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 dei pazienti anticoagulati

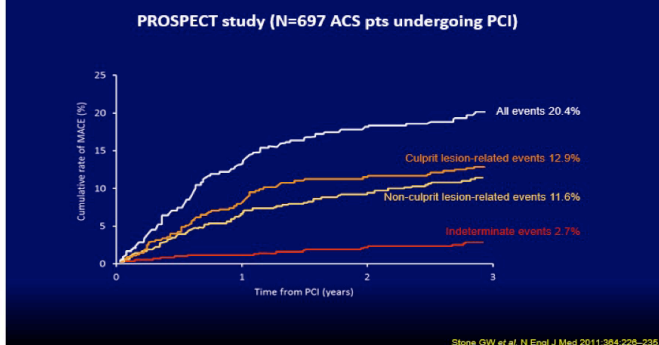
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## Anticoagulazione quando i nuovi anticoagulanti orali diretti (NAO) non sono indicati

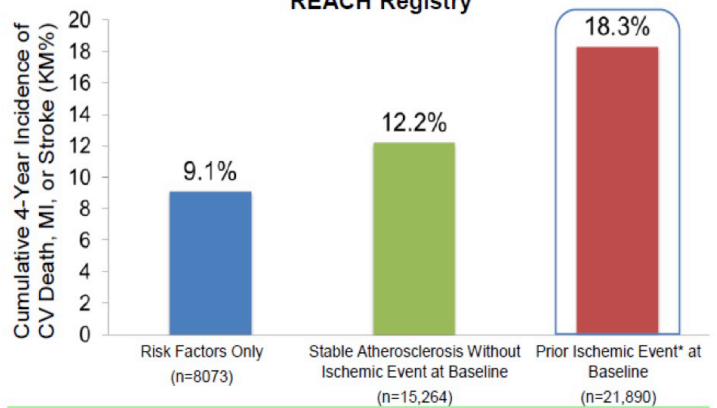
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### Recurrent events are as likely to originate from a new atherosclerotic plaques

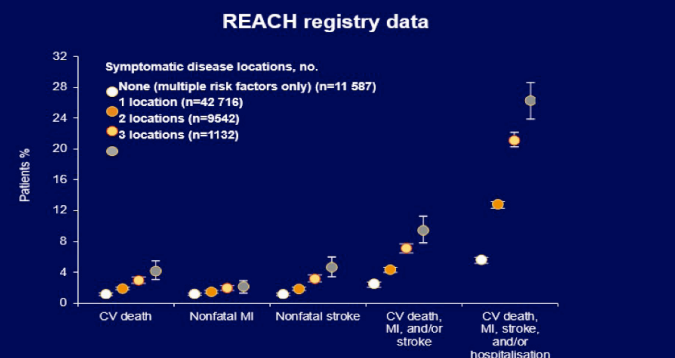


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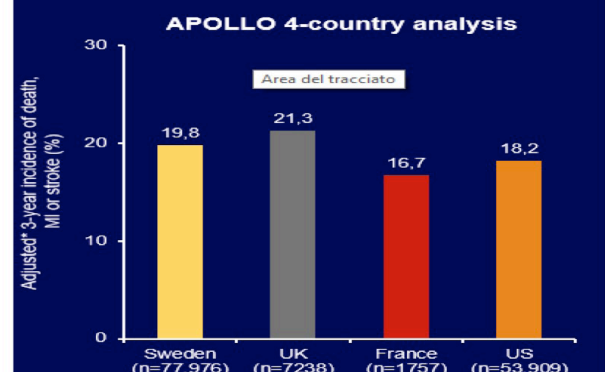


### The presence of atherosclerosis in multiple locations increases the risk of CV events

Steg PG et al. JAMA 2007;297:1197-1206.



### ~1 in 5 patients who are event free for the first year post-MI, will suffer an MI, stroke or death within 3 years



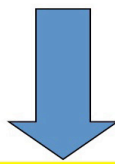
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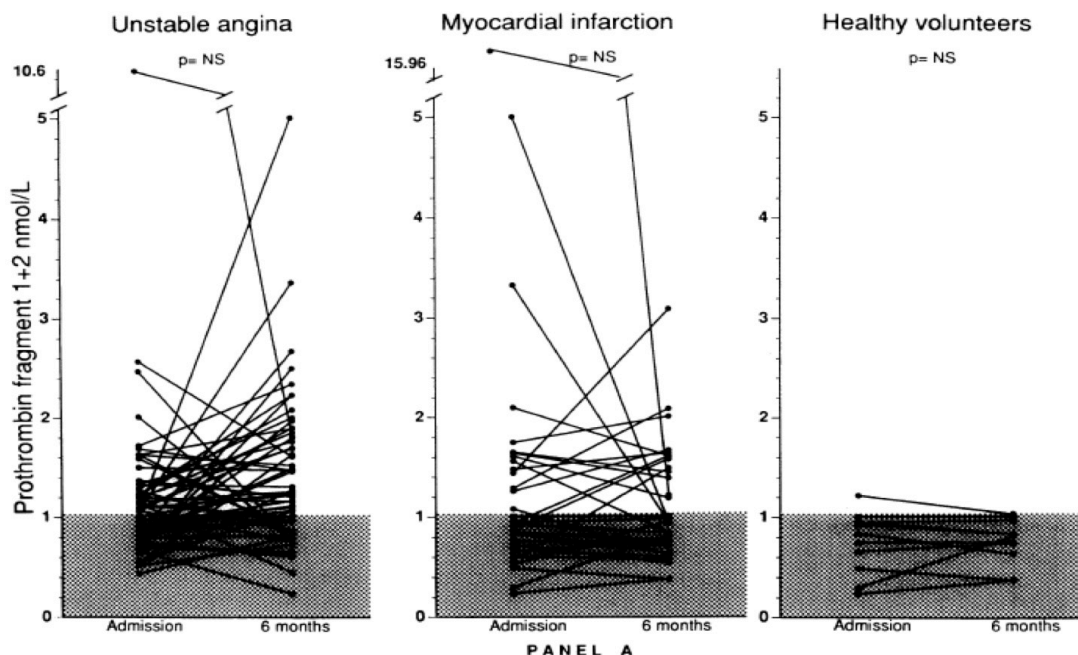
## Causes of recurrent events in high-risk pts with ACS:

