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Phenotypic and genotypic determinants of glycaemic deterioration rate in South Indian Type 2 diabetes population

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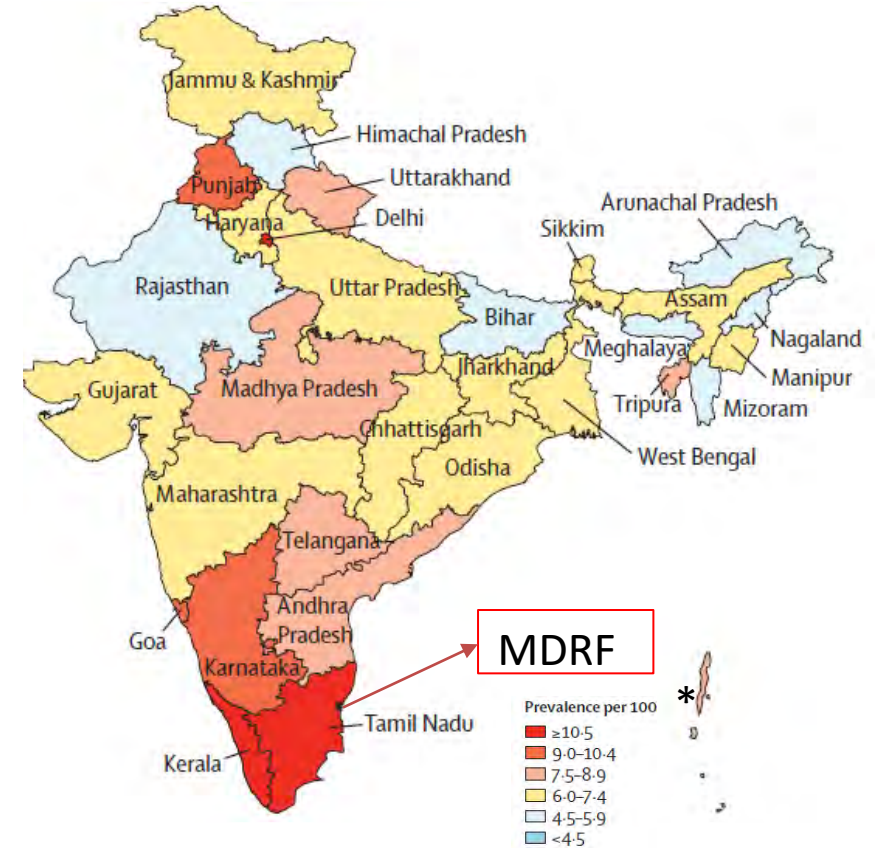
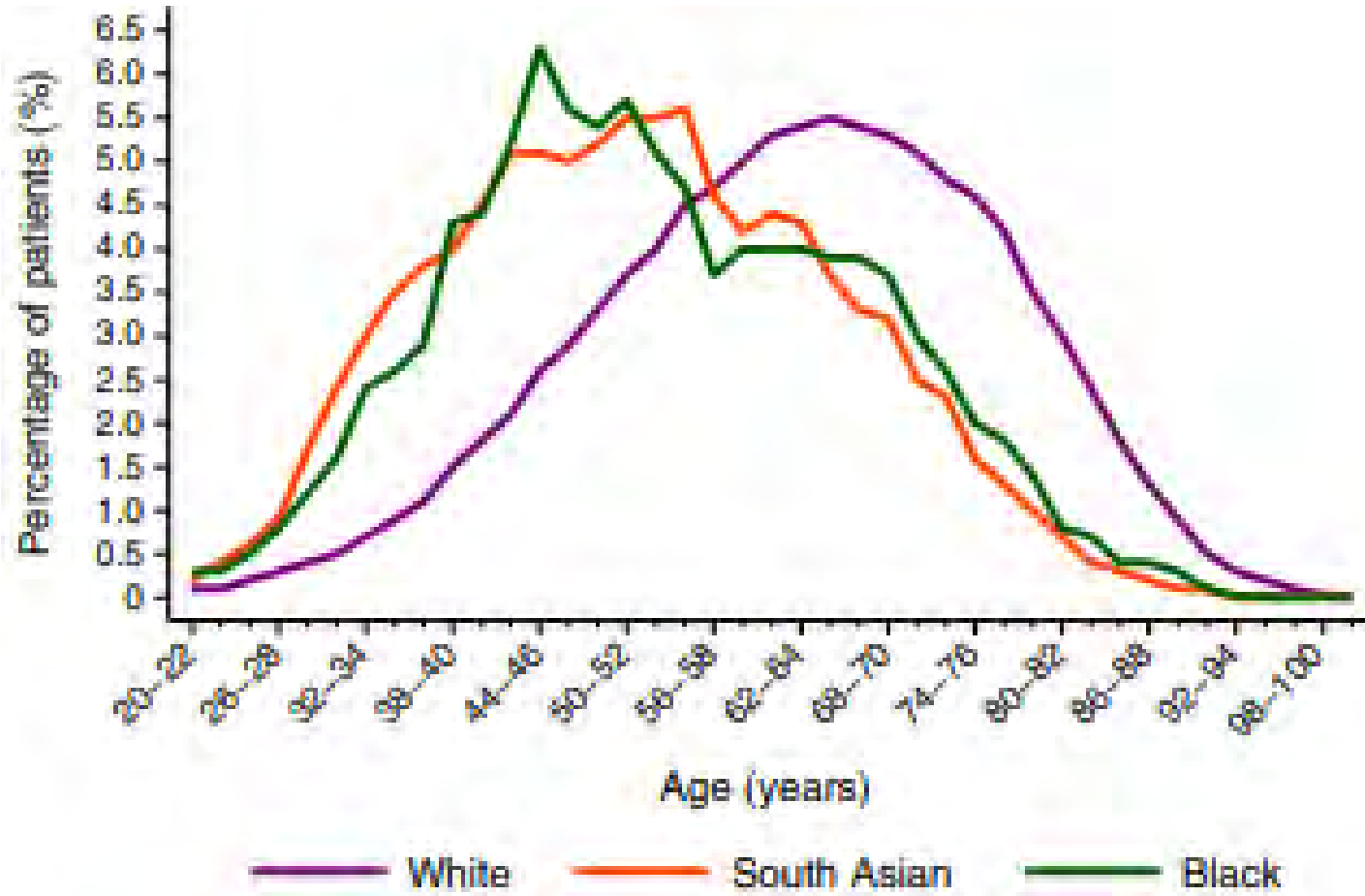
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INTRODUCTION

BACKGROUND

- T2D is a heterogenous progressive disease condition with cases having unique disease progression pathways.¹
- Identifying faster progressors will help in provision of personalized intensive diabetes management to delay the progression
- Age of diagnosis, baseline HDL-c, HbA1c, BMI are major factors associated with T2D progression.^{2,3,4}
- ‘Time to insulin’ models have affected by clinical practice and doctor:patient:socio-cultural factors.
- Glycaemic deterioration or coefficient failure- reports annual rate of glycemic deterioration.
- Most of the studies conducted in European T2D population.

