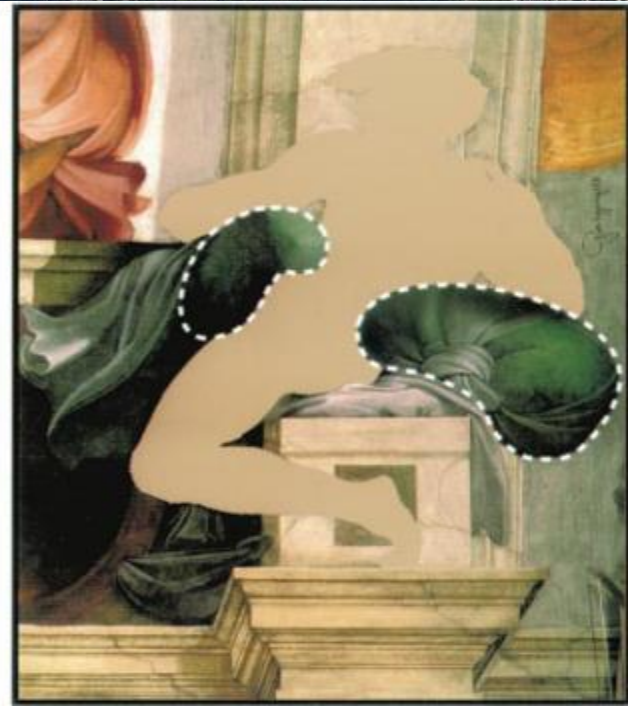






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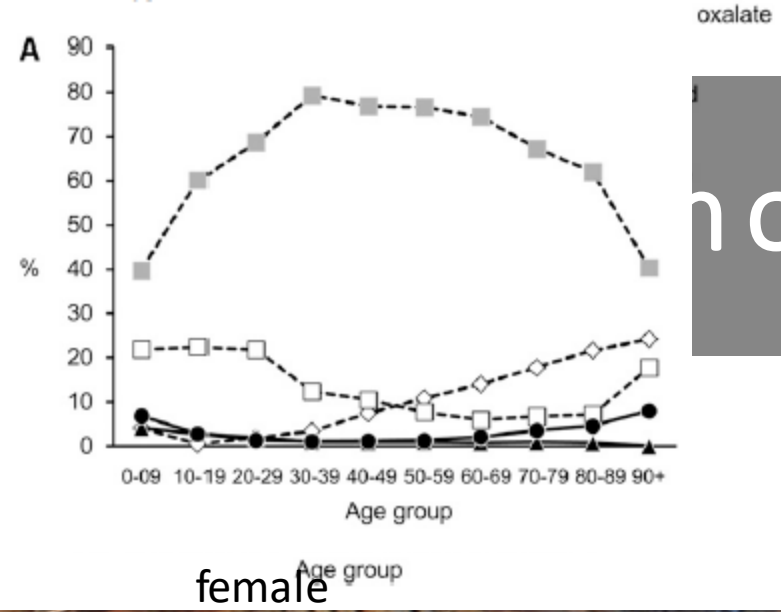
# Urolithiasis



- 10%: life time prevalence (increasing)
- 5% of patients who have US or CT: Asymptomatic incidental stones
- 10-30% of asymptomatic stone will develop symptoms or undergo a procedure < 5 yr
- 26% of first symptomatic stone will recurrence < 5 yr
- Stone analysis & blood sample in all first stone
- Metabolic evaluation: early onset, fam history, recurrent stones, brushite, uric acid, solitary kidney, underlying diseases (obesity, CF, Crohn,..)

Type and main component	%
Calcium oxalate monohydrate papillary calculi	12.9
	
Calcium oxalate monohydrate unattached calculi (formed in renal cavities)	16.4
	
Calcium oxalate dihydrate unattached calculi	33.8
	
Calcium oxalate dihydrate/hydroxyapatite mixed unattached calculi	11.2
	

Hydroxyapatite unattached calculi	7.1
	
Struvite infectious calculi	4.1
Brushite unattached calculi	0.6
	
Uric acid unattached calculi	8.2
	
Calcium oxalate/uric acid mixed calculi	2.6
Cystine unattached calculi	1.1
Unfrequent calculi	1.9



female

male

# Underlying determining factors...

- Calciumoxalate: hypercalciuria, hyperuricosuria, hypocitraturia, hyperoxaluria
- Calciumphosphate (brushite, hydroxyapatite, carbonate apatite): hypercalciuria, hypocitraturia, high urinary pH
- Struvite: UTI, high urinary pH
- Uric acid: low urinary pH, MS, DM
- Cystine, xantine, 2,8 dihydroxyadenine: genetic

# Treatment



**TABLE 3. Values of urine volume and relative supersaturation of lithogenous salts during the baseline and followup interval in groups 1 and 2**

