

Title: Global variations and time trends in the prevalence of Primary Open Angle Glaucoma (POAG); a systematic review and meta-analysis

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Supplemental Material

STATISTICAL APPENDIX: BAYSIAN MODELS FOR THE ESTIMATION OF POAG PREVALENCE

Prevalence of POAG for both genders combined, adjusted for multiple risk factors

Some surveys report POAG prevalence or number of POAG cases for the whole population sample whilst other studies report results in finer granularity (e.g. by age group, ethnicity, habitation type and sex). All regression models were based on data stratified by ethnicity with the finest possible granularity with respect to age and habitation type. When data were reported separately by age and habitation type but not by both age and habitation type, preference was given to stratification by age.

Let I be the total number of clusters defined by the combination of published article, survey year and geographical location as explained in the statistical analysis Section. For each $i \in \{1, \dots, I\}$, let K_i be the total number of estimates of POAG prevalence in cluster i . For each $i \in \{1, \dots, I\}$ and $k_i \in \{1, \dots, K_i\}$, let n_{ik_i} denote the number of POAG cases within population i of sample size N_{ik_i} , and $p_{ik_i} = \frac{n_{ik_i}}{N_{ik_i}}$ denote the corresponding prevalence estimate. Our main regression model is described

by the following formulas:

$$n_{ik_i} \sim \text{Binomial}(p_{ik_i}, N_{ik_i})$$

$$\text{logit}(p_{ik_i}) = \beta_0 + \beta_A A_{k_i} + \sum_{m=1}^6 \beta_E^{(m)} E_{k_i}^{(m)} + \sum_{m=1}^6 \beta_{AE}^{(m)} A_{k_i} E_{k_i}^{(m)} + \sum_{m=1}^3 \beta_D^{(m)} D_{k_i}^{(m)} + U_i$$

$$U_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$

for $k_i \in \{1, \dots, K_i\}$ and $i \in \{1, \dots, I\}$, where A is age; $E^{(1)}, E^{(2)}, E^{(3)}, E^{(4)}, E^{(5)}, E^{(6)}$ are indicator variables for East Asian, South Asian, South-East Asian, black, Hispanic or Latino, and mixed or other ethnic populations, respectively; $D^{(1)}, D^{(2)}, D^{(3)}$ are indicator variables for surveys in which identification of POAG included visual field assessment on all participants and intra ocular pressure was used as a defining criterion of POAG, surveys in which identification of POAG did not include visual field assessment on all participants and intra ocular pressure was used as a defining criterion of POAG, and surveys in which identification of POAG did not include visual field assessment on all participants nor did POAG case definition rely on intra ocular pressure criteria, respectively; and U_i are random effects taking into account the hierarchical structure of the data according to which estimates of prevalence are nested within clusters. The model allows a different log-linear association between age and prevalence of POAG by ethnicity. Low-information prior distributions were used for the quantity $\tau = 1/\sigma^2$ and all other regression coefficients.

Other regression models

Additional regression models investigating the independent associations between the prevalence of POAG and i) age by ethnicity, iii) survey year, iv) study design factors based on use of visual fields and intraocular pressure assessment, v) study design factors based on ISGEO classification and vi) sex were carried out following a similar approach.

POAG prevalence and 95% credible intervals by ethnicity and age

Median POAG prevalence estimates and associated 95% credible intervals were obtained from Model 6, standardising to studies that routinely used VFs on all participants to diagnose POAG. For each ethnic group m , the distribution of POAG prevalence at age A was obtained by:

$$p(A, m) = 1/(1 + \exp(-\beta_0 - \beta_A A - \beta_{E^{(m)}} E^{(m)} - \beta_{AE^{(m)}} AE^{(m)} - \epsilon))$$

$$\epsilon \sim N\left(0, \frac{\sigma^2}{I}\right)$$

where A is age and $E^{(1)}, E^{(2)}, E^{(3)}, E^{(4)}, E^{(5)}, E^{(6)}$ are indicator variables for East Asian, South Asian, South-East Asian, black, Hispanic or Latino, and mixed or other ethnic populations, respectively.

PROGRAMMING CODE

The OpenBUGS and R programming code for the implementation of all models is available from the authors upon request.

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Supplemental Table S1. Articles contributing to the meta-analysis

Ethnicity	Author	Study name / Location, Country	Publication Year	Participant Numbers	POAG cases	Gender			Age range	Habitation type	ISGEO	VF/IOP
						M	F	B				
White	Hollows [24]	Ferndale, Wales, UK	1966	4231	20	•	•	•	40-74	Rural	3	2
	Bankes [25]	Bedford, UK	1968	5941	45			•	20+	Urban	3	2
	Leibowitz [26]	Framingham, USA	1980	2631	50	•	•	•	52-85	Mixed	3	2
	Bengtsson [27]	Dalby, Sweden	1981	1511	13			•	58-69	Rural	3	0
	Martinez [28]	Gisborne, New Zealand	1982	481	20	•	•	•	65+	Urban	3	2
	Gibson [29]	Melton Mowbray, UK	1985	484	32	•	•	•	76+	Urban	3	2
	Ringvold [30]	Middle-Norway	1991	1871	63			•	65+	Urban	3	2
	Tielsch [12]	Baltimore, MD, USA	1991	2913	32			•	40+	Urban	3	0
	Klein [31]	Beaver Dam, WI, USA	1992	4926	104	•	•	•	43+	Rural	3	1
	Coffey [32]	Roscommon, Ireland	1993	2186	41	•	•	•	50+	Rural	3	2
	Dielemans [33]	Rotterdam, The Netherlands	1994	3062	34	•	•	•	55+	Urban	3	1
	Leske [34]	Barbados, West Indies	1994	133	1	•	•	•	40-86	Mixed	3	0
	Giuffre [35]	Casteldaccia, Sicily, Italy	1995	1062	13	•	•	•	40-99	Rural	3	2
	Hirvela [23]	Oulu, Finland	1995	500	27			•	70-95	Rural	3	3
	Ekstrom [36]	Tierp, Sweden	1996	760	29	•	•	•	65-74	Urban	3	0
	Mitchell [37]	Blue Mountains, Australia	1996	3655	87			•	49+	Urban	3	0
	Cedrone [38]	Ponza, Italy	1997	1034	26	•	•	•	40+	Rural	3	2
	Bonomi [39]	Egna-Neumarkt, Italy	1998	4297	84	•	•	•	40+	Rural	3	0
	Reidy [40]	North London, UK	1998	1547	47	•	•	•	65-100	Urban	3	0
	Kozobolis [41]	Crete, Greece	2000	1107	31	•	•	•	40+	Mixed	3	2
	Weih[42]	Melbourne VIP, Australia	2001	3264	56	•	•	•	40+	Urban	3	1
	Weih[42]	Melbourne VIP, Australia	2001	1469	29	•	•	•	40+	Rural	3	1
	Anton [43]	Segovia, Spain	2004	510	10	•	•	•	40-79	Urban	3	0
	Nizankowska [44]	Wroclaw, Poland	2005	4853	62	•	•	•	40-79	Urban	3	2
	Friedman [11]	Salisbury, MD, USA	2006	929	79			•	73+	Urban	3	0
	Astrom [45]	Skelleftea, Sweden	2007	339	1	•	•	•	66	Urban	3	3

