



Antitrombóticos en los Síndromes Coronarios Agudos: Tratamiento Inicial y a Largo Plazo

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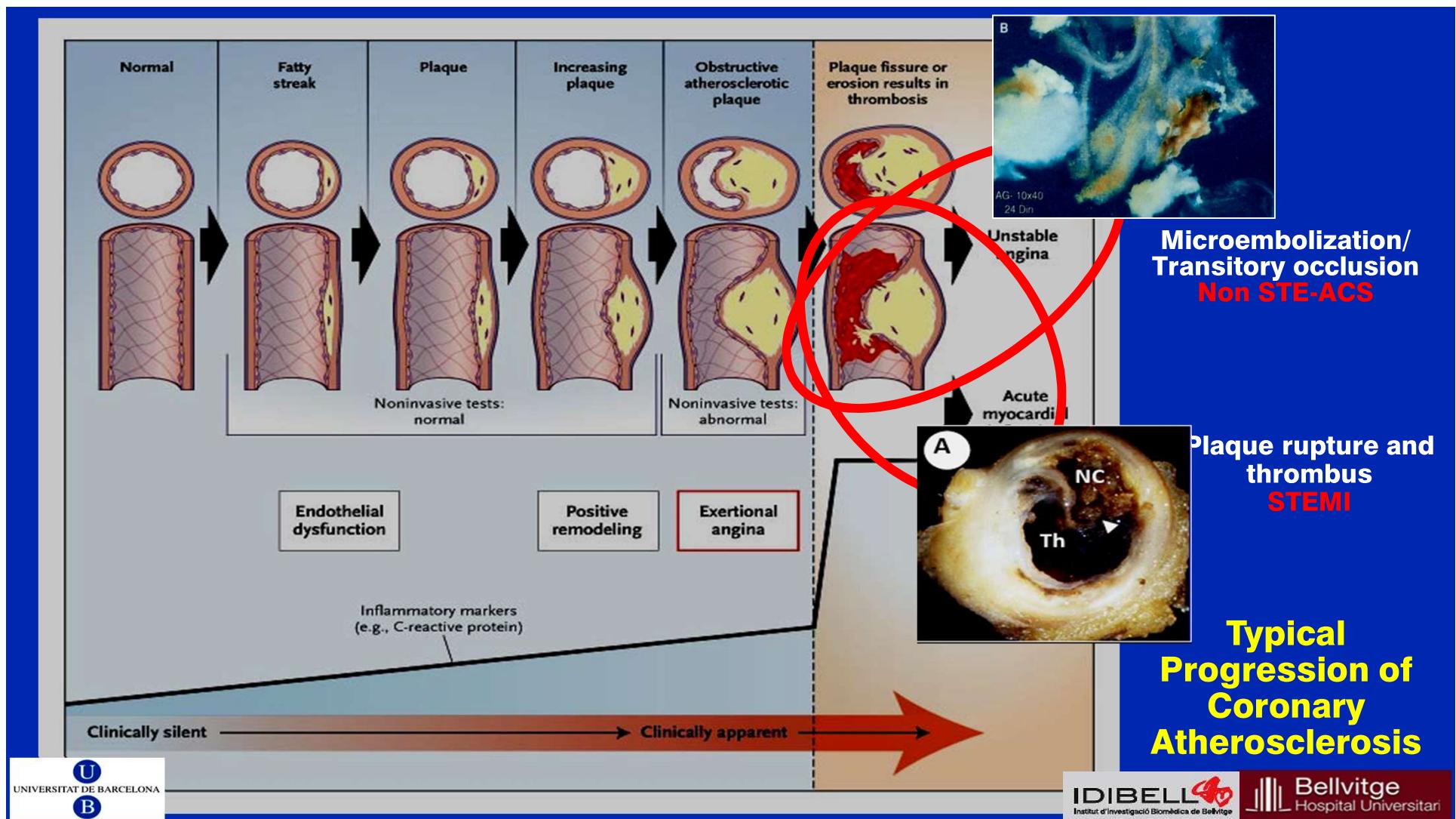
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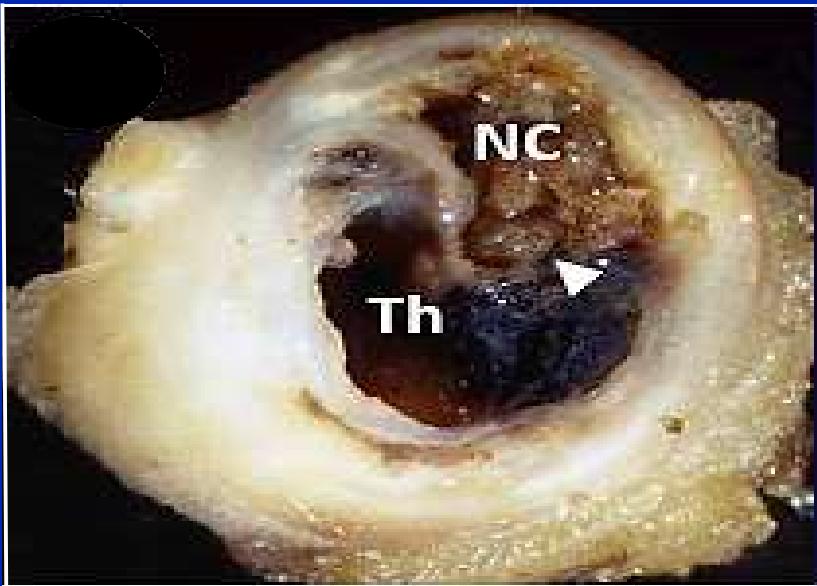
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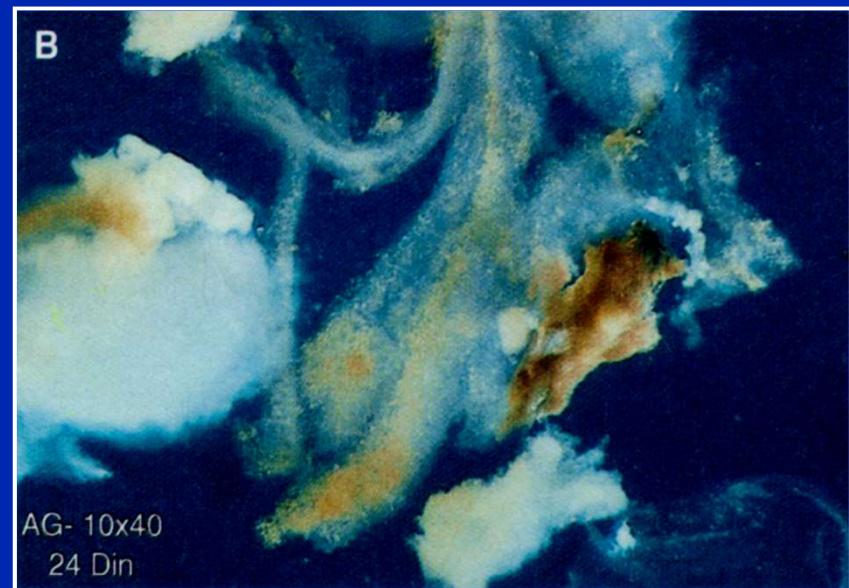


ST-Elevation Acute Myocardial Infarction



**Plaque rupture and thrombus
in STEMI**

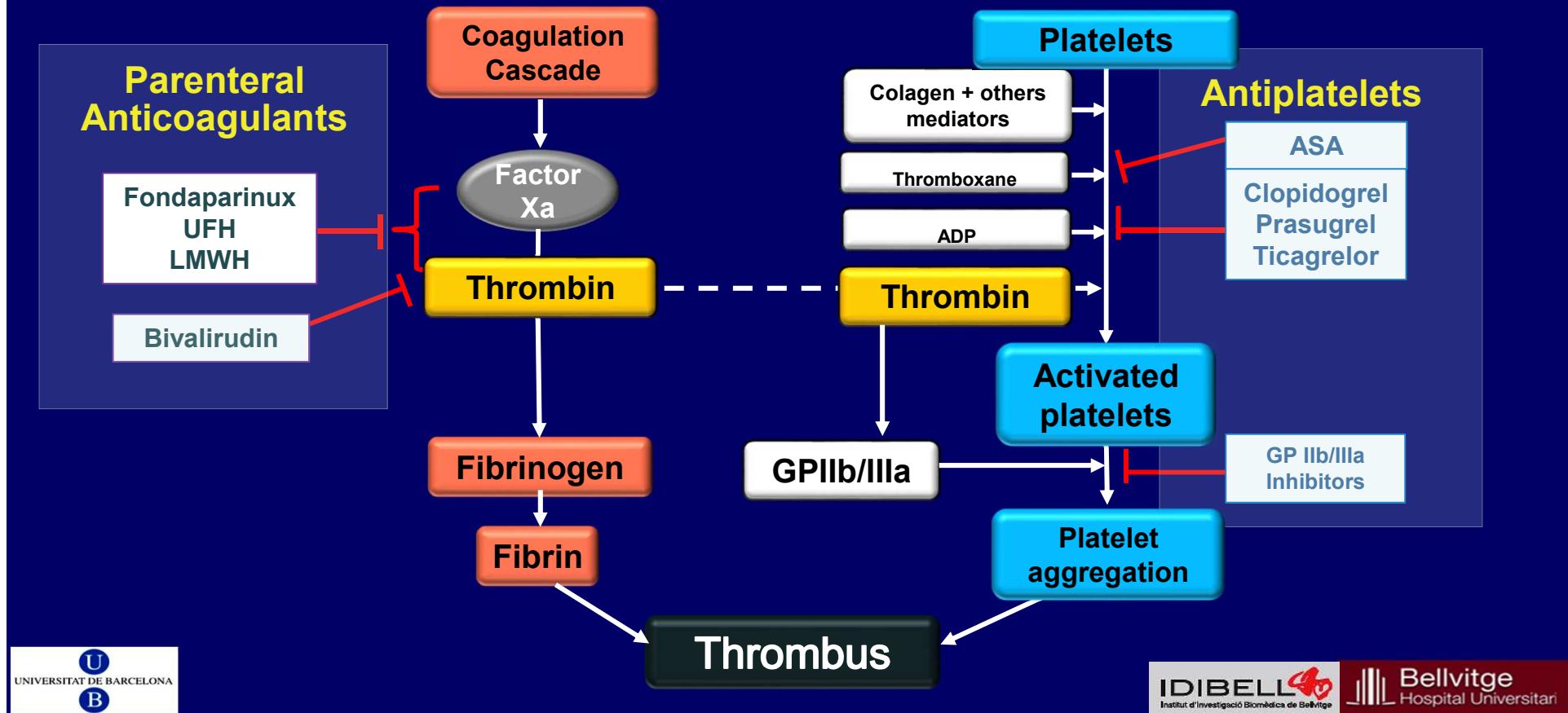
Non ST-Elevation Acute Coronary Syndrome



**Embolization and microvascular
occlusion in non-ST ACS**

Coagulation and Platelet Activation

Antithrombotic Therapy



Tratamiento Antitrombótico en los Síndromes Coronarios Agudos

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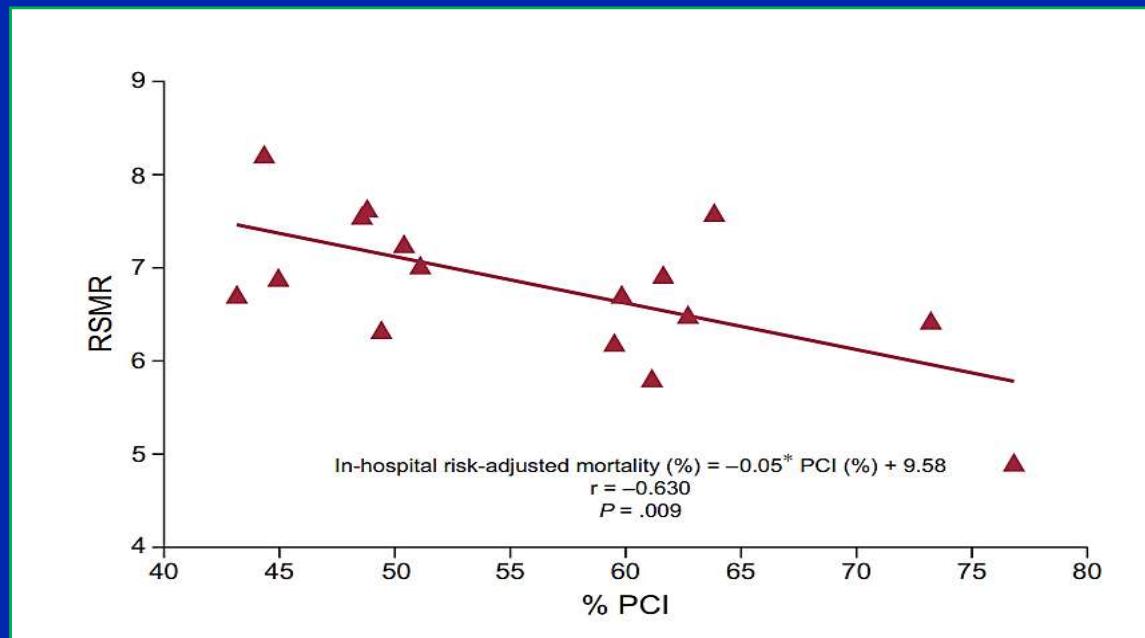
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Impact on Mortality of Different Network Systems in the Treatment of STEMI in Spain

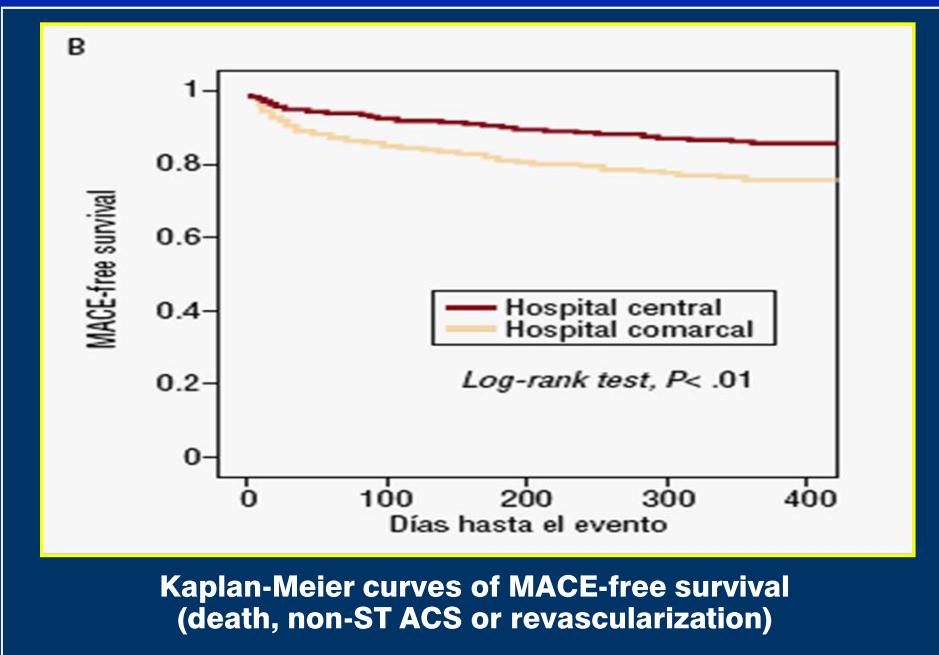


Association between PCI rate in the treatment of STEMI and adjusted in-hospital mortality

Influence of Hospital Type on Treatment and Prognosis in Patients With NSTE-ACS

GYSCA Trial

Catheterization Performed	687 (60.6)	Hospital Central	424 (70.8)	<.01
Revascularizations	417 (36.8)	Comarcal	258 (43.1)	<.01

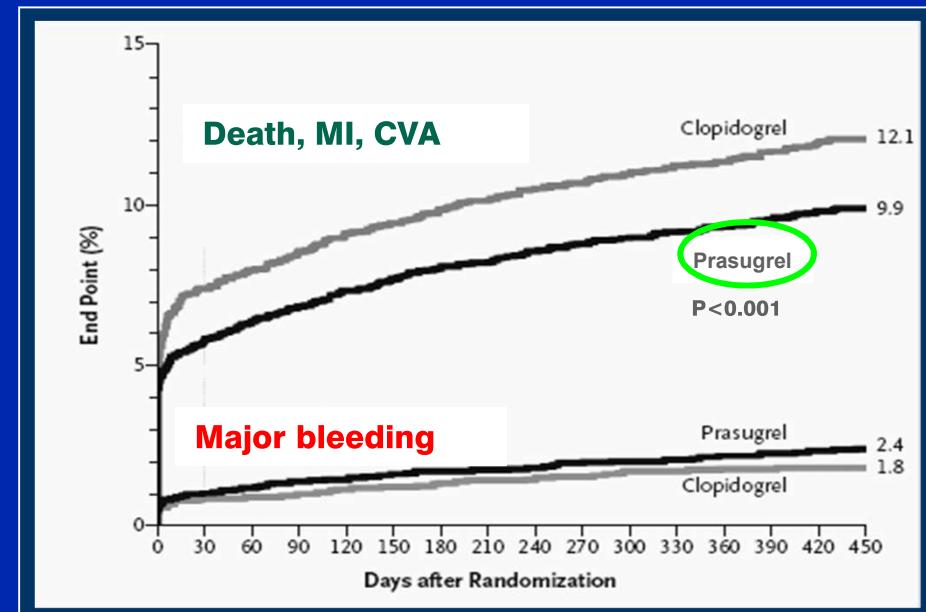


Ptes admitted for NSTE-ACS in hospitals without a catheterization laboratory were managed less invasively and with less compliance with guidelines recommendations. Hospital type have influence on prognosis.

