

## Supplemental Material

**Table S1.** Linear regression analysis of glycaemia, lipid profile variables and TSH versus urinary selenium (Se) excretion and dietary selenium biomarkers as independent variables for the male population (n=62). Crude model and adjusted for age, body mass index (BMI), cotinine levels, and alcohol intake along with their 95% confidence interval (CI).

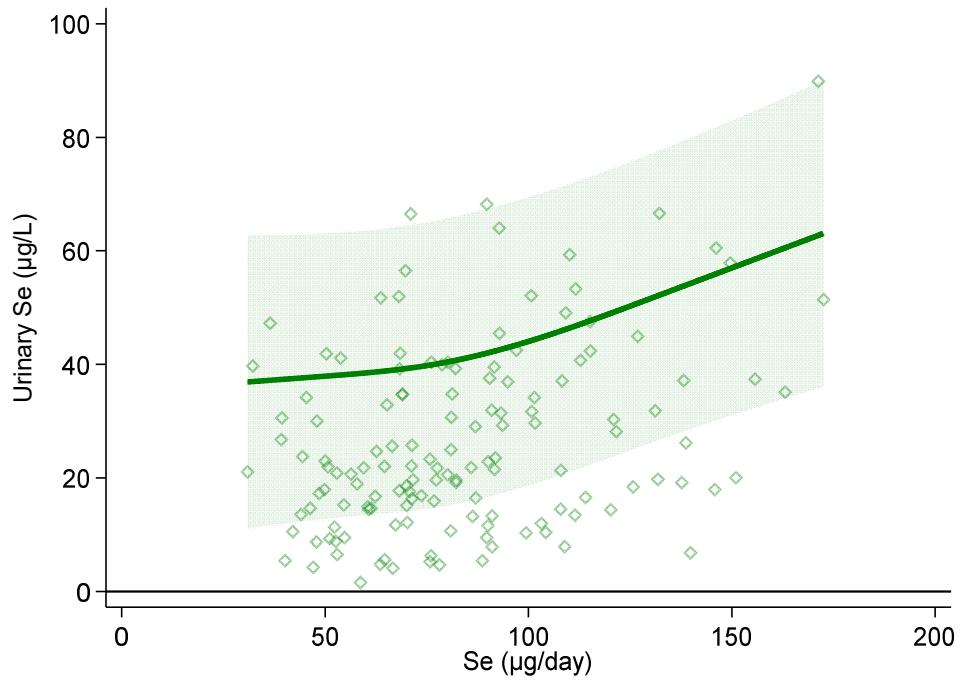
	Crude		Adjusted	
	<b>β</b>	95% CI	<b>β</b>	95% CI
<b>Urinary Se concentration (µg/L)</b>				
Glycemia (mg/dL)	0.05	(-0.10, 0.19)	0.07	(-0.06, 0.19)
Total cholesterol (mg/dL)	0.12	(-0.38, 0.62)	0.21	(-0.30, 0.71)
HDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.10	(-0.26, 0.07)	-0.09	(-0.25, 0.06)
LDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	0.13	(-0.35, 0.60)	0.17	(-0.32, 0.66)
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	0.38	(-0.49, 1.24)	0.53	(-0.34, 1.39)
Thyroid-stimulating hormone (mU/mL)	0.01	(-0.001, 0.03)	0.01	(-0.01, 0.03)
<b>Dietary Se intake (µg/day)</b>	<b>β</b>	95% CI	<b>β</b>	95% CI
Glycemia (mg/dL)	0.02	(-0.07, 0.10)	0.01	(-0.06, 0.08)
Total cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.21	(-0.50, 0.07)	-0.22	(-0.51, 0.06)
HDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.01	(-0.11, 0.08)	-0.02	(-0.10, 0.07)
LDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.14	(-0.42, 0.13)	-0.15	(-0.43, 0.13)
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	-0.25	(-0.75, 0.25)	-0.27	(-0.77, 0.23)
Thyroid-stimulating hormone (mU/mL)	-0.004	(-0.01, 0.004)	-0.004	(-0.01, 0.004)

**Table S2.** Linear regression analysis of glycaemia, lipid profile variables and TSH versus urinary selenium (Se) excretion and dietary selenium biomarkers as independent variables for the female population (n=75). Crude model and adjusted for age, body mass index (BMI), cotinine levels, and alcohol intake along with their 95% confidence interval (CI).

