

## Appendix Table G1 -

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- 6) RACE : all in study or nearest available, otherwise by race
- 7) ONSET : yes, no (prevalence)
- 8) For overlapping studies: principal rather than subsidiary studies, and for prospective studies, most recent follow-up

Finally by Age: whole study if available, otherwise by widest available age group  
and then for single sex results (m, f) in preference to results for both sexes combined (b).

Results adjusted for the most potential confounders are then chosen in Sections -1 to -3  
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results were found.

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Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	AST	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA	
AGABI1	59	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	11	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
AGABI2	59	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	12	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
CUNN11	15	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-
GILLIL	2	m	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	3	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
GILLIL	10	f	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	3	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
NHANE3	30	b	1	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
TARIQ	8	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-

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Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGABI1	59	b	11	26	-	536	-	1.72	( 1.13- 2.63)
AGABI2	59	b	12	24	-	780	-	0.69	( 0.45- 1.05)
CUNN11	15	b	9	-	-	-	-	2.70	( 1.13- 6.45)
GILLIL	2	m	3	-	-	-	-	1.70	( 1.10- 2.90)
GILLIL	10	f	3	-	-	-	-	1.90	( 1.10- 3.50)
Subtotal	GILLIL							1.78	( 1.23- 2.58)
NHANE3	30	b	4	-	-	-	-	2.63	( 0.30- 25.12)
TARIQ	8	b	0	12	46	121	732	1.58	( 0.81- 3.07)
Partial Totals				62	46	1437	732		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGABI1	59	b	11	0.54	21.53	0.83	0.0119
AGABI2	59	b	12	-0.37	21.40	11.01	0.0860
CUNN11	15	b	9	0.99	5.06	2.12	0.0254
GILLIL	2	m	3	0.53	16.35	0.56	0.0319
GILLIL	10	f	3	0.64	11.47	1.00	0.0297
Subtotal	GILLIL			0.48	27.82	1.56	
NHANE3	30	b	4	0.97	0.78	0.30	0.3919
TARIQ	8	b	0	0.46	8.72	0.11	0.1779

RR data

N	7
NS	6

Wt	85.32
Het Chi	15.93
Het df	6
Het P	*
Fixed RR	1.41
RR1	1.14
RRu	1.75
P	++
Random RR	1.53
RR1	1.05
RRu	2.23
P	+
Asymm P	N.S.

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Adjusted

RR data

N	7
NS	6
Wt	85.32
Het Chi	15.93
Het df	6
Het P	*
Fixed RR	1.41
RRl	1.14
RRu	1.75
P	++
Random RR	1.53
RRl	1.05
RRu	2.23
P	+
Asymm P	N.S.
<u>Sex</u>	
both	male female Total
N	5 1 1 7
NS	5 1 1 6
Wt	57.50
Het Chi	13.65
Het df	4
Het P	**
Fixed RR	1.26
RRl	0.98
RRu	1.64
P	(+)
Random RR	1.46
RRl	0.84
RRu	2.53
P	N.S.
Between Chi	2.27
Between df	2
Between P	N.S.

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Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

REF	NRR	X	SEX	AST	AGEI	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA
AGABI1	52	x	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	0	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
AGABI2	52	x	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	0	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
CUNN11	15		b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-
GILLIL	55	x	m	l	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	0	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
GILLIL	64	x	f	l	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	0	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
NHANE3	30		b	l	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
TARIQ	8		b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-

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Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGAB11	52	b	0	26	252	536	9140	1.76	( 1.16- 2.66)
AGAB12	52	b	0	24	376	780	9704	0.79	( 0.52- 1.21)
CUNN11	15	b	9	-	-	-	-	2.70	( 1.13- 6.45)
GILLIL	55	m	0	19	56	247	1183	1.63	( 0.95- 2.78)
GILLIL	64	f	0	13	59	149	1281	1.89	( 1.01- 3.54)
Subtotal GILLIL								1.73	( 1.15- 2.61)
NHANE3	30	b	4	-	-	-	-	2.63	( 0.30- 25.12)
TARIQ	8	b	0	12	46	121	732	1.58	( 0.81- 3.07)
Partial Totals				94	789	1833	22040		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGAB11	52	b	0	0.56	22.52	0.88	0.0073
AGAB12	52	b	0	-0.23	21.88	7.83	0.2809
CUNN11	15	b	9	0.99	5.06	1.98	0.0254
GILLIL	55	m	0	0.49	13.27	0.18	0.0770
GILLIL	64	f	0	0.64	9.87	0.73	0.0448
Subtotal GILLIL				0.39	23.13	0.91	
NHANE3	30	b	4	0.97	0.78	0.28	0.3919
TARIQ	8	b	0	0.46	8.72	0.07	0.1779

RR data

N	7
NS	6

Wt	82.09
Het Chi	11.95
Het df	6
Het P	(*)
Fixed RR	1.44
RR1	1.16
RRu	1.79
P	+++
Random RR	1.54
RR1	1.11
RRu	2.14
P	+
Asymm P	N.S.

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Unadjusted

RR data

N	7
NS	6
Wt	82.09
Het Chi	11.95
Het df	6
Het P	(*)
Fixed RR	1.44
RRl	1.16
RRu	1.79
P	+++
Random RR	1.54
RRl	1.11
RRu	2.14
P	+
Asymm P	N.S.
<u>Sex</u>	
both	male female Total
N	5 1 1 7
NS	5 1 1 6
Wt	58.96
Het Chi	10.73
Het df	4
Het P	*
Fixed RR	1.34
RRl	1.04
RRu	1.74
P	+
Random RR	1.49
RRl	0.92
RRu	2.42
P	N.S.
Between Chi	1.21
Between df	2
Between P	N.S.

