

# Angio-oedeem

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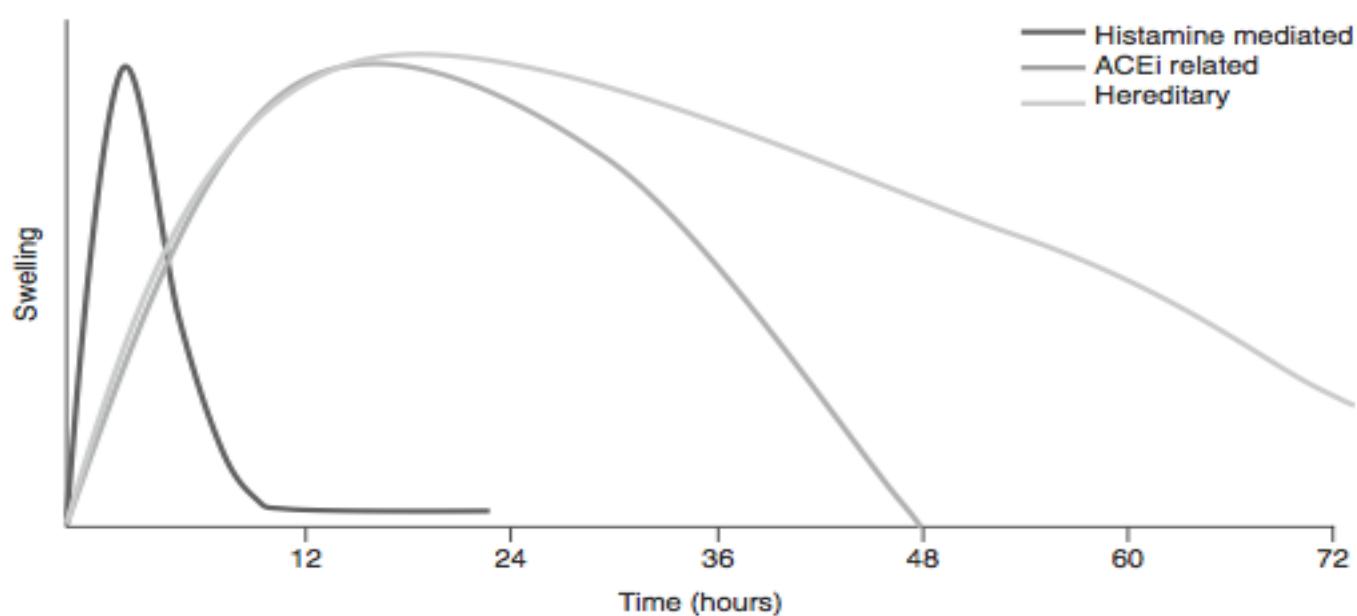
# Angio-oedeem (AE)



**Periodiek toenemende vasopermeabiliteit  
verklaard door een vaso-actieve mediator**

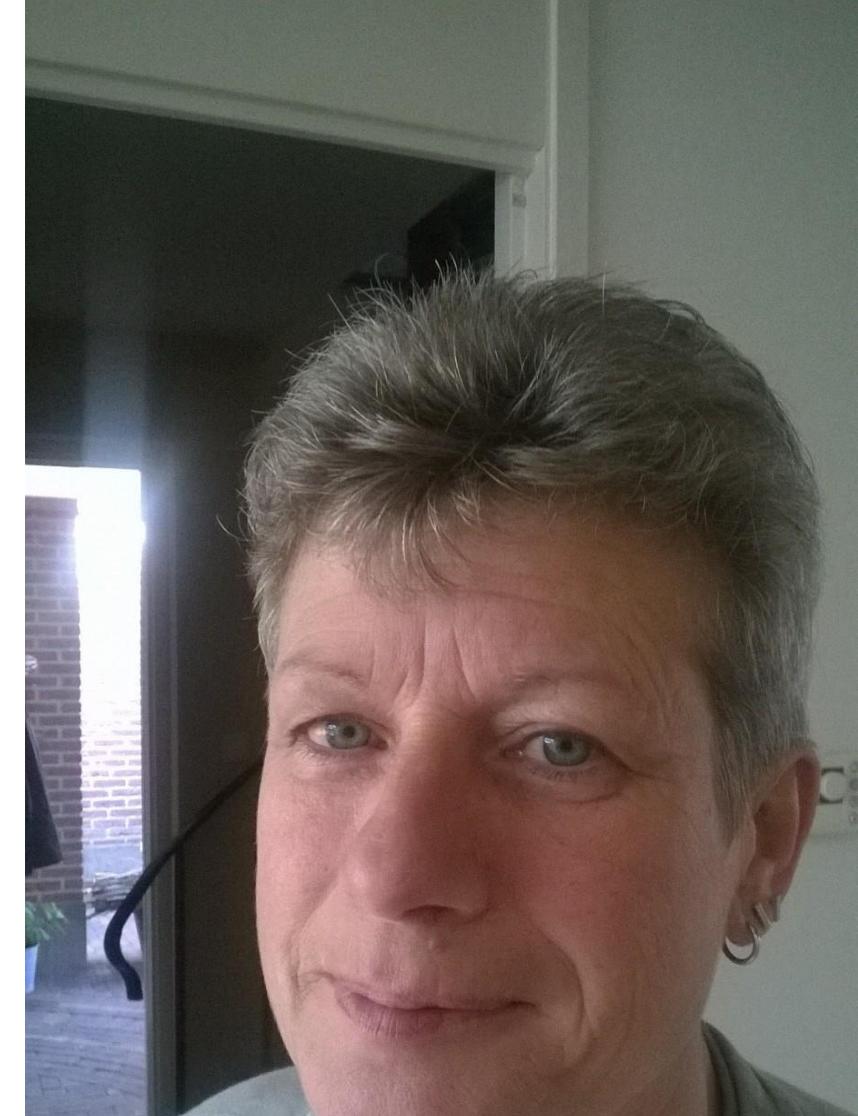
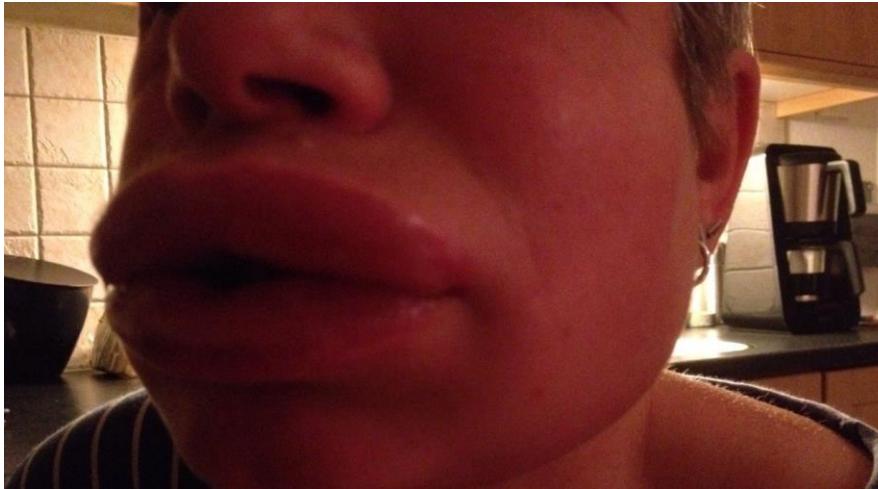
# Kliniek

- Non-pitting interstitieel oedeem
- Passagère gelokaliseerde zwelling



**Fig. 4** Schematic representation of angioedema attack onset and duration. Histamine-mediated angioedema attacks tend to have rapid onset and resolution. Bradykinin-mediated angioedema usually develops more slowly and can persist for  $\leq 5$  days, although angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor (ACEI)-induced angioedema will usually resolve  $\leq 48$  h once the drug is discontinued

# Casus Mw G.



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- 2014 24 feb: Eerste bezoek poli IG / NCIA wgs "Quinckes-oedeem".  
Lab: Geen HAE-I-II, geen AAE, normaal tryptase, FXII-mutatie neg dus geen HAE-III.  
D-dimeer 1450 ng/mL.  
R/ Fexofenadine 180 mg 2xddd1 is dan ineffectief.
- 2014 17 apr: Op proef desloratidine 5 mg 3xddd1 en ranitidine 300 mg 1xddd1
- 2014 08 mei: Houdt veel klachten; op proef toevoegen tranexaminezuur 500 mg 3xddd1.
- 2014 26 mei: Rapportiert 'geweldig effect van tranexaminezuur toevoeging'.  
D-dimeer < 500 mg/L.  
Hierop doorgaan tranexaminezuur en (wgs obstipatie), verlagen desloratidine naar 5 mg 2xddd1.
- 2014 25 aug: Gaat goed. Heeft het gevoel dat angio-oedeem onder controle is.  
Bij poging tot verlagen van dosis desloratidine wel meer jeuk. Daarom nu (weer) als medicatie:  
- Tranexaminezuur (Cyclokapron) 500 mg 3xddd1,  
- Desloratidine 5mg 3 of 2xddd1 ,  
- Ranitidine 300 mg 1xddd1.

# Géén angio-oedeem



# Urticaria en angioedeem



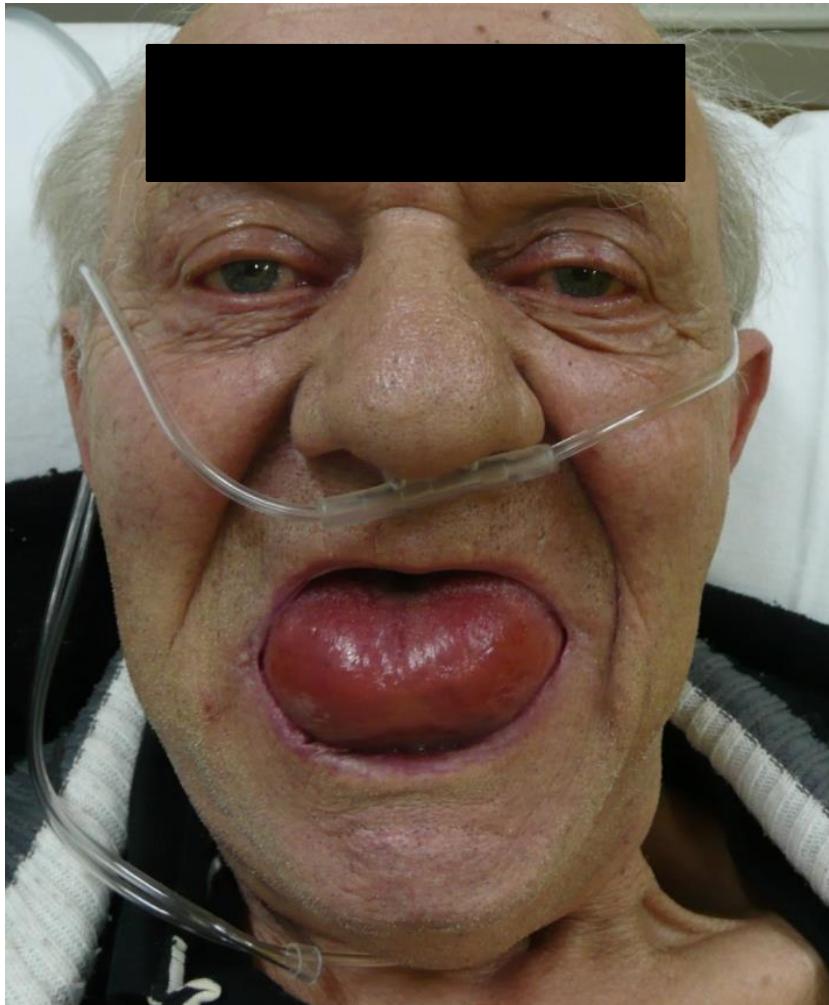
# Wel angio-oedeem: Hereditair AE-I (C1-inh

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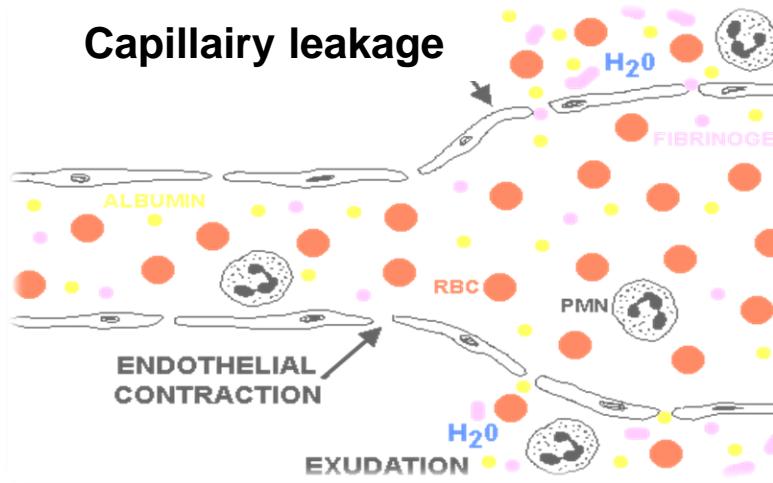


# Wel angio-oedeem: ACE-remmer geassocieerd AE



# AE – Mediatoren

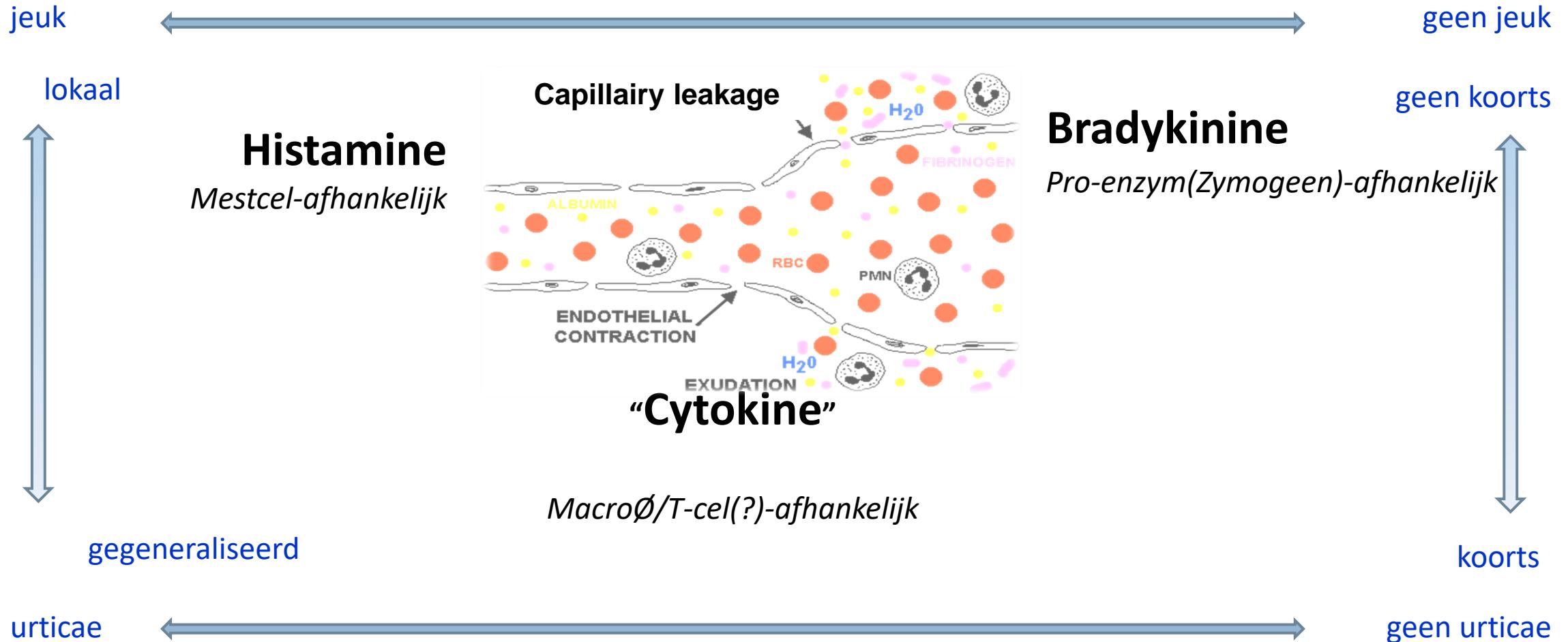
**Histamine**  
*Mestcel-afhankelijk*

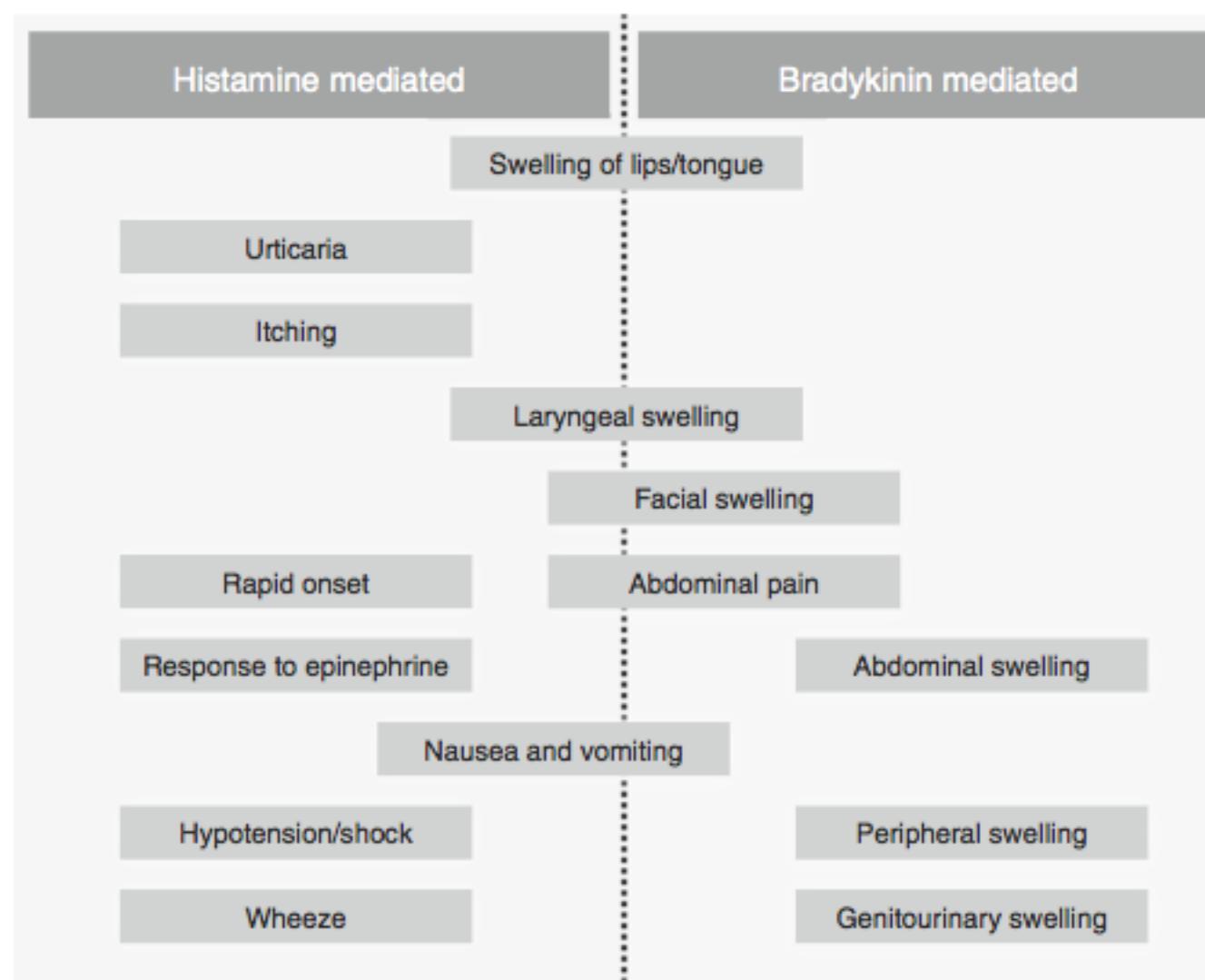


**Bradykinine**  
*Zymoogen-afhankelijk*

**“Cytokine”**  
*MacroØ/T-cel(?)-afhankelijk*

# AE – Klinische kenmerken





**Fig. 3** Distinguishing histamine- versus bradykinin-mediated angioedema

# Angioedeem / urticaria



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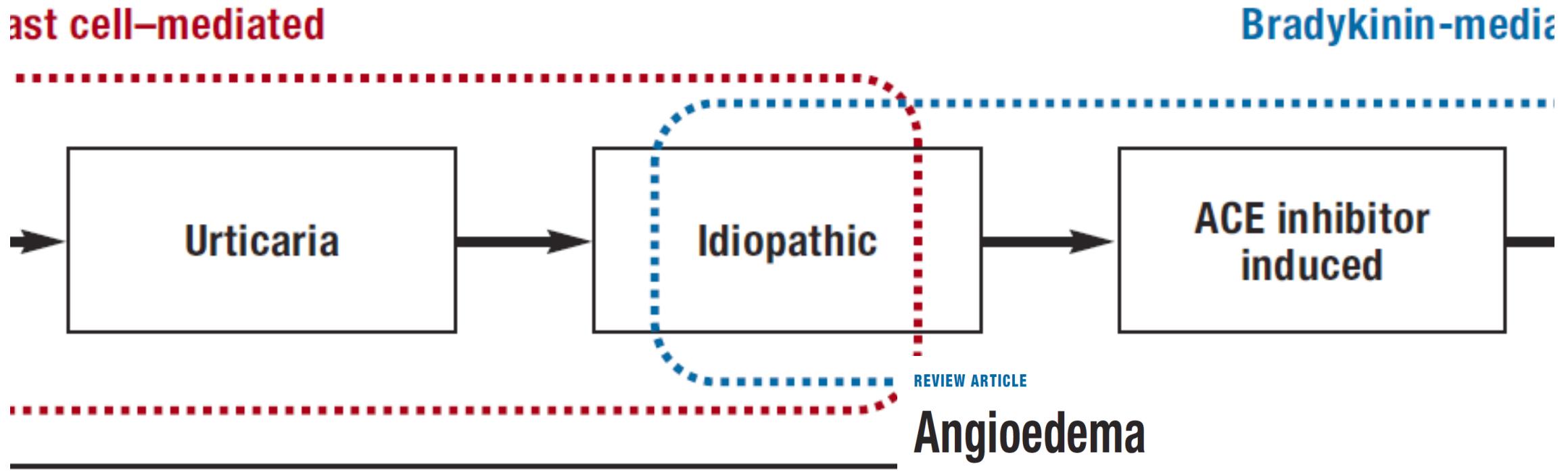


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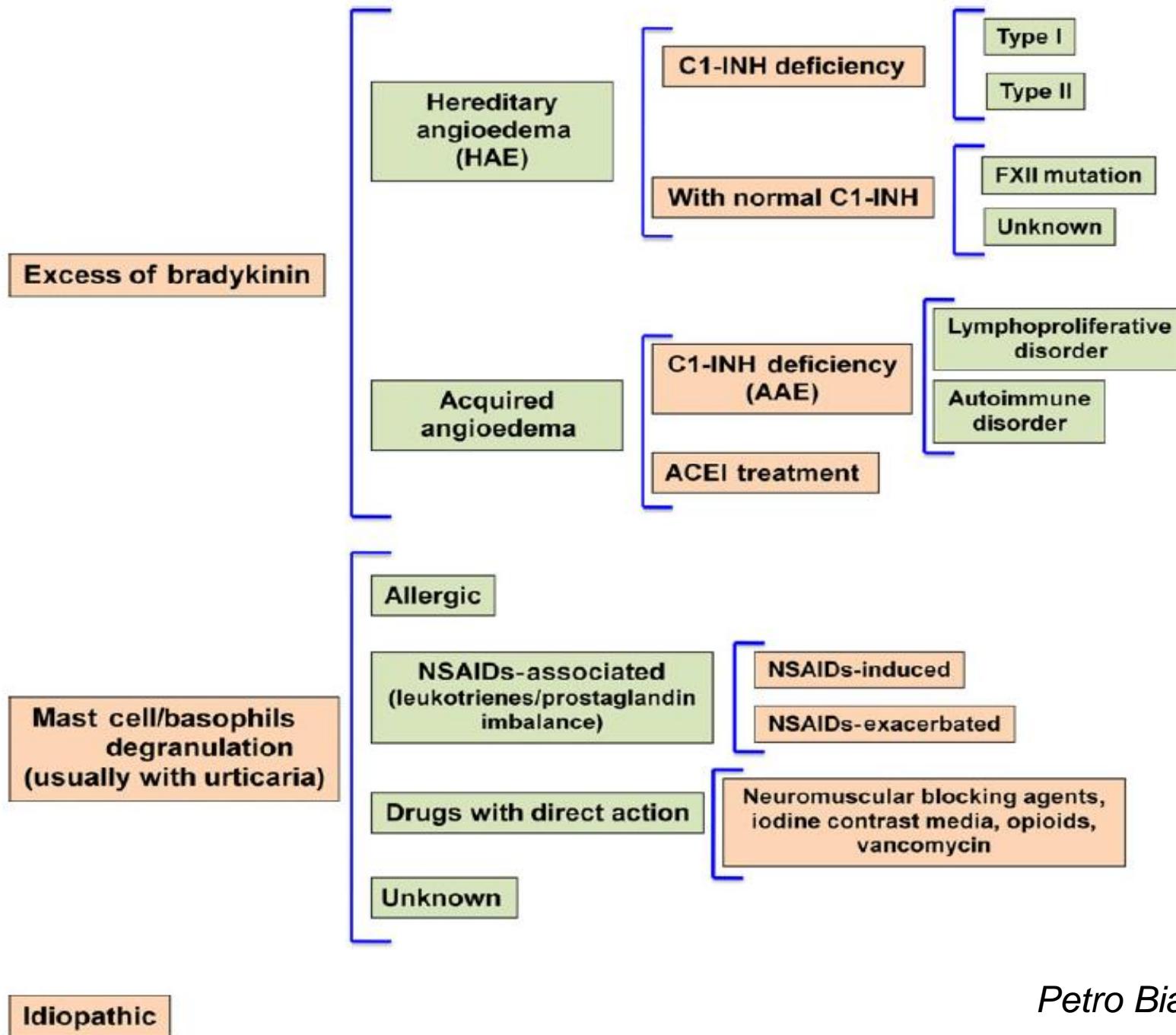
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# Angioedeem - mechanisme

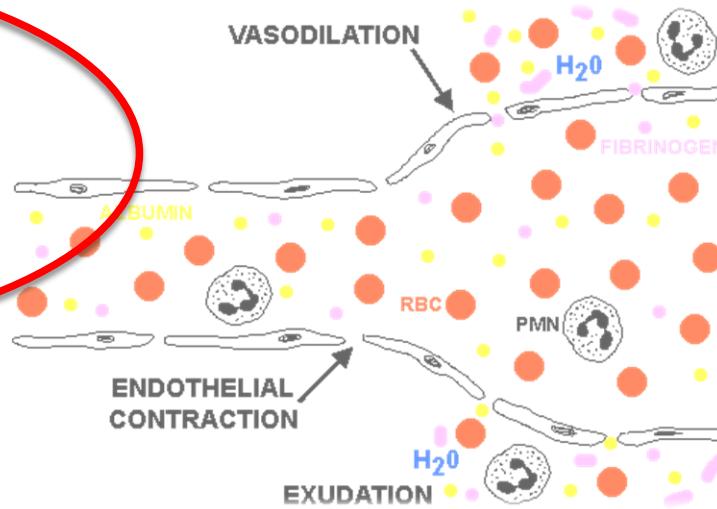


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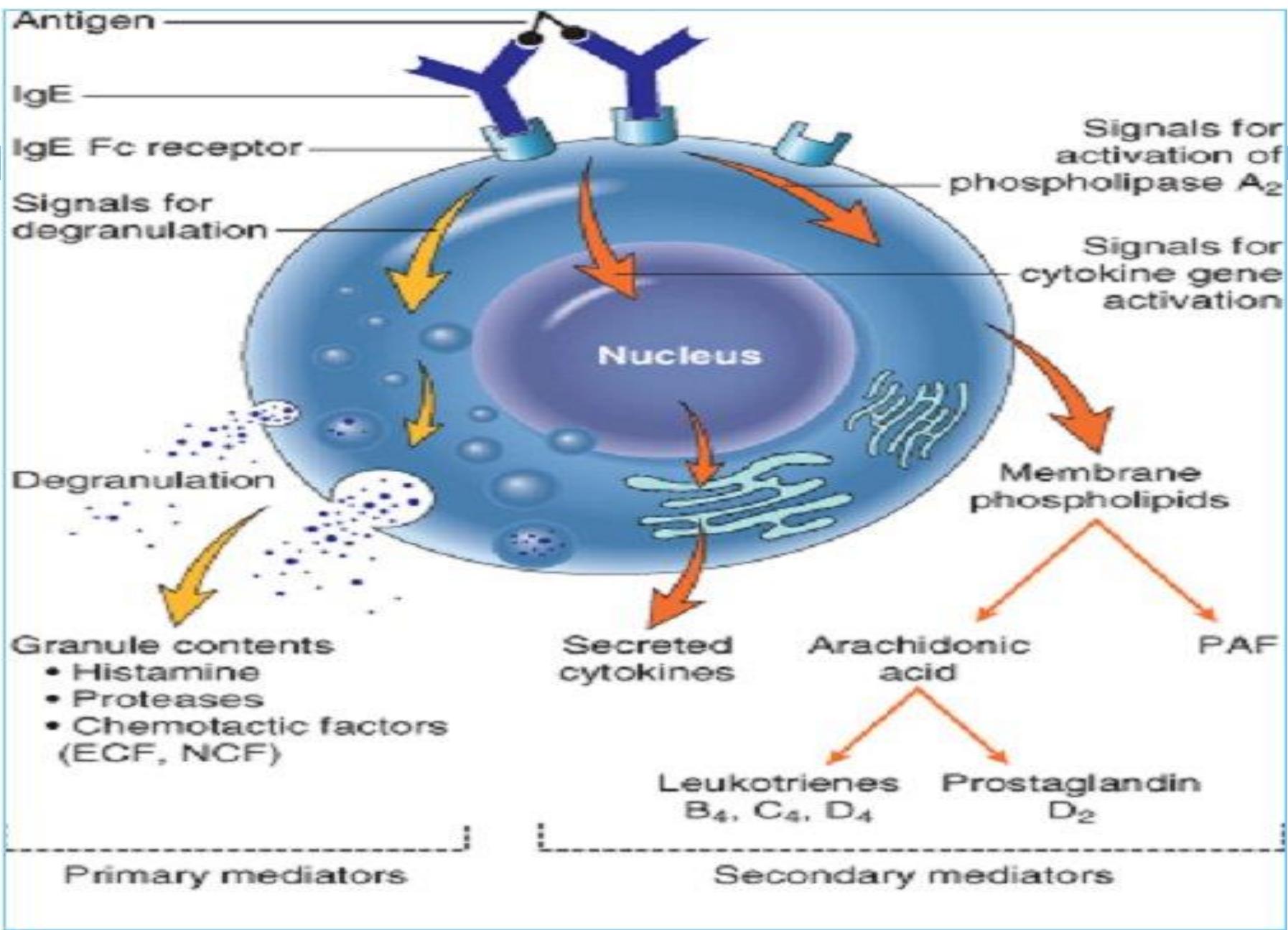
# Angioedeem - mediatoren

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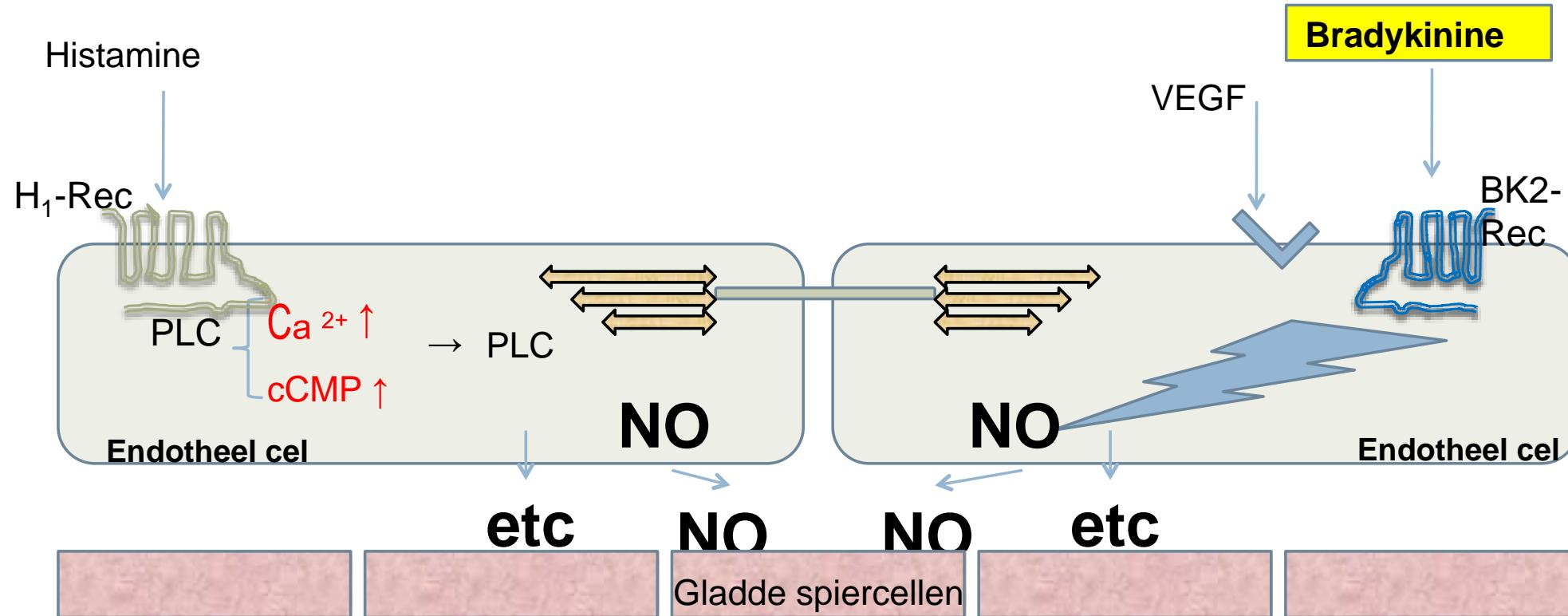


