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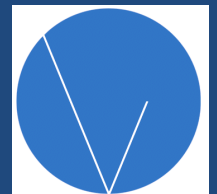
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ESC GUIDELINES

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## 2012 focused update of the ESC Guidelines for the management of atrial fibrillation

**An update of the 2010 ESC Guidelines for the management  
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# LA STRATIFICAZIONE DEL RISCHIO

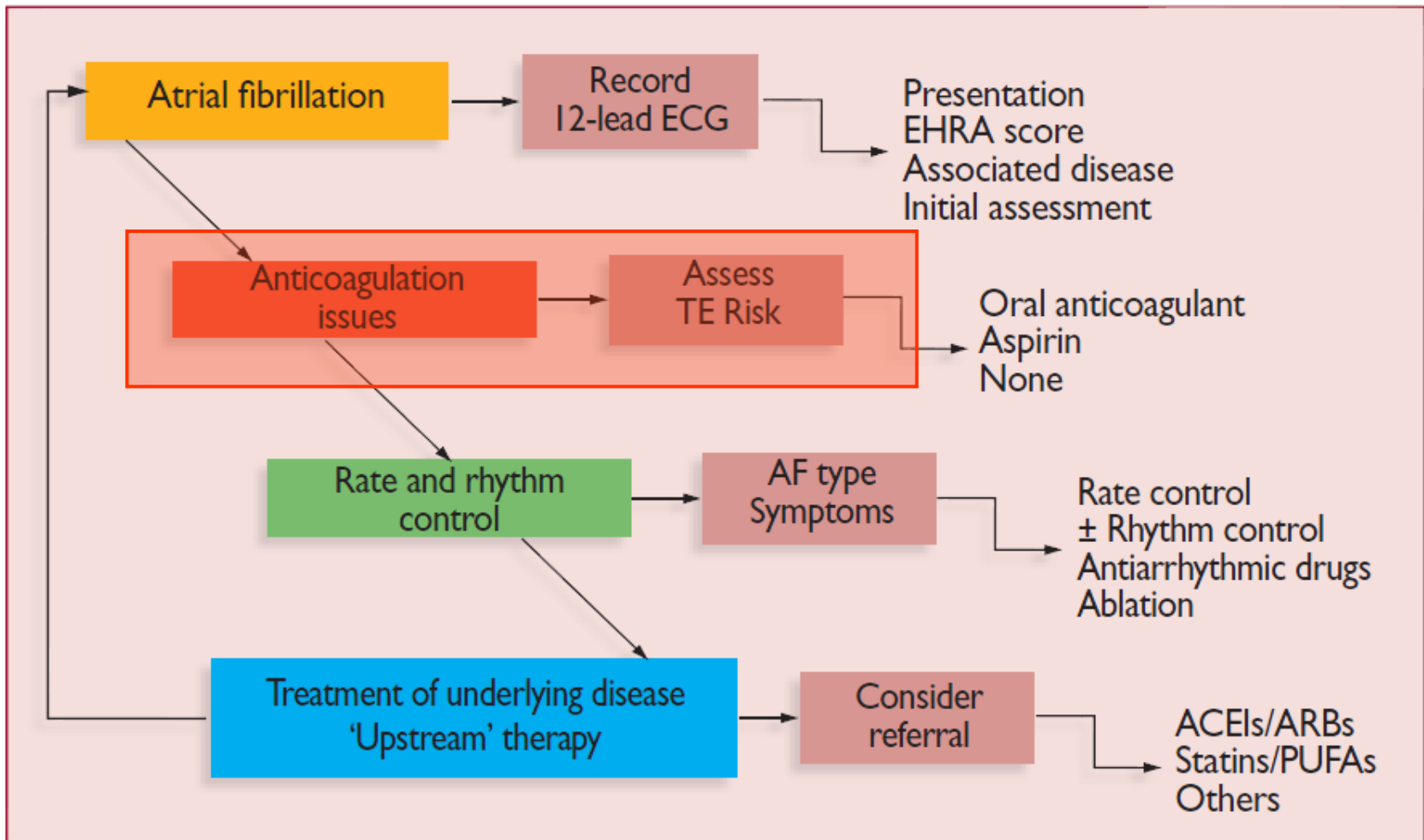


## The Risk of Systemic Thromboembolism in Patients With AF IS NOT Homogenous

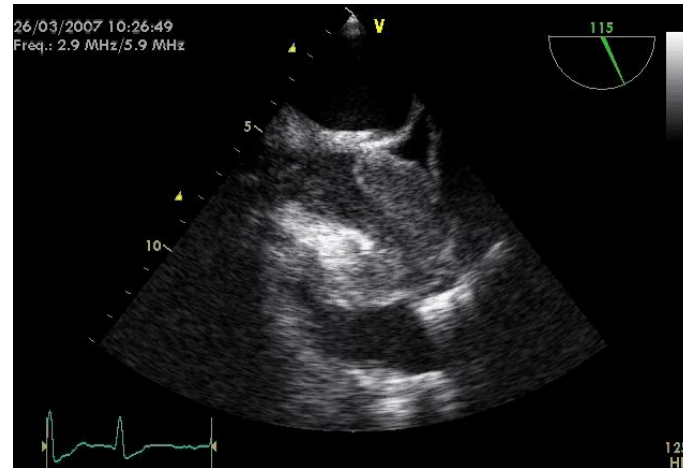
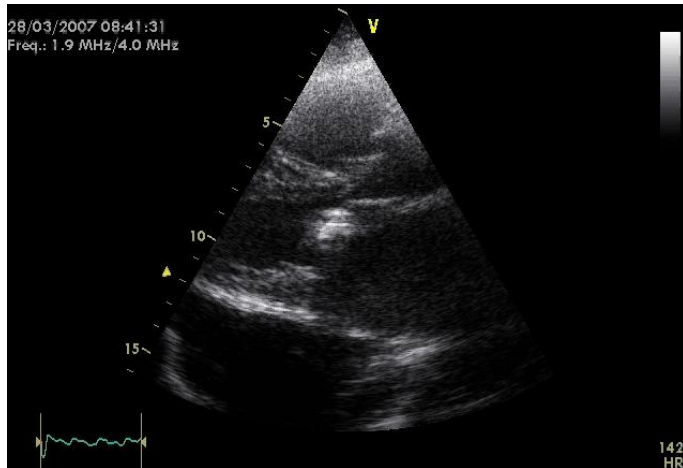


# AFIB: The Management Cascade

## *ESC/EHRA Guidelines 2010*



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| CHADS <sub>2</sub> score | Patients (n = 1733) | Adjusted stroke rate (%/y)* (95% confidence interval) |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---|
| 0                        | 120                 | 1.9 (1.2 - 3.0)                                       |
| 1                        | 463                 | 2.8 (2.0 - 3.8)                                       |
| 2                        | 523                 | 4.0 (3.1 - 5.1)                                       |
| 3                        | 337                 | 5.9 (4.6 - 7.3)                                       |
| 4                        | 220                 | 8.5 (6.3 - 11.1)                                      |
| 5                        | 65                  | 12.5 (8.2 - 17.5)                                     |
| 6                        | 5                   | 18.2 (10.5 - 27.4)                                    |

\*The adjusted stroke rate was derived from the multivariable analysis assuming no aspirin usage; these stroke rates are based on data from a cohort of hospitalised AF patients, published in 2001, with low numbers in those with a **CHADS<sub>2</sub> score** of 5 and 6 to allow an accurate judgement of the risk in these patients. Given that stroke rates are declining overall, actual stroke rates in contemporary non-hospitalised cohorts may also vary from these estimates. Adapted from Gage BF et al.

AF = atrial fibrillation; CHADS<sub>2</sub> = cardiac failure, hypertension, age, diabetes, stroke (doubled).



