Basically have two answers, but remember, the four studies are case control studies, so the cases of mesothelioma actually came from different places. Either in the United States, in Canada, in Germany and so on.

And these people, as I said, and I emphasize over and over again, these cases include garage mechanics who work in the 1920s, '30s and '40s.

Q And in relating those cases to the population for purposes of determining if there was an increased incidence of mesothelioma, they just looked at the background level of mesotheliomas, correct?

A No. They compared to the percentage of controls who work as garage mechanics. We are talking about a case control study, not cohort study.

Q And what was the rate of mesotheliomas in the controls?

A In a case control study we don't talk about the rate of mesothelioma. We compare the percentage of cases being garage mechanics compared to the percentage of controls.