

## **Supplementary Information to:**

### **Genetic predisposition to lung cancer: comprehensive literature integration, meta-analysis, and multiple evidence assessment of candidate-gene association studies**

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## Supplementary Results

### Information of variants involved in meta-analyses

Our systematic literature search identified 1,018 eligible publications reporting 2,910 genetic variants in 754 unique genes or loci. Main meta-analyses were performed for 246 genetic variants (in 138 genes or loci) with sufficient data (**Supplementary Table S1**). All of these variants are located on autosomes, and chromosome 19 has the highest number of variants (n=47, 19%) (**Supplementary Fig. S1**). According to their population frequency, 235 of the 246 variants are common variants and 11 are rare. These variants were further classified by their potential functional effects: (1) synonymous single nucleotide polymorphisms (sSNPs, n=15); (2) non-synonymous SNPs (nsSNPs, n=90); (3) frameshift polymorphism (n=1); (4) SNPs in 3' or 5' untranslated regions (UTRs; n=40); (5) intronic SNPs (n=46); (6) intergenic SNPs (n=38); (7) SNP in a splice site (n=1); (8) one deletion/insertion variant; (9) variants with microsatellite or short tandem repeat (STR) variation (n=4); (10) variants with multi-nucleotide variation (n=2); (11) variants with a specific change in phenotype (n=4); (12) variants with copy number variation (CNV) (n=2); (13) SNPs in microRNA (n=2) (**Supplementary Table S1**).

### Supplementary results of main meta-analyses

#### *Strength of association between each genetic variant and lung cancer risk*

The strength of association between each genetic variant and lung cancer as measured by ORs had the mean of 1.36 (range 1.08-2.55) for putative "risk" variants and 0.78 (range 0.55-0.90) for putative "protective" variants. Four variants (*HIF1A* rs11549467, *HRAS1* a VNTR [variable number of tandem repeat] variation (loss of

heterozygosity in the 15p15.5 region), *UGT1A6* rs6759892, and *WWOX* CNV-67048) showed strong associations (ORs > 2) with risk of lung cancer. Eight variants (*MAPKAPK2* CNV-30450, *SFTPB* variation [a large gene variation within intron 4], *TP53* rs12951053, *BCL2* rs2279115, *CYP2A6* rs1801272 and rs5031016, *ELANE* rs351107 [-903T>G, Rep\_a], and *MMP2* rs243865) showed moderate genetic associations ("risk" ORs range 1.5-2.0, or "protective" ORs range 0.50-0.67) with lung cancer. The remaining 44 significant variants showed low associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer, of note, four variants of them (*CHRNA3* rs6495309, *CYP2E1* rs6413432, *GSTM1* phenotype, and *HYKK* rs931794) showed highly significant associations ( $P < 10^{-7}$ ) with lung cancer risk (**Table 1 and Supplementary Table S2**).

#### ***Assessment of heterogeneity across studies***

In the 246 main meta-analyses, 86 (34.96%) had little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ) and 122 (49.59%) had high heterogeneity ( $I^2 > 50\%$ ) (**Supplementary Table S1**). And among the 56 main meta-analyses with statistically significant summary ORs, 24 (42.86%) had little or no heterogeneity and 22 (39.29%) had high heterogeneity (**Table 1; Supplementary Table S2**).

#### ***Examinations for potential bias in studies enrolled in meta-analyses***

Of the 246 main meta-analyses, 21(8.54%) had evidence of substantial publication bias on the basis of the Begg's test ( $P < 0.10$ ), 11 of which had statistically significant pooled ORs ( $P \leq 0.05$ ) in main meta-analyses (**Supplementary Table S1**). Furthermore, a modified Egger's test was used to evaluate whether small studies provide different results from larger studies for all

main meta-analyses, and 30 (12.20%) had a significant test ( $P < 0.10$ ) including 11 with statistically significant pooled ORs (*BCL2* rs2279115, *CHRNA3* rs938682, *CYP1A1* rs1048943, *ELANE* rs7254054 (-741G>A, Rep\_b), *ERCC1* rs11615, *FGFR4* rs351855, *GSTM1* phenotype, *GSTP1* rs1695, *IL10* rs1800896, *MIR146A* rs2910164, and *MMP2* rs243865). To examine whether there were relative excess of formally significant findings in studies due to potential sources of bias, such as selective analyses, selective outcome reporting, and fabricated data, we performed an excess significance test. A total of 40 meta-analyses had evidence of inclusion of many individual studies reporting excess significant results (**Supplementary Table S1**). Among these 40 meta-analyses, seven had statistically significant pooled ORs with small effect sizes (mean pooled ORs 1.18, range 1.08-1.20). When the excess of significance was examined in aggregate across all studies enrolled in all main meta-analyses, there was significant evidence of existing excess significance ( $P < 10^{-8}$ ), indicating potential bias existed in these published studies. A sensitivity analysis was performed to further assess the robustness of these results (**Supplementary Table S2**). Fourteen meta-analyses lost significance after removing the initial study. Of 17 meta-analyses with statistically significant pooled ORs, three became non-significant after removal of studies showing deviations from Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium (HWE).

## **Supplementary results of subgroup meta-analyses**

### ***Subgroup meta-analyses by ethnicity***

Subgroup meta-analyses were conducted in Caucasian and Asian population under each of the three genetic models (allelic, dominant, or recessive model),

respectively (**Table 3, Supplementary Table S3**). Among those 246 genetic variants investigated in main meta-analyses, there were 86 variants with sufficient available data for subgroup analyses in Caucasian and 71 variants in Asian population (**Supplementary Table S3**). In addition, 29 variants studied only in one specific ethnic population (17 variants in Caucasians and 12 in Asians) have been evaluated previously in the main meta-analyses (**Supplementary Table S1**). Thus, a total of 103 variants were evaluated in Caucasian population and 83 variants in Asian population.

In Caucasian population, 19 (22.1%) variants significantly associated with lung cancer risk. The strength of association between each variant and lung cancer as measured by ORs had the mean of 1.39 (range 1.07-1.99) for putative "risk" variants and 0.73 (range 0.59-0.92) for putative "protective" variants. Of the 19 significant variants, one (*HRAS1* a VNTR variation) showed strong genetic association (OR > 2), five (*CYP1A2* rs762551, *SFTPB* a combination variation [combined deletion and insertion], *CYP2A6* rs1801272, *CYP2E1* rs2031920, and *ELANE* rs351107 [-903T>G, Rep\_a]) showed moderate genetic associations ("risk" ORs range 1.5-2.0, or "protective" ORs range 0.50-0.67), and the others showed low associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer, including one variant (*CHRNA5* rs16969968) showed highly significant association with lung cancer risk with *P*-value at  $2.03 \times 10^{-21}$  (**Supplementary Table S4**). Of the 19 significant variants, 13 were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ), four (*CYP1A2* rs762551, *ELANE* rs351107, *ELANE* rs7254054, and *XRCC1* rs1799782) were identified from meta-analyses with moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), and two (*CYP1A1* rs1048943 and *HRAS1* a VNTR variation) were identified from meta-analyses with high heterogeneity. According to the examinations of potential bias (the Begg's test,

modified Egger's test, and the excess significance test), significant associations for four variants (*CYP1A1* rs4646903, *SFTPB* variation, *ELANE* rs7254054, and *CYP1A1* rs1048943) had evidence of potential bias (publication bias, small study effects, or excess significance bias) (**Supplementary Table S4**). When the initial study was excluded, the association for four variants (*ELANE* rs351107 and rs7254054, *ERCC2* rs238406, and *HRAS1* a VNTR variation) was no longer statistically significant. When studies with HWE-violating controls were excluded, the association for two variants (*ERCC2* rs238406 and *MTHFR* rs1801131) was no longer statistically significant.

In Asian population, 26 (31.3%) variants showed significant associations with lung cancer. The strength of association between each genetic variant and lung cancer as measured by ORs had the mean of 1.27 (range 1.08-1.50) for putative "risk" variants and 0.76 (range 0.64-0.91) for putative "protective" variants. Of the 26 significant variants, one (*WWOX* CNV-67048) showed strong genetic association (OR > 2), three (*MAPKAPK2* CNV-30450, *CYP2A6* non\*4/\*4, and *VEGFA* rs833061) showed moderate genetic associations ("risk" ORs range 1.5-2.0, or "protective" ORs range 0.50-0.67), and the other 22 variants showed low genetic associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer (**Supplementary Table S4**). Of the 26 significant variants, 14 were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ), four (*ATM* rs189037, *CHRNA3* rs6495309, *GSTP1* rs1695, and *GSTT1* present/null) were identified from meta-analyses with moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), and eight (*CYP1A1* rs4646903, *CYP1A1* rs1048943, *GSTM1* present/null, *IL10* rs1800872, *MAPKAPK2* CNV-30450, *MDM2* rs2279744, *XRCC1* rs25487, and *XRCC1* rs3213245) were identified from meta-analyses with high heterogeneity. Among the 26 significant variants, two (*CYP1A1* rs4646903 and *MDM2* rs2279744)

had associations showing evidence of potential bias of small study effects and three (*CYP1A1* rs1048943, *GSTMI* present/null, and *XRCC1* rs25487) had associations showing evidence of inclusion of studies with excess of significant findings and statistically significant pooled ORs with small effect sizes (mean pooled ORs 1.23, range 1.05-1.43) (**Supplementary Table S4**). When initial study was excluded, the association for seven variants (*AGER* rs1800624, *CYP1A1* rs4646903, *FASLG* rs763110, *IL10* rs1800872, *VEGFA* rs833061, *XRCC1* rs25487 and rs3213245) was no longer significant. When studies with HWE-violating controls were excluded, the association for one variant (*XRCC1* rs25487) was no longer significant.

#### ***Subgroup meta-analyses by histological types of lung cancer***

Subgroup meta-analyses stratified by histological types of lung cancer were performed under each of the three genetic models (allelic, dominant, or recessive model) (**Supplementary Table S5**). There was sufficient data to evaluate 22 variants in small cell lung cancer [SCLC], 92 in non-small cell lung cancer [NSCLC], 48 in adenocarcinoma [AD], and 46 in squamous cell carcinoma [SCC] group, respectively.

In the SCLC subgroup, statistical significant associations were found for five variants, where three (*CHRNA5* rs16969968, *CYP1A1* rs4646903, and *NQO1* rs1800566) and two (*GSTMI* present/null and *XPC* rs2228001) showed moderate genetic associations (ORs range 1.5-2.0) and low genetic associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer risk, respectively (**Supplementary Table S6**). Of these significant variants, two (*CYP1A1* rs4646903 and *XPC* rs2228001) were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ), one (*GSTMI* present/null) was identified from meta-analysis with moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq$



$I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), and two (*CHRNA5* rs16969968 and *NQO1* rs1800566) were identified from meta-analyses with high heterogeneity. Based on the examinations of potential bias, one variant (*CHRNA5* rs16969968) had association with evidence of potential bias of small study effects. Based on the sensitivity analyses, the association for two variants (*NQO1* rs1800566 and *XPC* rs2228001) was no longer significant after removing the initial study.

In the NSCLC subgroup, 25 (27.2%) variants showed significant associations with lung cancer. The strength of these associations as measured by ORs had the mean of 1.37 (range 1.11-1.73) for putative "risk" variants and 0.77 (range 0.65-0.91) for putative "protective" variants. Of the 25 significant variants, five (*FAS* rs2234767, *IL17A* rs2275913, *TNF* rs1800629, *XRCC1* rs2256507, and *MMP2* rs243865) showed moderate genetic associations ("risk" ORs range 1.5-2.0, or "protective" ORs range 0.50-0.67) and 25 variants showed low genetic associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer where two variants (*CHRNA5* rs16969968 and *XRCC1* rs3213245) showed highly significant associations ( $P < 10^{-7}$ ) with lung cancer risk (**Supplementary Table S6**). Of the 25 significant variants, 14 were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ), four (*ERCC2* rs13181, *IL17A* rs2275913, *OGGI* rs1052133, and *XRCC1* rs1001581) were identified from meta-analyses with moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), and seven (*GSTM1* present/null, *IL1B* rs1143627, *IL6* rs1800796, *MMP2* rs243865, *MPO* rs2333227, *SOD2* rs4880, and *TNF* rs1800629) were identified from meta-analyses with high heterogeneity. Based on the further examinations of potential bias, evidence of publication bias, potential bias of small study effects, inclusion of studies with excess significant findings, was found for one variant (*IL1B* rs1143627), four variants (*IL1B*

rs1143627, *IL6* rs1800796, *MMP2* rs243865, and *SOD2* rs4880), and one variant (*OGGI* rs1052133) with association of small effect size (OR 1.16, 95%CI 1.02-1.32), respectively (**Supplementary Table S6**). When initial study was excluded, association for five variants (*FAS* rs2234767, *IL1B* rs1143627, *MMP2* rs243865, *TNF* rs1800629, and *XRCCI* rs1001581) was no longer significant. When sensitivity analyses removing studies with HWE-violating controls, two variants (*ERCC2* rs13181 and *IL1B* rs1143627) became non-significant.

In the AD subgroup, 15 (31.3%) variants significantly associated with lung cancer risk. The strength of associations between each genetic variant and lung cancer as measured by ORs had the mean of 1.37 (range 1.11-1.70) for putative "risk" variants and 0.81 (range 0.71-0.93) for putative "protective" variants. Of the 15 significant variants, three (*BIRC5* rs9904341, *IL17A* rs2275913, and *XRCCI* rs3213245) showed moderate genetic associations (ORs range 1.5-2.0) and 12 variants showed low associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer where one (*TERT* rs2736098) showed highly significant association ( $P = 4.97 \times 10^{-11}$ ) (**Supplementary Table S6**). Of the 15 significant variants, ten were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ), four (*CHRNA5* rs16969968, *GSTM1* present/null, *IL17A* rs2275913, and *MDM2* rs2279744) were identified from meta-analyses with moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), and one (*BIRC5* rs9904341) was identified from meta-analysis with high heterogeneity. Based on the examinations of potential bias, only one variant (*GSTM1* present/null) had association with evidence of potential bias of small study effect and inclusion of excess significant findings. When the initial study was excluded, the association for three variants (*MIR146A* rs2910164, *SOD2* rs4880, and *XPC* PAT-/+) was no longer

significant. When studies included HWE-violating controls were excluded, the association for two variants (*ERCC2* rs238406 and *MTHFR* rs1801131) was no longer significant.

In the SCC subgroup, statistical significant associations were found for eight variants, where three (*SOD2* rs4880, *TNF* rs1800629, and *MMP2* rs243865) and five (*CYP1A1* rs4646903 and rs1048943, *GSTM1* present/null, *TERT* rs2736098, and *CYP2E1* rs6413432) showed moderate genetic associations ("risk" ORs range 1.5-2.0, or "protective" ORs range 0.50-0.67) and low genetic associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer risk, respectively (**Supplementary Table S6**). Of note, one variant (*CYP1A1* rs4646903) with association showed low strength (OR 1.45, 95%CI 1.26-1.67) but had highly statistical significant ( $P = 3.77 \times 10^{-7}$ ). Of the eight significant variants, three (*CYP1A1* rs4646903, *CYP2E1* rs6413432, and *TERT* rs2736098) were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ) and five (*CYP1A1* rs1048943, *GSTM1* present/null, *MMP2* rs243865, *SOD2* rs4880, and *TNF* rs1800629) were identified from meta-analyses with high heterogeneity. Two variants (*CYP1A1* rs1048943 and *MMP2* rs243865) had associations with evidence of potential bias of small study effects and one variant (*GSTM1* present/null) had association of small effect size (OR 1.23, 95%CI 1.08-1.40) with evidence of potential bias of inclusion of excess significant findings. Based on the sensitivity analyses, three variants (*MMP2* rs243865, *SOD2* rs4880, and *TNF* rs1800629) lost significant associations with lung cancer risk after relative meta-analysis removing the initial study.

#### ***Subgroup meta-analyses by smoking status***

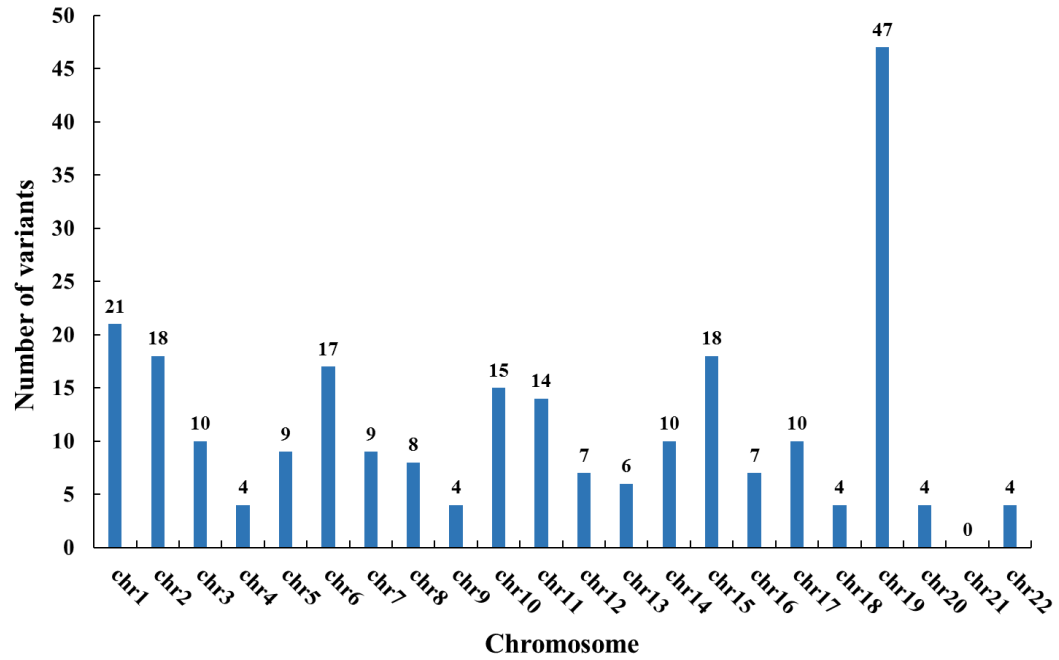
Subgroup meta-analyses by smoking status were conducted separately in smokers and non-smokers under each of the three genetic models (allelic, dominant, or recessive model), if sufficient data were available. Sixty variants were evaluated in smokers and thirty-eight variants in non-smokers (**Supplementary Table S7**).

In smokers, 22 (36.7%) variants significantly associated with lung cancer. The strength of association between each genetic variant and lung cancer as measured by ORs had the mean of 1.32 (range 1.07-1.64) for putative "risk" variants and 0.74 (range 0.58-0.95) for putative "protective" variants (**Supplementary Table S8**). Of the 22 significant variants, two (*GSTP1* rs1138272 and *CYP2A6* rs5031016) showed moderate genetic associations ("risk" ORs range 1.5-2.0, or "protective" ORs range 0.50-0.67) and 20 showed low associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer, including one variant (*CHRNA5* rs16969968) showed highly significant association ( $P = 2.77 \times 10^{-10}$ ). Of the 22 significant variants, 12 were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ), five (*APEX1* rs1760944, *CYP1A1* rs4646903, *SOD2* rs4880, *XRCCI* rs1799782 and rs25487) were identified from meta-analyses with moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), and five (*CYP1A1* rs1048943, *CYP2A6* rs5031016, *GSTM1* present/null, *GSTP1* rs1695, and *TP53* rs1042522) were identified from meta-analyses with high heterogeneity. Of the 22 significant variants, five (*CHRNA5* rs16969968, *CYP1A1* rs1048943, *GSTM1* present/null, *NAT2* rs1799930, and *XRCCI* rs25489) were identified from meta-analyses showing evidence of potential bias of small study effects and two (*CYP1A1* rs1048943 and *TP53* rs1042522) were identified from meta-analyses showing evidence of inclusion of studies with excess significant findings and having small summary ORs (OR 1.42, 95%CI 1.04-1.93, association for *CYP1A1* rs1048943;

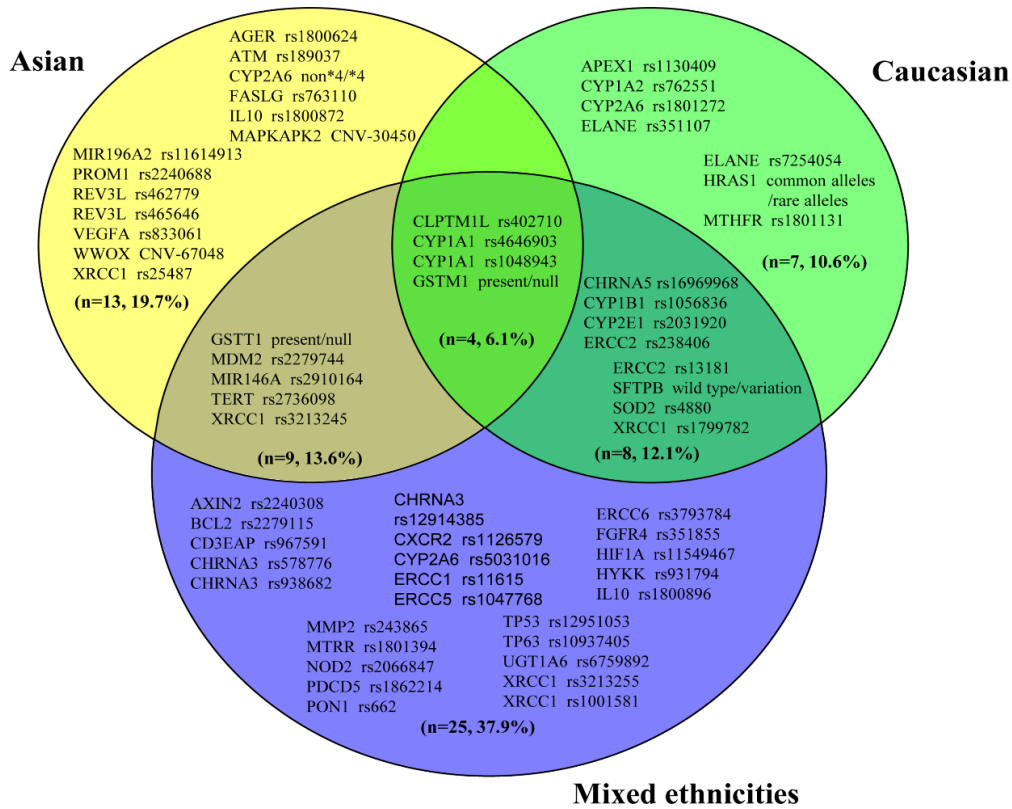
OR 1.23, 95%CI 1.01-1.50, association for *TP53* rs1042522). When sensitivity analyses removing the initial study, 11 (*CYP1A1* rs1048943, *CYP1B1* rs1800440 and rs1056836, *CYP2A6* rs5031016, *EPHX1* rs2234922, *MTHFR* rs1801131, *SOD2* rs4880, *TP53* rs1042522, *XRCC1* rs25489, rs1799782, and rs25487) of 22 significant variants became non-significant. When sensitivity analyses removing studies with HWE-violating controls, four variants (*CYP1A1* rs1048943, *XRCC1* rs25489, rs1799782, and rs25487) became non-significant.

In non-smokers, statistical significant associations were found for ten variants, where two (*CYP1A1* rs1048943 and *ERCC2* rs13181) and eight (*ATM* rs189037, *GSTM1* present/null, *OGGI* rs1052133, *TP53* rs1042522, *XRCC1* rs3213245, *CYP2E1* rs6413432, rs2031920, and *ERCC1* rs11615) showed moderate genetic associations (ORs range 1.5-2.0) and low genetic associations (ORs range 0.67-1.50) with lung cancer risk, respectively (**Supplementary Table S8**). Of the ten significant variants, six (*CYP2E1* rs6413432 and rs2031920, *ERCC1* rs11615, *ERCC2* rs13181, *OGGI* rs1052133, and *XRCC1* rs3213245) and four (*ATM* rs189037, *CYP1A1* rs1048943, *GSTM1* present/null, and *TP53* rs1042522) were identified from meta-analyses with little or no heterogeneity ( $I^2 < 25\%$ ) and moderate heterogeneity ( $25\% \leq I^2 \leq 50\%$ ), respectively. Of the ten significant variants, the variant (*OGGI* rs1052133) and variant (*ATM* rs189037) were identified from meta-analyses showing evidence of potential publication bias and bias of small study effects, respectively (**Supplementary Table S8**). Based on the sensitivity analyses, two variants (*ATM* rs189037 and *CYP1A1* rs1048943) became non-significant associations with lung cancer risk after relative meta-analysis removing the initial study.

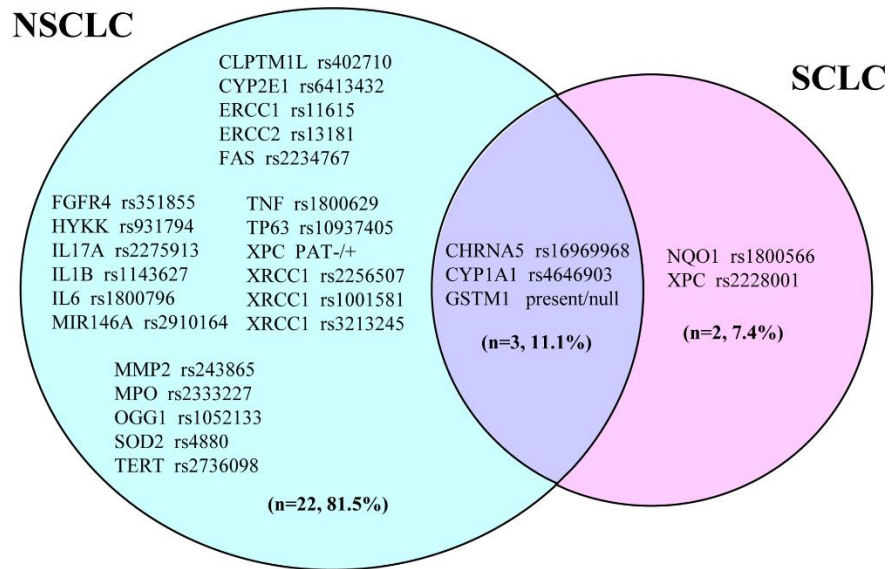
## Supplementary Figures



**Supplementary Figure S1.** Distribution by chromosome of 246 genetic variants available for meta-analyses.

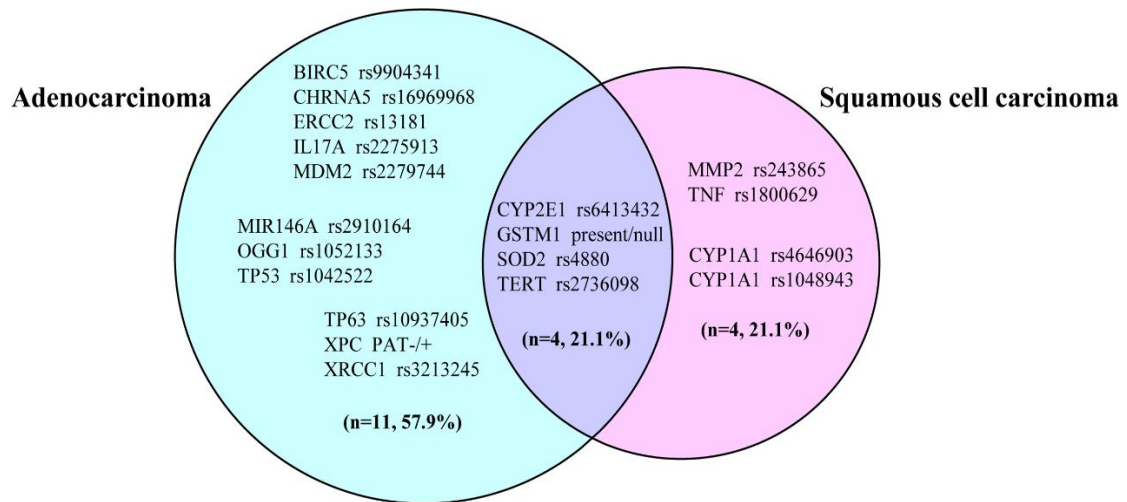


**Supplementary Figure S2.** Venn diagram of the distributions of genetic variants with significant associations with lung cancer risk in the main meta-analyses and subgroup meta-analyses by ethnicity (Asian and Caucasian).

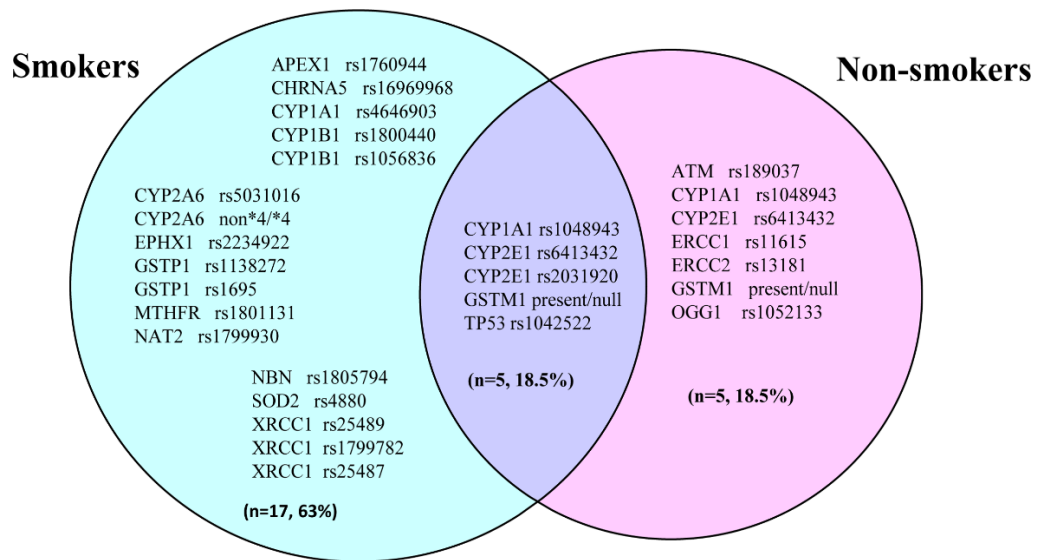


**Supplementary Figure S3.** Venn diagram of the distributions of genetic variants with significant associations with specific histological types of lung cancer. NSCLC: non-small cell lung cancer; SCLC: small cell lung cancer.

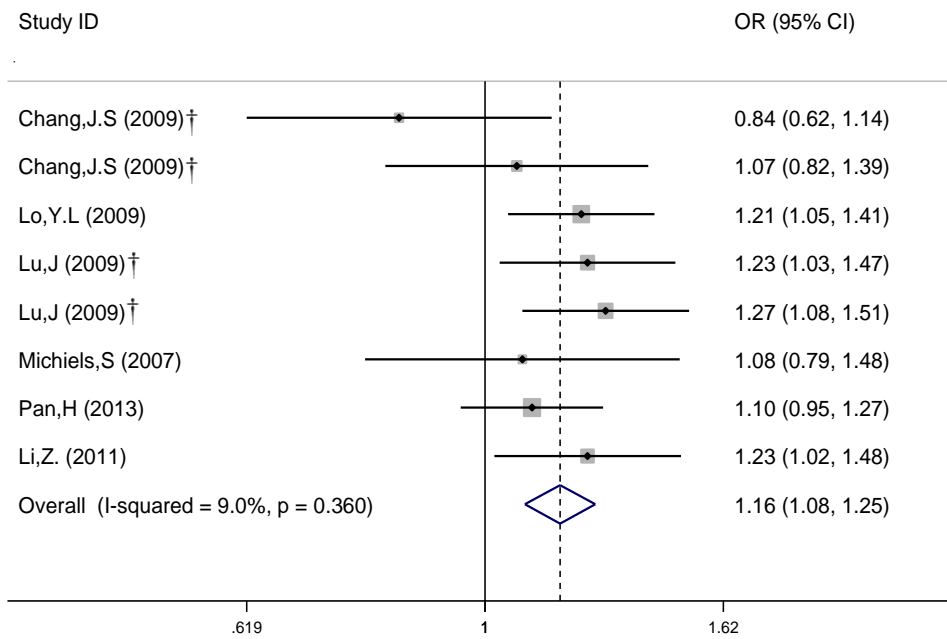




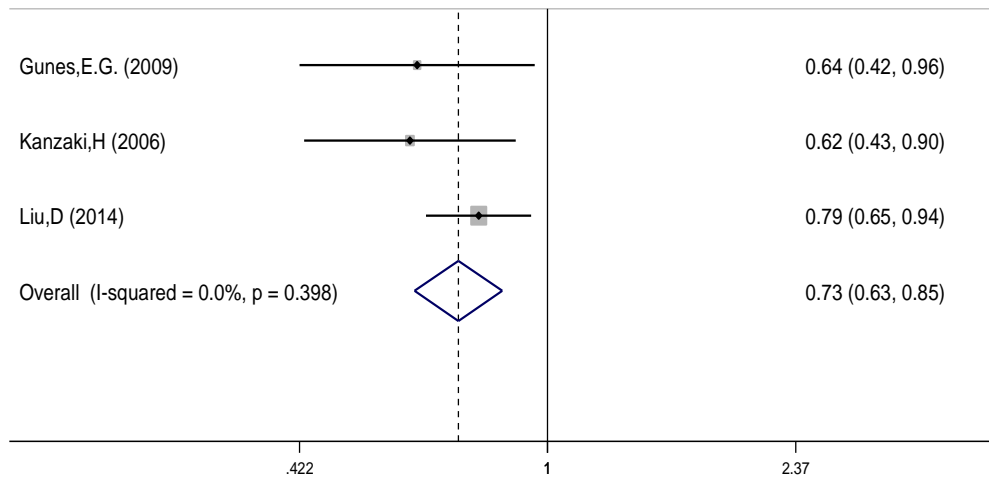
**Supplementary Figure S4.** Venn diagram of the distributions of genetic variants with significant associations with lung adenocarcinoma and squamous cell carcinoma.



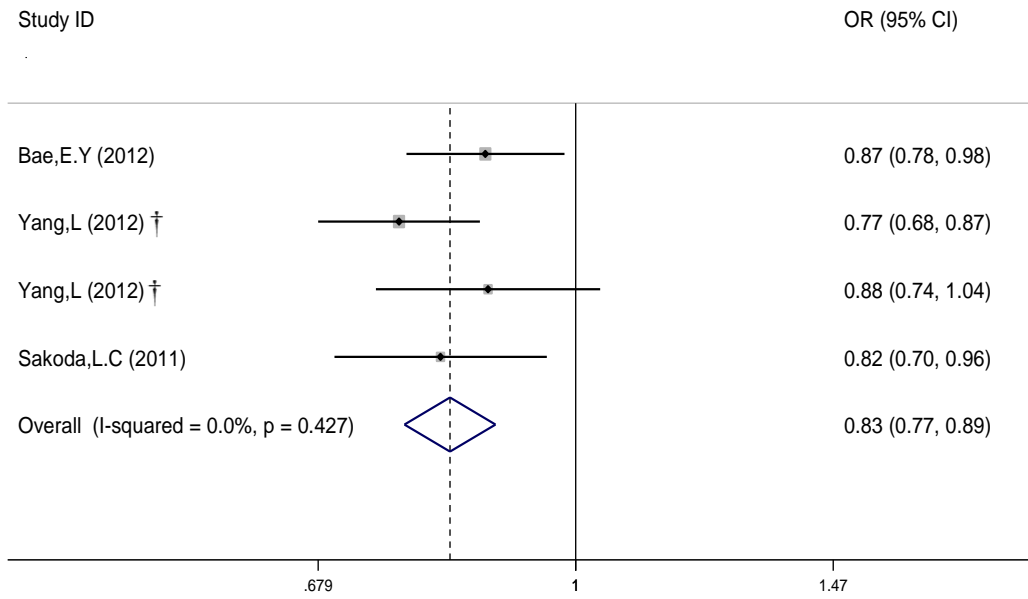
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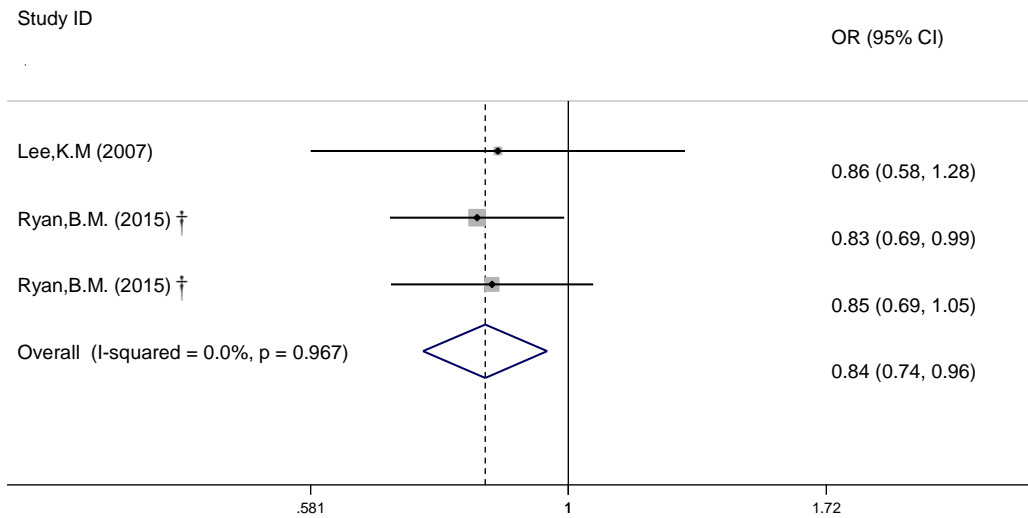
**Supplementary Figure S6.1.** Main meta-analysis of *APEX1* rs1760944 (allelic contrast: A vs. C).



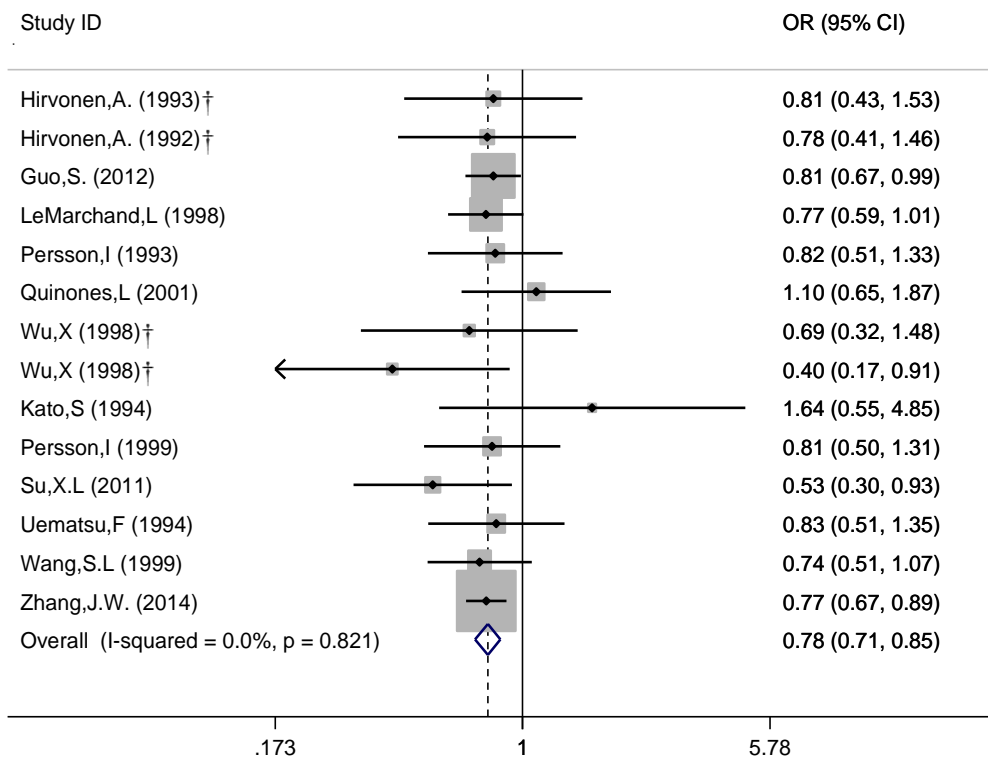
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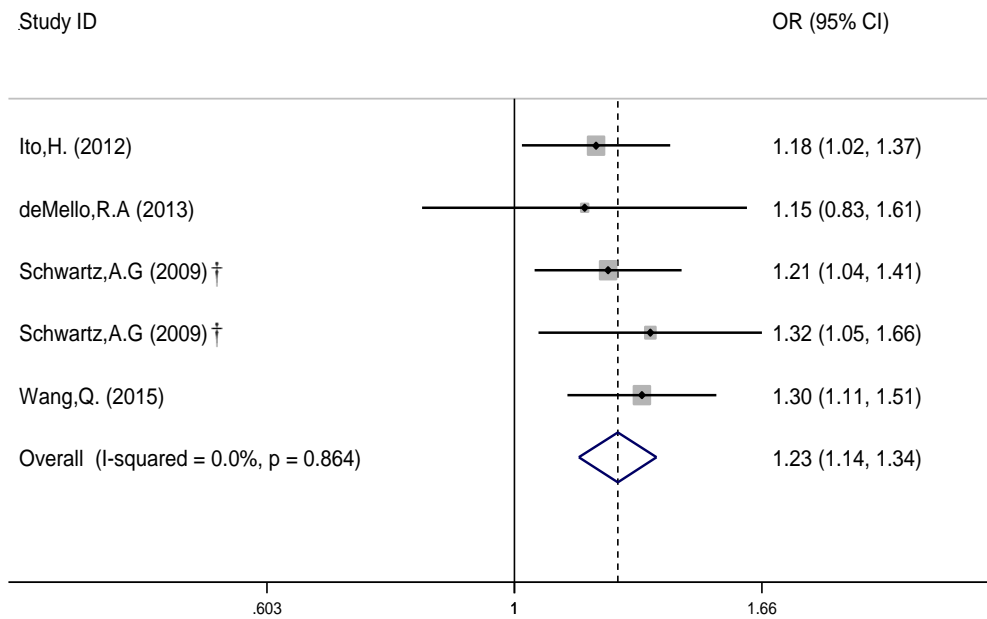
**Supplementary Figure S6.3.** Main meta-analysis of *CHRNA3* rs6495309 (allelic contrast: T vs. C).



