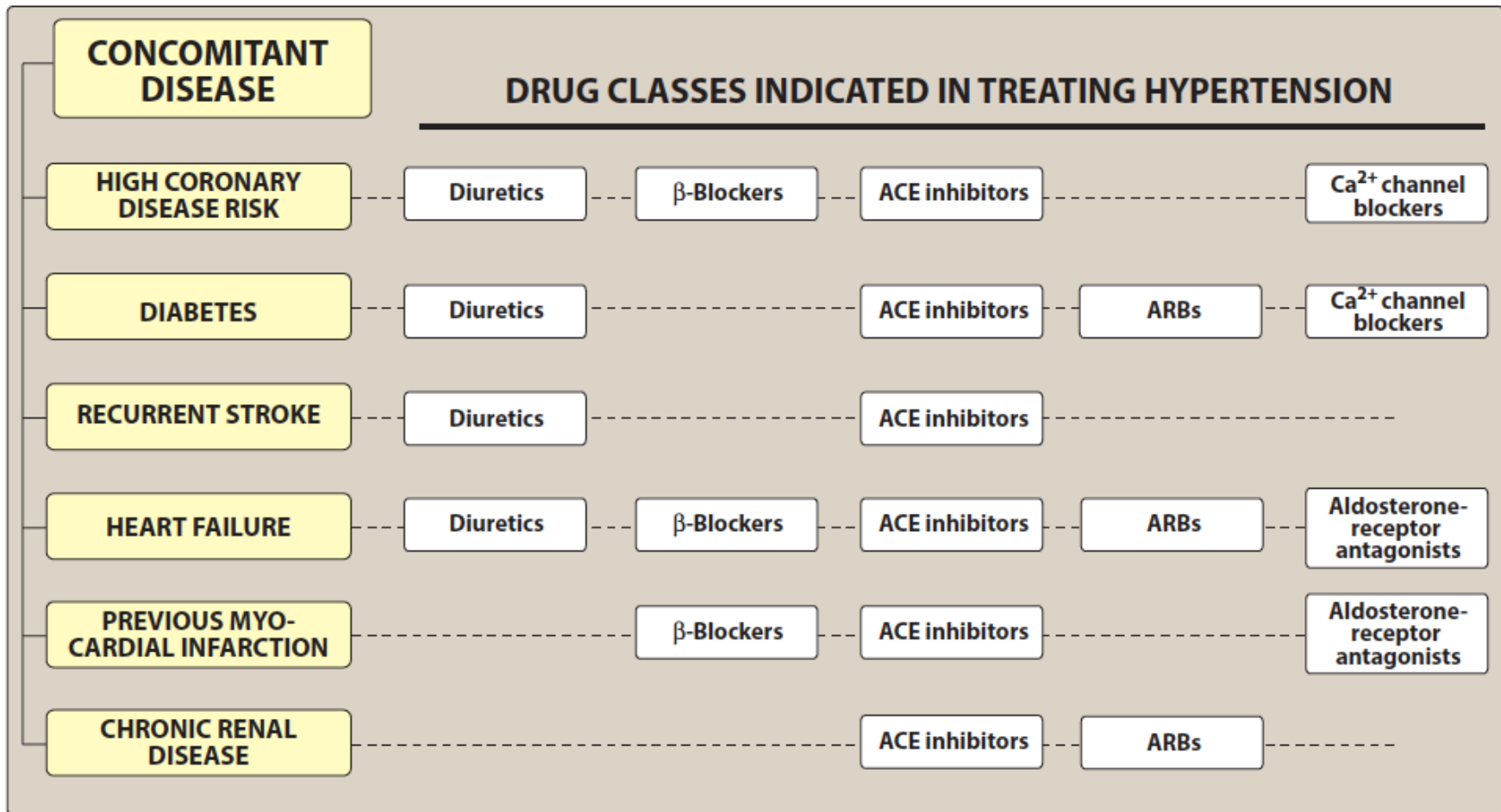


A = ACE inhibitor; C = calcium channel blocker; D = diuretic

**Fig. 19.1** Algorithm for drug sequencing in hypertension.



**Figure 17.5**

Treatment of hypertension in patients with concomitant diseases. [Note: Angiotensin receptor blockers (ARBs) are an alternative to angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitors.]

## SUMMARY Drugs Used in Hypertension

Subclass	Mechanism of Action	Effects	Clinical Applications	Pharmacokinetics, Toxicities, Interactions
<b>DIURETICS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thiazides: Hydrochlorothiazide</li> <li>• Loop diuretics: Furosemide</li> <li>• Spironolactone</li> <li>• Eplerenone</li> </ul>	<p>Block Na/Cl transporter in renal distal convoluted tubule</p> <p>Block Na/K/2Cl transporter in renal loop of Henle</p> <p>Block aldosterone receptor in renal collecting tubule</p>	<p>Reduce blood volume and poorly understood vascular effects</p> <p>Like thiazides • greater efficacy</p> <p>Increase Na and decrease K excretion • poorly understood reduction in heart failure mortality</p>	<p>Hypertension, mild heart failure</p> <p>Severe hypertension, heart failure</p> <p>Aldosteronism, heart failure, hypertension</p>	See Chapter 15
<b>SYMPATHOPLEGICS, CENTRALLY ACTING</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clonidine, methyl dopa</li> </ul>	Activate $\alpha_2$ adrenoceptors	Reduce central sympathetic outflow • reduce norepinephrine release from noradrenergic nerve endings	Hypertension • clonidine also used in withdrawal from abused drugs	Oral • clonidine also patch • <i>Toxicity:</i> sedation • methyldopa hemolytic anemia
<b>SYMPATHETIC NERVE TERMINAL BLOCKERS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reserpine</li> <li>• Guanethidine</li> </ul>	<p>Blocks vesicular amine transporter in noradrenergic nerves and depletes transmitter stores</p> <p>Interferes with amine release and replaces norepinephrine in vesicles</p>	<p>Reduce all sympathetic effects, especially cardiovascular, and reduce blood pressure</p> <p>Same as reserpine</p>	<p>Hypertension but rarely used</p> <p>Same as reserpine</p>	<p>Oral • long duration (days) • <i>Toxicity:</i> Reserpine: psychiatric depression, gastrointestinal disturbances</p> <p>Guanethidine: Severe orthostatic hypotension • sexual dysfunction</p>

