

Result

Total number of patients admitted during the period of this study in different ICUs and percentage of patients with ICU acquired AKI in each ICU, table (11):

The present study comprised 749 patients with ICU-acquired acute kidney injury with prevalence rate 21.2% (total admission of 3350 patients, admitted to different ICUs during the period of the study).

Table (12): Total number of patients admitted during the period of this study in different ICUs and percentage of patients with ICU acquired AKI in each ICU.

Cause	Number of patients admitted	Number & % of patients with ICU acquired AKI in each (%) ICU
IMCU	529	189 (35.7%)
CCU	988	138 (14%)
General ICU	2013	422 (21%)
Total	3530	749 (21.2%)

Age distribution, Table (13):

The age of the patients ranged from 17 years to 86 years (mean 50.6 ± 16.2). The frequency distribution of patients according to age is., from age 17 to 19 years only 25 patients (3.3%) developed ICU acquired AKI. From age 20 to 29 years 62 patients (8.3%) developed ICU acquired AKI, from age 30 to 39 years 94 patients (12.6%), from age 40 to 49 years 149 patients (19.9%), from age 50 to 59 years, 144 patients (19.2%), from age 60 to 69 years 202 patients (27%)-and this represents

the highest incidence rate in different age groups studied, from the age 70 to 79 years, 66 patients (8.8%) and lastly from age 80 to 86 years, only 7 patients (0.9%).

Table (13): Age distribution of ICU acquired AKI patients.

Age range	No. and percent of the patient
17 - 19	25 (3.3%)
20 – 29	62 (8.3%)
30 – 39	94 (12.6%)
40 – 49	149 (19.9%)
50 – 59	144 (19.2%)
60 – 69	202 (27%)
70 – 79	66 (8.8%)
80 – 86	9 (0.9%)

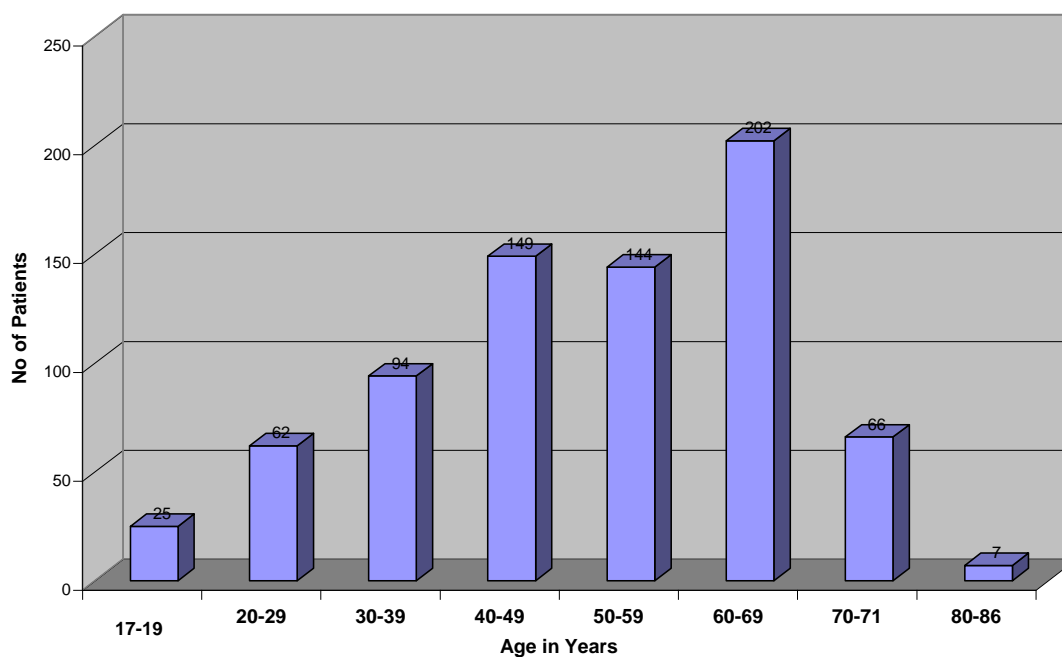


Figure (12): Age distribution.

Sex distribution of 749 patients with ICU acquired, AKI: Table (14):

This study included 537 male patients 71.7% and 212 female patients 28.3%.

Table (14): Sex distribution of 749 patients with ICU acquired, AKI.

sex	Number of patients	
Male	537	71.7%
Female	212	28.3%

Causes of ICU acquired-AKI in (n = 749 patients), Table (15):

ICU acquired-AKI were divided into 6 groups:

- **Group 1:** patients with ICU acquired AKI due to ischemic ATN (iATN): Two hundred sixty four (264) patients (35.3%).
- **Group 2:** patients with ICU acquired AKI due to prerenal causes: one hundred ninety eight (198) patients (26.4%).
- **Group 3:** patients with ICU acquired AKI due to toxic ATN (T.ATN): sixty four (64) patients (8.5%).
- **Group 4:** patients with ICU acquired AKI due to sepsis induced AKI: one hundred four (104) patients (13.9%).
- **Group 5:** patients with ICU acquired AKI due to Hepatorenal syndrome (HRS): eighty one (81) patients (10.8%).
- **Group 6:** patients with ICU acquired AKI due to other causes:

This group included thirty eight (38) patients (5.1%).

- Microangiopathies (HUS, TTP, HELLP, DIC) eighteen (18) patients 2.4%.
- Pigment nephropathy e.g. Rhabdomyolysis nine (9) patients 1.2%.
- Obstructive uropathy three (3) patients 0.4%.
- Unknown cause eight (8) patients 1.1%.

Table (15): Causes of ICU acquired-AKI in (n = 749 patients).