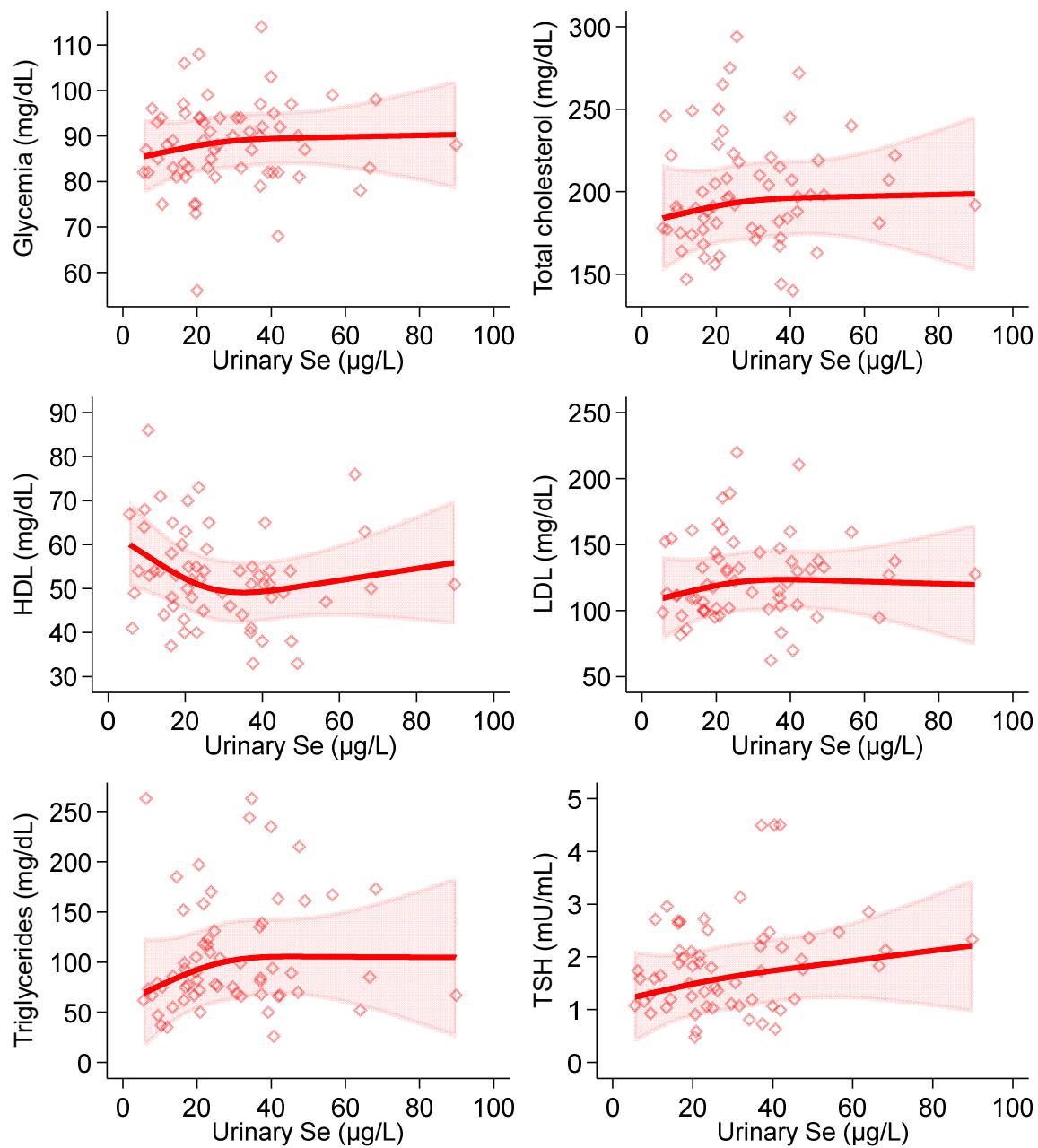
	Crude		Adjusted	
	<b>β</b>	95% CI	<b>β</b>	95% CI
<b>Urinary Se concentration (µg/L)</b>				
Glycemia (mg/dL)	0.09	(-0.02, 0.21)	0.09	(-0.03, 0.21)
Total cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.23	(-0.66, 0.20)	-0.23	(-0.66, 0.21)
HDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.17	(-0.37, 0.04)	-0.16	(-0.36, 0.04)
LDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.04	(-0.40, 0.31)	-0.03	(-0.39, 0.33)
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	-0.24	(-0.80, 0.33)	-0.24	(-0.80, 0.33)
Thyroid-stimulating hormone (mU/mL)	-0.003	(-0.02, 0.01)	-0.0002	(-0.01, 0.01)
<b>Dietary Se intake (µg/day)</b>	<b>β</b>	95% CI	<b>β</b>	95% CI
Glycemia (mg/dL)	0.05	(-0.01, 0.10)	0.04	(-0.02, 0.10)
Total cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.18	(-0.39, 0.03)	-0.17	(-0.39, 0.04)
HDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.04	(-0.15, 0.06)	-0.02	(-0.12, 0.08)
LDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)	-0.08	(-0.26, 0.09)	-0.07	(-0.25, 0.10)
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	-0.21	(-0.51, 0.08)	-0.30	(-0.57, -0.03)
Thyroid-stimulating hormone (mU/mL)	0.001	(-0.006, 0.007)	0.001	(-0.006, 0.008)