Subclass	Mechanism of Action	Effects	Clinical Applications	Pharmacokinetics, Toxicities, Interactions
<b>α BLOCKERS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prazosin</li> <li>• Terazosin</li> <li>• Doxazosin</li> </ul>	Selectively block α <sub>1</sub> adrenoceptors	Prevent sympathetic vasoconstriction • reduce prostatic smooth muscle tone	Hypertension • benign prostatic hyperplasia	Oral • Toxicity: Orthostatic hypotension
<b>β BLOCKERS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Metoprolol, others</li> <li>• Carvedilol</li> </ul> <p>• <i>Propranolol: Nonselective prototype β blocker</i>  • <i>Atenolol: Very widely used β<sub>1</sub>-selective blocker</i></p>	Block β <sub>1</sub> receptors; carvedilol also blocks α receptors	Prevent sympathetic cardiac stimulation • reduce renin secretion	Hypertension • heart failure	See Chapter 10
<b>VASODILATORS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Verapamil</li> <li>• Diltiazem</li> </ul>	Nonselective block of L-type calcium channels	Reduce cardiac rate and output • reduce vascular resistance	Hypertension, angina, arrhythmias	See Chapter 12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nifedipine, amlodipine, other dihydropyridines</li> </ul>	Block vascular calcium channels > cardiac calcium channels	Reduce vascular resistance	Hypertension, angina	See Chapter 12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hydralazine</li> </ul>	Causes nitric oxide release	Vasodilation • reduce vascular resistance • arterioles more sensitive than veins • reflex tachycardia	Hypertension • minoxidil also used to treat hair loss	Oral • Toxicity: Angina, tachycardia • Hydralazine: Lupus-like syndrome
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minoxidil</li> </ul>	Metabolite opens K channels in vascular smooth muscle			Minoxidil: Hypertrichosis
<b>PARENTERAL AGENTS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nitroprusside</li> <li>• Fenoldopam</li> <li>• Diazoxide</li> <li>• Labetalol</li> </ul>	Releases nitric oxide Activates D <sub>1</sub> receptors Opens K channels α, β blocker	Powerful vasodilation	Hypertensive emergencies	Parenteral • short duration • Toxicity: Excessive hypotension, shock
<b>ANGIOTENSIN-CONVERTING ENZYME (ACE) INHIBITORS</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Captopril, many others</li> </ul>	Inhibit angiotensin-converting enzyme	Reduce angiotensin II levels • reduce vasoconstriction and aldosterone secretion • increase bradykinin	Hypertension • heart failure, diabetes	Oral • Toxicity: Cough, angioedema • hyperkalemia • renal impairment • teratogenic
<b>ANGIOTENSIN RECEPTOR BLOCKERS (ARBs)</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Losartan, many others</li> </ul>	Block AT <sub>1</sub> angiotensin receptors	Same as ACE inhibitors but no increase in bradykinin	Hypertension • heart failure	Oral • Toxicity: Same as ACE inhibitors but less cough
<b>RENIN INHIBITOR</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aliskiren</li> </ul>	Inhibits enzyme activity of renin	Reduces angiotensin I and II and aldosterone	Hypertension	Oral • Toxicity: Hyperkalemia, renal impairment • potential teratogen

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**Table 2: Names of new drugs designed for new targets**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of drug</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Approval</b>	<b>References</b>
1	Sampatrilat	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	Phase 2 and discontinued	17
2	Fasidotril	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	Phase 3 trail	18
4	Gemopatrilat	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	Phase 2 trial and discontinued	19
5	Omapatrilat	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	Phase 3 trial	20
6	Ilepatril	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	Phase 2 trail	21
7	LCZ696 (Valsartan-Sacubitril)	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	2015	22
8	Dagliutril	Vasopeptidase inhibitors	Phase 2	23
9	QGC001(RB-150)	Brain RAAS	Phase 2	24
10	Eplerenone	Anti-Aldosterone	2002	25

Yadav Bijay Kumar et al.; 2019, International Journal of Advance Research and Development

## ACE inhibitörü–Neprilisin Inhibitörü kombinasyonu

NEP (Neprilysin) ile atriyal natriüretik peptid, beyin natriüretik peptid (BNP), C tipi natriüretik peptid ve ürodilatin hidrolizi

NEP inhibisyonunun etkileri;

Kısa dönem; vazodilatasyon, artan diürez, natriürez ve azalmış sempatik tonus ve aldosteron

Uzun dönem; in vitro kardiyomiyositlerde veya kardiyak fibroblastlarda anti-inflamatuar, antifibrotik ve antihipertrofik etkiler

İkili neprilisin-anjiyotensin-dönüştürücü enzim inhibisyonu;

**omapatrilat** ile kan basıncında düşüş, hipertansiyonu olan hastaların tedavisinde kullanımı, ama anjiyoödem riskinde artış !!!

