

# **ACIDO URICO, HIPERTENSION ARTERIAL y SINDROME METABOLICO: NUEVA ASOCIACION ?**

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# AGENDA

BIOQUIMICA Y METABOLISMO DEL ACIDO URICO

FISIOPATOLOGIA DEL DAÑO POR ACIDO URICO

ACIDO URICO Y ENFERMEDAD CARDIOVASCULAR

SINDROME METABOLICO Y ACIDO URICO

TRATAMIENTO

# NUCLEOTIDOS Y NUCLEOSIDOS

## PURINAS

- ADENINA
  - GUANINA
  - HIPOXANTINA
  - XANTINA
- DNA, RNA

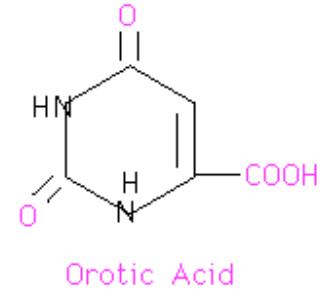
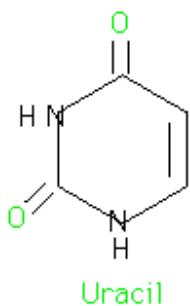
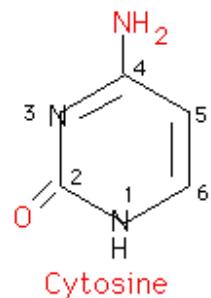
## PIRIMIDINAS

- URACILO
- TIMINA
- CITOSINA
- AC. OROTICO

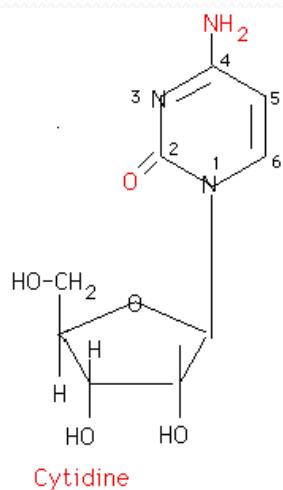
CARBOHIDRATO (RIBOSA, DESOXIRIBOSA) + BASE NITROGENADA = **NUCLEOSIDO**

NUCLEOSIDO + FOSFORO INORGANICO (Pi) = **NUCLEOTIDO**

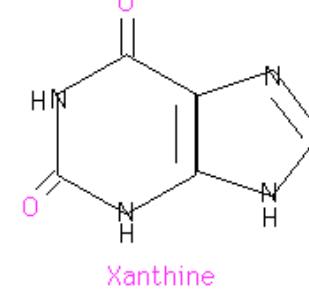
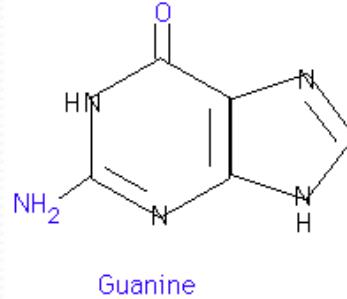
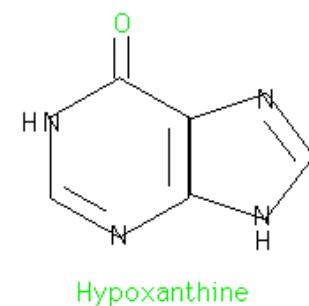
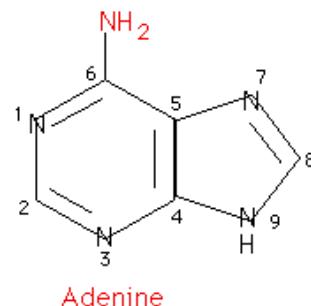
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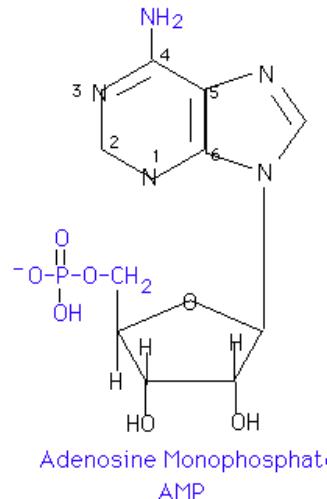
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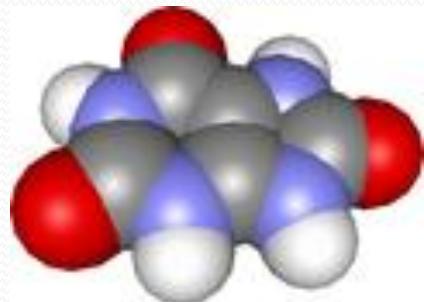
## PURINAS



## NUCLEOTIDO



# BIOQUÍMICA DEL ACIDO ÚRICO



7,9-dihidro-1H-purina-  
2,6,8(3H)-triona

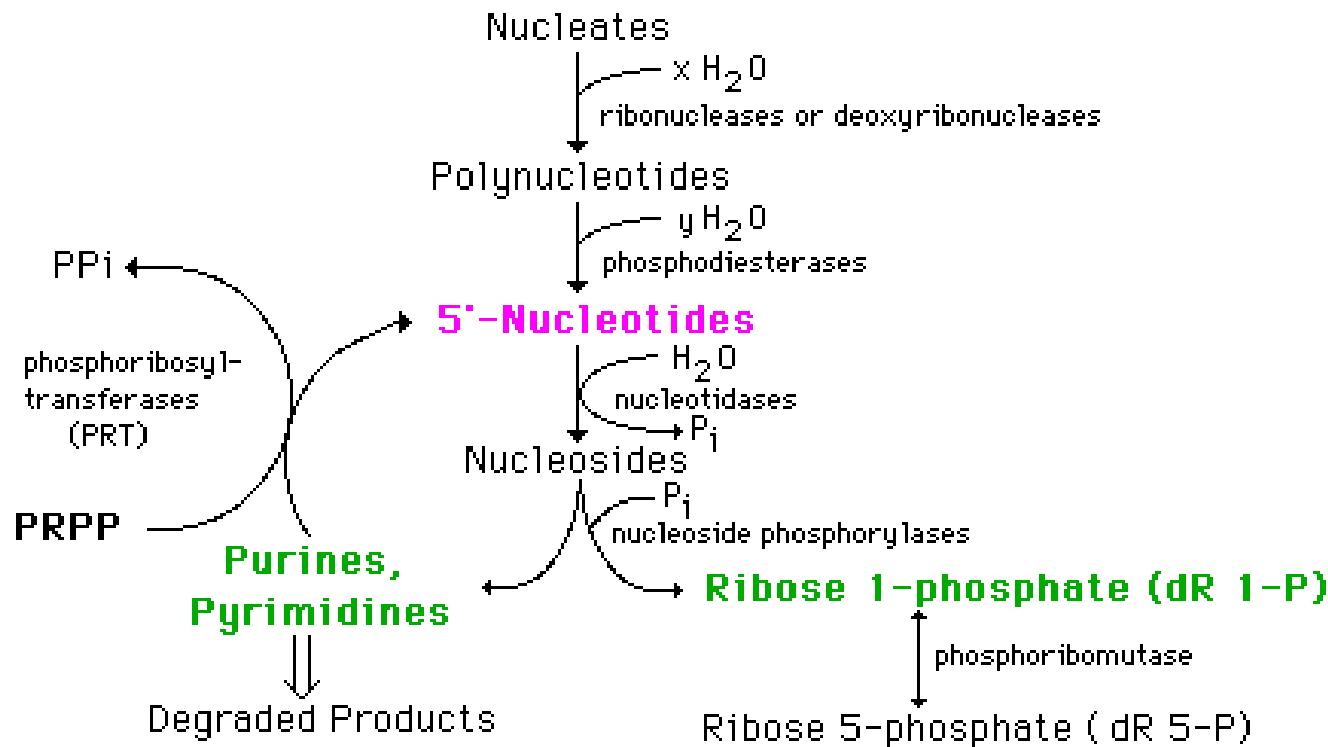
2,6,8 Trioxypurina



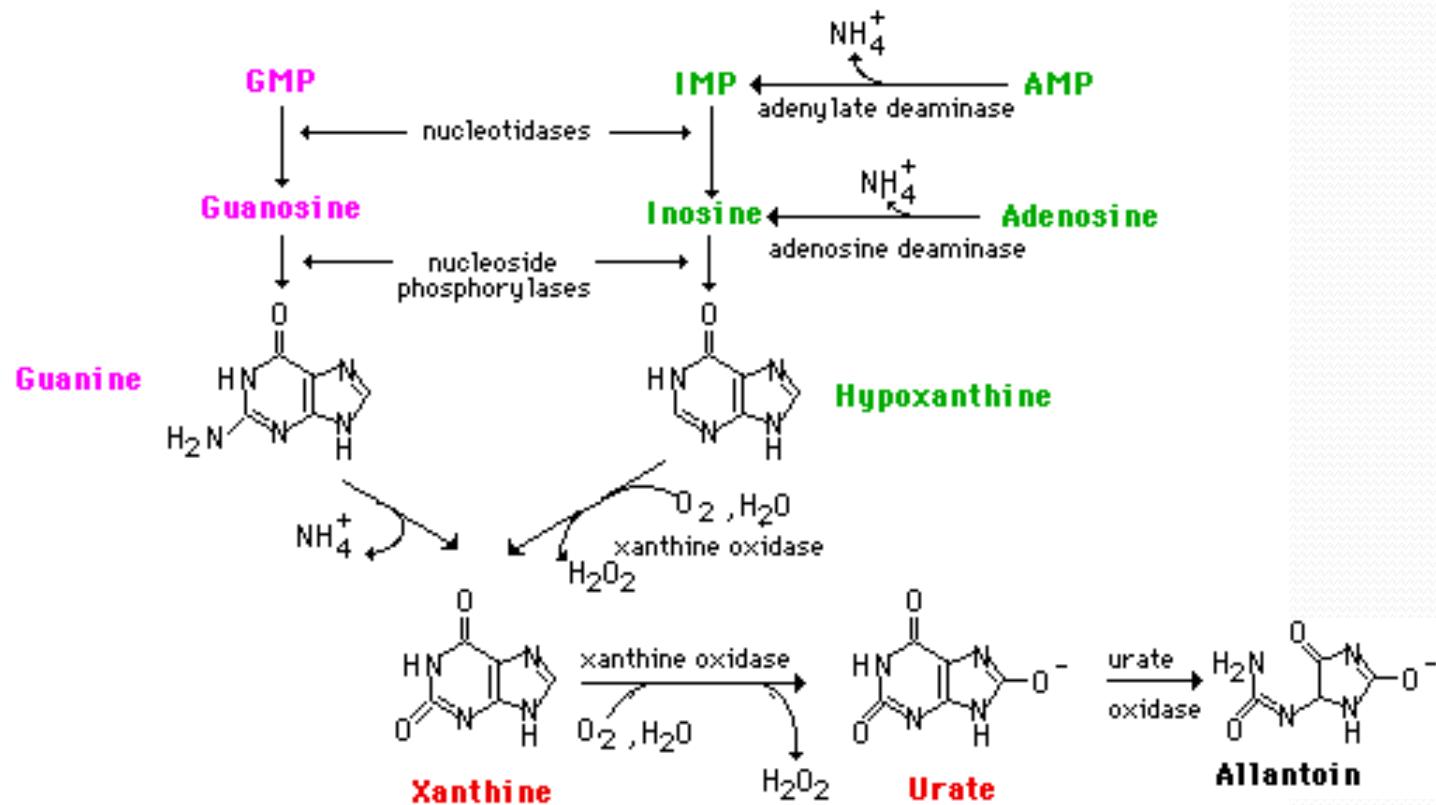
Producto final del metabolismo de las purinas en los humanos.