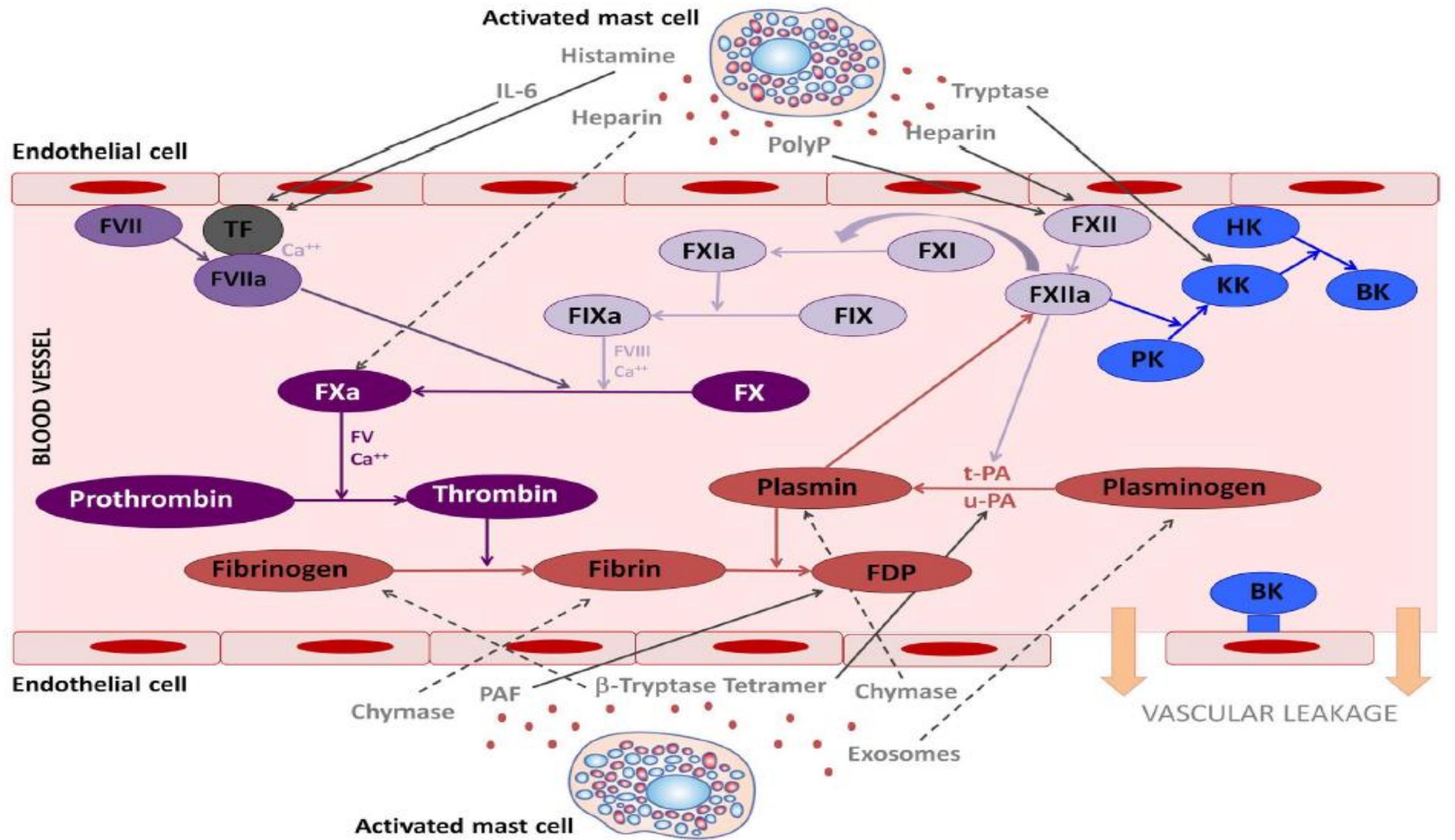
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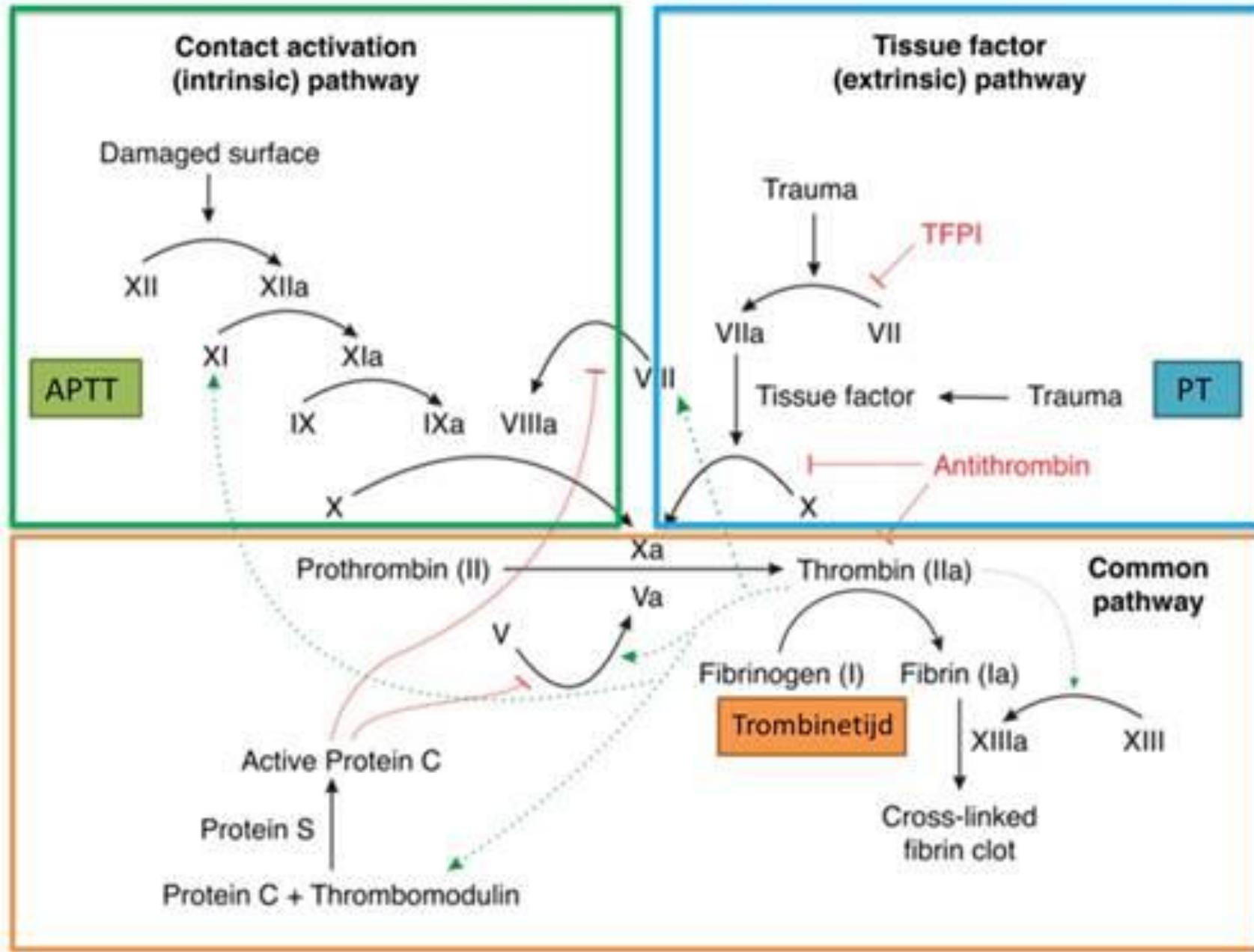
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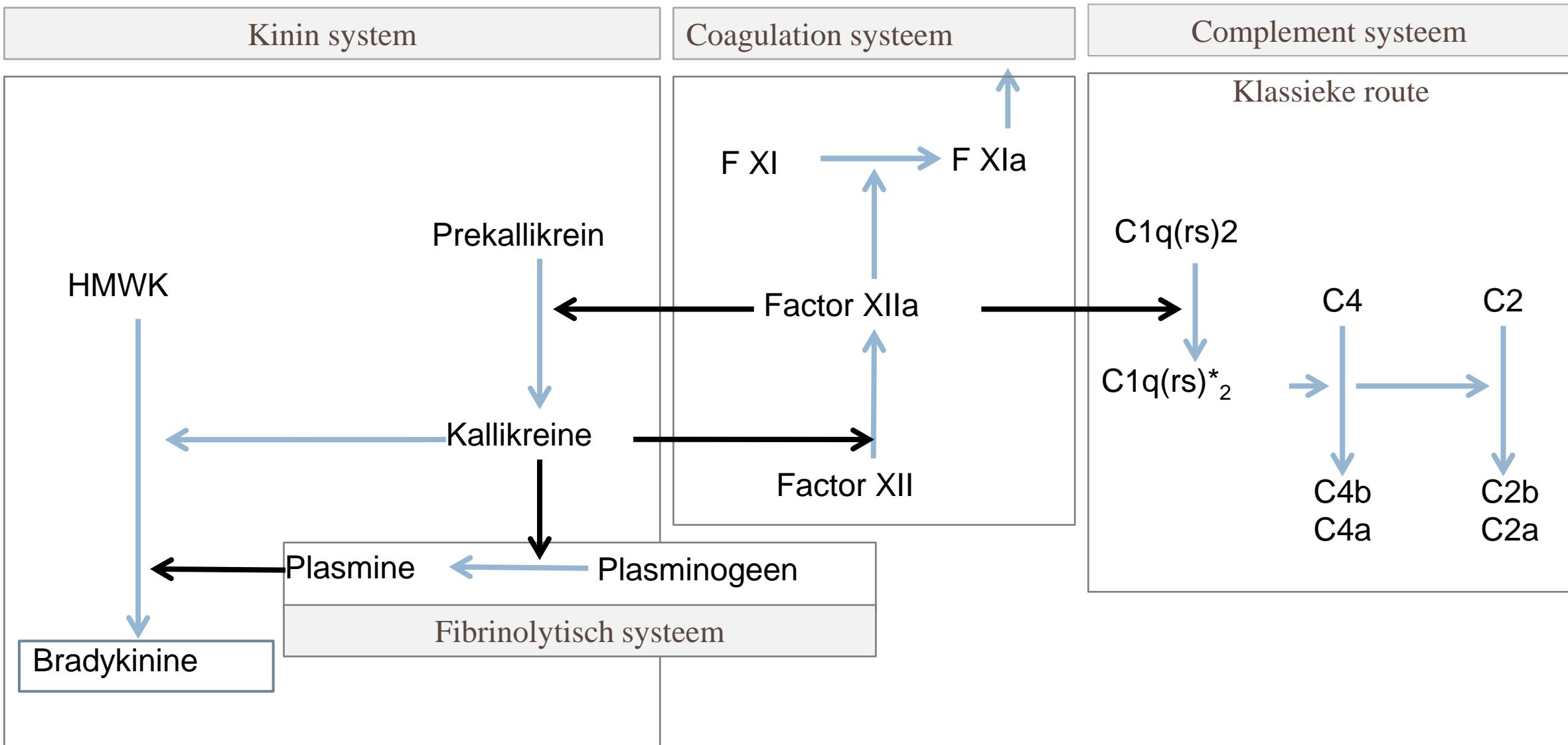
# Werking histamine

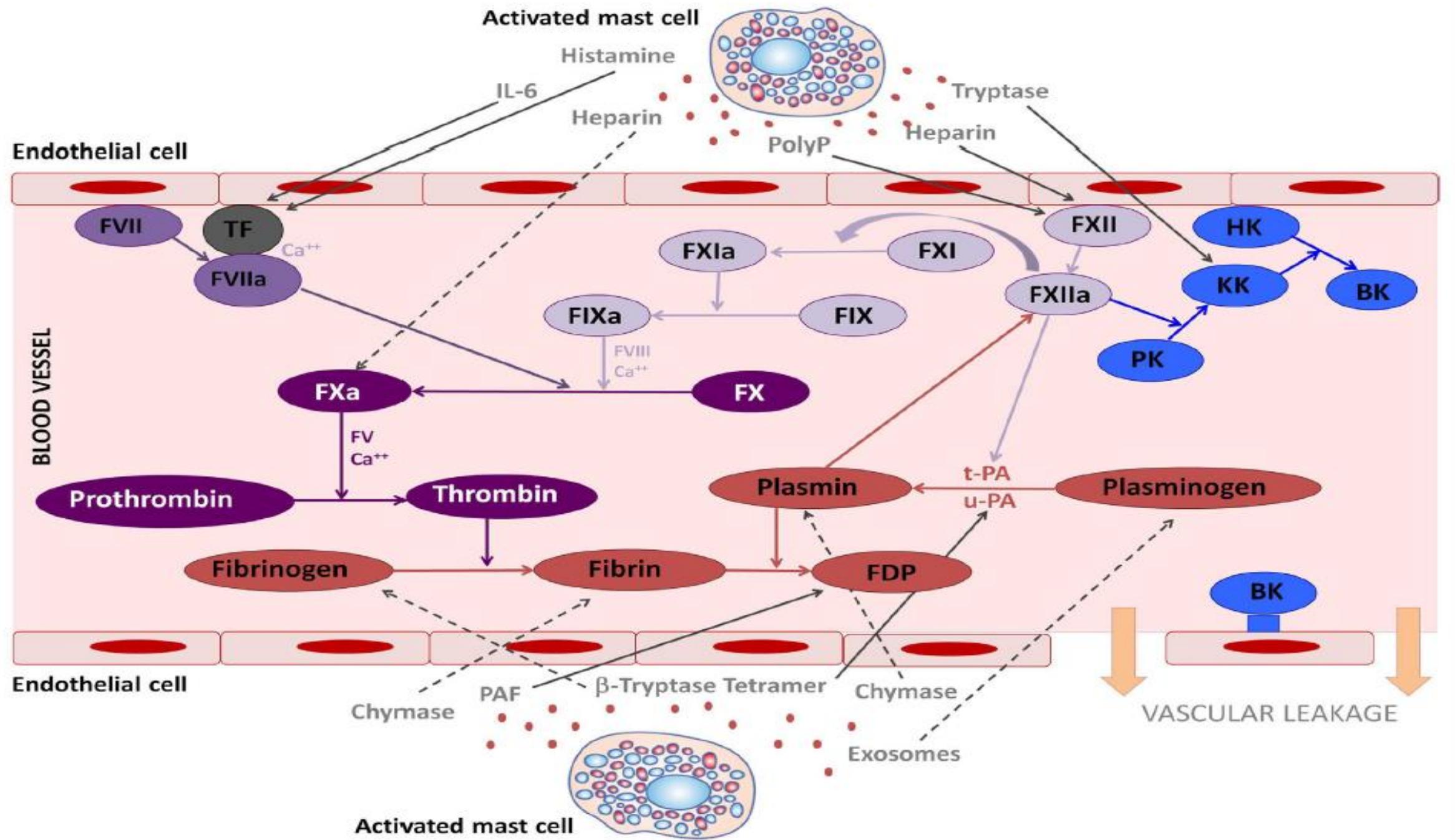




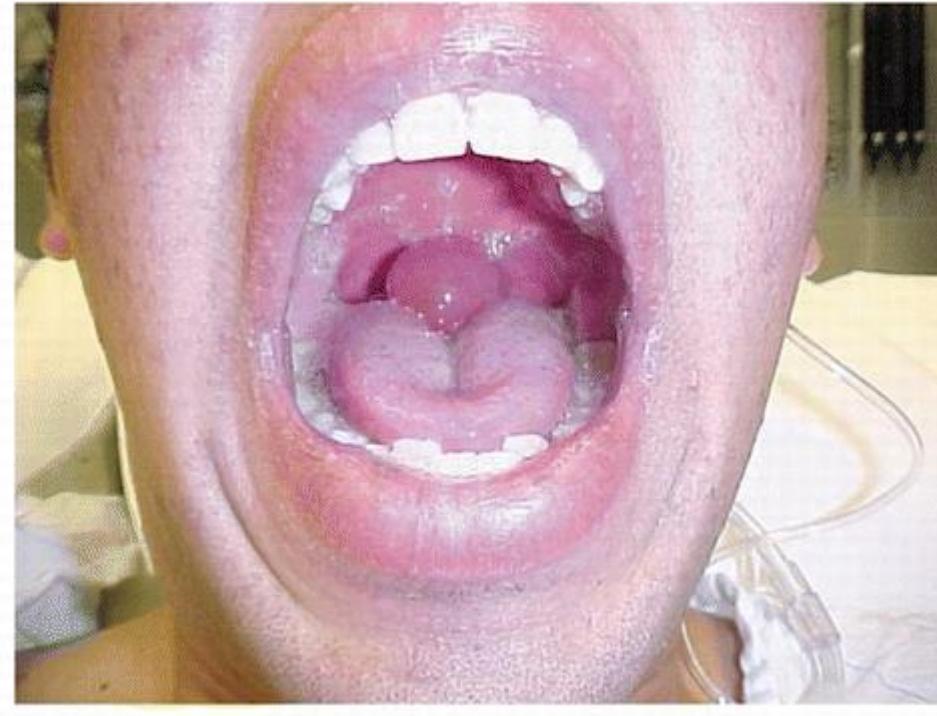


# Diverse cascades

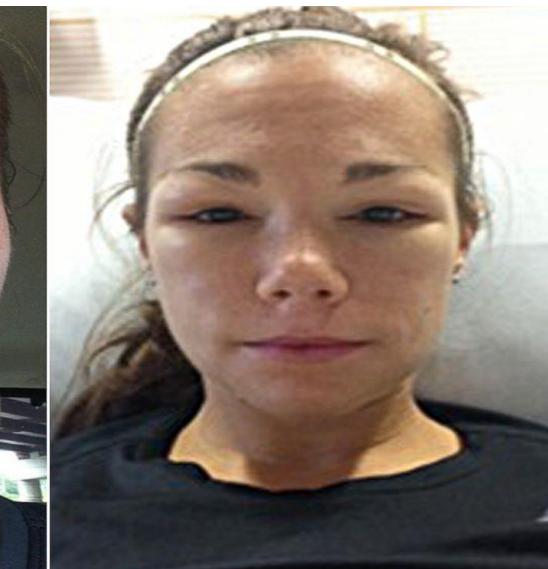




# IgE gemedieerd

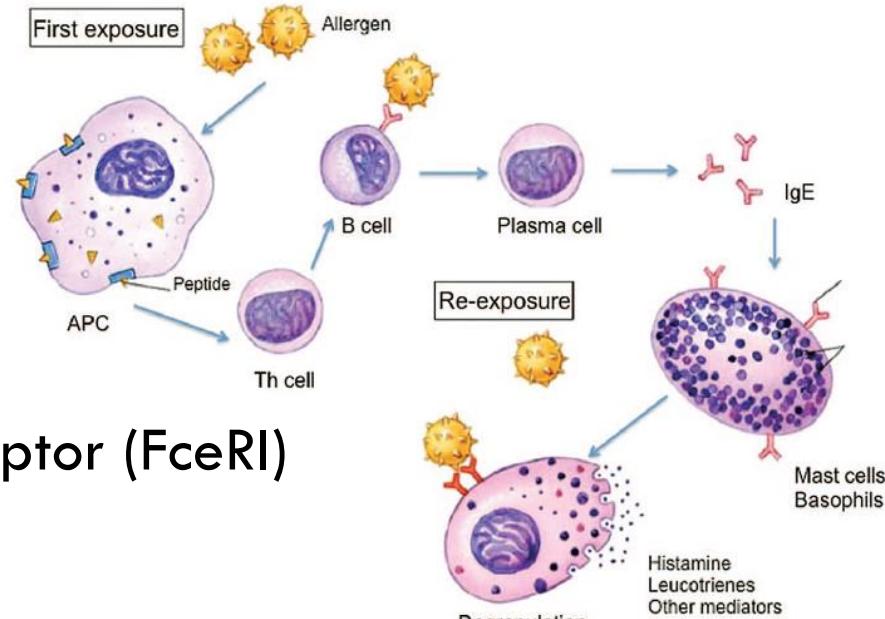


# IgE gemedieerd; omega-5-gliadine



# 1. Mastcell/Histamine mediated angioedema

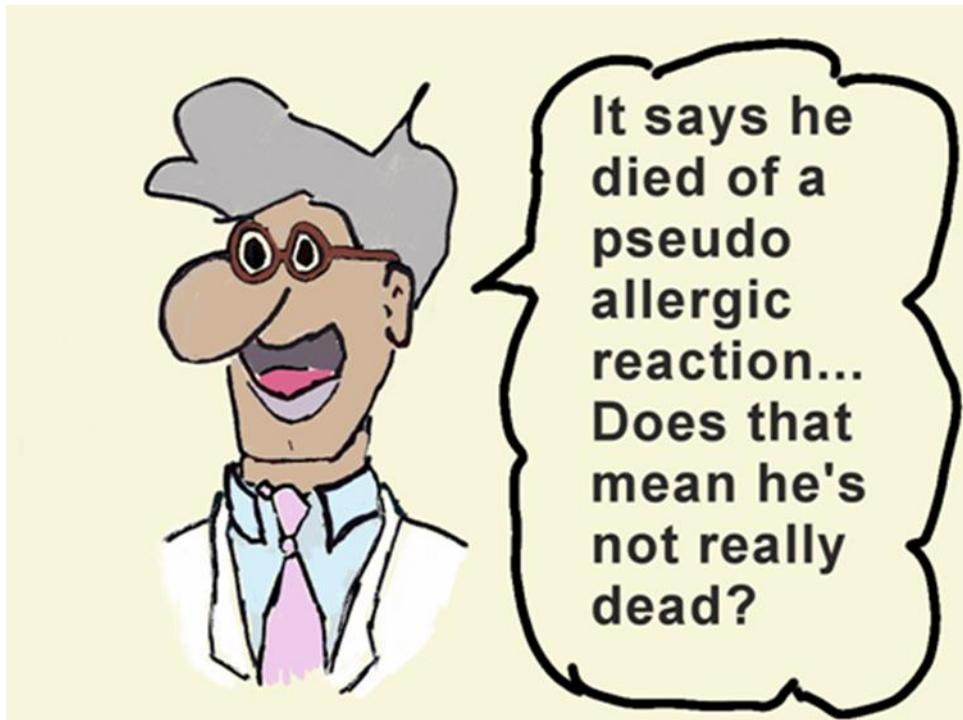
- Type I / IgE mediated



- Autoantibodies against mast cell IgE receptor (Fc $\epsilon$ RI)
- Complement
- IgG mast cell receptors
- Non-immunological triggers (physical factors, opioids, ethanol)

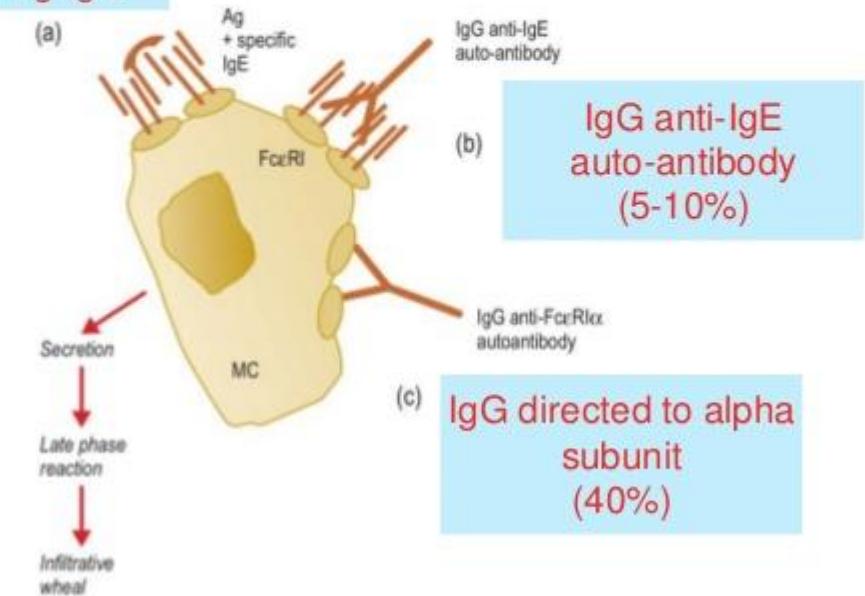
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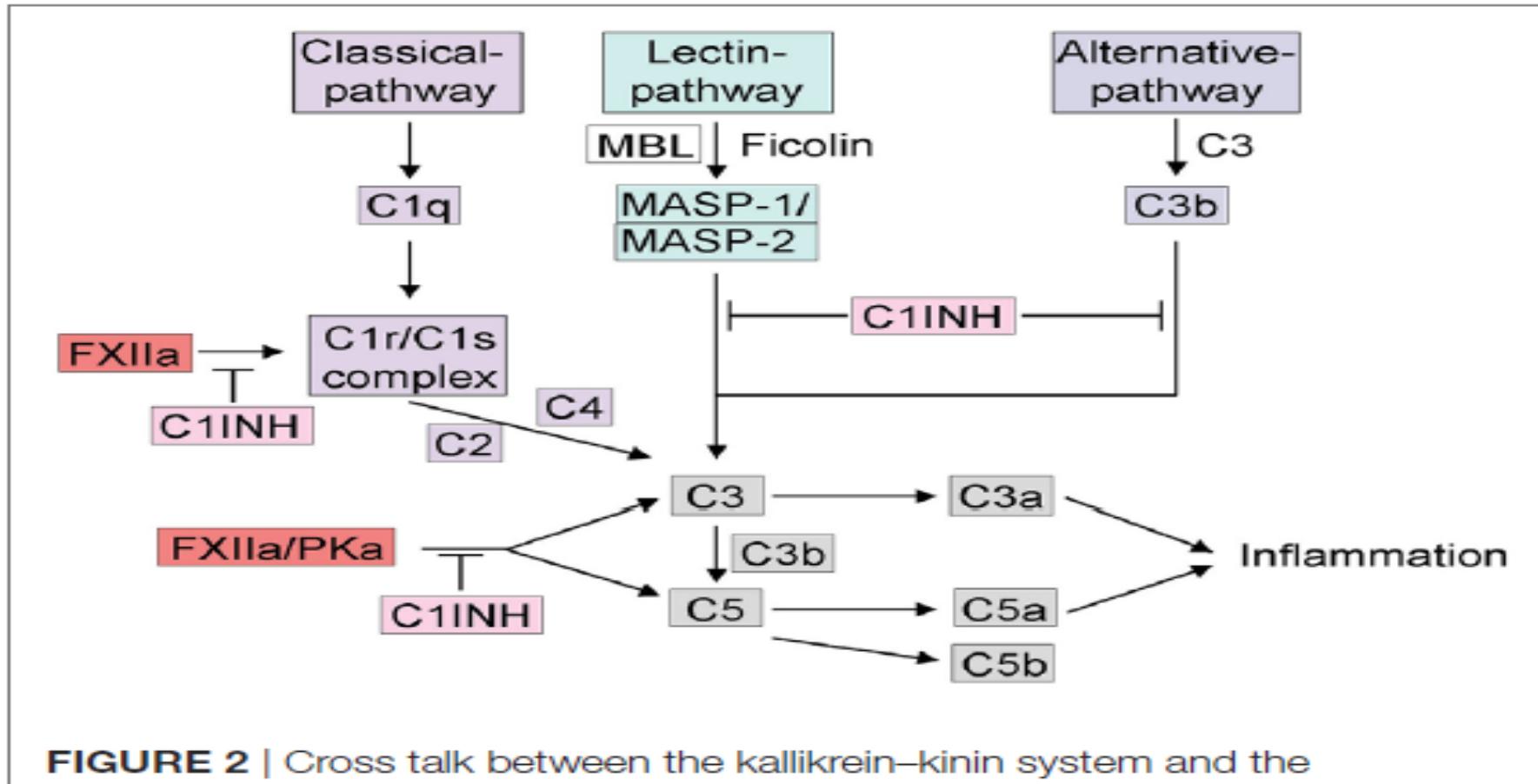


## Mast cell

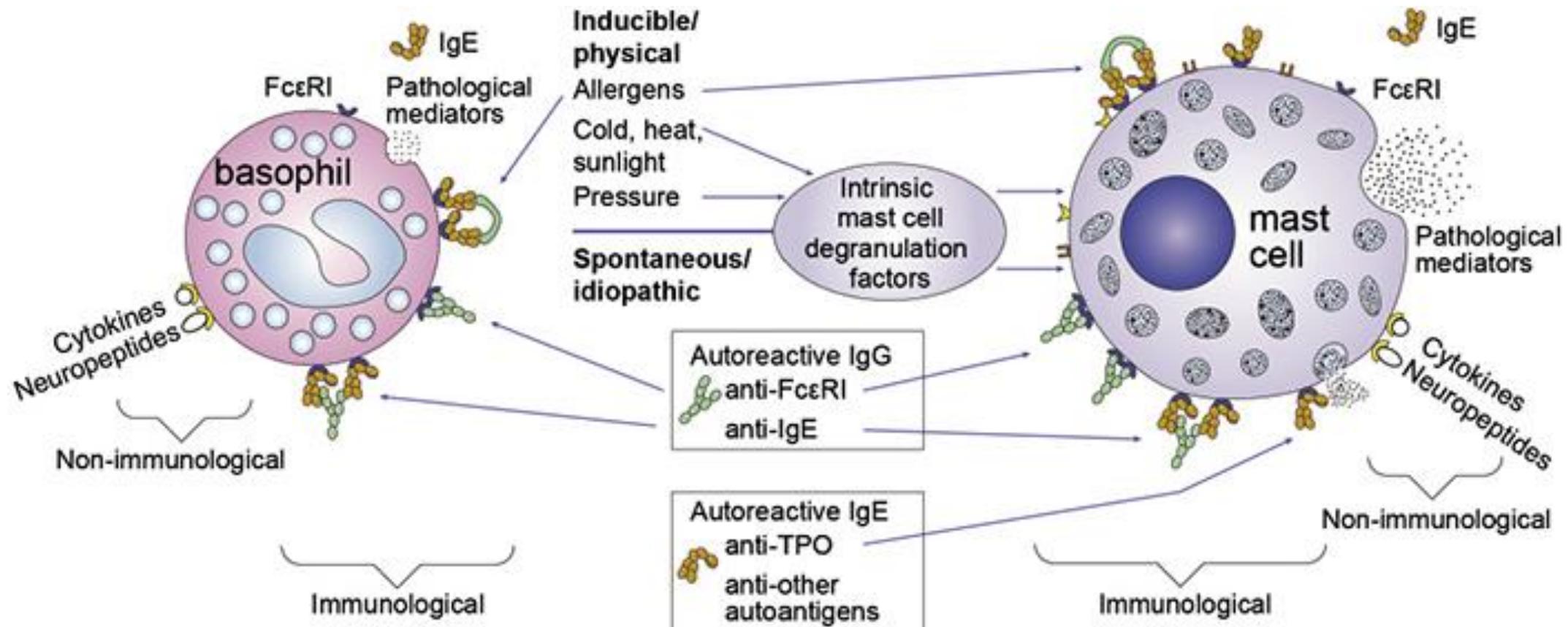
### Ag cross-linking IgE



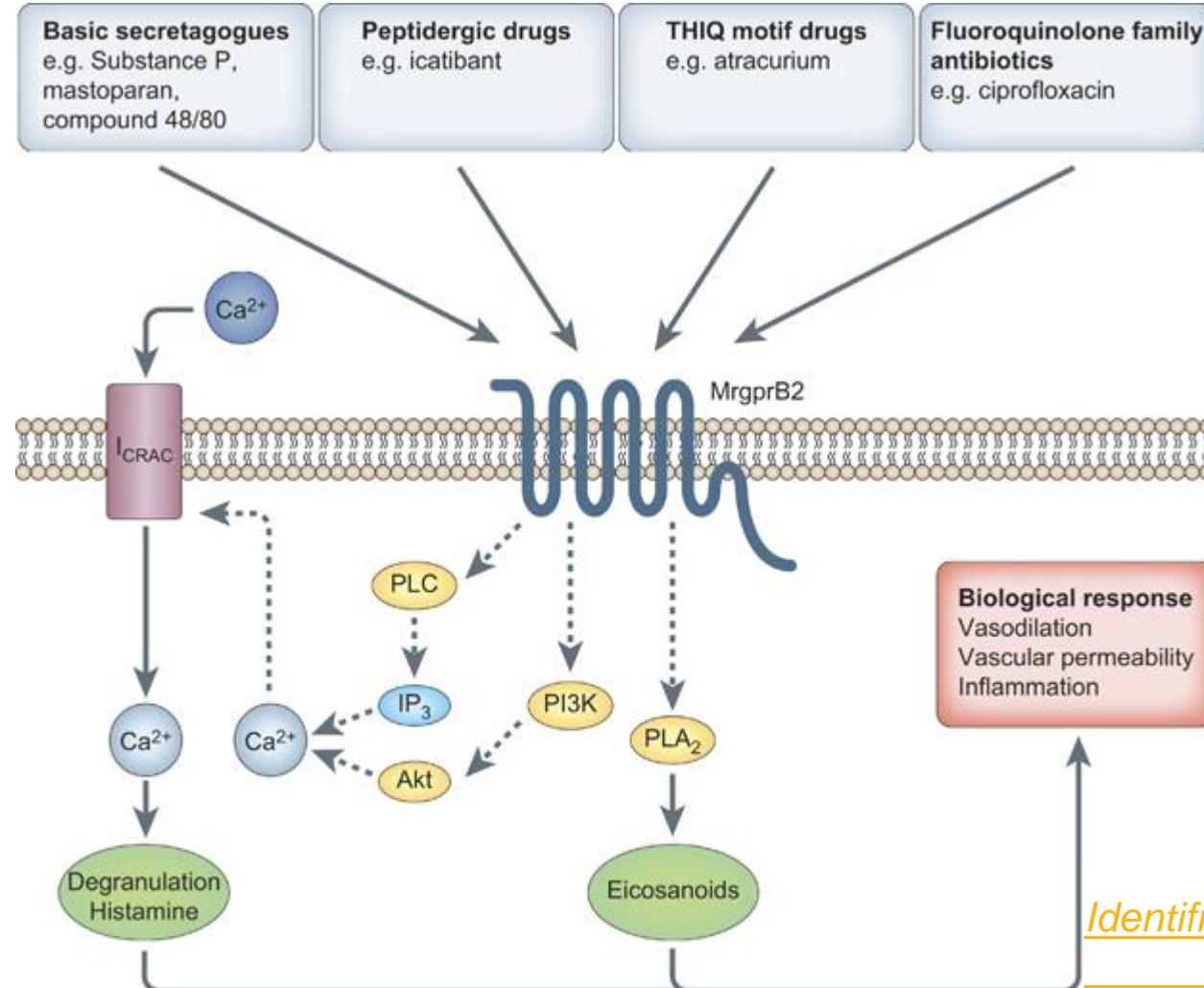
# Cross talk tussen kallikreine en complementsysteem



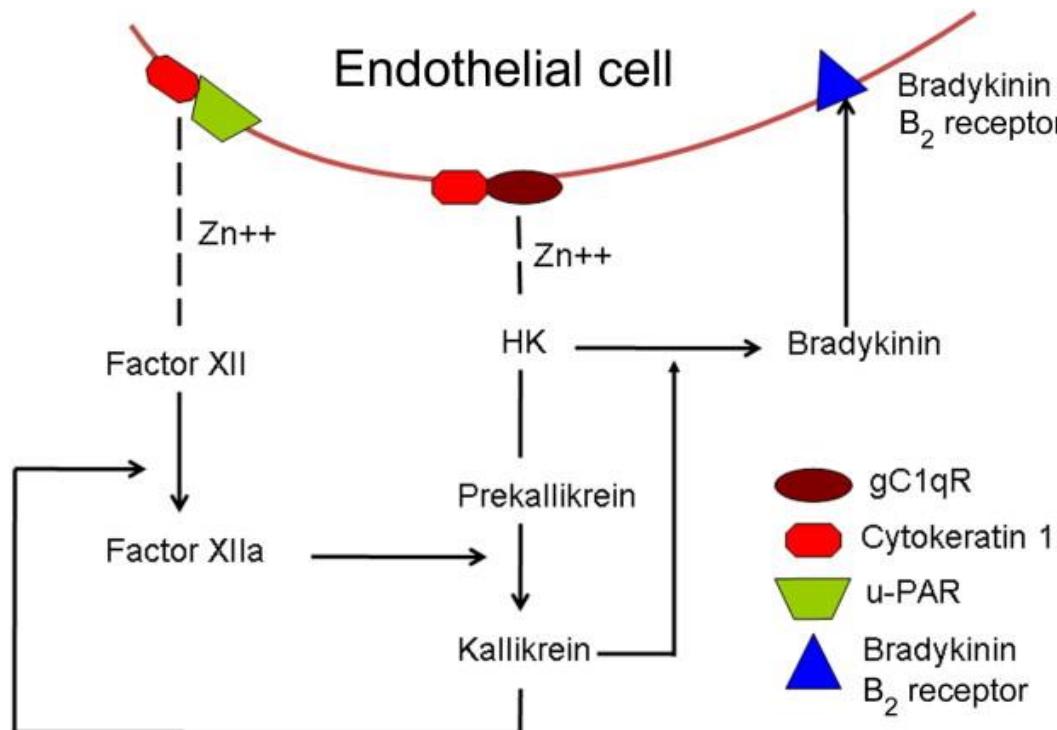
# IgG en niet-immunologisch



# MRG PRX2 receptor



## 2. Bradykinin-mediated angioedema



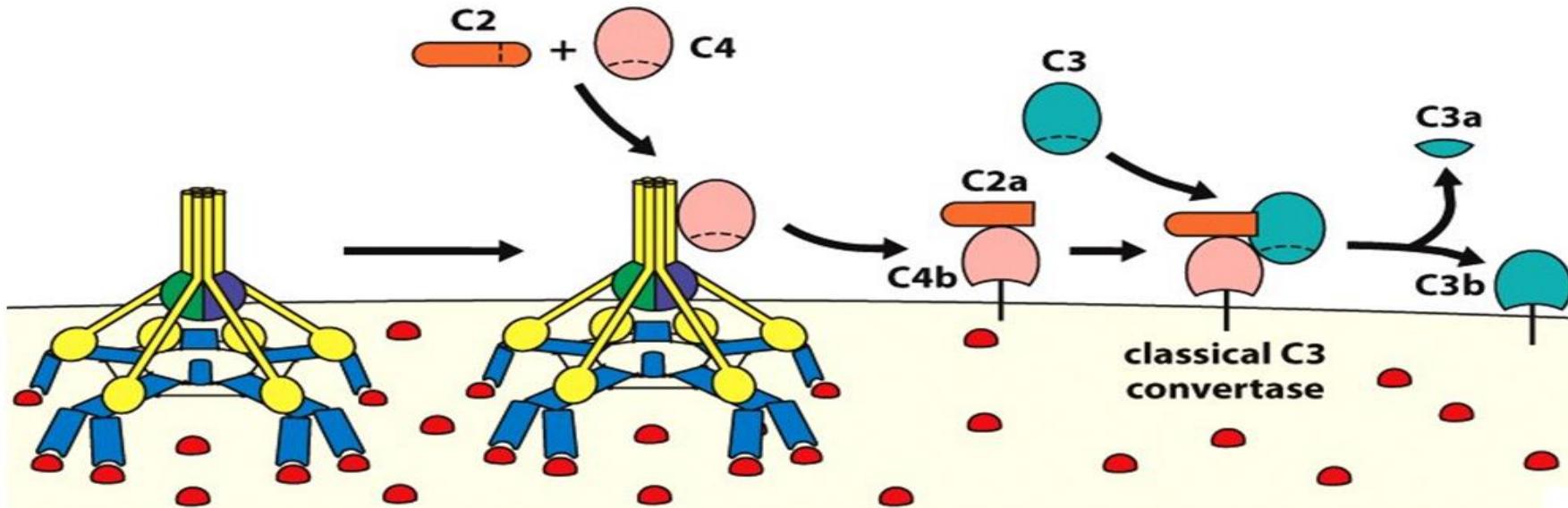
## 2. Bradykinin-mediated angioedema

- Hereditary and acquired angioedema with C1-inhibitor deficiency
  - HAE type I and II
  - AAE type I and II
- Hereditary angioedema without C1-inhibitor deficiency (HAE type III)
  - Defective glycosylation of FXII (1)
  - Diverse nieuwe mutaties (oa plasminogeen) (2)
- Angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor-induced angioedema
- Idiopathic bradykinin-mediated angioedema