Cause of AKI	No. and percent of the patient	
Group 1 (iATN)	264 (35.3%)	
Group 2 (prerenal)	189 (26.4%)	
Group 3 (toxic ATN)	(64 (8.5%))	
Group 4 (sepsis induced AKI)	104 (13.9%)	
Group 5 (HRS)	81 (10.8%)	
Group 6 Other causes (N = 38) 5.1%	Microangiopathies	18 (2.4%)
	Pigment nephropathy	9 (1.2%)
	Obstructive uropathy	3 (0.4%)
	Unknown cause	8 (1.1%)

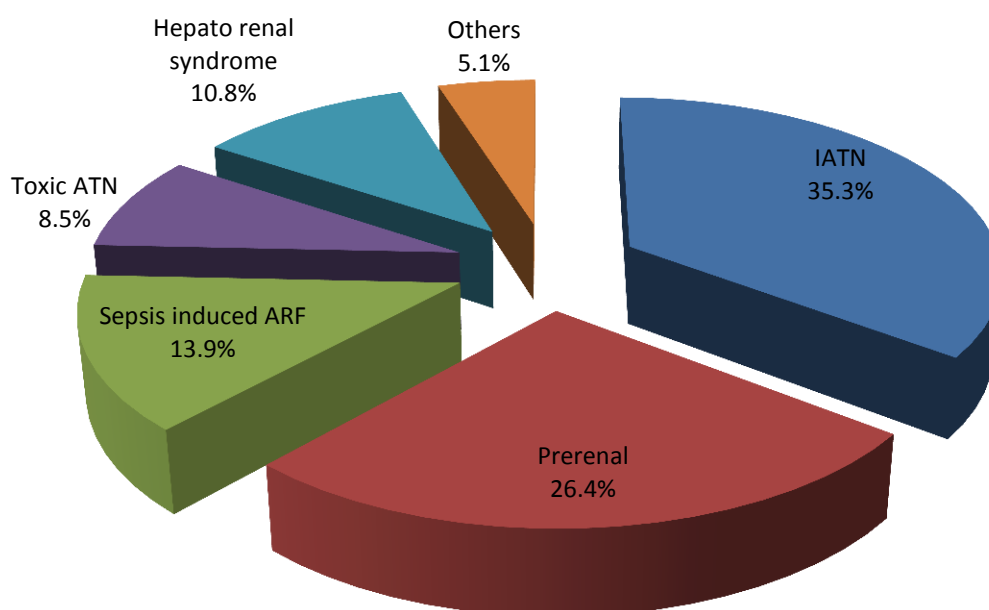


Figure (13): Causes of ICU acquired-AKI in (n = 749 patients)

ICUs distribution:**A) Internal medicine ICU:**

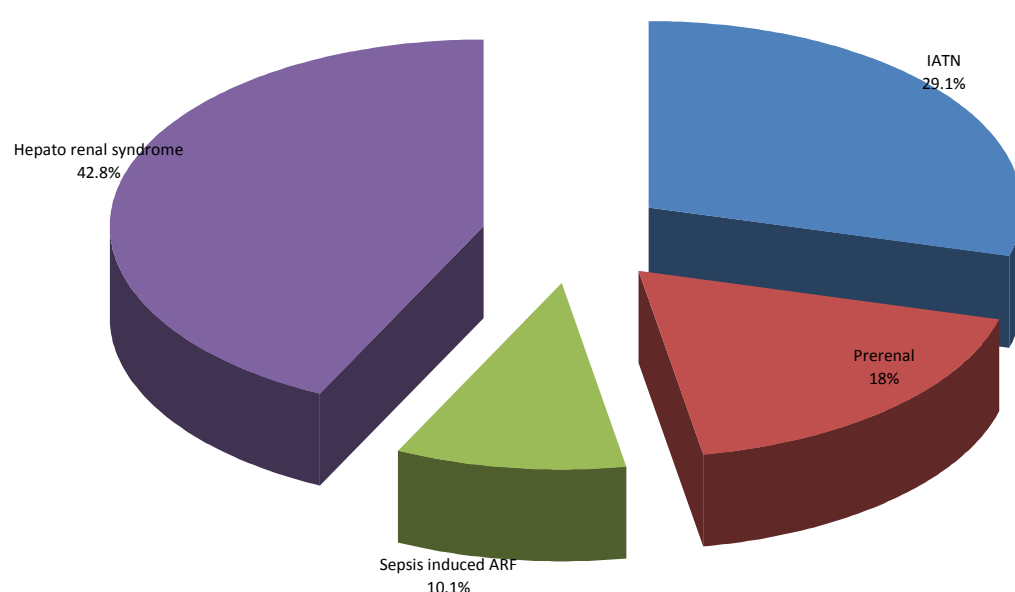
It included 189 from total 529 patients admitted during the period of this study, with prevalence of ICU acquired AKI of 35.7%.

Causes of IMICU acquired-AKI in (n = 189 patients), Table (16):

- Eighty one (81) patients (42.8%) due to HRS.
- Fifty five (55) patients (29.1%) due to iATN.
- Thirty three (34) patients (18%) due to prerenal causes.
- Nineteen (19) patients (10.1%) due to sepsis induced AKI.

Table (16): Causes of ICU acquired-AKI in (n = 189 patients).