## Angiotensin Reseptör–Neprisilin Inhibitorleri

ARNI'lerin (anjiyotensin reseptörü-neprilisin inhibitörleri) geliştirilmesi;

Prototip **LCZ696**, ARB (anjiyotensin reseptör blokeri), valsartan ve NEPi, ön ilaç **sakubitrilinin** (1: 1 molar oran) birlikte kristalleştirilmesiyle sentezlenen bir molekül

Valsartan/sacubitril, ejeksiyon fraksiyonu azalmış kalp yetmezliği (HFrEF) tedavisi için onay almıştır

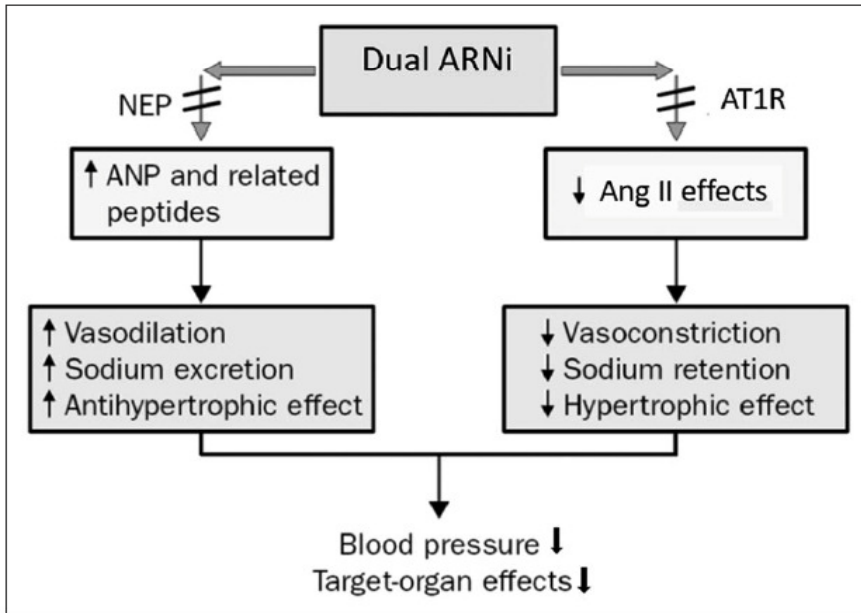
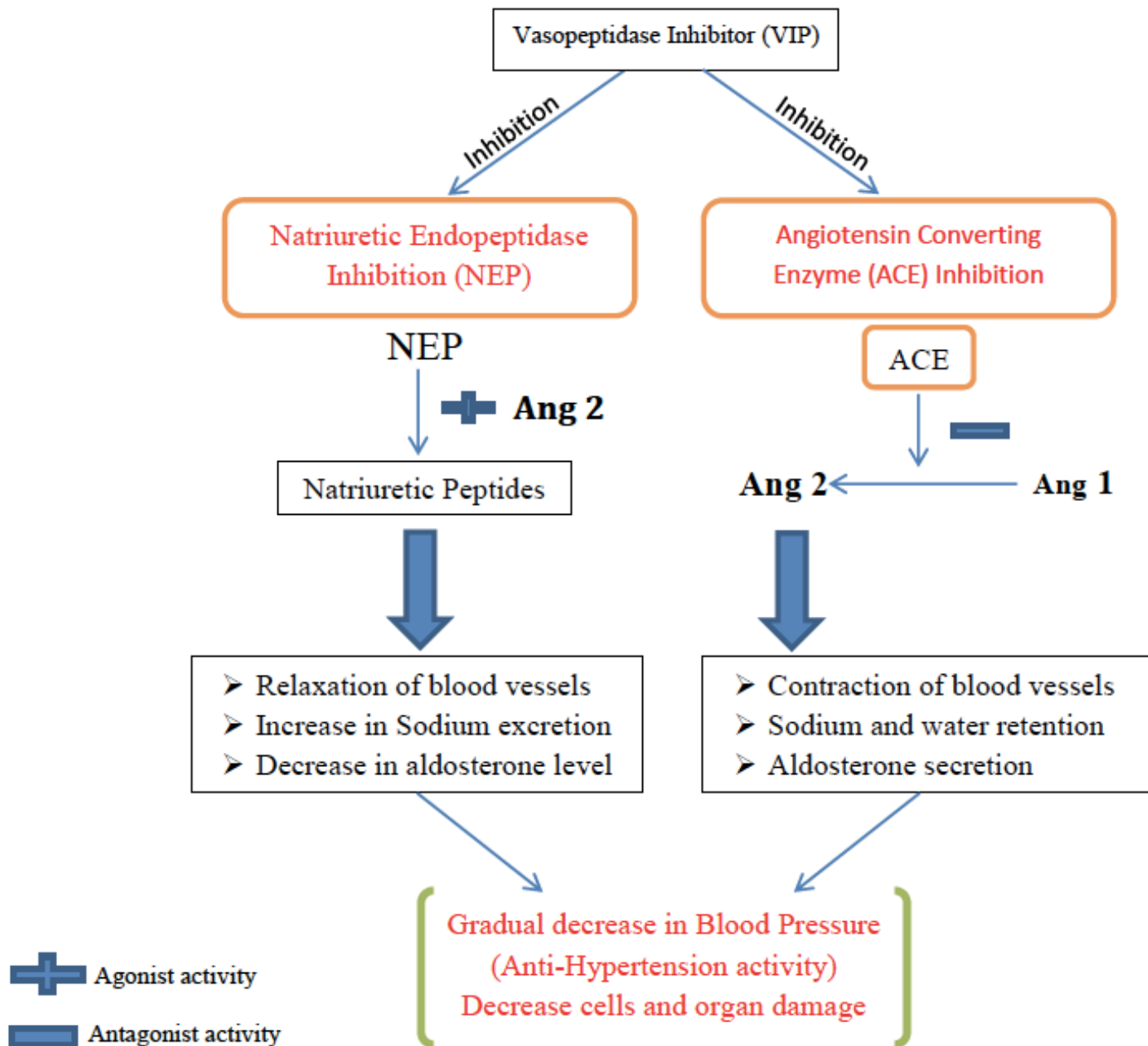


Figure 1. Mechanism of action of the dual ARNi (angiotensin receptor-neprilysin inhibitors). ANP indicates atrial natriuretic peptide; and NEP, neprilysin.