**Supplementary Figure S6.4.** Main meta-analysis of *CXCR2* rs1126579 (allelic contrast: T vs. C).

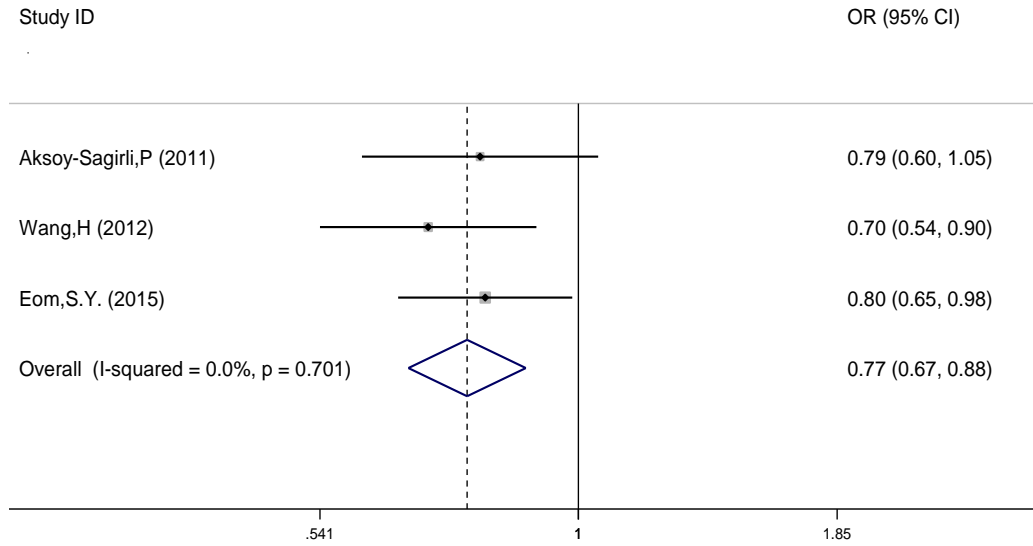


**Supplementary Figure S6.5.** Main meta-analysis of *CYP2E1* rs6413432 (allelic contrast: A vs. T).

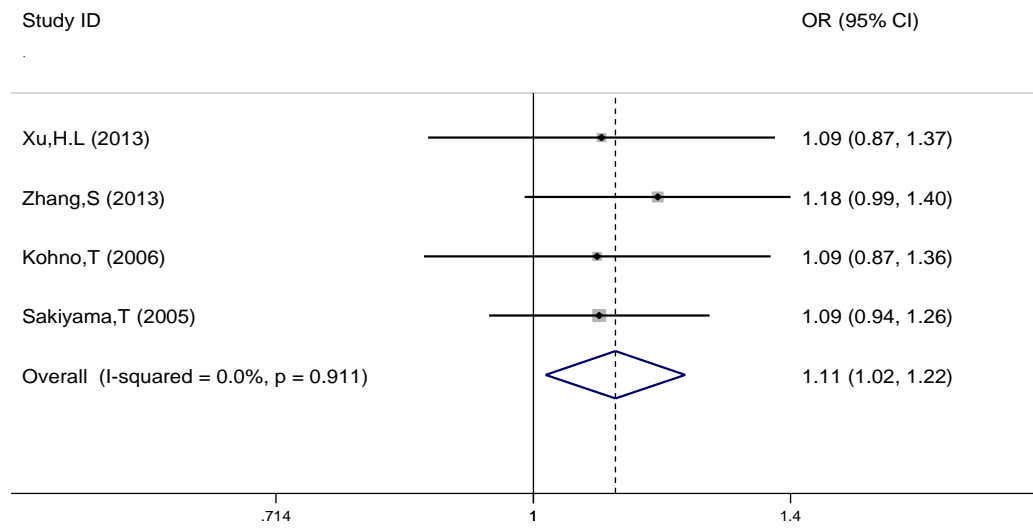


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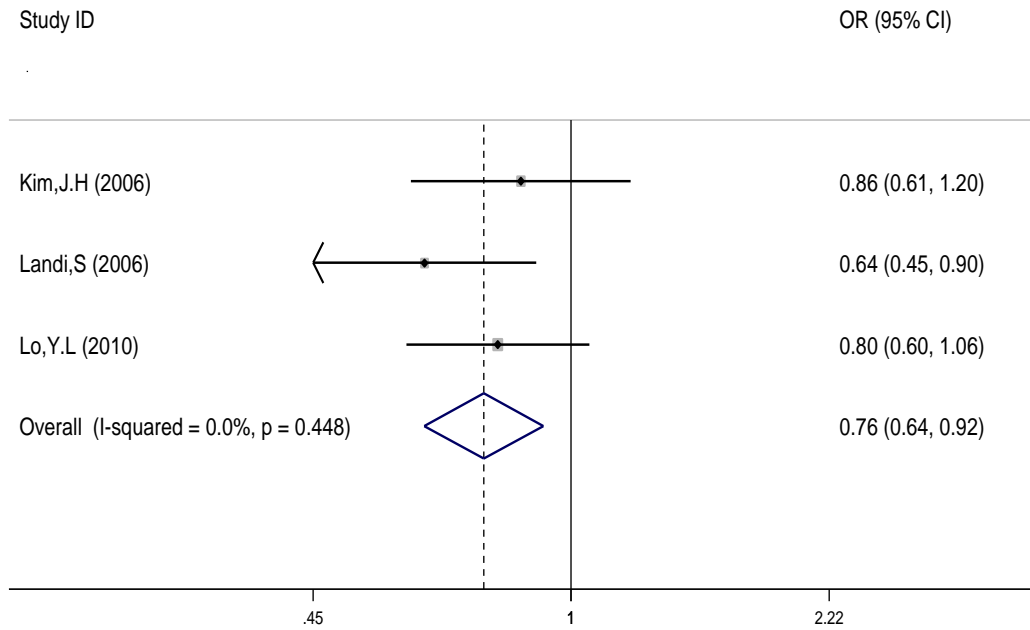
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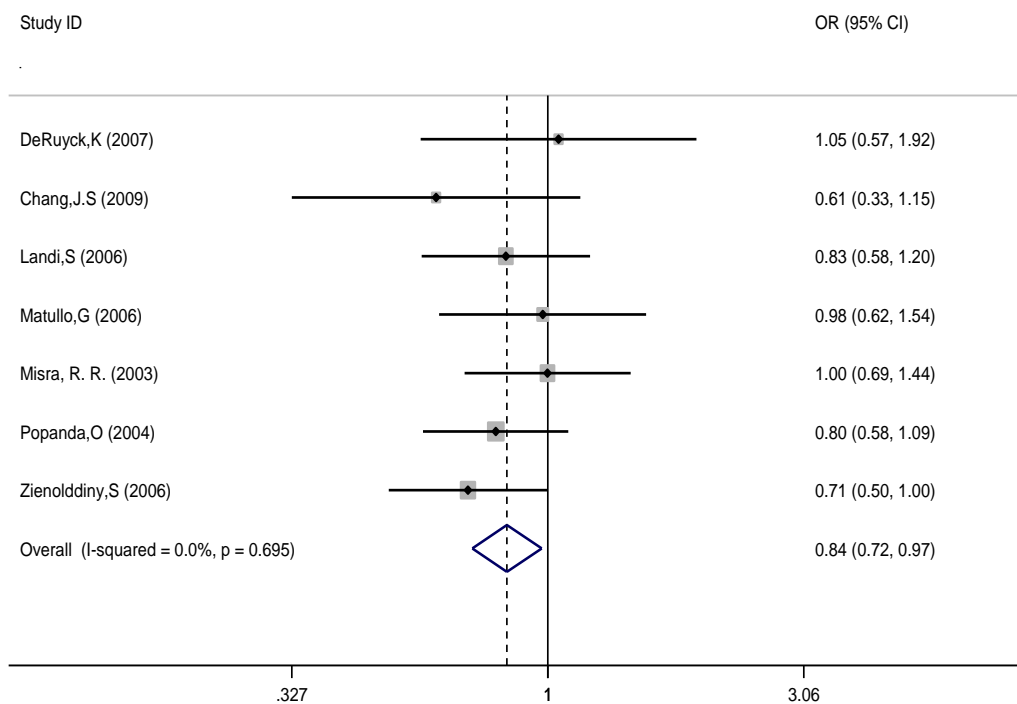
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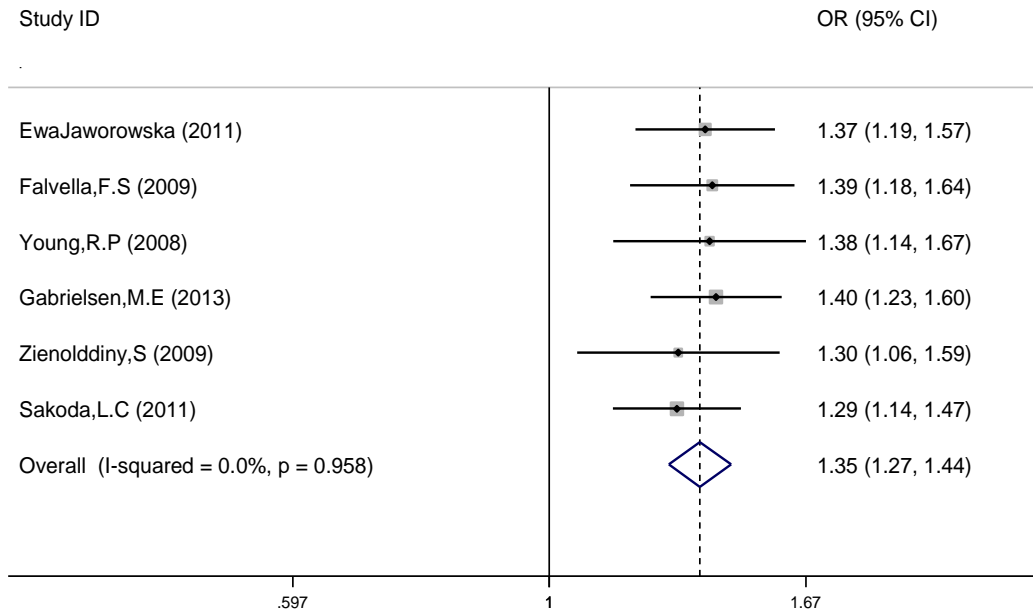
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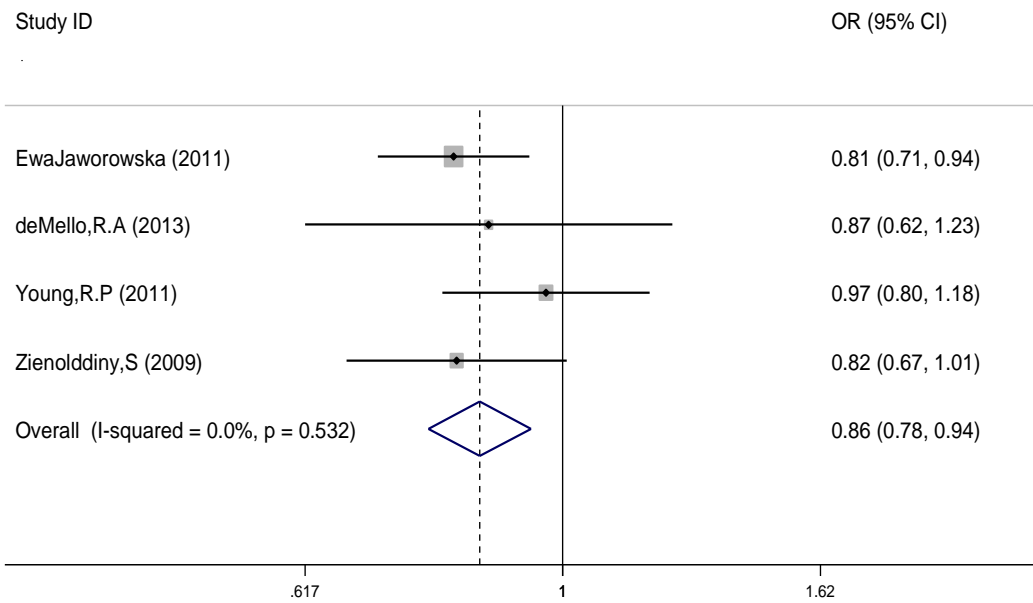
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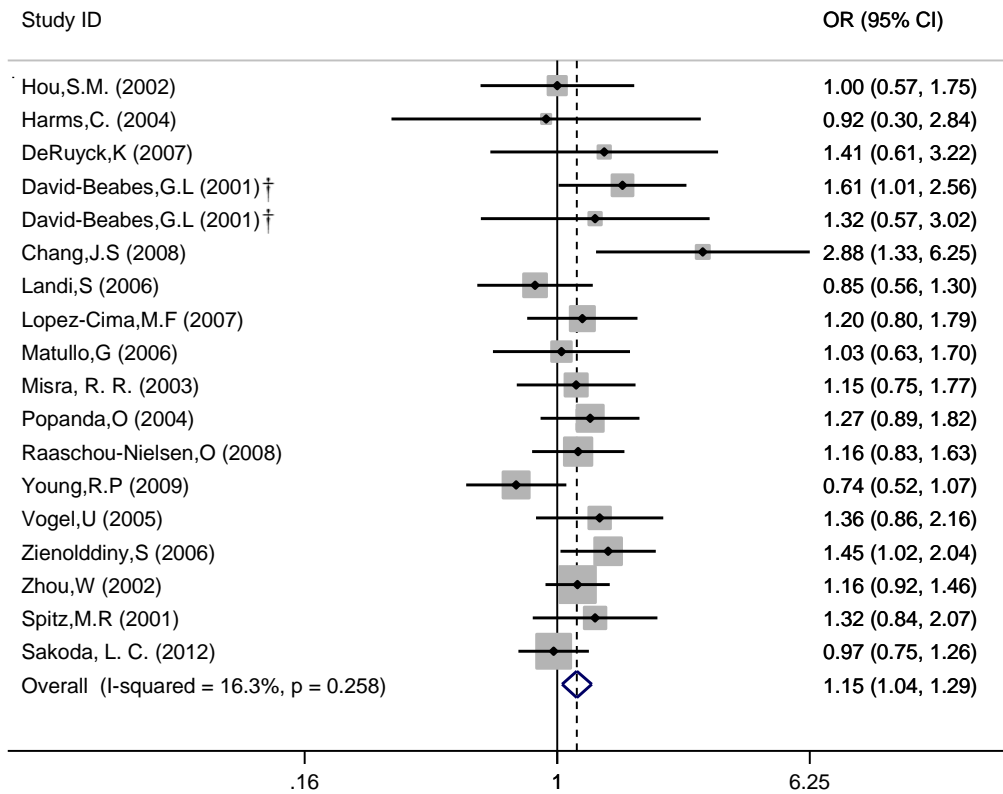


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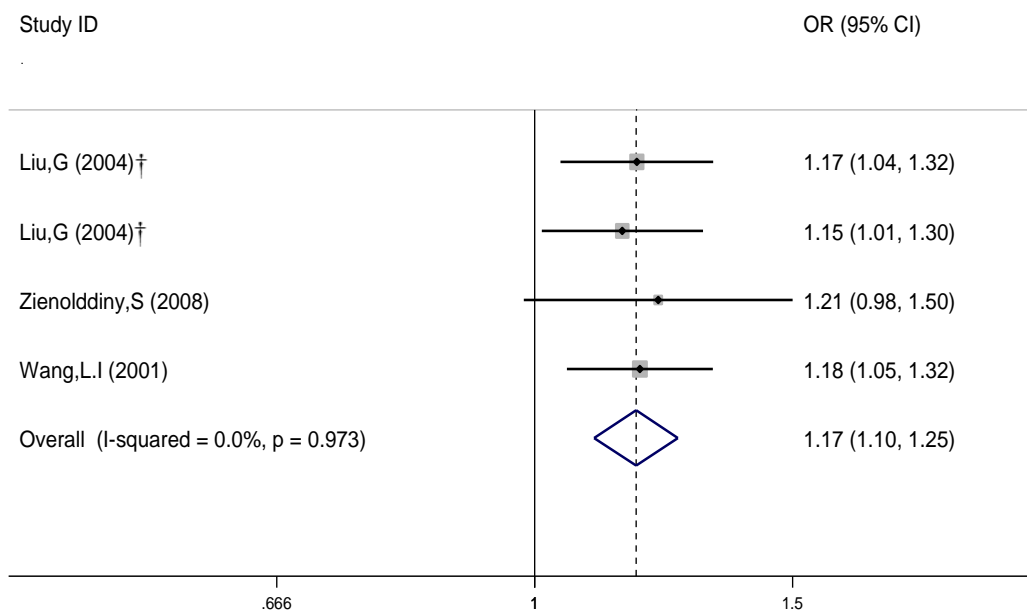


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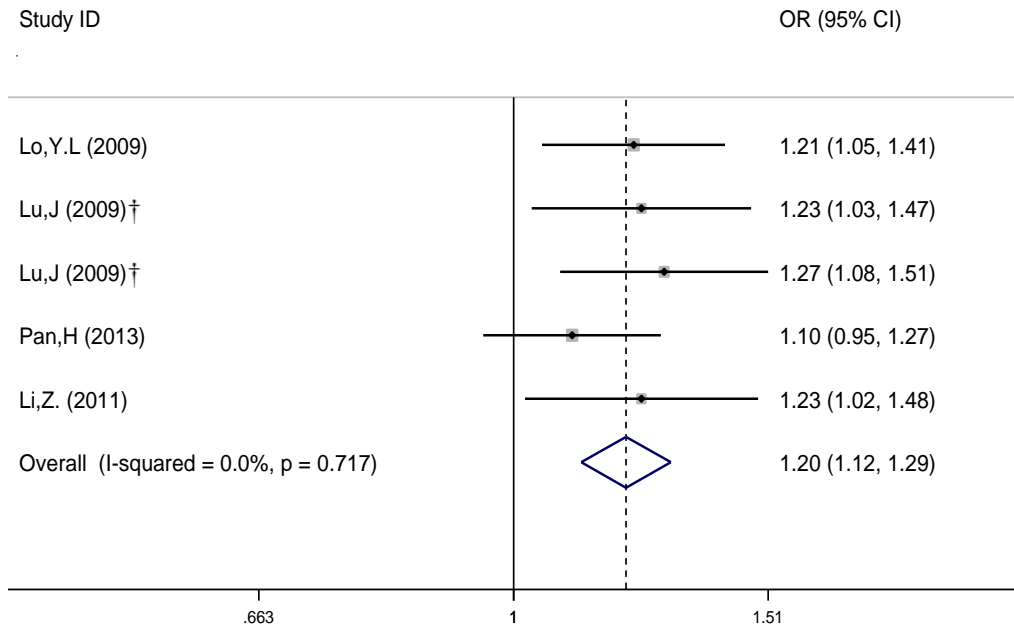




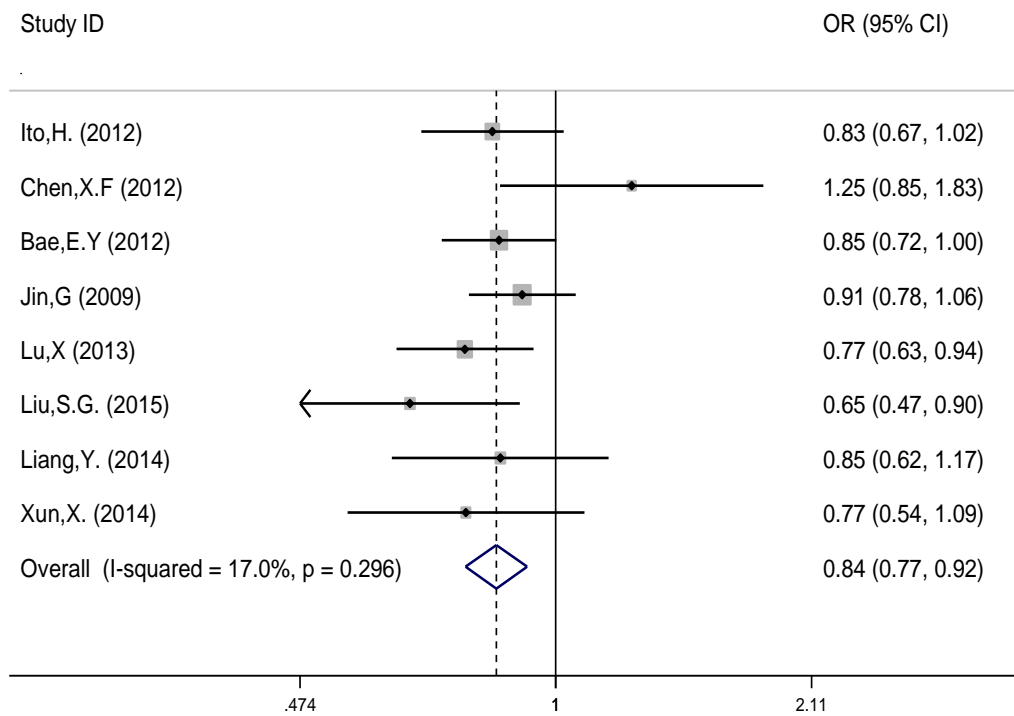
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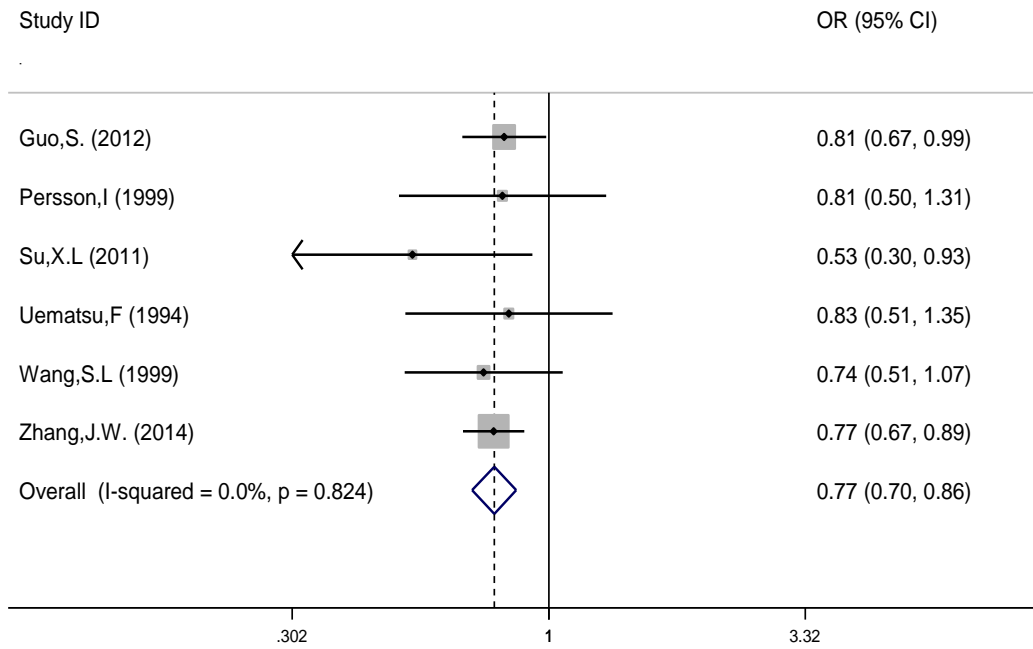
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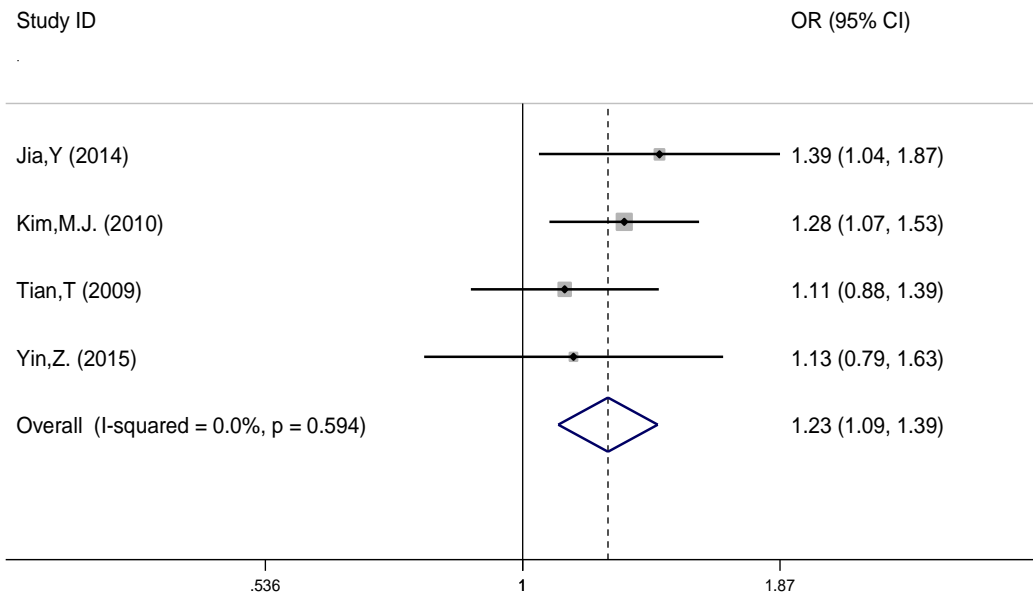
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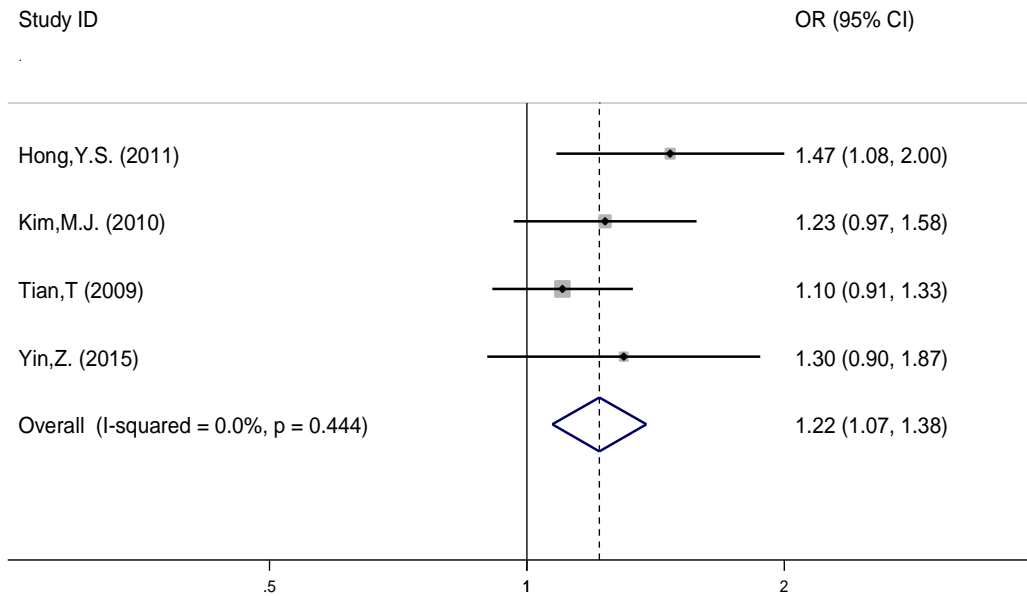
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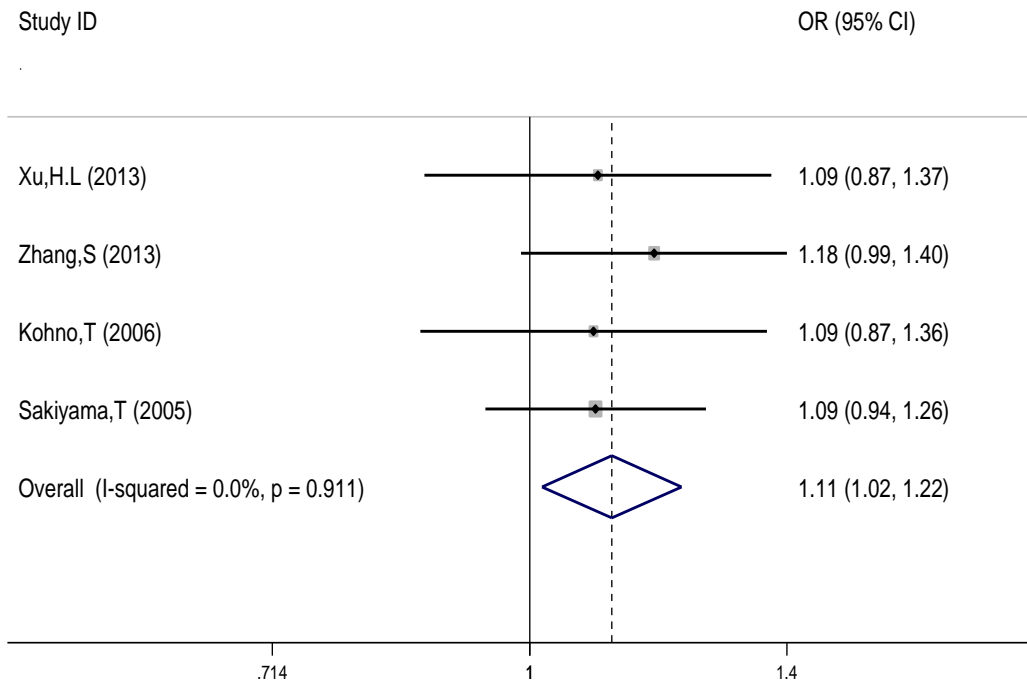
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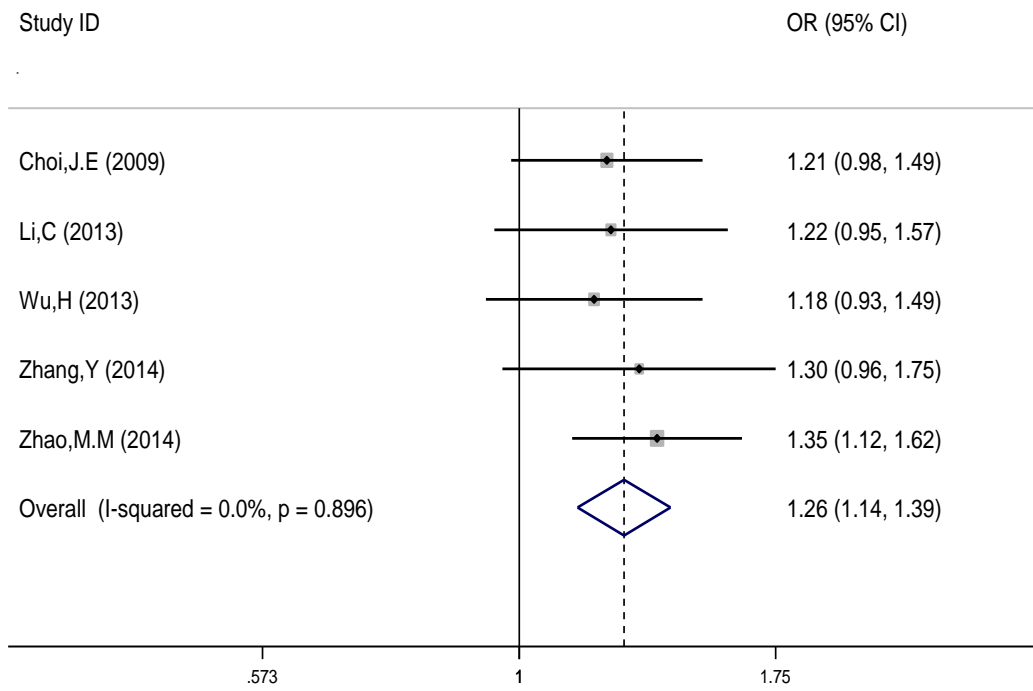
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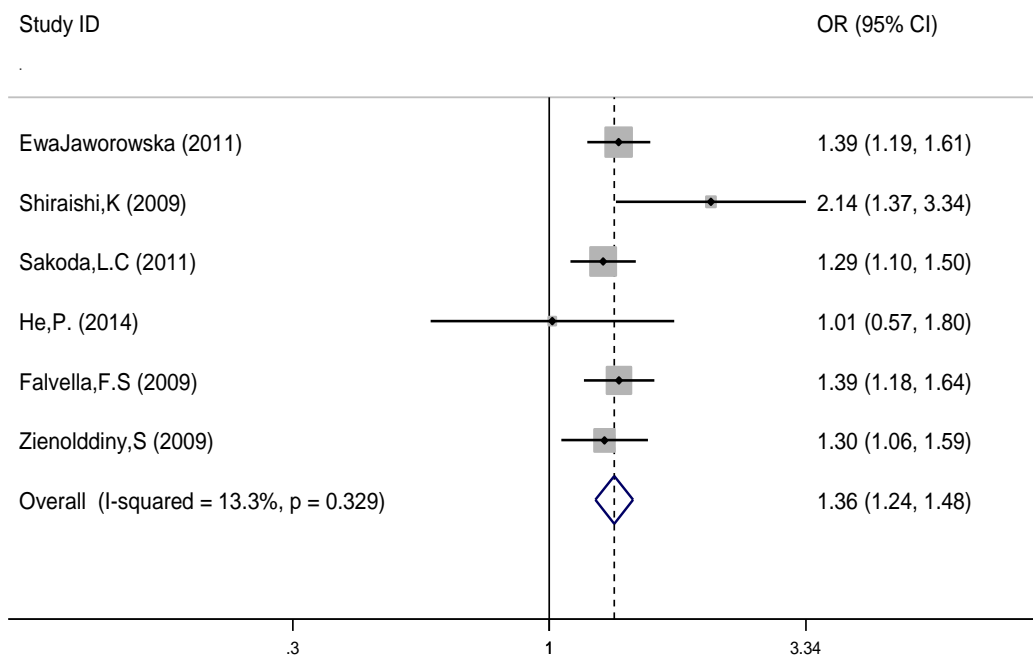
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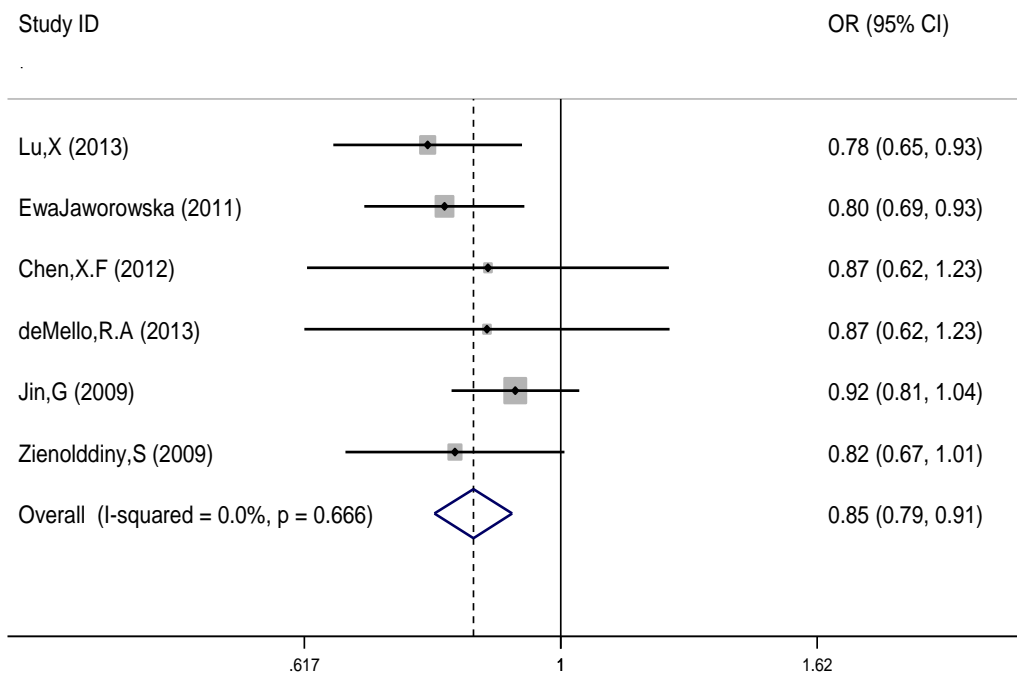
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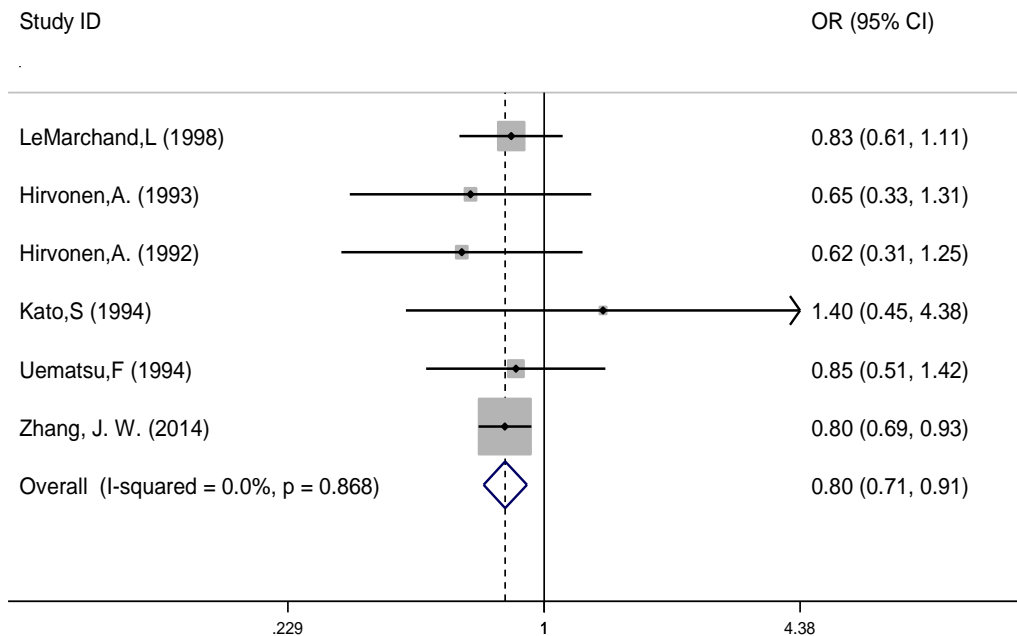
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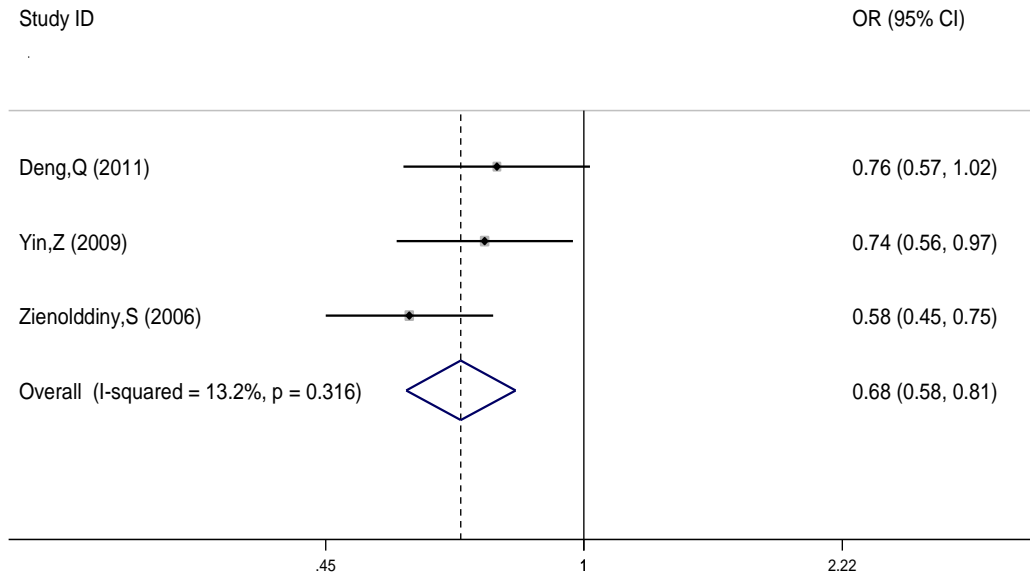
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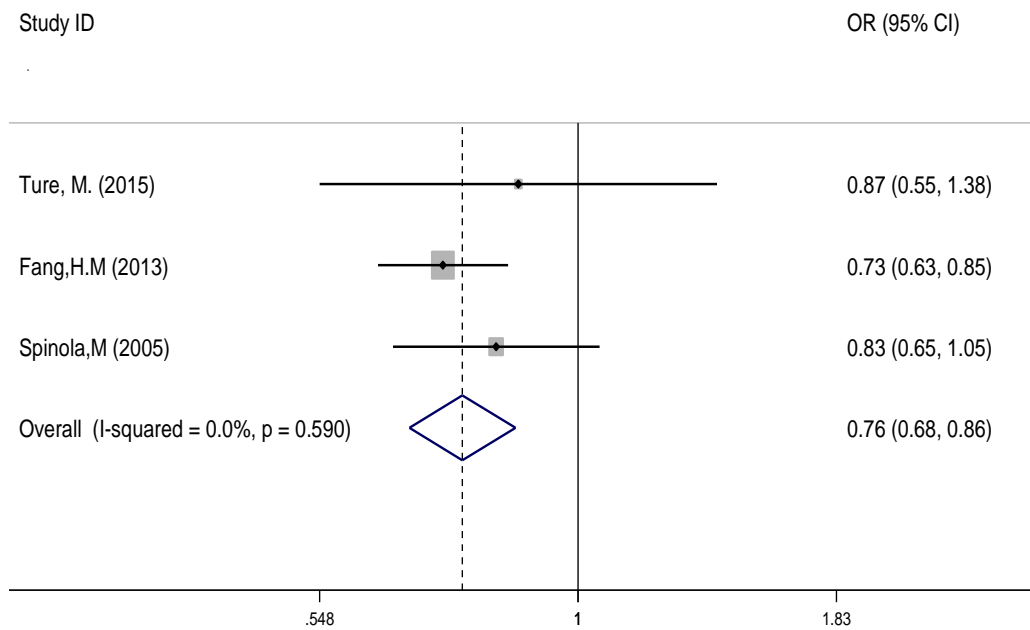
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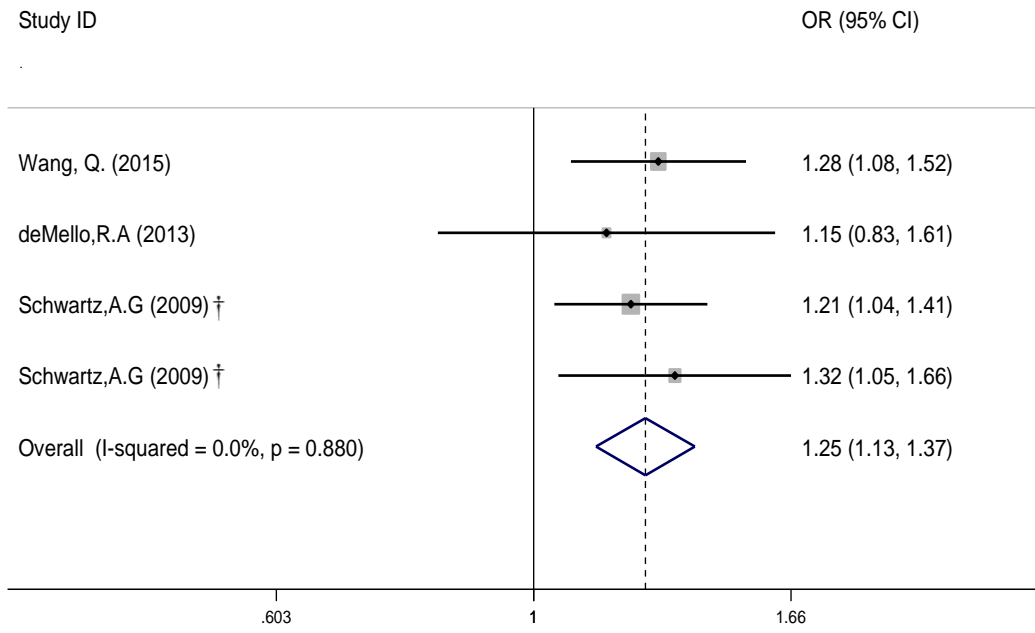
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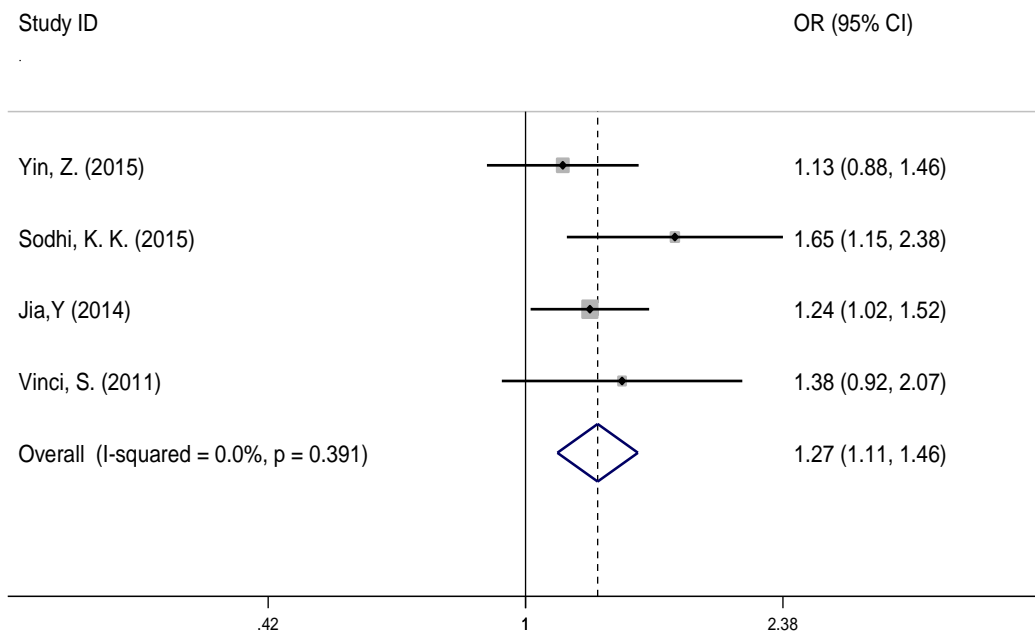
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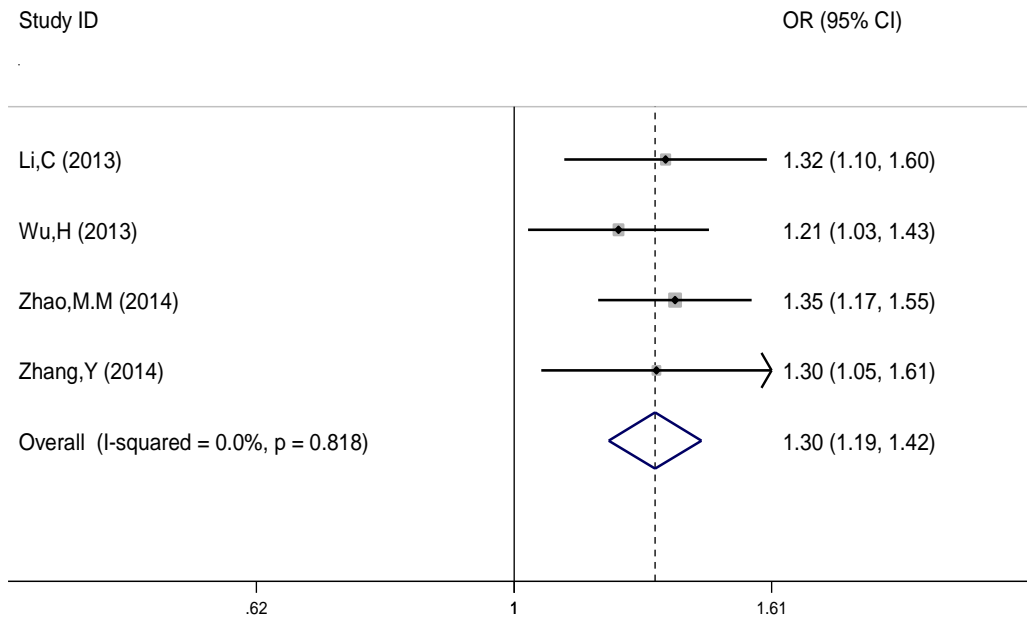


