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Seleção de espermatozoides para ICSI

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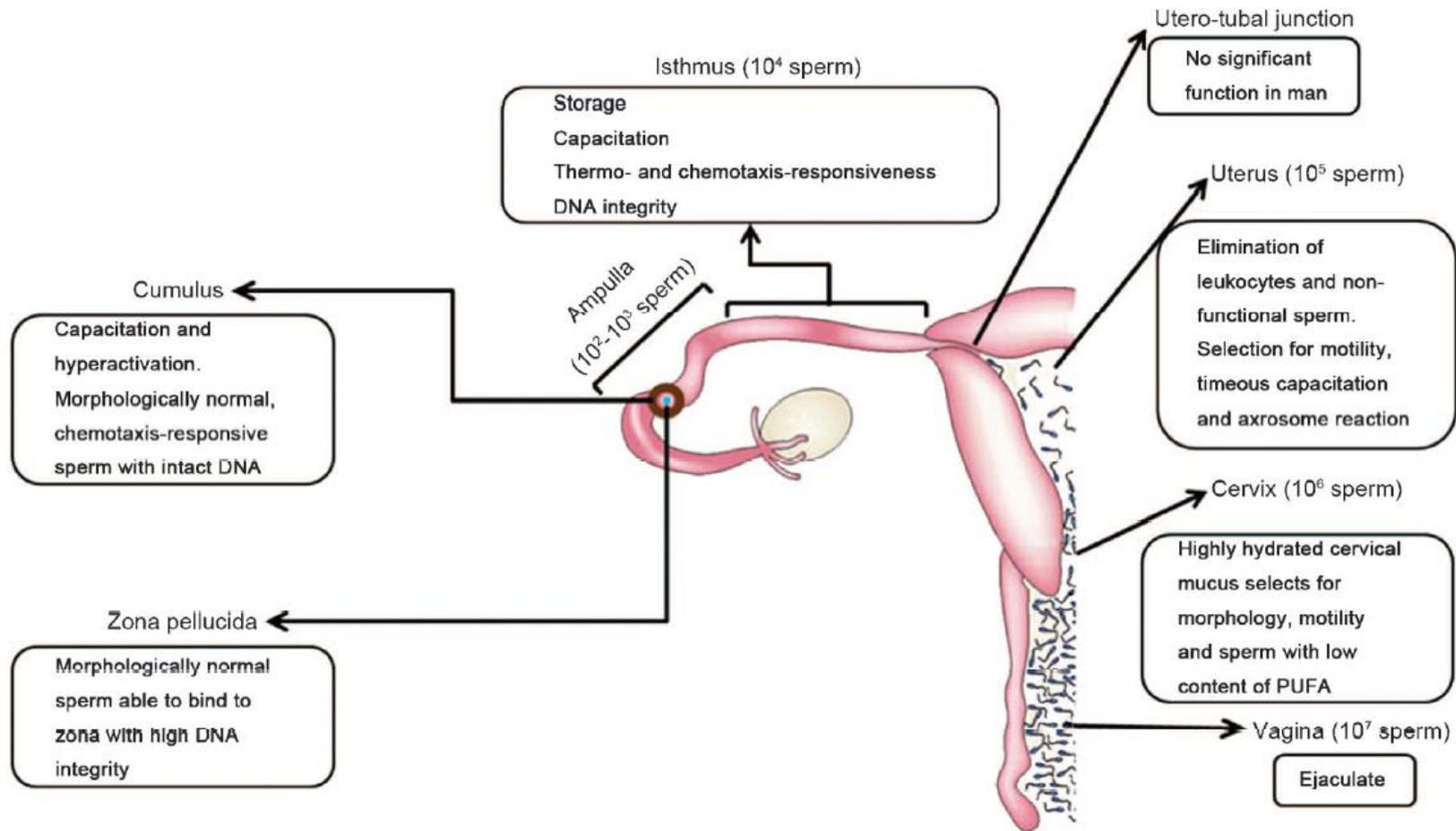
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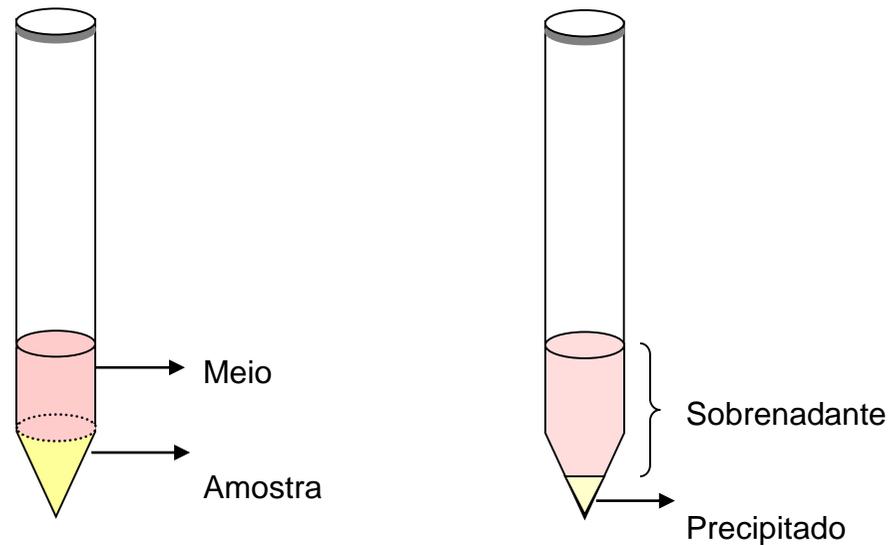
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- ➔ *Sperm-wash*
- ➔ Gradiente descontínuo de densidade
- ➔ *Swim-up*
- ➔ Filtração em lã de vidro
- ➔ *TEST yolk buffer*



