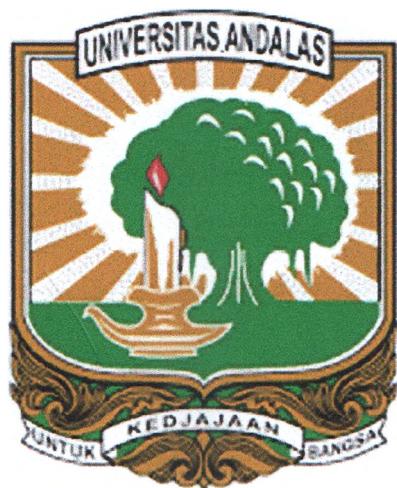


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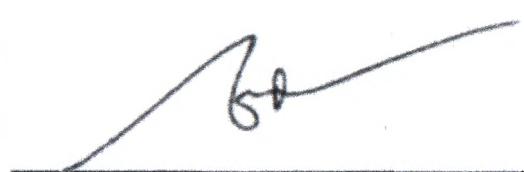
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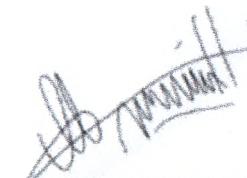
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D-dimer atau fragmen D-dimer (*fibrin degradation fragment*) adalah suatu jenis uji sampel darah di laboratorium yang bertujuan untuk membantu klinisi dalam diagnosis penyakit dan kondisi yang menyebabkan hiperkoagulabilitas suatu kecenderungan darah untuk membeku melebihi ukuran normal.

Uji D-dimer juga dipakai untuk membantu melakukan diagnosis DIC (*Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation*), kondisi akut yang kompleks yang dapat timbul dari berbagai situasi seperti beberapa prosedur pembedahan, gigitan ular berbisa, penyakit hati dan kondisi setelah melahirkan.

D-dimer sendiri merupakan fragmen protein yang dibuat tubuh ketika gumpalan darah larut dalam tubuh. Normalnya D-dimer berjumlah kurang dari 500 nanograms per milliliter (ng/mL). Bila hasil pemeriksaan normal D-dimer lebih dari batas normal, hal tersebut menunjukkan bahwa pasien memiliki kondisi gangguan pembekuan darah. Meski pemeriksaan ini tidak bisa mengungkapkan jenis kondisi pembekuan yang dialami atau lokasi gumpalan berada, pemeriksaan D-dimer sering digunakan untuk menegakkan diagnosis penyakit tertentu.

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## **PENDAHULUAN**

D-dimer telah menjadi salah satu tes koagulasi yang sering diminta. Pemeriksaan D-dimer yang tepat memainkan peran penting dalam diagnostic proses gangguan koagulasi sistemik, terutama koagulasi intravascular diseminata dalam hubungannya dengan tes koagulasi lainnya. Trombosis arteri dan vena adalah penyebab paling umum dari kematian diseluruh dunia. Meski faktor risiko klinis sudah diketahui dengan baik dan telah diidentifikasi, perlu ditemukan pemeriksaan laboratorium yang mudah dan sederhana yang dapat menyampaikan informasi tentang proses koagulasi yang sedang berlangsung. Penguraian mendetail dari proses fibrinolitik seiring dengan munculnya antibody monoclonal. Ilmu pengetahuan dan teknologi membuka jalan untuk identifikasi D-dimer sebagai biomarker aktivasi koagulasi dan pembentukan thrombus.<sup>1</sup>

## **D-DIMER**

D-dimer merupakan *cross-linked fibrin degradation product* dari hasil pemecahan fibrin. Metode yang sering dipakai adalah metode aglitasi latex untuk mendeteksi *cross linked* fibrin D-dimer. Pembentukan D-dimer diilustrasikan pada Gambar 3 dan Gambar 4. Trombin mengubah fibrinogen untuk monomer fibrin yang terdiri dari domain -E pusat dan 2 domain-D peripheral. Dengan demikian, monomer fibrin berpolimerisasi secara spontan membentuk jaringan fibrin yang tidak stabil. Faktor XIII, diaktifkan oleh trombin, lalu ikatan silang domain-D monomer fibrin yang berdekatan, yang memperkuat fibrin. Plasmin yang terikat fibrin mendegradasi jaringan fibrin menjadi fragmen yang larut : D-dimer dan fragmen E. Kadar D-dimer plasma mencerminkan luasnya koagulasi dan aktivasi fibrinolysis dan keadaan hiperkoagulasi yang meningkat<sup>2,3</sup>

tiga jenis yang umum: Enzyme Linked Immunosorbent Assays (ELISA), uji imunofluoresen, dan uji aglutinasi lateks.<sup>3</sup>

Tes berbasis ELISA menggunakan kemampuan antibodi monoklonal yang berada di permukaan tabung atau pelat untuk menangkap Antigen D-dimer. Prinsip, plasma diinkubasi di dalam tabung atau piring sampai antibodi mengikat ke D-dimer. Setelah dicuci, antibodi monoklonal kedua terhadap D-dimer yang ditandai dengan enzim terlekat ditambahkan. Setelah pencucian, sinyal dikembangkan menggunakan substrat enzim. Densitas optikal atau sinyal yang dipancarkan oleh teknik chemiluminescence kemudian diukur, yang proporsional dengan jumlah D-dimer yang ada dalam plasma pasien. Lebih cepat dan lengkap metode ELISA otomatis memiliki antibodi penangkap yang dilapisi pada ujungnya dan reagen dalam strip.<sup>1</sup>

Pengujian aglutinasi didasarkan pada partikel lateks atau polistiren yang membawa antibodi monoklonal. Pengikatan Antigen D-dimer dalam plasma yang ditambahkan ke partikel ini akan menyebabkan aglutinasi partikel, yang dapat dibaca dengan menggunakan yang berbeda

teknik. Metode aglutinasi semikuantitatif mungkin memimpin

## APLIKASI KLINIS PEMERIKSAAN D-DIMER

Pengujian D-dimer telah membuktikan perannya secara meyakinkan pada tromboemboli vena. Internasional Society of Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH) juga mendukung peran pemeriksaan D-dimer dalam algoritma diagnostik untuk Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation (DIC). Baru-baru ini, potensi lainnya aplikasi pemeriksaan D-dimer telah diakui (antara lain akut diseksi aorta, trombosis akses vaskular, infeksi berat, dan sepsis); namun, sejalan dengan kemajuan dalam pemanfaatan, aplikasi klinis untuk pemeriksaan D-Dimer dapat dilihat pada tabel 1.<sup>1</sup>

Tabel 1. Aplikasi Klinis untuk D-Dimer<sup>1</sup>

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- Excluding venous thromboembolism in patients with *low* clinical probability for venous thromboembolism by clinical prediction scores
- Establishing the risk of recurrent thrombosis; thus aiding in the decision-making process of required duration of anticoagulation for patients with venous thromboembolism
- Diagnosis and management of disseminated intravascular coagulation
- Excluding acute aortic dissection
- Predicting and monitoring thrombotic complications in patients with severe infections and sepsis
- Detection of thrombotic risk in malignancies, and with the use of chemotherapy and growth factor drugs (e.g., erythropoietin)
- Vaso-occlusive crises in sickle cell disease
- Suspicion of intracardiac thrombus in left ventricular aneurysms
- Predicting recurrent strokes in those with cardioembolic stroke
- Prognostication in peripheral artery disease

#### Definisi *Disseminated intravascular coagulation*

Definisi konsensus dari DIC telah diusulkan : DIC adalah suatu sindrom didapat yang ditandai dengan aktivasi koagulasi intravaskular yang luas yang timbul dari beragam penyebab yang berbeda. Ini bisa berasal dari hal yang menyebabkan kerusakan pada mikrovaskular, yang jika cukup parah, dapat menimbulkan disfungsi organ.<sup>4,5</sup>

#### Etiologi DIC

Beberapa kelainan patologis dasar yang menyebabkan DIC diperlihatkan tabel 1.<sup>6</sup>

Tabel 1. Kelainan dasar yang sering menyebabkan DIC.<sup>6</sup>

Sepsis :

bakteri (staphylococcus, streptococcus, pneumococcus, meningococcus, batang gram negatif), virus, jamur, parasit, Rickettsia

