

DIABETES MELLITUS



TREATMENT

Oral

- 1> Biguanides
- 2> Sulfonylureas
meglitinides
- 3> Thiazolidinediones
- 4> DPP4⊖
- 5> SGLT⊖
- 6> α-glucosidase⊖

Injectibles

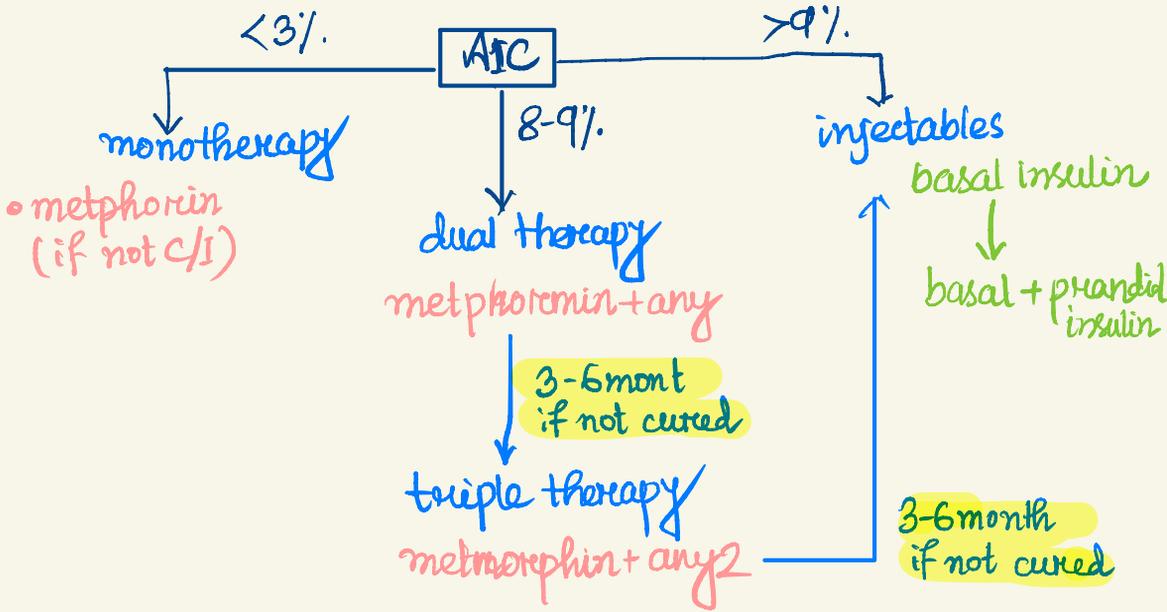
- 1> Insulin -
 - Rapid short acting
 - Intermediate
 - long acting
 - ultralong
- 2> GLP-1 analogue
- 3> Amylin analogue

- combined PPARα/γ⊕. *Saxagliptin*
↳ ↓ blood sugar & TG

Ranolazine - late Na current inhibitor -
Bromocriptine - dopamine agonist
cholestyramine - bile acid sequestrant
colesevelam -

} also has anti-diabetic property

Protocol



Indications for straightway administration of Insulin

Diabetic emergency

Pregnancy

Pre-operative pt.

Osmotic/catabolic symptoms of diabetes

↓
polydypsia

↳ wt. loss severe

micro/macrovascular complication

↳ Renal / heart failure

↑↑ Hb_{1c} (~ 16%)

Goal of treatment

↓ Hb1c → ↓ micro/macrovascular complication

microvascular
retinopathy
nephropathy
neuropathy

macrovascular
CVS risk (MI/angina)
Cerebrovascular risk (stroke)
peripheral vascular

non-vascular
glaucoma
cataract
infections

- m/c
- candida fungi as UTI
 - bacteria

• Hb1c ~ 7% is safe for most patients.

