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PER UNA DIABETOLOGIA PREDITTIVA, PREVENTIVA, PERSONALIZZATA E PARTECIPATIVA

**I farmaci per la terapia del DM2: quali solo, come gestirli, come usarli e i piani terapeutici ...  
(cui prodest? cui nocet?)**

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Ai sensi dell'art. 3.3 del Regolamento applicativo dell'Accordo Stato-Regioni 05.11.2009, dichiaro che negli ultimi due anni ho avuto rapporti anche di finanziamento con soggetti portatori di interessi commerciali in campo sanitario:

*Novo Nordisk Italia*  
*Johnson & Johnson*

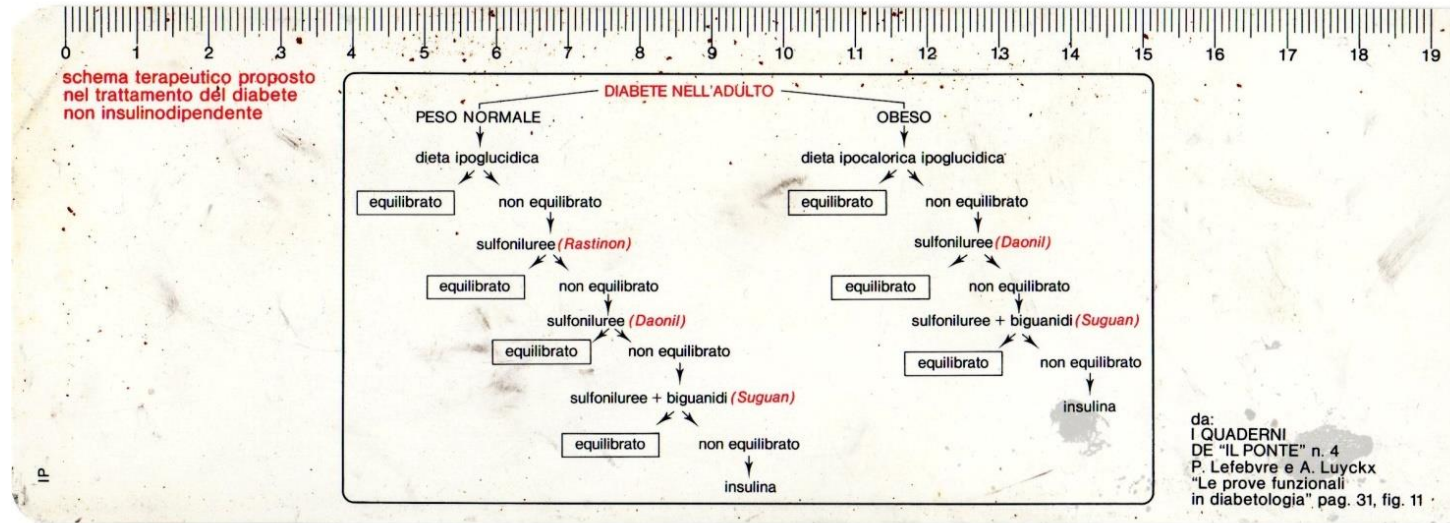
In fede

*Alberto De Micheli*

# L'evoluzione della terapia per il diabete tipo 2



# 40 anni fa



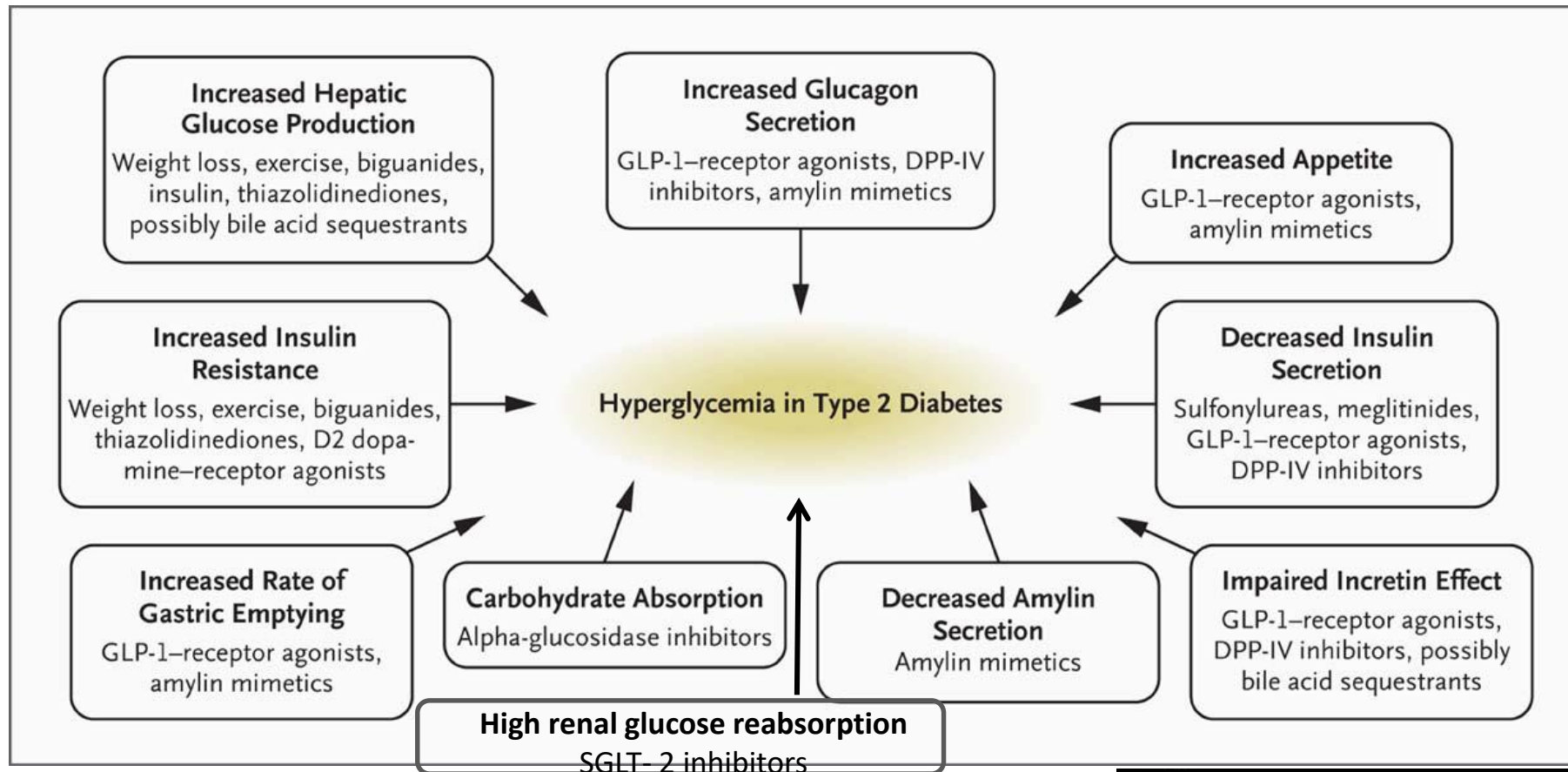
- Secretagoghi**
- Tolbutamide
- Clorpropamide
- Glibenclamide
- Insulino sensibilizzanti**
- Fenformina
- Metformina
- Insuline**
- Insulina Pronta
- Insulina Intermedia
- Premiscelate



Pierre J. Lefebvre, Alfred Luyckx; *Le prove funzionali in diabetologia, I quaderni de "Il Ponte", 1974*

Alberto De Micheli

# Oggi: Terapia del diabete tipo 2 basata sulle alterazioni fisiopatologiche



*Ismail-Beigi F. N Engl J Med 2012;366:1319-1327*



# L'ipoglicemizzante ideale

- ❑ Efficace nel controllare l'iperglicemia
- ❑ Efficace nel mantenere a lungo la funzionalità beta pancreatica
- ❑ Efficace nel prevenire le complicanze micro e macroangiopatiche
- ❑ Sicuro e privo di effetti collaterali:
  - ipoglicemia
  - incremento del peso
  - altri
    - mortalità
    - malattie cv
    - altre patologie
    - infezioni

## Il problema

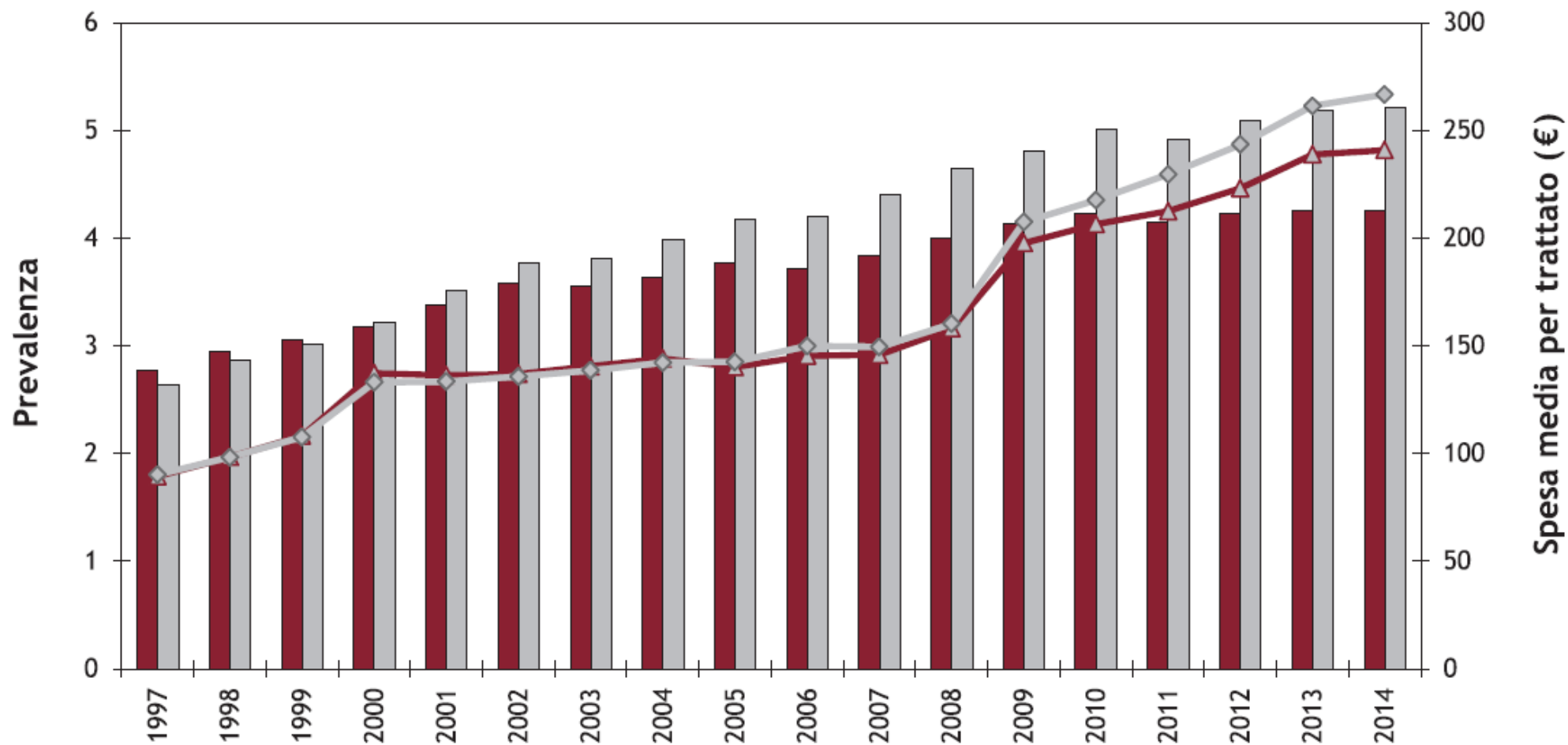
- **Mechanisms for cardiovascular damage** in diabetic patients:
  - hyperglycemia
  - oxidative stress
  - hypoglycemia
  - hyperinsulinemia
  - insulin resistance
  
- **These mechanisms can be countered by the use of different glucose- lowering medications**, which are therefore expected to reduce cardiovascular risk in patients with diabetes, in addition to lowering HbA1c?



# Consumi e costi in Italia

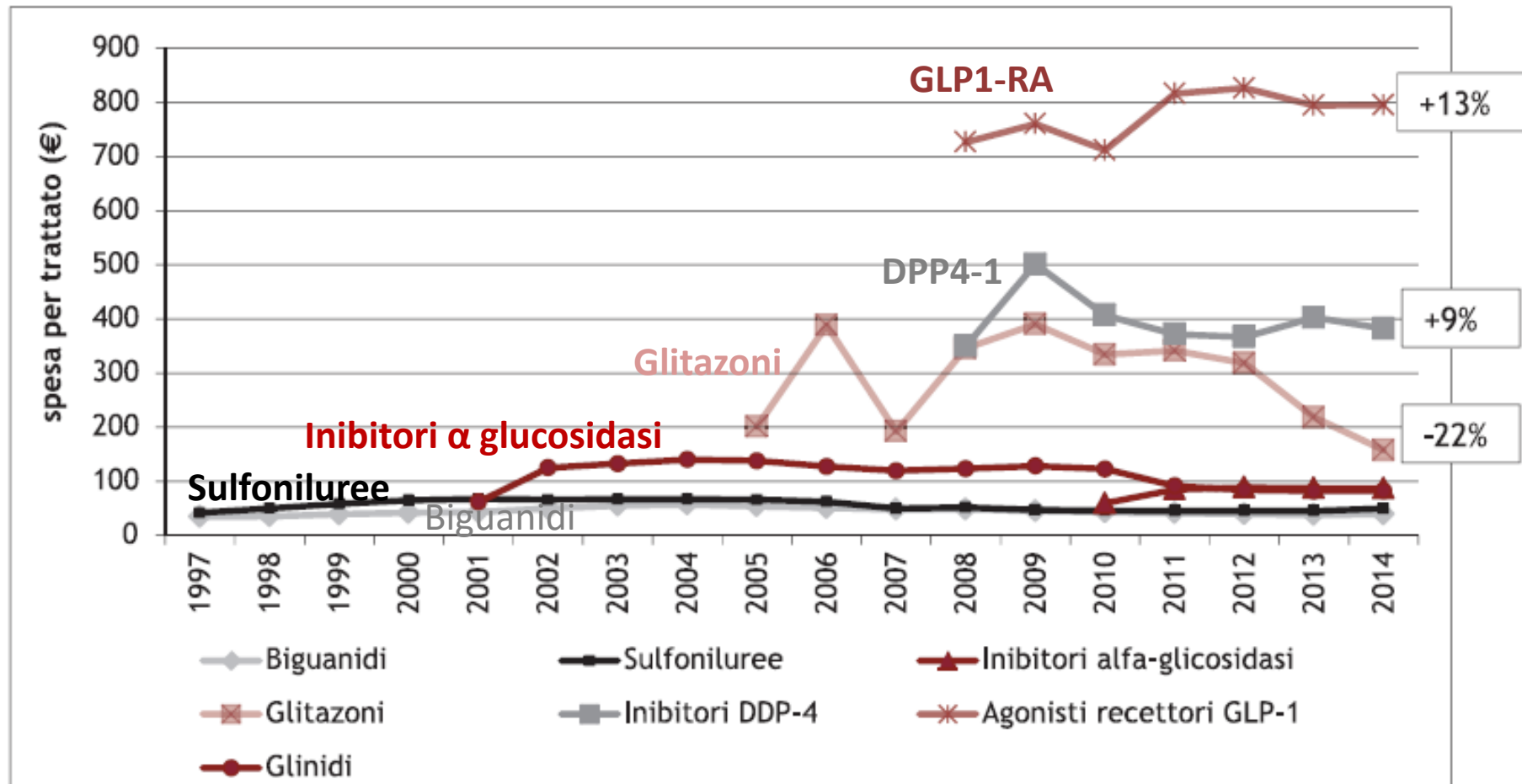


## Andamento temporale (1997-2014) della prevalenza del diabete farmacotrattato e della spesa media per trattato in funzione del sesso



Osservatorio ARNO Diabete Rapporto 2015

## Spesa per trattato nel tempo con diversi farmaci



# Pazienti trattati coi vari farmaci antidiabetici e relativa spesa

ATC	Descrizione	Trattati	% Trattati	% spesa sul totale	Spesa media per trattato €	Spesa media pro capite €
A10B	Ipoglicemizzanti orali	396.921	86,6	48,8	129,0	93,3
A10BA	Biguanidi	278.787	60,8	10,1	38,1	19,3
A10BB	Sulfoniluree	93.870	20,5	4,2	47,2	8,1
A10BD02	Metformina e sulfoniluree	49.659	10,8	2,8	59,6	5,4
A10BD	Metformina e Inibitori DPP 4	26.814	5,8	10,0	389,7	19,0
A10BD05	Metformina e Pioglitazone	11.416	2,5	3,2	296,5	6,2
A10BD06	Glimepride e Pioglitazone	966	0,2	0,3	302,8	0,5
A10BD09	Pioglitazone e Alogliptin	73	0,0	0,0	84,0	0,0
A10BD01	Fenformina e sulfoniluree	2	0,0	0,0	5,3	0,0
A10BX02	Repaglinide	47.127	10,3	3,7	81,4	7,0
A10BX	Agonisti recettori GLP 1	7.839	1,7	5,6	749,0	10,7
A10BH	Inibitori della dipeptidilpeptidasi 4	19.902	4,3	6,4	338,4	12,3
A10BG	Pioglitazone	9.681	2,1	1,5	157,6	2,8
A10BF	Acarbosio	13.652	3,0	1,0	79,7	2,0

## Appropriatezza dell'uso di antidiabetici nel 2016

<b>Indicatore</b>	<b>Descrizione dell'indicatore</b>	<b>Lug2015- Giu2016</b>	<b>Lug2014- Giu2015</b>	<b>Lug2013- Giu2014</b>
H-DB 3.1	Percentuale di pazienti in trattamento con farmaci antidiabetici aderenti al trattamento	63,4	63,3	63,4
H-DB 3.2	Percentuale di pazienti in trattamento con DPP-IV inibitori senza i criteri previsti dalle precisazioni sulle limitazioni generali alla rimborsabilità dei DPP-IV inibitori	10,5	12,1	24,1
H-DB 3.3	Percentuale di pazienti con i criteri previsti dalle precisazioni sulle limitazioni generali alla rimborsabilità dei DPP-IV inibitori non in trattamento con DPP-IV inibitori	67,2	70,9	71,7

