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Table S1. Search Strategy

Indicator	Searches
1	<p>Population: Pregnant women/ or Mothers/ or Maternal Age/ or Pregnancy in Adolescence/ or Pregnancy, Multiple/ or exp Perinatology/ or First Trimester, Pregnancy/ or Second Trimester, Pregnancy/ or Third Trimester, Pregnancy/ or Obstetrics/ or exp Maternal Behavior/ or Surrogate Mothers/ or Pregnancy Outcome/ or Prenatal Care/ or Perinatal Care/ or Postnatal Care/ or Postpartum Period/ or Lactation/ or Pregnancy Complications/ or (pregnan* or pregnan* wom#n* or mother* or mom* or surroga* or matern* or preconcept* or pre-concept* or "pre concept*" or periconcept* or peri-concept* or "peri concept*" or "multi*pregnan*" or "child birth " or child-birth or childbirth or "term birth or trimester" or (pregnan* and (expecting or reproductive age or women of reproductive age or WRA)) or partus or lactation or fetal or foetal or fetus or foetus or obstetric* or labo#r or childbear* or "child-bear*" or "gestation*" or (("reproductive age" or "wom#n of reproductive age") and pregnan*) or antenatal or ante-natal or "ante natal " or pre-natal or "pre natal " or prenatal or perinatal or peri-natal or "peri natal" or prepartum or pre-partum or "pre partum" or perinatology or peripartum or peri-partum or "peri partum " or puerper* or postpartum or post-partum or "post partum " or postnatal or post-natal or "post natal " or surrogate or "pregnant wom#n" or paturiency or child-carrying or "child carrying").mp. or ((pregnan* wom#n* or matern* or pregnan*) and ("postnatal care" or "post-partum")).tw,kf.</p>
2	<p>Intervention 1: Single and Multiple Micronutrient Micronutrients/ or vitamins/ or minerals/ or exp iron/ or exp iron compounds/ or iron, dietary/ or vitamin A/ or exp iodine/ or exp zinc or exp zinc compounds/ or exp vitamin D/ or (micronutrient* or multinutrient* or multi-nutrient* or "multi*nutrient" or "multimicro-nutrient*" or "multimicronutrient*" or multivitamin* or "multi-vitamin*" or multimineral* or "multi-mineral*" or "multiple micro nutrient*" or "multiple micronutrient" or micro-nutrient* or MMN or "essential vitamins*" or minerals* or "m.v.i. pediatric" or "trace element*" or "trace mineral*" or "trace metal" or vitamin* or davitamin or "vitamin d" or "hydroxyvitamin d" or vitamin-d or "25 hydroxyvitamin d" or "25 hydroxy-vitamin d" or "25-hydroxyvitamin d" or "25-hydroxy-vitamin d" or "25-hydroxyvitamin d" or 25ohd or "25-oh-vitamin d" or 25-ohd or "vitamin d2" or vitamin-d2 or "25-hydroxyvitamin d2" or "25-hydroxy-vitamin d2" or "vitamin d3" or vitamin-d3 or "25 hydroxyvitamin d3" or "25 hydroxyvitamin d3" or "25-hydroxy-vitamin d3" or calcidiol or calcifediol or calcium or retinol* or retinal* or Retinaldehyde or retinoid or Retinoids or retinoic or beta-carotene or "beta carotene" or iron or "Fe(III)" or "Fe3+" or "iron(III) " or "Ferrous ion" or "Fe(II)" or "iron(II)" or "Fe2+" or "ferr* compounds" or zinc or "zn" or "zn acetate" or "zn sulfate" or "zn oxide" or iodine or "iod* compounds" or "ferr* compounds" or "folic acid" or "ergocalciferol derivative" or "ergocalciferol-D2" or cholecalciferol-D3 or "colecalfiferol derivative" or iodiz* or "beta carotene" or "b-tene" or "beta carotin" or betacarotene).tw,kf</p>
3	<p>Exp Dietary supplements/ or tablets/ or syrup/ or capsules/ or (supplement* or nutraceutical* or nutraceutical* or neutraceutical* or capsule* or tablet* or syrup* or drop*).tw,kf</p>
4	<p>1 AND 2 AND 3</p>
5	<p>Intervention 2: Lipid-nutrient supplementation exp Lipids/ or (lipid* or oil* or soy* or peanut* or whey* or sesame* or cashew* or chickpea* or protein* or butter* or fat or fats or fatty or "dairy product*" or "omega-3" or "omega 3" or "alpha-linolenic acid" or "docosahexaenoic acids" or "eicosapentaenoic acid" or "n-3 pufa" or "n3 pufa" or glyceride*).tw,kf</p>

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6	Dietary supplements/ or ("lipid based" or "lipid-based nutri*" or enrich* or emuls* or "Lipid Emulsions" or "Fat Emulsions" or "Intravenous Fat Emulsions" or powder* or spread* or paste* or LNS or iLiNS or supplement* or neutraceutical* or nutraceutical* or nutraceutical* or Nutributter* or Plumpy* or PlumpyNut or "ready to use" or "ready-to-use therapeutic food" or "ready-to-use supplementary food" or RUFF or RUSF or RUTF).tw,kf
7	1 AND 5 AND 6
8	Intervention 3: Point of use fortification with micronutrient powders Exp Vitamins/ or exp minerals/ or exp micronutrients/
9	Powders/ or (Sprinkle* or powder* or foodlet* or "foodlet-based" or "crushable nutritabs" or "micronutrient powder" or "multiple micronutrient powder" or mnp or "drug dosage form" or "micronutrient powder*" or "MNP").tw,kf
10	("point-of-use" or enrich* or fortif* or "diet therapy" or supplement* or "diet treatment" or "diet additive" or "dietary therapy" or "dietary treatment" or nutraceutical* or nutraceutical* or neutraceutical*).tw,kf
11	1 AND 8 AND 9 AND 10
12	Developing Countries/ or developing country*.tw, kf or ("developing country" or "developing countries" or "developing nation" or "developing nations" or "developing population" or "developing populations" or "developing world" or "less developed country" or "less developed countries" or "less developed nation" or "less developed nations" or "less developed population" or "less developed populations" or "less developed world" or "lesser developed country" or "lesser developed countries" or "lesser developed nation" or "lesser developed nations" or "lesser developed population" or "lesser developed populations" or "lesser developed world" or "under developed country" or "under developed countries" or "under developed nation" or "under developed nations" or "under developed population" or "under developed populations" or "under developed world" or "underdeveloped country" or "underdeveloped countries" or "underdeveloped nation" or "underdeveloped nations" or "underdeveloped population" or "underdeveloped populations" or "underdeveloped world" or "middle income country" or "middle income countries" or "middle income nation" or "middle income nations" or "middle income population" or "middle income populations" or "low income country" or "low income countries" or "low income nation" or "low income nations" or "low income population" or "low income populations" or "lower income country" or "lower income countries" or "lower income nation" or "lower income nations" or "lower income population" or "lower income populations" or "underserved country" or "underserved countries" or "underserved nation" or "underserved nations" or "underserved population" or "underserved populations" or "underserved world" or "under served country" or "under served countries" or "under served nation" or "under served nations" or "under served population" or "under served populations" or "under served world" or "deprived country" or "deprived countries" or "deprived nation" or "deprived nations" or "deprived population" or "deprived populations" or "deprived world" or "poor country" or "poor countries" or "poor nation" or "poor nations" or "poor population" or "poor populations" or "poor world" or "poorer country" or "poorer countries" or "poorer nation" or "poorer nations" or "poorer population" or "poorer populations" or "poorer world" or "developing economy" or "developing economies" or "less developed economy" or "less developed economies" or "lesser developed economy" or "lesser developed economies" or "under developed economy" or "under developed economies" or "underdeveloped economy" or "underdeveloped economies" or "middle income economy" or "middle income economies" or "low income economy" or "low income economies" or "lower income economy" or "lower income economies" or "low gdp" or "low gnp" or "low gross domestic" or "low gross national" or "lower gdp" or "lower gnp" or "lower gross domestic" or "lower gross national" or lmic or lmics or "third world" or "lami country" or "lami countries" or "transitional country" or "transitional countries" or Africa or Asia or Caribbean Region or West Indies or South America or Latin America or Central America or Afghanistan or Albania or Algeria or

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13	4 AND 12
14	7 AND 12
15	11 AND 12
16	13 OR 14 OR 15
17	Limit 16 to yr "1995-current"

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Table S2. Summary of Study Characteristics

Author	Year	Country	World Region	Study Design	Sample Size	Included in Analysis	Comparisons	Intervention Received	Comparison/Control Received	Provision of Additional Micronutrients
Ahmad et al.	2015	Bangladesh	South Asia	RCT	56	✓	Zinc vs. placebo	Zinc (20 mg)	Placebo	---
Aminisani et al.	2009	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	196	✓	Zinc vs. placebo	Zinc (50 mg)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 1 mg)
Asemi et al.	2013	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	48	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (400 IU)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)
Asemi et al.	2016	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	46	✓	MMN vs. IFA	Calcium (475-600 mg) + Vitamin D (190-240 IU)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 50 mg, FA 400 ug)
Ashorn et al.	2015	Malawi	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	1391	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) LNS vs. MMN	1) MMN (20 mg Fe) 2) LNS (20 g)	Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug	---
Belizan et al.	1997	Argentina	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	1194	✓	Calcium vs placebo	Calcium (500 mg x 4 tablets)	placebo	---
Bhutta et al.	2009	Pakistan	South Asia	crCT	2378	✓	MMN vs IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug	---
Castillo-Duran et al.	2001	Chile	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	804	✓	Zinc vs. placebo	Zinc (20 mg)	Placebo	Fe (40 mg)
Caulfield et al.	1999	Peru	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	538	✓	1) Zinc vs. placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug, Zinc 15 mg)	Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug	---
Charandabi et al.	2015	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	126	✓	1) Calcium + Vitamin D vs. placebo 2) Vitamin D vs. placebo	1) Calcium (300 mg) + Vitamin D (1000 IU) 2) Vitamin D (1000 IU)	Placebo	---
Choudhury et al.	2012	Bangladesh	South Asia	crCT	478	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 60 mg)	Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug	---
Christian et al.	2003	Nepal	South Asia	crCT	4926	✓	1) IFA vs. FA and Iron vs. placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA 3) Zinc vs. placebo	1) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug) 2) MMN (Fe 60 mg) 3) IFA + Zinc (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug, Zinc 30 mg)	1) FA (400 ug) 2) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug) 3) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Cox et al.	2005	Ghana	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	98	✓	Vitamin A vs. placebo	Vitamin A (10,000 IU)	Placebo	---
Darling et al.	2017	Tanzania	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	2500	✓	1) Vitamin A vs. placebo 2) Zinc vs. placebo	1) Vitamin A (2500 IU) 2) Zinc (25 mg)	Placebo	---
Dewey et al.	2009	Ghana	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	1320	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) LNS vs. MMN	1) MMN (Fe 20 mg) 2) LNS (20 g)	1) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug) 2) MMN (Fe 20 mg)	---
Dijkhuizen et al.	2001	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	229	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) Zinc vs. placebo	1) MMN (Zinc 30 mg, Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	1) IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Diogenes et al.	2013	Brazil	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	84	---	Calcium + Vitamin D vs. placebo	Calcium (600 mg) + Vitamin D (200 IU)	Placebo	---
Duggan et al.	2014	India	South Asia	RCT	366	---	Vitamin B12 vs. placebo	Vitamin B12 (50 ug)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 500 ug)
Etheredge et al.	2015	Tanzania	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	1500	✓	Iron vs. placebo	Iron (60 mg)	Placebo	FA 5000 ug
Falahi et al.	2010	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	148	✓	Iron vs. placebo	Iron (60 mg)	Placebo	---
Fawzi et al.	2007	Tanzania	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	8428	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN	Placebo	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug)
Friis et al.	2004	Zimbabwe	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	1669	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN	Placebo	IFA (component amounts not reported)
Gowachariant et al.	2017	Thailand	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	832	---	Iodine vs. placebo	Iodine (200 ug)	Placebo	---
Hafeez et al.	2005	Pakistan	South Asia	RCT	242	✓	Zinc vs. placebo	Zinc (20 mg)	Placebo	IFA (component amounts not reported)
Hambidge et al.	2019	DRC, Guatemala, India & Pakistan	Multi-country	RCT	7376	---	LNS vs. placebo	LNS	Placebo	---
Hanhie et al.	2013	Vietnam	East Asia & Pacific	crCT	833	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 60 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Hossain et al.	2012	Pakistan	South Asia	RCT	200	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (4000 IU)	Placebo	Ferrous sulphate (200 mg) and calcium lactate (600 mg)
Huy et al.	2009	Vietnam	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	1579	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Huybregts et al.	2009	Burkina Faso	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	1296	✓	LNS vs. MMN	LNS	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	sulfadoxine-pyrimethamine (malaria prevention)
Jarjou et al.	2008	Gambia	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	155	---	Calcium vs. placebo	Calcium (1500 mg)	Placebo	---
Khan et al.	2016	Pakistan	South Asia	RCT	85	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (4000 IU)	Placebo	---
Kirkwood et al.	2010	Ghana	Sub-Saharan Africa	crCT	207781	✓	Vitamin A vs. placebo	Vitamin A (25,000 IU)	Placebo	---
Korkmaz et al.	2014	Turkey	Europe & Central Asia	RCT	108	---	Iron vs. placebo Folic acid vs. placebo	Iron (60 mg) Folic Acid (400 ug)	Placebo	---
Kumar et al.	2009	India	South Asia	RCT	552	✓	Calcium vs. placebo	Calcium (500 mg)	Placebo	---
Kaestel et al.	2005	Guinea-Bissau	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	2100	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Liu et al.	2013	China	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	18775	✓	1) IFA vs FA and Iron vs. placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA	1) IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug) 2) MMN (Fe 30 mg)	1) FA (400 ug) 2) IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Lopez-Jaramillo et al.	1997	Ecuador	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	260	✓	Calcium vs. placebo	Calcium (500 mg x 4 tablets)	Placebo	---
Menendez et al.	1995	Gambia	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	550	✓	1) Iron vs. placebo 2) IFA vs. FA	Iron (60 mg)	Placebo	FA (5000 ug)

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Merialdi et al.	2004	Peru	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	242	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) Zinc vs. placebo	MMN (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug, Zinc 25 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug)	---
Moore et al.	2012	Gambia	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	875	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) LNS vs. MMN	1) MMN (Fe 60 mg) 2) LNS	1) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug) 2) MMN (Fe 60 mg)	---
Muslimatun et al.	2001	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	243	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) Vitamin A vs. placebo	1) MMN (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug, Vitamin A 2400 retinol equivalents)	1) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug)	---
Naghshineh et al.	2016	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	140	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (600 IU)	Placebo	---
Osendarp et al.	2000	Bangladesh	South Asia	RCT	559	✓	Zinc vs. placebo	Zinc (30 mg)	Placebo	---
Osrin et al.	2005	Nepal	South Asia	RCT	1200	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Ouladsahebmadarek et al.	2011	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	960	✓	Iron vs. placebo	Iron (30 mg)	Placebo	multivitamin tablet
Prawirohartono et al.	2011	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	2173	---	1) Vitamin A vs. placebo 2) Zinc vs. placebo	1) Vitamin A (2400 IU) 2) Zinc (20 mg)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug)
Preziosi et al.	1997	Niger	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	197	✓	Iron vs. placebo	Iron (100 mg)	Unclear if placebo was given, or nothing at all	---
Ramakrishnan et al.	2003	Mexico	Latin America & Caribbean	RCT	873	✓	MMN vs. Iron	MMN (Fe 60 mg)	Iron (60 mg)	---
Roberfroid et al.	2008	Burkina Faso	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	1426	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Roth et al.	2013	Bangladesh	South Asia	RCT	160	✓	1) Vitamin D vs. placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA	Vitamin D (35,000 IU)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 66 mg, FA 350 ug)
Roth et al.	2018	Bangladesh	South Asia	RCT	1300	✓	1) Vitamin D vs. placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA	Vitamin D (35,000 IU)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 66 mg, FA 350 ug)
Saaka et al.	2009	Ghana	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	600	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 40 mg, Zinc 40 mg)	Placebo	FA 400 ug
Sabet et al.	2012	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	50	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (100,000 IU 3 times per month)	Placebo	---
Sablak et al.	2015	India	South Asia	RCT	180	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (60,000 IU if vitamin D sufficient; 120,000 IU if vitamin D deficient)	Placebo	---
Sahu et al.	2009	India	South Asia	RCT	139	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (120,000 IU twice during pregnancy)	Placebo	---
Semba et al.	2001	Malawi	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	203	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) Vitamin A vs. placebo	MMN (Vitamin A 10,000IU, Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Sorouri et al.	2016	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	540	✓	1) MMN vs. IFA 2) Zinc vs. placebo	MMN (Zinc 15 mg)	Placebo	IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)
SUMMIT et al.	2008	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	cRCT	31290	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30mg)	IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Sunawang et al.	2009	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	cRCT	843	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 250 ug)	---
Taherian et al.	2002	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	990	---	Calcium + Vitamin D vs. placebo	Calcium (500mg) + Vitamin D (200 IU)	Placebo	---
Tanumihardjo et al.	2002	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	27	✓	1) Iron vs. placebo 2) Vitamin A vs. placebo	1) Iron (60 mg) 2) Vitamin A (8000 IU)	Placebo	---
Tofail et al.	2008	Bangladesh	South Asia	RCT	2472	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30mg)	IFA (Fe 30 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Vaziri et al.	2016	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	127	✓	Vitamin D vs. placebo	Vitamin D (2000 IU)	Placebo	---
Villar et al.	2006	India, Peru, South Africa & Vietnam	Multi-country	RCT	8325	✓	1) Calcium vs. placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA	Calcium (1500 mg)	Placebo	IFA (component amounts not reported)
West et al.	1999	Nepal	South Asia	cRCT	30110	✓	Vitamin A vs. Placebo	Vitamin A (23,300 IU)	Placebo	5mg of dl-alpha-tocopherol as an antioxidant
West et al.	2011	Bangladesh	South Asia	cRCT	39632	✓	Vitamin A vs. placebo	Vitamin A (23,300 IU)	Placebo	---
West et al.	2014	Bangladesh	South Asia	cRCT	45000	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 27 mg)	IFA (Fe 27mg, FA 600 ug)	---
Zagré et al.	2007	Niger	Sub-Saharan Africa	cRCT	3670	✓	MMN vs. IFA	MMN (Fe 30 mg)	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Zeng et al.	2008	China	East Asia & Pacific	cRCT	3811	✓	1) IFA vs. FA and Iron vs. Placebo 2) MMN vs. IFA	1) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug) 2) MMN (Fe 30 mg)	1) FA (400 ug) 2) IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	---
Zhao et al.	2015	China	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	2371	✓	IFA vs. FA and Iron vs. Placebo	IFA (Fe 60 mg, FA 400 ug)	FA (400 ug)	---
Ziaei et al.	2007	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	750	✓	Iron vs. Placebo and IFA vs. FA	Iron (60 mg)	Placebo	FA (1000 ug)
Ziaei et al.	2008	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	244	✓	Iron vs. placebo	Iron (60 mg)	Placebo	---

Fe, iron; FA, folic acid; MMN, multiple micronutrient; IFA, iron-folic acid; LNS, lipid-based nutrient supplement

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Table S3. Descriptive Summary of Additional Studies (not included in meta-analyses)

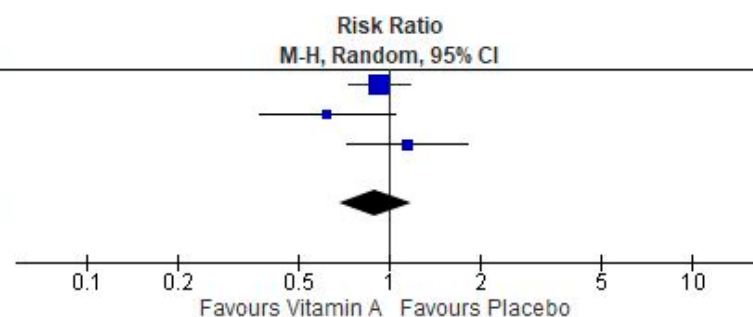
Author	Year	Country	World Region	Study Design	Sample Size	Reason for exclusion from meta-analysis	Intervention Received	Comparison/Control Received	Provision of Additional Micronutrients	Outcomes Reported & Findings
Diogenes et al.	2013	Brazil	Latin America & the Caribbean	RCT	84	No outcomes reported that could be pooled in a meta-analysis	Calcium plus vitamin D	Placebo	Iron Folic Acid	Outcomes: maternal bone measurements, total bone mineral content, total bone mineral density, serum vitamin D concentration. Serum vitamin D concentration levels in mothers who received supplementation were higher than those in mothers in the placebo group. The authors postulated an effect of increased calcium intake during pregnancy on reduced postpartum bone loss in mothers.
Duggan et al.	2014	India	South Asia	RCT	366	Insufficient number of studies to form a meta-analysis	Vitamin B12	Placebo	Iron Folic Acid	Outcomes: mode of delivery - Caesarean section, low birthweight, mean birth weight, infants with intrauterine growth retardation, maternal vitamin B12 concentrations (plasma), vitamin B12 concentrations in breastmilk Women in the intervention group had higher vitamin B12 plasma concentrations, and higher vitamin B12 concentrations in their breastmilk, than women in the placebo group. Mean birth weight did not differ significantly between intervention and control groups. In terms of IUGR incidence, 25% of mothers in the vitamin B12 group delivered an infant with IUGR, compared to 34% of mothers in the placebo group (P=0.11)
Gowachirapant et al.	2017	India Thailand	South Asia East Asia & Pacific	RCT	832	Insufficient number of studies to form a meta-analysis	Iodine	Placebo	None	Outcomes: child developmental outcomes (verbal and performance IQ scores), child's auditory performance, child weight, child height, maternal urinary iodine concentration, maternal thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH) concentration, maternal total thyroxine (T4) concentration. Authors noted no significant differences between the intervention and control groups in terms of any child development or health outcomes. Maternal urinary iodine concentration was higher in the iodine group than in the placebo group during pregnancy. These differences disappeared at 6-weeks postpartum. In terms of TSH and T4 levels in mothers, no significant differences were observed between the iodine and control groups.
Hambidge et al.	2019	Democratic Republic of Congo Guatemala India Pakistan	Sub-Saharan Africa Latin America & the Caribbean South Asia South Asia	RCT	7376	Insufficient number of studies to form a meta-analysis	LNS	Placebo	None	Outcomes: length-for-age (primary outcome), weight, head circumference, BMI, WAZ, HC-for-age, BMI for age, low birthweight, small-for-gestational age, preterm births Authors noted no significant difference in length-for-age z scores between the two intervention arms in all sites; however, a small effect was observed in intervention group 1 compared to the placebo group in Guatemala.
Jarjou et al.	2006	Gambia	Sub-Saharan Africa	RCT	155	No outcomes reported that could be pooled in a meta-analysis	Calcium	Placebo	None	Outcomes: maternal vitamin D serum concentration, bone mineral accretion in infants, birthweight (grams), blood pressure, urine biomarkers and calcium concentration in breastmilk Authors noted no significant differences between the intervention and control groups in terms of breastmilk concentrations of calcium, infant birth weight, infant growth or bone mineral status during the first year of life
Korkmaz et al.	2014	Turkey	Europe & Central Asia	RCT	108	No outcomes reported that could be pooled in a meta-analysis	Iron	Folate or Placebo	None	Outcomes: maternal weight, weight gain during pregnancy, serum albumin levels, oxidative stress markers (γ-glutamyl transferase) Authors noted that the oxidative stress markers were significantly higher in the intervention group compared to placebo (P<0.001). Maternal weight and weight gain during pregnancy was lower in the intervention group (iron) compared to the folate intervention group and the placebo group (P<0.05). Mean serum albumin concentrations were similar across all groups.
Prawirohartono et al.	2011	Indonesia	East Asia & Pacific	RCT	2173	No outcomes reported that could be pooled in a meta-analysis	Vitamin A only Zinc only Vitamin A & Zinc combined	Placebo	None	Outcomes: weight-for-age (WAZ), height-for-age (HAZ), weight-for-height (WHZ), low birthweight, small-for-gestational age, preterm births The study findings showed no effect of vitamin A or zinc, or combined vitamin or zinc, compared to placebo, on WAZ, HAZ and WHZ. For secondary outcomes (low birthweight, small-for-gestational age, preterm births), no significant differences were found between the intervention and control groups
Taherian et al.	2002	Iran	Middle East & North Africa	RCT	990	No outcomes reported that could be pooled in a meta-analysis	Calcium plus vitamin D	Placebo	None	Outcomes: pre-eclampsia Authors noted a reduction in the prevalence of pre-eclampsia in women who received either a low-dose aspirin daily or only calcium-vitamin D supplements, compared to placebo. Between the low-dose aspirin group and the calcium-vitamin D group, no differences were observed in terms of pre-eclampsia

Figure S1.

