

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS

Maternal BMI, diabetes, and gestational weight gain and risk for pediatric cancer in offspring: A systematic review and meta-analysis

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Search Terms used in systematic literature search

The following search terms were used: ([‘childhood cancer’, OR ‘childhood malignancy’, OR ‘pediatric cancer’, OR ‘child’, OR ‘pediatric’,] AND [‘acute lymphoblastic leukemia’ OR ‘acute myeloid leukemia’, OR ‘osteosarcoma’, OR ‘Ewing sarcoma’, OR ‘neuroblastoma’, OR ‘Wilms tumor’, OR ‘hepatoblastoma’, OR ‘rhabdomyosarcoma’, OR ‘retinoblastoma’, OR ‘germ cell tumor’, OR ‘ependymoma’, OR ‘medulloblastoma’, OR ‘astrocytoma’, OR ‘glioblastoma’, OR ‘glioma’, OR ‘central nervous system tumor’, OR ‘non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma’, OR ‘Hodgkin’s lymphoma’, OR ‘lymphoma’,] AND [‘pre-pregnancy BMI’, OR ‘prepregnancy BMI’, OR ‘prenatal BMI’, OR ‘prenatal obesity’, OR ‘maternal obesity’, OR ‘diabetes’, OR ‘maternal diabetes’, OR ‘gestational weight gain’, OR ‘pre-pregnancy characteristics’, OR ‘prepregnancy characteristics’, OR ‘perinatal characteristics’, OR ‘perinatal exposures’, OR ‘maternal characteristics’, OR ‘maternal exposures’].

Supplementary Table 1. Main characteristics of pre-pregnancy BMI studies included in the meta-analysis^a

Study	Design	Study Period	Country	Cancer(s)	Cohort: sample (cases) Case-control: controls /cases	Age range	Ascertainment of BMI	Number of mothers in (BMI) categories	Ascertainment of cancer diagnosis	OR (95% CI)	Adjusted covariates
McLaughlin, et al. 2006 (1)	Case-cohort	1993-2001	US (NY)	Hepatoblastoma	1850/33	1 month-5 years	Birth records	Cases: 3 (<20), 10 (20-24), 12 (25-29), 8 (30+) Controls: 207 (<20), 895 (20-24), 447 (25-29), 301 (30+)	New York State Cancer registry	<20: 1.4 (0.3-4.9), 20-24: referent, 25-29: 2.9 (1.2-7.6), 30+: 2.1 (0.7-6.1)	birth year, birth weight
Spector, et al. 2007 (2)	case control	1996-2002	US	Acute lymphoblastic leukemia & acute myeloid leukemia	255/240	<1 year	Self-report (interview)	Cases: 132 (<25), 71 (25-29.9), 37 (30+) Controls: 157 (<25), 53 (25-29.9), 45 (30+)	Children's Oncology Group	<25: referent, 25-29.9: 1.61 (1.04-2.48), 30+: 1.01 (0.61-1.68)	sex, race, maternal education
Greenop, et al. 2014 (3)	case control	2005-2010	Australia	All Childhood Brain Tumors	1,079/319	0-14	Self-report (questionnaire/survey)	Cases: 21 (<18.5), 202 (18.5-24.9), 59 (25-29.9), 31 (30+) Controls: 41 (<18.5), 557 (18.5-24.9), 153 (25-29.9), 92 (30+)	National pediatric oncology centers	<18.5: 1.8 (0.7-2.1), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.1 (0.8-1.5), 30+: 0.9 (0.6-1.5)	Child's age at diagnosis or recruitment, child's sex, state of residence, child's year of birth, maternal age, child's ethnicity
				Low grade gliomas	1,079/51			Cases: 10 (<18.5), 94 (18.5-24.9), 26 (25-29.9), 20 (30+) Controls: 41 (<18.5), 557		<18.5: 1.2 (0.6-2.6), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.1 (0.8-1.8), 30+: 1.3 (0.8-2.3)	Child's age at diagnosis or recruitment, child's sex, state of residence, child's year of birth,

								(18.5-24.9), 153 (25-29.9), 92 (30+)		maternal age, child's ethnicity	
								Cases: 3 (<18.5), 47 (18.5-24.9), 19 (25-29.9), 4 (30+) Controls: 41 (<18.5), 557 (18.5-24.9), 153 (25-29.9), 92 (30+)		Child's age at diagnosis or recruitment, child's sex, state of residence, child's year of birth, maternal age, child's ethnicity	
				Embryonal tumors	1,079/75			Cases: 10 (<18.5), 101 (18.5-24.9), 45 (25-29.9), 28 (30+) Controls: 5 (<18.5), 90 (18.5-24.9), 31 (25-29.9), 19 (30+)	Wills Eye Hospital/Children's Oncology Group	<18.5: 0.6 (0.8-2.0), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.4 (0.8-2.5), 30+: 0.5 (0.9-1.5)	Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, mother's educational attainment, household income
Heck, et al. 2015 (4)	case-control	2006-2011	US and Canada	Retinoblastoma (unilateral)	136/165	0-14	Self-Report (telephone interview)	Cases: 8 (<18.5), 50 (18.5-24.9), 20 (25-29.9), 17 (30+) Controls: 5 (<18.5), 90 (18.5-24.9), 31 (25-29.9), 19 (30+)		<18.5: 2.6 (0.7-9.4), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.2 (0.7-2.3), 30+: 1.1 (0.5-2.5)	Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, mother's educational attainment, household income
				Retinoblastoma (bilateral)	136/87	0-14		Cases: 0 (<18.4), 8 (18.5-24.9), 10 (25+) Noncases: 35,632 (<18.4), 840,420 (18.5-24.9), 428,539 (25+)	Swedish National Cancer Registry	<18.5: 4.5 (1.0-20.1), normal: referent, 25-29.9: 1.2 (0.5-2.6), 30+: 1.0 (0.4-2.5)	Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, mother's educational attainment, household income
Petridou, et al. 2015 (5)	case-control	1973-2007	Sweden	Hodgkin Lymphoma	1,304,609 (18)	28 days-14 yr	Swedish Medical Birth Registry		Swedish National Cancer Registry	<18.4: 0.77 (0.24-2.44), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25+: 1.09 (0.76-1.57)	sex, maternal education, maternal age, gestational age, birth order

Contreras, et al. 2016 (6)	Registry based case control	1988-2013	US (CA)	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	1,304,609 (136)		Birth certificate	Cases: 3 (<18.4), 87 (18.5-24.9), 46 (25+) Noncases: 35,629 (<18.4), 840,341 (18.5-24.9), 428,503 (25+)	California Cancer Registry (ICCC-3)	<18.4: 0.77 (0.24-2.44), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25+: 1.09 (0.76-1.57)	sex, maternal education, maternal age, gestational age, birth order
				Overall	270,147 /11,149	<6	N/A	N/A	N/A		
				Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	270,147 /4,101		Cases: 5 (<18.5), 123 (18.5-24.9), 74 (25-29.9), 47 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)		<18.5: 0.62 (0.25-1.52), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.17 (0.88-1.57), 30+: 1.03 (0.73-1.45)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age	
				Acute myeloid leukemia	270,147 /706		Cases: 3 (<18.5), 57 (18.5-24.9), 34 (25-29.9), 23 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)		<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.22 (0.80-1.88), 30+: 1.17 (0.71-1.91)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age	
				Leukemia	270,147 /5,034					<18.5: 0.62 (0.31-1.27), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.27 (1.01-1.59), 30+: 1.13 (0.86-1.47)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age

Astrocytoma	270,147/990	Cases: 4 (<18.5), 51 (18.5-24.9), 30 (25-29.9), 20 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-29.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)	<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.28 (0.81-2.03), 30+: 1.23 (0.73-2.09)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Embryonal tumor	270,147/709	Cases: 4 (<18.5), 44 (18.5-24.9), 21 (25-29.9), 8 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)	<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 0.91 (0.54-1.53), 30+: 0.47 (0.22-1.00)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Germ cell tumors	270,147/445	Cases: 5 (<18.5), 34 (18.5-24.9), 16 (25-29.9), 10 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)	<18.5: 2.14 (0.83-5.51), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 0.94 (0.52-1.72), 30+: 0.82 (0.40-1.68)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Hepatoblastoma	270,147/337	Cases: 3 (<18.5), 38 (18.5-24.9), 14 (25-29.9), 16 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)	<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 0.71 (0.38-1.31), 30+: 1.10 (0.60-1.99)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Neuroblastoma	270,147/1,378	Cases: 7 (<18.5), 112 (18.5-24.9), 55 (25-29.9), 43 (30+) Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)	<18.5: 0.90 (0.42-1.94), 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.05 (0.76-1.45), 30+: 1.16 (0.81-1.66)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age

