

Gestione del PAZIENTE DIABETICO DI TIPO 2 in MEDICINA GENERALE: dal concetto di **COMPETENZA** all'**AUDIT CLINICO**



Protezione cardiorenale nel paziente diabetico tipo 2: dalle evidenze alla pratica clinica

Type 2 Diabetes: Treatment Goals

- Achieve HbA1c Targets
- Achieve a Composit Target:
 - ✓ Target HbA1, no Hypoglycemia, no Weight Gain
- Prevent/delay macro- and micro-vascular complications



Management of Hyperglycemia in Type 2 Diabetes, 2018.

A Consensus Report by the
American Diabetes Association
(ADA) and the European Association
for the Study of Diabetes (EASD)

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Materiale protetto da diritti d'autore. Riservato ai partecipanti al progetto e non diffusibile.

GOALS OF CARE

- Prevent complications
- Optimize quality of life



HYPERGLYCEMIA



OXIDATIVE STRESS
↓ NO AVAILABILITY
EPIGENETIC CHANGES
NON-CODING RNAs

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La terapia del diabete mellito di tipo 2

1.2.1. Si raccomanda un target di HbA1c inferiore 53 mmol/mol (7%) in pazienti con diabete di tipo 2 trattati con farmaci non inducenti ipoglicemia.

1.2.2. Si suggerisce un target di HbA1c inferiore o uguale a 48 mmol/mol (6.5%) in pazienti con diabete di tipo 2 trattati con farmaci non associati ad ipoglicemia.

Characteristics of the “ideal” diabetes drug

- **EFFICACY** *
- **«EASINESS»** *
 - Easy administration
 - No need for titration
- **TOLERABILITY** *
 - Very Little Side Effects
- **SAFETY** *
 - No hypoglycemia risk
 - No weight gain
 - No documentable serious adverse effects on any organ or apparatus
- **DOCUMENTED POSITIVE EFFECTS ON DIABETES COMPLICATIONS**

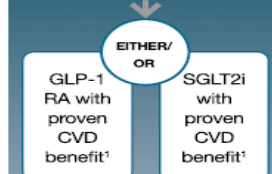
FIRST-LINE Therapy is Metformin and Comprehensive Lifestyle (including weight management and physical activity)

INDICATORS OF HIGH-RISK OR ESTABLISHED ASCVD, CKD, OR HF†

CONSIDER INDEPENDENTLY OF BASELINE A1C, INDIVIDUALIZED A1C TARGET, OR METFORMIN USE*

+ASCVD/Indicators of High Risk

- Established ASCVD
- Indicators of high ASCVD risk (age ≥55 years with coronary, carotid, or lower-extremity artery stenosis >50%, or LVH)



If A1C above target

If further intensification is required or patient is unable to tolerate GLP-1 RA and/or SGLT2i, choose agents demonstrating CV benefit and/or safety:

- For patients on a GLP-1 RA, consider adding SGLT2i with proven CVD benefit and vice versa¹
- TZD²
- DPP-4i if not on GLP-1 RA
- Basal insulin³
- SU⁴

1. Proven CVD benefit means it has label indication of reducing CVD events
 2. Low dose may be better tolerated though less well studied for CVD effects
 3. Degludec or U-100 glargine have demonstrated CVD safety
 4. Choose later generation SU to lower risk of hypoglycemia; glimepiride has shown similar CV safety to DPP-4i
 5. Be aware that SGLT2i labelling varies by region and individual agent with regard to indicated level of eGFR for initiation and continued use
 6. Empagliflozin, canagliflozin, and dapagliflozin have shown reduction in HF and to reduce CKD progression in CVOTs. Canagliflozin and dapagliflozin have primary renal outcome data. Dapagliflozin and empagliflozin have primary heart failure outcome data.

+HF

Particularly HFrEF (LVEF <45%)

SGLT2i with proven benefit in this population^{5,6,7}

+CKD

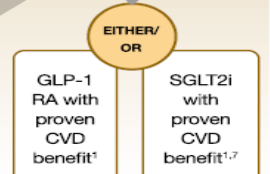
DKD and Albuminuria⁸

PREFERABLY
SGLT2i with primary evidence of reducing CKD progression

OR
SGLT2i with evidence of reducing CKD progression in CVOTs^{5,6,8}

OR
GLP-1 RA with proven CVD benefit¹ if SGLT2i not tolerated or contraindicated

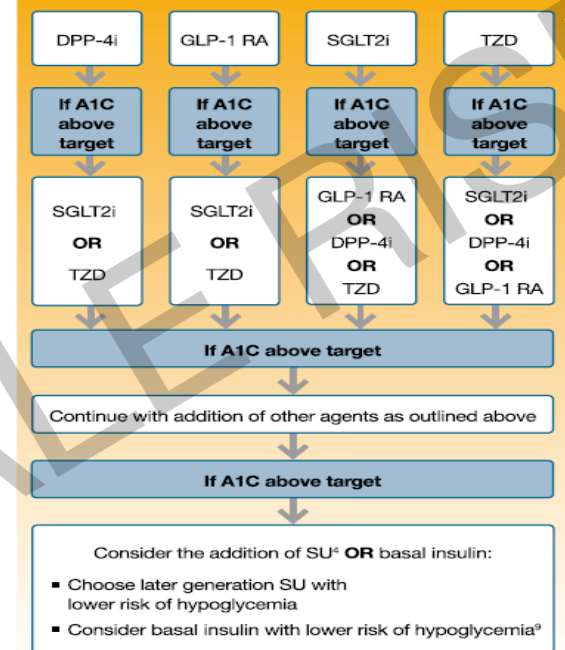
For patients with T2D and CKD⁹ (e.g., eGFR <60 mL/min/1.73 m²) and thus at increased risk of cardiovascular events



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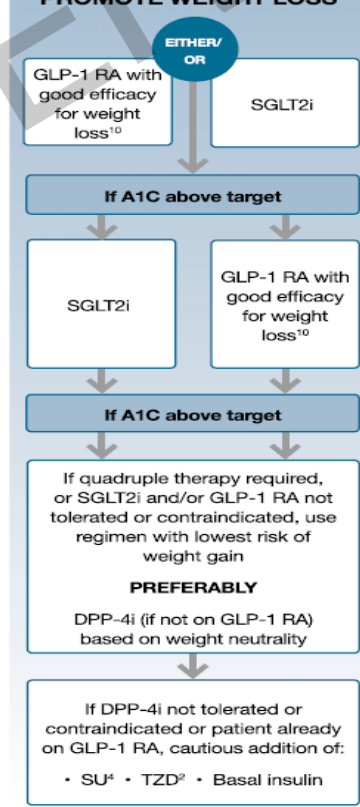
IF A1C ABOVE INDIVIDUALIZED TARGET PROCEED AS BELOW

COMPELLING NEED TO MINIMIZE HYPOGLYCEMIA



7. Proven benefit means it has label indication of reducing heart failure in this population
 8. Refer to Section 11: Microvascular Complications and Foot Care
 9. Degludec / glargine U-300 < glargine U-100 / detemir < NPH insulin
 10. Semaglutide > liraglutide > dulaglutide > exenatide > lixisenatide
 11. If no specific comorbidities (i.e., no established CVD, low risk of hypoglycemia, and lower priority to avoid weight gain or no weight-related comorbidities)
 12. Consider country- and region-specific cost of drugs. In some countries TZDs are relatively more expensive and DPP-4i are relatively cheaper.

COMPELLING NEED TO MINIMIZE WEIGHT GAIN OR PROMOTE WEIGHT LOSS



† Acted whenever these become new clinical considerations regardless of background glucose-lowering medications.
 * Most patients enrolled in the relevant trials were on metformin at baseline as glucose-lowering therapy.

COST IS A MAJOR ISSUE^{11,12}

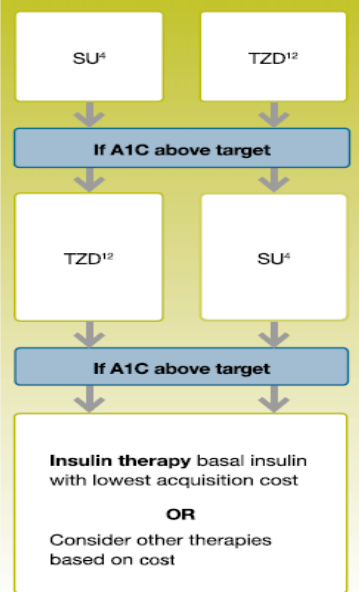
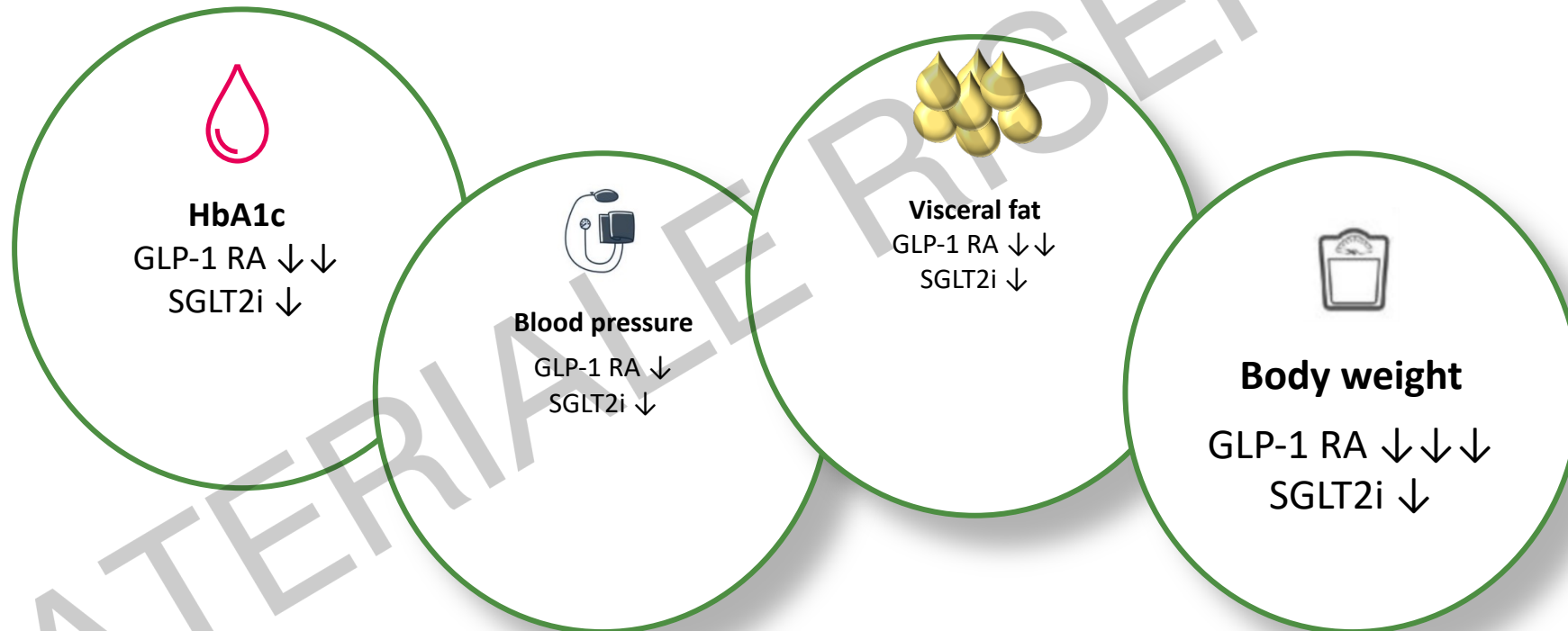


