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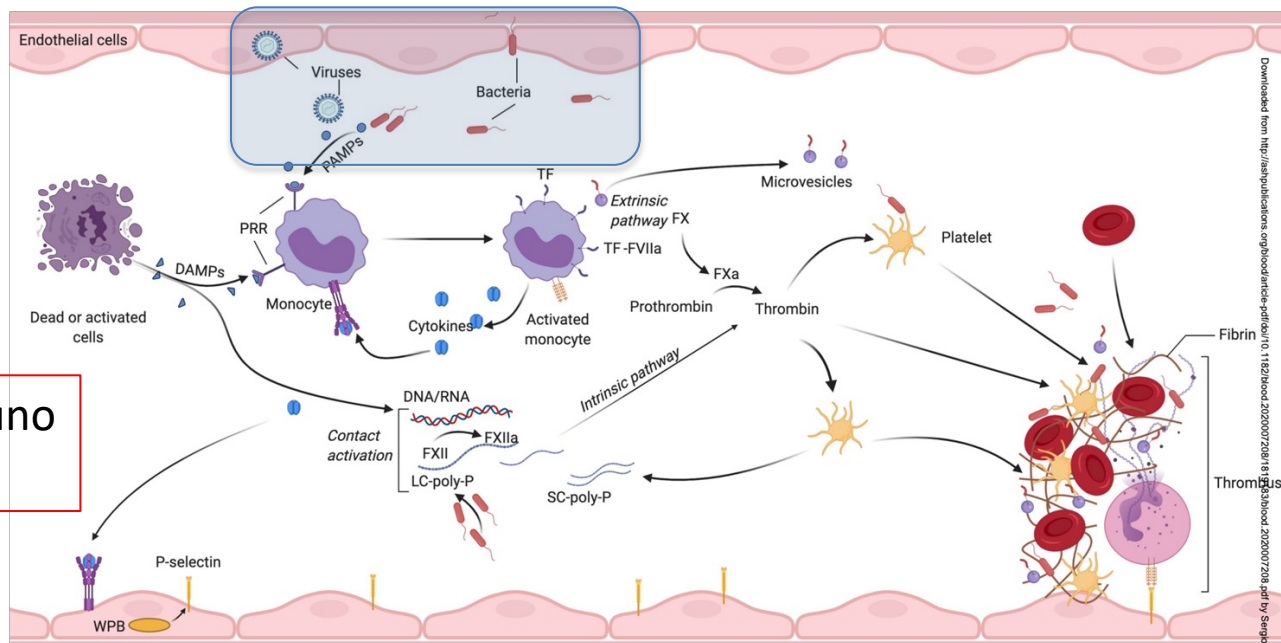
# Where are we going with thrombosis?

(proof of concept & clinically relevant)





## How cancer/activated cells may affect coagulation



Cancer/chemo/immuno  
therapy





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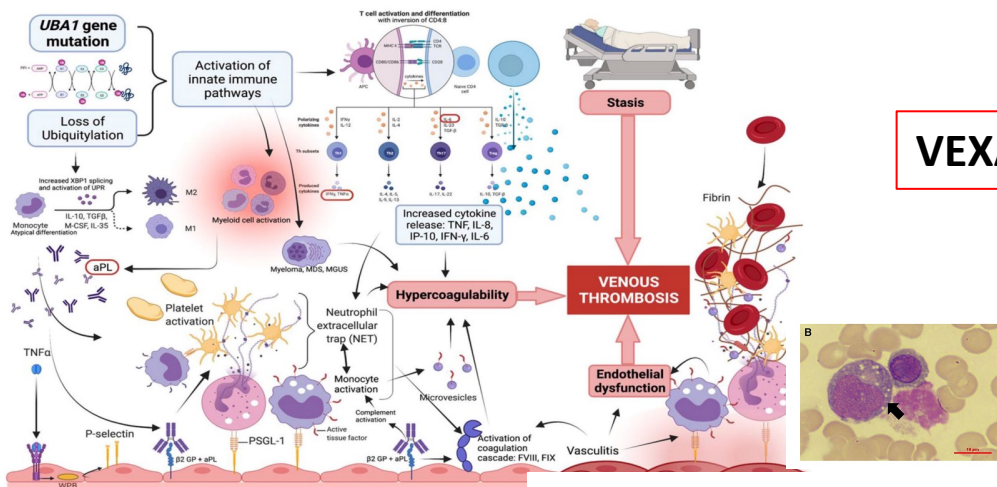
# What is new at ASH-2022 about thrombosis in haematological malignancies