Cause of AKI	No. and percent of the patient
HRS	81 (42.8%)
iATN	55 (29.1%)
Prerenal causes	34 (18%)
Sepsis induced AKI	19 (10.1%)
Total	189 (100%)

**Figure (14): Causes of IMICU acquired-AKI (n = 189 patients)**

Descriptive distribution of AKI patients in the internal medicine ICU Table (17):

- **Age:** ranged from 22 years to 73 years old, mean 58 ± 12.9 .
- **Sex:** one hundred forty nine (149) male patients (78.8%), and forty (40) female patients (21.2%).
- **UOP:** one hundred sixty four (164) patients (86.8%) with oliguria, and twenty five (25) patients (13.2%) with non-oliguric AKI.
- **Serum creatinine concentration:** ranged from 1.9 mg/dL-to-11.7 mg/dl-mean 4.3 ± 1.9 .
- **RIFLE staging system:** forty four (44) patients (23.3%) were classified as risk group, fifty five (55) patients (29.1%) were classified as injury group, ninety (90) patients (47.6%) as failure group.
- **AKIN staging system:** fifty one (51) patients (27%) as stage 1, forty six (46) patients (24.3%) as stage 2, ninety two (92) patients (48.7%) as stage 3.
- **Management received:** one hundred eighteen (118) patients (62.4%) were treated with conservative measures, sixty seven (67) patients (35.4%) with HD & four (4) patients (0.5%) with PD.
- **Prognosis:** sixty seven (67) patients (35.4%) survived, fifty seven (57) patients regained normal kidney function (30.2%), eight (8) patients developed chronic kidney disease (4.2%), two (2) patients required regular haemodialysis (1.1%), one hundred twenty two (122) patients (64.6%) died.

Table (17): Descriptive distribution of 189 patients with ICU-acquired AKI in the internal medicine ICU.

		No of patients (%)
Age in year (mean \pmSD)		58.0 \pm 12.9
Sex	Male	149 (78.8%)
	Female	40 (21.2%)
UOP	Oliguria	164 (86.8%)
	Nonoliguria	25 (13.2%)
	Anuria	Non
SCr (mg/dL) mean \pmSD		4.3 \pm 1.9
RIFLE	Risk	44 (23.3%)
	Injury	55 (29.1%)
	failure	90 (47.6%)
AKIN	Stage 1	51 (27%)
	Stage 2	46 (24.3%)
	Stage 3	92 (48.7%)
Method of therapy	Conservative	118(62.4%)
	HD	67(35.4%)
	PD	4(0.5%)
Mortality	Died	122(64.6%)

B) Coronary care unit:

One hundred thirty eight (138) patients in the CCU had ICU acquired AKI, from nine hundred eighty eight (988) patients (total admission during the period of this study), with a prevalence rate of (14%).

Causes of CCU acquired-AKI in (n = 138 patients), Table (18):

- Prerenal causes: 58 patients (42%).
- iATN: 40 patients (29%)
- Toxic AKI: 18 patients (13.1%).
- Sepsis induced AKI: 17 patients (12.3%).
- Others: 5 patients (3.6%): two patients due to obstructive uropathy and three patients due to unknown cause.

Table (18): Causes of CCU acquired-AKI in (n = 138 patients).

Cause of AKI	No. and percent of the patient	
Prerenal	58 (42%)	
iATN	40 (29%)	
toxic ATN	18 (13.1%)	
sepsis induced AKI	17 (12.3%)	
Other causes (N = 5) 3.6%	Obstructive uropathy	2 (1.4%)
	Unknown cause	3 (2.2%)

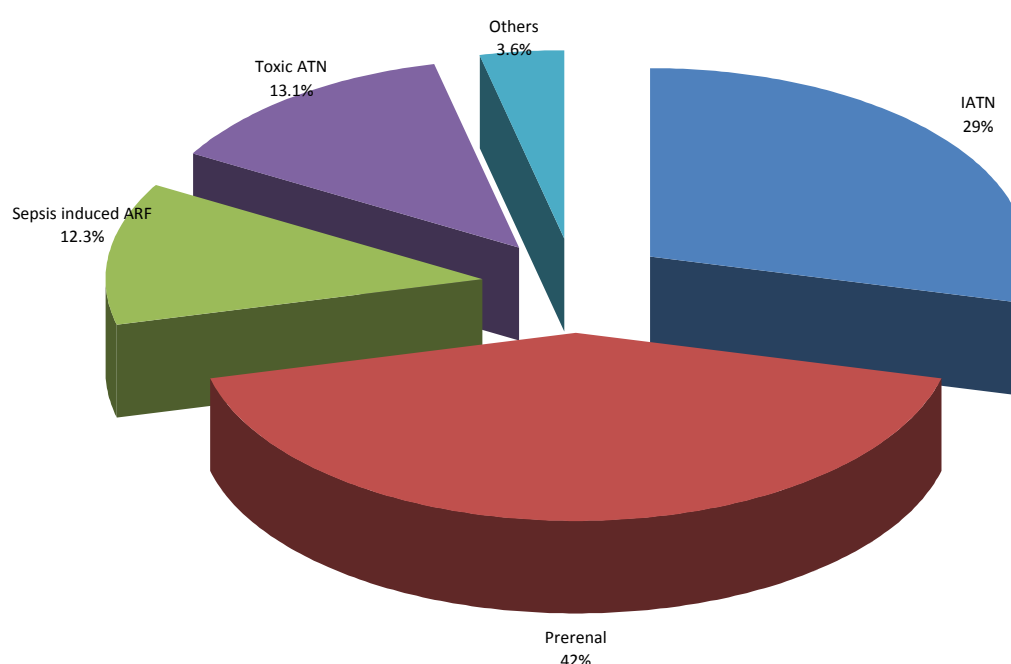


Figure (15): Causes of CCU acquired AKI.

