

Nutrition & Growth in Premature Infant

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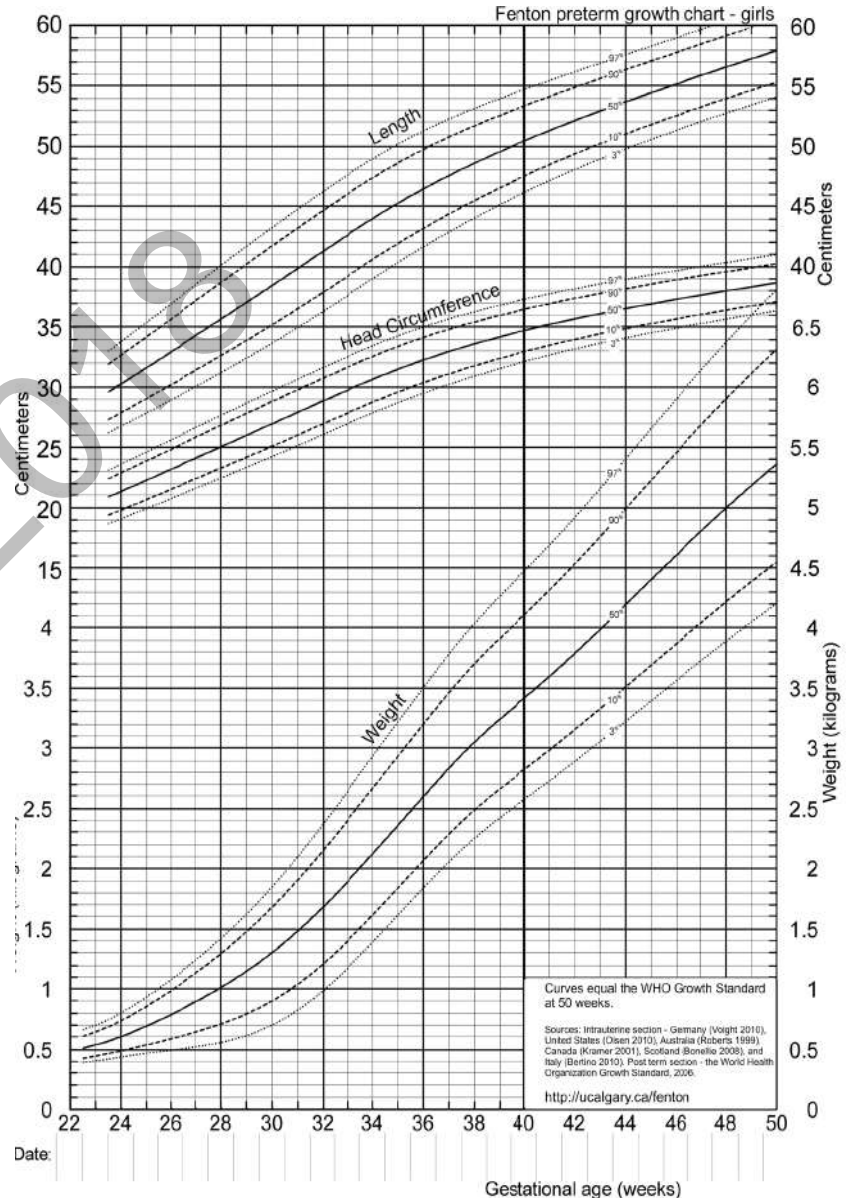
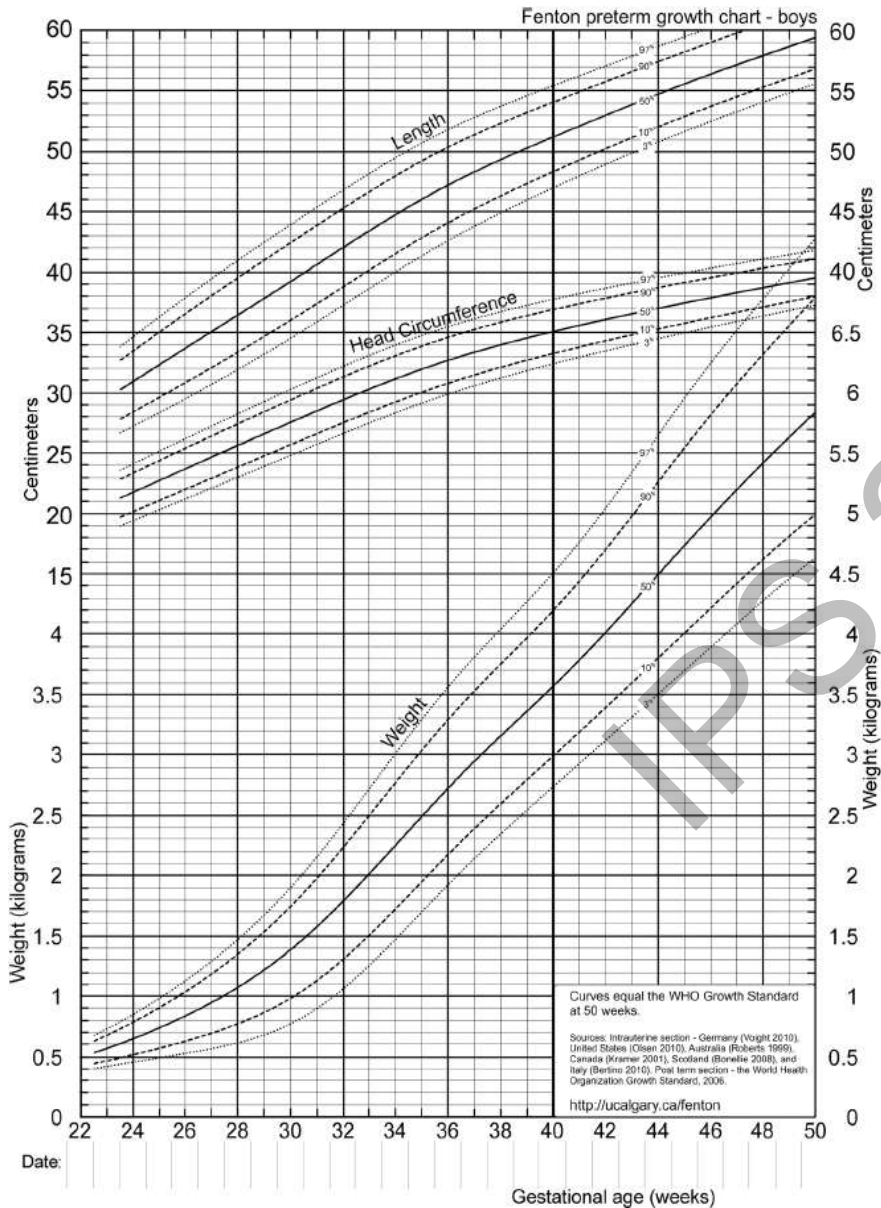
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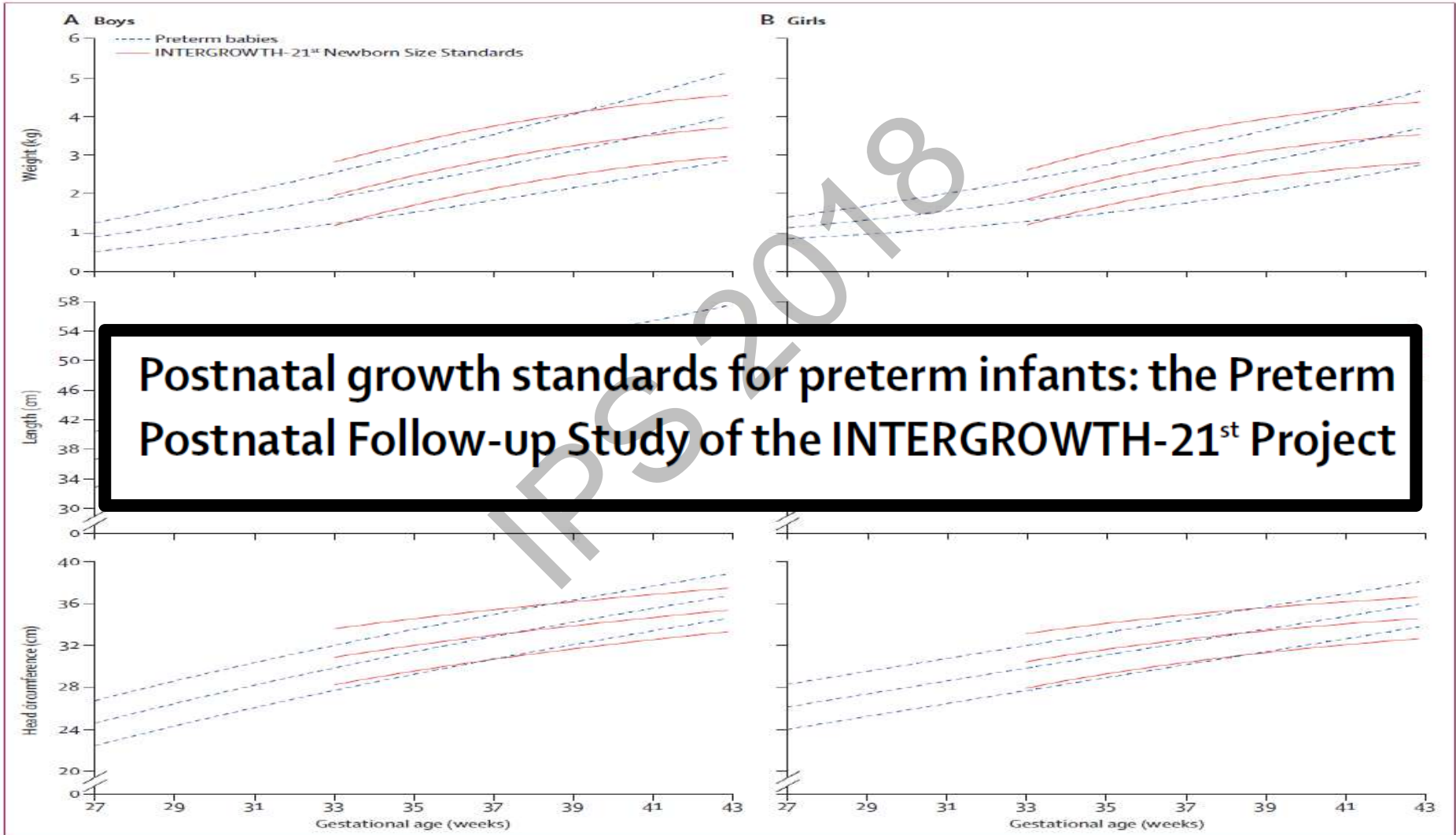
**PART ONE : THE GROWTH OF THE PREMATURE INFANT
ARE WE ON THE RIGHT TRACK ?**



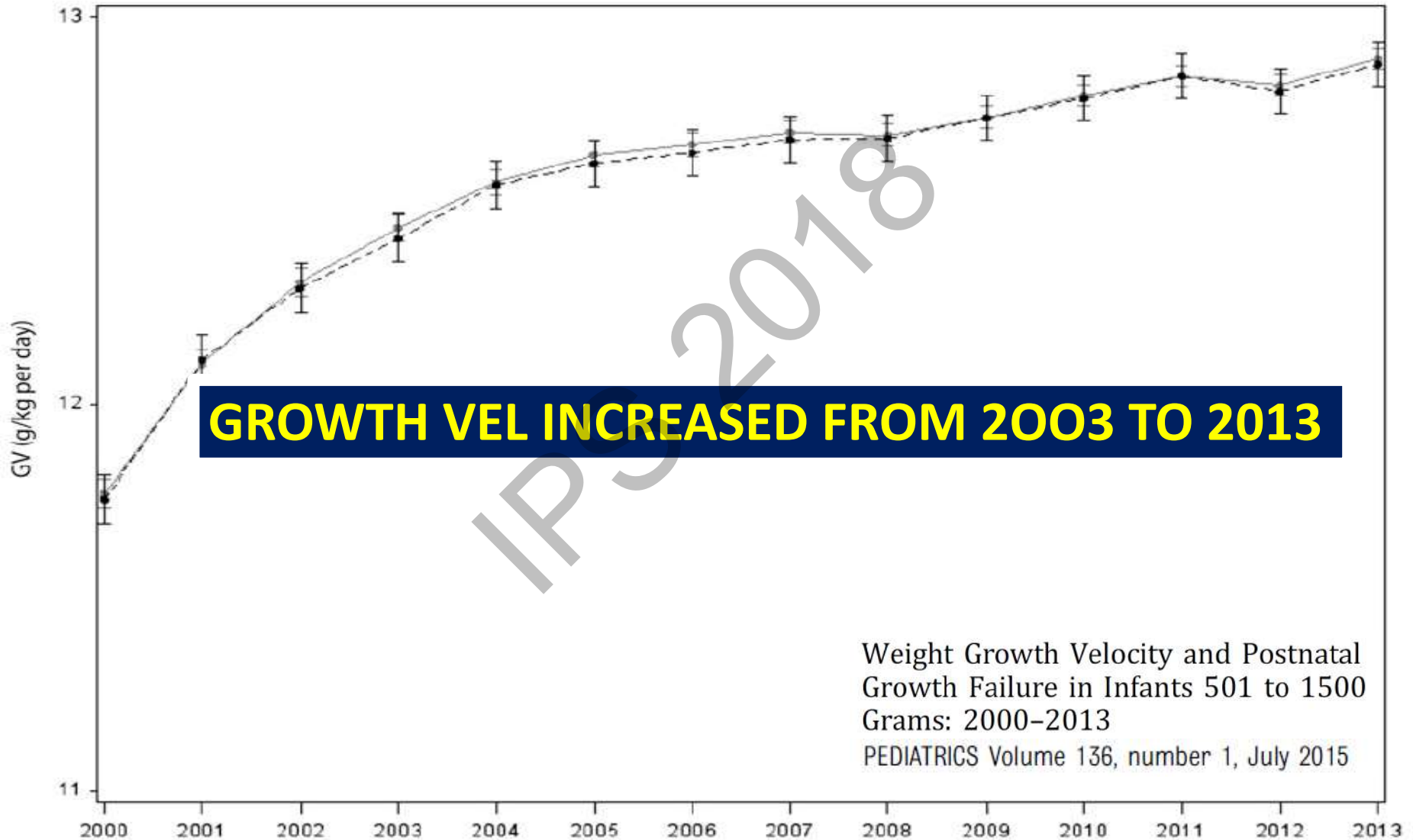
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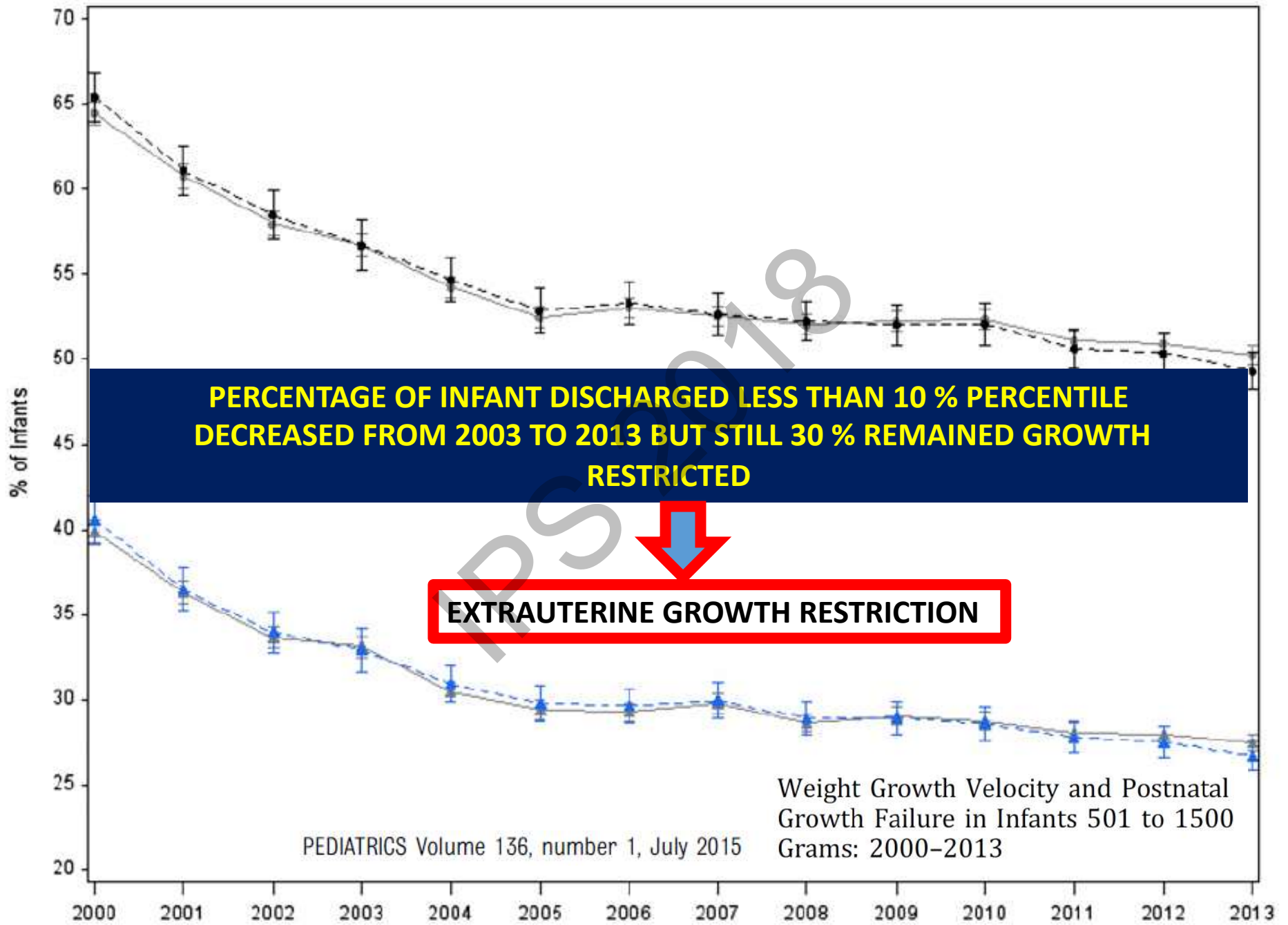


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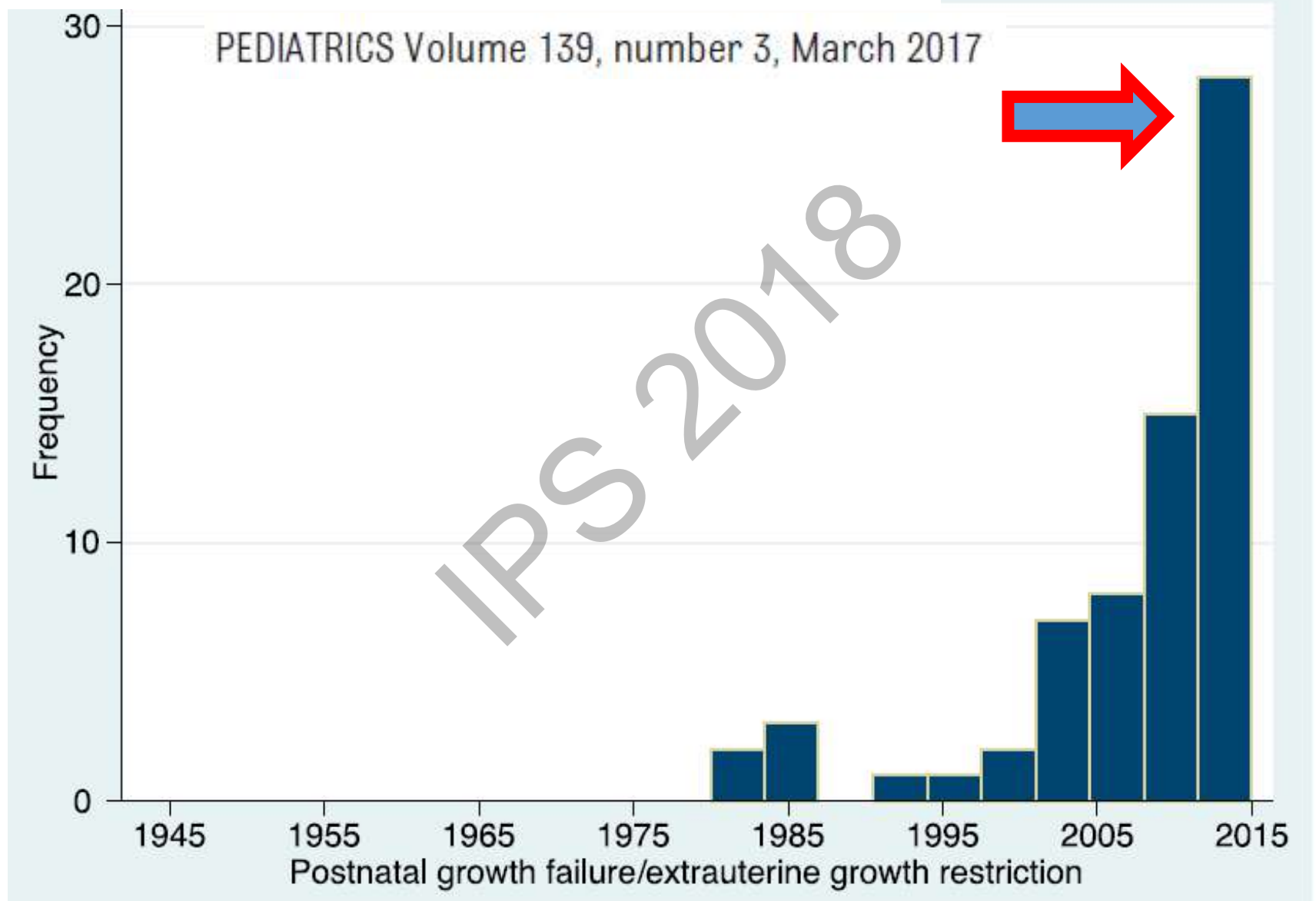


WHAT ABOUT PREMATURE IN NICU ?





