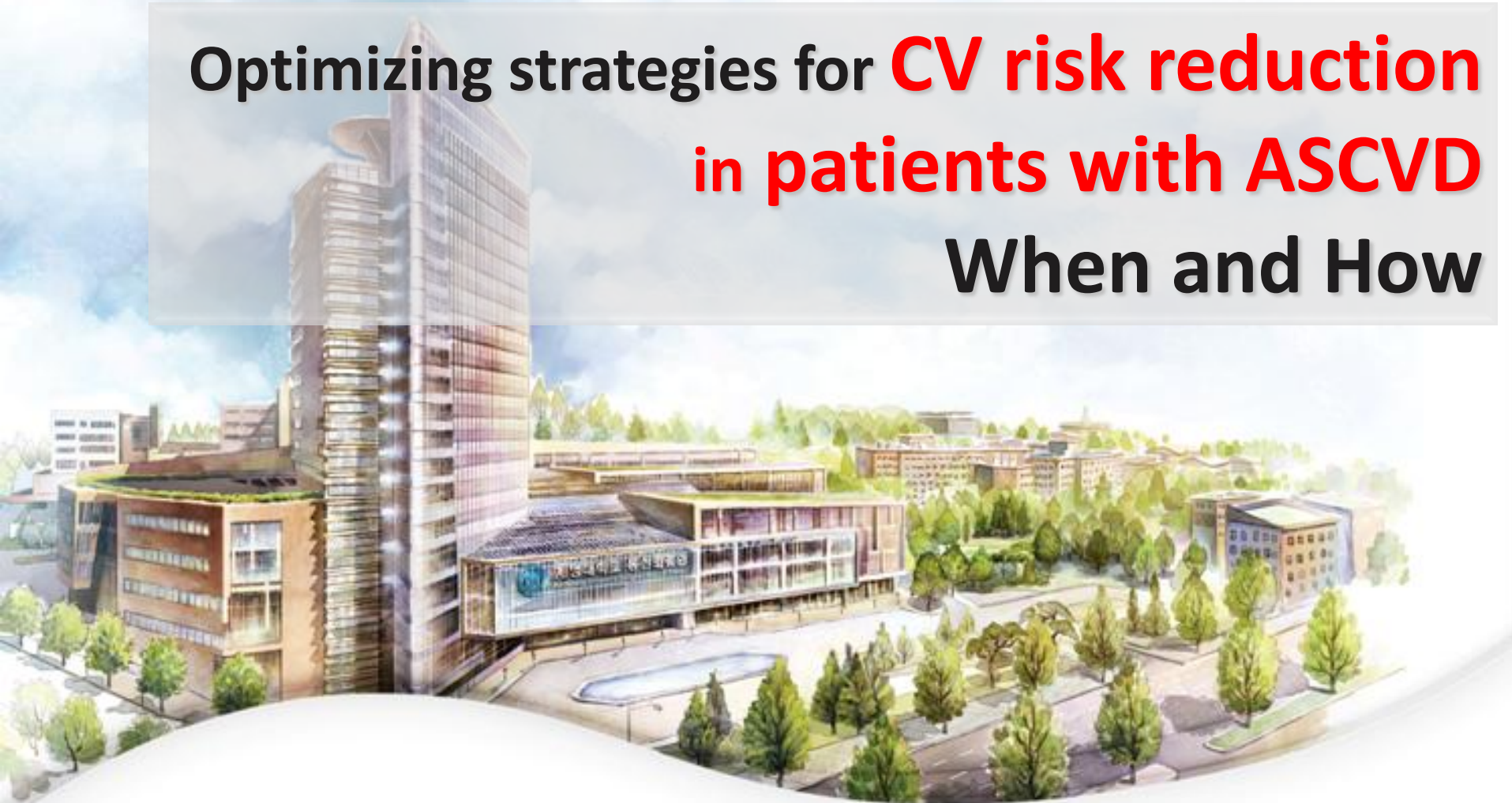




Optimizing strategies for **CV risk reduction** in **patients with ASCVD** When and How



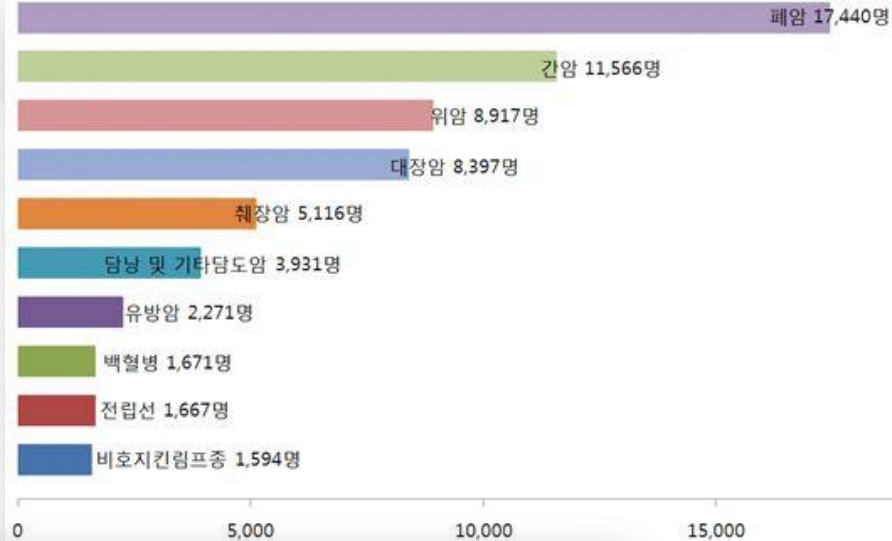
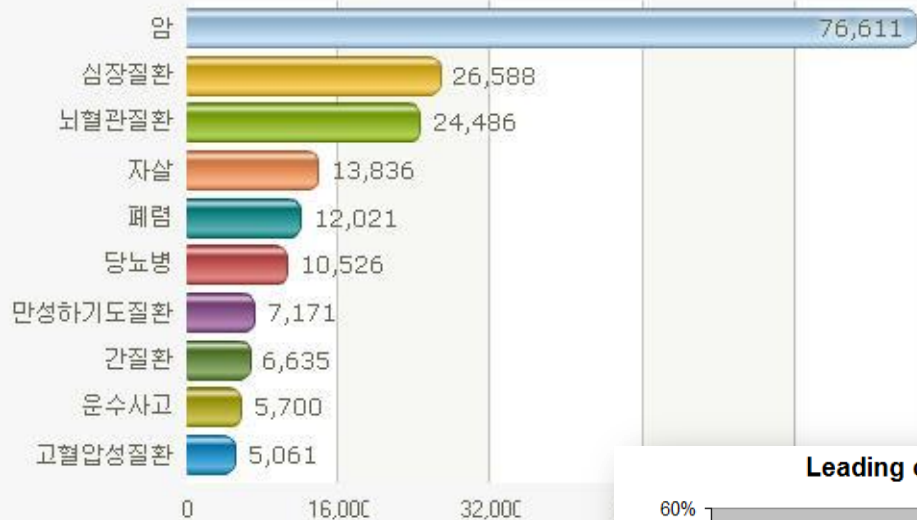
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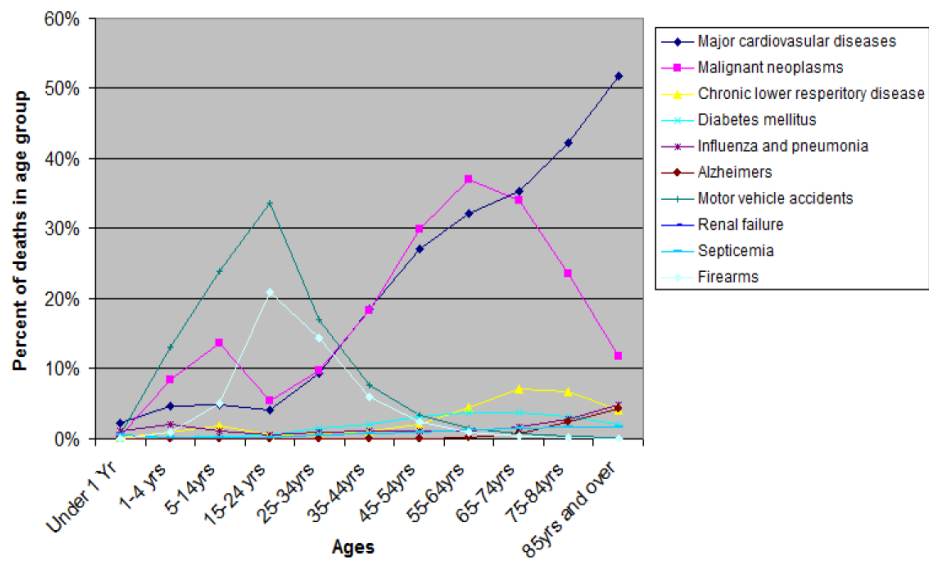


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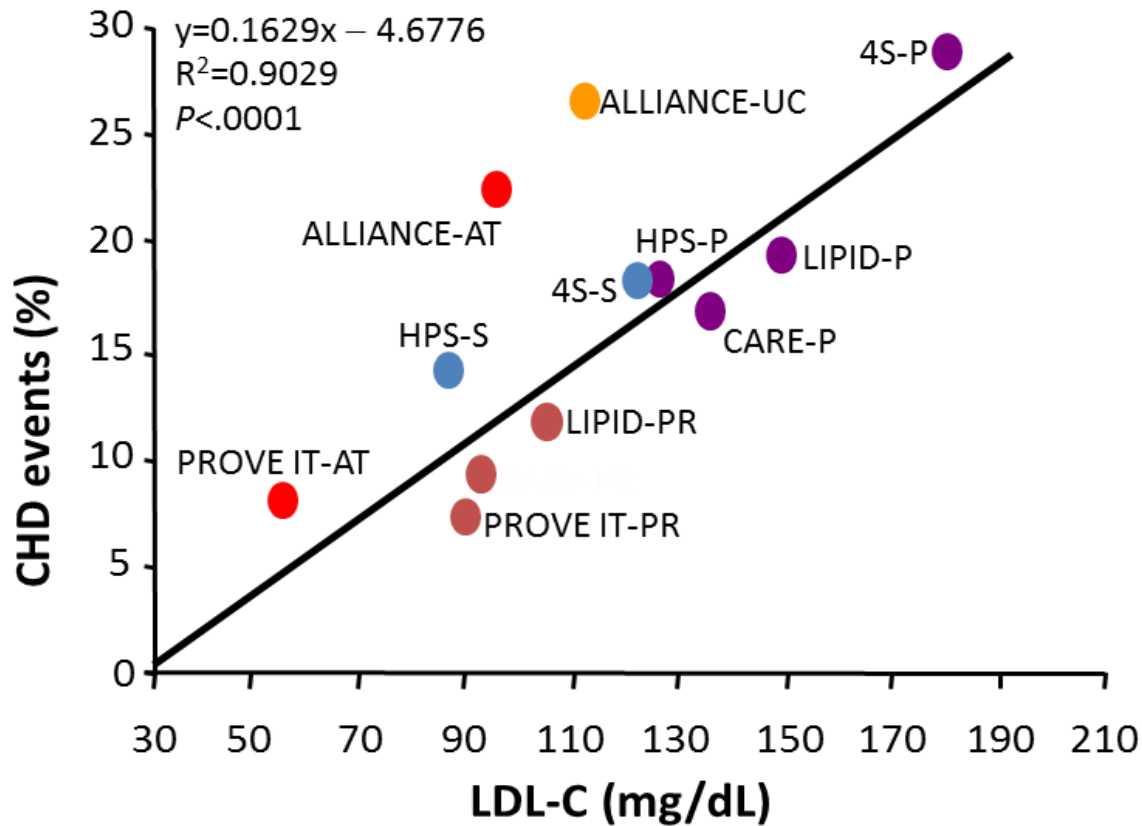
- 01.** Lipid Management for Proven ASCVD & Background
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Lipid Management for Proven ASCVD & Background

Statin Therapy: Secondary Prevention Trials



● Atorvastatin

● Pravastatin

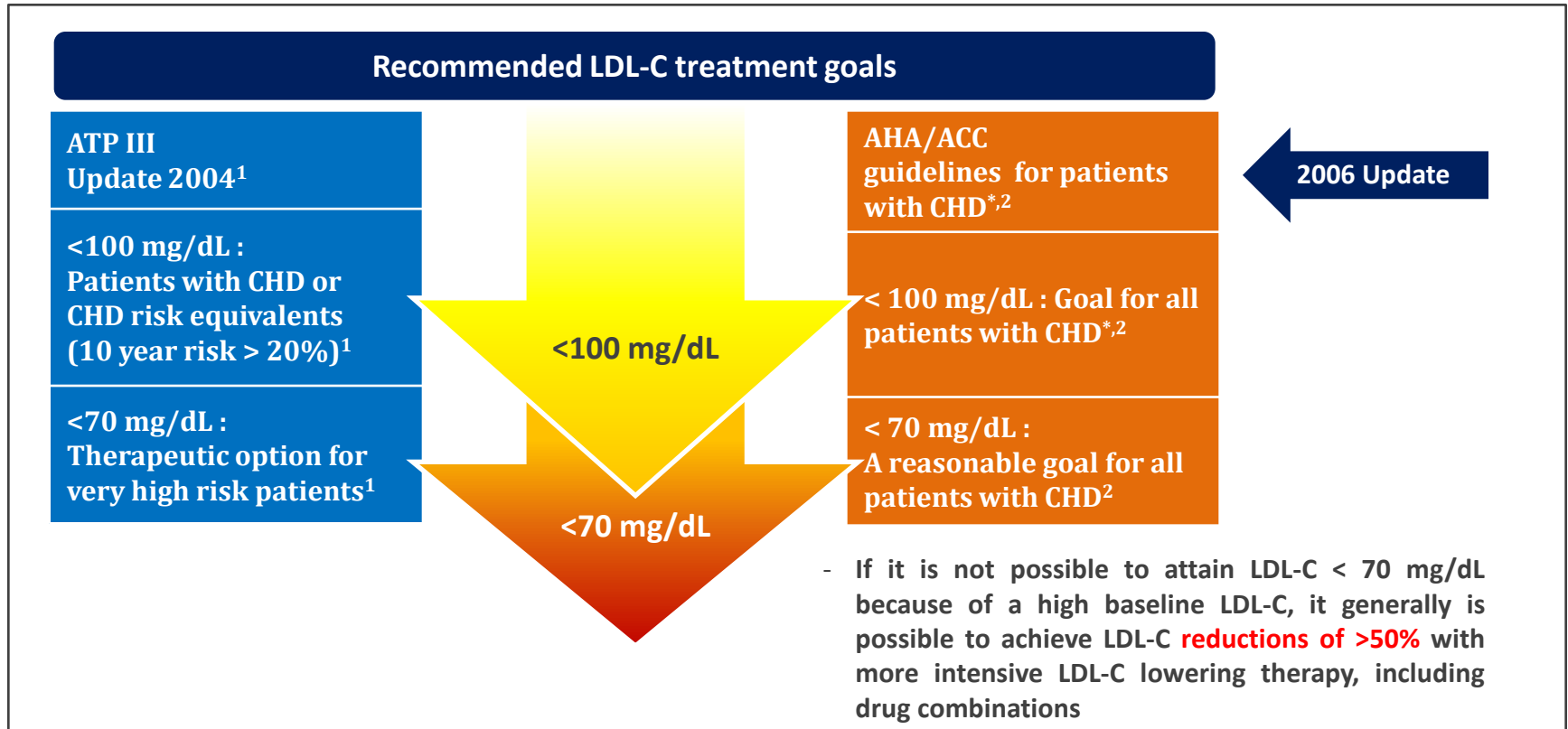
● Simvastatin

● Usual care

● Placebo

Treat to goal paradigm

- LDL was the primary target.
- Treat to goal was more aggressive.