En la mayoría de vertebrados y mamíferos el metabolismo continúa hasta alantoína mediante la enzima URICASA

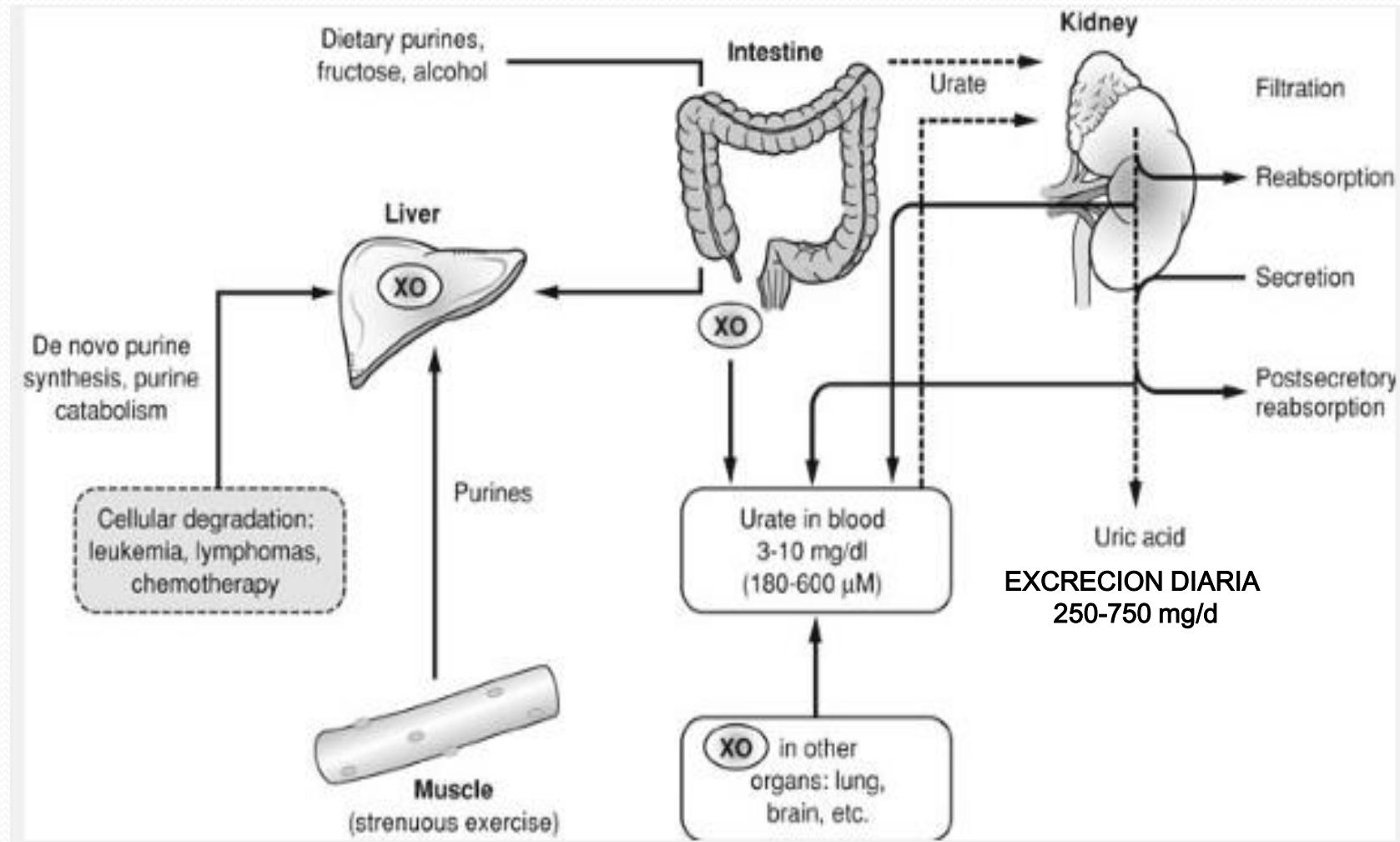
# METABOLISMO DE NUCLEÓTIDOS



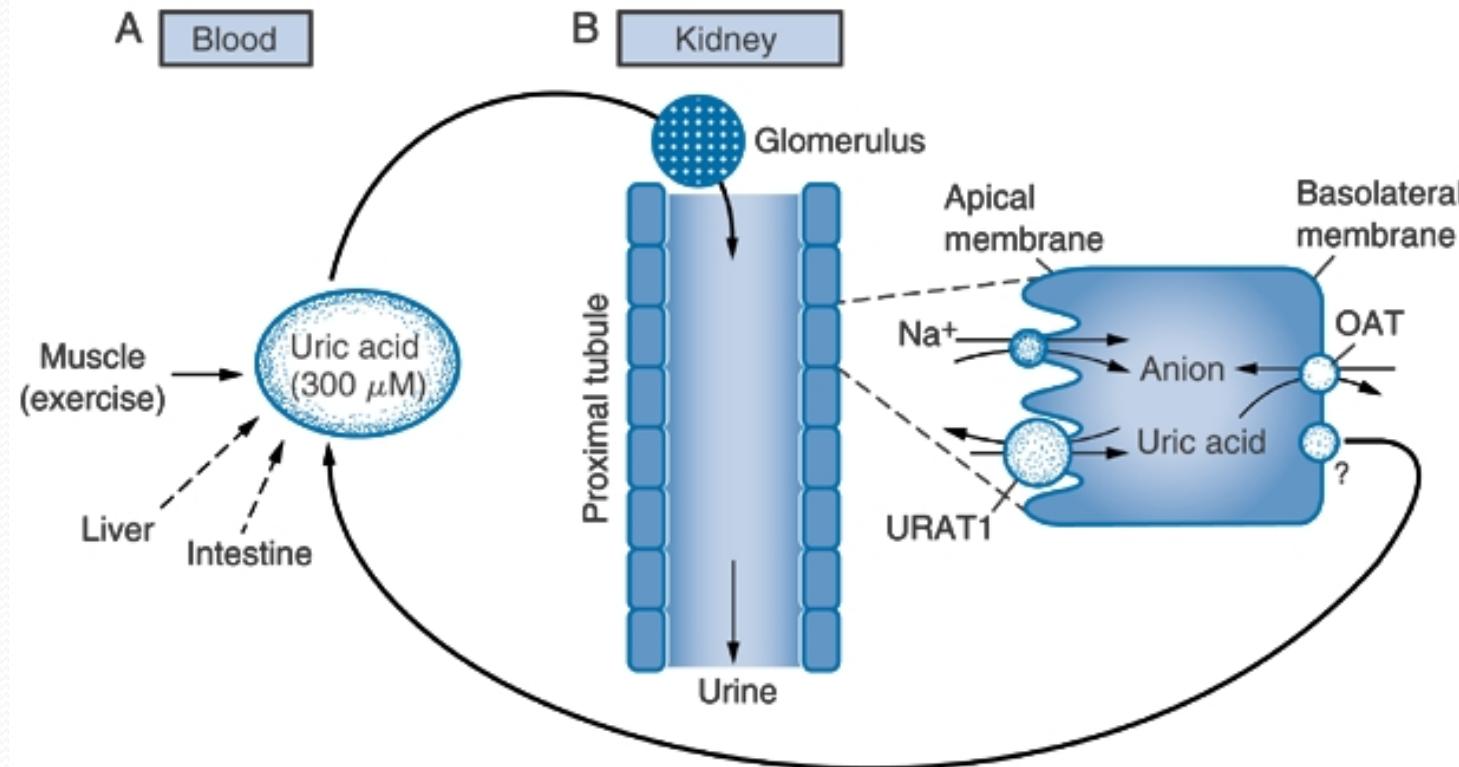
# METABOLISMO DE LOS NUCLEÓTIDOS EN LOS VERTEBRADOS INFERIORES



# METABOLISMO DEL ACIDO URICO



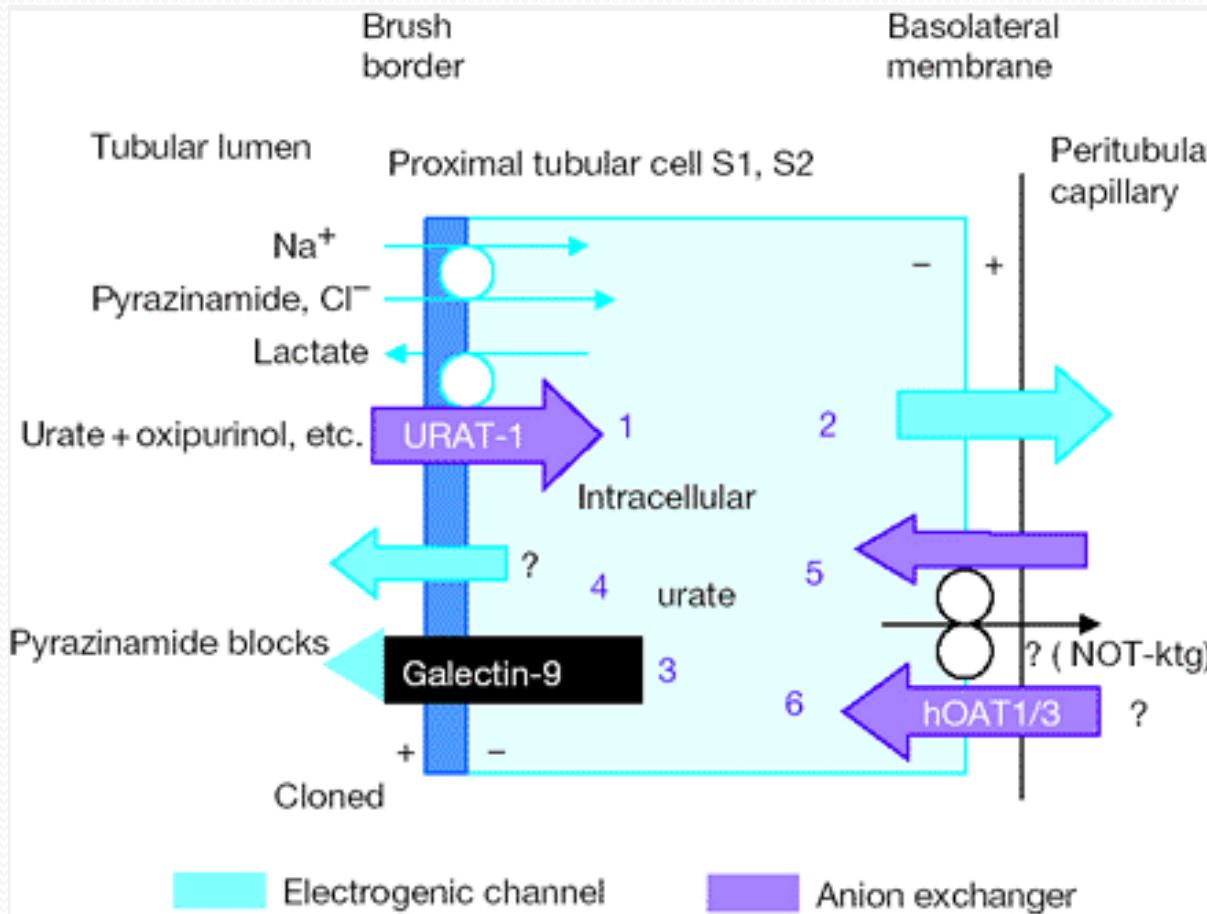
# METABOLISMO DEL ACIDO URICO



(Modified from Hediger MA. Kidney function: Gateway to a long life? Nature 417:393, 2002.)

