

A genome-wide association study in the Japanese population identifies the 12q24 locus  
for habitual coffee consumption: The J-MICC Study

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Supplement Table 1. Baseline characteristics of the study subjects according to site

Site	N	Age ± SD (year)	Female (%)	Coffee consumption (mean±SD) (cups/day)		Current alcohol drinkers (%)	Current alcohol consumption (mean±SD)	BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) (mean±SD)	Current smoking rate (%)
Chiba	1,055	53.6 ± 9.9	66	1.5 ± 1.4		56.1	12.6 ± 22.8	22.5 ± 3.0	11.5
Okazaki	1,064	55.7 ± 9.1	45	1.6 ± 1.4		54.0	13.3 ± 22.4	22.4 ± 3.2	20.0
Shizuoka-Daiko	1,989	52.9 ± 9.7	56	1.6 ± 1.5		52.9	14.2 ± 29.8	23.3 ± 3.1	15.8
Takashima	543	56.5 ± 9.7	71	1.5 ± 1.4		55.9	13.1 ± 23.8	22.3 ± 3.1	15.7
Kyoto	1,088	49.8 ± 9.8	52	1.9 ± 1.6		46.6	10.4 ± 19.4	23.0 ± 3.3	20.0
Sakuragaoka	573	50.1 ± 9.4	38	1.5 ± 1.5		62.8	15.0 ± 23.7	22.4 ± 3.2	25.8
Sub-total	6,312	53.0 ± 9.9	55	1.6 ± 1.5		56.1	23.9 ± 28.5	22.7 ± 3.2	17.4
Aichi	1,150	55.1 ± 9.5	51	1.7 ± 1.5		56.3	13.4 ± 23.4	23.1 ± 3.2	21.7
Saga	1,897	56.8 ± 8.2	57	1.6 ± 1.6		51.8	18.1 ± 29.4	24.6 ± 3.6	20.8
Kagoshima	1,224	55.2 ± 8.3	58	1.7 ± 1.6		58.3	15.3 ± 23.4	23.9 ± 3.6	15.9
Tokushima	678	50.4 ± 8.9	33	2.2 ± 1.7		60	14.6 ± 23.7	23.1 ± 3.4	26.0
Sub-total	4,949	55.1 ± 8.8	53	1.7 ± 1.6		54.8	27.0 ± 28.3	23.4 ± 3.4	20.5

\*Among current alcohol consumers

Supplementary Table 2. Results of genome-wide association study adjusted for age, sex and smoking status

SNP	Chr <sup>b</sup>	Gene	Position <sup>c</sup>	EA <sup>d</sup>	NEA <sup>e</sup>	Rsq <sup>f</sup>	Population	AF <sup>g</sup>	Beta <sup>h</sup>	SE(Beta) <sup>i</sup>	Variance explained (%)	P
rs2074356 <sup>a</sup>	12	<i>HECTD4</i>	112,645,401 (intron)	A	G	0.996	Discovery	<b>0.252</b>	<b>0.2084</b>	<b>0.0293</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>1.2×10<sup>-12</sup></b>
							Replication	0.224	0.1681	0.0363	0.42	3.6×10 <sup>-6</sup>
							Meta-analysis	<b>0.240</b>	<b>0.1925</b>	<b>0.0228</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>3.1×10<sup>-17</sup></b>

<sup>a</sup>Directly genotyped; <sup>b</sup>Chromosome; <sup>c</sup> Chromosomal position (GRCh37/hg19); <sup>d</sup>Effect allele; <sup>e</sup> Non-effect allele; <sup>f</sup>Imputation quality in terms of R-square calculated by the Minimac3 software version 1.0.11; <sup>g</sup>Allele frequency of effect allele; <sup>h</sup>Effect size; <sup>i</sup>Standard error of effect size

Results listed in bold are associations whose P-values are less than of genome-wide significance ( P < 5×10<sup>-8</sup> ).

