

***MTEV: Chez quel patient envisager  
un traitement à long terme***

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## Prévention secondaire de MTEV au long cours

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Risque de récurrence?

Quel antithrombotique ?

Quels patients ?

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Quel anticoagulant?

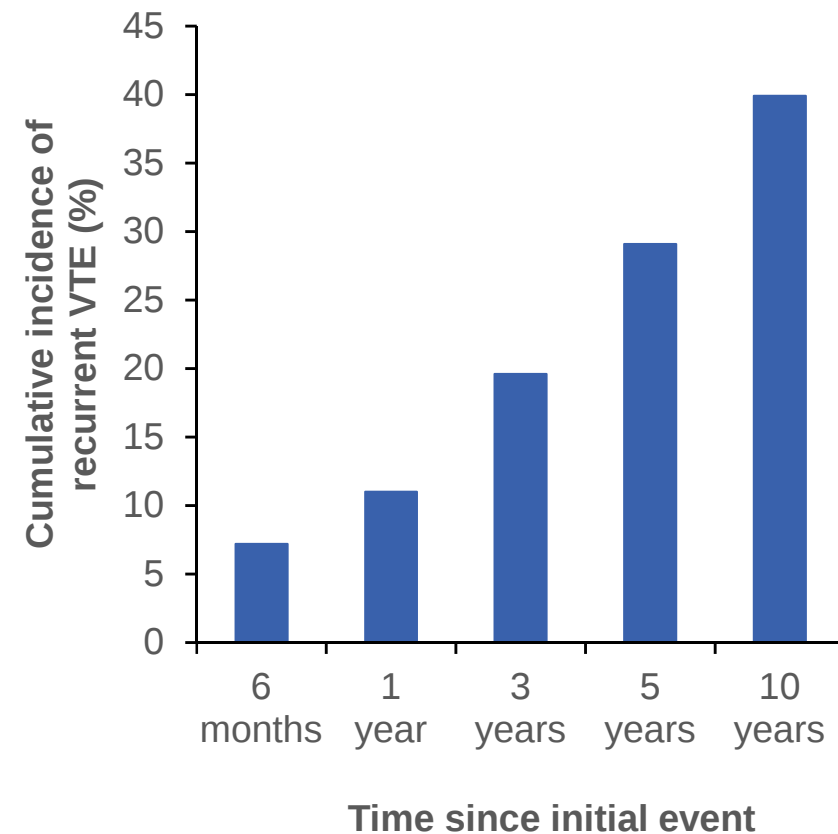
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# High Risk of Recurrent VTE After Discontinuing Anticoagulation

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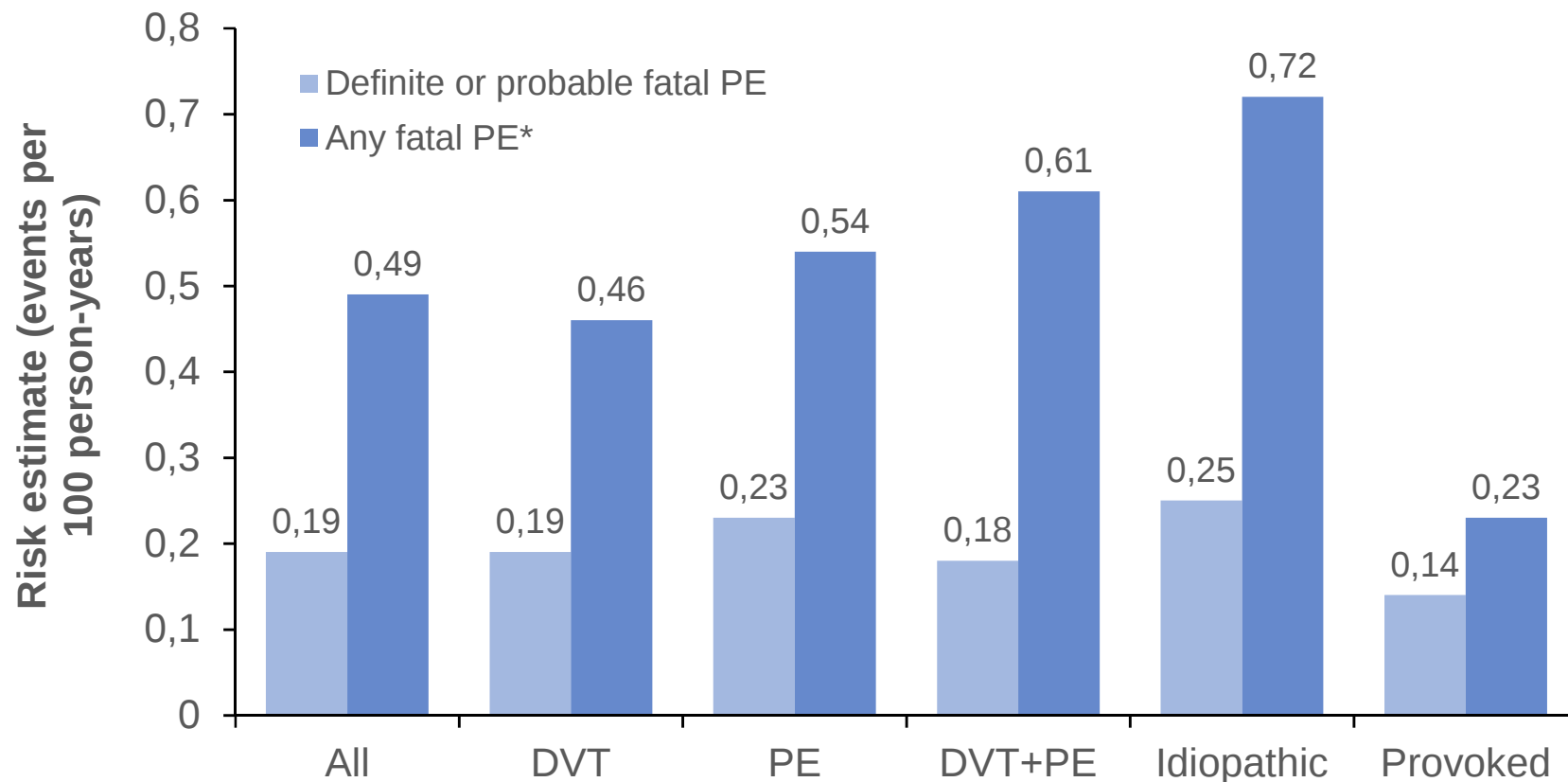
- ◆ Anticoagulation effectively resolves VTE, but stopping treatment increases the cumulative risk of VTE recurrence<sup>1</sup>
- ◆ The cumulative incidence of recurrent VTE is approximately 10% in the first year if anticoagulation is stopped<sup>1</sup>
- ◆ NOACs are well suited for extended treatment because:<sup>2</sup>
  - They do not require injections
  - No routine coagulation monitoring is required
  - They have very few known drug–drug and food–drug interactions

**Cumulative incidence of VTE recurrence over time**



# Risk of Fatal PE After Treatment Cessation in Different Patient Groups

## Fatal PE events per 100 person-years of follow-up



Mean duration of anticoagulation: 6 months (range, 3–39 months); mean duration of follow-up: 54 months (range, 1–120 months)

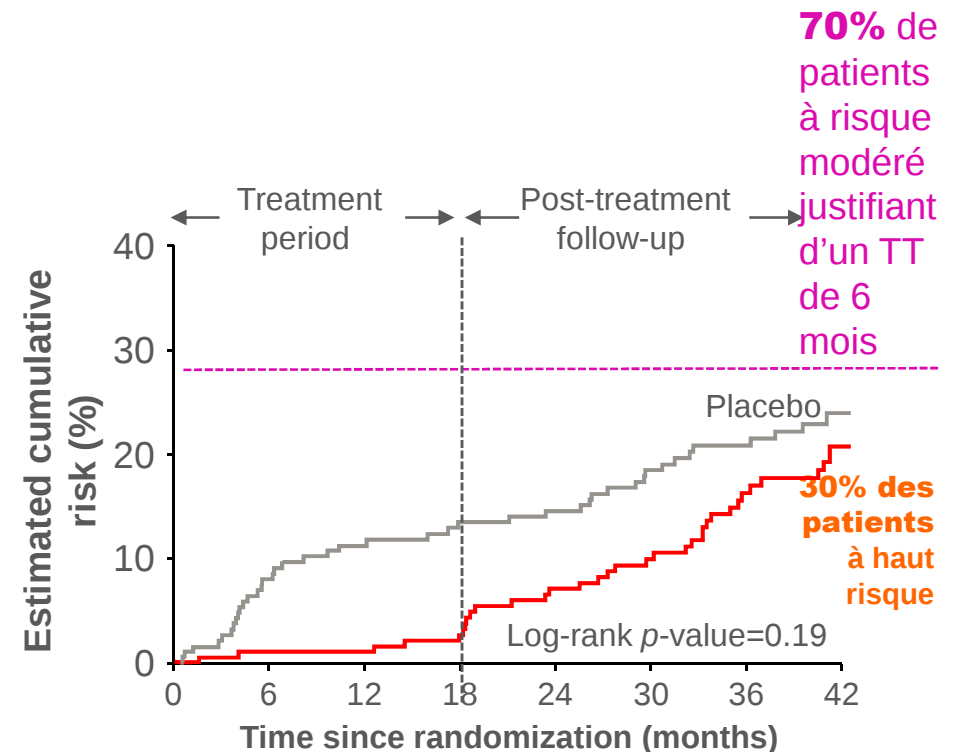
\*Consists of definite or probable fatal PE plus possible fatal PE (undetermined cause of sudden death)

# PADIS EP: VTE recurs even after extended periods of anticoagulation with VKA

- ◆ 371 patients with **unprovoked PE**
- ◆ Rx to extended warfarin vs placebo 18 months, follow-up 24 months
- ◆ Entire study period: 42 months

- ◆ **Composite outcome (recurrent VTE or major bleeding):** unadjusted HR

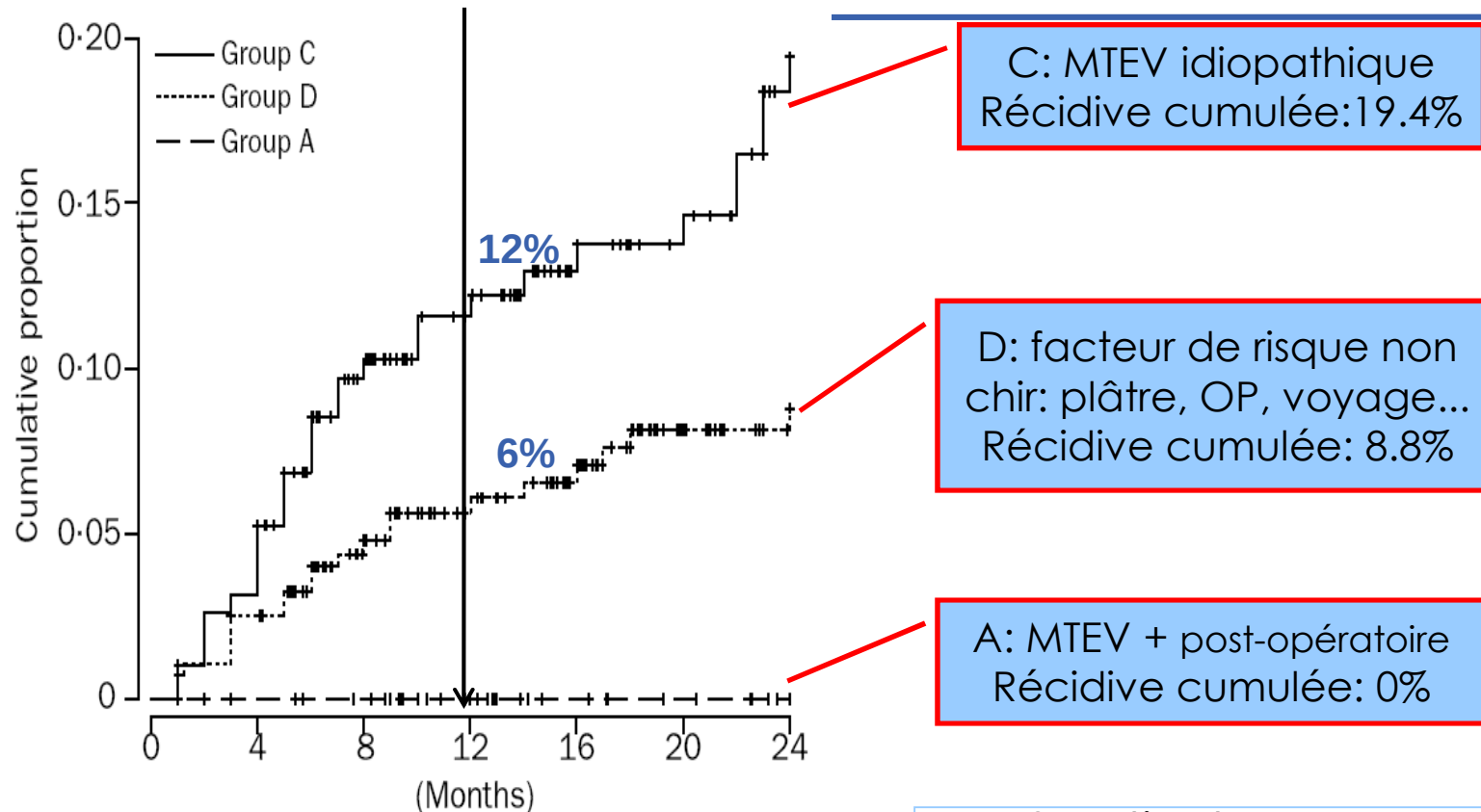
- 0.23 (95% CI 0.09–0.55) during treatment period
- 0.74 (95% CI 0.47–1.17) for entire study period



| No. at risk |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Placebo     | 187 | 170 | 162 | 158 | 155 | 140 | 117 | 104 |
| Warfarin    | 184 | 182 | 180 | 174 | 168 | 150 | 120 | 110 |

# Impact of Clinical Risk Factors in VTE Recurrence

Prospective cohort of non-selected patients who had a first episode of objectively proven VTE.  
FU in the first 2 years after anticoagulant therapy is stopped.



## Number at risk

|         |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Group C | 193 | 184 | 153 | 133 | 110 | 98  | 81  |
| Group D | 279 | 269 | 235 | 209 | 185 | 155 | 139 |
| Group A | 86  | 82  | 79  | 71  | 61  | 58  | 53  |

Figure 1: **Cumulative proportions of recurrent thrombosis after cessation of anticoagulant therapy**

Data for group B are not included because it was a small group with no recurrences.

Badier T et al Lancet 2003;362:523-26

- 570 patients
- 1<sup>er</sup> épisode MVTE
  - EP 29%, TVP 57%
- 4 groupes
- AVK pendant 24 sem
- Suivi 2 ans

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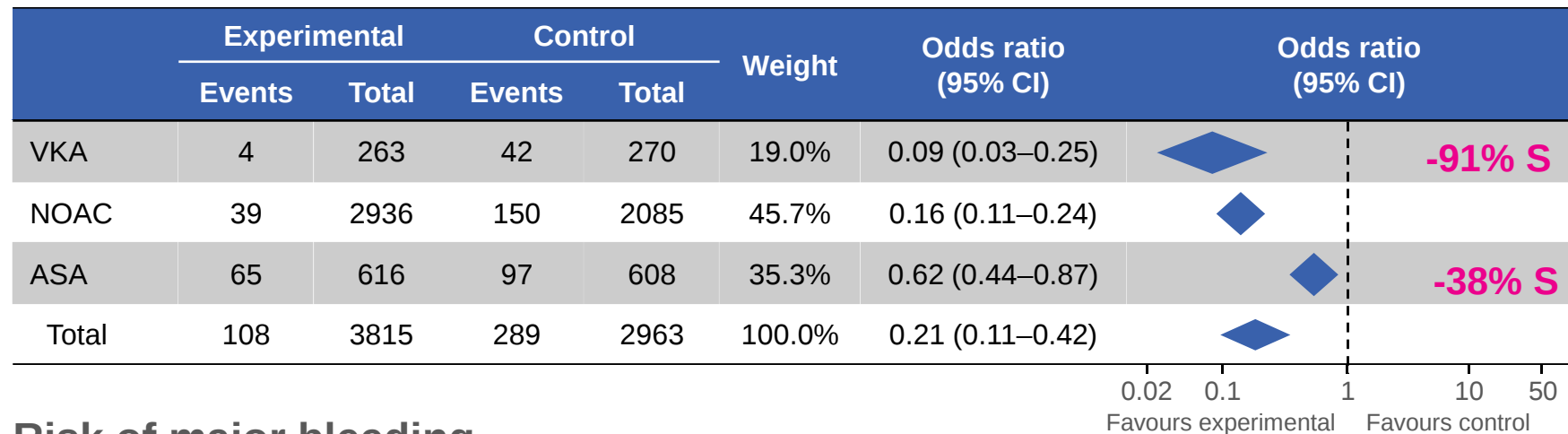
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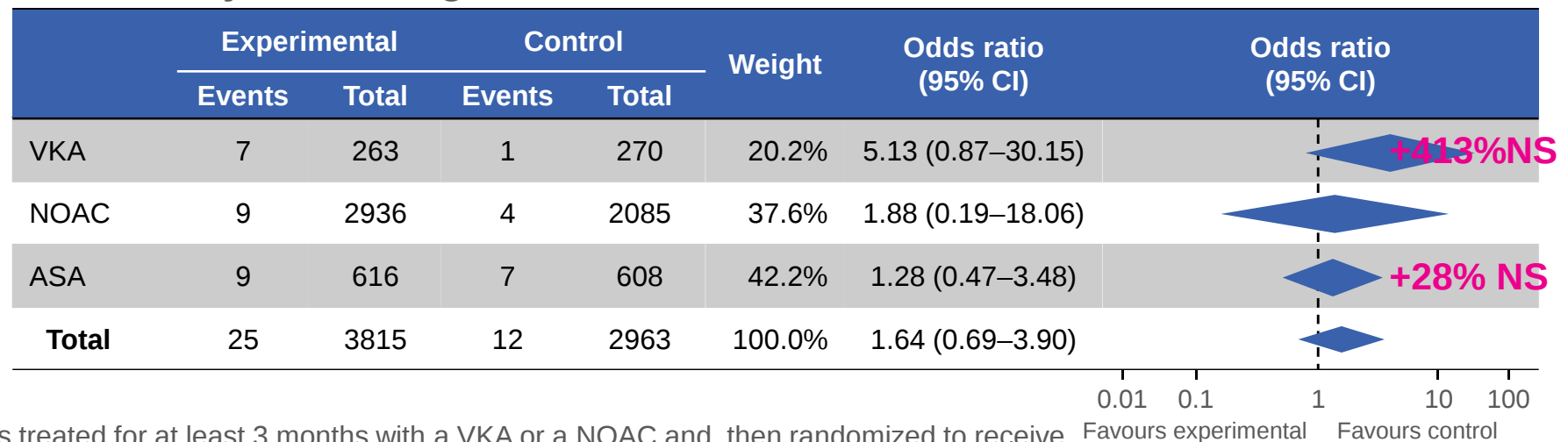
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# Extended Anticoagulant and ASA Treatment for Secondary Prevention of Thromboembolic Disease: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis unprovoked VTE with equipoise patients

## Risk of recurrent thromboembolic events



## Risk of major bleeding



Patients treated for at least 3 months with a VKA or a NOAC and then randomized to receive an oral anti-thrombotic agent or placebo for at least 6 additional months.

