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# DCB : UNA ALTERNATIVA AL STENT SISTEMÁTICO ?

## DCB: Consideraciones generales

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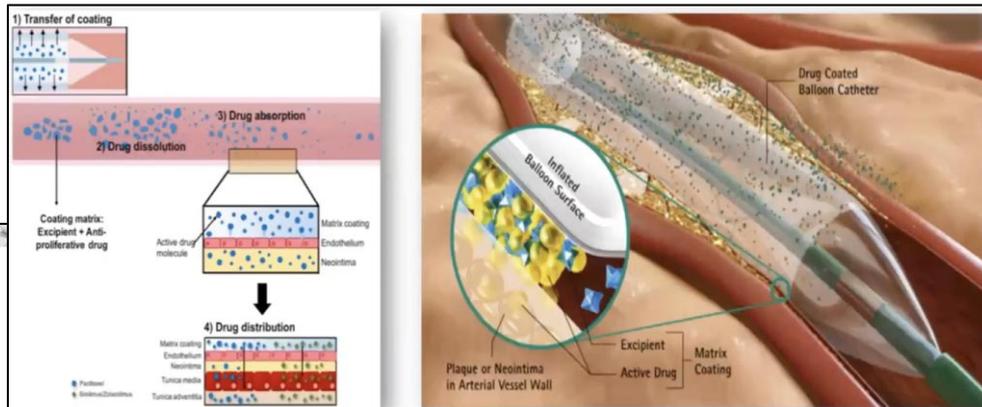
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# DCB CARACTERISTICAS



**OPTIMAL NAVIGATION**  
High pushability, great visibility and trackability

**SAFE AND PRECISE**  
Proprietary nanotechnology dosage system for **minimum drug loss** during navigation and **lower stress** during expansion

**TransferTech**  
Last generation nanotechnology.

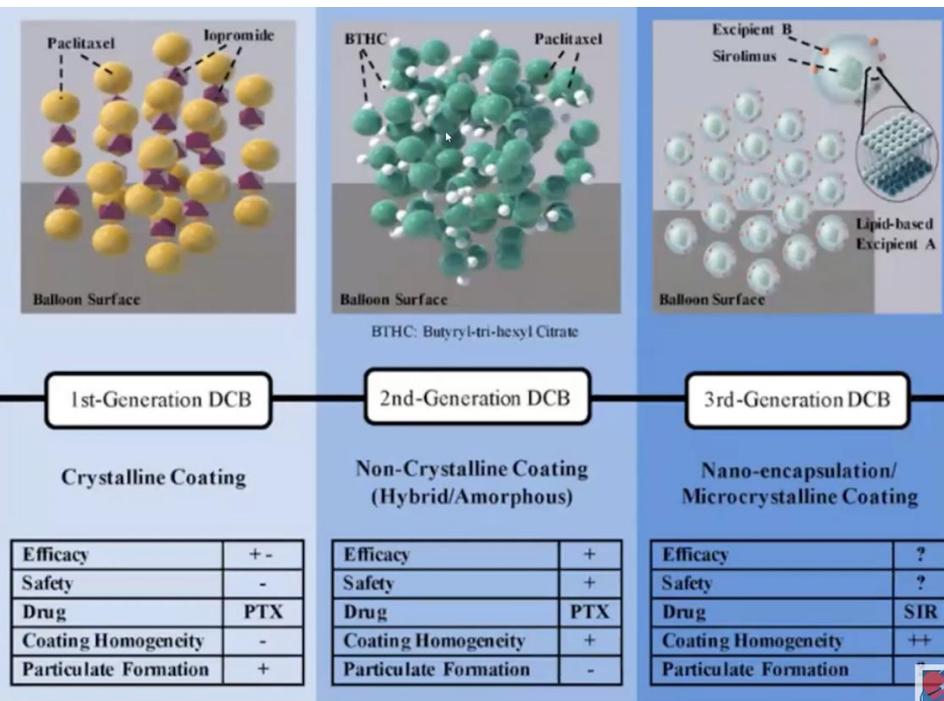
**Hydrax+**

**PACLITAXEL IN A MICROCRYSTALLINE FORM**  
Better transfer to the vessel and retention time

Attribute	Paclitaxel	Sirolimus (or Analogs)
Mode of action	Cytotoxic	Cytostatic
Margin of safety	100 fold	10,000 fold
Therapeutic range	Narrow	Wide
Anti - restenotic	Yes	Yes - lower late lumen loss
Anti - inflammatory	No	Yes
Drug Potency	1x	1x
Tissue absorption	● Fast	● Slow*
Tissue retention	● Long	● Short*



