

Insulina glargine e diabete di tipo 2: il valore dell'esperienza

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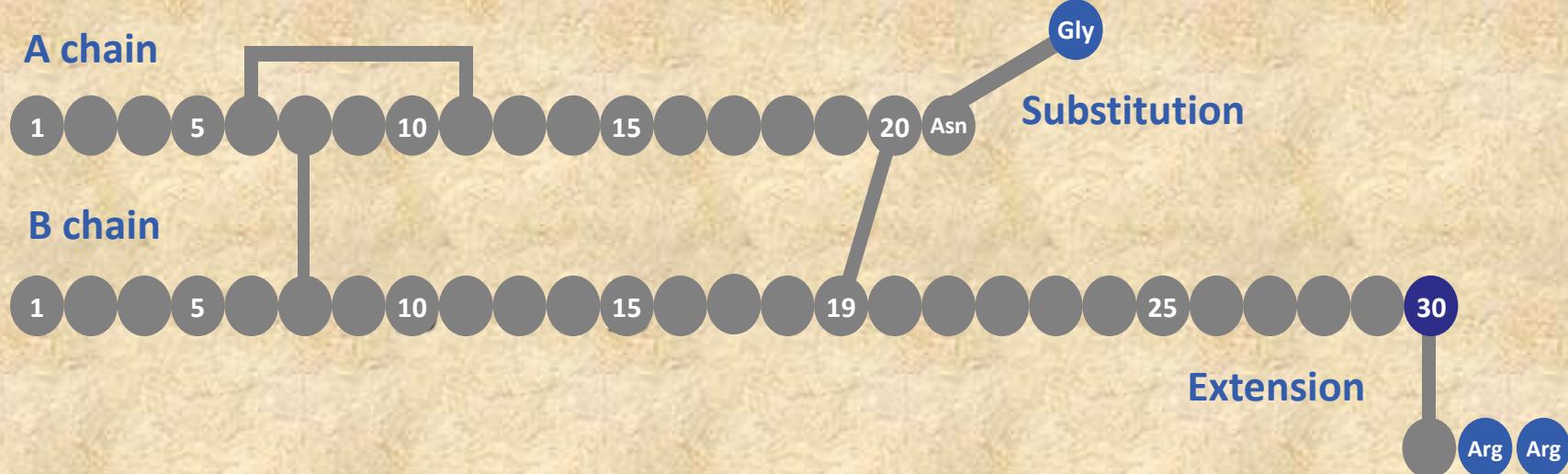
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Insulin glargine: a long-acting human insulin analogue designed to have low solubility at neutral pH



- Asparagine at position A21 replaced by glycine (provides stability)^{1,2}
- Addition of 2 arginines at C-terminus of the B chain (soluble at slightly acidic pH)^{1,2}

1. Lantus® Summary of Product Characteristics. Available at
http://www.ema.europa.eu/docs/en_GB/document_library/EPAR__Product_Information/human/000284/WC500036082.pdf
(accessed 25 Nov 2013)

2. McKeage K, et al. Drugs. 2001;61:1599–1624

Insulin glargine is a pro-drug of M1

Glargine forms mainly M1 metabolite with biochemical properties of human insulin¹

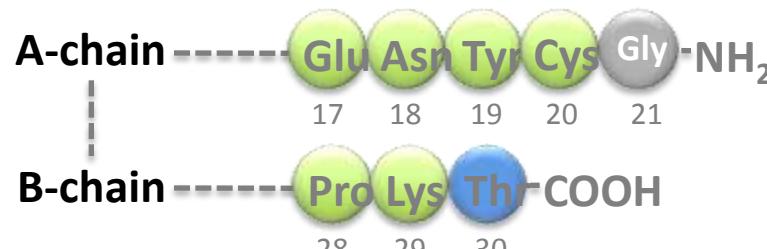


21^AGly-31^BArg-32^BArg-human insulin
= Insulin glargine

Not detectable in blood stream

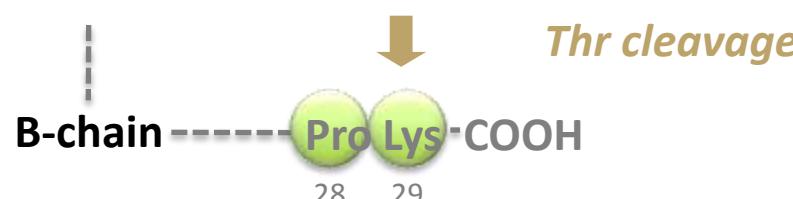
*Redissolution after
subcutaneous
injection*