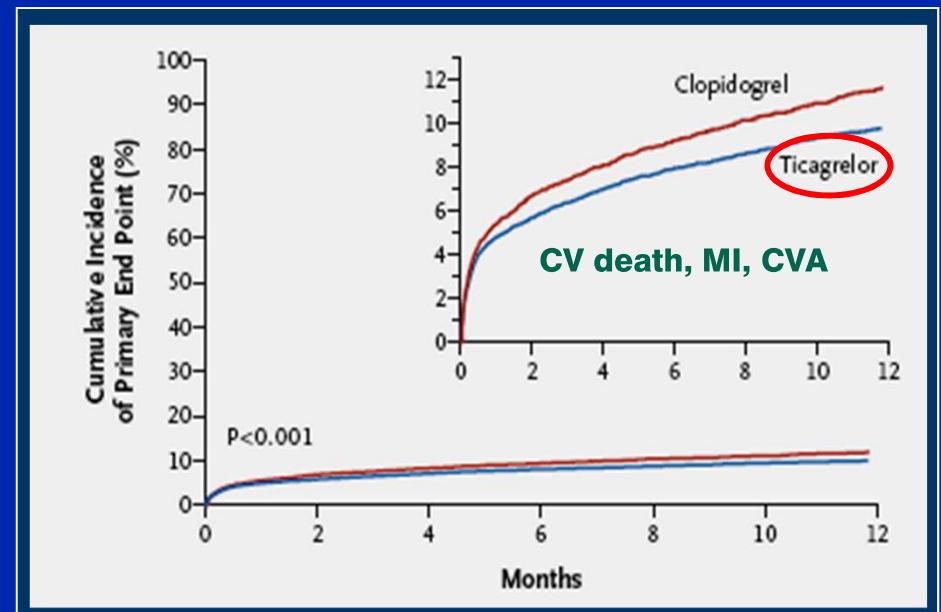
Oral Antiplatelets in Patients with Acute Coronary Syndromes

TRITON-TIMI 38
(Prasugrel vs Clopidogrel)

PLATO
(Ticagrelor vs Clopidogrel)



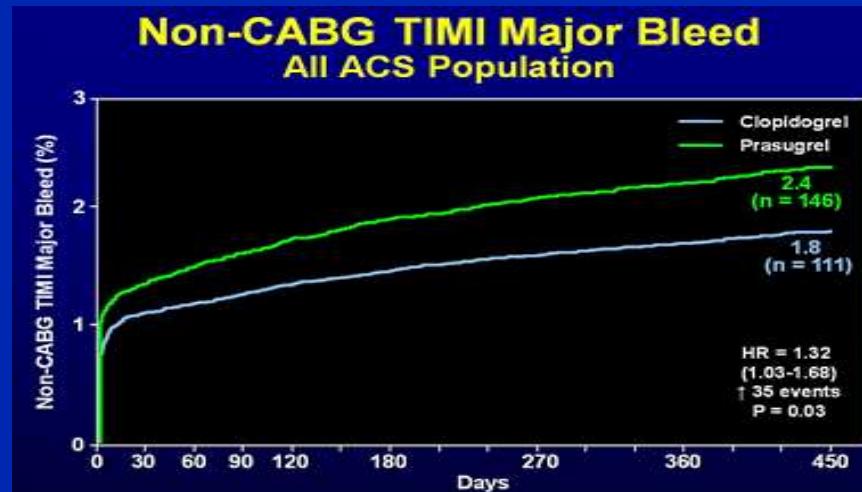
TRITON-TIMI 38. NEJM
2007; 357: 2001



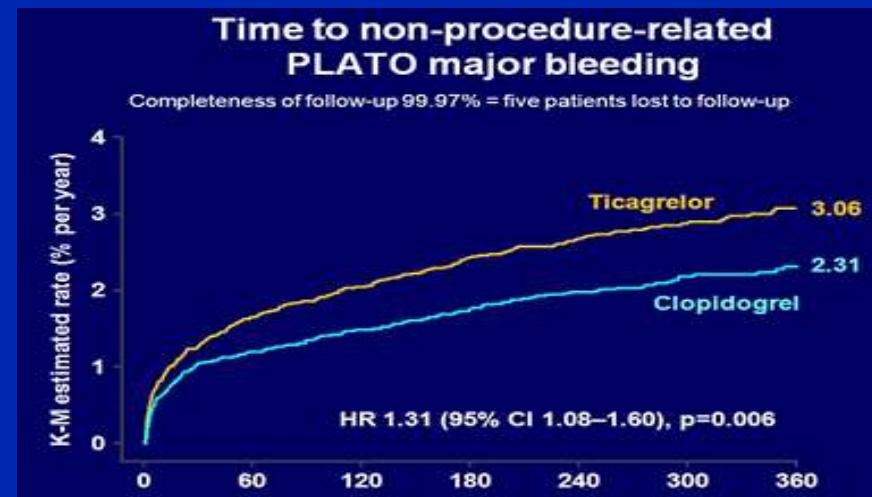
Wallentin et al. NEJM 2009; August
30; on line

Non-CABG TIMI Major Bleeding

TRITON



PLATO



Prasugrel vs Clopidogrel

2.4% vs 1.8%
ARD 0.6%
HR 1.32
P=0.03
NNH=167

Ticagrelor vs Clopidogrel

2.8% vs 2.2%
ARD 0.6%
HR 1.25
P=0.03
NNH=167

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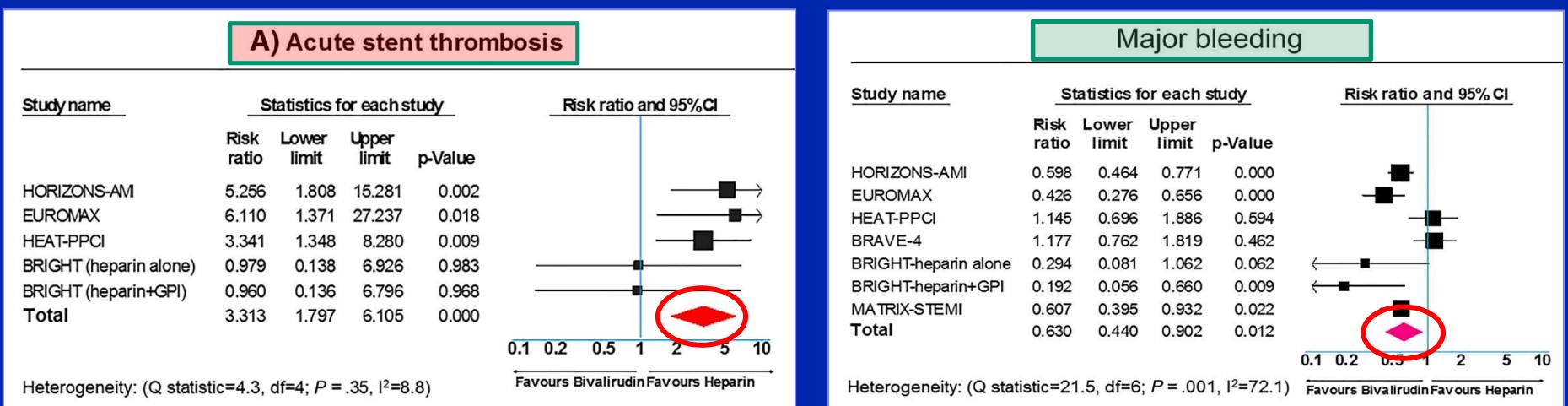
Recommendations for Anticoagulation in STEMI

ACC/AHA and ESC Guidelines

	UFH	Enoxaparin	Fondaparinux	Bivalirudin
STEMI				
ESC 2014	I	IIa	III	IIa
ACC/AHA 2013	I	Not mentioned	III	I

Zeymer U, et al. EHJ 2016; 37: 3376

Meta-Analysis of Bivalirudin vs Heparin in PPCI

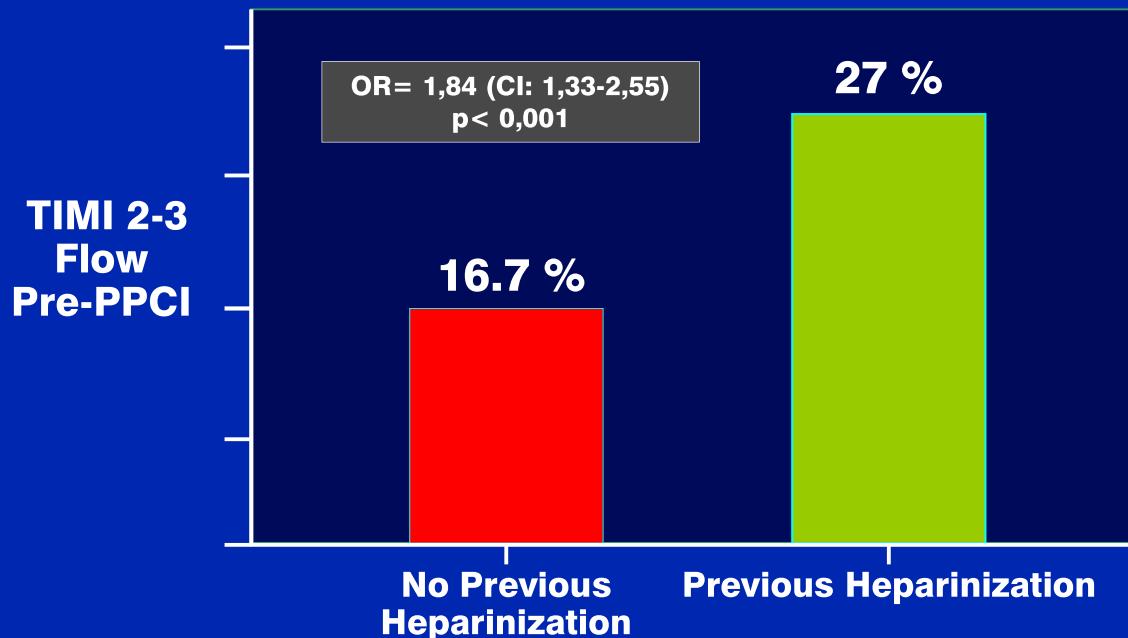


Compared with heparin, bivalirudin increases the risk of stent thrombosis, but decrease the risk of bleeding.

The benefit in bleeding is modulated by the administration of P2Y12 inhibitors, using radial access, and avoiding routine GPI.

Early Anticoagulation Improve Preprocedural Patency of the IRA in PPCI

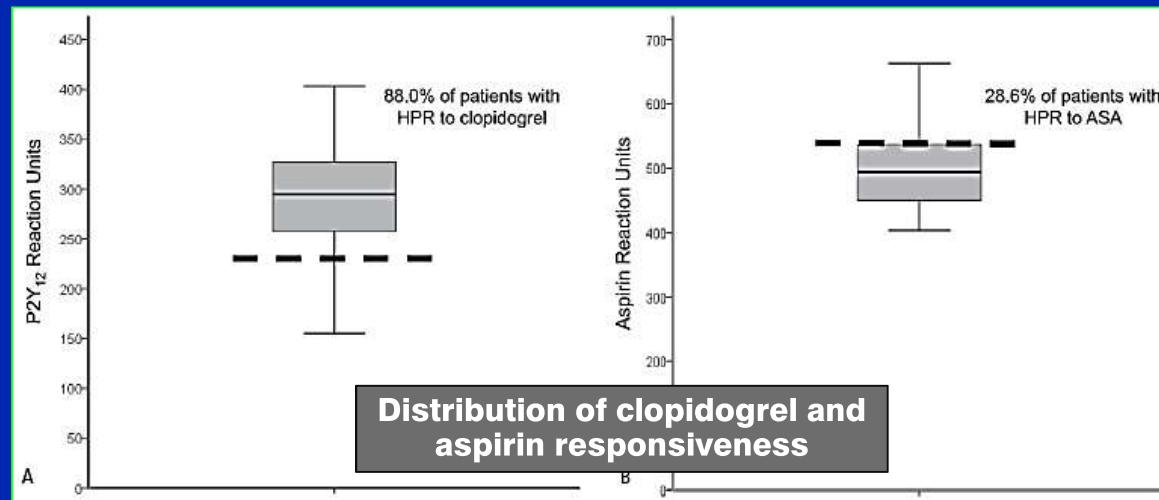
- 1075 ptes with STEMI and Primary Angioplasty indication
- 623 ptes received UFH at the time of the diagnosis (0,75-1 mg/kg iv)
- 452 ptes no previous heparinization before the procedure



Conclusions: In ptes with STEMI, early administration of UFH at the time of the diagnosis, is associated with improvement in the permeability in the IRA immediately pre-PPCI.

Clopidogrel Pre-Treatment in PPCI

High on-treatment platelet reactivity (HPR)
Mean time of clopidogrel pre-treatment: 85 m.



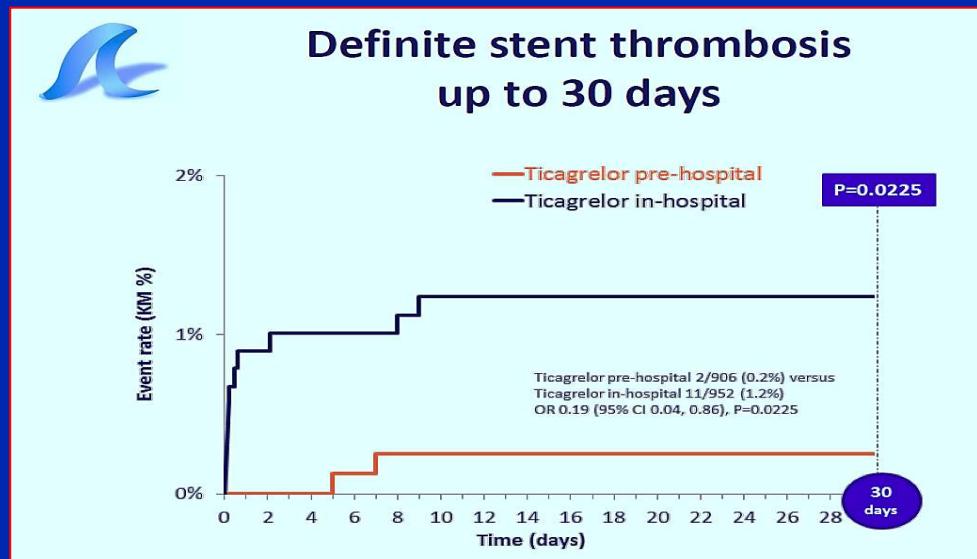
Conclusions: A high percentage of STEMI patients have inadequate levels of clopidogrel-induced platelet inhibition.

Prehospital Ticagrelor in ST-Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction

ATLANTIC Trial

1862 ptes with STEMI < 6 hrs with PPCI indication.

