

Common Femoral Artery Diameter

AGE (Months)	CFA DM (mm)	Material (Outer DM in mm)									
		Neuron Max 0.88 (2.67)	Chaperon MP2 (2.1)	Radial S* 5F (2.14)	Radial S* 6F (2.44)	Femoral [‡] Intro 4F (2.1)	Femoral [‡] Intro 5F (2.33)	Femoral [‡] Intro 6F (2.67)	Radial° Intro 4-F (1.95)	Radial° Intro 5-F (2.31)	Radial° Intro 6-F (2.63)
0-3	2.1 (1.8–2.5)										
3.1-6	2.3 (1.9–2.5)										
6.1-9	2.6 (2.3–2.8)										
9.1-12	2.8 (2.4–3.0)										
13-24	3.2 (2.8–3.7)										
25-36	3.8 (3.3–4.0)										
37-48	3.9 (3.5–4.3)										
5-7 yo	4.5 (3.6-5.7)										
8-12 yo	6.2 (5-7.5)										
12-14	7.5 (6-8)										

*Introducer sheaths sizes provided for Terumo, DA, Somerset, NJ, US: * Glidesheath Slender, ‡ Pinnacle Sheath, ° Glidesheath; Neuronmax (Penumbra, Alameda, CA, USA); Chaperon (Microvention, Tustin, CA, USA); CFA: Common femoral artery; DM : diameter;*

Red color: OD of the material is similar or bigger to the average arterial diameter
 Orange color: OD of the material is close to the average value of arterial diameter
 Green: OD of the material is about 0.5 mm lower than the average arterial diameter

Figure 2. Expected diameters based on age and introducer compatibility adapted after [7-8, 16-17]

Middle Cerebral Artery Diameter

AGE (Months)	MCA DM (mm)	Material (Outer Diameter in mm)				
		SOFIA Plus (2.1)	RED 62° (1.93)	3 MAX° (1.27)	SOFIA® 5 (1.73)	REACT® 68 (2.11)
0-6	2.3 (2-2.5)					
6-12	2.48 (2.1-3.3)					
12-24	2.6 (2.1-3.3)					
24-48	2.7 (2.2-3.3)					
48-72	2.74 (2.3-3.4)					
>72	3.5 (3-4)					
Adults	3-3.5 (3-4)					

Microvention, Tustin, CA, USA; ° Penumbra, Alameda, CA, USA; * Medtronic, Irvine, CA, USA; DM: diameter; MCA: Middle cerebral artery

Basilar Artery Diameter

AGE (Months) ≈	BA DM (mm)	Material (Outer Diameter in mm)				
		SOFIA® Plus (2.1)	RED° 62 (1.93)	3 MAX° (1.27)	SOFIA® 5 (1.73)	REACT® 68 (2.11)
0-11	NA					
12	2					
24	4					
36	4					
48	4.5 (4-4.7)					
5-9 yo	4.5 (4-5)					
10-14 yo	4.5 (4-5)					

Microvention, Tustin, CA, USA; ° Penumbra, Alameda, CA, USA; * Medtronic, Irvine, CA, USA; DM: diameter; BA: basilar artery;

Internal Carotid Artery Diameter

AGE (Months)	ICA DM (mm)	Material (Outer Diameter in mm)						
		NeuronMax° (2.67)	Chaperon® (2.1)	SOFIA Plus® (2.1)	RED 62° (1.93)	3 MAX ° (1.27)	SOFIA 5® (1.73)	REACT 68® (2.11)
0-6	2.7 (2.5-3.3)							
6-12	3 (2.5-4.2)							
12-24	3.4 (2.5-4.9)							
24-48	3.6 (2.7-5.5)							
48-72	3.6 (2.7-5.5)							
>72	4 (3-5.5)							
Adults	4.1 (3.6-6)							

Microvention, Tustin, CA, USA; ° Penumbra, Alameda, CA, USA; * Medtronic, Irvine, CA, USA; DM: diameter; ICA: Internal Carotid Artery;

Figure 3. Expected diameters based on age and catheter compatibility adapted after [9, 19]

