

# Revascularisation chirurgicale ou endovasculaire des sténoses carotidiennes

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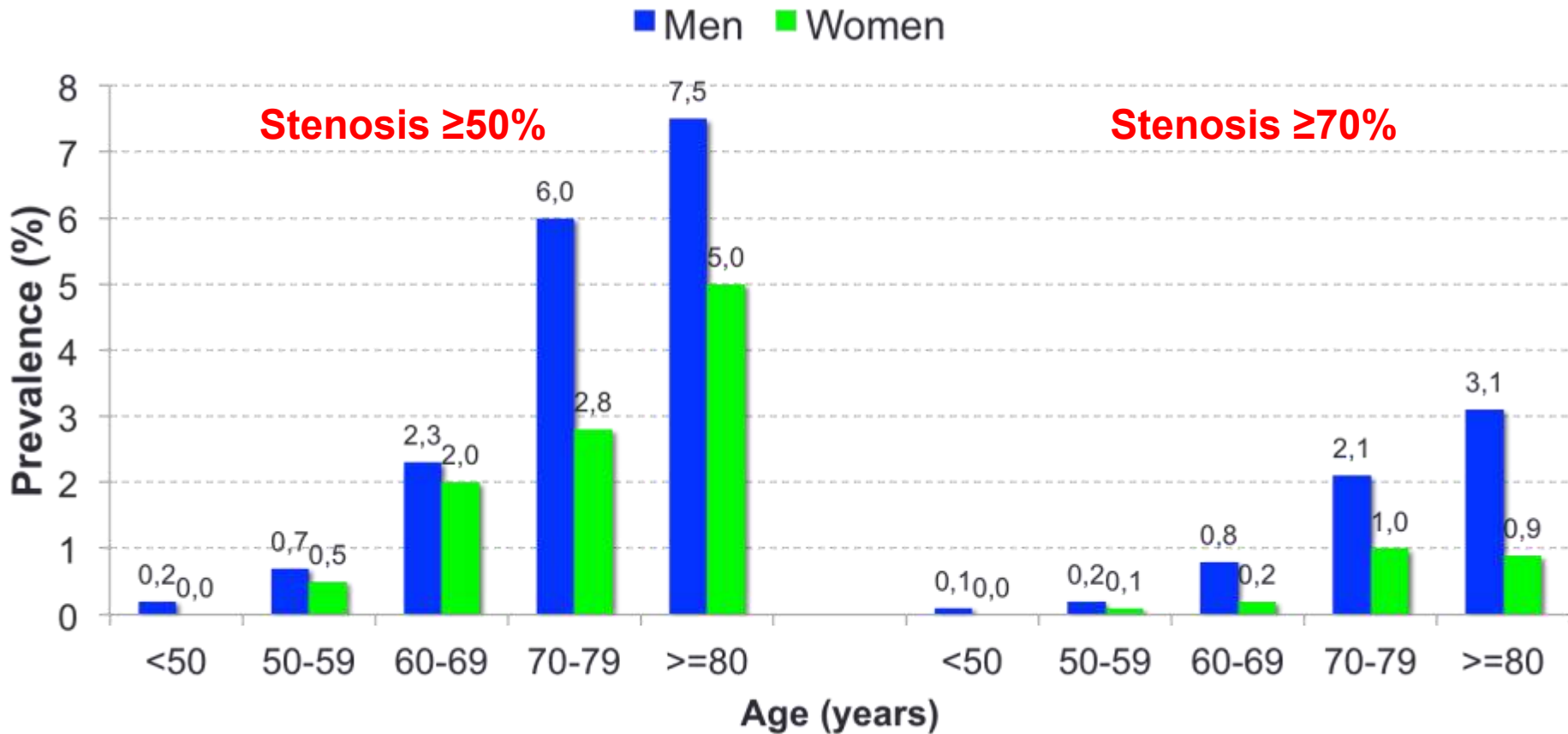
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# Prévalence en population générale

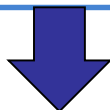
Meta-analyse sur données individuelles

4 population-based studies (23 706 participants)  
Norway, Germany, The Netherlands



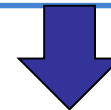
# Circonstances du diagnostic

Patients sans symptômes dans  
le territoire de la sténose  
=  
**STENOSE CAROTIDIENNE  
ASYMPTOMATIQUE**



- Dépistage chez des patients ayant une maladie vasculaire: coronaires, membres inférieurs, aorte
- Dépistage chez les diabétiques
- Infarctus ou AIT dans un autre territoire

Patients avec des symptômes  
dans le territoire de la sténose  
=  
**STENOSE CAROTIDIENNE  
SYMPTOMATIQUE**

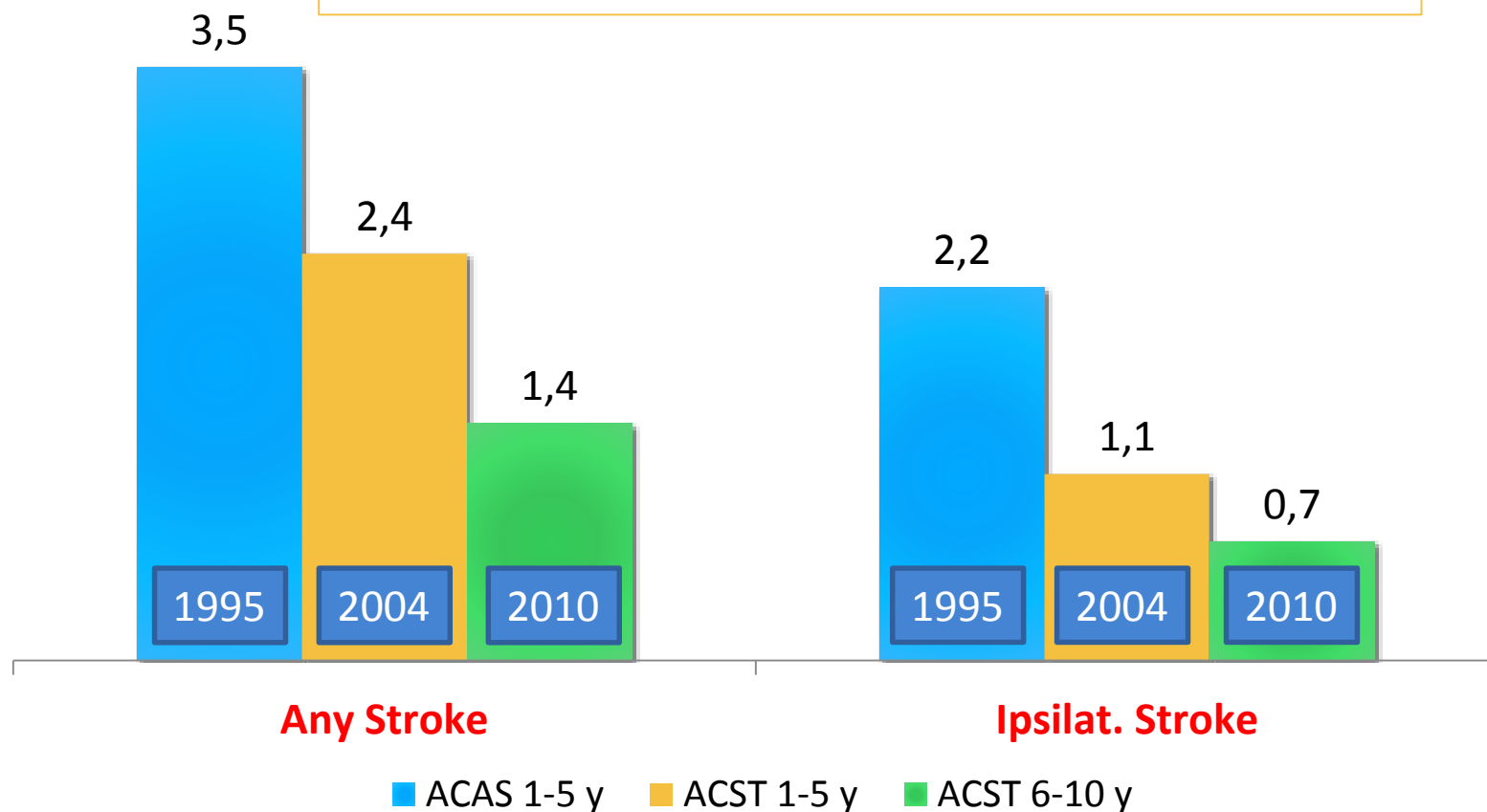


- Infarctus cérébral ou AIT dans le territoire de la sténose <6-12 mois
- Infarctus cérébral ou AIT dans le territoire de la sténose >6-12 mois



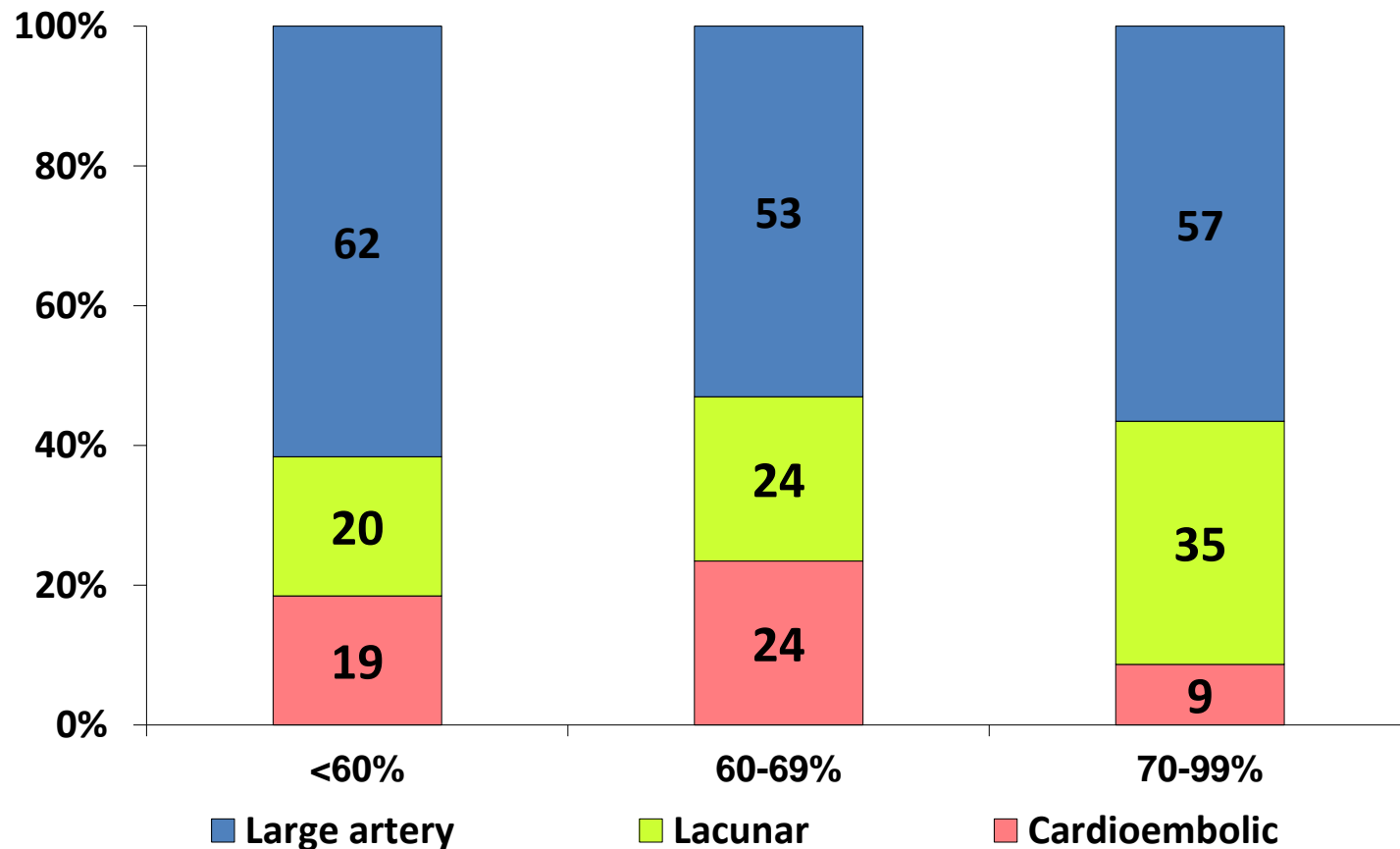
# Infarctus cérébral

Risque annuel chez les patients traités médicalement dans les 2 grands essais thérapeutiques sur la chirurgie des sténoses asymptomatiques (%/an)