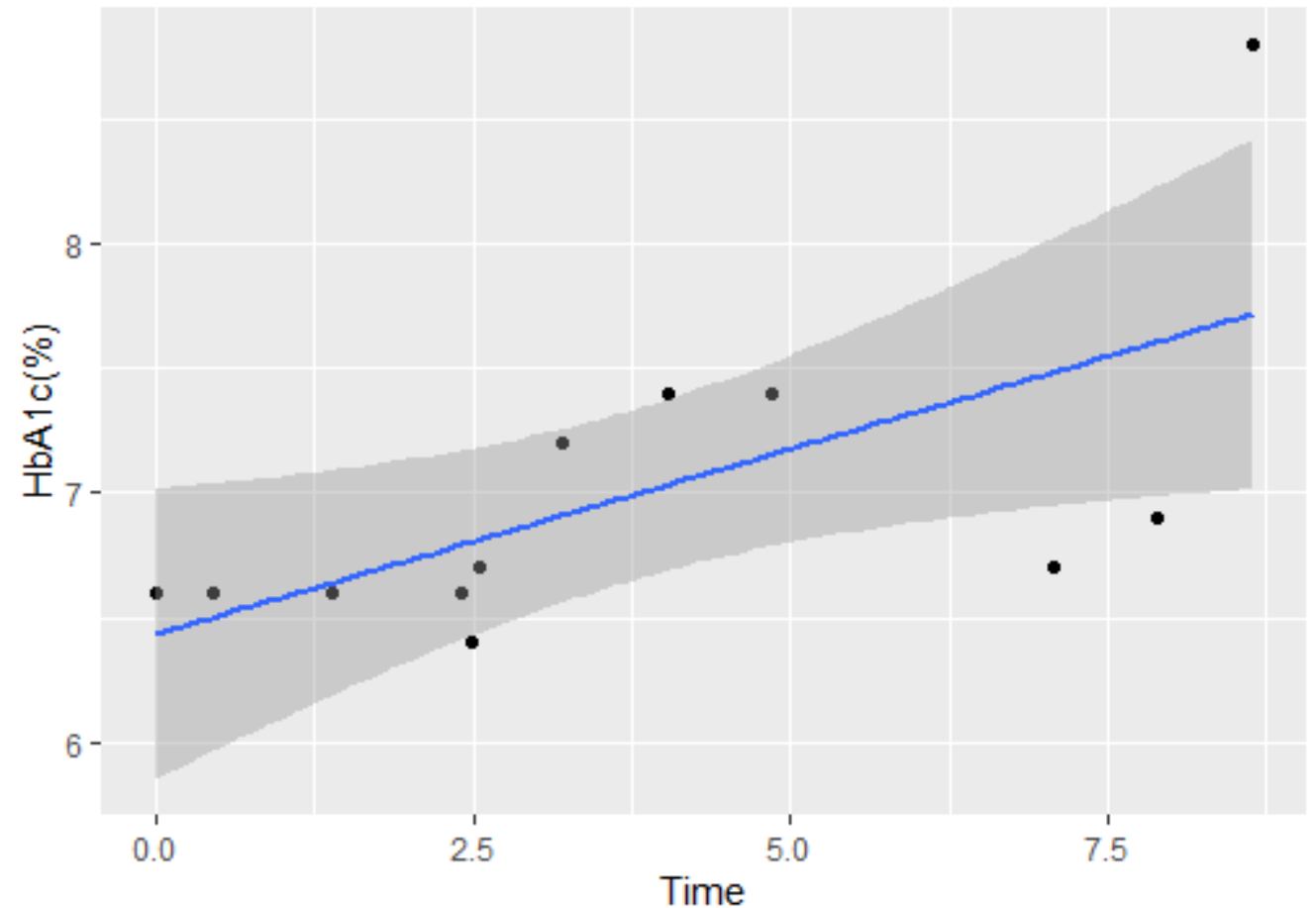
Diabetes Indian perspective



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Coefficient of failure/ glycaemic deterioration rate

- Rate of glycaemic deterioration – slope of regression line.
- Previous studies reported Age of diagnosis, HDL-c, beta cell function are associated with rate of glycaemic deterioration.^{8,9,10}



OBJECTIVES

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1. Estimate the 'coefficient of failure' in the study population
2. Identify the clinical and lifestyle factors associated with coefficient of failure/glycaemic deterioration in the study population.
3. Identify genetic variants associated with coefficient of failure/glycaemic deterioration.

METHODOLOGY

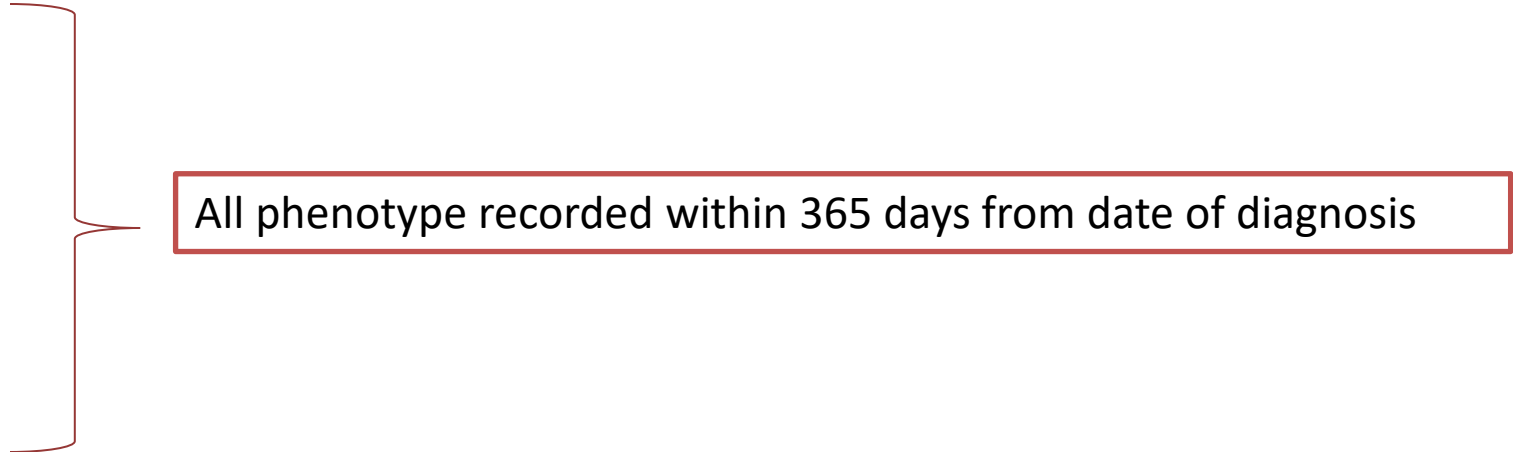
Data source

- Data source: Madras Diabetes Research Foundation (MDRF)
- Electronic health records generated for each individual and updated in each follow up visit.
- Anonymized data available for epidemiological analysis.
- Data access through secure virtual desktop systems equipped with statistical packages.