Supplementary Table 3. Results of genome-wide association study adjusted for age, sex , smoking status, and BMI

SNP	Chr <sup>b</sup>	Gene(s)	Position <sup>c</sup>	EA <sup>d</sup>	NEA <sup>e</sup>	Rsq <sup>f</sup>	Population	AF <sup>g</sup>	Beta <sup>h</sup>	SE(Beta) <sup>i</sup>	Variance explained (%)	P
rs1957553	5	<i>CLINT1-EBFI</i>	157,506,734 (intergenic)	G	A	0.996	Discovery	0.2719	0.1394	0.0285	0.39	9.9×10 <sup>-7</sup>
							Replication	0.2756	-0.0174	0.0340	0.01	6.1×10 <sup>-1</sup>
							Meta-analysis	0.2735	0.0746	0.0218	0.10	6.3×10 <sup>-4</sup>
rs2074356 <sup>a</sup>	12	<i>HECTD4</i>	112,645,401 (intron)	A	G	0.996	Discovery	<b>0.2520</b>	<b>0.2078</b>	<b>0.0293</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>1.4×10<sup>-12</sup></b>
							Replication	0.2243	0.1674	0.0363	0.41	4.0×10 <sup>-6</sup>
							Meta-analysis	<b>0.2398</b>	<b>0.1918</b>	<b>0.0228</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>4.0×10<sup>-17</sup></b>

<sup>a</sup>Directly genotyped; <sup>b</sup>Chromosome; <sup>c</sup> Chromosomal position (GRCh37/hg19); <sup>d</sup>Effect allele; <sup>e</sup> Non-effect allele; <sup>f</sup>Imputation quality in terms of R-square calculated by the Minimac3 software version 1.0.11; <sup>g</sup>Allele frequency of effect allele; <sup>h</sup>Effect size; <sup>i</sup>Standard error of effect size

Results listed in bold are associations whose P-values were less than of genome-wide significance ( P < 5×10<sup>-8</sup> ).

Supplementary Table 4. Results of conditional analysis around rs2074356

SNP	Chr <sup>b</sup>	Position <sup>c</sup>	EA <sup>d</sup>	NEA <sup>e</sup>	AF <sup>f</sup>	Adjusted for age and sex			Adjusted for age, sex and rs2074356 dosage			LD <sup>i</sup> R <sup>2</sup>
						Beta <sup>g</sup>	SE(Beta) <sup>h</sup>	P	Beta	SE(Beta)	P	
rs12227162	12	111,367,244	T	C	0.208	0.1616	0.0323	5.7×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0087	0.0322	0.787	0.522
rs149607519	12	111,389,437	G	C	0.213	0.1575	0.0317	6.8×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0081	0.0316	0.798	0.521
rs148177611	12	111,390,454	T	TAGAA	0.215	0.1574	0.0317	6.8×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0088	0.0315	0.781	0.515
rs3809297	12	111,609,727	T	G	0.256	0.1643	0.0319	2.5×10 <sup>-7</sup>	-0.0065	0.0317	0.837	0.657
rs3809284	12	111,688,139	C	T	0.906	0.2338	0.0473	7.9×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.1691	0.0472	0.0003	0.037
rs11065992	12	112,085,496	C	T	0.473	0.1509	0.0291	2.2×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0209	0.0290	0.471	0.441
rs3782886 <sup>a</sup>	12	112,110,489	C	T	0.288	0.1822	0.0287	2.3×10 <sup>-10</sup>	0.0076	0.0286	0.791	0.816
rs11066001	12	112,119,171	C	T	0.284	0.1867	0.0290	1.3×10 <sup>-10</sup>	0.0074	0.0289	0.798	0.842
rs60125993	12	112,136,208	C	CT	0.513	0.1422	0.0271	1.5×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0370	0.0269	0.169	0.328
rs11066008	12	112,140,669	G	A	0.351	0.1827	0.0301	1.2×10 <sup>-9</sup>	0.0102	0.0299	0.733	0.719
rs11066015 <sup>a</sup>	12	112,168,009	A	G	0.275	0.1895	0.0292	8.1×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0066	0.0290	0.821	0.870
rs4646776	12	112,230,019	C	G	0.275	0.1906	0.0291	5.2×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0072	0.0290	0.805	0.876
rs671 <sup>a</sup>	12	112,241,766	A	G	0.275	0.1894	0.0291	7.8×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0060	0.0290	0.836	0.878
rs78069066	12	112,337,924	A	G	0.280	0.1919	0.0295	7.7×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0060	0.0293	0.839	0.879
rs2339904	12	112,378,350	T	C	0.622	0.1437	0.0292	8.8×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0589	0.0291	0.043	0.198
rs11066132	12	112,468,206	T	C	0.271	0.1948	0.0303	1.2×10 <sup>-10</sup>	0.0006	0.0301	0.983	0.907
rs116873087	12	112,511,913	C	G	0.274	0.1904	0.0302	2.8×10 <sup>-10</sup>	-0.0024	0.0300	0.938	0.899
rs11066150	12	112,518,803	A	G	0.466	0.1739	0.0291	2.4×10 <sup>-9</sup>	0.0401	0.0290	0.167	0.464
rs147992802	12	112,552,274	T	C	0.344	0.1995	0.0305	5.3×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0257	0.0304	0.397	0.700
rs12231737	12	112,574,616	T	C	0.281	0.1939	0.0298	8.2×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0030	0.0297	0.918	0.903
rs144504271	12	112,627,350	A	G	0.277	0.1943	0.0297	5.8×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0036	0.0295	0.902	0.912
rs2074356 <sup>a</sup>	12	112,645,401	A	G	0.252	0.2011	0.0299	1.8×10 <sup>-11</sup>	0.0000	0.0298	1.000	1.000
rs77768175	12	112,736,118	G	A	0.253	0.1974	0.0329	1.9×10 <sup>-9</sup>	-0.0083	0.0327	0.798	0.869
rs11066280 <sup>a</sup>	12	112,817,783	A	T	0.290	0.1759	0.0286	8.0×10 <sup>-10</sup>	0.0018	0.0285	0.949	0.817
rs11537471	12	112,834,586	G	A	0.349	0.1852	0.0296	3.9×10 <sup>-10</sup>	0.0206	0.0294	0.485	0.678
rs139144808	12	113,470,025	TA	T	0.225	0.1638	0.0329	6.4×10 <sup>-7</sup>	0.0484	0.0327	0.140	0.298