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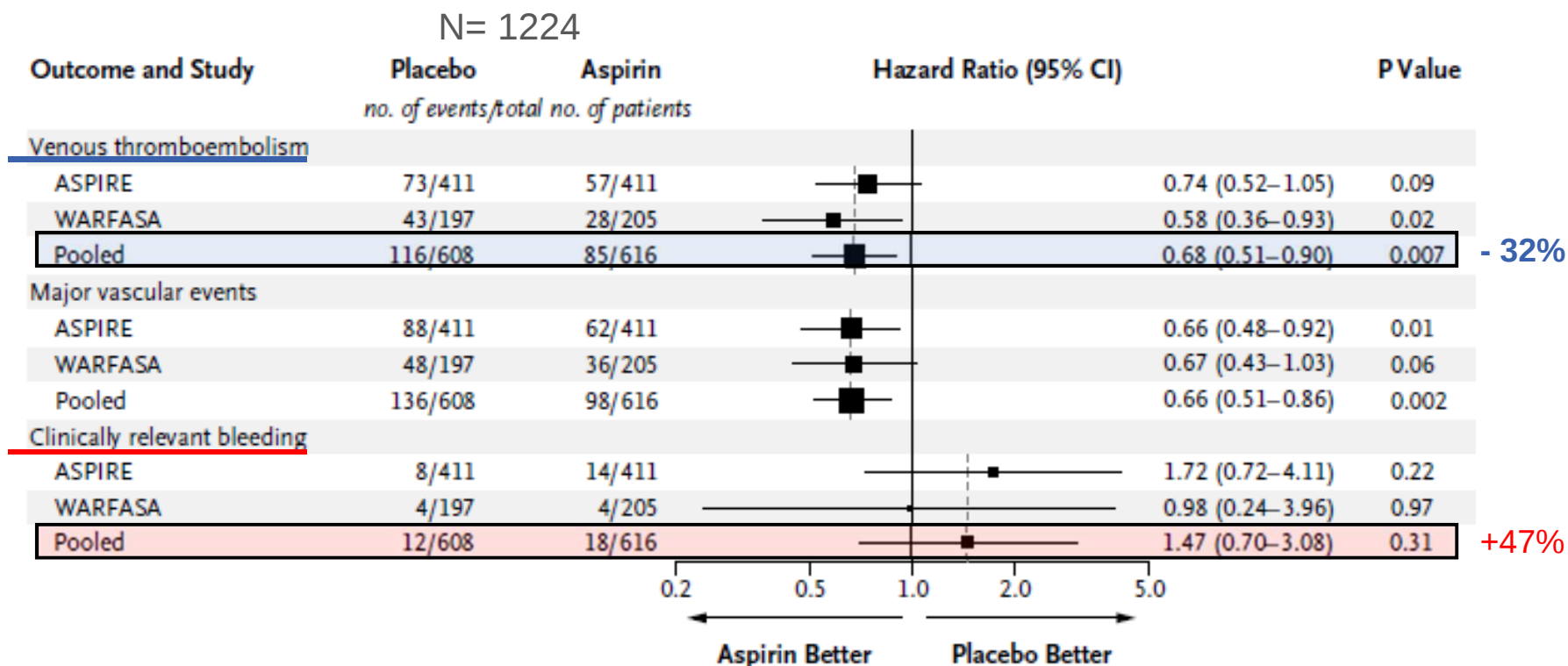
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# Warfasa & Aspire Trials : Aspirin 100mg vs placebo



Venous thromboembolism : 1st recurrence of symptomatic DVT or PE  
 Major vascular events is a composite of VTE, MI, stroke, or CV death.  
 Clinically relevant bleeding includes major or clinically relevant non major bleeding.

Warfasa Becattini N Engl J 2012 ; Aspire T.A.Brighton et al, N Engl J Med 2012

In conclusion, the findings of the ASPIRE study, especially when considered together with data from the WARFASA study, provide consistent evidence that low-dose aspirin is beneficial in preventing recurrent venous thromboembolism and major vascular events in patients who have had a first episode of unprovoked venous thromboembolism. Thus, aspirin is an attractive option for such patients once they have completed an initial course of anticoagulation therapy.

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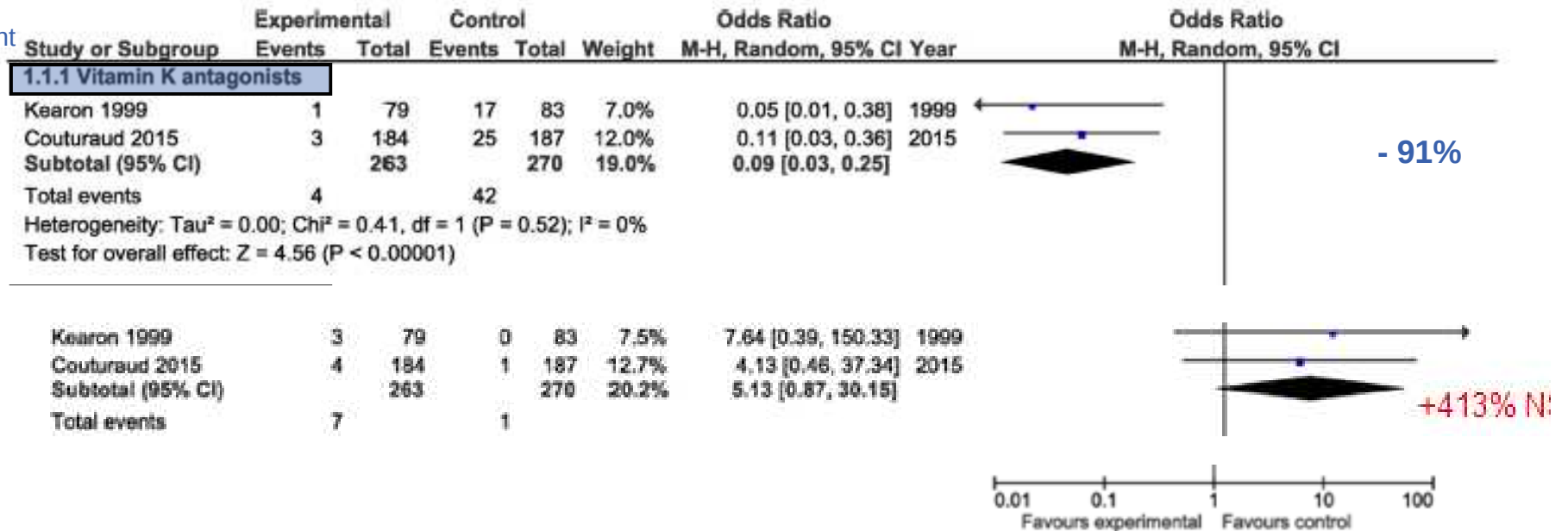
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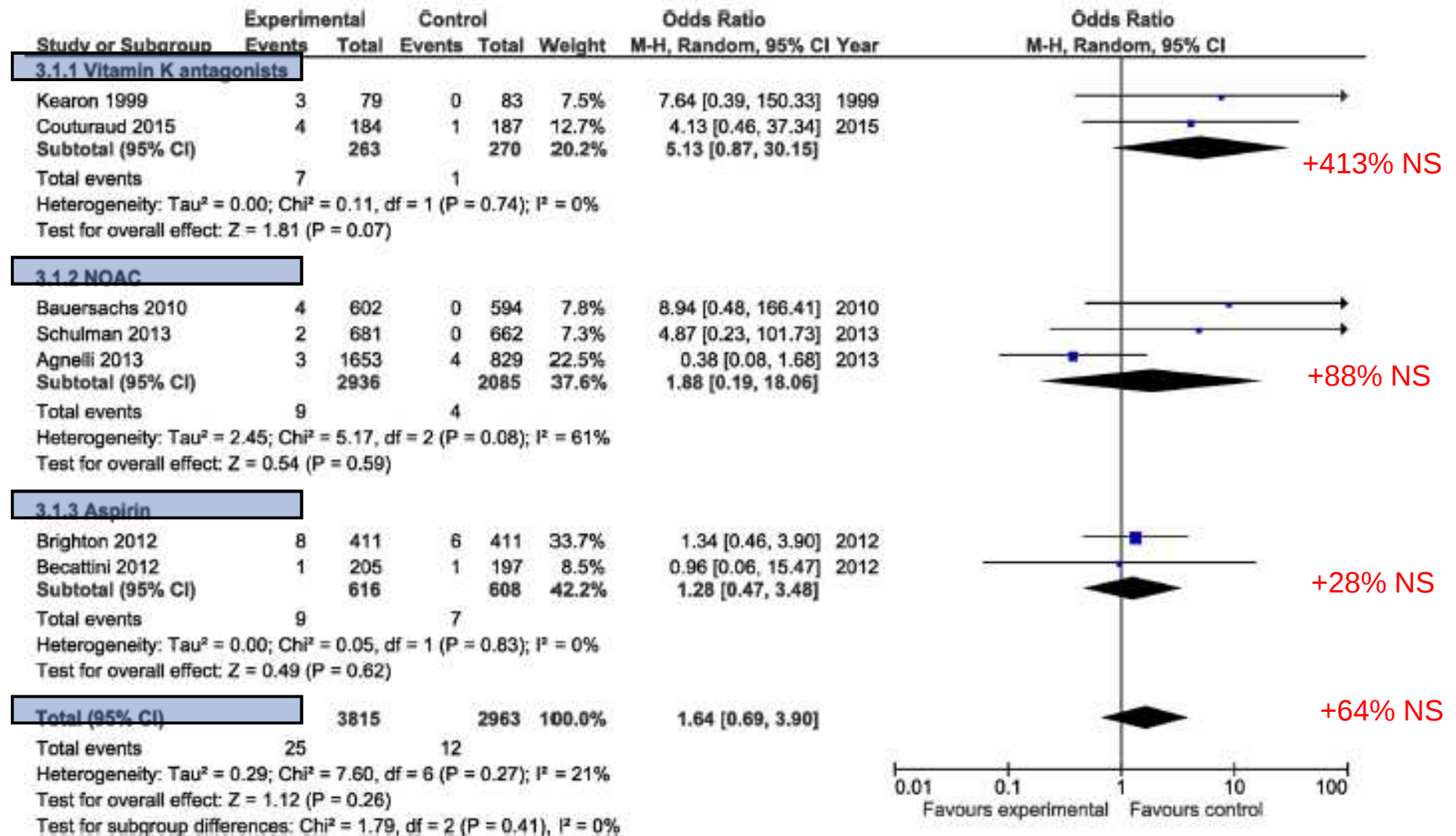
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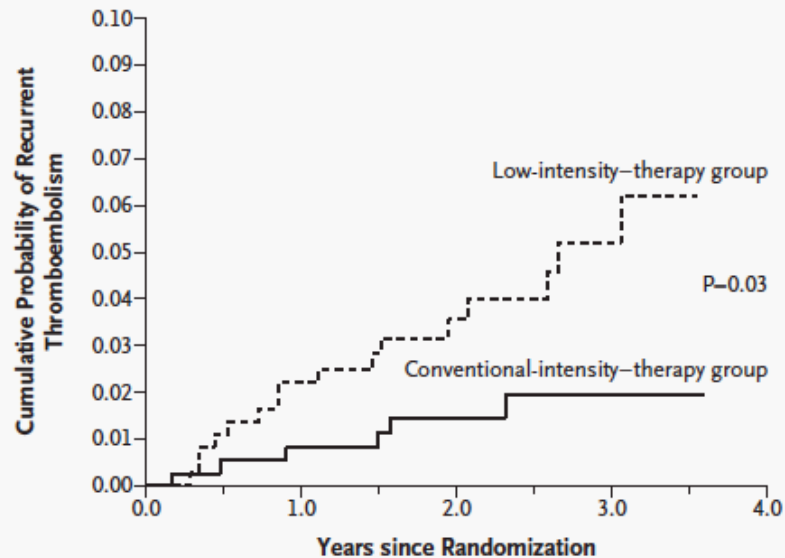
recurrent  
VTE



# Comparison of the risk of **major bleeds** during study period for patients receiving anticoagulant (intervention) versus control (placebo). N = 6778 patients unprovoked VTE



# ELATE :Long-term VKA with an INR [1.5-1.9] vs [2-3]



## No. at Risk

|                |     |     |     |     |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Low intensity  | 369 | 353 | 233 | 101 |
| High intensity | 369 | 363 | 239 | 106 |

**Figure 2. Cumulative Probability of Recurrent Venous Thromboembolism.**

738 patients

Double Blind

2/3 recurrent unprovoked VTE

Optimal intensity of anticoagulation if the patient is considered at high risk of recurrent VTE

**Table 2. Main Outcomes According to Treatment Group.\***

| Outcome                          | Low-Intensity-Therapy Group (N=369) |                   | Conventional-Intensity-Therapy Group (N=369) |                   | Hazard Ratio (95% CI) | Difference between Rates (95% CI) | P Value |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
|                                  | No. of Events                       | No./100 Person-Yr | No. of Events                                | No./100 Person-Yr |                       |                                   |         |
| Major bleeding episode           | 9                                   | 1.1               | 8                                            | 0.9               | 1.2 (0.4 to 3.0)      | 0.1 (−0.8 to 1.1)                 | 0.76    |
| Any bleeding episode             | 39                                  | 4.9               | 31                                           | 3.7               | 1.3 (0.8 to 2.1)      | 1.2 (−0.8 to 3.2)                 | 0.26    |
| Recurrent venous thromboembolism | 16                                  | 1.9               | 6                                            | 0.7               | 2.8 (1.1 to 7.0)      | 1.2 (0.2 to 2.7)                  | 0.03    |
| Death                            | 16                                  | 1.9               | 8                                            | 0.9               | 2.1 (0.9 to 4.8)      | 1.0 (−0.2 to 2.1)                 | 0.09    |

Kearon, NEJM 2003

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Risque de saignements

Guidelines

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# 'Equipoise' patients

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Einstein Choice / Abstract <sup>3</sup>

## CONCLUSIONS

Among patients with venous thromboembolism in equipoise for continued anti-coagulation, the risk of a recurrent event was significantly lower with rivaroxaban at either a treatment dose (20 mg) or a prophylactic dose (10 mg) than with aspirin, without a significant increase in bleeding rates. (Funded by Bayer Pharmaceuticals; EINSTEIN CHOICE ClinicalTrials.gov number, NCT02064439.)

Einstein Extension / §Patients <sup>2</sup>

For the Continued Treatment Study, patients were eligible if they had objectively confirmed, symptomatic DVT or pulmonary embolism and had been treated for 6 to 12 months with acenocoumarol or warfarin (in the EINSTEIN studies or from routine care) or rivaroxaban (in the EINSTEIN studies) and if there was equipoise with respect to the need for continued anticoagulation.

Amplify-extension / Abstract<sup>1</sup>

## METHODS

In this randomized, double-blind study, we compared two doses of apixaban (2.5 mg and 5 mg, twice daily) with placebo in patients with venous thromboembolism who had completed 6 to 12 months of anticoagulation therapy and for whom there was clinical equipoise regarding the continuation or cessation of anticoagulation therapy. The study drugs were administered for 12 months.

<sup>1</sup> Agnelli G et al, *N Engl J Med* 2013; DOI: 10.1056/NEJMoa1207541, <sup>2</sup> Bauersachs R et al *N Engl J Med* 2010;363:2499–2510, <sup>3</sup> Weitz JI et al, *N Engl J Med* 2017;doi:10.1056/NEJMoa1700518

# ‘Equipoise’ patients

|                            | AMPLIFY Extension <sup>1</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | EINSTEIN Extension <sup>2</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | EINSTEIN Choice <sup>3</sup>                                                                                                                                         |
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| <b>Text in publication</b> | Although the inclusion of a placebo group could be criticized, patients who were enrolled in the trial had already received anticoagulation therapy <b>for 6 to 12 months</b> , and the entry criteria mandated <b>clinical equipoise</b> regarding the continuation or cessation of therapy. | For the Continued Treatment Study, patients were eligible if they had objectively confirmed, symptomatic DVT or pulmonary embolism and had been treated for <b>6 to 12 months</b> with acenocoumarol or warfarin (in the EINSTEIN studies or from routine care) or rivaroxaban (in the EINSTEIN studies) and if there was <b>equipoise</b> with respect to the need for continued anticoagulation | All the study patients had completed <b>6 to 12 months</b> of anticoagulation therapy and were <b>in equipoise</b> regarding the need for continued anticoagulation. |

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|                    | AMPLIFY Extension <sup>1</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | EINSTEIN Extension <sup>2</sup> | EINSTEIN Choice <sup>3</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|--------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Inclusion criteria | <p>a) Subjects who have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• an unprovoked index event OR a provoked index event with a risk for recurrence as described in the eligibility checklist.</li><li>• an objectively documented index event of symptomatic proximal DVT or symptomatic PE;</li></ul> <p>b) Subjects should be randomized within approximately 7 days of the last dose of their initial 6-to 12-month treatment.</p> |                                 | <p>1. Patients with confirmed symptomatic pulmonary embolism and/or deep vein thrombosis who have been treated with anticoagulant therapy for 6-12 months and did not interrupt anticoagulation for longer than one week.</p> <p>2. Written informed consent</p> |

<sup>1</sup> Agnelli G et al, *N Engl J Med* 2013; DOI: 10.1056/NEJMoa1207541 - PROTOCOL