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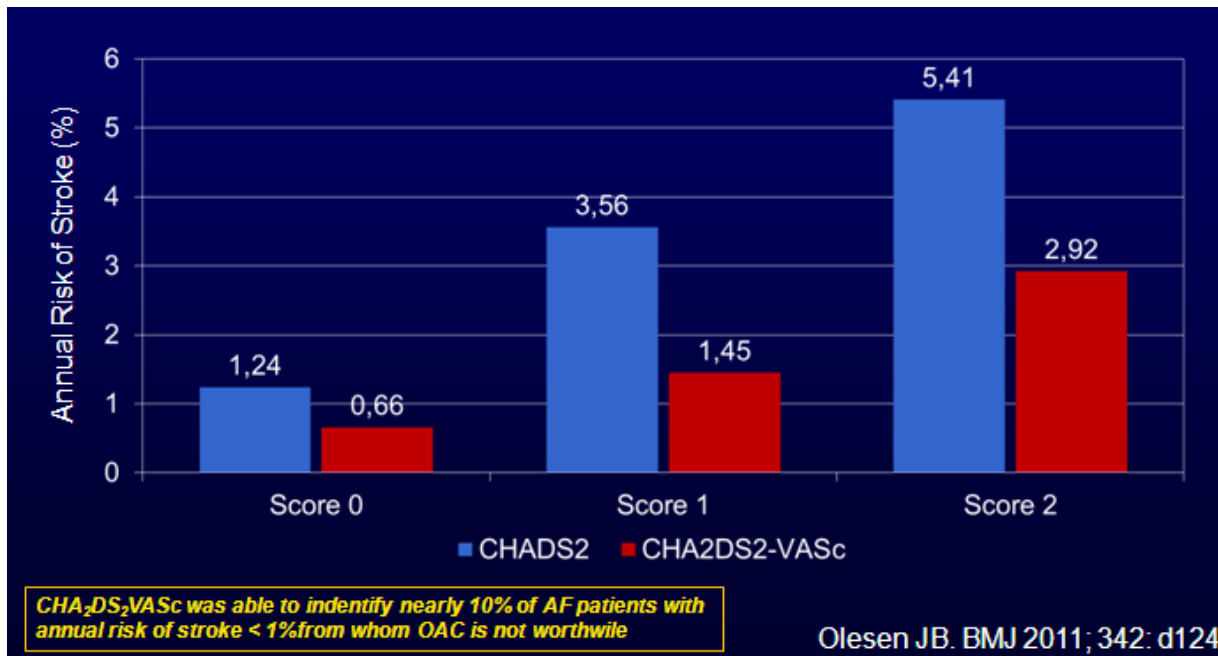
| Major risk factors       | Clinically relevant non-major risk factors                                |
|--------------------------|---|
| Previous stroke          | CHF or moderate to severe LV systolic dysfunction [e.g. LV EF $\leq$ 40%] |
| TIA or systemic embolism | Hypertension  |
| Age $\geq$ 75 years      | Diabetes mellitus   |
|                          | Age 65-74 years   |
|                          | Female sex  |
|                          | Vascular disease  |

| Risk factor                             | Score    |
|---|----------|
| Congestive heart failure/LV dysfunction | 1        |
| Hypertension                            | 1        |
| Age $\geq$ 75 ans                       | 2        |
| Diabetes mellitus                       | 1        |
| Stroke/TIA/thrombo-embolism             | 2        |
| Vascular disease*                       | 1        |
| Age 65-74                               | 1        |
| Sex category [i.e. femal sex]           | 1        |
| <b>Maximum score</b>                    | <b>9</b> |

\*Prior myocardial infarction, peripheral artery disease, aortic plaque. Actual rates of stroke in contemporary cohorts may vary from these estimates.



# LA STRATIFICAZIONE DEL RISCHIO



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RESEARCH

Validation of risk stratification schemes for predicting stroke and thromboembolism in patients with atrial fibrillation: nationwide cohort study

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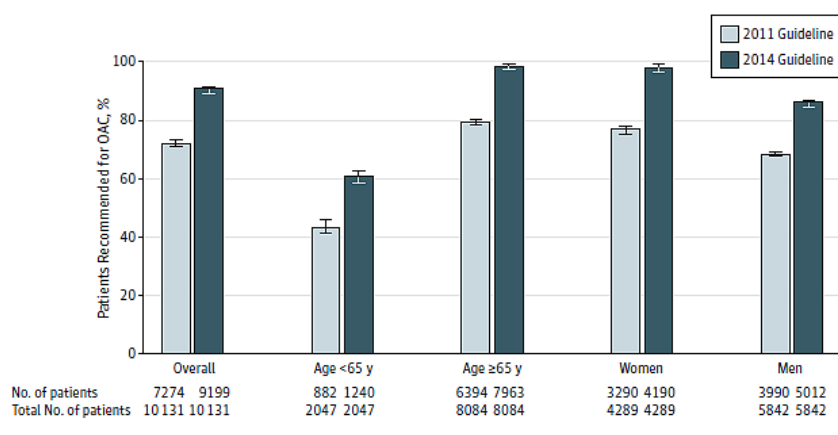
**Conclusions** The risk associated with a specific risk stratification score depended on the risk factors composing the score. CHA<sub>2</sub>DS<sub>2</sub>-VASc performed better than CHADS<sub>2</sub> in predicting patients at high risk, and those categorised as low risk by CHA<sub>2</sub>DS<sub>2</sub>-VASc were truly at low risk for thromboembolism.



# LA STRATIFICAZIONE DEL RISCHIO



Figure. Change in the Percentage of Patients Recommended for Oral Anticoagulation (OAC) Under New vs Old Atrial Fibrillation Treatment Guidelines



The figure displays the proportion of patients in the entire Outcomes Registry for Better Informed Treatment of Atrial Fibrillation study population who were recommended for OAC under the 2011 and 2014 guidelines.<sup>1,2</sup> Error bars indicate 95% CIs of the proportions.

In summary, the implication of using the recently updated guideline is to encourage oral anticoagulation for more patients at intermediate to low risk of stroke. Lacking evidence that this approach leads to overall improved outcomes for patients, we must be aware that the likely consequence is increased bleeding risk and uncertain benefit.

## Letters

### RESEARCH LETTER

#### Effect of the 2014 Atrial Fibrillation Guideline Revisions on the Proportion of Patients Recommended for Oral Anticoagulation

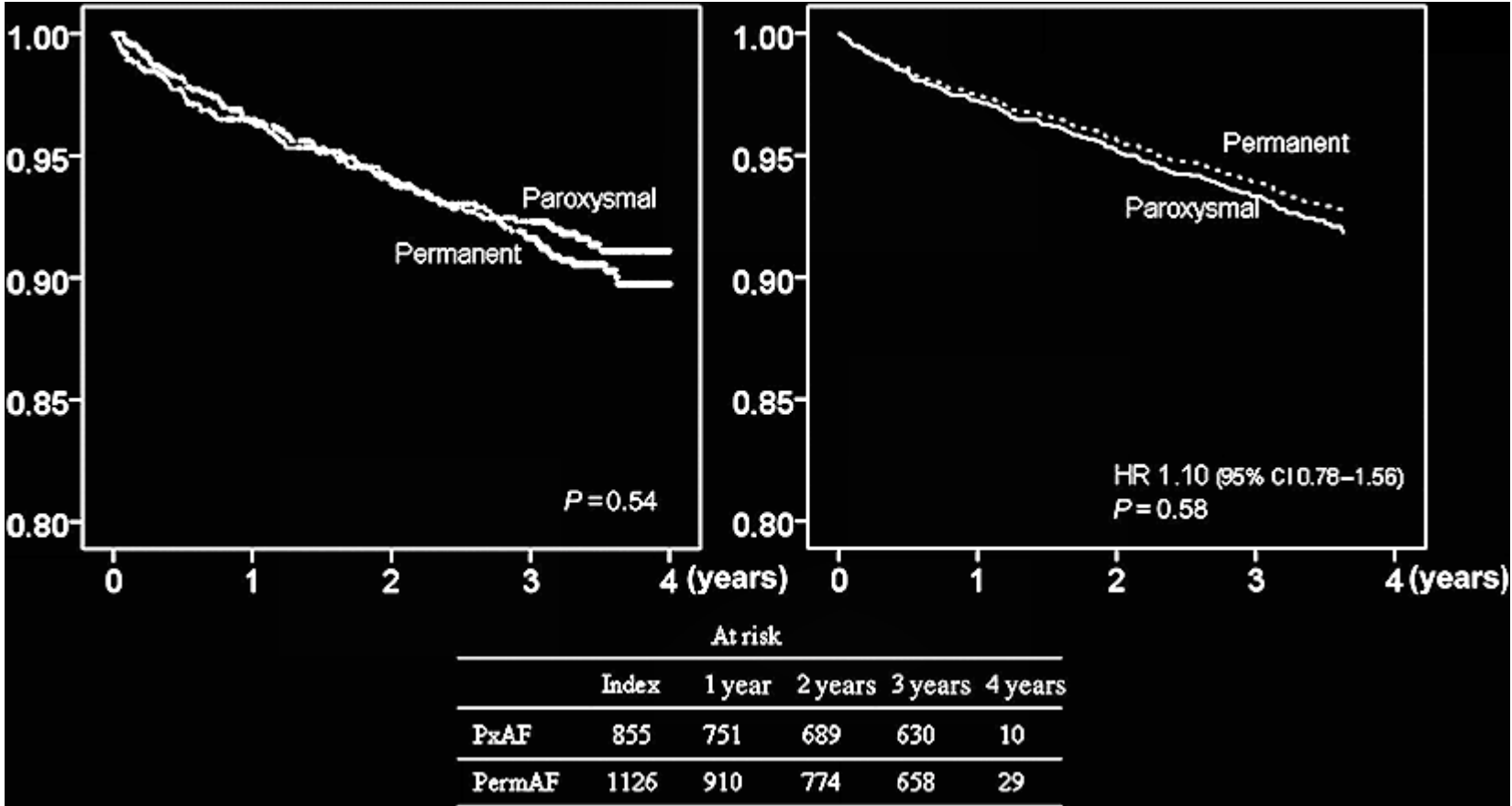
In 2014, the American Heart Association, American College of Cardiology, and Heart Rhythm Society published a revised guideline for atrial fibrillation (AF) treatment recommending use of a refined stroke risk score and revised threshold for oral anticoagulation (OAC) initiation.<sup>1</sup> We assessed the