Descriptive distribution of 138 patients in CCU, Table (19):

- **Age:** ranged from 37 years to 75 years, mean 63.0 ± 12.3 .
- **Sex:** ninety five (95) male patients (68.8%), and forty three (43) female patients (31.2%).
- **Urine output:** one hundred eleven (111) non-oliguric patients (80.4%), eighteen (18) oliguric patients (13.1%) and nine (9) patients (6.5%) with anuria.
- **Serum creatinine concentration:** ranged from 1.6 mg/dl to 8.7 mg/dl, mean 4.7 ± 1.7
- **RIFLE staging system:** one hundred thirty three (133) patients fulfilled criteria of RIFLE staging system: twenty nine (29) patients (21.8%) were classified as risk group, thirty six (36) patients (27.1%) were classified as injury group, sixty eight (68) patients (51.1%) as failure group.
- **AKIN staging system:** one hundred thirty eight (138) patients fulfilled criteria of AKIN staging system: thirty seven (37) patients (26.8%) as stage 1, thirty (30) patients (21.7%) as stage 2, seventy one (71) patients (51.4%) as stage 3.
- **Management received:** ninety four (94) patients (68.1%) received Conservative measures, thirty nine (39) patients received HD (28.3%) & five (5) patients received PD (3.6%).
- **Prognosis:** one hundred three (103) patients (74.6%) survived, ninety nine (99) patients regained normal kidney function, four (4) patients developed chronic kidney disease and no one required regular haemodialysis, thirty five (35) patients (25.4%) died.

Table (19): Descriptive distribution of AKI patients in CCU.

		No of patients (%)
Age in year (mean \pmSD)		62.0 \pm 14.3
Sex	Male	95 (68.8%)
	Female	43 (31.2%)
UOP	Non-oliguria	111 (80.4%)
	Oliguria	18 (13.1%)
	Anuria	9 (6.5%)
SCr (mg/dL) mean \pmSD		4.7 \pm 1.7
RIFLE	Risk	29 (21.8%)
	Injury	36 (27.1%)
	failure	68 (51.1%)
AKIN	Stage 1	37 (26.8%)
	Stage 2	30 (21.7%)
	Stage 3	71 (51.4%)
Method of therapy	Conservative	94 (68.1%)
	HD	39 (28.3%)
	PD	5 (3.6%)
Mortality	Died	35(25.4%)

C) General intensive care unit:

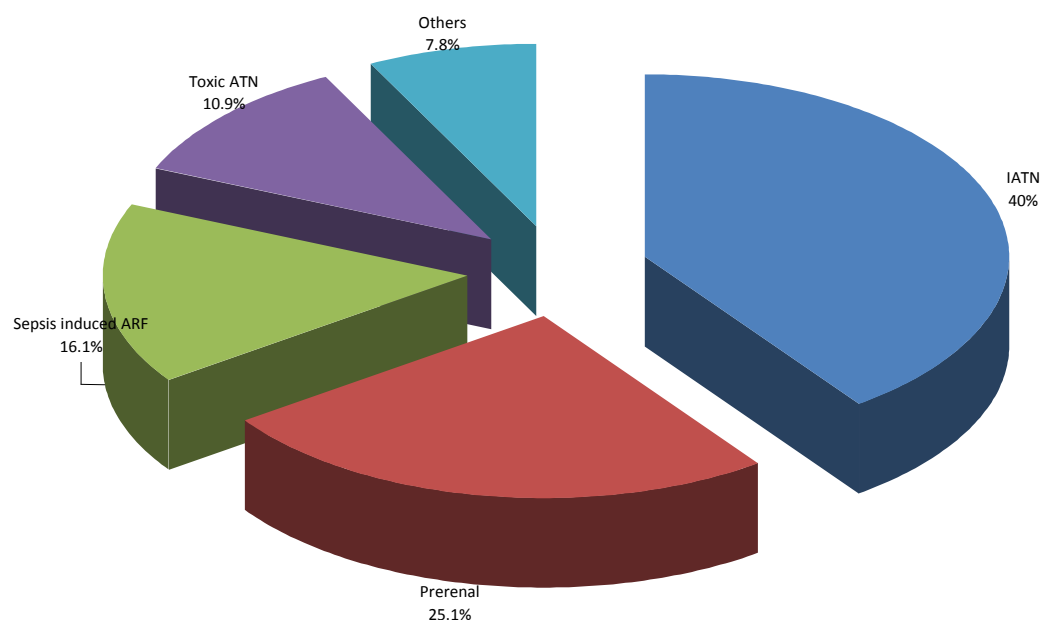
It included 422 from total 2013 patients admitted during the period of this study, with prevalence of ICU acquired AKI of 21%.

Causes of general ICU acquired-AKI in (n = 422 patients), Table (20):

- One hundred sixty nine (169) patients (40%) due to iATN.
- One hundred six (106) patients (25.1%) due to prerenal causes.
- Sixty eight (68) patients (16.1%) due to sepsis induced AKI.
- Forty six (46) patients (10.9%) due to Toxic AKI.
- Thirty three (33) patients (7.8) due to other causes: sixteen (16) patients due to microangiopathy and three (3) patient due to obstructive uropathy, nine patients due to pigment nephropathy and five patients due to unknown cause.

Table (20): Causes of general ICU acquired-AKI in (n = 422 patients).