# Sténose carotidienne asymptomatique

## Mécanisme des infarctus cérébraux



# Facteurs de risque d'accident ischémique ipsilatéral

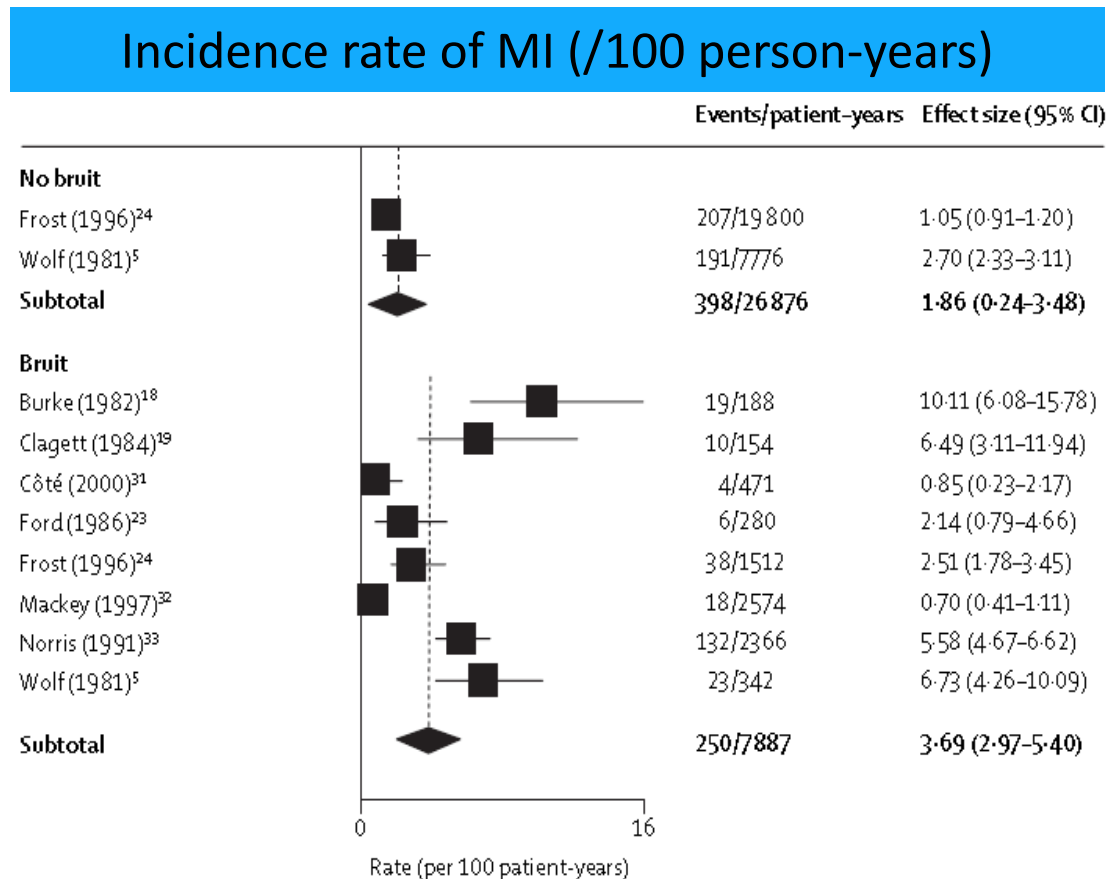
1. Degré de sténose ?
2. Progression de la sténose ?
3. Retentissement hémodynamique
4. Signaux microemboliques au Doppler transcrânien
5. Infarctus 'silencieux'
6. Composition de la plaque
7. Sexe

# Événements vasculaires non neurologiques

- Revue systématique
- 22 études
- 17295 patients

## Risques (/100 py)

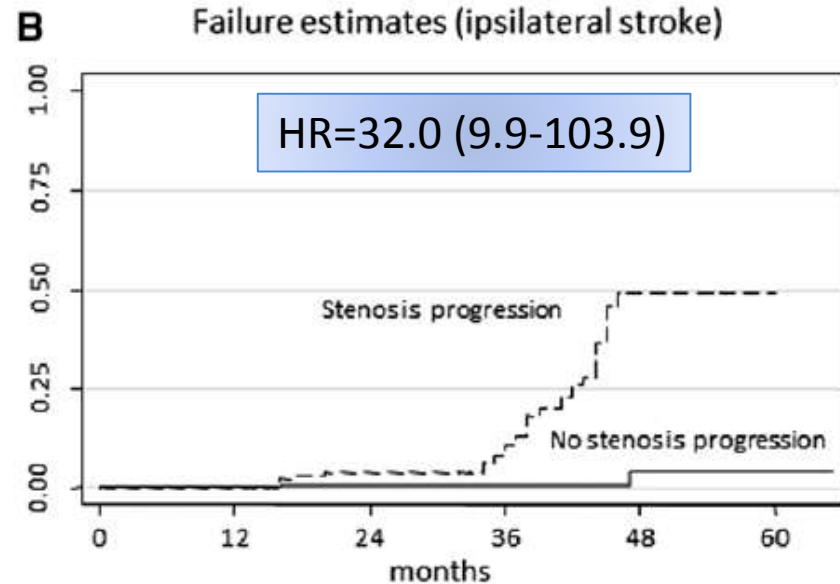
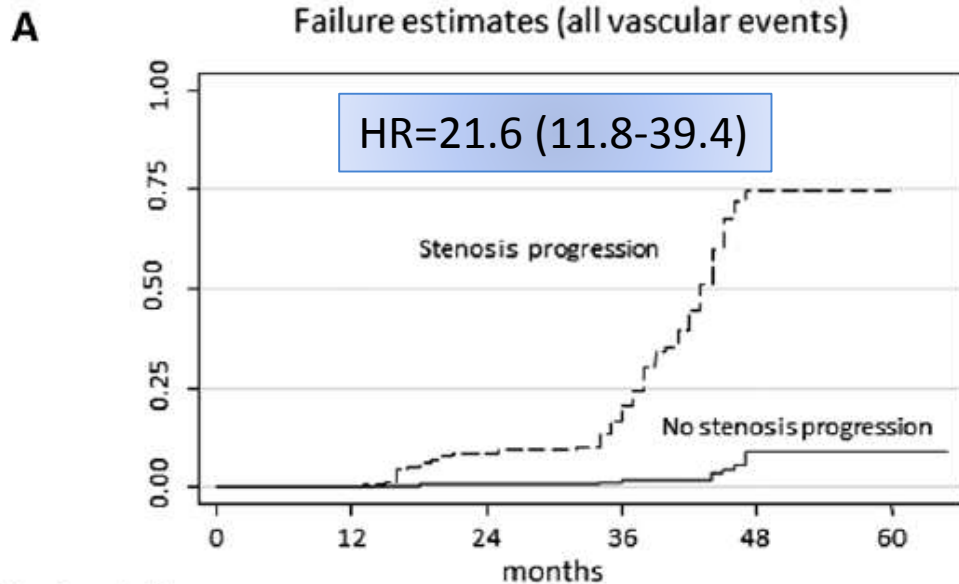
- IDM
  - 3.69% (2.97-5.40)
- Mort vasculaire
  - 2.27% (1.49-3.49)



# Progression de la sténose

## Un marqueur de risque vasculaire global ?

- Sténose 50-69% (523 patients – 2004 - 2009)
- Nouvelle évaluation Doppler  $\leq 12$  mois (med= 9mois)
- Progression définie par changement de catégorie ( $\geq 70\%$ , near-occlusion, occlusion)  $\rightarrow$  25% des patients
- Suivi clinique régulier (med = 42 mois)
- Critères d'évaluation: AIT, infarctus cérébral, IDM, décès



**Number at risk**

No progression	394	394	390	370	15	5
Progression	129	129	118	99	6	1



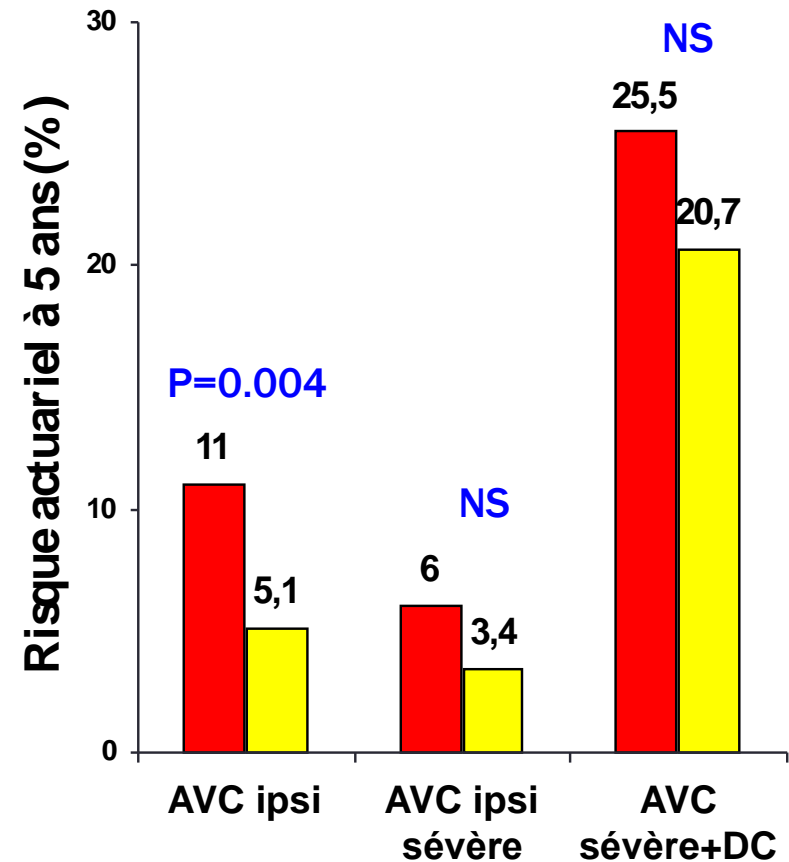
# Sténose carotidienne asymptomatique

## Asymptomatic Carotid Atherosclerosis Study (ACAS)

- N=1662, 40 – 79 ans
- Sténose  $\geq 60\%$  (=NASCET)
- Arrêt prématuré à 2.7 ans
- Bénéfice
  - RRR 53%
  - RAR 6%
  - NNT (1 an) 85

Risque opératoire (AVC+DC) = 2.3% dont 1.2% par artériographie

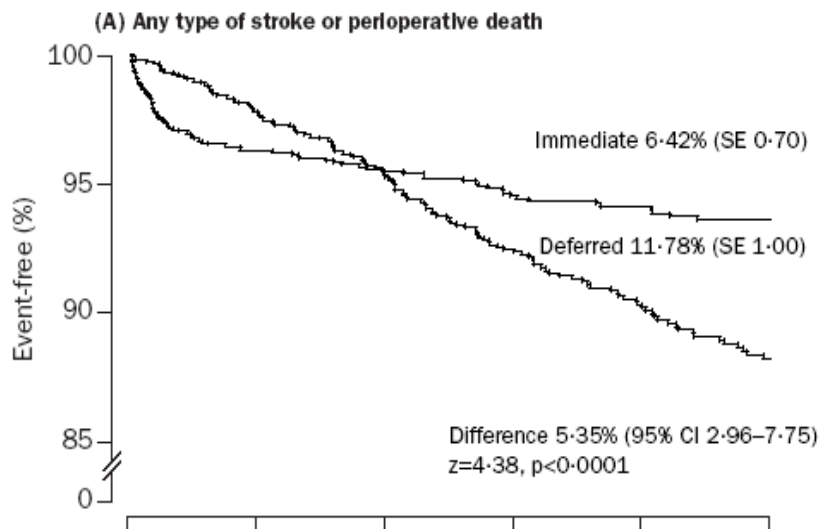
■ Médical ■ Chirurgical



# Sténose carotidienne asymptomatique

## Asymptomatic Carotid Stenosis Trial (ACST)

- 3120 patients
  - Sténose  $\geq 60\%$  (échoDoppler)
  - Résultats à 5 ans
- RAR
  - AVC/DC  
5.3%
  - AVC fatal/invalidant/DC  
2.5%
- Risque opératoire = 3.1%



	Chirurgie (1560)	Médical (1560)
AVC ipsi	13	62
AVC contro	11	35
AVC côté ?	6	8
AVC VB+HIC	12	15
<b>Total (5 ans)</b>	<b>42 (3.8%)</b>	<b>120 (11.0%)</b>
AVC/DC op	40	11
	<b>6.4%</b>	<b>11.7%</b>

