



# Troponin auf der ICU/IMCU

## friend or foe?



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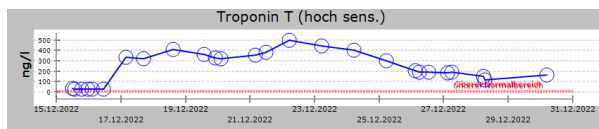
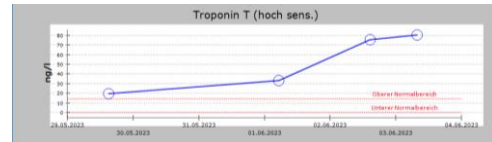
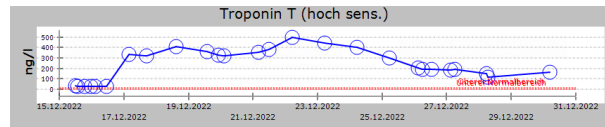
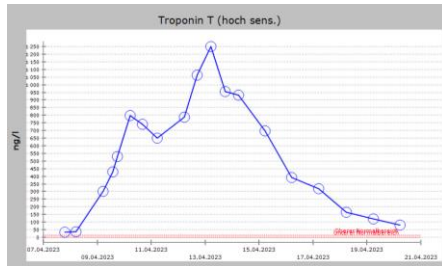


## Conflicts of interest

- Universitätsspital Basel, Abteilung für Kardiologie
- Roche Diagnostics



## Hochsensitives kardiales Troponin T/I



## Fallbeispiel von der traumatologischen Intensivstation



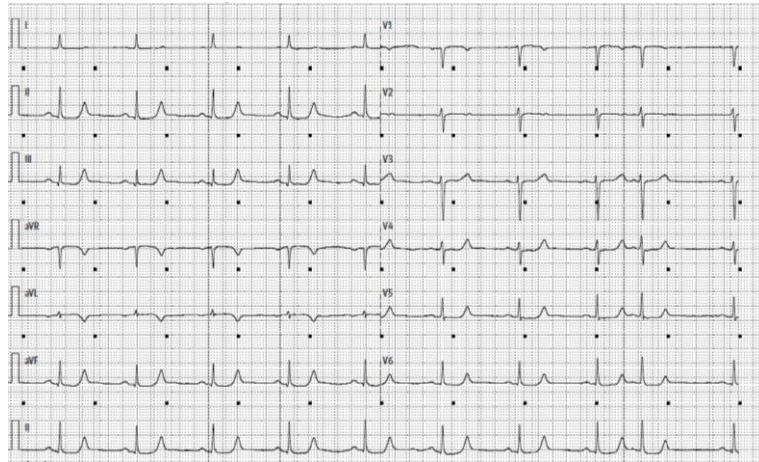
**74J, weiblich, Überrolltrauma UEx bds**

-> Notwendigkeit einer Oberschenkelamputation links + Unterschenkelamputation rechts

- Vorerkrankungen
  - KHK, NSTEMI 11/16 PTCA/DES LAD
  - arterielle Hypertonie, Adipositas, DM II



## Präoperatives EKG

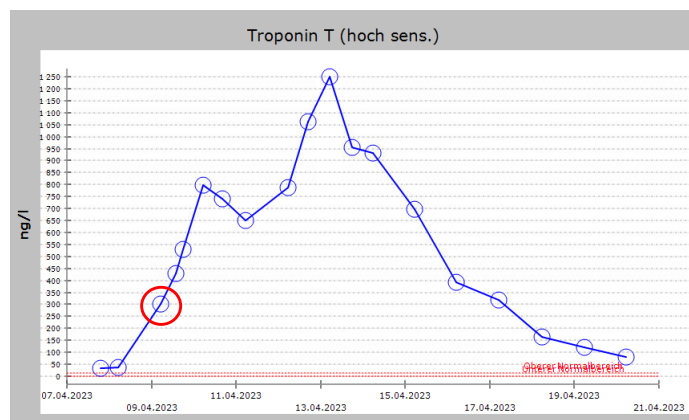


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## Troponindynamik



hs-cTnT Aufnahme 33 ng/L, POD1 (10h später) 38 ng/L, POD2 301 ng/L

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## Postoperativer Tag 2 - EKG