1. Effects of paclitaxel on the vascular wall
2. Inhibition of smooth muscle cell proliferation
3. Effects not only on neointimal growth but also on medial thinning and enlargement





## DCB: Indicaciones angiográficas

**In-stent  
restenosis**

**Small Vessel  
Disease**

**De novo  
coronary  
lesions**

**Bifurcations**



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# LESIONES CORONARIAS “DE NOVO”



# PASSWORD Observational Study

Systematic Scoring Balloon Lesion Preparation for Drug-Coated Balloon Angioplasty in Clinical

Preparo da lesão com “scoring balloon”

Prospective, multicenter, single-armed  
all-comers study in patients with de-novo lesions, ISR,  
481 patients (496 lesions)

**Scoring Balloon**  
(Lacrosse NSE®)

+

**DCB**  
(Sequent Please Neo®)

**Primary endpoint:** Target lesion failure (TLF) @ 9 months



Baixa taxa de eventos (TLR/TLF/MI) em 9.4 meses

Clinical outcomes for **de-novo lesions @ 9.4 months**

	de-novo lesions
Target Lesion Revascularization	0.8 %
Target Lesion Failure	1.1 %
Myocardial Infarction	0 %

De-novo lesions: With/without **vessel calcification**

	Calcified lesions (119 patients)	Vessel calcification (241 patients)	p
TLF	0%	1.7%	0.158



Baixa necessidade de “bailout-stenting”

Needed bailout-stenting in **target de-novo lesions**

5 of 386 patients:

**1.3%**



Trial Designs

# Comparing a strategy of sirolimus-eluting balloon treatment to drug-eluting stent implantation in de novo coronary lesions in all-comers: Design and rationale of the SELUTION DeNovo Trial

## Summary

SELUTION DeNovo trial is an open-label, multi-center international randomized trial comparing a strategy of PCI with SEB and provisional DES to a strategy of PCI with systematic DES on TVF at one and five years. Non-inferiority will be tested at one and five years. If non-inferiority is met at five years, superiority will be tested.

## RECOMENDACIONES DEL TRATAMIENTO CON DCB. CONSENSO INTERNACIONAL

### STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW

### Drug-Coated Balloons for Coronary Artery Disease

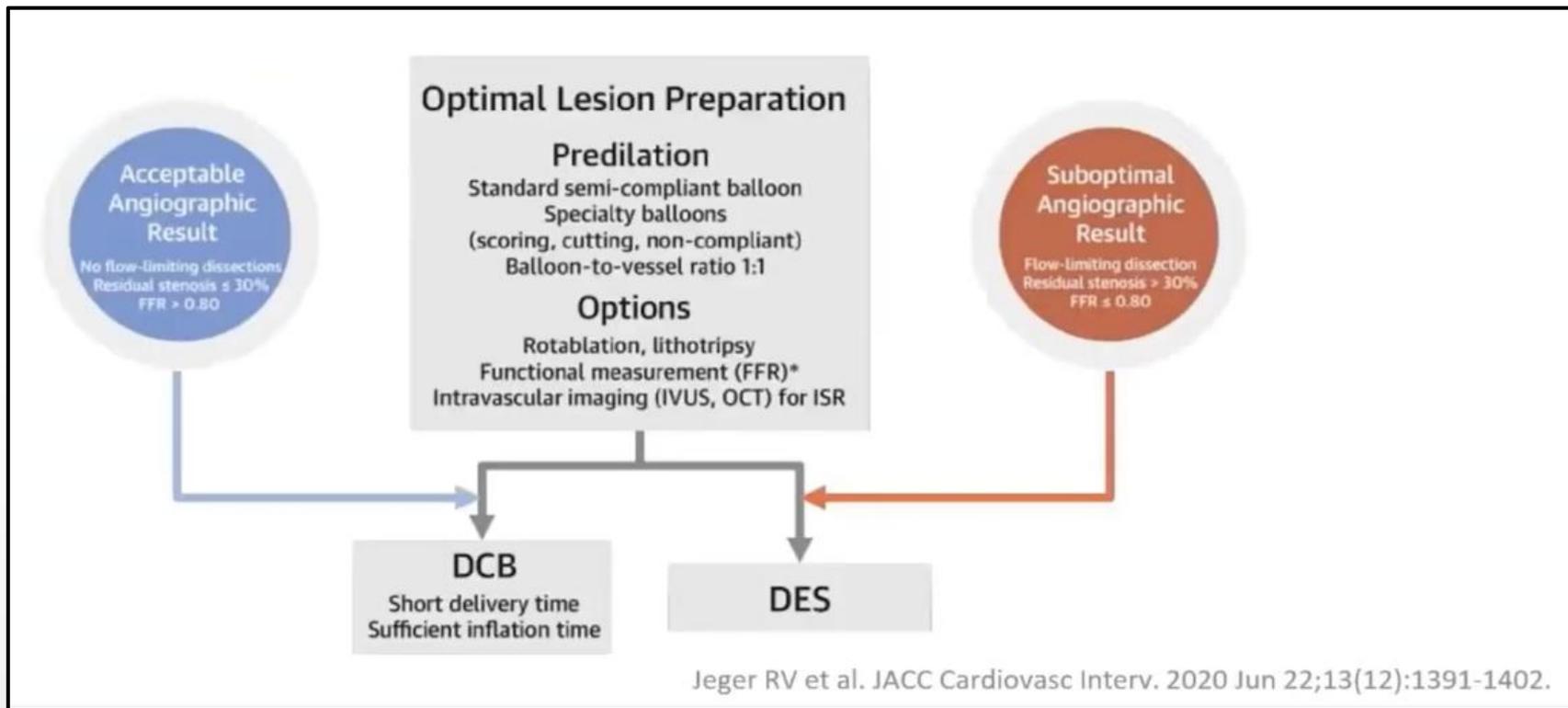
Third Report of the International DCB Consensus Group