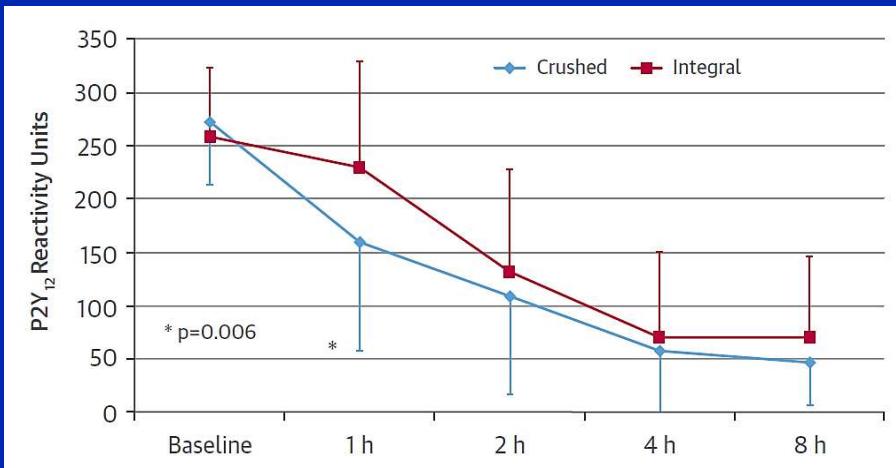
Randomized to prehospital (ambulance) vs in-hospital (cath lab) ticagrelor



Conclusions: Prehospital ticagrelor in STEMI is safe, did not improve pre-PCI coronary perfusion but reduce the incidence of acute stent thrombosis.

Crushed Tablet Administration in STEMI

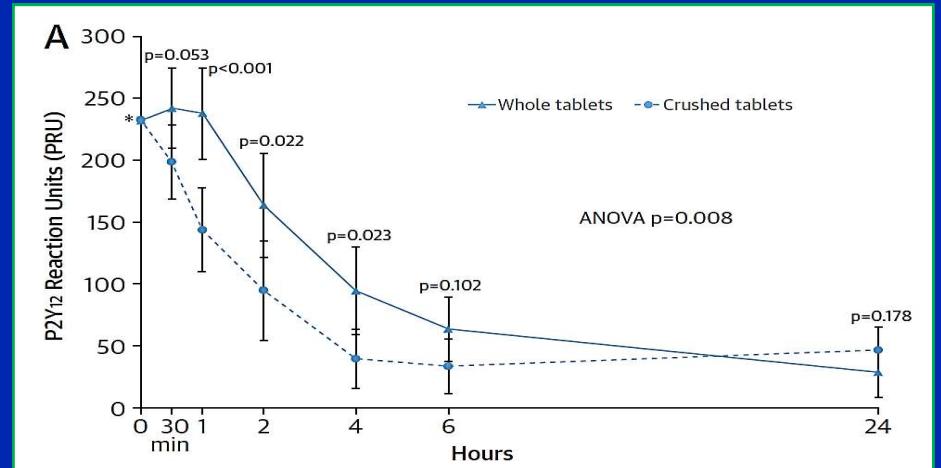
The MOJITO Study (Ticagrelor)



Platelet inhibition with Ticagrelor

Parodi G, et al. JACC 2015; 65: 511

The CRUSH Study (Prasugrel)



Platelet inhibition with Prasugrel

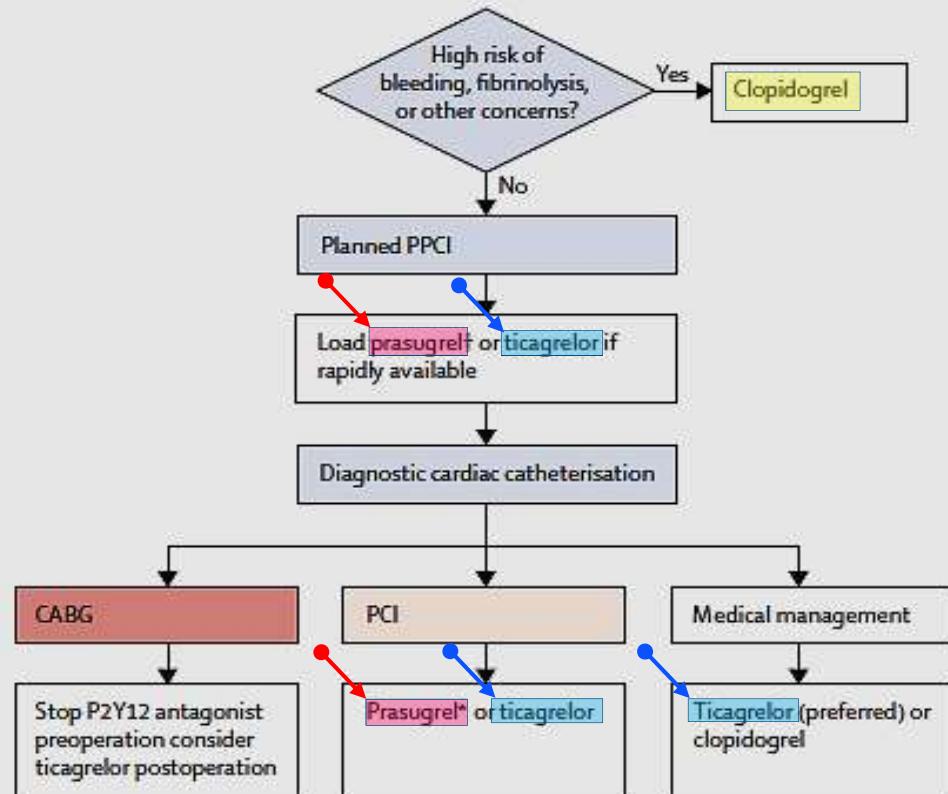
Rollini F, et al. JACC 2016; 67: 1994

Choice of P2Y12 Antagonist in ACS based on European and US Guidelines

STEMI



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Integrating Treatment in ACS

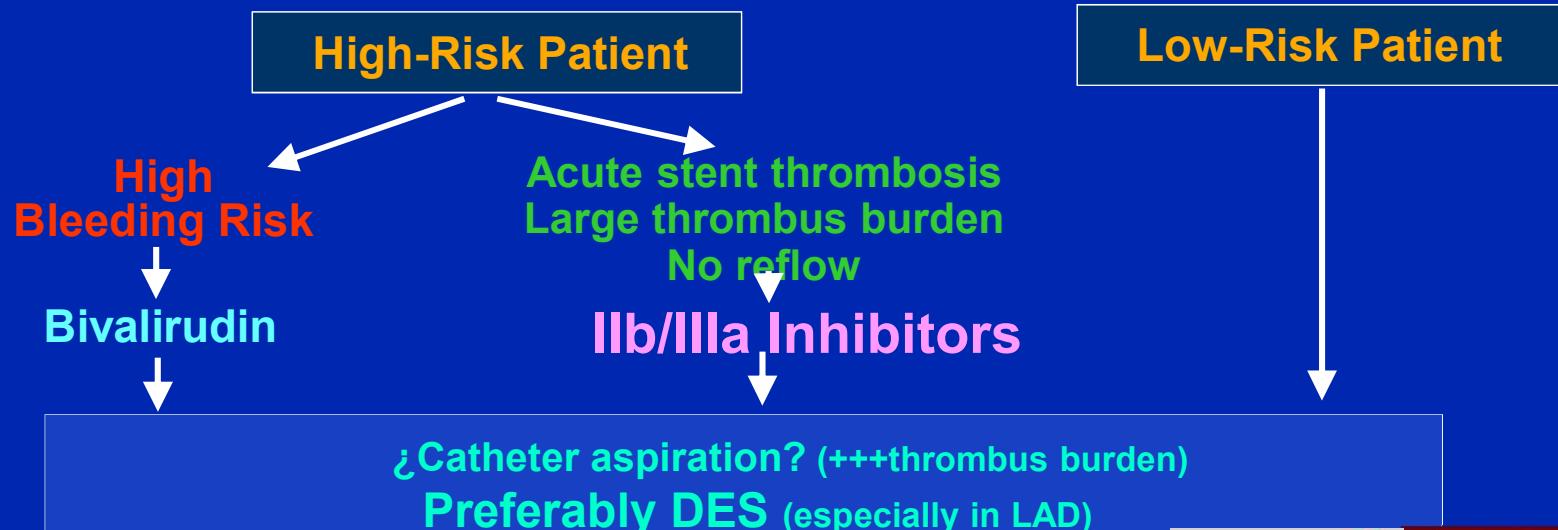
Primary PCI in STEMI

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Pre-PPCI:

ASA + Clopidogrel / Prasugrel / Ticagrelor
+
UFH / LMWH

Per-PPCI:



Conversión de Clopidogrel a un Tratamiento Antiplaquetario mas Potente

Paciente con Clopidogrel
(Cardiólogo Intervencionista/UCC)

Criterios clínicos/angiográficos
de alto riesgo trombótico
(sin riesgo aumentado de sangrado)

Si

Ticagrelor
o
Prasugrel

No

Continuar Clopidogrel

Conversión de Clopidogrel a un Tratamiento Antiplaquetario mas Potente

Criterios de Alto Riesgo Trombótico Escenario ICP Primario Primeras horas

Criterios Clínicos

- IAM por trombosis stent
- Territorio de la ARI +++
- IAM extenso por ECG
- No resolución ST al abrir la ARI
- IAM de alto riesgo (Killip ≥2)

Criterios Angiográficos

- Trombo residual importante
- TIMI flow final < 3
- Disección residual no cubierta
- Stent en el TC
- Longitud stent +++, Ø<2.5 mm

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Recommendations for Anticoagulation in NSTE-ACS

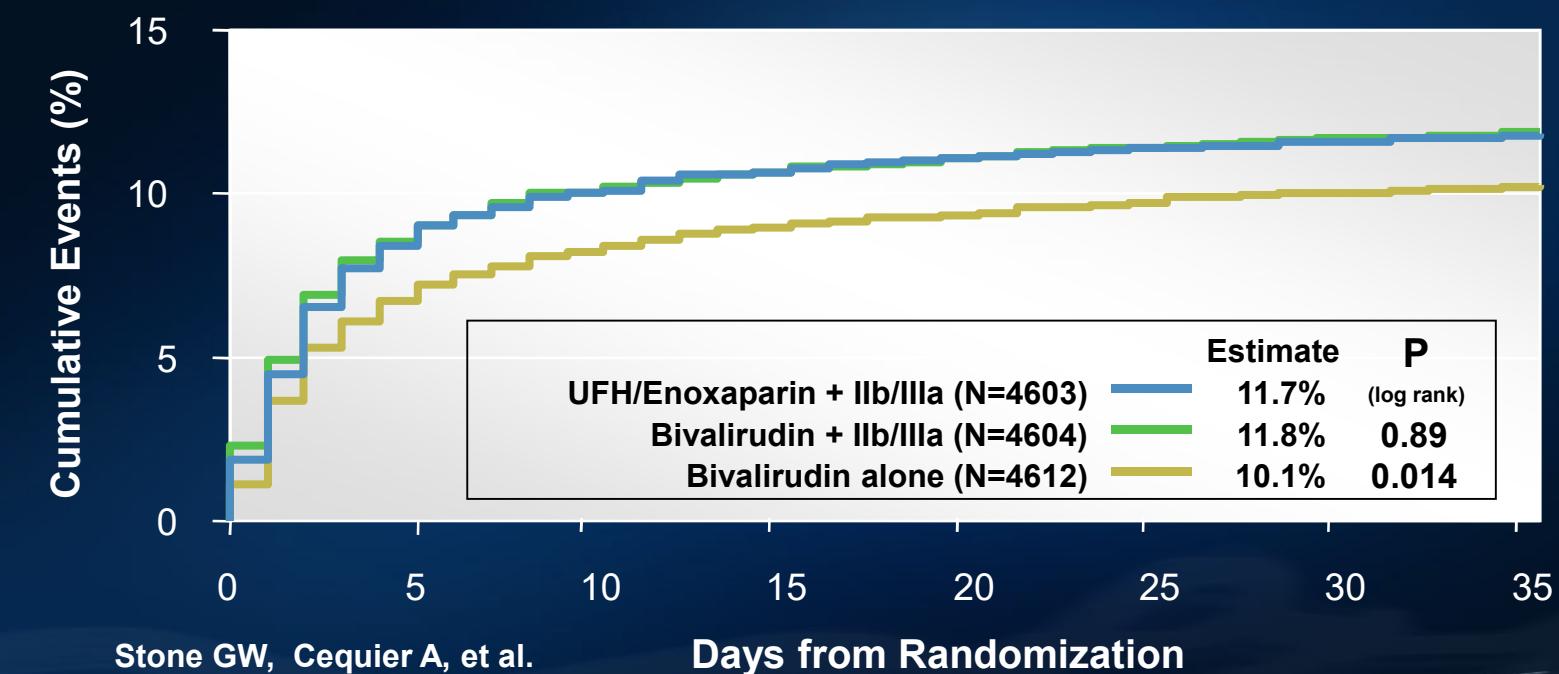
ACC/AHA and ESC Guidelines

	UFH	Enoxaparin	Fondaparinux	Bivalirudin
NSTE-ACS				
ESC 2015	I (in patients who cannot receive bivalirudin)	IIa (in patients pre-treated with enoxaparin) IIb (in patients pre-treated with enoxaparin)	I (if used additional UFH during PCI)	I
ACC/AHA 2014	I		III as sole anticoagulant during PCI	I

Zeymer U, et al. EHJ 2016; 37: 3376

Bivalirudin for Patients With Acute Coronary Syndrome

Net Clinical Outcome (Ischemia or Major Bleeding)



Stone GW, Cequier A, et al.
NEJM 2006; 355; 2203

ACCOAST Trial

Pretreatment with Prasugrel in Non-ST-Segment Elevation ACS

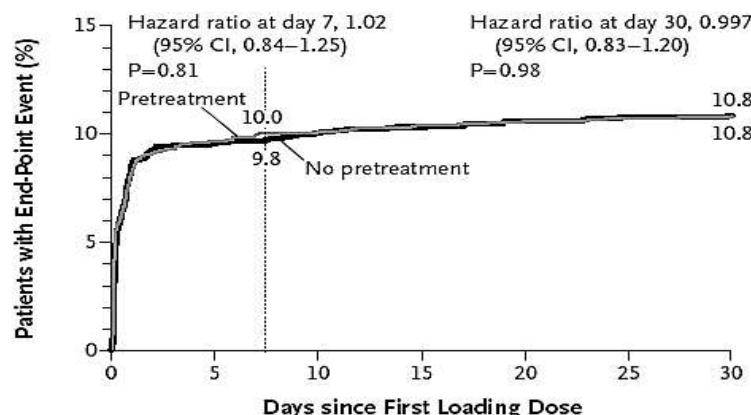
n= 4033 pts, ACS and + troponin and angiography 2-48 hrs after randomization.

Primary endpoint: Composite of death, MI, stroke, urgent revasc and rescue IIb/IIIa inhibitors.

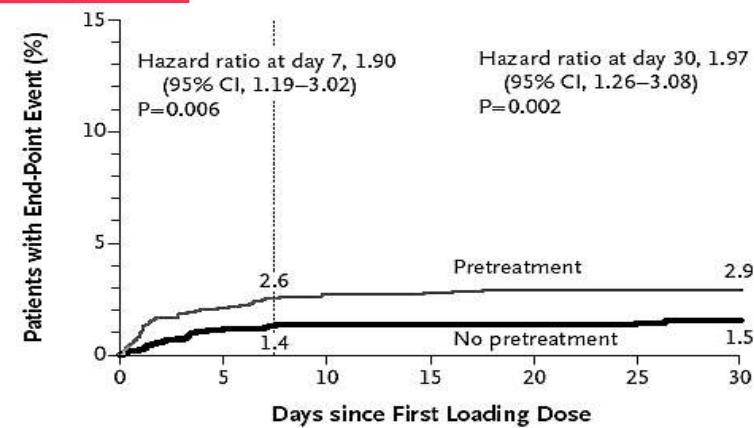
Pretreatment: prasugrel 30 mg pre-angiography + prasugrel 30 mg with PCI

Control group: placebo pre-angiography + prasugrel 60 mg with PCI

A Primary Efficacy End Point



B All TIMI Major Bleeding



Conclusion: In ptes with NSTE ACS, pretreatment with prasugrel did not reduce the rate of major ischemic events but increased the rate of major bleeding complications.

