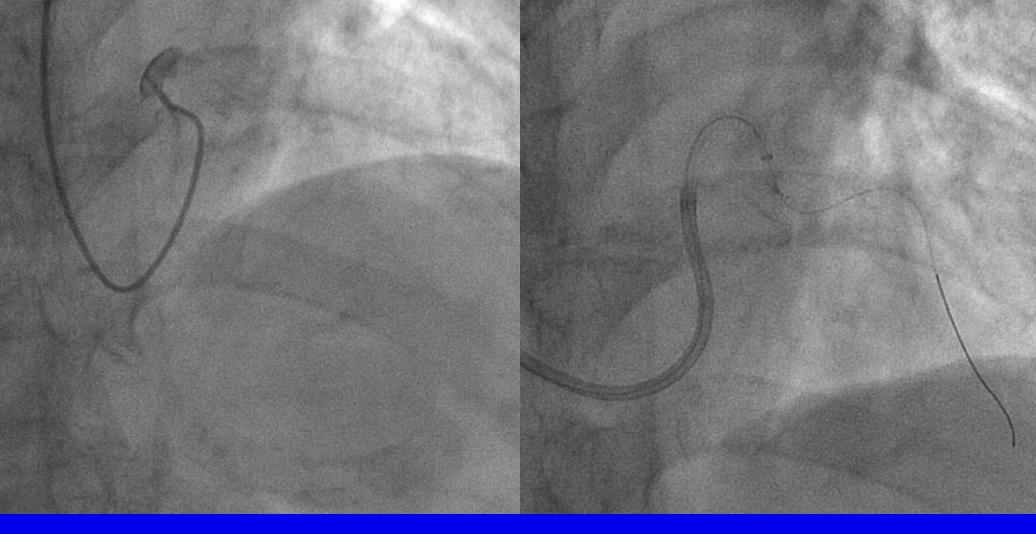
DRIVER 4.0×9mm to the proximal LAD

Final angiogram

After this operation we obtained flow in the LAD but we could not completely dismiss the LMCA thrombus.

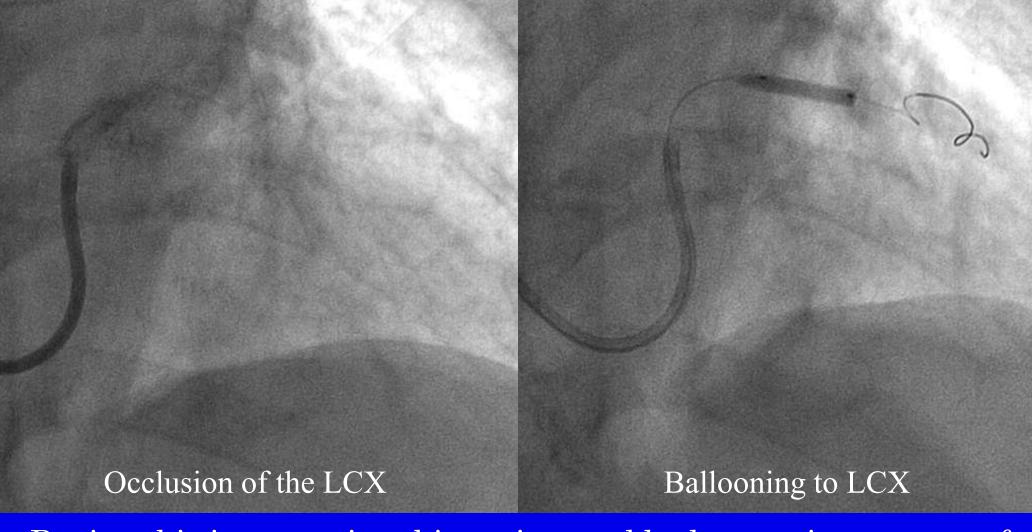
The patient became free from chest pain and was admitted to the CCU.

A few hours after the first PCI, the patient once again started to experience a chest pain.