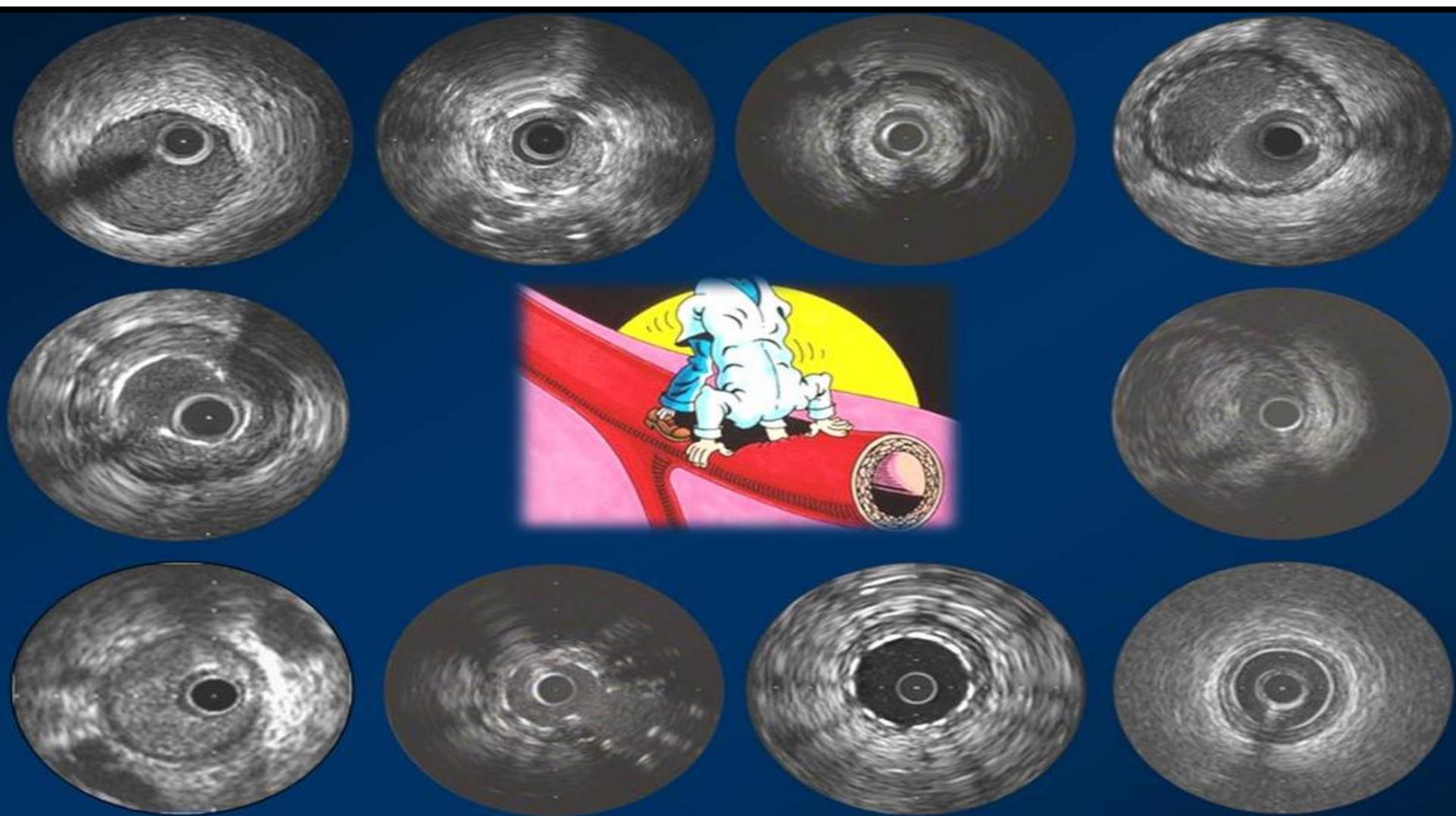
#### Acceptable Angiographic Result

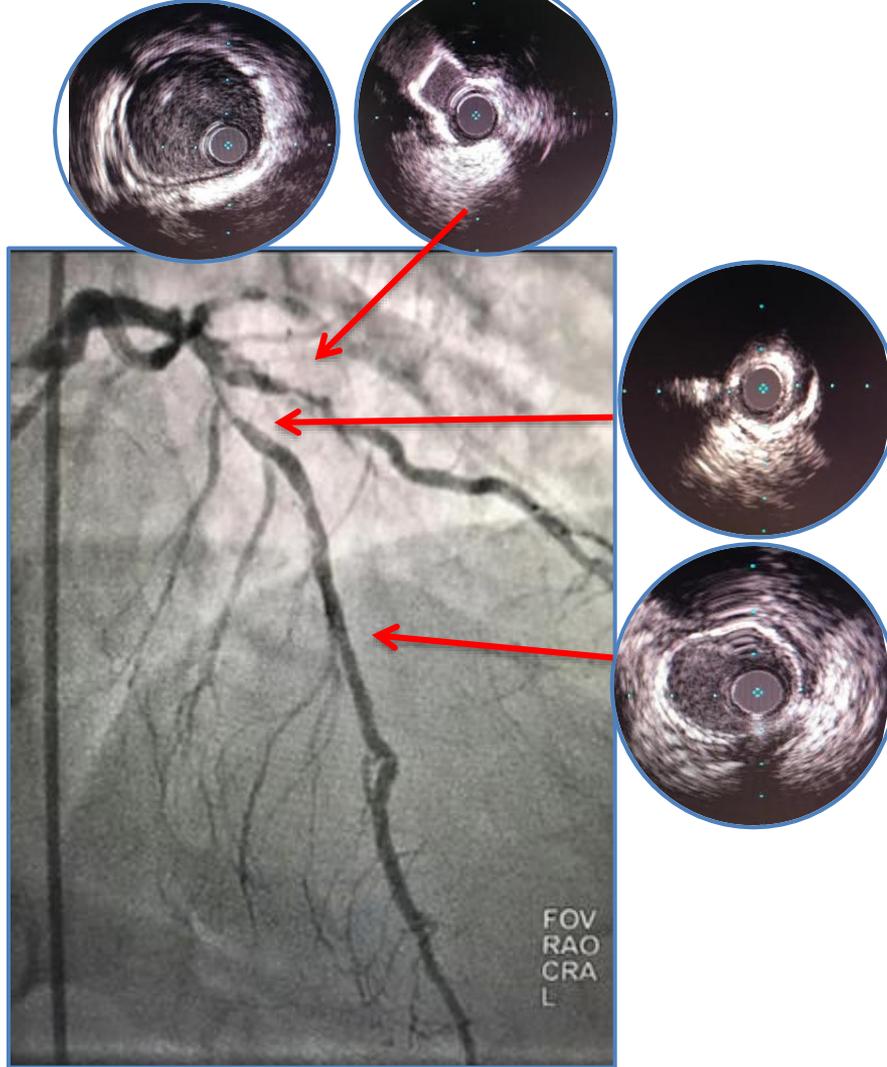
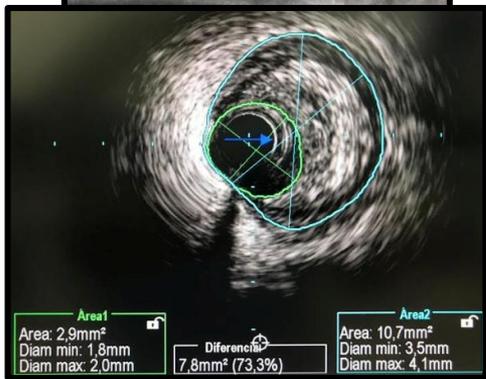