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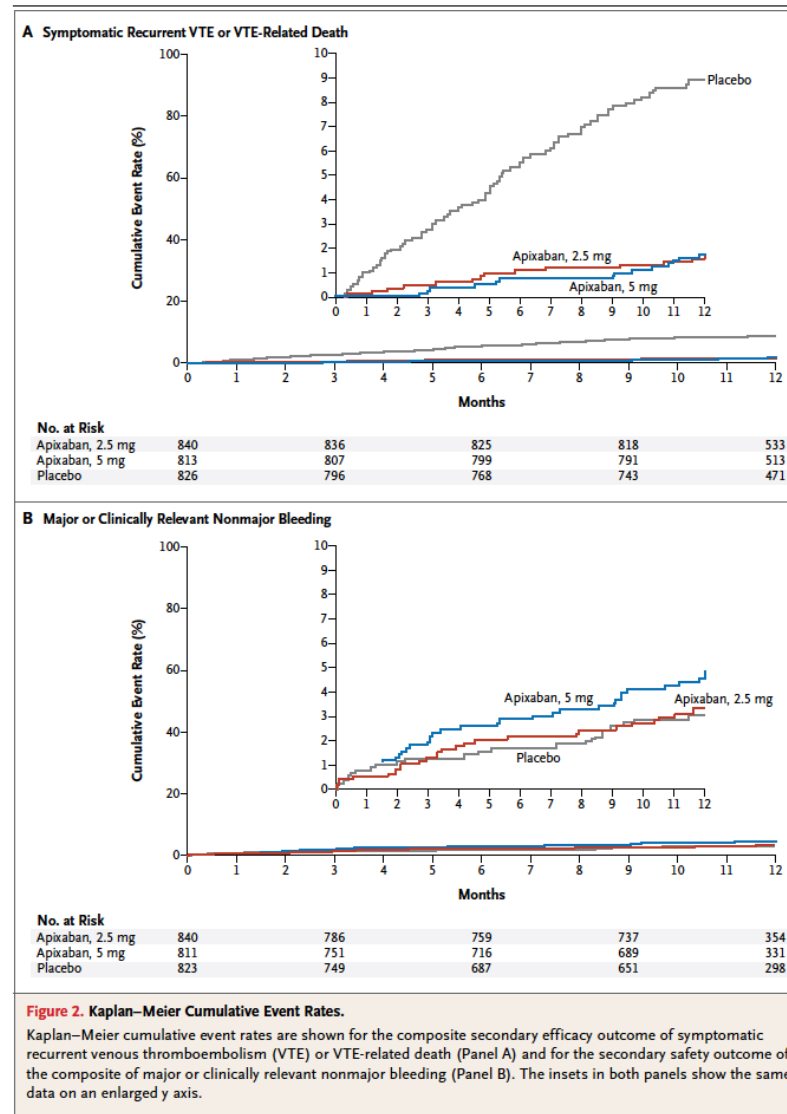
## Extension studies with NOACs : characteristics

| Indication for an extended therapy | Certain                | Uncertain                 | Uncertain                                 | Uncertain                        |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                    | REMEDY<br>(dabigatran) | AMPLIFY-EXT<br>(apixaban) | EINSTEIN-EXT<br>(rivaroxaban)             | EINSTEIN-CHOICE<br>(rivaroxaban) |
| Males                              | 60%                    | 58%                       | 58%                                       | 55%                              |
| Age (mean)                         | 55                     | 56                        | 58                                        | 58                               |
| Weight                             | Moy. 86 kg             | <60 kg 7%<br>≥60 kg 93%   | <50 kg 1%<br>50-100 kg 82%<br>>100 kg 15% | IMC<30 64,5%<br>IMC≥30 35,5%     |
| DVT                                | 65%                    | 65%                       | 64%                                       | 50%                              |
| PE                                 | 35%                    | 35%                       | 36%                                       | 50%                              |
| Unprovoked                         | 93,5%                  | 93%                       | 73%                                       | 40%                              |
| Provoked                           | 6,5%                   | 7%                        | 27%                                       | 60%                              |
| ≥2 MVTE                            | 36%                    | 12%                       | 17%                                       | 17%                              |
| Thrombophilia                      | 18%                    | 4%                        | 8%                                        | 6.5%                             |
| Active Cancer                      | 4,2%                   | 1,8%                      | 4,5%                                      | 2,5%                             |

## Extension studies with NOACs : results

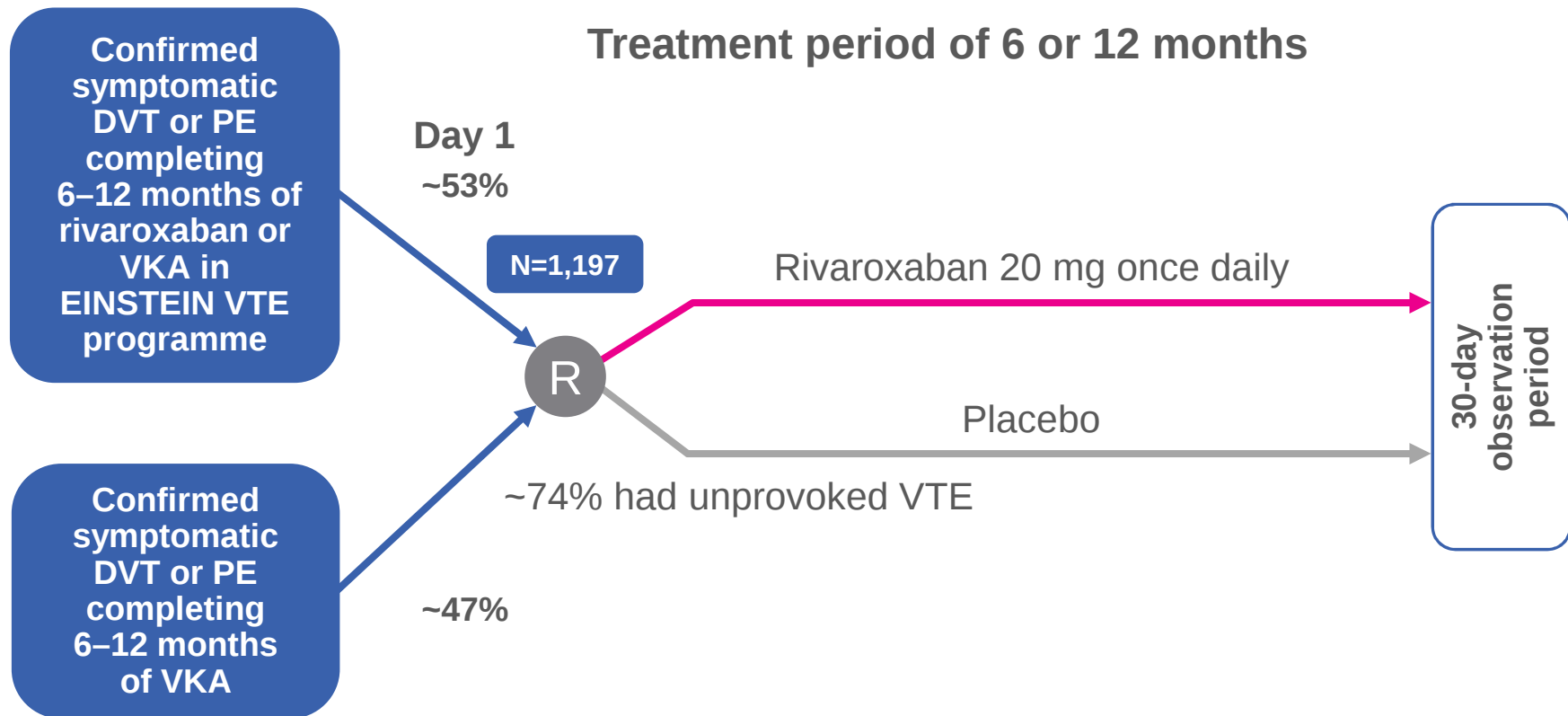
|                 | REMEDY<br>dabigatran |      | AMPLIFY-EXT<br>apixaban |       |     | EINSTEIN-<br>EXT<br>rivaroxaban |     | EINSTEIN-CHOICE<br>rivaroxaban |      |     |
|-----------------|----------------------|------|-------------------------|-------|-----|---------------------------------|-----|--------------------------------|------|-----|
| Arm             | Dab.                 | War. | A.5                     | A.2.5 | Pl. | R.20                            | Pl. | R.20                           | R.10 | ASA |
| VTE recidive    | 1.8                  | 1.3  | 1.7                     | 1.7   | 8.8 | 1.3                             | 7.1 | 1.5                            | 1.2  | 4.4 |
| Major bleeding  | 0.9                  | 1.8  | 0.1                     | 0.2   | 0.5 | 0.7                             | 0   | 0.5                            | 0.4  | 0.3 |
| NMCR bleeding   |                      |      | 4.2                     | 3.0   | 2.3 | 5.4                             | 1.2 | 2.7                            | 2.0  | 1.8 |
| Maj. Bl. + NMCR | 5.6                  | 10.2 | 4.3                     | 3.2   | 2.7 | 6.0                             | 1.2 | 3.3                            | 2.4  | 2.0 |
| Death           | 1.2                  | 1.3  | 0.5                     | 0.8   | 1.7 | 0.2                             | 0.3 | 0.7                            | 0.2  | 0.6 |

# AMPLIFY EXTENSION STUDY



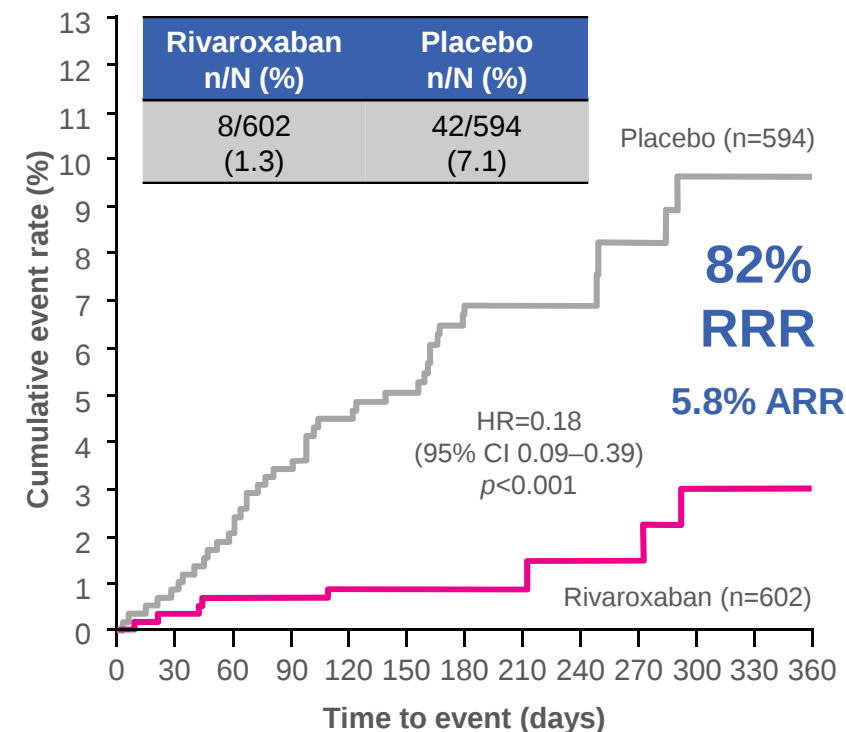
# EINSTEIN EXT: Study Design

Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, event-driven (n=30) superiority study



EINSTEIN EXT showed that an additional 6 or 12 months of rivaroxaban 20 mg od after prior anticoagulation therapy, significantly reduced VTE recurrence vs placebo, with comparable major bleeding risk

In patients at clinical equipoise regarding the need for continued treatment



| Number of patients at risk |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |    |
|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| Riva                       | 602 | 590 | 583 | 573 | 552 | 503 | 482 | 171 | 138 | 132 | 114 | 92 |
| Placebo                    | 594 | 582 | 570 | 555 | 522 | 468 | 444 | 164 | 138 | 133 | 110 | 93 |

NNT = 17

|                                                                                        | Rivaroxaban<br>(n=598) |      | Placebo<br>(n=590) |   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------|--------------------|---|
|                                                                                        | n                      | %    | n                  | % |
| Major bleeding                                                                         | 4                      | 0.7* | 0                  | 0 |
| Bleeding contributing to death                                                         | 0                      | 0    | 0                  | 0 |
| Bleeding in a critical site                                                            | 0                      | 0    | 0                  | 0 |
| Associated with fall in haemoglobin $\geq 2$ g/dl and/or transfusion of $\geq 2$ units | 4                      | 0.7  | 0                  | 0 |
| Gastrointestinal bleeding                                                              | 3                      | 0.5  | 0                  | 0 |
| Menorrhagia                                                                            | 1                      | 0.2  | 0                  | 0 |

Safety population; \* $p=0.11$

NNH = 143

|                |    |     |   |     |
|----------------|----|-----|---|-----|
| CRNM           | 32 | 5.4 | 7 | 1.2 |
| major or CRNMB | 36 | 6.0 | 7 | 1.2 |

HR 5.19 (2.3–11.7)

Rivaroxaban 20mg réduit les récides ETEV sans augmentation signiflcatif des saignements majeurs ...mais avec une augmentation des CRNMB

# Rivaroxaban

## COMMISSION DE LA TRANSPARENCE

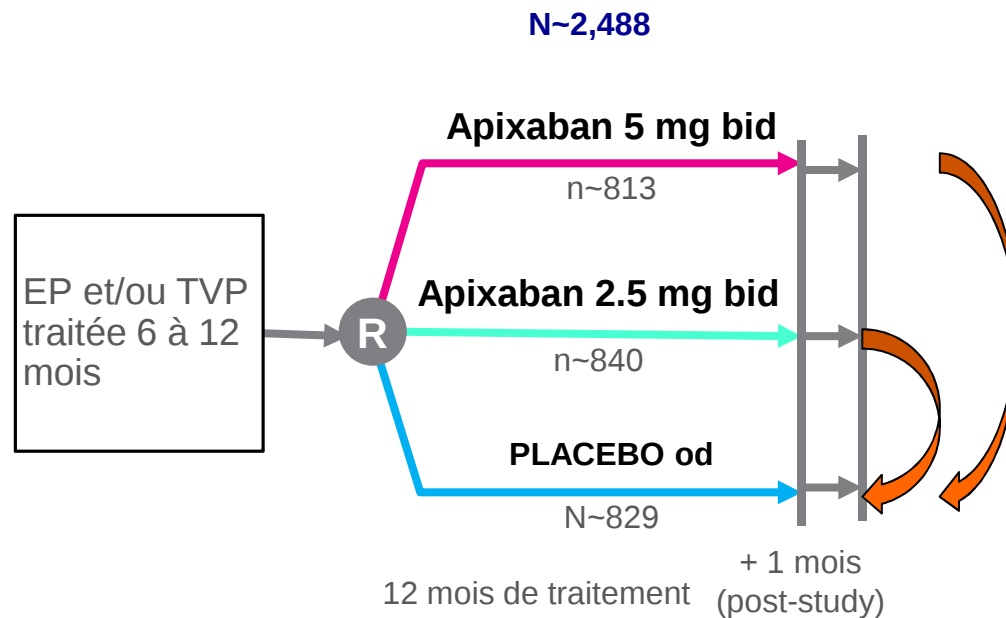
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| SMR                                   | <p>Le service médical rendu par XARELTO 15 mg et 20 mg :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <u>reste important dans le traitement initial des TVP et EP et la prévention de leurs récurrences jusqu'à 12 mois ;</u></li> <li>- <u>est important dans le traitement prolongé au-delà de 12 mois en prévention des récurrences d'EP et de TVP.</u></li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| ASMR                                  | <p>XARELTO n'apporte pas d'amélioration du service médical rendu (ASMR V) dans le traitement prolongé au-delà de 12 mois en prévention des récurrences d'EP et de TVP chez l'adulte.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Place dans la stratégie thérapeutique | <p>La Commission considère que, compte tenu de l'absence d'antidote et en l'absence de possibilité de mesure du degré d'anticoagulation en pratique courante, la prescription de XARELTO, comme celle d'ELIQUIS, dans le traitement des ETEV et la prévention de leurs récurrences, n'est préconisée qu'en 2<sup>ème</sup> intention, à savoir dans les cas suivants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• chez les patients sous AVK, mais pour lesquels le maintien de l'INR dans la zone cible (entre 2 et 3) n'est pas habituellement assuré malgré une observance correcte ;</li> <li>• chez les patients pour lesquels les AVK sont contre-indiqués ou mal tolérés, qui ne peuvent pas les prendre ou qui acceptent mal les contraintes liées à la surveillance de l'INR.</li> </ul> |

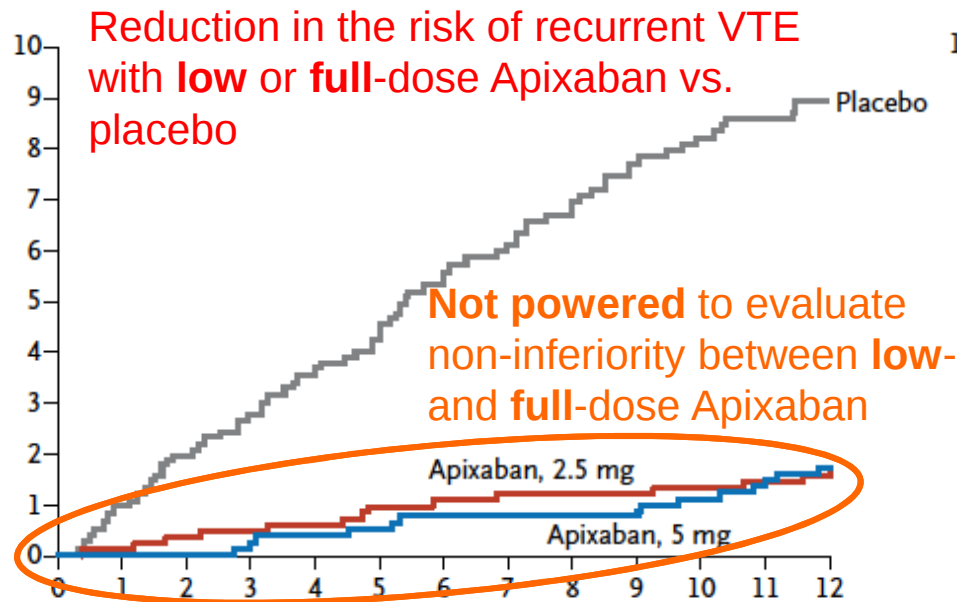
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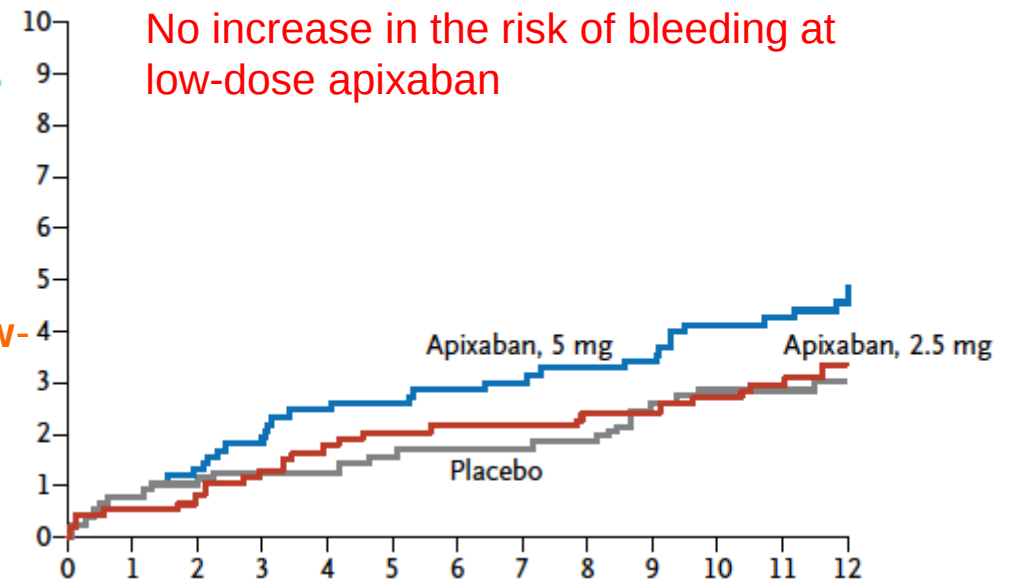


**Short design:** Multicentre, randomized, double-blind, double-blind, superiority study

# Extended treatment in patients at “**equipoise**” with low-dose Apixaban? “**Amplify-Ext Study**”



Primary end point of recurrent or fatal VTE or unexplained death



Major or clinically relevant bleeding event

Population à **risque intermédiaire** (equipoise)  
AOD demi-dose ou pleine dose **plus efficace** que placebo  
Risques **hémorragiques très faibles** et non différents  
Pas d'hétérogénéité sur les strates  
Quelle dose optimale pour quelle population ?

