

# Nefropatía Diabética

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Review

Diabetic nephropathy: Time to withhold development and progression -  
A review

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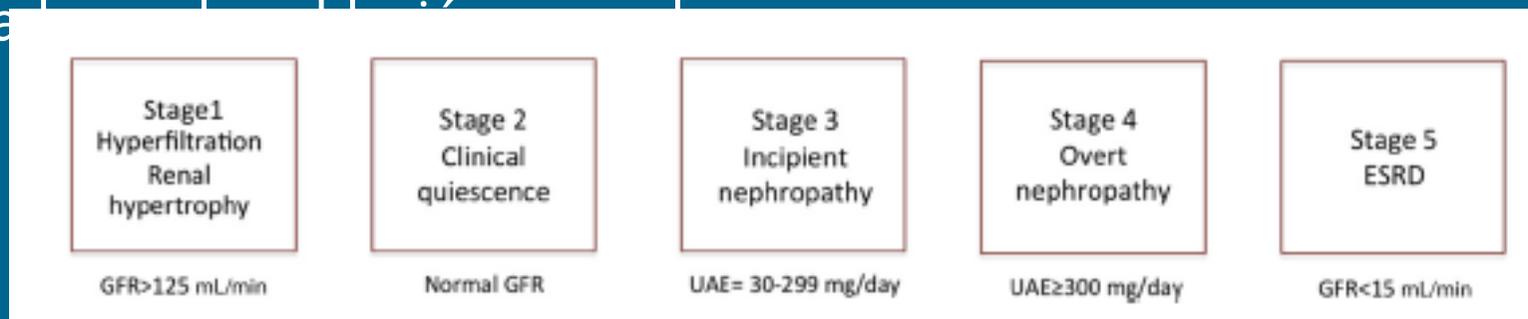
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# Introducción

- ERCT:

- 33% en DM1.
- 10 - 20% de DM2.

- Nefropatía diabética (ND): Aumenta en 6 veces la mortalidad a 10 años comparado con la población general.



# Introducción

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\*1982: “microalbuminuria” identificada como factor de riesgo y de mortalidad en DM.

\*2017:

- El uso de de inhibidores del SRAA parece no ser útil para el tratamiento de estadíos iniciales de la ND.
- Esto motivó a nuevas estrategias de tratamiento.

Perkins BA, Ficociello LH, Roshan B, Warram JH, Krolewski AS. In patients with type 1 diabetes and new onset microalbuminuria the development of advanced chronic kidney disease may not require progression to proteinuria. *Kidney Int* 2010;77(1):57–64.