Arg-Arg cleavage



21^AGly-human insulin
M1

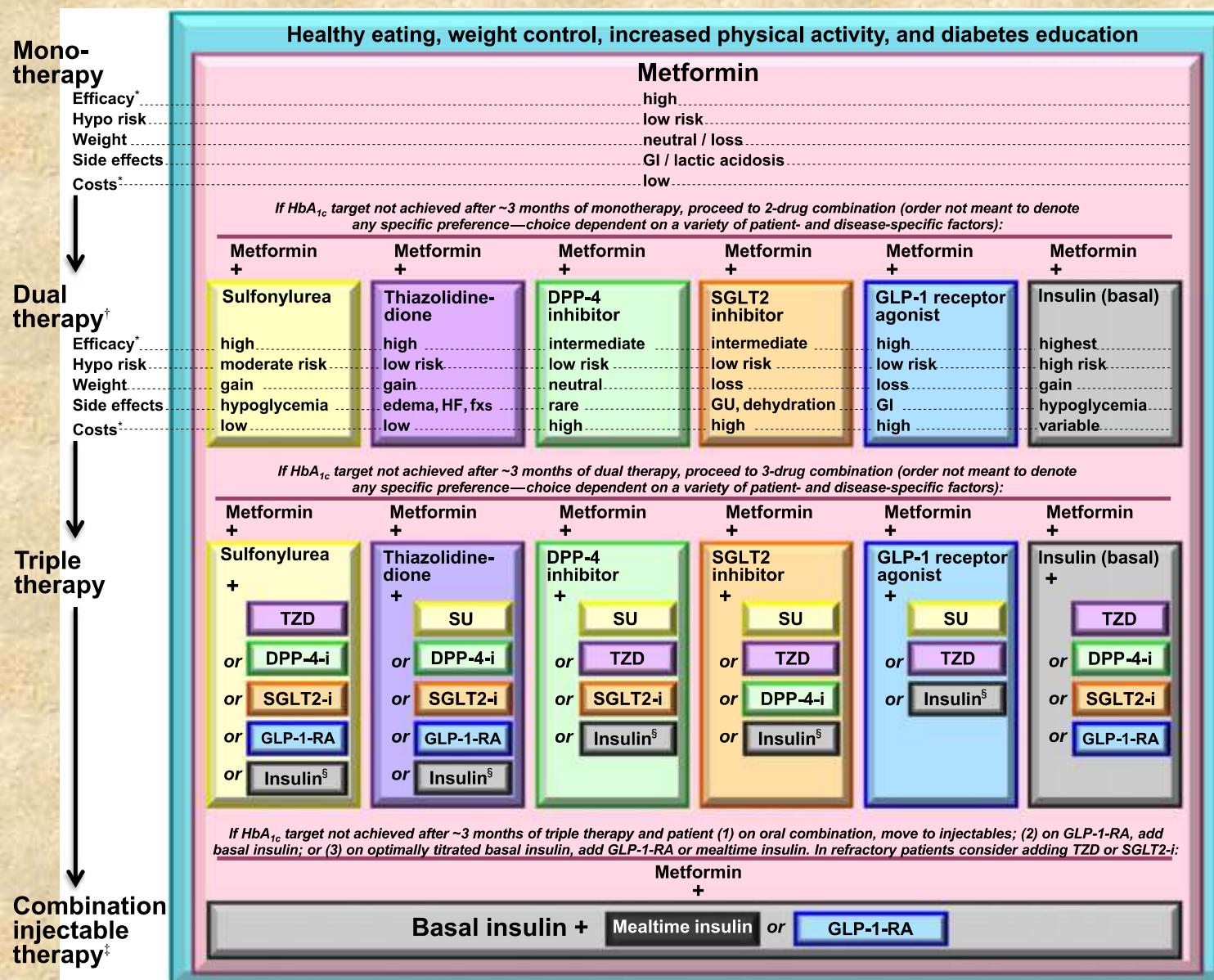
*Main metabolite with properties
comparable to human insulin*



21^AGly-des-30^BThr-human insulin
M2

1. Modified from Sommerfeld MR, et al. PLoS ONE 2010; 5(3): e9540

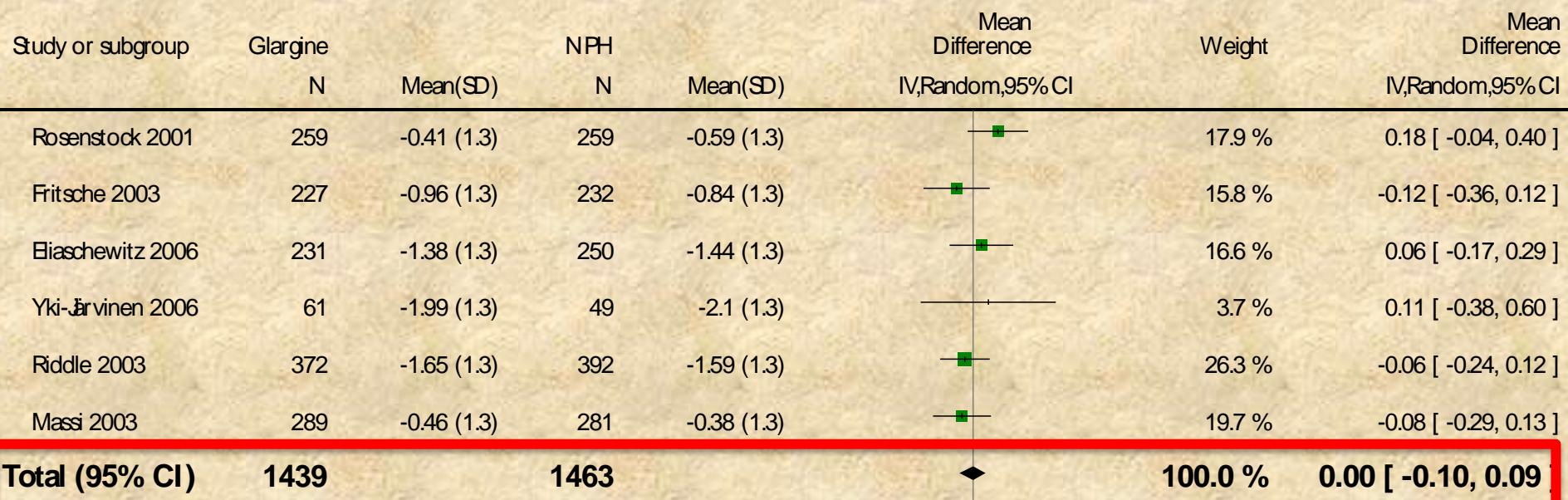
EASD-ADA 2015: Recommendations for anti-hyperglycemic therapy in type 2 diabetes



