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# **Fasting Glucose Level and Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Diseases**

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# Haffner et al., 1990

**Original Contributions** 

## Cardiovascular Risk Factors in Confirmed Prediabetic Individuals

Does the Clock for Coronary Heart Disease Start  
Ticking Before the Onset of Clinical Diabetes?

Steven M. Haffner, MD, MPH; Michael P. Stern, MD; Helen P. Hazuda, PhD; Braxton D. Mitchell, PhD; Judith K. Patterson, PhD

**JAMA 1990;2893-2898**

# Haffner et al., 1990

Since pre diabetic individuals are hyperinsulinemic, and since hyperinsulinemia may be a cardiovascular risk factor, we hypothesized that **pre-diabetic** individuals might have an **atherogenic pattern** of risk factors even before the onset of clinical diabetes.

# Hu FB et al, 2002

Epidemiology/Health Services/Psychosocial Research

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

## Elevated Risk of Cardiovascular Disease Prior to Clinical Diagnosis of Type 2 Diabetes

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**OBJECTIVE** — To examine whether the risk of cardiovascular disease (CVD) is elevated before clinical diagnosis of type 2 diabetes in women.

**RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODS** — A total of 117,629 female nurses aged 30–55 years who were free of diagnosed CVD at baseline were recruited in 1976 and followed for 20 years.

8-year follow-up of the San Antonio Heart Study (4), subjects who converted to diabetes during the follow-up had higher baseline levels of total and LDL cholesterol, triglycerides, and blood pressure and lower levels of HDL than those who remained nondiabetic, even after adjustment for obesity. The enhanced atherogenic risk profile in the prediabetic state may contribute to the subsequent increased risk of CVD. To our knowledge, no long-term prospective data exist on incidence of cardiovascular and points in

*Diabetes Care* 25:1129–1134, 2002

# Hu FB et al, 2002

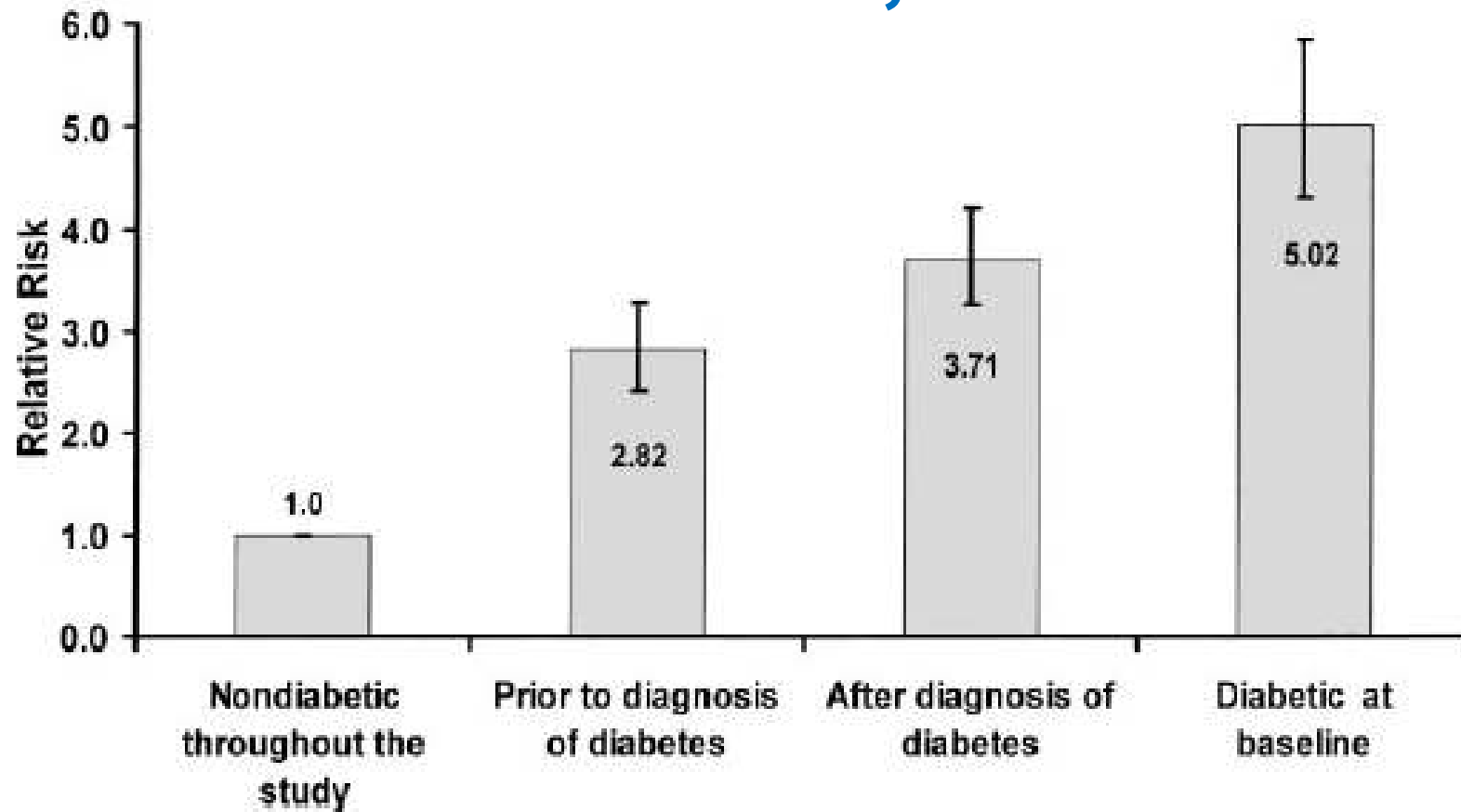


Figure 1—Multivariate RRs and 95% CIs of MI or stroke according diabetes status: the NHS 1976–1996. Adjusted for the same variables in Table 2.

## **Hu FB et al, 2002**

- **Indicated a substantially elevated risk of CVD before clinical diagnosis of type 2 diabetes in women.**
- **These findings suggest that aggressive management of cardiovascular risk factors is warranted in individuals at increased risk for diabetes.**

- **Japanese Funagata Diabetes Study**  
– **IGT, IFG**

Epidemiology/Health Services/Psychosocial Research

**ORIGINAL ARTICLE**

# **Impaired Glucose Tolerance Is a Risk Factor for Cardiovascular Disease, but Not Impaired Fasting Glucose**

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The Funagata Diabetes Study

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diabetes have recently been proposed by the Expert Committee of the American Diabetes Association (ADA) (1) and provisionally agreed to by a World Health Organization (WHO) consultation (2). These criteria, which use fasting plasma glucose levels

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**Tominaga et al., Diabetes Care 1999;22:920**



# Objective

To determine whether the new category of **impaired fasting glucose (IFG)** recently proposed by the **Expert Committee of the American Diabetes Association** is a risk factor for cardiovascular disease.

# Research Design

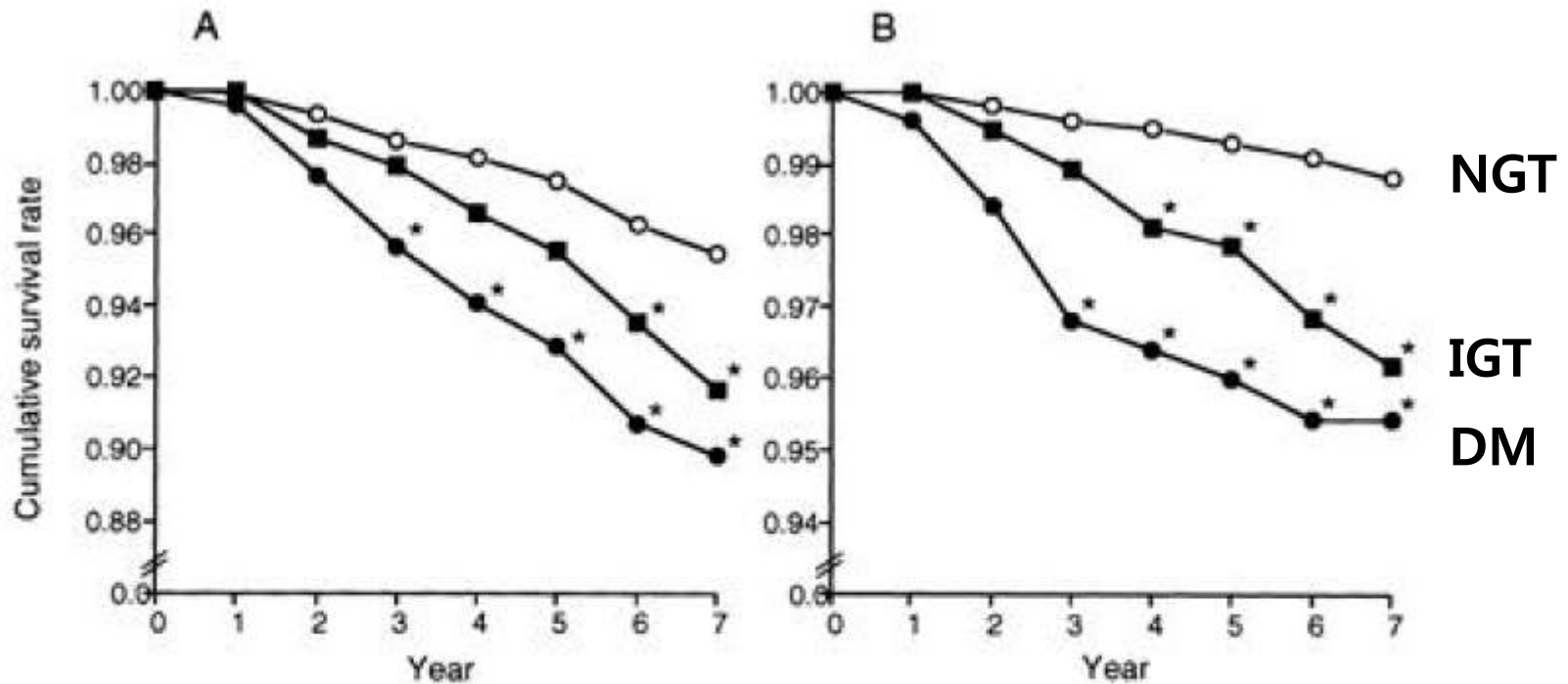
- **Cohort population, Yamagata prefecture, Japan, 1990-1992**
- **7 years follow-up**
- **Three groups**
  - **NGT (n=2016), IGT (n=382), Diabetes (n=253)**
  - **NFG, IFG, Diabetes**
- **Life-tables method**
- **Cox's proportional hazard model**

# Results

	<b>NGT</b>	<b>IGT</b>	<b>DM</b>
<b>N</b>	<b>2,016</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>253</b>
<b>Age, years</b>	<b>58.8</b>	<b>62.7</b>	<b>65.6</b>
<b>Fasting P. glucose</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>130</b>
<b>2h plasma glucose</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>266</b>

# All cause death

# CVD death



**Figure 1**—Cumulative survival rate of the Funagata cohort population, classified into NGT, IGT, and diabetic groups according to the WHO criteria (1985). A: Cumulative survival rates from all causes of death, determined by the life-table method, of both the IGT (■) and the diabetic group (●) were significantly lower when compared with those of the NGT group (○). B: Cumulative survival rates from cardiovascular disease (coronary heart disease and stroke) of the IGT and diabetic groups were also significantly lower than that of the NGT group. \*P < 0.05.