- Persistent platelet activation (Thrombin-rich milieu)
- High inflammatory status
- Stent thrombosis/TVR
- Multifocal plaque instability
- CAD progression



... Beyond Cox-1 and P2Y12 inhibition

## Persistent thrombin generation after an ACS



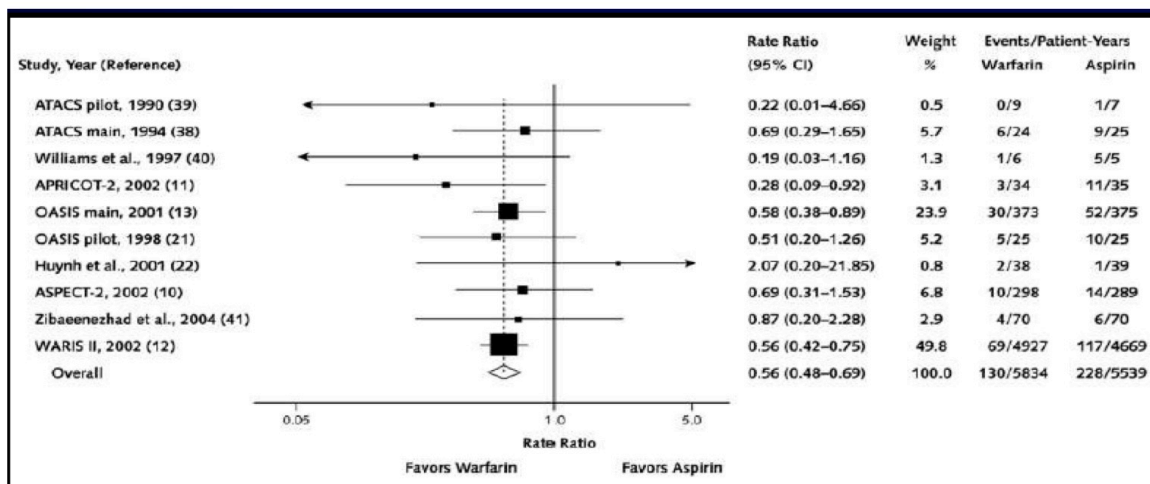
Merlini PA, Circulation 1994

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# Efficacy of anticoagulation with warfarin

