

Erratum to: Inter-ethnic differences in genetic variants within the transmembrane protease, serine 6 (*TMPRSS6*) gene associated with iron status indicators: a systematic review with meta-analyses

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After publication of this paper, the authors have determined that the forest plots presented are incorrect. Corrected fixed-effects forest plots are found below. However, the information in the text is correct except for the following two points: (1) under the subheading “Associations of

rs4820268 with Hb and iron status”, it should read that in Caucasian populations the G allele of rs4820268 results in lower concentrations of Hb by 0.08 g/dL (95 % CI –0.16, –0.01). In the “Discussion”, based on our meta-analyses, the overall effect estimate of the Asian studies indicates that for each G allele of rs4820268 an additional decrease of 0.08 and 3.81 is observed for Hb and ferritin values, respectively (Figs. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8).

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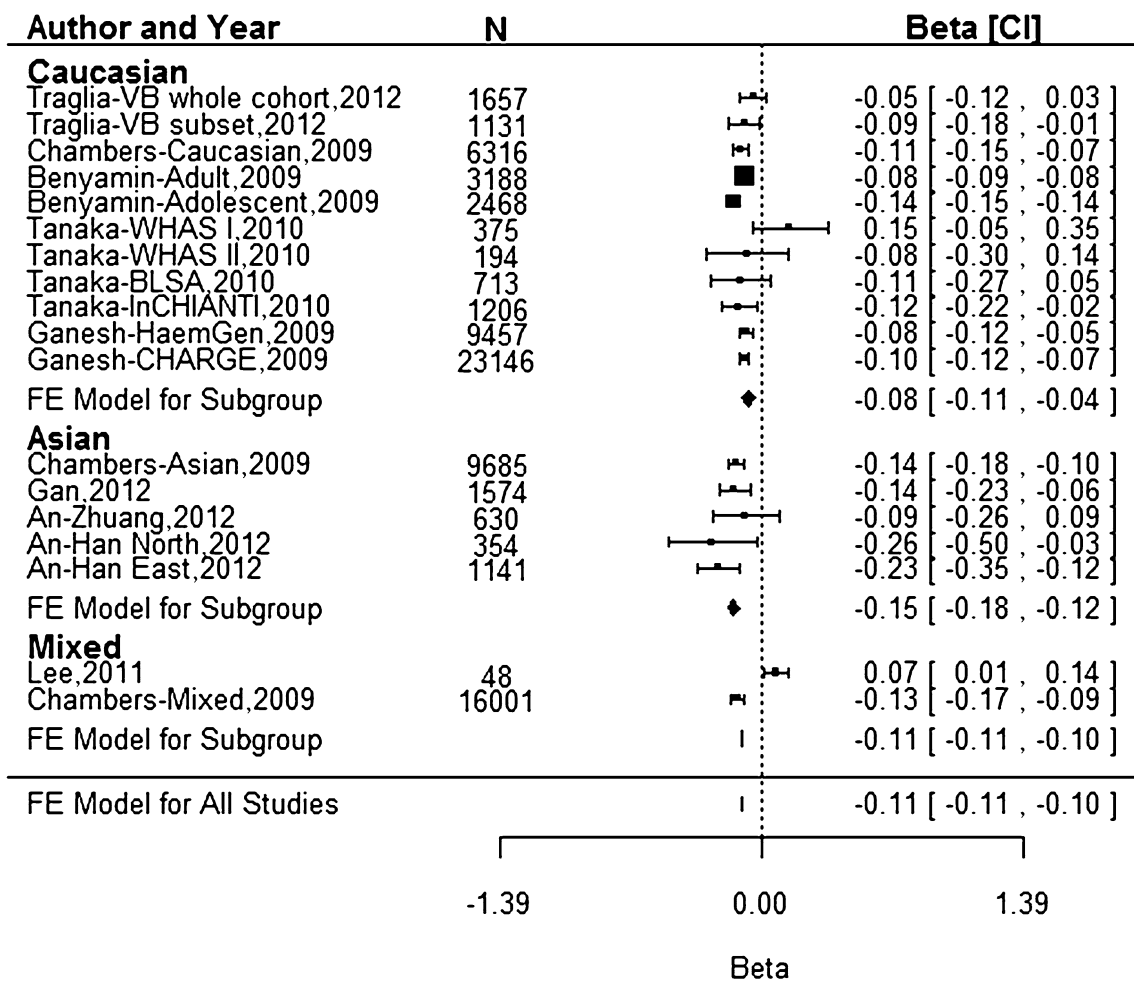