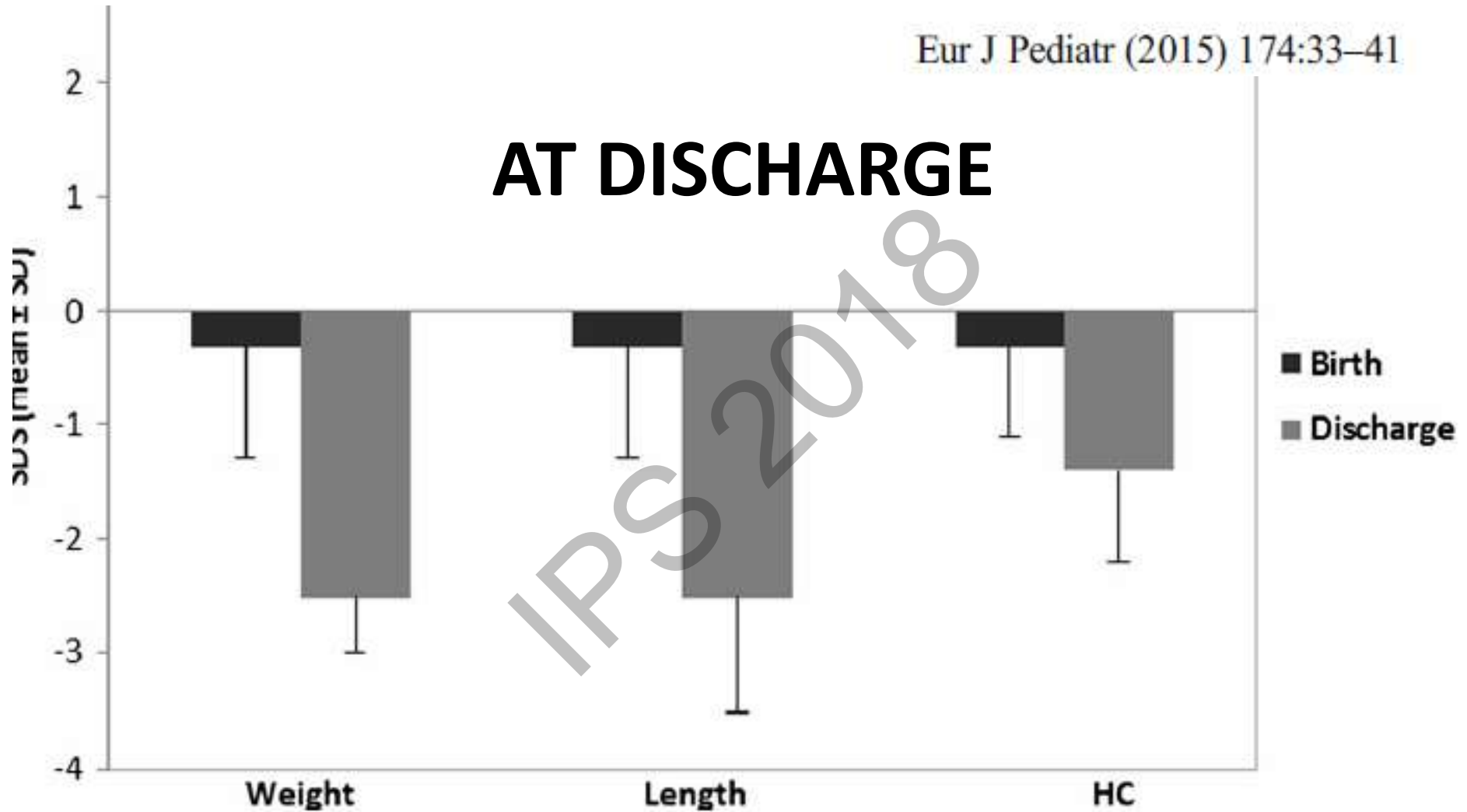
Preterm Infant Growth Velocity Calculations: A Systematic Review



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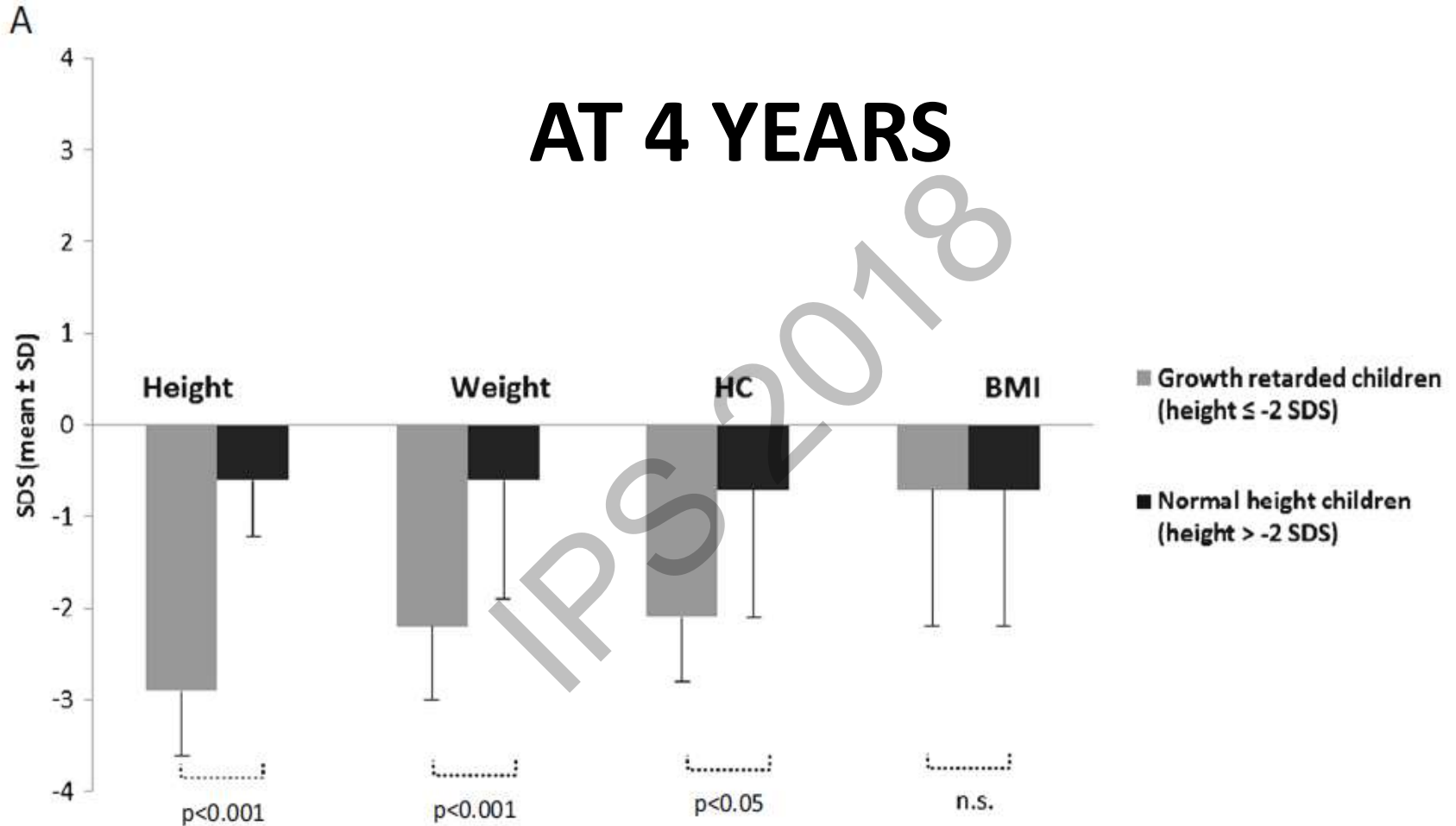
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AT DISCHARGE



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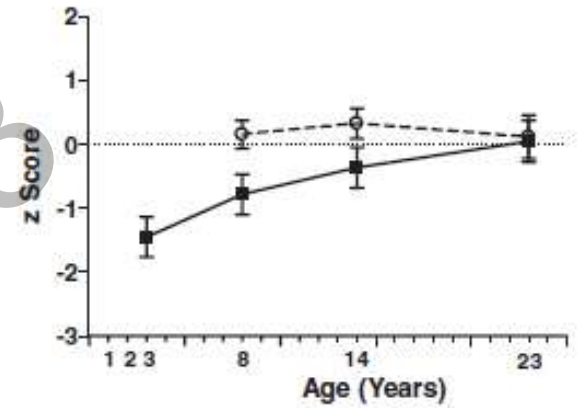
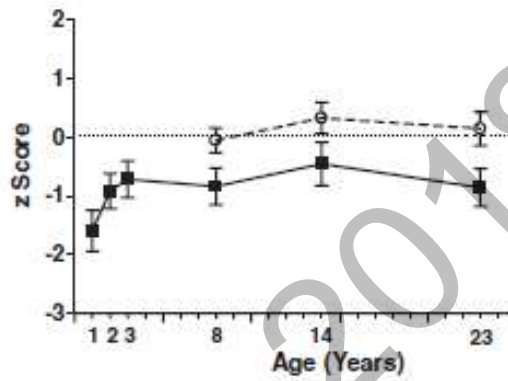
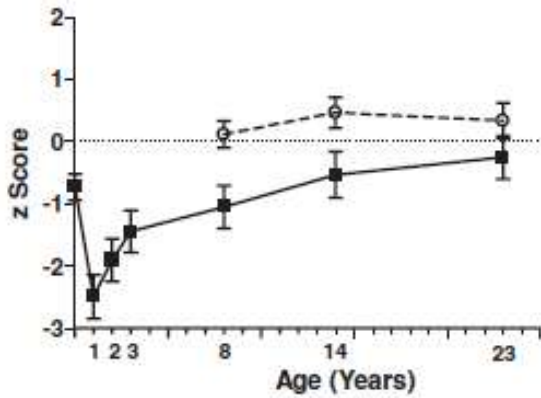
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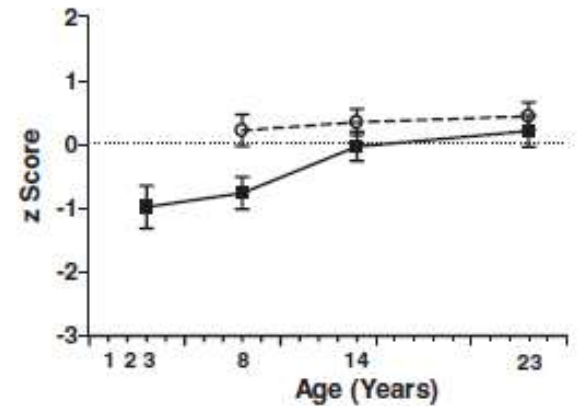
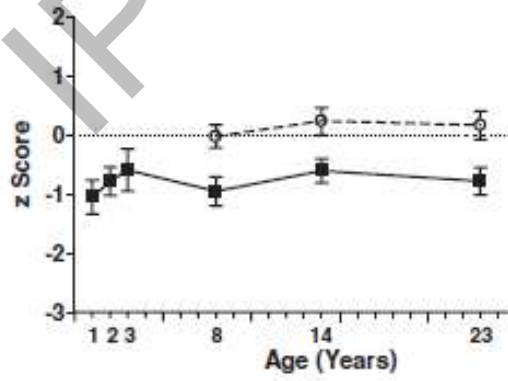
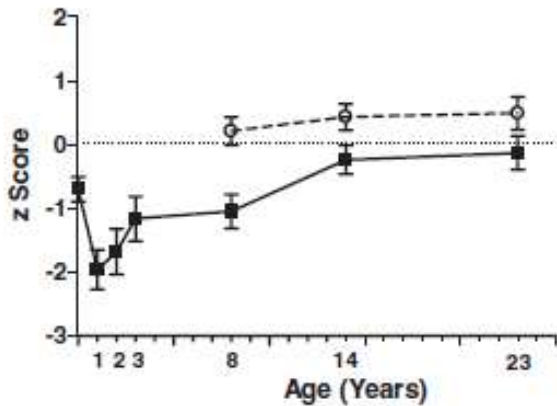
AT 23 YEARS

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Males



Females



Weight

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BMI

TAKE HOME MESSAGE ONE

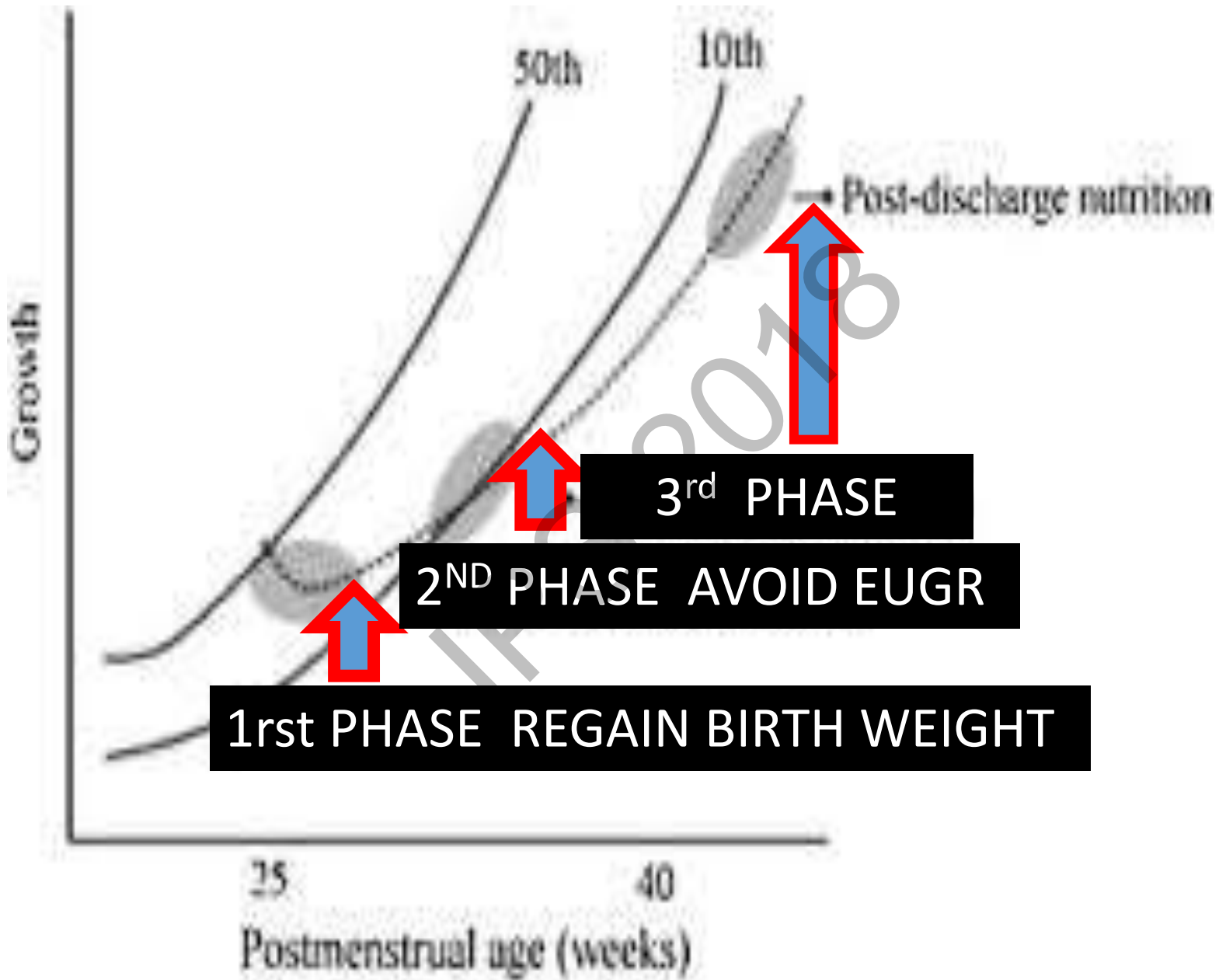
**PREMATURITY +
INTRAUTERINE GROWTH RESTRICTION +
EXTRAUTERINE GROWTH RESTRICTION**