# WHO criteria, 1985

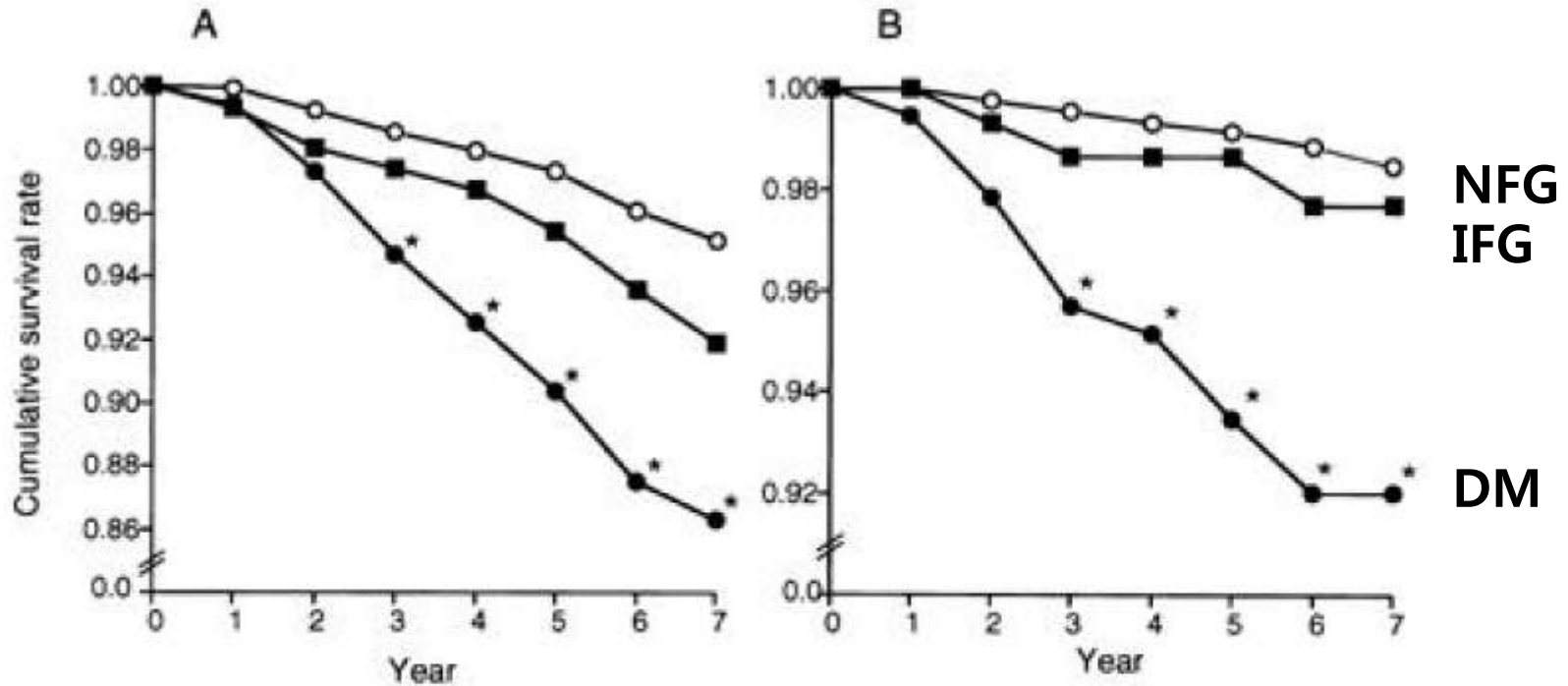
	HR	95% CI	P value
<b>Death from all cause</b>			
Age	1.105	1.085-1.126	0.0001
IGT	<u>1.313</u>	<u>0.837-2.059</u>	<u>0.2360</u>
Diabetes	1.205	0.742-1.957	0.4506
<b>Death from CVD</b>			
Age	1.114	1.070-1.150	0.0001
IGT	<u>2.219</u>	<u>1.076-4.577</u>	<u>0.0309</u>
Diabetes	2.274	1.069-4.838	0.0329

# Results

- The hazard ratio of IGT to NGT on death from CVD:
- **2.219 (95% CI, 1.076-4.577)**

# All cause death

# CVD death



**Figure 2**—Cumulative survival rate of the Funagata cohort population, classified into NFG, IFG, and diabetic groups according to the ADA recommendation (1997). A: The cumulative survival rate of the IFG group (■) from all causes of death was not different from that of the NFG group (○), although the cumulative survival rate of the diabetic group (●) was significantly lower than that of the NGT group. B: The cumulative rate of survival from cardiovascular disease in the IFG group was also not different from that of the NFG group. \*P < 0.05.

# ADA recommendation, 1997

	HR	95% CI	P value
<b>Death from all cause</b>			
IFG	<u>1.236</u>	<u>0.643-2.378</u>	<u>0.5255</u>
Diabetes	1.706	1.072-2.715	0.0241
<b>Death from CVD</b>			
IFG	<u>1.136</u>	<u>0.345-3.734</u>	<u>0.8342</u>
Diabetes	2.484	1.226-5.033	0.0116



# Results

- The hazard ratio of IFG to NFG on death from CVD:
- **1.136 (95% CI, 0.345-3.734)**

# Conclusion

**In conclusion, IGT, but not IFG, was a risk factor for death from cardiovascular disease.**

**Therefore, the two diagnostic criteria (WHO 1985 and ADA 1997) with and without OGTT should be used as routine clinical practices for the purposes of diagnosing overt diabetes or detecting risk factors for cardiovascular disease.**

# **Korean Data I**

- **Korean Heart Study**
  - **Stage 1 IFG, Stage 2 IFG**

# Impaired Fasting Glucose and Risk of Cardiovascular Disease in Korean Men and Women

The Korean Heart Study

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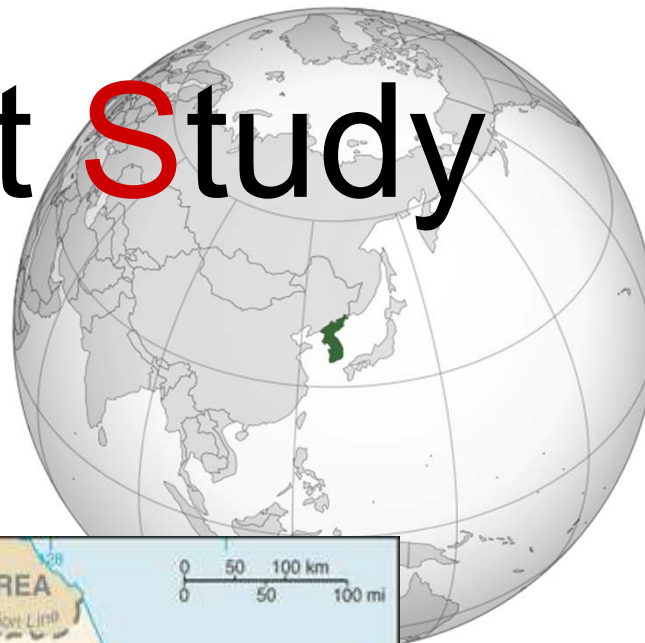
**OBJECTIVE**—The relationship between impaired fasting glucose (IFG) and risk of cardiovascular disease (CVD) or ischemic heart disease (IHD) varies widely according to sex and ethnicity. We evaluated the relationship between IFG and CVD or IHD among Korean men and women.


**RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODS**—A total of 408,022 individuals who underwent voluntary private health examinations in 17 centers in South Korea were followed for 10 years. Data regarding CVD or IHD events were obtained from the Korean National Health Insurance database. IFG was categorized as grade 1 (fasting glucose 100–109 mg/dL) or grade 2 (110–125 mg/dL).

mortality (7,8). However, the association between impaired fasting glucose (IFG) and risk of CVD and/or IHD remains unclear (7–18). Although some studies have reported that IFG was associated with a greater risk of IHD/CVD in women than in men (17,19), others have reported similar risks for men and women (18).

There has also been considerable debate regarding the threshold glucose level associated with increased CVD risk. In 2003, the American Diabetes Association (ADA) lowered the fasting plasma glucose (FPG) cutoff point for IFG from 110 to 100 mg/dL (20). Some studies have reported that FPG levels of 110–125 mg/

# Korean Heart Study (KHS)




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## **The Korean Heart Study: Rationale, Objectives, Protocol, and Preliminary Results for a New Prospective Cohort Study of 430,920 Men and Women**

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**Figure 1. Location of health promotion centers participating in the Korean Heart Study (18 centers), 1996-2004**

**Seoul (6 centers) : 316,825 participants**

Shinchon Severance, Gangnam Severance, Korea Medical Institute, Samsung Medical center, Seoul National University hospital, Asan medical center

**Kyunggi-do (3 centers) :**

**58,670 participants**

Seoul National University Bundang Hospital, Bundangcha hospital, Ajou university hospital,

**Chungnam (1 center) :**

**2,368 participants**

Soon Chun Hyang University hospital

**Gangwon-do (1 center) :**

**1,463 participants**

Wonju Christian hospital

**Daejeon (4 centers) :**

**21,624 participants**

Sun Hospital, Konyang University hospital, Chungnam National University hospital, Eulji medical center

**Daegu (1 center) :**

**3,234 participants**

Daegu catholic univ. Medical center

**Ulsan (1 center) :**

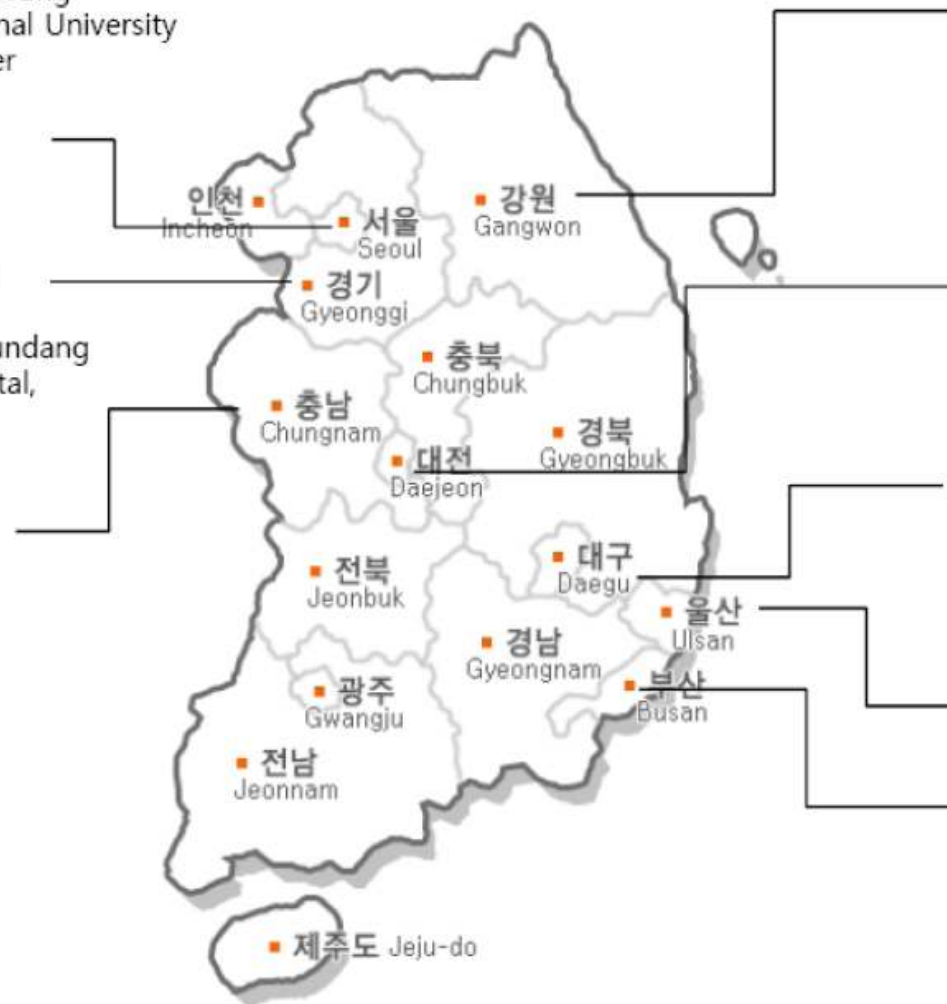
**22,898 participants**

Ulsan University hospital

**Busan (1 center) :**

**3,838 participants**

Dong A University Medical center



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# Design of the Korean Heart Study