## Weiterer Verlauf

→ **perioperativer Myokardinfarkt**

**CAG:**

- **LAD** prox 99% -> 0% (in-Stent-Stenose), 1x **DES**
- **LAD** med 99% -> 0%, 1x **DES**
- **LCX** prox 80% -> 0%, 1x **DES**
- **RCA** med 25% -> konservativ
- **duale Thrombozytenaggregationshemmung T-ASS+Clopidogrel**



## Troponinmessung auf der Intensivstation

- nach herzchirurgischen Operationen

-> Review: Heuts et al, *Cardiac troponin release following coronary artery bypass grafting: mechanisms and clinical implications*. EBJ 2023

- nach Herzinfarkt/PCI
- **auf der internistischen Intensivstation**
- **nach nicht-kardialen Operationen**



## Troponinerhöhung auf der Intensivstation

### Kardiale Ursachen

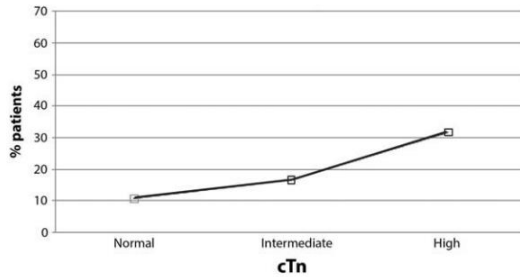
- Plaqueruptur/Thrombus
- Koronare Vaskulitis
- Höhergradige Klappenventilien
- Myokarditis
- Akute oder chronische Herzinsuffizienz
- Kardiomyopathien
- Tachy/Bradyarrhythmien
- Defibrillation
- Aortendissektion
- Kardiale Kontusion
- Post herzchir. Eingriffen/post PCI/post Ablation

### Nicht kardiale Ursachen

- Sepsis, Critical illness/Schock, Niereninsuffizienz
- Akute respiratorische Insuffizienz
- COPD, Pulmonale Hypertension
- Pulmonalembolie
- Arterielle Hypertension
- Schwere akute neurologische Erkrankungen (Schlaganfall, SAB)
- Schwere Anämie
- Schwere Verbrennungen (>30% BSA)
- Kardiotoxische Substanzen
- Extreme Anstrengung
- Lab error



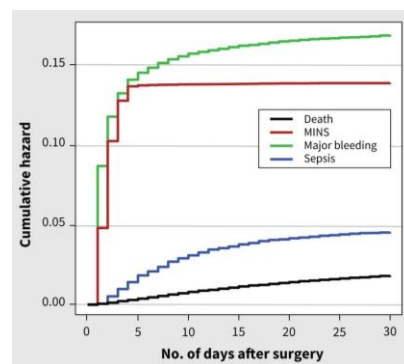
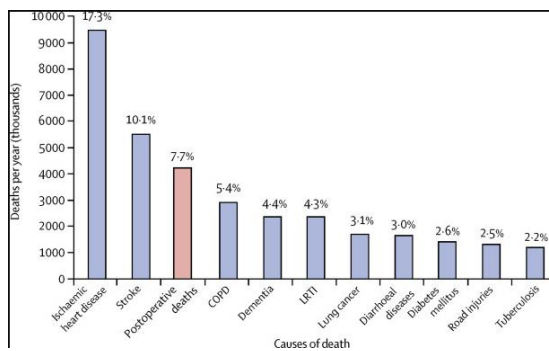
# Troponinerhöhung auf der Intensivstation 30-Tages-Mortalität



**FIGURE 3.** Relationship between 30-day mortality and troponin level: no cTn elevation, 10.7% 30-day mortality; intermediate cTn, 16.6% 30-day mortality; high cTn, 31.7% 30-day mortality.