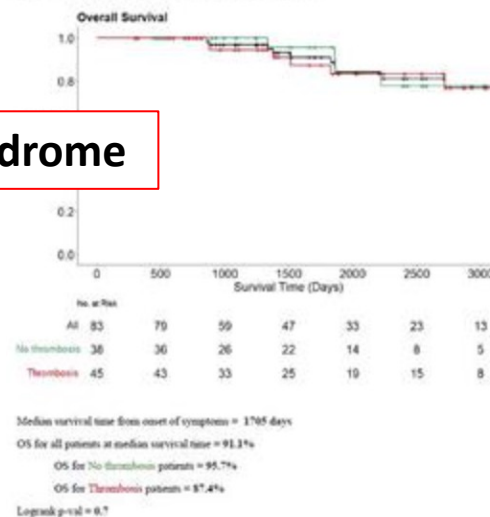


# Proof of concepts: VTE in pre-cancers conditions and/or high bleeding risk

## VEXAS Syndrome



macrocytic anaemia, marrow dysplasia, vacuolisation in myeloid cells and thrombosis



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## D-dimer and risk of VTE in acute adult leukemia

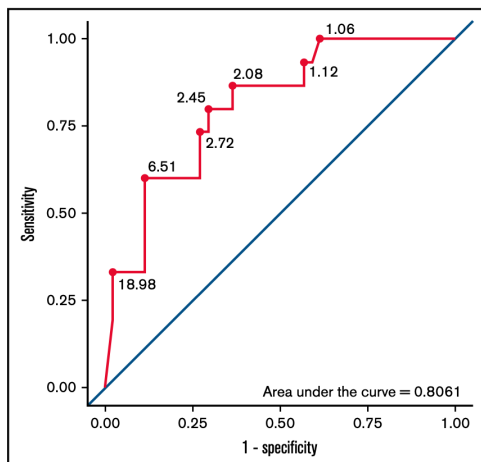


Figure 2. ROC curve of D-dimer for predicting arterial or venous thrombosis.

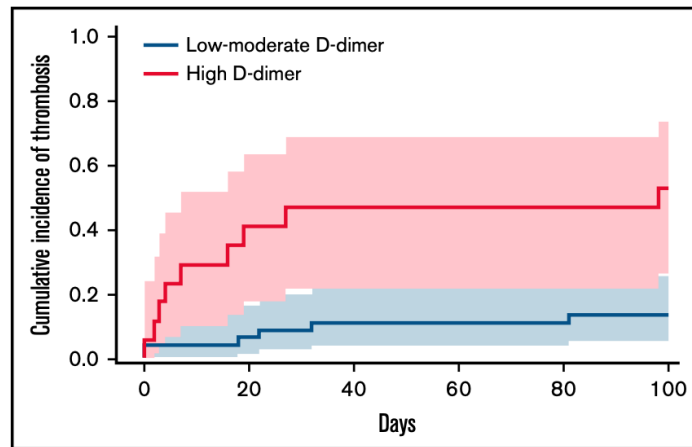
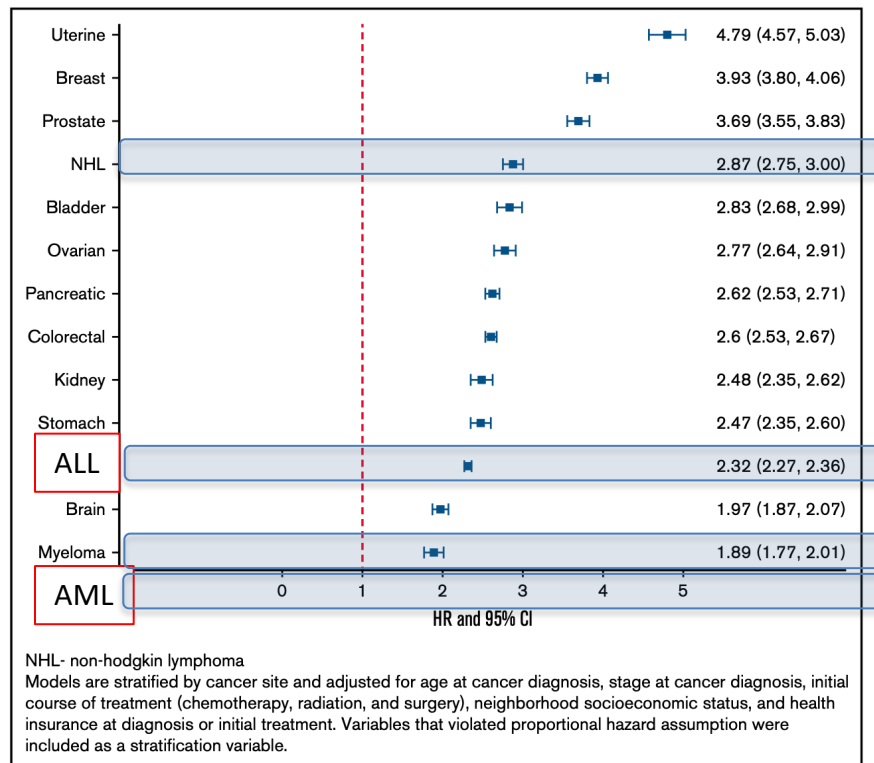