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Excluded studies (and stage at which they were excluded)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	ADDOYO AGUDOT AKCAKA ALBA ALDAWO ALFRA1 ALFRA2 ANDRAE ANNES2 ANNESI ARIF ARSHAD AZIZI BALL BARRET BECKET BENCIV BENER BERGMA BRABIN BURCHF BURR BUTZ CALL CELEDO CHEN1 CHEN2 CHHABR CHINN CLARK CSONKA CUNNI2 DAIGLE DEBENE DEKKER DEKOK DELL DIJKST DODGE DOLD DOTTER DUHME1 DUHME2 DUHME3 DUHME4 ECE EHRLI1 EHRLI2 FAGBUL FARBE1 FARBE2 FARBE3 FAROOQ FERGUS FIELDE FLYNN1 FLYNN2 FORAST FORSB1 FORSB2 FORSB3 FREEM1 FREEM2 FUJI GOLD GOREN1 GOREN2 GOREN3 GOREN4 GOREN5 GOREN6 GORTM1 GORTM2 GUPTA GURKAN HABY HAJNAL HALONE HJERN1 HJERN2 HOST HU1 HU2 HUGHES INFANT JAAKK2 JAAKKO JANG JENKIN JONES KABESC KALYO1 KALYO2 KAPLAN KARUNA KASPER KAY KEARNE KELLY KENDIR KERSHA KIVITY KNIGHT KUEHR KUHR LAM1 LAM2 LAU LEE1 LEE2 LEE3 LEEDER LEEN LEROUX LEVES1 LEVES2 LEVES3 LILLJE LINDFO LIS LISTER LOPEZC MAIER MARTIN MAVALE MCCON1 MCCON2 MCKEEV MELIA MELSON MILLER MOHAME MONTEF MONTEI MOUSSA MOYES1 MOYES2 MUMCUO MURRAY NICOLA NILSSO NITTA NYSTAD OCONNE ODDY OHARA OLIVET PALMIE PETERS PIC PIROGO POKHAR PONSON QIAN RASANE RATAGE RENNIE RIBEIR RONCH1 RONCH2 RONCH3 RONMA1 RONMA2 RONMA3 ROSASV RUDNIK SANZOR SARRAZ SCHMIT SELCUK SENNHA SHAMS2 SHAMSS SHERMA SHIVA SHOHAT SIGURS SOMERV SOTOQU SOYSET SPENGL SPIKE SQUILL STANHO STAIZI STERN1 STERN2 STODDA STRACH STURM TAYLOR TIMONE TOMINA TSIMOV ULRIK VARELA VAVILI VENNER VERHOE VOLKME VONMAF WANG WARKE WEITZ1 WEITZ2 WICKMA WIJGA WILLE1 WILLE2 WITHER WOLF01 WOLF02 WOLF03 XU YANG YUAN ZEIGER ZEJDA ZHANG ZHENG															

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Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Potentially overlapping studies

REF	REFGP	PRINC	OVERLAP	Adjusted - insufficient data for metaanalysis												RR   SIG	
GILLIL GILLIL	1	MCCON1/GILLIL		REF   NRR   SEX   AST   AGEL   AGEH   RACE   LOC   BEGYR   PUBYR   STTYP   ADJ   EXPOS   EXPOS-time   UNEXsource   UNEXTI   BIOMEA												*	n
NHANE3	33	b	1	7	11	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood	

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Adjusted

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AGABI1	58	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	11	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
AGABI2	58	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	12	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
CUNN1L	14	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-
GILLIL	1	m	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	3	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
GILLIL	9	f	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	3	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
NHANE3	31	b	1	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
TARIQ	7	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-

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REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGABI1	58	b	11	172	-	536	-	1.05	( 0.88- 1.26)
AGABI2	58	b	12	282	-	780	-	1.14	( 0.99- 1.33)
CUNN11	14	b	9	-	-	-	-	0.99	( 0.78- 1.25)
GILLIL	1	m	3	-	-	-	-	1.00	( 0.80- 1.30)
GILLIL	9	f	3	-	-	-	-	1.10	( 0.80- 1.40)
Subtotal GILLIL								1.04	( 0.87- 1.25)
NHANE3	31	b	4	-	-	-	-	2.29	( 0.91- 5.01)
TARIQ	7	b	0	16	99	121	732	0.98	( 0.56- 1.72)
Partial Totals				470	99	1437	732		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGABI1	58	b	11	0.05	119.26	0.08	0.5942
AGABI2	58	b	12	0.13	176.29	0.56	0.0819
CUNN11	14	b	9	-0.01	69.09	0.49	0.9334
GILLIL	1	m	3	0.00	65.19	0.36	1.0000
GILLIL	9	f	3	0.10	49.07	0.02	0.5044
Subtotal GILLIL				-0.05	114.25	0.38	
NHANE3	31	b	4	0.83	5.28	3.00	0.0569
TARIQ	7	b	0	-0.02	12.16	0.11	0.9373

RR data

N	7
NS	6

Wt	496.34
Het Chi	4.64
Het df	6
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.08
RR1	0.99
RRu	1.18
P	(+)
Random RR	1.08
RR1	0.99
RRu	1.18
P	(+)
Asymm P	N.S.

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Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Adjusted

RR data

N	7			
NS	6			
Wt	496.34			
Het Chi	4.64			
Het df	6			
Het P	N.S.			
Fixed RR	1.08			
RRl	0.99			
RRu	1.18			
P	(+)			
Random RR	1.08			
RRl	0.99			
RRu	1.18			
P	(+)			
Asymm P	N.S.			
<u>Sex</u>				
both	male      female      Total			
N	5      1      1      7			
NS	5      1      1      6			
Wt	382.08	65.19	49.07	496.34
Het Chi	4.21	0.00	0.00	4.64
Het df	4	0	0	6
Het P	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.09	1.00	1.10	1.08
RRl	0.98	0.78	0.83	0.99
RRu	1.20	1.27	1.46	1.18
P	(+)	N.S.	N.S.	(+)
Random RR	1.09	1.00	1.10	1.08
RRl	0.98	0.78	0.83	0.99
RRu	1.21	1.27	1.46	1.18
P	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	(+)
Between Chi				0.42
Between df				2
Between P				N.S.