Variables used in analysis

- Longitudinal HbA1c, BMI and prescription data
- Variables included in the analysis
 1. Age of diagnosis
 2. Sex
 3. Smoking
 4. Alcohol
 5. Family H/O T2D
 6. Calendar year
 7. BMI
 8. HbA1c
 9. Total Cholesterol
 10. HDL
 11. Triglycerides
 12. HOMA B
 13. HOMA IR



All phenotype recorded within 365 days from date of diagnosis

Analysis description

- Linear Mixed model
 - Fixed and random effects: intercept and slope
 - Longitudinal HbA1c as dependent variable and Change in BMI, drug effect as fixed effect in model, T2D case unique id as random effect.
- Simple linear regression model
 - Glycaemic deterioration rate obtained from linear mixed model as dependent variable and phenotypes and lifestyle factors at diagnosis as independent variable
- Genome wide association studies (GWAS)
 - To detect the variants associated with glycaemic deterioration

RESULTS

Data flow for linear mixed model

Study sample: one HbA1c reading in 1st year of diagnosis N=28181



One HbA1c in 1st year $\leq 8\%$ N=18994



At least 2 HbA1c measurements before insulin initiation N=10358



Drugs at HbA1c measurement time 150 days N=10339



BMI measurements 180 days N=10339

10339 individuals with 65803 HbA1c measurements

Mixed model results

Variable	Estimates
BMI stable	Reference
BMI Increase	0.19 (0.17-0.21)
BMI reduction	-0.34 (-0.31- -0.36)

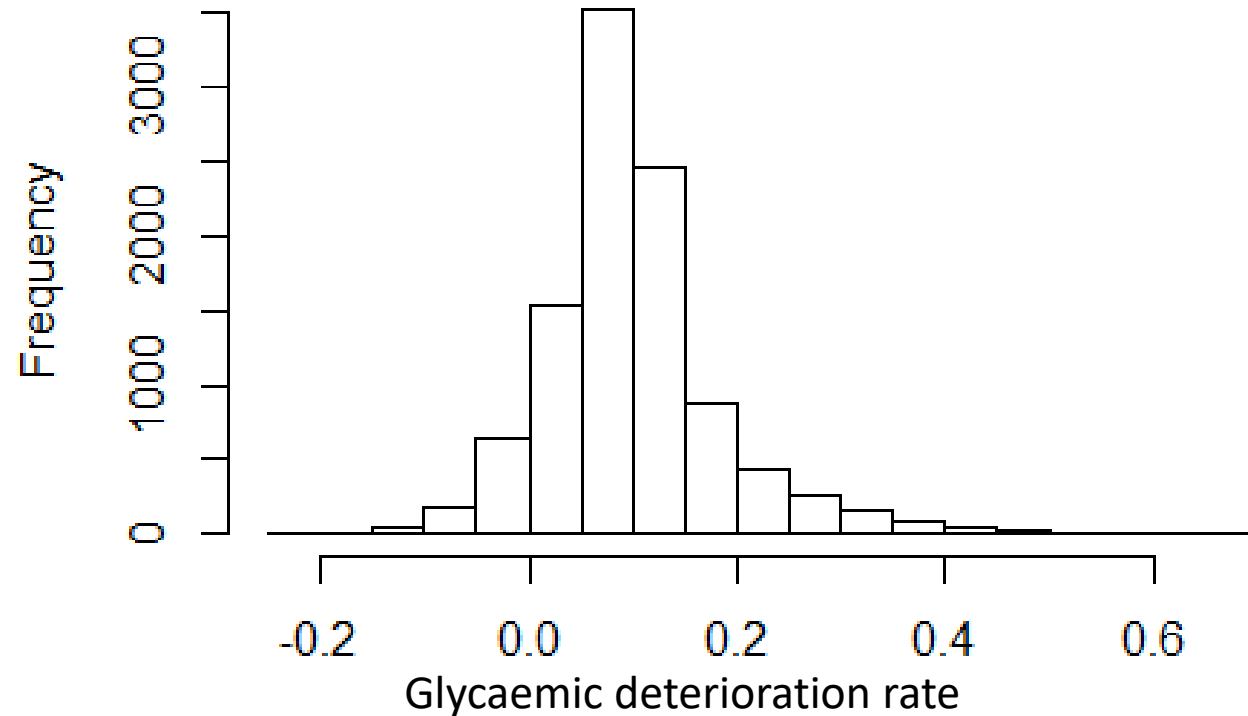
BMI change 5% from baseline

Drug	Estimate (95% CI)
Untreated	Reference
Met	-0.05 (-0.03- -0.07)
AGI	-0.17 (-0.09- -0.24)
DPP	-0.02 (-0.09-0.05)
GLP	-0.13(-0.38- 0.12)
TZD	-0.07 (-0.18- 0.04)
SU	0.00 (-0.02- 0.02)
SGLT	0.10 (-0.15- 0.35)

Glycemic deterioration rate

Mean annual glycemic deterioration	0.098%(95% CI 0.096-0.099)
Median annual glycemic deterioration	0.091% (IQR 0.051-0.125)