Fig. 2 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs855791 with haemoglobin concentration (g/dL)

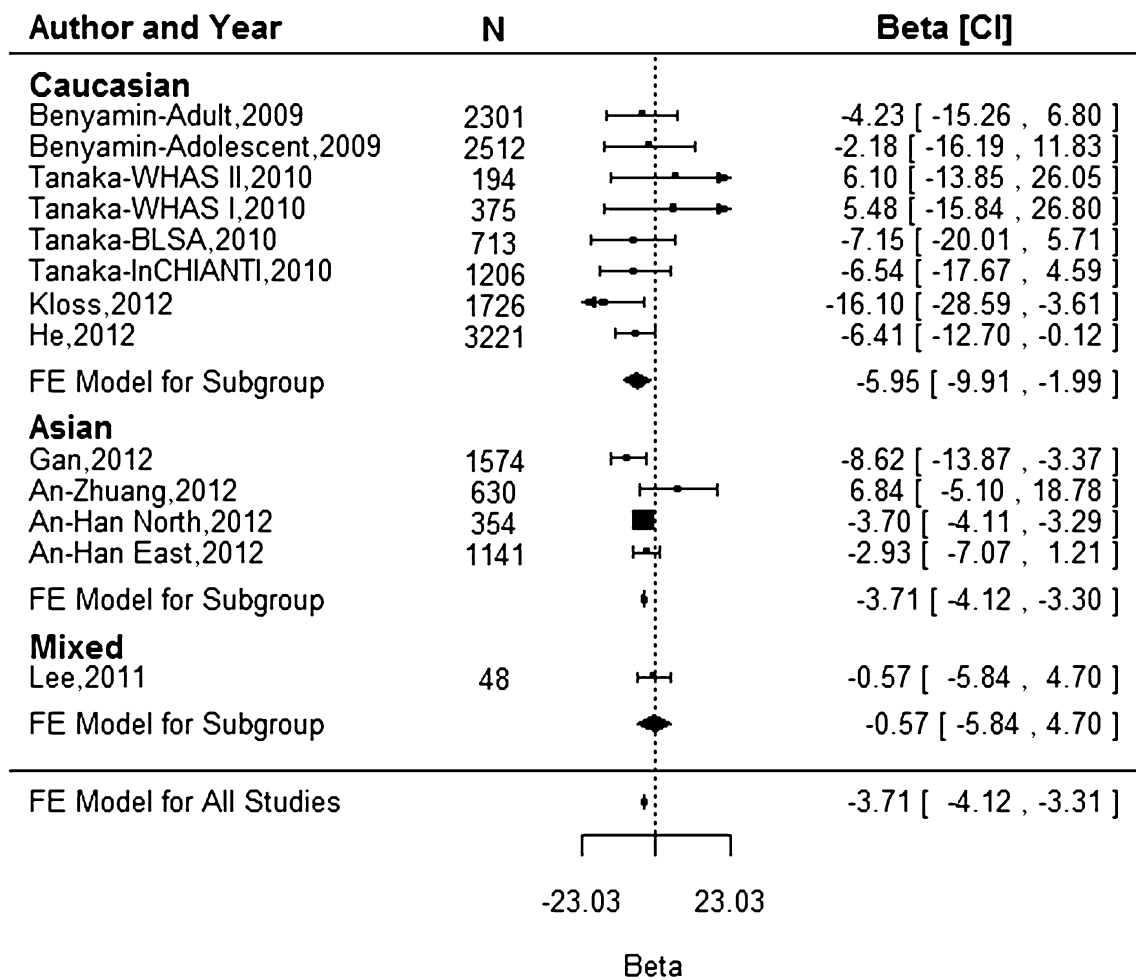


Fig. 3 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs855791 with ferritin (µg/L)

Fig. 4 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs855791 with serum transferrin receptor (mg/dL)

