

Search strategy

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Search number	Query	Search Details	Results	Time
8	((("rhythm control) OR (rate control)) AND (atrial fibrillation)) AND ((heart failure with preserved ejection fraction) OR ("Heart Failure, Diastolic"[Mesh]))	((("rhythm"[All Fields] OR "rhythm s"[All Fields] OR "rhythms"[All Fields]) AND ("controlling"[All Fields] OR "controllability"[All Fields] OR "controllable"[All Fields] OR "controllably"[All Fields] OR "controller"[All Fields] OR "controller s"[All Fields] OR "controllers"[All Fields] OR "controlling"[All Fields] OR "controls"[All Fields] OR "prevention and control"[MeSH Subheading] OR ("prevention"[All Fields] AND "control"[All Fields]) OR "prevention and control"[All Fields] OR "control"[All Fields] OR "control groups"[MeSH Terms] OR ("control"[All Fields] AND "groups"[All Fields]) OR "control groups"[All Fields])) OR ((j rehabil assist technol eng"[Journal] OR "rate"[All Fields]) AND ("controlling"[All Fields] OR "controllability"[All Fields] OR "controllable"[All Fields] OR "controllably"[All Fields] OR "controller"[All Fields] OR "controller s"[All Fields] OR "controllers"[All Fields] OR "controlling"[All Fields] OR "controls"[All Fields] OR "prevention and control"[MeSH Subheading] OR ("prevention"[All Fields] AND "control"[All Fields]) OR "prevention and control"[All Fields] OR "control"[All Fields] OR "control groups"[MeSH Terms] OR ("control"[All Fields] AND "groups"[All Fields]) OR "control groups"[All Fields]))) AND ("atrial fibrillation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("atrial"[All Fields] AND "fibrillation"[All Fields]) OR "atrial fibrillation"[All Fields]) AND (((("heart failure"[MeSH Terms] OR ("heart"[All Fields] AND "failure"[All Fields]) OR "heart failure"[All Fields]) AND ("preservation, biological"[MeSH Terms] OR ("preservation"[All Fields] AND "biological"[All Fields]) OR "biological preservation"[All Fields] OR "preservation"[All Fields] OR "preserved"[All Fields] OR "preservations"[All Fields] OR "preserve"[All Fields] OR "preserves"[All Fields] OR "preserving"[All Fields]) AND ("eject"[All Fields] OR "ejected"[All Fields] OR "ejecting"[All Fields] OR "ejection"[All Fields] OR "ejectional"[All Fields] OR "ejections"[All Fields] OR "ejects"[All Fields]) AND ("dose fractionation, radiation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("dose"[All Fields] AND "fractionation"[All Fields] AND "radiation"[All Fields]) OR "radiation dose fractionation"[All Fields] OR "fractionation"[All Fields] OR "chemical fractionation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("chemical"[All Fields] AND "fractionation"[All Fields]) OR "chemical fractionation"[All Fields] OR "fraction"[All Fields] OR "fractions"[All Fields] OR "fractionate"[All Fields] OR "fractionated"[All Fields] OR "fractionates"[All Fields] OR "fractionating"[All Fields] OR "fractionationed"[All Fields] OR "fractionations"[All Fields] OR "fractionator"[All Fields] OR "fractionators"[All Fields] OR "fractioned"[All Fields] OR "fractioning"[All Fields] OR "fractionized"[All Fields] OR "fractions"[All Fields])) OR "heart failure, diastolic"[MeSH Terms]))	81	20:54:16