Ticagrelor vs Clopidogrel in ACS Patients

PLATO Trial

Benefits of Ticagrelor were consistent in patients:

- With non-invasive management¹
- With or without revascularization²
- In elderly³
- In women⁴
- With renal dysfunction⁵
- With history of stroke or TIA⁶

1- James SK, et al. BMJ 2011; 342: d3527

2- Lindholm D, et al. Eur Heart J 2014; April 11, on line

3- Husted S, et al. Circ CV Qual Out 2012; 5: 680

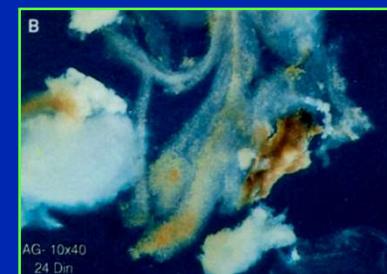
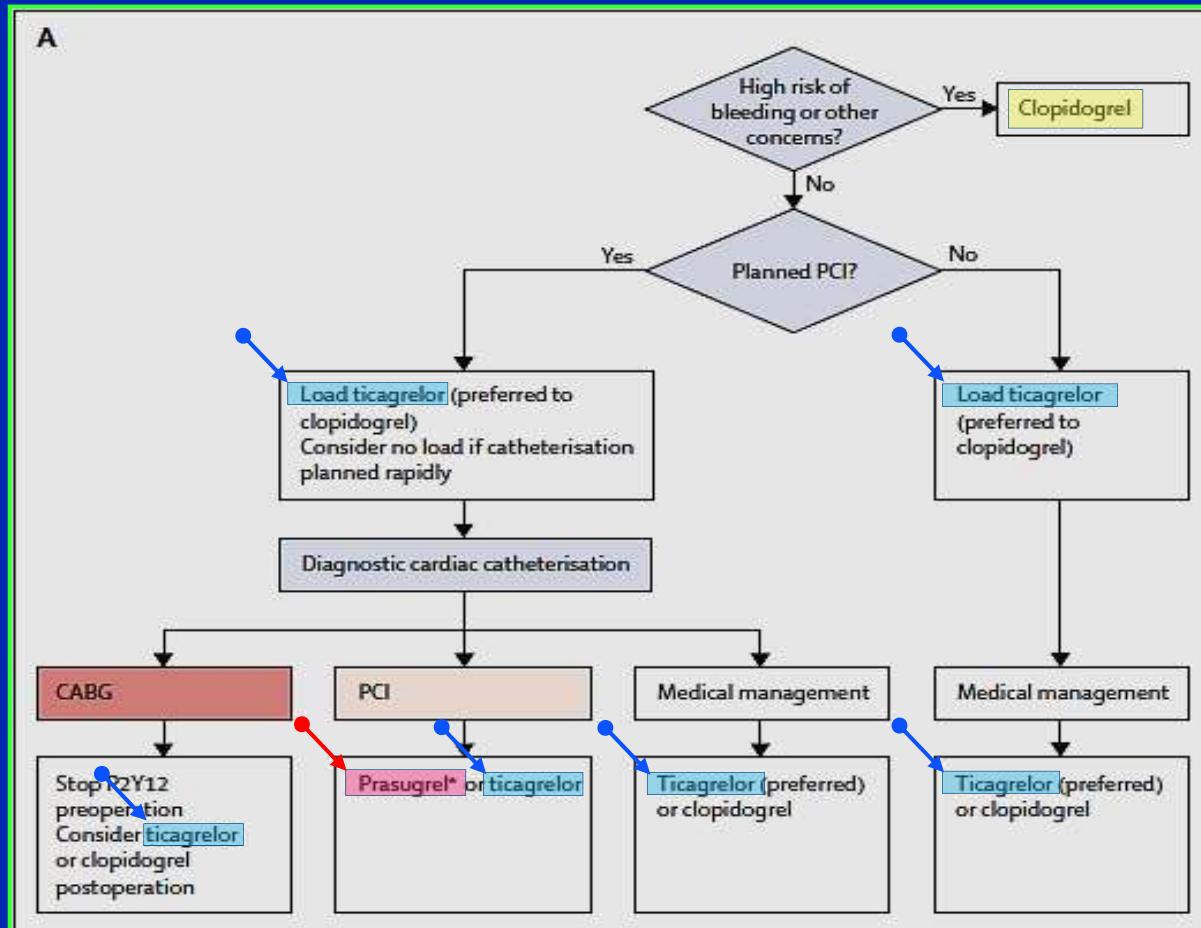
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5- Montalescot G, Silvain J. Circulation 2010; 122: 1049

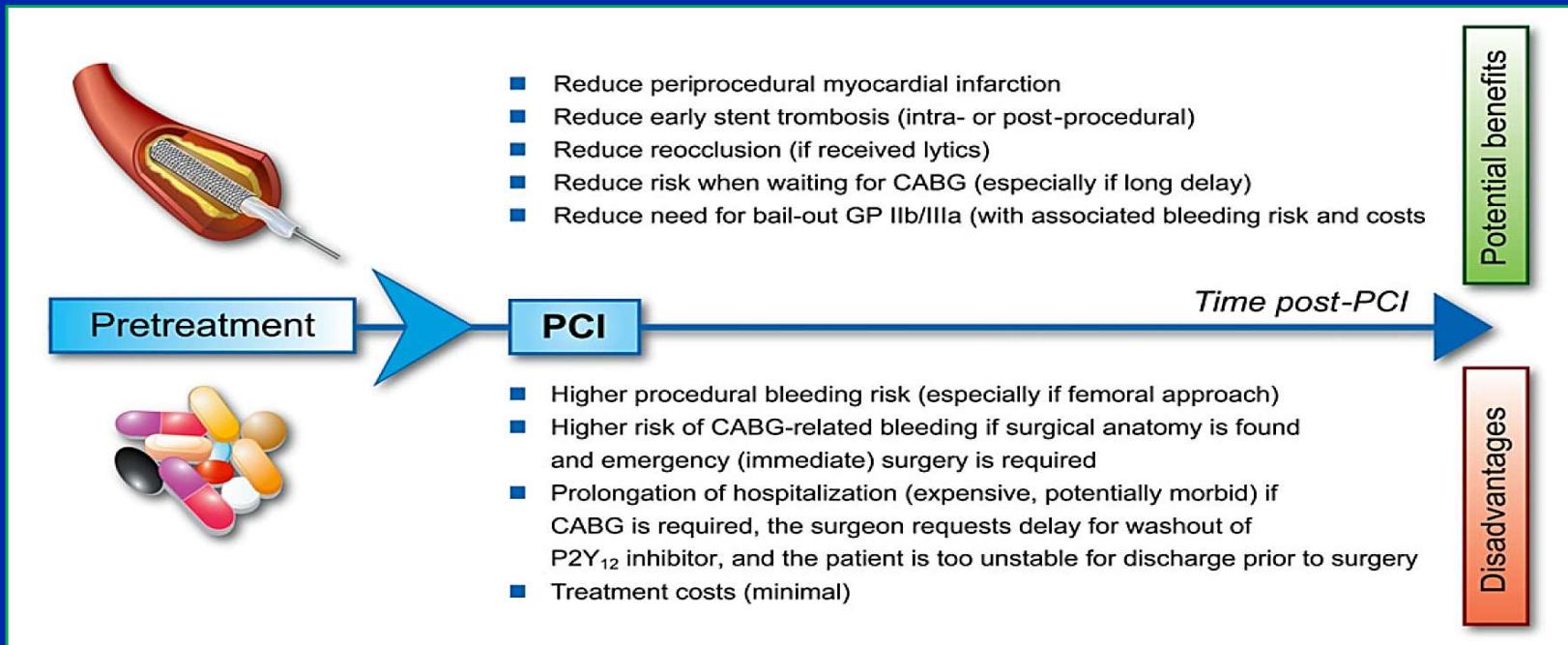
6- James SK, et al. Circulation 2012; 125: 2914

Choice of P2Y₁₂ Antagonist in ACS based on European and US Guidelines

Unstable Angina /Non-STEMI



Pre-Treatment with P2Y₁₂ Inhibitors in ACS



Potential benefits and disadvantages of P2Y₁₂ pre-treatment

Integrating Treatment in ACS

Non ST-Elevation ACS Invasive Strategy

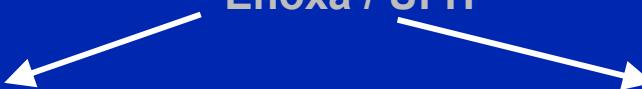
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Pre-PCI:

ASA + Clopidogrel /**Ticagrelor**

+

Enoxa / UFH



Intermediate risk

Angiography 24 – 48 hrs

High – risk

Early upstream IIb/IIIa* + UFH/Enoxa

+

Angiography < 24 hrs

*not preloaded with P2Y₁₂ inhibitors

Per-PCI:

Increased anatomic risk: Abciximab
DES vs BMS

Conversión de Clopidogrel a un Tratamiento Antiplaquetario mas Potente (Ticagrelor)

Criterios de Alto Riesgo Trombótico Escenario SCASEST

Primeras 24-48 hrs

Criterios Clínicos

- Diabetes Mellitus
- Antecedentes IAM otro territorio
- Troponinas +++
- Cambios dinámicos ST/T
- GRACE > 140
- Angina post- IAM
- ICP reciente /CABG previa

Criterios Angiográficos

- Trombo residual
- Disección residual no cubierta
- Stent en el TC/territ. hipocinetico
- Dudas expansión/aposición stents
- Longitud stent +++, Ø<2.5 mm
- Enfermedad coronaria extensa
- Carga aterosclerotica +++

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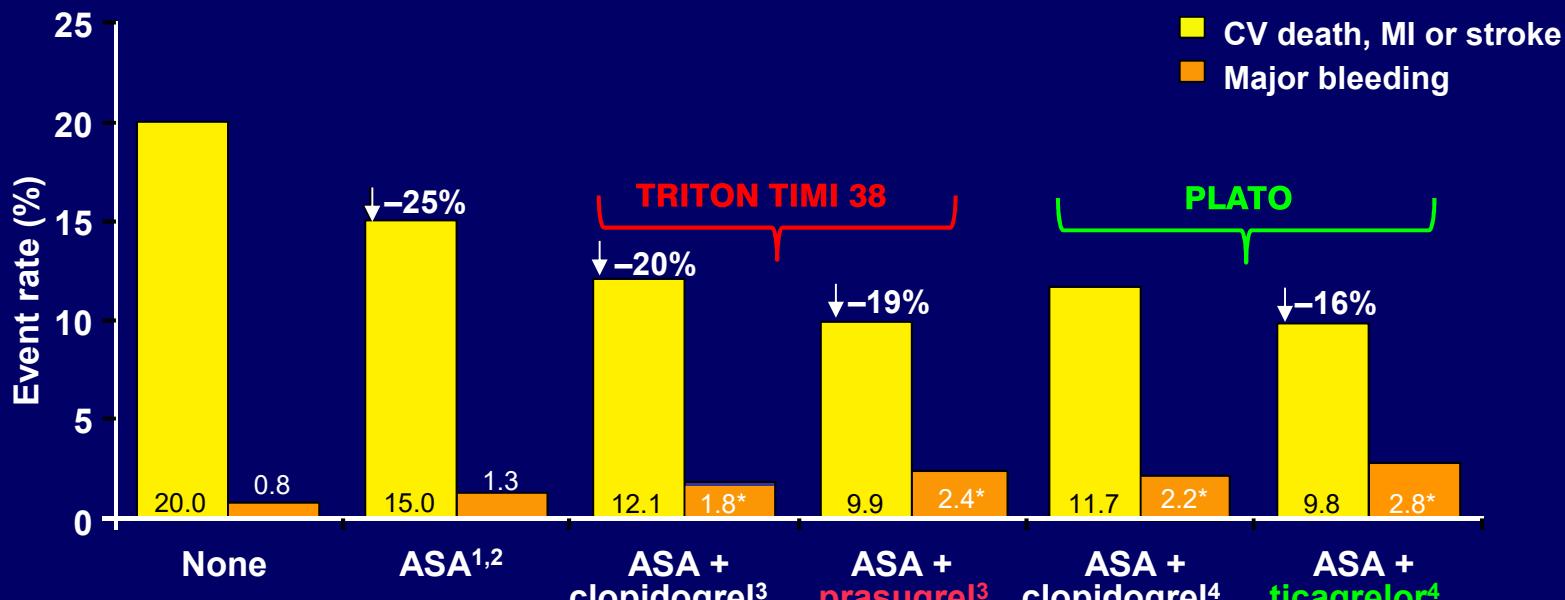
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Secondary Prevention in ACS

1 year after an initial ischemic event, the incidence of a new CV event (death, MI or CVA) is ~10%

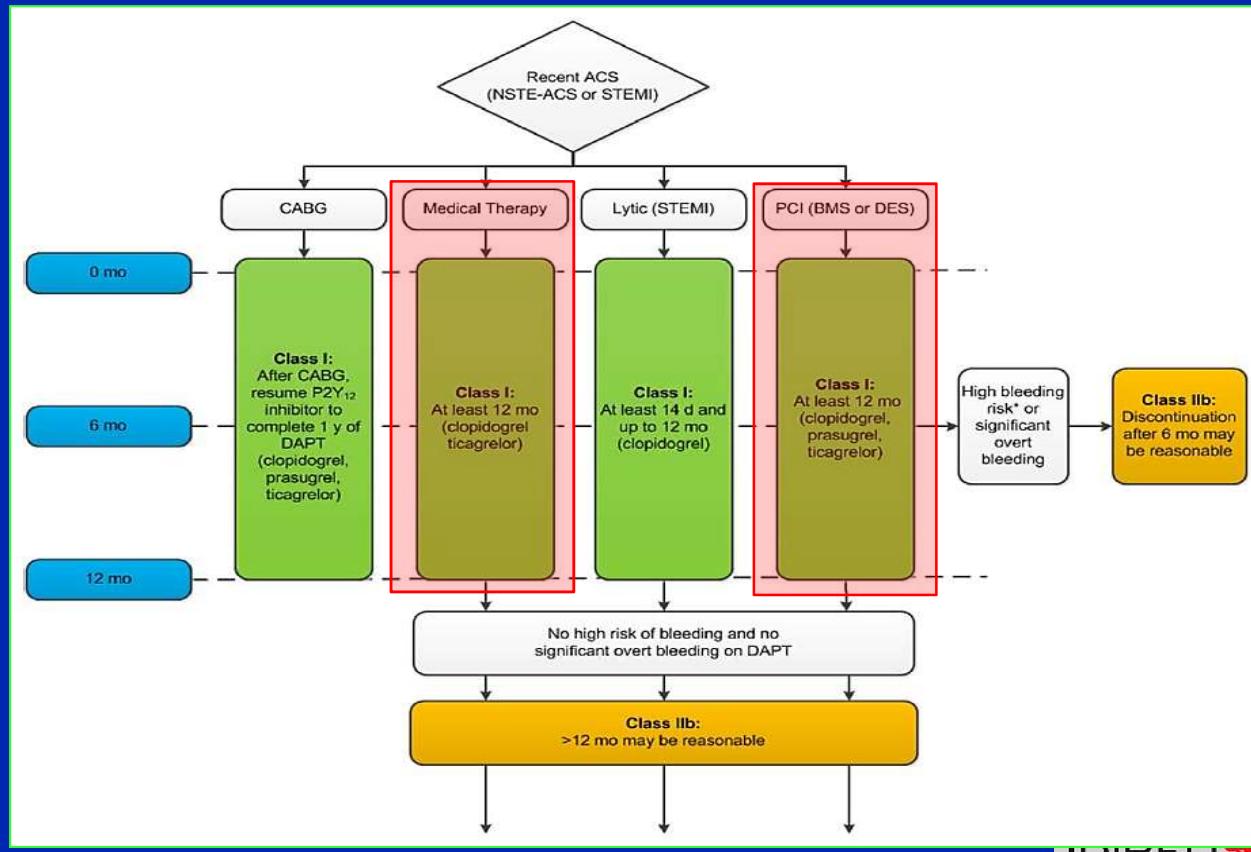


*Major bleeding: non-CABG-related TIMI major bleeding

1. Antiplatelet Trialists' Collaboration, 1994; 2. Antithrombotic Trialists' Collaboration, 2002; 3. Wiviott *et al*, 2007; 4. Wallentin *et al*, 2009

2016 ACC/AHA Guideline Focused Update on Duration of DAPT Treatment Algorithm for Duration of P2Y₁₂ Inhibitor Therapy in Patients With Recent ACS (NSTE-ACS or STEMI)

**Levine GN, et al.
JACC & Circulation
2016**



WHAT DO THE ESC GUIDELINES SAY?

