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2. Role trombocytů při ŽOK a co vše zohledňovat při jejich substituci?
3. Plazma a fibrinogen – update 2022
4. ŽOK – jaká témata a koncepty mají potenciál ovlivnění naší klinické praxe v roce 2023?

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PLAZMA FIBRINOGEN

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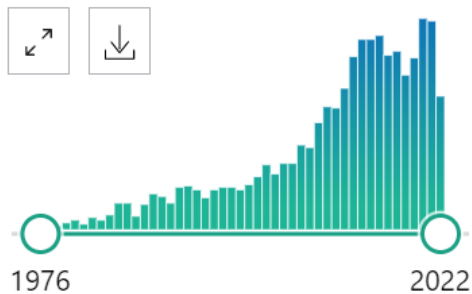
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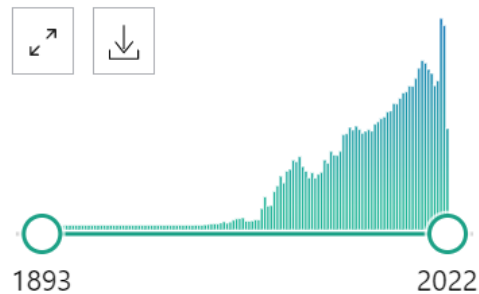


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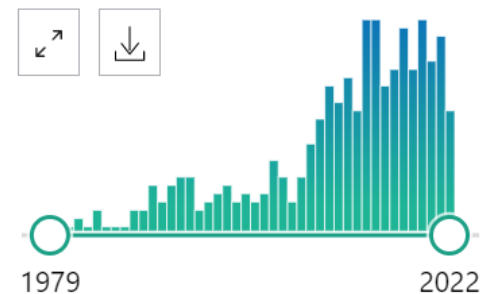




FIGURE 75.—Medical care on Omaha Beach, June 1944. Note the absence of a litter.



Wounded soldier on Okinawa being administered blood plasma



Private Roy W. Humphrey of Toledo, Ohio is being given blood plasma after he was wounded by shrapnel in Sicily on 8/9/43



Vietnam, 1968

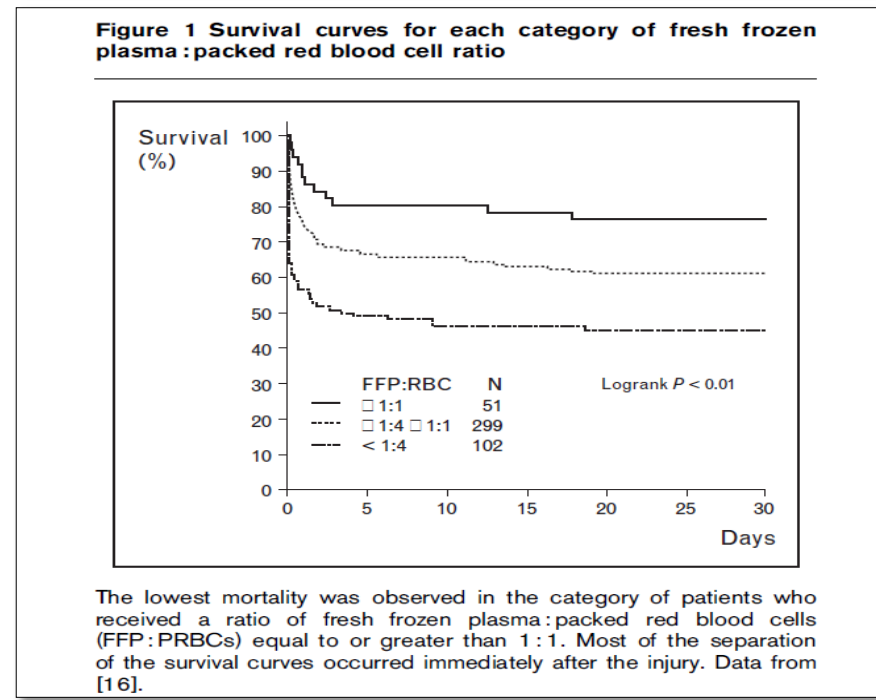
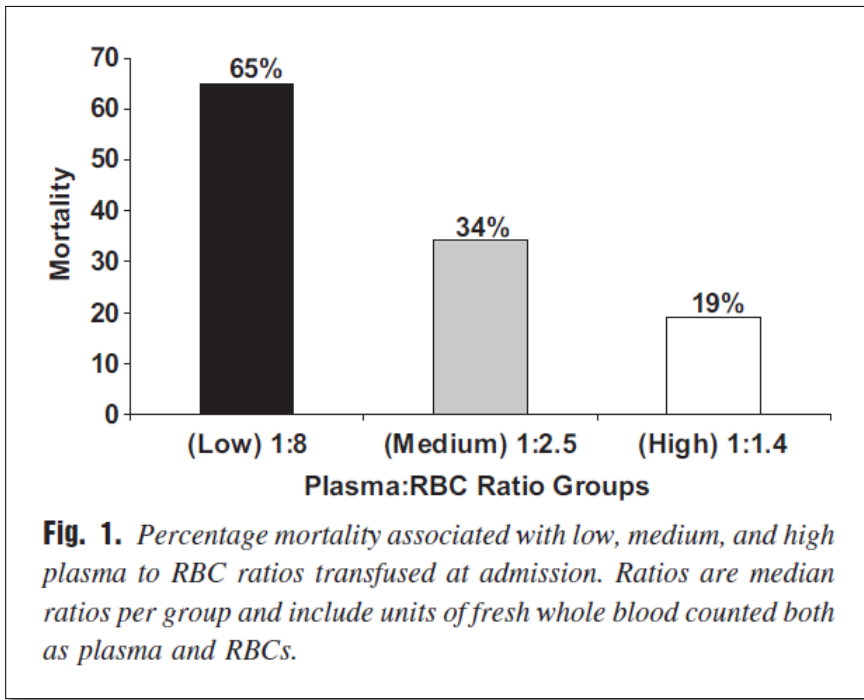


The original photo, taken in Vietnam in 1967. CREDIT: COURTESY OF THE AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL



The fighting in Hue City, Vietnam, mid-February 1968





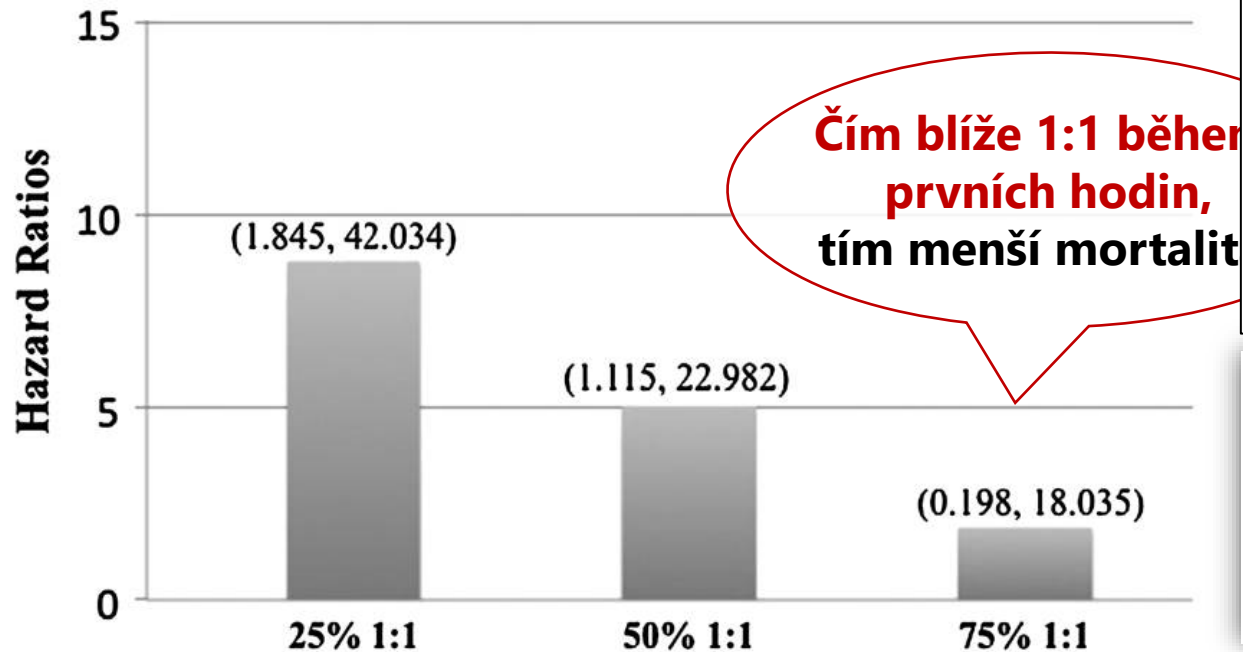
Time matters in 1:1 resuscitations: Concurrent administration of blood:plasma and risk of death

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Hazard Ratios for Mortality in CAT+ Patients

Critical Administration Threshold = 3 TU krve/hod



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Optimal Dose, Timing and Ratio of Blood Products in Massive Transfusion: Results from a Systematic Review

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ABSTRACT

Optimal dose, timing and ratio of red blood cells (RBC) of blood component therapy (fresh frozen plasma [FFP], platelets, cryoprecipitate or fibrinogen concentrate) to reduce morbidity and mortality in critically bleeding patients requiring massive transfusion is unknown. We performed a systematic review for randomized controlled trials (RCT) in MEDLINE, The Cochrane Library, Embase, CINAHL, PubMed the Transfusion Evidence Library and using multiple clinical trials registries to 21 February 2017. Sixteen RCTs were identified: six completed (five in adult trauma patients, one pediatric burn patients) and ten ongoing trials. Of the completed trials: three were feasibility trials, comparing a FFP, platelets and RBC ratio of 1:1:1 to laboratory-guided transfusion practice [n = 69], early cryoprecipitate compared to standard practice [n = 41], and early fibrinogen concentrate compared to placebo [n = 45]; one trial compared the effect of FFP, platelets and RBC ratio of 1:1:1 with 1:1:2 on 24-hour and 30-day mortality [n = 680]; one compared whole blood to blood component therapy on 24-hour blood use [n = 107]; one compared a FFP to RBC ratio of 1:1 with 1:4 [n = 16]. Data from two trials were pooled in a meta-analysis for 28-day mortality because the transfusion ratios achieved were similar. Results from these two trials suggest higher transfusion ratios were associated with transfusion of more FFP and platelets without evidence of significant difference with respect to mortality or morbidity. On the limited evidence available, there is insufficient basis to recommend a 1:1:1 over a 1:1:2 ratio or standard care for adult patients with critical bleeding requiring massive transfusion.

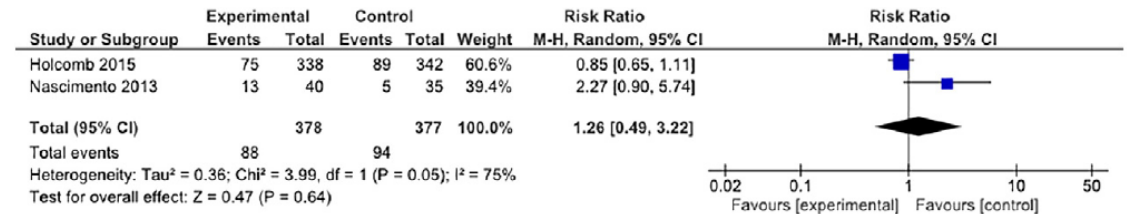


Fig. 2. Forrest plot for 28-day mortality.

FIBRINOGEN OF THE BLOOD AS INFLUENCED BY THE LIVER NECROSIS OF CHLOROFORM POISONING.¹

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During the course of some experiments on chloroform poisoning in dogs, it was noted that operations upon many of these animals resulted fatally because of uncontrollable hemorrhage. At autopsy the abdominal cavity was frequently full of fluid blood and, in cases of extreme poisoning, even the blood vessels and heart contained fluid blood and no clots. The present series of experiments was undertaken with the hope of clearing up this feature of chloroform poisoning, but, as the work progressed, it seemed to throw some light on interesting problems connected with blood coagulation and liver function. These experiments seem to indicate clearly that fibrinogen is formed by the liver or that its formation is quite dependent upon the functional activity of that organ.

It will be seen that fibrinogen in the blood can be made to decrease or almost to vanish at will through the production of liver necrosis by chloroform anesthesia. Also, the drop of fibrinogen is found to parallel closely the extent of liver necrosis and, in severe poisoning where the liver shows extensive necrosis, the fibrinogen may be practically absent. In this latter condition, which is not unlike hemophilia, the animal bleeds steadily from large or small cuts. Moreover, the fibrinogen reappears in the blood as the liver begins to repair the injury to its lobules and keeps pace with the repair of the liver cells. The repair is very rapid and may be complete in five or six days. Finally, at the end of the reparatory activity of the liver, we may find an excess of fibrinogen in the blood, an over-production corresponding to Weigert's law of tissue injury and repair (Chart I).

¹Received for publication, August 10, 1910.

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BLOOD COAGULATION IN OBSTETRIC EMERGENCIES

In pregnancy a haemostatic defect may develop from disturbances of blood coagulation. This haemorrhagic state, arising in some obstetrical emergencies, has been recognized for many years but has recently received renewed attention, and is the subject of two papers in this week's *Journal*. The coagulation abnormality is most commonly seen in antepartum haemorrhage (p. 290) and Dr. Reid (p. 287) point out, that thrombotic embolism, in association with the foetus in an Rh-immunized mother, in missed abortion, and in hydatidiform mole. The exact nature of this clotting defect is not clearly understood, but two changes have been accepted as features of the condition—deficiency of fibrinogen and an active fibrinolytic system. Some believe that the depletion of fibrinogen is due to excessive utilization as a consequence of intravascular clotting or of the formation of retroplacental clot or of fibrin deposit.

Patients who have had a concealed accidental haemorrhage, a death *in utero*, or premature separation of the placenta associated with a defect of blood coagulation (Weiner *et al.*, 1950; Reid *et al.*, 1953). This is thought to be due to a reduction in the fibrinogen level of the blood (Dieckmann, 1936), and while theories about the causation of the defect are various (Weiner *et al.*, 1950; Albrechtsen *et al.*, 1955; Ratnoff *et al.*, 1955), the response to fibrinogen therapy has now been proved by experience (Weiner *et al.*, 1950; Reid *et al.*, 1953; Barnett and Cussen, 1954; Scott, 1955).

¹ Barry, A. P., *Fecundation*, 1955, 2, 12.

² *Surg. Gynec. Obstet.*

³ *J. Obstet. Gynec.*

⁴ *Amer. J. Obstet.*

⁵ *Renal Cortical Nephrosis*, 1952, Oxford.

...příčina je v deficitu fibrinogenu a aktivním fybrinolytickém systému

... prokazatelné zlepšení po podání fibrinogenu



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| Germany | March 1966 (March 2005 ^c) | |
| Hungary | June 1998 | |
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| Switzerland | November 1992 | |
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^cApproval date of current license.

KOAGULOPATIE U TRAUMAT

- LIŠÍ SE OD JINÝCH ZÍSKANÝCH KOAGULOPATIÍ?

