

## NKR09\_Blodkomponenter\_PICO 4 TEG/ROTEM for Blood transfusion

### Characteristics of studies

#### Characteristics of included studies

##### Ak 2009

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##### De 2016

<b>Methods</b>	<p><b>Study design:</b> Randomized controlled trial</p> <p><b>Study grouping:</b> Parallel group</p>
<b>Participants</b>	<p><b>Baseline Characteristics</b></p> <p>TEG/ROTEM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age: 57.8</li> <li>● Males %: 53.3</li> </ul> <p>Conventional analysis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age: 58.6</li> <li>● Males %: 73.3</li> </ul> <p>Overall</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age:</li> <li>● Males %:</li> </ul> <p><b>Included criteria:</b> Enrollment criteria were age between 18 and 80years; histological or imaging-proven liver cirrhosis of any etiology; and INR&gt;1.8 and/or PLT503109/L</p> <p><b>Excluded criteria:</b> Exclusion criteria were ongoing bleeding; previous or current thrombotic events defined as any documented blood clot in a venous or arterial vessel; antiplatelet or -coagulant therapy at the time of enrollment or that had been discontinued less than 7 days before evaluation for the study; presence of documented infection or sepsis according to ACCP-SCCM criteria 18; or hemodialysis in the previous 7 days.</p> <p><b>Pretreatment:</b> No other apparent differences at baseline between the groups</p>
<b>Interventions</b>	<p><b>Intervention Characteristics</b></p> <p>TEG/ROTEM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>Description:</i> Patients in the TEG group received FFP at a dose of 10 mL/kg of ideal body weight when r time was greater than 40 minutes and they would receive platelet transfusion in the amount of 1 apheresis unit (i.e., the equivalent of six or more units of platelets from whole blood, 3-631011 platelets) when MA was shorter than 30 mm.</li> <li>● <i>Longest follow-up:</i></li> </ul> <p>Conventional analysis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>Description:</i> In the SOC group, all patients received FFP and/or PLT: Patients received FFP at the dose of 10 mL/kg of ideal body weight when the INR was higher than 1.8 and/or received PLT in the amount of 1 unit when platelet count was below 503109/L.</li> <li>● <i>Longest follow-up:</i></li> </ul>
<b>Outcomes</b>	<p><i>Mortality</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Outcome type:</b> Dichotomous Outcome</li> </ul> <p><i>No. of patients transfused, RBC, n</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Outcome type:</b> Dichotomous Outcome</li> </ul> <p><i>No. of patients transfused, platelets, n</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Outcome type:</b> Dichotomous Outcome</li> </ul> <p><i>No. of patients transfused, plasma, n</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Outcome type:</b> Dichotomous Outcome</li> </ul> <p><i>Severe adverse events, n</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Outcome type:</b> Dichotomous Outcome</li> </ul> <p><i>Blood volume/blood loss</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Outcome type:</b> Continuous Outcome</li> </ul>
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Random sequence generation (selection bias)	Low risk	Judgement Comment: 'Randomly assigned.' 'Randomization was performed electronically by block of 4 in a 1:1 rate. No difference between intervention and control group
Allocation concealment (selection bias)	Unclear risk	Judgement Comment: Nothing mentioned
Blinding of participants and personnel (performance bias)	High risk	Judgement Comment: Open-label RCT Unblinded, but outcomes are not likely influenced by lack of blinding, as treatment was given according to a well-defined algorithm.
Blinding of outcome assessment (detection bias)	High risk	Judgement Comment: Open label RCT. Unblinded, but outcome assessment likely not influenced by lack of blinding.
Incomplete outcome data (attrition bias)	Low risk	Judgement Comment: No missing data
Selective reporting (reporting bias)	Low risk	Judgement Comment: No other apparent sources of bias
Other bias	Low risk	Judgement Comment: No other apparent sources of bias