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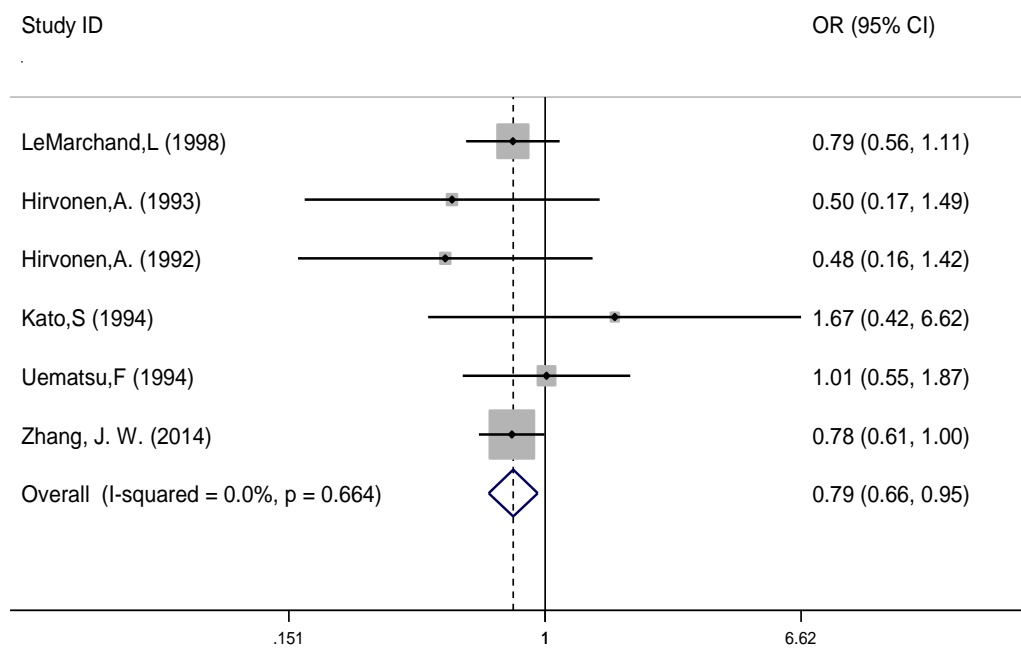


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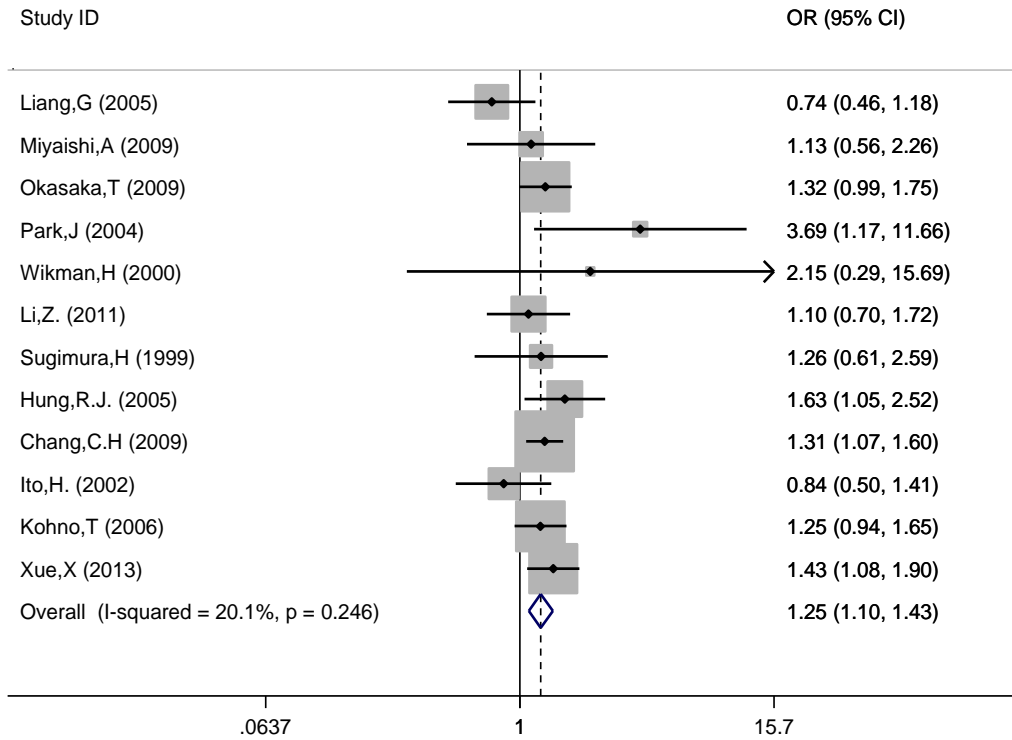




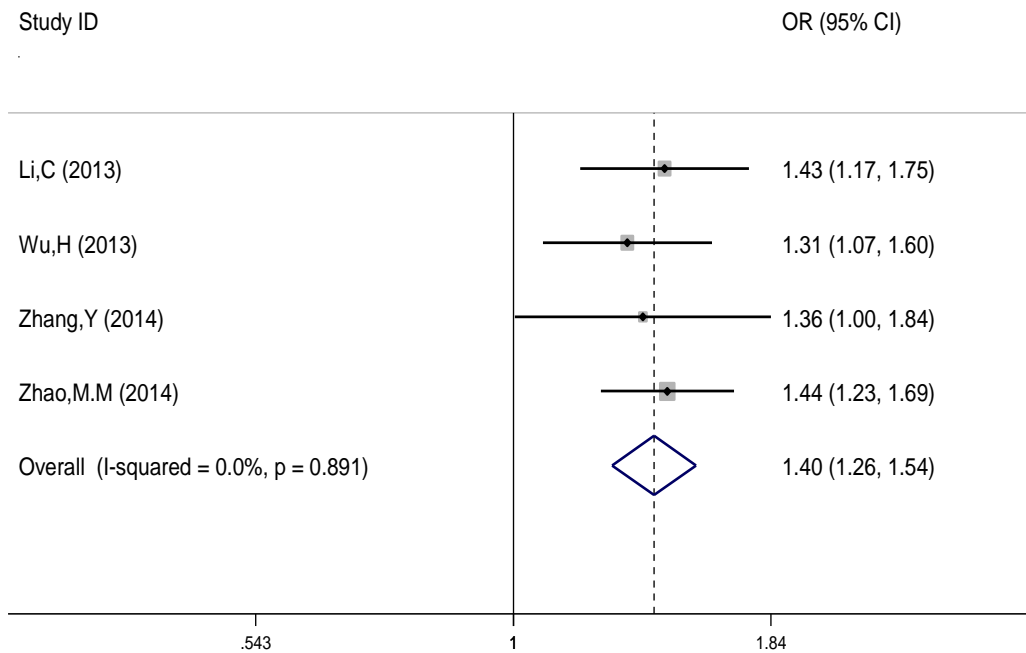
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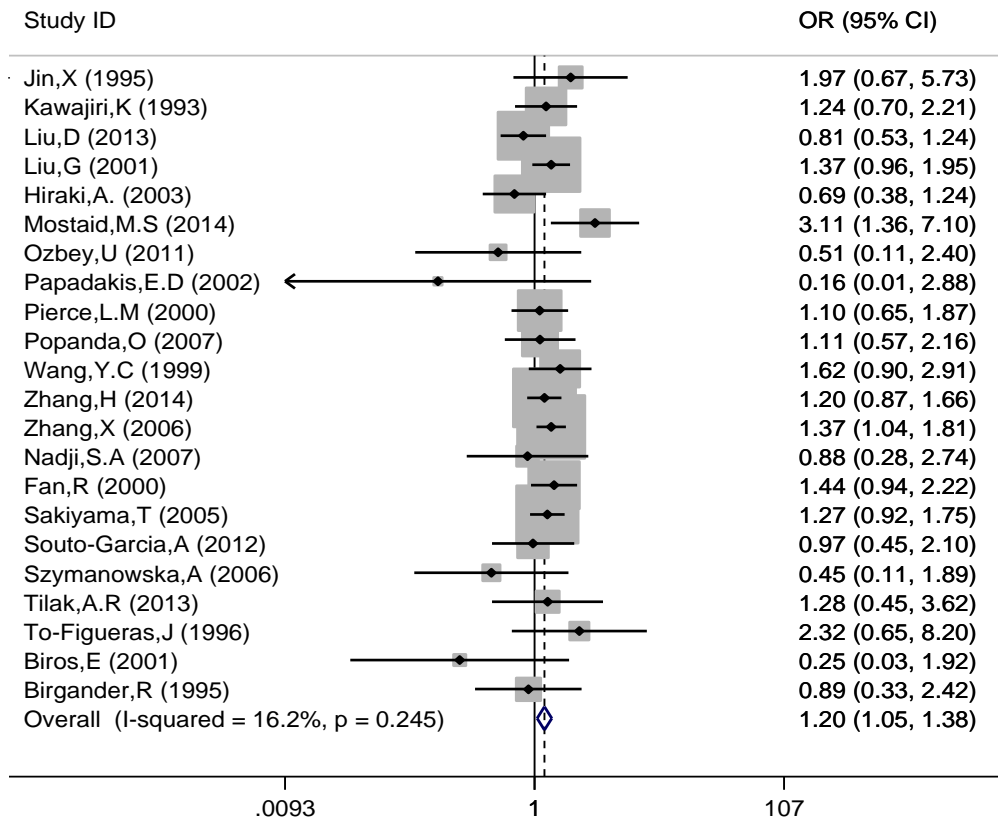
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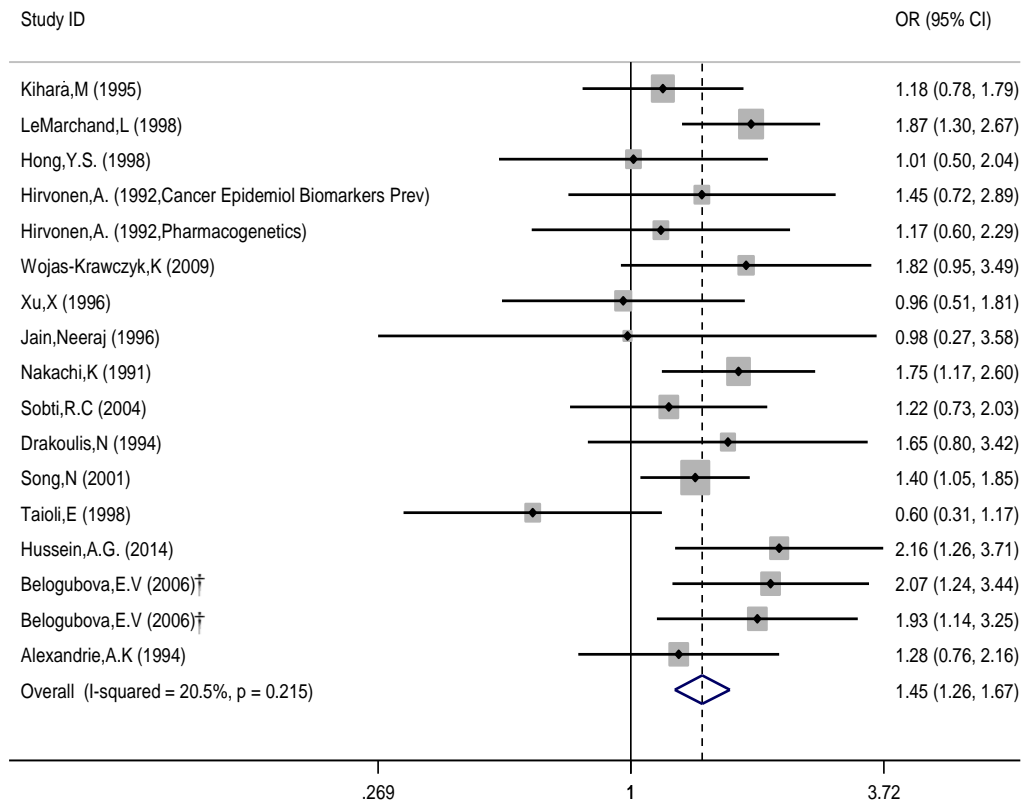
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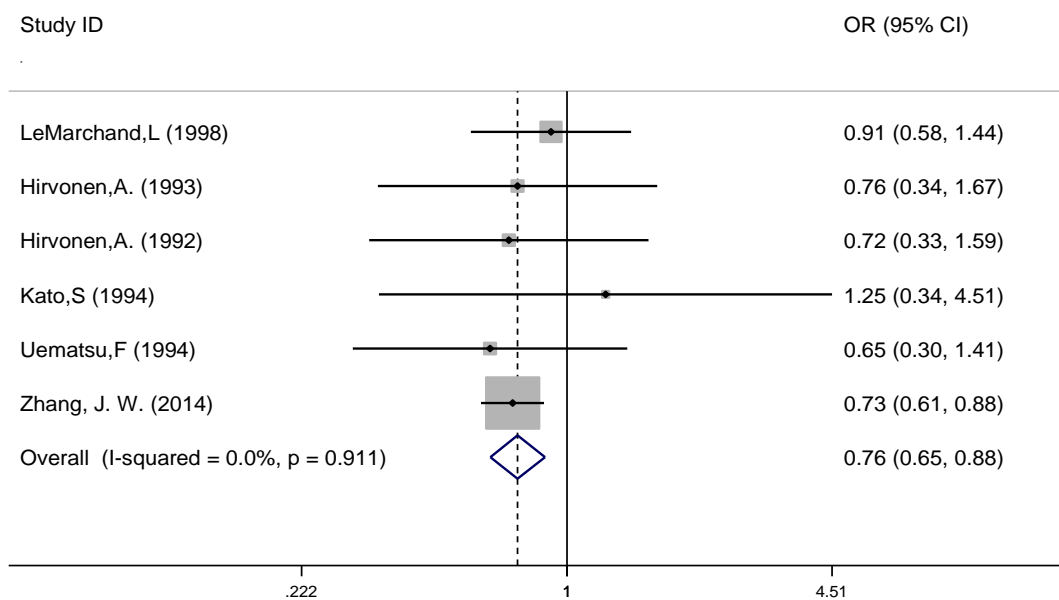
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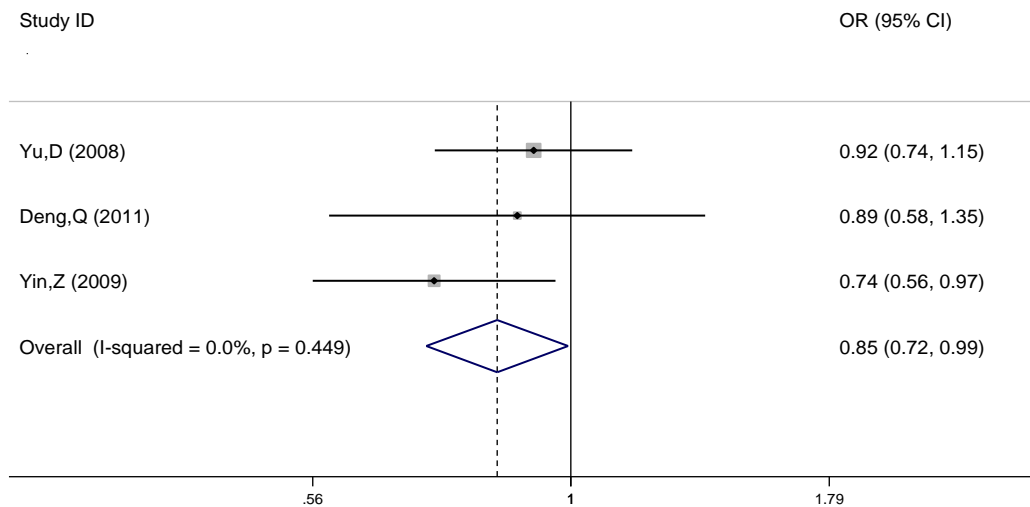
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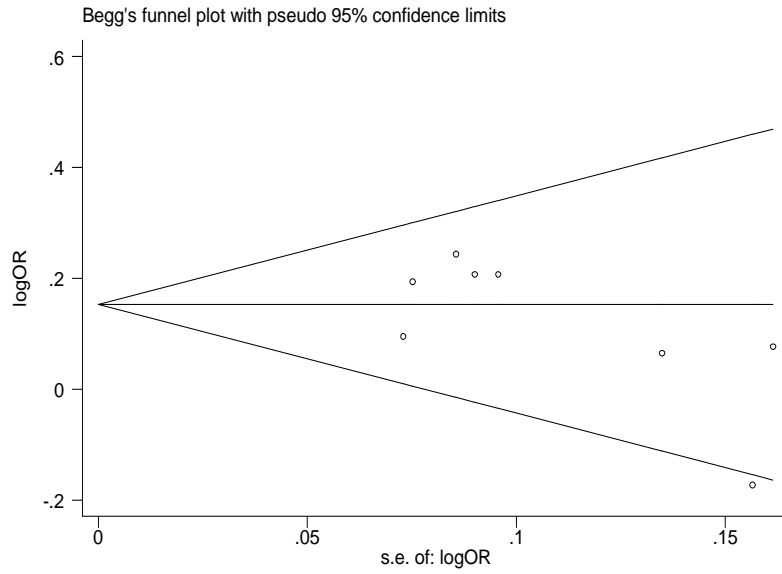


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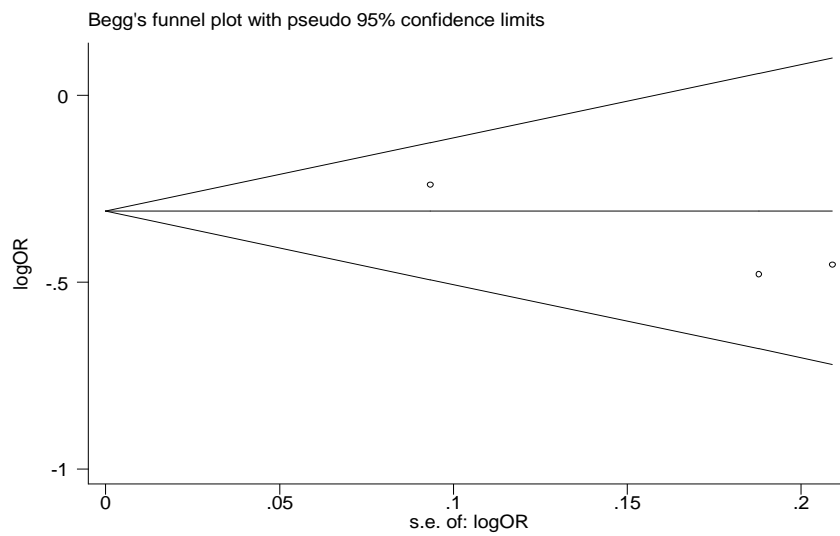


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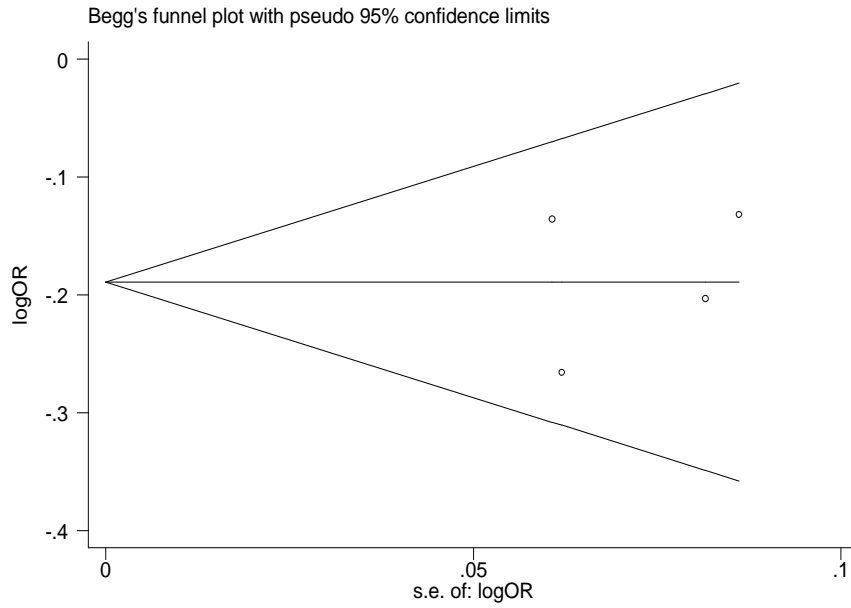
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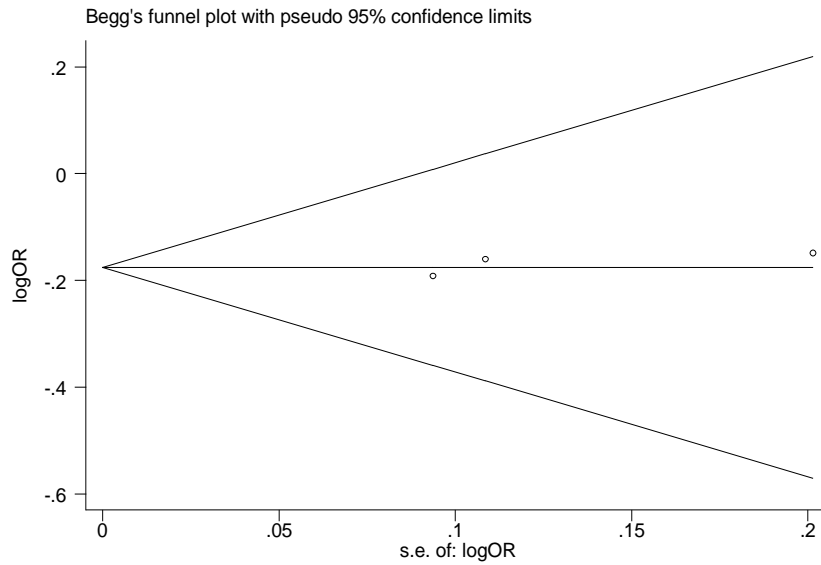
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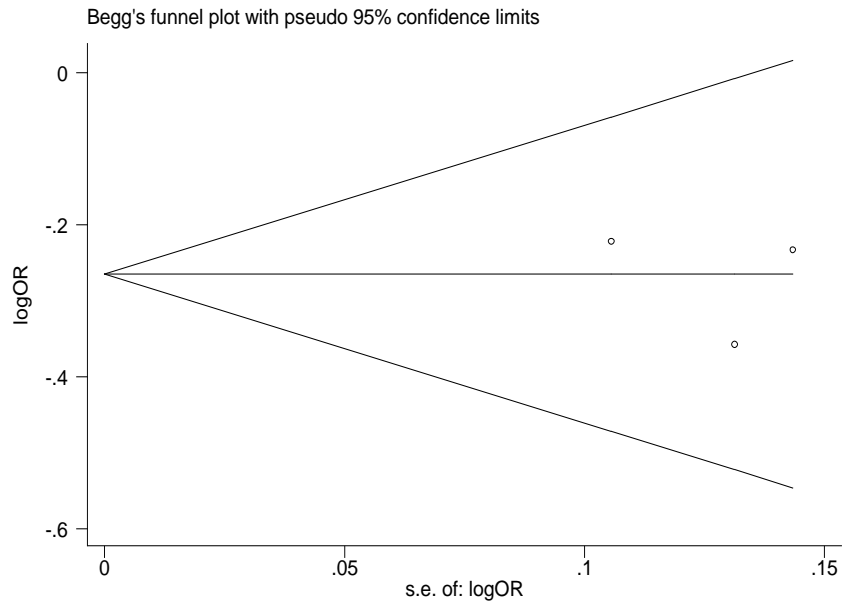
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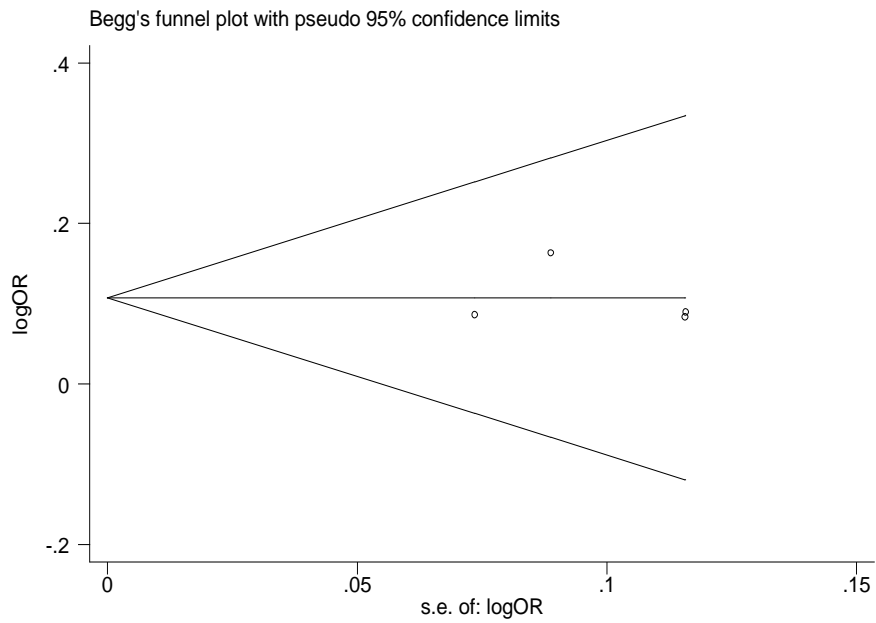
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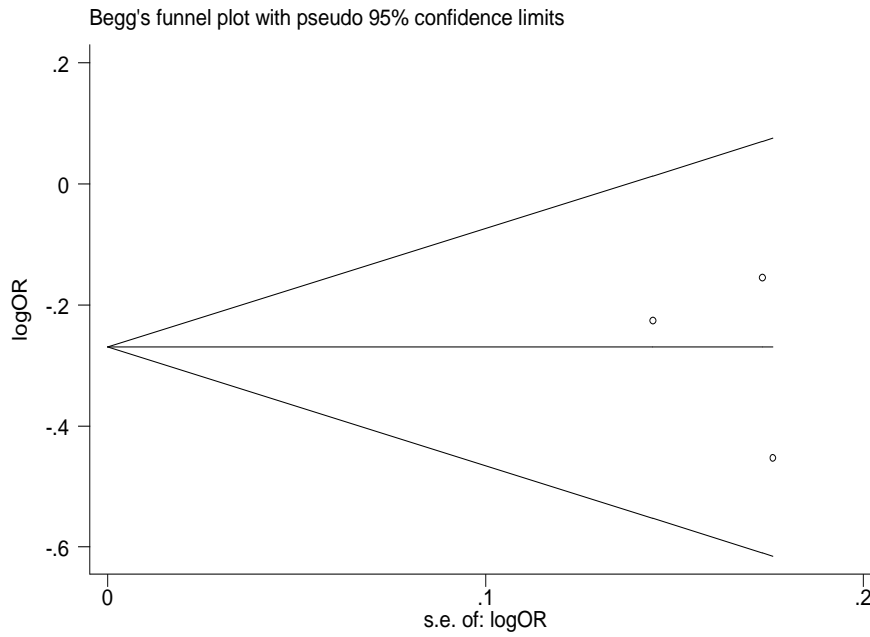




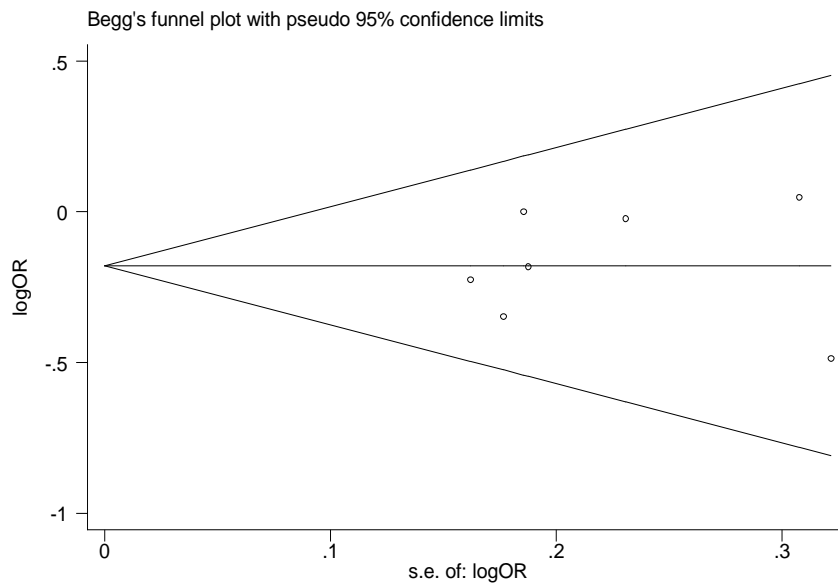
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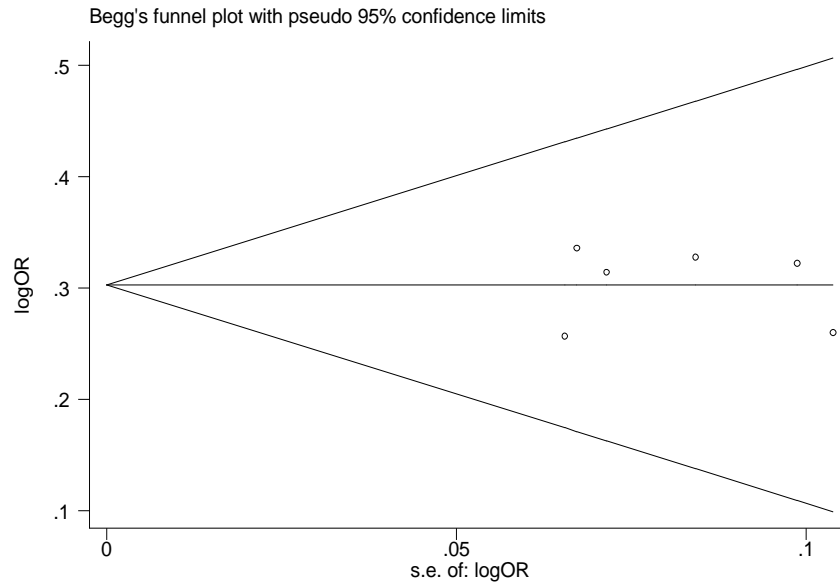
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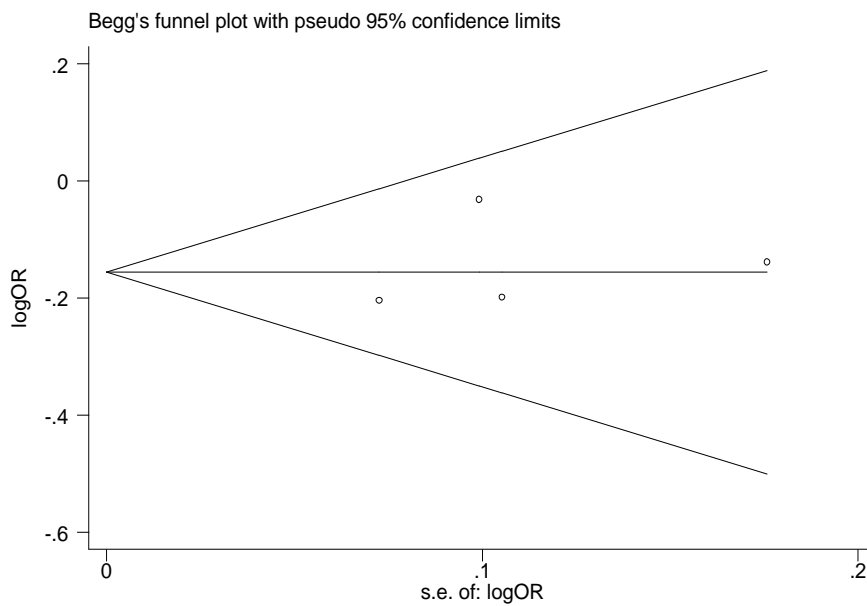
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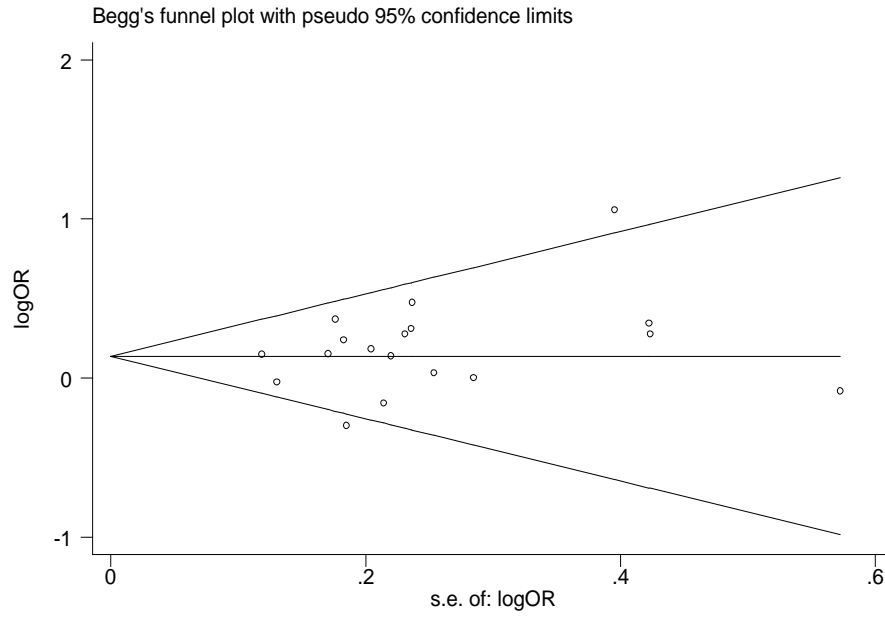
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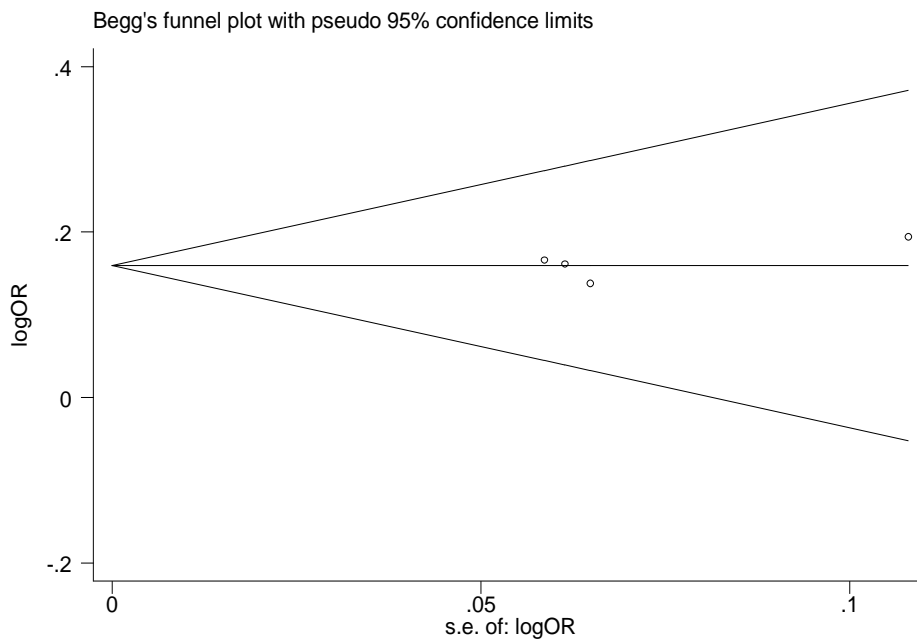
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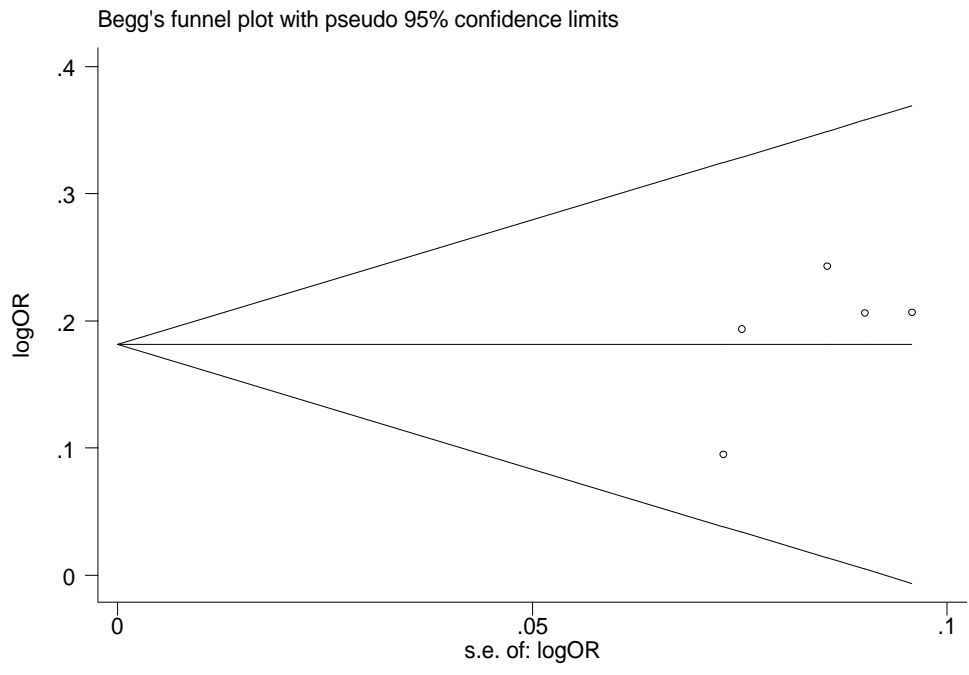
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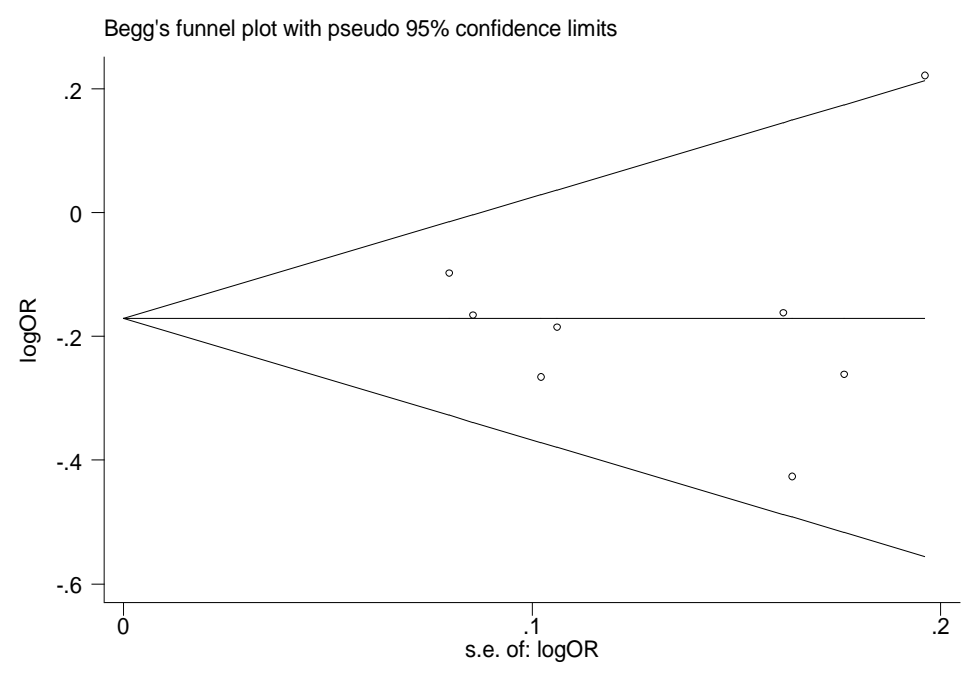
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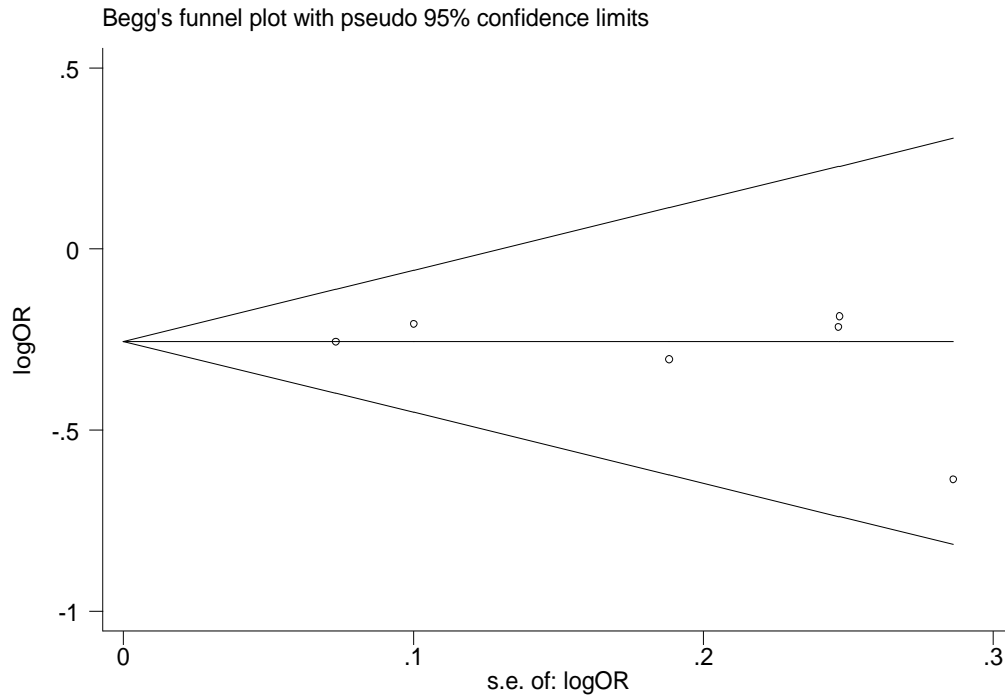
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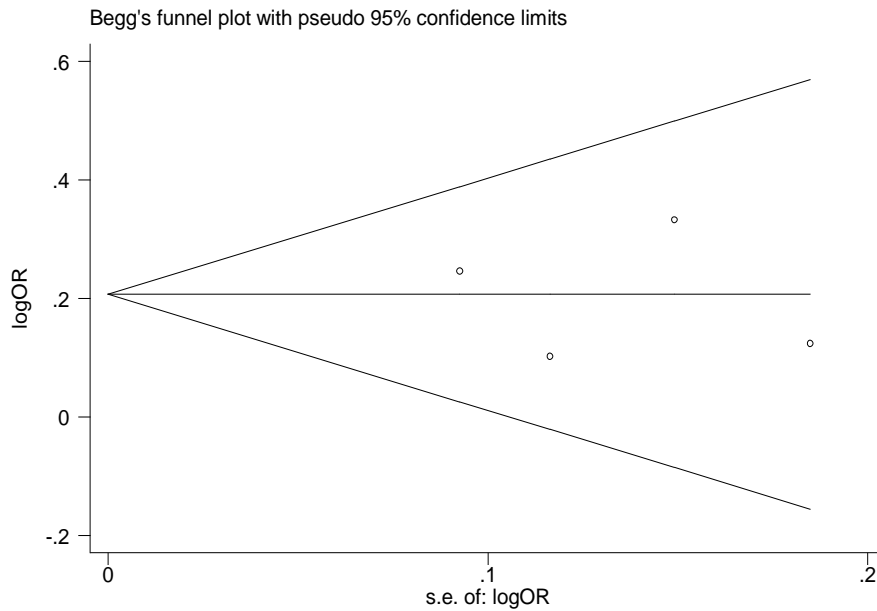
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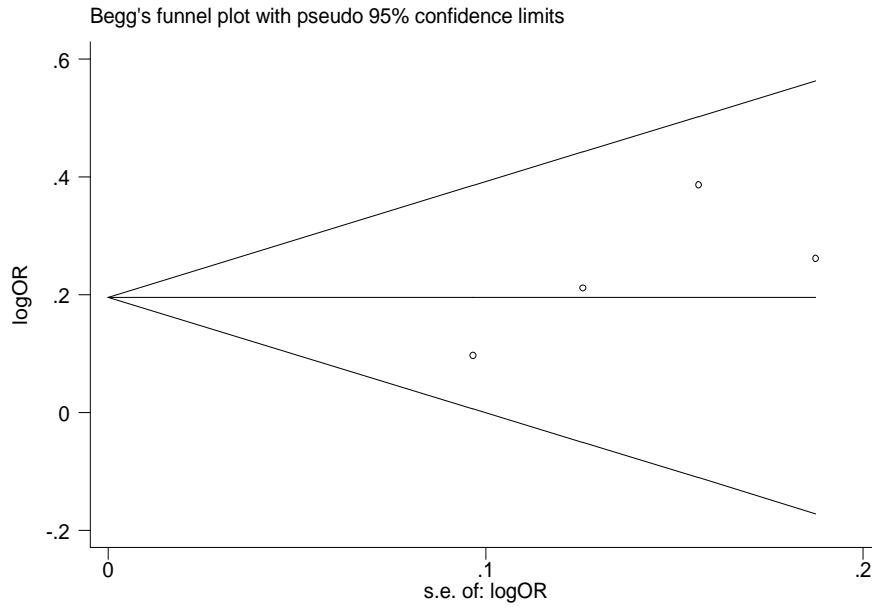
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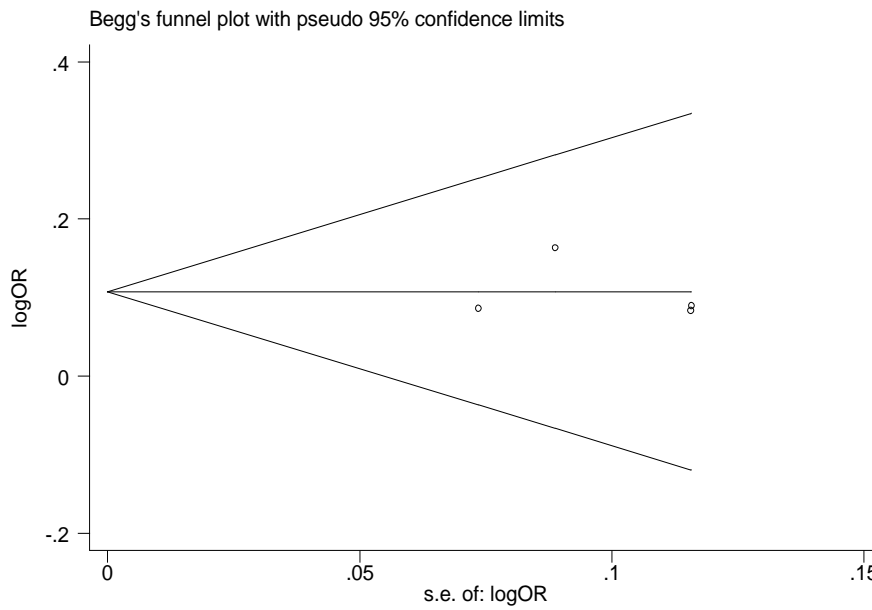
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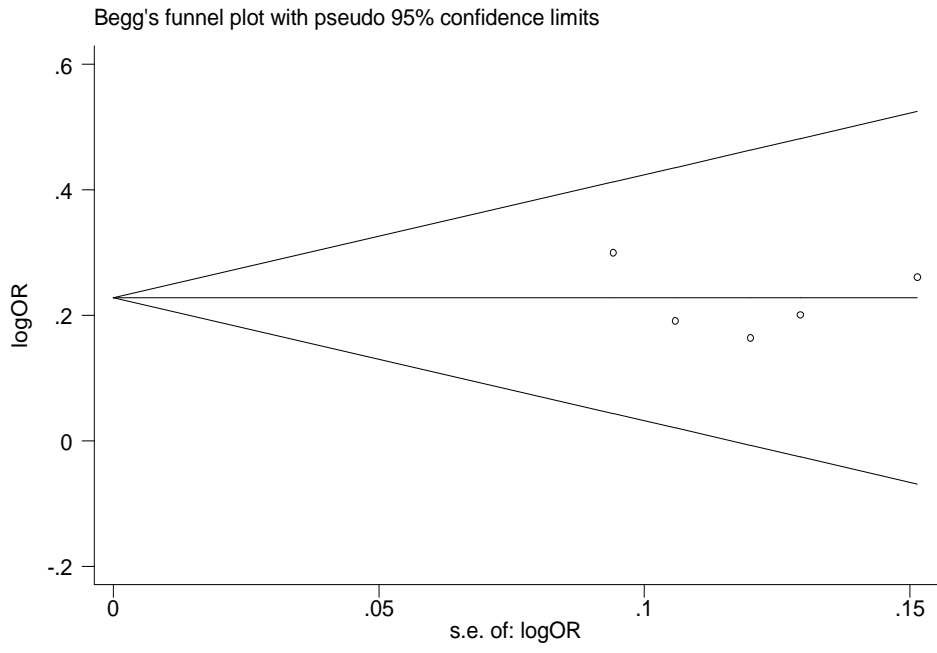
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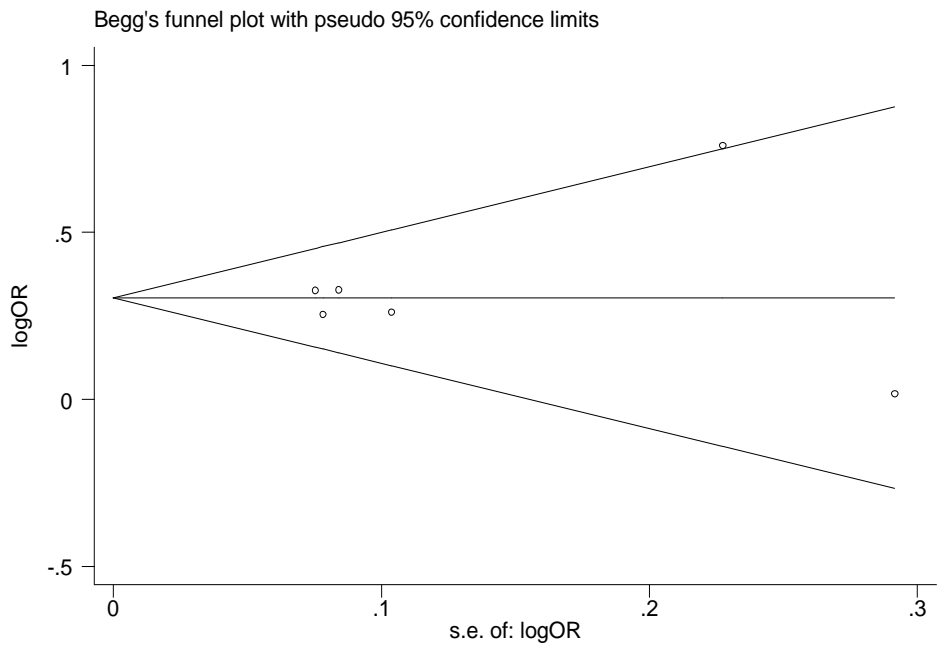
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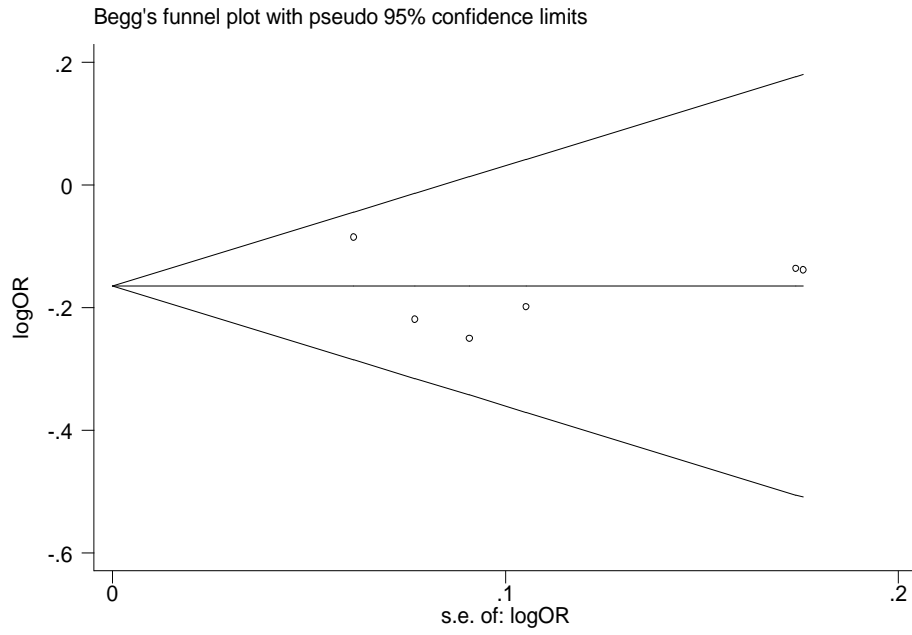