	Baseline	Followup Interval (Yrs.)				
		1	2	3	4	5
<b>Vol. (ml./24 hrs.):</b>						
Group 1	1,068 ± 240	2,127 ± 546 p < 0.0001	2,261 ± 575 p < 0.0001	2,611 ± 683 p < 0.0001	2,654 ± 587 p < 0.0001	2,621 ± 443 p < 0.0001
Group 2	1,008 ± 231	1,258 ± 292	1,183 ± 271	1,032 ± 256	1,005 ± 183	1,014 ± 195
<b>Calcium oxalate, relative supersaturation:</b>						
Group 1	10.1 ± 4.9	5.2 ± 3.2 p < 0.0001	4.4 ± 2.9 p < 0.0001	4.0 ± 2.4 p < 0.0001	3.5 ± 2.0 p < 0.0001	2.6 ± 0.8 p < 0.0001
Group 2	11.2 ± 5.3	8.1 ± 5.2	9.5 ± 5.2	10.2 ± 4.7	10.2 ± 3.3	9.9 ± 3.4
<b>Brushite, relative supersaturation:</b>						
Group 1	1.6 ± 1.24	0.97 ± 0.99	0.84 ± 0.72 p < 0.001	0.65 ± 0.58 p < 0.0001	0.54 ± 0.36 p < 0.0001	0.48 ± 0.24 p < 0.0001
Group 2	1.82 ± 1.67	1.22 ± 1.06	1.33 ± 1.16	1.60 ± 1.14	1.60 ± 0.90	1.58 ± 0.99
<b>Uric acid, relative supersaturation:</b>						
Group 1	3.48 ± 2.95	1.72 ± 1.49 p < 0.001	1.29 ± 1.19	1.15 ± 0.93	0.80 ± 0.52	0.60 ± 0.35
Group 2	3.64 ± 3.08	2.66 ± 2.3				

Control values of the relative supersaturations in 101 healthy controls were 5.87 : acid.

**TABLE 4. Urinary stone risk profile during the baseline period in calcium stone patients with and without relapse in groups 1 and 2**

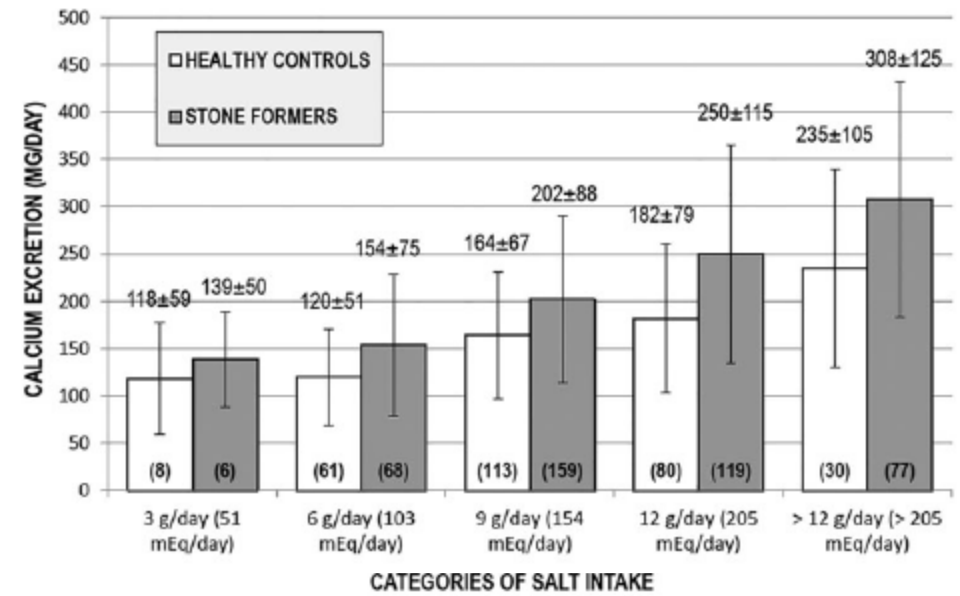
	Group 1		Group 2	
	No Relapse (87 pts.)	Relapse (12 pts.)	No Relapse (73 pts.)	Relapse (27 pts.)
Vol. (ml./24 hrs.)	1,051 ± 232	1,191 ± 275	987 ± 242	1,064 ± 189
Creatinine (mg./24 hrs.)	1,450 ± 308	1,623 ± 397	1,419 ± 407	1,584 ± 365
Urea (gm./24 hrs.)	22.8 ± 7.9	24.4 ± 9.8	23.3 ± 7.2	23.7 ± 6.7
Sodium (mmol./24 hrs.)	156 ± 53	175 ± 43	158 ± 49	175 ± 69
Potassium (mmol./24 hrs.)	47 ± 14	45 ± 12	46 ± 15	50 ± 16
Calcium (mg./24 hrs.)	233 ± 100	326 ± 140	249 ± 107	313 ± 113
Phosphorus (mg./24 hrs.)	705 ± 220	708 ± 331	673 ± 273	661 ± 201
Magnesium (mg./24 hrs.)	84 ± 31	96 ± 35	86 ± 32	94 ± 35
Chloride (mmol./24 hrs.)	159 ± 55	173 ± 36	153 ± 51	177 ± 63
Uric acid (mg./24 hrs.)	579 ± 162	659 ± 294	565 ± 189	591 ± 264
Citrate (mg./24 hrs.)	517 ± 212	478 ± 173	529 ± 262	532 ± 255
Oxalate (mg./24 hrs.)	28.5 ± 8.8	30.1 ± 13.9	28.1 ± 10.1	30.2 ± 11.6
Sulfate (mmol./24 hrs.)	19.8 ± 5.1	24.6 ± 8.4	20.2 ± 5.6	21 ± 7.3
Ammonium (mmol./24 hrs.)	35 ± 10	38 ± 12	34 ± 13	36 ± 11
pH (24 hrs.)	5.92 ± 0.48	5.80 ± 0.53	5.91 ± 0.54	5.88 ± 0.42
<b>Relative supersaturation:</b>				
Calcium oxalate	10.1 ± 4.9	10.9 ± 5.0	10.9 ± 5.1	12.2 ± 5.9
Brushite	1.56 ± 1.15	1.88 ± 1.81	1.81 ± 1.58	1.85 ± 1.93
Uric acid	3.38 ± 2.93	4.24 ± 3.08	3.82 ± 3.38	3.16 ± 2.03