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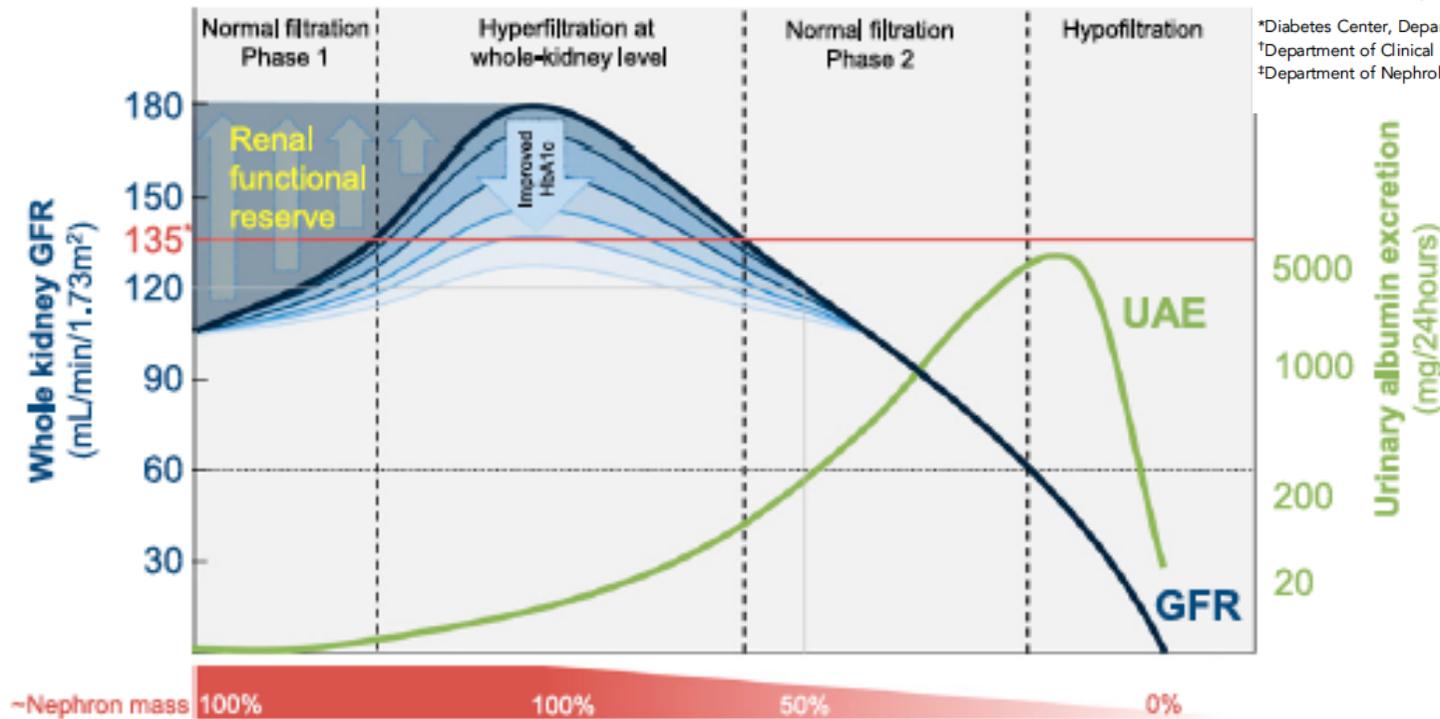
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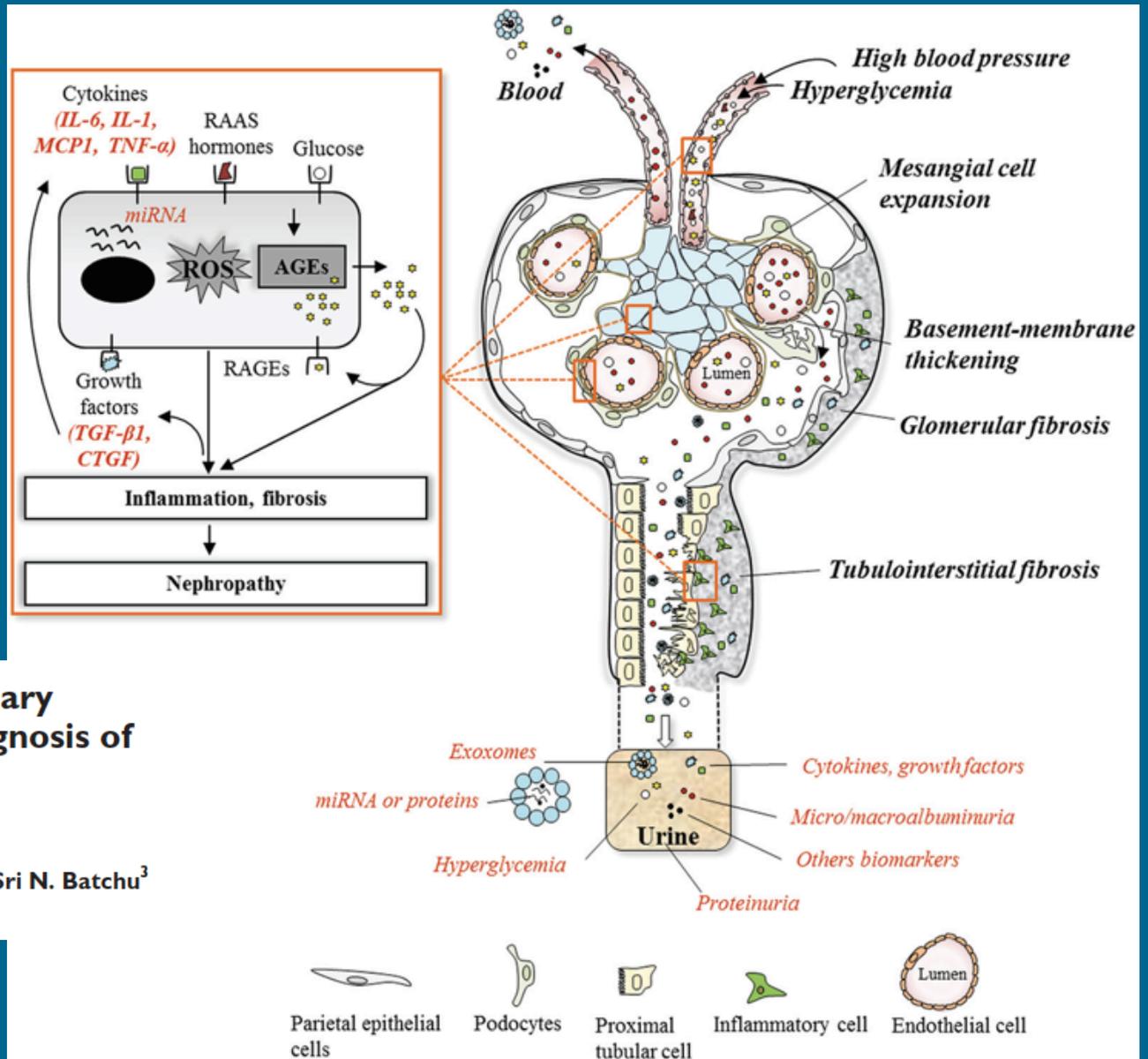
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## Potential Role of Serum and Urinary Biomarkers in Diagnosis and Prognosis of Diabetic Nephropathy