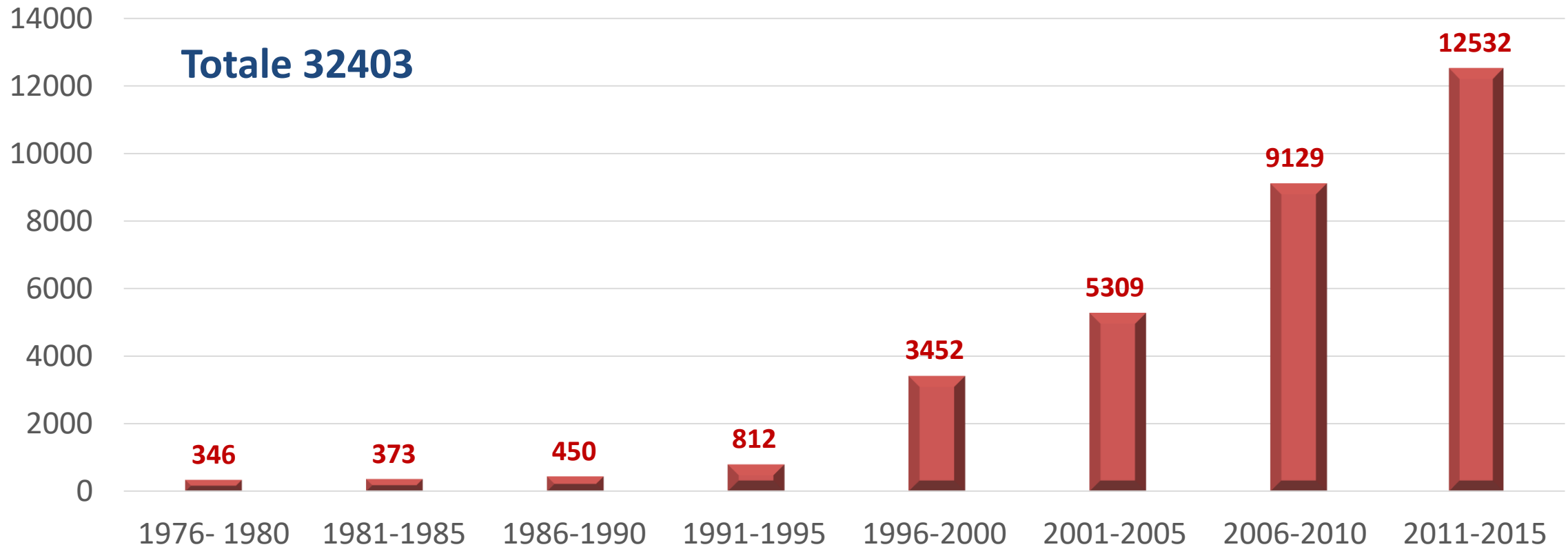
*Osservatorio Nazionale sull'impiego dei Medicinali. L'uso dei farmaci in Italia. Rapporto Nazionale Gennaio-Settembre 2016. Roma: Agenzia Italiana del Farmaco, 2017*



# Che cosa ci orienta nella scelta? Le fonti di informazione

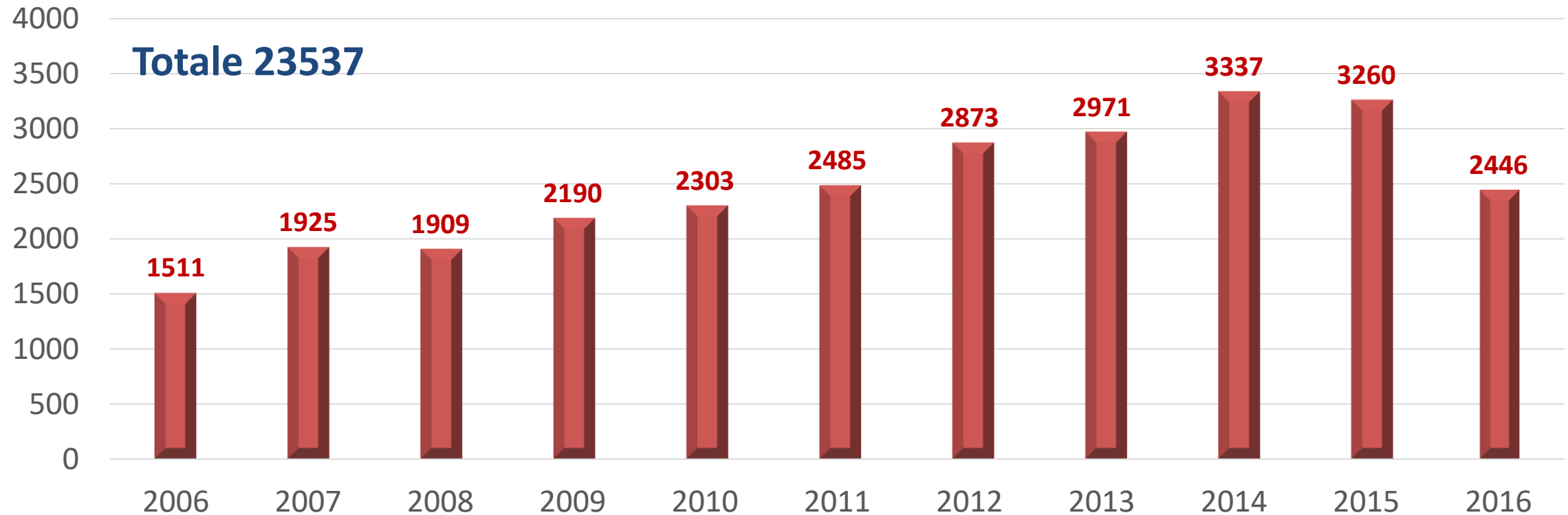
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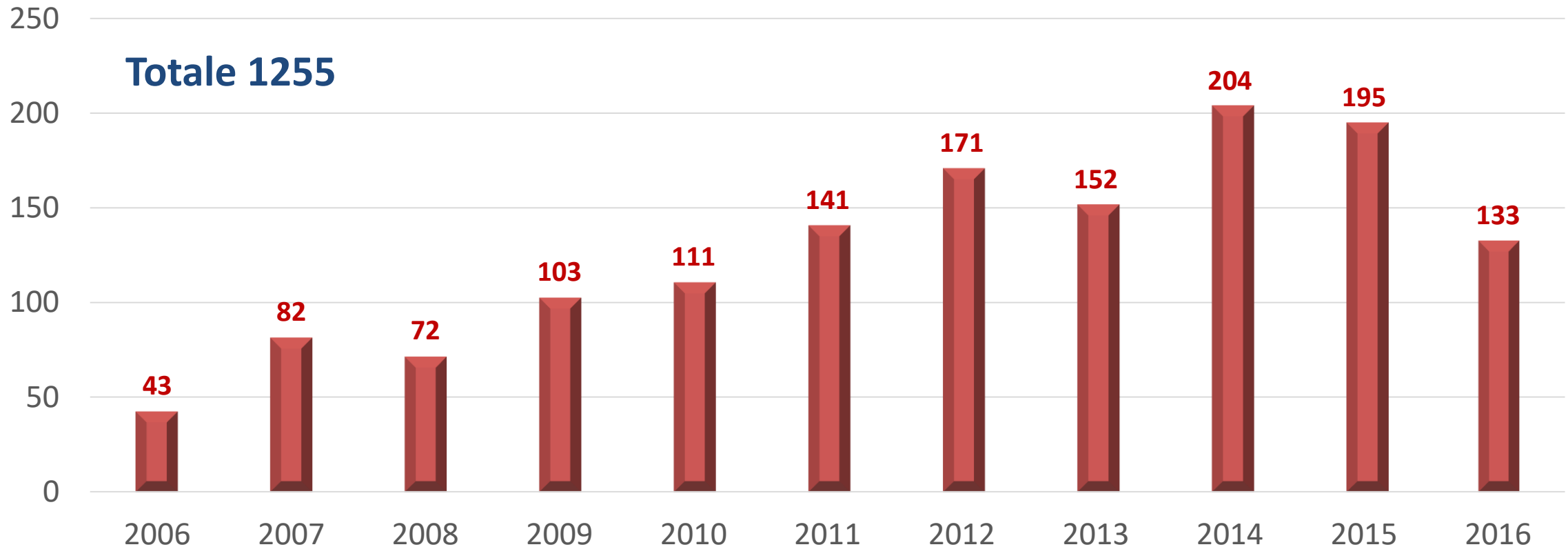
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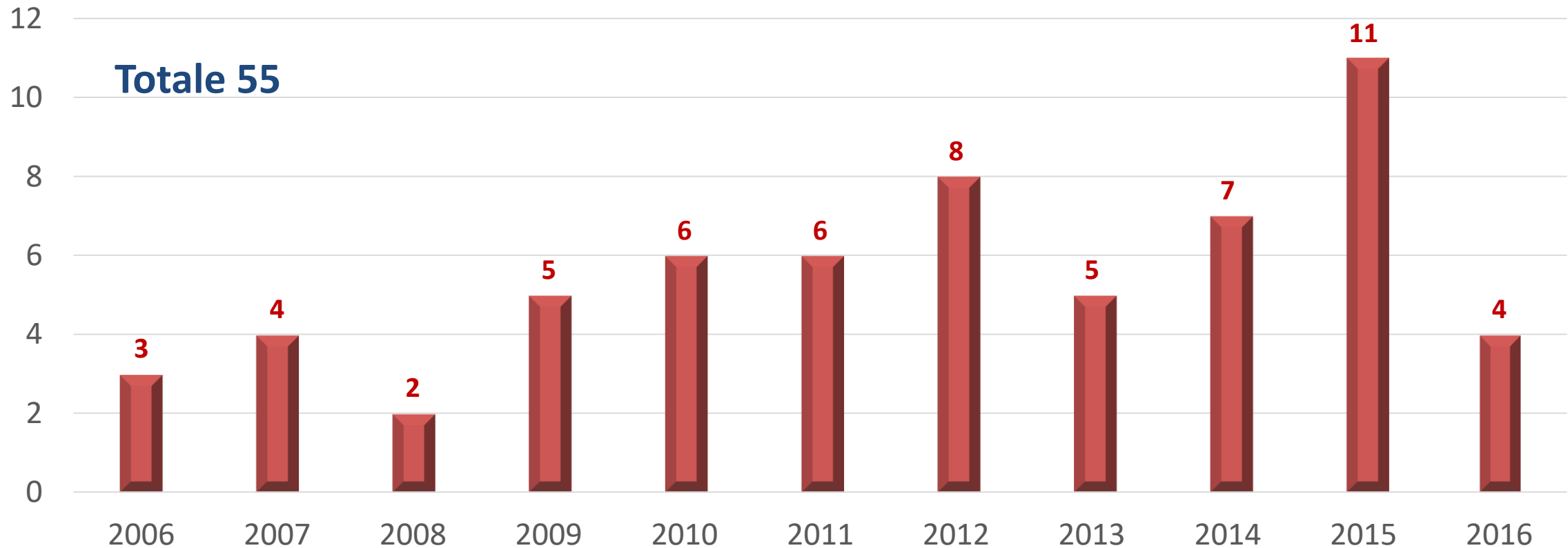
## Metanalisi e revisioni sistematiche pubblicate per anno





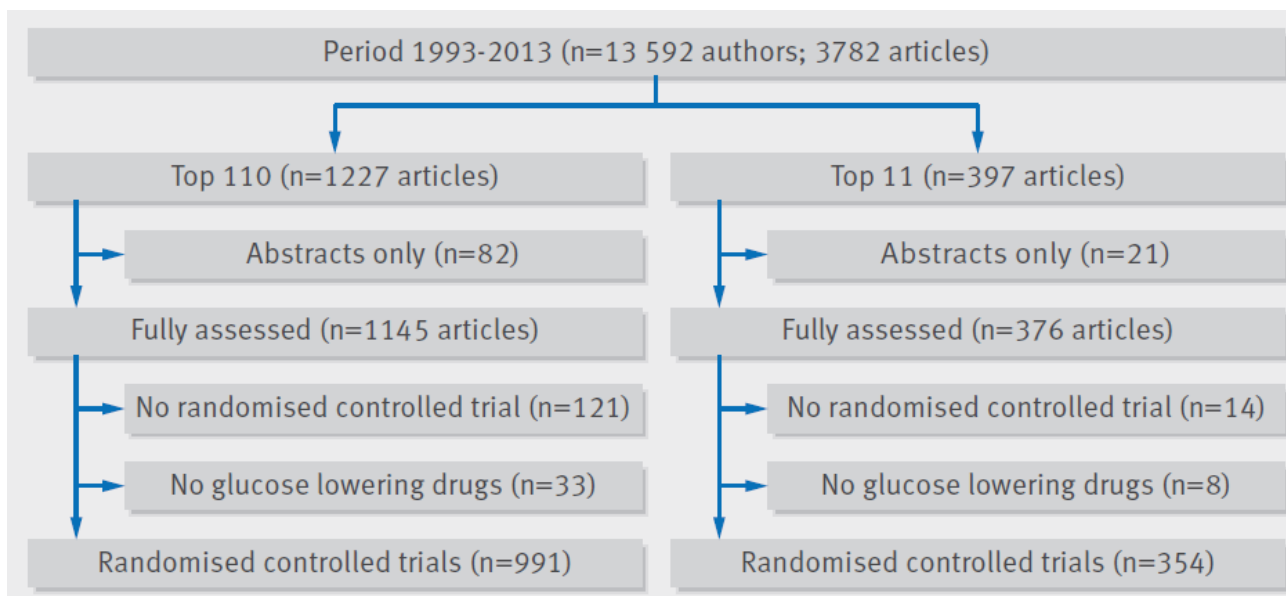
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## Linee guida pubblicate per anno



# High prolific authors and supertrialist

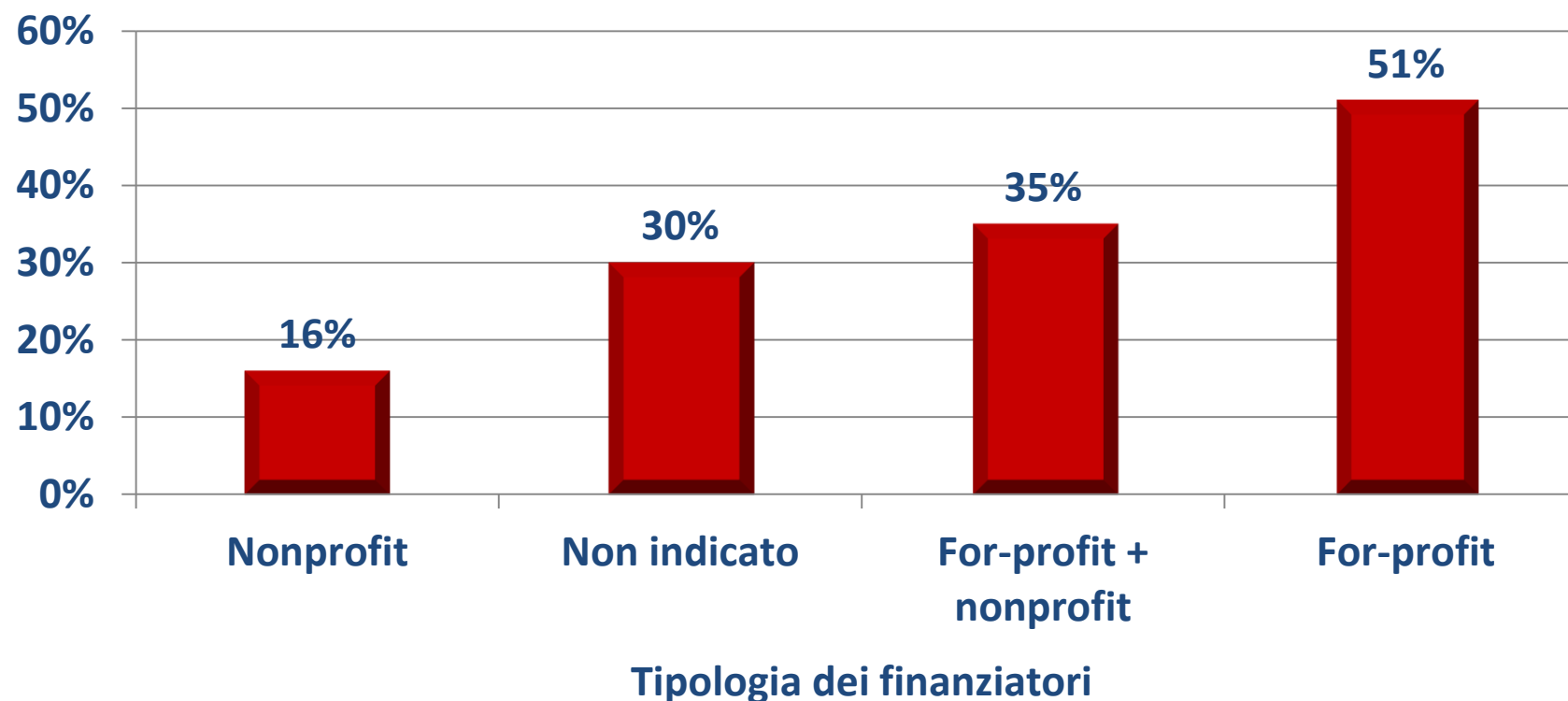
- ❑ This analysis shows that **110 highly prolific** authors contributed to **one third** of the evidence base for glucose lowering treatment;
  - **44%** were company employees and
  - **56% were academics** who work closely with the pharmaceutical companies
- ❑ **11 authors, including 9 academics**—here designated **supertrialists**— contributed **10% of the entire evidence base**
- ❑ **This concentration of influence adds to concerns about the independence and integrity of the evidence base for treatment for diabetes.**



- ❑ the **top 110** authors were involved in **991 RCTs** for a **median of 20 (range 4-77)** RCTs per author;
- ❑ the **top 11** were involved in **354 RCTs** for a median of **42 (36-77)** RCTs per author since 1993

# Finanziamento degli RCT e conclusioni

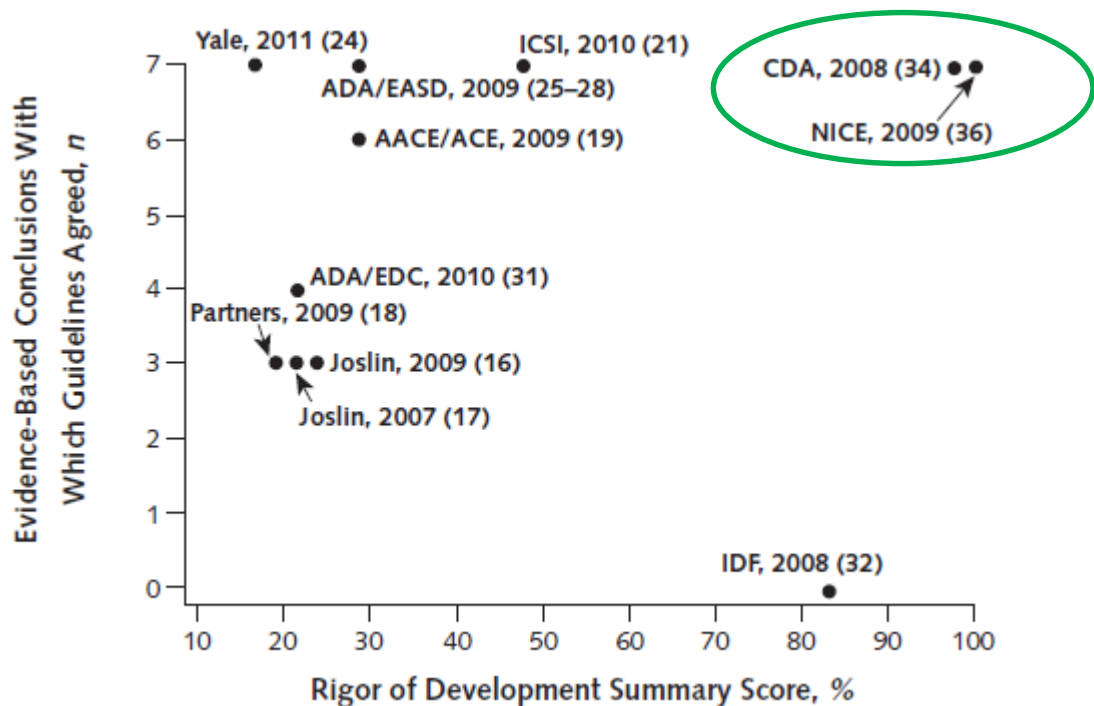
Percentuale di raccomandazioni all'uso di un farmaco in relazione al finanziatore dello studio



