

Table 2.6 Case-control study of workers exposed to mineral oils and stomach cancer

Reference and study location	Organ site (ICD code)	Characteristics of cases	Characteristics of controls	Exposure assessment	Exposure categories	Number of exposed cases	Relative risk (95% CI)*	Adjustment for potential confounders	Comments
Siemiatycki et al. (1987) Canada	Stomach	Men age 35-70, diagnosed at any of 19 participating hospitals	"Other" cancers for a given type of interest	Job history interpreted by industrial hygienists	Lubricating oils	80	0.9 (0.8-1.1)	Age, socioeconomic status, ethnic group, cigarette smoking, blue collar job history	
					Other mineral oils	7	0.6 (0.3-1.1)		