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# Factores Hemodinámicos

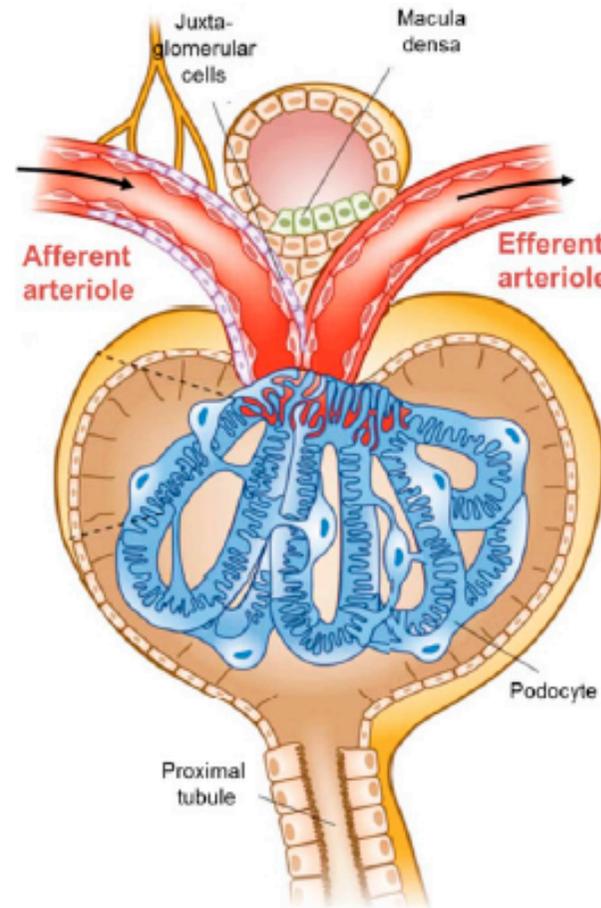
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Factors causing a net reduction of afferent arteriolar resistance
<b>Vascular factors</b>
Nitric oxide bioavailability
COX-2 prostanoids
Kalikrein-kinins
Atrial natriuretic peptide
Angiotensin(1-7)
Hyperinsulinemia <i>per se</i>
<b>Tubular signals</b>
Inhibition of tubuloglomerular feedback (macula densa signals)



Factors causing a net increase of efferent arteriolar resistance
<b>Vascular factors</b>
Angiotensin-II
Thromboxane A2
Endothelin-1 (ETA receptor)
Reactive oxygen species

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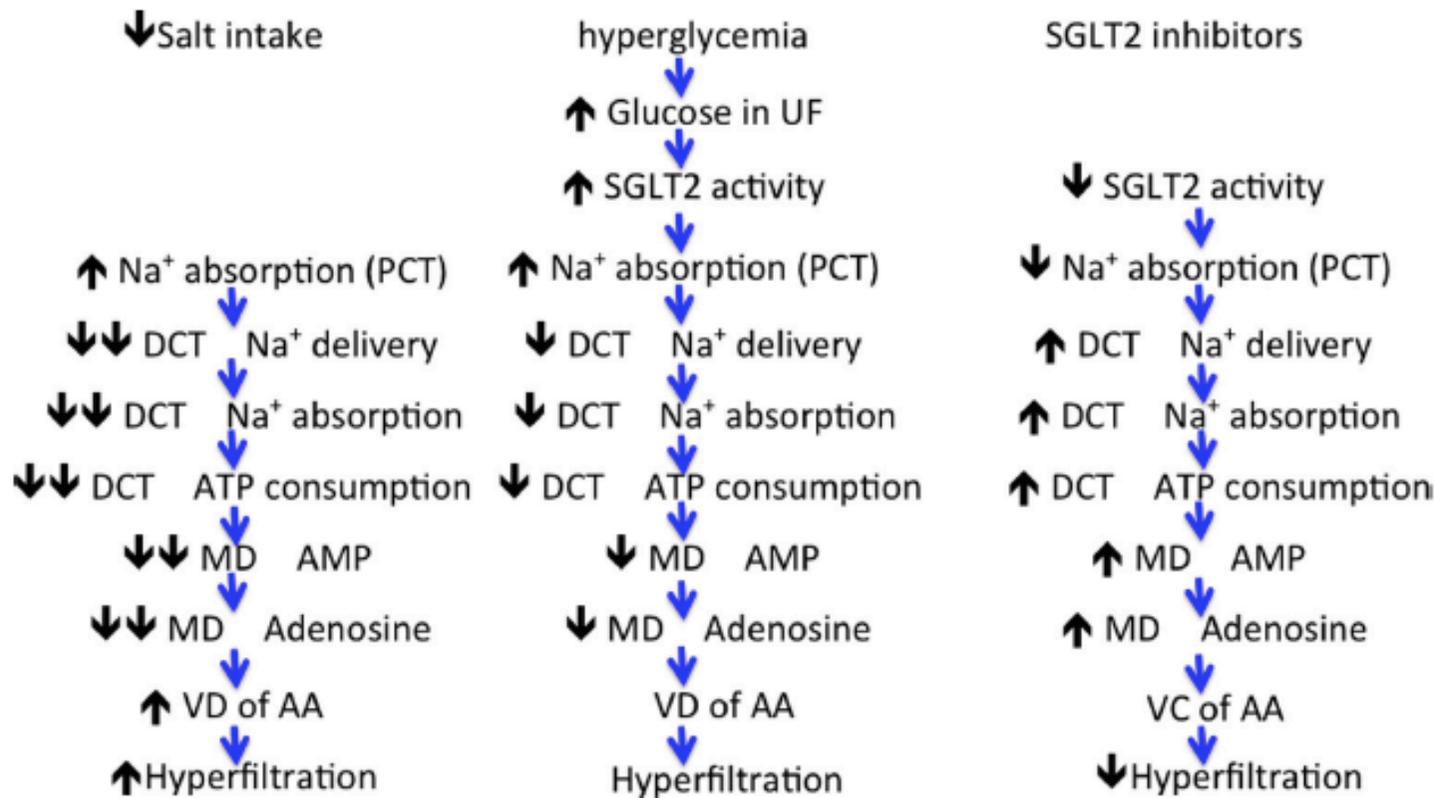