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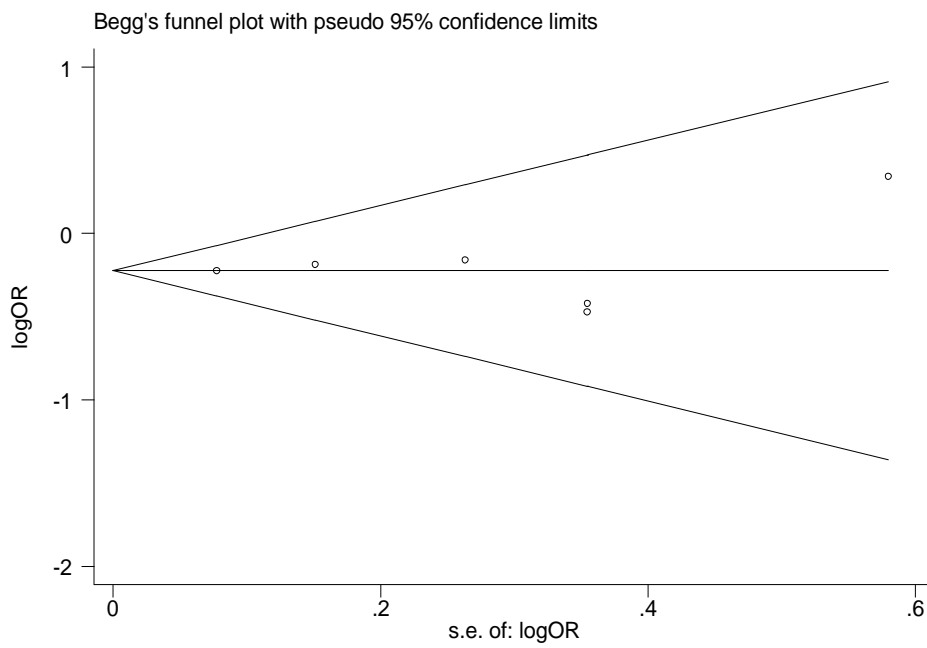


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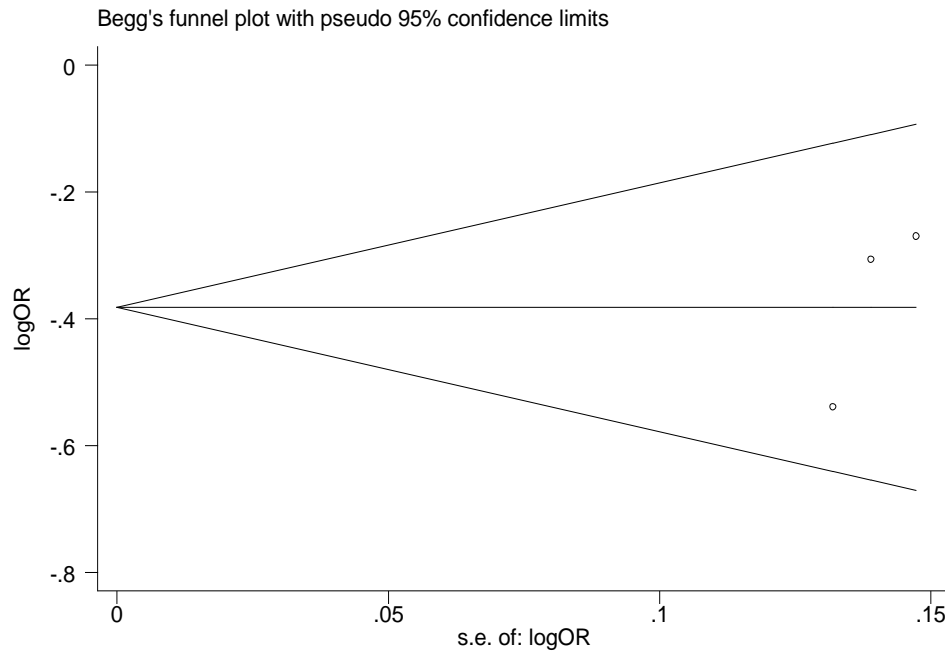




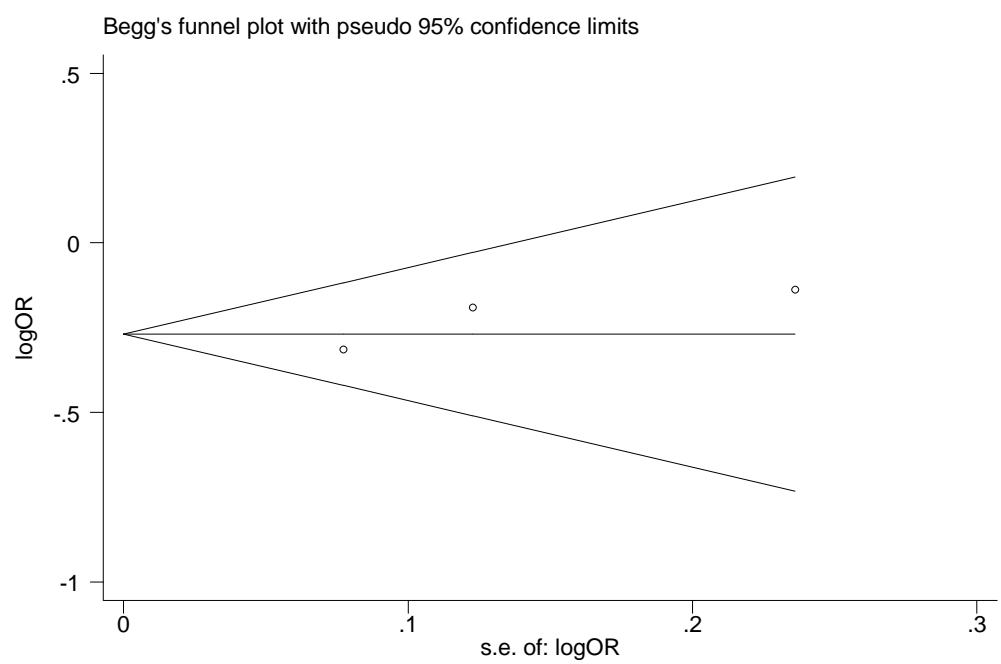
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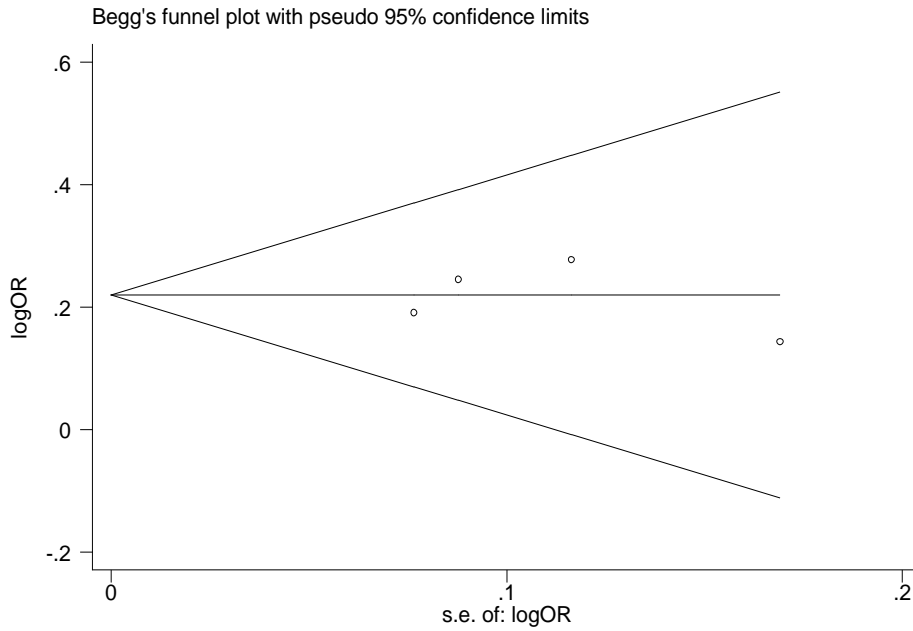
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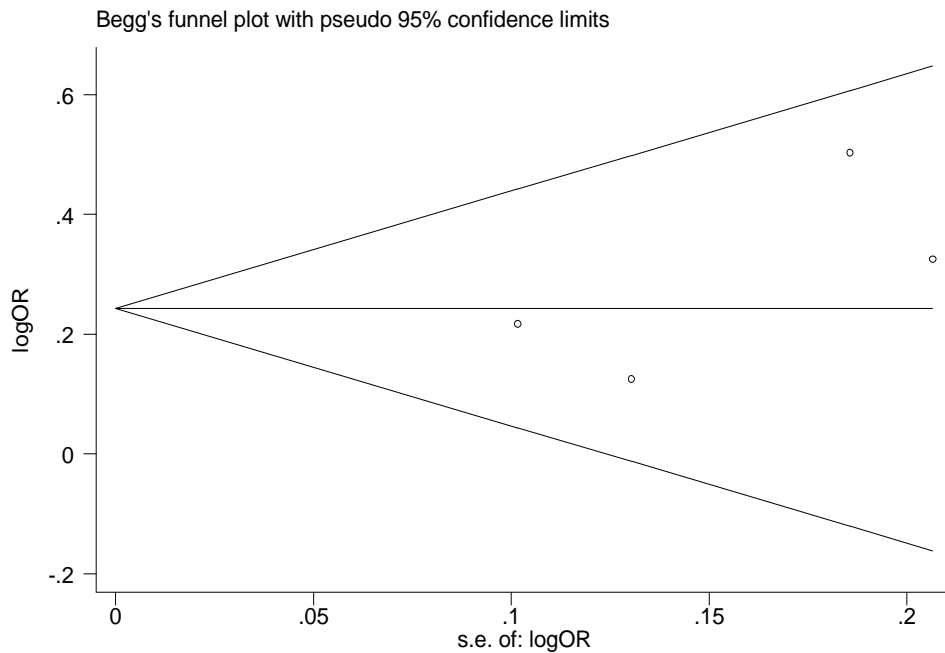
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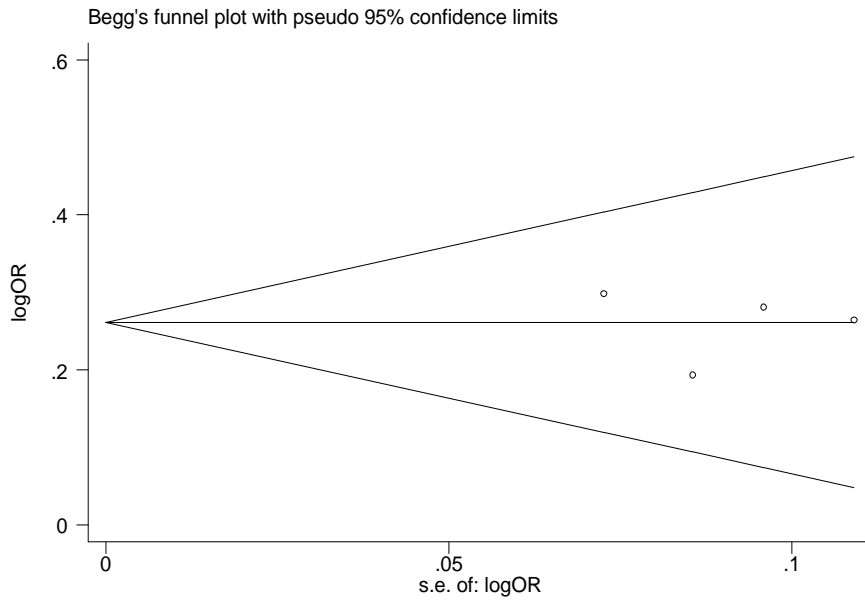
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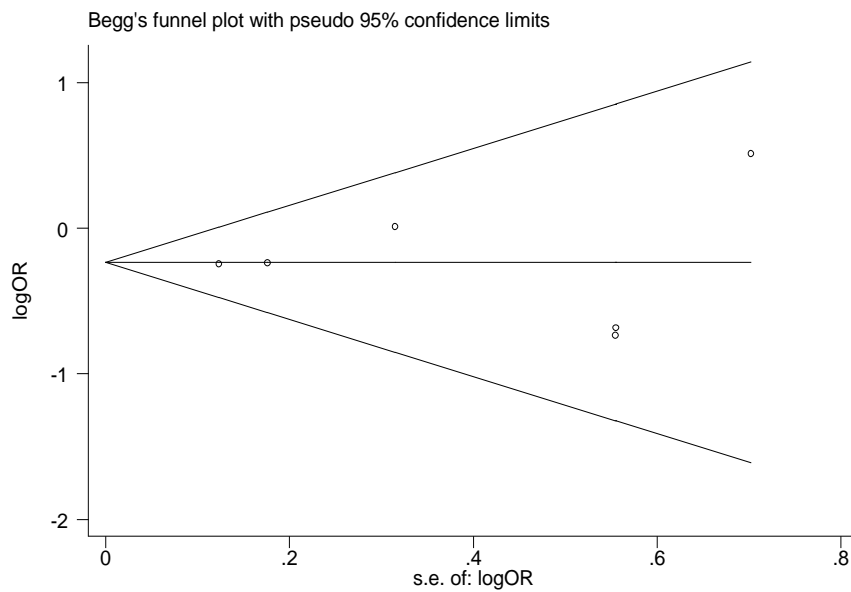
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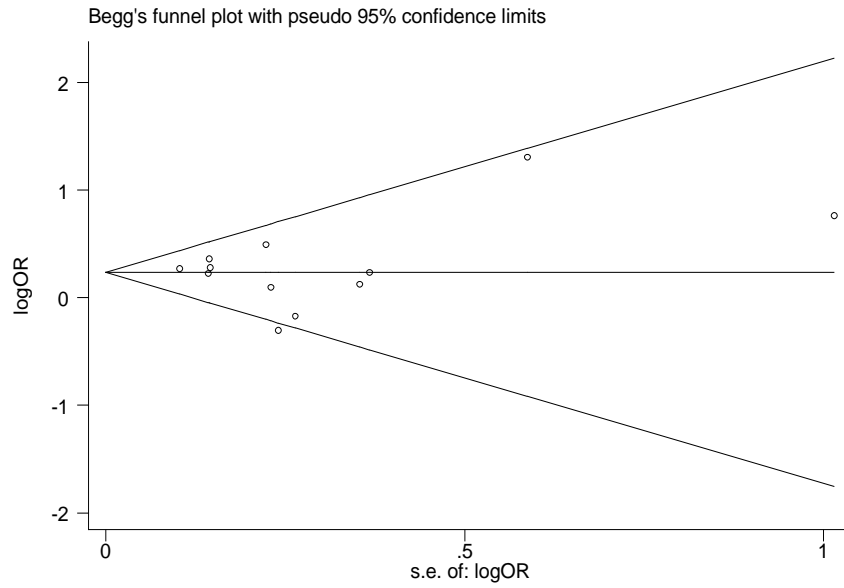
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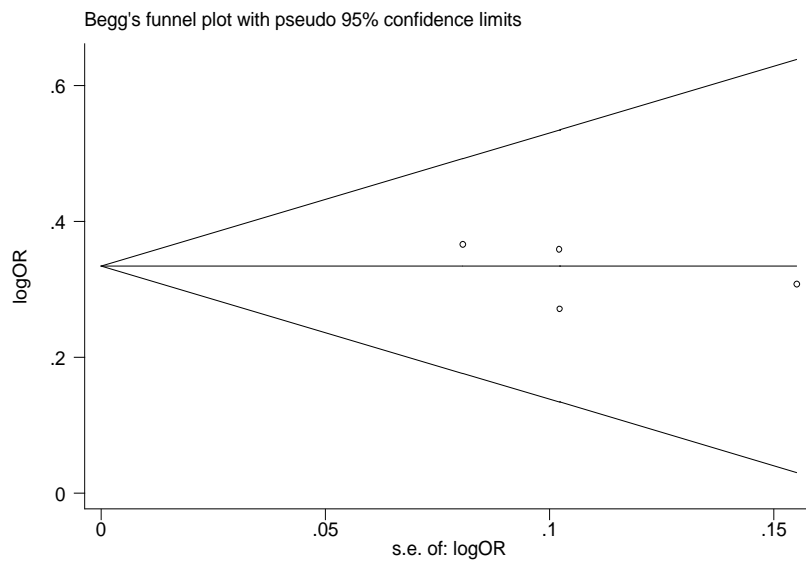
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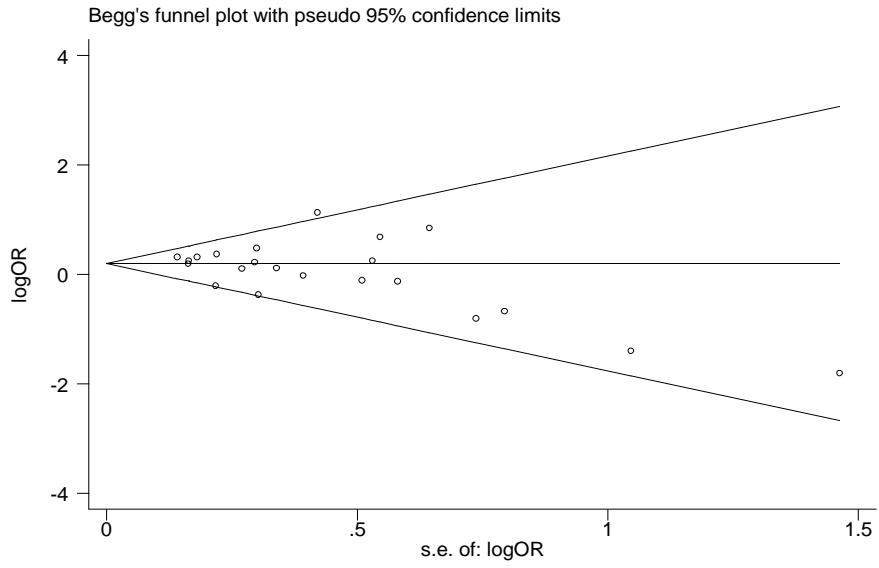
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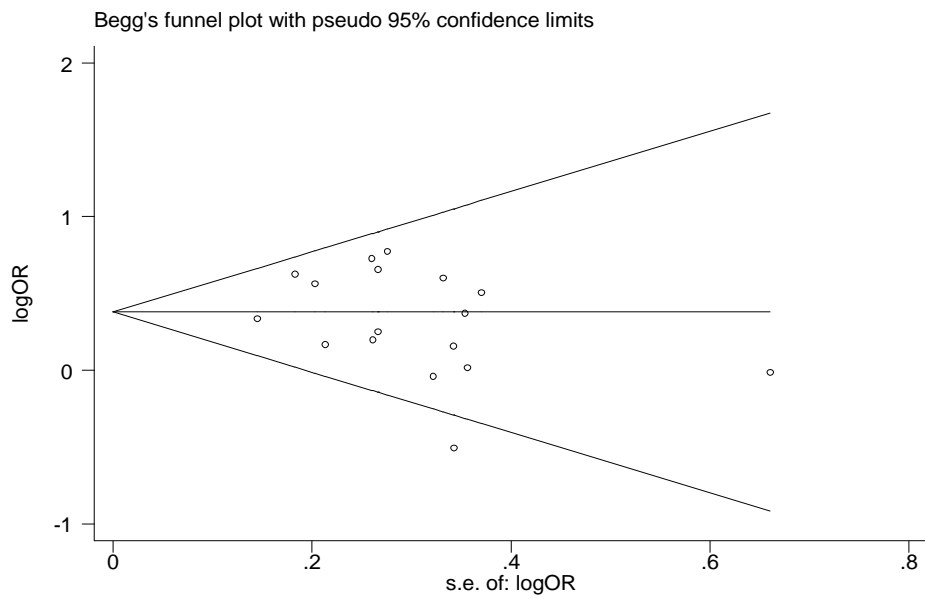
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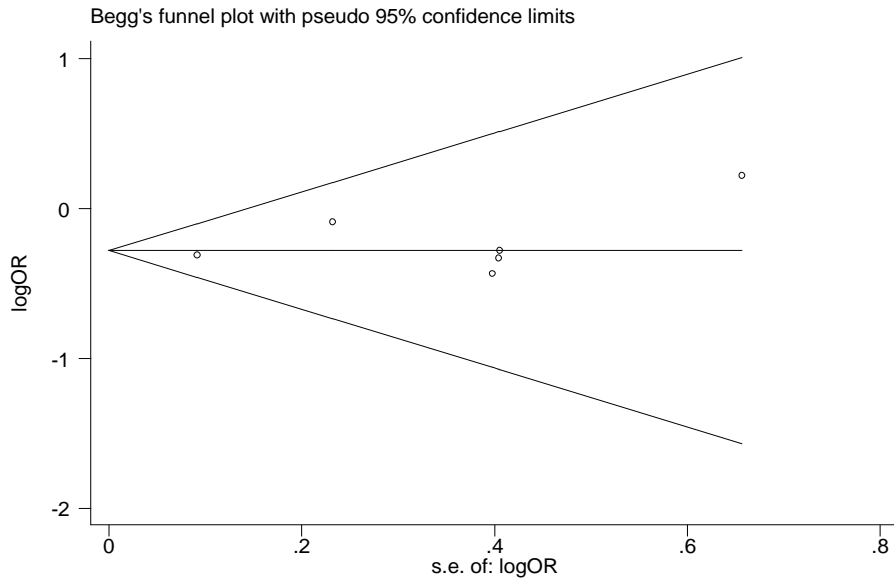
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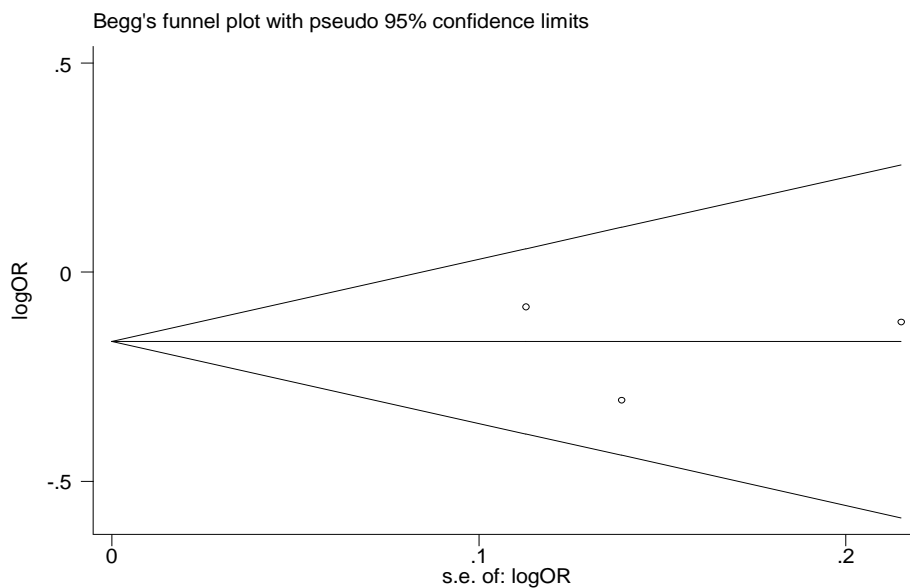
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**Supplementary Figure S7.36.** Subgroup meta-analysis of *ERCC1* rs11615 in non-smokers (allelic contrast: C vs. T).

**Supplementary Figure S7.** Begg's funnel plots of main or subgroup meta-analyses for variants showed significant associations to lung cancer susceptibility with strong cumulative evidence. Begg's funnel plots were used for publication bias test. Each point represented a separate study. LogOR, natural

logarithm of OR. Horizontal line, mean effect size. The degree of asymmetry of the funnel plots were evaluated by the Begg's test, and all P-value of Begg's test were displayed on the respective table in the manuscript.



**Supplementary Table S1. Genetic associations with lung cancer risk for all 246 variants analyzed in main meta-analyses under different genetic models** (Continued on next three pages)

Gene	Variant	Chr	Category	Ethnicity	Comparison*	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Number evaluated		Lung cancer risk meta-analysis in allelic model							Dominant model			Recessive model			
							Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	Q	P for Q	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	Begg P	Modified P	Excess P <sup>c</sup>	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)
<i>ABCB1</i>	rs1045642(p.Ile1145Ile,c.3435T>C)	7	synonymous	All	T vs C	39.40	4	1025/1080	1.30(0.79-2.16)	0.307	28.98	0.00	90	0.308	0.555	1.000	1.21(0.67-2.19)	0.535	83	1.34(0.72-2.50)	0.353	79
<i>ACE</i>	287-bp repeat(ID)	17	STR	All	Ins vs del	49.31	8	1730/8359	1.01(0.85-1.21)	0.885	19.95	0.01	65	0.536	0.627	0.019	1.00(0.76-1.32)	0.985	57	1.00(0.76-1.33)	0.998	66
<i>AGER</i>	rs1800624(-374T>A,Mum1)	6	intergenic	Asian	A vs T	34.41	3	1656/1693	1.18(1.04-1.33)	0.010	2.38	0.31	16	1.000	0.480	1.000	1.34(0.97-1.85)	0.077	72	1.18(0.95-1.46)	0.127	0
<i>AGER</i>	rs1800625(-429T>C,Alu1)	6	intergenic	Asian	C vs T	31.19	3	1656/1693	1.16(0.78-1.74)	0.468	20.99	0.00	91	1.000	0.741	0.232	1.20(0.74-1.68)	0.598	85	1.52(0.52-4.42)	0.443	90
<i>AGER</i>	rs2070600(p.Gly82Ser,c.244G>A)	6	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	31.57	4	2104/2178	1.10(0.93-1.31)	0.270	7.15	0.07	58	0.089	0.003	0.110	1.17(0.81-1.70)	0.408	83	1.15(0.77-1.72)	0.502	57
<i>AHR</i>	rs2066853(Arg554Lys,Ex10+501G>A)	7	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	30.44	5	1749/1925	0.96(0.84-1.10)	0.567	5.82	0.21	31	1.000	0.922	1.000	0.95(0.74-1.22)	0.703	63	0.96(0.78-1.18)	0.699	0
<i>ALDH2</i>	rs671(p.Glu487Lys,Glu504Lys,c.1510G>A)	12	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	24.03	3	1555/2079	1.36(0.74-2.50)	0.322	29.62	0.00	93	1.000	0.724	1.000	1.16(0.72-1.88)	0.539	89	1.10(0.53-2.29)	0.793	63
<i>APEX1</i>	rs1760944(c.-468T>G,-141T>G)	14	5'UTR	All	A vs G	47.94	8	3588/3783	1.16(1.08-1.25)	2.85×10 <sup>-5</sup>	7.70	0.36	9	0.386	0.119	0.287	1.21(1.02-1.44)	0.030	55	1.24(1.11-1.38)	1.54×10 <sup>-4</sup>	0
<i>APEX1</i>	rs1048945(p.Gln51His,c.153G>C)	14	non-synonymous	Caucasian	C vs G	4.72	3	745/816	0.93(0.67-1.31)	0.684	0.30	0.86	0	1.000	0.500	1.000						
<i>APEX1</i>	rs1130409(p.Asp148Glu,c.444T>G)	14	non-synonymous	All	G vs T	42.30	21	6479/8565	1.00(0.93-1.09)	0.922	34.22	0.02	45	1.000	0.985	0.023	1.07(0.96-1.19)	0.224	56	0.97(0.84-1.13)	0.731	56
<i>APEX1</i>	rs2307486(p.Ile64Val,c.190A>G)	14	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	6.97	4	2281/2505	0.82(0.63-1.06)	0.121	6.35	0.10	53	0.089	0.119	0.567						
<i>ATM</i>	rs609429(IVS48+238C>G)	11	intron	All	(GG+GC) vs CC	54.72	3	1490/1501	0.82(0.66-1.03)	0.086	3.02	0.22	34	1.000	0.495	0.515	0.82(0.66-1.03)	0.086	34			
<i>ATM</i>	rs664677(IVS21T-77C)	11	intron	All	C vs T	58.90	3	1627/1641	0.91(0.82-1.00)	0.056	1.82	0.40	0	1.000	0.427	1.000	0.76(0.64-0.92)	0.004	0	0.97(0.85-1.11)	0.680	0
<i>ATM</i>	rs189037(c.-111G>A,-4519G>A)	11	5'UTR	Asian	A vs T	42.68	5	3036/3415	1.09(1.00-1.18)	0.050	5.65	0.23	29	0.806	0.195	1.000	1.10(0.98-1.23)	0.105	9	1.16(1.01-1.33)	0.043	20
<i>ATM</i>	rs664143(IVS34G+60A)	11	intron	All	(GG+GA) vs AA	45.53	3	1465/1465	0.93(0.79-1.10)	0.392	1.61	0.45	0	0.296	0.088	1.000	0.93(0.79-1.10)	0.392	0			
<i>AURKA</i>	rs2273535(p.Phe318Val,c.91T>A)	20	non-synonymous	Caucasian	A vs T	48.28	20	2301/2069	0.96(0.86-1.06)	0.421	0.63	0.73	0	0.296	0.383	1.000	0.97(0.83-1.14)	0.723	0	0.88(0.57-1.34)	0.547	61
<i>AURKA</i>	rs1047972(p.Ile57Val,c.169A>G)	20	non-synonymous	Caucasian	A vs T	15.75	3	2463/2283	0.96(0.86-1.06)	0.425	1.65	0.44	0	0.296	0.167	1.000	0.97(0.86-1.11)	0.681	0	0.77(0.53-1.11)	0.156	0
<i>AXIN2</i>	rs2240308(p.Pro50Ser,c.148C>T)	17	non-synonymous	All	T vs G	37.40	3	758/742	0.73(0.63-0.85)	6.39×10 <sup>-5</sup>	1.84	0.40	0	1.000	0.120	0.251	0.69(0.56-0.85)	3.98×10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.55(0.34-0.89)	0.015	32
<i>BCL2</i>	rs2279115(c.-938C>A)	18	5'UTR	All	A vs C	43.37	5	1847/2367	0.65(0.46-0.91)	0.011	45.33	0.00	91	0.624	0.035	0.481	0.59(0.39-0.90)	0.014	88	0.59(0.41-0.84)	0.004	80
<i>BIRC5</i>	rs9904341(c.-31G>C)	17	5'UTR	All	C vs G	43.56	5	1008/963	1.23(0.80-1.88)	0.352	27.16	0.00	85	0.806	0.925	0.051	1.07(0.65-1.77)	0.783	78	1.75(0.99-3.12)	0.056	70
<i>BRCA2</i>	rs144848(p.Asn372His,c.1114A>C)	13	non-synonymous	All	C vs A	23.94	4	1586/2513	1.00(0.82-1.21)	0.959	6.90	0.08	57	0.734	0.734	1.000						
<i>CASC8</i>	rs1447295(C>A)	8	intron	All	A vs C	14.41	3	1541/2057	1.00(0.88-1.14)	0.991	1.52	0.47	0	1.000	0.440	1.000	0.96(0.80-1.15)	0.658	33	1.43(0.90-2.26)	0.129	0
<i>CASC8</i>	rs6983267(T>G)	8	intron	All	G vs T	44.77	3	1539/1989	1.14(0.95-1.38)	0.166	7.70	0.02	74	0.296	0.223	0.263	1.16(0.81-1.66)	0.409	83	1.22(1.04-1.44)	0.013	0
<i>CASP5</i>	rs523104(p.Leu318Val,c.748C>G)	11	non-synonymous	All	G vs T	36.90	3	758/943	1.12(0.98-1.29)	0.105	1.18	0.55	0	1.000	0.371	1.000	1.09(0.90-1.33)	0.378	0	1.32(0.94-1.86)	0.113	33
<i>CASP8</i>	rs3834129(-652 G del,-CTTACT)	2	intergenic	All	Del vs non-del	27.82	4	2737/2696	0.95(0.77-1.17)	0.631	16.45	0.00	82	0.308	0.167	0.275	0.93(0.73-1.17)	0.526	76	0.98(0.72-1.32)	0.890	52
<i>CASP8</i>	rs1045485(p.Asp302His,c.853G>C)	2	non-synonymous	All	C vs G	10.96	4	1054/1259	1.20(0.97-1.49)	0.101	4.02	0.26	25	1.000	0.186	0.460	1.25(1.00-1.56)	0.056	20	0.90(0.42-1.91)	0.781	0
<i>CCND1</i>	rs678653(G>C)	11	3'UTR	All	C vs G	29.98	3	1323/1901	1.03(0.85-1.24)	0.773	5.03	0.08	60	1.000	0.347	1.000	0.99(0.76-1.27)	0.905	62	1.09(0.87-1.35)	0.464	0
<i>CCND1</i>	rs9344(rs603965,p.Pro241Pro,c.723G>A)	11	synonymous	All	A vs G	48.82	11	6058/7315	1.02(0.92-1.12)	0.696	30.90	0.00	68	0.533	0.927	0.007	0.98(0.85-1.12)	0.745	55	1.07(0.90-1.26)	0.460	69
<i>CD3EAP</i>	rs967591(c.-21G>A)	19	5'UTR	All	A vs G	32.09	3	676/726	1.23(1.01-1.49)	0.036	2.56	0.28	22	1.000	0.988	1.000	1.38(0.92-2.07)	0.119	62	1.30(0.97-1.78)	0.105	0
<i>CDKN1A</i>	rs1801270(p.Ser31Arg,c.93C>A,6829C>A)	6	non-synonymous	All	A vs C	13.18	9	4039/4804	1.04(0.89-1.21)	0.663	16.82	0.03	52	0.029	0.280	0.280	1.08(0.88-1.32)	0.483	61	0.92(0.73-1.16)	0.489	0
<i>CDKN2A</i>	rs3731249(p.Ala148Thr,c.442G>A)	9	non-synonymous	Caucasian	(AA+AG) vs GG	1.75	3	2875/2707	1.38(0.81-2.35)	0.230	4.56	0.10	56	0.296	0.177	1.000	1.38(0.81-2.35)	0.230	56			
<i>Chr8q24</i>	rs16901979(C>A)	8	intergenic	All	A vs G	19.48	3	1534/1992	1.15(0.99-1.35)	0.065	3.29	0.19	39	1.000	0.259	1.000	1.18(1.02-1.37)	0.025	0	1.22(0.80-1.86)	0.352	51
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs12914385(2594C>T)	15	intron	All	T vs C	35.09	4	5356/2873	1.20(1.01-1.44)	0.044	12.27	0.01	76	0.734	0.353	1.000	1.26(1.00-1.57)	0.047	70	1.34(1.04-1.71)	0.022	49
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs3743073(A>C)	15	intron	All	G vs T	43.53	3	1391/1500	1.27(0.89-1.83)	0.191	23.05	0.00	91	0.296	0.088	1.000	1.37(0.95-1.98)	0.094	80	1.32(0.72-2.44)	0.368	91
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs578776(C>T)	15	intron	All	T vs C	31.98	3	1245/2009	0.87(0.77-0.98)	0.018	0.19	0.91	0	1.000	0.969	0.576	0.84(0.72-0.98)	0.026	0	0.84(0.66-1.07)	0.162	0
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs938682(T>C,r.788965/47C)	15	intron	All	C vs T	28.37	3	1240/1986	0.86(0.76-0.96)	0.009	1.08	0.58	0	0.296	0.054	1.000						
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs6495309(4064C>T)	15	5'UTR	All	T vs C	38.44	4	3381/4244	0.83(0.77-0.89)	6.55×10 <sup>-5</sup>	2.78	0.43	0	1.000	0.727	1.000	0.78(0.71-0.86)	9.82×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0	0.81(0.68-0.95)	0.010	37
<i>CHRNA5</i>	rs14277241(rs3841324,-62ins[del.22bp indel])	15	5'UTR	All	Del vs ins	37.67	3	1431/1606	0.92(0.83-1.03)	0.131	2.02	0.36	1	1.000	0.828	1.000	0.96(0.83-1.11)	0.571	0	0.80(0.65-0.98)	0.032	0
<i>CHRNA5</i>	rs1696968(p.Asp398Asn,c.1192G>A)	15	non-synonymous	All	A vs A	32.51	11	6222/62452	1.23(1.06-1.43)	0.007	48.96	0.00	80	0.119	0.131	0.071	1.26(1.01-1.59)	0.045	85	1.49(1.32-1.68)	5.18×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0
<i>CLPTM1L</i>	rs402710(C>T)	5	intron	All	T vs C	32.92	13	7214/8051	0.89(0.83-0.95)	2.63×10 <sup>-5</sup>	19.48	0.08	38	0.669	0.437	0.335	0.84(0.78-0.90)	2.42×10 <sup>-2</sup>	0	0.81(0.71-0.93)	0.002	24
<i>COMT</i>	rs4680(p.Val158Met,c.472G>A)	22	non-synonymous	All	A vs T	29.90	5	1497/1958	1.09(0.84-1.43)	0.517	21.84	0.00	82	0.806	0.920	0.077	1.13(0.87-1.45)	0.366	63	1.12(0.66-1.90)	0.674	77
<i>CRP</i>	rs2808630(T>C)	1	3'UTR	All	C vs T	27.26	3	826/895	0.82(0.68-1.01)	0.056	2.79	0.25	28	1.000	0.859	1.000	0.81(0.61-1.07)	0.155	44	0.71(0.48-1.04)	0.080	0
<i>CTLA4</i>	rs3087243(p.Ala119Ser,c.355G>T,m2)	2	3'UTR	All	A vs G	26.64	3	1132/1220	0.99(0.86-1.14)	0.887	1.05	0.59	0	0.296	0.158	1.000	1.05(0.88-1.26)	0.566	0	0.81(0.59-1.11)	0.184	0
<i>CTLA4</i>	rs231775(p.Thr17Ala,c.49A>G)	2	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	61.94	6	2828/2953	0.88(0.64-1.21)	0.												