Cause of AKI	No. and percent of the patient	
iATN	169 (40%)	
Prerenal	106 (25.1%)	
toxic ATN	68 (16.1%)	
sepsis induced AKI	46 (10.9%)	
Other causes (N = 33) 7.8%	Microangiopathies	16 (3.8%)
	Pigment nephropathy	9 (2.1%)
	Obstructive uropathy	3 (0.7%)
	Unknown cause	5 (1.2%)

**Figure (16): Causes of General ICU acquired-AKI in 422 patients.**

Descriptive distribution of AKI patients in the General ICU. Table (21):

- **Age:** ranged from 17 years-to-86 years old, mean 61.3 ± 12.7 .
- **Sex:** 269 male patients (63.7%), and 153 female patients (36.3%).
- **UOP:** 339 patients (80.3%) with oliguria, 55 patients (13.1%) with non-oliguric AKI and 28 patients (6.6%) with anuria.
- **Serum creatinine concentration:** ranged from 1.5 mg/dL-to-11.7 mg/dl-mean 4.2 ± 1.9
- **RIFLE staging system:** only four hundred twenty (420) patients fulfilled criteria of RIFLE staging system: one hundred four (104) patients (24.8%) were classified as risk group, one hundred eighteen (118) patients (28.1%) were classified as injury group, one hundred seventy eight (178) patients (42.4%) as failure group.
- **AKIN staging system:** four hundred twenty two (422) patients fulfilled criteria of AKIN staging system: one hundred nine (109) patients (25.8%) as stage 1, seventy five (75) patients (17.8%) as stage 2, two hundred thirty eight (238) patients (56.4%) as stage 3.
- **Management received:** two hundred eighty three (283) patients (67%) were treated with conservative measures, one hundred twenty six (126) patients (29.9%) with HD & 13 patients (3.1%) with PD.
- **Prognosis:** one hundred ninety two (192) patients (45.5%) survived, one hundred eighty three (183) patients regained normal kidney function, six patients developed chronic kidney disease, only three (3) patients required regular haemodialysis and two hundred thirty (230) patients (54.5%) died.

Table (21): Descriptive distribution of AKI patients in the General ICU.

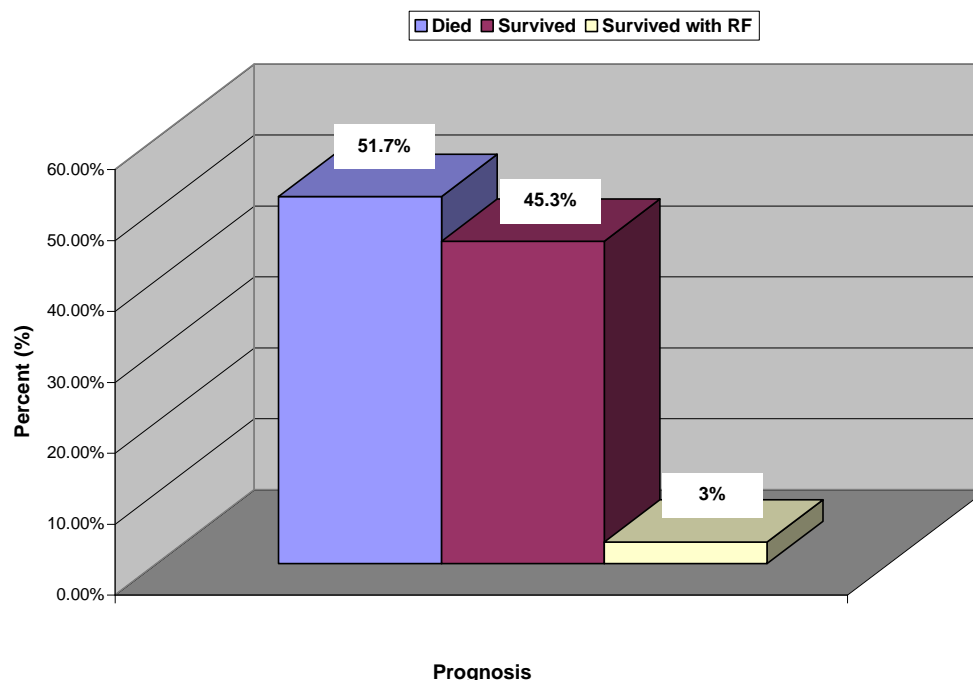
		No of patients (%)
Age in year (mean \pmSD)		61.3 \pm 12.7
Sex	Male	269 (63.7%)
	Female	153 (36.3%)
UOP	Oliguria	339 (80.3%)
	Nonoliguria	55 (13.1%)
	Anuria	28 (6.6%)
SCr (mg/dL) mean \pmSD		4.2 \pm 1.9
RIFLE	Risk	104 (24.8%)
	Injury	118 (28.1%)
	failure	178 (42.4%)
AKIN	Stage 1	109 (25.8%)
	Stage 2	75 (17.8%)
	Stage 3	238 (56.4%)
Method of therapy	Conservative	283 (67%)
	HD	126 (29.9%)
	PD	13 (3.1%)
Mortality	Died	230(54.5%)

Prognosis:***Prognosis of patients with ICU acquired AKI (N = 749), table (22):***

387 patients (51.7%) from 749 patients-died, 339 (45.3%) survived and regained kidney function back to the baseline, while, only 23 patients (3%) survived with renal failure (with or without regular renal replacement therapy).

Table (22): Prognosis of patients with ICU acquired AKI (N = 749).

Prognosis		No. and percent of the patient
Survived (N = 352) 48.3%	With normal kidney function	339 (93.6%)
	With RF \pm RRT	23 (6.4%)
Died		387 (51.7%)

***Figure (17): Prognosis of patients with ICU acquired-AKI.***

Prognosis of patients with ICU acquired-AKI according to cause (n = 749 patients), Table (23):

1. Ini ATN (N=264), 166 patients died (62.9%).
2. From 198 prerenal patients, 28 patients (14.14%) died.
3. From 64 toxic AKI patients, 16 patients (25%) died.
4. From 104 sepsis induced AKI patients, 84 patients (80.8%) died.
5. From 81 HRS patients, 81 patients (100%) died.
6. From other causes (38 patients), 12 patients (31.6%) died.

Table (23): Prognosis of patients with ICU acquired-AKI according to cause.

