

## Supplementary Materials

**Figure S1. Flow chart of the study population**

**84,239** men with valid prostate cancer status and European ancestry



With current alcohol intake data

**11,493**



With valid alcoholic beverage information

**10,029**

**Table S1. Summary of prostate cancer (PCa) status and related information by study sites**

Study site	Method of collecting alcohol data	Country	Sample size	Non-PCa N (%)		PCa N (%)	
COSM	questionnaire	Sweden <sup>1</sup>	3146	1028	(32.7)	2118	(67.3)
ESTHER	questionnaire	Germany <sup>1</sup>	385	197	(51.2)	188	(48.8)
Hamburg-Zagreb	Interview	Croatia <sup>1</sup>	6	0	(0)	6	(100)
KULEUVEN	Interview	Belgium <sup>1</sup>	6	2	(33.3)	4	(66.7)
MCC-Spain	Questionnaire	Spain <sup>1</sup>	833	359	(43.1)	474	(56.9)
PRAGGA	Questionnaire	Spain <sup>1</sup>	93	0	(0)	93	(100)
SWOG-PCPT	Questionnaire	USA	2045	1045	(51.1)	100	(48.9)
SWOG-SELECT	Questionnaire	USA	3515	2045	(58.2)	1470	(41.8)
Total	-	-	10029	4676	(46.6)	3553	(35.4)

<sup>1</sup>In European

**Table S2. Prostate cancer risk status and other selected factors associated with intake of total alcohol and specific alcoholic beverage types**

Factor	Total alcohol				Beer intake			
	Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (N=9135)		Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (N=9585)	
	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy
Prostate cancer								
No	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yes	1.54 (1.39, 1.70)***	1.71 (1.49, 1.97)***	1.10 (0.99, 1.23)	1.07 (0.92, 1.24)	1.39 (1.28, 1.52)***	1.50 (1.29, 1.74)***	1.04 (0.94, 1.14)	0.98 (0.84, 1.16)
Age	0.98 (0.97, 0.98)***	0.99 (0.98, 1.00)*	0.98 (0.97, 0.98)***	0.99 (0.98, 1.00)*	0.97 (0.96, 0.97)***	0.96 (0.95, 0.97)***	0.96 (0.95, 0.96)***	0.95 (0.94, 0.96)***
BMI status <sup>2</sup>								
Normal/Underweight	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Overweight	0.83 (0.74, 0.95)**	0.86 (0.73, 1.02)	1.07 (0.93, 1.23)	1.14 (0.95, 1.36)	0.77 (0.69, 0.85)***	0.62 (0.52, 0.73)***	0.96 (0.86, 1.08)	0.81 (0.67, 0.97)*
Obese	0.47 (0.41, 0.55)***	0.44 (0.36, 0.53)***	0.74 (0.63, 0.86)**	0.73 (0.58, 0.91)**	0.50 (0.44, 0.56)***	0.34 (0.27, 0.42)***	0.76 (0.66, 0.87)***	0.59 (0.46, 0.76)***
Smoking								
Never	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Former	1.13 (1.02, 1.26)*	1.79 (1.54, 2.09)***	1.24 (1.11, 1.39)**	2.01 (1.70, 2.37)***	1.03 (0.94, 1.12)	1.75 (1.47, 2.08)***	1.14 (1.03, 1.26)*	2.06 (1.71, 2.48)***
Current	1.80 (1.48, 2.19)***	3.51 (2.76, 4.47)***	0.92 (0.74, 1.14)	1.63 (1.25, 2.14)**	1.66 (1.42, 1.93)***	3.64 (2.87, 4.61)***	0.84 (0.71, 1.00)	1.60 (1.23, 2.07)***
Region								
Europe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
USA	0.10 (0.09, 0.12)***	0.06 (0.05, 0.07)***	0.10 (0.09, 0.12)***	0.06 (0.05, 0.08)***	0.16 (0.15, 0.18)***	0.08 (0.07, 0.09)***	0.15 (0.13, 0.16)***	0.07 (0.06, 0.09)***