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# MECANISMOS DE TRANSPORTE RENAL

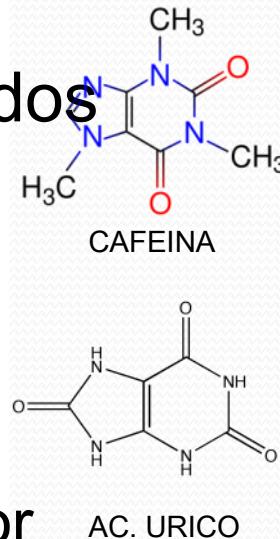
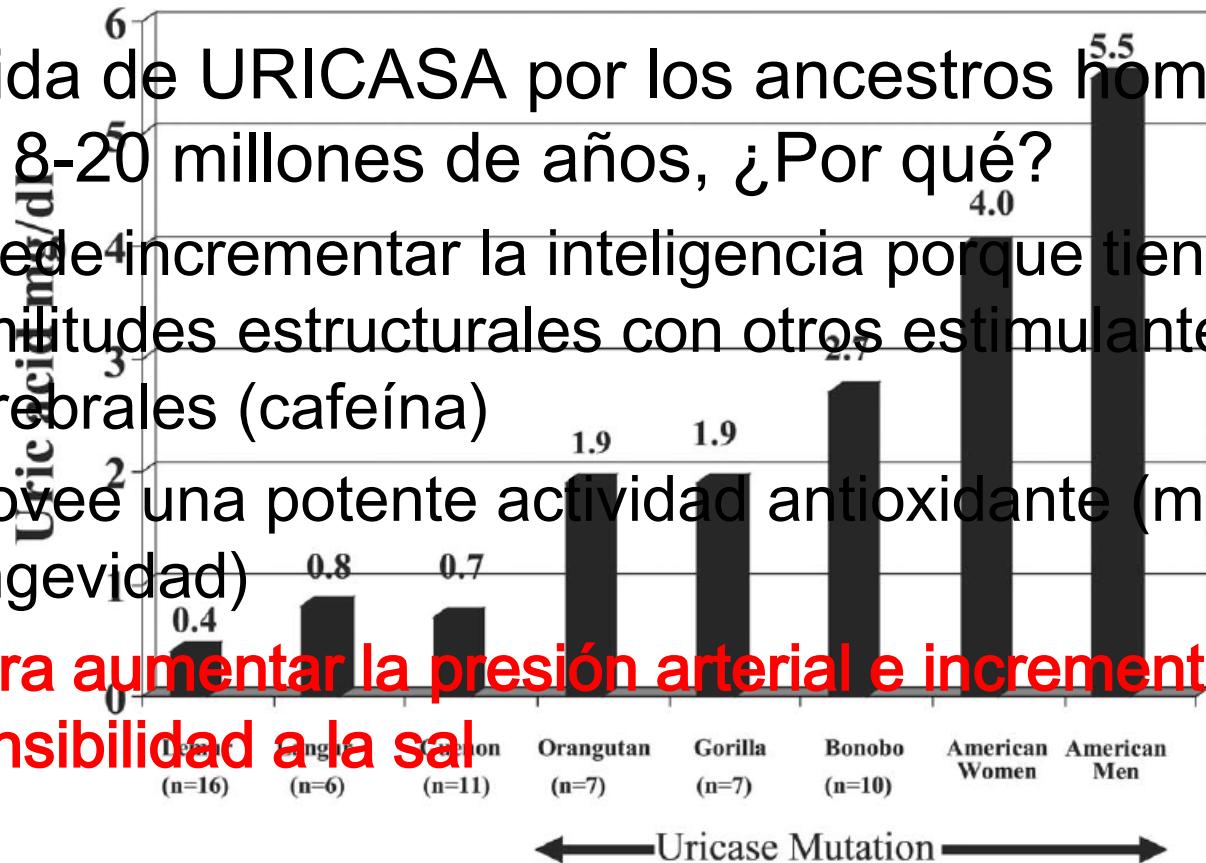


# Uric Acid, Evolution and Primitive Cultures

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## Uric Acid Levels in Primates

- Pérdida de URICASA por los ancestros homínidos hace 8-20 millones de años, ¿Por qué?
  - Puede incrementar la inteligencia porque tiene similitudes estructurales con otros estimulantes cerebrales (cafeína)
  - Provee una potente actividad antioxidante (mayor longevidad)
  - **Para aumentar la presión arterial e incrementar la sensibilidad a la sal**

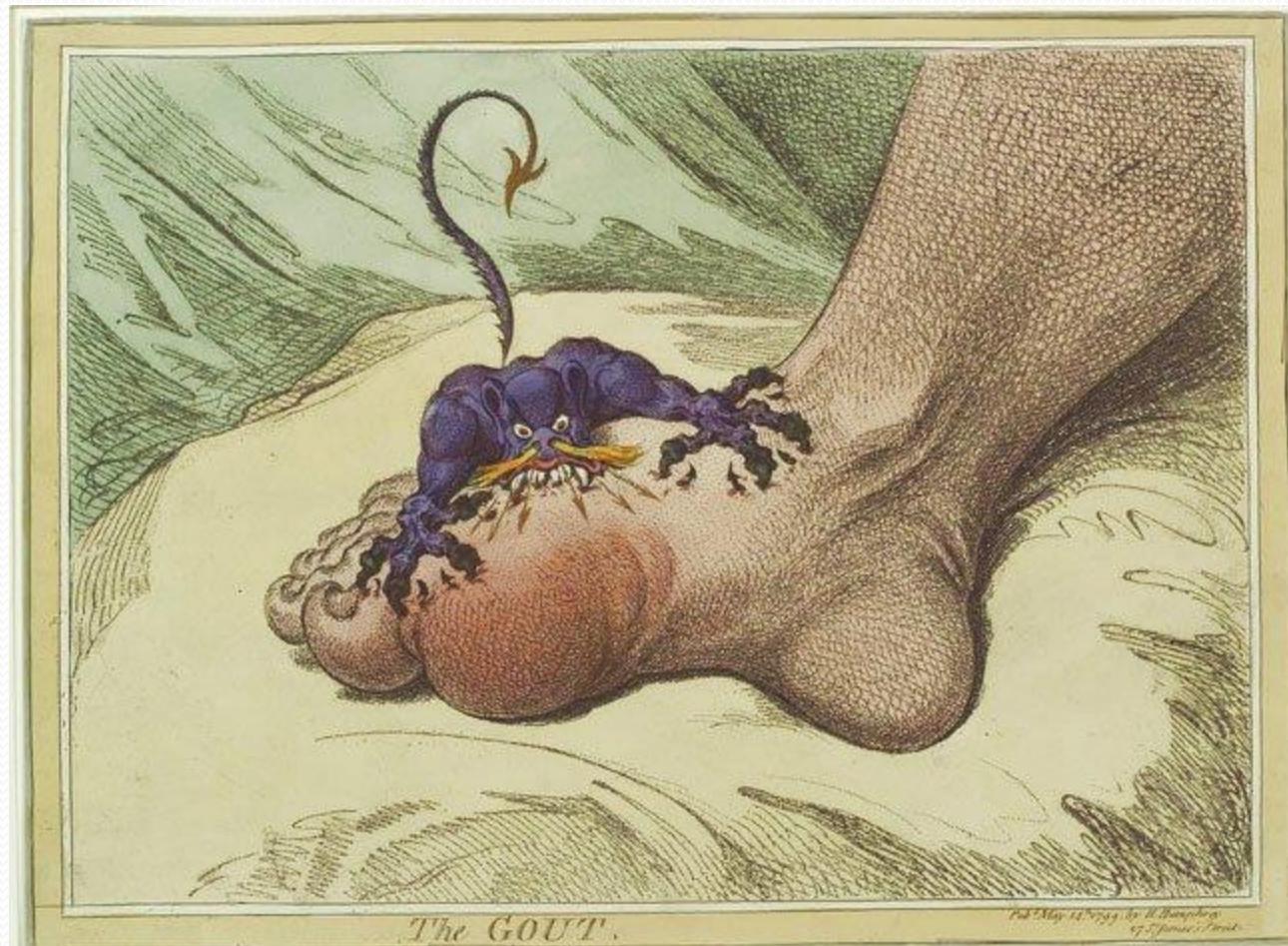


**Figure 1** Mean serum uric acid levels of various primates obtained from the San Diego zoo. The values for mean uric acid in American men and women was obtained from the NHANES study.<sup>77</sup>

# FISIOPATOLOGIA

# HISTORIA

- Asociación entre Hipertensión e Hiperuricemia descrita desde 1879 por Frederick Akbar Mahomed.
  - *On chronic Bright's disease, and its essential symptoms. Lancet I:399-401, 1879.*
- Huchard reportó que las principales causas de arterioloesclerosis eran gota e hiperuricemia
  - *Arterioloesclerosis: Including its cardiac form. JAMA 53:1129, 1909.*



*The GOUT.*

Pub'd May 14, 1793, by H. Humphreys  
of James's Street.

**TABLE 76-1 Major causes of hyperuricemia**

Genetic causes

Familial hyperuricemic nephropathy (mutation of uromodulin)

Lesch-Nyan syndrome (HGPRT mutation)

Phosphoribosyl pyrophosphate synthetase (PRPPS) mutation

Dietary causes

Diet high in purines (organ meats, shellfish, fatty meats)

Diet high in fructose (high fructose corn syrup, table sugar, honey)

Ethanol

Low salt diet

Drugs

Thiazides

Loop diuretics

Calcineurin inhibitors (cyclosporine > tacrolimus)

Pyrazinamide

Low-dose aspirin

Volume depletion

Hypoxia (systemic or tissue)

Increased cell turnover (myeloproliferative disorders, polycythemia vera)