# Hypercalciuria

- Def:  $>4\text{mg/kg/day}$  ( $>0.1\text{ mmol/kg/day}$ ) in normal 24-h urine sample
- Kidney stones, nephrocalcinosis, CKD and osteoporosis
- Etiology:
  1. Increased filtered load? (hypercalcemia)
  2. Dietary (salt intake)
  3. Absorptive (GI)
  4. Resorptive (bone)
  5. Renal leak



## FEMALES



associated with  
especially in stone formers

## Salt reduction is important in SF

- Kidney stone formers
  - ↓100 mmol Na/d → Urinary calcium ↓ 2 mmol/d
- Non-stone formers
  - ↓100 mmol Na/d → Urinary calcium ↓ 1 mmol/d

Salt intake → hypervolemia → sodium and calcium reabsorption ↓ (Ca handling depends on Na)

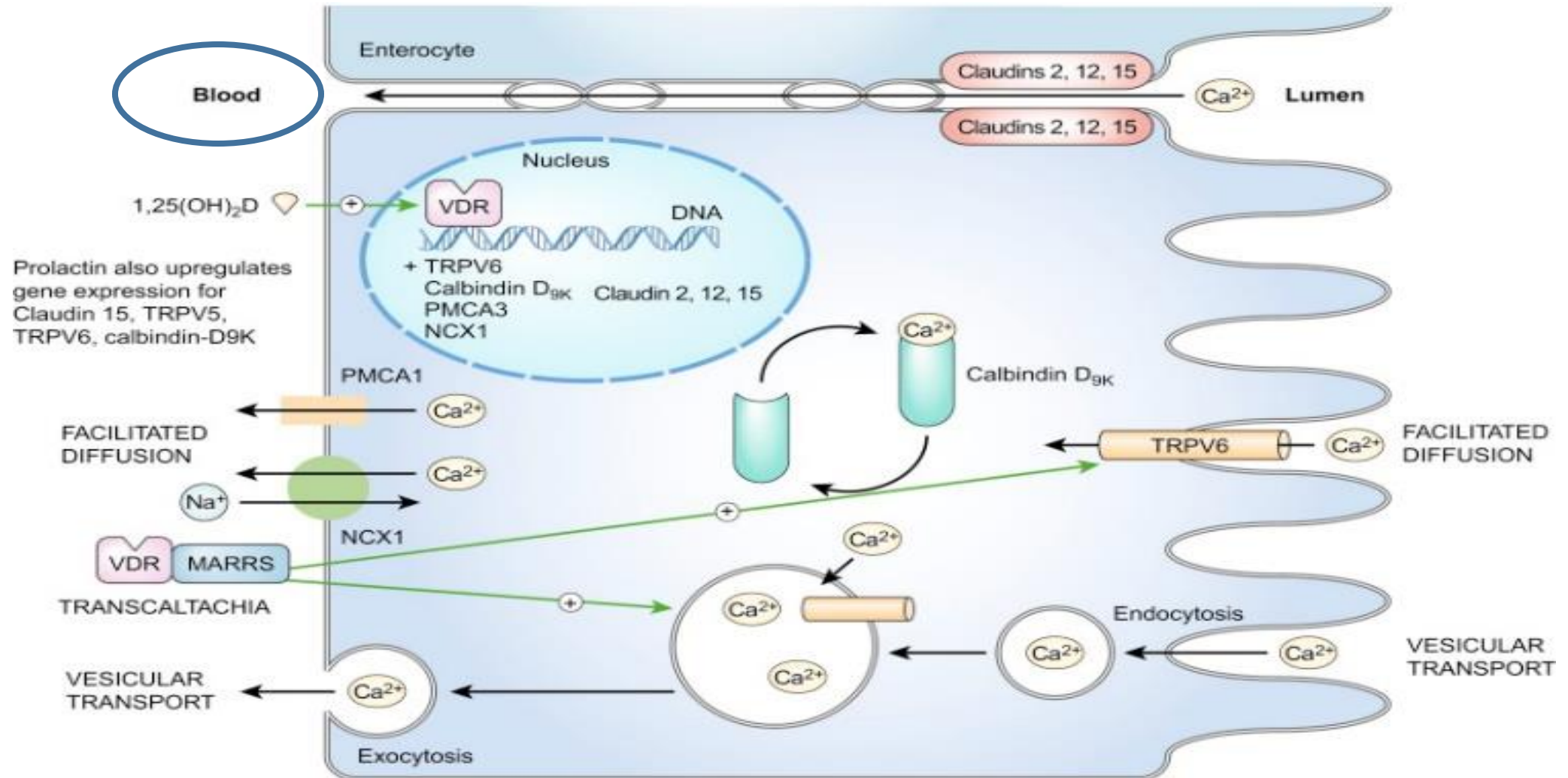
# High protein intake is associated with hypercalciuria