Table 7 Cardiovascular risk categories in patients with diabetes^a

Very high risk	Patients with DM and established CVD or other target organ damage ^b or three or more major risk factors ^c or early onset T1DM of long duration (>20 years)
High risk	Patients with DM duration ≥ 10 years without target organ damage plus any other additional risk factor
Moderate risk	Young patients (T1DM aged <35 years or T2DM aged <50 years) with DM duration <10 years, without other risk factors

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Metabolic effects of GLP-1 RA and SGLT2 inhib





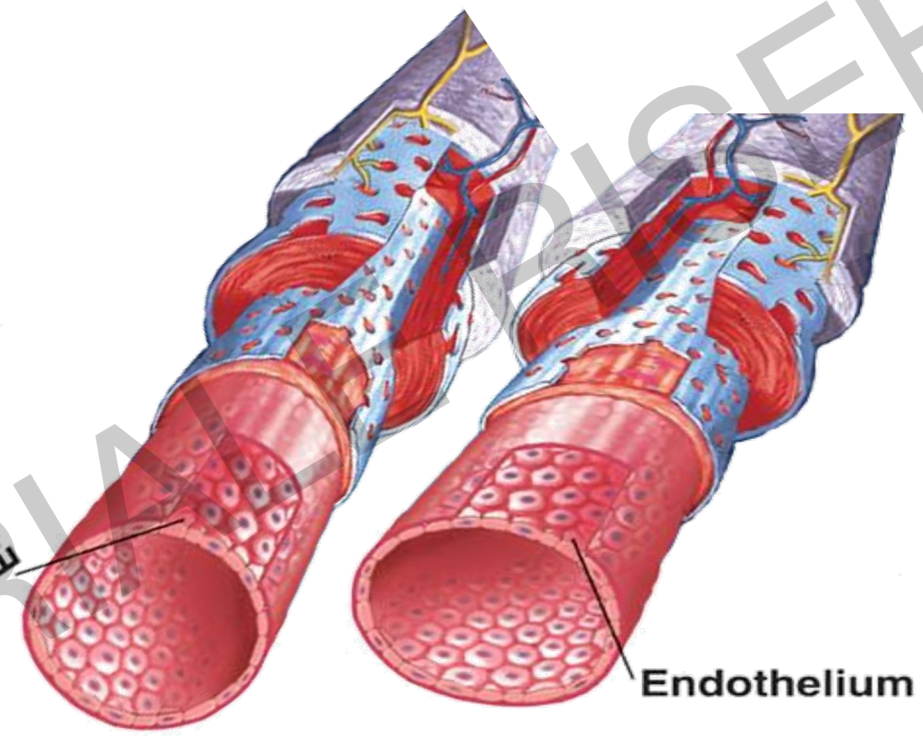
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ALL OTHERS MUST SHOW DATA**

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GLP-1 RAs

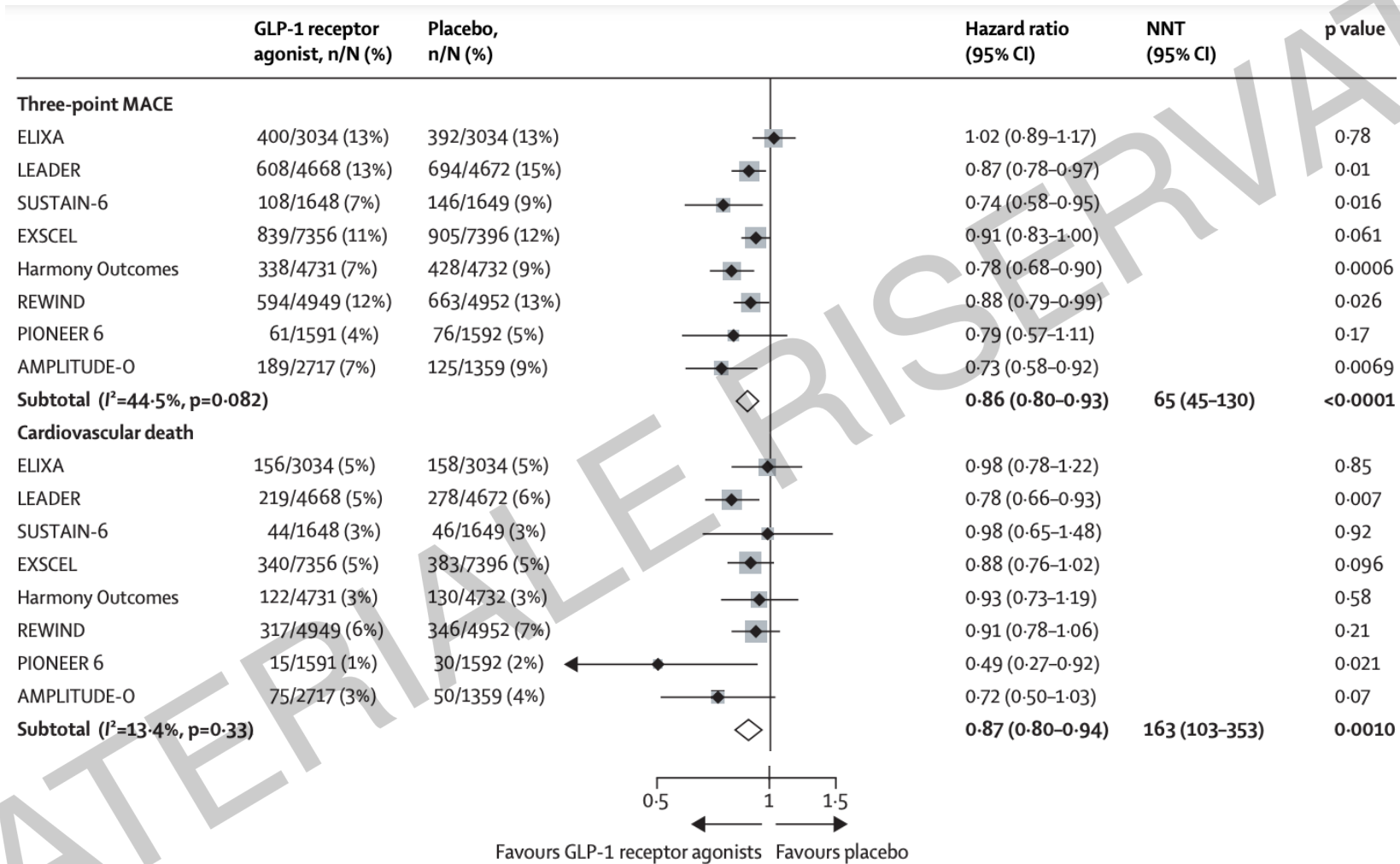
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GLP-1, MACE e Morte CV



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GLP-1, Infarto non fatale e stroke

Fatal or non-fatal myocardial infarction

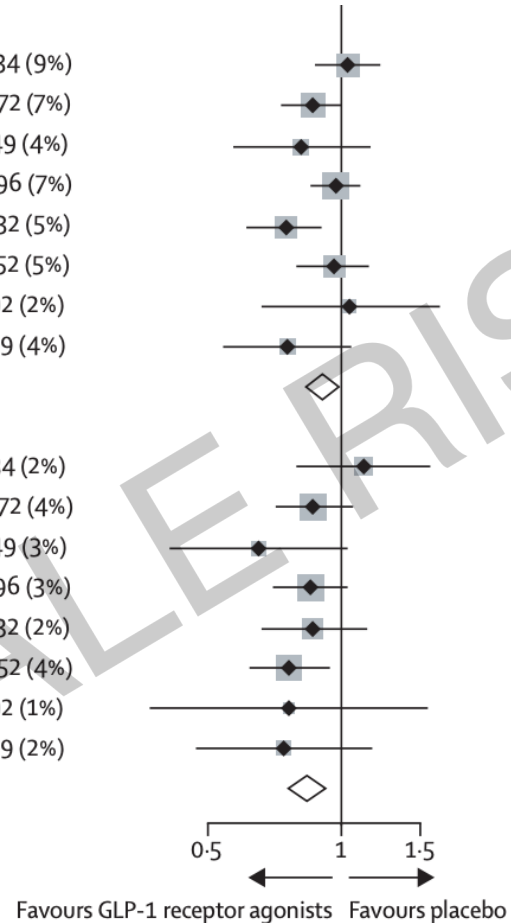
ELIXA	270/3034 (9%)	261/3034 (9%)
LEADER	292/4668 (6%)	339/4672 (7%)
SUSTAIN-6	54/1648 (3%)	67/1649 (4%)
EXSCEL	483/7356 (7%)	493/7396 (7%)
Harmony Outcomes	181/4731 (4%)	240/4732 (5%)
REWIND	223/4949 (5%)	231/4952 (5%)
PIONEER 6	37/1591 (2%)	35/1592 (2%)
AMPLITUDE-O	91/2717 (3%)	58/1359 (4%)

Subtotal ($I^2=26.9\%$, $p=0.21$)

Fatal or non-fatal stroke

ELIXA	67/3034 (2%)	60/3034 (2%)
LEADER	173/4668 (4%)	199/4672 (4%)
SUSTAIN-6	30/1648 (2%)	46/1649 (3%)
EXSCEL	187/7356 (3%)	218/7396 (3%)
Harmony Outcomes	94/4731 (2%)	108/4732 (2%)
REWIND	158/4949 (3%)	205/4952 (4%)
PIONEER 6	13/1591 (1%)	17/1592 (1%)
AMPLITUDE-O	47/2717 (2%)	31/1359 (2%)

Subtotal ($I^2=0.0\%$, $p=0.64$)



1.03 (0.87-1.22)	0.71
0.86 (0.73-1.00)	0.046
0.81 (0.57-1.16)	0.26
0.97 (0.85-1.10)	0.62
0.75 (0.61-0.90)	0.003
0.96 (0.79-1.15)	0.63
1.04 (0.66-1.66)	0.49
0.75 (0.54-1.05)	0.09
0.90 (0.83-0.98)	175 (103-878)
1.12 (0.79-1.58)	0.54
0.86 (0.71-1.06)	0.16
0.65 (0.41-1.03)	0.066
0.85 (0.70-1.03)	0.095
0.86 (0.66-1.14)	0.30
0.76 (0.62-0.94)	0.010
0.76 (0.37-1.56)	0.43
0.74 (0.47-1.17)	0.19
0.83 (0.76-0.92)	198 (140-421)