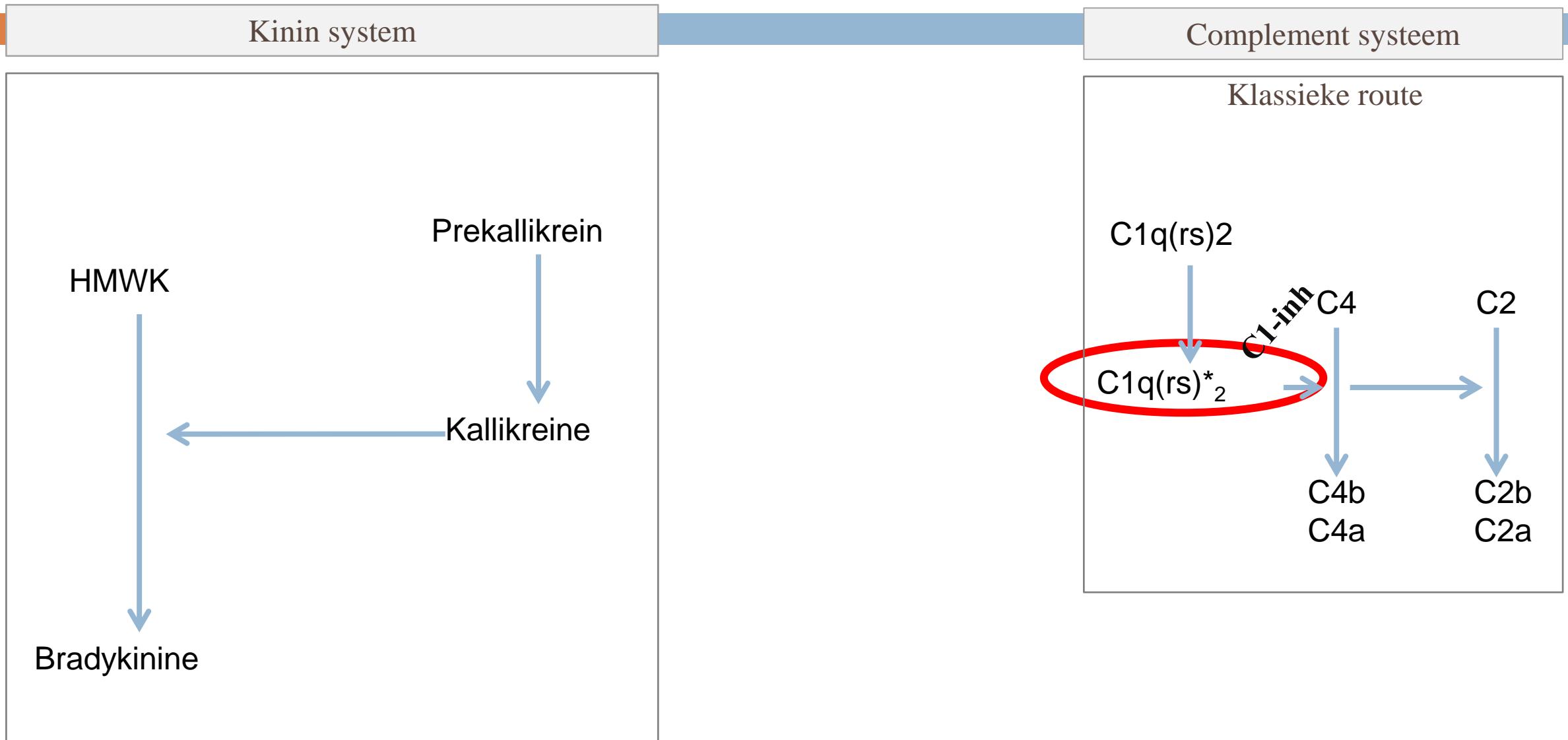
1. *Bjorkqvist et al. J Clin Invest 2015*
2. *Bork et al Allergy 2017*

# Prototype van bradykinerg AE: C1-inh deficiëntie

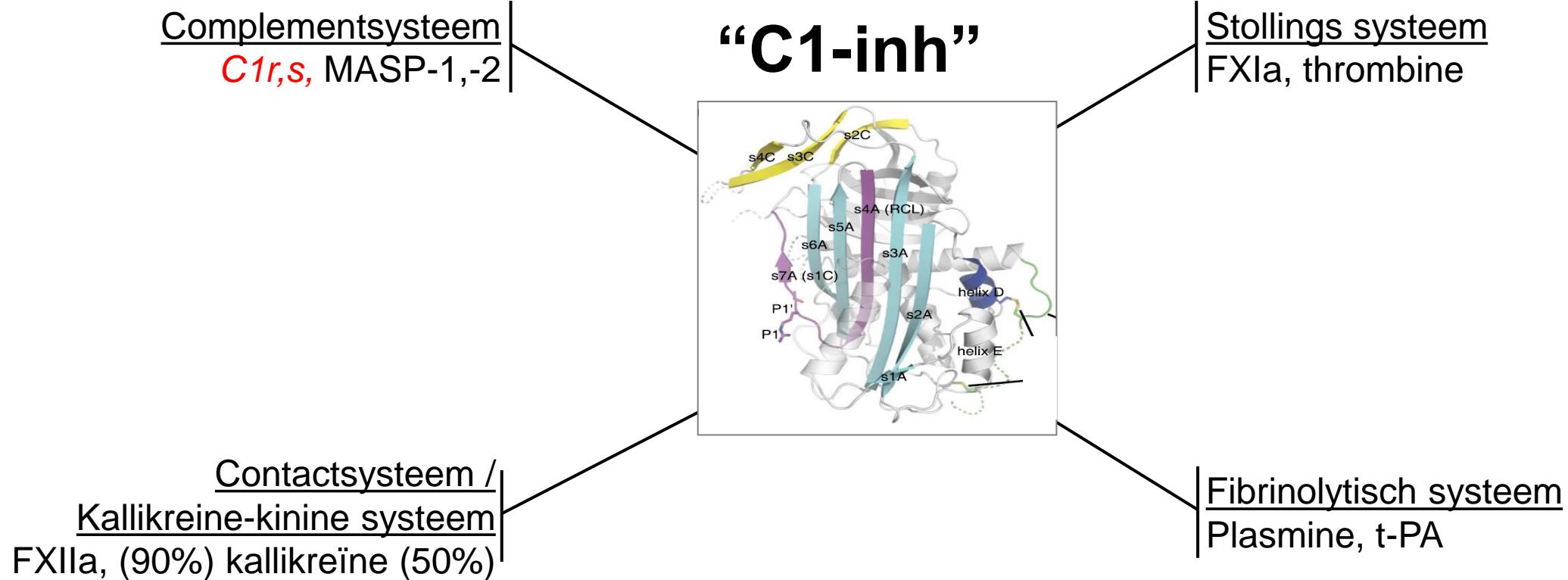
## De klassieke route van complement-activatie



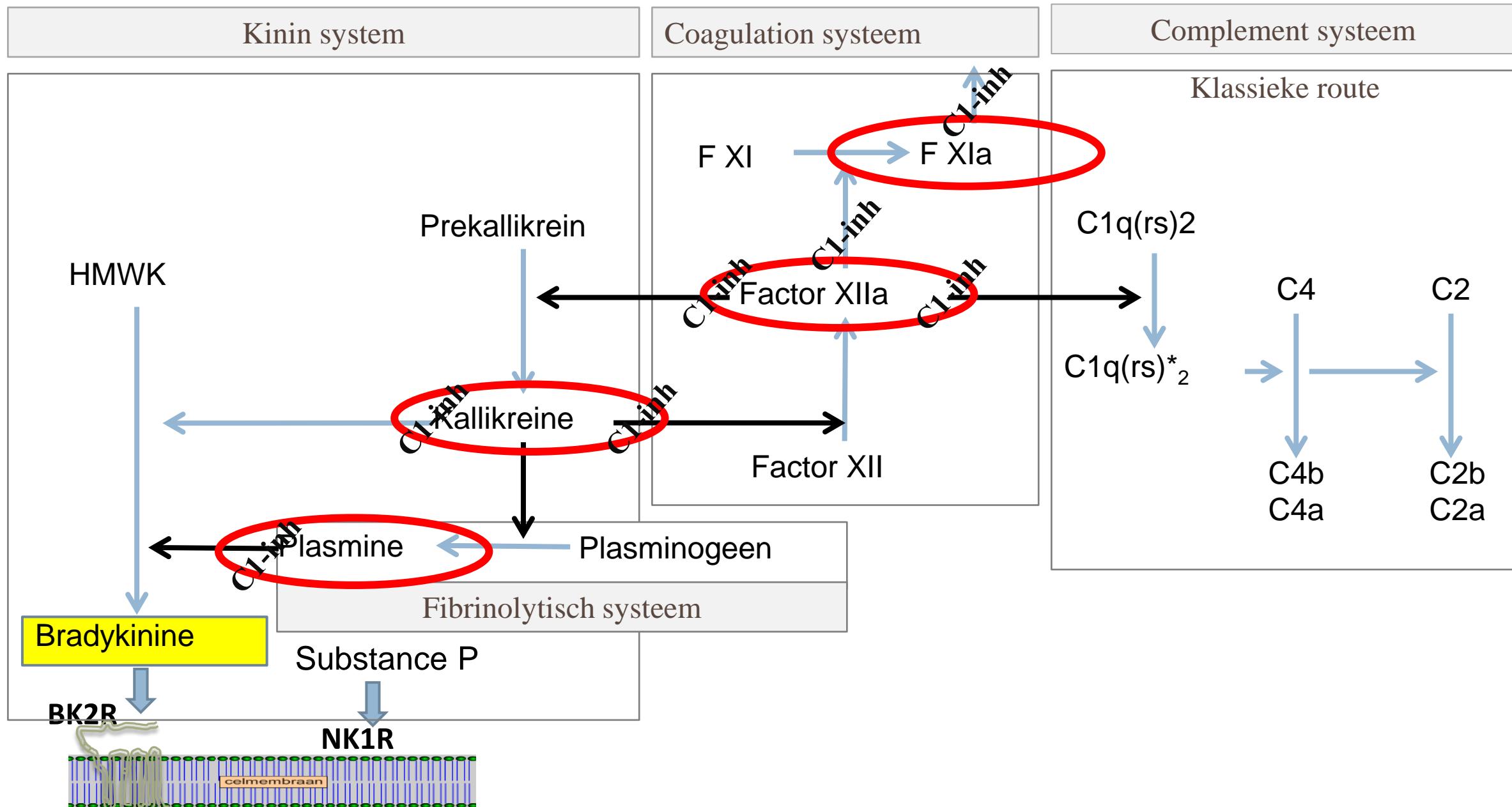
# C1 esterase remmer



# C1-esteraseremmer is eigenlijk een verkeerde naam



# C1-inh remt (ook) FXII/kallikreine activiteit



# Hereditary Angioedema Classification

- Autosomal dominant inheritance
- Multiple mutations

Three types:

- I Low levels of C1 INH
- II Inactive protein
- III C1 INH normal

- Type I:
  - 80%-85%
  - Caused by a decreased synthesis of C1-INH
- Type II:
  - 15%-20%
  - Characterized by normal or elevated levels of a functionally impaired C1-INH protein
- Type III:
  - rare
  - Normal C1-INH levels and activity
  - Factor XII (Hageman factor) mutation involved in some patients ,nieuwe mutaties
  - Affects mainly women; estrogen-associated

# Verworven angioedeem (AE)

- Antistoffen tegen C1 esterase remmer of verhoogde consumptie
- Ernstige of chronische ziekten: bv.
  - Maligniteit (B-cel lymfoom)
  - auto-immuun aandoening

# HAE:Clinical Features

*A rare but potentially life-threatening disease*

- HAE is characterized by spontaneous and recurrent attacks of edema in various parts of the body
- Attacks can be life-threatening, painful and debilitating
- Approx. 30% of untreated patients have >1 attack per month, 40% have 6-11 swellings per year, and the remaining 30% are infrequently symptomatic or symptom-free
- Symptoms of edema usually subside in 2-5 days



# Signs and Symptoms, prodromes

## *Erythema marginatum*

An erythematous, non-pruritic rash that may precede an attack

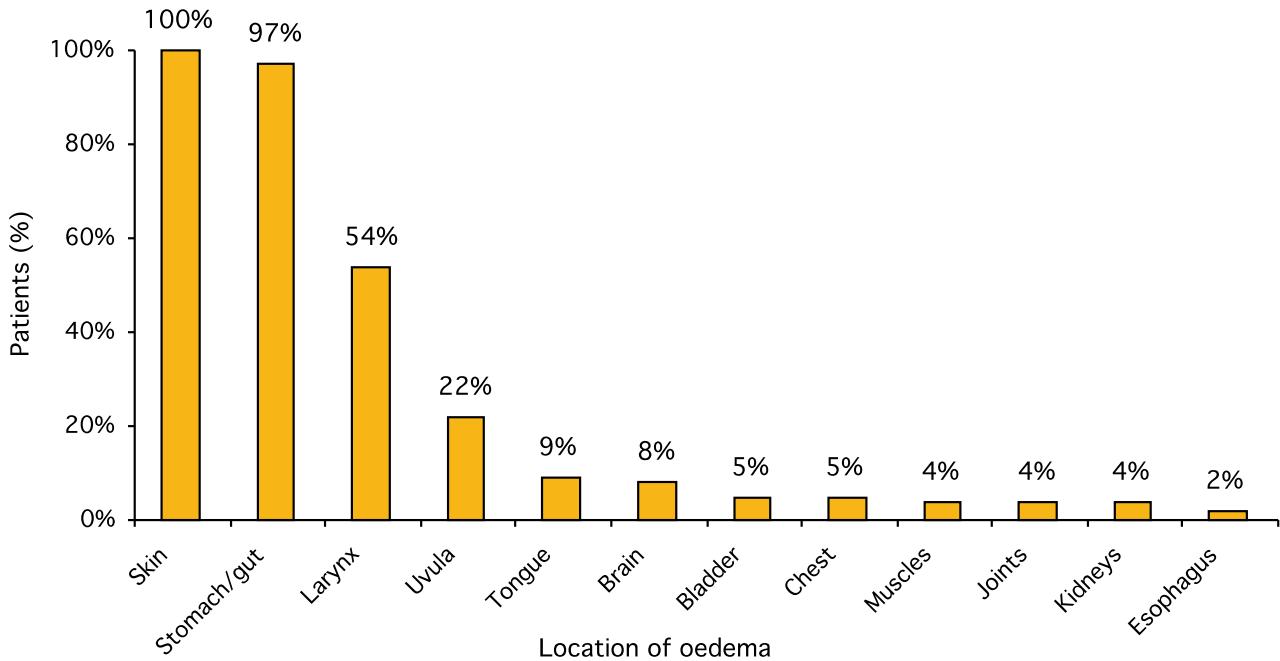
Reported in up to 25% of patients



# Signs and Symptoms

*Frequency and location of affected organs*

**Types of HAE attacks in 201 patients**



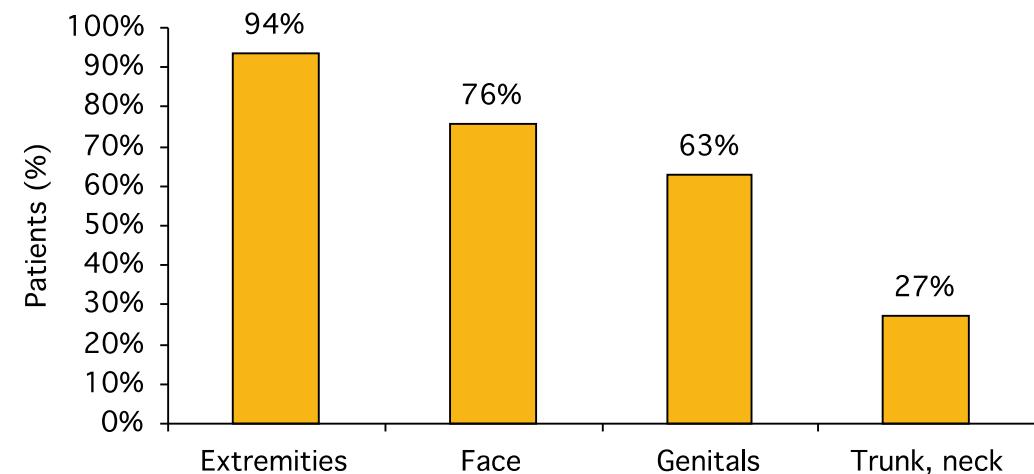
# Signs and Symptoms

## Cutaneous attacks

- Cutaneous edema is the most common and noticeable symptom of HAE
- Patients experience a tightness of the skin or tingling
- Patients may also report pain in joints

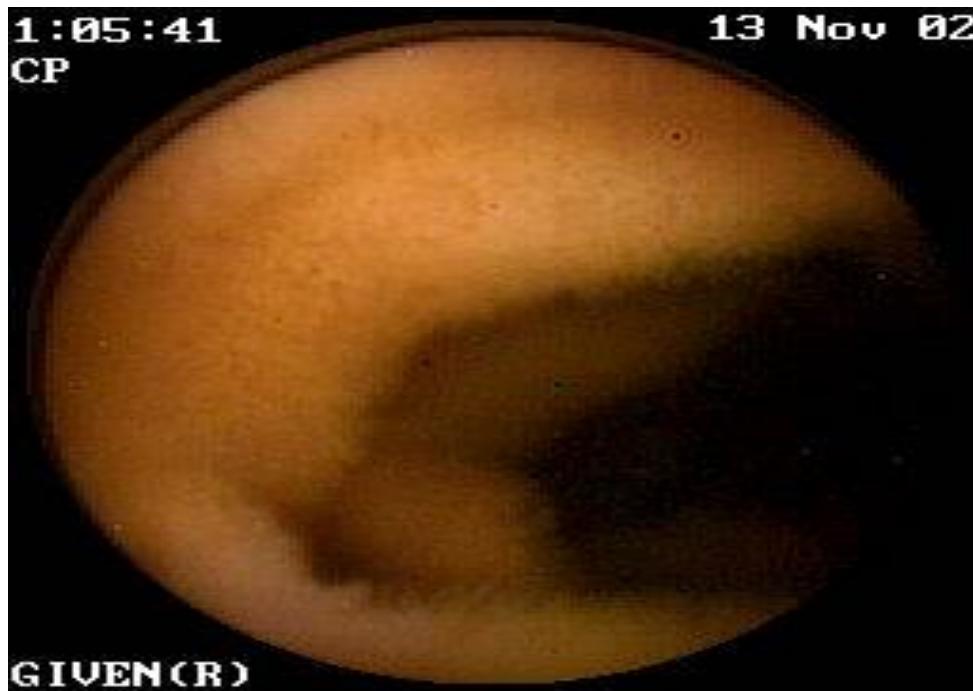


## Frequency and location of cutaneous attacks



Agostoni A et al. J Allergy Clin Immunol  
2004;114(3):S51-131.  
Bork K et al. Am J Med 2006;119:267-274.

# Capsule endoscopy during an abdominal attack in a patient with HAE



**Normal bowel**

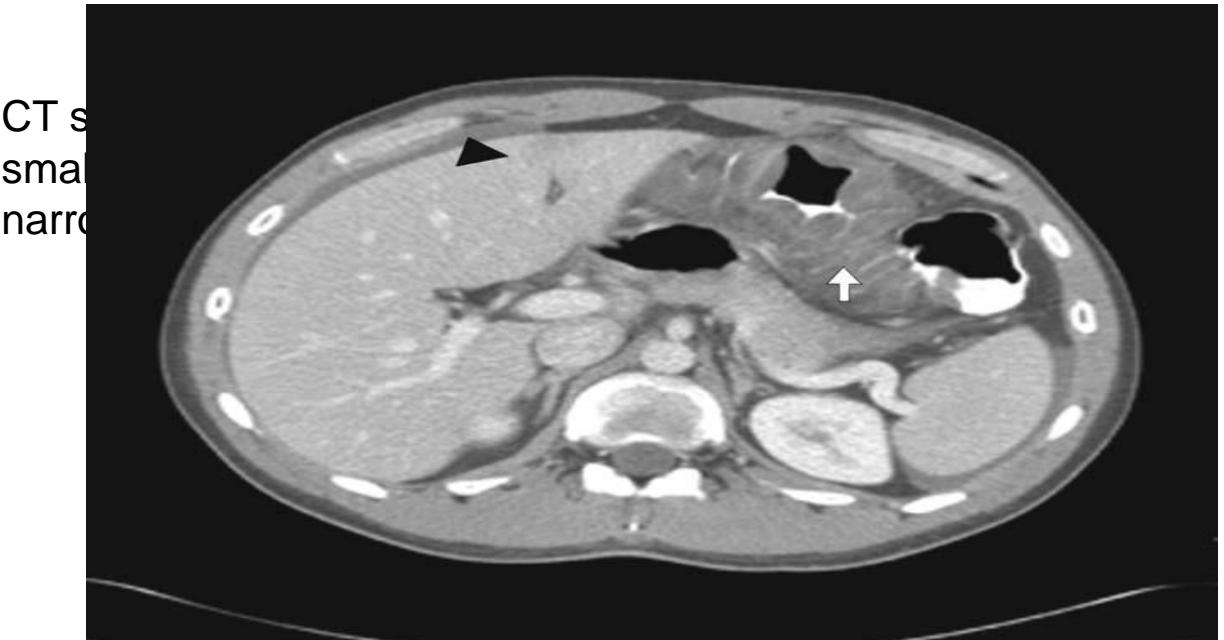


**Edematous bowel**

# Signs and Symptoms

## Abdominal attacks

- Abdominal attacks are associated with edema of the gastrointestinal wall
- Symptoms may include colic-like pain, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea
- The non-specific symptoms of abdominal attacks may result in misdiagnosis and unnecessary surgery

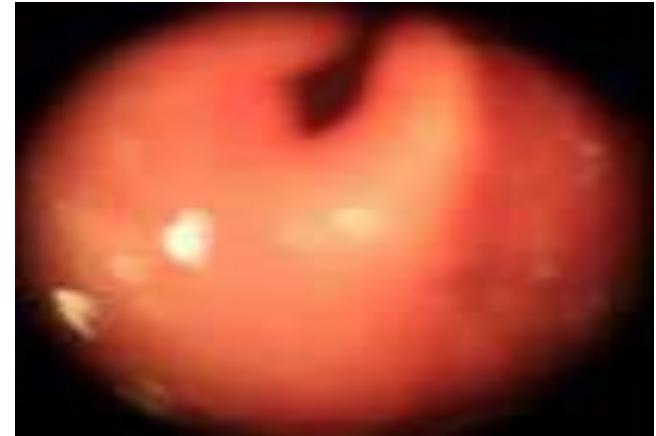


CT scan showing small hepatic veins and narrow lumen

# Signs and Symptoms

## Laryngeal attacks

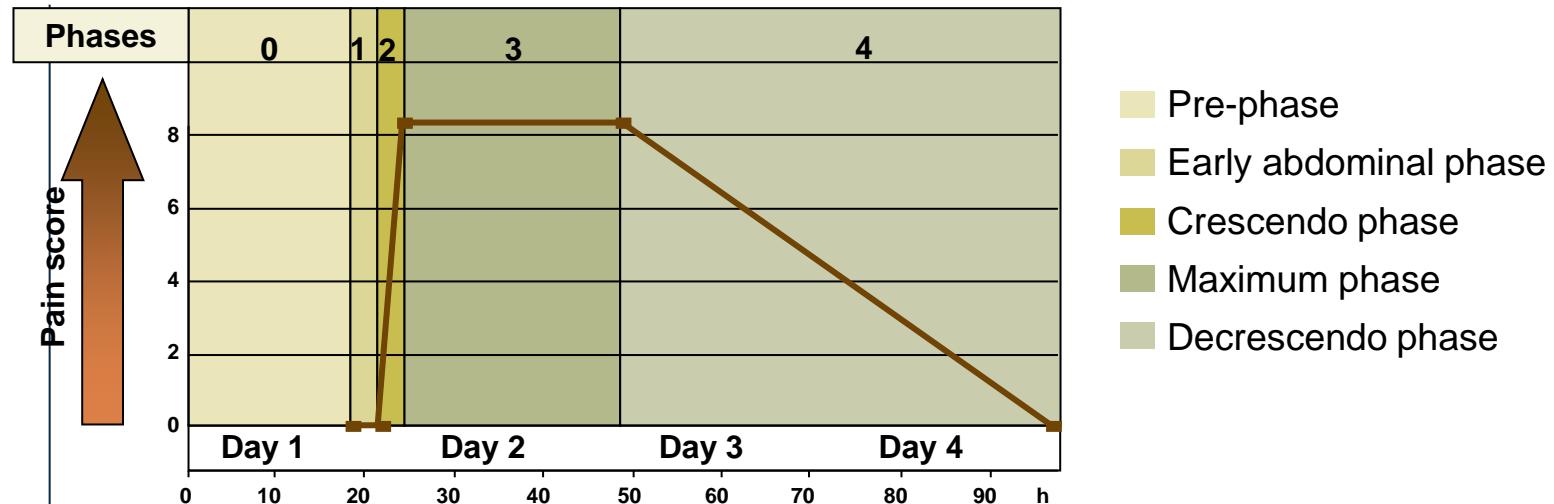
- Laryngeal edema can be life-threatening
- More than 50% of HAE patients have experienced laryngeal angioedema
- Laryngeal edema can develop rapidly into complete airway obstruction in less than 4 h
- Patients with laryngeal edema may eventually require emergency intubation or a tracheotomy



# Clinical Feature: Course of Attack

*Course of an average abdominal attack*

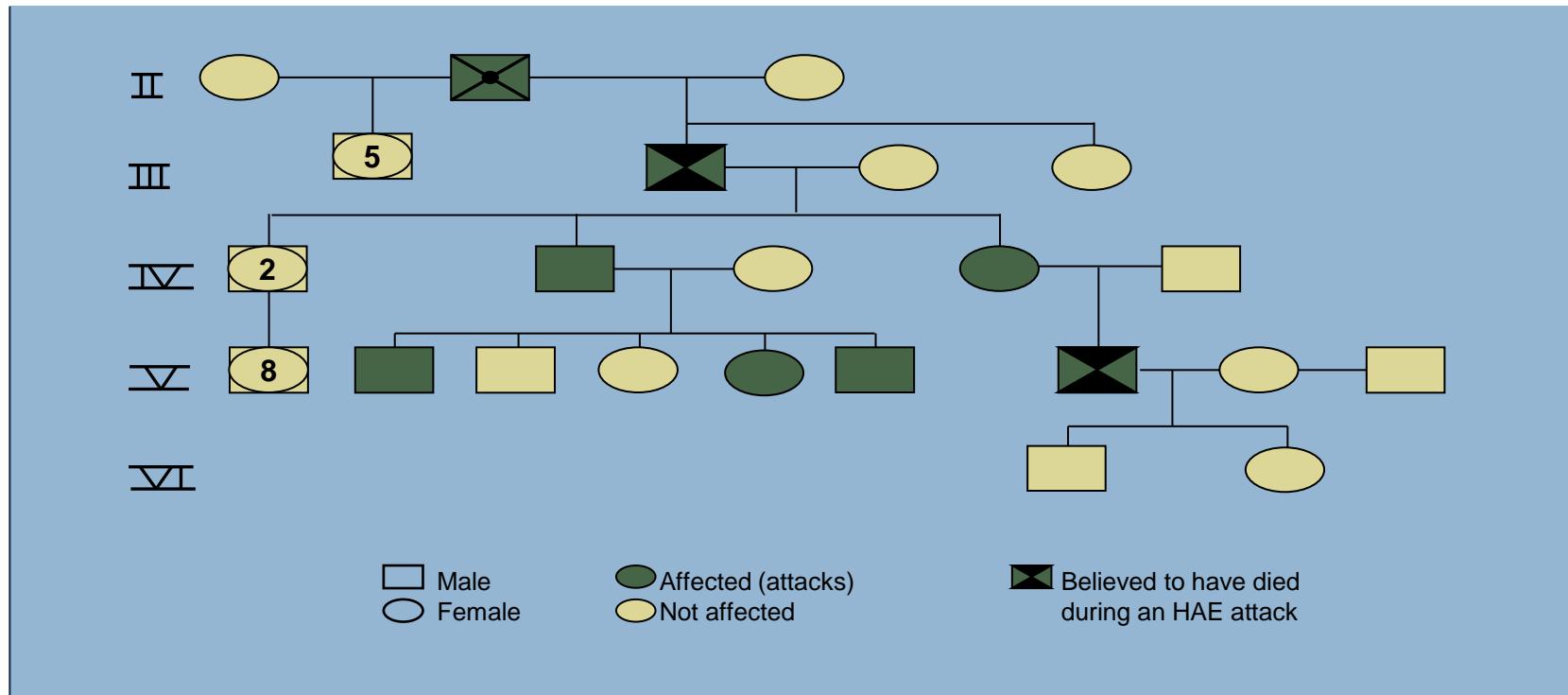
Time course of abdominal pain during an attack



# Genetics of HAE

## Patterns of inheritance

HAE may be passed on to 50% of offspring



Female and male offspring are equally affected

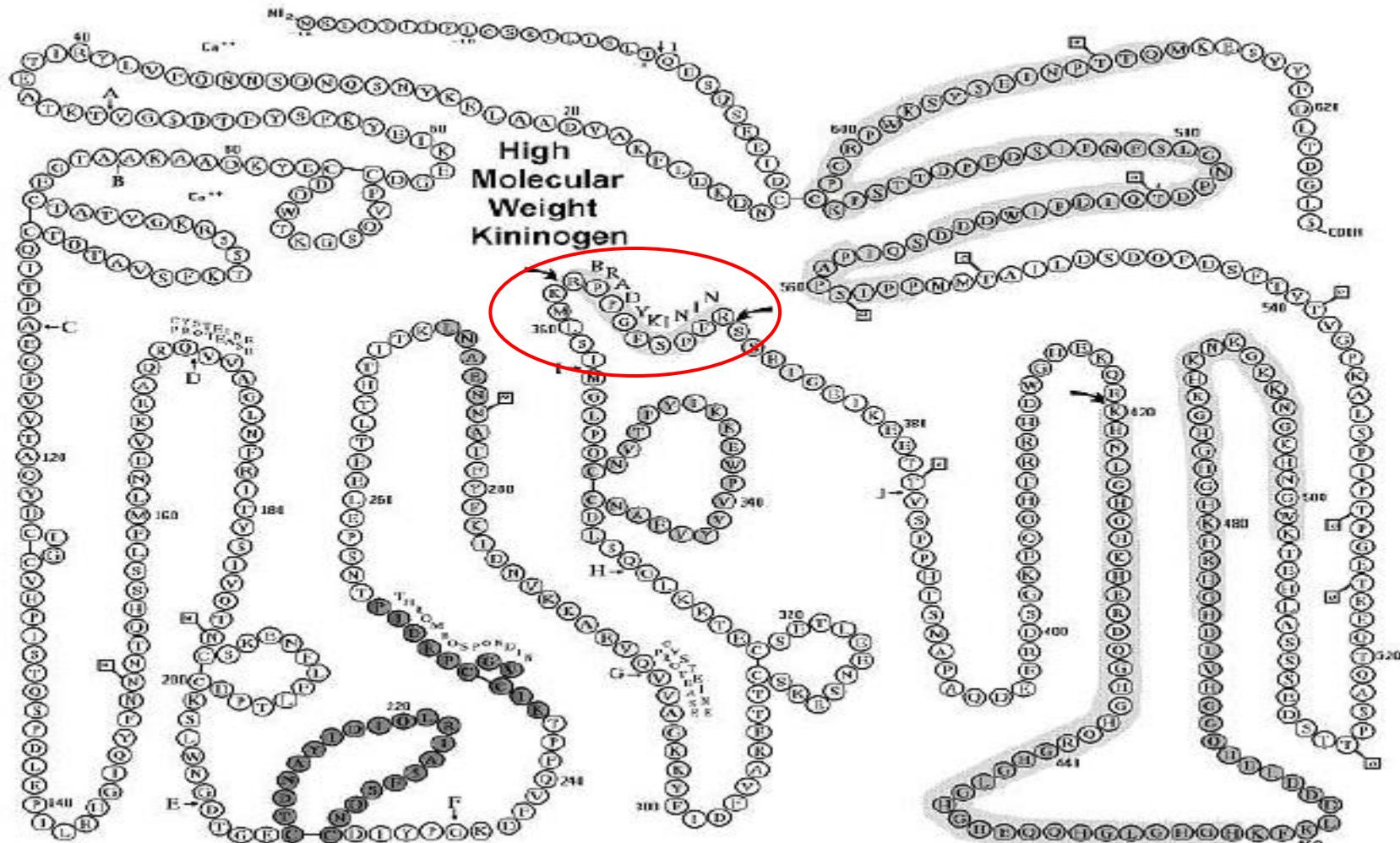
Family counselling is important to educate patients about disease inheritance

# Genetics of HAE

- HAE is inherited in an **autosomal dominant** manner
- The ***de novo*** mutation rate is approximately 25%
- More than **180** different C1-INH **gene mutations** have been reported to date
- Regardless of the type of mutation present, there is a high degree of **variability** in the **frequency and severity of attacks**

# Medicatie geassocieerd Angloedeem

# Bradykinine wordt (door kallikreine) vrijgemaakt uit HMWK



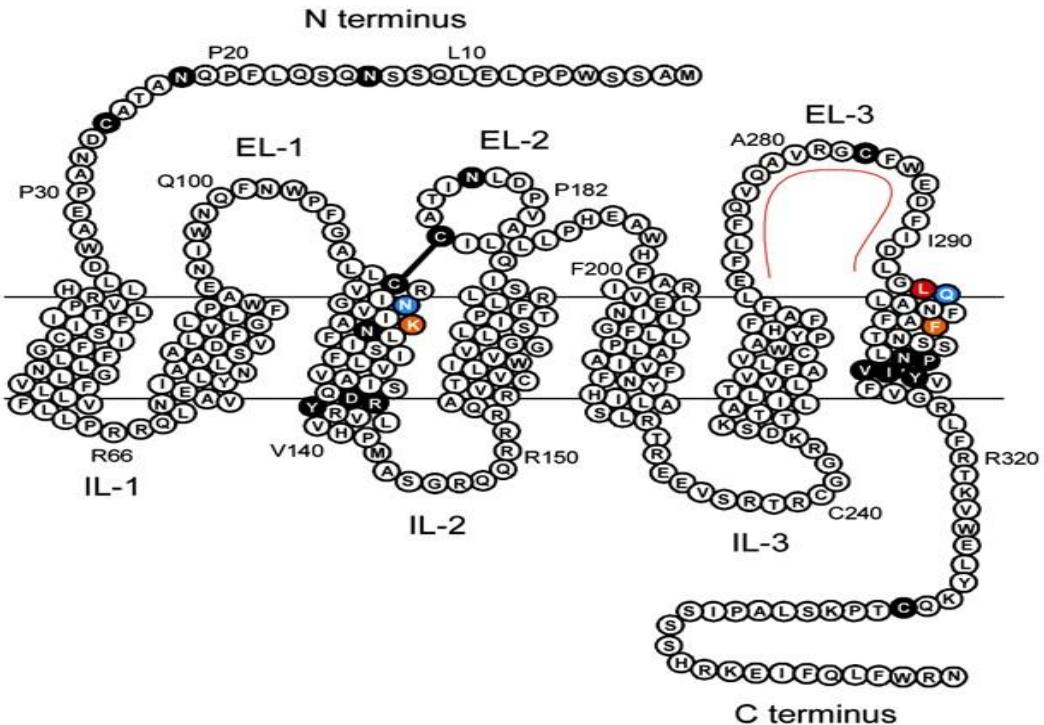
Sainz IM, Pixley RA, Colman RW.

Fifty years of research on the plasma kallikrein-kinin system: From protein structure and function to cell biology and in-vivo pathophysiology.

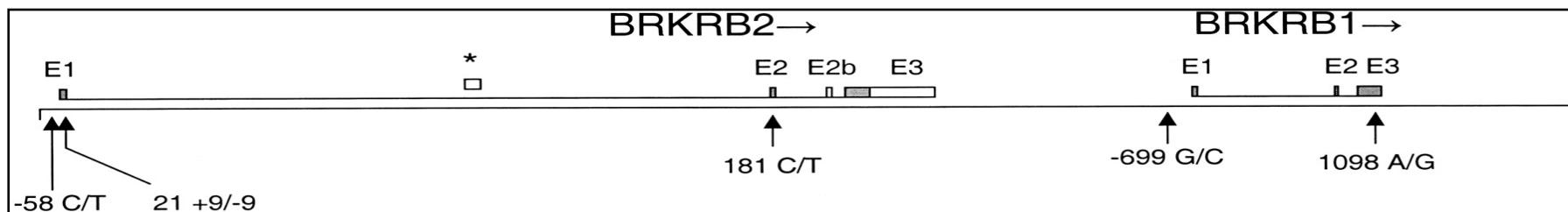
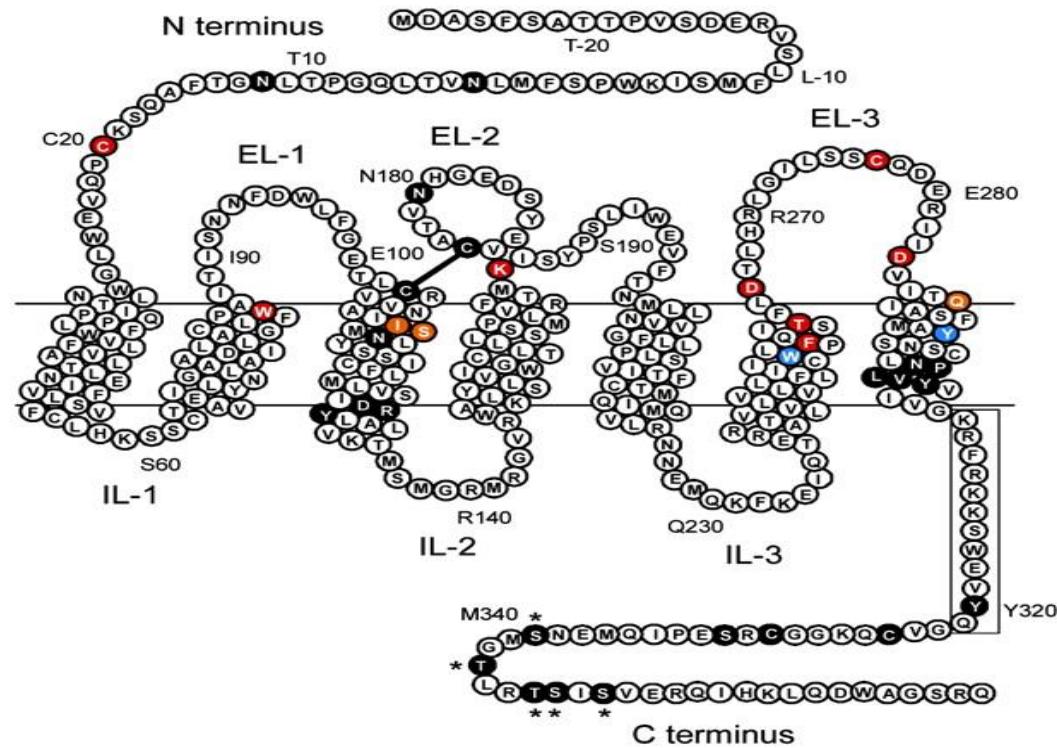
Thromb Haemost 2007; 98:77-83.