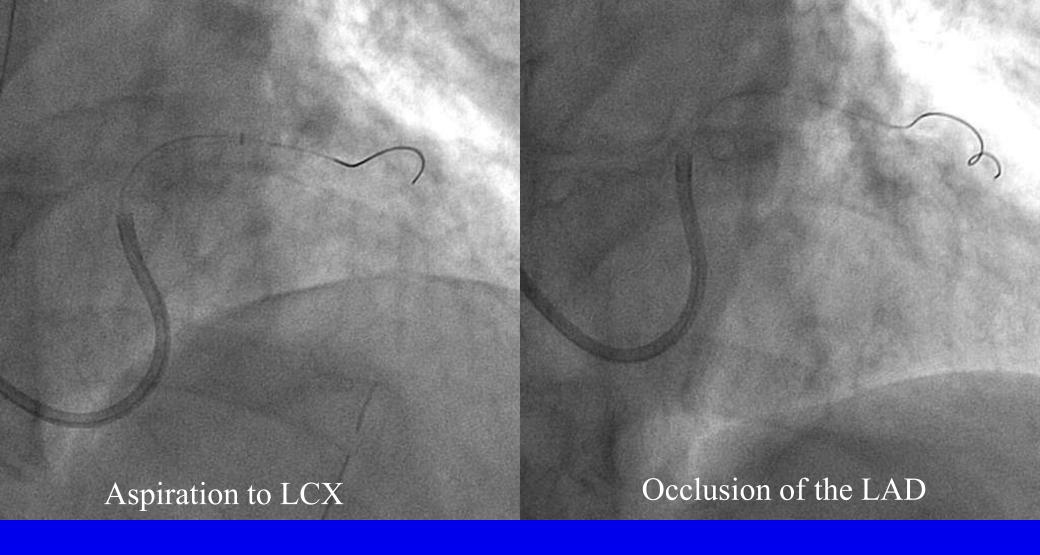


Emergency CAG was performed and we discovered slow flow in the LAD.

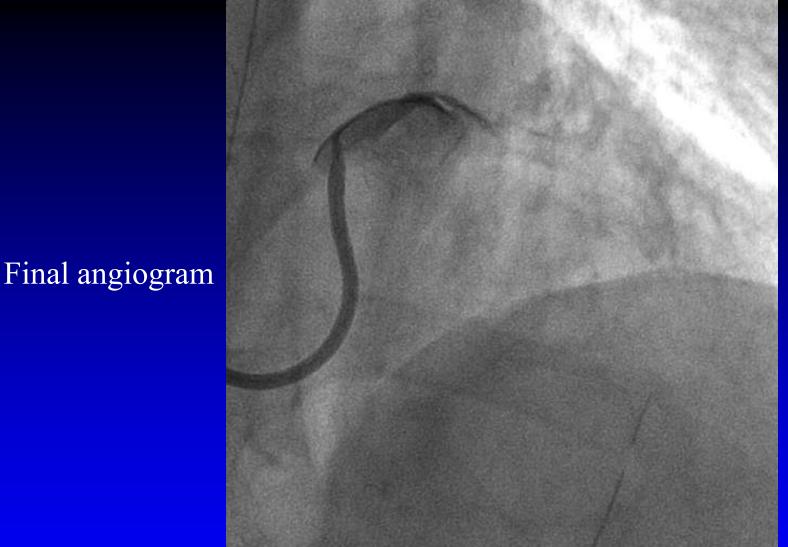
We tried to aspirate the LMCA thrombus



During this intervention this patient suddenly went into a state of shock. CAG revealed the occlusion of the ostium LCX due to the floated thrombus from the LMCA aneurysm.



We immediately used PCPS and IABP, and aspiration and POBA were repeatedly performed to the LAD and the LCX.