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GLP-1RA, Ospedalizzazione per infarto e CKD

Hospital admission for heart failure

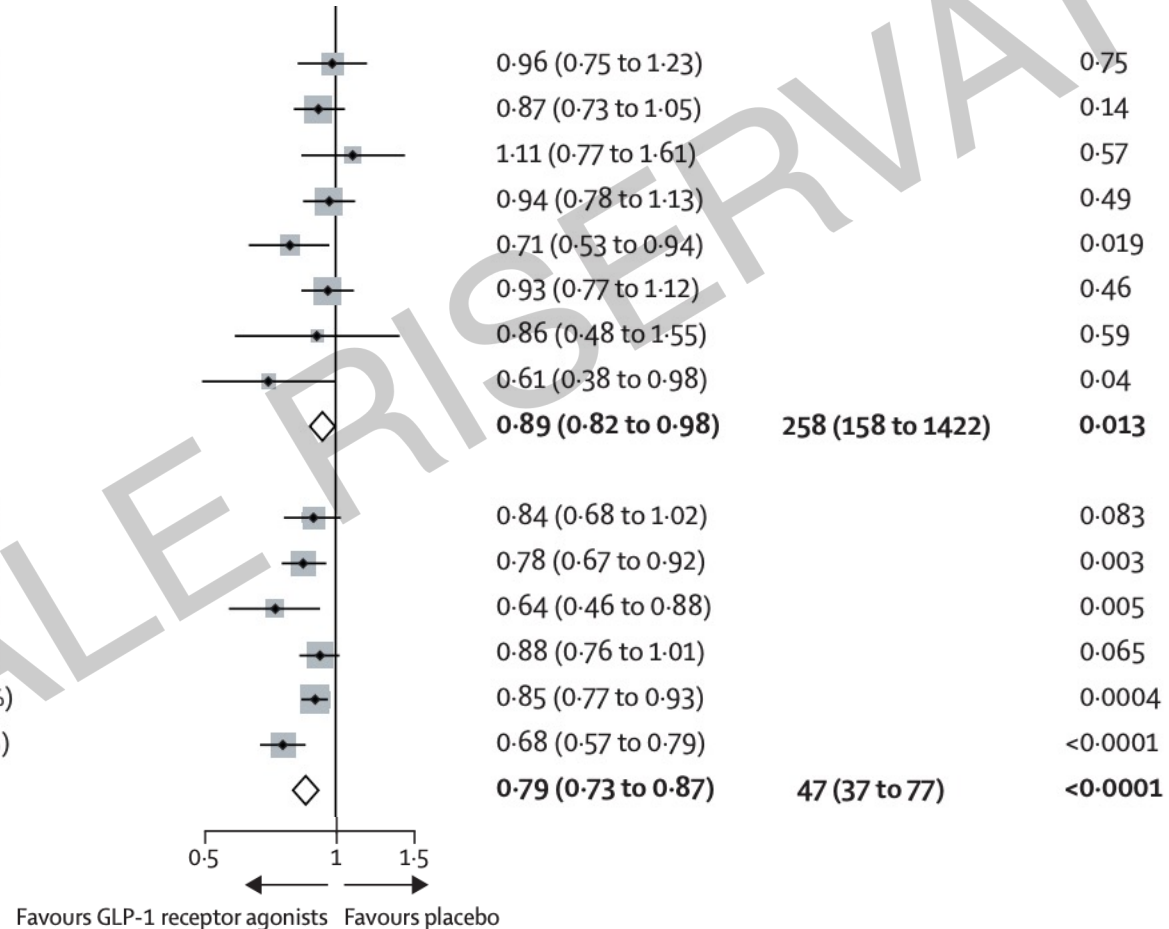
ELIXA	122/3034 (4%)	127/3034 (4%)
LEADER	218/4668 (5%)	248/4672 (5%)
SUSTAIN-6	59/1648 (4%)	54/1649 (3%)
EXSCEL	219/7356 (3%)	231/7396 (3%)
Harmony Outcomes	79/4731 (2%)	111/4732 (2%)
REWIND	213/4949 (4%)	226/4952 (5%)
PIONEER 6	21/1591 (1%)	24/1592 (2%)
AMPLITUDE-O	40/2717 (1%)	31/1359 (2%)

Subtotal ($I^2=3.0\%$, $p=0.41$)

Composite kidney outcome including macroalbuminuria

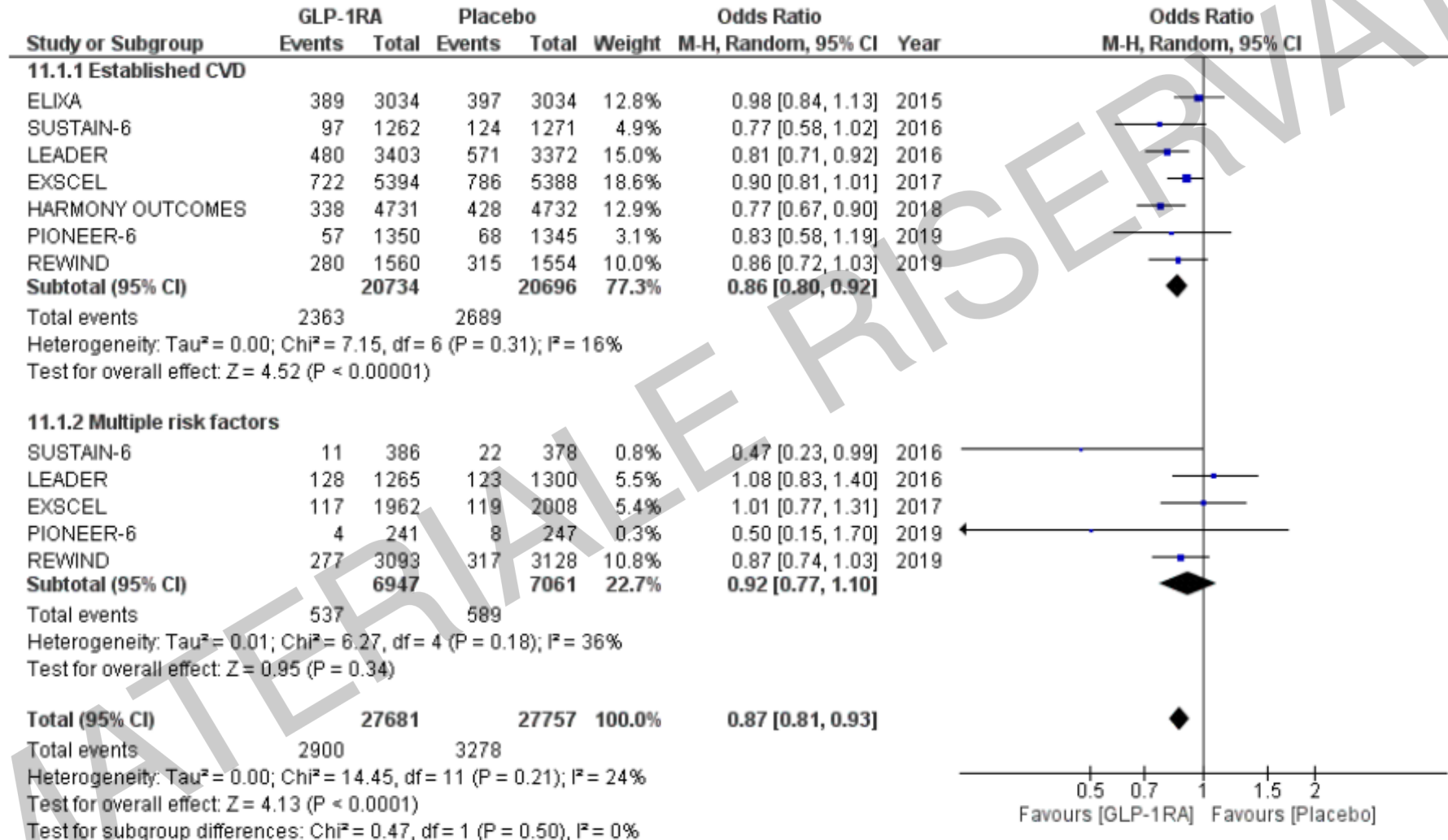
ELIXA	172/2647 (6%)	203/2639 (8%)
LEADER	268/4668 (6%)	337/4672 (7%)
SUSTAIN-6	62/1648 (4%)	100/1649 (6%)
EXSCEL	366/6256 (6%)	407/6222 (7%)
REWIND	848/4949 (17%)	970/4952 (20%)
AMPLITUDE-O	353/2717 (13%)	250/1359 (18%)

Subtotal ($I^2=47.5\%$, $p=0.090$)



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Meta-analysis of GLP-1RA Trials on the Composite of MI, Stroke, and CV Death by the Presence of ASCVD



SGLT2 inhib

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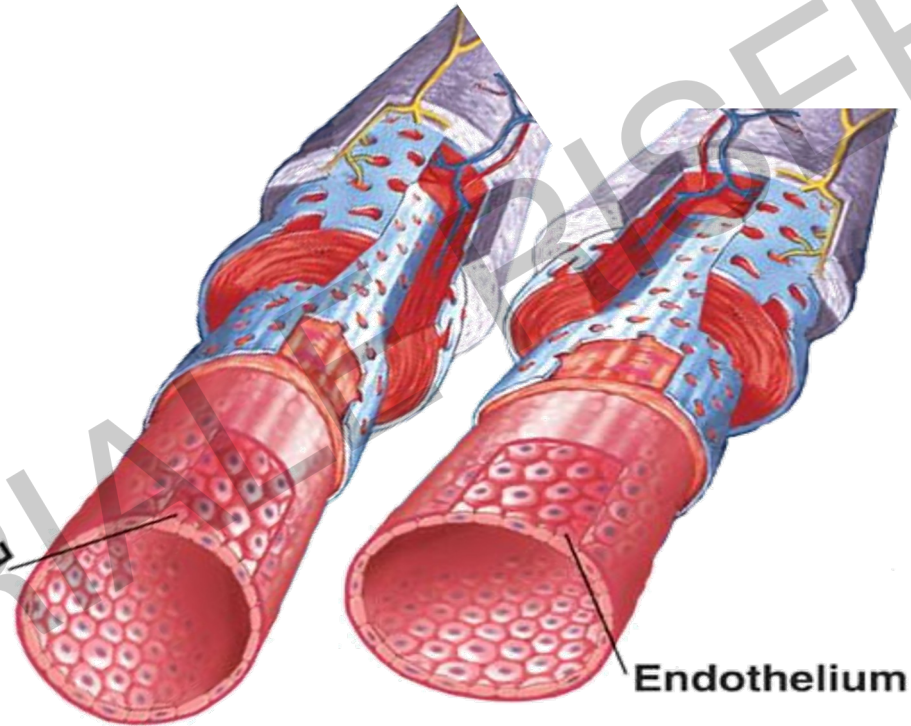