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Perioperative Coagulation Management: **Out With the Old (Plasma)** and **In With the New (Fibrinogen)?**

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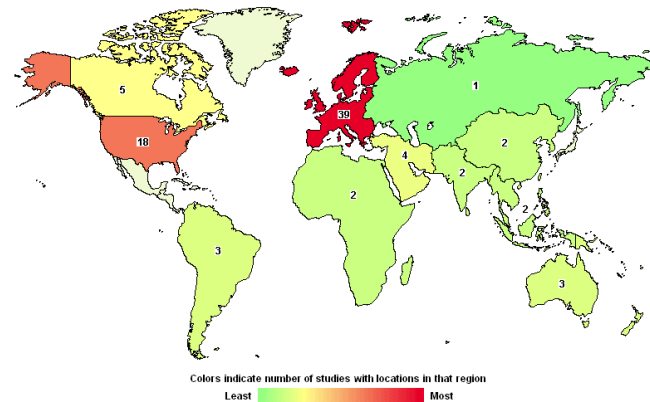
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Modern Treatment of Abruption Placentae

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HEMORRHAGE CONTINUES to be one of the major causes of maternal death. Deaths due to infection have decreased sharply but there has been much less change in the proportionate number of deaths due to other members of the classical triad—toxemia and hemorrhage. The work of several maternal welfare committees indicates that probably 75 per cent of hemorrhagic deaths are preventable. Therefore, in order to reduce maternal mortality further, the prevention, control and treatment of hemorrhage must be improved.

75% úmrtí na krvácení je pravděpodobně preventabilní

rate associated with this grade approximates 10 per cent. Fortunately, the severe form is not common, occurring in about 15 per cent of cases of premature separation. Often the only evidence of premature separation is that found by pathologic examination of the placenta. Moreover, diagnosis and treatment of abruption placentae are frequently linked with another complication of pregnancy—toxemia.

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SYSTEMIC EFFECTS OF ABRUPTION PLACENTAE

Various lines of investigation have shown the severe grade of premature separation of the placenta to be accompanied by systemic effects, some of which are potentially lethal, and which include:

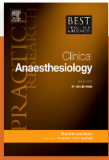
1. Clinical shock, sometimes out of proportion to blood loss or hypotension.
2. Disseminated deposition of fibrin.
3. An *in vivo* defibrination of the blood with a decrease or absence of fibrinogen, sometimes resulting in incoagulable blood.
4. Ischemia of the renal cortex, leading to varying degrees of necrosis.
5. Activation of a fibrinolysin in the plasma.

nutné okamžité
doplnění fibrinogenu

3. Therapy of Systemic Disease

Treatment of systemic disease must include prompt replacement of fibrinogen, if indicated, and ample quantities of fresh whole blood. Bank blood is of less value in restoring fibrinogen levels and may actually lower them. A minimum of 4 gm. of fibrinogen is usually recommended, but as much as three times this amount may be needed to restore normal hemostasis.

Frequent determinations or estimations of plasma fibrinogen will enable the physician to determine the actual amount needed. Fibrinogen should be administered until a stable clot will form.



Best Practice & Research Clinical Anaesthesiology Epidemiology and Definition of PPH Worldwide --Manuscript Draft--

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| Abstract: | Postpartum/peripartum hemorrhage (PPH) is an obstetric emergency complicating 1–10% of all deliveries and is a leading cause of maternal mortality and morbidity worldwide. However, the incidence of PPH differs widely according to the definition and criteria used, the way of measuring postpartum blood loss, and the population being studied with the highest numbers in developing countries. Despite all the significant progress in health care, the incidence of PPH is arising due to an incomplete implementation of guidelines, resulting in treatment delays and suboptimal care. A consensus clinical definition of PPH is needed to enable awareness, early recognition, and initiation of appropriate intensive treatment. Unfortunately, the most used definition of PPH based on blood loss ≥ 500 ml after delivery suffers from inaccuracies in blood loss quantification and is not clinically relevant in most cases, as the amount of blood loss does not fully reflect the severity of bleeding. |

Although in low-and-middle-income countries, there has been an impressive reduction in obstetric hemorrhage and associated deaths in the last years as services and medical care improve, in high-income regions, despite all the significant progress in health care, the problem seems to be worsening, and incidence of PPH is on the rise in many of these countries[101, 102]. In the United States, the incidence of PPH (defined as blood loss >1000 ml) is approximately 8 to 40 per 10 000 deliveries [103]. An increase in obesity, more frequent and serious comorbidities, especially cardiovascular, or increased cesarean section rates cannot fully explain this rise [104, 105]. The increasing incidence of PPH suggests an incomplete implementation of guidelines [106-108], resulting in treatment delays or suboptimal care, which are increasingly being reported in 30–90% of PPH cases [109-112]! Moreover, reports from confidential inquiries have shown that as many as 67% of the deaths in the United States and 85% of those in France are avoidable, resulting as they have from either delayed or inadequate treatment. Treating PPH are believed to directly affect complications such as coagulopathy, and mortality to be caused by misinterpretation of the extent of blood loss and its physiological effects, failure to recognize hidden bleeding, and failure to escalate care to more senior colleagues [116-118].

Zpoždění léčby až u 90% případů krvácení (PPH)

67% v USA a 85% ve Francii úmrtí bylo preventabilních

Transport Time and Preoperating Room Hemostatic Interventions Are Important: Improving Outcomes After Severe Truncal Injury

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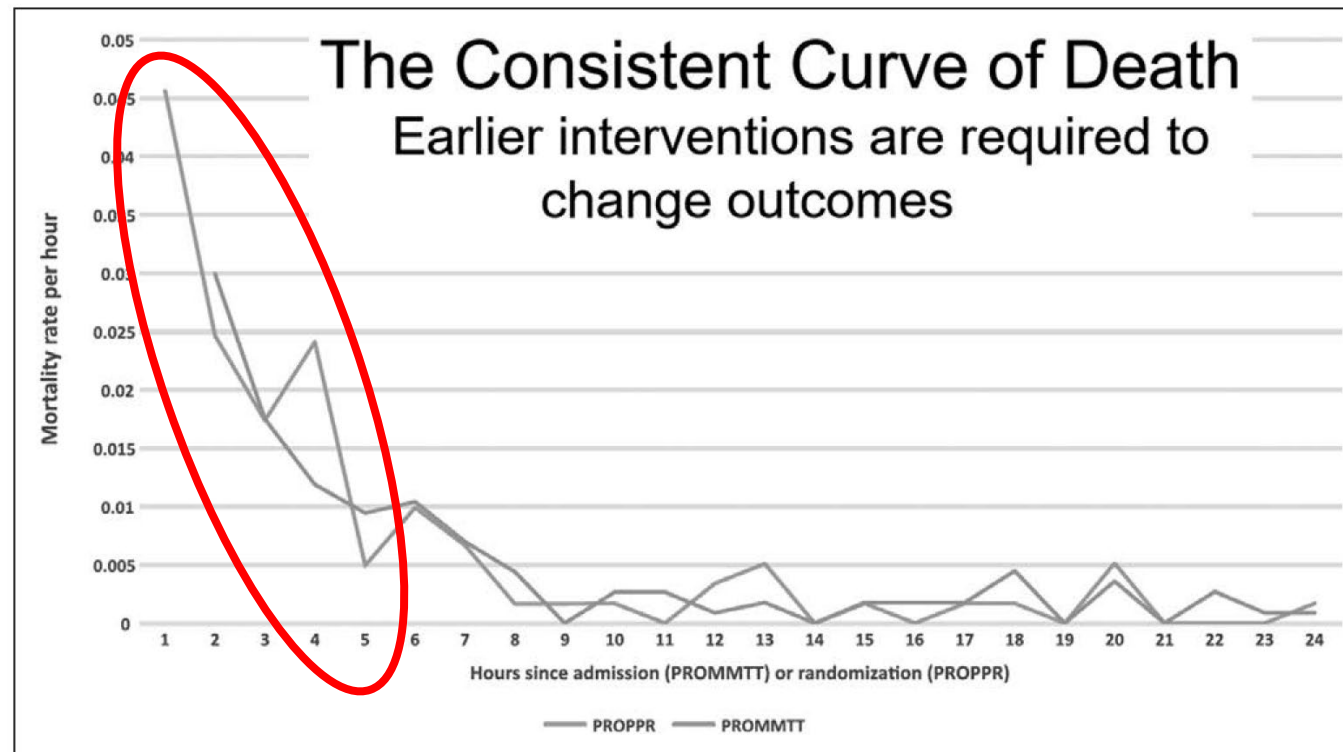


Figure 2. After admission, PRospective Observational Multicenter Major Trauma Transfusion (PROMMTT) and Pragmatic Randomized Optimal Platelet and Plasma Ratio (PROPPR) patients die early and at a very reproducible rate, $n = 1,925$. Modified from Fox et al (22).



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Short Report

Comparison of haematological indices and transfusion management in severe and massive postpartum haemorrhage: analysis of a two-year national prospective observational study

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Introduction: This two-year prospective cohort study compared the management of women experiencing severe or massive postpartum haemorrhage (PPH) to explore the impact of targeted blood product administration on reducing PPH progression (from >1500 mL to ≥2500 mL blood loss). During the study, viscoelastic haemostatic assays (VHA) guided blood product transfusion.

Methods: All women experiencing blood loss after PPH >1000 mL were included in a national database. Haematological indices, transfusion and PPH aetiology were analysed in severe (>1500 mL blood loss or transfusion of any blood product) and massive PPH (≥2500 mL blood loss or transfusion ≥5 units red blood cells). **Results:** Of the 61 094 maternities in Wales (2017 to 2018), 2111 had severe and 349 massive PPH. Red blood cells were transfused to 42.5% severe and 80.6% massive PPH cases. Hypofibrinogenaemia (fibrinogen <2 g/L and/or Fibtet A5 <12 mm) was the most frequent coagulation abnormality, occurring in 5.4% severe and 17.0% massive PPH, with blood coagulation products (fresh frozen plasma, platelets, cryoprecipitate and/or fibrinogen concentrate) administered to 3.6% and 22.9%. Women with hypofibrinogenaemia received targeted fibrinogen replacement in 97.8% severe and 93.6% massive PPH. The only aetiology with similar rates of hypofibrinogenaemia in severe and massive PPH was abruption (40.0% and 36.8%).

Conclusion: Hypofibrinogenaemia was less frequent in severe PPH, although coagulopathy was observed across a range of PPH aetiologies, highlighting the importance of coagulation testing for all. Cases of abruption in severe and massive PPH had similar rates of hypofibrinogenaemia. Early VHA-guided fibrinogen replacement may reduce PPH progression in abruption and requires further evaluation.



Table 2

Haemostatic impairment and blood product transfusion for women with severe (>1500 mL blood loss or transfusion of any blood product) and massive (≥2500 mL blood loss or transfusion ≥5 units red blood cells) postpartum haemorrhage

| | Severe PPH, n (%) | Massive PPH, n (%) | P-value |
|--|-------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Haemostatic impairment | | | |
| Hypofibrinogenaemia (fibrinogen <2 g/L and/or Fibtet A5 <12 mm, with the lowest value of either result used) | 89/1652 (5.4) | 56/328 (17.0) | <0.001 |
| Thrombocytopaenia (platelet count <75 × 10 ⁹ /L) | 25/1893 (1.3) | 17/334 (5.1) | <0.001 |
| aPTT >1.5 × reference range (>48 s) | 3/1440 (0.2) | 9/293 (3.0) | <0.001 |
| PT >1.5 × reference range (>16.5 s) | 7/1440 (0.5) | 10/293 (3.4) | <0.001 |
| Blood product transfusion | | | |
| RBC | 887/2095 (42.3) | 279/346 (80.6) | <0.001 |
| Fibrinogen concentrate and or cryoprecipitate | 49/2098 (2.3) | 53/346 (15.3) | <0.001 |
| Platelets | 18/2098 (0.9) | 15/345 (4.3) | 0.01 |
| FFP | 28/2098 (1.3) | 43/346 (12.4) | <0.001 |

Values are n, %.

Regular Article

A new global assay of coagulation and fibrinolysis

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Abstract

Introduction: Global clotting assays may reflect an individual's net hemostatic balance and could contribute to prothrombotic and hemorrhagic risk assessment. In this research, a global assay that measures both coagulation and fibrinolytic capacities was developed and investigated.

Materials and methods: In the Clot Formation and Lysis (CloFAL) assay, a buffered reactant solution containing trace amounts of calcium, tissue factor, and tissue-type plasminogen activator is added to plasma samples on a 96-well microplate in an automated, thermoregulated (37 °C) spectrophotometer. Clot formation and lysis are monitored as continuous changes in absorbance over the course of 3 h. Measurements include maximum amplitude (MA), times to maximum absorbance (T_1) and completion of the first phase of decline in absorbance (T_2), and area under the curve (AUC), from which a coagulation index (CI) and various fibrinolytic indices (FI) may be calculated.

Results and conclusions: MA, T_1 , and CI were principally influenced by fibrinogen and procoagulant factors. FI was found to be altered by inhibiting activation of plasminogen or thrombin activatable fibrinolytic inhibitor. Median CI was significantly decreased, while FI was markedly increased, in term neonates as compared to healthy adults (CI: 58% vs. 115%, FI: 210% vs. 90%; $P < 0.001$ for each). By contrast, median CI was notably increased, and FI decreased, in healthy pregnant women when compared to adults (CI: 239% vs. 115%, FI: 59% vs. 90%; $P < 0.001$ for each). The CloFAL global assay is analytically sensitive to several key components in the coagulation and fibrinolytic systems, as well as to physiologic alterations in hemostasis.

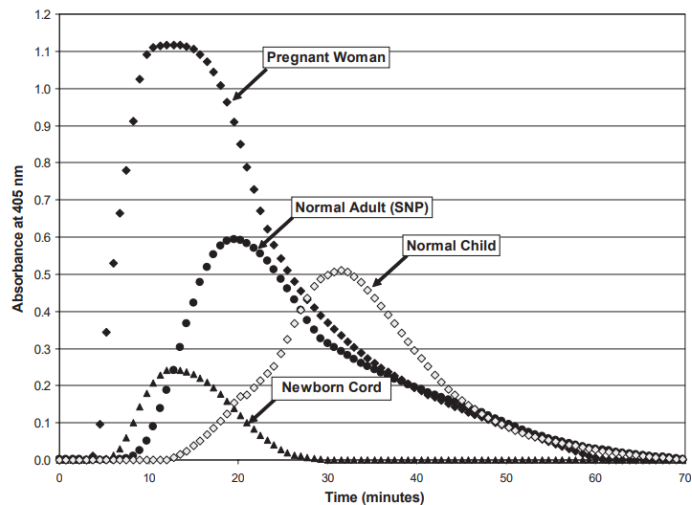


Figure 2 Representative CloFAL curves from a healthy adult and child, newborn infant, and pregnant woman. SNP=standard normal pooled adult plasma.