- Unknown mechanism
- High protein intake (Atkins diet) is associated with lower urinary pH, high net acid excretion, low urinary citrate and hypercalciuria (Reddy, 2000, AJKD)
  - Potassium citrate neutralized the acid load (increased urinary citrate) delivered by high protein diet but did not reduced hypercalciuria (Maalouf, 2011, J Clin End Met)

# Absorptive hypercalciuria

- Def: increase of urinary Ca/creatinine ratio ( $>0.5$  mmol/mol) after a calcium load, low PTH, high calcitriol
- Intestinal calcitriol activation (active Ca absorption via TRPV6)
  - Idiopathic or hypervitaminosis D (iatrogenic, sarcoidosis or genetic)
  - Homozygous mutations in the CYP24A1 (nephrocalcinosis) or SLC34A1/A3 (low phosphatemia: Hereditary Hypophosphatemic Rickets with Hypercalciuria)

# Calcium reabsorption in the GUT

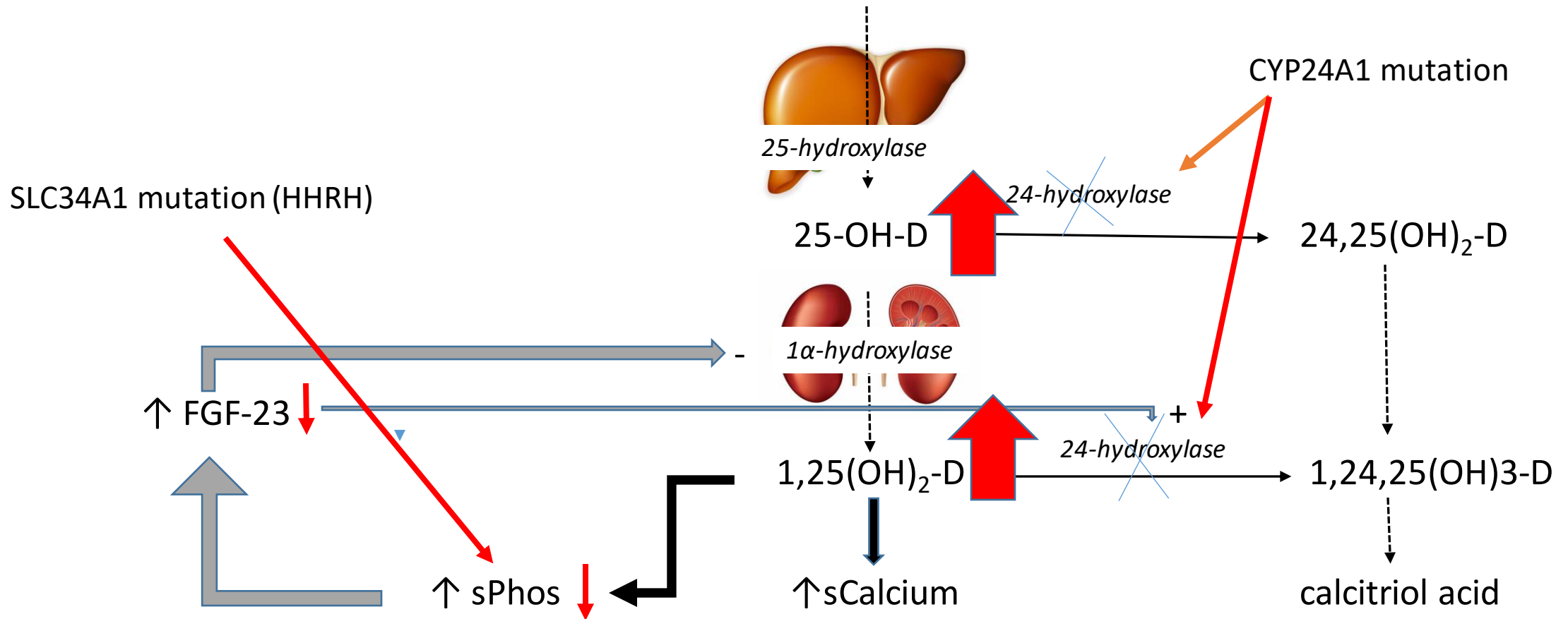


# Vit D metabolism

Diet, supplements

vitamin D

Skin



# Resorptive hypercalciuria

- Def: fasting urinary calcium/creatinine ratio  $> 0.4\text{mmol/mmol}$  and increase in bone markers and low BMD
- Etiology
  - PHP
  - HHRH
  - Immobilization
  - Chronic alcoholism
  - Coeliac disease
  - Corticoidtherapy
  - menopause

# Renal hypercalciuria

- Def (hard): normal or low calcium levels, high urinary fasting calcium/creatinine ratio and normal-high PTH (proteinuria, metabolic acidosis, hypomagnesemia)
- Etiology
  - Idiopathic
  - Tubular acidosis
  - HHRH (SCL34A1/A3, NHERF1)
  - Cacchi-Ricci
  - FHHNC syndrome (CLDN16/19)
  - Dent/Lowe disease (CLCN5/OCRL1)
  - Bartter syndrome (NKCC2, ROMK, CLCNKB, Barttine, CaSR)



# Treatment hypercalciuria

- Thiazide (side effects hypoNa, hypoK, hypotension, hyperglycemia and dyslipidemia) (Thiazide 25-50mg or indapamide 2,5mg od)
  - Mainly effective by salt restriction (Ca-Na reabsorption)
- Potassium citrate 5gr in 1 or 1,5L water daily
  - Decreasing intestinal calcium absorption, increasing calcium reabsorption distal tubuli and decreasing bone resorption.