Conditions associated with higher **uric acid** levels

Renal failure

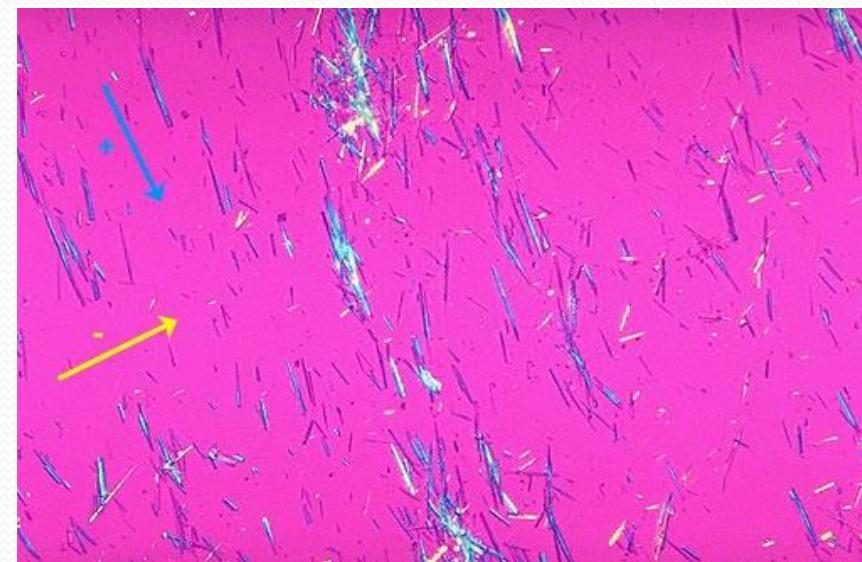
Obesity/metabolic syndrome

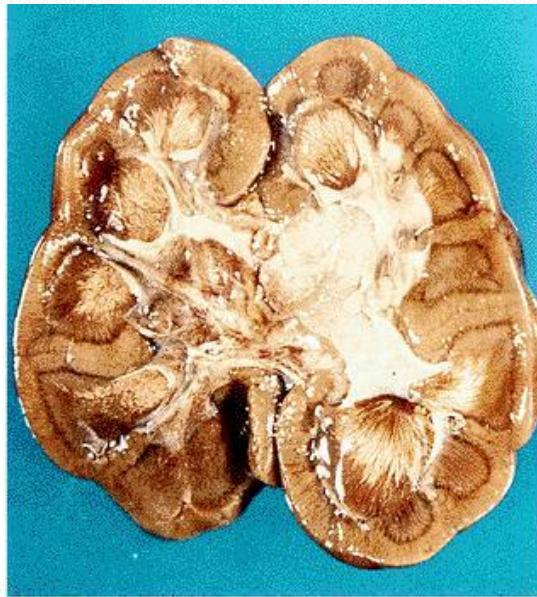
Untreated hypertension

African American race

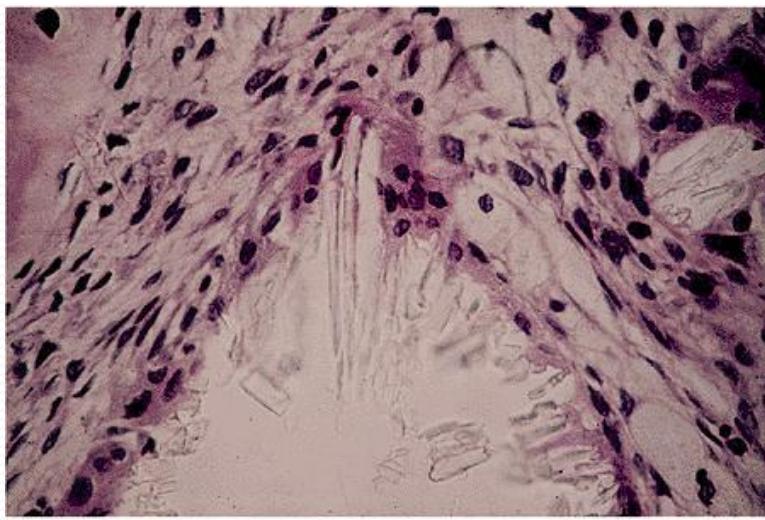
Preeclampsia

Vigorous exercise





- Características histopatológicas de la “Nefropatía Gotosa”
  - Depósito de cristales de ácido úrico en intersticio de manera dispersa
  - Arterioloesclerosis



- El ácido úrico se considera solo un marcador de enfermedad renal y cardiovascular y no como un factor de riesgo independiente para estas enfermedades.
- Evidencia epidemiológica, experimental, clínica.

# Hyperuricemia induces a primary renal arteriolopathy in rats by a blood pressure-independent mechanism

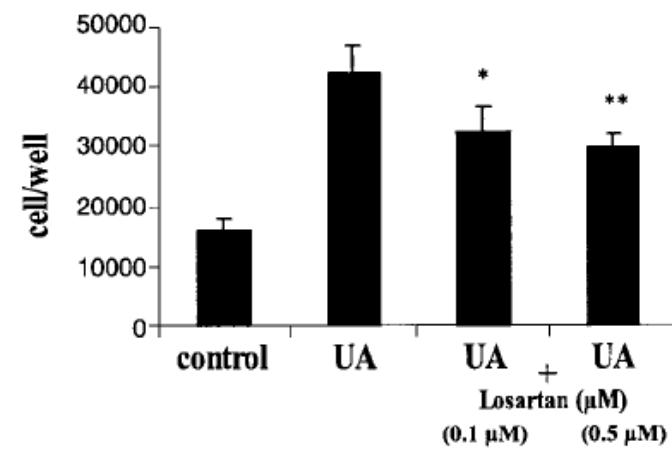
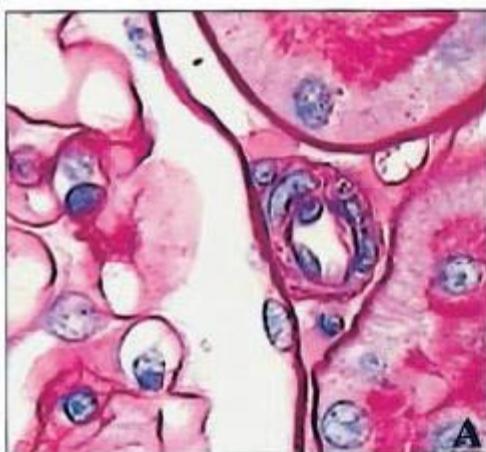
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Table 1. Hyperuricemia is associated with afferent arteriolopathy

	Control*	Oxonic Acid (2%)	Allopurinol, 150 mg/l	Benziodarone, 15 mg/kg
Serum uric acid, mg/dl	1.39 ± 0.07	1.84 ± 0.21†	1.32 ± 0.06	1.40 ± 0.13
Systolic blood pressure, mmHg	126.8 ± 4.9	146.9 ± 8.5†	119.3 ± 5.6	127.8 ± 6.3
Arteriolar area, $\mu\text{m}^2$	128.1 ± 13.4	170.7 ± 20.1†	127.8 ± 4.9	139.1 ± 8.6
Media-to-lumen ratio	3.07 ± 0.24	4.28 ± 0.29†	3.10 ± 0.37	3.15 ± 0.17
Blood urea nitrogen, mg/dl	15.6 ± 3.8	20.5 ± 3.8†	11.8 ± 1.8	12.2 ± 3.5

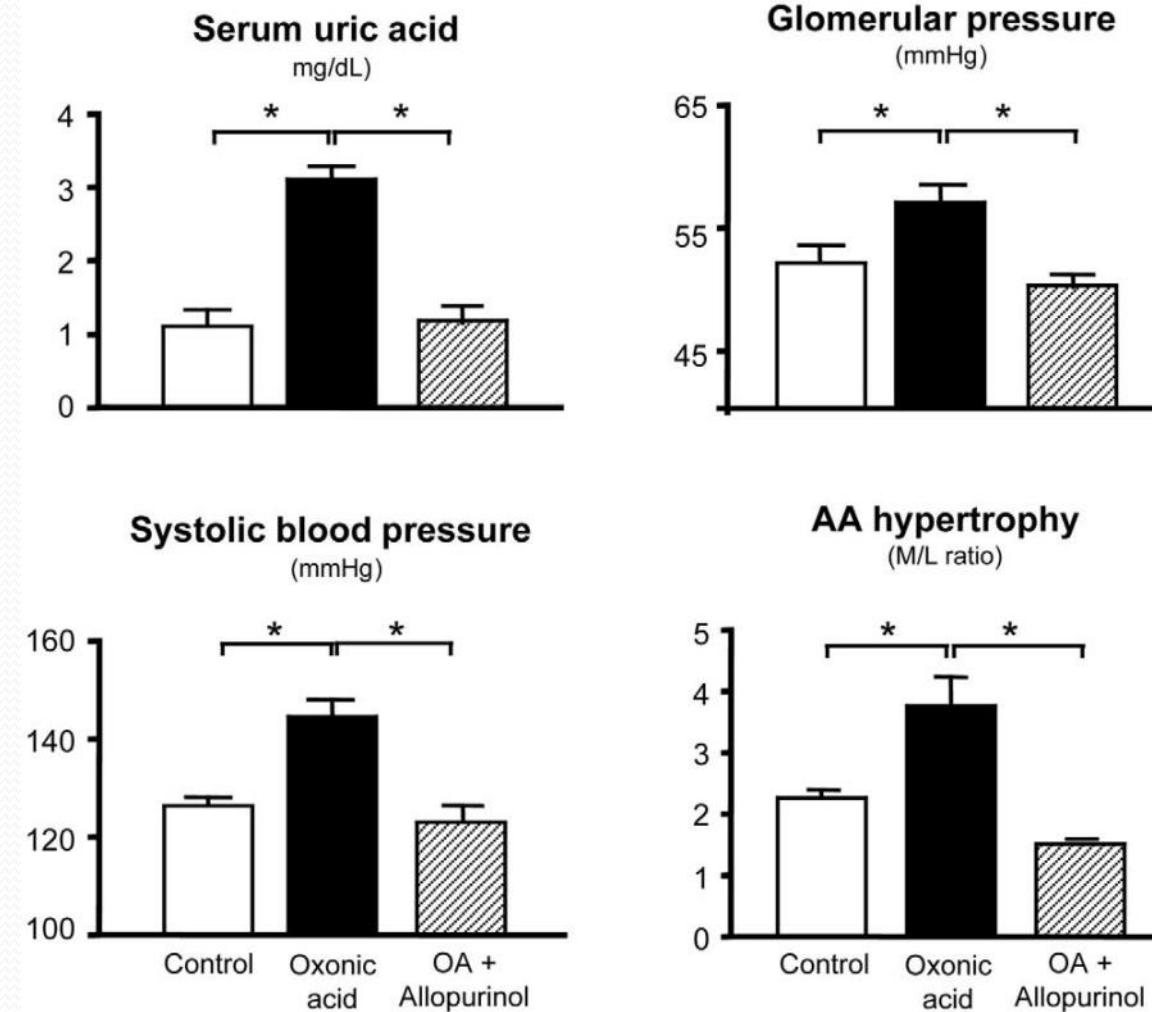
\*Low-salt diet. † $P < 0.05$  vs. other groups.



\* $P > 0.05$ , \*\* $P < 0.01$  UA vs UA+Losartan(0.1, 0.5  $\mu\text{M}$ )

# Hemodynamics of Hyperuricemia

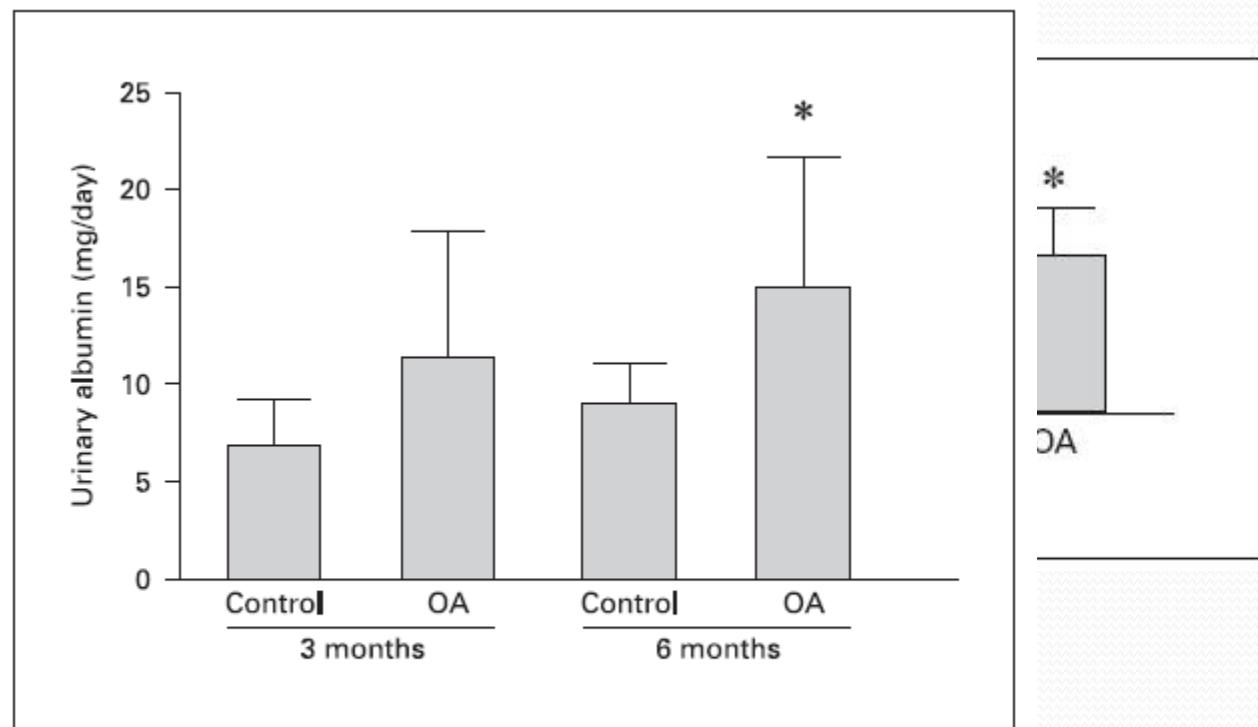
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# Uric Acid – A Uremic Toxin?