Appendix Table G2 - 4

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Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

REF	NRR	X	SEX	AST	AGEI	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA
AGABI1	51	x	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	0	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
AGABI2	51	x	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	0	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
CUNNIL	14		b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-
GILLIL	54	x	m	l	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	0	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
GILLIL	63	x	f	l	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	0	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
NHANE3	31		b	l	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
TARIQ	7		b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-

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Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGAB11	51	b	0	172	2841	536	9140	1.03	( 0.87- 1.23)
AGAB12	51	b	0	282	2969	780	9704	1.18	( 1.02- 1.36)
CUNN11	14	b	9	-	-	-	-	0.99	( 0.78- 1.25)
GILLIL	54	m	0	87	424	247	1183	0.98	( 0.75- 1.29)
GILLIL	63	f	0	67	528	149	1281	1.09	( 0.80- 1.48)
Subtotal GILLIL								1.03	( 0.84- 1.26)
NHANE3	31	b	4	-	-	-	-	2.29	( 0.91- 5.01)
TARIQ	7	b	0	16	99	121	732	0.98	( 0.56- 1.72)
Partial Totals				624	6861	1833	22040		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGAB11	51	b	0	0.03	122.83	0.34	0.7240
AGAB12	51	b	0	0.17	189.82	1.29	0.0215
CUNN11	14	b	9	-0.01	69.09	0.62	0.9334
GILLIL	54	m	0	-0.02	53.34	0.55	0.8988
GILLIL	63	f	0	0.09	41.13	0.00	0.5767
Subtotal GILLIL				-0.10	94.48	0.55	
NHANE3	31	b	4	0.83	5.28	2.92	0.0569
TARIQ	7	b	0	-0.02	12.16	0.14	0.9373

RR data

N	7
NS	6

Wt	493.66
Het Chi	5.86
Het df	6
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.09
RR1	1.00
RRu	1.19
P	(+)
Random RR	1.09
RR1	1.00
RRu	1.19
P	(+)
Asymm P	N.S.

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Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

RR data

N	7
NS	6
Wt	493.66
Het Chi	5.86
Het df	6
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.09
RRl	1.00
RRu	1.19
P	(+)
Random RR	1.09
RRl	1.00
RRu	1.19
P	(+)
Asymm P	N.S.
<u>Sex</u>	
both	male    female    Total
N	5            1            1            7
NS	5            1            1            6
Wt	399.19
Het Chi	5.24
Het df	4
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.10
RRl	1.00
RRu	1.22
P	(+)
Random RR	1.10
RRl	0.97
RRu	1.24
P	N.S.
Between Chi	0.62
Between df	2
Between P	N.S.

Appendix Table G2 - 7

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Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Excluded studies (and stage at which they were excluded)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	ADDOYO AGUDOT AKCAKA ALBA ALDAWO ALFRA1 ALFRA2 ANDRAE ANNES2 ANNESI ARIF ARSHAD AZIZI BALL BARRET BECKET BENCIV BENER BERGMA BRABIN BURCHF BURR BUTZ CALL CELEDO CHEN1 CHEN2 CHHABR CHINN CLARK CSONKA CUNNI2 DAIGLE DEBENE DEKKER DEKOK DELL DIJKST DODGE DOLD DOTTER DUHME1 DUHME2 DUHME3 DUHME4 ECE EHRLI1 EHRLI2 FAGBUL FARBE1 FARBE2 FARBE3 FAROOQ FERGUS FIELDE FLYNN1 FLYNN2 FORAST FORSB1 FORSB2 FORSB3 FREEM1 FREEM2 FUJI GOLD GOREN1 GOREN2 GOREN3 GOREN4 GOREN5 GOREN6 GORTM1 GORTM2 GUPTA GURKAN HABY HAJNAL HALONE HJERN1 HJERN2 HOST HU1 HU2 HUGHES INFANT JAAKK2 JAAKKO JANG JENKIN JONES KABESC KALYO1 KALYO2 KAPLAN KARUNA KASPER KAY KEARNE KELLY KENDIR KERSHA KIVITY KNIGHT KUEHR KUHR LAM1 LAM2 LAU LEE1 LEE2 LEE3 LEEDER LEEN LEROUX LEVES1 LEVES2 LEVES3 LILLJE LINDFO LIS LISTER LOPEZC MAIER MARTIN MAVALE MCCON1 MCCON2 MCKEEV MELIA MELSON MILLER MOHAME MONTEF MONTEI MOUSSA MOYES1 MOYES2 MUMCUO MURRAY NICOLA NILSSO NITTA NYSTAD OCONNE ODDY OHARA OLIVET PALMIE PETERS PIC PIROGO POKHAR PONSON QIAN RASANE RATAGE RENNIE RIBEIR RONCH1 RONCH2 RONCH3 RONMA1 RONMA2 RONMA3 ROSASV RUDNIK SANZOR SARRAZ SCHMIT SELCUK SENNHA SHAMS2 SHAMSS SHERMA SHIVA SHOHAT SIGURS SOMERV SOTOQU SOYSET SPENGL SPIKE SQUILL STANHO STAIZI STERN1 STERN2 STODDA STRACH STURM TAYLOR TIMONE TOMINA TSIMOV ULRIK VARELA VAVILI VENNER VERHOE VOLKME VONMAF WANG WARKE WEITZ1 WEITZ2 WICKMA WIJGA WILLE1 WILLE2 WITHER WOLFO1 WOLFO2 WOLFO3 XU YANG YUAN ZEIGER ZEJDA ZHANG ZHENG															

Appendix Table G2 - 8

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Potentially overlapping studies

REF	REFGP	PRINC	OVERLAP	Adjusted - insufficient data for metaanalysis												RR   SIG	
GILLIL GILLIL	1	MCCON1/GILLIL		REF   NRR   SEX   AST   AGEL   AGEH   RACE   LOC   BEGYR   PUBYR   STTYP   ADJ   EXPOS   EXPOS-time   UNEXsource   UNEXTI   BIOMEA												*	n
NHANE3	34	b	1	7	11	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood	

## Appendix Table G3 -

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)

This analysis is restricted to results for:

- 1) Exposure both in utero and in life
- 2) Results not by amount of exposure
- 3) Results complete enough for use in metaanalysis

Within each study, results are then selected (in the following order of preference, within each sex) for:

- 4) ASTHMA : lifetime, current
- 5) EXPOS : in life element of exposure/non-exposure refers to Biochemical, Household (overall), Parent (mother), Parent (father)
- 6) RACE : all in study or nearest available, otherwise by race
- 7) ONSET : yes, no (prevalence)
- 8) For overlapping studies: principal rather than subsidiary studies, and for prospective studies, most recent follow-up

Finally by Age: whole study if available, otherwise by widest available age group  
and then for single sex results (m, f) in preference to results for both sexes combined (b).