Trauma dan cedera jaringan

cedera otak, luka bakar yang luas, emboli lemak, rhabdomiolisis

Kelainan vaskular

*giant hemangiomas (kasabach Merritt syndrome)*, aneurisma aorta

Komplikasi obsteterik

solusio plasenta, emboli amnion, sindrom kematian janin, abortus sepsis

Kanker

adenokarsinoma (prostat, pankreas), keganasan hematologi (leukemia promielositik akut)

Kelainan imunologi

Reaksi transfusi hemolitik akut, *organ or tissue transplant rejection, Graft-versus-host disease*

Obat

Agen fibrinolitik, warfarin, reaksi obat (amfetamin)

Bisa ular

Penyakit hepar

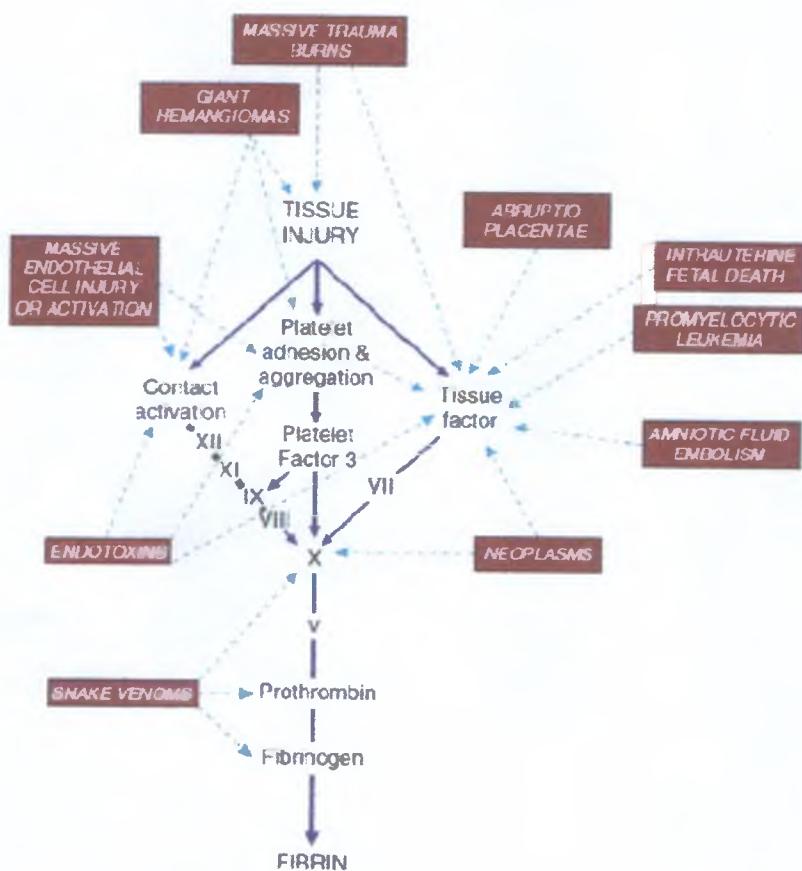
*Fulminant hepatic failure, sirosis hati*

*Shock, respiratory distress syndrome, transfusi masif*

### **Patofisiologi DIC**

Patofisiologi DIC sangat kompleks. Mekanisme yang memicu atau mengaktifkan DIC bekerja pada proses yang terlibat dalam hemostasis normal, termasuk adhesi dan agregasi trombosit, aktivasi kontak (intrinsik), dan jalur aktivasi faktor jaringan (ekstrinsik) (Gambar 3). Trombin secara persisten dihasilkan, dan fibrin terbentuk dalam sirkulasi darah. Fibrinogen, berbagai faktor koagulasi lainnya, dan trombosit dikonsumsi. Mekanisme fibrinolitik mulai diaktifkan, dan sejumlah besar FDP diproduksi, yang selanjutnya semakin merusak fungsi hemostatik. Selanjutnya, fibrinolisis dihambat. Perdarahan, syok, dan oklusi vaskular biasanya terjadi dan menimbulkan kerusakan fungsi berbagai sistem organ. Proses kompensasi normal menjadi rusak, menciptakan lingkaran setan berulang. Hasil akhir ditentukan oleh interaksi yang dinamis antara beragam proses patologis dan mekanisme kompensasi, seperti, deposisi fibrin versus fibrinolisis; deplesi versus replesi faktor koagulasi

dan trombosit; dan produksi versus pembersihan fibrin, FDPs, dan produk koagulasi lainnya (Gambar 3).<sup>4</sup>



Gambar 1, Mekanisme awal DIC<sup>2</sup>

Tabel 2. Sistem skor diagnosis untuk *disseminated intravascular coagulation*.<sup>7</sup>

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Penilaian risiko :

Apakah pasien mempunyai kelainan dasar yang diketahui berhubungan dengan DIC?

Jika ya, lanjutkan algoritma

Jika tidak, tidak dipakai algoritma

Lakukan pemeriksaan laboratorium hitung trombosit, D-dimer, PT, Fibrinogen

Skor hasil pemeriksaan sebagai berikut :

Hitung trombosit	: 50.000 -100.000/mm <sup>3</sup> , nilai = 1
	< 50.000/mm <sup>3</sup> nilai = 2

D-dimer	: tidak meningkat, nilai = 0
	meningkat sedang, nilai = 2
	meningkat tinggi, nilai = 3

Pemanjangan PT	: < 3 detik, nilai = 0
	3 - < 6 detik, nilai = 1
	≥ 6 detik, nilai = 2

Kadar Fibrinogen	: ≥ 1g/L nilai = 0
	< 1 g/L nilai = 1

Hitung skor sebagai berikut :

≥ 5, sesuai dengan *overt* DIC, ulang skor setiap hari

< 5, kesan sebagai *nonovert* DIC, ulangi skor dalam 1-2 hari kemudian

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*Disseminated intravascular coagulation* (DIC) merupakan sebuah diagnosis klinikopatologi yang didefinisikan oleh International Society on Thrombosis and Hemostasis (ISTH). *Disseminated intravascular coagulation* (DIC) memiliki karakteristik aktivasi koagulasi intravaskular yang terjadi karena berbagai etiologi. Kondisi DIC terjadi pada mikrovaskular dan menjadi kondisi dengan kerusakan yang berat dan berujung pada disfungsi organ. Kondisi DIC dapat diidentifikasi dengan menggunakan sistem skoring ISTH seperti pada tabel 2. Skoring tersebut meliputi penilaian risiko dan pemeriksaan laboratorium hitung trombosit, D-dimer, PT serta fibrinogen.