Old
comorbidity
↑ hypoglycemic risk
↑ life expectancy

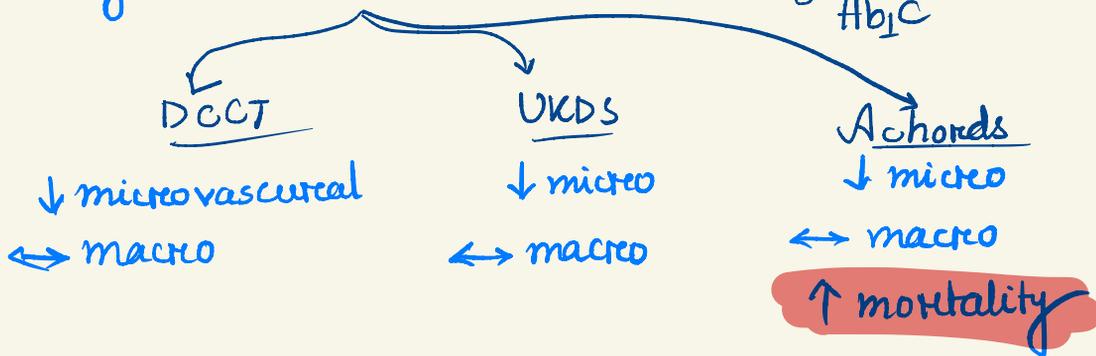
liberal Hb1c target
~ 8% is fine

Young
no co-morbidity
↓ hypoglycemic risk
↑ life expectancy

strict Hb1c target
~ 6% even is fine

if Hb1c is ↓ ed below 6% , is there any benefits?
many trials were done

↳ tight control of Hb1c



even 1y after relaxation of additional tight control
microvascular benefits are sustained

↳ metabolic memory
legacy effect

LDL goal

pt. having CVS disease < 70

no CVS disease < 100

diabetes → change in metabolism → productⁿ of different type of LDL
(very small LDL particle)
↓
↑ risk of CVS disorder

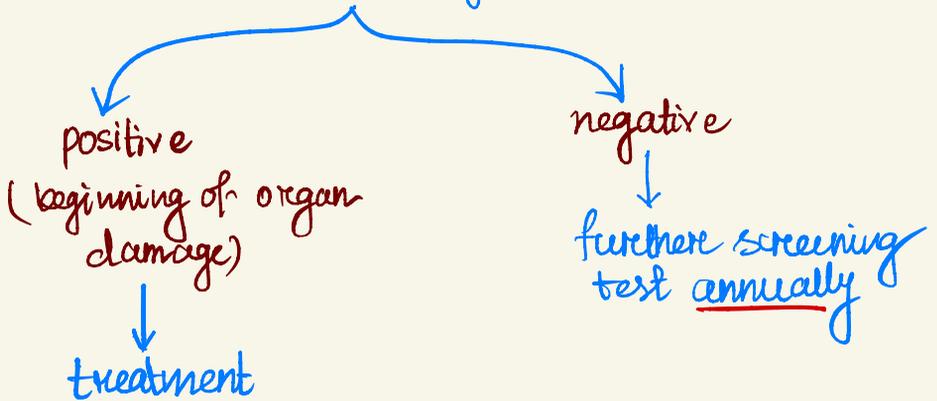
>40 age ↑ LDL diabetics, statins should be prescribed.

Screening of microvascular complication

Type I DM: 5y after diagnosis
except: Retinopathy (before 5y)

• macrovascular complication can't be screened

Type II DM: at time of diagnosis



Technique

measurement of

nephropathy

- eGFR
- serum creatinine
- Urine micro-albumin

retinopathy

fundus exam^m

neuropathy

- temp.
- pain
- vibration
minimum 2 sensation check at feet

Biguanides

main drug - metformin.

interferes \bar{c} AMP kinase pathway

↓ hepatic gluconeogenesis

↓ peripheral Insulin resistance

Efficacy - high (can ↓ se 1-1.5% Hb1c)

Dose_{max} - 2-2.5 g/d (for Indians, 2g/d is enough)
at >2.5 g/d there is no extra benefit
note ↑ S/E as such.