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Black	Sakata [46]	Piraquara City, Brazil	2007	1170	25	•	•	•	40+	Urban	2	2
	Topouzis [47]	Thessaloniki Eye Study, Greece	2007	2554	98			•	60+	Urban	3	0
	Arnarsson [48]	Reykjavik, Iceland	2009	1045	29			•	50+	Urban	2	3
	Wallace [49]	Jamaica, West Indies	1969	574	6			•	35-74	Mixed	3	1
	Mason [50]	St. Lucia, West Indies	1989	1679	147	•	•	•	30+	Mixed	3	2
	Tielsch [12]	Baltimore, MD, USA	1991	2395	100			•	40+	Urban	3	0
	Leske [34]	Barbados, West Indies	1994	4498	308	•	•	•	40-86	Mixed	3	0
	Wormald [51]	London, UK	1994	873	32	•	•	•	35+	Urban	3	0
	Buhrmann [52]	Kongwa, East Africa	2000	3247	99			•	40+	Rural	3	0
	Ekwerekwu [53]	Alum-Inyi, Nigeria	2002	664	14			•	30+	Rural	3	2
	Rotchford [54]	Kwazulu-Natal, South Africa	2002	1005	28			•	40+	Rural	1	0
	Rotchford [55]	Temba, South Africa	2003	839	31			•	40-97	Urban	1	0
	Ntim-Amponsah [56]	Ghana, West Africa	2004	1785	149	•	•	•	30-100	Mixed	3	2
	Friedman [11]	Salisbury, MD, USA	2006	285	57			•	73+	Urban	3	0
	East Asian	Ashaye [57]	Southwestern Nigeria	2013	811	50	•	•	•	40+	Urban	2
Budenz [58]		Tema Eye Survey	2013	5603	342	•	•	•	40+	Urban	1	0
Hu [21]		Shunyi, Beijing, China	1989	3000	1			•	40+	Urban	3	2
Shiose [59]		Japan	1991	8924	224	•	•	•	30+	Rural	3	2
Foster [60]		Hovsgol, Mongolia	1996	942	5	•	•	•	40-89	Rural	3	0
Iwase [61]		Tajimi, Japan	2004	3021	119	•	•	•	40+	Urban	3	0
He [62]		Liwan District, Guangzhou, China	2006	1405	29	•	•	•	50-93	Urban	2	2
Ohkubo [63]		Komatsu City, Japan	2007	1128	58			•	40+	Urban	2	3
Wang [64]		Beijing Eye Study, China	2010	4315	111	•	•	•	40+	Mixed	1	0
Kim CS [65]		Namil-myon, South Korea	2011	1532	55	•	•	•	40+	Rural	1	0
Kim JH [66]		Sangju, South Korea	2011	671	18	•	•	•	50+	Urban	2	2
Liang [67]		Handan, China	2011	6716	125	•	•	•	30+	Rural	2	3
Song [68]		Kailu County, Tongliao, Mongolia	2011	5158	73	•	•	•	40+	Rural	1	0
Yoon[69]		Korean NHANES, South Korea	2011	6561	256			•	40+	Mixed	3	3

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South Asian	Sun [70]	Bin County	2012	4956	35	•	•	•	40+	Rural	2	2
	Zhong [71]	Yunnan Minority Eye Study	2012	2133	22	•	•	•	50+	Rural	2	2
	Li[72]	Yongchuan Glaucoma Study, China	2014	5938	51	•	•	•	50+	Urban	3	2
	Rauf [73]	Southall, London, UK	1994	184	5			•	30+	Urban	3	0
	Jacob [74]	Vellore, India	1998	972	4			•	30-60	Urban	3	2
	Dandona [75]	Andhra Pradesh, India	2000	1399	27			•	30-102	Urban	3	2
	Ramakrishnan [76]	Aravind, India	2003	5150	64	•	•	•	40-90	Rural	3	0
	Rahman [77]	Dhaka, Bangladesh	2004	2347	29			•	35-85	Urban	2	2
	Raychaudhuri [78]	South Parganas, India	2005	1269	38	•	•	•	50+	Rural	1	0
	Vijaya [79]	Tamil Nadu, India	2005	3924	64	•	•	•	40+	Rural	1	0
	Palimkar [80]	Chhattisgarh, India	2008	7438	37			•	35+	Rural	3	2
	Vijaya [81]	Chennai, India	2008	3850	135	•	•	•	40+	Urban	1	0
	Garudadri [82]	Andhra Pradesh, India	2010	934	37	•	•	•	40+	Urban	2	2
	Garudadri [82]	Andhra Pradesh, India	2010	2790	45	•	•	•	40+	Rural	2	2
	Sia [83]	Kandy, Sri Lanka	2010	1244	30			•	40+	Rural	2	3
Southeast Asian	Thapa [84]	Bhaktapur Glaucoma Study	2012	3991	51	•	•	•	40+	Rural	1	0
	Nangia [85]	Central India Eye & Medical Study	2013	4570	122			•	30+	Rural	3	0
	Narayanaswamy [86]	Singaporean Indian Eye Study	2013	3400	46	•	•	•	40-80	Urban	2	2
	Rauf [87]	British Asian Community Eye Study	2013	922	9			•	40+	Urban	3	0
	Foster [88]	Tanjong Pagar, Singapore	2000	1232	22	•	•	•	40-81	Urban	3	0
	Metheetrairut [89]	Bangkok, Thailand	2002	2092	73	•	•	•	60-104	Urban	3	2
	Bourne [90]	Rom Klao, Bangkok, Thailand	2003	701	16			•	50+	Urban	1	0
	Casson [91]	Meiktila, Myanmar, Burma	2007	1997	39			•	40+	Rural	2	3
	Shen [92]	Malay, Singapore	2008	3280	104	•	•	•	40-80	Urban	2	3
	Hispanic or Latino	Quigley [93]	Nogales and Tucson, AZ, USA	2001	4774	94	•	•	•	41+	Urban	1
	Varma [94]	Los Angeles, CA, USA	2004	6142	291	•	•	•	40+	Urban	3	0
Other/Mixed	Alsbirk [22]	Eskimos, Greenland	1973	396	5	•	•	•	40+	Rural	3	2
	Arkell [95]	Eskimos, Alaska	1987	1686	1	•	•	•	15+	Rural	3	2

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	Salmon [96]	Mamre, South Africa	1993	987	15	•	•	•	40+	Rural	3	2
	Sakata [46]	Piraquara City, Brazil	2007	397	15			•	40+	Urban	2	2
	Al-Mansouri [97]	Qatar	2011	3149	44			•	40+	Mixed	3	2
	Landers [98]	Alice Springs, Australia	2011	1884	7			•	20+	Rural	2	3
	Pakravan [99]	Yazd Eye Study, Iran	2013	1770	51			•	40-80	Urban	1	0
	Pakravan [99]	Yazd Eye Study, Iran	2013	220	13			•	40-80	Rural	1	0

Gender

M: POAG prevalence reported for males.

