

A photograph of a surgical team in an operating room. The team consists of several members wearing blue scrubs, surgical masks, and hairnets. They are focused on a patient lying on the operating table. A large, circular surgical light fixture is positioned above them, casting a bright light. In the background, a monitor displays the number '51'. The overall scene is professional and clinical.

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CytoSorb Antithrombotic Removal
July 13, 2020

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Opening Remarks

Dr. Phillip Chan, MD, PhD
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CytoSorbents At a Glance (NASDAQ: CTSO)

- CytoSorbents is a U.S. NASDAQ-traded medical device company that specializes in treating life-threatening conditions with its blood purification technology
- CytoSorb® is E.U. approved, manufactured in the U.S. by CytoSorbents, and commercialized in 65 countries as an extracorporeal cytokine adsorber to help treat hyperinflammatory conditions where cytokines are elevated (e.g. “cytokine storm”) with more than 88,000 cumulative treatments to date
- CytoSorb is also E.U. approved to remove ticagrelor (Brilinta®) or rivaroxaban (Xarelto®) in cardiac surgery, bilirubin (liver disease) and myoglobin (trauma)
- CytoSorb is not yet FDA-approved but on a dual path for U.S. approval
 - FDA Breakthrough Designation to remove ticagrelor during CPB in urgent & emergent cardiothoracic surgery
 - U.S. REFRESH 2-AKI Trial – Pivotal study at 25 U.S. centers using CytoSorb intraoperatively to reduce risk of post-op AKI
- Received U.S. FDA Emergency Use Authorization for use in critically-ill adult COVID-19+ patients with respiratory failure and has been used ~1,000 COVID-19 patients in 20+ countries, including the U.S.
- 156 employees with international footprint across two wholly-owned subsidiaries
 - CytoSorbents Medical, Inc: Headquarters - New Jersey, USA (ISO 13485 certified manufacturing, R&D, Management)
 - CytoSorbents Europe GmbH: International sales office - Berlin, Germany (Sales and Marketing)
- Strong government support with ~\$33M in grants, contracts, other non-dilutive funds

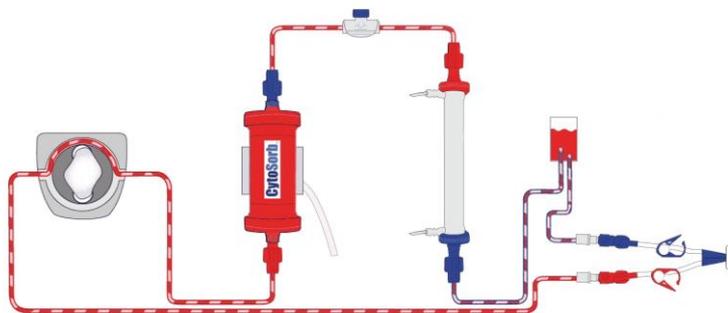


CytoSorb is “Plug and Play” Compatible

Compatible with Existing Blood Pump Infrastructure In Hospitals Today

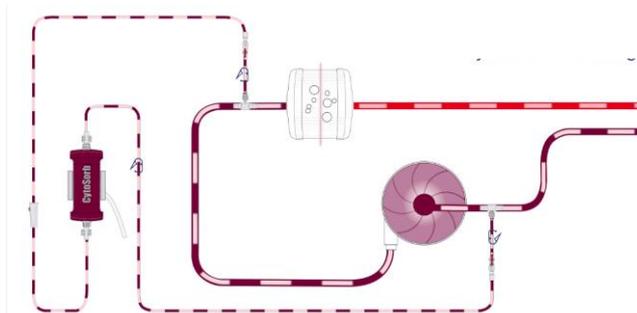
Dialysis or CRRT

(Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy)



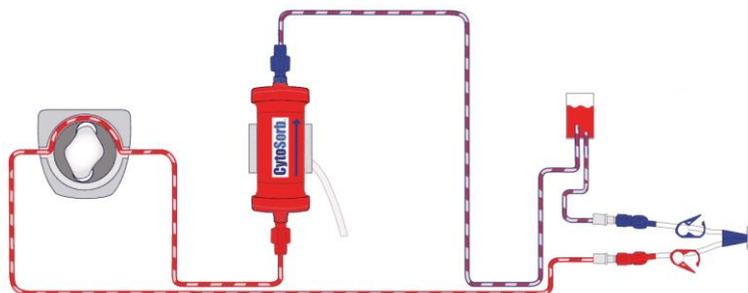
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(Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation)



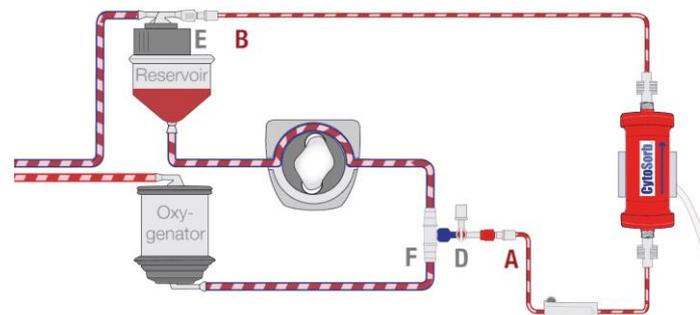
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(Standalone Treatment)



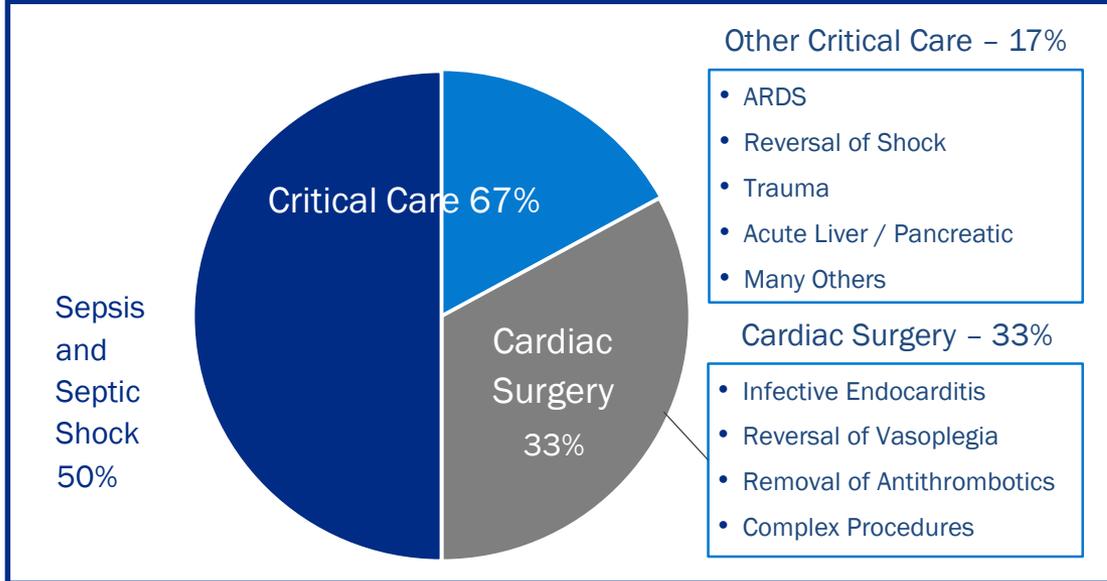
CPB

(Cardiopulmonary Bypass)

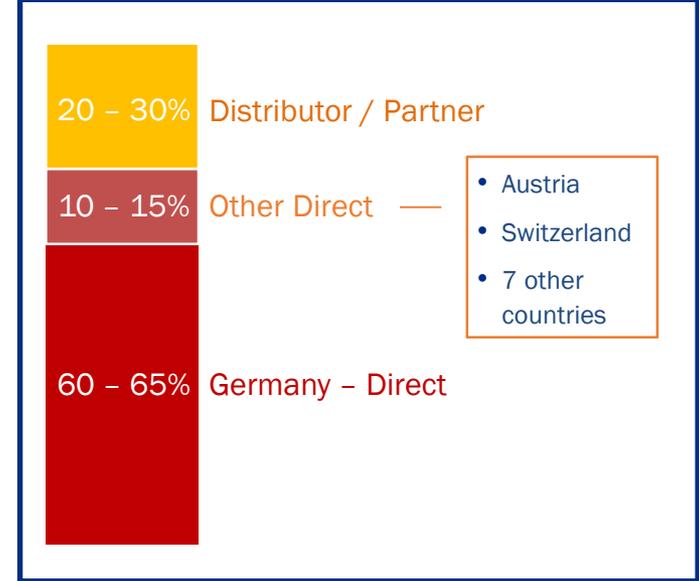


CytoSorb Commercialization Focus

By Market



By Geography

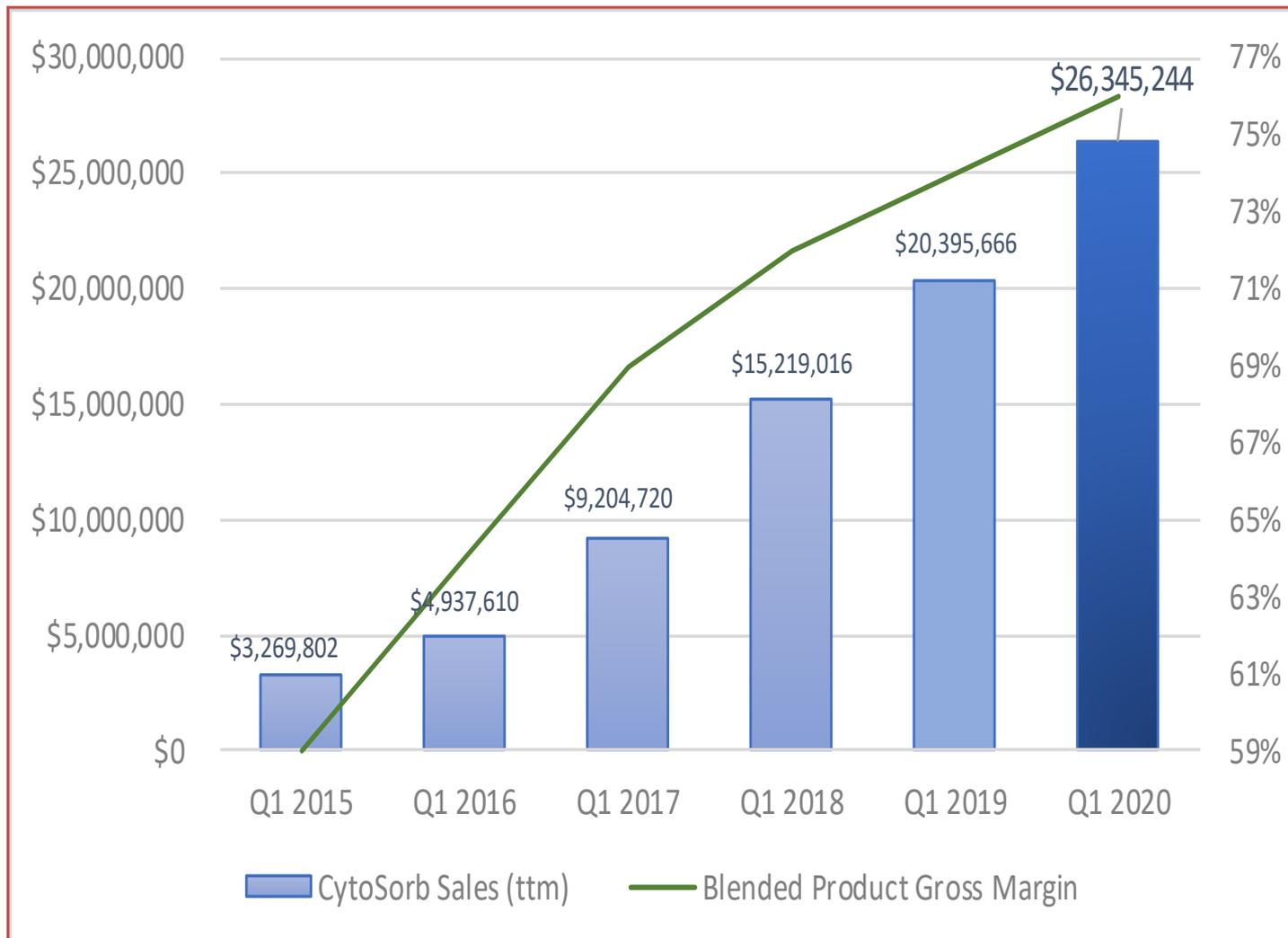


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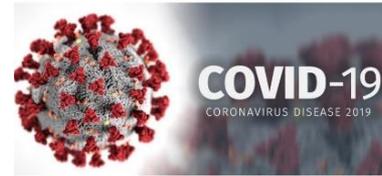
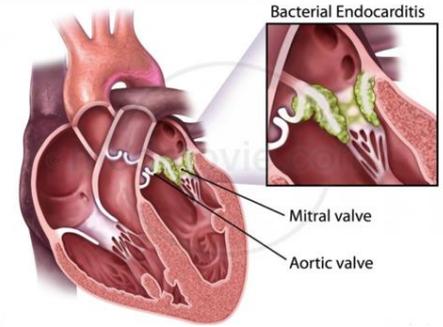
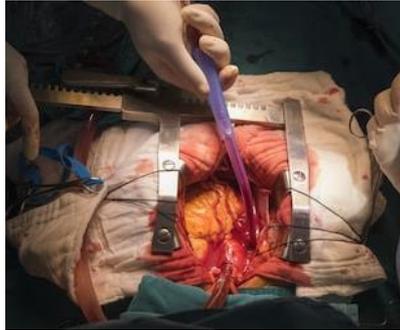


CytoSorb Adoption Continues to Grow

Product Sales(ttm) and Blended Product Gross Margin Growth



Growth Driven By Many Macro Trends in Healthcare



Introduction of Agenda & Speakers

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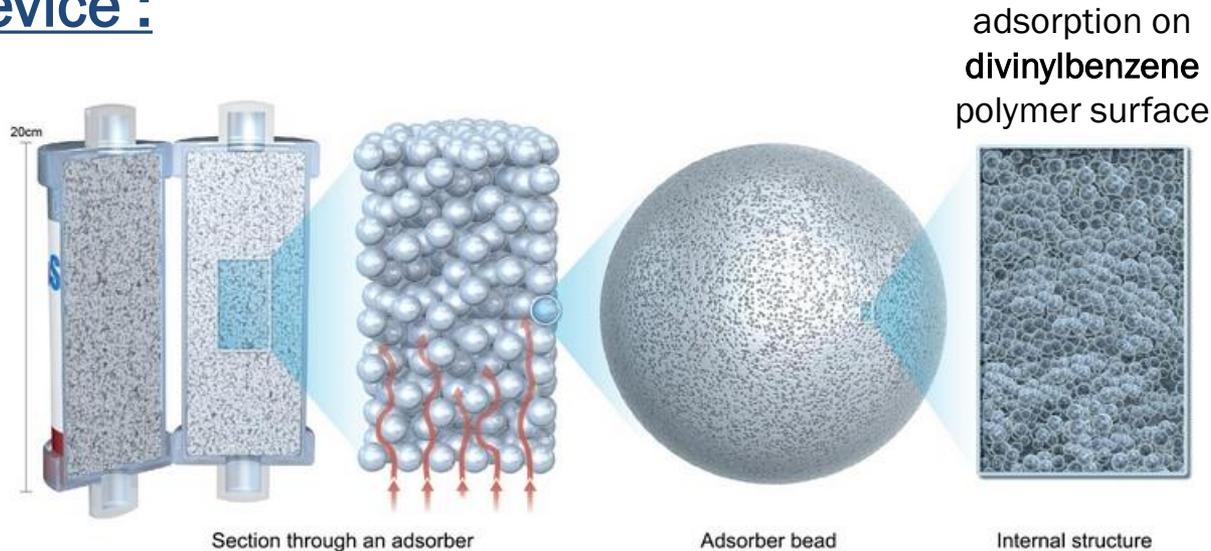
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Antithrombotic Removal

CytoSorb Drug Adsorption: Mechanism of Action

Device :



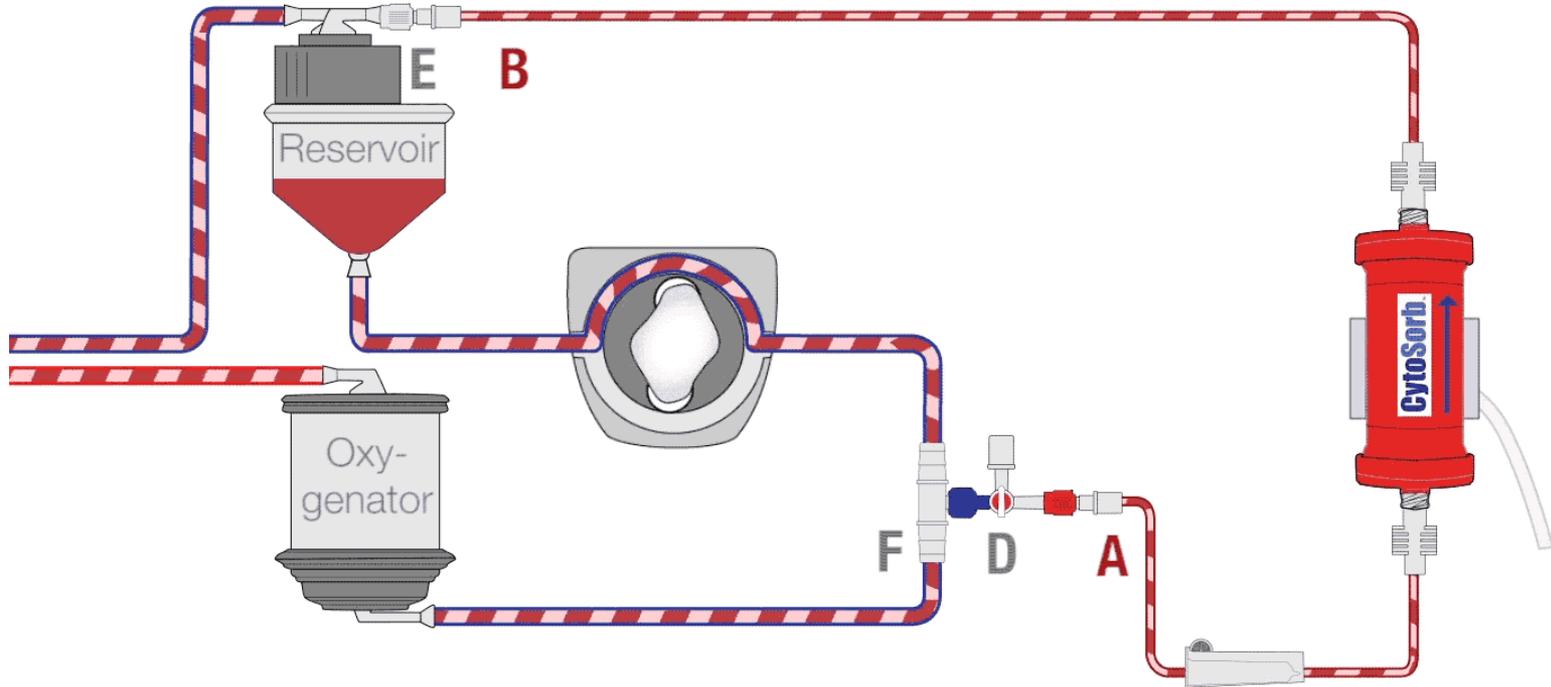
- favors hydrophobic binding
- pore size = selective access to ≤ 60 kDa
- dependent on drug concentration
- dependent on time of blood exposure

Drug:

- Hydrophobic molecular functional groups (aromatic, alkyl, etc.) increase binding affinity
- Free fraction vs. protein-bound: free fraction adsorbed and shifting free-bound ratio
- Active metabolites: generation rate and compartmentalization factor into removal rates
- $T_{1/2}$: very short $T_{1/2}$ limits availability for adsorption vs. longer $T_{1/2}$
- Volume of distribution (V_D): more adsorption with smaller V_D
- Chronicity of dosing: higher adsorption early before steady-state V_D

CytoSorb Integrates Easily Into Cardiopulmonary Bypass

- CytoSorb installs within minutes and is placed in a parallel circuit: post-pump, back to the venous reservoir
- High blood flow, low resistance up to 700 mL/min
- Fully-compatible with heparin anti-coagulation
- Used safely in thousands of cardiopulmonary bypass procedures to date