Inzucchi SE et al.;
Diabetologia 2015

Change in HbA1c in patients with type 2 diabetes: glargine vs NPH

Outcome: 2 Change in HbA1c (pooled SD) - Glargine vs. NPH



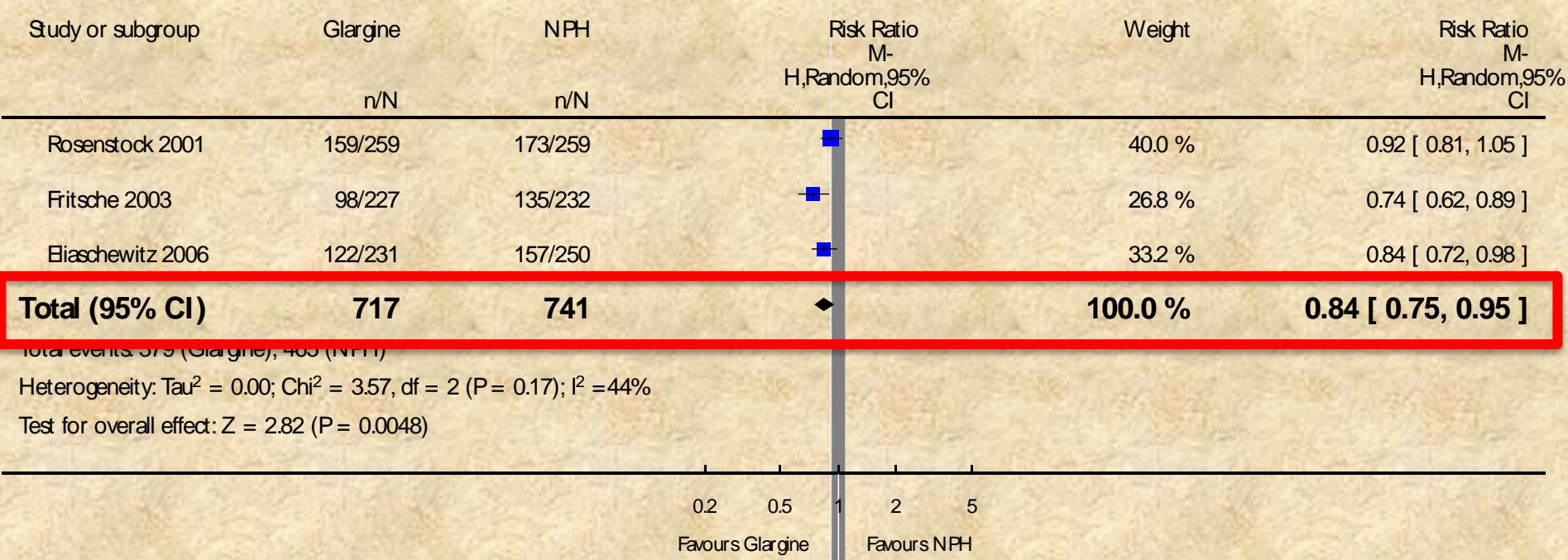
Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.0$, Chi² = 4.05, $df = 5$ ($P = 0.45$), $I^2 = 0.0\%$

Test for overall effect: $Z = 0.09$ ($P = 0.93$)



Symptomatic hypoglycemias in patients with type 2 diabetes: glargine vs NPH

Outcome: 3 Symptomatic hypoglycaemia - Glargine vs. NPH



Nocturnal hypoglycemias in patients with type 2 diabetes: glargine vs NPH

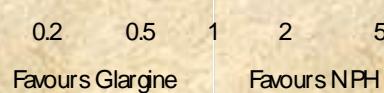
Outcome: 5 Nocturnal hypoglycaemia - Glargine vs. NPH

Study or subgroup	Glargine n/N	NPH n/N	Risk Ratio M-H,Random,95% CI	Weight	Risk Ratio M-H,Random,95% CI
Fritsche 2003	52/227	89/232	■	30.9 %	0.60 [0.45, 0.80]
Rosenstock 2001	81/259	104/259	■	40.6 %	0.78 [0.62, 0.98]
Eliaschewitz 2006	47/231	87/250	■	28.5 %	0.58 [0.43, 0.79]
Total (95% CI)	717	741	◆	100.0 %	0.66 [0.55, 0.80]