F: POAG prevalence reported for females.

B: POAG prevalence reported for both sexes combined.

More information about ISGEO classification

- 1: "Follows ISGEO & VF on all" (Study design follows the ISGEO criteria and visual field assessment was performed on all participants).
- 2: "Follows ISGEO & VF on subset" (Study design follows the ISGEO criteria and visual field assessment was performed on a subset of participants limited to a proportion of subjects or only high risk subjects).
- 3: "Does not follow ISGEO" (A more conventional method of determining glaucoma using a combination of optic disc features & visual field defects).

More information about VF/IOP classification

- 0: "VF on all" (Identification of POAG included visual field assessment on all participants and intra ocular pressure was not used as a defining criterion of POAG).
- 1: "VF on all & IOP criterion" (Identification of POAG included visual field assessment on all participants and intra ocular pressure was used as a defining criterion of POAG).
- 2: "IOP criterion & VF on subset" (Identification of POAG did not include visual field assessment on all participants and intra ocular pressure was used as a defining criterion of POAG).
- 3: "Other" (Identification of POAG did not include visual field assessment on all participants nor did POAG case definition rely on intra ocular pressure criteria).

Supplemental Table S2. Estimated prevalence of POAG by age (yearly), gender and ethnicity

Age (years)	Prevalence of POAG by age and ethnicity (%)								
	White		Black	East Asian	South Asian	Southeast Asian	Hispanic or Latino	Other/Mixed	
	Men	Women	All	All	All	All	All	All	
35	0.3 (0.1 , 0.8)*	0.3 (0.1 , 0.7)*	0.3 (0.2 , 0.4)	1.7 (1.2 , 2.4)	0.7 (0.4 , 1.0)	0.6 (0.4 , 0.9)	0.7 (0.3 , 1.5)*	0.3 (0.1 , 0.8)*	0.5 (0.2 , 1.0)
36	0.3 (0.1 , 0.8)*	0.3 (0.1 , 0.7)*	0.3 (0.2 , 0.4)	1.7 (1.2 , 2.5)	0.7 (0.5 , 1.1)	0.6 (0.4 , 0.9)	0.7 (0.4 , 1.6)*	0.4 (0.2 , 0.8)*	0.5 (0.2 , 1.0)
37	0.3 (0.1 , 0.9)*	0.3 (0.1 , 0.8)*	0.3 (0.2 , 0.4)	1.8 (1.3 , 2.6)	0.7 (0.5 , 1.1)	0.7 (0.4 , 1.0)	0.8 (0.4 , 1.6)*	0.4 (0.2 , 0.9)*	0.5 (0.2 , 1.1)
38	0.4 (0.1 , 0.9)*	0.3 (0.1 , 0.8)*	0.3 (0.2 , 0.5)	1.9 (1.4 , 2.8)	0.8 (0.5 , 1.1)	0.7 (0.5 , 1.0)	0.8 (0.4 , 1.7)*	0.4 (0.2 , 1.0)*	0.6 (0.3 , 1.1)
39	0.4 (0.1 , 1.0)*	0.3 (0.1 , 0.9)*	0.3 (0.2 , 0.5)	2.0 (1.4 , 2.9)	0.8 (0.5 , 1.2)	0.7 (0.5 , 1.1)	0.9 (0.4 , 1.8)*	0.5 (0.2 , 1.1)*	0.6 (0.3 , 1.2)
40	0.4 (0.2 , 1.0)*	0.4 (0.1 , 0.9)*	0.4 (0.2 , 0.5)	2.1 (1.5 , 3.0)	0.8 (0.5 , 1.2)	0.8 (0.5 , 1.1)	0.9 (0.4 , 1.8)*	0.5 (0.2 , 1.2)*	0.6 (0.3 , 1.3)
41	0.4 (0.2 , 1.1)*	0.4 (0.1 , 1.0)*	0.4 (0.3 , 0.6)	2.2 (1.6 , 3.1)	0.9 (0.6 , 1.3)	0.8 (0.6 , 1.2)	0.9 (0.5 , 1.9)*	0.6 (0.2 , 1.3)*	0.7 (0.4 , 1.3)