# Bradykinine-1 en Bradykinine-2 receptor

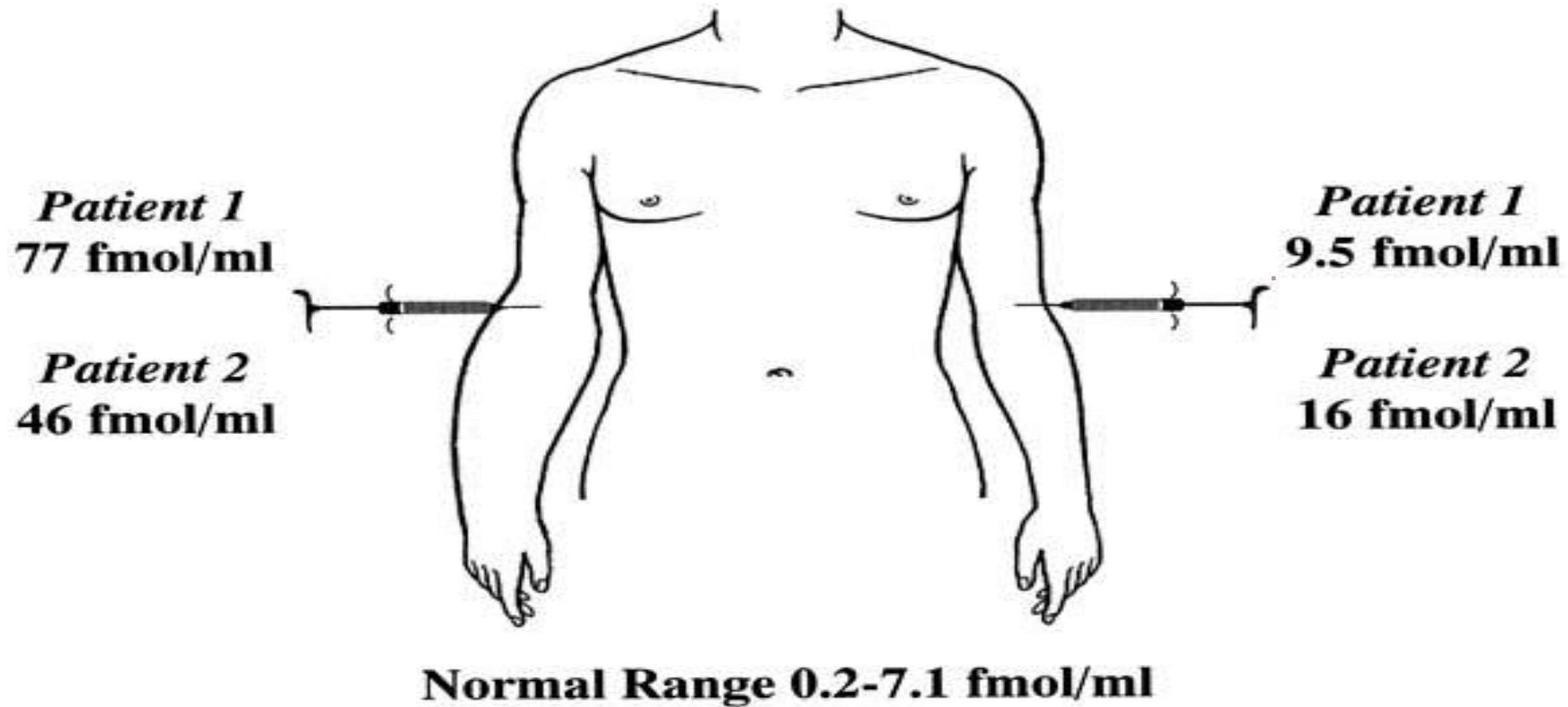
## Human B<sub>1</sub> Receptor



## Human B<sub>2</sub> Receptor



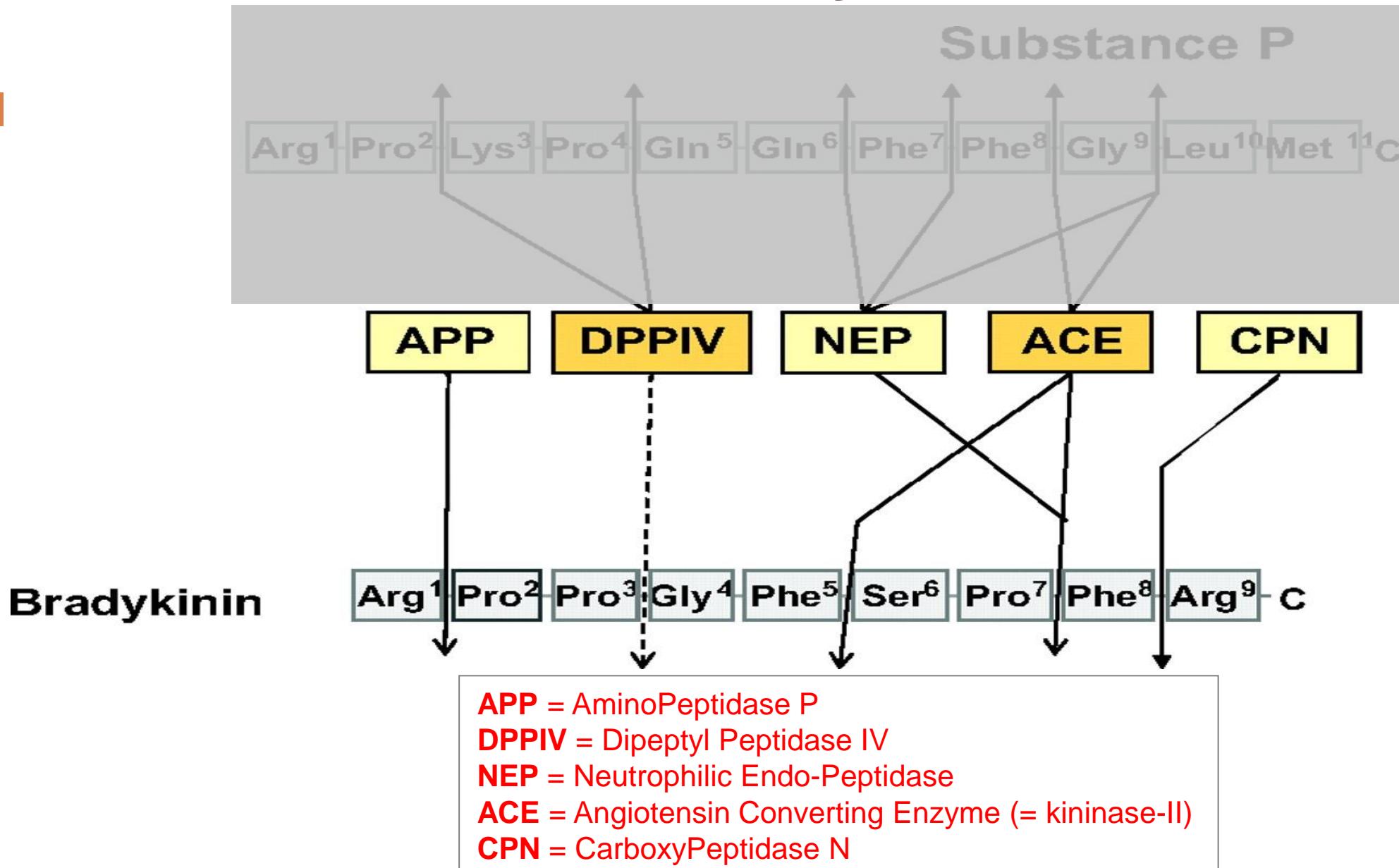
# Locaal oedeem zonder systemische verspreiding



Nussberger J, M Cugno and M Cicardi. Bradykinin mediated angioedema. NEJM 2002; 347:621.

Nussberger J, M Cugno, M Cicardi, A Agostini. Local bradykinin generation in hereditary angioedema. J All Clin Immunol 1999;104:1321-22.

# Afbraak van bradykinine, door...



# ACE-remmer geassocieerd AE\* - vaker bij lage APP-activiteit

RESEARCH LETTERS

## Aminopeptidase P in individuals with a history of angio-oedema on ACE inhibitors

Albert Adam, Massimo Cugno, Giuseppe Molinaro, Melissa Perez, Yves Lepage, Angelo Agostoni

Angio-oedema is a rare but potentially life threatening side-effect of angiotensin-converting-enzyme (ACE) inhibitor treatment. Identification of individuals at risk of this adverse effect is not possible. Angio-oedema is associated with raised concentrations of bradykinin, which is mainly inactivated by ACE. We assessed the plasma activity of two other enzymes that catabolise bradykinin (aminopeptidase P and carboxypeptidase N) in 39 hypertensive patients with a history of angio-oedema during ACE inhibitor treatment and in 39 hypertensive patients who had never had ACE inhibitor associated side-effects. Patients with previous angio-oedema had a lower plasma activity of aminopeptidase P than did those who never presented with angio-oedema ( $p=0.003$ ). Our data suggest that low plasma concentrations of aminopeptidase P could be a predisposing factor for development of angio-oedema in patients treated with ACE inhibitors.

Lancet 2002; **359**: 2088–89

## A Functional *XPNPEP2* Promoter Haplotype Leads to Reduced Plasma Aminopeptidase P and Increased Risk of ACE Inhibitor-Induced Angioedema

Amy L. Cilia La Corte,<sup>1,2</sup> Angela M. Carter,<sup>2</sup> Gillian I. Rice,<sup>1†</sup> Qing Ling Duan,<sup>3</sup> Guy A. Rouleau,<sup>4</sup> Albert Adam,<sup>5</sup> Peter J. Grant,<sup>2</sup> and Nigel M. Hooper<sup>1\*</sup>



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- Plasma APP is derived from GPI-anchored membrane bound APP
- *XPNPEP2* gene on chromosome Xq25-26.1
- Screening of all exons plus 3-kb upstream of the initiator ATG-codon
- Identification of 25 SNPs
- Genetic factors contribute tot 47% of the variation in plasma APP activity
- Three of them associated with APP-activity: c.-2399C>A, c.-1612G>T, c.-393G>A
- Explain 10.8% of the transcriptional regulation of *XPNEP2* and cellular expression

# ACEi-AE vaker bij gebruik DPP-IV-remmer (Vildagliptine)

## Clinical Treatment

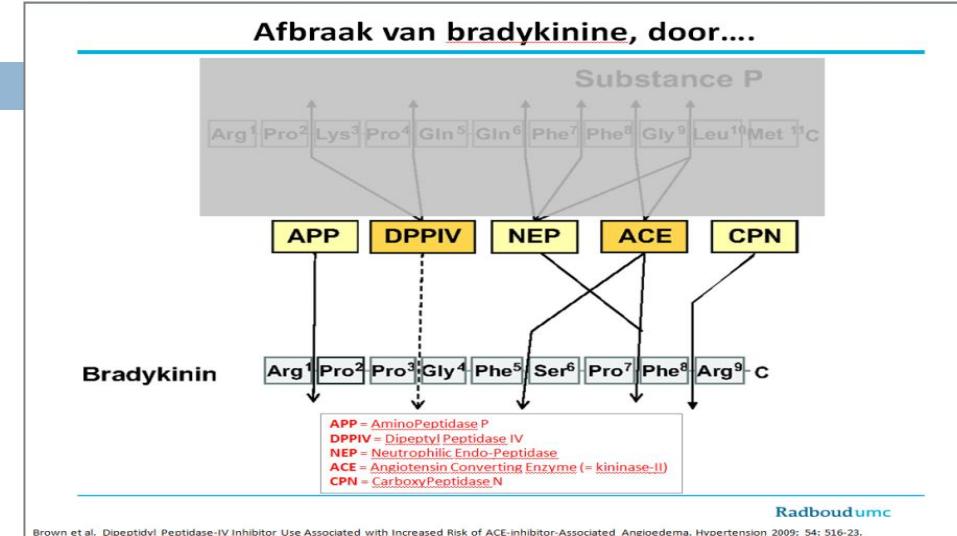
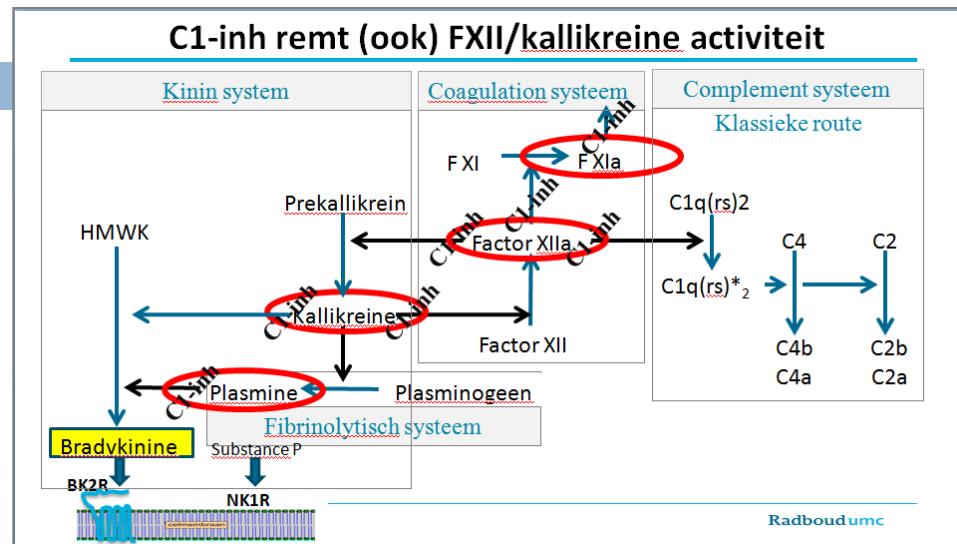
### Dipeptidyl Peptidase-IV Inhibitor Use Associated With Increased Risk of ACE Inhibitor-Associated Angioedema

Nancy J. Brown, Stuart Byiers, David Carr, Mario Maldonado, Barbara Ann Warner

**Abstract**—Dipeptidyl peptidase-IV (DPP-IV) inhibitors decrease degradation of the incretins. DPP-IV inhibitors also decrease degradation of peptides, such as substance P, that may be involved in the pathogenesis of angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor-associated angioedema. This study tested the hypothesis that DPP-IV inhibition affects risk of clinical angioedema, by comparing the incidence of angioedema in patients treated with the DPP-IV inhibitor vildagliptin versus those treated with comparator in Phase III randomized clinical trials. Prospectively defined angioedema-related events were adjudicated in a blinded fashion by an internal medicine adjudication committee and expert reviewer. Concurrent ACE inhibitor or angiotensin receptor blocker exposure was ascertained from case report forms. Study drug exposure was ascertained from unblinded data from phase III studies. Odds ratios and 95% confidence intervals comparing angioedema risk in vildagliptin-treated and comparator-treated patients were calculated for the overall population and for patients taking ACE inhibitors or angiotensin receptor blockers, using both an analysis of pooled data and a meta-analysis (Peto method). Overall, there was no association between vildagliptin use and angioedema. Among individuals taking an ACE inhibitor, however, vildagliptin use was associated with an increased risk of angioedema (14 confirmed cases among 2754 vildagliptin users versus 1 case among 1819 comparator users; odds ratio 4.57 [95% confidence interval 1.57 to 13.28]) in the meta-analysis. Vildagliptin use may be associated with increased risk of angioedema among patients taking ACE inhibitors, although absolute risk is small. Physicians confronted with angioedema in a patient taking an ACE inhibitor and DPP-IV inhibitor should consider this possible drug–drug interaction. (*Hypertension*. 2009;54:516-523.)

**Key Words:** angioedema ■ angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor ■ hypertension ■ antihypertensive agents  
■ type 2 diabetes

# Welke condities geven bradykinerg AE?



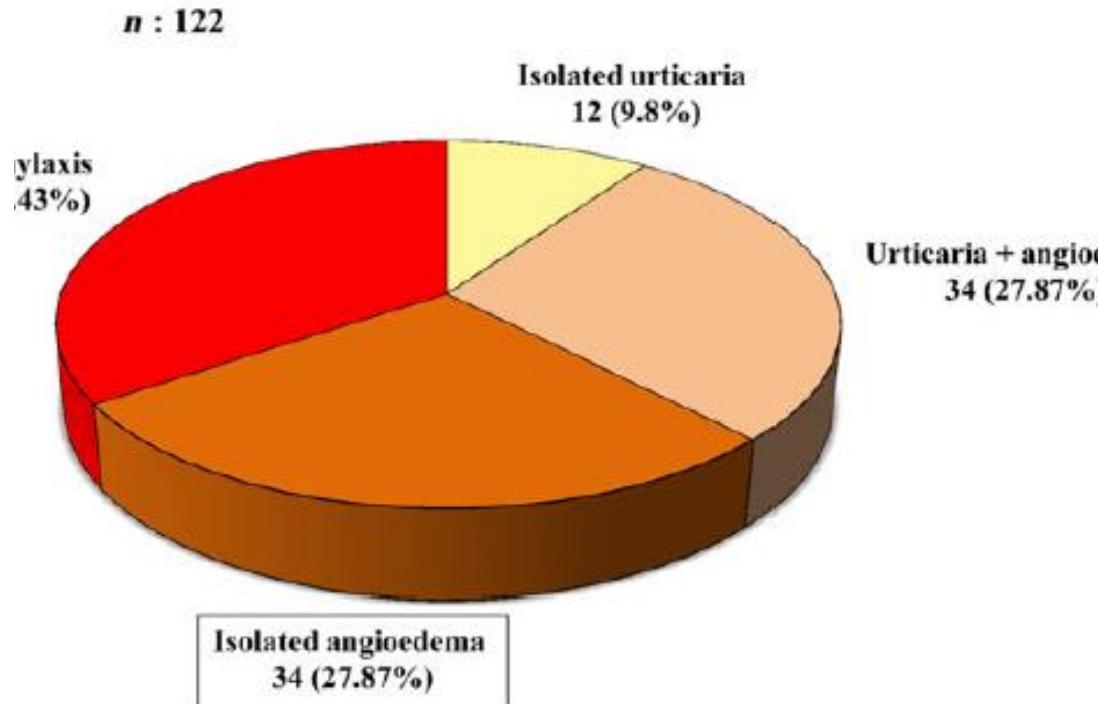
## Meer aanmaak van bradykinine:

- Verlaagde C1-inh activiteit
  - genetisch (HAE-I, HAE-II)
  - verworven (AAE)
- Verhoogde FXII activiteit (genetisch) (HAE-III)
- Medicatie:
  - rtPA\*

## Minder afbraak van bradykinine:

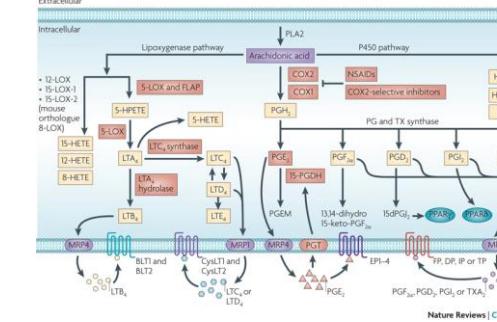
- Genetisch verlaagde APP-activiteit
- Medicatie:
  - ACE-remmers
  - DPPIV-remmers

### 3. Non-histaminerg non-bradykinin



Intolerance for

- ASA
- NSAID's

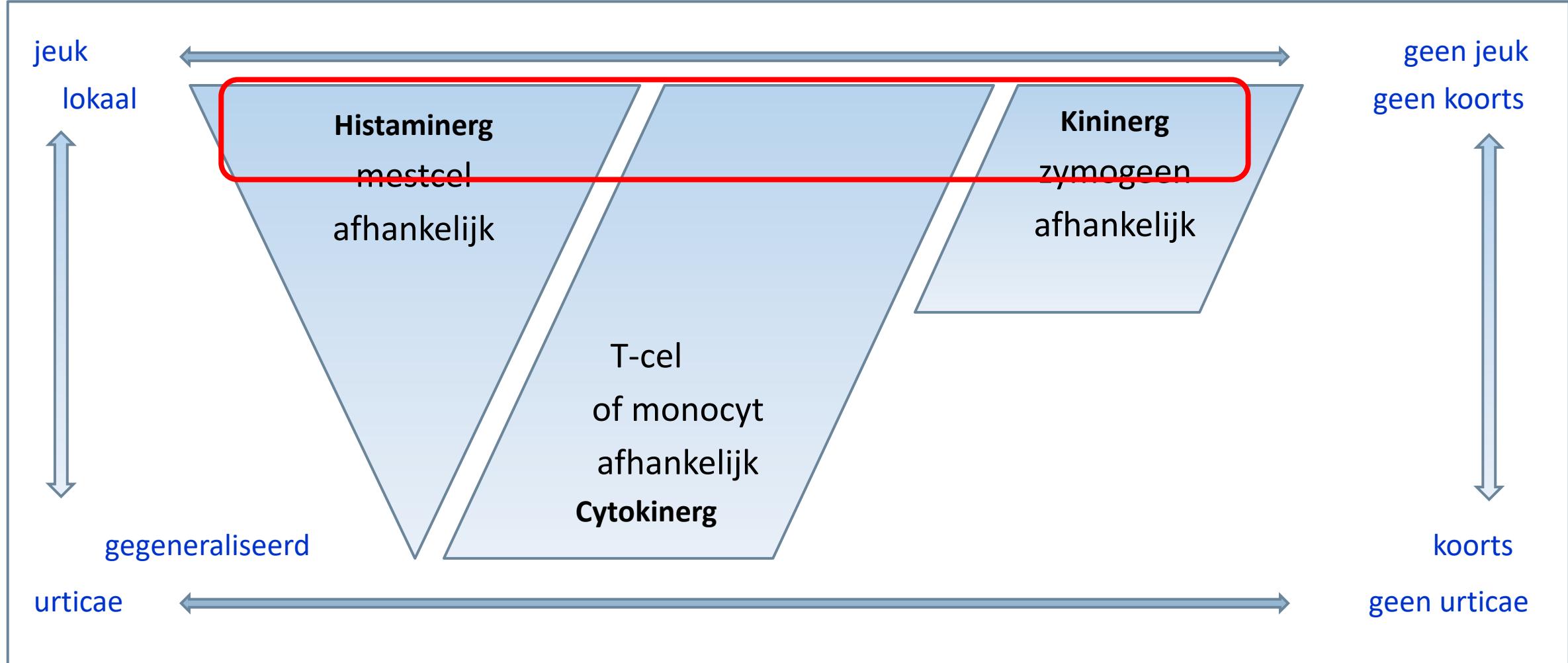


- Prostaglandins
- leukotriens

1. Clinical manifestations of hypersensitivity reactions to oral anti-inflammatory drugs with cutaneous involvement.

# Conclusie

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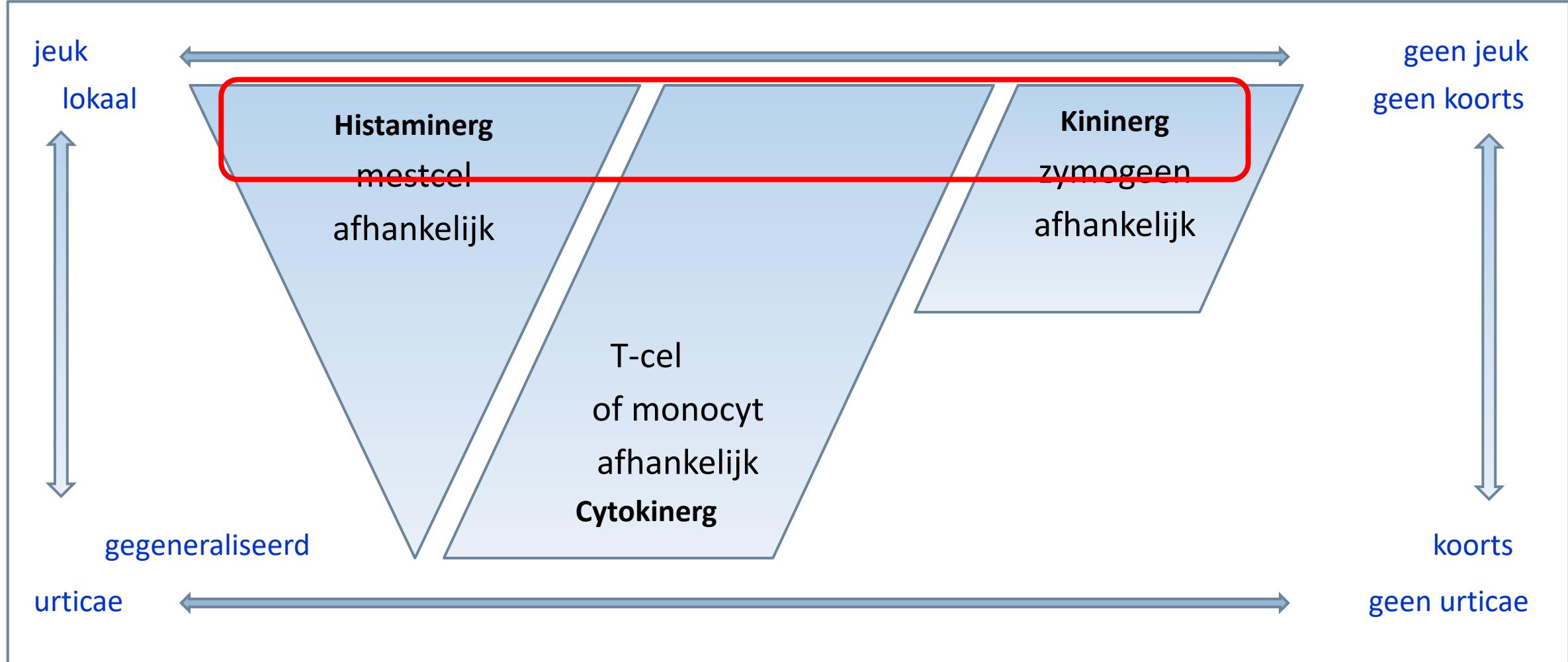


# Angioedeem

Biomarkers en behandeling

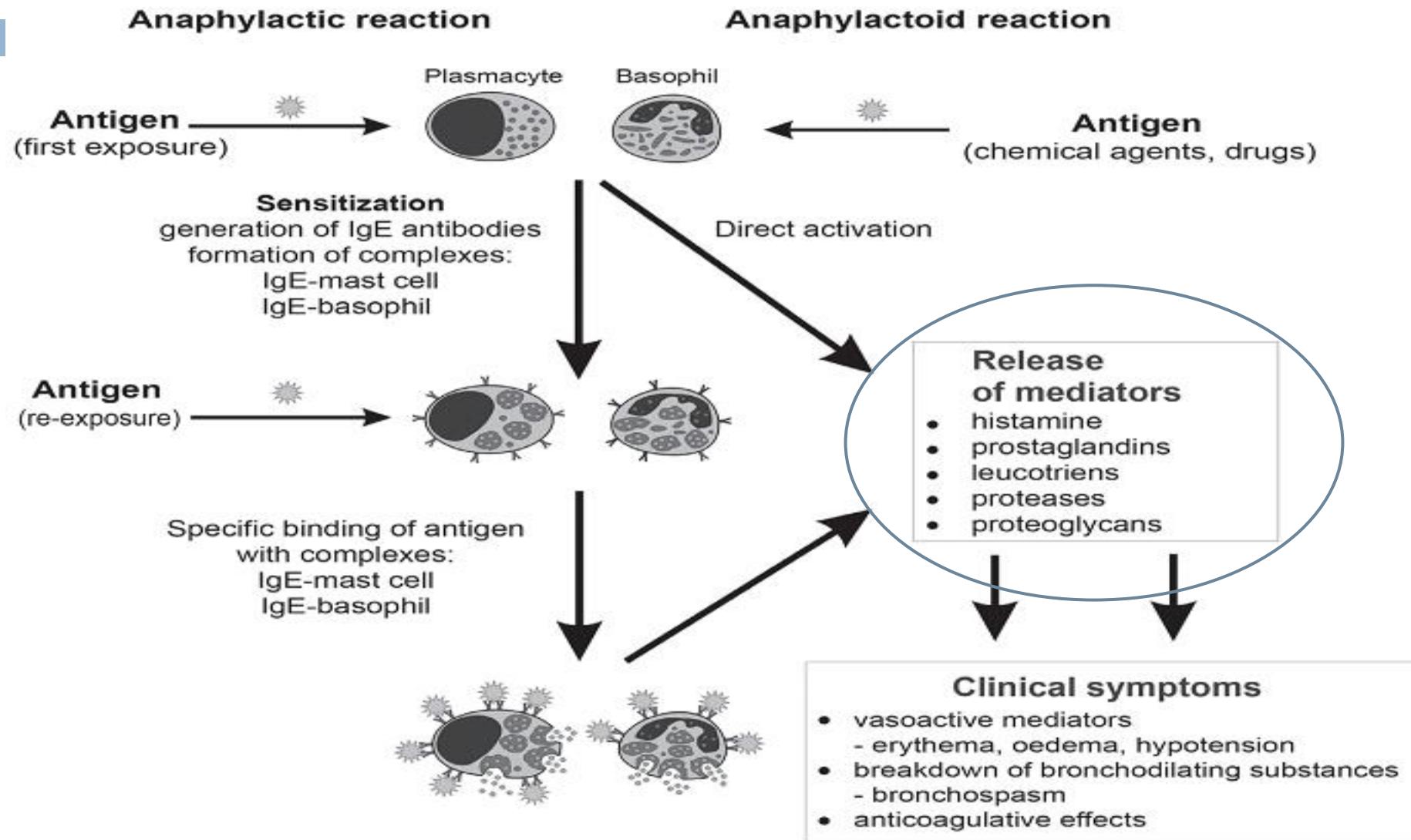
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# Biomarkers

# Potential markers

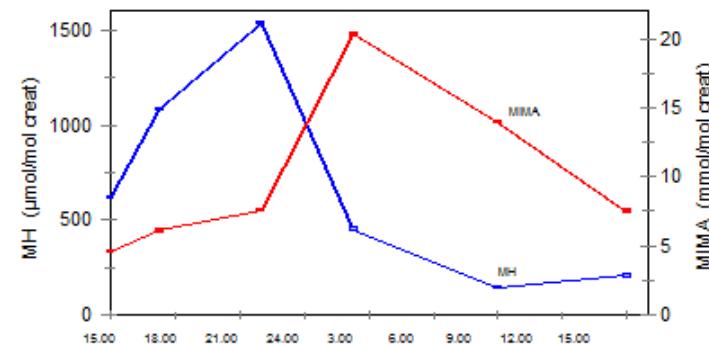


# Objectiveren! Parameters in de acute situatie

## Mediator(cel)

Mestcel

### Urinary histamine metabolites

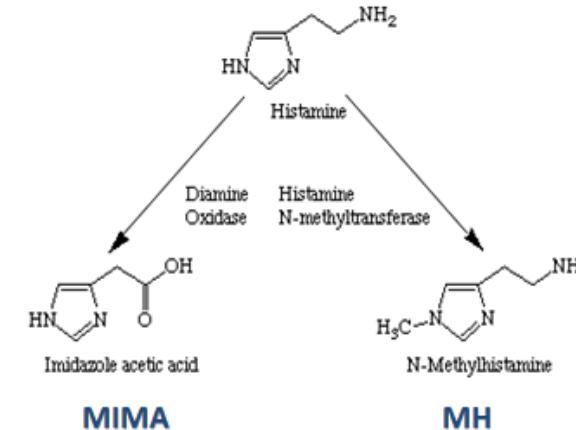


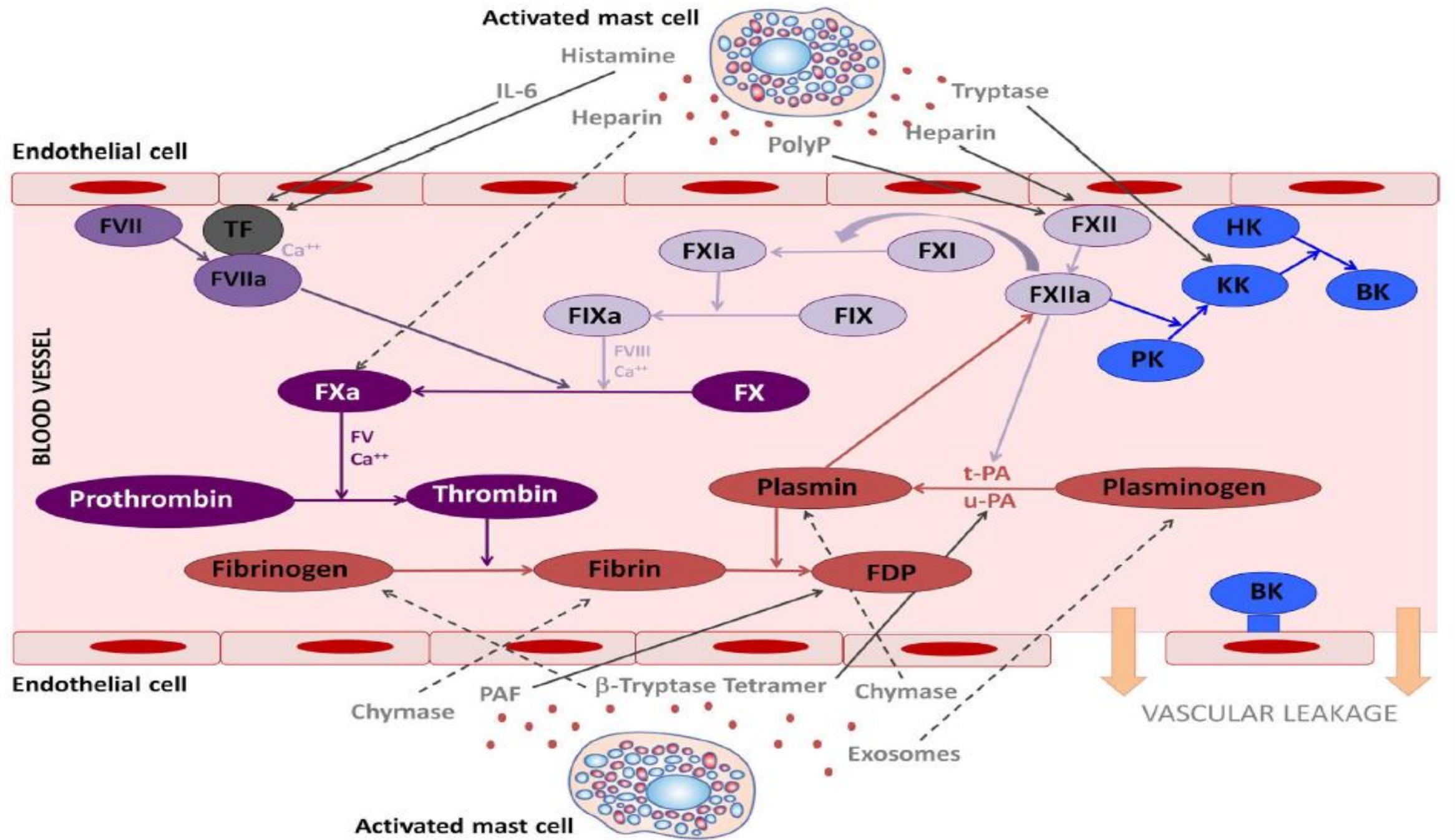
## Parameter

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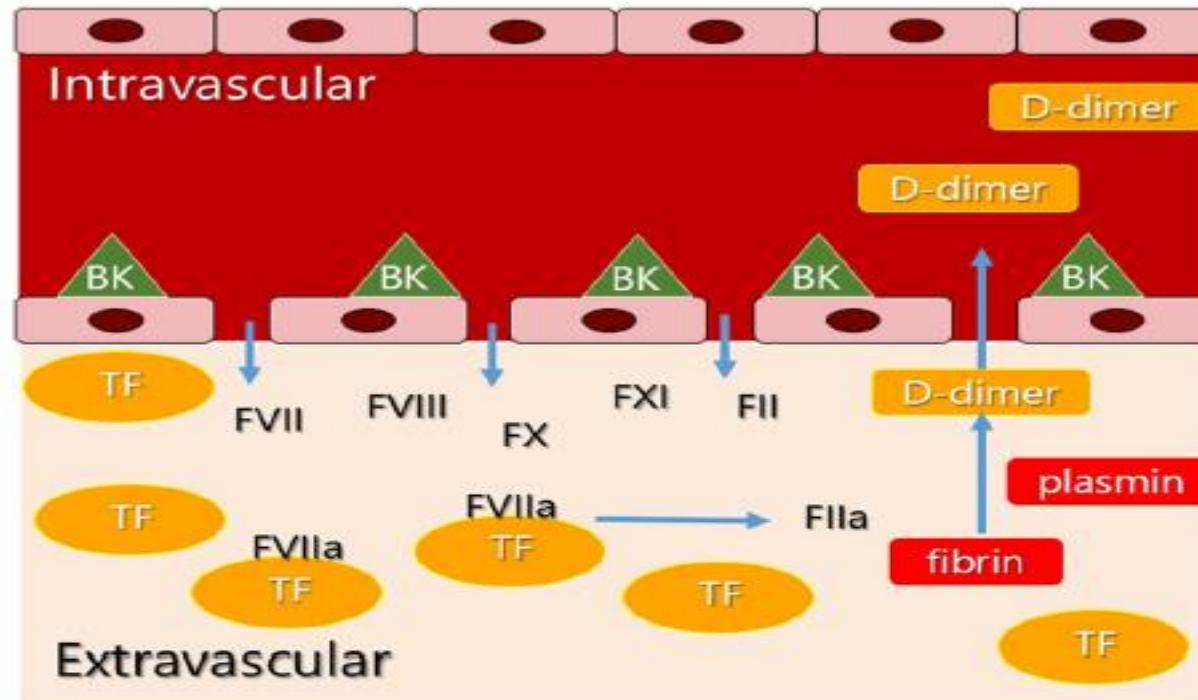
Histamine metabolieten (urine)