Invited Commentary

potential effect of this new guideline by comparing the proportion of patients with AF recommended for OAC under the 2011 and 2014 guidelines.<sup>1,2</sup>



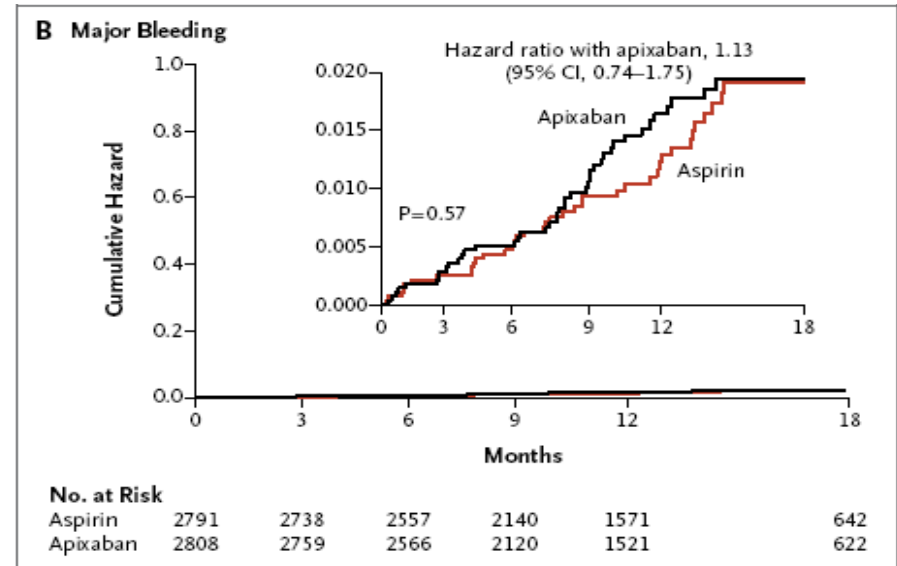
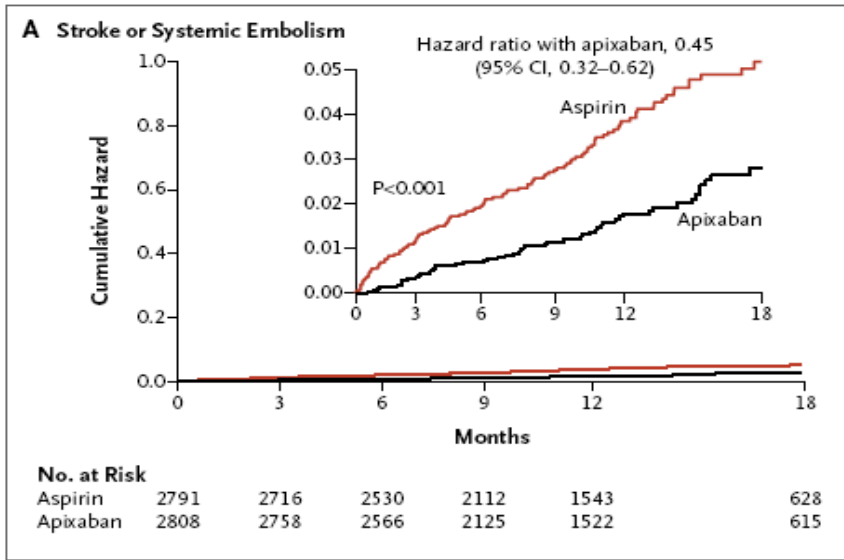
# TIPI DI FA E RISCHIO EMBOLICO



Survival free from ischaemic stroke in paroxysmal atrial fibrillation (AF) and permanent AF. Unadjusted incidence to the left, multivariably adjusted to the right



# QUALE TRATTAMENTO ANTITROMBOTICO ?



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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

## Apixaban in Patients with Atrial Fibrillation

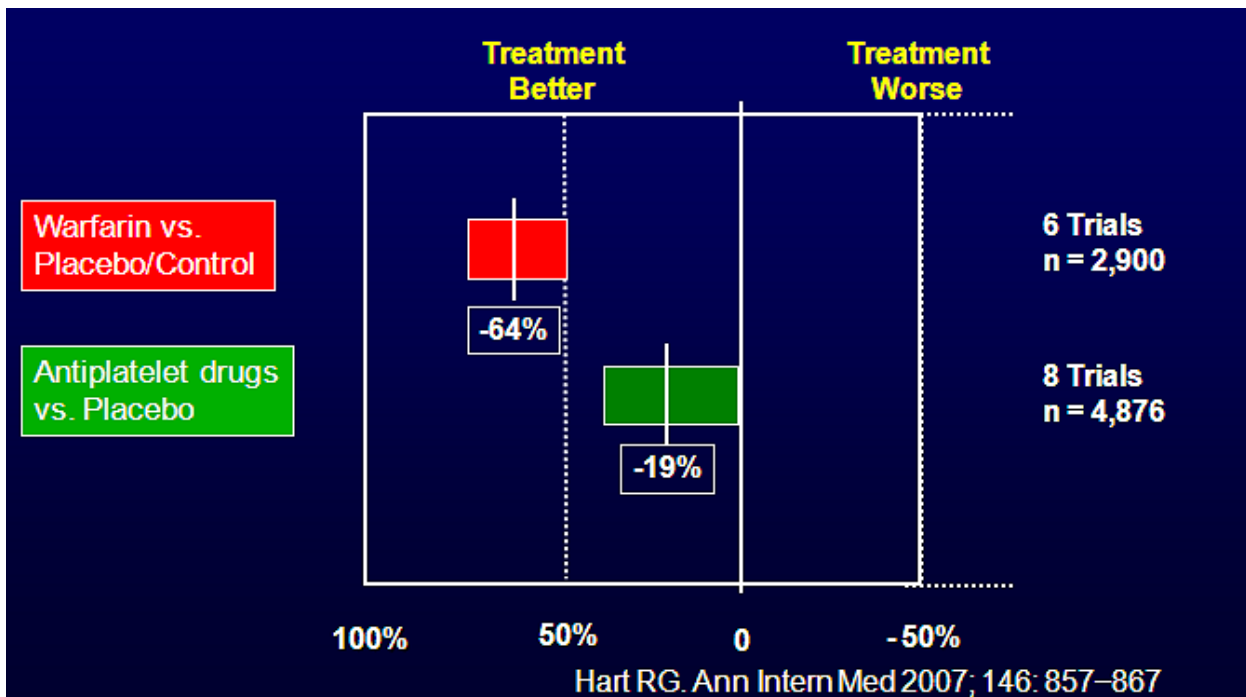
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# QUALE TRATTAMENTO ANTITROMBOTICO ?