Figure 1. Cumulative incidence at 100 days of venous or arterial thrombosis stratified for D-dimer levels. Cumulative incidence and 95% CIs (indicated by shaded areas) of arterial or venous thrombosis throughout 100-day follow-up, stratified for index D-dimer levels. The dashed red line represents high D-dimer levels ( $\geq 4 \mu\text{g/mL}$ ), and the solid blue line indicates low to moderate D-dimer levels ( $< 4 \mu\text{g/mL}$ ).





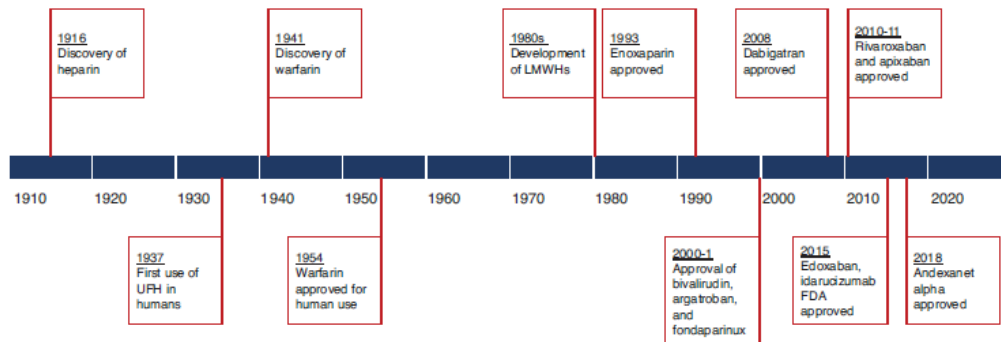
## Proven: Incidence of thrombosis in haematological neoplasms







# The future: Development of new anticoagulants (in cancer)



## FXI-FXII Inhibitors

	Mechanism of action	Route of administration	Onset of action	Half-life	Administration frequency	Renal excretion	Metabolism by CYP	Potential for food and drug interactions
DNA aptamers: T1.16, T2.7, and FELIAP	Bind over large surface areas on a target protein and block specific macromolecular interactions	IV or SC	Rapid (minutes to hours)	Short (minutes to hours)	Daily	No	No	No
ASOs: IONIS FXI-Rx (ISIS 416858) and fesomersen	Inhibit the biosynthesis of FXI	SC	Slow (weeks)	Long (weeks)	Once weekly to once monthly	No	No	No
Antibodies								
Abelacimab (MAA868)	Binds to the catalytic domain of FXI and locks it in the inactive zymogen conformation, preventing its activation by FXII/thrombin	IV or SC	Rapid (hours)	Long (weeks)	Once monthly	No	No	No
Osocimab (BAY 1213790)	Binds next to the active site of FXIa and inhibits the activation of factor IX	IV or SC	Rapid (hours)	Long (30-44 days)	Once monthly	No	No	No
Xisomab (AB023)	Inhibits FXIa-mediated activation of FXI but not FXI activation by thrombin	IV	Rapid (hours)	Days to weeks, half-life increases with high doses	Once monthly	No	No	No
Garadacimab (CSL312)	Binds to the catalytic domain of FXIa and inhibits its protease activity	IV or SC	Rapid (hours)	Long (weeks)	Once monthly	No	No	No
Small molecules								
Milvexian (BMS-986177/ JNJ-70033093)	Active site-directed inhibitor of FXI	Oral	Rapid (minutes to hours) Saturable absorption with doses $\geq 300$ mg	Short (terminal half-life 8.3-13.8 hours)	Once or twice daily	Yes, <20%	Yes	Yes
Asundexian (BAY 2433334)	Active site-directed inhibitor of FXI	Oral	Rapid (minutes to hours)	Short (terminal half-life 15.8-17.8 hours)	Once daily	Yes, <15%	Yes	Yes





## Mitigating the risk of venous thromboembolism in patients with multiple myeloma receiving immunomodulatory-based therapy

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### Graded recommendations

1. Thromboprophylaxis should be strongly considered in patients with MM assessed as high risk for VTE, especially newly diagnosed patients receiving IMiD-based combination therapies. (Strong recommendation, moderate certainty in evidence about effects)
2. The SAVED, IMPEDE VTE, and PRISM scores are validated clinical tools that can quantify risk of VTE in newly diagnosed patients with MM. (Conditional recommendation, moderate certainty of evidence about effects)
3. If available, patients should be enrolled in clinical trials evaluating risk-assigned thromboprophylaxis strategies in patients with MM.