Girdauskas 2010

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## Gonzalez 2016

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<b>Participants</b>	<b>Baseline Characteristics</b> TEG/ROTEM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age: 41.0</li> <li>● Males %: 66.0</li> </ul> Conventional analysis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age: 38.0</li> <li>● Males %: 74.5</li> </ul> Overall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age:</li> <li>● Males %:</li> </ul> <b>Included criteria:</b> Injured patients at least 18 years of age that met criteria for MTP activation upon ED arrival during a 3-year period ending July 30, 2014, were enrolled in the study. MTP activation was based on the Resuscitation Outcome Consortium criteria 18 [systolic blood pressure (SBP) 70 mm Hg or SBP 70–90 mm Hg with heart rate (HR) ≥ 108 beats/min], in addition to any of the following injury patterns: penetrating torso wound, unstable pelvic fracture, or abdominal ultrasound suspicious of bleeding in more than one region. <b>Excluded criteria:</b> Patients were not eligible if they were prisoners or pregnant; patients were removed from the study if these criteria became known after activation of the MTP. <b>Pretreatment:</b> No apparent difference at baseline
<b>Interventions</b>	<b>Intervention Characteristics</b> TEG/ROTEM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Description:</b> TEG yields the following variables: activated clotting time (ACT; the time to beginning of clot formation, seconds), angle (rate of clot strength increase, degrees), maximum amplitude (MA; maximal clot strength achieved, millimeters), and percent clot lysis 30 minutes after reaching MA (LY30, %). Studies have correlated ACT with coagulation factor activity and thrombin generation, angle with fibrinogen concentration and function, MA with platelet–fibrin interactions, and LY30 with fibrinolysis</li> <li>● <b>Longest follow-up:</b> 24 hours</li> </ul> Conventional analysis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Description:</b> In the CCA group, the following parameters triggered the following transfusions: INR equal or greater than 1.5 = 2 units of plasma; fibrinogen less than 150 mg/dL = 10-pack of cryoprecipitate; platelet count less than 100,000/μL = 1 unit of apheresis platelets. Antifibrinolytic medication (tranexamic acid, 1 g, intravenous) was administered in the setting of suspicion of fibrinolysis with an elevated D-dimer (&gt;0.5 μg/mL). These thresholds for transfusion represent parameters that are considered standard of care based on published consensus guidelines.<sup>24–29</sup> In general, CCA results are available approximately 30 to 45 minutes from collection</li> <li>● <b>Longest follow-up:</b> 24 hours</li> </ul>
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Allocation concealment (selection bias)	High risk	Judgement Comment: Randomization done by investigators
Blinding of participants and personnel (performance bias)	High risk	Judgement Comment: No blinding, high risk of 'no blinding' influencing treatment.
Blinding of outcome assessment (detection bias)	Unclear risk	Judgement Comment: Nothing mentioned
Incomplete outcome data (attrition bias)	Low risk	Judgement Comment: Dropouts have been accounted for
Selective reporting (reporting bias)	Low risk	Judgement Comment: No other apparent sources of bias
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Kultufan Turan 2006

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Nuttal 2001

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**Royston 2001**

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**Shore-Lesserson 1999**

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**Wang 2010**

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**Weber 2012**

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**Westbrook 2009**

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Footnotes

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**Characteristics of studies awaiting classification**

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**Characteristics of ongoing studies**

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**Summary of findings tables****Additional tables****References to studies****Included studies****Ak 2009**

Published data only (unpublished sought but not used)

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**Avidan 2004**

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**De 2016**

De, Pietri L.; Bianchini M.; Montalti R.; De, Maria N.; Di, Maira T.; Begliomini B.; Gerunda G.E.; di, Benedetto F.; Garcia-Tsao G.; Villa E.. Thromboelastography-guided blood product use before invasive procedures in cirrhosis with severe coagulopathy: A randomized, controlled trial. *Hepatology* 2016;63(2):566-573. [DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/hep.28148>]

**Girdauskas 2010**

Published data only (unpublished sought but not used)