<sup>a</sup>Directly genotyped; <sup>b</sup>Chromosome; <sup>c</sup> Chromosomal position (GRCh37/hg19); <sup>d</sup>Effect allele; <sup>e</sup> Non-effect allele; <sup>f</sup>Allele frequency of effect allele; <sup>g</sup>Effect size; <sup>h</sup>Standard error of effect size; <sup>i</sup>Linkage disequilibrium R<sup>2</sup> with rs2074356

Supplement Table 5. Results of genome-wide association study using both discovery and replication subjects

Adjustment	SNP	Chr <sup>b</sup>	Gene(s)	Position <sup>c</sup>	EA <sup>d</sup>	NEA <sup>e</sup>	Rsq <sup>f</sup>	AF <sup>g</sup>	Beta <sup>h</sup>	SE(Beta) <sup>i</sup>	Variance explained (%)	P
Age, Sex	rs573194563	5	<i>CT49-DNAH5</i> (intergenic)	13,076,920	CA	C	0.810	0.955	0.2708	0.0539	0.31	5.0×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	<b>rs144504271</b>	<b>12</b>	<b><i>HECTD4</i></b> <b>(intron)</b>	<b>112,627,350</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>0.955</b>	<b>0.265</b>	<b>0.1887</b>	<b>0.0237</b>	<b>0.67</b>	<b>1.5×10<sup>-15</sup></b>
Age, Sex, Smoking status	rs12094032	1	<i>MAB2L3-ATP1A1</i> (intergenic)	116,891,363	G	A	0.943	0.057	0.2139	0.0432	0.24	7.5×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	rs573194563	5	<i>CT49-DNAH5</i> (intergenic)	13,076,920	CA	C	0.810	0.955	0.2605	0.0527	0.28	7.8×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	rs4410790 <sup>a</sup>	7	<i>AGR3-AHR</i> (intergenic)	17,284,577	C	T	0.996	0.375	0.1020	0.0203	0.23	4.9×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	<b>rs2074356<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>12</b>	<b><i>HECTD4</i></b> <b>(intron)</b>	<b>112,645,401</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>0.996</b>	<b>0.240</b>	<b>0.1925</b>	<b>0.0234</b>	<b>0.65</b>	<b>1.7×10<sup>-16</sup></b>
Age, Sex, Smoking status, BMrs12094032	rs12094032	1	<i>MAB2L3-ATP1A1</i> (intergenic)	116,891,363	G	A	0.943	0.057	0.2136	0.0432	0.24	7.8×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	rs573194563	5	<i>CT49-DNAH5</i> (intergenic)	13,076,920	CA	C	0.810	0.955	0.2597	0.0527	0.28	8.4×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	rs4410790 <sup>a</sup>	7	<i>AGR3-AHR</i> (intergenic)	17,284,577	C	T	0.996	0.375	0.1024	0.0203	0.24	4.4×10 <sup>-7</sup>
	<b>rs2074356<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>12</b>	<b><i>HECTD4</i></b> <b>(intron)</b>	<b>112,645,401</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>0.996</b>	<b>0.240</b>	<b>0.1920</b>	<b>0.0234</b>	<b>0.65</b>	<b>2.0×10<sup>-16</sup></b>

