## **README**

This file contains MR summary statistics for all 653 biomarkers examined in "Novel Drug Targets for Ischemic Stroke Identified Through Mendelian Randomization Analysis of the Blood Proteome" by Chong *et al.*, 2019

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## **Header Definitions**

exposure: gene / biomarker name

outcome: ischemic stroke subtype

method: MR method (MR-RAPS, IVW, median weighted, or MR-EGGER)

nsnp: number of SNPs included as genetic instruments for a particular exposure

**b:** beta coefficient

se: standard error

**OR:** odds ratio

LCI: lower bounds of 95% confidence interval

UCI: upper bounds of 95% confidence interval

pval: pvalue

**snp\_r2.exposure**: variance of the exposure explained by all SNPs

**snp\_r2.outcome:** variance of the outcome explained by all SNPs

**correct\_causal\_direction:** exposure  $\rightarrow$  outcome and not outcome  $\rightarrow$  exposure

**steiger\_pval:** P-value from the Steiger directionality test which tests whether the assumption that the exposure causes the outcome is valid.