42	0.5 (0.2 , 1.2)	0.4 (0.2 , 1.0)	0.4 (0.3 , 0.6)	2.3 (1.6 , 3.3)	0.9 (0.6 , 1.3)	0.8 (0.6 , 1.2)	1.0 (0.5 , 1.9)*	0.6 (0.3 , 1.4)*	0.7 (0.4 , 1.4)
43	0.5 (0.2 , 1.3)	0.4 (0.2 , 1.1)	0.4 (0.3 , 0.6)	2.4 (1.7 , 3.4)	0.9 (0.6 , 1.4)	0.9 (0.6 , 1.3)	1.0 (0.5 , 2.0)*	0.7 (0.3 , 1.5)*	0.8 (0.4 , 1.4)
44	0.5 (0.2 , 1.3)	0.5 (0.2 , 1.2)	0.5 (0.3 , 0.7)	2.5 (1.8 , 3.6)	1.0 (0.6 , 1.4)	0.9 (0.7 , 1.3)	1.1 (0.6 , 2.1)	0.7 (0.3 , 1.6)	0.8 (0.5 , 1.5)
45	0.6 (0.2 , 1.4)	0.5 (0.2 , 1.2)	0.5 (0.4 , 0.7)	2.6 (1.9 , 3.8)	1.0 (0.7 , 1.5)	1.0 (0.7 , 1.4)	1.1 (0.6 , 2.2)	0.8 (0.3 , 1.7)	0.9 (0.5 , 1.6)
46	0.6 (0.2 , 1.5)	0.5 (0.2 , 1.3)	0.5 (0.4 , 0.8)	2.8 (2.0 , 3.9)	1.0 (0.7 , 1.5)	1.0 (0.7 , 1.5)	1.2 (0.6 , 2.2)	0.8 (0.4 , 1.9)	1.0 (0.5 , 1.7)
47	0.6 (0.2 , 1.6)	0.5 (0.2 , 1.4)	0.6 (0.4 , 0.8)	2.9 (2.1 , 4.1)	1.1 (0.7 , 1.6)	1.1 (0.8 , 1.6)	1.2 (0.7 , 2.3)	0.9 (0.4 , 2.0)	1.0 (0.6 , 1.8)
48	0.7 (0.3 , 1.7)	0.6 (0.2 , 1.4)	0.6 (0.4 , 0.9)	3.0 (2.2 , 4.3)	1.1 (0.8 , 1.6)	1.2 (0.8 , 1.6)	1.3 (0.7 , 2.4)	1.0 (0.4 , 2.2)	1.1 (0.6 , 1.9)
49	0.7 (0.3 , 1.8)	0.6 (0.2 , 1.5)	0.7 (0.5 , 0.9)	3.2 (2.3 , 4.5)	1.2 (0.8 , 1.7)	1.2 (0.9 , 1.7)	1.3 (0.7 , 2.5)	1.1 (0.5 , 2.4)	1.1 (0.7 , 2.0)
50	0.8 (0.3 , 1.9)	0.6 (0.3 , 1.6)	0.7 (0.5 , 1.0)	3.3 (2.4 , 4.7)	1.2 (0.8 , 1.8)	1.3 (0.9 , 1.8)	1.4 (0.8 , 2.6)	1.2 (0.5 , 2.6)	1.2 (0.7 , 2.1)
51	0.8 (0.3 , 2.0)	0.7 (0.3 , 1.7)	0.8 (0.6 , 1.1)	3.5 (2.5 , 4.9)	1.3 (0.9 , 1.8)	1.3 (1.0 , 1.9)	1.4 (0.8 , 2.7)	1.3 (0.6 , 2.8)	1.3 (0.8 , 2.2)
52	0.9 (0.3 , 2.2)	0.7 (0.3 , 1.8)	0.8 (0.6 , 1.1)	3.6 (2.6 , 5.1)	1.3 (0.9 , 1.9)	1.4 (1.0 , 2.0)	1.5 (0.8 , 2.8)	1.4 (0.6 , 3.0)	1.4 (0.8 , 2.3)
53	0.9 (0.4 , 2.3)	0.8 (0.3 , 1.9)	0.9 (0.6 , 1.2)	3.8 (2.7 , 5.3)	1.4 (0.9 , 2.0)	1.5 (1.1 , 2.1)	1.6 (0.9 , 2.9)	1.5 (0.7 , 3.3)	1.5 (0.9 , 2.4)
54	1.0 (0.4 , 2.5)	0.8 (0.3 , 2.0)	0.9 (0.7 , 1.3)	4.0 (2.9 , 5.6)	1.4 (1.0 , 2.1)	1.6 (1.1 , 2.2)	1.7 (0.9 , 3.0)	1.6 (0.7 , 3.5)	1.6 (1.0 , 2.6)
55	1.1 (0.4 , 2.6)	0.9 (0.3 , 2.1)	1.0 (0.7 , 1.4)	4.1 (3.0 , 5.8)	1.5 (1.0 , 2.1)	1.7 (1.2 , 2.3)	1.7 (1.0 , 3.1)	1.8 (0.8 , 3.8)	1.7 (1.0 , 2.8)
56	1.1 (0.5 , 2.8)	0.9 (0.4 , 2.3)	1.1 (0.8 , 1.5)	4.3 (3.1 , 6.1)	1.5 (1.0 , 2.2)	1.7 (1.2 , 2.5)	1.8 (1.0 , 3.3)	1.9 (0.8 , 4.2)	1.8 (1.1 , 2.9)
57	1.2 (0.5 , 3.0)	1.0 (0.4 , 2.4)	1.1 (0.8 , 1.6)	4.5 (3.3 , 6.4)	1.6 (1.1 , 2.3)	1.8 (1.3 , 2.6)	1.9 (1.1 , 3.4)	2.1 (0.9 , 4.5)	1.9 (1.2 , 3.1)
58	1.3 (0.5 , 3.2)	1.0 (0.4 , 2.5)	1.2 (0.9 , 1.7)	4.7 (3.4 , 6.6)	1.7 (1.1 , 2.4)	1.9 (1.4 , 2.7)	2.0 (1.1 , 3.5)	2.3 (1.0 , 4.9)	2.0 (1.2 , 3.3)
59	1.4 (0.6 , 3.4)	1.1 (0.4 , 2.7)	1.3 (1.0 , 1.8)	4.9 (3.6 , 6.9)	1.7 (1.2 , 2.5)	2.0 (1.5 , 2.9)	2.1 (1.2 , 3.7)	2.4 (1.1 , 5.3)	2.2 (1.3 , 3.5)

Prevalence of POAG by age and ethnicity (%)