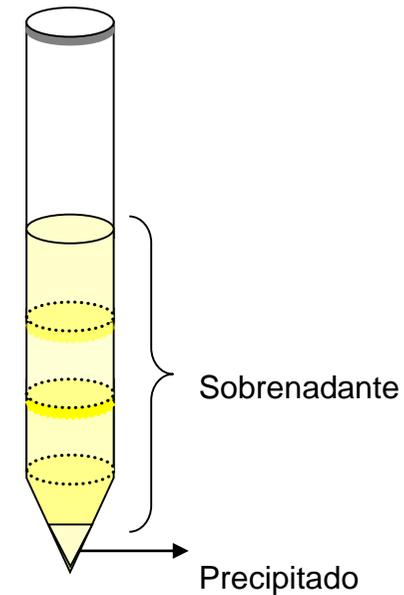
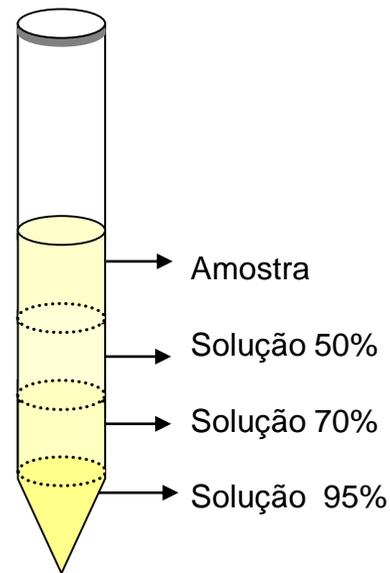
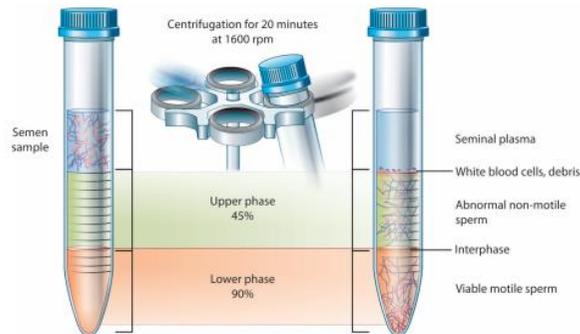
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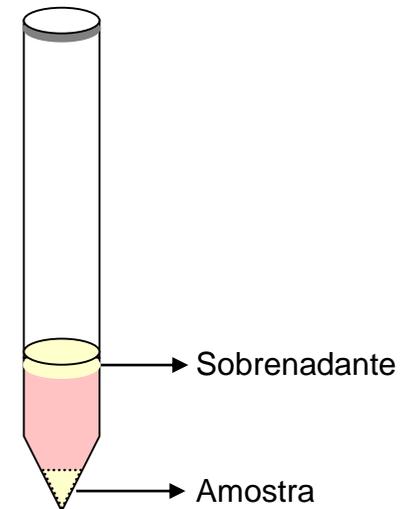
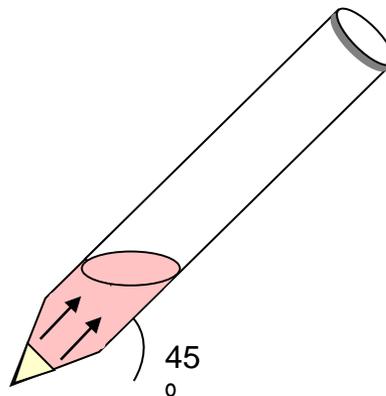
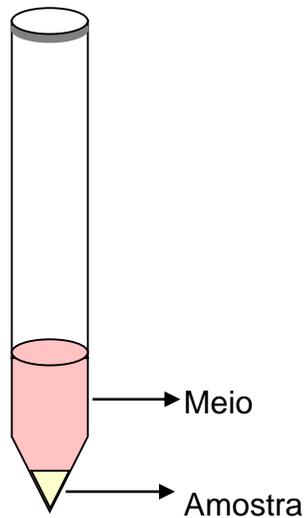
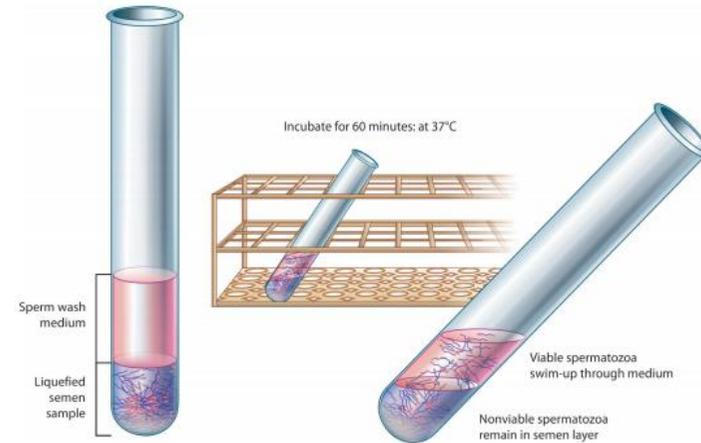
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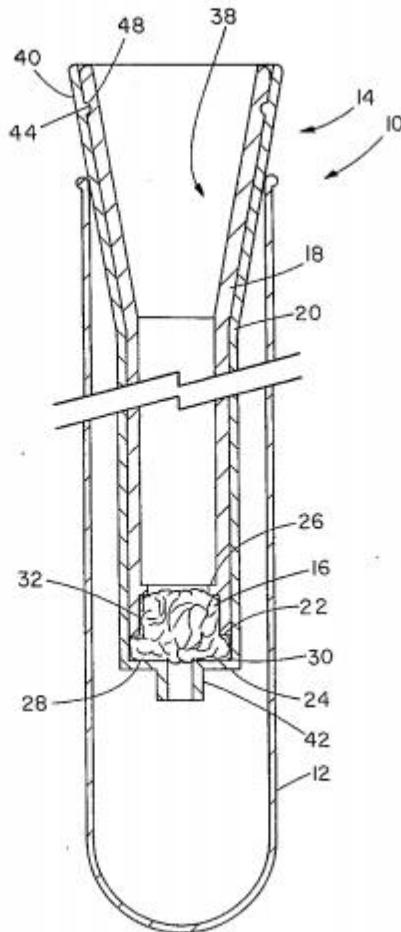
Processamento Seminal

- *Sperm wash*
- Gradiente descontinuo
- ***Swim-up***



Processamento Seminal

- Filtração em lã de vidro
- *TEST* *yolk buffer*



Procedure

Pros/benefits

Cons/risks

Swim-up (SU) procedure

- Concentrates motile sperm, which migrate to the higher viscosity medium
- Leaves nondynamic factors behind
- Separates sperm exhibiting double-stranded DNA damage from normal motile sperm

- Collecting motile sperm does not guarantee fertilizing ability
- Does not remove ROS, which decreases fertilization and pregnancy rates, from the sample
- Does not separate competent sperm from WBCs, cellular debris, and immature sperm

Continuous or discontinuous density-gradient (DG) procedure

- Effectively separates motile from nonmotile sperm
- Provides a higher concentration of motile sperm
- Industry standard to select sperm for ART
- Lower ROS and reduced oxidative stress
- Separates out WBCs
- Mature motile sperm are collected in the resulting pellet
- Separates out both double- and single-stranded DNA damage

- Cannot be used for low sperm concentrations, highly viscous samples, and those with a lot of cellular debris

Glass wool filtration procedure

- Yields higher concentrations of sperm than SU or DG procedures
- Nonviable sperm "stick" or adhere to the glass wool column, allowing functionally intact motile sperm to pass through
- Good for highly viscous semen samples
- Good for asthenozoospermic and oligozoospermic samples
- Higher concentration of intact acrosomes
- Higher chromatin integrity
- Higher zona-free hamster oocyte sperm penetration assay results
- Higher percentage fertilization of oocytes in IVF compared with SU