Comparison: Vitamin A Supplementation vs. Placebo/No Intervention

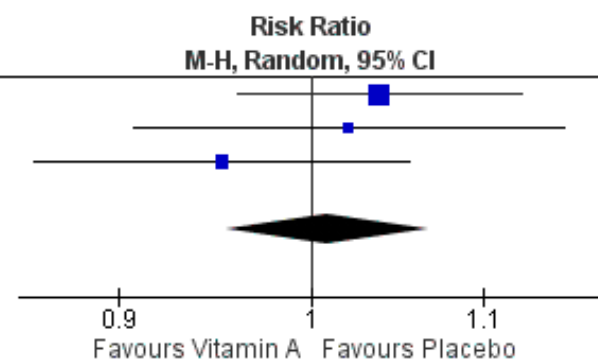
Maternal Mortality

Study or Subgroup	Vitamin A		Placebo		Weight	Risk Ratio
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI
Kirkwood 2010	138	39601	148	39234	53.8%	0.92 [0.73, 1.16]
West 1999	24	6402	36	5984	21.2%	0.62 [0.37, 1.04]
West 2011	39	16369	34	16412	25.1%	1.15 [0.73, 1.82]
Total (95% CI)		62372		61630	100.0%	0.90 [0.68, 1.18]
Total events	201		218			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.02; Chi ² = 3.09, df = 2 (P = 0.21); I ² = 35%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 0.78 (P = 0.44)						



Stillbirths

Study or Subgroup	Vitamin A		Placebo		Weight	Risk Ratio
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI
Kirkwood 2010 (1)	1241	38283	1183	37893	49.7%	1.04 [0.96, 1.12]
West 1999 (2)	524	5252	469	4800	21.8%	1.02 [0.91, 1.15]
West 2011 (3)	665	14450	703	14545	28.5%	0.95 [0.86, 1.06]
Total (95% CI)		57985		57238	100.0%	1.01 [0.96, 1.07]
Total events	2430		2355			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.00; Chi ² = 1.76, df = 2 (P = 0.42); I ² = 0%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 0.33 (P = 0.74)						



Footnotes

(1) *denominator calculated by adding # of stillbirths + # of pregnancies with live births (Deliveries)

(2) *denominator calculated by adding # of stillbirths + # of deliveries

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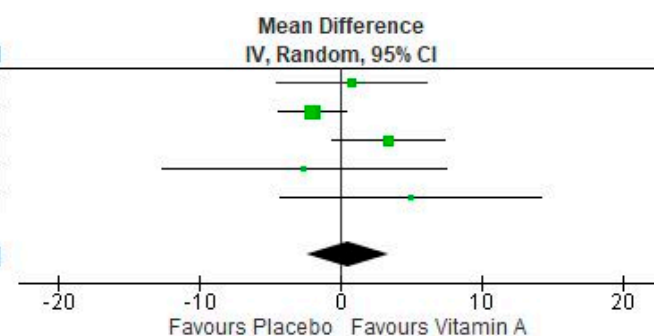
Supplementary Materials

Maternal serum/plasma hemoglobin concentration (umol/L)

Study or Subgroup	Vitamin A			Placebo			Weight	Mean Difference IV, Random, 95% CI
	Mean	SD	Total	Mean	SD	Total		
Cox 2005	113	11.7092	48	112.2	15.1304	50	19.1%	0.80 [-4.54, 6.14]
Darling 2017	104	23	661	106	22	671	38.8%	-2.00 [-4.42, 0.42]
Muslimatun 2001	114	11.8	71	110.6	10.92	53	26.4%	3.40 [-0.62, 7.42]
Semba 2001 (1)	4.7	36.5	63	7.3	16.59	52	7.3%	-2.60 [-12.68, 7.48]
Tanumihardjo 2002	109	6	7	104	11	7	8.4%	5.00 [-4.28, 14.28]
Total (95% CI)			850			833	100.0%	0.51 [-2.42, 3.43]

Heterogeneity: Tau² = 4.23; Chi² = 6.76, df = 4 (P = 0.15); I² = 41%

Test for overall effect: Z = 0.34 (P = 0.74)



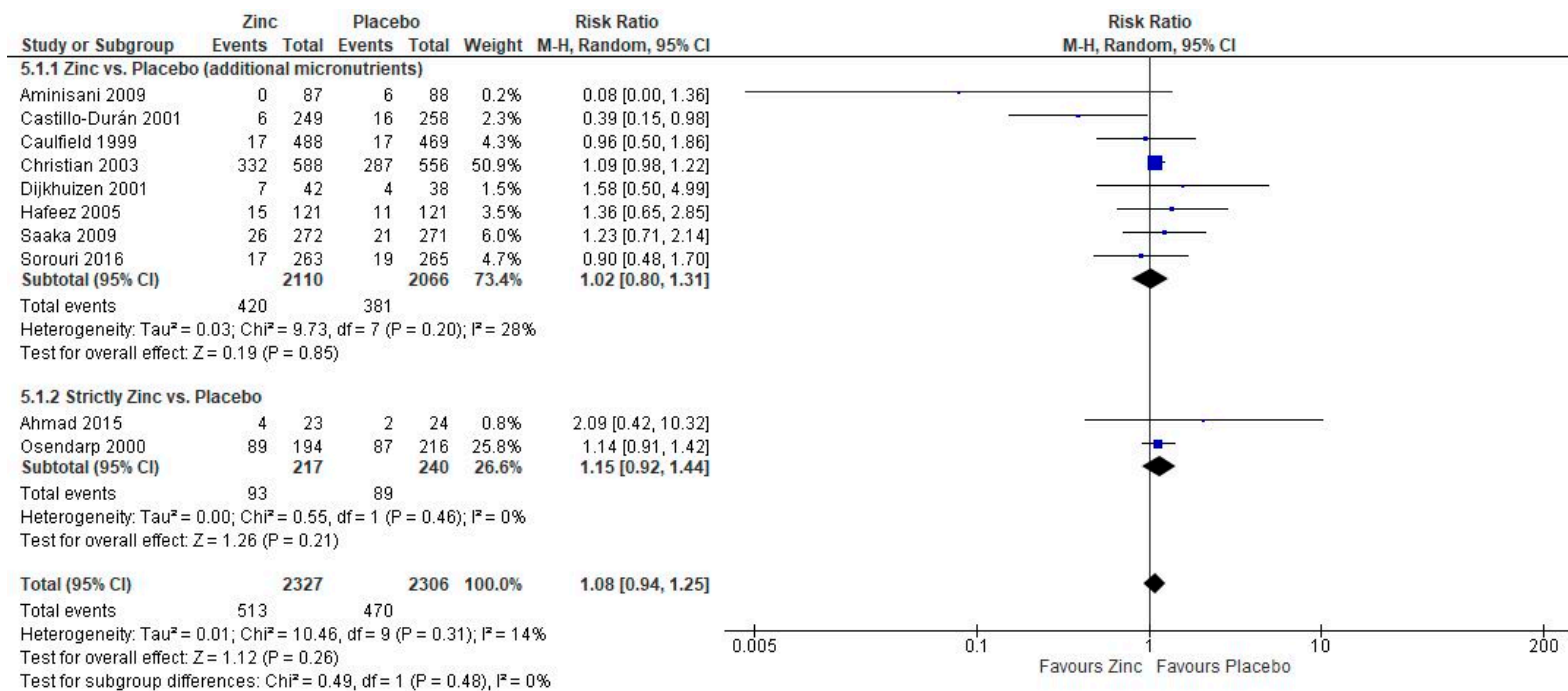
Footnotes

(1) SEM converted to SD; change score from enrollment to delivery was used

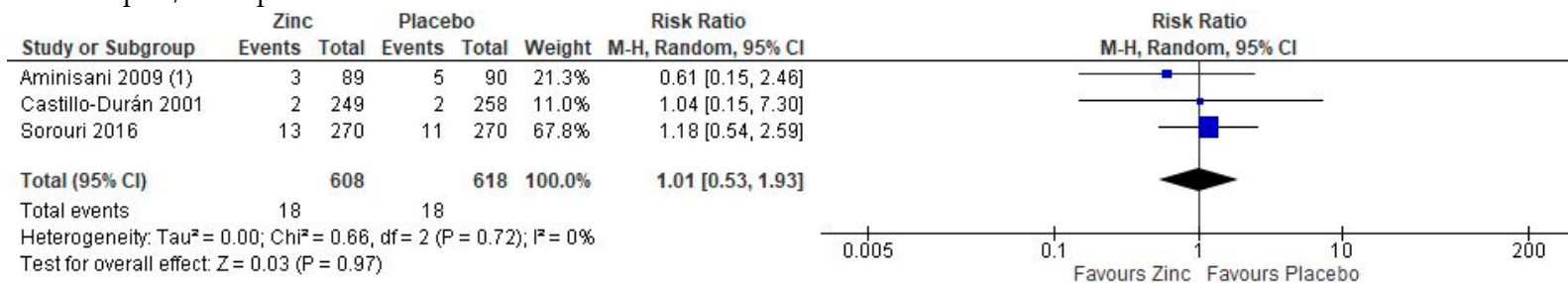
Supplementary Materials

Comparison: Zinc Supplementation vs. Placebo/No Intervention

Low birthweight



Preeclampsia/eclampsia



Footnotes

(1) *this includes eclampsia cases

Supplementary Materials

Preterm births

Study or Subgroup	Zinc		Placebo		Weight	Risk Ratio M-H, Random, 95% CI
	Events	Total	Events	Total		
5.4.1 Zinc vs. Placebo (additional micronutrients)						
Aminisani 2009	9	89	7	90	3.9%	1.30 [0.51, 3.34]
Castillo-Durán 2001	14	249	30	258	8.3%	0.48 [0.26, 0.89]
Caulfield 1999	29	521	30	495	11.5%	0.92 [0.56, 1.51]
Christian 2003	127	628	137	593	29.1%	0.88 [0.71, 1.08]
Dijkhuizen 2001	3	48	4	42	1.8%	0.66 [0.16, 2.77]
Hafeez 2005 (1)	22	121	10	121	6.5%	2.20 [1.09, 4.45]
Merialdi 2004	7	109	5	113	2.8%	1.45 [0.47, 4.44]
Saaka 2009	40	272	39	271	15.1%	1.02 [0.68, 1.54]
Sorouri 2016	14	270	15	270	6.4%	0.93 [0.46, 1.90]
Subtotal (95% CI)		2307		2253	85.4%	0.96 [0.76, 1.21]

Total events 265 277

Heterogeneity: Tau² = 0.04; Chi² = 12.00, df = 8 (P = 0.15); I² = 33%

Test for overall effect: Z = 0.37 (P = 0.71)

5.4.2 Strictly Zinc vs. Placebo

Ahmad 2015	1	23	2	24	0.7%	0.52 [0.05, 5.37]
Osendarp 2000	34	194	34	216	13.9%	1.11 [0.72, 1.72]
Subtotal (95% CI)		217		240	14.6%	1.09 [0.71, 1.66]

Total events 35 36

Heterogeneity: Tau² = 0.00; Chi² = 0.39, df = 1 (P = 0.53); I² = 0%

Test for overall effect: Z = 0.38 (P = 0.71)

Total (95% CI) 2524 2493 100.0% **0.97 [0.80, 1.17]**

Total events 300 313

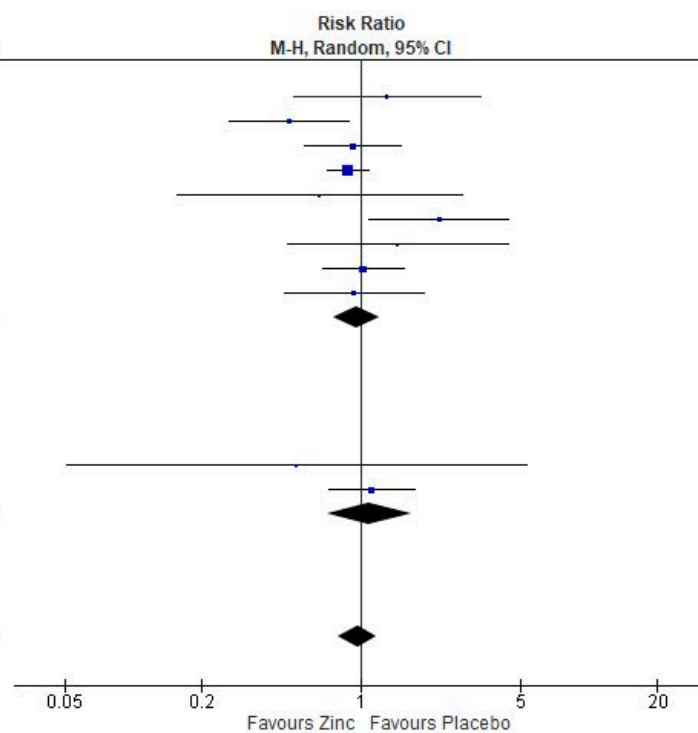
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Test for overall effect: Z = 0.35 (P = 0.73)

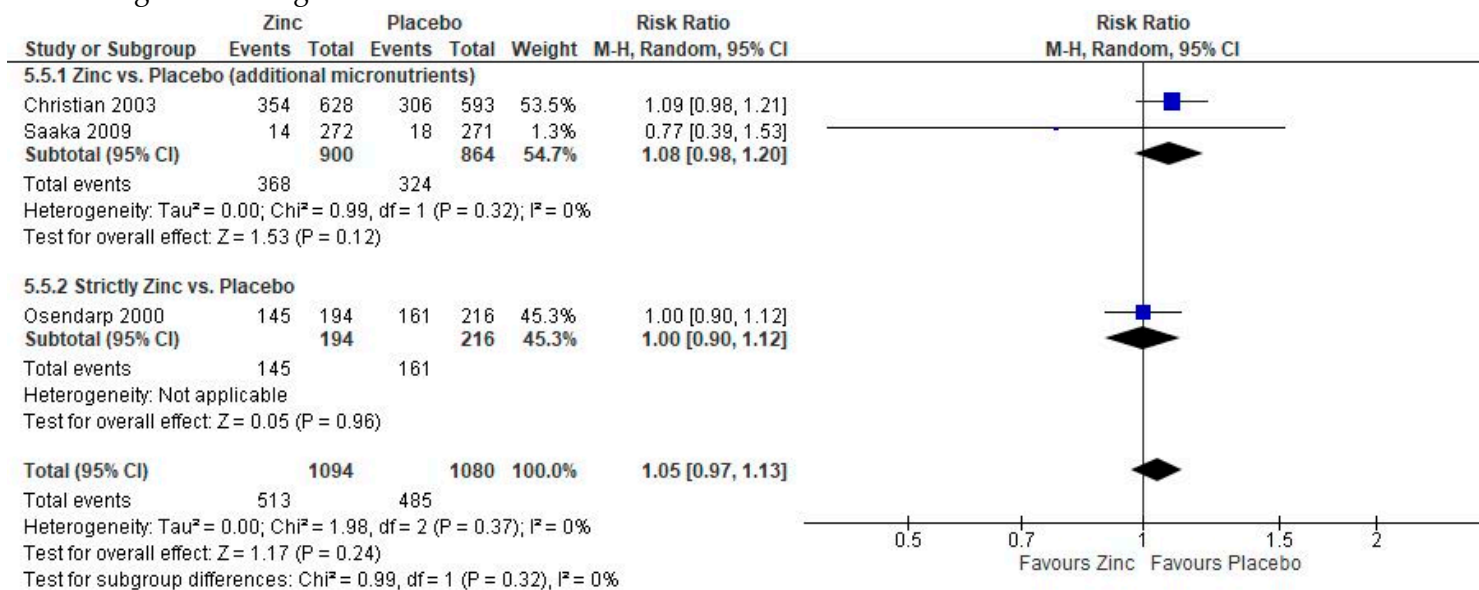
Test for subgroup differences: Chi² = 0.26, df = 1 (P = 0.61), I² = 0%

Footnotes

(1) *N event values for control and intervention group were rounded

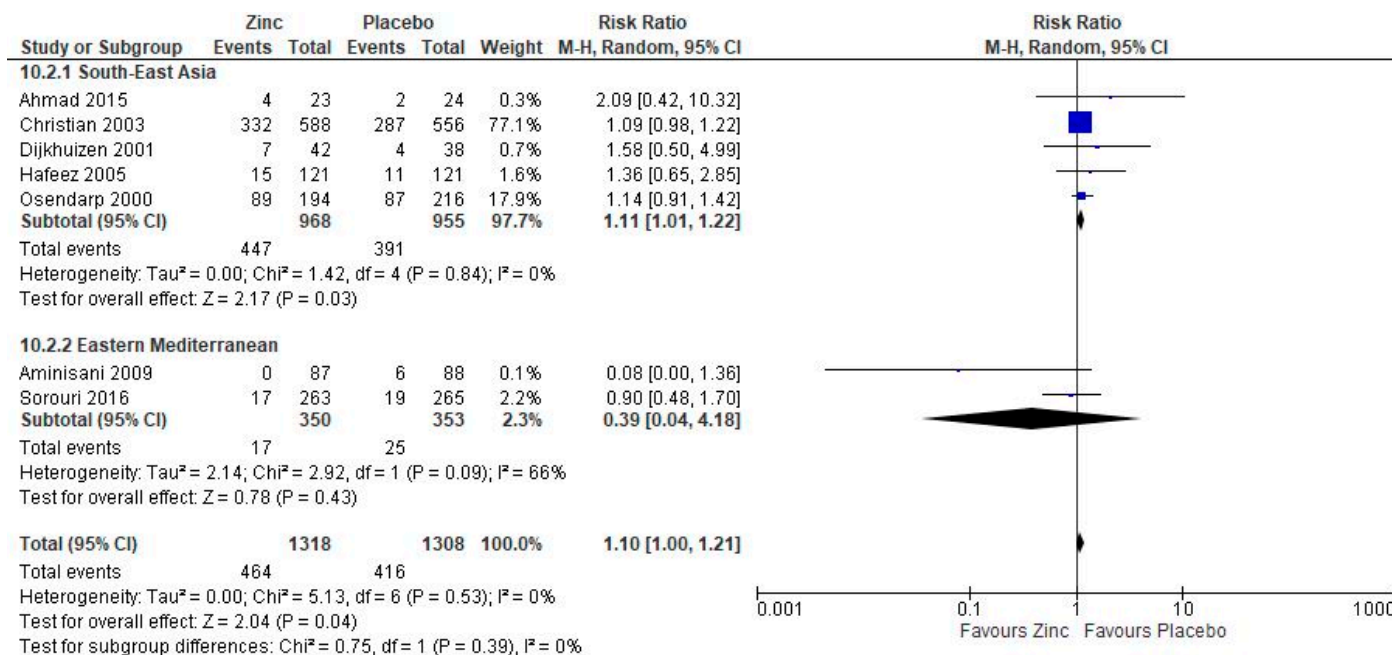


Supplementary Materials
Small-for-gestational age babies



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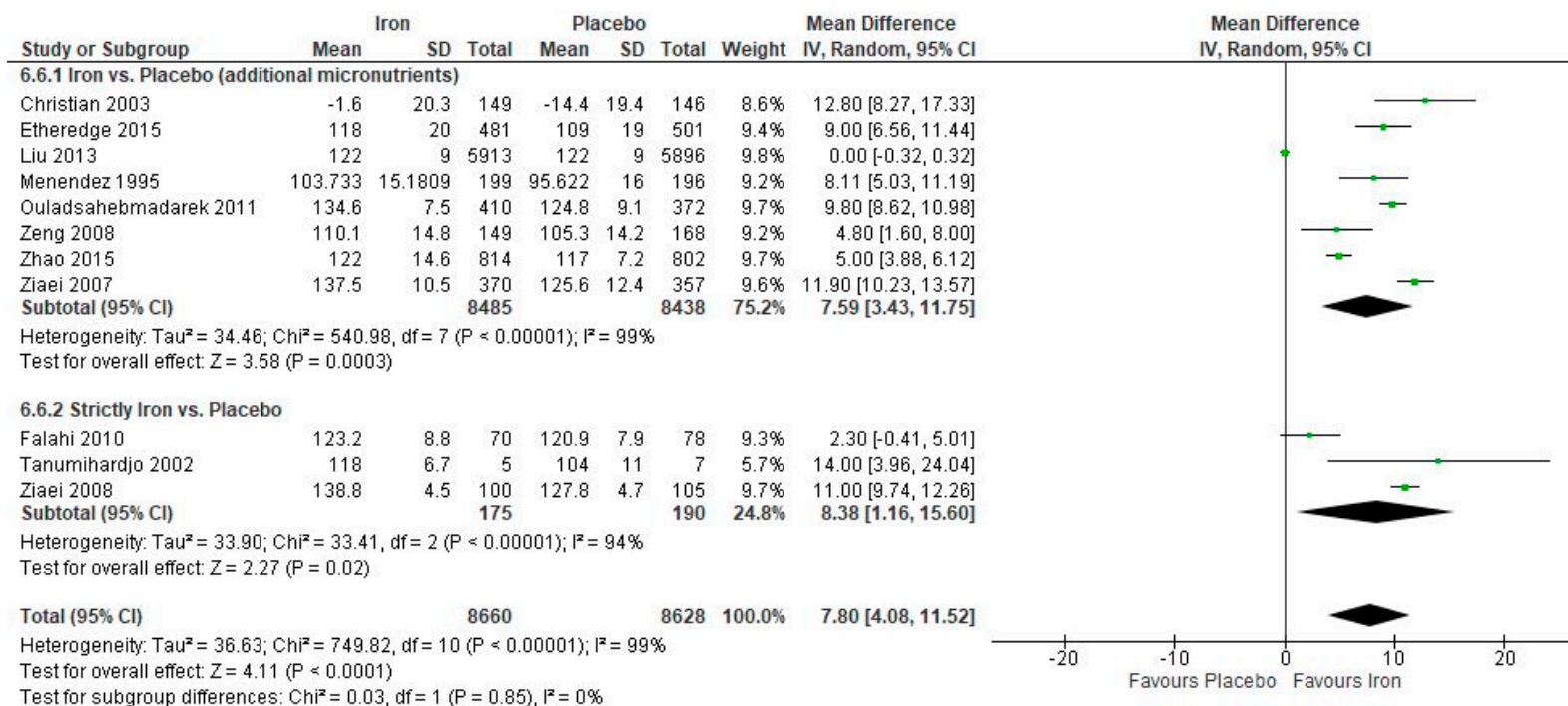
Subgroup analysis: Low birthweight babies (geographical region)



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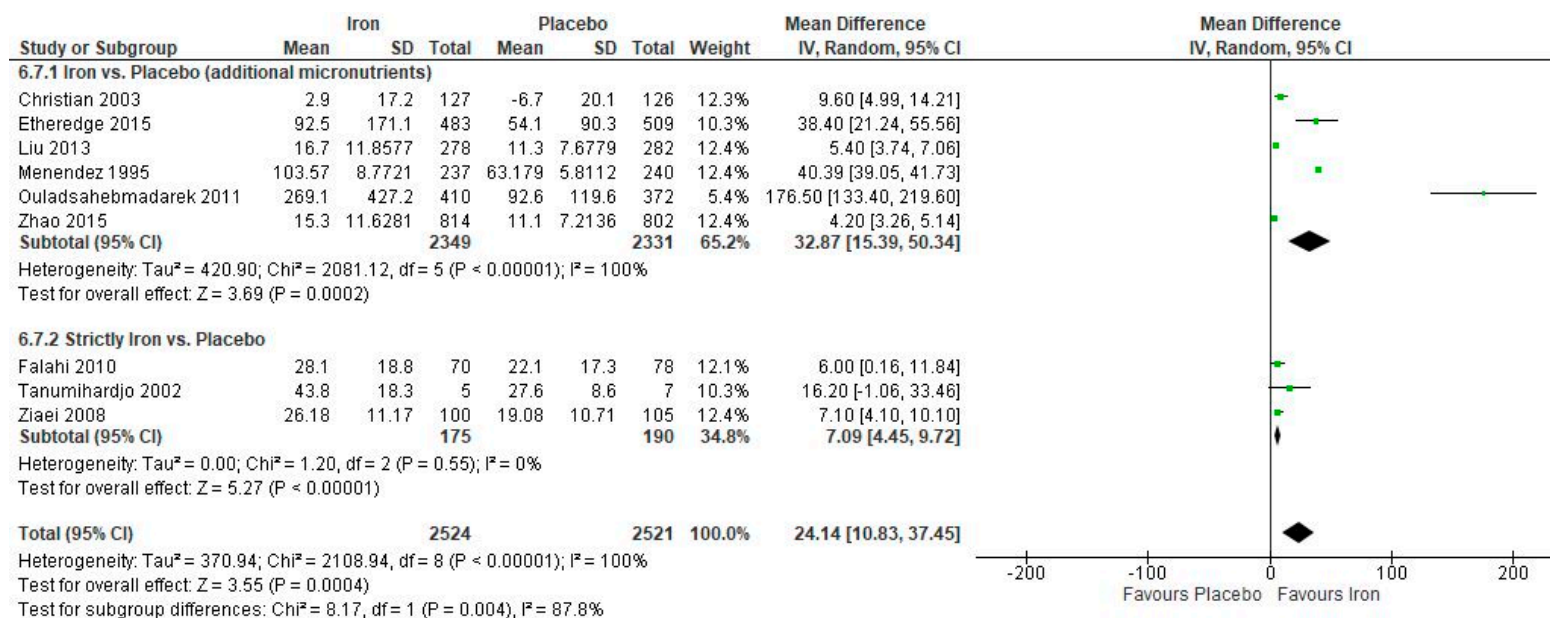
Comparison: Iron Supplementation vs. Placebo/No Intervention

Maternal hemoglobin concentration (g/L)

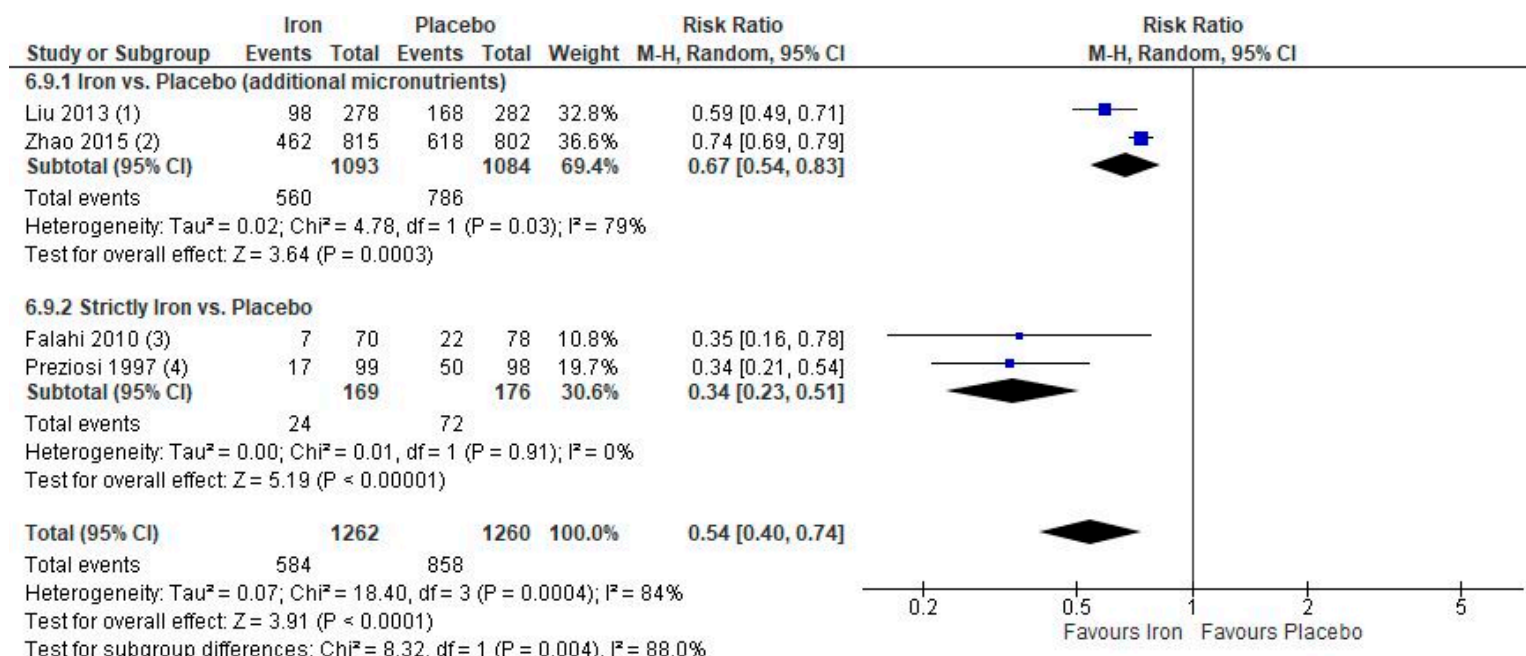


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Maternal serum/plasma ferritin concentration (ug/L)



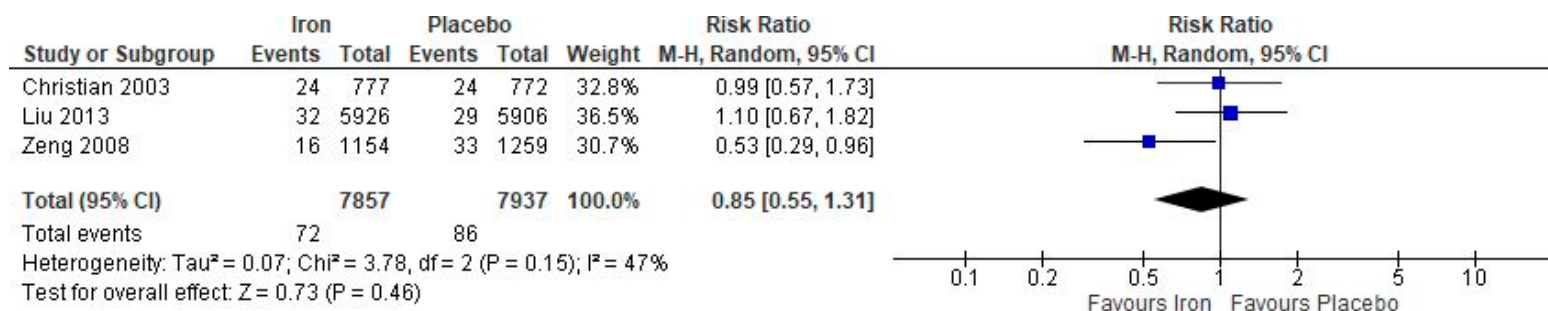
Supplementary Materials
Maternal iron deficiency



Footnotes

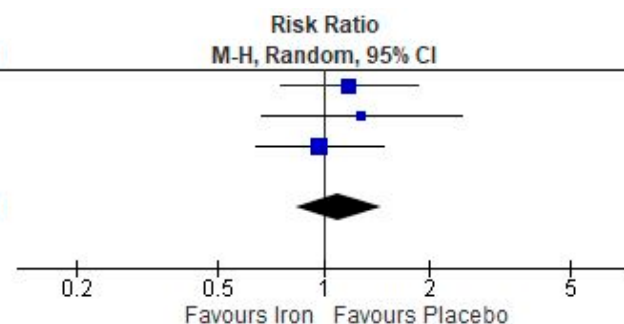
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Neonatal mortality