Fig. 2. Tubuloglomerular feedback: impact of low salt intake and SGLT2 inhibitors. UF = glomerular ultrafiltrate; SGLT = sodium glucose transporter; PCT = proximal convoluted tubules; DCT = distal convoluted tubule; MD = macula densa; AMP = adenosine monophosphate; VD = vasodilation; AA = afferent arteriole.

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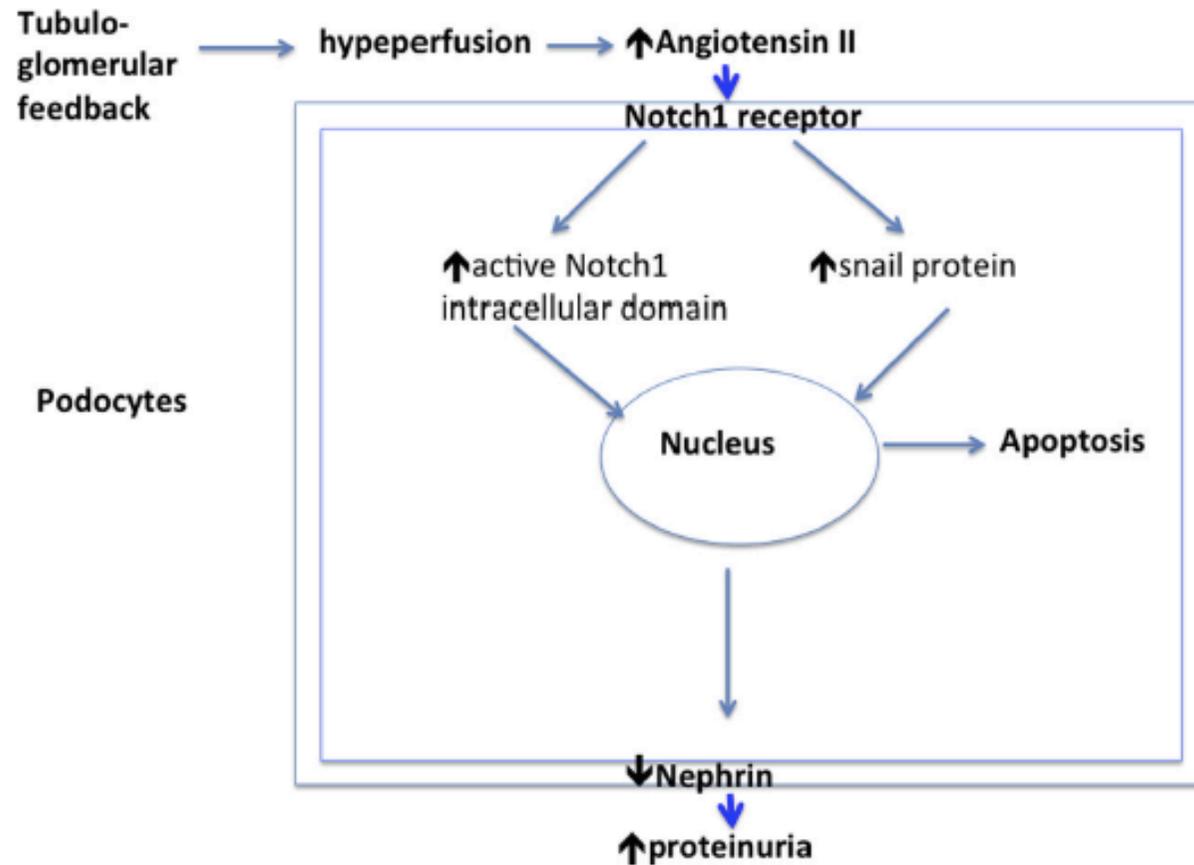


Fig. 5. Mechanism of podocyte injury and proteinuria induced by angiotensin II.