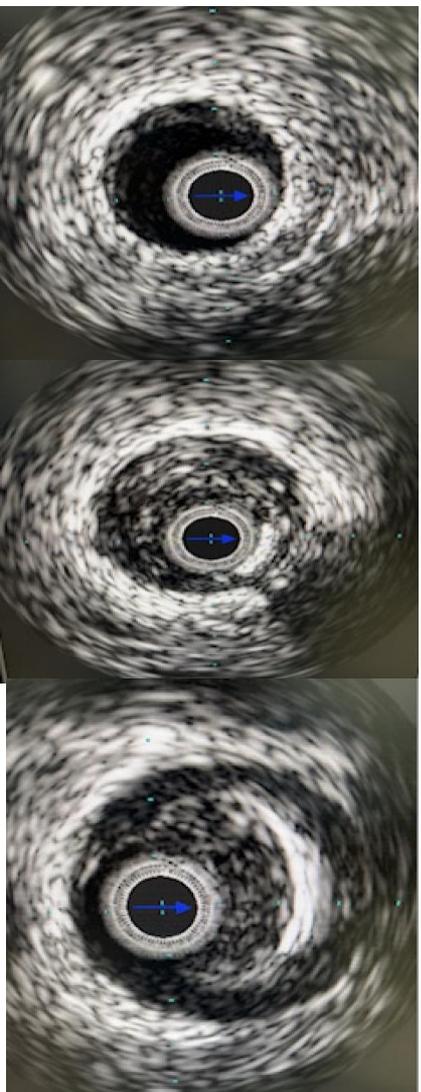
No flow-limiting dissections  
Residual stenosis  $\leq 30\%$   
FFR  $> 0.80$