<sup>a</sup>Directly genotyped; <sup>b</sup>Chromosome; <sup>c</sup>Chromosomal position (GRCh37/hg19); <sup>d</sup>Effect allele; <sup>e</sup>Non-effect allele; <sup>f</sup>Imputation quality in terms of R-square calculated by the Minimac3 software version 1.0.11; <sup>g</sup>Allele frequency of effect allele; <sup>h</sup>Effect size; <sup>i</sup>Standard error of effect size

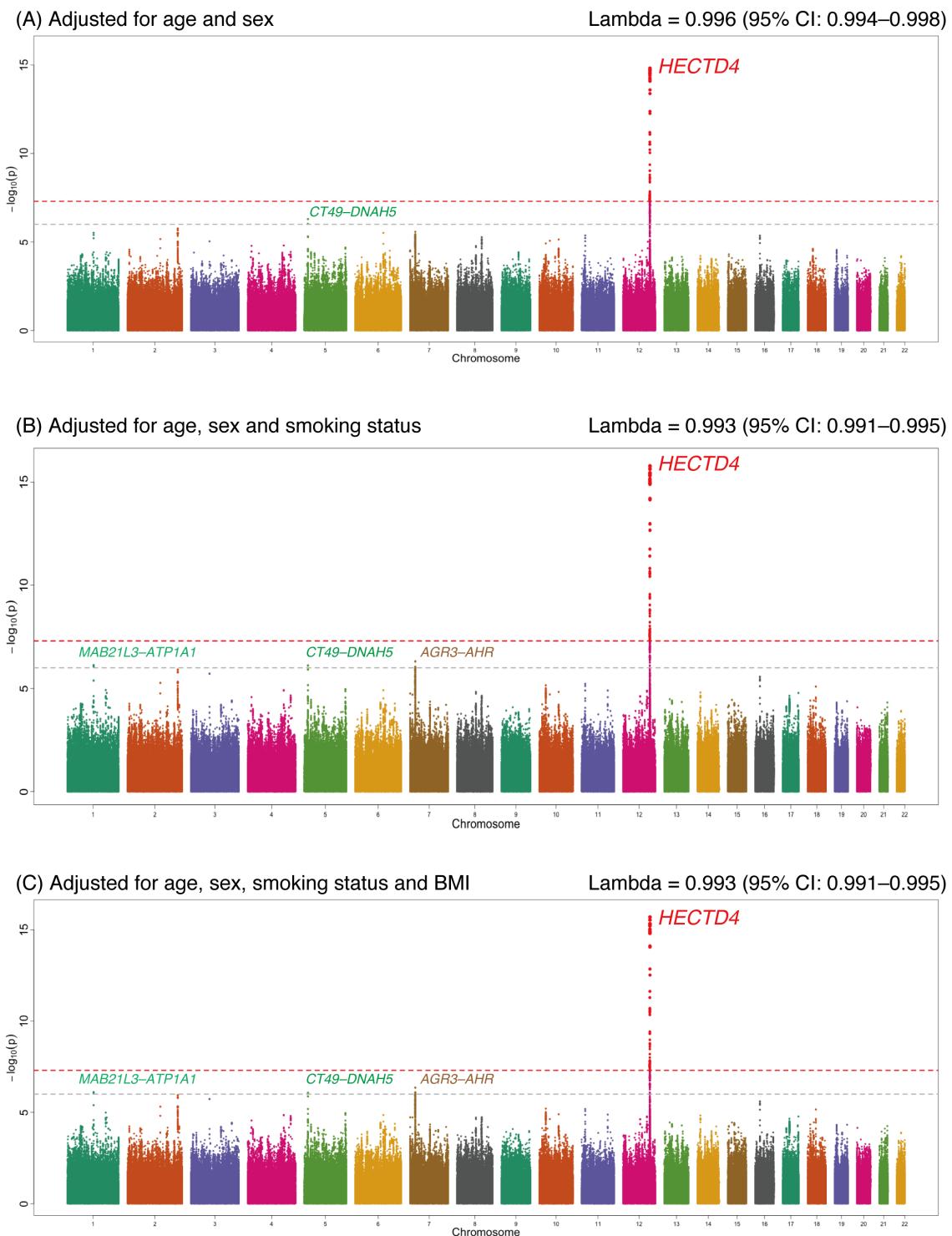
Results listed in bold are associations whose P-values were less than of genome-wide significance ( P < 5×10<sup>-8</sup> ).

