

Quelle monothérapie antiplaquettaire chez le coronarien?



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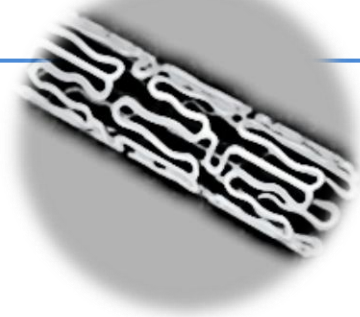


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Oral antiplatelets



It is **DOUBLE, ALWAYS** and,
it is **MANDATORY !**
... but for how long?

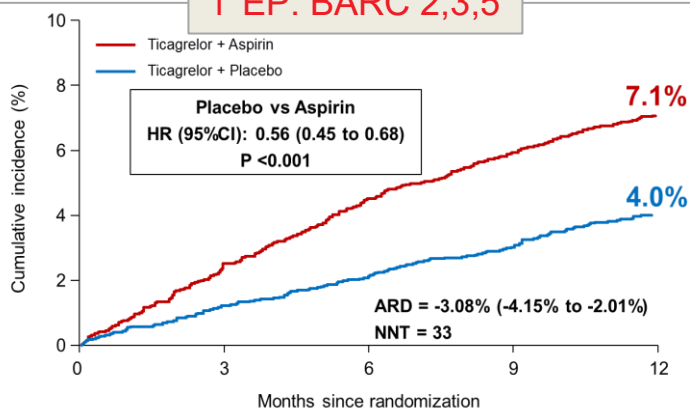


Short DAPT in HBR

TWILIGHT

(3^m post-PCI)

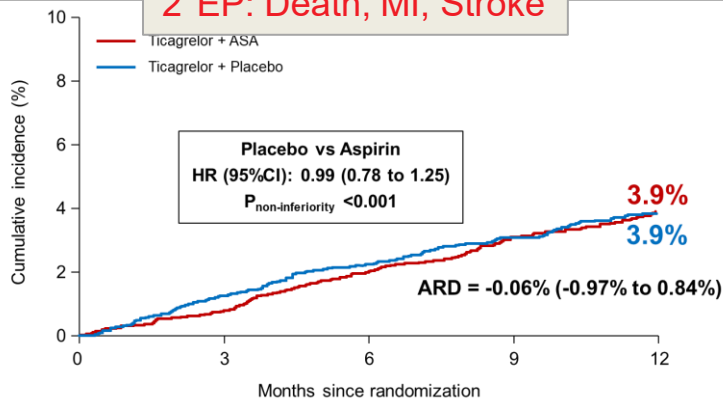
1°EP: BARC 2,3,5



N=7119
HBR/HBI
DB

Mehran R. NEJM 2019

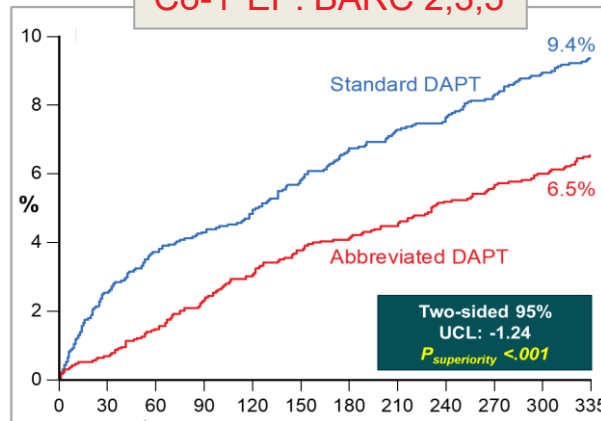
2°EP: Death, MI, Stroke



MASTER-DAPT

(1^m post-PCI)

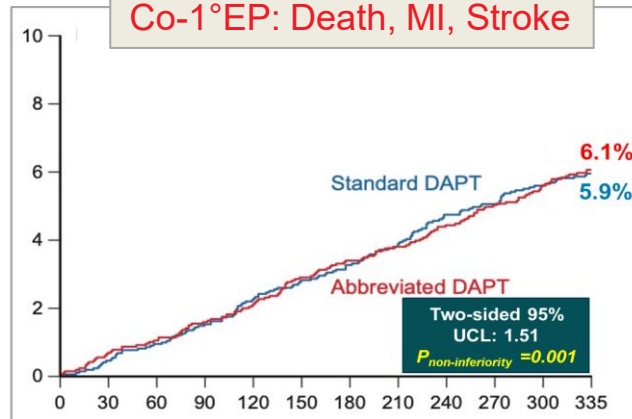
Co-1°EP: BARC 2,3,5



N=4579
HBR
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Valgimigli M. NEJM 2021