#### Suboptimal Angiographic Result

Flow-limiting dissection  
Residual stenosis  $> 30\%$   
FFR  $\leq 0.80$









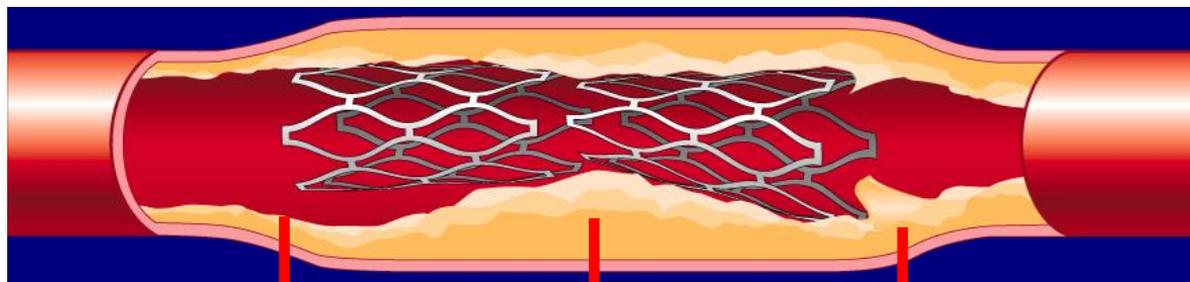
# REESTENOSIS INTRA STENT

Ensayos clínicos aleatorios que compararon dispositivos contemporáneos mostraron tasas acumuladas de revascularización de la lesión diana (TLR) de 7 a 10. % a los 5 años de seguimiento

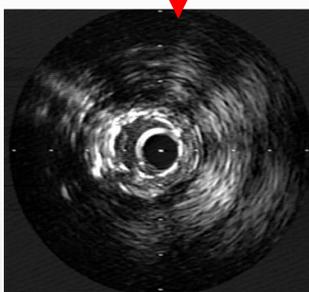
Angioplastia con balón recubierto de paclitaxel ( PCB ) y la colocación repetida de stent con implantación de DES han surgido como las opciones terapéuticas más efectivas.



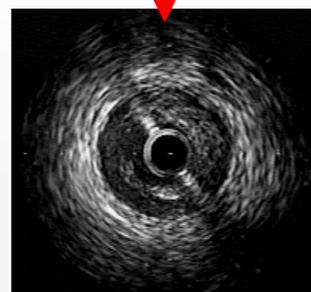
## CONOCER EL MECANISMO DE REESTENOSIS DE STENT



Aposición incompleta



Hipo expansión



Trauma de bordes



## 2025 ACC/AHA/ACEP/NAEMSP/SCAI Guideline for the Management of Patients With Acute Coronary Syndromes

A Report of the American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association Joint Committee on Clinical Practice Guidelines

**Recommendation for Use of Intracoronary Imaging**  
Referenced studies that support recommendation are summarized in the [Evidence Table](#).