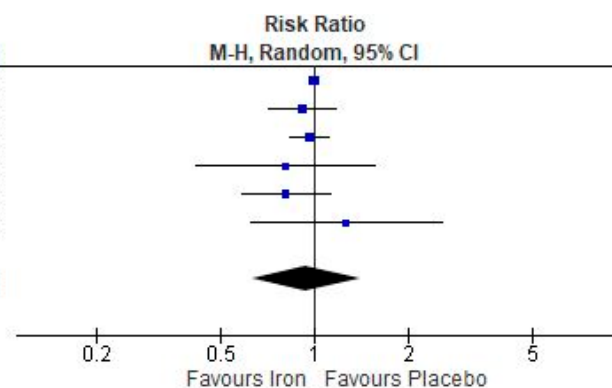
Supplementary Materials
Infant mortality

Study or Subgroup	Iron		Placebo		Weight	Risk Ratio
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI
Christian 2003	40	772	34	777	38.0%	1.18 [0.76, 1.85]
Etheredge 2015	20	675	16	692	18.0%	1.28 [0.67, 2.45]
Liu 2013	44	5926	45	5906	44.1%	0.97 [0.64, 1.47]
Total (95% CI)		7373		7375	100.0%	1.10 [0.84, 1.45]
Total events	104		95			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.00; Chi ² = 0.65, df = 2 (P = 0.72); I ² = 0%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 0.69 (P = 0.49)						

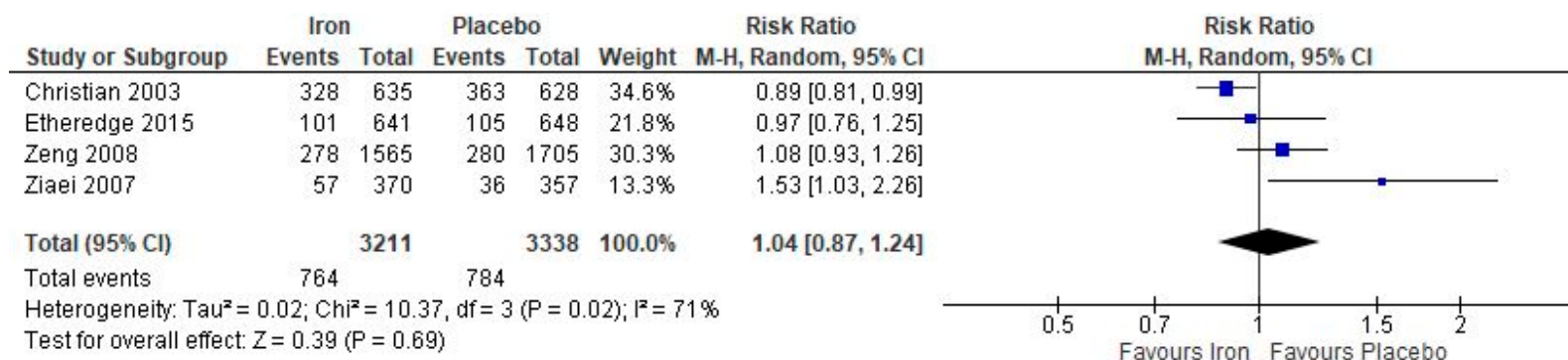


Preterm births

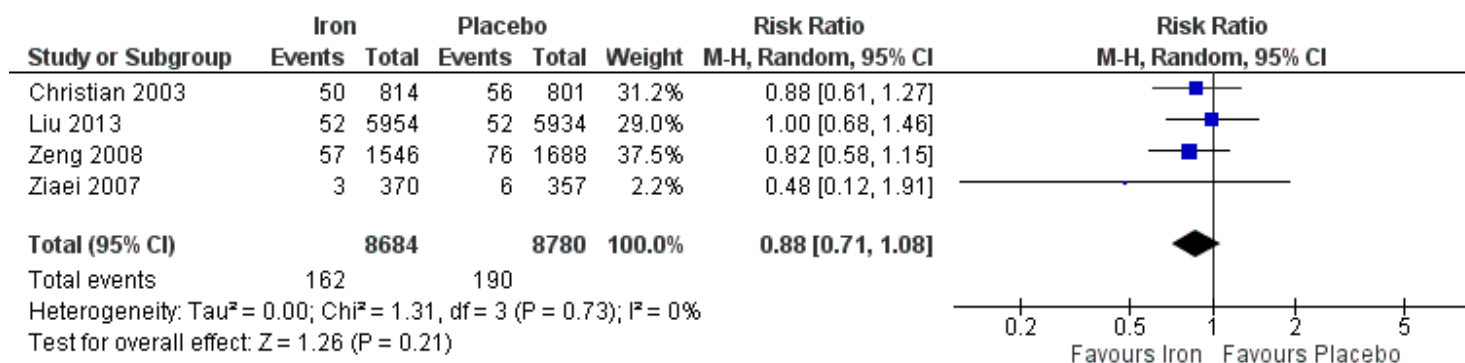
Study or Subgroup	Iron		Placebo		Weight	Risk Ratio
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI
Christian 2003	633	635	628	628	19.7%	1.00 [0.99, 1.00]
Etheredge 2015	100	665	113	685	18.4%	0.91 [0.71, 1.17]
Liu 2013	340	5926	353	5906	19.3%	0.96 [0.83, 1.11]
Ouladsahebmadarek 2011	16	410	18	372	12.9%	0.81 [0.42, 1.56]
Zeng 2008	59	1183	79	1282	17.5%	0.81 [0.58, 1.12]
Ziaei 2007	17	370	13	357	12.3%	1.26 [0.62, 2.56]
Total (95% CI)		9189		9230	100.0%	0.94 [0.63, 1.41]
Total events	1165		1204			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.21; Chi ² = 132.28, df = 5 (P < 0.00001); I ² = 96%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 0.30 (P = 0.76)						



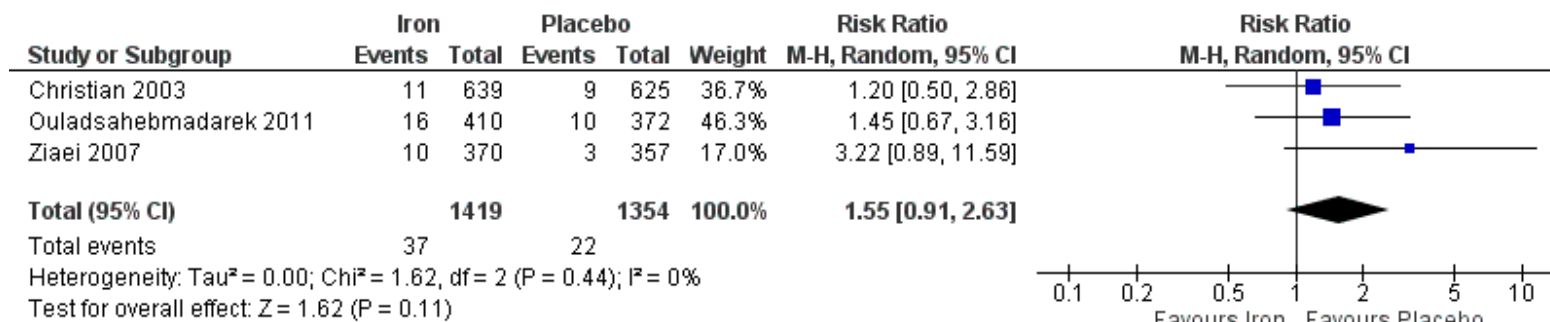
Supplementary Materials
Small-for-gestational-age babies



Perinatal mortality

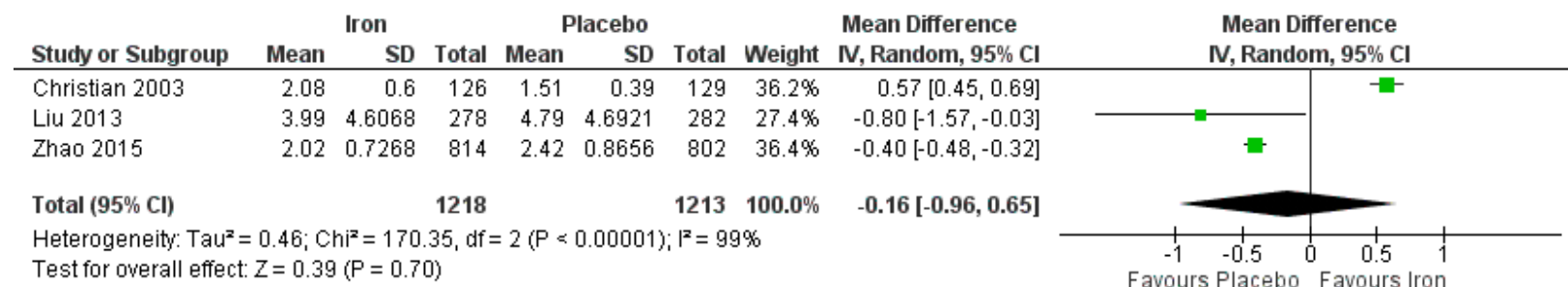


Pre-eclampsia/eclampsia

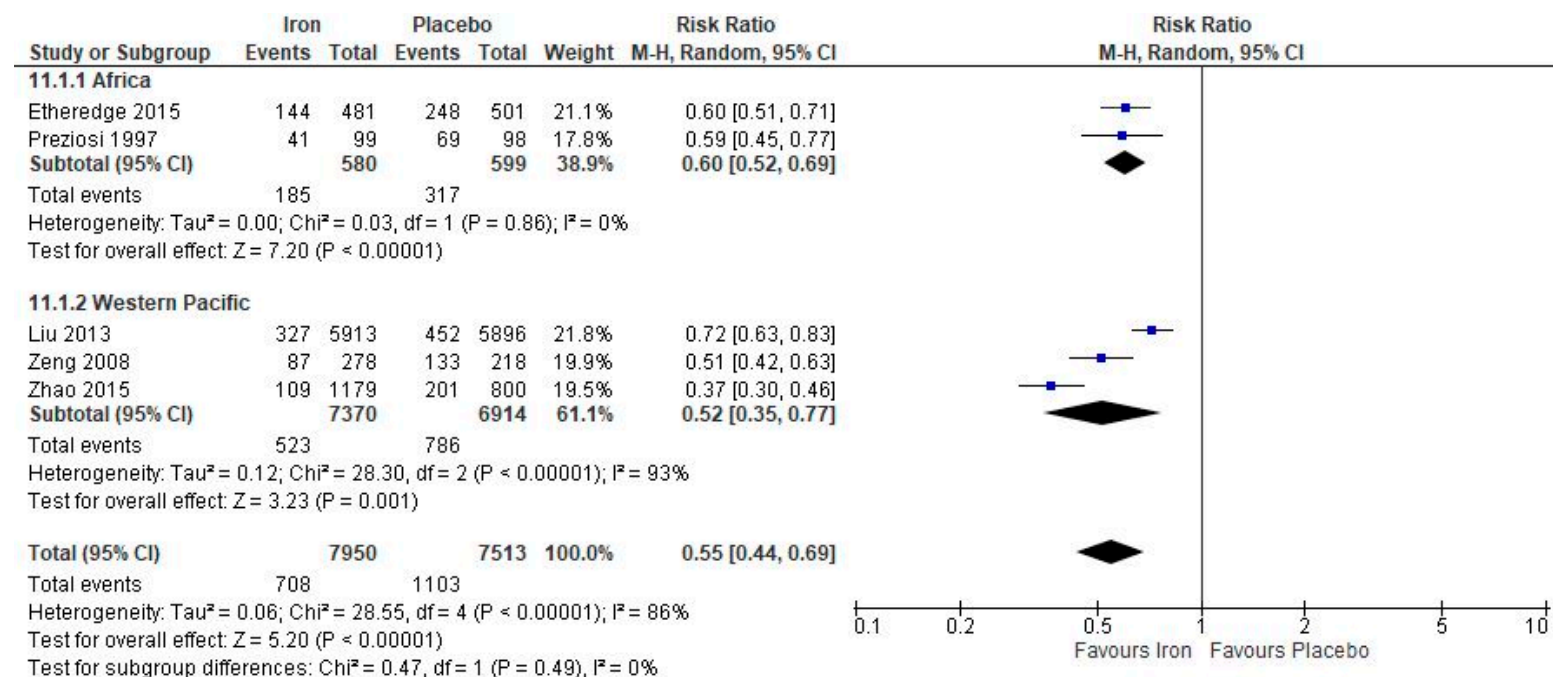


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Maternal transferrin receptor concentration (mg/L)

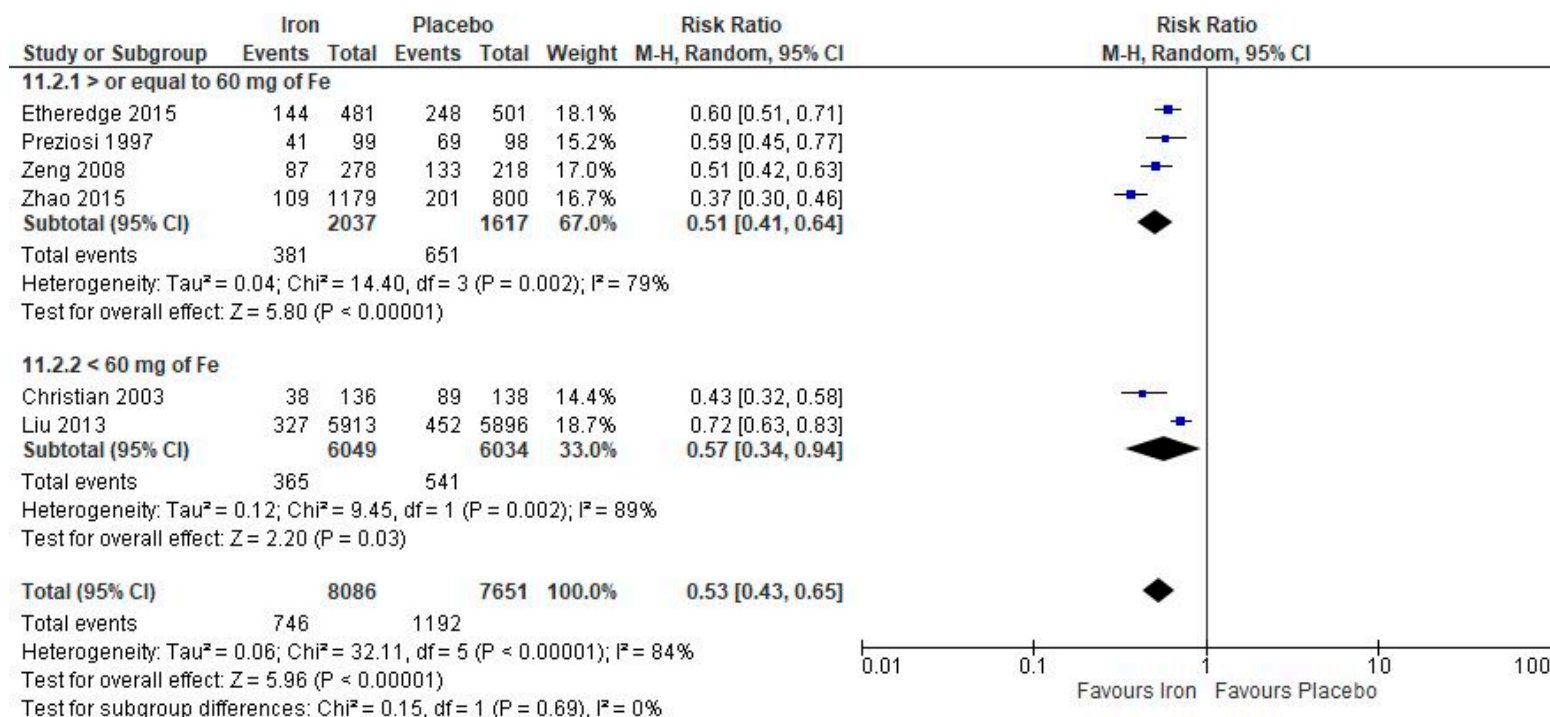


Subgroup Analysis: Maternal Anemia (geographical region)



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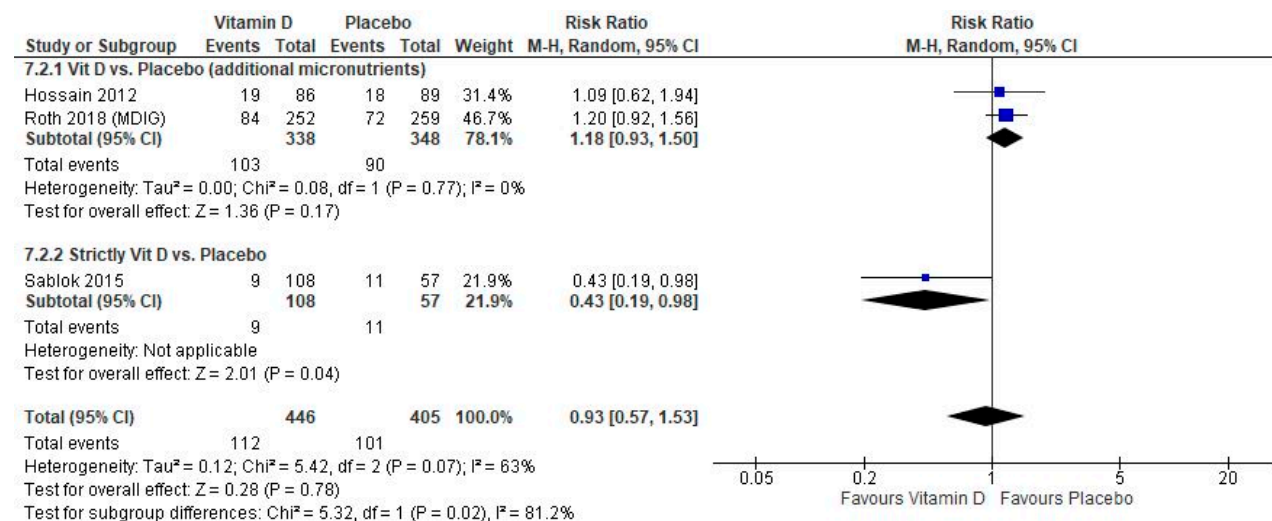
Subgroup Analysis: Maternal anemia (dose of iron, mg)



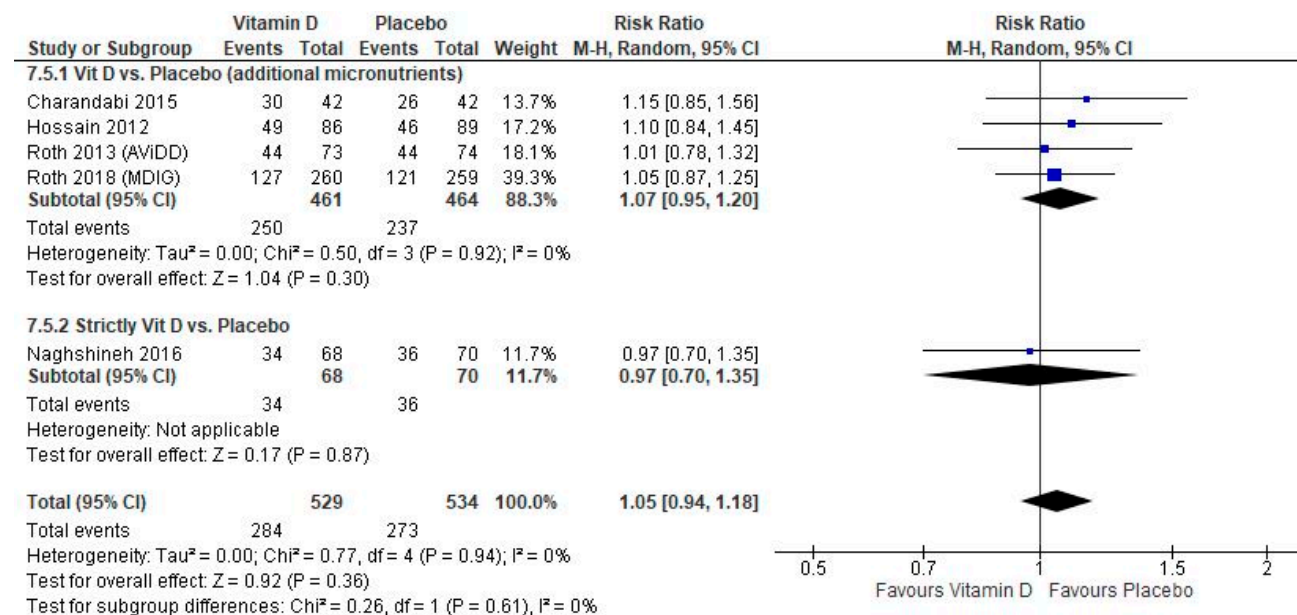
Supplementary Materials

Comparison: Vitamin D Supplementation vs. Placebo/No Intervention

Small-for-gestational-age infants



Caesarean section as a mode of delivery



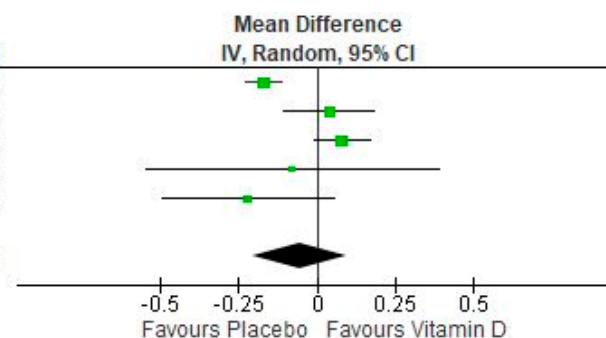
Supplementary Materials

Maternal serum/plasma calcium concentration (mg/dL)

Study or Subgroup	Vitamin D			Placebo			Weight	Mean Difference IV, Random, 95% CI
	Mean	SD	Total	Mean	SD	Total		
Asemi 2013	8.88	0.13	24	9.05	0.07	24	28.0%	-0.17 [-0.23, -0.11]
Roth 2013 (AVIDD)	9.3	0.4	67	9.26	0.44	63	23.0%	0.04 [-0.10, 0.18]
Roth 2018 (MDIG)	9.14	0.48	199	9.06	0.44	206	26.5%	0.08 [-0.01, 0.17]
Sahu 2009	9.16	0.84	35	9.24	0.72	14	7.6%	-0.08 [-0.55, 0.39]
Vaziri 2016	8.11	0.8	62	8.33	0.77	65	14.9%	-0.22 [-0.49, 0.05]
Total (95% CI)			387			372	100.0%	-0.06 [-0.21, 0.09]

Heterogeneity: Tau² = 0.02; Chi² = 24.73, df = 4 (P < 0.0001); I² = 84%

Test for overall effect: Z = 0.73 (P = 0.47)



Maternal serum/plasma vitamin D concentration (nmol/L)

Study or Subgroup	Vitamin D			Placebo			Weight	Mean Difference IV, Random, 95% CI
	Mean	SD	Total	Mean	SD	Total		
7.3.1 Vit D vs. Placebo (additional micronutrients)								
Asemi 2013	53.66	4.49	24	33.2	2.75	24	11.7%	20.46 [18.35, 22.57]
Hossain 2012	45.68	27.46	86	17.22	17.47	89	11.6%	28.46 [21.61, 35.31]
Roth 2013 (AVIDD)	134.4	30.7	80	38.4	18.1	80	11.6%	96.00 [88.19, 103.81]
Roth 2018 (MDIG)	110.7	28	118	23.7	13.9	128	11.6%	87.00 [81.40, 92.60]
Sahu 2009	60.87	70.63	35	24.53	14.69	14	10.3%	36.34 [11.71, 60.97]
Vaziri 2016	45.03	23.94	62	30	14.53	65	11.6%	15.03 [8.10, 21.96]
Subtotal (95% CI)			405			400	68.4%	47.36 [17.95, 76.76]

Heterogeneity: Tau² = 1317.92; Chi² = 767.92, df = 5 (P < 0.00001); I² = 99%

Test for overall effect: Z = 3.16 (P = 0.002)

7.3.2 Strictly Vit D vs. Placebo

Khan 2016	38.34	18.99	32	28.35	11.76	40	11.6%	9.99 [2.47, 17.51]
Sabet 2012	153.38	74.88	25	73.38	39.94	25	9.4%	80.00 [46.73, 113.27]
Sablok 2015	80.2	51.53	108	46.11	74.21	57	10.6%	34.09 [12.51, 55.67]
Subtotal (95% CI)			165			122	31.6%	38.12 [2.94, 73.30]

Heterogeneity: Tau² = 837.86; Chi² = 19.35, df = 2 (P < 0.0001); I² = 90%

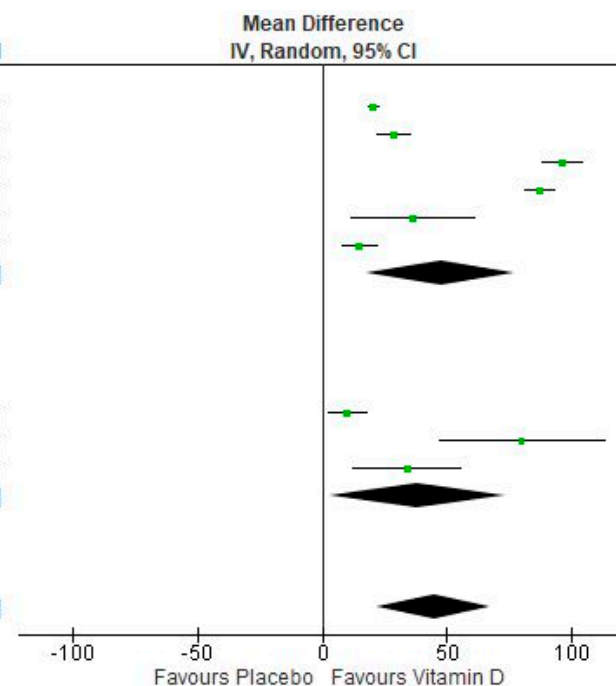
Test for overall effect: Z = 2.12 (P = 0.03)

Total (95% CI)			570			522	100.0%	44.70 [21.94, 67.45]
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Heterogeneity: Tau² = 1149.40; Chi² = 805.88, df = 8 (P < 0.00001); I² = 99%

Test for overall effect: Z = 3.85 (P = 0.0001)

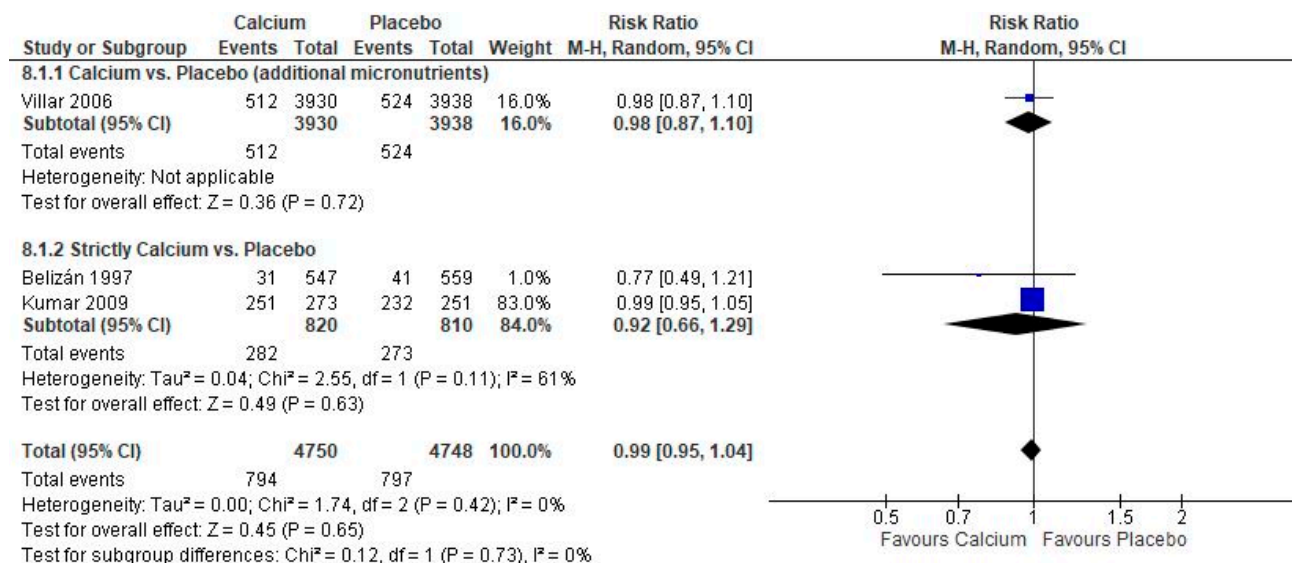
Test for subgroup differences: Chi² = 0.16, df = 1 (P = 0.69), I² = 0%