### Urinary histamine metabolites



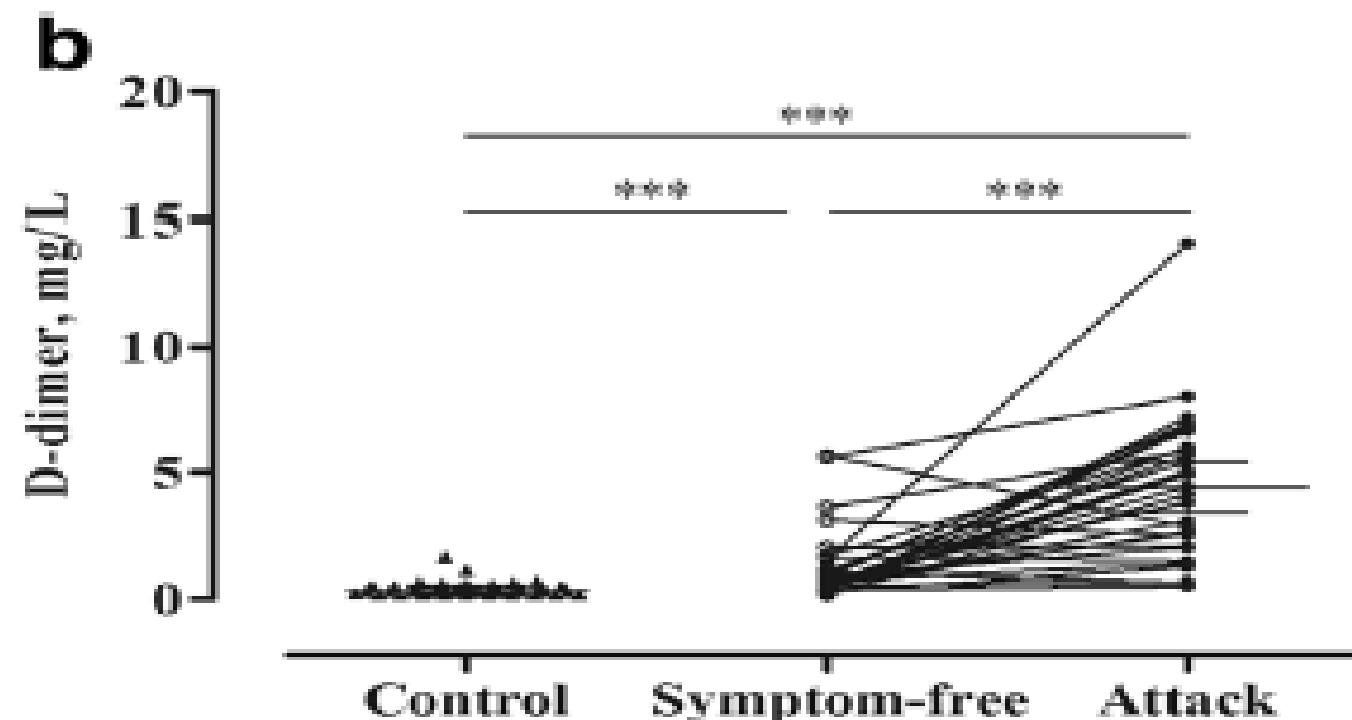


# Veronderstelde productie D-dimeer bij AE-aanval



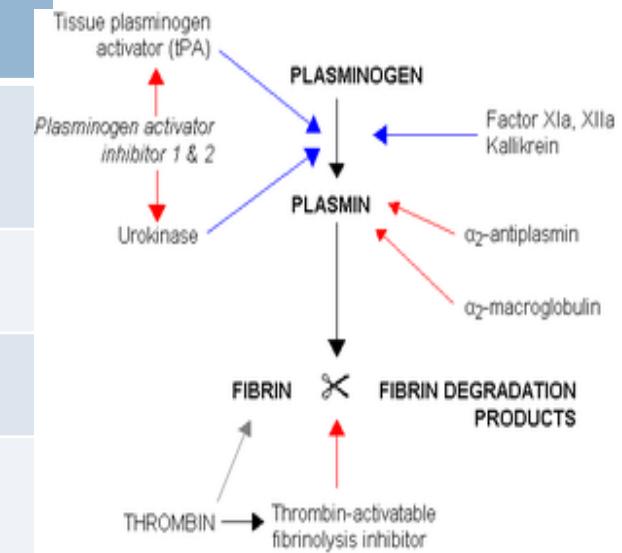
**Fig. 2** Proposed model: increased plasma coagulation parameters secondary to increased vascular permeability and extravascular coagulation. *Bradykinin* binds to its receptors on endothelial cells. Increased vascular permeability allows extravasation of coagulation factors. Tissue factor expressed in the extravascular space can initiate coagulation. In the absence of any injury, the forming *fibrin* lattice is continuously degraded by *plasmin*. Subsequently, *D-dimer* formed in the extra vascular space dissipates into the blood stream. Abbreviations: *TF* tissue factor, *FII* factor II, *BK* bradykinin

# HAE, verhoogd D-dimeer tijdens aanval



# Lab-parameters bij (H)AE buiten en tijdens aanval

| Systeem     | Activatie              | Parameters                                | Klinische betekenis           |
|-------------|------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Complement  | Baseline én bij aanval | C4, C2↓ C4bc↑                             | Onbekend, rol C2a?            |
| Stolling    | Bij aanval (?)         | F1+2, TAT↑                                | Onbekend                      |
| Fibrinolyse | Bij aanval             | PAP, <b>D-dimeer</b> ↑                    | Speelt ws rol                 |
| Contact     | Bij aanval             | FXII, PK, HMWK↓<br>BK en cleaved<br>HMWK↑ | Oorzakelijke rol in AE-geneze |



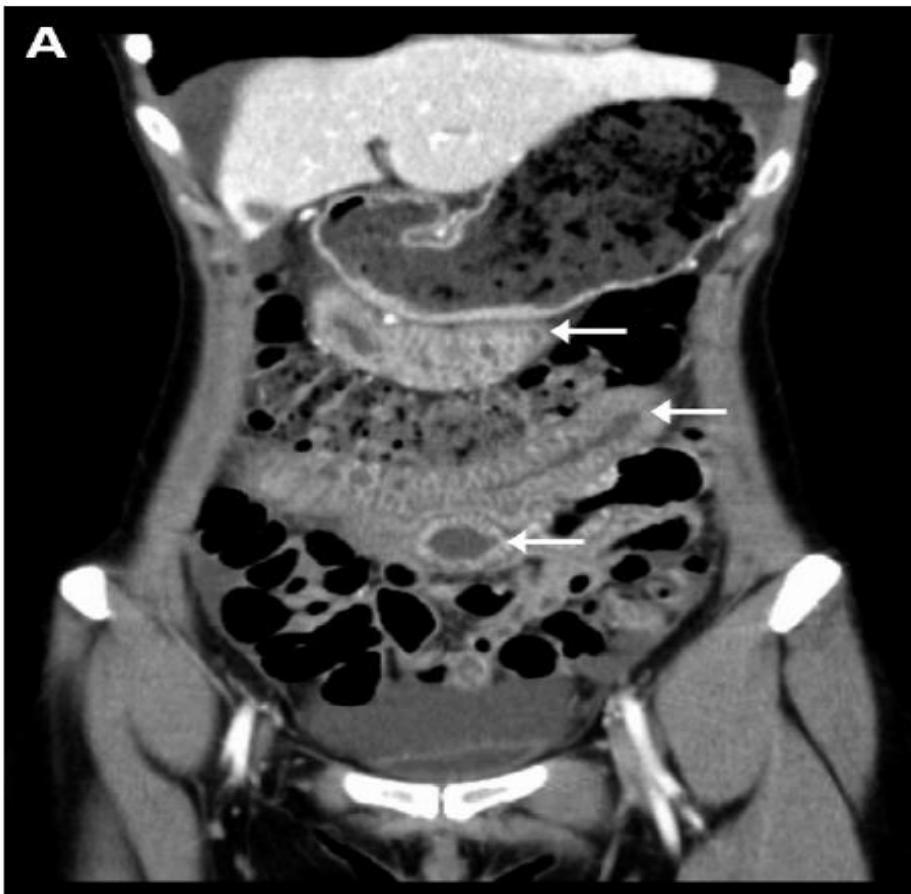
# Herkennen kliniek HAE (en AAE)

- Uitlokend moment (?):
  - meestal niet gekend
  - klein trauma (tandheelkundige ingreep), infectie, emotionele stress,
  - geneesmiddelen (zwangerschap, OAC, ACE-remmers).
- Begint met tintelend gevoel 1-2 uur vóór oedeem
- Soms (30% ?) serpigneuze roodheid (*erythema marginatum*)
- Zwelling: niet pijnlijk, niet jeukend, in 12-36 uur
- Bij 25% aanval op meerdere plekken vaak achtereenvolgens
- Verdwijnt spontaan na 1-2 dagen

# AE-aanval in buik: darmwand-oedeem

Clinical Challenges and Images in GI *continued*

## Abdominal Pain Beyond IBS



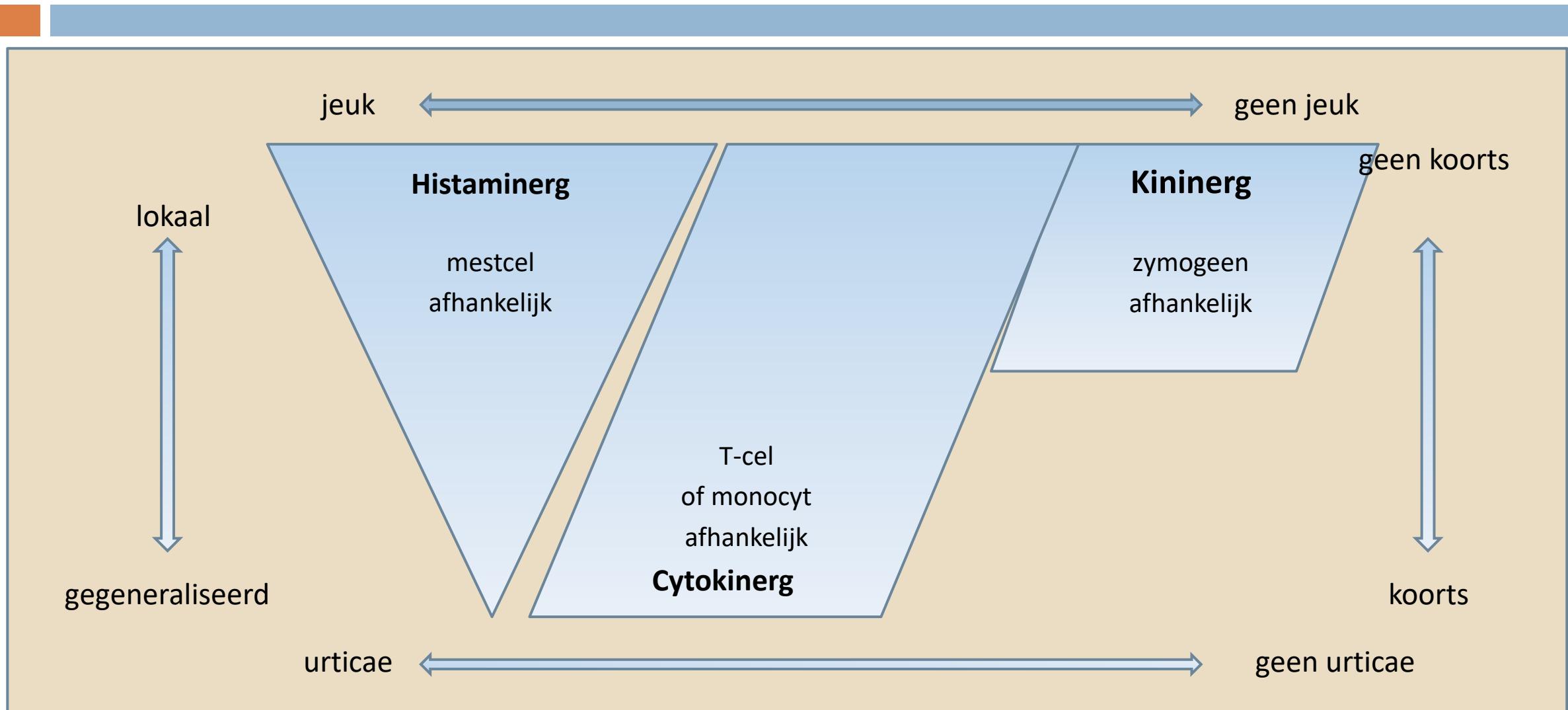
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# Behandeling

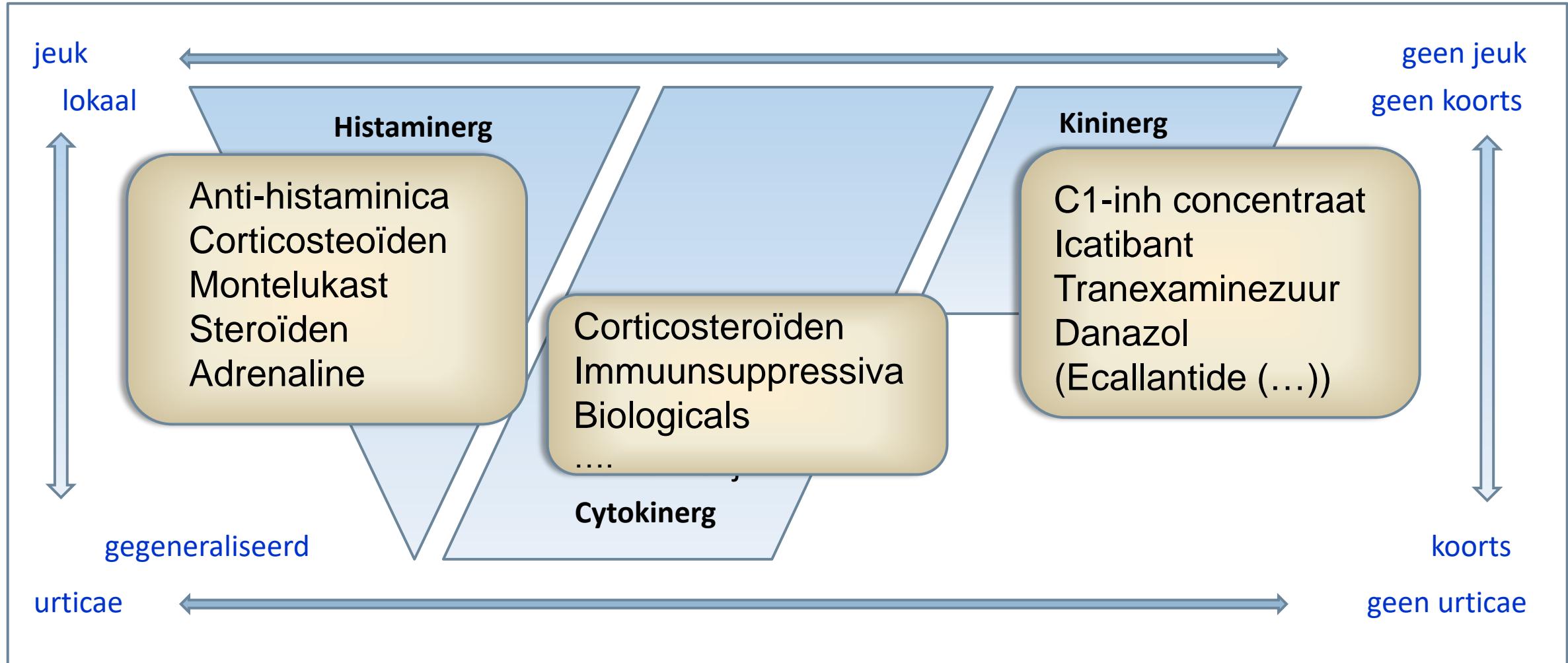
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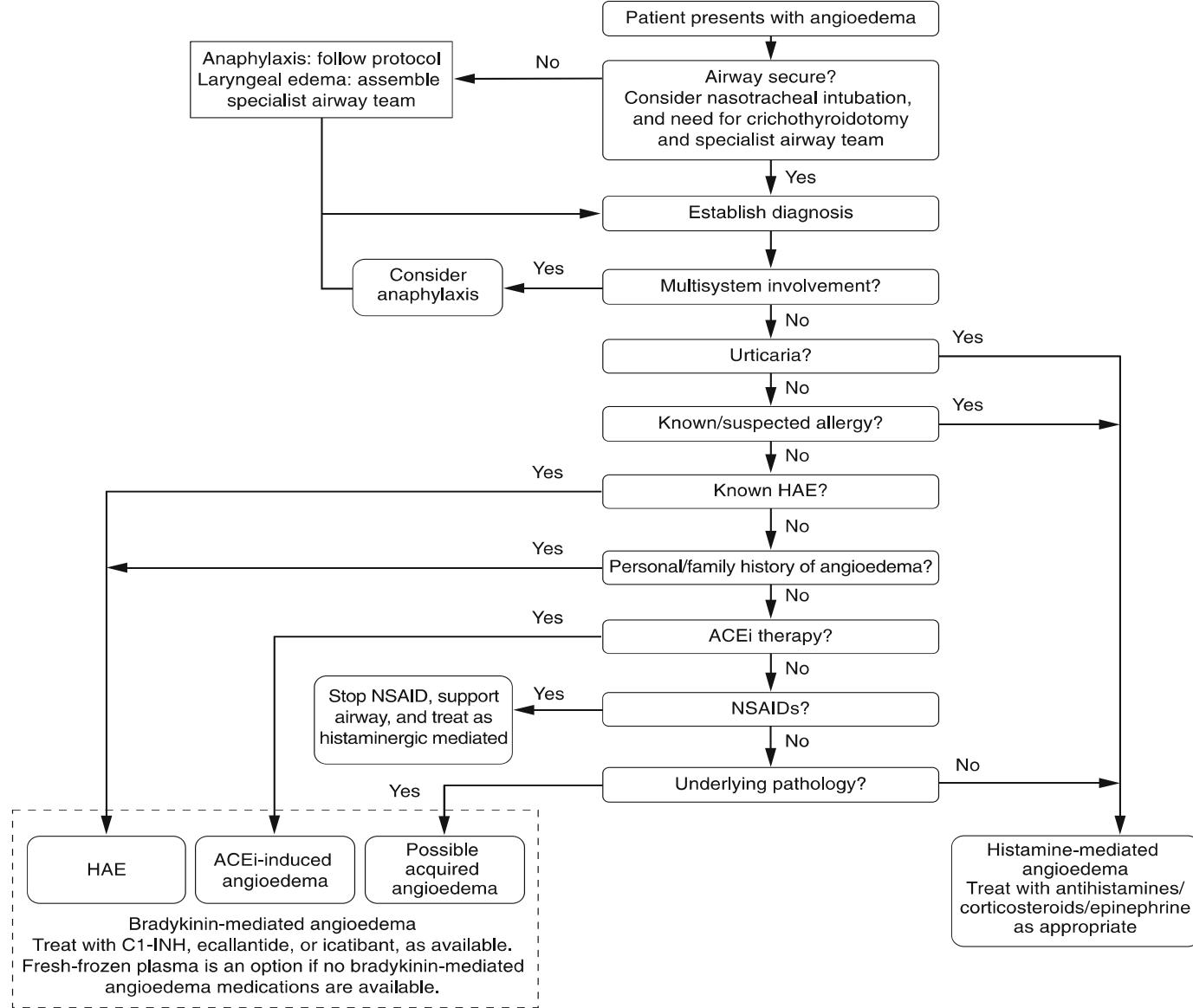
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# Angioedeem



# AE – schema met therapie



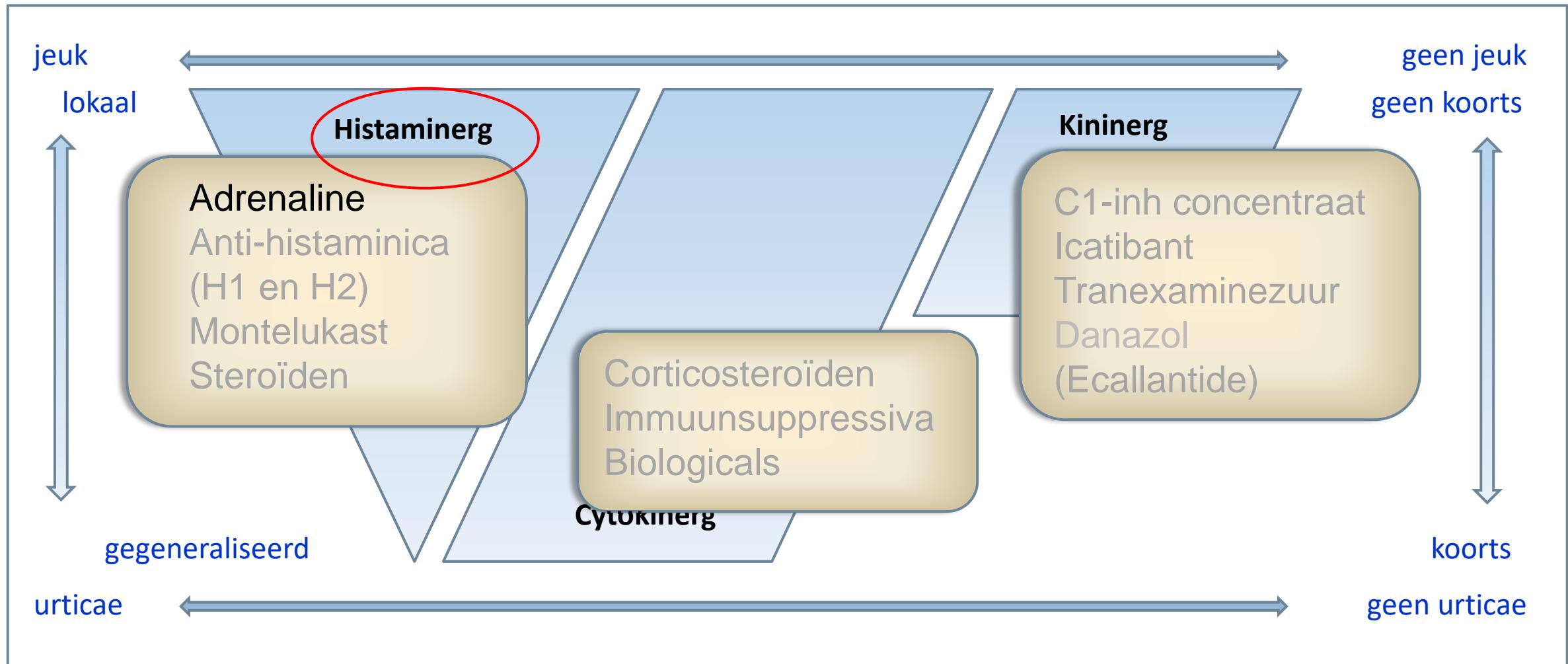


**Fig. 2** Flow diagram of diagnosis of angioedema in the emergency department [21, 42]. ACEi angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor, HAE hereditary angioedema

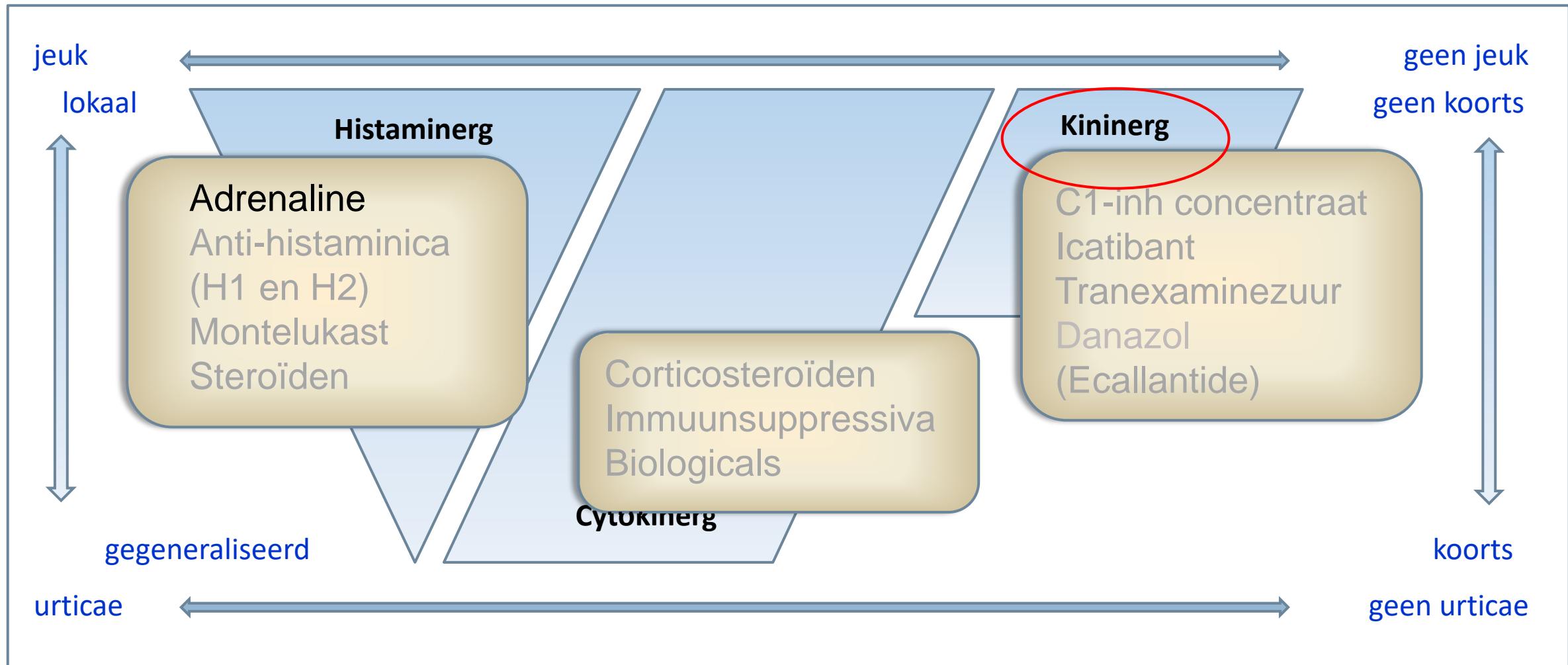
## Acute treatment of angioedema

| Acute treatment (in adults)   |  |  |  |   |
|---|--|--|--|---|
| Histamine mediated angioedema   |  | HAE  | Medication induced   | Acquired C1-INH deficiency  |
| Urticaria   | Allergy/anaphylaxis  |  |  |   |
| <u>Acute form:</u><br>Mostly self limiting, responds well to antihistamines and glucocorticoids | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Adrenaline (i.m./i.v.)</li> <li>– Fast acting antihistamine (p.o. / i.v.)</li> <li>– Glucocorticoids (eg, prednisolone)</li> <li>[– <math>\beta_2</math>-sympathomimetic (eg, salbutamol)]</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– C1-INH concentrate i. v. (human or recombinant)</li> <li>– Icatibant: BR2 antagonist, s.c.</li> </ul> | To date only<br>Off-label therapeutic options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Antihistamine/ glucocorticoids (oral/i. v.)</li> <li>– C1-INH concentrate i. v. (human or recombinant)</li> <li>– Icatibant: BR2 antagonist, s.c.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– In general: therapy for underlying paraneoplastic/ autoimmune disorder</li> <li>– Acute: Icatibant s.c. (off-label)</li> </ul> |
| <u>Physical form:</u><br>Avoidance of triggers/stopping exposure, patient needs to be informed  |  |  |  |   |

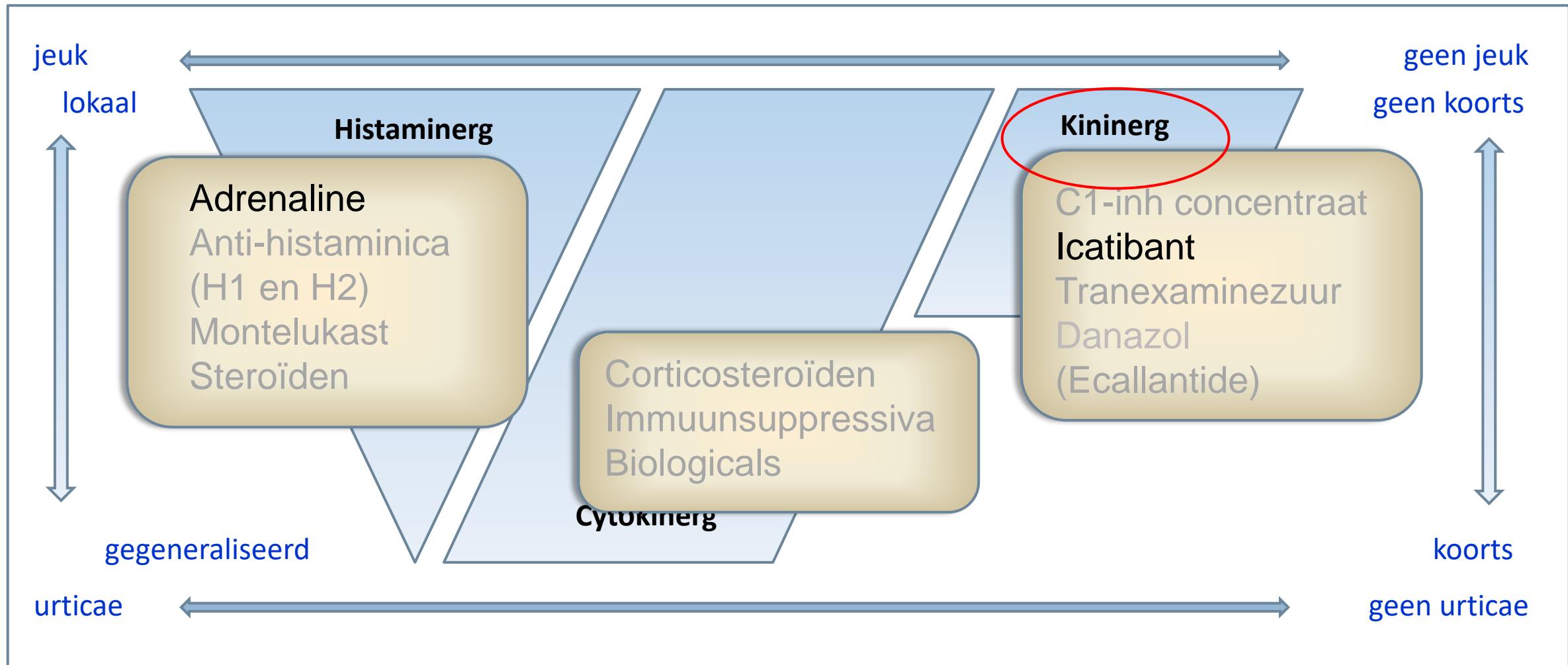
# Acute treatment in AE



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# Acute treatment in AE



# Icatibant effectief bij ACE-remmer geassocieerd AE

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## Bradykinin-receptor antagonist icatibant: possible treatment for ACE inhibitor-related angio-oedema

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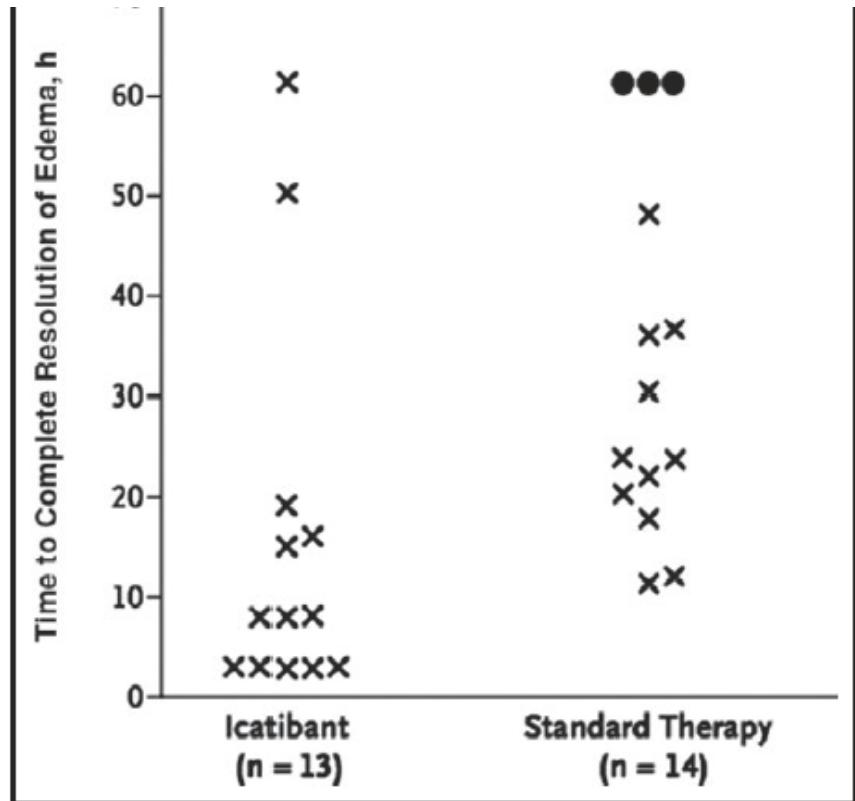
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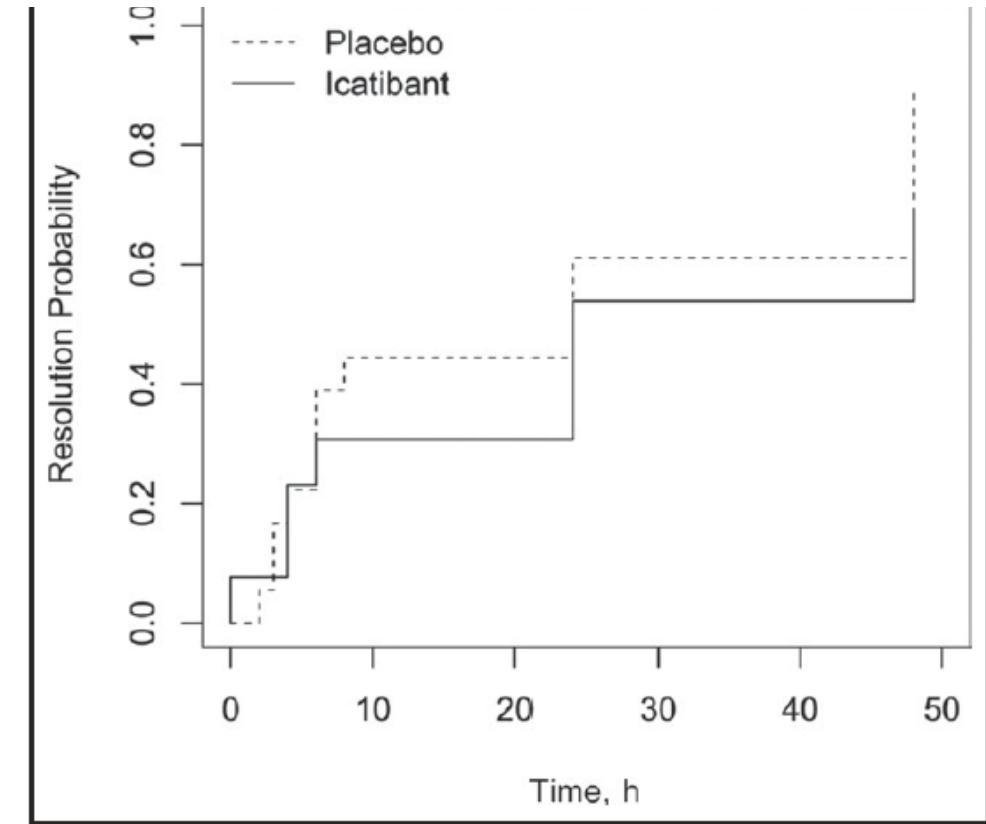
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# Icatibant bij ACE AE



**FIGURE 2** Time to complete resolution of edema according to study treatment for three patients in the standard-therapy group who required rescue intervention (circles). The time to complete resolution



**FIGURE 3** Time to resolution of primary symptoms as assessed by patients using visual analog scale in patients treated with either