Co-1°EP: Death, MI, Stroke



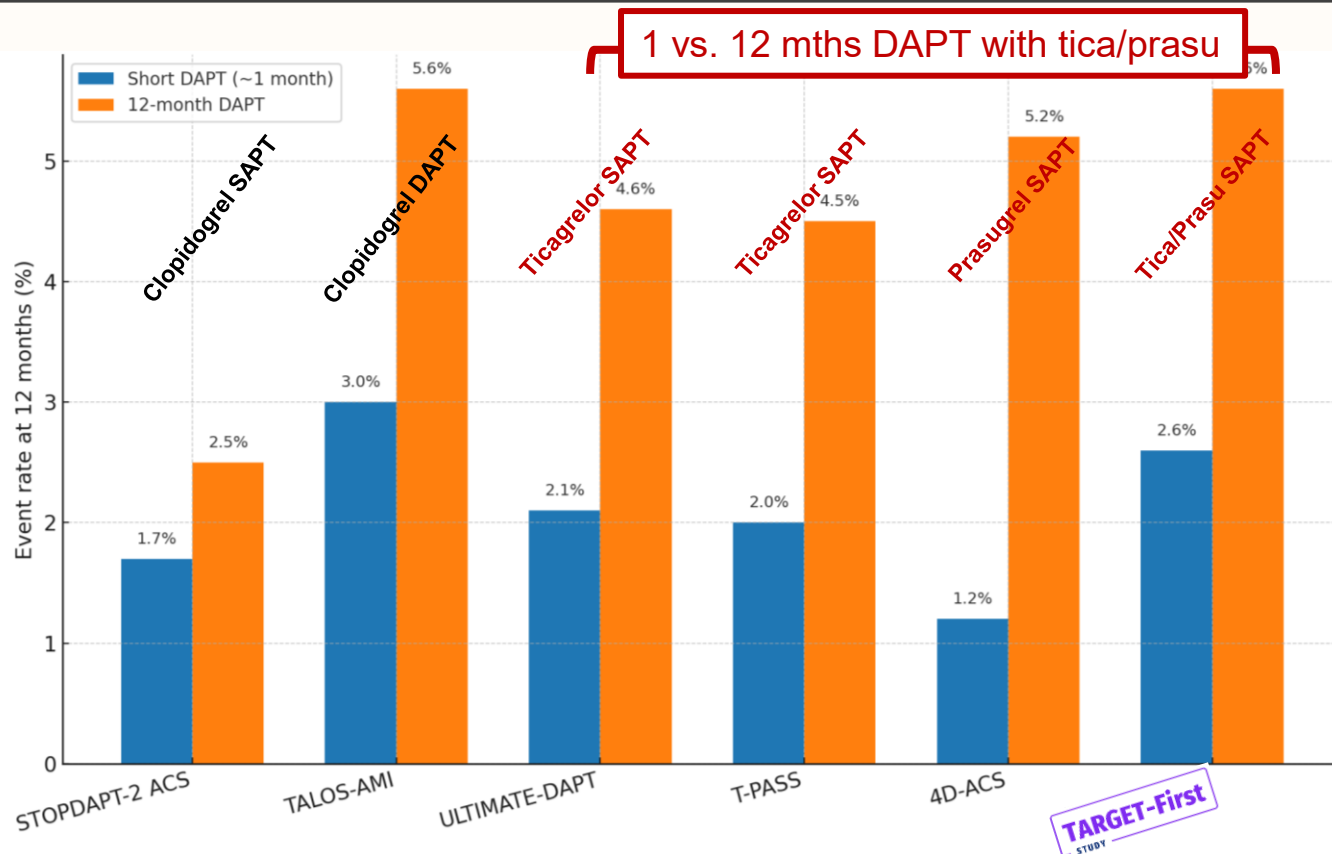


Short DAPT in ACS

DAPT to SAPT after PCI+ACS



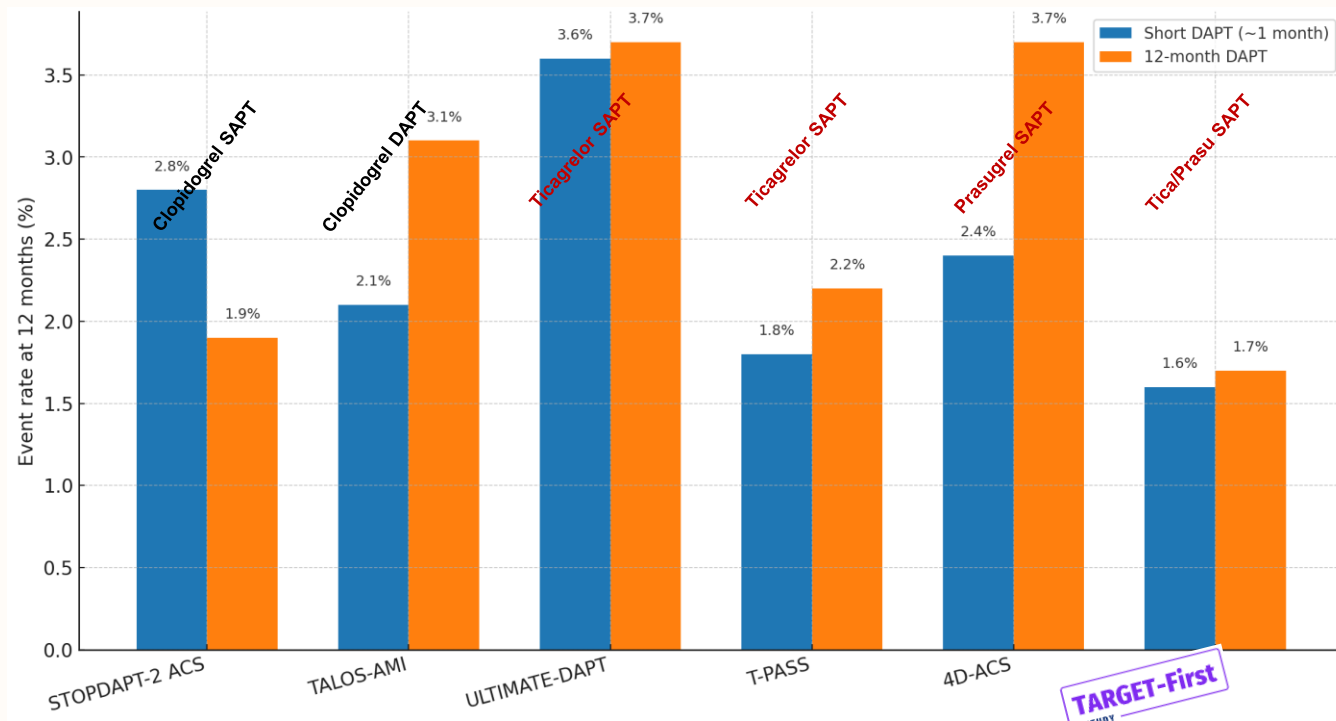
BARC 2,3,5 at 12 months after PCI for ACS/MI and de-escalation at 1 month