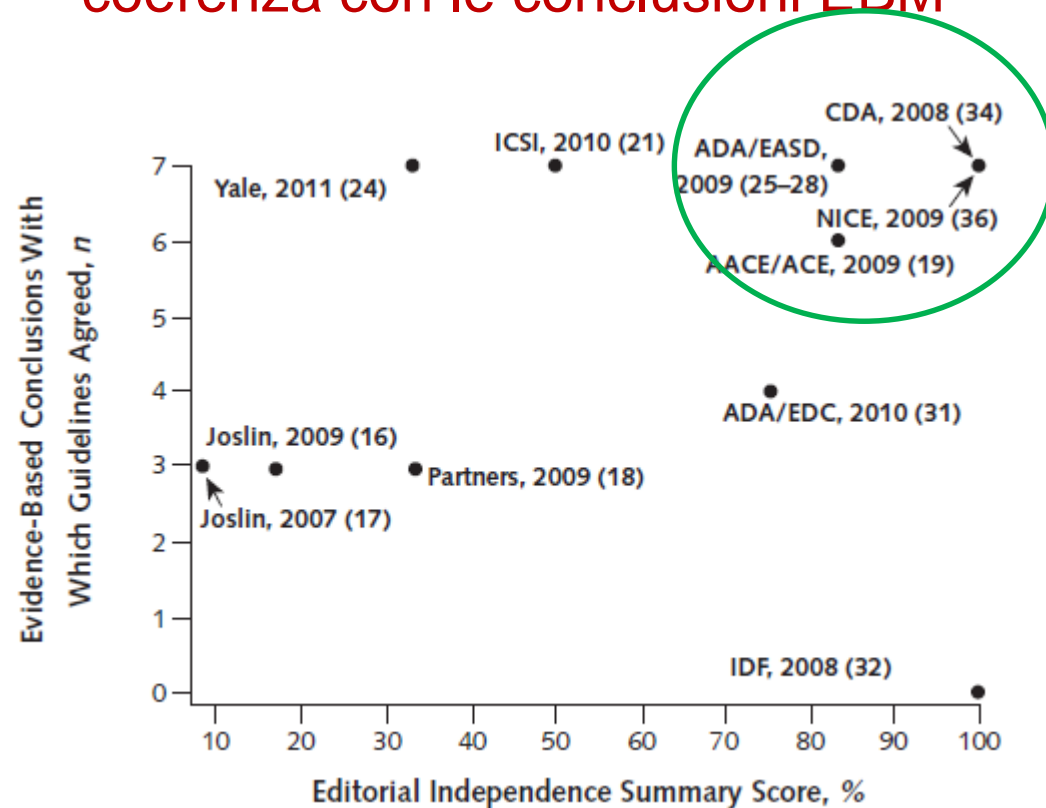
*Als-Nielsen B JAMA 2003; 290: 921- 928*

# Relazione del rigore metodologico e dell'indipendenza editoriale con la coerenza delle LG sulla terapia antidiabetica orale con le conclusioni EBM

## Relazione fra rigore metodologico e coerenza con le conclusioni EBM



## Relazione fra indipendenza editoriale e coerenza con le conclusioni EBM



Bennett WL *Ann Intern Med.* 2012;156:27-36



# Una scelta EBM

Stile di vita

Metformina

Secondo farmaco

## Oral Pharmacologic Treatment of Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus: A Clinical Practice Guideline From the American College of Physicians

Amir Qaseem, MD, PhD, MHA; Linda L. Humphrey, MD, MPH; Donna E. Sweet, MD; Melissa Starkey, PhD; and Paul Shekelle, MD, PhD, for the Clinical Guidelines Committee of the American College of Physicians\*

**Description:** The American College of Physicians (ACP) developed this guideline to present the evidence and provide clinical recommendations on the comparative effectiveness and safety of type 2 diabetes medications.

**Methods:** This guideline is based on a systematic evidence review evaluating literature published on this topic from 1966 through April 2010 that was identified by using MEDLINE (updated through December 2010), EMBASE, and the Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials. Searches were limited to English-language publications. The clinical outcomes evaluated for this guideline included all-cause mortality, cardiovascular morbidity and mortality, cerebrovascular morbidity, neuropathy, nephropathy, and retinopathy. This guideline grades the evidence and recommendations by using the American College of Physicians clinical practice guidelines grading system.

**Recommendation 1:** ACP recommends that clinicians add oral pharmacologic therapy in patients diagnosed with type 2 diabetes

when lifestyle modifications, including diet, exercise, and weight loss, have failed to adequately improve hyperglycemia (Grade: strong recommendation; high-quality evidence).

**Recommendation 2:** ACP recommends that clinicians prescribe monotherapy with metformin for initial pharmacologic therapy to treat most patients with type 2 diabetes (Grade: strong recommendation; high-quality evidence).

**Recommendation 3:** ACP recommends that clinicians add a second agent to metformin to treat patients with persistent hyperglycemia when lifestyle modifications and monotherapy with metformin fail to control hyperglycemia (Grade: strong recommendation; high-quality evidence).

*Ann Intern Med.* 2012;156:218-231.

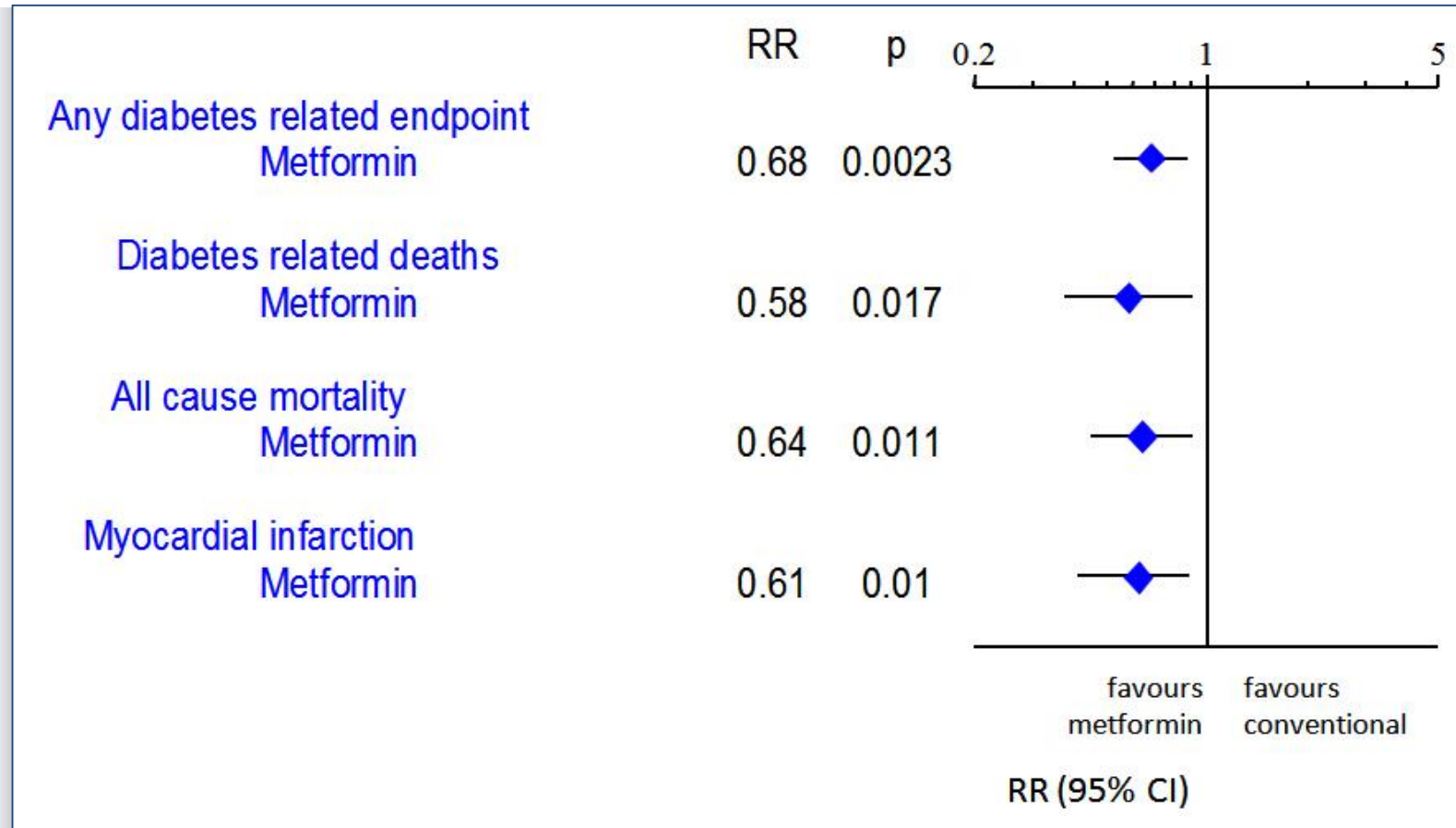
[www.annals.org](http://www.annals.org)

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**Qaseem A *Ann Intern Med.* 2012; 156: 218- 231**

# Metformina e complicanze del diabete

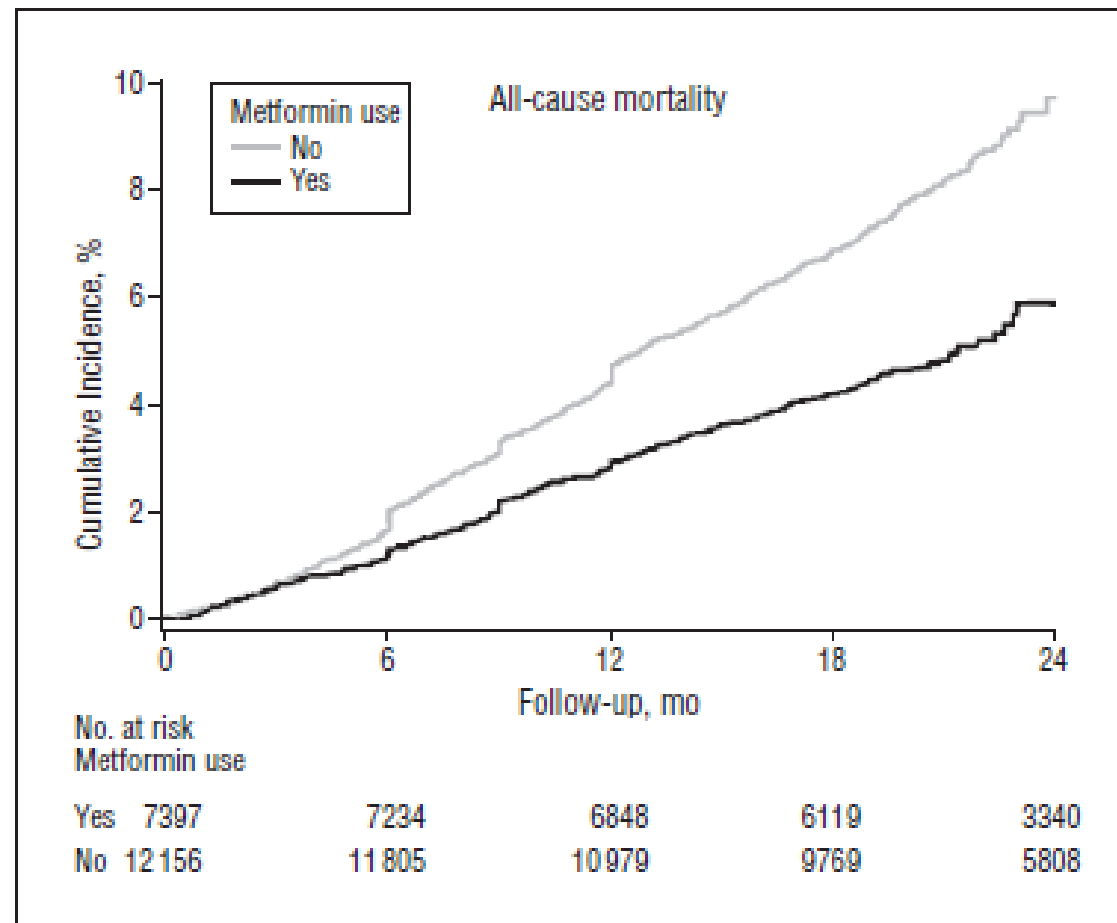
# UKPDS: metformina vs. terapia convenzionale in pazienti in sovrappeso



UKPDS 34, Lancet 1998;352:854-65



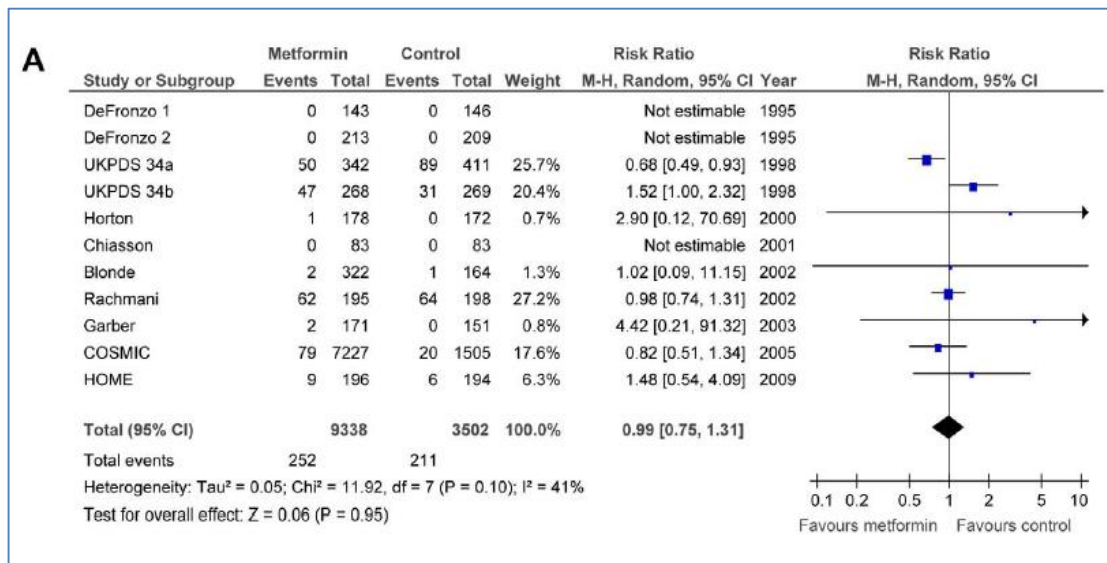
# REACH Registry: metformina e mortalità per ogni causa in prevenzione cv secondaria



**HR 0.67; 95% CI 0.59-0.75;  
adjusted HR 0.76; 95% CI 0.65-0.89  
(P.001 for both, log-rank test)**

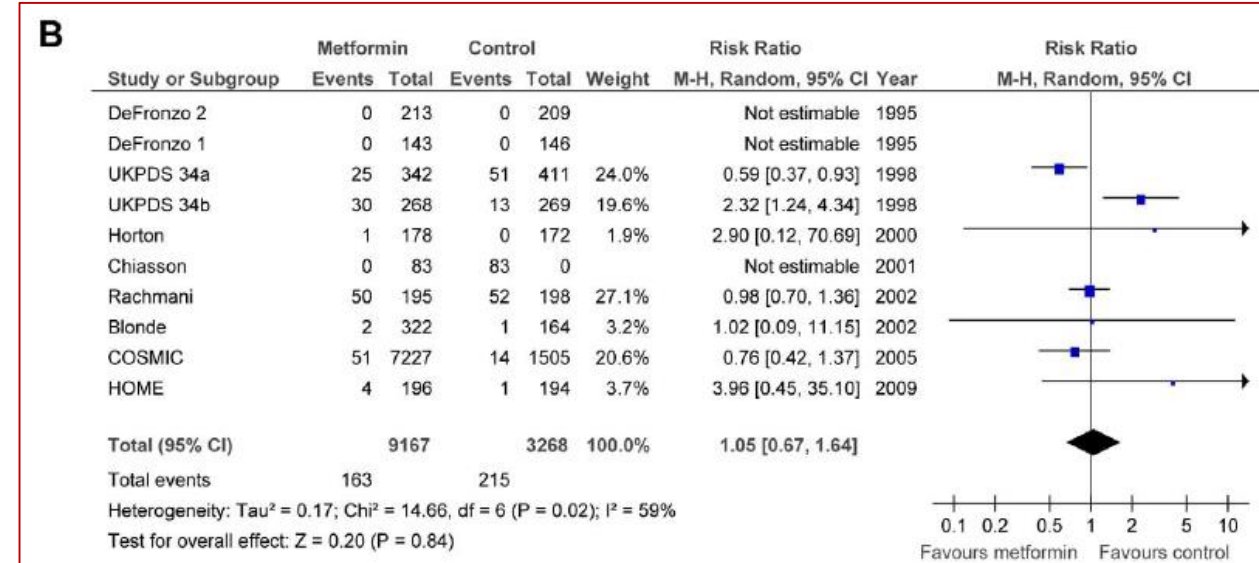
# Efficacia della metformina sulla mortalità: metanalisi di RCT

## Mortalità per ogni causa



RR = 0.99 (95% CI: 0.75 to 1.31),

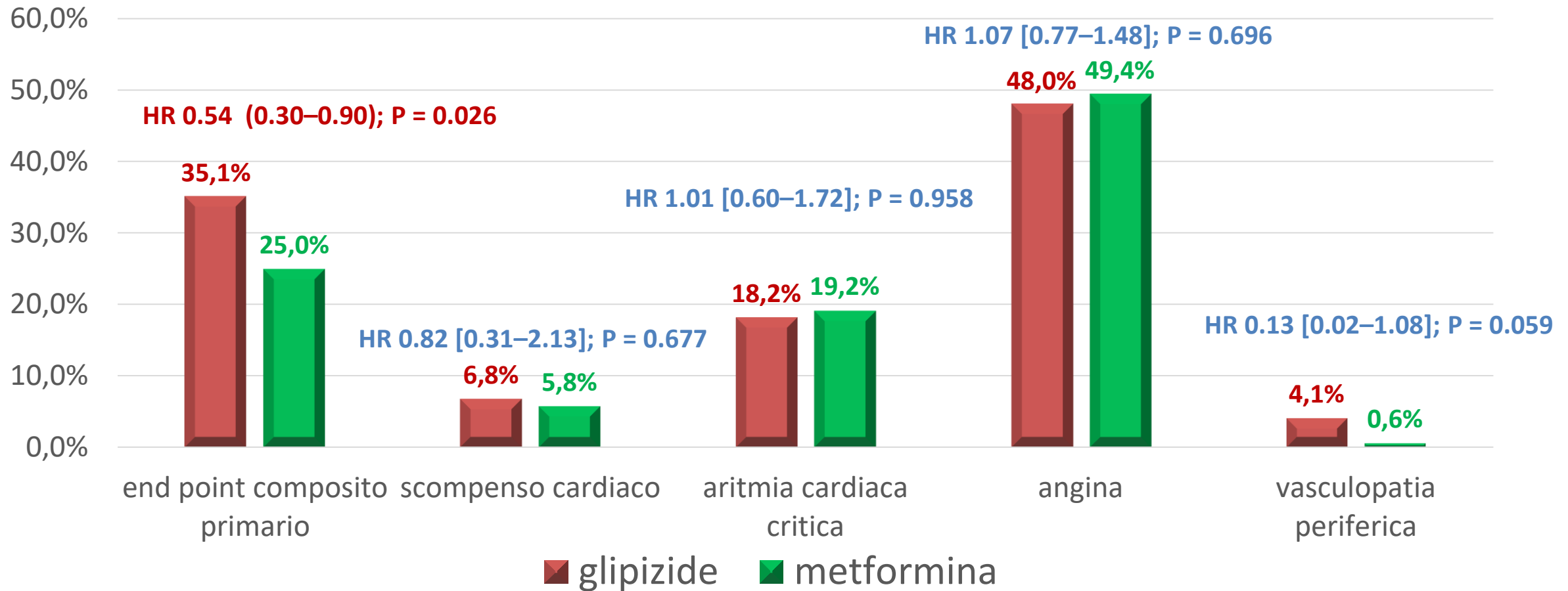
## Mortalità cardiovascolare



RR = 1.05 (95% CI: 0.67 to 1.64)

Boussageon R PLoS Medicine 2012; 9: e1001204

# SPREAD-DIMCAD: Effects of metformin versus glipizide on cardiovascular outcomes in patients with type 2 diabetes and coronary artery disease.