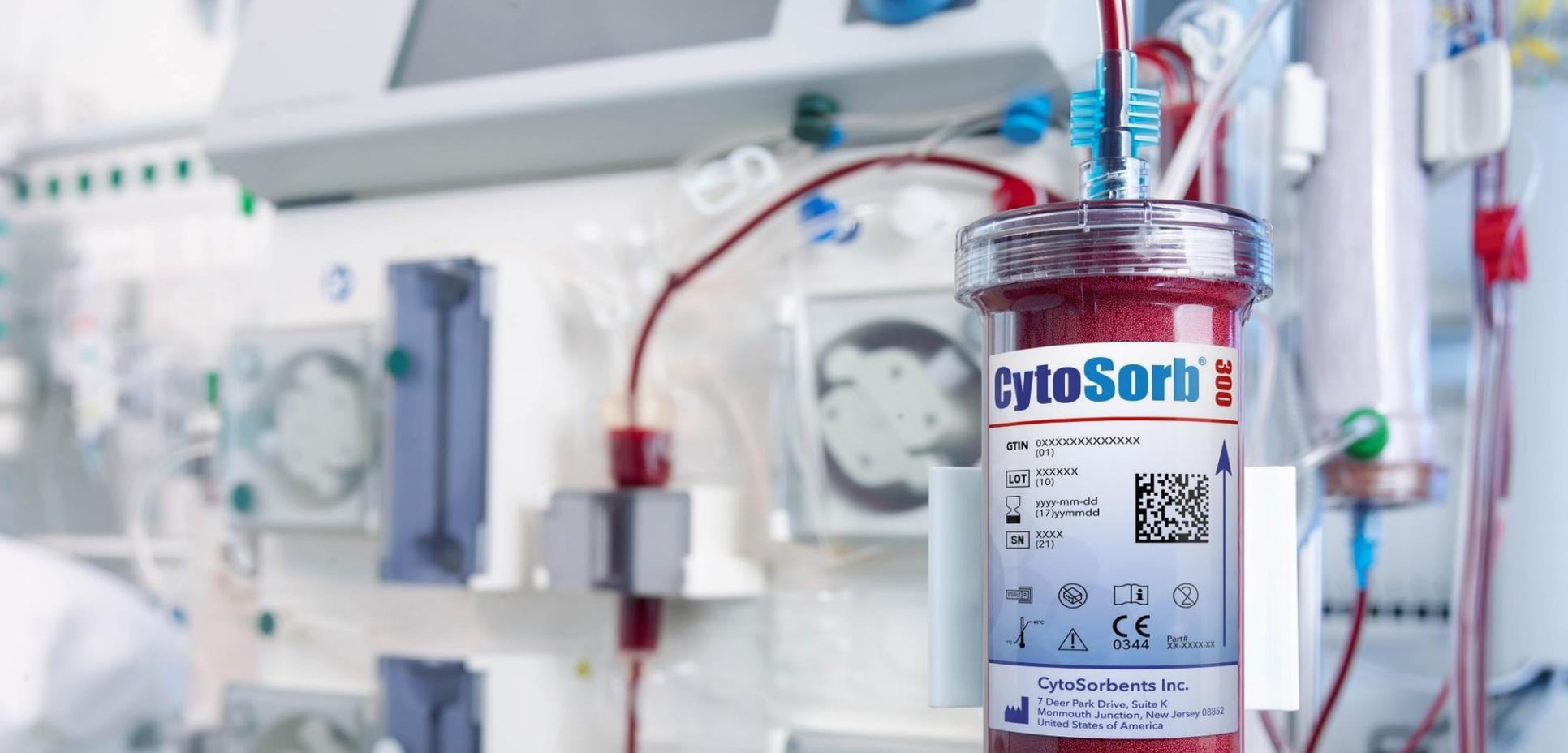


Antithrombotic Removal - Overview

Evidence	P2Y ₁₂		NOAC		
	TICAGRELOR	RIVAROXABAN	APIXABAN	DABIGATRAN	EDOXABAN
Benchtop In vitro	>90%	>90%	--	>90%	>90%
Human PK/PD	+	+	--	--	--
Clinical Evidence	√	√	--	--	--
EU US	√ BD	√ --	-- --	-- --	-- --

Today's Agenda & Speakers

Speaker	Title	Time
Phillip Chan	Welcome & Opening Remarks	5 min
Makis Deliargyris	Introduction of Agenda & Speakers	5 min
Robert Storey	Ticagrelor and CytoSorb	15 min
Michael Schmoeckel	Intraoperative removal of Ticagrelor and Rivaroxaban during Emergency Cardiac Operations	15 min
Michael Gibson	NOACs and CytoSorb	15 min
Makis Deliargyris	Closing Remarks – Size of the opportunity	5 min
All	Q & A Session	30 min



Antithrombotic Removal

- Unmet clinical need
- Clinical evidence with CytoSorb
- Size of the addressable market



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Ticagrelor and CytoSorb

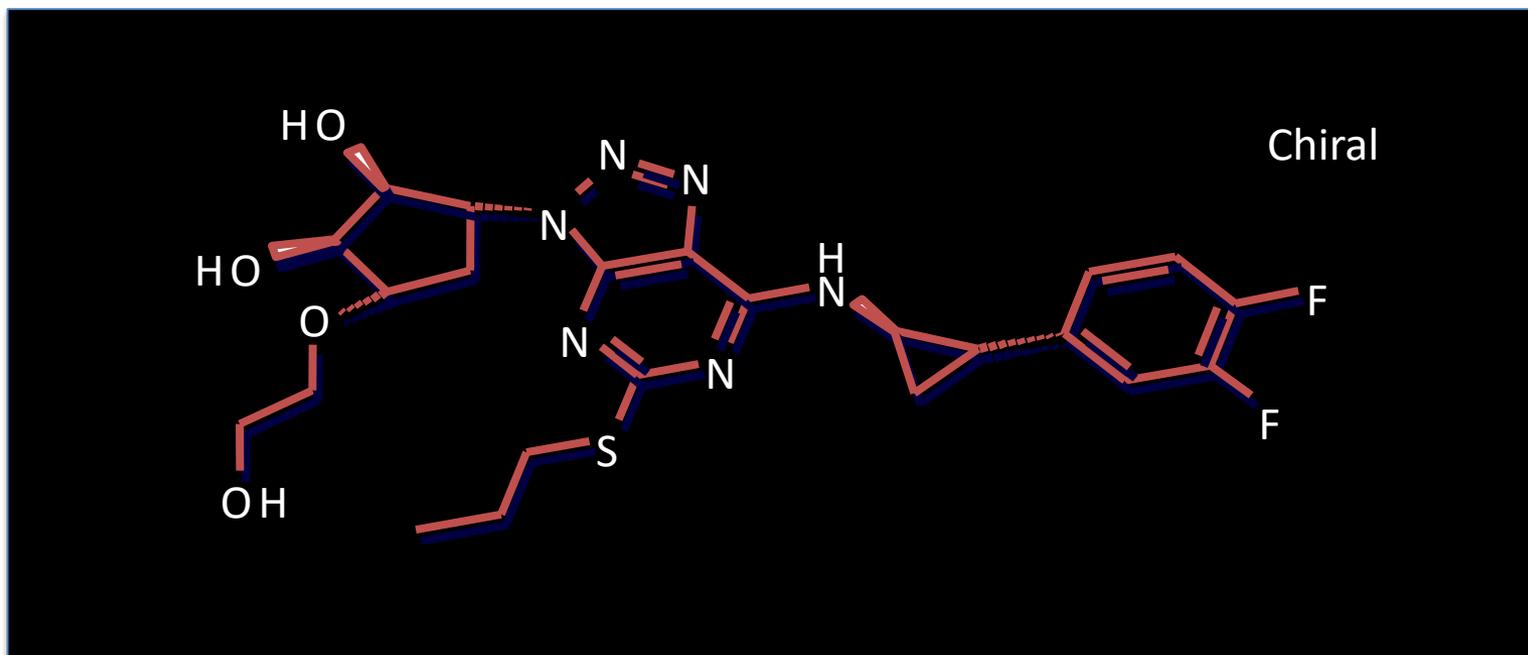
Professor Robert Storey, BSc, BM, DM, FRCP, FESC

Professor of Cardiology and Cardiovascular Disease Theme Lead, Department of Infection, Immunity and Cardiovascular Disease, University of Sheffield

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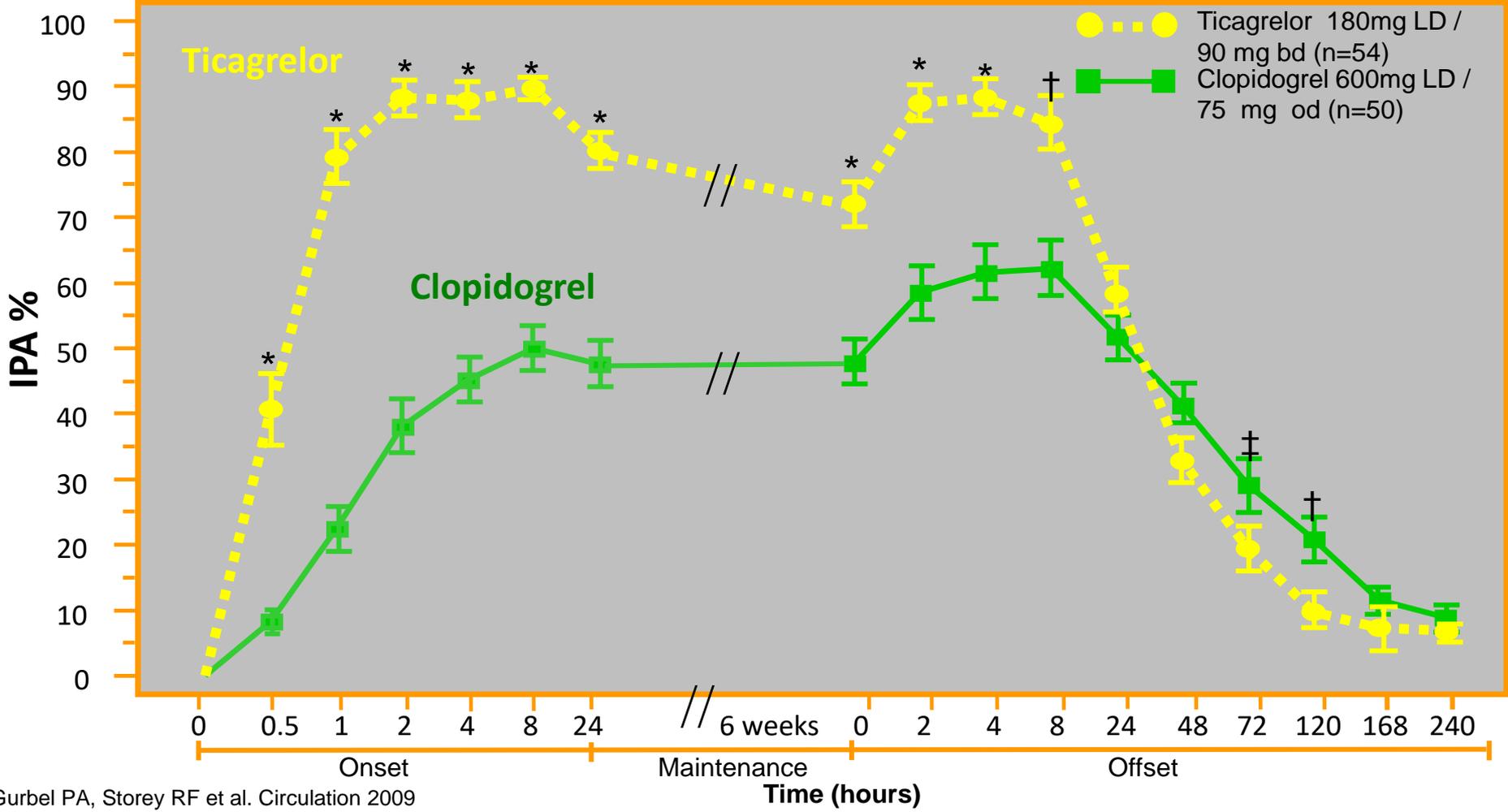
Academic Director and Honorary Consultant Cardiologist, Cardiology and Cardiothoracic Surgery Directorate, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Sheffield, United Kingdom

Ticagrelor: the first oral reversibly-binding P2Y₁₂ receptor antagonist belonging to the class CPTP (cyclo-pentyl-triazolo-pyrimidine)



van Giezen JJJ, Humphries RG. *Semin Thromb Hemost.* 2005;31:195-204.

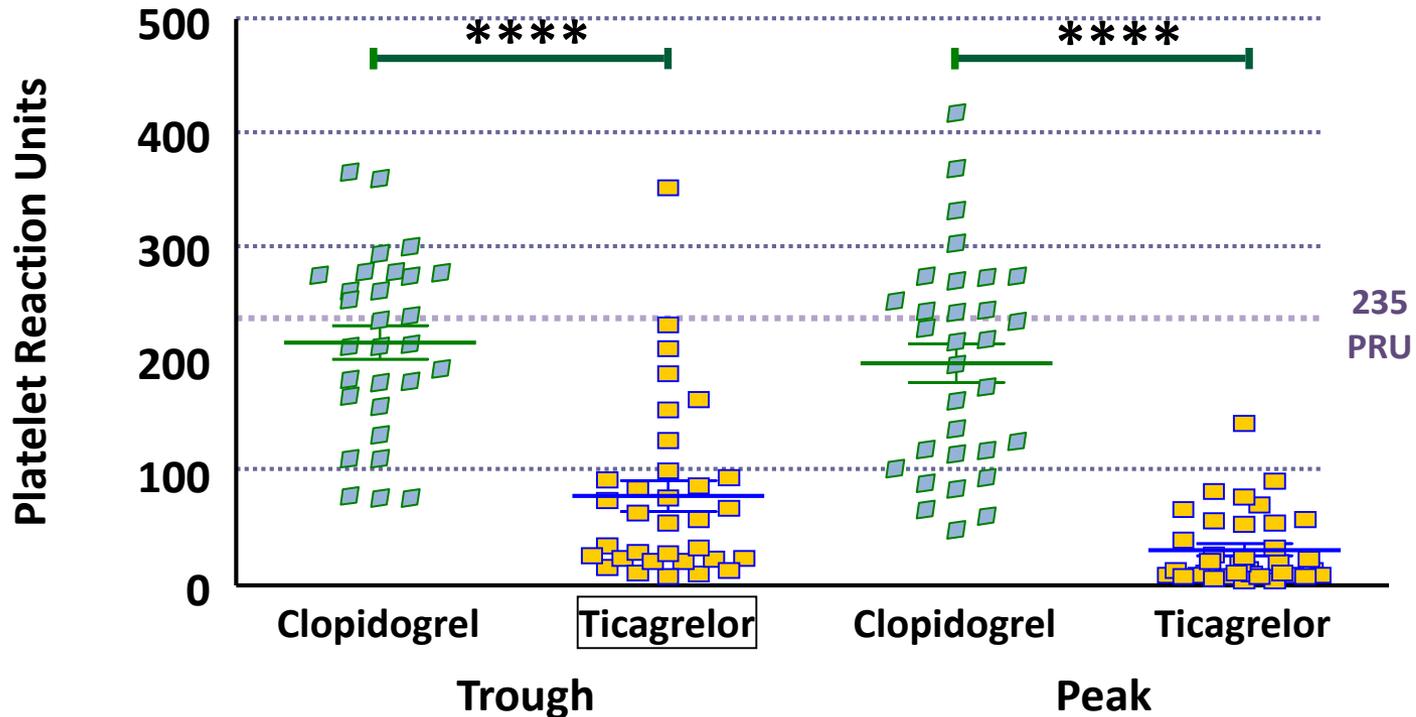
ONSET/OFFSET Study: inhibition of platelet aggregation



Gurbel PA, Storey RF et al. Circulation 2009

PLATO PLATELET: VerifyNow P2Y₁₂ Assay

Comparing Maintenance Therapy with Clopidogrel vs Ticagrelor in ACS

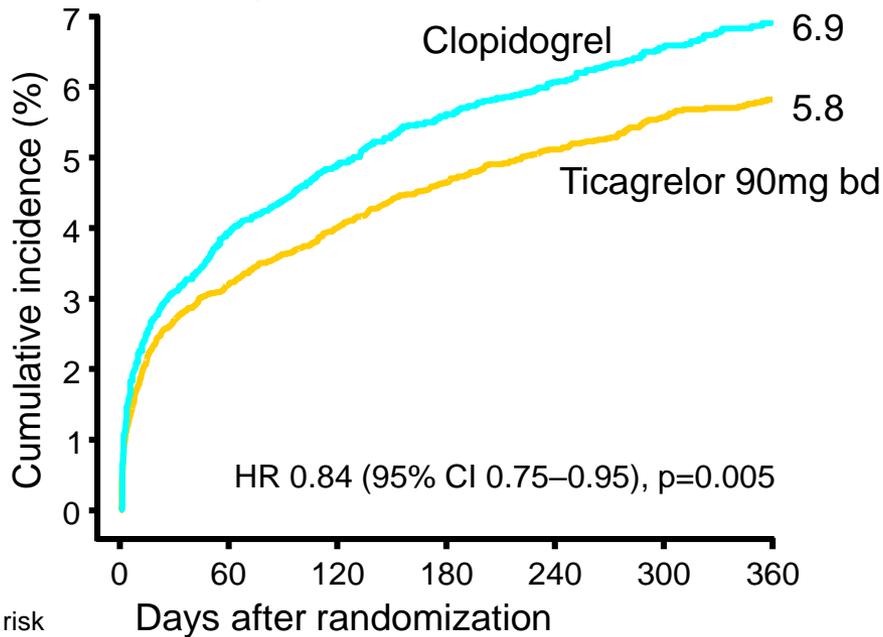


*** $P < 0.0001$; PRU = Platelet reaction units.

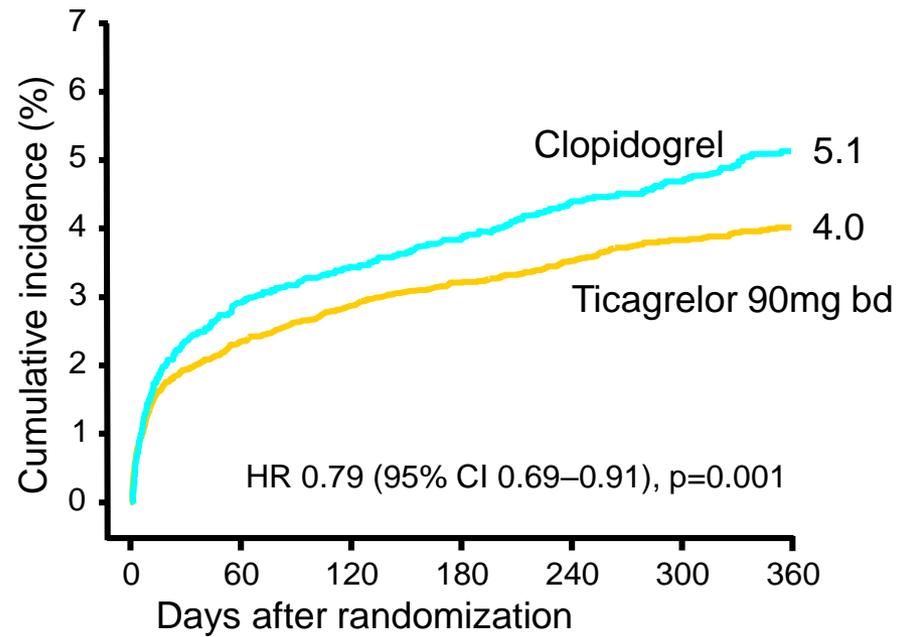
Storey RF, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol 2010

PLATO Secondary efficacy endpoints

Myocardial infarction



Cardiovascular death



No. at risk

	0	60	120	180	240	300	360
Ticagrelor	9333	8678	8520	8279	6796	5210	4191
Clopidogrel	9291	8560	8405	8177	6703	5136	4109

	0	60	120	180	240	300	360
Ticagrelor	9333	8294	8822	8626	7119	5482	4419
Clopidogrel	9291	8865	8780	8589	7079	5441	4364

UK networks for ACS and revascularisation

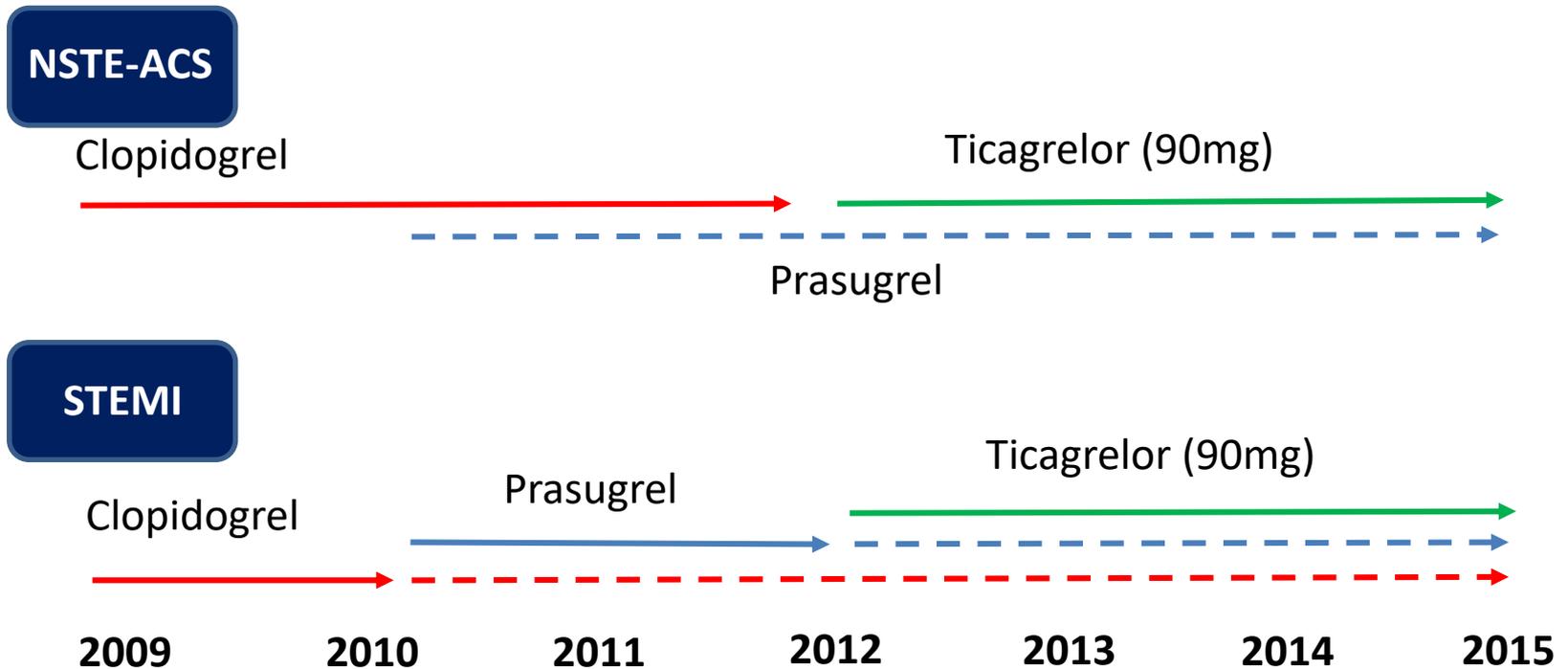
South Yorkshire Cardiothoracic Centre

Provides a PCI and CABG surgery service including 24/7 primary PCI to the South Yorkshire and North Derbyshire regions of England – a population of 1.8 million people