- Some are concerned about glass wool debris getting into the sample, but this has not been shown to have a detrimental effect
- Less familiar technique for ART

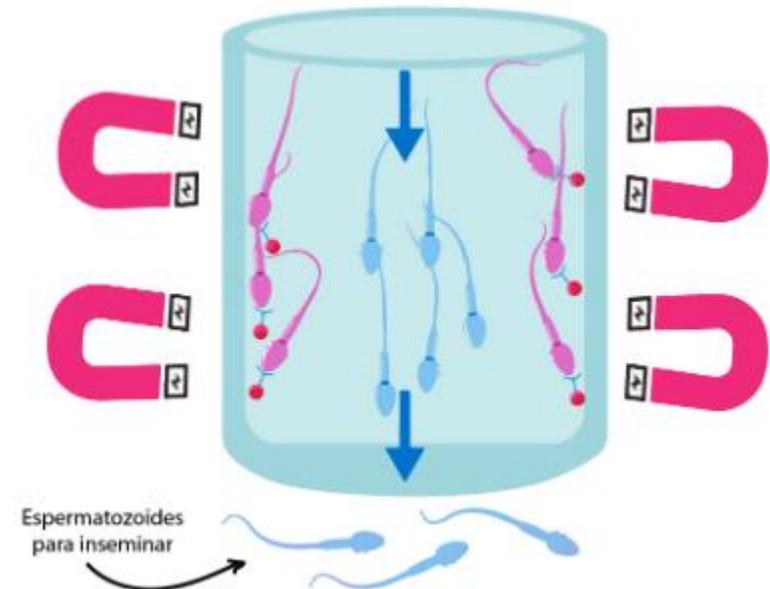
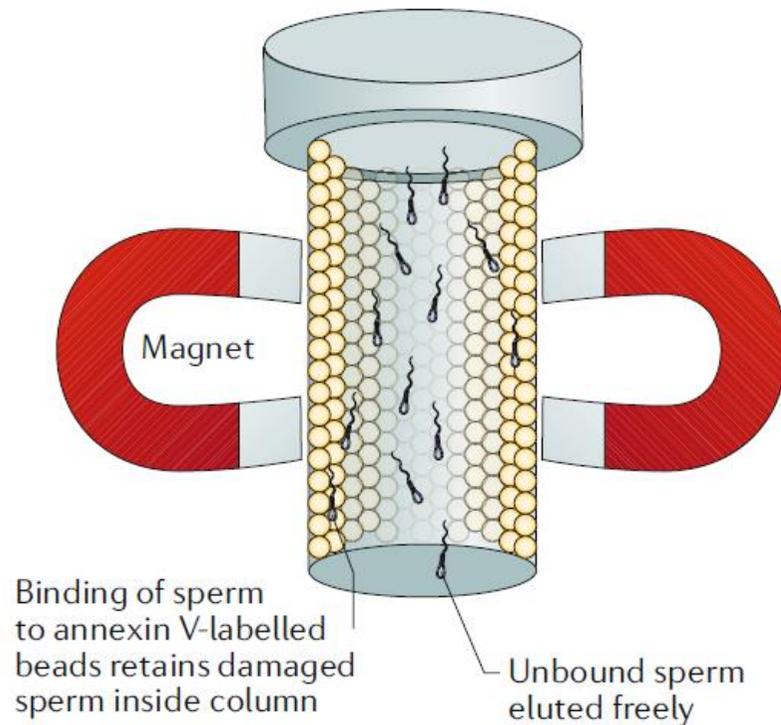
TEST yolk buffer treatment

- Good for couples with failed fertilization (<10% fertilization rate) or idiopathic infertility
- Initiates sperm capacitation
- Increases fertilization, acrosome reaction, and IVF outcomes
- No apparent deleterious effects

- Requires thermal treatment with unclear mechanism; subsequent cooling seems to improve the membrane cholesterol-phospholipid ratio

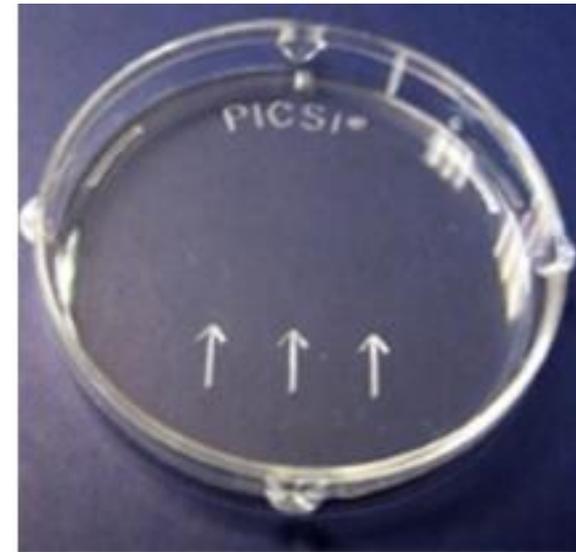
Técnicas de adesão molecular

- **MACS: *magnetic-activated cell sorting***



Técnicas de adesão molecular

- PICSI (Petri Dish ICSI, Petri dish for ICSI)



➔ adesão em HA (ácido hialurônico)

Procedure	Pros/benefits	Cons/risks
Magnetic-activated cell sorting (MACS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separates out sperm with apoptosis • Assumes a lower rate of DNA damage • Improves sperm morphology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduces motility • No improvement in ICSI outcomes compared with SU or DG • No difference in implantation or miscarriage rate • No difference in outcomes when using donor eggs • Limited studies have been completed • No improvements in fertilization rates or pregnancy rates • No difference in embryo development in time-lapsed studies
Membrane maturity procedures (PICSI: plastic culture dish with microdots of hyaluronic acid (HA) on its inner surface; Sperm Slow method, a viscous medium containing HA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sperm with HA receptors are mature, have normal shapes, low DNA fragmentation rates, and low frequency of chromosomal aneuploidies • Superior embryo quality with HA-ICSI sperm 	

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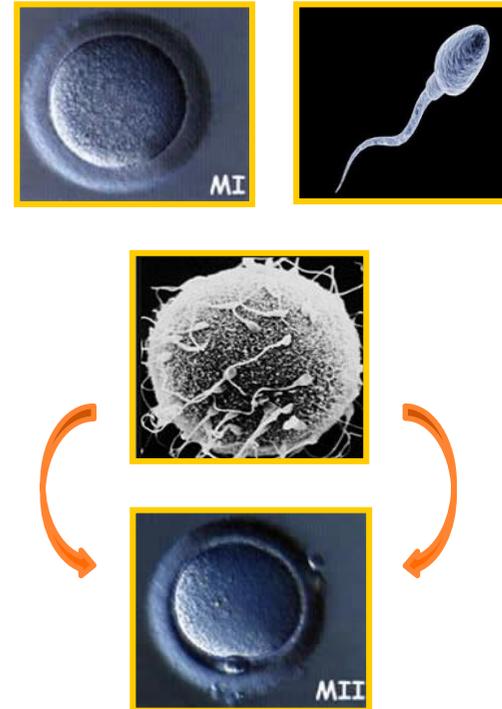
Outcome of ICSI using zona pellucida-bound spermatozoa and conventionally selected spermatozoa

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Table 1. Comparison of fertilization, embryo quality and embryo transfer rates in oocytes undergoing routine intracytoplasmic sperm injection (control) or injected with zona pellucida-bound spermatozoa.