## RECURRENT MI

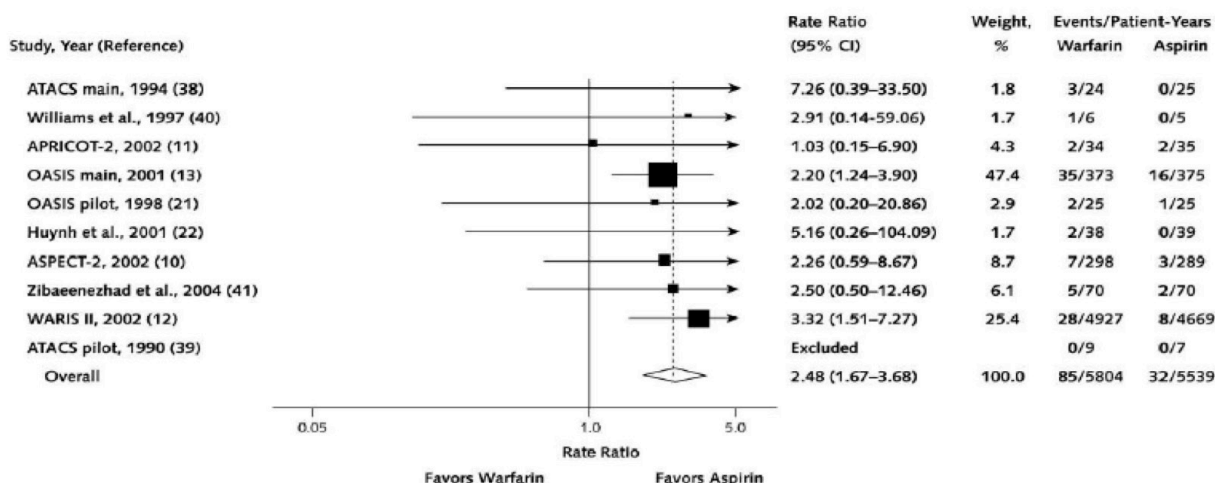


Prevent 19 MI per 1000 pts/year

Rothberg et al., Ann Inter Med 2005

# Safety of anticoagulation with warfarin

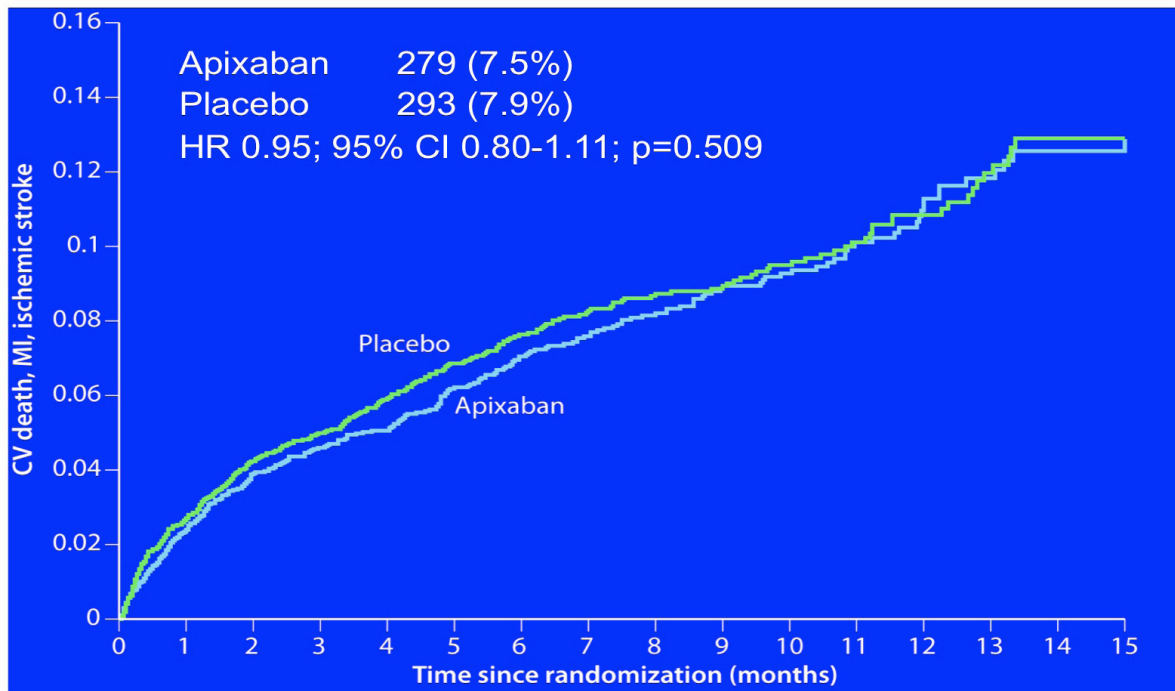
## Major Bleeding



Increase 9 bleeds per 1000 pts/year

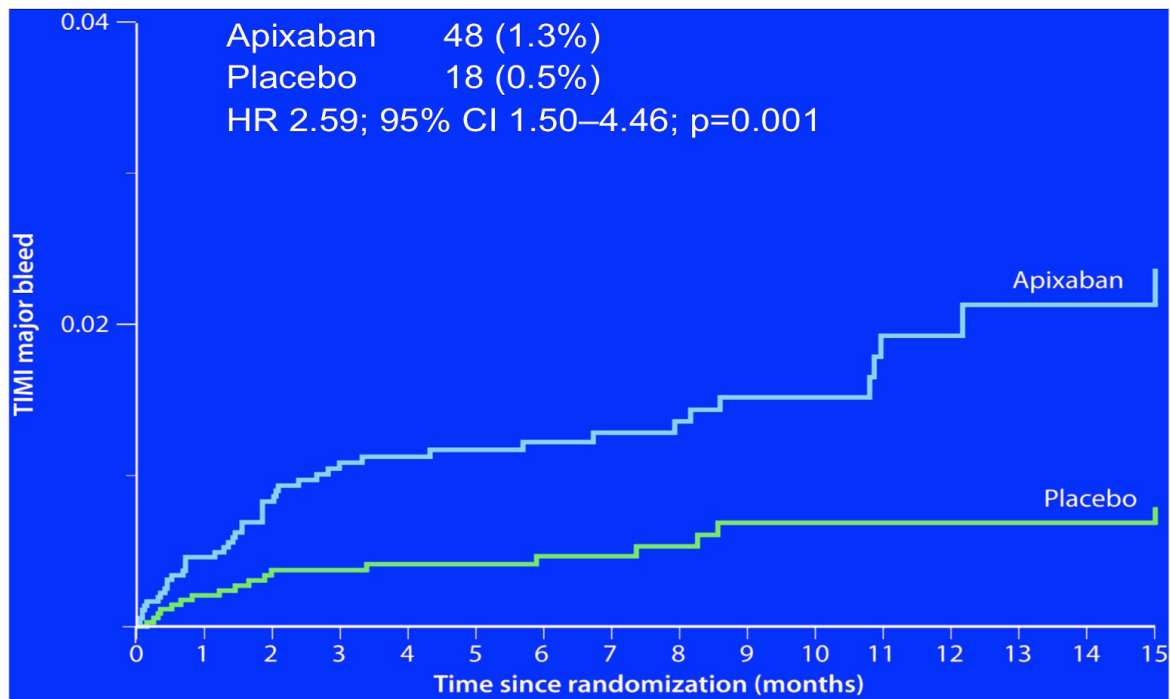
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## APPRAISE 2 - Primary End-point: CV Death, MI, Ischemic Stroke