Cohort study with about ~10 years follow-up

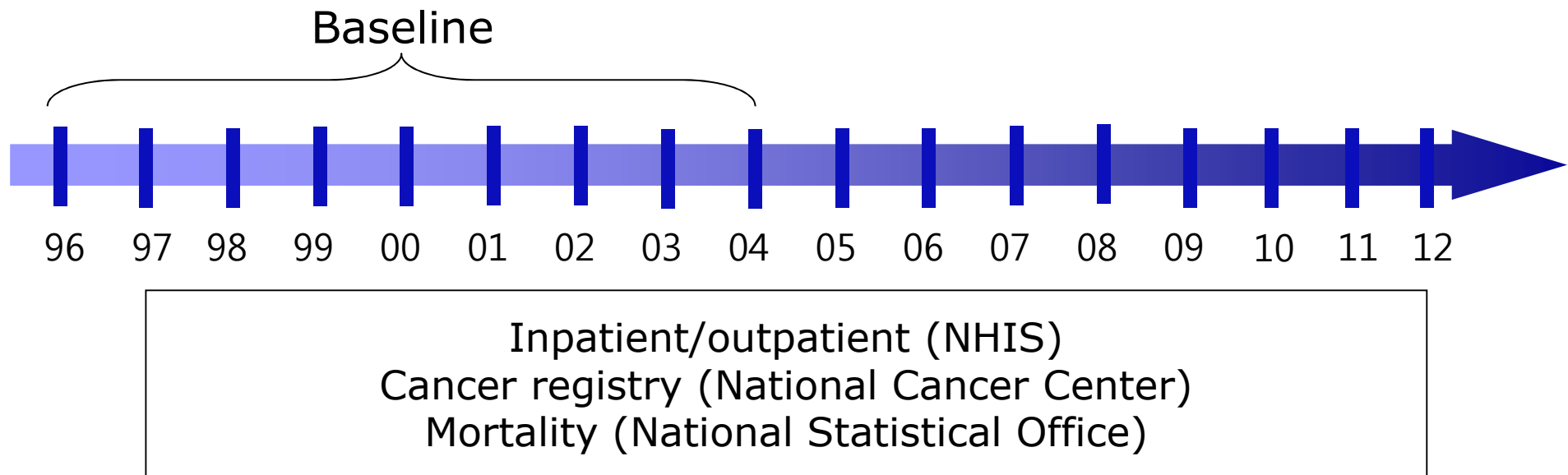
**Number of participants** : 430,920 aged 30 and older

From 18 Health Promotion Centers

Event follow-up:

**Inpatient data** from National Health Insurance Service (NHIS)

**Mortality data** from National Statistical Office





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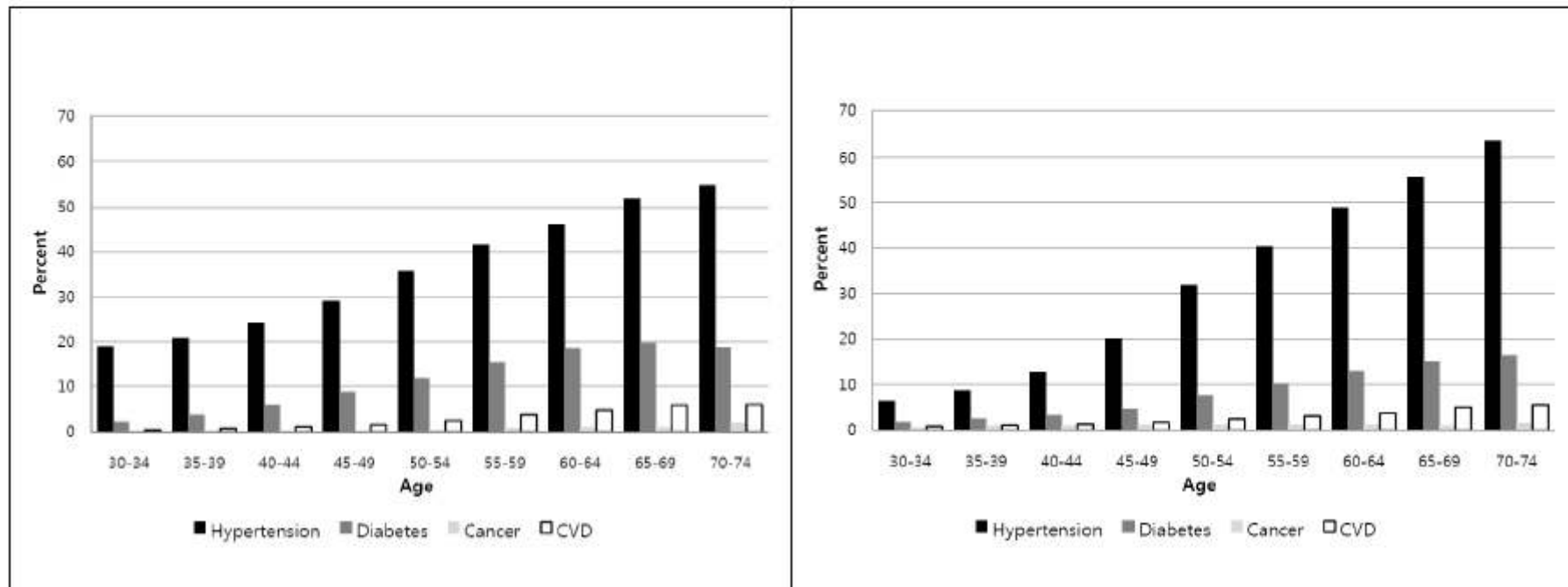
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# Baseline Characteristics

Figure 2. Health conditions at baseline (1996-2004) according to age in the Korean Heart Study (N=430,920)

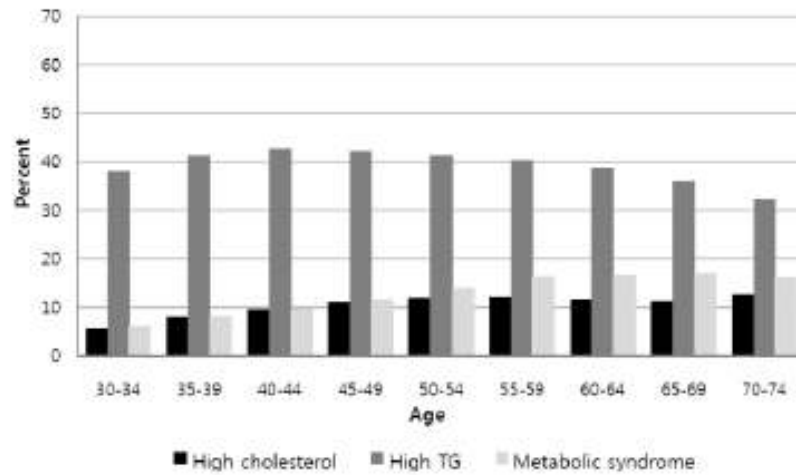
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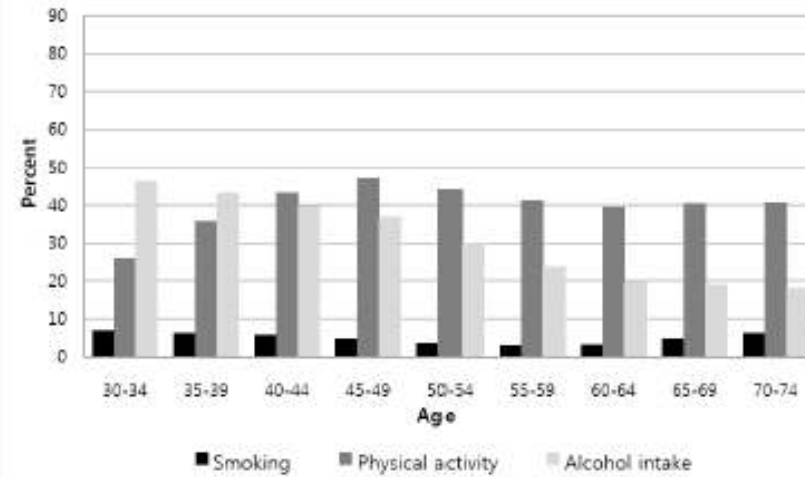
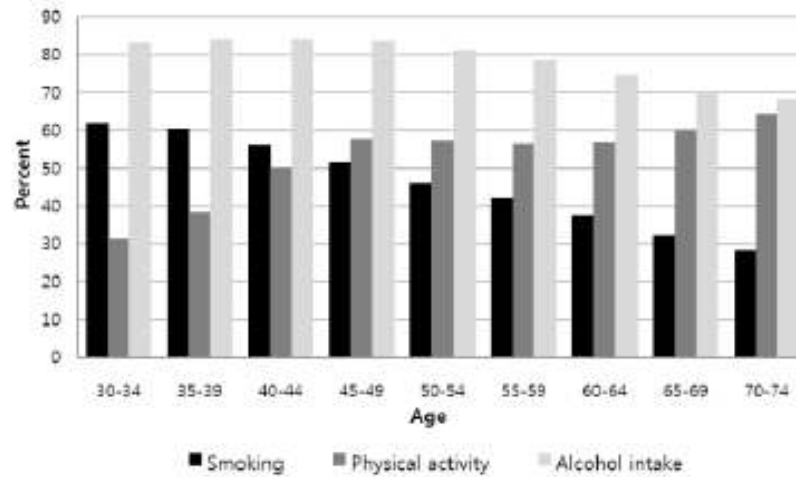
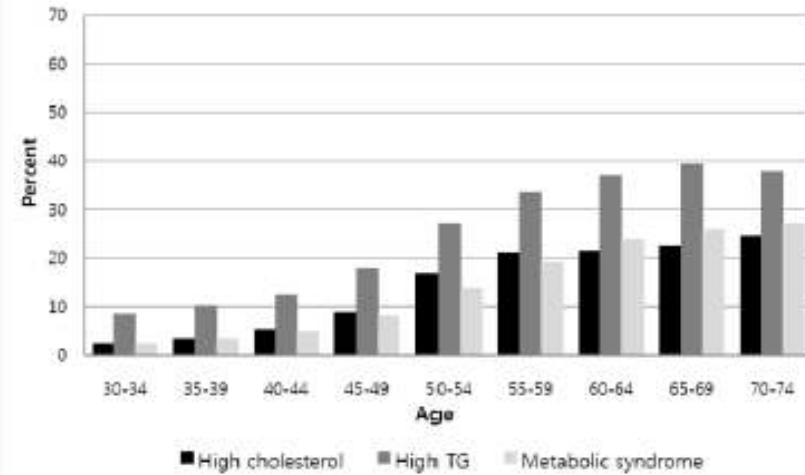


# Baseline Characteristics

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# Validity of the Diagnosis of Acute Myocardial Infarction in Korean National Medical Health Insurance Claims Data: The Korean Heart Study (1)

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**Background and Objectives:** Medical insurance claims (MIC) data are one of the largest sources of outpatient Classification of Diseases (ICD) codes. We evaluated the validity of the ICD codes from the Korean National Medical Health Insurance Claims Data for the outcomes from acute myocardial infarction (AMI) in the Korean Heart Study.

**Subjects and Methods:** Baseline information was obtained from health examinations conducted from 1994 to 2007. Information regarding the incidence of AMI came from hospital admission discharge records from 1994 to 2007. Data were sent to 98 hospitals. In total, 107 cases of AMI with ICD codes of I21- (93 men, 26-73 years of age) were included. The code accuracy and reliability (kappa) for AMI were calculated.

**Results:** A large number of AMI cases were from hospitals located in the Seoul area (75.9%). The accuracy according to World Health Organization criteria (1997-2000, n=24, kappa=0.46) and 73.1% according to the European Society of Cardiology (ESC/ACC) criteria (2001-2007, n=83, kappa=0.74). An age of 50 years or older was the most common ICD code for AMI (odds ratio, 4.6; 95% confidence interval, 1.2-17.7) in patients diagnosed since January 2001.

**Conclusion:** The accuracy for diagnosing AMI using the ICD-10 codes in Korean MIC data was >70%, and nevertheless, more attention is required for recoding ICD codes in older patients. (**Korean Circ J 2012;42:10-15**)

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# Impaired Fasting Glucose and Risk of Cardiovascular Disease in Korean Men and Women

The Korean Heart Study

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**OBJECTIVE**—The relationship between impaired fasting glucose (IFG) and risk of cardiovascular disease (CVD) or ischemic heart disease (IHD) varies widely according to sex and ethnicity. We evaluated the relationship between IFG and CVD or IHD among Korean men and women.

**RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODS**—A total of 408,022 individuals who underwent voluntary private health examinations in 17 centers in South Korea were followed for 10 years. Data regarding CVD or IHD events were obtained from the Korean National Health Insurance database. IFG was categorized as grade 1 (fasting glucose 100–109 mg/dL) or grade 2 (110–125 mg/dL).

mortality (7,8). However, the association between impaired fasting glucose (IFG) and risk of CVD and/or IHD remains unclear (7–18). Although some studies have reported that IFG was associated with a greater risk of IHD/CVD in women than in men (17,19), others have reported similar risks for men and women (18).