Figure 1. Effects of Sodium-Glucose Cotransporter 2 Inhibitors on Major Adverse Cardiovascular Events—Composite of Myocardial Infarction, Stroke, or Cardiovascular Death

A Overall MACEs

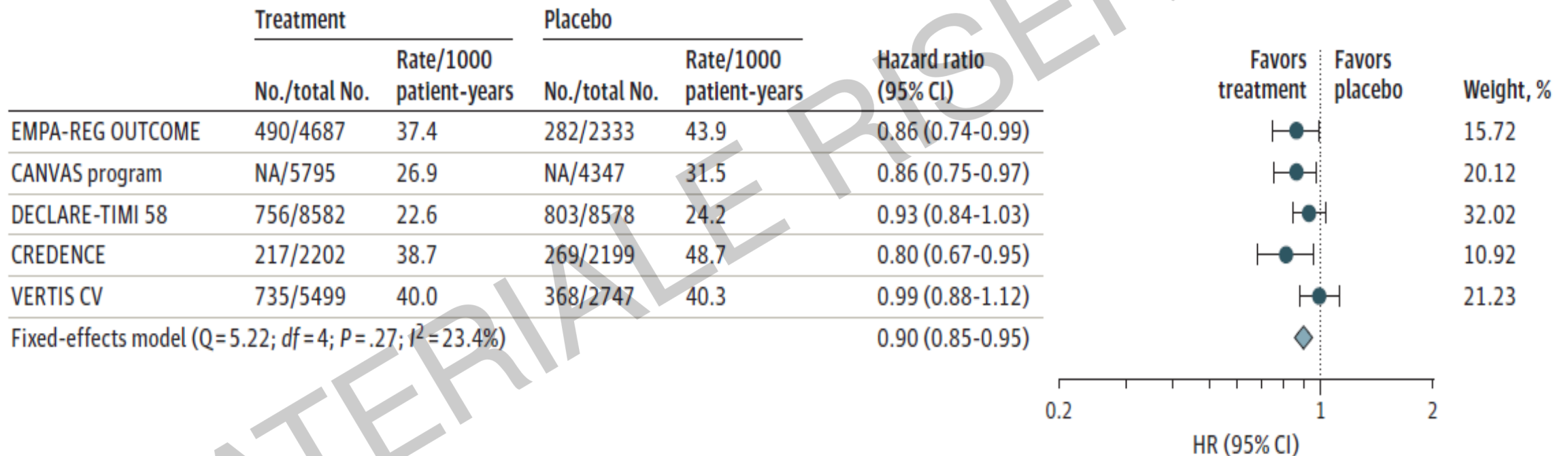


Figure 2. Effects of Sodium-Glucose Cotransporter 2 Inhibitors on Cardiovascular Death

A Overall CV death

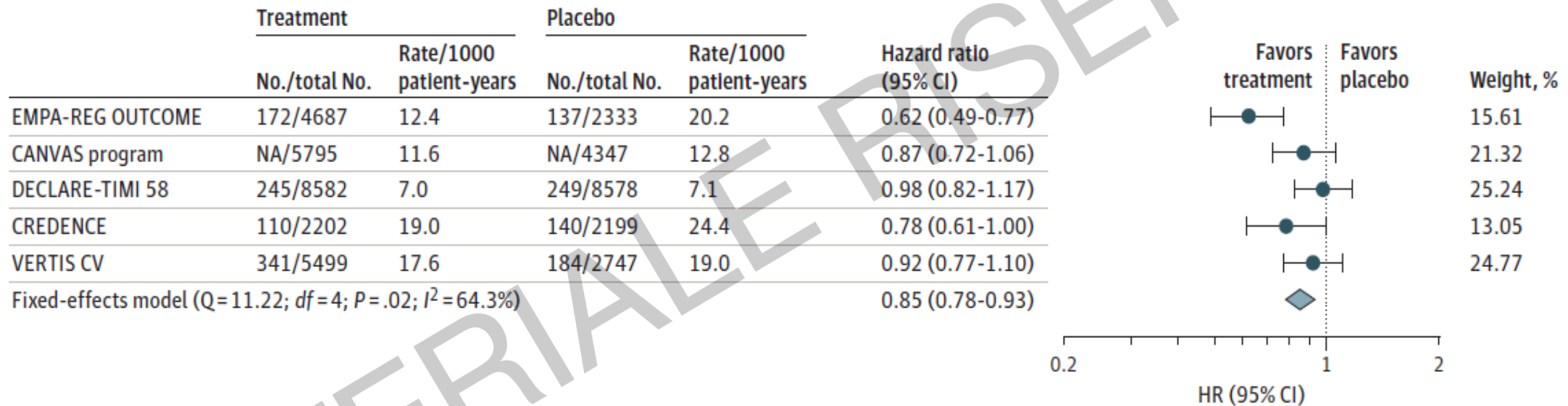
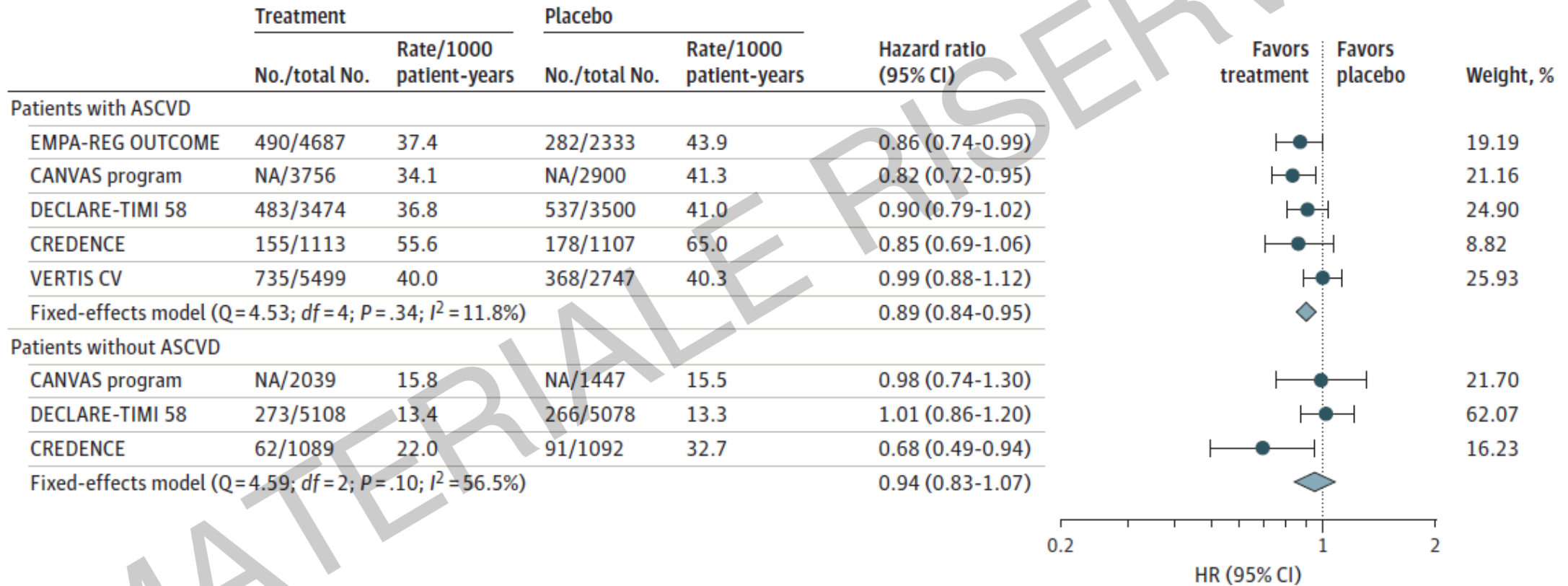
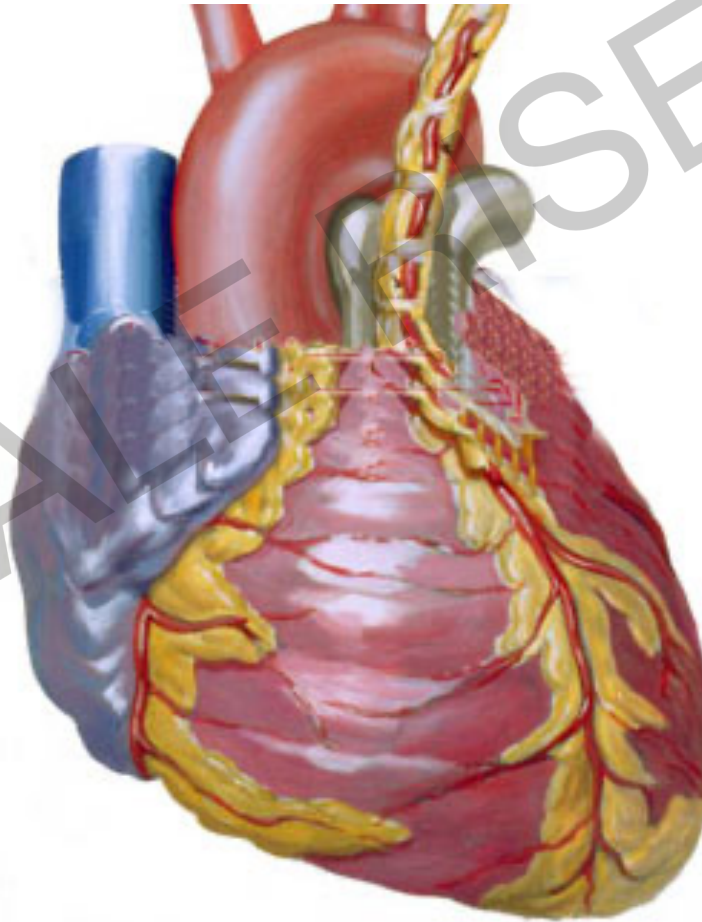