**GROWTH IMPAIRMENT +
NEURODEVELOPMENTAL DELAY +
METABOLIC SYNDROM**

PART TWO : THE OPTIMAL NUTRITION FOR A PREMATURE INFANT TO AVOID EXTRA UTERINE RESTRICTION





1st PHASE REGAIN BIRTH WEIGHT



***DECREASE INSENSIBLE WATER LOSS**

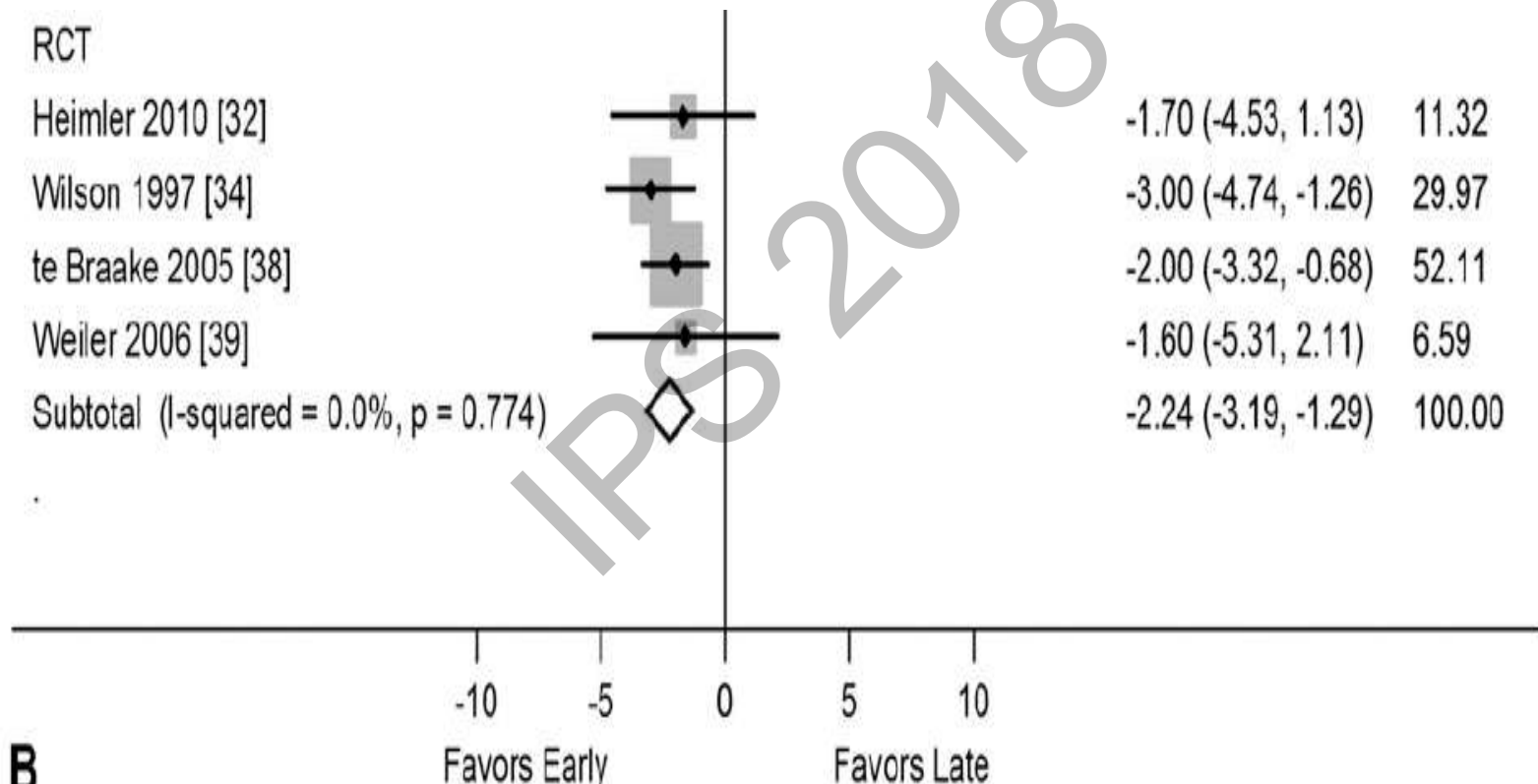
***DECREASE INSENSIBLE INTRACELLULAR FLUID LOSS**

***EARLY POSITIVE NITROGEN BALANCE**

***EARLY PARENTERAL NUTRITION**

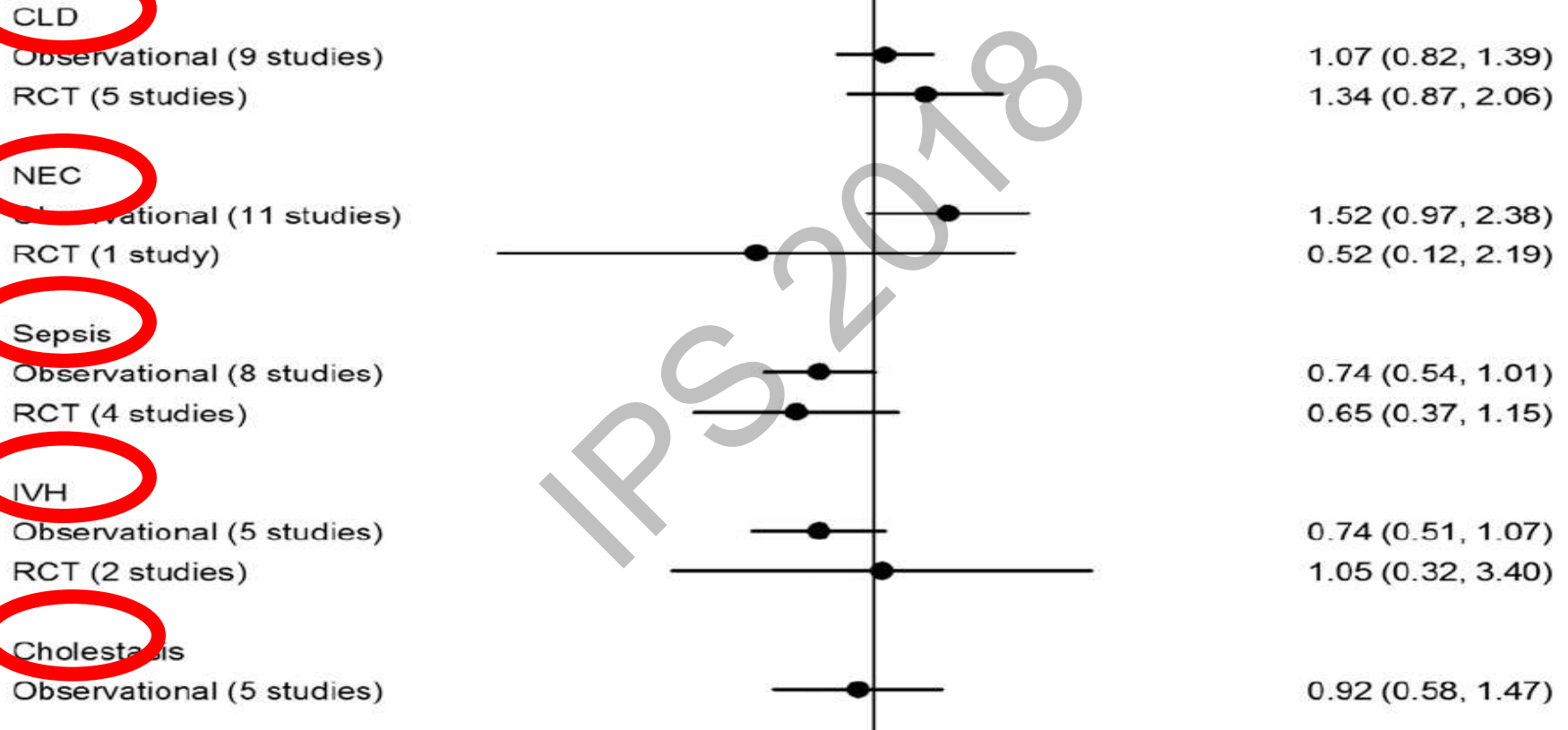
***MINIMAL ENTERAL NUTRITION**

EARLY PARENTERAL NUTRITION



TIME TO REGAIN BIRTH WEIGHT

EARLY PARENTERAL NUTRITION



NO INCREASES IN MORTALITY OR MORBIDITY

Table 1 Evidence-based early nutritional practice for VLBW infants: recommendations and evidence quality.

Practice	Strength of recommendation*	Evidence quality†
Prompt provision of energy: Glucose infusion providing about 6 mg/kg/min Increase to about 10 mg/kg/d by 7 days of age Maintain blood sugar 50–120 mg/dL	Recommended	B
Prompt provision of parenteral amino acids: Initiate 3.0 g/kg/d within hours of birth Advance to 4.0 g/kg/d by 0.5–1.0 g/kg/d steps	Recommended	B
Initiate lipid emulsion within the first 24 to 30 h of birth Start 0.5–1.0 g/kg/d Advance to 3.0–3.5 g/kg/d by 0.5–1.0 g/kg/d steps	Recommended	B
Initiate trophic feedings by 5 days of age Provide about 10 mL/kg/d (human milk if possible) Begin advancing to ~150 mL/kg/d by 10–20 mL/kg/d steps within the next several days	Recommended	B

Suggested intakes of vitamins for premature infants receiving parenteral nutrition

Vitamin	Current regimen based upon pediatric multivitamin formulation* (unit/kg/day)	Estimate based upon the needs of premature infants (unit/kg/day)	Maximum not to exceed term infant (unit/day)
Fat-soluble vitamins			
A (microg) [†]	280	500	700
E (mg) ^Δ	2.8	2.8	7
K (microg)	80	80	200
D (microg) [◇]	4	4	10
Water-soluble vitamins			
C, Ascorbic acid (mg)	32	25	80
B1, Thiamin (mg)	0.48	0.35	1.2
B2, Riboflavin (mg)	0.56	0.15	1.4
B6, Pyridoxine (mg)	0.4	0.18	1
Niacin (mg)	6.8	6.8	17
Pantothenate (mg)	2	2	5
Biotin (microg)	8	6	20
Folate (microg)	56	56	140
Vitamin B12 (microg)	0.4	0.3	1

Early trophic feeding versus enteral fasting for very preterm or very low birth weight infants (Review)

Comparison 1. Effects of trophic feeding versus enteral fasting

Outcome or subgroup title	No. of studies	No. of participants	Statistical method	Effect size
1 Days to reach full enteral feeding	6	556	Mean Difference (IV, Fixed, 95% CI)	-1.05 [-2.61, 0.51]
2 Incidence of necrotising enterocolitis	9	748	Risk Ratio (M-H, Fixed, 95% CI)	1.07 [0.67, 1.70]
3 Mortality	8	558	Risk Ratio (M-H, Fixed, 95% CI)	0.66 [0.41, 1.07]
4 Days to regain birth weight	5	518	Mean Difference (IV, Fixed, 95% CI)	-0.01 [-0.96, 0.95]
5 Incidence of invasive infection	3	237	Risk Ratio (M-H, Fixed, 95% CI)	1.06 [0.72, 1.56]
6 Duration of phototherapy (days)	3	170	Mean Difference (IV, Fixed, 95% CI)	0.35 [-0.29, 0.99]
7 Days of hospital stay	4	341	Mean Difference (IV, Fixed, 95% CI)	-3.85 [-11.54, 3.84]

Advantages of gastrointestinal priming (trophic feeding) in preterm infants

Shortens time to regain birth weight

Improves feeding tolerance

Reduces duration of parenteral nutrition

Enhances enzyme maturation

Reduces intestinal permeability

Improves gastrointestinal motility

Matures hormone responses

Improves mineral absorption and mineralization

Reduces duration of phototherapy

Lowers incidence of cholestasis

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	Birthweight ≤1000 g		Birthweight 1001 to 1500 g		Birthweight 1501 to 1800 g	
	Ideal schedule*		Ideal schedule*		Ideal schedule*	
Oropharyngeal colostrum[†]	DOL 0 to 9	Swab on buccal mucosa every 3 hours	DOL 0 to 6	Swab on buccal mucosa every 3 hours	DOL 0 to 4	Swab on buccal mucosa every 3 hours
Trophic feeds (20 cal/oz) ^Δ	DOL 1 to 3	15 mL/kg/day for 3 days	DOL 1 to 2	20 mL/kg/day for 1 to 2 days	DOL 1	25 mL/kg/day for 1 day
Feeding advancement (mL/kg added each day)	DOL 4 to 9	Start increasing DOL 4; add 15 mL/kg each day	DOL 3 to 6	Start increasing DOL 3; add 20 mL/kg each day	DOL 2 to 4	Start increasing DOL 2; add 25 mL/kg/day each day
Start fortified feeds (24 cal/oz) [◊]	DOL 10	Start fortifying day after feed volume reaches 80 mL/kg/day	DOL 7	Start fortifying day after feed volume reaches 80 mL/kg/day	DOL 5	Start fortifying day after feed volume reaches 80 mL/kg/day
Further feeding advancement (start increasing day after fortifying feeds)	DOL 11 to 15	Next day, start adding 15 mL/kg each day	DOL 8 to 11	Next day, start adding 20 mL/kg each day	DOL 6 to 9	Next day, start adding 25 mL/kg each day
Target feeding volume	DOL 15 and thereafter	160 mL/kg/day	DOL 11 and thereafter	160 mL/kg/day	DOL 9 and thereafter	160 mL/kg/day

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**TO REGAIN BIRTH WEIGHT
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
WITHIN 10 TO MAX 15 DAYS**

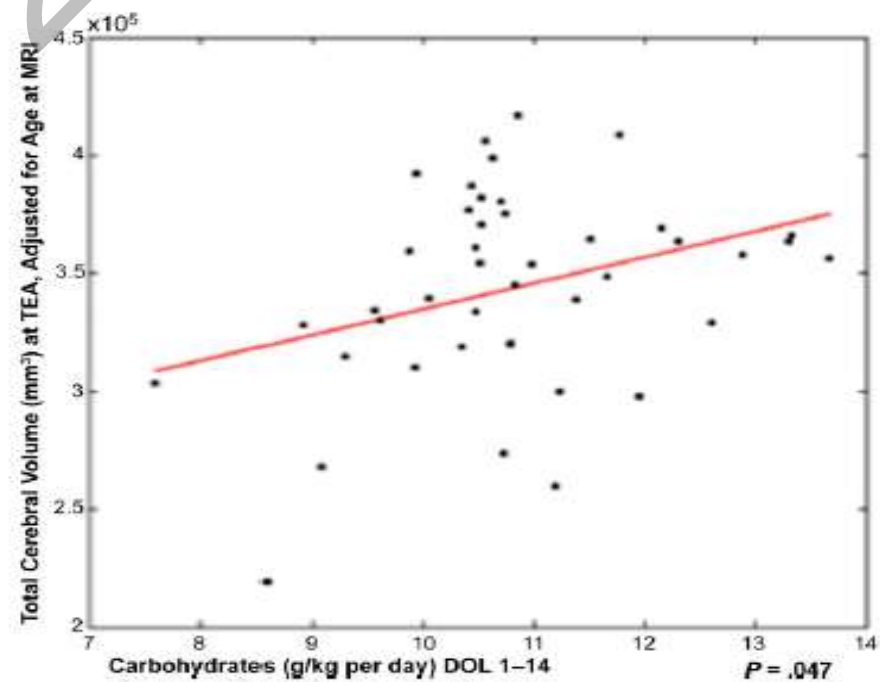
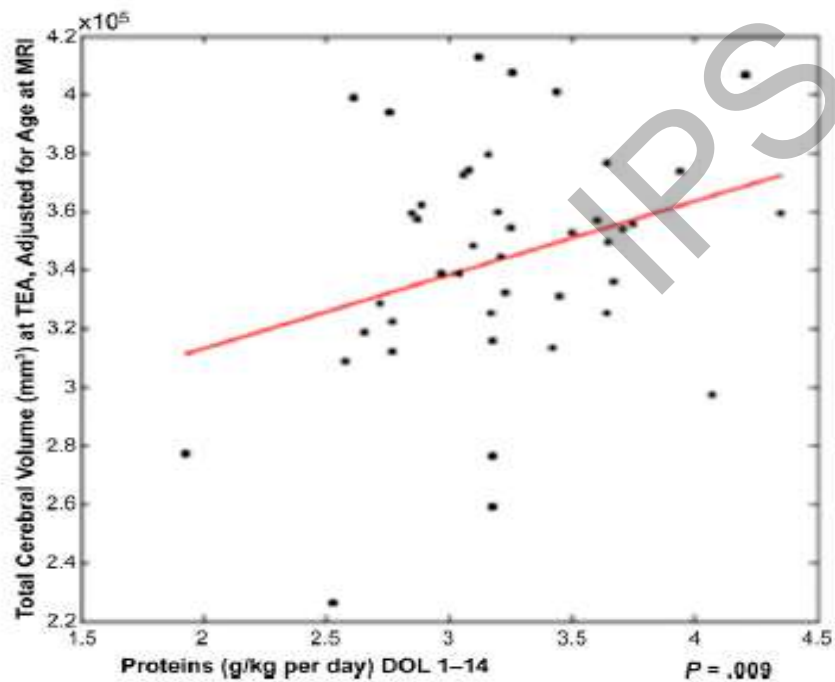
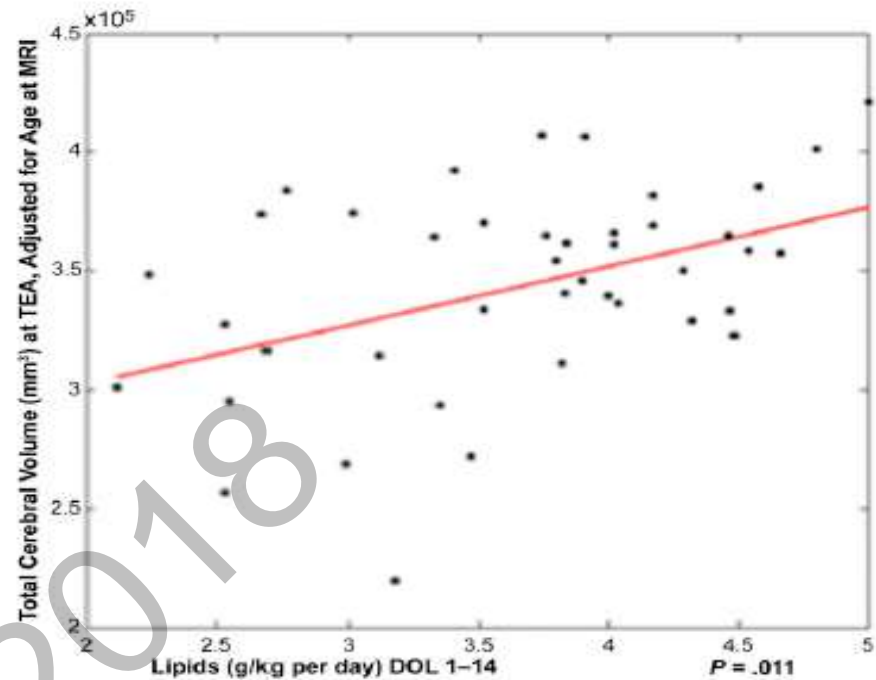
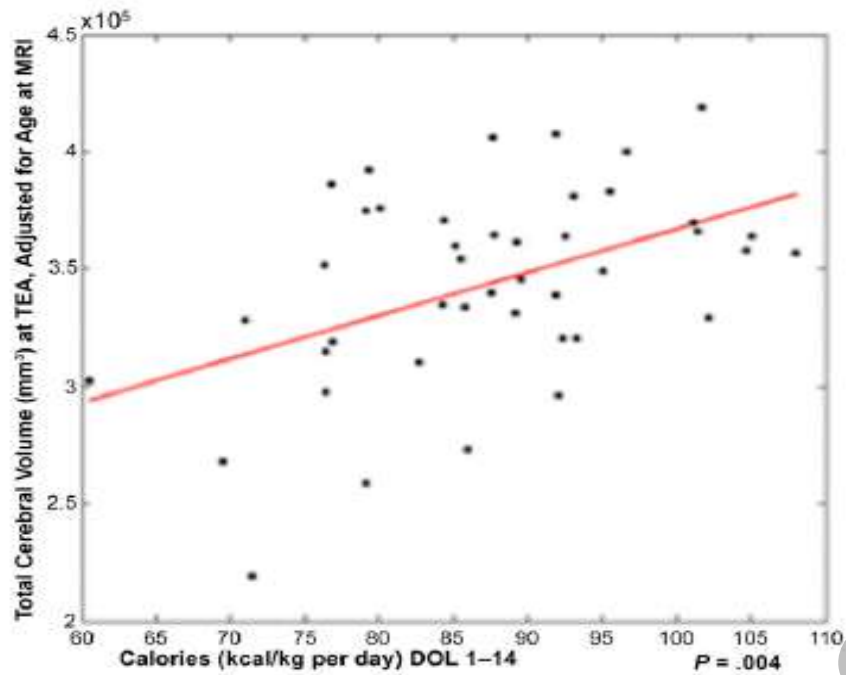