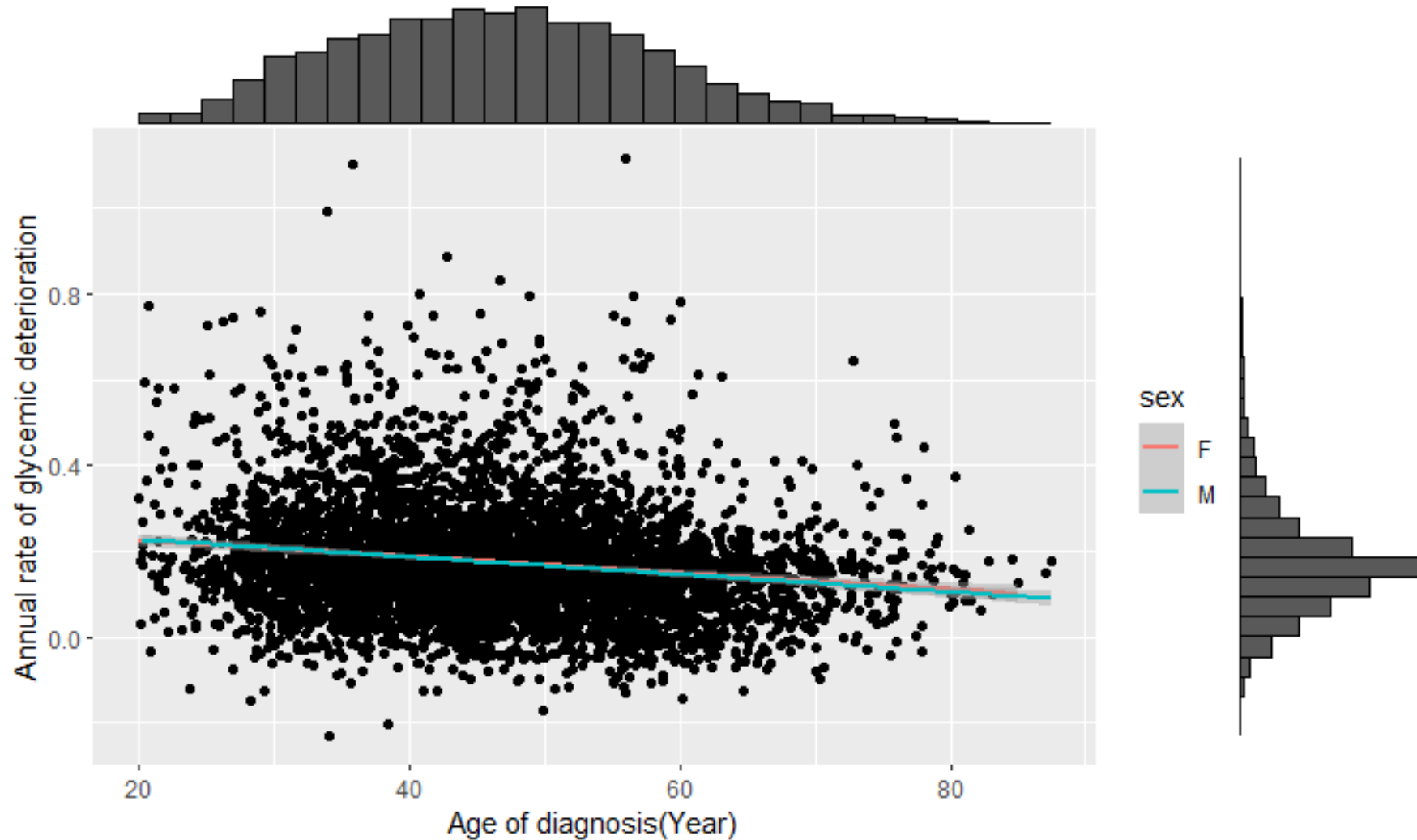
obs.	mean	median	s.d.	min.	max.
10339	0.098	0.091	0.086	-0.221	0.689



Baseline characteristics of the study participants (N=9713)

Variable	Level	Mean(SD)/N(%)
Sex	F	3817 (39.3)
	M	5896 (60.7)
Age of diagnosis	mean (sd)	46.6 (11.5)
HbA1c (%)	mean (sd)	8.9 (2.4)
BMI (kg/m ²)	mean (sd)	27.5 (7.3)
HDL-c (mg/dl)	mean (sd)	39.5 (8.8)
Triglyceride (mg/dl)	mean (sd)	172.2 (134.0)
Total cholesterol (mg/dl)	mean (sd)	184.6 (45.2)
HOMA_IR	mean (sd)	3.3 (13.9)
HOMA_B	mean (sd)	82.0 (59.5)
Family History DM	No H/o DM	4147 (42.7)
	H/o DM	5566 (57.3)
Smoking status	No	7993 (82.3)
	Yes	1720 (17.7)
Alcohol status	No	7469 (76.9)
	Yes	2244 (23.1)

Glycemic deterioration Vs age of diagnosis



Univariate associations

Linear regression

- *Slope from linear mixed model (glycemic deterioration rate) as dependent variable.*
- *A positive estimate indicate it increases rate of glycemic deterioration*
- *A negative estimate denote it decreases rate of glycemic deterioration*

Variable	Level	Estimate
Sex	F	REF
	M	0.01[0.00-0.01]
Age of diagnosis		-0.01[-0.01-0.00]
HbA1c (%)		0.01[0.01-0.01]
BMI (kg/m ²)		0.00[0.00-0.00]
HDL-c (mg/dl)		-0.04[-0.05- -0.02]#
Triglyceride (mg/dl)		0.02[0.01-0.02]#
Total cholesterol (mg/dl)		0.03[0.03-0.05]#
HOMA_IR		0.02[0.01-0.03]#
HOMA_B		-0.02[-0.03- -0.02]#
Family History DM	No H/o DM	REF
	H/o DM	0.01[0.01-0.02]
Smoking status	No	REF
	Yes	0.02[0.01- 0.03]
Alcohol status	No	REF
	Yes	0.01[0.01- 0.02]
Calendar year of diagnosis		0.00[0.00-0.00]

