

SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL

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Table S1. Prevalence of arterial diseases in the study sample.

	N (%)
Cerebrovascular disease	192 (26%)
Coronary artery disease	489 (65%)
Peripheral arterial disease	151 (20%)
Abdominal aortic aneurysm	49 (7%)

Table S2. Associations between A β 40 and A β 42 and MRI markers of CSVD.

Plasma levels (per SD increase)	White matter hyperintensity volume, B (95% CI), p-value	Total brain volume, B (95% CI), p-value	Hippocampal volume, B (95% CI), p-value
<i>Model 1</i>			
A β 40	0.12 (0.02; 0.022), $p = 0.018$	-1.88 (-4.71; 0.96), $p = 0.194$	-0.11 (-0.17; -0.05), $p = 0.001$
A β 42	0.09 (-0.01; 0.18), $p = 0.071$	-3.61 (-6.26; -0.96), $p = 0.008$	-0.06 (-0.12; 0.00), $p = 0.051$
A β 42/A β 40*	-0.06 (-0.16; 0.03), $p = 0.194$	-0.45 (-3.16; 2.27), $p = 0.747$	0.03 (-0.03; 0.09), $p = 0.271$
<i>Model 2</i>			
A β 40	0.12 (0.01; 0.22), $p = 0.025$	-1.49 (-4.31; 1.33), $p = 0.300$	-0.11 (-0.18; -0.05), $p = 0.001$
A β 42	0.08 (-0.02; 0.17), $p = 0.102$	-3.46 (-6.08; -0.83), $p = 0.010$	-0.06 (-0.12; 0.00), $p = 0.048$
A β 42/A β 40*	-0.07 (-0.17; 0.02), $p = 0.144$	-0.36 (-3.01; 2.29), $p = 0.791$	0.03 (-0.03; 0.09), $p = 0.310$

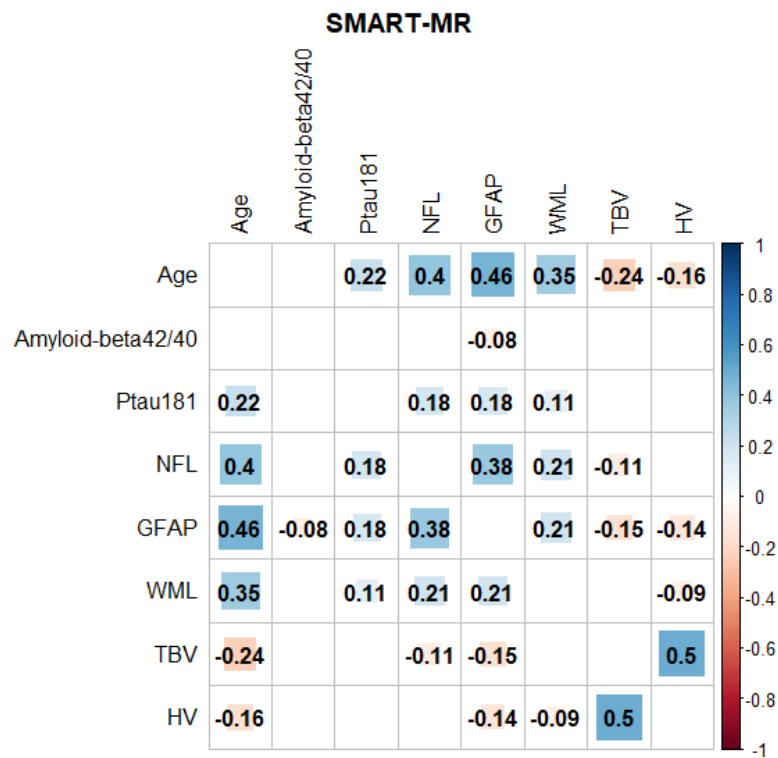
Model 1 is adjusted for age, sex, education, and intracranial volume. Model 2 adds diabetes mellitus, hypertension, smoking status, and alcohol use. White matter lesion volume is log-transformed. * = including 1/A β 40 and A β 42 as main effects in the model. SD = standard deviation, A β = amyloid-beta, CI = confidence interval.

Table S3. Associations between A β 40 and A β 42 and infarcts.

Plasma levels (per SD increase)	Number of infarcts, OR (95% CI), p-value	Lacunar infarcts, OR (95% CI), p-value	Cortical infarcts, OR (95% CI), p-value
<i>Model 1</i>			
A β 40	1.00 (0.83; 1.20), <i>p</i> = 0.958	0.93 (0.76; 1.14), <i>p</i> = 0.492	1.16 (0.91; 1.47), <i>p</i> = 0.228
A β 42	1.05 (0.88; 1.25), <i>p</i> = 0.620	1.05 (0.87; 1.28), <i>p</i> = 0.602	1.23 (0.98; 1.54), <i>p</i> = 0.080
A β 42/A β 40*	1.18 (0.84; 1.67), <i>p</i> = 0.344	1.32 (0.80; 2.20), <i>p</i> = 0.279	0.99 (0.77; 1.26), <i>p</i> = 0.909
<i>Model 2</i>			
A β 40	0.96 (0.79; 1.16), <i>p</i> = 0.644	0.87 (0.70; 1.07), <i>p</i> = 0.185	1.12 (0.88; 1.44), <i>p</i> = 0.356
A β 42	1.01 (0.84; 1.21), <i>p</i> = 0.933	0.99 (0.81; 1.21), <i>p</i> = 0.896	1.21 (0.95; 1.53), <i>p</i> = 0.126
A β 42/A β 40*	1.20 (0.79; 1.83), <i>p</i> = 0.384	1.39 (0.80; 2.41), <i>p</i> = 0.242	0.97 (0.77; 1.23), <i>p</i> = 0.814

Model 1 is adjusted for age, sex, and education. Model 2 adds diabetes mellitus, hypertension, smoking status, and alcohol use. White matter lesion volume is log-transformed. * = including 1/A β 40 and A β 42 as main effects in the model. SD = standard deviation, A β = amyloid-beta, OR = odds ratio, CI = confidence interval.

Figure S1. Correlation matrix between age, AD plasma markers, and MRI markers of vascular pathology.



Pearson correlation coefficients are shown. Bolded coefficients are significant at $p < 0.05$. NFL = neurofilament light, GFAP = glial fibrillary acidic protein, WML = white matter lesions, TBV = total brain volume, HV = hippocampal volume.