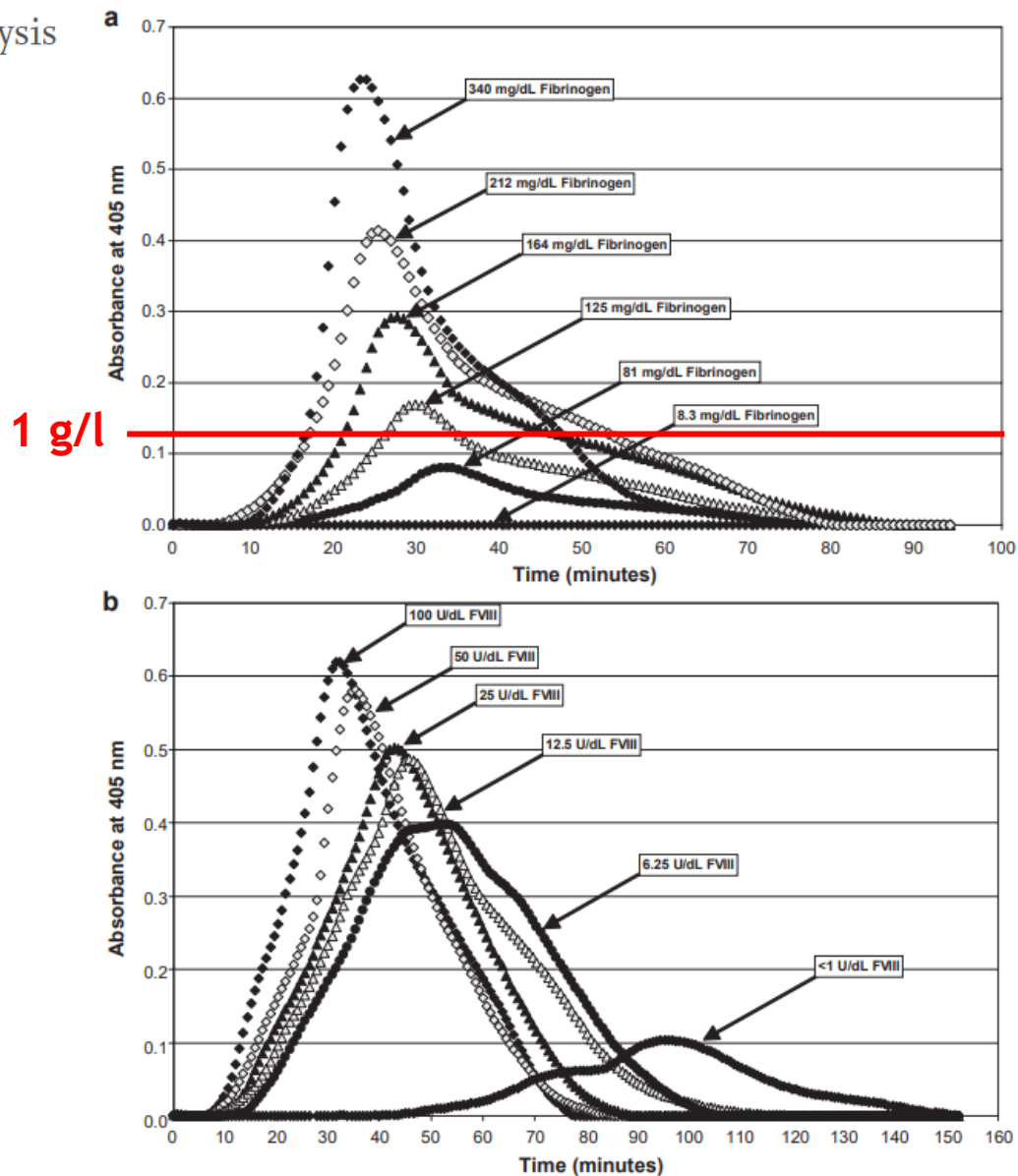


Figure 3 Influence of (a) fibrinogen concentration and (b) factor VIII activity upon the CloFAL curve.



U masivního krvácení je fibrinogen prvním faktorem, který dosáhne kriticky nízké hladiny!

Brenni M, et al. *Acta Anaesthesiol Scand.* 2010;54:111-117

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Fibrinogen is an independent predictor of mortality in major trauma patients: A five-year statewide cohort study

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Table 2
Patient outcomes according to fibrinogen level on admission.

| Outcome | Less 1 g/L | 1–1.5 g/L | 1.6–2.0 g/L | 2.1–4.0 g/L | Greater than 4 g/L | p-value |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------|---------|
| Massive transfusion | 63 (55.3%) | 93 (32.9%) | 104 (16.9%) | 124 (4.1%) | 12 (1.6%) | <0.01 |
| ICU LOS days ^a , mean (95% CI) | 8 (6, 11) | 7.5 (6, 9) | 6 (5, 7) | 5 (4, 5) | 5 (4, 5) | <0.01 |
| Hospital LOS days ^a , mean (95% CI) | 21 (17, 26) | 17 (15, 19) | 12 (11, 13) | 8 (8, 9) | 9 (8, 10) | <0.01 |
| 24-h mortality | 26 (31.6%) | 29 (10.2%) | 24 (3.9%) | 14 (1.5%) | 3 (0.4%) | <0.01 |
| In-hospital mortality | 54 (47.4%) | 71 (25.1%) | 77 (12.5%) | 186 (6.2%) | 53 (7.2%) | <0.01 |

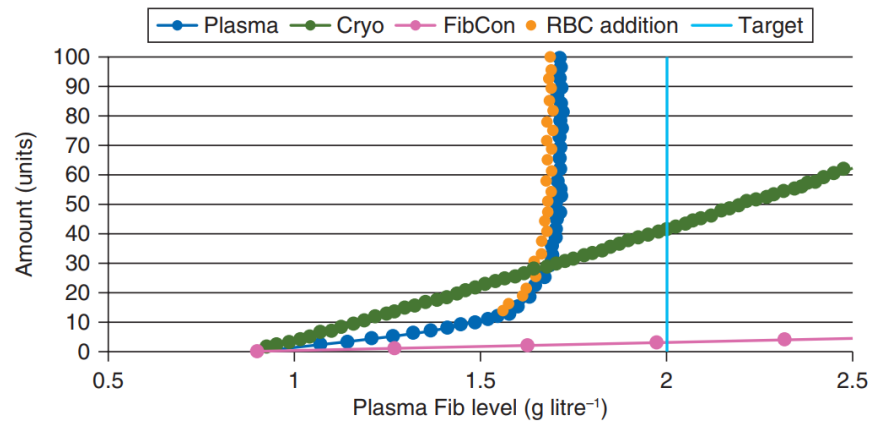
ICU – intensive care unit; LOS – length of stay.

^a Restricted to patients who survived until hospital discharge.

Theoretical modelling of fibrinogen supplementation with therapeutic plasma, cryoprecipitate, or fibrinogen concentrate

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Fib level graph



MINIREVIEW



Blood management in post-partum haemorrhage, including point of care coagulation tests

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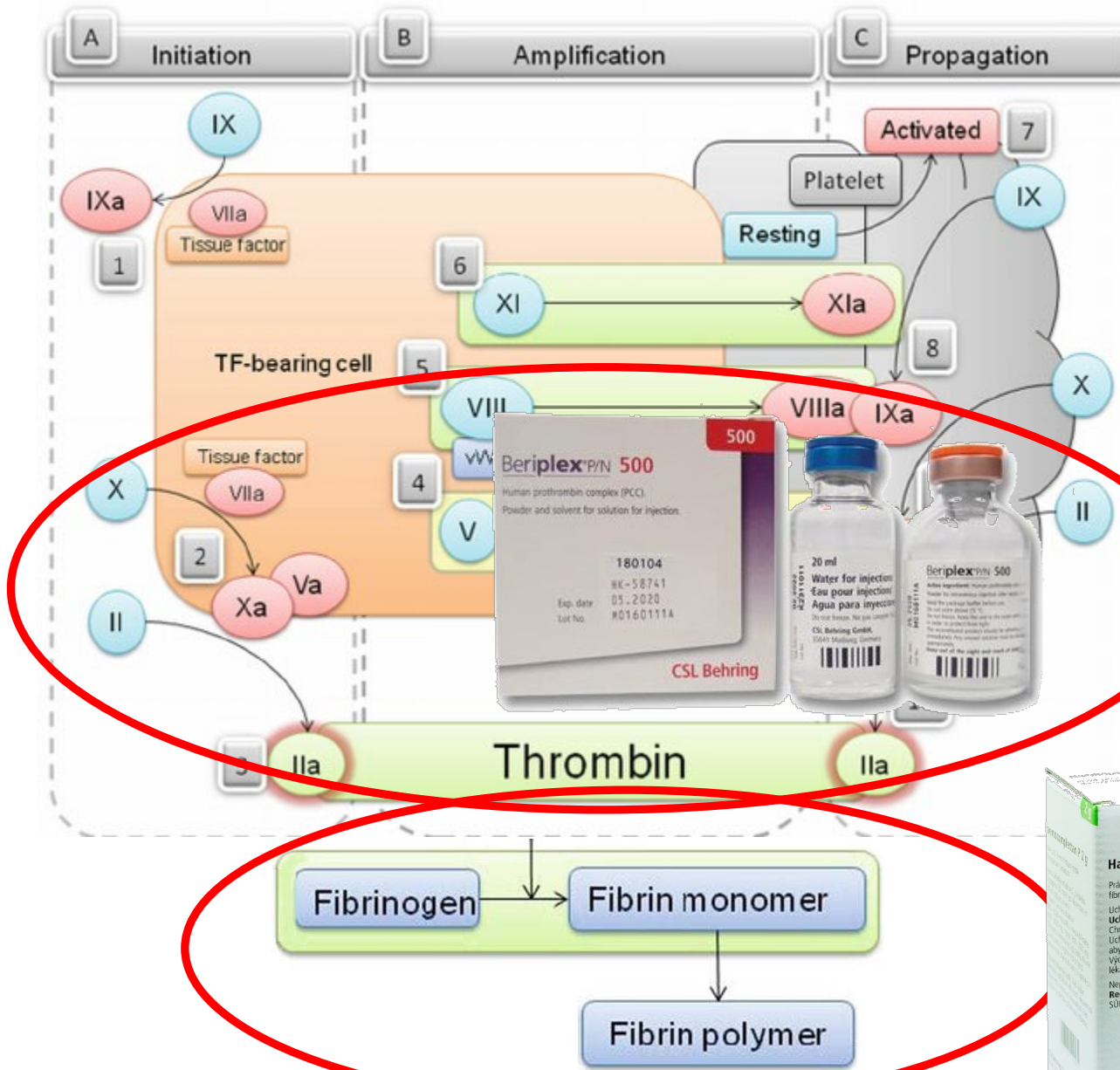
Abstract

Postpartum haemorrhage (PPH) is the leading global cause of maternal mortality, and an important cause of morbidity and mortality in the UK. Management of PPH requires a patient centred team approach to ensure effective management. Early recognition

6.2 Replacing Fibrinogen

Fibrinogen should be replaced either by giving cryoprecipitate or fibrinogen concentrate [1, 55]. Both contain higher concentrations of fibrinogen compared to FFP, which has relatively low concentrations of fibrinogen and can dilute down existing fibrinogen within the circulation [13]. A multicentre double-blinded RCT in primary PPH showed outcomes were not improved when fibrinogen was empirically replaced [59]. 2 pools of cryoprecipitate or 4 g of fibrinogen concentrate should be transfused if FIBTEM A5 7-11 mm or Clauss fibrinogen is < 2 g/L. If FIBTEM A5 < 7 mm then 3 pools of cryoprecipitate or 6 g fibrinogen concentrate should be transfused [55]. Cryoprecipitate requires thawing, which can delay transfusion. Fibrinogen concentrate does not require thawing and so can be more rapidly transfused [13]. If these transfusion triggers are met but bleeding has stopped and there is no clinical concern then fibrinogen replacement can be withheld [40, 55].

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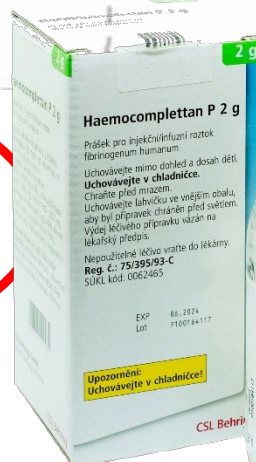


Calcium is necessary for reaction

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Thrombin and Calcium is necessary for reaction

Inactive factor



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Fibrinogen concentrate vs. fresh frozen plasma for the management of coagulopathy during thoraco-abdominal aortic aneurysm surgery: a pilot randomised controlled trial

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Summary

Major vascular surgery is frequently associated with significant blood loss and coagulopathy. Existing evidence suggests hypofibrinogenaemia develops earlier than other haemostatic deficiencies during major blood loss. The purpose of this study was to assess whether the use of an infusion of fibrinogen concentrate to prevent and treat hypofibrinogenaemia during surgery resulted in satisfactory haemostasis, removing or reducing the need for blood component transfusion. Twenty patients undergoing elective extent-4 thoraco-abdominal aortic aneurysm repair were randomly allocated to receive either fresh frozen plasma or fibrinogen concentrate to treat hypofibrinogenaemia during surgery. Coagulation was assessed during and after surgery by point-of-care and laboratory testing, respectively, and treatment was guided by pre-defined transfusion triggers. Despite blood losses of up to 11,800 ml in the patients who received the fibrinogen concentrate, none required fresh frozen plasma during surgery, and only two required platelet transfusions. The median (IQR [range]) allogeneic blood component administration during surgery and in the first 24 h postoperatively was 22.5 (14-28 [2-41]) units in patients allocated to fresh frozen plasma vs. 4.5 (3-11[0-17]) in patients allocated to fibrinogen concentrate (p = 0.011). All patients in both groups were assessed by the surgeon to have satisfactory haemostasis at the end of surgery. Mean (SD) postoperative fibrinogen concentrations were similar in patients allocated to fresh frozen plasma and fibrinogen concentrate (1.6 (0.3) g l⁻¹ vs. 1.6 (0.2) g l⁻¹; p = 0.36) but the mean (SD) international normalised ratio and activated partial thromboplastin time ratio were lower in patients allocated to fresh frozen plasma (1.1 (0.1) vs. 1.8 (0.2); p < 0.0001 and 1.1 (0.2) vs. 1.7 (0.5); p = 0.022, respectively). Fibrinogen concentrate may be used as an alternative to fresh frozen plasma in the treatment of coagulopathy during thoraco-abdominal aortic aneurysm repair.

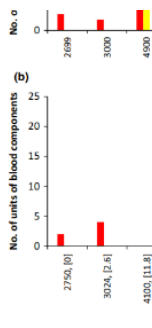


Figure 2 Blood component administration (red = packed red cells, yellow = fresh frozen plasma, blue = platelets) during surgery for each patient randomly allocated to receive either fresh frozen plasma (FFP)(a) or fibrinogen concentrate (b) during thoraco-abdominal aortic aneurysm surgery. Blood loss and fibrinogen concentrate administration during surgery is also shown.

Reversal of trauma-induced coagulopathy using first-line coagulation factor concentrates or fresh frozen plasma (RETIC): a single-centre, parallel-group, open-label, randomised trial

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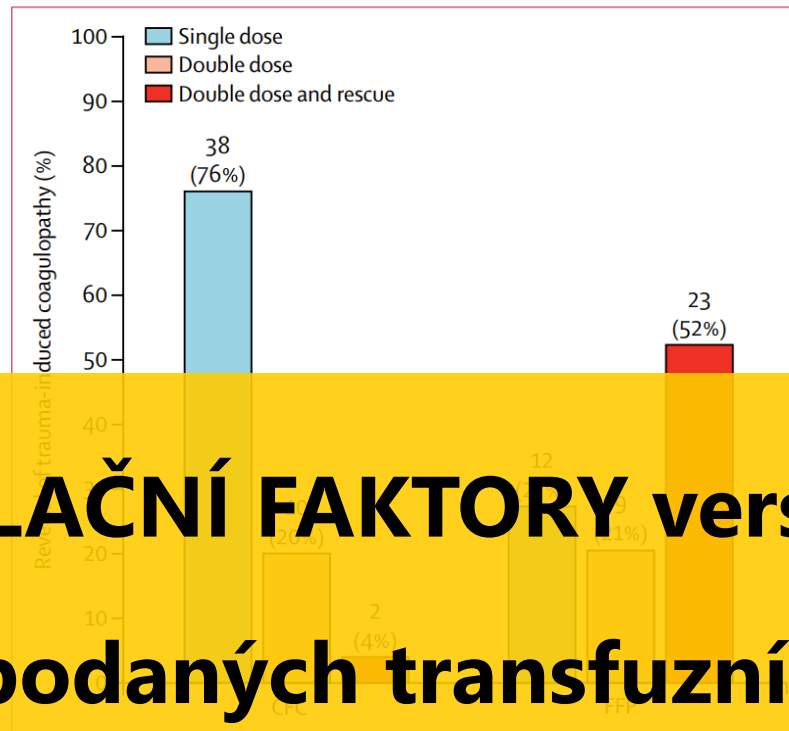


Figure 3. Percentage of patients with reversal of coagulopathy after either single-dose or double-dose study drug administration during the first therapy loop, and percentage of patients needing double-dose and rescue medication during the first 24 h in the intention-to-treat population CFC=coagulation factor concentrates. FFP=fresh frozen plasma.