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**Fig. 2.** Prolonged hyperuricemia is associated with the development of microalbuminuria. \*  $p < 0.05$  versus control (6 months).

# Uric Acid and Endothelial Dysfunction in Essential Hypertension

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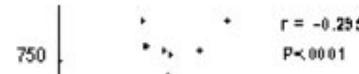
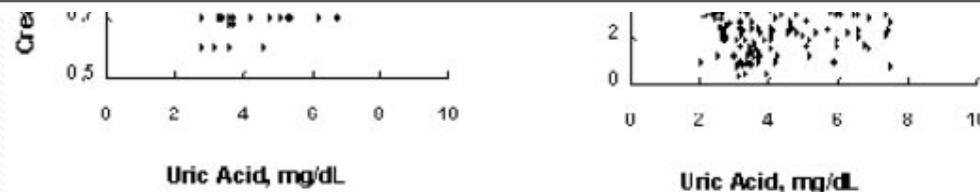


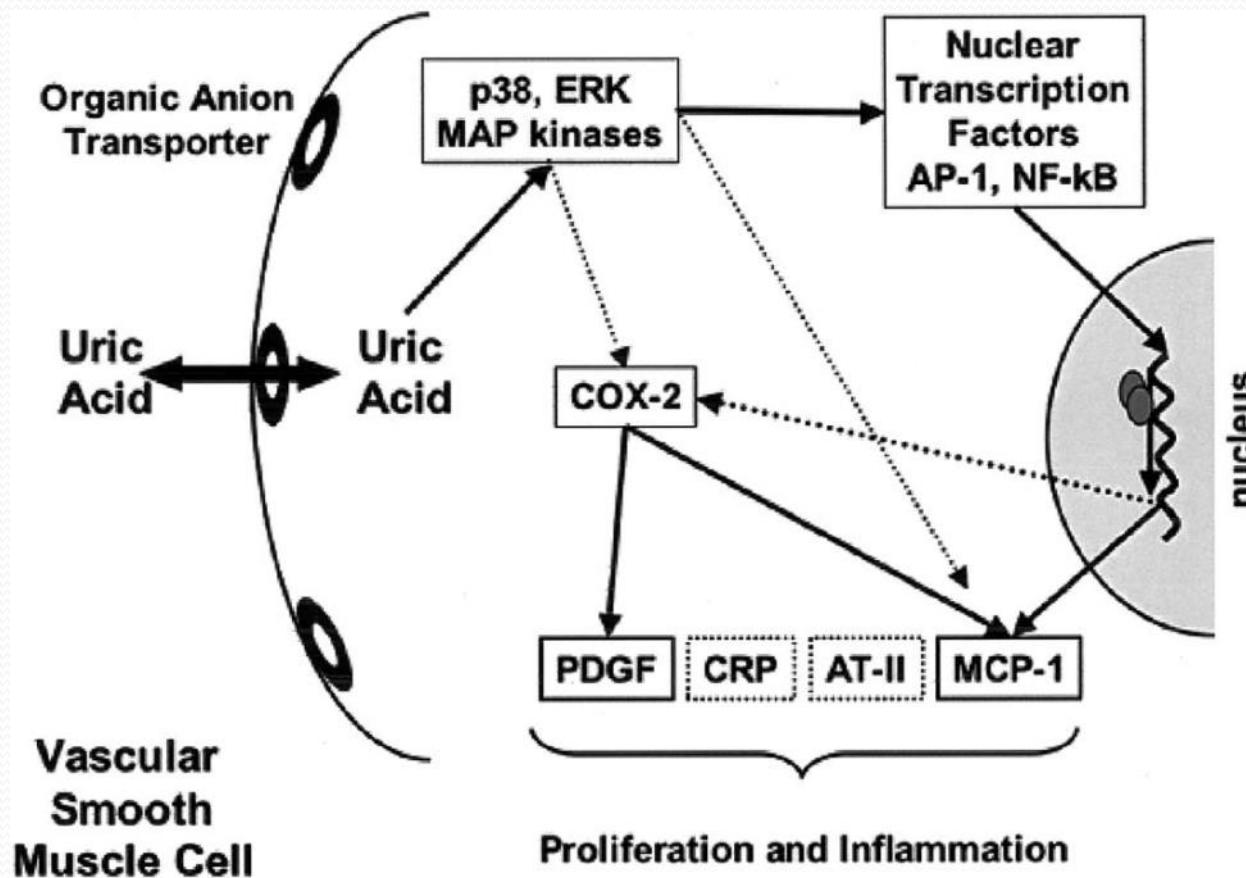
Table 3. Multivariate logistic analysis of endothelial dysfunction<sup>a</sup>

	HR	95% CI	P
Creatinine (mg/dl)	1.475	1.137 to 1.911	0.003
HOMA	1.422	1.101 to 1.836	0.006
UA (mg/dl)	1.412	1.110 to 1.796	0.004
Systolic BP (mmHg)	1.035	1.000 to 1.071	0.045
CRP (mg/L)	1.180	0.989 to 1.407	0.064
Male gender	1.440	0.687 to 3.021	0.333
Pulse pressure (mmHg)	1.026	0.981 to 1.073	0.257
Age (yr)	1.019	0.985 to 1.054	0.271
Diastolic BP (mmHg)	0.974	0.931 to 1.019	0.257
Triglycerides (mg/dl)	1.002	0.993 to 1.011	0.612
Body mass index ( $\text{kg}/\text{m}^2$ )	1.018	0.921 to 1.126	0.719
HDL Cholesterol (mg/dl)	0.998	0.968 to 1.028	0.900
LDL cholesterol (mg/dl)	0.994	0.983 to 1.005	0.310
Smokers	1.011	0.446 to 2.291	0.978



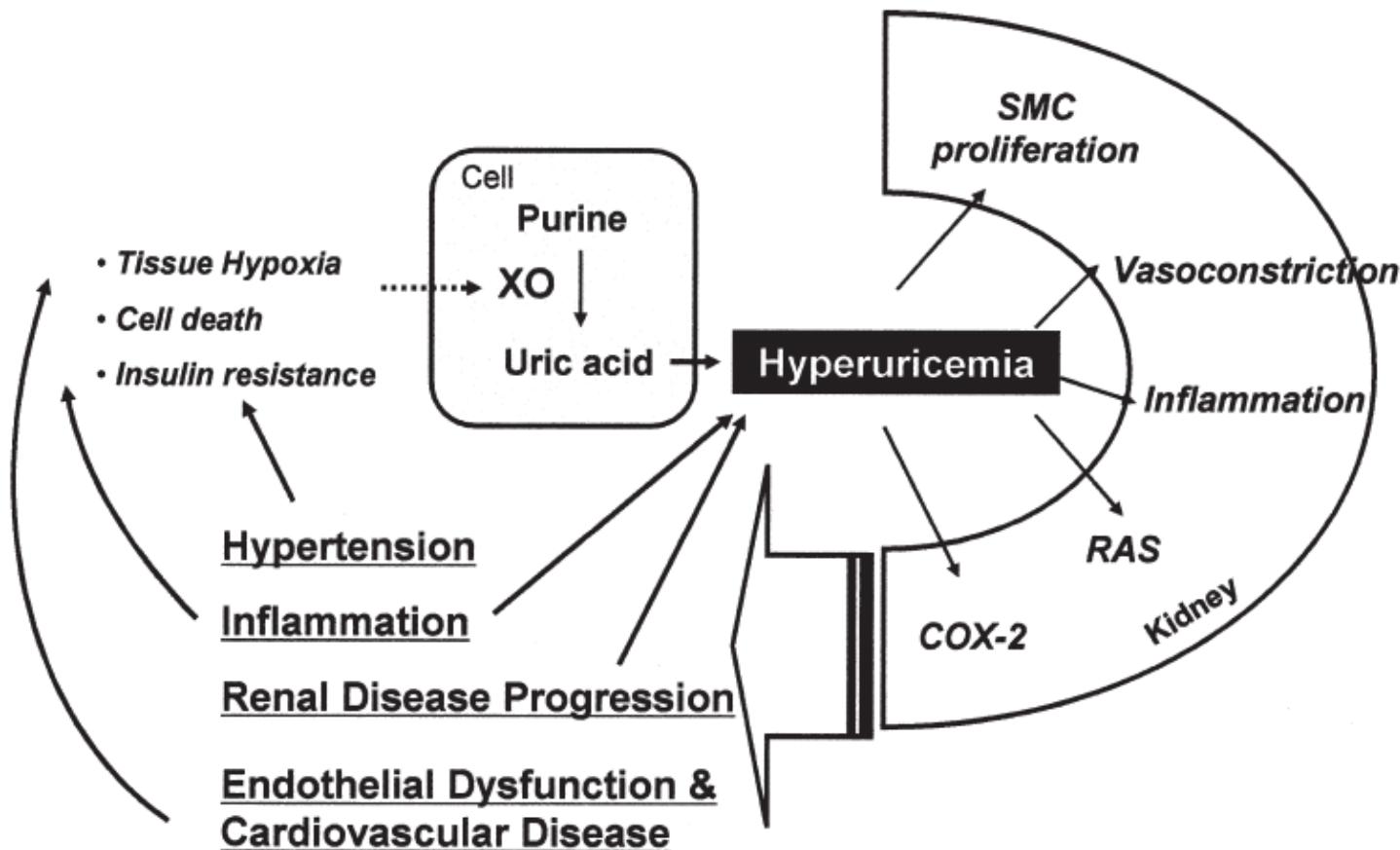
# Uric Acid as a Mediator of Endothelial Dysfunction, Inflammation, and Vascular Disease