- *EARLY PARENTERAL
NUTRITION**
- *MINIMAL ENTERAL
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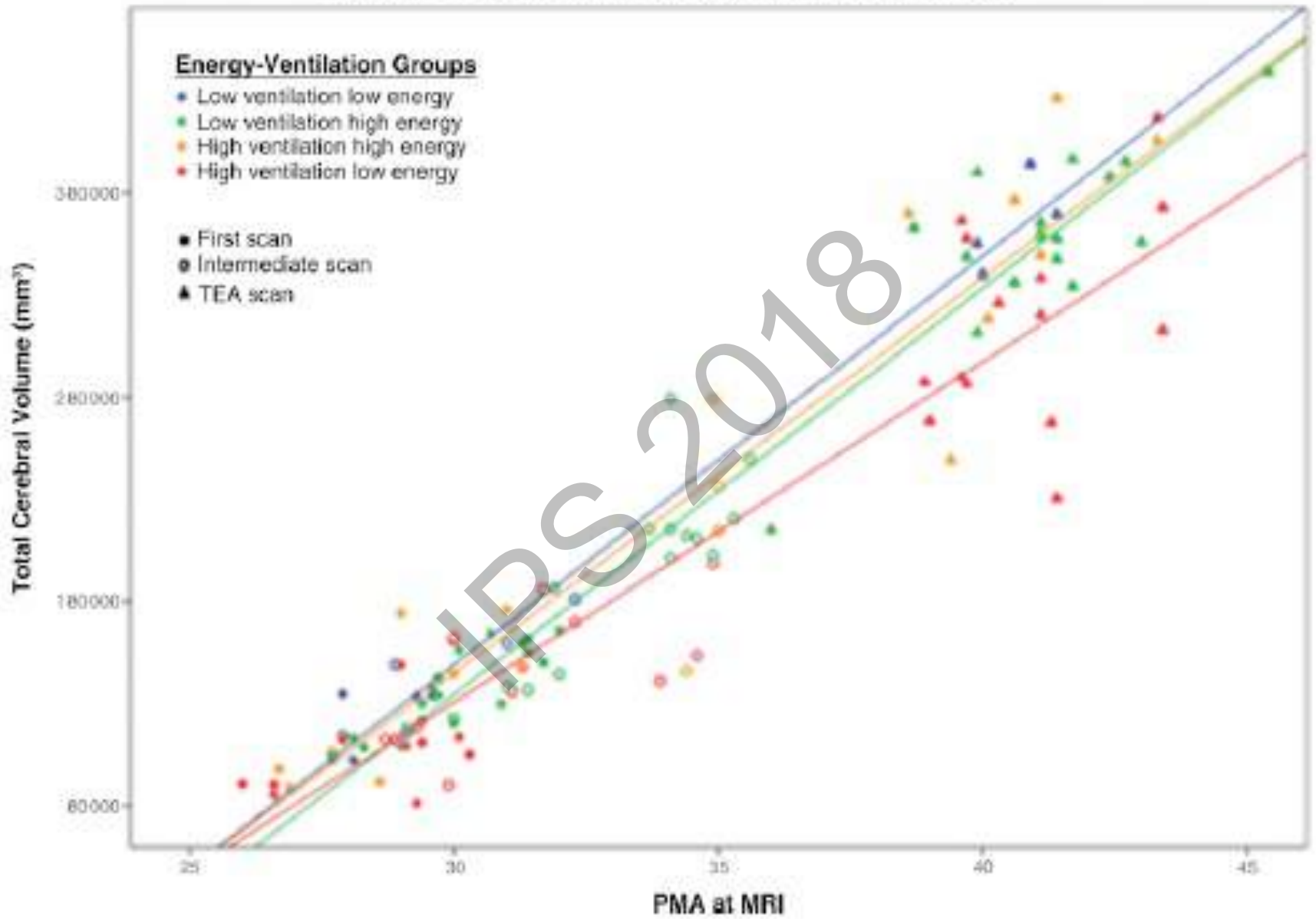
Nutrient Intake in the First Two Weeks of Life and Brain Growth in Preterm Neonates

Nutritional intake per d (DOL 1–14), median (IQR)

Energy total (kcal/kg per d)	77.6 (74.5–83.4)	93.1 (89.5–101.3)	—
Parenteral	45.8 (28.4–62.3)	41.3 (35.9–56.3)	.847
Enteral	31.7 (15.2–45.2)	52.9 (39.1–60.1)	.001
Lipids total (g/kg per d)	3.0 (2.6–3.5)	4.2 (3.8–4.5)	—
Parenteral	1.0 (0.8–1.8)	1.3 (1.0–1.8)	.405
Enteral	1.8 (0.9–2.7)	3.0 (2.2–3.3)	.001
Carbohydrates total (g/kg per d)	9.9 (9.1–10.5)	11.1 (10.3–12.1)	—
Parenteral	6.7 (4.8–8.7)	6.4 (4.4–7.9)	.448
Enteral	3.1 (1.4–4.2)	5.0 (3.6–6.1)	<.001
Proteins total (g/kg per d)	2.8 (2.6–3.1)	3.2 (2.9–3.5)	—
Amino acids, parenteral	2.0 (1.4–2.7)	1.8 (1.5–2.4)	.502
Proteins, enteral	0.8 (0.3–1.0)	1.3 (0.9–1.6)	<.001
Percentage human milk to total enteral intake, % (IQR)	99 (97–100)	95 (77–98)	.015



Cerebral Development and Energy-Ventilation Interaction

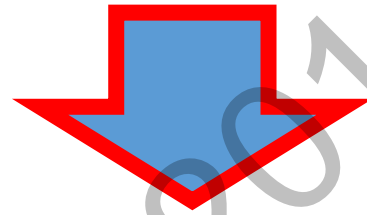


Nutrient Intake in the First Two Weeks of Life and Brain Growth in Preterm Neonates

CONCLUSIONS: In preterm neonates, greater energy and enteral feeding during the first 2 weeks of life predicted more robust brain growth and accelerated WM maturation. The long-lasting effect of early nutrition on neurodevelopment may be mediated by enhanced brain growth. Optimizing nutrition in preterm neonates may represent a potential avenue to mitigate the adverse brain health consequences of critical illness.

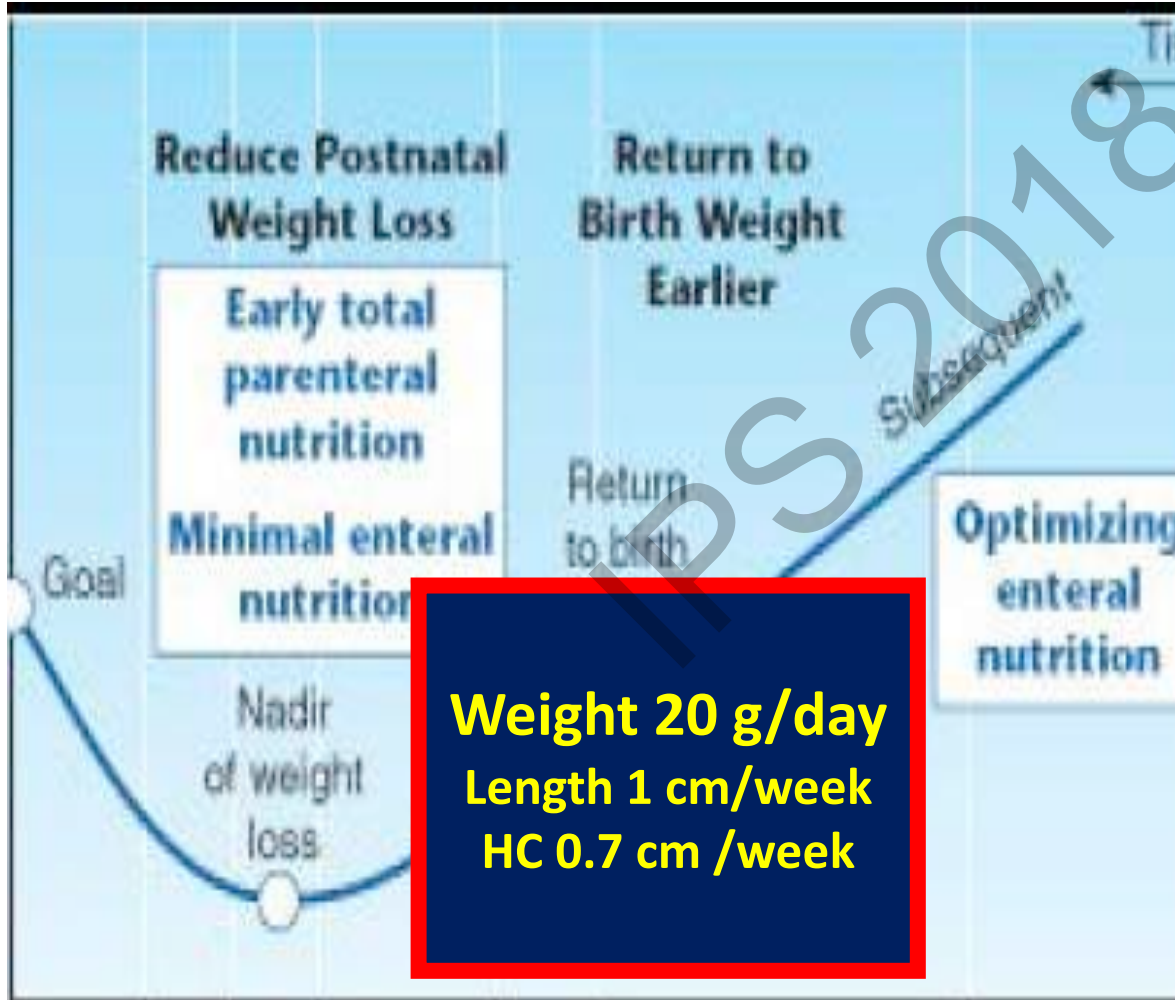
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**TO ENSURE A BETTER BRAIN GROWTH
DURING THE FIRST 15 DAYS**



- *EARLY PARENTERAL NUTRITION**
- *MINIMAL ENTERAL NUTRITION**
- *HIGH ENERGY INTAKE**
- *BREAST MILK**

2ND PHASE OPTIMIZING ENTERAL NUTRITION



**MEET ENERGY
REQUIREMENT FOR
GROWTH TO AVOID
Extra Uterine
Growth Retardation**

GAIN WEIGHT > 20 G/DAY IS THE BEST FOR A BETTER DEV

Outcomes at 18 to 22 Months' Corrected Age According to Weight Gain Quartile

Outcome ^a	Quartile 1 (n = 124)	Quartile 2 (n = 122)	Quartile 3 (n = 123)	Quartile 4 (n = 121)	p ^b
Weight gain, mean (SD), g/kg per d	12.0 (2.1)	15.6 (0.8)	17.8 (0.8)	21.2 (2.0)	—
Normal neurologic examination	70	77	76	86	<.01
CP, %	21	13	13	6	<.01
MDI	75.7 (18)	77.7 (18)	79.7 (18)	80.9 (15)	.32
MDI < 70, %	39	37	34	21	<.01
Neurodevelopmental impairment, %	55	49	41	29	<.001
Weight < 10th percentile, %	58	61	51	46	.03
Length < 10th percentile, %	47	43	29	28	<.001

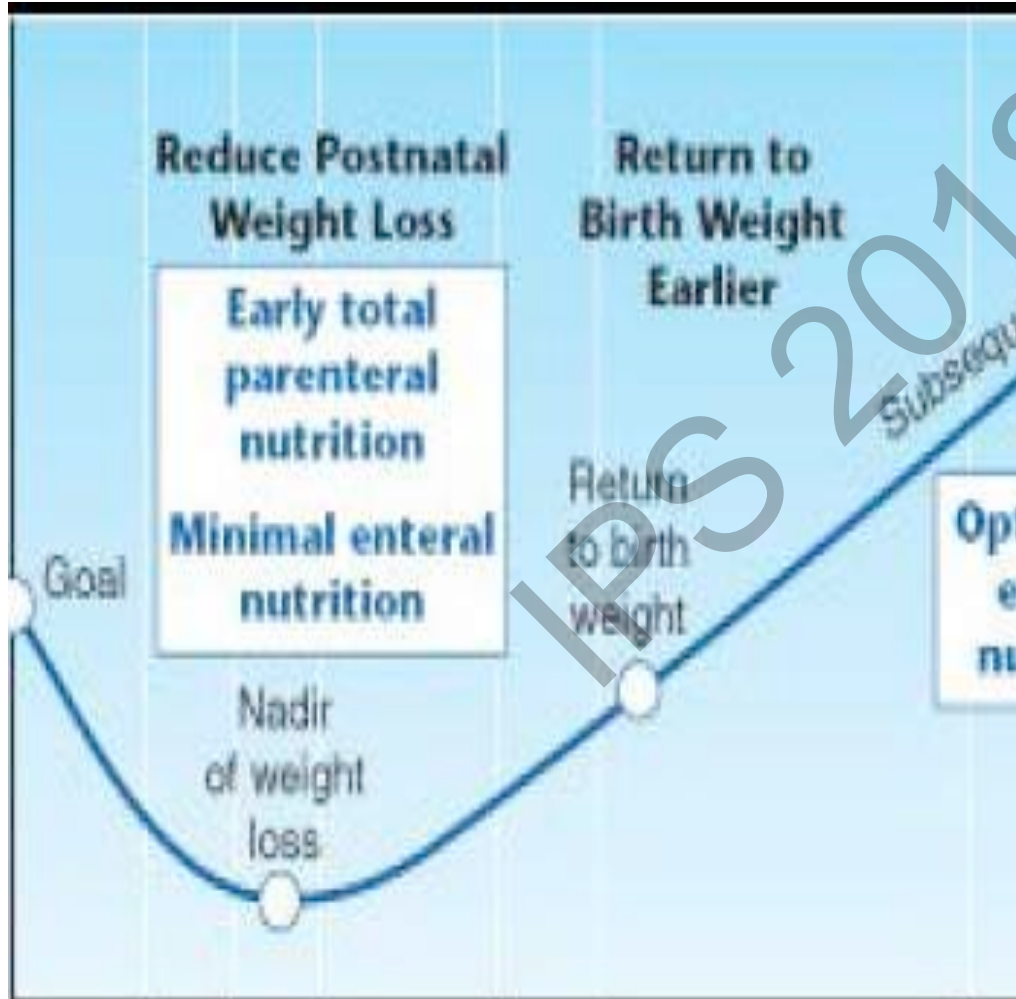
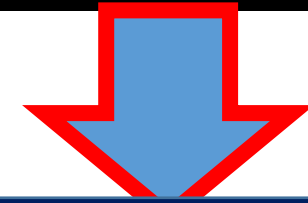
Growth in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit Influences Neurodevelopmental and Growth Outcomes of Extremely Low Birth Weight Infants

Estimated daily energy requirements for growing premature infants

Factor	Kcal/kg	Comment
Resting energy expenditure	50	Resting metabolic rate
Activity	15	30 percent above resting
Cold stress	10	Thermoregulation
Synthetic effect of feeding	8	Dietary thermogenesis
Fecal loss	12	10 percent of intake
Growth	25	Calories stored
Total caloric requirement	120	

Adapted from: Sinclair JC. Clin Obstet Gynecol 1971; 14:840.

3RD PHASE THE CATCH UP GROWTH

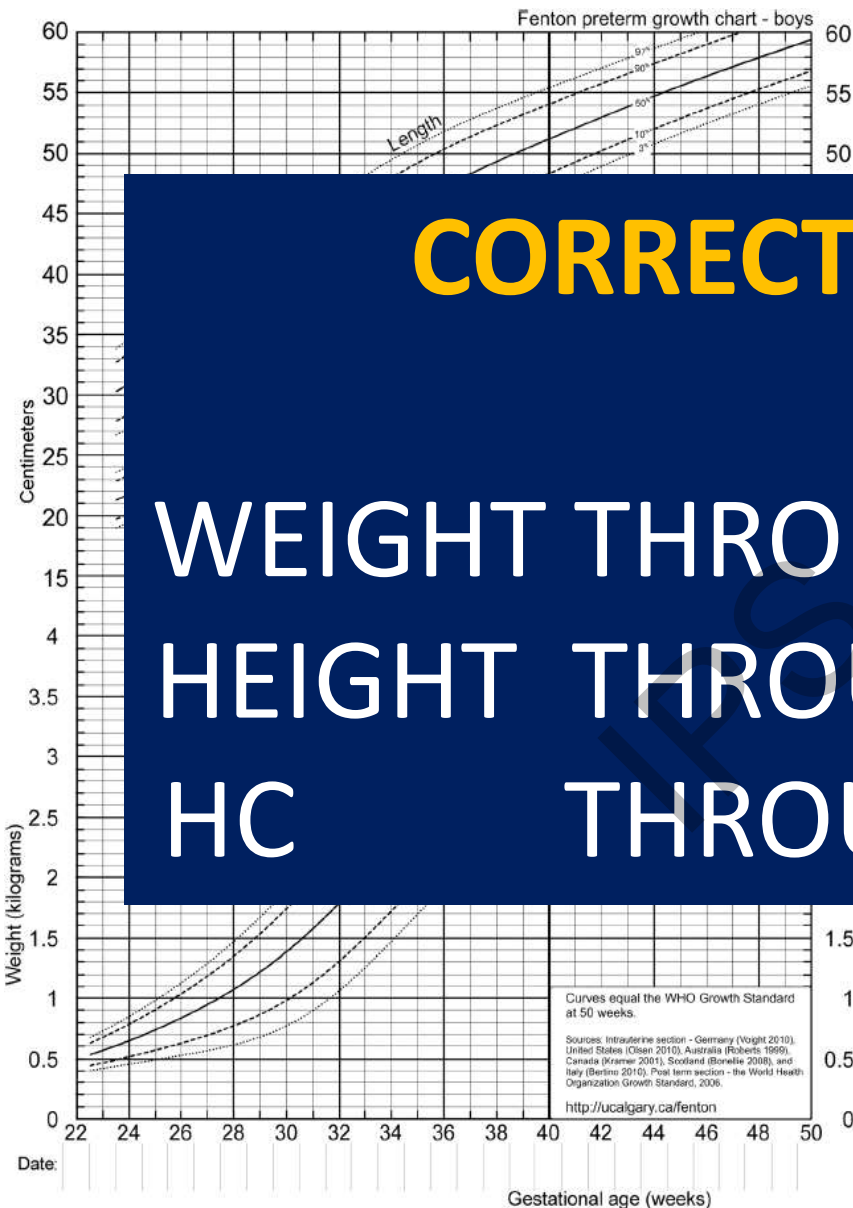


**POST DISCHARGE
NUTRITION TO
ENSURE A
THOUROUGH
FOLLOW UP ON
GROWTH**

FOLLOW UP ON GROWTH

CORRECTION FOR GA

WEIGHT THROUGH 24 MONTHS
 HEIGHT THROUGH 40 MONTHS
 HC THROUGH 18 MONTHS



Nutritional assessment of the VLBW infant

Assessment	Frequency
Fluid intake	
Parenteral	Daily
Enteral	Daily
Nutrient intake	
Energy	Daily
Protein	Daily
Specific nutrient	Daily
Anthropomorphic measurements	
Body weight	Daily at same time
Length	Weekly
Head circumference	Weekly
Laboratory values	
Hemoglobin, hematocrit	After full feeds are achieved, measure every 2 to 3 weeks until it is clear that the results are stable.
Calcium, phosphorus	As above
Alkaline phosphatase	As above
Blood urea nitrogen (BUN)	As above. If values are abnormal, also measure prealbumin
Serum electrolytes	In selected infants (receiving diuretics, or feeds of unfortified human milk, or limited intake, or slow growth)

VLBW: very low birthweight (birthweight ≤ 1500 g).

Adapted from: Schanler RJ. The low birth weight infant: Perinatal nutrition. In: Nutrition in Pediatrics: Basic Science and Clinical Applications, Walker WA, Watkins JB (Eds), B.C. Decker Inc., Hamilton, Ontario, Canada 1996. p.387.

