

Table 1: Clinical-epidemiological characteristics of the population with CKD according to the NLR level.

| | NLR | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Characteristics | All (n=343) | High(n=50) | Normal(n=293) | P-value |
| Age(years) | 78.3 (11.9) | 76.8 (10.8) | 78.5 (12.1) | 0.33 |
| Sex | | | | 0.27 |
| Female | 127 (37.1) | 15 (30.0) | 112 (38.2) | |
| Male | 216 (62.9) | 35 (70.0) | 181(61.8) | |
| Hypertension | | | | 0.60 |
| Yes | 222 (64.7) | 34 (68.0) | 188 (64.2) | |
| No | 121 (35.3) | 16 (32.0) | 105 (35.8) | |
| Diabetes | | | | 0.50 |
| Yes | 103 (30.0) | 13 (26.0) | 90 (30.7) | |
| No | 240 (70.0) | 37 (74.0) | 203 (69.3) | |
| CKD stage | | | | 0.82 |
| 1-2 | 22 (6.4) | 4 (8.0) | 18 (6.1) | |
| 3a – 3b | 311 (90.7) | 45 (90.0) | 266 (90.8) | |
| 4-5 | 10 (2.9) | 1 (2.0) | 9 (3.1) | |
| Laboratory profile | | | | |
| Serum creatinine(mg/dL) | 1.4 (0.5) | 1.4 (0.3) | 1.4 (0.5) | 0.92 |
| eGFR (ml/min/1.73m ²) | 47.4 (10.5) | 47.6 (10.3) | 47.4 (10.6) | 0.88 |
| Glucose (mg/dL) | 90 (83-104) | 88.5 (82-109) | 90 (83-103) | 0.98 |
| Total protein (g/dL) | 7.2 (0.6) | 7.1 (0.6) | 7.3 (0.6) | 0.08 |
| Albumin (g/dL) | 4.1 (0.4) | 4.1 (0.4) | 4.2 (0.4) | 0.12 |
| GOT (U/L) | 23 (19-28) | 23 (16-27) | 23(19-28) | 0.12 |
| GPT (U/L) | 18(13-24) | 19 (14-24) | 18(13-24) | 0.56 |
| Total bilirubin (mg/dL) | 0.6 (0.4-0.8) | 0.6 (0.5-0.8) | 0.6 (0.4-0.8) | 0.29 |
| Alkaline phosphatase(U/L) | 101 (82-128) | 114 (85-148) | 100 (82-124) | 0.03 |
| Globulin (g/dl) | 3.1 (0.7) | 3.1 (0.6) | 3.1 (0.8) | 0.57 |
| Hemoglobin (g/dl) | 12.2 (1.7) | 12.1 (1.7) | 12.2 (1.7) | 0.70 |
| Platelets (K/uL) | 237.9 (82.4) | 260.7 (10.,6) | 234.1 (78.1) * | <0.01 |

Mean (standard deviation), median (p25-p75), frequency (percent). Abbreviations. eGFR: estimated glomerular filtration rate, CKD: chronic kidney disease, GOT: glutamic-oxaloacetic transaminases, TGP: glutamic pyruvic transaminases, NLR: neutrophil-lymphocyte ratio.

Table 2: Clinical-epidemiological characteristics of the population with CKD according to the PLR level.

| | PLR | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Characteristics | High(n=28) | Normal (n=314) | P- value |
| Age (years) | 72.6 (14.1) | 78.8 (11.6) | <0.01 |
| Sex | | | |
| Female | 8 (28.6) | 119 (37.9) | 0.33 |
| Male | 20 (71.4) | 195 (62.1) | |
| Hypertension | | | 0.37 |
| Yes | 16 (57.1) | 206 (65.6) | |
| No | 12 (42.9) | 108 (34.4) | |
| Diabetes | | | 0.48 |
| Yes | 10 (35.7) | 92 (29.3) | |
| No | 28 (64.3) | 222 (70.7) | |
| CKD stage | | | |
| 1-2 | 2 (7.2) | 20 (6.4) | 0.62 |
| 3a - 3b | 26 (92.8) | 284 (90.4) | |
| 4-5 | 0 (0.0) | 10 (3.2) | |
| Laboratory profile | | | |
| Serum creatinine(mg/dL) | 1.4 (0.3) | 1.4 (0.5) | 0.94 |
| eGFR (ml/min/1.73m ²) | 49.0 (11.1) | 47.2 (10.5) | 0.40 |
| Glucose (mg/dL) | 88.5 (77-112) | 90 (83-103) | 0.47 |
| Total protein (g/dL) | 7.1 (0.7) | 7.2 (0.6) | 0.15 |
| Albumin (g/dL) | 4.0 (0.5) | 4.1 (0.4) | 0.06 |
| GOT (U/L) | 19 (18-25) | 23 (19-28) | 0.02 |
| GPT (U/L) | 16 (12-24) | 18 (13-24) | 0.47 |
| Total bilirubin (mg/dL) | 0.5 (0.44-0.70) | 0.6 (0.45-0.79) | 0.46 |
| Alkaline phosphatase(U/L) | 117 (91-146) | 100 (81.5-126) | 0.08 |
| Globulin (g/dl) | 3.1 (0.5) | 3.1 (0.8) | 0.73 |
| Hemoglobin (g/dl) | 11.2 (1.9) | 12.2 (1.6) | <0.01 |
| Neutrophils (K/uL) | 4.53 (1.6) | 3.89 (1.5) | 0.03 |
| Mean (standard deviation), median (p25-p75), frequency (percent). Abbreviations. eGFR: estimated glomerular filtration rate, CKD: chronic kidney disease, GOT: glutamic-oxaloacetic transaminases, TGP: glutamic pyruvic transaminases, PLR: - platelet-lymphocyte ratio. | | | |