John Kanellis and Duk-Hee Kang



# Uric Acid and Chronic Renal Disease: Possible Implication of Hyperuricemia on Progression of Renal Disease

Duk-Hee Kang and Takahiko Nakagawa

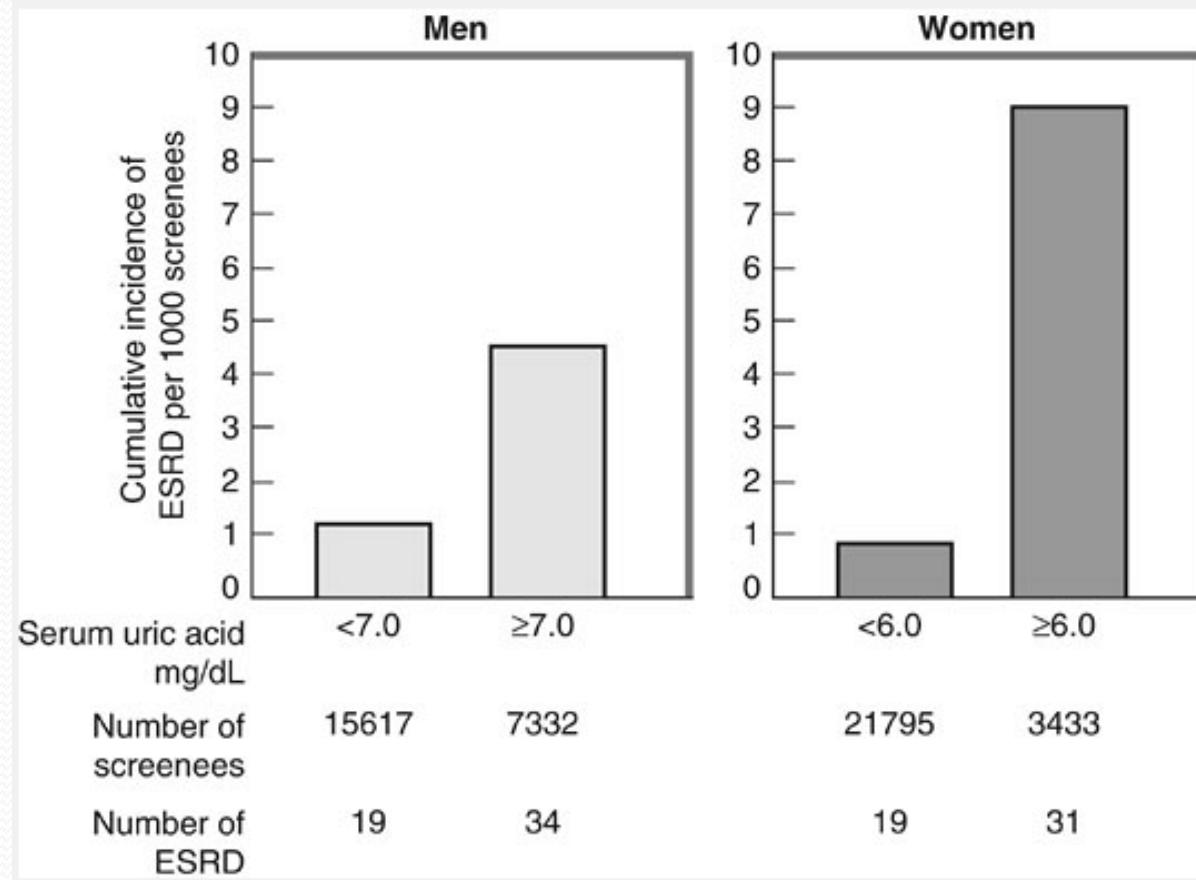


# Serum Uric Acid: A Risk Factor and a Target for Treatment?

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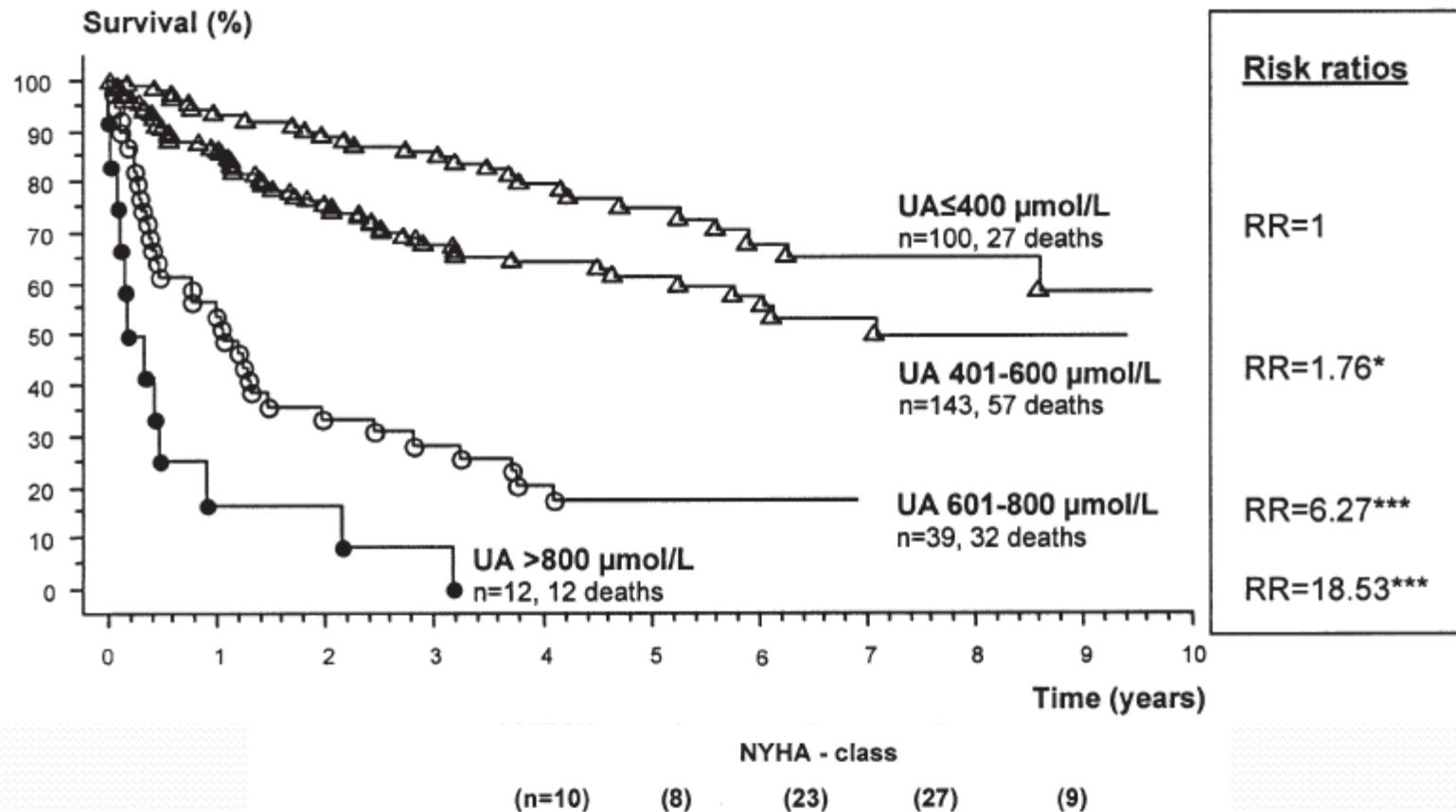
Table 1. Epidemiological studies that suggested that serum uric acid predicts hypertension

Author	Year Published	Study Size	Duration of Follow-Up (yr)	Increased Risk
Kahn <i>et al.</i> (25)	1972	10,000 men	5	2-fold
Selby <i>et al.</i> (29)	1990	2062 adults	6	3-fold
Hunt <i>et al.</i> (28)	1991	1482 adults	7	2-fold
Jossa <i>et al.</i> (27)	1994	619 men	12	1.2-fold
Taniguchi <i>et al.</i> (30)	2001	6356 men	10	2-fold
Masuo <i>et al.</i> (31)	2003	433 men	5	+27 mmHg in systolic BP per each 1-mg/dl change in uric acid
Nakanishi <i>et al.</i> (32)	2003	2310 men	6	1.6-fold
Nagahama <i>et al.</i> (40)	2004	4489 adults	23	1.5-fold in men 1.9-fold in women
Alper <i>et al.</i> (33)	2005	577 children	11	Predicts diastolic hypertension
Sundstrom <i>et al.</i> (34)	2005	3119 adults	4	1.5-fold



# Uric Acid in Chronic Heart Failure

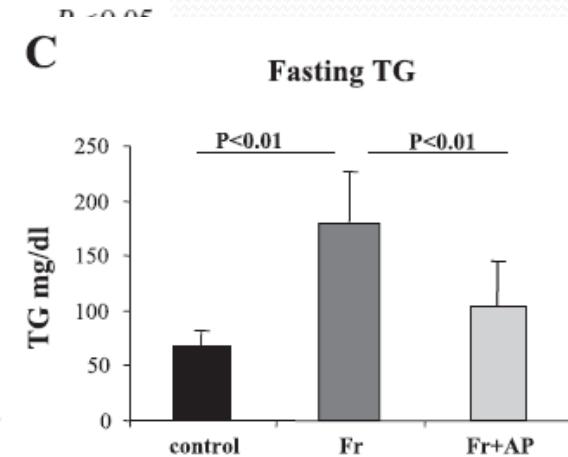
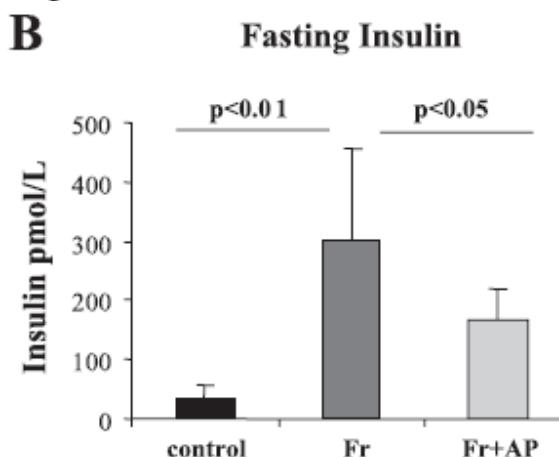
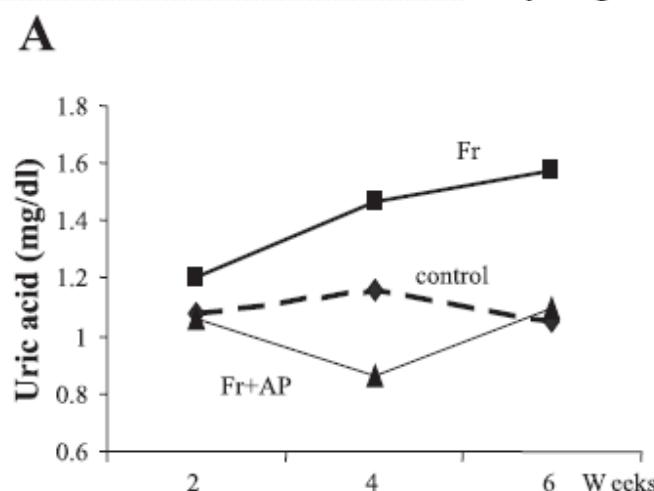
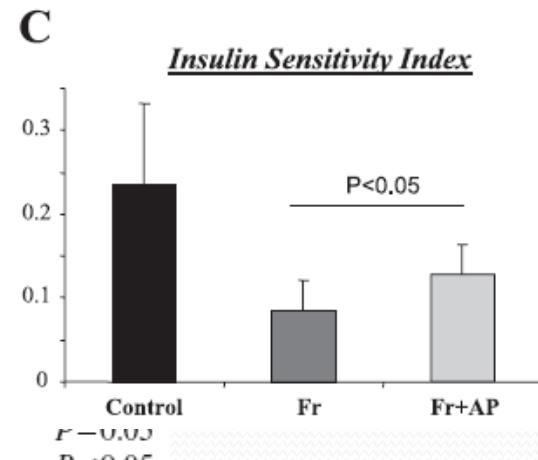
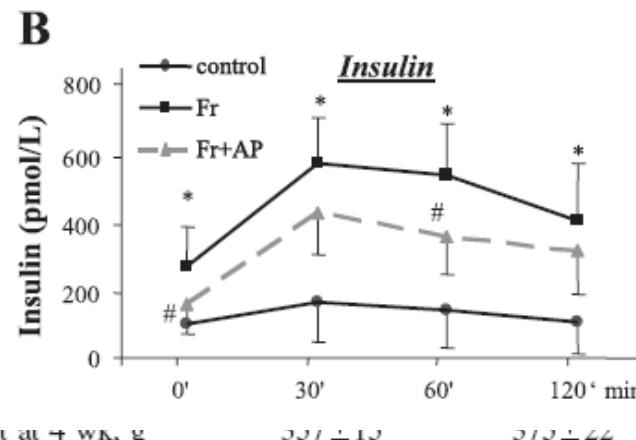
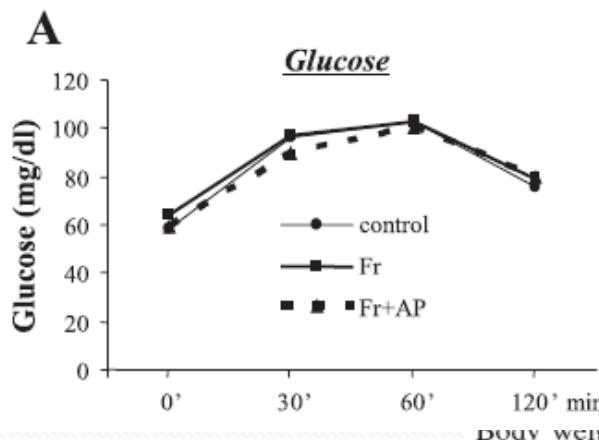
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# ACIDO URICO Y SINDROME METABOLICO