Age (years)	White		Black	East Asian	South Asian	Southeast Asian	Hispanic or Latino	Other/Mixed	
	Men	Women	All	All	All	All	All	All	
60	1.5 (0.6 , 3.6)	1.2 (0.5 , 2.8)	1.4 (1.0 , 1.9)	5.2 (3.7 , 7.2)	1.8 (1.2 , 2.6)	2.1 (1.5 , 3.0)	2.2 (1.2 , 3.9)	2.7 (1.2 , 5.7)	2.3 (1.4 , 3.8)
61	1.6 (0.6 , 3.8)	1.2 (0.5 , 3.0)	1.5 (1.1 , 2.0)	5.4 (3.9 , 7.6)	1.9 (1.3 , 2.7)	2.3 (1.6 , 3.2)	2.3 (1.3 , 4.0)	2.9 (1.3 , 6.1)	2.5 (1.5 , 4.0)
62	1.7 (0.7 , 4.0)	1.3 (0.5 , 3.2)	1.6 (1.2 , 2.2)	5.6 (4.1 , 7.9)	1.9 (1.3 , 2.8)	2.4 (1.7 , 3.3)	2.4 (1.3 , 4.2)	3.1 (1.4 , 6.6)	2.6 (1.6 , 4.3)
63	1.8 (0.7 , 4.3)	1.4 (0.6 , 3.4)	1.7 (1.3 , 2.3)	5.9 (4.3 , 8.2)	2.0 (1.4 , 2.9)	2.5 (1.8 , 3.5)	2.5 (1.4 , 4.4)	3.4 (1.5 , 7.2)	2.8 (1.7 , 4.6)
64	1.9 (0.8 , 4.6)	1.5 (0.6 , 3.6)	1.8 (1.4 , 2.5)	6.2 (4.5 , 8.6)	2.1 (1.4 , 3.0)	2.6 (1.9 , 3.7)	2.6 (1.5 , 4.6)	3.7 (1.6 , 7.7)	3.0 (1.7 , 5.0)
65	2.0 (0.8 , 4.9)	1.6 (0.6 , 3.8)	2.0 (1.5 , 2.7)	6.4 (4.7 , 9.0)	2.2 (1.5 , 3.1)	2.8 (2.0 , 3.9)	2.7 (1.5 , 4.8)	4.0 (1.8 , 8.4)	3.2 (1.8 , 5.3)
66	2.1 (0.9 , 5.2)	1.7 (0.7 , 4.0)	2.1 (1.6 , 2.8)	6.7 (4.9 , 9.4)	2.2 (1.5 , 3.3)	2.9 (2.1 , 4.1)	2.8 (1.6 , 5.0)	4.3 (1.9 , 9.0)	3.4 (1.9 , 5.7)
67	2.3 (0.9 , 5.5)	1.8 (0.7 , 4.2)	2.2 (1.7 , 3.0)	7.0 (5.1 , 9.8)	2.3 (1.6 , 3.4)	3.1 (2.2 , 4.3)	2.9 (1.7 , 5.2)	4.7 (2.1 , 9.7)	3.6 (2.0 , 6.1)
68	2.4 (1.0 , 5.8)	1.9 (0.8 , 4.5)	2.4 (1.8 , 3.2)	7.3 (5.3 , 10.2)	2.4 (1.6 , 3.5)	3.2 (2.3 , 4.6)	3.1 (1.7 , 5.4)	5.1 (2.3 , 10.5)	3.8 (2.1 , 6.6)
69	2.6 (1.1 , 6.2)	2.0 (0.8 , 4.7)	2.6 (1.9 , 3.5)	7.7 (5.6 , 10.6)	2.5 (1.7 , 3.7)	3.4 (2.4 , 4.8)	3.2 (1.8 , 5.7)	5.5 (2.5 , 11.3)	4.0 (2.2 , 7.1)
70	2.8 (1.1 , 6.6)	2.1 (0.8 , 5.0)	2.7 (2.1 , 3.7)	8.0 (5.8 , 11.1)	2.6 (1.8 , 3.8)	3.6 (2.5 , 5.0)	3.3 (1.9 , 6.0)	5.9 (2.7 , 12.2)	4.3 (2.4 , 7.7)
71	2.9 (1.2 , 7.0)	2.2 (0.9 , 5.3)	2.9 (2.2 , 4.0)	8.4 (6.1 , 11.5)	2.7 (1.8 , 3.9)	3.8 (2.7 , 5.3)	3.5 (2.0 , 6.2)	6.4 (2.9 , 13.1)	4.6 (2.5 , 8.3)
72	3.1 (1.3 , 7.4)	2.3 (1.0 , 5.6)	3.1 (2.4 , 4.2)	8.7 (6.3 , 12.0)	2.8 (1.9 , 4.1)	4.0 (2.8 , 5.6)	3.6 (2.1 , 6.5)	6.9 (3.1 , 14.1)	4.9 (2.6 , 8.9)
73	3.3 (1.4 , 7.9)	2.5 (1.0 , 5.9)	3.3 (2.5 , 4.5)	9.1 (6.6 , 12.6)	2.9 (2.0 , 4.3)	4.2 (2.9 , 5.9)	3.8 (2.1 , 6.8)	7.5 (3.4 , 15.2)	5.2 (2.7 , 9.6)
74	3.5 (1.5 , 8.4)	2.6 (1.1 , 6.2)	3.6 (2.7 , 4.8)	9.5 (6.9 , 13.1)	3.0 (2.1 , 4.4)	4.4 (3.1 , 6.2)	4.0 (2.2 , 7.1)	8.1 (3.7 , 16.3)	5.5 (2.8 , 10.3)
75	3.8 (1.6 , 8.9)	2.8 (1.1 , 6.6)	3.8 (2.9 , 5.1)	9.9 (7.2 , 13.6)	3.2 (2.1 , 4.6)	4.6 (3.2 , 6.5)	4.2 (2.3 , 7.5)	8.7 (4.0 , 17.4)	5.8 (3.0 , 11.1)
76	4.0 (1.7 , 9.4)	3.0 (1.2 , 7.0)	4.1 (3.1 , 5.5)	10.3 (7.5 , 14.2)	3.3 (2.2 , 4.8)	4.8 (3.4 , 6.9)	4.3 (2.4 , 7.9)*	9.4 (4.4 , 18.7)	6.2 (3.1 , 12.0)
77	4.3 (1.8 , 10.0)	3.1 (1.3 , 7.4)	4.3 (3.3 , 5.9)	10.8 (7.9 , 14.8)	3.4 (2.3 , 5.0)	5.1 (3.6 , 7.2)	4.5 (2.5 , 8.2)*	10.2 (4.7 , 20.0)	6.6 (3.2 , 12.9)
78	4.5 (1.9 , 10.6)	3.3 (1.3 , 7.8)	4.6 (3.5 , 6.3)	11.2 (8.2 , 15.4)	3.5 (2.4 , 5.2)	5.4 (3.7 , 7.6)	4.7 (2.6 , 8.6)*	11.0 (5.1 , 21.4)	7.0 (3.4 , 13.9)
79	4.8 (2.0 , 11.3)	3.5 (1.4 , 8.3)	5.0 (3.7 , 6.7)	11.7 (8.6 , 16.0)	3.7 (2.5 , 5.4)	5.6 (3.9 , 8.0)	4.9 (2.7 , 9.0)*	11.8 (5.5 , 22.9)	7.4 (3.5 , 14.9)
80	5.1 (2.1 , 12.0)	3.7 (1.5 , 8.7)	5.3 (4.0 , 7.1)	12.2 (8.9 , 16.6)	3.8 (2.6 , 5.6)	5.9 (4.1 , 8.4)	5.1 (2.8 , 9.5)*	12.7 (6.0 , 24.4)	7.9 (3.7 , 16.0)
81	5.5 (2.3 , 12.7)	3.9 (1.6 , 9.2)	5.6 (4.2 , 7.6)	12.7 (9.3 , 17.3)	4.0 (2.7 , 5.8)	6.2 (4.3 , 8.8)	5.4 (2.9 , 9.9)*	13.7 (6.4 , 26.0)	8.3 (3.8 , 17.2)*
82	5.8 (2.4 , 13.4)	4.2 (1.7 , 9.8)	6.0 (4.5 , 8.1)	13.2 (9.7 , 18.0)	4.1 (2.8 , 6.0)	6.5 (4.5 , 9.3)	5.6 (3.0 , 10.4)*	14.7 (7.0 , 27.7)	8.9 (4.0 , 18.4)*
83	6.2 (2.6 , 14.2)	4.4 (1.8 , 10.3)	6.4 (4.8 , 8.7)	13.8 (10.1 , 18.7)	4.3 (2.9 , 6.3)	6.8 (4.8 , 9.8)	5.8 (3.1 , 11.0)*	15.8 (7.5 , 29.4)	9.4 (4.1 , 19.8)*
84	6.6 (2.7 , 15.1)	4.7 (1.9 , 10.9)	6.9 (5.1 , 9.2)	14.3 (10.5 , 19.4)	4.4 (3.0 , 6.5)	7.2 (5.0 , 10.3)	6.1 (3.2 , 11.5)*	16.9 (8.1 , 31.2)	9.9 (4.3 , 21.2)*
85	7.0 (2.9 , 15.9)	4.9 (2.0 , 11.5)	7.3 (5.5 , 9.8)	14.9 (10.9 , 20.2)	4.6 (3.1 , 6.8)	7.6 (5.2 , 10.8)	6.4 (3.3 , 12.1)*	18.2 (8.7 , 33.1)	10.5 (4.5 , 22.7)*
86	7.4 (3.1 , 16.9)	5.2 (2.1 , 12.1)	7.8 (5.8 , 10.5)	15.5 (11.4 , 21.0)	4.8 (3.2 , 7.0)*	7.9 (5.5 , 11.3)	6.6 (3.4 , 12.6)*	19.4 (9.4 , 35.0)	11.2 (4.7 , 24.3)*