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**Gonzalez 2016**

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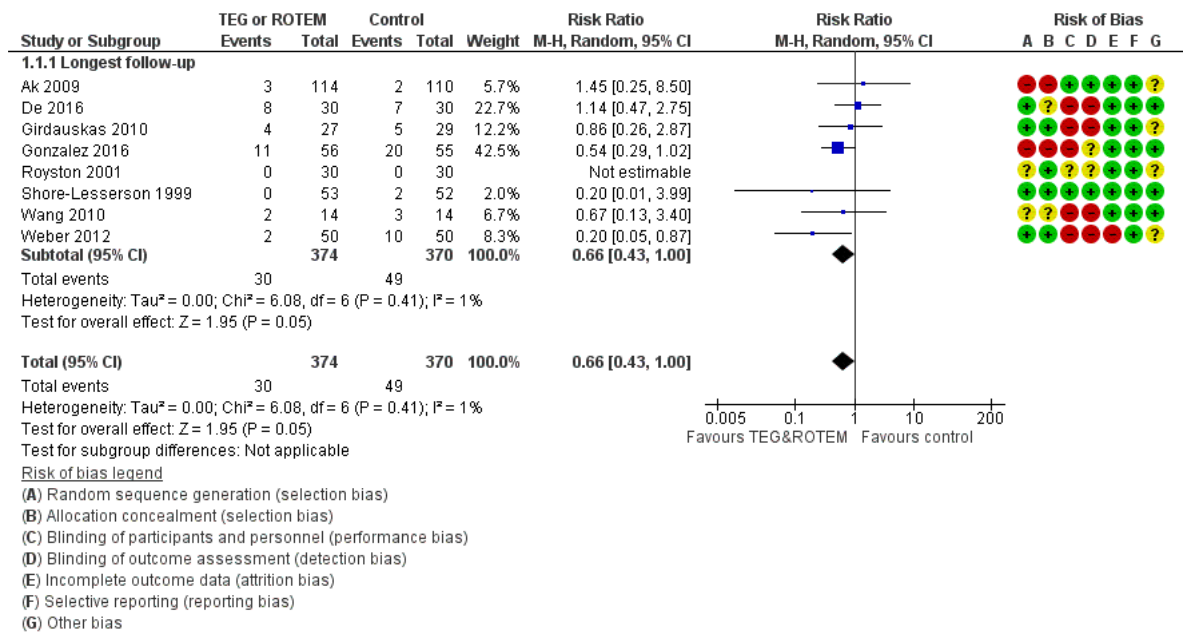
**Excluded studies****Studies awaiting classification****Ongoing studies****Other references****Additional references****Other published versions of this review****Classification pending references****Data and analyses****1 TEG or ROTEM versus any comparison**

Outcome or Subgroup	Studies	Participants	Statistical Method	Effect Estimate
1.1 Mortality	8	744	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.66 [0.43, 1.00]
1.1.1 Longest follow-up	8	744	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.66 [0.43, 1.00]
1.2 Patients receiving RBCs	7	687	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.88 [0.81, 0.96]
1.2.1 Longest follow-up	7	687	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.88 [0.81, 0.96]
1.3 Patients receiving FFP	6	647	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.42 [0.28, 0.62]
1.3.1 Longest follow-up	6	647	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.42 [0.28, 0.62]
1.4 Patients receiving platelets	7	687	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.66 [0.51, 0.86]
1.4.1 Longest follow-up	7	687	Risk Ratio (M-H, Random, 95% CI)	0.66 [0.51, 0.86]
1.6 Blood loss, ml	10	854	Mean Difference (IV, Random, 95% CI)	-115.15 [-183.10, -47.20]
1.8 Severe adverse events	1	60	Risk Ratio (M-H, Fixed, 95% CI)	0.20 [0.01, 4.00]