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| | Abruption F + F (n = 8) | Abruption F (n = 18) | P-value |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Hb (g/dl) | 7.27 ± 1.39 | 7.00 ± 1.93 | >0.05 |
| PT% | 58.5 ± 16.6 | 59.5 ± 19.8 | >0.05 |
| Fibrinogen (mg/dl) | 83.6 ± 20.9 | 82.5 ± 33.0 | >0.05 |
| Estimated blood loss (ml) | 2504.6 ± 1306 | 2988.1 ± 1365 | >0.05 |
| RCC (unit) | 7.00 ± 1.85 | 6.88 ± 2.19 | >0.05 |
| FFP (unit) | 9.75 ± 2.91 | 19.0 ± 9.40 | 0.0122 |

Table 4. Comparison of fibrinogen levels and other haemostatic parameters before treatment, and blood product usage in the groups of early-stage placental abruptio requiring ≤10 units of red blood cell concentrate. Hb, haemoglobin concentration; PT%, prothrombin time activity percentage; RCC, red cell concentrate; FFP, fresh frozen plasma; F + F, fresh frozen plasma and fibrinogen concentrate; F, fresh frozen plasma alone.

KOAGULAČNÍ FAKTORY versus PLASMA = méně podaných transfuzních přípravků!

Effect of a factor-based coagulation management on blood product use after major burn injury:

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ABSTRACT

Background: Transfusion of allogenic blood products was shown to be associated with more adverse events and a higher mortality in severely burned patients. This study investigated the impact of a goal-directed and factor-based coagulation algorithm on blood product use and clinical outcomes in severely burned patients.

Methods: This retrospective cohort study included adult patients admitted to the burn center of the University Hospital Zurich with major burn injuries compromising 20–80% of total body surface area. We compared two 3-year periods, one before the introduction of a goal-directed coagulation and transfusion algorithm (period 1: 2009–2011) and one after (period 2: 2016–2018). We applied linear and logistic regression models adjusted for confounders.

Results: We analyzed 36 patients (27.8% female) versus 42 patients (14.3% female) in period 1 and 2, respectively. Comorbidities and burn types were comparable between both collectives. Treatment according to the coagulation algorithm resulted in an overall reduction of 33 units of red blood cells (95% CI –52.8 to –12.9, $p = 0.002$), 9 units fresh frozen plasma (95% CI –14.7 to –2.6, $p = 0.006$) and 1.4g fibrinogen (95% CI –2.2 to –0.5, $p = 0.001$) per patient. We observed less infections (61.8% vs. 41.5%, $p = 0.11$) and a reduced mortality (38.9% vs. 26.8%, $p = 0.33$) during the algorithm treated period, although not significant.

Table 2 – Differences in the number of patients receiving allogeneic blood products and coagulation factors between the periods during the length of hospital stay.

| | Period 1 [n = 36] | Period 2 [n = 42] | Odds ratio [95% CI] | p-value |
|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------|
| Allogenic transfusions | | | | |
| Red blood cells | 26 (72.2%) | 23 (54.8%) | 0.47 [0.18 to 1.19] | 0.11 |
| Fresh frozen plasma | 14 (38.9%) | 4 (9.5%) | 0.17 [0.04 to 0.53] | <0.01 |
| Platelet concentrate | 2 (5.6%) | 2 (4.8%) | 0.85 [0.10 to 7.39] | 0.87 |
| Coagulation factors | | | | |
| 4-factor PCC | 4 (11.1%) | 2 (4.8%) | 0.40 [0.05 to 2.18] | 0.31 |
| Coagulation factor XIII | 17 (47.2%) | 17 (40.5%) | 0.76 [0.31 to 1.87] | 0.55 |
| Fibrinogen | 11 (30.6%) | 4 (9.5%) | 0.24 [0.06 to 0.79] | 0.03 |

Data reported as number and percentage (%). Period 1 refers to the patient cohort before the introduction and Period 2 to the cohort treated according to the coagulation algorithm.

Abbreviation: 4-factor PCC, 4-factor prothrombin complex concentrate.

Table 3 – Adjusted models for the comparison of transfused allogeneic blood products and administered coagulation factors between the periods.

| | Coefficient | 95% confidence interval | p-value |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Allogenic transfusions | | | |
| Red blood cells (units) | –33 | –52.8 to –12.9 | 0.002 |
| Fresh frozen plasma (units) | –9 | –14.7 to –2.6 | 0.006 |
| Platelet concentrate (units) | 0 | –0.7 to 0.2 | 0.300 |
| Coagulation factors | | | |
| 4-factor PCC (IU) | –61 | –141.9 to 19.7 | 0.140 |
| Coagulation factor XIII (IU) | –1211 | –2443.7 to 20.9 | 0.054 |
| Fibrinogen (g) | –1.4 | –2.2 to –0.5 | 0.001 |

The coefficients represent the difference for the patients treated according to the coagulation algorithm (period 2) in comparison with patients treated before (period 1). The models are adjusted for age, sex, the Abbreviated Burn Severity Index (ABSI) and Charlson Comorbidity Index. Abbreviation: 4-factor PCC, 4-factor prothrombin complex concentrate.

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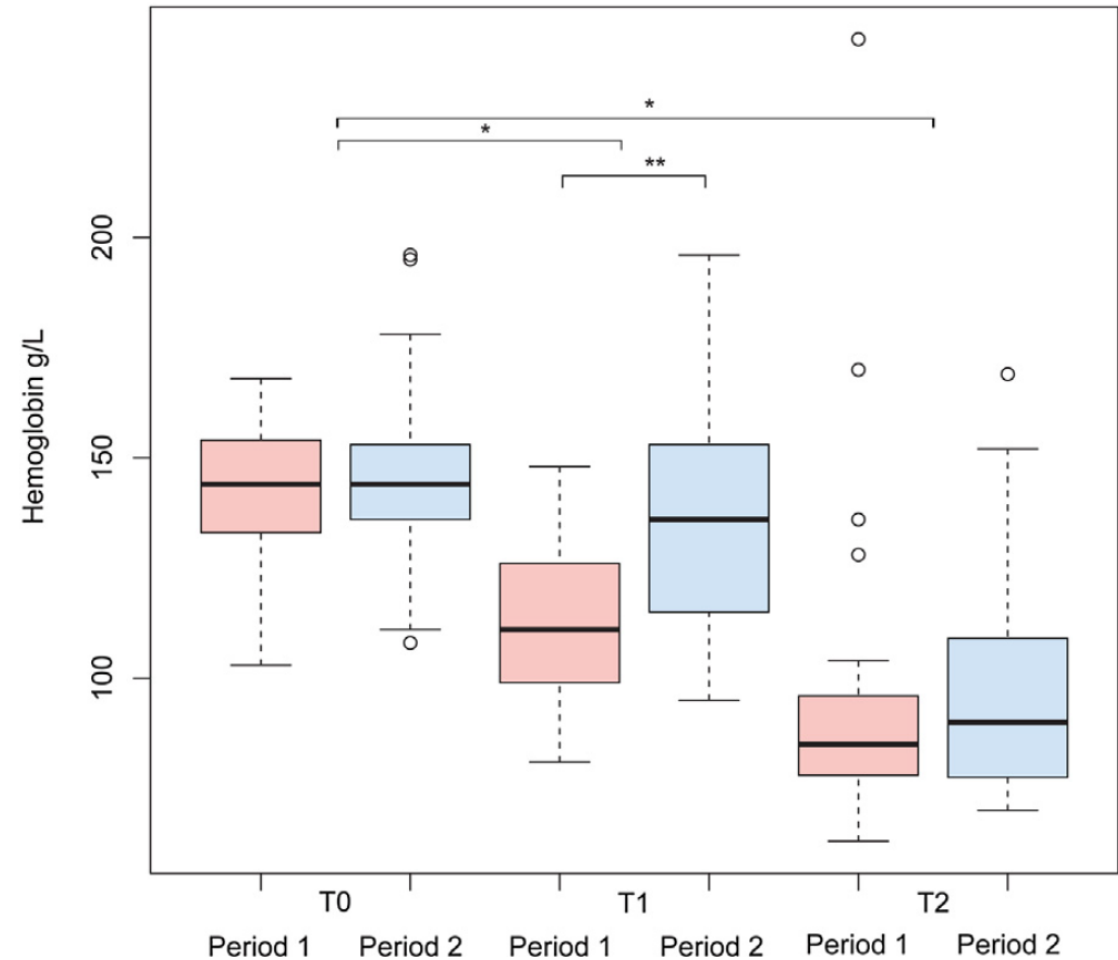


Fig. 3 – Boxplots for hemoglobin levels over time. Comparing the patient cohort treated before (Period 1 = red) and with the coagulation algorithm (Period 2 = blue) between the course of different values over three time points T0 (baseline at admission), T1 (before the first surgical intervention), and T2 (discharge from ICU).

*Mixed linear models for a difference of T0 and T1, T0 and T2 ($p < 0.0001$, each), overall difference between period 1 and period 2 ($p = 0.02$). ** Unadjusted comparison at T1 between period 1 and period 2 ($p = 0.0005$); unadjusted comparison at T0 and T2 n.s. Level of significance 0.05.

Table 1. Transfusion-related risks, modified according to Marcucci and colleagues (1)

| Type of Risk | Estimate of Current Risk (Infection Rate Per Unit) | |
|---------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| | High HDI Countries | Low HDI Countries |
| Infections | | |
| Viruses | | |
| HIV | 1:1,468,000 (53)–1:4,700,000 (10) | 1:50 (54)–1:2,578 (55) |
| HBV | 1:31,000 (10)–1:205,000 (53) | 1:74–1:1,000 (56) |
| HCV | 1:1,935,000 (53)–1:3,100,000 (10) | 1:2,578 (55) |
| Bacteria | 1:2,000–1:8,000 (platelet pools) | ? |
| | 1:28,000–1:143,000 (red cells) (10) | |
| Parasites | | |
| Malaria | 1:4,000,000 (10) | ≤1:3 (57) |
| Prions | | |
| vCJD | First two cases (4,5) | ? |
| Immunological reactions | | |
| Hemolytic transfusion reactions | | |
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| Delayed hemolytic | 1:9,000 (10) | ? |
| Alloimmunization | 1:1,600 (10) | ? |
| Immunosuppression | 1:1 (58,59) | ? |
| TRALI | 1:4,000–1:557,000 ^a (60) | ? |
| Mistransfusion | 1:14,000–1:18,000 (2) | ? |

HDI, human development index, an index based on life expectancy, literacy, enrollment in scholarly education, and per capita income; HIV, human immunodeficiency virus; HBV, hepatitis B virus; HCV, hepatitis C virus; vCJD, variant Creutzfeld-Jacob disease; TRALI, transfusion-related acute lung injury. Values in parentheses are reference numbers.

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Transfusion-Related Acute Lung Injury Report of a Clinical Look-Back Investigation

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Context Transfusion-related acute lung injury (TRALI) is a syndrome that includes dyspnea, hypotension, bilateral pulmonary edema, and fever. TRALI is the third leading cause of transfusion-related mortality, but it is probably underdiagnosed and underreported.

Objective To determine if blood products from a frequent plasma donor, whose blood product was implicated in a fatal case of TRALI, caused symptoms of TRALI in other recipients of her plasma.

Design, Setting, and Participants Retrospective chart review (conducted from

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The Incidence of Transfusion-Related Acute Lung Injury at a Large, Urban Tertiary Medical Center: A Decade's Experience

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BACKGROUND: While transfusion-related acute lung injury (TRALI) remains the primary cause of transfusion-related fatalities (37%), recent reports estimate the incidence of TRALI at 0.008% per unit of plasma transfused and 0.004% per all products transfused. Because blood banks have moved toward male-predominant plasma, TRALI appears, anecdotally, to have been reduced to an extremely rare event. The purpose of this study was to estimate the current incidence of TRALI at a large, urban center known for its early and aggressive use of plasma in the setting of trauma, hemorrhagic shock, and massive transfusion.

METHODS: The Blood Bank Registry of our hospital was queried for all transfused patients admitted from September 2002 through March 2013. The blood bank collected and investigated all cases of clinical acute lung injury meeting the consensus definition for TRALI, as well as potential cases for which the donor product was recalled for having a high reactivity level of human leukocyte antigen antibodies (ie, the antibodies that could cause TRALI). Clinical reactions were reviewed in conjunction with independent serological testing and classified by transfusion medicine physicians as being “probable TRALI” or of “unrelated etiology.” The total number of units transfused at our facility during this time period was also obtained, allowing the incidence of TRALI to be estimated. Cases were analyzed based on demographics, outcome, blood types, observed symptoms and their duration, and type of product transfused.

RESULTS: Seven cases were identified at our center for the indicated time period, with only 3 of these occurring in trauma. A total of 714,757 units of blood products were transfused between September 2002 and March 2013. The incidence of TRALI was estimated to be 1 case per 100,000 units of product for the entire study period. A broad range of patients was affected. Consistent with previous descriptions, an acute duration of symptoms (average, 1.4 days) was observed and usually resolved with supportive care. Reactions were observed predominantly in plasma products, both type specific and nontype specific.

CONCLUSIONS: This study demonstrates that while TRALI still occurs, clinically meaningful cases are rare. Moreover, TRALI rates remain low despite the increasingly aggressive use of plasma and platelets in the trauma setting.

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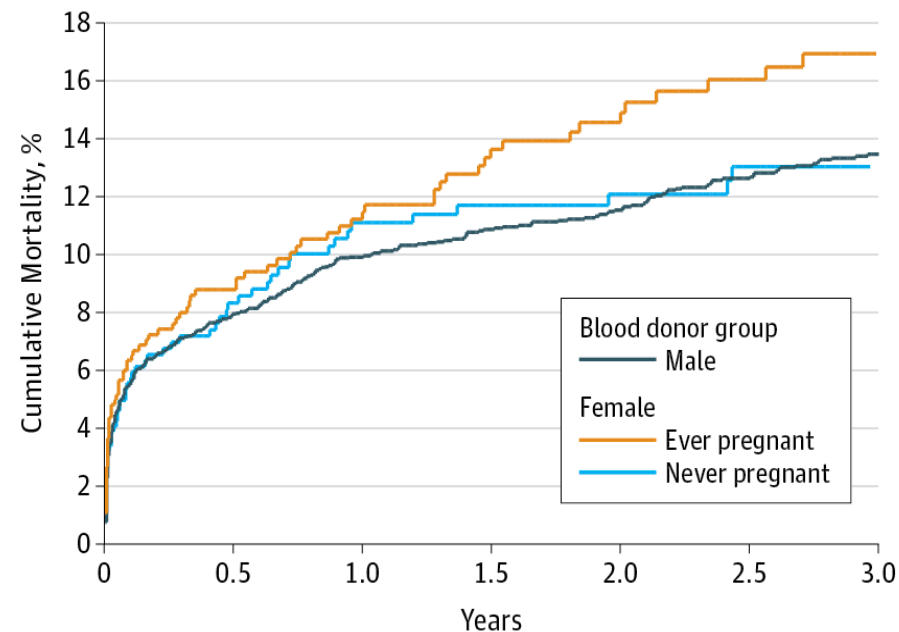
Association of Blood Transfusion From Female Donors With and Without a History of Pregnancy With Mortality Among Male and Female Transfusion Recipients

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Male recipients of red blood cell transfusions



| No. at risk by donor group | Male | Female | Ever pregnant | Never pregnant |
|----------------------------|------|--------|---------------|----------------|
| Male | 6189 | 2408 | 2102 | 1833 |
| Female | | 1624 | 1421 | 1236 |
| Ever pregnant | 1190 | 438 | 367 | 305 |
| Never pregnant | 1084 | 393 | 331 | 279 |

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Pathogen Inactivation of Cellular Blood Products— An Additional Safety Layer in Transfusion Medicine

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INTERCEPT Blood System for Platelets and Plasma

The INTERCEPT Blood System for platelets and plasma is manufactured by Cerus Corporation (Concord, CA, USA). The mechanism of action of this PI technology is based on the properties of amotosalen HCl (S-59), a photoactive compound which penetrates cellular and nuclear membranes and binds to the double-stranded regions of DNA and RNA. When activated by low-energy UVA light (320–400 nm), amotosalen cross-links nucleic acids and thus irreversibly blocks the replication of DNA and RNA (11). After illumination, residual amotosalen and its photoproducts must be removed during an incubation step lasting up to 16 h. The amotosalen/UVA procedure is not suitable for RBCs because of UVA light absorption by hemoglobin.