2014 ESC- Revascularization Guidelines STEMI/NSTEACS

A P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is recommended in addition to ASA and maintained over 12 months unless there are contraindications such as excessive risk of bleeding. Options are:

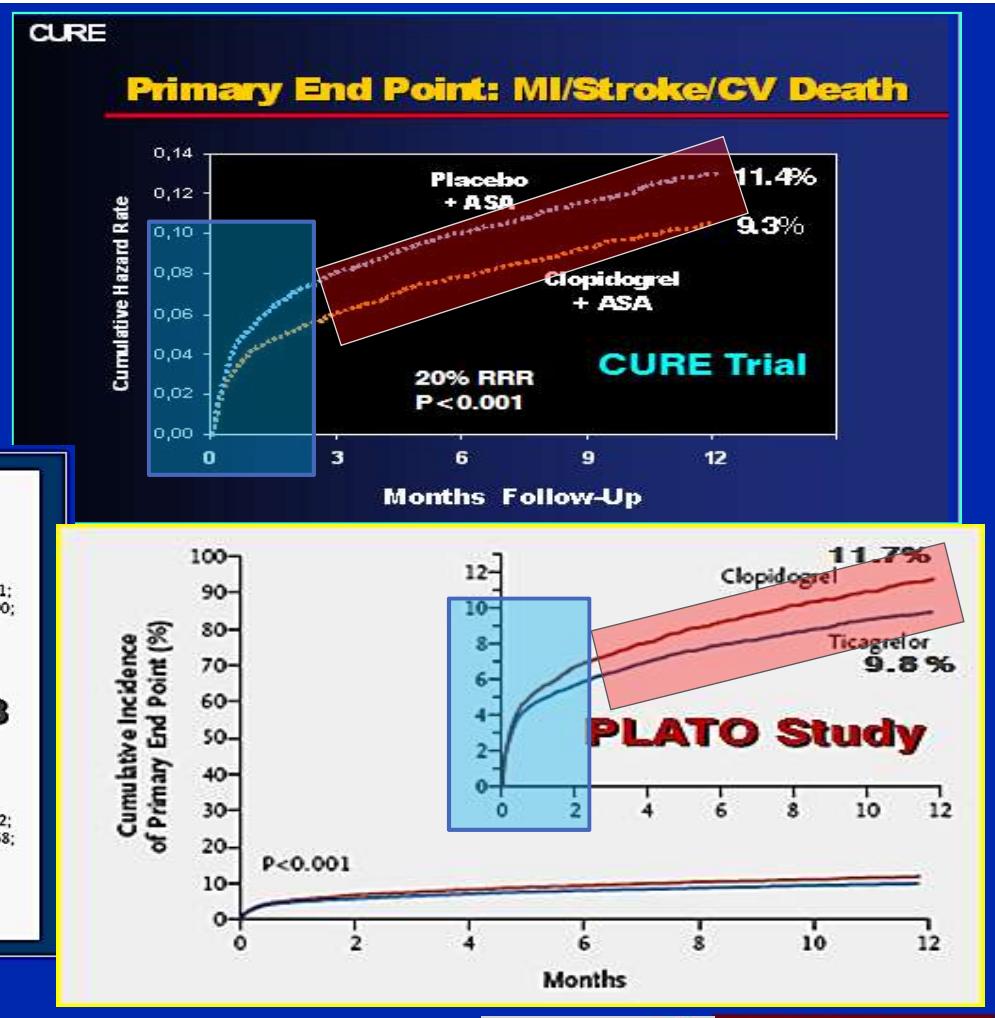
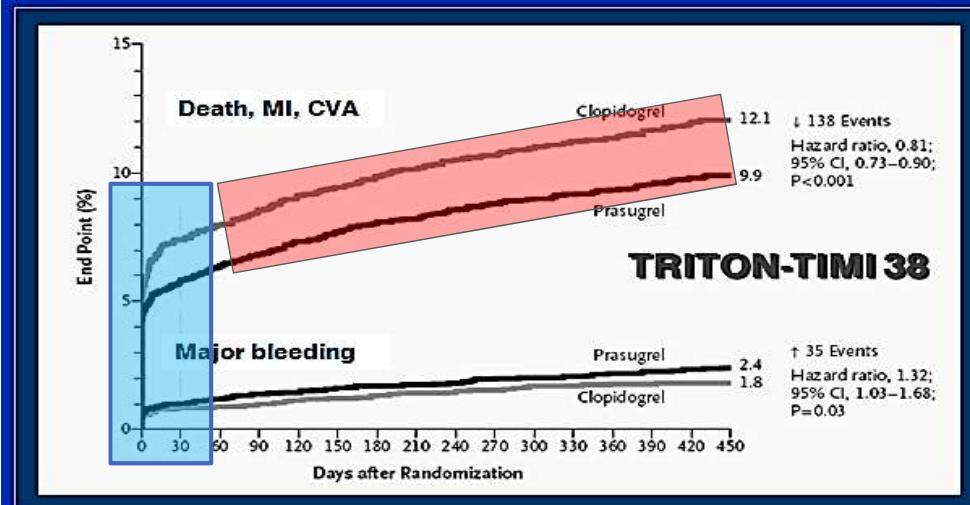
I A

2016 ESC- NSTE-ACS Guidelines

A P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor is recommended, in addition to aspirin, for 12 months unless there are contraindications such as excessive risk of bleeds.	I	A
P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor administration for a shorter duration of 3–6 months after DES implantation may be considered in patients deemed at high bleeding risk.	IIb	A
P2Y ₁₂ inhibitor administration in addition to aspirin beyond 1 year may be considered after careful assessment of the ischaemic and bleeding risks of the patient.	IIb	A

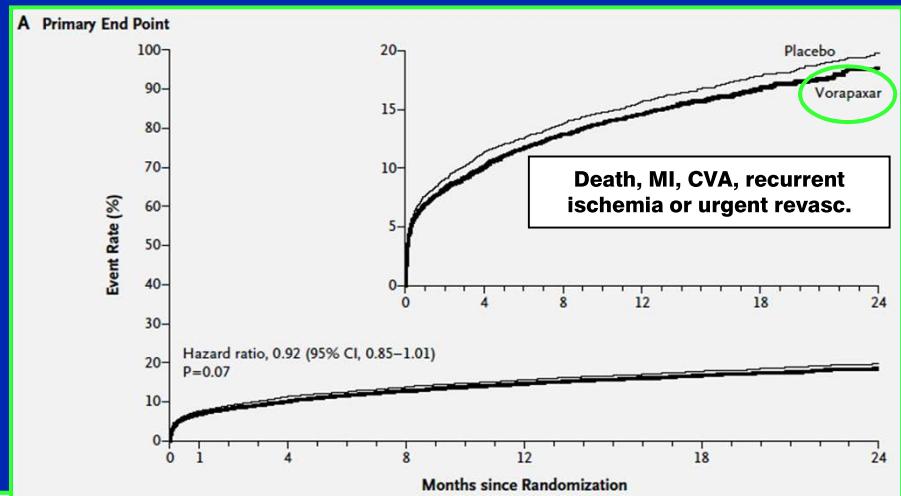
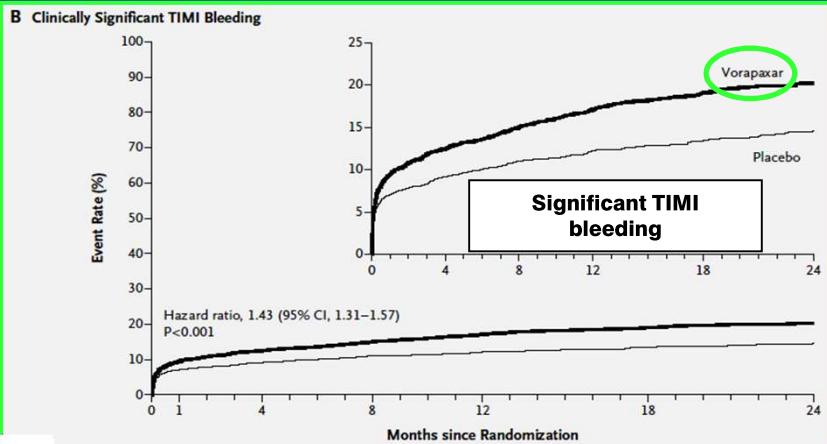
Oral Antiplatelets Inhibitors Post-ACS

Long-Term Treatment



Thrombin-Receptor Antagonist Vorapaxar in Acute Coronary Syndromes TRA-CER Trial

- 12.944 pts with moderate-to-high-risk NSTEACS. Standard of care based on practical guidelines.
- Randomized Vorapaxar vs Placebo.
- ASA + Clopidogrel: 92 %; PCI: 58 %.
- Trial terminated after a safety review.



Conclusions

The addition of vorapaxar to standard therapy did not reduce the primary end-point and increased the risk of major bleeding.

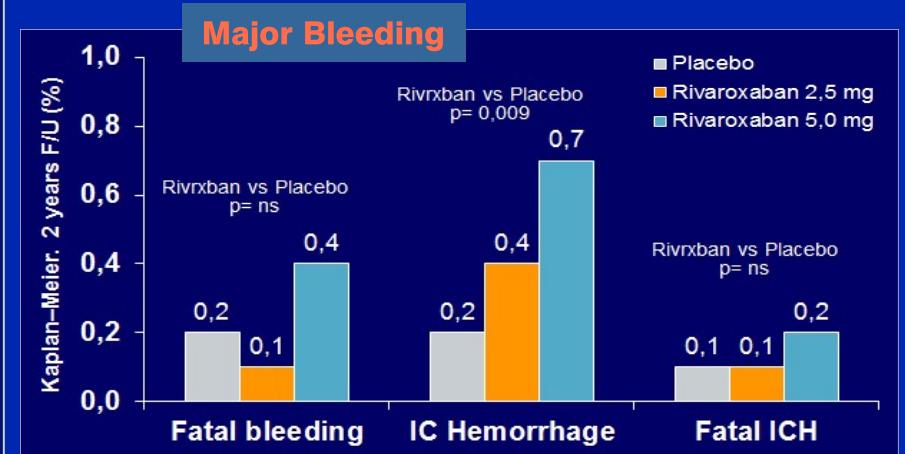
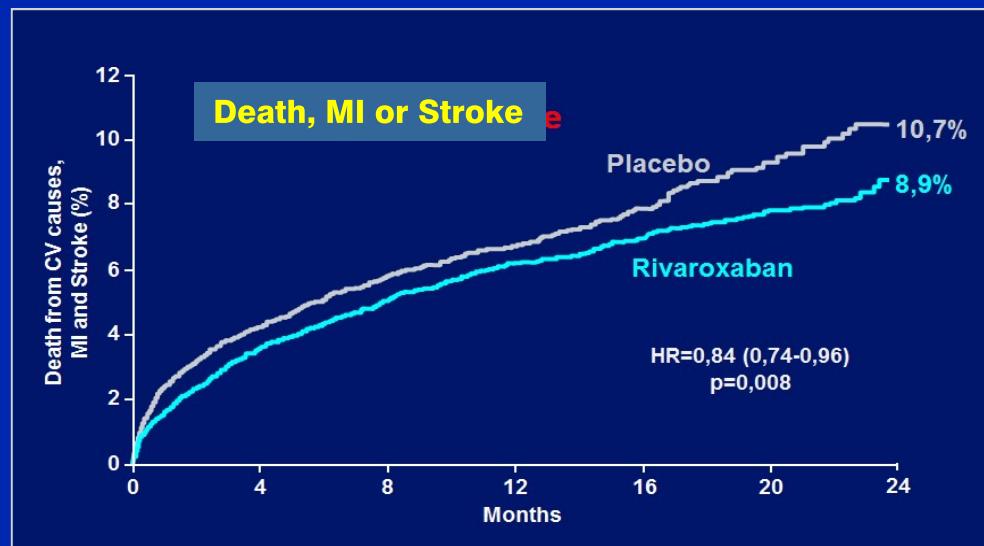
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2012; 366:20

Rivaroxaban in Patients with a Recent Acute Coronary Syndrome

ATLAS ACS 2-TIMI 51 Trial

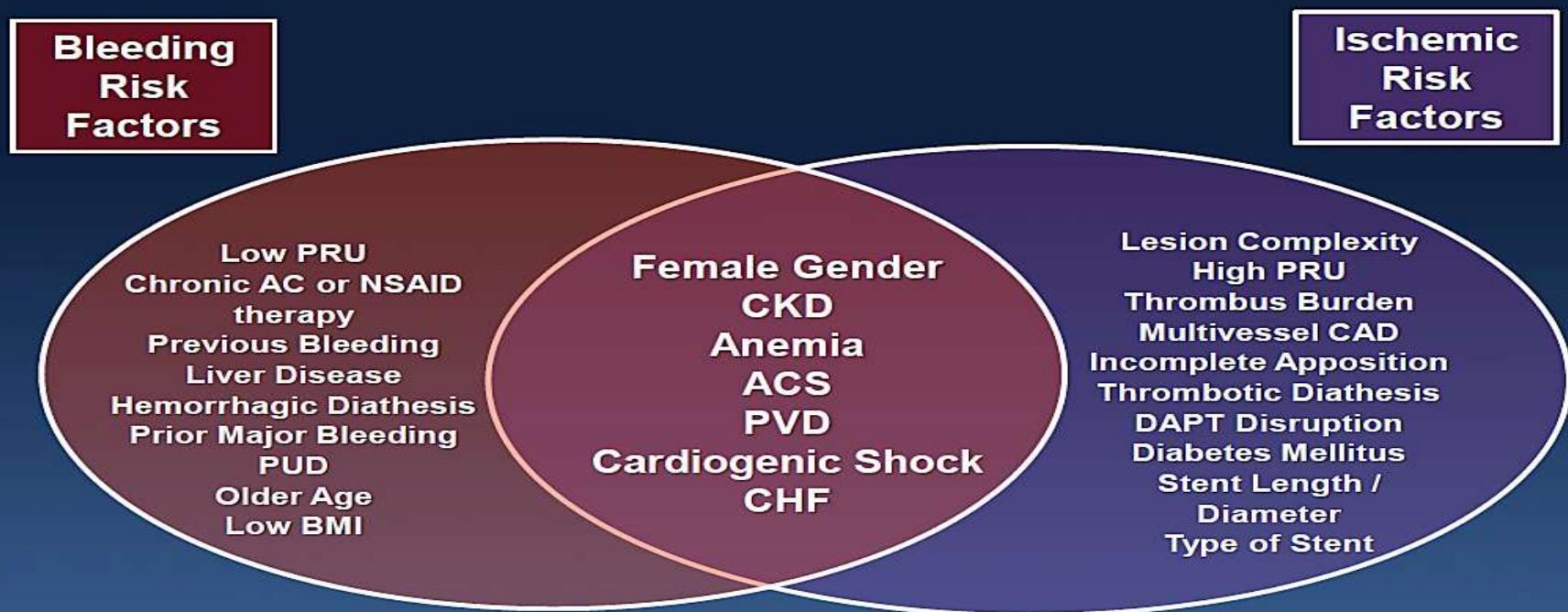
Mega JL et al. NEJM 2012; 366: 9

- 15.526 pts with a recent ACS < 7 d. Standard of care based on practical guidelines.
93% with AAS + thienopyridine. / Randomized Rivaroxaban (2.5 mg or 5 mg, bid) vs Placebo. /
Mean F/U: 13 months. / Primary end-point: CV death, MI or stroke.



Rivaroxaban reduce the risk of ischemic events. Rivaroxaban increased the risk of intracranial hemorrhage but not the risk of fatal bleeding. The 2,5 mg dose resulted in fewer fatal bleeding events than the 5 mg dose.