Age (years)	Prevalence of POAG by age and ethnicity (%)								
		White		Black	East Asian	South Asian	Southeast Asian	Hispanic or Latino	Other/Mixed
	Men	Women	All	All	All	All	All	All	All
87	7.9 (3.3 , 17.8)	5.5 (2.3 , 12.8)	8.3 (6.2 , 11.2)	16.1 (11.9 , 21.7)	5.0 (3.3 , 7.3)*	8.3 (5.7 , 11.9)*	6.9 (3.5 , 13.3)*	20.8 (10.2 , 36.9)	11.8 (4.8 , 25.9)*
88	8.3 (3.5 , 18.8)	5.8 (2.4 , 13.5)	8.8 (6.6 , 11.9)	16.7 (12.3 , 22.6)	5.1 (3.4 , 7.6)*	8.7 (6.0 , 12.5)*	7.2 (3.6 , 13.9)*	22.2 (10.9 , 39.0)	12.5 (5.0 , 27.7)*
89	8.8 (3.7 , 19.9)	6.2 (2.5 , 14.2)	9.4 (7.0 , 12.7)	17.4 (12.8 , 23.4)	5.3 (3.5 , 7.9)*	9.2 (6.3 , 13.1)*	7.5 (3.7 , 14.6)*	23.7 (11.8 , 41.0)	13.2 (5.2 , 29.4)*
90	9.4 (3.9 , 21.0)	6.5 (2.7 , 15.0)	10.0 (7.4 , 13.5)	18.1 (13.4 , 24.3)	5.5 (3.7 , 8.2)*	9.6 (6.6 , 13.8)*	7.8 (3.9 , 15.3)*	25.2 (12.7 , 43.1)	14.0 (5.4 , 31.3)*
91	10.0 (4.2 , 22.1)	6.9 (2.8 , 15.8)	10.7 (7.9 , 14.3)	18.8 (13.9 , 25.2)	5.7 (3.8 , 8.5)*	10.1 (6.9 , 14.5)*	8.2 (4.0 , 16.0)*	26.8 (13.7 , 45.2)	14.8 (5.6 , 33.3)*
92	10.6 (4.4 , 23.3)	7.3 (3.0 , 16.6)	11.3 (8.4 , 15.2)	19.5 (14.4 , 26.1)	6.0 (3.9 , 8.8)*	10.6 (7.2 , 15.2)*	8.5 (4.1 , 16.8)*	28.5 (14.6 , 47.3)	15.6 (5.9 , 35.3)*
93	11.2 (4.7 , 24.5)	7.7 (3.1 , 17.5)	12.0 (8.9 , 16.1)	20.3 (15.0 , 27.0)	6.2 (4.1 , 9.2)*	11.1 (7.5 , 15.9)*	8.9 (4.2 , 17.6)*	30.3 (15.7 , 49.5)	16.5 (6.1 , 37.4)*
94	11.9 (5.0 , 25.8)	8.1 (3.3 , 18.4)	12.8 (9.5 , 17.1)	21.0 (15.6 , 28.0)	6.4 (4.2 , 9.5)*	11.6 (7.8 , 16.7)*	9.2 (4.4 , 18.4)*	32.1 (16.8 , 51.6)	17.4 (6.3 , 39.5)*
95	12.6 (5.3 , 27.1)	8.6 (3.5 , 19.4)	13.6 (10.1 , 18.1)	21.8 (16.2 , 29.0)	6.6 (4.4 , 9.9)*	12.1 (8.2 , 17.5)*	9.6 (4.5 , 19.3)*	33.9 (18.0 , 53.7)	18.3 (6.6 , 41.6)*
96	13.3 (5.6 , 28.5)*	9.0 (3.7 , 20.3)*	14.4 (10.7 , 19.2)*	22.6 (16.8 , 30.0)	6.9 (4.5 , 10.3)*	12.7 (8.6 , 18.3)*	10.0 (4.7 , 20.2)*	35.8 (19.2 , 55.9)*	19.3 (6.8 , 43.8)*
97	14.1 (5.9 , 29.9)*	9.5 (3.9 , 21.4)*	15.3 (11.3 , 20.3)*	23.4 (17.5 , 31.0)	7.2 (4.7 , 10.7)*	13.3 (8.9 , 19.2)*	10.4 (4.8 , 21.1)*	37.7 (20.5 , 58.0)*	20.3 (7.1 , 46.0)*
98	14.9 (6.3 , 31.4)*	10.1 (4.1 , 22.4)*	16.2 (12.0 , 21.5)*	24.3 (18.1 , 32.0)	7.4 (4.8 , 11.1)*	13.9 (9.3 , 20.0)*	10.9 (4.9 , 22.1)*	39.8 (21.8 , 60.1)*	21.4 (7.3 , 48.3)*
99	15.7 (6.7 , 32.9)*	10.6 (4.4 , 23.6)*	17.1 (12.7 , 22.7)*	25.1 (18.8 , 33.1)*	7.7 (5.0 , 11.5)*	14.6 (9.8 , 21.0)*	11.3 (5.1 , 23.2)*	41.8 (23.2 , 62.1)*	22.5 (7.6 , 50.5)*
100	16.6 (7.0 , 34.5)*	11.2 (4.6 , 24.7)*	18.1 (13.4 , 24.0)*	26.0 (19.5 , 34.2)*	8.0 (5.2 , 11.9)*	15.2 (10.2 , 21.9)*	11.8 (5.2 , 24.2)*	43.8 (24.7 , 64.2)*	23.6 (7.9 , 52.8)*

Estimates correspond to prevalence (%) and 95% CrI, and are standardised to surveys that performed visual field assessment on all participants.

