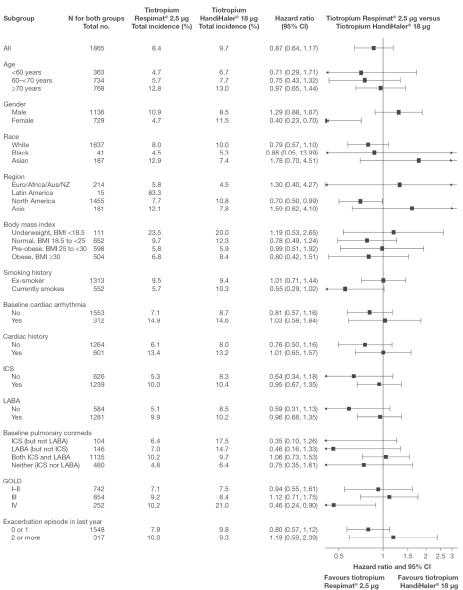
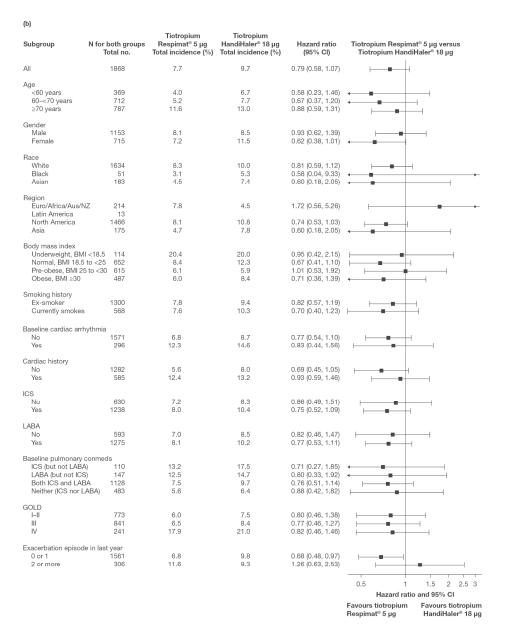


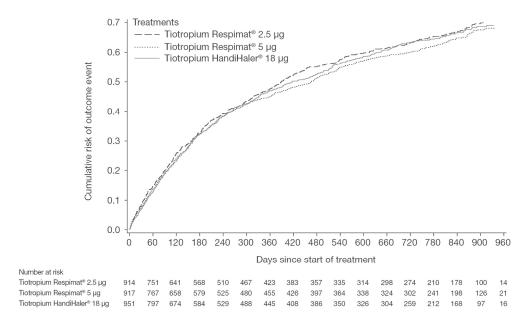
Supplementary E-Figure 1: Kaplan-Meier plot of fatal AE (ontreatment*)



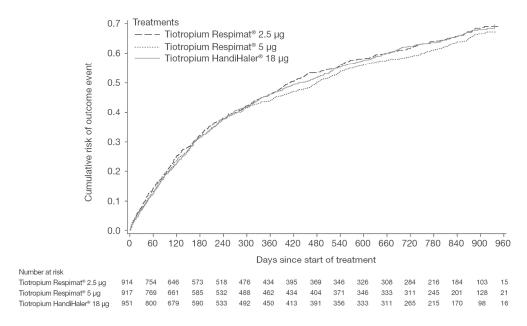
Supplementary E-Figure 2a: Forest plot of deaths by subgroup for tiotropium Respimat® 2.5 μg versus tiotropium HandiHaler® 18 μg



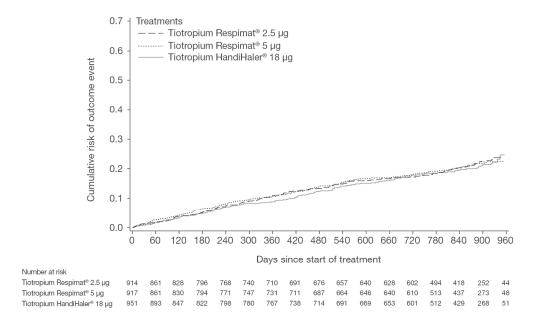
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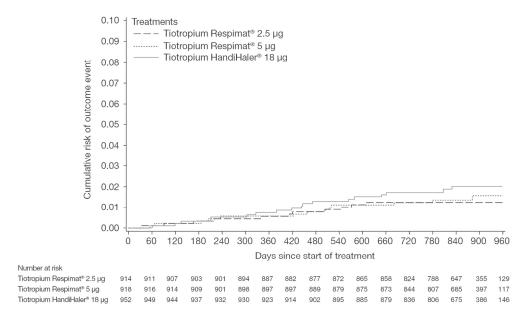
Supplementary E-Figure 3a: Time to first exacerbation.



Supplementary E-Figure 3b: Time to first moderate-to-severe exacerbation.



Supplementary E-Figure 3c: Time to first severe (hospitalised) exacerbation (ontreatment analysis*).



Supplementary E-Figure 4b: Kaplan-Meier plot of time to fatal MACE by treatment (vital status analysis).