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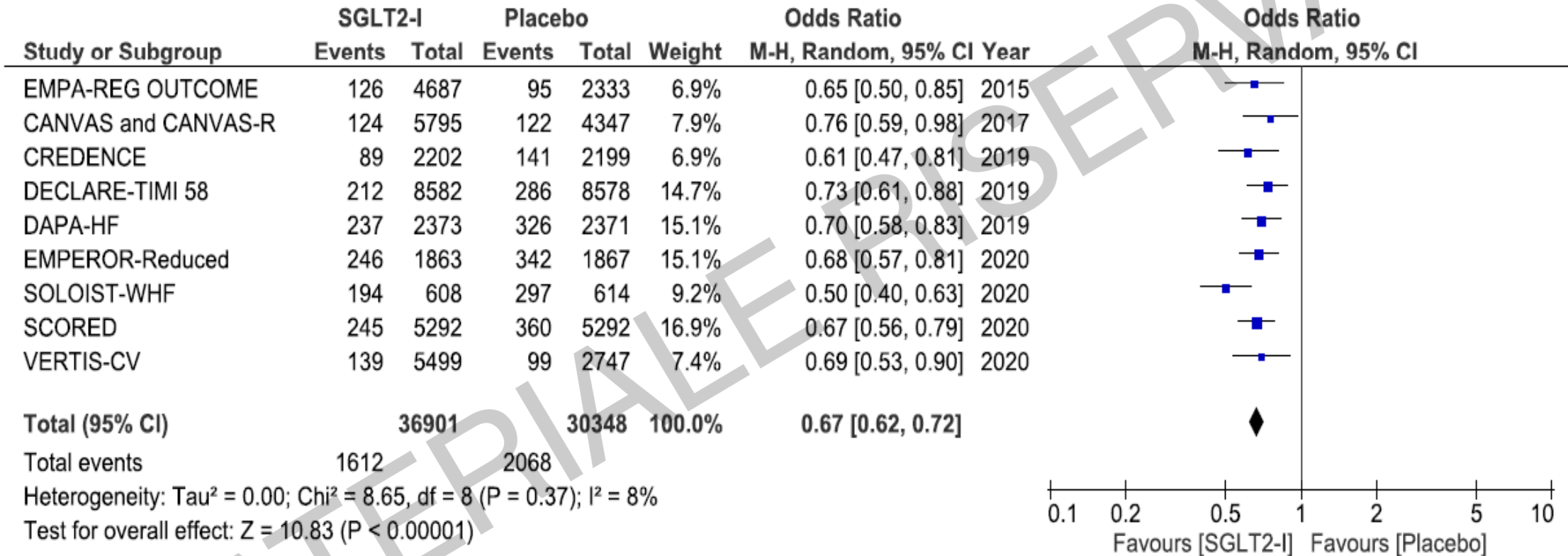
B MACEs by ASCVD status



HEART FAILURE



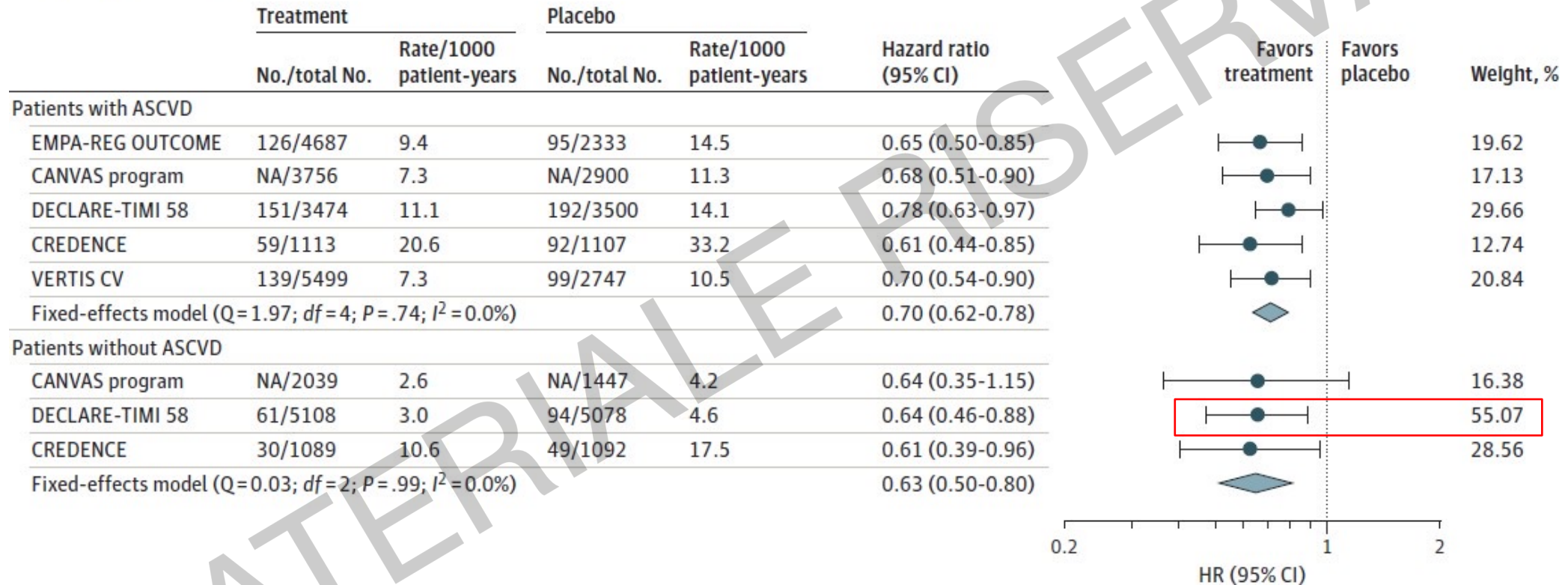
Hospitalization for heart failure in participants of 10 CVOTs



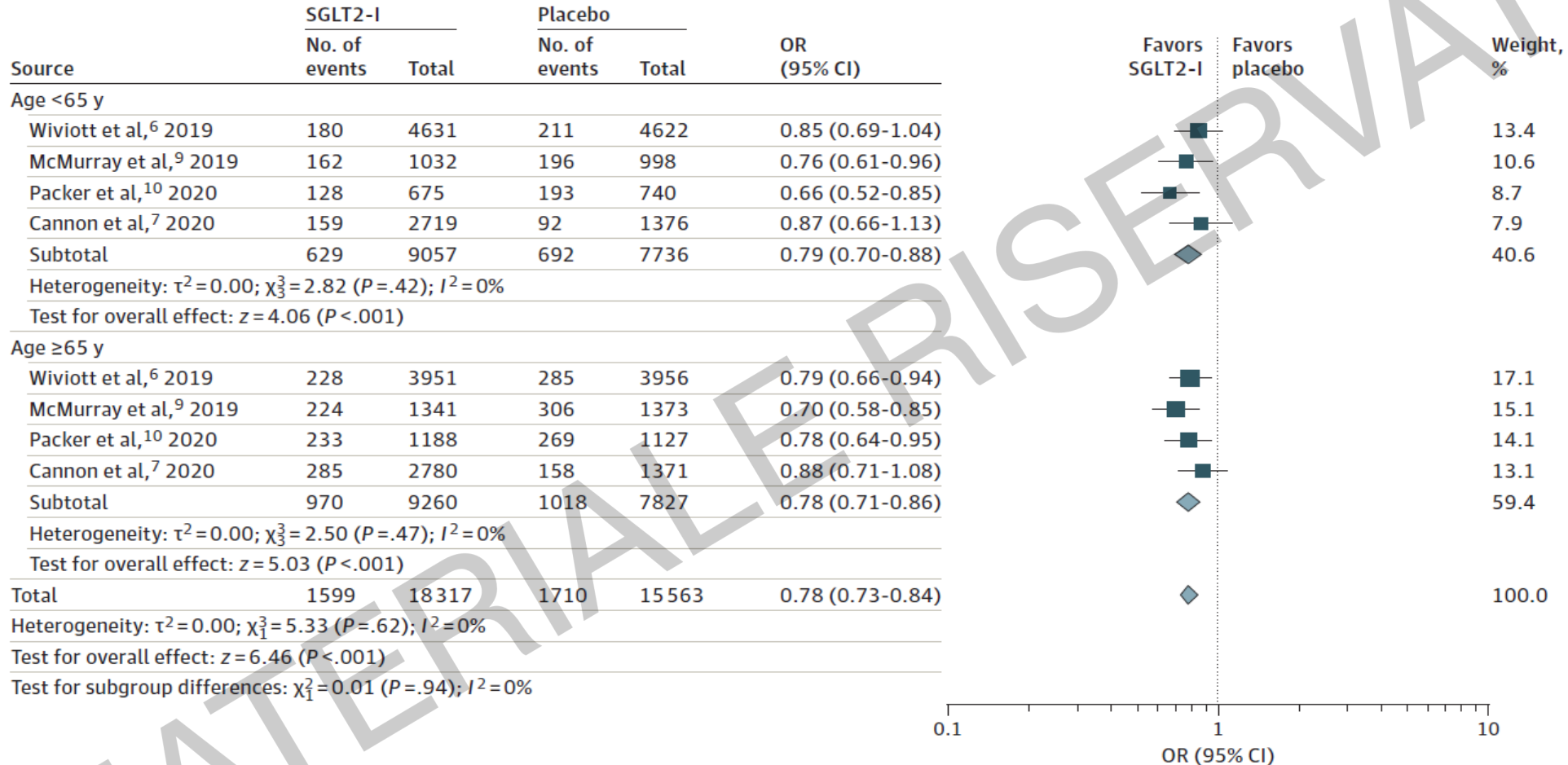
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Figure 3. Effects of Sodium-Glucose Cotransporter 2 Inhibitors on Hospitalization for Heart Failure

B HHF by ASCVD status



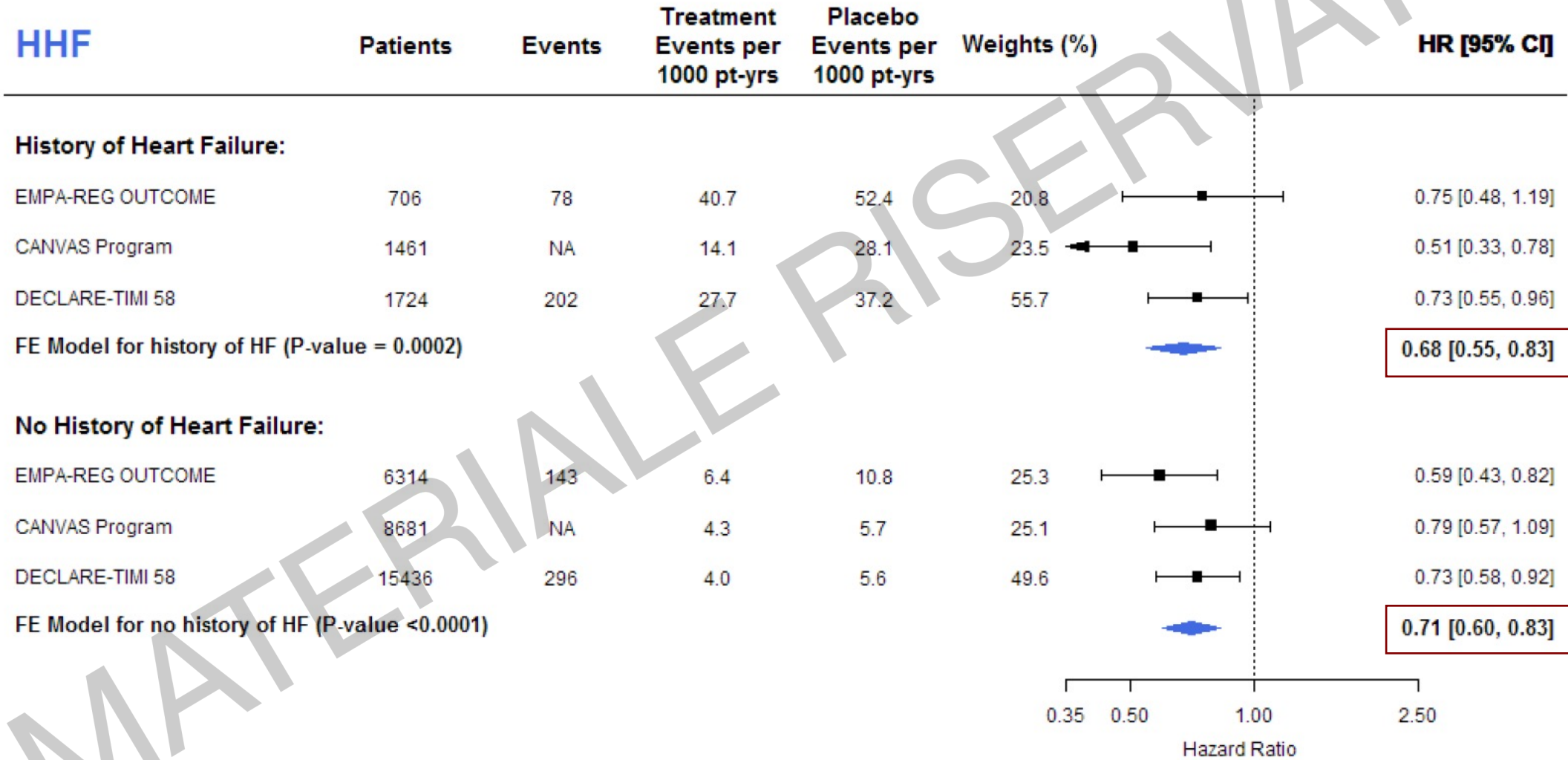
CV death or hospitalization for heart failure in participants of five CVOTs younger or older than 65 years