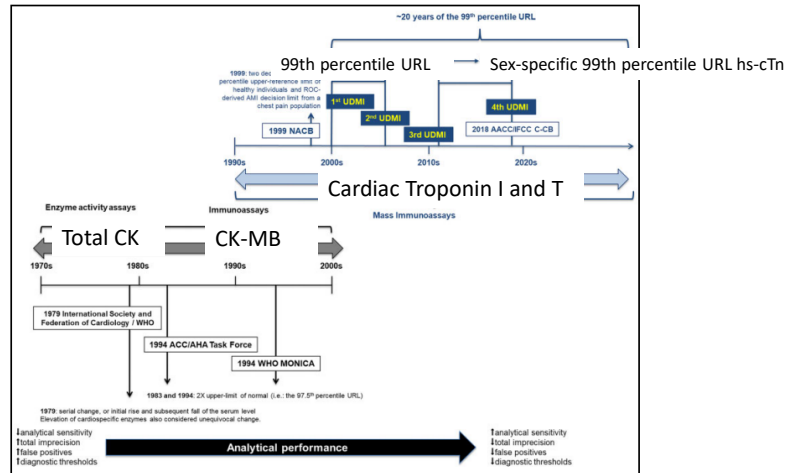
# Postoperative Mortalität & Komplikationen



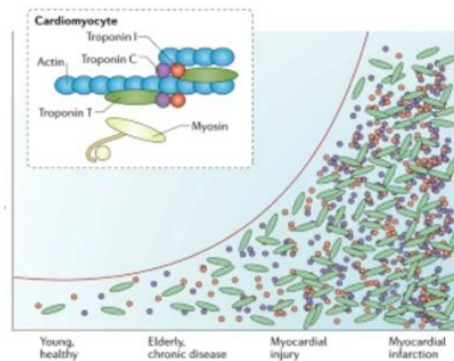
**PMI = MINS**  
**MINS = myocardial injury after non-cardiac surgery**  
**PMI = perioperative myocardial injury/infarction**



# Kardiale Biomarker - Assay timeline



# hochsensitive kardiale Troponine



cTnI >> cTnT herzspezifisch



# Perioperativer Myokardschaden/-infarkt

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Wie erkennen?

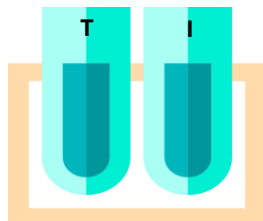


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# Akuter Myokardinfarkt

- Kardiale Troponine erhöht (mind. 1 Wert > 99. Perzentile) + Dynamik (Anstieg/Abfall)
- PLUS  $\geq 1$  zusätzliches Kriterium:
  - Klinische Symptome einer Myokardischämie
  - EKG Veränderungen
  - Neue Wandbewegungsstörungen
  - (Nachweis eines thrombotischen Verschlusses)



PLUS



ODER







# Perioperativer Myokardschaden/-infarkt

- Symptome und EKG inkonsistent

**Table 2.** Ischemic Features of Patients Suffering Myocardial Injury after Noncardiac Surgery

Ischemic Feature*	Prevalence		Mortality at 30 days	
	n	% (95% CI)	n	% (95% CI)
<b>Ischemic symptoms</b>				
Chest discomfort	85	9.0 (7.4–11.0)	17	20.0 (12.9–29.7)
Neck, jaw, or arm discomfort	5	0.5 (0.2–1.2)	0	0.0 (0.0–43.4)
Dyspnea	66	7.0 (5.6–8.8)	10	15.2 (8.4–25.7)
Pulmonary edema	46	4.9 (3.7–6.5)	-	17.4 (9.1–30.7)
Any of the above	149	<u>15.8 (13.6–18.3)</u>		14.8 (10.0–21.3)
<b>Ischemic electrocardiographic findings</b>				
Q waves	13	1.4 (0.8–2.3)	1	7.7 (1.4–33.3)
ST elevation	22	2.3 (1.5–3.5)	7	31.8 (16.4–52.7)
LBBB	5	0.5 (0.2–1.2)	3	60.0 (23.1–88.2)
ST depression	154	16.4 (14.1–18.9)	21	13.6 (9.1–19.9)
T-wave inversion	219	23.3 (20.7–26.1)	31	14.2 (10.2–19.4)
Any of the above	328	<u>34.9 (31.9–38.0)</u>		14.3 (10.9–18.5)