# Sténose carotidienne asymptomatique

## Asymptomatic Carotid Stenosis Trial (ACST)

### 10-year results

n=3120 patients

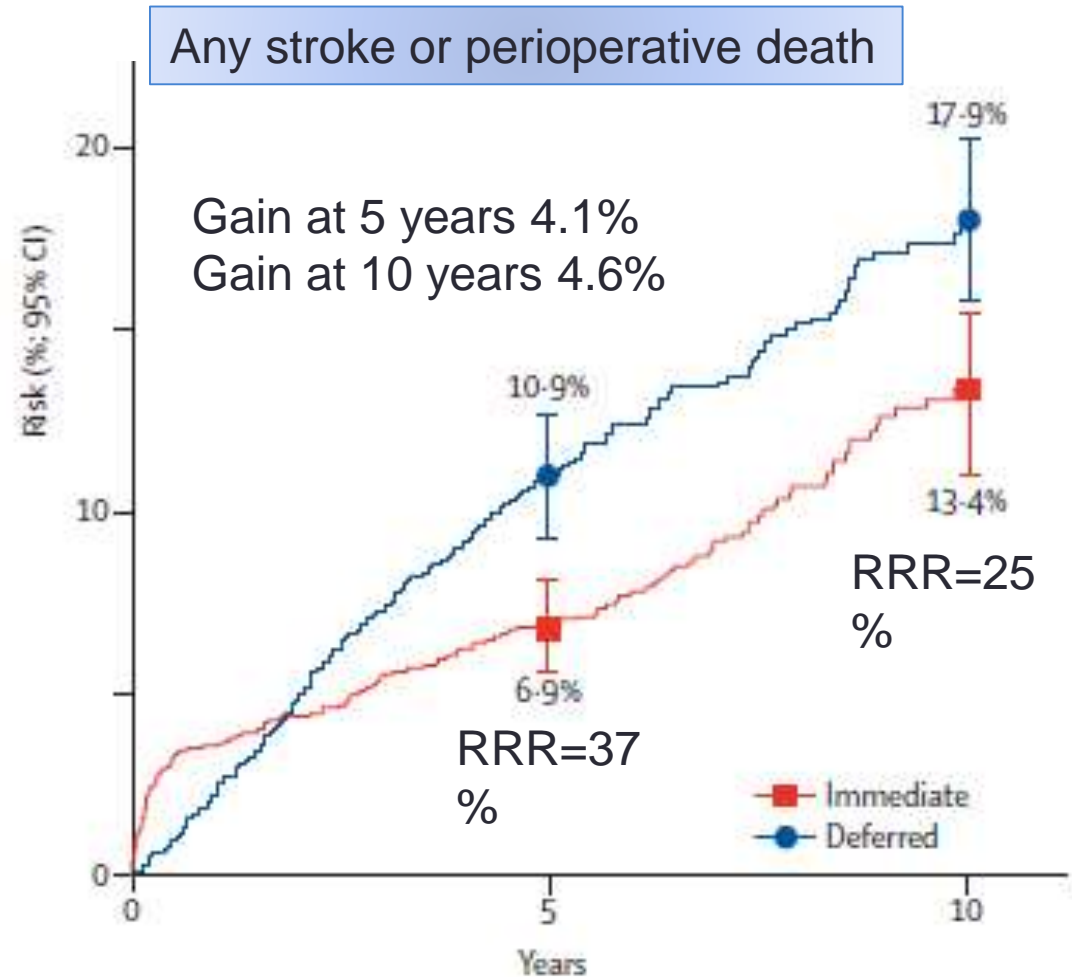
Recruited 1993-2003

Perioperative stroke-death=3.0%

NTT 5 y 25

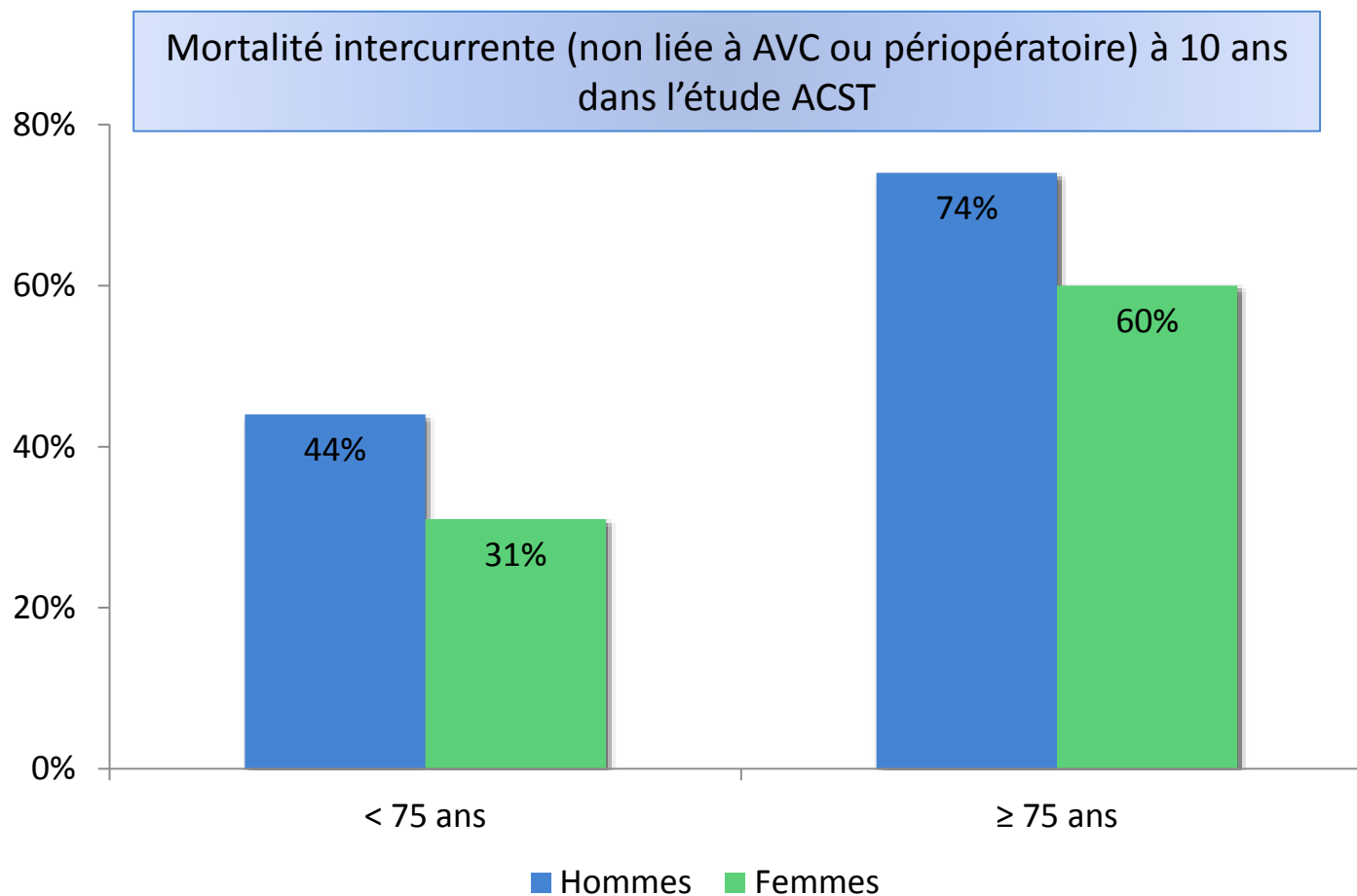
NTT 10 y 22

If the risk of death from another cause is >50% within 10 years, the benefit is reduced by half and does not offset the surgical risk

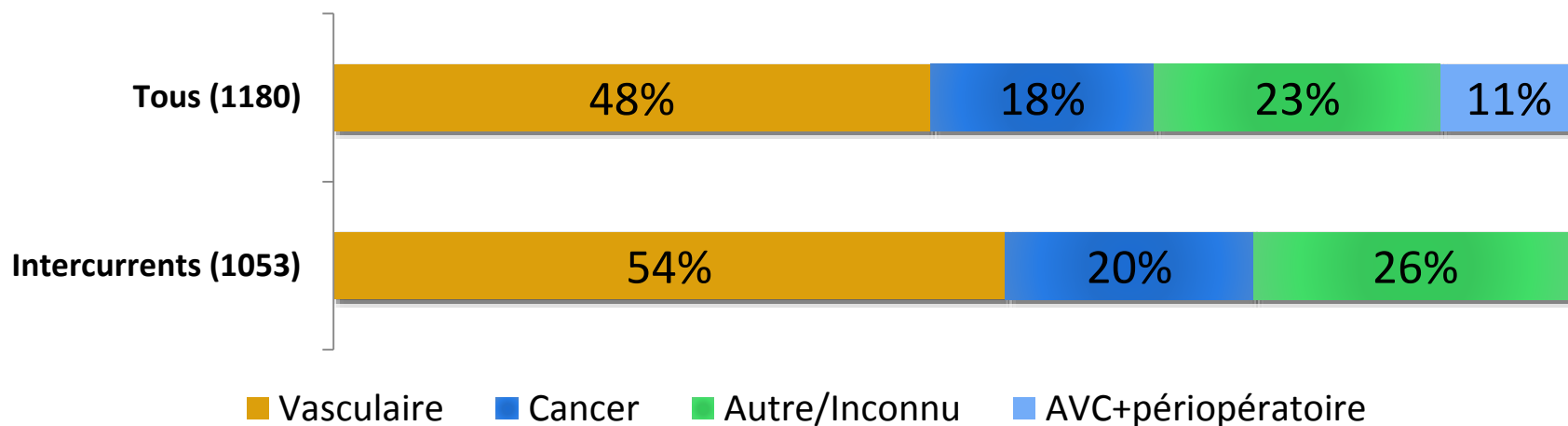


# Décès

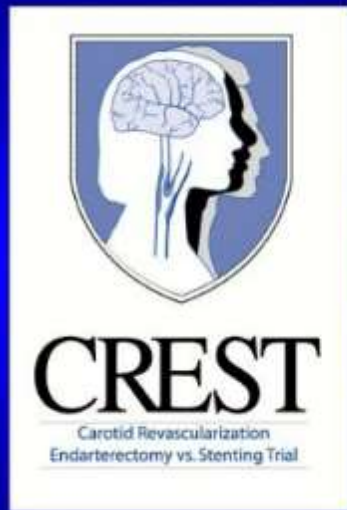
- En moyenne 5% par an dans les registres



# Causes de décès dans ACST



- Mortalité intercurrente=tout décès non lié à un AVC ou à une cause périopératoire



# Carotid Revascularization Endarterectomy vs. Stenting Trial

## Results according to symptomatic status

### Stenting versus Endarterectomy for Treatment of Carotid-Artery Stenosis

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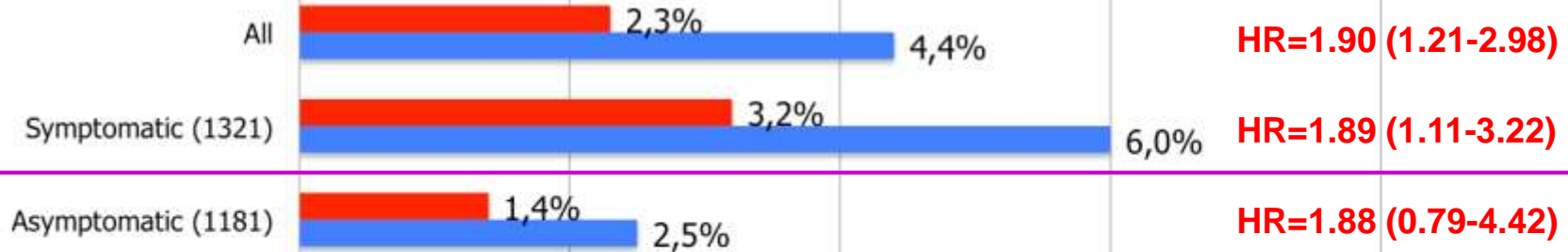
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### Periprocedural stroke, death, MI



### Periprocedural stroke or death



0% 2% 4% 6% 8% 10%

■ CEA ■ CAS

# Importance du traitement médical

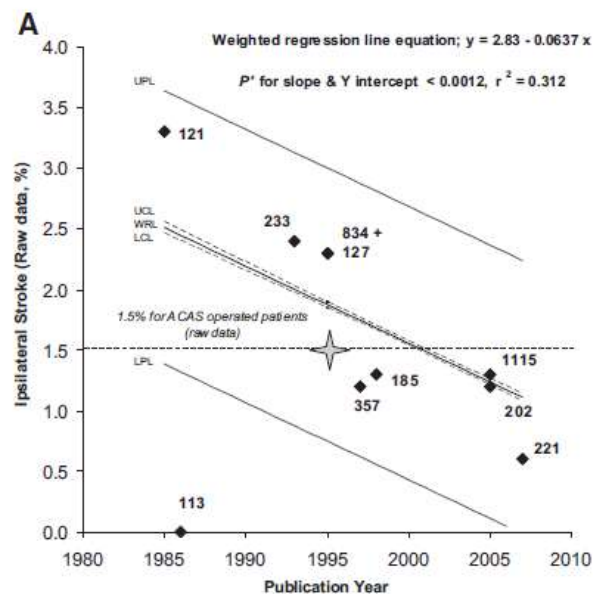
- Seule approche pouvant prévenir tous les événements vasculaires
- Peu de données spécifiques aux patients ayant de l'athérosclérose issues d'essais thérapeutiques
- Mais, nombreux arguments en faveur du bénéfice de:
  - Contrôle des facteurs de risque
  - Antiplaquettaires
  - Statines

**Bénéfice relatif globalement identique  
quel que soit l'âge**

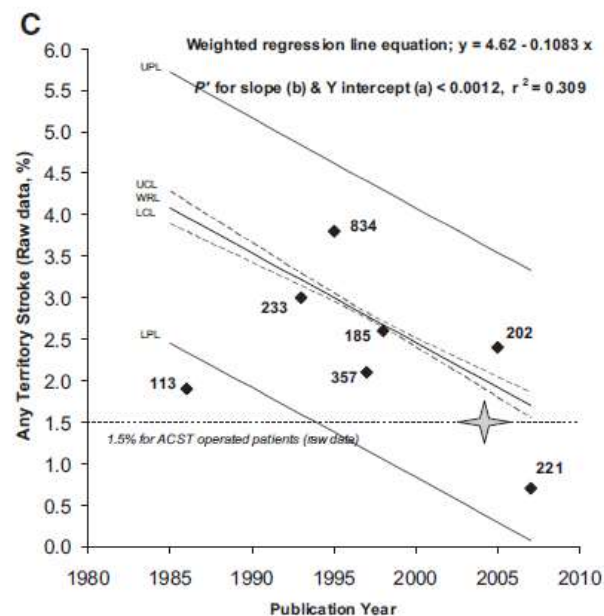


# Traitement médical

## Ipsilateral stroke



## Any territory stroke



Falls coincide with:

- (1) Gains in vascular disease understanding
- (2) Lowering or expansion of thresholds used to define and treat diabetes, hypertension, hyperlipidemia
- (3) Progressive use of antiplatelet drugs, blood pressure-lowering drugs, and statins

# Impact des statines sur les revascularisations carotidiennes

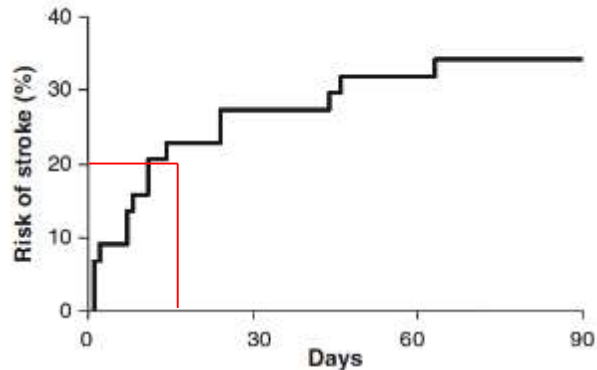
Study	Follow-up	Statin	Placebo	Relative Risk reduction
<b>Heart Protection Study</b> (simvastatine 40 mg/d)	4.6 yrs			
All patients		0.4%	0.8%	<b>50%</b>
Prior history of stroke		1.0%	2.3%	<b>56%</b>
<b>SPARCL</b> (atorvastatine 80 mg/d)	5 yrs			
Known carotid stenosis		3.2%	7.2%	<b>56%</b>