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6	(heart failure with preserved ejection fraction) OR ("Heart Failure, Diastolic"[Mesh])	((("heart failure"[MeSH Terms] OR ("heart"[All Fields] AND "failure"[All Fields]) OR "heart failure"[All Fields]) AND ("preservation, biological"[MeSH Terms] OR ("preservation"[All Fields] AND "biological"[All Fields] OR "biological preservation"[All Fields] OR "preservation"[All Fields] OR "preserved"[All Fields] OR "preservations"[All Fields] OR "preserve"[All Fields] OR "preserves"[All Fields] OR "preserving"[All Fields] AND ("eject"[All Fields] OR "ejected"[All Fields] OR "ejecting"[All Fields] OR "ejection"[All Fields] OR "ejectional"[All Fields] OR "ejections"[All Fields] OR "ejcts"[All Fields])) AND ("dose fractionation, radiation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("dose"[All Fields] AND "fractionation"[All Fields] AND "radiation"[All Fields]) OR "radiation dose fractionation"[All Fields] OR "fractionation"[All Fields] OR "chemical fractionation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("chemical"[All Fields] AND "fractionation"[All Fields] OR "chemical fractionation"[All Fields] OR "fraction"[All Fields] OR "fraction s"[All Fields] OR "fractionate"[All Fields] OR "fractionated"[All Fields] OR "fractionates"[All Fields] OR "fractionating"[All Fields] OR "fractionationed"[All Fields] OR "fractionations"[All Fields] OR "fractionator"[All Fields] OR "fractionators"[All Fields] OR "fractioned"[All Fields] OR "fractioning"[All Fields] OR "fractionized"[All Fields] OR "fractions"[All Fields])) OR "heart failure, diastolic"[MeSH Terms]	6,827	20:47:39
5	rhythm control	("rhythm"[All Fields] OR "rhythm s"[All Fields] OR "rhythms"[All Fields]) AND ("controlling"[All Fields] OR "controllability"[All Fields] OR "controllable"[All Fields] OR "controllably"[All Fields] OR "controller"[All Fields] OR "controller s"[All Fields] OR "controllers"[All Fields] OR "controlling"[All Fields] OR "controls"[All Fields] OR "prevention and control"[MeSH Subheading] OR ("prevention"[All Fields] AND "control"[All Fields]) OR "prevention and control"[All Fields] OR "control"[All Fields] OR "control groups"[MeSH Terms] OR ("control"[All Fields] AND "groups"[All Fields]) OR "control groups"[All Fields])	37,052	20:47:06

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3	atrial fibrillation	"atrial fibrillation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("atrial"[All Fields] AND "fibrillation"[All Fields]) OR "atrial fibrillation"[All Fields]	86,855	20:46:50
2	"Heart Failure, Diastolic"[Mesh]	"heart failure, diastolic"[MeSH Terms]	777	20:46:11
1	heart failure with preserved ejection fraction	("heart failure"[MeSH Terms] OR ("heart"[All Fields] AND "failure"[All Fields]) OR "heart failure"[All Fields]) AND ("preservation, biological"[MeSH Terms] OR ("preservation"[All Fields] AND "biological"[All Fields]) OR "biological preservation"[All Fields] OR "preservation"[All Fields] OR "preserved"[All Fields] OR "preservations"[All Fields] OR "preserve"[All Fields] OR "preserves"[All Fields] OR "preserving"[All Fields] AND ("eject"[All Fields] OR "ejected"[All Fields] OR "ejecting"[All Fields] OR "ejection"[All Fields] OR "ejectional"[All Fields] OR "ejections"[All Fields] OR "ejcts"[All Fields]) AND ("dose fractionation, radiation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("dose"[All Fields] AND "fractionation"[All Fields] AND "radiation"[All Fields]) OR "radiation dose fractionation"[All Fields] OR "fractionation"[All Fields] OR "chemical fractionation"[MeSH Terms] OR ("chemical"[All Fields] AND "fractionation"[All Fields]) OR "chemical fractionation"[All Fields] OR "fraction"[All Fields] OR "fraction s"[All Fields] OR "fractionate"[All Fields] OR "fractionated"[All Fields] OR "fractionates"[All Fields] OR "fractionating"[All Fields] OR "fractionationed"[All Fields] OR "fractionations"[All Fields] OR "fractionator"[All Fields] OR "fractionators"[All Fields] OR "fractioned"[All Fields] OR "fractioning"[All Fields] OR "fractionized"[All Fields] OR "fractions"[All Fields])	6,252	20:45:25

