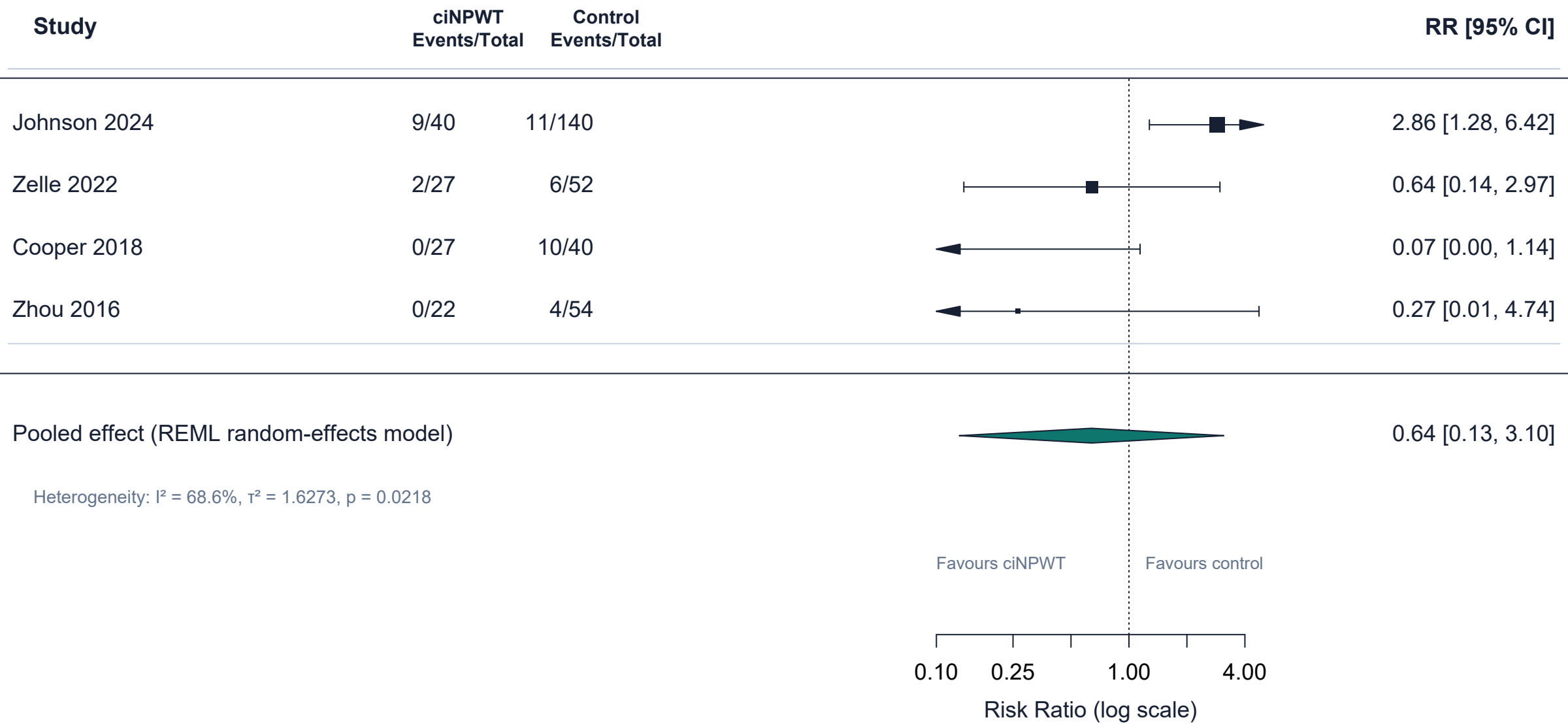


Appendix Figure A4. Deep surgical-site infection: observational studies

Exploratory analysis; follow-up windows differ across studies



Exploratory REML random-effects model | all observational studies were at serious risk of bias | heterogeneity p value: Cochran Q test; tau-squared is on the log-RR scale