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Control (n = 194)</i>	<i>ZP-bound spermatozoa (n = 194)</i>	<i>P-value</i>
Fertilization rate	76.8 (149/194)	77.3 (150/194)	NS
High-quality embryo rate	70.0 (104/149)	83.3 (125/150)	0.003
Embryo transfer rate	43.6 (65/149)	54.7 (82/150)	0.004

Values are percentage (number/total); NS = not statistically significant at the 5% level; ZP = zona pellucida.

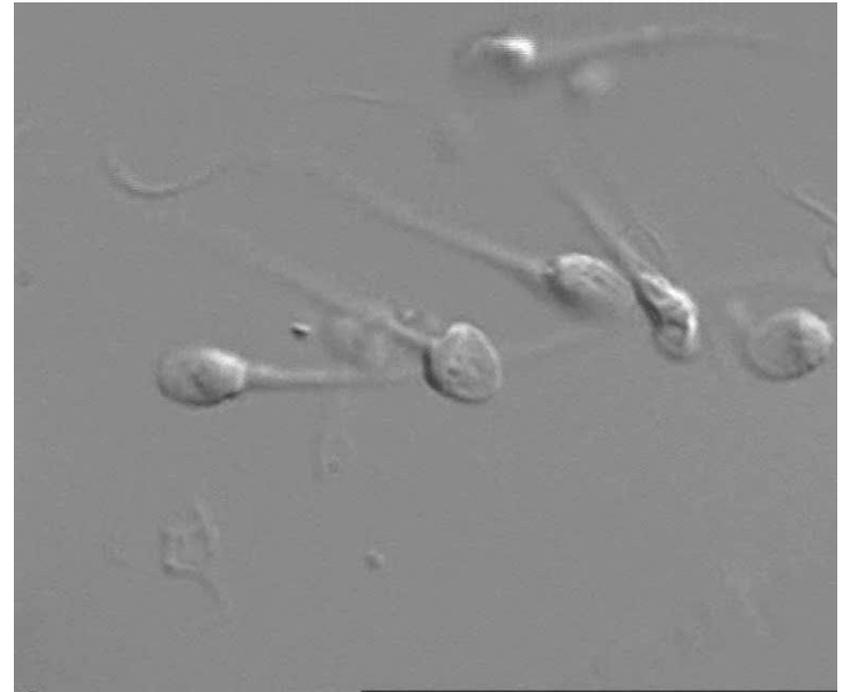
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- ➔ **This finding was confirmed using a binary logistic regression, showing that the use of zona pellucida-bound spermatozoa for ICSI was determinant of the likelihood of the embryo quality (OR = 2.23; CI 95% = 1.30–3.81; P = 0.004);**
- ➔ **This result was also confirmed by the logistic regression model, which demonstrated a nearly twofold increase in embryo transfer rates in embryos derived from the ZP-binding group (OR = 1.94; IC 95% = 1.21–3.13; P = 0.006).**

➔ **MSOME** *Motile Sperm Organellar Morphology Examination*

➔ **IMSI** *Intracytoplasmic Morphologically Select Sperm Injection*



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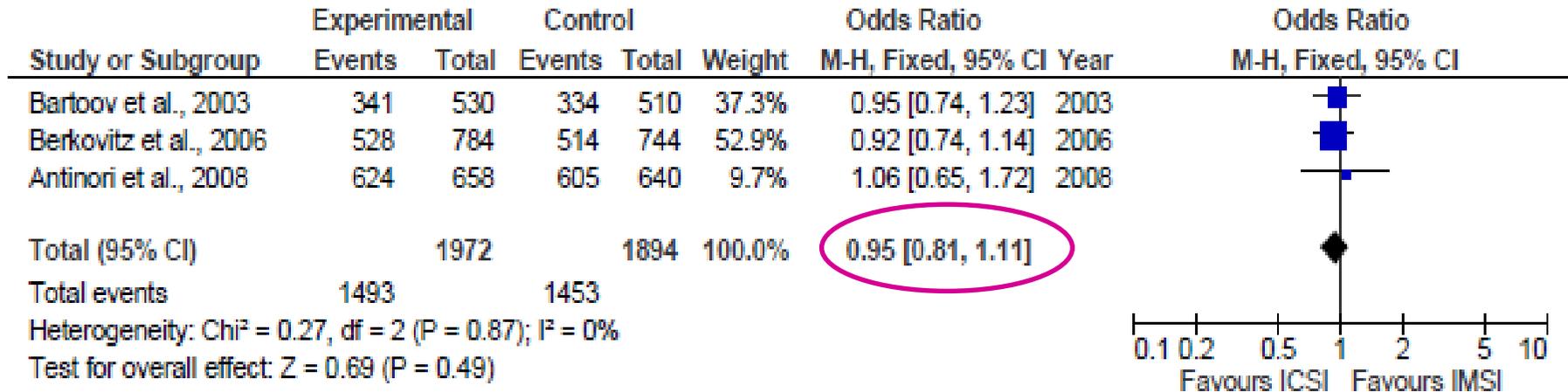
Intracytoplasmic sperm injection outcome versus intracytoplasmic morphologically selected sperm injection outcome: a meta-analysis

