Intravenous thrombolysis and platelet count

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In the article “Intravenous thrombolysis and platelet count” by Gensicke et al.,¹ there were a few slight errors in table 3 published ahead of print on January 24, 2018. The corrected table was published online on February 20, 2018, and is included below with corrections in bold type. *p* Values did not change. The authors regret the errors.

Table 3 Multivariable analysis of outcomes (odds adjusted for variables with *p* < 0.1 in the univariable analysis): OR (95% CI) and *p* value

Putative predicting variables	Outcome measures		
	sICH	Poor outcome ^a	Mortality
Low PC ^b vs normal PC ^c	1.73 (1.24–2.43) <i>p</i> = 0.002 ^d	0.89 (0.39–1.97) <i>p</i> = 0.499 ^e	1.09 (0.83–1.44) <i>p</i> = 0.615 ^f
PC < 100 × 10 ⁹ /L vs PC ≥ 100 × 10 ⁹ /L	1.56 (0.48–5.07) <i>p</i> = 0.433 ^g	1.63 (0.82–3.24) <i>p</i> = 0.163 ^h	1.38 (0.64–2.98) <i>p</i> = 0.368 ^g
High PC ⁱ vs normal PC	0.63 (0.20–1.99) <i>p</i> = 0.427 ^g	1.51 (0.96–2.38) <i>p</i> = 0.074 ^j	2.02 (1.21–3.37) <i>p</i> = 0.006 ^h
Decreasing PC (by 10 × 10 ⁹ /L)	1.03 (1.02–1.05) <i>p</i> < 0.001 ^d	0.99 (0.98–0.99) <i>p</i> < 0.001 ^k	0.98 (0.98–0.99) <i>p</i> = 0.001 ^k

Abbreviations: CI = confidence interval; OR = odds ratio; PC = platelet count. sICH = symptomatic intracerebral hemorrhage (Second European-Australasian Acute Stroke Study [ECASS] definition).

^a Poor outcome: modified Rankin Scale score of 3 to 6. Final model of backward regression adjusted for other independent predictors.

^b Low PC < 150 × 10⁹/L.

^c Normal PC = 150 to 450 × 10⁹/L.

^d Age, stroke severity (NIH Stroke Scale score), glucose.

^e Age, stroke severity (NIH Stroke Scale score), estimated glomerular filtration rate, glucose, current smoking, prior ischemic stroke.

^f Age, sex, stroke severity (NIH Stroke Scale score), glucose, prior use of any antithrombotic, coronary artery disease.

^g No adjustment because of the small number of outcome events.

^h Stroke severity (NIH Stroke Scale score).

ⁱ High PC > 450 × 10⁹/L platelet.

^j Age, sex, stroke severity (NIH Stroke Scale score).

^k Age, stroke severity (NIH Stroke Scale score), glucose, estimated glomerular filtration rate.

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