# - icatibant

Table 3. Case Reports and Case Series of Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme Inhibitor Angioedema Where Icatibant Was Utilized

| First Author, Year    | Case Description  | Complement Proteins    | Other Therapy Administered   | Dose and Timing of Icatibant   | Resolution   |
|-----------------------|---|------------------------|--|--|--|
| Schmidt, 2010 (34)    | 42-year-old male with edema of neck, tongue, and larynx             | C4 levels WNL          | i.v. methylprednisolone and diphenhydramine<br>Nebulized epinephrine<br>C1 esterase inhibitor (dose not specified) | s.c. 30 mg, time not discussed   | Symptoms began to improve in 10–15 min   |
| Bartal, 2015 (41)     | 76-year-old female with edema of tongue, lips, and face             | Not reported           | s.c. epinephrine ×2, i.v. methylprednisolone, ranitidine, and promethazine   | s.c. 30 mg, time after initial therapy not discussed                     | Dyspnea relieved in min, swelling almost resolved in 30 min  |
| Charmillon, 2014 (42) | 65-year-old female with edema of the face, tongue, and macroglossia | Not reported           | No other pharmacologic agents reported   | s.c. 30 mg, after emergent tracheostomy, time not discussed              | Almost total regression of angioedema in 1 h<br>Decannulated 3 days later  |
| Crooks, 2014 (43)     | 75-year-old female with edema of the tongue and lips                | Not reported           | i.v. hydrocortisone, dexamethasone, and chlorphenamine<br>i.m. epinephrine   | s.c. 30 mg, after intubation on ICU day 4, then two more doses 8 h apart | Significant decrease in tongue swelling within 30 min<br>Resolution within the first few hours of icatibant<br>Extubation 36 h after first icatibant dose (delayed due to development of ventilator-associated pneumonia)<br>Mild erythema around the injection site |
| Gallitelli, 2012 (44) | 76-year-old male with edema of left side of his face                | C4 levels WNL          | None   | s.c. 30 mg, time not discussed   | 10 h after swelling had resolved almost completely and the patient was discharged  |
| Illing, 2012 (45)     | 62-year-old male with edema of the tongue and epiglottis            | C1 esterase levels WNL | Hydrocortisone and chlorphenamine<br>Nebulized epinephrine   | s.c. 30 mg, time not discussed   | No immediate benefit with progressive upper airway edema, drooling, and inability to speak<br>Patient intubated<br>Slow resolution was seen over 48 h was extubated  |
| Mahajan, 2015 (46)    | 40-year-old female with edema of soft palate                        | Not reported           | No other pharmacologic agents reported   | Dose not specified<br>Patient intubated, time not discussed              | Symptoms resolved in h   |

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**Table 3. Continued**

| First Author, Year | Case Description  | Complement Proteins  | Other Therapy Administered   | Dose and Timing of Icatibant                             | Resolution   |
|--------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Manders, 2012 (47) | 45-year-old female with edema of tongue   | Not reported   | i.m. epinephrine and clemastine<br>i.v. Di-Adreson-F (corticosteroid)      | s.c. 30 mg, after progressive swelling for several hours | Symptoms started to resolve within min.  |
| Pucar, 2015 (48)   | 65-year-old female with edema of the tongue, epiglottis and left arytenoid  | C4 and C1 esterase inhibitor WNL   | Epinephrine,<br>i.v. dexamethasone and glycopyrrolate<br>i.m. promethazine | s.c. 30 mg, 5 h after progression of symptoms            | Improvement after 10 min, complete resolution within 5 h<br><br>No development of injection site reactions   |
| Kaeslin, 2012 (49) | 56-year-old with edema of the tongue, face, cords and larynx  | C1 esterase inhibitor and C4 WNL   | No other pharmacologic agents reported                                     | Dose not specified, time not discussed                   | Significant decrease in symptoms by 2 h  |
| Bas, 2010 (50)     | 91-year-old male with edema of larynx/pharynx<br>61-year-old male with edema of the tongue<br>67-year-old female with edema of the tongue<br>72-year-old male with edema of larynx/pharynx<br>81-year-old male with edema of the tongue<br>58-year-old male with edema of larynx/pharynx<br>82-year-old female with edema of the tongue<br>84-year-old female with edema of larynx/pharynx and tongue | All cases had no C1 esterase inhibitor deficiency. Other complement levels not reported. | None   | s.c. 30 mg, on arrival                                   | Mean time after icatibant to first symptom improvement and complete relief: 50.6 min (SD 21 min) and 4.4 h (SD 0.8 h; range 3–5.5 h)<br><br>No required intubation or tracheostomy<br><br>All developed local site reactions that spontaneously resolved in ~2 h |
| Bova, 2015 (51)    | 82-year-old male with edema of neck, sublingual and pharyngeal mucosa<br>63-year-old male with edema of face, lips, tongue, and oropharynx<br>52-year-old male with edema of tongue   | WNL  | Corticosteroid, antihistamine, epinephrine                                 | s.c. 30 mg, 5 h after symptom onset                      | 25 min to symptom relief and 8 h to complete resolution  |
|                    |   |  | Corticosteroid, antihistamine, epinephrine                                 | s.c. 30 mg, 4 h after symptom onset                      | 30 min to symptom relief and 4 h to complete resolution  |
|                    |   |  | Corticosteroid, antihistamine, epinephrine                                 | s.c. 30 mg, 3 h after symptom onset                      | 35 min to symptom relief and 4 h to complete resolution  |

|                   |   |              |  |   |   |
|-------------------|---|--------------|--|---|---|
|                   | 85-year-old male with edema of left side of face and lips   | WNL          | Corticosteroid   | s.c. 30 mg, 3 h after symptom onset                                 | 25 min to symptom relief and 4 h to complete resolution                           |
|                   | 69-year-old male with edema of tongue   | WNL          | Corticosteroid, antihistamine, epinephrine                                       | s.c. 30 mg, 3 h after symptom onset                                 | 15 min to symptom relief and 9 h to complete resolution                           |
|                   | 81-year-old male with edema of the tongue   | WNL          | Corticosteroid   | s.c. 30 mg, 2 h after symptom onset                                 | 30 min to symptom relief and 10 h to complete resolution                          |
|                   | 75-year-old female with edema of lips, tongue and epiglottis  | WNL          | Corticosteroid, antihistamine, epinephrine                                       | s.c. 30 mg, 8 h after symptom onset                                 | 50 min to symptom relief and 5 h to complete resolution                           |
|                   | 86-year-old female with edema of face and tongue  | WNL          | Corticosteroid, antihistamine  | s.c. 30 mg, 6 h after symptom onset                                 | 30 min to symptom relief and 5 h to complete resolution                           |
|                   | 67-year-old female with edema of tongue and pharyngeal mucosa   | WNL          | Corticosteroid   | s.c. 30 mg, 2 h after symptom onset                                 | 90 min to symptom relief and 5 h to complete resolution                           |
|                   | 71-year-old male with edema of tongue and pharyngeal mucosa   | WNL          | Corticosteroid, antihistamine  | s.c. 30 mg, 2 h after symptom onset                                 | 90 min to symptom relief and 6 h to complete resolution                           |
|                   | 74-year-old male with edema of tongue and pharyngeal mucosa   | WNL          | Corticosteroid, antihistamine  | s.c. 30 mg, 2 h after symptom onset                                 | 90 min to symptom relief and 6 h to complete resolution                           |
| Jacob, 2015 (52)  | 4 male and 2 female with 10 episodes<br><br>Mean age 69 years<br>4 tongue and lips, 3 tongue, lips, and face, 3 tongue only | Not reported | Epinephrine corticosteroids and antihistamines in all cases                      | NA, time not discussed  | Resolution of symptoms within 12 h for all cases<br>No serious adverse effects    |
| Volans, 2013 (53) | Male in 70s with edema of submental area, tongue, lower lip, neck, and supraglottis area                                    | Not measured | i.v. chlorpheniramine and steroids   | s.c. 30 mg, 10 h after symptom onset                                | Symptoms began to resolve at 20 min and symptom-free by 4 h<br>Intubation avoided |
|                   | 86-year-old female with edema of the tongue and supraglottis area   | Not measured | i.v. chlorpheniramine, tranexamic acid<br>Nebulized epinephrine                  | s.c. 30 mg, 10 h after symptom onset                                | Symptoms began to resolve at 20 min and symptom-free by 4 h.                      |
| Fok, 2015 (54)    | 75-year-old female with edema of lip, tongue, aryepiglottic folds with mucosa prolapsing onto airway, and piriform fossa    | C4 WNL       | 11 received epinephrine and corticosteroid. 2 patients received no other therapy | s.c. 30 mg, 70 h after intubation and 73 h after symptom onset      | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 7 h                                     |
|                   | 49-year-old male with edema of the face and soft palate   | C4 WNL       |  | s.c. 30 mg, at same time as intubation and 26 h after symptom onset | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 3 h                                     |
|                   | 40-year-old female with edema of base of tongue and postnasal space   | C4 WNL       |  | s.c. 30 mg, 1 h after intubation and 8 h after symptom onset        | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 3 h                                     |

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**Table 3. Continued**

| First Author, Year | Case Description   | Complement Proteins | Other Therapy Administered | Dose and Timing of Icatibant   | Resolution   |
|--------------------|--|---------------------|----------------------------|--|--|
|                    | 62-year-old female with edema of submental and tongue                                  | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, at same time as intubation and 16 h after symptom onset  | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 2 h                |
|                    | 70-year-old female with edema of tongue  | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 8 h after symptom onset  | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 0.5 h              |
|                    | 76-year-old male with edema of tongue and face   | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 15 h after symptom onset   | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 2 h                |
|                    | 87-year-old male with edema of tongue, submandibular, and lip                          | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 4 h after symptom onset  | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 1 h                |
|                    | 38-year-old female with edema of tongue  | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 9 h after symptom onset  | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 0.5 h              |
|                    | 59-year-old female with edema of submandibular, tongue, and floor of mouth             | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 5.5 h after symptom onset  | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 3.5 h              |
|                    | 68-year-old male with edema of tongue, soft palate, uvula, epiglottis, and false cords | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 11 h after symptom onset; received second icatibant dose 2 h after first dose due to continued edema and symptoms consisting of loud inspiratory stridor and moist cough | First symptom resolution after second dose of icatibant: 2 h |
|                    | 81-year-old male with edema of lip and tongue  | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 10 h after symptom onset   | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 0.25 h             |
|                    | 81-year-old female with edema of tongue, floor of mouth, and neck                      | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 83 h after symptom onset   | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 3 h                |
|                    | 80-year-old male with edema of tongue  | C4 WNL              |                            | s.c. 30 mg, 4.5 h after symptom onset  | First symptom resolution after icatibant: 4 h                |

ICU = intensive care unit; s.c. = subcutaneous; SD = standard deviation; WNL = within normal limits; i.m. = intramuscular; i.v. = intravenous.

# - C1 inH

Table 2. Cases of Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme Inhibitor Angioedema Where Complement-1 Esterase Inhibitor Was Utilized

| First Author, Year   | Case Description   | Complement Proteins                             | Other Therapy Administered   | Dose and Timing of C1 Esterase Inhibitor  | Resolution  |
|----------------------|--|---|--|---|---|
| Lipski, 2015 (17)    | 77-year-old female with edema of tongue, lips, mouth, and neck   | C3 complement slightly increased and others WNL | s.c. methylprednisolone and epinephrine<br>FFP (no dose specified) | i.v. 2000 U (20 U/kg) after no improvement 4 h after FFP given                            | Swelling resolved within 1 h  |
| Nielsen, 2016 (30)   | 61-year-old female with edema of the tongue and arytenoids   | C1-INH value WNL                                | i.v. hydrocortisone and dexamethasone<br>s.c. epinephrine          | i.v. 1500 U over 8 h after hospital arrival and initial treatment                         | Over 20 min stridor subsided, patient calmed and was able to talk   |
| Rasmussen, 2013 (31) | 63-year-old male with edema of tongue, uvula, floor of mouth, and soft palate  | Not reported                                    | Epinephrine, antihistamine, and corticosteroid                     | i.v. 1000 U (11 U/kg), within 20 min of arrival   | Significant regression within 20 min and resolution after 2 h   |
| Hermanrud, 2016 (32) | 56-year-old male with edema of tongue, uvula, right palate-pharyngeal arch, right side of the lingual tonsil and hypopharynx, piriform sinus, right aryepiglottic fold, and right ventricular fold | Not performed in acute phase                    | i.v. methylprednisolone  | i.v. 2000 U (18 U/kg), on arrival (did not wait for methylprednisolone to have an effect) | Patient reported rapid decrease in symptoms. Severity of swelling decreased upon fiber-optic reassessment 5 h after |
| Urmoski, 2015 (33)   | 41-year-old male with edema of the lip, tongue, and airway swelling  | Not reported                                    | i.v. diphenhydramine, methylprednisolone, and ranitidine           | i.v. 1500 U (17 U/kg) after intubation and 1.5 h after arrival                            | Swelling decreased within 1 h and extubation occurred within 16.5 h of presentation                                 |
| Schmidt, 2010 (34)   | 42-year-old white male with edema of neck, tongue and larynx   | C4 level WNL                                    | i.v. methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine<br>Nebulized epinephrine  | Dose not specified, time not discussed  | Did not resolve symptoms, patient required icatibant injection rescue therapy                                       |

C1-INH = complement 1 esterase inhibitor; FFP = fresh frozen plasma; s.c. = subcutaneous; WNL = within normal limits; i.v. = intravenous.

# Behandeling ACE induced AE - FFP

Cases of Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme Inhibitor Angioedema Where Fresh Frozen Plasma Was Utilized

| Year    | Case Description  | Complement Proteins   | Other Therapy Administered  | Dose and Timing of Fresh Frozen Plasma              | Resolution                                      | Patient  | Not obtained                                    | Antihistamines and corticosteroids  | U at time not discussed                    |
|---------|---|-----------------------|---|---|---|--|---|---|--|
| 13 (12) | 49-year-old female with right lower lip swelling, itching, and diarrhea<br>Started metformin the day before | Not obtained          | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 2 h apart after swelling progression | 2 U 7 h after second set of conventional therapy    | No further progression of symptoms              | Male with edema progressing to larynx. He was earlier that day intubated                                 | Not obtained                                    | Hydrocortisone  | 2 U 3 h after conventional therapy failed  |
|         | 64-year-old male with upper and lower lip swelling  | Complement levels WNL | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 4 h apart after swelling progression | 3 U 7 h after second set of conventional therapy    | Progression stopped                             | Male with swelling   | Not obtained                                    | No other therapy given  | 2 U 3 h after arrival                      |
|         | 58-year-old male with upper and lower lip swelling and shortness of breath                                  | Complement levels WNL | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 2 h apart                            | 2 U 2.5 h after second set of conventional therapy  | Progression stopped                             | Female with tongue, lips, and neck   | C3 complement slightly increased and others WNL | s.c. methylprednisolone and epinephrine   | Not specified                              |
|         | 62-year-old male with facial and lip swelling   | Complement levels WNL | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 2.5 h apart                          | 2 U 5 h after second set of conventional therapy    | Progression stopped                             | Male with base of the tongue and snugly fitting tracheal tube  | Complement levels WNL                           | i.v. hydrocortisone and antihistamines  | 2 U at > 48 h after intubation             |
|         | 51-year-old female with lip swelling, also ate crab and lobster the previous night for the first time       | Not obtained          | Methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine   | 2 U 3 h after conventional therapy                  | Progression stopped unknown                     | Female with tongue   | Not reported                                    | i.v. diphenhydramine and methylprednisolone   | 4 U after nasal intubation                 |
|         | 73-year-old male with face and tongue swelling  | Not obtained          | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 3 h apart                            | 2 U at 2 h after second set of conventional therapy | Progression stopped                             | Male with bilateral facial edema of tongue, laryngeal edema, epiglottitis, left vocal fold and left      | Not reported                                    | Nebulized racemic epinephrine   |  |
| ? (13)  | 75-year-old male with tongue swelling   | Complement levels WNL | i.v. chlorpheniramine, hydrocortisone and i.m. epinephrine, 2 <sup>nd</sup> round after intubation                        | 4 U 24 h after intubation                           | Symptom improved within 2 h                     | Female with , bilateral , laryngeal edema of , laryngeal edema of epiglottitis, left vocal fold and left | Not reported                                    | i.v. methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, subcutaneous epinephrine, and inhaled epinephrine | 1 U approximately 58 h after symptom onset |
|         | 45-year-old male with lip swelling  | Complement levels WNL | i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine and famotidine  | 1 U 3 h after initial therapy                       | Symptom improved and progression cessation with |  |   |   |  |
| 04 (14) | 43-year-old female with lip swelling and tongue edema   | Complement levels WNL | 4 days of antihistamines, corticosteroids, epinephrine, cyclosporine and i.v. immunoglobulin                              | 2 U at hospital day 4                               | Full resolution after 4 days                    |  |   |   |  |

ramuscular; s.c. = subcutaneous; WNL = within normal limits; i.v. = intravenous; U = units.

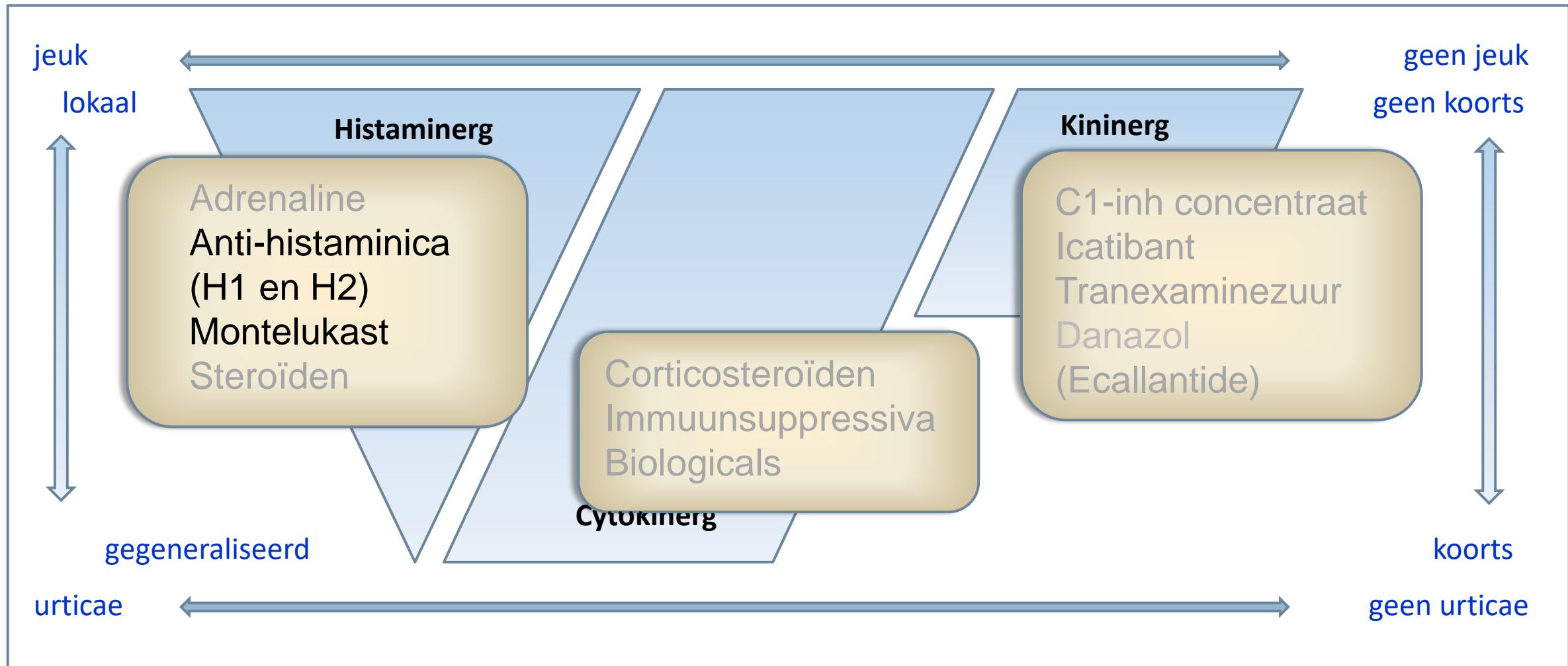
Table 1. Cases of angioedema involving enzymes inhibitor drugs and their treatment using FFP

| First Author, Year | Case Description  | Complement Proteins   | Other Therapy Administered  | Dose and Timing of Fresh Frozen Plasma              | Resolution   |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|---|--|
| Hassen, 2013 (12)  | 49-year-old female with right lower lip swelling, itching, and diarrhea<br>Started metformin the day before | Not obtained          | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 2 h apart after swelling progression | 2 U 7 h after second set of conventional therapy    | No further progression of symptoms                       |
|                    | 64-year-old male with upper and lower lip swelling  | Complement levels WNL | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 4 h apart after swelling progression | 3 U 7 h after second set of conventional therapy    | Progression stopped within 4 h                           |
|                    | 58-year-old male with upper and lower lip swelling and shortness of breath                                  | Complement levels WNL | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 2 h apart                            | 2 U 2.5 h after second set of conventional therapy  | Progression stopped within 3 h                           |
|                    | 62-year-old male with facial and lip swelling   | Complement levels WNL | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 2.5 h apart                          | 2 U 5 h after second set of conventional therapy    | Progression stopped within 2 h                           |
|                    | 51-year-old female with lip swelling, also ate crab and lobster the previous night for the first time       | Not obtained          | Methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine   | 2 U 3 h after conventional therapy                  | Progression stopped, time unknown                        |
|                    | 73-year-old male with face and tongue swelling  | Not obtained          | Two rounds of i.m. epinephrine, methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, and famotidine, 3 h apart                            | 2 U at 2 h after second set of conventional therapy | Progression stopped within 2 h                           |
| Karim, 2002 (13)   | 75-year-old male with tongue swelling   | Complement levels WNL | i.v. chlorpheniramine, hydrocortisone and i.m. epinephrine, 2 <sup>nd</sup> round after intubation                        | 4 U 24 h after intubation                           | Symptom improvement within 2 h                           |
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| Warrier, 2004 (14) | 43-year-old female with lip swelling and tongue edema   | Complement levels WNL | 4 days of antihistamines, corticosteroids, epinephrine, cyclosporine and i.v. immunoglobulin                              | 2 U at hospital day 4                               | Full resolution after 2–4 h                              |

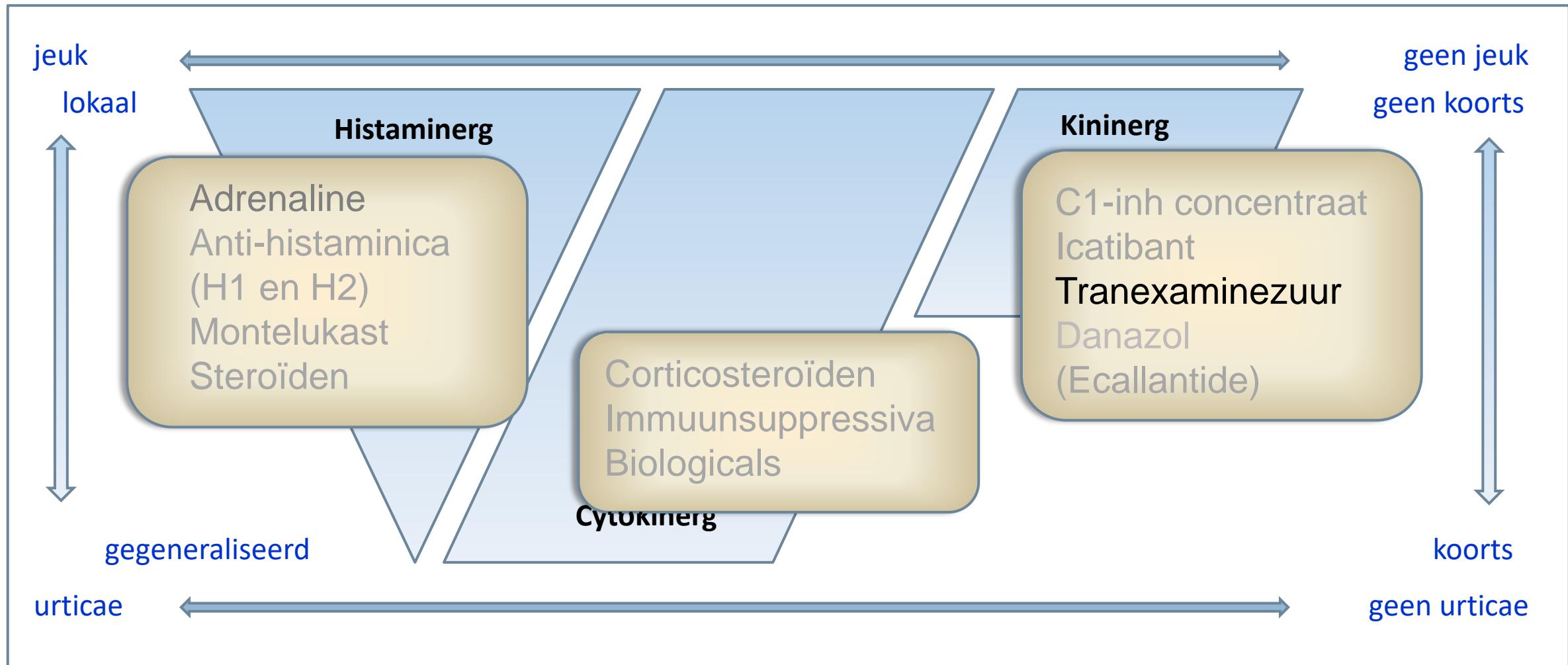
|                     |   |   |   |  |  |
|---------------------|---|---|---|--|--|
| Bolton, 2012 (15)   | 76-year-old male with tongue and sublingual edema progressing to oropharynx. He was intubated earlier that day for an outpatient procedure                    | Not obtained                                    | Antihistamines and corticosteroids  | 2 U at time not discussed                  | Full resolution after 2 h  |
| Stewart, 2012 (16)  | 52-year-old male with tongue swelling   | Not obtained                                    | Hydrocortisone  | 2 U 3 h after conventional therapy failed  | Full resolution during infusion of 2 <sup>nd</sup> unit                |
|                     | 79-year-old male with tongue swelling   | Not obtained                                    | No other therapy given  | 2 U 3 h after arrival                      | Full resolution after 4 h  |
| Lipski, 2015 (17)   | 77-year-old female with edema of tongue, lips, mouth, and neck  | C3 complement slightly increased and others WNL | s.c. methylprednisolone and epinephrine   | Not specified                              | No improvement after 4 h   |
| Tharayil, 2014 (18) | 60-year-old male with edema from base of the tongue up to the cricoid cartilage and snugly fitting endotracheal tube with no peritubal air                    | Complement levels WNL                           | i.v. hydrocortisone and antihistamines  | 2 U at > 48 h after intubation             | Patient got tracheostomy due to persistent airway edema on day 11      |
| Shiber, 2014 (19)   | 67-year-old female with edema of the tongue   | Not reported                                    | i.v. diphenhydramine and methylprednisolone<br>Nebulized racemic epinephrine                | 4 U after nasal intubation                 | Symptoms improved over the next 6 h and was extubated the next morning |
| Atalay, 2015 (20)   | 77-year-old female with dysphagia, bilateral orbital edema, edema of the tongue, laryngeal face of the epiglottis, left aryepiglottic fold and left arytenoid | Not reported                                    | i.v. methylprednisolone, diphenhydramine, subcutaneous epinephrine, and inhaled epinephrine | 1 U approximately 58 h after symptom onset | Tracheotomy and cardiac arrest before completion of FFP infusion       |

FFP = fresh frozen plasma; i.m. = intramuscular; s.c. = subcutaneous; WNL = within normal limits; i.v. = intravenous; U = units.

# Preventive treatment



# Preventive treatment in AE



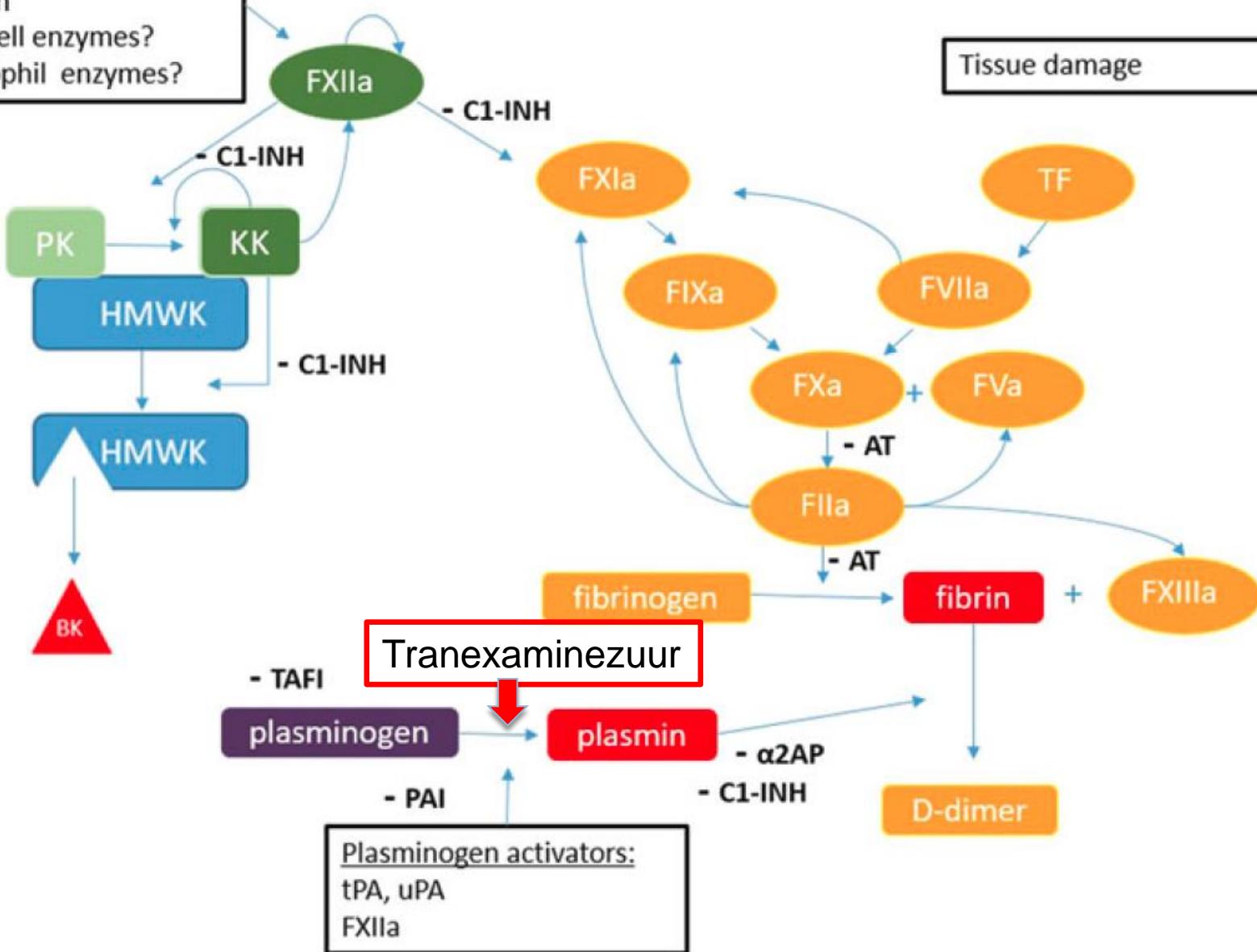
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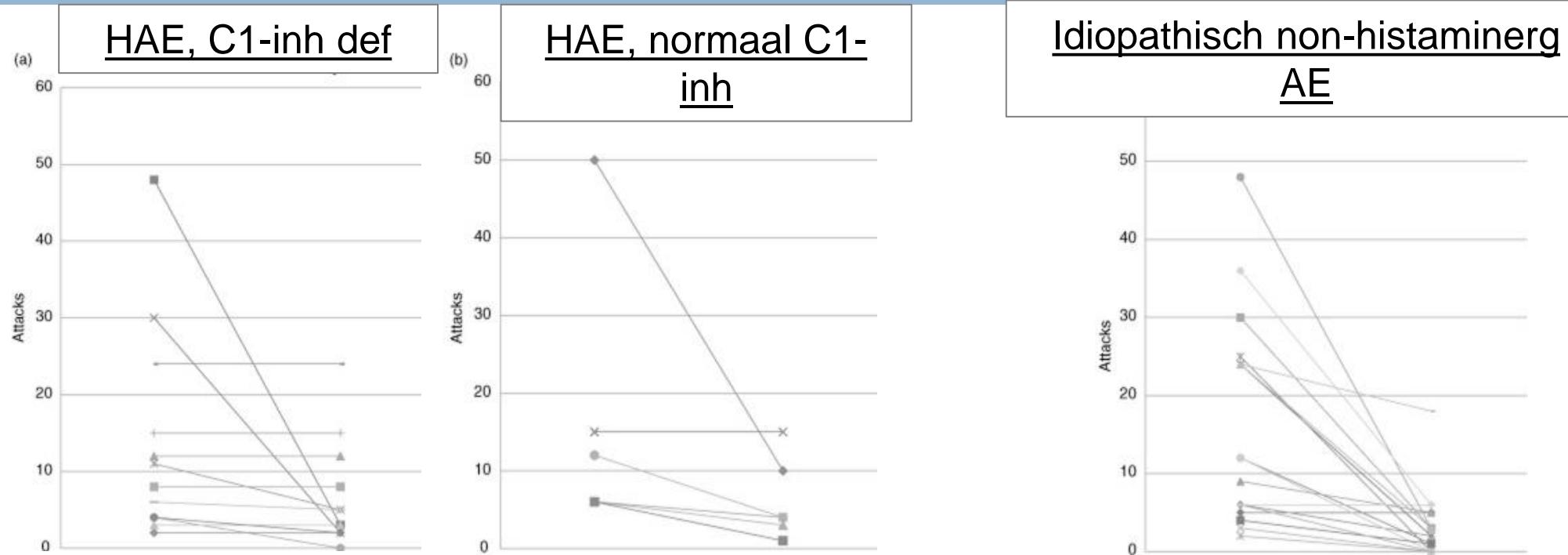
Plasmin

Mast cell enzymes?

Neutrophil enzymes?



# TA als profylacticum vooral (?) bij idiopathisch AE



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# Idiopathic non-histaminergic acquired angioedema: a case series and discussion of published clinical trials

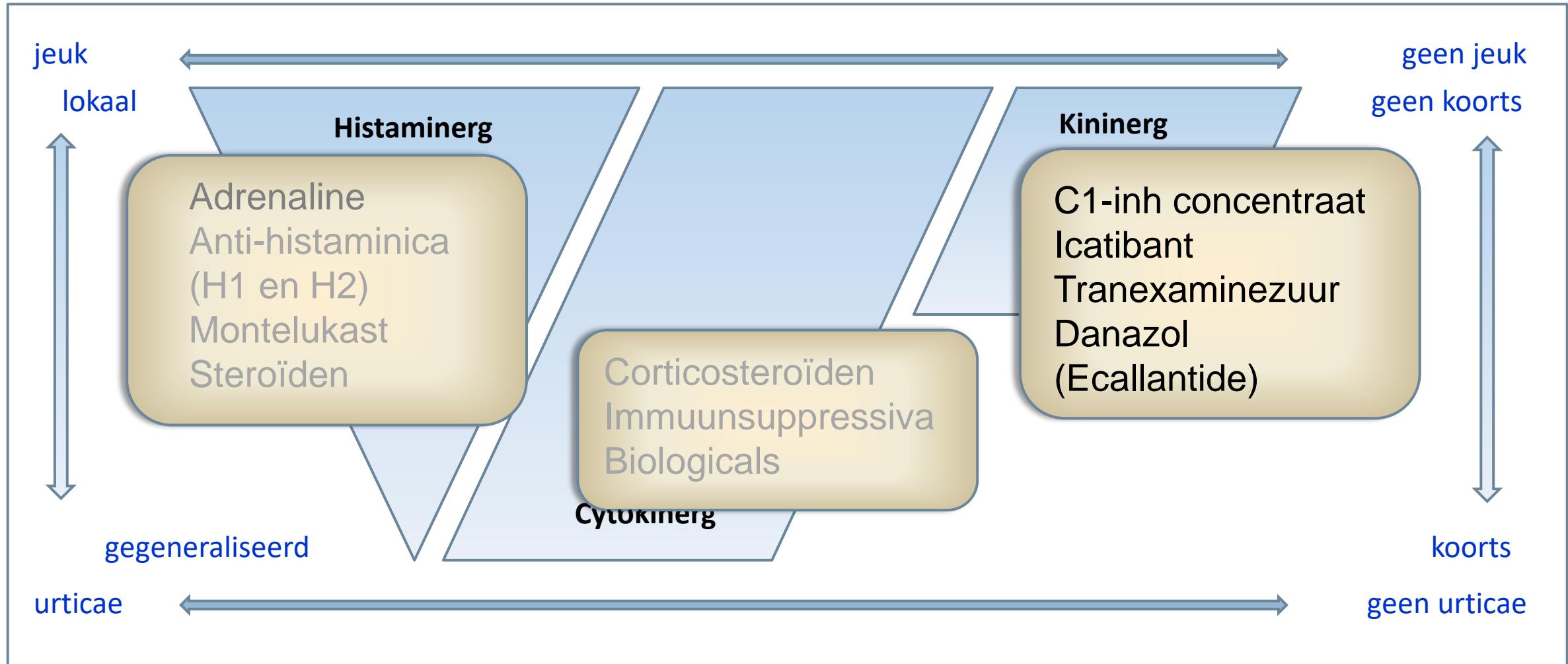
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**Table 2 Comparison of the therapies most often applied in InH-AAE**

|  | Reference | Number of patients | Drug/doses  | Response: cr/pr/nr (number of patients) |
|--|-----------|--------------------|---|---|
| <i>Medical influence of coagulation and contact activation pathway</i> |           |                    |   |   |
| Tranexamic acid  | [9]       | 2                  | 1–4 g per day   | cr 2                                    |
|  | [10]      | 1                  | NA  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [11]      | 15                 | 0.5–3 g per day   | cr 8/pr 7                               |
|  | [12]      | 23                 | 0.5–3 g per day   | cr 12/pr 11                             |
|  | [13]      | 19                 | 1–3 g per day   | cr 4/pr 15                              |
|  | [3]       | 38                 | 0.5–3 g per day   | pr 37/nr 1                              |
| Ecallantide  | [15]      | 1                  | 30 mg (during attacks)  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [16]      | 1                  | 30 mg (during attacks)  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [14]      | 1                  | NA  | pr 1                                    |
| Icatibant  | [17]      | 1                  | 30 mg (during attacks)  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [18]      | 1                  | 30 mg (during attacks)  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [14]      | 1                  | NA  | pr 1                                    |
|  | [19]      | 2                  | 30 mg ( <i>during attack</i> )  | pr 2                                    |
| C1-INH   | [14]      | 1                  | 1000U twice weekly  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [19]      | 2                  | NA  | pr 2                                    |
|  | [20]      | 1                  | 1000U twice weekly  | cr 1                                    |
| <i>Medical influence of the hormonal axis</i>                          |           |                    |   |   |
| Progestin  | [21]      | 20                 | Various dosages depending the progestin   | cr 6/pr 10/nr 4                         |
| <i>Medical influence of IgE antibodies and mast cell (Omalizumab)</i>  |           |                    |   |   |
| Omalizumab   | [46]      | 3                  | 300 mg every 3–4 weeks; 375 mg every 2 weeks  | Cr 3                                    |
|  | [23]      | 1                  | 300 mg every 4 weeks initially, then reduced to 300 mg every 8 weeks                      | cr 1                                    |
|  | [24]      | 1                  | 300 mg every 4 weeks  | cr 1                                    |
|  | [25]      | 8                  | 300 mg every 4 weeks initially, then reduced to doses and intervals according to symptoms | cr 8                                    |
|  | [27]      | 2                  | 375 mg every 2 weeks initially, then reduced to 375 mg every 4 weeks                      | cr 2                                    |
|  | [26]      | 5                  | 300 mg every 2–4 weeks  | cr 5                                    |
| <i>Other immunosuppressants or immunomodulatory therapies</i>          |           |                    |   |   |
| Dapsone  | [29]      | 1                  | 50 mg per day   | cr 1                                    |
| Ciclosporin  | [28]      | 1                  | 300 mg per day  | nr 1                                    |
| FFP  | [30]      | 1                  | 4 units   | cr 1                                    |
| Rituximab  | [31]      | 1                  | 560 mg (375 mg/m <sup>2</sup> body surface area) weekly for 4 weeks                       | cr 1                                    |
| Cannabis   | [32]      | 1                  | 20 g per month, inhaled 2–3× per week   | cr 1                                    |

cr complete remission, pr partial remission, nr no response, NA not available, FFP fresh frozen plasma.