# Sténose asymptomatique

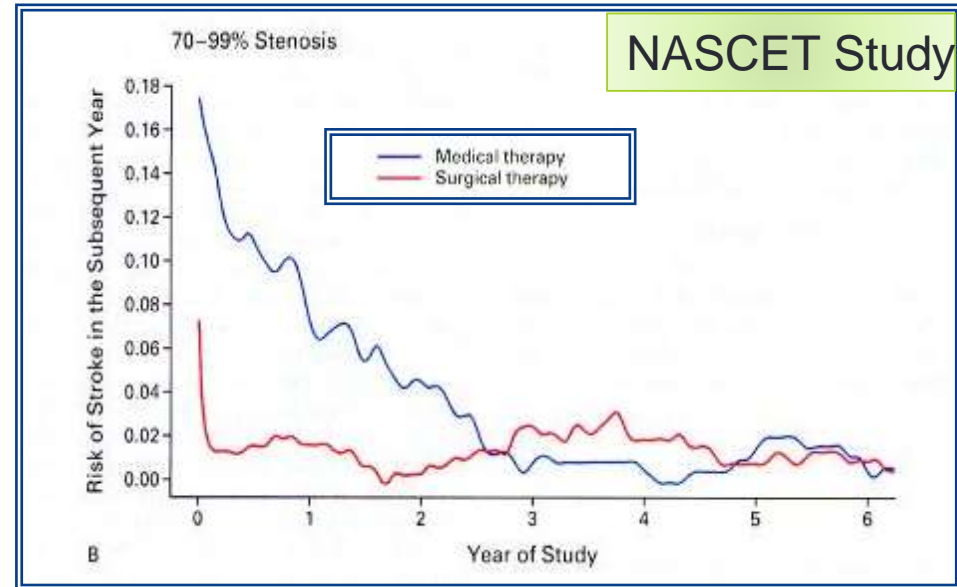
- La sténose carotide asymptomatique est avant tout un marqueur de risque d'événements vasculaire
  - IDM ~>2% par an ?
  - Mort vasculaire ~2.5% par an
  - Mort (non liée à AVC) ~5% par an
- Le risque d'accident ipsilatéral est faible dans les cohortes actuelles (<1%/an avec le traitement médical)
- Bénéfice faible de la chirurgie
- Intérêt d'identifier les patients à haut risque mais peu de facteurs de risque d'accident ipsilatéral à la sténose connus

# Sténose carotidienne symptomatique

## Risque très élevé de récurrence très précoce



**Fig. 1** Risk of recurrent stroke in all patients with TIA or nondisabling ischaemic stroke in the Oxford Vascular Study population who were found to have  $\geq 50\%$  symptomatic carotid stenosis. Analysis is censored before any endarterectomy (2).



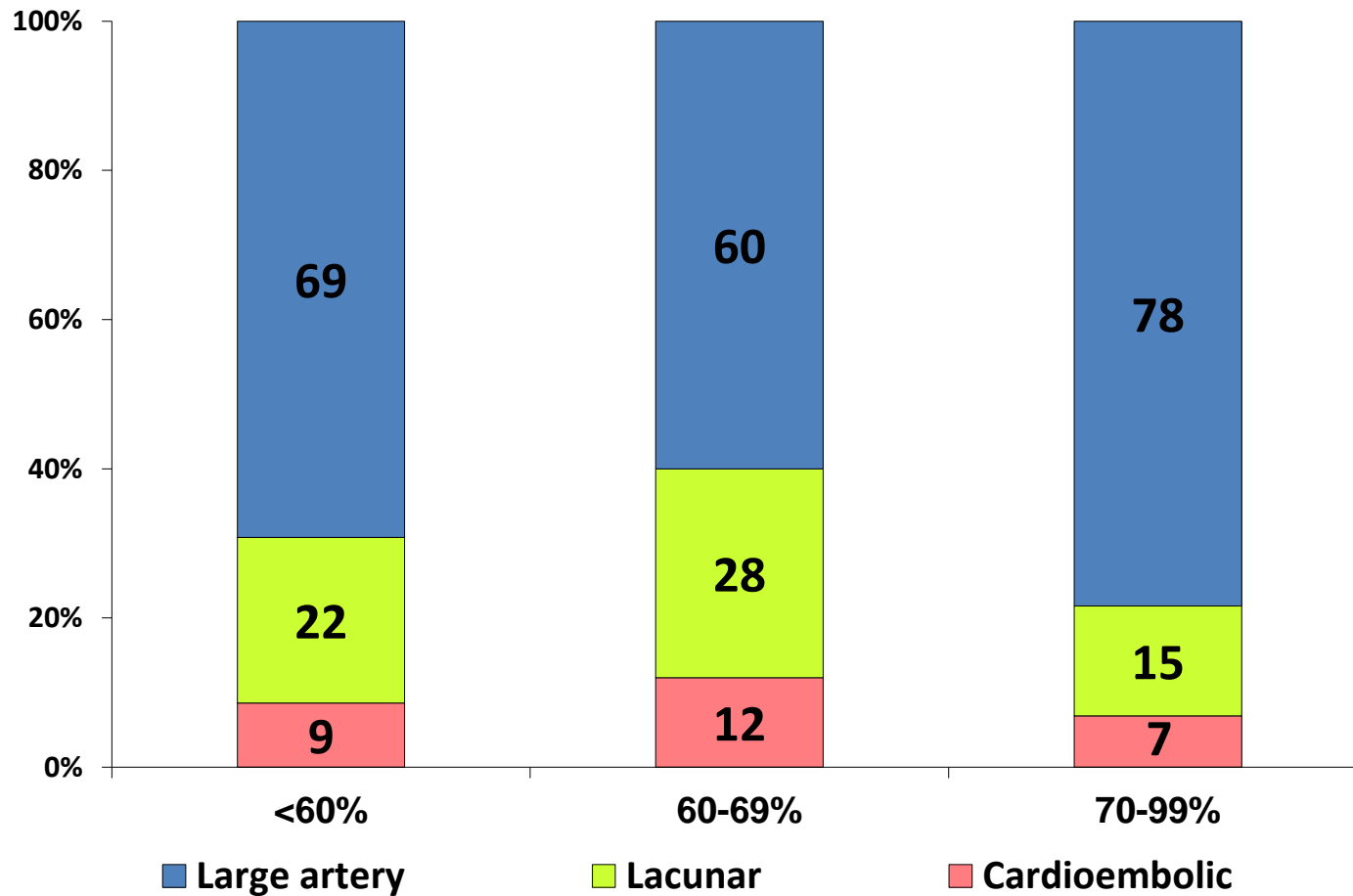
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### Early risk of recurrent stroke in patients awaiting for carotid surgery

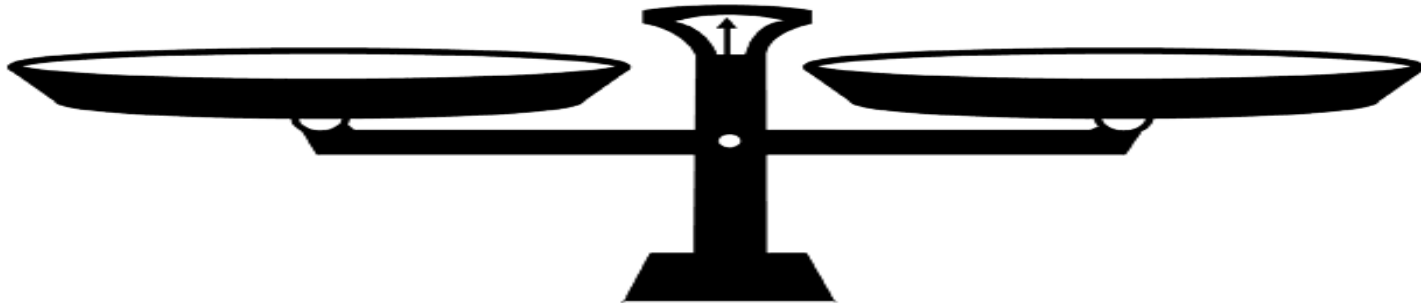
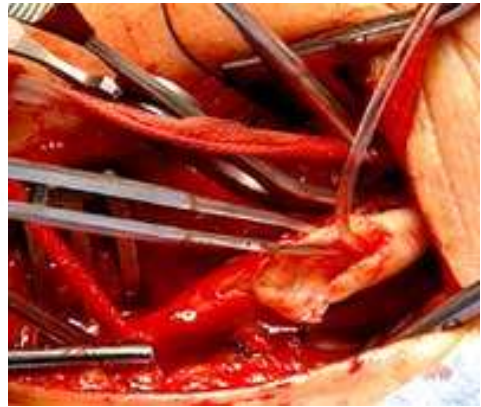
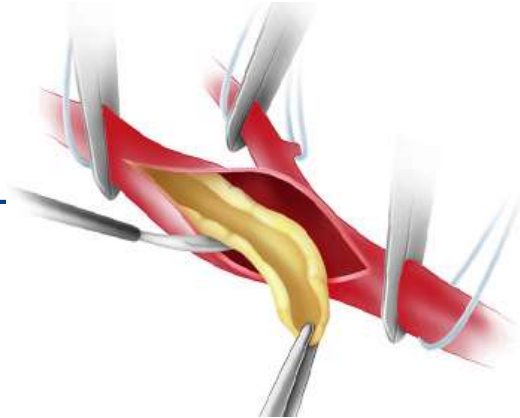
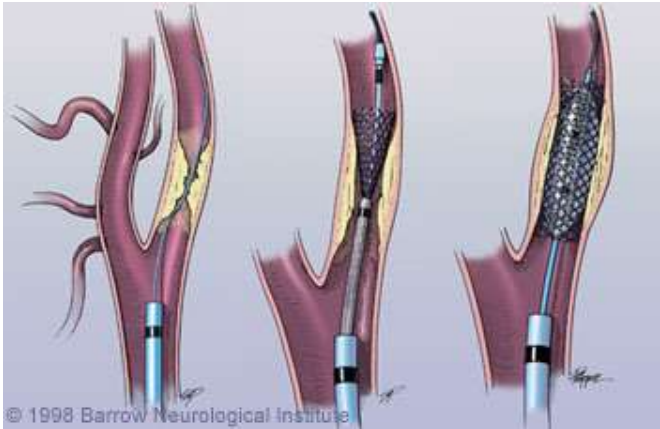
Study	N patients	Follow-up (days)	Recurrent stroke n (%/d)	Recurrent TIA n (%/d)
Blaser 2002, Germany	143	19	8 (0.30)	7 (0.25)
Fairhead 2005, UK	38	69	14 (0.53)	-
Marnane 2011, UK	36	14	3 (0.60)	-