**Conclusions:** Adjusted-dose warfarin and antiplatelet agents reduce stroke by approximately 60% and by approximately 20%, respectively, in patients who have atrial fibrillation. Warfarin is substantially more efficacious (by approximately 40%) than antiplatelet therapy. Absolute increases in major extracranial hemorrhage associated with antithrombotic therapy in participants from the trials included in this meta-analysis were less than the absolute reductions in stroke. Judicious use of antithrombotic therapy importantly reduces stroke for most patients who have atrial fibrillation



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# WARFARIN: EFFETTI

## Stroke prevention in AF: VKAs vs antiplatelet therapy – **Reduction of risk of thromboembolism in AF**

### Study, year

AFASAKI, 1989; 1990

AFASAK II, 1998

BAFTA study, 2007

Chinese ATAFS, 2006

EAFT, 1993

PATAF, 1999

SPAF II, 1994

Age ≤75 years

Age >75 years

ASA trials (n=9)

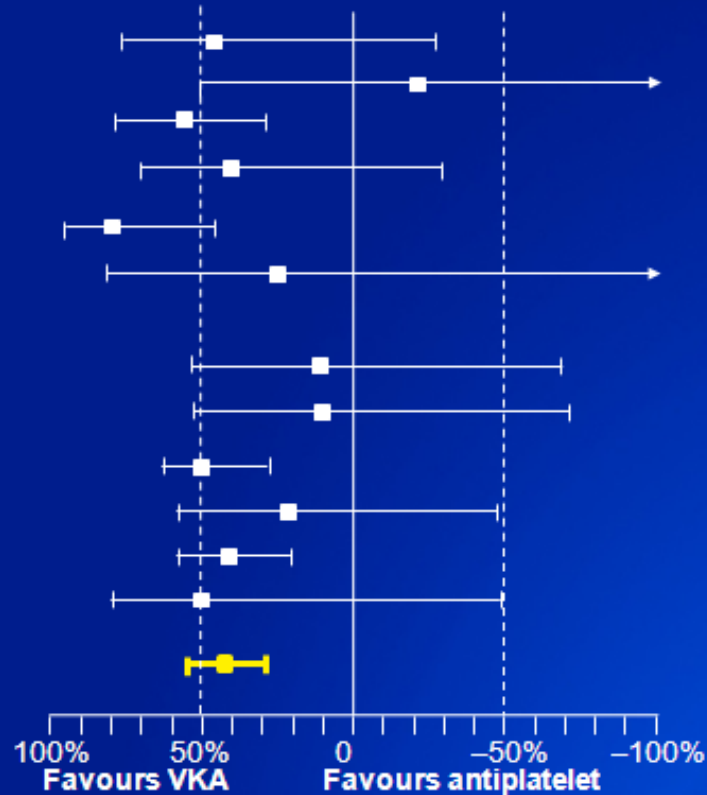
SIFA, 1997

ACTIVE-W, 2006

NASPEAF, 2004

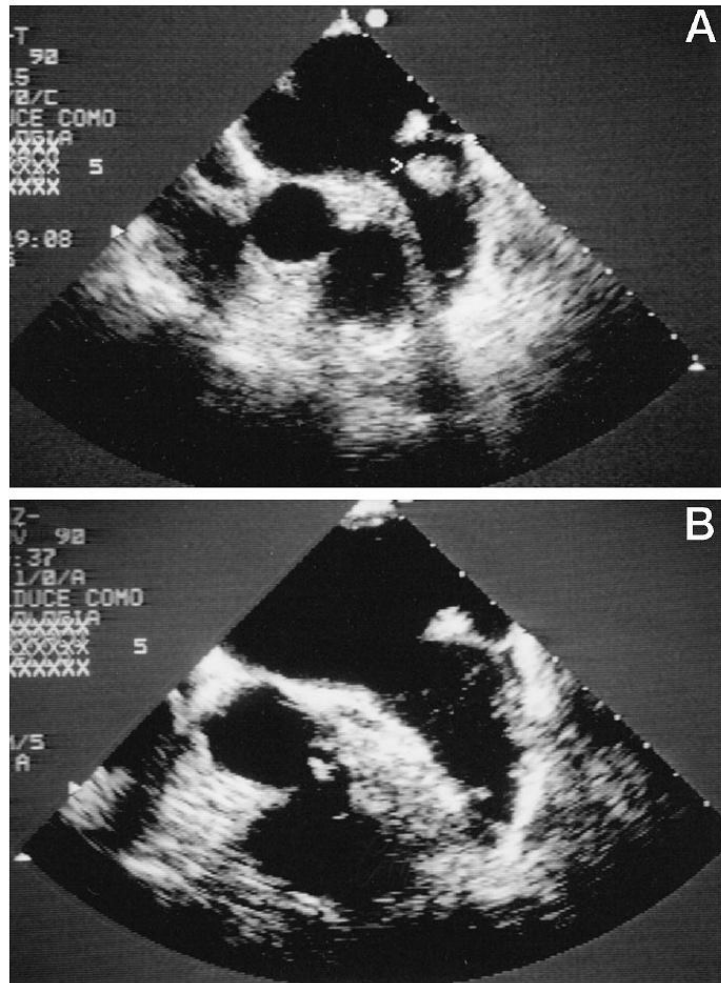
**All antiplatelet trials (n=12)**

### Relative risk reduction (95% CI)





# PERCHE' LA TAO FUNZIONA NELLA FA



## Atrial Thrombi Resolution After Prolonged Anticoagulation in Patients With Atrial Fibrillation\*

### A Transesophageal Echocardiographic Study

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**Background:** Cardioversion of atrial fibrillation in nonanticoagulated patients may be associated with clinical thromboembolism. Prolonged anticoagulation with warfarin before cardioversion of atrial fibrillation produces a marked reduction of cardioversion-related thromboembolism. The benefit of anticoagulant therapy is generally believed to be due to atrial thrombi organization. **Patients and methods:** Transesophageal echocardiography (TEE) is highly accurate for diagnosis of atrial thrombi and gives the possibility to serially evaluate the effects of anticoagulant therapy. One hundred twenty-three patients with atrial fibrillation lasting longer than 2 days underwent TEE before cardioversion. An atrial thrombus was identified in 11 patients (9%), and was always confined to the left atrial appendage. TEE was repeated after a median of 4 weeks of oral warfarin. Atrial thrombus had completely resolved in 9 of 11 patients (81.8%; 95% CI, 48.2 to 97.7%); in two patients, clot was still present. No patient had clinical thromboembolism between the two TEE studies.

**Conclusions:** In the population of our study, a prolonged course of warfarin therapy was associated with resolution of atrial thrombi in the majority of patients. According to these data, the mechanism of thromboembolism reduction with 4 weeks of anticoagulation before cardioversion in patients with atrial fibrillation seems to be related mainly to thrombus lysis rather than organization. Due to the possibility of thrombus persistence even after prolonged anticoagulation, follow-up with TEE before cardioversion is necessary to document thrombus resolution.

(*CHEST* 1999; 115:140-143)

**Key words:** anticoagulation; echocardiography; fibrillation

**Abbreviations:** AF = atrial fibrillation; TEE = transesophageal echocardiography; TTE = transthoracic echocardiography



FIGURE 1. TEEs (horizontal plane) of the left atrium and left atrial appendage (patient No. 4 of the table). Panel A shows the left atrium and appendage in a 60-year-old woman affected by mitral stenosis and aortic regurgitation. The duration of atrial fibrillation was unknown. Note the pedunculated thrombus (white arrow) at the mouth of left atrial appendage. Panel B shows the same patient after 4 weeks of warfarin. The thrombus had completely resolved. Scant spontaneous echocontrast can be seen in left atrial appendage.

# WARFARIN: LIMITI

## The limitations of VKA therapy

- Significant inter- and intra-patient variability in dose–response,<sup>1</sup> due to:
  - Co-morbid conditions
  - Genetic polymorphisms
  - Numerous interactions with food and concomitant drugs
  - Unpredictable pharmacology
- Narrow therapeutic window<sup>1</sup>
  - Regular coagulation monitoring and dose adjustments required
  - Failure to stay within the therapeutic range increases the risk of stroke or adverse bleeding events<sup>2</sup>
- Underuse<sup>2–4</sup>
  - Fear of haemorrhage; intracranial haemorrhage is the most devastating bleeding event<sup>5</sup>
  - Particularly in elderly patients because of high perceived risk of bleeding versus possible benefits<sup>5</sup>

