

Source	Duration	Treatment	No. of Participants		
			Total Fracture	Hip fracture	Vertebral Fracture
Avenell et al, 2004 (United Kingdom)	3.8 y	Calcium(1 g/d) (n = 29)	4	1	0
		D ₃ (800IU/d) (n = 35)	3	0	0
		Calcium (1g/d) + D ₃ (800IU/d) (n = 35)	2	1	0
		No treatment (n = 35)	4	1	1
Baron et al, 1999 (United States)	4 y	Calcium: 1.2 g/d (n = 464)	4	1	
		Placebo (n = 466)	14	0	
Dawson-Hughes et al, 1997 (United States)	3 y	Calcium (0.5g/d) + D ₃ (700IU/d) (n = 187)		0	
		Placebo (n = 202)		1	
Grant et al, 2005 (United Kingdom)	2-5 y	Calcium(1 g/d) (n = 1311)	166	49	3
		D ₃ (800IU/d) (n = 1343)	188	47	4
		Calcium (1g/d) + D ₃ (800IU/d) (n = 1306)	165	46	0
		Placebo (n = 1332)	179	41	1
Hansson and Roos, 1987 (Sweden)	3 y	Calcium (1g/d) (n = 25)		1	
		Placebo (n = 25)		1	
Harwood et al, 2004 (United Kingdom)	1 y	D ₃ (300000 IU once) (n = 38)	0	0	
		Calcium (1g/d) + D ₂ (300000 IU once) (n = 36)	6	1	
		Calcium (1g/d) + D ₃ (800IU/d) (n = 39)			
		No treatment (n = 37)	5	1	
		D ₃ (4000 IU/d)(n = 102) D ₃ (2000 IU/d)(n = 102)	6		
Hin et al, 2017 (United Kingdom)	1 y	Placebo (n = 101)	1		
Jackson et al, 2006 (United States)	7 y	Calcium (1g/d) + D ₃ (400 IU/d) (n = 4015)	70		
		Placebo (n = 3957)	61		

Lips et al, 1996 (The Netherlands)	3-4 y	400 IU/d (n = 1291) Placebo (n = 1287)	135 122	58 48
Liu et al, 2015 (China)	1 y	Calcium (1.5g/d) + D ₃ (600 IU/d) (n = 50) Placebo (n = 48)	1 2	
Mitri et al, 2011 (United States)	4 mo	D ₃ (2000 IU/d)(n = 23) Placebo (n = 24)	1 0	
Peacock et al, 2000 (United States)	4 y	Calcium (0.75g/d) (n = 126) Placebo (n = 135)		7 13
Porthouse et al, 2005 (United Kingdom)	1.5-3.5 y	Calcium (1g/d) + D ₃ (800 IU/d) (n = 1321) No treatment (n = 1993)	58 91	8 17
Prince et al, 2006 (Australia)	5 y	Calcium (0.48g/d) (n = 730) Placebo (n = 730)	110 126	11 6
Recker et al, 1996 (United States)	4 y	Calcium (1.2 g/d) (n = 95) Placebo (n = 102)		27 34
Reid et al, 1993 (New Zealand)	4 y	Calcium (1 g/d) (n = 68) Placebo (n = 67)	2 7	0 2
Reid et al, 2006 (New Zealand)	5 y	Calcium (1 g/d) (n = 732) Placebo (n = 739)	134 147	17 5
Riggs et al, 1998 (United States)	4 y	Calcium (1.6 g/d) (n = 119) Placebo (n = 117)		8 9
Salovaara et al, 2010 (Finland)	3 y	Calcium(1g/d) + D ₃ (800 IU/d) (n = 1718) No treatment (n = 1714)	78 94	4 2
Sanders et al, 2010 (Australia)	3-5 y	D ₃ (500000 IU every year) (n = 1131) Placebo (n = 1127)	155 125	19 15
Smith et al, 2007 (United Kingdom)	3 y	D ₃ (300000 IU every year) (n = 4727) Placebo (n = 4713)		66 44
Trivedi et al, 2003 (United Kingdom)	5 y	D ₃ (100000 IU every 4 mo) (n = 1345) Placebo (n = 1341)	119 149	21 24
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Uusi-Rasi et al, 2015	2 y	D ₃ (800 IU/d) (n = 102)	6	2
(Finland)		Placebo (n = 102)	6	0
Witham et al, 2013	1 y	D ₃ (100000 IU every 3 mo) (n = 80)	2	
(United Kingdom)		Placebo (n = 79)	3	
Xue et al, 2017	1 y	Calcium (0.6g/d) + D ₃ (800 IU/d) (n = 139)	3	
(China)		Placebo (n = 173)	2	

Supplementary Table 4. The detailed data of outcomes