TALOS-AMI, ULTIMATE and TARGET-first randomized 1 month after PCI

MACE at 12 months after PCI for ACS/MI and de-escalation at 1 month

1 vs. 12 mths DAPT with tica/prasu

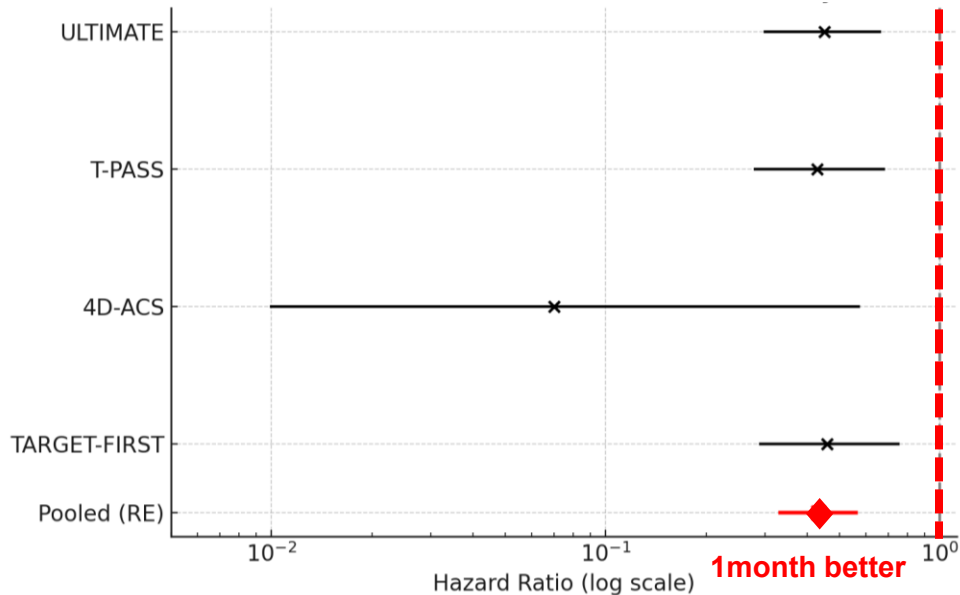


TALOS-AMI, ULTIMATE and TARGET-first randomized 1 month after PCI

Meta-analysis of the 4 studies in PCI of ACS/MI

N=8848

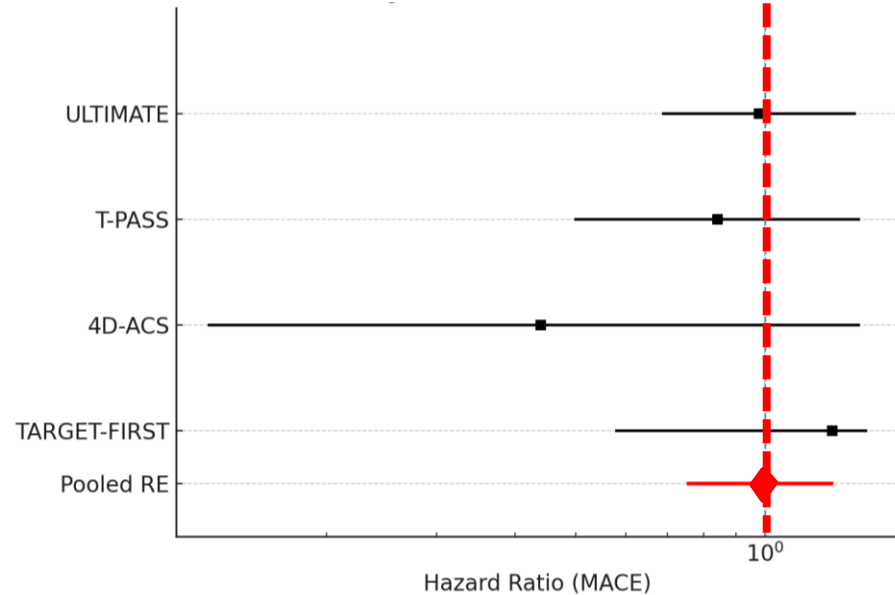
BARC 2-5



Pooled (Random-effects): HR 0.43 (95% CI 0.33–0.56)

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 6.9\%$

MACE



Pooled (Random-effects): HR=0.98 (95% CI 0.76–1.28)

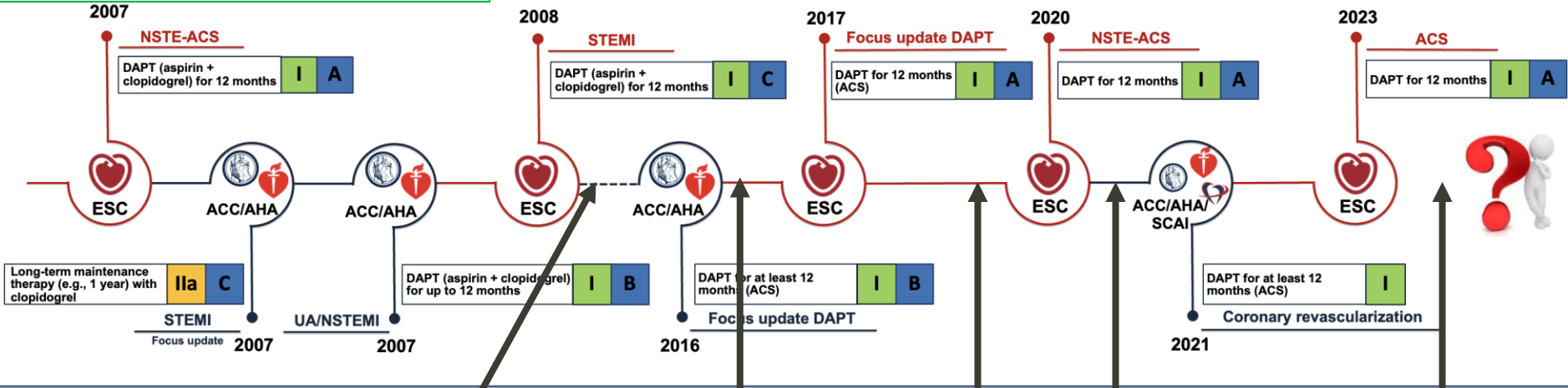
Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 11\%$