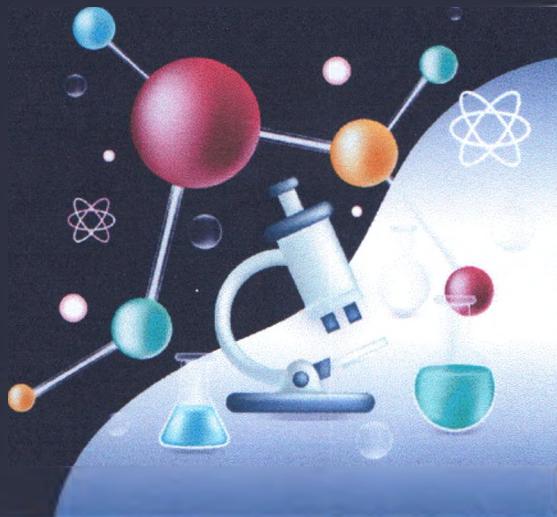
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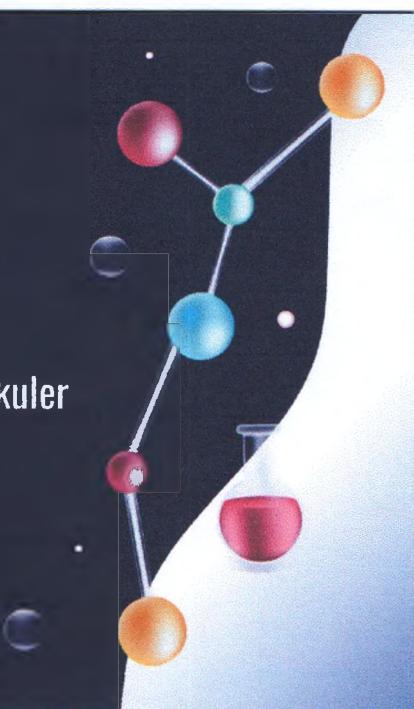
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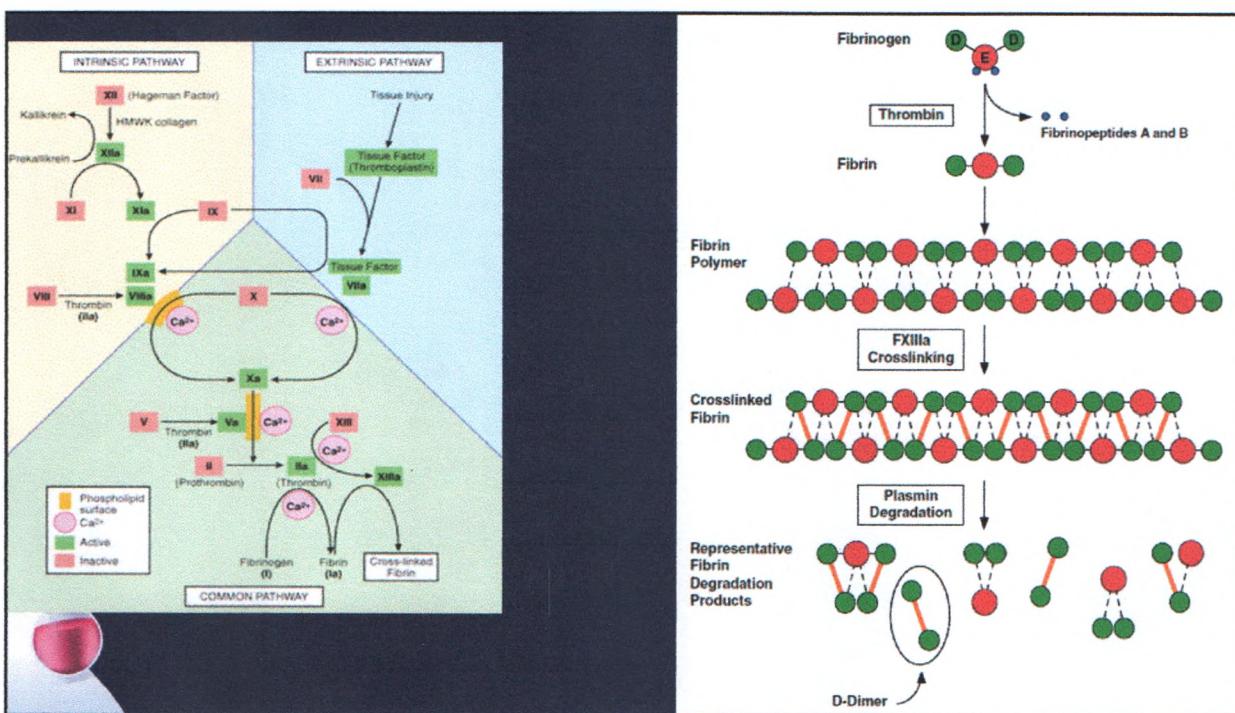
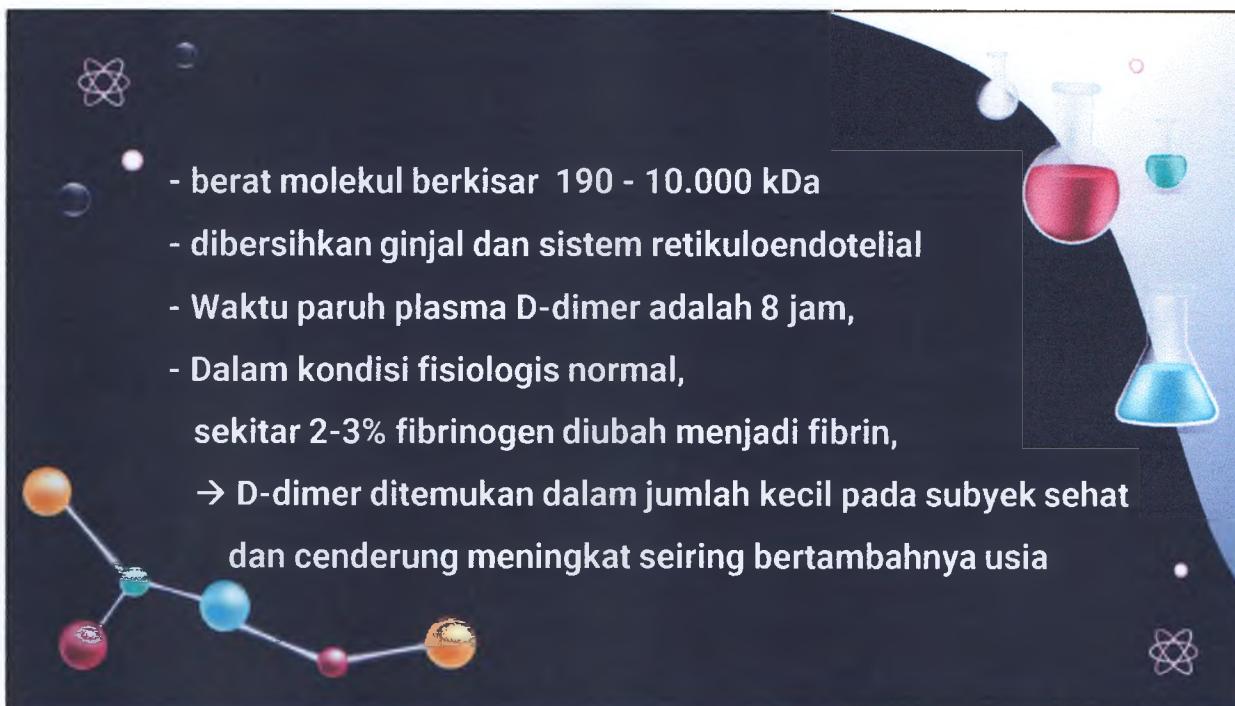
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## D-Dimer

- Marker aktivasi koagulasi dan fibrinolysis
- Merupakan fibrin degradation product
- dihasilkan dari degradasi sistemik trombus vaskuler melalui mekanisme fibrinolitik
- Indikator trombosis intravaskuler





## TES D-Dimer

- Simpel, tidak invasive dan tidak mahal
- terdeteksi dalam darah lengkap, plasma, atau serum
- menggunakan antibodi monoklonal yang mengenali eptop spesifik molekul D-dimer ikatan silang yang tidak ada di D-domain fibrinogen dan fibrin monomer
- Tes VIDAS D-Dimer, metode yang luas digunakan dilaporkan tidak ada gangguan dari heparin, bilirubin, hemoglobin, produk degradasi fibrin, atau kekeruhan plasma

The D-dimer assay

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## Tes D-Dimer

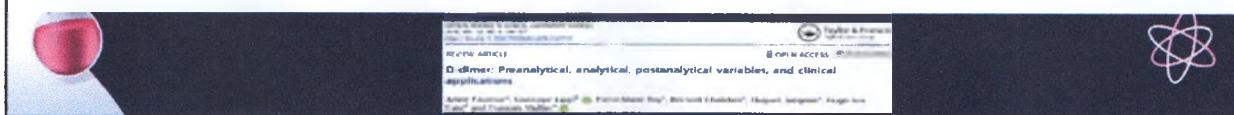
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ELFA  
enzyme-linked immunofluorescence assays

**Table 2.** Specific pre-analytical data regarding D-dimer testing.

Pre-analytical variables	General recommendations in hemostasis laboratories	Specific data regarding D-dimer
Sample collection		
Needle bore size	19–22 G	23–25 G also tolerated
Butterfly devices	Discouraged	Tolerated
Tube material	Non-activating material (silicone-coated glass or polypropylene plastic)	Glass or plastic
Anticoagulant sample	Sodium citrate 3.2% (105–109 mmol/L)	Sodium citrate or heparin <sup>a</sup>
Tourniquet use	Removed as soon as the needle is in the vein (max 1–2 min)	Longer tourniquet use (i.e. 3 min) not tolerated
Sample delivery to the laboratory	At RT (15–22 °C), in vertical position, usually <1 h	PTS tolerated
Sample processing		
Centrifugation	At RT, 1500 × g for at least 15 min	Faster protocol allowed (at RT, 4500 × g for 2 min)
Interfering substances	Do not analyze samples with hemolysis	Cell-free hemoglobin i.e. <3 g/L tolerated
Stability, storage and F/T effects	At RT (15–22 °C), no more than 4 h	At least 24 h at RT or at 2–8 °C or years at –60 to –80 °C No impact of F/T procedure

RT: gauge; RT: room temperature; PTS: pneumatic tube system; F/T: freezing/thawing.