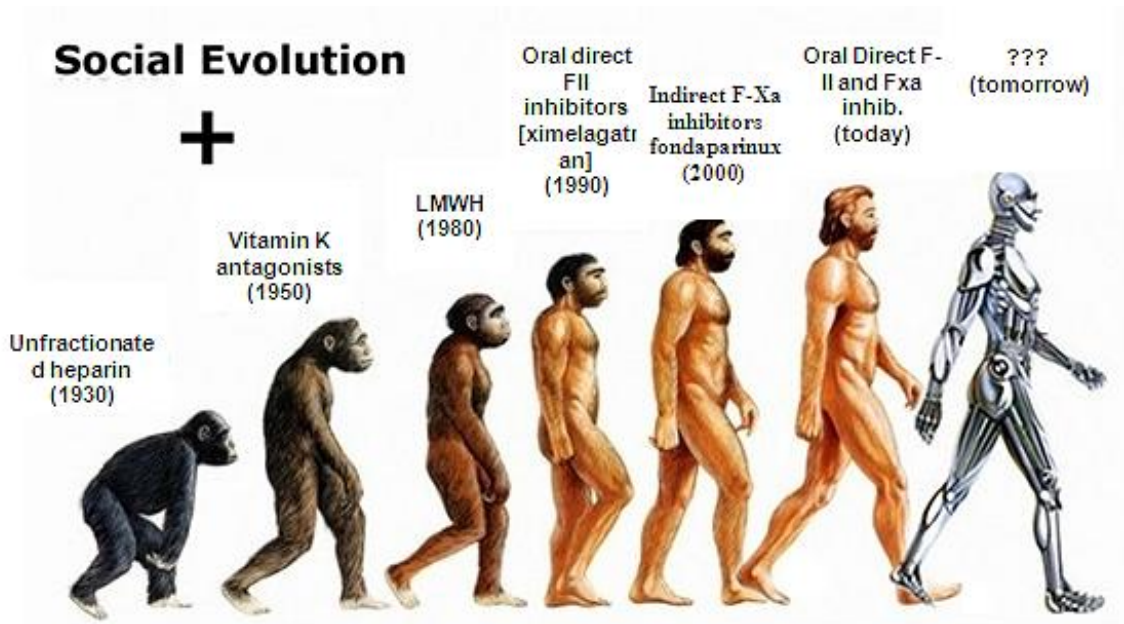
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# L'ANTICOAGULANTE IDEALE

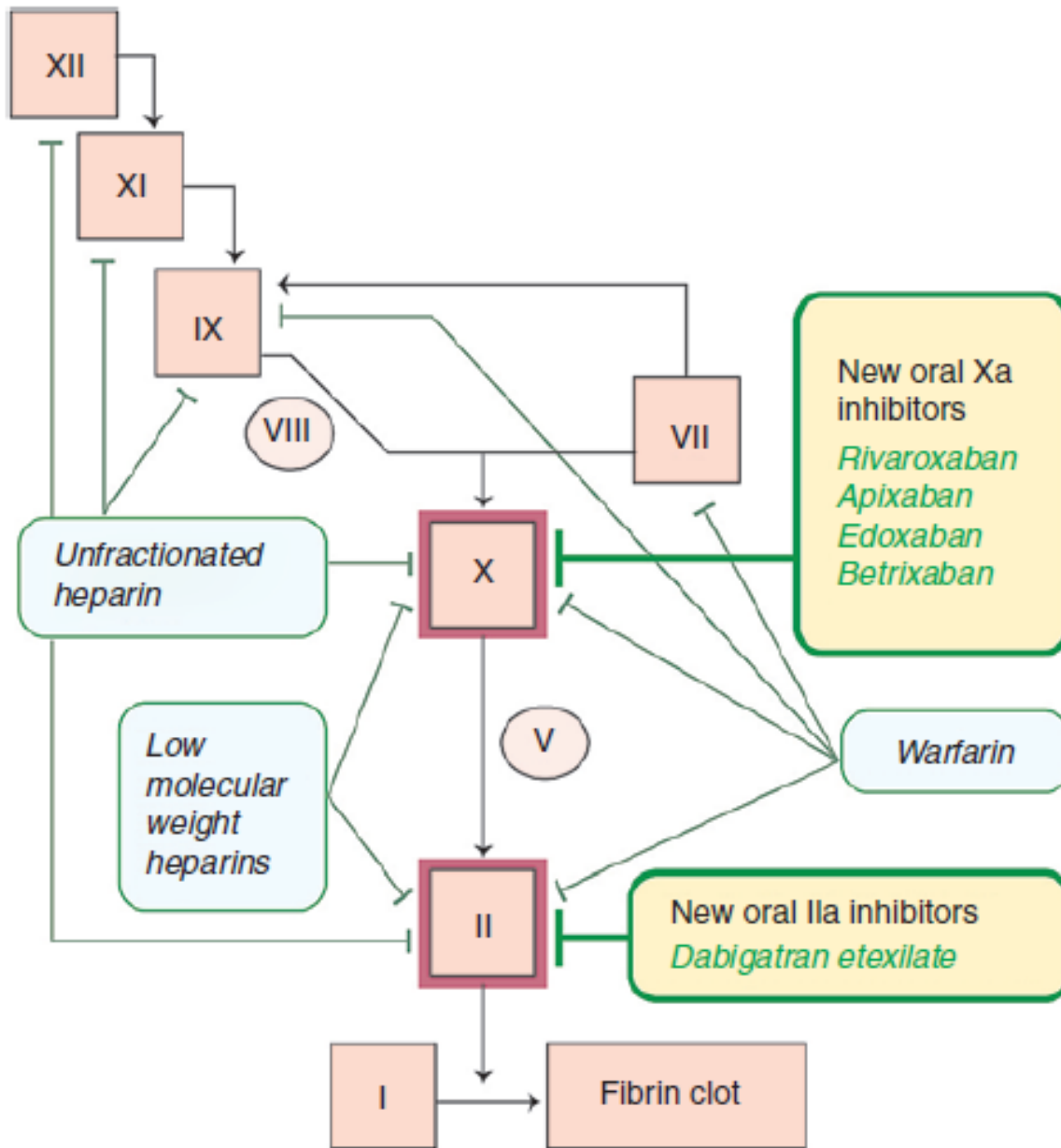
- High efficacy to safety index
- Predictable dose-response (no lab monitoring)
- Oral administration
- Rapid onset and offset of action
- Availability of a safe antidote
- No non-anticoagulant side effects
- Minimal interaction with food and other drugs



# I BERSAGLI



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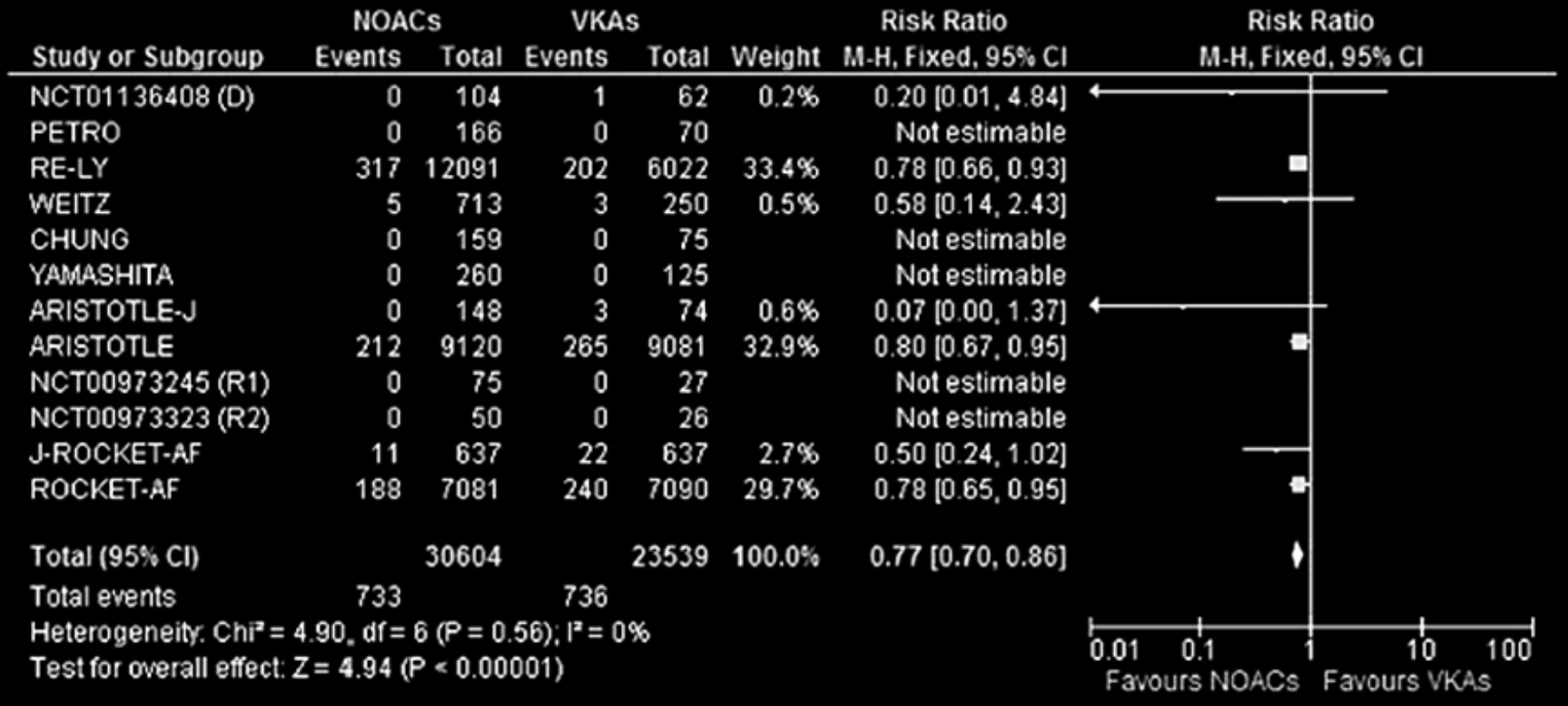
# NOACs

