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Antithrombotic strategies in the acute setting

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New frontiers in intensive cardiovascular care

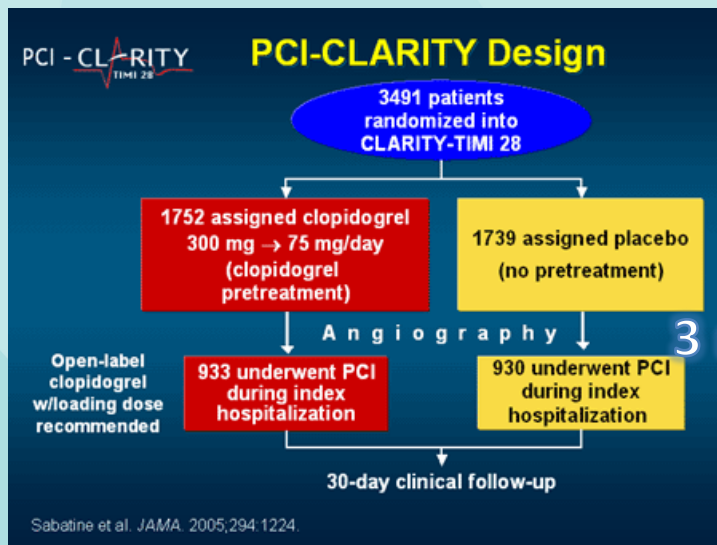
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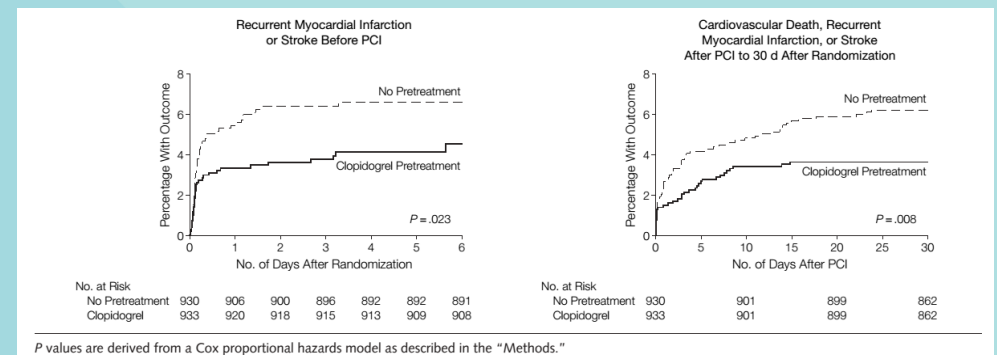
Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors in ACS

STEMI

To provide an early antithrombotic milieu in patients ACS
Reducing the myonecrosis



Effect of Clopidogrel Pretreatment Before Percutaneous Coronary Intervention in Patients With ST-Elevation Myocardial Infarction Treated With Fibrinolytics
The PCI-CLARITY Study



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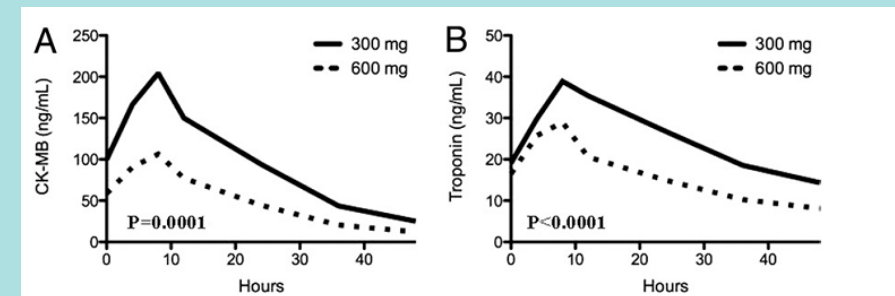
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Outcome Comparison of 600- and 300-mg Loading Doses of Clopidogrel in Patients Undergoing Primary Percutaneous Coronary Intervention for ST-Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction

Results From the ARMYDA-6 MI
(Antiplatelet therapy for Reduction of MYocardial Damage during Angioplasty-Myocardial Infarction) Randomized Study



	600-mg Clopidogrel (n = 103)	300-mg Clopidogrel (n = 98)	p Value
30-day MACE	6 (5.8)	15 (15.0)	0.049
Individual components			
Death	4 (3.9)	7 (7.1)	0.48
Reinfarction	1 (0.98)	5 (5.1)	0.19
TVR	1 (0.98)	7 (7.1)	0.06
Stroke	0	1 (1.0)	0.98
Death + reinfarction	5 (4.9)	12 (12.2)	0.10
Death + reinfarction + stroke	5 (4.9)	13 (13.2)	0.07
Death + reinfarction + TVR	6 (5.8)	14 (14.2)	0.08
Definite or probable stent thrombosis	1 (0.98)	4 (4.1)	0.34

Patti et al. JACC Vol. 58, No. 15, 2011

Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors in ACS STEMI

1862 STEMI patients <6 hours

180 mg ticagrelor

Time difference 31 minutes

No bleeding risk differences

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Prehospital Ticagrelor in ST-Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction

End Point	Prehospital Ticagrelor (N=906) <i>no./no. of patients who could be evaluated (%)</i>	In-Hospital Ticagrelor (N=952)	Odds Ratio (95% CI) [†]	P Value [‡]	Difference (95% CI) [§]
Coprimary end points					
Absence of ST-segment elevation resolution ≥70% before PCI	672/774 (86.8)	722/824 (87.6)	0.93 (0.69 to 1.25)	0.63	−0.008 (−0.041 to 0.025)
Absence of TIMI flow grade 3 in infarct-related artery at initial angiography	681/824 (82.6)	711/856 (83.1)	0.97 (0.75 to 1.25)	0.82	−0.004 (−0.040 to 0.032)

Variable	Prehospital Ticagrelor	In-Hospital Ticagrelor	Odds Ratio (95% CI)	P Value
Ischemic end point				
No. of patients who could be evaluated	906	952		
Composite of death, myocardial infarction, stroke, urgent revascularization, or definite stent thrombosis — no. (%)	41 (4.5)	42 (4.4)	1.03 (0.66 to 1.60)	0.91
Composite of death, myocardial infarction, or urgent revascularization — no. (%)	39 (4.3)	34 (3.6)	1.22 (0.76 to 1.94)	0.42
Stent thrombosis — no. (%)				
Definite at ≤24 hr after index PCI	0	8 (0.8)	—	0.008 [‡]
Definite at 30 days	2 (0.2)	11 (1.2)	0.19 (0.04 to 0.86)	0.02 [‡]
Definite or probable at 30 days [¶]	21 (2.3)	20 (2.1)	1.11 (0.60 to 2.05)	0.75

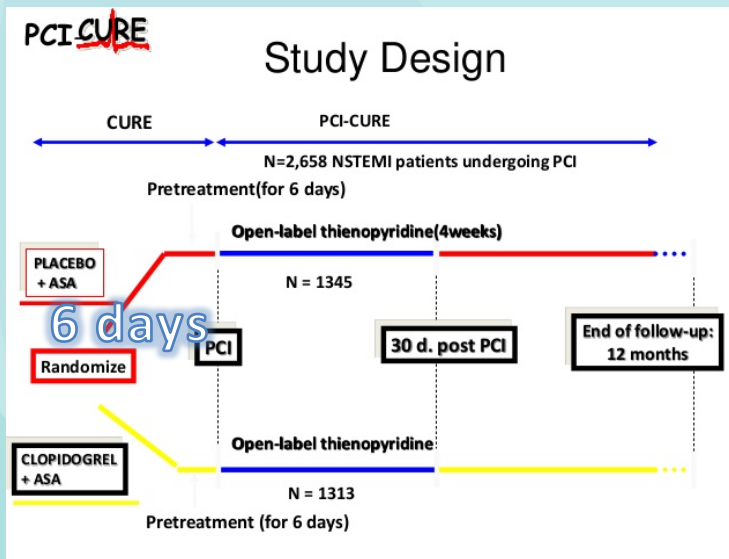
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NSTE-ACS

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Effects of pretreatment with clopidogrel and aspirin followed by long-term therapy in patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention: the PCI-CURE study

Lancet 2001; **358**: 527–33

	Placebo (n=1345)	Clopidogrel (n=1313)	Relative risk (95% CI)	p
Events before PCI				
Myocardial infarction or refractory ischaemia	206 (15.3%)	159 (12.1%)	0.76 (0.62–0.93)	0.008
Myocardial infarction	68 (5.1%)	47 (3.6%)	0.68 (0.47–0.99)	0.04
Events from PCI to 30 days				
CV death, myocardial infarction, urgent revascularisation	86 (6.4%)	59 (4.5%)	0.70 (0.50–0.97)	0.03
CV death, myocardial infarction	59 (4.4%)	38 (2.9%)	0.66 (0.44–0.99)	0.04
CV death	13 (1.0%)	14 (1.1%)	1.10 (0.52–2.35)	
Myocardial infarction	51 (3.8%)	28 (2.1%)	0.56 (0.35–0.89)	
Q-wave myocardial infarction	32 (2.4%)	11 (0.8%)	0.35 (0.18–0.70)	
Urgent revascularisation	38 (2.8%)	25 (1.9%)	0.67 (0.41–1.11)	