Alexander JH et al. N Engl J Med 2011

## APPRAISE 2 - TIMI Major Bleeding



Alexander JH et al. N Engl J Med 2011

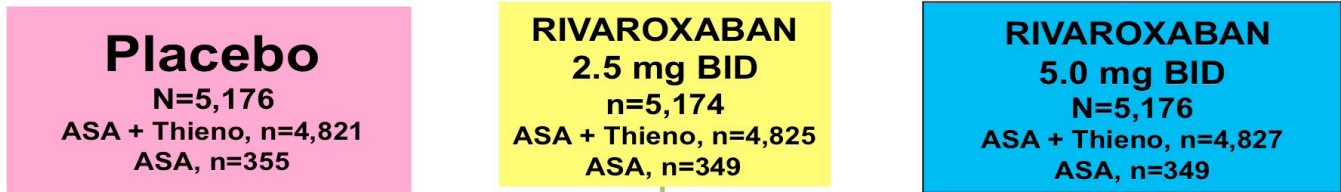


# Rivaroxaban in recent ACS

Recent ACS: STEMI, NSTEMI, UA  
 No increased bleeding risk, No warfarin, No ICH, No prior stroke if on ASA + Thienopyridine  
 Stabilized 1-7 Days Post-Index Event

Stratified by Thienopyridine use at MD Discretion

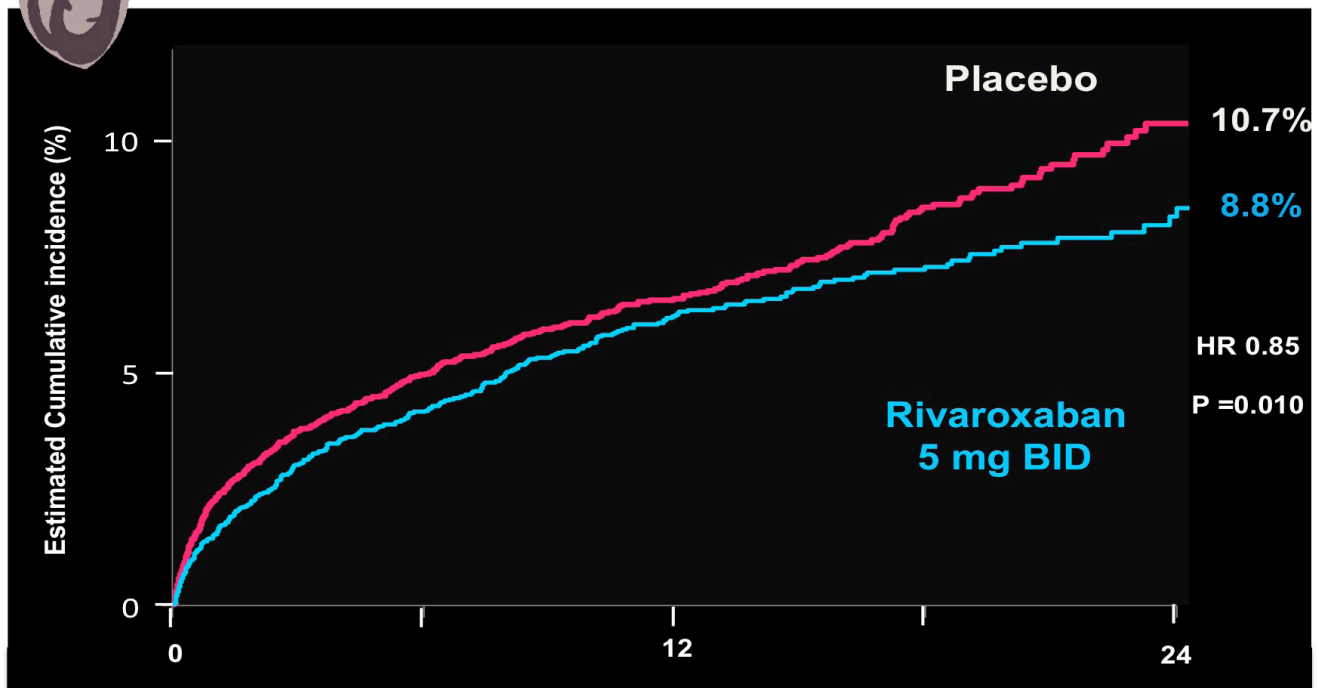
+ ASA 75 to 100 mg/day



**PRIMARY END-POINT:**  
**EFFICACY:** CV Death, MI, Stroke\* (Ischemic + Hemg.)  
**SAFETY:** TIMI major bleeding not associated with CABG