Metaanalysis of PCI trials in MI/ACS for 1-month versus 12-month DAPT. Gilles Montalescot – ESC 2025, Madrid.

Events from 1 to 12 months (except for T-PASS from PCI to 12 months)

Guidelines vs. Evidence

Non-evolving guidelines



Evolving evidence

2012: ACS
EXCELLENT
RESET
3-6 mth DAPT
(Rx DAPT)

2015: HBR
LEADERS-FREE
ZEUS
SENIOR
1-mth DAPT
(Rx stents)

2019: HBR/HIR/ACS
STOP-DAPT
SMART-CHOICE
TWILIGHT
TICO
1-3 mth DAPT
(Rx DAPT)

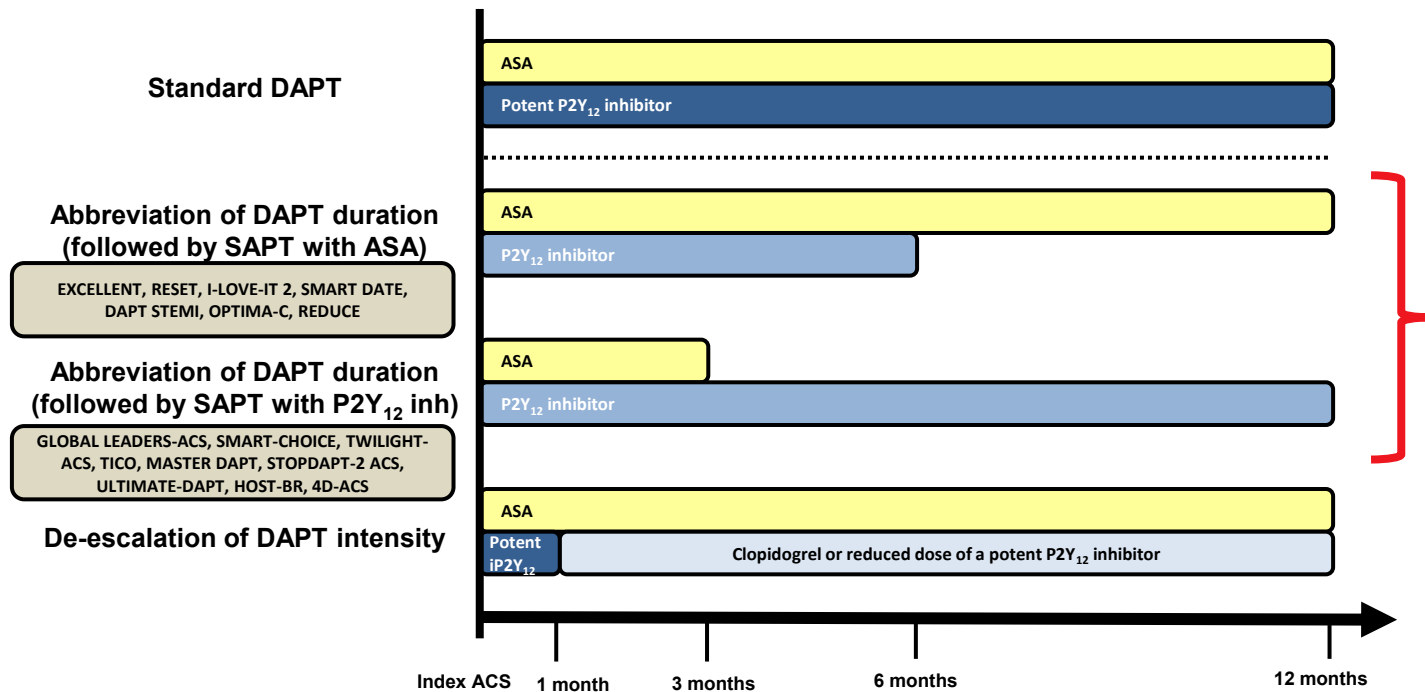
2021: HBR
MASTER-DAPT
1 mth DAPT
(Rx DAPT)

2024: ACS/MI
T-PASS
ULTIMATE
4D-ACS
TARGET-FIRST
1 mth DAPT
(Rx DAPT)



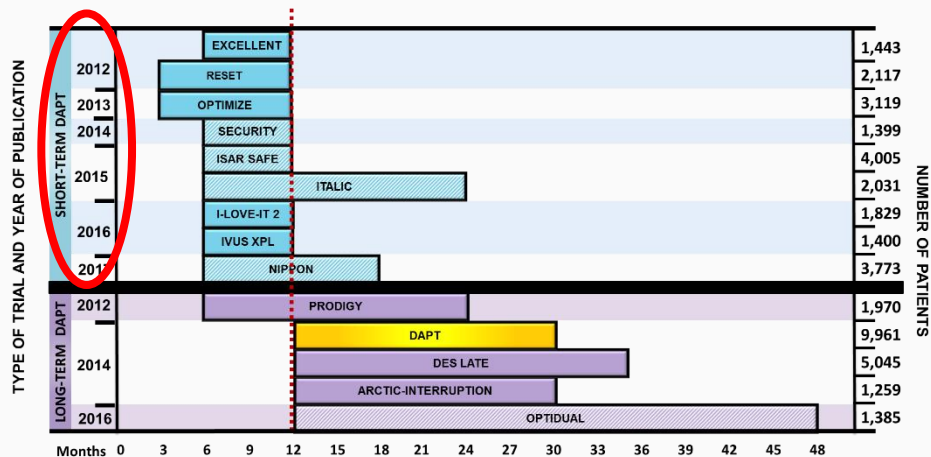
What SAPT (after DAPT)?