Factor	Wine intake				Spirits intake			
	Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (N= 9332)		Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (N=9403)	
	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy
Prostate cancer								
No	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yes	1.35 (1.25, 1.47)***	1.52 (1.25, 1.85)***	1.11 (1.02, 1.22)*	0.94 (0.76, 1.16)	1.27 (1.17, 1.38)***	1.07 (0.82, 1.41)	1.14 (1.04, 1.24)**	1.34 (1.01, 1.78)*
Age	0.99 (0.98, 0.99)***	1.05 (1.03, 1.06)***	0.99 (0.98, 0.99)***	1.04 (1.03, 1.06)***	0.99 (0.98, 1.00)***	1.03 (1.01, 1.05)**	0.99 (0.99, 1.00)*	1.03 (1.01, 1.06)**
BMI status <sup>2</sup>								
Normal/Underweight	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Overweight	0.85 (0.77, 0.94)**	1.22 (0.96, 1.54)	0.97 (0.88, 1.08)	1.46 (1.13, 1.89)**	1.07 (0.97, 1.18)	1.87 (1.30, 2.69)***	1.18 (1.07, 1.30)**	1.59 (1.10, 2.30)*
Obese	0.52 (0.46, 0.59)***	0.80 (0.60, 1.07)	0.67 (0.59, 0.76)***	1.13 (0.81, 1.56)	0.90 (0.80, 1.02)	1.80 (1.18, 2.74)**	1.15 (1.01, 1.30)*	1.42 (0.92, 2.19)
Smoking								
Never	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Former	1.07 (0.98, 1.17)	1.41 (1.13, 1.75)**	1.13 (1.03, 1.24)*	1.40 (1.10, 1.78)**	1.45 (1.33, 1.59)***	2.34 (1.70, 3.23)***	1.47 (1.34, 1.61)***	2.24 (1.61, 3.10)***
Current	1.06 (0.92, 1.22)	1.85 (1.37, 2.51)***	0.72 (0.62, 0.84)***	1.27 (0.91, 1.77)	2.12 (1.85, 2.43)***	2.53 (1.58, 4.04)***	1.65 (1.43, 1.91)***	3.54 (2.16, 5.80)***
Region								
Europe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
USA	0.37 (0.34, 0.41)***	0.18 (0.15, 0.23)***	0.38 (0.34, 0.41)***	0.21 (0.17, 0.27)***	0.48 (0.44, 0.52)***	2.87 (1.99, 4.14)***	0.48 (0.44, 0.52)***	3.20 (2.15, 4.77)***

<sup>1</sup>Based on multinomial logistic models with an alcohol factor as the outcome adjusting all factors in this table; \*: p<0.05, \*\*: P<0.01, \*\*\*: P<0.001

<sup>2</sup>Normal/underweight (body mass index (BMI)<25), overweight (BMI: 25-29.9), and obesity (BMI≥30)

**Table S3. Prostate cancer (PCa) aggressiveness status and other selected factors associated with intake of total alcohol and specific alcoholic beverage types for PCa patients**