#- log transformed

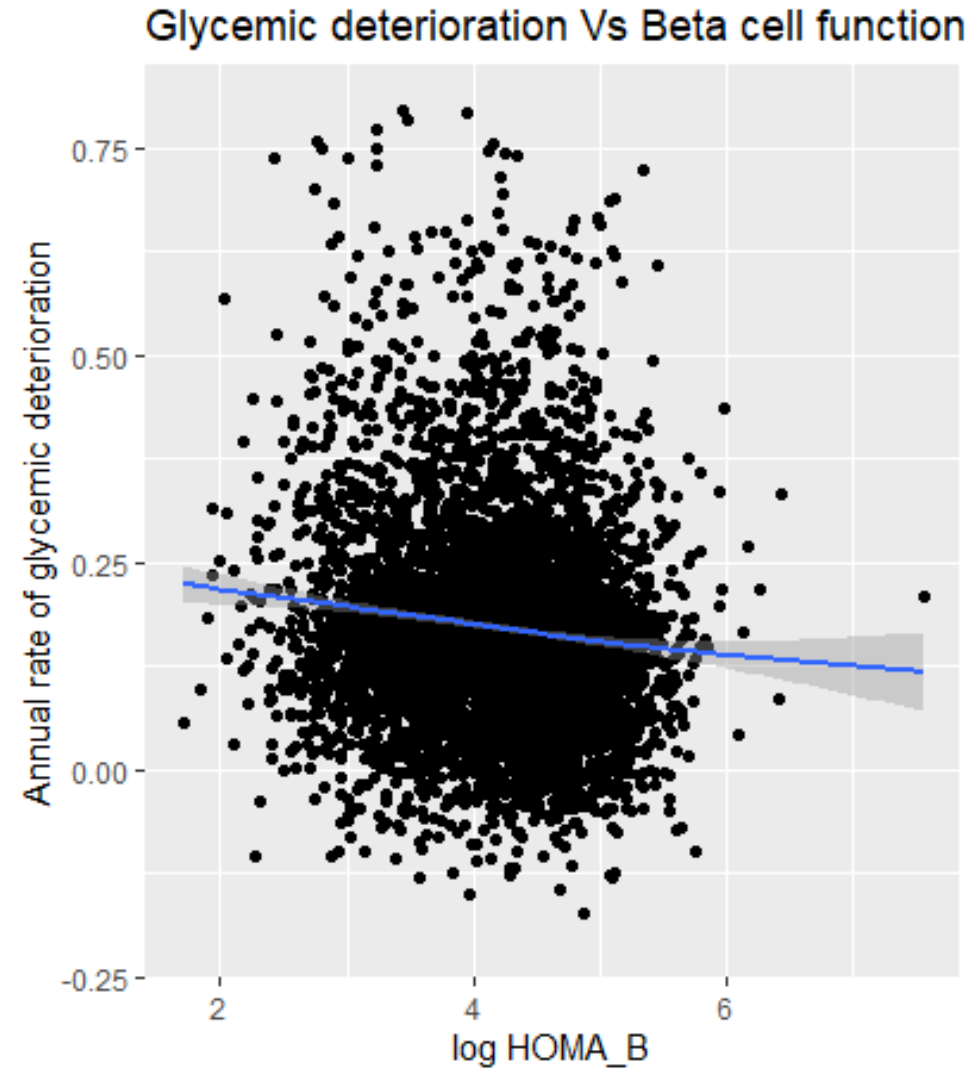
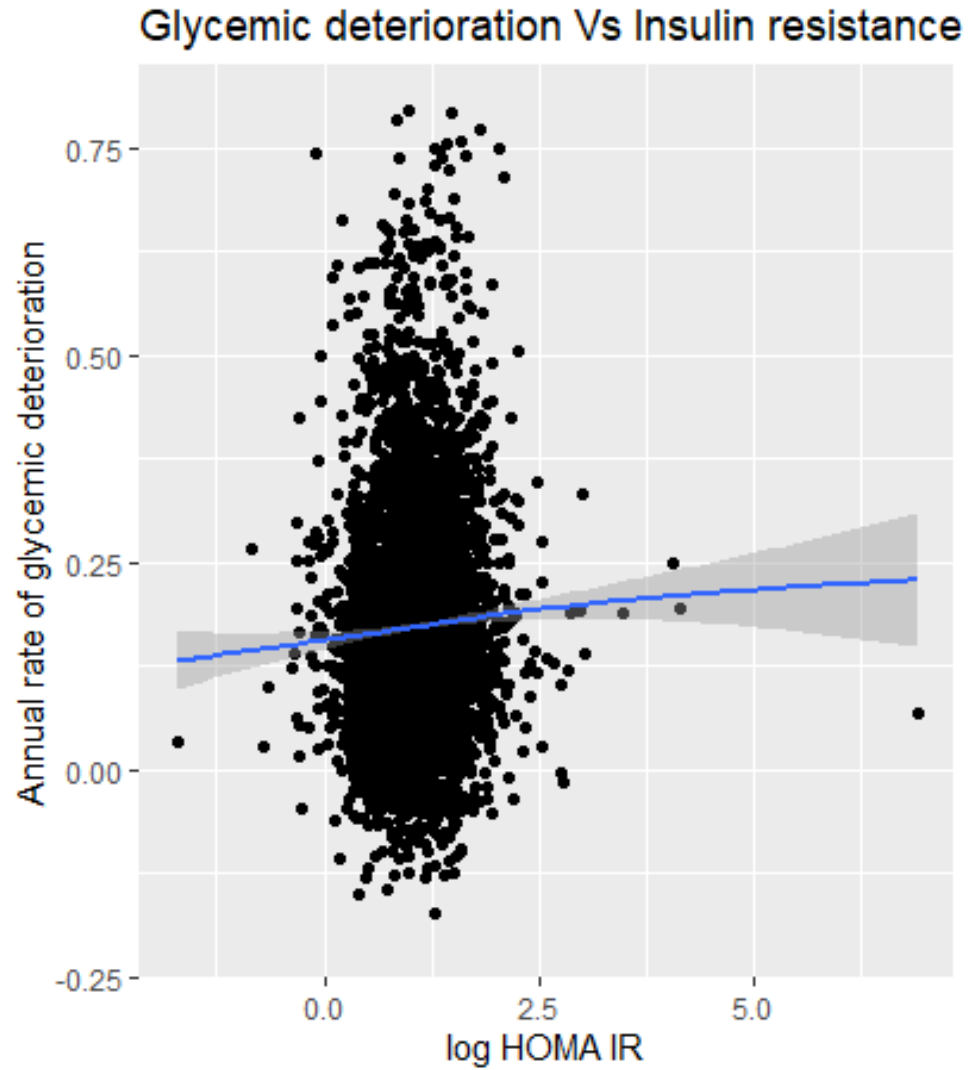
Linear regression analysis

- *Slope from linear mixed model (glycemic deterioration rate) as dependent variable.*
- *A positive estimate indicate it increases rate of glycemic deterioration*
- *A negative value denote it decreases rate of glycemic deterioration*
- *Higher age of diagnosis and elevated HDL-c decreases rate of progression*
- *Higher baseline HbA1c, BMI, dyslipidemia increases rate of progression*

Variable	N	Estimate	p
age_diag	9713	-0.00 (-0.00, -0.00)	<0.001
log(hdl)	9713	-0.01 (-0.02, -0.00)	0.05
BMI_num	9713	0.00 (0.00, 0.00)	0.01
log(hba1c)	9713	0.06 (0.05, 0.06)	<0.001
log(cho)	9713	0.01 (0.00, 0.02)	0.03
(Intercept)		0.01 (-0.03, 0.06)	0.58

-0.02 0 0.02 0.04 0.06

Insulin resistance and beta cell function at T2D diagnosis



Effect of HOMA B and HOMA IR

- Slope from linear mixed model (glycemic deterioration rate) as dependent variable. (HOMA B and HOMA IR adjusted for age and sex)
- A positive estimate indicate it increases rate of glycemic deterioration
- A negative value denote it decreases rate of glycemic deterioration
- Higher beta cell function at T2D diagnosis slows the rate of progression
- Higher insulin resistance increases rate of progression

Variable	N	Estimate	p
age_diag	3330	■	-0.00 (-0.00, -0.00) <0.001
sex	F 1356	■	Reference
	M 1974	■	0.00 (-0.00, 0.01) 0.477
log(HOMA_B)	3330	■	-0.01 (-0.01, -0.00) 0.006
log(HOMA_IR)	3330	■	0.01 (0.01, 0.02) <0.001
(Intercept)		■	0.16 (0.13, 0.18) <0.001

