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Please send me The HATS Trial reprint entitled “Simvastatin and niacin, antioxidant vitamins, or the combination for the prevention of coronary disease” from the *New England Journal of Medicine*.

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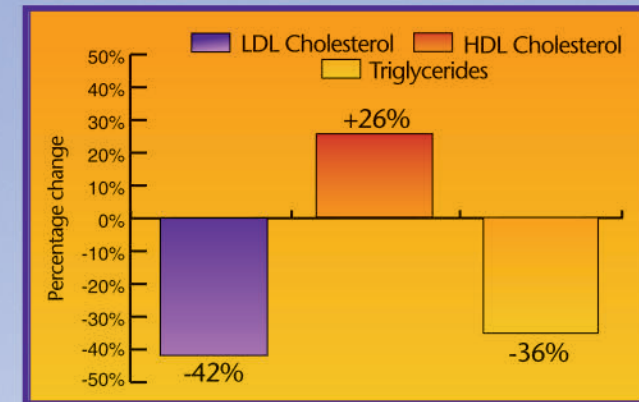
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¹Brown BG, et al. Simvastatin and Niacin, Antioxidant Vitamins, or the Combination for the Prevention of Coronary Disease, N Engl J Med, Vol 345, No. 22 November 29, 2001.

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