## Primary Efficacy End-point: 5.0 mg BID CV Death / MI / Stroke (Ischemic + Hemorrh.)

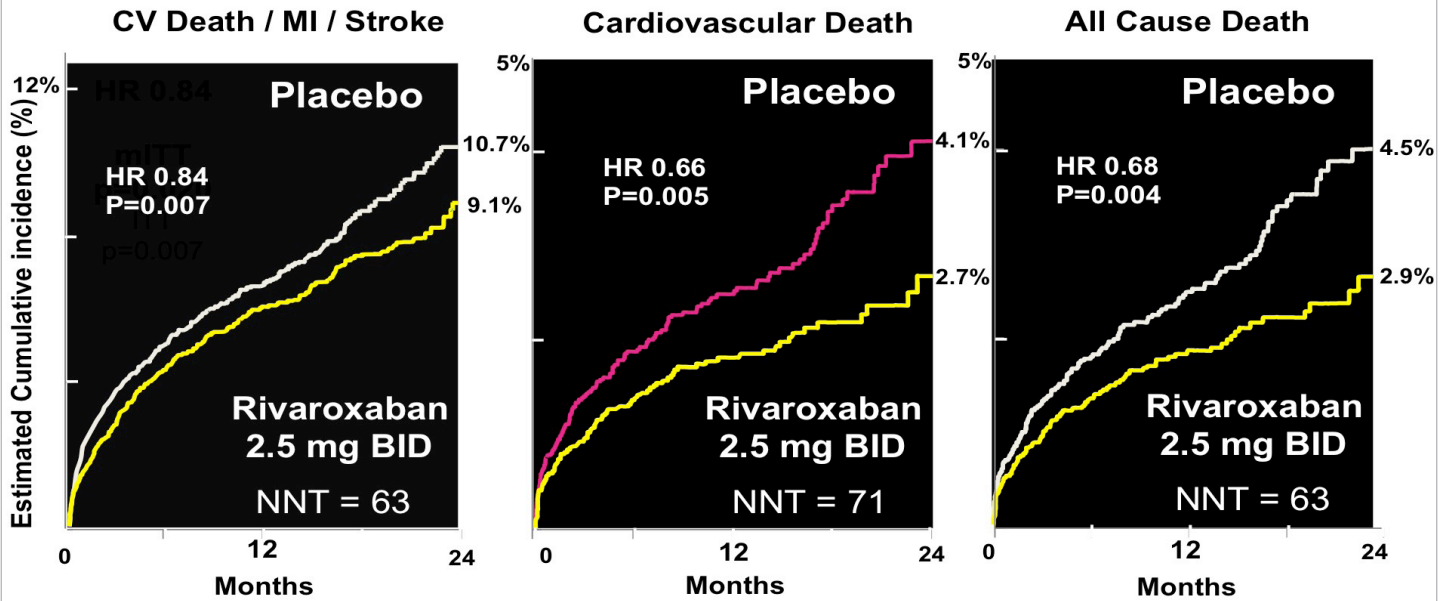


Rivaroxaban at 5 mg PO BID primarily reduced MI (4.9% vs 6.6%, OR 0.79, P=0.008)

Mega JL et al. N Engl J Med 2012



## Efficacy End-points: 2.5 mg BID



MI: 6.1% 2.5 mg vs 6.6% placebo, P=0.09

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## Safety End-points

### Non CABG TIMI Major Bleeding

Analysis	Placebo	2.5 mg Rivaroxaban	5.0 mg Rivaroxaban
2 Yr KM Estimate	0.6%	1.8% HR 3.46	2.4% HR 4.47

p < 0.001 (comparing 2.5 mg and 5.0 mg)  
p < 0.001 (comparing Placebo and 2.5 mg)

### Post-Treatment Ischemic Events

1-10 Days After Last Dose	Placebo	2.5 mg Rivaroxaban	5.0 mg Rivaroxaban
	1.8%	1.4% p=NS	2.2% p=NS

### Liver Function Test (ALT > 3xULN)

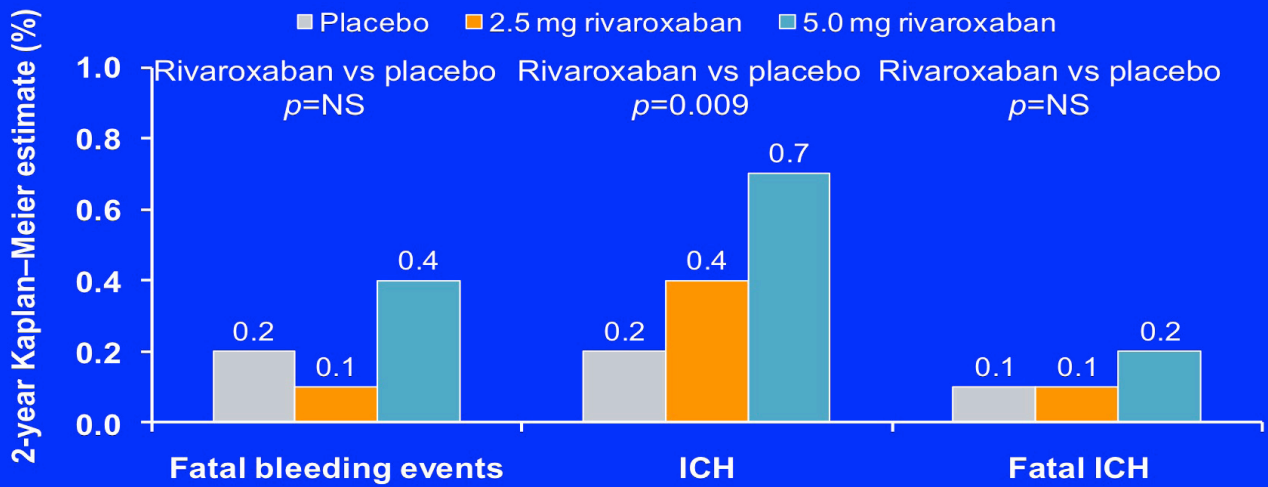
Treatment-Emergent	Placebo	2.5 mg Rivaroxaban	5.0 mg Rivaroxaban
	1.6%	1.3% p=NS	1.4% p=NS