# Sténose carotidienne symptomatique

## Mécanisme des infarctus cérébraux



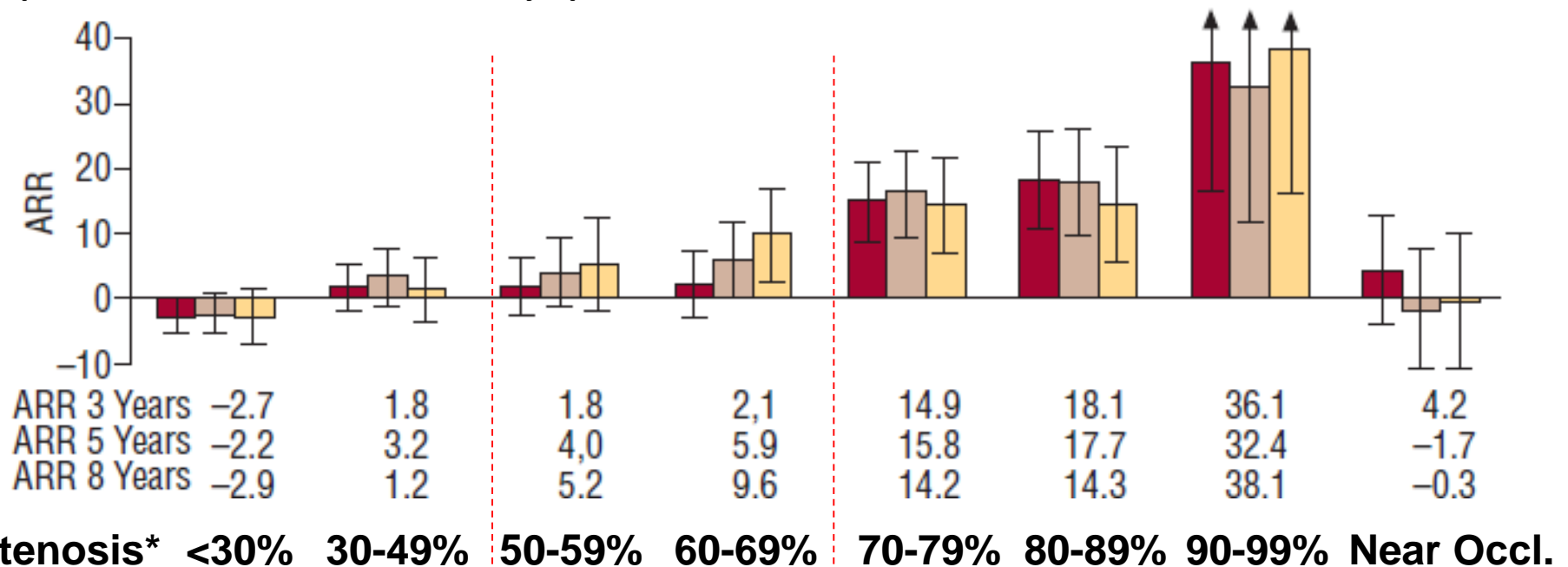
# Revascularisation Carotidienne



# Sténose carotidienne symptomatique

## Chirurgie vs. Traitement médical

Ipsilateral ischemic stroke and any operative stroke or death



**5 ans**

Pas de bénéfice

RRR: 25%  
RAR: 5%  
NST: 22

RRR: 61%  
RAR: 16%  
NST: 6

Méta-analyse sur données individuelles ECST, NASCET, et VA309, n = 6092 patients

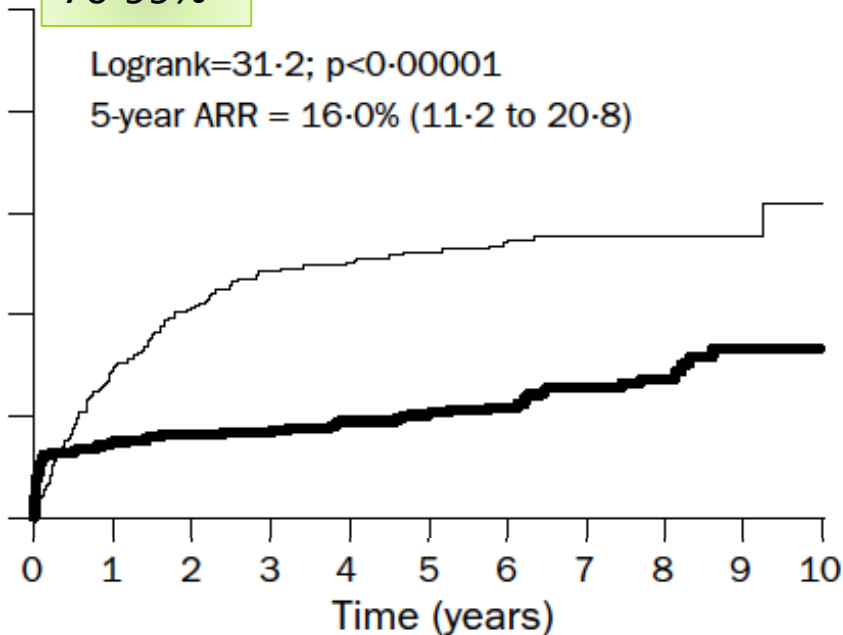
# Sténose carotidienne symptomatique

## Chirurgie vs. traitement médical

Ipsilateral ischemic stroke and any operative stroke or death

70-99%

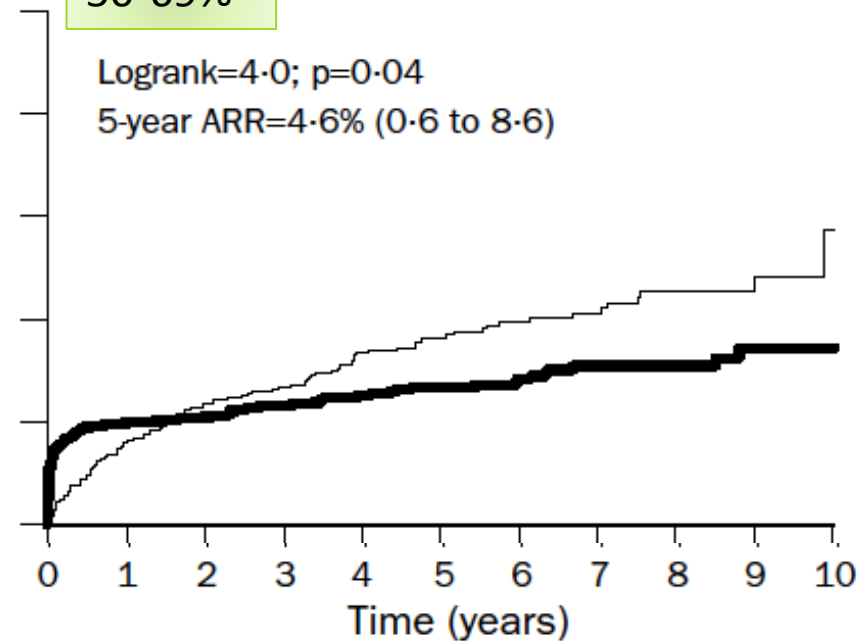
Logrank=31.2; p<0.00001  
5-year ARR = 16.0% (11.2 to 20.8)



589	499	461	432	408	377	318	244	158	78	21
506	400	334	301	287	256	221	168	91	37	11

50-69%

Logrank=4.0; p=0.04  
5-year ARR=4.6% (0.6 to 8.6)



828	709	629	546	463	387	312	211	143	112	25
721	620	520	449	372	297	228	160	107	53	15

Operative risks: mortality=1.1% - stroke or death=7.1%

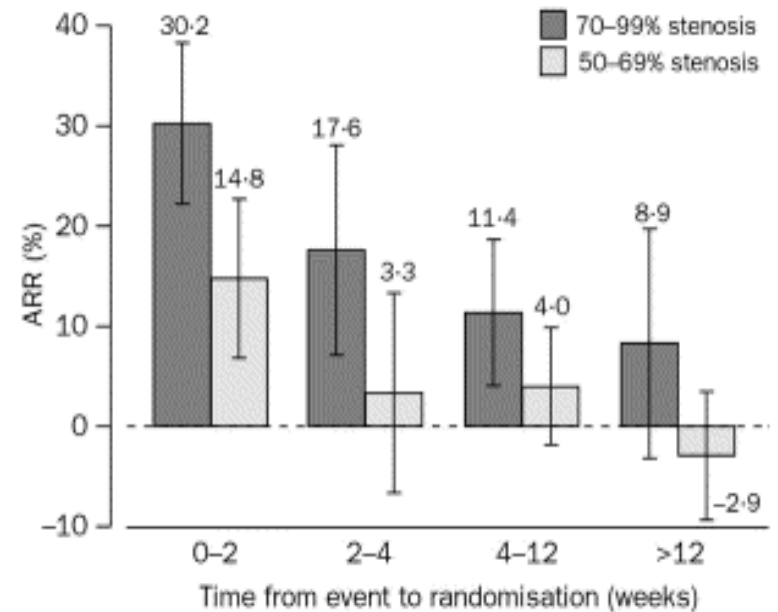


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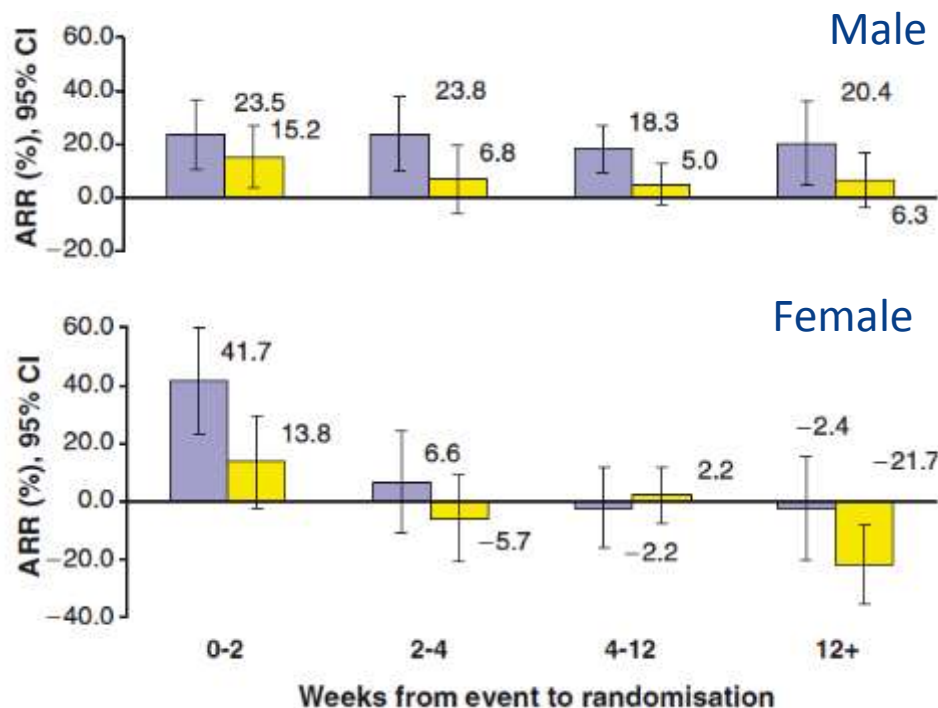
Nombre de patients à traiter pour prévenir 1 événement à 5 ans

Hommes	Femmes	p
9	36	0.003
>75 ans	<65 ans	p
5	15	0.03
Chir<2 sem	Chir>12 sem	p
12	125	0.009



# Which patients benefit most?

- Benefit of surgery is increased in:
  - **Men**
  - Patients **>75 years**
  - Patients treated **within 2 weeks** after the last event

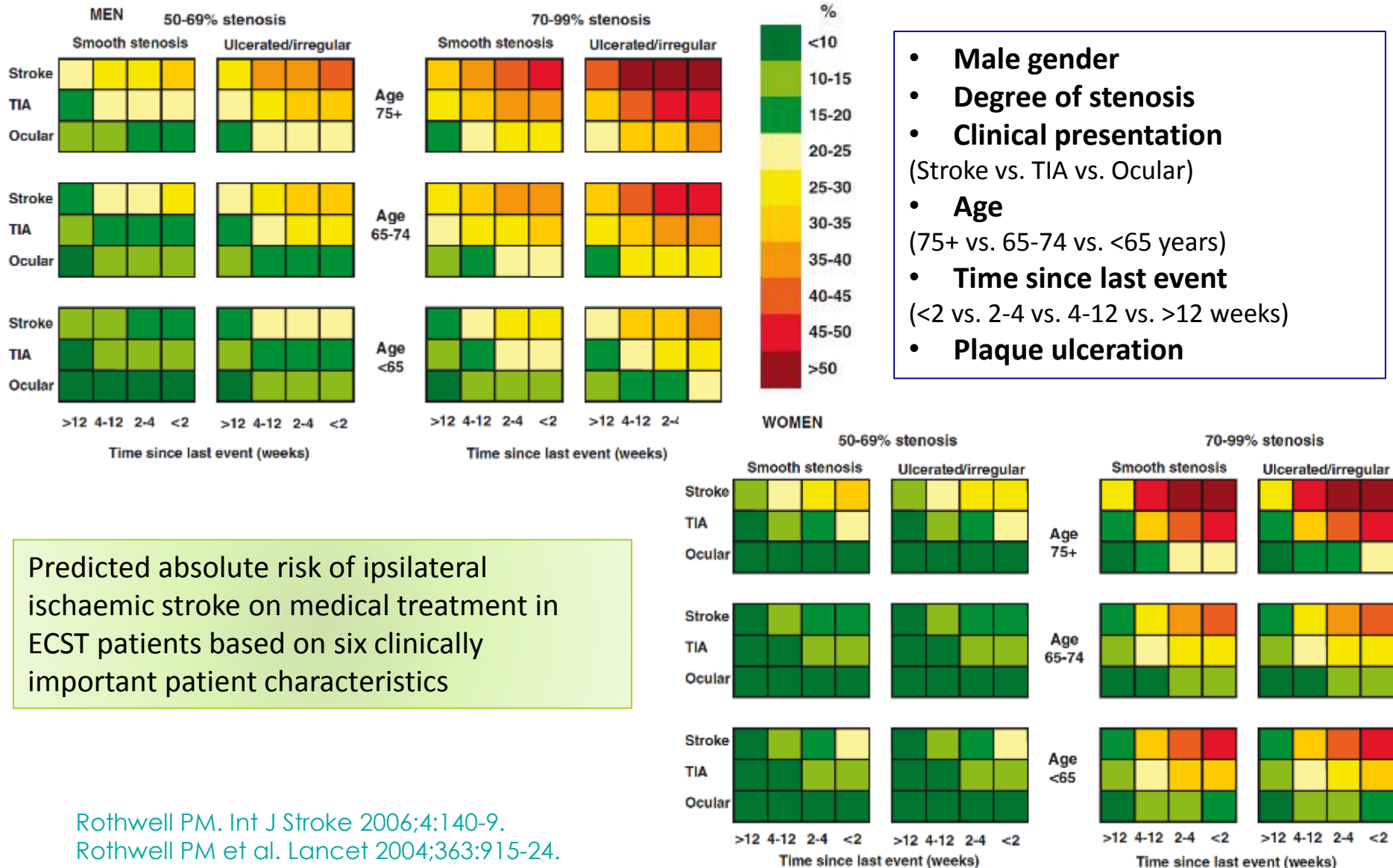


5-year absolute reduction in the risk of ipsilateral ischaemic stroke and any operative stroke or death

50-69%

70-99%

# Which patients benefit most?



Predicted absolute risk of ipsilateral ischaemic stroke on medical treatment in ECST patients based on six clinically important patient characteristics

# Symptomatic ICA stenosis

## Stenting vs. Endarterectomy

Study	Single vs. Multicentre	N patients	% Stents / Protection	Stopped prematurely
Leicester, 1998	S	23	100 / 0	Yes: harm
Kentucky, 2001	S	104	100 / 0	No
WALLSTENT, 2001	M	219	100 / 0	Yes: harm, futility
CAVATAS, 2001	M	504	26 / 0	No
BACASS, 2006	S	20	100 / 10	No
EVA-3S, 2006	M	527	100 / 86	Yes: harm, futility
SPACE, 2006	M	1196	100 / 25	Yes: shortage of funding
ICSS, 2010	M	1710	100 / 72	No
CREST, 2010	M	1321	100 / 100	No
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5624</b>		

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# Sténose carotidienne symptomatique