COR	LOE	RECOMMENDATION
1	A	1. In patients with ACS undergoing coronary stent implantation in left main artery or in complex lesions, intracoronary imaging with intravascular ultrasound (IVUS) or optical coherence tomography (OCT) is recommended for procedural guidance to reduce ischemic events.* <sup>1-11</sup>

\*Adapted from the "2021 ACC/AHA/SCAI Guideline for Coronary Artery Revascularization."<sup>12</sup>



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ESC GUIDELINES

## 2024 ESC Guidelines for the management of chronic coronary syndromes

Developed by the task force for the management of chronic coronary syndromes of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC)

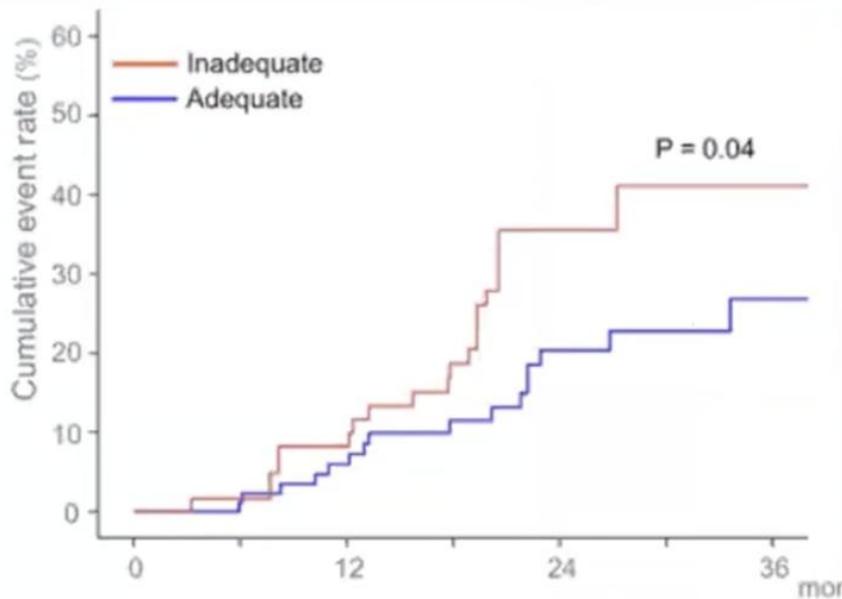
Endorsed by the European Association for Cardio-Thoracic Surgery (EACTS)

### Assessment of procedural risks and post-procedural outcomes

In patients with complex CAD in whom revascularization is being considered, it is recommended to assess procedural risks and post-procedural outcomes to guide shared clinical decision-making.	I	C
Calculation of the STS score is recommended to estimate in-hospital morbidity and 30-day mortality after CABG. <sup>777,862–864</sup>	I	B
In patients with multivessel obstructive CAD, calculation of the SYNTAX score is recommended to assess the anatomical complexity of disease. <sup>786,865</sup>	I	B
Intracoronary imaging guidance by IVUS or OCT is recommended when performing PCI on anatomically complex lesions, in particular left main stem, true bifurcations, and long lesions. <sup>866,337,810,840,841</sup>	I	A



## Impact of Angiographic Result After Predilatation on Outcome After Drug-Coated Balloon Treatment of In-Stent Coronary Restenosis



### Lesion preparation

*Angiographic results after lesion preparation appear to be a good predictor of TLR after DCB treatment*

