

Table 9. Risk of stroke in statin trials²⁷⁵

Objective (Number of studies)	Total population	Mortality due to all causes RR (95% CI)	Stroke RR (95% CI)	Non- hemorrhagic strokes RR (95% CI)	Hemorrhagic strokes RR (95% CI)
Primary prevention (41)	121,285	0.88 (0.83 to 0.93)	0.84 (0.79 to 0.91)	0.81 (0.69 to 0.94)	0.94 (0.68 to 1.30)
Secondary prevention (1)	4,731	1.00 (0.82 to 1.21)	0.85 (0.73 to 0.99)	0.78 (0.66 to 0.94)	1.25 (1.06 to 1.47)

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