Results adjusted for the most potential confounders are then chosen in Sections -1 to -3  
and results adjusted for the least confounders in Sections -4 to -6. (Those least adjusted results which  
actually differ from the most adjusted are marked 'x' in column X in Section -4)

Section -7 shows excluded studies, together with the stage (as above) at which no qualifying  
results were found.

Section -8 lists the potentially overlapping studies which have been included (1=principal, 2=subsidiary),  
and any results which would have been included in preference except that they had data not complete enough  
for use in metaanalysis. It also lists their significance (yes/no), if known.

Appendix Table G3 - 1

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	AST	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA	
AGABI1	60	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	11	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
AGABI2	60	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	12	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
CUNN11	16	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-
GILLIL	3	m	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	3	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
GILLIL	11	f	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	3	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
HAJNAL	4	b	1	6	14	all	Eu:wst	1992	1999	CS	13	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
NHANE3	29	b	1	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
STERN2	1	b	1	7	12	all	NAmer	*	1989	CS	0	Mother	<2y	NotMothr	non	-
TARIQ	9	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-

Appendix Table G3 - 2

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGAB11	60	b	11	178	-	536	-	1.52	( 1.27- 1.83)
AGAB12	60	b	12	172	-	780	-	1.21	( 1.02- 1.45)
CUNN11	16	b	9	-	-	-	-	0.96	( 0.63- 1.48)
GILLIL	3	m	3	-	-	-	-	1.10	( 0.80- 1.40)
GILLIL	11	f	3	-	-	-	-	1.60	( 1.20- 2.20)
Subtotal GILLIL								1.31	( 1.06- 1.61)
HAJNAL	4	b	13	-	-	-	-	1.31	( 0.92- 1.85)
NHANE3	29	b	4	-	-	-	-	3.16	( 1.10- 9.12)
STERN2	1	b	0	-	-	-	-	1.43	( 1.09- 1.88)
TARIQ	9	b	0	32	160	121	732	1.21	( 0.79- 1.85)
Partial Totals				382	160	1437	732		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGAB11	60	b	11	0.42	115.15	2.09	0.0000
AGAB12	60	b	12	0.19	124.18	1.08	0.0337
CUNN11	16	b	9	-0.04	21.06	2.22	0.8514
GILLIL	3	m	3	0.10	49.07	1.75	0.5044
GILLIL	11	f	3	0.47	41.82	1.45	0.0024
Subtotal GILLIL				-0.00	90.89	3.19	
HAJNAL	4	b	13	0.27	31.49	0.01	0.1297
NHANE3	29	b	4	1.15	3.43	2.58	0.0330
STERN2	1	b	0	0.36	51.71	0.28	0.0101
TARIQ	9	b	0	0.19	21.22	0.18	0.3801

RR data

N	9
NS	8

Wt	459.14
Het Chi	11.64
Het df	8
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.33
RR1	1.21
RRu	1.46
P	+++
Random RR	1.32
RR1	1.18
RRu	1.49
P	+++
Asymm P	N.S.

Appendix Table G3 - 3

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Adjusted

RR data

N	9			
NS	8			
Wt	459.14			
Het Chi	11.64			
Het df	8			
Het P	N.S.			
Fixed RR	1.33			
RRl	1.21			
RRu	1.46			
P	+++			
Random RR	1.32			
RRl	1.18			
RRu	1.49			
P	+++			
Asymm P	N.S.			
 <u>Sex</u>				
both		male	female	Total
N	7	1	1	9
NS	7	1	1	8
Wt	368.25	49.07	41.82	459.14
Het Chi	8.44	0.00	0.00	11.64
Het df	6	0	0	8
Het P	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.33	1.10	1.60	1.33
RRl	1.20	0.83	1.18	1.21
RRu	1.48	1.46	2.17	1.46
P	+++	N.S.	++	+++
Random RR	1.33	1.10	1.60	1.32
RRl	1.16	0.83	1.18	1.18
RRu	1.52	1.46	2.17	1.49
P	+++	N.S.	++	+++
Between Chi				3.20
Between df				2
Between P				N.S.

Appendix Table G3 - 4

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

REF	NRR	X	SEX	AST	AGEI	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA
AGABI1	53	x	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	0	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
AGABI2	53	x	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	0	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
CUNN11	16	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-	
GILLIL	56	x	m	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	0	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
GILLIL	65	x	f	1	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	0	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
HAJNAL	4	b	l	6	14	all	Eu:wst	1992	1999	CS	13	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
NHANE3	29	b	l	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood	
STERN2	1	b	l	7	12	all	NAmer	*	1989	CS	0	Mother	<2y	NotMothr	non	-	
TARIQ	9	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-	

Appendix Table G3 - 5

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGAB11	53	b	0	178	1989	536	9140	1.53	( 1.28- 1.82)
AGAB12	53	b	0	172	1653	780	9704	1.29	( 1.09- 1.54)
CUNN11	16	b	9	-	-	-	-	0.96	( 0.63- 1.48)
GILL11	56	m	0	62	301	247	1183	0.99	( 0.73- 1.34)
GILL11	65	f	0	63	337	149	1281	1.61	( 1.17- 2.21)
Subtotal GILL11								1.25	( 1.00- 1.55)
HAJNAL	4	b	13	-	-	-	-	1.31	( 0.92- 1.85)
NHANE3	29	b	4	-	-	-	-	3.16	( 1.10- 9.12)
STERN2	1	b	0	-	-	-	-	1.43	( 1.09- 1.88)
TARIQ	9	b	0	32	160	121	732	1.21	( 0.79- 1.85)
Partial Totals				507	4440	1833	22040		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGAB11	53	b	0	0.42	123.52	1.93	0.0000
AGAB12	53	b	0	0.26	128.14	0.20	0.0035
CUNN11	16	b	9	-0.04	21.06	2.42	0.8514
GILL11	56	m	0	-0.01	41.08	3.98	0.9308
GILL11	65	f	0	0.47	37.98	1.19	0.0035
Subtotal GILL11				-0.13	79.05	5.17	
HAJNAL	4	b	13	0.27	31.49	0.02	0.1297
NHANE3	29	b	4	1.15	3.43	2.50	0.0330
STERN2	1	b	0	0.36	51.71	0.19	0.0101
TARIQ	9	b	0	0.19	21.22	0.24	0.3801

RR data

N	9
NS	8

Wt	459.63
Het Chi	12.66
Het df	8
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.35
RR1	1.23
RRu	1.48
P	+++
Random RR	1.33
RR1	1.17
RRu	1.51
P	+++
Asymm P	N.S.