EMBASE

No.	Query	Results
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Query	Searches	Results
1	Heart failure. Diastolic	777
2	Atrial fibrillation	56977
3	rate control.mp.	3367
4	rhythm control.mp.	1705
5	heart failure with preserved ejection fraction.mp.	3048
6	HFPEF.mp.	2793
7	1 OR 5 OR 6	4675
8	3 OR 4	4346
9	2 AND 7 AND 8	12

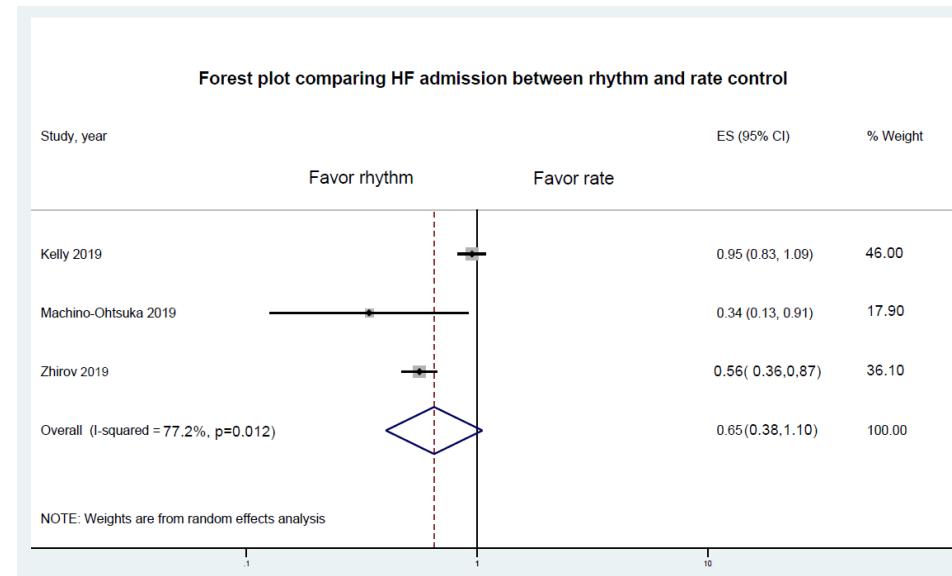
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2	Atrial fibrillation	12976
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4	rhythm control	4292
5	heart failure with preserved ejection fraction	1286
6	HFPEF	721
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Figure S1