Factor	Total alcohol intake				Beer intake			
	Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (N=4777)		Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (n=5045)	
	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy
PCa aggressiveness								
No	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yes	1.83 (1.43, 2.34)***	2.15 (1.61, 2.88)***	0.91 (0.69, 1.20)	0.90 (0.64, 1.26)	1.99 (1.65, 2.40)***	2.47 (1.89, 3.22)***	1.33 (1.07, 1.65)*	1.48 (1.09, 2.01)*
Age	0.98 (0.97, 0.99)***	0.99 (0.97, 1.00)	0.98 (0.97, 0.99)***	0.99 (0.97, 1.00)	0.96 (0.95, 0.97)***	0.96 (0.94, 0.97)***	0.95 (0.94, 0.96)***	0.94 (0.93, 0.96)***
BMI status <sup>2</sup>								
Normal/Underweight	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Overweight	0.71 (0.59, 0.85)*	0.76 (0.61, 0.96)***	0.92 (0.76, 1.12)	1.00 (0.78, 1.29)	0.68 (0.59, 0.78)***	0.56 (0.45, 0.70)***	0.85 (0.72, 1.00)*	0.72 (0.56, 0.92)**
Obese	0.40 (0.33, 0.50)***	0.44 (0.33, 0.58)***	0.66 (0.52, 0.83)***	0.71 (0.52, 0.98)*	0.46 (0.38, 0.54)***	0.31 (0.23, 0.43)***	0.71 (0.59, 0.87)***	0.56 (0.40, 0.80)**
Smoking								
Never	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Former	1.10 (0.94, 1.28)	1.74 (1.41, 2.15)***	1.19 (1.01, 1.41)*	1.95 (1.55, 2.46)***	0.95 (0.84, 1.08)	1.69 (1.34, 2.12)***	1.05 (0.91, 1.21)	1.97 (1.54, 2.54)***
Current	1.89 (1.42, 2.51)***	3.38 (2.41, 4.76)***	0.87 (0.63, 1.19)	1.47 (1.00, 2.14)*	1.70 (1.37, 2.10)***	3.82 (2.79, 5.23)***	0.82 (0.64, 1.04)	1.59 (1.12, 2.26)**
Region								
Europe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
USA	0.10 (0.08, 0.12)***	0.06 (0.04, 0.07)***	0.10 (0.08, 0.13)***	0.06 (0.05, 0.08)***	0.17 (0.15, 0.19)***	0.07 (0.06, 0.09)***	0.15 (0.13-0.17)***	0.07 (0.05, 0.09)***

Factor	Wine intake				Spirits intake			
	Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (n=4874)		Univariate Model		Multivariable Model <sup>1</sup> (n=4945)	
	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy	Light/moderate	Heavy
PCa aggressiveness								
No	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yes	1.18 (1.00, 1.39)*	1.24 (0.87, 1.76)	0.90 (0.75, 1.08)	0.56 (0.36, 0.86)**	1.06 (0.91, 1.24)	0.61 (0.33, 1.15)	0.88 (0.75, 1.04)	0.93 (0.48, 1.81)
Age	0.99 (0.98, 0.99)**	1.05 (1.03, 1.07)***	0.99 (0.98, 1.00)*	1.05 (1.03, 1.08)***	0.99 (0.98, 0.99)***	1.01 (0.99, 1.04)	0.98 (0.98, 1.00)**	1.02 (0.99, 1.05)
BMI status <sup>2</sup>								
Normal/Underweight	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Overweight	0.87 (0.76, 1.00)*	1.56 (1.13, 2.16)**	1.00 (0.87, 1.15)	1.96 (1.35, 2.83)***	1.04 (0.92, 1.18)	1.37 (0.87, 2.17)	1.14 (1.00, 1.30)	1.10 (0.69, 1.75)
Obese	0.55 (0.46, 0.65)***	1.32 (0.90, 1.93)	0.71 (0.59, 0.85)***	1.79 (1.14, 2.81)*	0.95 (0.81, 1.12)	1.56 (0.91, 2.69)	1.19 (1.00, 1.41)	1.10 (0.63, 1.93)
Smoking								
Never	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Former	1.01 (0.89, 1.15)	1.37 (1.03, 1.81)*	1.05 (0.92, 1.19)	1.33 (0.96, 1.84)	1.48 (1.31, 1.67)***	2.40 (1.54, 3.74)***	1.48 (1.31, 1.67)***	2.35 (1.50, 3.69)***
Current	1.11 (0.92, 1.35)	1.60 (1.07, 2.40)*	0.79 (0.64, 0.96)*	1.23 (0.77, 1.95)	2.18 (1.82, 2.62)***	2.66 (1.43, 4.97)**	1.72 (1.42, 2.09)***	4.13 (2.13, 8.02)***
Region								
Europe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
USA	0.40 (0.35, 0.45)***	0.21 (0.16, 0.28)***	0.39 (0.34, 0.45)***	0.24 (0.17, 0.34)***	0.53 (0.47, 0.59)***	3.51 (2.19, 5.63)***	0.50 (0.44, 0.57)***	4.10 (2.40, 7.00)***

<sup>1</sup>Based on multinomial logistic models with an alcohol factor as the outcome adjusting all factors in this table; \*: p<0.05, \*\*: P<0.01, \*\*\*: P<0.001

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