*Hong J Diabetes Care 2013; 36:1304–1311*

# La metformina come farmaco di prima scelta

- ❑ Metformin was associated with **moderately lower HbA1C levels compared with other drugs** including sulfonylureas, thiazolidinediones, and DPP-4 inhibitors.
- ❑ **Basal insulin and sulfonylureas were associated with greatest odds of hypoglycemia**, with an absolute risk difference of 10% compared with metformin.
- ❑ **DPP-4 inhibitors** were associated higher odds of **treatment failure** and with **lower risks of hypoglycemia**
- ❑ **Metformin was associated with small reductions in body weight** relative to sulfonylurea or thiazolidinedione treatment.
- ❑ **Low cost**
- ❑ Choose **GLP-1 receptor agonists** when **weight management is a priority**,
- ❑ Consider **SGLT-2 inhibitors** based on their favorable combined **safety and efficacy profile (weight, HBA1c, hypoglycemia)**

*Palmer SC JAMA 2016;316:313-324*

# Gli altri farmaci



# Comparison of Clinical Outcomes and Adverse Events Associated With Glucose-Lowering Drugs in Patients With Type 2 Diabetes A Meta-analysis

**IMPORTANCE.** Numerous glucose-lowering drugs are used to treat type 2 diabetes.

**OBJECTIVE.** To estimate the relative efficacy and safety associated with glucose-lowering drugs including insulin.

**DATA SOURCES.** Cochrane Library Central Register of Controlled Trials, MEDLINE, and EMBASE databases through March 21, 2016.

**STUDY SELECTION.** Randomized clinical trials of 24 weeks' or longer duration.

**DATA EXTRACTION AND SYNTHESIS.** Random-effects network meta-analysis.

**MAIN OUTCOMES AND MEASURES.** The primary outcome was cardiovascular mortality. Secondary outcomes included all-cause mortality, serious adverse events, myocardial infarction, stroke, hemoglobin A<sub>1c</sub> (HbA<sub>1c</sub>) level, treatment failure (rescue treatment or lack of efficacy), hypoglycemia, and body weight.

*Palmer SC JAMA 2016;316:313-324*

# Comparison of Clinical Outcomes and Adverse Events Associated With Glucose-Lowering Drugs in Patients With Type 2 Diabetes

A Meta-analysis

## □ 301 randomized clinical trials

- In 177 trials (56 598 patients), drugs as monotherapy
- in 109 trials (53030 patients), drugs added to metformin
- in 29 trials (10 598 patients), drugs added to metformin and sulfonylurea therapy

## □ 118 094 patients

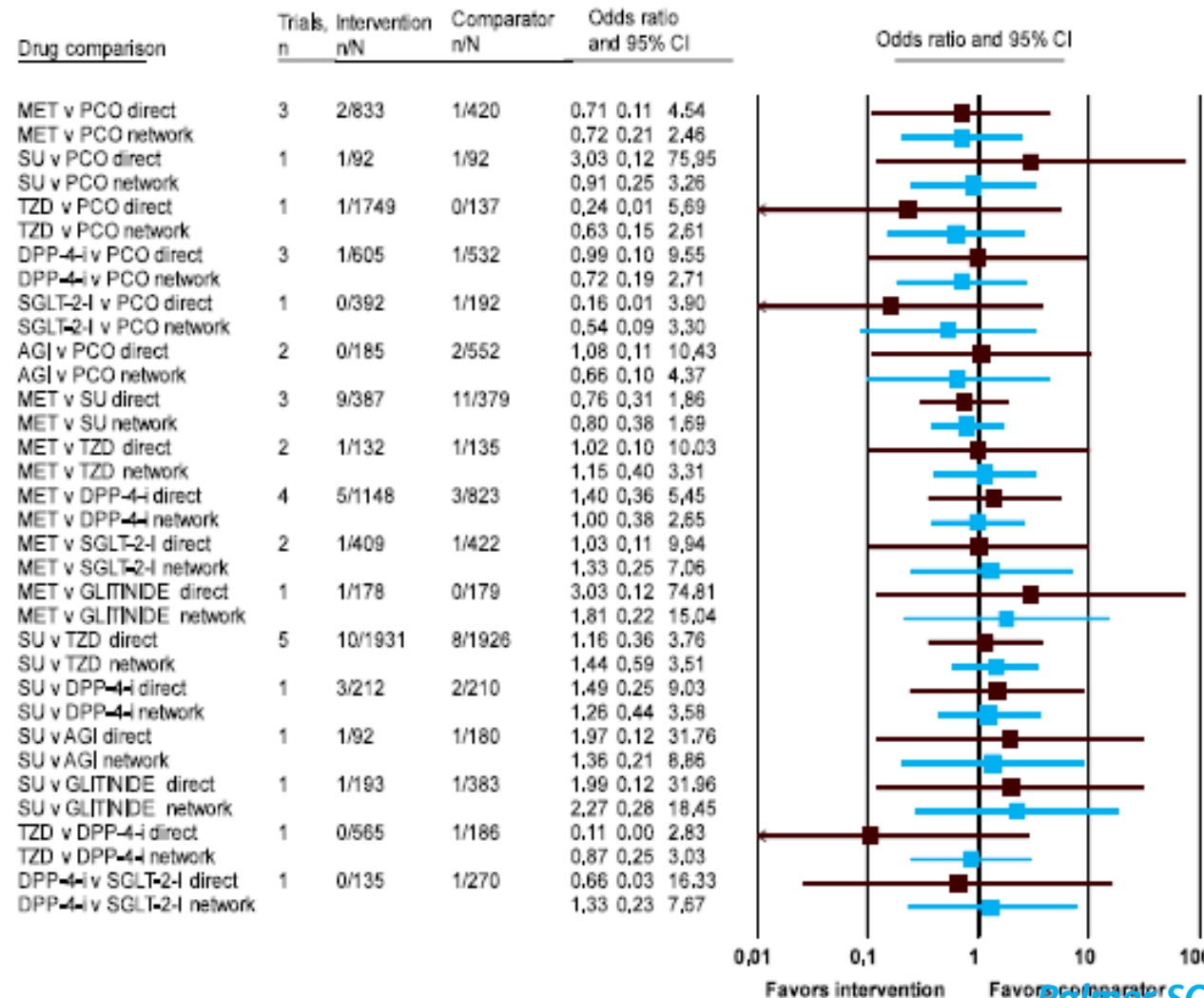
- The number of patients allocated to each treatment in trials ranged between 82 and 1562 (median, 104 [interquartile range, 46-190])

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# Eventi cardiovascolari

# Outcome primario, mortalità CV. Farmaci in monoterapia

Direct and network treatment estimates for cardiovascular mortality - monotherapy



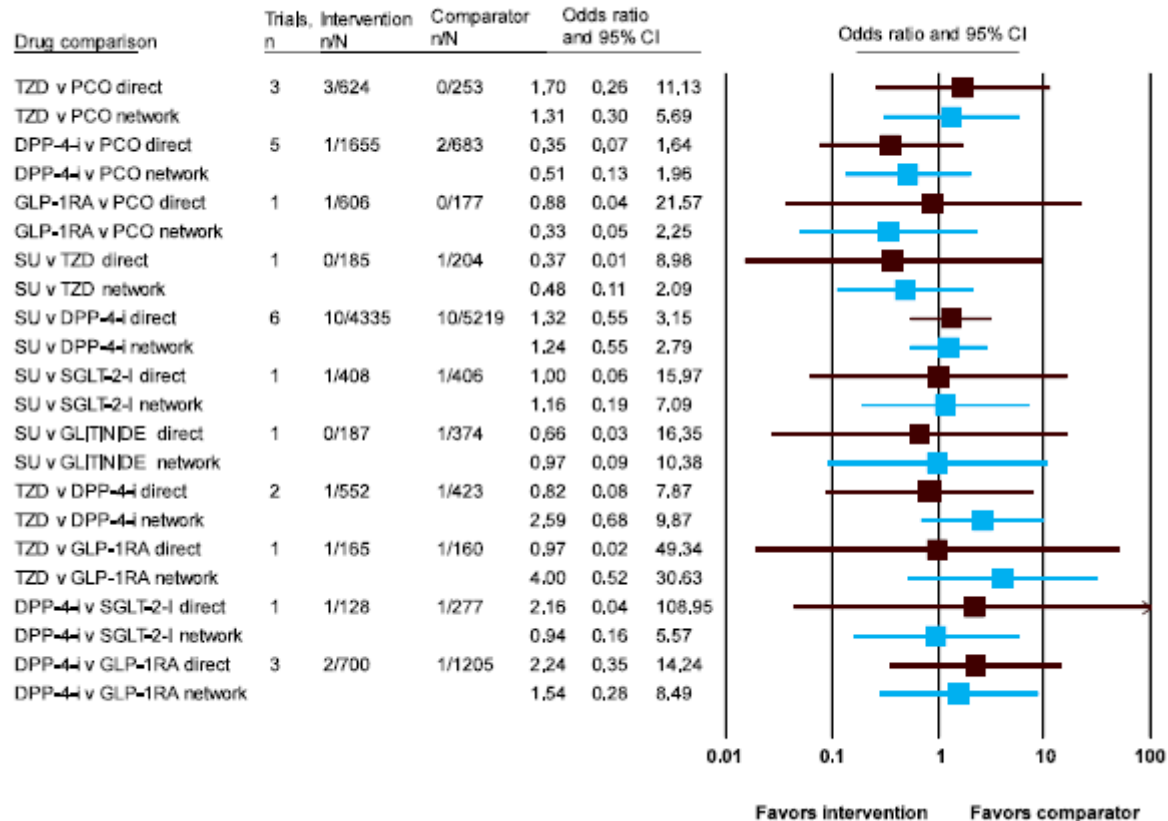
There were **no significant differences** in the associations between any drug class as monotherapy with odds of **cardiovascular mortality**

# Outcome primario: mortalità CV. Farmaci aggiunti.

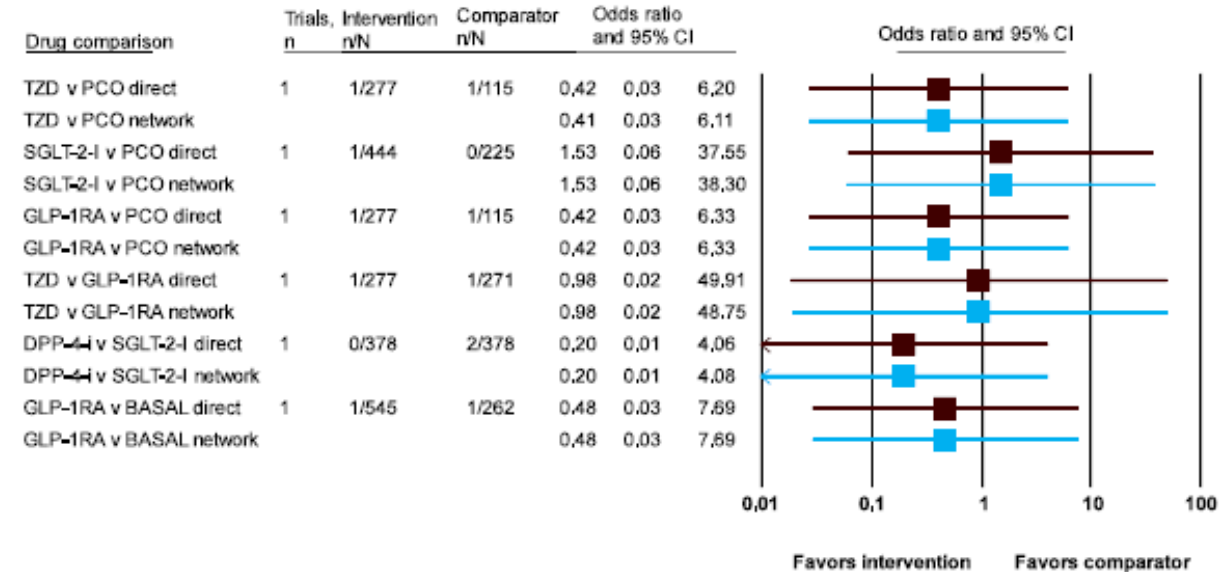
## Farmaci aggiunti a metformina

## Farmaci aggiunti a metformina+ sulfonilurea

Direct and network treatment estimates for cardiovascular mortality – dual therapy



Direct and network treatment estimates for cardiovascular mortality – triple therapy



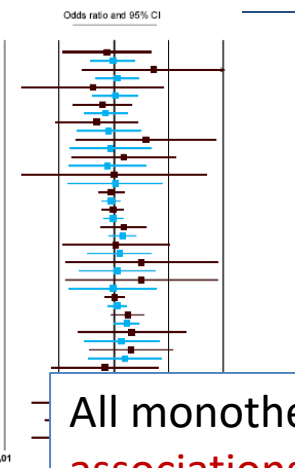
There was **no significant association** between any drug class and odds of **cardiovascular mortality**

# Mortalità per ogni causa, eventi avversi, IMA, ictus. Farmaci in monoterapia.

**Mortalità per ogni causa**

Direct and network treatment estimates for all-cause mortality - monotherapy

Drug comparison	Trials, Intervention n	Comparator n	Odds ratio and 95% CI	
MET v PCO direct	3	2933	1/420	0,71 0,11 4,54
MET v PCO network	1	2932	0/92	0,11 0,24 198,40
SU v PCO direct	1	31749	0/137	0,39 0,43 2,74
TZD v PCO direct	7	41431	4/1155	0,59 0,17 2,04
DPP4 v PCO direct	3	31038	2/496	0,27 0,27 1,65
SGLT2 v PCO direct	3	31038	2/496	0,46 0,08 2,65
GLP-1RA v PCO direct	1	31038	0/105	0,79 0,20 2,89
MET v SU direct	1	31038	0/105	0,57 0,16 71,24
GLP-1RA v SU direct	1	31038	0/105	0,83 0,15 4,52
AGI v PCO direct	2	0196	3/52	1,44 0,16 13,06
AGI v PCO network	1	0172	0/179	0,22 0,14 3,67
GLINDE v PCO direct	4	401841	45/1820	0,85 0,50 1,45
MET v SU direct	5	352126	38/2051	0,92 0,51 1,59
MET v TZD direct	7	92168	6/2033	1,43 0,55 3,74
MET v DPP4 direct	2	1409	1/422	1,37 0,77 2,44
MET v DPP4 network	1	1246	0/248	1,03 0,11 9,80
MET v SGLT2 direct	1	1246	0/248	1,20 0,31 4,62
MET v GLP-1RA direct	1	1178	0/179	0,03 0,12 70,75
MET v GLP-1RA network	1	1178	0/179	1,10 0,22 5,46
MET v GLINDE direct	6	463382	46/3382	0,91 0,54 1,50
SU v TZD direct	3	22183	13/820	1,08 0,73 1,59
SU v DPP4 direct	2	19380	1/765	1,70 0,84 3,43
SU v DPP4 network	1	19380	1/765	1,83 0,95 3,49
SU v GLP-1RA direct	2	21860	1/1101	2,02 0,91 4,47
SU v GLP-1RA network	1	21860	1/1101	1,31 0,27 6,35
SU v AGI direct	1	1150	3/383	1,97 0,34 11,01
SU v AGI network	1	1150	3/383	1,50 0,32 6,89
SU v GLINDE direct	3	1996	2/864	0,99 0,07 5,31
SU v GLINDE network	1	1996	2/864	0,98 0,17 4,62
TZD v DPP4 direct	1	0163	0/248	0,53 0,08 3,42
TZD v DPP4 network	1	0163	0/248	1,50 0,81 2,77
TZD v GLP-1RA direct	1	0163	0/248	1,52 0,03 77,00
TZD v GLP-1RA network	2	0358	3/717	0,58 0,26 1,43
DPP4 v SGLT2 direct	1	0163	0/248	0,87 0,23 3,23
DPP4 v SGLT2 network	1	0163	0/248	1,52 0,03 77,01
DPP4 v GLP-1RA direct	1	0163	0/248	0,80 0,16 4,04

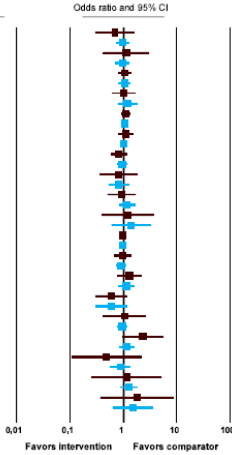


All monotherapies had uncertain comparative associations with all-cause mortality, serious adverse events, myocardial infarction, and stroke