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## ATLAS ACS 2 TIMI 51: Treatment-emergent fatal bleeding events and ICH

### Separate rivaroxaban doses, both strata



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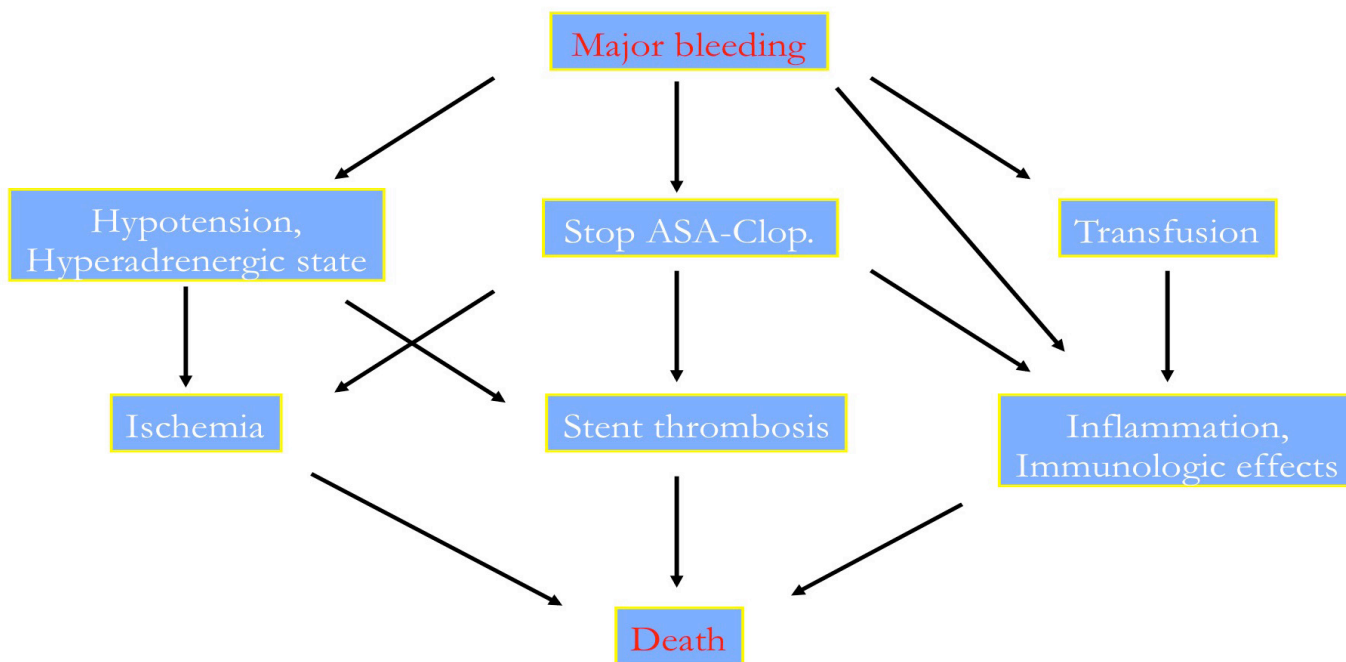
	APPRAISE 2 - 5 mg BID (N=7,048)	ATLAS 2 - 2.5/5 mg BID (N=15,526)
Male gender	68%	75%
Diabetes mellitus	48%	32%
Prior MI	38%	27%
Heart failure or LVEF<40%	40.2%	-
Prior cerebrovascular disease	10%	excluded
Renal function	28.9% with CKD	Median CrCl 85 ml/min
Index ACS event type		
STEMI	39.6%	50.3%
NSTEMI/UA	60.4%	49.7%
PCI	44%	60%
ASA	97%	99%
Thienopyridine	81% (dual)	93%
Follow up	8.0 months (median)	13.1 months (mean duration of treatment with study drug)
Primary end-point	7.5% vs 7.9%	8.9% vs 10.7%
Safety end-point (TIMI major)	1.3% vs 0.5% (HR 2.6)	2.1% vs 0.6% (HR 3.5)
ICH	0.3% vs 0.1%	0.7% vs 0.4% vs 0.2%