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Pretreatment with Prasugrel in Non–ST-Segment Elevation Acute Coronary Syndromes

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Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors in ACS

NSTE-ACS - Prasugrel

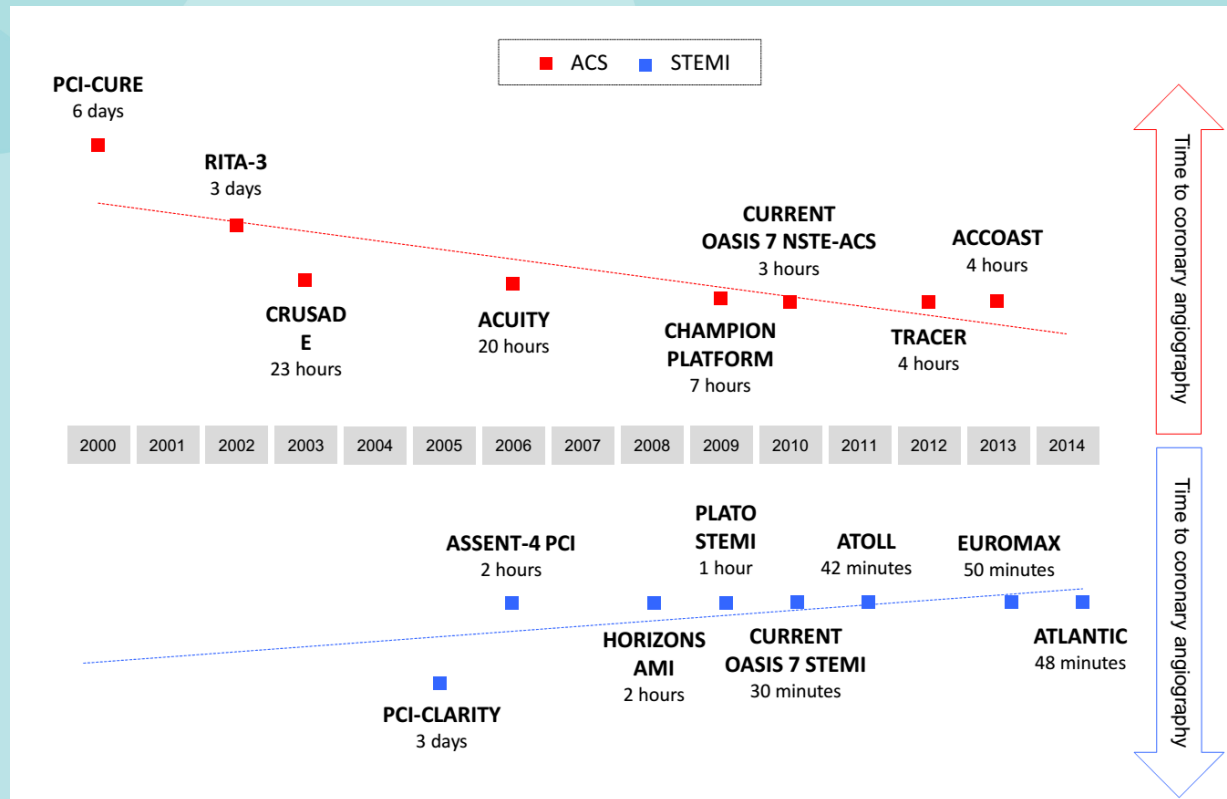
End Point	Pretreatment (N = 2037) <i>no. of patients (%)</i>	No Pretreatment (N = 1996)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value
7 Days				
Death from cardiovascular causes, myocardial infarction, stroke, urgent revascularization, or glycoprotein IIb/IIIa bailout: primary end point	203 (10.0)	195 (9.8)	1.02 (0.84–1.25)	0.81
Death				
From any cause	8 (0.4)	10 (0.5)	0.78 (0.31–1.98)	0.61
From cardiovascular cause	7 (0.3)	10 (0.5)	0.69 (0.26–1.80)	0.44
Myocardial infarction	119 (5.8)	109 (5.5)	1.07 (0.83–1.39)	0.60
Stroke	8 (0.4)	10 (0.5)	0.78 (0.31–1.98)	0.60
Urgent revascularization	22 (1.1)	26 (1.3)	0.83 (0.47–1.46)	0.52
Glycoprotein IIb/IIIa bailout	76 (3.7)	78 (3.9)	0.96 (0.70–1.31)	0.79

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NSTE-ACS - Prasugrel

End Point	Pretreatment (N=2037) <i>no. of patients (%)</i>	No Pretreatment (N=1996)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value
7 Days				
All CABG-related or non-CABG-related TIMI major bleeding: key safety end point	52 (2.6)	27 (1.4)	1.90 (1.19–3.02)	0.006
Non-CABG-related TIMI major bleeding	27 (1.3)	9 (0.5)	2.95 (1.39–6.28)	0.003
Fatal bleeding	1 (<0.1)	0	NE	NE
Life-threatening bleeding	17 (0.8)	3 (0.2)	5.56 (1.63–19.0)	0.002

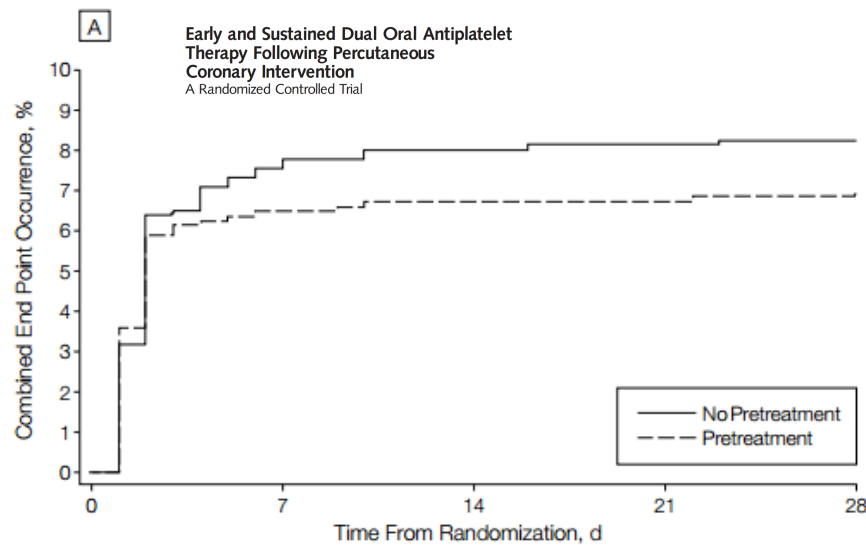
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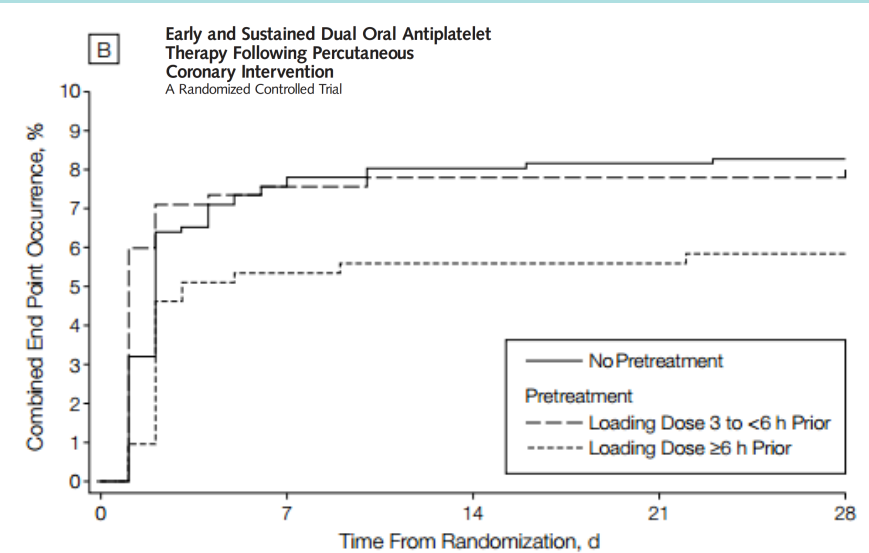
Davide Capodanno MD, PhD & Dominick J. Angiolillo MD, PhD
(2016): Reviewing the controversy surrounding pre-treatment with P2Y₁₂ inhibitors in acute coronary syndrome patients, Expert Review of Cardiovascular Therapy, DOI: 10.1586/14779072.2016.1164035

Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors in ACS

>60%
ACS



No. at Risk
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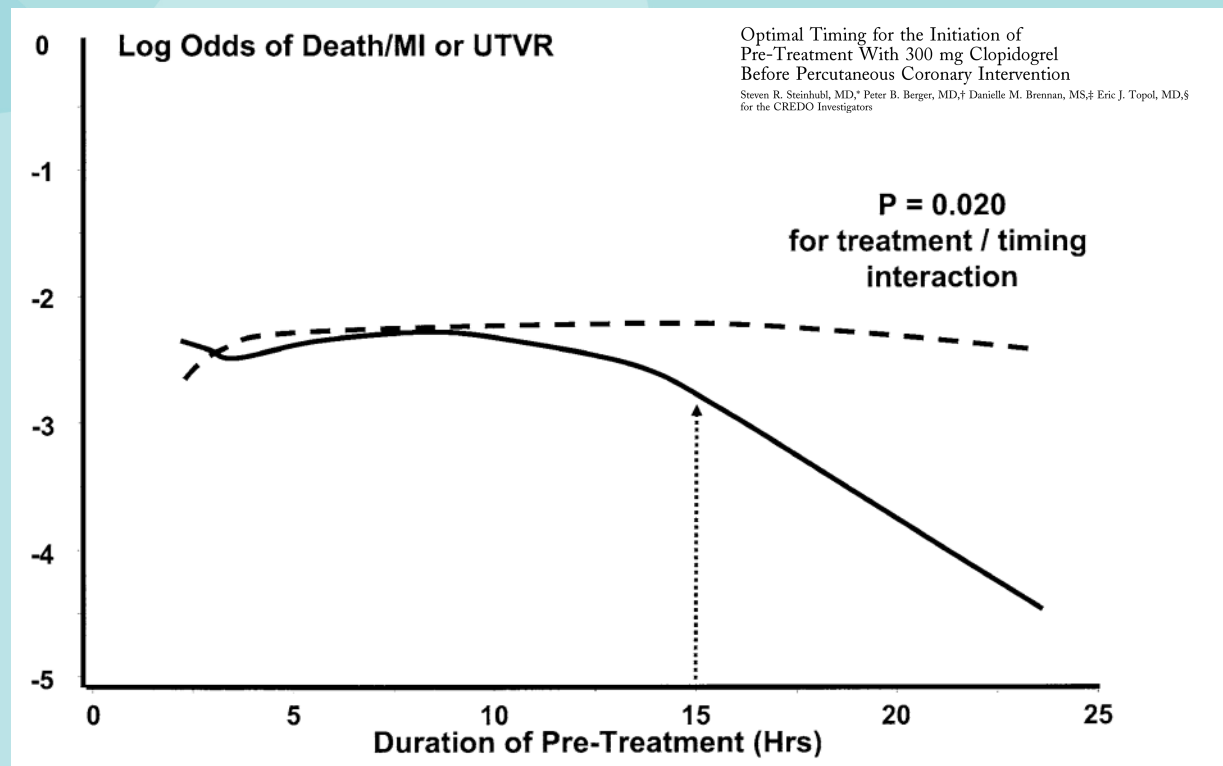


No. at Risk
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Loading Dose 3 to <6 h Prior
Loading Dose ≥6 h Prior

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Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors in ACS



What the guidelines say...

2017 ESC focused update on dual antiplatelet therapy in coronary artery disease developed in collaboration with EACTS

Pre-treatment with a P2Y₁₂ inhibitor is generally recommended in patients in whom coronary anatomy is known and the decision to proceed to PCI is made as well as in patients with STEMI.^{20,23,38}

In patients with NSTEMI-ACS undergoing invasive management, ticagrelor administration (180 mg loading dose, 90 mg twice daily), or clopidogrel (600 mg loading dose, 75 mg daily dose) if ticagrelor is not an option, should be considered as soon as the diagnosis is established.

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In NSTEMI-Acute Coronary Syndrome (ACS) patients in whom coronary anatomy is not known, it is not recommended to administer prasugrel.²⁵

III

B

2018 ESC/EACTS Guidelines on myocardial revascularization

Recommendations for antithrombotic treatment in patients with non-ST-elevation acute coronary syndromes undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention

Administration of prasugrel in patients in whom coronary anatomy is not known is not recommended.¹⁶⁵

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Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors

Problems in NSTEMI-ACS – particularly with prasugrel

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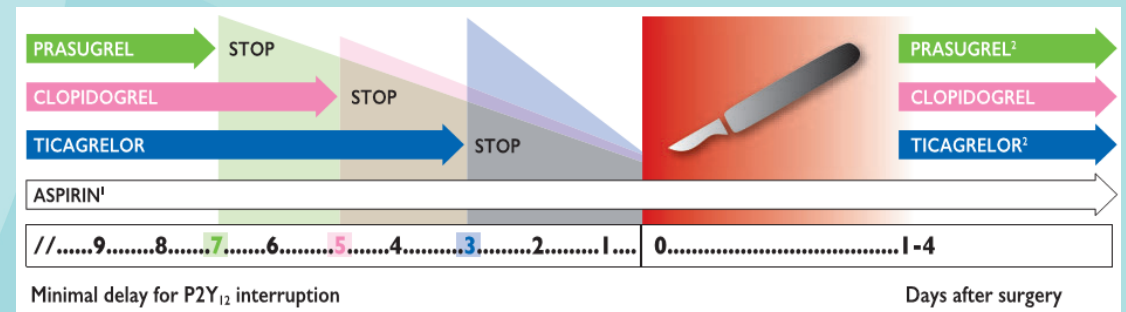
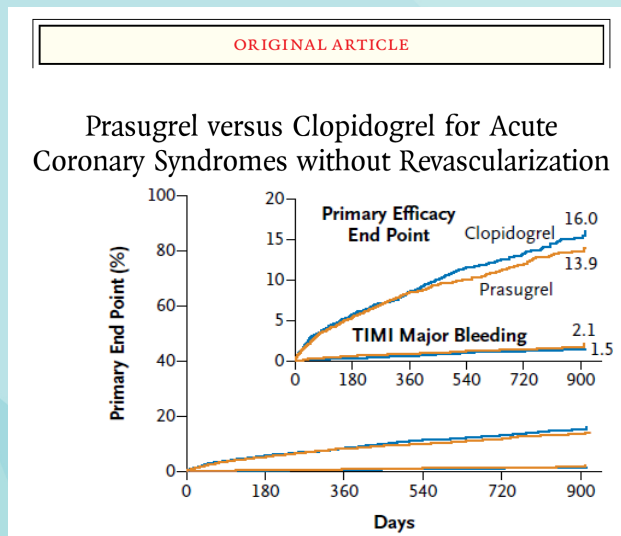
Medical therapy - 25%
CABG - 6%

N Engl J Med 2013;369:999-1010.

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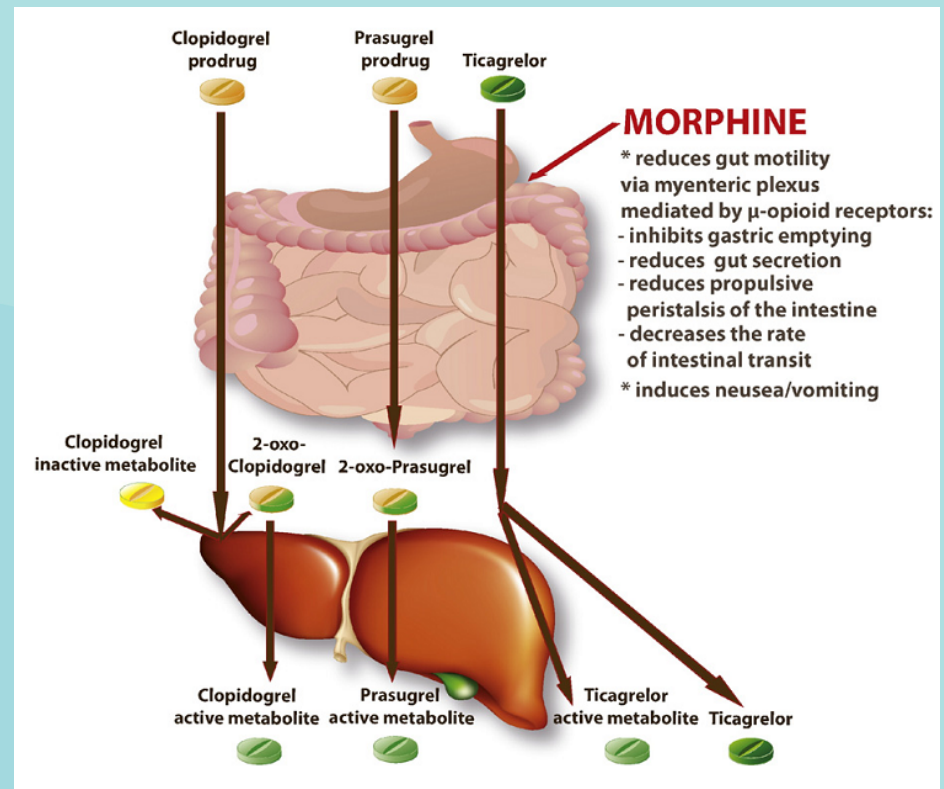


N Engl J Med 2012;367:1297-309
European Heart Journal (2018)39, 213–254

Recent evidence has shown that some drugs decrease the time to full action of antiplatelet drugs and that may have a prognostic impact in ACS