† Factors that place a patient at very high risk: established cardiovascular disease plus: multiple major risk actors (especially diabetes); severe and poorly controlled risk factors (e.g., cigarette smoking); metabolic syndrome (triglycerides ≥ 200 mg/dL + non-HDL-C ≥ 130 mg/dL with HDL-C < 40 mg/dL); and acute coronary syndromes.^{1*} And other forms of atherosclerotic disease.²

1. Grundy SM et al. *Circulation* 2004;110:227–239.

2. Smith SC Jr et al. *Circulation* 2006; 113:2363–2372.

Adapted from Wang CY, et al. *Trends Mol Med* 2008;14:37–44.

Treat to goal paradigm

Treatment group

**2013 ACC/AHA
guideline¹**

Clinical ASCVD

LDL-C \geq 190 mg/dL

Diabetes without clinical ASCVD

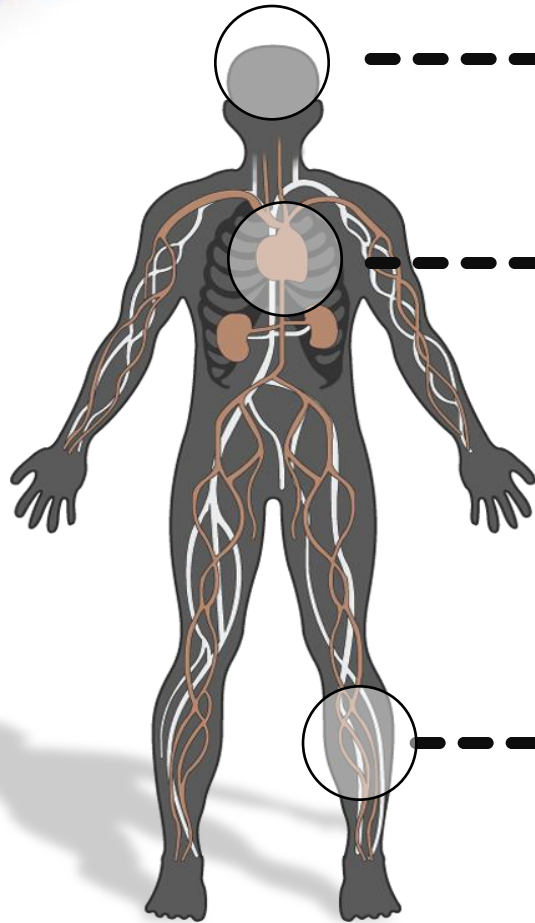
**10-year ASCVD risk \geq 7.5%
(Pooled Cohort Equations)**

**2014
NICE guideline²**

People with CVD

**People without CVD and 10-year CV risk \geq 10%
(QRISK 2 assessment tool)**

Clinical AtheroSclerotic CardioVascular Disease



-----> **Stroke or TIA presumed to be of atherosclerotic origin**

-----> **Stable CHD : history of MI, stable angina, coronary revascularization**
Acute CHD : Acute coronary syndrome

-----> **Peripheral arterial disease or revascularization**

Evidence in 2013 ACC/AHA guideline update



Clinical ASCVD

Yes →

Age ≤ 75 y → High-intensity statin
(if not candidate → Moderate-intensity statin)

Evidence statement 6

In adult with CHD/CVD, fixed high intensity statin treatment (atorvastatin 40-80 mg) that achieved a mean LDL-C 67-79 mg/dL reduced the RR for CHD/CVD events more than fixed lower-dose statin treatment that achieved a mean LDL-C 97-102 mg/dL. In these trials, the mean LDL-C levels achieved differed by 23-30 mg/dL, or 22%-30%, between the 2 groups. Simvastatin 80 mg did not decrease CVD events compared with simvastatin 20-40 mg

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Secondary Prevention

Benefit:

TNT(46), IDEAL(47), PROVE-IT(48)

Lower LDL-C reduction, no benefit : A-Z(119), ACCORD(14)

No difference in LDL-C between groups : (SEARCH (128) not included in CQ1)

Clinical ASCVD: Stable CHD

TNT

10,001 Patients aged 35 to 75 years with stable CHD

Atorvastatin 10 mg/day

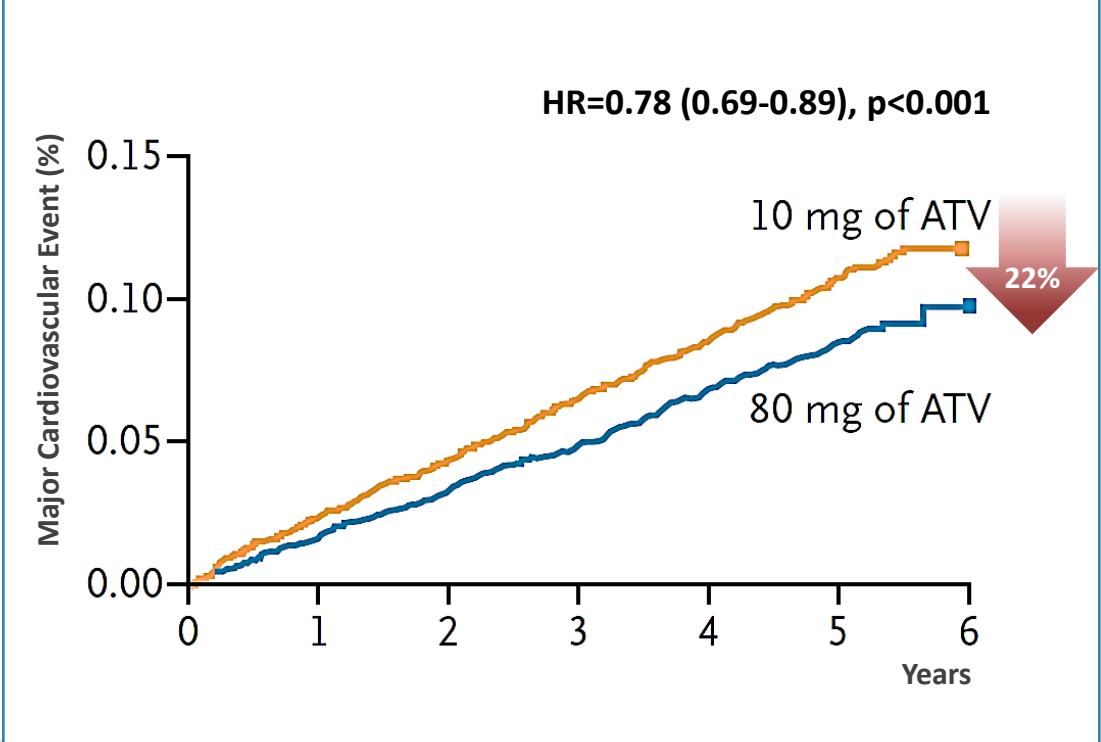
Atorvastatin 80 mg/day

- Primary endpoint : CHD death, nonfatal MI, resuscitated cardiac arrest, or stroke
- Median follow-up = 4.9 years

Change of LDL-cholesterol

	Atorvastatin 80 mg	Atorvastatin 10 mg
N	4,995	5,006
Baseline median, mg/dl	97±18	98±18
End of follow-up mean, mg/dl	77	101
LDL-C difference (mg/dL)(%)	-20(-21%)	3(3%)

Primary endpoint



Clinical ASCVD: ACS

IDEAL

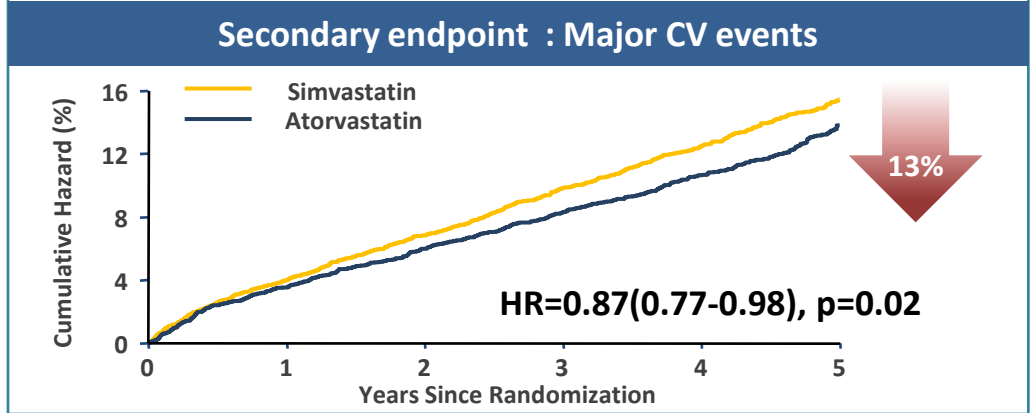
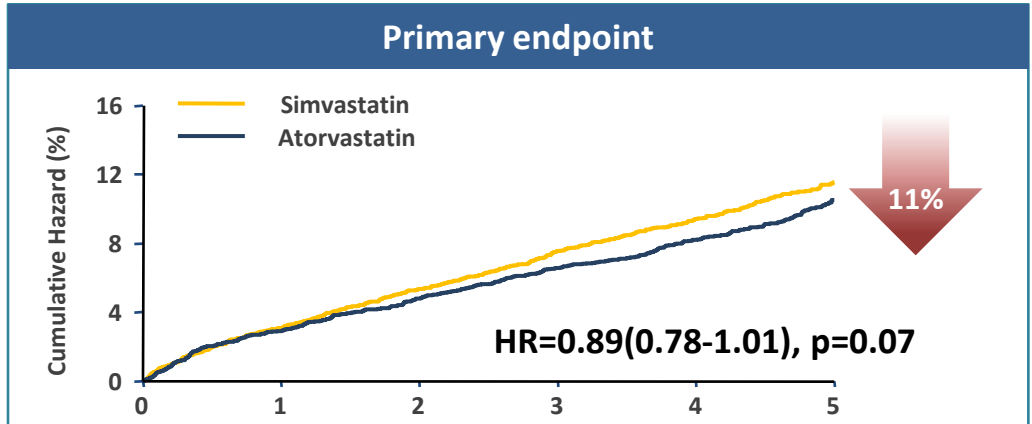
8,888 CHD Patients aged ≤ 80 years with AMI

Simvastatin 20-40 mg/day

Atorvastatin 10-80 mg/day

- Primary endpoint : CHD death, non fatal AMI, resuscitated cardiac arrest
- Mean follow-up = 4.8 years

Change of LDL-cholesterol		
	Atorvastatin 10-80 mg	Simvastatin 20-40 mg
N	4,438	4,425
Baseline median, mg/dl	121.6	121.4
End of follow-up mean, mg/dl	80.0	99.8
LDL-C difference (mg/dL)(%)	42(-34%)	21(-17%)



Clinical ASCVD: ACS

PROVE-IT

4,162 Patients aged ≥ 18 years with ACS

Pravastatin 40 mg/day

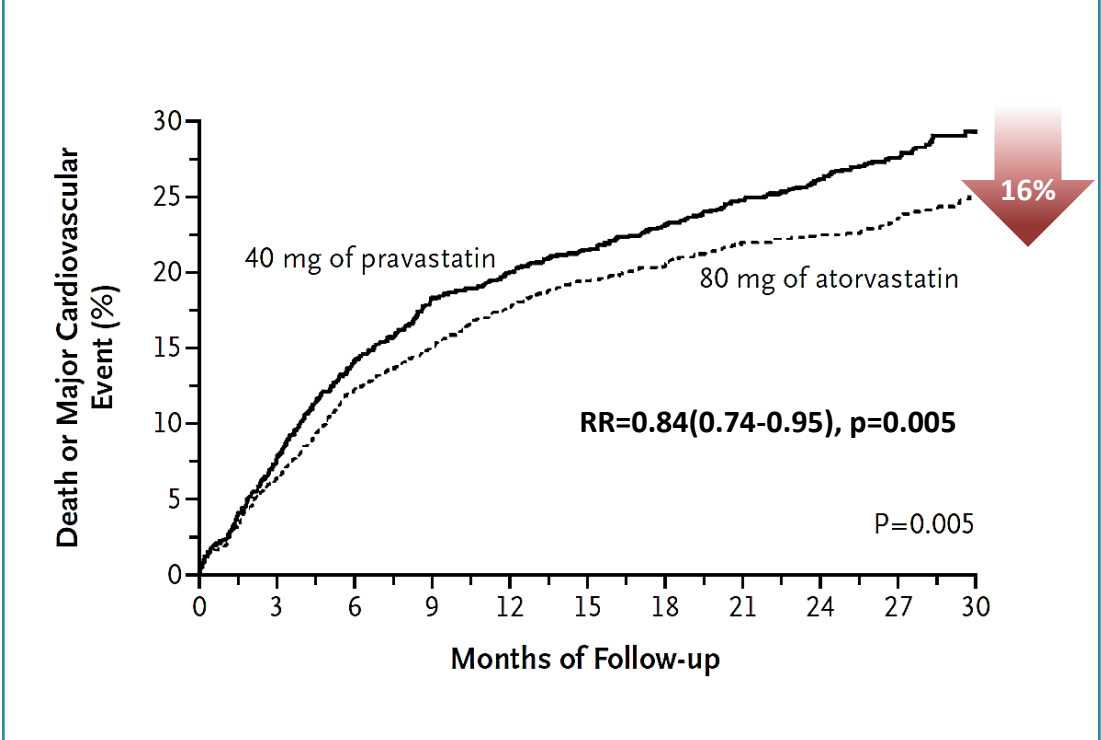
Atorvastatin 80 mg/day

- Primary endpoint : Death, MI, documented UA requiring rehospitalization, revascularization
- Mean follow-up = 24 months

