Reviewer's report

**Title:** C-reactive protein, established risk factors and social inequalities in cardiovascular disease a the significance of absolute versus relative measures of disease

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**Reviewer:** Peter Muennig

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I believe that I previously submitted this re-review. I am very sorry for any delays caused my this error.

I find the paper to be outstanding in terms of merit, and have no further comments other than that the abstract requires the same grammatical attention that these authors gave to the manuscript. The abstract should more clearly state the objective, the results, and the significance of the research.

**What next?:** Accept after minor essential revisions

**Level of interest:** An article of outstanding merit and interest in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I declare that I have no competing interests.