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### **COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Please explain how diabetes or insulin levels (which are known to influence colorectal cancer prevalence) do not explain your results, rather than obesity per se.



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Authors ought to emphasise that conflicting results are due to methods to determine visceral or subcutaneous fat extension. Among them, the fat area is the worst one. It is much better to measure the max length from a fixed point. Anyway, Authors should be congratulated on their effort to delucitate this intriguing issue.



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1. Please defined "over obesity" in your study. for example, BMI > 30 or 33 or.. 2. Just as the discussion section statements: WC and WHR have shown a stronger positive relationship in the development of colorectal neoplsia. Would you consider included the WC and WHR data and analysis in your article? 3. The table 1 should included the obesity data (BMI) 4. For the HDL-cho, LDL-cho or even the metabolic syndrome are all relevant to central obesity, do you consider give these data (especially the metabolic syndrome) and analysis in your article