<sup>a</sup>correction factor needed (dilution).

# Analitik

**01** Tes D-dimer

**02** Variasi interlaboratorium

- Variability across assays
- Calibrators

**03** Standarisasi

**04** Rekomendasi pada performance of D dimer assays

4.

	ELISA	ELFA	Unenhanced latex agglutination assay	CLIA	Latex-enhanced immunoturbidimetric assay	POC assay
Type	Quantitative	Quantitative	Qualitative/semi-quantitative	Quantitative	Quantitative	Qualitative/quantitative
TAT	2–4 h	35–40 min	Rapid	25–40 min	15 min	2–20 min
Pros	Considered as the gold standard, sensitivity, observer-independent	Considered as reference method, most validated method, sensitivity, automation, wider linear range, automated, observer-independent	Rapid, inexpensive	Sensitivity, rapid, automated, observer-independent	Sensitivity, automated, rapid, observer-independent	Readily available, fast, higher specificity, whole blood
Cons	Highly manual, technical skills, time-consuming, not optimal linear range, moderate specificity	Moderate specificity	Moderate sensitivity, manual, observer dependent	Lack clinical validation, moderate specificity	Moderate specificity	Sensitivity, not all FDA cleared, observer dependent, manual
Examples	Assechrome® (Stago), Enzygnost® (Dade Behring)	Vidas® (bioMérieux)	Dimertest latex® (IL), Fibrinosticon (bioMérieux), Dade Dimertest® (Siemens)	AcuStar® (Werfen), Immulite® (Siemens)	Tina-quant® (Rochel), STA-Liatest® (Stago), HemosIL HS® (Werfen), Innovance® (Dade Behring)	SimpliRed® (Agen), Clearview Simplify® (Agen)

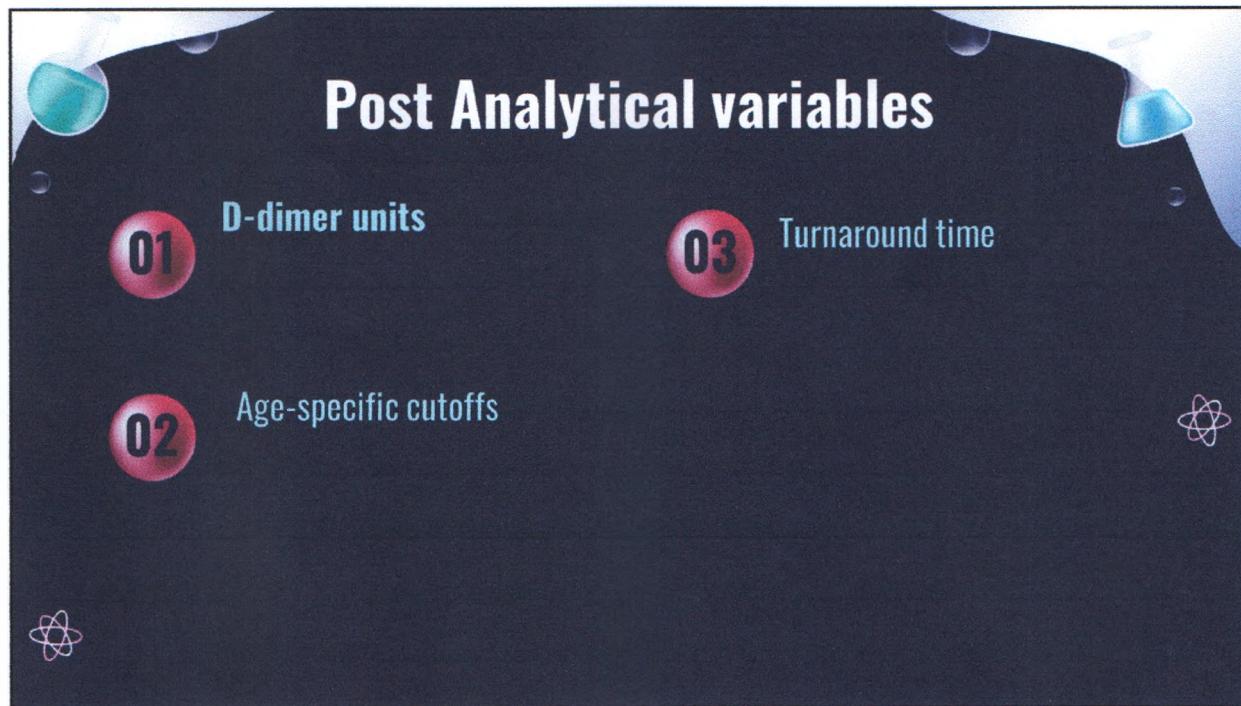
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<b>Table 1.</b> Characteristics of common D-dimer assays. Relevant central laboratory and point-of-care assays are shown along with the manufacturer, method design, method principle, unit type, cut-off mentioned by the manufacturer, and the intended use issued by the FDA regarding PLT DDC: D-dimer units; FDA, U.S. Food and Drugs Administration; FEU, fibrinogen-equivalent units; NA, not applicable; PE, pulmonary embolism; POC, point-of-care.							
Assay Type	Assay Name	Manufacturer	Design	Principle	Unit Type	Manufacturer's Cut-Off	FDA Intended Use (PE)
Central lab	Advanced D-dimer	Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics (previously Diotec Biologics)	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FTU	BCS System 1 h ing/1 Samples CA-1990 1 mg/l	Aid in diagnosis
Central lab	Aasymp D-dimer	Abbott Laboratories	Quantitative	Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay	FEU	500 µg/l	NA
Central lab	D-dimer	Dade Behring Laboratories	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FEU	0.5 µg/ml	Aid in diagnosis
Central lab	Elecsys D-dimer	Roche Diagnostics	Qualitative	Chemiluminescent immunoassay	FTU	900 µg/l	Aid in diagnosis
Central lab	Herena D-Dimer ( $\pm$ FDP)	Werfen (previously Instrumentation Laboratory)	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FTU	220 µg/l	Exclusion
Central lab	INDDimer HS 500	Werfen (previously Instrumentation Laboratory)	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FTU	900 µg/l	Exclusion
Central lab	INDDimer HS 500	Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FTU	0.5 µg/l	Exclusion
Central lab	STA Liatost D-D	Diagnostica Stago	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FTU	0.4 µg/ml	Exclusion
Central lab	Tina-Quant D-Dimer	Roche Diagnostics	Quantitative	Lysis-enhanced turbidimetric immunoassay	FTU	0.5 µg/ml	Exclusion
Central lab	Vidas D-Dimer	Innogenetics	Qualitative	Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay	FEU	500 µg/l	Exclusion
POC	ACTPRO II LX D-dimer	Radioassay Medical ApS	Quantitative	Turn-around timeometry	NA	500 µg/l	NA
POC	Clearview BNP	Alere Biomedical	Qualitative	Solid-phase immunochemical assay	Mng/pon	80 µg/l	NA
POC	Pathfast D-Dimer	Mitsubishi Kagaku Iatron	Qualitative	Chemiluminescent immunoassay	FEU	0.606 µg/ml	NA
POC	Roche Cardia D-dimer	Roche Diagnostics	Quantitative	Solid-phase immunochemical assay	FTU	0.5 µg/ml	NA
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**TABLE 1** Comparison of categories of D-dimer assays

	ELISA	ELFA	Latex-enhanced immunoturbidimetric	Whole-blood point of care
Description	Quantitative	Quantitative	Quantitative	Qualitative
Turnaround time	2-4 h	35 min	15 min	2-5 min
Sensitivity <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)	94% (86-97)	96% (89-98)	93% (89-95)	83% (67-93)
Specificity <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)	53% (38-68)	46% (31-61)	53% (46-61)	71% (57-82)
Advantages	High sensitivity Fully automated	High sensitivity Fully automated	Comparable sensitivity to ELISA Fully automated	Can be performed at bedside Higher specificity
Disadvantages	Labor-intensive Moderate specificity	Moderate specificity	Moderate specificity	Observer dependent Lower sensitivity

ELISA, enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay; ELFA, enzyme-linked immunofluorescence assay.