MIRASOL PRT System for Platelets and Plasma

The MIRASOL system was developed by TerumoBCT (Lakewood, CO, USA). This photodynamic procedure employs riboflavin (vitamin B2) and broad spectrum UV light (mainly UVA and UVB, 285–365 nm). On exposure to UVA and UVB light, riboflavin associates with nucleic acids and mediates oxygen-independent electron transfer, causing irreversible damage to the nucleic acids (12). Because naturally occurring vitamin B2 and its photodegradation products are non-toxic and non-mutagenic, they do not need to be removed prior to transfusion. In addition to plasma and platelets, protocols for extension of the MIRASOL system to whole blood are now in development.

THERAFLEX System for Platelets

THERAFLEX UV-Platelets is a novel UVC-based PI technology that works without photoactive substances. It is the product of a joint venture between Macopharma (Mouvaux, France) and the German Red Cross Blood Service NSTOB in Springe, Germany. Shortwave UVC light (254 nm) directly interacts with nucleic acids to form pyrimidine dimers that block the elongation of nucleic acid transcripts (13). UVC irradiation mainly affects the nucleic acids of pathogens and leukocytes and does not impair plasma and platelet quality. As no photoactive substances are involved, UVC treatment is just as simple but faster (takes less than 1 min) than gamma irradiation, and can easily be integrated into the manufacturing processes at blood banks (Figure 1). The THERAFLEX system was originally developed for platelets but is also suitable for plasma and RBC units.

| | Technology | | | |
|---------------------|--|---|--|-------------------------|
| | INTERCEPT blood system | MIRASOL PRT system | THERAFLEX UV-Platelets | S-303 system |
| Mechanism of action | UVA plus amotosalen (alkylating agent) | UV plus riboflavin (vitamin B2 = photosensitizer) | UVC alone | Alkylating agent |
| Blood products | Plasma and platelets | Plasma and platelets (in development for whole blood) | Plasma and platelets (in development for RBCs) | RBCs |
| Status | Approved in some countries | Approved in some countries | In clinical development | In clinical development |

UV, ultraviolet light; UVA, wavelength A; UVC, wavelength C; RBC, red blood cell.

Relative concentrations of haemostatic factors and cytokines in solvent/detergent-treated and fresh-frozen plasma

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Background. Indications, efficacy, and safety of plasma products are highly debated. We compared the concentrations of haemostatic proteins and cytokines in solvent/detergent-treated plasma (SDP) and fresh-frozen plasma (FFP).

Methods. Concentrations of the following parameters were measured in 25 SDP and FFP samples: fibrinogen (FBG), factor (F) II, F V, F VII, F VIII, F IX, F X, F XIII, von Willebrand factor (vWF), D-Dimers, ADAMTS-13 protease, tumour necrosis factor- α (TNF- α), interleukin (IL)-1 β , IL-6, IL-8, and IL-10.

Results. Mean FBG concentrations in SDP and FFP were similar, but in FFP, the range was larger than in SDP ($P < 0.01$). Mean F II, F VII, F VIII, F IX, and F XIII levels did not differ significantly. Higher concentrations of F V ($P < 0.01$), F X ($P < 0.05$), vWF ($P < 0.01$), and ADAMTS-13 ($P < 0.01$) were found in FFP. With the exception of F VIII and F IX, the range of concentrations for all of these factors was smaller ($P < 0.05$) in SDP than in FFP. Concentrations of TNF- α , IL-8, and IL-10 (all $P < 0.01$) were higher in FFP than in SDP, again with a higher variability and thus larger ranges ($P < 0.01$).

Conclusions. Coagulation factor content is similar for SDP and FFP, with notable exceptions of less F V, vWF, and ADAMTS-13 in SDP. Cytokine concentrations (TNF α , IL-8, and IL-10) were significantly higher in FFP. The clinical relevance of these findings needs to be established in outcome studies.

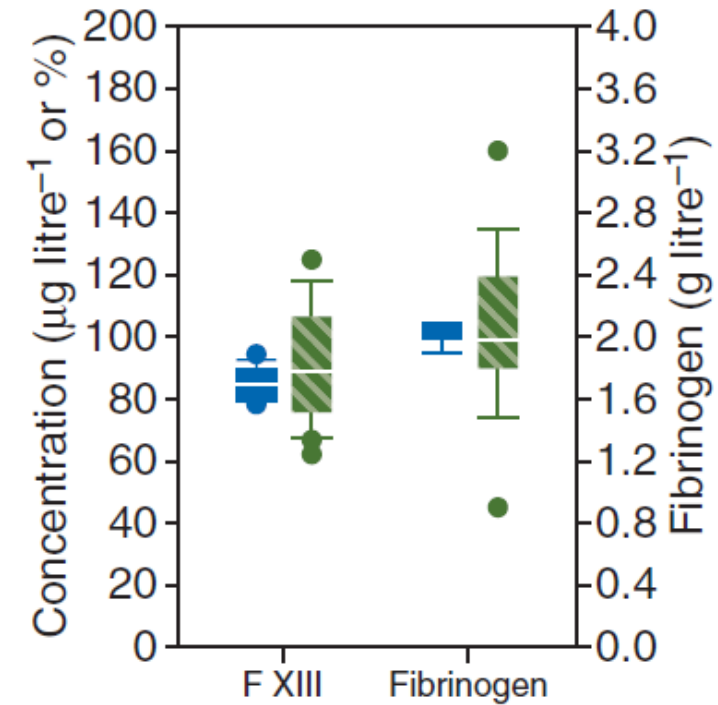
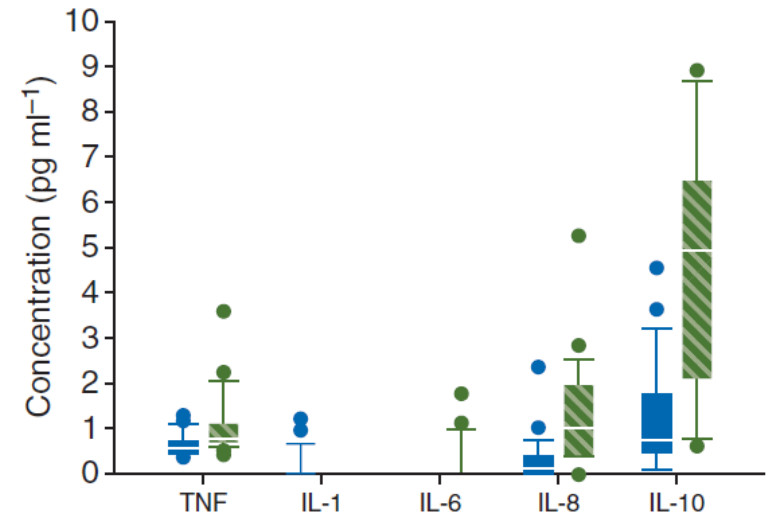


Fig 1 Haemostatic parameters and cytokine levels in SDP (blue bars) and FFP samples (green striped bars).



Solvent detergent treated pooled plasma and reduction of allergic transfusion reactions

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BACKGROUND: Thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura (TTP) patients have increased risk for allergic transfusion reactions (ATR) due to the number of plasma products they require. This study evaluated the efficacy of solvent detergent treated plasma (S/D treated plasma) to reduce ATRs.

STUDY DESIGN AND METHODS: All TTP patients who presented from April 2014 to February 2015 and experienced a moderate–severe ATR to untreated plasma with TPE were switched to S/D treated plasma (Octaplas) for their remaining procedures and included in the study. Patient records were retrospectively reviewed.

RESULTS: The overall ATR rate per procedure

TABLE 1. Allergic symptoms with untreated plasma versus S/D treated plasma

| | Symptoms with untreated plasma | Symptoms with S/D treated plasma |
|-----------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Patient 1 | Itching, hives, oropharyngeal edema (multiple episodes); SOB | Itching, eyelid swelling (1 episode) |
| Patient 2 | Respiratory distress, threatened intubation | None |
| Patient 3 | Acute onset of rapid, dry cough | None |
| Patient 4 | Chest tightness, itching | None |
| Patient 5 | Hives, chest tightness, SOB prior to transfer* | None |
| Patient 6 | Hives, chest tightness, SOB prior to transfer* | None |

* Per patients' report.
 SOB = shortness of breath.

TABLE 3. Overall allergic transfusion reaction (ATR) rate per procedure and per plasma unit

| Patient | Untreated plasma | | | | | | No. overall ATR |
|------------|------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-----------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| | No. overall ATR | No. moderate–severe ATR | No. procedures | No. units | ATR per procedure rate (%) | ATR per unit rate (%) | |
| Patient 1 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 147 | 40.0 | 2.7 | 1 |
| Patient 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 100.0 | 14.3 | 0 |
| Patient 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 80 | 16.7 | 1.3 | 0 |
| Patient 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 40 | 33.3 | 2.5 | 0 |
| Patient 5* | – | – | – | – | – | – | 0 |
| Patient 6* | – | – | – | – | – | – | 0 |
| Overall† | 7 | 4 | 20 | 274 | 35.0 | 2.6 | 1 |

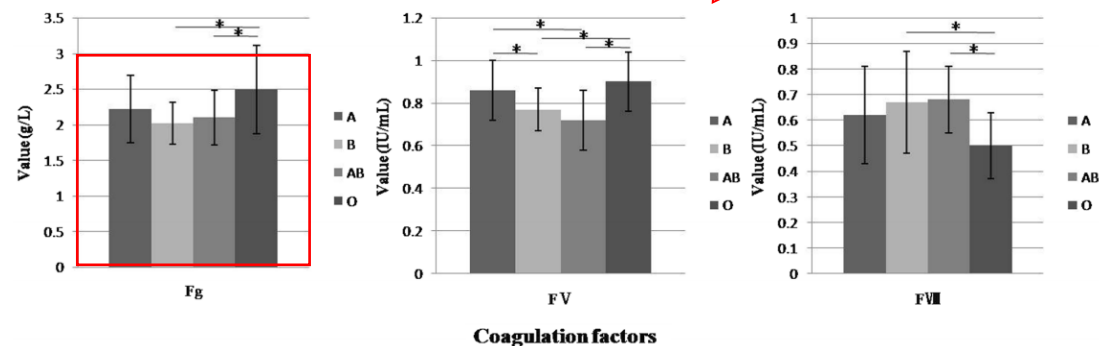
* S/D Patients #5 and #6 received all of their TPE with untreated plasma at the OSH; the exact number of TPE procedures was not available.
 † Overall values only include Patients #1-4, in whom data on plasma transfusion and occurrence of ATRs was available.
 ATR = allergic transfusion reaction; No. = number; mL = milliliter.

0.0% (95% CI = 15.4%-59.2%) with
 0.14% ([1/73] 95% CI = 0.0%-7.4%)
 plasma. The moderate–severe ATR rate
 was 0.0% ([4/20] 95% CI = 5.7%-43.7%)
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 S/D plasma has promise as an
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 Further studies are needed to confirm these

Individual differences of plasma proteins and factors in fresh frozen plasma from Chinese regional blood donors

Abstract

Currently, single fresh frozen plasma (FFP) for clinical use is derived from individual blood donors. The objective of this study is to investigate the differences in single FFP units to make related strategies for improving FFP transfusion efficacy. 120 units of single FFP were selected randomly from Chinese PLA Clinical Blood Transfusion Center in Beijing, China. Single FFP samples were thawed in 37 °C water bath and were assessed immediately for total protein (TP), albumin (Alb), fibrinogen (Fg), factor V (FV), factor VIII (FVIII), antithrombin-III (AT-III) and protein C (PC). Multiple comparisons were employed to analysis the differences. The quality levels of 120 single FFP units showed wider ranges and presented normal distribution. Fg, FV and PC showed larger fluctuation range but TP, Alb, FVIII and AT-III showed smaller. The mean level of TP was 56.07 g/L and FVIII was 0.62 IU/mL. There were no significant differences to genders in single FFP units. FFP from younger people with 18–30 years old showed a trend towards reduced activity of coagulation factors, especially FV and FVIII. TP and Alb levels in FFP with type O were significantly higher than that in non-O type, but FVIII, AT-III and PC levels were lower in type O than that in non-O type. In a word, the whole quality of single FFP units from Chinese regional donors was acceptable, except FVIII. There were great differences of plasma proteins and factors in single FFP units, age and ABO blood type were main influence factors.



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| Parameters | n | M ± SD | Range |
|----------------|-----|-------------|-----------|
| Fg (g/L) | 120 | 2.21 ± 0.47 | 1.32–3.96 |
| FV (IU/mL) | 120 | 0.83 ± 0.15 | 0.48–1.39 |
| FVIII (IU/mL) | 120 | 0.62 ± 0.18 | 0.33–1.36 |
| AT-III (IU/mL) | 120 | 1.26 ± 0.14 | 0.84–1.61 |
| PC (IU/mL) | 120 | 1.05 ± 0.22 | 0.51–1.77 |

Table 1 Quality range of plasma factors in 120 single FFP units

Fig. 4 Blood type differences of plasma proteins and factors in 120 single FFP units. *P < 0.05

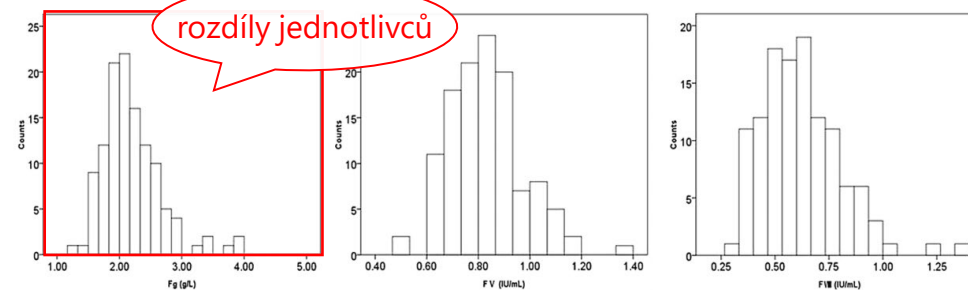


Fig. 1 Frequency distribution of plasma proteins and factors in 120 single FFP units

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Figure 5. Boxplot of issued, transfused and wasted RBC units by cause of haemorrhage

