

INDICATION

Calculates the 1 year stroke, TIA or systemic embolism risk for patients with non-valvular AF and guides use of anticoagulation.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Note the decrease in risk between scores 7 and 8. These were findings in the original study, however general belief is greater score equals greater risk.

INTERPRETATION

SCORE	RISK*	RECOMMENDATION
0	0.3%	Anticoagulation not recommended
1	0.9%	Male: Anticoagulation recommended Female: Anticoagulation not recommended
2	2.9%	
3	4.6%	
4	6.7%	
5	10%	
6	13.6%	Anticoagulation recommended
7	15.7%	
8	15.2%	
9	17.4%	

CALCULATION

Total score = sum of scores for each question

Age	<65	+0
	65-74	+1
	≥75	+2
Sex	Male	+0
	Female	+1
Congestive heart failure	Yes	+1
	No	+0
Hypertension Hx	Yes	+1
	No	+0
Stroke / TIA / Thromboembolism Hx	Yes	+2
	No	+0
Vascular disease (MI / PAD) Hx	Yes	+1
	No	+0
Diabetes Hx	Yes	+1
	No	+0