Cause of AKI		Total number	No. of died pts	
iATN		264	166 (62.9%)	
Prerenal		198	28 (14.14%)	
toxic ATN		64	16 (25%)	
sepsis induced AKI		104	84 (80.8%)	
HRS		81	81 (100%)	
Other causes	Microangiopathies	38	12 (31.6%)	9 (75%)
	Pigment nephropathy			2 (17.7%)
	Obstructive uropathy			0
	Unknown cause			1 (7.3%)

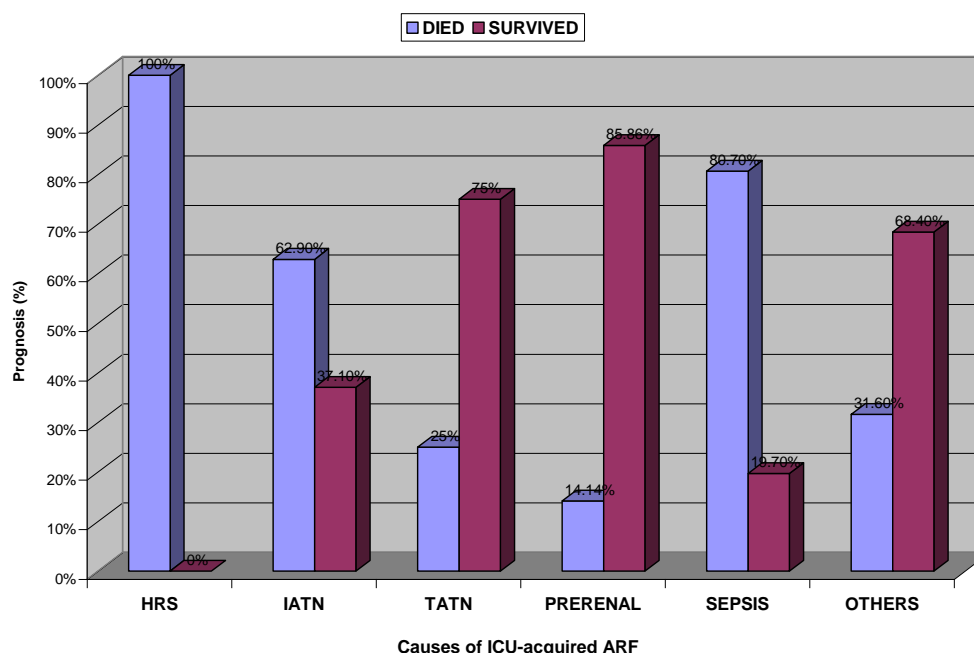


Figure (18): Prognosis of patients with ICU acquired-AKI according to cause.

Comparison between Baseline clinical and biochemical characteristics of different groups of ICU acquired AKI, Table (24):

There are significant statistical correlations between mechanical ventilation, use vasoactive drugs, HR, SBP, MBP, WBC, platelets, bilirubin, number of organ failure and cause of AKI.

Table (24): Comparison between Baseline clinical and biochemical characteristics of different groups of ICU acquired AKI.

Characteristics	Toxic group (n=64)	Septic group (n=104)	Hepato renal group (n=81)	Pre renal group (n=198)	Ischemic ATN group (n= 264)	P
Age	62.2 ± 12.4	60.3±10.5	61.2 ± 11.4	55.2 ± 13.4	57.2 ± 10.4	> 0.05
Sex	76.6 : 23.4	77.9: 22.1	74.1 : 25.9	74.2 : 25.8	75.8 : 24.2	> 0.05
Mechanical ventilation	54.2 : 45.8	57.3: 42.7	17.8 : 82.2	17.8: 82.2	55.2 : 44.8	< 0.05
Vasoactive drugs	35.8: 64.2	68.2 : 31.8	31.8: 68.2	21.8: 78.2	33.8: 66.2	< 0.05

HR		90.3 ± 11.5	96.3±12.5	78.2 ± 11.3	83.3 ± 11.9	83.3 ± 12.5	< 0.05
RR		22.5 ± 3.9	21.3±4.2	23.6 ± 3.3	23.8 ± 3.7	21.3 ± 4.2	> 0.05
SBP		128.1 ± 21.5	105.3±20.3	111.2 ± 21.6	113.2 ± 21.9	120.3 ± 20.3	< 0.05
MAP		76.1 ± 8.5	57.1±9.3	67.1 ± 8.3	68.1 ± 8.5	78.1 ± 9.3	< 0.05
CVP		9.3 ± 3.9	7.3±4.9	8.2 ± 3.3	5.5 ± 3.4	8.3 ± 3.9	> 0.05
WBCS		12.9 ± 3.4	17.3±3.8	10.5 ± 3.1	11.7 ± 3.3	13.3 ± 3.8	< 0.05
Platlet		127.3 ± 23.1	88.3±25.7	127.9 ± 23.4	127.3 ± 23.1	126.3 ± 25.1	< 0.05
Billirubin		1.25 ± 0.1	1.3±0.2	6.9 ± 1.5	1.23 ± 0.1	1.39 ± 0.6	< 0.05
S. Na		133.4 ± 12.9	138.4±12.9	134.4 ± 13.4	135.4 ± 13.9	135.4 ± 11.9	> 0.05
S. K		4.27 ± 0.88	4.7±1.2	4.25 ± 0.8	4.23 ± 0.89	4.3 ± 1.1	> 0.05
PH		7.33 ± 0.15	7.32±0.1	7.29 ± 0.1	7.3 ± 0.18	7.35 ± 0.2	> 0.05
Bicarbonate		17.9 ± 4.3	14.6±5.4	17.67 ± 3.97	17.7 ± 4.1	18.6 ± 5.9	> 0.05
Po2		92.2 ± 13.1	88.1 ±11.1	90.7 ± 10.9	95.1 ± 12.1	94.2 ± 15.1	> 0.05
Failed organ other than ARF	0	48 (75%)	29 (27.9%)		170 (85.9%)	133 (50.4%)	< 0.05
	1	16 (25%)	25 (24%)	81 (100%)	28 (14.1%)	75 (28.4%)	
	2		12 (3.5%)			38 (14.4%)	
	3 and more		38 (36.5%)			18 (6.8%)	

Comparison between Baseline clinical and biochemical characteristics of patients received renal replacement therapy and patients received conservative treatment, Table (25):

There are significant statistical correlations between serum potassium, biocarbonate, and number of organ failure and method of therapy.

