Supporting online material

A genome-wide association study for corneal curvature identifies the *PDGFRA* gene as quantitative trait locus for eye size in white Europeans

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Meta-analysis	P-value	9.70E-12	3.53E-13	4.49E-14	1.48E-11	4.22E-10	3.14E-10	2.75E-10
	SE	0.016	0.017	0.017	0.016	0.018	0.018	0.018
	beta	-0.111	0.122	-0.126	0.107	-0.111	-0.112	-0.112
	I^2	25.8	32.7	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ALSPAC (N=2023)	Rsq	0.9995	0.9999	1.0000	0.9984	0.9988	0.9986	0.9994
	P-value	2.71E-05	6.20E-06	6.20E-06	3.50E-05	1.37E-03	4.21E-03	4.55E-03
	Ш	0.036	0.037	0.037	0.034	.045	.045	.045
	beta 🤅	-0.151 (-0.168	-0.168	-0.143 (-0.145 (-0.130	-0.129 (
SCORM (N=929)	P-value	6.42E-03	7.30E-03	7.55E-03	8.67E-02	7.75E-03	2.36E-02	2.35E-02
	SE	0.051	0.052	0.053	0.048	0.054	0.055	0.055
	beta	-0.140	-0.140	-0.142	-0.103	-0.143	-0.125	-0.125
SINDI (N=2142)	P-value	1.50E-02	1.30E-02	1.06E-02	3.65E-03	2.18E-02	1.78E-02	1.61E-02
	SE	0.033	0.034	0.033	0.033	0.034	0.034	0.034
	beta	-0.081	-0.083	-0.086	-0.096	-0.078	-0.080	-0.081
SiMES (N=2281)	P-value	2.70E-05	5.00E-06	1.00E-05	7.50E-05	3.65E-04	1.16E-04	2.51E-04
	SE	0.034	0.034	0.034	0.033	0.035	0.034	0.035
	beta	-0.143	-0.157	-0.153	-0.129	-0.125	-0.133	-0.127
SP2 (N=2008)	P-value	8.85E-02	5.43E-02	1.18E-02	7.92E-02	1.53E-02	8.62E-03	3.40E-03
	SE	0.035	0.037	0.038	0.034	0.039	0.040	0.039
	beta	-0.060	-0.071	-0.095	-0.060	-0.094	-0.104	-0.116
	A1	A	G	A	O	⊢	A	A
	POS	54759330	54780377	54782338	54787383	54819217	54824911	54829151
	MARKER	rs7676985	rs7682912	rs17084051	rs2114039	rs7677751	rs2307049	rs7660560

Meta-analysis of corneal curvature GWAS results from the ALSPAC sample and the 4 samples analysed by Han et al. [10] Table S1.

POS = human genomic position on chromosome 4 in reference assembly genome build 36.3; A1 = risk allele; beta = standardised beta coefficient; SE = standard error of beta; Rsq = Squared correlation between imputed and true genotypes computed by MACH; I^2 Percentage of variation across studies due to heterogeneity.



Asians. GWAS results for corneal curvature in the FRAP1 region showed no evidence of association (Panel A). The pattern of LD differs between HapMap individuals of European ancestry (CEU; Panel B) and of Asian ancestry (CHB+JPT; Panel C). The greyscale and values Figure S1. Results of ALSPAC GWAS for corneal curvature in the FRAP1 (MTOR) region, and LD profile in Europeans and shown in Panels B & C represent r^2 pairwise LD (0 = white, 1 = black).

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Figure S2. Genomic region plot from ALSPAC GWAS for corneal curvature.

Results are shown from an analysis with the inclusion of the genotype at SNP rs6554163 as a covariate in the analysis (compare with Figure 2).



Figure S3. eQTL GWAS for probe ilmn_1681949. Panel A shows a Manhattan plot for probe ilmn_1681949 gene expression level in lymphocytes. Panel B shows a higher-resolution view of the most strongly linked region, on chromosome 6.



Chromosome





Figure S4. eQTL GWAS for probe ilmn_2086470. Panel A shows a Manhattan plot for probe ilmn_2086470 gene expression level in lymphocytes. Panel B shows a higher-resolution view of the most strongly linked region, on chromosome 7.