								<p>Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)</p> <p>Cases: 2 (<18.5), 52 (18.5-24.9), 40 (25-29.9), 19 (30+)</p>			
								<p>Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)</p> <p>Cases: 2 (<18.5), 27 (18.5-24.9), 13 (25-29.9), 11 (30+)</p>	<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.40 (0.92-2.14), 30+: 0.88 (0.52-1.51)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age	
								<p>Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)</p> <p>Cases: 1 (<18.5), 78 (18.5-24.9), 33 (25-29.9), 22 (30+)</p>	<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 0.96 (0.49-1.88), 30+: 1.13 (0.55-2.30)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age	
								<p>Controls: 1,249 (<18.5), 18,484 (18.5-24.9), 9,352 (25-29.9), 6,758 (30+)</p> <p>Cases: 4 (18.5-24.9), 7 (25+)</p>	<18.5: insufficient cases, 18.5-24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 0.85 (0.56-1.28), 30+: 0.79 (0.49-1.28)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age	
Peckham-Gregory, et al. 2016 (7)	case-control	1995-2011	US (TX)	Hodgkin Lymphoma	1045/11	<16	Birth Records	<p>Controls: 553 (18.5-24.9), 492 (25+)</p> <p>Cases: 6 (18.5-24.9), 10 (25+)</p> <p>Controls: 553</p>	Texas Cancer Registry	18.5-24.9: referent, 25+: 1.97 (0.57-6.76)	univariate
				Non Burkitt non-	1045/16			<p>Controls: 553</p>		18.5-24.9: referent, 25+: 1.44 (0.51-4.11)	sex, maternal race/ethnicity,

Bailey, et al. 2017 (8)	Popula- tion based & control	2003- 2004) & 2010- 2011	France	Hodgkin lymphoma				(18.5-24.9), 492 (25+)			maternal education, birth year
				Burkitt Lymphoma	1045/8			Cases: 7 (18.5- 24.9), 1 (25+) Controls: 553 (18.5-24.9), 492 (25+)	18.5-24.9: referent, 25+: 0.17 (0.02-1.31)	univariate	
				Childhood brain tumors (any)	1,291/2 82	<15	Self-report (telephone interview)	Cases: 28 (<18.5), 207 (18.5-24.9), 38 (25-29.9), 9 (30+) Controls: 122 (<18.5), 915 (18.5-24.9), 189 (25-29.9), 65 (30+)	French National Registry of Childhood Cancers	<18.5: 1.1 (0.7-1.7), 18.5- 24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 0.9 (0.6-1.3), 30+: 0.6 (0.3-1.3)	childs sex, child's age, year of birth group
				Ependy- omas	1,291/2 9			Cases: 2 (<18.5), 20 18.5-24.9, 5 (25-24.9), 2 (30+) Controls: 122 (<18.5), 915 (18.5-24.9), 189 (25-29.9), 65 (30+)		<18.5: 0.9 (0.2-3.9), 18.5- 24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.1 (0.4-3.1), 30+: 1.2 (0.3-5.5)	childs sex, child's age, year of birth group
				Astrocyto- mas	1,291/9 0			Cases: 10 (<18.5), 65 (18.5-24.9), 13 (25-29.9), 2 (30+) Controls: 122 (<18.5), 915 (18.5-24.9), 189 (25-29.9), 65 (30+)		<18.5: 1.3 (0.6-2.6), 18.5- 24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.0 (0.5-1.9), 30+: 0.4 (0.1-1.9)	childs sex, child's age, year of birth group
				Embryona l Tumors	1,291/9 7			Cases: 10 (<18.5), 68 (18.5-24.9), 15 (25-29.9), 4		<18.5: 1.2 (0.6-2.4), 18.5- 24.9: referent, 25-29.9: 1.1 (0.6-1.9), 30+: 0.9 (0.3-2.4)	childs sex, child's age, year of birth group

		495,932 (25-29.9), 203,211 (30-34.9), 95,205 (35-39.9), 67,138 (40+)		
		Cases: 26		
		(<18.5), 278		
		(18.5-24.9), 140		
		(25-29.9), 67		
		(30-34.9), 40		
		(35-39.9), 30		
		(40+)		
		Total: 73,702		
		(<18.5), 876,011		
		(18.5-24.9),	<18.5: 1.13 (0.75-1.68),	
		495,469 (25-29.9), 203,026	18.5-24.9: referent, 25-	
		(30-34.9), 95,112	29.9: 0.95 (0.78-1.17),	
		(35-39.9), 67,063	30-34.9: 1.12 (0.86-1.47),	
		(40+)	35-39.9: 1.45 (1.04-2.02),	
		Cases: 21	40+: 1.59 (1.09-2.32)	Maternal age and race
		(<18.5), 148		
		(18.5-24.9), 78		
		(25-29.9), 32		
		(30-34.9), 12		
		(35-39.9), 6		
		(40+)		
		Total: 73,702		
		(<18.5), 876,011		
		(18.5-24.9),	<18.5: 1.74 (1.10-2.75),	
		495,469 (25-29.9), 203,026	18.5-24.9: referent, 25-	
		(30-34.9), 95,112	29.9: 0.96 (0.73-1.26),	
		(35-39.9), 67,063	30-34.9: 0.97 (0.66-1.42),	
		(40+)	35-39.9: 0.78 (0.43-1.41),	
			40+: 0.56 (0.25-1.27)	Maternal age and race
Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	1,810,383 (581)			
Neuroblastoma	1,810,383 (297)			

^aBMI: body mass index, OR: odds ratio, CI: confidence intervals

Supplementary Table 2. Main characteristics of the diabetes studies included in the meta-analysis^a

Study	Design	Study Period	Country	Cancer(s)	Cohort: sample (cases) Case-control: controls/cases	Age range	Ascertainment of maternal diabetes diagnosis	Number with (type of) maternal diabetes	Ascertainment of cancer diagnosis	OR (95% CI)	Adjusted covariates
Cnattingius, et al. 1995 (10)	Nested case-control	1973-1989	Sweden	Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia	3,065/613	not specified	Medical Birth Registry	Cases: 5 (any) Controls: 12 (any)	Swedish National Cancer Registry	Any: 2.1 (0.7-5.9)	Adjusted for postpartum asphyxia, supplementary oxygen, and birth weight; matching variable: sex, birth year, birth month Sociodemographic variables, lifestyle variables, environmental variables, and biomedical variables
Petridou, et al. 1997 (11)	Case-control	1993-1994	Greece	Leukemia	300/153	0-14 years	Self-report (interview administered questionnaire)	Cases: 3 (any) Controls: 2 (any)	Nationwide network of childhood hematologists/oncologists	Any: 2.99 (0.30-29.56)	Year of birth, maternal age, parity, maternal smoking in early pregnancy
Åberg, et al. 2001	Case-control (registry based)	1987-1997	Sweden	Any malignancy	1,213,957/6304	<10	Swedish Medical Birth Registry	Cases: 20 (gestational), 20 (pregestational) Total: 8,684 (gestational), 3,874 (pregestational)	Hospital Discharge Registry, National Board of Health, Stockholm	Gestational: 0.91 (0.58-1.43), pregestational: 1.64 (1.06-2.54)	Child's gender, mother's race and education, household income
Hamrick, et al. 2001 (12)	Case-control	1992-1994	USA and Canada	Neuroblastoma	504/504	<19	Self-report (structured interview)	Cases: 28 (pregestational) Controls: 24 (pregestational)	Children's Cancer Group/Pediatric Oncology Group	Pregestational: 1.1 (0.6-2.1)	

Westbom, et al. 2002 (13)	Case-control	1987-1998	Sweden	Any malignancy	1,285,100 (1419)	1-?	Swedish Medical Birth Registry	Cases: 10 (any) Noncases: 4380 (any) Cases: 13 (pregestational), 2 (gestational) Controls: 77 (pregestational), 9 (gestational)	Swedish National Cancer Registry	Any: 2.25 (1.22-4.15)	Year of birth, maternal age, parity, multiple births, 500g birth weight class
Podvin, et al. 2006 (14)	Case-control	1981-2003	US (WA)	Leukemia	5535/549	<20 years	Birth Records	Cases: 25 (gestational) Controls: 164 (gestational)	Washington State Cancer Registry	Pregestational: 1.4 (0.8-2.7), gestational: 2.3 (0.5-11.0)	Maternal age Birth year, gender, race and ethnicity, maternal age, gestational age and birth weight
McLaughlin, et al. 2006 (15)	Case-cohort	1985-2001	US (NY)	Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia	9,249/871	1 month-9 years	Birth certificates	Cases: 1 (gestational) Controls: 164 (gestational)	New York State Cancer Registry	Gestational: 1.44 (0.91-2.18)	Birth year, gender, race and ethnicity, maternal age, gestational age and birth weight
				Acute Myeloid Leukemia	9,249/146				Cancer Surveillance System of Western Washington (1980-1992); Washington State Cancer Registry (1993-2004). ICD-O-3	Gestational: 0.26 (0.02-1.18)	
Chow, et al. 2007 (16)	Case control	1980-2004	US (WA)	Neuroblastoma	2,400/240 - any 2,060/206 - gestational	<20	Birth certificate, Comprehensive Hospital Abstract Reporting System	Cases: 12 (any) Controls: 72 (any) Cases: 12 (gestational) Controls: 67 (gestational)		Any: 1.71 (0.91-3.22)	Birth year
Milne, et al. 2007 (17)	Cohort	1980-2004	Australia	Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia	576314 (243)	<15 years	Reproductive Technology Register and Western	Cases: 0 (pregestational), 3 (gestational)	Cancer registrations	Gestational: 1.84 (0.98-3.47)	Birth year Univariate

