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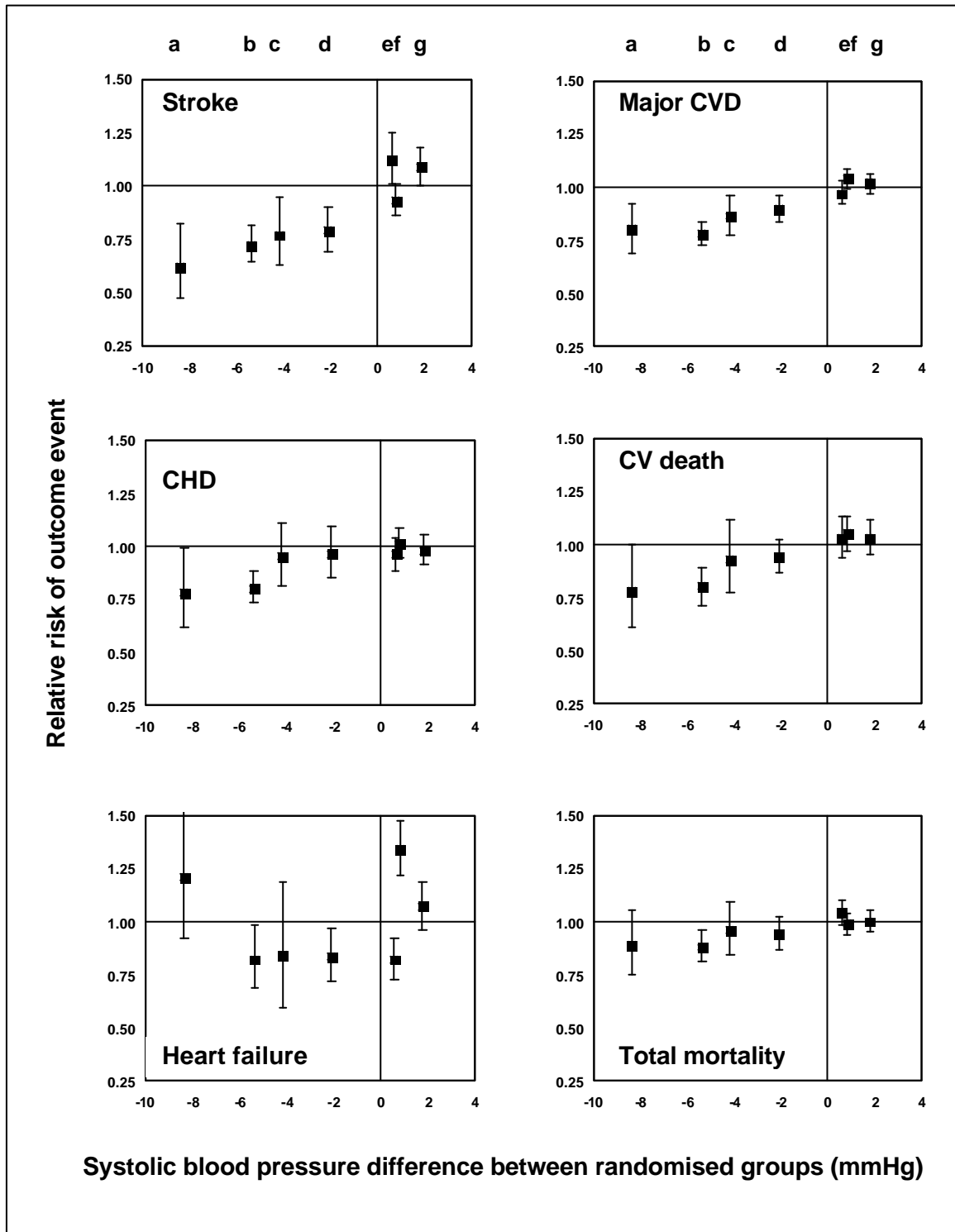


Figure 4: Associations of blood pressure differences between randomised groups with the risks of major vascular outcomes and death

Footnotes

CHD, coronary heart disease; major CVD, major cardiovascular event; CVD death, cardiovascular death. For each outcome, results are (a) calcium antagonist vs. placebo, (b) angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor vs. placebo, (c) more intensive vs. less intensive blood pressure lowering, (d) angiotensin receptor blocker vs. control, (e) ACE inhibitor vs. calcium antagonist, (f) calcium antagonist vs. diuretic/beta-blocker and (g) ACE inhibitor vs. diuretic/beta-blocker. The boxes are plotted at the point estimate of effect for the relative risk for each event type and the mean follow-up blood pressure in the first-listed group compared to the second-listed group. The vertical lines represent 95% confidence intervals.