

Table 1. Study characteristics of the included studies in Pomero (2022)

Study	Patients	Severity of stroke and TIA	Treatment onset	Intervention		Comparison		Outcomes of interest reported	Follow-up	N
				Characteristics	Type/dose	Characteristics	Type/dose			
Johnston, 2020 THALES	Patients (≥40 years) with minor IS or high-risk TIA or symptomatic arterial stenosis	NIHSS ≤5 ABCD2 ≥6	≤24h	<i>Mean ±SD</i> <i>age:</i> 65.2 ± 11 <i>%female:</i> 38.2%	Ticagrelor (180 mg load, then 90 mg bid) + ASA (300-325 mg load, then 75-100 mg daily) <i>DAPT duration = 30 days</i>	<i>Mean ±SD</i> <i>age:</i> 65.1 ± 11 <i>%female:</i> 39.5%	ASA + placebo	Functional outcome Stroke recurrence Major bleeding All-cause mortality Intracranial hemorrhage	30 days	11,016
Johnston, 2018 POINT	Patients (≥18 years) with minor IS or high-risk TIA	NIHSS ≤3 ABCD2 ≥4	≤12h	<i>Median (IQR)</i> <i>age:</i> 65 (55-74) <i>%female:</i> 45.1%	Clopidogrel (600 mg load, then 75 mg daily) + ASA (75 mg – 325 mg once daily) <i>DAPT duration = 90 days</i>	<i>Median (IQR)</i> <i>age:</i> 65 (56-74) <i>%female:</i> 44.8%	ASA + placebo	Functional outcome Stroke recurrence Major bleeding All-cause mortality Intracranial hemorrhage	90 days	4881
Wang, 2013 CHANCE	Patients (≥40 years) with minor IS or high-risk TIA	NIHSS ≤3 ABCD2 ≥4	≤24	<i>Median (IQR)</i> <i>age:</i> 63 (55-72) <i>%female:</i> 33.0%	Clopidogrel (300 mg load, then 75 mg daily) + ASA (75 mg once daily) for 21 days, then clopidogrel alone (75 mg daily) <i>DAPT duration = 21 days</i>	<i>Median (IQR)</i> <i>age:</i> 62 (54-71) <i>%female:</i> 34.7%	ASA + placebo	Functional outcome Stroke recurrence Major bleeding All-cause mortality Intracranial hemorrhage	21 days	5170
Kennedy, 2007 FASTER	Patients (≥18 years) with minor IS or TIA	NIHSS ≤3	≤24h	<i>Mean ±SD</i> <i>age:</i> Total: 68.1 ± 13	Clopidogrel (300 mg load, then 75 mg daily) + ASA (162 mg load, then 81 mg daily)	<i>Mean ±SD</i> <i>age:</i> Total: 68.1 ± 13	ASA + placebo	Stroke recurrence Major bleeding	90 days	396

				%female: 46.9%	DAPT duration = 90 days	%female: 55.8%		Intracranial hemorrhage		
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Abbreviations: ASA = acetylsalicylic acid; DAPT = dual antiplatelet therapy; IS = ischemic stroke; IQR = interquartile range; NIHSS = national institute of health stroke scale; SD = standard deviation; TIA = transient ischemic attack.