**Eventi avversi seri**

Direct and network treatment estimates for serious adverse events - monotherapy

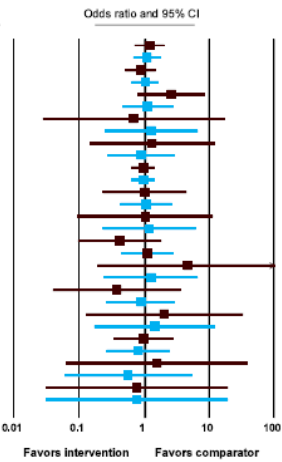
Drug comparison	Trials, Intervention n	Comparator n	Odds ratio and 95% CI	
MET v PCO direct	4	281164	18/501	0,68 0,29 1,59
MET v PCO network	5	802695	10/426	0,85 0,72 1,26
TZD v PCO direct	19	1694340	91/2421	1,12 0,42 2,98
TZD v PCO network	8	55/2040	2/4932	0,95 0,71 1,27
DPP4 v PCO direct	1	331/1454	3/681/1441	1,05 0,79 1,39
DPP4 v PCO network	1	331/1454	3/681/1441	1,03 0,81 1,31
SGLT2 v PCO direct	8	55/2040	2/4932	1,01 0,81 1,66
MET v SU direct	1	331/1454	3/681/1441	1,08 0,91 1,29
MET v SU network	5	397/2562	350/2489	1,04 0,89 1,21
MET v TZD direct	8	74/2393	86/2258	1,00 0,86 1,17
MET v TZD network	8	74/2393	86/2258	0,82 0,57 1,16
MET v DPP4 direct	2	11/409	1/442	0,93 0,75 1,15
MET v DPP4 network	2	11/409	1/442	0,80 0,36 1,79
MET v SGLT2 direct	2	26/514	38/767	0,80 0,52 1,23
MET v SGLT2 network	2	26/514	38/767	0,91 0,50 1,68
MET v GLP-1RA direct	1	7386	6/371	1,18 0,84 1,61
MET v GLP-1RA network	1	7386	6/371	1,19 0,39 3,58
MET v AGI direct	7	663/3681	695/3682	1,37 0,98 2,00
MET v AGI network	4	78/732	80/737	0,85 0,84 1,07
SU v TZD direct	2	27/380	44/765	0,97 0,85 1,10
SU v TZD network	2	27/380	44/765	0,96 0,68 1,36
SU v DPP4 direct	1	12/193	38/383	0,89 0,72 1,11
SU v DPP4 network	1	12/193	38/383	1,28 0,77 2,07
SU v GLP-1RA direct	1	11/132	31/864	1,11 0,81 1,53
SU v GLP-1RA network	1	11/132	31/864	0,89 0,30 1,14
SU v GLINDE direct	3	38/996	31/864	0,89 0,30 1,14
SU v GLINDE network	3	38/996	31/864	1,03 0,41 2,59
TZD v DPP4 direct	2	16/299	9/390	0,63 0,74 1,16
TZD v DPP4 network	2	16/299	9/390	2,28 0,97 5,37
TZD v GLP-1RA direct	2	8/358	32/717	1,15 0,83 1,60
TZD v GLP-1RA network	2	8/358	32/717	0,47 0,11 2,09
DPP4 v SGLT2 direct	1	31/63	4/248	0,86 0,57 1,31
DPP4 v SGLT2 network	1	31/63	4/248	1,14 0,25 5,18
DPP4 v GLP-1RA direct	1	31/63	4/248	1,25 0,87 1,79
DPP4 v GLP-1RA network	1	31/63	4/248	1,76 0,36 8,54
DPP4 v GLP-1RA network	1	31/63	4/248	1,49 0,63 3,48



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Direct and network treatment estimates for myocardial infarction - monotherapy

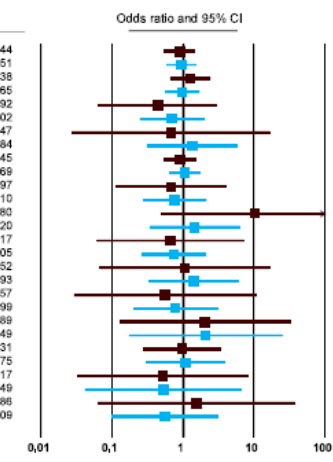
Drug comparison	Trials, Intervention n	Comparator n	Odds ratio and 95% CI	
MET v SU direct	4	30/1841	25/1820	1,18 0,70 1,88
MET v SU network	3	24/1629	26/1636	1,07 0,66 1,72
MET v TZD direct	6	6/1773	1/1916	0,86 0,51 1,46
MET v TZD network	6	6/1773	1/1916	1,01 0,63 1,61
MET v DPP4 direct	1	0/268	1/539	2,35 0,78 6,94
MET v DPP4 network	1	0/268	1/539	1,11 0,45 2,74
MET v GLP-1RA direct	1	0/268	1/539	0,67 0,03 16,47
MET v GLP-1RA network	1	0/268	1/539	1,25 0,24 6,53
MET v PCO direct	3	2/714	0/320	1,39 0,14 11,55
MET v PCO network	7	43/3594	46/3612	0,87 0,27 2,82
SU v TZD direct	3	3/496	3/496	0,94 0,62 1,41
SU v TZD network	3	3/496	3/496	0,94 0,63 1,41
SU v DPP4 direct	2	1/731	2/349	1,00 0,23 4,36
SU v DPP4 network	2	1/731	2/349	1,04 0,42 2,58
SU v GLP-1RA direct	1	1/132	2/268	1,02 0,09 11,09
SU v GLP-1RA network	1	1/132	2/268	1,17 0,23 6,01
TZD v DPP4 direct	1	1/163	0/248	0,41 0,09 1,79
TZD v DPP4 network	2	1/163	0/248	1,10 0,44 2,76
TZD v GLP-1RA direct	4	2/2106	0/231	4,55 0,19 111,04
TZD v GLP-1RA network	4	2/2106	0/231	1,24 0,24 6,46
TZD v PCO direct	1	1/223	1/447	0,37 0,04 3,51
TZD v PCO network	1	1/223	1/447	0,87 0,26 2,88
DPP4 v SGLT2 direct	1	1/223	1/447	2,00 0,13 31,89
DPP4 v SGLT2 network	1	1/223	1/447	1,42 0,17 11,98
DPP4 v PCO direct	6	4/1264	2/881	0,95 0,34 2,64
DPP4 v PCO network	1	1/839	0/421	0,79 0,26 2,41
SGLT2 v PCO direct	1	1/839	0/421	1,54 0,06 37,65
SGLT2 v PCO network	1	1/839	0/421	0,55 0,06 5,23
AGI v PCO direct	1	1/372	0/93	0,76 0,03 18,73
AGI v PCO network	1	1/372	0/93	0,76 0,03 18,96
AGI v PCO network	1	1/372	0/93	1,20 0,65 1,17



**Ictus**

Direct and network treatment estimates for stroke - monotherapy

Drug comparison	Trials, Intervention n	Comparator n	Odds ratio and 95% CI	
MET v SU direct	2	29/1610	32/1589	0,88 0,54 1,44
MET v SU network	2	20/1565	16/1570	0,83 0,57 1,51
MET v TZD direct	2	20/1565	16/1570	1,25 0,66 2,38
MET v TZD network	2	20/1565	16/1570	0,96 0,58 1,65
MET v DPP4 direct	1	1/553	3/560	0,43 0,06 2,92
MET v DPP4 network	1	1/553	3/560	0,70 0,24 2,02
MET v GLP-1RA direct	1	0/268	1/539	0,67 0,03 16,47
MET v GLP-1RA network	1	0/268	1/539	1,35 0,31 5,84
SU v TZD direct	5	28/3321	32/3340	0,88 0,54 1,45
SU v TZD network	2	2/431	3/432	1,04 0,64 1,69
SU v DPP4 direct	2	2/431	3/432	0,67 0,11 3,97
SU v DPP4 network	2	2/431	3/432	0,75 0,27 2,10
SU v GLP-1RA direct	1	2/132	0/268	10,10 0,49 208,80
SU v GLP-1RA network	1	2/132	0/268	1,45 0,34 6,20
TZD v DPP4 direct	1	2/568	1/186	0,66 0,06 7,17
TZD v DPP4 network	1	1/136	1/142	0,73 0,26 2,05
TZD v GLP-1RA direct	1	1/136	1/142	1,04 0,07 16,52
TZD v GLP-1RA network	1	1/136	1/142	1,40 0,33 5,93
TZD v PCO direct	1	3/1749	0/137	0,55 0,03 10,57
TZD v PCO network	1	1/223	1/447	0,77 0,20 2,99
DPP4 v SGLT2 direct	1	1/223	1/447	2,00 0,13 31,89
DPP4 v SGLT2 network	1	1/223	1/447	2,04 0,17 24,49
DPP4 v PCO direct	4	4/1023	2/696	0,96 0,28 3,31
DPP4 v PCO network	1	1/447	1/229	1,06 0,30 3,75
SGLT2 v PCO direct	1	1/447	1/229	0,51 0,03 8,17
SGLT2 v PCO network	1	1/447	1/229	0,52 0,04 6,49
GLP-1RA v PCO direct	1	1/245	0/123	1,51 0,06 36,86
GLP-1RA v PCO network	1	1/245	0/123	0,55 0,10 3,09

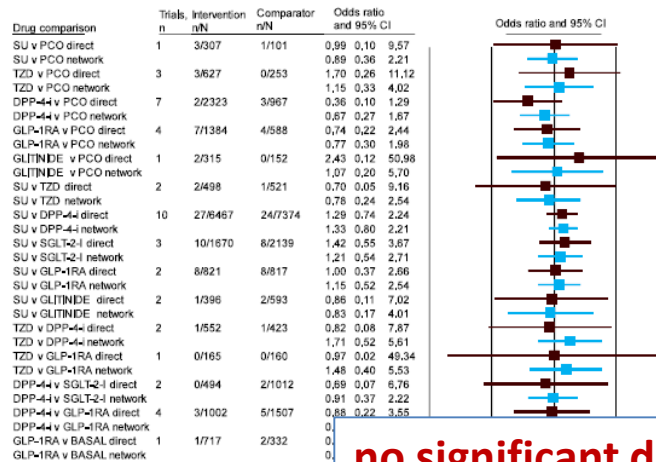




# Mortalità per ogni causa, eventi avversi, IMA, ictus. Farmaci aggiunti a metformina

Mortalità per ogni causa

Direct and network treatment estimates for all-cause mortality – dual therapy

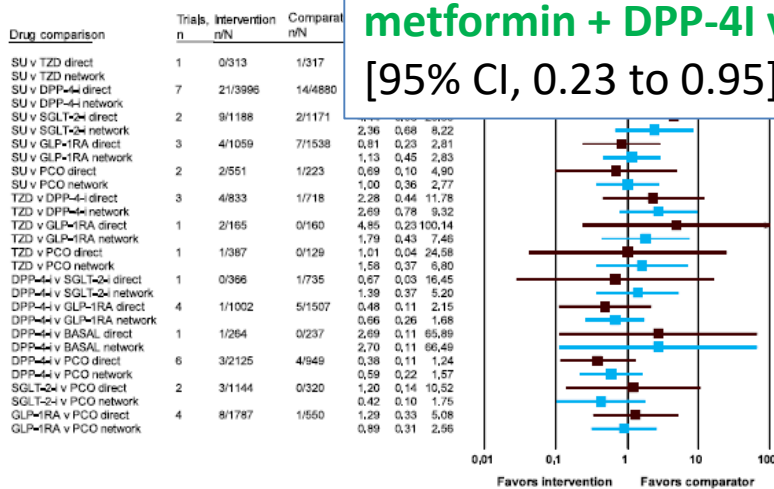


no significant differences

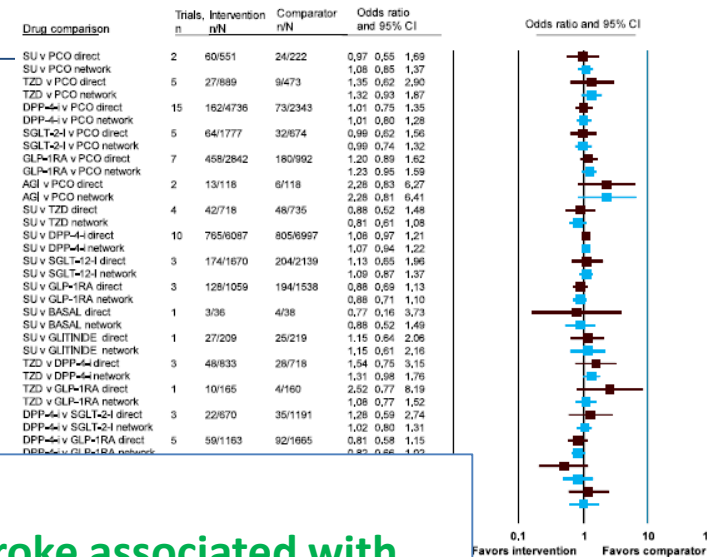
with the exception of a lower odds of stroke associated with metformin + DPP-4I vs metformin + sulfonylurea (OR, 0.47 [95% CI, 0.23 to 0.95]; RD, -0.2% [95% CI, -0.4% to -0.04%]).

IMA

Direct and network treatment estimates for IMA

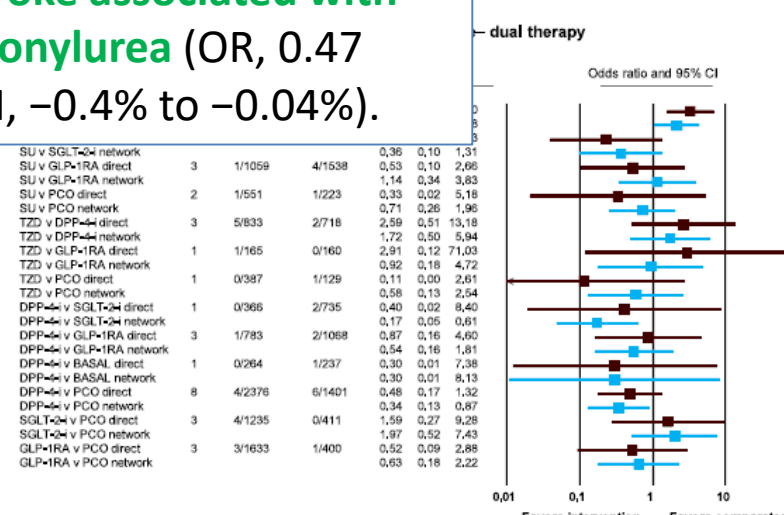


Direct and network treatment estimates for serious adverse events – dual therapy



Eventi avversi seri

Ictus

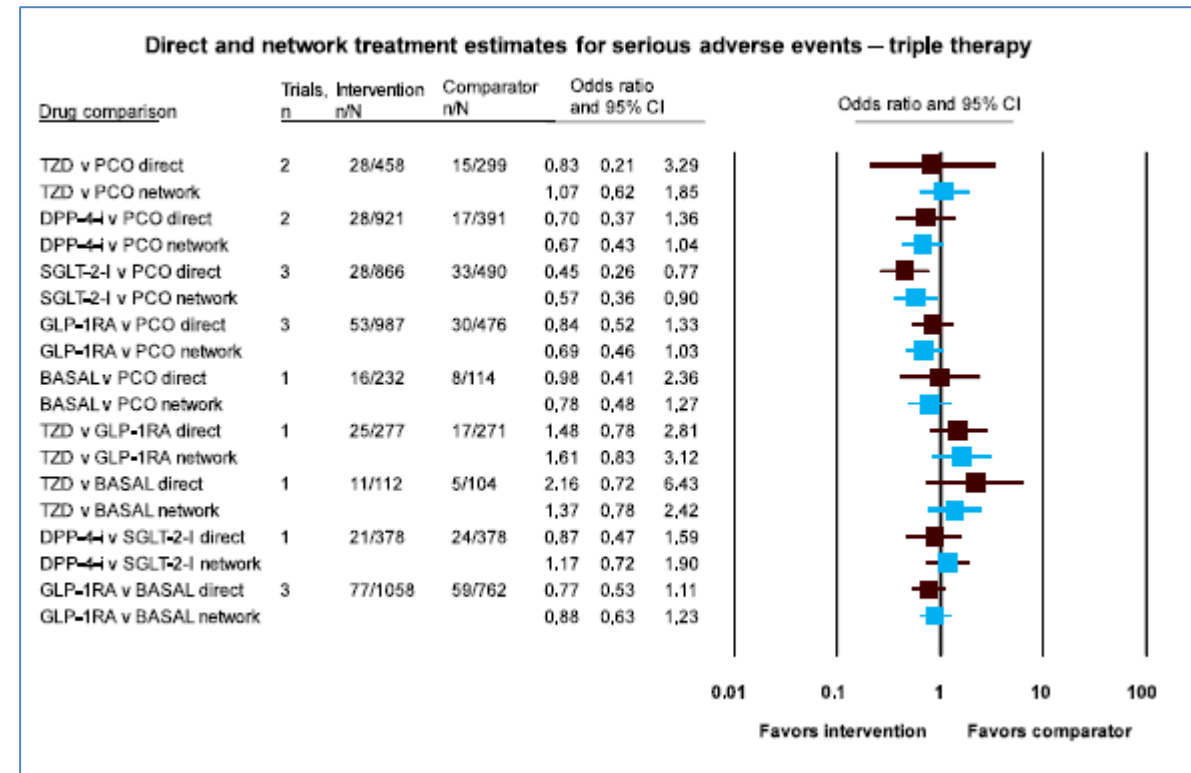
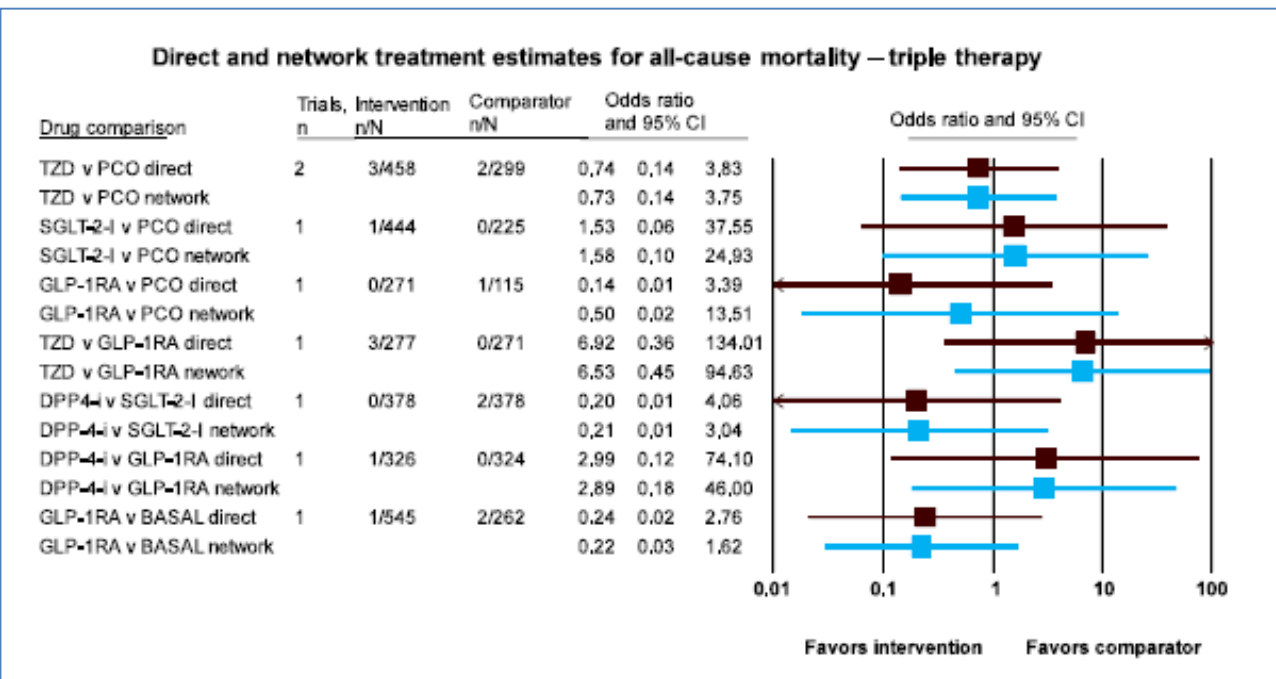


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## Farmaci aggiunti a metformina+ sulfonilurea

Mortalità per ogni causa

Eventi avversi seri



**There was no evidence of significantly different associations with all-cause mortality or serious adverse events between any of the drug classes given as triple therapy.**

Insufficient observations were available to generate evidence networks for myocardial infarction or stroke.

