

Supplementary Online Content

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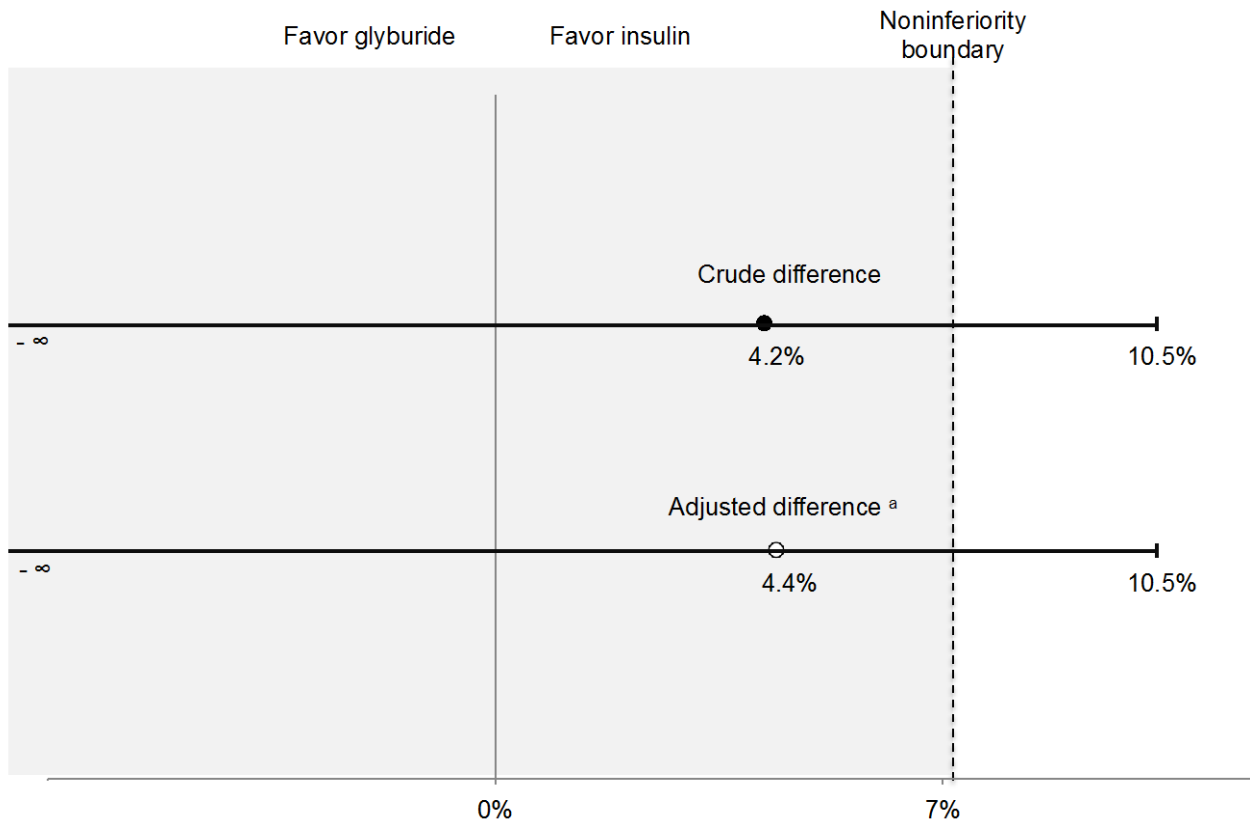
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This supplementary material has been provided by the authors to give readers additional information about their work.

eFigure. Confidence Interval of the Difference of the Composite Criterion Rates and Noninferiority Margin



^a adjustment for multiparity and gestational age at treatment

Differences are (glyburide rate) – (insulin rate)

Solid lines are the confidence intervals and their boundaries. Sample sizes are N=367 and N=442 in the Glyburide and in the insulin group respectively

Dashed line indicates noninferiority margin; grey-tinted region in the left of 7% indicates values for which glyburide would be considered noninferior to insulin.