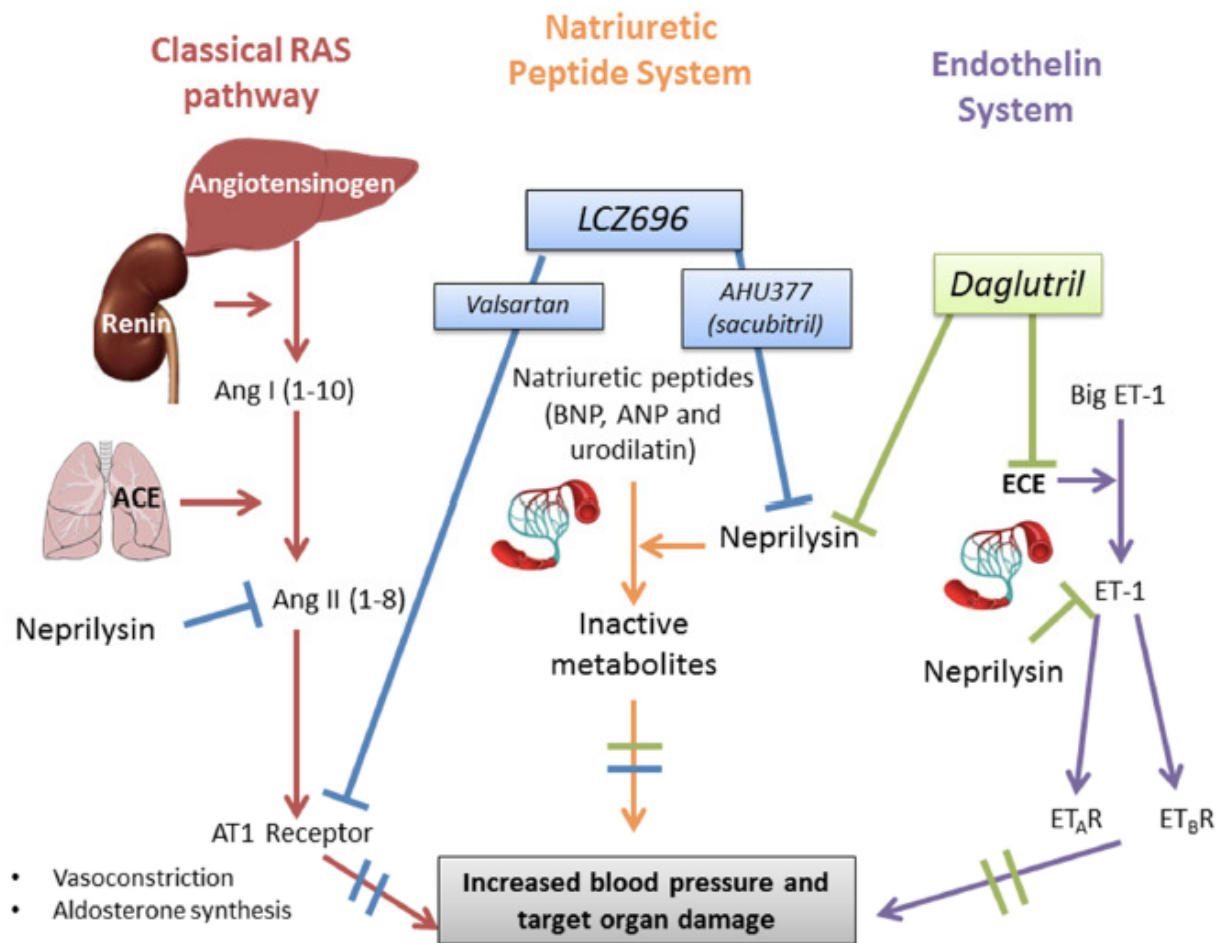
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**Fig. 1: Role of vasopeptidase inhibitor in hypertension**