There has also been considerable debate regarding the threshold glucose level associated with increased CVD risk. In 2003, the American Diabetes Association (ADA) lowered the fasting plasma glucose (FPG) cutoff point for IFG from 110 to 100 mg/dL (20). Some studies have reported that FPG levels of 110–125 mg/

# Objective

- **The relationship between impaired fasting glucose (IFG) and risk of CVD or IHD varies widely according to sex and ethnicity.**
- **We evaluated the relationship between IFG and CVD or IHD among Korean men and women.**

# Method

**IFG was categorized as**

- **Grade 1 (fasting glucose 100–109 mg/dL)**
- **Grade 2 (fasting glucose 110–125 mg/dL)**

**10 years follow-up**

**Cox's proportional hazard model**

# Baseline characteristics 1996-2004 (N=384,795)

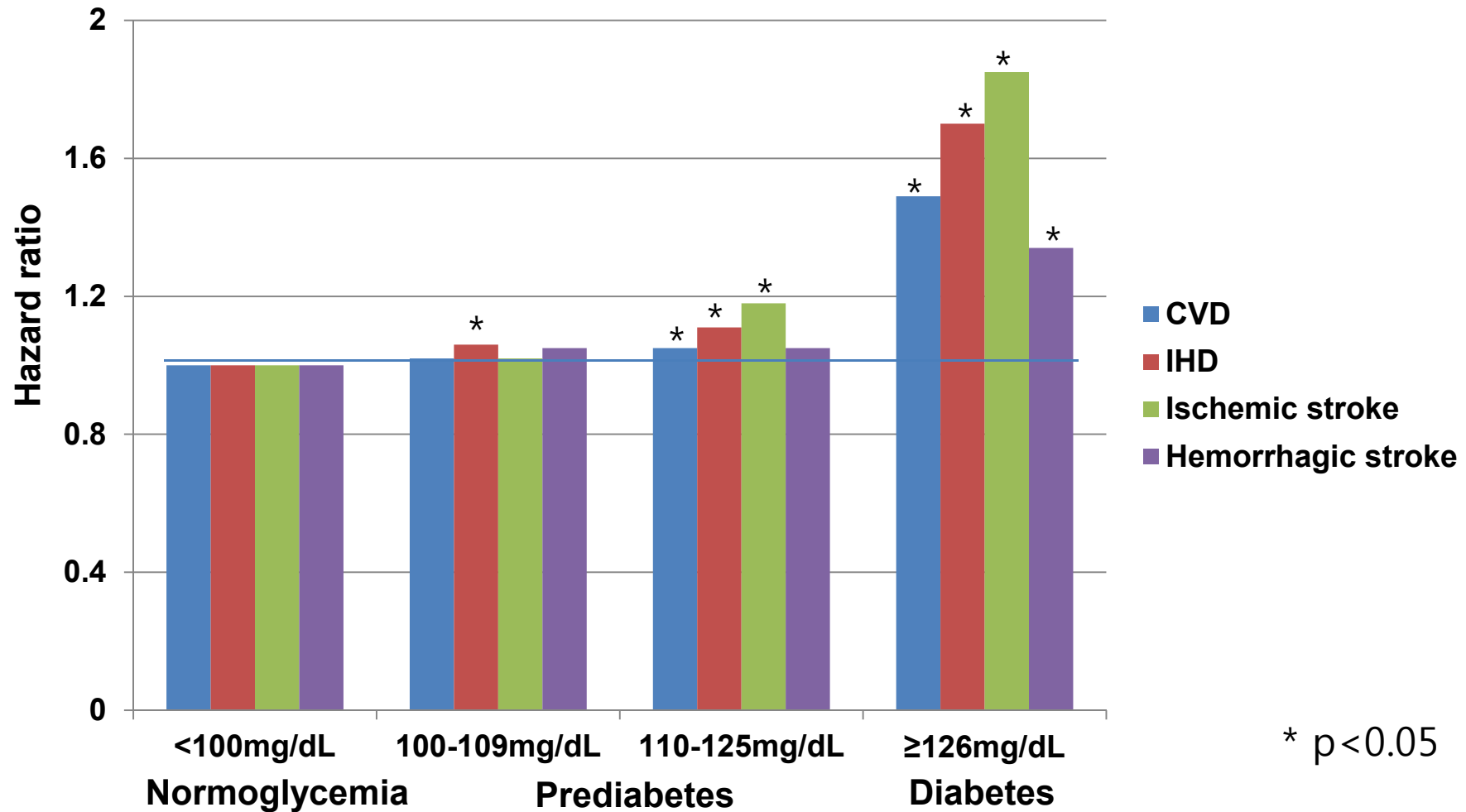
	Normogly- cemia	Prediabetes		Diabetes
		100-109	110-125	
N	289,511	49,921	17,975	27,388
Sex (male), %	<u>58.7</u>	<u>68.1</u>	<u>71.3</u>	<u>69.1</u>
Age, years	44.7	47.7	50.1	52.0
Smoking, %	<u>33.6</u>	<u>34.7</u>	<u>34.9</u>	<u>34.8</u>
Alcohol,%	<u>61.9</u>	<u>67.8</u>	<u>69.4</u>	<u>65.5</u>
BMI, kg/m <sup>2</sup>	23.4	24.4	25.0	24.6
SBP, mmHg	119	126	130	129
T cholesterol	191	201	207	205
HDL, mg/dL	<u>51</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>48</u>
LDL, mg/dL	<u>115</u>	<u>122</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>124</u>
FBS, mg/dL	<u>87</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>116</u>	<u>146</u>



# Incidence rates of CVD per 100,000 person years

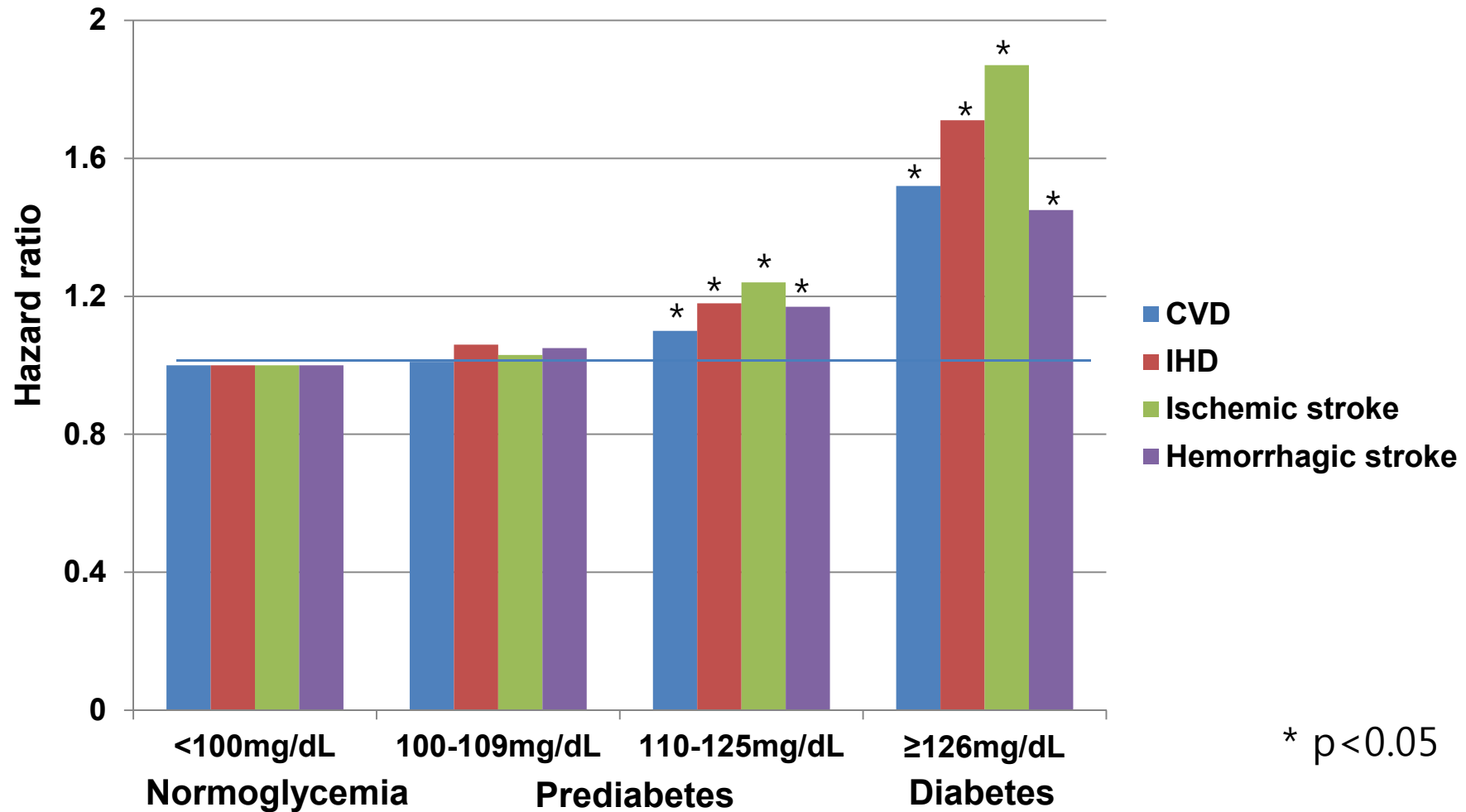
Categories	Rates	IRR
Normoglycemia (<100)	744	1.0
Grade 1 IFG (100-109)	1,084	1.45
Grade 2 IFG (110-125)	1,416	1.90
Diabetes ( $\geq$ 126 or Med.)	2,203	2.96