A clue that pretreatment and its early timing might be relevant

Time for 'adequate' pharmacodynamic seems to be relevant - Morphine



Morphine and ACS

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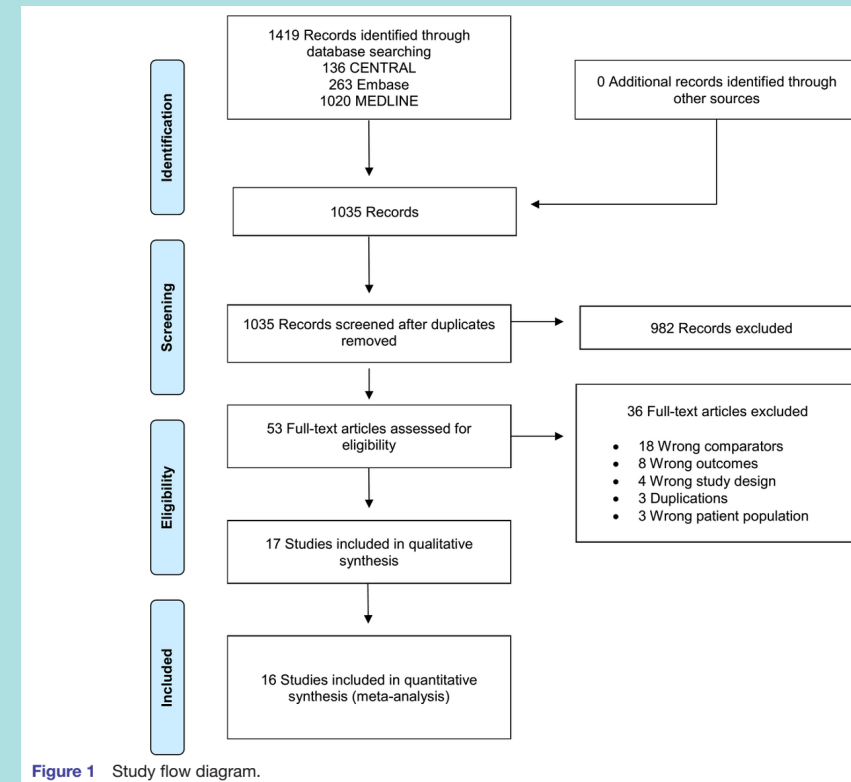


Figure 1 Study flow diagram.

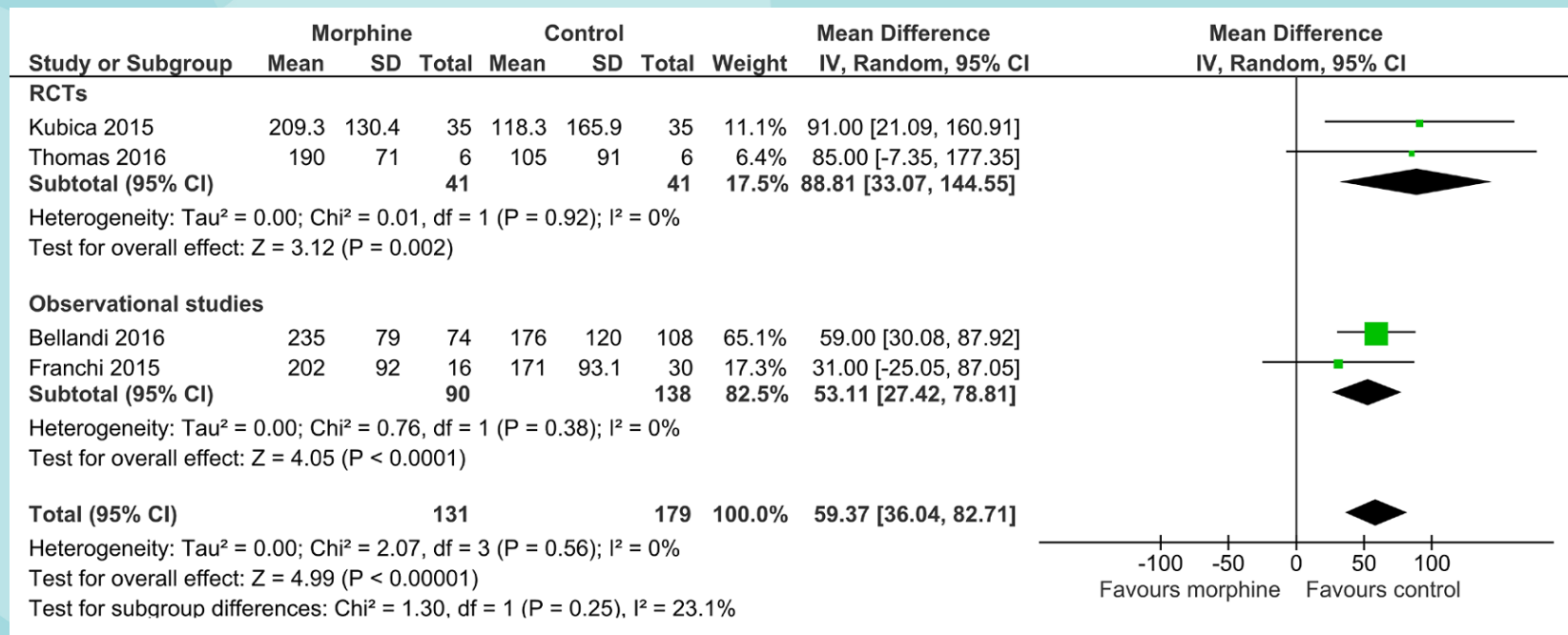
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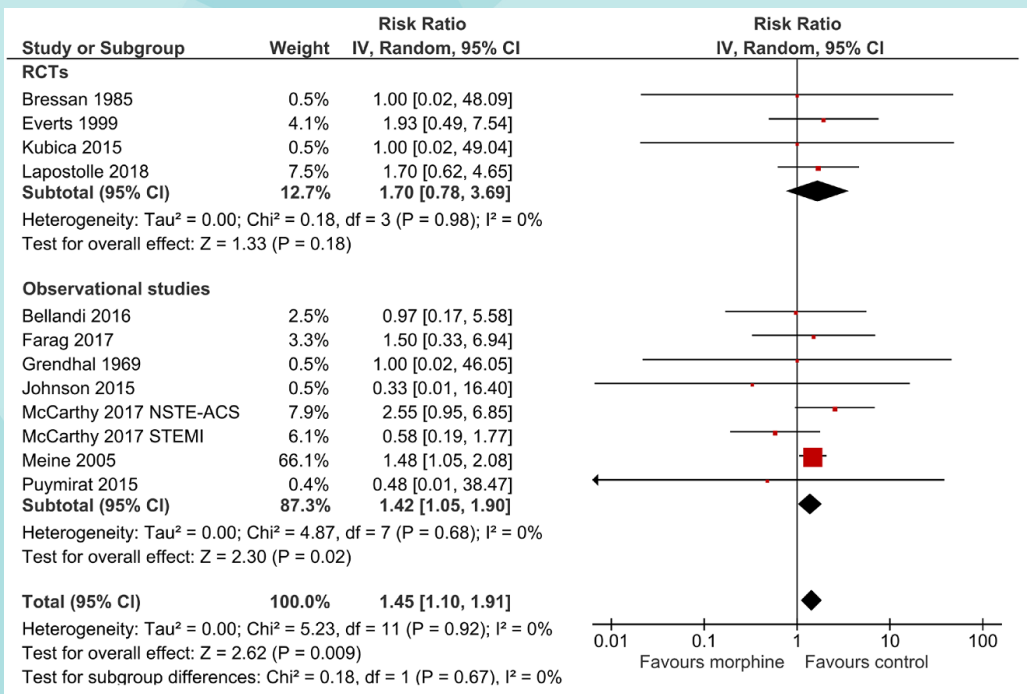
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Morphine and ACS

In-hospital mortality



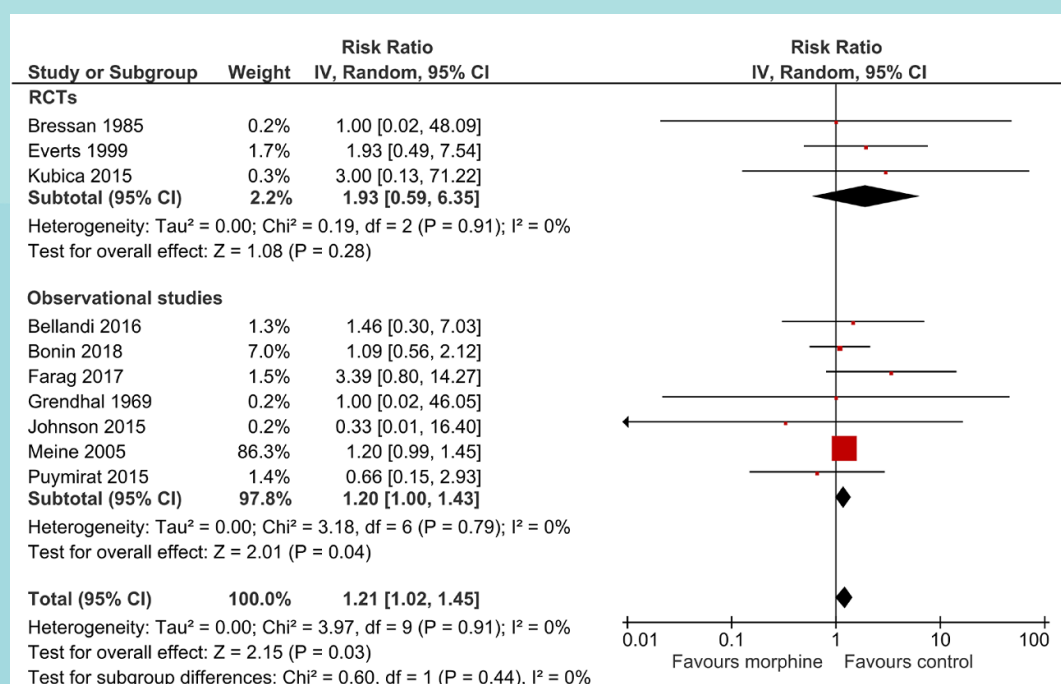
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In ACS about 10% of patients with ACS develop AF during the early stages