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# Ipoglicemia

# Farmaci in monoterapia: ipoglicemia

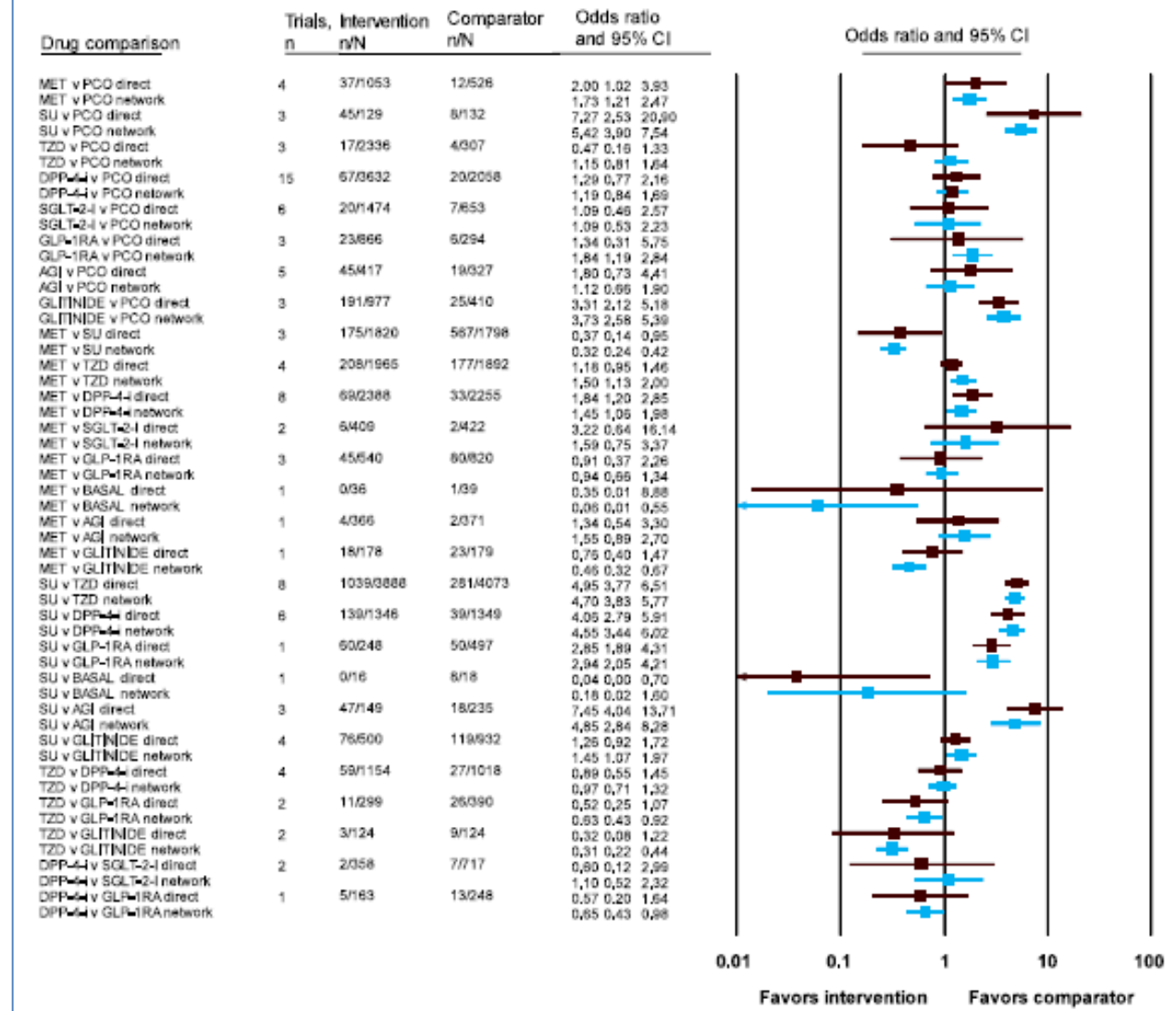
## Higher hypoglycemia risk

- **Basal insulin** (OR, 17.9 [95%CI, 1.97 to 162]; RD, 10%[95% CI, 0.08% to 20%])
- **Sulfonylurea** (OR, 3.13 [95% CI, 2.39 to 4.12]; RD, 10% [95% CI, 7% to 13%])

## Lower risk of hypoglycemia than metformin

- **Placebo** (OR, 0.58 [95%CI, 0.40 to 0.83]; RD, -3% [95%CI, -5%to -0.2%),
- **Thiazolidinediones** (OR,0.67 [95%CI, 0.50 to 0.88]; RD, -4% [95% CI, -7% to -1%]),
- **DPP-4 inhibitors** (OR,0.69 [95%CI,0.50 to0.94;RD, -1%[95%CI, -4% to 1%])

Direct and network treatment estimates for hypoglycemia - monotherapy

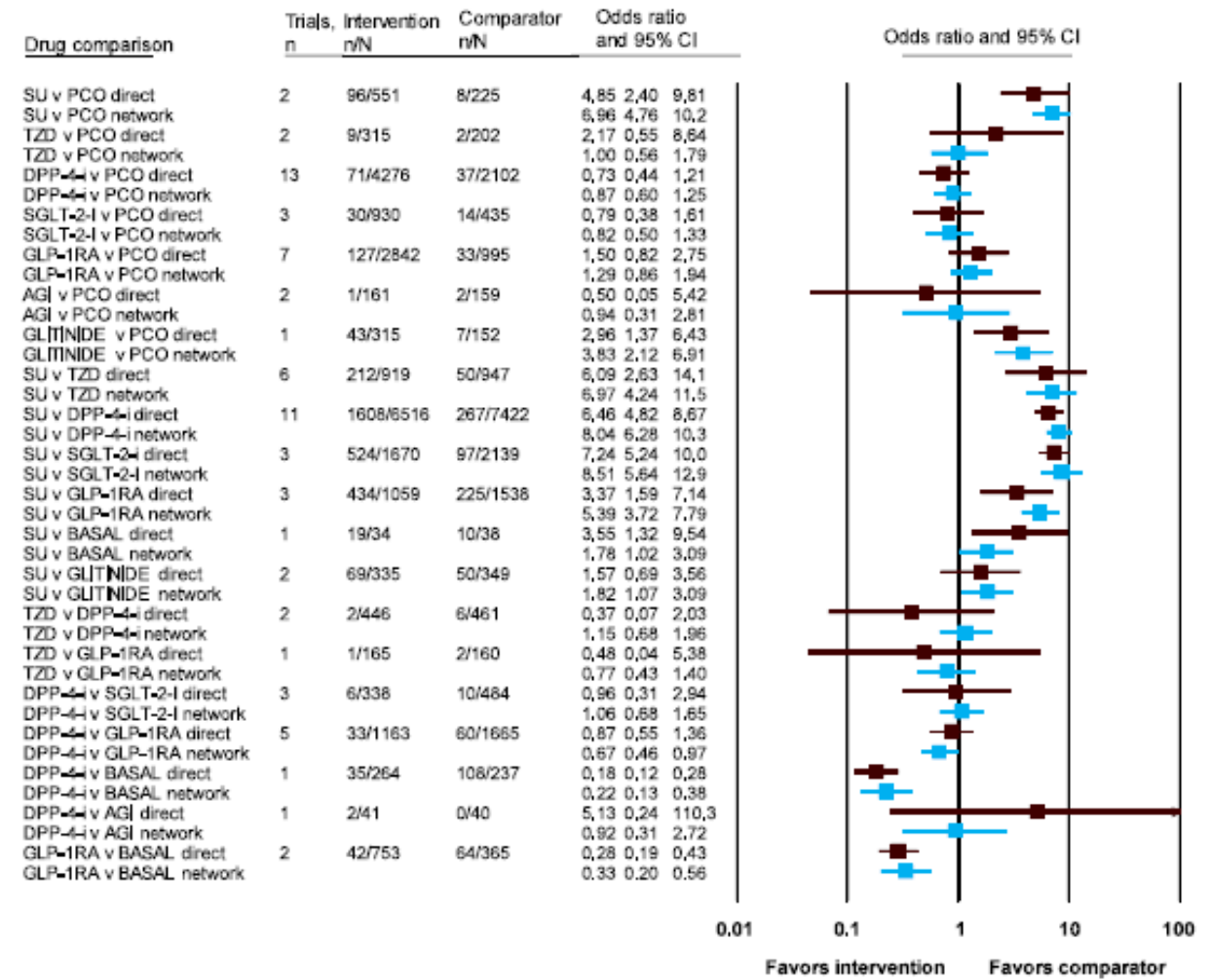


All dual-therapy classes were associated with lower odds of hypoglycemia than metformin + sulfonylurea dual therapy

with mean odds of hypoglycemia ranging from **0.56** (95%CI, 0.32 to 0.98; RD, -4% [95% CI, -12% to 5%]) for **metformin + basal insulin** to

**0.12** (95%CI,0.08to0.18;RD,-22%[95% CI, -27% to -18%]) for **metformin + SGLT-2 inhibitor**, which Was ranked as the best option to avoid hypoglycemia

Direct and network treatment estimates for hypoglycemia – dual therapy

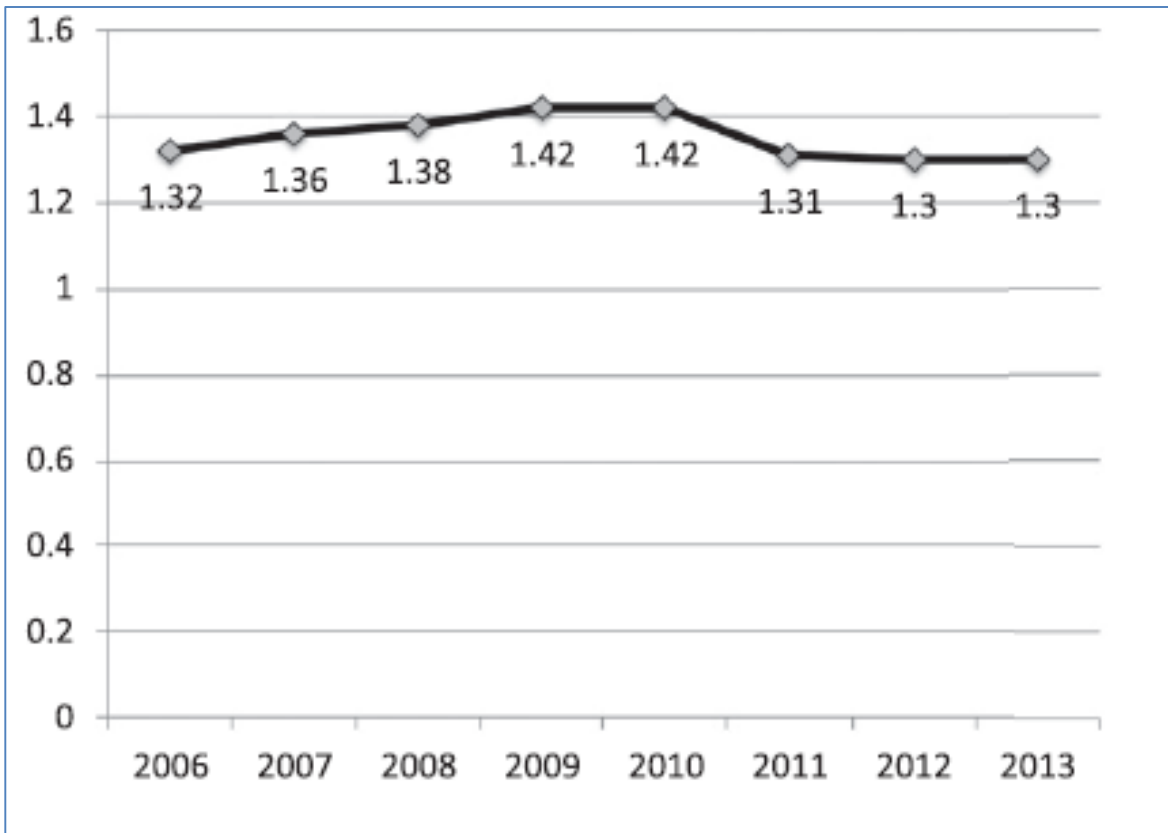


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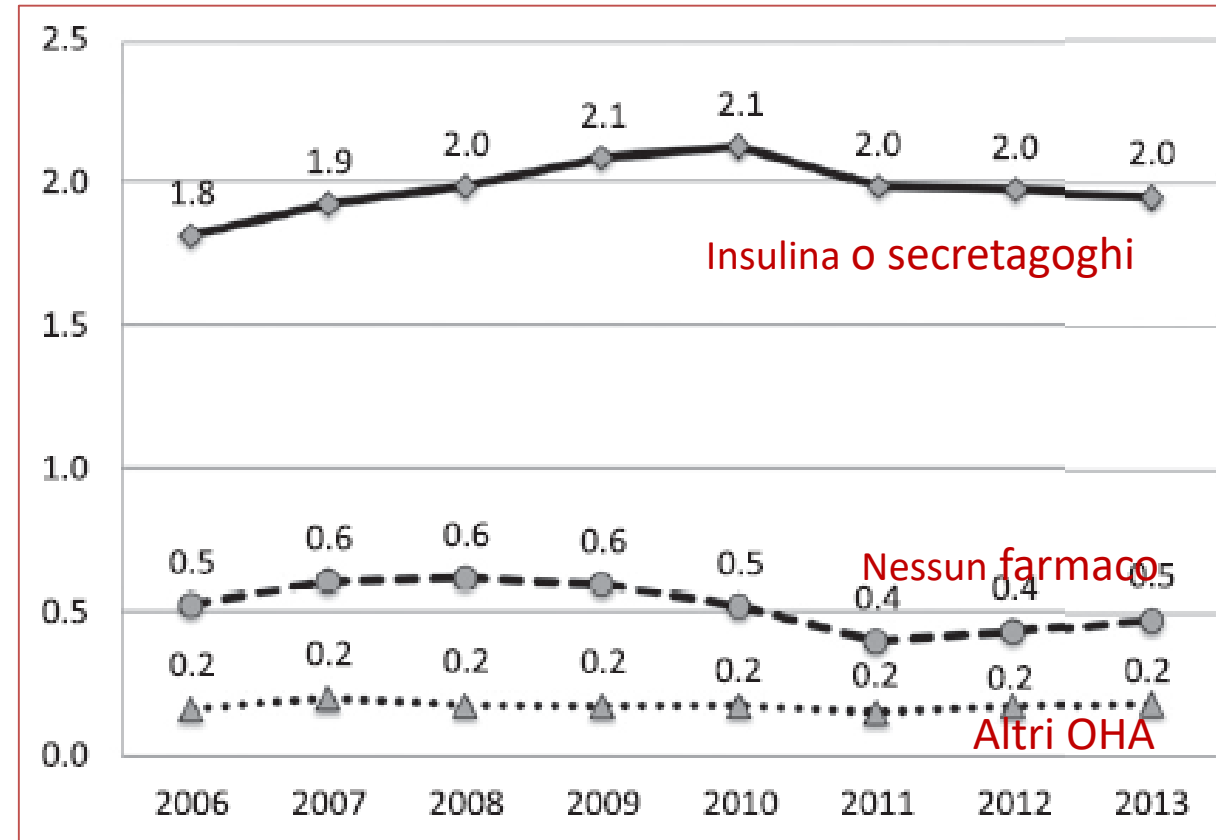


# Tassi di ipoglicemie severe con accesso in PS, osservazione breve o ricovero: 2006- 2013

## Ogni farmaco ipoglicemizzante



## Ipoglicemizzanti specifici



Tasso per 100 persone- anno



# Peso corporeo

# Farmaci in monoterapia: peso corporeo

Compared with metformin,

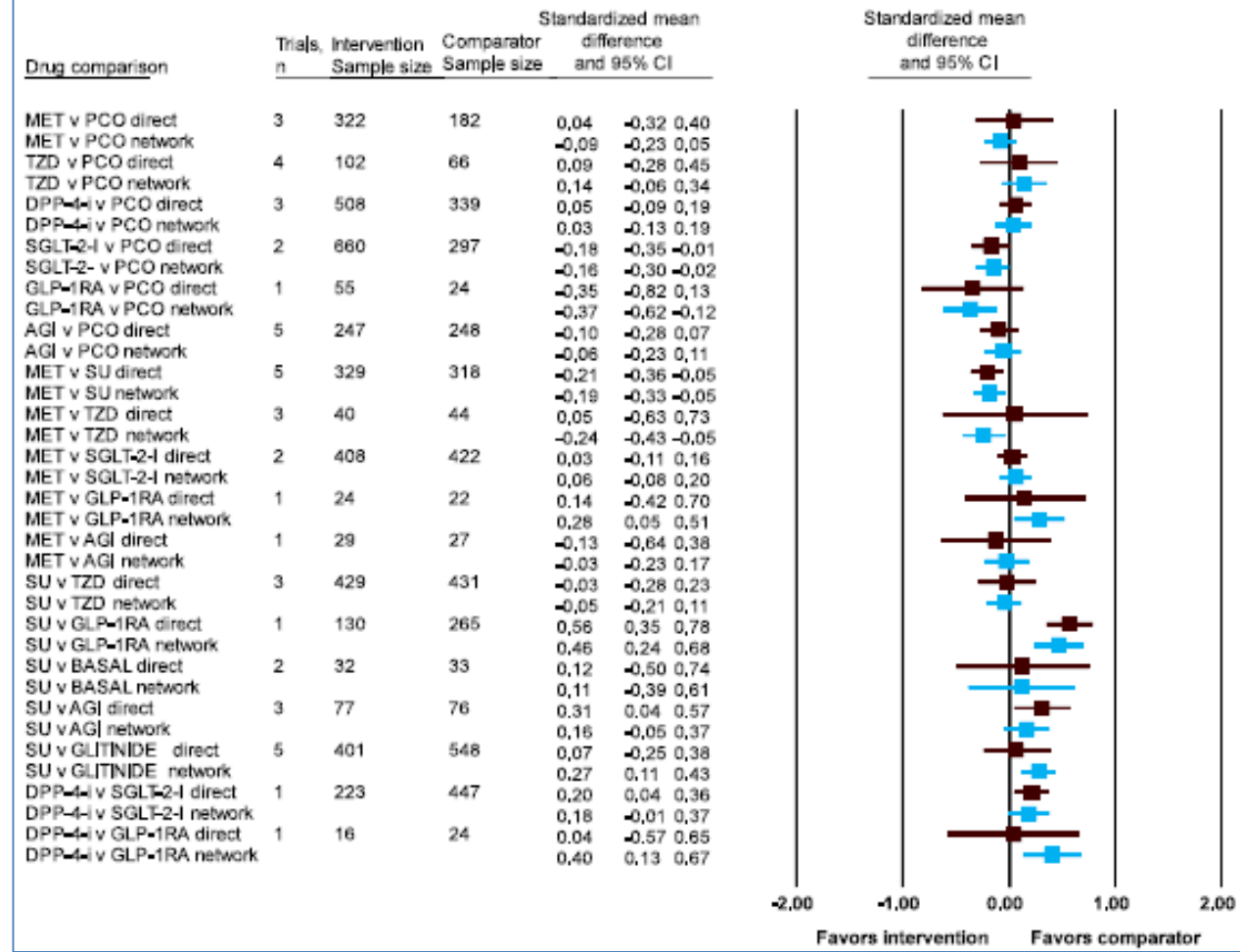
**Lower body weight**

**GLP-1 receptor agonist (SMD, -0.28 [95% CI, -0.52 to -0.04])**

**Higher body weight.**

- **Sulfonylurea (SMD, 0.19 [95%CI, 0.04 to 0.33])**
- **Thiazolidinedione (SMD, 0.24 [95%CI, 0.04 to 0.43])**

