

Table 19. ICH absolute risks ⁶¹⁶

General population (mean age: 70 years)	0.15%/year
Aspirin (any dose)	
Atrial fibrillation	0.2%/year
Cerebrovascular disease	0.3%/year
Aspirin plus clopidogrel	
Atrial fibrillation	0.3%/year
Cerebrovascular disease	0.4%/year
Anticoagulation (INR 2.5)	
Atrial fibrillation	0.3%-0.6%/year
Cerebrovascular disease	0.4%-1.0%/year
Anticoagulation (INR 2.5) plus aspirin	0.5%-1.0%/year

Adapted from: Hart RG, Tonarelli SB, Pearce LA. Avoiding central nervous system bleeding during antithrombotic therapy: recent data and ideas. *Stroke*. 2005;36:1588-93.