Appendix Table G3 - 6

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Unadjusted

RR data

N	9			
NS	8			
Wt	459.63			
Het Chi	12.66			
Het df	8			
Het P	N.S.			
Fixed RR	1.35			
RRl	1.23			
RRu	1.48			
P	+++			
Random RR	1.33			
RRl	1.17			
RRu	1.51			
P	+++			
Asymm P	N.S.			
 <u>Sex</u>				
both		male	female	Total
N	7	1	1	9
NS	7	1	1	8
Wt	380.58	41.08	37.98	459.63
Het Chi	7.40	0.00	0.00	12.66
Het df	6	0	0	8
Het P	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.37	0.99	1.61	1.35
RRl	1.24	0.73	1.17	1.23
RRu	1.51	1.34	2.21	1.48
P	+++	N.S.	++	+++
Random RR	1.36	0.99	1.61	1.33
RRl	1.21	0.73	1.17	1.17
RRu	1.53	1.34	2.21	1.51
P	+++	N.S.	++	+++
Between Chi				5.27
Between df				2
Between P				(*)

Appendix Table G3 - 7

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)Excluded studies (and stage at which they were excluded)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	ADDOYO AGUDOT AKCAKA ALBA ALDAWO ALFRA1 ALFRA2 ANDRAE ANNES2 ANNESI ARIF ARSHAD AZIZI BALL BARRET BECKET BENCIV BENER BERGMA BRABIN BURCHF BURR BUTZ CALL CELEDO CHEN1 CHEN2 CHHABR CHINN CLARK CSONKA CUNNI2 DAIGLE DEBENE DEKKER DEKOK DELL DIJKST DODGE DOLD DOTTER DUHME1 DUHME2 DUHME3 DUHME4 ECE EHRLI1 EHRLI2 FAGBUL FARBE1 FARBE2 FARBE3 FAROOQ FERGUS FIELDE FLYNN1 FLYNN2 FORAST FORSB1 FORSB2 FORSB3 FREEM1 FREEM2 FUJI GOLD GOREN1 GOREN2 GOREN3 GOREN4 GOREN5 GOREN6 GORTM1 GORTM2 GUPTA GURKAN HABY HALONE HJERN1 HJERN2 HOST HU1 HU2 HUGHES INFANT JAAKK2 JAAKKO JANG JENKIN JONES KABESC KALYO1 KALYO2 KAPLAN KARUNA KASPER KAY KEARNE KELLY KENDIR KERSHA KIVITY KNIGHT KUEHR KUHR LAM1 LAM2 LAU LEE1 LEE2 LEE3 LEEDER LEEN LEROUX LEVES1 LEVES2 LEVES3 LILLJE LINDFO LIS LISTER LOPEZC MAIER MARTIN MAVALE MCCON1 MCCON2 MCKEEV MELIA MELSON MILLER MOHAME MONTEF MONTEI MOUSSA MOYES1 MOYES2 MUMCUO MURRAY NICOLA NILSSO NITTA NYSTAD OCONNE ODDY OHARA OLIVET PALMIE PETERS PIC PIROGO POKHAR PONSON QIAN RASANE RATAGE RENNIE RIBEIR RONCH1 RONCH2 RONCH3 RONMAL RONMA2 RONMA3 ROSASV RUDNIK SANZOR SARRAZ SCHENK SCHMIT SELCUK SENNHA SHAMS2 SHAMSS SHERMA SHIVA SHOHAT SIGURS SOMERV SOTOQU SOYSET SPENGL SPIKE SQUILL STANHO STAIZI STERN1 STODDA STRACH STURM TAYLOR TIMONE TOMINA TSIMOV ULRIK VARELA VAVILLI VENNER VERHOE VOLKME VONMAF WANG WARKE WEITZ1 WEITZ2 WICKMA WIJGA WILLE1 WILLE2 WITHER WOLF01 WOLF02 WOLF03 XU YANG YUAN ZEIGER ZEJDA ZHANG ZHENG															

Appendix Table G3 - 8

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Lifetime Asthma (or Current if Lifetime not available)  
Potentially overlapping studies

REF	REFGP	PRINC	OVERLAP	Adjusted - insufficient data for metaanalysis														RR   SIG			
				REF	NRR	SEX	AST	AGEL	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA	RR   SIG
NHANE3	32	b	1	7	11	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	-	Low	-	blood	*	n		
STERN2	3	b	1	7	12	all	NAmer	*	1989	CS	3	Mother	<2y	NotMothr	non	-	*	y			

## Appendix Table G4 -

Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)

This analysis is restricted to results for:

- 1) Exposure in utero only (i.e. no in life exposure)
- 2) Results not by amount of exposure
- 3) Results complete enough for use in metaanalysis

Within each study, results are then selected (in the following order of preference, within each sex) for:

- 4) ASTHMA : current, lifetime
- 5) EXPOS : in life element of exposure/non-exposure refers to Biochemical, Household (overall), Parent (mother), Parent (father)
- 6) RACE : all in study or nearest available, otherwise by race
- 7) ONSET : yes, no (prevalence)
- 8) For overlapping studies: principal rather than subsidiary studies, and for prospective studies, most recent follow-up

Finally by Age: whole study if available, otherwise by widest available age group  
and then for single sex results (m, f) in preference to results for both sexes combined (b).

Results adjusted for the most potential confounders are then chosen in Sections -1 to -3  
(and those which actually differ from the adjusted results in Appendix Table G1 - 1 are marked 'x' in Section -1)  
(Sections 4-6 not presented)

Section -7 shows excluded studies, together with the stage (as above) at which no qualifying results were found.

Section -8 lists the potentially overlapping studies which have been included (1=principal, 2=subsidiary), and any results which would have been included in preference except that they had data not complete enough for use in metaanalysis. It also lists their significance (yes/no), if known.