# HRs of CVDs by different traits of dysglycemia (Total)



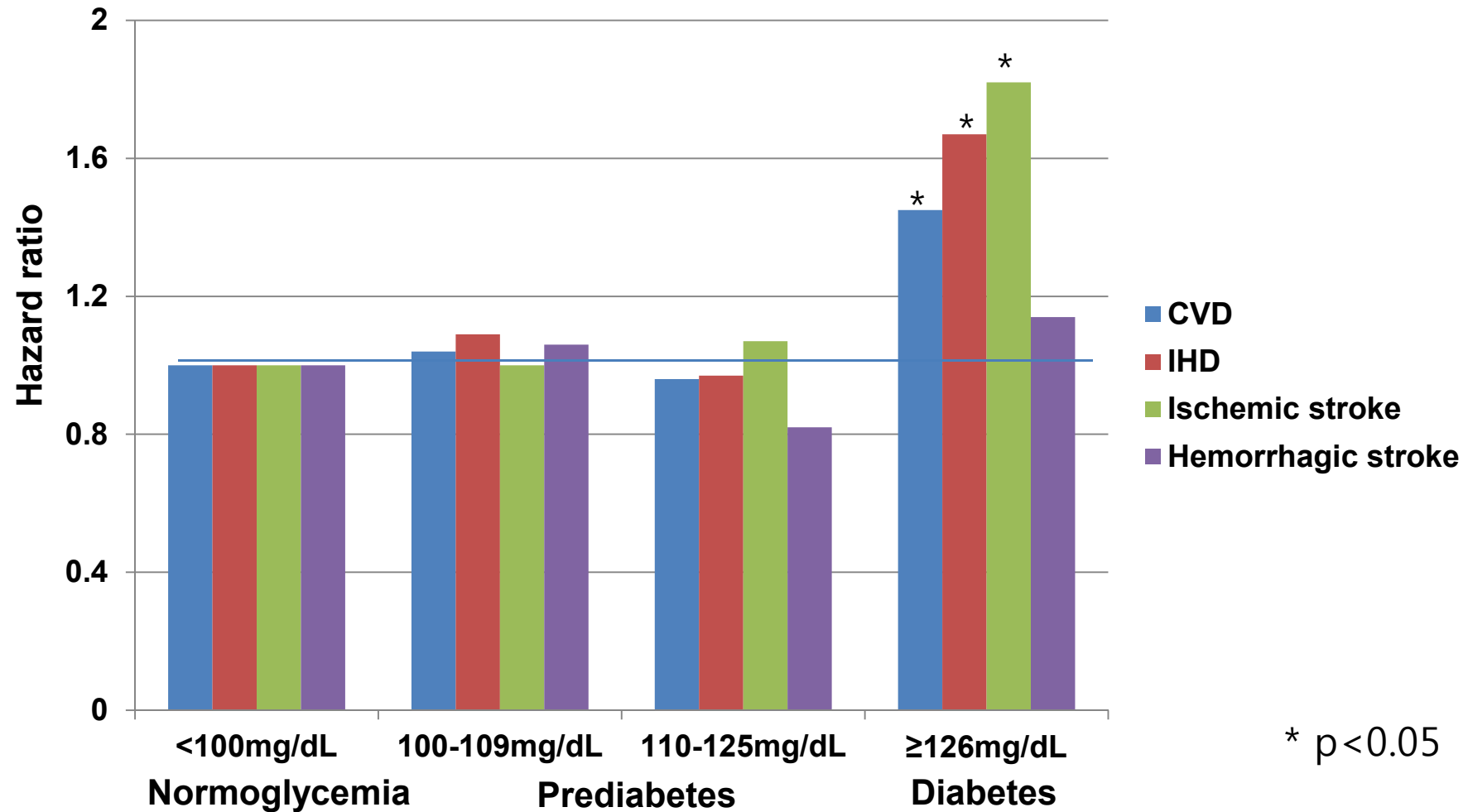
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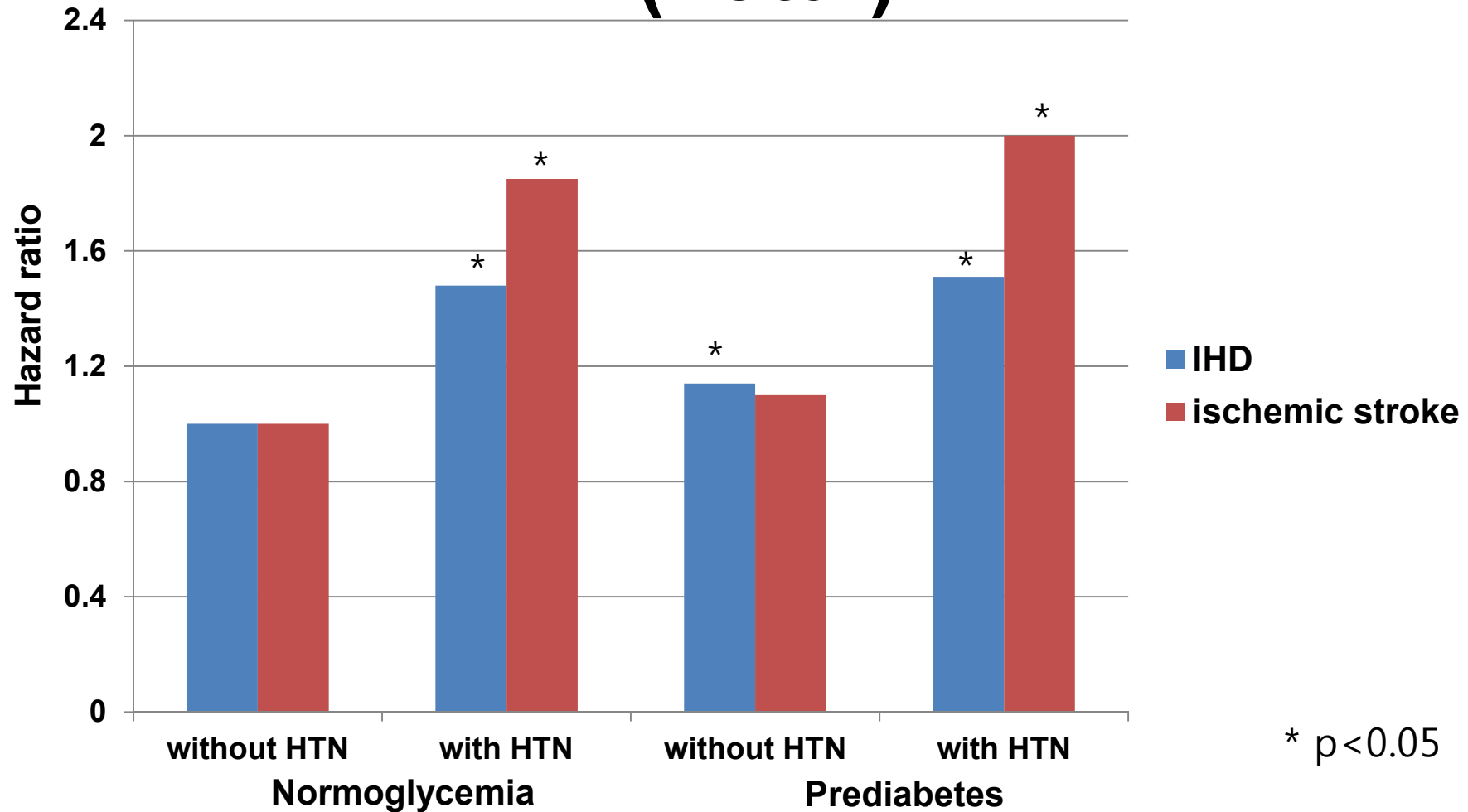
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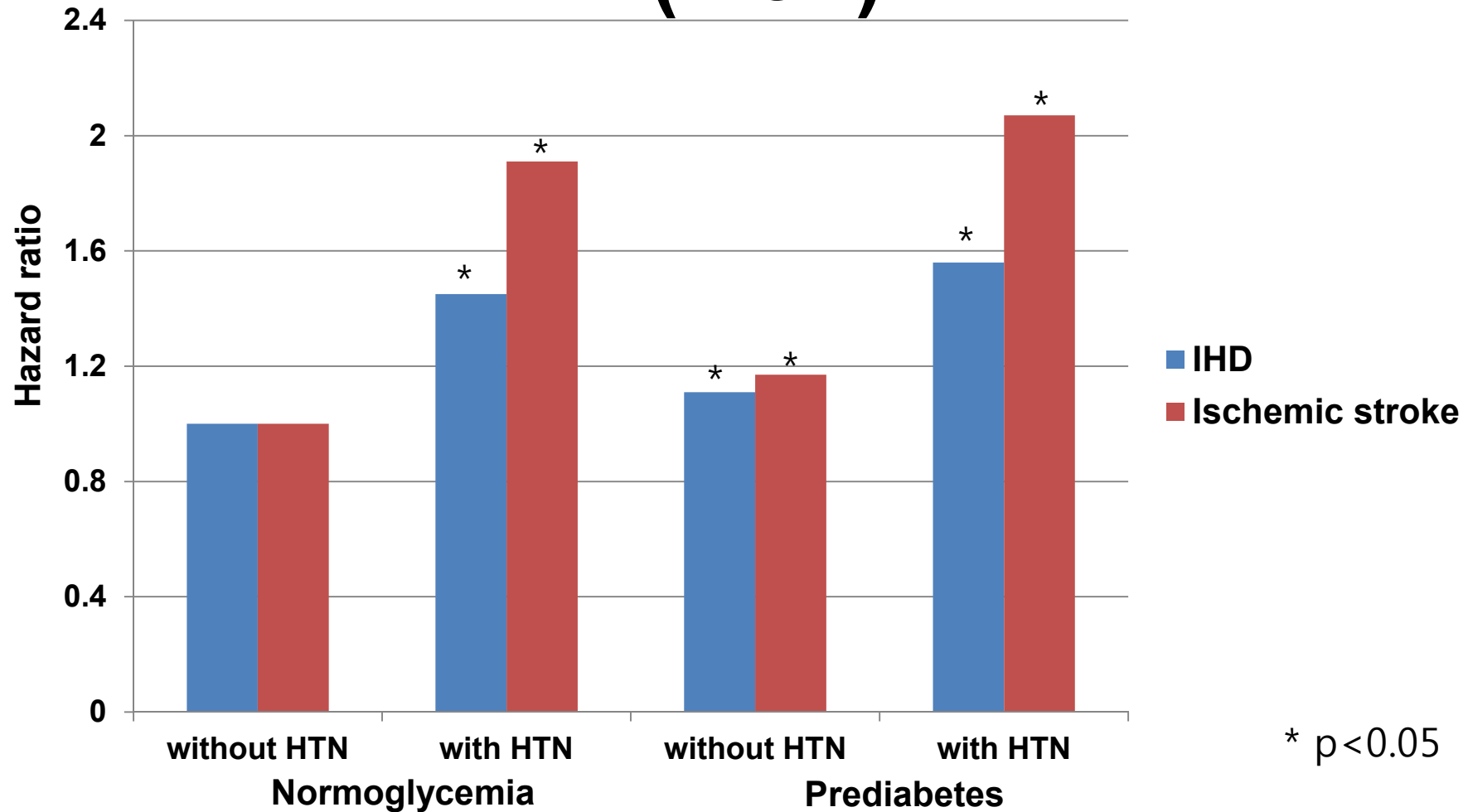
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# HRs of IHD and ischemic stroke of prediabetes with or without HTN (Total)