S/E - GI lesions*

Vit B₁₂ def. (on long term use)

Lactic acidosis (rare)

Metformin is nephrotoxic

C/I - Renal disorders

eGFR < 30

S. creatinine > 1.4

proteinuria > 1

Metformin should be avoided in

pre-op.
sepsis

MI

contrast administration

Effect on

GI - S/E

hypoglycemia - alone never cause. (along w/ other may cause) potential

DKD (👁) - avoid when eGFR < 30

ASCVD (❤) ↔ / potential benefit

CHF ↔

Bone ↔

Sulfonylureas

1st gen

chlorpropamide

tolbutamide

not used now

relative cardio safe

2nd gen

Glyburide / Glybenclamide

Gliclazide (↑est t_{1/2})

Glipizide - relative

Glimepiride - renosafe

MoA-

augment Insulin release by acting on ATP sensitive K⁺ channel

makes β cell secrete insulin in glucose independent (whether high or low) manner

↓
extreme high risk of hypoglycemia

S/E. hypoglycemia

obesity* (↑ Insulin release. Insulin is anabolic)

Efficacy - high (↓ Hb1c ↓ -1.5%)

not much safe in cardiac & renal problem.

Effect

GI ↔

hypoglycemia ↑↑

DKD ↔

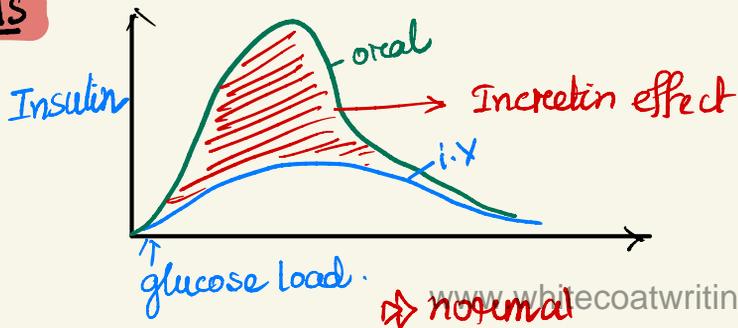
ASCVD ↔

CHF ↔

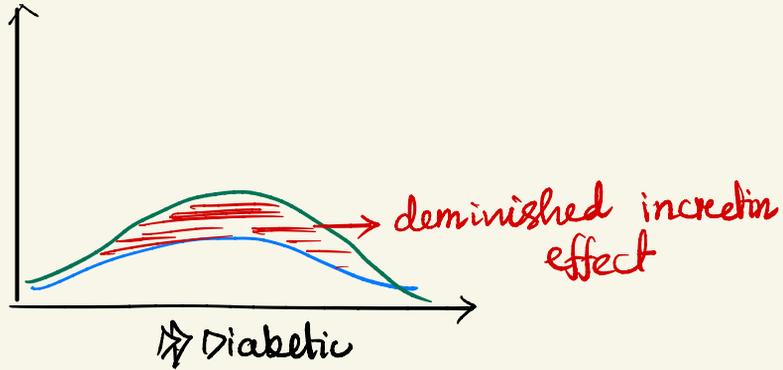
Bone ↔

- **Meglitinides** are similar but short acting.
 - ↳ relatively ↓ hypoglycemic risk
 - ↳ intermediate efficacy
 - not popular drugs - expensive

INCRETINS



Incretins (GLP-1, GIP) ↑ Insulin release
in oral glucose load.



drug blocking DPP4
to ↑ GLP-1 → ↑ post-prandial
insulin release

↓
Gliptines
sitagliptin

GLP-1 analogue - Exenatide
Liraglutide
Albiglutide
Dulaglutide

- extremely costly
~15K/month.
- Injectable

Gliptines - ↑ Insulin release

↓ GI motility ⇒ ↑ satiety

↓ proteinuria.