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Hospitalization for heart failure stratified by history of heart failure

Metanalysis of 3 CVOTs



CV death or hospitalization for heart failure in participants of four CVOTs with or without type 2 diabetes

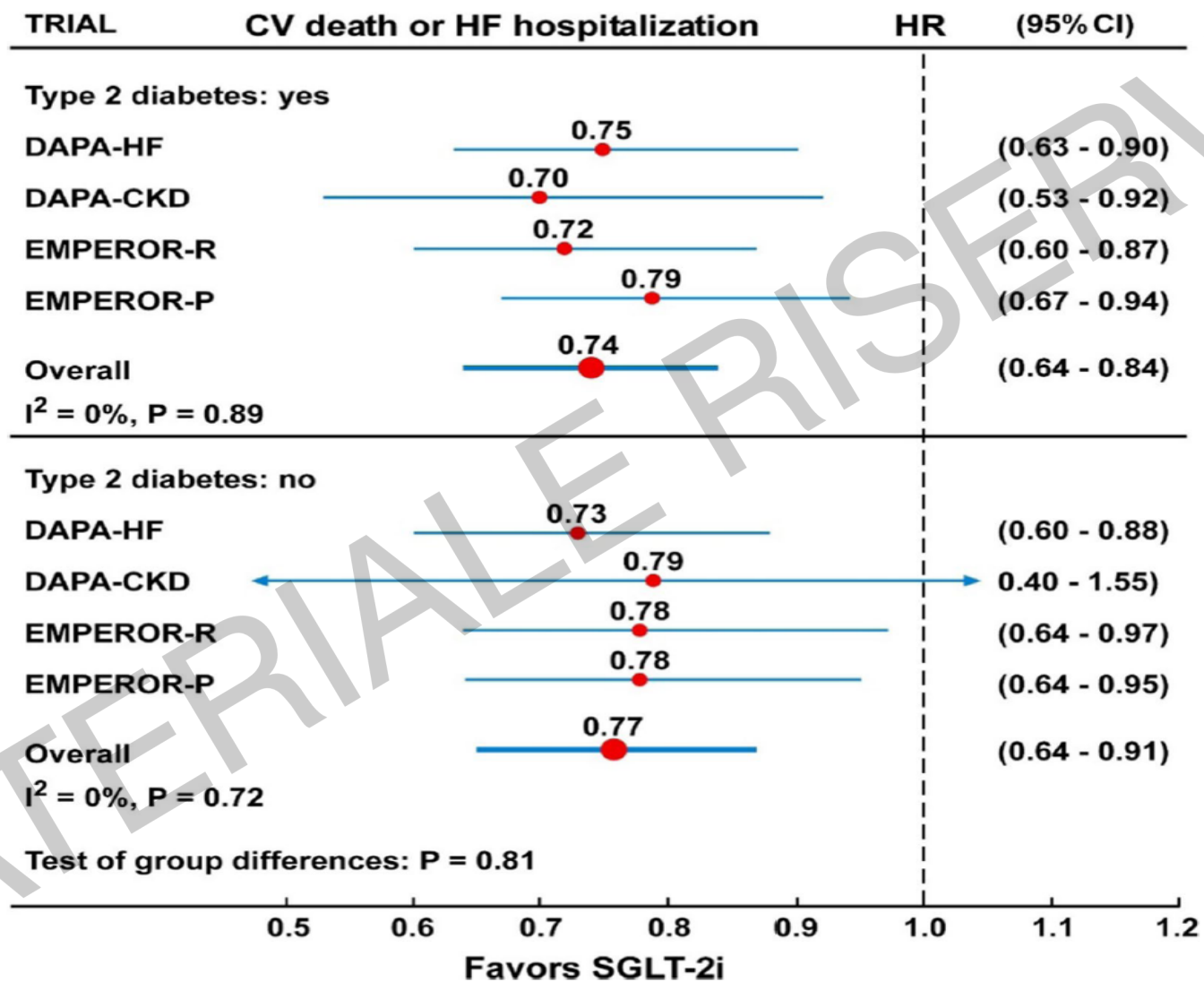


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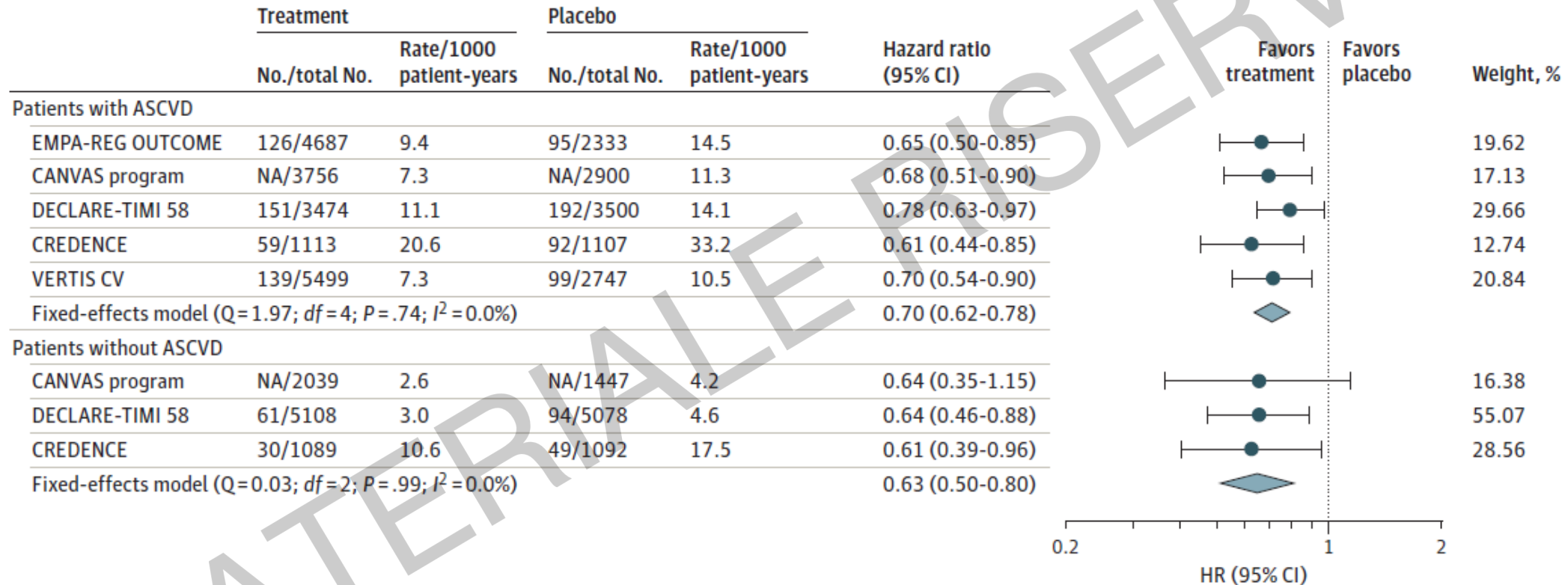
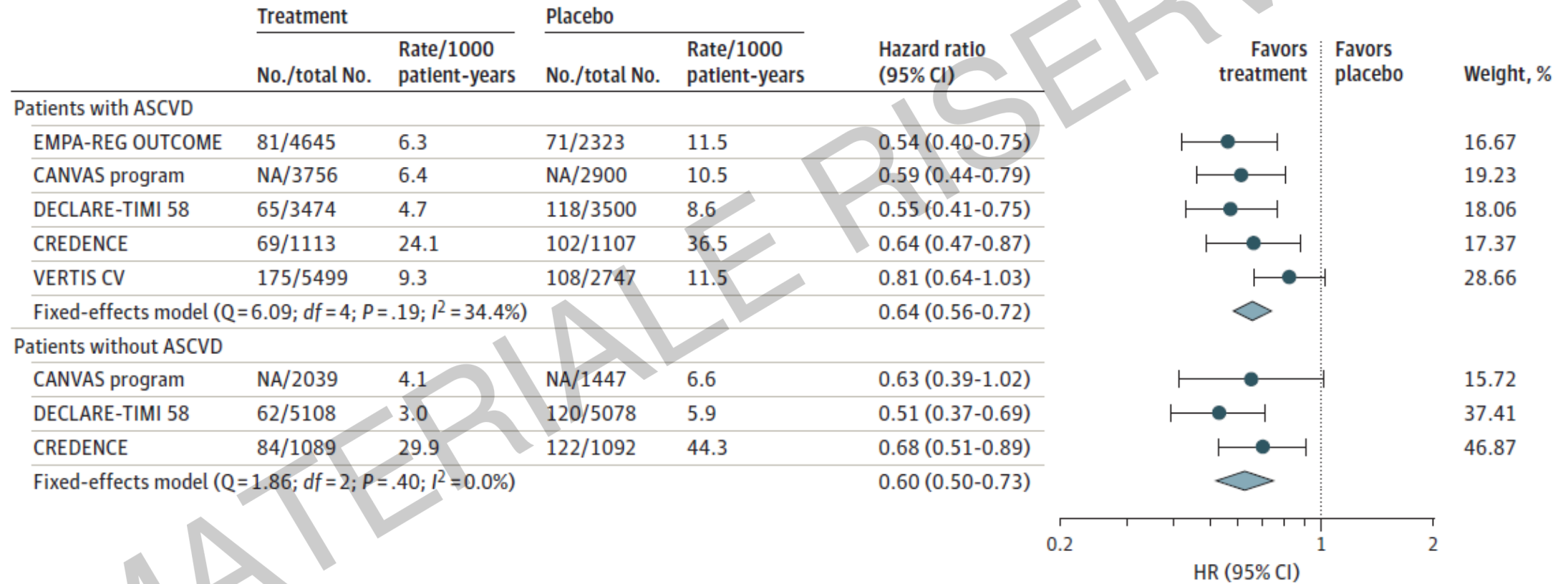
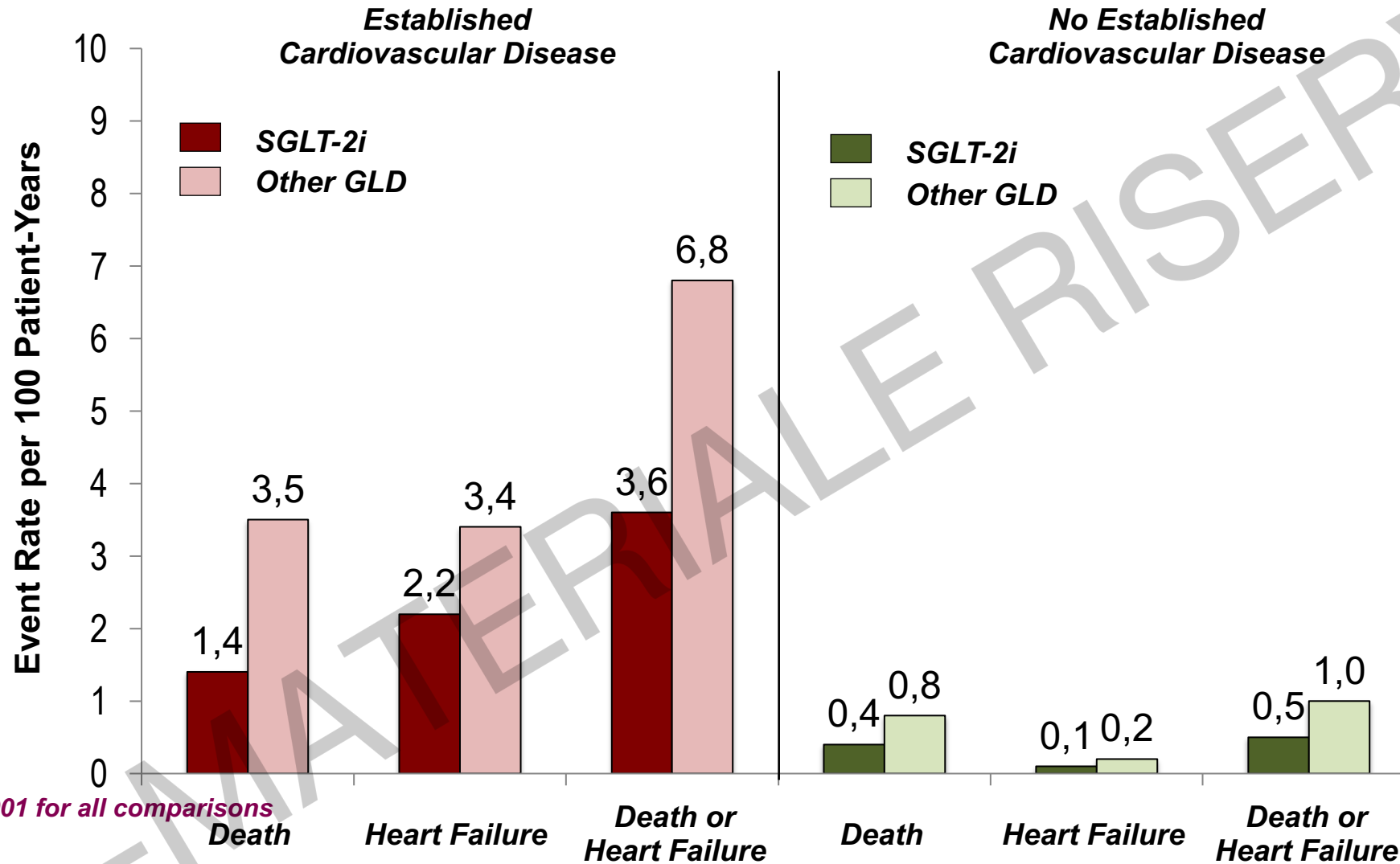


