

Erratum to: Association between the functional ITGAM rs1143679 G/A polymorphism and systemic lupus erythematosus/lupus nephritis or rheumatoid arthritis: an update meta-analysis

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It has been brought to the authors' attention that some of the data originally presented in DOI [10.1007/s00296-014-3156-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/s00296-014-3156-2) are not accurately reflective of one of the original studies cited.

On Page 4 Paragraph 2, the article states

“However, one Latin American study showed no evidence of association between the A allele and LN in Latin Americans (OR 1.440, 95 % CI 0.961, 2.157, $p = 0.077$; Table 3; Fig. 3).”

Correction: The study referenced [Ref: 6] does indeed show evidence of an association between the A allele and LN in Latin Americans. Furthermore, the data presented here do not accurately reflect that which was presented in

the original study, which reads OR 2.58, 95 % CI 1.65, 4.03, $p < 0.01$. The text should also refer to Table 3 and Fig. 4a.

On Page 4 Paragraph 3, the article states

“Meta-analysis showed no evidence of association between the A allele and RA, either in the overall study population or in Europeans (OR 1.078, 95 % CI 0.967, 1.191, $p = 0.177$; OR 1.064, 95 % CI 0.950, 1.191, $p = 0.287$; Table 3; Fig. 4).”

Correction: this paragraph should refer to Fig. 4b.

On Page 5 Fig. 2, the figure reads

“Study name: Toller-Kawahisa et al. 2013.”

Correction: This should read Toller-Kawahisa et al. 2014. A corrected figure is included on the next page.

The online version of the original article can be found under doi:[10.1007/s00296-014-3156-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/s00296-014-3156-2).

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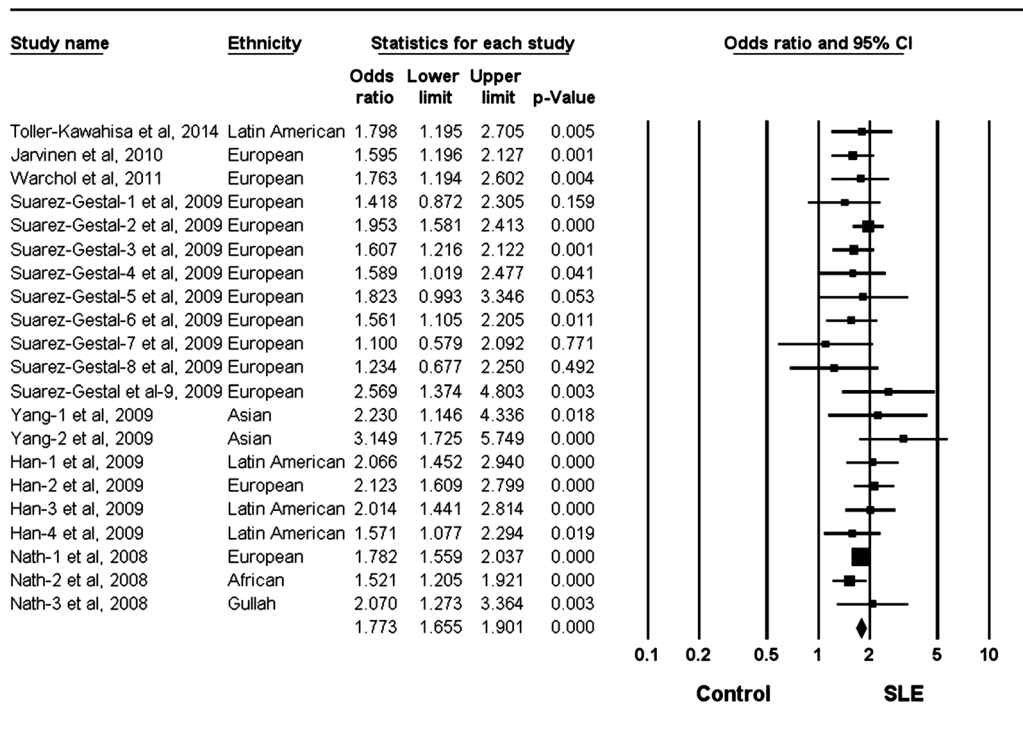


Fig. 2 ORs and 95 % CIs for individual studies and pooled data, for the association between the A allele of the *ITGAM* rs1143679 A/G polymorphism and SLE, in all study subjects