Genetic variants associated with glycemic deterioration rate

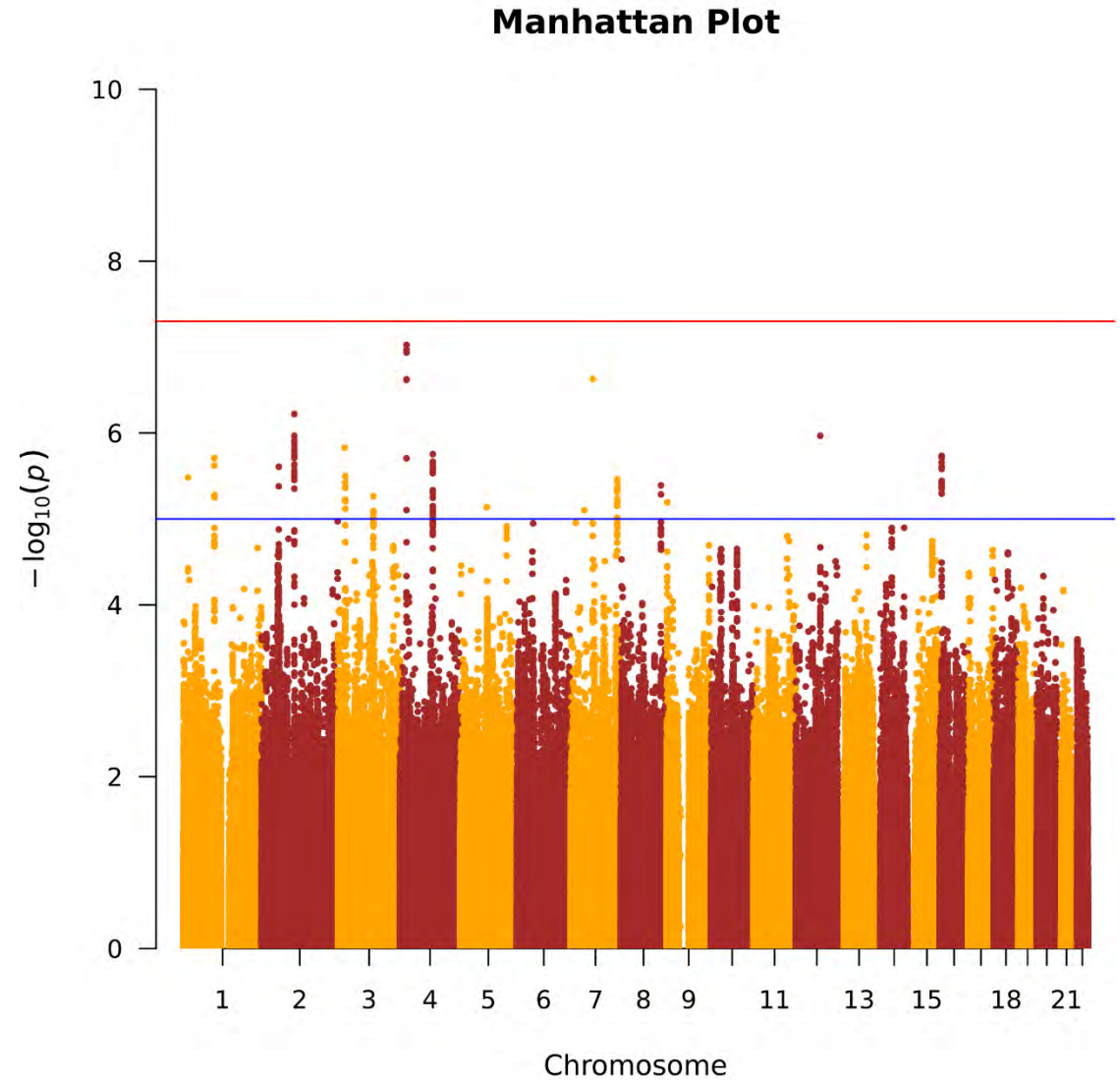
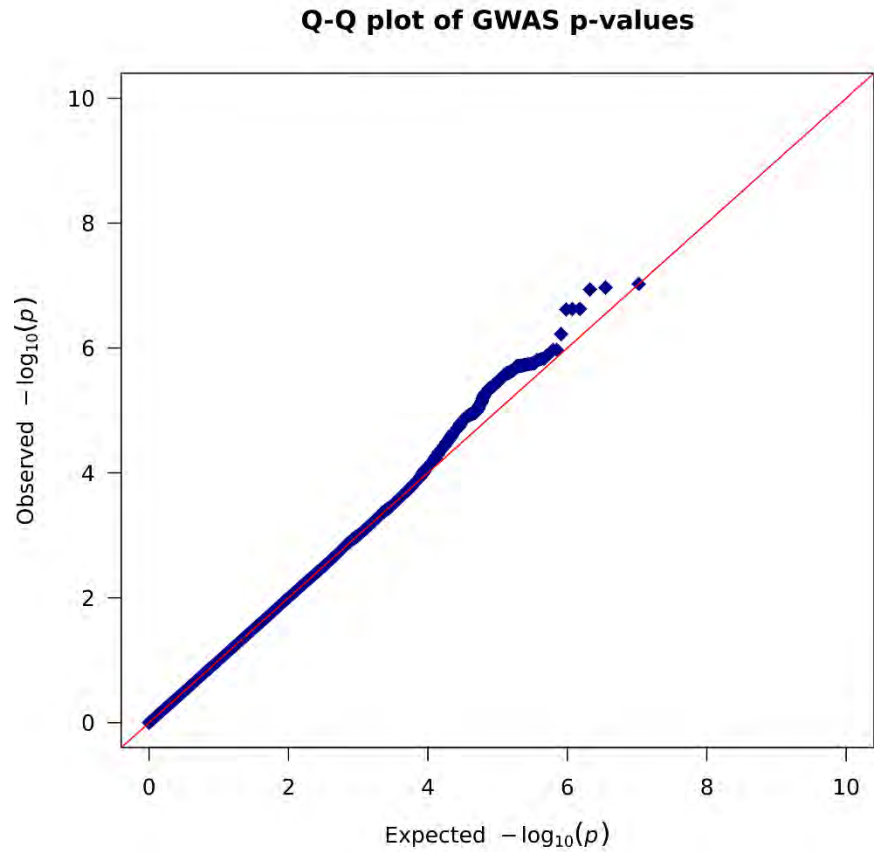
MDRF Freeze 1
(N=718)

MDRF Freeze 2
(N=292)

- Genome wide association test with glycemic deterioration rate as linear trait
- Age and Sex adjusted model
- Population stratification adjusted with – Principal Components
- MAF >0.05