Forrest plot

HF admission



CV mortality/TIA and stroke

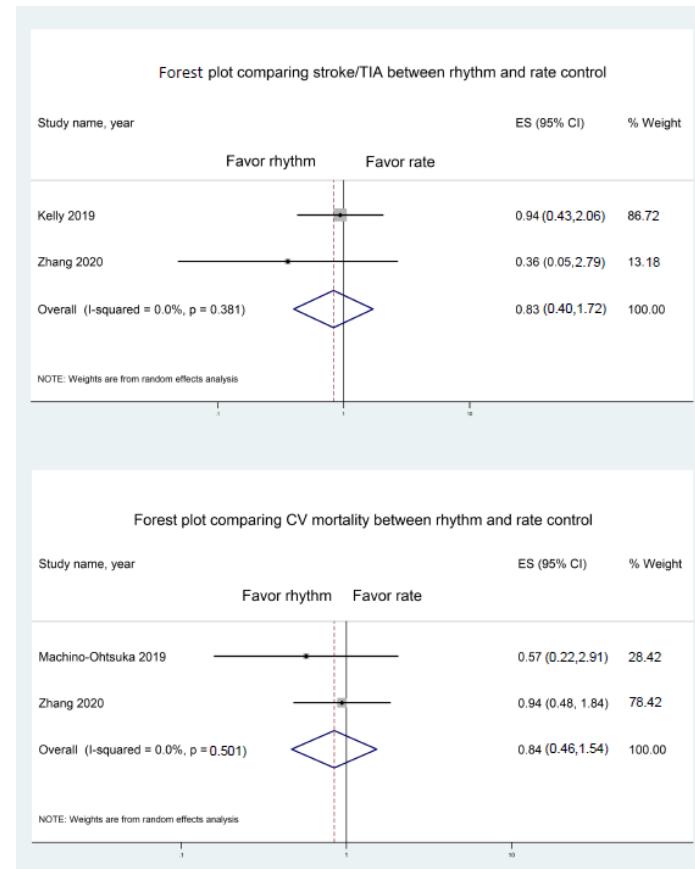
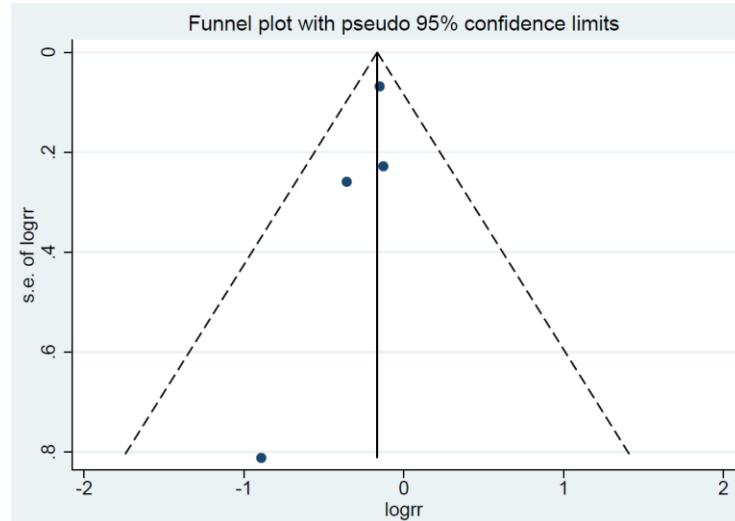