Supplement Table 6. Minor allele frequency in the J-MICC samples for previously-reported SNPs

Locus	SNP	PubMed ID(s)	First Author	Year
2p24	rs1260326 <sup>a</sup>	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015
4q22	rs1481012	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015
6q21	rs2216084	27561104	Pirastu N	2016
	rs6942255	27561104	Pirastu N	2016
	rs7745311	27561104	Pirastu N	2016
	rs7754744	27561104	Pirastu N	2016
	rs9386630 <sup>b</sup>	27561104	Pirastu N	2016
7p21	rs4410790 <sup>a</sup>	21490707; 25288136	Cornelis MC; Cornelis MC	2011; 2015
	rs6968554 <sup>a</sup>	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015
	rs6968865 <sup>a</sup>	21357676	Sulem P	2011
7q11.23	rs7800944	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015
	rs17685 <sup>a</sup>	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015
7q31	rs382140 <sup>a</sup>	21876539	Amin N	2012
11p13	rs6265 <sup>a</sup>	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015
15q24	rs2470893 <sup>a</sup>	21490707; 21876539; 25288136	Cornelis MC; Amin N; Cornelis MC	2011; 2012; 2015
	rs2472297 <sup>a</sup>	21876539; 25288136; 21357676	Amin N; Cornelis MC; Sulem P	2012; 2015; 2011
	rs6495122 <sup>a</sup>	21876539	Amin N	2012
17q11.2	rs9902453	25288136	Cornelis MC	2015

<sup>a</sup>These SNPs were directly genotyped.

<sup>b</sup>These SNPs was not included in the reference panel (1000Genomes phase 3 version 5) and the genotype could not be imputed.



**Figure S1.** Genome-wide association signals from the combined analysis of discovery and replication samples ( $N = 11,261$ ). The  $x$ -axis represents chromosomal positions and the  $y$ -axis represents  $-\log_{10} P$ -values calculated by a mixed linear model association analysis. The grey and red dotted horizontal lines indicate the suggestive ( $P = 1 \times 10^{-6}$ ) and genome-wide ( $P = 5 \times 10^{-8}$ ) significance levels, respectively. Variants with

*P*-values indicating less than genome-wide significance ( $P < 5 \times 10^{-8}$ ) are shown in red. Results were adjusted for age and sex (A); for age, sex, and smoking status (B); and for age, sex, smoking status, and BMI (C). The inflation factor, lambda, is the median of the observed test statistics divided by the median of the expected test statistics.

BMI, body-mass index; CI, confidence interval