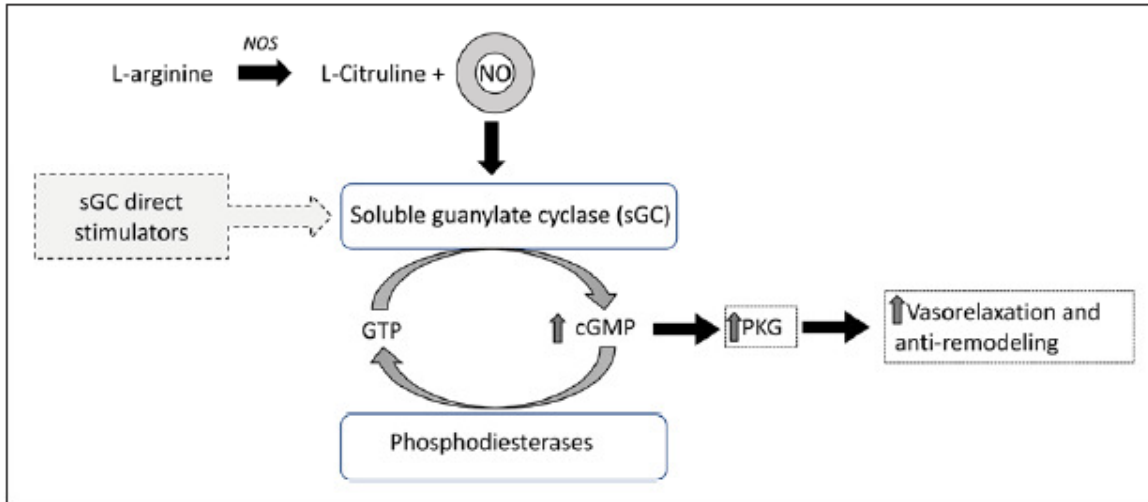


**Figure 4. Vasopeptidase inhibitors.** Combining an inhibitor of the natriuretic peptide degrading enzyme neprilysin with an angiotensin receptor blocker (ARB) or an endothelin converting enzyme (ECE) inhibitor in the same molecule offers the theoretical advantage of enhancing the favorable vasodilator/natriuretic effects of the natriuretic peptides and reducing the deleterious vasoconstrictor/proinflammatory effects of angiotensin II (Ang II) and endothelin-1 (ET-1) on blood pressure (BP) and target organ damage. The ARB–neprilysin inhibitor (ARNI), LCZ696, is a single molecule comprising the ARB valsartan and the neprilysin inhibitor pro-drug AHU377 (sacubitril). LCZ696 has been shown to lower BP, particularly in Asian populations, and to prevent death from cardiovascular (CV) causes and hospitalization for heart failure (HF) in patients with reduced left ventricular ejection fraction (LVEF). The ECE–neprilysin inhibitor daglutril has been shown to lower BP in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus and nephropathy and to reduce pulmonary arterial pressure in patients with HF. Red, classical RAS; orange, natriuretic peptide system; purple, endothelin system; blue, LCZ696; green, daglutril.

## Solubl Guanilat Siklaz Stimülatörleri

### Vericiguat

Çözünebilir guanilat siklaz (sGC) stimülatörü, NO-sGC-siklik guanozin monofosfat (cGMP) yolağını hedefler



**Figure 2.** Mechanism of action of the soluble guanylate cyclase (sGC) activators. cGMP indicates cyclic guanosine monophosphate; NOS, nitric oxide synthase; PKG, protein kinase G.

## Non-steroid Dihidropiridin bazlı Mineralokortikoid Reseptör Antagonistleri

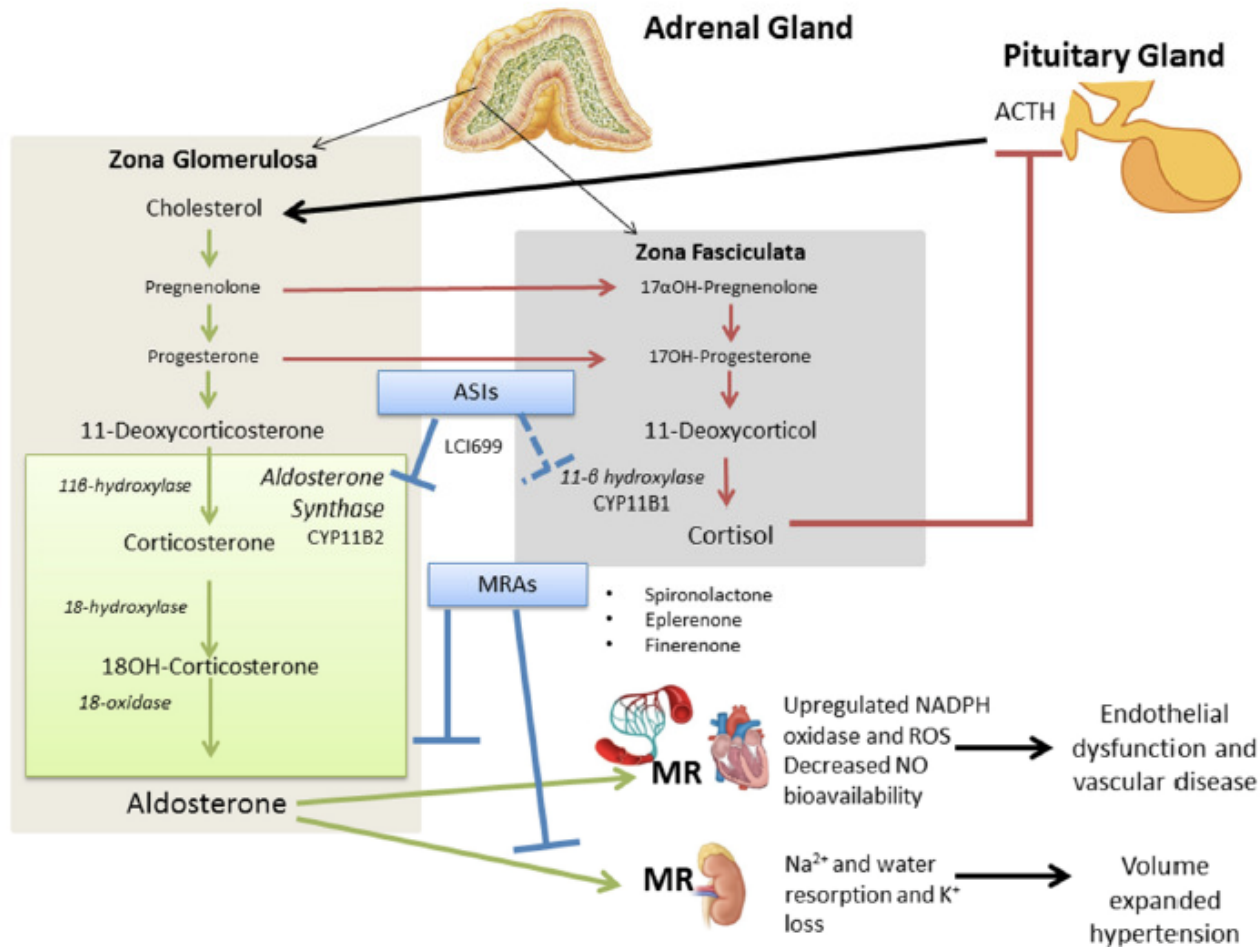
Steroid MRA (mineralokortikoid reseptör antagonistleri), spironolakton ve eplerenon ile hiperkalemi ve böbrek fonksiyonlarında bozulma riski, sınırlı kullanım