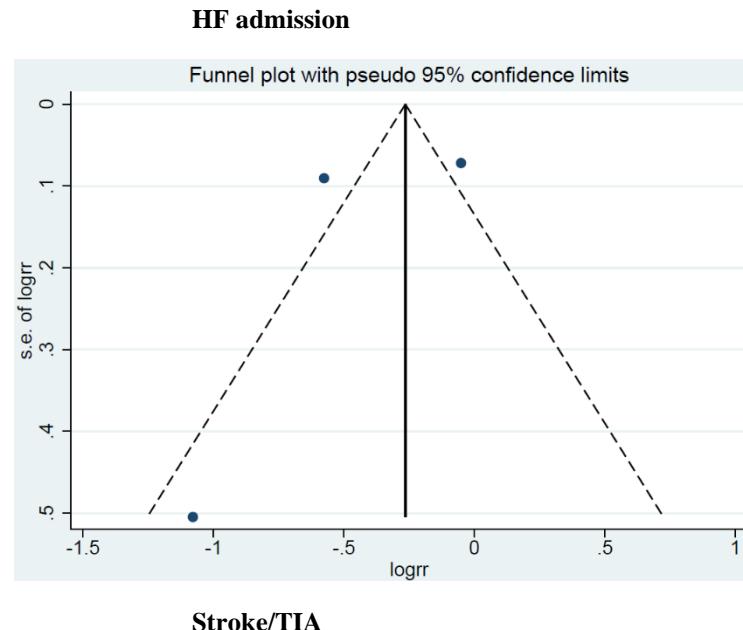
Figure S2

Funnel plot

Long term mortality



CV mortality



Stroke/TIA

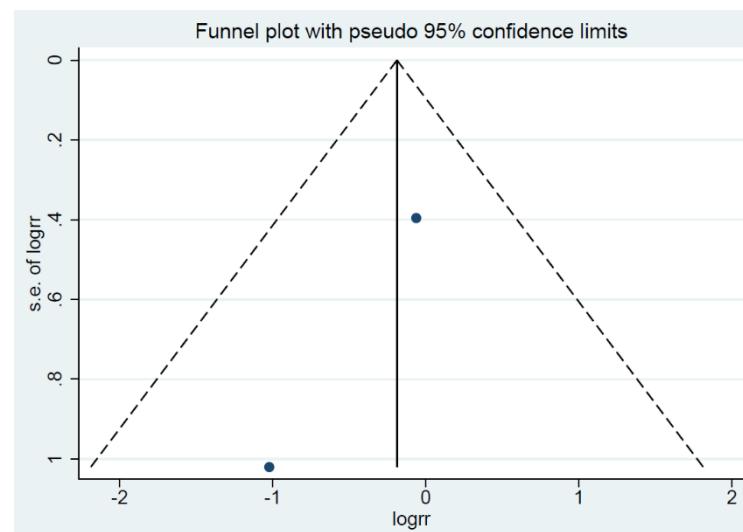
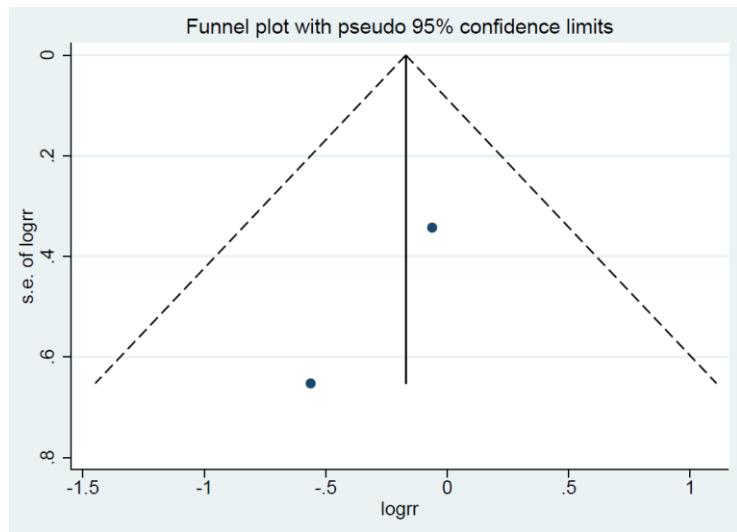
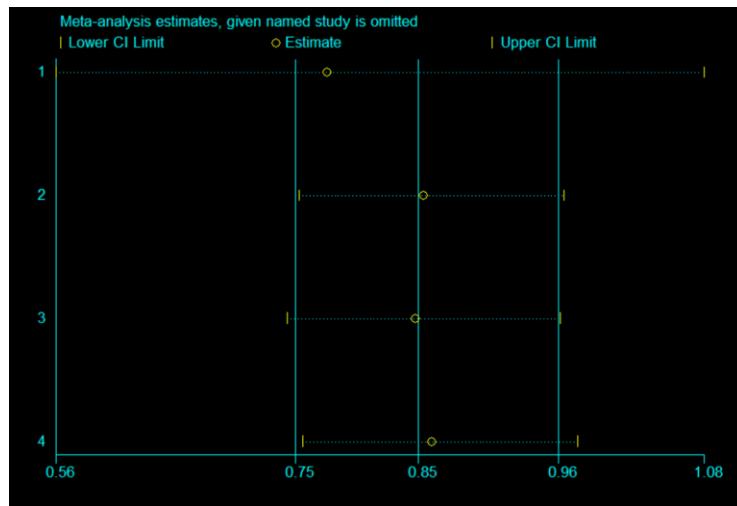


