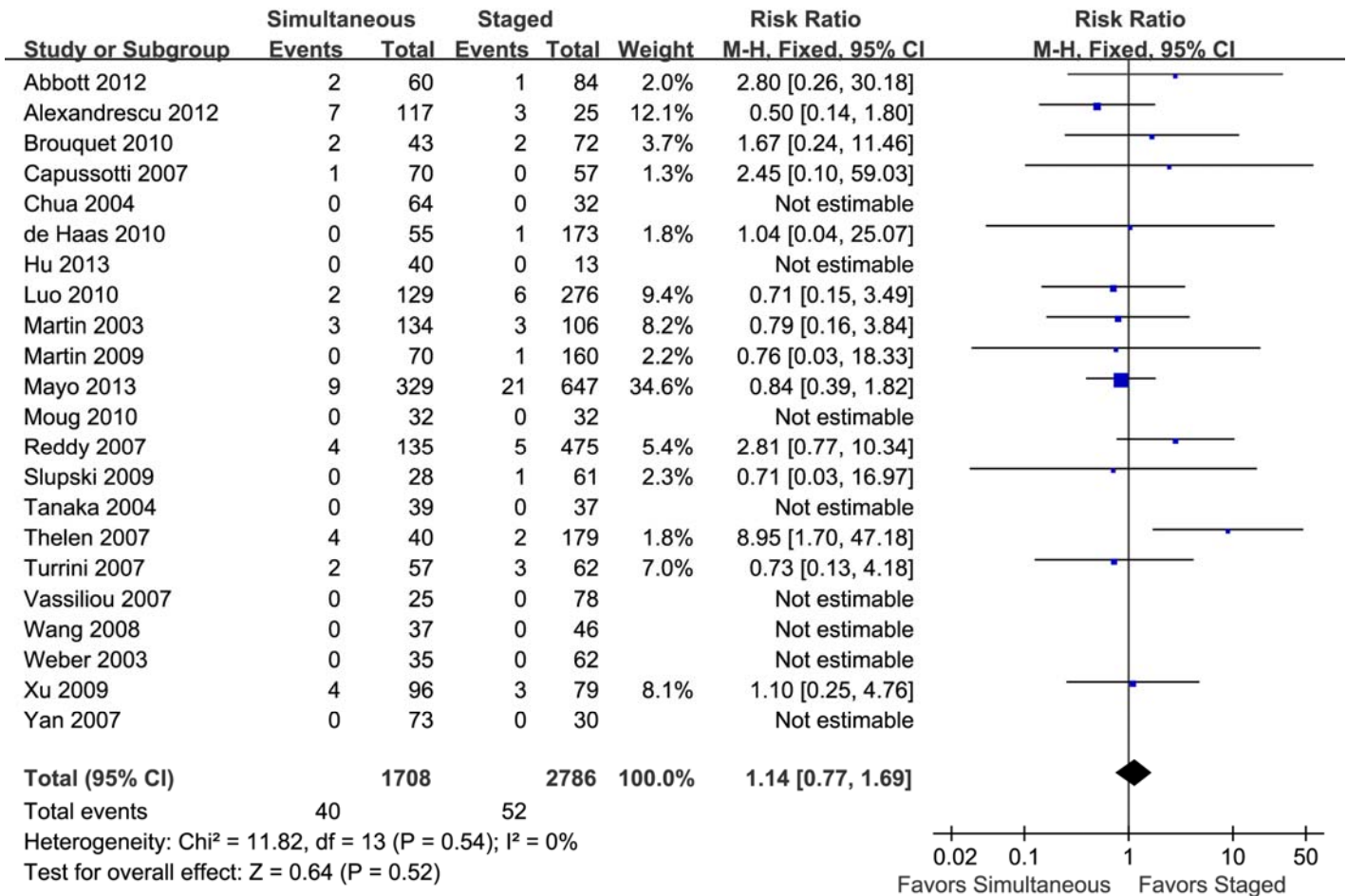


# Figure S1

## Pooled postoperative mortality



### Forest plots of the pooled results on postoperative mortality.

M-H: Mantel-Haenszel method

Favours Simultaneous: Simultaneous group had lower postoperative mortality.

Favours Staged: Staged group had lower postoperative mortality.

Pooled result showed no significant difference between simultaneous and staged groups.