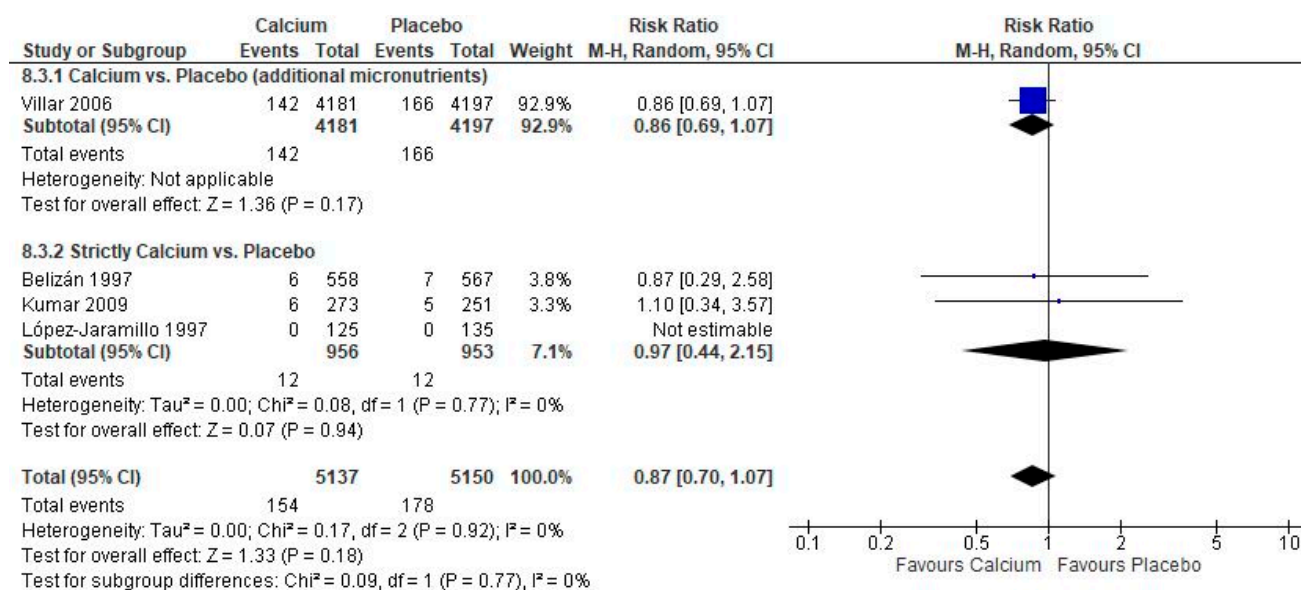
Supplementary Materials

Comparison: Calcium Supplementation vs. Placebo/No Intervention

Low birthweight

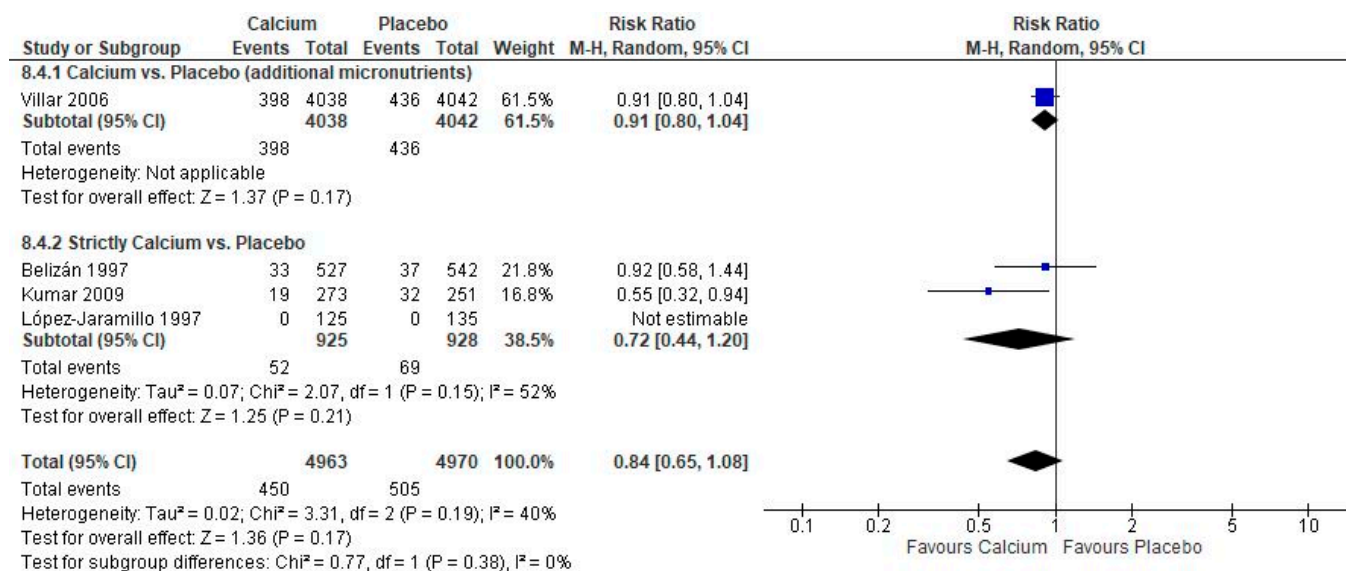


Stillbirths

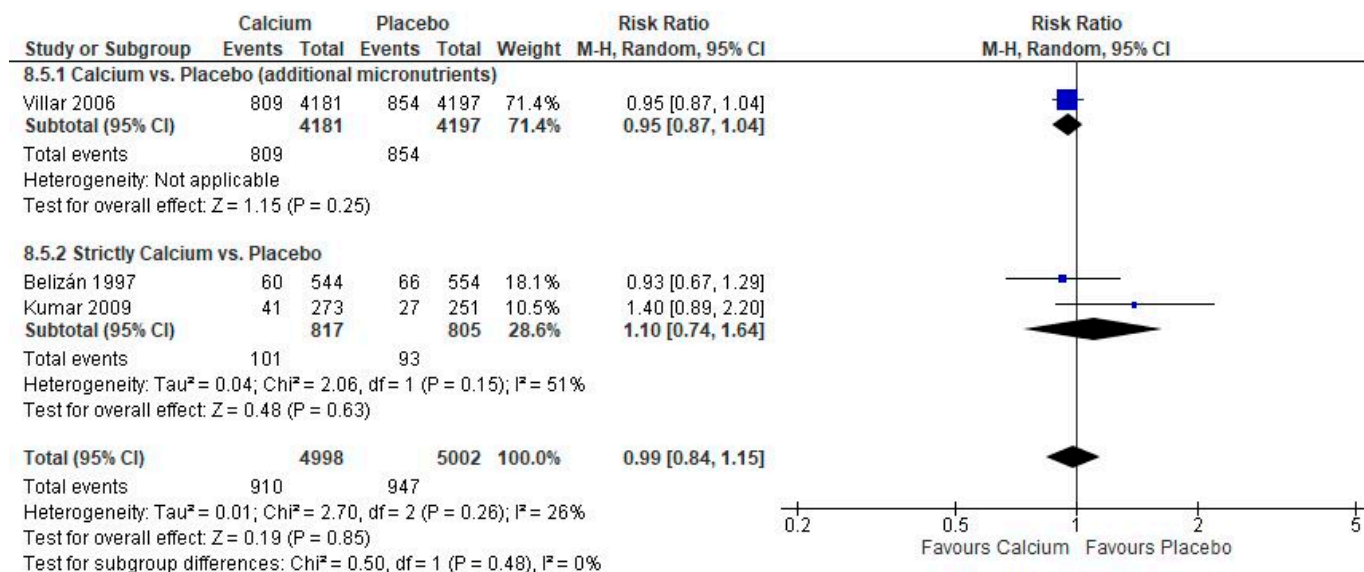


Supplementary Materials

Preterm births



Caesarean section as a mode of delivery

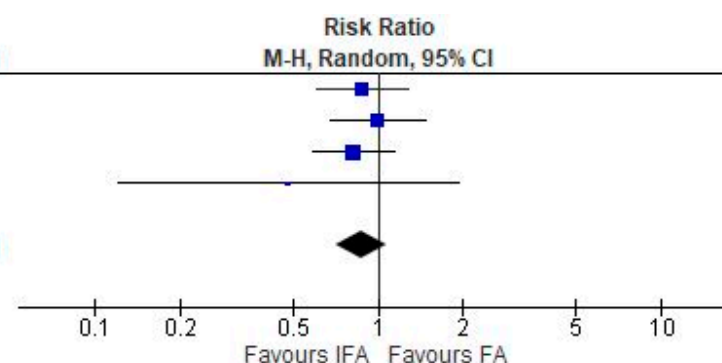


Supplementary Materials

Comparison: Iron-Folic Acid Supplementation vs. Folic-Acid Supplementation/Placebo

Perinatal mortality

Study or Subgroup	IFA		FA		Weight	Risk Ratio M-H, Random, 95% CI
	Events	Total	Events	Total		
Christian 2003 (1)	50	814	56	801	31.2%	0.88 [0.61, 1.27]
Liu 2013 (2)	52	5954	52	5934	29.0%	1.00 [0.68, 1.46]
Zeng 2008	57	1546	76	1688	37.5%	0.82 [0.58, 1.15]
Ziaei 2007	3	370	6	357	2.2%	0.48 [0.12, 1.91]
Total (95% CI)	8684		8780		100.0%	0.88 [0.71, 1.08]
Total events	162		190			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.00; Chi ² = 1.31, df = 3 (P = 0.73); I ² = 0%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 1.26 (P = 0.21)						



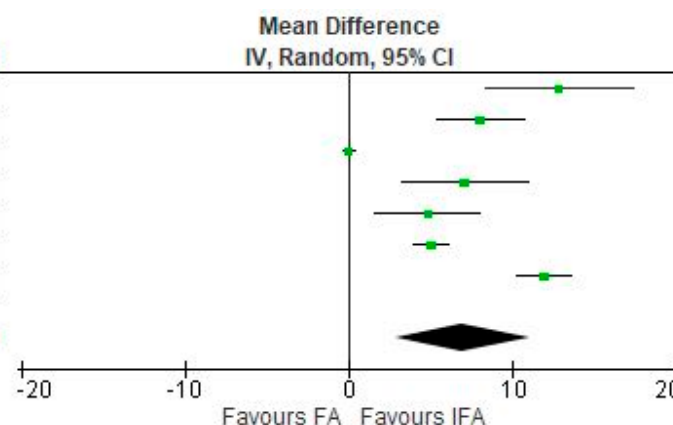
Footnotes

(1) Defined as: Stillbirth (from 28 weeks of gestation to delivery) and early neonatal death (from birth to 6 days after delivery)

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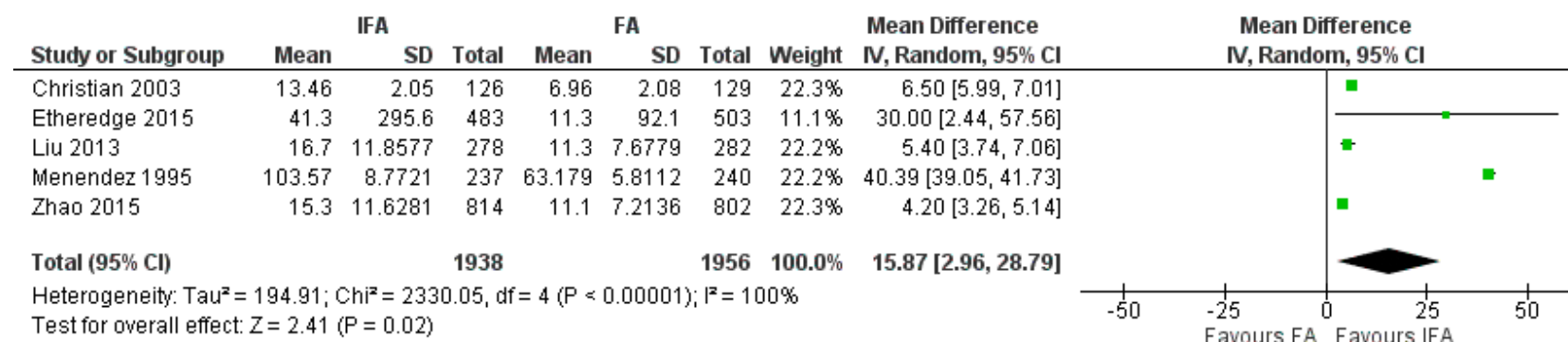
Maternal hemoglobin concentration (g/L)

Study or Subgroup	IFA			FA			Weight	Mean Difference IV, Random, 95% CI
	Mean	SD	Total	Mean	SD	Total		
Christian 2003	-1.6	20.3	149	-14.4	19.4	146	12.9%	12.80 [8.27, 17.33]
Etheredge 2015	1	22	473	-7	20	495	14.4%	8.00 [5.35, 10.65]
Liu 2013	122	9	5913	122	9	5896	15.2%	0.00 [-0.32, 0.32]
Menendez 1995	105.6298	19.7803	181	98.5795	17.186	176	13.5%	7.05 [3.21, 10.89]
Zeng 2008	110.1	14.8	149	105.3	14.2	168	14.0%	4.80 [1.60, 8.00]
Zhao 2015	122	14.6	814	117	7.2	802	15.1%	5.00 [3.88, 6.12]
Ziaei 2007	137.5	10.5	370	125.6	12.4	357	14.9%	11.90 [10.23, 13.57]
Total (95% CI)	8049			8040			100.0%	6.95 [2.80, 11.11]
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 29.46; Chi ² = 316.25, df = 6 (P < 0.00001); I ² = 98%								
Test for overall effect: Z = 3.28 (P = 0.001)								

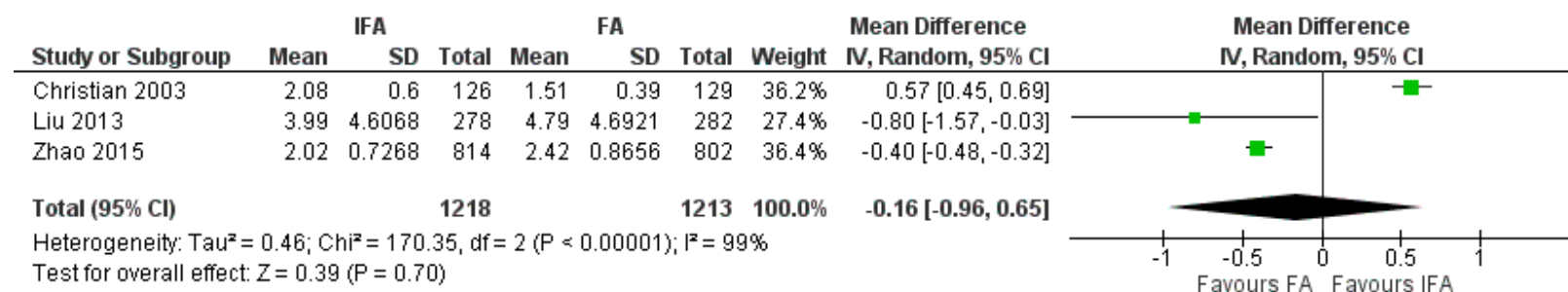


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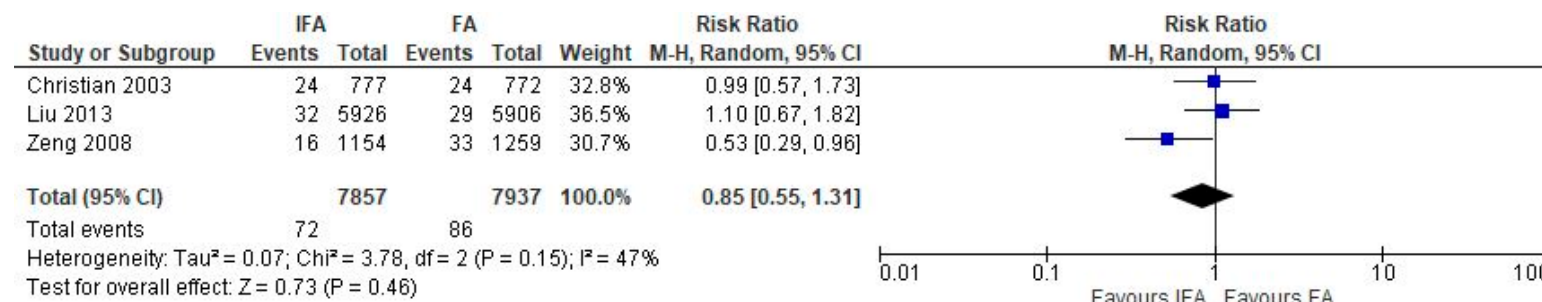
Maternal serum/plasma ferritin concentration (ug/L)



Maternal serum/plasma transferrin receptor concentration (mg/L)



Neonatal mortality



Supplementary Materials
Preterm births

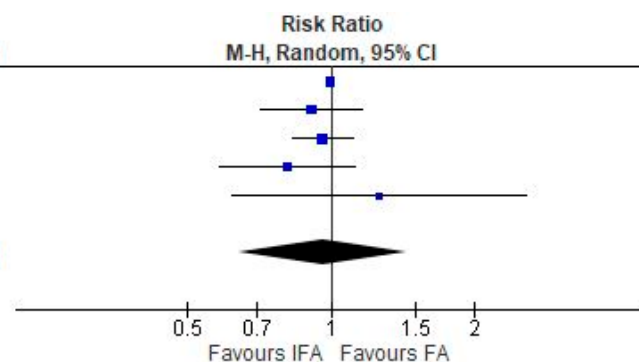
Study or Subgroup	IFA		FA		Weight	Risk Ratio M-H, Random, 95% CI
	Events	Total	Events	Total		
Christian 2003	633	635	628	628	23.0%	1.00 [0.99, 1.00]
Etheredge 2015	100	665	113	685	21.2%	0.91 [0.71, 1.17]
Liu 2013	340	5926	353	5906	22.3%	0.96 [0.83, 1.11]
Zeng 2008	59	1183	79	1282	20.0%	0.81 [0.58, 1.12]
Ziaei 2007	17	370	13	357	13.5%	1.26 [0.62, 2.56]

Total (95% CI) 8779 8858 100.0% 0.96 [0.64, 1.44]

Total events 1149 1186

Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.18$; $\chi^2 = 111.03$, $df = 4$ ($P < 0.00001$); $I^2 = 96\%$

Test for overall effect: $Z = 0.20$ ($P = 0.84$)



Small-for-gestational-age infants

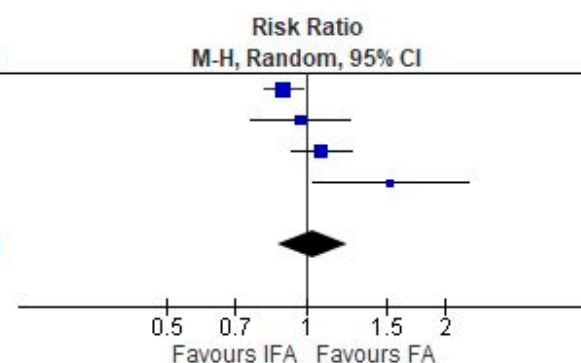
Study or Subgroup	IFA		FA		Weight	Risk Ratio M-H, Random, 95% CI
	Events	Total	Events	Total		
Christian 2003	328	635	363	628	34.6%	0.89 [0.81, 0.99]
Etheredge 2015 (1)	101	641	105	648	21.8%	0.97 [0.76, 1.25]
Zeng 2008	278	1565	280	1705	30.3%	1.08 [0.93, 1.26]
Ziaei 2007	57	370	36	357	13.3%	1.53 [1.03, 2.26]

Total (95% CI) 3211 3338 100.0% 1.04 [0.87, 1.24]

Total events 764 784

Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.02$; $\chi^2 = 10.37$, $df = 3$ ($P = 0.02$); $I^2 = 71\%$

Test for overall effect: $Z = 0.39$ ($P = 0.69$)

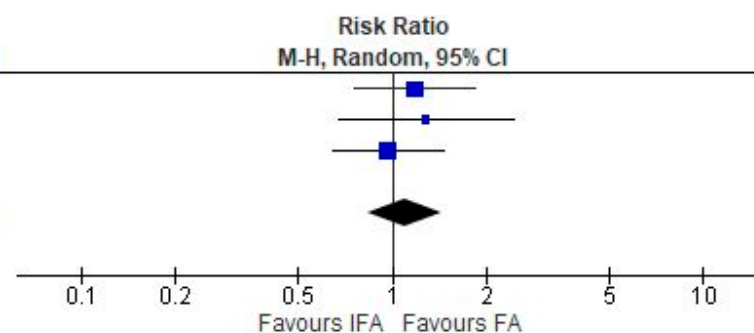


Footnotes

(1) Based on INTERGROWTH-21st Standard

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 Infant mortality

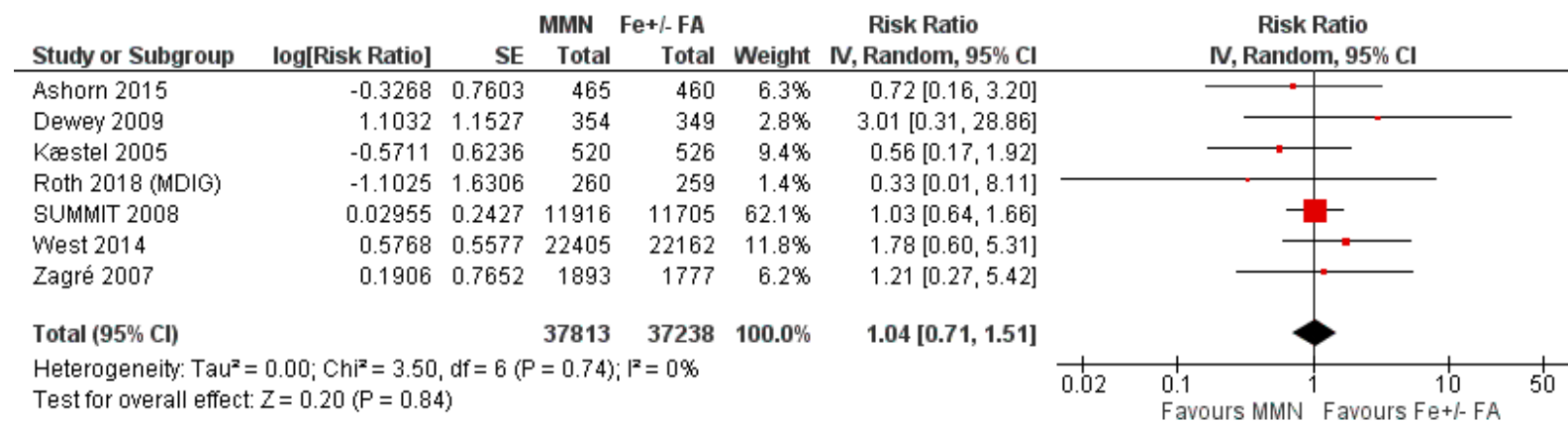
Study or Subgroup	IFA		FA		Weight	Risk Ratio
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI
Christian 2003	40	772	34	777	38.0%	1.18 [0.76, 1.85]
Etheredge 2015	20	675	16	692	18.0%	1.28 [0.67, 2.45]
Liu 2013	44	5926	45	5906	44.1%	0.97 [0.64, 1.47]
Total (95% CI)		7373		7375	100.0%	1.10 [0.84, 1.45]
Total events	104		95			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.00; Chi ² = 0.65, df = 2 (P = 0.72); I ² = 0%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 0.69 (P = 0.49)						



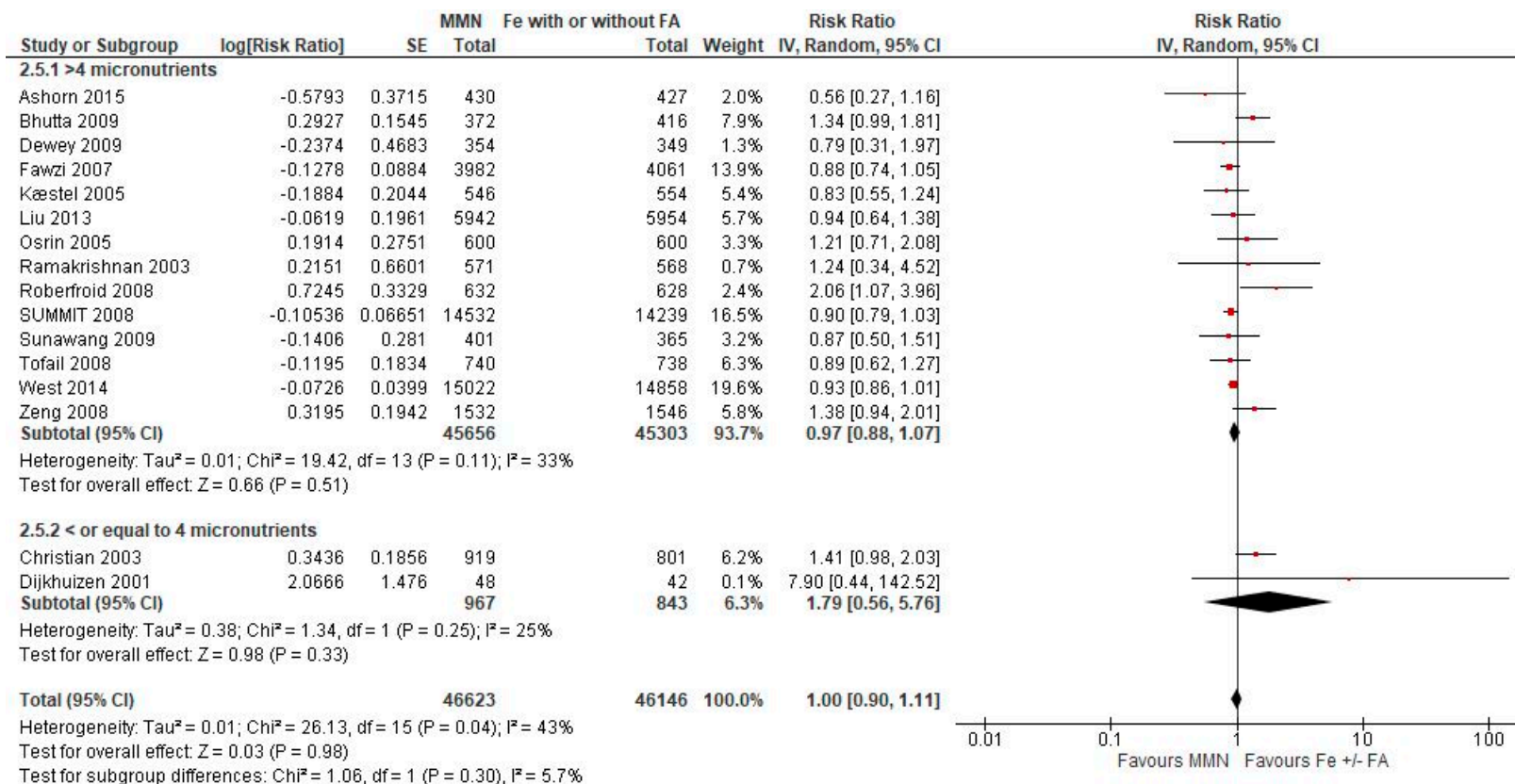
Supplementary Materials

Comparison: Multiple Micronutrient (MMN) Supplementation vs. Iron-Folic Acid (IFA) Supplementation