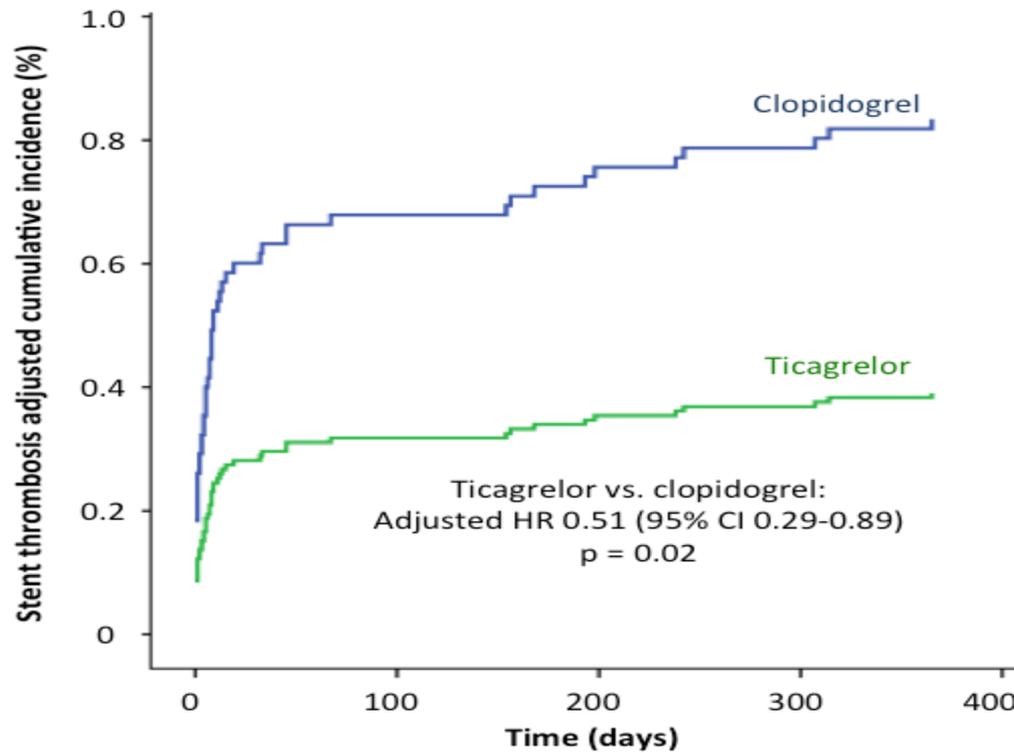
Sheffield observational study

10,793 consecutive invasively-managed ACS patients



Sheffield observational study

Adjusted definite stent thrombosis rates

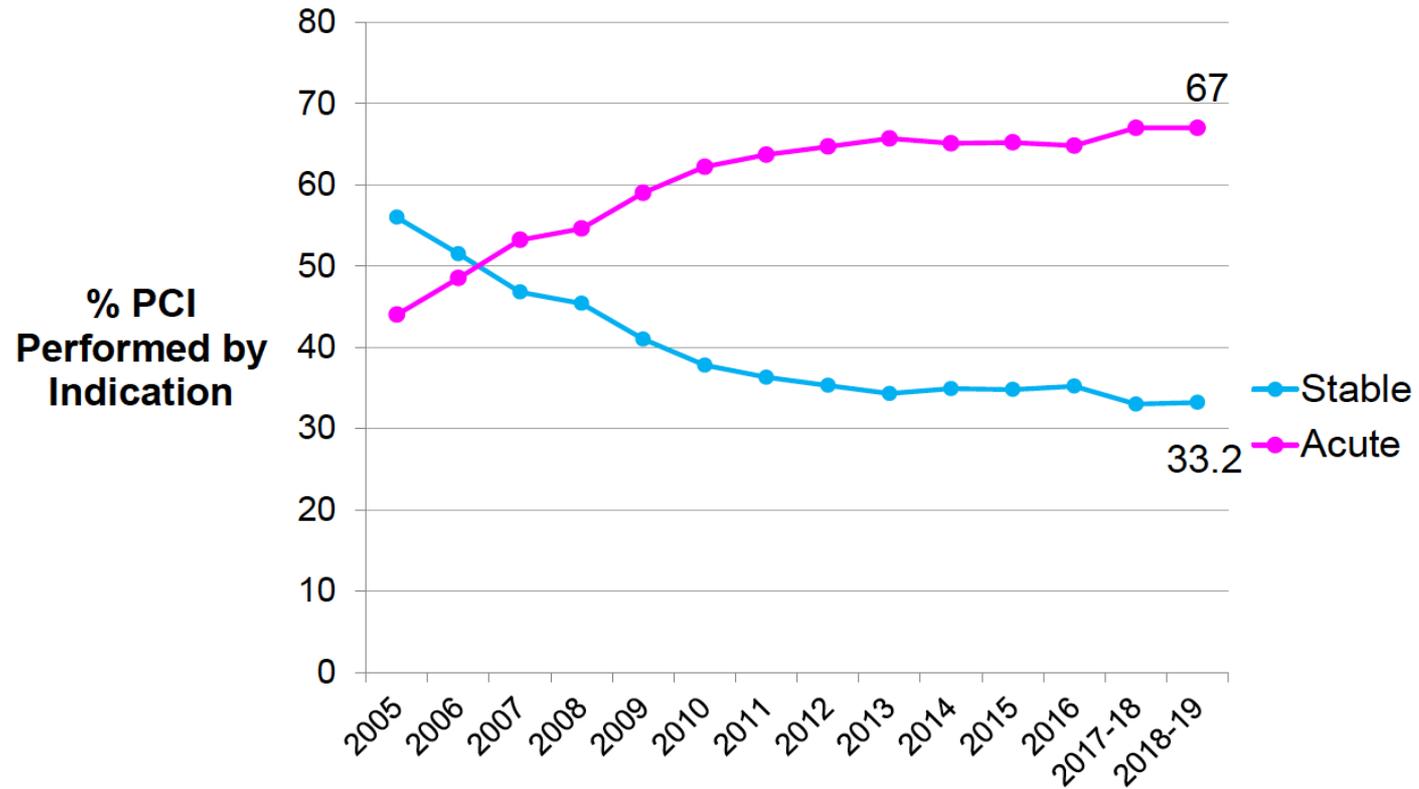




BCIS National Audit Adult Interventional Procedures

1st April 2018 to 31st March 2019

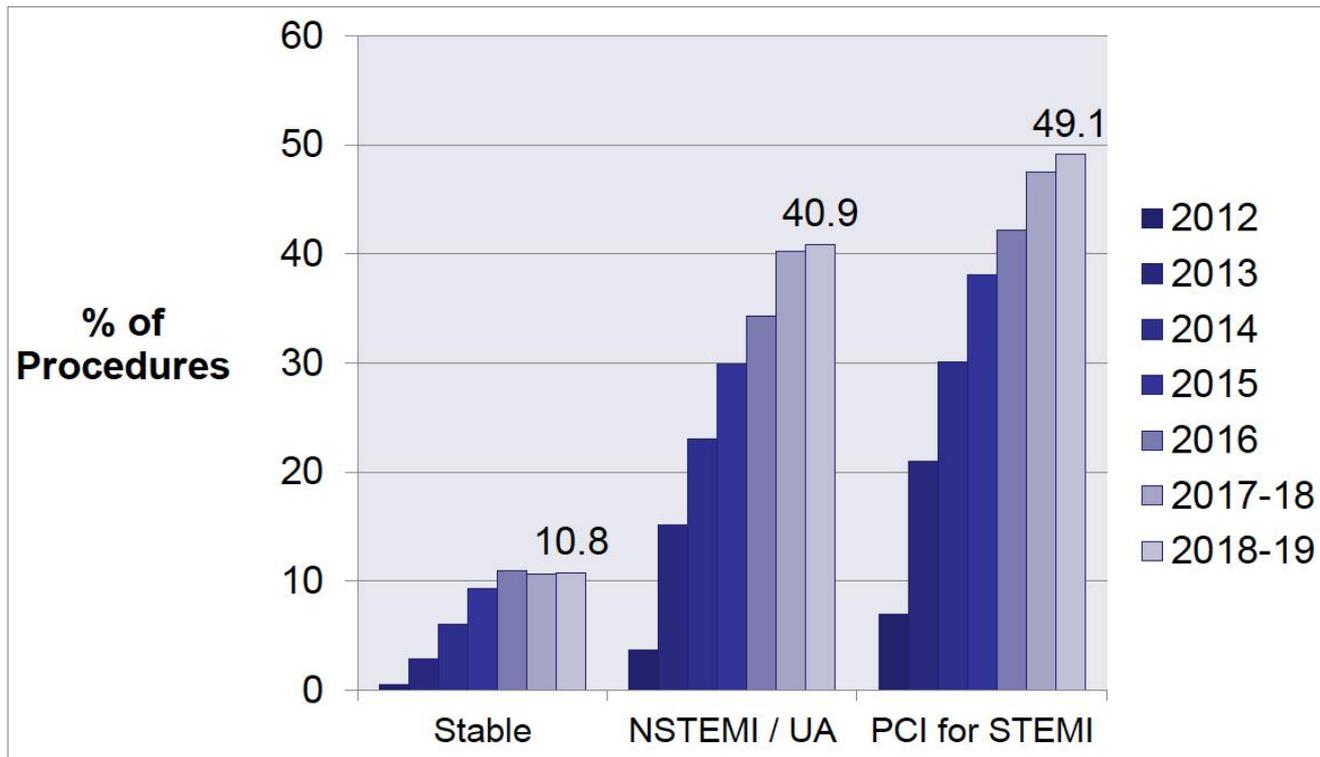
Clinical Syndrome





Ticagrelor

Use by Indication for PCI



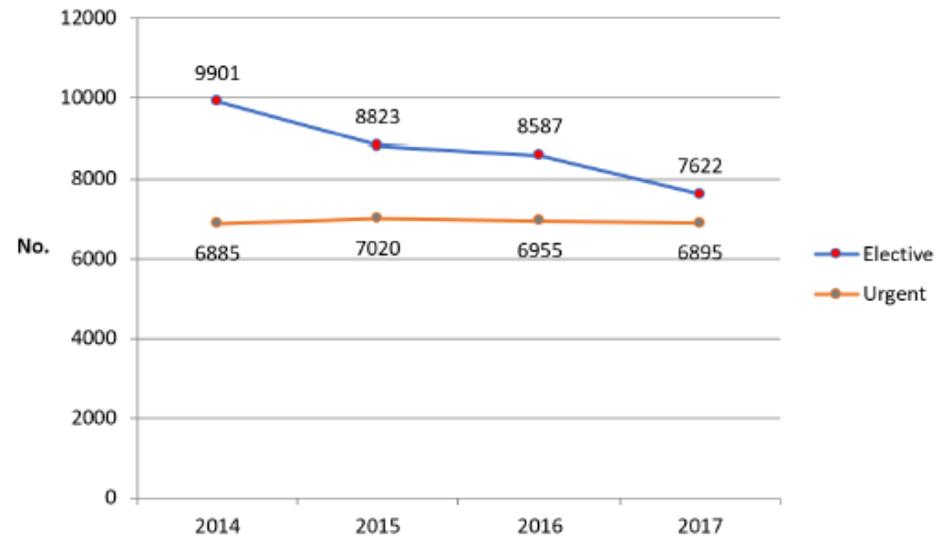
NATIONAL ADULT CARDIAC SURGERY AUDIT

2019 SUMMARY REPORT
(2015/16-2017/18 DATA)



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Isolated CABG surgery: elective vs. urgent

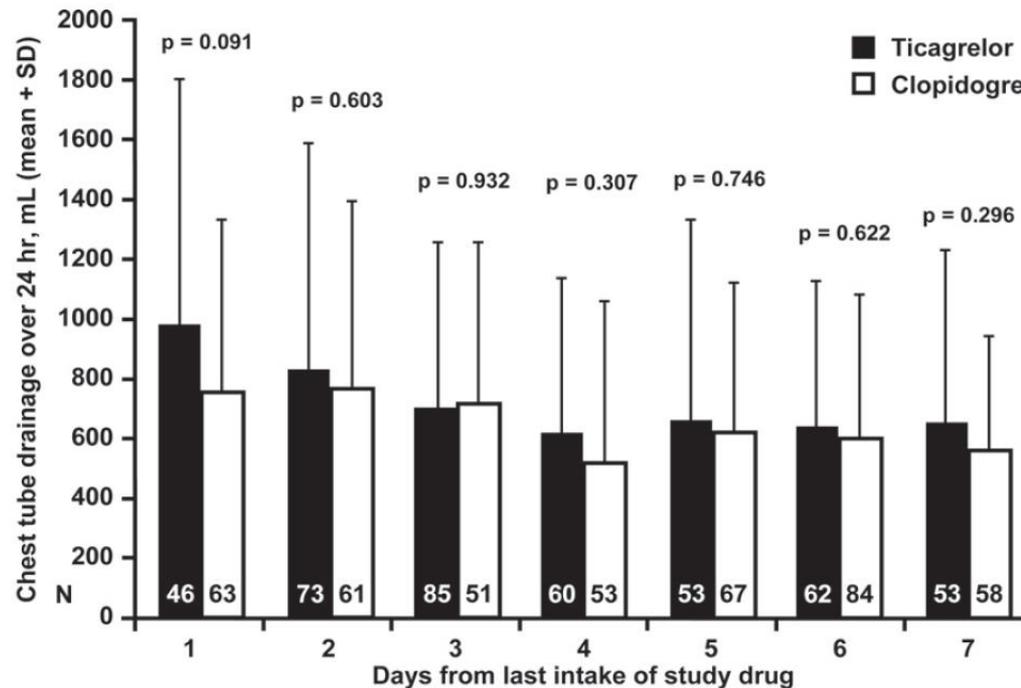


Mean time waiting for **urgent** CABG in 2017/18 was **10 days** in the UK (no change from 2016/17)

Proportion treated within 7 days = 34%

Only 4 hospitals managed to treat >50% within 7 days

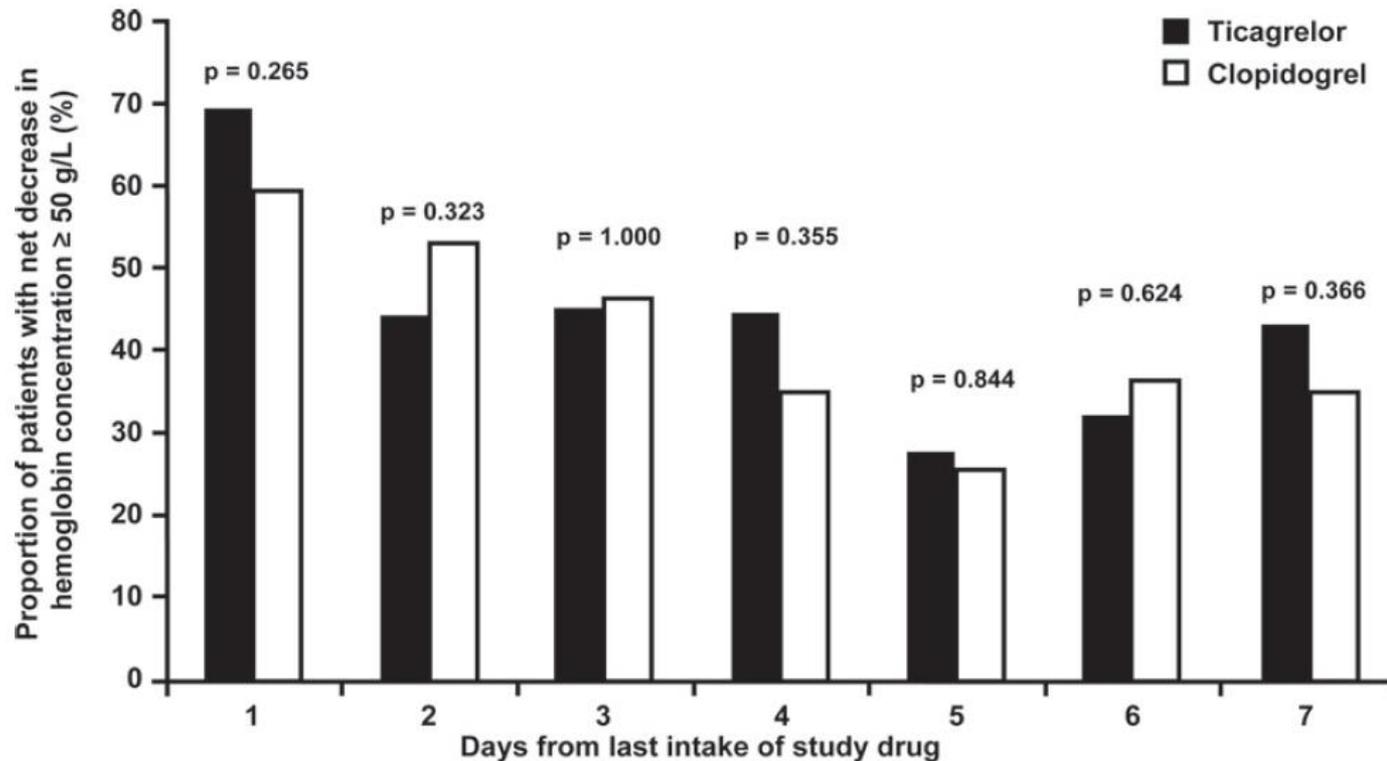
PLATO: chest tube drainage according to time after drug intake



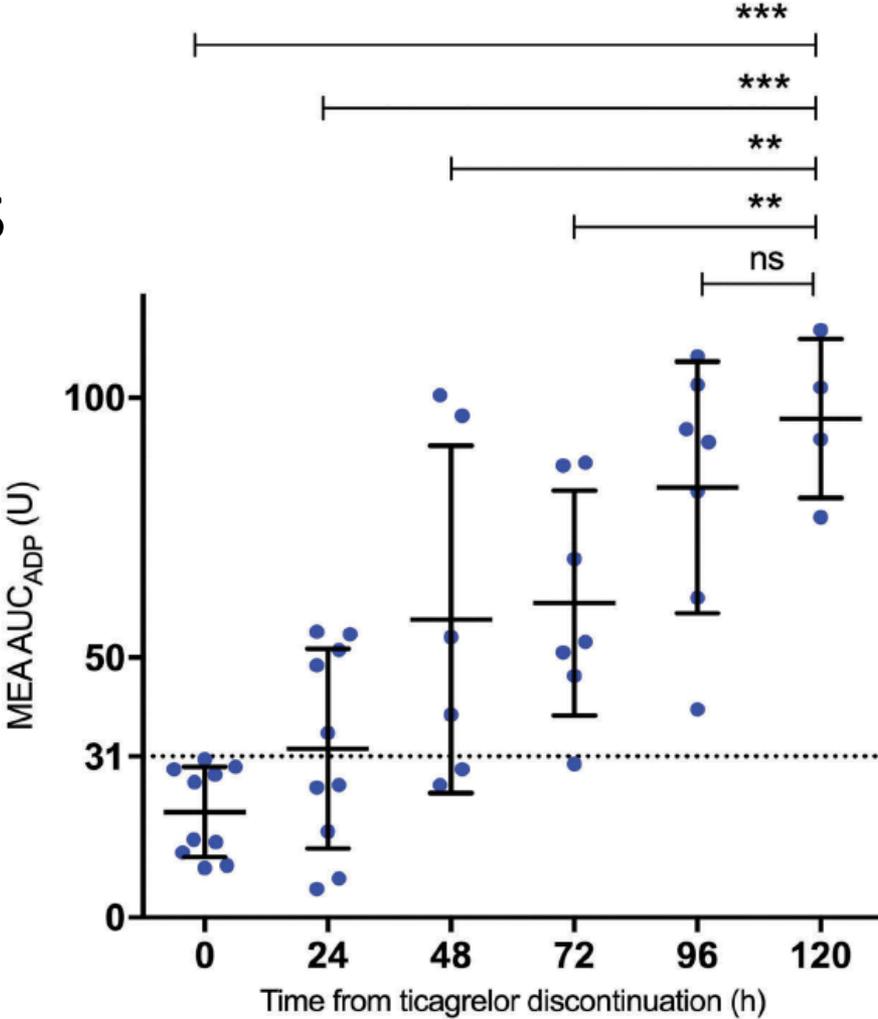
Patients with > 500 mL (%)

Ticagrelor	72	60	56	52	57	56	51
Clopidogrel	67	64	53	43	52	54	47

PLATO: fall in hemoglobin >50g/L according to time after drug intake



Offset of ticagrelor's effects in ACS patients



Expert position paper on the management of antiplatelet therapy in patients undergoing coronary artery bypass graft surgery

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Table 3 Proposed strategies for discontinuation of P2Y₁₂ inhibitors prior to coronary artery bypass grafting surgery

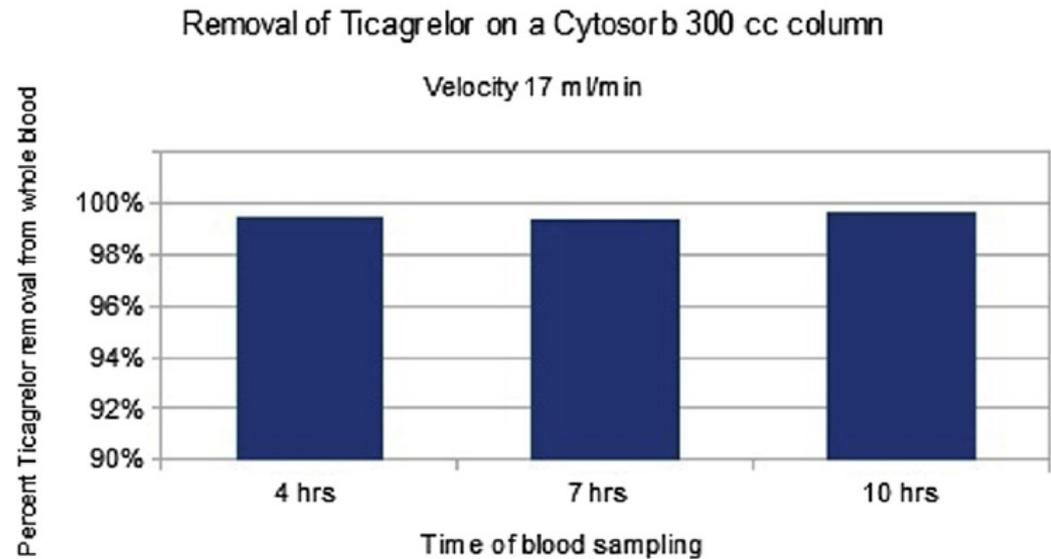
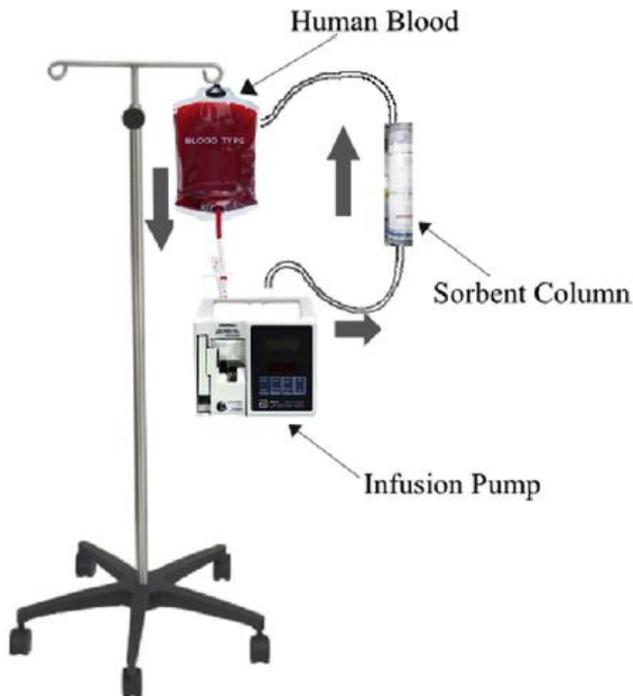
		Bleeding risk	
		High ^a	Low
Thrombotic risk	High ^b ACS or recent stent PCI	Early Heart Team Consultation Ticagrelor/clopidogrel: stop 5 days before and bridge for 4 days. Prasugrel: stop 7 days and bridge for 5 days	Early Heart Team Consultation Ticagrelor/clopidogrel: stop 3 days before and bridge for 2 days. Prasugrel: stop 5 days before and bridge for 3 days
	Low	Early Heart Team Consultation Clopidogrel/ ticagrelor: stop 5 days before. Prasugrel: stop 7 days prior to CABG	Clopidogrel/ticagrelor: stop 5 days before or less if indicated by platelet function test. Prasugrel: stop 7 days before or less if indicated by platelet function test.