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ELANE	rs7254054(-741G>A,REP_b)	19	5'UTR	Caucasian	A vs G	27.20	3	754/750	0.77(0.61-0.97)	0.030	3.72	0.16	46	0.296	0.022	0.567	0.77(0.63-0.95)	0.014	0	0.50(0.18-1.38)	0.183	81	
EPHX1	rs1051740(p.Tyr113His,c.337T>C)	1	non-synonymous	All	C vs T	31.81	21	3461/7217	1.05(0.89-1.24)	0.564	106.98	0.00	81	0.057	0.153	0.000	1.05(0.86-1.28)	0.633	77	1.01(0.79-1.28)	0.951	61	
EPHX1	rs2234922(p.His139Arg,c.416A>G)	1	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	18.85	23	5582/9556	1.12(0.99-1.28)	0.076	69.15	0.00	68	0.051	0.032	0.289	1.15(1.00-1.33)	0.059	65	1.09(0.88-1.35)	0.428	18	
ERCC1	rs11615(rs3177700,p.Asn118Asn,c.354T>C)	19	synonymous	All	C vs T	51.18	12	5731/7058	0.90(0.83-0.99)	0.023	22.97	0.02	52	0.086	0.072	0.434	0.86(0.73-1.00)	0.048	51	0.89(0.80-1.00)	0.051	31	
ERCC1	rs16979802(15310G>C)	19	intron	Caucasian	C vs G	21.81	3	1311/2114	0.87(0.74-1.03)	0.102	0.87	0.65	0	1.000	0.444	1.000	0.91(0.73-1.13)	0.399	0	0.75(0.45-1.26)	0.281	15	
ERCC1	rs2298881(262G>T,C>A)	19	intron	All	T vs G	29.82	4	3049/3791	0.99(0.91-1.07)	0.723	3.50	0.32	14	0.308	0.727	1.000	0.96(0.86-1.07)	0.439	0	1.02(0.88-1.18)	0.799	0	
ERCC1	rs3212948(C>G)	19	intron	All	G vs C	56.25	5	2144/2544	1.04(0.89-1.22)	0.591	10.24	0.04	61	0.642	0.568	0.243	1.05(0.81-1.11)	0.523	3	1.13(0.94-1.36)	0.181	34	
ERCC1	rs3212955(A>G)	19	intron	All	G vs A	26.05	4	2271/2845	1.08(0.98-1.18)	0.109	2.42	0.49	0	0.734	0.744	1.000	0.96(0.94-1.20)	0.350	10	1.21(0.96-1.53)	0.107	39	
ERCC1	rs3212961(IVS5+33C>A,17677C>A)	19	intron	All	A vs C	35.50	6	2207/2311	0.94(0.86-1.03)	0.167	4.90	0.43	0	1.000	0.704	1.000	1.03(0.81-1.07)	0.321	0	0.97(0.74-1.28)	0.848	37	
ERCC1	rs3212986(8092C>A,14443C>A)	19	3'UTR	All	A vs C	26.25	5	4079/4475	1.00(0.94-1.08)	0.931	1.63	0.80	0	0.806	0.929	1.000	1.01(0.93-1.10)	0.846	0	0.99(0.84-1.17)	0.894	0	
ERCC1	rs735482(p.Lys261Thr,A>C)	19	non-synonymous	All	C vs A	19.32	5	1682/2797	1.02(0.91-1.15)	0.709	4.34	0.36	8	0.462	0.490	1.000	1.02(0.85-1.22)	0.830	25	1.14(0.86-1.51)	0.359	0	
ERCC2	rs1052555(Asp711Asp,G>A)	19	synonymous	All	A vs G	18.91	3	511/751	1.09(0.85-1.40)	0.493	2.95	0.23	32	0.296	0.145	1.000							
ERCC2	rs1711440(A>C)	19	intron	All	C vs A	34.69	3	511/751	1.04(0.87-1.26)	0.645	0.61	0.74	0	1.000	0.716	1.000							
ERCC2	rs13181(p.Lys751Gln,c.2251A>C)	19	non-synonymous	All	C vs A	25.26	40	13111/16749	1.12(1.05-1.19)	4.18x10 <sup>-4</sup>	76.17	0.00	49	0.753	0.272	0.048	1.16(1.08-1.26)	1.26x10 <sup>-4</sup>	40	1.15(1.01-1.30)	0.034	41	
ERCC2	rs1799787(IVS19-70C>T,G>A)	19	intron	All	T vs C	21.34	6	1792/2807	1.03(0.83-1.27)	0.824	10.74	0.06	54	1.000	0.996	0.171	1.02(0.81-1.28)	0.872	49	1.07(0.61-1.88)	0.807	25	
ERCC2	rs1799793(p.Asp312Asn,c.981G>A)	19	non-synonymous	All	A vs T	23.17	26	10209/12967	1.02(0.95-1.09)	0.637	43.81	0.01	43	0.628	0.578	0.182	1.02(0.96-1.09)	0.498	1	1.10(0.97-1.25)	0.129	14	
ERCC2	rs238406(p.Arg156Arg,C>A)	19	synonymous	All	A vs C	40.05	6	1754/2688	1.12(1.02-1.23)	0.013	3.94	0.56	0	0.260	0.332	0.599	1.08(0.93-1.25)	0.303	11	1.30(1.10-1.52)	0.001	0	
ERCC4	rs1799801(p.Ser835Ser,Ex11-247T>C)	16	synonymous	All	C vs T	27.99	3	1009/1758	1.02(0.88-1.17)	0.835	2.16	0.34	8	1.000	0.786	1.000							
ERCC4	rs1800067(Arg415Gln)	16	non-synonymous	Caucasian	A vs G	6.78	5	1521/2420	1.10(0.92-1.32)	0.286	1.19	0.88	0	0.806	0.952	1.000	1.12(0.92-1.37)	0.261	0	1.63(0.51-5.22)	0.413	20	
ERCC5	rs1047768(p.His46His,335C>T)	13	synonymous	All	T vs G	43.99	4	1449/2248	0.86(0.74-1.00)	0.049	5.78	0.12	48	0.734	0.414	1.000	0.92(0.80-1.06)	0.256	0	0.76(0.61-0.94)	0.013	32	
ERCC5	rs17655(p.Asp1104His,c.3310G>C)	13	non-synonymous	All	C vs G	39.06	10	3528/4481	0.96(0.84-1.10)	0.525	29.83	0.00	70	1.000	0.952	0.087	0.96(0.77-1.21)	0.754	72	0.90(0.72-1.12)	0.352	53	
ERCC6	rs3793784(-6530C>G)	10	5'UTR	All	C vs G	30.82	3	1643/1689	0.75(0.60-0.92)	0.007	6.23	0.04	68	1.000	0.550	0.167							
ERCC6	rs2228528(p.Gly399Asp,G1275A)	10	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	41.74	4	1856/2059	1.05(0.95-1.15)	0.365	2.91	0.41	0	0.734	0.556	1.000							
EXO1	rs1047840(p.Glu589Lys,c.1765G>A)	1	non-synonymous	All	T vs G	21.78	3	1114/1166	1.23(0.96-1.57)	0.099	6.15	0.05	68	1.000	0.981	0.300	1.23(0.85-1.79)	0.274	78	1.33(0.94-1.88)	0.105	0	
FANCG	rs2237857(p.Thr297Ile,C1382T)	9	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	8.77	3	1553/1774	0.98(0.68-1.41)	0.903	4.52	0.10	56	1.000	0.330	0.100							
FAS	rs2234767(-1377G>A)	10	5'UTR	All	A vs G	27.07	5	4125/3696	1.09(0.97-1.22)	0.153	7.90	0.10	49	1.000	0.770	0.171	1.05(0.93-1.18)	0.480	24	1.30(0.99-1.73)	0.063	58	
FASLG	rs763110(-844C>T)	14	5'UTR	All	T vs C	34.01	4	4004/3639	0.83(0.65-1.07)	0.156	34.08	0.00	91	0.734	0.536	0.630	0.80(0.56-1.14)	0.213	92	0.83(0.70-0.99)	0.038	30	
FGFR4	rs351855(p.Gly388Arg,G>A)	5	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	42.47	4	1083/1275	0.82(0.69-0.98)	0.025	4.48	0.21	33	0.839	0.515	1.000	0.73(0.61-0.87)	3.56x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.87(0.58-1.32)	0.521	51	
GPC3	rs2352028(C>T)	13	intron	Asian	T vs C	21.65	3	1648/2002	0.97(0.87-1.09)	0.611	1.43	0.49	0	1.000	0.765	1.000							
GPC3	rs1050450(p.Pro200Leu,c.599C>T)	3	non-synonymous	Caucasian	T vs C	34.06	4	976/1339	1.04(0.75-1.44)	0.811	16.02	0.00	81	0.734	0.934	0.157	1.11(0.72-1.71)	0.632	80	0.93(0.54-1.59)	0.785	71	
GSTM1	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	1	phenotype	All	Null vs present	48.85	133	33253/37867	1.18(1.12-1.23)	2.54x10 <sup>-11</sup>	269.09	0.00	52	0.105	0.037	0.011							
GSTM3	rs1799735(c.468+21delAGC,3bp deletion,*A/*B)	1	intron	All	Del vs non-del	17.64	8	1749/2069	0.97(0.86-1.09)	0.608	3.43	0.84	0	0.902	0.668	1.000							
GSTP1	rs1138272(p.Ala114Val,c.341C>T)	11	non-synonymous	Caucasian	T vs C	7.63	6	1479/1573	1.24(0.93-1.65)	0.149	10.60	0.06	53	1.000	0.529	0.177	1.18(0.90-1.55)	0.236	63	1.96(0.50-1.63)	0.728	54	
GSTP1	rs1695(p.Ile105Val,c.313A>G)	11	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	30.41	46	12521/14411	1.08(1.02-1.15)	0.011	100.57	0.00	55	0.075	0.009	0.008	1.08(1.00-1.16)	0.059	55	1.11(1.01-1.22)	0.035	13	
GSTT1	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	22	phenotype	All	Null vs present	26.14	77	23009/25365	1.10(1.02-1.19)	0.011	179.38	0.00	58	0.346	0.345	0.000							
HIF1A	rs11549465(p.Pro582Ser,c.174C>T)	14	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	13.60	3	509/566	1.19(0.50-2.86)	0.690	18.09	0.00	89	1.000	0.488	0.293	1.19(0.51-2.76)	0.688	86				
HIF1A	rs11549467(p.Ala588Thr,c.1762G>A)	14	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	9.45	3	509/566	2.27(1.74-2.96)	1.62x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.47	0.48	0	0.296	0.261	0.610	2.15(1.56-2.95)	2.51x10 <sup>-6</sup>	0				
HRAS1	common alleles (rare alleles/HRAS1 VNTR alleles, loss of heterozygosity in the 15p15.5 region)	11	combined variant	Caucasian	rare vs common	7.03	4	746/1174	2.55(1.01-6.45)	0.048	9.56	0.02	69	0.734	0.561	0.346							
HYKK	rs931794(A>G)	15	intron	All	G vs A	32.89	5	2435/3180	1.23(1.14-1.34)	1.85x10 <sup>-7</sup>	1.28	0.86	0	1.000	0.967	0.411	1.29(1.15-1.43)	6.08x10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	1.35(1.16-1.58)	1.58x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	
IFNG	rs2069705(-1615T>C)	12	intergenic	All	C vs T	38.30	3	2119/2654	1.02(0.93-1.11)	0.727	2.01	0.37	0	1.000	0.662	1.000							
IGFBP3	rs2854744 (C-202A)	7	intergenic	Asian	C vs A	27.71	3	789/960	0.79(0.52-1.20)	0.262	13.99	0.00	86	0.296	0.298	1.000	0.79(0.50-1.26)	0.328	82	0.57(0.26-1.28)	0.175	73	
IL10	rs1800871 (c.-854T>C, -819C>T)	1	5'UTR	All	T vs C	30.14	11	3269/4627	0.93(0.76-1.14)	0.488	37.41	0.00	73	0.640	0.656	0.019	0.90(0.64-1.26)	0.525	75	0.92(0.69-1.23)	0.569	60	
IL10	rs1800872 (g.4433A>C, -592C>A)	1	intergenic	All	A vs C	35.53	8	3710/4965	0.90(0.81-1.01)	0.075	15.64	0.03	55	0.174	0.165	0.369	0.86(0.71-1.04)	0.122	52	0.84(0.63-1.11)	0.211	61	
IL10	rs1800896 (g.3943A>G, -1082A>G)	1	intergenic	All	T vs G	37.18	10	2861/3817	1.29(1.05-1.59)	0.017	35.95	0.00	75	0.074	0.042	1.000	1.49(0.96-2.31)	0.072	80	1.25(1.00-1.56)	0.048	0	
IL13	rs1800925 (-1068C>T, -1112C>T)	5	intergenic	All	T vs C	21.93	3	1788/1920	1.02(0.91-1.13)	0.785	0.91	0.64	0	0.296	0.311	1.000							
IL13	rs20541 (Arg130Gln,+2044G>A)	5	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	21.66	3	1877/2020	1.01(0.90-1														

Gene	Variant	Chr	Category	Ethnicity	Comparison*	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Number evaluated		Lung cancer risk meta-analysis in allelic model										Dominant model			Recessive model		
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									OR(95% CI)	P value														
MMP9	rs3918242 (g.3430C>T, -1562 C>T)	20	intergenic	All	T vs C	13.28	3	1205/1099	0.89(0.69-1.14)	0.357	3.40	0.18	41	1.000	0.987	1.000	0.92(0.74-1.14)	0.438	15	0.53(0.13-2.08)	0.362	48		
MPO	rs2333227 (G-463A)	17	intron	All	A vs G	20.93	27	9595/10754	0.92(0.85-1.00)	0.058	56.29	0.00	54	2.609	0.098	0.048	0.92(0.85-1.00)	0.055	38	0.92(0.74-1.15)	0.471	45		
MSH3	rs26279 (p.Ala1045Thr.c.3133G>A)	5	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	27.74	4	1649/1849	0.90(0.75-1.08)	0.251	6.83	0.08	56	0.734	0.688	0.447								
MSH6	rs1042821 (p.Gly39Glu.c.116G>A)	2	non-synonymous	All	C vs A	29.44	3	1454/1620	0.95(0.83-1.08)	0.415	2.30	0.32	13	0.296	1.000									
MTHFR	rs1801131 (p.Ala429Glu.c.1286A>C, A1298C)	1	non-synonymous	All	C vs A	24.91	11	4125/5131	1.07(1.00-1.14)	0.069	7.93	0.64	0	0.876	0.443	1.000	1.03(0.91-1.16)	0.636	38	1.22(0.99-1.51)	0.067	27		
MTHFR	rs1801133 (p.Ala222Val, Ex4+79C>T)	1	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	37.83	16	8692/8412	1.10(0.98-1.24)	0.125	69.01	0.00	78	0.192	0.101	0.069	1.07(0.92-1.26)	0.365	73	1.15(0.96-1.37)	0.124	62		
MTR	rs1805087 (Asp919Gly, A2756G)	1	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	13.88	4	2488/3335	1.06(0.93-1.22)	0.387	4.61	0.20	35	1.000	0.920	0.261	1.07(0.88-1.29)	0.507	55	1.14(0.79-1.63)	0.490	0		
MTRR	rs1801394 (Ile49Met, A66G)	5	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	43.28	3	1668/2291	1.13(1.03-1.24)	0.011	1.29	0.53	0	1.000	0.916	1.000	1.19(1.00-1.42)	0.054	23	1.15(0.98-1.34)	0.086	0		
MUTYH	rs3219489 (p.Gln324His, c.972G>C)	1	non-synonymous	All	C vs G	31.13	4	1250/1137	1.10(0.86-1.39)	0.455	8.17	0.04	63	1.000	0.778	0.321	1.05(0.82-1.34)	0.690	41	1.25(0.76-2.06)	0.372	54		
MYCL	L/S(EcoRI)	1	the restriction site absence	All	S vs L	49.65	9	636/1004	1.05(0.91-1.22)	0.530	3.99	0.86	0	1.000	0.792	1.000	1.00(0.86-1.40)	0.443	0	1.03(0.81-1.31)	0.132	50		
NAT2	Rapid/slow(Acetylation Phenotype)	8	phenotype	All	Slow vs rapid	48.33	17	3747/4852	1.06(0.90-1.25)	0.502	38.19	0.00	58	0.064	0.622	0.000								
NAT2	rs1799929 (p.Leu161Leu, 481C>T)	8	synonymous	All	T vs C	36.88	3	576/686	1.11(0.87-1.41)	0.407	4.14	0.13	52	1.000	0.717	0.257	1.36(0.76-2.44)	0.308	80	1.06(0.72-1.57)	0.754	24		
NAT2	rs1799930 (p.Arg197Gln, 590G>A, NAT2*6B)	8	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	32.47	4	712/893	1.01(0.81-1.25)	0.964	5.94	0.12	50	0.734	0.903	0.107	0.97(0.74-1.28)	0.831	65	1.20(0.82-1.76)	0.361	21		
NBN	rs1805794 (p.Gln185Glu, Ex5-32C>G, 605C>G)	8	non-synonymous	All	G vs C	49.91	8	3578/4688	0.95(0.80-1.13)	0.554	41.58	0.00	83	0.174	0.292	0.001	0.93(0.66-1.30)	0.662	82	0.90(0.72-1.12)	0.334	58		
NFKB1	rs28362491 (-94ins/delATTG)	4	intergenic	All	Ins vs del	45.72	3	935/935	1.02(0.72-1.43)	0.919	11.51	0.00	83	0.296	0.355	0.003	1.04(0.59-1.83)	0.892	82	1.01(0.69-1.49)	0.961	64		
NOD2	rs2066847 (3020insC, WT/insC, L1007fs)	16	frameshift	All	Carriers vs non-carriers	0.50	3	807/4078	1.42(1.07-1.90)	0.017	1.04	0.59	0	1.000	0.988	0.567	1.42(1.07-1.90)	0.017	0					
NOQ1	rs1800566 (p.Pro187Ser, c.648C>T, 609C>T, *2)	16	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	29.63	23	5088/6381	1.02(0.92-1.14)	0.670	54.88	0.00	60	0.398	0.598	0.031	1.03(0.92-1.16)	0.586	56	1.06(0.86-1.31)	0.586	45		
OGG1	rs1052133 (p.Ser326Cys, c.977C>G, 8055C>G)	3	non-synonymous	All	G vs C	38.90	33	11944/14309	1.04(0.97-1.11)	0.243	76.29	0.00	58	0.914	0.970	0.000	1.06(0.96-1.17)	0.289	54	1.11(1.00-1.24)	0.052	41		
PADPRP	A/B (a 193-bp deletion)	13	STR	All	Del vs non-del	34.59	3	288/292	1.13(0.70-1.82)	0.617	6.42	0.04	69	0.296	0.331	0.168	1.24(0.71-2.18)	0.451	59	1.09(0.51-2.31)	0.829	46		
PARP1	rs1136410 (p.Val762Ala, Ex17+8T>C)	1	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	41.02	6	3192/2874	1.01(0.89-1.15)	0.842	12.64	0.03	60	1.000	0.313	0.170	1.05(0.88-1.27)	0.572	36	1.11(0.88-1.40)	0.372	43		
PCNA	rs25406(2232C>T)	20	intron	All	T vs C	38.63	4	970/1302	0.91(0.77-1.06)	0.231	4.99	0.17	40	0.734	0.345	1.000	0.91(0.76-1.10)	0.322	0	0.91(0.52-1.60)	0.741	77		
PDCD5	rs1862214 (G>A)	19	intergenic	All	G vs C	32.06	3	737/683	1.32(1.12-1.56)	0.001	1.86	0.40	0	0.296	0.136	1.000	1.42(1.13-1.77)	0.002	0	1.54(0.83-2.87)	0.173	58		
POLD1	rs1726801 (p.Arg119His, c.356G>A)	19	non-synonymous	Asian	A vs G	19.30	3	1263/1420	1.11(0.96-1.28)	0.168	1.61	0.45	0	0.296	0.073	1.000								
POL1	rs3730668 (-78G>T)	18	intergenic	All	T vs G	58.99	3	672/823	0.94(0.80-1.09)	0.397	0.63	0.73	0	1.000	0.688	1.000								
POL1	rs8305 (Thr706Ala, 2180A>G)	18	non-synonymous	All	G vs A	25.24	4	1655/2593	1.09(0.98-1.20)	0.111	2.17	0.54	0	0.734	0.250	0.379								
POLL	rs3730477 (p.Arg438Trp, 1683C>T)	10	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	3.66	3	1356/1542	1.29(0.69-2.40)	0.425	4.07	0.13	51	1.000	0.503	0.347								
PONI	rs662 (p.Gln192Arg, c.575A>G)	7	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	46.70	3	995/834	0.77(0.67-0.88)	2.02<10 <sup>-4</sup>	0.71	0.70	0	1.000	0.704	1.000	0.78(0.63-0.96)	0.018	0	0.61(0.46-0.83)	0.001	30		
PPARG	rs1801282 (p.Pro12Ala, c.36C>G)	3	non-synonymous	All	G vs C	15.24	4	2476/3377	1.00(0.88-1.12)	0.956	0.82	0.84	0	0.734	0.887	1.000	0.93(0.93-1.18)	0.542	0	1.17(0.80-1.73)	0.415	0		
PPPIR13L	rs6966 (T>A)	19	3'UTR	All	T vs A	46.66	5	1120/1361	1.09(0.92-1.29)	0.302	6.96	0.14	43	0.806	0.755	0.349	1.16(0.95-1.43)	0.145	0	1.11(0.82-1.51)	0.502	54		
PPPIR13L	rs1970764 (IVS1-4364A>G)	19	intron	All	G vs A	36.71	3	678/726	1.12(0.90-1.39)	0.313	3.24	0.20	38	1.000	0.918	1.000	1.12(0.89-1.41)	0.349	0	1.07(0.54-2.10)	0.851	69		
PROM1	rs2240688 (A>C)	4	3'UTR	Asian	C vs A	27.37	3	2332/2457	0.83(0.76-0.91)	6.92<10 <sup>-5</sup>	0.02	0.99	0	0.296	0.379	0.281	0.80(0.72-0.90)	1.65<10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.78(0.63-0.97)	0.026	0		
PTGS2	rs20417 (-765G>C)	1	intergenic	All	C vs G	16.15	4	2355/2731	0.96(0.86-1.08)	0.505	1.84	0.61	0	1.000	0.299	1.000	0.80(0.57-1.13)	0.202	42	0.87(0.62-1.20)	0.391	66		
PTGS2	rs689466 (g.38139393T>C, -1195A>G)	1	intergenic	All	G vs A	38.07	4	1676/2180	0.82(0.65-1.02)	0.070	13.44	0.00	78	0.734	0.218	0.626	0.78(0.62-0.97)	0.026	56	0.78(0.62-1.00)	0.391	66		
PTGS2	rs5275 (c.*427T>C, 8473T>C)	1	3'UTR	All	C vs T	29.41	11	6813/7988	0.95(0.83-1.09)	0.493	58.16	0.00	83	0.755	0.955	0.038	0.93(0.79-1.10)	0.389	74	0.90(0.62-1.30)	0.578	79		
RAD23B	rs1805329 (p.Ala249Val, Ex7+65C>T)	9	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	23.29	4	653/878	1.10(0.80-1.51)	0.572	3.99	0.03	68	0.089	0.059	0.231	1.10(0.67-1.81)	0.703	75	1.04(0.52-2.06)	0.922	49		
REVI	rs3087386 (p.Phe257Ser, 892T>C)	2	non-synonymous	All	C vs T	40.81	3	1437/1818	1.03(0.92-1.14)	0.658	0.51	0.78	0	1.000	0.366	1.000								
REV3L	rs462779 (p.Thr1146Ile, 4259C>T)	6	non-synonymous	Asian	T vs C	39.36	4	1937/2335	1.11(1.02-1.22)	0.021	0.54	0.91	0	0.734	0.921	1.000								
REV3L	rs465464 (460T>C)	6	3'UTR	All	C vs T	18.18	4	1438/1683	0.88(0.73-1.07)	0.197	5.42	0.14	45	0.308	0.058	0.429	0.78(0.67-0.92)	0.003	0	0.93(0.62-1.41)	0.740	0		
SFTPB	wild type/variant (deletions or insertions)	2	intron	All	Var vs wild	5.83	3	157/240	1.92(1.11-3.33)	0.020	0.08	0.96	0	0.296	0.495	1.000	2.09(1.16-3.76)	0.014	0	0.32(0.15-0.68)	0.003	0		
SOD2	rs4880 (rs1799725, Ala16Val)	6	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	51.48	9	3738/4467	1.20(1.06-1.36)	0.005	20.34	0.01	61	0.348	0.723	0.733	1.33(1.08-1.64)	0.007	52	1.17(0.98-1.38)	0.082	55		
SULT1A1	rs9282861 (p.Arg213His, c.638G>A, *1/*2)	16	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	21.68	6	1965/2286	1.20(0.97-1.48)	0.094	18.08	0.00	72	1.000	0.779	1.000	1.24(0.94-1.63)	0.127	74	1.14(0.87-1.50)	0.343	0		
TDG	rs4135113 (p.Gly19Ser, c.595G>A)	12	non-synonymous	All	A vs G	6.13	3	289/318	0.85(0.51-1.42)	0.531	1.45	0.49	0	1.000	0.497	1.000								
TERT	rs2736098 (p.Ala305Ala, c.915G>A)	5	synonymous	All	A vs G	33.01	7	4660/4825	1.20(1.08-1.33)	0.001	17.98	0.01	67	0.548	0.734	0.706	1.23(1.13-1.35)	4.84<10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	1.65(1.43-1.89)	1.87<10 <sup>-12</sup>	0		
TGFB1	rs1800469 (C-509T)	19	intergenic	Asian	T vs C	49.31	4	1091/1238	0.95(0.85-1.07)	0.428	3.10	0.38	3	0.889	0.100	1.000	0.96(0.72-1.28)	0.777	56	0.96(0.79-1.17)	0.691	0		
TGFB1	rs1800470 (-857C>T, -1036C>T)	19	intergenic	All	C vs T	44.49	7	1398/1553	1.16(0.97-1.39)	0.104	15.61	0.02	62	0.764	0.718	1.000	1.00(0.93-1.12)	0.079	69</					

Gene	Variant	Chr	Category	Ethnicity	Comparison <sup>a</sup>	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Number evaluated		Lung cancer risk meta-analysis in allelic model							Dominant model			Recessive model				
							Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	Q	P for Q	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	Begg P	Modified P <sup>c</sup>	Excess P <sup>d</sup>	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3213403 (A>G)	19	3'UTR	All	G vs A	9.52	3	511/751	0.98(0.72-1.33)	0.880	2.19	0.34	9	1.000	0.706	1.000							
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3547 (p.Gln632Gln,c.1896G>A)	19	synonymous	All	A vs G	23.31	5	881/1201	1.00(0.86-1.17)	0.991	1.17	0.88	0	0.806	0.559	1.000	1.03(0.83-1.27)	0.800	0	1.10(0.71-1.70)	0.671	0	
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3213245 (-77T>C)	19	5'UTR	All	C vs T	11.03	5	2795/2865	1.29(1.04-1.59)	0.020	12.53	0.01	68	0.806	0.539	0.661	1.31(1.04-1.65)	0.021	65	1.58(1.05-2.38)	0.030	0	
<i>XRCC2</i>	rs3218536 (p.Arg188His,c.563G>A)	7	non-synonymous	Caucasian	A vs G	8.08	3	645/1373	1.23(0.54-2.77)	0.625	16.79	0.00	88	1.000	0.049	0.317	1.26(0.51-3.11)	0.618	89	1.78(0.58-5.46)	0.315	0	
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs1799794 (4541A>G)	14	5'UTR	All	G vs A	41.09	4	1389/1941	0.91(0.76-1.08)	0.266	7.01	0.07	57	1.000	0.614	0.438	0.92(0.72-1.17)	0.495	58	0.82(0.67-0.99)	0.038	0	
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs1799796(17893A>G,IVS5-14)	14	intron	All	G vs A	31.99	5	1478/3040	1.02(0.92-1.12)	0.756	3.45	0.49	0	0.806	0.675	1.000	1.00(0.87-1.16)	0.956	16	1.06(0.85-1.32)	0.604	0	
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs861539(p.Thr241Met,c.722C>T)	14	non-synonymous	All	T vs C	20.93	18	6407/8356	1.04(0.95-1.13)	0.414	27.73	0.05	39	0.705	0.314	0.142	1.03(0.92-1.16)	0.600	42	1.06(0.90-1.24)	0.489	0	

Chr=chromosome; OR=odds ratio, 95% CI = 95% confidence interval; ins=insertion; del=deletion; STR=short tandem repeat ; VNTR=variable number of tandem repeats; UTR=untranslated region; CNV=copy number variation.

<sup>a</sup> Allelic contrast or phenotype trait for common variants; genetic comparison for rare variants or variants only with genotype group data

<sup>b</sup> Frequency of minor allele or effect genotype(s) in controls in main meta-analyses

<sup>c</sup> P value for potential small study effect based on the modified Egger's test

<sup>d</sup> P value for possible existing an excess of significant findings (the number of observed significant studies more than the number of expected significant studies) based on the excess significance test

**Supplementary Table S2. Credibility assessment for variants with significant associations with lung cancer risk in meta-analyses for all available data** (Continued on next page)

Genes	Variants	Alleles <sup>a</sup>	Ethnicity	Number evaluated	Lung-cancer risk meta-analysis				Venice criteria grades <sup>d</sup>	Credibility of evidence <sup>e</sup>	Amount of evidence <sup>f</sup>		Protection from bias <sup>h</sup>		Sensitivity analysis <sup>g</sup>		Low OR <sup>i</sup>	Modified <i>P</i> <sup>k</sup>	Excess <i>P</i> <sup>l</sup>	Begg <i>P</i> <sup>m</sup>		
					Genetic models	OR(95%CI) <sup>b</sup>	<i>P</i> value	<i>F</i> (%)			<i>P</i> <sub>0</sub> <sup>c</sup>	Numbers	Grade	Grade	Reasons for bias	Reason for bias exemption					Initial study influence	
																					OR(95%CI)	<i>P</i> value
<b>Associations identified by analysis of all available data in main meta-analysis</b>																						
<i>AGER</i>	rs1800624	A/T	Asian	3	1656/1693	Allelic	1.18(1.04-1.33)	0.010	16	0.305	AAA	Weak	2292	A	A							
<i>APEX1</i>	rs1760944	A/C	All	8	3588/3783	Allelic	1.16(1.08-1.25)	2.85×10 <sup>-5</sup>	9	0.360	AAA	Strong	7338	A	A							
<i>ATM</i>	rs189037	A/G	Asian	5	3036/3415	Allelic	1.09(1.00-1.18)	0.050	29	0.227	ABC	Moderate	5653	A	B							
<i>AXIN2</i>	rs2240308	T/C	All	3	758/742	Allelic	0.73(0.63-0.85)	6.39×10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.398	AAA	Strong	1015	A	A							
<i>BCL2</i>	rs2279115	A/C	All	5	1847/2367	Allelic	0.65(0.46-0.91)	0.011	91	0.000	ACC	Weak	3448	A	C							
<i>CD3EAP</i>	rs967591	A/G	All	3	676/726	Allelic	1.23(1.01-1.49)	0.036	22	0.278	BAA	Moderate	956	B	A							
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs578776	T/C	All	3	1245/2009	Allelic	0.87(0.77-0.98)	0.018	0	0.908	ACC	Weak	2089	A	A							
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs938682	C/T	All	3	1240/1986	Allelic	0.86(0.76-0.96)	0.009	0	0.582	ACC	Weak	1836	A	A							
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs12914385	T/C	All	4	4356/2873	Allelic	1.20(1.01-1.44)	0.044	76	0.007	ACA	Weak	6567	A	C							
<i>CHRNA3</i>	rs6495309	T/C	All	4	3381/4244	Allelic	0.83(0.77-0.89)	6.55×10 <sup>-8</sup>	0	0.427	AAA	Strong	5804	A	A							
<i>CHRNA5</i>	rs16969968	A/G	All	11	6222/62452	Allelic	1.23(1.06-1.43)	0.007	80	0.000	ACC	Weak	43607	A	C							
<i>CLPTMIL</i>	rs402710	T/C	All	13	7214/8051	Allelic	0.89(0.83-0.95)	2.63×10 <sup>-4</sup>	38	0.078	ABC	Weak	9708	A	B							
<i>CXCR2</i>	rs1126579	T/C	All	3	942/964	Allelic	0.84(0.74-0.96)	0.009	0	0.967	AAA	Strong	2037	A	A							
<i>CYP11A1</i>	rs4646903	C/T	All	56	9789/12307	Allelic	1.16(1.07-1.25)	1.59×10 <sup>-4</sup>	55	0.000	ACC	Weak	9955	A	C							
<i>CYP11A1</i>	rs1048943	G/A	All	54	9869/12114	Allelic	1.23(1.11-1.36)	7.64×10 <sup>-5</sup>	67	0.000	ACC	Weak	8169	A	C							
<i>CYP11B1</i>	rs1056836	G/C	All	12	3033/3866	Allelic	1.13(1.05-1.22)	0.002	0	0.551	AAC	Weak	5372	A	C							
<i>CYP2A6</i>	rs5031016	C/T	All	3	1527/1138	Allelic	0.57(0.33-1.00)	0.048	73	0.025	BCC	Weak	465	B	C							
<i>CYP2A6</i>	rs1801272	A/T	Caucasian	3	2411/2644	carriers vs non-carriers	0.66(0.52-0.84)	0.001	0	0.674	BAB	Moderate	307	B	A							
<i>CYP2E1</i>	rs6413432	A/T(C/D)	All	14	2944/3347	Allelic	0.78(0.71-0.85)	6.76×10 <sup>-8</sup>	0	0.821	AAA	Strong	2561	A	A							
<i>CYP2E1</i>	rs2031920	T/C(c2/c1)	All	23	4983/6628	Allelic	0.86(0.76-0.97)	0.018	50	0.003	ACA	Weak	4010	A	C							
<i>ELANE</i>	rs351107	G/T	Caucasian	3	745/762	Allelic	0.55(0.34-0.87)	0.011	29	0.246	BBC	Weak	126	B	C							
<i>ELANE</i>	rs7254054	A/G	Caucasian	3	754/750	Allelic	0.77(0.61-0.97)	0.030	46	0.155	BBC	Weak	735	B	B							
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs11615	C/T	All	12	5731/7058	Allelic	0.90(0.83-0.99)	0.023	52	0.018	ACC	Weak	13244	A	C							
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs238406	A/C	All	6	1754/2688	Allelic	1.12(1.02-1.23)	0.013	0	0.558	AAC	Weak	3611	A	C							
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs13181	C/A	All	40	13111/16749	Allelic	1.12(1.05-1.19)	4.18×10 <sup>-4</sup>	49	0.000	ABC	Weak	14855	A	B							
<i>ERCC5</i>	rs1047768	T/C	All	4	1449/2248	Allelic	0.86(0.74-1.00)	0.049	48	0.123	ABC	Weak	3204	A	B							
<i>ERCC6</i>	rs3793784	G/C	All	3	1643/1689	Allelic	0.75(0.60-0.92)	0.007	68	0.044	ACA	Weak	1834	A	C							
<i>FGFR4</i>	rs351855	A/G	All	4	1083/1275	Allelic	0.82(0.69-0.98)	0.025	33	0.214	ABC	Weak	1892	A	B							
<i>GSTM1</i>	Present/Null	NA	All	131	32985/37533	null vs present	1.18(1.12-1.24)	2.54×10 <sup>-11</sup>	52	0.000	ACC	Weak	35699	A	C							
<i>GSTP1</i>	rs1695	G/A	All	46	12521/14411	Allelic	1.08(1.02-1.15)	0.011	55	0.000	ACC	Weak	16519	A	C							
<i>GSTT1</i>	Present/Null	NA	All	76	22796/25134	null vs present	1.10(1.02-1.19)	0.015	58	0.000	ACC	Weak	13531	A	C							
<i>HIF1A</i>	rs11549667	A/G	All	3	509/566	Allelic	2.27(1.74-2.96)	1.62×10 <sup>-9</sup>	0	0.481	BAA	Moderate	297	B	A							
<i>HRAS1</i>	common/rare (HRAS1 VNTR)	NA	Caucasian	4	746/1174	rare vs common	2.55(1.01-6.45)	0.048	69	0.023	BCC	Weak	305	B	C							
<i>HYKK</i>	rs931794	G/A	All	5	2435/3180	Allelic	1.23(1.14-1.34)	1.85×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0	0.864	AAA	Strong	3927	A	A							
<i>IL10</i>	rs1800896	G/A	All	10	2861/3817	Allelic	1.29(1.05-1.59)	0.017	75	0.000	ACC	Weak	5175	A	C							
<i>MAPKAPK2</i>	CNV-30450	NA	Asian	3	2332/2480	4 copies vs 2 copies	1.60(1.04-2.45)	0.031	81	0.005	BCC	Weak	586	B	C							
<i>MDM2</i>	rs2279744	G/T	All	19	11076/14434	Allelic	1.10(1.01-1.19)	0.021	75	0.000	ACC	Weak	21593	A	C							
<i>MIR146A</i>	rs2910164	C/G	All	6	3158/3225	Allelic	1.16(1.06-1.27)	0.001	21	0.274	AAC	Weak	5983	A	C							
<i>MMP2</i>	rs243865	T/C	All	3	1751/1729	Allelic	0.63(0.45-0.89)	0.009	80	0.007	BCC	Weak	954	B	C							
<i>MTRR</i>	rs1801394	G/A	All	3	1668/2291	Allelic	1.13(1.02-1.24)	0.011	0	0.525	AAC	Weak	3616	A	A							
<i>NOD2</i>	rs2066847	3020insC/-	All	3	807/4078	carriers vs non-carriers	1.42(1.07-1.90)	0.017	0	0.593	×ACC	Weak	340	×	A							
<i>PDCD5</i>	rs1862214	G/C	All	3	737/683	Allelic	1.32(1.12-1.56)	0.001	0	0.395	BAB	Moderate	971	B	A							
<i>PON1</i>	rs662	A/G	All	3	995/834	Allelic	0.77(0.67-0.88)	2.02×10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.701	AAA	Strong	1569	A	A							
<i>PROM1</i>	rs2240688	C/A	Asian	3	2332/2457	Allelic	0.83(0.76-0.91)	6.92×10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.991	AAB	Moderate	2459	A	A							
<i>REV3L</i>	rs462779	T/C	Asian	4	1937/2335	Allelic	1.11(1.02-1.22)	0.021	0	0.911	AAC	Strong	3433	A	A							
<i>SFTPB</i>	wild type/variation	NA	All	3	157/240	variation vs wild	1.92(1.11-3.33)	0.020	0	0.960	CAB	Weak	59	C	A							
<i>SOD2</i>	rs4880	T/C	All	9	3738/4467	Allelic	1.20(1.06-1.36)	0.005	61	0.009	ACA	Weak	8801	A	C							
<i>TERT</i>	rs2736098	A/G	All	7	4660/4825	Allelic	1.20(1.08-1.33)	0.001	67	0.006	ACB	Weak	6619	A	C							
<i>TP53</i>	rs12951053	G/T	All	3	475/569	Allelic	1.57(1.11-2.23)	0.011	37	0.203	BBB	Moderate	258	B	B							
<i>TP63</i>	rs10937405	T/C	All	4	4927/8794	Allelic	0.87(0.81-0.94)	2.20×10 <sup>-4</sup>	34	0.207	ABA	Moderate	11355	A	B							
<i>UGT1A6</i>	rs6759892	G/T	All	3	266/261	Allelic	2.27(1.44-4.53)	0.020	84	0.002	BCA	Weak	346	B	C							
<i>WWOX</i>	CNV-67048	NA	Asian	4	2062/3074	0 copy vs 2 copies	2.06(1.58-2.70)	1.20×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0	0.911	BAB	Moderate	247	B	A							
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3213255	G/A	All	3	1089/1506	Allelic	1.21(1.08-1.35)	0.001	0	0.457	AAB	Moderate	2110	A	A							
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs1001581	T/C	All	5	851/1166	Allelic	1.17(1.00-1.37)	0.044	28	0.232	ABC	Weak	1467	A	B							
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs1799782	T/C	All	30	11096/13772	Allelic	0.90(0.82-0.98)	0.022	62	0.000	ACC	Weak	9151	A	C							
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3213245	C/T	All	5	2795/2865	Allelic	1.29(1.04-1.59)	0.020	68	0.014	ACC	Weak	1413	A	C							
<b>Associations identified from additional analyses under dominant or recessive genetic model</b>																						
<i>ATM</i>	rs664677	C/T	All	3	1627/1641	Dominant	0.76(0.64-0.92)	0.004	0	0.448	AAA	Strong	2692	A	A							
<i>Chr8q24</i>	rs16901979	A/C	All	3	1534/1992	Dominant	1.18(1.02-1.37)	0.025	0	0.610	AAC	Weak	1306	A	C							
<i>CYP11B1</i>	rs10012	G/C	All	3	622/666	Dominant	1.69(1.05-2.72)	0.031	74	0.021	BCC	Weak	657	B	C							
<i>EGF</i>	rs4444903	G/A	All	3	666/690	Dominant	2.07(1.01-4.24)	0.048	79	0.009	ACC	Weak	1141	A	C							
<i>MLH1</i>	rs1800734	A/G	All	5	2178/2320	Dominant	0.80(0.68-0.95)	0.009	24	0.260	AAC	Weak	3344	A	C							
<i>PTGS2</i>	rs689466	G/A	All	4	1676/2180	Dominant	0.78(0.62-0.97)	0.026	56	0.076	ACA	Weak	2198	A	C							

<i>IL17A</i>	rs2275913	A/G	All	3	889/998	Recessive	1.76(1.21-2.55)	0.003	18	0.295	BAB	Moderate	179	B	A	B	Missing information	2.00(1.41-2.83)	<0.001	NA	No	0.492	0.587	0.296
<i>IL1B</i>	rs1143627	C/T	All	8	4201/5431	Recessive	0.80(0.68-0.95)	0.010	49	0.059	ABC	Weak	1588	A	B	C	Small study,publication bias	0.83(0.70-0.98)	0.027	No	No	0.002	0.404	0.019
<i>LIG1</i>	rs156641	A/G	All	3	1112/2048	Recessive	1.45(1.14-1.83)	0.002	0	0.370	BAC	Weak	335	B	A	C	HWE	NA		Yes	No	0.217	1.000	1.000
<i>XPA</i>	rs1800975	A/G	All	12	4221/5240	Recessive	1.22(1.05-1.42)	0.011	33	0.124	ABA	Moderate	1463	A	B	A		1.23(1.04-1.45)	0.015	No	No	0.524	0.397	0.681
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs25487	A/G	All	48	16999/20567	Recessive	1.16(1.03-1.30)	0.018	54	0.000	ACC	Weak	3691	A	C	C	HWE.excess of significant studies	1.15(1.02-1.30)	0.022	Yes	No	0.428	0.006	0.729
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs1799794	G/A	All	4	1389/1941	Recessive	0.82(0.67-0.99)	0.038	0	0.469	BAC	Weak	571	B	A	C	First study	0.83(0.68-1.01)	0.058	No	No	0.712	0.490	1.000

Chr=chromosome; OR=odds ratio, 95% CI = 95% confidence interval; VNTR=variable number of tandem repeats; ins=insertion, del=deletion; NA=Not Applicable.

<sup>a</sup>Minor alleles/major alleles (per Caucasian)

<sup>b</sup>Summary ORs were calculated based on the DerSimonian-Lairs random-effects model

<sup>c</sup>P-value of heterogeneity test between studies

<sup>d</sup>Venice criteria grades contained assessments of three aspects: the amount of evidence, extent of replication, and protection from bias, and each assessment was assigned three levels (A, B, or C).

<sup>e</sup>Credibility of evidence was evaluated based on Venice criteria with three aspects (the amount of evidence, extent of replication, and protection from bias), and was categorized as strong (all three aspect grades were A), moderate (any grade was B, but not C) or weak (any grade was C).

<sup>f</sup>Amount of evidence, depending on total sample size of the smallest genetic group among cases and controls in each meta-analysis, was graded as A (sample size>1000), B (sample size between 100 and 1000), or C (sample size <100). One rare variant was not scored for amount of evidence (x), for this variant with frequency less than 0.5% and an A grade was unlikely to obtain.

<sup>g</sup>Extent of replication, depending on between-study heterogeneity, was graded as A ( $I^2<25\%$ ), B ( $I^2$  between 25% and 50%), or C ( $I^2>50\%$ ).