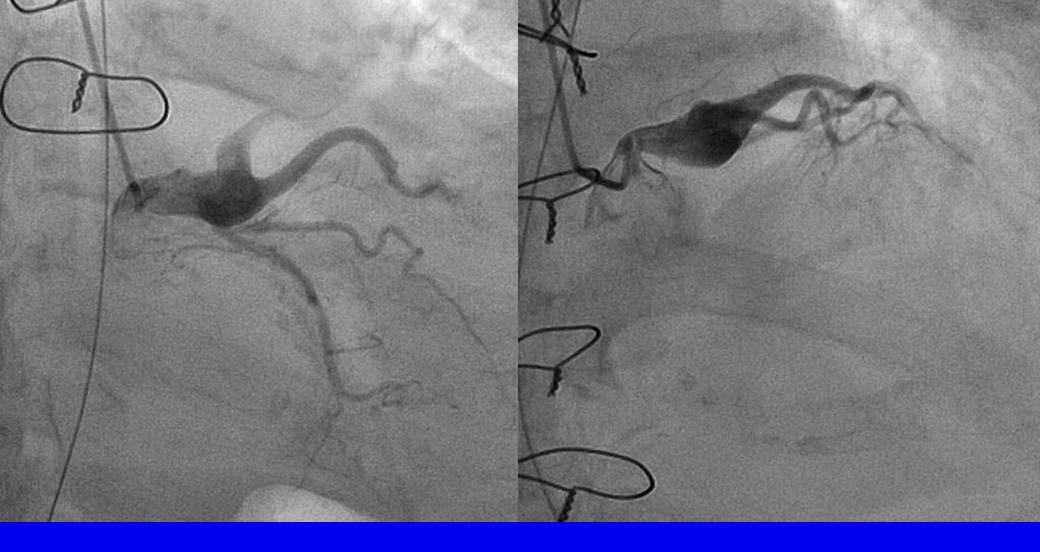


We could restore the flow in both vessels but we could not remove the LMCA thrombus completely.

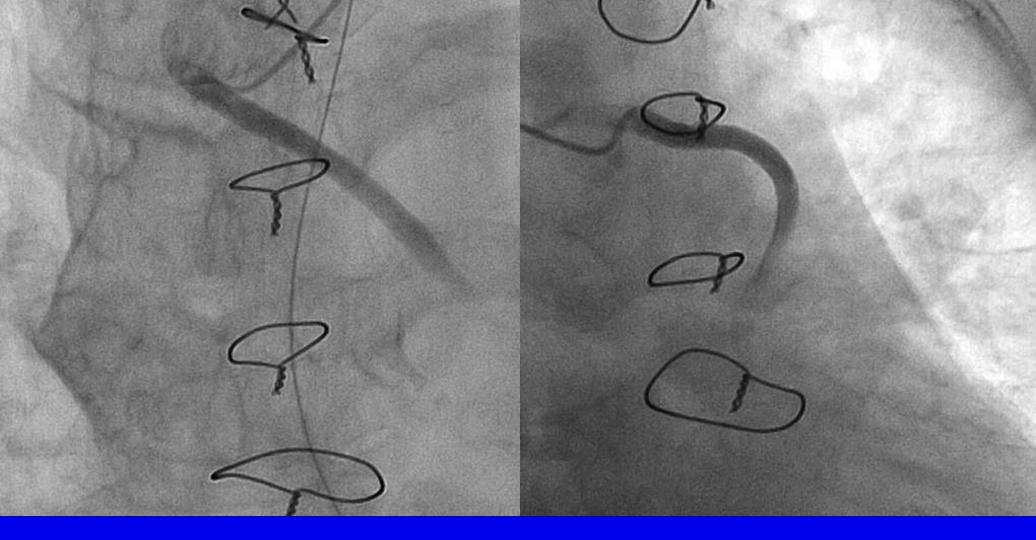


Angiogram

CABG was performed 2 days later.



The LMCA thrombus has disappeared 2 months after CABG



SVG-LAD SVG-LCX

2 months after CABG