^aExamples of high-bleeding risk: renal or hepatic insufficiency, advanced age, anaemia, small body surface area, cardiac failure, and redo operation.

^bExamples of high-thrombotic risk: haemodynamic instability, ongoing ischaemia, complex coronary anatomy, stenting < 1 month for BMS, and < 6 months for DES. CABG, coronary artery bypass grafting.

Ticagrelor Removal From Human Blood

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Ticagrelor removal by CytoSorb® is associated with reduced morbidity in patients who require emergent or urgent cardiac surgery:

An economic model with implications for hospital resource utilisation in the UK

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Methods

- A *de novo* decision analytic model was developed to estimate resource utilisation in each strategy (CytoSorb vs. usual care) over a 30-day time horizon
- Primary clinical inputs were those that might have significant impact on hospital care resource utilisation, including:
 - bleeding complications
 - re-thoracotomies
 - number of transfused units of red blood cells (RBC) and platelets
 - hospital/intensive care unit length of stay and total operating time
 - incidence of myocardial infarction while waiting for physiologic clearance of ticagrelor before an urgent cardiac surgery
- A wide range of parametric and structural sensitivity analyses were performed to explore the uncertainty surrounding the model results

Results: Emergent Cardiac Surgery (Cohort 1)

- CytoSorb use resulted in fewer blood product transfusions, fewer re-thoracotomies, shorter operation time, and shorter ICU/hospital length of stay
- Patients treated with CytoSorb incurred lower total cost (-£3,982) and had better health-related quality of life (+0.00125 quality-adjusted life years (QALYs))
- CytoSorb remained dominant in all sensitivity analyses

Outcome (30-day time horizon; Comparator: No physiologic clearance)	Without CytoSorb	With CytoSorb	Δ incremental
RBCs transfusions (units) per patient	0.91	0.44	-0.47
Platelet transfusions (units) per patient	1.55	0.38	-1.16
Operation time (in minutes)	353	288	-65
Re-thoracotomy rate	36%	0%	-100%
ICU length of stay (days)	3	2	-1
Hospital length of stay (days)	14	11	-3

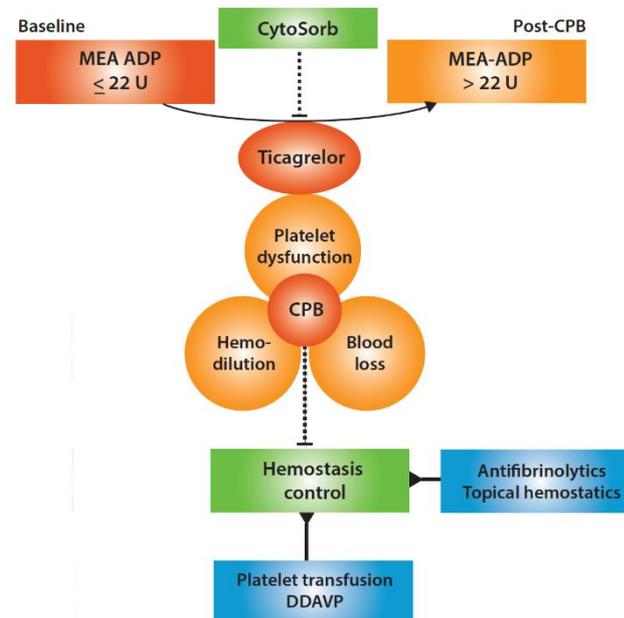
Results: Urgent Cardiac Surgery (Cohort 2)

- In urgent CABG, CytoSorb was less costly (-£55) and more effective when compared to waiting for 5 days to allow for physiological washout of ticagrelor to reduce bleeding risk
- In all 3 comparators, waiting alone, waiting plus short acting antiplatelet agent, and waiting plus low molecular weight heparin:
 - As expected, transfusion of blood and platelet are similar with or without CytoSorb treatment, as bleeding risk is reduced in both cases
 - Hospital length of stay was reduced by 5 days as surgery could proceed earlier

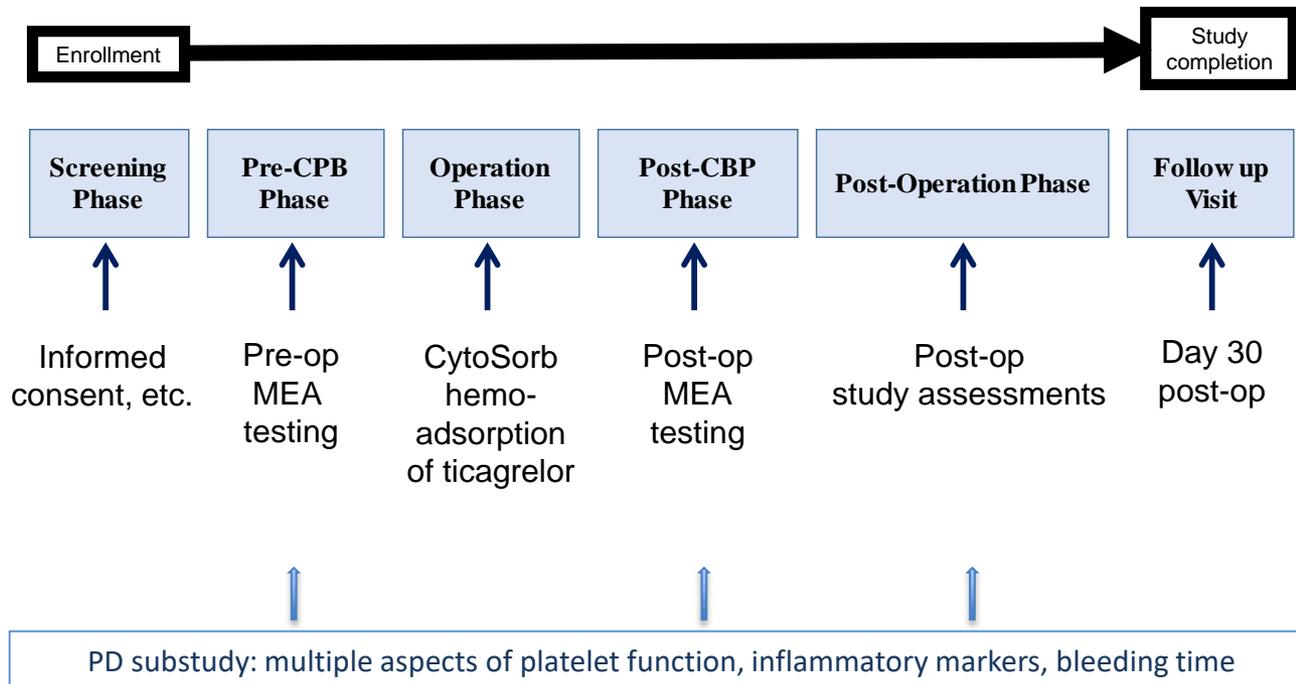
Outcome per patient (Deterministic)	Without CytoSorb	With CytoSorb	Δ Incremental
Transfusions of red blood cells and platelets and (units) per patient	0.82	0.82	0
Hospital length of stay (days)	16	11	-5

Ticagrelor CytoSorb Hemoadsorption (TISORB) study

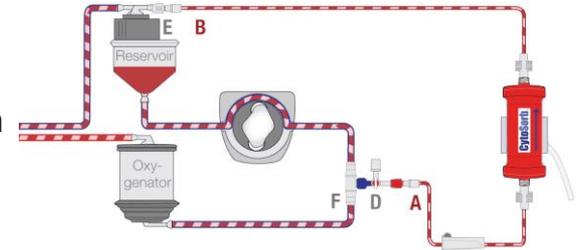
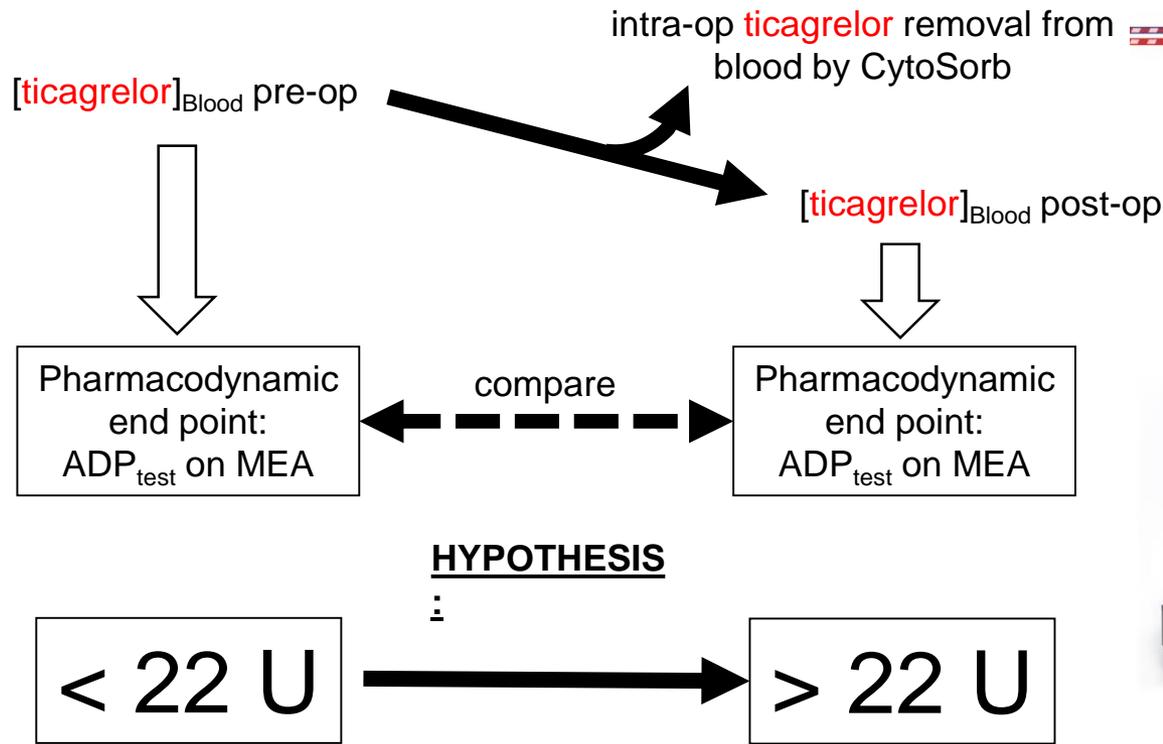
UK prospective, multi-center study in patients undergoing cardiac surgery
<48 hours since last dose of ticagrelor



TISORB patient journey: Surgery \leq 48 hrs after last ticagrelor dose



TISORB primary effectiveness endpoint



Summary

- Acute coronary syndromes (ACS) have become the dominant reason for revascularization over the last decade
- Dual antiplatelet therapy with aspirin and ticagrelor is first-line therapy for ACS patients and has dramatically cut stent thrombosis rates in PCI patients
- Level of platelet P2Y₁₂ inhibition has a critical effect on surgical blood loss and the risks of urgent CABG surgery
- Ticagrelor has the advantage over irreversible P2Y₁₂ inhibitors of reversibility and can be removed from the blood by the CytoSorb system
- CytoSorb has the potential to transform the safety, timeliness, simplicity and cost-effectiveness of CABG surgery in the ACS population



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Intraoperative removal of Ticagrelor and Rivaroxaban during Emergency Cardiac Operations



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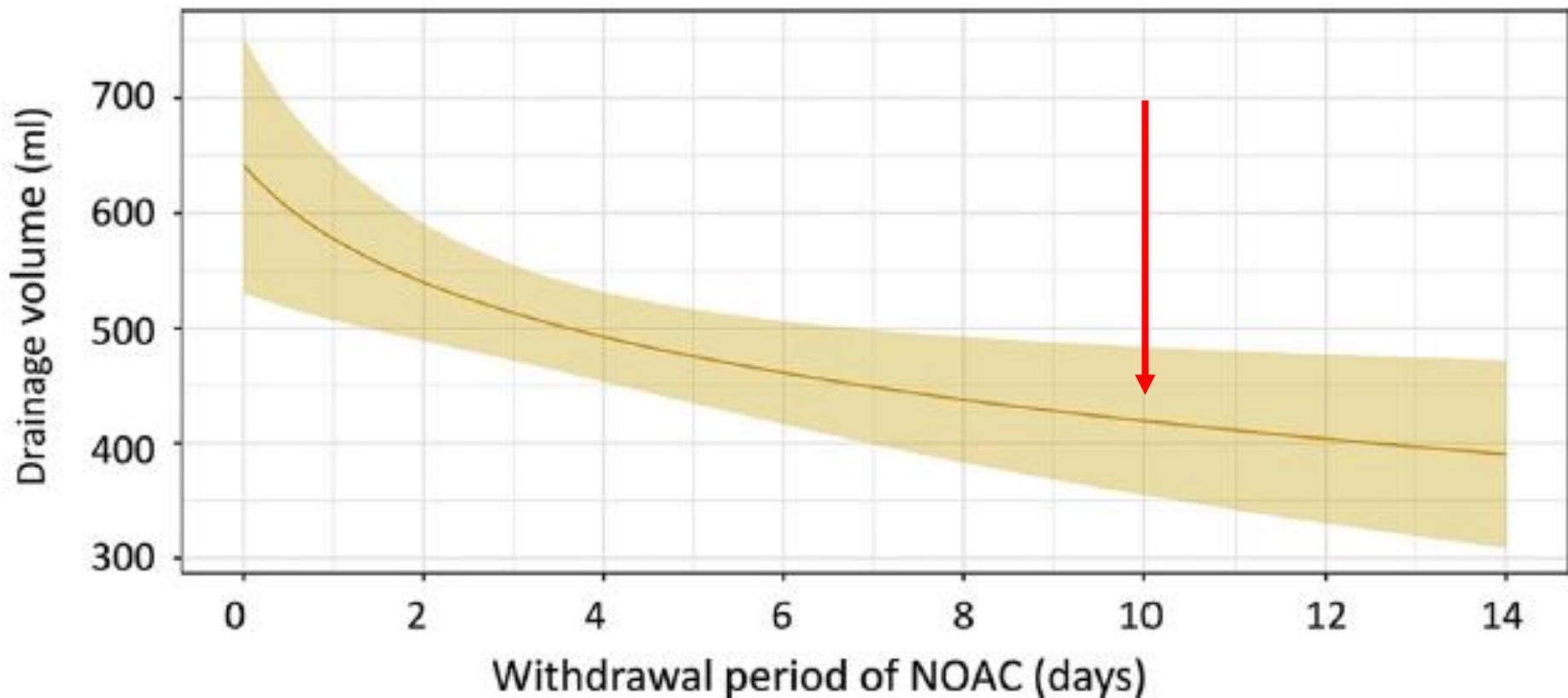
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Perioperative management of NOACs



- **Apixaban (Eliquis)** **discontinue** apixaban **24 to 48 hours prior to surgery** depending on the bleeding risk.
- **Dabigatran (Pradaxa)** high bleeding risk procedures or surgeries: to be discontinued **48–72 hours** before.
in **renal impairment: 72–96 hours** before.
- **Rivaroxaban (Xarelto)** to be discontinued **48 hours** prior to high bleeding risk procedures.
- **Edoxaban (Savaysa)** in high bleeding risk procedures, edoxaban should be discontinued **72 hours** before.



who underwent open-heart operations at our institution between July 2014 and June 2016. All patients presented for surgery while on NOAC therapy: 37 received rivaroxaban (45.7%), 35 apixaban (43.2%), and 9 dabigatran (11.1%). The calculated risk using the European System for Cardiac Operative Risk Evaluation II was 3.5% (IQR: 2.0% to 8.1%).

Results. Surgery was performed at a median 4 days (IQR: 3 to 6) after NOAC withdrawal. Reduced renal function was predictive for length of intensive care unit stay and administration of red blood cells ($p < 0.0001$ and $p = 0.0291$, respectively). The NOAC withdrawal interval significantly influenced postoperative drainage volume

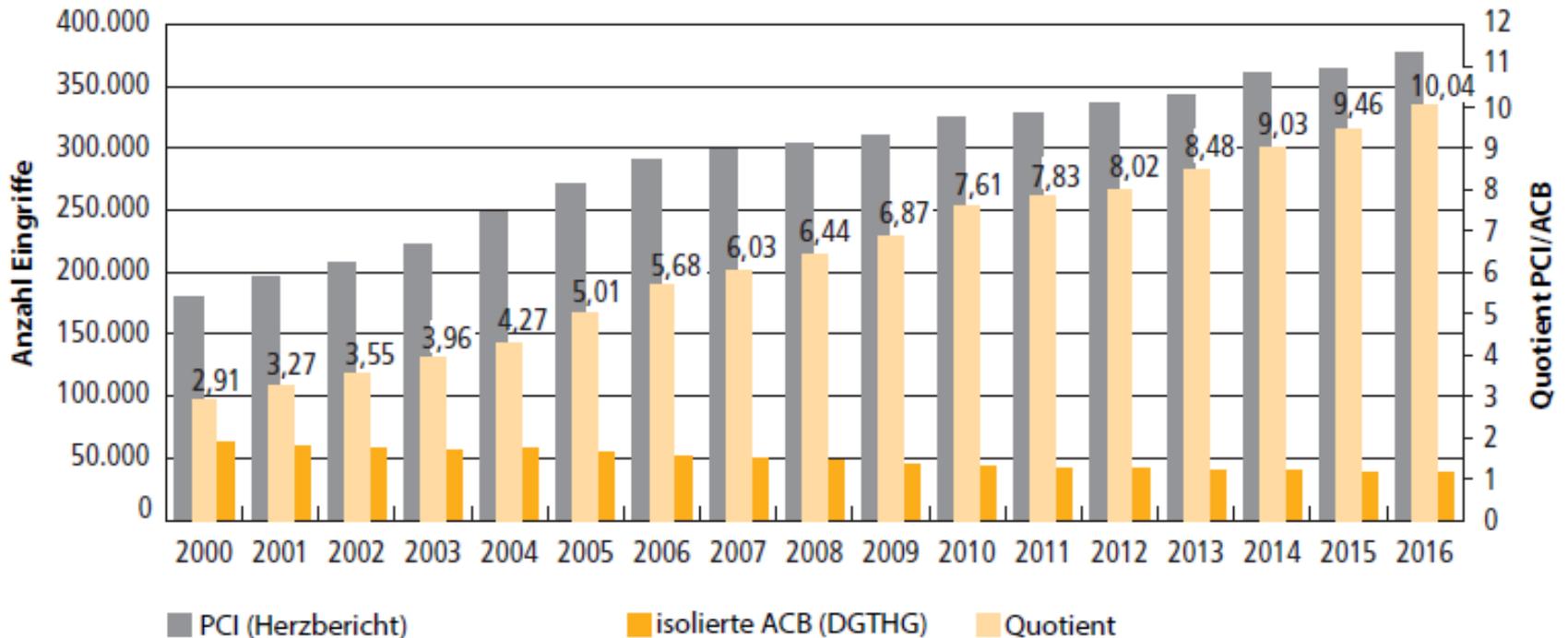
$p = 0.0297$). Intensive care unit stay was 4 days after NOAC withdrawal of 10 days, compared with 4.2 days without termination. Thirty-day mortality was 3.7%.

