Forrest Classification

Bleeding peptic ulcer · endoscopic findings and approximate rebleeding risk

Ia	Active spurting bleeding (arterial)	55-90%
Ib	Active oozing bleeding	High
IIa	Non-bleeding visible vessel	~43%
IIb	Adherent clot	~22%
IIc	Flat pigmented spot (hematin)	~10%
III	Clean ulcer base (fibrin)	~5%

Ia - IIb	IIc - III
High risk: endoscopic treatment	Low risk: conservative management, early discharge

Adherent clot (IIb) is HIGH risk · flat pigmented spot (IIc) is LOW risk