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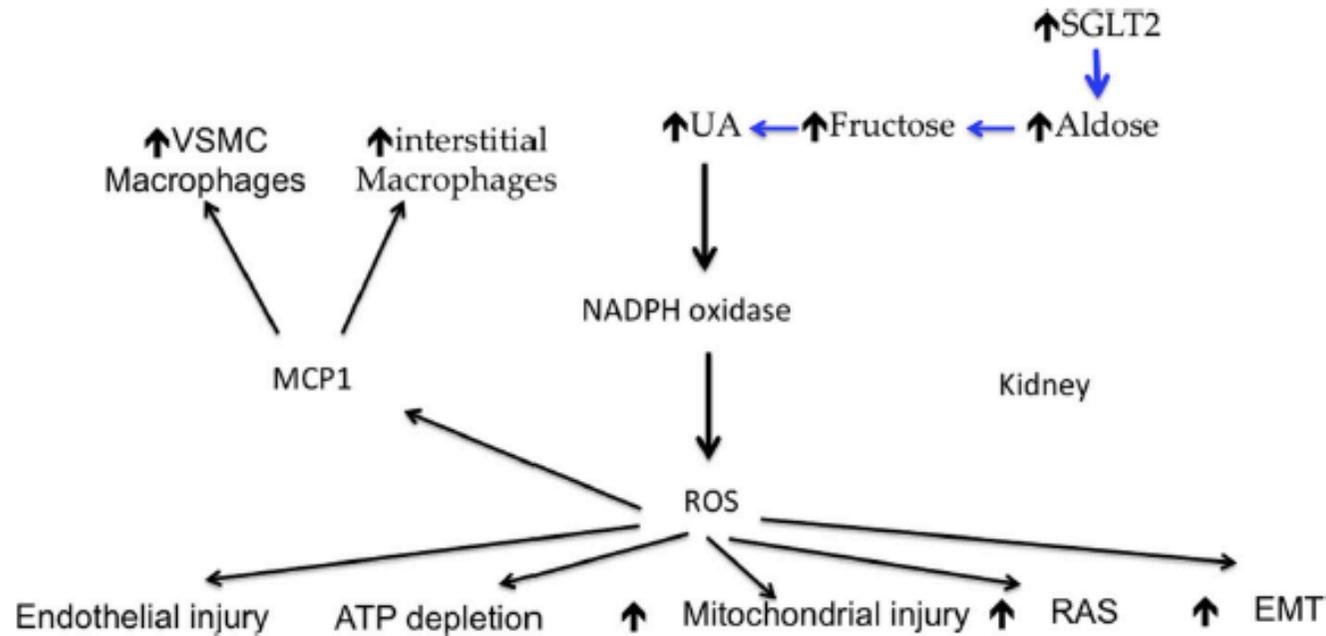


Fig. 3. Different pathogenic mechanisms of kidney injury possibly induced by uric acid. UA = acid; ROS = reactive oxygen species; MCP1 = Macrophage chemo-attractant protein-1; RAS = renin angiotensin system; EMT = epithelium mesenchyme transition VSMC = vascular smooth muscle cells.