AMPLIFY-EXT, NEJM 2013;

F.Coutureau

# Extended treatment in patients at “equipoise” with low-dose Apixaban? “Amplify-Ext Study”

Quelle dose optimale pour quelle population ? 2,5mg au long cours RCP?

|                                                                                                        | Schéma d'administration                              | Dose maximale quotidienne |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Traitement de la TVP ou de l'EP                                                                        | 10 mg deux fois par jour durant les 7 premiers jours | 20 mg                     |
|                                                                                                        | suivis de 5 mg deux fois par jour                    | 10 mg                     |
| Prévention de la récurrence de TVP et/ou d'EP à l'issue de 6 mois de traitement pour une TVP ou une EP | 2,5 mg deux fois par jour                            | 5 mg                      |

Pas d'hétérogénéité sur les strates

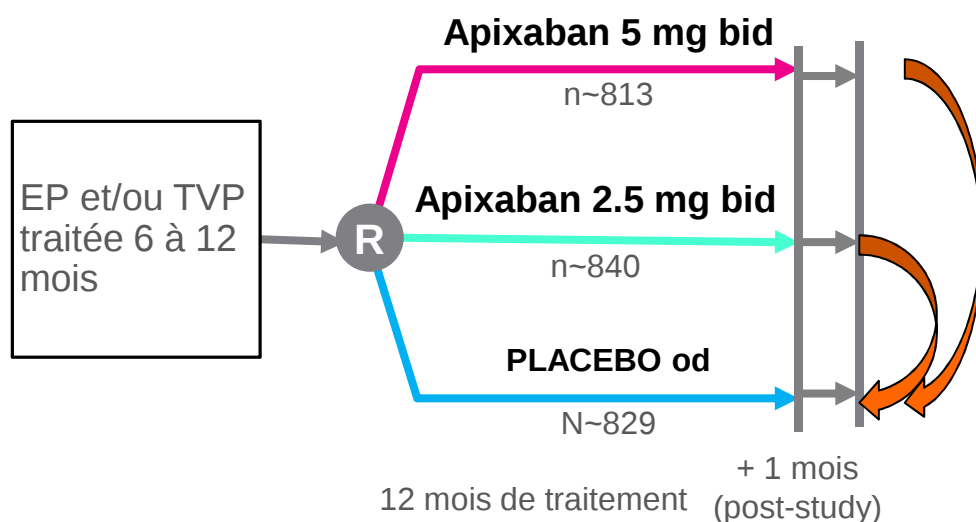
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N~2,482

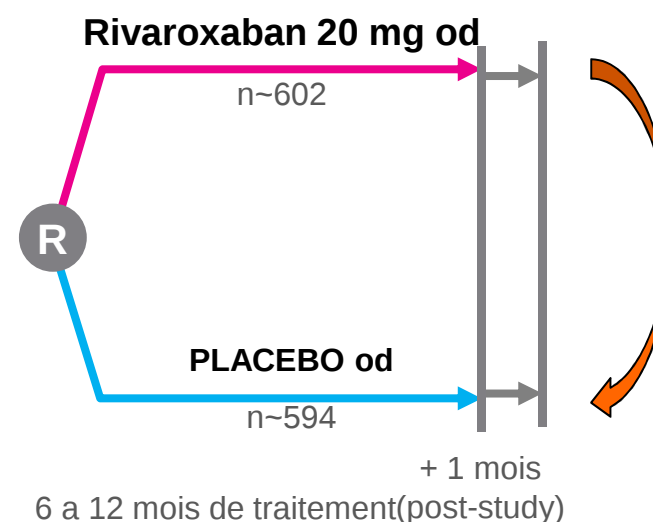


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AMPLIFY-EXT-investigators, NEJM 2013;368(8):699-708

## “Einstein Ext Study”

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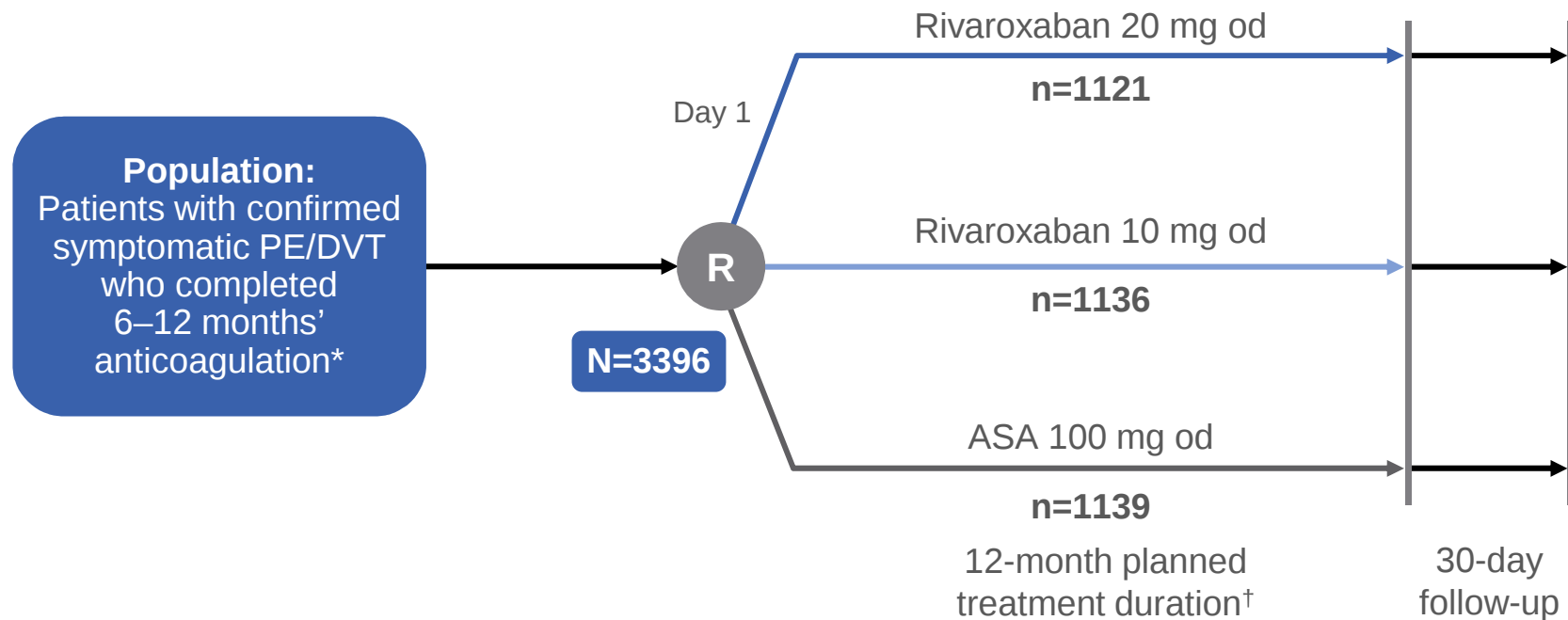
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\*[www.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT02064439](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT02064439)

# EINSTEIN CHOICE Evaluated Rivaroxaban Versus ASA for Extended Treatment of VTE

**Objectives:** Compare the efficacy and safety of once daily rivaroxaban (20 or 10 mg) with aspirin (100 mg) in VTE patients who completed 6 to 12 months of treatment and with  **equipoise regarding the need for extended anticoagulation**

**Multicentre, randomized, double-blind, active-comparator, event-driven, superiority study**



\*Completed 6–12 months anticoagulation at randomization with no interruption of anticoagulation >1 week

†Patients randomized after the requisite number of primary efficacy outcomes was reached were treated for ≥6 months

Weitz JI *et al*, *Thromb Hemost* 2015;114:645–650;  
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# EINSTEIN CHOICE: Study Details

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## Primary endpoints

- ◆ Symptomatic recurrent VTE
- ◆ Major bleeding

## Secondary endpoints

- ◆ MACE (symptomatic recurrent VTE, MI, ischaemic stroke, systemic non-CNS embolism)
- ◆ CRNM bleeding
- ◆ Composite of non-fatal symptomatic VTE and all-cause mortality
- ◆ Composite of major bleeding and recurrent VTE
- ◆ Composite of major bleeding, recurrent VTE, MI, ischaemic stroke and systemic non-CNS embolism

## Key inclusion criteria

- ◆ Objectively confirmed DVT and/or PE
- ◆ Completed 6–12 months of treatment with apixaban, dabigatran, rivaroxaban or a vitamin K antagonist
- ◆ No therapy interruption >7 days pre-randomization
- ◆ No symptomatic recurrence during the treatment period

## Key exclusion criteria

- ◆ Indication for therapeutic dose anticoagulants
- ◆ Indication for antiplatelet or NSAID
- ◆ CrCl <30 ml/min
- ◆ Active bleeding or high risk of bleeding
- ◆ Concomitant use of strong CYP450 3A4 or P-glycoprotein inhibitors
- ◆ Life expectancy <6 months

# Primary and Secondary Study Outcomes

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## ◆ Efficacy outcomes:

- **Primary:** Recurrent VTE\*
- **Secondary:** Recurrent VTE, MI, ischaemic stroke and non-CNS SE
- **Other efficacy outcomes:** MI, ischaemic stroke, venous thrombosis in locations other than the deep veins of the lower extremities, and all-cause mortality

## ◆ Safety outcomes

- **Principal:** Major bleeding<sup>#</sup>
- Clinically relevant non-major bleeding <sup>#</sup>
- Major bleeding and clinically relevant non-major bleeding <sup>#</sup>
- Non-major bleeding associated with study drug interruption for >14 days

\*Fatal or non-fatal symptomatic recurrent DVT/PE including unexplained death where PE cannot be excluded; <sup>#</sup>defined according to International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH) criteria  
Weitz JI *et al*, *N Engl J Med* 2017;doi:10.1056/NEJMoa1700518

## Clinical Characteristics\*

| Outcome                     |                       | Rivaroxaban 20 mg<br>(n=1107) | Rivaroxaban 10 mg<br>(n=1127) | Aspirin 100 mg<br>(n=1131) |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Male, n (%)                 |                       | 602 (54.4)                    | 620 (55.0)                    | 643 (56.9)                 |
| Age, (mean years±SD)        |                       | 57.9±14.7                     | 58.8±14.7                     | 58.8±14.7                  |
| Body mass index, n (%)      | <30 kg/m <sup>2</sup> | 712 (64.3)                    | 751 (66.6)                    | 756 (66.8)                 |
|                             | ≥30 kg/m <sup>2</sup> | 394 (35.6)                    | 376 (33.4)                    | 375 (33.2)                 |
| Creatinine clearance, n (%) | <30 ml/min            | 1 (0.1)                       | 2 (0.2)                       | 1 (0.1)                    |
|                             | 30–<50 ml/min         | 40 (3.6)                      | 49 (4.3)                      | 63 (5.6)                   |
|                             | 50–<80 ml/min         | 279 (25.2)                    | 302 (26.8)                    | 277 (24.5)                 |
|                             | ≥80 ml/min            | 787 (71.1)                    | 774 (68.7)                    | 790 (69.8)                 |

\*Differences in baseline characteristics were not significant; SD, standard deviation

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# Clinical Characteristics\*

| Outcome                                |                         | Rivaroxaban<br>20 mg<br>(n=1107) | Rivaroxaban<br>10 mg<br>(n=1127) | Aspirin 100<br>mg<br>(n=1131) |
|----------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Index event, n (%)                     | DVT                     | 565 (51.0)                       | 565 (50.1)                       | 577 (51.0)                    |
|                                        | PE                      | 381 (34.4)                       | 381 (33.8)                       | 366 (32.4)                    |
|                                        | Both                    | 155 (14.0)                       | 179 (15.9)                       | 181 (16.0)                    |
|                                        | Asymptomatic or unconf. | 6 (0.5)                          | 2 (0.2)                          | 7 (0.6)                       |
| Classification of index VTE, n (%)     | Unprovoked              | 441 (39.8)                       | 480 (42.6)                       | 468 (41.4)                    |
|                                        | Provoked                | 666 (60.2)                       | 647 (57.4)                       | 663 (58.6)                    |
| History of prior VTE, n (%)            |                         | 198 (17.9)                       | 197 (17.5)                       | 194 (17.2)                    |
| Known thrombophilia, n (%)             |                         | 79 (7.1)                         | 74 (6.6)                         | 70 (6.2)                      |
| Active cancer, n (%)                   |                         | 25 (2.3)                         | 27 (2.4)                         | 37 (3.3)                      |
| Study drug duration (median days, IQR) |                         | 349 (189-362)                    | 353 (190-362)                    | 350 (186-362)                 |

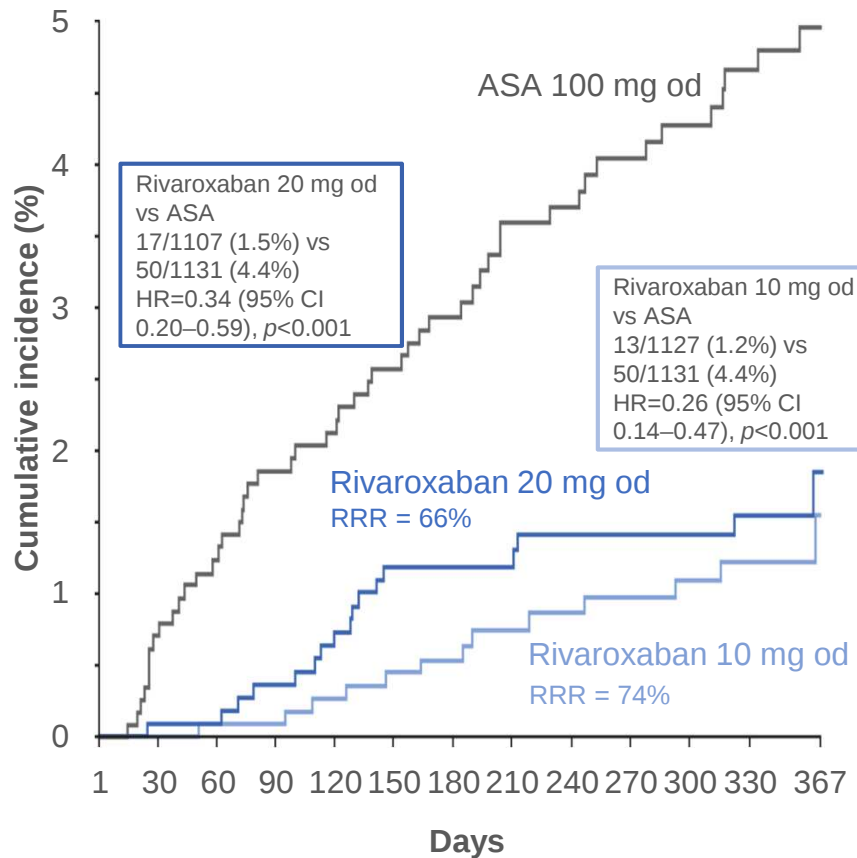
\*Differences in baseline characteristics were not significant; DVT, deep vein thrombosis; PE, pulmonary embolism; VTE, venous thromboembolism, IQR, Interquartile range

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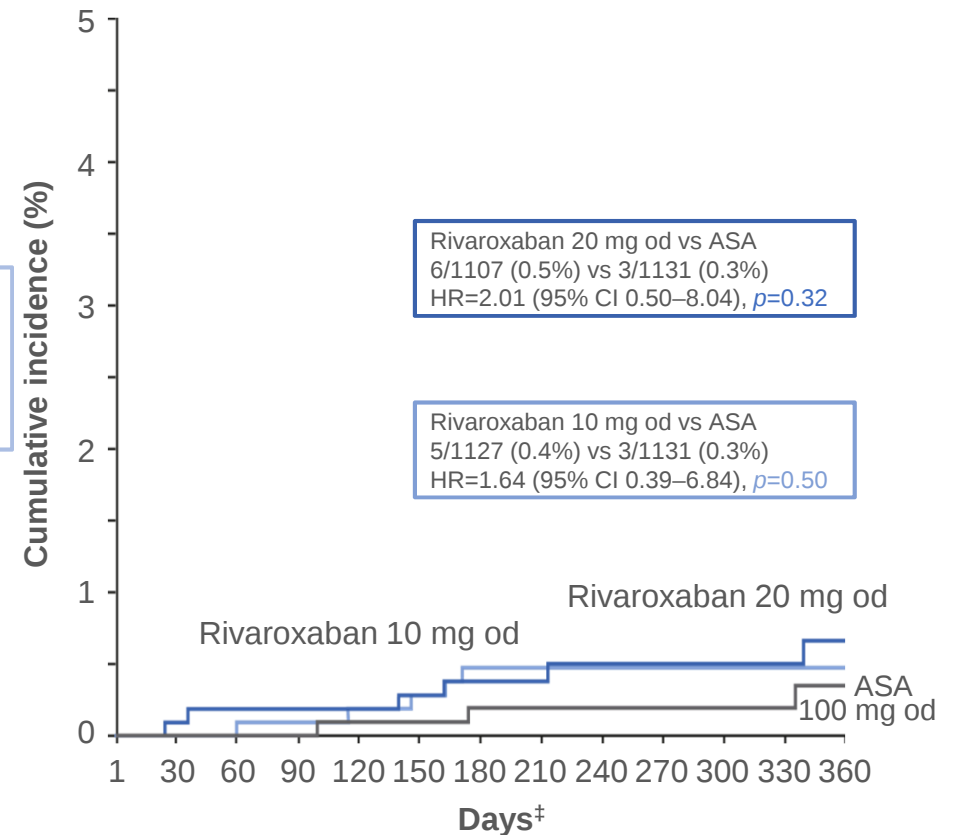
**EINSTEIN CHOICE**