|                              | Dabigatran (RE-LY) <sup>70, 71</sup>   | Rivaroxaban (ROCKET-AF) <sup>3</sup>                             | Apixaban (ARISTOTLE) <sup>4</sup>               |
|------------------------------|--|--|---|
| <b>Drug characteristics</b>  |  |  |   |
| Mechanism                    | Oral direct thrombin inhibitor   | Oral direct factor Xa inhibitor                                  | Oral direct factor Xa inhibitor                 |
| Bioavailability, %           | 6  | 60–80  | 50  |
| Time to peak levels, h       | 3  | 3  | 3   |
| Half-life, h                 | 12–17  | 5–13   | 9–14  |
| Excretion                    | 80% renal  | 2/3 liver, 1/3 renal   | 25% renal, 75% faecal                           |
| Dose                         | 150 mg b.i.d.  | 20 mg o.d.   | 5 mg b.i.d.                                     |
| Dose in renal impairment     | 110 mg b.i.d.  | 15 mg o.d. (if CrCl 30-49 mL/min)                                | 2.5 mg b.i.d.                                   |
| Special considerations       | Intestinal absorption is pH-dependent and is reduced in patients taking proton pump inhibitors | Higher levels expected in patients with renal or hepatic failure |   |
|                              | Increased risk of bleeding in patients taking verapamil/amiodarone/quinidine/ketoconazole      | Activity lower in fasted patients so should be taken after food  |   |
| <b>Study characteristics</b> |  |  |   |
| Study design                 | Randomized, open-label   | Randomized, double-blind   | Randomized, double-blind                        |
| Number of patients           | 18 111   | 14 264   | 18 201  |
| Follow-up period, years      | 2  | 1.9  | 1.8   |
| Randomized groups            | Dose-adjusted warfarin vs. blinded doses of dabigatran (150 mg b.i.d., 110 mg b.i.d.)          | Dose-adjusted warfarin vs. rivaroxaban 20 mg o.d.                | Dose-adjusted warfarin vs. apixaban 5 mg b.i.d. |