↳ useful in severe polyphagia

S/E - Nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea, bloating, flatulence.

Arthralgia
pancreatitis

(controversial study - ↑ pancreatic cancer risk)

no clear evidence
but better to avoid in
H/o cancer in family
ongoing cancer.

headache.

Efficacy - moderate (0.5 - 0.75%)

hypoglycemic risk: NO.

DKD, ACVD, Bone: ↔

CHF: saxagliptine, Alogliptine ↑ CHF exacerbation, hospitalisation.

Linagliptine is ↑ renoprotective - can be given at any stage of Renal Failure

GLP-1 analogue

Preference - Δ agliptide $>$ liraglutide $>$ Albiglutide
s/c once a week once a day \rightarrow potent anti-obesity drug

S/E - same as gliptines

Efficacy - high (0.75-1.5%)

clinically significant weight loss.

\downarrow
although costly,
can be used in
obesity

\rightarrow preferred in pt.
BMI $>$ 35

effect. GI - SE
DKD - beneficial
ASCVD - beneficial
CHF - \leftrightarrow
bone - \leftrightarrow

- It is prescribable after renal transplant.
 - costly

SGLT-2 inhibitors

Empa
cana
sapa } gliflozins

blocks SGLT-2 in kidney

⊗ glucose, Na⁺ reabsorption

glycosuria,
natriuresis

→ ↑ UTI risk

CI - recurrent UTI
eGFR < 30

Efficacy - Intermediate (0.5-0.8%)

hypoglycemia - nil (↔)

DKD beneficial

ASCVD beneficial

CHF beneficial (saxagliptin is proved to
↑ survival in CHF)

Bone - canagliflozin slightly ↑ risk of fracture

Thiazolidinediones

Glitazones

Rosiglitazone — ↑ CVS disease - withdrawal

Pioglitazone

act on **PPAR γ**

Efficiency - high
hypoglycemia ↔

GI ↔

DKD ↔

ASCVD ↔

CHF e/I

bone harmful

- weight gain
- fluid retention

↓
C/I - CHF

- bladder cancer chances ↑

α -glucosidase inhibitors

Acarbose - only approved drug

inhibit breakdown of complex carb to simple carb.

induce carbohydrate malabsorption.

↓
↓ se post-prandial sugar

S/E

flatulence, bloating,
abdominal cramps

CI - eGFR < 30

Efficacy: int. (0.6%)

hypoglycemia: nil - but, if α -glucosidase \ominus taking
pt. undergo hypoglycemia, he/she
should be advised to take simple
glucose (e.g. glucon-D powder), not
snacks because glucose won't be
absorbed then

DKD: \leftrightarrow

ASCVD: \leftrightarrow / potential benefit

CHF: \leftrightarrow

bone: \leftrightarrow

Amylin Analogue

- \uparrow satiety
- \downarrow glucagon release

costly

\uparrow risk of hypoglycemia

no potential benefit in CHF, ASCVD.

Subcutaneous inj.

not used/popular

INSULIN THERAPY

Rapid- Lispro (B^{28} -lysine, B^{29} proline)

Insulin analogue ←

Aspart
Glicine

B^{28} = aspartic

B_3 - lysine (~~Asparagine~~)

B_{29} - glu (~~lysine~~)

Short acting

Regular Insulin
(Recombinant human insulin)

Intermediate acting

NPH

↓
not insulin analogue

• NPH = regular insulin complexed c Zn & protamine

Long acting

Glargine
Detemir
Degludec

↗ U₁₀₀
↘ U₃₀₀

works for 34-40 hrs.

perfect basal insulin.
24 hrs actⁿ.

