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The statistical methods of this study were reviewed by Arsenio Hidalgo Troya from the Department of Mathematics, Public Health Research Group, Universidad de Nariño, Pasto, Colombia. Statistical methods in this study are adequately and appropriately, which could verify the results.

Thanks you,

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