Clinical criteria of feeding intolerance in preterm infants

Abdominal examination
Distension
Tenderness
Change in bowel sounds (eg, increased or absent)
Emesis
Gastric residual volume
Greater than 2 mL/kg of body weight
Greater than half the volume of feeds over prior three hours
Any change in quantity of fluid volume (usually increase)
Gastric residual fluid characteristics
Change in color
Green: Bile
Red or brown: Blood
Stools
Any change in frequency
Presence of blood or guaiac positive stools
Clinical status
Any change in clinical status, eg, increased episodes of apnea and bradycardia, diminished oxygen saturation (desaturation events), and lethargy

Laboratory monitoring of infants receiving parenteral nutrition (PN)

Laboratory test	Frequency
Blood	
Electrolytes: sodium, potassium, chloride, bicarbonate	Daily until stable, then serially as indicated
Glucose	Daily until stable, then serially as indicated
Blood urea nitrogen (BUN), creatinine, calcium, phosphorus, magnesium, alkaline phosphatase, bilirubin, alanine aminotransferase (ALT), aspartate aminotransferase (AST)	After the first week and then serially on an alternate week schedule as indicated

PART 3 : ENTERAL NUTRITION OF THE PRETERM

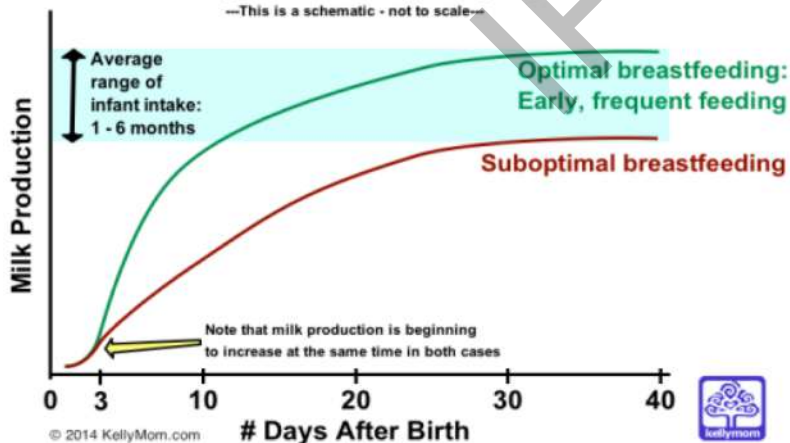
WHAT IS THE BEST ?

BREAST FEEDING

FORMULA ENRICHED OR NOT

An example of the effect of early, frequent breastfeeding on milk production in the early days after birth

---This is a schematic - not to scale---



**BREAST MILK IS THE BEST FOR
NUTRITION OF PREMATURE INFANT**

IMMUNITY

COGNITION

**BREAST MILK IS THE BEST FOR
NUTRITION OF PREMATURE INFANT**

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BREAST MILK IS A MUST

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Suggested benefits of human-milk feeding for preterm infants

- Dose-related decreases in NICU length of stay and lower morbidity including risk of the following:
 - Sepsis
 - Necrotizing enterocolitis
 - Urinary tract infection
- Benefits persist beyond NICU stay
- Improved gastrointestinal function and integrity via the following:
 - Decreased gastric pH
 - Increased gastrointestinal motility
 - Accelerated mucosal immunity
 - Improved gut microflora
 - Decreased mucosal permeability leading to reduced bacterial translocation
- Improvement in indexes of neurodevelopment that persists into adolescence

Bioactivity

Bacteriostatic; bactericidal; immunomodulatory; cell proliferation and differentiation

Prebiotic; antimicrobial; immunostimulatory; enhanced Fe absorption

Transfer of maternal immunity; antibodies against bacteria

Antibacterial activity; degradation of bacterial cell wall glycoproteins

Hydrolysis of triglycerides; fat absorption

Immunomodulatory activity; brain function; intestinal development

Vitamin B12 absorption; antimicrobial activity

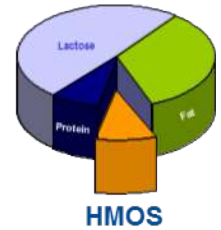
Limit/slow down protein digestion

Opioid activity; enhancing calcium absorption

Antibacterial activity by acting as structural analogues

Antibacterial and antiviral activities

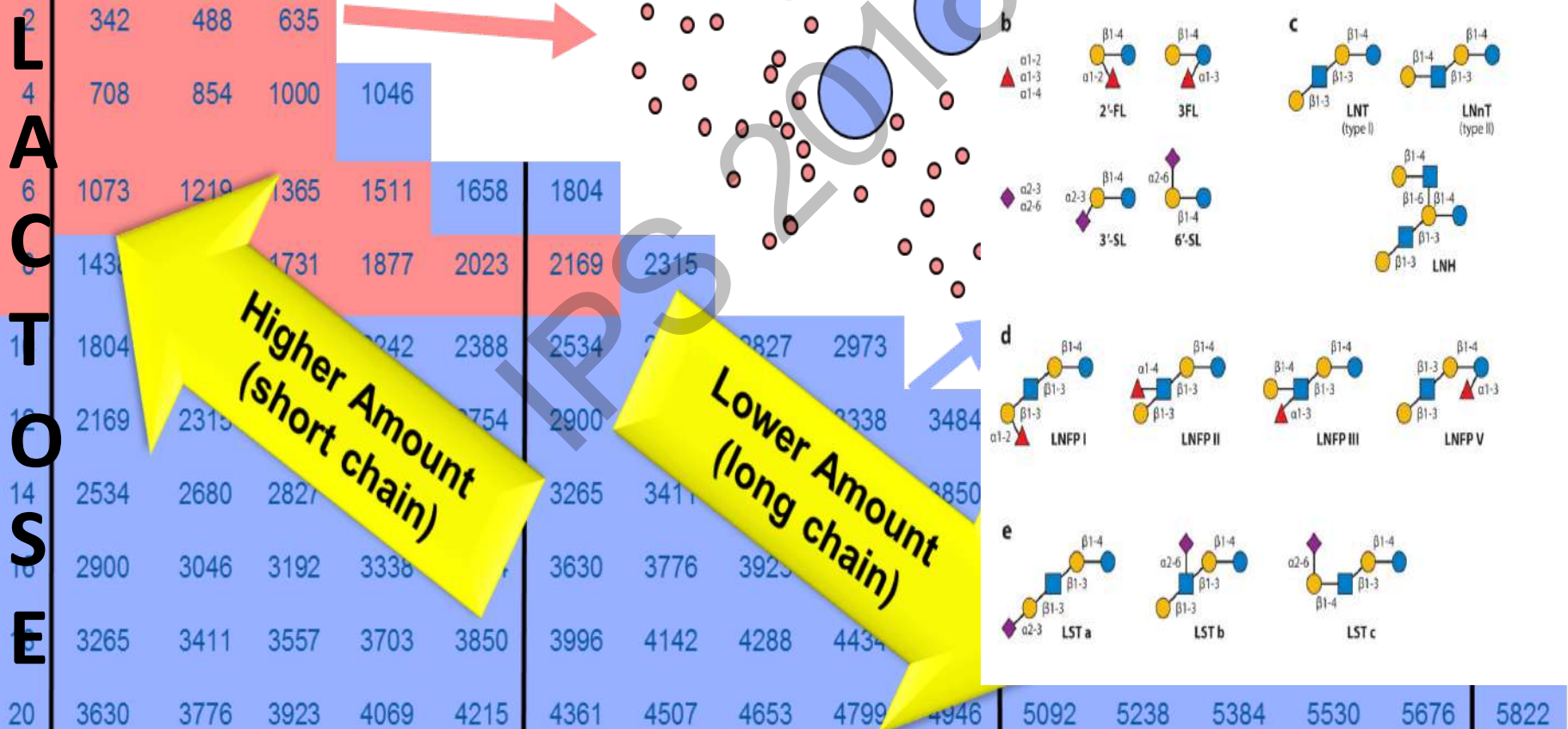
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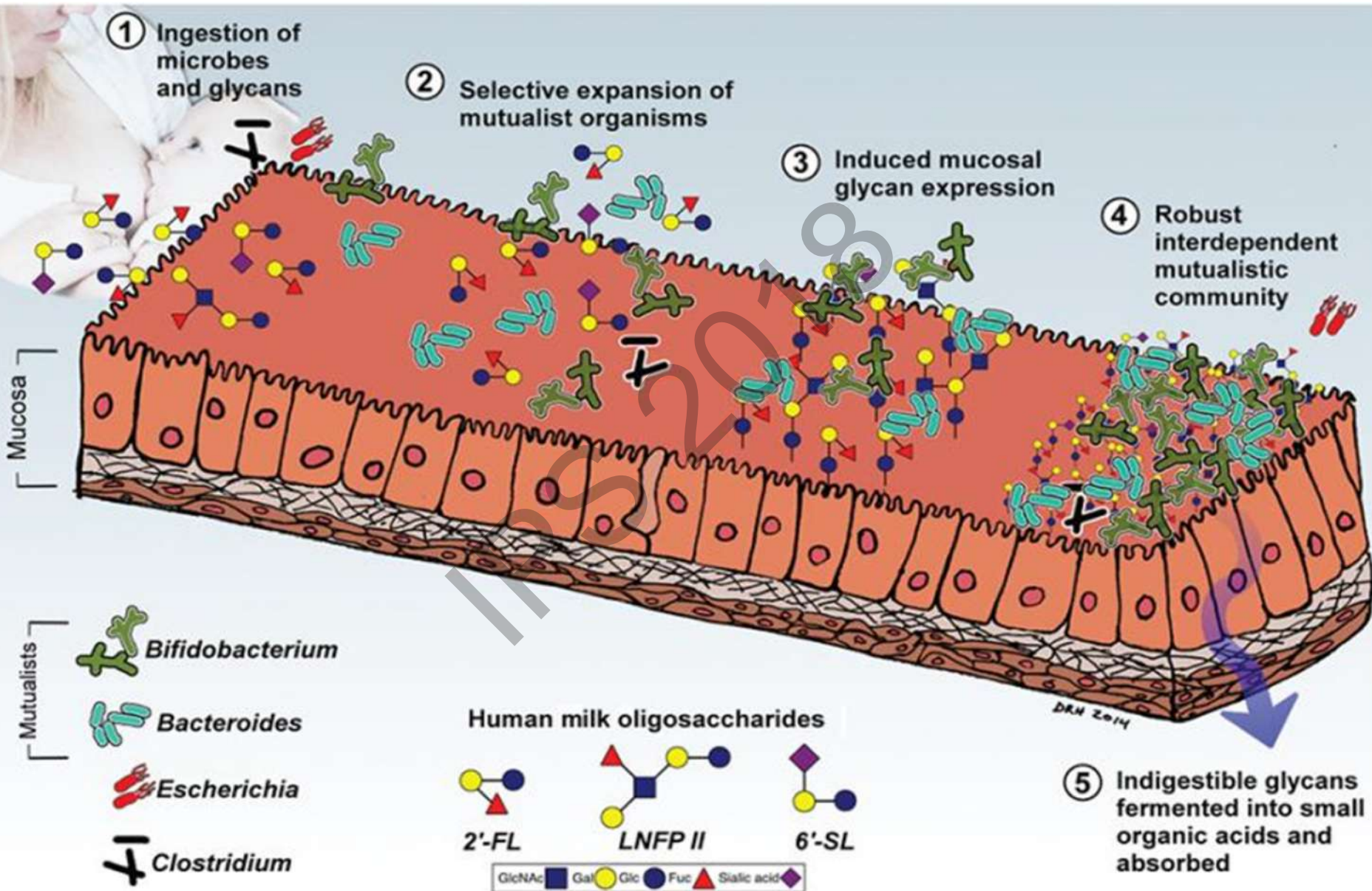
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Higher Amount (short chain)

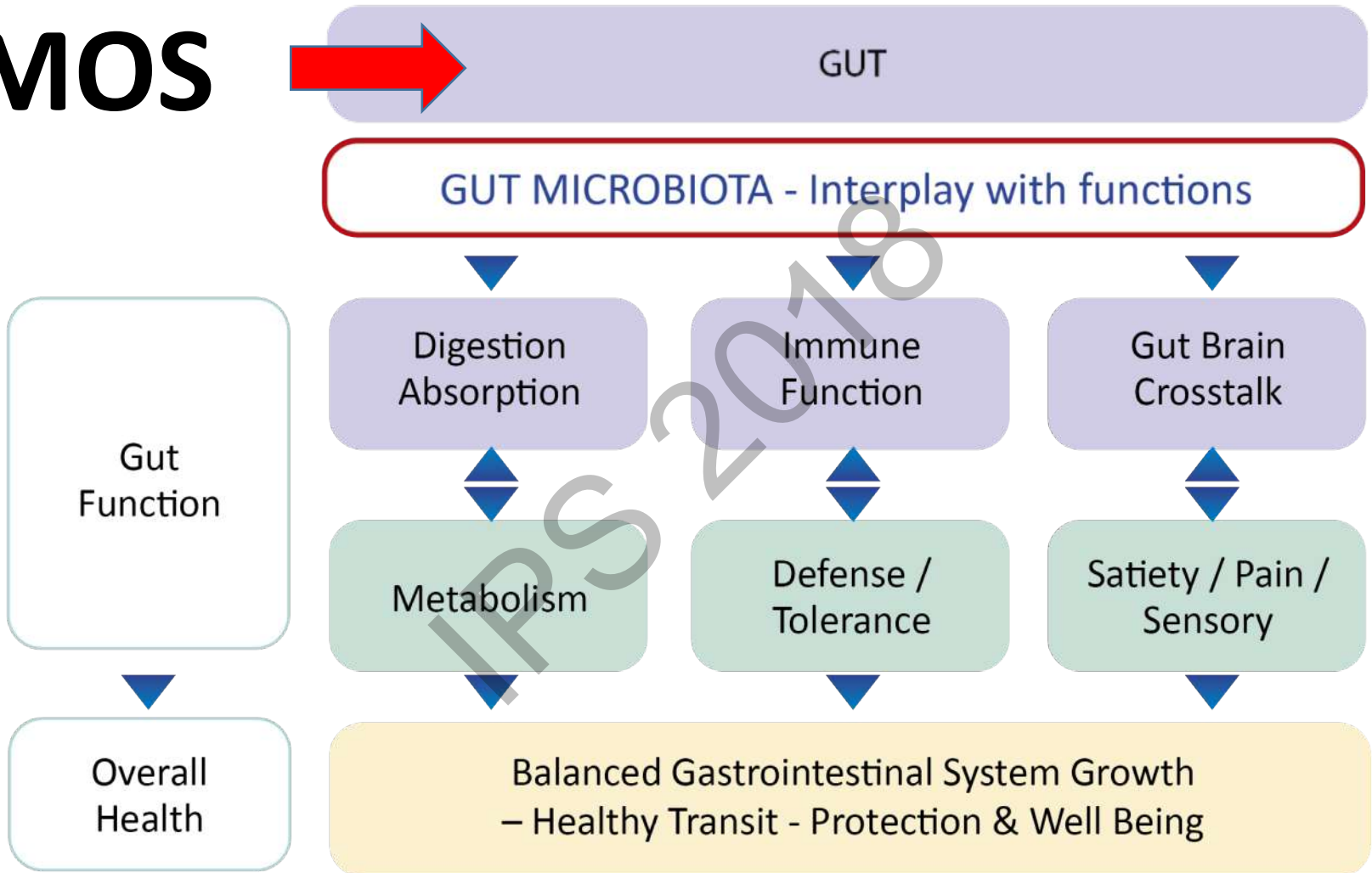
Lower Amount (long chain)

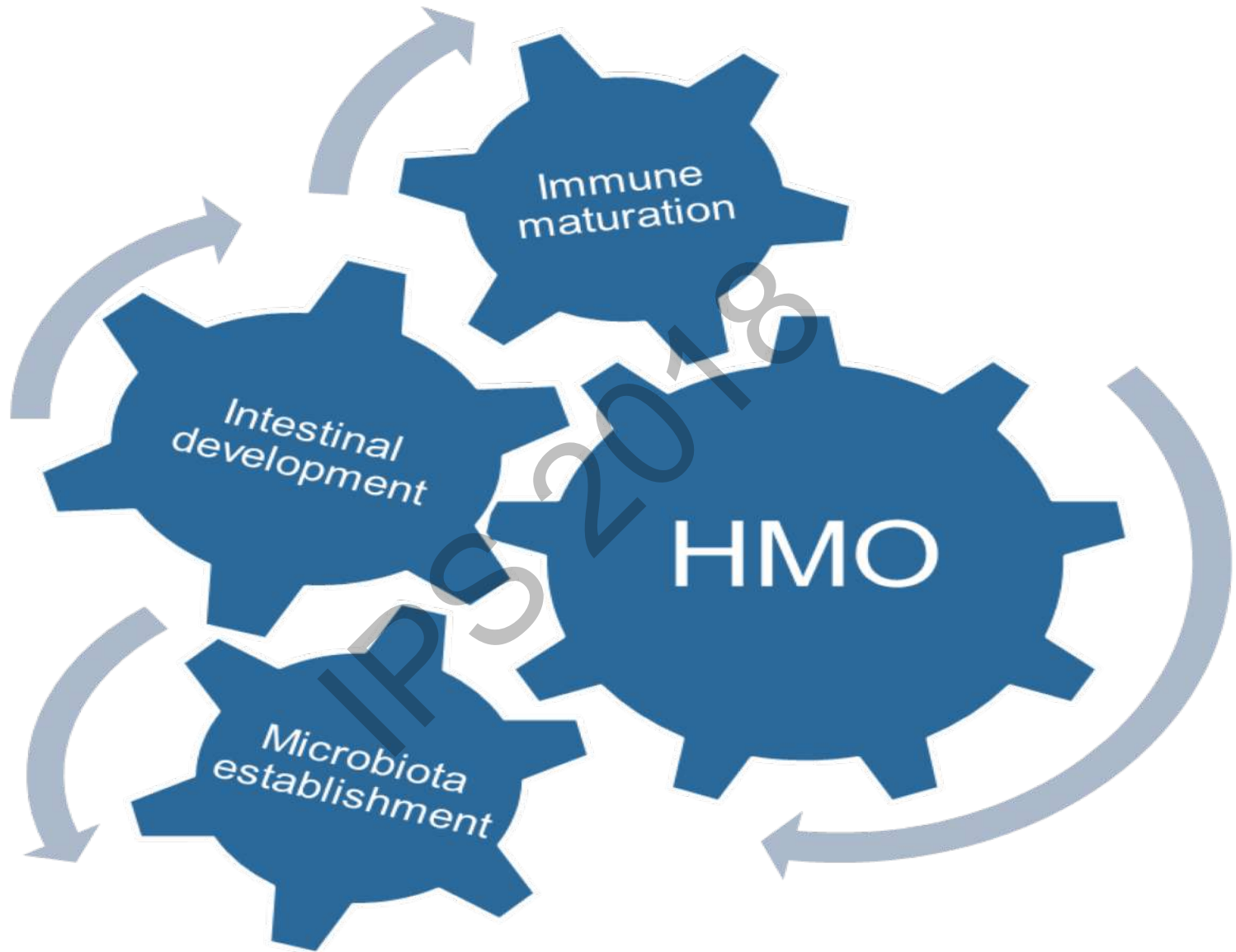
Human Milk OligoSaccharides = Natural PREBIOTIC



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Neurodevelopmental Outcomes of Preterm Infants Fed Human Milk

A Systematic Review



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Breastfeeding and early white matter development: A cross-sectional study



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Table 1

Studies during infancy: between newborn and 2 years of age

Author	Population	Birth Years	Age	Test	Outcome							
Feldman & Eidelman, ²² 2003	86 infants <1750 g	1996-1999	At discharge and 6 mo	Bayley II	6m HM	Substantial	Intermediate	Minimal			<i>P</i>	
					MDI	94.2 ± 9	91.7 ± 7	90.5 ± 8			<.05	
					PDI	85.8 ± 11	78.6 ± 13	78.0 ± 12			<.01	
Blaymore Bier et al, ²⁵ 2002	39 infants <2000 g	1996-1999	7 and 12 mo	Bayley II	12m HM	Formula				<i>P</i>		
					MDI	100 ± 12	91 ± 10			<.05		
Pinelli et al, ²⁶ 2003	148 infants <1500 g	2008-2009	6 and 12 mo	Bayley II	12m HM	>80%	<80%			<i>P</i>		
					MDI	98 ± 15	91 ± 12			NS		
					PDI	78 ± 15	77 ± 14			NS		
O'Connor et al, ²⁷ 2003	463 infants 750-1800 g	1996-1998	12 mo	Bayley II	PHM-T	≥50% HM-T	<50% HM-T			PFF-T		
					MDI	93.1 ± 15	95 ± 13	91.6 ± 11			92.9 ± 13	
					PDI	86.8 ± 15	84.6 ± 15	86.5 ± 15			88.1 ± 15	
Vohr et al, ²⁸ 2006	1035 infants <1000 g	1999-2001	18-22 mo	Pentiles of HM vol. Bayley II	≤20th	20-40th	40-60th	60-80th	>80th	Adjust. <i>P</i>		
					MDI	74.2	76.9	78.3	90.4	97.3	.004	
					PDI	80.2	82.7	84.2	84.4	89.4	.003	
					BRS	44.8	52.1	50.1	51.8	58.8	.028	
Furman et al, ⁹ 2004	98 infants <1500 g	1997-1999	20 mo	HM mL/kg/d Bayley II	None	1-24 mL	25-29 mL	≥50 mL			Adjusted <i>P</i>	
					MDI	80 ± 16	70 ± 14	75 ± 14	85 ± 21			NS
					PDI	80 ± 16	75 ± 19	71 ± 17	76 ± 16			NS

Abbreviations: BRS, Behavior Rating Scale; MDI, Bayley Mental Development Index; NS, not significant; PDI, Psychomotor Development Index; PFF, predominantly formula fed; PHM-T, predominantly HM until term.