<sup>h</sup>Protection from bias, considering various potential sources of bias in meta-analysis, was graded as A when there was no demonstrable bias and bias was unlikely invalidate the association, was graded as B when there was insufficient information for identifying evidence (i.e. missing information for evaluating Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium (HWE) among controls in an individual study) although there was no obvious bias, and C when the bias was evident and/or was likely to explain the presence of association. For the C grade, it was assigned if a meta-analysis had any of the following potential sources of bias: (1) magnitude of the association was low; (2) sensitivity analysis altered the statistical significance; (3) potential small study effect; (4) possible existence of an excess of significant findings (the number of observed significant studies more than the number of expected significant studies); (5) potential publication bias.

First study=Significance lost excluding the first published or first positive report; Low OR=Low magnitude of the association (i.e. 0.87<OR<1.15); Small study=Possible existence of potential small study effect (modified Egger's test,  $p<0.10$ ); Excess of significant studies=Possible existence of an excess of significant findings (excess significance test,  $p<0.10$ ); Publication bias= Possible existence of potential publication bias (Begg's test,  $p<0.10$ ); Missing information= Insufficient information for bias evaluation; HWE=Significance lost excluding studies with controls violating HWE; Highly consistent OR=A meta-analysis with a low OR was not considered if there is a highly consistent OR across studies enrolled in this meta-analysis.

<sup>i</sup>A sensitivity analysis was performed to examine whether the significant summary ORs were robust after excluding the first published or first positive report (defined as the earliest study reported a significant association), or excluding studies with controls violating HWE. None=A meta-analysis didn't include studies with controls violating HWE or evaluated association for a variant with a phenotype change; NO=Without the influence from studies with controls violating HWE; NA=Insufficient information for evaluation of influence from first published/positive study or studies with controls violating HWE; Yes=Evidence of influence from studies with controls violating HWE.

<sup>j</sup>Low OR (i.e. 0.87<OR<1.15; No=Association without a low OR; Yes=Association with a low OR.)

<sup>k</sup>P value for potential small study effect based on the modified Egger's test. ( $P<0.10$  is usually considered evidence for significant evidence of small study effect.)

<sup>l</sup>P value for possible existing an excess of significant findings based on the excess significance test. ( $P<0.10$  is usually considered evidence for significant evidence of an excess of significant findings.)

<sup>m</sup>P value for potential publication bias of studies based on the Begg's test. ( $P<0.10$  is usually considered evidence for significant evidence of publication bias.)

Supplementary Table S3. Subgroup meta-analyses stratified by ethnicity for genetic variants with available data (Continued on next three pages)

Gene	Variant	Alleles <sup>a</sup>	Meta-analysis performed in Caucasian population					Meta-analysis performed in Asian population								
			Studies	Cases/Controls	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Genetic models	OR (95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	Studies	Cases/Controls	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Genetic models	OR (95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)
ABCB1	rs1045642(p.Ile1145Ile,c.3435T>C)	T/C														
ACE	287-bp repeat	287-bp ins/-														
AGER	rs1800624(-374T>A, Mun1)	A/T														
AGER	rs1800625(-429T>C, Alu1)	C/T							3	1656/1693	34.41	Allelic	1.18(1.04-1.33)	0.010	16	
AGER	rs2070600(p.Gly82Ser,c.244G>A)	A/G							3	1656/1693	31.19	Allelic	1.16(0.78-1.74)	0.468	91	
AHR	rs2066853(Arg554Lys,Ex10+501G>A)	A/G							3	1656/1693	38.36	Allelic	1.17(0.99-1.38)	0.067	52	
ALDH2	rs671(p.Glu487Lys/Glu504Lys,c.1510G>A)	A/G							3	1382/1381	37.33	Allelic	0.99(0.86-1.14)	0.901	38	
APEX1	rs1760944(c.-468T>G,-141T>G)	A/C							3	1610/2059	NA	Dominant	0.88(0.61-1.26)	0.476	83	
APEX1	rs1048945(p.Gln51His,c.153G>C)	C/G		745/816	4.72	Allelic	0.93(0.67-1.31)	0.684	0	5	3071/3038	49.95	Allelic	1.20(1.12-1.29)	9.14x10 <sup>-7</sup>	0
APEX1	rs1130409(p.Asp148Glu,c.444T>G)	G/T	3	1807/3065	47.91	Allelic	0.94(0.85-1.04)	0.249	19	10	4220/5054	39.20	Allelic	1.02(0.92-1.12)	0.729	58
APEX1	rs2307486(p.Ile64Val,c.190A>G)	G/A							3	1941/2095	4.89	Allelic	0.90(0.73-1.11)	0.307	0	
ATM	rs609429(IVS48+238C>G)	G/C														
ATM	rs664677(IVS21T-77C)	C/T														
ATM	rs189037(c.-111G>A,-4519G>A)	A/G							5	3036/3415	42.68	Allelic	1.09(1.00-1.18)	0.050	29	
ATM	rs664143(IVS34G+60A)	G/A														
AURKA	rs2273535(p.Phe31Ile,c.91T>A)	A/T	3	2301/2069	48.28	Allelic	0.96(0.86-1.06)	0.421	0							
AURKA	rs1047972(p.Ile57Val,c.169A>G)	A/G	3	2463/2283	15.75	Allelic	0.96(0.86-1.07)	0.425	0							
AXIN2	rs2240308(p.Pro50Ser,c.148C>T)	T/C														
BCL2	rs2279115(c.-938C>A)	A/C							3	1537/2057	41.15	Allelic	0.76(0.51-1.13)	0.170	93	
BIRC5	rs9904341(c.-31G>C)	C/G														
BRCA2	rs144848(p.Asn372His,c.1114A>C)	C/A														
CASC8	rs1447295(C>A)	A/C														
CASC8	rs6983267(T>G)	G/T														
CASP5	rs523104(p.Leu318Val,c.748C>G)	C/G														
CASP8	rs3834129(-652 6N del,-CTTACT)	-CTTACT														
CASP8	rs1045485(p.Asp302His,c.853G>C)	C/G	3	758/964	10.79	Allelic	1.27(0.94-1.73)	0.125	45	3	2301/2263	23.84	Allelic	0.88(0.72-1.07)	0.207	73
CCND1	rs678653(G>C)	C/G														
CCND1	rs9344(rs603965,p.Pro241Pro,c.723G>A)	A/G	6	10204/11646	48.88	Allelic	0.97(0.88-1.07)	0.517	62							
CD3EAP	rs967591(c.-21G>A)	A/G														
CDKN1A	rs1801270(p.Ser31Arg,c.93C>A,6829C>A)	A/C	7	3335/4082	7.06	Allelic	1.12(0.89-1.41)	0.340	62							
CDKN2A	rs3731249(p.Ala148Thr,c.442G>A)	A/G	3	2875/2707	1.75	Dominant	1.38(0.81-2.35)	0.230	56							
Chr8q24	rs16901979(C>A)	A/C														
CHRNA3	rs12914385(2594C>T)	T/C	3	4640/2157	37.00	Allelic	1.20(0.91-1.58)	0.195	82							
CHRNA3	rs7430773(A>C)	G/T														
CHRNA3	rs578776(C>T)	T/C														
CHRNA3	rs938682(T>C, T78896547C)	C/T														
CHRNA3	rs6495309(4064C>T)	T/C							3	2635/2767	47.83	Allelic	0.83(0.76-0.91)	6.17x10 <sup>-5</sup>	27	
CHRNA5	rs142774214(rs3841324,-62ins/del,22bp indel)	22-bp ins/-														
CHRNA5	rs16969968(p.Asp398Asn, c.1192G>A)	A/G	6	3305/59780	33.76	Allelic	1.35(1.27-1.44)	2.03x10 <sup>-21</sup>	0	4	2811/2556	3.85	Allelic	0.78(0.33-1.85)	0.574	92
CLPTM1L	rs402710(C>T)	T/C	4	1801/1908	38.29	Allelic	0.86(0.78-0.94)	0.002	0	9	5413/6143	31.25	Allelic	0.89(0.82-0.97)	0.010	51
COMT	rs4680(p.Val158Met,c.472G>A)	A/G														
CRP	rs2808630(T>C)	C/T														
CTLA4	rs3087243(g.6230G>A,CT60)	A/G														
CTLA4	rs231775(p.Thr17Ala,c.49A>G)	G/A														
CTLA4	rs5742909(g.319C>T,-318C>T)	T/C							3	2426/2403	67.23	Allelic	1.08(0.72-1.63)	0.712	95	
CXCL12	rs1801157(801G>A)	A/G														
CXCR2	rs1126579(C>T)	T/C														
CYP17A1	rs743572(T-34C,A1/A2)	G/A														
CYP11A1	rs1799814(m4,Thr461Asn,C>A)	A/C	4	1522/1585	5.93	Allelic	1.30(0.49-3.41)	0.598	94							
CYP11A1	rs1800031(m3,T5639C)	C/T														
CYP11A1	rs2606345(IVS1+606T>G)	G/T	3	2770/3609	34.44	Allelic	1.00(0.91-1.11)	0.937	35							
CYP11A1	rs4646903(m1,Msp1,T3801C)	C/T	21	5083/6022	11.45	Allelic	1.12(1.03-1.21)	0.011	0	15	2418/3107	36.39	Allelic	1.18(1.01-1.38)	0.036	73
CYP11A1	rs1048943(*2C,m2, p.Ile462Val,c.1384A>G)	G/A	15	3375/3871	6.99	Allelic	1.27(1.02-1.59)	0.037	54	21	4265/5242	24.90	Allelic	1.17(1.02-1.35)	0.024	73
CYP11A2	rs2069514(CYP11A2*1C,-3860G>A)	A/G	3	761/1186		Dominant	1.06(0.50-2.25)	0.873	26							
CYP11A2	rs2069526(-739T>G)	G/T														
CYP11A2	rs35694136(-2467delT/-)	-2467delT/-														
CYP11A2	rs762551(CYP11A2*1F,c.A-164C)	C/A	3	869/1468	26.77	Allelic	1.38(1.12-1.71)	0.002	57							
CYP11B1	rs10012(p.Arg48Gly,c.142C>G)	G/C														
CYP11B1	rs1056827(p.Ala1198Ser,c.355G>T, m2)	T/G	3	975/1684	29.42	Allelic	0.99(0.85-1.16)	0.904	21							
CYP11B1	rs1800440(p.Asn453Ser,Ex3+315A>G)	G/A	4	2809/3687	19.01	Allelic	0.95(0.81-1.11)	0.530	47							
CYP11B1	rs1056836(CYP11B1*3,p.Leu432Val,c.1294C>G)	G/C	6	1849/2655	43.71	Allelic	1.12(1.02-1.22)	0.013	0	3	770/764	13.68	Allelic	1.07(0.82-1.39)	0.633	37
CYP2A13	rs192789(p.Arg257Cys,3375C>T)	T/C														
CYP2A6	non*4/*4(*1/*4, a deletion of the CYP2A6 gene)	del/- (*4/non*4)														
CYP2A6	rs1801272(p.Leu160His,Ex3-15T>A)	A/T	3	2411/2644	3.99	Dominant	0.66(0.52-0.84)	0.001	0	6	2517/2264	14.66	Allelic	0.81(0.64-1.03)	0.089	71
CYP2A6	rs5031016(p.Ile471Thr,c1412T>C,wu/*7)	C/T														
CYP2C9	rs1799853(p.Arg144Cys,c.430C>T)	T/C	3	604/1054		Dominant	1.19(0.85-1.68)	0.319	48							
CYP2D6	phenotype (EM/HEM/PM)	NA	8	1327/1787	5.54	PM vs EM	0.90(0.60-1.34)	0.595	7							
CYP2D6	rs1065852(p.Pro34Ser,188C>T)	C/T														
CYP2E1	rs2031920(RsaI, c1>c2,-1053C>T)	T/C	6	665/1224	4.90	Allelic	0.61(0.42-0.90)	0.013	0	11	3370/3951	23.40	Allelic	0.89(0.77-1.04)	0.152	66
CYP2E1	rs3813867(g.3739G>C,c.-1293G>C)	C/G														
CYP2E1	rs6413432(c.967+1143T>A,7632T>A)	A/T	4	441/358	11.52	Allelic	0.79(0.58-1.06)	0.121	0	6	1964/2085	26.55	Allelic	0.78(0.70-0.86)	1.31x10 <sup>-6</sup>	0
CYP3A4	rs2740574(-392A>G,*1A/*1B)	G/A	3	1665/1979		Dominant	1.08(0.84-1.39)	0.561	6							
CYP3A5	rs776746(A6986G,CYP3A5*3,22892A>G)	A/G														
DRD2	rs1079597(G>A, TaqI-)	A/G	3	461/537		Dominant	1.04(0.79-1.37)	0.781	0							
DRD2	rs1800497(p.Glu714Lys,A2/A1,C>T)	C/T	3	510/621		Recessive	1.00(0.69-1.44)	0.986	0							
EGF	rs4444903(+61A>G)	G/A														
ELANE	rs351107(-903T>G,Rep_a)	G/T	3	745/762	5.31	Allelic	0.55(0.34-0.87)	0.011	29							
ELANE	rs7254054(-741G>A,Rep_b)	A/G	3	754/750	27.20	Allelic	0.77(0.61-0.97)	0.030	46							

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			Studies	Cases/Controls	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Genetic models	OR (95% CI)	P value	F(%)	Studies	Cases/Controls	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Genetic models	OR (95% CI)	P value	F(%)
<i>EPHX1</i>	rs1051740(p.Tyr113His.c.337T>C)	C/T	12	2560/5862	31.06	Allelic	0.88(0.74-1.04)	0.123	77							
<i>EPHX1</i>	rs2234922(p.His139Arg.c.416A>G)	G/A	13	4410/7749	18.91	Allelic	1.12(0.94-1.34)	0.195	79							
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs11615(rs3177700.p.Asn118Asn.c.354T>C)	C/T	7	3544/4862	39.68	Allelic	0.89(0.79-1.01)	0.064	60	5	2187/2196	76.66	Allelic	0.91(0.79-1.06)	0.224	49
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs16979802(15310G>C)	C/G	3	1311/2114	21.81	Allelic	0.87(0.74-1.03)	0.102	0							
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs2298881(262G>T, C>A)	T/G								3	2305/2315	42.07	Allelic	1.00(0.90-1.11)	0.986	33
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs3212948(C>G)	G/C	3	1034/1446	42.98	Allelic	1.01(0.84-1.20)	0.960	55							
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs3212955(A>G)	G/A	3	1287/1857	24.21	Allelic	1.05(0.93-1.20)	0.415	9							
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs3212961(IVS5+33C>A,17677C>A)	A/C	3	771/883	14.84	Allelic	0.93(0.77-1.13)	0.485	0	3	1436/1428	48.28	Allelic	0.96(0.82-1.12)	0.584	37
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs3212986(8092C>A,14443C>A)	A/C	4	3091/3489	25.24	Allelic	1.00(0.92-1.08)	0.986	0							
<i>ERCC1</i>	rs735482(p.Lys261Thr.A>C)	C/A	3	1287/2365	14.63	Allelic	0.94(0.82-1.08)	0.390	0							
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs1052555(Asp711Asp.G>A)	A/G														
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs171140(A>C)	C/A														
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs13181(p.Lys751Gln.c.2251A>C)	C/A	19	5967/8851	36.08	Allelic	1.10(1.03-1.18)	0.003	32	15	5878/6060	7.90	Allelic	1.12(0.95-1.33)	0.170	61
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs1799787(IVS19-70C>T,G>A)	T/C								3	688/756	7.34	Allelic	0.90(0.51-1.62)	0.733	74
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs1799793(p.Asp312Asn.c.981G>A)	A/G	15	5165/7680	34.91	Allelic	1.02(0.96-1.08)	0.542	11	10	4797/5010	5.76	Allelic	1.00(0.79-1.28)	0.976	68
<i>ERCC2</i>	rs238406(p.Arg156Arg.C>A)	A/C	3	1150/2080	42.76	Allelic	1.13(1.01-1.25)	0.026	0							
<i>ERCC4</i>	rs1799801(p.Ser835Ser,Ex11-247T>C)	C/T														
<i>ERCC4</i>	rs1800067(Arg415Gln)	A/G	5	1521/2420	6.78	Allelic	1.10(0.92-1.32)	0.286	0							
<i>ERCC5</i>	rs1047768(p.His46His.335C>T)	T/C	3	1331/2136	42.51	Allelic	0.86(0.72-1.04)	0.114	63							
<i>ERCC5</i>	rs17655(p.Asp1104His.c.3310G>C)	C/G	4	1249/2203	22.95	Allelic	0.95(0.78-1.14)	0.570	47	5	2024/2683	56.71	Allelic	0.90(0.75-1.08)	0.248	71
<i>ERCC6</i>	rs3793784(-6530C>G)	G/C														
<i>ERCC6</i>	rs2228528(p.Gly399Asp.G1275A)	T/C								3	1713/1887	43.91	Allelic	1.03(0.92-1.17)	0.591	31
<i>EXO1</i>	rs1047840(p.Glu589Lys.c.1765G>A)	A/G														
<i>FANCG</i>	rs2237857(p.Thr297Ile.C1382T)	T/C														
<i>FAS</i>	rs2234767(-1377G>A)	A/G								3	1857/2149	36.81	Allelic	1.12(0.94-1.35)	0.216	72
<i>FASLG</i>	rs763110(-844C>T)	T/C								3	1857/2149	30.97	Allelic	0.77(0.58-1.01)	0.063	86
<i>FGFR4</i>	rs351855(p.Gly388Arg.G>A)	A/G														
<i>GPC5</i>	rs2352028(C>T)	T/C								3	1648/2002	21.65	Allelic	0.97(0.87-1.09)	0.611	0
<i>GPX1</i>	rs1050450(p.Pro200Leu.c.599C>T)	T/C														
<i>GSTM1</i>	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	NA	58	16976/20622	51.28	Null vs present	1.08(1.03-1.13)	0.001	7	36	11012/9982	50.56	Null vs present	1.27(1.14-1.41)	9.06×10 <sup>-6</sup>	65
<i>GSTM3</i>	rs179735(c.-468+21delAGG.3bp deletion.*A/B)	delAGG/-	6	1427/1613	15.25	Allelic	1.00(0.87-1.15)	0.956	0							
<i>GSTP1</i>	rs1138272(p.Ala114Val.c.341C>T)	T/C	6	1479/1573	7.63	Allelic	1.24(0.93-1.65)	0.149	53							
<i>GSTP1</i>	rs1695 (p.Ile105Val.c.313A>G)	G/A	26	9151/10531	32.85	Allelic	1.04(0.98-1.09)	0.224	29	11	2307/2430	18.87	Allelic	1.14(1.01-1.29)	0.036	27
<i>GSTT1</i>	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	NA	38	12560/15525	18.88	Null vs present	1.01(0.92-1.10)	0.910	45	14	7043/5289	49.57	Null vs present	1.15(1.03-1.28)	0.010	34
<i>HIF1A</i>	rs11549465(p.Pro582Ser.c.1744C>T)	T/C														
<i>HIF1A</i>	rs11549467(p.Ala588Thr.c.1762G>A)	A/G														
<i>HRAS1</i>	common/rare (HRAS1 VNTR alleles, loss of heterozygosity in the 15p15.5 region)	NA	4	746/1174	7.03	rare vs common	2.55(1.01-6.45)	0.048	69							
<i>HYKK</i>	rs931794(A>G)	G/A														
<i>IFNG</i>	rs2069705(-1615T>C)	C/T														
<i>IGFBP3</i>	rs2854744(C-202A)	C/A								3	789/960	27.71	Allelic	0.79(0.52-1.20)	0.262	86
<i>IL10</i>	rs1800871(c.-854T>C,-819C>T)	T/C	5	1741/2296	6.82	Allelic	1.03(0.81-1.31)	0.820	0	4	959/1367	69.09	Allelic	0.84(0.54-1.32)	0.447	91
<i>IL10</i>	rs1800872(g.4433A>C,-592C>A)	A/C	3	2368/2869	22.85	Allelic	0.98(0.89-1.08)	0.677	0	3	842/1257	66.31	Allelic	0.76(0.62-0.93)	0.009	56
<i>IL10</i>	rs1800896(g.3943A>G,-1082A>G)	G/A	6	2190/2729	47.62	Allelic	1.08(0.92-1.27)	0.347	49	3	627/1029	10.11	Allelic	1.83(0.75-4.49)	0.188	88
<i>IL13</i>	rs1800925(-1069C>T,-1112C>T)	T/C														
<i>IL13</i>	rs20541(Arg130Gln,+2044G>A)	A/G														
<i>IL17A</i>	rs2275913(-73G>A,-152G>A)	A/G														
<i>IL1B</i>	rs1143634(p.Phe105Phe,Ex5+14C>T)	T/C	3	4045/3627	23.55	Allelic	1.02(0.94-1.10)	0.666	0							
<i>IL1B</i>	rs1143627(g.4970C>T,-31T>C)	C/T	4	3681/4142	33.23	Allelic	0.98(0.87-1.10)	0.757	60	3	1352/1906	48.87	Allelic	0.89(0.71-1.10)	0.277	75
<i>IL1B</i>	rs16944(C-511T)	T/C								7	2391/2858	47.10	Allelic	0.92(0.78-1.09)	0.343	75
<i>IL4</i>	rs2243250(-509C>T)	T/C								3	1691/1737	78.12	Allelic	1.18(0.88-1.59)	0.276	76
<i>IL6</i>	rs1800795(G-174C)	C/G	8	4385/5232	43.43	Allelic	1.01(0.95-1.07)	0.721	0							
<i>IL6</i>	rs1800796(-572C>G,634C>G)	G/C								8	2782/3195	22.35	Allelic	1.04(0.83-1.31)	0.713	82
<i>IL8</i>	rs4073(T-251A)	T/A	4	4308/4773	49.36	Allelic	1.00(0.94-1.06)	0.973	0							
<i>LIG1</i>	rs156641(G>A)	A/G	3	1000/1940	34.48	Allelic	1.09(0.90-1.32)	0.396	44							
<i>LIG1</i>	rs20579(-7C>T)	A/G	3	1140/2079	12.84	Allelic	1.25(0.84-1.86)	0.279	80							
<i>LIG1</i>	rs20581(p.Asp802Asp.G>A)	A/G														
<i>LIG1</i>	rs3730931(IVS9-21A>G)	G/A	3	1145/2084	12.00	Allelic	1.15(0.78-1.70)	0.479	77							
<i>LIG1</i>	rs439132(A>G)	G/A														
<i>LIG1</i>	rs20580(p.Ala170Ala.c.417C>A)	A/C	3	1412/2214	48.85	Allelic	1.01(0.88-1.17)	0.876	47							
<i>LIG4</i>	rs1805388(p.Thr9Ile,Ex2+54C>T)	T/C														
<i>LTA</i>	rs909253(A+25G)	G/A	4	234/596	31.12	Allelic	1.10(0.87-1.41)	0.428	0							
<i>MAPKAPK2</i>	CNV-30450(2copies/3copies/4copies)	NA														
<i>MBD4</i>	rs140693(p.Glu346Lys.G1212A)	A/G								3	2332/2480	9.76	4 copies vs 2 copies	1.60(1.04-2.45)	0.031	81
<i>MCP1</i>	rs1024611(-2518A>G,PvuII)	G/A								4	2295/2469	35.62	Allelic	0.99(0.86-1.13)	0.881	57
<i>MDM2</i>	rs117039649(G>C,SNP285)	C/G														
<i>MDM2</i>	rs2279744(SNP309.c.14-309T>G)	G/T	7	5541/7830	37.31	Allelic	1.00(0.93-1.08)	0.979	45	8	5013/5834	49.07	Allelic	1.13(1.03-1.24)	0.011	64
<i>MDM2</i>	rs769412(p.Glu184Glu,2164A>G,SNP354)	G/A	3	1574/1715	29.53	Allelic	1.01(0.90-1.13)	0.889	0							
<i>MGMT</i>	rs12268840(C>T)	T/C	3	247/355	32.82	Allelic	0.88(0.64-1.19)	0.396	24							
<i>MGMT</i>	rs12917(p.Leu115Phe.c.343C>T)	T/C	5	1930/3022	14.36	Allelic	1.08(0.94-1.24)	0.292	14							
<i>MGMT</i>	rs1803965(Leu53Leu,171C>T,TagI)	T/C														
<i>MGMT</i>	rs2308321(p.Ile174Val,Ile143Val.c.520A>G)	G/A	5	1942/2110	12.68	Allelic	1.02(0.85-1.23)	0.809	33							
<i>MGMT</i>	rs2308327(p.Lys178Arg.c.533A>G)	G/A	5	759/880	20.45	Allelic	0.73(0.50-1.07)	0.109	68							
<i>MIR146A</i>	rs2910164(C>G)	C/G								4	2807/2841	49.03	Allelic	1.12(1.04-1.21)	0.002	0
<i>MIR196A2</i>	rs11614913(T>C)	C/T								4	2376/2413	45.86	Allelic	1.14(1.05-1.23)	0.002	0
<i>MLH1</i>	rs1799977(p.Ile219Val.c.655A>G)	G/A								3	1713/1874	3.98	Allelic	1.03(0.59-1.79)	0.927	69
<i>MLH1</i>	rs1800734(-93G>A)	A/G								4	1756/1809	57.19	Allelic	1.03(0.86-1.23)		





Gene	Variant	Alleles <sup>a</sup>	Meta-analysis performed in Caucasian population						Meta-analysis performed in Asian population							
			Studies	Cases/Controls	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Genetic models	OR (95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	Studies	Cases/Controls	Frequency(%) <sup>b</sup>	Genetic models	OR (95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3547(p.Gln632Gln,c.1896G>A)	A/G							4	2686/2755	9.87	Allelic	1.33(1.04-1.69)	0.021	74	
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3213245(-77T>C)	C/T														
<i>XRCC2</i>	rs3218536(p.Arg188His,c.563G>A)	A/G	3	645/1373	8.08	Allelic	1.23(0.54-2.77)	0.625	88							
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs1799794(4541A>G)	G/A														
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs1799796(17893A>G,IVS5-14)	G/A	3	665/1672	31.19	Allelic	0.98(0.85-1.14)	0.827	0							
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs861539(p.Thr241Met,c.722C>T)	T/C	9	2271/3339	36.63	Allelic	0.97(0.90-1.06)	0.541	0	7	3805/4330	6.91	Allelic	1.20(0.98-1.47)	0.072	63

Chr=chromosome; OR=odds ratio, 95% CI = 95% confidence interval; bp=base pair; VNTR=variable number of tandem repeats; ins=insertion; NA = Not Applicable.

<sup>a</sup>Minor alleles/major alleles (per Caucasian).

<sup>b</sup>Frequency of minor allele or effect genotype(s) in controls in specific ethnicity.



Supplementary Table S5. Subgroup meta-analyses stratified by different histological types of lung cancer for variants with sufficient data under different genetic models

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Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Comparison*	Results of meta-analysis using allelic model						Results of meta-analysis using dominant model						Results of meta-analysis using recessive model											
				Studies		Cases/Controls		OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies		Cases/Controls		OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies		Cases/Controls		OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>
<i>CHRNA5</i>	SCLC	rs1696968(p.Asp398Asn.c.1192G>A)	A vs G	3	513/3253	1.55(1.15-2.10)	0.004	55	0.109																		
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCLC	rs4646903(m.I.MspI.T3801C)	C vs T	14	325/2955	1.05(0.84-1.32)	0.650	0	0.879	17	494/3409	1.00(0.79-1.28)	0.979	0	0.77	12	273/2545	1.71(1.08-2.71)	0.021	0	0.90						
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCLC	rs1048943(*C2.m.p.IIe462Val.c.1384A>G)	G vs A	11	402/2172	1.06(0.74-1.53)	0.752	46	0.050	11	422/2218	0.83(0.53-1.29)	0.403	40	0.08	7	285/1143	1.93(0.79-4.72)	0.149	47	0.08						
<i>CYP2D6</i>	SCLC	phenotype(EM/HEM/PM)	PM vs EM	4	93/433	1.01(0.31-3.27)	0.986	0	0.438	5	117/509	0.80(0.50-1.28)	0.349	0	0.73	4	16/228	1.12(0.35-3.58)	0.849	0	0.44						
<i>CYP2E1</i>	SCLC	rs6413432(c.967+1143T>A.7632T>A)	A vs T	6	254/1809	0.91(0.54-1.52)	0.714	56	0.044	6	254/1809	1.05(0.56-1.97)	0.866	61	0.03	5	250/1771	0.70(0.23-2.07)	0.514	24	0.26						
<i>CYP2E1</i>	SCLC	rs2031920(RsaI.c1>c2.-1053C>T)	T vs C	6	390/310	0.80(0.56-1.14)	0.215	57	0.041	6	390/310	0.70(0.46-1.07)	0.102	56	0.05	5	346/2404	1.45(0.47-4.53)	0.521	69	0.01						
<i>ERCC2</i>	SCLC	rs1799793(p.Asp312Asn.c.981G>A)	A vs G	3	303/1321	1.20(0.90-1.60)	0.221	0	0.571																		
<i>GSTM1</i>	SCLC	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	Null vs present	26	1224/7255	1.30(1.09-1.56)	0.004	43	0.010																		
<i>GSTP1</i>	SCLC	rs1695(p.IIe105Val.c.313A>G)	G vs A	8	533/3555	1.12(0.97-1.29)	0.122	0	0.847	10	678/3932	1.02(0.86-1.22)	0.811	0	0.45	8	533/3555	1.34(1.00-1.79)	0.054	0	0.62						
<i>GSTT1</i>	SCLC	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	Null vs present	16	762/4200	1.07(0.86-1.32)	0.561	0	0.952																		
<i>MDM2</i>	SCLC	rs2279744(SNP309.c.14+309T>G)	G vs T	3	265/2309	0.85(0.70-1.04)	0.117	13	0.318	3	265/2309	0.77(0.58-1.03)	0.078	0	0.92	3	265/2309	0.81(0.46-1.42)	0.453	59	0.09						
<i>MPO</i>	SCLC	rs2333227(G-463A)	A vs G	3	329/2783	0.90(0.70-1.16)	0.420	30	0.242	3	392/2783	0.91(0.66-1.26)	0.570	40	0.19	3	392/2783	0.74(0.43-1.29)	0.289	0	0.81						
<i>NAT2</i>	SCLC	Rapid/slow(Acetylation Phenotype)	Slow vs rapid	4	234/1993	1.26(0.89-1.77)	0.195	0	0.867																		
<i>NQO1</i>	SCLC	rs1800566(p.Pro187Ser.c.648C>T.609C>T.*2)	T vs C	3	205/792	1.68(1.02-2.68)	0.029	56	0.102	4	264/1152	1.58(0.98-2.58)	0.063	59	0.06	3	205/792	2.32(0.93-5.78)	0.071	0	0.80						
<i>OGG1</i>	SCLC	rs1052133(p.Ser326Cys.c.977C>G.8055C>G)	G vs C	4	376/2129	0.88(0.71-1.08)	0.225	26	0.254	3	165/1444	0.71(0.43-1.18)	0.192	37	0.20	4	220/2474	1.14(0.65-1.99)	0.66	53	0.09						
<i>PADPRP</i>	SCLC	A/B (a 193-bp deletion)	Del vs non-del	3	107/512	0.87(0.55-1.38)	0.555	0	0.913	3	30/339	0.81(0.34-1.95)	0.641	0	0.66												
<i>TNF</i>	SCLC	rs1800629(G-308A.*1/*2)	A vs G	3	107/512	0.87(0.55-1.38)	0.555	0	0.913	3	107/512	0.89(0.53-1.49)	0.659	0	0.75	3	107/512	0.83(0.18-3.84)	0.813	0	0.74						
<i>TP53</i>	SCLC	rs1042522(p.Pro72Arg.c.215C>G)	C vs G	15	835/4556	0.97(0.72-1.29)	0.814	80	0.000	15	714/4455	0.93(0.64-1.35)	0.706	73	0.00	14	624/3871	1.18(0.72-1.91)	0.515	65	0.00						
<i>XPC</i>	SCLC	PAT-/- (24660_24664delGTAAc. inspoly(AT))	Ins vs non-ins	3	208/1340	0.86(0.58-1.27)	0.443	69	0.040	3	208/1340	0.72(0.48-1.09)	0.122	46	0.16	3	208/1340	1.05(0.56-1.95)	0.882	52	0.13						
<i>XPC</i>	SCLC	rs2228001(p.Gln39Lys.Ex16+211A>C)	C vs A	3	347/2108	0.84(0.71-1.00)	0.046	0	0.457																		
<i>XRCC1</i>	SCLC	rs1799782(p.Arg194Trp.c.580C>T.Ex6-22C>T)	T vs C	3	289/1429	0.91(0.73-1.12)	0.364	0	0.519																		
<i>XRCC1</i>	SCLC	rs25487(p.Gln399Arg.c.1196A>G)	A vs G	5	470/2097	0.61(0.33-1.12)	0.109	91	0.000	4	259/1412	0.43(0.12-1.56)	0.197	94	0.00	4	259/1412	0.60(0.29-1.24)	0.167	42	0.16						
<i>ABC1</i>	NSCLC	rs1045642(p.IIle1145Ile.c.3435T>C)	T vs C	3	312/331	1.48(0.57-3.82)	0.421	93	0.000	3	312/331	1.29(0.43-3.86)	0.651	89	0.00	3	312/331	1.66(0.54-5.12)	0.38	85.00	0.00						
<i>ACE</i>	NSCLC	287-bp repeat (ID)	Ins vs del	3	450/603	0.97(0.72-1.32)	0.859	59	0.086	3	450/603	0.97(0.74-1.27)	0.823	2	0.36	3	450/603	0.86(0.43-1.72)	0.66	71.00	0.03						
<i>APEX1</i>	NSCLC	rs1760944(c.-468T>G.-141T>G)	A vs C	3	330/1017	1.07(0.81-1.41)	0.636	53	0.120	3	330/1017	1.11(0.61-2.03)	0.738	73	0.02	3	330/1017	1.16(0.84-1.60)	0.37	0.00	0.38						
<i>APEX1</i>	NSCLC	rs1130409(p.Asp148Glu.c.444T>G)	G vs T	9	2902/3665	0.92(0.82-1.03)	0.151	57	0.018	9	1999/3100	0.94(0.77-1.14)	0.506	58	0.01	8	1900/2980	0.85(0.69-1.05)	0.14	44.50	0.08						
<i>BIRC5</i>	NSCLC	rs9904341(c.-31G>C)	C vs G	4	857/916	1.15(0.71-1.85)	0.576	89	0.000	4	857/916	1.04(0.58-1.86)	0.887	83	0.00	4	857/916	1.60(0.88-2.93)	0.13	76.10	0.01						
<i>CCND1</i>	NSCLC	rs9344(rs603965.p.Pro241Pro.c.723G>A.c.870G>A)	A vs G	3	724/1264	1.00(0.76-1.32)	0.991	73	0.026	3	724/1264	0.94(0.59-1.52)	0.815	76	0.02	3	724/1264	1.04(0.69-1.56)	0.86	64.60	0.06						
<i>CDKN1A</i>	NSCLC	rs1801270(p.Ser31Arg.c.93C>A.6829C>A)	A vs G	5	1163/2043	1.15(0.86-1.54)	0.344	50	0.090	5	1163/2043	1.26(0.93-1.72)	0.140	42	0.14	4	1054/1948	0.71(0.44-1.15)	0.17	0.00	0.97						
<i>CHRNA5</i>	NSCLC	rs1696968(p.Asp398Asn.c.1192G>A)	A vs G	6	3201/4736	1.36(1.24-1.48)	1.48-10 <sup>-11</sup>	13	0.329	4	2225/3577	1.50(1.28-1.75)	4.03-10 <sup>-7</sup>	18	0.30	4	2225/3577	1.49(1.24-1.79)	1.71-10 <sup>-5</sup>	0.00	0.80						
<i>CLPM1L</i>	NSCLC	rs402710(C>T)	T vs C	6	2940/4040	0.85(0.79-0.91)	1.13-10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	0.666	5	2257/3195	0.84(0.72-0.97)	0.018	30	0.22	5	2257/3195	0.78(0.62-0.99)	0.04	30.70	0.22						
<i>CTLA4</i>	NSCLC	rs5742909(g.319C>T.-318C>T)	T vs C	3	361/549	0.50(0.11-2.31)	0.376	95	0.000	3	361/549	0.48(0.10-2.21)	0.343	94	0.00	3	361/549	0.58(0.04-8.50)	0.69	77.90	0.01						
<i>CTLA4</i>	NSCLC	rs231773(p.Thr17Ala.c.49A>G)	G vs A	4	590/800	0.92(0.45-1.87)	0.814	94	0.000	4	590/800	1.01(0.44-2.35)	0.985	92	0.00	4	590/800	0.92(0.36-2.37)	0.86	87.60	0.00						
<i>CXCL12</i>	NSCLC	rs1801157(801G>A)	A vs G	3	467/815	1.33(0.75-2.37)	0.325	89	0.000	3	467/815	1.47(0.72-2.94)	0.275	86	0.00	3	467/815	1.43(0.56-3.65)	0.46	81.60	0.00						
<i>CYP1A1</i>	NSCLC	rs4646903(m.I.MspI.T3801C)	C vs T	24	3032/8165	1.11(1.03-1.21)	0.009	0	0.458	34	4465/6895	1.17(1.06-1.30)	0.003	28	0.07	22	2789/4778	1.18(0.95-1.46)	0.14	16.60	0.24						
<i>CYP1A1</i>	NSCLC	rs1048943(*C2.m.p.IIe462Val.c.1384A>G)	G vs A	22	4672/6125	1.10(0.92-1.32)	0.284	79	0.000	26	5123/6735	1.11(0.90-1.36)	0.322	78	0.00	19	4264/5386	1.24(0.88-1.76)	0.23	55.10	0.00						
<i>CYP1A2</i>	NSCLC	rs2069526(-739T>G)	G vs T	3	495/537	1.73(0.79-3.80)	0.173	69	0.04	3	390/949	1.30(0.62-2.73)	0.481	76	0.02												
<i>CYP1A2</i>	NSCLC	rs35694136(-2467delT)	Del vs non-del	3	390/949	1.30(0.62-2.73)	0.481	76	0.02																		
<i>CYP1A2</i>	NSCLC	rs2069514(CYP1A2*1C.-3860G>A)	A vs G	3	440/425	1.39(0.30-6.44)	0.677	92	0.00																		
<i>CYP1A2</i>	NSCLC	rs762551(CYP1A2*1F.c.A-164C)	C vs A	3	636/691	0.88(0.58-1.34)	0.550	84	0.002	4	729/802	0.78(0.48-1.29)	0.334	79	0.00	4	718/887	0.99(0.64-1.53)	0.95	55.90	0.08						
<i>CYP1B1</i>	NSCLC	rs1056836(CYP1B1*3.p.Leu432Val.c.1294C>G)	G vs C	3	640/737	1.14(0.95-1.37)	0.164	0	0.695	3	640/737	1.20(0.95-1.52)	0.131	0	0.64	3	640/737	1.10(0.74-1.62)	0.65	0.00	0.92						
<i>CYP2A6</i>	NSCLC	non*4/*4(*1/*4, a deletion of the CYP2A6 gene)	Del vs non-del	4	979/1432	1.07(0.67-1.69)	0.784	75	0.01	4	979/1432	1.07(0.67-1.69)	0.784	75	0.01												
<i>CYP2C9</i>	NSCLC	rs1799853(p.Arg144Cys.c.430C>T)	T vs C	3	518/1096	1.06(0.54-2.07)	0.871	73	0.03	3	518/1096	1.06(0.54-2.07)	0.8														

Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Comparison <sup>a</sup>	Results of meta-analysis using allelic model							Results of meta-analysis using dominant model							Results of meta-analysis using recessive model						
				Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>b</sup>			
MIR196A2	NSCLC	rs11614913(T>C)	C vs T	5	1320/1762	1.02(0.85-1.22)	0.869	62	0.032	5	1320/1762	1.180(0.88-1.59)	0.274	54	0.07	5	1320/1762	0.91(0.69-1.19)	0.47	55.10	0.06			
MMP1	NSCLC	rs1799750(-16071G/2G;insG)	2G vs 1G	3	485/688	0.97(0.75-1.26)	0.832	50	0.134	4	569/770	1.100(0.74-1.63)	0.642	45	0.14	3	485/688	0.94(0.63-1.41)	0.77	50.90	0.13			
MMP2	NSCLC	rs243865(-1306C>T)	T vs C	3	1216/1729	0.61(0.40-0.92)	0.019	83	0.003	3	1216/1729	0.57(0.36-0.92)	0.021	83	0.00	3	1216/1729	0.54(0.30-0.99)	0.05	0.00	0.72			
MPO	NSCLC	rs233227(G-463A)	A vs G	10	5036/6646	1.06(0.95-1.18)	0.294	54	0.020	11	5124/6727	1.03(0.93-1.14)	0.633	32	0.14	10	5036/6646	1.38(1.03-1.86)	0.03	51.20	0.03			
MTHFR	NSCLC	rs1801131(p.Ala29Glu.c.1286A>C.A.1298C)	C vs A	4	785/1111	1.09(0.94-1.27)	0.240	0	0.654	4	785/1111	1.100(0.90-1.33)	0.363	0	0.69	4	785/1111	1.16(0.85-1.57)	0.35	0.00	0.59			
MTHFR	NSCLC	rs1801133(p.Ala222Val,Ex4+79C>T)	T vs C	6	1273/1813	1.09(0.83-1.42)	0.543	78	0.000	6	1273/1813	1.07(0.72-1.59)	0.740	78	0.00	6	1273/1813	1.23(0.84-1.79)	0.29	57.70	0.04			
NAT2	NSCLC	Rapid/slow	Slow vs rapid	11	2041/3282	0.94(0.75-1.17)	0.572	58	0.008															
NQO1	NSCLC	rs1800566(p.Pro187Ser.c.648C>T.609C>T.*2)	T vs C	6	1511/2708	1.10(0.87-1.38)	0.442	74	0.002	8	1914/3400	1.08(0.91-1.28)	0.402	41	0.10	6	1511/2708	1.13(0.72-1.77)	0.60	60.60	0.03			
OGG1	NSCLC	rs1052133(p.Ser326Cys.c.977C>G.8055C>G)	G vs C	17	6874/7869	1.07(0.98-1.17)	0.141	60	0.001	17	5948/7259	1.08(0.95-1.24)	0.248	54	0.01	17	6279/8214	1.16(1.02-1.32)	0.02	35.70	0.07			
PADPRP	NSCLC	A/B(a 193-bp deletion)	Del vs non-del							4	258/339	1.22(0.78-1.90)	0.382	35	0.20									
PARP1	NSCLC	rs1136410(p.Val762Ala,Ex17+8T>C)	C vs T	3	1459/2095	1.09(0.89-1.33)	0.408	74	0.022	4	129/339	1.65(0.81-3.35)	0.165	51	0.10									
SOD2	NSCLC	rs4880(rs1799725.Ala16Val)	T vs C	3	1459/2095	1.09(0.89-1.33)	0.408	74	0.022	4	129/339	1.65(0.81-3.35)	0.165	51	0.10									
TERT	NSCLC	rs2736098(p.Ala305Ala.c.915G>A)	A vs G	4	1214/2490	1.40(1.26-1.54)	4.97x10 <sup>-11</sup>	0	0.891	4	1214/2490	1.37(1.19-1.58)	1.78x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.96	4	1214/2490	1.89(1.57-2.28)	2.10x10 <sup>-11</sup>	0	0.78			
TNF	NSCLC	rs1800629(G-308A.*1*2)	A vs G	5	484/1486	1.81(0.83-3.53)	0.133	90	0.000	5	484/1486	1.95(0.81-4.68)	0.135	90	0.00	4	458/1460	2.71(0.99-7.43)	0.054	39	0.18			
TP53	NSCLC	rs1625895(IVS6+62G>A.A2>A1)	A vs G	3	89/495	0.92(0.43-2.00)	0.840	63	0.068	3	89/495	0.90(0.31-2.58)	0.839	71	0.03	3	89/495	1.69(0.22-13.20)	0.619	41	0.18			
TP53	NSCLC	rs1042522(p.Pro72Arg.c.215C>G)	C vs G	21	3367/8584	1.06(0.98-1.20)	0.130	54	0.002	22	3523/9166	1.06(0.93-1.22)	0.369	51	0.00	22	3504/8822	1.20(1.05-1.38)	0.008	16	0.25			
TP63	NSCLC	rs10937405(C>T)	T vs C	3	1158/8484	0.82(0.75-0.90)	2.91x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.898	3	1158/8484	0.79(0.69-0.90)	3.34x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.69	3	1158/8484	0.75(0.62-0.90)	0.002	0	0.58			
TP73	NSCLC	G4C14/A4T14	AT vs GC	3	1012/1210	0.90(0.70-1.15)	0.382	66	0.032	5	1946/2349	1.04(0.85-1.27)	0.735	56	0.06	4	1012/1210	0.75(0.35-1.59)	0.45	77.20	0.00			
TYMS	NSCLC	28-bp tandem repeat	2R vs Non-2R)	4	808/1326	0.89(0.75-1.04)	0.142	0	0.391	3	808/1326	0.84(0.69-1.01)	0.065	0	0.52	3	808/1326	1.07(0.67-1.72)	0.78	0.00	0.53			
VEGFA	NSCLC	rs2010963(634G>C)	C vs G	4	2728/2372	1.10(0.93-1.29)	0.264	62	0.047	4	2728/2372	1.12(0.92-1.37)	0.267	49	0.12	5	2828/2522	1.11(0.87-1.42)	0.42	45.40	0.12			
VEGFA	NSCLC	rs833061(-460T>C)	C vs T	4	2727/2372	1.00(0.92-1.08)	0.987	0	0.847	4	2727/2372	1.04(0.92-1.17)	0.519	0	0.62	4	2727/2372	0.94(0.81-1.09)	0.42	0.00	0.54			
VEGFA	NSCLC	rs3025039(CV9GT)	T vs C	3	2403/2034	1.04(0.92-1.17)	0.556	0	0.591	5	2640/2356	1.04(0.91-1.18)	0.563	0	0.45	3	2403/2034	1.12(0.73-1.71)	0.60	0.00	0.47			
XPA	NSCLC	rs1800975(c.-4A>G.23G>A)	A vs G	4	1637/1793	1.01(0.86-1.19)	0.902	63	0.042	5	1851/1978	0.99(0.79-1.23)	0.910	60	0.04	5	1851/1978	1.11(0.87-1.41)	0.40	41.30	0.15			
XPC	NSCLC	PAT-/-(2466G>A.2466delCTTAAc. inspoly(AT))	Ins vs non-ins	3	967/1340	1.17(0.98-1.39)	0.092	55	0.110	3	967/1340	1.19(0.86-1.42)	0.455	51	0.13	3	967/1340	1.46(1.17-1.81)	0.00	0.00	0.48			
XPC	NSCLC	rs2228000(p.Ala499Val,Ex9-377C>T)	T vs C	3	1492/1630	1.04(0.93-1.16)	0.514	0	0.567	3	1492/1630	1.03(0.89-1.19)	0.678	0	0.72	3	1492/1630	1.10(0.86-1.39)	0.45	0.00	0.40			
XPC	NSCLC	rs2228001(p.Gln939Lys,Ex16+211A>C)	C vs A	4	2491/2316	1.05(0.96-1.14)	0.303	0	0.744	3	1489/1631	1.05(0.91-1.22)	0.481	0	0.39	3	1489/1631	1.18(0.96-1.45)	0.12	0.00	0.69			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs2256507(G>A)	A vs G	3	431/779	1.23(0.93-1.62)	0.143	50	0.134	3	431/779	1.20(0.89-1.63)	0.236	34	0.22	3	431/779	1.68(1.03-2.74)	0.04	7.80	0.34			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs25486(A>G)	G vs A	3	373/795	1.06(0.69-1.61)	0.795	77	0.013	3	373/795	1.19(0.84-1.69)	0.334	21	0.28	3	373/795	1.13(0.49-2.58)	0.78	77.60	0.01			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs1001581(c.145-216G>A)	T vs C	4	574/994	1.27(1.04-1.56)	0.018	40	0.172	4	574/994	1.35(0.98-1.88)	0.069	55	0.08	4	574/994	1.36(1.02-1.83)	0.04	0.00	0.71			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs3547(p.Gln632Gln.c.1896G>A)	A vs G	3	374/794	1.06(0.85-1.32)	0.592	0	0.850	3	374/794	1.02(0.78-1.34)	0.868	0	0.99									
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs25489(p.Arg280His.c.839G>A.Ex9+16G>A)	A vs G	8	3183/3560	0.93(0.70-1.23)	0.607	74	0.000	7	3441/4871	0.94(0.69-1.28)	0.683	78	0.00	6	2085/2779	0.87(0.45-1.71)	0.69	0.00	0.47			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs1799782(p.Arg194Tyr.c.580C>T.Ex6-22C>T)	T vs C	11	3418/4189	0.93(0.81-1.06)	0.285	40	0.081	10	3717/5540	0.92(0.81-1.05)	0.223	19	0.27	9	2320/3408	1.15(0.90-1.47)	0.25	0.00	0.48			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs25487(p.Gln399Arg.c.1196A>G)	A vs G	19	7715/10261	1.04(0.96-1.14)	0.330	62	0.000	18	6716/9600	1.06(0.95-1.18)	0.284	52	0.01	17	6617/9480	1.08(0.92-1.27)	0.35	47.60	0.02			
XRCC1	NSCLC	rs3213245(-77T>C)	C vs T	3	1744/2178	1.50(1.29-1.75)	1.89x10 <sup>-7</sup>	0	0.68															
XRCC3	NSCLC	rs861539(p.Thr241Met.c.722C>T)	T vs C	5	2287/2150	1.02(0.91-1.15)	0.760	0	0.531	4	1288/1489	0.90(0.75-1.08)	0.266	0	0.43	3	1189/1369	1.12(0.75-1.68)	0.57	19.90	0.29			
APEX1	AD	rs1130409(p.Asp148Glu.c.444T>G)	G vs T	5	1561/2309	0.96(0.81-1.14)	0.637	64	0.026	5	877/1744	0.97(0.69-1.36)	0.850	70	0.01	4	809/1624	0.96(0.66-1.39)	0.813	58	0.07			
BIRC5	AD	rs9904341(c.-31G>C)	C vs G	3	312/818	1.70(1.22-2.37)	0.002	57	0.097	3	312/818	1.86(1.09-3.18)	0.024	50	0.14	3	312/818	2.07(1.38-3.10)	4.41x10 <sup>-4</sup>	32	0.23			
CDKN1A	AD	rs1801270(p.Ser31Arg.c.93C>A.6829C>A)	A vs C	5	523/2043	1.18(0.86-1.62)	0.306	36	0.180	5	523/2043	1.32(0.99-1.77)	0.063	7	0.37	4	465/1948	0.66(0.35-1.23)	0.190	0	0.80			
CHRNA5	AD	rs16969968(p.Asp398Asn.c.1192G>A)	A vs G	4	1507/2834	1.37(1.14-1.64)	0.001	33	0.214															
CXCL12	AD	rs1801157(801G>A)	A vs G	3	251/815	1.16(0.68-1.99)	0.579	74	0.021	3	251/815	1.29(0.76-2.19)	0.339	55	0.11	3	251/815	1.16(0.37-3.60)	0.802	71	0.03			
CYP11A1	AD	rs4646903(m1.Msp1.T3801C)	C vs T	17	1001/3991	0.95(0.83-1.08)	0.417	0	0.543	23	1496/4974	0.98(0.85-1.12)	0.735	0	0.86	16	1012/3754	0.95(0.72-1.25)	0.691	0	0.87			
CYP11A1	AD	rs1048943(*2C.m2.p.Ile462Val.c.1384A>G)	G vs A	15	1225/4175	1.01(0.80-1.27)	0.926	63	0.001	18	1813/5085	1.06(0.81-1.39)	0.672	68	0.00	11	1043/3146	1.26(0.75-2.11)	0.385	45	0.05			
CYP2A6	AD	non*4/*4(*1/*4,a deletion of the CYP2A6 gene)	Del vs non-del (*4 vs non*4)							3	454/1300	1.07(0.80-1.45)	0.639	0	0.57									
CYP2D6	AD	phenotype(EM/HEM/PM)	PM vs EM	5	234/1317	1.42(0.75-2.69)	0.288	0	0.463	5	234/1317	0.93(0.69-1.25)	0.624	0	0.95	6	261/1367	1.20(0.59-2.44)	0.613	23	0.26			
CYP2E1	AD	rs6413432(c.967+143T>A.7632T>A)	A vs T	6	500/1809	0.79(0.66-0.95)	0.011	0	0.664	6	500/1809	0.85(0.63-1.16)	0.304	26	0.24	5	481/1771	0.51(0.20-1.32)	0.166	37	0.17			
CYP2E1	AD	rs2031920(Rsa1c1c2c.-1053C>T)	T vs C	8	1250/3903	0.87(0.67-1.04)	0.109	62	0.011															

Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Comparison <sup>a</sup>	Results of meta-analysis using allelic model						Results of meta-analysis using dominant model						Results of meta-analysis using recessive model					
				Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>b</sup>
<i>XPC</i>	AD	PAT-/- (24660_24664delGTAAC, inspoly(AT))	Ins vs non-ins	3	398/1340	1.21(1.03-1.42)	0.020	0	0.442	3	398/1340	1.23(0.88-1.72)	0.218	47	0.15	3	398/1340	1.40(1.05-1.88)	0.024	0	0.99
<i>XPC</i>	AD	rs2228001(p.Gln939Lys,Ex16+211A>C)	C vs A	3	1318/2108	1.06(0.96-1.17)	0.273	0	0.577	3	1318/2108	1.06(0.96-1.17)	0.273	0	0.577	3	1318/2108	1.06(0.96-1.17)	0.273	0	0.577
<i>XRCC1</i>	AD	rs25489(p.Arg280His,c.839G>A,Ex9+16G>A)	A vs G	3	1067/1457	0.75(0.42-1.36)	0.343	83	0.002	3	795/2864	0.70(0.34-1.43)	0.322	86	0.00	3	795/2864	0.70(0.34-1.43)	0.322	86	0.00
<i>XRCC1</i>	AD	rs1799782(p.Arg194Trp,c.580C>T,Ex6+22C>T)	T vs C	5	1142/1829	0.95(0.80-1.14)	0.594	23	0.265	5	880/3276	0.97(0.80-1.19)	0.784	0	0.63	4	390/1144	1.40(0.82-2.38)	0.213	0	0.59
<i>XRCC1</i>	AD	rs25487(p.Gln399Arg,c.1196A>G)	A vs G	10	2359/6365	1.01(0.89-1.14)	0.917	58	0.011	10	1675/5800	1.04(0.88-1.24)	0.642	49	0.04	9	1607/5680	1.06(0.85-1.31)	0.599	22	0.25
<i>XRCC1</i>	AD	rs3213245(-77T>C)	C vs T	3	8620/2178	1.55(1.29-1.87)	4.72×10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	0.76	3	8620/2178	1.55(1.29-1.87)	4.72×10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	0.76	3	8620/2178	1.55(1.29-1.87)	4.72×10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	0.76
<i>XRCC3</i>	AD	rs861539(p.Thr241Met,c.722C>T)	T vs C	3	1108/1578	1.07(0.89-1.28)	0.494	33	0.227	3	424/1013	0.87(0.65-1.18)	0.377	27	0.26	3	424/1013	0.87(0.65-1.18)	0.377	27	0.26
<i>BIRC5</i>	SCC	rs9904341(c.-31G>C)	C vs G	3	399/818	1.31(0.89-1.95)	0.175	73	0.024	3	399/818	1.03(0.78-1.35)	0.850	0	0.43	3	399/818	1.93(0.88-4.25)	0.102	82	0.00
<i>CNDN1</i>	SCC	rs9344(rs603965p.Pro241Pro,c.723G>A,c.870G>A)	A vs G	3	359/1264	1.05(0.70-1.57)	0.825	78	0.010	3	359/1264	0.96(0.55-1.69)	0.899	70	0.04	3	359/1264	1.11(0.58-2.10)	0.758	77	0.01
<i>CDKN1A</i>	SCC	rs1801270(p.Ser31Arg,c.241P>A,6829C>A)	A vs C	5	597/2043	1.12(0.78-1.60)	0.536	46	0.117	5	597/2043	1.20(0.80-1.81)	0.387	45	0.12	4	546/1948	0.88(0.48-1.60)	0.667	0	0.88
<i>CXCL12</i>	SCC	rs1801157(801G>A)	A vs G	3	198/815	1.30(0.65-2.60)	0.460	88	0.000	3	198/815	1.40(0.59-3.30)	0.444	85	0.00	3	198/815	1.51(0.52-4.35)	0.448	76	0.02
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCC	rs4646903(m.L.Msp1L73801C)	C vs T	17	1021/3959	1.45(1.26-1.67)	3.77×10 <sup>-7</sup>	21	0.215	24	1739/5212	1.51(1.27-1.79)	3.13×10 <sup>-6</sup>	39	0.03	16	976/3722	1.68(1.15-2.47)	0.008	34	0.09
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCC	rs1048943(*2C,m.p.Ile462Val,c.1384A>G)	G vs A	16	1572/3981	1.24(1.04-1.49)	0.020	58	0.002	20	2336/5091	1.23(0.98-1.56)	0.078	66	0.00	13	1365/3242	1.65(1.05-2.60)	0.030	53	0.01
<i>CYP1A2</i>	SCC	rs35694136(-2467delT)	Del vs non-del	3	309/494	1.58(0.97-2.56)	0.065	39	0.20	3	309/494	1.58(0.97-2.56)	0.065	39	0.20	3	309/494	1.58(0.97-2.56)	0.065	39	0.20
<i>CYP1A2</i>	SCC	rs2069514(CYP1A2*1C,-3860G>A)	A vs G	3	292/411	1.13(0.39-3.27)	0.818	84	0.00	3	292/411	1.13(0.39-3.27)	0.818	84	0.00	3	292/411	1.13(0.39-3.27)	0.818	84	0.00
<i>CYP1A2</i>	SCC	rs762551(CYP1A2*1F,c.A-164C)	C vs A	3	291/409	0.61(0.32-1.16)	0.132	66	0.06	3	291/409	0.61(0.32-1.16)	0.132	66	0.06	3	305/494	1.05(0.53-2.10)	0.884	68	0.04
<i>CYP2A6</i>	SCC	non/*4/*1/*8,a deletion of the CYP2A6 gene)	Del vs non-del	4	516/1432	1.07(0.59-1.93)	0.826	79	0.00	4	516/1432	1.07(0.59-1.93)	0.826	79	0.00	4	516/1432	1.07(0.59-1.93)	0.826	79	0.00
<i>CYP2D6</i>	SCC	phenotype (EM/HEM/PM)	PM vs EM	5	341/1153	0.63(0.30-1.31)	0.216	0	0.500	6	412/1229	1.04(0.81-1.34)	0.765	0	0.43	6	364/1203	0.57(0.29-1.14)	0.111	0	0.53
<i>CYP2E1</i>	SCC	rs6413432(c.967+143T>A,7632T>A)	A vs T	6	715/1809	0.76(0.65-0.88)	3.98×10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.911	6	715/1809	0.77(0.64-0.92)	0.005	0	0.89	5	684/1771	0.52(0.34-0.82)	0.004	0	0.47
<i>CYP2E1</i>	SCC	rs2031920(RsaI,c1>c2,-1053C>T)	T vs C	7	962/3722	0.93(0.82-1.06)	0.287	0	0.661	7	962/3722	0.94(0.80-1.10)	0.414	0	0.55	6	880/3016	1.09(0.53-2.22)	0.818	57	0.04
<i>ERCC2</i>	SCC	rs1799793(p.Asp312Asn,c.981G>A)	A vs G	4	684/1704	1.00(0.57-1.77)	0.999	81	0.001	3	434/1019	1.20(0.69-2.07)	0.525	67	0.05	4	895/2039	4.62(0.7-30.53)	0.112	72	0.01
<i>ERCC2</i>	SCC	rs13181(p.Lys751Gln,c.2251A>C)	C vs A	3	476/1171	1.19(0.72-1.98)	0.496	57	0.098	3	476/1171	1.19(0.72-1.98)	0.496	57	0.098	3	698/1523	1.84(0.65-5.23)	0.250	48	0.14
<i>GSTM1</i>	SCC	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	Null vs present	42	4704/12325	1.23(1.08-1.40)	0.002	66	0.000	17	2502/6290	1.03(0.91-1.15)	0.658	23	0.19	12	1951/5051	1.14(0.92-1.41)	0.233	21	0.24
<i>GSTP1</i>	SCC	rs1695(p.Ile105Val,c.313A>G)	G vs A	12	1951/5051	1.01(0.93-1.09)	0.899	0	0.550	17	2502/6290	1.03(0.91-1.15)	0.658	23	0.19	12	1951/5051	1.14(0.92-1.41)	0.233	21	0.24
<i>GSTT1</i>	SCC	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	Null vs present	23	2823/7727	1.07(0.93-1.24)	0.354	36	0.047	3	165/1187	1.56(0.81-3.00)	0.183	66	0.05	3	165/1187	1.30(0.75-2.28)	0.350	0	0.81
<i>IL10</i>	SCC	rs1800871(c.-854T>C,-819C>T)	T vs C	3	165/1187	1.37(0.89-2.11)	0.149	55	0.106	3	165/1187	1.56(0.81-3.00)	0.183	66	0.05	3	165/1187	1.30(0.75-2.28)	0.350	0	0.81
<i>IL1B</i>	SCC	rs1143627(c.g-4970T>C,-31T>C)	C vs T	3	527/2067	0.90(0.78-1.04)	0.154	0	0.371	3	527/2067	0.92(0.67-1.28)	0.634	43	0.17	3	527/2067	0.77(0.54-1.10)	0.154	38	0.20
<i>IL1B</i>	SCC	rs16944(C-511T)	T vs C	3	544/2091	1.03(0.90-1.19)	0.663	0	0.583	3	544/2091	1.15(0.87-1.52)	0.311	31	0.23	3	544/2091	0.97(0.76-1.23)	0.770	0	0.40
<i>IL6</i>	SCC	rs1800795(G-174C)	C vs G	4	297/689	1.41(0.76-2.60)	0.277	85	0.000	4	297/689	1.48(0.75-2.91)	0.260	76	0.01	4	297/689	1.53(0.60-3.90)	0.373	69	0.02
<i>IL6</i>	SCC	rs1800796(-572C>G,634C>G)	G vs C	3	1090/2541	1.05(0.79-1.38)	0.742	65	0.056	3	1090/2541	1.05(0.73-1.53)	0.790	51	0.13	4	186/1260	0.74(0.42-1.29)	0.282	0	0.71
<i>IL8</i>	SCC	rs4073(T-251A)	T vs A	3	186/1260	0.97(0.77-1.23)	0.812	0	0.774	4	186/1260	1.07(0.73-1.58)	0.730	24	0.27	7	1708/4408	1.15(0.94-1.39)	0.169	42	0.11
<i>LTA</i>	SCC	rs2279744(SNP309,c.144+309T>G)	G vs T	7	1708/4408	1.11(0.94-1.30)	0.229	71	0.002	7	1708/4408	1.15(0.89-1.49)	0.283	70	0.00	3	796/1751	1.32(0.93-1.86)	0.116	50	0.13
<i>MIR146A</i>	SCC	rs2910164(C>G)	C vs G	3	740/1729	0.56(0.37-0.84)	0.005	73	0.023	3	740/1729	0.51(0.33-0.79)	0.002	71	0.03	3	740/1729	0.51(0.24-1.11)	0.089	0	0.50
<i>MMP2</i>	SCC	rs243865(-1306C>T)	T vs C	3	1572/4855	0.98(0.83-1.15)	0.791	53	0.061	6	1572/4855	0.95(0.79-1.14)	0.559	49	0.08	6	1572/4855	1.17(0.81-1.70)	0.396	34	0.18
<i>MPO</i>	SCC	rs233227(G-463A)	A vs G	6	1572/4855	0.98(0.83-1.15)	0.791	53	0.061	6	1572/4855	0.95(0.79-1.14)	0.559	49	0.08	6	1572/4855	1.17(0.81-1.70)	0.396	34	0.18
<i>NAT2</i>	SCC	Rapid/slow(Acetylation Phenotype)	Slow vs rapid	10	1063/3136	0.94(0.72-1.24)	0.677	47	0.049	5	648/2490	1.16(0.96-1.39)	0.127	0	0.82	3	408/1798	1.19(0.65-2.20)	0.578	0	0.94
<i>NOO1</i>	SCC	rs1800566(p.Pro187Ser,c.648C>T,609C>T,*2)	T vs C	3	408/1798	1.16(0.96-1.41)	0.125	0	0.707	5	648/2490	1.16(0.96-1.39)	0.127	0	0.82	3	408/1798	1.19(0.65-2.20)	0.578	0	0.94
<i>OGG1</i>	SCC	rs1052133(p.Ser326Cys,c.977C>G,8055C>G)	G vs C	9	2108/5170	1.03(0.95-1.11)	0.544	0	0.515	8	1858/4485	1.02(0.87-1.19)	0.843	15	0.31	9	1949/5515	1.09(0.92-1.28)	0.332	0	0.48
<i>PADPRP</i>	SCC	A/B(a 193-bp deletion)	Del vs non-del	4	103/339	0.87(0.53-1.41)	0.561	0	0.47	4	103/339	0.87(0.53-1.41)	0.561	0	0.47	4	103/339	0.87(0.53-1.41)	0.561	0	0.47
<i>PTGS2</i>	SCC	rs5275(c.*427T>C,8473T>C)	C vs T	3	540/1105	0.91(0.74-1.13)	0.401	0	0.56	3	540/1105	0.91(0.74-1.13)	0.401	0	0.56	3	540/1105	0.91(0.74-1.13)	0.401	0	0.56
<i>SOD2</i>	SCC	rs4880(rs1799725,Ala16Val)	T vs C	4	574/2761	1.54(1.03-2.31)	0.035	83	0.001	4	574/2761	1.44(1.13-1.84)	0.003	3	0.38	5	657/3093	1.50(0.89-2.52)	0.128	80	0.00
<i>TERT</i>	SCC	rs2736098(p.Ala305Ala,c.915G>A)	A vs G	4	788/2490	1.14(1.01-1.29)	0.031	0	0.597	4	788/2490	1.12(0.95-1.33)	0.179	0	0.76	4	788/2490	1.33(1.05-1.69)	0.019	0	0.61
<i>TNF</i>	SCC	rs1800629(G-308A,*1/*2)	A vs G	5	273/1500	1.85(1.17-2.93)	0.009	66	0.019	5	273/1500	1.98(1.24-3.16)	0.004	57	0.06	5	273/1500	2.38(0.82-6.91)	0.112	22	0.28
<i>TP53</i>	SCC	rs1042522(p.Pro72Arg,c.215C>G)	C vs G	21	3135/8809	0.99(0.84-1.17)	0.941	84	0.000	22	33										

**Supplementary Table S6. Credibility assessment for variants with significant associations with lung cancer risk in subgroup meta-analyses by histological types**

Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Alleles <sup>a</sup>	Number evaluated	Lung cancer risk meta-analysis					Venice criteria grades <sup>d</sup>	Credibility of evidence <sup>e</sup>	Amount of evidence <sup>f</sup>		Replication <sup>g</sup>	Protection from bias <sup>h</sup>		Sensitivity analysis <sup>i</sup>		Low OR <sup>j</sup>	Modified P <sup>k</sup>	Excess P <sup>l</sup>	Begg's P <sup>m</sup>		
					Genetic models		OR(95% CI) <sup>b</sup>	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)			P <sub>o</sub> <sup>c</sup>	Numbers		Grade	Grade	Reasons for bias	Initial study influence					Deviation from HWE	
					Studies	Cases/Controls												OR(95%CI)					P value	
<i>CHRNA5</i>	SCLC	rs16969968	A/G	3	513/3253	Allelic	1.55(1.15-2.10)	0.004	55	0.109	ACC	Weak	1813	A	C	Small study	1.37(1.12-1.67)	0.002	None	No	0.001	0.558	0.296	
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCLC	rs4646903	C/T	12	273/2545	Recessive	1.71(1.08-2.71)	0.021	0	0.904	BAA	Moderate	176	B	A		1.69(1.06-2.68)	0.026	NO	No	0.523	1.000	0.244	
<i>GSTM1</i>	SCLC	Present/Null	NA	26	1224/7255	Null vs present	1.30(1.09-1.56)	0.004	43	0.01	ABA	Moderate	4063	A	B		1.28(1.06-1.54)	0.01	None	No	0.976	0.311	1.000	
<i>NGO1</i>	SCLC	rs1800566	T/C	3	205/792	Allelic	1.68(1.05-2.68)	0.029	56	0.102	BCC	Weak	342	B	C	First study	1.44(0.95-2.17)	0.085	None	No	0.259	0.613	0.296	
<i>XPC</i>	SCLC	rs2228001	C/A	3	347/2108	Allelic	0.84(0.71-1.00)	0.046	0	0.457	AAC	Weak	1843	A	C	First study	0.88(0.72-1.07)	0.192	None	No	0.218	1.000	1.000	
<i>CHRNA5</i>	NSCLC	rs16969968	A/G	6	3201/4736	Allelic	1.36(1.24-1.48)	1.48x10 <sup>-11</sup>	13	0.329	AAA	Strong	4303	A	A		1.34(1.23-1.45)	2.90x10 <sup>-12</sup>	None	No	0.736	0.672	0.707	
<i>CLPTM1L</i>	NSCLC	rs402710	T/C	6	2940/4040	Allelic	0.85(0.79-0.91)	1.13x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.666	AAA	Strong	4634	A	A		0.81(0.74-0.89)	7.73x10 <sup>-6</sup>	None	No	0.650	1.000	1.000	
<i>CYP1A1</i>	NSCLC	rs4646903	C/T	24	3032/5165	Allelic	1.11(1.03-1.21)	0.009	0	0.458	AAC	Weak	3650	A	A	Low OR	1.09(1.01-1.19)	0.038	NO	Yes	0.986	0.194	0.785	
<i>CYP2E1</i>	NSCLC	rs6413432	A/T	6	1290/1809	Allelic	0.80(0.71-0.91)	4.90x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.868	AAA	Strong	1372	A	A		0.81(0.71-0.92)	0.001	NO	No	0.880	1.000	1.000	
<i>ERCC1</i>	NSCLC	rs11615	C/T	3	780/811	Allelic	0.68(0.58-0.81)	1.01x10 <sup>-5</sup>	13	0.316	AAA	Strong	2162	A	A		0.75(0.61-0.91)	0.004	None	No	0.311	0.547	0.296	
<i>ERCC2</i>	NSCLC	rs13181	C/A	8	2770/2856	Allelic	1.19(1.04-1.36)	0.014	39	0.116	ABC	Weak	2381	A	B	HWE	1.22(1.06-1.40)	0.006	Yes	No	0.776	0.665	1.000	
<i>FAS</i>	NSCLC	rs2234767	A/G	3	3194/3064	Recessive	1.51(1.23-1.87)	1.26x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.447	BAC	Weak	396	B	A	First study	1.38(0.95-2.00)	0.093	None	No	0.478	1.000	0.296	
<i>FGFR4</i>	NSCLC	rs351855	A/G	3	985/1230	Allelic	0.76(0.68-0.86)	1.97x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.549	AAA	Strong	1779	A	A		0.74(0.64-0.86)	5.19x10 <sup>-5</sup>	None	No	0.323	0.590	1.000	
<i>GSTM1</i>	NSCLC	Present/Null	NA	60	11551/15673	Null vs present	1.18(1.08-1.29)	1.56x10 <sup>-4</sup>	62	0	ACA	Weak	13759	A	C	A		1.17(1.08-1.28)	3.23x10 <sup>-4</sup>	None	No	0.119	0.213	0.448
<i>HYKK</i>	NSCLC	rs931794	G/A	4	1548/2464	Allelic	1.25(1.13-1.37)	9.08x10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	0.888	AAA	Strong	2718	A	A		1.25(1.07-1.46)	0.004	None	No	0.902	0.630	0.734	
<i>IL17A</i>	NSCLC	rs2275913	A/G	3	780/998	Recessive	1.72(1.12-2.65)	0.013	31	0.235	BBB	Moderate	164	B	B	Missing information	2.01(1.40-2.87)	1.41x10 <sup>-3</sup>	NA	No	0.405	0.566	0.296	
<i>IL1B</i>	NSCLC	rs1143627	C/T	5	1915/2551	Allelic	0.82(0.67-0.99)	0.043	78	0.001	ACC	Weak	4019	A	C	First study, HWE, small study, publication bias	0.83(0.66-1.05)	0.117	Yes	No	0.019	0.676	0.027	
<i>IL6</i>	NSCLC	rs1800796	G/C	3	1333/1452	Allelic	0.75(0.57-0.99)	0.039	77	0.013	ACC	Weak	1473	A	C	Small study	0.75(0.57-0.99)	0.039	None	No	0.036	0.227	0.296	
<i>MIR146A</i>	NSCLC	rs2910164	C/G	4	880/1094	Allelic	1.28(1.11-1.46)	4.63x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.391	AAA	Strong	1765	A	A		1.28(1.11-1.46)	4.63x10 <sup>-4</sup>	None	No	0.327	0.629	0.734	
<i>MMP2</i>	NSCLC	rs243865	T/C	3	1216/1729	Allelic	0.61(0.40-0.92)	0.019	83	0.003	BCC	Weak	829	B	C	First study, small study	0.72(0.33-1.59)	0.419	None	No	0.025	0.456	0.296	
<i>MPO</i>	NSCLC	rs233227	A/G	10	5036/6646	Recessive	1.38(1.03-1.86)	0.033	51	0.031	BCA	Weak	576	B	C	A		1.41(1.03-1.94)	0.035	None	No	0.881	0.700	0.858
<i>OGG1</i>	NSCLC	rs1052133	G/C	17	6279/8214	Recessive	1.16(1.02-1.32)	0.02	36	0.072	ABC	Weak	2814	A	C	Excess of significant studies	1.15(1.01-1.32)	0.039	NO	No	0.920	0.884	0.967	
<i>SOD2</i>	NSCLC	rs4880	T/C	6	3133/4255	Allelic	1.25(1.08-1.45)	0.002	72	0.003	ACC	Weak	7713	A	C	Small study	1.31(1.07-1.60)	0.008	NO	No	0.090	1.000	0.133	
<i>TERT</i>	NSCLC	rs2736098	A/G	4	2002/2490	Allelic	1.30(1.19-1.42)	2.59x10 <sup>-9</sup>	0	0.818	AAA	Strong	3368	A	A		1.29(1.17-1.42)	2.09x10 <sup>-5</sup>	None	No	0.775	1.000	0.734	
<i>TNF</i>	NSCLC	rs1800629	A/G	6	1052/1767	Allelic	1.67(1.01-2.76)	0.044	89	0	BCC	Weak	829	B	C	First study	1.82(0.91-3.65)	0.091	None	No	0.432	2.009	0.452	
<i>TP63</i>	NSCLC	rs10937405	T/C	3	3587/8484	Allelic	0.87(0.82-0.92)	9.91x10 <sup>-7</sup>	0	0.595	AAB	Moderate	10101	A	B	Missing information	NA		None	No	0.402	1.000	1.000	
<i>XPC</i>	NSCLC	PAT+/-	Ins/non-ins	3	9671/1340	Recessive	1.46(1.17-1.81)	0.001	0	0.483	BAA	Moderate	383	B	A		1.36(1.05-1.76)	0.020	None	No	0.888	0.591	1.000	
<i>XRCC1</i>	NSCLC	rs2256507	A/G	3	431/779	Recessive	1.68(1.03-2.74)	0.038	8	0.338	CAB	Weak	80	C	A	Missing information	NA		None	No	0.281	0.499	1.000	
<i>XRCC1</i>	NSCLC	rs1001581	T/C	4	574/994	Allelic	1.27(1.04-1.56)	0.018	40	0.172	ABC	Weak	1134	A	B	First study	1.28(0.87-1.89)	0.218	None	No	0.187	0.592	0.734	
<i>XRCC1</i>	NSCLC	rs3213245	C/T	3	1744/2178	Dominant	1.50(1.29-1.75)	1.89x10 <sup>-7</sup>	0	0.683	BAA	Moderate	847	B	A		1.53(1.26-1.84)	1.14x10 <sup>-5</sup>	None	No	0.228	0.575	0.296	
<i>BIRC5</i>	AD	rs9904341	C/G	3	312/818	Allelic	1.70(1.22-2.37)	0.002	57	0.097	ACA	Weak	1142	A	C	A		2.03(1.46-2.83)	2.33x10 <sup>-5</sup>	None	No	0.189	0.562	0.296
<i>CHRNA5</i>	AD	rs16969968	A/G	4	1507/2834	Allelic	1.37(1.14-1.64)	0.001	33	0.214	ABA	Moderate	1867	A	B	A		1.32(1.16-1.51)	3.06x10 <sup>-5</sup>	None	No	0.861	1.000	0.734
<i>CYP2E1</i>	AD	rs6413432	A/T	6	500/1809	Allelic	0.79(0.66-0.95)	0.011	0	0.664	AAA	Strong	1040	A	A		0.80(0.67-0.97)	0.019	NO	No	0.882	1.000	0.707	
<i>ERCC2</i>	AD	rs13181	C/A	4	664/1230	Dominant	1.35(1.06-1.70)	0.013	0	0.635	BAA	Moderate	607	B	A		1.39(1.08-1.80)	0.010	None	No	0.489	1.000	0.734	
<i>GSTM1</i>	AD	Present/Null	NA	42	4199/12206	Null vs present	1.17(1.05-1.31)	0.005	45	0.001	ABC	Weak	8165	A	B	Small study, excess of significant studies	1.14(1.03-1.26)	0.011	None	No	0.075	0.039	0.146	
<i>IL17A</i>	AD	rs2275913	A/G	3	469/998	Recessive	1.84(1.11-3.06)	0.018	36	0.211	BBB	Moderate	132	B	B	Missing information	2.19(1.47-3.26)	1.21x10 <sup>-4</sup>	NA	No	0.570	0.567	1.000	
<i>MDM2</i>	AD	rs2279744	G/T	6	1714/4083	Recessive	1.28(1.04-1.56)	0.018	46	0.098	ABA	Moderate	1296	A	B	A		1.34(1.06-1.70)	0.015	None	No	0.792	0.668	0.707
<i>MIR146A</i>	AD	rs2910164	C/G	3	442/965	Allelic	1.26(1.04-1.51)	0.018	15	0.309	AAC	Weak	1311	A	A	First study	1.33(0.89-1.99)	0.161	None	No	0.202	1.000	0.296	
<i>OGG1</i>	AD	rs1052133	G/C	12	3603/6677	Recessive	1.25(1.10-1.43)	0.001	20	0.246	AAA	Strong	2238	A	A		1.25(1.09-1.44)	0.002	None	No	0.777	0.263	0.945	
<i>SOD2</i>	AD	rs4880	T/C	4	1219/2761	Allelic	1.20(1.08-1.32)	3.80x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.405	AAC	Weak	4235	A	A	First study	1.28(0.98-1.68)	0.075	NO	No	0.104	0.150	0.308	
<i>TERT</i>	AD	rs2736098	A/G	4	1214/2490	Allelic	1.40(1.26-1.54)	4.97x10 <sup>-11</sup>	0	0.891	AAA	Strong	2771	A	A		1.39(1.24-1.55)	2.68x10 <sup>-8</sup>	None	No	0.533	1.000	0.308	
<i>TP53</i>	AD	rs1042522	C/G	22	3504/8822	Recessive	1.20(1.05-1.38)	0.008	16	0.245	AAA	Strong	1835	A	A		1.20(1.04-1.39)	0.015	NO	No	0.210	1.000	0.143	
<i>TP63</i>	AD	rs10937405	T/C	3	1158/8484	Allelic	0.82(0.75-0.90)	2.91x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.898	AAB	Moderate	8115	A	B	Missing information	NA		None	No	0.168	1.000	0.296	
<i>XPC</i>	AD	PAT+/-	Ins/non-ins	3	398/1340	Allelic	1.21(1.03-1.42)	0.02	0	0.442	AAC	Weak	1391	A	A	First study	1.18(0.94-1.47)	0.149	None	No	0.999	0.575	1.000	
<i>XRCC1</i>	AD	rs3213245	C/T	3	860/2178	Dominant	1.55(1.29-1.87)	4.72x10 <sup>-6</sup>	0	0.758	BAA	Moderate	630	B	A		1.58(1.25-2.00)	1.25x10 <sup>-4</sup>	None	No	0.192	0.557	0.296	
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCC	rs4646903	C/T	17	1021/3959	Allelic	1.45(1.26-1.67)	3.77x10 <sup>-7</sup>	21	0.215	AAA	Strong	2102	A	A		1.42(1.22-1.65)	6.56x10 <sup>-6</sup>	NO	No	0.571	0.415	0.232	
<i>CYP1A1</i>	SCC	rs1048943	G/A	16	1572/3981	Allelic	1.24(1.04-1.49)	0.02	58	0.002	ACC	Weak	2328	A	C	Small study	1.23(1.01-1.49)	0.038						

Supplementary Table S7. Subgroup meta-analyses stratified by smoking status for variants with sufficient data under different genetic models (Continued on next page)

Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Comparison <sup>a</sup>	Results of meta-analysis using allelic model					Results of meta-analysis using dominant model					Results of meta-analysis using recessive model								
				Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	
APEX1	Smokers	rs1760944(c.-468T>G,-141T>G)	A vs C	3	655/647	1.37(1.11-1.69)	0.003	43	0.174													
APEX1	Smokers	rs11304093(p.Asp148Glu.c.444T>G)	G vs T	7	1604/1983	0.97(0.86-1.10)	0.678	39	0.133													
CCND1	Smokers	rs9344(rs603965.p.Pro241Pro.c.870G>A)	A vs G	4	1250/1709	1.14(0.86-1.53)	0.368	82	0.001	4	1250/1709	1.17(0.74-1.86)	0.511	78	0.004	4	1250/1709	1.21(0.78-1.86)	0.393	81	0.002	
CHRNA5	Smokers	rs16969968(p.Asp398Asn.c.1192G>A)	A vs G	4	2828/3738	1.30(1.20-1.42)	2.77x10 <sup>-10</sup>	0	0.626	4	2828/3738	1.42(1.26-1.59)	4.52x10 <sup>-9</sup>	0	0.611	4	2828/3738	1.43(1.21-1.69)	2.08x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.842	
CYP1A1	Smokers	rs4646903(m1.Msp1.T3801C)	C vs T	7	1034/1087	1.30(1.02-1.64)	0.033	46	0.088	21	3225/3067	1.38(1.14-1.67)	0.001	58	0.000	9	1154/1218	1.57(1.03-2.38)	0.034	18	0.285	
CYP1A1	Smokers	rs1048943(*2C.m2.p.Ile462Val.c.1384A>G)	G vs A	8	1166/1586	1.25(0.97-1.62)	0.081	62	0.010	14	1888/2413	1.42(1.04-1.93)	0.028	78	0.000	8	1166/1586	1.51(0.75-3.03)	0.251	45	0.077	
CYP1A2	Smokers	rs2069526(-739T>G)	G vs T	3	412/401	1.89(0.96-3.71)	0.065	46	0.155	4	534/435	1.40(0.47-4.16)	0.547	85	0.000							
CYP1A2	Smokers	rs2069514(CYP1A2*1C,-3860G>A)	A vs G	4	534/435	1.40(0.47-4.16)	0.547	85	0.000	3	507/544	0.90(0.42-1.94)	0.783	83	0.003	3	553/555	0.80(0.37-1.73)	0.573	75	0.018	
CYP1A2	Smokers	rs762551(CYP1A2*1F.c.A-164C)	C vs A	3	507/544	0.90(0.42-1.94)	0.783	83	0.003	3	542/528	1.86(0.94-3.68)	0.075	81	0.005							
CYP1B1	Smokers	rs10012(p.Arg48Gly.c.142C>G)	G vs C	3	495/491	1.48(0.72-3.04)	0.286	83	0.003	3	447/449	0.70(0.51-0.95)	0.024	0	0.481							
CYP1B1	Smokers	rs1056827(p.Ala119Ser.c.355G>T.m2)	T vs G	3	622/684	1.28(1.01-1.62)	0.045	0	0.616	3	1527/1138	0.58(0.34-0.98)	0.043	66	0.055							
CYP1B1	Smokers	rs1800440(p.Asn453Ser.Ex3+315A>G)	G vs A	3	1527/1138	0.57(0.33-1.00)	0.048	73	0.025	3	1449/1022	0.80(0.54-1.20)	0.281	70	0.019	3	1339/848	0.44(0.28-0.71)	0.001	0	0.768	
CYP1B1	Smokers	rs1056836(CYP1B1*3.p.Leu432Val.c.1294C>G)	G vs C	5	622/684	1.28(1.01-1.62)	0.045	0	0.616	3	637/858	1.22(0.87-1.69)	0.249	24	0.266							
CYP2A6	Smokers	rs5031016(p.Ile471Thr.c1412T>C.wt/*7)	C vs T	3	1339/848	0.71(0.59-0.85)	2.30x10 <sup>-4</sup>	13	0.319	4	595/639	1.07(0.67-1.70)	0.788	24	0.267							
CYP2A6	Smokers	non*4/*4*1/*4.a.deletion.of.the.CYP2A6.gene)	*4 vs non*4	3	1339/848	0.71(0.59-0.85)	2.30x10 <sup>-4</sup>	13	0.319	3	637/858	1.22(0.87-1.69)	0.249	24	0.266							
CYP2C9	Smokers	rs1799853(p.Arg144Cys.c.430C>T)	T vs C	3	381/3867	(g.3739G>C.c.-1293G>C)				3	595/639	1.07(0.67-1.70)	0.788	24	0.267							
CYP2E1	Smokers	rs6413432(c.967+1143T>A.7632T>A)	A vs T	3	796/971	0.75(0.63-0.90)	0.002	2	0.360	6	960/944	0.57(0.37-0.87)	0.010	55	0.047							
CYP2E1	Smokers	rs2031920(RsaI.c1>c2.-1053C>T)	T vs C	3	1064/1220	0.76(0.65-0.90)	0.001	0	0.727	10	1880/1949	0.76(0.63-0.91)	0.003	15	0.304							
EPHX1	Smokers	rs1051740(p.Tyr113His.c.337T>C)	C vs T	5	840/1270	0.87(0.57-1.33)	0.526	88	0.000	6	885/1315	0.98(0.56-1.75)	0.956	88	0.000	6	1074/1364	0.99(0.60-1.63)	0.971	66	0.011	
EPHX1	Smokers	rs2234922(p.His139Arg.c.416A>G)	G vs A	5	817/1230	1.26(0.89-1.78)	0.200	76	0.002	6	862/1275	1.34(0.87-2.05)	0.182	77	0.001	5	909/845	1.42(1.02-1.97)	0.039	0	0.535	
ERCC1	Smokers	rs2298881(262G>T.C>A)	T vs G	3	1701/2361	1.01(0.92-1.12)	0.801	0	0.479	3	1600/2132	0.98(0.74-1.30)	0.878	65	0.059							
ERCC1	Smokers	rs3212986(8092C>A.14443C>A)	A vs C	3	1701/2361	1.01(0.92-1.12)	0.801	0	0.479	3	1701/2361	1.03(0.91-1.17)	0.614	0	0.844	3	1701/2361	1.00(0.70-1.43)	0.982	46	0.155	
ERCC1	Smokers	rs3212961(IVS5+33C>A.1767T>C>A)	A vs C	3	1125/1074	0.93(0.81-1.07)	0.305	0	0.658	3	1190/1067	0.93(0.77-1.13)	0.478	0	0.465							
ERCC1	Smokers	rs11615(rs3177700.p.Asn118Asn.c.354T>C)	C vs T	5	2011/2486	0.84(0.69-1.04)	0.112	76	0.003	4	1861/2316	0.77(0.47-1.25)	0.290	80	0.002	4	1861/2316	0.77(0.58-1.03)	0.083	68	0.024	
ERCC2	Smokers	rs1799793(p.Asp312Asn.c.981G>A)	A vs G	5	1877/2526	0.98(0.88-1.10)	0.712	24	0.261	6	1973/2609	0.91(0.79-1.05)	0.178	16	0.314	5	1877/2526	1.10(0.91-1.32)	0.323	0	0.577	
ERCC2	Smokers	rs13181(p.Lys751Gln.c.2251A>C)	C vs A	5	1629/2452	1.07(0.93-1.24)	0.341	49	0.101	5	1576/2363	1.03(0.85-1.25)	0.772	39	0.159	5	1551/2341	1.12(0.93-1.34)	0.232	0	0.491	
ERCC4	Smokers	rs1800067(Arg415Gln)	A vs G	3	1110/1807	1.09(0.89-1.34)	0.404	0	0.650													
ERCC5	Smokers	rs17655(p.Asp104His.c.3310G>C)	C vs G	3	1092/1743	0.98(0.77-1.26)	0.886	57	0.096													
EXO1	Smokers	rs1047840(p.Glu589Lys.c.1765G>A)	A vs G	3	884/840	1.23(0.80-1.90)	0.342	79	0.008													
GSTM1	Smokers	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	Null vs present	45	9276/9005	1.20(1.09-1.32)	2.16x10 <sup>-4</sup>	51	0.000	3	645/624	0.93(0.66-1.31)	0.686	41	0.183							
GSTM3	Smokers	rs1799735(c.468>21delAGG.3bp.deletion.*A/*B)	Del vs non-del	3	924/1026	1.63(1.28-2.08)	9.17x10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.459	2	1519/4713	1.22(1.07-1.38)	0.003	46	0.014	8	2830/2178	1.37(1.07-1.77)	0.014	23	0.250	
GSTP1	Smokers	rs1138272(p.Ala114Val.c.341C>T)	T vs C	3	8	2830/2178	1.29(1.09-1.53)	0.003	59	0.017	20	1519/4713	1.22(1.07-1.38)	0.003	46	0.014						
GSTP1	Smokers	rs16995(p.Ile105Val.c.313A>G)	G vs A	8	2830/2178	1.29(1.09-1.53)	0.003	59	0.017	3	2180/1934	1.12(0.99-1.27)	0.086	0	0.408							
GSTT1	Smokers	Present/Null(Large gene deletion)	Null vs present	27	7032/6386	1.08(0.95-1.22)	0.263	41	0.014	3	2471/2002	0.93(0.82-1.06)	0.295	0	0.462							
IL1B	Smokers	rs1143627(g.4970C>T,-31T>C)	C vs T	3	2180/1934	1.12(0.99-1.27)	0.086	0	0.408													
IL6	Smokers	rs1800795(G-174C)	C vs G	3	2471/2002	0.93(0.82-1.06)	0.295	0	0.462													
IL8	Smokers	rs4073(T-251A)	T vs A	3	2471/2002	0.93(0.82-1.06)	0.295	0	0.462													
LIG1	Smokers	rs20580(p.Ala170Ala.c.417C>A)	A vs C	3	1367/2175	1.06(0.96-1.18)	0.256	6	0.364	3	1225/2004	1.11(0.94-1.31)	0.228	0	0.516	3	1225/2004	1.15(0.98-1.37)	0.095	0	0.898	
MDM2	Smokers	rs2279744(SNP309.c.14+309T>G)	G vs T	4	2941/4189	1.00(0.80-1.28)	0.932	90	0.000	4	2941/4189	0.96(0.71-1.31)	0.790	88	0.000	4	2941/4189	1.12(0.83-1.51)	0.466	78	0.004	
MMP1	Smokers	rs1799750(-16071G/G.insG)	2G vs 1G	3	2400/1389	1.32(0.85-2.04)	0.211	84	0.002													
MPO	Smokers	rs2333227(G-463A)	A vs G	9	2987/2720	0.99(0.86-1.14)	0.893	50	0.045	9	2987/2720	1.00(0.87-1.13)	0.946	21	0.254	10	3190/2887	1.06(0.68-1.65)	0.814	70	0.001	
MTHFR	Smokers	rs1801131(p.Ala429Glu.c.1286A>C.A1298C)	C vs A	3	1245/1383	1.14(1.01-1.27)	0.031	0	0.871	3	1245/1383	1.16(0.99-1.35)	0.060	0	0.999	4	1423/1587	1.18(0.94-1.48)	0.164	0	0.559	
MTHFR	Smokers	rs1801133(p.Ala222Val.Ex4+79C>T)	T vs C	4	1531/1947	0.93(0.79-1.08)	0.324	40	0.171	4	1531/1947	0.87(0.74-1.03)	0.100	23	0.274	5	1840/2117	1.27(0.82-1.97)	0.287	70	0.011	
NAT2	Smokers	rs1799930(p.Arg197Gln.590G>A.NAT2*6B)	A vs G	3	428/476	0.81(0.66-0.99)	0.044	0	0.453	4	662/570	0.91(0.63-1.32)	0.621	59	0.064	3	428/476	0.82(0.52-1.30)	0.402	0	0.402	
NAT2	Smokers	Rapid/slow (Acetylation Phenotype)	Slow vs rapid	7	1290/1379	1.08(0.80-1.44)	0.623	55	0.037													
NBN	Smokers	rs1805794(p.Gln185Glu.Ex5-32C>G.605C>G)	G vs C	3	1805/666	1.10(0.90-1.36)	0.355	58	0.049	13	3231/3021	1.04(0.90-1.20)	0.586	33	0.118	3	1226/1220	0.83(0.71-0.98)	0.030	0	0.554	
NQO1	Smokers	rs1800566(p.Pro187Ser.c.648C>T.609C>T.*2)	T vs C	5	1687/1677	1.10(0.90-1.36)	0.355	58	0.049	13	4829/3926	0.99(0.83-1.17)	0.901	55	0.009	5	1687/1677	1.17(0.72-1.93)	0.527	42	0.140	
OGG1	Smokers	rs102133(p.Ser326Cys.c.977C>G.8055C>G)	G vs C	13	4847/3994	0.99(0.86-1.15)	0.900	73	0.000	13	265/202	1.30(0.65-2.58)	0.458	63	0.069	12	4704/3834	1.06(0.82-1.37)	0.668	67	0.000	
PADPRP	Smokers	A/B(a 193-bp deletion)	Del vs non-del	4	2629/2077	1.06(0.65-1.70)	0.826	90	0.000	4	1444/1188	1.58(1.00-2.48)	0.049	70</								



Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Comparison <sup>a</sup>	Results of meta-analysis using allelic model						Results of meta-analysis using dominant model						Results of meta-analysis using recessive model					
				Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>	Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI)	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	P <sub>0</sub> <sup>b</sup>
<i>IL1B</i>	Non-smokers	rs1143627(g.4970C>T,-31T>C)	C vs T	3	509/1568	1.20(0.91-1.59)	0.204	70	0.036	4	523/1827	1.27(0.93-1.75)	0.139	43	0.151	3	509/1568	1.15(0.82-1.62)	0.423	34	0.218
<i>IL6</i>	Non-smokers	rs1800796(-572C>G,634C>G)	G vs C	5	1234/2035	0.88(0.66-1.16)	0.360	75	0.003	3	1234/2035	0.88(0.62-1.26)	0.499	78	0.001	5	1234/2035	0.78(0.56-1.09)	0.145	0	0.722
<i>MDM2</i>	Non-smokers	rs2279744(SNP309,c.14+309T>G)	G vs T	6	1642/3277	1.13(0.94-1.35)	0.188	66	0.012	6	1642/3277	1.22(0.95-1.58)	0.124	61	0.025	6	1642/3277	1.17(0.92-1.48)	0.200	39	0.146
<i>MIR146A</i>	Non-smokers	rs2910164(C>G)	C vs G												3	538/717	1.29(0.99-1.67)	0.062	3	0.355	
<i>MIR196A2</i>	Non-smokers	rs11614913(T>C)	C vs T	3	369/529	0.79(0.45-1.39)	0.407	84	0.002	3	369/529	1.28(0.93-1.75)	0.129	0	0.903	3	369/529	0.54(0.21-1.41)	0.208	85	0.001
<i>MMP1</i>	Non-smokers	rs1799750(-16071G/2G,insG)	2G vs 1G												3	304/665	0.95(0.70-1.28)	0.718	0	0.774	
<i>MPO</i>	Non-smokers	rs2333227(G-463A)	A vs G	4	384/848	0.84(0.63-1.12)	0.233	0	0.986	4	384/848	0.83(0.61-1.15)	0.265	0	0.980	5	495/1001	1.14(0.70-1.86)	0.591	0	0.868
<i>MTHFR</i>	Non-smokers	rs1801131(p.Ala429Glu,c.1286A>C,A1298C)	C vs A												3	339/407	1.46(0.83-2.57)	0.187	0	0.594	
<i>MTHFR</i>	Non-smokers	rs1801133(p.Ala222Val,Ex4+79C>T)	T vs C	3	251/353	1.05(0.81-1.35)	0.730	0	0.843	3	251/353	1.08(0.77-1.50)	0.664	0	0.635	4	404/562	1.19(0.79-1.81)	0.412	0	0.884
<i>NAT2</i>	Non-smokers	Rapid/slow (Acetylation Phenotype)	Slow vs rapid	7	673/1108	1.12(0.72-1.74)	0.603	70	0.003												
<i>NQO1</i>	Non-smokers	rs1800566(p.Pro187Ser,c.648C>T,609C>T,*2)	T vs C	3	243/563	1.05(0.63-1.76)	0.850	67	0.049	9	461/1293	1.08(0.84-1.39)	0.562	4	0.399	3	243/563	1.03(0.35-3.01)	0.957	33	0.224
<i>OGG1</i>	Non-smokers	rs1052133(p.Ser326Cys,c.977C>G,8055C>G)	G vs C	10	1966/2674	1.14(1.04-1.24)	0.007	0	0.785	11	2068/2809	1.19(1.02-1.39)	0.025	0	0.867	10	1966/2674	1.13(0.93-1.38)	0.232	35	0.129
<i>PADPRP</i>	Non-smokers	A/B(a 193-bp deletion)	Del vs non-del							3	23/90	0.80(0.23-2.72)	0.717	0	0.517						
<i>PTGS2</i>	Non-smokers	rs5275(c.*427T>C,8473T>C)	C vs T	4	604/1846	1.01(0.68-1.49)	0.969	65	0.037												
<i>SOD2</i>	Non-smokers	rs4880(rs1799725,Ala16Val)	T vs C												4	271/765	1.00(0.60-1.68)	0.993	48	0.125	
<i>SULT1A1</i>	Non-smokers	rs9282861(p.Arg213His,c.638G>A,*1/*2)	A vs G	4	370/675	1.35(1.00-1.83)	0.051	0	0.609												
<i>TP53</i>	Non-smokers	rs1042522(p.Pro72Arg,c.215C>G)	C vs G	9	1526/2415	0.93(0.73-1.18)	0.538	75	0.000	11	1717/2780	0.87(0.66-1.14)	0.316	63	0.002	11	1882/2887	1.28(1.01-1.61)	0.040	39	0.088
<i>XRCC1</i>	Non-smokers	rs25489(p.Arg280His,c.839G>A,Ex9+16G>A)	A vs G	5	666/1266	0.68(0.34-1.37)	0.279	81	0.000												
<i>XRCC1</i>	Non-smokers	rs1799782(p.Arg194Trp,c.580C>T,Ex6-22C>T)	T vs C	4	552/1313	1.16(0.92-1.48)	0.218	0	0.624							3	395/468	1.39(0.48-4.05)	0.547	42	0.180
<i>XRCC1</i>	Non-smokers	rs25487(p.Gln399Arg,c.1196A>G)	A vs G	10	956/1923	1.04(0.74-1.46)	0.839	69	0.001	7	823/1644	1.04(0.63-1.70)	0.892	57	0.031						
<i>XRCC1</i>	Non-smokers	rs3213245(-77T>C)	C vs T	3	977/1310	1.43(1.17-1.75)	4.56x10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.530												
<i>XRCC3</i>	Non-smokers	rs861539(p.Thr241Met,c.722C>T)	T vs C	3	180/281	0.87(0.42-1.82)	0.713	48	0.145												

Del=deletion.

<sup>a</sup> Allelic contrast or phenotype trait for common variants; genetic comparison for rare variants or variants only with genotype group data

<sup>b</sup> P-value of heterogeneity between studies

**Supplementary Table S8. Credibility assessment for variants with significant associations with lung cancer risk in subgroup meta-analyses by smoking status**

Genes	Sub-group	Variants	Alleles <sup>a</sup>	Number evaluated		Lung cancer risk meta-analysis					Venice criteria grades <sup>d</sup>	Credibility of evidence <sup>e</sup>	Amount of evidence <sup>f</sup>		Protection from bias <sup>g</sup>		Sensitivity analysis <sup>h</sup>			Low OR <sup>i</sup>	Modified $P^k$	Excess $P^l$	Begg's $P^{m,n}$	
				Studies	Cases/Controls	Genetic models	OR(95% CI) <sup>b</sup>	P value	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	$P_{Q^2}$			Numbers	Grade	Grade	Reasons for bias	Reason for bias exemption	Initial study influence						Deviation from HWE
																		OR(95%CI)	P value					
<i>APEX1</i>	Smokers	rs1760944	A/C	3	655/647	Allelic	1.37(1.11-1.69)	0.003	43	0.174	ABA	Moderate	1391	A	B	A		1.50(1.25-1.80)	9.90×10 <sup>-6</sup>	None	No	0.215	1.000	1.000
<i>CHRNA5</i>	Smokers	rs16969968	A/G	4	2828/3738	Allelic	1.30(1.20-1.42)	2.77×10 <sup>-10</sup>	0	0.626	AAAC	Weak	3925	A	A	C	Small study	1.29(1.19-1.41)	1.27×10 <sup>-9</sup>	None	No	0.093	0.317	0.174
<i>CYP11A1</i>	Smokers	rs4646903	C/T	7	1034/1087	Allelic	1.30(1.02-1.64)	0.033	46	0.088	BBA	Moderate	749	B	B	A		1.35(1.01-1.81)	0.043	NO	No	0.145	0.355	0.230
<i>CYP11A1</i>	Smokers	rs1048943	G/A	14	1888/2413	Dominant	1.42(1.04-1.93)	0.028	78	0	ACC	Weak	1493	A	C	C	First study,HWE,small study, excess of significant studies	1.38(1.00-1.92)	0.052	Yes	No	0.060	0.098	0.189
<i>CYP11B1</i>	Smokers	rs1800440	G/A	3	447/449	Dominant	0.70(0.51-0.95)	0.024	0	0.481	BAC	Weak	252	B	A	C	First study	0.82(0.53-1.28)	0.388	None	No	0.364	0.523	1.000
<i>CYP11B1</i>	Smokers	rs1056836	G/C	5	622/684	Dominant	1.28(1.01-1.62)	0.045	0	0.616	BAC	Weak	773	B	A	C	First study	1.28(0.99-1.66)	0.064	NO	No	0.881	1.000	0.806
<i>CYP2A6</i>	Smokers	rs5031016	C/T	3	1527/1138	Allelic	0.57(0.33-1.00)	0.048	73	0.025	BCC	Weak	465	B	C	C	First study	0.46(0.17-1.24)	0.125	NO	No	0.587	1.000	0.296
<i>CYP2A6</i>	Smokers	non*4/*4	*4/non*4	3	1339/848	Allelic	0.71(0.59-0.85)	2.30×10 <sup>-4</sup>	13	0.319	BAA	Moderate	809	B	A	A		0.59(0.43-0.80)	0.001	NO	No	0.150	0.253	1.000
<i>CYP2E1</i>	Smokers	rs6413432	A/T	3	796/791	Allelic	0.75(0.63-0.90)	0.002	2	0.36	BAA	Moderate	691	B	A	A		0.74(0.62-0.88)	0.001	None	No	0.433	1.000	0.296
<i>CYP2E1</i>	Smokers	rs2031920	T/C	3	1064/1220	Allelic	0.76(0.65-0.90)	0.001	0	0.727	BAA	Moderate	770	B	A	A		0.78(0.66-0.92)	0.003	None	No	0.638	1.000	0.296
<i>EPHX1</i>	Smokers	rs2234922	G/A	5	909/845	Recessive	1.42(1.02-1.97)	0.039	0	0.535	BAC	Weak	195	B	A	C	First study	1.41(0.99-1.99)	0.055	NO	No	0.835	0.455	0.806
<i>GSTM1</i>	Smokers	Present/Null	NA	45	9276/9005	Null vs present	1.20(1.09-1.32)	2.16×10 <sup>-4</sup>	51	0	ACC	Weak	9092	A	C	C	Small study	1.19(1.08-1.31)	4.79×10 <sup>-4</sup>	None	No	0.070	0.354	0.304
<i>GSTP1</i>	Smokers	rs1138272	T/C	3	924/1026	Dominant	1.63(1.28-2.08)	9.17×10 <sup>-5</sup>	0	0.459	BAA	Moderate	315	B	A	A		1.64(1.01-2.68)	0.046	None	No	0.600	1.000	1.000
<i>GSTP1</i>	Smokers	rs1695	G/A	8	2830/2178	Allelic	1.29(1.09-1.53)	0.003	59	0.017	ACA	Weak	3118	A	C	A		1.25(1.05-1.50)	0.015	NO	No	0.298	0.474	0.536
<i>MTHFR</i>	Smokers	rs1801131	C/A	3	1245/1383	Allelic	1.14(1.01-1.27)	0.031	0	0.871	AAAC	Weak	1728	A	A	C	First study,low OR	1.09(0.89-1.34)	0.423	NO	Yes	0.773	0.519	1.000
<i>NAT2</i>	Smokers	rs1799930	A/G	3	428/476	Allelic	0.81(0.66-0.99)	0.044	0	0.453	BAC	Weak	514	B	A	C	Small study	0.76(0.61-0.96)	0.020	None	No	0.067	0.460	0.296
<i>NBN</i>	Smokers	rs1805794	G/C	3	1226/1220	Recessive	0.83(0.71-0.98)	0.03	0	0.554	BAA	Moderate	930	B	A	A		0.81(0.66-0.98)	0.030	None	No	0.240	0.519	0.296
<i>SOD2</i>	Smokers	rs4880	T/C	3	1444/1188	Allelic	1.25(1.06-1.48)	0.007	33	0.224	ABC	Weak	2650	A	B	C	First study	1.60(0.76-3.39)	0.215	NO	No	0.263	1.000	0.296
<i>TP53</i>	Smokers	rs1042522	C/G	9	2747/2426	Dominant	1.23(1.01-1.50)	0.035	57	0.017	ACC	Weak	2971	A	C	C	First study, excess of significant studies	1.21(0.98-1.49)	0.084	NO	No	0.884	0.016	0.677
<i>XRCC1</i>	Smokers	rs25489	A/G	3	724/762	Allelic	1.35(1.00-1.81)	0.048	0	0.589	BAC	Weak	192	B	A	C	First study,HWE,small study	1.50(0.99-2.27)	0.054	Yes	No	0.012	1.000	0.296
<i>XRCC1</i>	Smokers	rs1799782	T/C	6	1597/1987	Allelic	0.73(0.55-0.97)	0.028	40	0.137	BBC	Weak	445	B	B	C	First study,HWE	0.75(0.54-1.04)	0.087	Yes	No	0.410	0.321	1.000
<i>XRCC1</i>	Smokers	rs25487	A/G	12	4087/3678	Recessive	0.79(0.63-1.00)	0.05	41	0.068	BBC	Weak	885	B	B	C	First study,HWE	0.80(0.61-1.04)	0.100	Yes	No	0.345	1.000	0.451
<i>ATM</i>	Non-smokers	rs189037	A/G	3	1323/1550	Allelic	1.18(1.03-1.36)	0.018	42	0.178	ABC	Weak	2565	A	B	C	First study,small study	1.15(0.93-1.43)	0.203	None	No	0.077	0.576	1.000
<i>CYP11A1</i>	Non-smokers	rs1048943	G/A	4	446/561	Recessive	1.93(1.03-3.63)	0.042	32	0.218	CBC	Weak	68	C	B	C	First study	2.08(0.94-4.60)	0.069	None	No	0.684	0.199	0.734
<i>CYP2E1</i>	Non-smokers	rs6413432	A/T	5	315/560	Dominant	0.72(0.54-0.97)	0.028	0	0.959	BAA	Moderate	378	B	A	A		0.72(0.53-0.96)	0.026	NO	No	0.837	0.489	0.806
<i>CYP2E1</i>	Non-smokers	rs2031920	T/C	3	304/695	Allelic	0.70(0.54-0.90)	0.005	0	0.863	BAA	Moderate	375	B	A	A		0.70(0.54-0.90)	0.005	None	No	0.145	1.000	1.000
<i>ERCC1</i>	Non-smokers	rs11615	C/T	3	731/958	Allelic	0.85(0.72-0.99)	0.042	0	0.449	AAA	Strong	2550	A	A	A		0.78(0.62-0.98)	0.031	None	No	0.898	0.483	1.000
<i>ERCC2</i>	Non-smokers	rs13181	C/A	3	478/469	Dominant	1.88(1.36-2.58)	1.11×10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.55	BAA	Moderate	249	B	A	A		1.91(1.25-2.92)	0.003	None	No	0.295	0.251	0.296
<i>GSTM1</i>	Non-smokers	Present/Null	NA	32	1924/4718	Null vs present	1.37(1.16-1.61)	1.60×10 <sup>-4</sup>	41	0.009	ABA	Moderate	3345	A	B	A		1.40(1.18-1.65)	1.18×10 <sup>-4</sup>	None	No	0.408	0.116	0.212
<i>OGG1</i>	Non-smokers	rs1052133	G/C	10	1966/2674	Allelic	1.14(1.04-1.24)	0.007	0	0.785	AAAC	Weak	4670	A	A	C	Low OR,publication bias	1.15(1.04-1.26)	0.004	NO	Yes	0.169	1.000	0.074
<i>TP53</i>	Non-smokers	rs1042522	C/G	11	1882/2887	Recessive	1.28(1.01-1.61)	0.04	39	0.088	ABA	Moderate	1006	A	B	A		1.29(1.00-1.65)	0.049	NO	No	0.355	0.215	0.586
<i>XRCC1</i>	Non-smokers	rs213245	C/T	3	977/1310	Dominant	1.43(1.17-1.75)	4.56×10 <sup>-4</sup>	0	0.53	BAA	Moderate	506	B	A	A		1.39(1.09-1.77)	0.009	None	No	0.107	0.618	0.296

NA=Not Applicable.  
<sup>a</sup>Minor alleles/major alleles (per Caucasian)  
<sup>b</sup>Summary ORs were calculated based on the DerSimonian-Lairs random-effects model  
<sup>c</sup>P-value of heterogeneity between studies  
<sup>d</sup>Venice criteria grades contained assessments of three aspects: the amount of evidence, extent of replication, and protection from bias, and each assessment was assigned three levels (A, B, or C).  
<sup>e</sup>Credibility of evidence was evaluated based on Venice criteria with three aspects (the amount of evidence, extent of replication, and protection from bias), and was categorized as strong (all three aspect grades were A), moderate (any grade was B, but not C) or weak (any grade was C).  
<sup>f</sup>Amount of evidence, depending on total sample size of the smallest genetic group among cases and controls in each meta-analysis, was graded as A (sample size>1000), B (sample size between 100 and 1000), or C (sample size<100).  
<sup>g</sup>Extent of replication, depending on between-study heterogeneity, was graded as A (I<sup>2</sup><25%), B (I<sup>2</sup> between 25% and 50%), or C (I<sup>2</sup>>50%)  
<sup>h</sup>Protection from bias, considering various potential sources of bias in meta-analysis, was graded as A when there was no demonstrable bias and bias was unlikely invalidate the association, was graded as B when there was insufficient information for identifying evidence (i.e. missing information for evaluating Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium (HWE) among controls in an individual study) although there was no obvious bias, and C when the bias was evident and/or was likely to explain the presence of association. For the C grade, it was assigned if a meta-analysis had any of the following potential sources of bias: (1) magnitude of the association was low; (2) sensitivity analysis altered the statistical significance; (3) potential small study effect; (4) possible existence of an excess of significant findings (the number of observed significant studies more than the number of expected significant studies); (5) potential publication bias.  
<sup>i</sup>Small study=Possible existence of potential small study effect (modified Egger's test, p<0.10); First study=Significance lost excluding the first published or first positive report (defined as the earliest study reported a significant association), or excluding studies with controls violating HWE; Excess of significant studies=Possible existence of an excess of significant findings (excess significance test, p<0.10); Low OR=Low magnitude of the association (i.e. 0.87<OR<1.15); Publication bias= Possible existence of potential publication bias (Begg's test, p<0.10).  
<sup>j</sup>A sensitivity analysis was performed to examine whether the significant summary ORs were robust after excluding the first published or first positive report (defined as the earliest study reported a significant association), or excluding studies with controls violating HWE. None=A meta-analysis didn't include studies with controls violating HWE or evaluated association for a variant with a phenotype change; NO=Without the influence from studies with controls violating HWE; Yes=Evidence of influence from studies with controls violating HWE.  
<sup>k</sup>Low OR (i.e. 0.87<OR<1.15; No=Association without a low OR; Yes=Association with a low OR)  
<sup>l</sup>P value for potential small study effect based on the modified Egger's test (P<0.10 is usually considered evidence for significant evidence of small study effect).  
<sup>m</sup>P value for possible existing an excess of significant findings based on the excess significance test. (P<0.10 is usually considered evidence for significant evidence of an excess of significant findings).  
<sup>n</sup>P value for potential publication bias of studies based on the Begg's test. (P<0.10 is usually considered evidence for significant evidence of publication bias).

**Supplementary Table S9. Credibility assessment for variants with non-significant associations with lung cancer risk in meta-analyses for all available data** (Continued on next page)

Gene	Variant	Ethnicity	Comparison*	Number evaluated		Lung cancer risk meta-analysis					Begg P	Evaluation of the evidence <sup>d</sup>			Grade of evidence <sup>e</sup>	Credibility of evidence <sup>f</sup>
				Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI) <sup>b</sup>	P value	Q	P <sub>o</sub> <sup>c</sup>	I <sup>2</sup> (%)		Power	Replication	Bias		
ERCC1	rs16979802(15310G>C)	Caucasian	C vs G	3	1311/2114	0.87(0.74-1.03)	0.102	0.87	0.647	0	1.000	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
ERCC1	rs2298881(262G>T,C>A)	All	T vs G	4	3049/3791	0.99(0.91-1.07)	0.723	3.50	0.320	14	0.308	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
ERCC1	rs735482(p.Lys261Thr.A>C)	All	C vs A	5	1682/2797	1.02(0.91-1.15)	0.709	4.34	0.362	8	0.462	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
POLL	rs3730668(-78G>T)	All	T vs G	3	672/823	0.94(0.80-1.09)	0.397	0.63	0.731	0	1.000	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
PPARG	rs1801282(p.Pro12Ala.c.36C>G)	All	G vs C	4	2476/3377	1.00(0.88-1.12)	0.956	0.82	0.844	0	0.734	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
PTGS2	rs20417(-765G>C)	All	C vs G	4	2355/2731	0.96(0.86-1.08)	0.505	1.84	0.606	0	1.000	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
TNF	rs1799724(-857C>T,-1036C>T)	All	C vs T	3	2080/2164	0.98(0.86-1.11)	0.727	1.80	0.406	0	1.000	A	A	A	AAA	Strong
ERCC2	rs1799793(p.Asp312Asn.c.981G>A)	All	A vs G	26	10209/12967	1.02(0.95-1.09)	0.637	43.81	0.011	43	0.628	A	B	A	ABA	Moderate
TYMS	28-bp tandem repeat	All	2R vs 3R	4	2052/2861	0.99(0.90-1.08)	0.742	1.79	0.618	0	1.000	A	A	B	AAB	Moderate
XPC	rs2228000(p.Ala499Val,Ex9-377C>T)	All	T vs C	6	2981/3537	1.05(0.97-1.14)	0.205	5.17	0.395	3	1.000	B	A	A	BAA	Moderate
XRC3	rs861539(p.Thr241Met.c.722C>T)	All	T vs C	18	6407/8356	1.04(0.95-1.13)	0.414	27.73	0.048	39	0.705	A	B	A	ABA	Moderate
ABC1	rs1045642(p.Ile1145Leu.c.3435T>C)	All	T vs C	4	1025/1080	1.30(0.79-2.16)	0.307	28.98	0.000	90	0.308	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
ACE	287-bp rsnpatt11D	All	Ins vs del	8	1730/8359	1.01(0.85-1.21)	0.885	19.95	0.006	65	0.536	A	C	C	ACC	Weak
AGER	rs1800625(-429T>C,Alu1)	Asian	C vs T	3	1656/1693	1.16(0.78-1.74)	0.468	20.99	0.000	91	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
AGER	rs2070600(p.Gly82Ser.c.244G>A)	All	A vs G	4	2104/2178	1.10(0.93-1.31)	0.270	7.15	0.067	58	0.089	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
AHR	rs2066853(Arg554Lys,Ex10-501G>A)	All	A vs G	5	1749/1925	0.96(0.84-1.10)	0.567	5.82	0.213	31	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
ALDH2	rs671(p.Glu487Lys,Ex10-501G>A)	All	A vs G	3	1555/2079	1.36(0.74-2.50)	0.322	29.62	0.000	93	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
APEX1	rs1048945(p.Gln51His.c.153G>C)	Caucasian	C vs G	3	745/816	0.93(0.67-1.31)	0.684	0.30	0.859	0	1.000	C	C	A	CAA	Weak
APEX1	rs2307486(p.Ile64Val.c.190A>G)	All	G vs A	4	2281/2505	0.82(0.63-1.06)	0.121	6.35	0.096	53	0.089	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
ATM	rs609429(IVS48+238C>G)	All	(GG+GC) vs CC	3	1490/1501	0.82(0.66-1.03)	0.086	3.02	0.221	34	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
ATM	rs664143(IVS34G+60A)	All	(GG+GA) vs AA	3	1465/1465	0.93(0.79-1.10)	0.392	1.61	0.447	0	0.296	C	A	C	CAC	Weak
AURKA	rs2273535(p.Phe311Ile.c.91T>A)	Caucasian	A vs T	3	2001/2069	0.96(0.86-1.06)	0.421	0.63	0.730	0	0.296	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
AURKA	rs1047972(p.Ile57Val.c.169A>G)	Caucasian	A vs G	3	2463/2283	0.96(0.86-1.07)	0.425	1.65	0.437	0	0.296	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
BRCA2	rs144848(p.Asn372His.c.1114A>C)	All	C vs A	4	1588/2513	1.00(0.82-1.21)	0.959	6.90	0.075	57	0.734	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
CASC8	rs1447295(C>A)	All	A vs C	3	1541/2057	1.00(0.88-1.14)	0.991	1.52	0.469	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
CASP5	rs523104(p.Leu318Val.c.748C>G)	All	C vs G	3	758/943	1.12(0.98-1.29)	0.105	1.18	0.554	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
CASP8	rs3834129(-6526Ndel.-CTTACT)	All	Del vs non-del	4	2737/2696	0.95(0.77-1.17)	0.631	16.45	0.001	82	0.308	C	B	A	CCA	Weak
CASP8	rs1045485(p.Asp302His.c.853G>C)	All	C vs G	4	1054/1259	1.20(0.97-1.49)	0.101	4.02	0.260	25	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
CCND1	rs678653(G>C)	All	C vs G	3	1323/1901	1.03(0.85-1.24)	0.773	5.03	0.081	60	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
CCND1	rs9344(rs603965.p.Pro241Pro.c.723G>A)	All	A vs G	11	6087/7315	1.02(0.92-1.12)	0.696	30.90	0.001	68	0.533	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
CDKN1A	rs1801270(p.Ser31Arg.c.93C>A,6829C>A)	All	A vs G	9	4039/4804	1.04(0.89-1.21)	0.663	16.82	0.032	52	0.029	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
CDKN2A	rs3731249(p.Ala148Thr.c.442G>A)	Caucasian	(AA+AG) vs GG	3	2875/2707	1.38(0.81-2.35)	0.230	4.56	0.102	56	0.296	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
CHRNA3	rs3743073(A>C)	All	G vs T	3	1391/1500	1.27(0.89-1.83)	0.191	23.05	0.000	91	0.296	A	C	C	ACC	Weak
COMT	rs4680(p.Val158Met.c.472G>A)	All	A vs G	5	1497/1958	1.09(0.84-1.43)	0.517	21.84	0.000	82	0.806	B	C	C	BCC	Weak
CRP	rs2308603(T>C)	All	C vs T	3	826/895	0.82(0.68-1.01)	0.056	2.79	0.248	28	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
CTLA4	rs3087243(p.G230G>A,CT60)	All	C vs A	3	1132/1220	0.99(0.86-1.14)	0.887	1.05	0.591	0	0.296	C	A	C	ACC	Weak
CTLA4	rs231775(p.Thr17Ala.c.49A>G)	All	G vs A	6	2828/2953	0.88(0.64-1.21)	0.445	63.12	0.000	92	0.707	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
CTLA4	rs5742909(p.G319C>T,-318C>T)	All	T vs C	4	1205/1349	0.68(0.30-1.56)	0.364	48.66	0.000	94	0.308	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
CXCL12	rs1801157(801G>A)	All	A vs G	3	489/815	1.29(0.76-2.18)	0.351	17.39	0.000	89	1.000	B	C	A	BCA	Weak
CYP17A1	rs743572(T-34C,Al1,A2)	All	A2 vs A1 (G vs A)	4	1245/1689	1.03(0.89-1.19)	0.701	4.80	0.187	38	0.308	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
CYP11A1	rs1799814(m4,Thr461Asn,C>A)	All	A vs C	5	1712/1967	1.22(0.57-2.62)	0.617	51.87	0.000	92	0.806	B	C	A	BCA	Weak
CYP11A1	rs1800031(m3,T5639C)	All	(CC+CT) vs TT	3	500/919	1.32(0.83-2.11)	0.248	0.63	0.730	0	0.296	C	A	B	CAB	Weak
CYP11A1	rs2606345(G>T,1561G>G)	Caucasian	G vs T	3	2770/3609	1.00(0.91-1.11)	0.937	3.05	0.217	35	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
CYP11A2	rs2069514(CYP11A2*1C,-3860G>A)	All	A vs G	5	925/1383	1.55(0.64-3.74)	0.327	32.99	0.000	88	0.221	A	C	A	ACA	Weak
CYP11A2	rs2069526(-739T>G)	All	G vs T	3	396/494	1.70(0.77-3.76)	0.189	11.15	0.004	82	1.000	A	C	A	ACA	Weak
CYP11A2	rs35694136(-2467delT)	All	Carriers vs non-carriers	4	811/1254	1.16(0.67-2.02)	0.594	11.94	0.008	75	0.734	A	C	C	ACC	Weak
CYP11B1	rs1056827(p.Leu119Ser.c.355G>T,m2)	All	T vs G	5	1501/2245	1.16(0.90-1.50)	0.253	18.67	0.001	79	1.000	C	A	C	CCA	Weak
CYP2A13	rs8192789(p.Arg257Cys,3375C>T)	All	(TT+TC) vs CC	3	1517/2231	0.81(0.57-1.15)	0.238	3.54	0.171	43	1.000	C	B	B	CCB	Weak
CYP2C9	rs1799853(p.Arg144Cys.c.430C>T)	All	(TT+TC) vs CC	4	756/1293	1.14(0.85-1.55)	0.381	4.57	0.206	34	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
CYP2D6	Phenotype (EM/HEM/PM)	All	PM vs EM	9	1627/1970	0.80(0.53-1.22)	0.296	9.90	0.272	19	0.348	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
CYP2D6	rs1065852(p.Pro34Ser,188C>T)	All	C vs T	3	581/636	0.86(0.57-1.30)	0.463	9.94	0.007	80	0.296	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
CYP2E1	rs3813867(p.G739G>C,-1293G>C)	All	C vs G	4	893/1029	0.94(0.56-1.56)	0.803	8.50	0.037	65	0.734	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
CYP3A4	rs2740574(-392A>G,*1A/*B)	All	G vs A	4	1283/956	1.20(0.73-1.97)	0.465	9.14	0.028	67	1.000	A	C	C	ACC	Weak
CYP3A5	rs776746(A6986G,CYP3A5*3,22892A>C)	All	A vs G	4	1166/929	0.65(0.36-1.16)	0.144	25.41	0.000	88	0.308	A	C	A	ACA	Weak
DRD2	rs1079597(G>A,Tag1)	All	A vs G	3	393/509	1.09(0.86-1.38)	0.499	1.53	0.465	0	0.296	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
DRD2	rs1800497(p.Glu714Lys,Ex11,Al1,C>T)	All	C vs T	3	451/607	1.05(0.85-1.29)	0.667	0.48	0.786	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
EPHX1	rs1051740(p.Tyr113His.c.327A>T)	All	C vs T	21	3461/7217	1.05(0.89-1.24)	0.564	106.98	0.000	81	0.057	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
ERCC1	rs3212948(C>G)	All	G vs C	5	2144/2544	1.04(0.89-1.22)	0.591	10.24	0.037	61	0.462	A	C	A	ACA	Weak
ERCC1	rs3212955(A>G)	All	G vs C	4	2271/2845	1.08(0.98-1.18)	0.109	2.42	0.490	0	0.734	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
ERCC1	rs3212961(IVS55+33C>A,17677C>A)	All	A vs C	6	2207/2311	0.94(0.86-1.03)	0.167	4.90	0.428	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
ERCC1	rs3212986(8092C>A,14443C>A)	All	A vs C	5	4079/4475	1.00(0.94-1.08)	0.931	1.63	0.804	0	0.806	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
ERCC2	rs1052555(Asp711Asp,G>A)	All	A vs G	3	511/751	1.09(0.85-1.40)	0.493	2.95	0.228	32	0.296	B	A	A	CBA	Weak
ERCC2	rs171140(A>C)	All	C vs A	3	511/751	1.04(0.87-1.26)	0.645	0.61	0.736	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
ERCC2	rs1799787(IVS19-70C>T,G>A)	All	T vs C	6	1792/2807	1.03(0.83-1.27)	0.824	10.74	0.057	54	1.000	A	C	A	ACA	Weak
ERCC4	rs1799801(p.Ser835Ser,Ex11-247T>C)	All	C vs T	3	1009/1758	1.02(0.88-1.17)	0.835	2.16	0.339	8	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
ERCC4	rs1800067(Arg145Gln)	Caucasian	A vs G	5	1521/2420	1.10(0.92-1.32)	0.286	1.19	0.880	0	0.806	C	A	A	CAA	Weak

Gene	Variant	Ethnicity	Comparison <sup>a</sup>	Number evaluated		Lung cancer risk meta-analysis					Begg P	Evaluation of the evidence <sup>d</sup>			Grade of evidence <sup>e</sup>	Credibility of evidence <sup>f</sup>
				Studies	Cases/Controls	OR(95% CI) <sup>b</sup>	P value	Q	I <sup>2</sup> (%)	Power		Replication	Bias			
<i>PADPRP</i>	A/B(a 193-bp deletion)	All	Del vs non-del	3	288/292	1.13(0.70-1.82)	0.617	6.42	0.040	69	0.296	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>PARP1</i>	rs1136410(p.Val762Ala,Ex17+8T>C)	All	C vs T	6	3192/2874	1.01(0.89-1.15)	0.842	12.64	0.027	60	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>PCNA</i>	rs25406(2232C>T)	All	T vs C	4	970/1302	0.91(0.77-1.06)	0.231	4.99	0.172	40	0.734	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
<i>POLD1</i>	rs1726801(p.Arg119His,c.356G>A)	Asian	A vs G	3	1263/1420	1.11(0.96-1.28)	0.168	1.61	0.448	0	0.296	C	A	C	CAC	Weak
<i>POLJ</i>	rs8305(Thr706Ala,2180A>G)	All	G vs A	4	1655/2593	1.09(0.98-1.20)	0.111	2.17	0.537	0	0.734	C	A	C	CAA	Weak
<i>POLL</i>	rs3730477(p.Arg438Trp,1683C>T)	All	T vs C	3	1356/1542	1.29(0.69-2.40)	0.425	4.07	0.131	51	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>PPP1R13L</i>	rs6966(T>A)	All	T vs A	5	1120/1361	1.09(0.92-1.29)	0.302	6.96	0.138	43	0.806	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
<i>PPP1R13L</i>	rs1970764(IVS1-4364A>G)	All	G vs A	3	678/726	1.12(0.90-1.39)	0.313	3.24	0.198	38	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
<i>PTGS2</i>	rs5275(c.*427T>C,8473T>C)	All	C vs T	11	6813/7988	0.95(0.83-1.09)	0.493	58.16	0.000	83	0.755	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
<i>RAD23B</i>	rs1805329(p.Ala249Val,Ex7+65C>T)	All	T vs C	4	653/878	1.10(0.80-1.51)	0.572	9.39	0.025	68	0.089	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
<i>REVI</i>	rs3087386(p.Phe257Ser,892T>C)	All	C vs T	3	1437/1818	1.03(0.92-1.14)	0.658	0.51	0.775	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>SULT1A1</i>	rs9282861(p.Arg213His,c.638G>A,*1 <sup>8</sup> )	All	A vs G	6	1965/2286	1.20(0.97-1.48)	0.094	18.08	0.003	72	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>TDG</i>	rs4135113(p.Gly199Ser,c.595G>A)	All	A vs G	3	289/318	0.85(0.51-1.42)	0.531	1.45	0.485	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>TGFB1</i>	rs1800469(C>509T)	Asian	T vs C	4	1091/1238	0.95(0.85-1.07)	0.428	3.10	0.377	3	0.089	C	A	C	CAC	Weak
<i>TGFB1</i>	rs1800470(p.Leu10Pro,c.29C>T)	All	C vs T	7	1398/1553	1.16(0.97-1.39)	0.104	15.61	0.016	62	0.764	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>TNF</i>	rs361525(A>417G,-238G>A)	All	A vs G	6	1047/1099	1.07(0.55-2.08)	0.847	33.99	0.000	85	0.133	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
<i>TNFRSF10A</i>	rs2290229(p.Arg441Lys,c.1322G>A)	All	G vs A	5	1479/1932	1.06(0.80-1.39)	0.702	11.74	0.019	66	0.806	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>TP53</i>	rs1625895(IVS6+62G>A,A2>A1)	All	A vs G	8	2666/2847	1.10(0.90-1.34)	0.351	17.49	0.014	60	0.386	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>TP53</i>	rs1642785(IVS2-38G>C,1827G>C)	All	C vs G	5	534/621	1.05(0.88-1.25)	0.614	3.00	0.559	0	0.086	C	A	C	CAC	Weak
<i>TP53</i>	rs17878362(IVS316bpDelIns)	Caucasian	Ins vs del	4	4196/4327	1.13(0.96-1.34)	0.152	8.22	0.042	64	0.734	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>TP53BP1</i>	rs560191(p.Asp353Glu,c.1059C>G)	All	G vs C	3	1393/1373	0.94(0.69-1.30)	0.723	15.68	0.000	87	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>TP73</i>	G4C1(A>A/T14)	All	AT vs GC	7	3054/3311	1.04(0.88-1.24)	0.647	23.42	0.001	74	0.024	C	C	C	CCC	Weak
<i>UGT1A6</i>	rs1105879(p.Arg184Ser,c.552A>C)	All	G vs T	3	253/250	3.03(0.79-11.62)	0.106	36.84	0.000	95	0.296	C	C	A	ACA	Weak
<i>VEGFA</i>	rs2010963(634G>C)	All	C vs G	5	2989/2522	1.12(0.99-1.27)	0.083	7.23	0.124	45	0.806	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
<i>VEGFA</i>	rs3025039(C936T)	All	T vs C	6	2887/2506	1.01(0.87-1.17)	0.917	7.10	0.213	30	1.000	C	B	A	CBA	Weak
<i>VEGFA</i>	rs699947(C>2578A)	All	A vs C	4	879/804	0.97(0.81-1.15)	0.712	3.60	0.308	17	0.308	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>vWF</i>	rs295740(G>A)	All	A vs G	3	2221/2334	1.02(0.92-1.13)	0.685	0.59	0.744	0	0.296	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs2030404(A>G)	All	G vs A	3	514/751	0.98(0.83-1.17)	0.836	2.05	0.359	2	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs25486(A>G)	All	G vs A	3	507/795	0.99(0.74-1.34)	0.955	5.17	0.076	61	1.000	C	C	A	CCA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs2682562(A>G)	All	G vs A	3	513/751	1.00(0.79-1.25)	0.974	0.70	0.705	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs2682585(p.His6Arg,c.17A>G)	All	A vs G	3	514/749	1.09(0.88-1.35)	0.416	1.91	0.385	0	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs2854510(A>G)	All	G vs A	3	513/751	0.97(0.79-1.20)	0.777	0.48	0.785	0	0.296	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3213403(A>G)	All	G vs A	3	511/751	0.98(0.72-1.33)	0.880	2.19	0.335	9	1.000	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC1</i>	rs3547(p.Gln632Gln,c.1896G>A)	All	A vs G	5	881/1201	1.00(0.86-1.17)	0.991	1.17	0.884	0	0.806	C	A	A	CAA	Weak
<i>XRCC2</i>	rs3218536(p.Arg188His,c.563G>A)	Caucasian	A vs G	3	645/1373	1.23(0.54-2.77)	0.625	16.79	0.000	88	1.000	A	C	C	ACC	Weak
<i>XRCC3</i>	rs1799796(17893A>G,IVS5-14)	All	G vs A	5	1478/3040	1.02(0.92-1.12)	0.756	3.45	0.486	0	0.806	C	A	A	CAA	Weak

Ins=insertion; Del=deletion; NA=Not Applicable.

<sup>a</sup> Allelic contrast (minor alleles vs major alleles) used in meta-analysis

<sup>b</sup> Summary ORs were calculated based on the DerSimonian-Lairs random-effects model

<sup>c</sup> P-value of heterogeneity between studies based on the Q statistic across crudes OR calculated for each enrolled study

<sup>d</sup> Evaluation of the evidence for the non-significant associations based on three aspects: statistical power, the degree of heterogeneity across studies, and potential bias assessment. Assessment of each aspect was assigned three levels (A, B, or C).

Statistical power, calculated by using SNP tools (see Methods in manuscript), was graded as A (Power $\geq$ 90%), B (Power between 80% and 90%), or C (Power<80%). Replication, depending on the degree of heterogeneity across studies, was graded as A (I<sup>2</sup><25%), B (I<sup>2</sup> between 25% and 50%), or C (I<sup>2</sup>>50%). Bias, considering various potential sources of bias in meta-analysis, was graded as A when there was no demonstrable bias and bias was unlikely after the direction of summary ORs of non-significant associations, was graded as B when there was insufficient information for identifying evidence (i.e. missing information for evaluating Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium (HWE) among controls in an individual study) although there was no obvious bias, and graded as C when the bias was evident and/or was likely to explain the presence of non-significant association. For the C grade of assessment for potential bias, it was assigned if a meta-analysis had any of the following potential sources of bias: (1) the association became statistically significant after excluding studies that showed HWE deviation in controls; (2) potential small study effect (modified Egger's test, p<0.10); (3) possible existence of an excess of significant findings (excess significance test, p<0.10); (4) potential publication bias (Begg's test, p<0.10).

<sup>e</sup> Grade of evidence based on three aspects, including the evaluations of statistical power, replication of evidence, and potential bias.

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