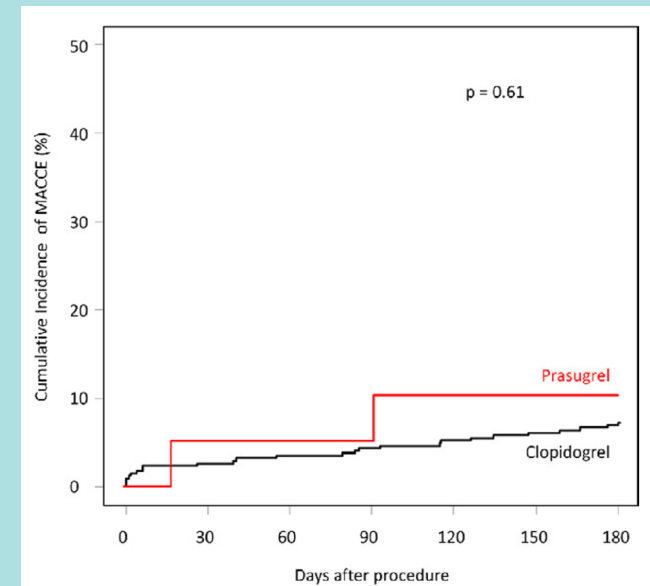
This requires a careful thought about the antithrombotic strategies

ACS and AF undergoing PCI

The harms of triple therapy with new P2Y12 inhibitors

Triple Therapy With Aspirin, Prasugrel, and Vitamin K Antagonists in Patients With Drug-Eluting Stent Implantation and an Indication for Oral Anticoagulation

Adverse Event	Prasugrel (n = 21)	Clopidogrel (n = 356)	Unadjusted HR (95% CI)	p Value
TIMI bleeding				
Major and minor	6 (28.6)	24 (6.7)	4.6 (1.9–11.4)	<0.001
Major	3 (14.3)	10 (2.8)	6.1 (1.6–22.1)	0.006
Minor	3 (14.3)	14 (3.9)	3.8 (1.1–13.1)	0.04
MACCE	2 (9.5)	25 (7.0)	1.4 (0.3–6.1)	0.61
Death	2 (9.5)	14 (3.9)	2.6 (0.6–11.5)	0.20
Myocardial infarction	0	7 (2.0)	—	0.99
Stent thrombosis	0	2 (0.6)	—	0.99
Stroke	1 (4.8)	6 (1.7)	3.1 (0.4–25.4)	0.30
Ischemic	0	5 (1.4)		0.99
Hemorrhagic	1 (4.8)	1 (0.3)	18 (1.1–292)	0.04



[J Am Coll Cardiol.](#) 2013 May 21;61(20):2060-6.

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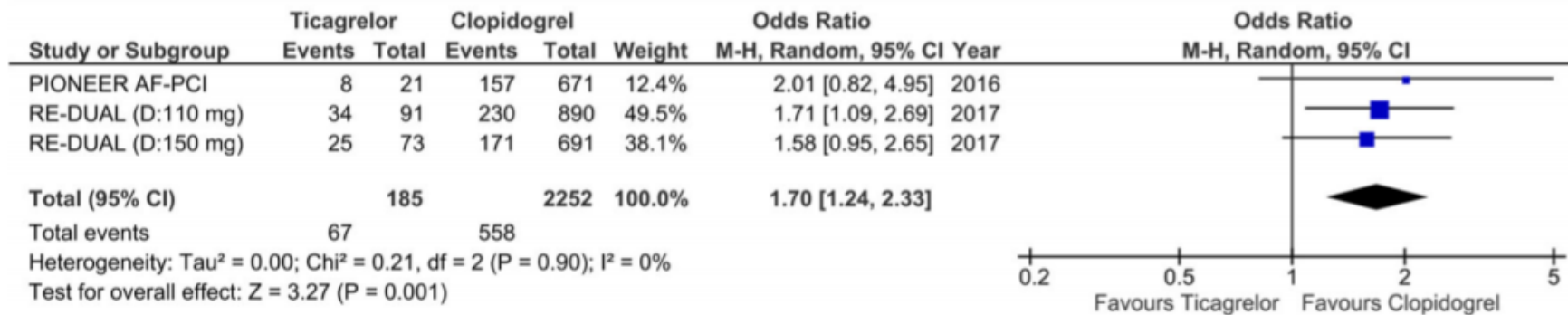
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Ticagrelor Versus Clopidogrel as Part of Dual or Triple Antithrombotic Therapy: a Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

Cardiovascular Drugs and Therapy

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10557-018-6795-9>

Triple antithrombotic therapy



Cardiovasc Drugs Ther. 2018 May 15. doi: 10.1007/s10557-018-6795-9.

Switch P2Y₁₂ inhibitors

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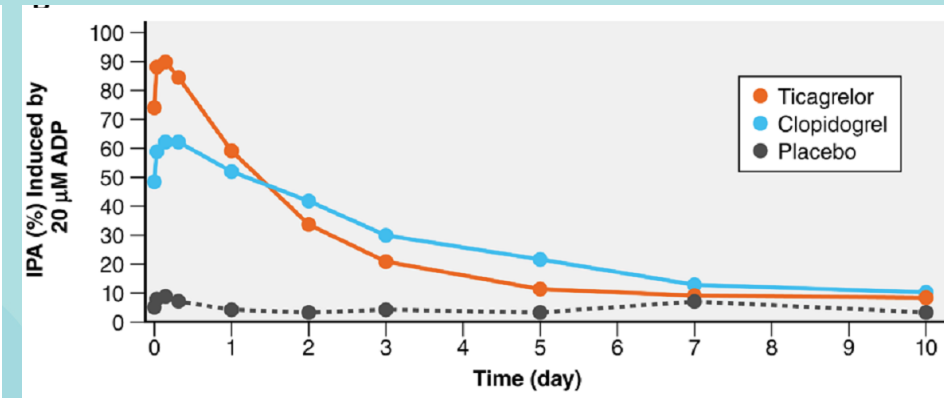
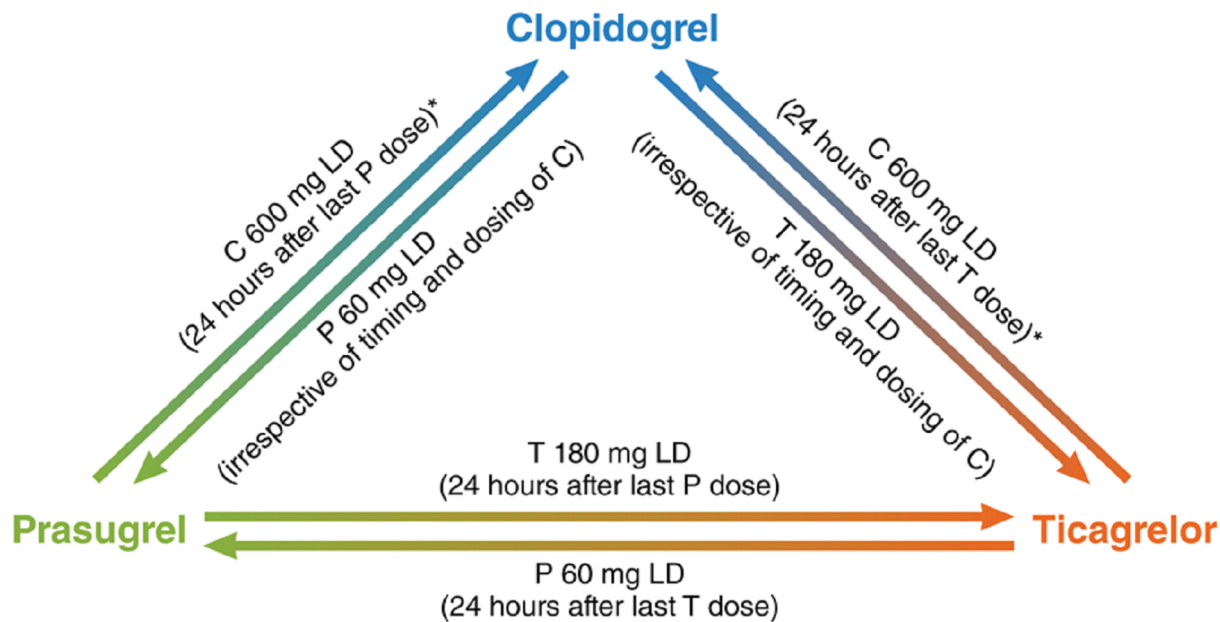
International Expert Consensus on Switching Platelet P2Y₁₂ Receptor– Inhibiting Therapies