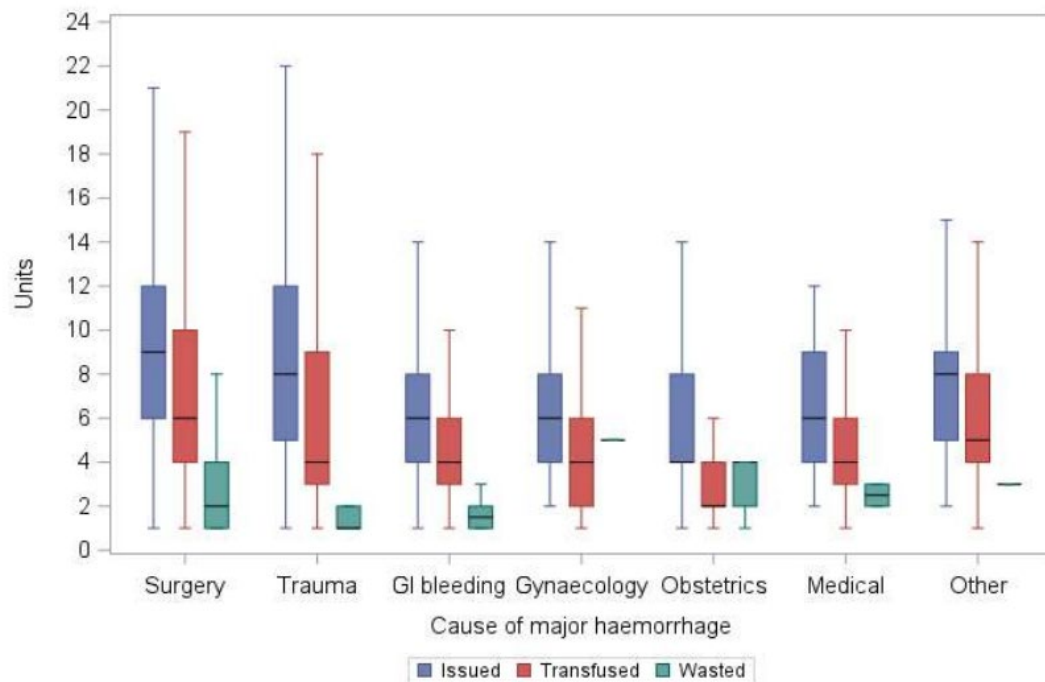
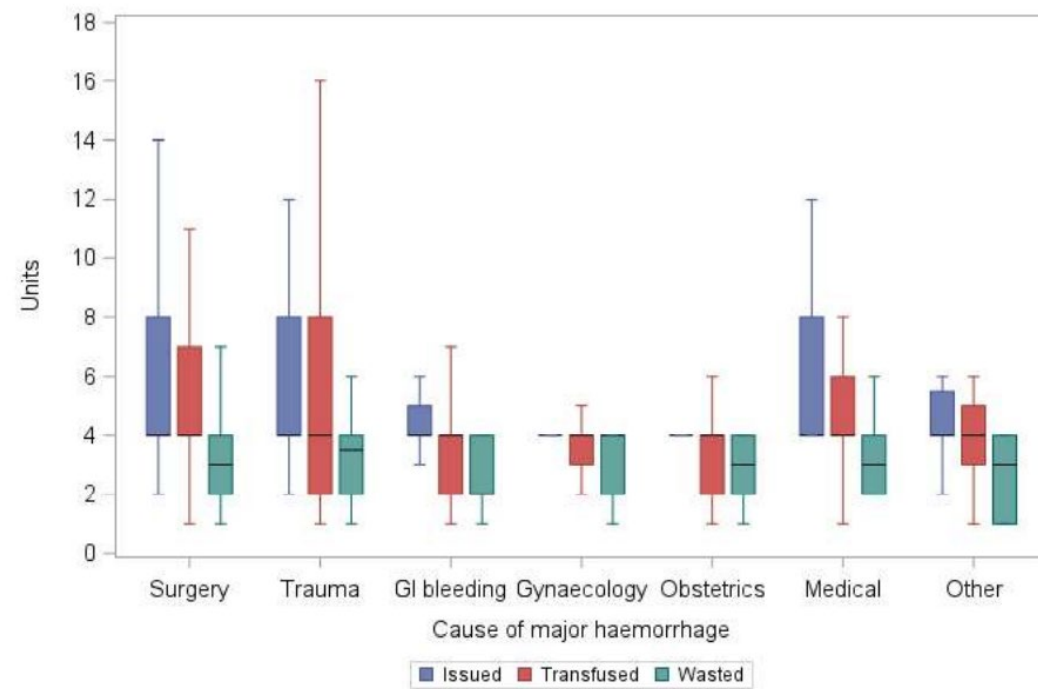
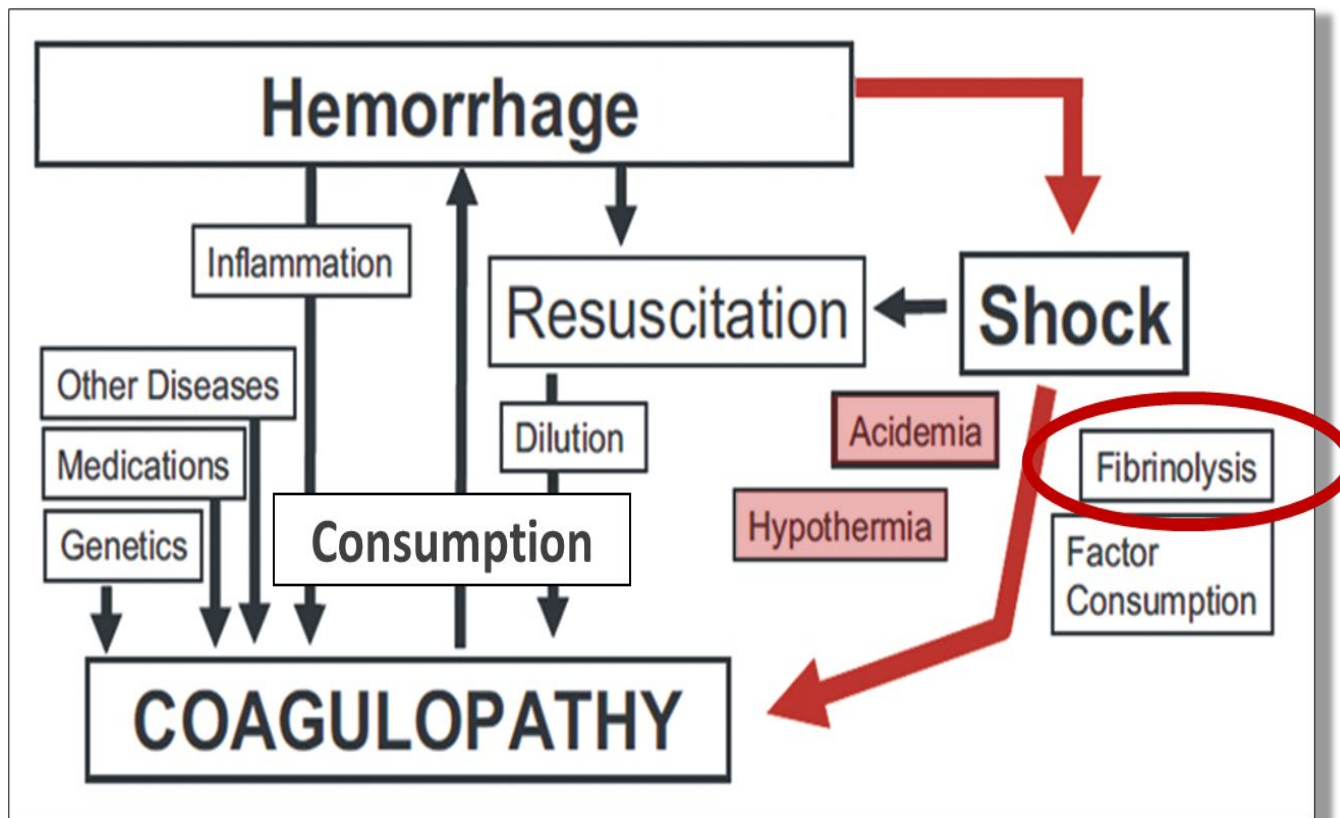
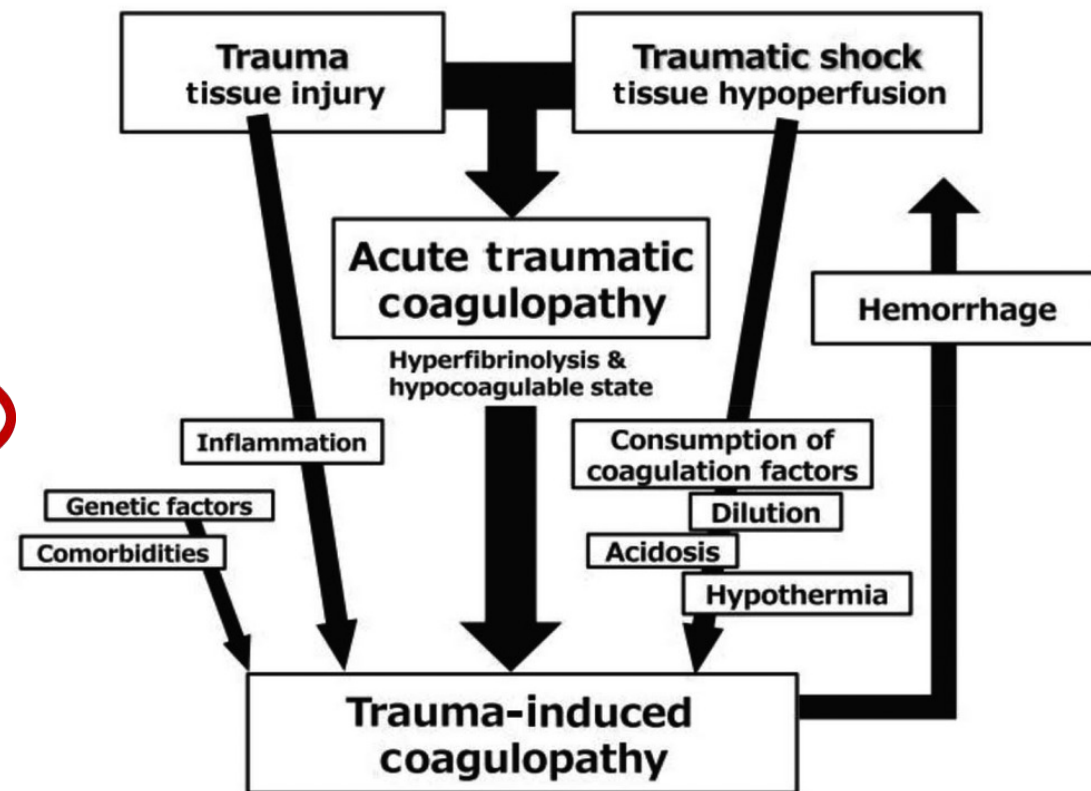
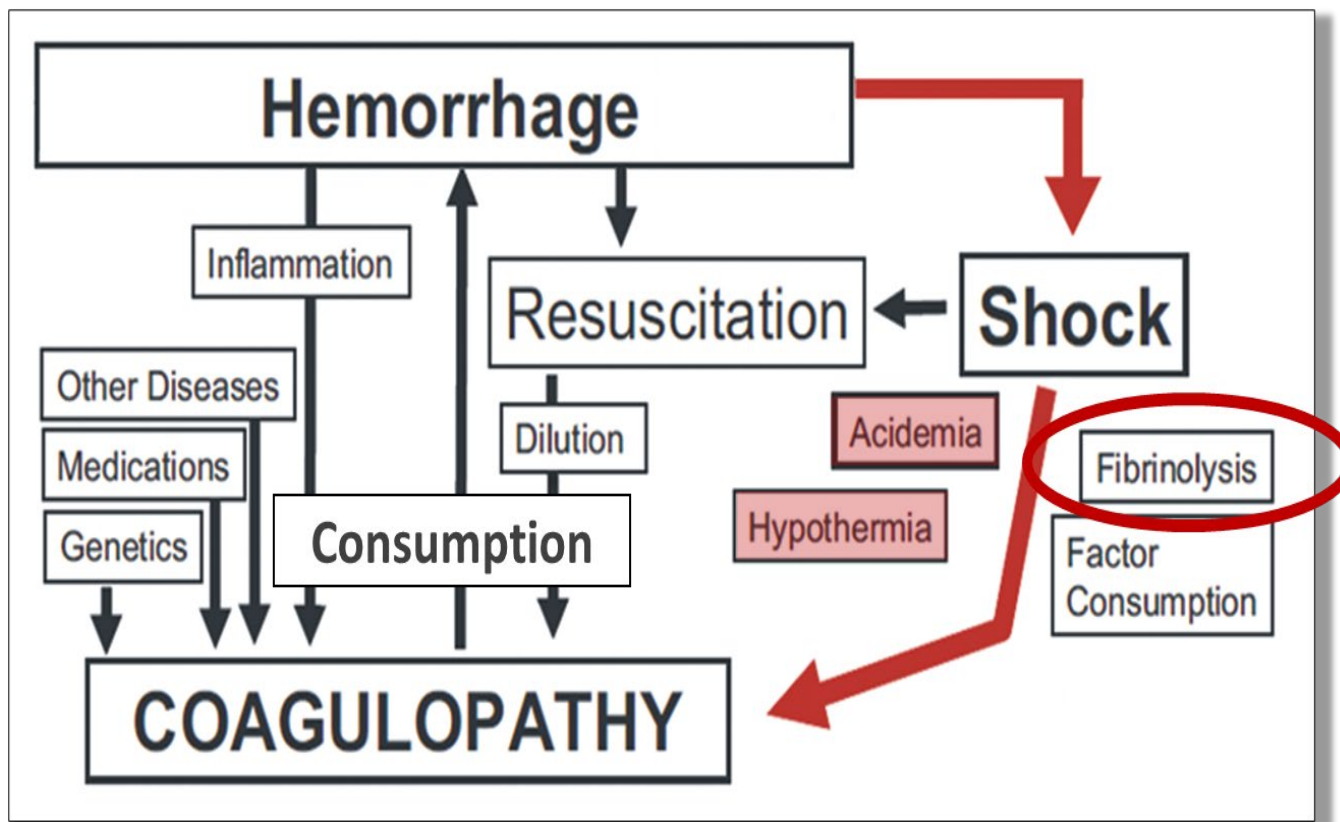