Direct and network treatment estimates for body weight - monotherapy

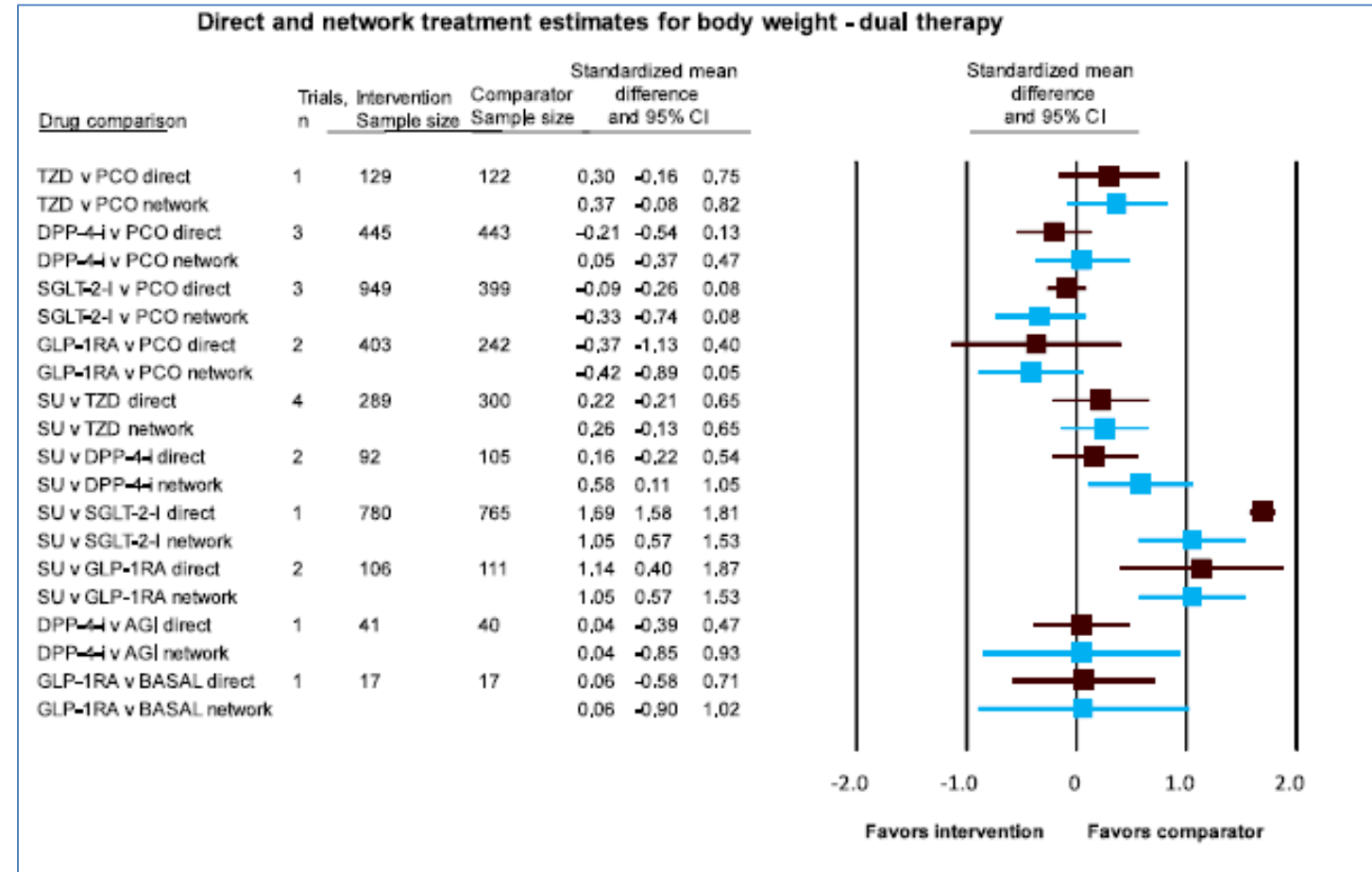


# Farmaci aggiunti a metformina: peso corporeo

**Metformin+sulfonylurea dual therapy was ranked worst** for bodyweight.

Compared with metformin + sulfonylurea treatment,

- **metformin + DPP-4inhibitor** (SMD, **-0.58** [95%CI, -1.06 to -0.11]),
- **metformin + SGLT-2 inhibitor** (SMD, **-0.96** [95%CI, -1.46 to -0.47]),
- **metformin + GLP-1 receptor agonist** (SMD, **-1.05** [95% CI, -1.54 to -0.57]) were associated with significantly lower **body weight** at the end of treatment.



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# Sintesi sugli endpoint solidi

- ❑ No **evidence of differences** in the associations between glucose-lowering drugs alone or in combination with odds of
  - cardiovascular mortality
  - all-cause mortality
  - serious adverse events
  - myocardial infarction
  - stroke
  
- ❑ Considerable uncertainty about the association of drug treatment with **cardiovascular mortality** existed within trial evidence, largely because of **few events** in most available studies.

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# Aggiunta di farmaci alla metformina

- ❑ Sulfonilurea therapy **least** preferred
- ❑ SGLT-2 inhibitors to
  - avoid hypoglycemia
  - minimize treatment failure
- ❑ SGLT-2 inhibitors or GLP-1 receptor agonists
  - for those for whom weight gain is a higher priority

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**Gli studi che hanno dimostrato efficacia  
in prevenzione cv secondaria**



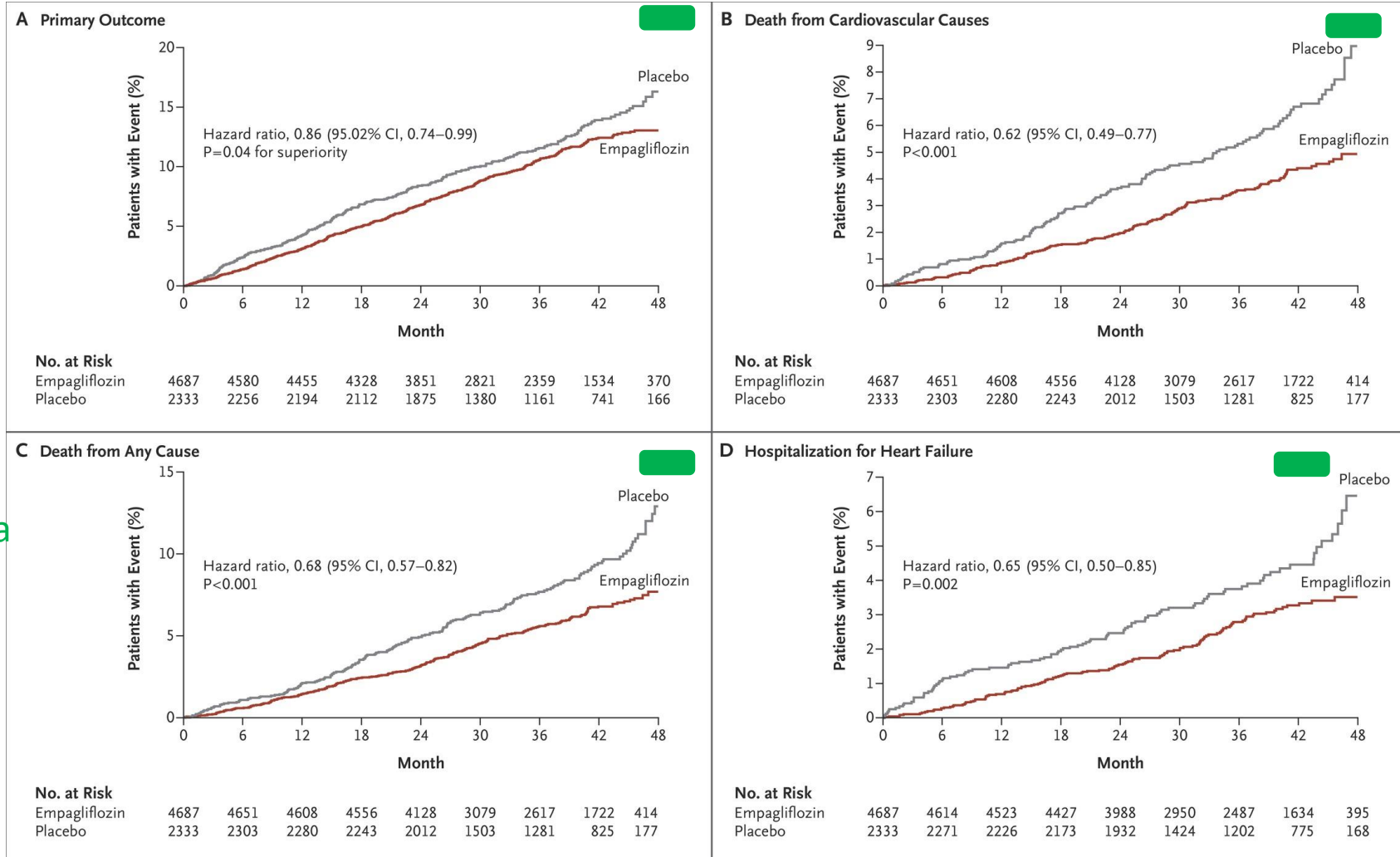
# EMPA-REG OUTCOME: Cardiovascular Outcomes and Death from Any Cause

Outcome primario:  
Morte cv,  
IMA non fatale,  
ictus non fatale

Morte CV

Morte per ogni causa

Ricovero per  
insufficienza cardiaca



Zinman B et al. N Engl J Med 2015;373:2117-2128

# LEADER Primary and Exploratory Outcomes.

Outcome primario:  
Morte cv,  
IMA non fatale,  
ictus non fatale

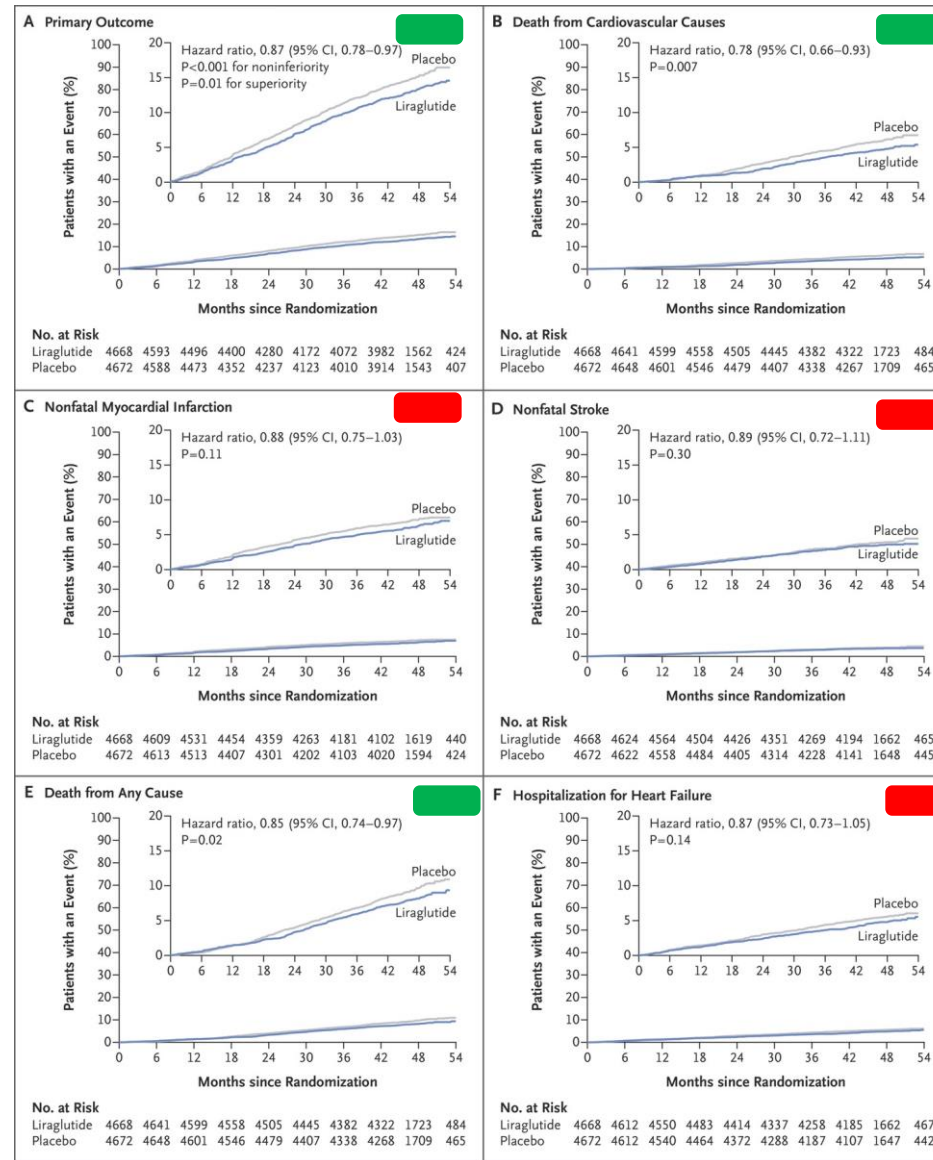
IMA non fatale

Morte per ogni causa

Morte CV

Ictus non fatale

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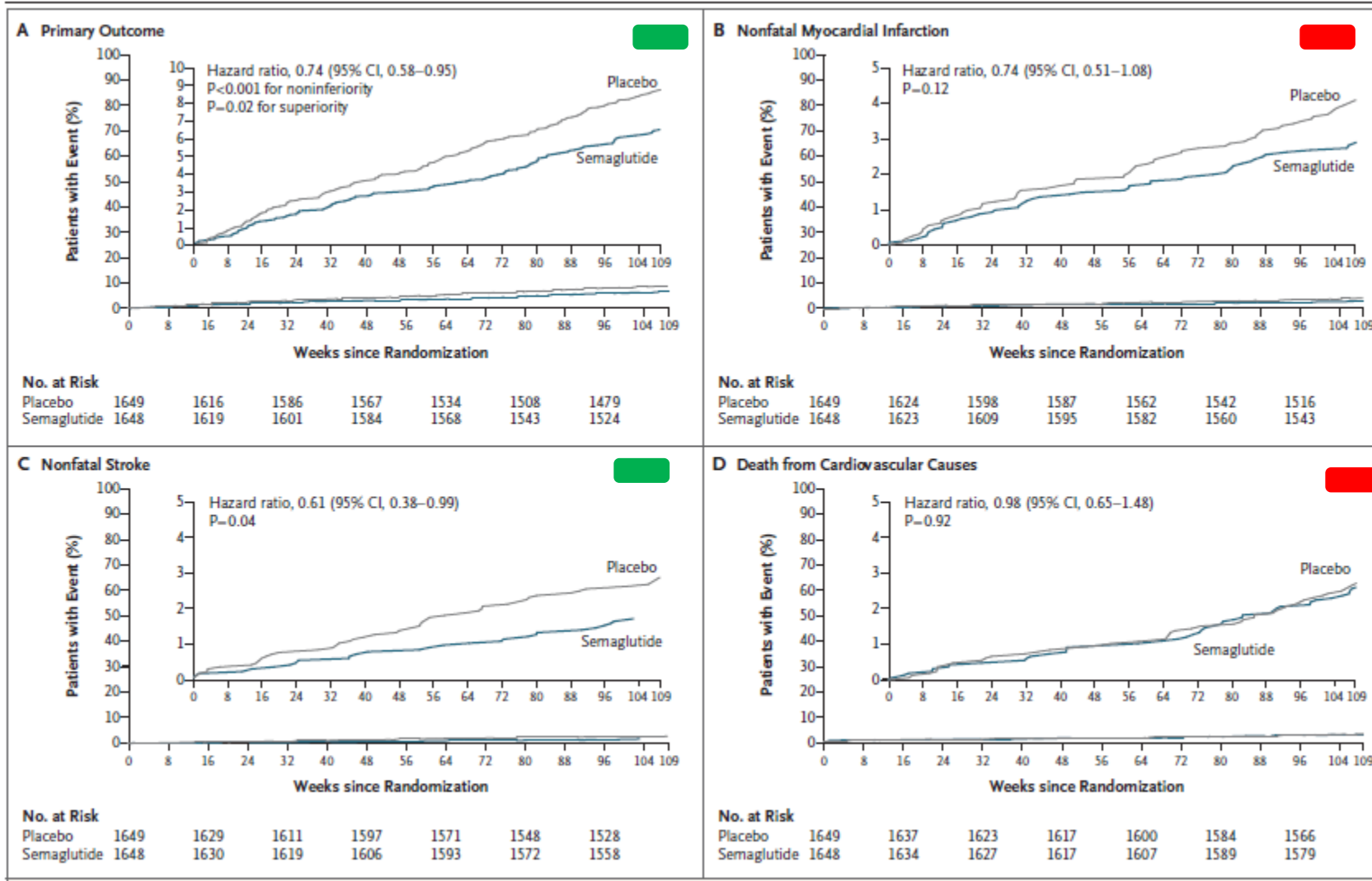
# SUSTAIN-6 Semaglutide and Cardiovascular Outcomes

Outcome primario:  
Morte cv,  
IMA non fatale,  
ictus non fatale

Ictus non fatale

IMA non fatale

Morte per cause CV



# L'era degli algoritmi

# ADA, EASD

Reviews/Commentaries/ADA Statements  
CONSENSUS STATEMENT

## Management of Hyperglycemia in Type 2 Diabetes: A Consensus Statement on the Initiation and Adjustment of Therapy

A consensus statement from the American Diabetes Association and the European Association for the Study of Diabetes

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ROBERT SHERWIN, MD  
BERNARD ZINMAN, MD

Nathan DM Diabetes Care. 2006;29:1963-72.