* Estimates obtained by extrapolation from the fitted model.

SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURES

Figure legends

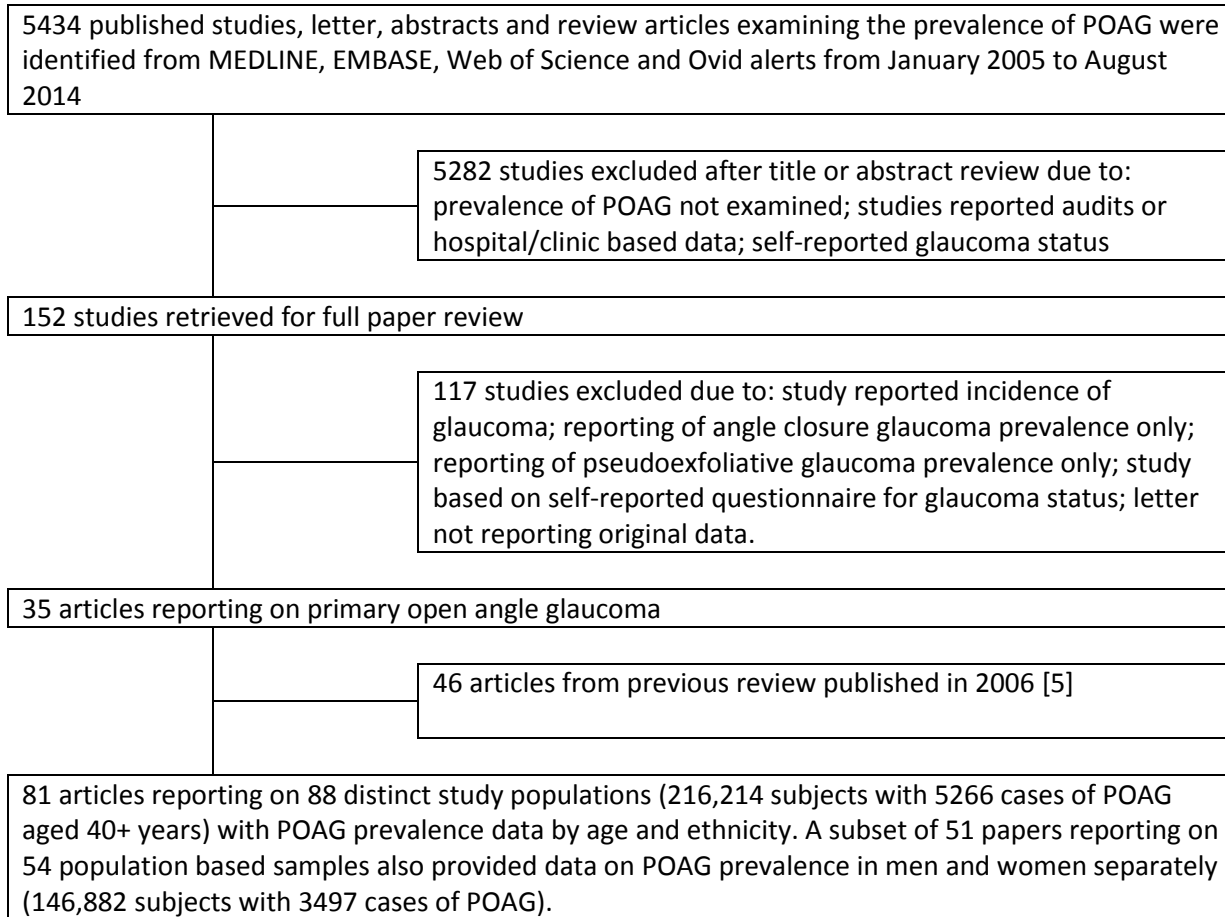
Supplemental Figure S1: Article selection process (QUOROM statement)

Supplemental Figure S2: Global estimates of the number of POAG cases in 2015

Supplemental Figure S3: Global estimates of the number of POAG cases in 2020

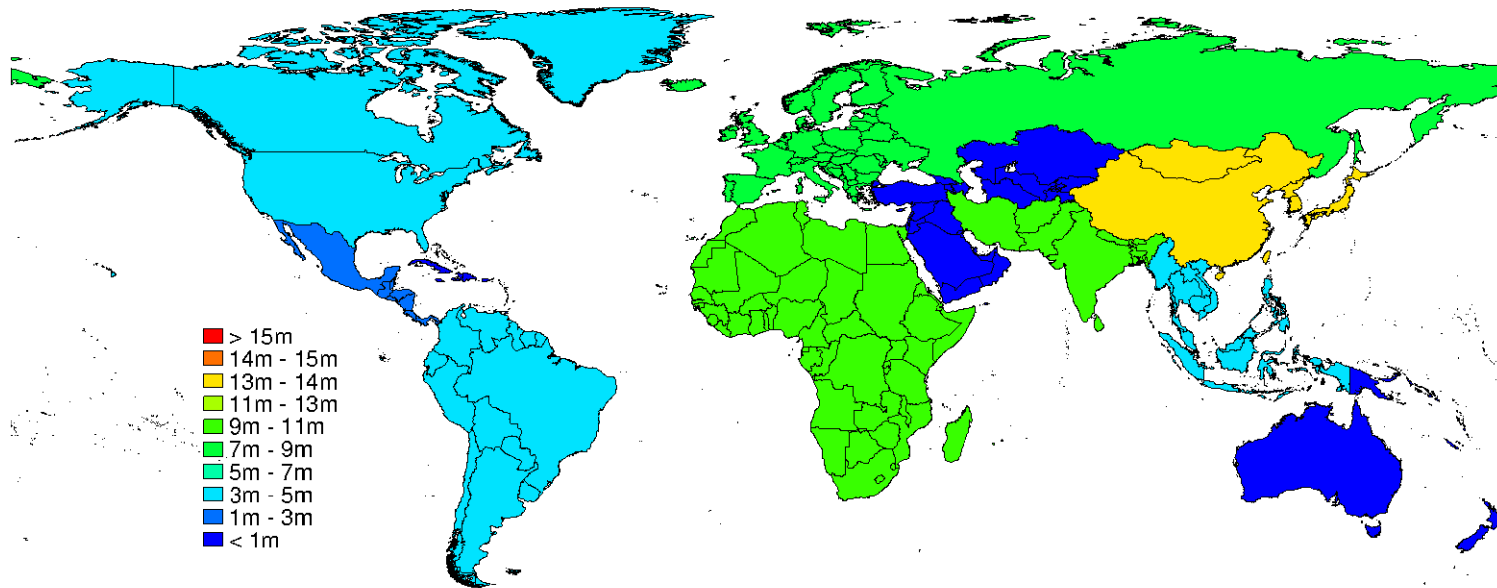
Supplemental Figure S4: Global estimates of the number of POAG cases in 2025