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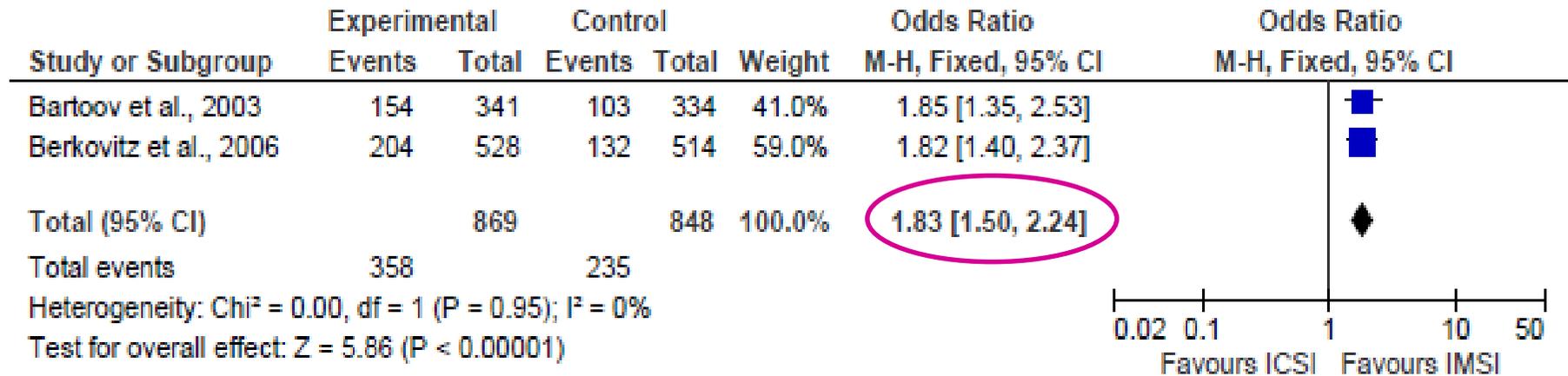
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Fertilização