<sup>a</sup>Summary estimates for diagnosis of DVT reported in systematic review by Di Nisio et al.<sup>11</sup>

Review of D-dimer testing: Good, Bad, and Ugly

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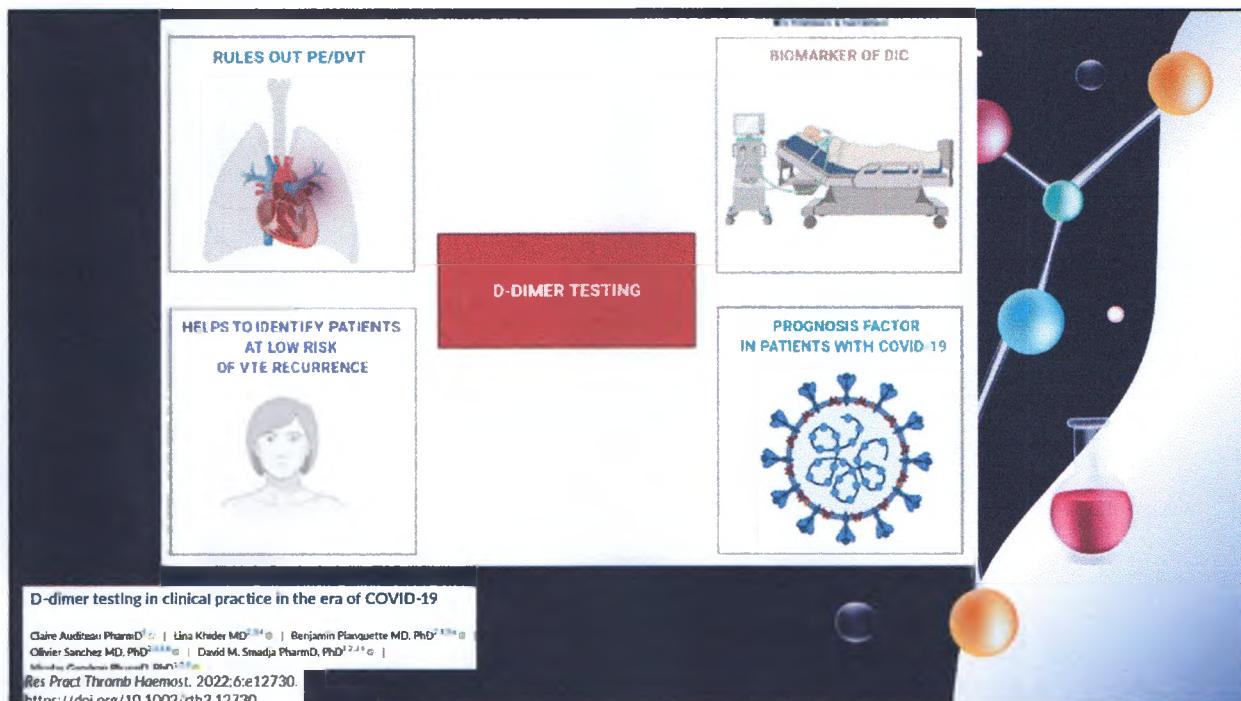
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## Pemanfaatan D-Dimer untuk VTE

- ❑ menyingkirkan diagnosis vena tromboemboli (VTE) pada pasien dengan *low clinical probability* sesuai skor prediksi klinis DVT dan PE
- ❑ Menetapkan risiko trombosis berulang untuk menentukan durasi optimal antikoagulan pada VTE





<b>Table 3: Clinical prediction rule for DVT: the Wells score</b> <sup>(22, 23)</sup>	
In patients with symptoms in both legs, the more symptomatic leg is used.	
CLINICAL FEATURE	POINTS
<b>RISK FACTORS</b>	
• Active cancer (treatment ongoing, within previous 6 month or palliative)	1
• Paralysis, paresis, or recent plaster immobilization of the lower extremities	1
• Recently bedridden > 3 days or major surgery within previous 12 weeks requiring general or regional anesthesia	1
• Previously documented DVT	1
<b>CLINICAL SIGNS, SYMPTOMS</b>	
• Localized tenderness along the distribution of the deep venous system	1
• Entire leg swollen	1
• Cell swelling 3 cm larger than asymptomatic side (measured 10 cm below tibial tuberosity)	1
• Pitting edema confined to the symptomatic leg	1
• Collateral superficial veins (non-varicose)	1
<b>CLINICAL JUDGMENT</b>	
• Alternative diagnosis at least as likely as DVT	-2
<b>CLINICAL PROBABILITY (3 LEVELS)</b>	TOTAL
• Low	≤ 0
• Intermediate	1 or 2
• High	≥ 3
<b>CLINICAL PROBABILITY (2 LEVELS)</b>	TOTAL
■ DVT unlikely	< 2
■ DVT likely	≥ 2

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**Table 4: Clinical prediction rule for PE: the Wells score<sup>(24)</sup>**

CLINICAL FEATURE	POINTS
<b>RISK FACTORS</b>	
• Previous DVT or PE	1.5
• Surgery or bedridden for 3 days during past 4 weeks	1.5
• Active cancer (treatment within 6 months or palliative)	1
<b>CLINICAL SIGNS, SYMPTOMS</b>	
• Hemoptysis	1
• Heart rate > 100 beats/min	1.5
• Clinical signs of DVT	3
<b>CLINICAL JUDGMENT</b>	
• Alternative diagnosis less likely than PE	3
<b>CLINICAL PROBABILITY (3 LEVELS)</b>	TOTAL
● Low	0-1
● Intermediate	2-6
● High	>6
<b>CLINICAL PROBABILITY (2 LEVELS)</b>	TOTAL
■ PE unlikely	≤4
■ PE likely	>4

**CLINICAL PREDICTION RULE PRE-TEST PROBABILITY (PTP)**

LOW or INTERMEDIATE      HIGH

D-Dimer negative

STOP examination

D-Dimer positive

Continue-examination

- ➡ Confidently rule out PE and DVT in 30-50% of suspected outpatients

- ➡ No further testing for DVT/PE, consider other investigations for differential diagnosis

- ➡ No anticoagulant treatment
- ➡ Cost saving
- ➡ Improved patient comfort

- ➡ Follow-up with imaging (CUS, CTPA or V/Q scan)
- ➡ Other investigations for differential diagnosis



**TABLE 1** Central laboratory D-dimer assays frequently used in VTE clinical trials

Assay	Manufacturer's cutoff for detection <sup>a</sup>	DVT sensitivity	DVT specificity
Asserachrom D-dimer	500 ng/mL FEU	98% (91-100%)	47% (29-65%)
Clearview Simplify D-dimer	500 ng/mL DDU	100% (92-100%)	48% (43-53%)
Hemosil D-dimer HS 500	500 ng/mL DDU	100% (85-99%)	45% (41-49%)
Innovenic D-dimer	500 ng/mL FEU	99% (97-99%)	40% (38-40%)
MiniQuant D-dimer	200 ng/mL DDU	96% (95-98%)	44% (40-47%)
STA-Liatest D-dimer	500 ng/mL FEU	96% (90-100%)	47% (33-76%)
TinaQuant D-dimer	500 ng/mL FEU	99% (90-100%)	46% (39-72%)
Vidas D-dimer	500 ng/mL FEU	100% (82-100%)	42% (37-46%)
Assays	Manufacturer's cutoff for detection <sup>a</sup>	DVT sensitivity	DVT specificity
LABGEO	450 ng/mL FEU	99% (93-100%)	53% (38-68%)
Roche Cardiac D-dimer	500 ng/mL FEU	95% (88-99%)	62% (58-67%)
PATHFAST D-dimer	570 ng/mL FEU	98% (94-100%)	40% (35-44%)
SimpliRED D-dimer	400 ng/mL FEU	94% (84-95%)	67% (56-84%)
TRIAGE	200 ng/mL DDU	97% (93-100%)	48% (44-53%)

Abbreviations: DDU, D-dimer units; DVT, deep vein thrombosis; FEU, fibrinogen equivalent units.