Circulation. 2017;136:1955–1975. DOI: 10.1161/CIRCULATIONAHA.117.031164

Switch P2Y₁₂ inhibitors

Switching Between Oral P2Y₁₂ Inhibitors

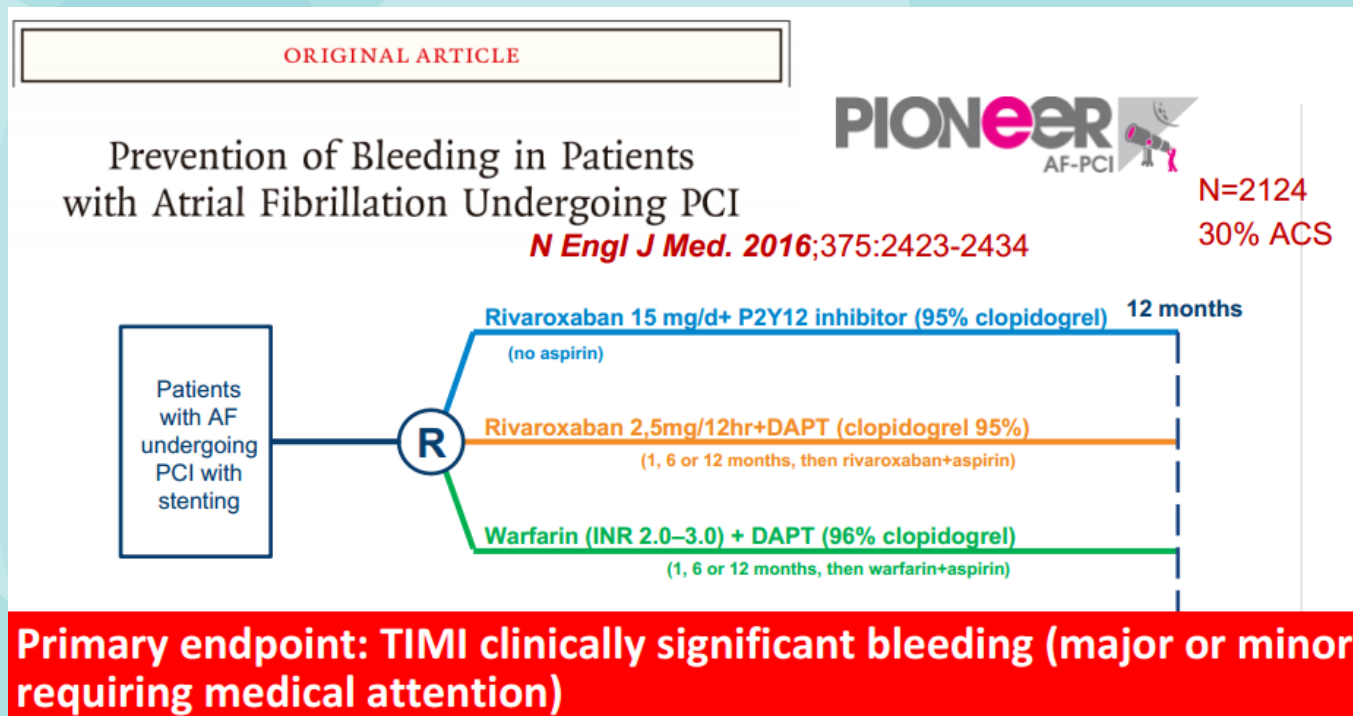
A Acute/Early phase



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Strategies with antiplatelets and NOACs

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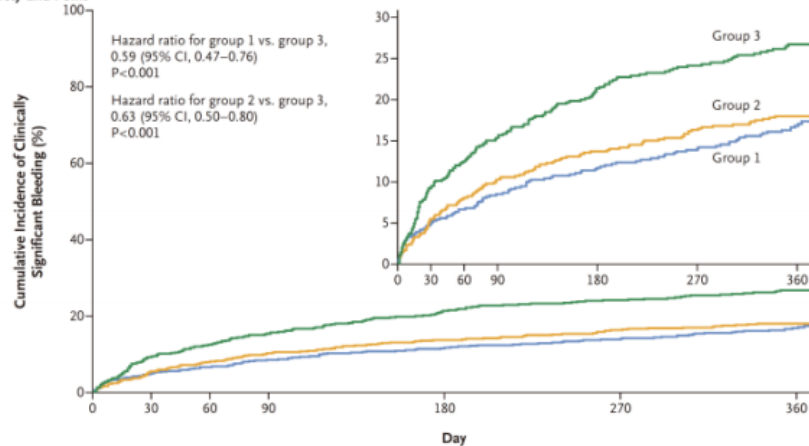


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PIONEER AF-PCI

major or clinically relevant non-major bleeding events

A Primary Safety End Point



No. at Risk

Group 1	696	628	606	585	543	510	383
Group 2	706	636	600	579	543	509	409
Group 3	697	593	555	521	461	426	329

Triple therapy (Warfarin + aspirin + clopidogrel)

Rivaroxaban 2,5mg/12hr + aspirin + clopidogrel

Rivaroxaban 15 mg/d + clopidogrel

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Riva 15
+ clopi

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Warf+aas
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Table 2. Cumulative Incidence of the Primary Safety End Point and Its Components, with Stratification According to Intended Duration of DAPT.*

Cohort and End Point	Group 1	Group 2	Groups 1 and 2		Group 3		Group 1 vs. Group 3		Group 2 vs. Group 3		Groups 1 and 2 vs. Group 3	
			No. of Participants with Events (Kaplan–Meier Event Rate)				Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value
All participants — no.	696	706	1402		697							
Clinically significant bleeding	109 (16.8)	117 (18.0)	226 (17.4)	167 (26.7)	0.59 (0.47–0.76)	<0.001	0.63 (0.50–0.80)	<0.001	0.61 (0.50–0.75)	<0.001		
Major bleeding	14 (2.1)	12 (1.9)	26 (2.0)	20 (3.3)	0.66 (0.33–1.31)	0.23	0.57 (0.28–1.16)	0.11	0.61 (0.34–1.09)	0.09		
Minor bleeding	7 (1.1)	7 (1.1)	14 (1.1)	13 (2.2)	0.51 (0.20–1.28)	0.14	0.50 (0.20–1.26)	0.13	0.51 (0.24–1.08)	0.07		
Bleeding requiring medical attention	93 (14.6)	102 (15.8)	195 (15.2)	139 (22.6)	0.61 (0.47–0.80)	<0.001	0.67 (0.52–0.86)	0.002	0.64 (0.51–0.80)	<0.001		

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Ischemic events

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Table 3. Cumulative Incidence of Secondary Efficacy End Points, with Stratification According to Intended Duration of DAPT.*

