

Figure legends

Figure 1: The aortic segments that were tailored or grafted. ET: elephant trunk.

Figure 2: Surgical technique of aortic tailoring.

Figure 3: The changes of aortic diameter of tailored segments (A) in the occluded false lumen group and (B) in the patent false lumen perfusion group. TEVAR: thoracic endovascular aortic repair.

Figure 4: Kaplan–Meier analysis shows freedom from aortic events (A) in the occluded false lumen group and (B) in the patent false lumen perfusion group.