Non-steroid dihidropiridin bazlı üçüncü ve dördüncü nesil MRA'nın gelişimi; dihidronaftiridin finerenon ([BAY94-8862](#))

## Aldosteron Sentaz İnhibitorleri

MRA'lar RAAS bileşenlerinde, özellikle aldosteronda artışa neden olabilir

Aldosteron üretimini azaltan, yeni bir anti-aldosteron ajan, aldosteron sentaz inhibitörü (ASI), LCI699



**Figure 1. Mechanism of action of anti-aldosterone agents.** Aldosterone synthase inhibitors (ASIs), such as LCI699, inhibit the rate limiting step of aldosterone production. Mineralocorticoid receptor agonists (MRAs), such as finerenone, compete for the binding sites of aldosterone and effectively decrease blood pressure and aldosterone-mediated gene transcription. Both approaches have been shown to be useful in treating aldosterone-mediated hypertension and vascular disease. Aldosterone synthesis, green; cortisol synthesis, red; anti-aldosterone drugs, blue.

[Oparil S, Schmieder RE.](#) New approaches in the treatment of hypertension. [Circ Res.](#) 2015 Mar 13;116(6): 1074-95.

## Angiotensin-Dönüştürücü Enzyme2/ Angiotensin(1–7)/ MAS Reseptör Aksı Aktivatörleri

ACE2 aktivatörleri

Ang (1–7) analogları

AT2 reseptör agonistleri, Mas reseptörünün peptid and nonpeptid aktivatörleri, siklodekstrin ile komplekslenmiş alamandin

Ferreira A J, Murça T M, Fraga-Silva R A, Castro C H, Raizada M K and Santos R A 2012 New cardiovascular and pulmonary therapeutic strategies based on the Angiotensin-converting enzyme 2/angiotensin-(1-7)/mas receptor axis *Int. J. Hypertens.* 147825.

Jiang F, Yang J, Zhang Y, Dong M, Wang S, Zhang Q, Liu F F, Zhang K and Zhang C 2014 Angiotensin-converting enzyme 2 and angiotensin 1-7: novel therapeutic targets *Nat. Rev. Cardiol.* **11** 413–26

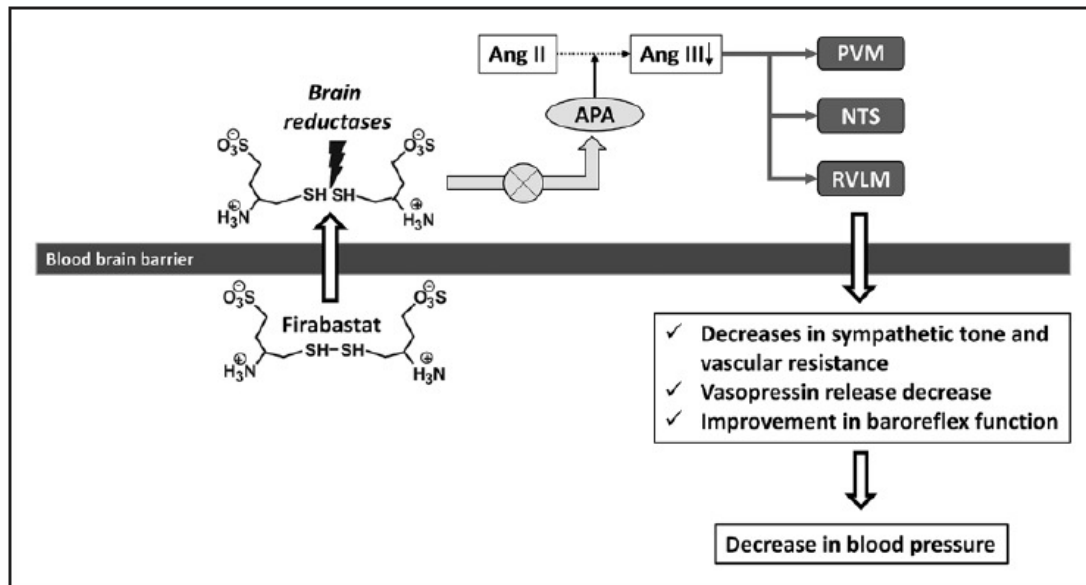
## Santral Etkili Aminopeptidaz A Inhibitorleri

Beyinde fonksiyonel bir RAS varlığı, kardiyovasküler fonksiyonları ve vücut sıvısı homeostazını kontrol ediyor

EC33'ün oral olarak aktif bir ön ilacı (RB150 / QGC001, **firabastat**)

Anjiyotensin III oluşumunu engelleyerek beyin APA aktivitesini inhibe eder

(Marc Y, Llorens-Cortes C. The role of the brain renin-angiotensin system in hypertension: implications for new treatment. Prog Neurobiol. 2011;95:89–103.)