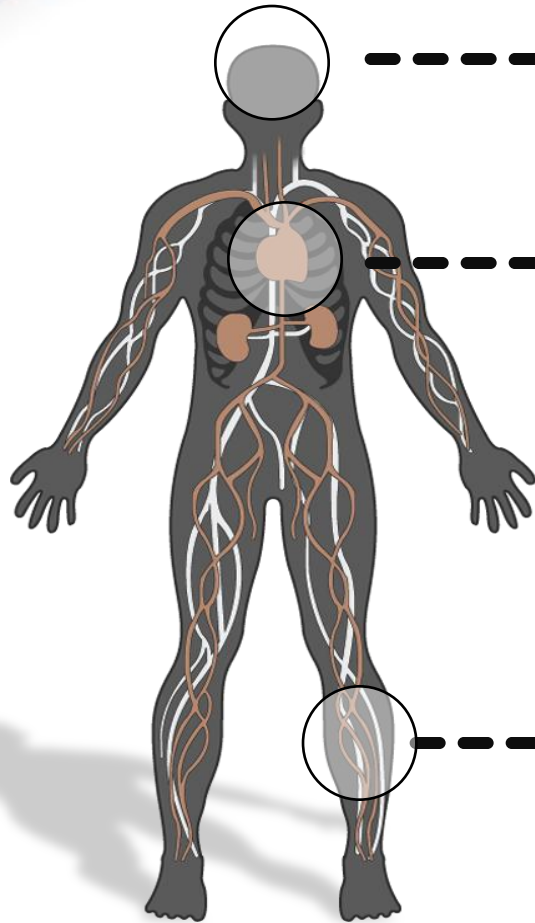
Change of LDL-cholesterol

	Atorvastatin 80 mg	Pravastatin 40 mg
N	2,099	2,063
Baseline median, mg/dl	106	106
End of follow-up mean, mg/dl	62	95
LDL-C difference (mg/dL)(%)	-44(-42%)	-11(-10%)

Primary endpoint



Clinical AtheroSclerotic CardioVascular Disease



Stroke or TIA presumed to be of atherosclerotic origin

Stable CHD : history of MI, stable angina, coronary revascularization
Acute CHD : Acute coronary syndrome

Peripheral arterial disease or revascularization

Clinical ASCVD: Stroke

SPARCL

4,731 Patients aged ≥ 18 years with stroke or TIA within 6 months

Placebo

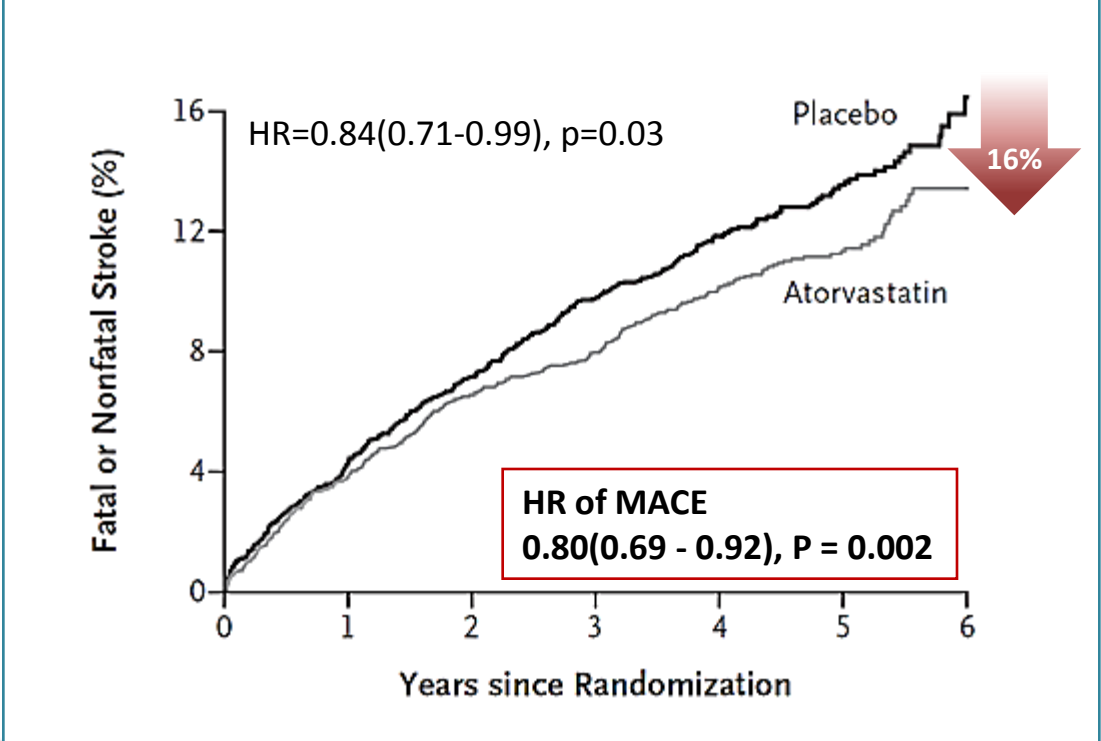
Atorvastatin 80 mg/day

- Primary endpoint : nonfatal or fatal stroke
- Median follow-up = 4.9 years

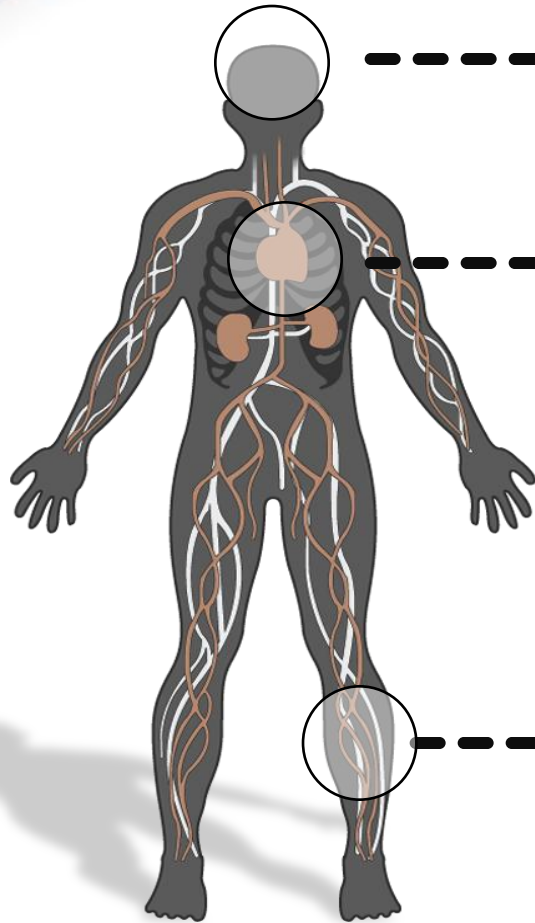
Change of LDL-cholesterol

	Atorvastatin 80 mg	Placebo
N	2,365	2,366
Baseline median, mg/dl	132.7 \pm 0.5	133.7 \pm 0.5
End of follow-up mean, mg/dl	73	129
LDL-C difference (mg/dL)(%)	-60(-45%)	-4(-3%)

Primary endpoint



Clinical AtheroSclerotic CardioVascular Disease



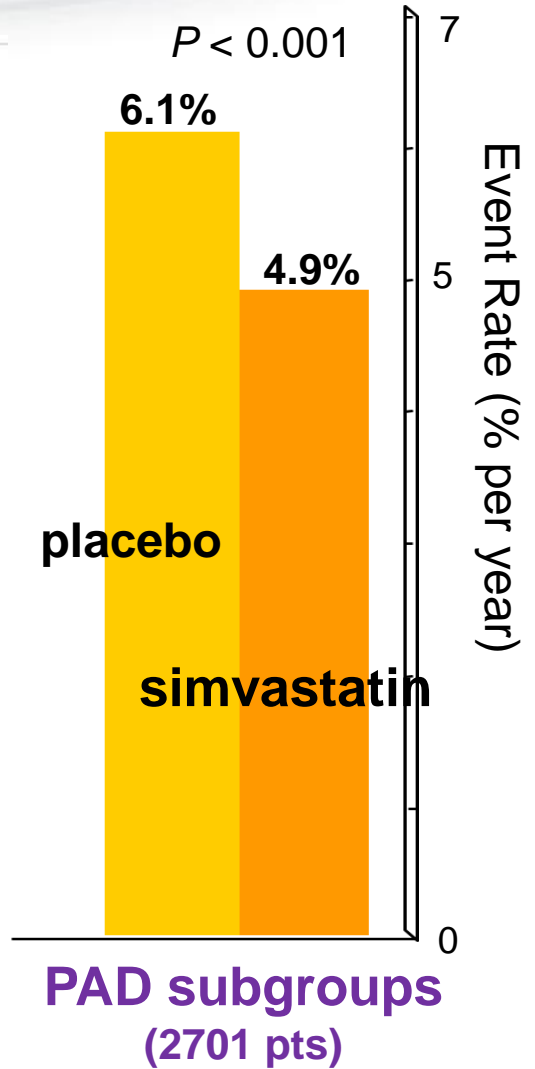
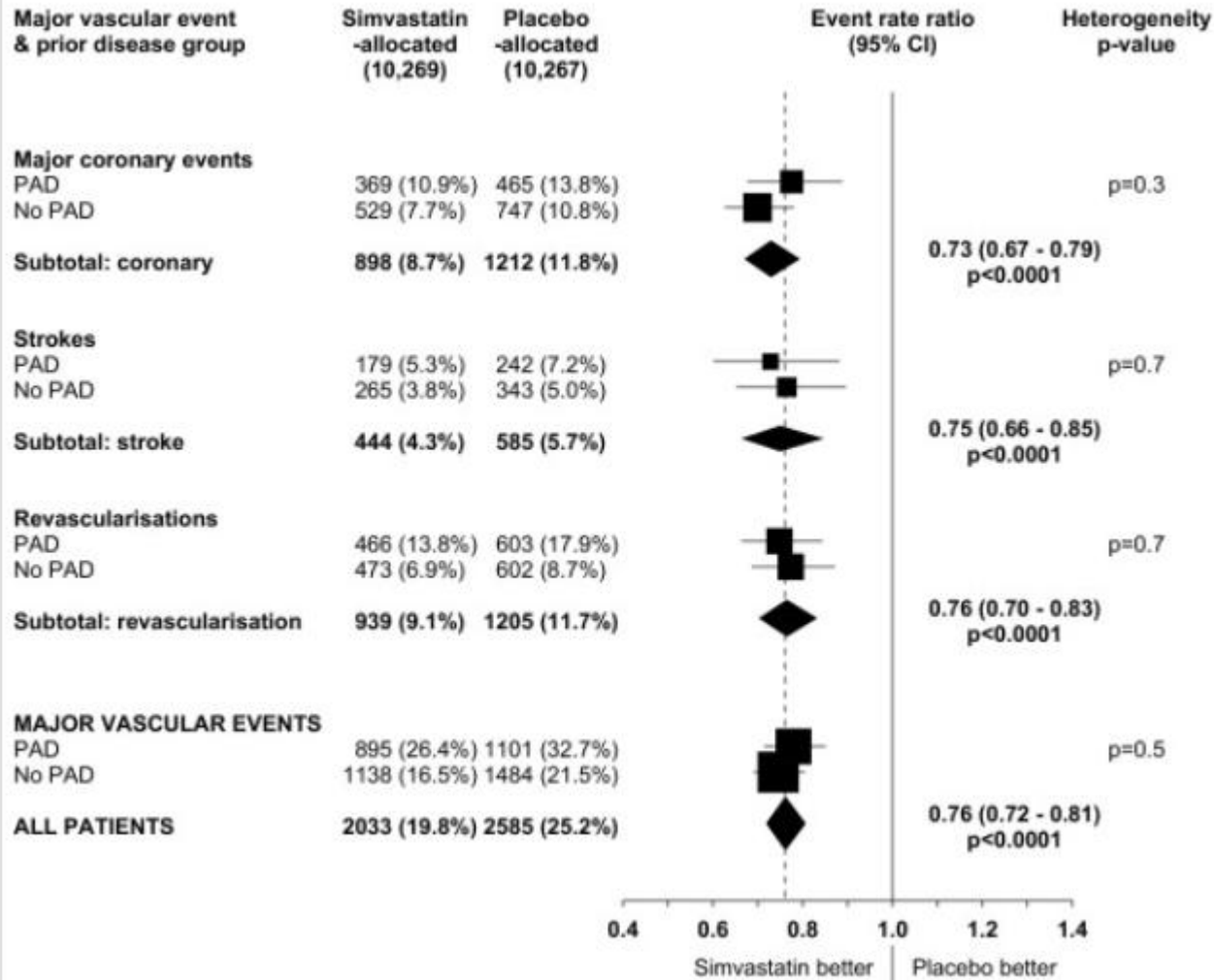
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Clinical ASCVD: PAD

HPS



Recommendation Dose of Statin

Group 1

Clinical ASCVD

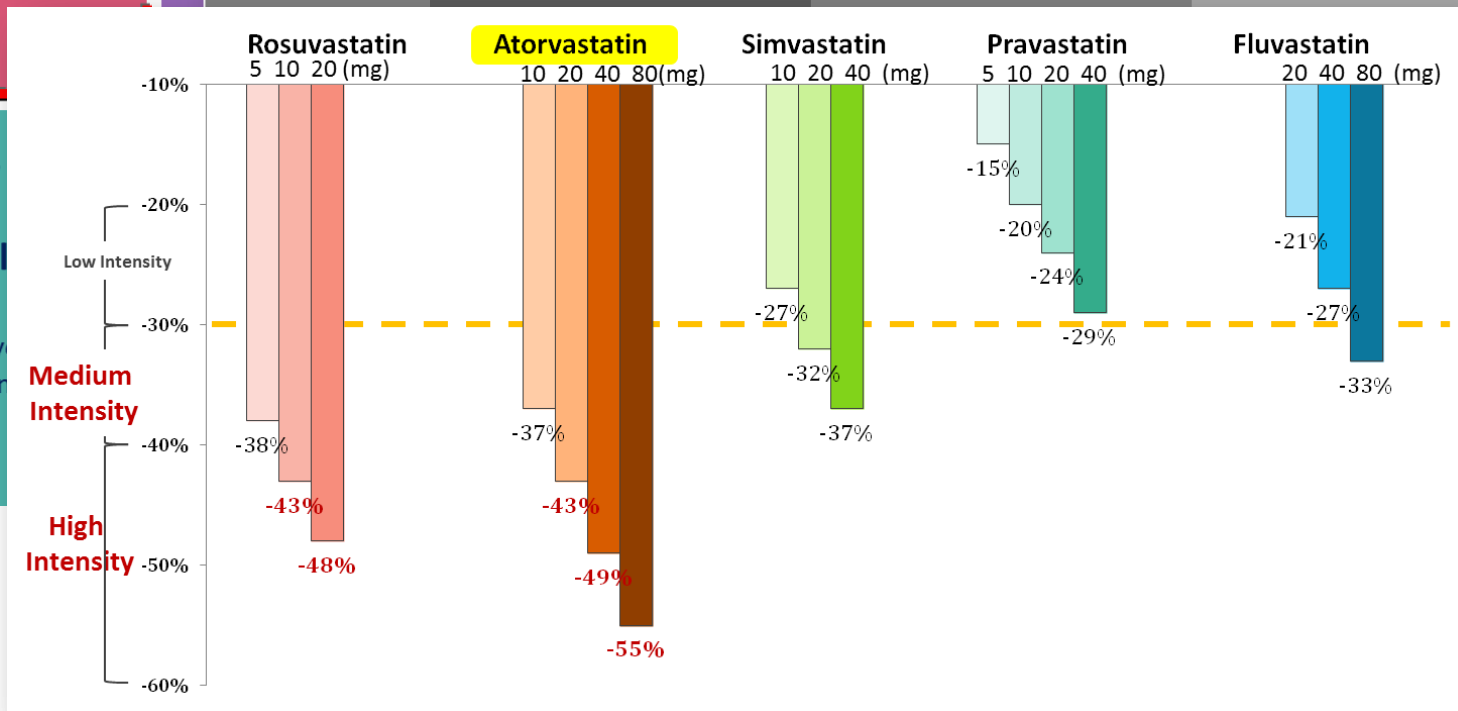
CHD, stroke, and peripheral arterial disease, all of presumed atherosclerotic origin