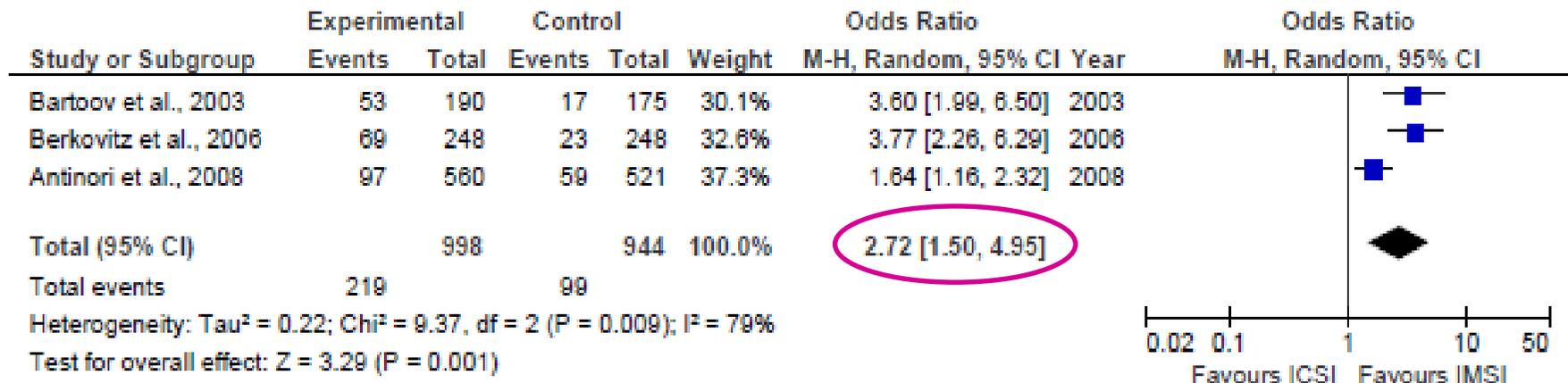
ausência de significância

Bons Embriões



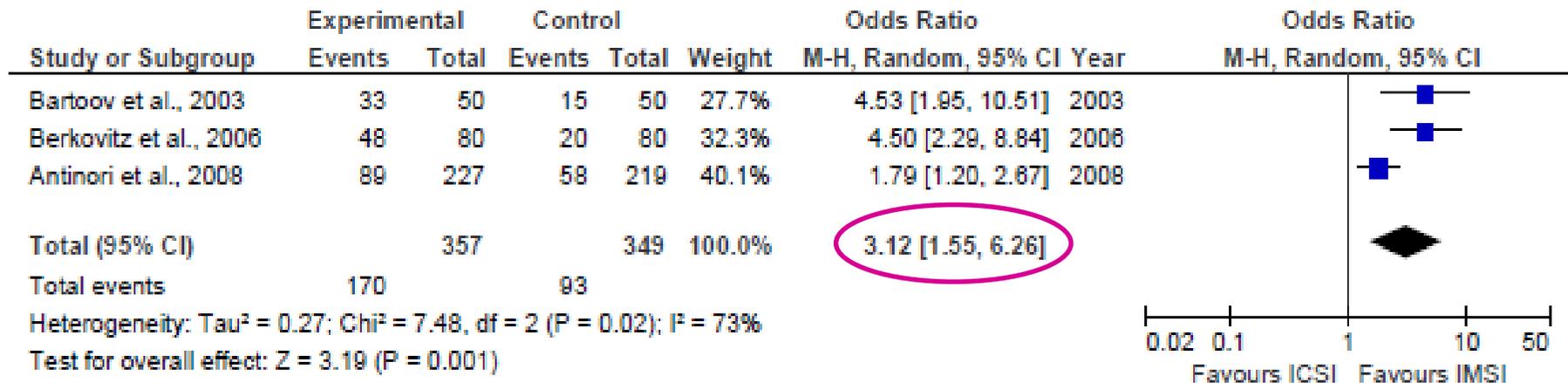
OR: 1.83 (1.50 – 2.24), $p < 0.00001$

Implantação



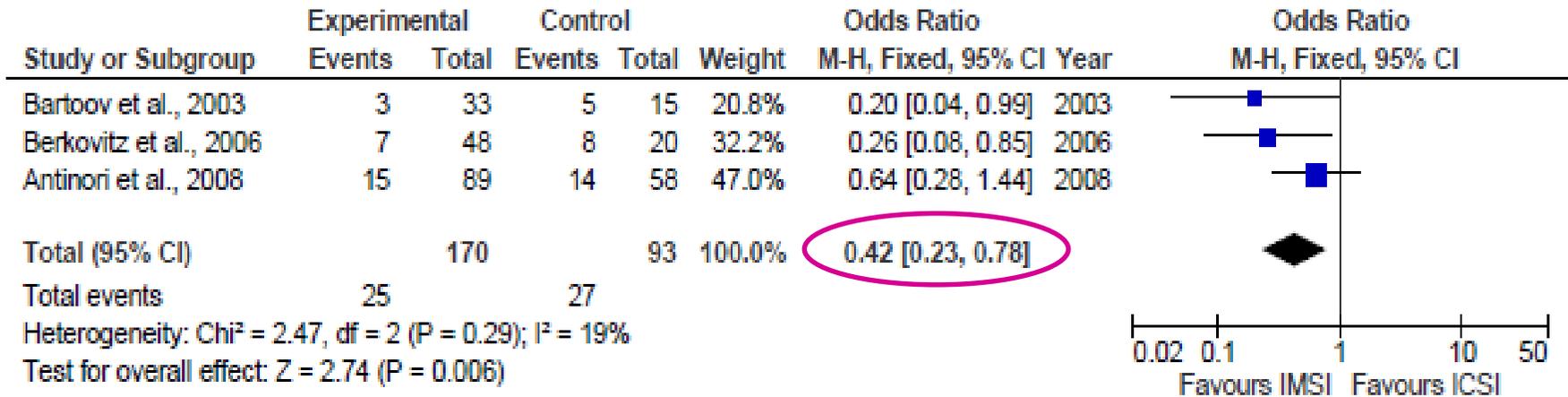
OR: 2.72 (1.50 – 4.95), $p=0.001$

Gestação



OR: 3.12 (1.55 – 6.26), $p=0.001$

Aborto



OR: 0.42 (0.23 – 0.78), p=0.006



Intracytoplasmic morphologically selected sperm injection is beneficial in cases of advanced maternal age: a prospective randomized study



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➔ ICSI × IMSI

- ❖ Implantação: 12,1% × 38,3% (p=0.026)
- ❖ Gestação: 13,8% × 60,0% (p<0,001)
- ❖ IMSI influência positiva na:
 - ✓ formação de blastocisto (RC:15,00 - p<0,001)
 - ✓ Implantação (RC:24,04 - p=0,027)
 - ✓ chances de gestação (OR=9,0 - p=0,001)



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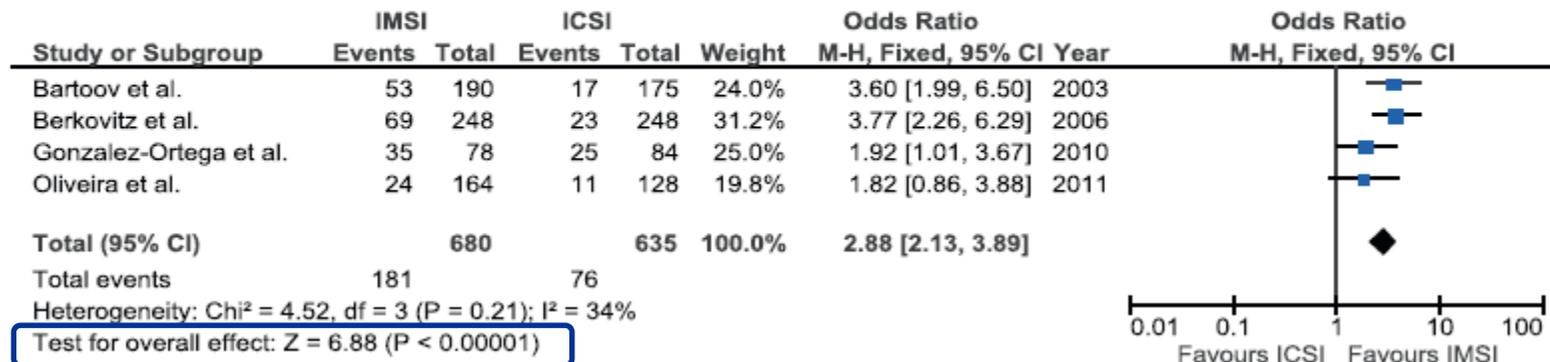
Intracytoplasmic morphologically selected sperm injection results in improved clinical outcomes in couples with previous ICSI failures or male factor infertility: a meta-analysis



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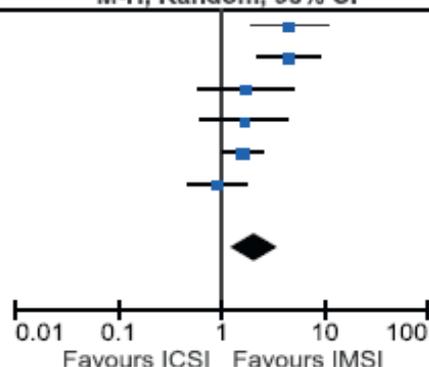
2.1 Previous ICSI failures

a) Implantation



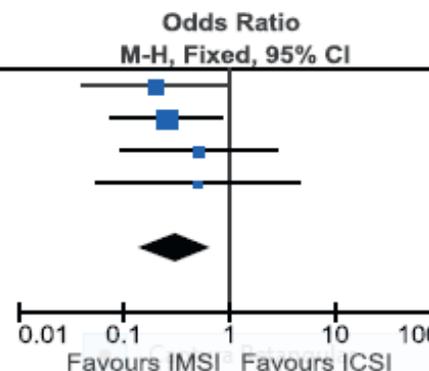
b) Pregnancy

Study or Subgroup	IMSI		ICSI		Weight	Odds Ratio		Year	Odds Ratio	
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI	M-H, Random, 95% CI		Favours ICSI	Favours IMSI
Bartoov et al.	33	50	15	50	15.3%	4.53	[1.95, 10.51]	2003		
Berkovitz et al.	48	80	20	80	17.8%	4.50	[2.29, 8.84]	2006		
Gonzalez-Ortega et al.	19	30	15	30	12.8%	1.73	[0.62, 4.84]	2010		
Oliveira et al.	14	63	8	55	13.8%	1.68	[0.65, 4.37]	2011		
Klement et al.	52	127	97	322	21.6%	1.61	[1.05, 2.46]	2013		
El Khattabi et al.	22	90	34	130	18.7%	0.91	[0.49, 1.70]	2013		
Total (95% CI)		440		667	100.0%	2.07	[1.22, 3.50]			
Total events	188		189							
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.29; Chi ² = 16.40, df = 5 (P = 0.006); I ² = 70%										
Test for overall effect: Z = 2.71 (P = 0.007)										