							Australian Birth Defects Registry	Noncases: 783 (pregestational), 9,587 (gestational) Cases: 0 (pregestational), 1 (gestational)			
				Acute Myeloid Leukemia	576314 (36)			Noncases: 783 (pregestational), 9,587 (gestational) Cases: 22 (any)	Gestational: 2.15 (0.29-15.72) Any: 0.9 (0.5-1.6)		Univariate
Daniels, et al. 2008 (18)	Case-control	1999-2002	US and Canada	Wilms Tumor	517/521	<16 days – 14 years	Self-report (telephone interview)	Controls: 30 (any) Cases: 8 (any)	National Wilms Tumor Study Group Minnesota Cancer Surveillance System		Child's age, study region, child's sex, maternal education, household income
Johnson, et al. 2008 (19)	Case-cohort	1988-2004	US (MN)	Lymphoblastic Leukemia	3304 (237)		Birth Records	Cohort: 110 (any) Cases: 0 (any)		Any: 1.00 (0.48-2.08)	Birth year
				Acute myeloid leukemia	3304 (33)			Cohort: 110 (any) Cases: 16 (gestational)		NA	Maternal age, maternal education, maternal race, child's sex, child's age
Ognjanovic, et al. 2009 (20)	Case-control	1997-2002	US and Canada	Leukemia	173/158	<19	Self-report (telephone interview)	Controls: 19 (gestational) Cases: 10 (gestational)	Children's Oncology Group	Gestational: 0.87 (0.42-1.80)	Maternal age, maternal education, maternal race, child's sex, child's age
				Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	173/97			Controls: 19 (gestational) Cases: 6 (gestational)		Gestational: 0.91 (0.39-2.11)	Maternal age, maternal education, maternal race, child's sex, child's age
				Acute myeloid leukemia	173/61			Controls: 19 (gestational)		Gestational: 0.86 (0.30-2.46)	Maternal age, maternal education, maternal race, child's sex, child's age
Heck, et al. 2012 (21)	Records based	1988-2007	US (CA)	Retinoblastoma	209,051/609	<5	Birth Certificates	Cases: 10 (pregestational)	California Cancer Registry	Pregestational: 0.86 (0.46-1.62)	Year of birth, father's age, urban or rural

Author (Year)	Study Design	Year	Country	Cancer Type	Cases (n)	Age Group	Source	Controls (n)	Source	OR (95% CI)	Exclusion/Adjustment
Wu, et al. 2012 (22)	case-control Cohort	1977-2008	Denmark	Any malignancy	1,781,576 (7314)	<30	Danish National Hospital Register and Danish National Diabetes Register	3755 (pregestational) Cases: 65 (any), 19 (pregestational), 8 (gestational) Cohort: 25,651 (any), 12,401 (pregestational), 11,507 (gestational)	Danish National Hospital Register	Any: 1.3 (1.0-1.7), pregestational: 1.9 (1.2-3.0), gestational: 0.7 (0.3-1.3)	county of residence, mother's race and birthplace Excluded those with congenital malformations; adjusted for: maternal age, parity, sex, maternal education, maternal marital status, year, gestational age at birth, birth weight, square of birth weight Year of birth, birth weight, sex, maternal age, maternal smoking, plurality, maternal race Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy
Musselman, et al. 2013 (23)	Case-control	2000-2008	US	Hepatoblastoma	387/383	<6	Self-report (telephone interview)	Not reported	Children's Oncology Group	Gestational: 0.79 (0.43-1.48)	Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy
Heck, et al. 2015 (4)	Case-control	2006-2011	US and Canada	Retinoblastoma (unilateral)	136/165	0-14	Self-report (telephone interview)	Cases: 17 (any), 14 (gestational) Controls: 6 (any), 6 (gestational)	Wills Eye Hospital/Children's Oncology Group	Any: 2.2 (0.8-6.6), gestational: 1.9 (0.6-5.7)	Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy
				Retinoblastoma (bilateral)	136/87	0-14		Cases: 8 (any), 8 (gestational) Controls: 6 (any), 6 (gestational)		Any: 1.9 (0.6-6.6), gestational: 1.9 (0.6-6.6)	Child's age at interview, mother's race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income, maternal age at childbirth, maternal tobacco smoking during pregnancy

Petridou, et al. 2015 (5)	Cohort	1973-2007	Sweden	Hodgkin lymphoma	3,444,136 (169)	28 days-14 years	Swedish Medical Birth Registry	Cases: 1 (pregestational) Noncases: 14,972 (pregestational)	Swedish National Cancer Registry	Pregestational: 1.45 (0.20-10.4)	Sex, maternal education, maternal age, gestational age, birth order
				Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	3,444,136 (515)			Cases: 4 (pregestational) Noncases: 14,969 (pregestational)		Pregestational: 1.79 (0.67-4.79)	Sex, maternal education, maternal age, gestational age, birth order
Vienneau, et al. 2016 (24)	Case-control Registry based	2004-2008	Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland	Brain tumor (intracranial CNS)	624/347	7-19 years	Self-report (Interview)	Cases: 6 (any maternal diabetes) Controls: 14	Medical records	Any: 0.76 (0.29-2.02)	Matched on sex, age group, geographic region; adjusted for maternal age and parental education
Contreras, et al. 2016 (6)	case-control	1988-2013	US (CA)	Overall	270,147/11,149	<6	Birth records	N/A Cases: 94 (pregestational), 17 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	California Cancer Registry (ICCC-3)	N/A	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
				Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	270,147/4,101			Cases: 4 (pregestational), 4 (gestational) Controls:		Pregestational: 1.37 (1.11, 1.69), gestational: 1.26 (0.77-2.05)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
				Acute myeloid leukemia	270,147/706			Controls:		N/A	

Leukemia	270,147/ 5,034	4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 104 (pregestational), 24 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 11 (pregestational), 6 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 6 (pregestational), 5 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 7 (pregestational), 2 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 1.23 (1.01-1.49), gestational: 1.14 (0.76-1.72)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Astrocytoma	270,147/ 990	4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 6 (pregestational), 5 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 7 (pregestational), 2 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 0.71 (0.39-1.30), gestational: 1.32 (0.58-3.02)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Embryonal Tumor	270,147/ 709	4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 7 (pregestational), 2 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 0.54 (0.24-1.20), gestational: 1.25 (0.51-3.07)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Germ cell tumor	270,147/ 445	4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 0.97 (0.46-2.06), gestational: N/A	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age

Hepatoblastoma	270,147/ 337	Cases: 7 (pregestational), 5 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational) Cases: 18 (pregestational), 12 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 1.22 (0.58-2.60), gestational: 1.49 (0.60-3.70)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Neuroblastoma	270,147/ 1,378	Cases: 11 (pregestational), 7 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 0.85 (0.53-1.35), gestational: 1.31 (0.73-2.34)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Retinoblastoma	270,147/ 741	Cases: 5 (pregestational), 1 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 0.93 (0.51-1.69), gestational: 1.34 (0.63-2.88)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Rhabdomyosarcoma	270,147/ 463	Cases: 25 (pregestational), 7 (gestational) Controls: 4,289 (pregestational), 1,667 (gestational)	Pregestational: 0.66 (0.27-1.60), gestational: N/A Pregestational: 1.45 (0.97-2.18), gestational: 1.23 (0.57-2.63)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Wilms tumor	270,147/ 1,052			