# Preventive treatment in HAE



# Hereditary Angioedema

*Treatment options worldwide...*

- Replacement with C1 INH : (FFP\*) **Cetor/Cinryze\***, Berinert, Rhucin
  - Stimulation of biosynthesis : **Danazol\***
  - Reduced consumption : (**Tranexamic acid Cyklokapron \***)
  - Inhibition of mediators : **Ecallantide, Icatibant\***
- 
- \*available in the Netherlands

**Table 2** Targeted treatment of HAE [21, 63–66]

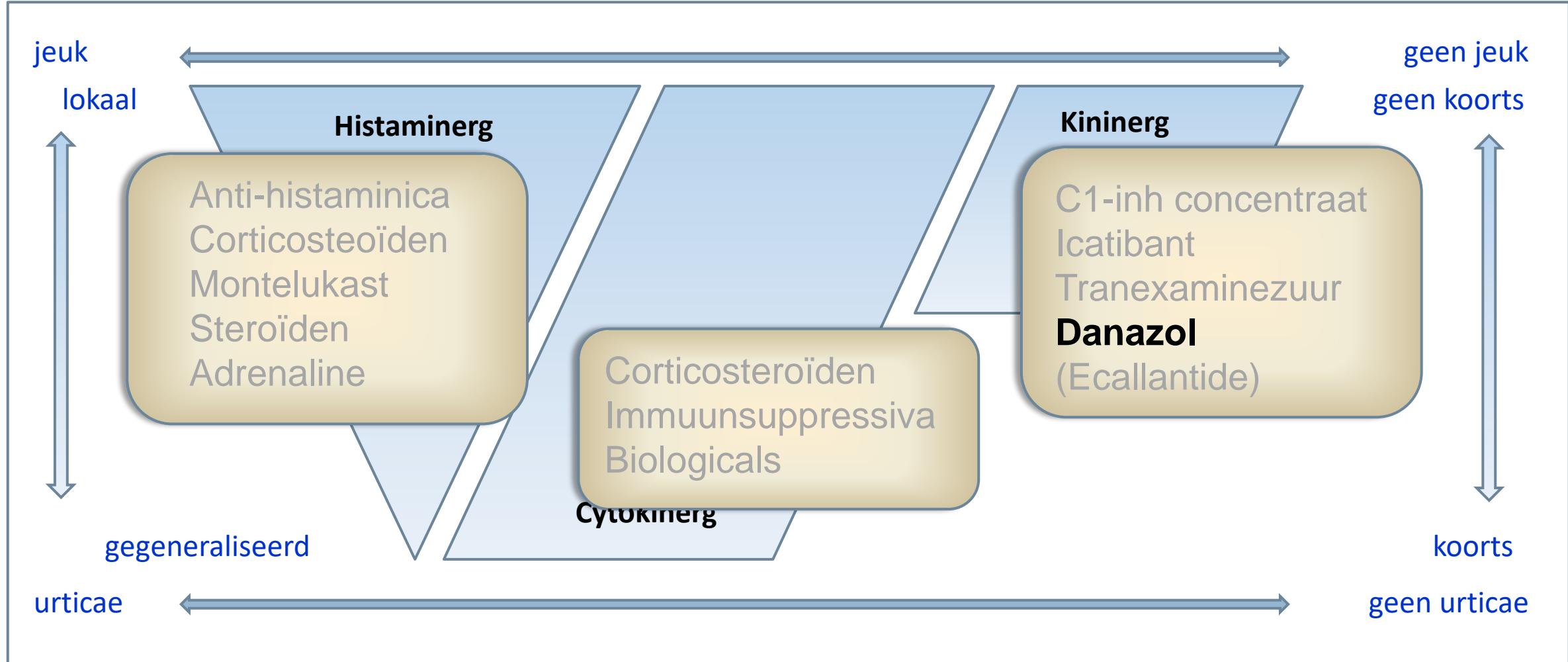
| Drug                             | FDA-approved indication  | Mechanism of action              | Dose/route/<br>price <sup>a</sup>     | Time to onset of<br>symptom relief | Adverse effects   |
|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| Plasma-derived C1-INH (Berinert) | Acute abdominal, facial, or laryngeal HAE attacks in adult and pediatric patients (no lower age limit established)       | C1-INH protein replacement       | 20 units/kg IV<br>\$8991 (1500 units) | Median: 48 min                     | Common: dysgeusia<br>Rare: anaphylaxis, thrombosis<br>Theoretical: blood-borne infections   |
| Plasma-derived C1-INH (Cinryze)  | Prophylaxis of HAE attacks in adults and pediatric patients ≥11 years of age   | C1-INH protein replacement       | 1000 units IV<br>\$5704 (1000 units)  | Median: 30 min                     | Common: dysgeusia<br>Rare: anaphylaxis, thrombosis<br>Theoretical: blood-borne infections   |
| Recombinant C1-INH (Ruconest)    | Acute HAE attacks in adults and pediatric patients ≥11 years of age; effectiveness not established for laryngeal attacks | C1-INH protein replacement       | 50 units/kg IV<br>\$12,142 (4200 IU)  | Median: 90 min                     | Common: sinusitis, rash, pruritus<br>Rare: anaphylaxis  |
| Ecallantide (Kalbitor)           | Acute HAE attacks in patients ≥12 years of age   | Plasma-kallikrein inhibitor      | 30 mg SC<br>\$14,090 (30 mg)          | Median: 67 min                     | Common: headache, nausea, pyrexia, injection site reactions<br>Uncommon: anaphylaxis (must be administered by a health care professional) |
| Icatibant (Firazyr)              | Acute HAE attacks in adults ≥18 years of age   | Bradykinin-2 receptor antagonist | 30 mg SC<br>\$10,037 (30 mg)          | Median: 2 h                        | Common: injection site reactions, pyrexia, increased transaminases, dizziness<br>Theoretical: worsening of an ongoing ischemic event      |

# Behandel opties HAE

*Treatment types in the Netherlands:*

- Maintenance treatment : Danazol, C1-esteraseremmer
- Hospital treatment of attacks: Tranexamic acid, C1- INH, Icatibant
- “Self treatment” of attacks:, C1-INH

# Preventive treatment Danazol (in HAE)



# C1-inh deficientie, Danazol en APP-activiteit↑

**Immune deficiencies, infection, and systemic immune disorders**

## **Metallopeptidase activities in hereditary angioedema: Effect of androgen prophylaxis on plasma aminopeptidase P**

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**Background:** Aminopeptidase P (APP) plays an important role in the catabolism of kinins in human plasma, mostly for des-Arg<sup>9</sup>-bradykinin. Impaired degradation of this active bradykinin metabolite was found to be associated with a decreased APP activity in hypertensive patients who experienced angioedema while being treated with angiotensin

**Conclusion:** In addition to the effect on circulating C1-INH levels, the increase in APP levels brought on by androgens could contribute to a more effective control of the kinin accumulation considered to be responsible for the symptoms of angioedema. (J Allergy Clin Immunol 2008;121:429-33.)

# Differentiaaldiagnose







# Contact dermatitis: PPD - paraphenyldiamine



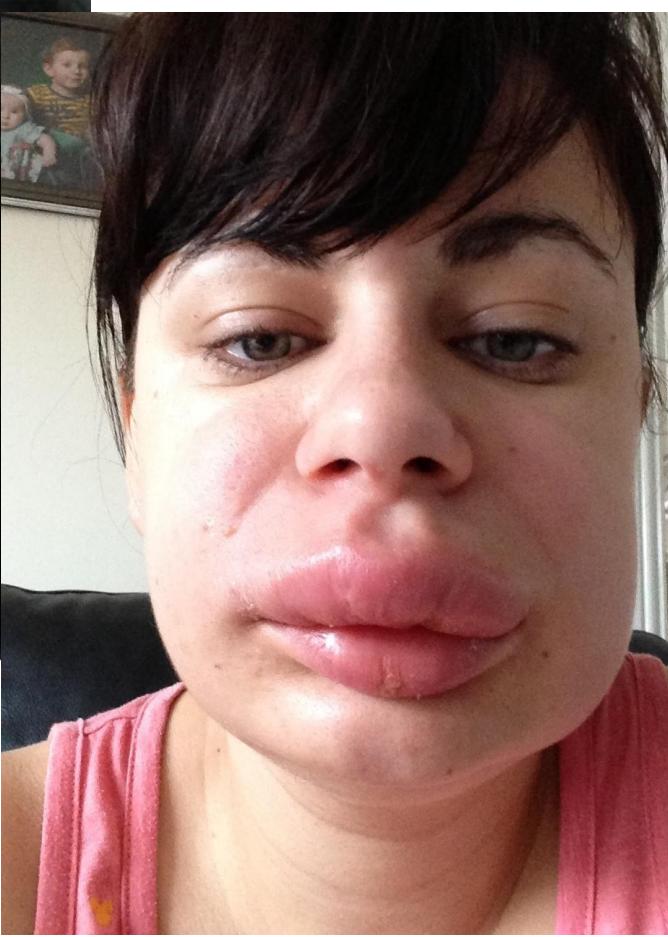
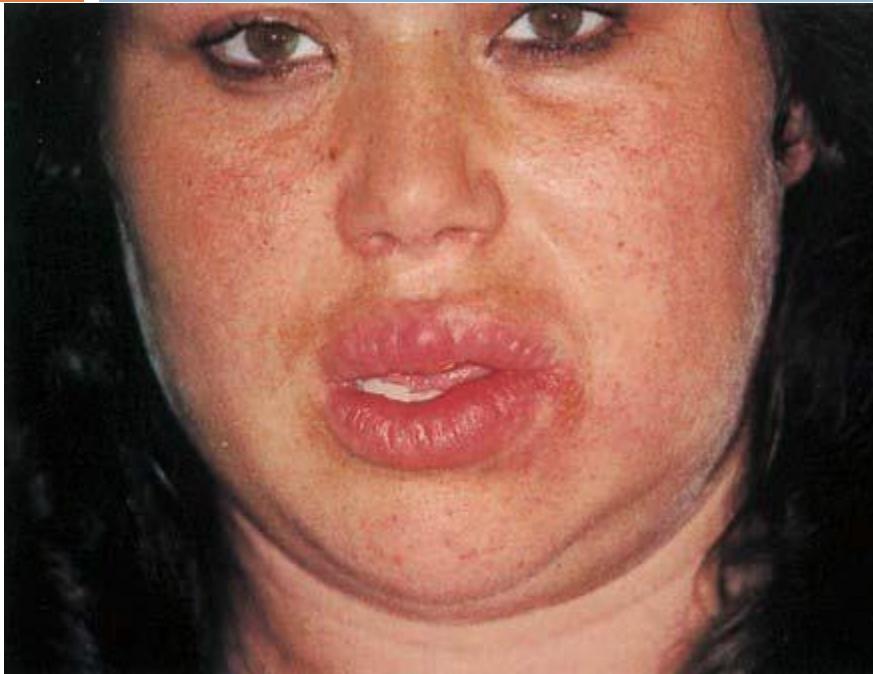
- haarverven
- tijdelijke henna tatoeages
- halffabrikaat bij de productie van azo-verf, bontverf, lederverf
- in sinasappelschil
- in sommige fotokopieer systemen
- in druk-kleurstoffen



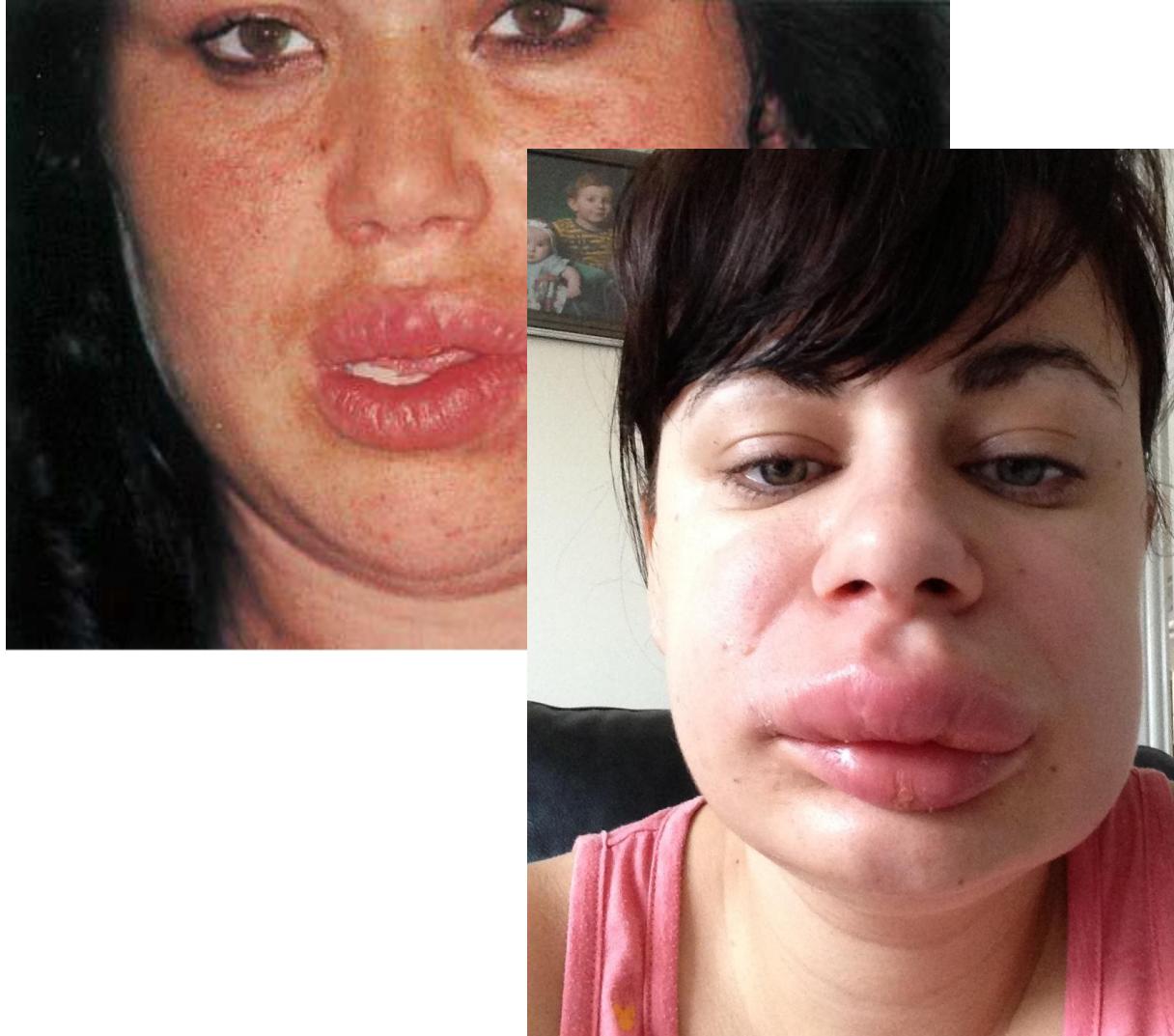
# Dermatomyositis



- Proximale spierzwakte
- Heliotrope rash
- Gottron's sign
- A photograph showing the backs of two hands. There are distinct red, raised papules on the knuckles and the skin between the fingers, which are classic findings for Gottron's sign in dermatomyositis.
- Vermoeidheid, gewichtsverlies, koorts



# Melkerson Rosenthal syndroom



- Cheilitis granulomatosa
- Orofaciaal oedeem
- (voorheen) n. facialis paralyse
- Fissuur tong (Lingua plicata)



# This patient presented with xerostomia and xerophthalmia.

1. Angioedema
2. Contact dermatitis
3. Follicular lymphoma
4. Hypothyroidism
5. Sjögren's syndrome

## 5. Sjögren's syndrome



Xerostomia and xerophthalmia are typical presenting features of Sjögren's syndrome.

Patients with Sjögren's syndrome can also present with enlarged salivary and lacrimal glands. The patient improved following treatment with glucocorticoids



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# Onderliggend maagcarcinoom

- Na resectie zijn klachten over.



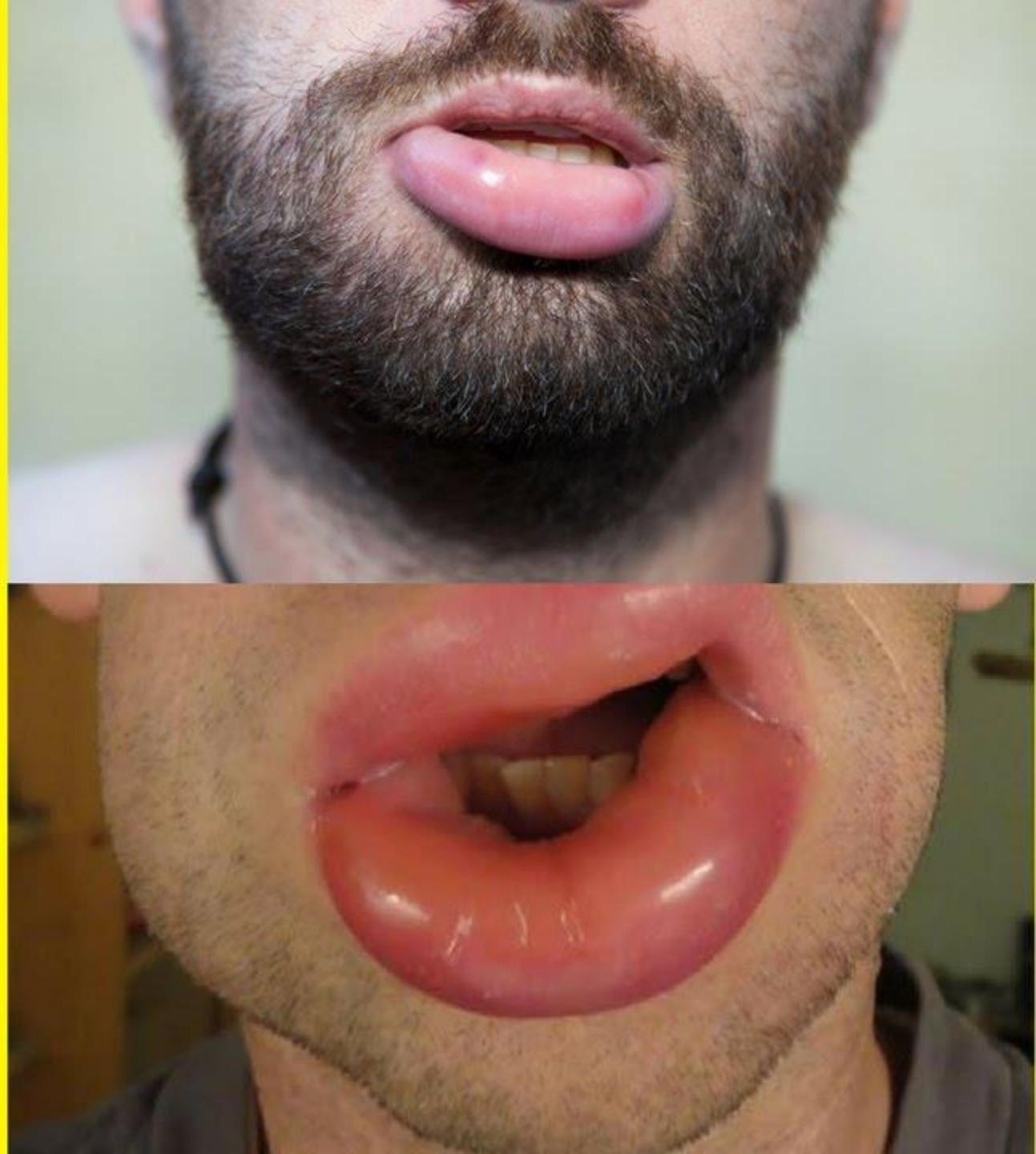


# **ANGIOEDEMA**

## **TREATMENT**

**100 % SAFE &**

**NATURAL**





**Milk Baths For An**



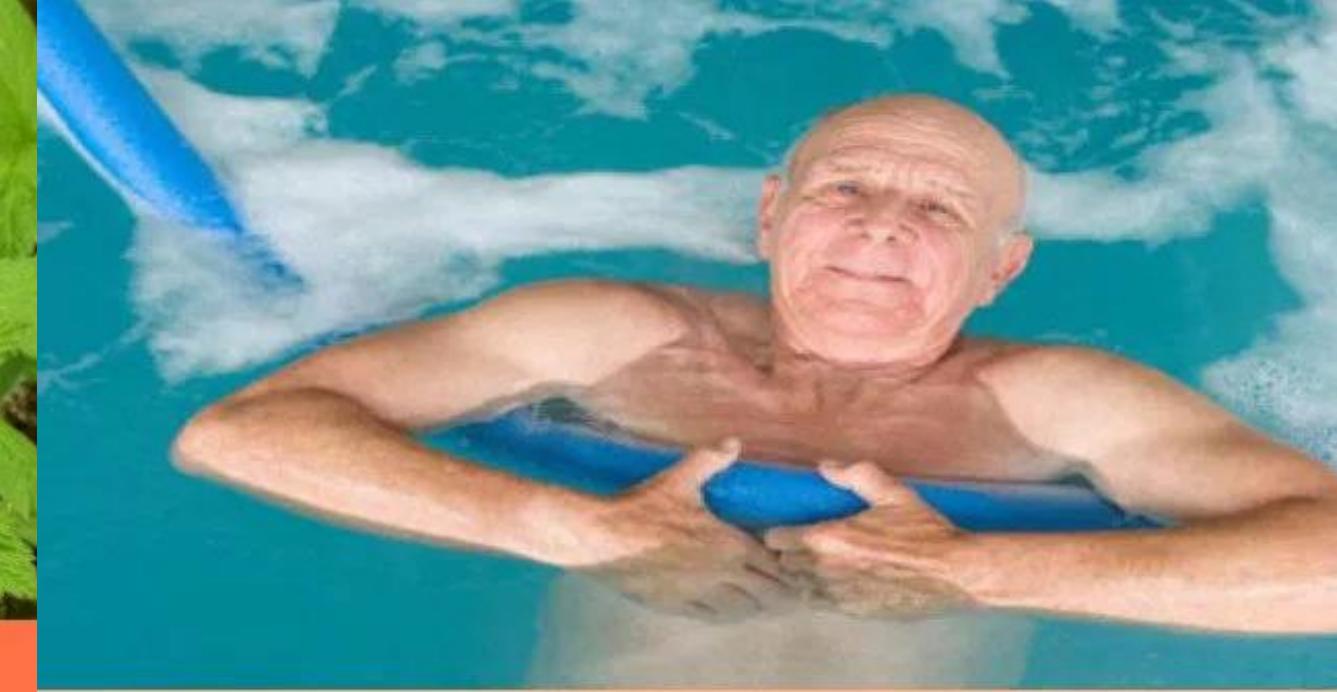
**Oatmeal Paste For Angioedema**



**Goldenseal For Angioedema**



**Chamomile For Angioedema**



**Hydrotherapy For Angioedema**



**Licorice For Angioedema**



# Home Remedies For Swollen Lins

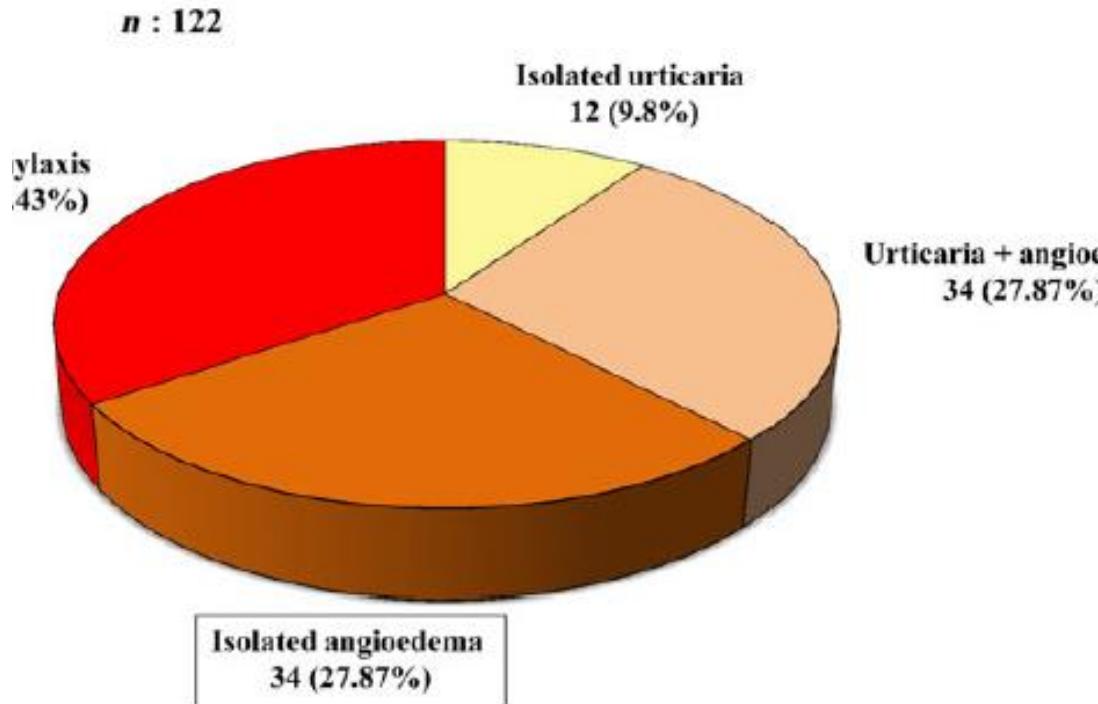


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## Diet To Treat Angioedema

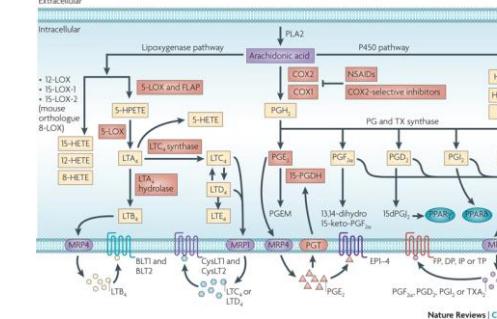


### 3. Non-histaminerg non-bradykinin



Intolerance for

- ASA
- NSAID's



- Prostaglandins
- leukotriens

1. Clinical manifestations of hypersensitivity reactions to oral anti-inflammatory drugs with cutaneous involvement.

## 4. Non-histaminerg non-bradykinin

Cytokine?







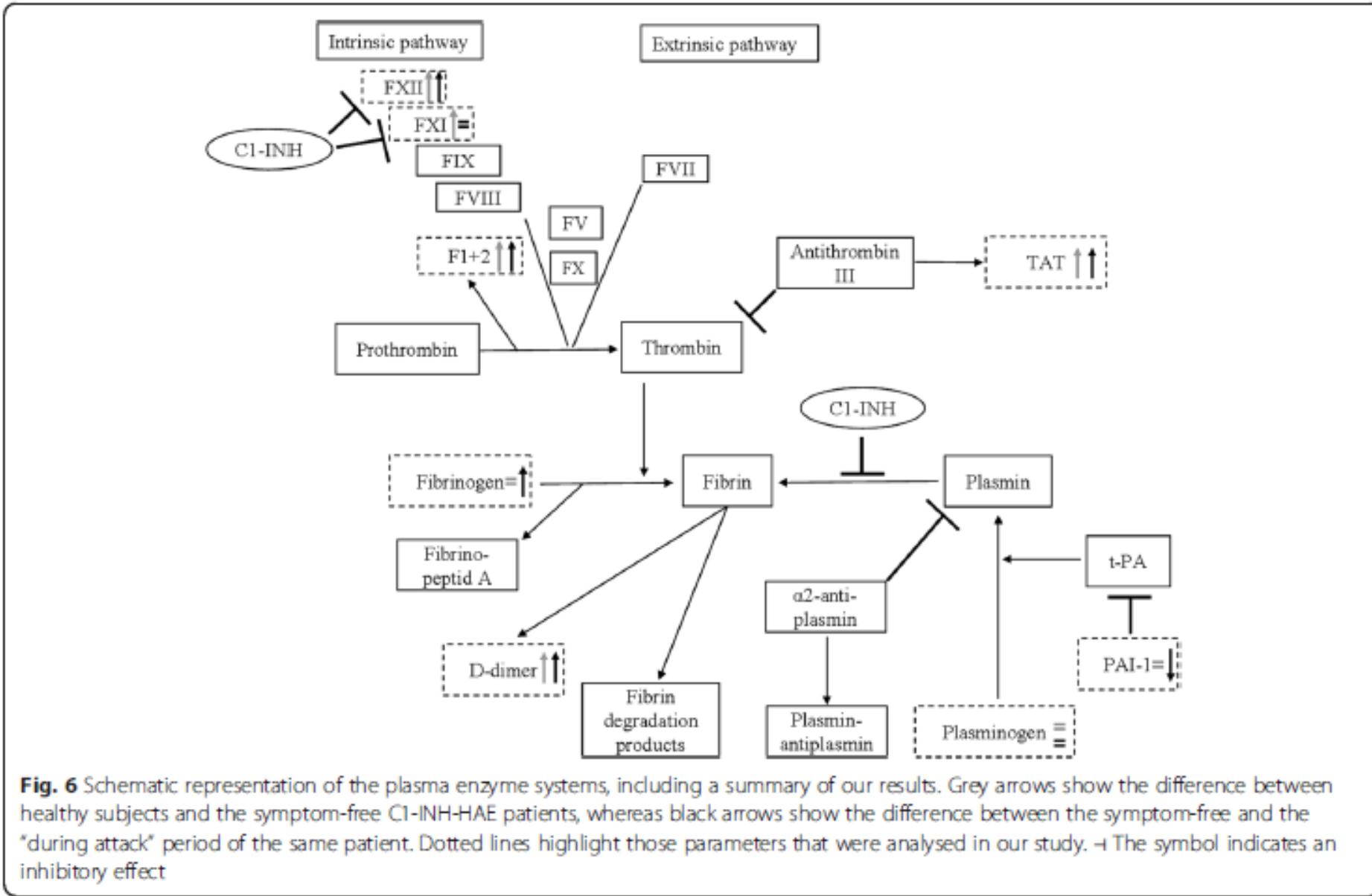




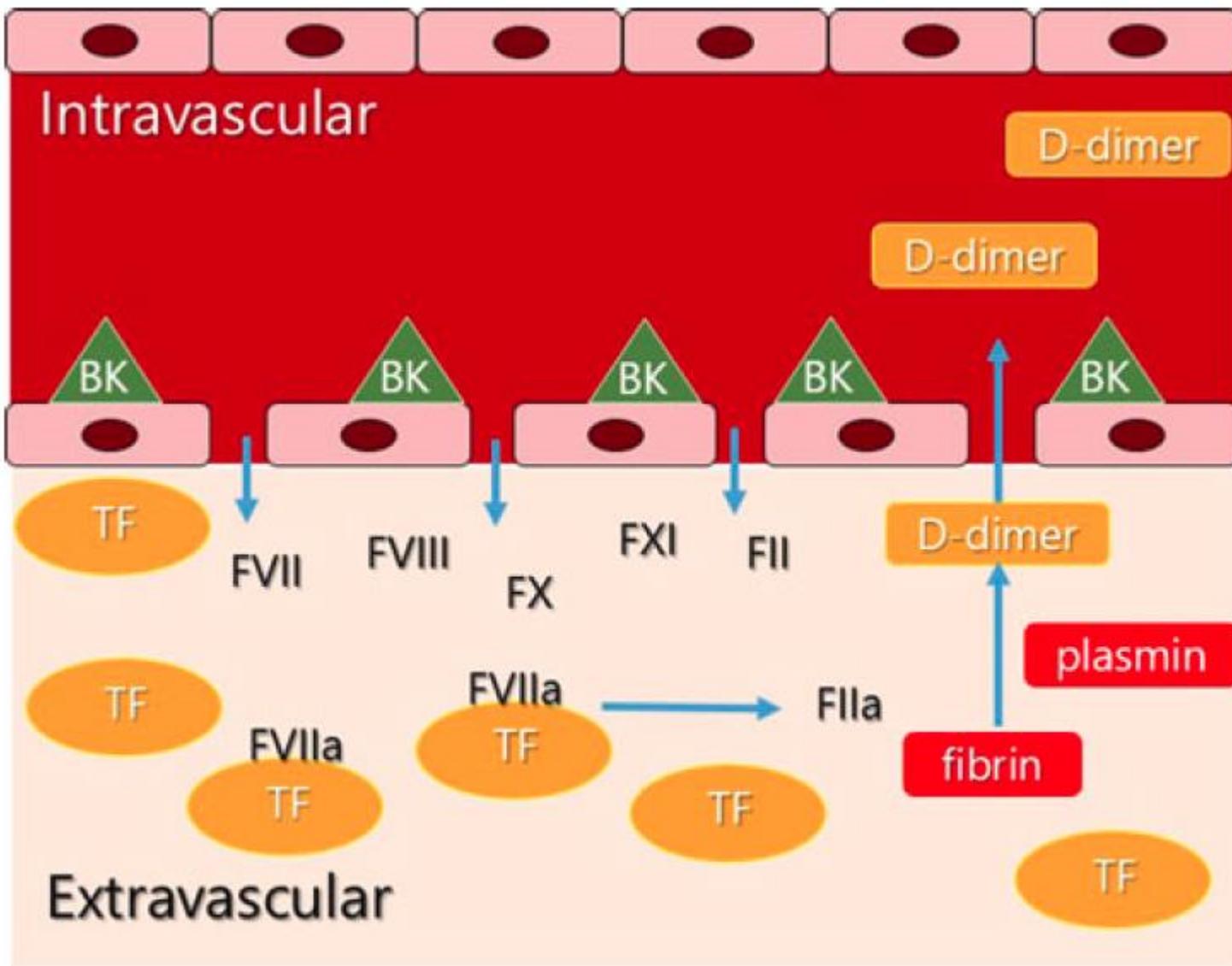


# Diagnosis

- No (?) available diagnostic tests
- to distinguish histaminerg from bradykinergic angioedema
- Nor to establish activation in eg C1INH def patients
- Search for biomarker
  - Histaminerg: tryptase, MH, MIMA
  - Prostaglandin: PGD2
  - Bradykin: ? D-dimer(?)



**Fig. 6** Schematic representation of the plasma enzyme systems, including a summary of our results. Grey arrows show the difference between healthy subjects and the symptom-free C1-INH-HAE patients, whereas black arrows show the difference between the symptom-free and the "during attack" period of the same patient. Dotted lines highlight those parameters that were analysed in our study. → The symbol indicates an inhibitory effect



# Diagnosis based on clinical data

Table II. Differential features of bradykinin and histamine-mediated angioedema.

| Angioedema features        | Bradykinin-mediated angioedema   | Histamine-mediated angioedema                                   |
|----------------------------|--|---|
| Clinical features          | Non-erythematous, non-pruritic   | Erythematous, pruritic  |
| Time of onset/Duration     | Slower onset/48–96 hours (up to 5 days)  | Rapid onset/24–48 hours   |
| Cutaneous rash             | Without urticaria, sometimes erythema marginatum   | Commonly associates urticaria                                   |
| Response to treatment      | Unresponsive to antihistamines, corticoids, and epinephrine<br>Response to pdhC1-inhibitor/icatibant/ecallantide | Responsive to antihistamines, corticoids, and epinephrine       |
| Personal or family history | Personal or familiar history of HAE (25% <i>de novo</i> mutations)   | Frequent personal or familiar history of atopy (but not always) |

HAE = hereditary angioedema.