Figure 4. Effects of Sodium-Glucose Cotransporter 2 Inhibitors on Kidney-Related Outcomes

B Kidney outcomes by ASCVD status



CVD in DM2 Patients Treated With SGLT-2i vs Other GLD

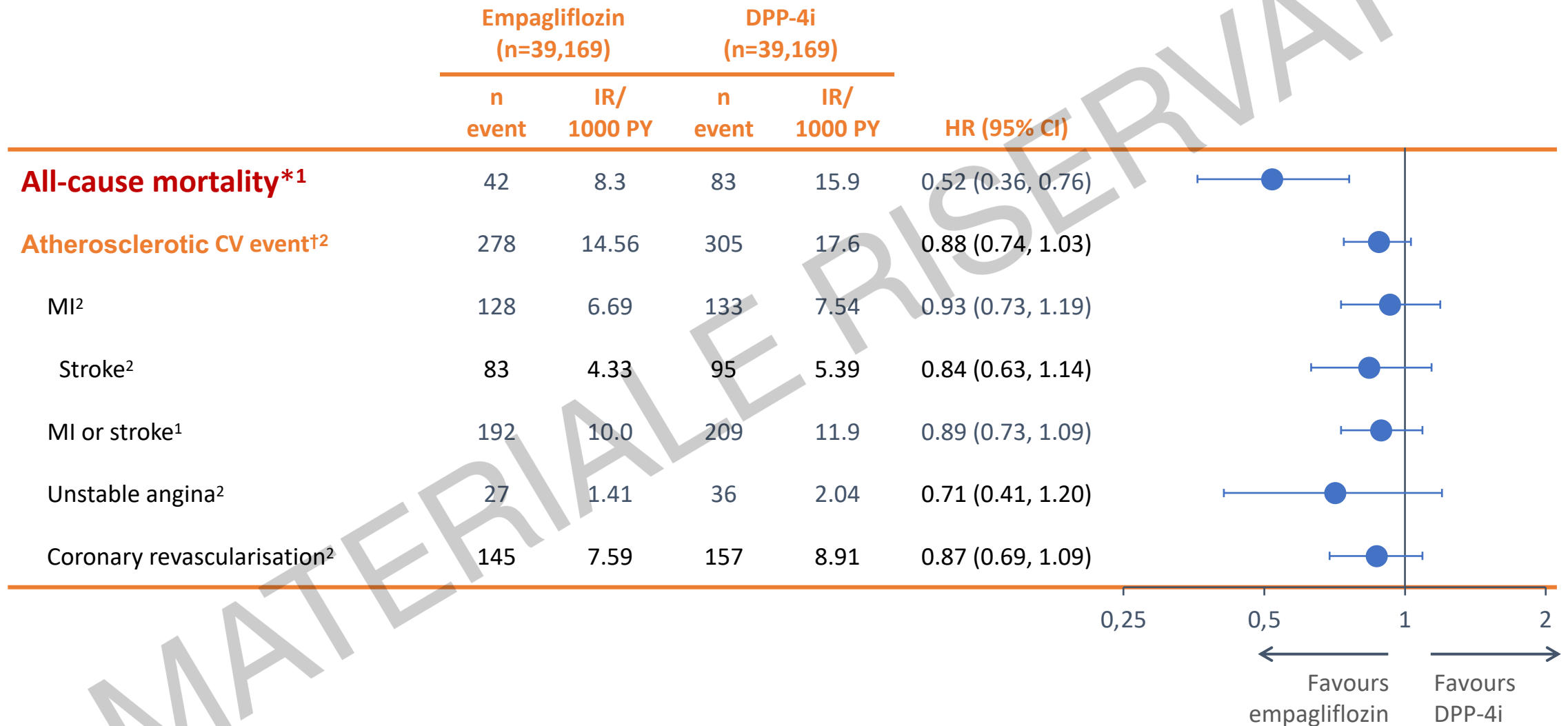


- In DM2, SGLT2i exert additional CV protection when compared to other GLD, in patients with and without established CVD, homogenously across databases
- The observed lower risk of events was consistent across subgroups

*Dapagliflozin is not indicated for the reduction of CV mortality. CVD-REAL is supportive evidence of dapagliflozin not associated with an increase in cardiovascular risk in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus.

RESULTS YEAR 3: *Empa vs DPP-4i*

All Cause Death and CV events (w/o CV death)