Author	Study Design	Year	Country	Cancer Type	Population Size	Age Group	Source	Cases (pregestational/gestational)	Database	OR (95% CI)	Adjustment Factors
Deleskog, et al. 2017 (25)	Registry-based cohort	1973-2015	Sweden	All cancers	4,239,965 (8,839)	0-15	ICD codes in Medical Brith Register, hospital inpatient/outpatient registers.	51 (pregestational/gestational)	Nationwide Cancer Register (ICD-7/8)	Any: 1.06 (0.89-1.26), pregestational: 1.09 (0.74-1.60), gestational: 0.94 (0.72-1.24),	Child's sex, decade of birth, maternal age, parental education, birth order, birthweight, gestational age, child's diabetes status, child birth defects
				Brain	4,239,965 (2,079)			4 (pregestational/gestational)		Any: 0.56 (0.35-0.91), pregestational: 1.24 (0.59-2.60), gestational: 0.34 (0.13-0.90),	Child's sex, decade of birth, maternal age, parental education, birth order, birthweight, gestational age, child's diabetes status, child birth defects
				Leukemia	4,239,965 (2,687)			24 (pregestational/gestational)		Any: 1.47 (1.13-1.92), pregestational: 1.10 (0.55-2.20), gestational: 1.41 (0.94-2.11)	Child's sex, decade of birth, maternal age, parental education, birth order, birthweight, gestational age, child's diabetes status, child birth defects
				Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	4,239,965 (2,091)			20 (pregestational/gestational)		Any maternal diabetes: 1.64 (1.23-2.18), pregestational: 1.24 (0.59-2.60), gestational: 1.51 (0.97-2.35)	Child's sex, decade of birth, maternal age, parental education, birth order, birthweight, gestational age, child's diabetes status, child birth defects
				Lymphoma	4,239,965 (901)			4 (pregestational/gestational)		Any: 1.45 (0.90-2.36), pregestational:	Child's sex, decade of birth, maternal age, parental education,

								al), 8 (gestational)	1.64 (0.61-4.40), gestational: 1.56 (0.78-3.15)	birth order, birthweight, gestational age, child's diabetes status, child birth defects	
Søegaard, et al. 2018 (26)	Registry based cohort	1996- 2015	Denmar k	Acute lymphobla stic leukemia	1,187,48 2 (492)	<15	Danish National Patient Register	Cases: 6 (pregestation al), 14 (gestational) Total: 5,409 (pregestation al), 24,306 (gestational) Cases: 2 (pregestation al)	Nordic Society of Paediatric Haematology and Oncology	Pregestational: 2.91 (1.30–6.51), gestational: 1.75 (1.02–2.98)	Maternal age, ethnicity, birth order, maternal smoking, birth cohort, birth weight, gestational age, mode of delivery
Borsari, et al. 2019 (27)	Popula tion- based cohort study	1998- 2017	Italy	Acute lymphobla stic leukemia	241,958 (145)	<15	Hospital discharge records (ICD- 9)	Total: 1,321 (pregestation al) Cases: 13 (gestational) Controls: 107 (gestational)	National Childhood Cancer Register French National Registry of Childhood Cancer	Pregestational: 2.7 (0.7-11.1)	"Maternal demographic characteristics"
Bauer, et al. 2019 (28)	Case- control Popula tion- based retrosp ective cohort	2010- 2011	France	Wilms Tumor	1,097/11 7	<11	Self-report (telephone interview)			gestational: 1.3 (0.7-2.4)	Age, gender, birth order, maternal age
Kessous, et al. 2019 (29)	Popula tion- based retrosp ective cohort	1991- 2014	Israel	Any malignanc y	236,893 (241)	<18	Hospital obstetrics and gynecology database (ICD- 9)	10,294 with gestational diabetes Cases: 241 (any), 29 (pregestation al), 212 (gestational) Controls: 940 (any), 128 (pregestation al), 812 (gestational)	Hospital database (ICD- 9)	Gestational: 1.03 (0.58-1.82)	Maternal age, hypertensive disorders, gestational age at delivery
Seppälä, et al. 2020 (30)	Case- control	1996- 2014	Finland	Any malignanc y	10,103/2, 029	<20	Medical Birth Register and the Care Register for Health Care		Finnish Cancer Registry	Any: 1.28 (1.10- 1.50), gestational: 1.31 (1.11-1.54), pregestational: 1.11 (0.73-1.69)	Maternal age, parity, smoking

^a BMI: body mass index, OR: odds ratio, CI: confidence intervals, ICD: International Classification of Diseases

Supplementary Table 3. Main characteristics of gestational weight gain studies included in the meta-analysis^a

Study	Design	Study Period	Country	Cancer(s)	Cohort: sample (cases) Case-control: controls/cases	Age range	Ascertainment of weight gain	Number of mothers in (weight gain categories) Cases: 60, (<8.6 kg) , 65 (9.1-11.3 kg), 83 (11.8-13.6 kg), 158 (14.1-18.1 kg), 101 (18.6+ kg) Controls: 511 (<8.6 kg), 696 (9.1-11.3 kg), 749 (11.8-13.6 kg), 1,138 (14.1-18.1 kg), 766 (18.6+ kg)	Ascertainment of cancer diagnosis	OR (95% CI)	Adjusted covariates
McLaughlin, et al. 2006a (15)	Case-cohort	1988-2001	US (NY)	Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	3860/467	1 month-9 years	Birth certificates	Cases: 19 (<8.6 kg), 18 (9.1-11.3 kg), 17 (11.8-13.6 kg), 25 (14.1-18.1 kg), 19 (18.6+ kg) Controls: 511 (<8.6 kg), 696 (9.1-11.3 kg), 749 (11.8-13.6 kg), 1,138 (14.1-18.1 kg), 766 (18.6+ kg)	New York State Cancer Registry	<8.6 kg: 1.31 (0.90-1.91), 9.1-11.3 kg: referent, 11.8-13.6 kg: 1.12 (0.79-1.59), 14.1-18.1 kg: 1.42 (1.04-1.94), 18.6 kg+: 1.38 (0.99-1.94)	Birth year, gender, race and ethnicity, maternal age, gestational age and birth weight
				Acute myeloid leukemia	3860/98			Cases: 4 (<10 lbs), 9 (10-19 lbs), 16 (20-29 lbs), 10 (30-39 lbs), 7 (40+ lbs) Controls: 120 (<10 lbs), 394 (10-19 lbs), 1,143 (20-29 lbs), 986 (40+ lbs)		<8.6 kg: 1.45 (0.73-2.90), 9.1-11.3 kg: referent, 11.8-13.6 kg: 0.90 (0.44-1.84), 14.1-18.1 kg: 0.88 (0.47-1.71), 18.6 kg+: 0.83 (0.41-1.68)	Birth year, gender, race and ethnicity, maternal age, gestational age and birth weight
McLaughlin, et al. 2006b (1)	Case-cohort	1988-2001	US (NY)	Hepatoblastoma	3,879/46	1 month - 5 years	Birth records	Cases: 10 (<10 lbs), 82 (10-29 lbs), 135 (30-49lbs), 18 (50+lbs) Controls: 66 (<10 lbs),	New York State Cancer Registry Washington State Cancer Registry	<10 lbs: 1.5 (0.4-4.6), 10-19 lbs: 1.0 (0.4-2.5), 20-29 lbs: referent, 30-39 lbs: 0.7 (0.3-1.5), 40+ lbs: 0.5 (0.2-1.3)	Birth year, birth weight
Podvin, et al. 2006 (14)	Case-control	1989-2002	US (WA)	Leukemia	2,415/24 5	<20 years	Birth records			<10lbs: 1.5 (0.7-3.0), 10- 29 lbs: referent, 30-49 lbs:	Maternal age

								817 (10-29 lbs), 1,296 (30-49 lbs), 236 (50+lbs) Cases: 17 (<24lbs), 32 (25-30lbs), 16 (31-36lbs), 23 (>36lbs) Subcohort: 1,029 (<24lbs), 1,295 (25-30lbs), 616 (31-36lbs), 910 (>36lbs) Cases: 46 (<9.07 kg), 72 (9.53-13.61 kg), 61 (13.61-18.14 kg), 61 (>18.14kg) Controls: 55 (9.07 kg), 82 (9.53-13.61 kg), 63 (13.61-18.14 kg), 55 (>18.14 kg) Cases: 72 (<9.1 kg), 78 (9.1-13.2 kg), 177 (13.6+ kg) Controls: 1,172 (<9.1 kg), 1,501 (9.1-13.2 kg), 3,235 (13.6+ kg)	1.0 (0.8-1.4), 50+ lbs: 0.8 (0.5-1.3) <24lbs: referent, 25-30lbs: 1.46 (0.80-2.67), 31-36lbs: 1.63 (0.81-3.26), 36+ lbs: 1.53 (0.81-2.90) <9.07 kg: referent, 9.52-13.61 kg: 1.16 (0.68-1.99), 13.61-18.14 kg: 1.25 (0.71-2.21), 18.14+ kg: 1.50 (0.84-2.68) <9.1kg: referent, 9.1-13.2kg: 0.8 (0.6-1.2), 13.6+kg: 0.9 (0.6-1.2) Inadequate: 1.8 (1.2-2.6), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.4 (1.0-2.1) Inadequate: 1.9 (1.1-3.3), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.5 (0.9-2.6)		
Puumala, et al. 2007 (31)	Case-cohort	1988-2004	US (MN)	Wilms tumor	8,890 (138)	28 days - 14 years	Birth certificate		Minnesota Cancer Surveillance System		Sex, birth year
Spector, et al. 2007 (2)	Case-control	1996-2002	US	Acute lymphoblastic leukemia & acute myeloid leukemia	255/240	< 1 year	Self-report (interview)		Childrens Oncology Group		Sex, race, maternal education, pre-pregnancy BMI
McLaughlin, et al. 2009 (32)	Registry based case-cohort	1985-2001	US (NY)	Neuroblastoma	7,294/397	1 month - 14 years	Birth certificate		New York State Cancer Registry (ICD-O-3)		Birth year, region, child's gender, race, birthweight Child's age at diagnosis or recruitment, child's sex, state of residence, child's year of birth group, maternal age group, maternal pre-pregnancy supplementation Child's age at diagnosis or recruitment, child's sex, state of residence, child's year of birth group,
Greenop, et al. 2014 (3)	Case control	2005-2010	Australia	Any childhood brain tumor	1,079/319	0-14	Self-report (questionnaire/survey)	Cases: 108 (inadequate), 56 (appropriate), 93 (excessive) Controls: 225 (inadequate), 208 (appropriate), 236 (excessive) Cases: 53 (inadequate), 25 (appropriate), 44 (excessive) Controls: 225 (inadequate), 208	National pediatric oncology centers		
				Low grade gliomas	1,079/151						