## 2014 ESC Guidelines on Myocardial revascularization

### Recommendations for antithrombotic treatment in patients undergoing PCI who require oral anticoagulation

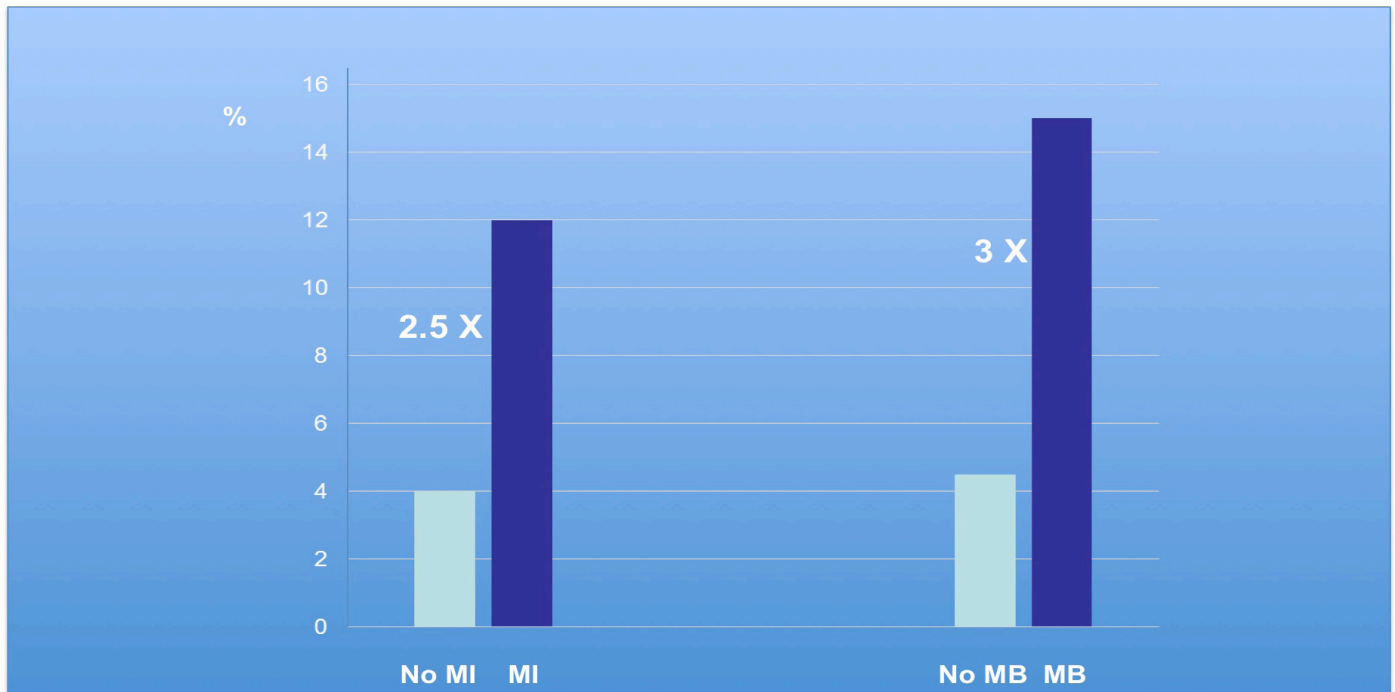
Recommendations	Class <sup>a</sup>	Level <sup>b</sup>	Ref <sup>c</sup>
In patients with a firm indication for oral anticoagulation (e.g. atrial fibrillation with CHA <sub>2</sub> DS <sub>2</sub> -VASc score ≥2, venous thromboembolism, LV thrombus, or mechanical valve prosthesis), oral anticoagulation is recommended in addition to antiplatelet therapy.	I	C	
New-generation DES are preferred over BMS among patients requiring oral anticoagulation if bleeding risk is low (HAS-BLED ≤2).	IIa	C	
In patients with SCAD and atrial fibrillation with CHA <sub>2</sub> DS <sub>2</sub> -VASc score ≥2 at low bleeding risk (HAS-BLED ≤2), initial triple therapy of (N)OAC and ASA (75–100 mg/day) and clopidogrel 75 mg/day should be considered for a duration of at least one month after BMS or new-generation DES followed by dual therapy with (N)OAC and aspirin 75–100 mg/day or clopidogrel (75 mg/day) continued up to 12 months.	IIa	C	
DAPT should be considered as alternative to initial triple therapy for patients with SCAD and atrial fibrillation with a CHA <sub>2</sub> DS <sub>2</sub> -VASc score ≤1.	IIa	C	
In patients with ACS and atrial fibrillation at low bleeding risk (HAS-BLED≤2), initial triple therapy of (N)OAC and ASA (75–100 mg/day) and clopidogrel 75 mg/day should be considered for a duration of 6 months irrespective of stent type followed by (N)OAC and aspirin 75–100 mg/day or clopidogrel (75 mg/day) continued up to 12 months.	IIa	C	
In patients requiring oral anticoagulation at high bleeding risk (HAS BLED ≥3), triple therapy of (N)OAC and ASA (75–100 mg/day) and clopidogrel 75 mg/day should be considered for a duration of one month followed by (N)OAC and aspirin 75–100 mg/day or clopidogrel (75 mg/day) irrespective of clinical setting (SCAD or ACS) and stent type (BMS or new-generation DES).	IIa	C	
Dual therapy of (N)OAC and clopidogrel 75 mg/day may be considered as an alternative to initial triple therapy in selected patients.	IIIb	B	865,870
The use of ticagrelor and prasugrel as part of initial triple therapy is not recommended	III	C	
<b>Anticoagulation therapy after PCI in ACS patient</b>			
In selected patients who receive ASA and clopidogrel, low-dose rivaroxaban (2.5 mg twice daily) may be considered in the setting of PCI for ACS if the patient is at low bleeding risk.	IIIb	B	855
<b>Anticoagulation during PCI in patients on oral anticoagulation</b>			
It is recommended to use additional parenteral anticoagulation, regardless of the timing of the last dose of (N)OAC.	I	C	
Periprocedural parenteral anticoagulants (bivalirudin, enoxaparin or UFH) should be discontinued immediately after primary PCI.	IIa	C	

