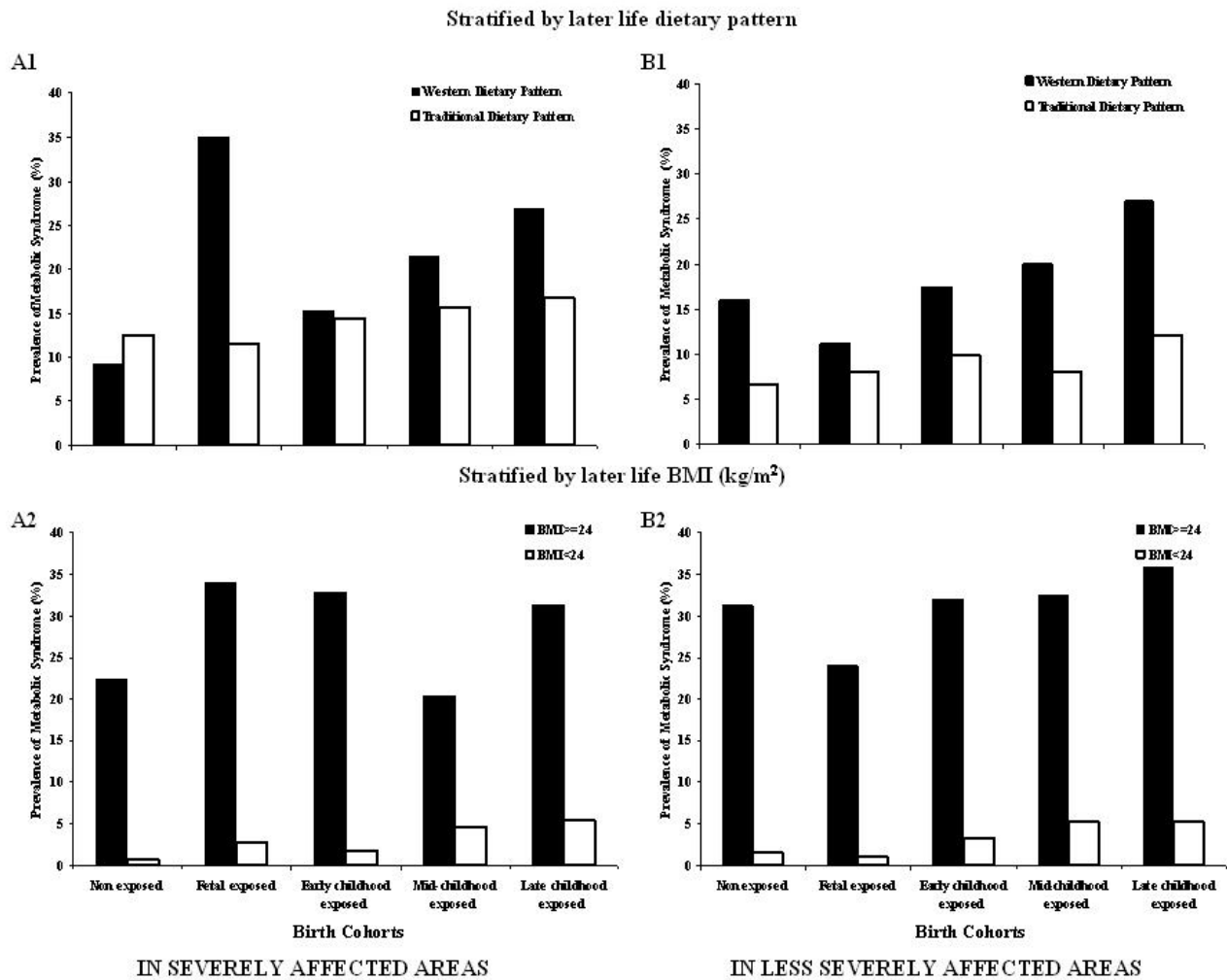
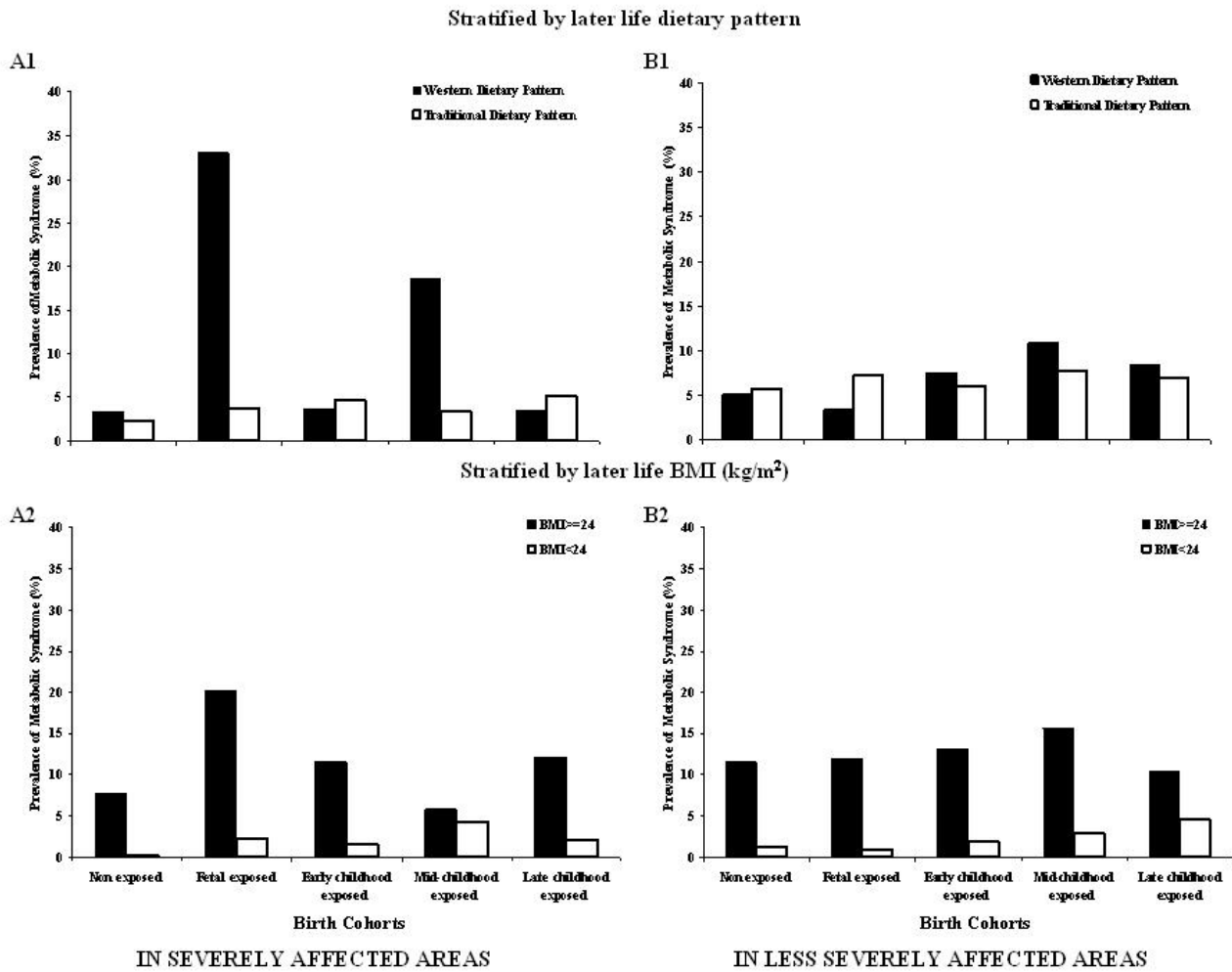


Supplementary Figure 1.



Sensitivity analysis 1: applying IDF waist circumference cutoffs for Chinese (Men ≥ 90 cm and Women ≥ 80 cm) to the definition of the metabolic syndrome – Prevalence of metabolic syndrome among birth cohorts according to early life famine exposure and later life dietary patterns (A1 & B1) and body mass index (BMI, A2 & B2) in severely (Column A) and less severely affected famine areas (Column B).

Supplementary Figure 2.



Sensitivity analysis 2: excluding abdominal obesity from the definition of the metabolic syndrome – Prevalence of metabolic syndrome among birth cohorts according to early life famine exposure and later life dietary patterns (A1 & B1) and body mass index (BMI, A2 & B2) in severely (Column A) and less severely affected famine areas (Column B)