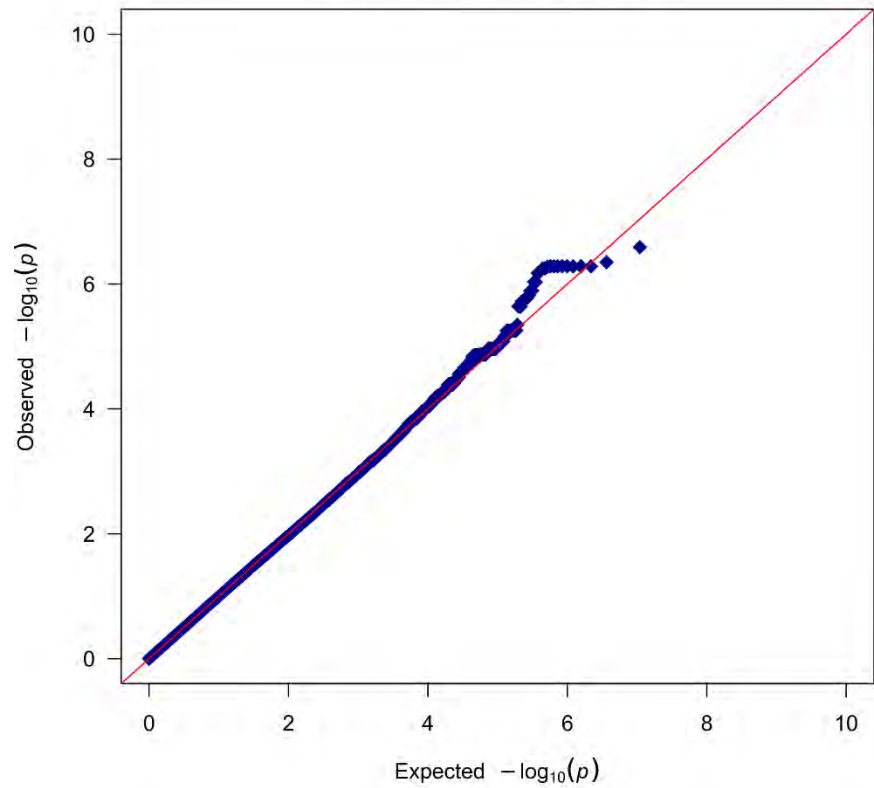
- Combined the results using meta analysis
- Fixed effect meta analysis
- Number of individuals in combined analysis (n=1010)