Conclusions. A lengthy NOAC withdrawal period, particularly for patients with reduced renal function, is essential for safe open-heart surgery. We conclude that despite official recommendations, patients should whenever possible not be considered for elective cardiac surgery within 10 days of terminating NOAC treatment.

Evolution of PCI in Germany

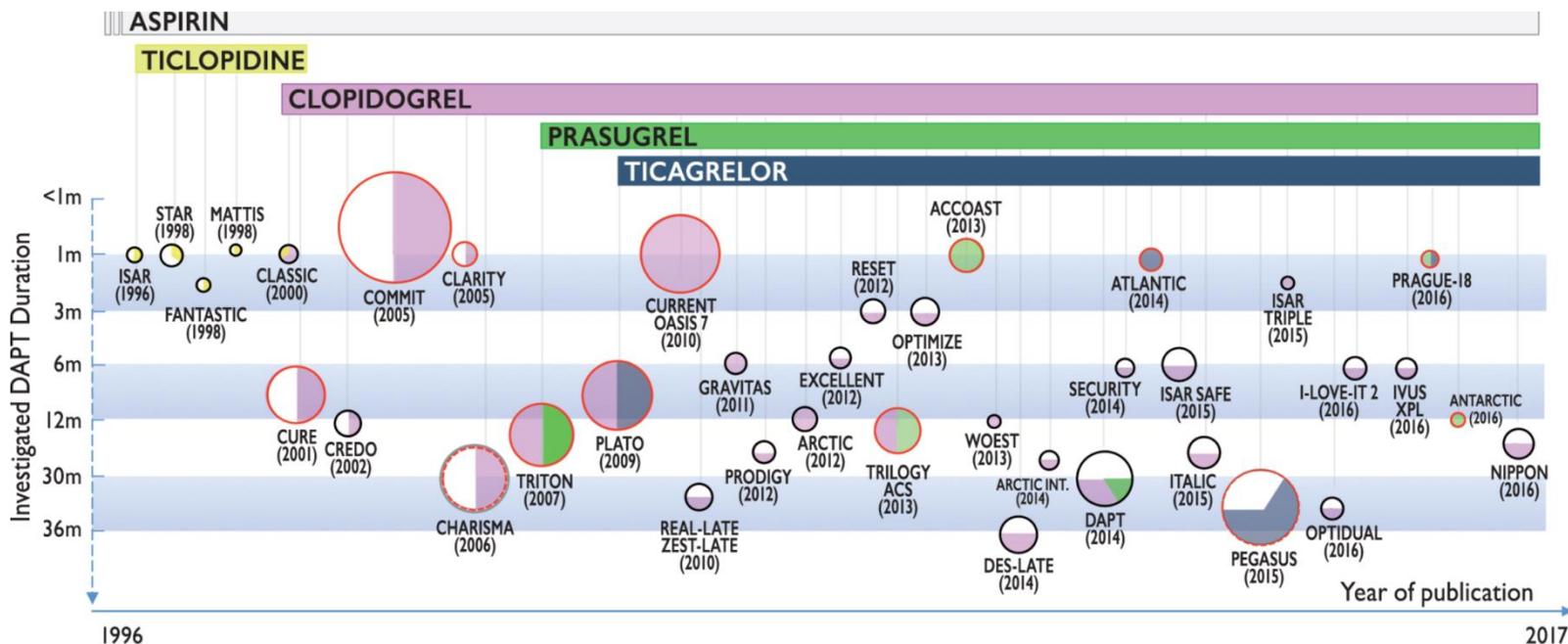


Mengenentwicklung Koronarchirurgie versus PCI – 2000 bis 2016



Quelle: Darstellung nach J. Cremer, 2016, auf Grundlage von Daten der DGTHG und aus dem Dt. Herzbericht 2000-2014

Evolution of antiplatelet therapy after PCI



Size of the circles denotes sample size

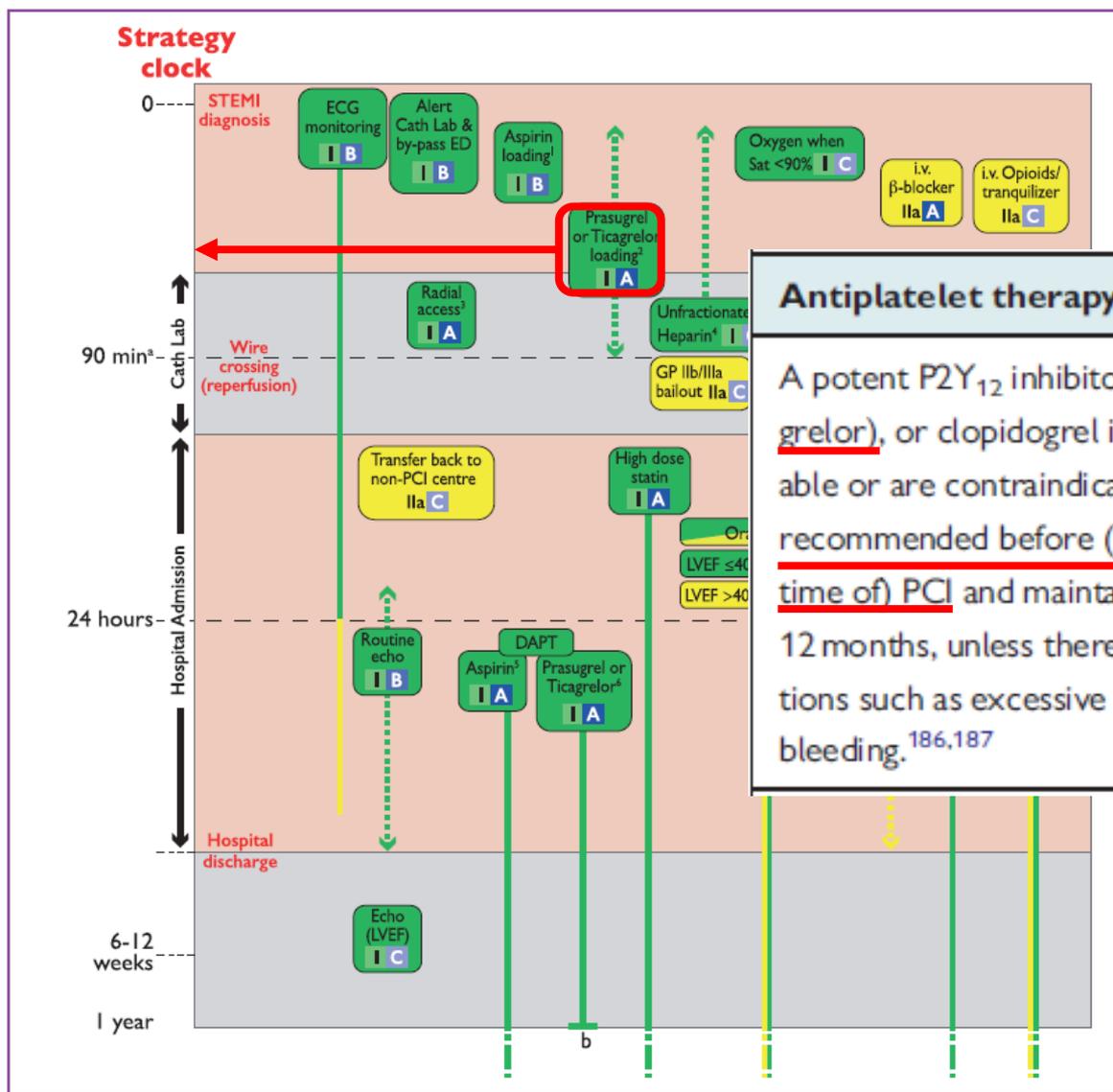
Perimeter of the circles denotes type of investigated population



- Mixed clinical presentation at the time of stent implantation
- Acute coronary syndrome at presentation
- DAPT initiated in patients with prior myocardial infarction
- DAPT for primary prevention

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2017 ESC Guidelines for STEMI patients



Antiplatelet therapy

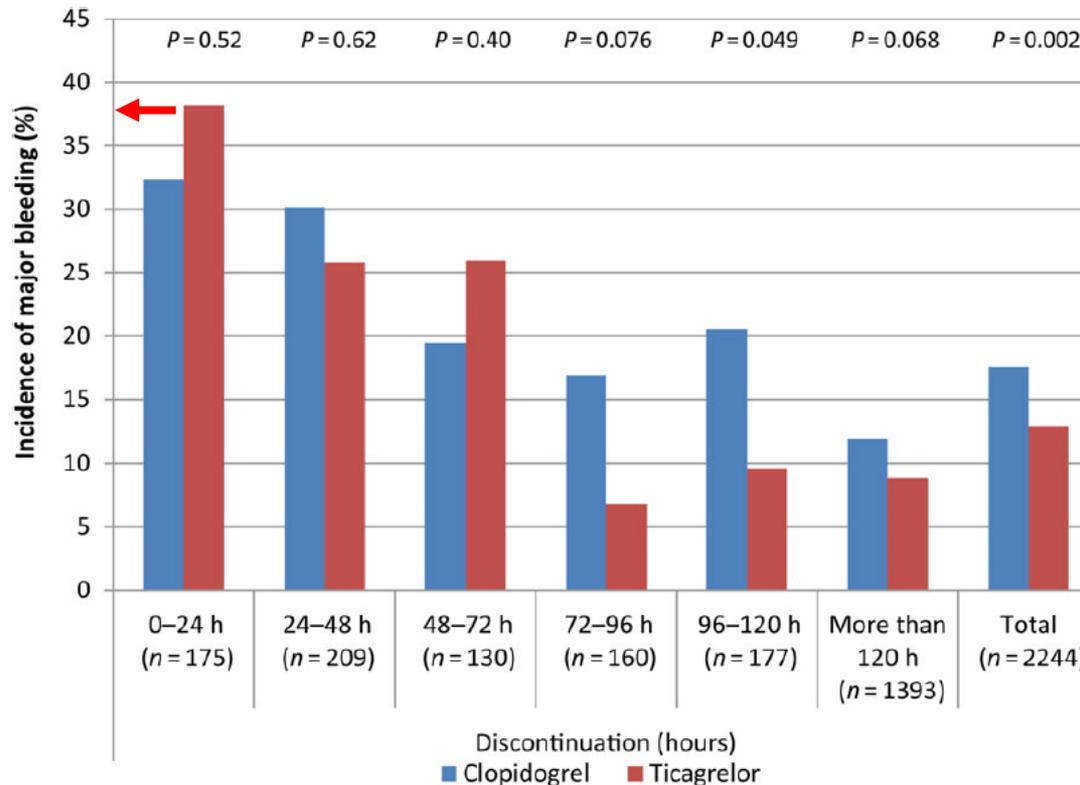
A potent P2Y₁₂ inhibitor (prasugrel or ticagrelor), or clopidogrel if these are not available or are contraindicated, is recommended before (or at latest at the time of) PCI and maintained over 12 months, unless there are contraindications such as excessive risk of bleeding.^{186,187}

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Coronary artery bypass grafting-related bleeding complications in patients treated with ticagrelor or clopidogrel: a nationwide study

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**38%
major
bleeding !**

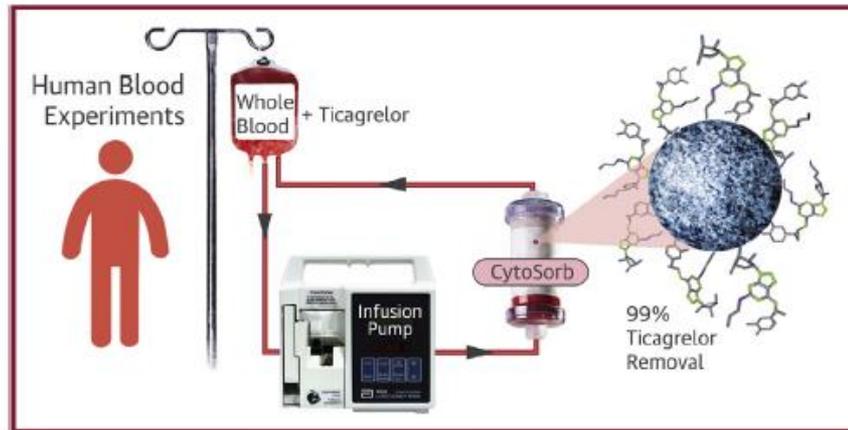
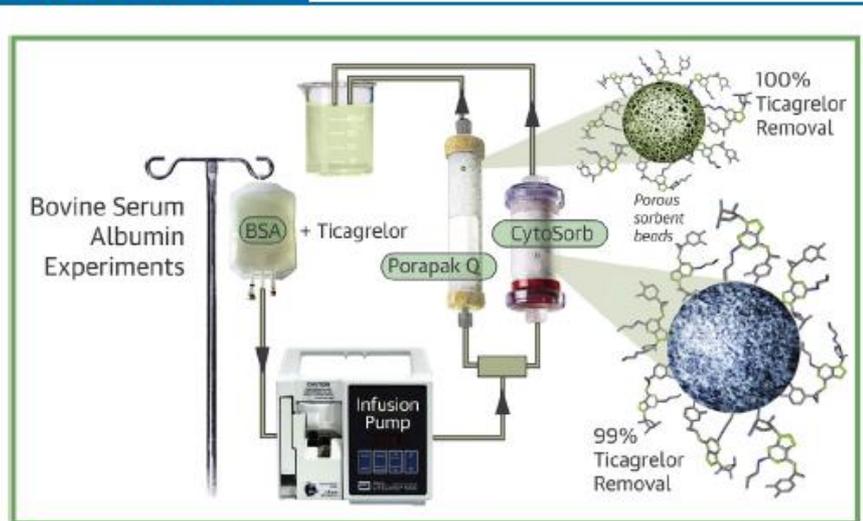


Ticagrelor Removal From Human Blood



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VISUAL ABSTRACT



Angheloiu, G.O. et al. J Am Coll Cardiol Basic Trans Science. 2017;2(2):135-45.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Ticagrelor is reversibly bound to albumin.
- CytoSorb and Porapak Q 50-80 mesh remove ticagrelor from bovine serum albumin solution with >99% efficiency.
- **CytoSorb removes ticagrelor from human blood and human plasma with >99% efficiency.**
...after 10 hours, and
94% after 3-4 hours recirculation

Hypothesis



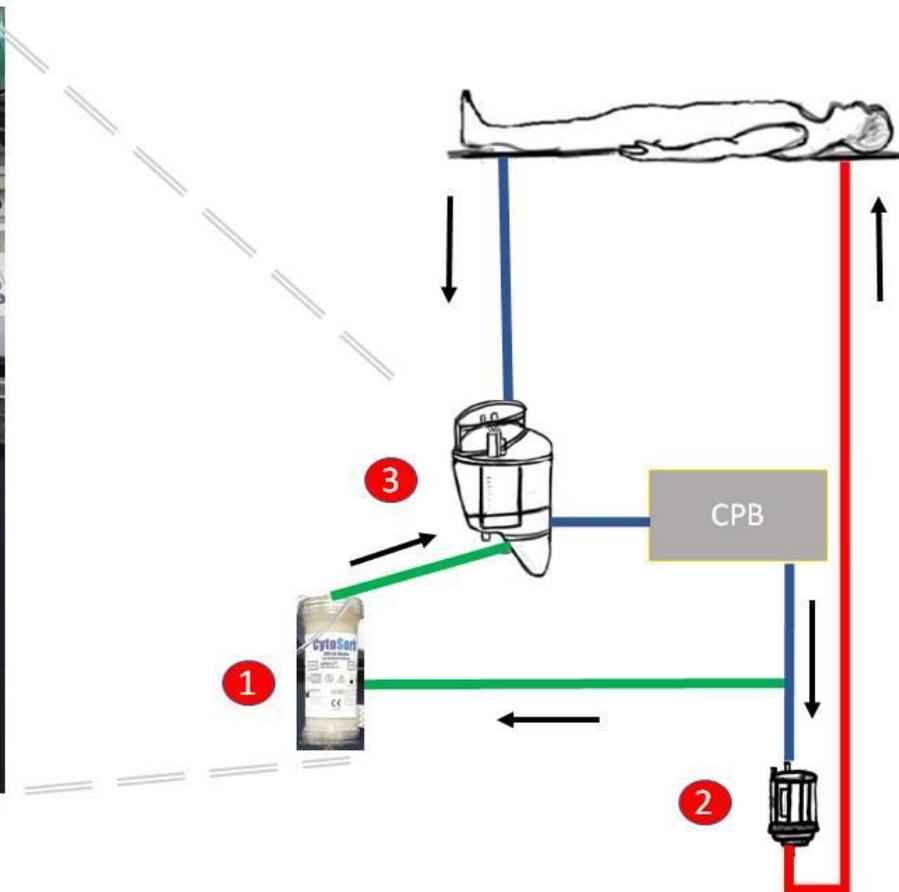
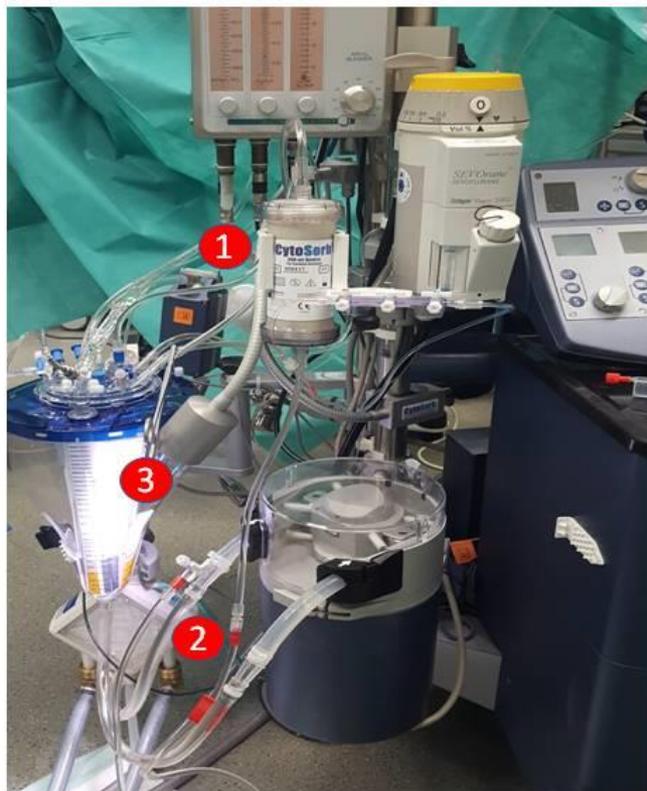
- ➔ **Platelet transfusion is not a definitive solution because of circulating Ticagrelor binding to transfused platelets.**
- ➔ **Using adsorber technology may reduce bleeding complications in patients treated with Ticagrelor.**
- ➔ **Similar effects may be expected in patients treated with NOACs**

Study design (n = 55)

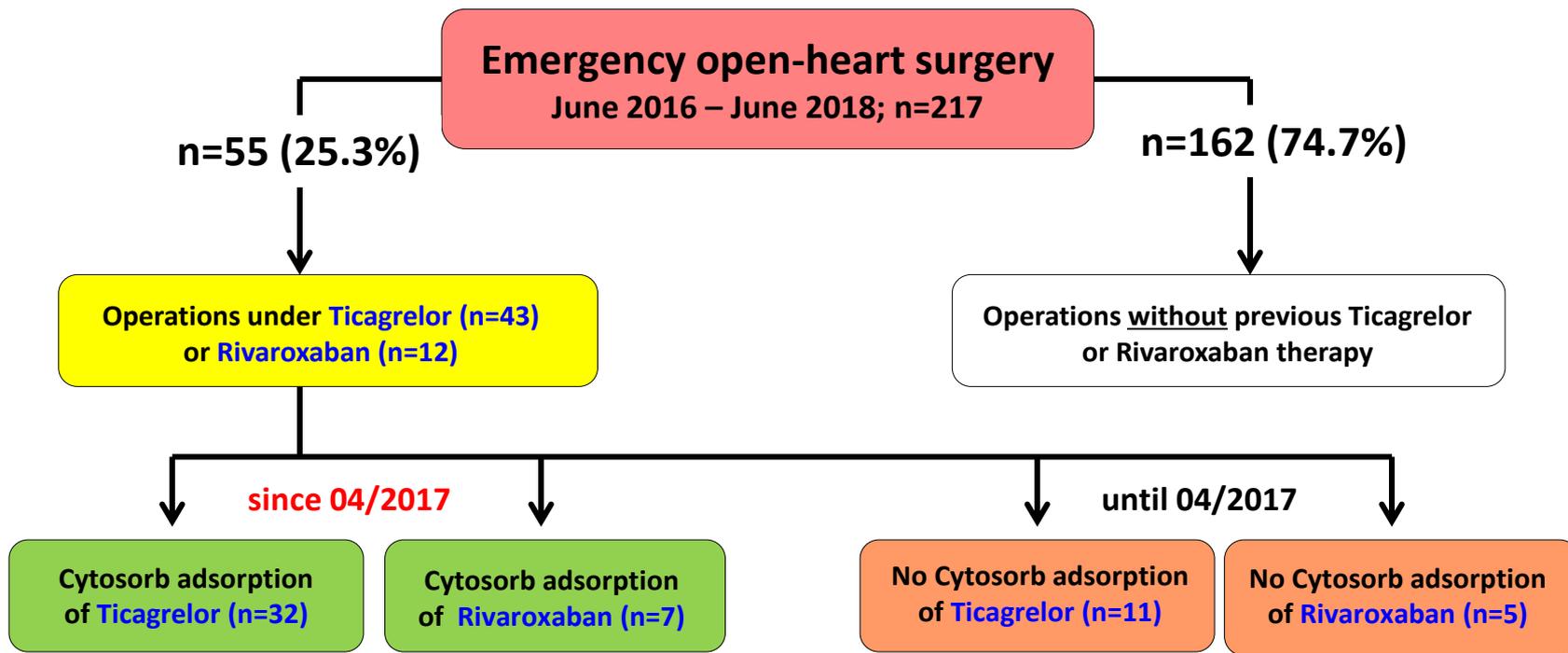


- **Single centre prospective cohort study**
- **Patients who underwent emergency cardiac surgery at our institution between June 2016 and June 2018 with preoperative treatment of ticagrelor (n = 43) or rivaroxaban (n = 12).**
- **Since April 2017 (JACC paper) we routinely installed standardized Cytosorb adsorption into the extracorporeal circulation.**