# AF: NOACs vs Warfarin

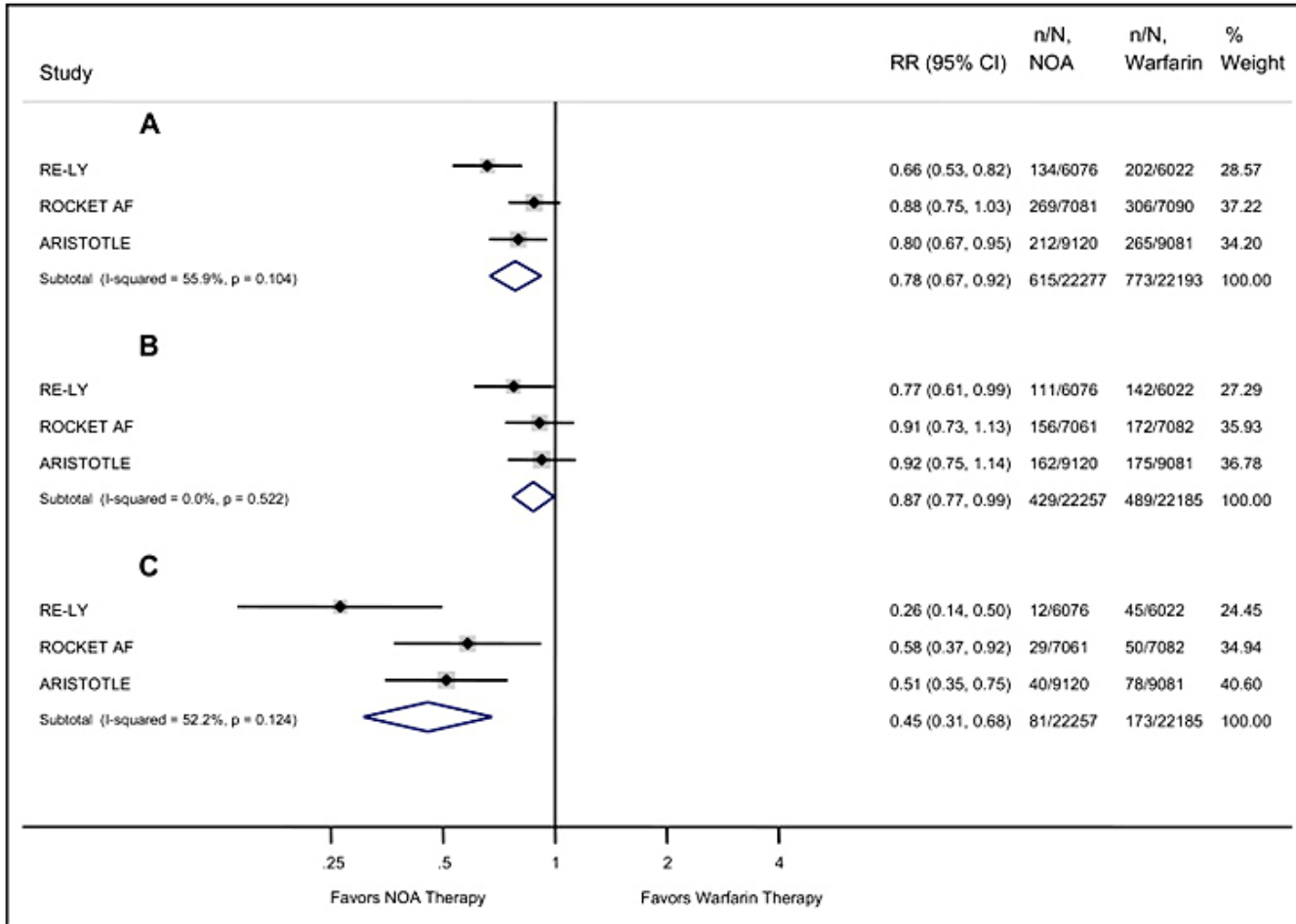
## Stroke or Systemic Embolism



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# AF: NOACs vs Warfarin



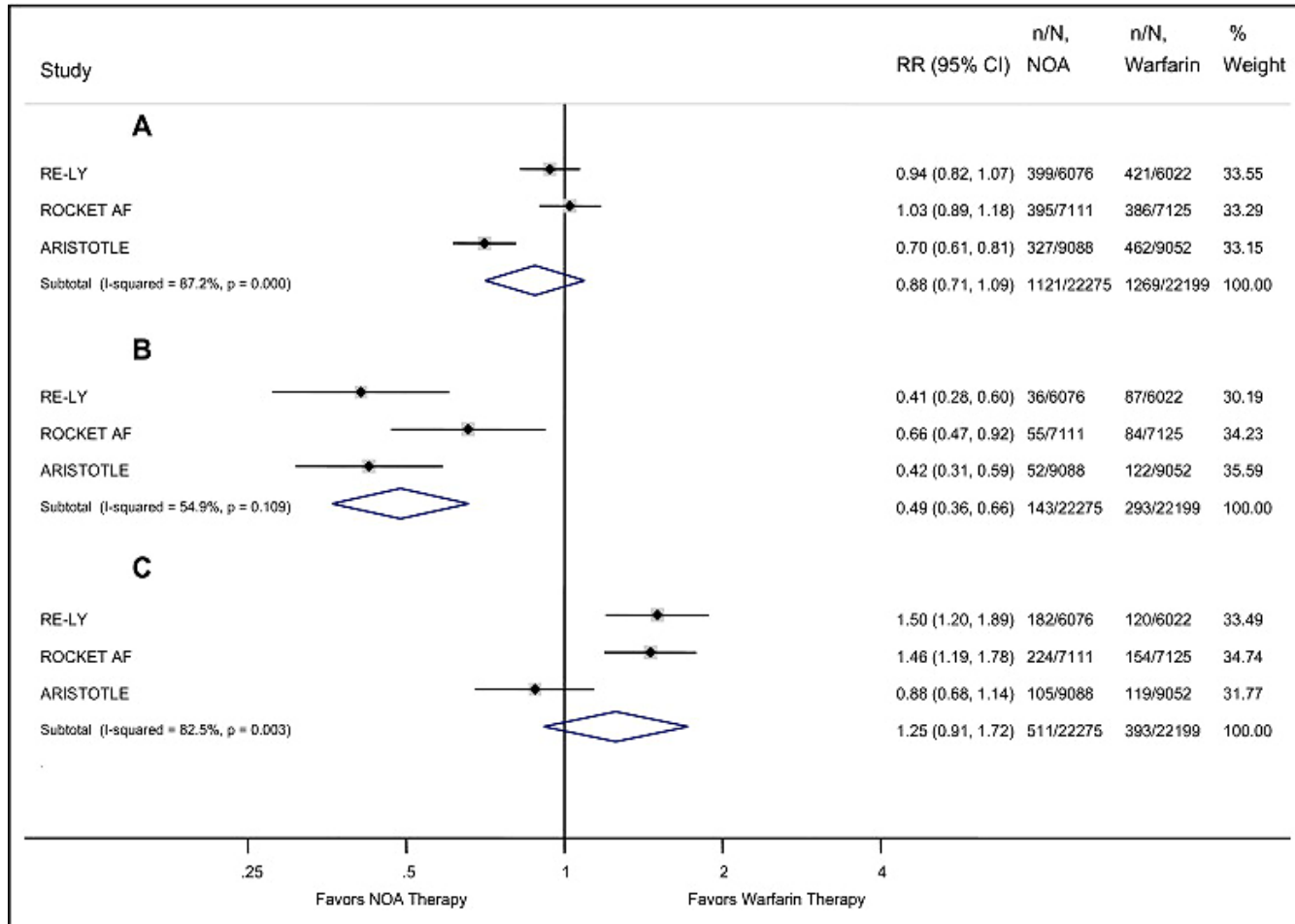
Forest plot for (A) all-cause stroke and systemic embolism, (B) ischemic and unspecified stroke, and (C) hemorrhagic stroke, new oral anticoagulants (NOA) versus warfarin in patients with AF.

Corey S et al. meta-analysis of efficacy and safety of new oral anticoagulants ( dabigatran , rivaroxaban , apixaban ) versus warfarin in patients with atrial fibrillation .*Am J Cardiol* 2012;110:453-460





# AF: NOACs vs Warfarin



Forest plot for (A) major bleeding, (B) intracranial bleeding, and (C) gastrointestinal bleeding, new oral anticoagulants (NOA) versus warfarin in patients with AF.

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# COSTO-EFFICACIA

Amanda R. et al. Cost-effectiveness of apixaban, dabigatran, rivaroxaban, and warfarin for stroke prevention in atrial fibrillation. *Stroke* 2013;44.1676-1681

**Table. Projected Costs, QALYs, and ICERs for Patients With Nonvalvular Atrial Fibrillation Receiving Anticoagulation Therapy**

|                    | Base Case  |      |               | Probabilistic Sensitivity Analysis |             |               |
|--------------------|------------|------|---------------|------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
|                    | Total Cost | QALY | ICER          | Total Cost (SD)                    | QALY (SD)   | ICER          |
| Warfarin           | \$77 813   | 7.97 | ...*          | \$77 772 (\$2223)                  | 7.97 (0.04) | ...*          |
| Rivaroxaban, 20 mg | \$78 738   | 8.26 | \$3190/QALY   | \$78 719 (\$1852)                  | 8.26 (0.06) | \$3266/QALY   |
| Dabigatran, 150 mg | \$82 719   | 8.41 | \$11 150/QALY | \$82 705 (\$1959)                  | 8.41 (0.07) | \$11 211/QALY |
| Apixaban, 5 mg     | \$85 326   | 8.47 | \$15 026/QALY | \$85 337 (\$1512)                  | 8.47 (0.06) | \$15 130/QALY |

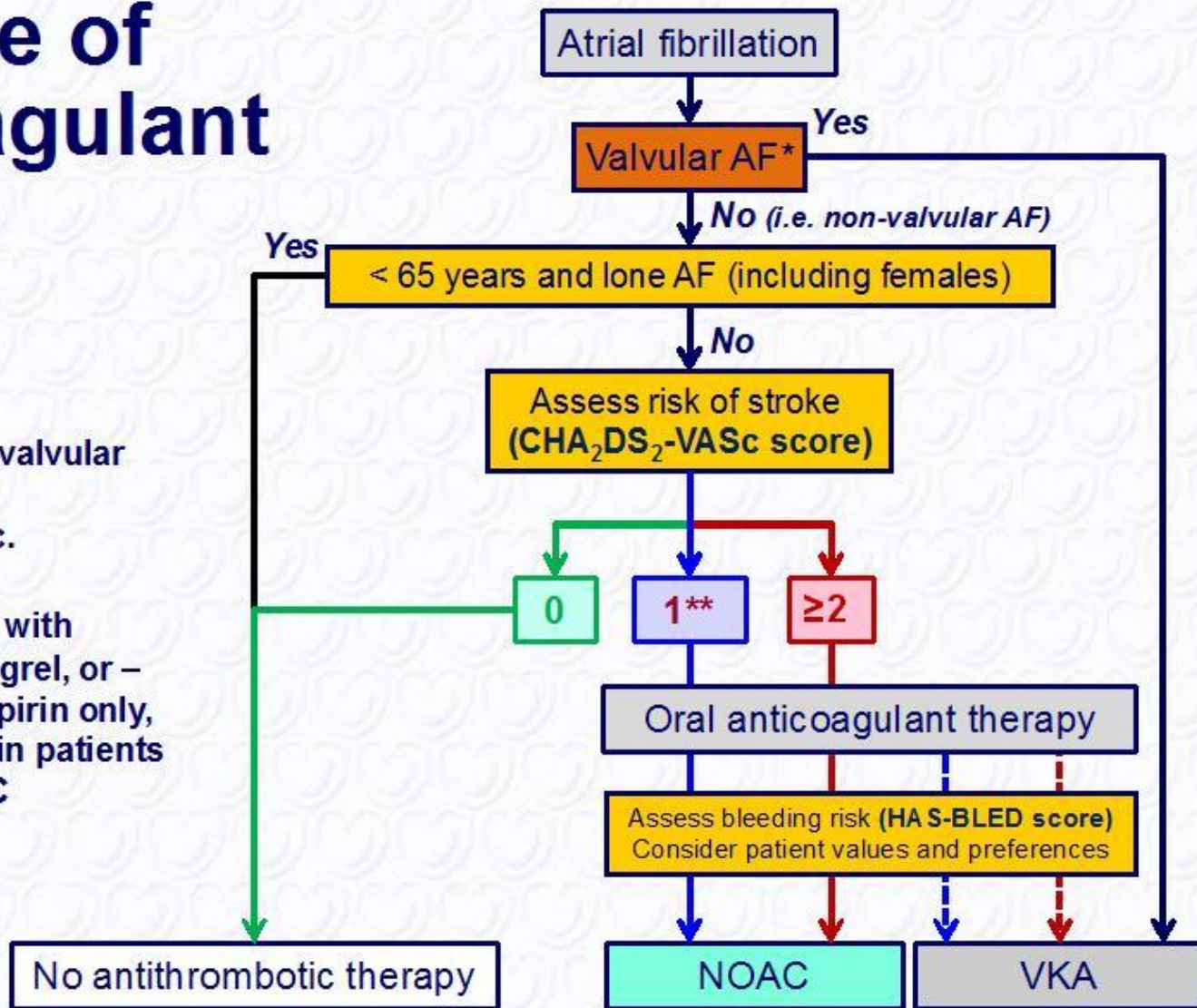
ICER indicates incremental cost-effectiveness ratio; QALY, quality-adjusted life-year; and SD, standard deviation.

\*Warfarin is the reference therapy for the ICER calculation.

**Conclusions**—In patients with nonvalvular atrial fibrillation and an increased risk of stroke prophylaxis, apixaban 5 mg, dabigatran 150 mg, and rivaroxaban 20 mg were all cost-effective alternatives to warfarin



# Choice of Anti-coagulant



- Includes rheumatic valvular AF, hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, etc.