Overlap Between Bleeding and Ischemic Risk Clinical Factors

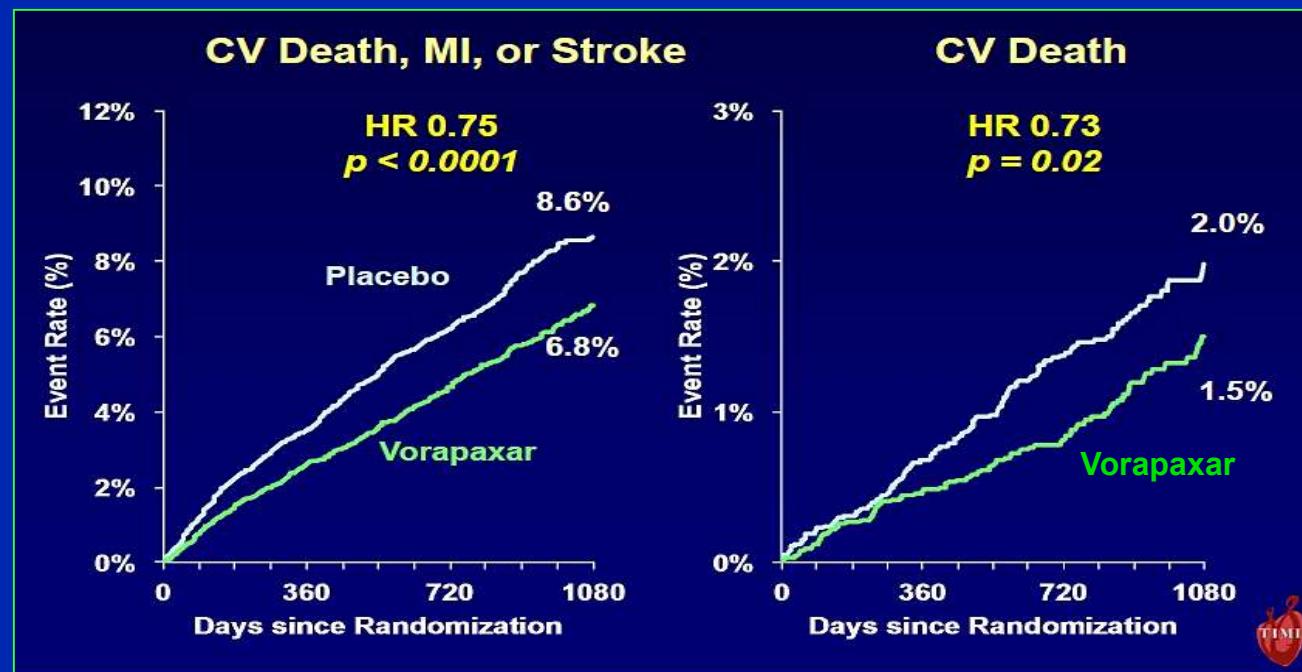


Vorapaxar for Secondary Prevention of Thrombotic Events for Patients with Previous MI

TRA 2°P.
TIMI 50 Trial

Subgroup with previous MI (78% with DAPT)

Low Bleeding Risk Cohort

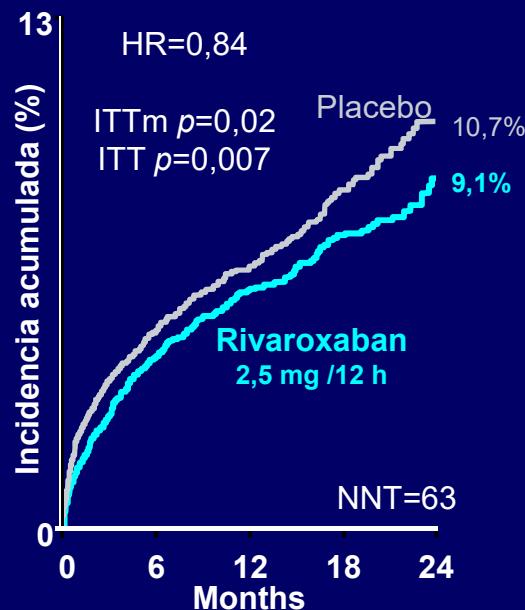


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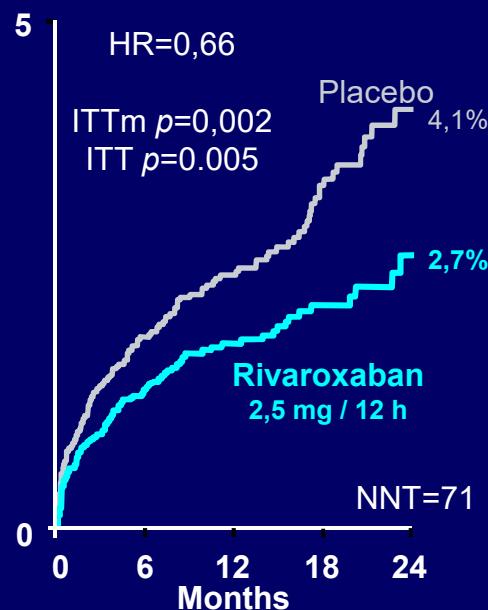
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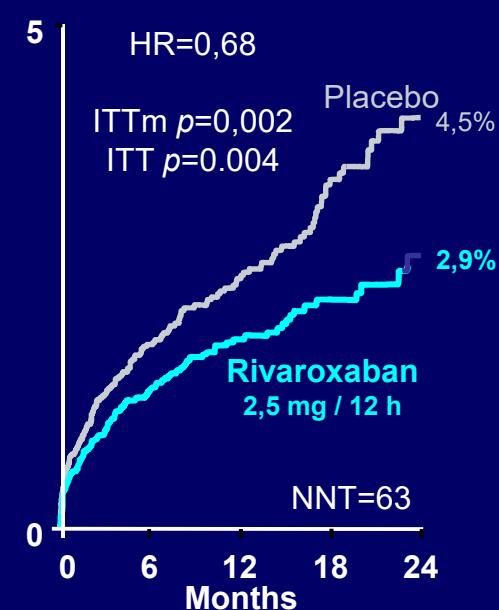
CV Death / MI / Stroke



CV Death



Death from any cause



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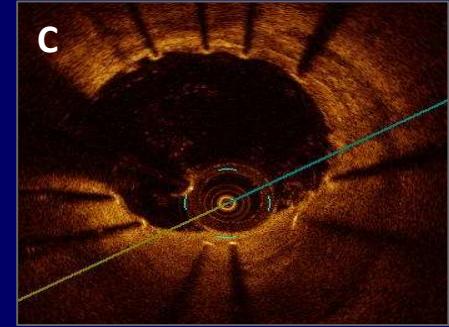
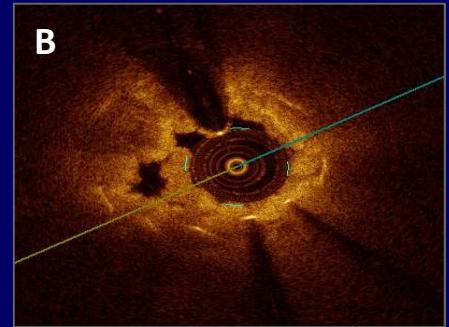
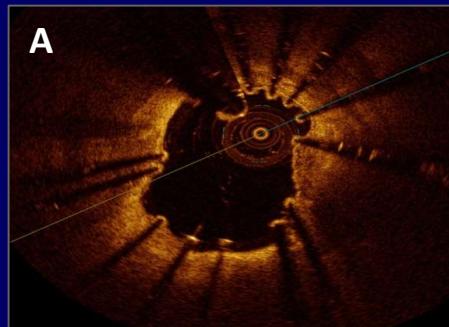
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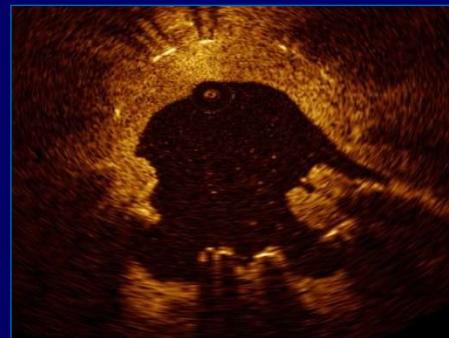
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Stent Thrombosis

Patient 1.- Late Stent Thrombosis.
9 months after implantation



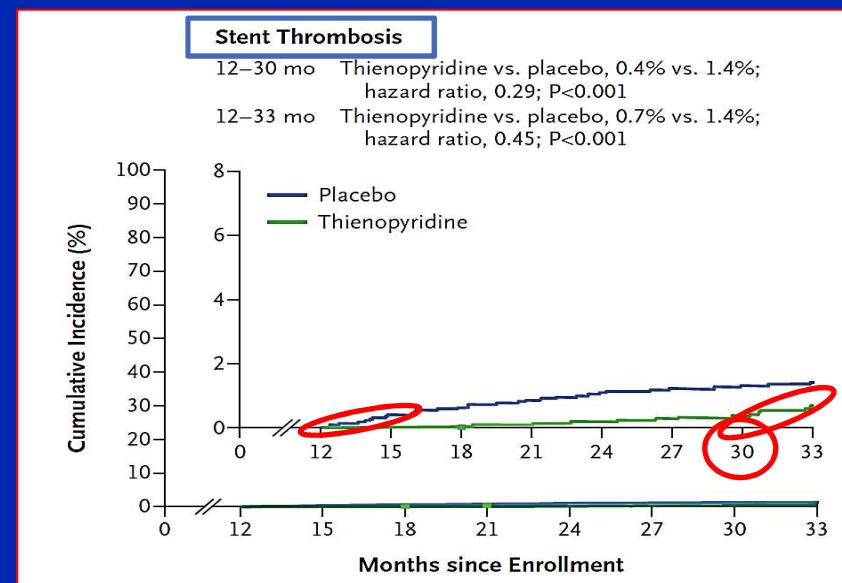
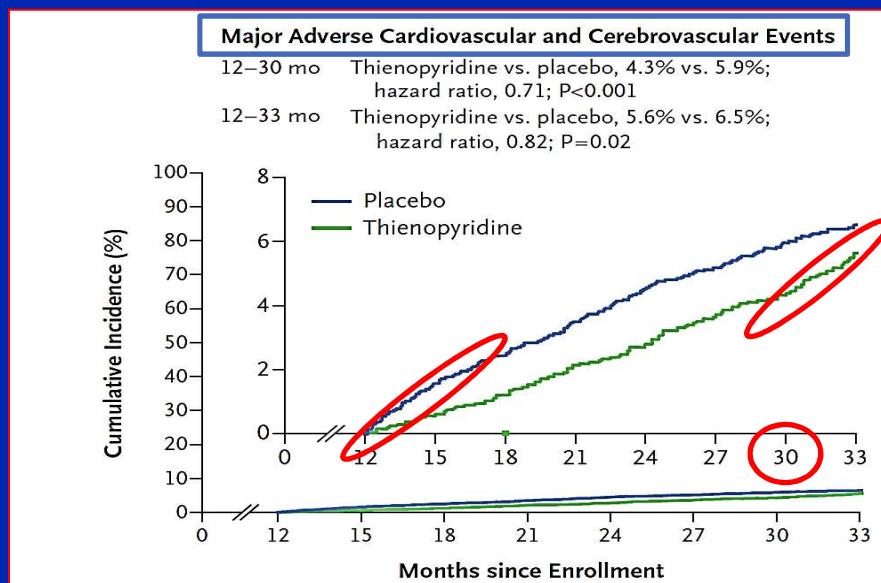
Patient 2.- Very Late Stent Thrombosis.
29 months after implantation



12 or 30 Months of Dual Antiplatelet Therapy after DES



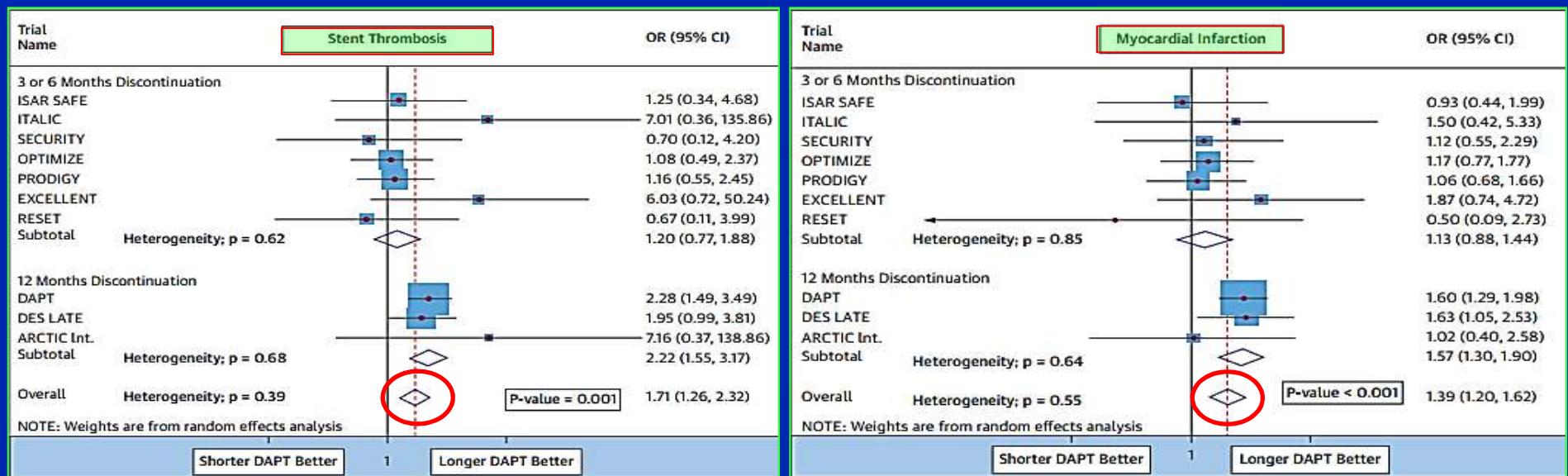
- 9961 ptses 12 months after DES treated with AAS+Clopi/Prasu.
- Randomized to continued DAPT or receive placebo.



Conclusions: DAPT beyond 1 yr after DES, as compared with AAS alone, significantly reduced the risk of stent thrombosis and MACE but with an increase of risk of bleeding.

Longer DAPT is Associated with Lower Risk of Stent Thrombosis and Myocardial Infarction

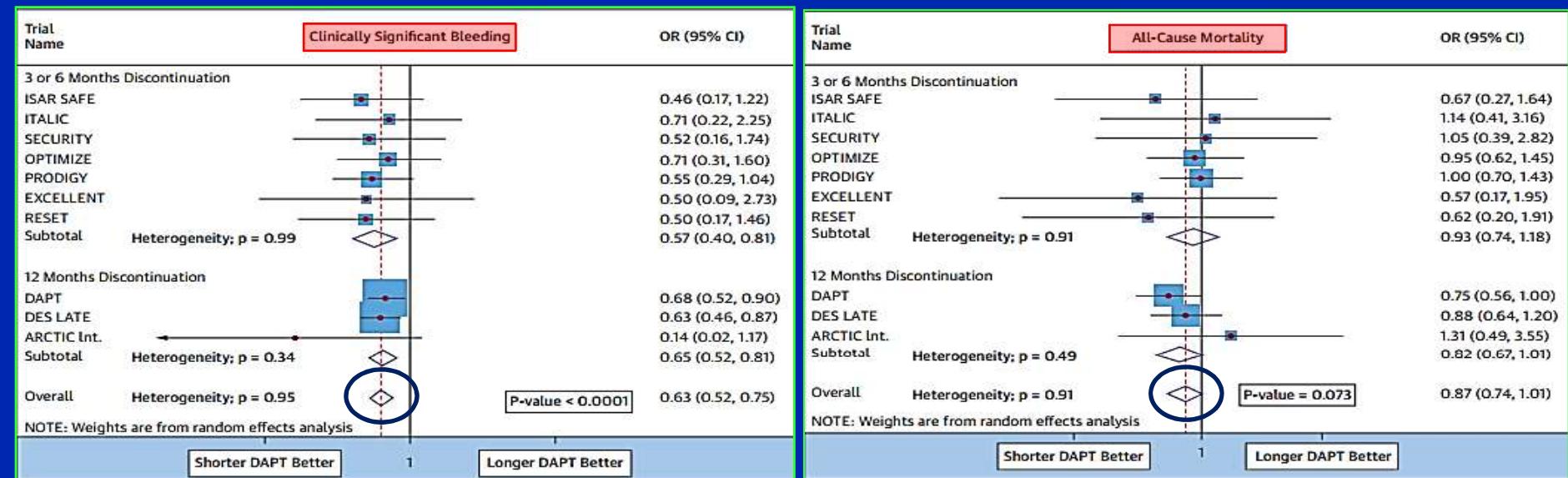
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Shorter DAPT is Associated with Lower Risk of Clinically Significant Bleeding and All-Cause Mortality