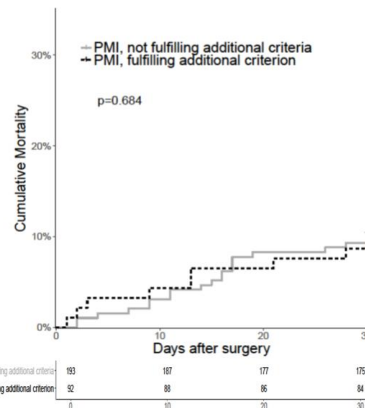
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→ hs-cTnT!!!

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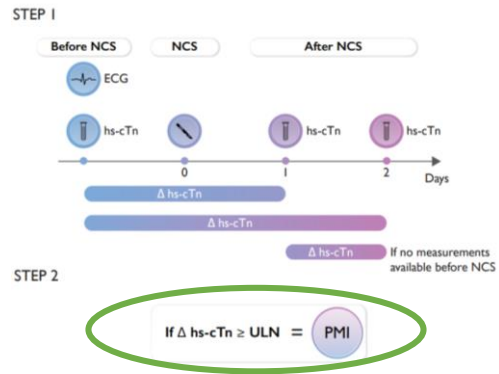
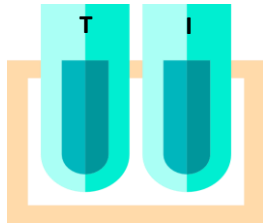


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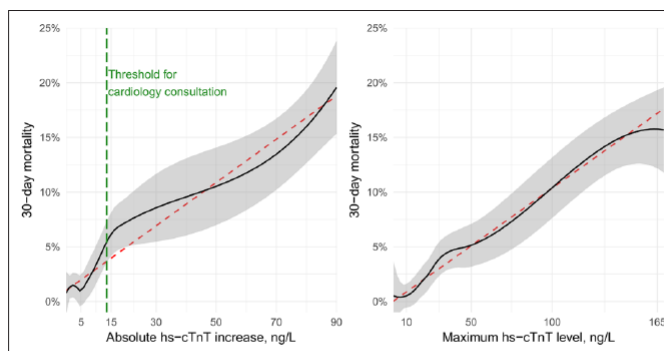
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### ~~PLUS ≥1 zusätzliches Kriterium:~~

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## Rationale for PMI-definition: cutoff



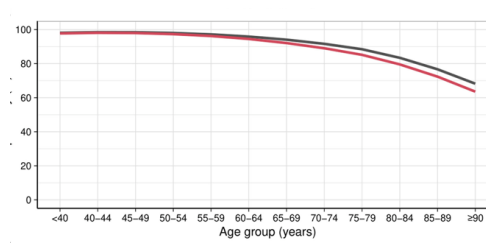
**Figure 3. Cardiac troponin and mortality.**

Association of absolute high-sensitivity cardiac troponin T (hs-cTnT) increase and maximum postoperative hs-cTnT level with 30-day mortality (black continuous line with 95% confidence intervals in gray). A general linear fit is shown as red dashed line. Because the association of absolute hs-cTnT increases with 30-day mortality might be affected by identifying and flagging patients with perioperative myocardial injury in clinical routine at hs-cTnT deltas of  $\geq 14$  ng/L, this threshold was highlighted in the plot of absolute hs-cTnT increase (green dashed line).