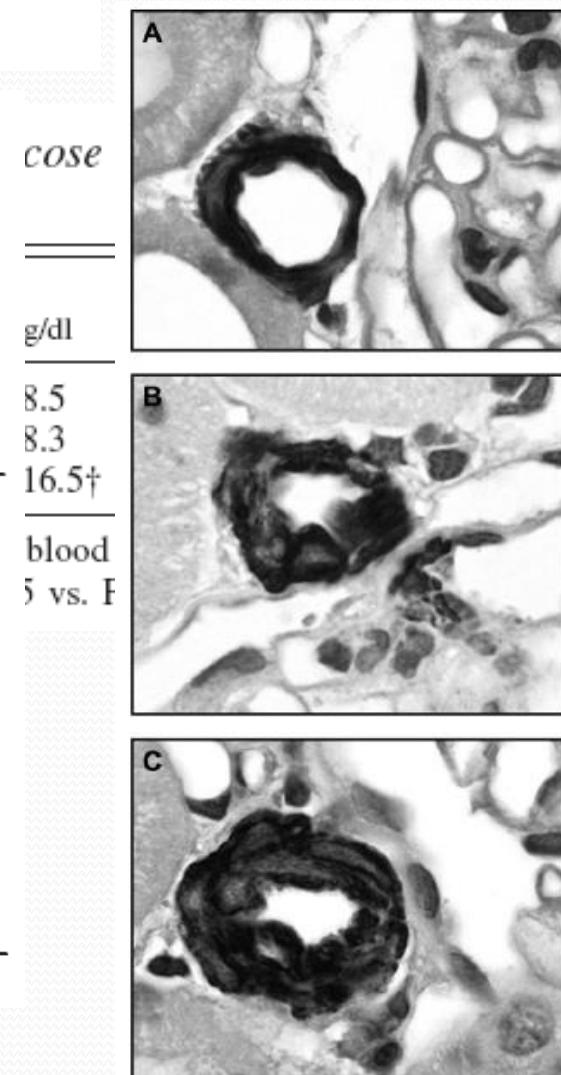
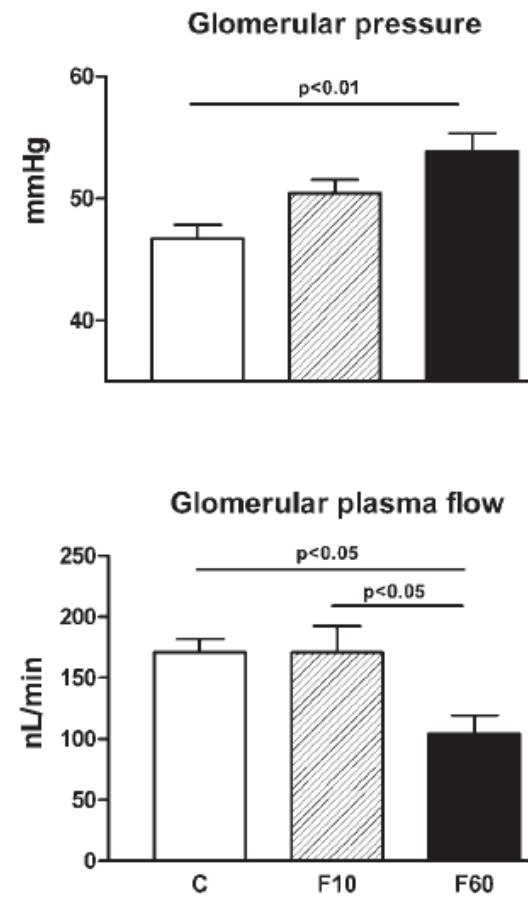
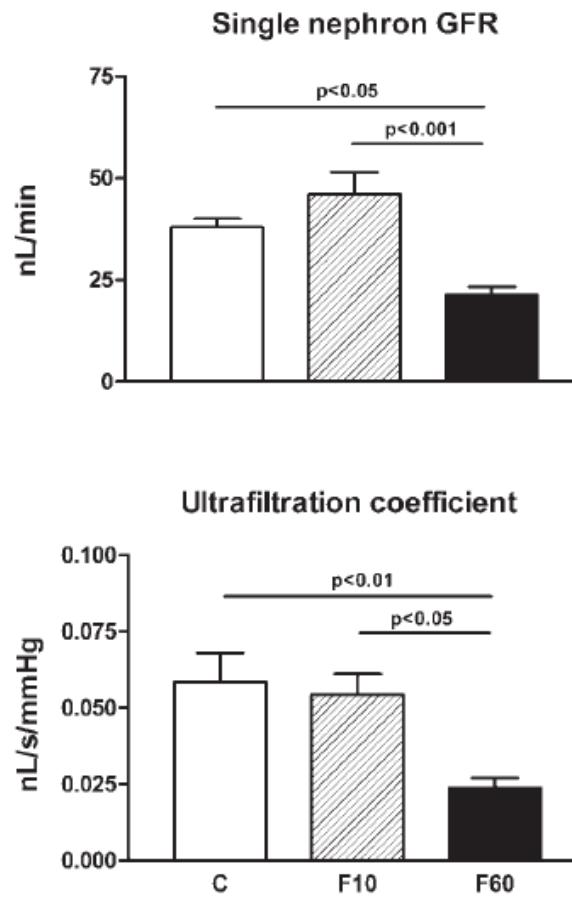
# A causal role for uric acid in fructose-induced metabolic syndrome

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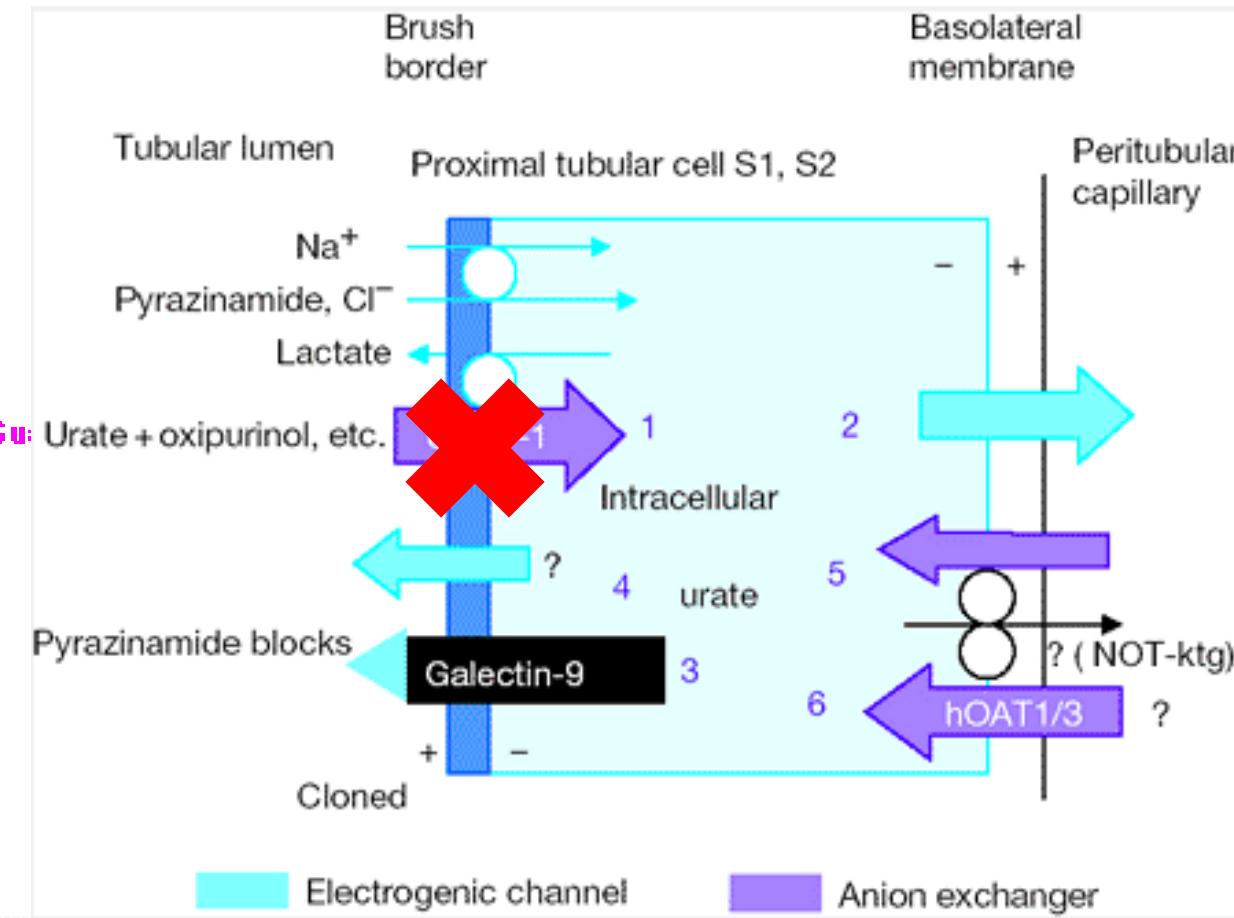