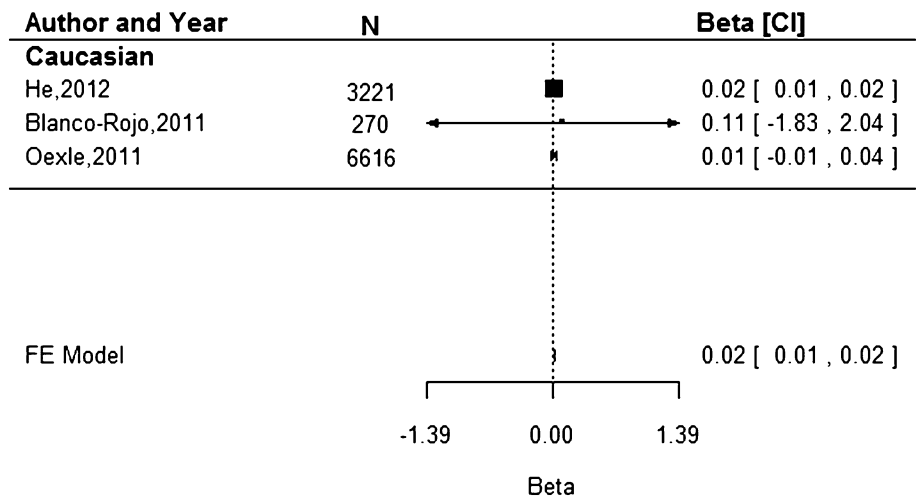


Fig. 5 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs855791 with with transferrin (mg/dL)

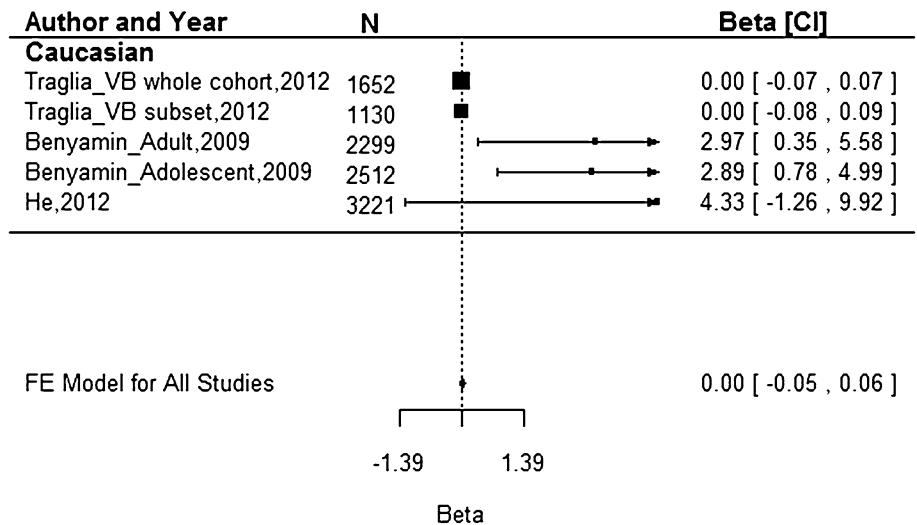


Fig. 6 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs4820268 with haemoglobin concentration (g/dL)