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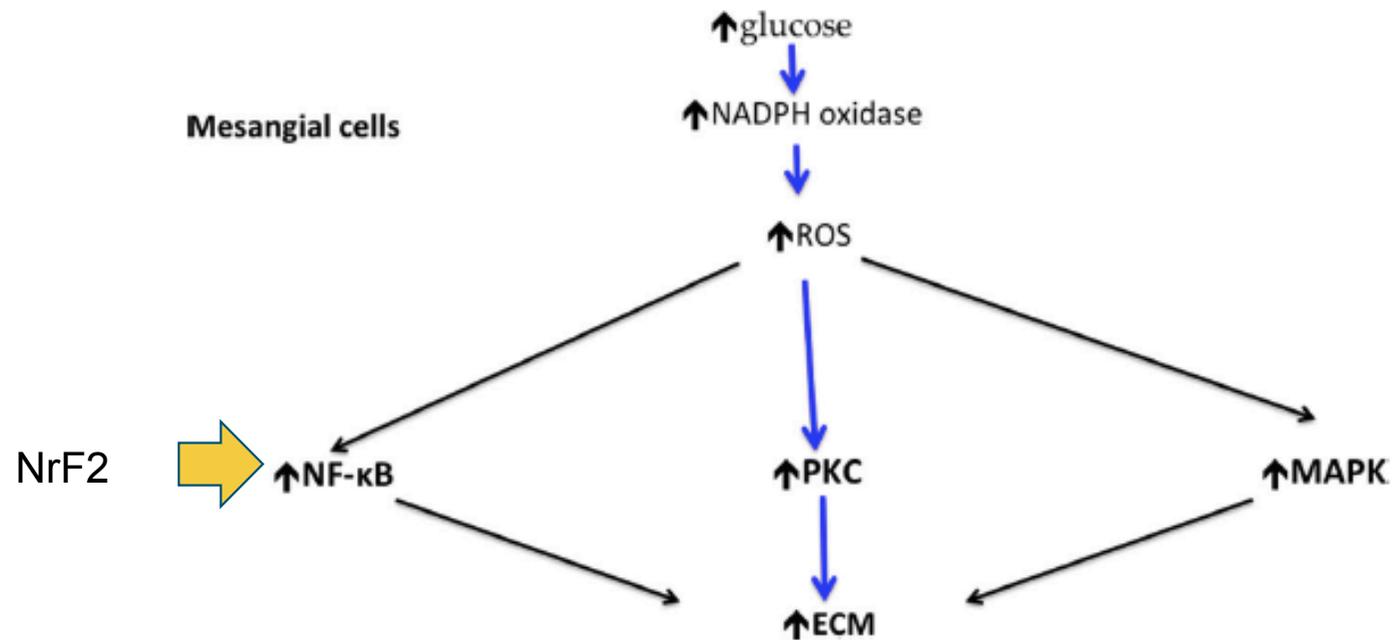
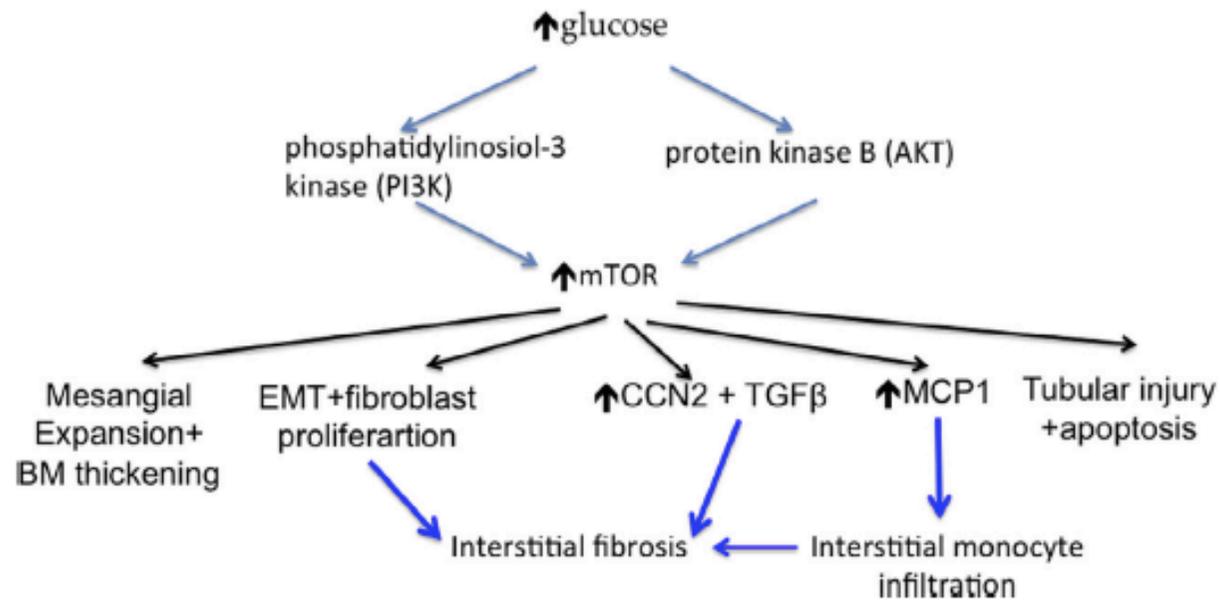