DAPT abbreviation



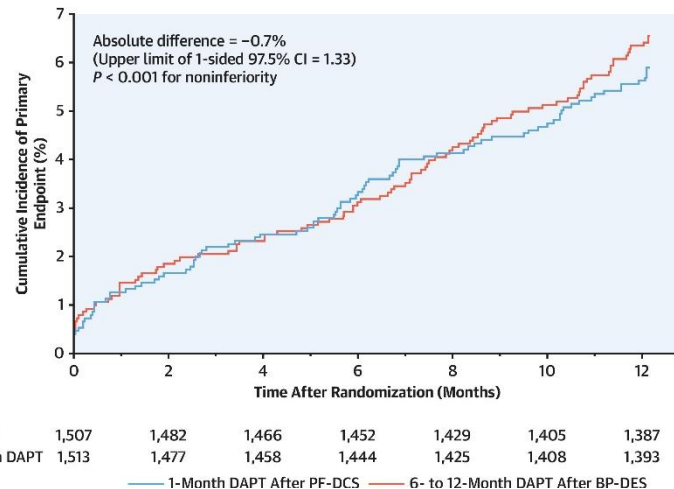
DAPT abbreviation followed by ASA monotherapy

“OLD” TRIALS ASSESSING DAPT DURATION AFTER PCI



Lugo LM and Ferreiro JL. J Cardiol. 2018;72:94-104

NCB

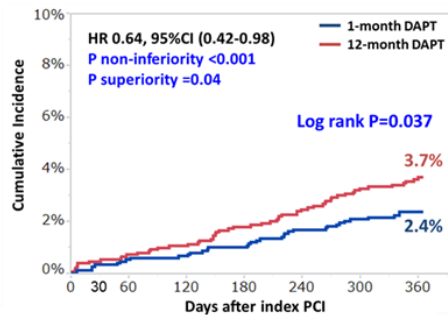


Major bleeding was not different
(1.7% vs 2.5%; $P = 0.136$)
Stent thrombosis was not different
(0.7% vs 0.8%; $P = 0.842$).

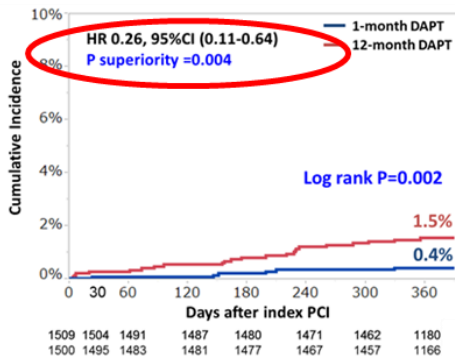
Hong, S.-J. et al. J Am Coll Cardiol Interv. 2021;14(16):1801-1811.

DAPT abbreviation followed by clopidogrel monotherapy

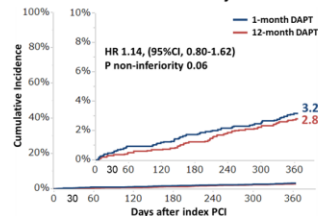
Primary endpoint: Net clinical benefit
CV death, MI, ST, stroke, TIMI major or minor bleeding



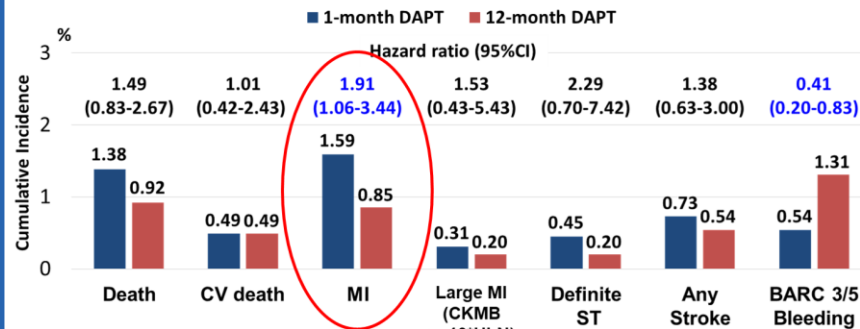
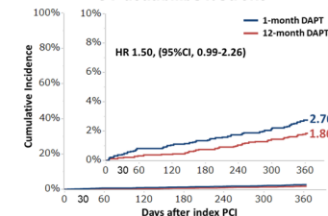
TIMI major or minor bleeding



Primary Endpoint
CV death/MI/ST/Stroke/TIMI major/minor bleeding



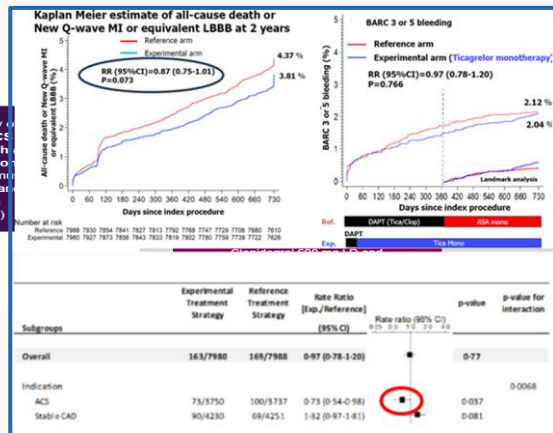
Major Secondary CV Endpoint
CV death/MI/ST/Stroke