# Both Rivaroxaban Doses Reduced Recurrent VTE Rates and Similar Risk of Bleeding Compared with ASA

## Efficacy\* Symptomatic recurrent VTE

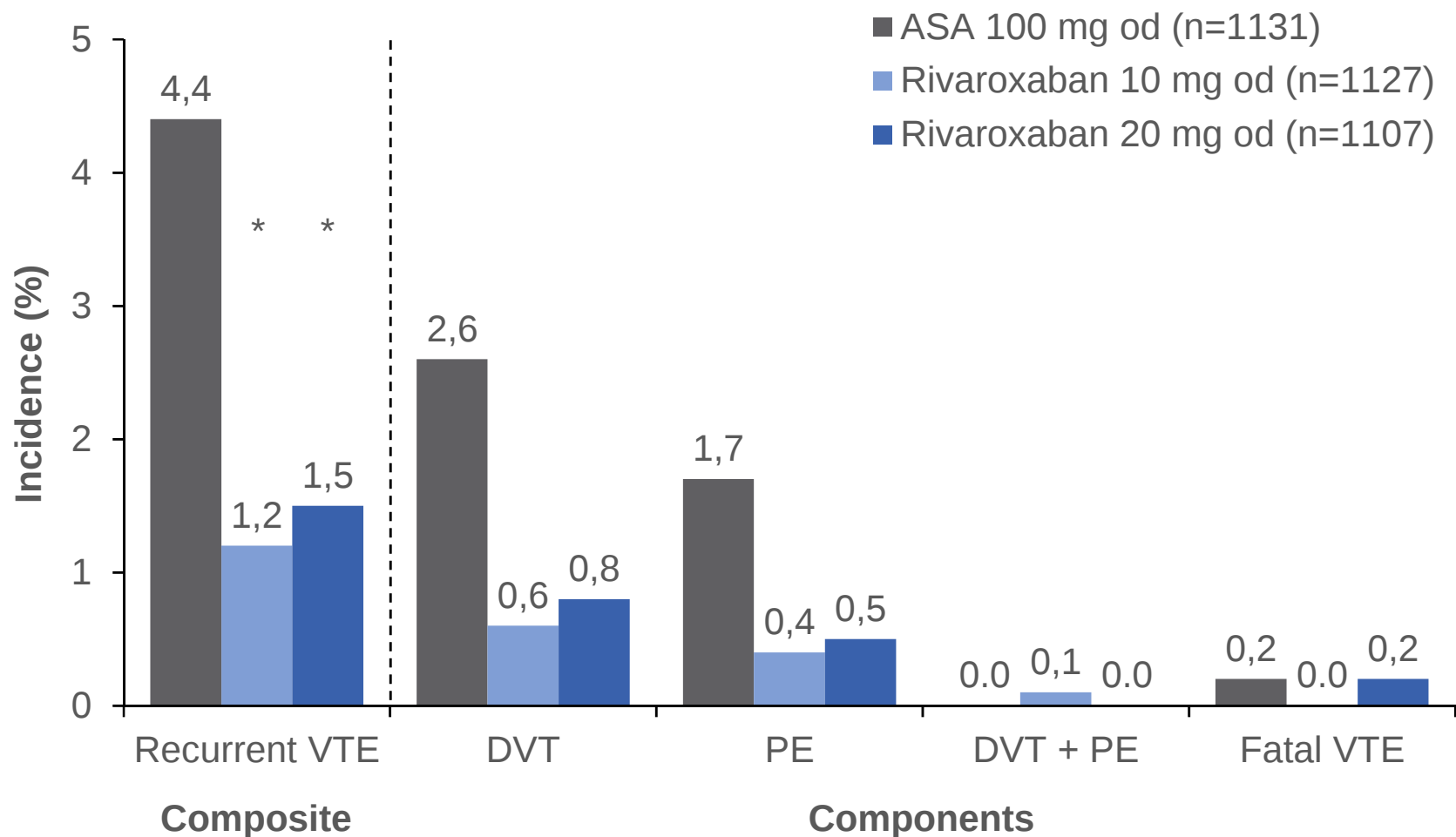


## ISTH Major bleeding#



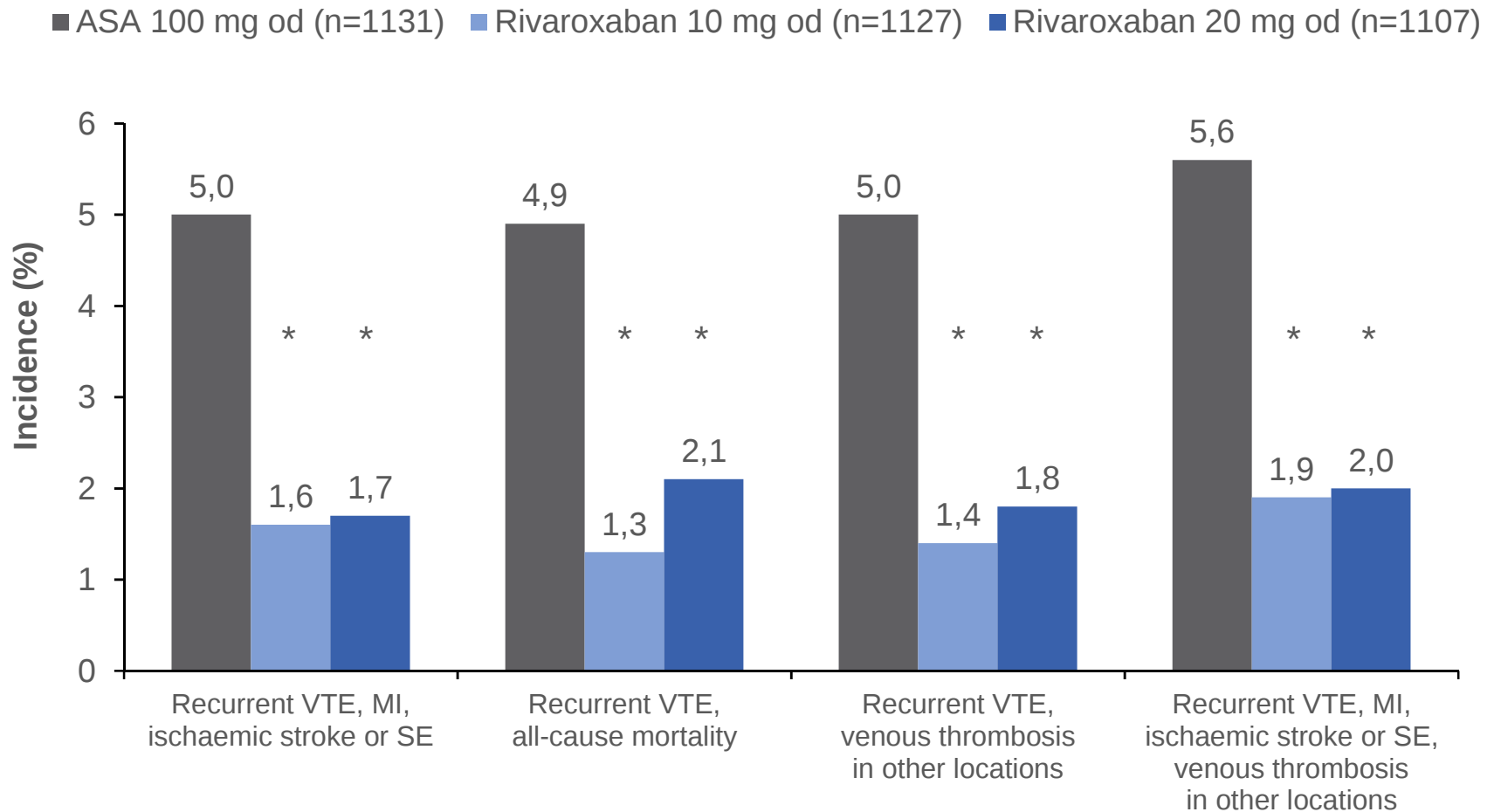
\*Intention-to-treat analysis; #safety analysis; ‡no events after Day 360 up to Day 480  
 \*Fatal or non-fatal symptomatic recurrent DVT/PE including unexplained death where PE cannot be excluded; #defined according to International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH) criteria  
 Weitz JI et al, *N Engl J Med* 2017;doi:10.1056/NEJMoa1700518

# Primary Efficacy Outcome Results Components



Intention-to-treat analysis. \* $p < 0.001$  versus ASA 100 mg od  
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# Other Efficacy Endpoints Reduced with Both Rivaroxaban Doses Versus ASA

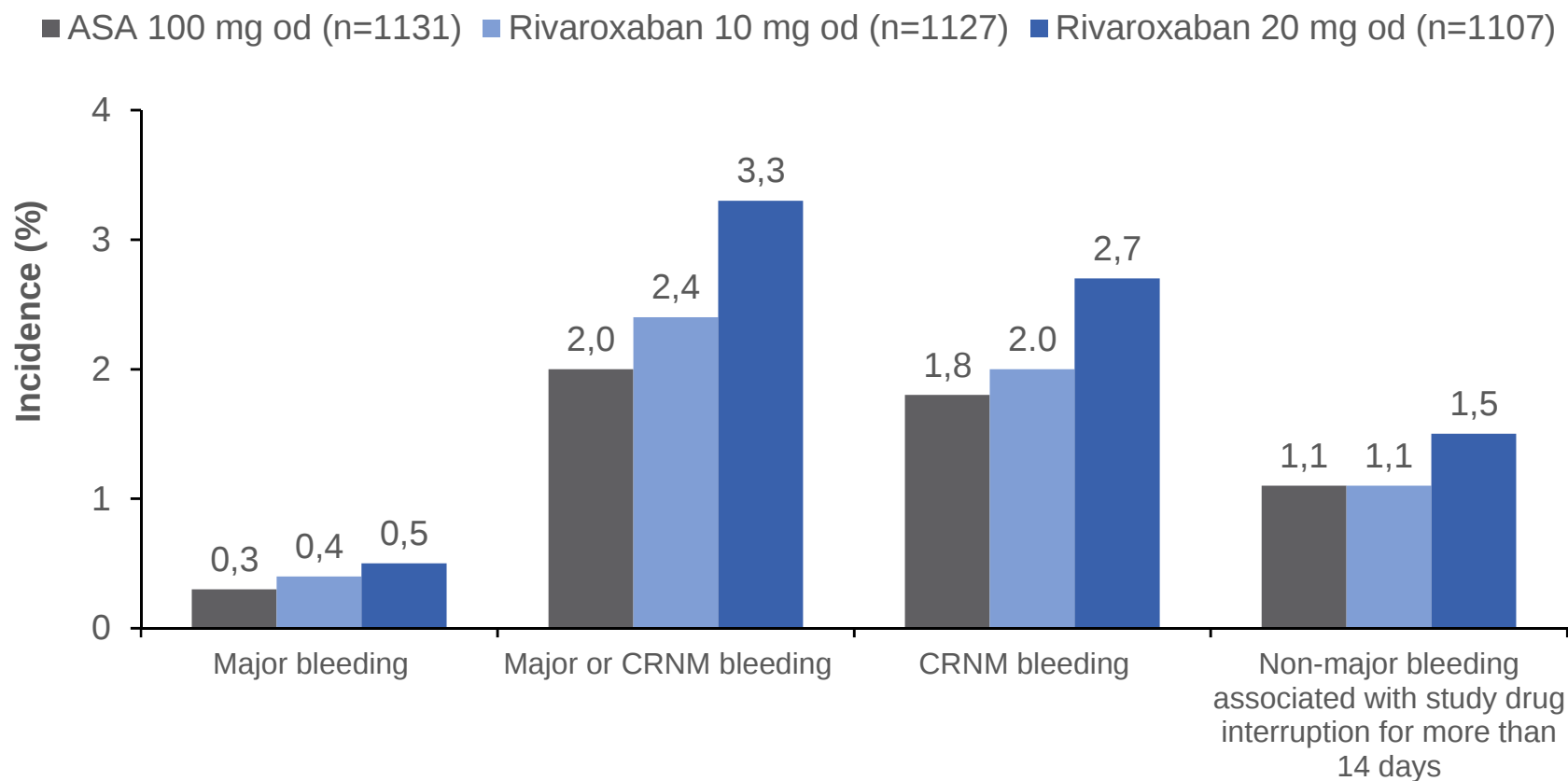


Intention-to-treat analysis. \* $p < 0.001$  versus ASA 100 mg od  
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# Both Rivaroxaban Doses Reduced VTE Recurrence Versus ASA in a Broad Spectrum of Patients

|                                                                    | Rivaroxaban<br>20 mg od<br>(n=1107) | Rivaroxaban<br>10 mg od<br>(n=1127) | ASA<br>100 mg od<br>(n=1131) |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Recurrent VTE, all patients, n/N (%)                               | 17/1107 (1.5)                       | 13/1127 (1.2)                       | 50/1131 (4.4)                |
| <b>Risk profile, n/N (%)</b>                                       |                                     |                                     |                              |
| Unprovoked index event                                             | 8/441 (1.8)                         | 7/480 (1.5)                         | 26/468 (5.6)                 |
| Provoked index event                                               | 9/666 (1.4)                         | 6/647 (0.9)                         | 24/663 (3.6)                 |
| <b>History of previous VTE, n/N (%)</b>                            |                                     |                                     |                              |
| Yes                                                                | 3/198 (1.5)                         | 2/197 (1.0)                         | 17/194 (8.8)                 |
| No                                                                 | 14/909 (1.5)                        | 11/930 (1.2)                        | 33/937 (3.5)                 |
| <b>Duration of anticoagulation prior to randomization, n/N (%)</b> |                                     |                                     |                              |
| <9 months                                                          | 12/774 (1.6)                        | 7/782 (0.9)                         | 35/793 (4.4)                 |
| ≥9 months                                                          | 5/333 (1.5)                         | 6/345 (1.7)                         | 15/338 (4.4)                 |

# Bleeding Outcome Analyses



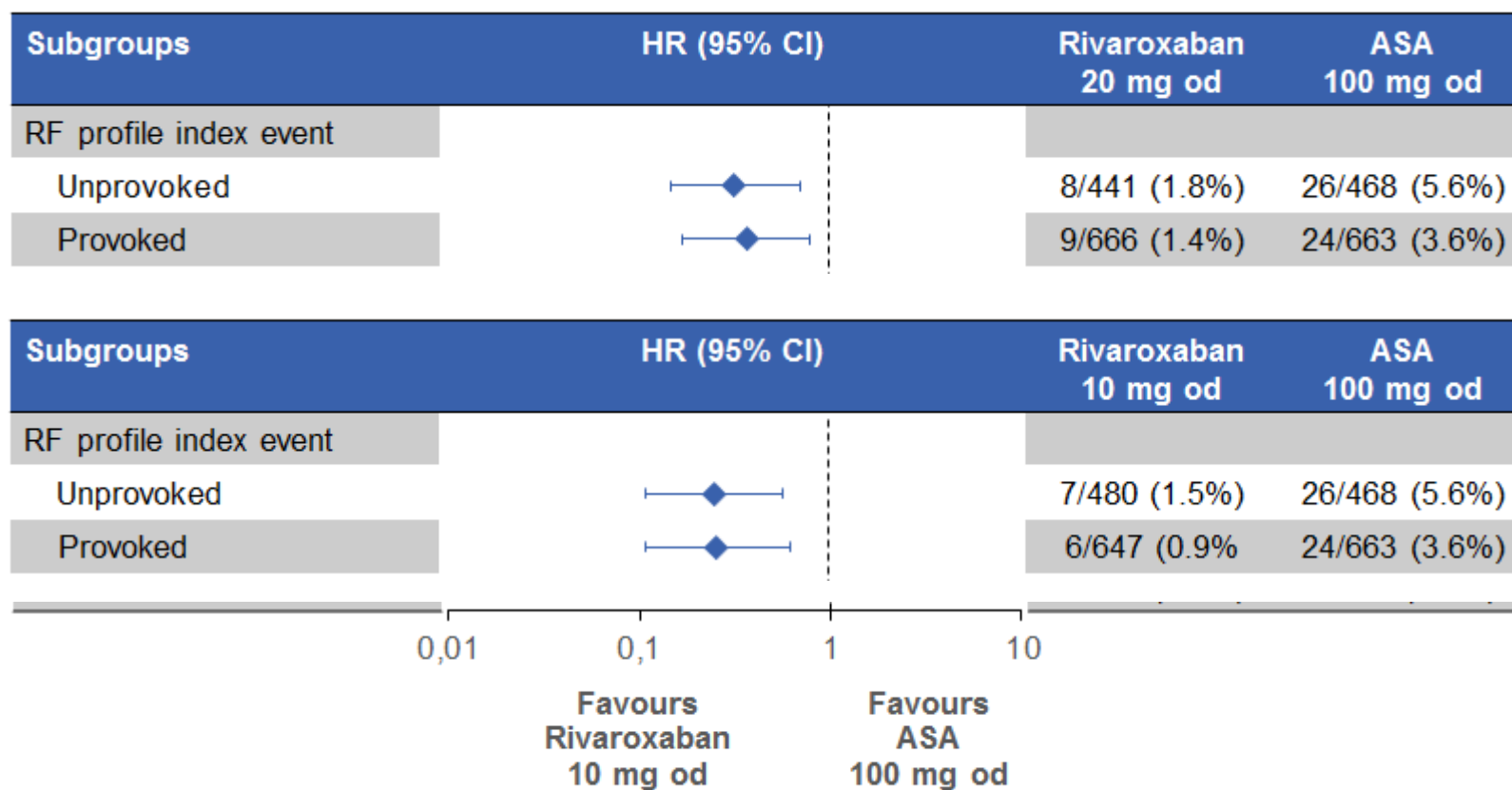
Similar rates of bleeding were observed in the rivaroxaban and ASA treatment groups