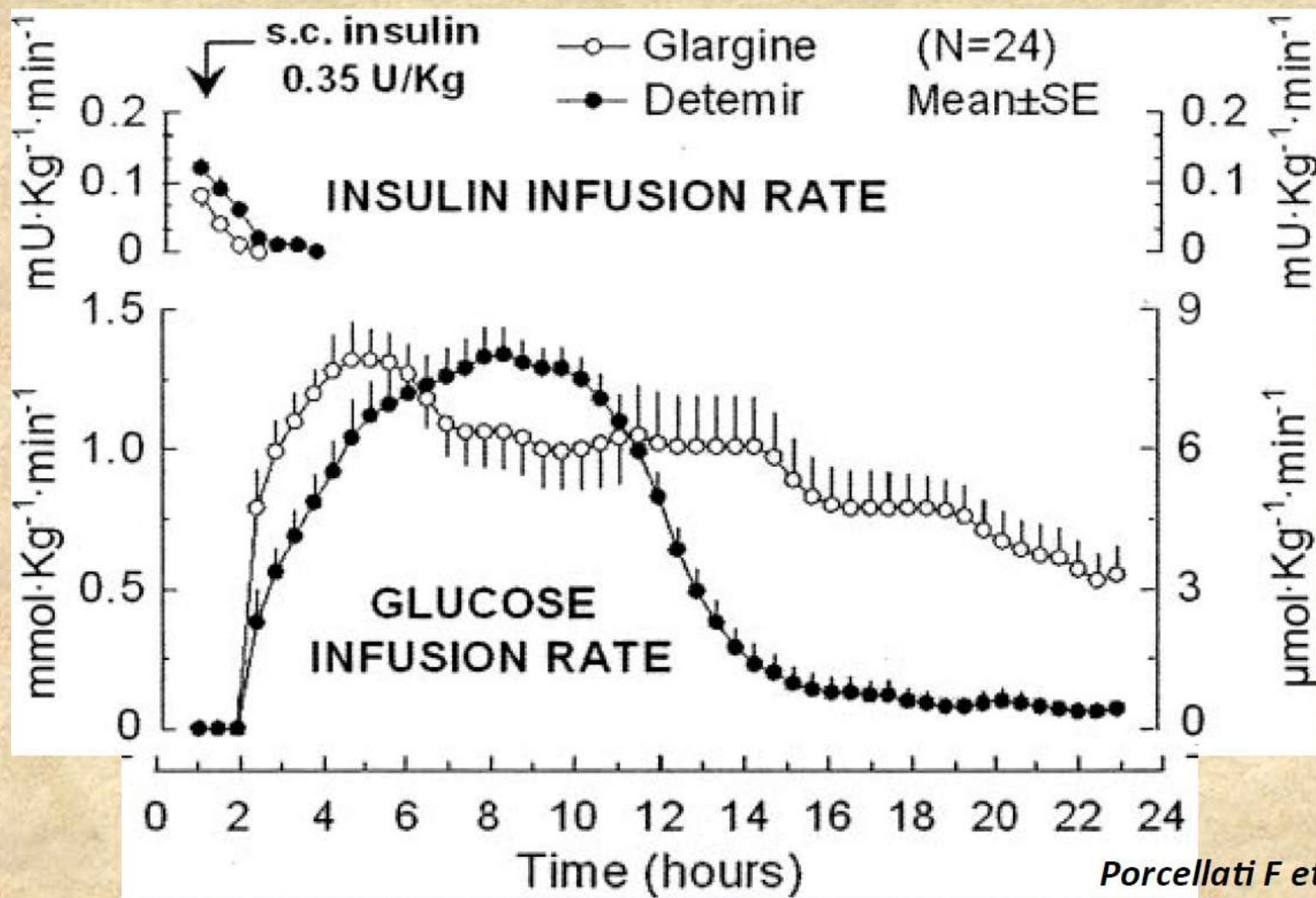
Total events: 160 (Glargine), 200 (NPH)

Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.01$; $\chi^2 = 2.98$, df = 2 ($P = 0.23$); $I^2 = 33\%$

Test for overall effect: $Z = 4.20$ ($P = 0.000026$)



Glargine vs Detemir: a pharmacodynamic comparison



Efficacy of insulin detemir vs glargine in patients with diabetes. A Cochrane review.

Outcome	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Mean difference Detemir vs Glargine [95% C.I.]
HbA _{1c}	4	2250	-0.08% [-0.10 , 0.27]
FPG	4	2250	0.34 mmol/L [0.01 , 0.67]

Insulin detemir vs glargine: patients with hypoglycemia. A Cochrane review.

Percent of participants with hypoglycemia			
Episodes	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Rate Ratio [95% C.I.]
Total	4	2252	0.98 [0.92, 1.05]
Severe	4	2252	1.02 [0.90, 1.16]
Nocturnal	4	2242	0.82 [0.51, 1.32]

Combined outcomes of insulin detemir vs glargine in patients with diabetes.

A Cochrane review.

Outcome	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Risk Ratio Detemir vs Glargine [95% C.I.]
% Pts $\text{HbA}_{1\text{c}} \leq 7.0\%$	4	2078	0.96 [0.81, 1.14]
% Pts $\text{HbA}_{1\text{c}} \leq 7.0\%$ without hypos	4	2080	0.87 [0.76 , 1.00]

Insulin detemir vs glargine: other endpoints. A Cochrane review.

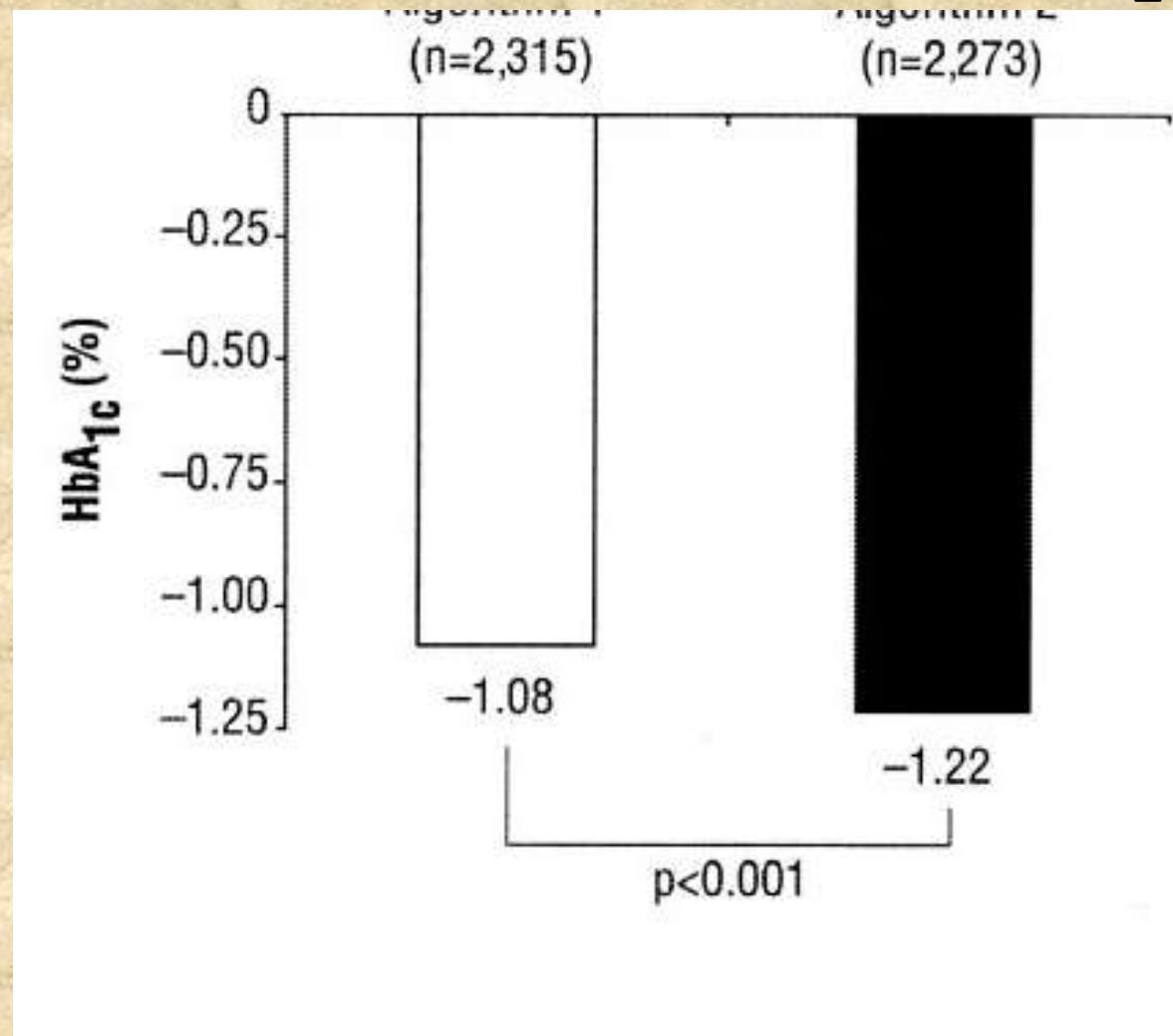
Insulin detemir vs glargine			
Endpoint	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Mean difference or Risk ratio [95% C.I.]
Weight gain	4	2250	-0.91 kg [-1.21, -0.61]
Participants with injection site reaction	4	2252	3.31 [1.13, 9.73]
Daily dose in units per kg	4	2242	+0.26 U/kg [0.11, 0.41]