Intraoperative setting



Single center prospective cohort study



Preoperative data I



	Cytosorb Ticagrelor (n=32)	Cytosorb Rivaroxaban (n=7)	Control Ticagrelor (n=11)	Control Rivaroxaban (n=5)	p value
Demography					
age (y)	66	77	69	72	.33
female (%)	19	57	18	20	.22
BMI (kg/m²)	27	26	27	27	.79
NYHA class (%)					
II	56	57	36	60	
III	38	43	64	40	
IV	6	0	0	0	
Comorbidities (%)					
hypertension	91	86	100	100	.99
periph. vasc. disease	28	29	18	40	.68
COLD	38	57	46	60	.92
Renal impairment					.95
normal	28	0	27	0	
moderate	41	71	55	80	
severe	31	29	18	20	



Preoperative data II



	Cytosorb Ticagrelor (n=32)	Cytosorb Rivaroxaban (n=7)	Control Ticagrelor (n=11)	Control Rivaroxaban (n=5)	p value
LVEF (%)					.73
good (>50%)	47	57	36	40	
moderate (31-50%)	47	14	64	40	
poor (<30%)	6	29	0	20	
Pathology (%)					
coronary artery dis.	100	100	100	100	
aortic valve disease	9	-	-	-	
mitral valve disease	3	-	9	-	
aortic dissection	3	-	-	-	
atrial fibrillation	13	100	18	100	
EuroSCORE II (%)	3.1	3.9	3.1	3.3	.56
Emergency (%)	100	100	100	100	



Results



	Cytosorb Ticagrelor (n=32)	Cytosorb Rivaroxaban (n=7)	Control Ticagrelor (n=11)	Control Rivaroxaban (n=5)	p value
Surgical procedure					
CABG	84	100	91	100	
CABG + AVR	9				
CABG + MVR	3		9		
Aortic replacement	3				
Concomitant surgery					
Afib ablation	9	43	9	40	
LAA occlusion	6	14	9	40	
Time-related outcome					
CPB time	115	80	108	97	.41
X clamp time	77	81	64	70	.54
Total duration	288	184	353	309	.004

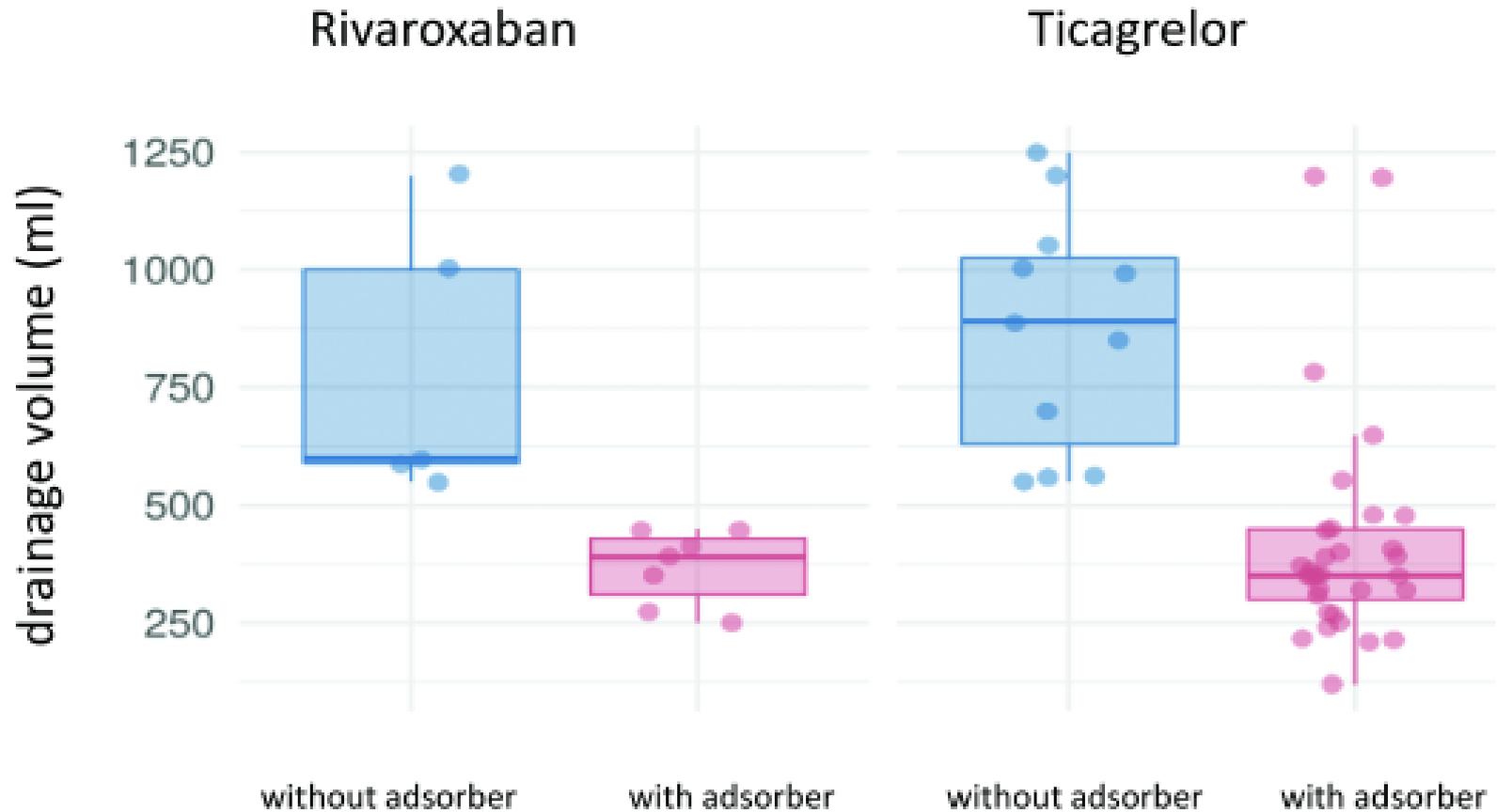


Bleeding / Length of stay



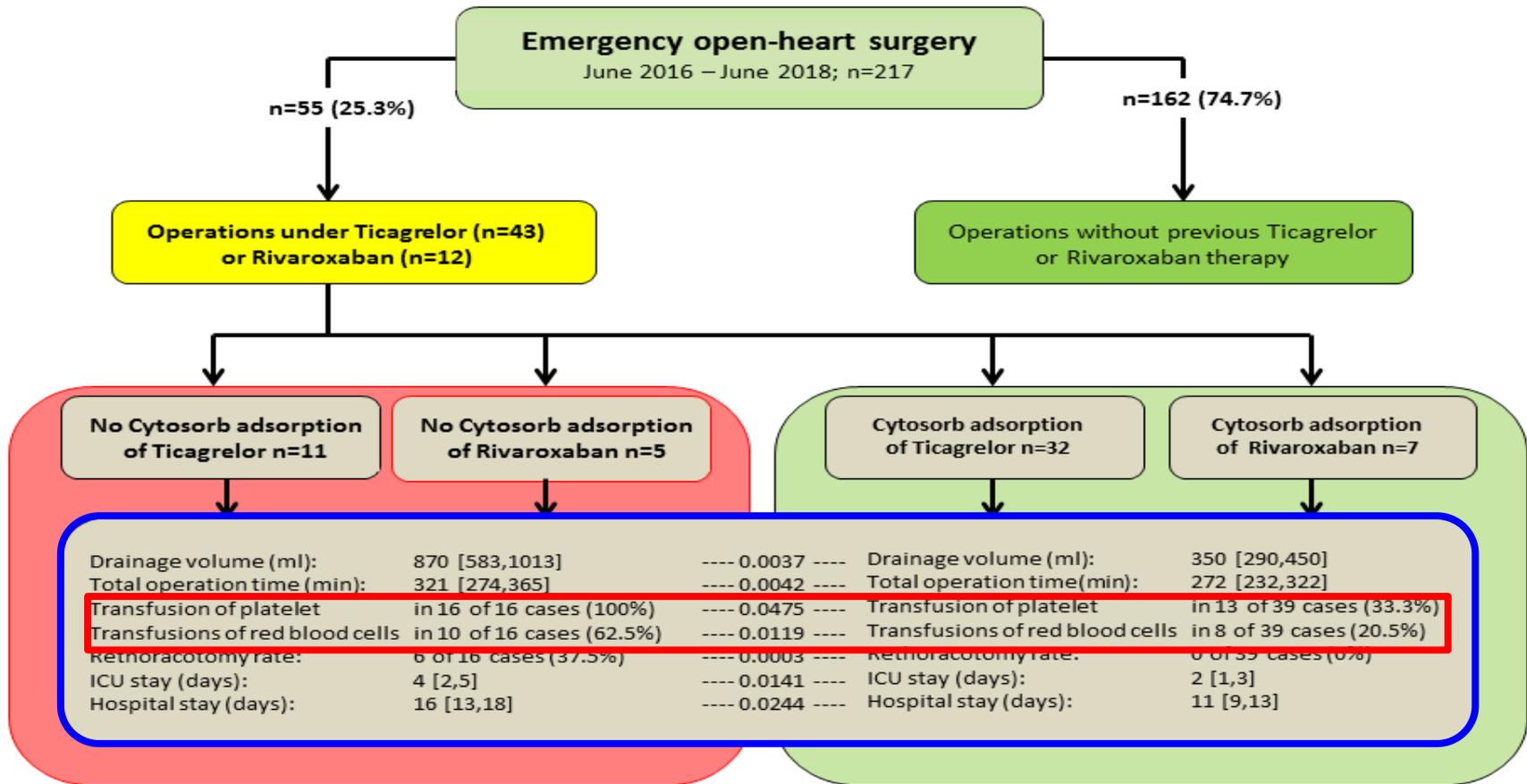
	Cytosorb Ticagrelor (n=32)	Cytosorb Rivaroxaban (n=7)	Control Ticagrelor (n=11)	Control Rivaroxaban (n=5)	p value
Rethoracotomy	0	0	36	40	.0003
Drainage volume (24hrs)	350	390	890	600	.004
Days in ICU	2	2	3	6	.01
Total length of stay (days)	11	11	14	18	.02

Postoperative drainage volume



$p = 0.004$

Summary



Conclusions: Cytosorb adsorption is a safe and effective method to reduce bleeding complications during emergency open-heart surgery in patients with Ticagrelor or Rivaroxaban medication.

Conclusions



Both **medical and economic benefits** of using Cytosorb in **Ticagrelor-** and **Rivaroxaban-**loaded patients:

- reduced operation time
- decreased use of blood products
- saves costs by faster discharge of patients from ICU

The data show that the strategy is a **safe and effective** method to

- reduce bleeding complications
- improve surgical outcome significantly.

The story continues...



	Cytosorb Ticagrelor (n=32)	 Cytosorb Ticagrelor (n=61)
Rethoracotomy	0	1 (1.6%)
Drainage volume/ 24hrs	420 ± 246	487 ± 222
Days in intensive care	3 ± 2	2 ± 3
Total length of stay	12 ± 7	12 ± 5
30-days-mortality, n (%)	0	1 (1.6%)
Transfusion of platelets	11 (34.4%)	20 (32.8%)
Transfusion of red blood cells	7 (21.9%)	13 (21.3%)

From 01/2020-05/2020 cytosorb adsorption in 18% of all pats.

Alternatives: Ticagrelor / NOAC antidots



PB2452

(PhaseBio Pharma. Inc.)

for Ticagrelor

monoclonal ab, phase I (2019)

Idarucizumab (Praxbind)

5g (100ml)

for Dabigatran

US\$ 8,385.20

Andexanet alfa (Ondexxya)

US\$ 2,873.38/ 100 mg vial

for Apixaban, Rivaroxaban

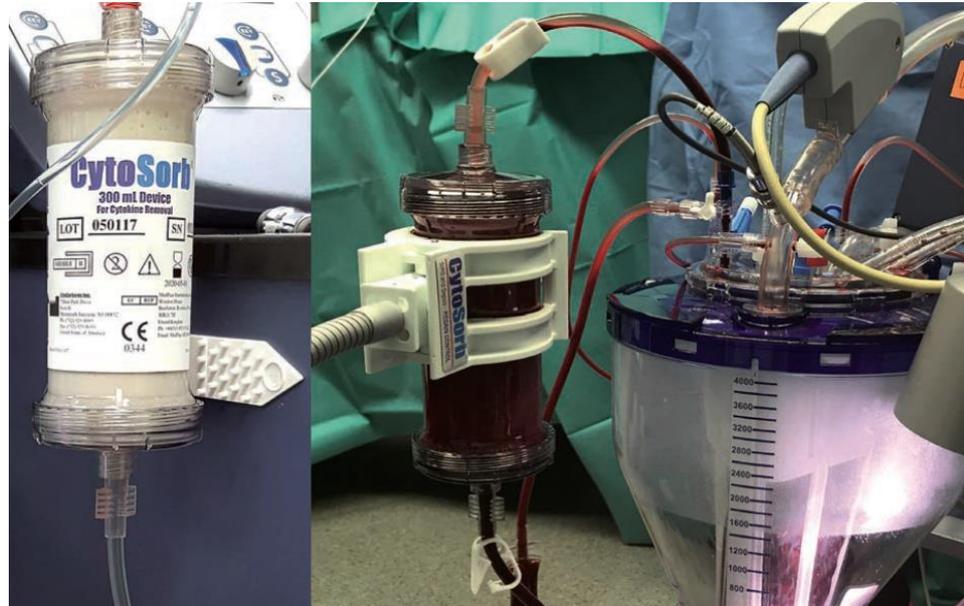
low dose: 400 mg bolus + 480 mg iv
total US\$ 25,850.90

US\$ 5,744.38/ 200 mg vial

high dose: 800 mg bolus + 960 mg iv
total US\$ 48,828.42

Clinical perspective

Standard procedure:



Cytosorb adsorption in all **ticagrelor** and/or
NOAC-loaded patients during emergency cardiac surgery

Thank you for your attention !



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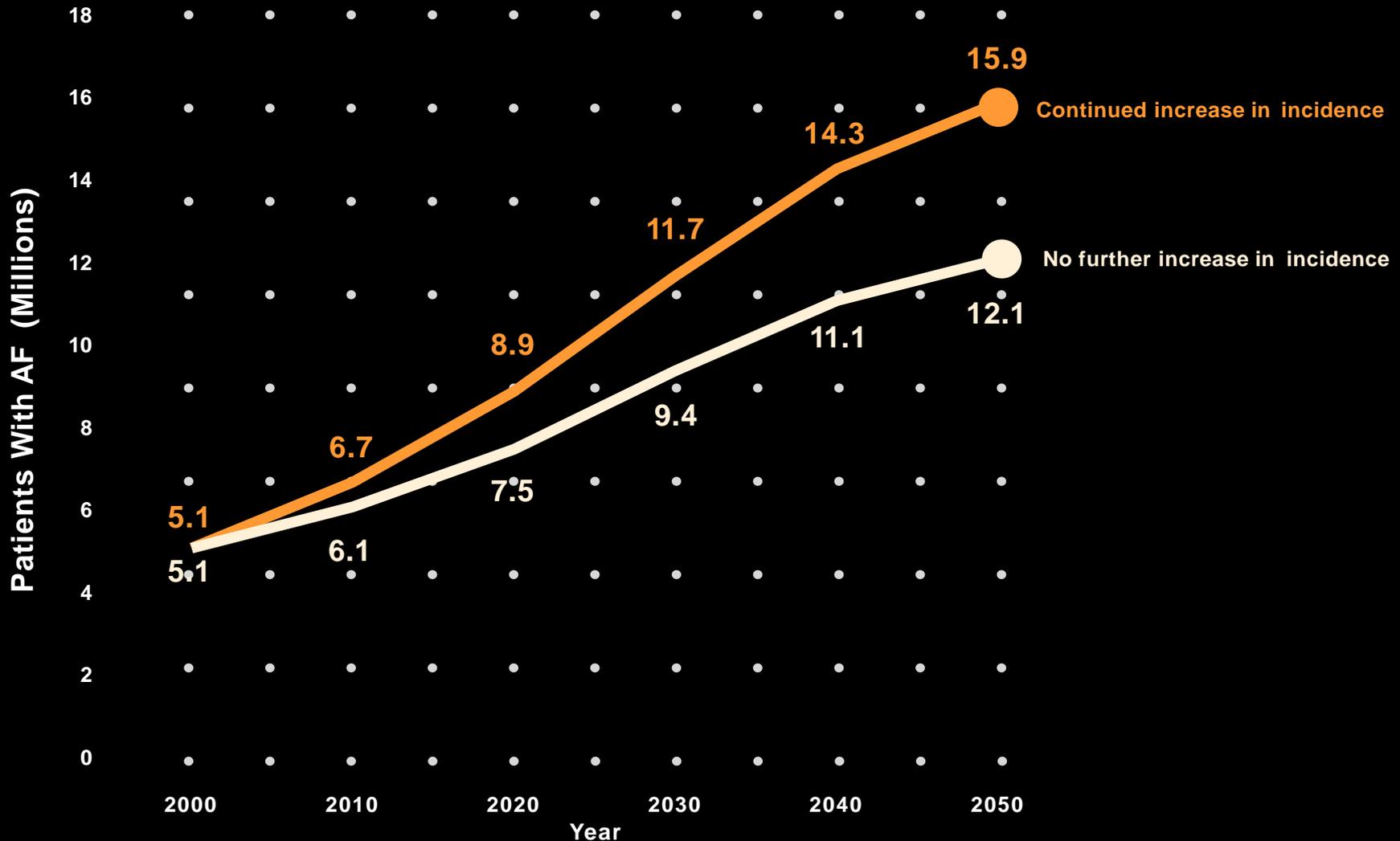
Check the label in your country. Rivaroxaban is not FDA approved in the ACS setting or in patients with atrial fibrillation undergoing stent placement. It is in many other countries. Check your local label. The use of Rivaroxaban in chronic CAD is under regulatory review and is off label at present.

Indications for NOAC

- **Atrial fibrillation**
- **Surgical VTE prophylaxis (knee and hip surgery)**
- **Medically ill VTE prophylaxis**
- **VTE treatment (DVT and PE)**
- **Acute coronary syndrome (Ex US)**

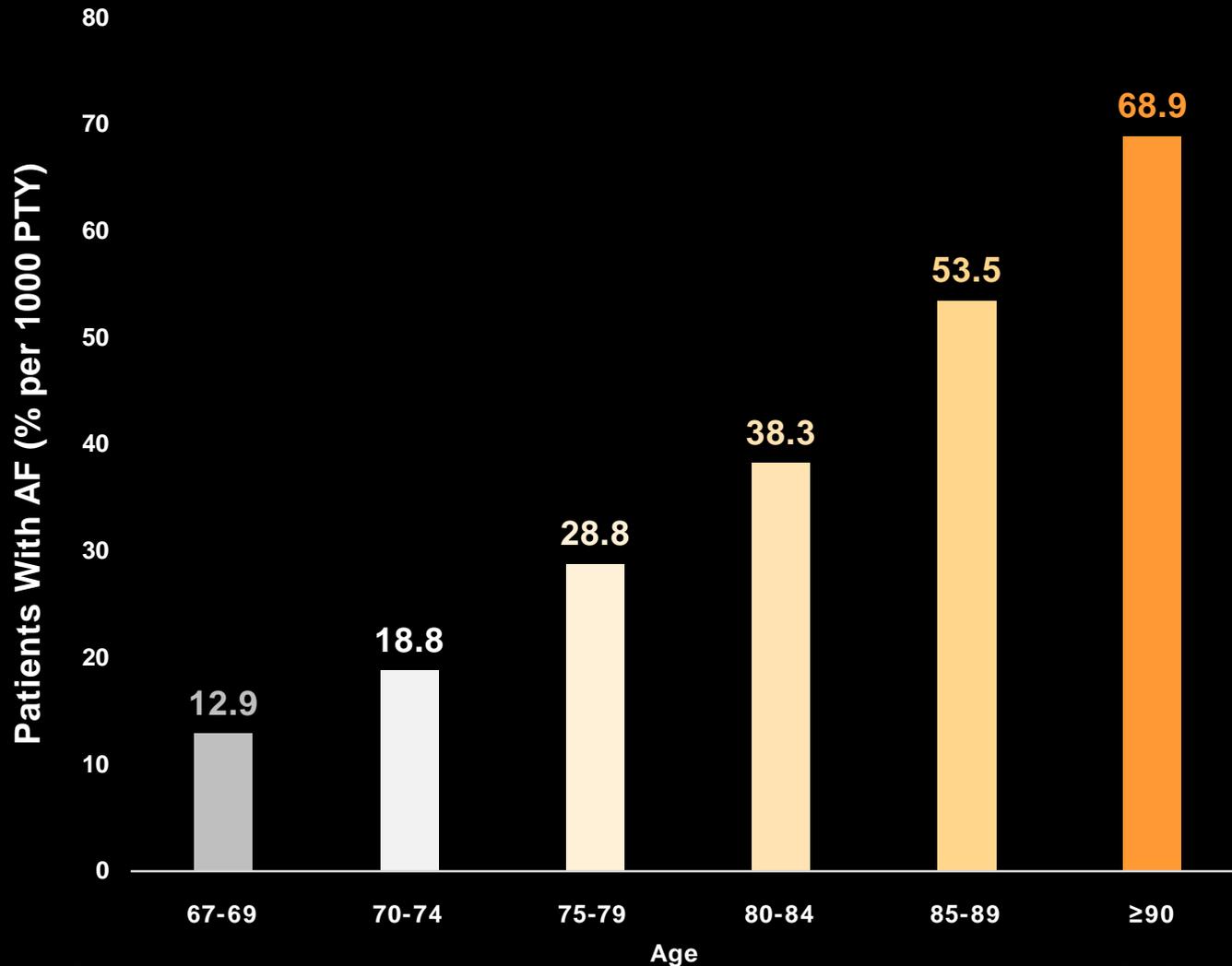
Atrial Fibrillation Prevalence Continues to Grow

- Atrial fibrillation prevalence is substantial and expected to grow.