# Vitamin D supplementation in vit D deficiency

- 1 year randomized placebo-controlled trial of vit D dose (400-4800 IU/d) in 163 postmenopausal women (calcium intake 1200mg/d in all groups)
- Hypercalciuria (>300mg/d) occurs in 30.6%
- Hypercalcemia (>10.2 mg/dl) occurs in 8.8%
- Hypercalcemia and hypercalciuria not related to vit D dose!

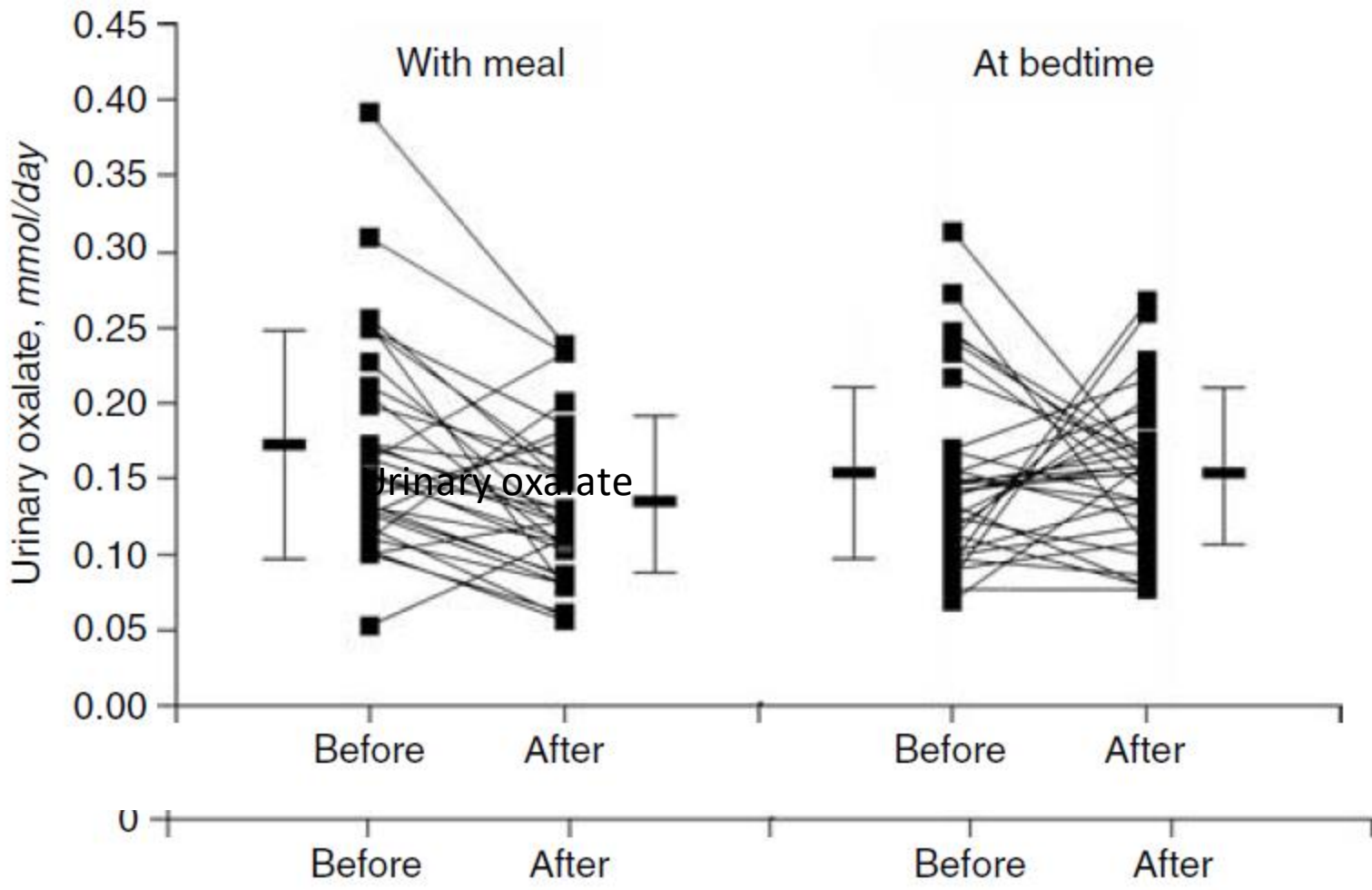
# Calcium/vit D intake and urolithiasis

## RCT

- WHI 36,282 postmenopausal women with baseline calcium intake 1100mg Ca
- 1gr CaCO<sub>3</sub>/400IU vit D versus Placebo
- Urolithiasis RR 1.19 (1.02-1.34 during 7 years FU)