Table (25): Comparison between Baseline clinical and biochemical characteristics of patients received renal replacement therapy and patients received conservative treatment.

Characteristics		RRT group (n=254)	Conserative group (n=495)	P
Age		61.9±11.3	60.2±10.9	> 0.05
Sex		70.5:29.5	71.7:28.3	> 0.05
HR		95±10.3	82±9.3	> 0.05
RR		19±2.2	13±4.4	> 0.05
SBP		105.3±9.3	109±12.3	> 0.05
MAP		72.1±6.3	74.3±9.5	> 0.05
CVP		7.5±0.9	8.3±1.4	> 0.05
WBCS		11.3±1.6	10.9±1.7	> 0.05
PLATLET		113.2±22.5	125.7±23.7	> 0.05
Billirubin		2.9±0.4	2.3±0.3	> 0.05
S. Na		123.3±22.3	127.1±20.7	> 0.05
S. K		6.8±1.7	3.6±0.7	< 0.05
PH		7.9±0.3	7.1±0.7	> 0.05
Bicarbonate		15.6±2.3	18.1±5.9	< 0.05
Po2		92.2±10.9	93.8±11.3	> 0.05
(Organ Failure), other than ARF	0	108	310	< 0.05
	1	40	185	
	2	50	-	
	3 and more	56	-	

Comparison between Baseline clinical and biochemical characteristics of Non survivor group and Survivor, Table (26):

There are significant statistical correlations between SBP, HR, MAP, Platelet count and number of organ failure, and prognosis.

Table (26): Comparison between Baseline clinical and biochemical characteristics of Non survivor group and Survivor.

characteristics		Non survivor group (n=387)	Survivor group (n=362)	P
Age		63.9±16.3	59.2±10.1	>0.05
Sex		71.5:28.5	71.8:28.2	>0.05
HR		95±10.3	82±9.3	<0.05
RR		18±3.2	14±5.4	>0.05
SBP		95.3±11.5	107±12.3	<0.05
MAP		62.1±9.3	75.3±13.5	<0.05
CVP		8.5±1.3	9.3±2.4	>0.05
WBCS		12.3±3.6	10.9±3.7	>0.05
PLATLET		103.2±23.5	120.7±29.7	<0.05
Billirubin		3.2±0.8	2.6±0.9	>0.05
S. Na		128.3±25.3	131.1±19.7	>0.05
S. K		5.5±1.3	4.3±1.1	>0.05
PH		7.1±1.5	7.2±1.9	>0.05
Bicarbonate		15.6±5.3	17.1±5.9	>0.05
Po2		88.2±10.9	90.8±12.3	>0.05
(Organ Failure), other than ARF	0	182	256	< 0.05
	1	119	106	
	2	50		
	3 and more	56		

RIFLE criteria and AKIN criteria

ICU acquired AKI patients stratified by acute kidney network criteria (n = 749), Table (27):

According to AKIN criteria acute kidney injury occurred in 749 patients (21.2%), with stage1 in 197 patients (26.3%), stage2 in 151 patients (20.2%) and stage 3 in 401 patients (53.5 %).

Table (27): ICU acquired AKI patients stratified by acute kidney network criteria.

Stages	No. and percent of the patient
Stage 1	197 (26.3%)
Stage 2	151 (20.2%)
Stage 3	401 (53.5%)
Total	749 (100%)

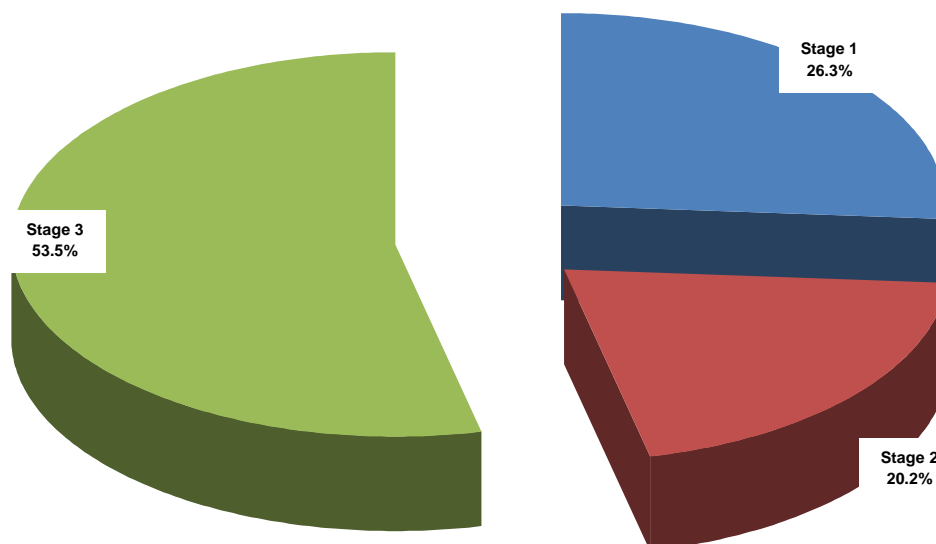


Figure (19): Show ICU acquired AKI patients (n = 749) stratified by AKIN criteria.