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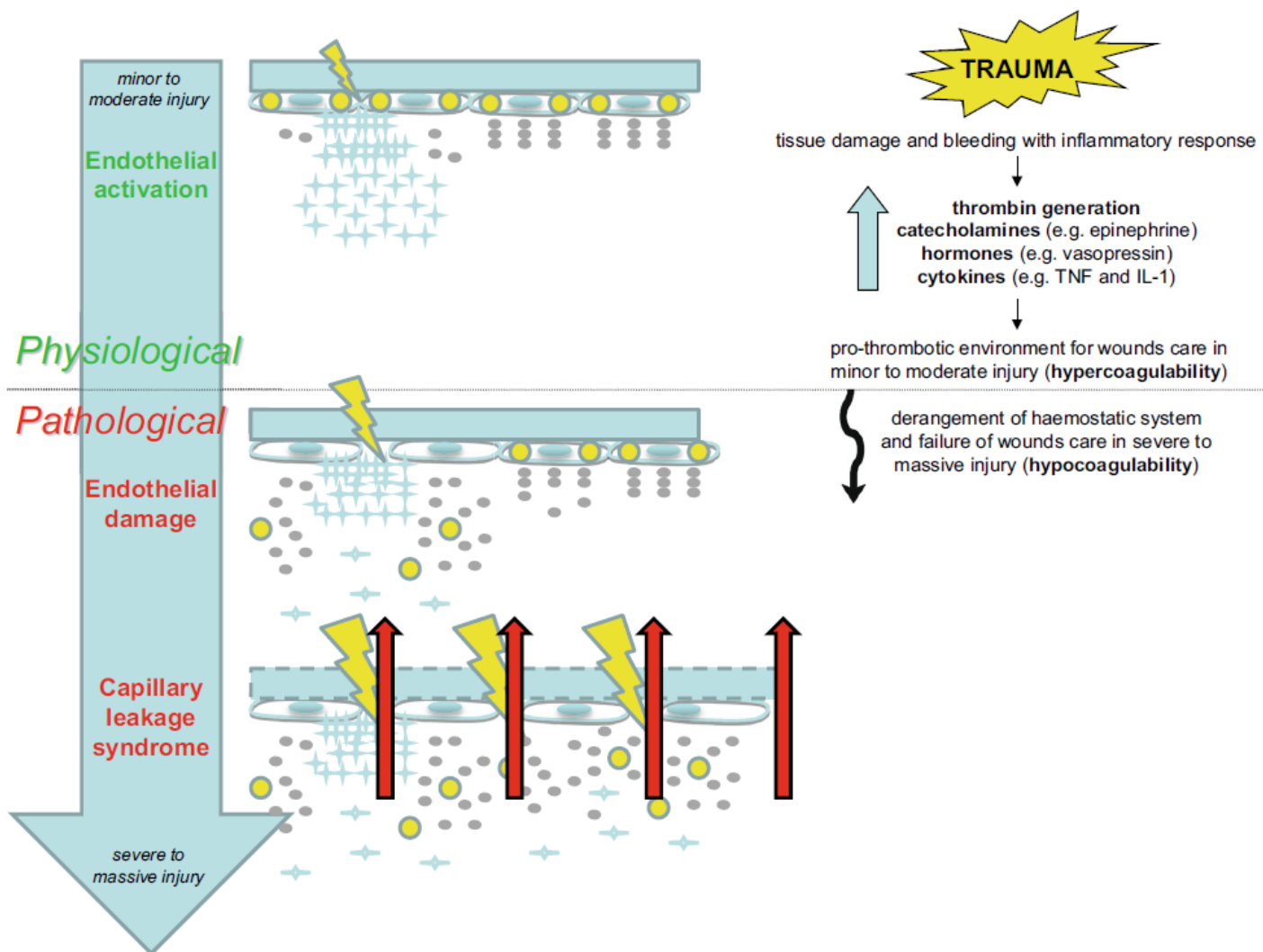
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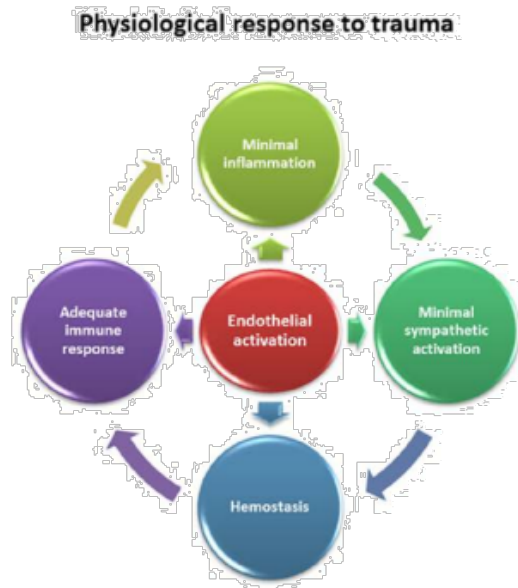
The current understanding of trauma-induced coagulopathy (TIC): a focused review on pathophysiology

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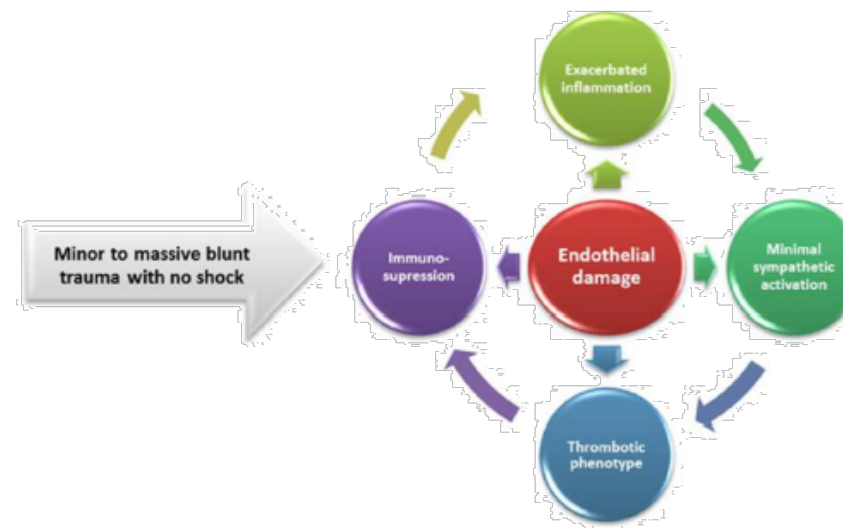
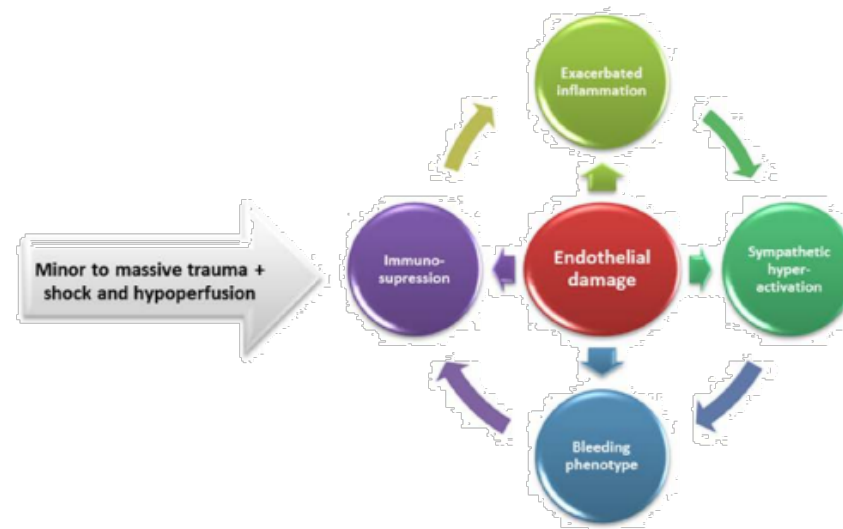
Fig. 3 Evolution from progressive endothelial reaction (from physiological activation to pathological damage and capillary leakage) to progressive traumatic damage (from minor to massive injury, indicated with a thunderbolt in the figure). When trauma occurs, tissue damage and bleeding activate the inflammatory response with the generation of greater amounts of thrombin, catecholamines, hormones and cytokines. The aim is to create a pro-thrombotic environment with hypercoagulability capacities that are vital to restore endothelial function after minor-to-moderate injuries. In case of severe-to-massive injuries, a derangement of the haemostatic system takes place resulting in the failure of healing capacities. The final stage is the capillary leakage syndrome with excessive vascular permeability (*red arrow* in the figure) that leads to edema, hypovolemia and hypotension. *DIC* disseminated intravascular coagulation, *ACoTS* acute coagulopathy induced by trauma and shock, *FDPs* fibrinogen degradation products, *TM* thrombomodulin, *EPCR* endothelial protein C receptor, *APC* activated protein C, *EGL* endothelial glycocalyx layer, *Syn1* syndecan-1, *HA* hyaluronic acid, *HS* heparan sulfate, *CS* chondroitin sulfate, *WPBs* weibel-palade bodies, *tPA* tissue plasminogen activator, *Ang2* angiopoietin-2, *PARI* protease activated receptor 1, *TM* thrombomodulin, *APC* activated protein C, *NO* nitric oxide, *PGI₂* prostaglandin I₂, *tPA* tissue plasminogen activator. → directly leads to, --> inhibits, ~~~~> indirectly leads to and →| higher/lower levels of

Pathophysiological Response to Trauma-Induced Coagulopathy: A Comprehensive Review

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A Coagulopathic response to trauma with associated shock: Bleeding phenotype



B Coagulopathic response to trauma without associated shock: Thrombotic phenotype

Figure 2. Coagulopathic response to trauma. Novel concepts. A, Coagulopathic response to trauma with associated shock: bleeding phenotype. Shock and hypoperfusion in patients with severe trauma can induce hypocoagulability and hyperfibrinolysis that might lead to life-threatening bleeding. B, Coagulopathic response to trauma without associated shock: thrombotic phenotype. Severe tissue injury is shortly followed by a hypercoagulable state probably related to tissue factor exposure and impaired endothelial release of tissue plasminogen activator.

Hypercoagulability can occur after severe tissue injury, that is likely related to tissue factor exposure and impaired endothelial release of tissue plasminogen activator (tPA). In contrast, when shock and hypoperfusion occur, activation of the protein C pathway and endothelial tPA release induce a shift from a procoagulant to a hypocoagulable and hyperfibrinolytic state with a high risk of bleeding. Both thrombotic and bleeding phenotypes are associated with increased mortality and are influenced by the extent and severity of tissue injury and degree of hemorrhagic shock. Response to trauma is a complex, dynamic process in which risk can shift from bleeding to thrombosis depending on the injury pattern, hemostatic treatment, individual responses, genetic predisposition, and comorbidities. Based on this body of knowledge, we will review and consider future directions for the management of severely injured trauma patients. (Anesth Analg 2020;130:654–64)

Therapeutic approach

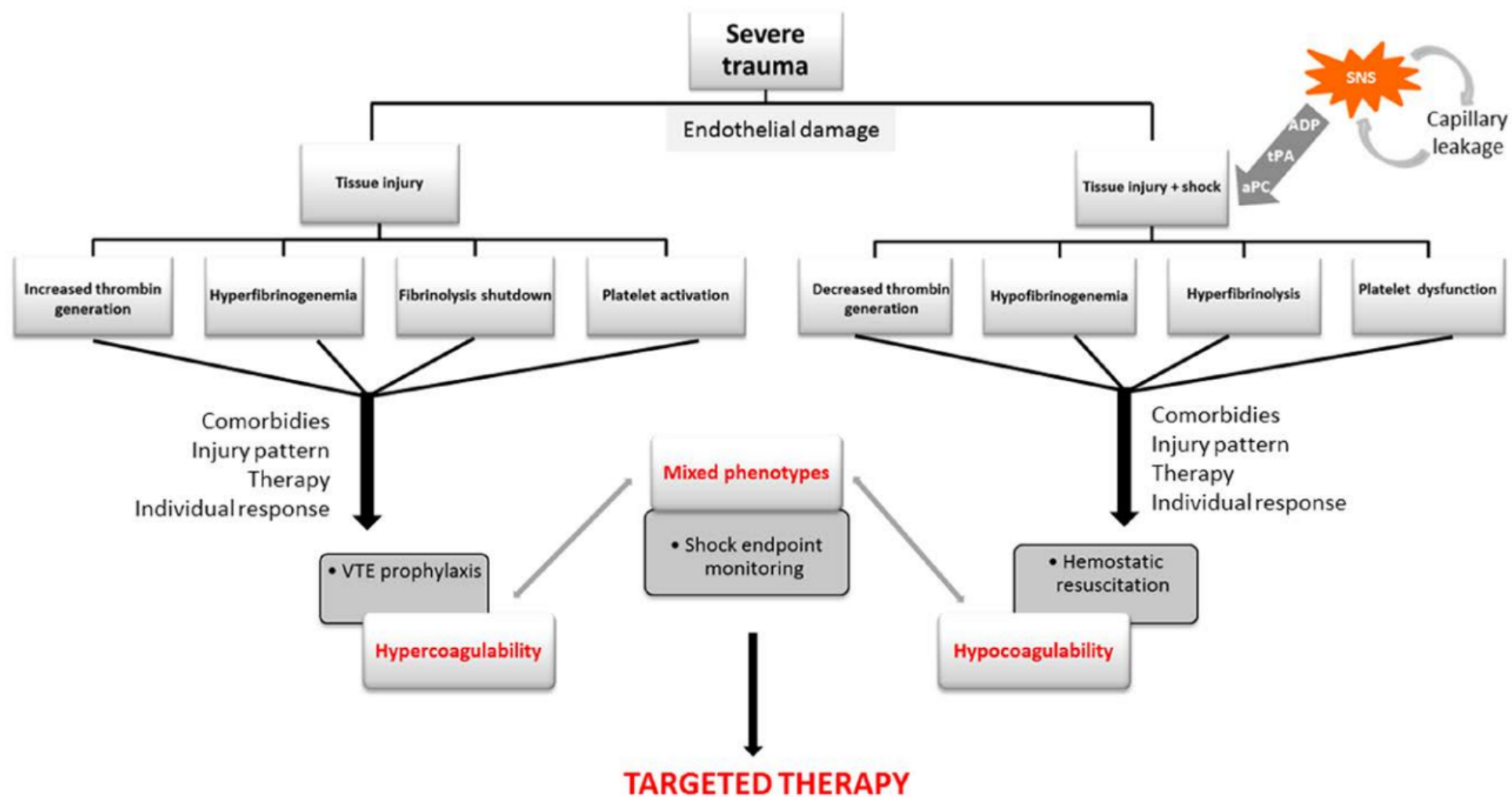


Figure 3. Therapeutic approach. Patients presenting with severe tissue injury without shock are at high risk of thrombosis and every effort should be made to prevent this serious condition. However, shock and hypoperfusion in patients with severe trauma can induce hypocoagulability and hyperfibrinolysis. This state is associated with very high mortality and needs to be treated urgently with early hemostatic goal-directed resuscitation. Response to trauma is a complex, dynamic process in which risk can shift from bleeding to thrombosis depending on the injury pattern, treatment administered, individual responses, and comorbidities.

Hemorrhagic blood failure: Oxygen debt, coagulopathy and endothelial damage

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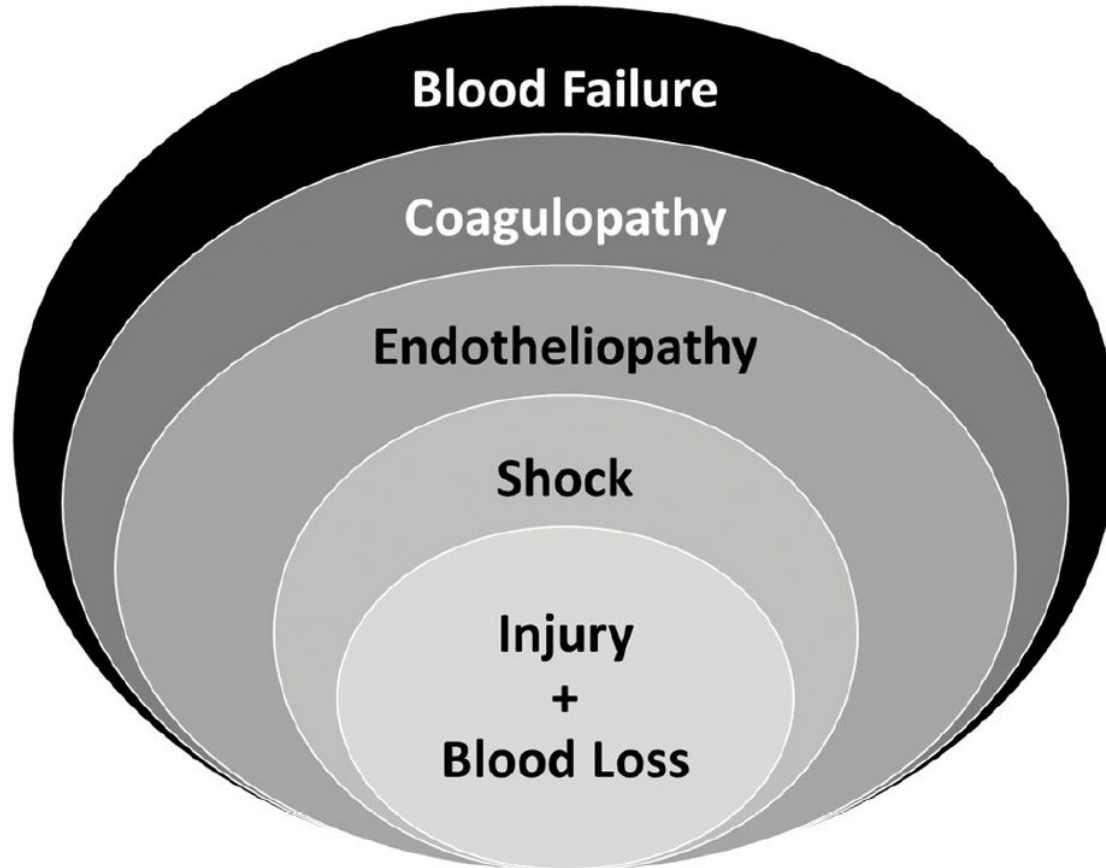


Figure 1.
Schematic representing the components of hemorrhagic blood failure.