## Observational study

- NHS 91,731 nurses age 34-59: 884 stones in 12 years of follow up
- Risk for urolithiasis:
  - 1.2 (1.01-1.41) with supplemental 1000mg calcium carbonate
  - 0.65 (0.50-0.83) with high dietary calcium intake



h meals vs.  
: bedtime

Urinary calcium

# Conclusions

## Calcium supplements

- Dietary Ca = safe (lower sCa, uCa, oxalate binding)
- Prefer calciumcitrate (oxalate binding, provides citrate)
- Mealtime = better (oxalate binding)

## Vit D repletion

- Daily and not monthly
- Cave in some stone formers (not in sarcoidosis and CYP24A1 mutations): metabolic bilan

# Hypocitraturia

Def: <320 mg/day

etiology:

Acid-base balance: RTA, diarrhoea/malabsorption/renal failure

Diet: animal proteins, salt, low fruit/veg

Medication: acetazolamide, amiloride, topiramate

Genetic (VDR polymorphism)

Hypokalemia

Treatment: K-citrate

# Hyperuricosuria

Def: >800 mg/day in men, >750mg women

## Etiology

- Purine intake

- Production (gout, MXD, neoplasia)

- ua metabolism & reabsorption

## Treatment

- Xanthine oxidase inhibitor

# Hyperoxaluria

Def:  $>27$  mg/L or  $>45$  mg/day

## Etiology

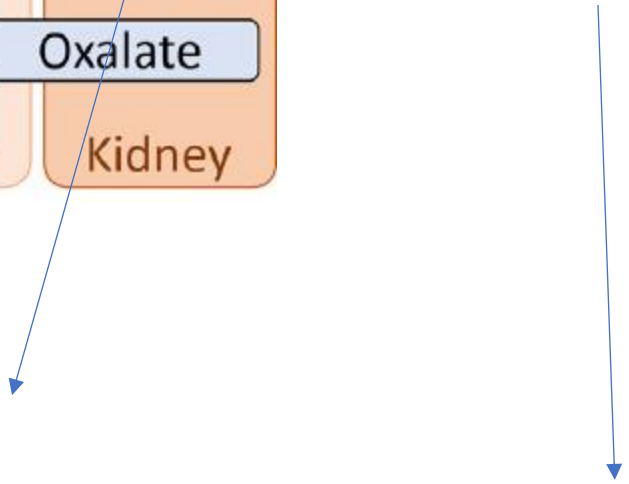
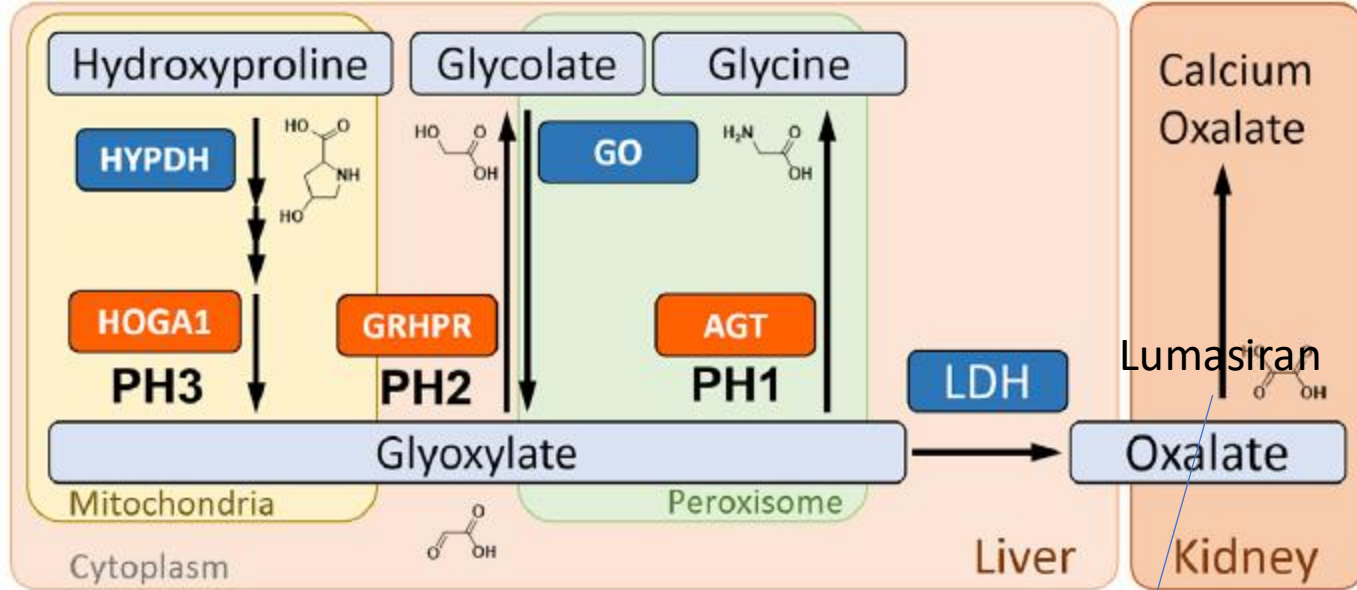
Endogenous oxalate production (genetic)

Intestinal (increased absorption)

Dietary (oxalate rich food and precursors)



# Small interfering RNA



# Safety, pharmacodynamics, and exposure-response modeling results from a first-in-human phase 1 study of nedosiran (PHYOX1) in primary hyperoxaluria.