<sup>a</sup>Values as per Manufacturer Package Insert, FDA Memorandum, and Independent expert comparison. References: 5,26-37. Other studies might report other sensitivities/specificities. Reported ranges represent 95% CI.

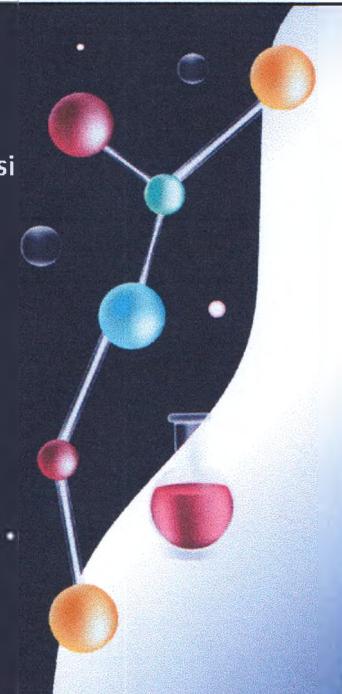
#### The D-dimer assay

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#### PEMANFAATAN TES D-DIMER PADA DIC

- Pengujian D-dimer sangat berguna dalam mengevaluasi pasien dengan kemungkinan DIC,
- pasien dengan koagulopati yang tidak diketahui
- DIC mengidentifikasi tingkat D-dimer yang konsisten dengan diagnosis
- dari DIC.
- Rekomendasi ISTH DIC scoring system



## D I C (disseminated intravascular coagulation)

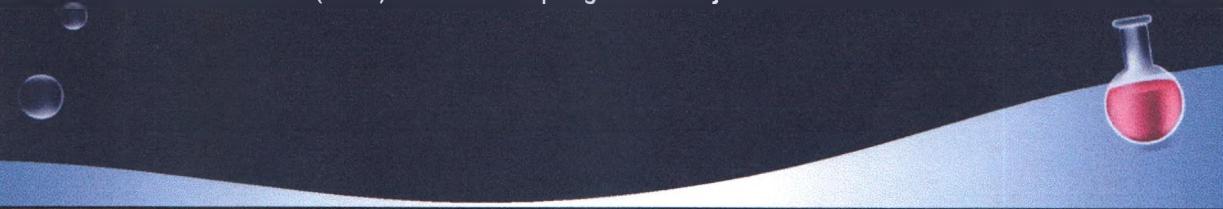


suatu sindrom didapat yang ditandai dengan aktivasi koagulasi intravascular yang luas yang timbul dari beragam penyebab .

- gangguan yang mendasarinya,
- Aktivasi koagulasi dan fibrinolisis
- Konsumsi trombosit dan faktor koagulasi

Diagnosis DIC harus mencakup klinis dan laboratorium

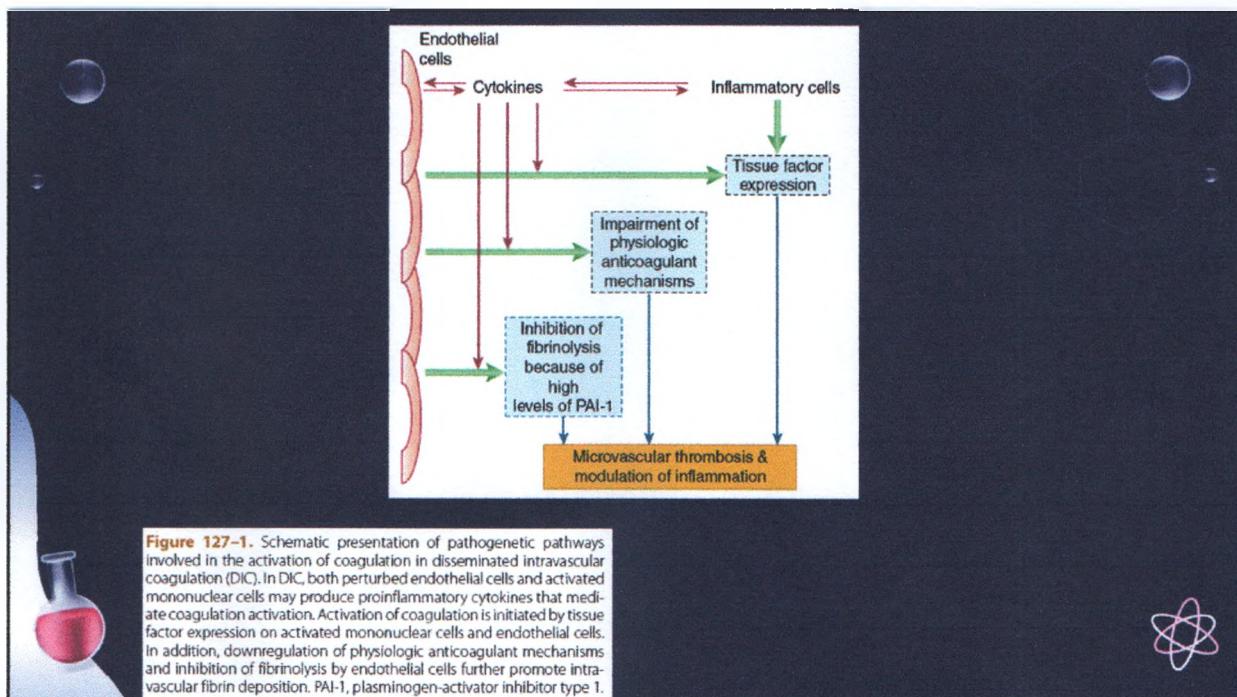
Sistem penilaian DIC dari International Society for Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH) memberikan pengukuran objektif DIC.



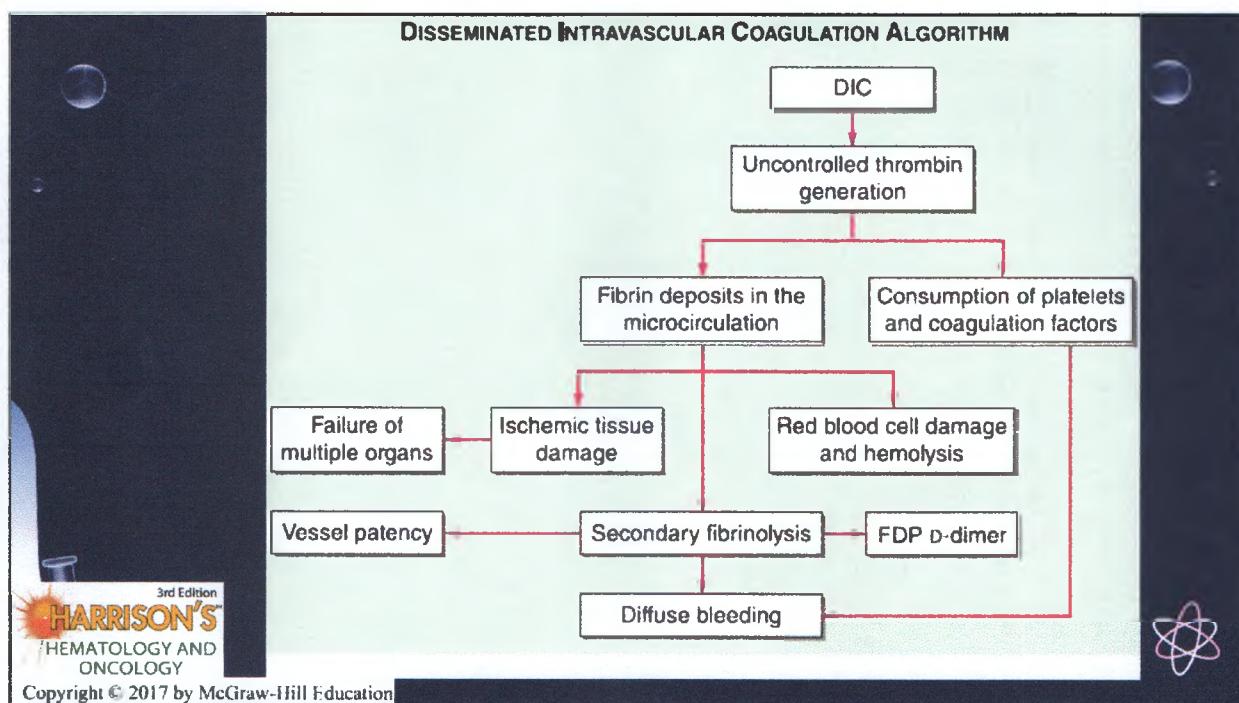
## Kelainan dasar yang sering menyebabkan DIC