Table 2
Studies in childhood: ages 2 years to 12 years

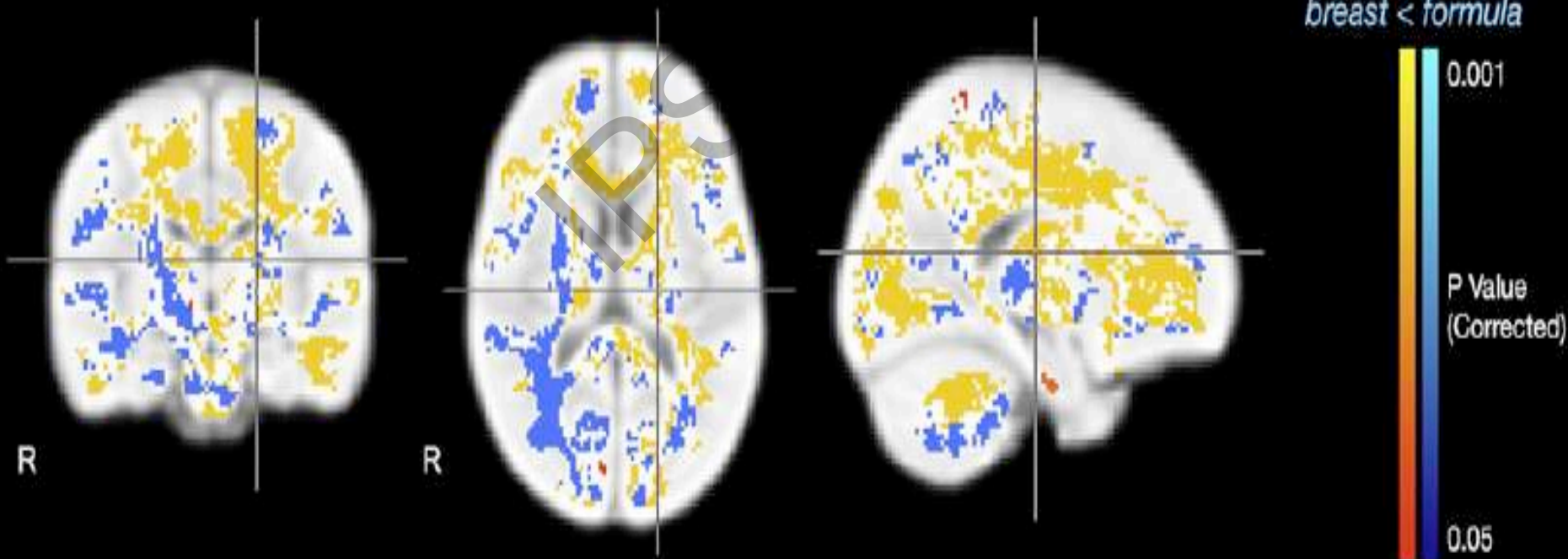
Author	Population	Birth Years	Age	Test	Outcome		
Vohr et al, ²⁹ 2007	773 infants NICHD 401–1000 g	Oct 1999–Jun 2001	30 m CA	Bayley II	Parameter estimate	Standard error	Adjusted <i>P</i> value
				MDI	0.59 pts per 10 mL ^a	0.17	.0005
				PDI	0.56 pts per 10 mL ^a	0.21	.0092
				Total behavioral score	0.99% per 10 mL ^a	0.33	.0028
Rozé et al, ³⁰ 2012	2925 infants LIFT (<33 wk) France EIPAGE (22–32 wk) France	Jan 2003–Jun 2008 1997	2 y 5 y	Ages and Stages Questionnaire	Association between breastfeeding at time of discharge and nonoptimal neurodevelopmental performance ^b		
				KABC	OR (95% CI)		<i>P</i> value
					LIFT	0.53 (0.39–0.73)	.001
					EIPAGE	0.44 (0.33–0.60)	.001
Beaino et al, ³³ 2011	1503 infants EIPAGE (22–32 wk) France	1997	5 y	KABC MPC	Breast milk % OR (95% CI)	No breast milk % OR	
				Mild cognitive deficiency ^d	15% 0.54 (0.39–0.76)	23% 1.00 ^c	
				Severe cognitive deficiency ^e	4% 0.25 (0.14–0.44)	13% 1.00 ^c	
Tanaka et al, ³⁴ 2009	38 infants VLBW Japan	1999–2000	5 y	KABC	Breast milk	Formula	
				MPC	100.9 ± 14.6	94.5 ± 11.8	
				Simultaneous processing	99.3 ± 13.8	94.6 ± 15.9	
				Sequential processing	106.7 ± 14.5	94.7 ± 11.6 ^c	
				Day-Night Test	14.1 ± 1.4	11.1 ± 0.9 ^c	
				KRISP	17.2 ± 0.8	15.0 ± 1.4 ^d	
				Motor Planning Test	18.8 ± 5.3	12.0 ± 3.9 ^c	
				SDQ	11.0 ± 1.2	13 ± 3.9 ^{c-e}	

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Subset comparison of older members of Group #1 and Group #2

	Group #1 (breastfed)	Group #2 (formula-fed)	p-Value
Participants (n)	21	12	
Age (days)	1287 ± 153	1281 ± 118	0.91
Fine motor	36.8 ± 5.3	34.3 ± 4.8	0.19
Receptive language	41.1 ± 3.3	34.5 ± 5.6	0.0019
Expressive language	39.1 ± 3.9	37 ± 5.8	0.28
Visual reception	44.4 ± 4.6	41.6 ± 4.5	0.09

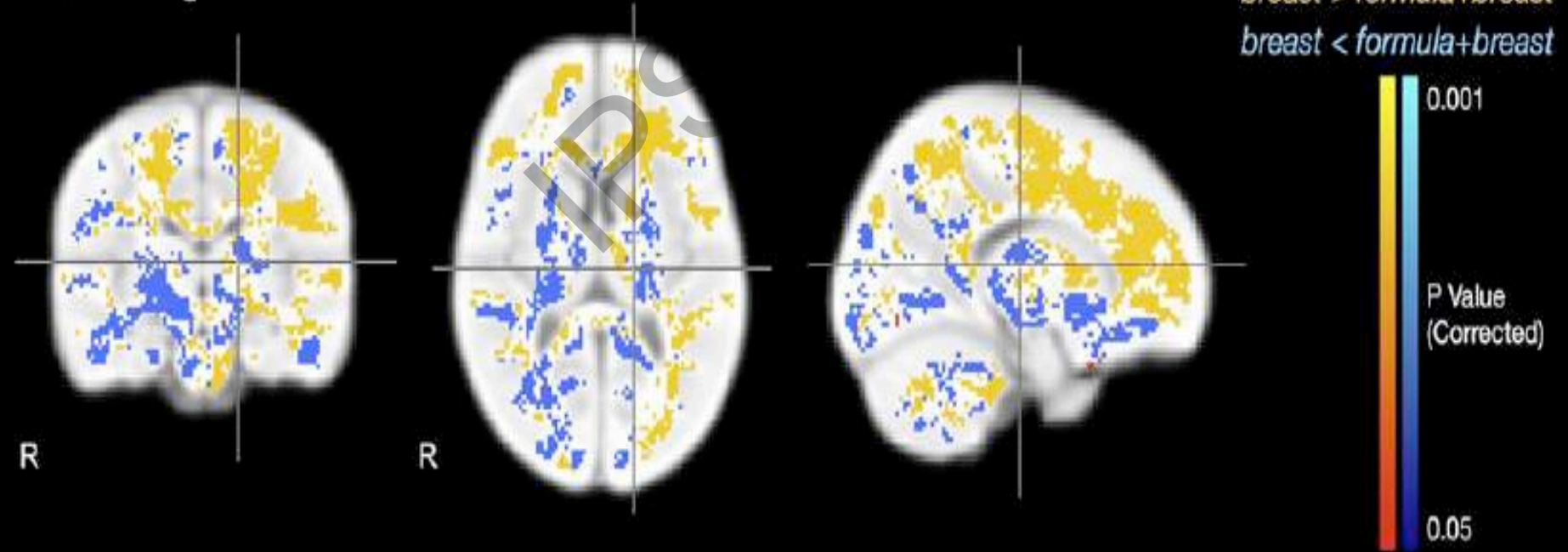
Breastfeeding Vs. Formula



Subset comparison of older members of Group #1 and Group #3

	Group #1 (breastfed)	Group #3 (breast + formula-fed)	p-Value
Participants (n)	21	15	
Age (days)	1287 ± 153	1219 ± 150	0.19
Fine motor	36.8 ± 5.3	32.9 ± 6.4	0.067
Receptive language	41.1 ± 3.3	34.7 ± 5.8	0.0011
Expressive language	39.1 ± 3.9	35.2 ± 6.4	0.05
Visual reception	44.4 ± 4.6	38.8 ± 6.1	0.0056

Breastfeeding Vs. Formula + Breast



Subset comparison of older members of Group #2 and Group #3

	Group #2 (formula-fed)	Group #3 (breast + formula-fed)	p-Value
Participants (n)	12	15	
Age (days)	1281 ± 118	1219 ± 150	0.23
Fine motor	34.3 ± 4.8	32.9 ± 6.4	0.52
Receptive language	34.5 ± 5.6	34.7 ± 5.8	0.91
Expressive language	37 ± 5.8	35.2 ± 6.4	0.45
Visual reception	41.6 ± 4.5	38.8 ± 6.1	0.18

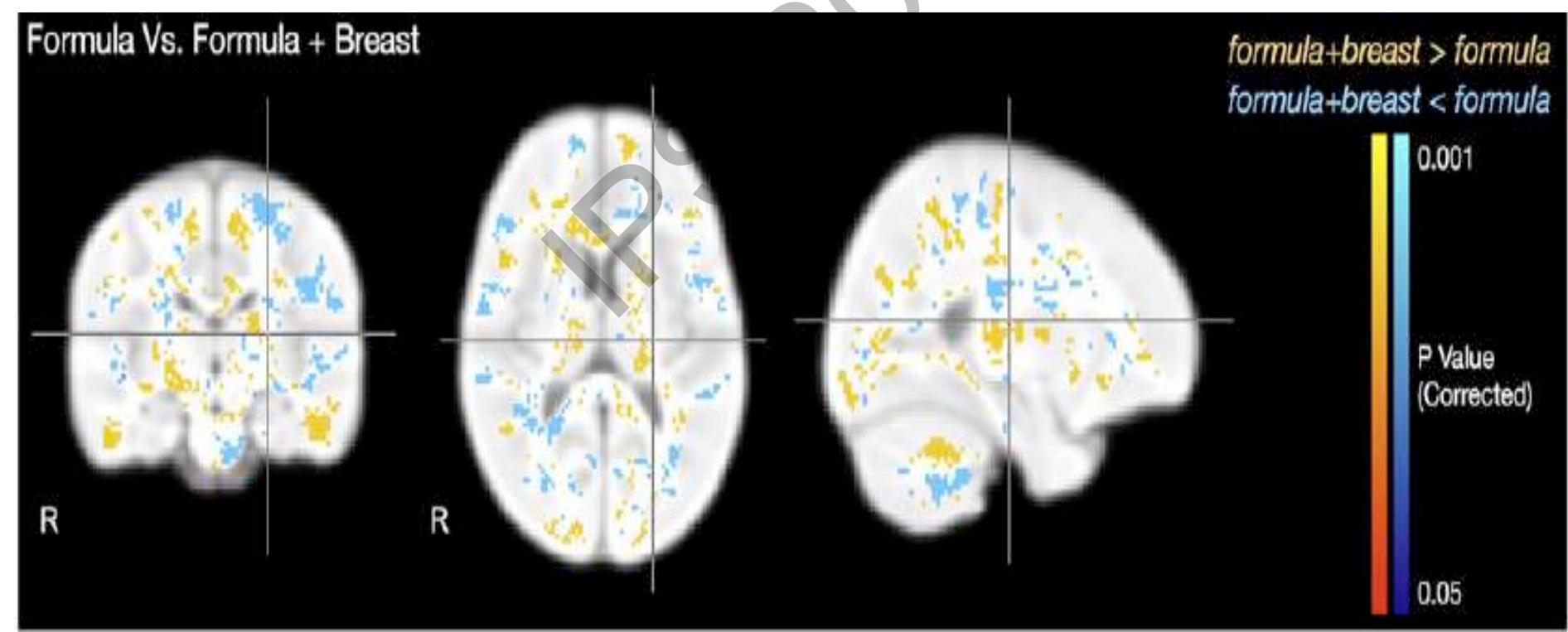
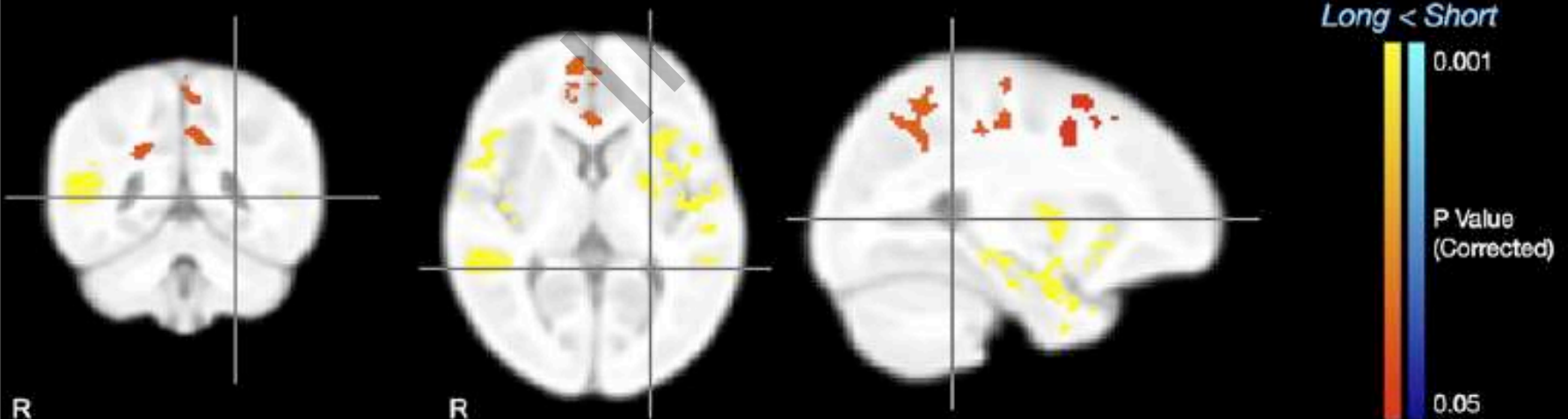


Table 7

Comparison of behavioral test scores for breast-fed children divided into short and long feeding durations. Bold values indicate statistically different scores corrected for type 1 error using Holm–Bonferroni correction.

	Short breast feeding duration	Long breast feeding duration	p-Value
Participants (n)	22	25	
Age (days)	691 ± 324	807 ± 341	0.24
Breast feeding duration	220 ± 81	600 ± 124	
Gross motor	20.41 ± 4.7	23 ± 5	0.046
Fine motor	20.4 ± 5.5	25.3 ± 8.6	0.028
Receptive language	19.2 ± 8.9	26.7 ± 11.2	0.015
Expressive language	16.9 ± 7.9	25.6 ± 10.7	0.0036
Visual reception	20.9 ± 9.2	30 ± 11.1	0.0042

Short vs. Long Breastfeeding Duration

**BREAST MILK IS THE BEST FOR
NUTRITION OF PREMATURE INFANT**

IS THERE A NEED FOR PHM FORTIFICATION ?

FOR A BETTER GROWTH

IS THERE A NEED FOR PHM FORTIFICATION ?

