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Dear Prof. Fulop

Thank you very much for the helpful comments of the reviewer. Please find below a point to point reply to the comments.

**Editorial comments:**

- title needs to be modified to include the study design.

We modified the title into:
“Vitamin B12 and folate levels in healthy Swiss senior citizens: a prospective study evaluating reference intervals and decision limits”

- line 125 should be renamed 'Methods' and line 155 'Biochemical measurements'

We have renamed these chapter titles accordingly.

**Referee 1, Discretionary revisions:**

There seems to be a mistyping in the section on reference intervals for RBC folate. It goes from hundreds in the stratified analyses to tens in the combined reference interval.

Thank you. We have corrected these numbers in the combined reference interval.