								(appropriate), 236 (excessive)		maternal age group, maternal pre- pregnancy supplementation	
				Embryonal tumors	1,079/75			Cases: 23 (inadequate), 17 (appropriate), 22 (excessive) Controls: 225 (inadequate), 208 (appropriate), 236 (excessive)	inadequate: 1.2 (0.6-2.4), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.1 (0.6-2.7)	Child's age at diagnosis or recruitment, child's sex, state of residence, child's year of birth group, maternal age group, maternal pre- pregnancy supplementation	
Heck, et al. 2015 (4)	Case control	2006- 2011	US and Canada	Retinoblast oma (unilateral)	136/165	0-14	Self-report (telephone interview)	Cases: 26 (inadequate), 64 (appropriate), 87 (excessive) Controls: 23 (inadequate), 51 (appropriate), 61 (excessive)	Wills Eye Hospital/ Children's Oncology Group	Inadequate: 0.8 (0.4-1.8), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.1 (0.6-1.8)	Child's age, maternal race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income
				Retinoblast oma (bilateral)	136/87			Cases: 12 (inadequate), 34 (appropriate), 46 (excessive) Controls: 23 (inadequate), 51 (appropriate), 61 (excessive)		Inadequate: 0.8 (0.3-2.0), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.8 (0.4-1.6)	Child's age, maternal race/ethnicity, maternal education, household income
Contreras, et al. 2016 (6)	Registry based case- control	1988- 2013	US (CA)	Overall Acute lymphoblas tic leukemia	270,147/ 11,149		Birth certificate (maternal weight at delivery minus pre-pregnancy weight)	N/A Cases: 50 (inadequate), 83 (appropriate), 112 (excessive) Controls: 8,098	Californian Cancer Registry (ICCC-3)	N/A Inadequate: 0.78 (0.55-1.11), appropriate:	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age

		(inadequate), 10,698 (appropriate), 16,550 (excessive) Cases: 35 (inadequate), 31 (appropriate), 50 (excessive) Controls: 8,098 (inadequate), 10,698 (appropriate), 16,550 (excessive) Cases: 94 (inadequate), 132 (appropriate), 177 (excessive) Controls: 8,098 (inadequate), 10,698 (appropriate), 16,550 (excessive) Cases: 22 (inadequate), 24 (appropriate), 59 (excessive) Controls: 8,098 (inadequate), 10,698 (appropriate), 16,550 (excessive) Cases: 21 (inadequate), 27 (appropriate), 28 (excessive) Controls: 8,098 (inadequate), 10,698 (appropriate), 16,550 (excessive) Cases: 18 (inadequate), 18 (appropriate), 29 (excessive) Controls: 8,098 (inadequate), 10,698 (appropriate), 16,550 (excessive) Cases: 13 (inadequate), 20 (appropriate), 37	referent, excessive: 0.86 (0.65-1.14)	
Acute myeloid leukemia	270,147/ 706		Inadequate: 1.50 (0.92-2.43), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.05 (0.67-1.64)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Leukemia	270,147/ 5,034		Inadequate: 0.93 (0.71-1.21), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.86 (0.69-1.08)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Astrocytom a	270,147/ 990		Inadequate: 1.28 (0.72-2.28), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.56 (0.97-2.50)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Embryonal	270,147/ 709		Inadequate: 1.05 (0.59-1.86), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.66 (0.39-1.13)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Germ cell	270,147/ 445		Inadequate: 1.31 (0.68-2.52), appropriate: referent, excessive: 1.07 (0.59-1.94)	Year of birth, maternal/paternal race/ethnicity, maternal age
Hepatoblas toma	270,147/ 337		Inadequate: 0.85 (0.42-1.72),	Year of birth, maternal/paternal

Stacy, et al. 2019 (9)	Registry based prospective cohort	2003- 2016	US (PA)	Any cancer	1,812,13 1 (2,329)	<14	Delivery weight minus pre-pregnancy weight (pre- pregnancy weight contained in birth registry [self-reported by mother])	Cases: 4 (inadequate), 10 (appropriate), 6 (excessive)	Pennsylva nia Cancer Registry (ICD3)	Inadequate: 0.6 (0.2-1.5), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.7 (0.3-1.7)	Child's sex, child's age, year of birth group	
								Controls: 334 (inadequate), 407 (appropriate), 372 (excessive)				
								Ependyomo mas				1,113/20
								Cases: 26 (inadequate), 31 (appropriate), 22 (excessive)				
								Controls: 334 (inadequate), 407 (appropriate), 372 (excessive)				
Cases: 22 (inadequate), 31 (appropriate), 24 (excessive)	Inadequate: 1.0 (0.6-1.7), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.8 (0.5-1.4)	Child's sex, child's age, year of birth group										
Controls: 334 (inadequate), 407 (appropriate), 372 (excessive)												
Astrocytom as			1,113/79									
Cases: 25 (inadequate), 18 (appropriate), 11 (excessive)												
Controls: 334 (inadequate), 407 (appropriate), 372 (excessive)												
Cases: 216 (<5 kg), 314 (5-9 kg), 731 (10-14 kg), 647 (15-19 kg), 266 (20-24 kg), 93 (25- 29 kg), 62 (30+ kg)	Inadequate: 0.9 (0.5-1.6), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.8 (0.5-1.4)	Child's sex, child's age, year of birth group										
Toal: 163,192 (<5 kg), 260,046 (5-9 kg), 588,353 (10-14 kg), 475,775 (15-19 kg), 202,800 (20-24 kg), 72,759 (25-29 kg), 49,206 (30+ kg)												
Embryonal			1,113/77									
Cases: 25 (inadequate), 18 (appropriate), 11 (excessive)												
Controls: 334 (inadequate), 407 (appropriate), 372 (excessive)												
Cases: 216 (<5 kg), 314 (5-9 kg), 731 (10-14 kg), 647 (15-19 kg), 266 (20-24 kg), 93 (25- 29 kg), 62 (30+ kg)	Inadequate: 1.6 (0.9-3.0), appropriate: referent, excessive: 0.7 (0.3-1.5)	Child's sex, child's age, year of birth group										
Toal: 163,192 (<5 kg), 260,046 (5-9 kg), 588,353 (10-14 kg), 475,775 (15-19 kg), 202,800 (20-24 kg), 72,759 (25-29 kg), 49,206 (30+ kg)												
Other Gliomas			1,113/54									
Cases: 216 (<5 kg), 314 (5-9 kg), 731 (10-14 kg), 647 (15-19 kg), 266 (20-24 kg), 93 (25- 29 kg), 62 (30+ kg)												
Toal: 163,192 (<5 kg), 260,046 (5-9 kg), 588,353 (10-14 kg), 475,775 (15-19 kg), 202,800 (20-24 kg), 72,759 (25-29 kg), 49,206 (30+ kg)												
										<5 kg: referent, 5-9 kg: 0.91 (0.76- 1.08), 10-14 kg: 0.92 (0.79-1.06), 15-19 kg: 0.97 (0.83-1.13), 20-24 kg: 0.94 (0.79- 1.13), 25-29 kg: 0.92 (0.72-1.17), 30+ kg: 0.91 (0.68- 1.20)	Maternal age and/or race/ethnicity	