## Group A: Healthy participants (blinded) N=25



Single-dose injection (Day 0) ●-----> EOS (Day 29)

## Group B: Patients with PH1/PH2 (open-label) N=18



Single-dose injection (Day 0) ●-----> EOS (Day 57)

### Primary Study Objective:

Safety/tolerability

### Secondary Study Objectives:

Pharmacokinetics/pharmacodynamics

### Nedosiran Safety

Injection-site reactions most common AE

**13.3%** Group A (2/15)    **27.8%** Group B (5/18)

No severe ISRs

No dose-related trends

No dose-limiting toxicity

No withdrawals



### Nedosiran PD

Baseline

**55%**

Mean maximum reduction in 24-hour Uox excretion  
(Range: 22%–100%)

Day 57 (EOS)

**67%**

reached normal (n=6) or near-normal (n=6) 24-hour Uox excretion

### Nedosiran PK/PD data

Exposure-Response Model

Optimal dosage

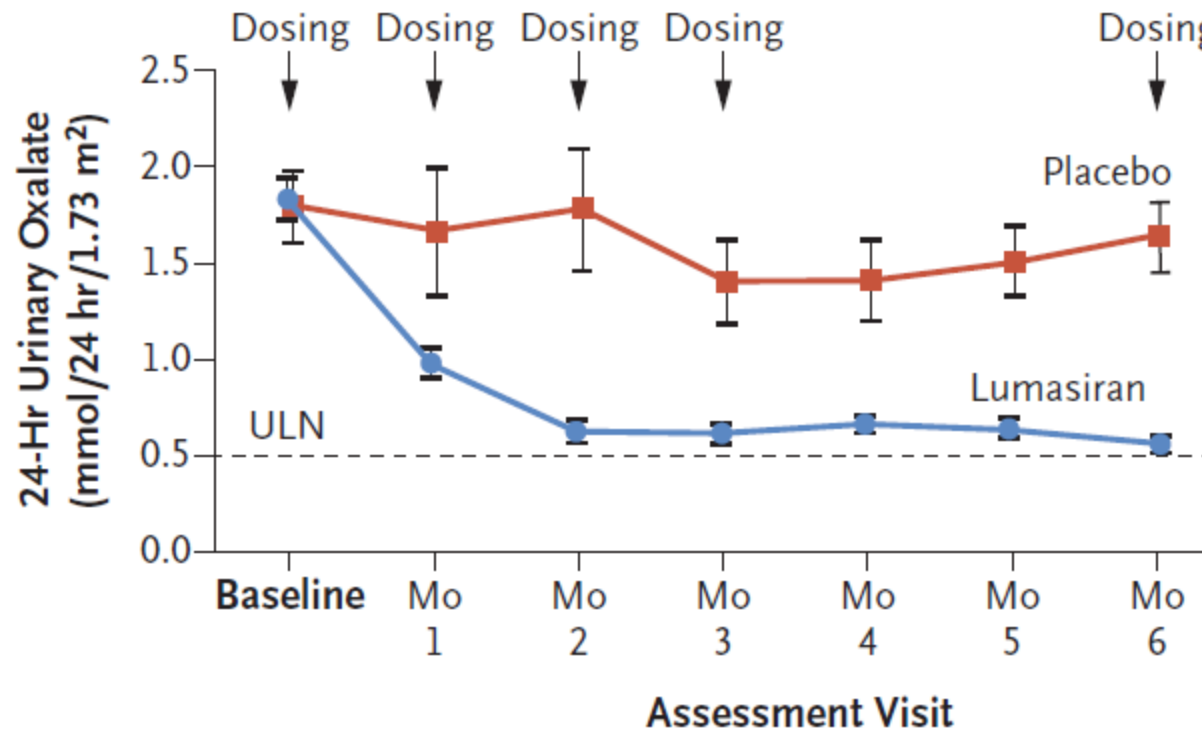
Once-monthly  
**Nedosiran 160 mg**  
(free acid)

Fewest fluctuations in Uox response



**CONCLUSION:** Single-dose nedosiran demonstrated acceptable safety and evidence of a pharmacodynamic effect in PH1 and PH2 patients

**B 24-Hour Urinary Oxalate Excretion over Time**



Therapeutic for Primary  
Oxalate Type 1

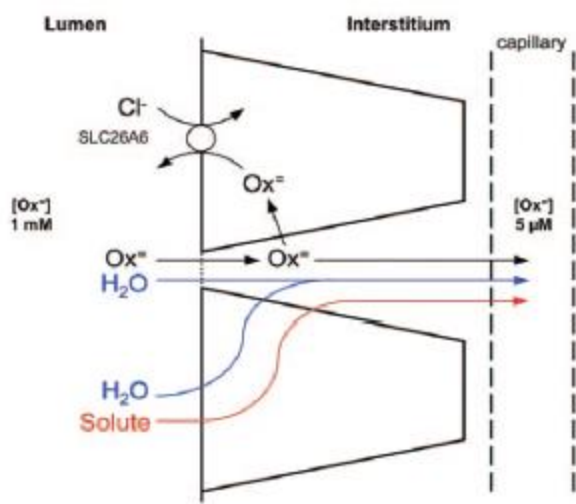
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**No. of Patients**