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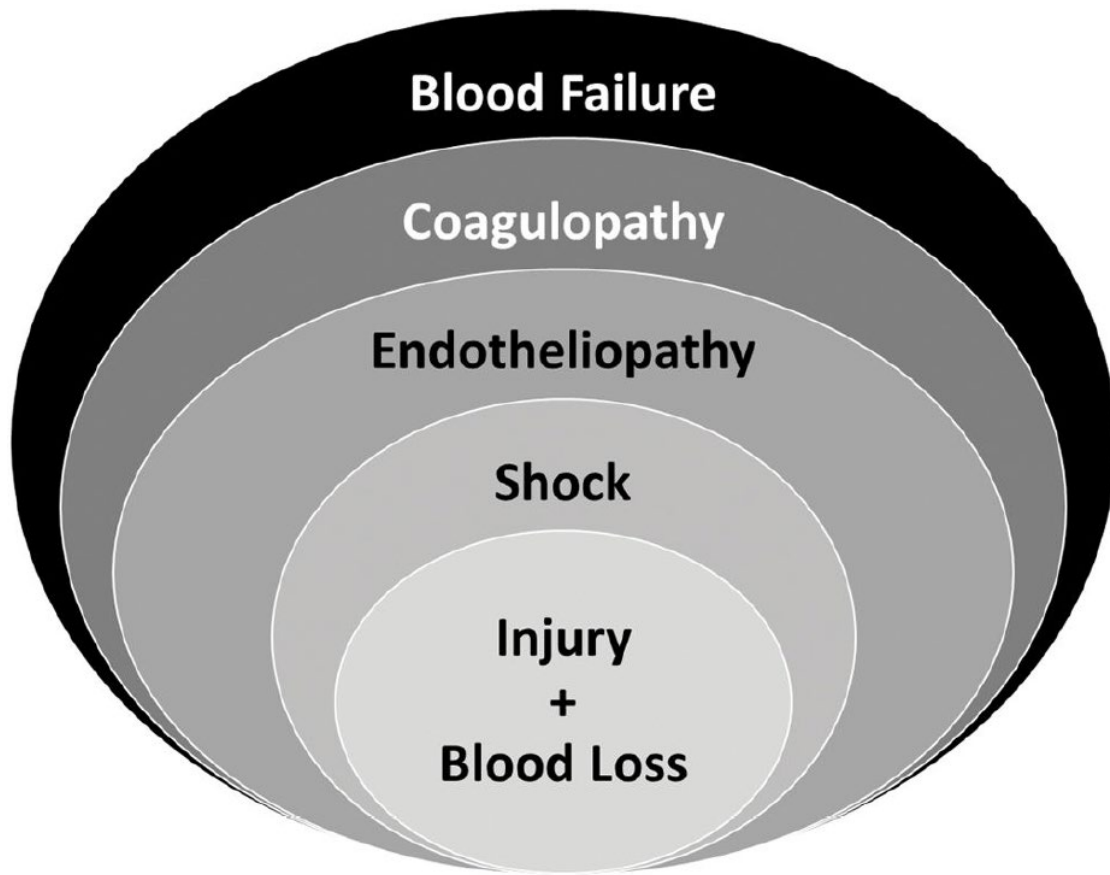


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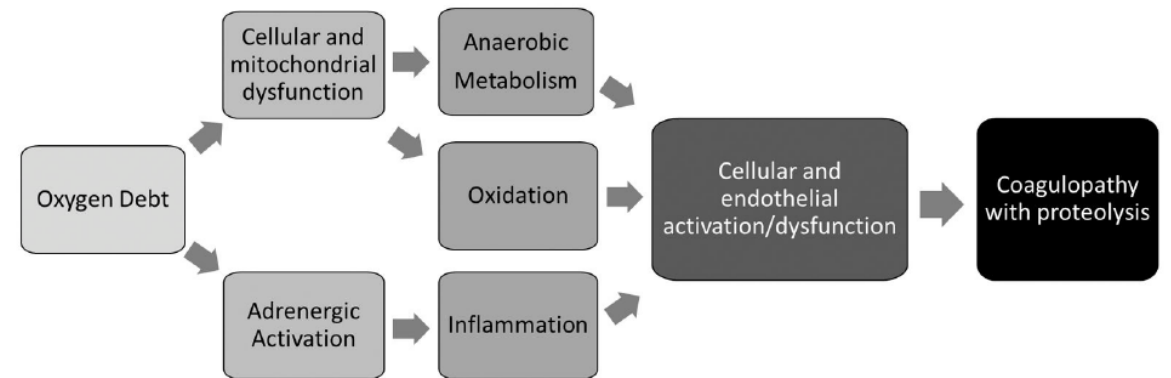




Figure 2.
Schematic of key linkages between oxygen debt, cellular dysfunction, and coagulopathy during hemorrhagic blood failure.

| Blood Product | PRBC | Plasma | Cryo | Platelets | Whole Blood |
|--|------|--------|------|-----------|-------------|
| Oxygen Debt <i>(Oxygen Content, Cardiac Output and Delivery)</i> | High | Low | Low | Low | High |
| Endotheliopathy <i>(Glycocalyx, Proteolysis, Barrier)</i> | Low | High | High | High | High |
| Coagulopathy <i>(Proteolysis, Factors, Clot Formation)</i> | Low | High | High | High | High |

Figure 3.
Schematic summarizing the effects of individual blood products on the three components of hemorrhagic blood failure. PRBC= packed red blood cells, Cryo= cryoprecipitate

Prognostic value of preoperative plasma fibrinogen levels in resected stage I non-small cell lung cancer

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Background: The number of surgical procedures has increased among patients with early-stage lung cancer. If the poor prognostic factors for stage I non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) can be simply validated preoperatively, appropriate treatment will be provided. The current study aimed to evaluate the prognostic value of preoperative plasma fibrinogen levels in patients with resected stage I NSCLC.

Methods: We retrospectively analyzed the clinicopathological information of patients ($n = 149$) who underwent lobectomy for stage I NSCLC between May 2014 and July 2016. Data about peripheral blood analysis, histopathological finding, and follow-up assessment results were collected from the databases. Patients were divided into the low and high fibrinogen groups. Univariate and multivariate analyses were performed to evaluate the predictors of recurrence and survival.

Results: Compared with the low fibrinogen group (<377 mg/dl), the high fibrinogen group (≥ 377 mg/dl) had a significantly greater number of male participants ($p = 0.04$), smokers ($p < 0.001$), and those with elevated cytokeratin antigen levels ($p = 0.04$), lymphatic invasion ($p = 0.007$), and squamous cell carcinoma ($p < 0.001$). Plasma fibrinogen level was considered a significant independent factor for recurrence and overall survival on both the univariate and multivariate analyses ($p < 0.001$ and $p = 0.010$) and the multivariate analysis alone ($p = 0.020$ and $p < 0.012$).

Conclusion: Preoperative plasma fibrinogen level might be a useful predictor of recurrence and survival in patients with stage I NSCLC. The treatment strategy for patients with high fibrinogen levels could be cautiously considered preoperatively.

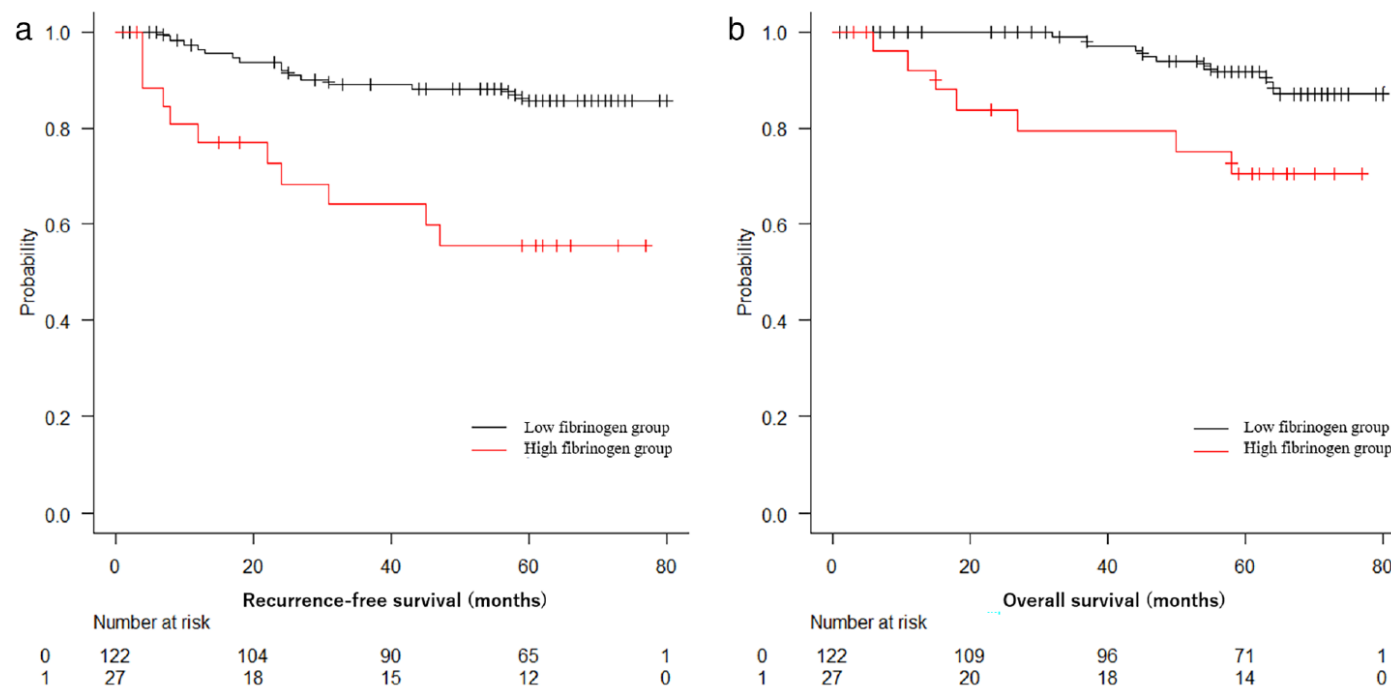


FIGURE 2 (a) Recurrence-free survival curves of the high and low fibrinogen groups. The 5-year recurrence-free survival rates of the high and low fibrinogen groups were 55.6% and 85.7%, respectively. (b) Overall survival curves of the high and low fibrinogen groups. The 5-year overall survival rates were 70.6% in the high fibrinogen group and 91.8% in the low fibrinogen group

Fibrinogenolysis in Venom-Induced Consumption Coagulopathy after *Viperidae* Snakebites: A Pilot Study

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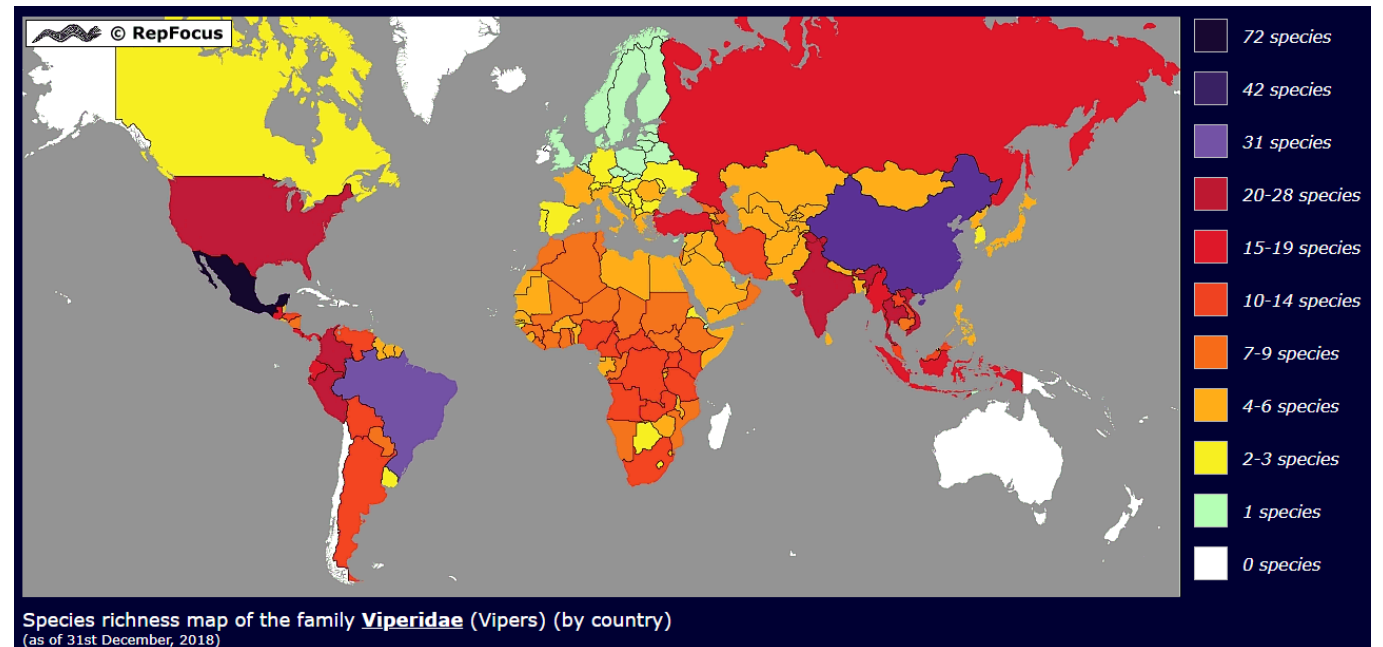
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Abstract: Envenomations that are caused by *Viperidae* snakebites are mostly accompanied by venom-induced consumption coagulopathy (VICC) with defibrination. The clinical course of VICC is well described; however, reports about its detailed effects in the hemocoagulation systems of patients are sparse. In this pilot study, we prospectively analyzed the changes in plasma fibrinogen that were caused by the envenomation of six patients by five non-European *Viperidae* snakes. Western blot analysis was employed and fibrinogen fragments were visualized with the use of specific anti-human fibrinogen antibodies. All of the studied subjects experienced hypo- or afibrinogenemia. The western blot analysis demonstrated fibrinogenolysis of the fibrinogen chains in all of the cases. Fibrinogenolysis was considered to be a predominant cause of defibrination in *Crotalus*, *Echis*, and *Macrovipera* envenomation; while, in the cases of VICC that were caused by *Atheris* and *Calloselasma* envenomation, the splitting of the fibrinogen chains was present less significantly.



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|---------------------------|------|------|--------|------|------|------|------|
| Hours Since Bite | 0.75 | 3.75 | 12 | 18 | 22 | 28 | 36 |
| PT/INR | 0.94 | 1.02 | 1.13 | 1.38 | 1.35 | 1.31 | 1.17 |
| APTT (s) | 26.1 | 27.8 | 27.8 | 36.8 | 34.8 | 33.2 | 32.8 |
| TT (s) | NA | NA | NA | 22.8 | 19.4 | 16.8 | 15.0 |
| AT III (% activity) | 105 | 84 | 74 | 81 | 76 | 77 | 81 |
| FBG Claus (g/L) | 2.6 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.94 |
| D-dimers (µg/L) | 210 | 3110 | 18,500 | 5190 | 2226 | 1100 | 691 |
| PLT (×10 ⁹ /L) | 186 | NA | 159 | 180 | 172 | 172 | 180 |



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