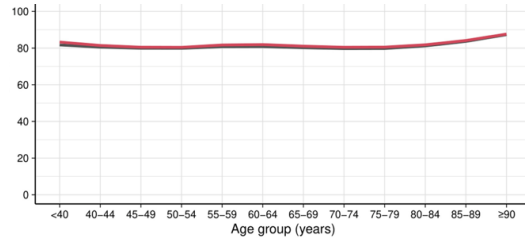


# Troponin und Alter

Spezifität

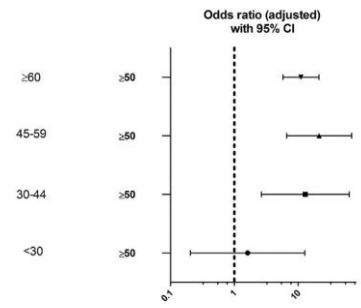
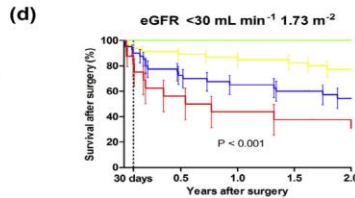
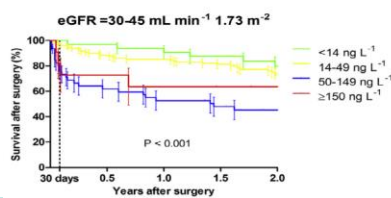
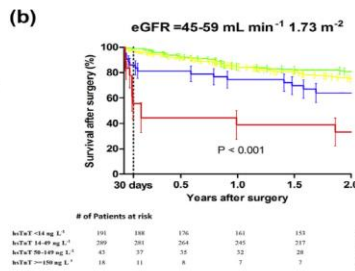
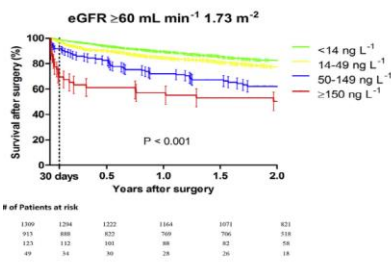


Sensitivität



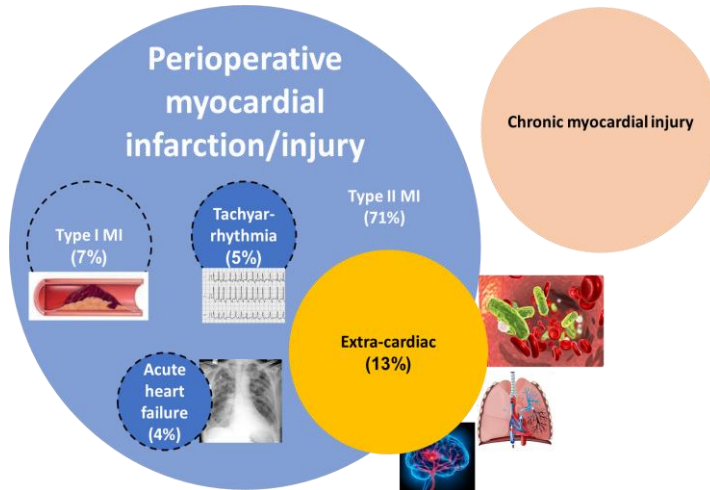
— Myocardial infarction — Type 1 myocardial infarction