## Stenting vs. Chirurgie

Meta-analysis of pooled individual patients data from EVA3S, SPACE, and ICSS (3433 patients)

### Per-protocol analysis

	CAS		CEA	
	Events	Total	Events	Total

Risk ratio (95% CI)

#### Any stroke or death

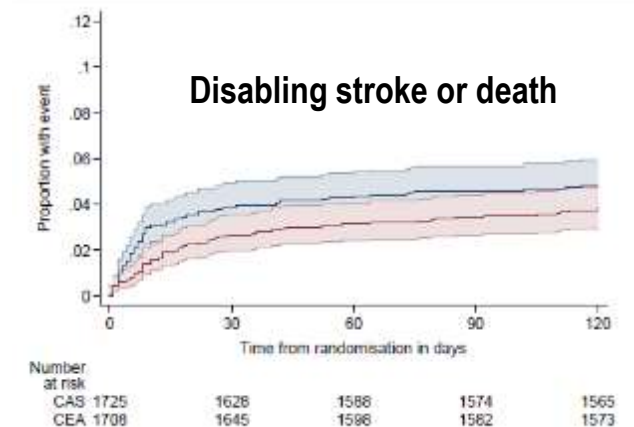
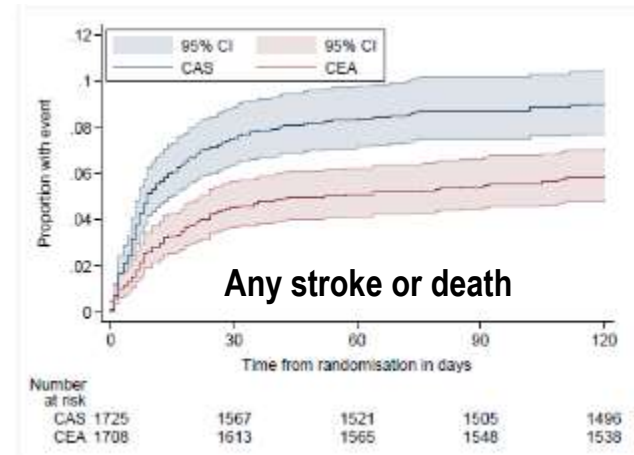
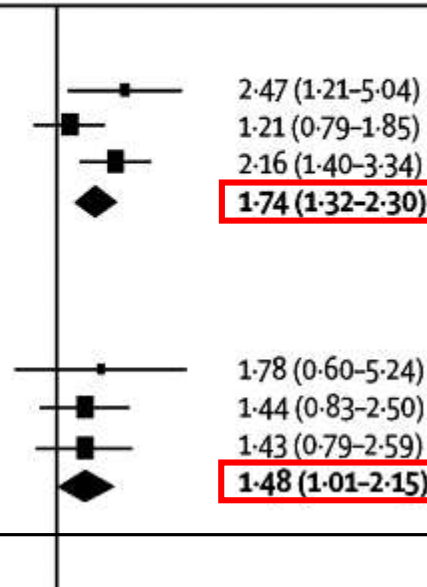
EVA-3S	25 (9.6%)	260	10 (3.9%)	257
SPACE	44 (7.4%)	591	35 (6.2%)	567
ICSS	61 (7.4%)	828	28 (3.4%)	821
<b>Pooled</b>	<b>130 (7.7%)</b>	<b>1679</b>	<b>73 (4.4%)</b>	<b>1645</b>

Heterogeneity:  
interaction p value=0.10;  $I^2=57\%$

#### Disabling stroke or death

EVA-3S	9 (3.5%)	260	5 (1.9%)	257
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ICSS	26 (3.1%)	828	18 (2.2%)	821
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Heterogeneity:  
interaction p value=0.93;  $I^2=0$



# CREST

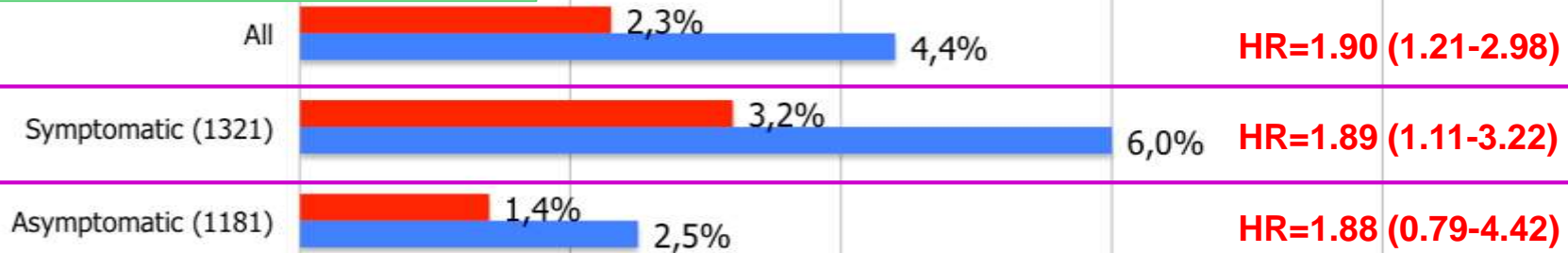
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## Periprocedural stroke, death, MI



## Periprocedural stroke or death

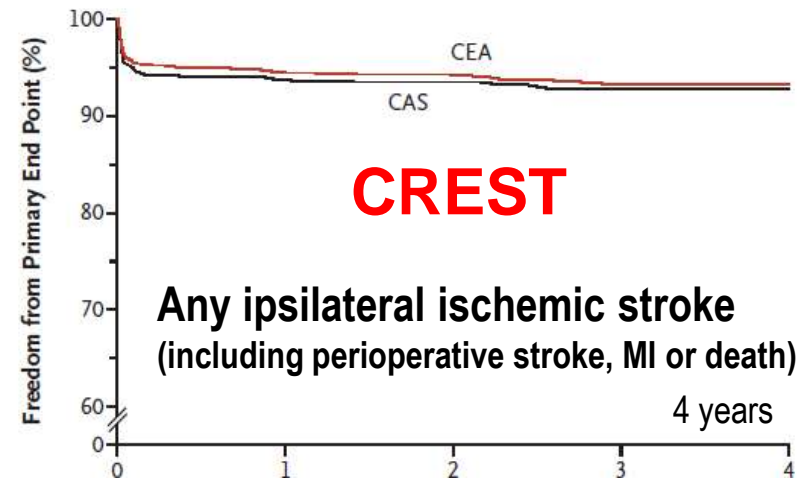
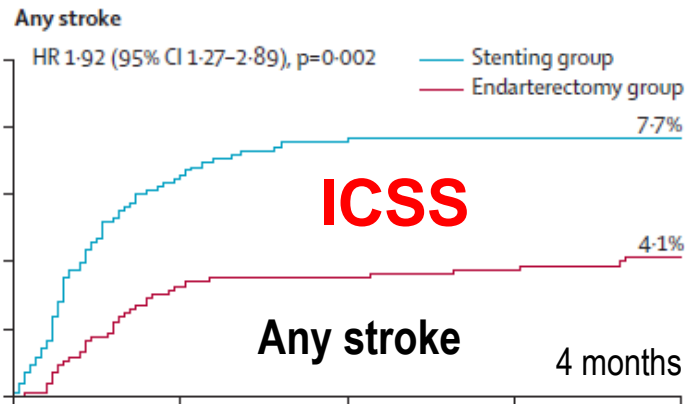
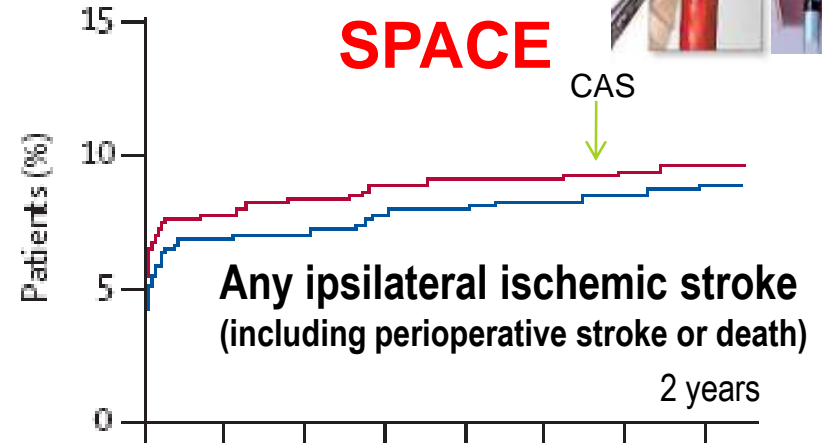
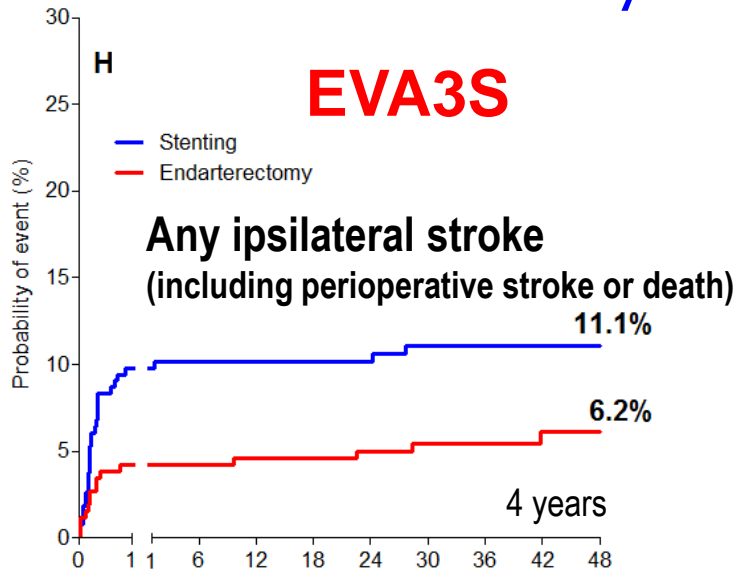
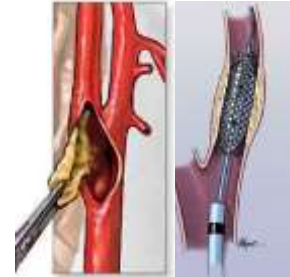


0% 2% 4% 6% 8% 10%

■ CEA ■ CAS

# Sténose carotide symptomatique

## CAS vs. CEA: effets à moyen terme

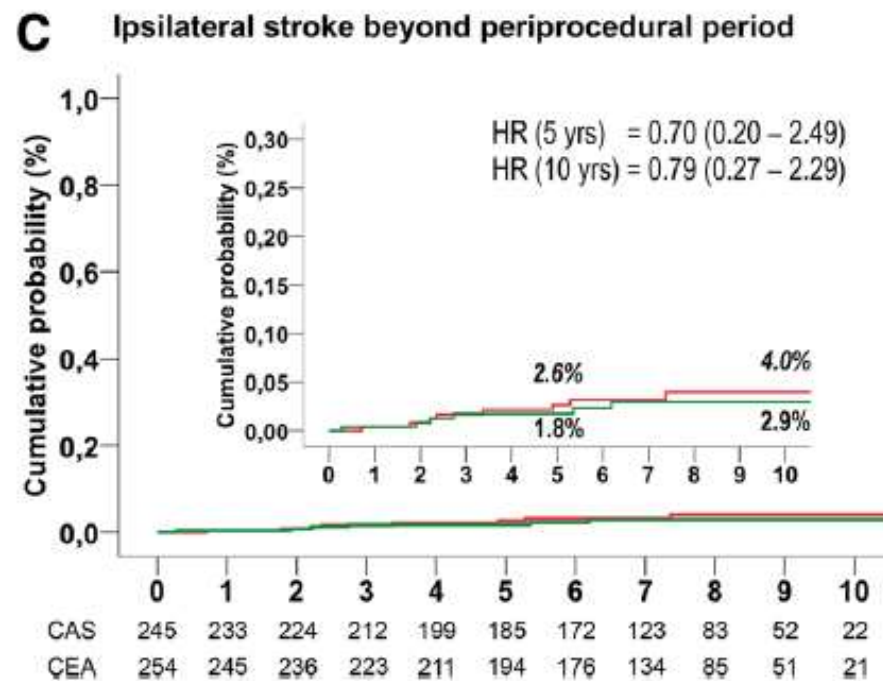
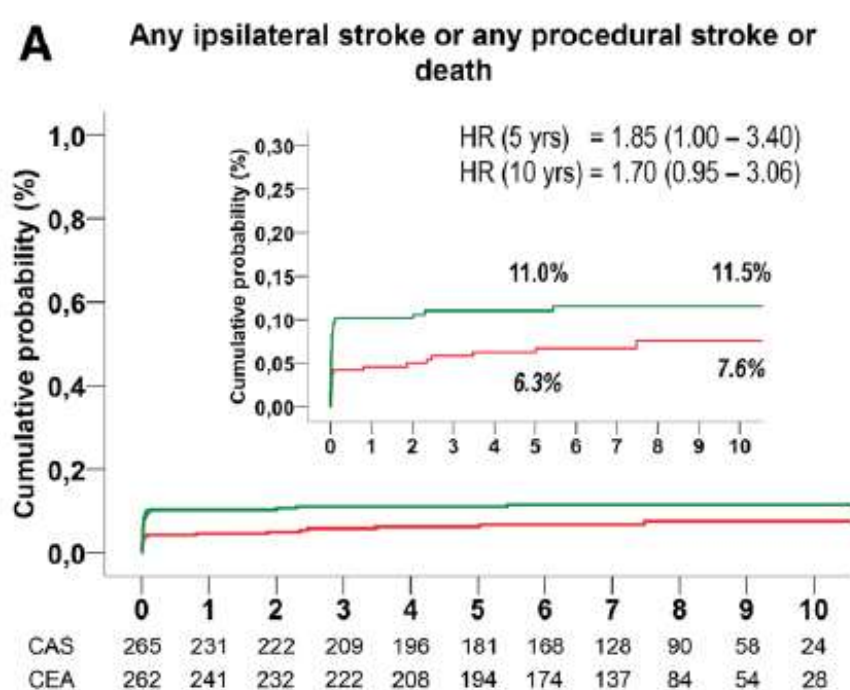