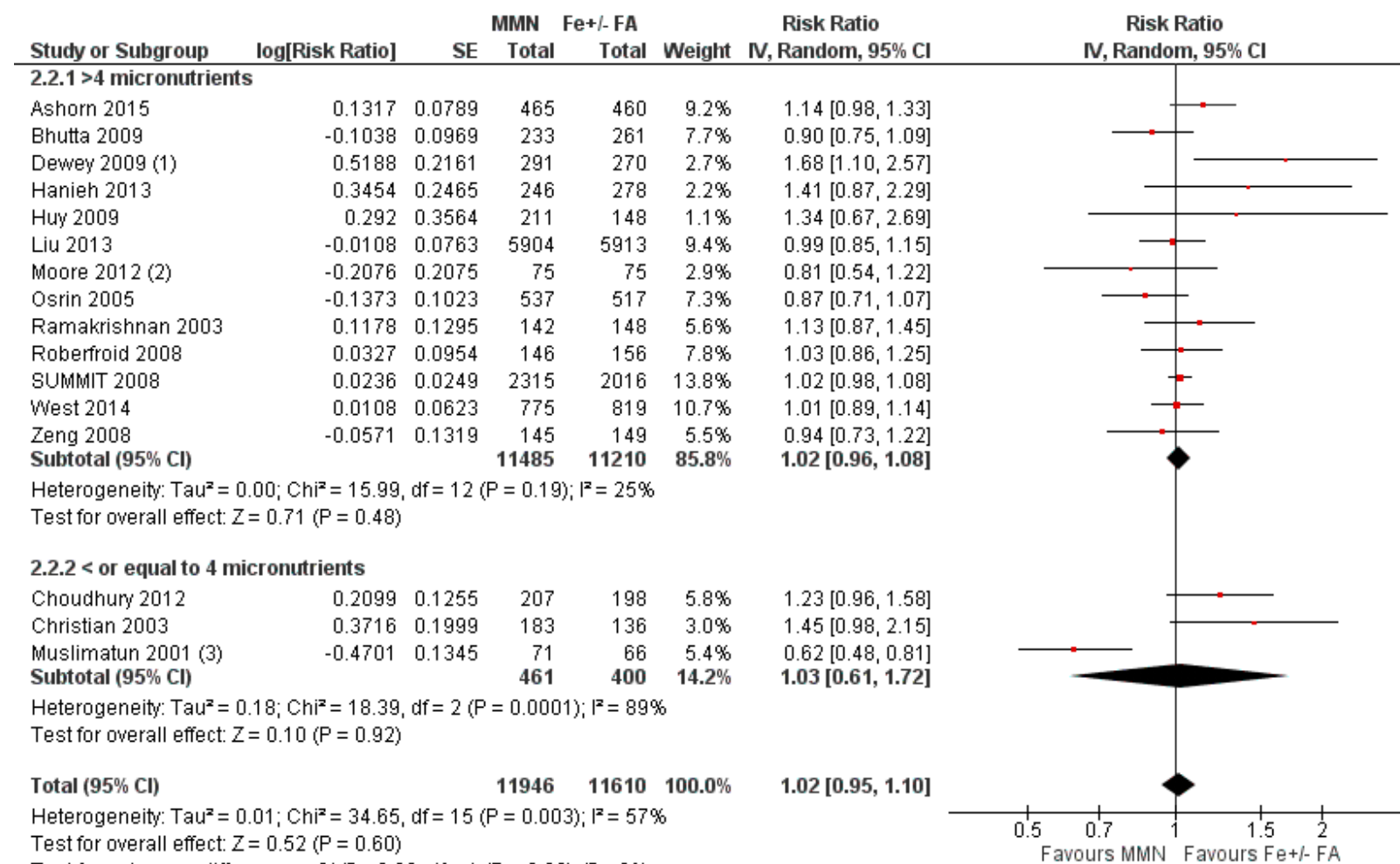
Maternal mortality



Supplementary Materials
Perinatal Mortality



Supplementary Materials
Maternal anemia



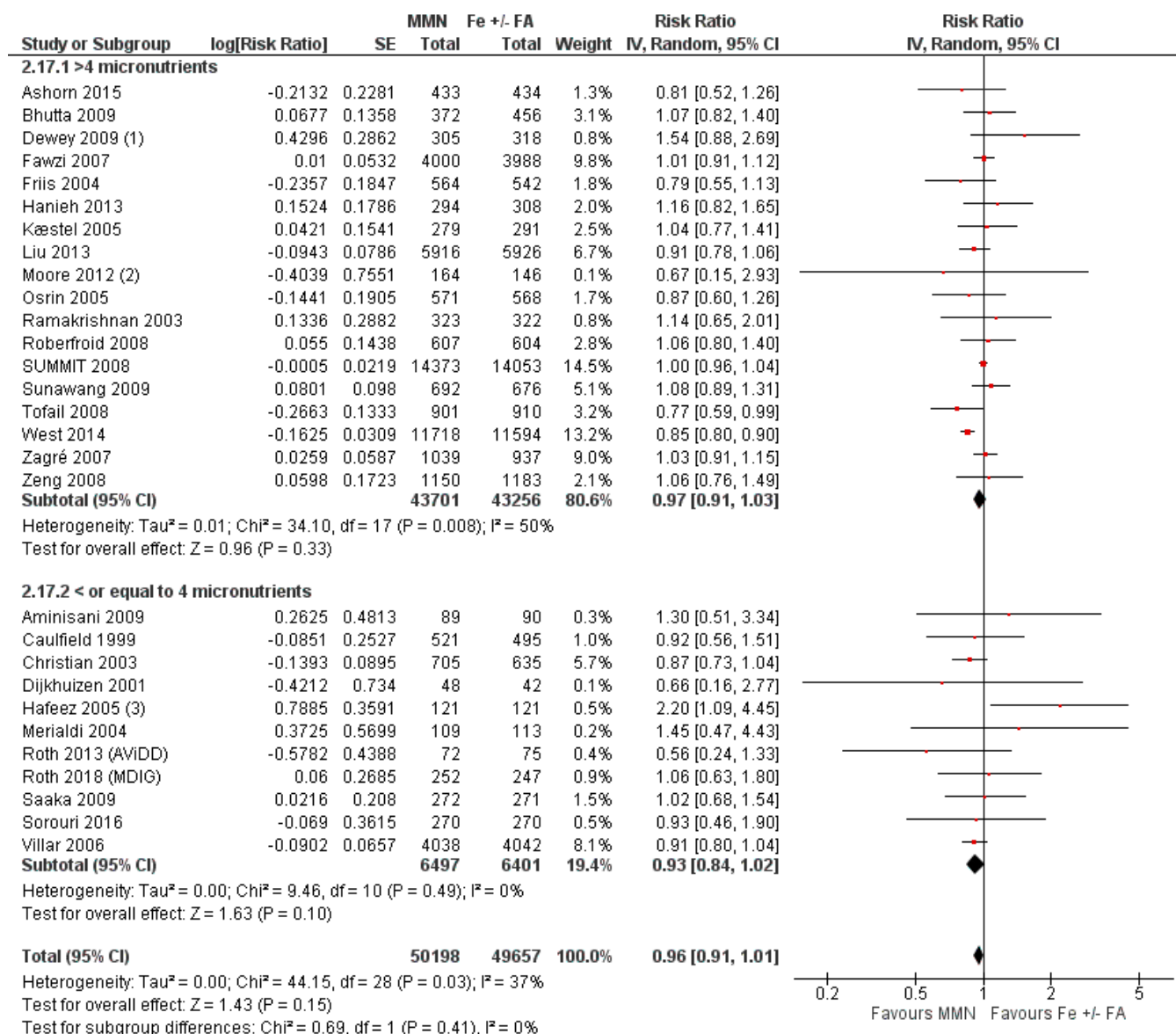
Footnotes

(1) in this paper, under reference: Adu-Afarwuah et al, (2015)

(2) In this paper, under reference: Johnson et al. (2017)

(3) Weekly MMN supplementation vs. daily iron supplementation

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Preterm births

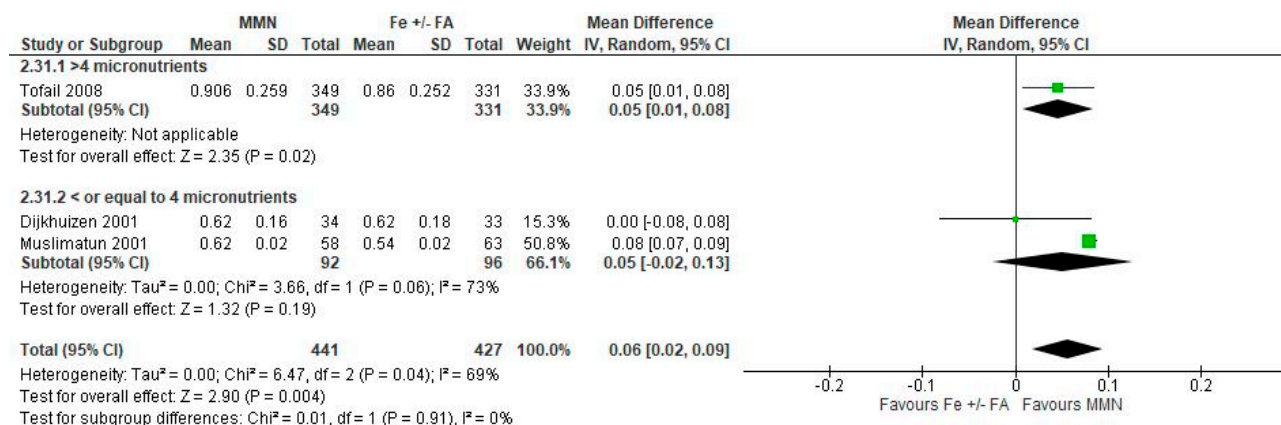


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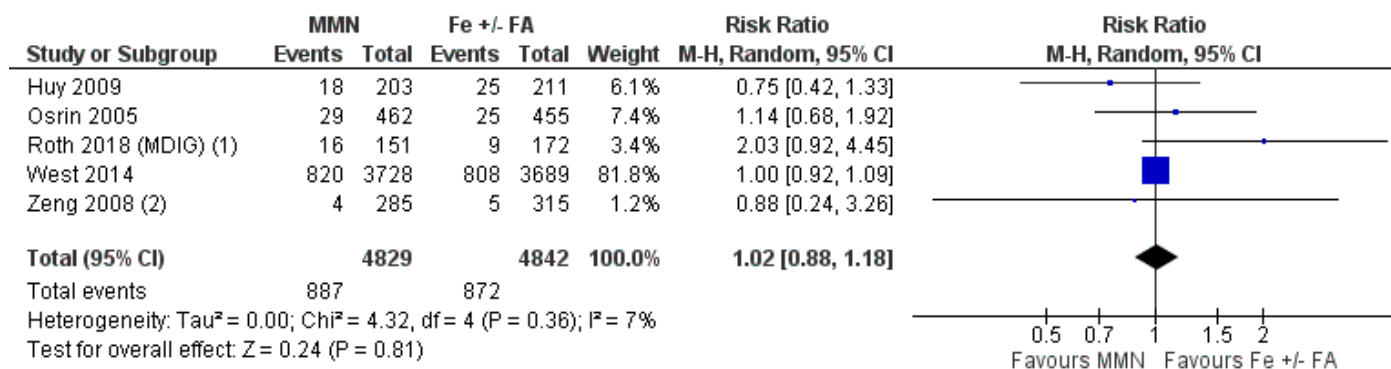
- (1) In this paper, under reference: Adu-Afarwuah et al. (2015)
- (2) In this paper, under reference: Johnson et al. (2017)
- (3) *N event values for control and intervention group were rounded

Supplementary Materials

Child serum/plasma retinol concentration (umol/L)



Child Wasting

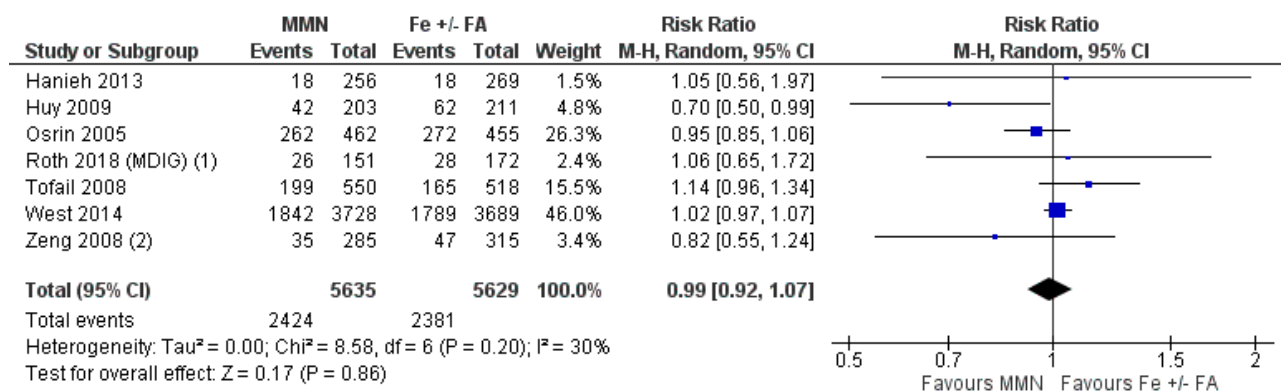


Footnotes

(1) measured at one year of age

(2) followup measured at 30 months

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Child stunting

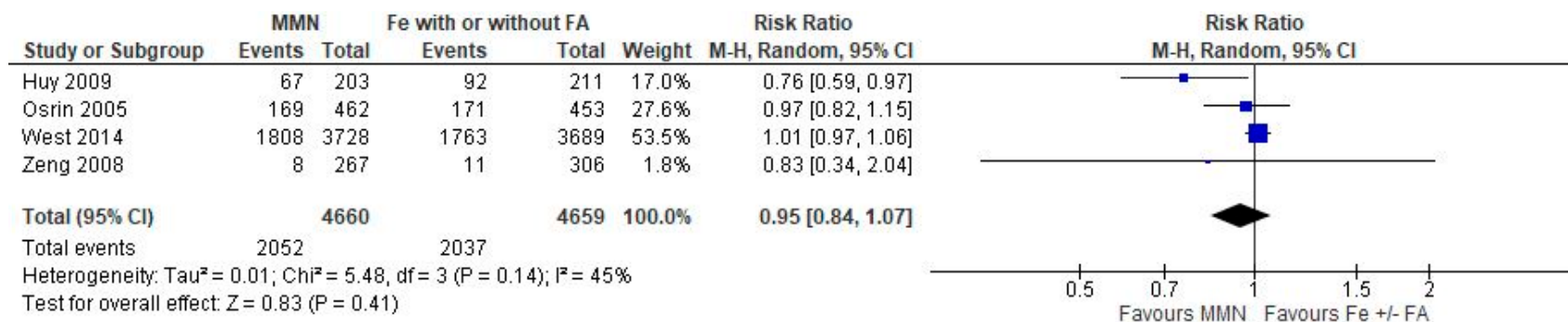


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(1) measured at one year of age

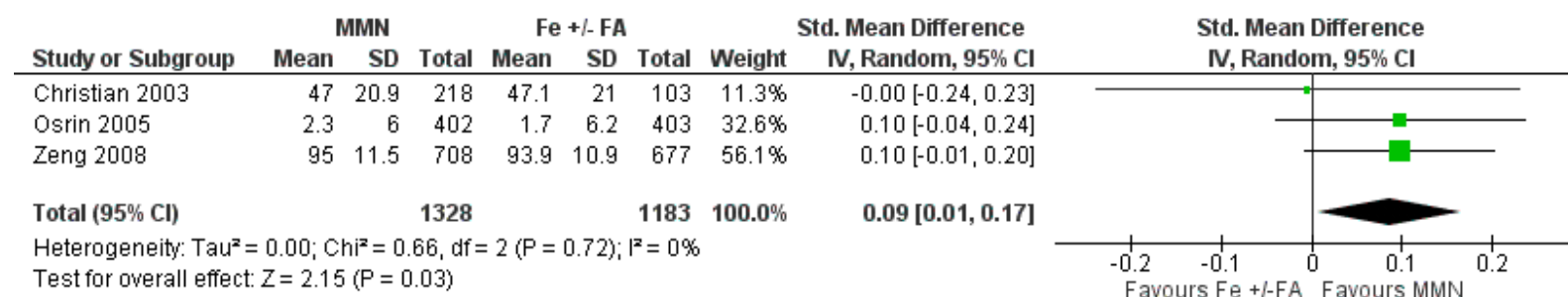
(2) followup measured at 30 months

Child underweight status

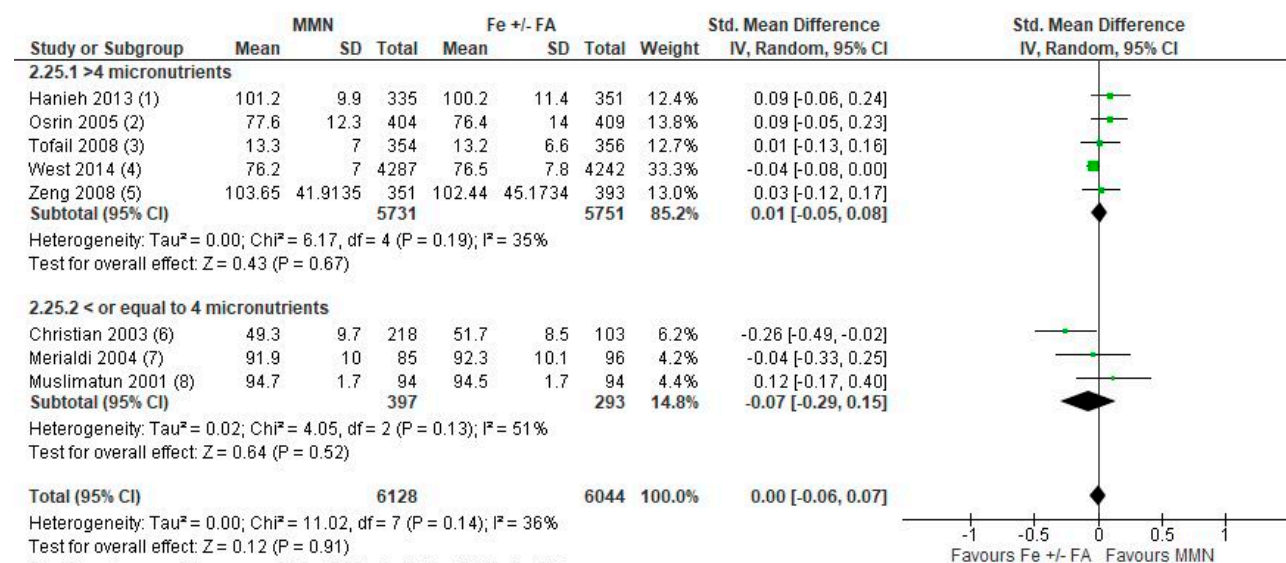


Supplementary Materials

Child development outcome – executive function



Child development outcome – general intelligence

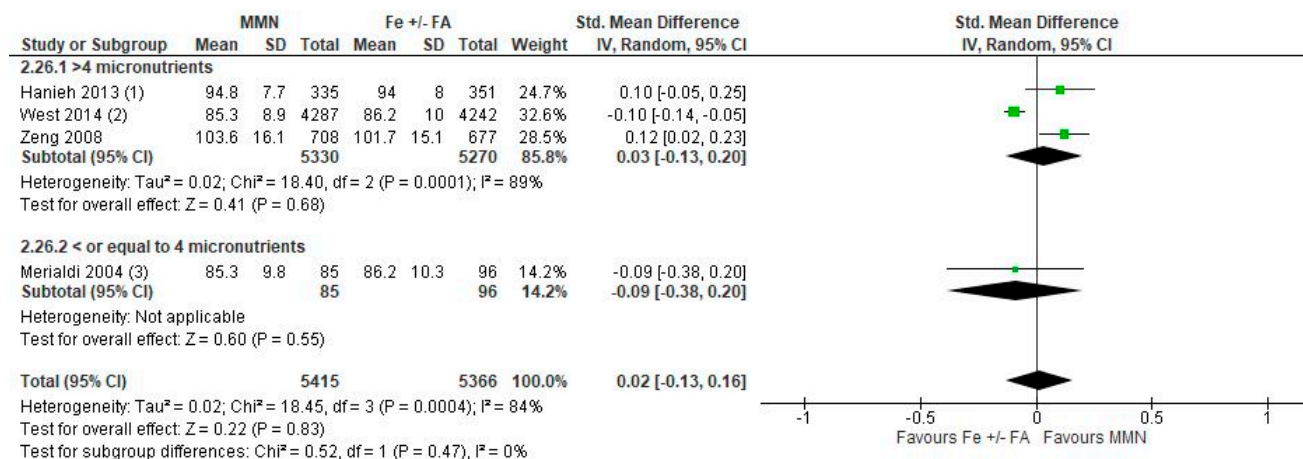


Footnotes

- (1) Bayley Scale III
- (2) Full scale IQ
- (3) Cover tests
- (4) Bayley Scale III
- (5) Mental Development raw score
- (6) UNIT Score
- (7) Wechsler Preschool and Primary Scale of Intelligence
- (8) BSID-I

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Child development outcome – verbal comprehension and language



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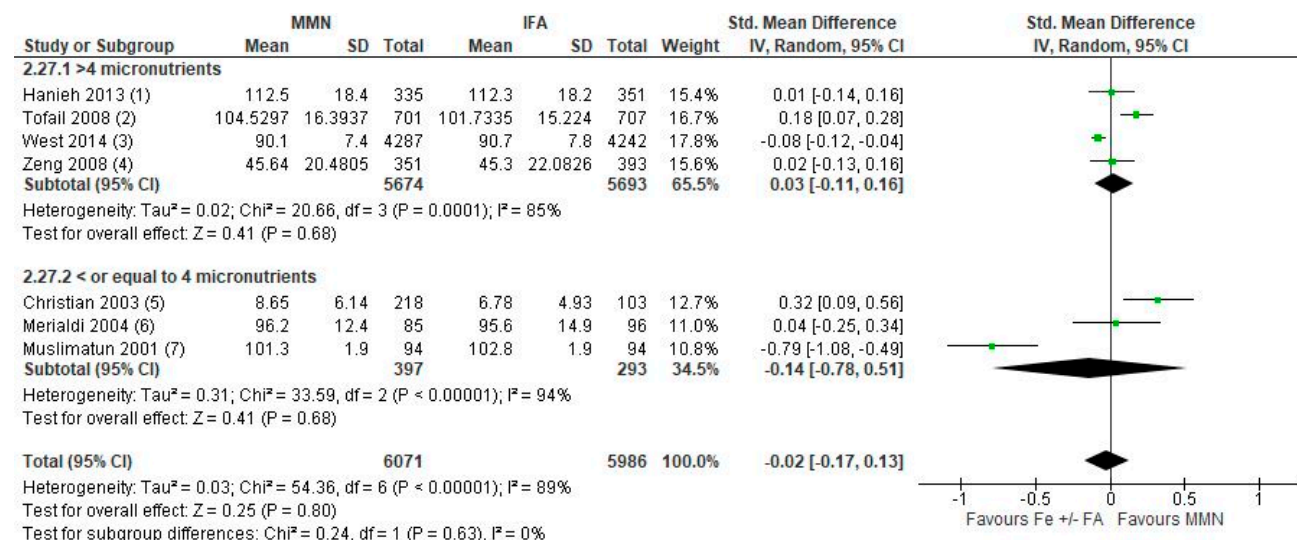
(1) *Bayley Scale III

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(3) Wechsler Preschool and Primary Scale of Intelligence

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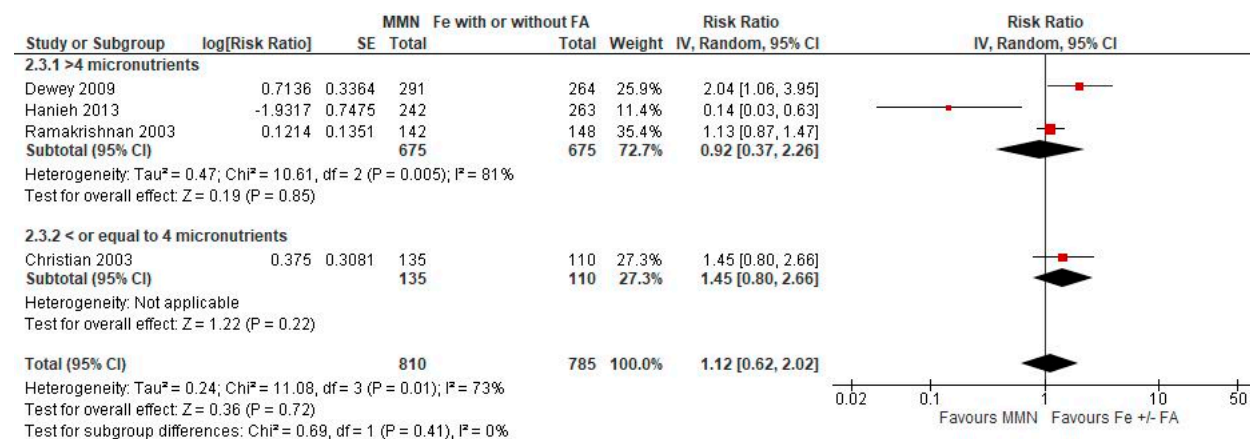
Child development outcome – motor function



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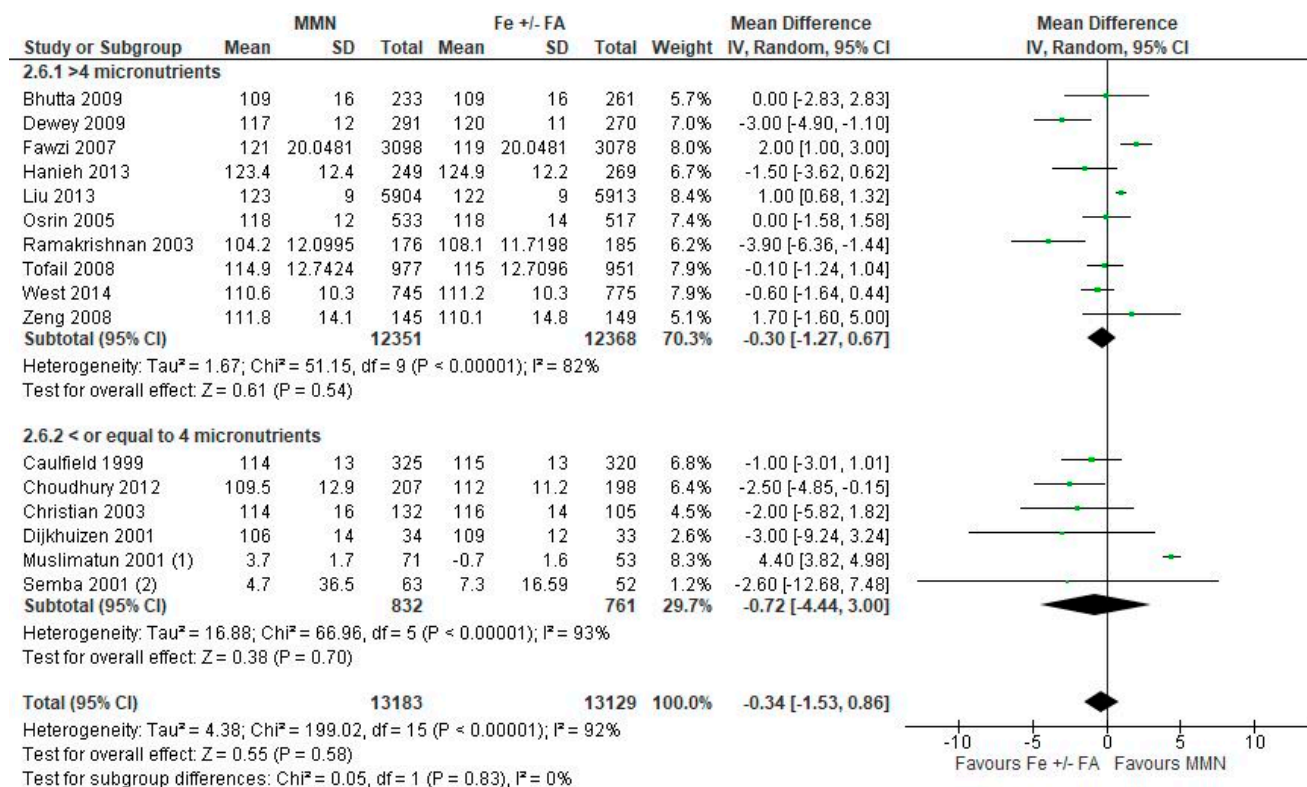
- (1) Bayley Scale III
- (2) BSID
- (3) Bayley Scale III
- (4) Psychomotor development raw score
- (5) Movement Assessment Battery Children (MABC)
- (6) Spanish Adaptation of Vineland Adaptive Behaviour Scales
- (7) BSID-I