**Figure 3.** Mechanism of action of the dimer prodrug firabastat. As a dimer, the selective aminopeptidase A (APA) inhibitor EC33 is able to cross the blood-brain barrier and inhibit the APA activity. NTS indicates nucleus tractus solitarii; PVM, paraventricular nucleus; and RVLM, rostral ventrolateral medulla.<sup>78</sup>

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## Endotelin Reseptör Antagonistleri

Selektif endotelin reseptör antagonisti, [darusentan](#) ile, dirençli hipertansiyonu olan katılımcılarda faz II ve III çalışmalarında kan basıncında azalma, ~ 11/6 ve ~ 18/11 mmHg

(Black HR, Bakris GL, Weber MA, Weiss R, Shahawy ME, Marple R, et al. Efficacy and safety of darusentan in patients with resistant hypertension: results from a randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled dose-ranging study. *J Clin Hypertens (Greenwich)*. 2007;9(10):760–9.

Weber MA, Black H, Bakris G, KrumH, Linas S, Weiss R, et al. A selective endothelin-receptor antagonist to reduce blood pressure in patients with treatment-resistant hypertension: a randomised, double-blind, placebo-controlled trial. *Lancet*. 2009;374(9699): 1423–31.)

Selektif ETA reseptörü antagonisti [aprocitentan](#) için faz III plasebo kontrollü bir çalışma

(PRECISION study ClinicalTrials.gov NCT03541174)

SONAR çalışması, selektif ETA reseptör antagonisti, [atrosetan](#)

(Heerspink HJL, Parving HH, Andress DL, Bakris G, Correa-Rotter R, Hou FF, et al. Atrasentan and renal events in patients with type 2 diabetes and chronic kidney disease (SONAR): a double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled trial. *Lancet*. 2019;393(10184):1937–47.)

[Azzam O](#), [Kiuchi MG](#), [Ho JK](#), [Matthews VB](#), [Gavidia LML](#), [Nolde JM](#), [Carnagarin R](#), [Schlaich MP](#). New Molecules for Treating Resistant Hypertension: a Clinical Perspective. *Curr Hypertens Rep*. 2019 Sep 10;21(10):80.

## Natriüretik Peptid Reseptör Agonistleri

Endojen natriüretik peptidlerin degradasyonunun inhibisyonu, kalp yetmezliđi, dirençli hipertansiyon tedavisinde kullanım

### Sentetik natriüretik peptid reseptör A (NPR-A) agonisti **PL-3994**

(Sica D, Jordan R, Fischkoff SA. Phase IIa study of the NPR-A agonist, PL-3994, in healthy adult volunteers with controlled hypertension. J Card Fail. 2009;15(6):S67.)

## Vazoaktif Intestinal Peptid Reseptör Agonistleri

Daha selektif ve uzun etkili VIP analogu (**PB1046**)

### Doza bađlı kan basıncına etkileri:

(PhaseBio Pharmaceuticals Inc. 2015. PB1046 (Vasomera™) in: clinical development pipeline. Available from: <http://phasebio.com/clinical-development-pipeline/vasomera/>. Accessed 5 Jun 2019.)



## Dopamin $\beta$ -Hidroksilaz Inhibitorleri

Noradrenalin biyosentezinin son basamağında etkili

**Etamicastat** olarak adlandırılan yeni, perifere selektif Dopamin  $\beta$ -Hidroksilaz inhibitörü,  
BIA 5-453

(Beliaev A, Learmonth DA, Soares-da-Silva P. Synthesis and biological evaluation of novel, peripherally selective chromanyl imidazolethione-based inhibitors of dopamine beta-hydroxylase. J Med Chem. 2006;49(3):1191–7.)

## Intestinal Na<sup>+</sup>/H<sup>+</sup> Exchanger 3 (NHE3) Inhibitorü

Yüksek oranda selektif NHE3 inhibitörü, **Tenapanor**

İyi tolere edildiği ve bağırsakta sodyum Emilimini azalttığı ile ilgili faz I aşamasında 2 çalışma:

(Rosenbaum DP, Yan A, Jacobs JW. Pharmacodynamics, safety, and tolerability of the NHE3 inhibitor tenapanor: two trials in healthy volunteers. Clin Drug Investig. 2018;38(4):341–51.)

## Sodyum-Glukoz Ko-transporter 2 Inhibitörleri

Glukozun idrarla atılımını artıran oral hipoglisemik ajanlar

SGLT2 inhibitörlerinin antihipertansif etkileri için çeşitli mekanizmalar;  
diüretik etkiler, kilo kaybı ve azalmış arteryel sertlik ve vasküler rezistansı yol açan  
vasküler etkiler

(Sternlicht H, Bakris GL. Blood pressure lowering and Sodium-Glucose Co-transporter 2 inhibitors (SGLT2is): more than osmotic diuresis. *Curr Hypertens Rep.* 2019;21:12.)

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AT1 receptor vaccine ATRQ $\beta$ -001

ATR12181

(Chen X, Qiu Z, Yang S, Ding D, Chen F, Zhou Y, et al. Effectiveness and safety of a therapeutic vaccine against angiotensin II receptor type 1 in hypertensive animals. *Hypertension*. 2013;61(2):408–16.

Li LD, Tian M, Liao YH, Zhou ZH, Wei F, Zhu F, et al. Effect of active immunization against angiotensin II type 1 (AT1) receptor on hypertension & arterial remodelling in spontaneously hypertensive rats (SHR). *Indian J Med Res*. 2014;139(4):619–24.)