# Fructose-induced metabolic syndrome is associated with glomerular hypertension and renal microvascular damage in rats

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# TRATAMIENTO



# SUSTANCIAS QUE MODIFICAN LA EXCRECION DEL ACIDO URICO

## ENDOGENAS

- *DISMINUYEN LA EXCRECION*

- Lactato
- Hidroxibutirato
- Acetoacetato

- *AUMENTAN LA EXCRECION*

- Embarazo

## EXOGENAS

- *DISMINUYEN LA EXCRECION*

- Salicilatos
- Pirazinamida
- Nicotinato
- Etambutol

- *AUMENTAN LA EXCRECION*

- Infusión salina
- Sulfinpirazona
- Benzbromarona
- Fenilbutazona

- **Probenecid**
- Agentes radiocontraste
- **Fenofibrato**
- **Losartan**

# Use of Allopurinol in Slowing the Progression of Renal Disease Through Its Ability to Lower Serum Uric Acid Level

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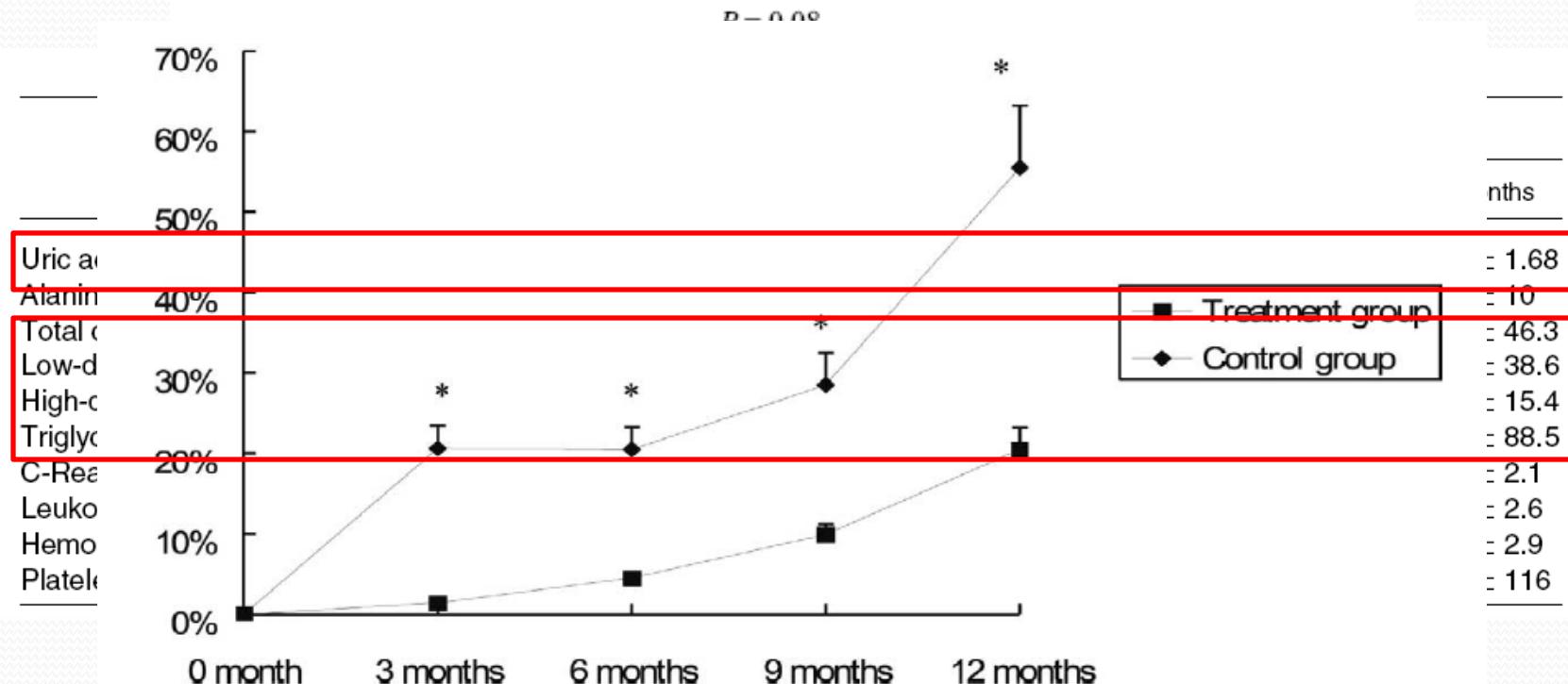
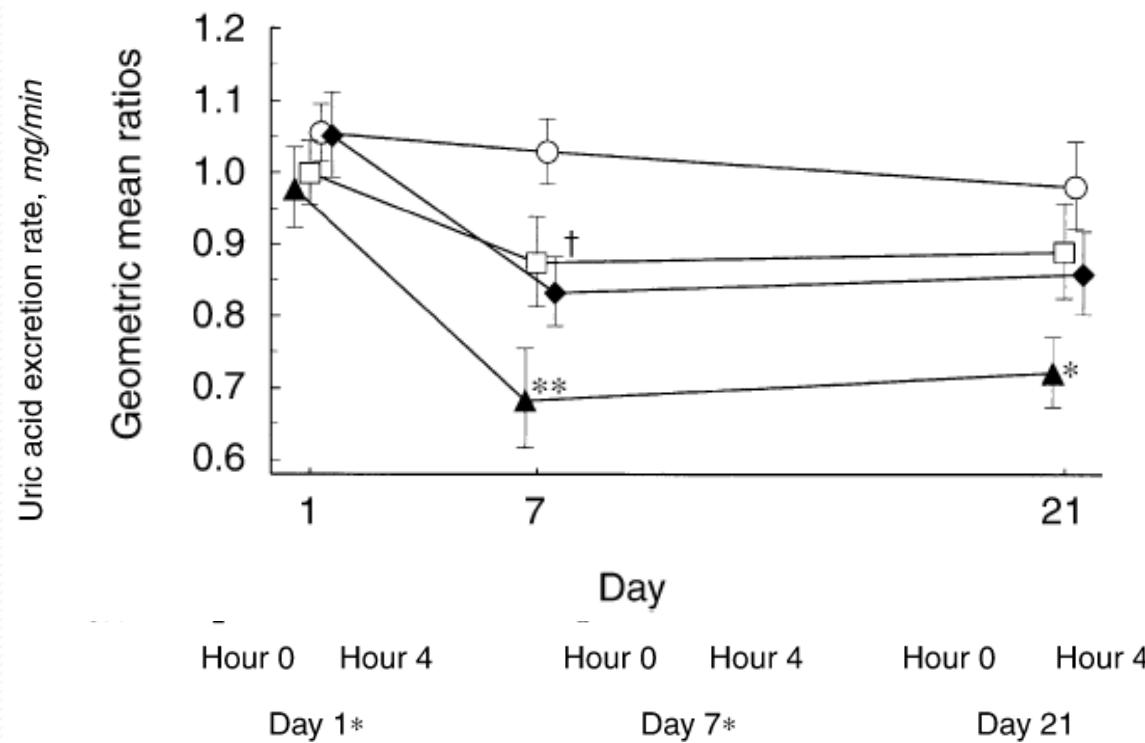


Fig 5. Mean percentage of change in Cr levels in the treatment and control groups. \* $P < 0.05$  compared with baseline.



# Safety of losartan in hypertensive patients with thiazide-induced hyperuricemia

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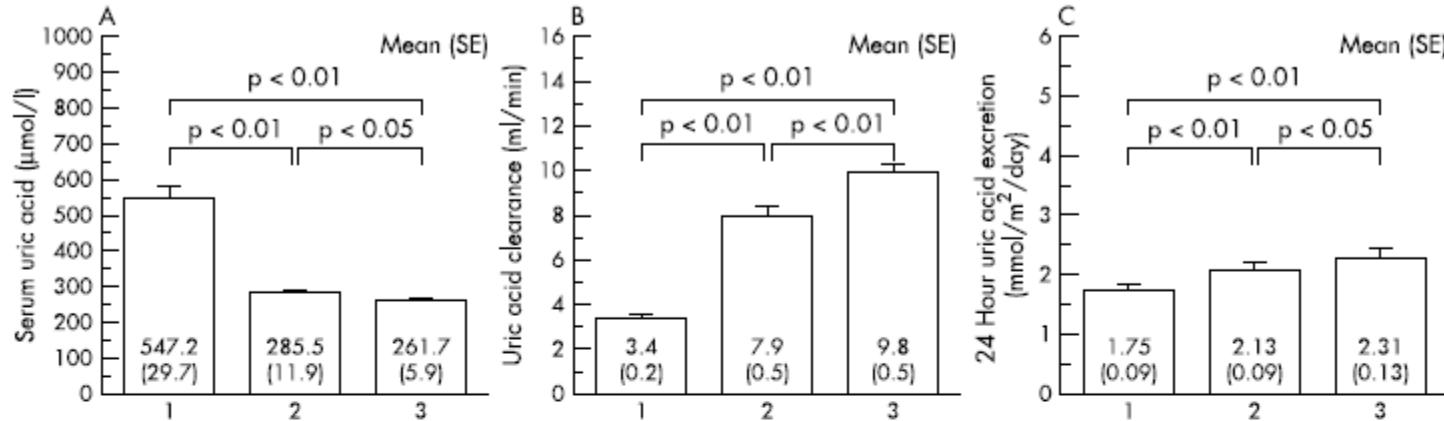


- Efecto uricosúrico de Losartán es individual y no es un efecto de clase:
  - Effect of valsartan on renal handling of uric acid in healthy subjects.  
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  - Comparative effects of losartan and irbesartan on serum uric acid in hypertensive patients with hyperuricaemia and gout.  
*J Hypertens.* 2001 Oct;19(10):1855-60.
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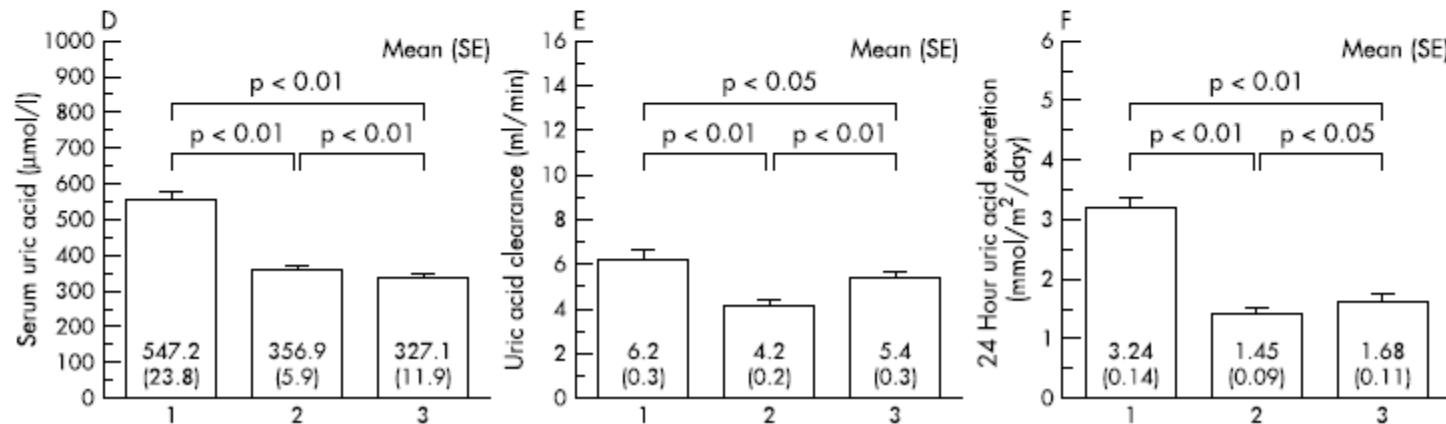
# Effects of combination treatment using anti-hyperuricaemic agents with fenofibrate and/or losartan on uric acid metabolism

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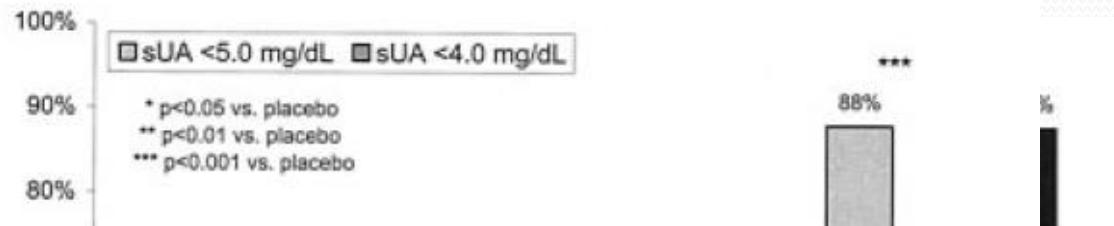
## 1) Hypertriglyceridaemic patients with gout receiving benzbromarone ( $n = 13$ )



## 2) Hypertensive patients with gout receiving allopurinol ( $n = 12$ )



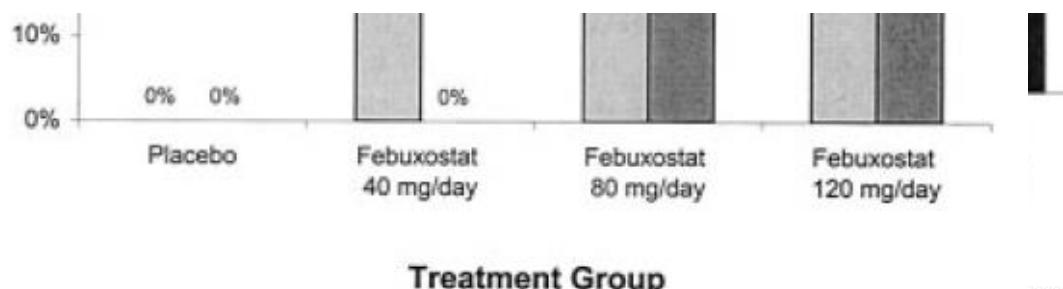
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**Table 3.** Incidence of most frequent treatment-related adverse events\*

Adverse event	Febuxostat			
	Placebo (n = 38)	40 mg/day (n = 37)	80 mg/day (n = 40)	120 mg/day (n = 38)
Abdominal pain	5	3	3	3
Diarrhea	8	0	10	8
Abnormal results of liver function tests	0	5	3	3

\* Adverse events reported by at least 2 subjects in any treatment group. Values are percentages.



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