		Cases: 82 (<5 kg), 105 (5-9 kg), 228 (10-14 kg), 198 (15-19 kg), 82 (20-24 kg), 30 (25-29 kg), 18 (30+ kg) Total: 163,192 (<5 kg), 260,046 (5-9 kg), 588,353 (10-14 kg), 475,775 (15-19 kg), 202,800 (20-24 kg), 72,759 (25-29 kg), 49,206 (30+ kg)	<5 kg: referent, 5-9 kg: 0.80 (0.60-1.06), 10-14 kg: 0.75 (0.58-0.96), 15-19 kg: 0.78 (0.60-1.01), 20-24 kg: 0.76 (0.56-1.04), 25-29 kg: 0.78 (0.51-1.19), 30+ kg: 0.69 (0.42-1.16)	Maternal age and/or race/ethnicity
Leukemia	1,812,13 1 (743)	Cases: 65 (<5 kg), 80 (5-9 kg), 176 (10-14 kg), 157 (15-19 kg), 65 (20-24 kg), 21 (25-29 kg), 17 (30+ kg) Total: 163,192 (<5 kg), 260,046 (5-9 kg), 588,353 (10-14 kg), 475,775 (15-19 kg), 202,800 (20-24 kg), 72,759 (25-29 kg), 49,206 (30+ kg)	<5 kg: referent, 5-9 kg: 0.76 (0.55-1.06), 10-14 kg: 0.73 (0.55-0.96), 15-19 kg: 0.77 (0.58-1.03), 20-24 kg: 0.76 (0.54-1.07), 25-29 kg: 0.69 (0.42-1.12), 30+ kg: 0.83 (0.48-1.41)	Maternal age and/or race/ethnicity
Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	1,810,38 3 (581)	Cases: 22 (<5 kg), 28 (5-9 kg), 104 (10-14 kg), 85 (15-19 kg), 31 (20-24 kg), 13 (25-29 kg), 14 (30+ kg) Total: 163,192 (<5 kg), 260,046 (5-9 kg), 588,353 (10-14 kg), 475,775 (15-19 kg),	<5 kg: referent, 5-9 kg: 0.79 (0.45-1.38), 10-14 kg: 1.28 (0.81-2.02), 15-19 kg: 1.27 (0.79-2.03), 20-24 kg: 1.10 (0.63-1.90), 25-29 kg: 1.29 (0.65-2.56),	Maternal age and/or race/ethnicity
Neuroblastoma	1,810,38 3 (297)			

202,800 (20-24 kg),
72,759 (25-29 kg),
49,206 (30+ kg)
Total: 163,041 (<5 kg),
259,812 (5-9 kg),
587,798 (10-14 kg),
475,285 (15-19 kg),
202,599 (20-24 kg),
72,687 (25-29 kg),
49,161 (30+ kg)

30+ kg: 2.07 (1.06-
4.04)

^aBMI: body mass index, OR: odds ratio, CI: confidence intervals, ICD: International Classification of Diseases, kg: kilograms

Supplementary Table 4. Quality assessment of case-control/nested case-control studies in the meta-analysis according to the Newcastle-Ottawa scale (NOS)^a

Study	Selection				Comparability	Exposure			Overall Score / Quality
	Case definition	Case representativeness	Control selection	Control definition	Comparability of cases and controls	Exposure ascertainment	Same method for cases/control	Non-response rate	
Cnattingius 1995	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Petridou 1997	*	*	0	*	**	0	*	*	7 / high
Hamrick 2001	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	7 / high
Åberg 2001	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	7 / high
Westbom 2002	0	*	0	0	*	*	*	*	5 / moderate
Podvin 2006	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Spector 2007	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	7 / high
Chow 2007	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Daniels 2008	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	7 / high
Ognjanovic 2009	*	0	*	*	*	0	*	*	6 / moderate
Heck 2012	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Musselman 2013	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	7 / high
Greenop 2014	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	0	6 / moderate
Heck 2015	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	7 / high
Contreras 2016	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	7 / high
Peckham-Gregory 2016	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	7 / high
Vienneau 2016	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	*	6 / moderate
Bailey 2017	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	7 / high
Seppälä 2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Bauer 2020	0	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	6 / moderate

^aFor NOS assessment, maximum of one star (*) can be given for selection, exposure, and outcome categories. Maximum of two stars (***) can be given for comparability category. Scores of 7-9 were considered high quality, scores of 4-6 considered moderate quality, scores of 1-3 were considered poor quality

Supplementary Table 5. Quality assessment of cohort/case-cohort studies in the meta-analysis according to the Newcastle-Ottawa scale (NOS) ^a									
Study	Selection				Comparability	Outcome			Overall Score / Quality
	Cohort representativeness	Selection of non-exposed	Exposure ascertainment	Outcome not present at start	Cohort comparability on basis of design or analysis	Outcome assessment	Sufficient time for follow-up	Adequacy of follow-up cohorts	
McLaughlin 2006(1)	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	7 / high
McLaughlin 2006(2)	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	7 / high
Milne 2007	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	7 / high
Puumala 2007	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Johnson 2008	*	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	7 / high
McLaughlin 2009	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	7 / high
Wu 2012	*	*	*	*	**	*	*	*	9 / high
Petridou 2015	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Deleskog 2017	*	*	*	*	**	*	*	*	9 / high
Søgaard 2018	*	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	7 / high
Kessous 2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Borsari 2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high
Stacy 2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	8 / high

^aFor NOS assessment, maximum of one star (*) can be given for selection, exposure, and outcome categories. Maximum of two stars (**) can be given for comparability category. Scores of 7-9 were considered high quality, scores of 4-6 considered moderate quality, scores of 1-3 were considered poor quality.

Supplementary Table 6. Subgroup analyses for the associations with childhood cancer risk according to geographic region and study design

Subgroup	No. of Studies	Summary OR (95% CI)	Heterogeneity	
			I ² , %	P ^a
Region				
Any cancer/pre-pregnancy BMI (5-unit)				
Total	9	1.02 (0.97-1.07)	41.5	0.03
North America	6	1.02 (0.97-1.08)	39.0	0.05
Other ^b	3	1.00 (0.87-1.14)	53.6	0.09
Any cancer/pregestational diabetes				
Total	11	1.19 (1.02-1.37)	28.8	0.11
North America	4	1.07 (0.92-1.25)	9.8	0.35
Other ^c	7	1.50 (1.18-1.91)	23.3	0.24
Any cancer/gestational diabetes				
Total	15	1.20 (1.09-1.33)	0.0	0.65
North America	7	1.26 (1.05-1.51)	0.0	0.82
Other ^d	8	1.14 (0.96-1.35)	22.1	0.25
Any cancer/any diabetes				
Total	25	1.20 (1.12-1.29)	1.7	0.44
North America	11	1.14 (1.03-1.27)	0.0	0.70
Other ^e	14	1.30 (1.14-1.48)	20.4	0.21
ALL/gestational diabetes				
Total	6	1.40 (1.12-1.75)	0.0	0.81
North America	3	1.29 (0.95-1.75)	0.0	0.64
Other ^b	3	1.55 (1.11-2.14)	0.0	0.70
ALL/any diabetes				
Total	9	1.46 (1.28-1.67)	0.0	0.59
North America	4	1.32 (1.12-1.56)	0.0	0.81
Other ^f	5	1.75 (1.39-2.19)	0.0	0.69
Any leukemia/gestational diabetes				
Total	7	1.32 (1.08-1.61)	0.0	0.60
North America	3	1.15 (0.84-1.58)	16.9	0.31
Other ^g	4	1.52 (1.12-2.05)	0.0	0.87
Any leukemia/any diabetes				
Total	11	1.34 (1.19-1.51)	0.0	0.53
North America	5	1.22 (1.05-1.41)	0.0	0.68
Other ^h	6	1.63 (1.32-2.02)	0.0	0.74
Design				
Any cancer/pregestational diabetes				
Total	11	1.19 (1.02-1.37)	28.8	0.11
Case-control	6	1.11 (0.96-1.28)	14.2	0.30
Cohort	5	1.67 (1.17-2.38)	28.8	0.22
Any cancer/gestational diabetes				
Total	15	1.20 (1.09-1.33)	0.0	0.65
Case-control	9	1.25 (1.11-1.41)	0.0	0.89
Cohort/case-cohort ⁱ	6	1.11 (0.86-1.43)	26.2	0.22
Any cancer/any diabetes				
Total	25	1.20 (1.12-1.29)	1.7	0.44
Case-control/nested case-control ^j	17	1.20 (1.11-1.31)	0.0	0.58

Cohort/case-cohort ^k	8	1.30 (1.07-1.57)	29.5	0.17
ALL/any diabetes				
Total	9	1.46 (1.28-1.67)	0.0	0.59
Case-control/nested case-control ^l	3	1.34 (1.12-1.62)	0.0	0.66
Cohort/case-cohort ^m	6	1.60 (1.32-1.95)	0.0	0.52
Any leukemia/gestational diabetes				
Total	7	1.32 (1.08-1.61)	0.0	0.60
Case-control	3	1.11 (0.78-1.57)	0.0	0.52
Cohort/case-cohort ⁿ	4	1.44 (1.12-1.85)	0.0	0.59
Any leukemia/any diabetes				
Total	11	1.34 (1.19-1.51)	0.0	0.53
Case-control/nested case-control ^o	5	1.23 (1.05-1.45)	0.0	0.76
Cohort/case-cohort ^m	6	1.50 (1.23-1.83)	2.7	0.41

