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Regarding your email of September 20, 2010:

Major revisions:

1. Each author now has a full affiliation and address.
2. The abstract matches that in the submission system.
3. The authors' contribution section has been added as requested.
4. I'm hopeful Figures 2 and 3 are all right as they are--I'm not able to break them down any further.
5. I've added Table 3. Sorry for this omission.

Minor Revisions:

1. Title has been changed as requested.
2. I've tried to remove all tracking
3. Competing interest sentence has been moved.
4. Page 19 is no longer blank.
5. Vertical lines have been removed from tables.