Group 3

Diabetes mellitus

+ aged 40–75 y
+ LDL-C 70–189 mg/dL

Intensity	High-Intensity	Moderate-Intensity	Low-Intensity
Reduction % in LDL-C	> 50% reduction of LDL with daily statin	30-50% reduction of LDL with daily statin	<30-50% reduction of LDL with daily statin

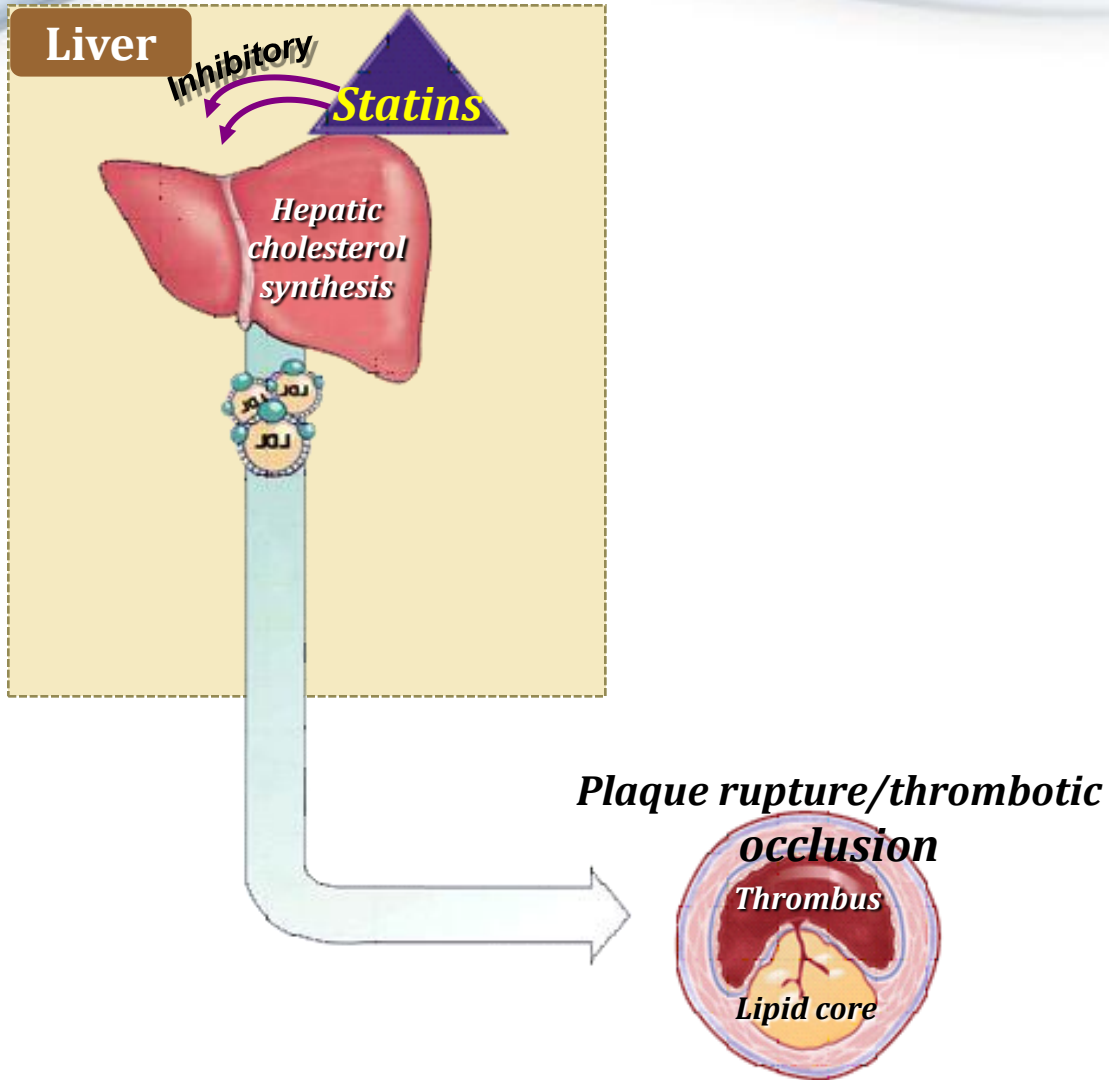




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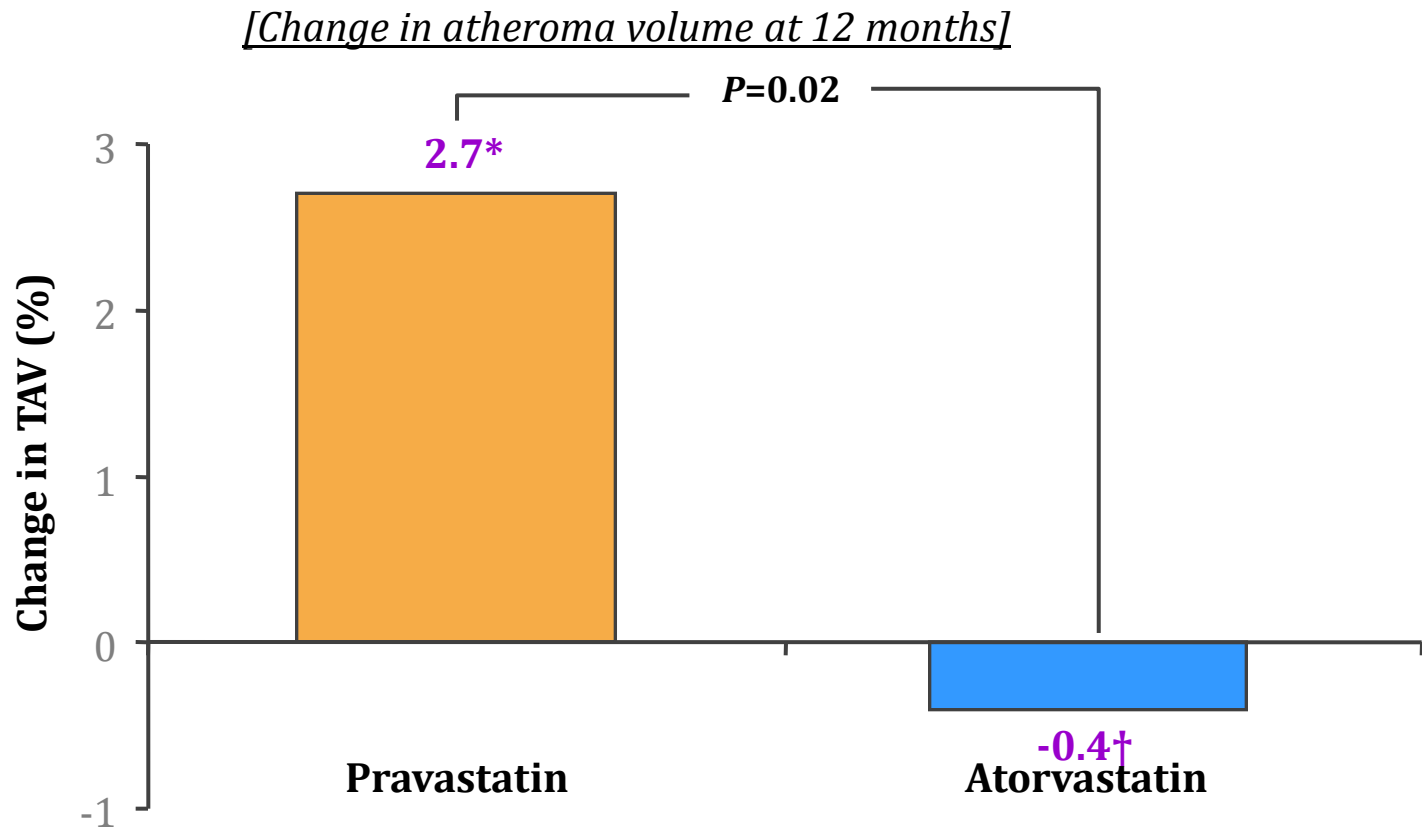
Beyond Lipid lowering for ASCVD

Statin: Lipid lowering agent !



Reduced progression of atherosclerotic plaque

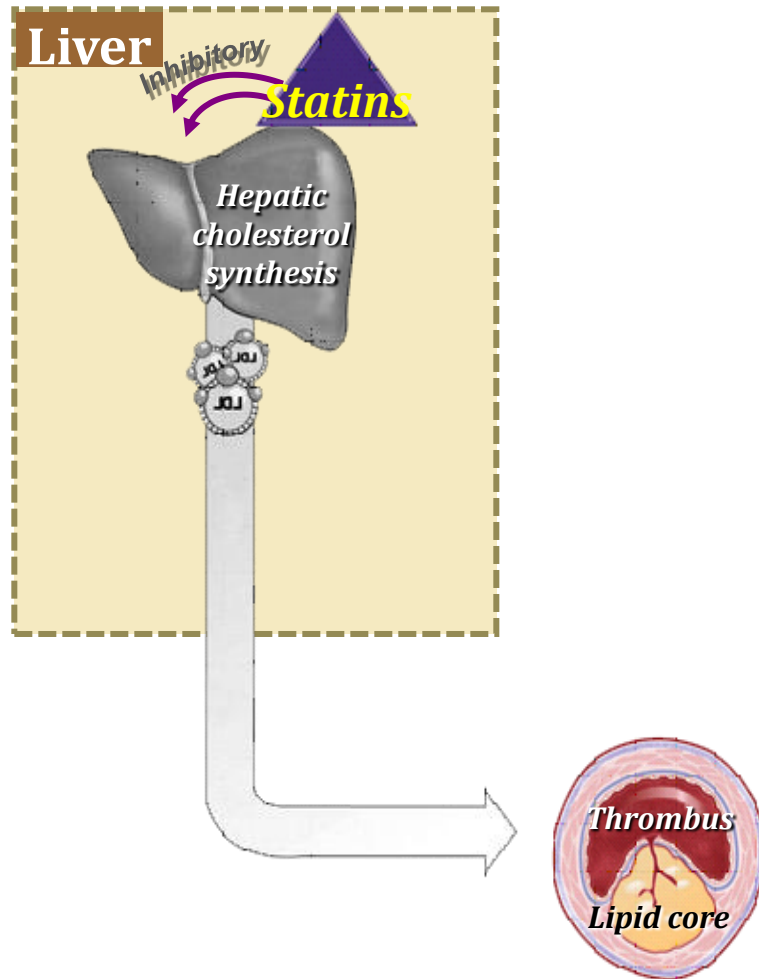
REVERSAL study : N=502 pts with atherosclerosis
randomized to pravastatin 40 or atorvastatin 80 mg.



*Progression vs baseline (P=0.001); †No change vs baseline (P=0.98)

Relative timing of effect

Slower/late effect

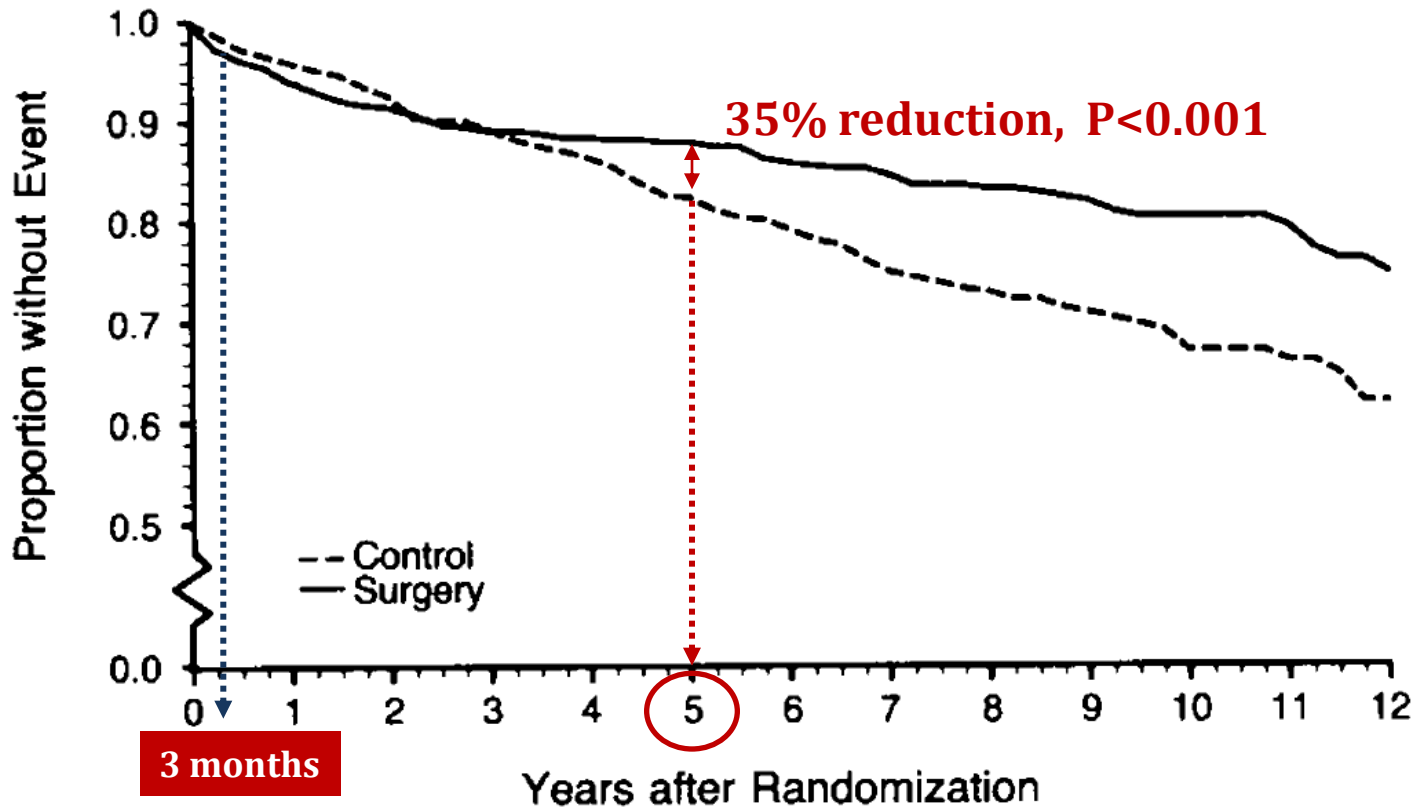


Early reduction in LDL-C, but Delayed Benefit after ileal bypass surgery

POSCH

POSCH trial : N=838 pts with 1st MI
randomized to control group vs ileal bypass surgery group

[combined endpoint as death and confirmed nonfatal MI]



34% LDL-C reduction in surgery group

Early Reduction, Early Benefit...