AT-LANTUS: empowering the patient to manage the titration algorithm of insulin glargine

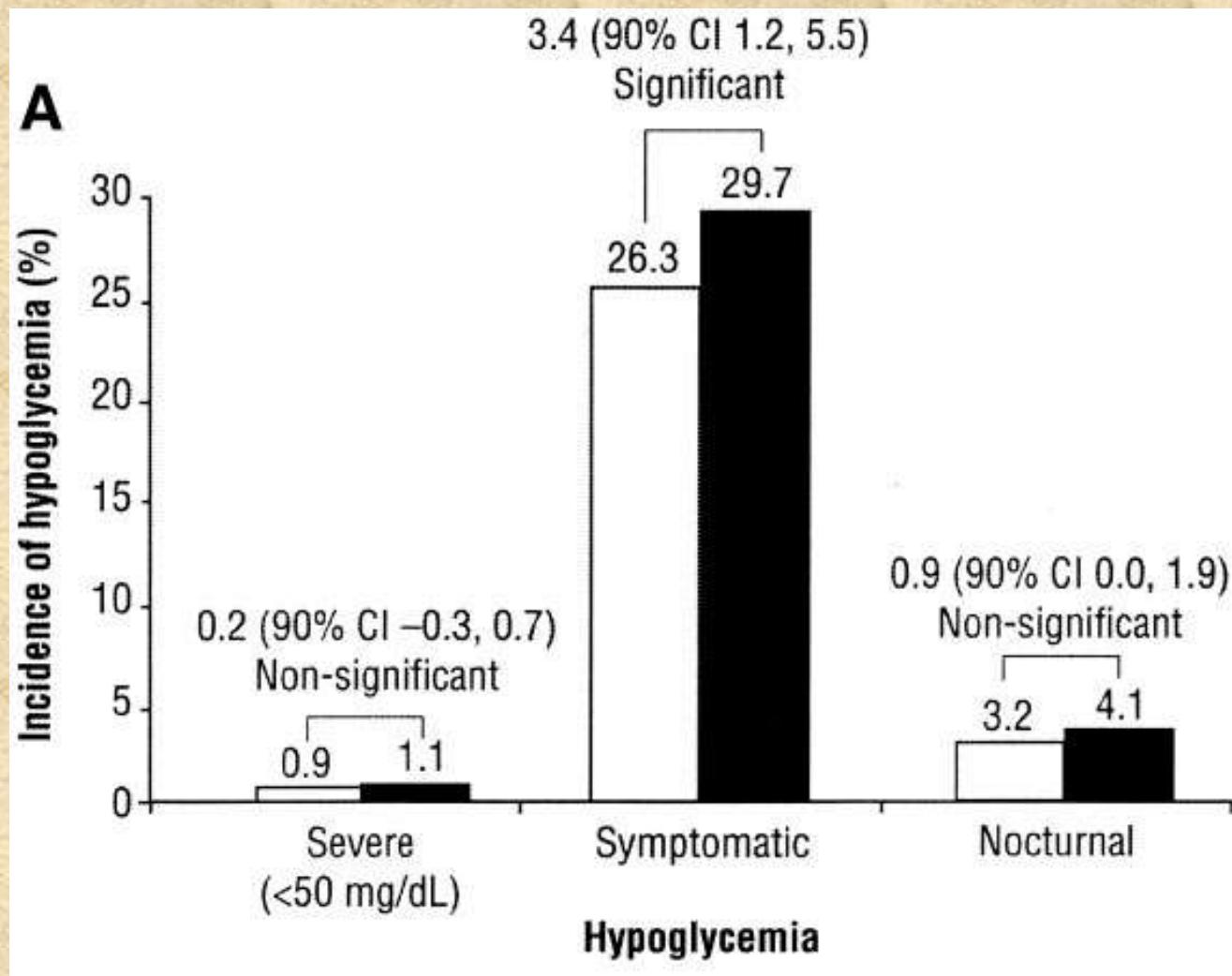
Mean FBG for the previous 3 consecutive days	Increase in daily basal insulin glargine dose (IU)*	
	Algorithm 1: titration at every visit; managed by physician†	Algorithm 2: titration every 3 days; managed by subject†
≥100 mg/dl and <120 mg/dl (≥5.5 mmol/l and <6.7 mmol/l)	0–2 (at the discretion of the investigator)‡	0–2 (at the discretion of the investigator)‡
≥120 mg/dl and <140 mg/dl (≥6.7 mmol/l and <7.8 mmol/l)	2	2
≥140 mg/dl and <180 mg/dl (≥7.8 mmol/l and <10 mmol/l)	4	2
≥180 mg/dl (≥10 mmol/l)	6–8 (at the discretion of the investigator)‡	2