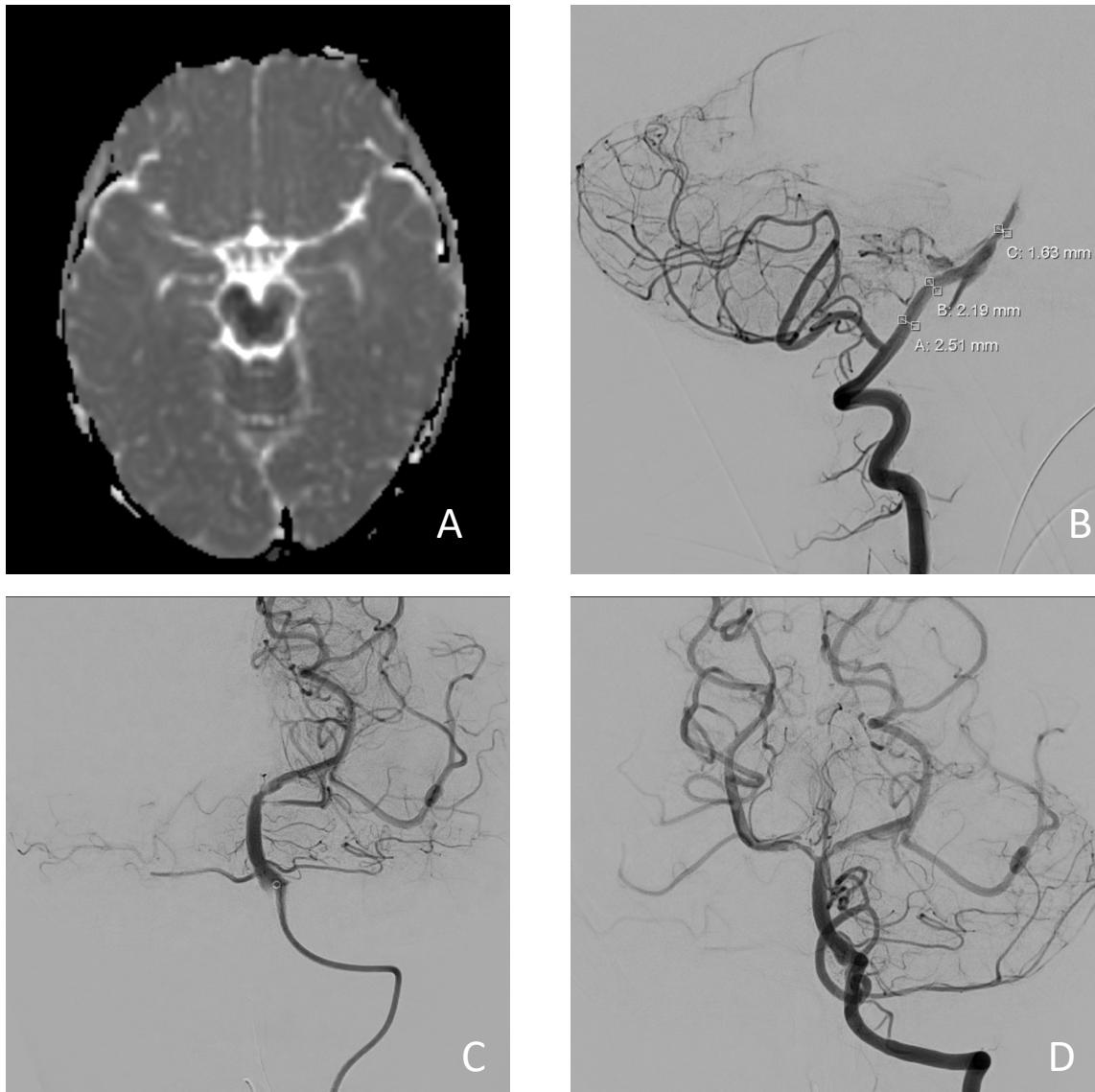


Figure 1. MRI and DSA of our index case. A. MRI imaging showing decreased ADC in the mesencephalon; B. Lateral projection DSA showing basilar occlusion with associated arterial diameters; C. Frontal DSA after the first passage. D. Final frontal DSA showing small vasospasm in the right PCA, turbulence due to competitive flow coming from the PcoM in the left PCA and persistent occlusion of the right SCA.