**TLR: 20,3% vs. 35,5% at 2 years**



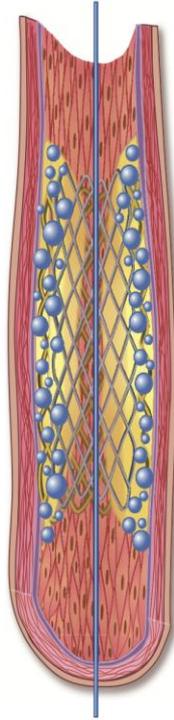
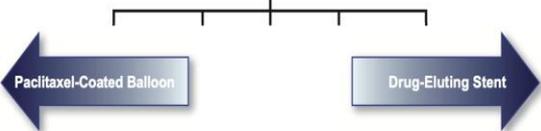
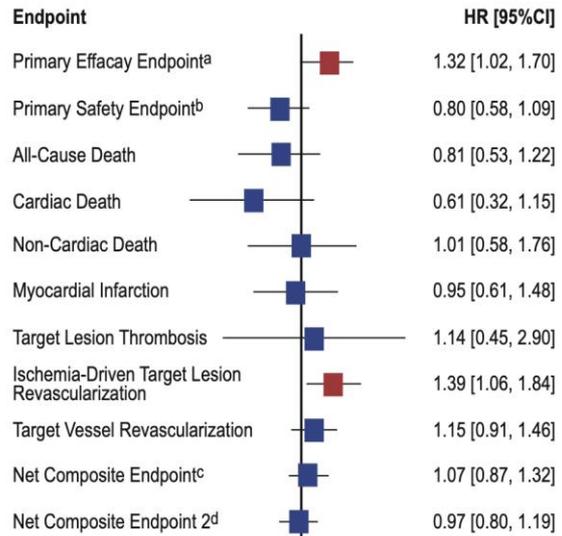
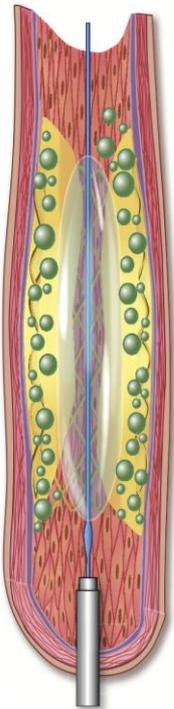
**Table I** Main characteristics of the included randomized clinical trials

Trial	Design	Centres Region	Investigation time	Patients (lesions) Total		PCB type	DES type	Restenotic stent
				PCB	DES			
PEPCAD II	1:1	10	Jan 2006	131 (131)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Paclitaxel-eluting	Bare-metal
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Germany	– Dec 2006	66 (66)	65 (65)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Stainless steel (132 µm)	
ISAR DESIRE 3	1:1	3	Aug 2009	268 (340)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Paclitaxel-eluting	Drug-eluting
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Germany	– Oct 2011	137 (172)	131 (168)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Stainless steel (132 µm)	
PEPCAD China ISR	1:1	17	Mar 2011	215 (221)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Paclitaxel-eluting	Drug-eluting
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	China	– Apr 2012	109 (113)	106 (108)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Stainless steel (132 µm)	
RIBS V	1:1	25	Jan 2010	189 (189)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Everolimus-eluting	Bare-metal
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Spain	– Jan 2012	95 (95)	94 (94)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Cobalt-Chromium (81 µm)	
SEDUCE	1:1	2	Jun 2009	49 (49)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Everolimus-eluting	Bare-metal
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Belgium	– Oct 2011	24 (24)	25 (25)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Cobalt-chromium (81 µm)	
RIBS IV	1:1	23	Jan 2010	309 (309)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Everolimus-eluting	Drug-eluting
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Spain	– Aug 2013	154 (154)	155 (155)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Cobalt-chromium (81 µm)	
TIS	1:1	1	Jan 2012	136 (148)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Everolimus-eluting	Bare-metal
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Czech Republic	– Aug 2014	68 (74)	68 (74)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Cobalt-chromium (81 µm)	
DARE	1:1	8	May 2010	278 (278)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Everolimus-eluting	Bare-metal
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Netherlands	– Jun 2015	137 (137)	141 (141)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Cobalt-chromium (81 µm)	
RESTORE	1:1	10	Apr 2013	172 (172)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Everolimus-eluting	Drug-eluting
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	South Korea	– Oct 2016	86 (86)	86 (86)	lopromide	Durable-polymer Cobalt-chromium (81 µm)	
BIOLUX-RCT	2:1	14	Aug 2012	229 (243)		3 µg/mm <sup>2</sup>	Sirolimus-eluting	Bare-metal
	Open-Label Core lab CEC	Germany, Latvia	– Jan 2015	157 (163)	72 (80)	BTHC	Bioresorbable-polymer Cobalt-chromium (60–80 µm)	