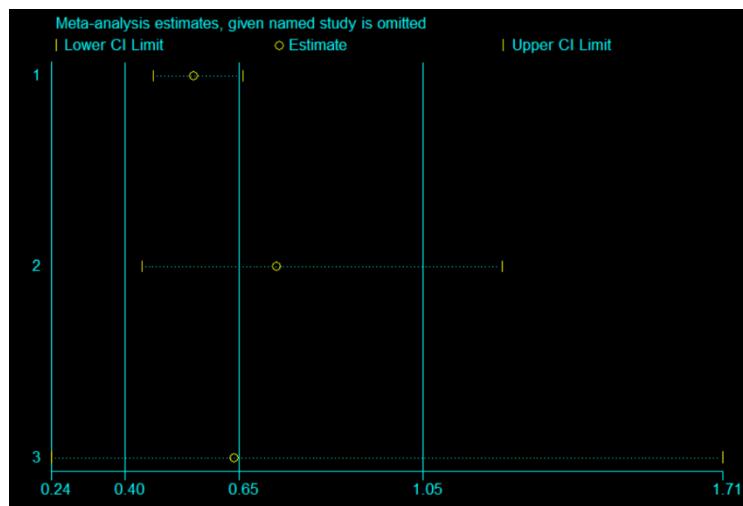
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Sensitivity analysis

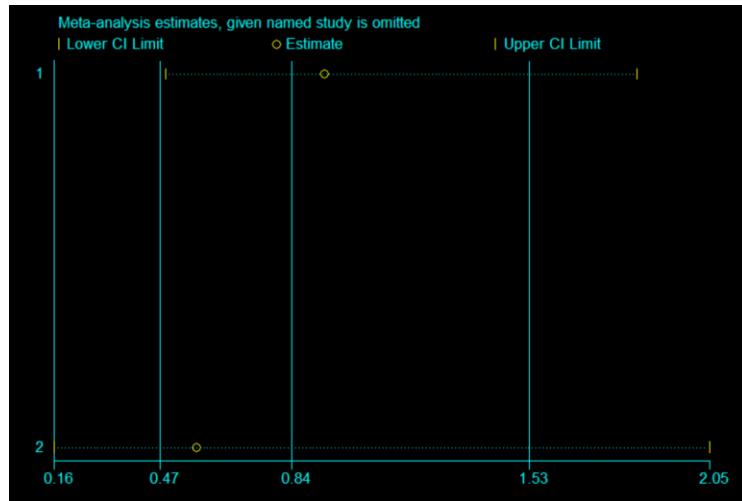
Long-term mortality



HF admission



CV mortality



Stroke/TIA

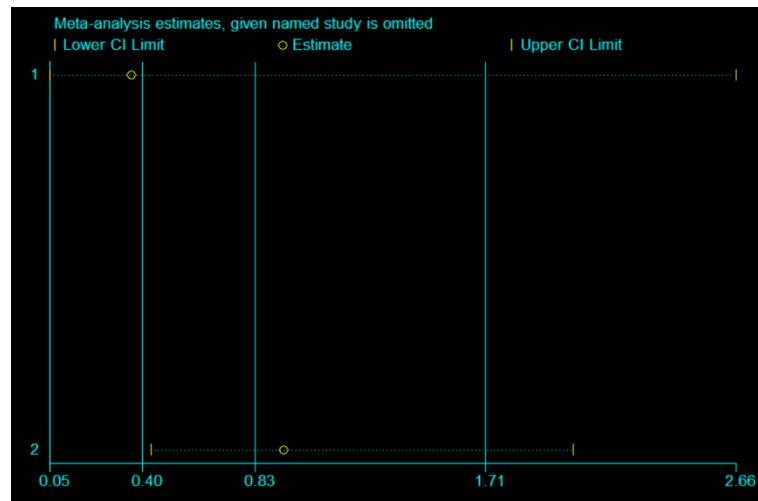


Table S1: Newcastle-Ottawa quality assessment scale of included studies in meta-analysis

Study	Selection				Comparability (Confounding)	Outcome			Total
	Representative of exposed cohort	Selection of the non- exposed cohort	Ascertainment of exposure	Endpoint not presenting at start		Assessment of Outcome	Follow-up duration	Adequacy follow-up	
Kelly 2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8
Machino-Ohtsuka 2019	*	*	*	*	**	*	*	*	9
Slee 2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8
Zhang 2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	9
Zhirov 2019	*	*	*	*		*	*	*	7