## Geliştirilmekte olan moleküller

B244, Kan basıncı yüksek hastalarda gerçekleştirilen devam eden faz II çalışması

([ClinicalTrials.gov](https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/study/NCT02998840) NCT02998840)

RMJH-111b (magnezyum sitrat), esansiyel hipertansiyonlu hastalarda güvenilirlik ve tolere edilebilirlik araştırmaları, faz I / II, sonuçlar henüz bildirilmiş değil

([ClinicalTrials.gov](https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/study/NCT02822222) NCT02822222).

SP20203, BAY sGCstim and IT-103, 2018'den itibaren geliştirilmekte

(Business Wire. 2018. Resistant Hypertension Drug Development Pipeline Study, H1 2018 - ResearchAndMarkets.com. 9 June 2019); Available from: <https://www.businesswire.com/news/home/20180612006405/en/Resistant-Hypertension-Drug-Development-Pipeline-Study-H1>. Accessed 10 Jun 2019.

## FDA Approved Drugs

Byvalson (nebivolol and valsartan); Allergan; hipertansiyon tedavisi, Approved June 2016

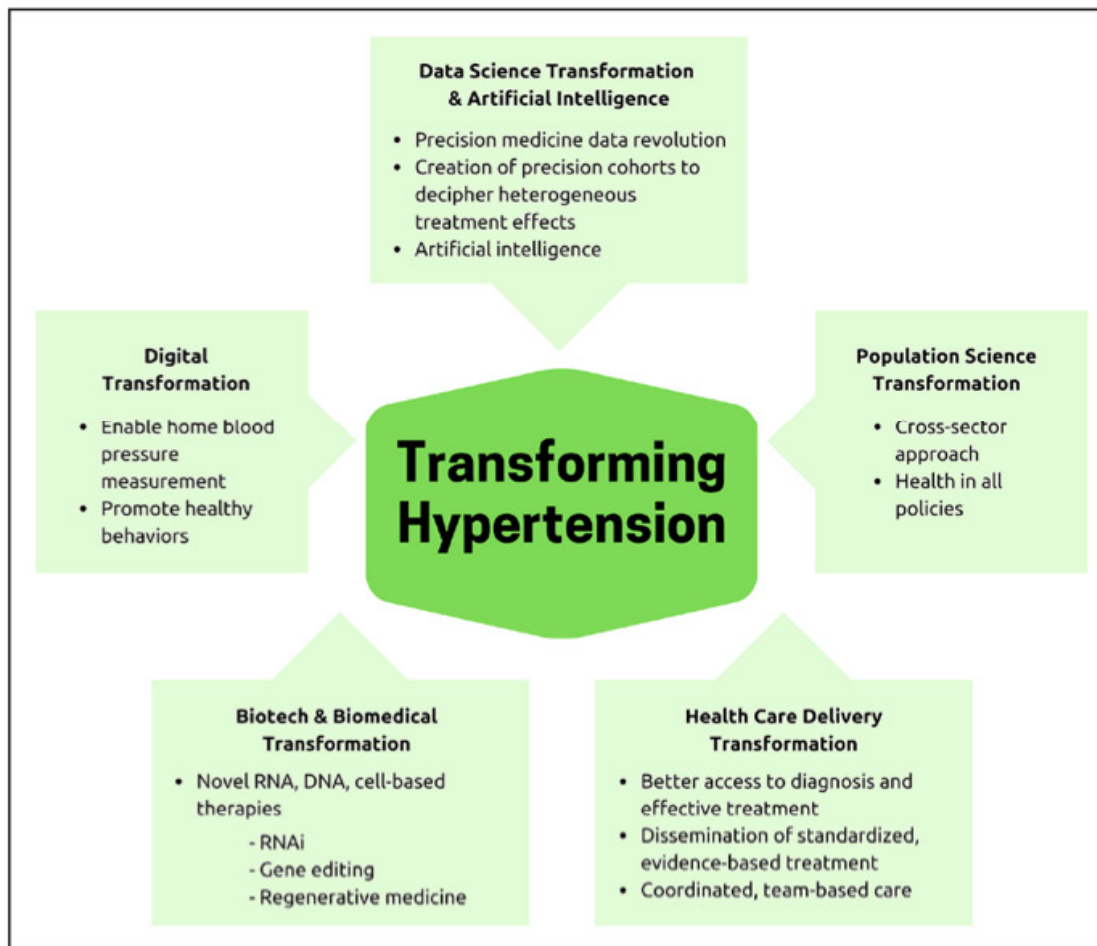
Opsumit (macitentan); Actelion Pharmaceuticals; pulmoner arter hipertansiyonu tedavisinde , Approved October 2013

Edarbi (azilsartan medoxomil); Takeda; hipertansiyon tedavisi, Approved February 2011

Edarbyclor (azilsartan medoxomil and chlorthalidone); Takeda; hipertansiyon tedavisi, Approved December of 2011

Amturnide (aliskiren + amlodipine + hydrochlorothiazide); Novartis; kontrol edilemeyen hipertansiyon tedavisi, Approved December 2010

Tekamlo (aliskiren + amlodipine); Novartis; hipertansiyon tedavisi, Approved August 2010



**Figure.** Hypertension: need for transformation. To control or eliminate hypertension, there is a need for system-wide transformation in research and clinical care as well as the convergence of disciplines. This figure highlights the 5 key areas where progress is needed to advance hypertension control and treatment. Achieving maximum benefit will require convergence of these areas.