# Major Bleeding Rates Were Similar Across Different Patient Subgroups

|                                                                    | Rivaroxaban<br>20 mg od<br>(n=1107) | Rivaroxaban<br>10 mg od<br>(n=1127) | ASA<br>100 mg od<br>(n=1131) |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Major bleeding, all patients, n/N (%)                              | 6/1107 (0.5)                        | 5/1127 (0.4)                        | 3/1131 (0.3)                 |
| <b>Risk profile, n/N (%)</b>                                       |                                     |                                     |                              |
| Unprovoked index event                                             | 4/441 (0.9)                         | 2/480 (0.4)                         | 1/468 (0.2)                  |
| Provoked index event                                               | 2/666 (0.3)                         | 3/647 (0.5)                         | 2/663 (0.3)                  |
| <b>History of previous VTE, n/N (%)</b>                            |                                     |                                     |                              |
| Yes                                                                | 2/198 (1.0)                         | 0/197 (0.0)                         | 1/194 (0.5)                  |
| No                                                                 | 4/909 (0.4)                         | 5/930 (0.5)                         | 2/937 (0.2)                  |
| <b>Duration of anticoagulation prior to randomization, n/N (%)</b> |                                     |                                     |                              |
| <9 months                                                          | 3/774 (0.4)                         | 3/782 (0.4)                         | 3/793 (0.4)                  |
| ≥9 months                                                          | 3/333 (0.9)                         | 2/345 (0.6)                         | 0/338 (0)                    |

# Provoked / Unprovoked subgroup

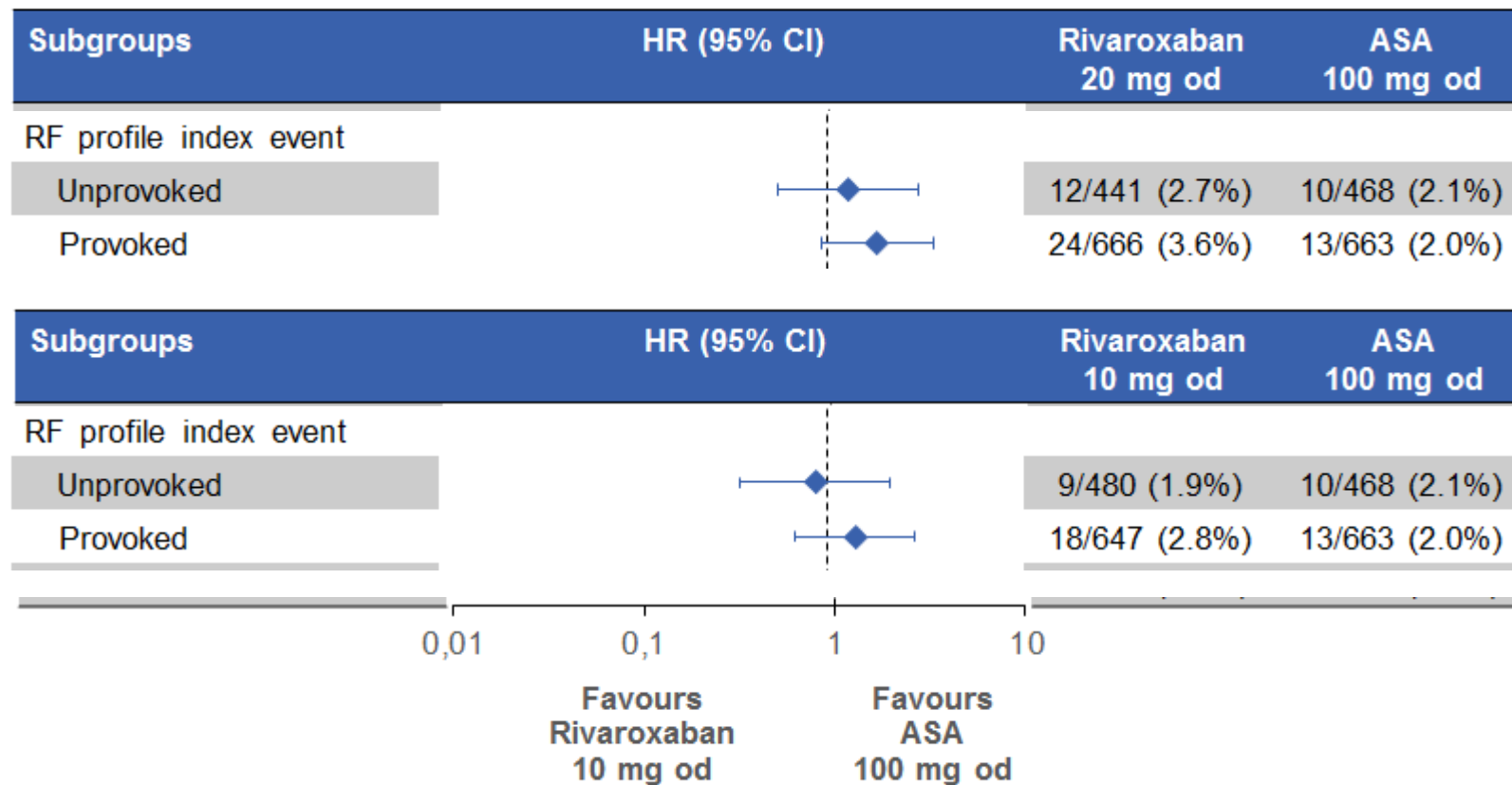
## Primary Efficacy Outcome



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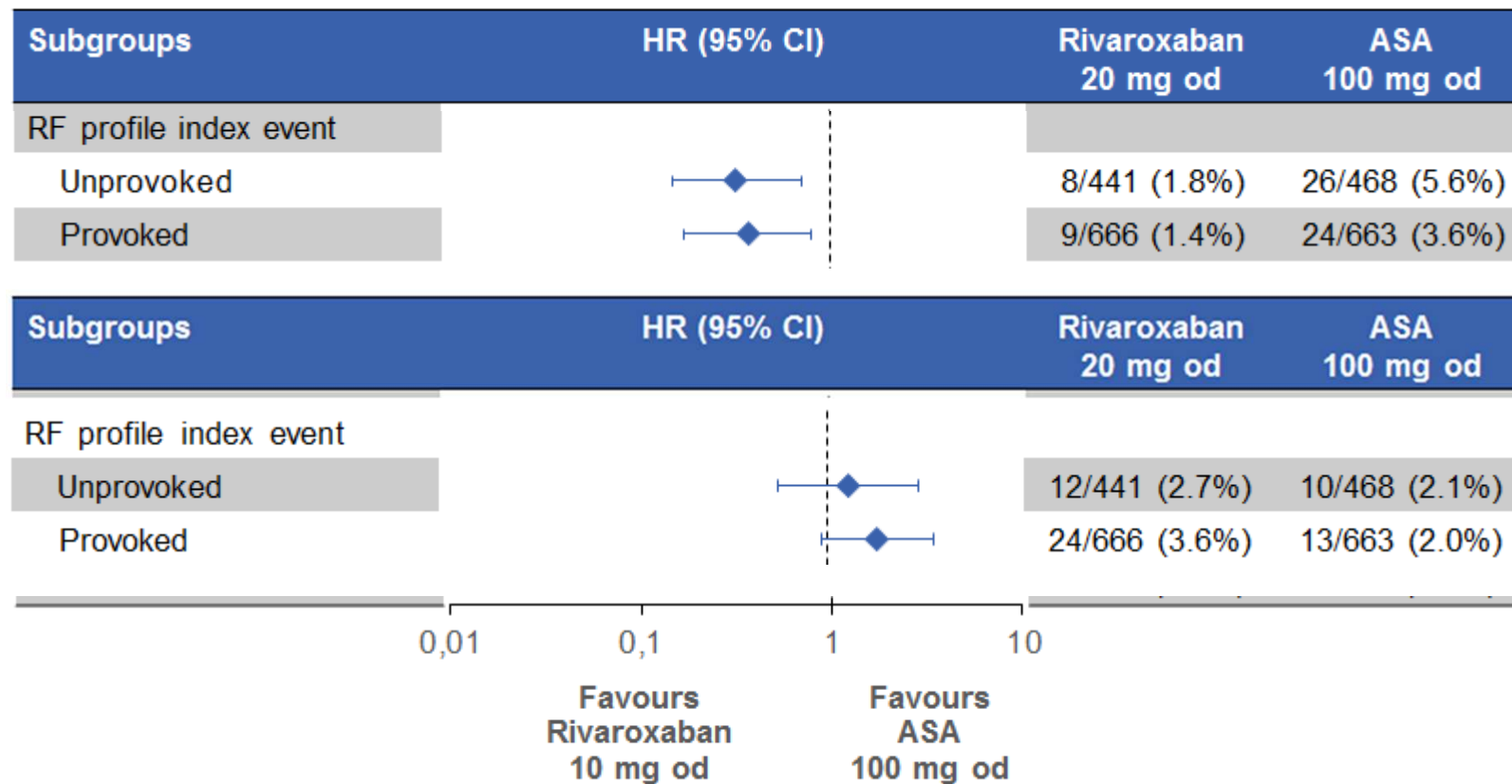
# Provoked / Unprovoked subgroup

## Composite of Treatment-Emergent MB or CRNMB



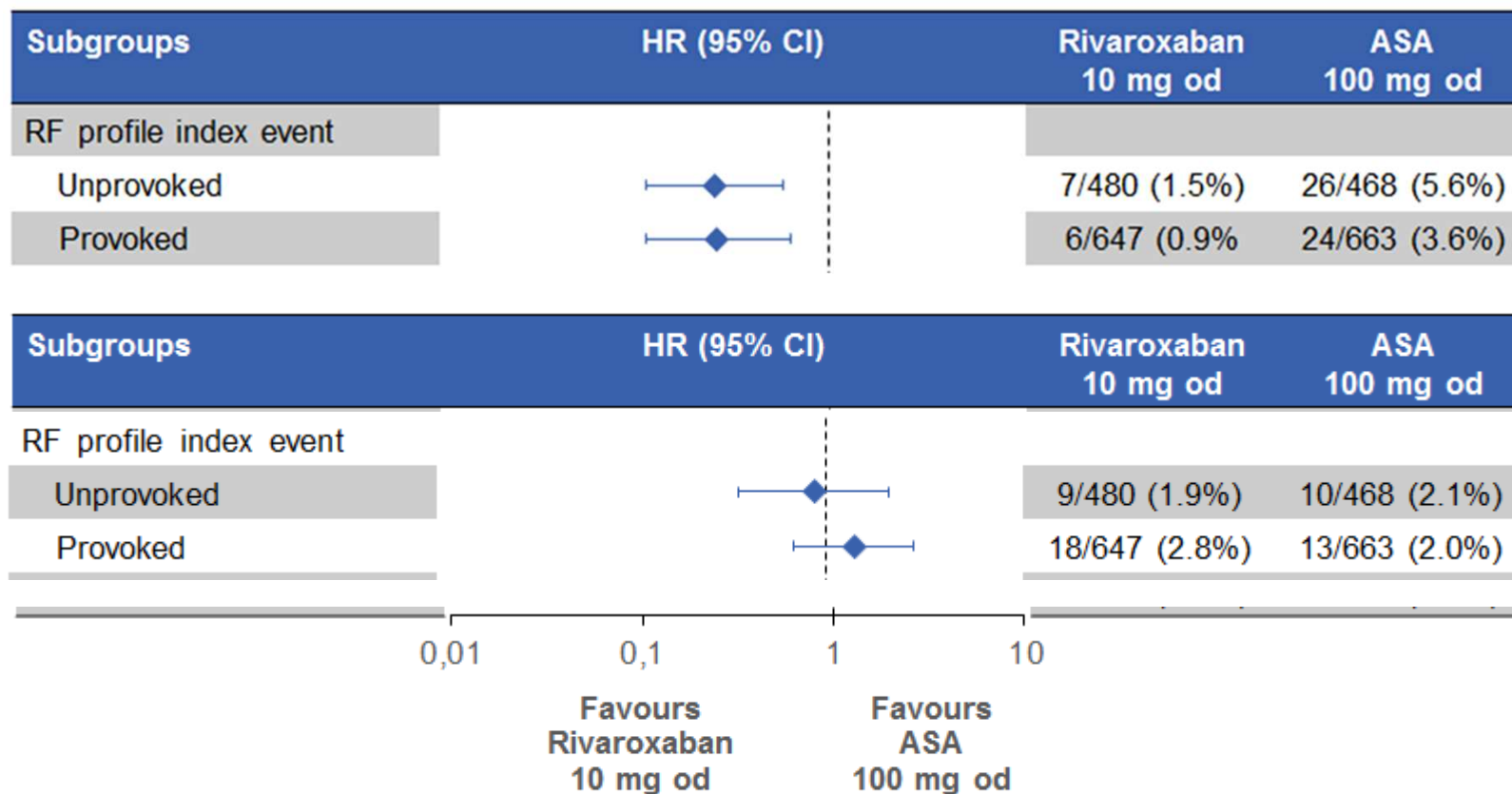
# Rivaroxaban 20mg

## Primary Efficacy Outcome/ MB or CRNMB

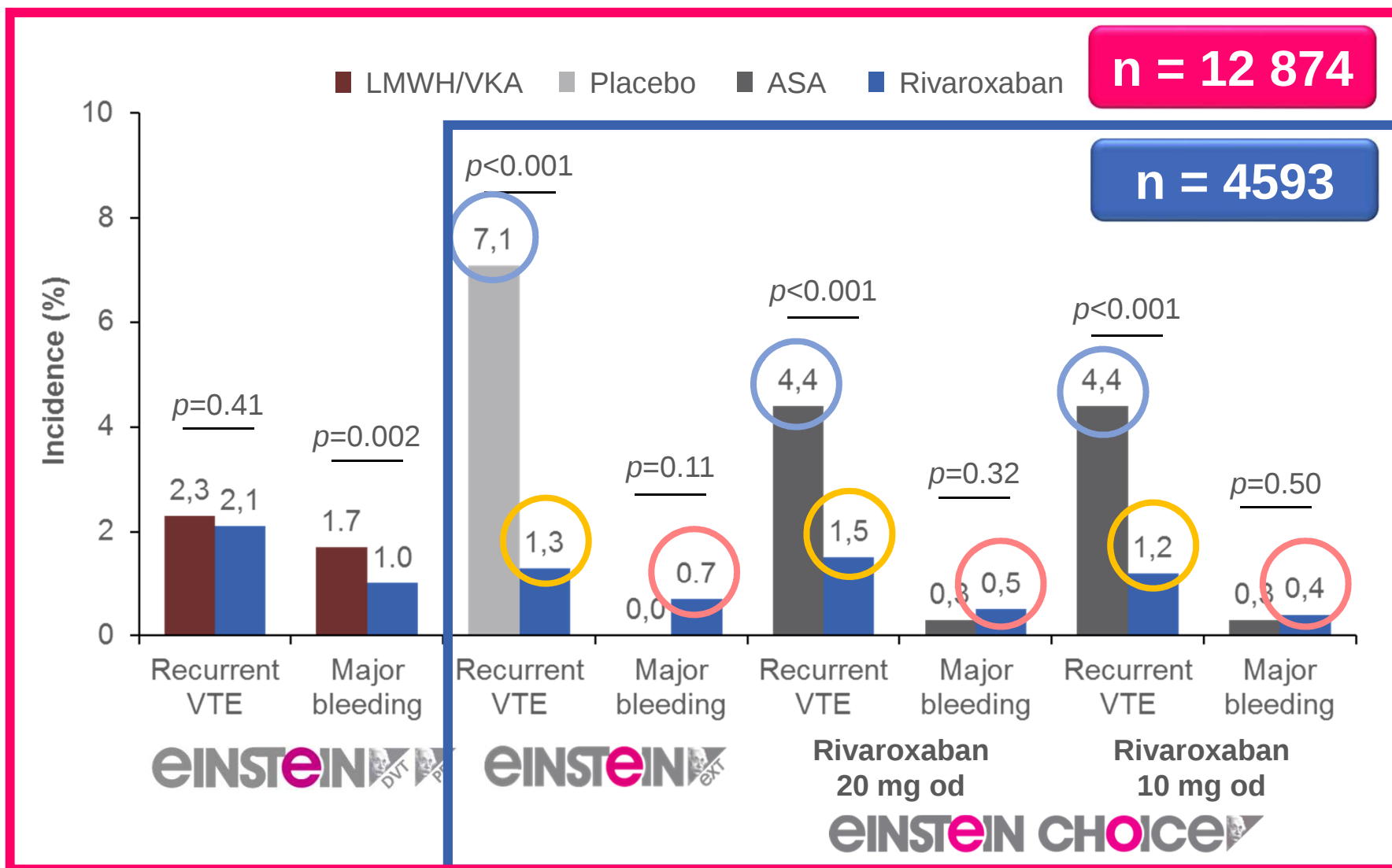


# Rivaroxaban 10mg

## Primary Efficacy Endpoint /MB or CRNMB



# Rivaroxaban Efficacy and Safety in the Initial, Continued and Extended Treatment of VTE (N=12,874)



1. Prins MH et al, *Thromb J* 2013;11:21 ; 2. The EINSTEIN Investigators. *N Engl J Med* 2010;363:2499–2510;
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# AOD en phase d'extension: caractéristiques

| Indication à prolonger un traitement | Incertaine                           | Incertaine                              |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
|                                      | <b>EINSTEIN-EXT</b><br>(rivaroxaban) | <b>EINSTEIN-CHOICE</b><br>(rivaroxaban) |
| n                                    | 1197                                 | 3396                                    |
| Hommes                               | 58%                                  | 55%                                     |
| Age (moy)                            | 58                                   | 58                                      |
| Poids                                | <50 kg 1%                            | IMC<30 64,5%                            |
|                                      | 50-100 kg 82%                        | IMC≥30 35,5%                            |
|                                      | >100 kg 15%                          |                                         |
| TVP                                  | <b>64%</b>                           | 50%                                     |
| EP                                   | 36%                                  | <b>50%</b>                              |
| Non provoqué                         | <b>73%</b>                           | 40%                                     |
| Provoqué                             | 27%                                  | <b>60%</b>                              |
| ≥2 MVTE                              | <b>17%</b>                           | <b>17%</b>                              |
| Thrombophilie                        | <b>8%</b>                            | <b>6.5%</b>                             |
| Cancer actif                         | 4,5%                                 | 2,5%                                    |

# AOD en phase d'extension: résultats

|                 | EINSTEIN-<br>EXT<br>rivaroxaban |     | EINSTEIN-<br>CHOICE<br>rivaroxaban |      |     |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|------------------------------------|------|-----|
| Bras            | R.20                            | Pl. | R.20                               | R.10 | ASA |
|                 |                                 |     |                                    |      |     |
| Récidive TEV    | 1.3                             | 7.1 | 1.5                                | 1.2  | 4.4 |
| Hém. Maj.       | 0.7                             | 0   | 0.5                                | 0.4  | 0.3 |
| Hém. CP.        | 5.4                             | 1.2 | 2.7                                | 2.0  | 1.8 |
| Hém. Maj. + CP. | 6.0                             | 1.2 | 3.3                                | 2.4  | 2.0 |
| Décès           | 0.2                             | 0.3 | 0.7                                | 0.2  | 0.6 |