DAPT abbreviation followed by ticagrelor monotherapy

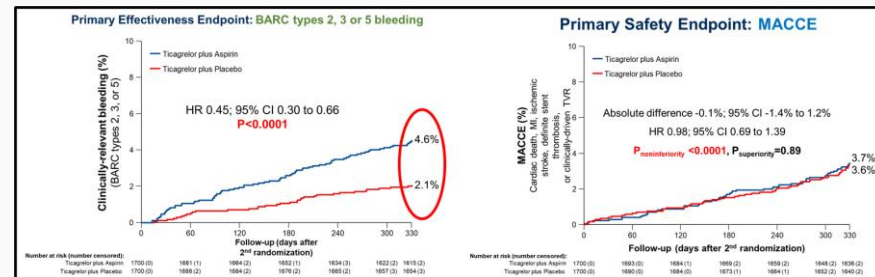
GLOBAL LEADERS

Open-label study comparing ticagrelor with aspirin in patients with ACS and stable CAD with clinical indication for PCI with biolimus-eluting stent or bivalirudin (N=16,000)

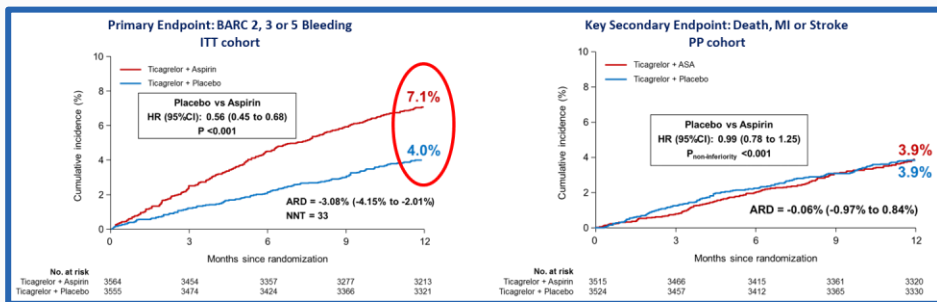


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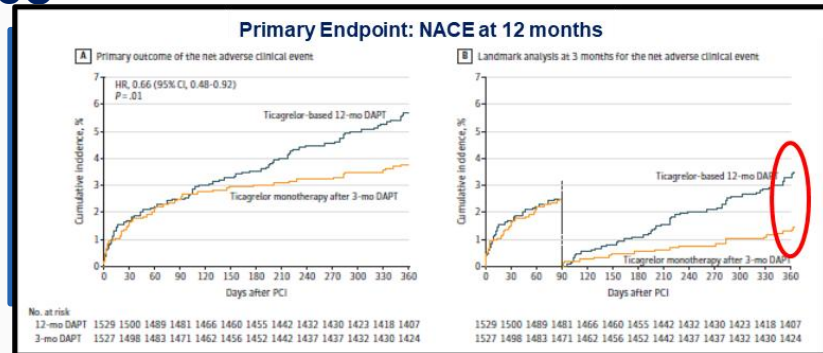
ULTIMATE-DAPT



TWILIGHT

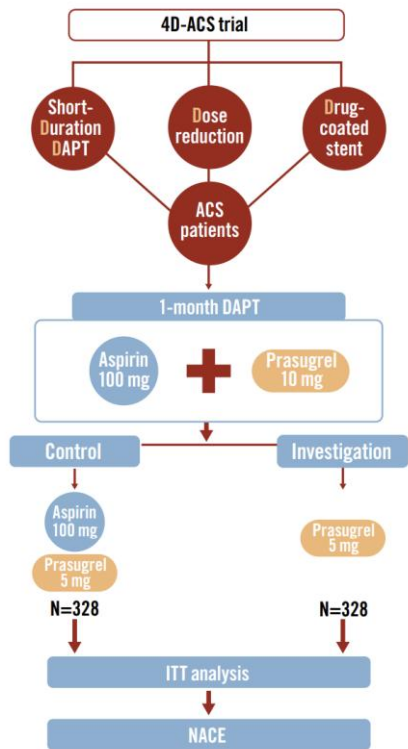


TICO



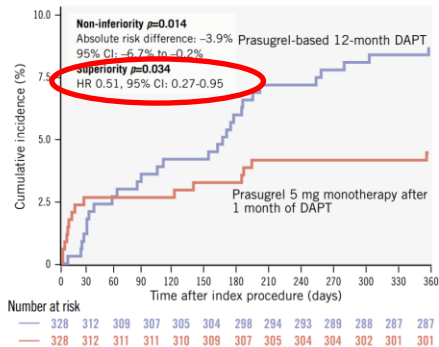
DAPT abbreviation followed by prasugrel monotherapy

A Design and population

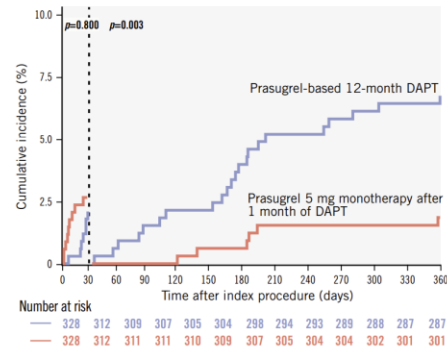


“Dual de-escalation” strategy?

