**Supplementary Table 3** Results of meta-regression analyses for All-Cause Mortality

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| Variable | p value | R2 analog |
| Age | 0.47 | 0.06 |
| Female gender | 0.95 | 0 |
| Hypertension | 0.98 | 0 |
| Diabetes mellitus | 0.99 | 0 |
| Ischemic heart disease | 0.52 | 0 |
| Atrial fibrillation | 0.25 | 0 |
| ACE inhibitors | 0.16 | 0 |
| Beta-blockers | 0.45 | 0 |
| **Nitrates** | **0.008** | **0.50** |
| **Oral anticoagulants** | **0.04** | **0.05** |