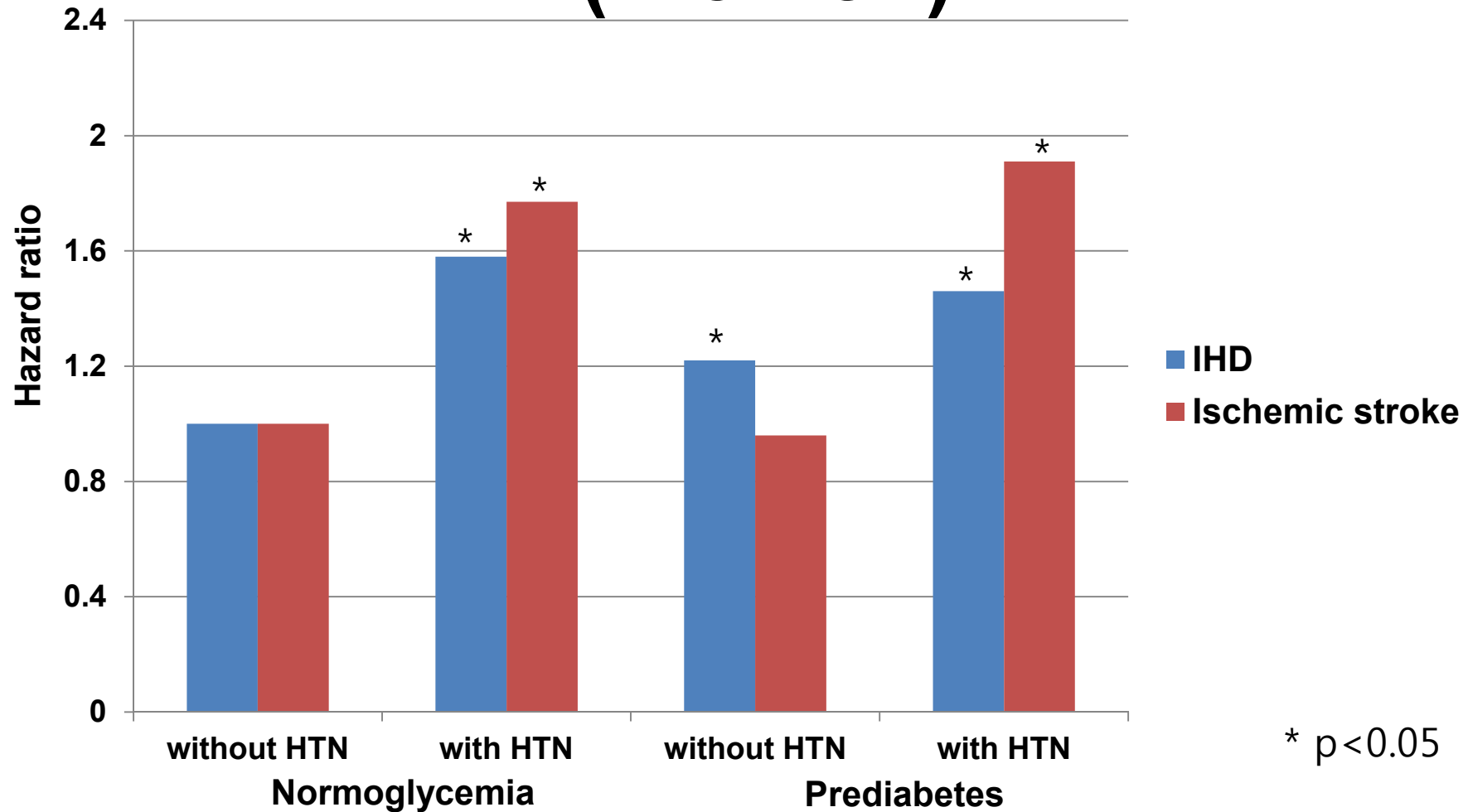


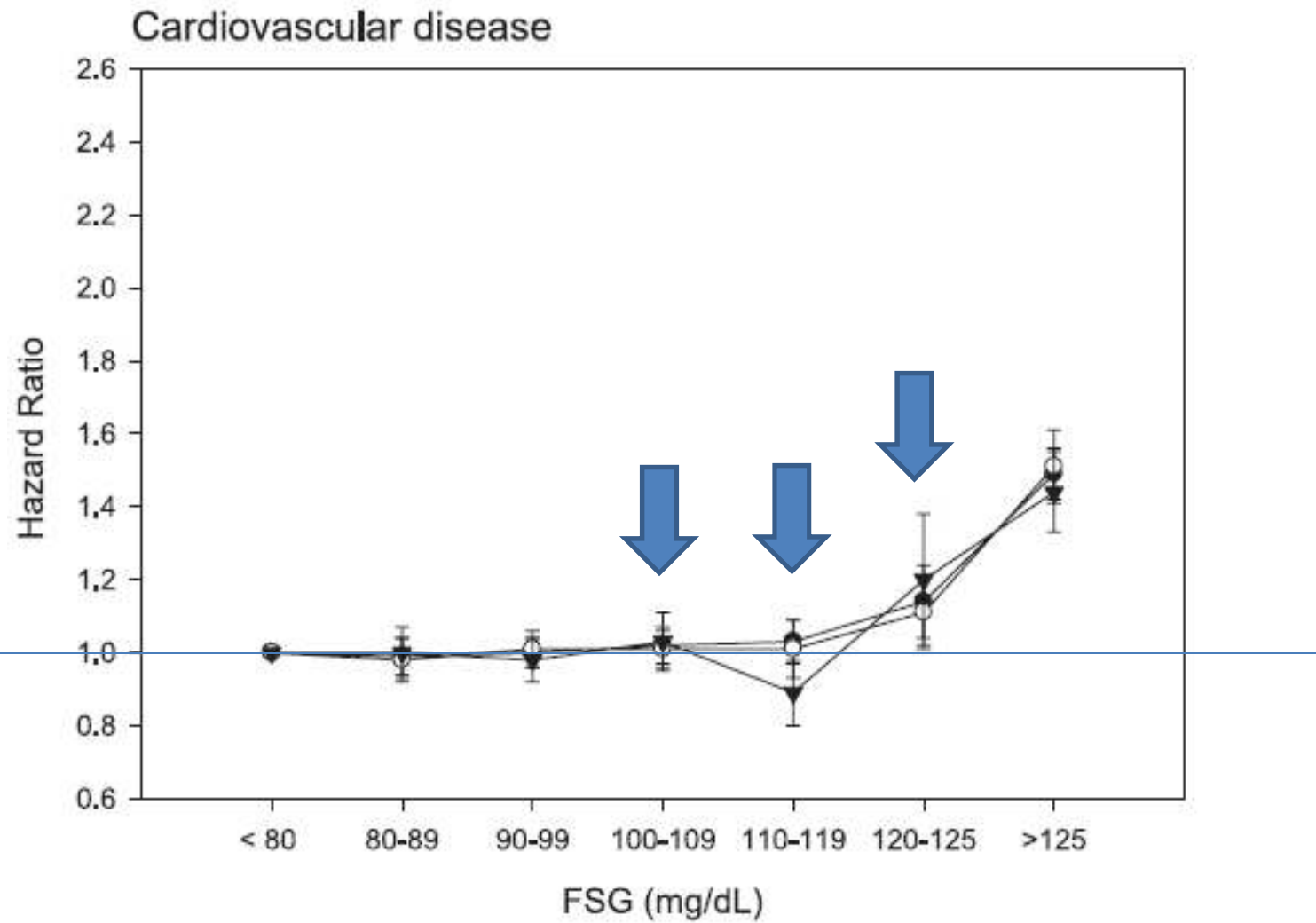
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# HRs of IHD and ischemic stroke of pre-diabetes with or without HTN (Men)



# HRs of IHD and ischemic stroke of pre-diabetes with or without HTN (Women)







# Conclusion

- Our study showed that **IFG**, defined as FSG levels of **100–125 mg/dL**, is associated with increased risk of CVD (including IHD and ischemic stroke) in the Korean population.
- This association is independent of other conventional risk factors in men but not in women.
- Further studies are needed to identify subgroups with IFG for whom prevention efforts in reducing cardiovascular events are cost-effective.

# Comments

- **코호트 추적기간이 짧다.**
- **Stage 1 IFG (100-109) ?**
- **Pre diabetes의 중요성 인지...**
- **Pre diabetes 군의 heterogeneity ?**

# Korean Data II

- **Korean Adiponectin Cohort Study**
  - **Adiponectin as predictor of diabetes among people with IFG (pre diabetes)**

*Adiponectin as predictor for diabetes  
among pre-diabetic groups*

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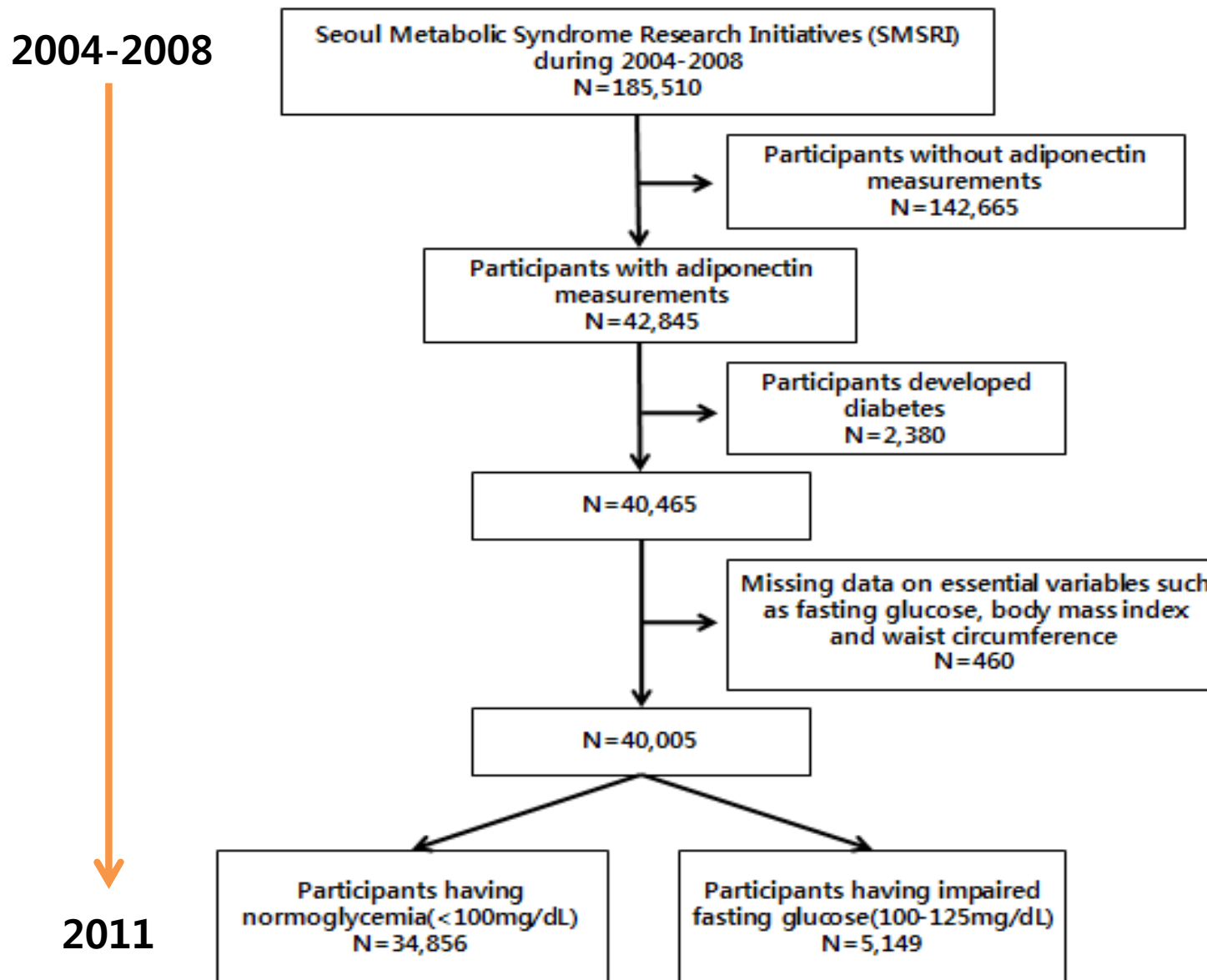
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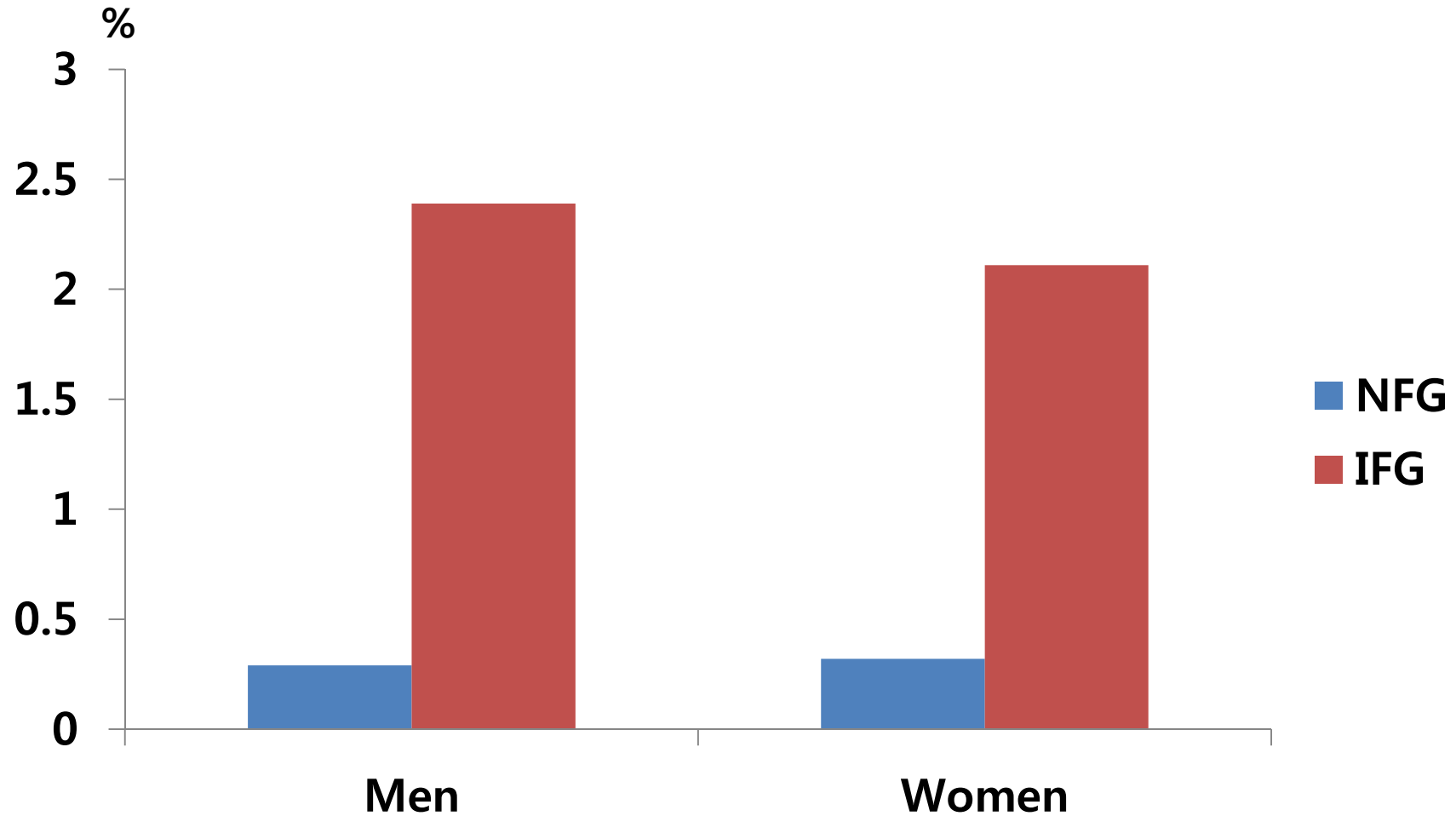


