

Table. Serum concentrations of tranexamic acid at comparable selected sampling times in the intravenous bolus group, topical bolus group and the topical moistening group. Data are presented as means \pm standard deviations. All concentrations are in $\mu\text{g/ml}$.

	Time since administration of tranexamic acid					
	30 minutes	1 hour	2 hours	4 hours	6 hours	Last sample ¹
Intravenous bolus group	34.2 \pm 6.3	24.2 \pm 4.9	12.2 \pm 4.6	6.97 \pm 2.58	— ²	— ²
Topical bolus group	0.58 \pm 0.44	1.39 \pm 0.73	2.72 \pm 1.26	4.25 \pm 1.52	4.81 \pm 1.93	1.97 \pm 1.34
Topical moistening group	4.58 \pm 2.85	4.94 \pm 2.84	4.38 \pm 2.00	2.93 \pm 0.96	1.75 \pm 0.39	0.18 \pm 0.07

¹ Mean time from administration to sampling was 18.4 hours in the topical bolus group and 21.1 hours in the topical moistening group

² No more samples taken in the intravenous bolus group after 4 hours