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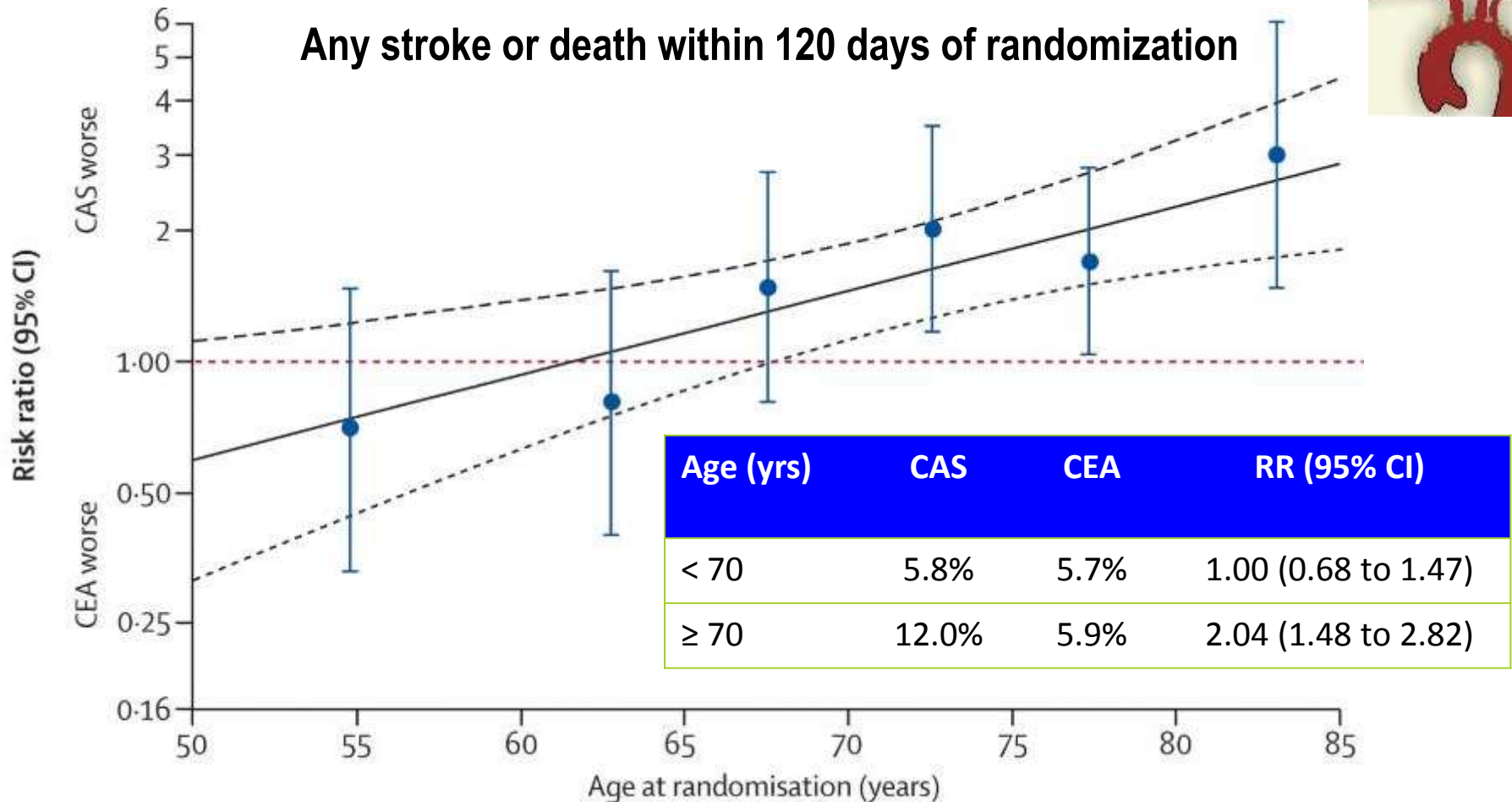
## EVA-3S