GWAS Results-MDRF Freeze 1

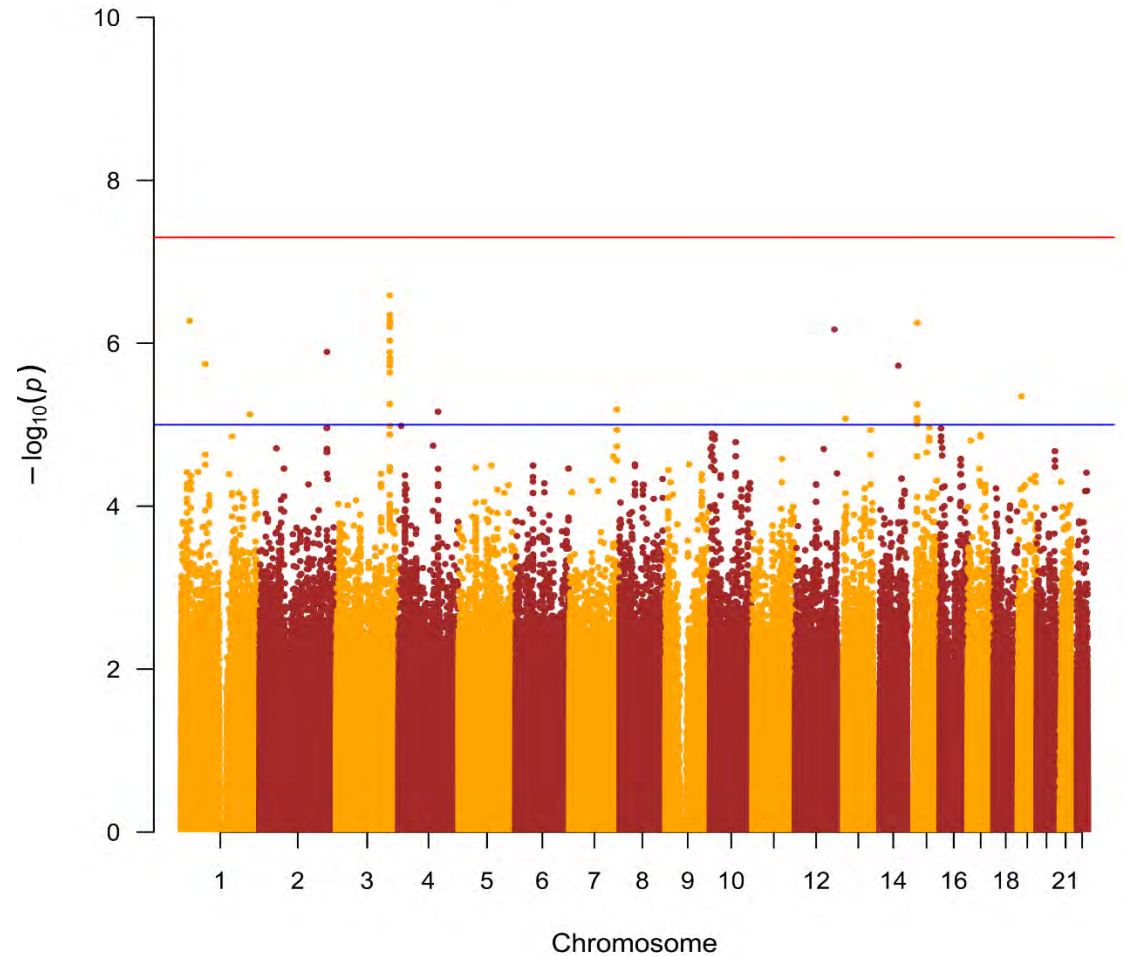


GWAS Results-MDRF Freeze 2

Q-Q plot of GWAS p-values

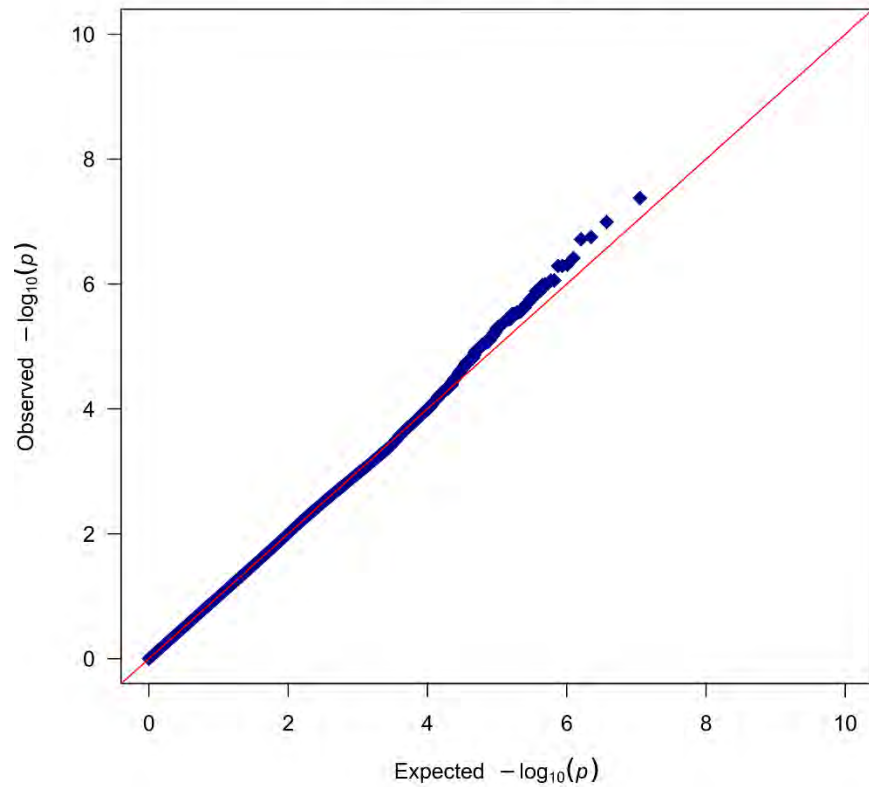


Manhattan Plot

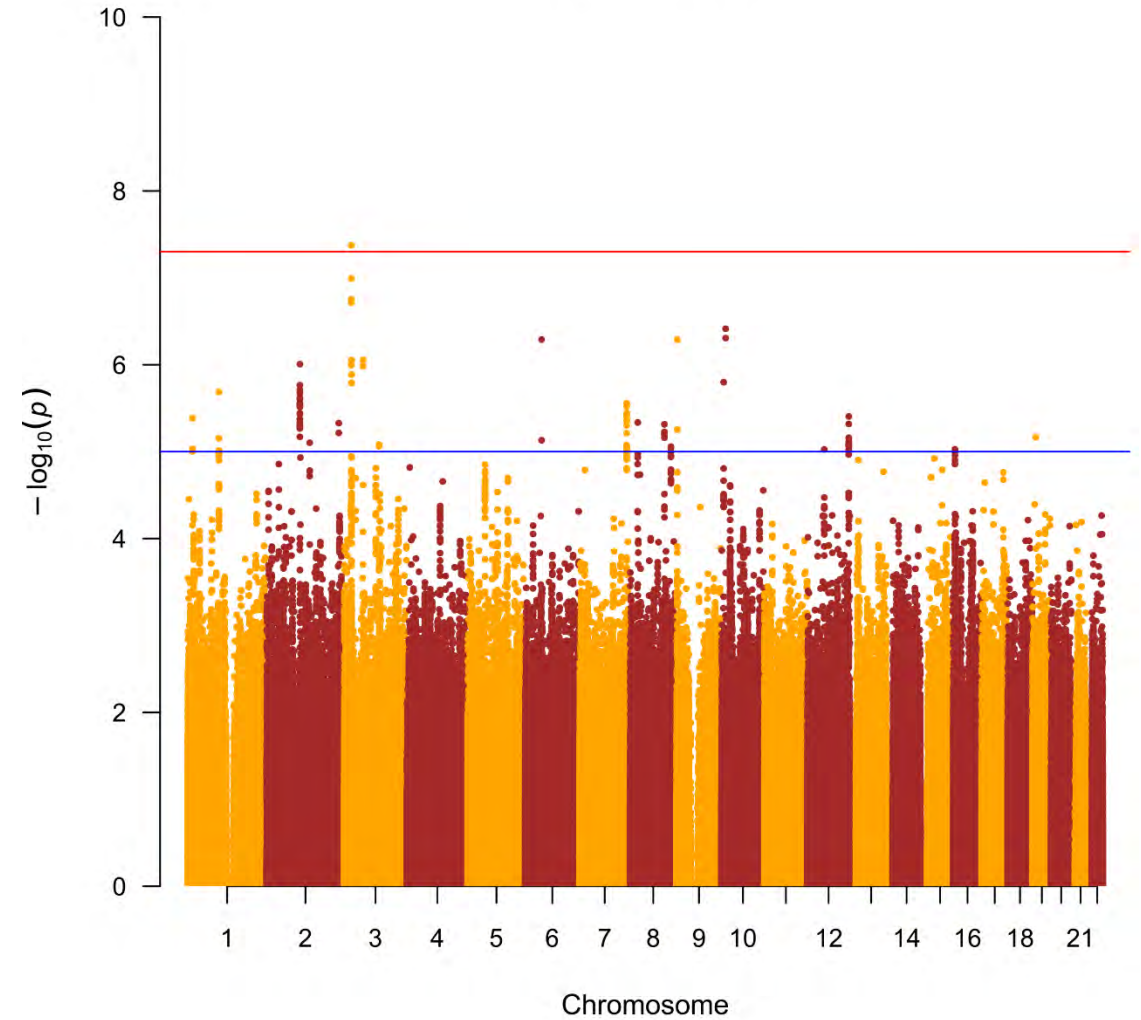


Meta analysis results

Q-Q plot of GWAS p-values



Manhattan Plot



Nearest genes

Top Loci

Marker	rsID	Nearest gene(s)	$-\log_{10}(p)$
3: 23,351,346		UBE2E2	7.406
10: 13,418,594		AL355870.2	6.415
6: 51,880,345		PKHD1	6.290
9: 2,208,793		SMARCA2	6.288
3: 59,707,773		AC126121.3	6.057
2: 104,275,278		AC018880.2	6.007

UBE2E2 gene (Ubiquitin Conjugating Enzyme E2 E2)

- Shown associated with diabetes- rs7612463- chr3:23294959

Published: 05 September 2010

A genome-wide association study in the Japanese population identifies susceptibility loci for type 2 diabetes at *UBE2E2* and *C2CD4A-C2CD4B*

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SUMMARY

Summary of analysis

- First study assessing coefficient of failure and its determinants in Asian Indian T2D population.
- Mean annual glycemetic deterioration from this study (0.098%) is in range with those estimates from other population.^{8,9}
- Indicators of insulin resistance is driving glycemetic deterioration in this study population based on final adjusted model [high BMI, Dysplidemia, Low HDL-c]
- We demonstrate the effect of beta cell function and Insulin resistance on glycemetic deterioration rate in an age and sex adjusted model.
- Studies conducted among Caucasian population reported similar findings and we validate these findings in Asian Indian population.
- We identified a SNPs in chr 3 associated with glycemetic deterioration, which needs validation.
- Combining these phenotypic and genotypic information will aid in development of precision medicine in diabetes management.

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