PROTEIN

DHA

VIT D

IRON

Nutrient Requirement of Premature & LBW FOR PROTEIN

- Protein (+ kcals) is the principal determinant of growth
- Aim is to support intrauterine rate of weight gain
- Digestion, absorption and metabolism limited by immaturity of organs
- **ESPGHAN 2010 Recommendation of two different protein intakes**
 - **Preterm babies <1000 g 3.6 – 4.1 g/100 kcal**
4 -4.5 g/kg/day
 - **Preterm babies 1000-1800 g 3.2 – 3.6 g/100 kcal**
3.5-4 g/kg/day

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Table 1
Macronutrient analysis results (mean \pm SD)

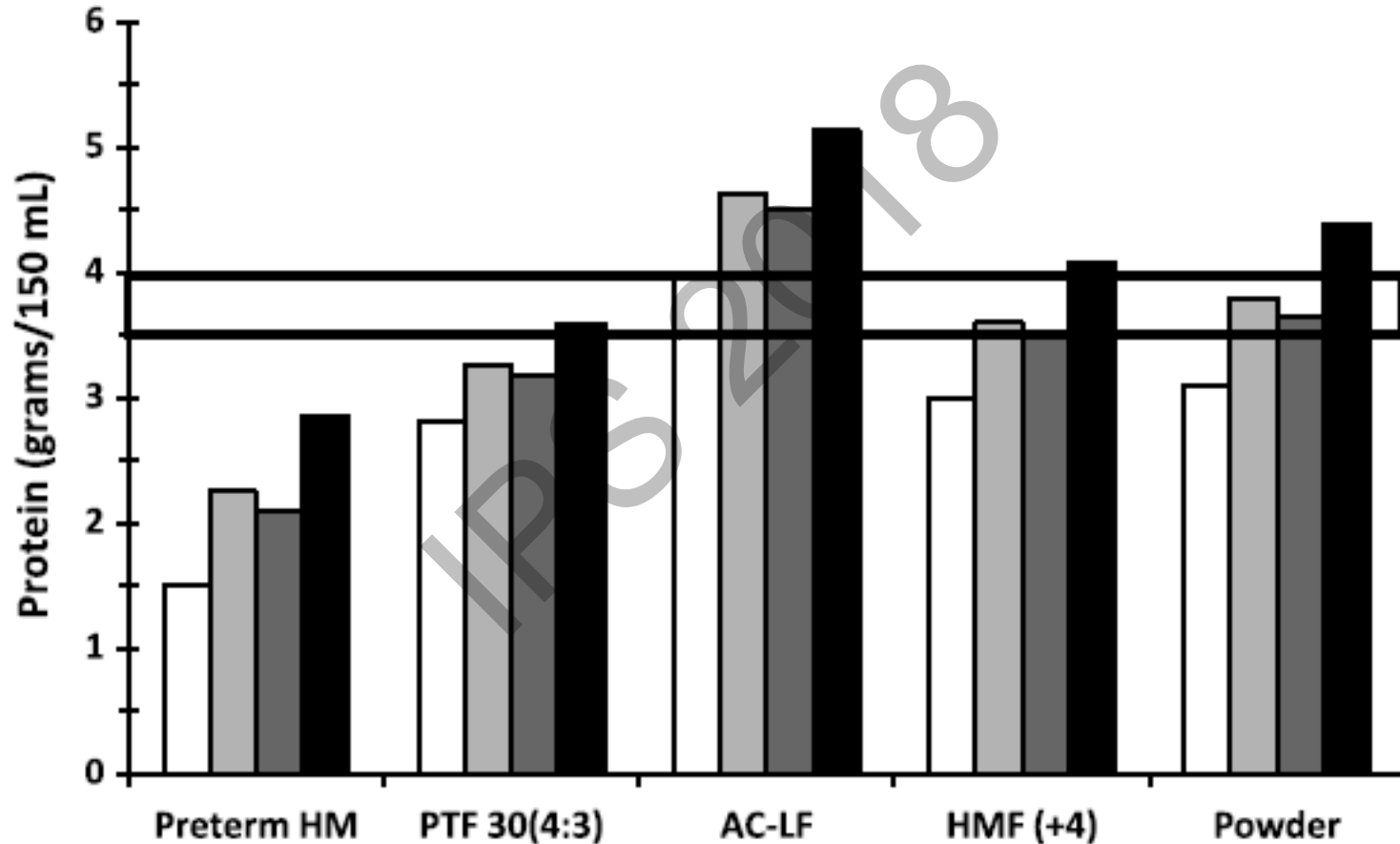
	Stage of lactation			Donor human milk (term)	<i>p</i>
	0–2 weeks	2–4 weeks	\geq 4 weeks		
Protein (g/dL) (range)	1.7 \pm 0.3 1.3–2.8	1.5 \pm 0.2 1.2–2.0	1.3 \pm 0.4 0.9–1.9	1.0 \pm 0.1 0.8–1.1	<0.02 (DHM vs. all stages)
Fat (g/dL) (range)	3.0 \pm 0.9 1.0–5.7	3.6 \pm 1.1 1.8–6.2	3.8 \pm 0.9 2.1–5.5	2.5 \pm 0.3 2.2–3.0	\leq 0.015 (DHM vs 0–2 wks and \geq 4 wks)
Lactose (g/dL) (range)	6.5 \pm 0.5 5.1–7.9	6.6 \pm 0.3 6.4–7.5	6.5 \pm 0.2 5.9–7.1	6.1 \pm 0.4 5.5–6.7	<0.005 (DHM vs. all stages)
Energy (kcal/oz) (range)	17.2 \pm 2.4 12.4–24.5	18.6 \pm 2.9 13.6–25.7	18.9 \pm 2.6 14.2–23.6	14.6 \pm 1.4 13.1–16.6	0.021 (DHM vs 0–2 wks and \geq 4 wks)

DHM: donor human milk.

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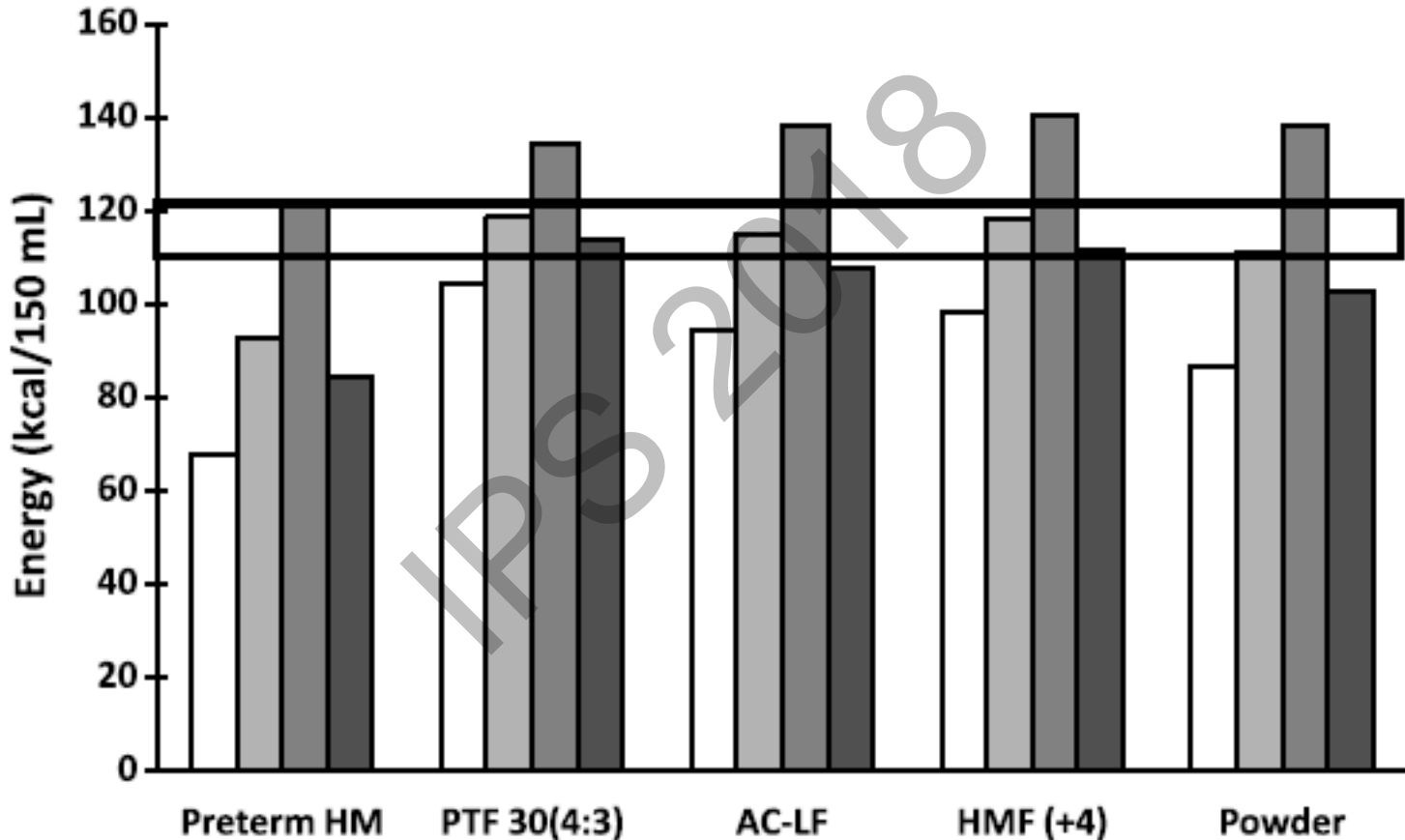
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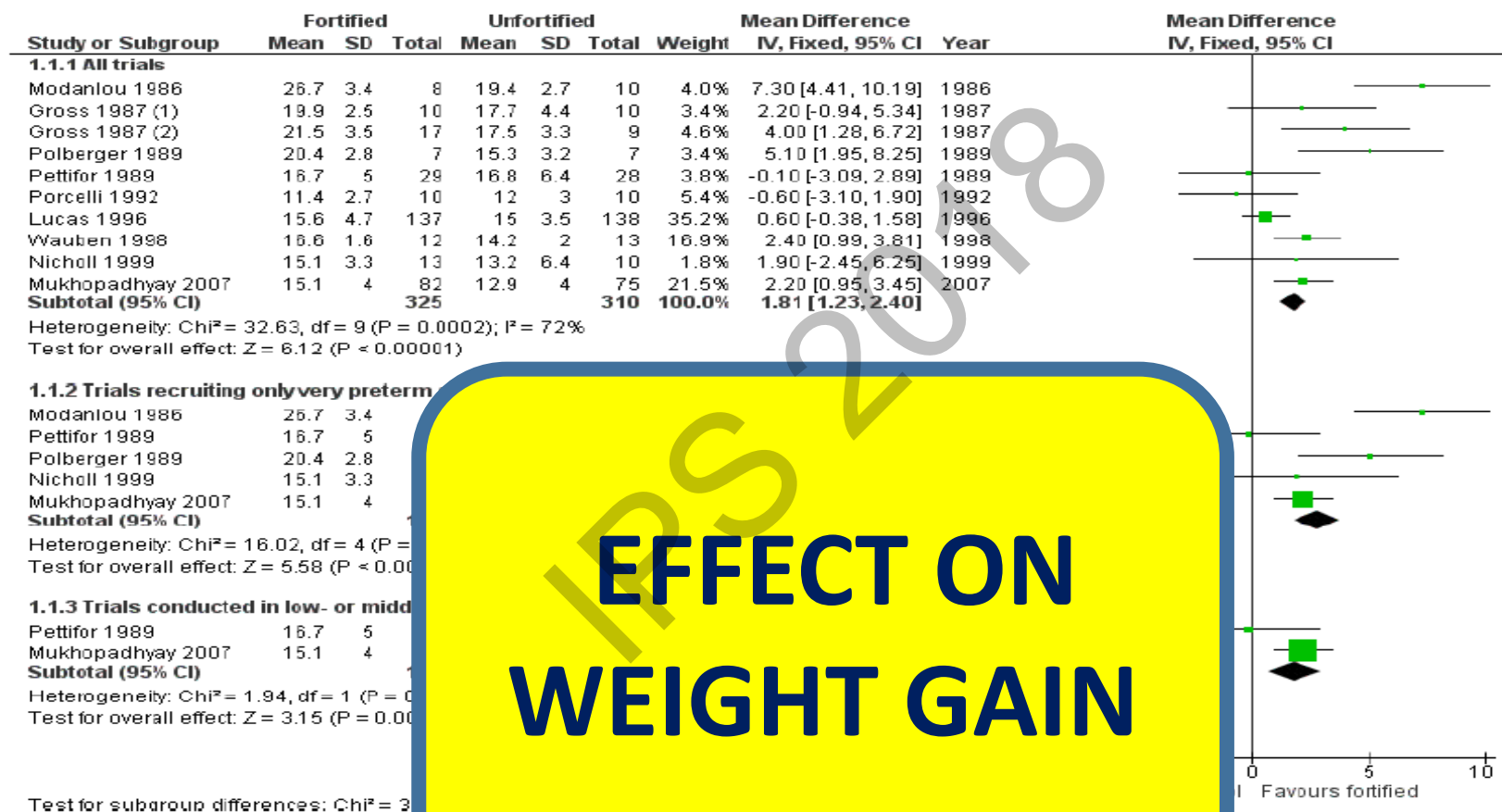
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Multi-nutrient fortification of human milk for preterm infants

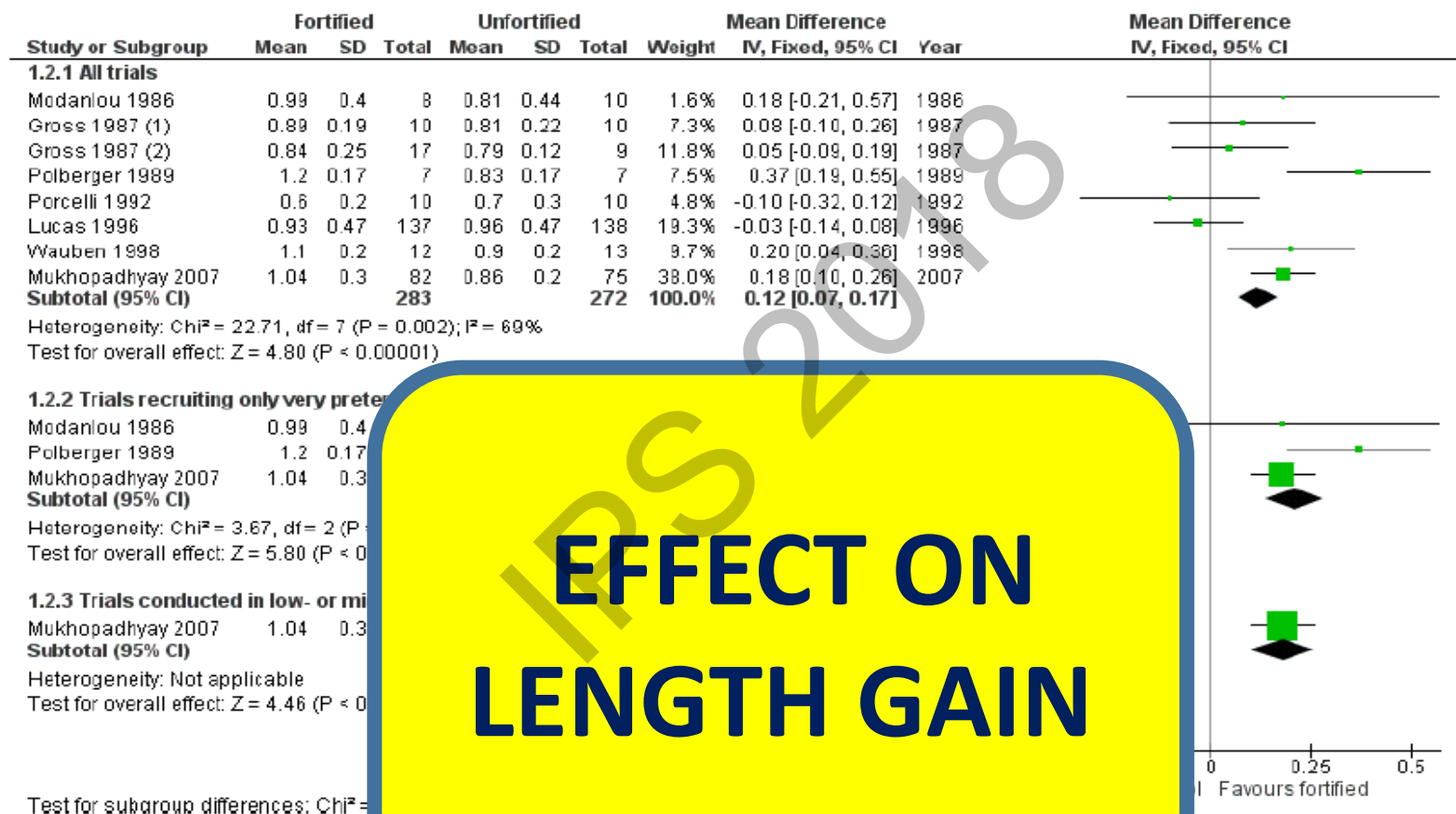
Figure 3. Forest plot of comparison: I Fortified breast milk versus unfortified breast milk, outcome: I.1 Weight gain (g/kg/d).



**EFFECT ON
WEIGHT GAIN**

Multi-nutrient fortification of human milk for preterm infants

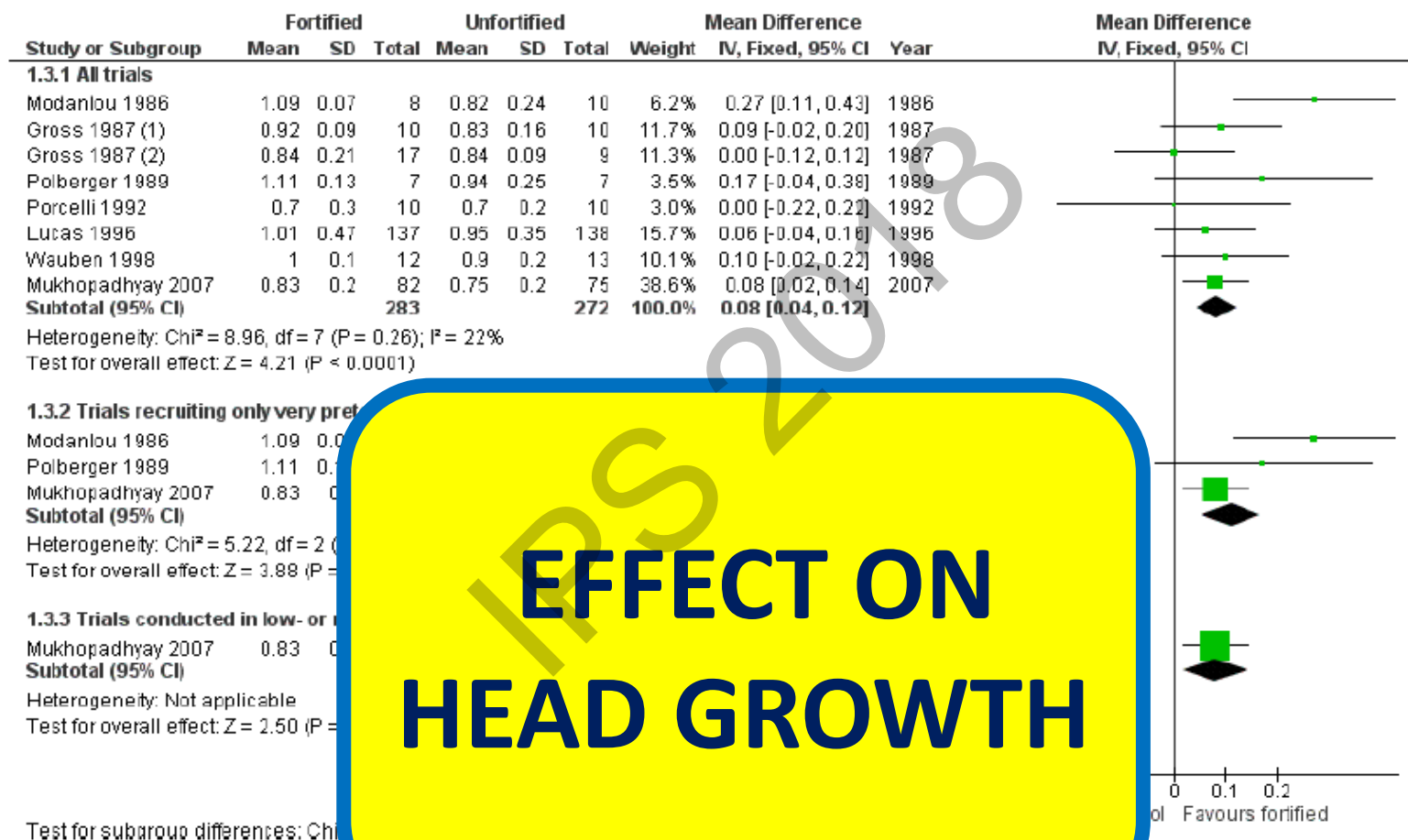
Figure 4. Forest plot of comparison: I Fortified breast milk versus unfortified breast milk, outcome: I.2 Length gain (cm/wk).



**EFFECT ON
LENGTH GAIN**

Multi-nutrient fortification of human milk for preterm infants

Figure 5. Forest plot of comparison: I Fortified breast milk versus unfortified breast milk, outcome: I.3 Head growth (cm/wk).