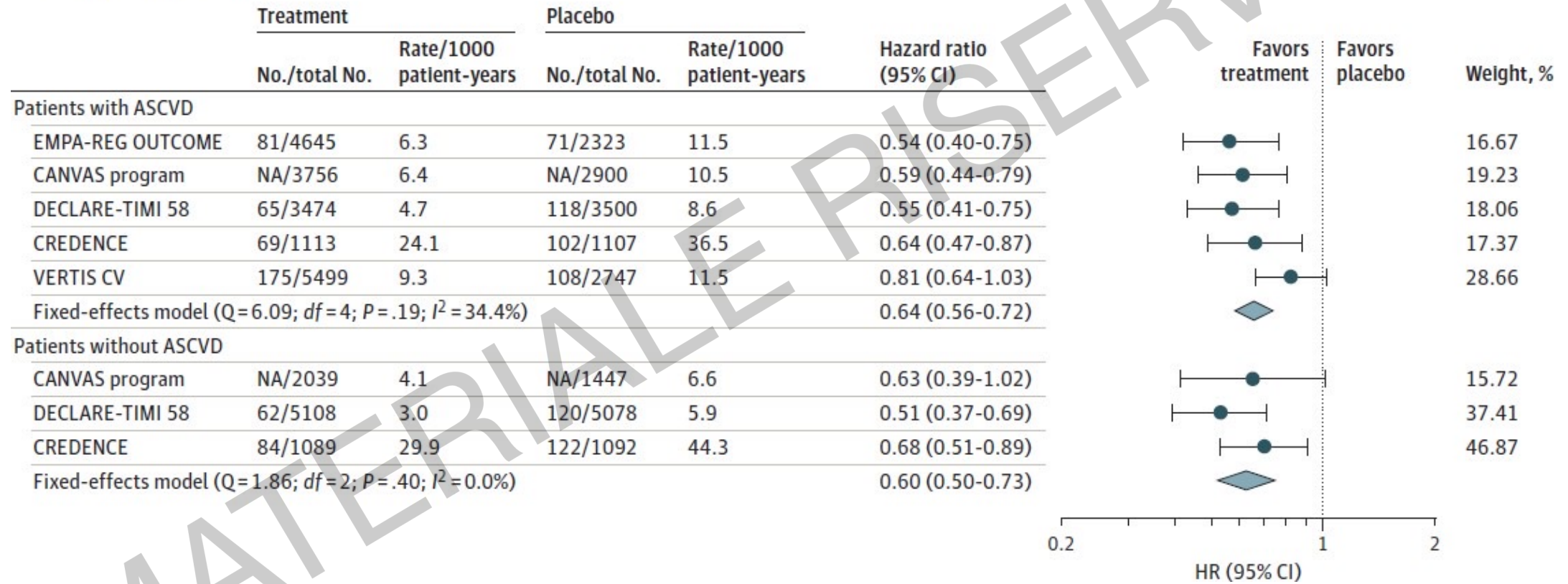


Kidney function



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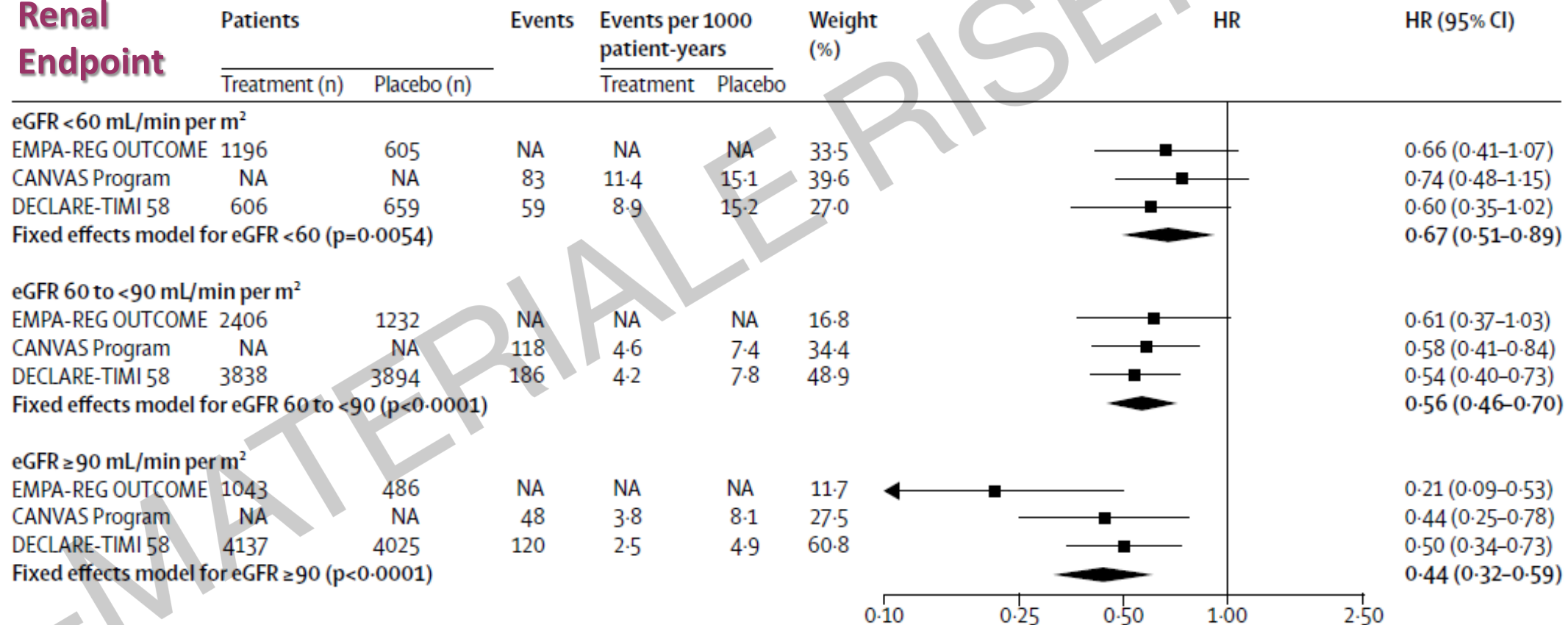
B Kidney outcomes by ASCVD status



SGLT2 inhibitors for primary and secondary prevention of cardiovascular and renal outcomes in type 2 diabetes: a systematic review and meta-analysis of cardiovascular outcome trials



Renal Endpoint



Sodium-glucose cotransporter protein-2 (SGLT-2) inhibitors and glucagon-like peptide-1 (GLP-1) receptor agonists for type 2 diabetes: systematic review and network meta-analysis of randomised controlled trials

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- A core finding suggests that there is high certainty that SGLT-2 inhibitors reduce all cause and cardiovascular mortality, nonfatal myocardial infarction, kidney failure, and admission to hospital for heart failure.
- GLP-1 receptor agonist treatment reduces all cause and cardiovascular mortality, non-fatal myocardial infarction, non-fatal stroke, and kidney failure.
- SGLT-2 inhibitor treatment reduces all cause mortality and admission to hospital for heart failure to a greater extent than GLP-1 receptor agonist treatment.

GRADE summary of findings to illustrate absolute effects for all cause mortality for SGLT-2 inhibitors compared with placebo

Comparison	Relative effect (odds ratio (95% CI))	Anticipated absolute effects over five years		Anticipated absolute effects (95% CI) over five years	Certainty in effects (GRADE)	Plain text summary
		Baseline risk*	Risk with control			
SGLT-2 inhibitor v placebo	0.77 (0.71 to 0.83)	Very low	Placebo: 20 per 1000	SGLT-2 inhibitor: 15 per 1000 (from 3 fewer to 6 fewer)	Moderate due to indirectness	SGLT-2 inhibitor treatment probably reduces all cause mortality in people with diabetes and few or no cardiovascular risk factors
		High	Placebo: 170 per 1000	SGLT-2 inhibitor: 136 per 1000 (from 25 fewer to 43 fewer)	High	SGLT-2 inhibitor treatment reduces all cause mortality in people with diabetes and chronic kidney disease
		Very high	Placebo: 265 per 1000	SGLT-2 inhibitor: 217 per 1000 (from 35 fewer to 61 fewer)	High	SGLT-2 inhibitor treatment reduces all cause mortality in people with diabetes and established cardiovascular disease and chronic kidney disease

GRADE summary of findings to illustrate absolute effects for all cause mortality for GLP-1 RAs compared with placebo

Comparison	Relative effect (odds ratio (95% CI))	Anticipated absolute effects over five years			Anticipated absolute effects (95% CI) over five years	Certainty in effects (GRADE)	Plain text summary
		Baseline risk*	Risk with control	Risk with intervention			
GLP-1 receptor agonist v placebo	0.88 (0.83 to 0.94)	Very low	Placebo: 20 per 1000	GLP-1 receptor agonist: 18 per 1000	2 fewer per 1000 (from 1 fewer to 3 fewer)	Moderate due to indirectness	GLP-1 receptor agonist treatment probably reduces all cause mortality in people with diabetes and few or no cardiovascular risk factors
		High	Placebo: 170 per 1000	GLP-1 receptor agonist: 153 per 1000	17 fewer per 1000 (from 9 fewer to 25 fewer)	High	GLP-1 receptor agonist treatment reduces all cause mortality in people with diabetes and chronic kidney disease
		Very high	Placebo: 265 per 1000	GLP-1 receptor agonist: 241 per 1000	24 fewer per 1000 (from 12 fewer to 35 fewer)	High	GLP-1 receptor agonist treatment reduces all cause mortality in people with diabetes and established cardiovascular disease and chronic kidney disease

- 30.000 morti in 5 anni!!



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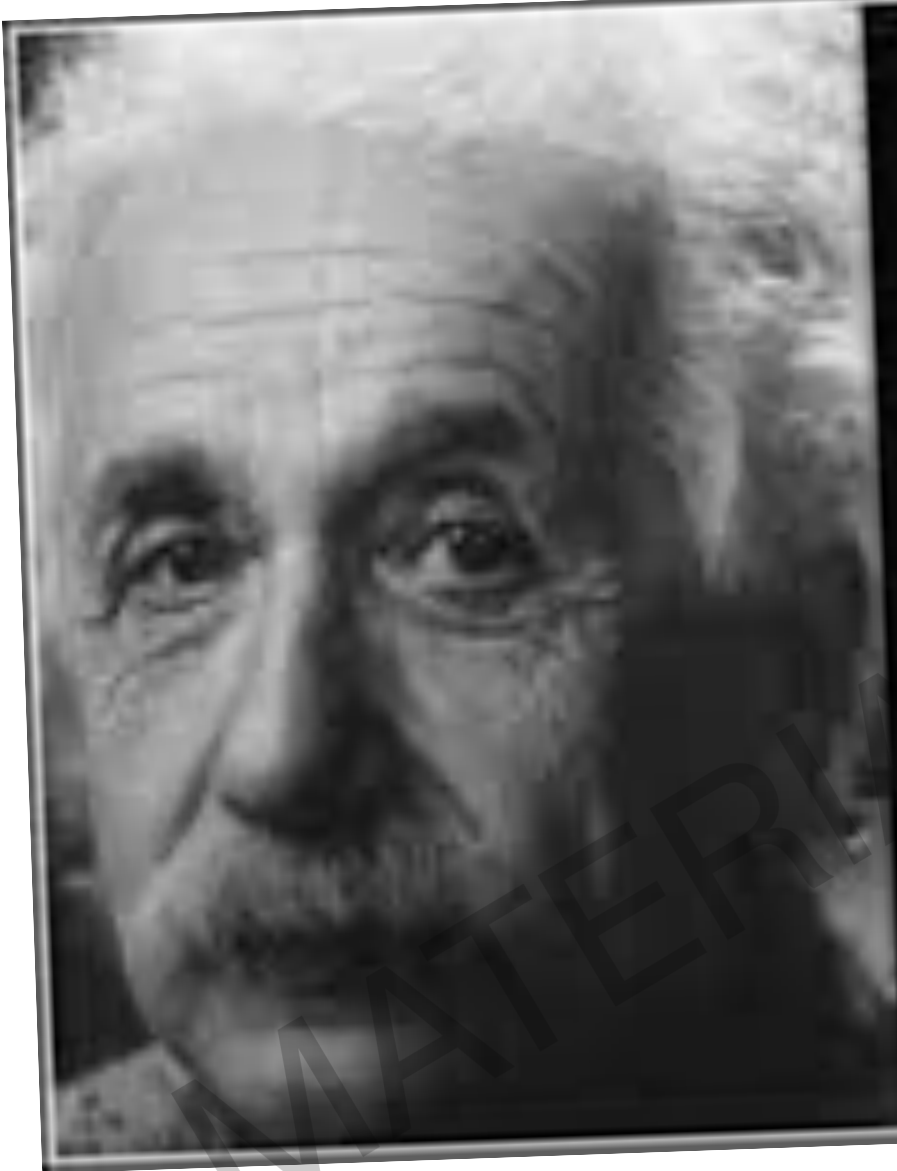
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Pensées

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MATTER, IS A POWER OF
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EVERY BODY, AS MUCH
AS IN IT LIES,
ENDEAVOURS TO
PRESERVE ITS PRESENT
STATE,



Nothing happens until something
moves.

— *Albert Einstein* —

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