Placebo	13	13	12	13	13	13	13
Lumasiran	26	24	26	24	23	25	25

# Increased intestinal oxalate absorption

- Malabsorption syndrome
  - IBD (Crohn disease & ulcerative colitis)
  - Chronic pancreatitis (CF)
  - Iatrogenic: RT, pancreas resection, bowel resection, bypass
- Treatment:
  - Calciumcitrate
  - ALLN177-302 URIROX-2: Reloxaliase (recombinant oxalase decarboxylase E)
    - oxaluria > 50 mg/day
- Decreased colonisation of *O. formigenses* (macrolides, tetracyclines, rifampicine and metronidazole)(CF)



# d intestinal oxalate secretion (CF)

**Figure 9.** Proposed model of epithelial oxalate transport. Oxalate absorption is largely passive and paracellular across the tight junction. Oxalate then is back-secreted by a transcellular route requiring apical membrane SLC26A6.

# High oxalate food

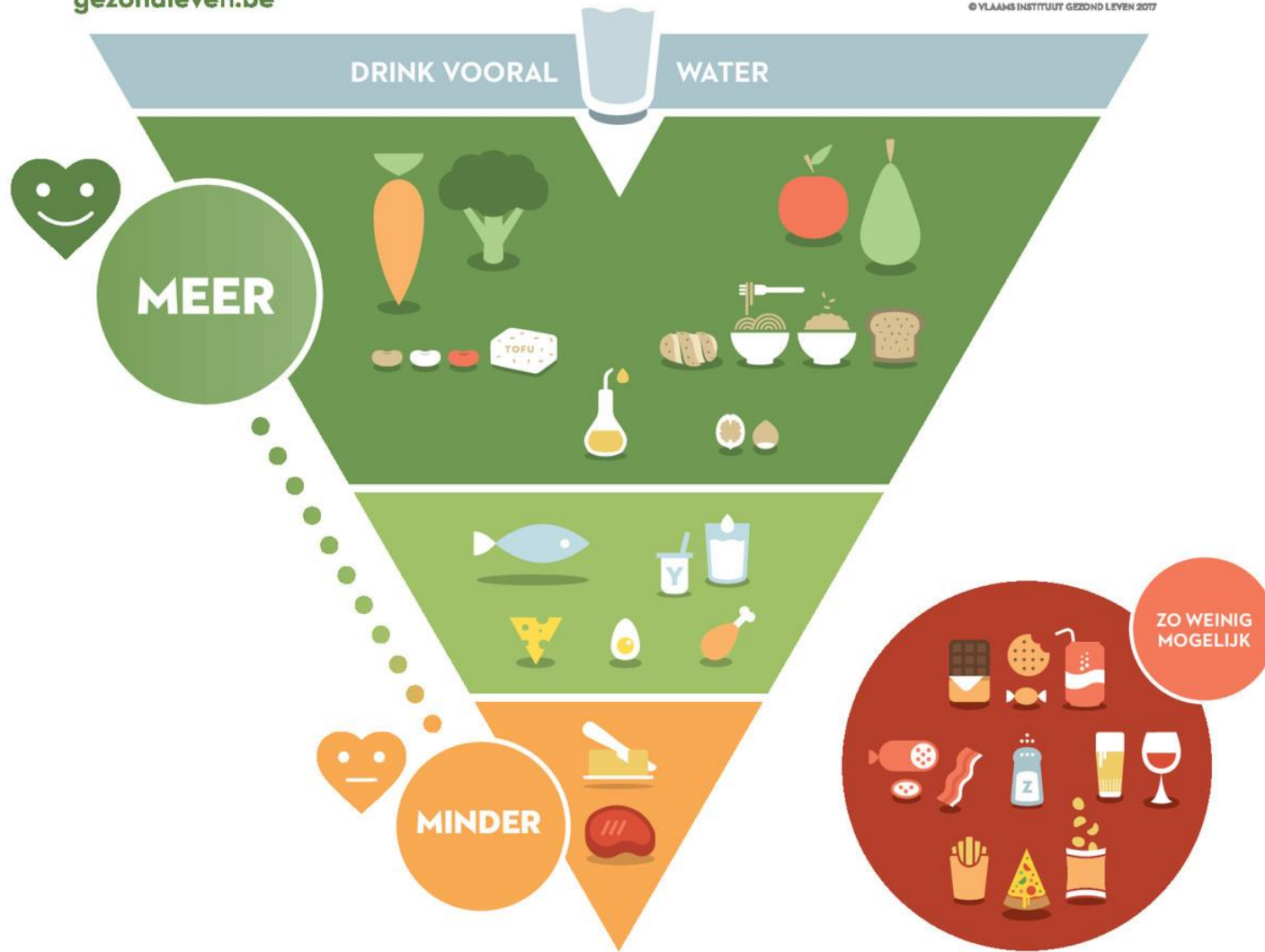
- Fruit: figs, raspberries, dates
- Vegetables: spinach, beans, beets, okra
- Whole grain products
- All nuts
- chocolate
- Black tea
- Vit C tablets!

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# Target Treatment of calciumoxalate lithiasis

Hypercalciuria

- Thiazide/Kcitrate

Hypocitraturia

- Kcitrate/diet/etiology

Hyperuricosuria

- Diet/Allopurinol

Hyperoxaluria

- Diet/New agents?