*Target FBG ≤100 mg/dl (≤5.5 mmol/l). †Reviewed by physician at each visit, either in person or over the telephone; titration occurred only in the absence of blood glucose levels <72 mg/dl (<4.0 mmol/l). ‡Magnitude of daily basal dose was at the discretion of the investigator.

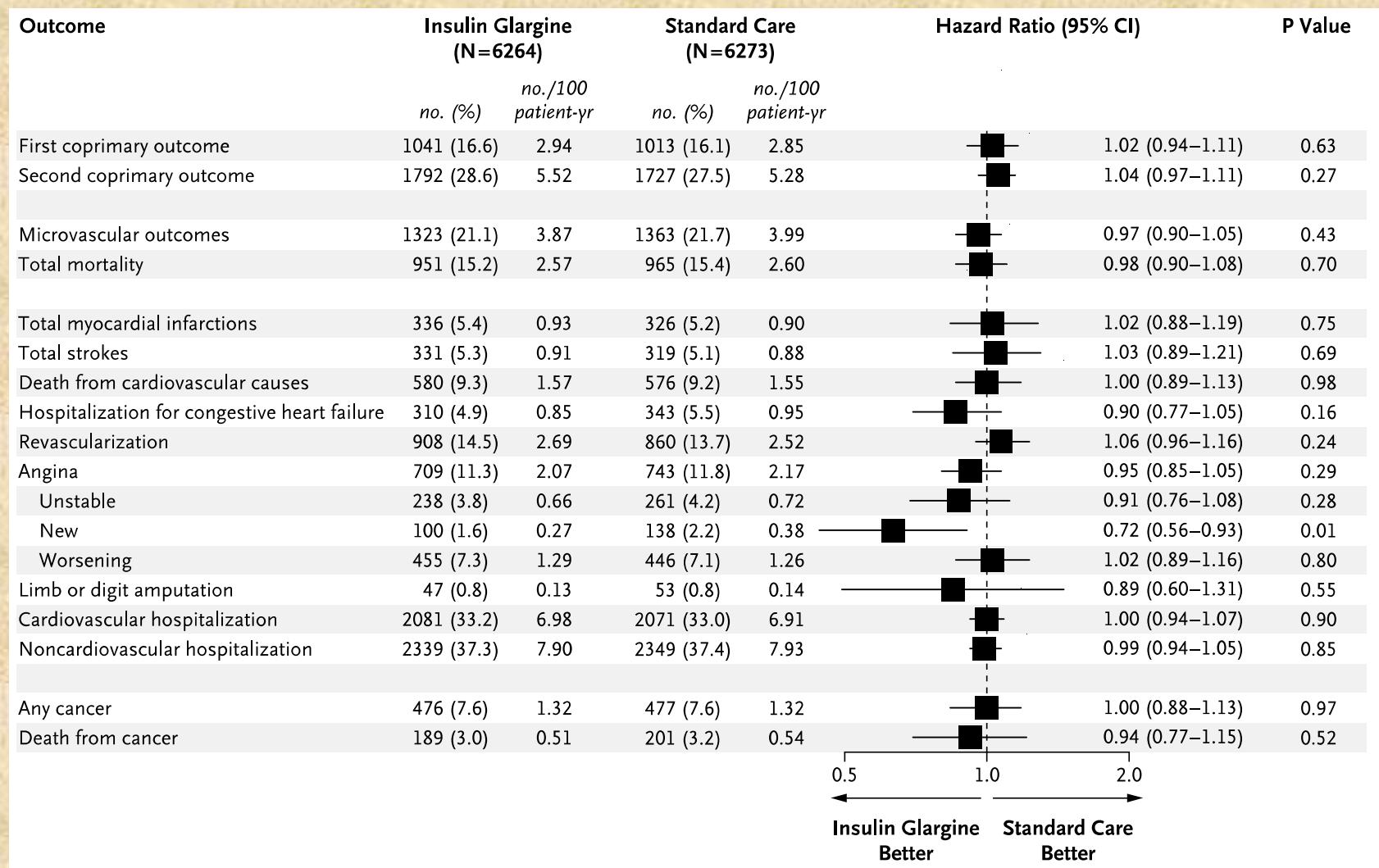
Patients fare better than physicians in achieving reductions in HbA_{1c}....