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Update regarding American Diabetes Study of Diabetes

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POSITION STATEMENT

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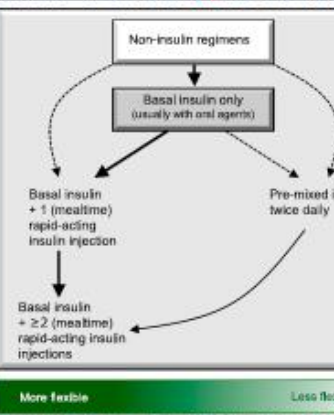
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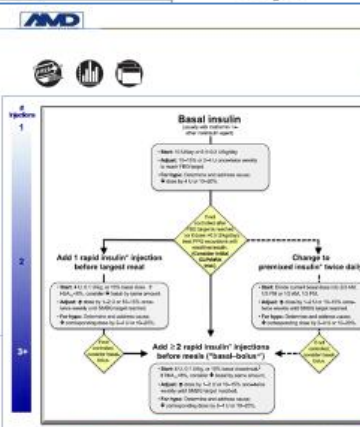
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## Management of Hyperglycemia in Type 2 Diabetes: A Patient-Centered Approach

Approach to management of hyperglycemia: More stringent | Less stringent

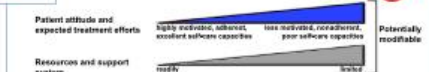
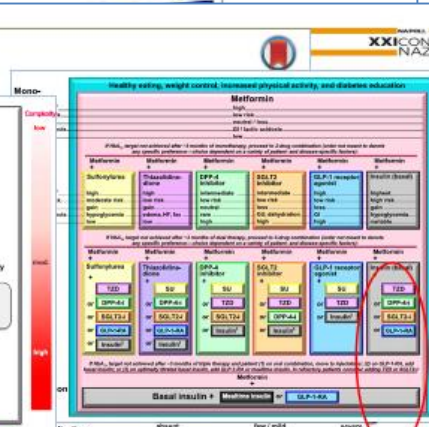


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# Altre associazioni internazionali

The collage features several international diabetes management algorithms:

- L'algoritmo finlandese** (The Finnish algorithm)
- Canadian diabetes association 2008**
- IDF 2010**
- Australian Diabetes Society 2014**
- ACE/ACE DIABETES ALGORITHM For Glycemic Control**
- GLYCEMIC CONTROL ALGORITHM** (ACE/ACE Comprehensive Diabetes Management Algorithm, Endocr Pract. 2015;21)

The ACE/ACE algorithm is the most detailed, showing a flowchart for glycemic control. It starts with **LIFESTYLE MODIFICATION** (including Medically Assisted Weight Loss) and branches based on **Entry A1c** levels:

- Entry A1c < 7.5%:**
  - MONOTHERAPY:** Metformin, GLP-1 RA, SGLT-2i, DPP-4i, AGI, TZD, SU/GLN.
  - DUAL THERAPY:** MET or other 1st-line agent + GLP-1 RA, SGLT-2i, DPP-4i, TZD, Basal Insulin, Colesevelam, Bromocriptine OR AGI, SU/GLN.
- Entry A1c ≥ 7.5%:**
  - TRIPLE THERAPY:** MET or other 1st-line agent + 2nd-line agent + GLP-1 RA, SGLT-2i, TZD, Basal Insulin, DPP-4i, Colesevelam, Bromocriptine OR AGI, SU/GLN.
- Entry A1c > 9.0%:**
  - NO SYMPTOMS:** DUAL Therapy or TRIPLE Therapy.
  - YES SYMPTOMS:** INSULIN ± Other Agents.

Flowchart actions include: "If not at goal in 3 months, proceed to Double Therapy", "If not at goal in 3 months, proceed to Triple Therapy", and "If not at goal in 3 months, proceed to ADD OR INTENSIFY INSULIN. Refer to Insulin Algorithms".

**LEGEND:** ✓ Few adverse events or possible benefits; ⚠ Use with caution.

# Algoritmi italiani

The collage consists of several overlapping slides:

- Standard Italiani 2009**: A slide with an orange background and a grid pattern.
- Standard italiani 2014**: A slide with a blue header and a white body.
- L'algorithmo AMD**: A slide showing a screenshot of a website. It includes a table with columns for 'SUA/NI/MI' and 'Pigiassone' with various colored buttons. Below the table is a section titled 'Note indispens' with a list of bullet points.
  - I flussidi cliccabili con
  - SAGG: l'autoconsua
  - L'Intensivoburata di
  - Glicemia a digiuno\* e
  - Glicemia post-prandia
  - Consuetudine dell'ob
- AIFA**: A slide showing the AIFA website interface. It features a navigation bar with links like 'Gede', 'Contatti', and 'Posta Elettronica Certificata'. Below is a grid of algorithm selection options: 'TARGET GLICEMICO', 'TERAPIA (NO METFORMINA)', and 'TERAPIA'.



# Perché gli algoritmi?

## Il problema

- ❑ I farmaci sono sempre più costosi
  - Tecnologie sofisticate
  - Sperimentazioni complesse
  - Requisiti di registrazione rigorosi
  - Grandi investimenti
  - Grandi guadagni

## L'ipotesi di soluzione: step therapy

- ❑ Iniziare con farmaco economico
  - Certificazione di inadeguato beneficio
  - Certificazione di effetti collaterali
- ❑ Aggiungere o sostituire con farmaco più costoso

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# Pro e contro degli algoritmi

## Pro

- ❑ Algoritmi fondati su EBM
- ❑ Migliorano la qualità della cura

## Contro

- ❑ Poche prove
- ❑ Scarsa attenzione alle prove
- ❑ Enfasi sui costi piuttosto che sui risultati

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# I limiti della step therapy

## Idiosincrasie

**Pz NON a target** per controllo glicemico



Proseguire e rinforzare  
l'intervento sullo stile di  
vita  
+  
metformina  
Controllo a 3 mesi

Paziente intollerante/con  
controindicazione a metformina  
dopo verifica della tolleranza  
anche alla metformina  
a rilascio prolungato

## Medicina di precisione

Clinical Medicine 2016 Vol 16, No 5: 441-7

DRUG THERAPIES IN...

**Drug therapies in type 2 diabetes: an era of  
personalised medicine**

Authors: Tahseen A Chowdhury<sup>A</sup> and Paul Grant<sup>B</sup>

Diabetologia

DOI 10.1007/s00125-017-4227-1

REVIEW

**Pharmacogenetics in type 2 diabetes: precision medicine  
or discovery tool?**

Jose C. Florez<sup>1,2,3,4,5</sup>

# I contendenti

## Industria farmaceutica

- ❑ Spinta per l'utilizzo di nuovi farmaci costosi:
  - Medici prescrittori
  - Pazienti
  - Mezzi diversi

## Pagatori

- ❑ Budget limitati
- ❑ End points solidi
- ❑ Rapporto costo/efficacia

## Gruppi di difesa dei pazienti

- ❑ Singoli pazienti non possono avere farmaci per loro indispensabili

**E' possibile risolvere queste problematiche con interventi legislativi?**

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# Le motivazioni della step therapy

- ❑ Non sempre le linee guida sono seguite

- ❑ Molte scelte terapeutiche sono inutilmente costose

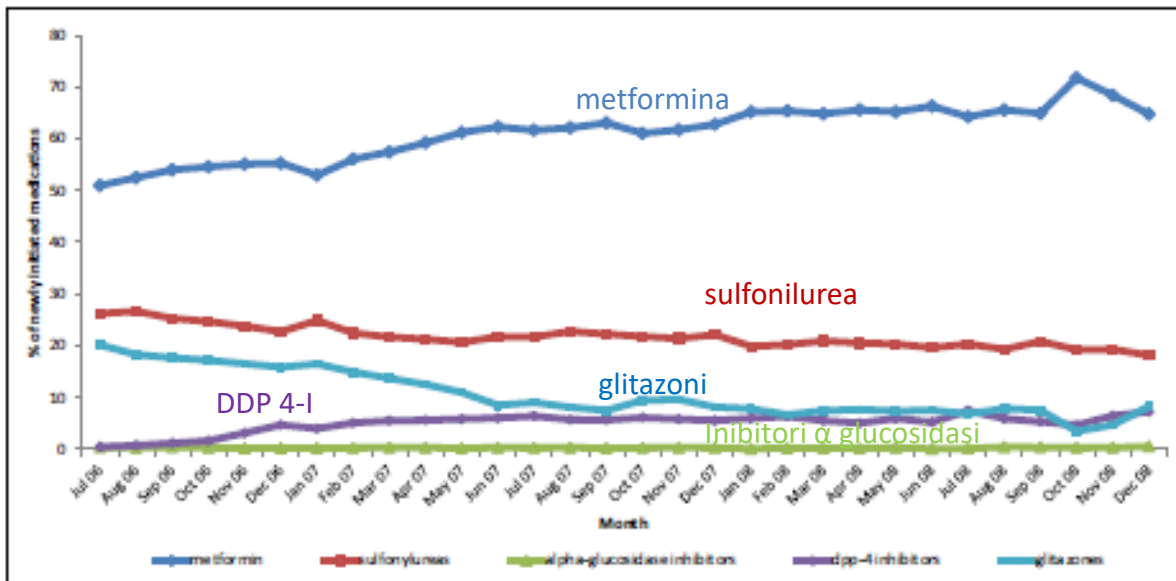


Figure 2 Temporal trends in medication initiation by therapeutic class, July 2006 to December 2008.

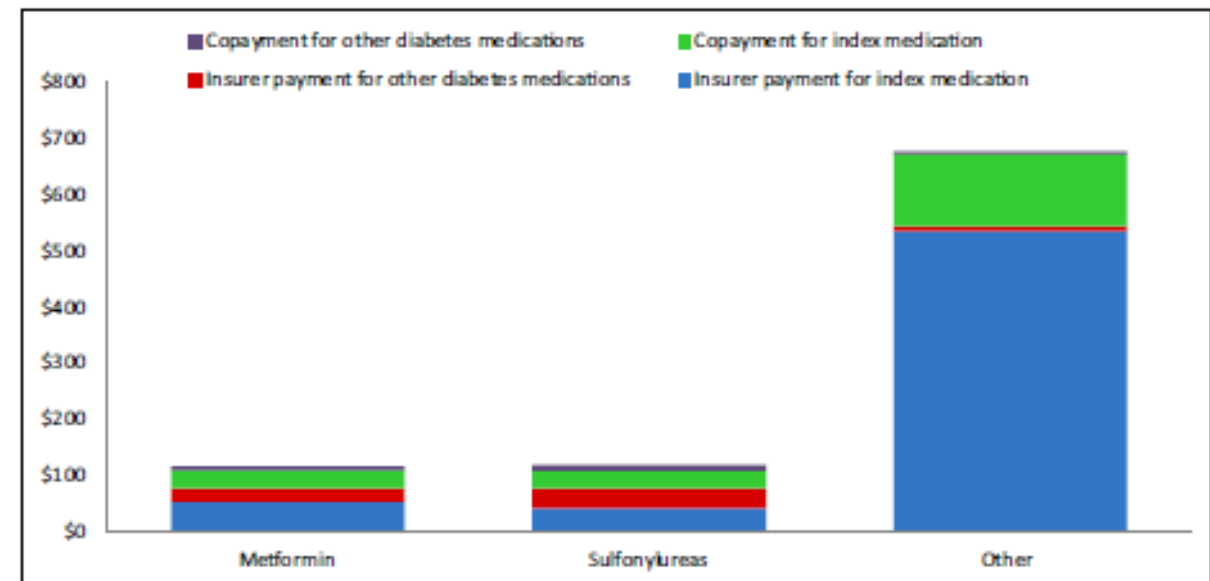


Figure 4 Total patient and insurer spending during 6 months after initiation stratified by class of medication on which patients were started.

# Implementazione della step therapy

- ❑ Agente preferito nell'ambito di una classe terapeutica (equivalente vs. brand nella stessa classe)
- ❑ Farmaci di classi diverse con meccanismi di azione simili ( pari efficacia dimostrata EBM)
- ❑ Sequenza di farmaci diversi per una specifica patologia (necessità di studi di efficacia comparativa)

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# Aspetti problematici della step therapy

## Algoritmo ottimale

- ❑ Disegnato con intelligenza
- ❑ Attuato con intelligenza
- ❑ Fondato sulla EBM
- ❑ Con ragionevoli previsioni di eccezioni



- ❑ Prescrizione razionale
- ❑ Controllo dei costi
- ❑ Cure efficaci basate sui dati

## Algoritmo nocivo

- ❑ Non basato su prove
- ❑ Attuato con rigidità



- ❑ Inefficacia e rischio nei singoli pazienti

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# Conclusioni

# Piani terapeutici: limitazione alla rimborsabilità

## Incretine

1. Fallimento terapeutico, livelli di HbA1c  $\geq 7.5\%$  (58 mmol/mol)<sup>6</sup>, alla dose massima tollerata della terapia ipoglicemizzante corrente e dopo adeguata e documentata modifica dello stile di vita (dieta e attività fisica);
2. HbA1c  $\leq 8.5\%$  (69 mmol/mol), cioè un livello dal quale sia ragionevole raggiungere il target desiderato con l'aggiunta del nuovo farmaco,
3. Rischio di ipoglicemie severe o comunque condizionanti le attività quotidiane che sconsigli l'utilizzo di altre classi di ipoglicemizzanti. Conseguentemente la rimborsabilità dell'associazione con sulfoniluree è limitata esclusivamente ai casi di controindicazione o intolleranza alla metformina.
  - ❑ *Consigliabile un target glicemico meno stringente<sup>1,2,7</sup>, il livello di HbA1c di cui al punto (2) può estendersi al 9% (75 mmol/mol).*
  - ❑ *La prescrizione in monoterapia di sitagliptin, vildagliptin, saxagliptin, linagliptin è rimborsata limitatamente ai pazienti con insufficienza renale cronica moderata-severa (il principio attivo alogliptin non è indicato in monoterapia);<sup>1</sup>*
  - ❑ *La rimborsabilità in associazione a insulina è limitata ai casi indicati nel piano terapeutico e alla sola insulina basale.*

**AIFA Piano terapeutico per l'utilizzo appropriato dei farmaci "incretino-mimetici" nel diabete tipo 2**

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## Inibitori SGLT-2

1. In monoterapia, nei pazienti intolleranti alla metformina nei quali l'utilizzo di un diverso ipoglicemizzante risulti controindicato o non appropriato.
2. In associazione a metformina (duplice terapia), nei casi in cui l'utilizzo di un diverso ipoglicemizzante risulti controindicato o non appropriato.
3. In associazione a insulina, con o senza metformina.

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## Un algoritmo terapeutico può essere stabilito per legge?

- ❑ La step therapy è un modello di appropriatezza
- ❑ Efficacia e risparmio in prospettiva per gli stessi pazienti (cittadini- utenti)
- ❑ Le sfumature cliniche ed economiche che guidano una prescrizione ottimale sono molteplici
- ❑ Sistema troppo complesso per essere normato rigidamente, con poche regole

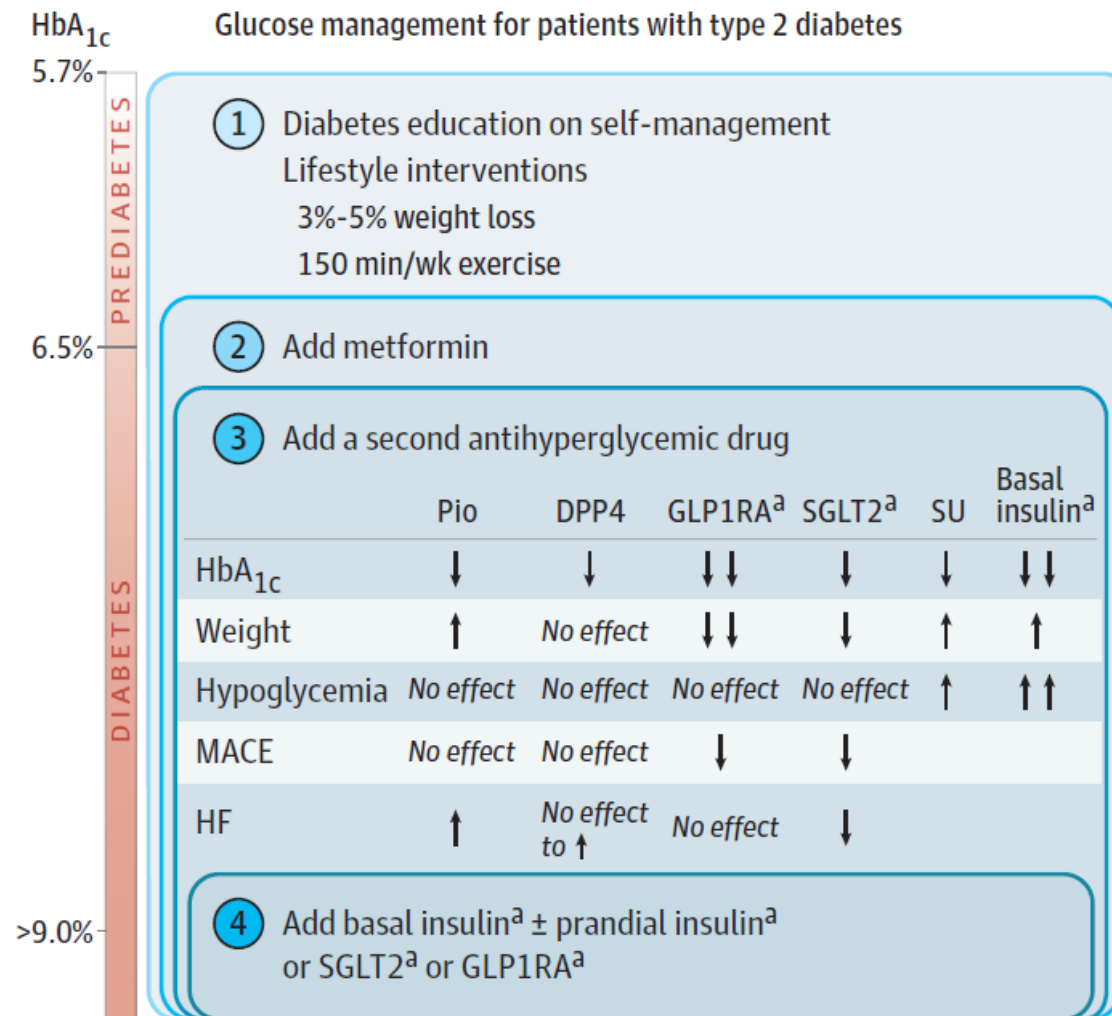
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# Che cosa si può fare?

- ❑ Uso di EBM «vera», contrapposta a pressioni commerciali su medici, pazienti e legislatori
- ❑ Educazione dei medici alla conoscenza dei farmaci e all'appropriatezza, non sottomissione a regole rigide stabilite da altri
- ❑ Controllo dell'aderenza alla terapia, per evidenziare l'inefficacia reale
- ❑ Visione della terapia nella prospettiva della salute globale, attuale e futura
- ❑ Criteri chiari per la rimborsabilità dei farmaci
- ❑ Processi di autorizzazione automatizzati e semplici
- ❑ Richieste di eccezioni automatizzate e semplici

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# Uno schema semplice



# Cui prodest? Cui nocet?

## Cui prodest?

- ❑ Cultura
- ❑ Pensiero critico
- ❑ Appropriatelyzza
- ❑ Utilizzo razionale delle risorse
- ❑ Sensibilizzazione del paziente al valore (anche economico) delle cure che riceve

## Cui nocet?

- ❑ Carico burocratico
- ❑ Rapporto medico/ paziente

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