# AOD en phase d'extension: caractéristiques

| Indication à prolonger un traitement | Certaine                      | Incertaine                       | Incertaine                           | Incertaine                              |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
|                                      | <b>REMEDY</b><br>(dabigatran) | <b>AMPLIFY-EXT</b><br>(apixaban) | <b>EINSTEIN-EXT</b><br>(rivaroxaban) | <b>EINSTEIN-CHOICE</b><br>(rivaroxaban) |
| <b>n</b>                             | 2856                          | 2482                             | 1197                                 | 3396                                    |
| <b>Hommes</b>                        | 60%                           | 58%                              | 58%                                  | 55%                                     |
| <b>Age (moy)</b>                     | 55                            | 56                               | 58                                   | 58                                      |
| <b>Poids</b>                         | Moy. 86 kg                    | <60 kg 7%<br>≥60 kg 93%          | <50 kg 1%                            | IMC<30 64,5%                            |
|                                      |                               |                                  | 50-100 kg 82%                        | IMC≥30 35,5%                            |
|                                      |                               |                                  | >100 kg 15%                          |                                         |
| <b>TVP</b>                           | <b>65%</b>                    | <b>65%</b>                       | <b>64%</b>                           | <b>50%</b>                              |
| <b>EP</b>                            | 35%                           | 35%                              | 36%                                  | <b>50%</b>                              |
| <b>Non provoqué</b>                  | <b>93,5%</b>                  | <b>93%</b>                       | <b>73%</b>                           | 40%                                     |
| <b>Provoqué</b>                      | 6,5%                          | 7%                               | 27%                                  | <b>60%</b>                              |
| <b>≥2 MVTE</b>                       | <b>36%</b>                    | <b>12%</b>                       | <b>17%</b>                           | <b>17%</b>                              |
| <b>Thrombophilie</b>                 | <b>18%</b>                    | <b>4%</b>                        | <b>8%</b>                            | <b>6.5%</b>                             |
| <b>Cancer actif</b>                  | 4,2%                          | 1,8%                             | 4,5%                                 | 2,5%                                    |

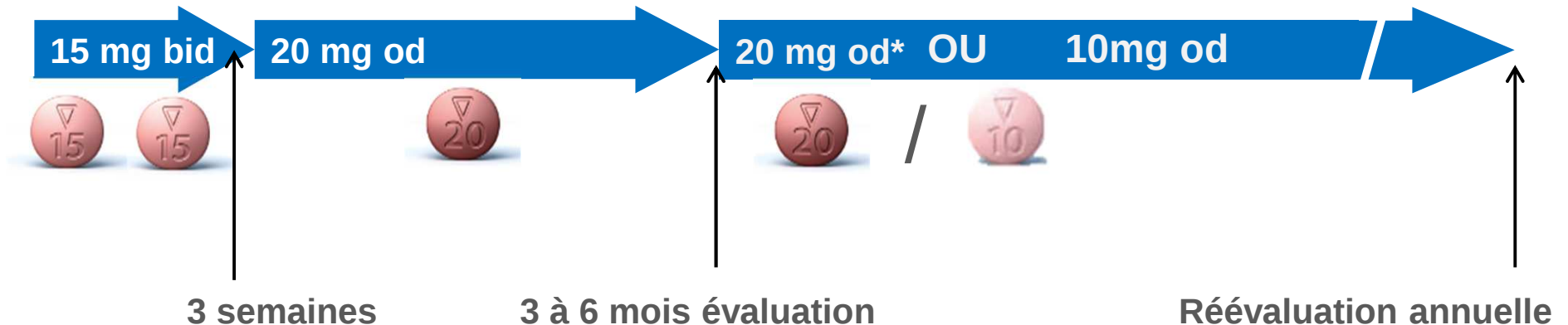
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# AOD en phase d'extension: résultats

|                 | REMEDY<br>dabigatran |      | AMPLIFY-EXT<br>apixaban |       |     | EINSTEIN-EXT<br>rivaroxaban |     | EINSTEIN-CHOICE<br>rivaroxaban |      |     |     |
|-----------------|----------------------|------|-------------------------|-------|-----|-----------------------------|-----|--------------------------------|------|-----|-----|
| Bras            | Dab.                 | War. | A.5                     | A.2.5 | Pl. | R.20                        | Pl. | R.20                           | R.10 | ASA |     |
| Récidive TEV    | 1.8                  | 1.3  | 1.7                     | 1.7   | 8.8 | 1.3                         | 7.1 | 1.5                            | 1.2  | 4.4 | Sup |
| Hém. Maj.       | 0.9                  | 1.8  | 0.1                     | 0.2   | 0.5 | 0.7                         | 0   | 0.5                            | 0.4  | 0.3 |     |
| Hém. CP.        |                      |      | 4.2                     | 3.0   | 2.3 | 5.4                         | 1.2 | 2.7                            | 2.0  | 1.8 |     |
| Hém. Maj. + CP. | 5.6                  | 10.2 | 4.3                     | 3.2   | 2.7 | 6.0                         | 1.2 | 3.3                            | 2.4  | 2.0 | NS  |
| Décès           | 1.2                  | 1.3  | 0.5                     | 0.8   | 1.7 | 0.2                         | 0.3 | 0.7                            | 0.2  | 0.6 |     |

# RCP Rivaroxaban (mise à jour 19 Octobre 2017)

## VTE treatment



RCP (mise à jour 19 Octobre 2017):

« Lorsqu'une prévention prolongée des récurrences de TVP et d'EP est indiquée (à l'issue d'un traitement d'au moins 6 mois pour les TVP et les EP), la dose recommandée est **de 10 mg en une prise quotidienne**.

Chez les patients pour lesquels le risque de récurrence de TVP ou d'EP est jugé élevé, par exemple en présence de **comorbidités complexes** ou lorsqu'une **récurrence de TVP ou d'EP** s'est produite au cours d'une prévention prolongée avec Xarelto 10 mg en une prise quotidienne, **la dose de 20 mg de Xarelto en une prise quotidienne doit être envisagée** ».

\*15 mg if bleeding risk higher than thrombotic risk .

15 and 20 mg tablets must be taken with food

## Prévention MTEV au long cours

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Risque de récurrence?

Quel antithrombotique ?

Quels patients ?

- événements provoqués
- événements non provoqués

## Prévention MTEV au long cours

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Risque de récurrence?

Quel antithrombotique ?

Quels patients ?

- événements provoqués : Données
- événements non provoqués

# EINSTEIN Pooled et Einstein CHOICE Provoked VTE Can Be Categorized into Four Groups

Répartition en % des patients avec évènements provoqués dans choice

EINSTEIN EXT

EINSTEIN CHOICE

| Persistent                       |                                  |       |                               |                         |                     |                               | Transient |                                  |       |                               |                         |                     |       |     |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------|-----|
| Major                            | Rivaroxaban 20 mg od (n=1107)    |       | Rivaroxaban 10 mg od (n=1127) |                         | ASA 100 mg (n=1131) |                               | 3%        | Rivaroxaban 20 mg od (n=1107)    |       | Rivaroxaban 10 mg od (n=1127) |                         | ASA 100 mg (n=1131) |       | 5%  |
|                                  | n/N                              | (%)   | n/N                           | (%)                     | n/N                 | (%)                           |           | n/N                              | (%)   | n/N                           | (%)                     | n/N                 | (%)   |     |
|                                  | 0/35                             | (0)   | 0/28                          | (0)                     | 2/39                | (5.1)                         |           | 0/51                             | (0)   | 0/56                          | (0)                     | 0/37                | (0)   |     |
|                                  | Rivaroxaban 10/20 mg od (N=2832) |       |                               | Placebo or ASA (N=1721) |                     |                               |           | Rivaroxaban 10/20 mg od (N=2832) |       |                               | Placebo or ASA (N=1721) |                     |       |     |
|                                  | 0/82 (0.0)                       |       |                               | 3/65 (4.6)              |                     |                               |           | 0/125 (0.0)                      |       |                               | 0/54 (0.0)              |                     |       |     |
| Minor                            | Rivaroxaban 20 mg od (n=1107)    |       | Rivaroxaban 10 mg od (n=1127) |                         | ASA 100 mg (n=1131) |                               | 42%       | Rivaroxaban 20 mg od (n=1107)    |       | Rivaroxaban 10 mg od (n=1127) |                         | ASA 100 mg (n=1131) |       | 10% |
|                                  | n/N                              | (%)   | n/N                           | (%)                     | n/N                 | (%)                           |           | n/N                              | (%)   | n/N                           | (%)                     | n/N                 | (%)   |     |
|                                  | 8/476                            | (1.7) | 6/462                         | (1.3)                   | 18/466              | (3.9)                         |           | 1/104                            | (1.0) | 0/101                         | (0)                     | 4/121               | (3.3) |     |
|                                  | Rivaroxaban 10/20 mg od (N=2832) |       |                               | Placebo or ASA (N=1721) |                     |                               |           | Rivaroxaban 10/20 mg od (N=2832) |       |                               | Placebo or ASA (N=1721) |                     |       |     |
|                                  | 18/1184 (1.5)                    |       |                               | 35/714 (4.9)            |                     |                               |           | 1/268 (0.4)                      |       |                               | 8/177 (4.5)             |                     |       |     |
| Unprovoked VTE                   |                                  |       |                               |                         |                     |                               |           |                                  |       |                               |                         |                     |       |     |
| Rivaroxaban 10/20 mg od (N=2832) |                                  |       | Placebo or ASA (N=1721)       |                         |                     | Rivaroxaban 20 mg od (n=1107) |           | Rivaroxaban 10 mg od (n=1127)    |       | ASA 100 mg (n=1131)           |                         |                     |       |     |
| 19/1173 (1.6)                    |                                  |       | 46/711 (6.5)                  |                         |                     | n/N                           | (%)       | n/N                              | (%)   | n/N                           | (%)                     |                     |       |     |
|                                  |                                  |       |                               |                         |                     | 8/441                         | (1.8)     | 7/480                            | (1.5) | 26/468                        | (5.6)                   |                     |       |     |

Data presented at ISTH 2017. Abstract OC39.1

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# 1<sup>st</sup> provoked VTE: duration of anticoagulant treatment

|       | • Persistent                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                               | • Transient                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                               |
|-------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Major | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Active cancer</b> (excluding basal-cell or squamous-cell skin carcinoma)</li> <li>• <b>APL syndrome, AT deficiency</b></li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                        |                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Caesarean section</li> <li>• Major surgery</li> <li>• Major trauma</li> <li>• Hospitalization <math>\geq 3d</math></li> <li>• <b>Use of oestrogen therapy</b></li> </ul>                                                                   |                               |
| Minor | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BMI over 30 kg/m<sup>2</sup></li> <li>• Congestive heart failure</li> <li>• Creatinine clearance &lt;50 mL/min</li> <li>• Family history of VTE</li> <li>• <b>Other major</b> Hereditary thrombophilia</li> <li>• Inflammatory bowel disorders</li> <li>• Paralysis/paresis of a lower extremity</li> </ul> |                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Immobilization <math>\geq 3d</math></li> <li>• Hospitalization &lt; 3d</li> <li>• Minor surgery</li> <li>• Leg injury with impaired mobility <math>\geq 3d</math></li> <li>• Pregnancy/puerperium</li> <li>• Travel &gt;8 hours</li> </ul> |                               |
|       | All Rivaroxaban<br>(10 & 20 mg)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | All comparator<br>ASA+placebo | All Rivaroxaban<br>(10 & 20 mg)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | All comparator<br>ASA+placebo |
|       | 18/1184(1.5%)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 35/714(4.9%)                  | 1/268 (0.4%)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 8/177 (4.5%)                  |
|       | Traitement Plus long<br>1/2 dose<br>AOD?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                               |

## Prévention MTEV au long cours

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Quel antithrombotique ?

Quels patients ?

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- événements non provoqués

# 1st unprovoked VTE: duration of anticoagulant treatment

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- ◆ i.e. VTE that was not provoked by a major transient risk factor in the absence of persistent major risk factor

- ◆ Women with HERDOO2 score  $\leq 1$ :

6 months

- ◆ All men and women with HERDOO2  $> 1$

- DOAC full dose
- DOAC  $\frac{1}{2}$  dose
- VKA (INR 2-3)

6 months  
Or extended  
If extended:  
DOAC full dose  
DOAC  $\frac{1}{2}$  dose  
VKA (INR 2-3)

## Reverse-II results

# “Men Continue and HERDOO2”

| HERDOO2 <sup>1</sup>                                                                                                                                                                      |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| <b>HOMME</b><br><b>ou</b><br><b>FEMME + ≥ 2 items:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Âge ≥ 65</li><li>- DD ≥ 250 avec anticoagulants</li><li>- PTS</li><li>- BMI ≥ 30</li></ul> |         |
| FEMME HERDOO2 ≤ 1                                                                                                                                                                         | 3%      |
| FEMME HERDOO2 ≥ 2 ou HOMME                                                                                                                                                                | 7% à 8% |

| <b>HERDOO Points in</b>  |                                                                                                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>+1</b>                                                                                                   | <b>H</b> yperpigmentation<br><b>E</b> dema or<br><b>R</b> edness ( <b>HER</b> )<br>in either leg |
| <b>+1</b>                                                                                                   | <b>D</b> -Dimer (Vidas)<br>>250ug/L                                                              |
| <b>+1</b>                                                                                                   | <b>O</b> besity, BMI ≥ 30                                                                        |
| <b>+1</b>                                                                                                   | <b>O</b> lder age ≥ 65                                                                           |
| <b>= ____ HERDOO points</b>                                                                                 |                                                                                                  |

Rodger, CMAJ, 2008

Rodger M, et al. BMJ 2017

## Prévention MTEV au long cours

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Risque de récurrence?

Quel antithrombotique ?

Quels patients ?

Recommandations /HAS



# 2016 ACCP Guidelines and 2014 ESC Guidelines for Antithrombotic Therapy in VTE



- **Rivaroxaban** (20 mg once daily), **dabigatran** (150 mg twice daily, or 110 mg twice daily for patients >80 years of age or those under concomitant verapamil treatment) or **apixaban** (2.5 mg twice daily) **should be considered as an alternative to VKA** (except for patients with severe renal impairment) if extended anticoagulation treatment is necessary<sup>2</sup>
- In patients who refuse to take or are unable to tolerate any form of oral anticoagulants, **aspirin may be considered** for extended secondary VTE prophylaxis<sup>2</sup>



- In patients with DVT of the leg or PE and no cancer, as long-term anticoagulant therapy (first 3 months), we suggest **dabigatran, rivaroxaban, apixaban or edoxaban over VKA** therapy (all Grade 2B)<sup>1</sup>
- In patients with DVT of the leg or PE who receive extended therapy, we suggest that **there is no need to change the choice of anticoagulant after the first 3 months** (Grade 2C)<sup>1</sup>
- In patients with an unprovoked proximal DVT or PE who are stopping anticoagulant therapy and do not have a contraindication to aspirin, **we suggest aspirin over no aspirin** to prevent recurrent VTE (Grade 2B)<sup>1</sup>

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Préviscan et Pradaxa ont un SMR dégradé MTEV

|             | SMR                                     | ASMR | Place dans stratégie thérapeutique | Taux de remboursement |
|-------------|-----------------------------------------|------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Préviscan   | Modéré dernière intention parmi les AVK | V    | 1ere intention                     | 30%                   |
| Coumadine   | Important                               | V    | 1ere intention                     | 65%                   |
| Sintron     | Important                               | V    | 1ere intention                     | 65%                   |
| Rivaroxaban | Important                               | V    | 1ere intention                     | 65%                   |
| Apixaban    | Important                               | V    | 1ere intention                     | 65%                   |

# Avis de CT 24 janvier 2018

## Xarelto<sup>®</sup> MTEV : traitement prolongé

| Page  | Passage de l'avis CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Commentaires                                                                            |
|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| p 3/5 | XARELTO est un traitement de <b>1ère intention dans cette indication.</b>                                                                                                                                                                   | Principal changement : passage d'une 2ème intention à une 1ère intention de traitement  |
| p 3/5 | En conséquence, la Commission considère que le service médical rendu par XARELTO 15 et 20 mg reste important dans le traitement des TVP et EP <b><u>et la prévention de leurs récurrences, y compris en cas de traitement prolongé.</u></b> | L'utilisation de Xarelto au long cours est une nouvelle fois reconnue par les autorités |



## Xarelto® MTEV : Patients cancéreux

### ► Cas des patients ayant un cancer

Pour le traitement initial et jusqu'à 10 jours de traitement, tous les médicaments antithrombotiques injectables ayant l'AMM peuvent être utilisés, notamment HBPM à dose curative, HNF, fondaparinux. Au-delà des 10 premiers jours, des recommandations françaises et internationales préconisent de poursuivre le traitement par HBPM à dose curative pendant une durée optimale de 6 mois, ou à défaut 3 mois minimum. Seules la daltéparine et la tinzaparine ont l'AMM dans le traitement prolongé de la MTEV symptomatique et la prévention de ses récurrences, chez les patients atteints d'un cancer en évolution et/ou en cours de chimiothérapie.

La Commission n'est pas favorable à l'utilisation des différents AOD chez ces patients, car peu représentés dans les études.

### Rivaroxaban (XARELTO)

Depuis le dernier avis de réévaluation de 2014, les principales modifications de RCP apportées ont concerné les rubriques :

- Précaution d'emploi et mise en gardes et effets indésirables: ajout du risque de syndrome de Stevens-Johnson et de nécrolyse épidermique toxique.
- Propriétés pharmacodynamiques : ajout des résultats des études XALIA (indication TVP et EP) et XANTUS (indication FANV).

Il est à noter qu'après examen des données cliniques chez les patients cancéreux dans les indications traitement de la TVP et de l'EP, le CHMP n'a pas souhaité l'ajout d'une précaution d'emploi de XARELTO dans cette population, à la différence des autres AOD. Cette décision a été prise considérant l'effectif des patients ayant un cancer évolutif au regard de l'effectif total des études et la diversité des patients (différentes formes et sévérités des cancers). Selon le CHMP, la décision du traitement par rivaroxaban chez le patient cancéreux est laissée à la discrétion du médecin traitant (décision CHMP du 26 mars 2015).