MIRACL

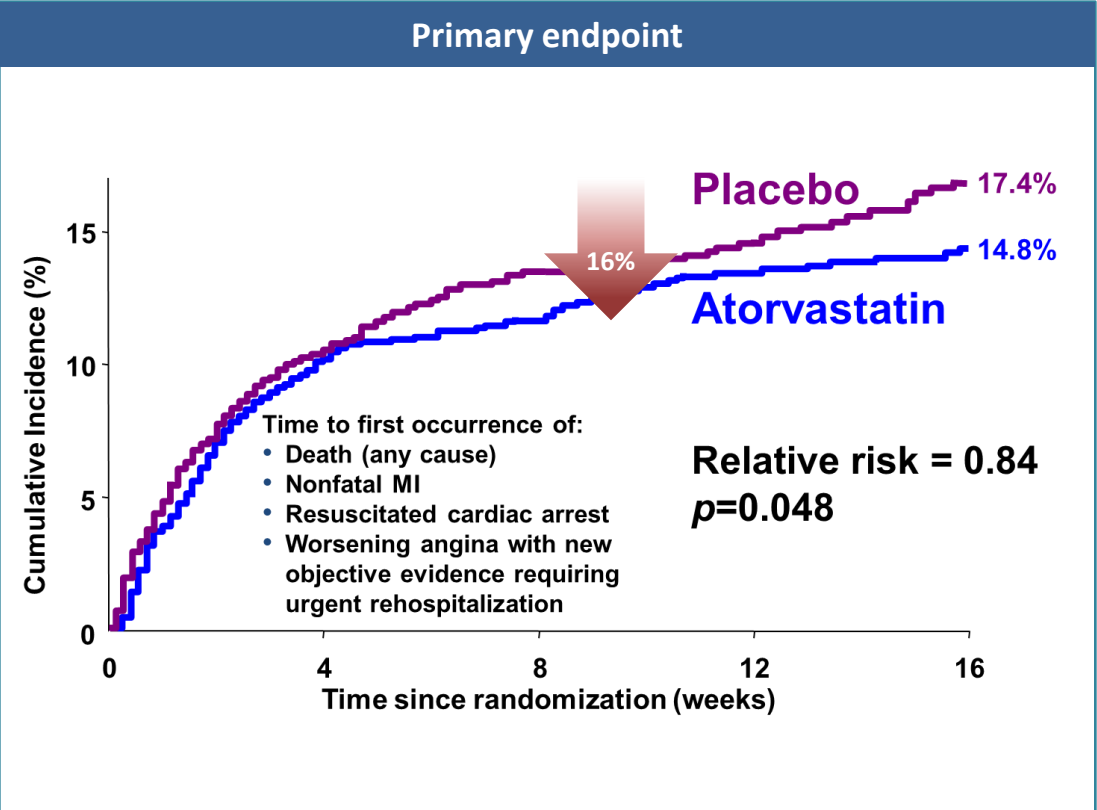
3,086 Patients with NSTEMI-ACS

Placebo + Diet

Atorvastatin 80 mg/day + Diet

- Primary endpoint : Death, MI, Resuscitated cardiac arrest, Documented UA requiring rehospitalization
- Follow-up = 16 weeks

Change of LDL-cholesterol		
	Atorvastatin	Usual Care
N	1538	1548
Baseline median, mg/dl	123	125
End of follow-up mean, mg/dl	72	135
LDL-C difference (mg/dL)(%)	-40%	+12%



Statin benefit in early period, Why?

GRACE

94 hospitals in 14 countries participating in the Global Registry of Acute Coronary Events (GRACE)

Effect of Initiation of In-Hospital Statin Therapy on Statin-Naive Patients

The composite end point : death, in-hospital myocardial infarction, stroke.

Characteristic	Long-Term and In-Hospital Statin Use (n = 3628)	Long-Term Statin Use Only (n = 428)	P Value	No Statin Use (n = 9522)	In-Hospital Statin Use Only (n = 5959)	P Value
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Background: Statins administered early in patients with acute coronary syndromes may lead to modest reductions in recurrent ischemic events.

Objective: To examine the association between previous and early in-hospital statin therapy and the presentation and outcomes of an acute coronary syndrome.

Design: Cohort study.

Setting: 94 hospitals in 14 countries participating in the Global Registry of Acute Coronary Events (GRACE).

Patients: 19 537 patients with an acute coronary syndrome who were enrolled from April 1999 to September 2002.

Measurements: Statin use before and after presentation with an acute coronary syndrome and associated rates of myocardial infarction, hospital complications, and hospital mortality. The com-

posite end point included death, in-hospital myocardial infarction (OR, 0.78 [CI, 0.70 to 0.86]). Patients who continued to take statins in the hospital were less likely to experience complications or die than patients who never received statins (OR, 0.66 [CI, 0.56 to 0.77]). Patients not previously taking statins who began statin therapy in the hospital were less likely to die than patients who never received statin therapy (OR, 0.38 [CI, 0.30 to 0.48]). However, adjustment for the hospital of admission attenuated the association between initiation of statin therapy and the composite end point (OR, 0.84 [CI, 0.65 to 1.10]).

Limitations: This observational study cannot exclude confounding by clinical and hospital factors.

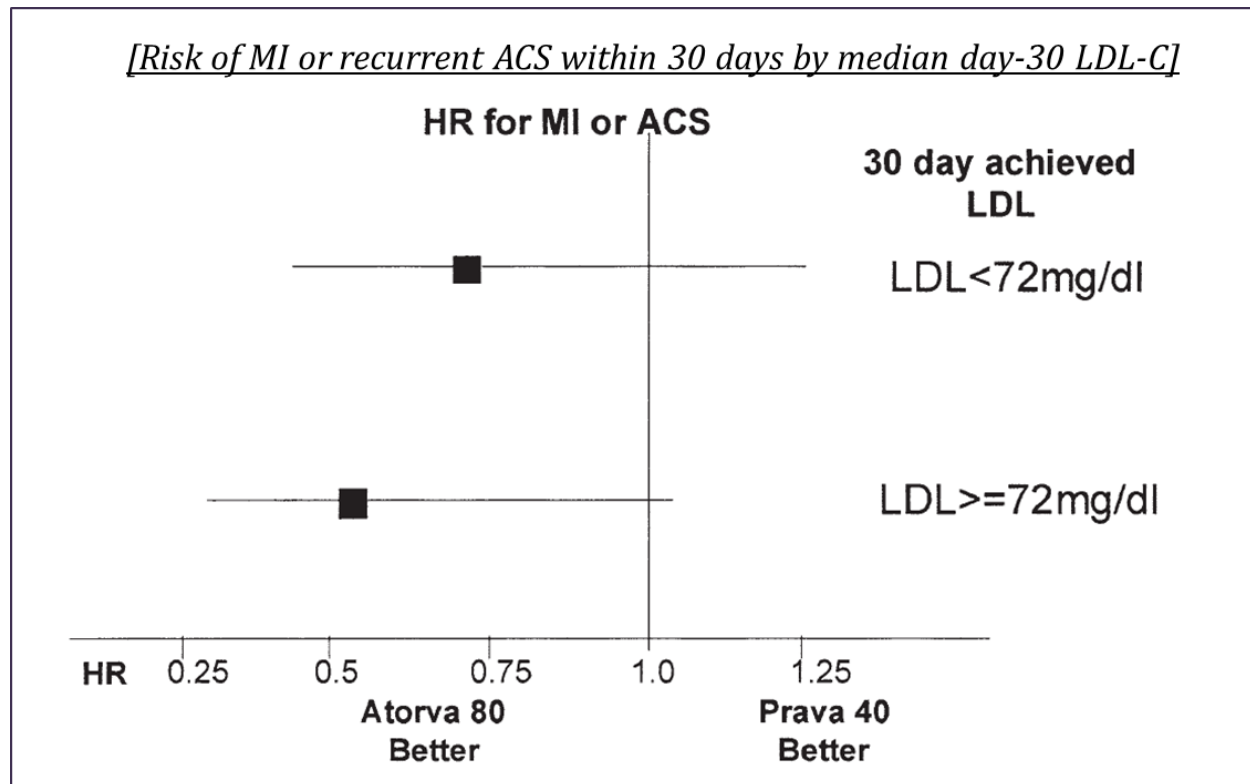
Conclusions: These data support the hypothesis that statin therapy can modulate early pathophysiologic processes in patients with acute coronary syndromes. A randomized trial of statin therapy in acute myocardial infarction is warranted.

Statin early treatment has benefit on Statin-Naive ACS patients and this ability is **independent of their lipid-lowering capacity**

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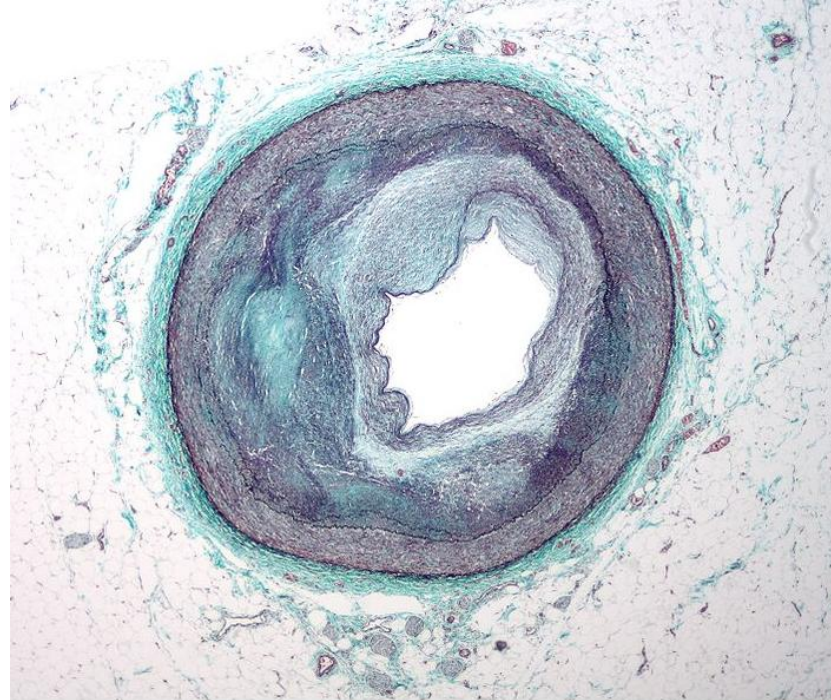
4,162 Patients with ACS \leq 10 days, randomized to pravastatin 40 mg or atorvastatin 80 mg

Atorvastatin's CAD benefit regardless of achieved LDL-cholesterol level



Our concepts & clinical approaches to CAD changed

Coronary Artery Disease ?

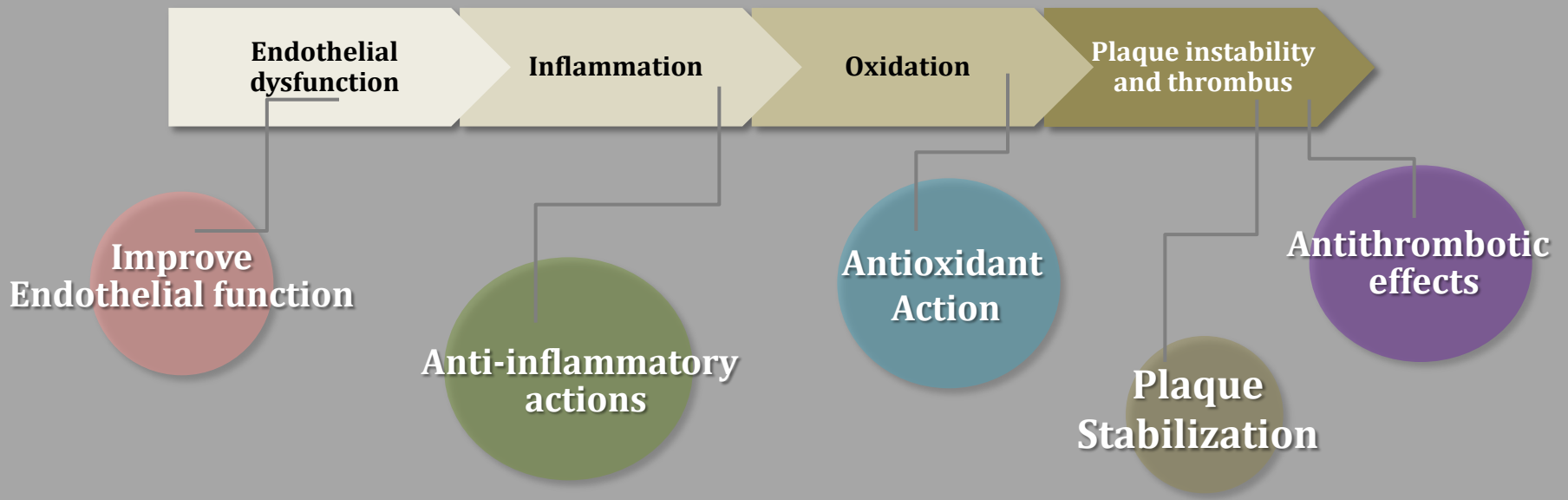
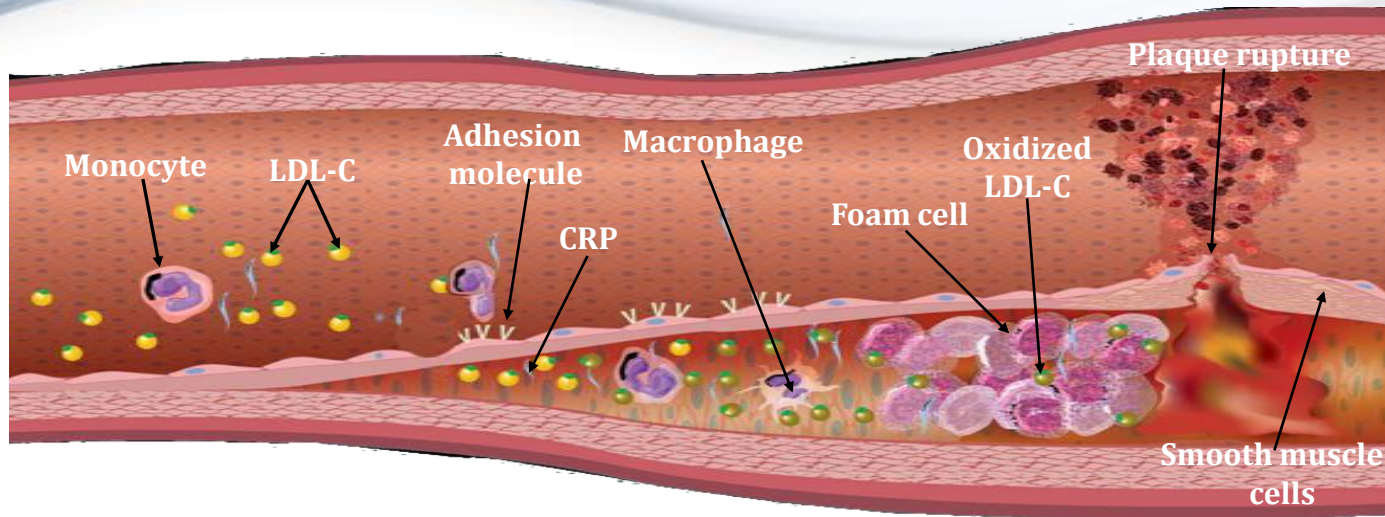