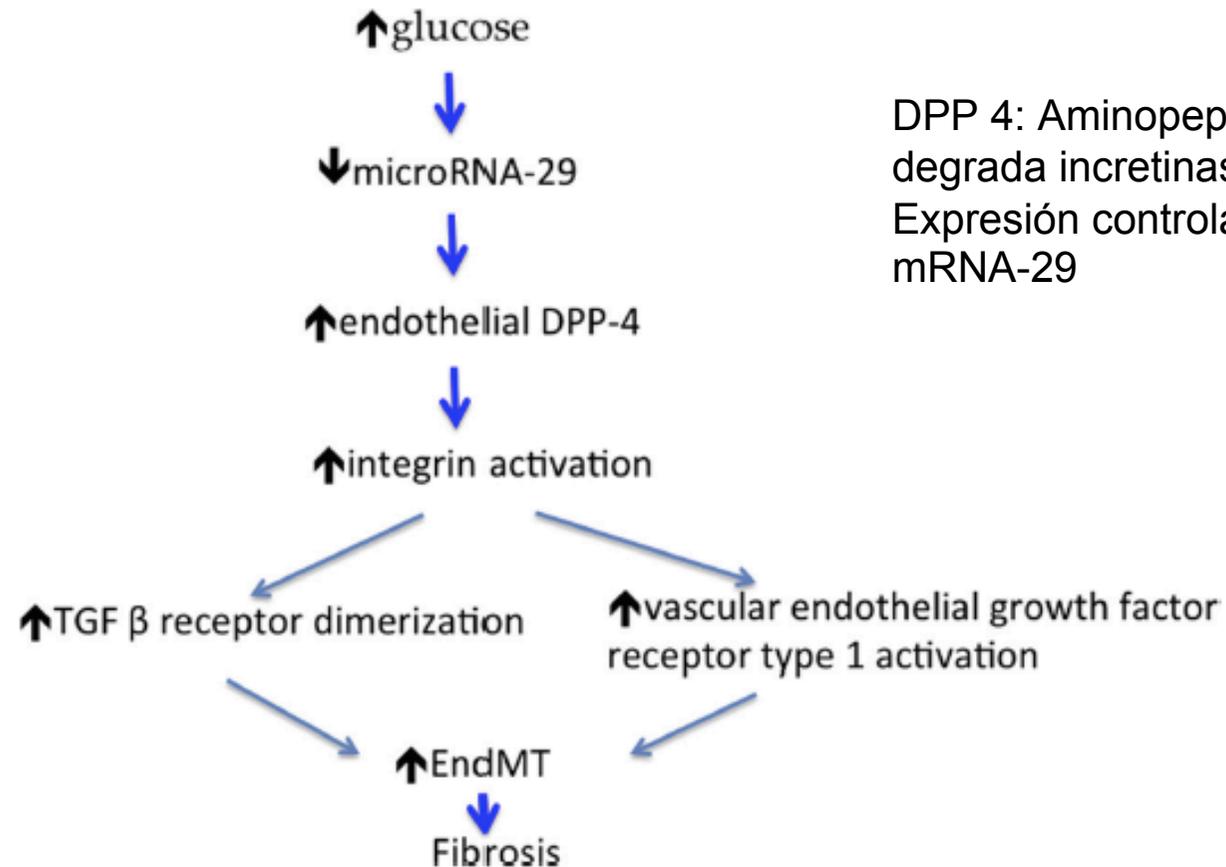
Fig. 4. Hyperglycemia induced mesangial expansion. NADp = Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate; ROS = reactive oxygen species; NF-κB = nuclear factor-κB; PKC = protein kinase C; MAPK = mitogen-activated protein kinase; ECM = extracellular matrix.

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**Fig. 6.** Consequences of mTOR activation induced by hyperglycemia. mTOR = mammalian target of rapamycin; BM = basement membrane; EMT = epithelium mesenchyme transition tissue growth factor; TGFβ = transforming growth factorβ; MCP1 = macrophage chemoattractant protein.

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DPP 4: Aminopeptidasa que degrada incretinas.  
Expresión controlada por el mRNA-29

Fig. 8. DPP-4 mediated renal fibrosis. DPP4 = dipeptyl peptidase-4; TGFβ = transforming growth factorβ; EndMT = endothelial-mesenchymal transition.

A dramatic background image of a stormy sea at night. The sky is dark blue with white lightning bolts striking down into the dark, choppy water. The overall mood is intense and turbulent.

— Hiperfiltración

Inflamación

Fibrosis

# Diagnóstico

- Albuminuria/ proteinuria
- Creatinina/ estimación VFG
- TA
- Fondo de ojo
- Biopsia renal

Urinary Albumin Excretion Rate		
Condition	UAER	
	24 hr (mg/day)	Overnight ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{min}$ )
Normoalbuminuria	>30	>20
Microalbuminuria	30–300	20–200
Overt nephropathy	>300	>200

## Clinical Evaluation of Diabetic Nephropathy

Diabetes proteinuria

Exclude urinary tract infection  
Urine microscopy: red cells, white-cell casts?  
Quantitate proteinuria  
Renal ultrasonography  
Serology if glomerulonephritis suspected  
ANCA, DNA antibodies, C3, C4

### Typical diabetic nephropathy

Type 1 diabetes for >10 years  
Retinopathy  
Previous microalbuminuria  
No macroscopic hematuria  
No red cell casts  
Enlarged kidneys on ultrasound

No renal biopsy

### Atypical proteinuria

Type 1 diabetes for <10 years  
No retinopathy  
Nephrotic range proteinuria  
without progression through  
microalbuminuria  
Macroscopic hematuria  
Red cell casts

Renal biopsy

### Atypical

Azotemia with proteinuria <1 g/day  
Papillary necrosis (pyuria,  
hematuria, scarring)  
Tuberculosis (pyuria, hematuria)  
Renovascular disease (other  
occlusive vascular disease)

No renal biopsy

# Biomarcadores

**Table 2.** Biomarkers of Diabetic Nephropathy Pathophysiology.

Class	Biomarkers	Clinical importance	Method of detection	Ref.
Oxidative stress	Pentosidine	Predictor of progression; influenced by glycemic levels and renal function; biomarker of microvascular complications and diabetic cardiovascular risk.	Serum/urine	77,78
	8-OHdG	Predictor of advanced stage; related to the severity of DN, associated with macroalbuminuria.	Urine	79,80
	Uric acid	Predictor of progression; associated with various stages of DN, onset and progression; <i>potential target for therapeutic intervention in diabetes.</i>	Serum	81,82
Fibrosis	TGF- $\beta$ 1	Predictor of advanced stage DN; positively correlates with micro- and macroalbuminuria	Serum/urine	31
	CTGF	Predictor of ESRD; correlates with the rate of decline in GFR.	Serum/urine	83,84
	VEGF	Predictor of progression; increased during the earlier stage of DN and shown to significantly correlate with urinary albumin excretion.	Serum/urine	85,86
Glomerular damage	Transferrin	Predictor of early stage; increased before development of microalbuminuria.	Urine	87
	Type IV collagen	Predictor of advanced stage of DN; associated with a faster decline in eGFR.	Urine	88,89
	Cystatin C	Predictor of early stage DN; raised early in DN and pre-DN; increased in patients with microalbuminuria without any	Serum/urine	90,91