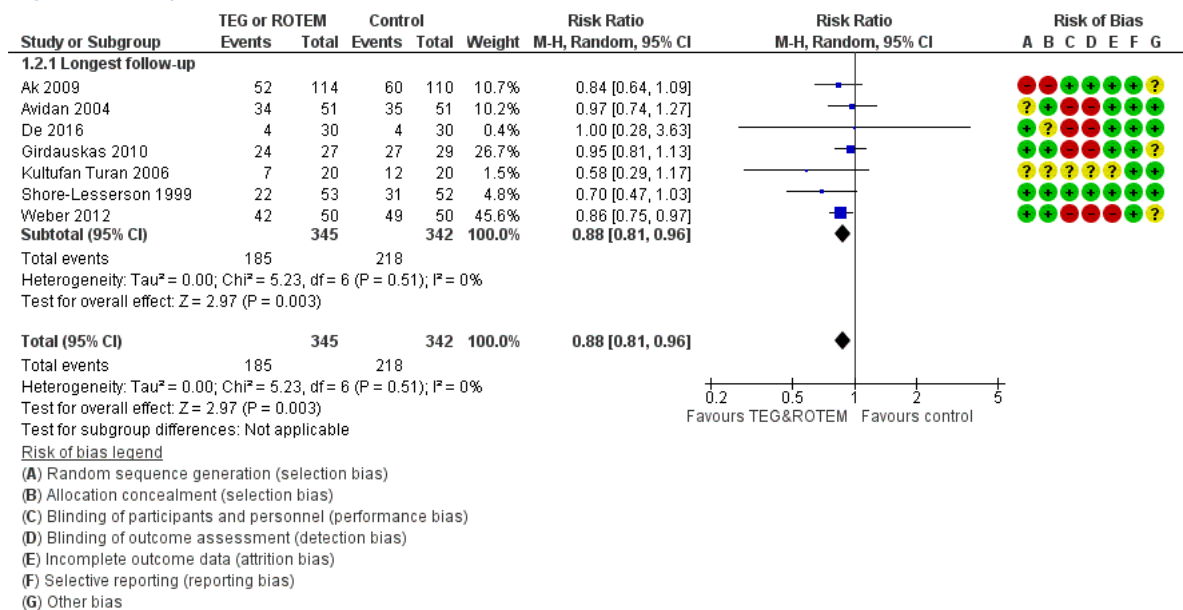
Figures

Figure 1 (Analysis 1.1)



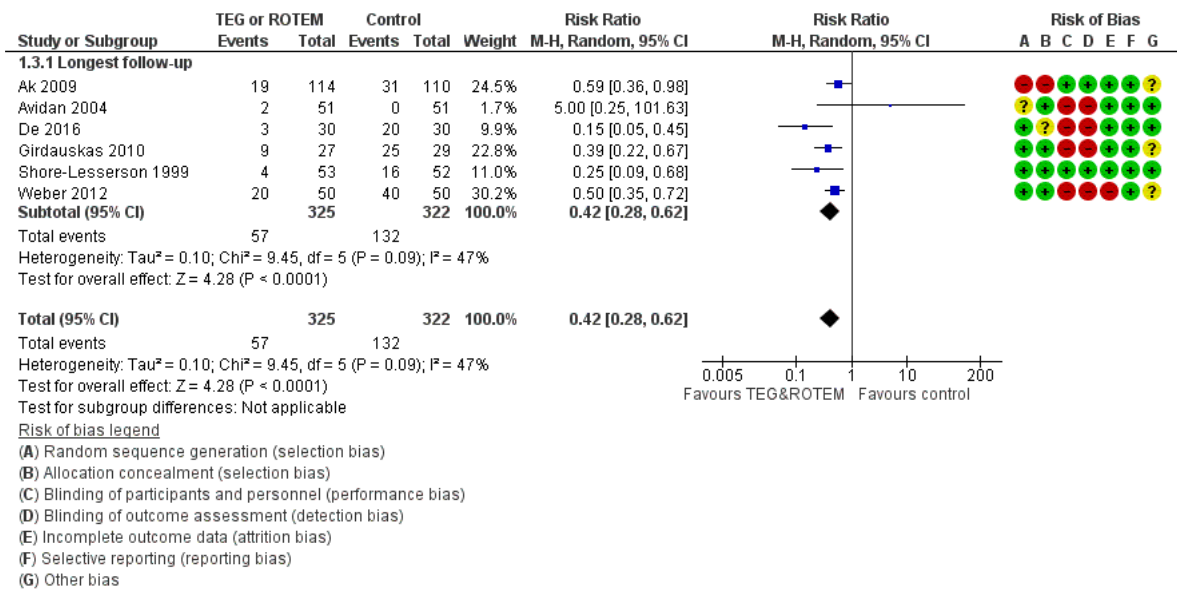
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Figure 2 (Analysis 1.2)



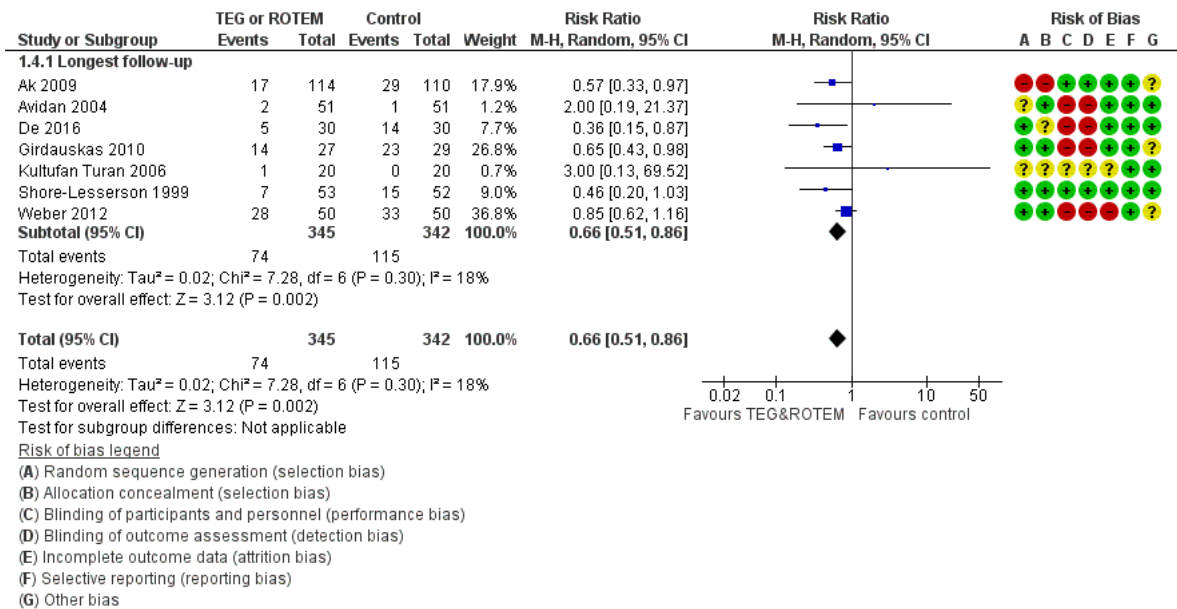
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Figure 3 (Analysis 1.3)