# Troponin und Niere

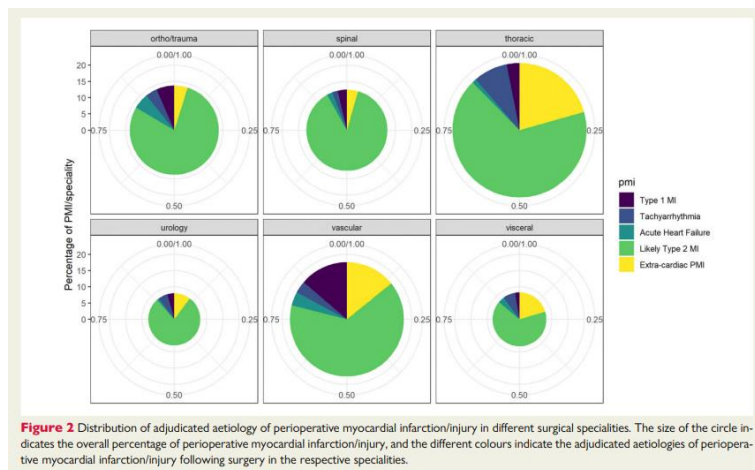




# PMI Ätiologie – sehr heterogen

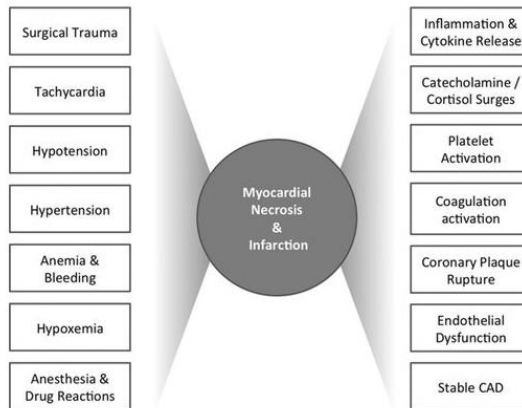


## .....in unterschiedlichen chirurgischen Disziplinen





# PMI -Ursachen

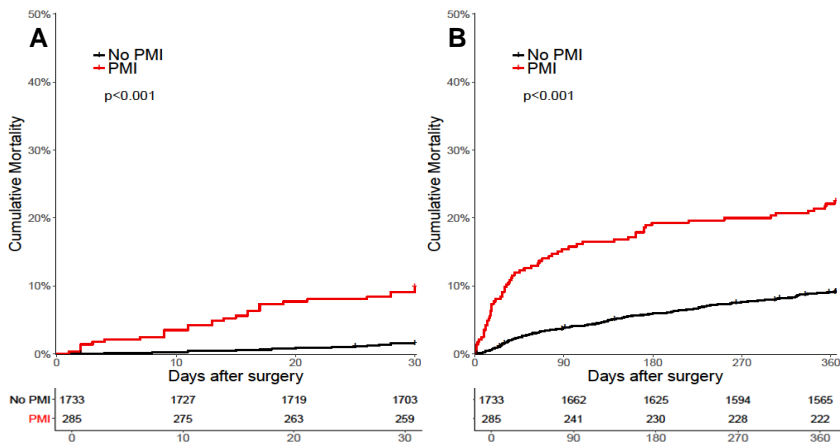


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# PMI -> schlechte Langzeitprognose



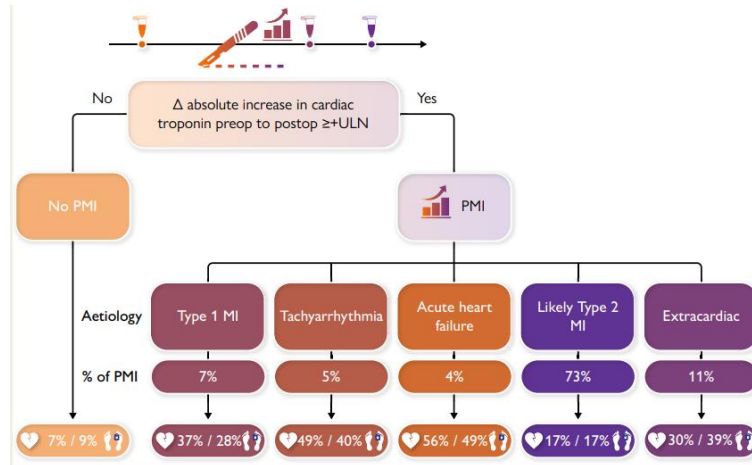
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# PMI : 1-Jahres-Mortalität