Maternal iron-deficiency anemia



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Maternal serum/plasma hemoglobin concentration (g/L)



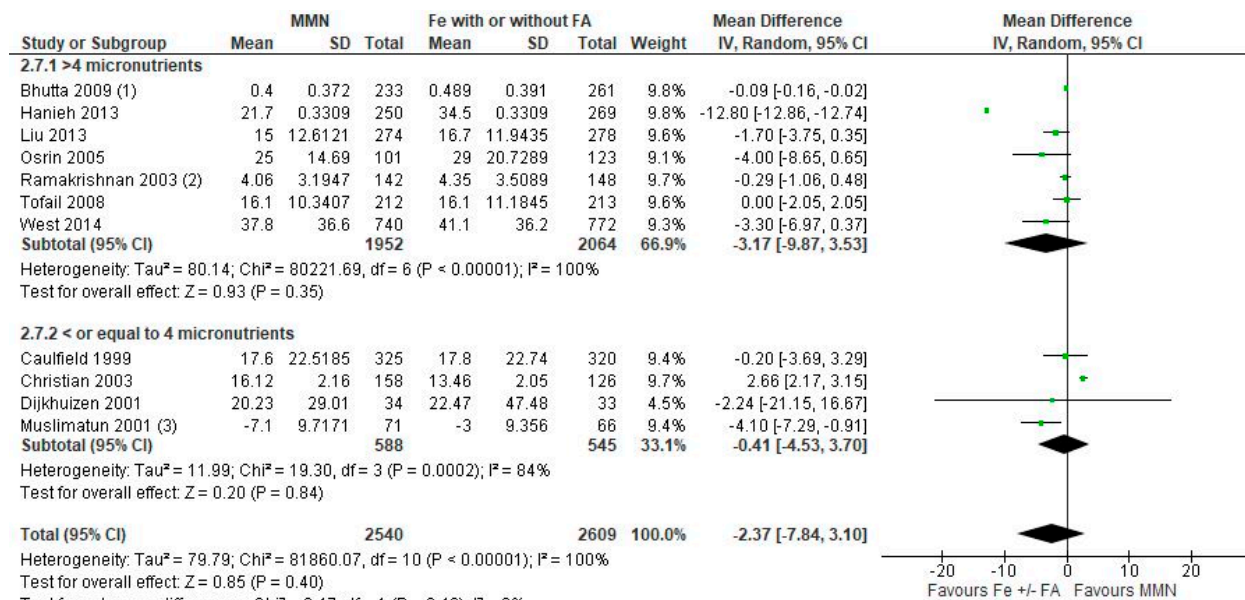
Footnotes

(1) Weekly MMN supplementation vs. daily IFA supplementation

(2) SEM converted to SD; change score from enrollment to delivery was used

Supplementary Materials

Maternal serum/plasma ferritin concentration (ug/L)



Footnotes

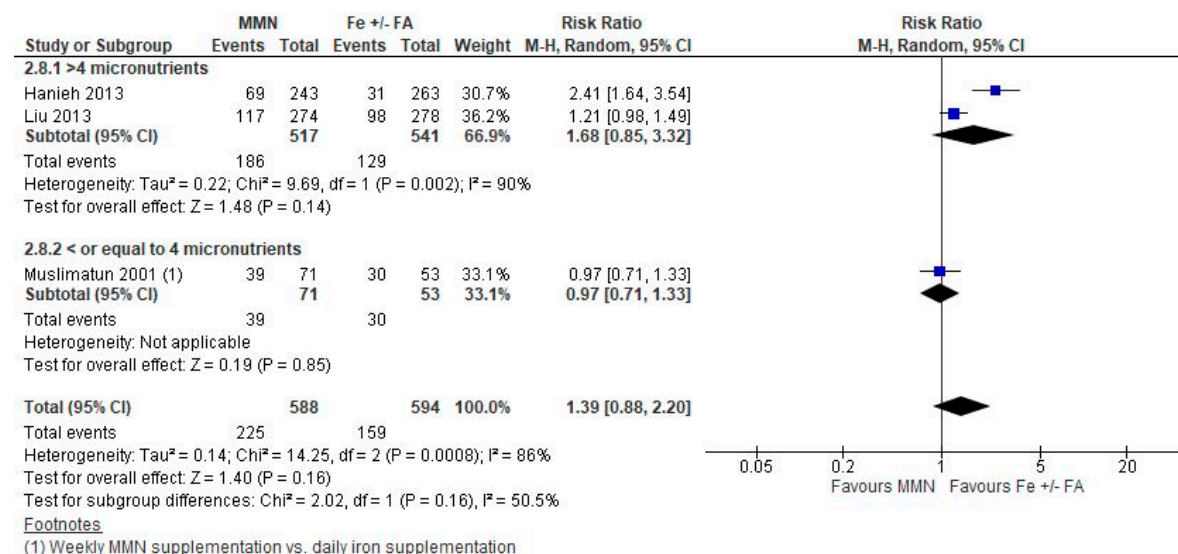
(1) *values seem quite different from other studies

(2) Presented as log [serum ferritin]

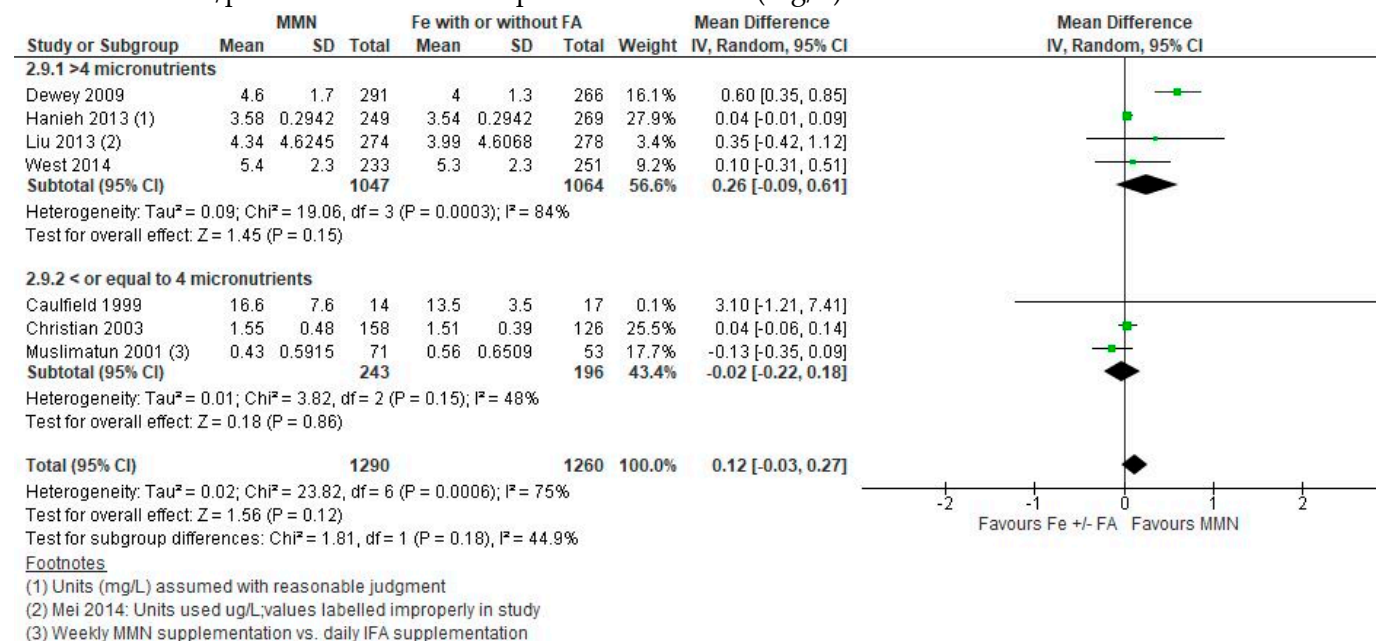
(3) Weekly MMN supplementation vs. daily IFA supplementation

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Maternal iron deficiency

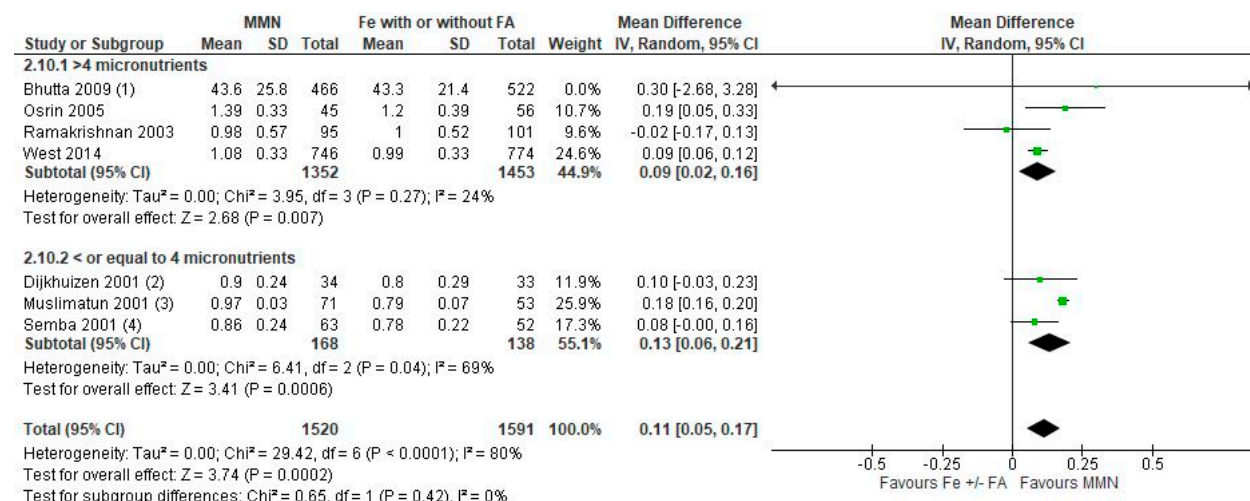


Maternal serum/plasma transferrin receptor concentration (mg/L)



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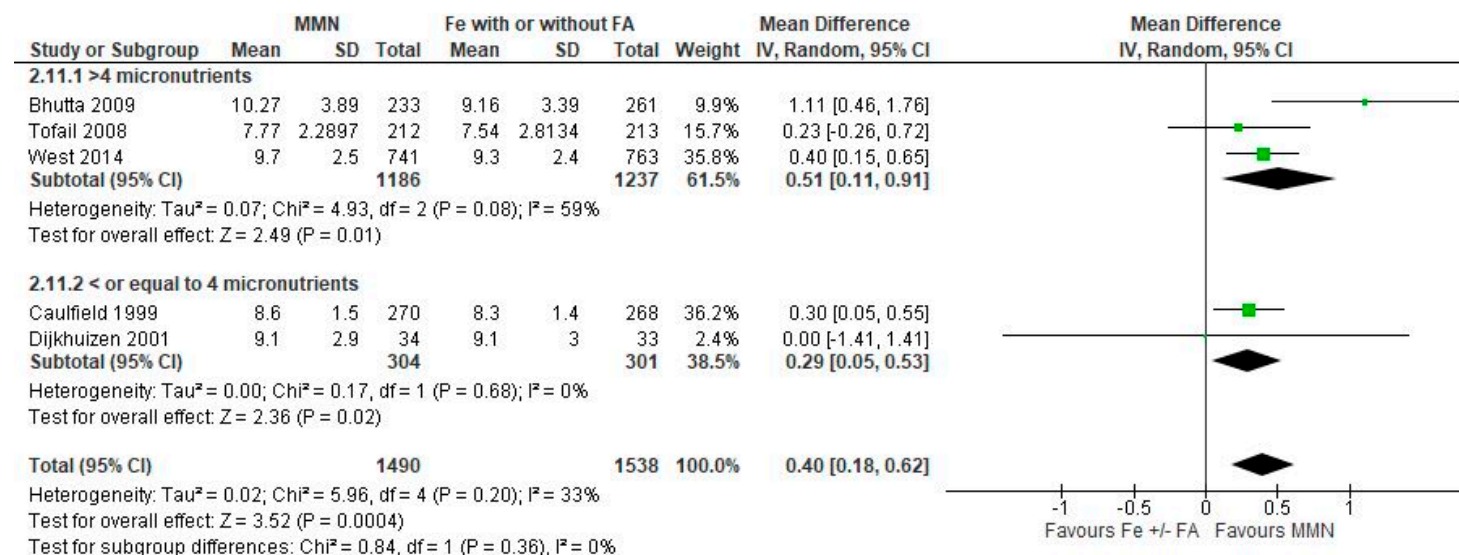
Maternal serum/plasma retinol concentration (umol/L)



Footnotes

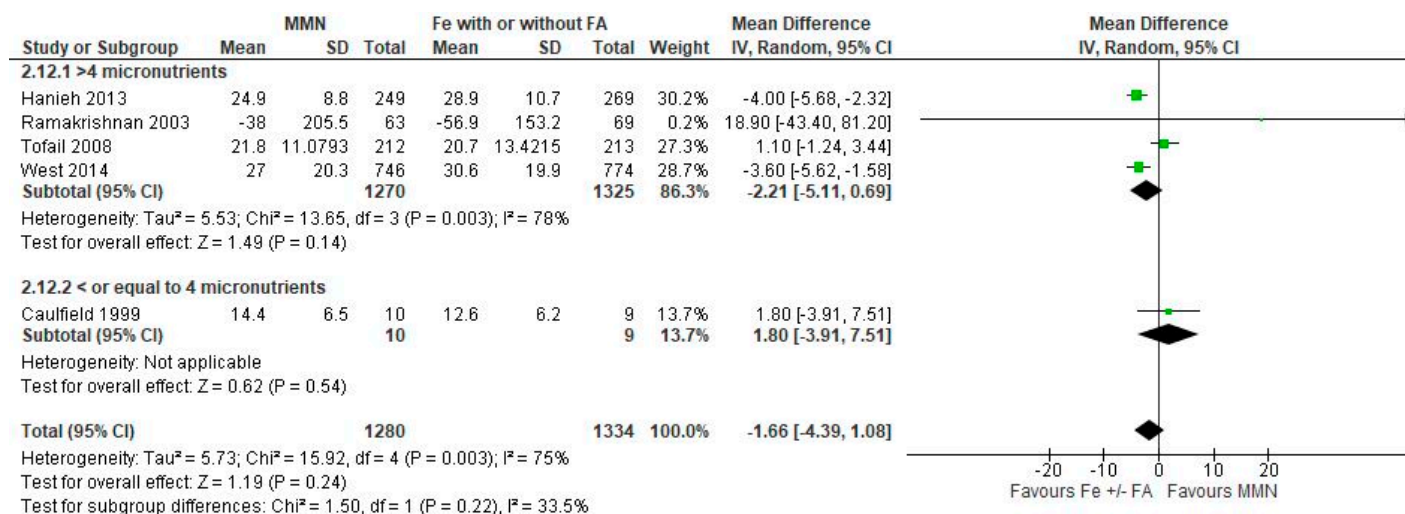
- (1) *Values seem strange compared to other studies
- (2) measured at 6 months postpartum
- (3) Weekly MMN supplementation vs. daily IFA supplementation
- (4) Assumed same sample sizes for intervention and control group as reported for serum hemoglobin

Maternal serum/plasma zinc concentration (umol/L)

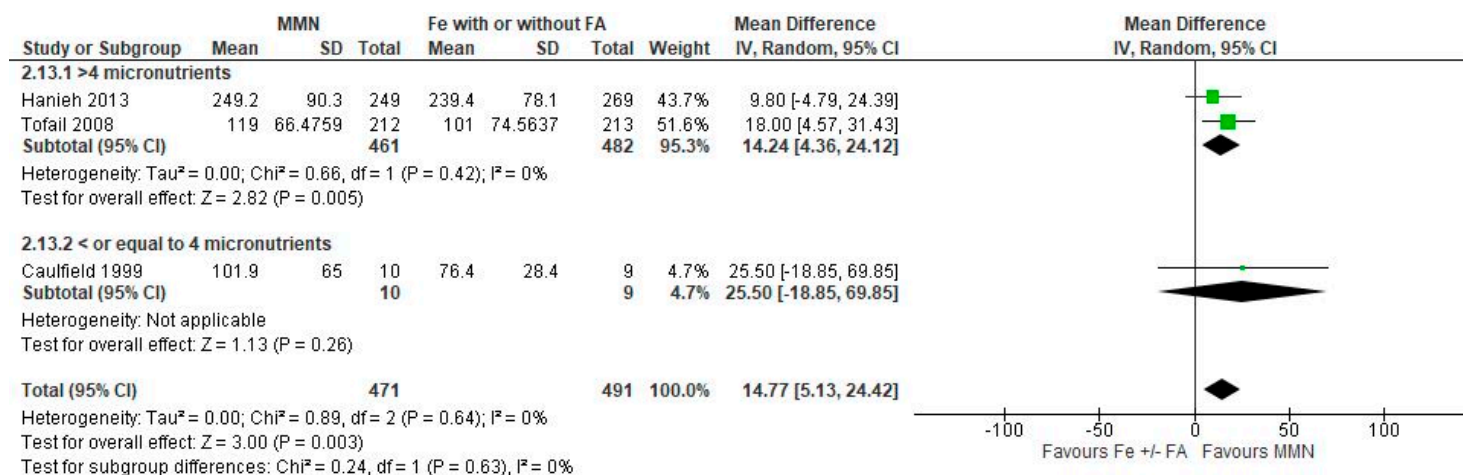


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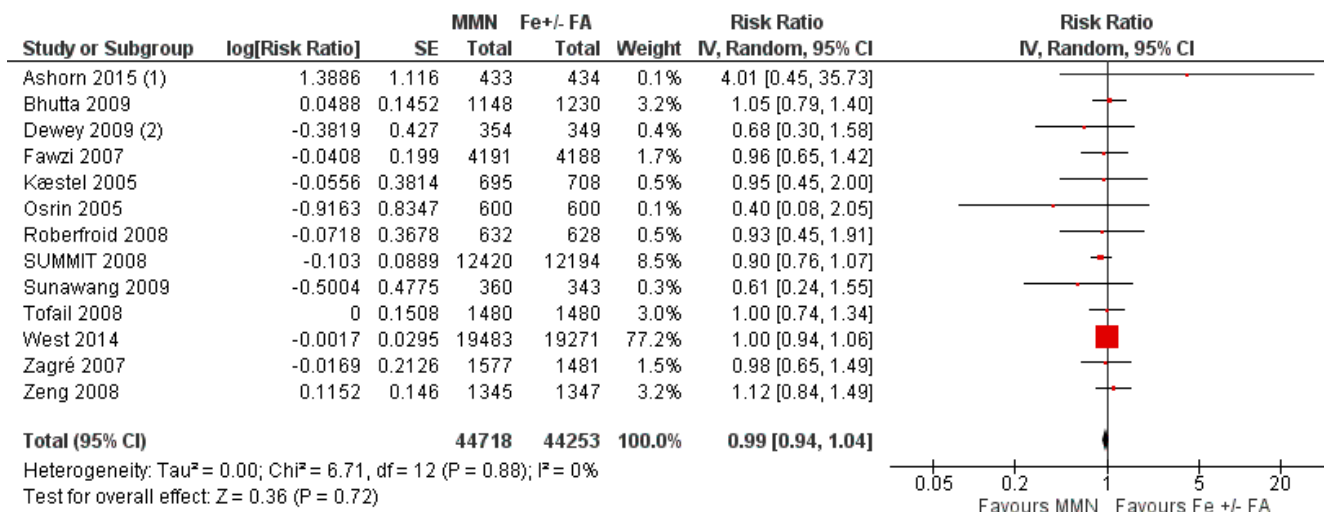
Materna serum/plasma folate concentration (nmol/L)



Maternal serum/plasma vitamin B12 concentration (pmol/L)



Supplementary Materials
Miscarriage

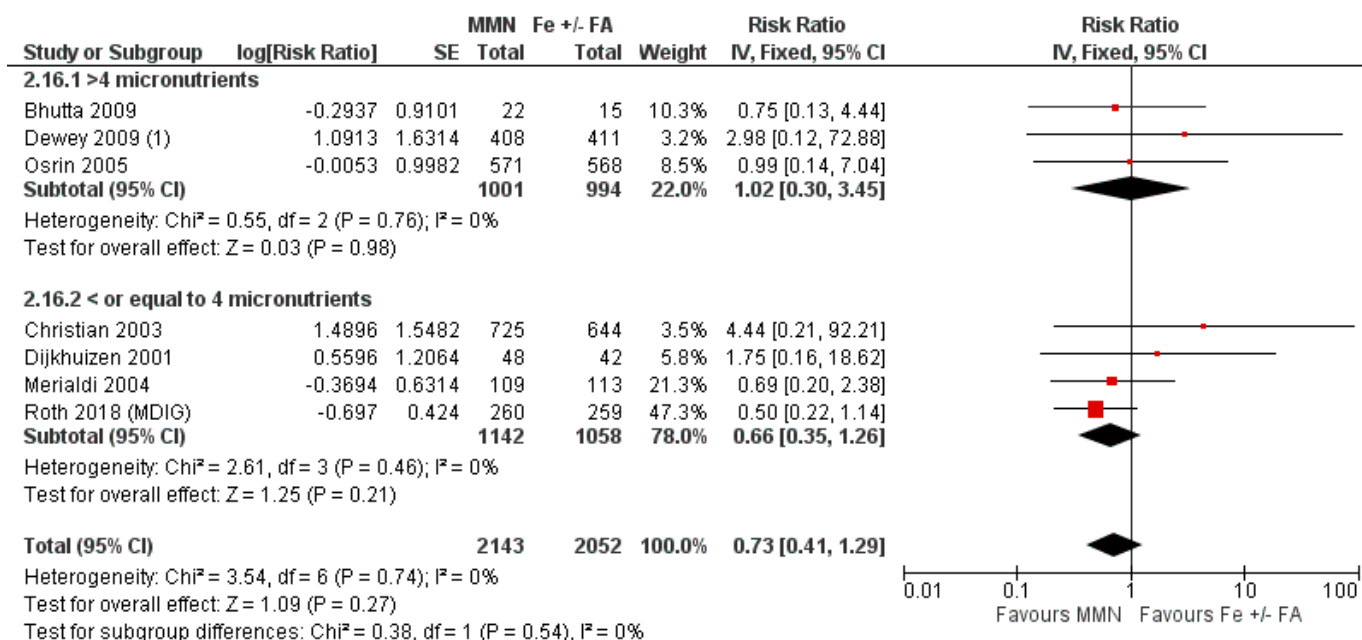


Footnotes

(1) Definition - loss of pregnancy up to 22 wks gestation

(2) In this paper: reference under Adu-Afarwuah et al. (2015)

Supplementary Materials
Congenital Anomalies

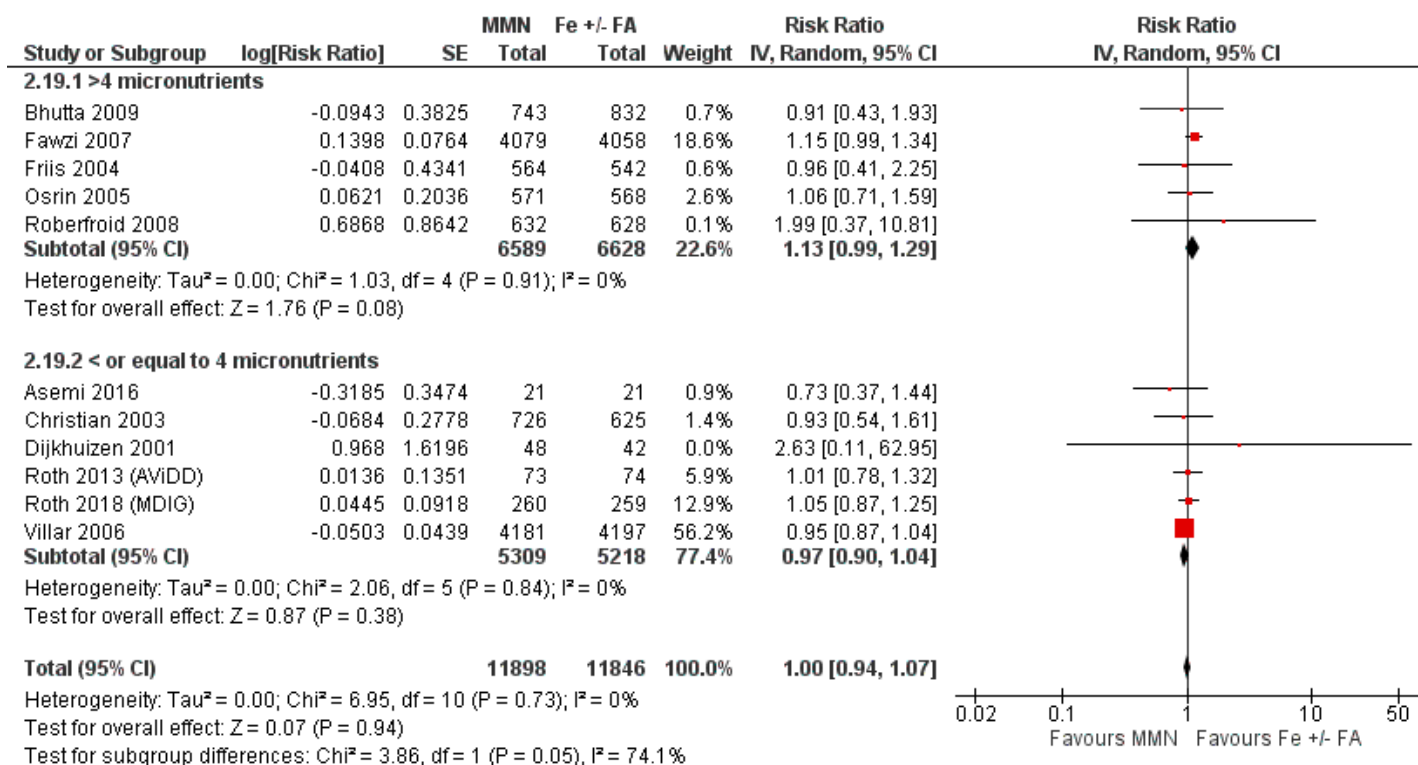


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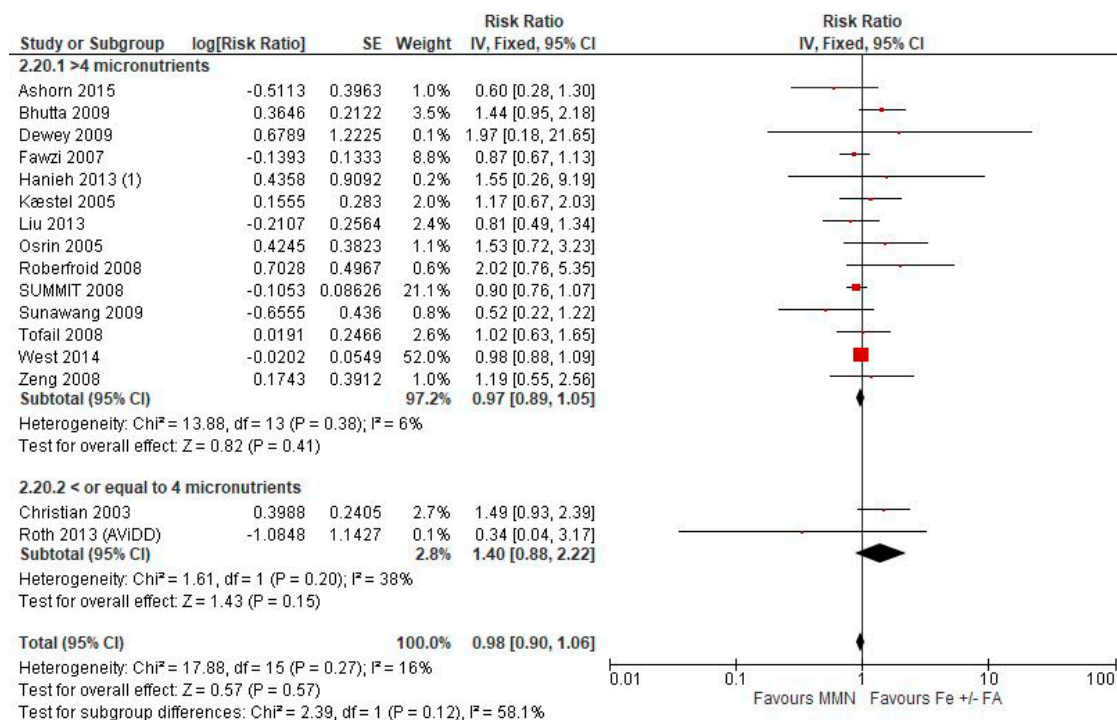
Supplementary Materials