Appendix Table G4 - 1

Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	CompG1	SEX	AST	AGEL	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA
AGABI1	59	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	11	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
AGABI2	59	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	12	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
CUNN11	15	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-	
GILLIL	26	x	b	c	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	8	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
NHANE3	63	x	b	c	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
TARIQ	8	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-	

Appendix Table G4 - 2

Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGABI1	59	b	11	26	-	536	-	1.72	( 1.13- 2.63)
AGABI2	59	b	12	24	-	780	-	0.69	( 0.45- 1.05)
CUNNI1	15	b	9	-	-	-	-	2.70	( 1.13- 6.45)
GILLIL	26	b	8	25	-	230	-	2.30	( 1.30- 4.00)
NHANE3	63	b	4	-	-	-	-	1.74	( 0.30- 11.48)
TARIQ	8	b	0	12	46	121	732	1.58	( 0.81- 3.07)
Partial Totals				87	46	1667	732		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGABI1	59	b	11	0.54	21.53	0.92	0.0119
AGABI2	59	b	12	-0.37	21.40	10.69	0.0860
CUNNI1	15	b	9	0.99	5.06	2.19	0.0254
GILLIL	26	b	8	0.83	12.16	3.01	0.0037
NHANE3	63	b	4	0.55	1.16	0.06	0.5514
TARIQ	8	b	0	0.46	8.72	0.13	0.1779

RR data

N	6
NS	6

Wt	70.04
Het Chi	16.99
Het df	5
Het P	**
Fixed RR	1.40
RRl	1.11
RRu	1.77
P	++
Random RR	1.57
RRl	0.97
RRu	2.52
P	(+)
Asymm P	N.S.

Appendix Table G4 - 3

Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

RR data

N	6	
NS	6	
Wt	70.04	
Het Chi	16.99	
Het df	5	
Het P	**	
Fixed RR	1.40	
RRl	1.11	
RRu	1.77	
P	++	
Random RR	1.57	
RRl	0.97	
RRu	2.52	
P	(+)	
Asymm P	N.S.	
		<u>Sex</u>
	both	male      female      Total
N	6	6
NS	6	6
Wt	70.04	70.04
Het Chi	16.99	16.99
Het df	5	5
Het P	**	**
Fixed RR	1.40	1.40
RRl	1.11	1.11
RRu	1.77	1.77
P	++	++
Random RR	1.57	1.57
RRl	0.97	0.97
RRu	2.52	2.52
P	(+)	(+)
Between Chi		
Between df		
Between P		N.S.

Appendix Table G4 - 7

Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Excluded studies (and stage at which they were excluded)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	ADDOYO AGUDOT AKCAKA ALBA ALDAWO ALFRA1 ALFRA2 ANDRAE ANNES2 ANNESI ARIF ARSHAD AZIZI BALL BARRET BECKET BENCIV BENER BERGMA BRABIN BURCHF BURR BUTZ CALL CELEDO CHEN1 CHEN2 CHHABR CHINN CLARK CSONKA CUNNI2 DAIGLE DEBENE DEKKER DEKOK DELL DIJKST DODGE DOLD DOTTER DUHME1 DUHME2 DUHME3 DUHME4 ECE EHRLI1 EHRLI2 FAGBUL FARBE1 FARBE2 FARBE3 FAROOQ FERGUS FIELDE FLYNN1 FLYNN2 FORAST FORSB1 FORSB2 FORSB3 FREEM1 FREEM2 FUJI GOLD GOREN1 GOREN2 GOREN3 GOREN4 GOREN5 GOREN6 GORTM1 GORTM2 GUPTA GURKAN HABY HAJNAL HALONE HJERN1 HJERN2 HOST HU1 HU2 HUGHES INFANT JAAKK2 JAAKKO JANG JENKIN JONES KABESC KALYO1 KALYO2 KAPLAN KARUNA KASPER KAY KEARNE KELLY KENDIR KERSHA KIVITY KNIGHT KUEHR KUHR LAM1 LAM2 LAU LEE1 LEE2 LEE3 LEEDER LEEN LEROUX LEVES1 LEVES2 LEVES3 LILLJE LINDFO LIS LISTER LOPEZC MAIER MARTIN MAVALE MCCON1 MCCON2 MCKEEV MELIA MELSON MILLER MOHAME MONTEF MONTEI MOUSSA MOYES1 MOYES2 MUMCUO MURRAY NICOLA NILSSO NITTA NYSTAD OCONNE ODDY OHARA OLIVET PALMIE PETERS PIC PIROGO POKHAR PONSON QIAN RASANE RATAGE RENNIE RIBEIR RONCH1 RONCH2 RONCH3 RONMA1 RONMA2 RONMA3 ROSASV RUDNIK SANZOR SARRAZ SCHMIT SELCUK SENNHA SHAMS2 SHAMSS SHERMA SHIVA SHOHAT SIGURS SOMERV SOTOQU SOYSET SPENGL SPIKE SQUILL STANHO STAIZI STERN1 STERN2 STODDA STRACH STURM TAYLOR TIMONE TOMINA TSIMOV ULRIK VARELA VAVILI VENNER VERHOE VOLKME VONMAF WANG WARKE WEITZ1 WEITZ2 WICKMA WIJGA WILLE1 WILLE2 WITHER WOLFO1 WOLFO2 WOLFO3 XU YANG YUAN ZEIGER ZEJDA ZHANG ZHENG															

Appendix Table G4 - 8

Children - Meta-analysis of In Utero Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Potentially overlapping studies

REF	REFGP	PRINC	OVERLAP	Adjusted - insufficient data for metaanalysis												RR   SIG	
GILLIL GILLIL	1		MCCON1/GILLIL													*	n
NHANE3	66	b	c	7	11	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood	

## Appendix Table G5 -

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)

This analysis is restricted to results for:

- 1) Exposure in life only (i.e. no in utero exposure)
- 2) Results not by amount of exposure
- 3) Results complete enough for use in metaanalysis

Within each study, results are then selected (in the following order of preference, within each sex) for:

- 4) ASTHMA : current, lifetime
- 5) EXPOS : in life element of exposure/non-exposure refers to Biochemical, Household (overall), Parent (mother), Parent (father)
- 6) RACE : all in study or nearest available, otherwise by race
- 7) ONSET : yes, no (prevalence)
- 8) For overlapping studies: principal rather than subsidiary studies, and for prospective studies, most recent follow-up

Finally by Age: whole study if available, otherwise by widest available age group  
and then for single sex results (m, f) in preference to results for both sexes combined (b).