- Sepsis : bakteri ( staphylococcus, streptococcus, pneumococcus, meningococcus, batang gram negatif), virus, jamur, parasite, rickettsia
- Trauma dan cedera jaringan : cedera otak, luka bakar yang luas, emboli lemak, rhabdomiolisis
- Kelainan vaskuler : giant hemangioma, emboli amnion, sindrom kematian janin, abortus sepsis
- Kanker : adenokarsinoma ( prostat, pancreas), keganasan hematologi ( leukemia promielositik akut)
- Kelainan imunologi : reaksi transfuse hemolitik akut, organ or tissue transplant rejection, graft-versus-host disease
- Obat : agen fibrinolitik, warfarin, reaksi obat ( amfetamin)
- Bisa ular
- Penyakit hepar : Fulminant hepatic failure, sirosis hati





<b>Penilaian risiko</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Apakah pasien mempunyai kelainan dasar yang diketahui berhubungan dengan dic <input type="checkbox"/> Jika ya lanjutkan algoritma ; <input type="checkbox"/> Lakukan pemeriksaanhitung trombosit, D-Dimer, PT, Fibrinogen  <input type="checkbox"/> Hitung skor sbb ; <input type="checkbox"/> > atau sama dengan 5 sesuai ov	
<b>TABLE 4 ISTH DIC scoring system<sup>a</sup></b>	
Test	
Platelet count	Score
>100 000 = 0	
50 000-100 000 = 1	
<50 000 = 2	
D-Dimer	No increase = 0
Moderate increase = 1	
Strong increase = 2	
Prolongation of PT	<3 s = 0
>3 but < 6 s = 1	
>6 s = 2	
Fibrinogen mg/dL	>100 mg/dL = 0
<100 mg/dL = 1	
Score ≥5 = overt DIC	
Abbreviations: DIC, disseminated intravascular coagulation; ISTH, International Society of Thrombosis and Haemostasis; PT, prothrombin time.	
The D-dimer assay	
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**D-dimer Level as a Predictor of Recurrent Stroke in Patients With Embolic Stroke of Undetermined Source**

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**Background and Purpose:**  
This study aimed to investigate the value of d-dimer levels in predicting recurrent stroke in patients with embolic stroke of undetermined source. We also evaluated the underlying causes of recurrent stroke according to d-dimer levels.

**Methods:**  
A total of 1431 patients with undetermined source were enrolled in this study and divided into quartiles according to their baseline plasma d-dimer levels. The primary outcome measure was the occurrence of recurrent stroke (ischemic or hemorrhagic) in the year following the stroke event.

**Results:**  
The risk of recurrent stroke increased significantly with the increasing d-dimer quartile (log-rank  $P=0.001$ ). Patients in the higher d-dimer quartiles had a higher probability of recurrent embolic stroke because of covert atrial fibrillation, hidden malignancy, or undetermined sources. Most recurrent strokes in Q3 and Q4 were embolic but not in Q1 or Q2. Multivariate analysis revealed that patients in Q3 and Q4 had a significantly increased risk of recurrent stroke compared with those in Q1 (hazard ratio, 3.12 [95% CI, 1.07–9.07],  $P=0.036$ ; hazard ratio, 7.29 [95% CI, 2.59–20.52],  $P<0.001$ , respectively;  $P_{\text{trend}}<0.001$ ). Binary analyses showed a significant association between a high d-dimer level above normal range and the risk of recurrent stroke (hazard ratio, 2.48 [95% CI, 1.31–4.70],  $P=0.005$ ). In subgroup analyses, a high d-dimer level was associated with a significantly higher risk of recurrent stroke in men than in women ( $P=0.039$ ).

**Conclusions:**  
Our findings suggest that d-dimer levels can be a useful risk assessment biomarker for predicting recurrent stroke, especially embolic ischemic stroke, in patients with undetermined source.

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## Baseline D-Dimer Levels as a Risk Assessment Biomarker for Recurrent Stroke in Patients with Combined Atrial Fibrillation and Atherosclerosis

**Abstract:** Background: We investigated the effect of D-dimer levels and efficacy of different antithrombotic therapies according to the baseline D-dimer levels on recurrent stroke in patients with atrial fibrillation (AF)-related stroke and atherosclerosis. Methods: We enrolled 1441 patients with AF-related stroke and atherosclerosis in this nationwide multicenter study. The primary outcome measure was the occurrence of recurrent ischemic stroke over a 3-year period. Results: High D-dimer levels ( $\geq 2 \mu\text{g/mL}$ ) were significantly associated with higher risk of recurrent ischemic stroke (adjusted hazard ratio (HR), 1.80; 95% confidence interval (CI), 1.13–2.84;  $p = 0.012$ ). The risk of recurrent stroke was similar between the anticoagulant and the antiplatelet groups in all subjects (adjusted HR, 0.78; 95% CI, 0.46–1.32;  $p = 0.369$ ). However, in patients with high D-dimer levels ( $\geq 2 \mu\text{g/mL}$ ), risk of recurrent stroke was significantly lower in the anticoagulant group than in the antiplatelet group (adjusted HR, 0.40; 95% CI, 0.18–0.87;  $p = 0.022$ ). Conclusion: Our findings suggested that baseline D-dimer levels could be used as a risk assessment biomarker of recurrent stroke in patients with AF-related stroke and atherosclerosis. High D-dimer levels would facilitate the identification of patients who are more likely to benefit from anticoagulants to ensure secondary prevention of stroke.

**Keywords:** atrial fibrillation; d-dimer; outcome; ischemic stroke; antithrombotics

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**ORIGINAL ARTICLE**  
**Haemostasis**

## Clinical value of pediatric sepsis-induced coagulopathy score in diagnosis of sepsis-induced coagulopathy and prognosis in children