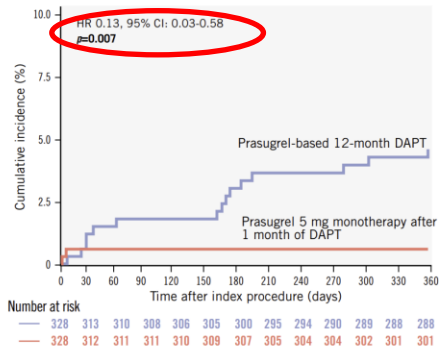
A NACE (primary endpoint)



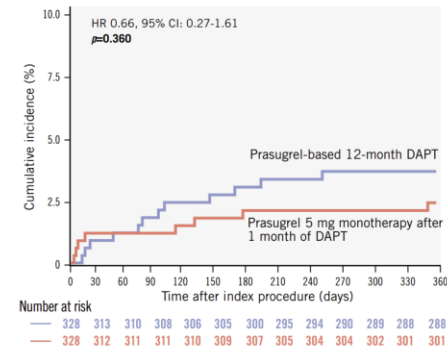
B Landmark analysis (>30 days) of NACE



C Major bleeding



D MACE (CV death, MI, stroke, and TVR)





SAPT if prior ACS or PCI

Antiplatelet therapy long after PCI

Long-term antithrombotic therapy in patients with chronic coronary syndrome and no clear indication for oral anticoagulation

In CCS patients with a prior MI or remote PCI, aspirin 75–100 mg daily is recommended lifelong after an initial period of DAPT.^{558,559}

I

A

In CCS patients with a prior MI or remote PCI, clopidogrel 75 mg daily is recommended as a safe and effective alternative to aspirin monotherapy.^{562,564–566,649}

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Head-to-head comparisons

CV death, myocardial infarction, and stroke

Major bleeding

FIGURE 1 Primary Endpoint With P2Y₁₂ Inhibitor Monotherapy or Aspirin

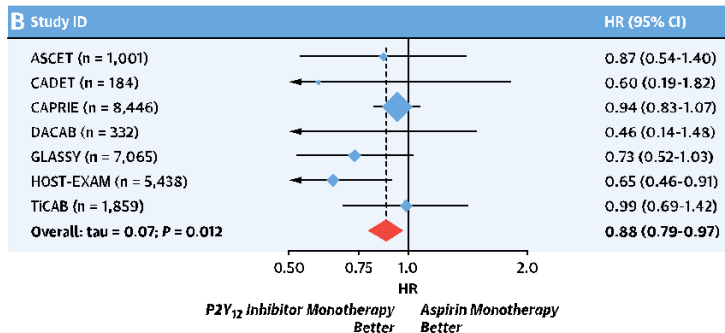
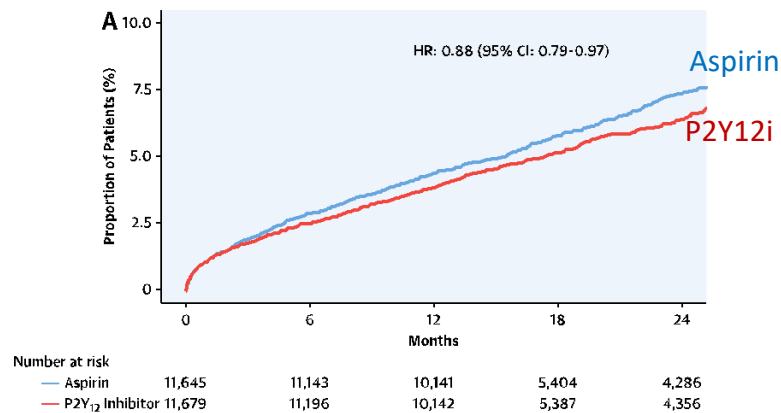
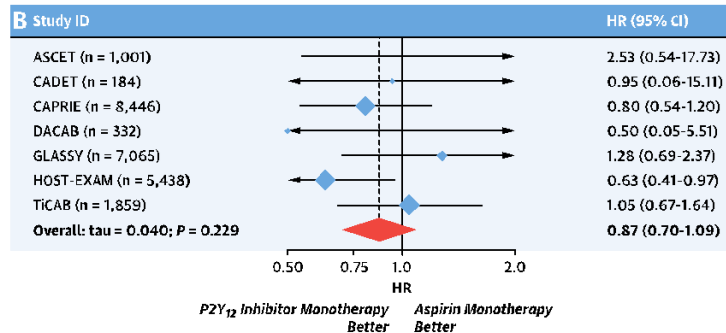
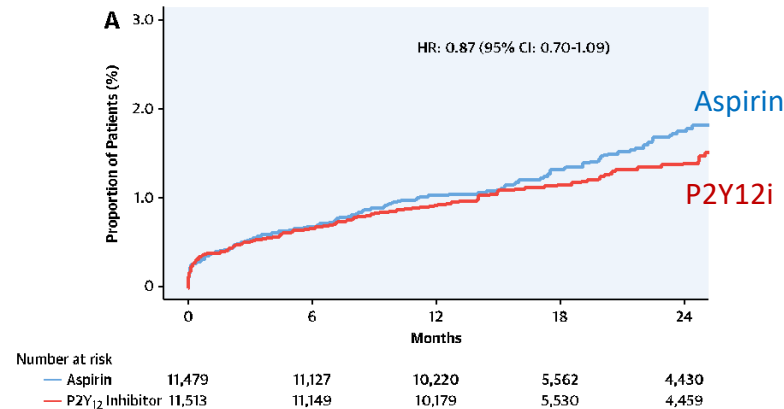


FIGURE 2 Major Bleeding With P2Y₁₂ Inhibitor Monotherapy or Aspirin





SAPT without prior ACS or PCI

Antiplatelet therapy for CAD without MI or revascularisation

Long-term antithrombotic therapy in patients with chronic coronary syndrome and no clear indication for oral anticoagulation

In patients *without* prior MI or revascularization but with evidence of significant obstructive CAD, aspirin 75–100 mg daily is recommended lifelong.^{557–559}

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B

Antiplatelet therapy for CAD without MI or revascularisation

Aspirin in the primary and secondary prevention of vascular disease: collaborative meta-analysis of individual participant data from randomised trials

Antithrombotic Trialists' (ATT) Collaboration*

Meta-analyses of MACE (MI, stroke, or CV death) and major bleeds

6 primary prevention trials (95000 individuals at low average risk, 660000 person-years, 3554 serious vascular events)

16 secondary prevention trials (17000 individuals at high average risk, 43000 person-years, 3306 serious vascular events)

that compared **long-term aspirin versus control**.

