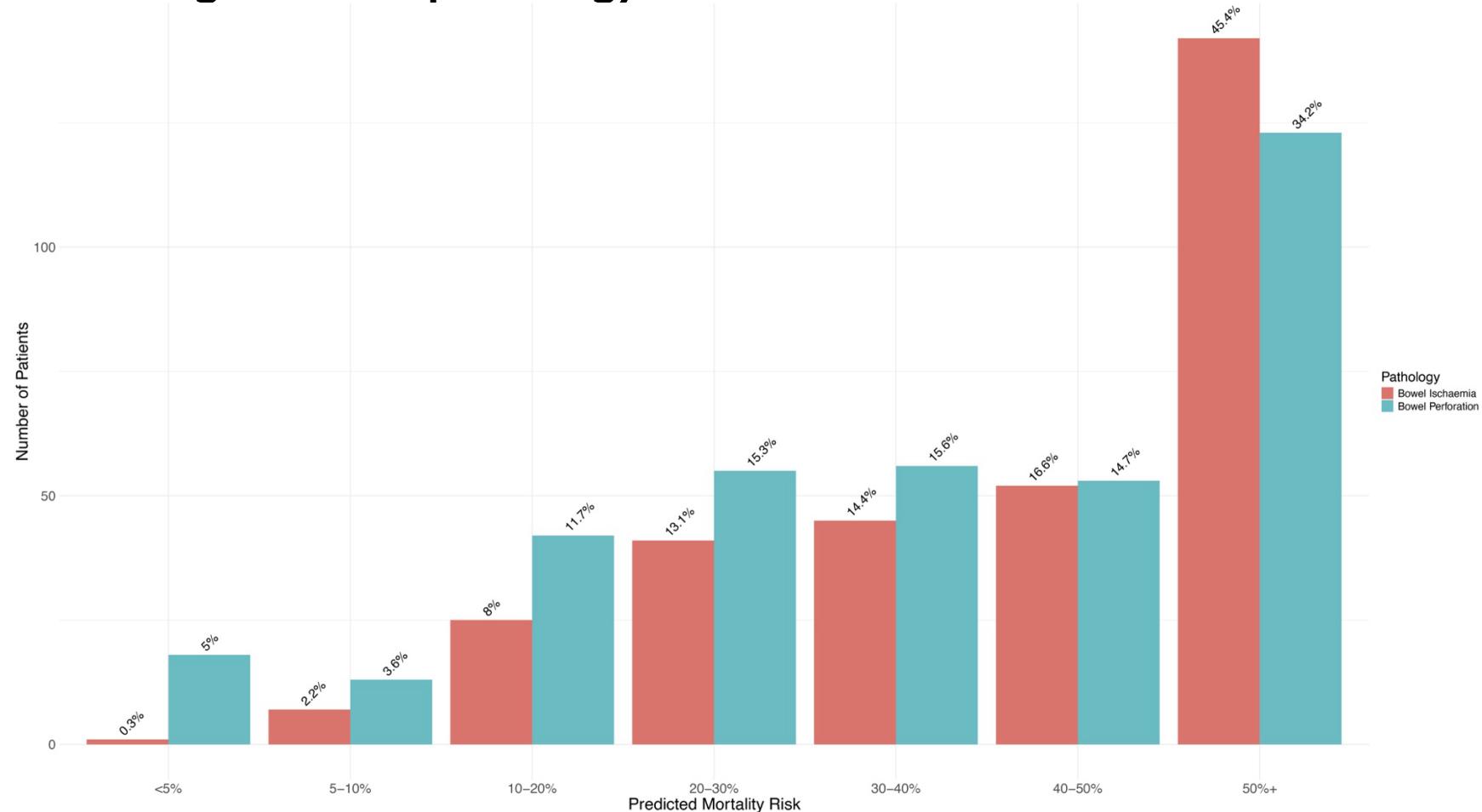


Bar chart 6.1: Distribution of NoLap patients by NELA Parsimonious risk score according to bowel pathology



This bar chart illustrates the distribution of NoLap patients across NELA Parsimonious Risk Score deciles, stratified by bowel pathology. The majority of patients fall into the extreme-risk category (predicted mortality of >50%) (1). Notably, patients with bowel ischaemia tend to be at greater risk than those with bowel perforation, with a higher proportion of bowel ischaemia patients (45.4%) classified in the extreme-risk category (predicted mortality >50%).

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