

Side	Direct Coef.	Std. Err.	Indirect Coef.	Std. Err.	Difference Coef.	Std. Err.	P>z
A B	-0.71619	0.974732	-0.64188	0.615518	-0.07432	1.155001	0.949
A C	-0.93431	1.206271	-1.11561	0.653787	0.181302	1.372052	0.895
A D	0.037191	0.379335	1.085854	0.782493	-1.04866	0.866706	0.226
A H	-0.42121	0.939407	-1.56943	0.505817	1.148215	1.066928	0.282
B C	-0.47	1.031289	-0.38361	0.716929	-0.08639	1.256003	0.945
B D	0.525737	0.578023	1.364528	0.657466	-0.83879	0.878146	0.339
B F	0.405465	1.166447	0.505904	0.603426	-0.10044	1.313286	0.939
B H	0.182322	0.988354	-0.91283	0.550634	1.095151	1.131389	0.333
C D	3.14454	1.664835	1.091932	0.554142	2.052608	1.767209	0.245
C E	-1.4618	0.977797	0.749022	0.741753	-2.21082	1.227308	0.072
C G	1.791759	0.80339	0.483121	0.752543	1.308638	1.100798	0.235
C H	0.113747	1.206067	-0.32715	0.597965	0.440896	1.355902	0.745
D F	-1.07421	0.636804	0.095731	0.550243	-1.16994	0.841513	0.164
D G	-0.57791	0.617749	0.280558	0.723903	-0.85847	0.951574	0.367
D H	-1.14134	0.568653	-1.82889	0.47735	0.687545	0.744048	0.355
E F	0.975915	0.865011	0.968736	0.717996	0.007179	1.124171	0.995
E H	-0.75318	0.656088	0.572125	0.7397	-1.32531	0.988555	0.18
F H	-1.60096	0.526076	-0.58818	0.5756	-1.01278	0.780368	0.194
G H	-1.26703	0.89372	-1.35663	0.63393	0.089596	1.09572	0.935

*Note: A=TAC; B=MMF; C=CSA; D=CTX; E=STE; F=CHL; G=RTX; H=CON.

Supplementary Table 10 Inconsistency test for TR. If $p > 0.05$, there was no inconsistency among these studies, otherwise the inconsistency was present. The results indicated that there was no inconsistency in all comparisons between these groups.