Natural INSULIN

- 21 aa } Joined by -S-S-
- 30 aa }

positions

↳ B^{28} Proline

B^{29} Lysin

B^{30} threonine

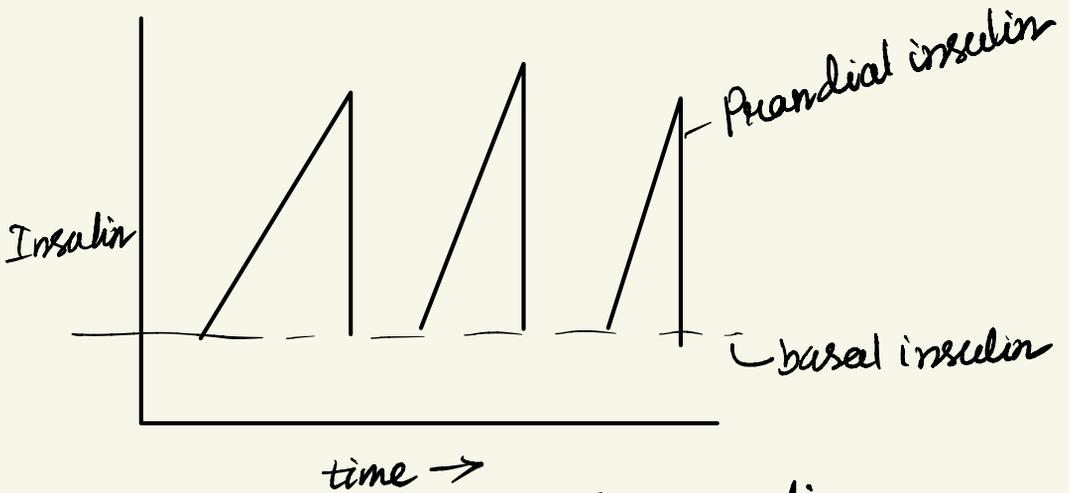
A^{21} asparagine.

Location of -S-S-

$A_7 - B_6$

$A_{20} - B_{19}$

$A_5 - A_{11}$ (intrachain)



time →
 ⇒ Normal insulin secretion

Insulin therapy should mimic normal insulin release.

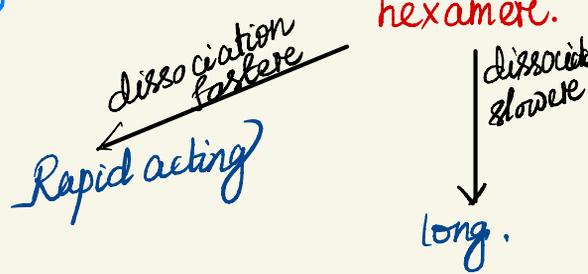
Glargine, degludec are good for basal insulin
 lispro, aspart are good for prandial insulin

Glargine - A²¹: Asn → gly
 B^{21/32} → Arg

Detemir - B³⁰: ~~Threonine~~ ⊗ -
 B²⁹: lysine ⊕ myristic acid (F.A) (add)

Degludec - B³⁰: ~~threonine~~ ⊗ → added a glutamic acid spacer and then hexadecanoic acid (f.A.)

Regular Insulin, on given s/c route, then form



on i.v. there is no hexamere formatⁿ. thus, all insulin will be same. thus, only cheapest regular insulin is used.

Regimes

- 1) Basal : oral + basal
- 2) Basal plus : basal + prandial insulin \bar{c}
1 or 2 largest meal
- 3) Basal bolus : basal + prandial insulin \bar{c}
all meal.

Basal \rightarrow long acting (once a day) - Glargine U100
int. (twice a day - \uparrow risk of hypoglycemia)
 \hookrightarrow produce peak (NPH)

ultra long acting. Glargine U300, degludec
can be taken any time during day.

Prandial → rapid > short.
↓
gold standard.

site of inj. Abdomen (↑ abs.)
post. arm
Lateral aspect of thigh.

↓
site should be rotated.

s/c insulin never cause hypokalemia.

Only Insulin that can never be mixed \bar{c} other insulin-
Glargine (acidic pH → crystallize)