\*\* Antiplatelet therapy with aspirin plus clopidogrel, or – less effectively – aspirin only, may be considered in patients who refuse any OAC

# Anticoagulation - NOACs

## Recommendations for prevention of thromboembolism in non-valvular AF - NOACs

| Recommendations  | Class | Level |
|--|-------|-------|
| <p>When adjusted-dose VKA (INR 2–3) cannot be used in a patient with AF where an OAC is recommended, due to difficulties in keeping within therapeutic anticoagulation, experiencing side effects of VKAs, or inability to attend or undertake INR monitoring, one of the NOACs, either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• a direct thrombin inhibitor (dabigatran); or</li><li>• an oral factor Xa inhibitor (e.g., rivaroxaban, apixaban)<sup>d</sup></li></ul> <p>... is recommended.</p> | I     | B     |
| <p>Where OAC is recommended, one of the NOACs, either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• a direct thrombin inhibitor (dabigatran); or</li><li>• an oral factor Xa inhibitor (e.g., rivaroxaban, apixaban)<sup>d</sup></li></ul> <p>... should be considered rather than adjusted-dose VKA (INR 2–3) for most patients with non-valvular AF, based on their net clinical benefit.</p>   | IIa   | A     |

<sup>d</sup>Apixaban (pending approval EMA and FDA approval): prescribing information is awaited.

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| Recommendations   | Class | Level |
|---|-------|-------|
| <p>Where dabigatran is prescribed, a dose of 150 mg b.i.d. should be considered for most patients in preference to 110 mg b.i.d., with the latter dose recommended in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• elderly patients, age <math>\geq 80</math></li> <li>• concomitant use of interacting drugs (e.g. verapamil)</li> <li>• high bleeding risk (HAS-BLED score <math>\geq 3</math>)</li> <li>• moderate renal impairment (CrCl 30–49 mL/min).</li> </ul> | IIa   | B     |
| <p>Where rivaroxaban is being considered, a dose of 20 mg o.d. should be considered for most patients in preference to 15 mg o.d., with the latter dose recommended in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• high bleeding risk (HAS-BLED score <math>\geq 3</math>)</li> <li>• moderate renal impairment (CrCl 30–49 mL/min).</li> </ul>   | IIa   | C     |
| <p>Baseline and subsequent regular assessment of renal function (by CrCl) is recommended in patients following initiation of any NOAC, which should be done annually but more frequently in those with moderate renal impairment where CrCl should be assessed 2–3 times per year.</p>  | IIa   | B     |
| <p>NOACs (dabigatran, rivaroxaban, and apixaban) are not recommended in patients with severe renal impairment (CrCl <math>&lt;30</math> mL/min).</p>  | III   | A     |

# Quando mantenere anti Vit-K?

- Buon livello dei controlli (TTR)
- Insuff. renale severa
- Protesi valvolari meccaniche ( Eichelboom JW et al, *N Eng J Med*, 2013)
- Pregresso sanguinamento GI
- Scarsa aderenza ai DOA
- Costi

La noia della compilazione del piano terapeutico AIFA non è contemplata nelle linee guida



# Quando preferire i NOACs?

- TTR basso
- Interazioni tra farmaci
- Storia di sanguinamento intracranico
- Problemi logistici
- Nuovi pazienti

# Perchè preferire i NOACs?

- Rapida insorgenza d'azione
- Effetto dose risposta prevedibile
- Emivita relativamente breve



# CAVEATS NOACs

- **Emivita relativamente breve : se scarsa aderenza , aumento di rischio di ictus o embolia sistemica**
- **Non necessità di monitoraggio : può favorire una scarsa aderenza alla terapia?**
- **Test di coagulazione ?**
- **Antidoti?**
- **Associabilità ad antiaggreganti?**





# ITER DELLA FA

- Diagnosticare la fibrillazione atriale
- Stratificare il rischio tromboembolico
- Applicare le linee guida al mondo reale



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# PRESCRIZIONE NOACS: UN PERCORSO A OSTACOLI



**Registri Farmaci sottoposti a Monitoraggio**

**ATTENZIONE**

**Le immagini che seguono  
potrebbero urtare  
la vostra sensibilità**

Per visualizzare la lista aggiornata dei Registri pubblicati nella nuova piattaforma si prega di consultare le pagine dedicate ai [Registri Farmaci sottoposti a Monitoraggio](#) nel [portale istituzionale dell'AIFA](#).



# SUL WEB ESISTONO PROGRAMMI MIGLIORI...

*Inserire i criteri di eleggibilità CHA2DS2- VASc SCORE e HAS – BLEd SCORE*

*Inserimento Paziente con i dati anagrafici*

Registra Paziente

Cliccare «Registra Paziente»



*Nuova prescrizione*

3) Cliccare «Dati di Residenza»

2) Inserire dati paziente

Dopo aver cliccato sulla «lente», ri-compare la schermata dell'eleggibilità

Se dimenticato, si può inserire qui data valutazione

Cliccare «Nuova Prescrizione»

Punteggio totale HAS-BLED (8)(vedi) deve essere > 3 per tutti e 3 i NAO

Punteggio TTR (C)(vedi) deve essere < 70% per Elliquis e Pradaxa, < 60% per Xarelto

se non presenti, valgono «0»

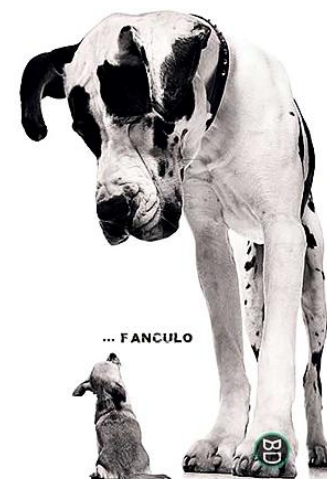
Punteggio totale CHA2DS2VASc (A)(vedi) deve essere = > 1 per Elliquis e Pradaxa, > 3 per Xarelto



# IL MONDO REALE

| Fascia età    | Anno 2011 |           |           | Anno 2012 |           |           | Anno 2013  |            |            | Anno 2014 (Gen - Ottobre) |            |            |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|
|               | Femmine   | Maschi    | Totale    | Femmine   | Maschi    | Totale    | Femmine    | Maschi     | Totale     | Femmine                   | Maschi     | Totale     |
| 0 - 54 anni   | 3         | 3         | 6         | 1         | 7         | 8         | 5          | 4          | 9          | 4                         | 12         | 16         |
| 55 - 64 anni  | 3         | 4         | 7         | 8         | 7         | 15        | 19         | 24         | 43         | 24                        | 28         | 52         |
| 65 - 74 anni  | 7         | 5         | 12        | 14        | 5         | 19        | 33         | 47         | 80         | 33                        | 64         | 97         |
| 75 - 84 anni  | 3         | 1         | 4         | 6         | 4         | 10        | 59         | 54         | 113        | 88                        | 74         | 162        |
| 85 - ed oltre | 0         | 0         | 0         | 2         | 1         | 3         | 25         | 13         | 38         | 31                        | 19         | 50         |
| <b>TOTALE</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>29</b> | <b>31</b> | <b>24</b> | <b>55</b> | <b>141</b> | <b>142</b> | <b>283</b> | <b>180</b>                | <b>197</b> | <b>377</b> |

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**PRESCRIZIONE NOACs IN PROVINCIA DI COMO**



# THE REAL WORLD

## CLINICAL SIGNIFICANCE

- The EURObservational Research Programme on Atrial Fibrillation (EORP-AF) Pilot Survey provides contemporary data on oral anticoagulation prescribing by European cardiologists.
- When oral anticoagulation was used, vitamin K antagonists were prescribed in the majority of patients (72.2%). Novel oral anticoagulants were used in the minority (7.7%) of patients. In addition, 80.5% of patients with a Congestive heart failure, Hypertension, Age  $\geq 75$  [Doubled], Diabetes, Stroke [Doubled]-Vascular disease, Age 65-74, and Sex category [female] (CHA<sub>2</sub>DS<sub>2</sub>-VASc) score  $\geq 1$  received oral anticoagulation.
- Antiplatelet therapy is still over-prescribed, with or without oral anticoagulation, whereas elderly patients are commonly undertreated with oral anticoagulation.

CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY

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# ESISTE UN VANTAGGIO REALE SCEGLIENDO UN NAO PITTOSTO CHE IL DICUMEROLICO NELLA GESTIONE DEI PAZIENTI CON FIBRILLAZIONE ATRIALE?

Come decidere tra una terapia consolidata con il disagio del controllo dell'INR  
ed una terapia nuova con il disagio del carico burogratico che comporta



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***GRAZIE PER LA VOSTRA ATTENZIONE***