^aRandom effects models were used for statistical analyses. All tests were 2-sided. Abbreviations – ALL: acute lymphoblastic leukemia; OR: odds ratio; CI: confidence intervals

^bn=2 studies from Europe, n=1 study from Australia

^cAll studies from Europe

^dn=6 studies from Europe, n=1 study from Australia, n=1 study from Israel

^en=12 studies from Europe, n=1 study from Australia, n=1 study from Israel

^fn=4 studies from Europe, n=1 study from Australia

^gn=3 studies from Europe, n=1 study from Australia

^hn=5 studies from Europe, n=1 study from Australia

ⁱn=5 cohort studies, n=1 case-cohort study

^jn=16 case-control studies, n=1 nested case-control study

^kn=6 cohort studies, n=2 case-cohort studies

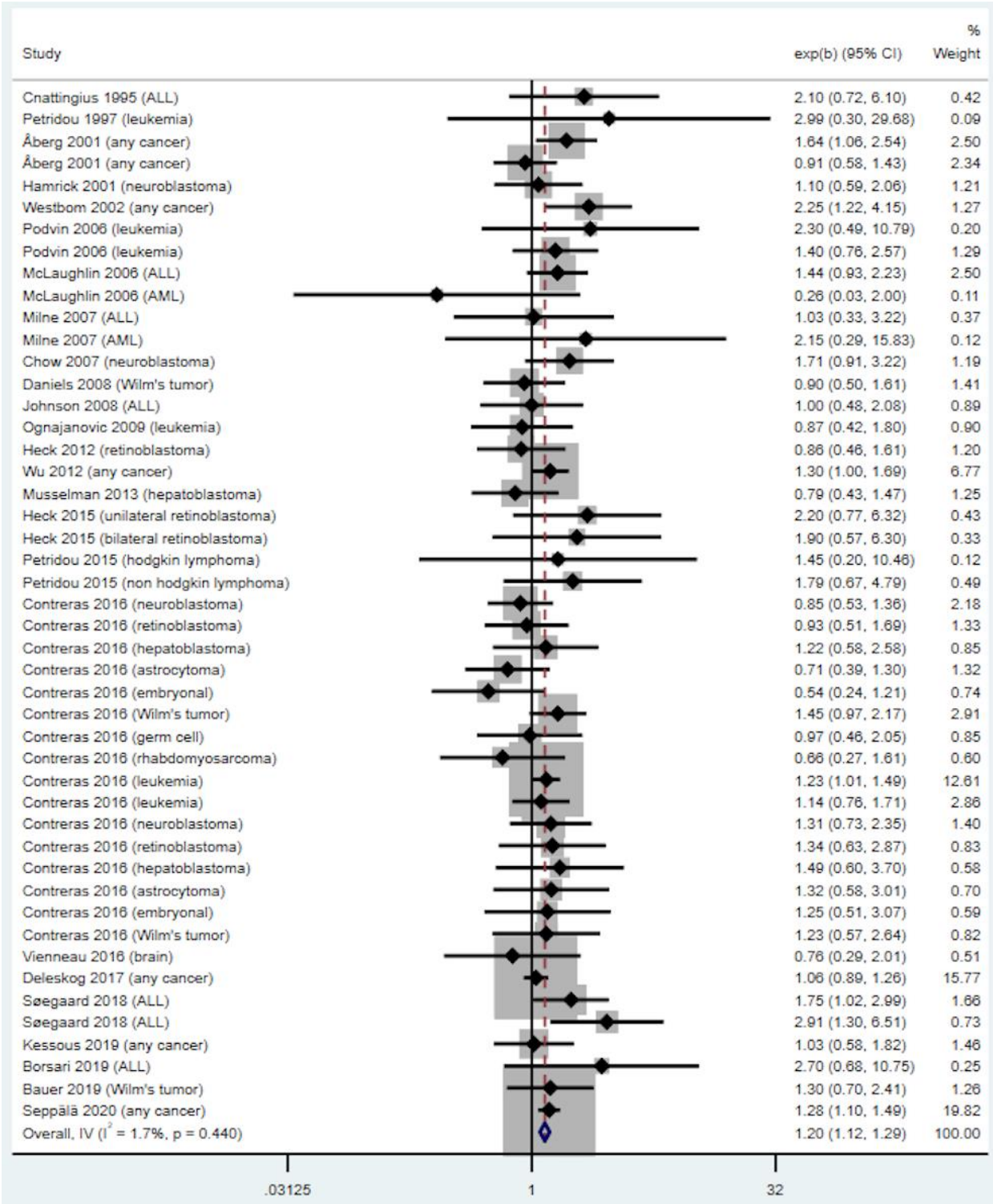
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ⁿn=3 cohort studies, n=1 case-cohort study

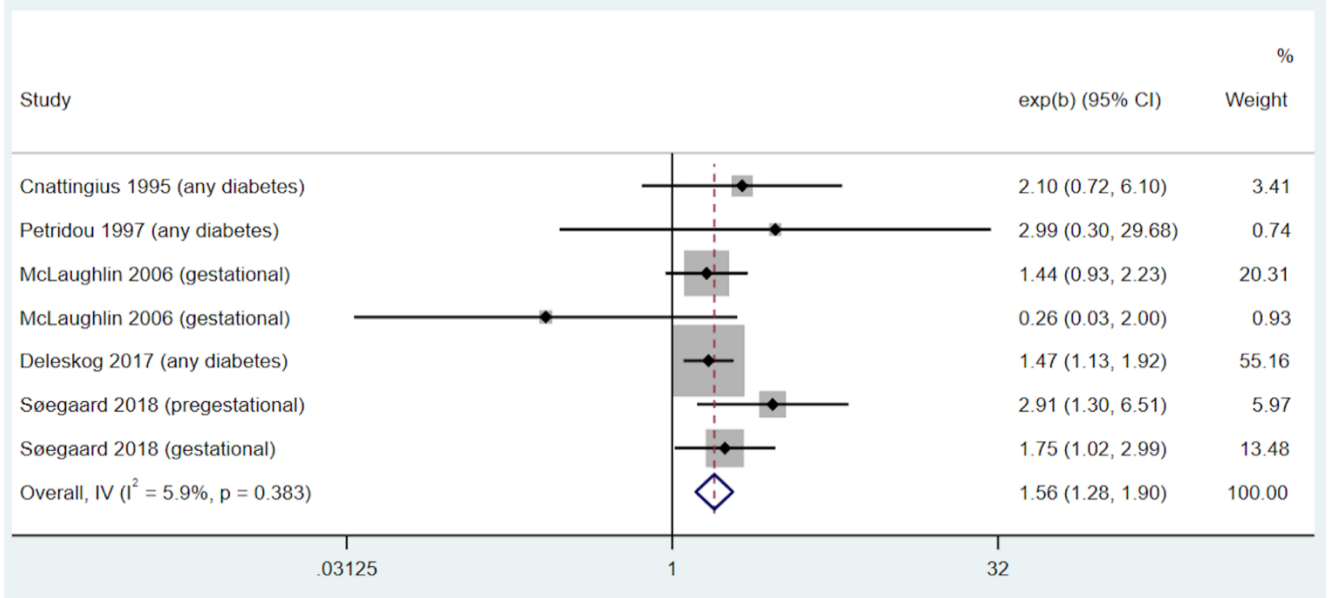
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Supplementary Figure 1. Forest plot: meta-analysis of the association between any diabetes and risk of any cancer. The error bars represent the 95% confidence intervals (CIs).

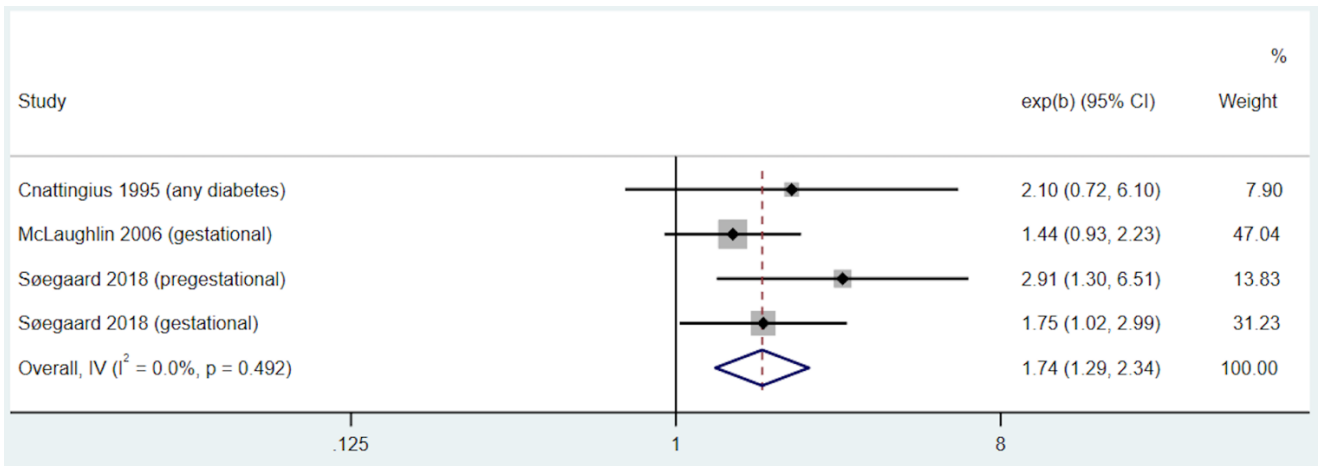


Supplementary Figure 2. Forest plot: meta-analysis of the association between any diabetes and risk of (A) any leukemia and (B) acute lymphoblastic leukemia among studies controlling for birthweight. The error bars represent the 95% confidence intervals (CIs).