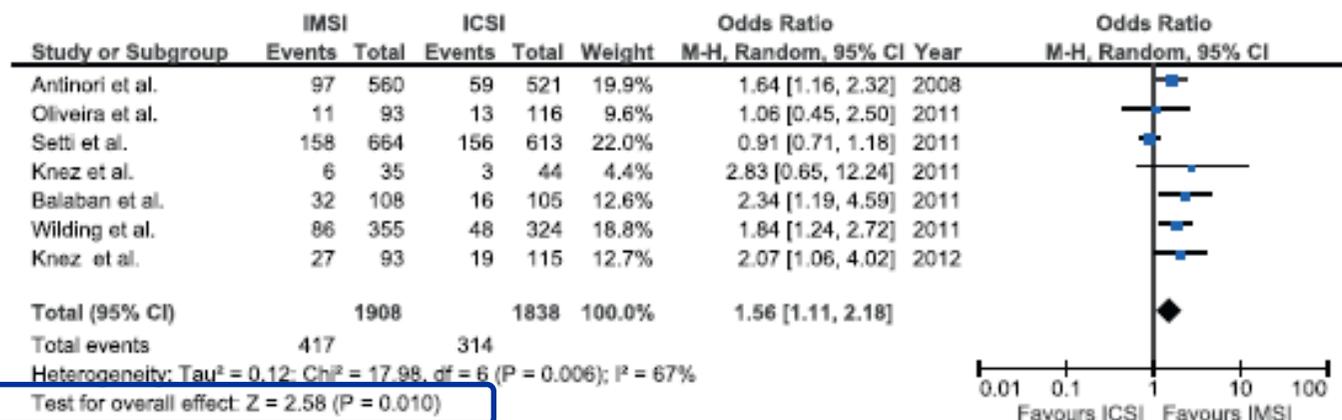
c) Miscarriage

Study or Subgroup	IMSI		ICSI		Weight	Odds Ratio		Year	Odds Ratio	
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Fixed, 95% CI	M-H, Fixed, 95% CI		Favours IMSI	Favours ICSI
Bartoov et al.	3	33	5	15	28.6%	0.20	[0.04, 0.99]	2003		
Berkovitz et al.	7	48	8	20	44.2%	0.26	[0.08, 0.85]	2006		
Gonzalez-Ortega et al.	3	19	4	15	17.2%	0.52	[0.10, 2.77]	2010		
Oliveira et al.	2	14	2	8	10.0%	0.50	[0.06, 4.47]	2011		
Total (95% CI)		114		58	100.0%	0.31	[0.14, 0.67]			
Total events	15		19							
Heterogeneity: Chi ² = 0.92, df = 3 (P = 0.82); I ² = 0%										
Test for overall effect: Z = 2.96 (P = 0.003)										

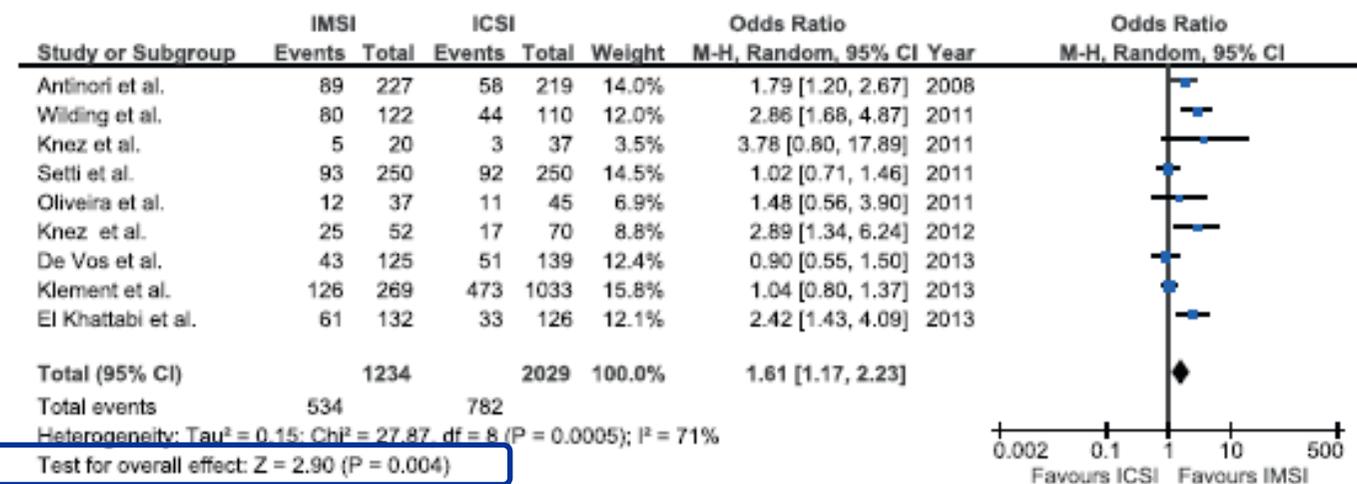


2.2 Male factor

a) Implantation rate



b) Pregnancy rate



Morphological nuclear integrity of sperm cells is associated with preimplantation genetic aneuploidy screening cycle outcomes

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Patient(s): Couples who underwent IVF-PGS cycle, as a result of advanced maternal age, were randomly allocated into two groups: intracytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI; n = 60) or intracytoplasmic morphologically selected sperm injection (IMSI; n = 60).



Morphological nuclear integrity of sperm cells is associated with preimplantation genetic aneuploidy screening cycle outcomes

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IMSI:

- Lower incidence of sexual chromosomes aneuploidy (23,5% x 15,0%) OR= 0,57 (0,37-0,90; p= 0,015)
- Lower incidence of chaotic embryos (27,5% x 18,8%) OR=0,64 (0,43-0,96; p=0,032)
- Lower chance of cycle cancellation (11,8 % x 2,5%) OR=0,26 (0,11-0,62; p=0,001)

Conclusion(s): Spermatozoa free of nuclear morphological malformations were found to be significantly associated with the lower incidence of aneuploidy in derived embryos, resulting in lower rates of cycle cancellation.

Sperm morphological abnormalities visualised at high magnification to the blastocyst stage are undergoing IVF.

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Sperm morphological normality under high magnification is correlated to male infertility and predicts embryo development

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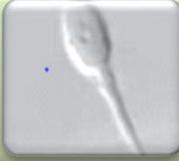
**MSOME
I+II**