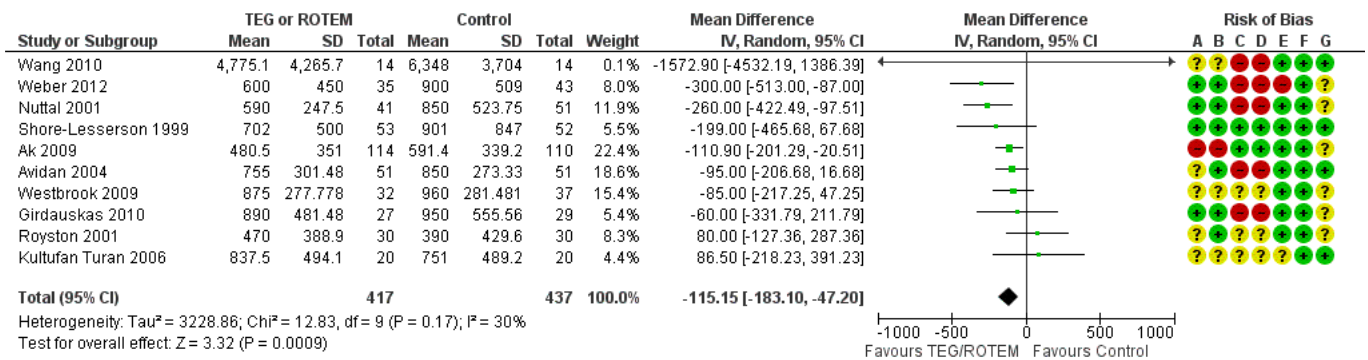
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Figure 4 (Analysis 1.4)



Forest plot of comparison: 1 TEG or ROTEM versus any comparison, outcome: 1.4 Patients receiving platelets.

Figure 5 (Analysis 1.6)

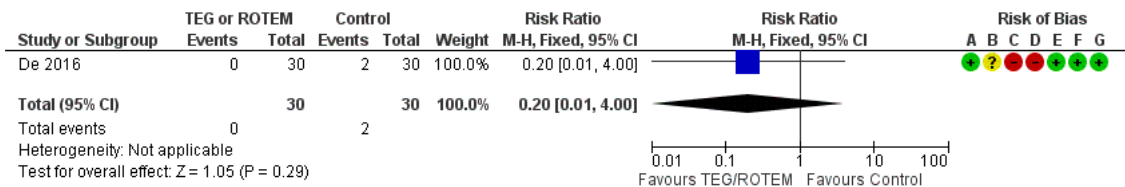


Risk of bias legend

- (A) Random sequence generation (selection bias)
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- (D) Blinding of outcome assessment (detection bias)
- (E) Incomplete outcome data (attrition bias)
- (F) Selective reporting (reporting bias)
- (G) Other bias

Forest plot of comparison: 1 TEG or ROTEM versus any comparison, outcome: 1.6 Blood loss, ml.

Figure 6 (Analysis 1.8)



Risk of bias legend

- (A) Random sequence generation (selection bias)
- (B) Allocation concealment (selection bias)
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- (D) Blinding of outcome assessment (detection bias)
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Forest plot of comparison: 1 TEG or ROTEM versus any comparison, outcome: 1.8 Severe adverse events.