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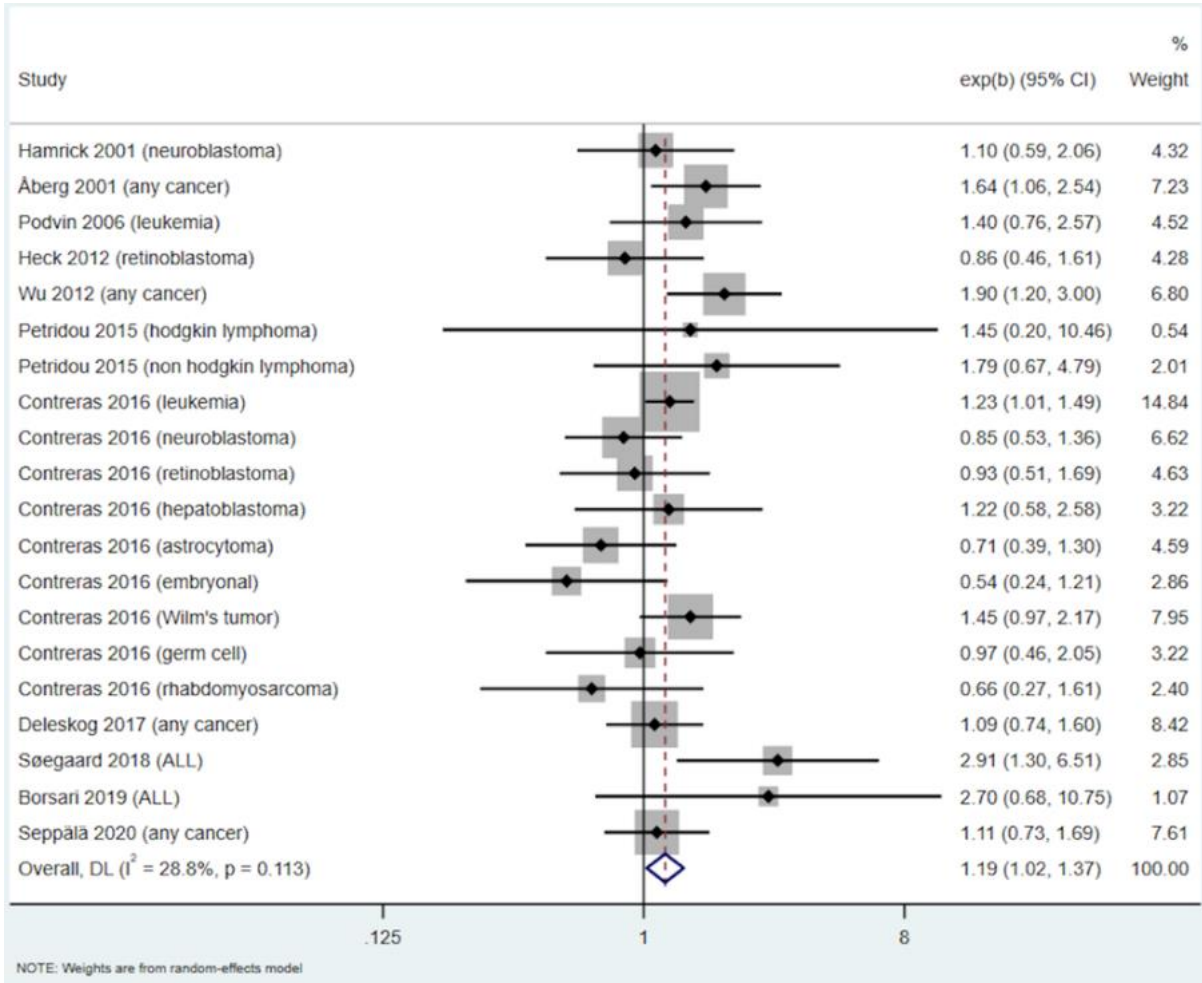


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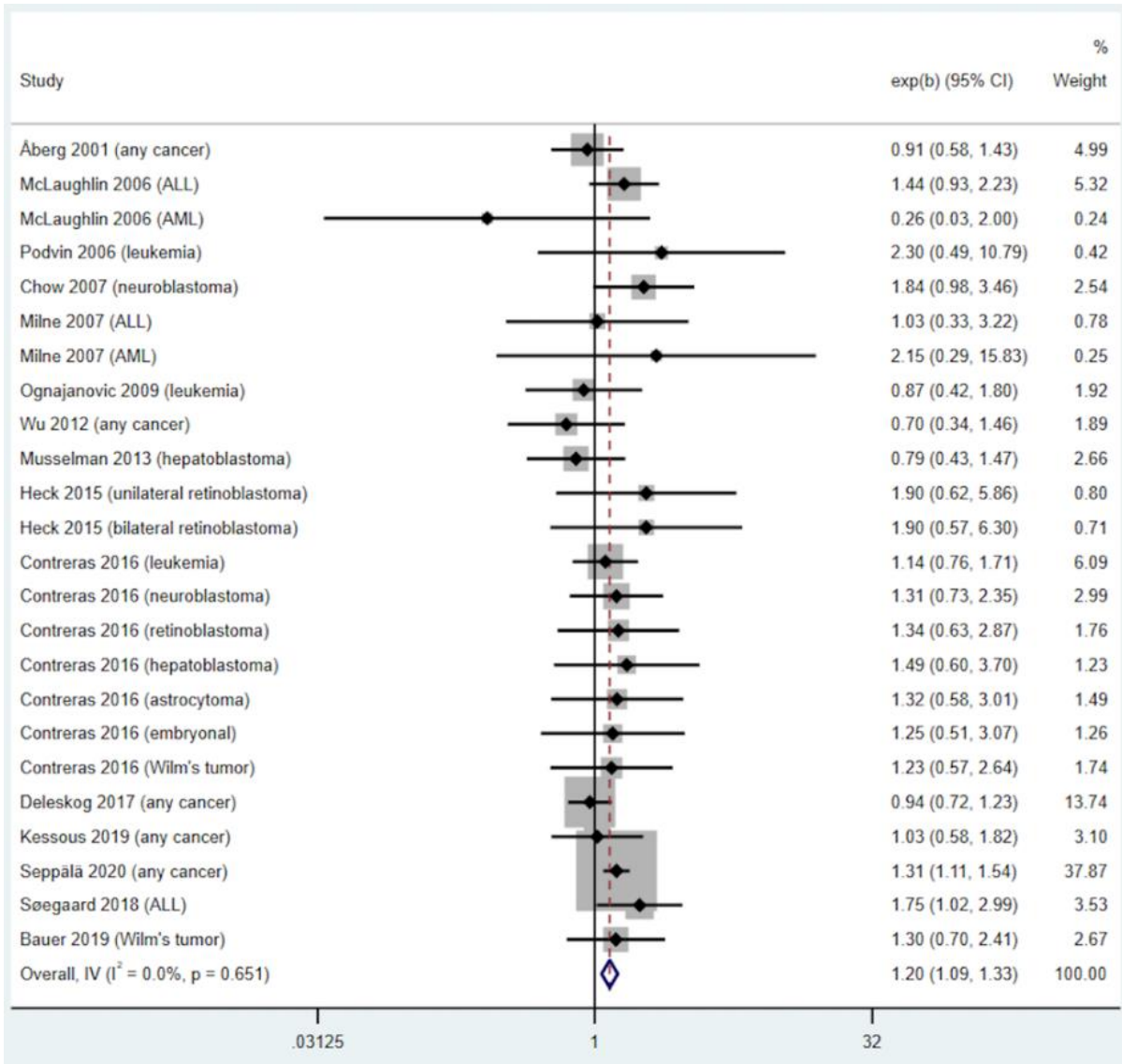


Supplementary Figure 3. Forest plot: meta-analysis of the association between (A) pregestational diabetes and (B) gestational diabetes and risk of any cancer. The error bars represent the 95% confidence intervals (CIs).

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