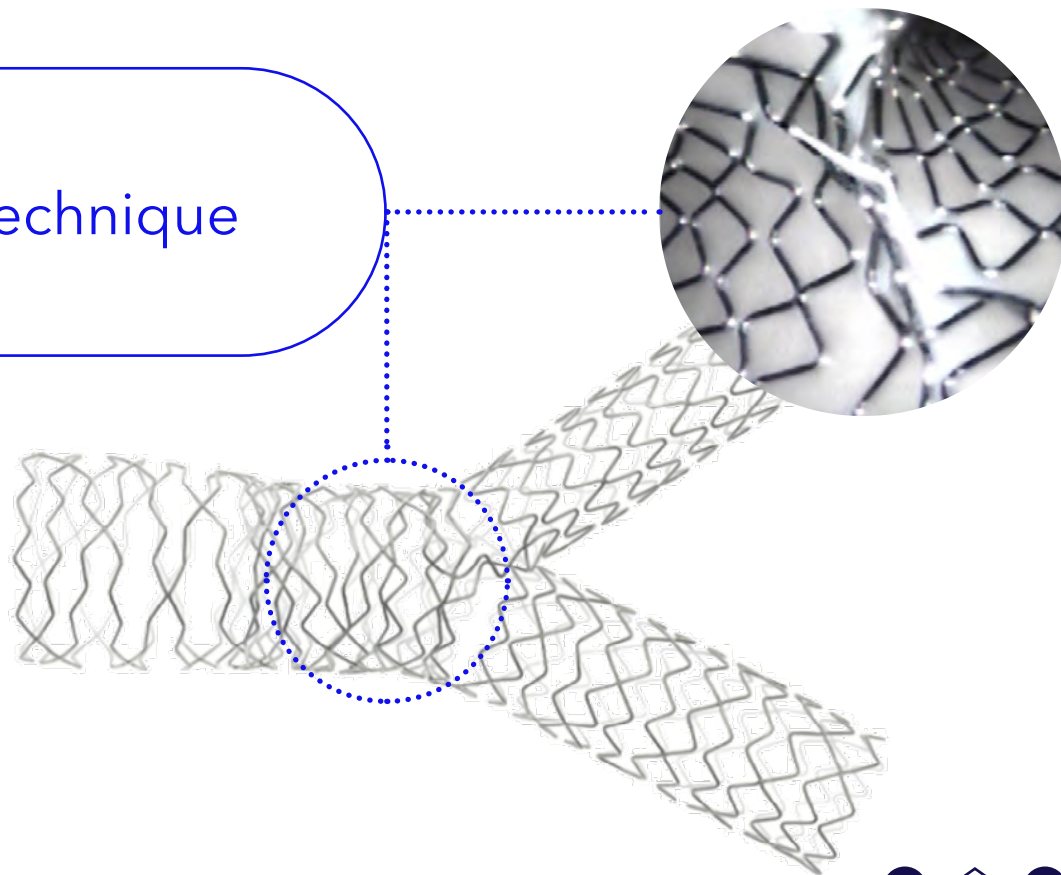


## 1.3 Culotte technique



# Culotte technique in practice

Culotte stenting is a versatile technique that can support all bifurcation angles and fully cover the bifurcation. It requires that both branches of the bifurcation are comparable in size.

## Culotte:

- › Is associated with high procedural success and relatively low risk of angiographic restenosis
- › In bifurcations with narrow angles
- › In bifurcations with similar diameters



Milasinovic D, et al. EuroIntervention. 2018;13(15):e1804-e1811; Adriaenssens T, et al. Eur Heart J. 2008;29(23):2868-76.

› <https://eurointervention.pcronline.com/article/the-17th-expert-consensus-document-of-the-european-bifurcation-club-techniques-to-preserve-access-to-the-side-branch-during-stepwise-provisional-stenting>

# Culotte technique step-by-step

A continuation from provisional - final result

Prior to SB stent deployment, ensure MV wire is removed. Accurate placement of side branch stent

POT

Kissing balloon

Re-POT

Final result