**Abbreviations:** HDL, high-density lipoprotein; LDL, low-density lipoprotein; TSH, thyroid-stimulating hormone

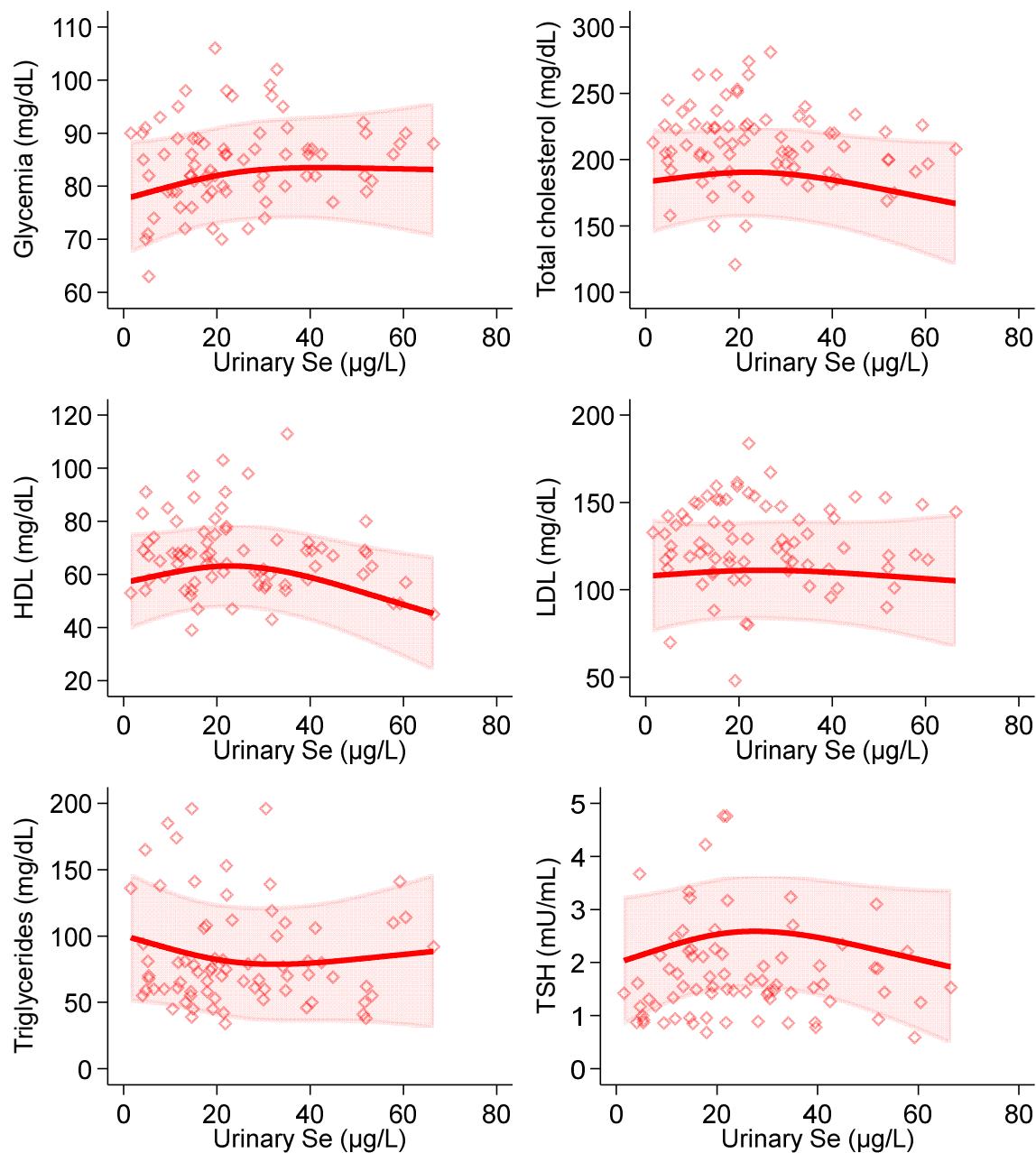
**Figure S1.** Spline regression analysis of urinary and dietary Se levels. Solid line represents crude analysis with upper and lower confidence interval limits.