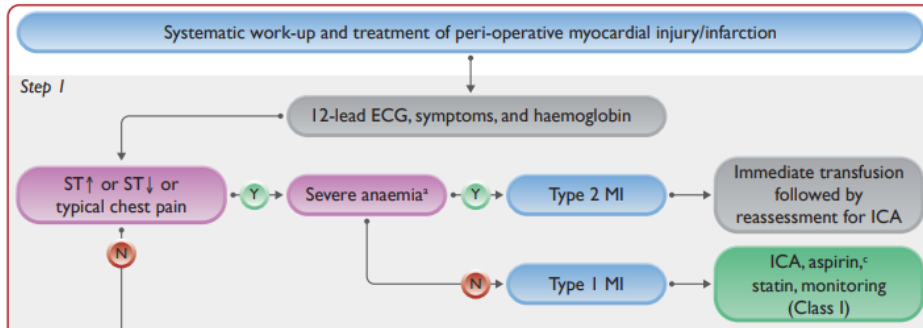


# PMI - Wie behandeln?

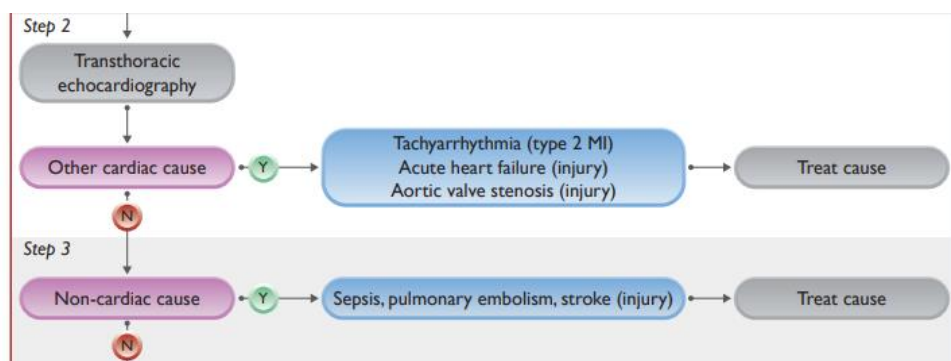




## Systematic work-up

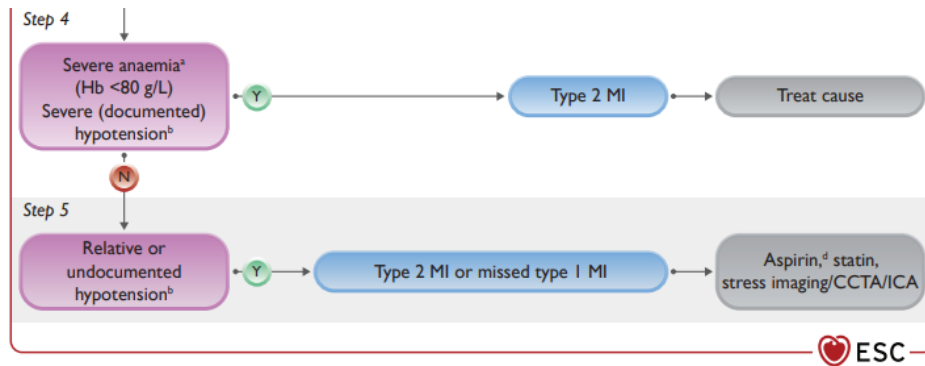


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2022 ESC Guidelines on cardiovascular assessment and management of patients undergoing non-cardiac surgery, EHJ 2022

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## Management of PMI

- Observationsstudien:
  - Beginn Statintherapie
  - Erwäge ASS je nach Blutungsrisiko
  - Definition der Ätiologie → Behandlung nach entsprechender Guideline aus nicht-chirurg. Setting
- Randomised controlled trial – MANAGE
  - Consider dabigatran according to bleeding risk