RCP Xarelto: Contre-indication : Lésion ou maladie, si considérée comme étant à risque significatif de saignement majeur, dont la présence de tumeurs malignes à haut risque de saignements

Avis de transparence HAS (24/01/2018) – cf p,98 (Cas des patients ayant un cancer) et p.58 (Rivaroxaban / patients cancéreux)

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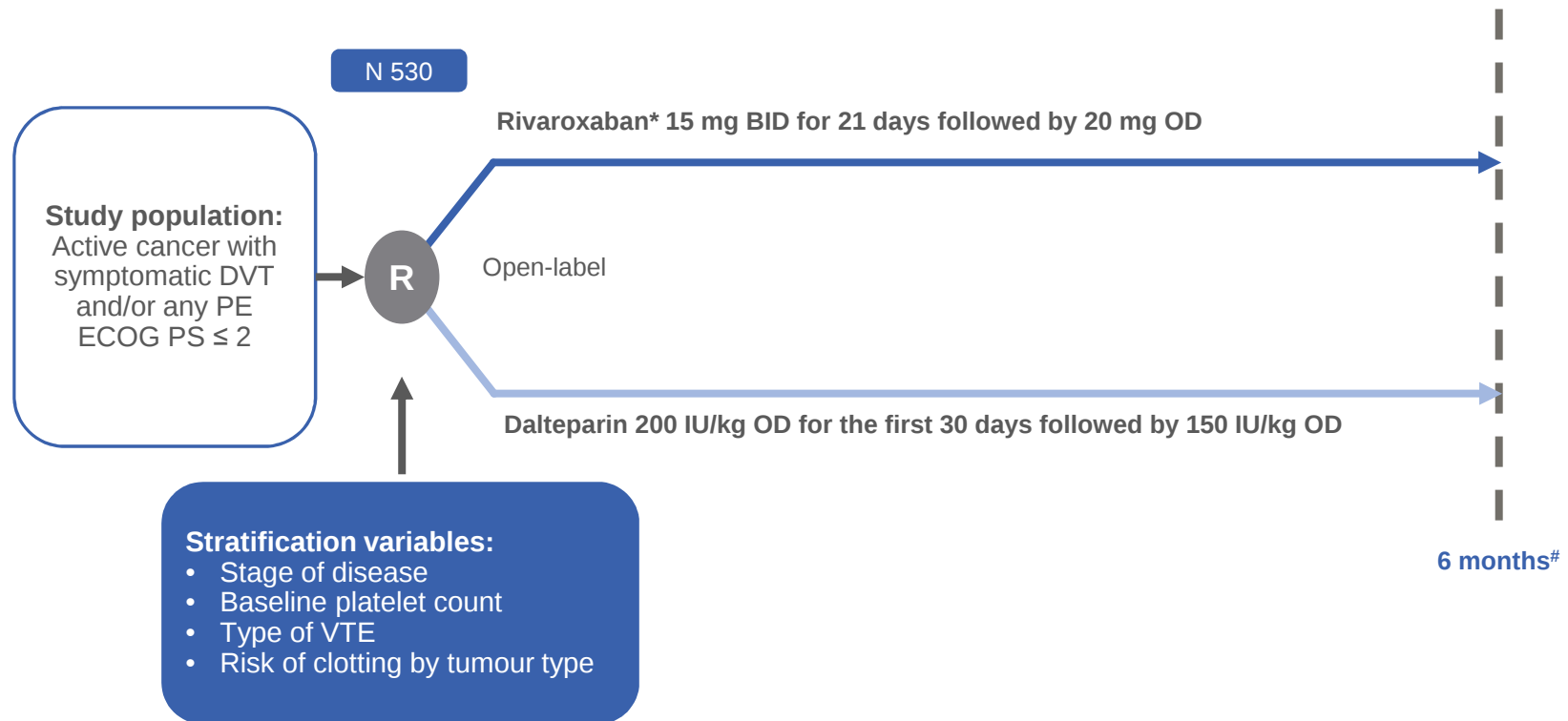
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# Back up slides

Premieres données Cancer  
AOD/HBPM

# select-D: Phase III Pilot Study Comparing Rivaroxaban versus Dalteparin for the Treatment of Cancer Associated Thrombosis

**Study design:** Prospective, randomized, open-label, multicentre pilot phase III study



\*For patients with CrCl 30–49 ml/min dosing recommendations as in rivaroxaban SmPC; #The second randomization phase for extended treatment of VTE from 6 to 12 months for patients with PE as an index event or patients with Residual DVT at 5 month assessment was closed due to low recruitment. Sample size reduced from 530 to 400 patients for main trial comparison (95% CI for VTE recurrence +/-4.5%)

Young A *et al*, *Thromb Res* 2016;140:S172–S173; EudraCT number: 2012-005589-37; Bach M *et al*, *Thromb Haemost* 2016;116:S24–S32; Data on File

## select-d: Outcomes, Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria

### Primary outcome

- ◆ To assess VTE recurrence rates\* (including symptomatic VTE and incidental PE)

### Key secondary outcomes

- ◆ Major bleeding and clinically relevant non-major bleeding<sup>#</sup>
- ◆ Feasibility to evaluate extended anticoagulation treatment beyond 6 months in selected patients
- ◆ Acceptability and compliance
- ◆ Treatment satisfaction (ACTS)
- ◆ QoL (EuroQol [EQ-5D-5L] and SF36<sup>®</sup> health survey questionnaire)

### Key inclusion criteria

- ◆ Active cancer
- ◆ Objectively confirmed VTE (symptomatic lower extremity proximal DVT or symptomatic/incidental PE)
- ◆ ECOG performance status score  $\leq 2$
- ◆ Adequate haematological function<sup>‡</sup>
- ◆ Adequate renal and hepatic function<sup>§</sup>

### Key exclusion criteria

- ◆ >72 hours' pretreatment with anticoagulant prior to randomization<sup>¶</sup>
- ◆ Previous history of VTE
- ◆ Requirement for antiplatelet therapy<sup>\*\*</sup>
- ◆ Bacterial endocarditis
- ◆ SBP >180 mmHg or DBP >110 mmHg<sup>###</sup>
- ◆ Bodyweight <40 kg at time of VTE
- ◆ Contraindications according to EU label

\*Investigator-reported recurrent VTE; <sup>#</sup>all bleeding outcomes were independently adjudicated; <sup>‡</sup>recommended levels: haemoglobin >100 g/l, white cell count >2×10<sup>9</sup>/l, platelets >100×10<sup>9</sup>/l; <sup>§</sup>liver enzymes <3 × ULN; CrCl ≥30 ml/min; <sup>¶</sup>this can be extended to 96 hours if required; <sup>\*\*</sup>other than ASA ≤75 mg daily; <sup>###</sup>control of blood pressure using anti-hypertensive drugs is permitted

## select-d: Patients Baseline Characteristics

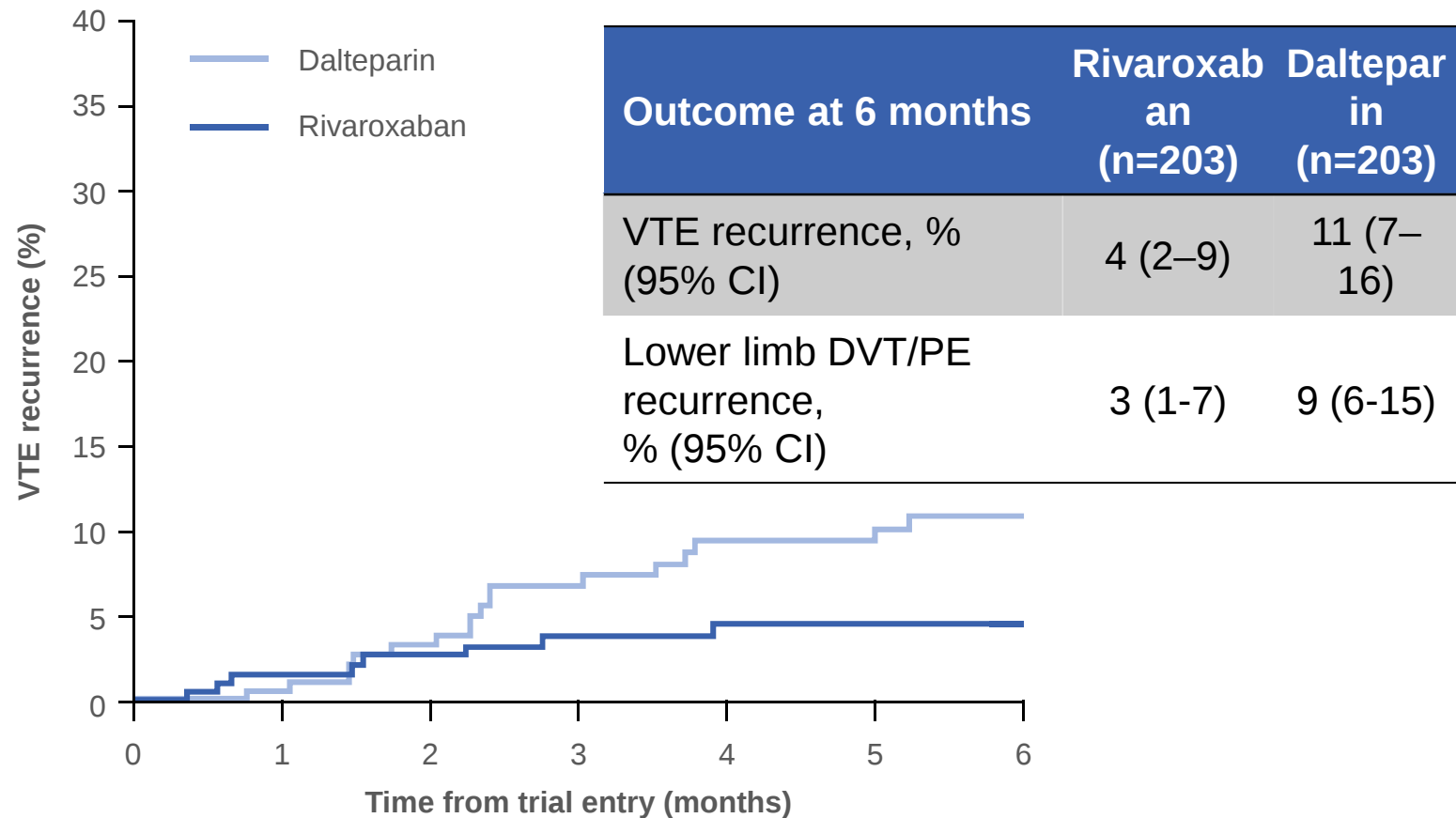
### Baseline characteristics

|                            | Rivaroxaban<br>(n=203) | Dalteparin<br>(n=203) |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Age, years, median (range) | 67 (22–87)             | 67 (34–87)            |
| Gender male, %             | 54                     | 48                    |
| Metastatic cancer, %       | 59                     | 59                    |
| ECOG performance status, % |                        |                       |
| 0 or 1                     | 72                     | 76                    |
| 2                          | 26                     | 21                    |
| Qualifying VTE, %          |                        |                       |
| Symptomatic                | 46                     | 48                    |
| VTE                        | 54                     | 52                    |
| Incidental PE              |                        |                       |

### Primary tumour type

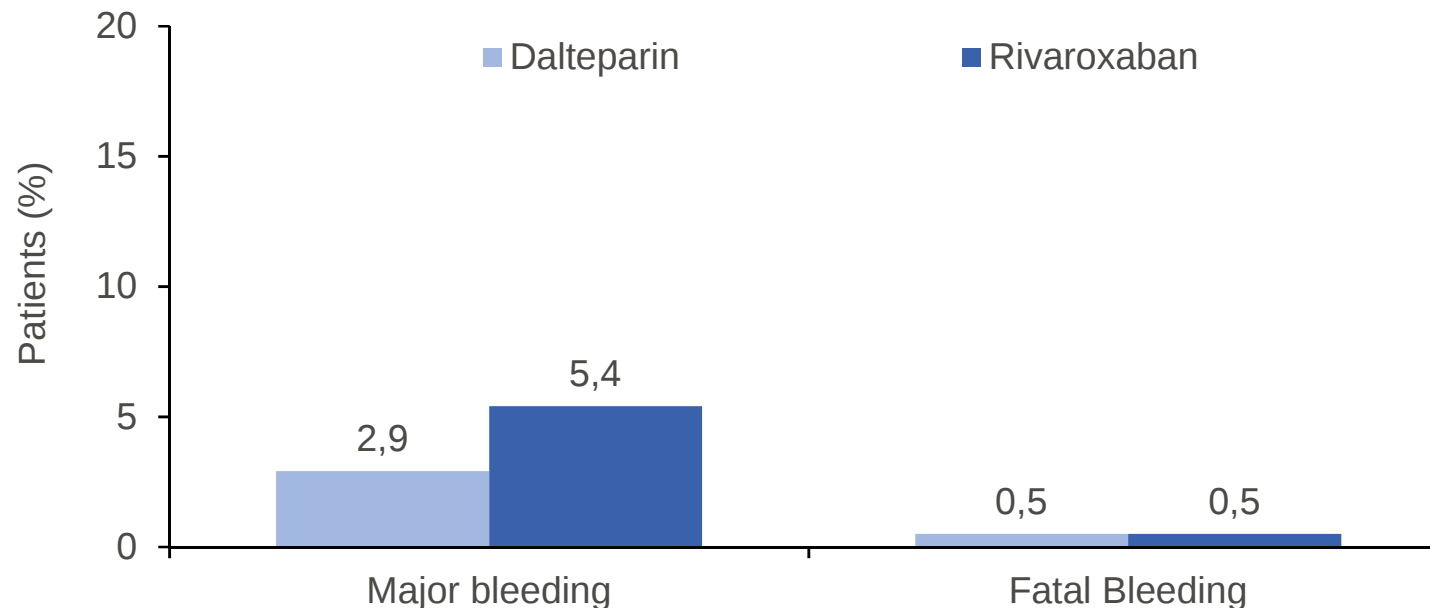
| Tumour type, %                         | Rivaroxaban<br>(n=203) | Dalteparin<br>(n=203) |
|----------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Colorectal                             | 27                     | 23                    |
| Lung                                   | 11                     | 12                    |
| Breast                                 | 9                      | 10                    |
| Ovarian                                | 5                      | 9                     |
| Pancreatic                             | 9                      | 5                     |
| Lymphoma                               | 5                      | 6                     |
| Oesophageal/<br>gastro-<br>oesophageal | 5                      | 9                     |
| Prostate                               | 6                      | 3                     |
| Bladder                                | 5                      | 2                     |
| Other                                  | 18                     | 21                    |

# Select-d Primary Outcome: Lower Incidence of VTE Recurrence Events with Rivaroxaban Versus Dalteparin



| Number at risk |     |     |     |     |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Dalteparin     | 203 | 171 | 139 | 115 |
| Rivaroxaban    | 203 | 174 | 149 | 134 |

## Select-d Secondary Outcome: Low Incidence of Major Bleedings in Both Arms with Similar Rate of Fatal Bleeding

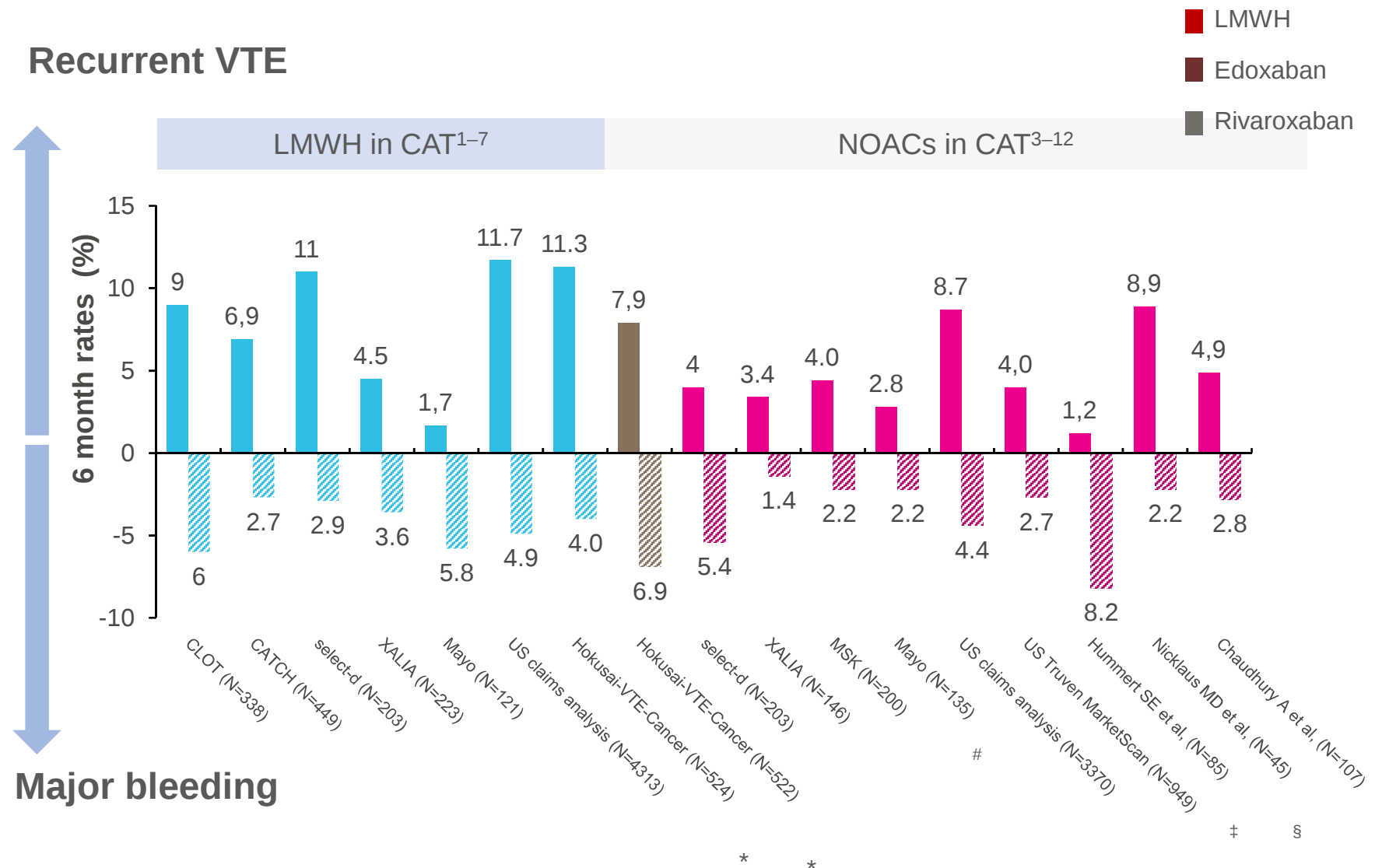


Most Major Bleedings events were Gastrointestinal Bleedings\*. No Central Nervous System Bleeding was observed in rivaroxaban and dalteparin groups.

\*All bleedings events were adjudicated. Clinical Major Bleedings in rivaroxaban group was 12.3% vs. 2.9% in the dalteparin group. Overall survival at 6 months was 70%(63-76%) in the rivaroxaban group and 75%(69-81%) in the dalteparin group.

# Effectiveness and Safety of Anticoagulants in Patients with Active Cancer and VTE

## Recurrent VTE



\*12 month VTE recurrence rates; Results reported during: #7.2 months, \*5.6 months and §7.1 months follow-up period