Results adjusted for the most potential confounders are then chosen in Sections -1 to -3  
(and those which actually differ from the adjusted results in Appendix Table G2 - 1 are marked 'x' in Section -1)  
(Sections 4-6 not presented)

Section -7 shows excluded studies, together with the stage (as above) at which no qualifying results were found.

Section -8 lists the potentially overlapping studies which have been included (1=principal, 2=subsidiary), and any results which would have been included in preference except that they had data not complete enough for use in metaanalysis. It also lists their significance (yes/no), if known.

Appendix Table G5 - 1

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	CompG2	SEX	AST	AGEL	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA
AGABI1	58	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	11	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
AGABI2	58	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	12	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
CUNN11	14	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-	
GILLIL	25	x	b	c	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	8	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
NHANE3	64	x	b	c	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
TARIQ	7	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-	

Appendix Table G5 - 2

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGABI1	58	b	11	172	-	536	-	1.05 ( 0.88-	1.26)
AGABI2	58	b	12	282	-	780	-	1.14 ( 0.99-	1.33)
CUNNI1	14	b	9	-	-	-	-	0.99 ( 0.78-	1.25)
GILLIL	25	b	8	102	-	230	-	1.10 ( 0.80-	1.40)
NHANE3	64	b	4	-	-	-	-	4.57 ( 1.38-	13.80)
TARIQ	7	b	0	16	99	121	732	0.98 ( 0.56-	1.72)
Partial Totals				572	99	1667	732		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGABI1	58	b	11	0.05	119.26	0.17	0.5942
AGABI2	58	b	12	0.13	176.29	0.35	0.0819
CUNNI1	14	b	9	-0.01	69.09	0.64	0.9334
GILLIL	25	b	8	0.10	49.07	0.00	0.5044
NHANE3	64	b	4	1.52	2.90	5.95	0.0097
TARIQ	7	b	0	-0.02	12.16	0.14	0.9373

RR data

N	6
NS	6

Wt	428.77
Het Chi	7.26
Het df	5
Het P	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.09
RRl	0.99
RRu	1.20
P	(+)
Random RR	1.09
RRl	0.96
RRu	1.24
P	N.S.
Asymm P	N.S.

Appendix Table G5 - 3

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

RR data

N	6	
NS	6	
Wt	428.77	
Het Chi	7.26	
Het df	5	
Het P	N.S.	
Fixed RR	1.09	
RRl	0.99	
RRu	1.20	
P	(+)	
Random RR	1.09	
RRl	0.96	
RRu	1.24	
P	N.S.	
Asymm P	N.S.	
	<u>Sex</u>	
	both	male female Total
N	6	6
NS	6	6
Wt	428.77	428.77
Het Chi	7.26	7.26
Het df	5	5
Het P	N.S.	N.S.
Fixed RR	1.09	1.09
RRl	0.99	0.99
RRu	1.20	1.20
P	(+)	(+)
Random RR	1.09	1.09
RRl	0.96	0.96
RRu	1.24	1.24
P	N.S.	N.S.
Between Chi		
Between df		
Between P		N.S.

Appendix Table G5 - 7

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)

Excluded studies (and stage at which they were excluded)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	ADDOYO AGUDOT AKCAKA ALBA ALDAWO ALFRA1 ALFRA2 ANDRAE ANNES2 ANNESI ARIF ARSHAD AZIZI BALL BARRET BECKET BENCIV BENER BERGMA BRABIN BURCHF BURR BUTZ CALL CELEDO CHEN1 CHEN2 CHHABR CHINN CLARK CSONKA CUNNI2 DAIGLE DEBENE DEKKER DEKOK DELL DIJKST DODGE DOLD DOTTER DUHME1 DUHME2 DUHME3 DUHME4 ECE EHRLI1 EHRLI2 FAGBUL FARBE1 FARBE2 FARBE3 FAROOQ FERGUS FIELDE FLYNN1 FLYNN2 FORAST FORSB1 FORSB2 FORSB3 FREEM1 FREEM2 FUJI GOLD GOREN1 GOREN2 GOREN3 GOREN4 GOREN5 GOREN6 GORTM1 GORTM2 GUPTA GURKAN HABY HAJNAL HALONE HJERN1 HJERN2 HOST HU1 HU2 HUGHES INFANT JAAKK2 JAAKKO JANG JENKIN JONES KABESC KALYO1 KALYO2 KAPLAN KARUNA KASPER KAY KEARNE KELLY KENDIR KERSHA KIVITY KNIGHT KUEHR KUHR LAM1 LAM2 LAU LEE1 LEE2 LEE3 LEEDER LEEN LEROUX LEVES1 LEVES2 LEVES3 LILLJE LINDFO LIS LISTER LOPEZC MAIER MARTIN MAVALE MCCON1 MCCON2 MCKEEV MELIA MELSON MILLER MOHAME MONTEF MONTEI MOUSSA MOYES1 MOYES2 MUMCUO MURRAY NICOLA NILSSO NITTA NYSTAD OCONNE ODDY OHARA OLIVET PALMIE PETERS PIC PIROGO POKHAR PONSON QIAN RASANE RATAGE RENNIE RIBEIR RONCH1 RONCH2 RONCH3 RONMA1 RONMA2 RONMA3 ROSASV RUDNIK SANZOR SARRAZ SCHMIT SELCUK SENNHA SHAMS2 SHAMSS SHERMA SHIVA SHOHAT SIGURS SOMERV SOTOQU SOYSET SPENGL SPIKE SQUILL STANHO STAIZI STERN1 STERN2 STODDA STRACH STURM TAYLOR TIMONE TOMINA TSIMOV ULRIK VARELA VAVILI VENNER VERHOE VOLKME VONMAF WANG WARKE WEITZ1 WEITZ2 WICKMA WIJGA WILLE1 WILLE2 WITHER WOLFO1 WOLFO2 WOLFO3 XU YANG YUAN ZEIGER ZEJDA ZHANG ZHENG															

Appendix Table G5 - 8

Children - Meta-analysis of In Life Only Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Potentially overlapping studies