## Relationship between major bleeding and mortality in CAD patients (especially in ACS)

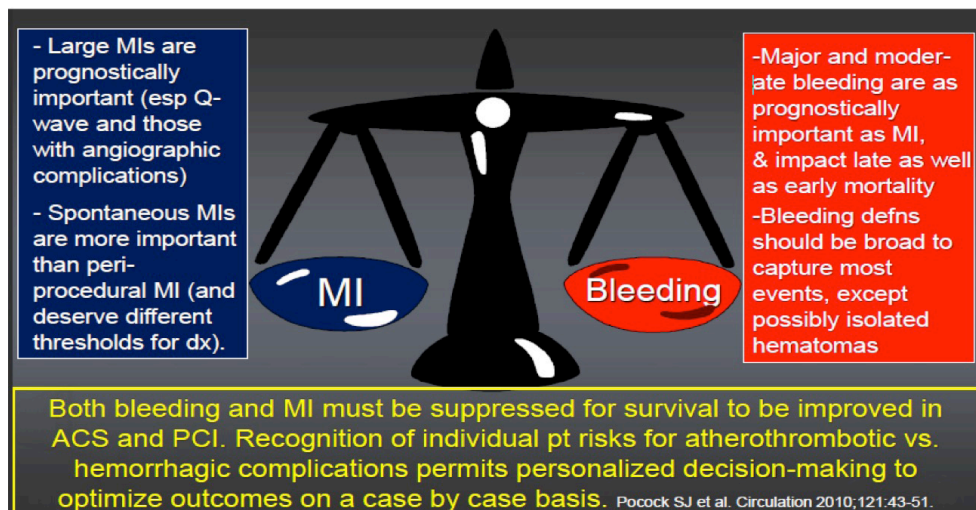




## Impact of MI and major bleeding (MB) on 1-yr mortality in ACS pts undergoing PCI

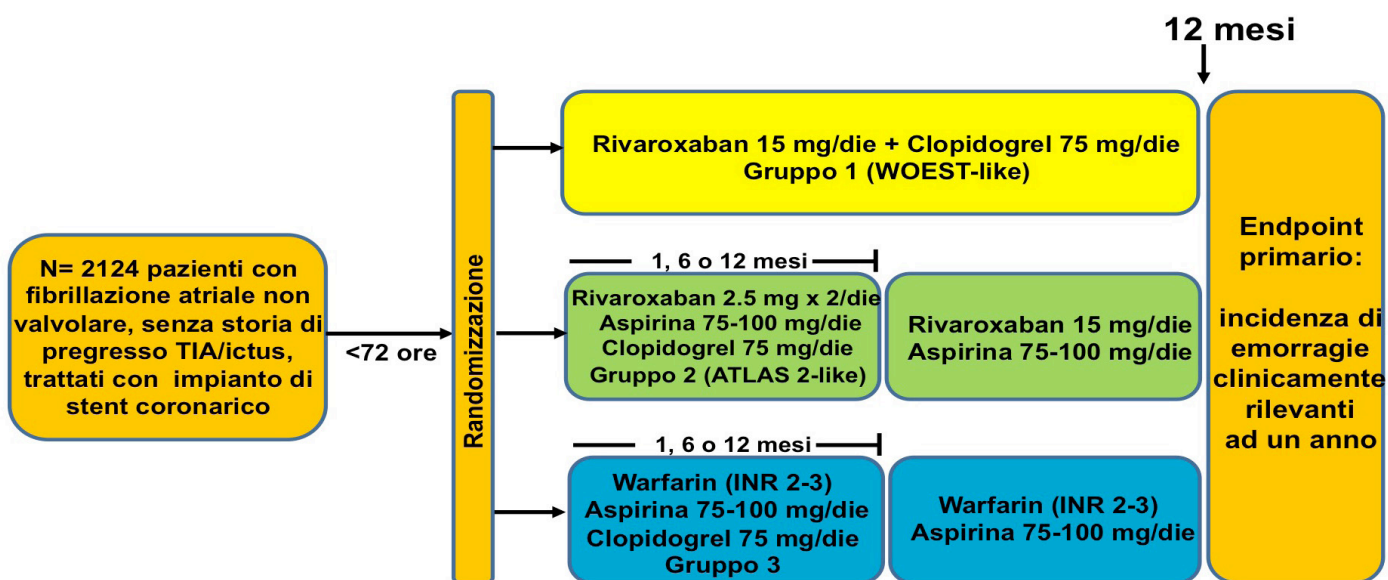


## Impact of MI and Bleeding on Subsequent Mortality in ACS and PCI



- ❖ Doses issues
- ❖ Increase of bleeding in APPRAISE 2 and ATLAS 2
- ❖ No data on safety for association of new anticoagulants with prasugrel/ticagrelor
- ❖ Identify pts achieving the greatest benefit, without safety concerns

Disegno dello studio PIONEER AF-PCI (N Engl J Med 2016)



**Incidenza cumulativa di eventi cardiovascolari (infarto miocardico, ictus) e di complicanze emorragiche nei vari bracci di trattamento e per diverse durate della triplice terapia**