The interpretation is therefore that this study fails to reject the null hypothesis that glyburide is non-inferior to insulin because the confidence intervals cross the a priori non-inferiority boundary of 7%.

eTable 1. Primary and Secondary Intention-to-Treat Analysis

| | Glyburide n = 448 | Insulin n = 442 | Difference, % (95% CI) | P Value ^a |
|--|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Primary outcome | | | | |
| Neonatal composite criterion, No. (%) | 123 (27.5) | 103 (23.3) | 4.2 (-∞ to 10.0) ^b | 0.17 ^c |
| Neonatal secondary outcomes | | | | |
| Admission to NICU ^d before 48 h of life, No. (%) | 11 (2.2) | 11 (2.4) | 0.2 (-2.4 to 2.3) | 0.96 |
| Admission to neonatal ward ^e , No. (%) | 36 (7.9) | 34 (8.2) | -0.3 (-4.2 to 4.8) | 0.87 |
| Severe respiratory distress syndrome, No (%) | 9 (1.8) | 11 (2.2) | -0.4 (-2.7 to 1.8) | 0.62 |
| Birth injury, No. (%) | 7 (1.5) | 9 (1.9) | -0.5 (-2.4 to 1.3) | 0.59 |
| Shoulder dystocia, No | 1 | 2 | | |
| Bone fracture, No | 1 | 6 | | |
| Nerve palsy, No | 2 | 0 | | |
| Other ^f , No | 3 | 1 | | |
| Ponderal index ^g , mean (SD) | 2.75 (0.04) | 2.74 (0.04) | 0.01 (-0.06 to 0.09) | 0.43 |
| pH < 7, No. (%) | 2 (0.5) | 2 (0.5) | 0.0 (-1.0 to 1.0) | 0.98 |
| Lactates, mmol/L ^h , No. (%) | | | | 0.25 |
| < 6 | 220 (81.8) | 219 (82.3) | -0.5 (-7.1 to 6.0) | |
| [6 – 9[| 36 (13.4) | 41 (15.4) | -2.0 (-8.0 to 3.9) | |
| > 9 | 13 (4.8) | 6 (2.3) | 2.6 (-0.6 to 5.7) | |
| Maternal secondary outcomes | | | | |
| Glycemic control during pregnancy ⁱ | | | | |
| Fasting blood glucose > 0.95 g/L, No. (%) | | | | 0.29 |
| good: ≤ 20% | 283 (66.3) | 264 (63.2) | 3.1 (-3.3 to 9.6) | |
| moderate or fair: [20% to 40%] | 88 (20.6) | 83 (19.9) | -0.7 (-4.7 to 6.2) | |
| poor: > 40% | 56 (13.1) | 71 (17.0) | -3.9 (-8.7 to 1.0) | |
| Postprandial blood glucose >1.20 g/L, No. (%) | | | | 0.39 |
| good: ≤ 20% | 217 (50.8) | 206 (49.3) | 1.5 (-5.2 to 8.3) | |
| moderate or fair: [20% to 40%] | 152 (35.6) | 165 (39.5) | -3.9 (-10.4 to 2.7) | |
| poor: > 40% | 58 (13.6) | 47 (11.2) | 2.3 (-2.1 to 6.8) | |
| Maternal hypoglycemia: at least one fasting or post prandial glycaemia < 0.6 g/L during pregnancy, No. (%) | 117 (30.1) | 13 (3.6) | 26.5 (17.6 to 35.3) | <0.001 |
| Preterm delivery, No. (%) | 29 (6.2) | 18 (4.0) | 2.3 (-1.1 to 5.6) | 0.12 |
| Mode of delivery | | | | 0.26 |
| Spontaneous Vaginal, No. (%) | 255 (56.9) | 251 (56.8) | 0.1 (-6.4 to 6.6) | |
| Assisted Vaginal, No. (%) | 73 (16.3) | 67 (15.2) | 1.1 (-3.7 to 5.9) | |
| Elective Cesarean section, No. (%) | 49 (10.9) | 66 (14.9) | -4.0 (-8.4 to 0.4) | |
| Emergency Cesarean section, No. (%) | 71 (15.9) | 58 (13.1) | 2.7 (-1.9 to 7.4) | |
| Any perineal trauma, No. (%) | 3 (0.7) | 1 (0.2) | 0.5 (-0.8 to 1.7) | 0.35 |
| Maternal satisfaction: Preferred treatment for a future pregnancy ^j | | | | <0.001 |
| Glyburide, No. (%) | 227 (72.3) | 125 (43.6) | 28.7 (21.2 to 36.3) | |
| Insulin, No. (%) | 30 (9.6) | 57 (19.9) | -10.3 (-16.1 to -4.7) | |
| Unknown, No. (%) | 57 (18.2) | 105 (36.6) | -18.4 (-25.5 to -11.4) | |