Caesarean section as a mode of delivery



Supplementary Materials

Neonatal mortality

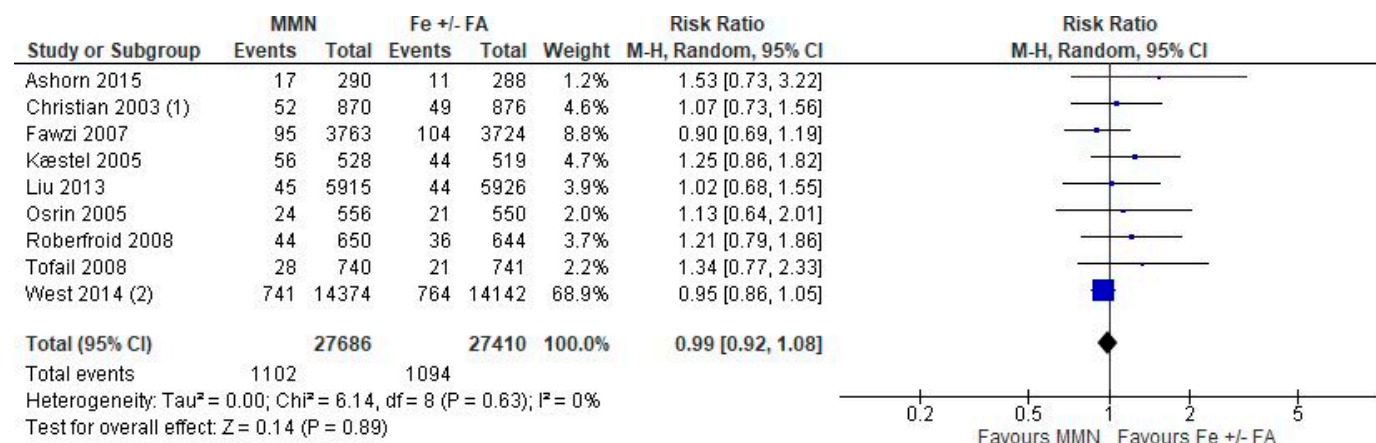


Footnotes

(1) infant deaths <24 days of life

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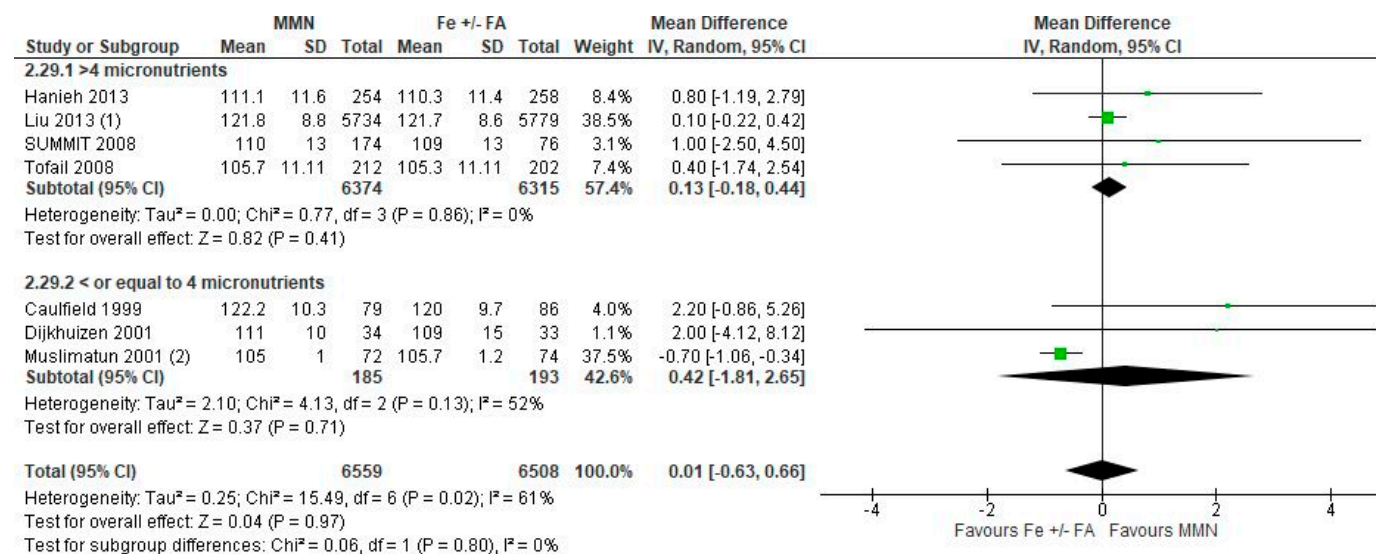
Infant mortality



Footnotes

- (1) *infant mortality defined as deaths at 3 months of age or less
 (2) *infant mortality defined as deaths at 6 months of age or less

Child serum/plasma hemoglobin concentration (g/L)

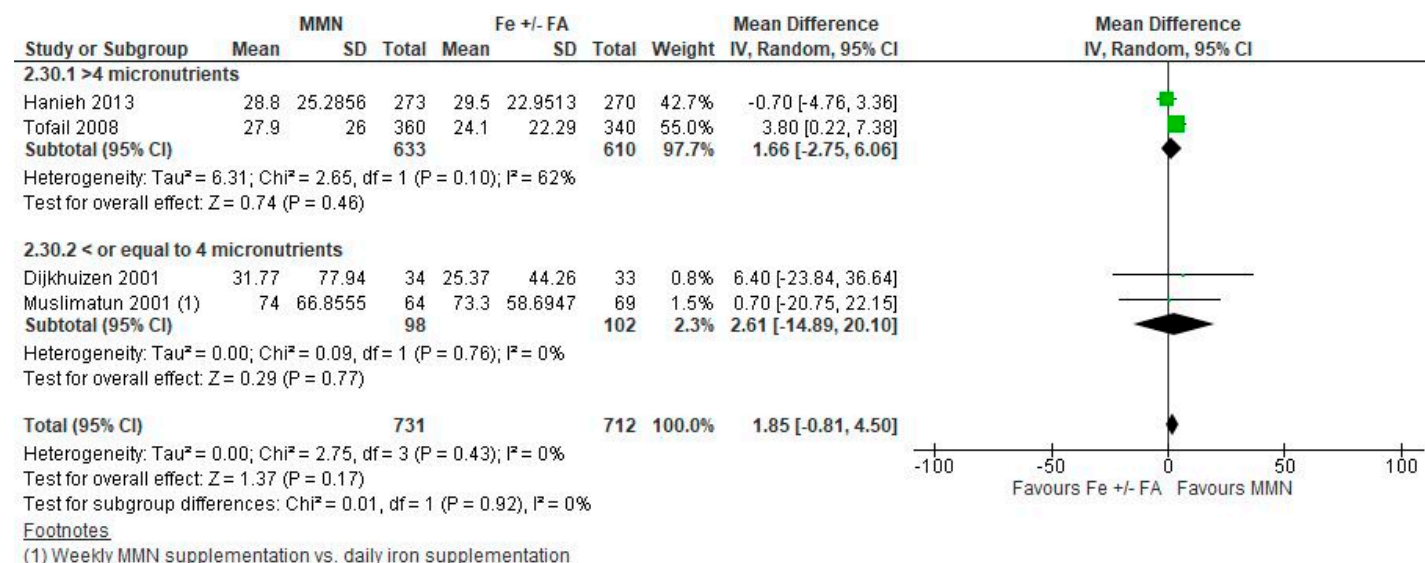


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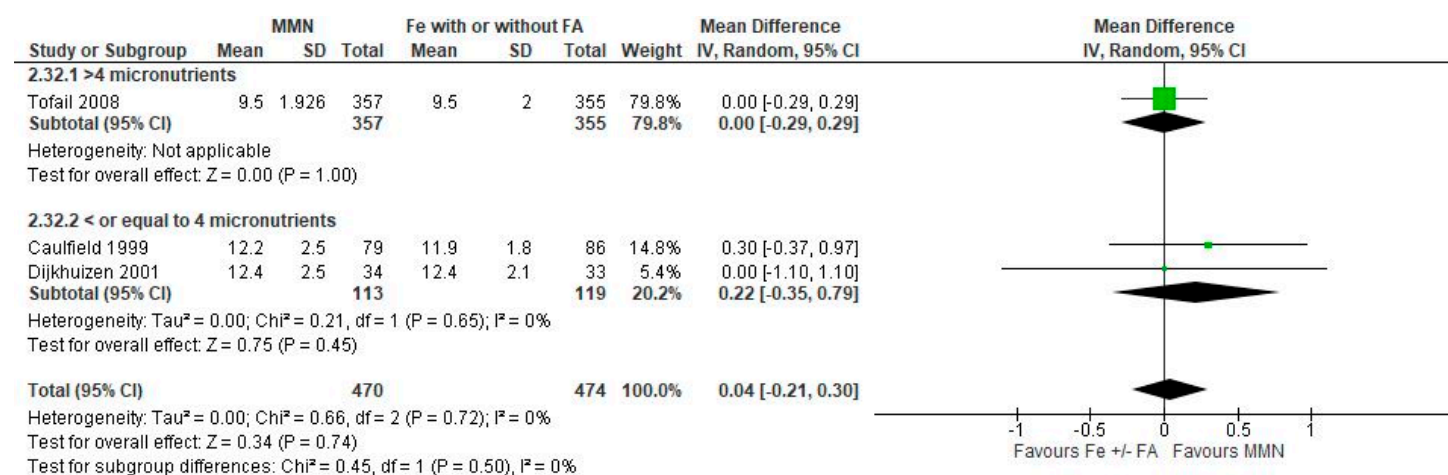
- (1) Infant serum Hb measured at 6 months
 (2) Weekly MMN supplementation vs. daily iron supplementation

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Child serum/plasma ferritin concentration (ug/L)

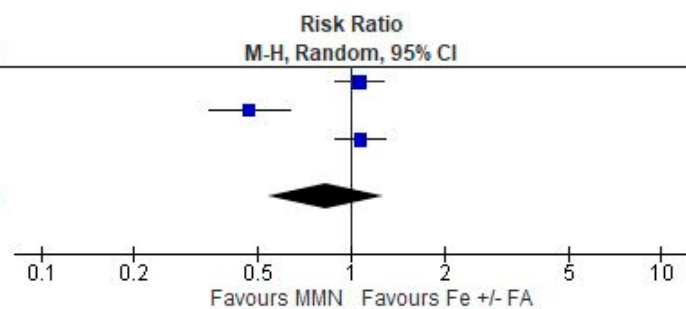


Child serum/plasma zinc concentration (umol/L)



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Child anemia

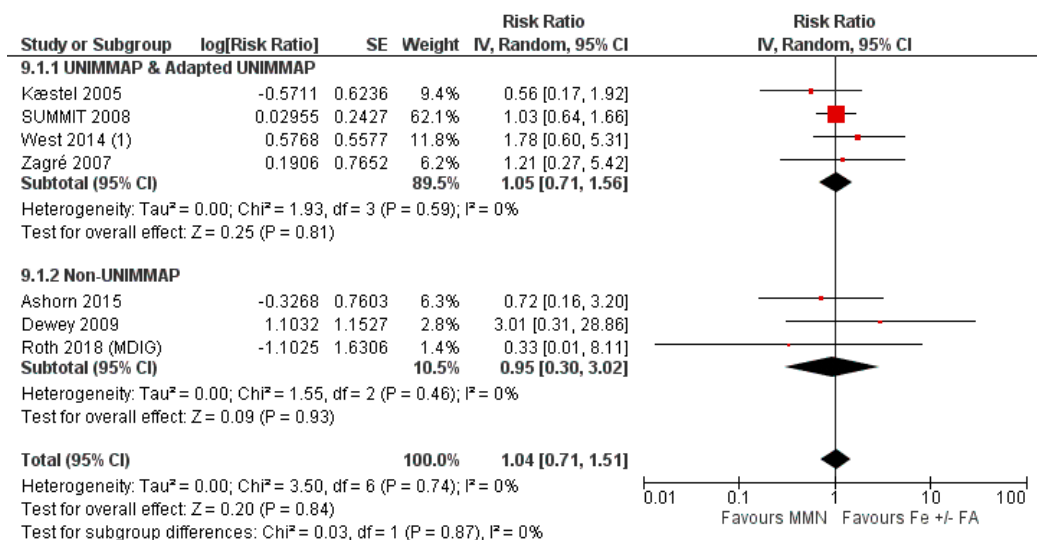
Study or Subgroup	MMN		Fe +/- FA		Weight	Risk Ratio
	Events	Total	Events	Total		M-H, Random, 95% CI
Hanieh 2013	128	254	122	258	34.6%	1.07 [0.89, 1.27]
Huy 2009	43	203	95	211	31.1%	0.47 [0.35, 0.64]
Tofail 2008	129	273	114	259	34.4%	1.07 [0.89, 1.29]
Total (95% CI)		730		728	100.0%	0.83 [0.54, 1.28]
Total events	300		331			
Heterogeneity: Tau ² = 0.13; Chi ² = 24.36, df = 2 (P < 0.00001); I ² = 92%						
Test for overall effect: Z = 0.85 (P = 0.39)						



Supplementary Materials

Subgroup Analysis for Comparison: MMN Supplementation vs. IFA Supplementation

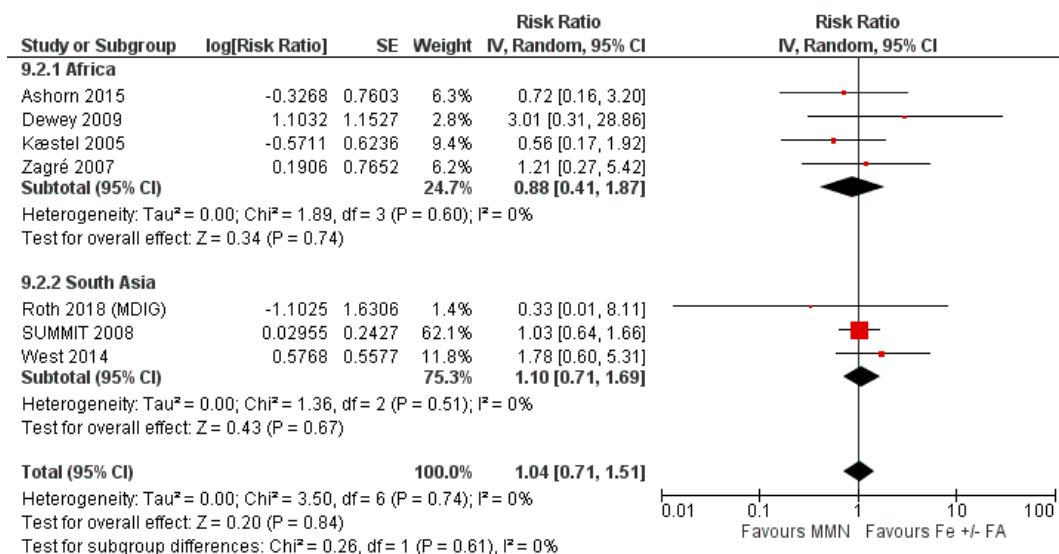
Maternal Mortality (MMN Formulation)



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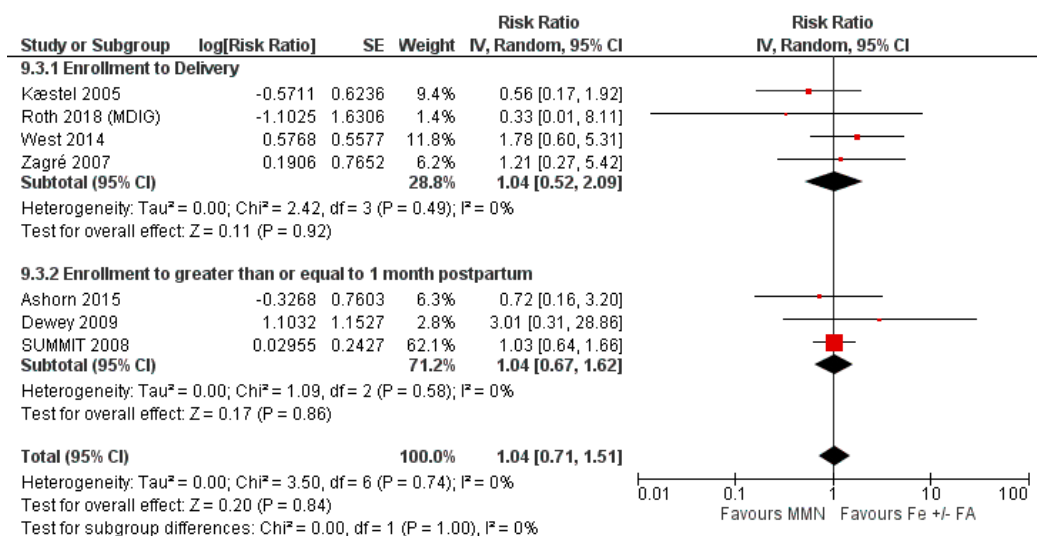
(1) Adapted UNIMMAP - same components, different doses per component

Maternal Mortality (Geographical Region)

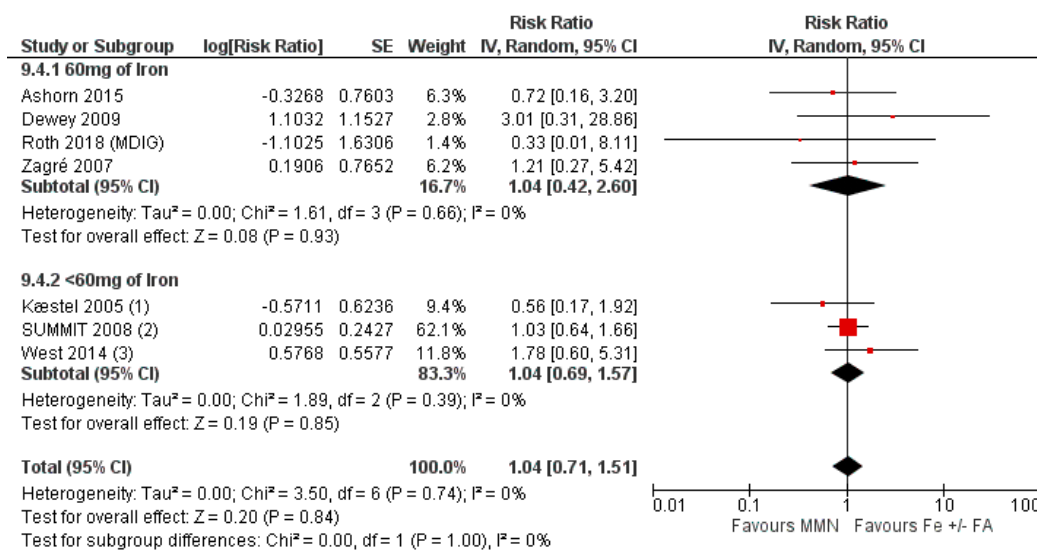


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Maternal Mortality (Duration of Intervention)



Maternal Mortality (Dose of Iron, mg)



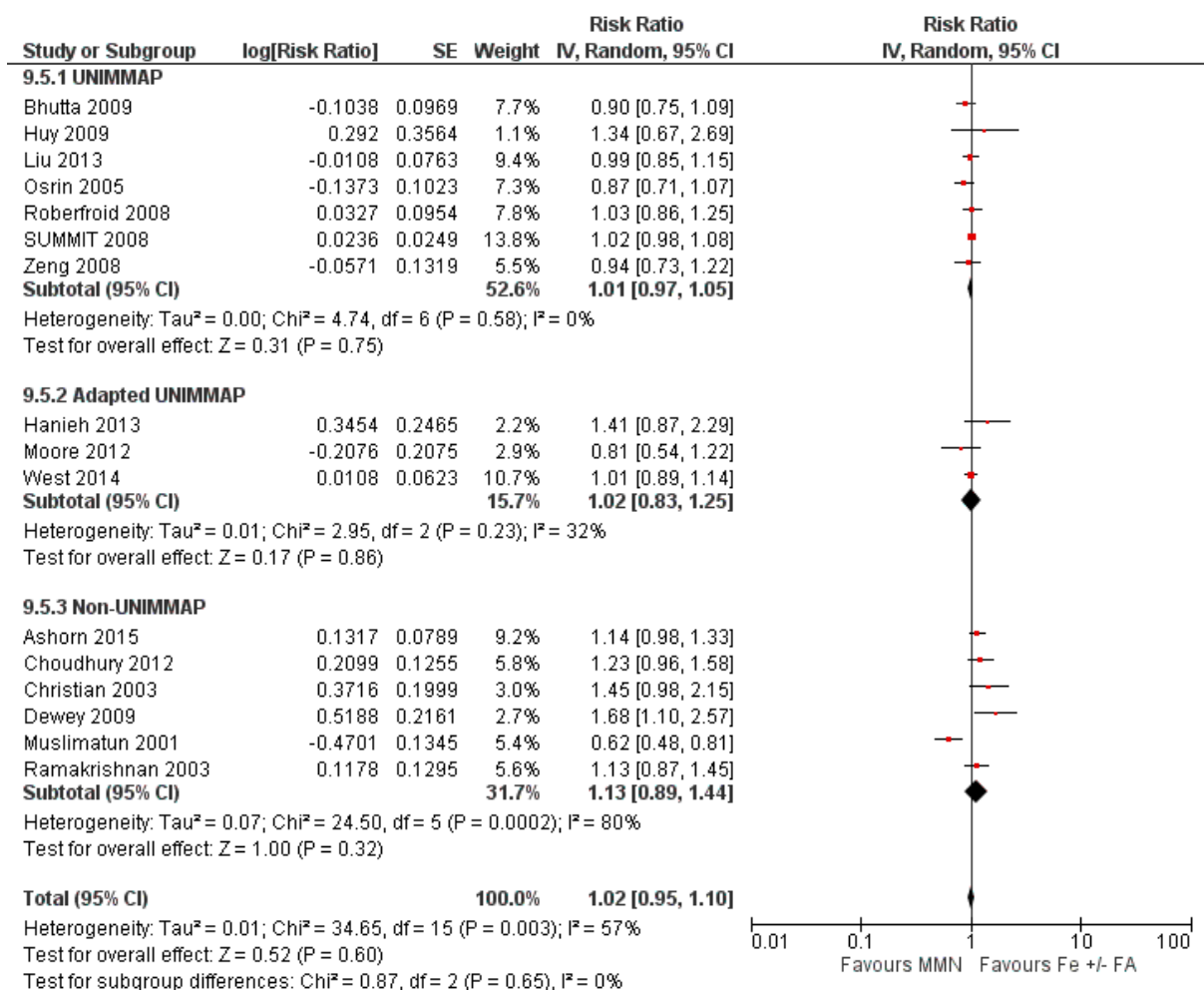
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(1) 30mg Fe

(2) 30mg Fe

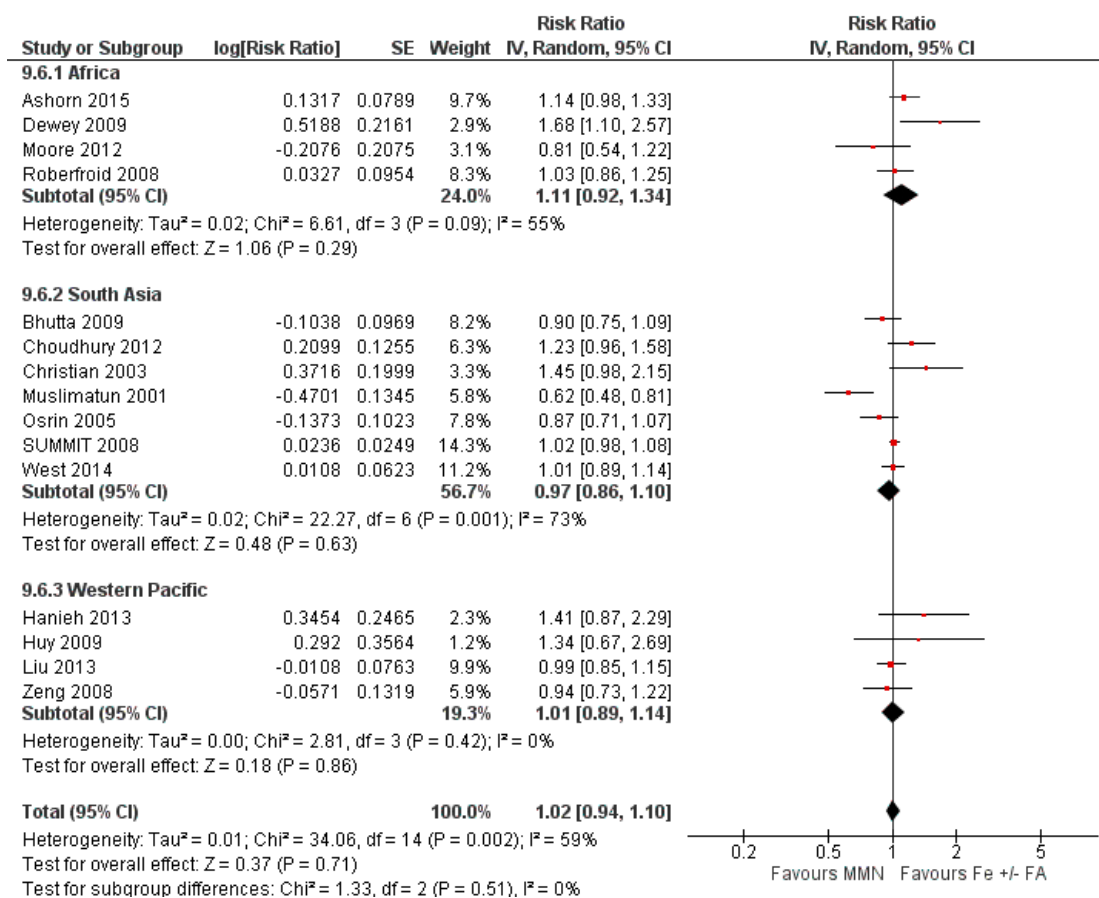
(3) 27mg Fe

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Maternal Anemia (MMN Formulation)