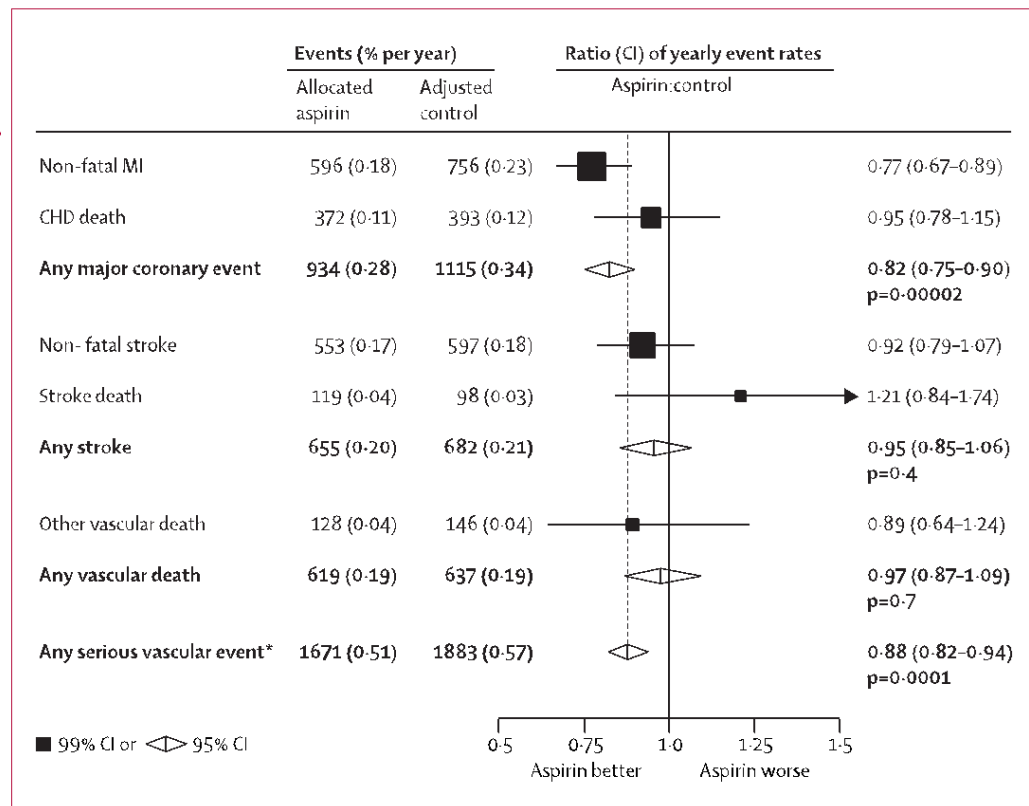
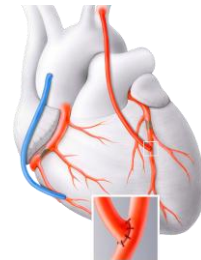


Figure 1: Serious vascular events in primary prevention trials—proportional effects of aspirin allocation

Antiplatelet therapy after CABG



Antithrombotic therapy post-coronary artery bypass grafting

It is recommended to initiate aspirin post-operatively as soon as there is no concern over bleeding.^{629,630}

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DAPT may be considered after CABG in selected patients at greater risk of graft occlusion^f and at low risk of bleeding.⁶³⁵

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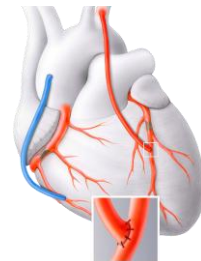
Long-term antithrombotic therapy in patients with chronic coronary syndrome and no clear indication for oral anticoagulation

After CABG, aspirin 75–100 mg daily is recommended lifelong.^{558,559,629}

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Antiplatelet therapy after CABG



Secondary prevention medications after coronary artery bypass grafting and long-term survival: a population-based longitudinal study from the SWEDEHEART registry

All patients who underwent isolated CABG in Sweden from 2006 to 2015 and survived at least 6 months after discharge (n=28 812)

Table 2 Crude mortality rates with 95% confidence interval based on time-updated exposure and adjusted effects of time-updated use of secondary prevention therapy on mortality evaluated by Cox regression

	Crude mortality rate without treatment	Crude mortality rate with treatment	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3
Platelet inhibitors	5.57 (5.21–5.94)	2.33 (2.25–2.42)	0.55 (0.51–0.60) <0.001	0.67 (0.62–0.72) <0.001	0.74 (0.69–0.81) <0.001

Platelet inhibitors were associated with lower mortality risk after adjustment

After PCI in ACS patients:

- ❑ 1 month DAPT is mandatory (*STOPDAPT-3 trial*)
- ❑ Duration of DAPT has decreased progressively from 12 → 6 → 3 → 1 month to reduce bleeding
- ❑ ASA-free strategies are possible after 1 month
- ❑ Any P2Y12 inhibitor can be chosen and the dose can be discussed according to the patient situation
- ❑ There is also (but less) evidence for ASA-SAPT strategies after 1 month of DAPT (*One-Month DAPT trial*)



For long-term secondary prévention

- ❑ SAPT is the rule
- ❑ Clopidogrel > Aspirin if prior ACS or PCI
- ❑ However, management of daily life is more complex with clopidogrel (biopsies, operations, endoscopies, etc...)