^a P value of the test of the coefficient of the mixed effects model used to account for multiple centers: logistic for qualitative variables, linear for quantitative ones

^b Confidence interval for the primary outcome represents a 1-sided 97.5% CI

^c P Value of the non-inferiority test

^d Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

^e Unit where the less sick newborns are hospitalized, the more severely ill are in the NICU

^f glyburide group: facial hematoma, serosanguine hump, scalp wound ; insulin group: serosanguine hump

^g Ponderal Index (100*birth weight (g) / size (cm)³) may increase when quality maternal glycemic control decreases. The usual 10th, 50th, and 90th percentiles of ponderal index are 2.2, 2.6 and 3.1

^h Lactate was known for 60% of newborns in both groups

ⁱ percentage of blood glucose concentrations greater than the thresholds: 0.95 g/L for fasting and 1.20 g/L for two hours postprandial. Missing data: 21 in the glyburide group, 24 in the insulin group

^j n=605 (68.0%) responses

eTable 2. Complementary Post Hoc Intention-to-Treat Analyses

| | Glyburide n = 448 | Insulin n = 442 | Difference, % (95% CI) | P Value ^a |
|--|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Composite criterion components | | | | |
| Macrosomia, No. (%) | 75 (16.7) | 65 (14.8) | 2.0 (-3.1 to 7.1) | 0.41 |
| Hypoglycemia, No. (%) | 50 (10.9) | 32 (7.2) | 3.8 (-0.3 to 7.9) | 0.045 |
| Hyperbilirubinemia, No. (%) | 17 (3.8) | 14 (3.1) | 0.6 (-1.8 to 3.1) | 0.61 |
| Neonatal outcomes | | | | |
| Birth weight, mean (SD), g | 3349 (497) | 3331 (476) | 18 (-47 to 81) | 0.60 |
| Birth weight > 4000g, No. (%) | 40 (9.3) | 28 (6.6) | 2.7 (-1.9 to 7.2) | 0.14 |
| APGAR ≤ 7 at 5 min, No. (%) | 5 (1.1) | 11 (2.5) | -1.4 (-3.1 to 0.04) | 0.13 |
| Reason for admission to NICU ^b before 48 h of life | | | | |
| Severe respiratory distress syndrome, No | 9 | 11 | | |
| Other reason ^c , No | 2 | 0 | | |
| Maternal outcomes | | | | |
| Insulin dose received, mean (SD), units/day ^g | - | 19.6 (14.6) | | |
| Glyburide dose received, mean (SD), mg/day ^g | 5.6 (3.5) | - | | |
| Maternal hypoglycemia: at least one fasting or post prandial glycaemia < 0.4 g/L during pregnancy, No. (%) | 16 (3.8) | 4 (1.0) | 2.8 (0.4 to 5.4) | 0.013 |

^a P value of the test of the coefficient of the mixed effects model used to account for multiple centers: logistic for qualitative variables, linear for quantitative ones

^b Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

^c 1 malformation and 1 maternal/fetal infection

^g Mean doses were calculated from diagnosis to delivery