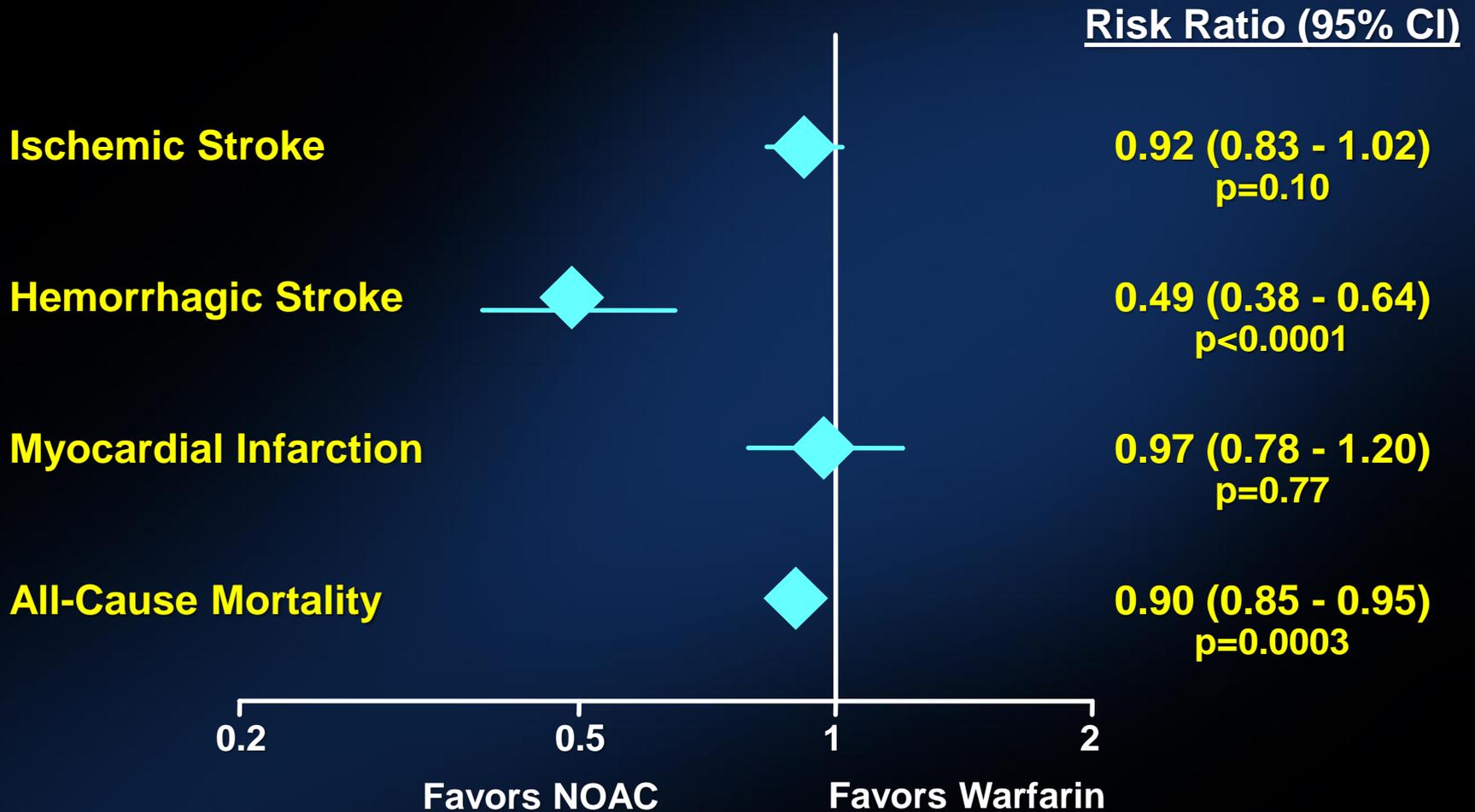


Atrial Fibrillation Prevalence Increases with Age

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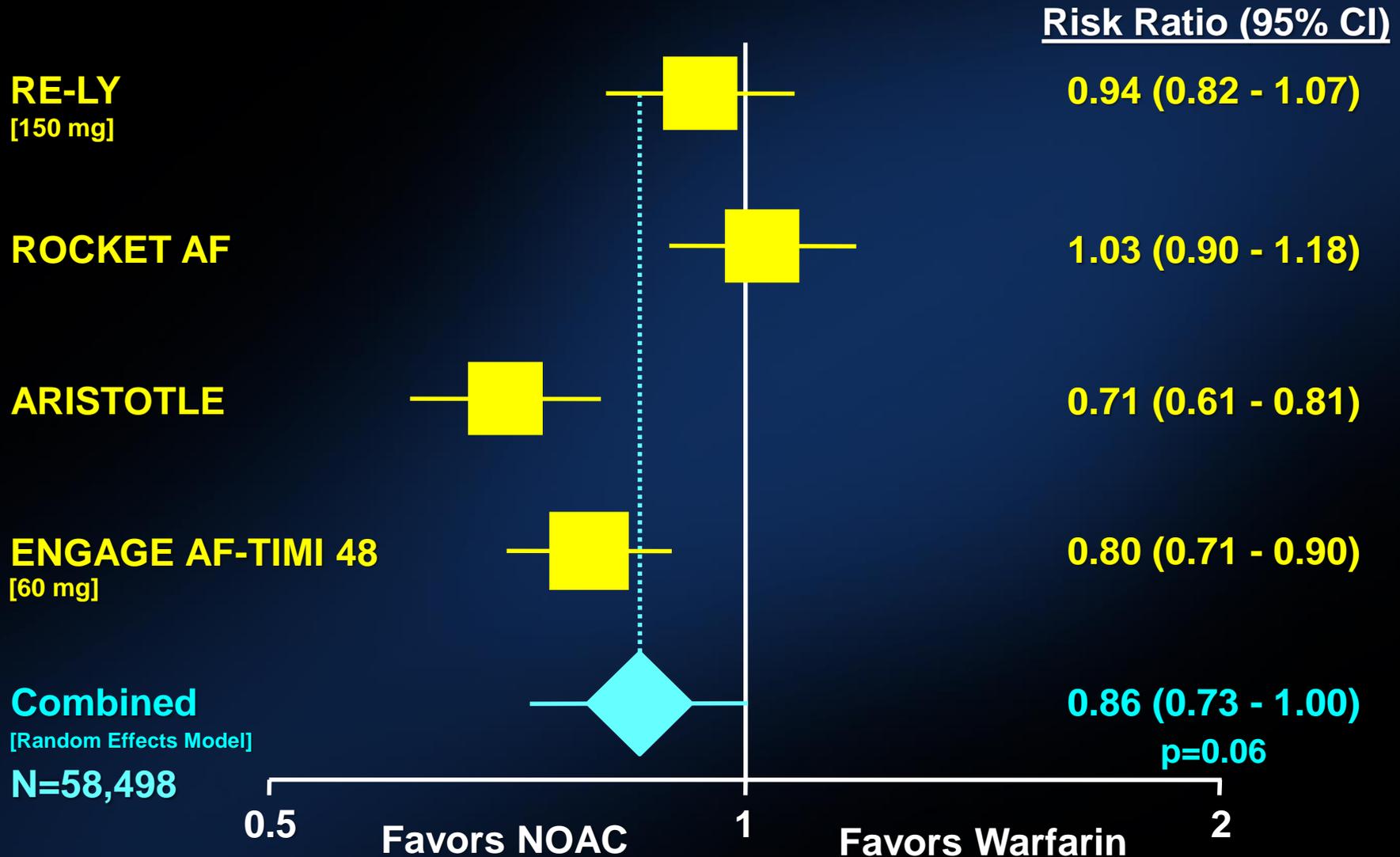


NOAC in Atrial Fibrillation

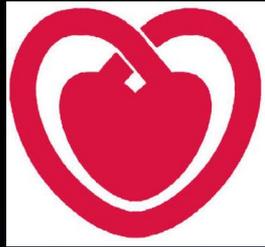


Heterogeneity p=NS for all outcomes

NOAC in Atrial Fibrillation Major Bleeding



NOAC Are the Standard of Care For Venous Thromboembolism and Atrial Fibrillation



Anticoagulants Market to be Worth US\$ 40,158.4 Million by 2026, Says TMR



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ALBANY, New York, May 3, 2019 /PRNewswire/ -- TMR's analysts estimate that the global [anticoagulants market](#) is expected to touch US\$ 40,158.4 mn by the end of the forecast period. The market was valued US\$ 21,759.3 mn in 2018. The growth of the market is anticipated to occur at a promising 8.0% CAGR during 2018-2026.

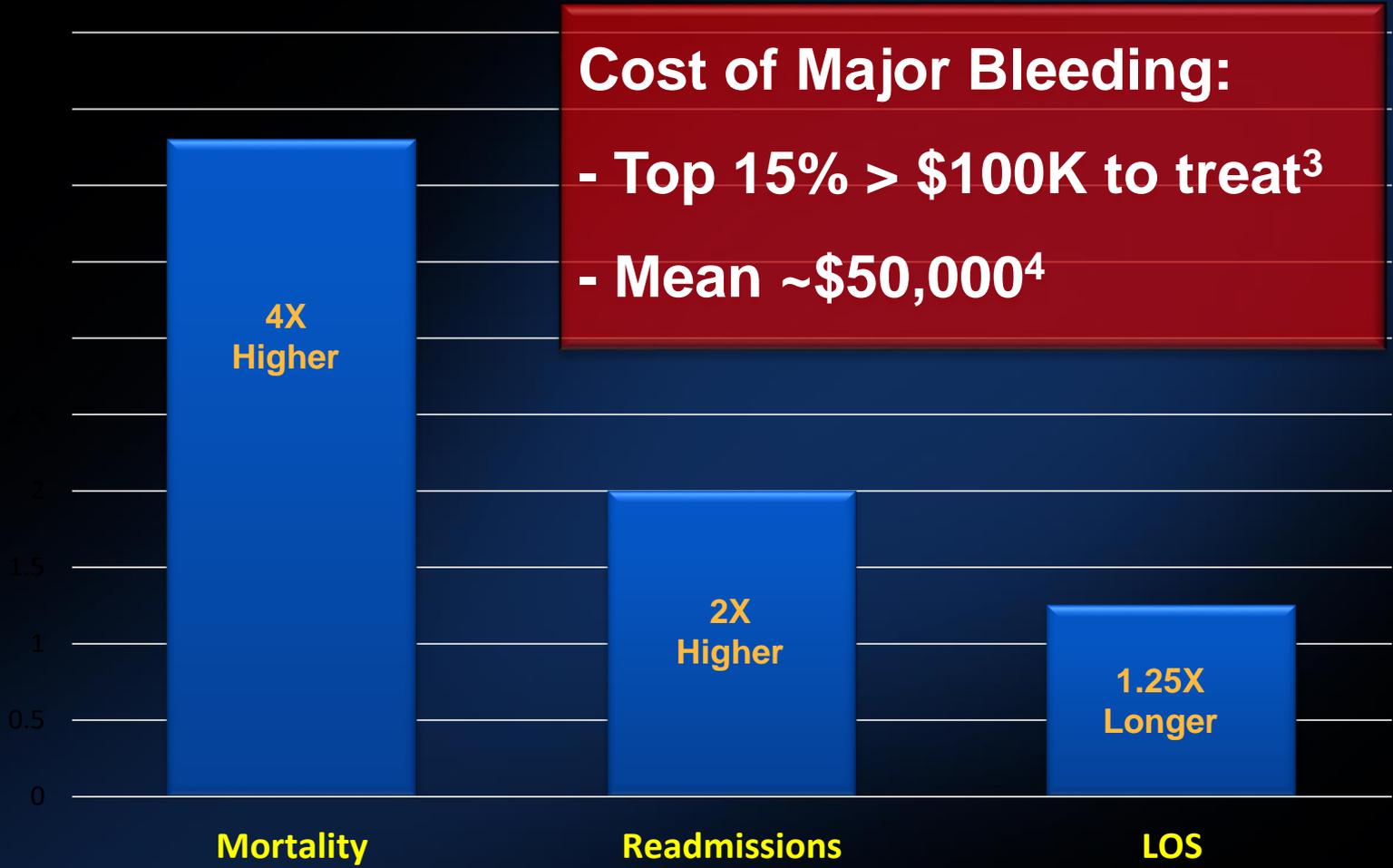
From the perspective of drug class, factor Xa inhibitors segment is gaining traction in the global anticoagulants market due to its high usage in various indications such as stroke, heart attack, pulmonary embolism (PE), angina, surgery, and deep venous thrombosis (DVT). On the regional front, North America showcases the highest share in the global anticoagulants market with growing number of several surgical procedures such as knee and hip replacements, and rising healthcare expenditures.

ED Visits for ADEs By Drug Class (2005-2014)

ED Visits National Estimate, % (95% CI)

Drug Class	2005-2006	2007-2008	2009-2010	2011-2012	2013-2014
Antibiotics	19.2 (17.7-20.7)	18.6 (16.8-20.4)	18.6 (16.7-20.6)	17.9 (16.6-19.3)	16.1 (14.4-17.8)
Anticoagulants	7.3 (4.6-9.9)	9.9 (7.6-12.2)	11.2 (8.2-14.1)	13.3 (11.1-15.4)	17.6 (14.2-21.0)
Antineoplastic agents	1.8 (0.8-2.8)	1.6 (0.8-2.4)	2.5 (1.2-3.9)	2.4 (1.3-3.4)	3.0 (1.6-4.3)
Antiplatelets	3.7 (2.1-5.2)	4.6 (2.7-6.5)	4.6 (2.9-6.2)	4.8 (3.2-6.4)	6.6 (4.7-8.5)
Antipsychotics	2.8 (2.2-3.4)	3.0 (2.5-3.5)	3.0 (2.6-3.4)	3.1 (2.5-3.7)	2.7 (2.1-3.2)
Diabetes agents	10.9 (7.3-14.5)	12.8 (9.1-16.6)	12.0 (9.1-14.9)	12.0 (9.1-14.8)	13.3 (10.8-15.8)
NSAIDs	4.1 (3.4-4.8)	3.5 (3.0-3.9)	3.2 (2.8-3.6)	3.2 (2.7-3.7)	2.8 (2.4-3.2)
Opioid analgesics	7.7 (6.9-8.6)	7.9 (7.1-8.8)	7.2 (6.6-7.8)	7.9 (7.2-8.5)	6.8 (6.3-7.4)
RAS inhibitors	2.4 (1.9-2.9)	2.5 (1.9-3.0)	2.9 (2.2-3.7)	3.2 (2.4-4.0)	3.5 (2.6-4.4)
Sedative/hypnotic agents	3.2 (2.7-3.7)	3.2 (2.8-3.6)	3.6 (3.1-4.2)	3.4 (2.8-3.9)	3.0 (2.4-3.5)

Increased Morbidity and Mortality in Patients Admitted on a NOAC As Compared to Non-Anticoagulated Patients



1. Truven, MarketScan Commercial, Medicare Supplemental, last 12 months ending April 30, 2015. Medicaid accounts for ~5% of the total bleed related admissions.
2. LOS = The LOS in the Truven report varies by payor. In the YTD 10/2014 report the LOS were 8.0 (12.0), 7.1(9.3) for Commercial, Medicare respectively.
3. The data for mortality from major bleeds ranges from 5.1% (DRESDEN Registry) to 33% (RIETE Registry). Other data such as the ARISTOTLE trial (Granger et al, NEJM 2011) suggest 11-15%.
4. Amin et al. J Manag Care Spec Pharm. 2015;21(10):965-72

Management for Patients on NOAC Today

NOAC	Treatment for Life-Threatening Bleeding
Pradaxa® (dabigatran)	Praxbind (idarucizumab)
Xarelto® (rivaroxaban)	Andexxa (andexanet alfa)
Eliquis® (apixaban)	
Savaysa® (edoxaban)	

1. Praxbind® prescribing information. Ridgefield, CT. Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2015.

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3. Cytosorb. Instructions for use.

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Andexanet Limitations

- **Approved for reversal of ongoing life threatening bleeding**
- **NOT approved for reversal in a patient with no bleeding who is to undergo surgery**
- **Numeric excess of thrombotic events following reversal**
- **Cost**

Management for Patients on NOAC in the Future

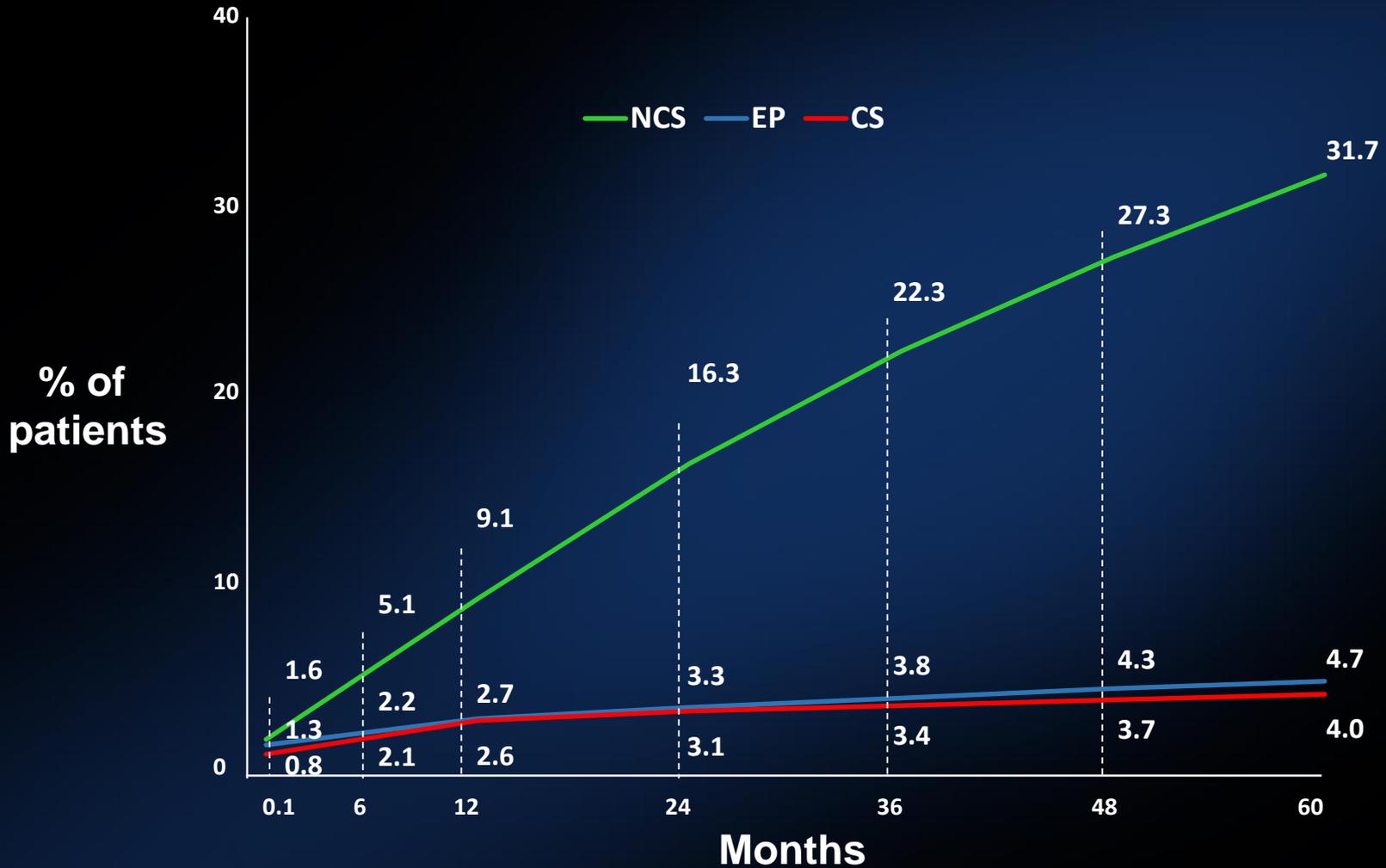
NOAC	Prevention of Bleeding	Treatment for Life-Threatening Bleeding
Pradaxa® (dabigatran)	CytoSorb®	Praxbind (idarucizumab)
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Preventing Bleeding in Cardiac Surgery