....but they pay a higher toll to hypoglycemia



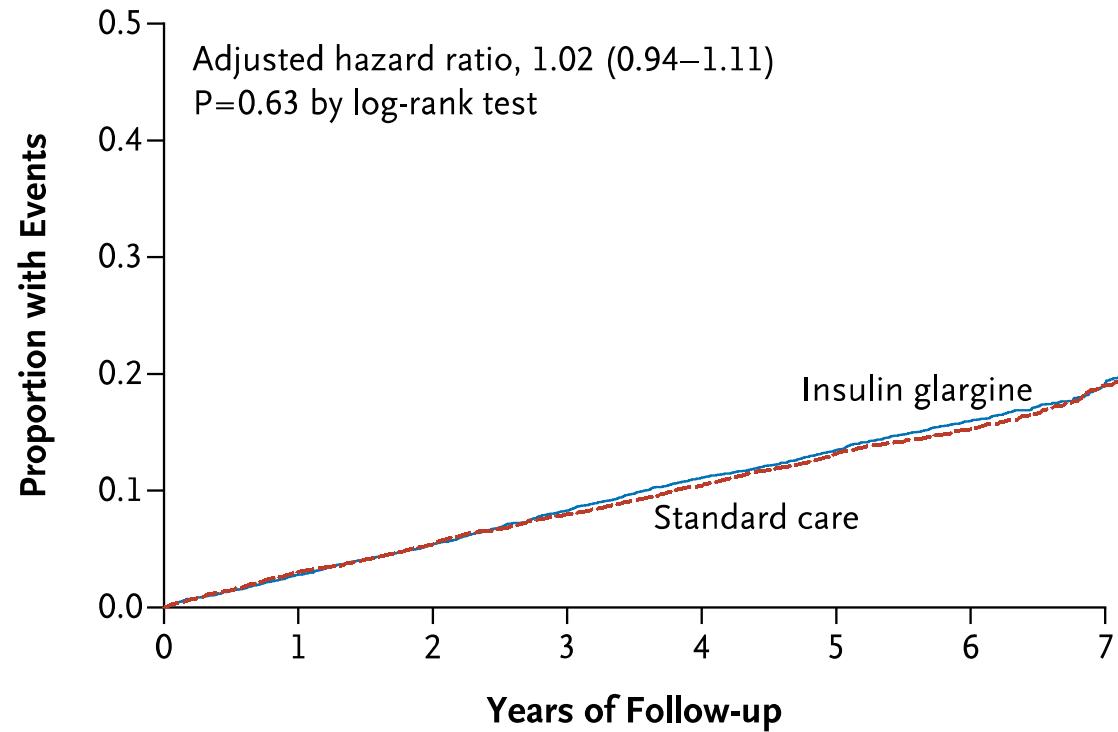
The ORIGIN Study: Hazard Ratios for the coprimary and other outcomes



The ORIGIN Trial Investigators; NEJM 2012

The ORIGIN Study: proportion of patients with the coprimary outcome over time

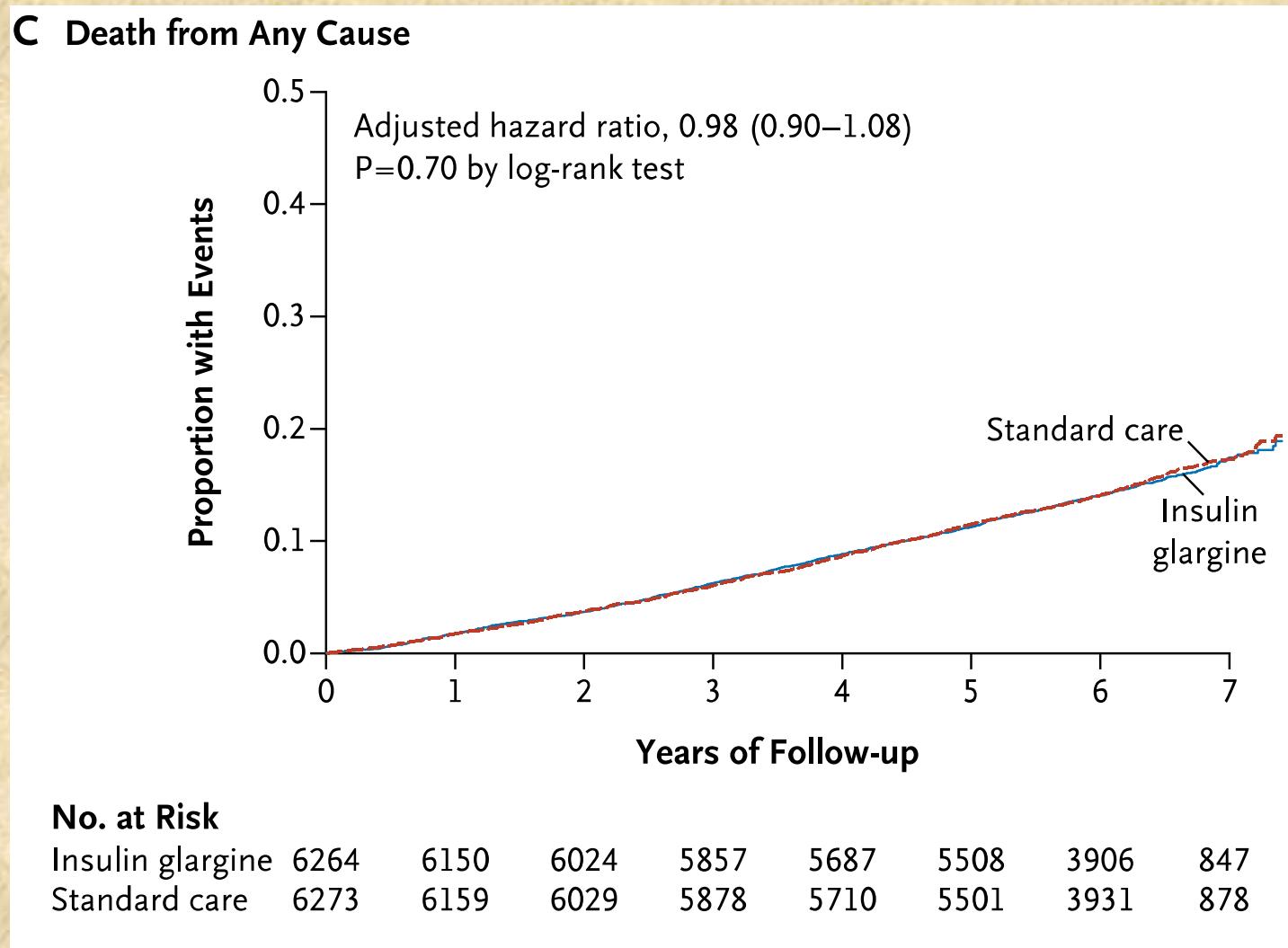
A Myocardial Infarction, Stroke, or Death from Cardiovascular Causes
(Coprimary Outcome)