**Cholesterol storage
disease**



**Inflammatory
disorder**

Statin Benefit on CAD

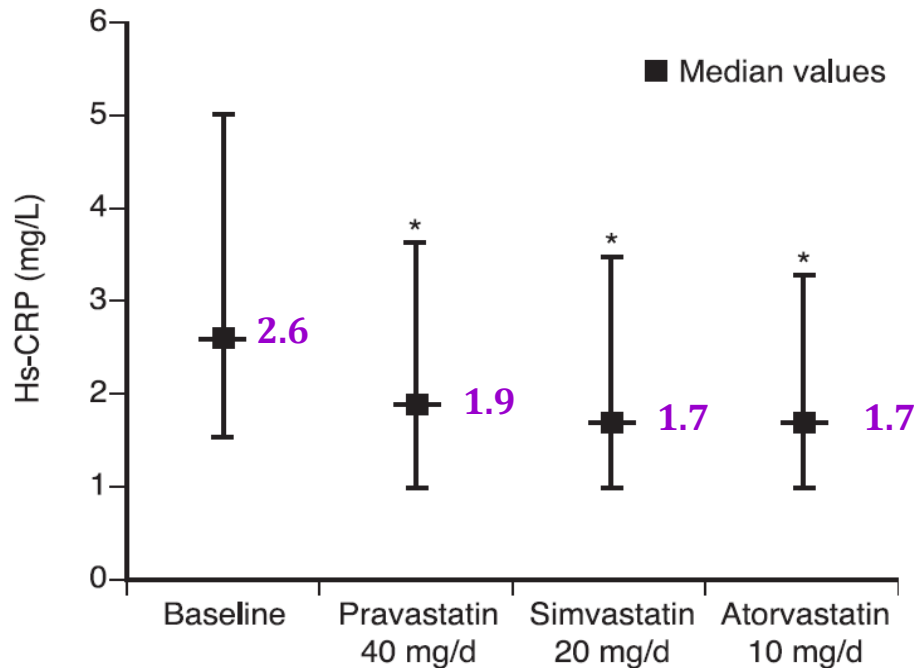


Reductions in plasma hs-CRP levels

anti
inflammatory
effect

N=22 pts with combined hyperlipidemia
randomized to placebo or one of 3 statin groups for 6 weeks.

[Effect of statin therapy on levels of hs-CRP]

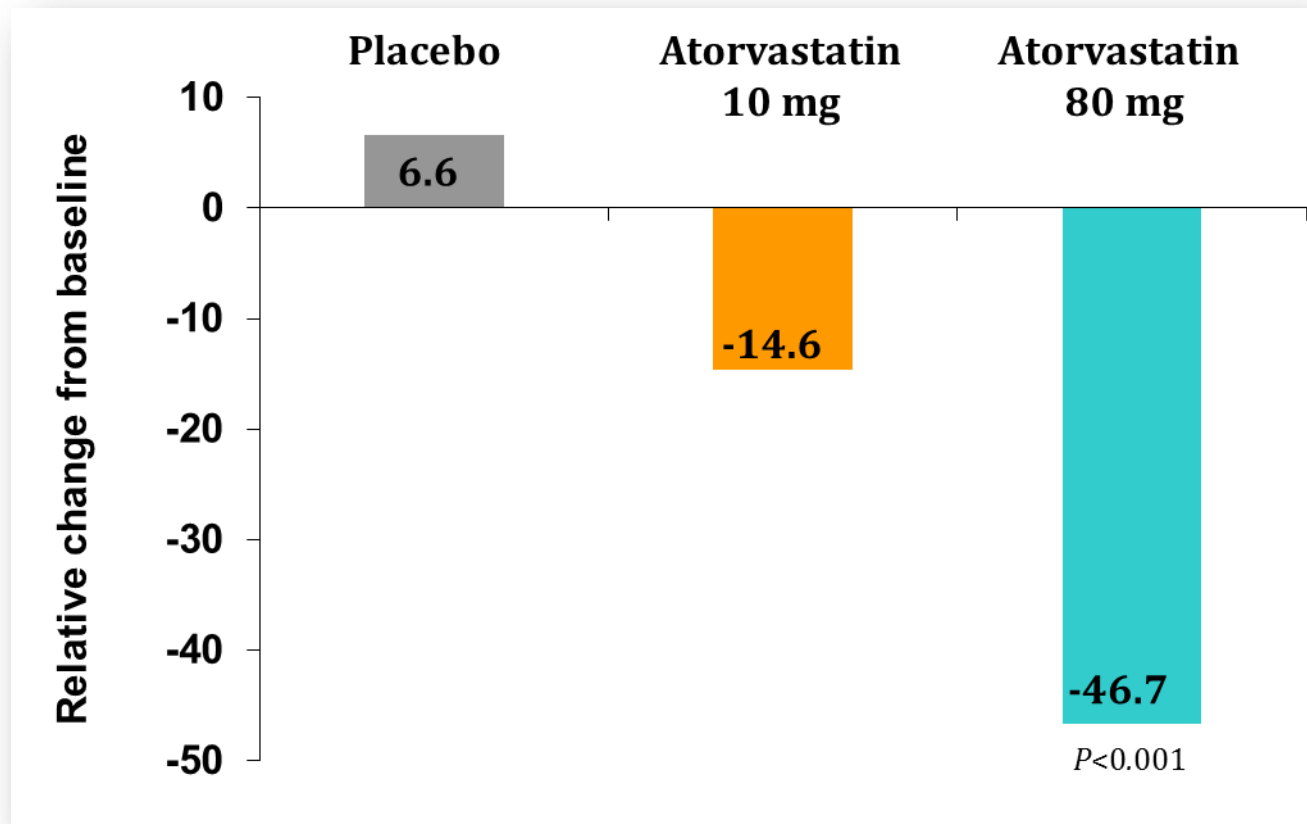


*P=0.025 compared with baseline

**There was no relationship
between reductions in hs-CRP and LDL cholesterol.**

Diabetes Atorvastatin Lipid Intervention (DALI)

Atorvastatin significantly lowered CRP levels in Type 2 Diabetic patients in a **Dose-Dependent Manner**

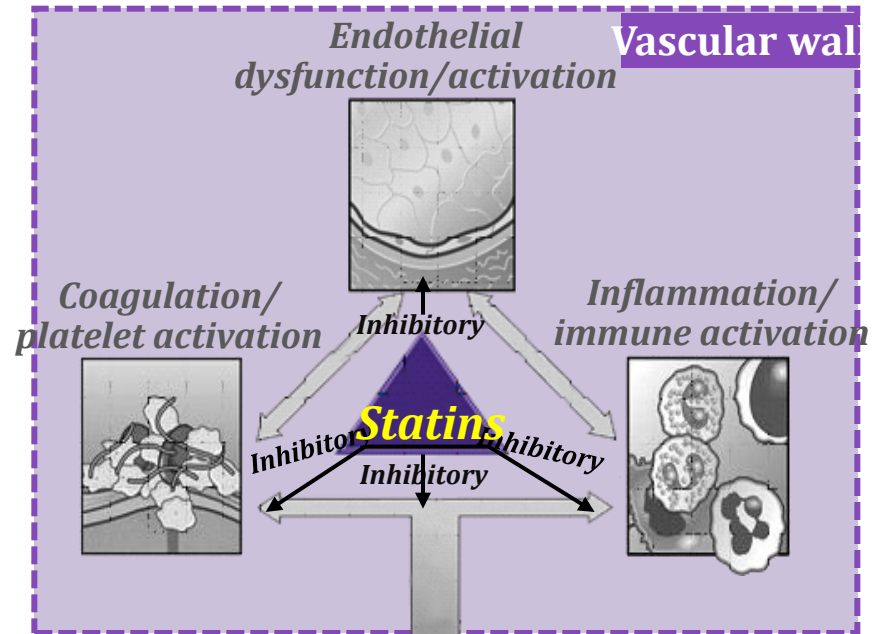


Role of Atorvastatin in ASCVD

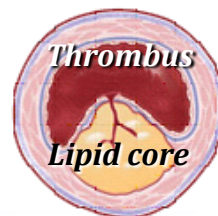
Slower/late effect



Early/rapid effect



Plaque rupture/thrombotic occlusion



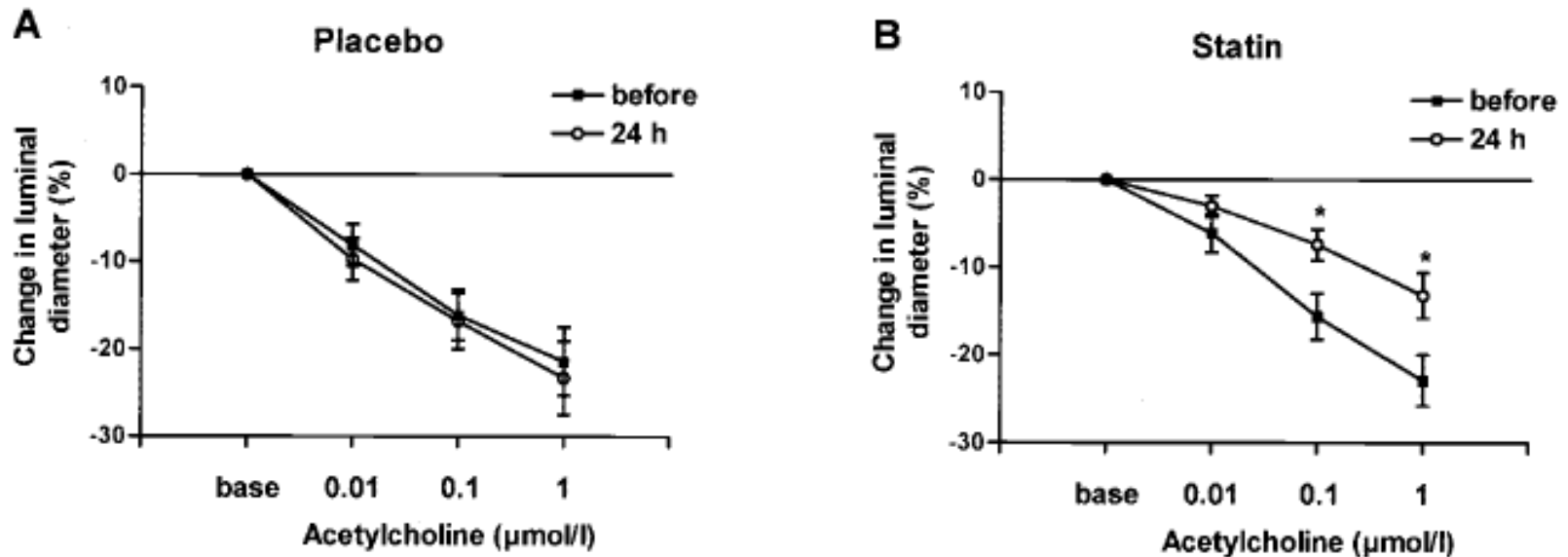
How rapid?

Improvement of Endothelial Function

Endothelial
function

N=27 pts with stable angina,
randomized to placebo or pravastatin (single dose of 40 mg).

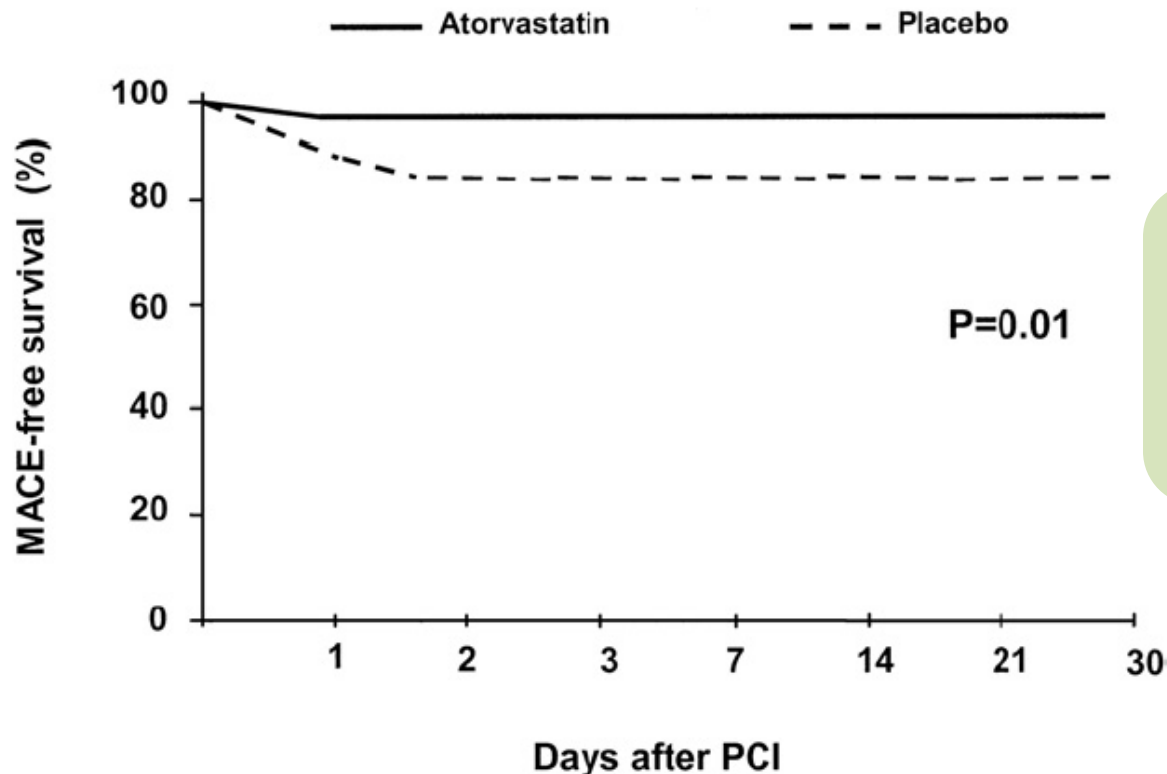
[Changes in coronary luminal diameter in response to increasing doses of acetylcholine]