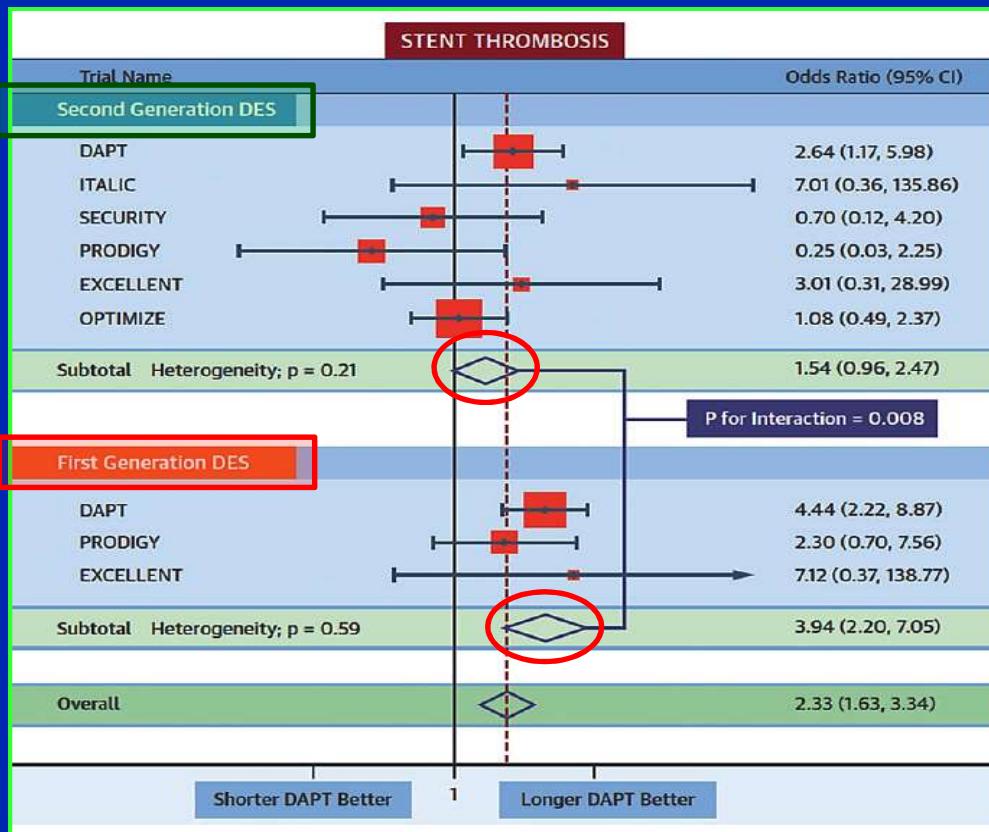
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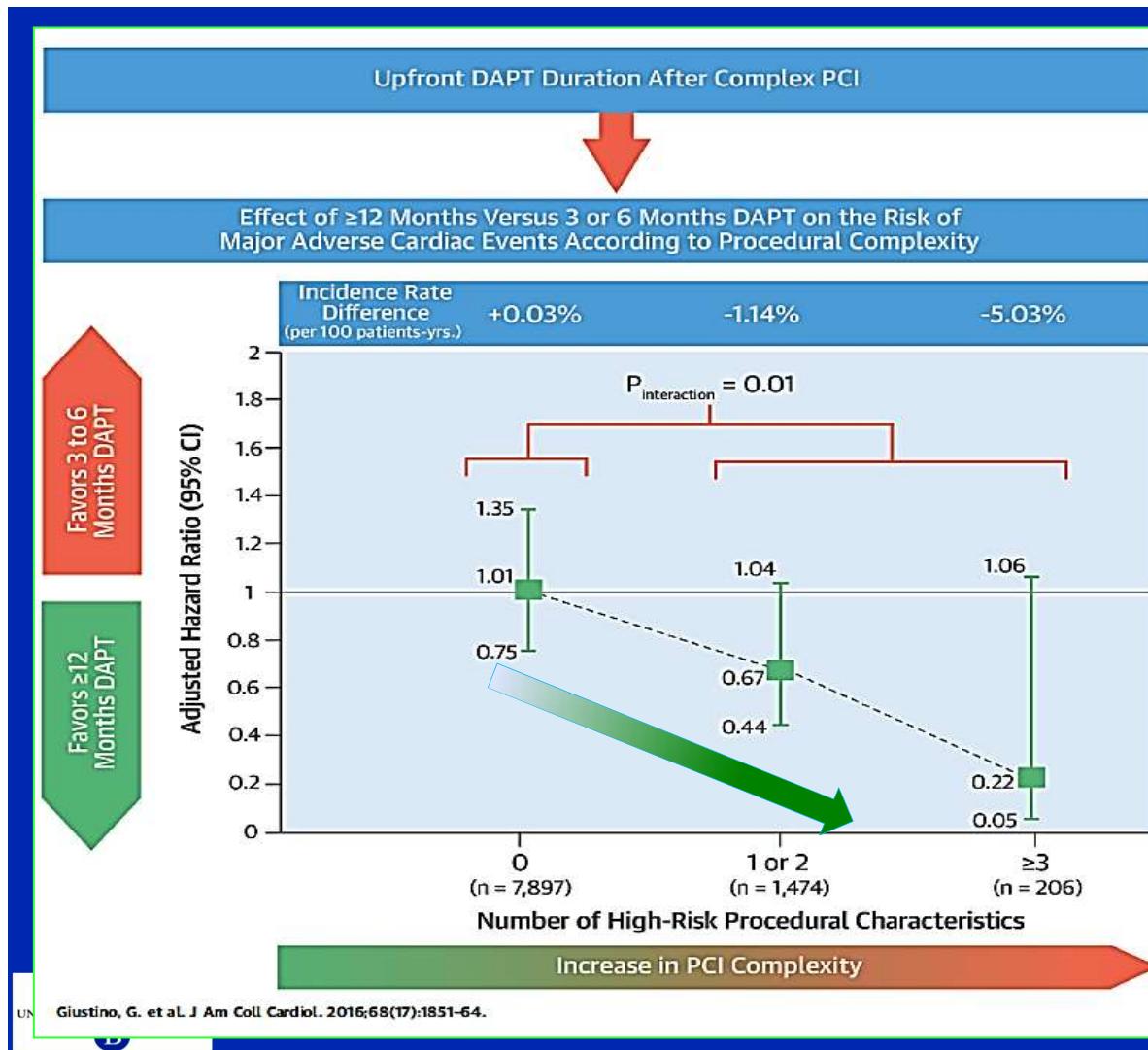
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Dual Antiplatelet Therapy (DAPT), Type of DES and Stent Thrombosis

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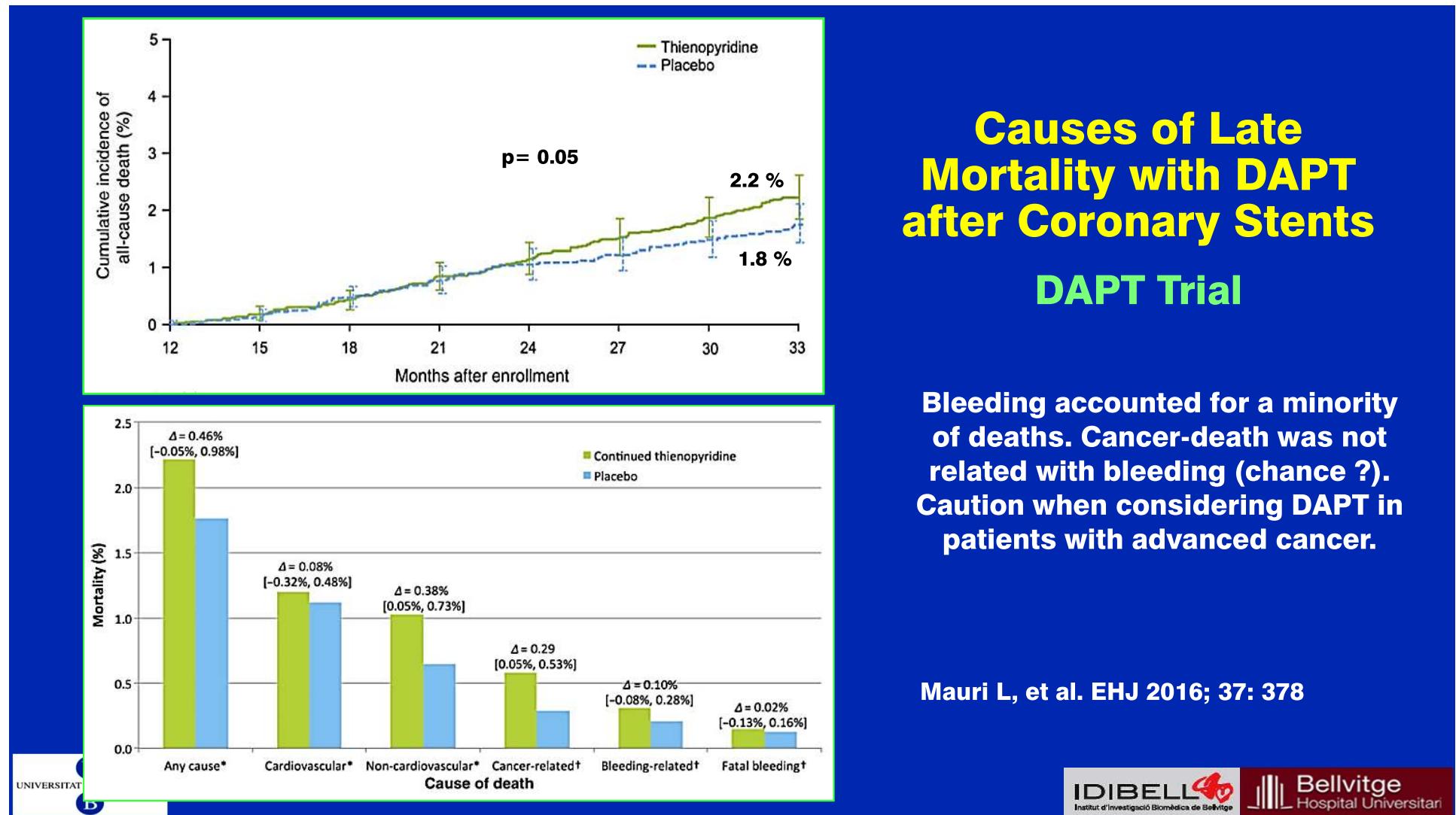
Efficacy and Safety of DAPT After Complex PCI



Complex PCI
At least 1 of the following:

- 3 vessel treated
- ≥ 3 stents implanted
- ≥ 3 lesions treated
- bifurcation + 2 stents
- stent length > 60 mm
- CTO

MACE= death, MI or stent thrombosis



Tratamiento Antitrombótico en los Síndromes Coronarios Agudos

1.- Escenario fisiopatológico común

2.- Tratamiento inicial

- SCA Con Elevación del ST**
- SCA Sin Elevación del ST**

3.- Tratamiento antitrombótico a largo plazo

- En Prevención Secundaria**
- Post-implantación de stents**

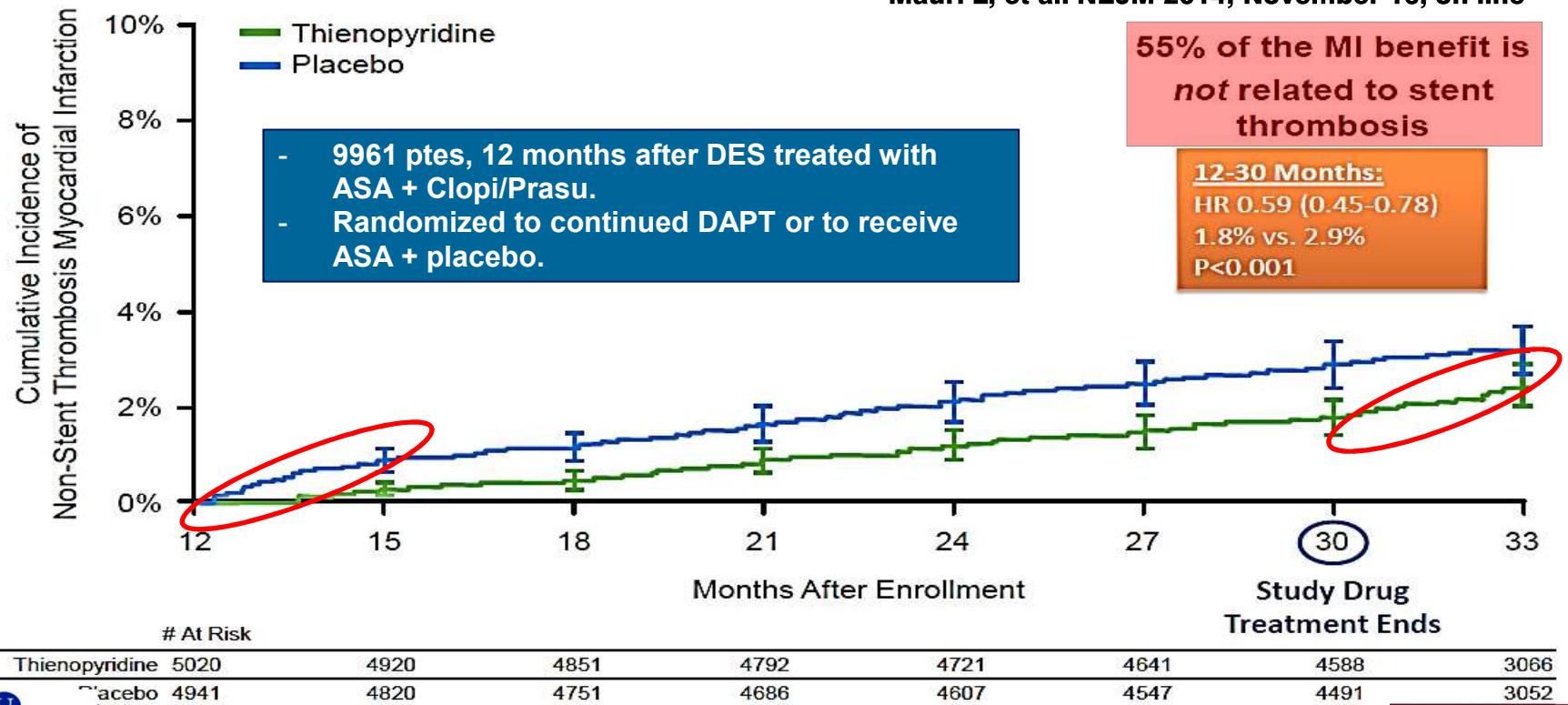
- ¿Tratamientos mas prolongados (>1 año)?

12 or 30 Months of Dual Antiplatelet Therapy after DES

Non-Stent Related Myocardial Infarction



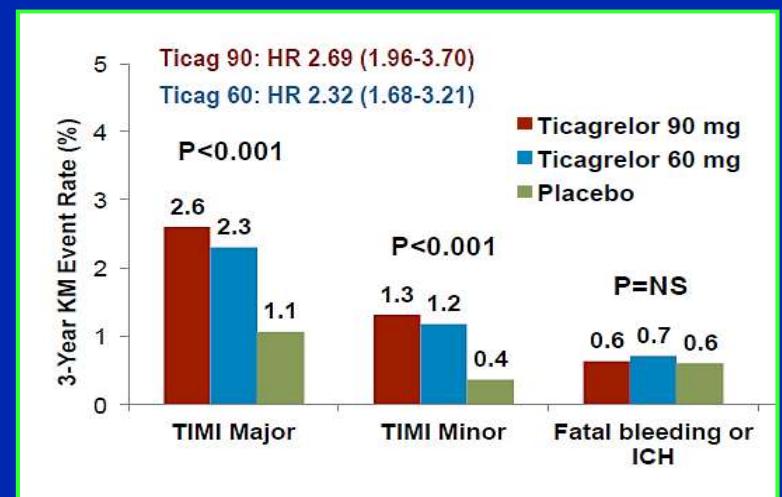
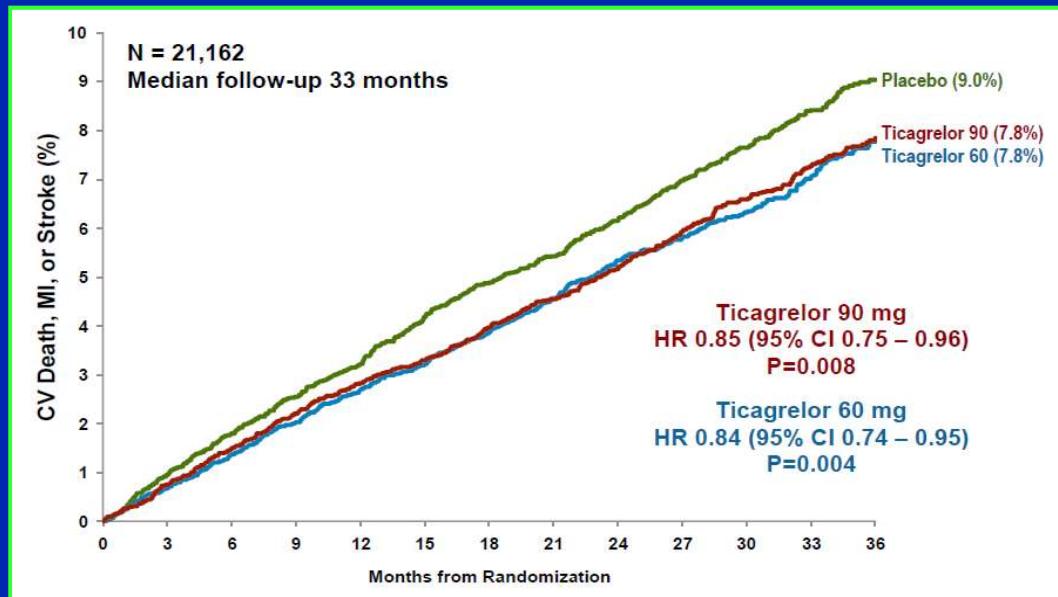
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Long-Term Use of Ticagrelor in Ptes with Prior MI