**Bradykinine**

*Erythema marginatum*

**vs**

**Histamine**

*Urticaria*



## ANGIOEDEMA WITHOUT URTICARIA

Possible allergenic trigger,  
pruritic, erythematous, quick  
onset, history of atopy  
(Histamine-mediated  
suspected)

White, cold, non-pruritic, slow  
onset, ACEi treatment,  
estrogens  
(Bradykinin-mediated  
suspected)

Confirmed diagnosis of HAE,  
family history of HAE or  
previous attacks that did not  
resolve with antihistamines,  
corticosteroids and  
epinephrine

Antihistamines, corticosteroids  
and epinephrine treatment\*

Good response  
**HISTAMINE MEDIATED  
ANGIOEDEMA**  
Refer to allergist

No response  
Treat as Bradykinin mediated  
angioedema \*\*

**BRADYKININ MEDIATED  
ANGIOEDEMA**

Life-threatening symptoms:  
stabilize patient and hospitalize  
to ICU  
Treatment with plasma derived  
C1 inhibitor or bradykinin  
receptor antagonist (icatibant)  
or plasma kallikrein inhibitor  
(ecallantide)

Refer to allergist

# Lab evaluatie angio-oedeem

|               | C1-INH     | C1-INH Activiteit | C3 | C4   | C1q  |
|---------------|------------|-------------------|----|------|------|
| HAE type I    | laag       | laag              | nl | laag | nl   |
| HAE type II   | nl of hoog | laag              | nl | laag | nl   |
| HAE type III  | nl         | nl                | nl | nl   | nl   |
| AAE type I    | laag       | laag              | nl | laag | laag |
| AAE type II   | nl of laag | laag              | nl | laag | laag |
| Allergisch AE | nl         | nl                | nl | nl   | nl   |
| Idiopathisch  | nl         | nl                | nl | nl   | nl   |

HAE = Hereditair angio-oedeem

AAE = Verworven angio-oedeem

AE = angio-oedeem

C1-INH = C1-esteraseremmer

# Evaluatie angio-oedeem bij verdenking HAE/AAE

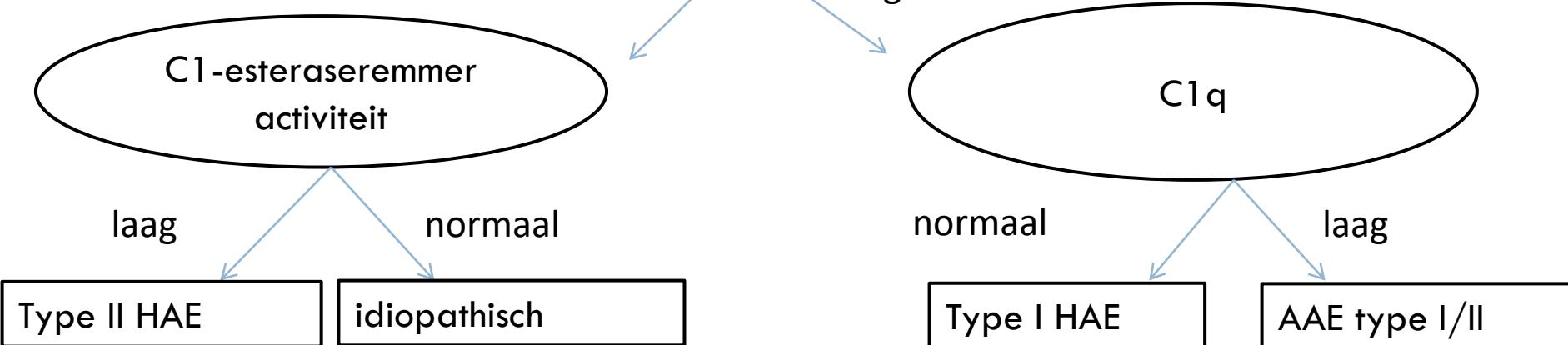
Stap 1.



Stap 2.



Stap 3.



HAE = Hereditair angio-oedeem

AAE = Verworven angio-oedeem



# Behandel mogelijkheden

## Key messages

- Angioedema develops mainly as a result of the release of two different vasoactive peptides, histamine or bradykinin.
- Nevertheless clinical presentation may be similar.
- Thus, angioedema evaluation in the emergency department (ED) should aim to distinguish between histamine- and bradykinin-induced angioedema, in order to provide patients with appropriate treatment, which is substantially different in each case.

# Biomarkers

- Histamine metabolieten (MH en MIMA)
- Tryptase
- D-dimeer

# Implicaties voor chronische behandeling

## Histaminerg

- Histamine receptor blokkers
  - H1
  - H2
- Leukotrienen antagonisten
- Corticosteroïden

## Bradykinine

- tranexaminezuur

# Future

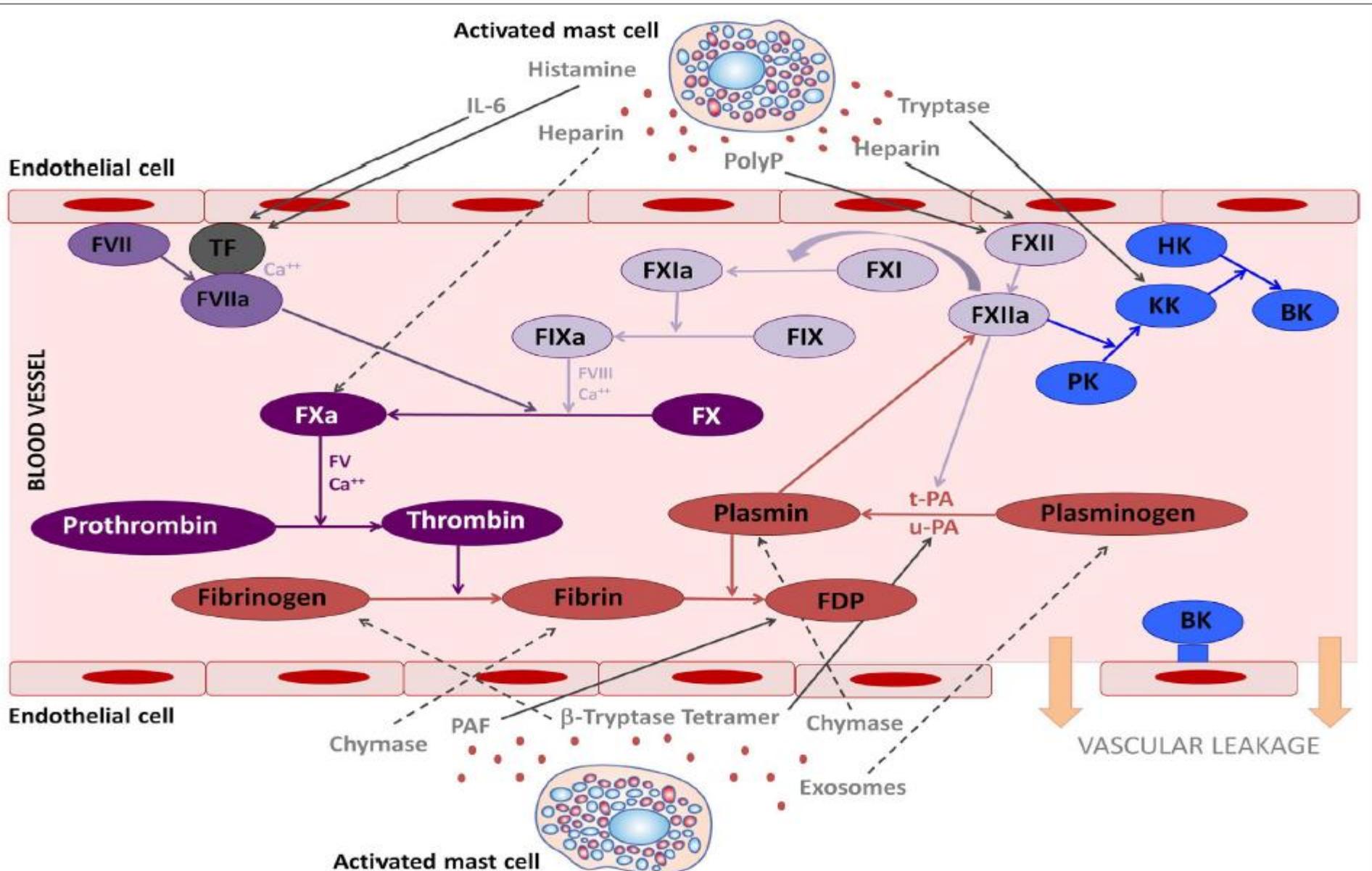
- Search for biomarker
- Better and more specified treatment options

# Hereditary Angioedema

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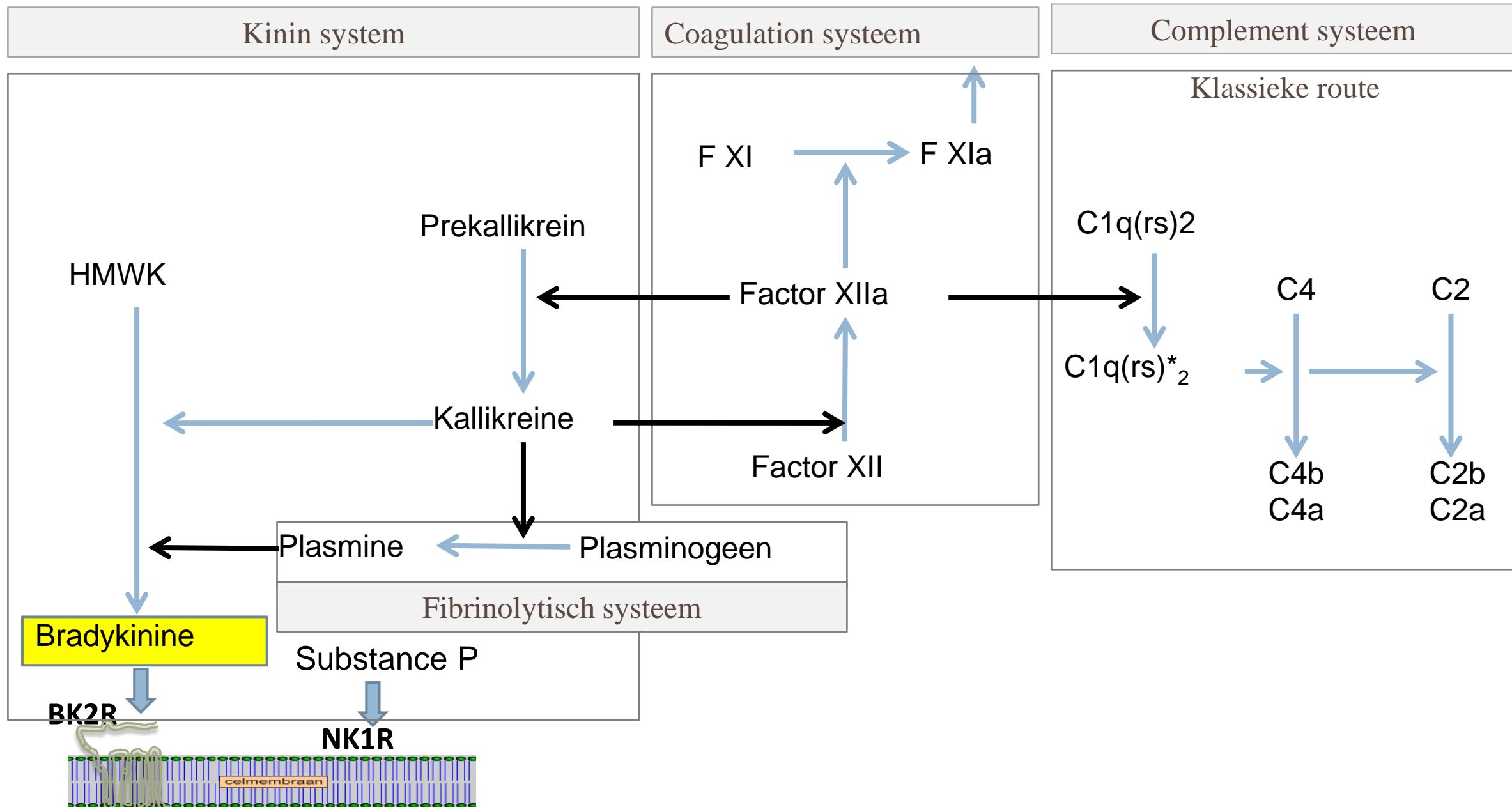
- Replacement with C1 INH : (FFP\*) **Cetor\***/Cynryze, Berinert, Rhucin
- Stimulation of biosynthesis : **Danazol\***
- Reduced consumption : (**Tranexamic acid Cyklokapron \***)
- Inhibition of mediators : **Ecallantide, Icatibant\***

□ \*available in the Netherlands

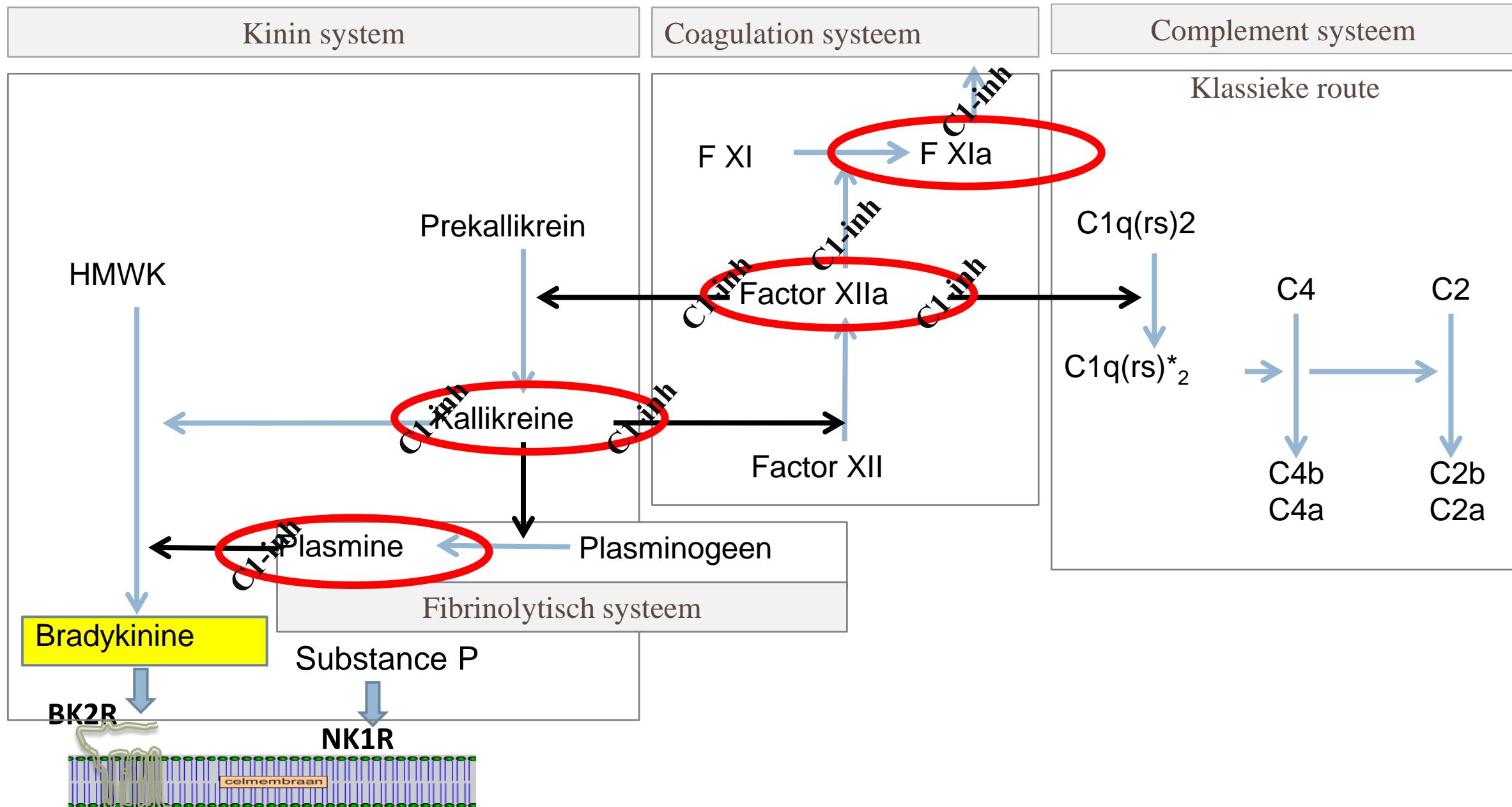


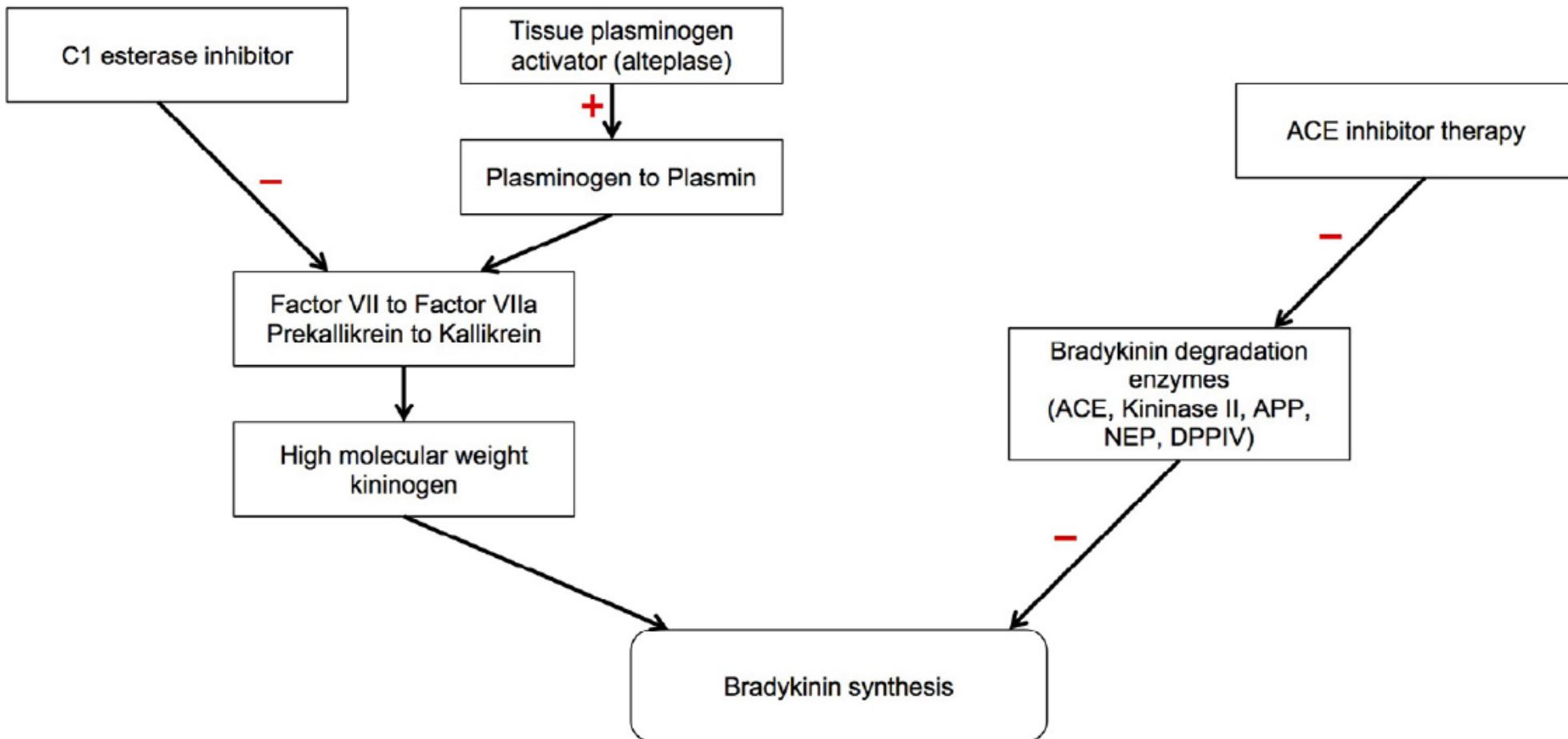
**FIGURE 1 |** The involvement of mast cell mediators in the coagulation and kallikrein–kinin system. The figure illustrates the effects that mast cell mediators released upon activation during anaphylaxis exert in the kallikrein–kinin, coagulation, and fibrinolytic systems. Solid lines represent activated pathways. Dashed lines are inhibitory pathways. Kinin-forming system factors are represented in blue; the fibrinolytic system is represented in red; the common coagulation pathway in dark purple; the extrinsic coagulation pathway in medium purple; the intrinsic coagulation pathway in light purple. PolyP, polyphosphates; TF, tissue factor; PK, prekallikrein; KK, Kallikrein; BK, bradykinin; HK, high molecular-weight kininogen; tPA, tissue plasminogen activator; uPA, urokinase plasminogen activator;

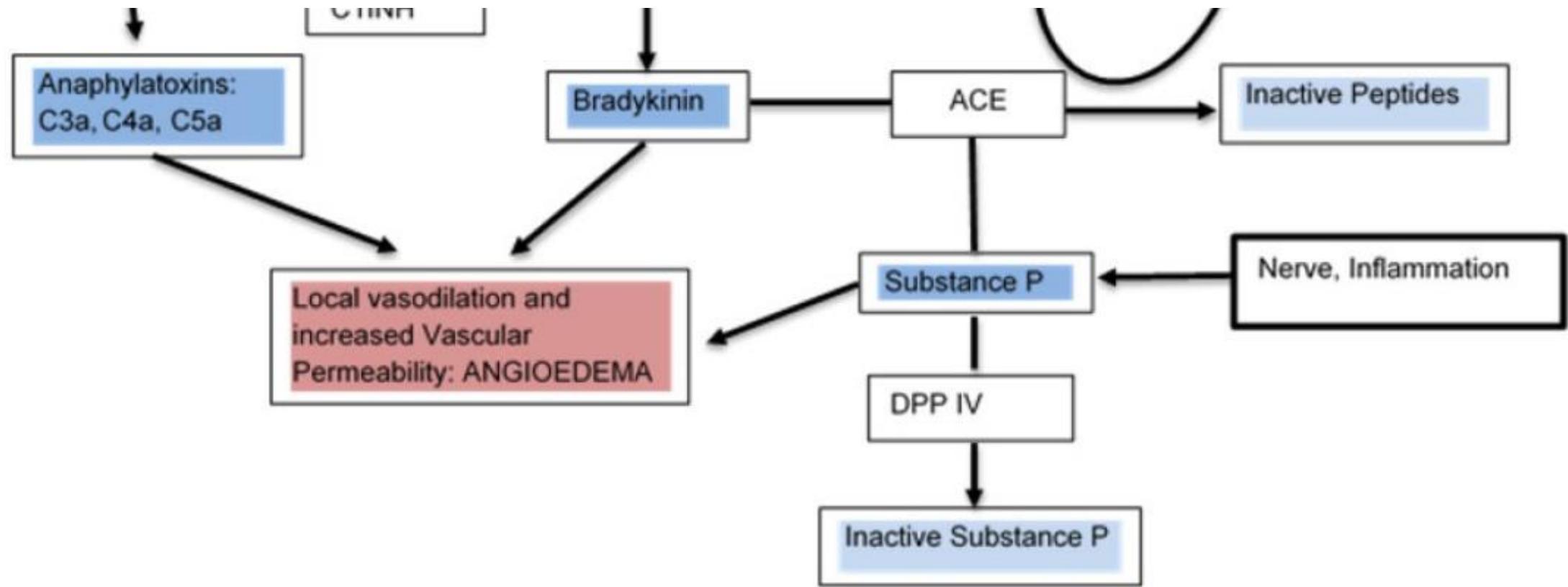
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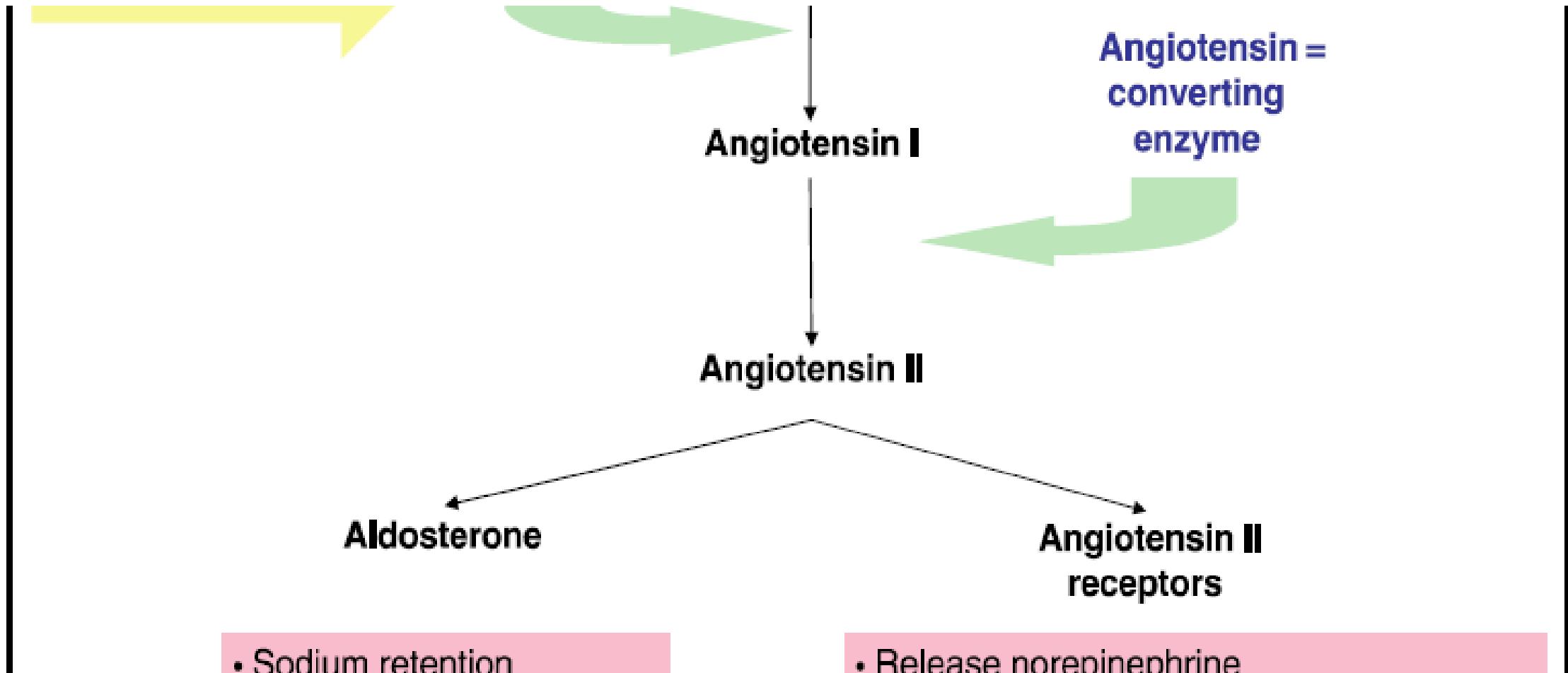
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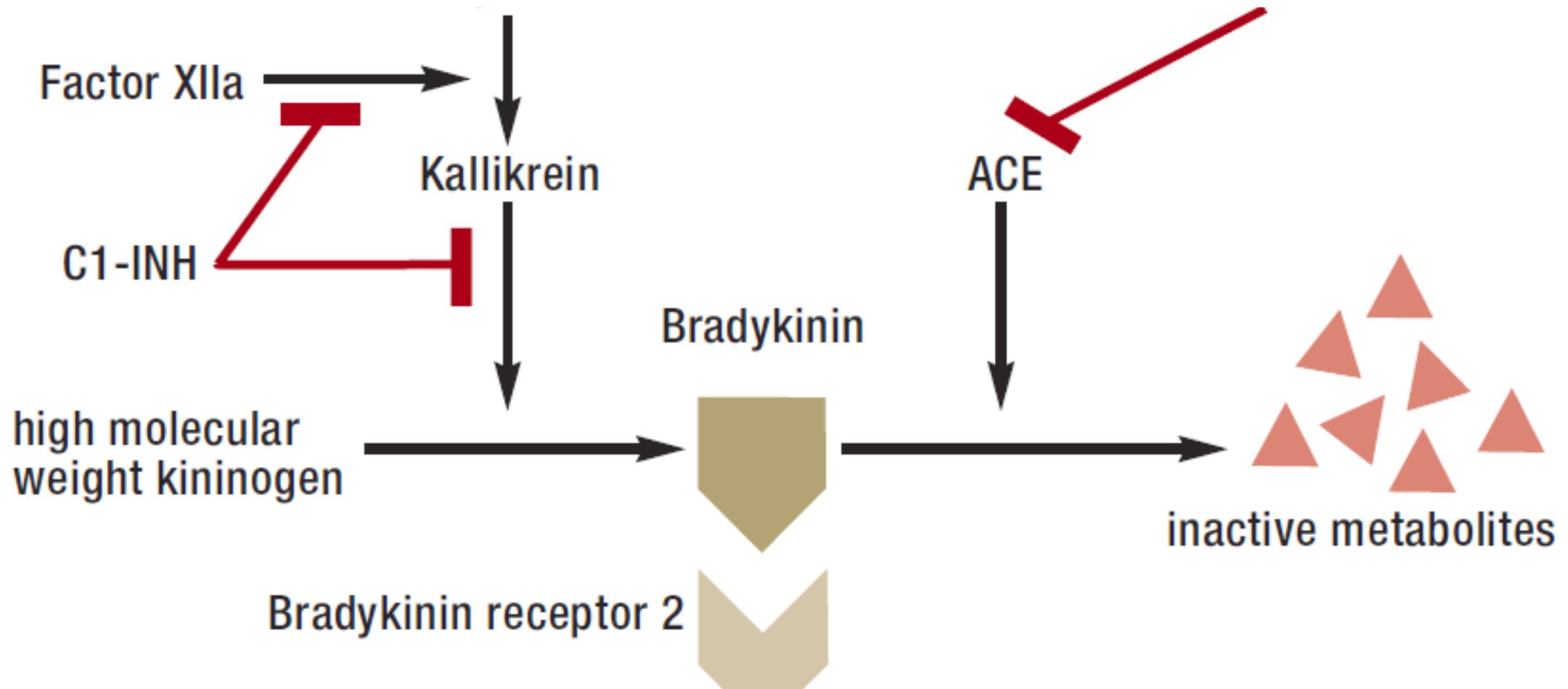






**FIGURE 1: Interaction of kallikrein-kinin system (KKS) and renin-**





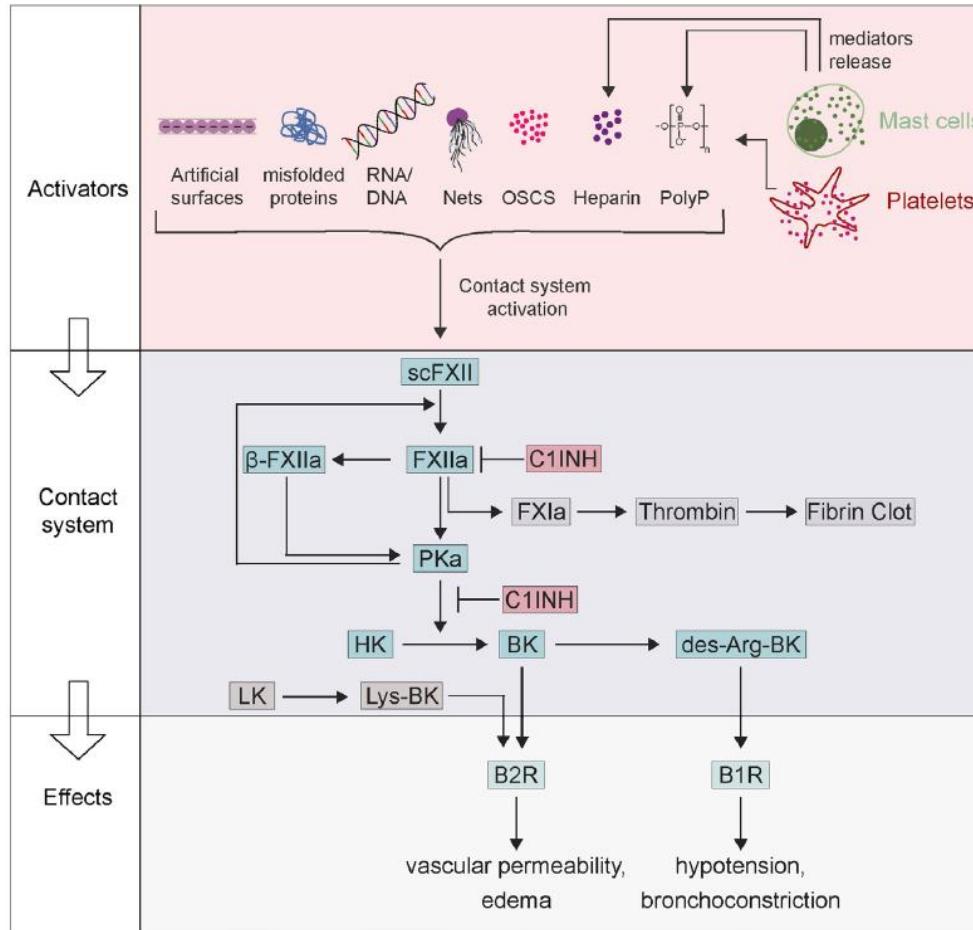
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## Factor XII-Driven Inflammatory Reactions with Implications for Anaphylaxis

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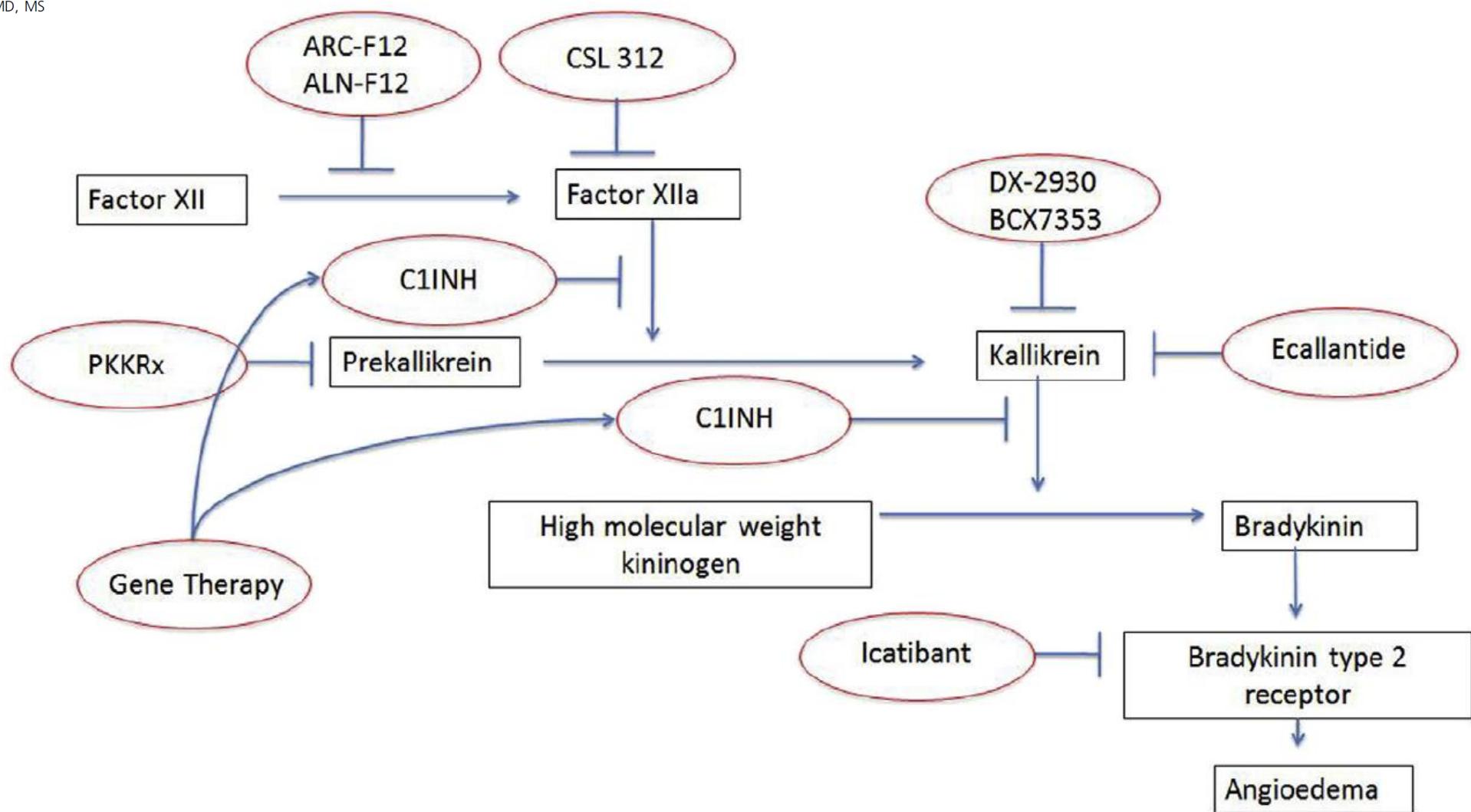
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**FIGURE 1 |** Factor XII (FXII)-driven contact system in activation of anaphylaxis. Zymogen scFXII becomes activated to FXIIa either by endogenous activators [misfolded proteins, RNA/DNA, neutrophil extracellular traps (NETs), polyP, oversulfated chondroitin sulfate-contaminated heparin (OSCS-heparin) and heparin] or by artificial surfaces. Anaphylaxis can activate mast cells with the release of their mediators (polyP and heparin), which also leads to FXIIa. FXIIa proceeds to activate prekallikrein, which reciprocally cleaves both FXIIa into  $\beta$ -FXIIa and high-molecular-weight kininogen (HK) to bradykinin (BK). BK binds receptor B2 (B2R) and triggers inflammation, edema, and symptoms of anaphylaxis. BK can be further proceeding to des-Arg-BK and mediates B1 receptor (B1R) activation resulting in hypotension and bronchoconstriction. The contact system can be inhibited by the C1INH that inhibits both FXIIa and plasma kallikrein.

# Emerging Therapies in Hereditary Angioedema

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**Fig. 1.** Pathogenesis of bradykinin-mediated angioedema with targets for existing and developing therapies. C1INH, complement component 1 inhibitor.