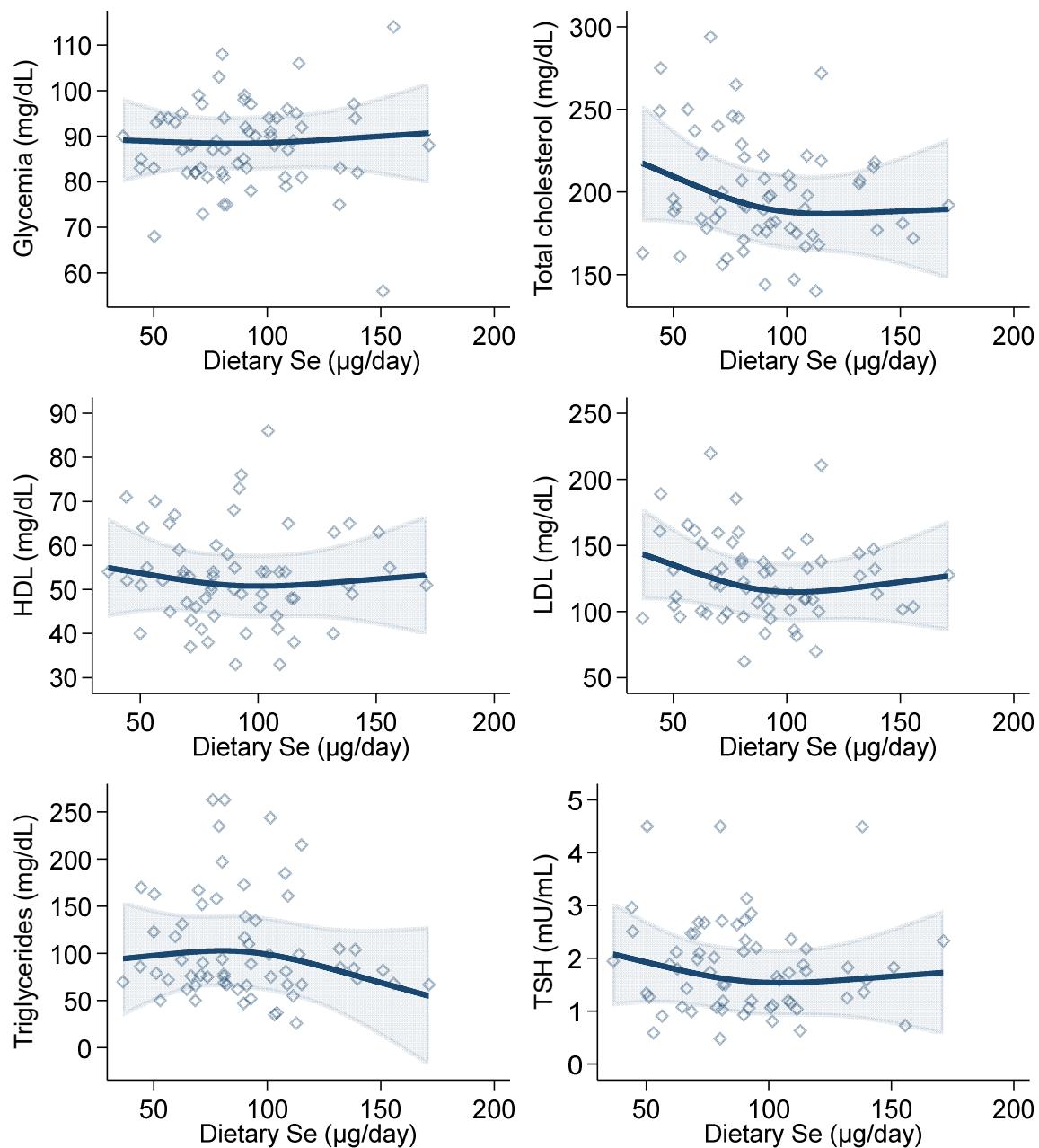
**Figure S2.** Spline regression analysis of urinary Se levels and glycemic, lipid profile variables and thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) in males (n=62). Solid lines represent multivariable analysis (adjusted for age, body mass index, cotinine levels, and alcohol intake) with upper and lower confidence interval limits.



**Figure S3.** Spline regression analysis of urinary Se levels and glycemic, lipid profile variables and thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) in females (n=75). Solid lines represent multivariable analysis (adjusted for age, body mass index, cotinine levels, and alcohol intake) with upper and lower confidence interval limits.



**Figure S4.** Spline regression analysis of dietary Se levels and glycemic, lipid profile variables and thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) in males (n=62). Solid lines represent multivariable analysis (adjusted for age, body mass index, cotinine levels, and alcohol intake) with upper and lower confidence interval limits.



**Figure S5.** Spline regression analysis of dietary Se levels and glycemic, lipid profile variables and thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) in females (n=75). Solid lines represent multivariable analysis (adjusted for age, body mass index, cotinine levels, and alcohol intake) with upper and lower confidence interval limits.