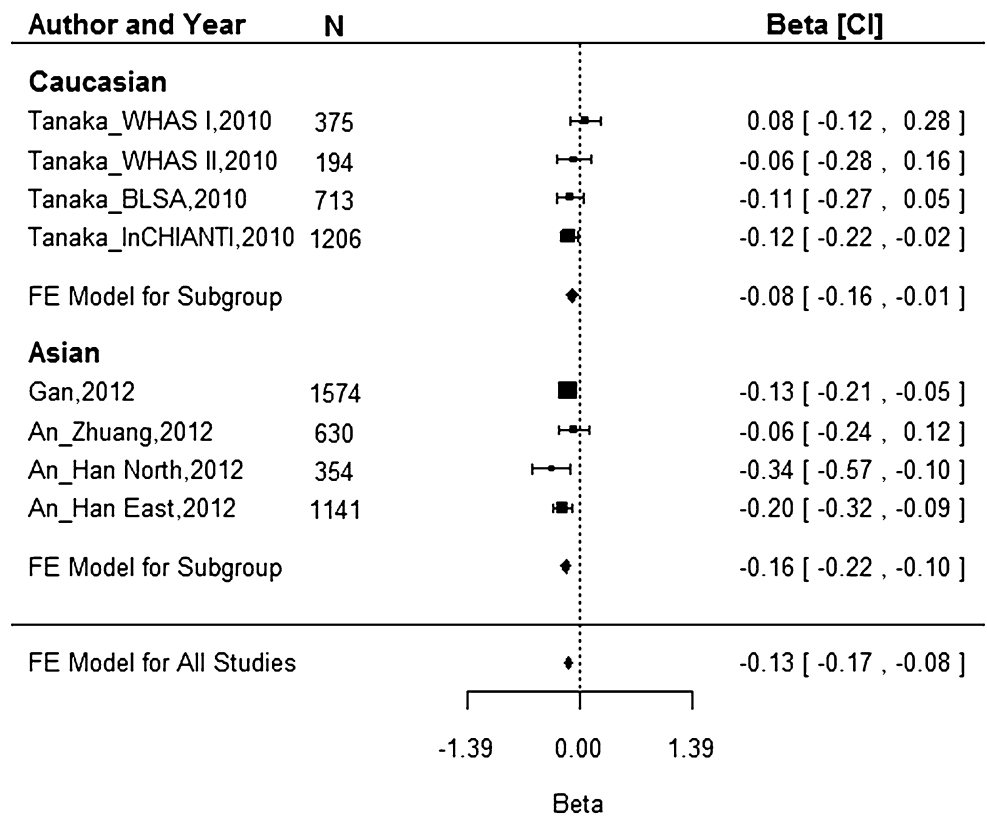


Fig. 7 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs4820268 with ferritin ($\mu\text{g/L}$)

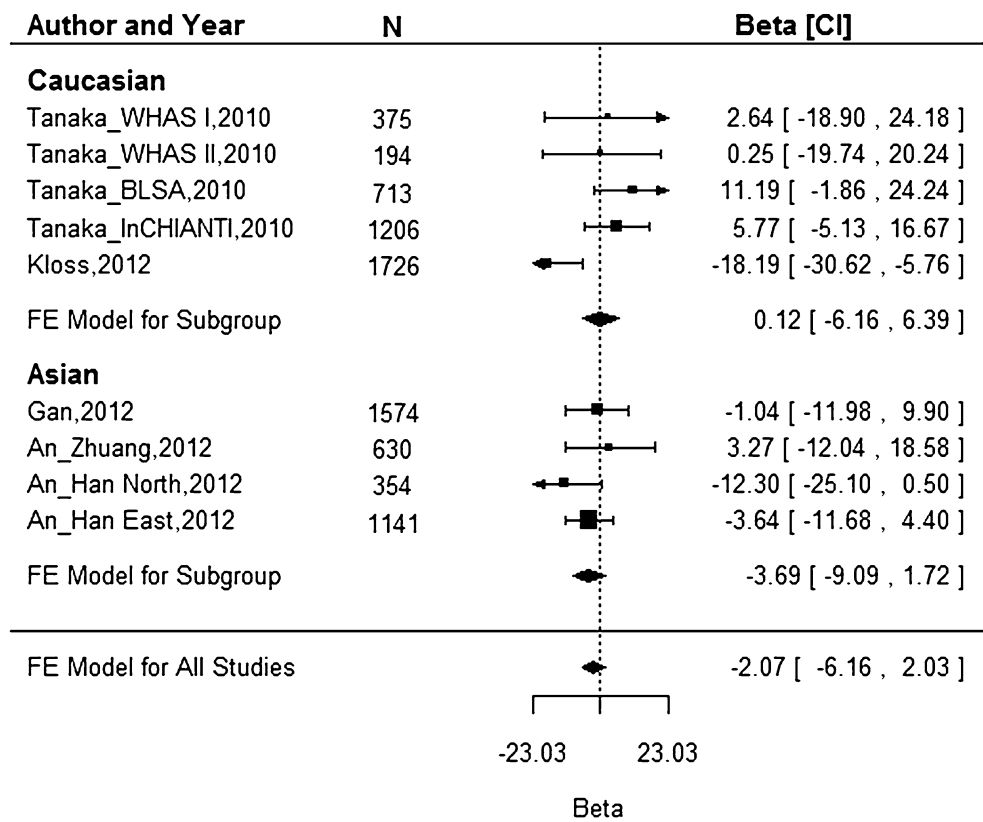


Fig. 8 Fixed-effects meta-analysis of observational studies evaluating association of rs4820268 with serum transferrin receptor (mg/dL)