Table 3: Clinical-epidemiological characteristics of the population with CKD according to the vital status.

| | Vital status | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Characteristics | Dead (n=60) | Alive (n=283) | P-Value |
| Age(years) | 81.9 (10.1) | 77.5 (12.2) | <0.01 |
| Sex | | | 0.01 |
| Female | 14 (11.0) | 113 (89.0) | |
| Male | 46 (21.3) | 170 (78.7) | |
| Hypertension | | | 0.52 |
| Yes | 41 (18.5) | 181 (81.5) | |
| No | 19 (15.7) | 102 (84.3) | |
| Diabetes | | | 0.06 |
| Yes | 24 (23.3) | 79 (76.7) | |
| No | 36 (15.0) | 204 (85.0) | |
| CKD stage | | | <0.01 |
| 1,2 | 2 (9.1) | 20 (90.9) | |
| 3a - 3b | 51 (16.4) | 260 (83.6) | |
| 4-5 | 7 (70.0) | 3 (30.0) | |
| Laboratory profile | | | |
| Serum creatinine(mg/dl) | 1.6 (0.9) | 1.4 (0.3) | <0.01 |
| eGFR (ml/min/1,73m2) | 45,0 (11.5) | 47.9 (10.2) | 0.05 |
| Glucose (mg/dl) | 91.5 (84-104) | 90 (82-103) | 0.55 |
| Total protein (g/dl) | 7.2 (1.0) | 7.3 (0.6) | 0.27 |
| Albumin (g/dl) | 4.0 (0.4) | 4.2 (0.4) | <0.01 |
| GOT (U/L) | 23 (19-27) | 23 (19-28) | 0.70 |
| GPT (U/L) | 17.5 (14-23) | 18.0 (13-24) | 0.96 |
| Total bilirubin (mg/dl) | 0.6 (0.4-0.8) | 0.6 (0.5-0.8) | 0.63 |
| Alkaline phosphatase(U/L) | 101 (80-132) | 101 (82-127) | 0.71 |
| Globulin (g/dl) | 3.2 (0.6) | 3.1 (0.8) | 0.66 |
| Hemoglobin (g/dl) | 11.7 (1.9) | 12.3 (1.6) | 0.03 |
| Platelets (K/ul) | 225 (107.8) | 240 (76.1) | 0.20 |
| Neutrophils (K/ul) | 4.1 (1.6) | 3.9 (1.5) | 0.49 |

Mean (standard deviation), median (p25-p75), frequency (percent). Abbreviations. eGFR: estimated glomerular filtration rate, CKD: chronic kidney disease, GOT: glutamic-oxaloacetic transaminases, GPT: glutamic-pyruvic transaminases.

Table 4: Cox regression analysis for the association between high leukocyte ratios and all-cause mortality in the study population

| Exposures | Crude analysis | | | Adjusted analysis* | | |
|------------|----------------|-------------|---------|--------------------|-------------|---------|
| | HR | 95% CI | P-value | HR | 95% CI | P-value |
| NLR | | | | | | |
| Normal | Ref. | -- | -- | Ref. | -- | -- |
| High | 2.01 | (1.11-3.66) | 0.02 | 2.10 | (1.11-3.95) | 0.02 |
| PLR | | | | | | |
| Normal | Ref. | -- | -- | Ref. | -- | -- |
| High | 2.58 | (1.31-5.20) | 0.02 | 2.71 | (1.28-5.72) | <0.01 |

* Adjusted for age, sex, serum creatinine, chronic kidney disease stage, albumin and hemoglobin. Abbreviations: HR: Hazard Ratio; CI: confidence interval; NLR: neutrophil-lymphocyte ratio; PLR: platelet-lymphocyte ratio.

Figure 1. Kaplan-Meier curves of the survival function according to levels of neutrophil-to-lymphocyte ratio.

Figure 2. Kaplan-Meier curves of the survival function according to levels of platelet-to-lymphocyte ratio.