## Thrombosis questions from the inpatient wards

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### With platelet transfusions

Platelet count  $\geq 50000/\mu\text{L}$

#### Full-dose anticoagulation

- LMWH (eg, enoxaparin 1 mg/kg twice daily or 1.5 mg/kg once daily)
- DOAC (eg, apixaban 5 mg twice daily or rivaroxaban 20 mg once daily)

Platelet count  $< 50000/\mu\text{L}$

#### Full-dose anticoagulation

- LMWH
  - DOAC
- Transfuse platelets to raise platelet count  $\geq 50000/\mu\text{L}$

### No platelet transfusions

Platelet count  $\geq 50000/\mu\text{L}$

#### Full-dose anticoagulation

- LMWH
- DOAC

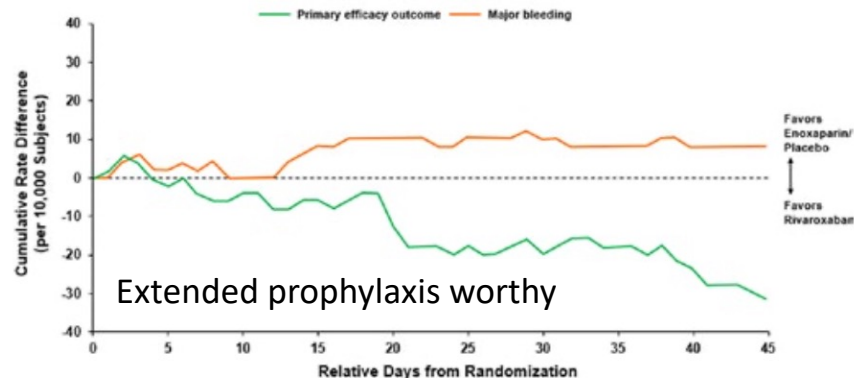
Platelet count 25000-50000/ $\mu\text{L}$

#### Half-dose anticoagulation

- LMWH (eg, enoxaparin 0.5 mg/kg twice daily or 0.75 mg/kg once daily)
- DOAC (eg, apixaban 2.5 mg twice daily or rivaroxaban 10 mg once daily)

Platelet count  $< 25000/\mu\text{L}$

#### No anticoagulation



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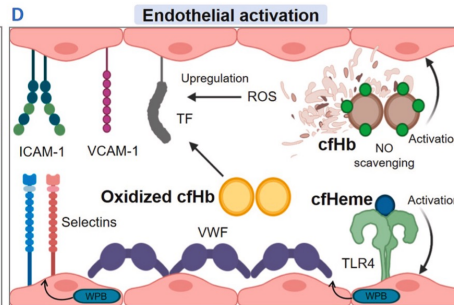
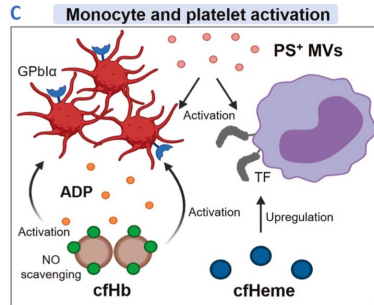
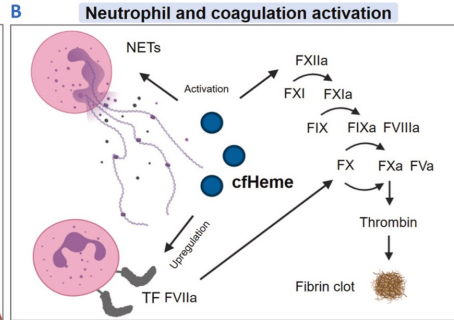
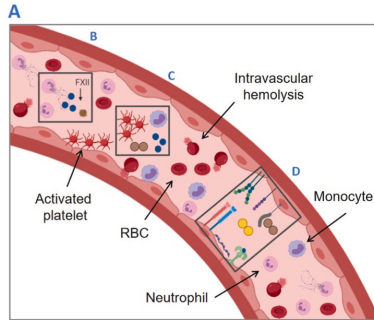
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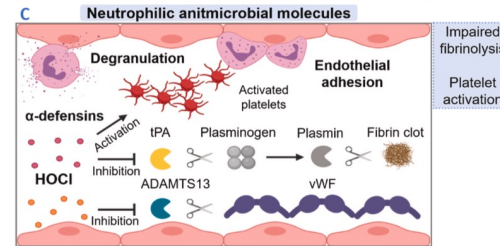
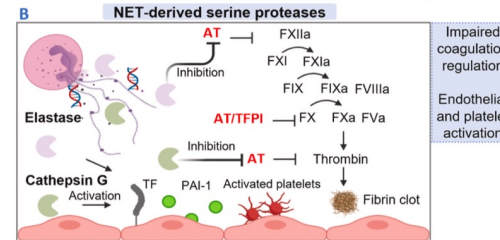
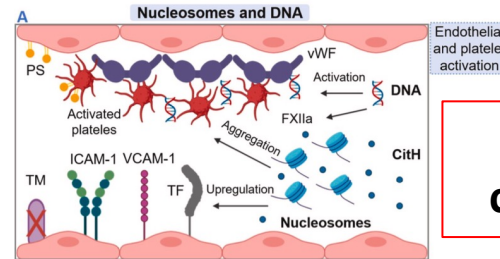