In patients with MINS and at low risk of bleeding, treatment with dabigatran 110 mg orally *b.i.d.* may be considered from ~1 week after NCS.<sup>650</sup>

**IIb**

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Devereaux et al, The Lancet 2018  
Devereaux et al, Annals of Int Med 2011

Foucrier et al, Anaesth and Analg 2014  
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## MANAGE results - subgroups

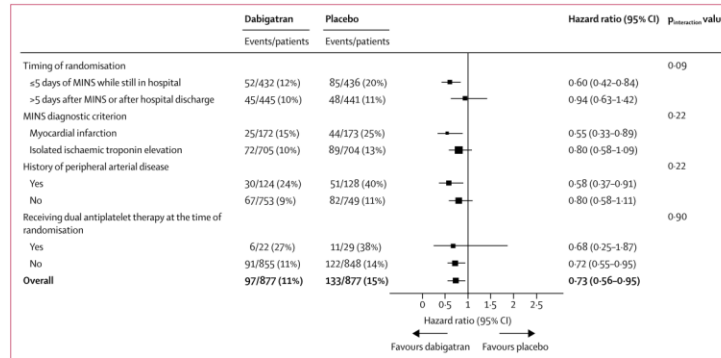


Figure 3: Subgroup analyses of the primary efficacy outcome



## Zusammenfassung Troponin auf der ICU/IMCU

- Erhöhte Troponinwerte **sehr häufig!**  
→ Korrelation mit **Mortalität** und **kardiovaskulären Ereignissen!**
- Ursachen **heterogen**
- **Perioperativer Myokardschaden/-infarkt = häufige** Komplikation nach nicht-herzchirurgischen Operationen
- optimales Management?



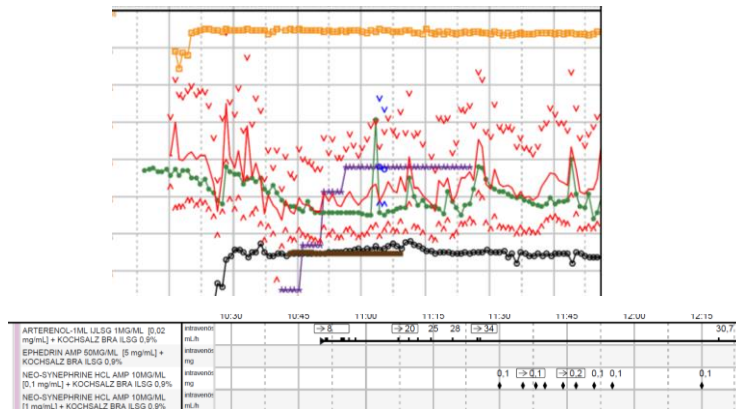
## Femoralisgabelplastik bei pAVK

- männlich, 76J
- Vorerkrankungen
- mehrfache Voroperationen iR pAVK
- COPD II
- Subclavian-Steal-Syndrom Grad III links
- AVB I°, RSB, arterielle Hypertonie
- Nierenarterienstenose links, CNI

Keine AP, keine Dyspnoe



## Nach Narkoseeinleitung...





## Komplizierter perioperativer Verlauf

- Nach AN Einleitung hoher Katecholaminbedarf + neu aufgetretene ST Senkungen inferior (II, III) -> TEE: ausgeprägte LVH, **mittelgradige Aortenstenose**, erhaltene LVF, leichte Hypokinesie inferoseptal, kein Perikarderguss.
- Intraoperative ZVK Anlage (erschwert) mit Hämatom Hals
  - Hämatomausräumung durch HNO am 1.POD

Relevanter Troponinanstieg am 2.POD -> **PMI**

**RS Kardiologie:** kein akuter Handlungsbedarf, Fortführen ASS + Heparin sobald vertretbar

## Labor