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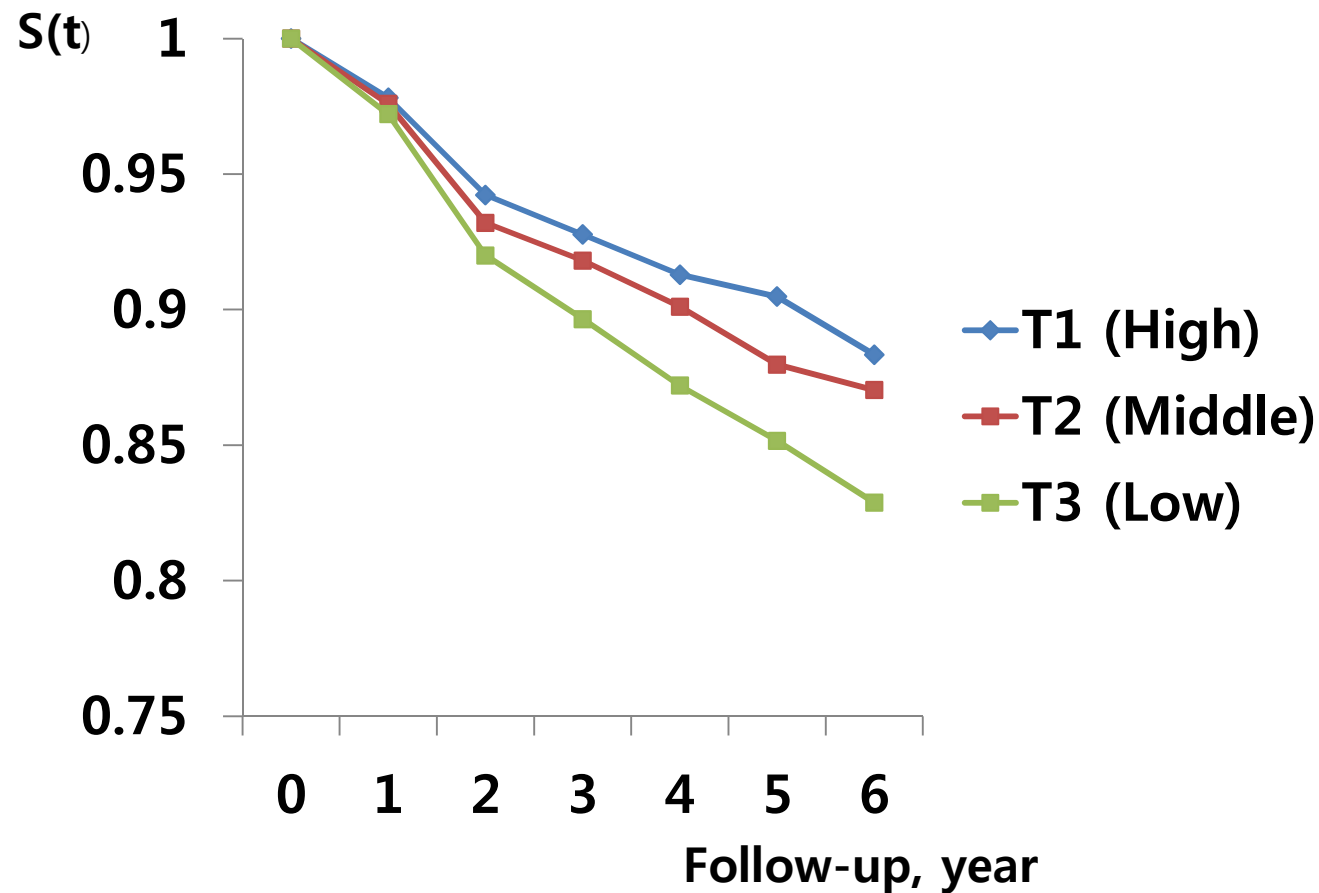
# Incidence rate per 100 PY of type 2 diabetes among men



# Serum adiponectin

- **Men**
  - T1 (High)  $\geq 6.24 \mu\text{g/mL}$
  - T2 (Middle)  $3.91 - 6.23 \mu\text{g/mL}$
  - T3 (Low)  $< 3.91 \mu\text{g/mL}$
- **Women**
  - T1 (High)  $\geq 9.42 \mu\text{g/mL}$
  - T2 (Middle)  $5.99 - 9.41 \mu\text{g/mL}$
  - T3 (Low)  $< 5.99 \mu\text{g/mL}$

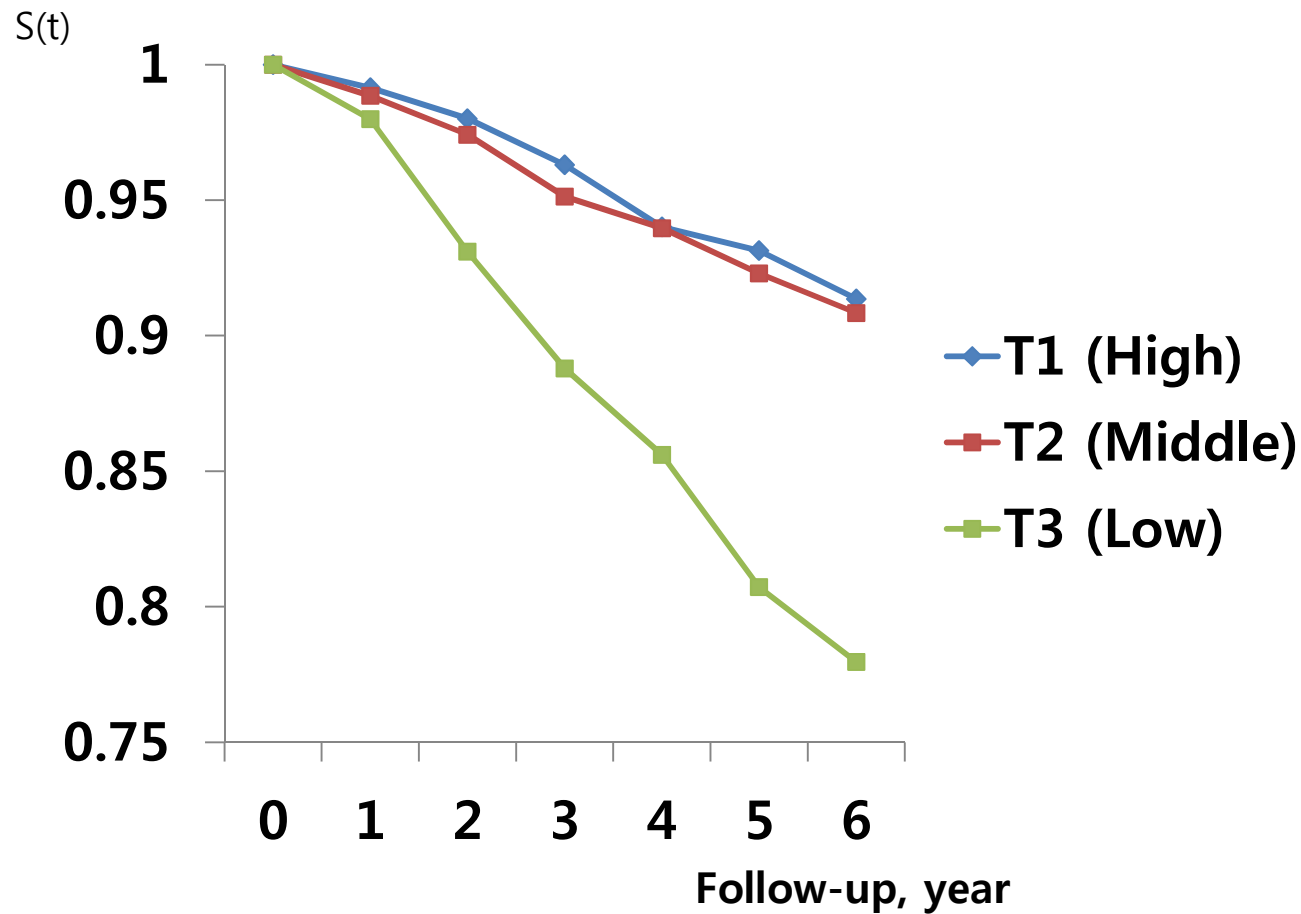
# Adiponectin and type 2 DM among men with pre-diabetes



The Kaplan-Meier survival curve



# Adiponectin and type 2 DM among women with pre-diabetes



The Kaplan-Meier survival curve

# HR (95% CI) for low adiponectin levels on type 2 diabetes

	Adiponectin	Conversion status at 6 yrs follow-up	
		Diabetes	Non diabetes
Pre diabetes	Low	a	b
	High	c	d

$$RR = \frac{\frac{a}{a+b}}{\frac{c}{c+d}}$$

**Men, 1.27 (1.00-1.63)**

**Women, 2.08 (1.25-3.46)**

Adjusting for age, smoking, BMI, WC, HTN, TC, FDM and fasting glucose

# Summary

- **BMI (x), waist circumference (x), HTN (x), Cholesterol (x), 가족력 (x)...**
- **pre-diabetes, 동일한 수준의 공복혈당에서...**
- **Adiponectin may be used as a predictor of diabetes in pre-diabetic individuals.**

# **Korean Data III**

- **Korean Cancer Prevention Study**
  - **An optimum fasting glucose level**

# Fasting Glucose Level and the Risk of Incident Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Diseases

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**OBJECTIVE**—Although diabetes increases the risk of cardiovascular disease and mortality, the dose-response relationship between fasting glucose levels below those diagnostic of diabetes with cardiovascular events has not been well-characterized.

**RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODS**—A prospective cohort study of more than one million Koreans was conducted with a mean follow-up of 16 years. A total of 1,197,384 Korean adults with no specific medical conditions diagnosed were classified by baseline fasting serum glucose level. Associations of fasting glucose level with cardiovascular disease incidence and mortality, stroke incidence and mortality, and all-cause mortality were analyzed using multivariate proportional hazards regression.

relevance of IFG as a predictor of CVD is still unclear (8–11). In addition, the shape of the dose-response relationship between CVD risk and fasting glucose level has not been well-characterized across the full range of fasting blood glucose values.

It is unclear whether there is an optimum fasting glucose level associated with the lowest level of CVD risk (12,13), or whether risk increases at very low fasting glucose levels (14). Several studies have shown J-shape or U-shape relationships between fasting glucose levels and mortality (3,5,14,15).

The Korean Cancer Prevention Study (16,17) (KCPS) is a cohort study of >1.3 million Korean adults designed to evalu-

# An optimum fasting glucose level

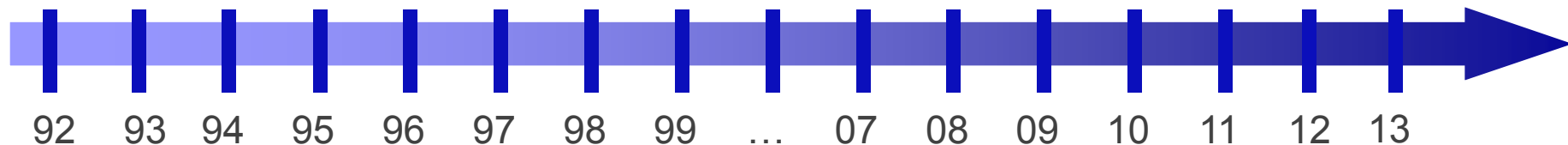
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- It is unclear **whether** there is an optimum fasting glucose level associated with the lowest level of CVD risk, or **whether** risk increases at very low fasting glucose levels.

# Korean Cancer Prevention Study (KCPS)



# Design of the KCPS

- 19-year prospective cohort study
- Participants enrolled through the National Health Insurance Service (NHIS)
- Insured and dependents (N=1,329,525), ages 30 and older
- Answered questionnaires in 1992-1995 and subsequent years
- Follow-up by record linkage to NHIS



**Baseline**

	<u>Incidence/Mortality</u>
<b>All-causes</b>	<b>168,325</b>
<b>All cancers</b>	<b>144,370</b>
<b>All cardiovascular diseases</b>	<b>147,907</b>



# KCPS IRB



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# OBJECTIVE

- While diabetes increases the risk of cardiovascular disease and mortality, the dose-response relationship between fasting glucose levels below those diagnostic of diabetes with cardiovascular events has not been well characterized.

# RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODS

- **Associations of fasting glucose level with cardiovascular disease and stroke**
  - Incidence
  - Mortality
- **16 years follow-up**
- **Cox's proportional hazards regression.**
- **Restricted quadratic spline models with knots at fasting glucose levels of 70, 85, 100, 110, 126, and 140 mg/dL.**

# Results

- The relationships between fasting glucose levels and cardiovascular disease risks generally followed **J-shape curves**, with **lowest risk** in the glucose range of **85–99 mg/dL**.
- As fasting glucose levels increased to **≥100 mg/dL**, risks for CVD, IHD, MI, and thrombotic stroke progressively increased, but risk for hemorrhagic stroke did not.