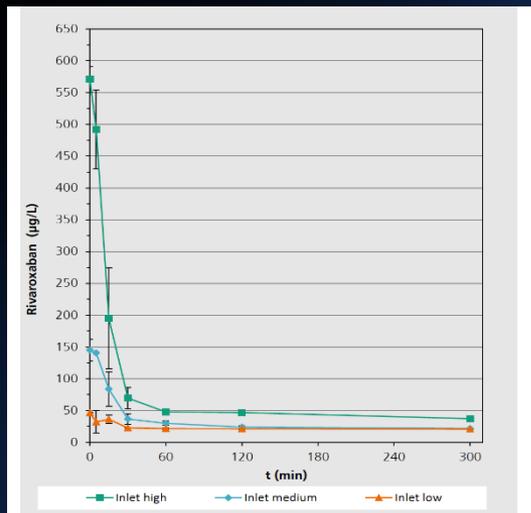
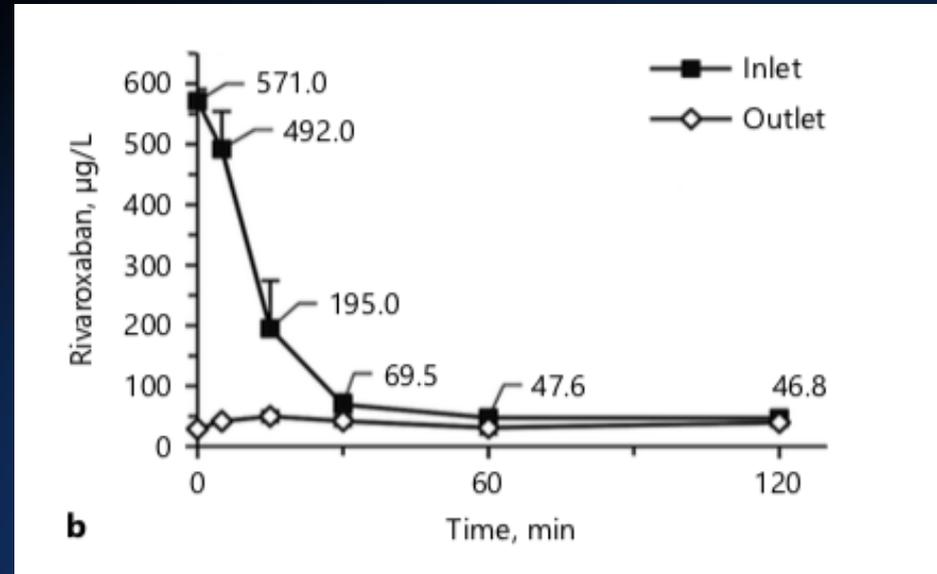
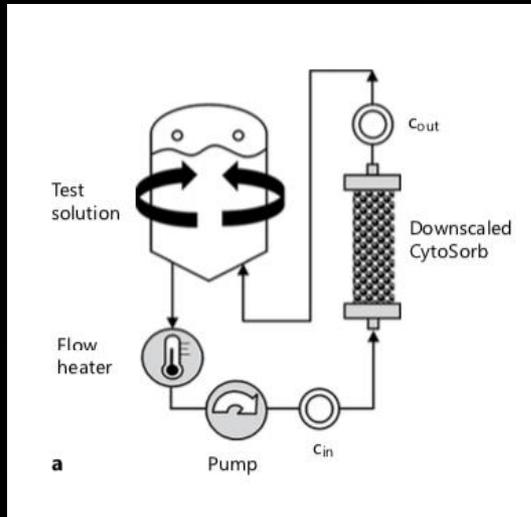
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32 patients with intra- operative CytoSorb	11 patients control without CytoSorb		7 patients with intra- operative CytoSorb	5 patients control without CytoSorb
CPB + CytoSorb (n=32)	CPB alone (n=11)		CPB + CytoSorb (n=7)	CPB alone (n=5)
288 ± 63	353 ± 84	Procedure duration** (min; mean ± SD)	184 ± 97	309 ± 50
21.9% (n=7)	45.5% (n=5)	Red blood cell transfusion	14.3% (n=1)	100% (n=5)
34.4% (n=11)	100% (n=11)	Platelet transfusion	28.6% (n=2)	100% (n=5)
350 [300 - 450]	890 [630 - 1025]	Chest tube drainage remove volume/24hrs (ml; median [IQR])	390 [310 - 430]	600 [590 - 1000]
0% (n=0)	36.4% (n=4)	Re-thoracotomy	0% (n=0)	40% (n=2)
2 [1 - 3]	3 [2 - 4]	Days in intensive care (median [IQR])	2 [2 - 3]	6 [5 - 6]
11 [9 - 12]	14 [10 - 16]	Total length of stay (days; median [IQR])	11 [10 - 13]	18 [18 - 20]



Cardiac Surgery vs. Non-Cardiac Surgery



In-vitro Removal of Rivaroxaban by CytoSorb



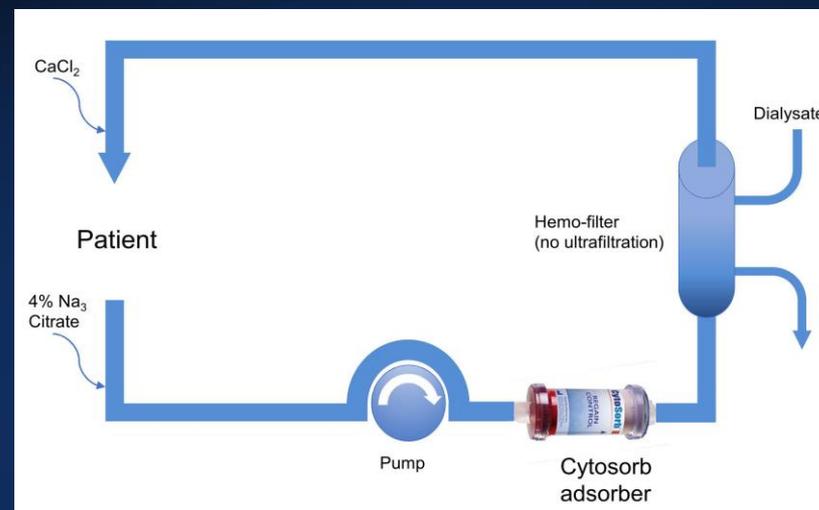
“Within 1 hour 91.6% of circulating rivaroxaban was removed.”

“For normal therapeutic concentrations below 300 µg/L, we expect plasma concentration to be reduced below the critical threshold in 30 to 60 minutes.”

Ticagrelor + Rivaroxaban Removal off-pump

58 y/o male, high bleeding risk, undergoing urgent OPCAB

- PCI - dissected LAD. On aspirin, ticagrelor, rivaroxaban (Afib)
- Ongoing chest pain, (+) Tnl
- Urgent OPCAB recommended
- Cytosorb started 1 hour prior to surgery and continued for 1.5 h into CABG
- Cytosorb integrated in hemoperfusion mode
- Operative course uneventful without excess bleeding
- Patient well at 6 months f/u



Dual antithrombotic removal (TIC + RIV) without CPB

In-vitro Removal of Dabigatran by CytoSorb

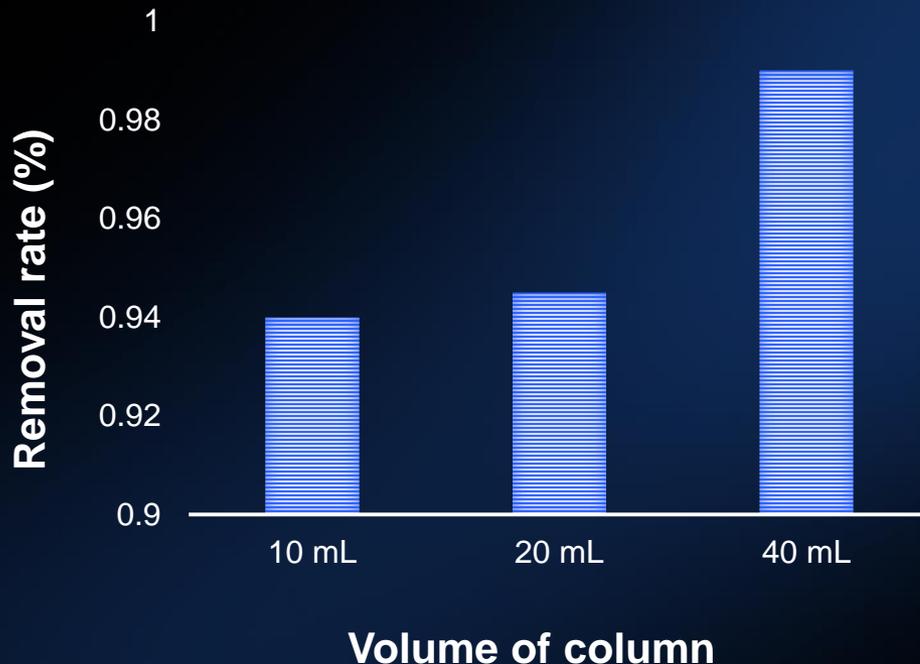
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Removal of dabigatran using sorbent hemadsorption[☆]

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“Dabigatran is robustly removed by a sorbent hemadsorption method already proven successful for ticagrelor. Dabigatran removal restores the aPTT, suggesting reversal of the anticoagulant effect of this drug.”

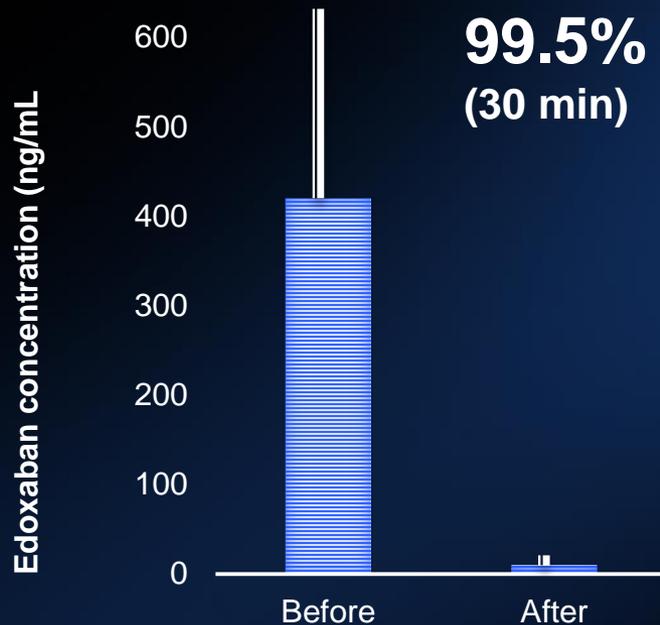
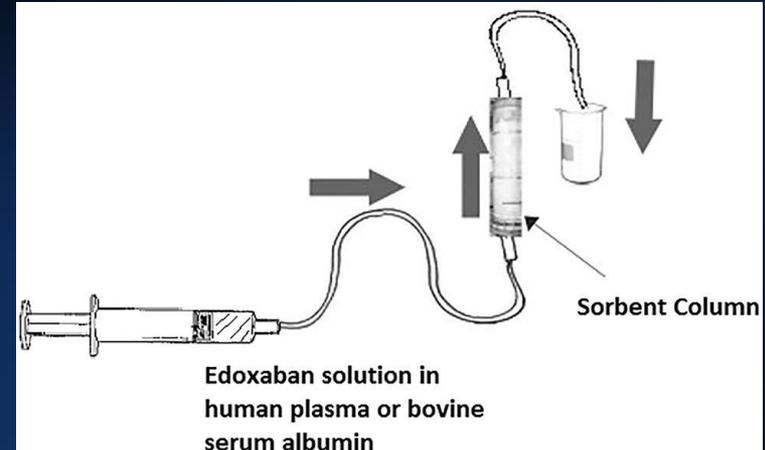
In-vitro Removal of Edoxaban by CytoSorb

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ORIGINAL RESEARCH ARTICLE

In-Vitro Sorbent-Mediated Removal of Edoxaban from Human Plasma and Albumin Solution

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“Sorbent-mediated technology may represent a viable pathway for edoxaban removal from human plasma.”

Hospital-wide Applications

- **Off-pump cardiac surgery**
- **Cardiac electrophysiology procedures**
- **Neurosurgical procedures**
 - **Reduce risk of life-threatening bleeding**
 - **Avoid surgery (subdural hematomas)**
- **Acute stroke (NOAC = contraindication for t-PA)**
- **Urgent orthopedic procedures**
- **Urgent GI or oncological procedures**
- **Trauma**

Summary: NOAC and CytoSorb

- **NOAC are the standard of care for chronic anticoagulation (Afib, VTE, etc.)**
- **Aging of the population will only increase use**
- **Patients on NOAC present unique challenges in the hospital setting due to bleeding risk**
- **CytoSorb[®] is the only strategy that can prevent bleeding in these patients**
- **Clinical evidence supports its use for on pump cardiac surgery**
- **Future studies can establish its use throughout the hospital (any OR, ED, etc.)**

Closing Remarks

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Regulatory Status & Clinical Activities

European Union

- CytoSorb is CE Mark label approved for ticagrelor and rivaroxaban removal

USA

- Ticagrelor removal granted **FDA Breakthrough Designation**
- Ongoing discussions with FDA to set regulatory pathway

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Instructions For Use
CytoSorb® 300 mL Device

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. Intended Use

The CytoSorb Device (CytoSorb) is a non-pyrogenic, sterile, single use polymer based adsorption system designed for the dialysis of physiological fluids in the area of extracorporeal therapies.

1.2. Indications

CytoSorb has been proven to remove the following:

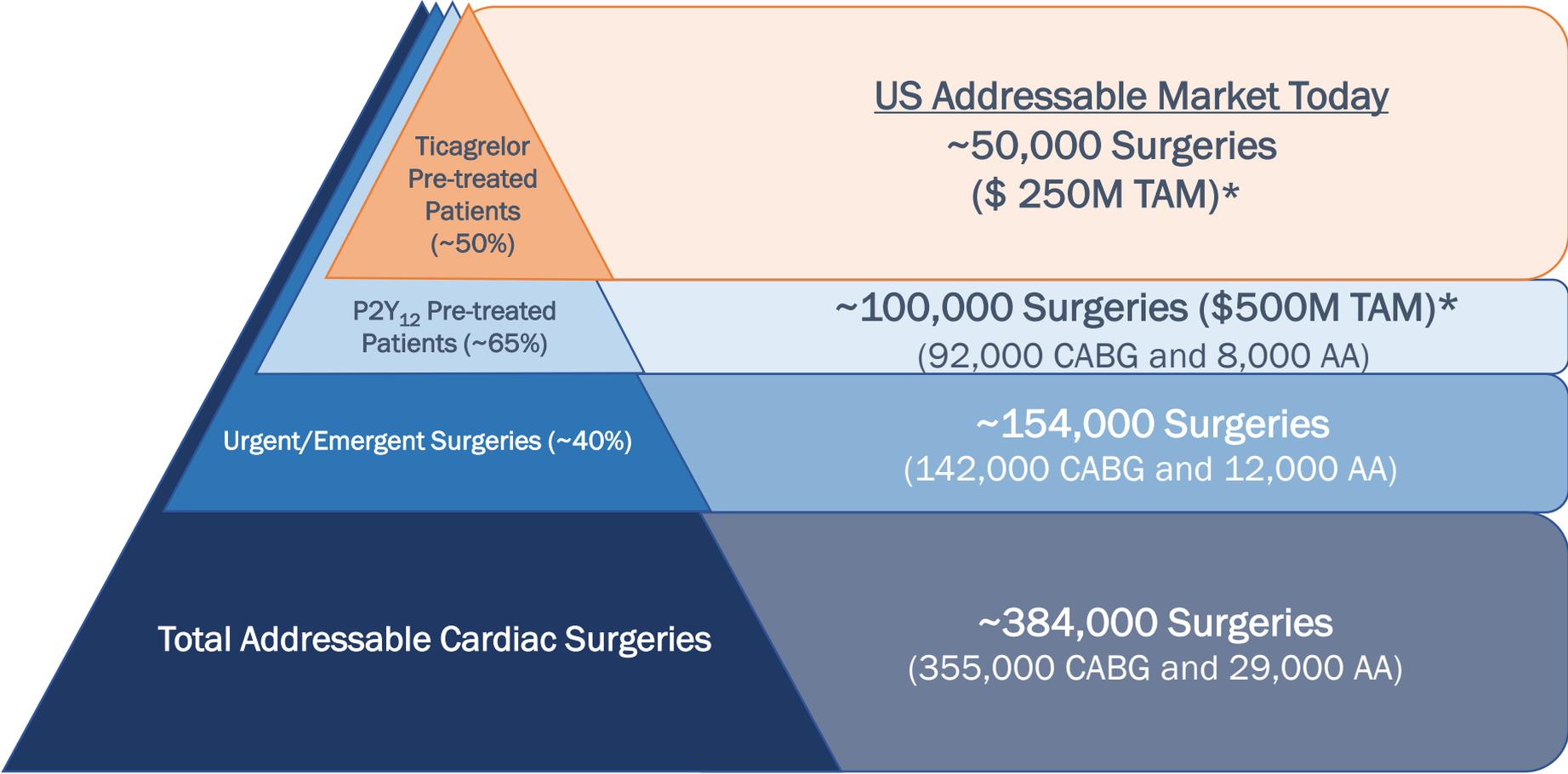
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Ticagrelor	Cytokines	Bilirubin
Factor Xa Inhibitor		Myoglobin
Rivaroxaban		

CytoSorb is indicated for use in conditions where elevated levels of cytokines and/or bilirubin and/or myoglobin exist.

CytoSorb is indicated for use intraoperatively during cardio-pulmonary bypass surgery for the removal of P2Y₁₂-Inhibitor Ticagrelor and/or Factor Xa-Inhibitor Rivaroxaban.

Study	Design	Region	Start
TISORB Ticagrelor CytoSorb Hemoadsorption	Prospective, open label trial	United Kingdom	Q3 '20 Continued
CYTATION The CytoSorb® Ticagrelor HemoAdsorption Study	Prospective, open label trial	Germany	Q3 '20
STAR Safe and Timely Antithrombotic Removal	Prospective, international registry	Phase 1: EU Phase 2: US + ROW	Q4 '20

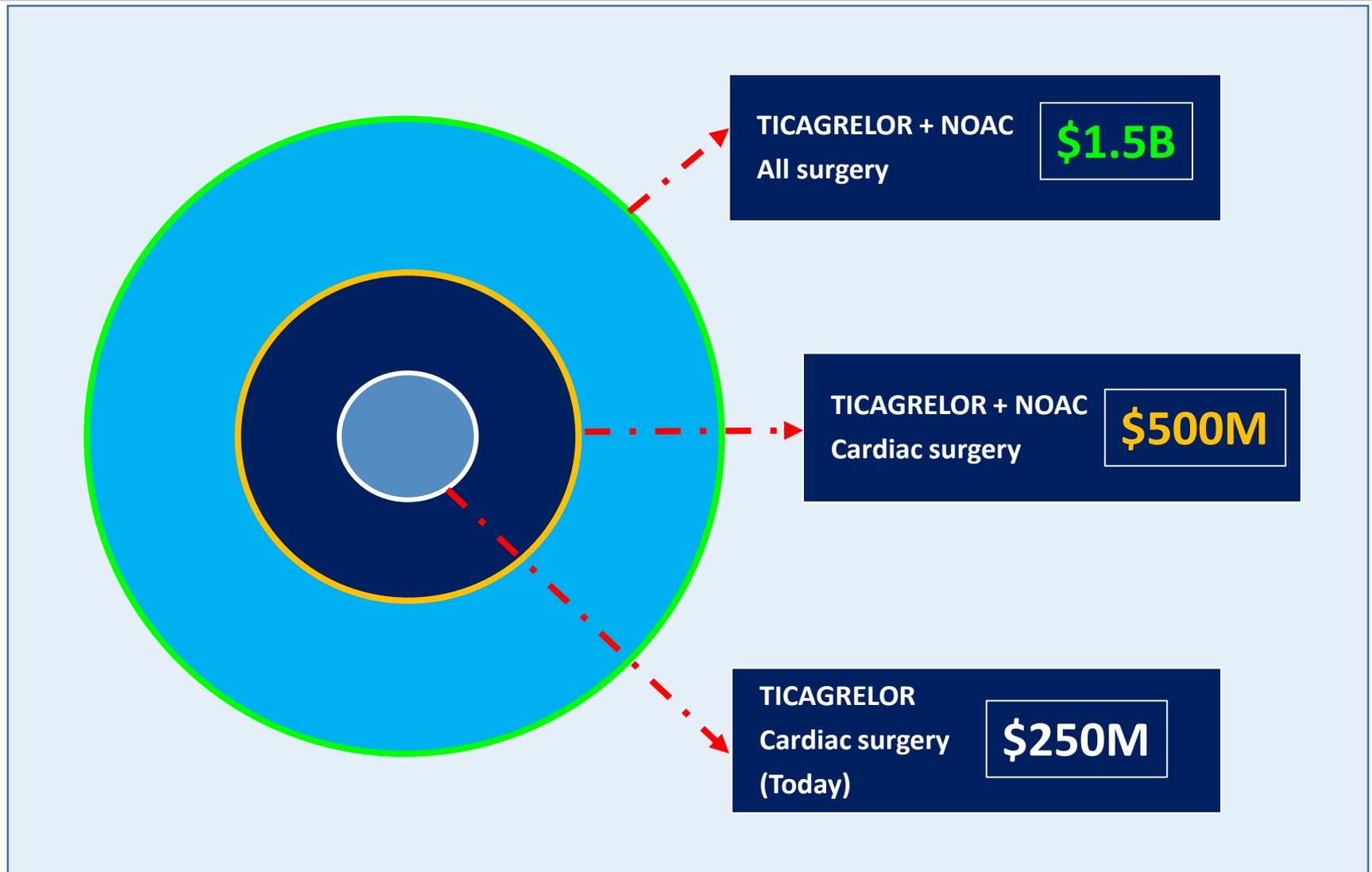
Total Addressable Market For Ticagrelor Removal United States



- CABG: Coronary Artery Bypass Graft surgery
- AA: Aortic Aneurysm Repair

* CytoSorb price = \$5,000

US Market – Sequential Growth



Final Thoughts

- Antithrombotic drug removal with CytoSorb is a novel solution to a very large unmet hospital need
- Currently no available therapies to prevent bleeding
 - Andexxa® or PB2452 (not yet approved) intended only for use after life-threatening bleeding
- CytoSorb antithrombotic removal in cardiac surgery is safe, effective, easy to implement and is expected to lead to substantial cost savings (dominant value proposition)
- Already approved in E.U. for cardiac surgery (ticagrelor + rivaroxaban) and Breakthrough Designation granted by FDA (ticagrelor)
- Ongoing clinical projects to establish removal of additional NOACs and hospital-wide clinical use
- Market opportunity for all "at-risk" surgeries exceeds \$1.5 Billion annually in the U.S. alone

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