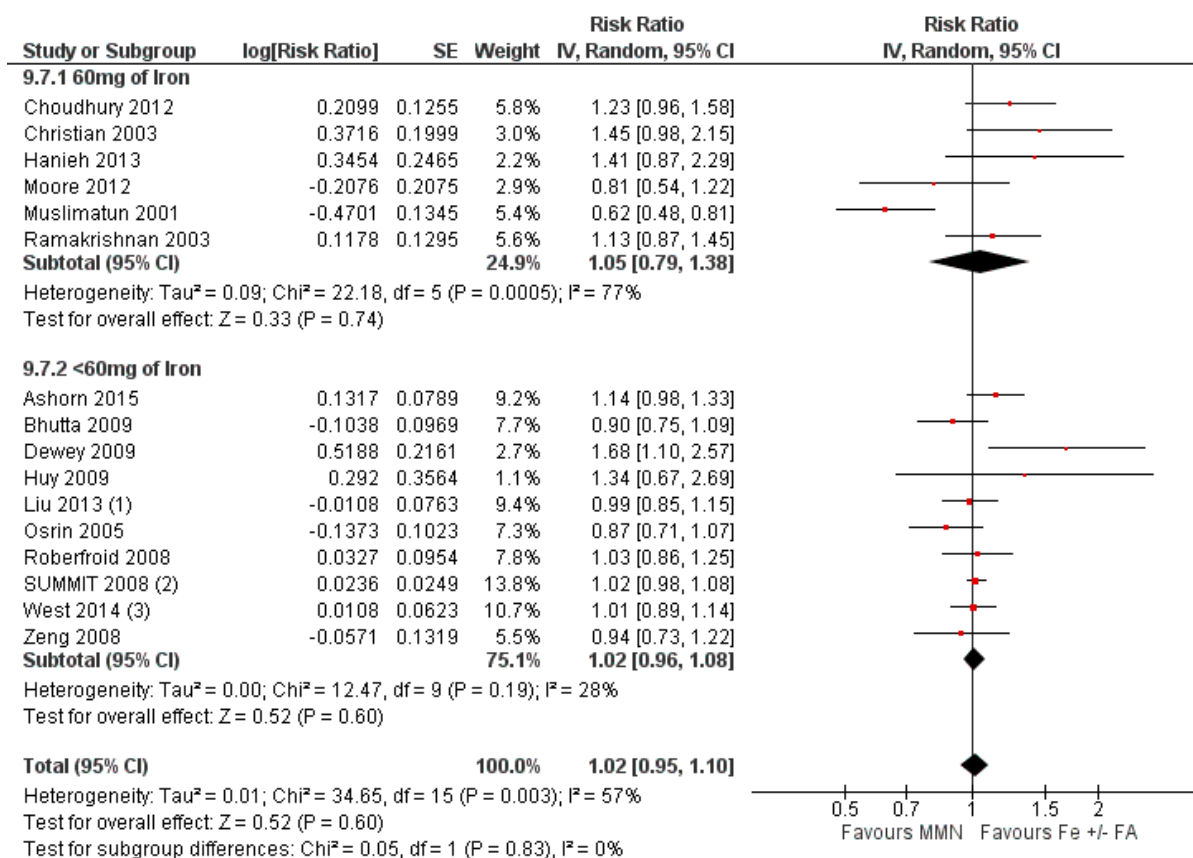


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Maternal Anemia (Geographical Region)



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Maternal Anemia (Dose of Iron, mg)

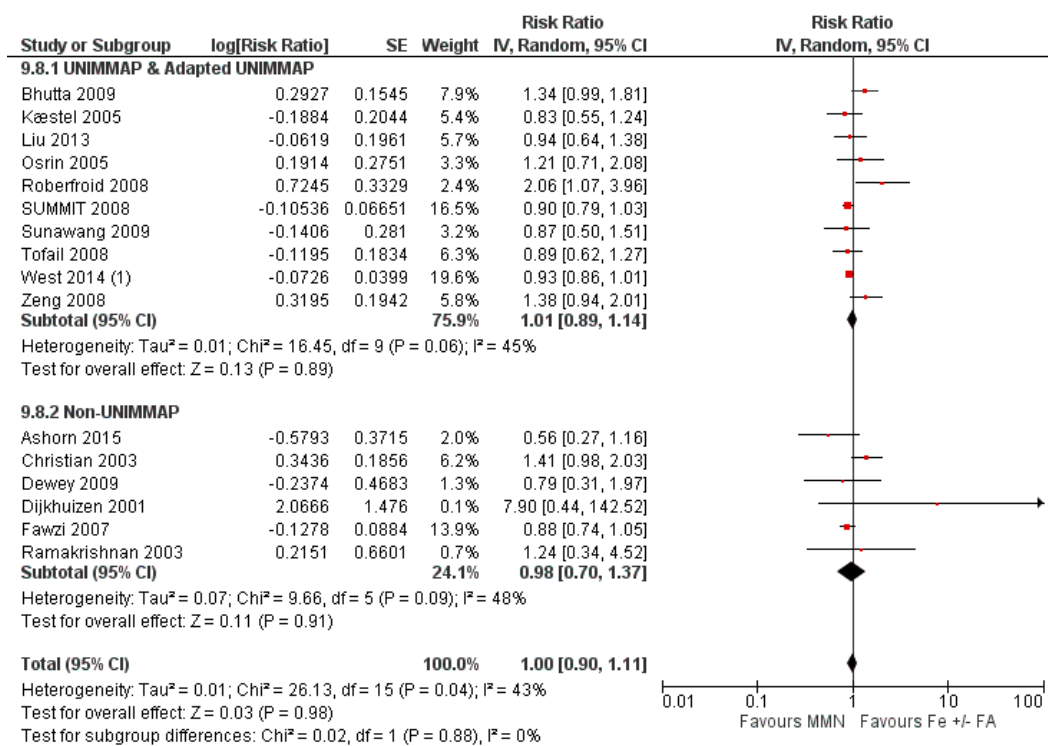


Footnotes

- (1) 30mg of Fe
- (2) 30mg of Fe
- (3) 27mg of Fe

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Perinatal Mortality (MMN Formulation)

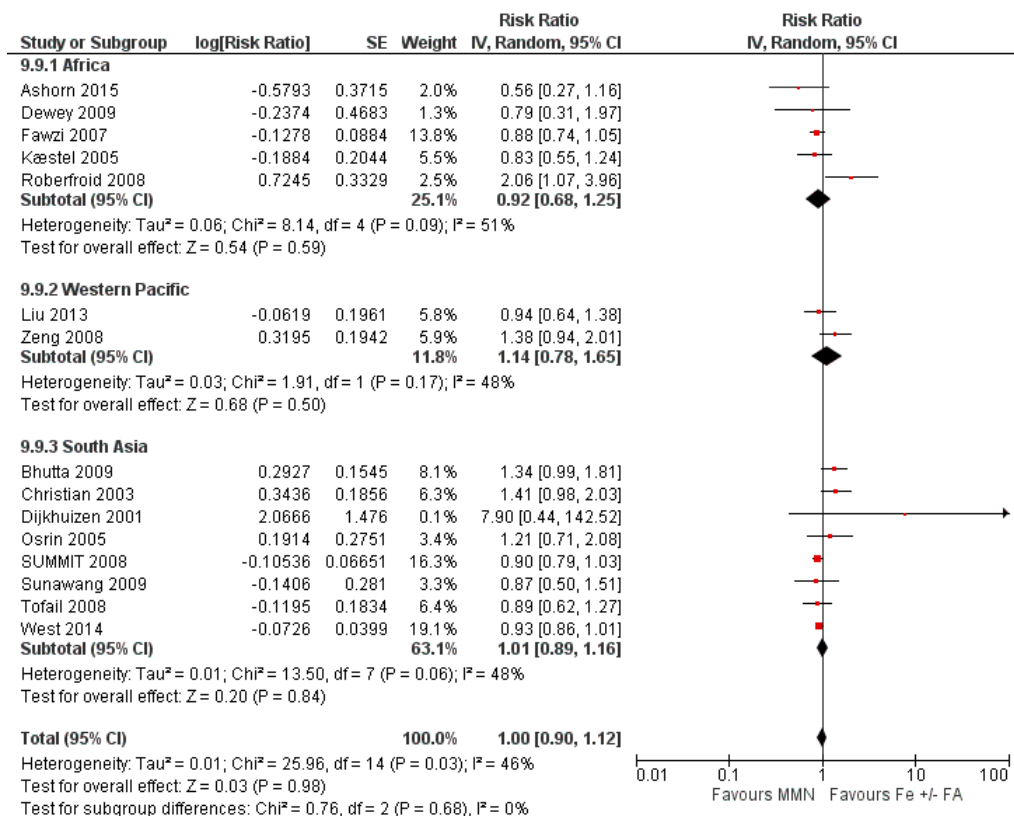


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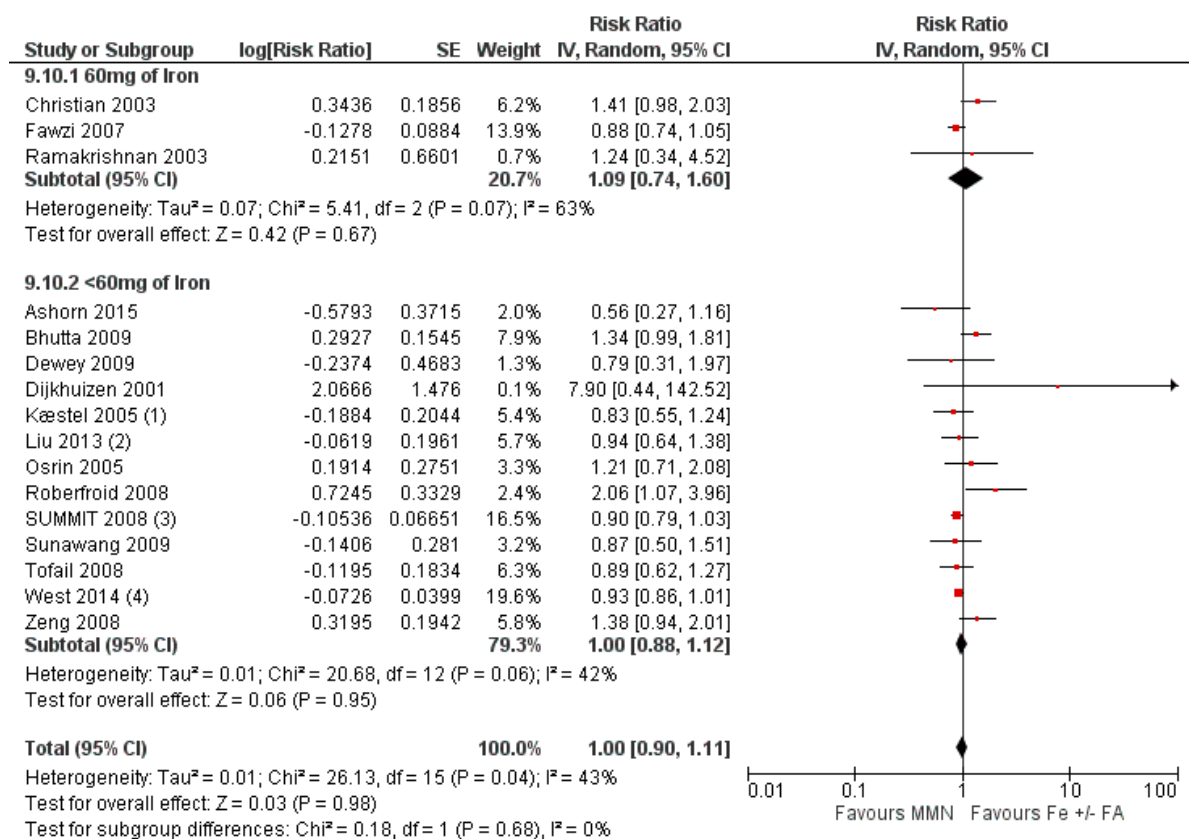
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Perinatal Mortality (Geographical Region)



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Perinatal Mortality (Dose of Iron, mg)

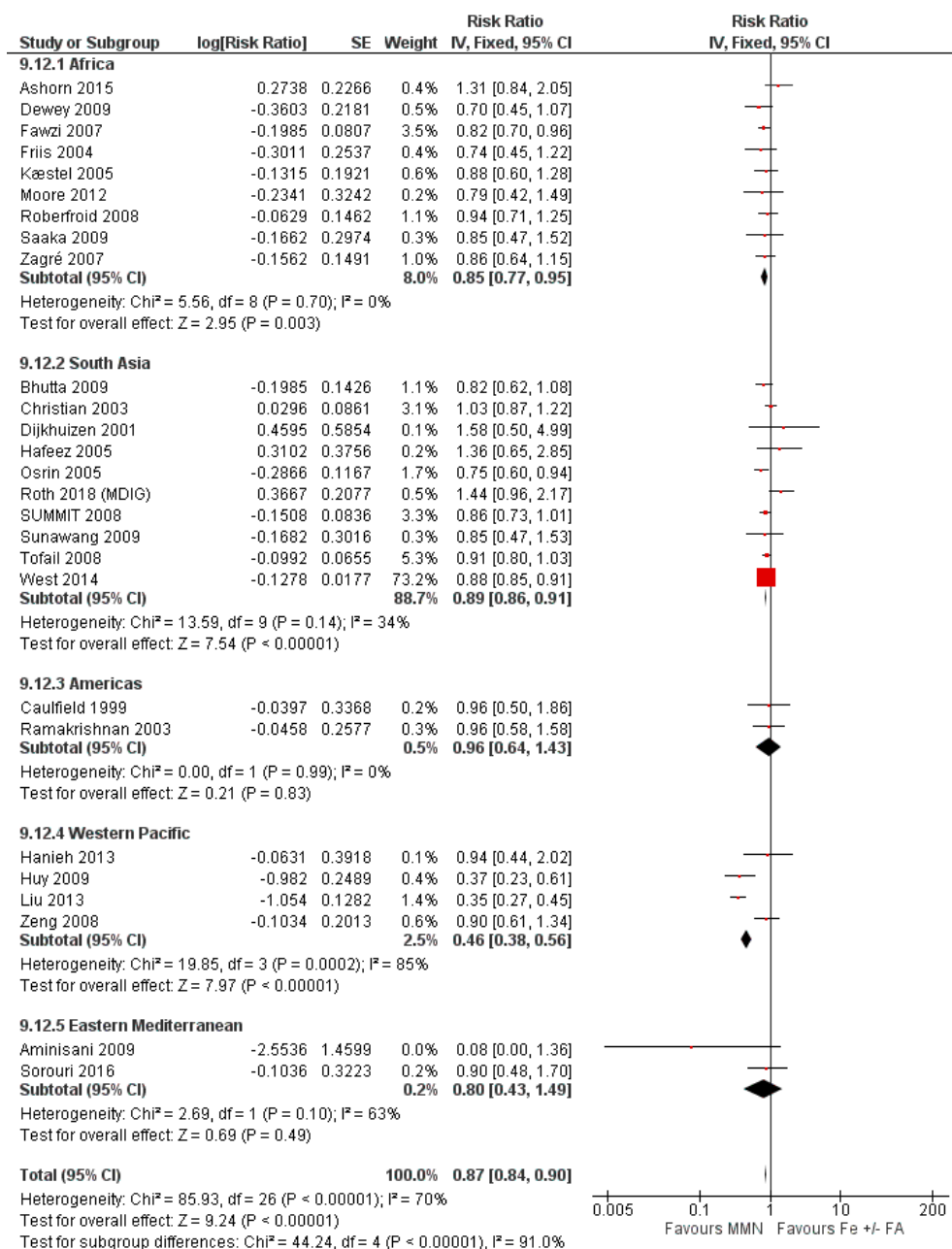


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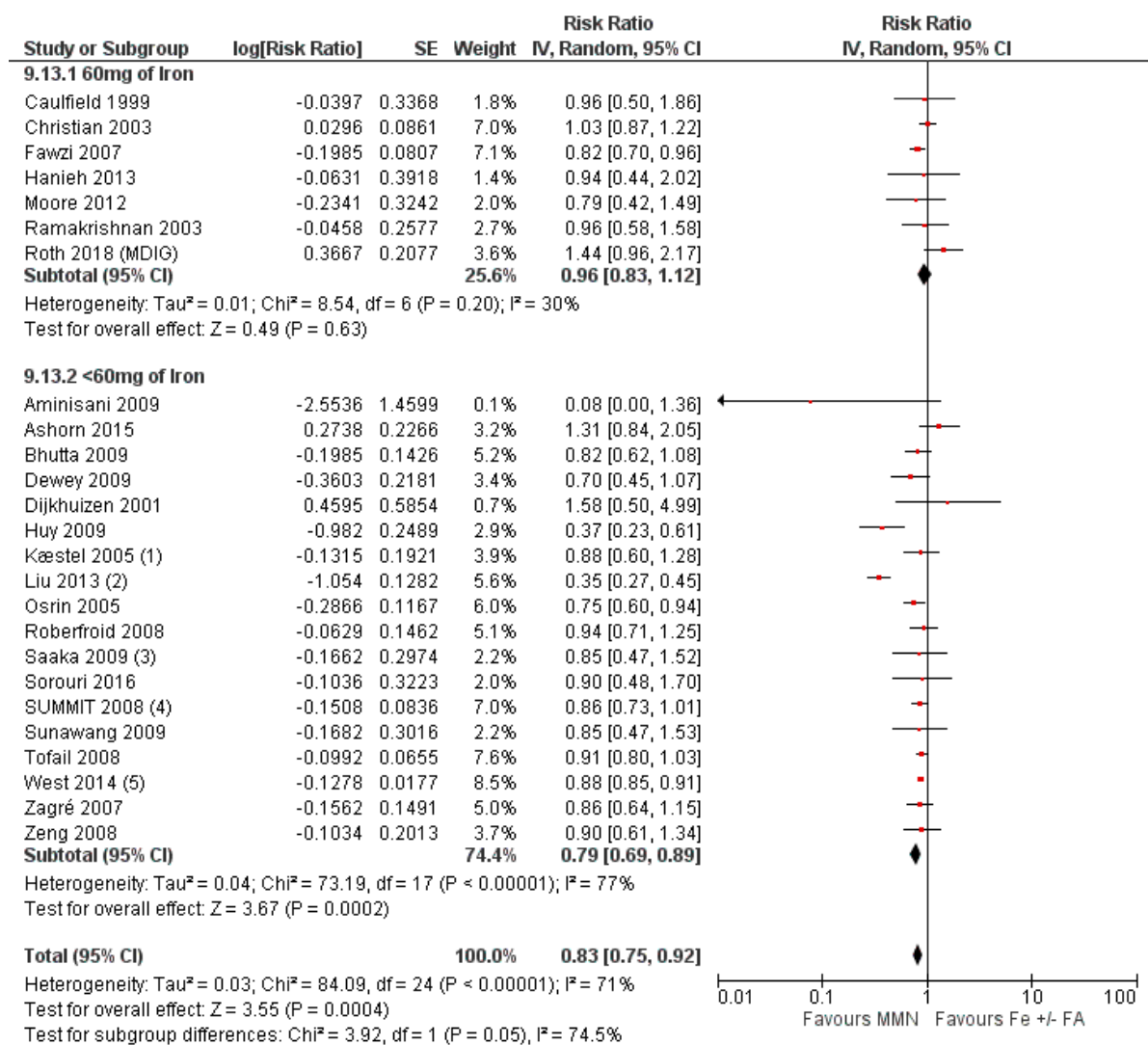
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Supplementary Materials

Low Birthweight (Geographical Region)



Supplementary Materials
 Low Birthweight (Dose of Iron, mg)



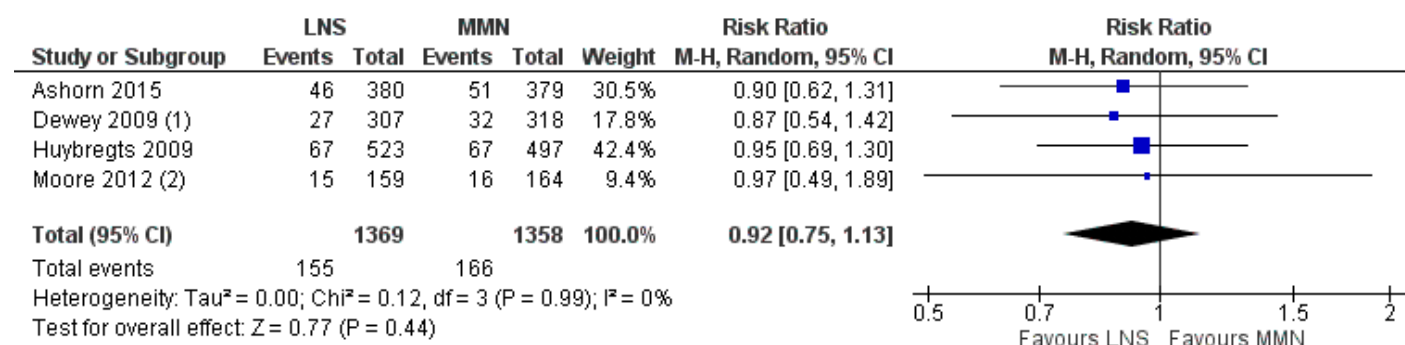
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Supplementary Materials

Comparison: Lipid-based Nutrient Supplementation (LNS) vs. MMN Supplementation

Low birthweight

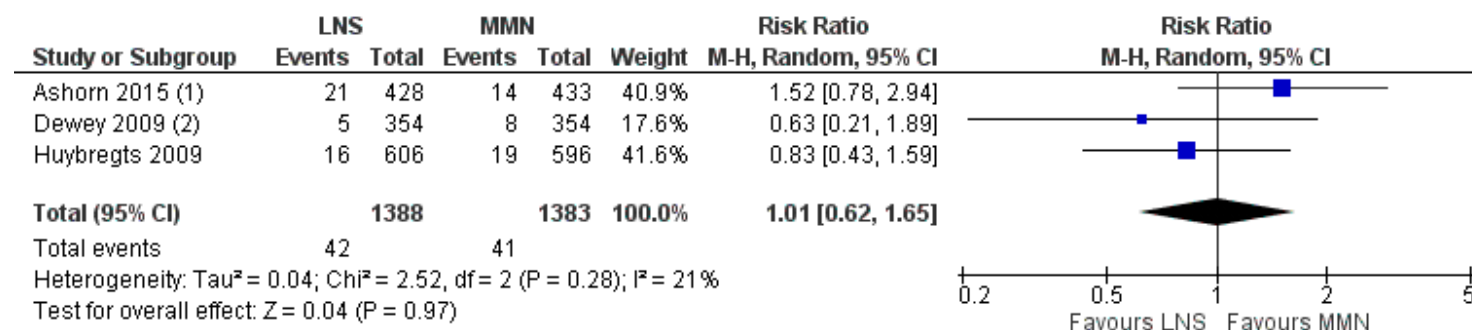


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Perinatal mortality



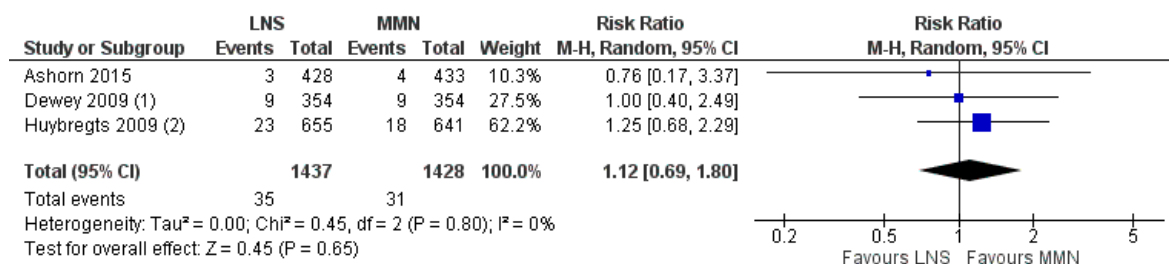
Footnotes

(1) The denominator includes women with a singleton pregnancy for whom the date of abortion or delivery is known

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Miscarriage

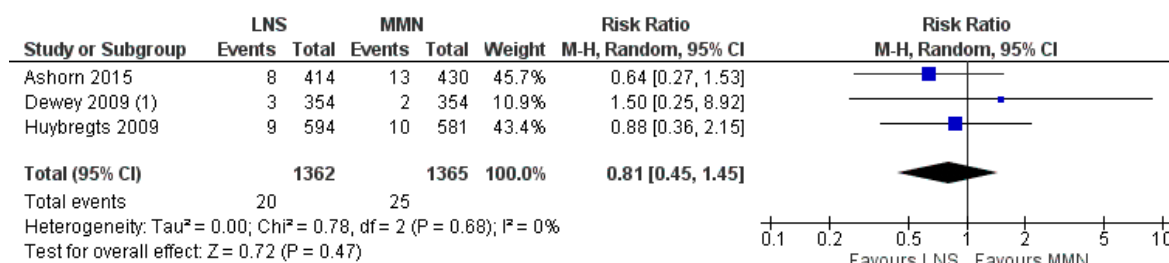


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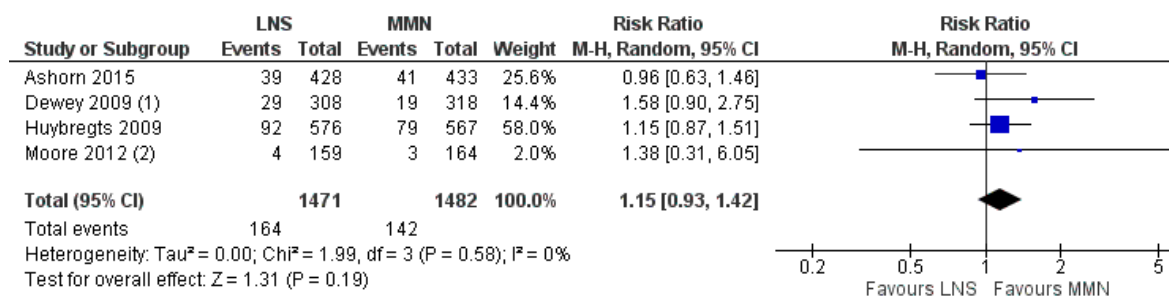
Neonatal mortality



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Preterm births

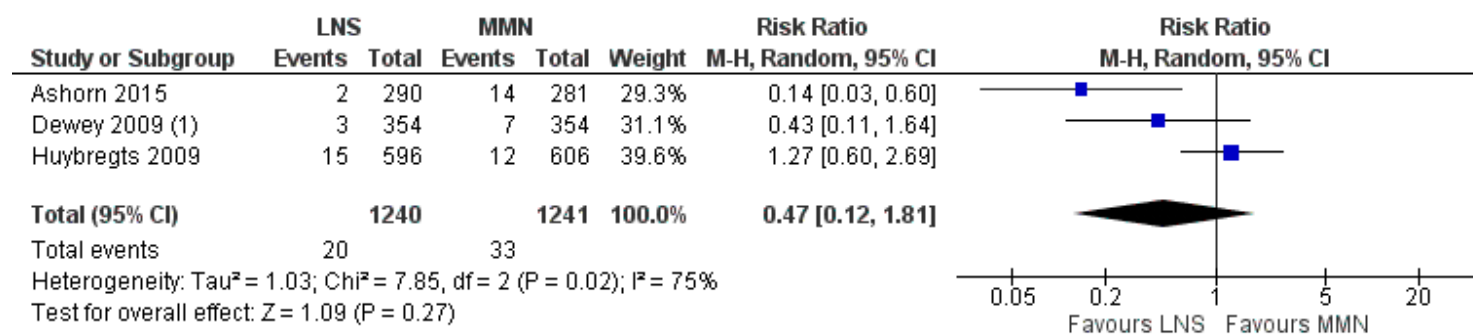


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Stillbirths



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