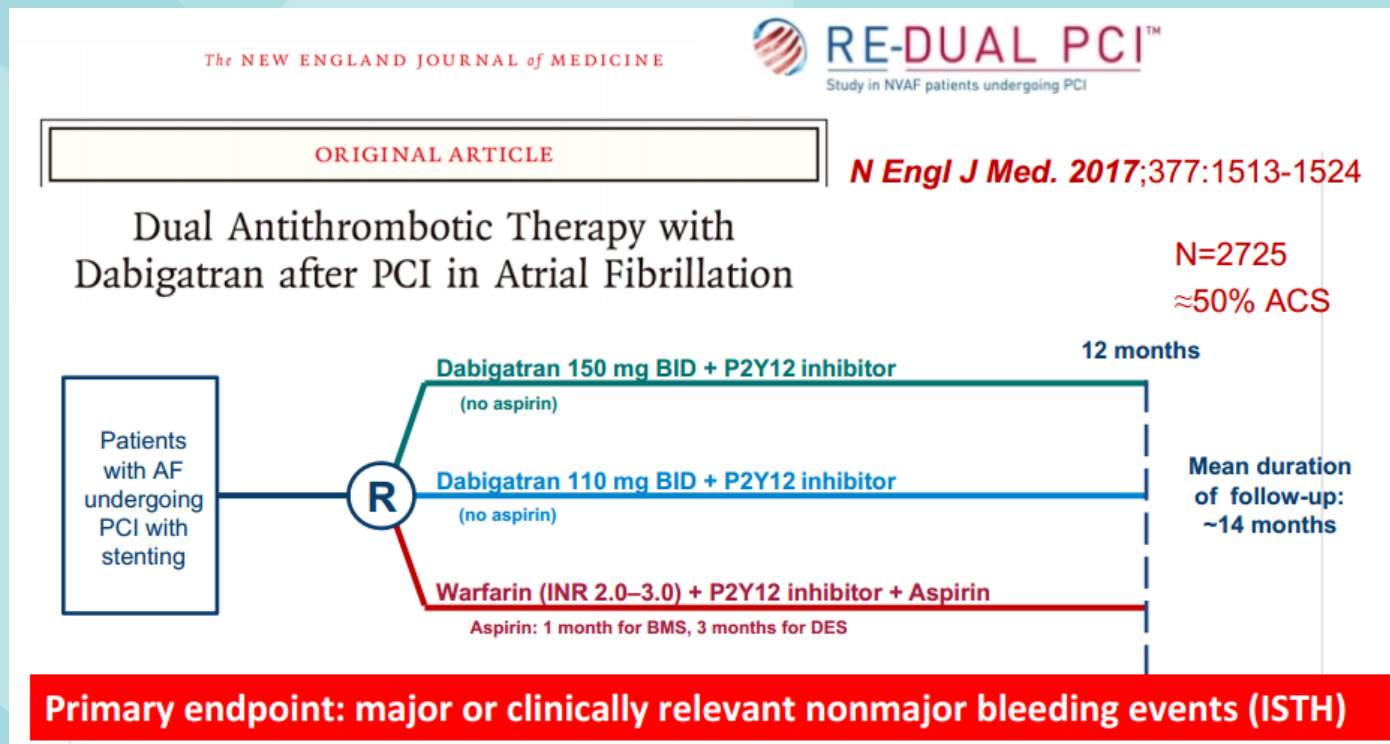
Cohort and End Point	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 1 vs. Group 3		Group 2 vs. Group 3	
	No. of Participants with Events (Kaplan–Meier Event Rate)			Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value
All participants — no.	694	704	695				
Major adverse cardiovascular event	41 (6.5)	36 (5.6)	36 (6.0)	1.08 (0.69–1.68)	0.75	0.93 (0.59–1.48)	0.76
Death from cardiovascular causes	15 (2.4)	14 (2.2)	11 (1.9)	1.29 (0.59–2.80)	0.52	1.19 (0.54–2.62)	0.66
Myocardial infarction	19 (3.0)	17 (2.7)	21 (3.5)	0.86 (0.46–1.59)	0.62	0.75 (0.40–1.42)	0.37
Stroke	8 (1.3)	10 (1.5)	7 (1.2)	1.07 (0.39–2.96)	0.89	1.36 (0.52–3.58)	0.53
Stent thrombosis	5 (0.8)	6 (0.9)	4 (0.7)	1.20 (0.32–4.45)	0.79	1.44 (0.40–5.09)	0.57
Major adverse cardiovascular event or stent thrombosis	41 (6.5)	36 (5.6)	36 (6.0)	1.08 (0.69–1.68)	0.75	0.93 (0.59–1.48)	0.76

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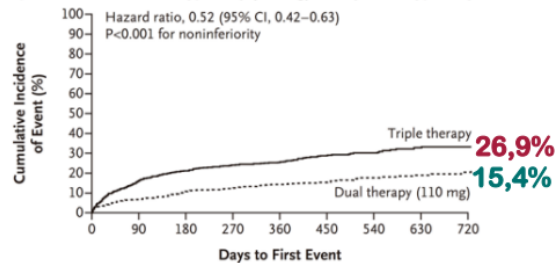


Strategies with antiplatelets and NOACs

RE-DUAL PCI

major or clinically relevant non-major bleeding events

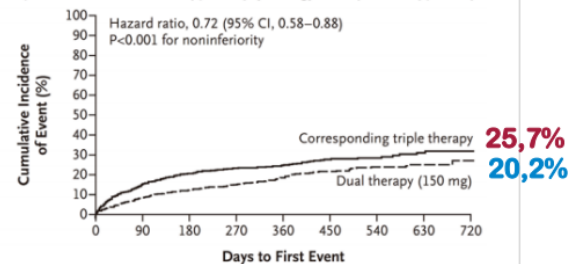
A Primary End Point in Dual-Therapy Group (110 mg) vs. Triple-Therapy Group



No. at Risk

Dual therapy (110 mg)	981	898	834	671	538	384	258	162	86
Triple therapy	981	800	719	580	453	302	205	124	63

B Primary End Point in Dual-Therapy Group (150 mg) vs. Triple-Therapy Group



No. at Risk

Dual therapy (150 mg)	763	694	640	514	404	278	182	113	65
Corresponding triple therapy	764	630	562	446	349	222	152	88	47

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Study in NVAF patients undergoing PCI

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Table 2. Safety End Points.*

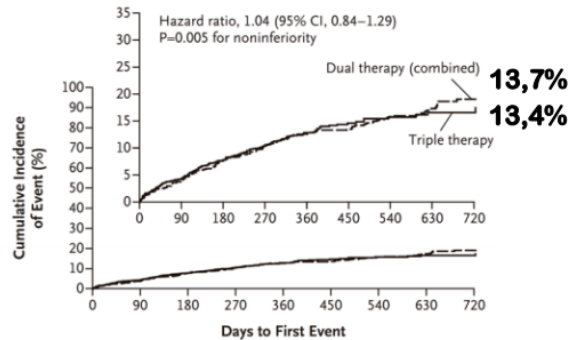
End Point	Dual Therapy with Dabigatran, 110 mg (N=981) no. (%)	Triple Therapy with Warfarin (N=981) no. (%)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value†	Dual Therapy with Dabigatran, 150 mg (N=763) no. (%)	Corresponding Triple Therapy with Warfarin (N=764) no. (%)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value†
Primary end point: ISTH major or clinically relevant nonmajor bleeding	151 (15.4)	264 (26.9)	0.52 (0.42–0.63)	<0.001 (<0.001 for noninferiority)	154 (20.2)	196 (25.7)	0.72 (0.58–0.88)	0.002 (<0.001 for noninferiority)
ISTH major bleeding	49 (5.0)	90 (9.2)	0.52 (0.37–0.74)	<0.001	43 (5.6)	64 (8.4)	0.64 (0.43–0.94)	0.02
Total bleeding	266 (27.1)	421 (42.9)	0.54 (0.46–0.63)	<0.001	254 (33.3)	316 (41.4)	0.72 (0.61–0.84)	<0.001
Intracranial hemorrhage	3 (0.3)	10 (1.0)	0.30 (0.08–1.07)	0.06	1 (0.1)	8 (1.0)	0.12 (0.02–0.98)	0.047
TIMI major bleeding	14 (1.4)	37 (3.8)	0.37 (0.20–0.68)	0.002	16 (2.1)	30 (3.9)	0.51 (0.28–0.93)	0.03
TIMI major or minor bleeding	29 (3.0)	69 (7.0)	0.41 (0.26–0.63)	<0.001	27 (3.5)	48 (6.3)	0.53 (0.33–0.85)	0.009

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thromboembolic events, death or unplanned revasc
C Secondary Efficacy End Point in Dual-Therapy Groups (Combined)
vs. Triple-Therapy Group



No. at Risk		1744	1660	1561	1257	1003	720	481	295	161
Dual therapy (combined)										
Triple therapy		981	921	854	700	548	383	259	161	81

thromboembolic events or death

Dabigatran 110mg+Clopi **11,0%** **P=0,07**

Triple ther (WAR) **8,5%**

Dabigatran 150mg+Clopi **7,9%** **P=0,88**

Triple ther (WAR) **7,9%**



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Ischemic events

Table 3. Efficacy End Points.*

End Point	Dual Therapy with Dabigatran (Combined) vs. Triple Therapy with Warfarin				Dual Therapy with Dabigatran (110 mg) vs. Triple Therapy with Warfarin			
	Combined Dual-Therapy Groups (N=1744)	Triple-Therapy Group (N=981)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value†	110-mg Dual-Therapy Group (N=981)	Triple-Therapy Group (N=981)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P Value†
	no. (%)				no. (%)			
Composite efficacy end point: thromboembolic events, death, or unplanned revascularization	239 (13.7)	131 (13.4)	1.04 (0.84–1.29)	0.74 (0.005 for noninferiority)	149 (15.2)	131 (13.4)	1.13 (0.90–1.43)	0.30
Thromboembolic events or death	168 (9.6)	83 (8.5)	1.17 (0.90–1.53)	0.25 (0.11 for noninferiority)	108 (11.0)	83 (8.5)	1.30 (0.98–1.73)	0.07
Death					55 (5.6)	48 (4.9)	1.12 (0.76–1.65)	0.56
Myocardial infarction					44 (4.5)	29 (3.0)	1.51 (0.94–2.41)	0.09
Stroke					17 (1.7)	13 (1.3)	1.30 (0.63–2.67)	0.48
Definite stent thrombosis					15 (1.5)	8 (0.8)	1.86 (0.79–4.40)	0.15

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Guidelines

2018 ESC/EACTS Guidelines on myocardial revascularization

The Task Force on myocardial revascularization of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC) and European Association for Cardio-Thoracic Surgery (EACTS)

Developed with the special contribution of the European Association for Percutaneous Cardiovascular Interventions (EAPCI)

In patients with non-valvular AF requiring anti-coagulation and antiplatelet treatment, a NOAC should be preferred over VKAs.^{758–760}



IIa

A

When rivaroxaban is used in combination with aspirin and/or clopidogrel, rivaroxaban 15 mg q.d. may be used instead of rivaroxaban 20 mg q.d.⁷⁵⁶



IIb

B

When dabigatran is used in combination with aspirin or clopidogrel, a dose of 150 mg b.i.d. may be preferred over a dose of 110 mg b.i.d.⁷⁵⁷



IIb

B

The use of ticagrelor or prasugrel is not recommended as part of triple antithrombotic therapy with aspirin and an OAC.