ICU acquired AKI patients stratified by risk, injury, failure, loss and end stage renal disease (RIFLE) criteria (n = 742), Table (28):

According to RIFLE criteria acute kidney injury occurred in 742 patients (21%), with category Risk in 178 patients (24%), Injury in 209 patients (28.2%) and failure in 355 patients (47.8%).

Table (28): ICU acquired AKI patients stratified by risk, injury, failure, loss and end stage renal disease (RIFLE) criteria.

Stages	No. and percent of the patient
Risk	178 (24%)
Injury	209 (28.2%)
Failure	355 (47.8%)
Total	742 (100%)

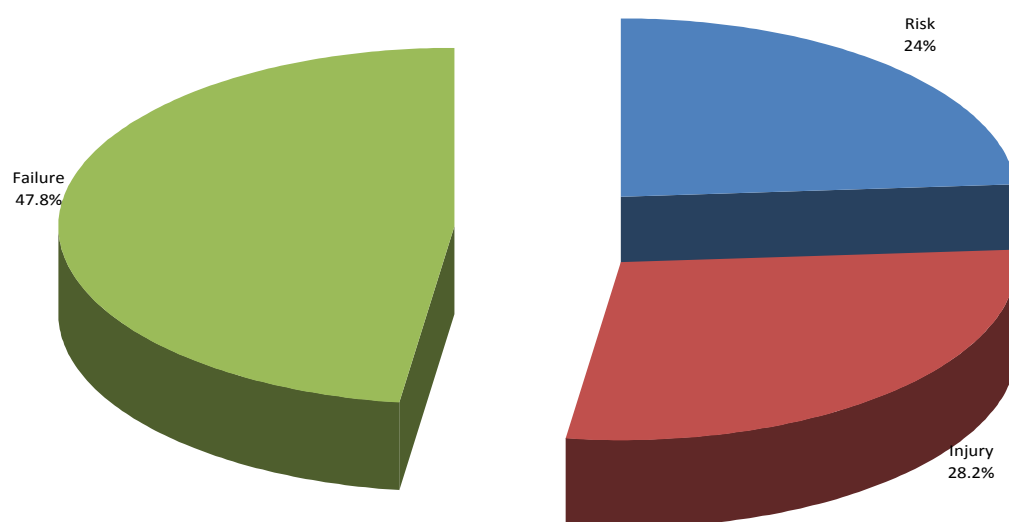


Figure (20): Show ICU acquired AKI patients stratified by risk, injury, failure, loss and end stage renal disease (RIFLE) criteria.

Comparison between mortality in different stages in RIFLE & AKIN, Table (29):

Mortality rates were 30.5%, 50.3%, and 52% in AKIN stage 1, stage 2, and stage 3 groups, respectively. There is progressive increase in mortality rate across different classes of AKIN staging system. There are significant statistical differences, P value was in all p value < 0.001 .

Mortality rate in class R was 30.9%, in class I was 49.3%, while in class F was 62 %, there is progressive increase in mortality rate across different classes of RIFLE staging system. There are significant statistical differences, P value was in all p value < 0.001 .

Comparing corresponding degrees of AKI according to AKIN and RIFLE (stage 1 versus ‘risk’; stage 2 versus ‘injury’; stage 3 versus ‘failure’). There are no significant statistical differences P value was in all p value > 0.05 .

Table (29): Comparison between mortality in different stages in RIFLE & AKIN.

Stage of RIFLE versus stage of AKIN	Mortality	P value
Risk v stage 1	31.1% v 30.6%	> 0.05
Injury v stage 2	49.3% v 50.3%	> 0.05
Failure v stage 3	59.2% v 60.6%	> 0.05

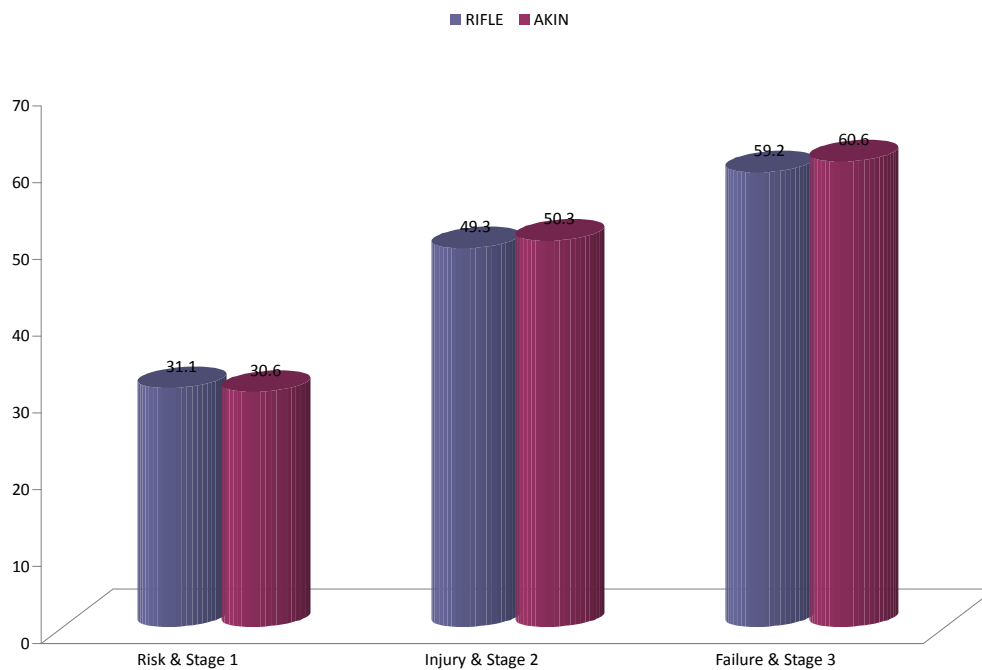


Figure (21): Comparison between mortality in different stages in RIFLE & AKIN.