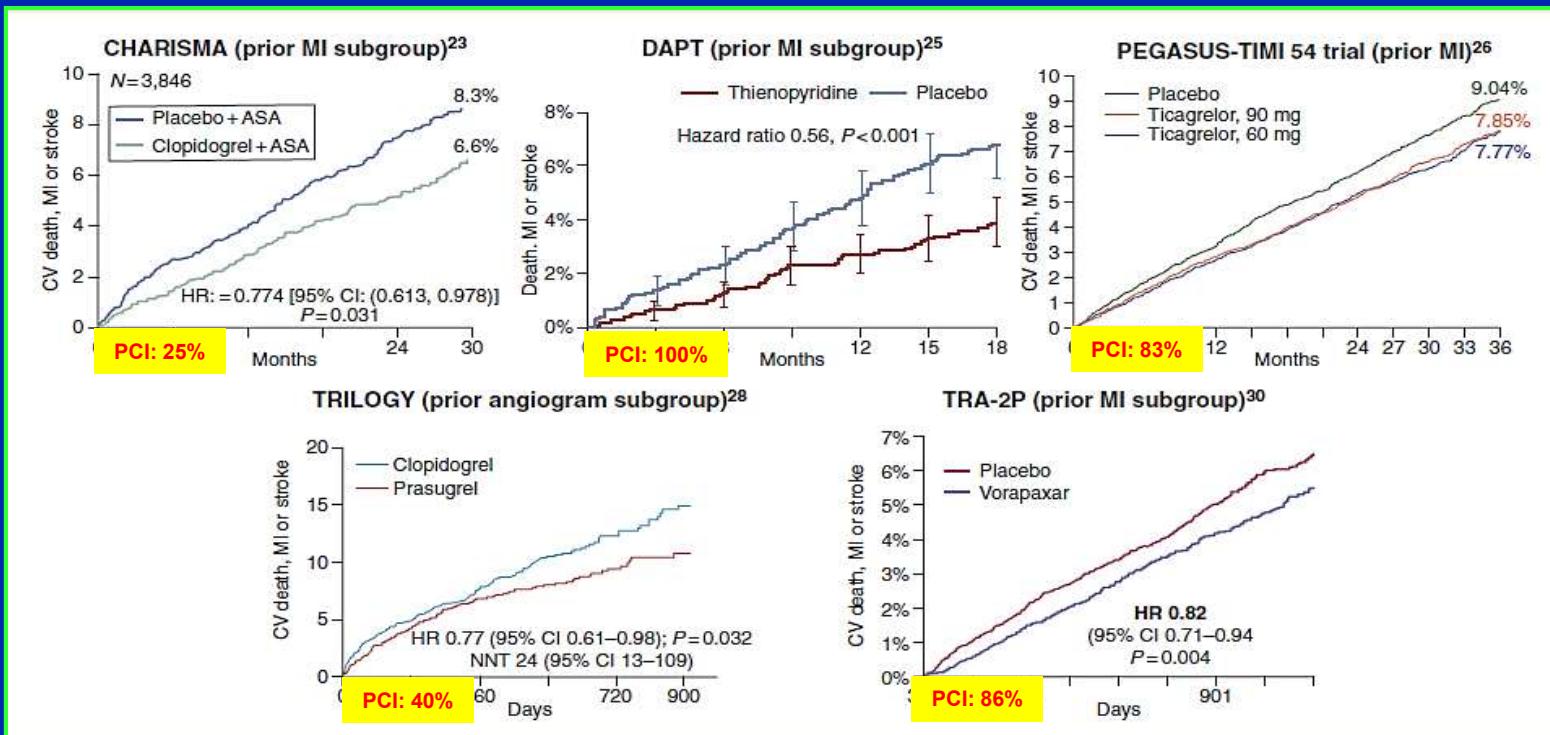


- 21162 ptes, 1-3 yrs post-MI with low dose ASA.
- ≥ 50 yo + 1 high risk factor (≥ 65 yo, diabetes, 2nd prior MI, MVD, CrCl<60mL/min)
- Randomized to **ticagrelor** (90mg bid or 60mg bid) vs **placebo**.



Conclusions: In ptes with a MI > 1 year previously, ticagrelor significantly reduced the risk of CV death, MI, or stroke and increased the risk of major bleeding.

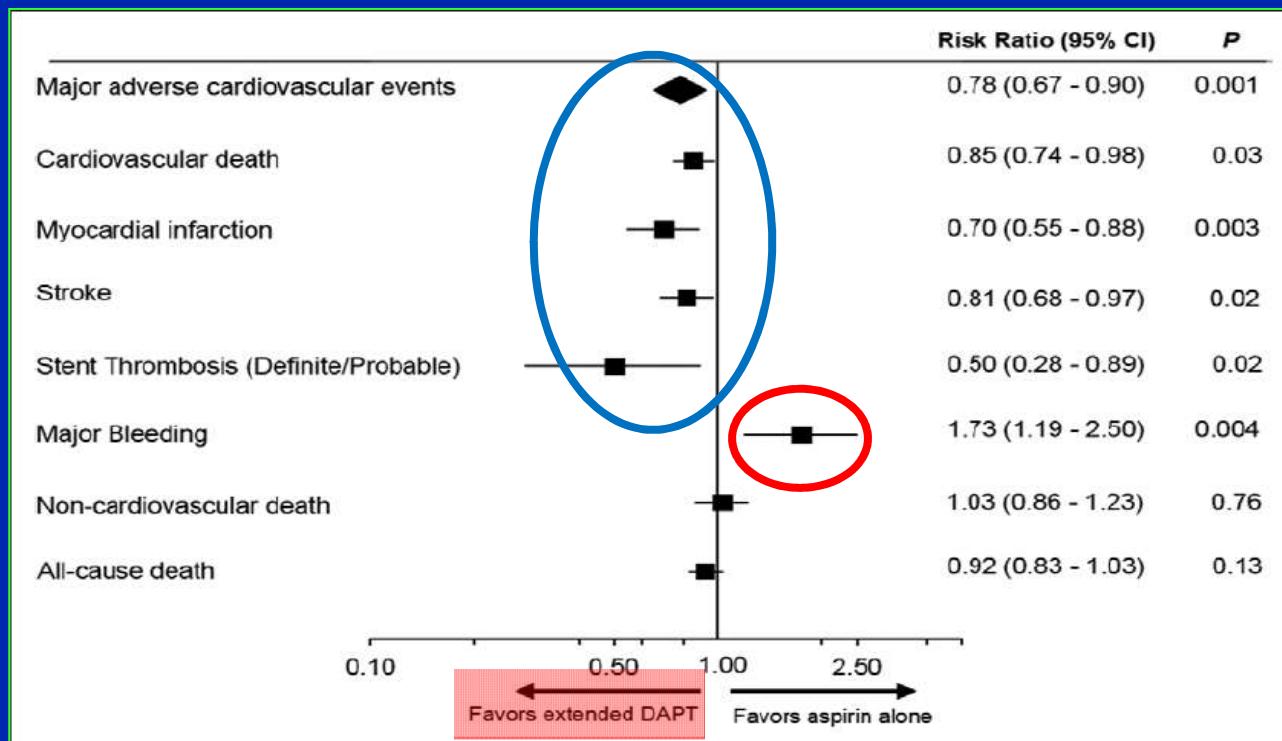
Duration of Dual Antiplatelet Therapy



Stronger antiplatelet therapy beyond 1 year vs standard care, in pts with prior MI or angiographically proven CAD.

Individualizing Duration of DAPT for Secondary Prevention After ACS

Patients with Previous MI

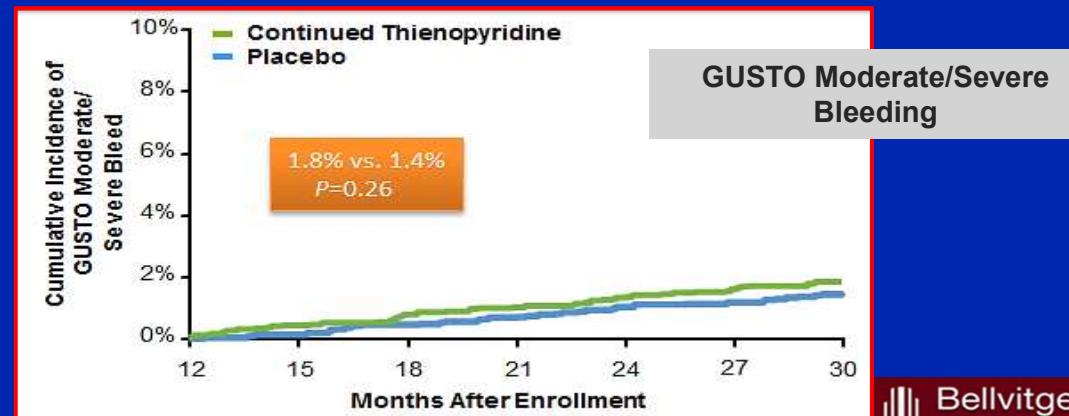
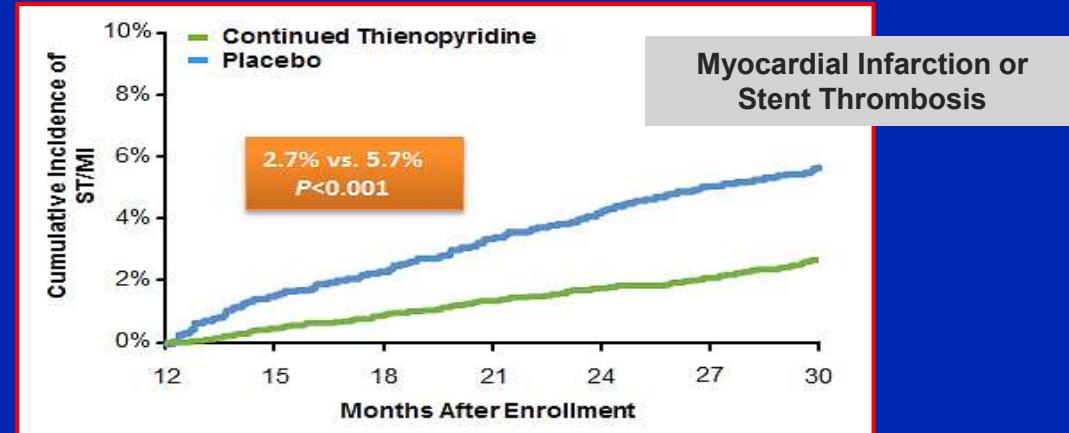


Continued Thienopyridine vs Placebo > 1 Year post-PCI

DAPT Score ≥ 2 (high)

The DAPT Score

Variable	Points
Patient	
- Age ≥ 75	-2
65 - <75	-1
< 65	0
- Diabetes Mellitus	1
- Current Smoker	1
- Prior PCI or Prior MI	1
- CHF or LVEF < 30%	2
Index Procedure	
- MI at Presentation	1
- Vein Graft PCI	2
- Stent Diameter < 3mm	1



Contemporary Risk Scores for Tailoring Antiplatelet Therapy Duration

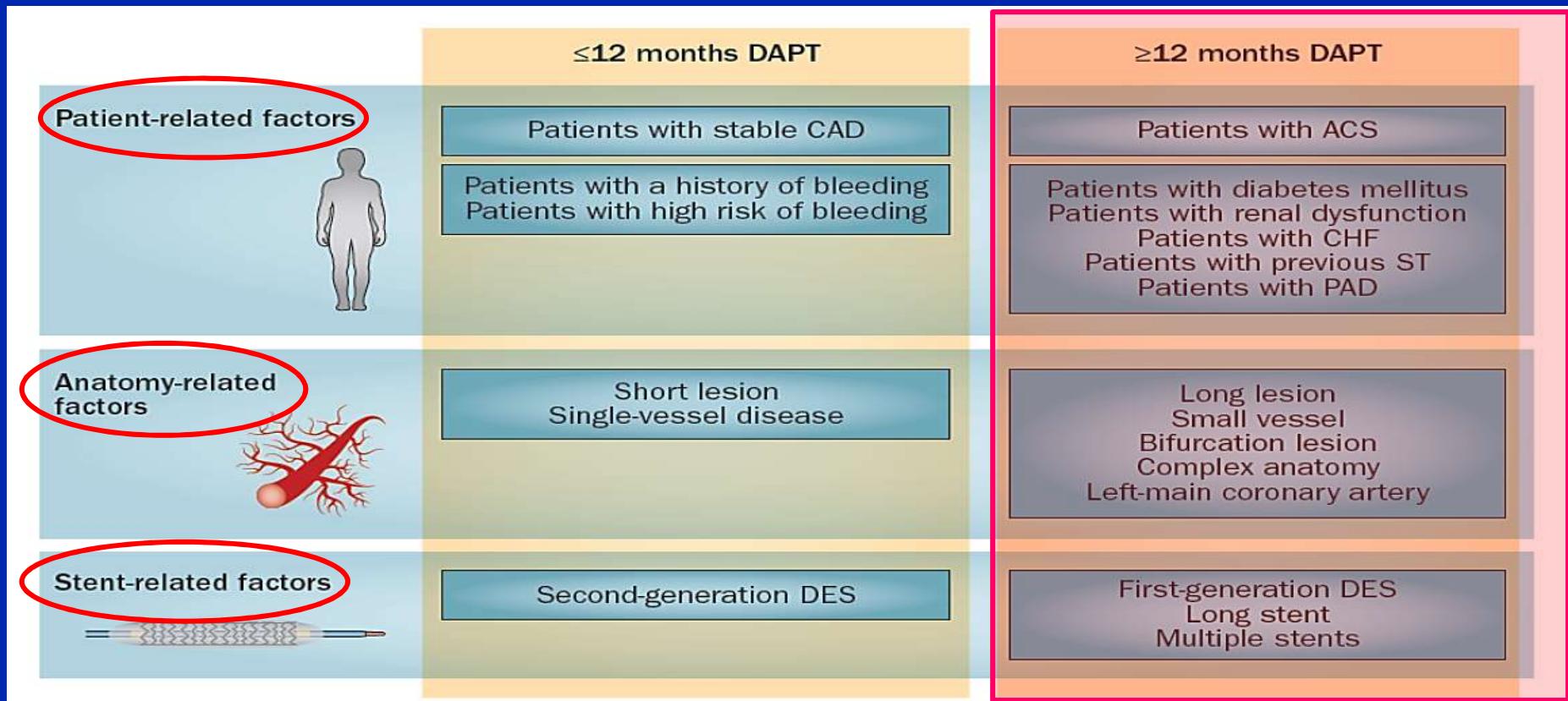
	Number of variables	Development cohort (patients, design)	Setting	Predicted outcome	Validation cohort (patients, c-index)
DAPT	Five clinical, Three procedural	11 648 patients, multicentre randomised clinical trial	PCI patients on DAPT who were event-free for 12 months	Ischaemia and bleeding between 12 and 30 months after PCI	8136 patients, 0.64 for both ischaemia and bleeding
PARIS	Coronary thrombosis risk score: six clinical; major bleeding risk score: six clinical	4190 patients, multicentre registry	PCI patients on DAPT	Ischaemia and bleeding at 24 months after PCI	8665 patients, 0.65 for ischaemia and 0.64 for bleeding
PRECISE-DAPT	Five clinical	14 963 patients, pooled analysis of randomised clinical trials	PCI patients on DAPT	Bleeding at 12 months after PCI	8595 patients, 0.70; N=6172 patients, 0.66

DAPT=dual antiplatelet therapy. PCI=percutaneous coronary intervention.

Recommended Duration of Dual Antiplatelet Therapy

- **Dual antiplatelet therapy for >1 year:**
 - Several predictors of stent thrombosis
 - Multiple hospitalizations for ACS
 - Broad atherosclerotic burden
 - Last patent vessel / PCI in LM
 - Prior MI ++
 - No options for coronary revascularization
(+++ if > 1 factor)
(Not applicable if prior bleeding, prior stroke, or high risk of bleeding)

Individualizing Duration of DAPT



Benefit vs Risk: Fragil Balance

