Reviewer's report

Title: Mixed cerebrovascular disease in an elderly man with mixed vascular risk factors: a case report

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The manuscript describes an interesting patient with mixed cerebrovascular disease, with concurrent ischemic and hemorrhagic processes. The manuscript would benefit by some additional information: The history strongly suggests cerebral venous thrombosis, with recurrent peripheral DVT, low protein S, hyperhomocysteinemia, and family history of thrombophilia. Perhaps this is cerebral venous thrombosis with negative MRV? It would be helpful to see examples of the cerebral venous imaging studies, including MRV and venous imaging if obtained with DSA, in order to demonstrate convincingly that venous thrombosis was ruled-out. Was the MRV performed with contrast? When was MRV performed in relation to the patient's presentation? Could there have been venous thrombosis that cleared spontaneously by the time that imaging studies were performed?

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