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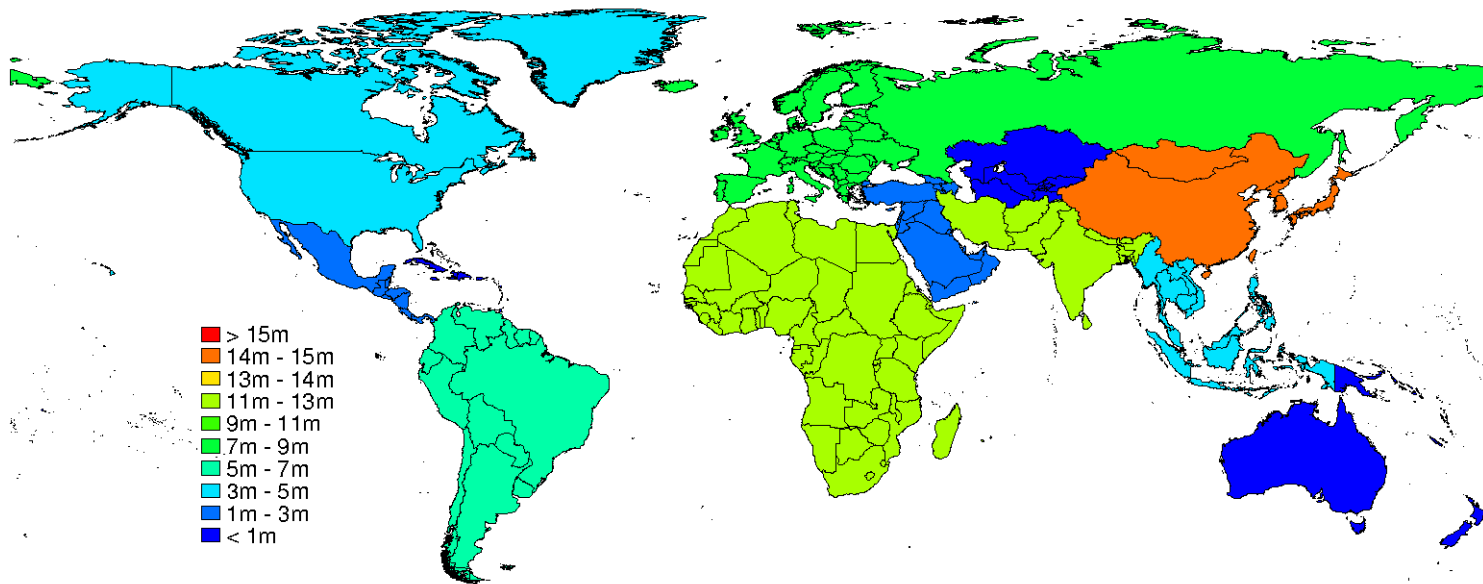
Supplemental Figure S2: Global estimates of the number of POAG cases in 2015

Global estimate of 57.5million POAG cases worldwide in 2015



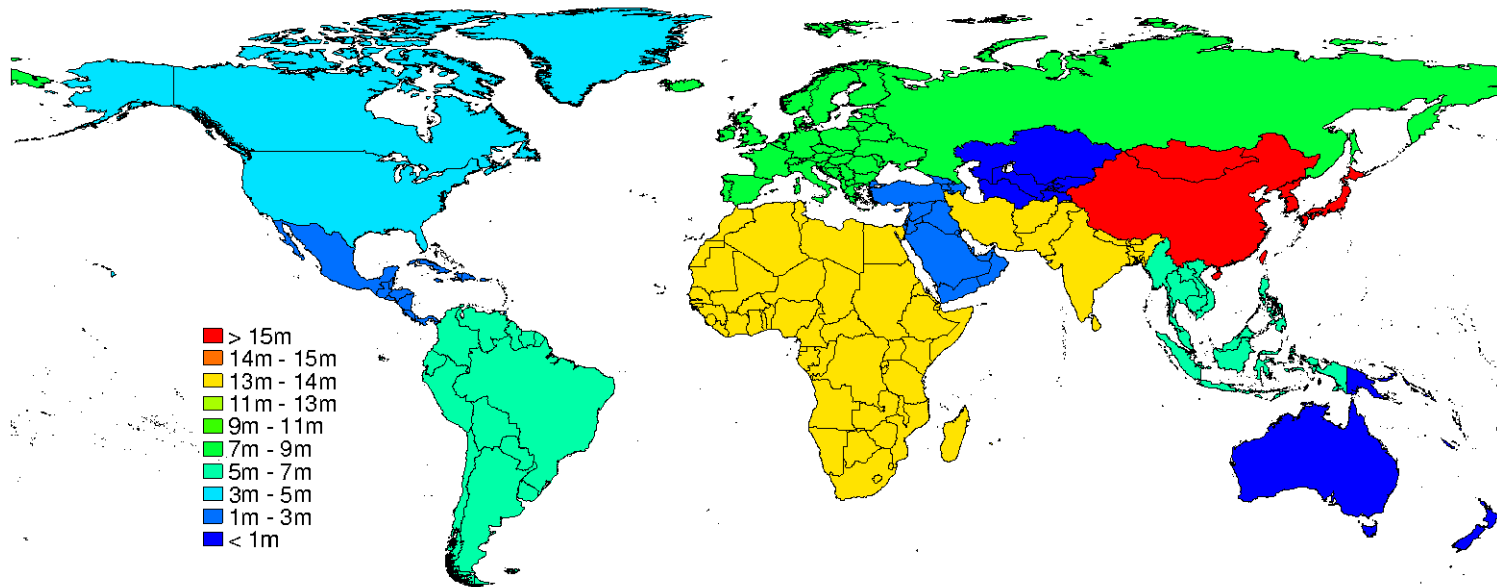
Supplemental Figure S3: Global estimates of the number of POAG cases in 2020

Global estimate of 65.5million POAG cases worldwide in 2020



Supplemental Figure S4: Global estimates of the number of POAG cases in 2025

Global estimate of 74.6million POAG cases worldwide in 2025



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