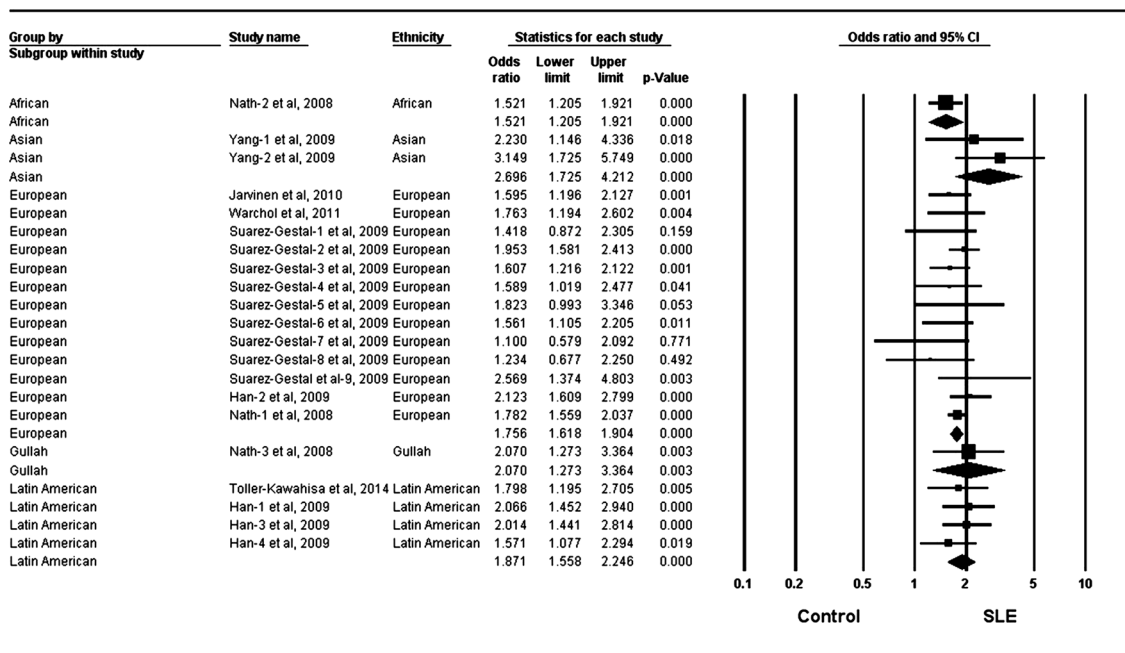


Fig. 3 ORs and 95 % CIs for individual studies and pooled data, for the association between the A allele of the *ITGAM* rs1143679 A/G polymorphism and SLE, in each ethnic group

On Page 6 Fig. 3, the figure reads
 “Study name: Toller-Kawahisa et al. 2013.”

Correction: This should read Toller-Kawahisa et al. 2014. A corrected figure is included above.

On Page 6 Table 3, the table reads

“LN A versus G allele, Latin American population, OR 1.440, 95 % CI 0.961, 2.157, $p = 0.077$.”

Correction: The table does not accurately reflect the data presented in the original study [Ref: 6]. The table should instead read as: LN A versus G allele, Latin American population, OR 2.58, 95 % CI 1.65, 4.03, $p < 0.01$. A corrected table is included below.

On Page 7 Fig. 4a, the figure reads

“Toller-Kawahisa et al. 2013, Latin American ethnicity, OR 1.440, 95 % CI 0.961, 2.157, $p = 0.077$.”

Correction: The figure does not accurately reflect the data presented in the original study [Ref: 6]. The figure should instead read as: Toller-Kawahisa et al. 2014, Latin American ethnicity, OR 2.58, 95 % CI 1.65, 4.03, $p < 0.01$. A corrected figure is included below.

Table 3 Meta-analysis of the association between the *ITGAM* rs1143679 G/A polymorphism and LN or RA

Disease/polymorphism	Population	No. of studies	Test of association			Test of heterogeneity		
			OR	95 % CI	p	Model	I^2	p
LN A versus G allele	Overall	3	1.844	1.443–2.357	1.0×10^{-7}	F	45.4	0.160
	European	2	2.131	1.565–2.903	1.6×10^{-7}	F	27.5	0.240
	Latin American	1	2.580	1.650–4.030	<0.01	NA	NA	NA
RA A versus G allele	Overall	3	1.078	0.967–1.191	0.177	F	0	0.489
	European	2	1.064	0.950–1.191	0.287	F	0	0.369
	Latin American	1	1.247	0.855–1.820	0.252	NA	NA	NA

F fixed-effect model, R random-effects model, NA not available

Fig. 4 ORs and 95 % CIs for individual studies and pooled data, for the association between the A allele of the *ITGAM* rs1143679 A/G polymorphism and LN (a) or RA (b), in all study subjects