Maintien de la différence à long terme, expliquée par l'excès de risque initial



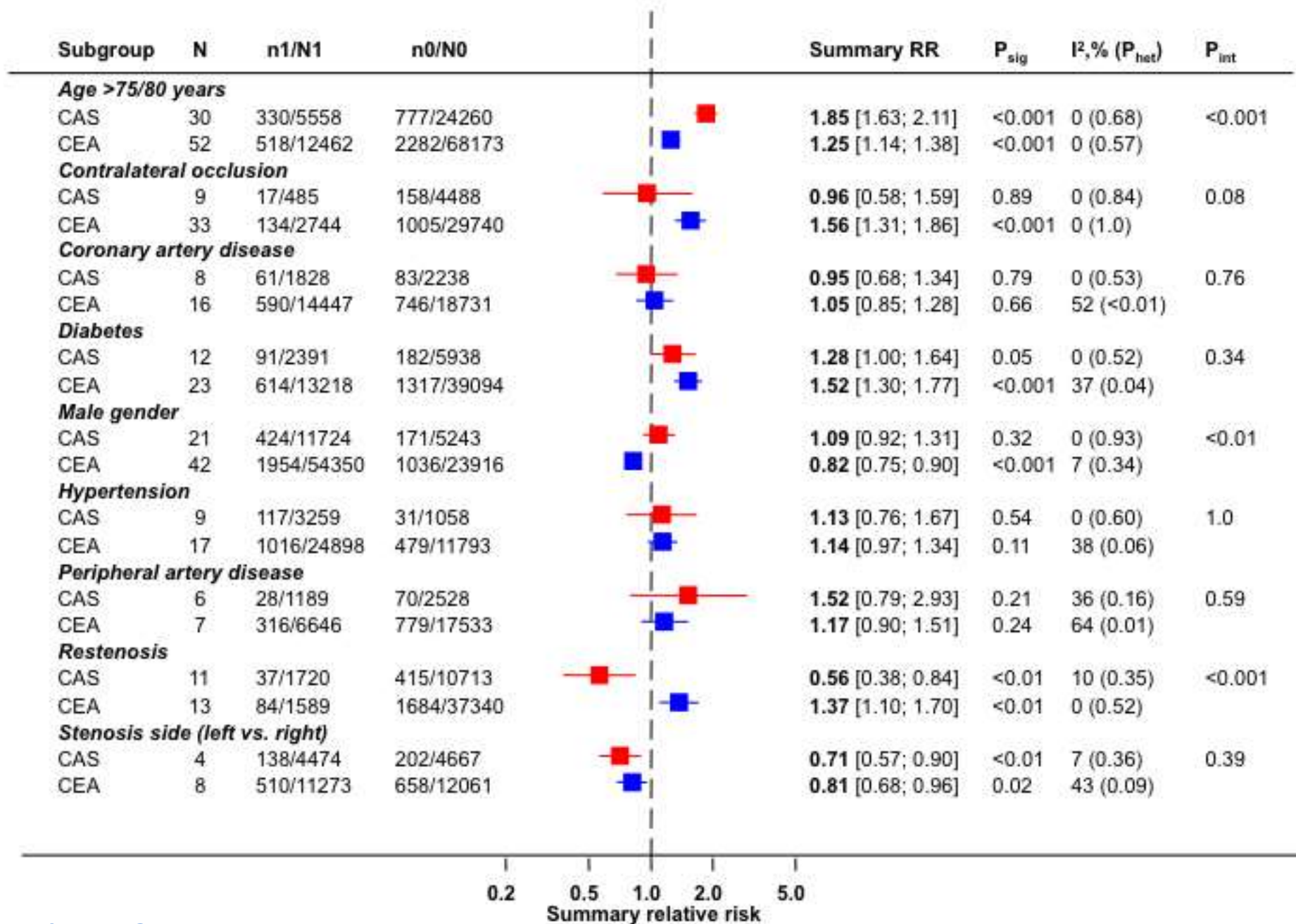
# Sténose carotidienne symptomatique

## Effet de l'âge

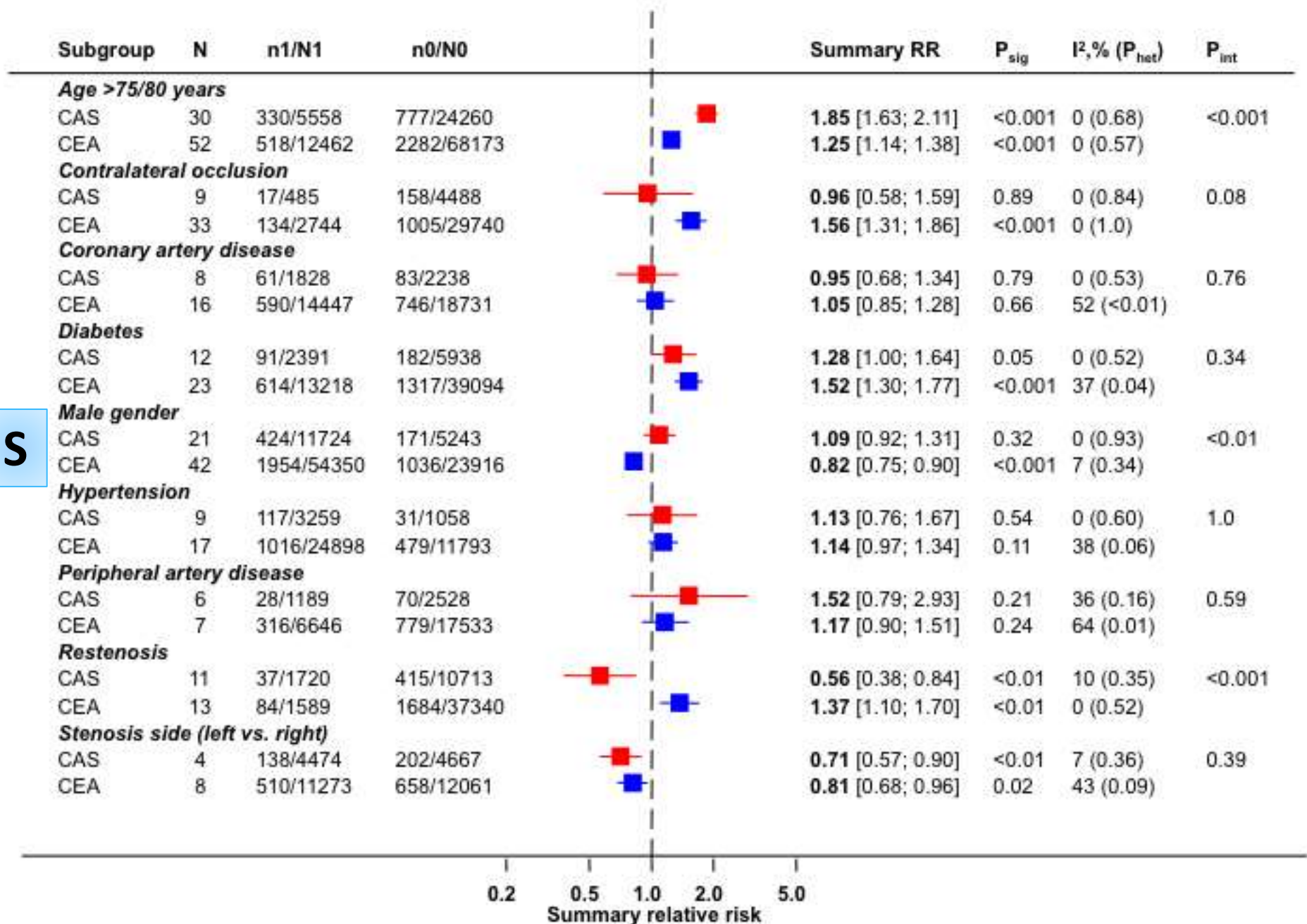


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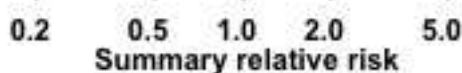
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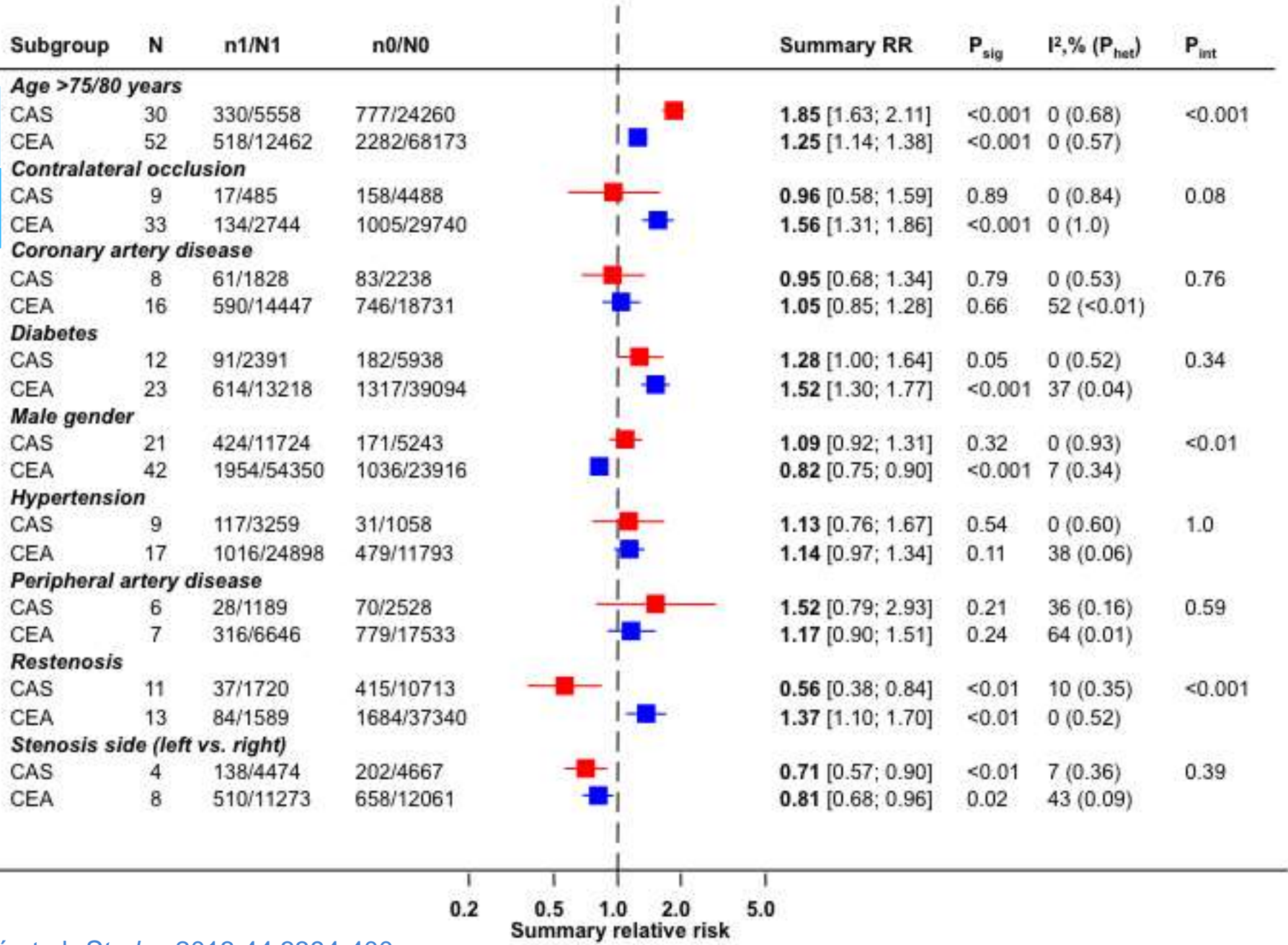


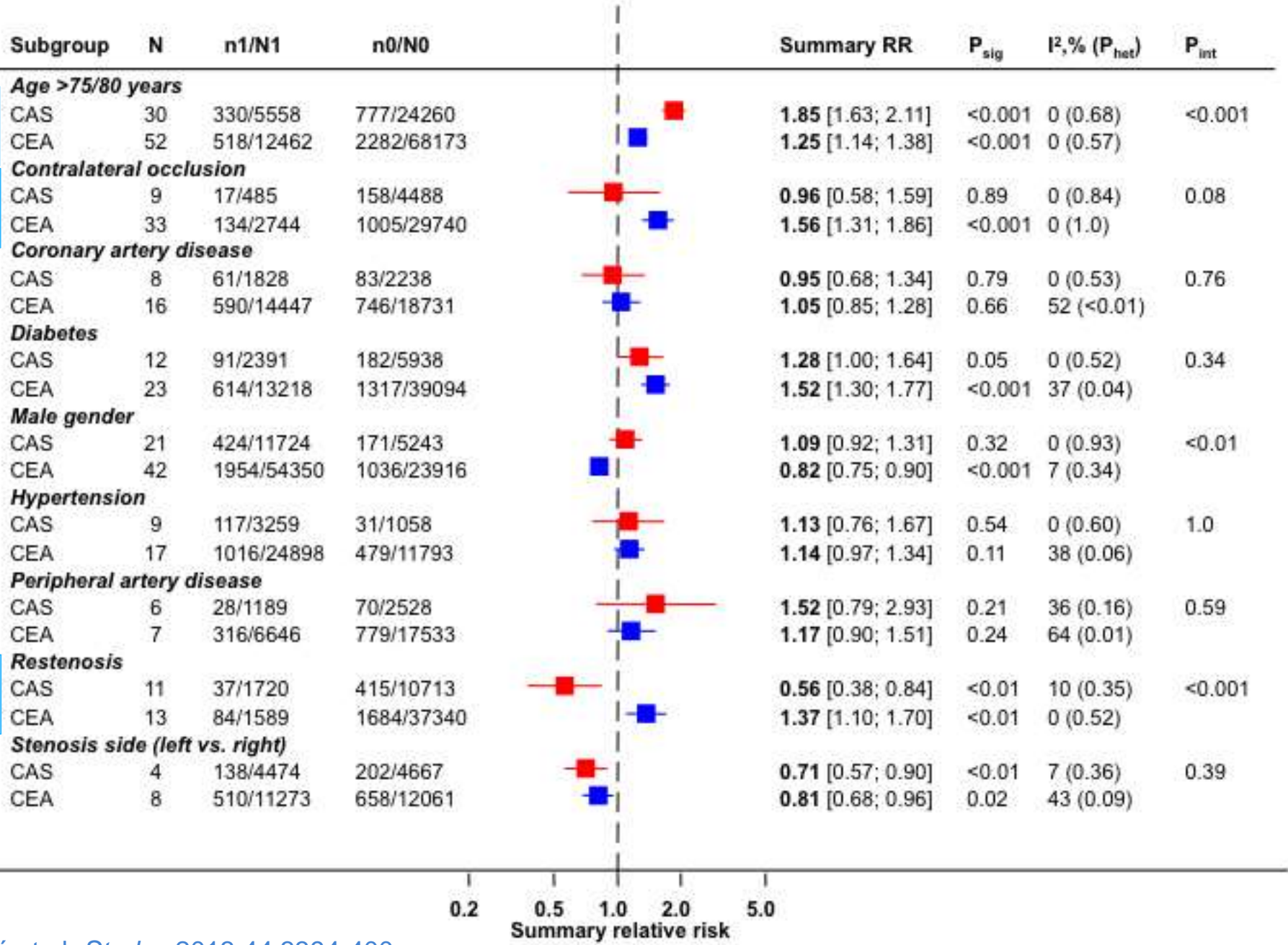
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Subgroup	N	n1/N1	n0/N0	Summary RR	P <sub>sig</sub>	I <sup>2</sup> , % (P <sub>het</sub> )	P <sub>int</sub>
<b>Age &gt;75/80 years</b>							
CAS	30	330/5558	777/24260	1.85 [1.63; 2.11]	<0.001	0 (0.68)	<0.001
CEA	52	518/12462	2282/68173	1.25 [1.14; 1.38]	<0.001	0 (0.57)	
<b>Contralateral occlusion</b>							
CAS	9	17/485	158/4488	0.96 [0.58; 1.59]	0.89	0 (0.84)	0.08
CEA	33	134/2744	1005/29740	1.56 [1.31; 1.86]	<0.001	0 (1.0)	
<b>Coronary artery disease</b>							
CAS	8	61/1828	83/2238	0.95 [0.68; 1.34]	0.79	0 (0.53)	0.76
CEA	16	590/14447	746/18731	1.05 [0.85; 1.28]	0.66	52 (<0.01)	
<b>Diabetes</b>							
CAS	12	91/2391	182/5938	1.28 [1.00; 1.64]	0.05	0 (0.52)	0.34
CEA	23	614/13218	1317/39094	1.52 [1.30; 1.77]	<0.001	37 (0.04)	
<b>Male gender</b>							
CAS	21	424/11724	171/5243	1.09 [0.92; 1.31]	0.32	0 (0.93)	<0.01
CEA	42	1954/54350	1036/23916	0.82 [0.75; 0.90]	<0.001	7 (0.34)	
<b>Hypertension</b>							
CAS	9	117/3259	31/1058	1.13 [0.76; 1.67]	0.54	0 (0.60)	1.0
CEA	17	1016/24898	479/11793	1.14 [0.97; 1.34]	0.11	38 (0.06)	
<b>Peripheral artery disease</b>							
CAS	6	28/1189	70/2528	1.52 [0.79; 2.93]	0.21	36 (0.16)	0.59
CEA	7	316/6646	779/17533	1.17 [0.90; 1.51]	0.24	64 (0.01)	
<b>Restenosis</b>							
CAS	11	37/1720	415/10713	0.56 [0.38; 0.84]	<0.01	10 (0.35)	<0.001
CEA	13	84/1589	1684/37340	1.37 [1.10; 1.70]	<0.01	0 (0.52)	
<b>Stenosis side (left vs. right)</b>							
CAS	4	138/4474	202/4667	0.71 [0.57; 0.90]	<0.01	7 (0.36)	0.39
CEA	8	510/11273	658/12061	0.81 [0.68; 0.96]	0.02	43 (0.09)	



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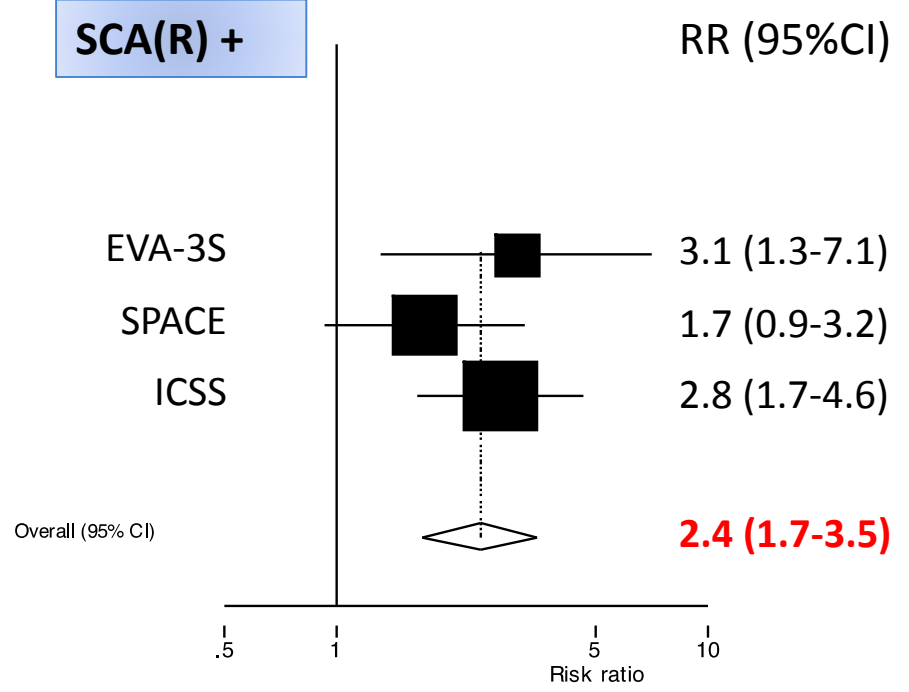
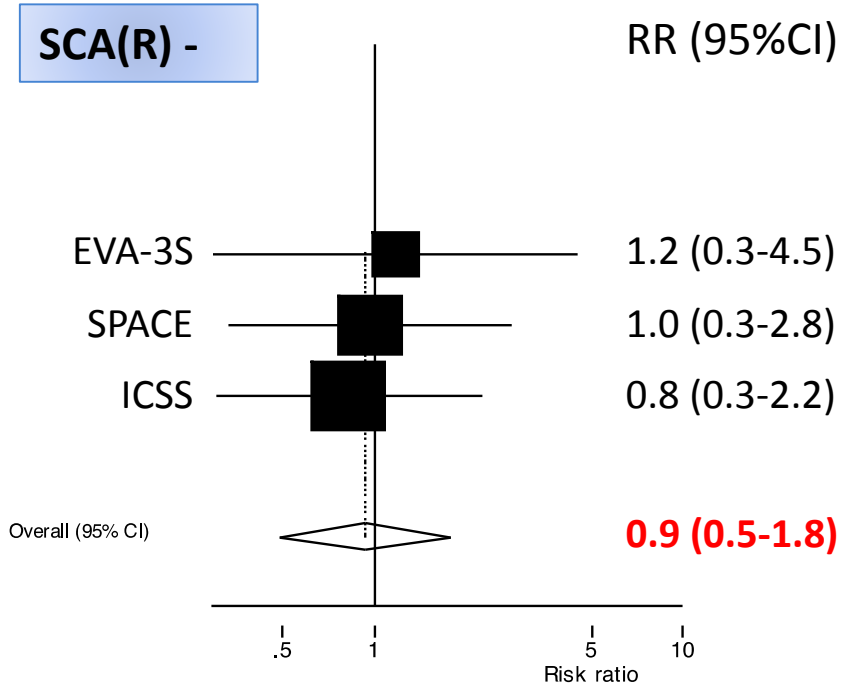
# SCAR Rule

**Supplemental table 2 – Categorization of patients according to the 2 potential definitions of the SCAR rule.**

	Contralateral occlusion								No contralateral occlusion							
	Restenosis				No restenosis				Restenosis				No restenosis			
	Women		Men		Women		Men		Women		Men		Women		Men	
Age	<75	>75	<75	>75	<75	>75	<75	>75	<75	>75	<75	>75	<75	>75	<75	>75
<b>SCAR primary option</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	+
<b>SCAR secondary option</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+

# SCAR interaction

- CSTC data (EVA-3S, SPACE, ICSS)
- 3049 patients



**P (interaction)=0.05**

# Sténose symptomatique

- Risque de récurrence immédiat élevé
- Bénéfice important de la chirurgie carotidienne
- Stenting associé à un sur-risque de complications (AVC/DC) à court terme mais probable équivalence à moyen/long terme
  - Moindre risque d'IDM mais impact faible
- Sous-groupes chez qui le stenting pourraient être équivalent:
  - Age < 70 ans
  - Occlusion controlatérale
  - Resténose
  - Femme < 75 ans