1.976  
pacientes

→ PCB, 1.033 pts

→ DES, 943 pts



**Table 4 Three-year clinical outcomes**

	PCB (n = 1033)	DES (n = 943)	P <sub>LR</sub>	HR (95% CI)	P <sub>w</sub>	HR <sub>adj</sub> (95% CI)	P <sub>adj</sub>
Target lesion revascularization (primary efficacy endpoint)	144 (16.0)	99 (12.0)	0.020	1.32 (1.02–1.70)	0.035	1.38 (1.05–1.82)	0.020
All-cause death, myocardial infarction, or target lesion thrombosis (primary safety endpoint)	75 (9.0)	85 (10.9)	0.182	0.80 (0.58–1.09)	0.152	0.74 (0.52–1.04)	0.085
Death	42 (5.5)	48 (6.6)	0.334	0.81 (0.53–1.22)	0.310	0.68 (0.42–1.10)	0.116
Cardiac death	16 (2.0)	24 (3.3)	0.134	0.61 (0.32–1.15)	0.128	0.61 (0.32–1.19)	0.148
Non-cardiac death	26 (3.6)	24 (3.4)	0.964	1.01 (0.58–1.76)	0.973	0.80 (0.44–1.46)	0.474
Myocardial infarction	41 (4.7)	38 (4.4)	0.941	0.95 (0.61–1.48)	0.820 <sup>a</sup>	0.95 (0.59–1.53)	0.829
Target lesion thrombosis	10 (1.2)	8 (0.9)	0.765	1.14 (0.45–2.90)	0.777	1.09 (0.39–3.03)	0.869
Ischaemia-driven target lesion revascularization	129 (14.3)	84 (10.1)	0.011	1.39 (1.06–1.84)	0.018	1.43 (1.07–1.92)	0.016
Target vessel revascularization	161 (17.9)	126 (15.2)	0.173	1.15 (0.91–1.46)	0.235	1.19 (0.92–1.55)	0.184
All-cause death, myocardial infarction, target lesion thrombosis, or target lesion revascularization	197 (22.1)	167 (20.6)	0.384	1.07 (0.87–1.32)	0.518 <sup>b</sup>	1.07 (0.84–1.35)	0.593
All-cause death, myocardial infarction, target lesion thrombosis, or target vessel revascularization	207 (23.0)	191 (23.2)	0.945	0.97 (0.80–1.19)	0.796 <sup>c</sup>	0.98 (0.78–1.23)	0.851

## Seguimiento 3 años

PCB se asoció con un incremento en el riesgo de revascularización de la lesión diana (TLR) comparado con DES (riesgo relativo [RR] 1,32; intervalo de confianza al 95% [IC 95]: 1,02-1,70;  $p = 0,035$ ; número necesario para dañar 28,5).

Se detectó una interacción significativa entre el efecto del tratamiento y el tipo de *stent* reestenosado ( $p = 0,029$ ) con una **marcada** diferencia en pacientes con reestenosis de DES y efectos comparables en pacientes con reestenosis de *stent* metálico (BMS).

El objetivo primario de seguridad de muerte por cualquier causa, infarto de miocardio o trombosis de lesión diana fue comparable entre ambos tratamientos (*hazard ratio* [HR] 0,80, IC 95%: 0,58-1,09;  $p = 0,152$ ).



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# ENFERMEDAD DE VASOS PEQUEÑOS



## Drug-coated balloons for small coronary artery disease (BASKET-SMALL 2): an open-label randomised non-inferiority trial

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BASKET-SMALL 2 was a multicentre, open-label, randomised non-inferiority trial. 758 patients with de-novo lesions (<3 mm in diameter) in coronary vessels and an indication for percutaneous coronary intervention were randomly allocated (1:1) to receive angioplasty with DCB versus implantation of a second-generation DES after successful predilatation via an interactive internet-based response system. Dual antiplatelet therapy was given according to current guidelines. The primary objective was to show non-inferiority of DCB versus DES regarding major adverse cardiac events (MACE; ie, cardiac death, non-fatal myocardial infarction, and target-vessel revascularisation) after 12 months. The non-inferiority margin was an absolute difference of 4% in MACE. This trial is registered with [ClinicalTrials.gov](#), number [NCT01574534](#).

After 12 months, the proportions of MACE were similar in both groups of the full-analysis population (MACE was 7.5% for the DCB group vs 7.3% for the DES group; hazard ratio [HR] 0.97 [95% CI 0.58–1.64],  $p=0.9180$ ).

There were five (1.3%) cardiac-related deaths in the DES group and 12 (3.1%) in the DCB group (full analysis population).

Probable or definite stent thrombosis (three [0.8%] in the DCB group vs four [1.1%] in the DES group; HR 0.73 [0.16–3.26]) and major bleeding (four [1.1%] in the DCB group vs nine [2.4%] in the DES group; HR 0.45 [0.14–1.46]) were the most common adverse events.



## CONCLUSIÓN

- En términos de eficacia, la angioplastia con DCB presentó tasas moderadamente mayores de TLR que el implante de un DES.
- En cuanto a seguridad (mortalidad total, infarto de miocardio, trombosis de lesión diana) ambos tratamientos fueron similares, con un ligero aumento del riesgo tras implante de DES intrastent después de un ajuste multivariado.
- Un análisis combinado de seguridad y eficacia mostró resultados similares entre ambos tratamientos.
- El tratamiento con DCB no aumentó la mortalidad, cardíaca o no cardíaca, a largo plazo.