III

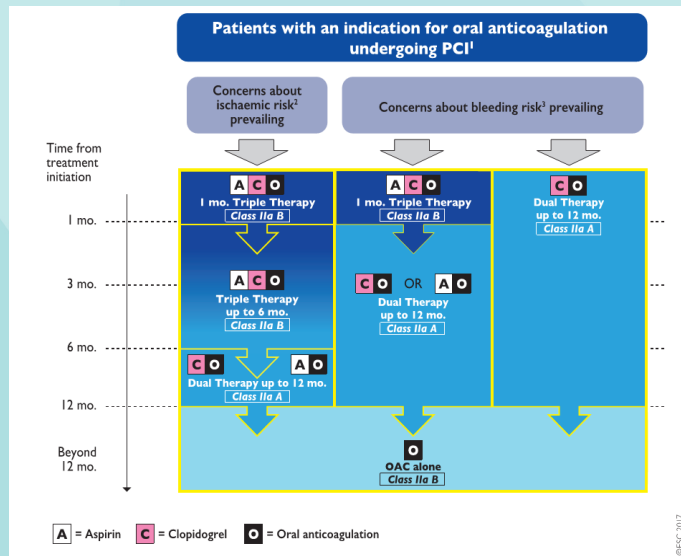
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Consistency

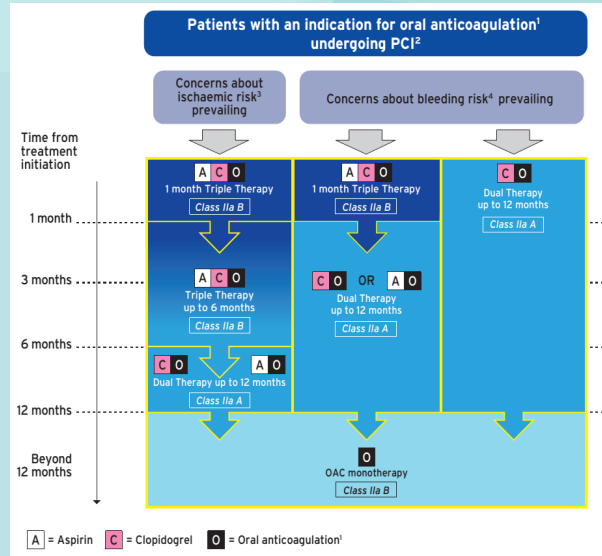
2017 ESC focused update on dual antiplatelet therapy in coronary artery disease developed in collaboration with EACTS

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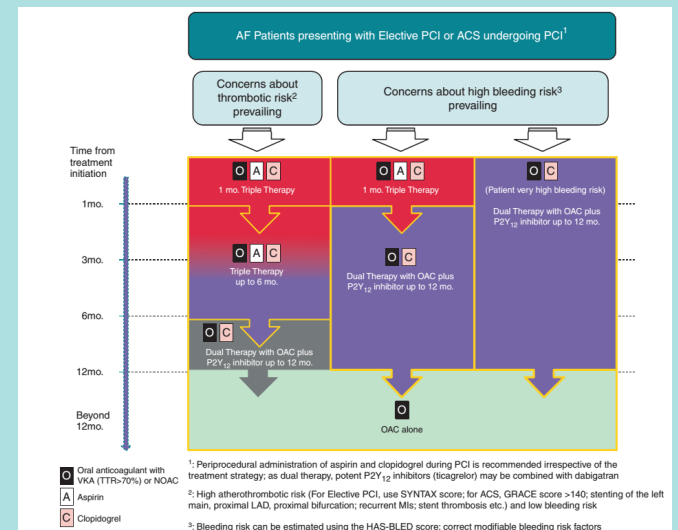


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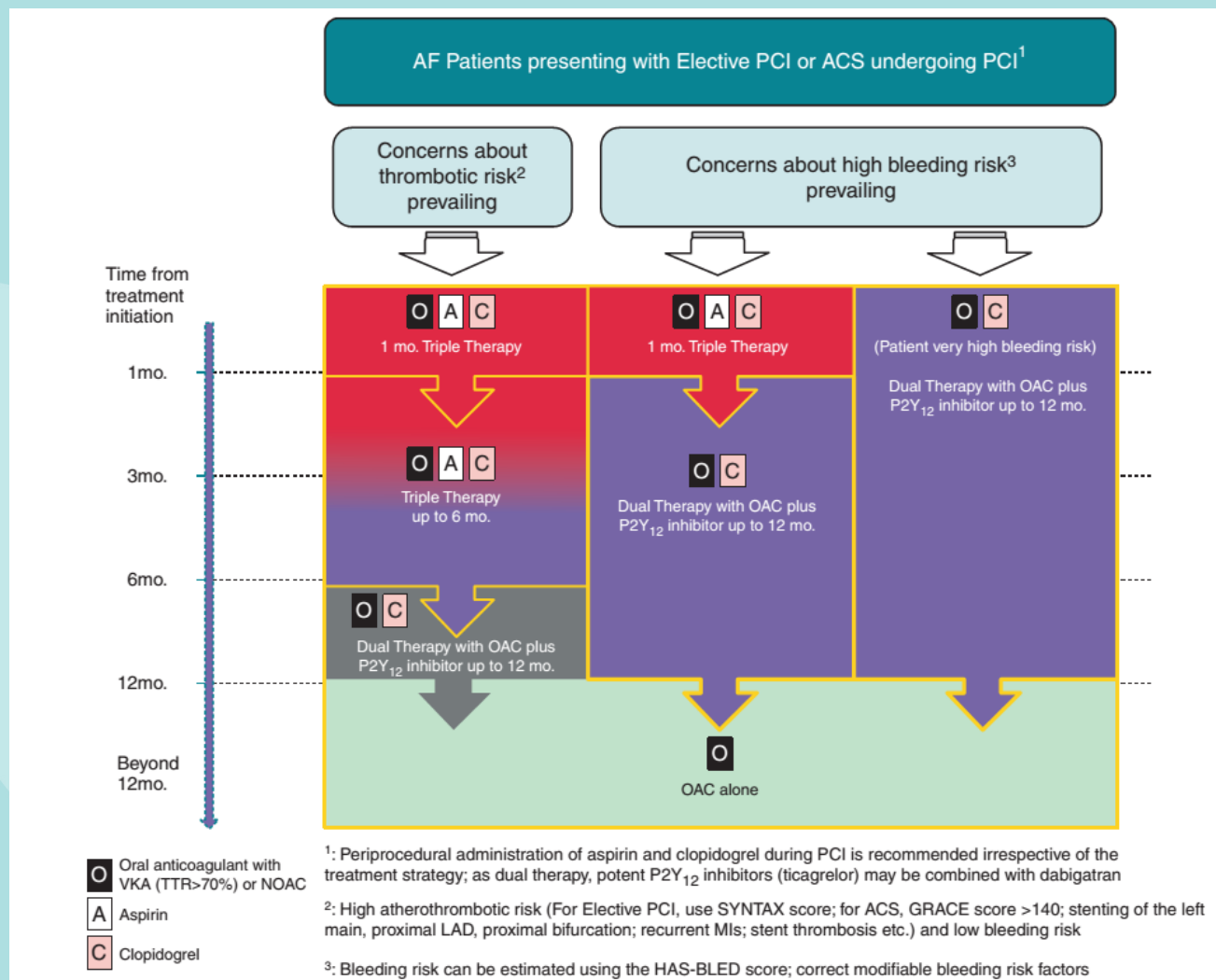


2018 Joint European consensus document on the management of antithrombotic therapy in atrial fibrillation patients presenting with acute coronary syndrome and/or undergoing percutaneous cardiovascular interventions: a



Antithrombotic strategies in the acute setting

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Conclusions

Pretreatment with P2Y12 inhibitors has a prognostic impact.
The timing for pretreatment is relevant:

- Post-angiography has advantages;

- Benefits seem to fade if angiography takes longer.

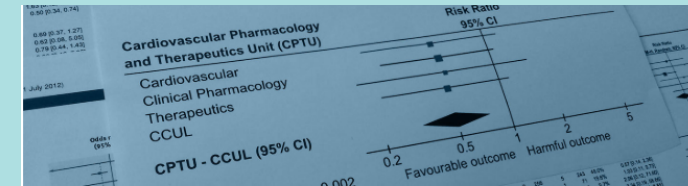
Morphine delays the effect of antiplatelet drugs.

- Is associated to increased risk of inhospital mortality;

For patients with AF and ACS with PCI:

- Triple therapy: prefer clopidogrel; prefer NOACs over VKA;

- Dual therapy:



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