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Tubular damage	L-FABP	Predictor of early stage and progression of DN; increased from the microalbuminuric stage; elevated in patients with reduced eGFR.	Urine	92,93
	NGAL	Predictor of early stage and progression of DN; found in diabetic patients without early signs of glomerular damage (normoalbuminuric).	Urine	94,95
	KIM-1	Predictor of early stage DN; increased even before the onset of albuminuria and proteinuria.	Serum/urine	96,97
	ACE2	Biomarker of increased metabolism of Ang II in DN; its downregulation or excretion in urine predicts tubular injury and reduced renal function.	Serum/urine	98,99
	Angiotensinogen	Predictor of early and development of kidney injury; levels correlated with albuminuria, biomarker of the intrarenal RAAS.	Urine	100,101
	NAG	Predictor of early stage DN; associated with normoalbuminuric and microalbuminuric stages; increased in parallel with the severity of disease.	Urine	102,103
	$\alpha$ I-microglobulin	Predictor of early stage DN; directly correlates with albuminuria and severity of the disease.	Urine	104,105
	FGF23	Predictor of DN progression to ESRD; associated with macroalbuminuria and risk of mortality.	Serum	106,107

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Inflammation	TNF- $\alpha$ ;TNFR1/2	Predictor of DN progression to ESRD and GFR loss; associated with the presence and severity of microalbuminuric stage.	Serum/urine	108,109
	MCP-1	Predictor of progressive renal disease; correlated significantly with albuminuria levels; accelerate nephropathy by increasing inflammation and fibrosis; <i>potential for therapeutic target for treating DN.</i>	Urine	110,111
	IL-18, IL-1, IL-6, IL-8	Predictor of DN progression; strongly associated with future risk of early progressive renal decline.	Serum/urine	18,112-114

# Biomarcadores

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- Micro ARNs
- ARN no codificantes.
- Exosomas urinarios.
- Micropartículas.



# Tratamiento

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- Control de TA:
  - Usar IECA / ARA 2 si hay albuminuria.
    - Disminuye  $P^{\circ}$  intraglomerular.
    - Menor producción de IL.
    - Estimula la producción de genes Klotho.
  - Objetivo: ??
- Control de glucemia:
  - UKPDS: Adecuado control metabólico disminuyó hasta 33% RR de progresión de

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- Metformina:
  - Activación del AMPK lleva a inhibición del mTOR.
  - Inhibe apoptosis del podocito.
- Tiazolidinedionas:
  - pioglitazona: protege podocito por disminución de efecto inflamatorio local.
- Agonistas de GLP-1: sin evidencia al momento.
- Inhibidores DDP4: Linagliptina

Inhibidores de SGLT2: El futuro?

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- Estatinas: para todos. No influye en la ND.
- Cese del hábito tabáquico.
- Dieta:
  - Ingesta de Na < 5- 6 gr/día
  - Fuerte asociación entre ingesta baja en Na y evolución de ND en DBT II.
  - La “paradoja de la sal” y la DBT I.
- Tratar la hiperuricemia: Impacto en evolución de ND.

# Tratamiento

**Table 2**  
Potential therapeutic modalities to prevent or withhold progression of DN.

Drug class	On-target action	Off-target actions	Remarks	Ref.
Ruboxistaurin	PKC↓	UAE ±, TGF-β±		[79]
Sulodexide		UAE ±		[80]
Atrasentan	Endothelin receptor antagonist	UAE↓	Serious side effects postponed approval	[81]
Aldose reductase inhibitors	IC sorbitol↓, IC fructose ↓	UAE↓	No adequate RCTs	[82]
Nrf2 activator	ROS↓	NF-κB↓, EMT↓		
Curcumin	ROS↓	UAE↓, inflam. ↓	No long term trials	[83]
Resveratrol	ROS↓	EMT↓	No clinical trials	[84]
Bardoxolone	ROS↓	GFR↑	UAE↑, BP↑, HF↑, mortality↑, nausea, wt loss, muscle spasm	[85,86]
Emapticap Pegol	MCP1 ↓	UAE↓	I.V administration	[89]
CCX140-B	CCR2 antagonist	UAE↓, GFR±	Oral administration	[90]
Exogenous klotho	EMT↓, TGF-β↓	Fibrosis↓		[91–93]
Low dose IL-17A	MCP1 ↓	UAE↓, kidney size↓, mes. matrix↓, IF↓, urine IP10↓, TNFα↓, IL-6↓, and S ureai	No clinical trials	[94]



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