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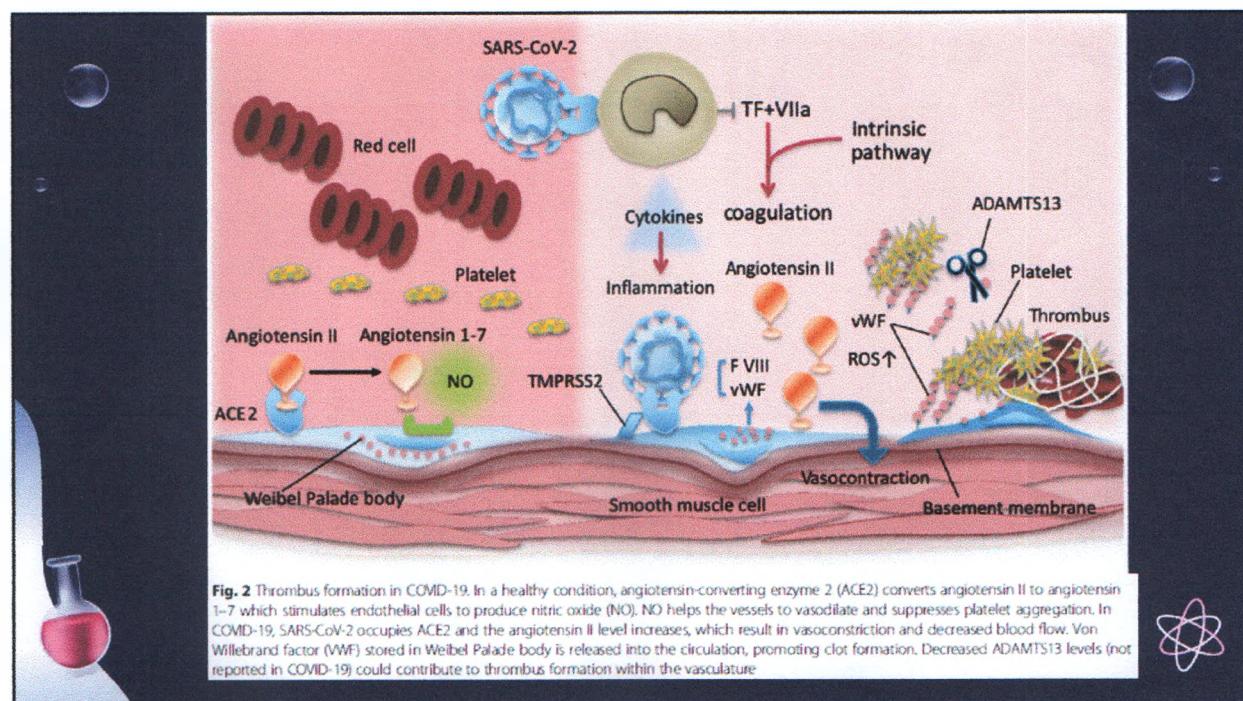
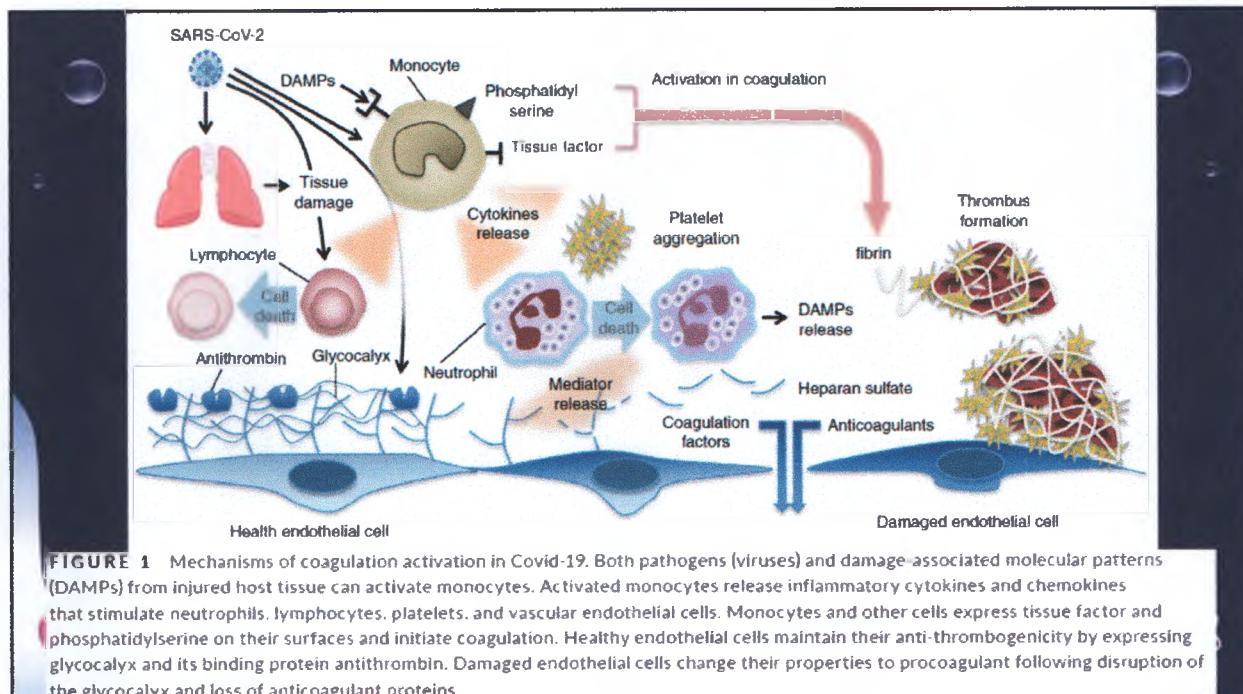
**Background:** In adults, sepsis-induced coagulopathy (SIC) is diagnosed by the SIC score, known as septic-3. There is no pediatric SIC (pSIC) score at present.

**Objectives:** We proposed a pSIC scoring method and evaluated the diagnostic efficacy of the score in the diagnosis of SIC in children.

**Patients/Methods:** Patient data were retrospectively analyzed from Shanghai Children's Medical Center between February 2014 and January 2015. The pSIC score was modified from the SIC score. The area under ROC curve (AU-ROC) was used to compare the prognostic values of pSIC with other scores for pediatric sepsis-induced disseminated intravascular coagulation (DIC) to arrive at a 28-day outcome.

**Results and Conclusions:** There were 54 patients in the pSIC group and 37 in the non-pSIC group. The Kaplan-Meier survival curve analysis showed that the 28-day prognosis was better in the non-pSIC than in the pSIC group ( $p < .001$ ). The AU-ROC of the pSIC score in predicting 28-day mortality in sepsis was 0.716, with the optimal cutoff value of  $>3$  inferior to that of pediatric sequential organ failure (0.716 vs. 0.921,  $p < .001$ ). The AU-ROC of pSIC in predicting nonovert DIC was 0.845 and the optimal cutoff value was  $>3$ . The AU-ROC of pSIC in predicting overt DIC was 0.901, with the best optimal cutoff value of  $>4$ . The pSIC score can be used to diagnose SIC in children, screen potential nonovert DIC, and assess the severity of sepsis, organ dysfunction, and 28-day outcome in children.

**KEYWORDS**



**Table 1 Recommendations for laboratory tests in patients with COVID-19\***

Test	Abbreviation	Rationale for inclusion	Considerations
<b>Hematology (including thrombin tests, coagulation)</b>			
Complete/full blood count	CBC/FBC	Identification of lymphopenia, neutrophilia, and thrombocytopenia	Include platelet count, differential for lymphocyte count
Prothrombin Time	PT	Identification of ongoing coagulopathy	
Activated partial thromboplastin time	APTT		
Fibrinogen	Fbg or fib	Identification of ongoing (consumption) coagulopathy	
D-dimer		(identification of ongoing coagulopathy or thrombotic thrombopenic purpura)	•
<b>Biochemistry and other tests</b>			
Elevated lactate		Identification of metabolic derangement	
Glycose			
Creatinine protein	CRP	Monitoring of infection/inflammatory response	•
Lactate dehydrogenase	LDH	Identification of lung injury and/or multiple organ failure	
Aspartate aminotransferase	AST		
Alanine aminotransferase	ALT		
Bilirubin		Identification of liver injury	
Albumin		Identification of liver failure	
Creatine kinase (also known as creatine phosphokinase or phosphocreatine kinase)	CK	Identification of muscle injury	
Lipase		Identification of pancreatic injury	
Blood urea nitrogen	BUN	Identification of kidney injury and/or failure	
Creatinine			
Cardiac biomarkers (troponin I or T)		Identification of cardiac injury	•
Brain natriuretic peptide	BNP	Identification of cardiac failure	•
Ferritin		Monitoring of infection/inflammatory response	•
Procalcitonin	PCT	Identification of bacterial infections	•
Paroxysms		Monitoring of severity of viral infection	•

\*Recommendations for Minimal Laboratory Testing Panels in Patients with COVID-19: Potential for Prognostic Monitoring

†Authors strongly advise some diagnostic value in COVID-19 patients. However, we recognize that such a fast evolving disease may quickly change as new information emerges. Thus, at all times, local experts should be consulted as available and testing modified accordingly.

• “Cutoff value”: unless clinically justified, testing should not generally be considered within 24 hours of an existing test.

• For selected patients with signs of DIC (SIS), discuss with an expert (laboratory) clinician before clinical treatment.

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## KESIMPULAN

Pemanfaatan D-Dimer secara luas untuk

- menyingkirkan diagnosis vena tromboemboli (VTE) pada pasien dengan *low clinical probability* sesuai skor prediksi klinis DVT dan PE
- Menetapkan risiko trombosis berulang untuk menentukan durasi optimal antikoagulan pada VTE
- mendiagnosis dan memantau koagulasi intravaskular disemina, -
- memonitor kondisi pada pasien berisiko tinggi mengalami perdarahan atau trombosis.



- menyingkirkan diagnosis diseksi aorta akut
- Memprediksi dan memantau komplikasi trombotik pada pasien dengan infeksi berat (oleh bakteri , virus) dan sepsis
- Deteksi risiko trombotik pada keganasan,
- Krisis vaso-oklusif pada penyakit sel sabit
- Kecurigaan adanya trombus intrakraniak pada aneurisma ventrikel kiri
- Memprediksi stroke berulang pada penderita stroke kardioemboli
- Prognostik pada penyakit arteri perifer



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