**At 24 hrs, significant reduction of
acetylcholine-mediated vasoconstriction**

In ACS pts undergoing PCI, high dose atorvastatin improves outcome

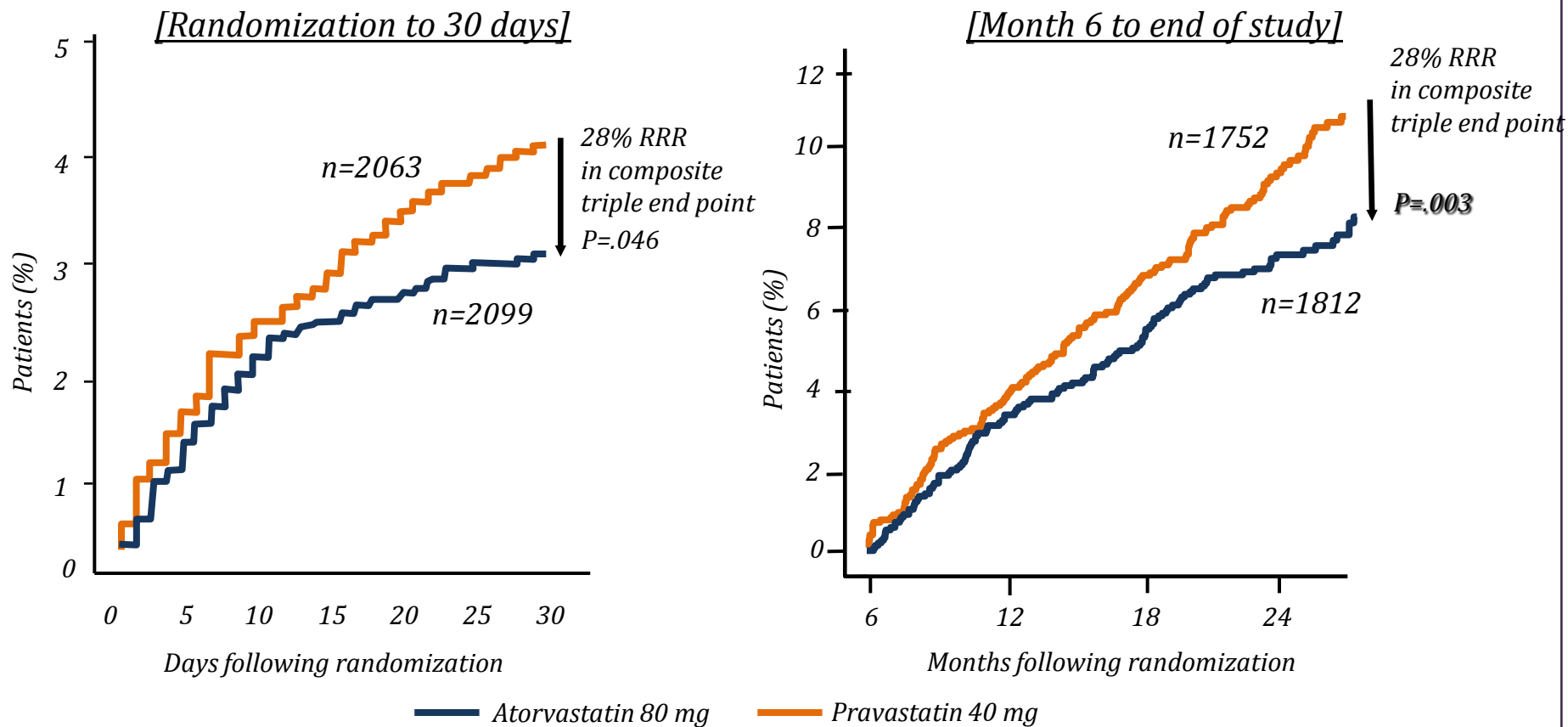
N=171 Statin Naïve pts with NSTEMI ACS
randomized to placebo or atorvastatin
(LIPITOR 80 mg 12 hrs before PCI, Further 40 mg 2 hr before PCI)



30-day major adverse
cardiac events **12% ↓**
(95% CI 0.05 -0.50, p=0.004)

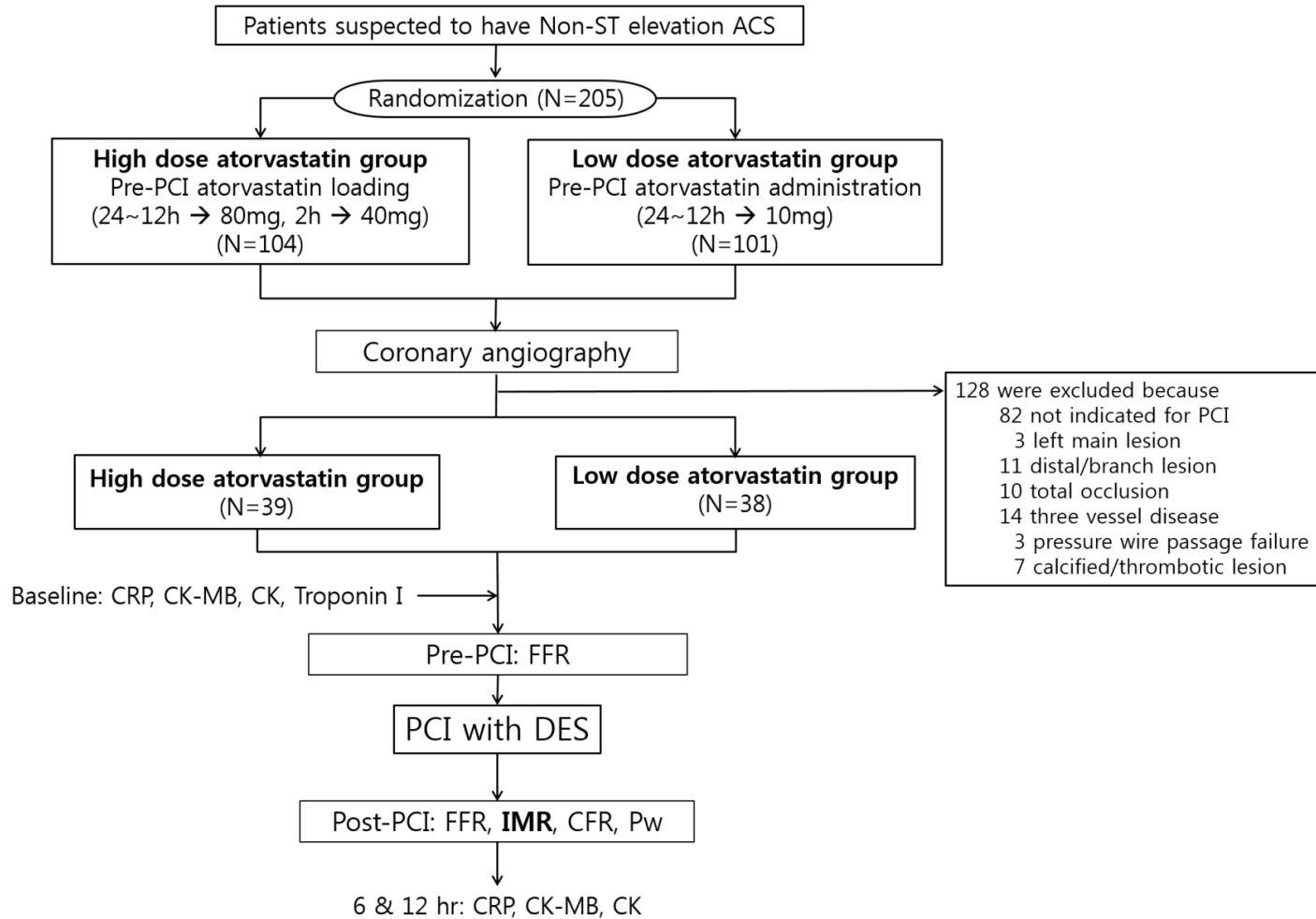
In ACS pts undergoing PCI, high dose atorvastatin improves outcome

N=383 pts with stable angina, NSTEMI ACS, **chronic statin therapy**
randomized to placebo or atorvastatin 80 mg
(LIPITOR 80 mg 12 hrs before angio, Further 40 mg 2 hr before angio)



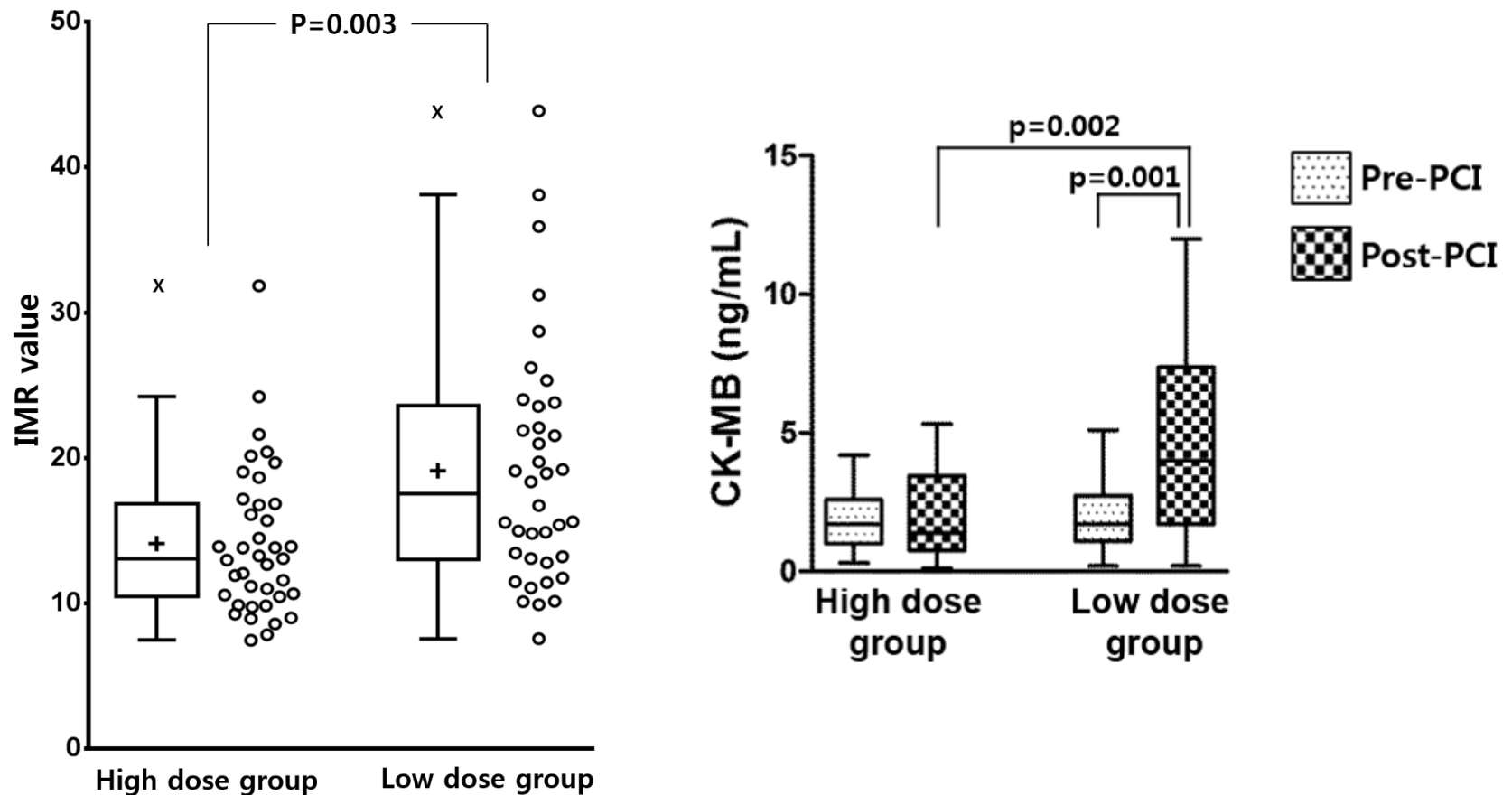
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RESIST-ACS trial



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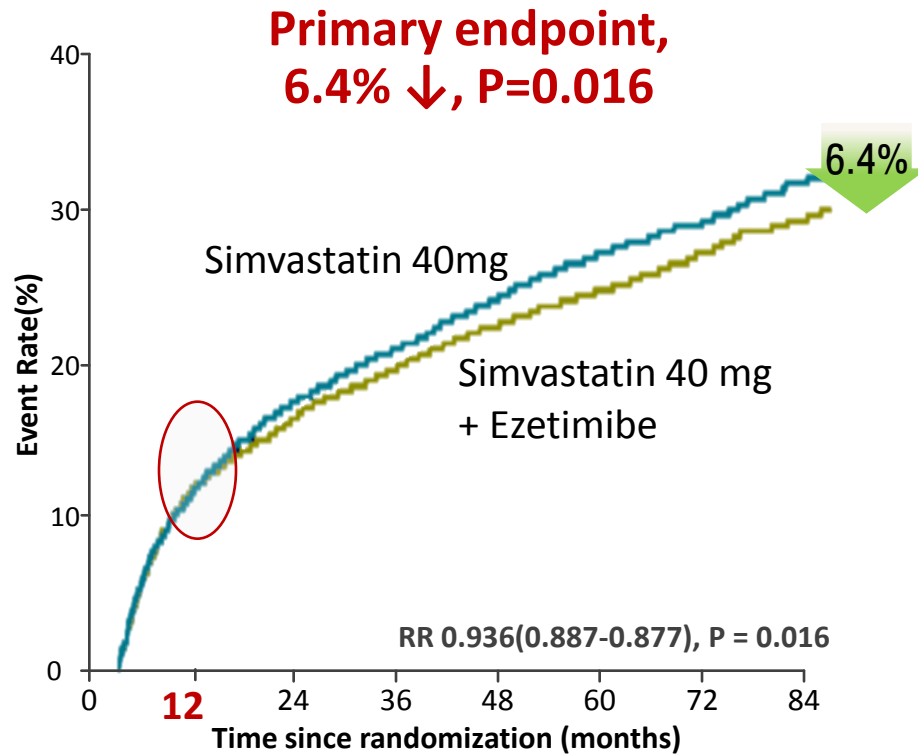
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Role of Non-statin Therapy in ACS

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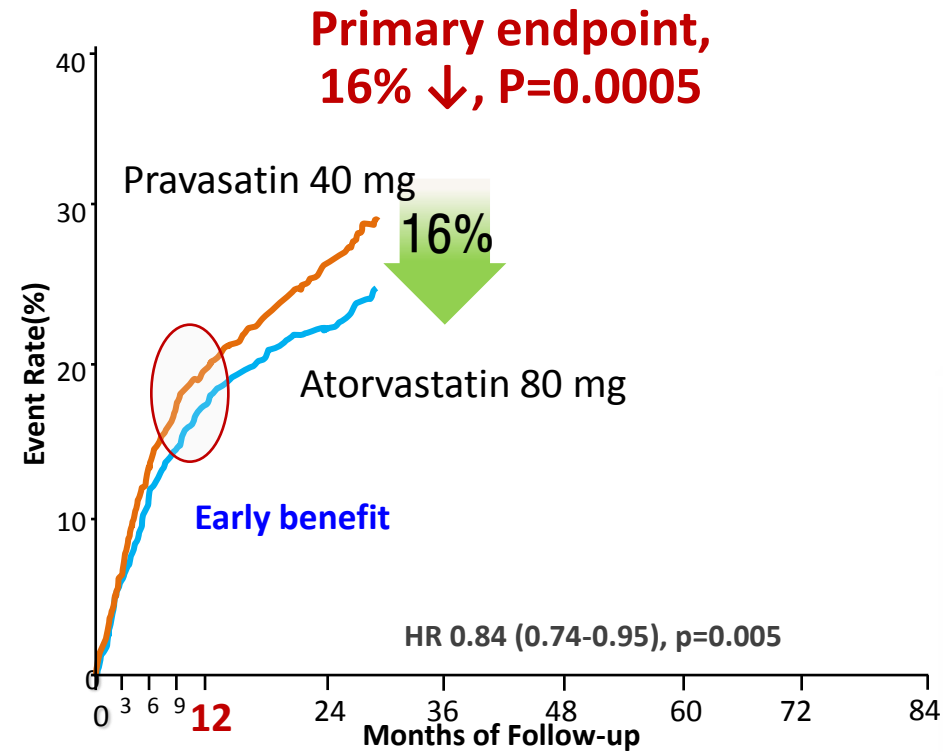
18,144 patients stabilized post ACS ≤ 10 days
LDL-C 50-125mg/dL