**Grade I:**

- Normal form
- No vacuoles

**Grade II:**

- Normal form
- ≤ 2 small vacuoles

**Grade III:**

- Normal form
- > 2 small vacuoles or at least one large vacuole

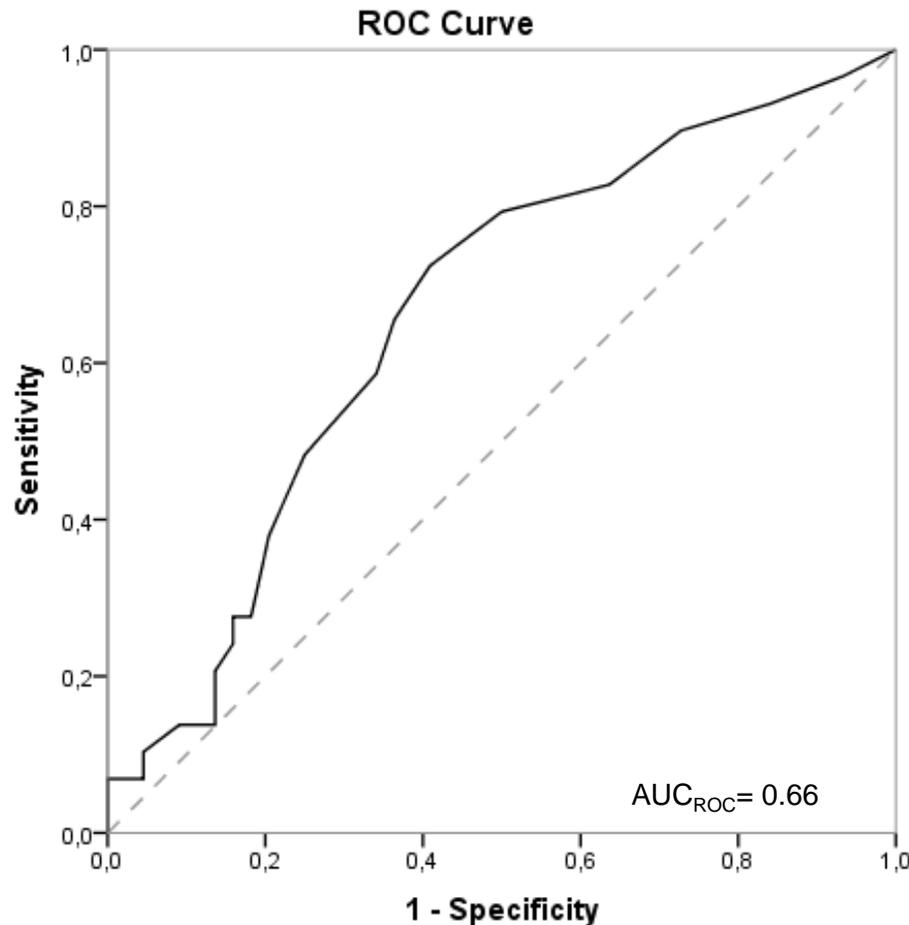
**Grade IV:**

- Abnormal head shapes or other abnormalities
- Large vacuole

Logistic regression analyses of MSOME grades correlation with ICSI outcomes

	MSOME I+II		MSOME III		MSOME IV	
	β	p	β	p	β	p
Fertilization rate	0.197	0.044	0.150	0.134	-0.192	0.052
High-quality embryos rate	0.306	0.013	0.379	0.002	-0.378	0.002
Blastocyst rate	0.248	0.047	0.008	0.954	-0.195	0.130
Implantation rate	-0.098	0.405	-0.137	0.252	0.138	0.244
	95% CI	p	95% CI	p	95% CI	p
Cancelation rate	0.95; 1.07	0.817	0.94; 1.12	0.557	0.95; 1.03	0.716
Pregnancy rate	0.90; 1.05	0.493	0.84;1.09	0.528	0.96; 1.09	0.396

ROC Curve of MSOME grades I+II and blastocyst formation rate (below or equal and above 50%)



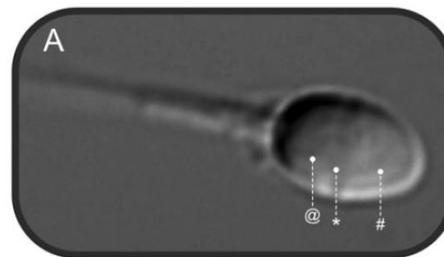
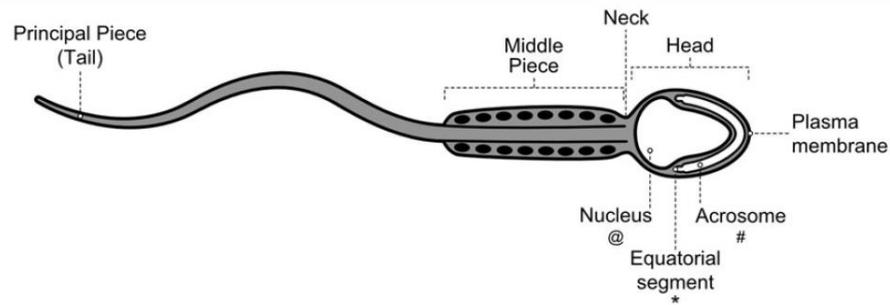
AUC: 0,66
MSOME I+II
cut-off: 5,5%
sensitivity of 0.72
specificity of 0.41

Descriptive statistic of ICSI outcomes per MSOME I+II normality classification

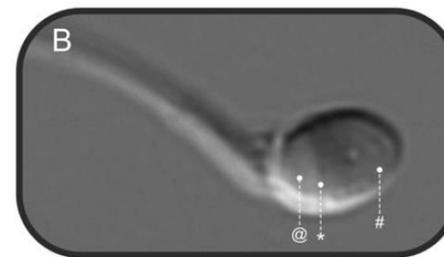
	Normal (MSOME I+II \geq 5.5%)	Abnormal (MSOME I+II $<$ 5.5%)	p
Female age (years)	36.18 \pm 4.29	36.66 \pm 3.58	0.527
Total dose of FSH administered (IU)	2346.38 \pm 680.43	2422.61 \pm 704.55	0.560
Number of follicles	14.28 \pm 12.49	14.06 \pm 10.97	0.925
Number of retrieved oocytes	9.92 \pm 9.95	10.81 \pm 7.74	0.608
Fertilization rate	86.94 \pm 19.04	84.59 \pm 14.79	0.708
High-quality embryos rate	41.78 \pm 16.04	38.40 \pm 21.73	0.463
Blastocyst rate	50.14 \pm 5.05	28.53 \pm 5.69	0.005
Implantation rate (%)	20.10 \pm 35.59	24.24 \pm 37.05	0.618
Pregnancy rate (%)	28.26	36.36	0.472

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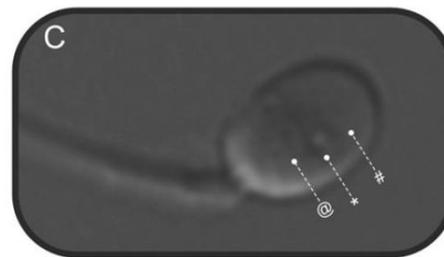
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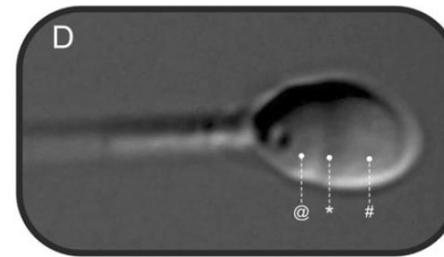
A
No vacuoles
No Suspicion of nuclear damage
Total CNVs: 234



B
A small acrosomal vacuole
No Suspicion of nuclear damage
Total CNVs: 245



C
Two small equatorial vacuoles
Suspected of nuclear damage: Vacuole location
Total CNVs: 285



D
Small and deep nuclear vacuole
Suspected of nuclear damage: Vacuole location & depth
Total CNVs: 744