REF	REFGP	PRINC	OVERLAP	Adjusted - insufficient data for metaanalysis												RR   SIG	
GILLIL GILLIL	1		MCCON1/GILLIL													*	n
NHANE3	67	b	c	7	11	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood	

## Appendix Table G6 -

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)

This analysis is restricted to results for:

- 1) Exposure both in utero and in life
- 2) Results not by amount of exposure
- 3) Results complete enough for use in metaanalysis

Within each study, results are then selected (in the following order of preference, within each sex) for:

- 4) ASTHMA : current, lifetime
- 5) EXPOS : in life element of exposure/non-exposure refers to Biochemical, Household (overall), Parent (mother), Parent (father)
- 6) RACE : all in study or nearest available, otherwise by race
- 7) ONSET : yes, no (prevalence)
- 8) For overlapping studies: principal rather than subsidiary studies, and for prospective studies, most recent follow-up

Finally by Age: whole study if available, otherwise by widest available age group  
and then for single sex results (m, f) in preference to results for both sexes combined (b).

Results adjusted for the most potential confounders are then chosen in Sections -1 to -3  
(and those which actually differ from the adjusted results in Appendix Table G3 - 1 are marked 'x' in Section -1)  
(Sections 4-6 not presented)

Section -7 shows excluded studies, together with the stage (as above) at which no qualifying results were found.

Section -8 lists the potentially overlapping studies which have been included (1=principal, 2=subsidiary), and any results which would have been included in preference except that they had data not complete enough for use in metaanalysis. It also lists their significance (yes/no), if known.

Appendix Table G6 - 1

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	CompG3	SEX	AST	AGEL	AGEH	RACE	LOC	BEGYR	PUBYR	STTYP	ADJ	EXPOS	EXPOS-time	UNEXsource	UNEXTI	BIOMEA
AGABI1	60	b	c	6	7	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	11	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
AGABI2	60	b	c	13	14	all	Eu:Ita	1994	1999	CC	12	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-	
CUNN11	16	b	c	8	11	all	NAmer	1988	1996	CS	9	AnyHh	lifenotcurr	NoHhMemb	othr	-	
GILLIL	27	x	b	c	7	19	all	NAmer	1993	2001	CS	8	AnyHh	in life	NoHhMemb	non	-
HAJNAL	4	b	c	1	6	14	all	Eu:wst	1992	1999	CS	13	Mother	current	NotMothr	non	-
NHANE3	62	x	b	c	4	6	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood
STERN2	2	x	b	c	7	12	all	NAmer	*	1989	CS	0	Mother	<2y	NotMothr	non	-
TARIQ	9	b	c	4	4	all	Eu:UK	1989	2000	Pr	0	Mother	in life	NotMothr	non	-	

Appendix Table G6 - 2

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Numbers Exposed		Non-exposed		RR	95.00%CI
				Case	Control	Case	Control		
AGABI1	60	b	11	178	-	536	-	1.52	( 1.27- 1.83)
AGABI2	60	b	12	172	-	780	-	1.21	( 1.02- 1.45)
CUNN11	16	b	9	-	-	-	-	0.96	( 0.63- 1.48)
GILLIL	27	b	8	80	-	230	-	1.30	( 0.90- 1.80)
HAJNAL	4	b	13	-	-	-	-	1.31	( 0.92- 1.85)
NHANE3	62	b	4	-	-	-	-	7.24	( 2.51- 20.89)
STERN2	2	b	0	-	-	-	-	0.98	( 0.68- 1.41)
TARIQ	9	b	0	32	160	121	732	1.21	( 0.79- 1.85)
Partial Totals				462	160	1667	732		

\*prospective study

REF	NRR	SEX	ADJ	Ys	Ws	Qs	Ps
AGABI1	60	b	11	0.42	115.15	2.90	0.0000
AGABI2	60	b	12	0.19	124.18	0.60	0.0337
CUNN11	16	b	9	-0.04	21.06	1.91	0.8514
GILLIL	27	b	8	0.26	31.98	0.00	0.1379
HAJNAL	4	b	13	0.27	31.49	0.00	0.1297
NHANE3	62	b	4	1.98	3.42	10.12	0.0003
STERN2	2	b	0	-0.02	28.89	2.27	0.9135
TARIQ	9	b	0	0.19	21.22	0.10	0.3801

RR data

N	8
NS	8

Wt	377.40
Het Chi	17.90
Het df	7
Het P	*
Fixed RR	1.30
RR1	1.17
RRu	1.43
P	+++
Random RR	1.29
RR1	1.07
RRu	1.55
P	++
Asymm P	N.S.

Appendix Table G6 - 3

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Adjusted

RR data

N	8	
NS	8	
Wt	377.40	
Het Chi	17.90	
Het df	7	
Het P	*	
Fixed RR	1.30	
RRl	1.17	
RRu	1.43	
P	+++	
Random RR	1.29	
RRl	1.07	
RRu	1.55	
P	++	
Asymm P	N.S.	
	<u>Sex</u>	
	both	male female Total
N	8	8
NS	8	8
Wt	377.40	377.40
Het Chi	17.90	17.90
Het df	7	7
Het P	*	*
Fixed RR	1.30	1.30
RRl	1.17	1.17
RRu	1.43	1.43
P	+++	+++
Random RR	1.29	1.29
RRl	1.07	1.07
RRu	1.55	1.55
P	++	++
Between Chi		
Between df		
Between P		N.S.

Appendix Table G6 - 7

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Excluded studies (and stage at which they were excluded)

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Appendix Table G6 - 8

Children - Meta-analysis of Both In Utero and In Life Exposure (vs No Exposure In Utero or In Life)  
Current Asthma (or Lifetime if Current not available)  
Potentially overlapping studies

REF	REFGP	PRINC	OVERLAP	Adjusted - insufficient data for metaanalysis													RR   SIG
GILLIL GILLIL	1	MCCON1/GILLIL															*
STERN2 STERN2	1	STERN1/STERN2															n
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NHANE3	65	b	c	7	11	w+b	NAmer	1988	2001	CS	4	Biochem	-	Low	-	blood	*
STERN2	4	b	c	7	12	all	NAmer	*	1989	CS	3	Mother	<2y	NotMothr	non	-	n