**EFFECT ON
HEAD GROWTH**



**Cochrane
Library**

Multi-nutrient fortification of human milk for preterm infants

NO EFFECTS ON

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Outcome 7 Mental development index

Outcome 8 Psychomotor development

Outcome 9 Length of hospital stay

Outcome 10 Feed intolerance

Outcome 11 Necrotising enterocolitis

The Use of Multinutrient Human Milk Fortifiers in Preterm Infants



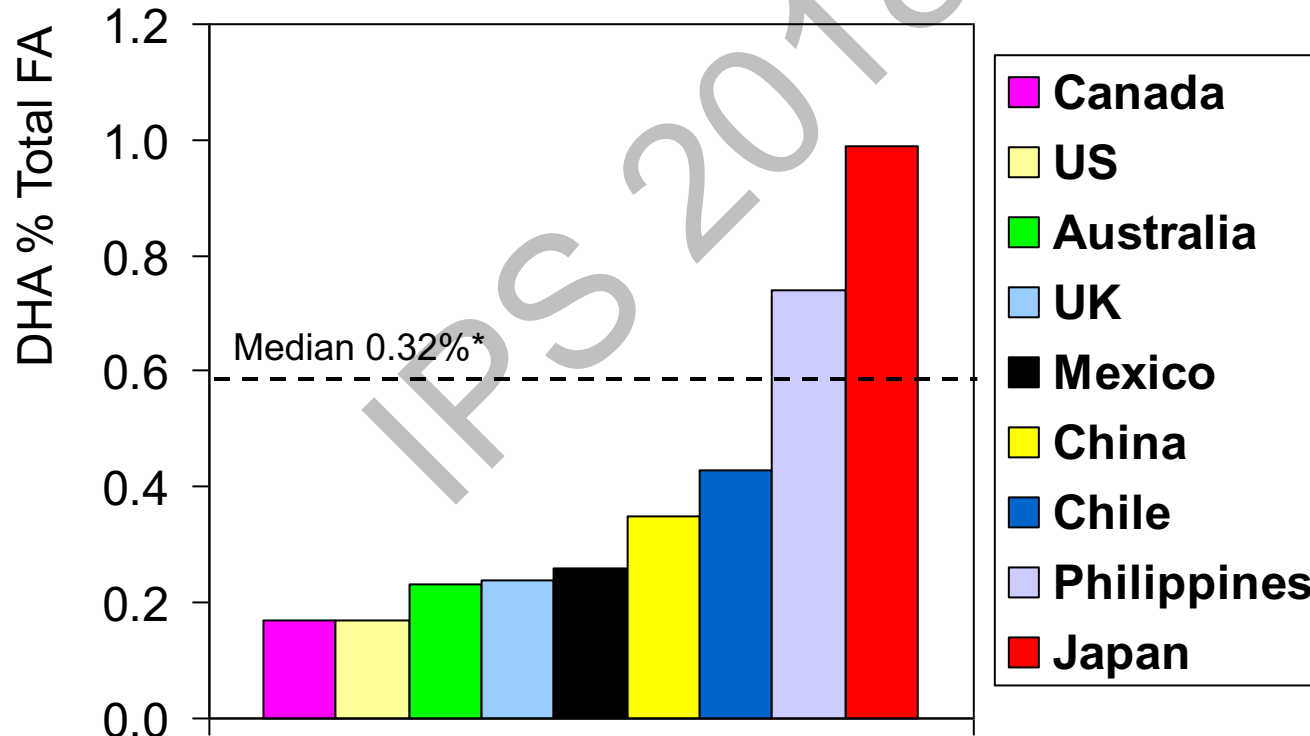
A Systematic Review of Unanswered Questions

Bovine vs human source fortifier

Early vs late fortification

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Wide Variation in Human Milk DHA Due to Diet



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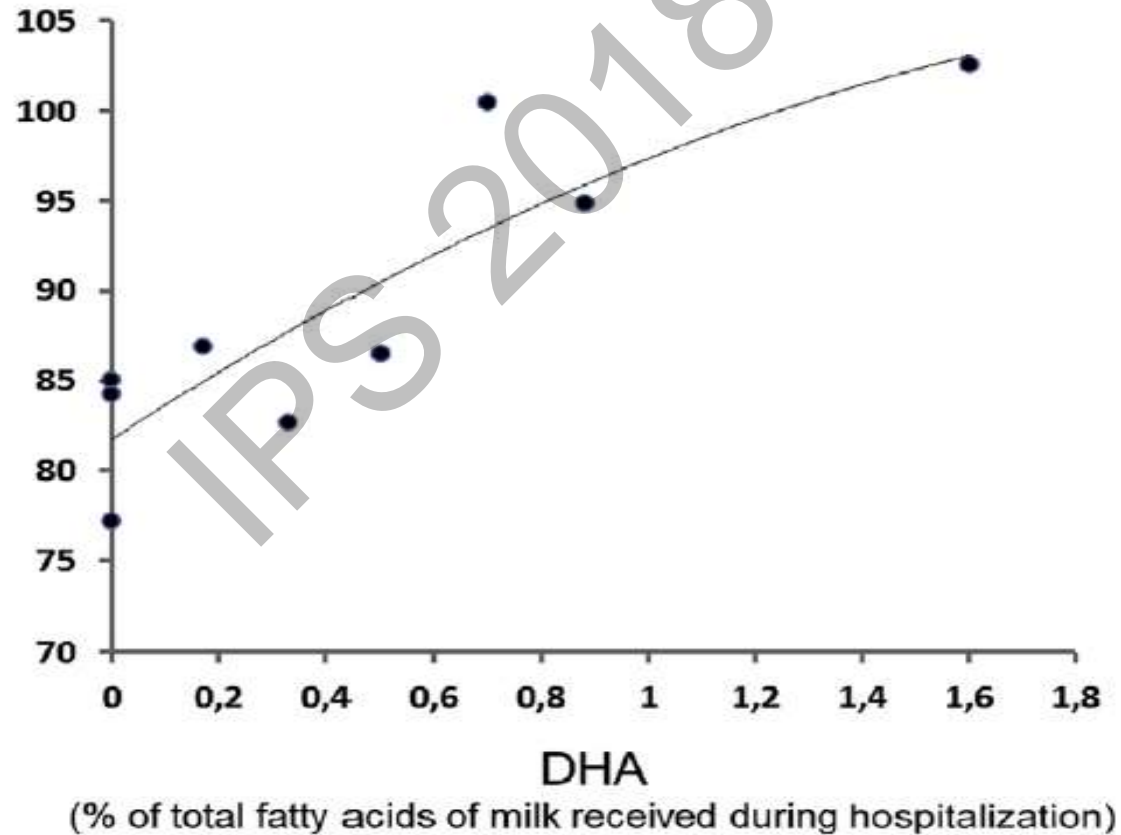
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DHA

Bayley MDI
(at 18 to 20 mo
corrected age)



IS THERE A NEED FOR PHM FORTIFICATION ?

DHA

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Table 1
Providing preterm infants with milk with a higher docosahexaenoic acid dose (about 1% of fatty acids, compared with 0.3%) improved early visual function and reduced markedly abnormal developmental outcomes at age 18 months

	High DHA ($\approx 1\%$)	Standard DHA ($\approx 0.3\%$)	Significance
Visual acuity (cycles per degree), aged 4 mo (corrected for gestational age)			
	9.6 (3.7)	8.2 (1.8)	$P = .025$
Mental development index (MDI), aged 18 mo (corrected for gestational age)			
Girls	99.1(13.9)	94.4 (17.5)	$P = .03$
Boys	91.3 (14.0)	91.9 (17.2)	n.s.
Markedly abnormal development index (MDI), aged 18 mo (corrected for gestational age)			
MDI <70	17 (5%)	35 (11%)	$P = .03$
MDI <85	64 (20%)	90 (27%)	$P = .08$



ADAM

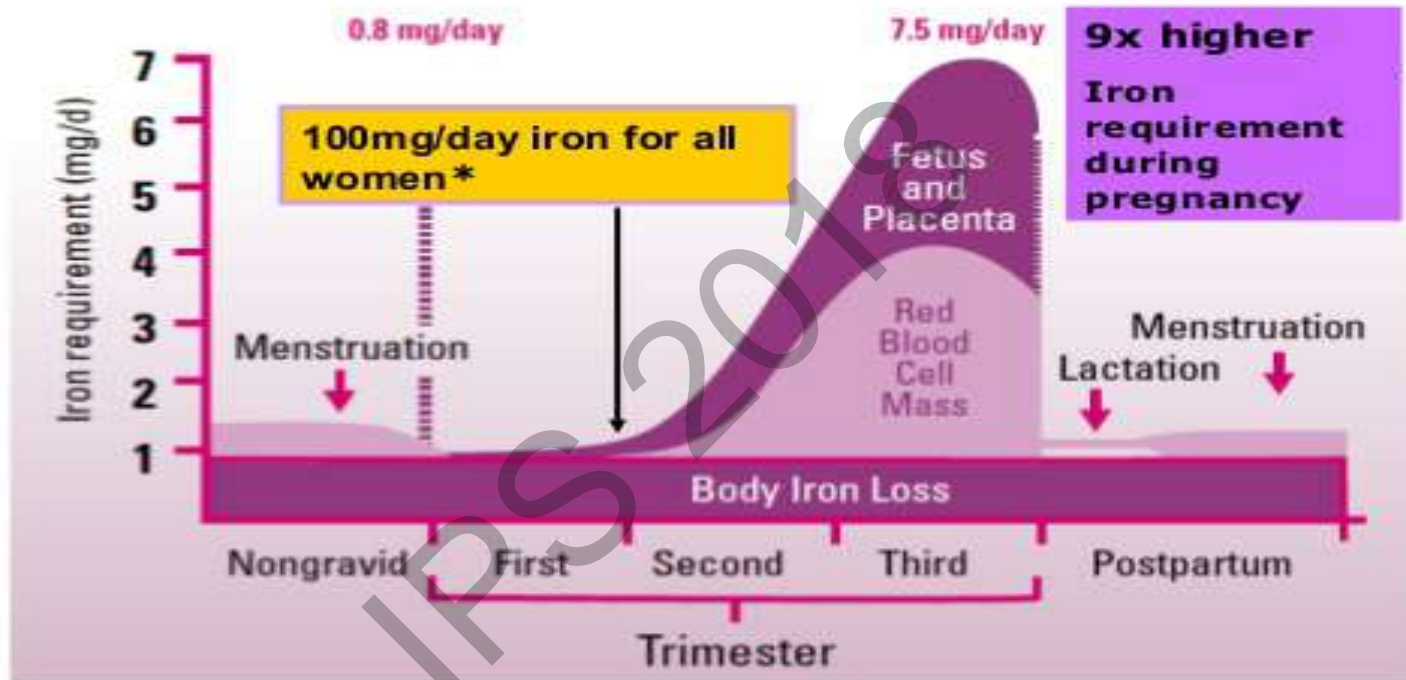
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Table 1 Macronutrient Concentrations (per dL) of Feedings for Preterm Infants at the Time of Discharge

	Human Milk (mature)*	TERM FORMULA		ENRICHED POST DISCH FORMULA	
Calories/dL	69	68	68	75	74
Protein g/dL	1.0	1.4	1.4	2.1	2.1
Fat g/dL	3.9	3.6	3.6	4.1	3.9
CHO g/dL	6.6	7.3	7.3	7.7	7.9
Vit A IU/dL	390	203	203	343	333
Vit D IU/dL	2	40	40	52	59
Vit E IU/dL	1.0	2.0	1.3	2.7	3.0
Ca mg/dL	25	53	53	78	89
P mg/dL	13	28	36	46	49
Fe mg/dL	0.1	1.22	1.22	1.34	1.33

If a baby was born prematurely they may not have had enough time to get iron from their mother during the last few weeks of pregnancy



IRON SHOULD BE SUPPLEMENTED WHEN PREMATURE ARE FED BREAST MILK

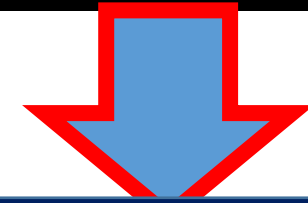
TAKE HOME MESSAGE THREE

**TO ENSURE AN APPROPRIATE
GROWTH IN THE SECOND PHASE**



**THE USE OF BREAST MILK FORTIFIED
BY **PROTEINS** AND **DHA** AND **VIT D**
IS RECOMMENDED along with
IRON SUPPLEMENTATION**

3RD PHASE THE CATCH UP GROWTH



**POST
DISCHARGE
NUTRITION
IF BREAST MILK
MILK IS NOT
AVAILABLE**

ENTERAL NUTRITION OF THE PRETERM THE DEBATE!

**FORMULA
ENRICHED
OR NOT?**

STANDARD FORMULA

PRETERM FORMULA

POST DISCHARGE
FORMULA

PROTEINS**ENERGY****STANDARD FORMULA****1.4-1.7 g/100 ml****66-68 Kcal /100ml****PRETERM FORMULA****2-2.4 g/100 ml****80 K cal /100ml****POST DISCHARGE
FORMULA****1.7-1.9 g/100 ml****74 K cal /100ml**

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Nutrient-enriched formula versus standard formula for preterm infants following hospital discharge (Review)

POST DISCHARGE FORMULA

STANDARD FORMULA

1.2.3 9 months post term

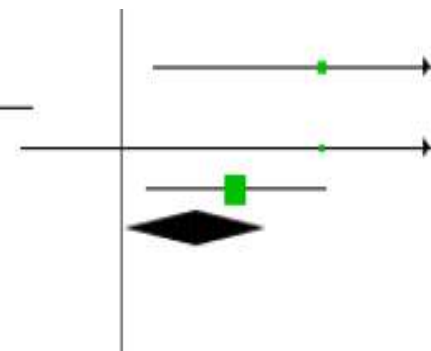
Atkinson 1999	8,788	1,011	24	8,137	1,005	29	17.3%	651.00 [105.66, 1196.34]
Koo 2006	7,765	1,120	31	8,629				
Lucas 1992	8,250	1,400	16	7,600				
Lucas 2001	8,360	1,100	98	7,990				
Subtotal (95% CI)			169					

Heterogeneity: Chi² = 17.62, df = 2 (P = 0.0005); I² = 92%

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WEIGHT

9 months



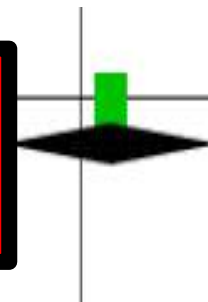
1.2.3 18 months post term

Lucas 2001	10,200	1,280	96	10,100				
Subtotal (95% CI)			96					

Heterogeneity: Not applicable

Test for overall effect: Z = 0.56 (P = 0.57)

18 months



Nutrient-enriched formula versus standard formula for preterm infants following hospital discharge (Review)

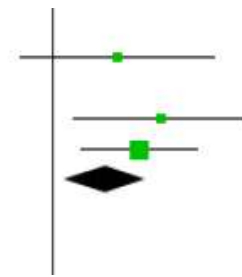
POST DISCHARGE FORMULA

STANDARD FORMULA

1.3.3 9 months post term

Atkinson 1999	705	23	24
Koo 2006	668	30.6	31
Lucas 1992	720	18	16
Lucas 2001	709	32	98
Subtotal (95% CI)			169

9 months

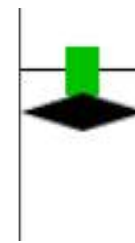


LENGTH

1.3.5 18-24 months post term

Lucas 2001	806	34	96
Subtotal (95% CI)			96

18 months



Heterogeneity: Not applicable
Test for overall effect: Z = 2.03 (P = 0.04)

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PRETERM FORMULA

STANDARD FORMULA

WEIGHT

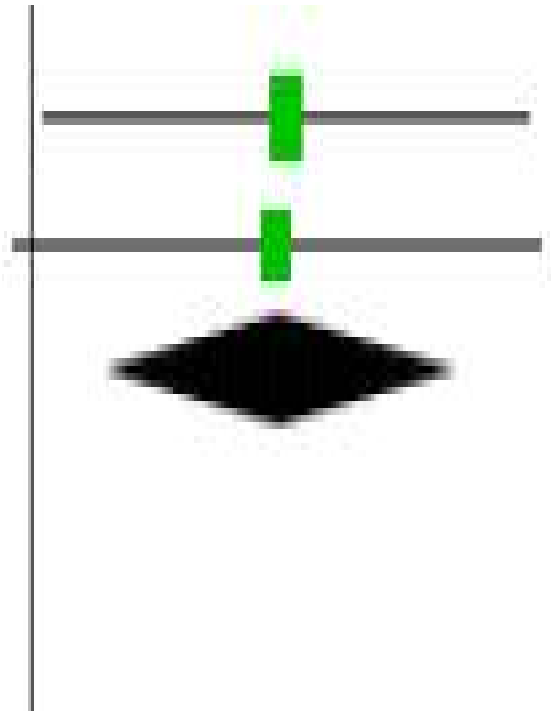
12 & 18 M

LENGTH

18 M

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6 to 18 M



CONCERNS ABOUT RAPID GROWTH AND CATCH UP

EARLY GROWTH & LATER MORBIDITIES

TWO SCENARIOS



PREGNANCY NEONATAL & POST

BARKER



THE THRIFTY PHENOTYPE HYPOTHESIS

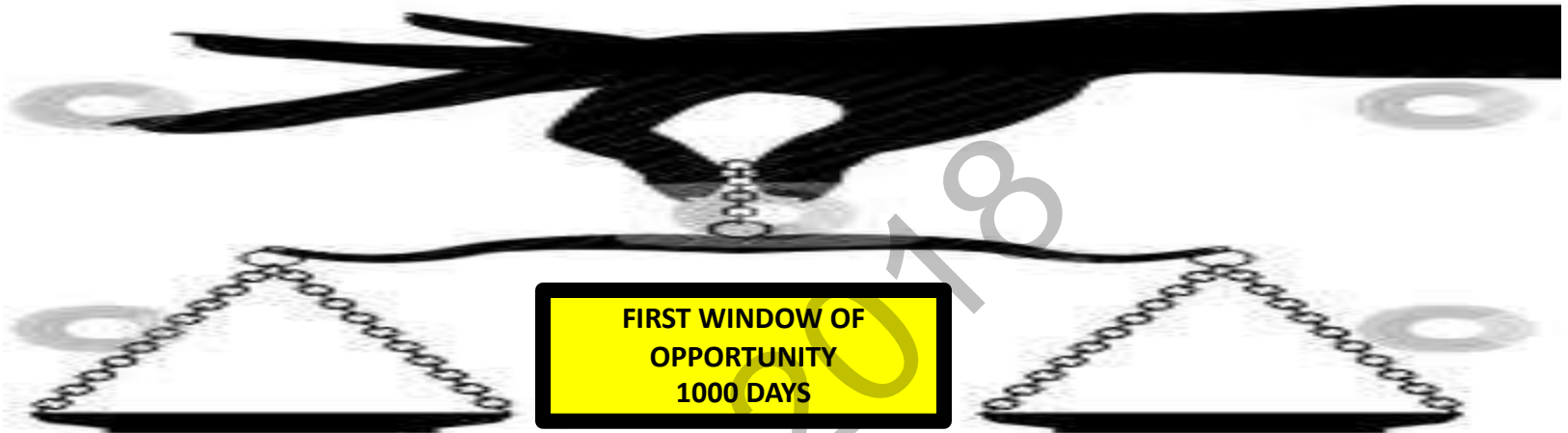
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THE GROWTH ACCELERATION HYPOTHESIS

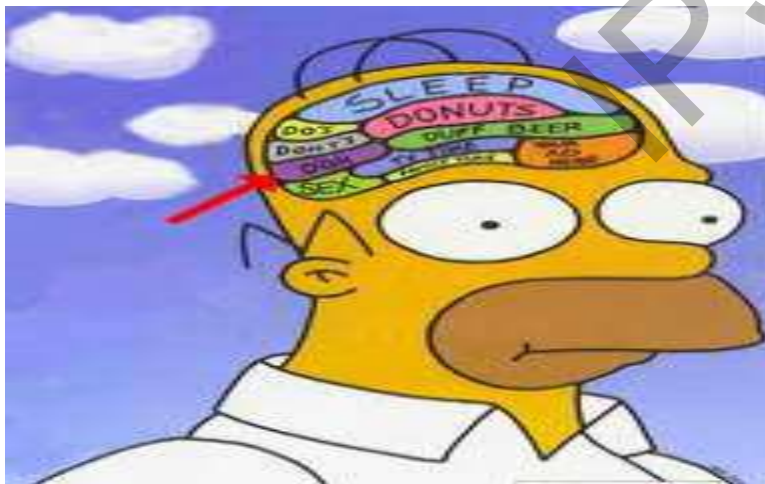
THE METABOLIC SYNDROME

NUTRITION & DEVELOPMENT



UNDERNUTRITION

OVER NUTRITION



Noncommunicable disease risk

Dysbiosis

Immunologic
programming

Metabolic
programming

Microbiome

Early environmental
exposures

- Pregnancy
- Mode of delivery
- Antibiotics

Early nutrition

- Diet during pregnancy
- Breast milk composition

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