# What is new at ASH-2022 about thrombosis in non-cancer haematological patients





## Haemolysis and coagulation activation



## Neutrophils and coagulation activation





THROMBOSIS AND HEMOSTASIS

Comment on Fassel et al, page 2221

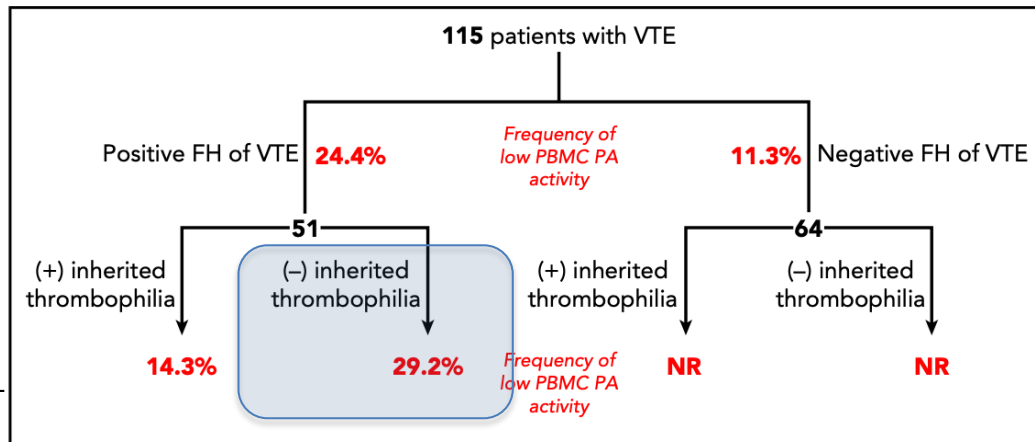
## A novel “vascular” thrombophilia

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Annexin A2 is expressed in many cell types, including endothelial cells, monocytes, macrophages, trophoblasts, and tumor cells. annexin A2 increases the catalytic efficiency of t-PA–mediated plasminogen activation by 60-fold; in the context of endothelial cells, this leads to increased vascular wall fibrinolytic activity.

**Annexin-2 deficiency -> high risk for thrombosis (obstetric complications?)**

**Annexin-2 increase -> DIC, hyperfibrinolysis (APL), cancer burden**



Deficient plasminogen activation in peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs) by measuring Annexin-2 (reduction)





EVIDENCE-BASED MINIREVIEW

# Should caplacizumab be used routinely in unselected patients with immune thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura?

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Parameter	Caplacizumab observational experience A <sup>14</sup>	Caplacizumab observational experience B <sup>15</sup>	7 (5-14)	8.5 (6-12.5)	10.2 <sup>b</sup>	15 (8-23)
Number of subjects	60	90				
Mortality per episode (%)	1.7	1.1				
Number of TPE sessions	9 (2-41) <sup>a</sup>	5 (4-7)	7 (5-14)	8.5 (6-12.5)	10.2 <sup>b</sup>	15 (8-23)
Hospital LOS (days)	18 (5-79) <sup>a</sup>	13 (9-19)	12 (8-24)	12 (9-15)	12 (4-53) <sup>c</sup>	12 (8-20)

We believe that the available **data do not support the routine use of caplacizumab** in unselected patients with iTTP (grade IB). Major outcomes of clinical concern such as mortality and cardiovascular and neurological events are not significantly reduced by caplacizumab.





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