No. at Risk

Insulin glargine	6264	6057	5850	5619	5379	5151	3611	766
Standard care	6273	6043	5847	5632	5415	5156	3639	800

The ORIGIN Study: proportion of patients with death from any cause over time

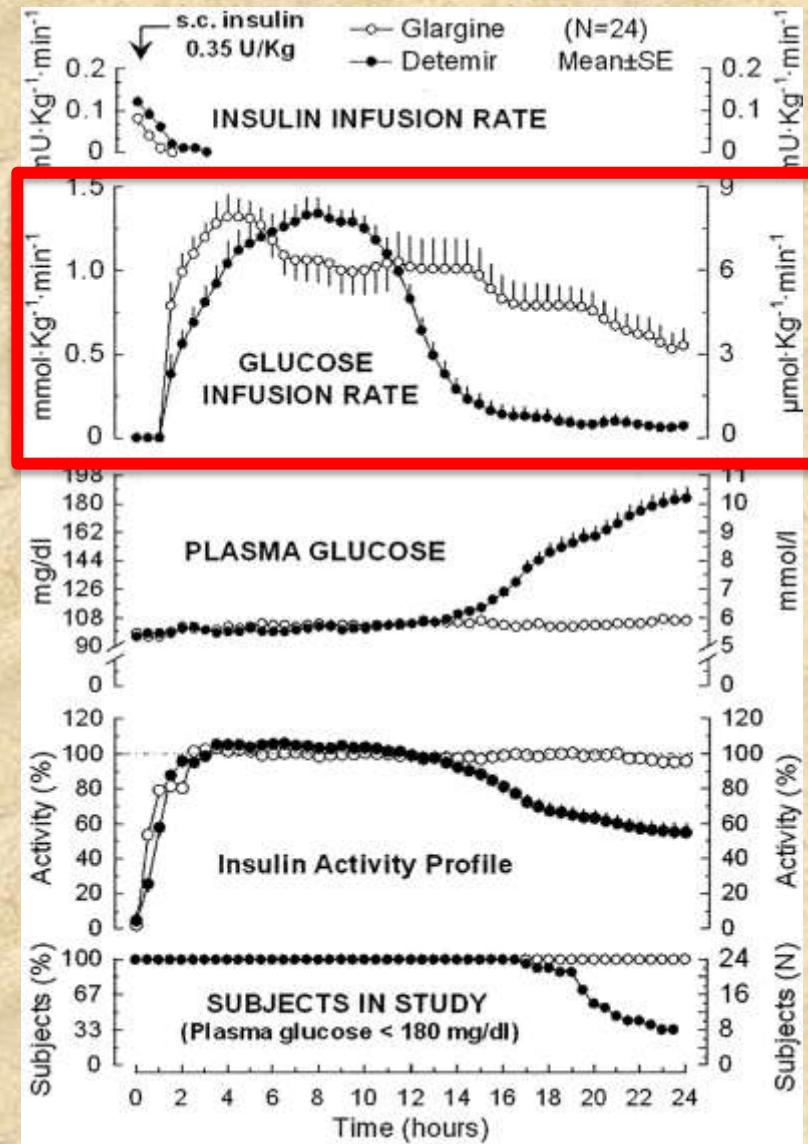


Conclusioni

- **L'insulina glargine:**
 - Ha un profilo farmacodinamico da vera insulina basale
 - È altrettanto efficace e induce meno ipoglicemie rispetto alle insuline intermedie
 - Ha algoritmi di titolazione semplici ed efficaci
 - È stata studiata in combinazione con insuline prandiali e con tutte le classi di farmaci orali anti-diabete
 - È l'analogo insulinico con il profilo di sicurezza meglio documentato (ORIGIN trial)
 - È il benchmark e comparator di riferimento
 - Per le nuove insuline basali
 - Per i biosimilari
 - Per altri farmaci iniettabili

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Glargine vs Detemir: a pharmacodynamic comparison



Porcellati F et al.;
Diabetes Care 2007

Insulin detemir vs glargine: hypoglycemic episodes. A Cochrane review.

Hypoglycemic events per 100 patients' days			
Episodes	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Rate Ratio [95% C.I.]
Total	4	2252	1.00 [0.90, 1.11]
Severe	4	2252	0.88 [0.59, 1.30]
Nocturnal	4	2242	1.0 [0.93, 1.09]

Efficacy of insulin glargine vs NPH in patients with type 1 diabetes. A Cochrane review.

Outcome	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Mean difference Glargine vs NPH [95% C.I.]
HbA _{1c}	12	3249	-0.07% [-0.13 , -0.01]
FPG	6	2377	-0.45 mmol/L [-0.73 , -0.16]
Mean SMBG	4	540	-0.49 mmol/L [-0.73 , -0.16]

Insulin glargine vs NPH in patients with type 1 diabetes: hypoglycemic episodes. A Cochrane review.

Hypoglycemic events per 100 patients' days			
Episodes	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Mean difference Glargine vs NPH [95% C.I.]
Total	7	1675	-0.41 [-0.54 , -0.27]
Severe	7	1614	-0.00 [-0.02 , +0.02]
Nocturnal	8	1746	-0.14 [-0.21 , -0.07]

Insulin glargine vs NPH in patients with type 1 diabetes: patients with hypoglycemia. A Cochrane review.

Percent of participants with hypoglycemia			
Episodes	Studies (N)	Participants (N)	Odds Ratio (M-H, Fixed) [95% C.I.]
Total	8	2918	0.96 [0.79, 1.17]
Severe	10	2871	0.76 [0.58, 0.98]
Nocturnal	6	2311	0.84 [0.70, 1.00]