# Results

- Fasting glucose **levels <70 mg/dL** were associated with increased risk of all stroke
  - (HR 1.06, 95% CI 1.01–1.11) in men
  - (HR 1.11, 95% CI 1.05–1.17) in women

Table 1—Fasting serum glucose levels at enrollment and risk of cardiovascular diseases in male participants of the Korean Cancer Prevention Study 1993–2010

Fasting serum glucose, mg/dL	Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (N = 100,808) HR (95% CI)	Ischemic heart disease (N = 40,026) HR (95% CI)	Myocardial infarction (N = 12,528) HR (95% CI)	All stroke (N = 45,582) HR (95% CI)	Thrombotic stroke (N = 28,922) HR (95% CI)	Hemorrhagic stroke (N = 12,282) HR (95% CI)
<70	<u>1.04 (1.01–1.08)</u>	1.00 (0.96–1.06)	1.02 (0.94–1.11)	<u>1.06 (1.01–1.11)</u>	<u>1.06 (1.00–1.12)</u>	1.02 (0.94–1.11)
70–84	1.00 (0.99–1.02)	1.00 (0.97–1.02)	1.00 (0.96–1.05)	1.00 (0.98–1.03)	1.00 (0.98–1.04)	1.00 (0.95–1.04)
85–99	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)
100–109	<u>1.04 (1.02–1.06)</u>	<u>1.04 (1.01–1.08)</u>	1.02 (0.97–1.08)	<u>1.04 (1.00–1.07)</u>	<u>1.08 (1.04–1.12)</u>	0.98 (0.93–1.04)
110–125	1.12 (1.09–1.15)	1.14 (1.10–1.19)	1.17 (1.09–1.25)	1.15 (1.11–1.18)	1.21 (1.16–1.26)	1.08 (1.02–1.16)
126–139	1.27 (1.22–1.33)	1.27 (1.18–1.37)	1.50 (1.34–1.69)	1.38 (1.30–1.47)	1.51 (1.41–1.63)	1.15 (1.01–1.30)
≥140	1.75 (1.70–1.80)	1.79 (1.71–1.87)	2.13 (1.97–2.29)	1.87 (1.80–1.94)	2.20 (2.10–2.31)	1.24 (1.13–1.35)

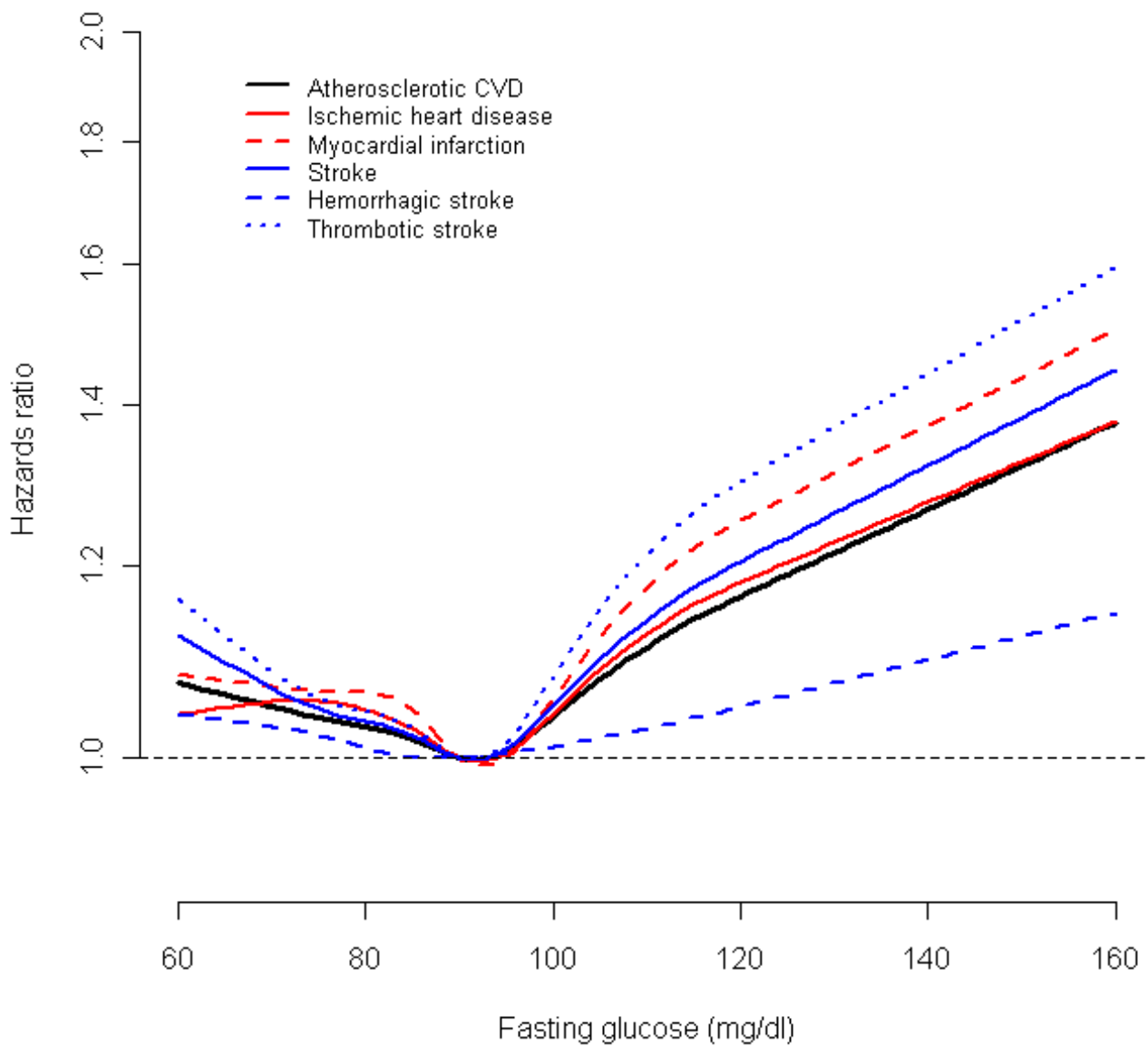
To convert glucose from mg/dL to mmol/L, multiply by 0.0555. Adjusted for age, smoking status, alcohol drinking, exercise, BMI, and systolic blood pressure. BMI was calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

Table 2—Fasting serum glucose levels at enrollment and risk of cardiovascular diseases in female participants of the Korean Cancer Prevention Study 1993–2010

Fasting serum glucose, mg/dL	Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (N = 59,353) HR (95% CI)	Ischemic heart disease (N = 18,122) HR (95% CI)	Myocardial infarction (N = 4,131) HR (95% CI)	All stroke (N = 28,779) HR (95% CI)	Thrombotic stroke (N = 17,674) HR (95% CI)	Hemorrhagic stroke (N = 7,125) HR (95% CI)
<70	<u>1.06 (1.02–1.10)</u>	0.95 (0.88–1.02)	0.97 (0.83–1.14)	<u>1.11 (1.05–1.17)</u>	1.05 (0.98–1.13)	<u>1.16 (1.04–1.29)</u>
70–84	<u>1.02 (1.00–1.04)</u>	0.97 (0.94–1.01)	1.00 (0.92–1.08)	<u>1.04 (1.01–1.07)</u>	1.03 (0.99–1.06)	1.04 (0.99–1.10)
85–99	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)	1.00 (reference)
100–109	<u>1.03 (1.00–1.05)</u>	1.00 (0.95–1.05)	1.08 (0.98–1.20)	<u>1.05 (1.02–1.10)</u>	<u>1.09 (1.04–1.14)</u>	0.96 (0.89–1.04)
110–125	1.14 (1.10–1.18)	1.15 (1.08–1.23)	1.37 (1.21–1.54)	1.17 (1.11–1.22)	1.23 (1.16–1.30)	0.99 (0.89–1.09)
126–139	1.31 (1.23–1.39)	1.36 (1.23–1.51)	1.91 (1.59–2.29)	1.45 (1.34–1.57)	1.62 (1.48–1.78)	1.12 (0.93–1.33)
≥140	1.80 (1.73–1.88)	2.12 (1.98–2.26)	3.18 (2.84–3.57)	1.87 (1.77–1.97)	2.29 (2.15–2.44)	1.14 (1.00–1.30)

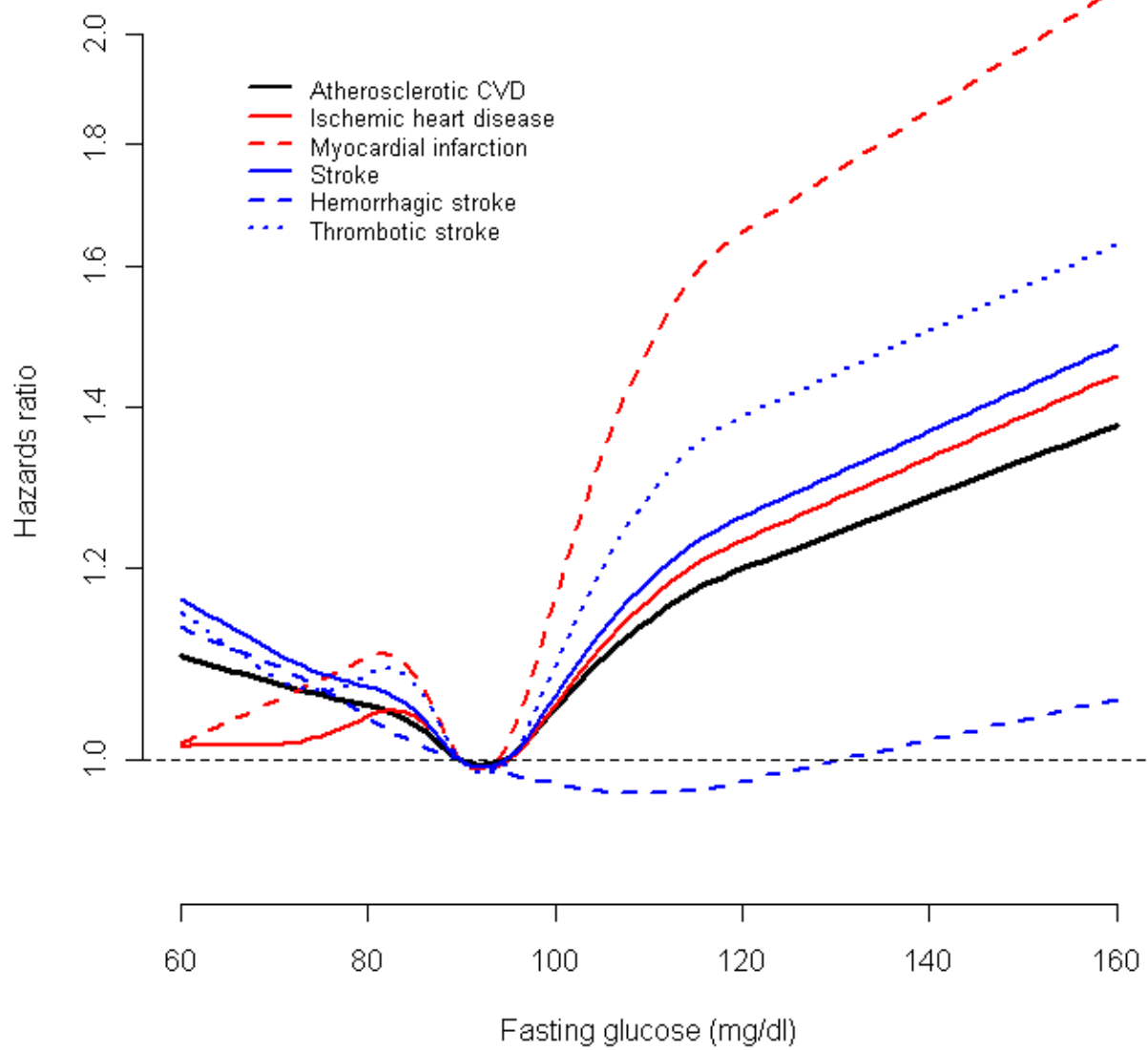
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### Men





## Women



# Mechanism

- Through abnormal cardiac activity and thrombosis, particularly with atherosclerosis (Wei et al., 2000)
- Hypoglycemia or rapid changes in plasma glucose may lead to elevations of **counter-regulatory hormones**, such as epinephrine and norepinephrine, and these increases induce **vasoconstriction and platelet aggregation** (Tanne et al, 2004)

# CONCLUSION

- Both **low glucose level (<70 mg/dL)** and **impaired fasting glucose** should be considered as predictors of risk for stroke and coronary heart disease.
- The fasting glucose level associated with the lowest cardiovascular risk may fall in **a narrow range (85-99 mg/dL)**.

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