Primary endpoint : CV death, MI, admission for UA, revascularization or stroke

PROVE IT

4,162 Patients stabilized post ACS ≤ 10 days
TC ≤ 240 mg/dL (or 200 mg/dL if prior lipid-lowering Rx)



Primary endpoint : All cause death, MI, admission for UA, revascularization, or stroke

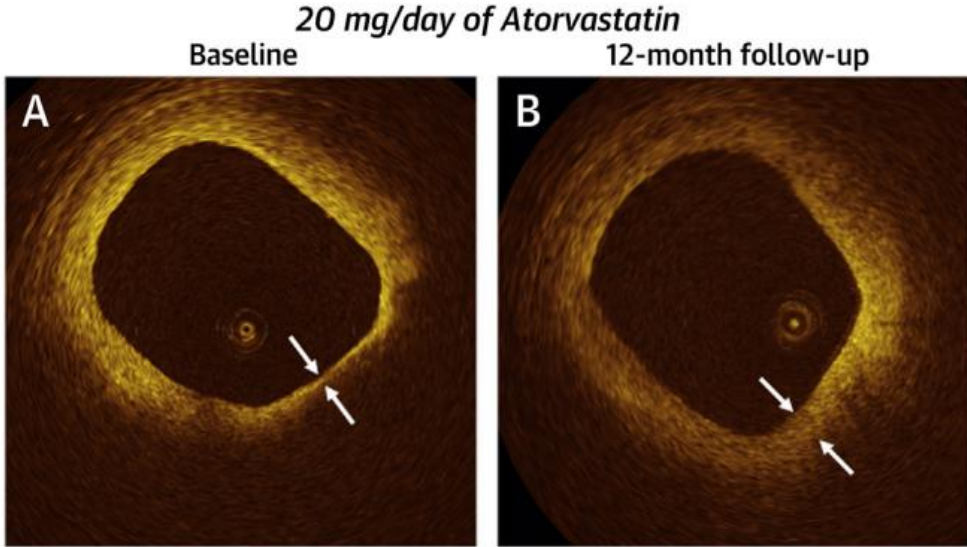
Current Non-statin Therapy

	2013 ACC/AHA guideline	2013 IAS guideline	2014 NICE guideline	2015 ADA guideline
Secondary prevention	<p>High intensity or Moderate-intensity statin therapy.</p> <p>Non-statin therapy has been minimized</p>	<p>Maximal statin therapy if tolerated.</p> <p>If statin intolerant, Combination moderate dose of statin with nonstatin.</p>	<p>Atorvastatin 80 mg</p> <p>Nonstatin therapy is not generally recommended.</p>	<p>High intensity or Moderate-intensity statin therapy based on risk profile.</p> <p>Nonstatin therapy is not generally recommended.</p>
Primary prevention		<p>Statins are first line therapy.</p> <p>If statin intolerant, use of nonstatin alone or combination.</p>	<p>Atorvastatin 20 mg</p> <p>Nonstatin therapy is not generally recommended.</p>	

Late Benefit, but not only from Lipid: Plaque Stabilization...

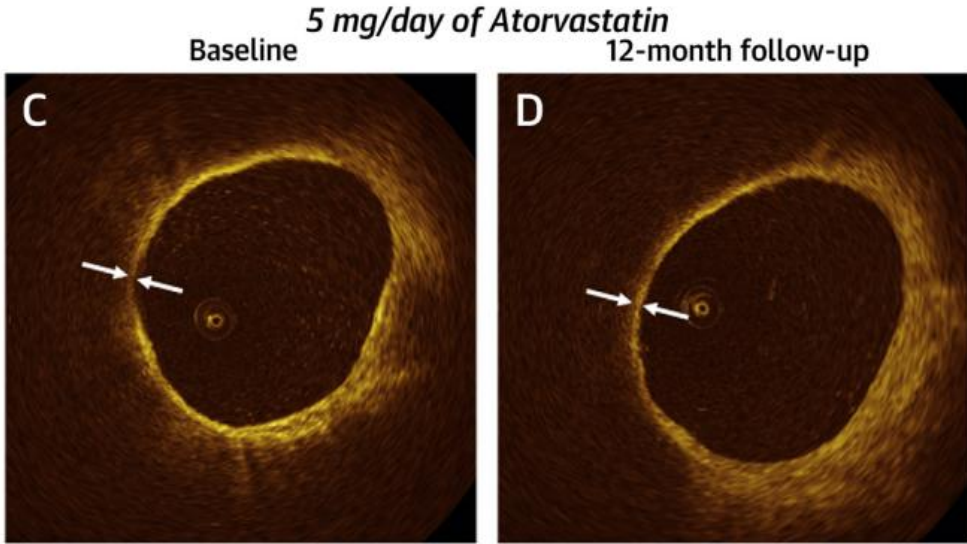
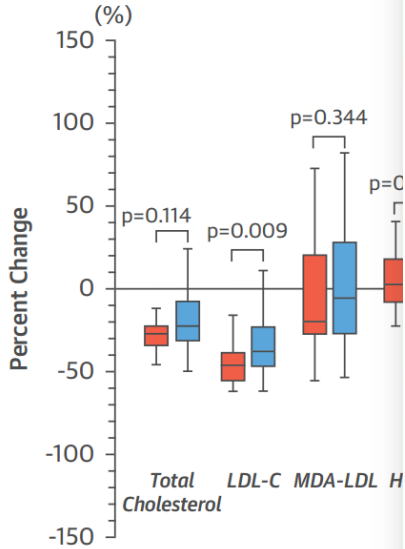
EASY-FIT

70 Patients with U...
Naïve to statin

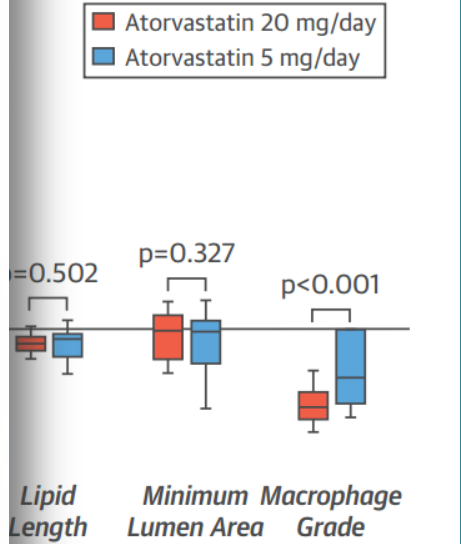


Endpoint: Fibrous Cap
Coronary Atherosclerotic
Assessed by Optical
Coherence Tomography
12 months

Characteristics



Endpoint

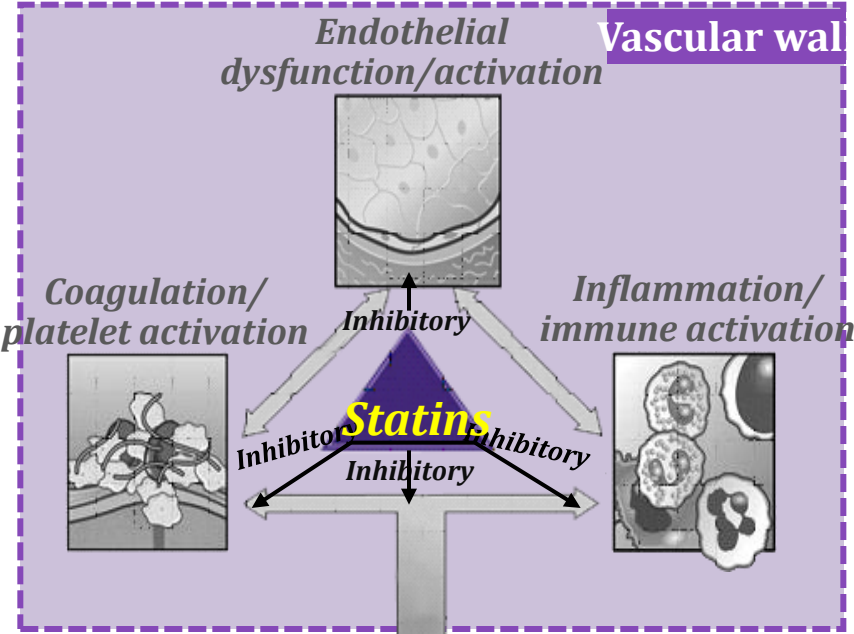


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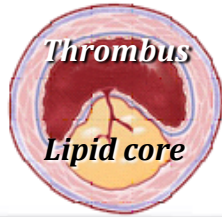
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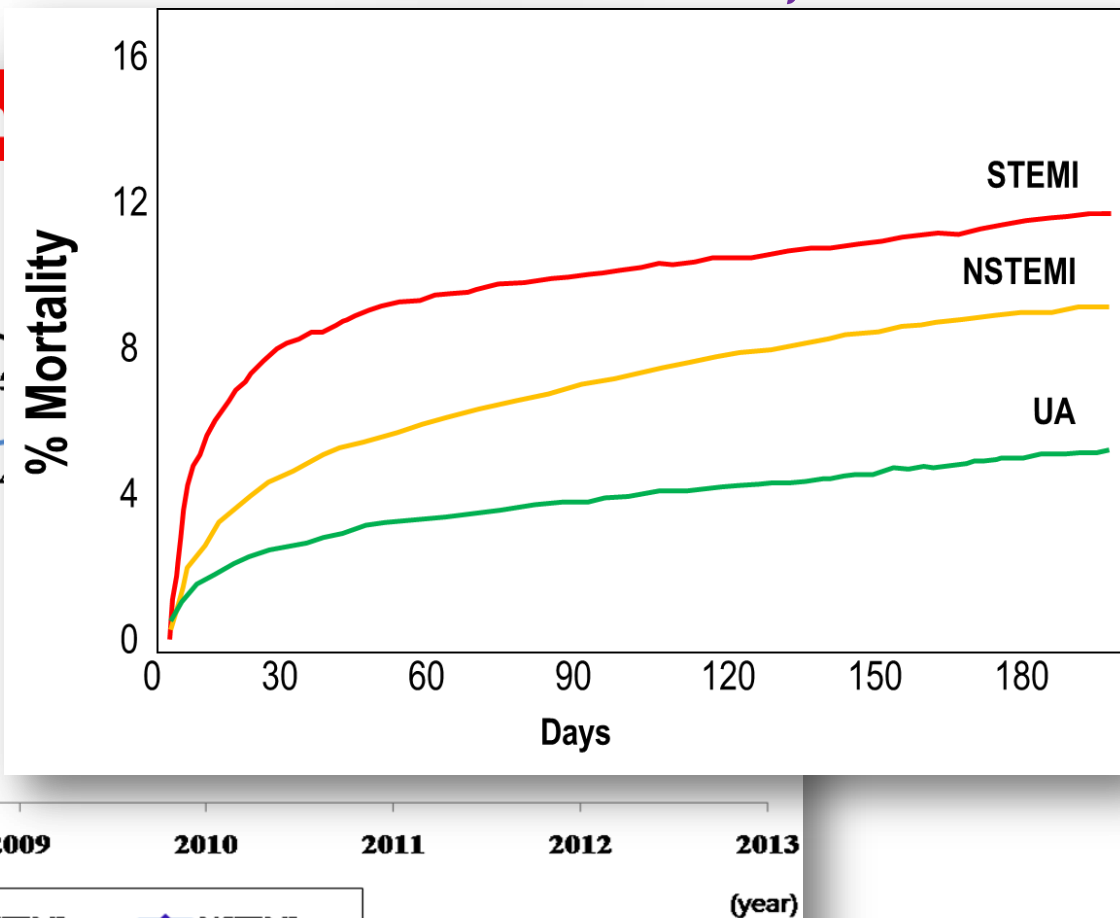
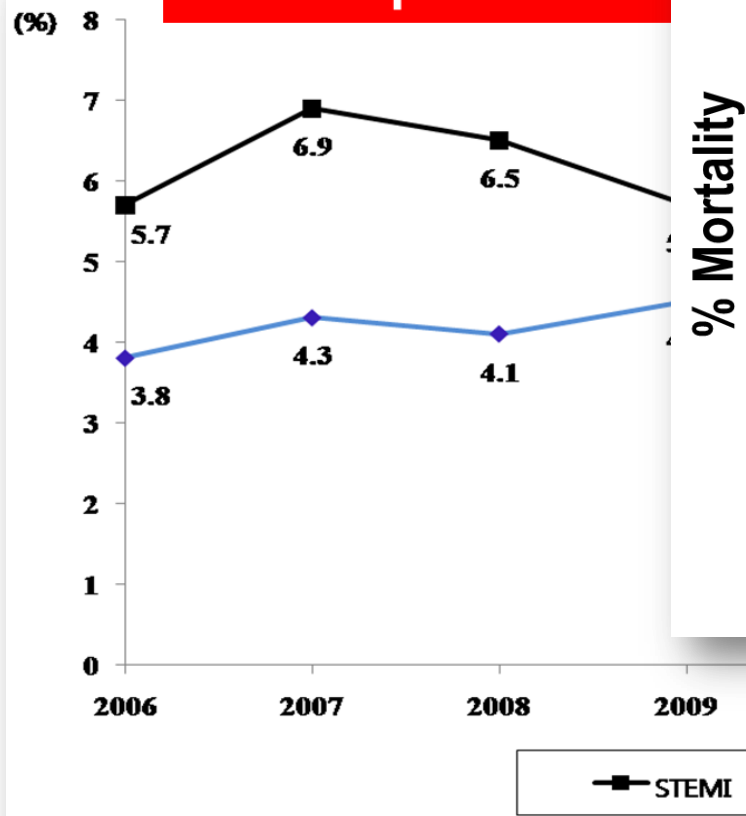
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Mortality in Acute Coronary Syndromes

KAMIR n=39,978

GRACE n=43,810

In-hospital mortality



Kook HY et al. Am J Cardiol 2014;114:1817

Fox KAA et al. BMJ. 2006;333:1091

Risk Factors for CardioVascular Disease

Non-modifiable Risk Factors

Age

Family history

Ethnicity

Cardio Vascular Disease

Modifiable Risk Factors

Hypertension

Abnormal blood lipid levels

Tobacco use

Physical inactivity

Type2 diabetes

A diet high in saturated fat