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**Reviewer:** Tewes Wischmann

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The paper has improved much in the revision process. I have only some minor remarks concerning the final version of the paper:

Page 1, line 7: replace "Rhenish" by "Rheinish"

Page 6, lines 19-21: I suggest to replace two times "he" by "he/she"

Page 8, line 10: A redundant blank after "subgroups"

Page 9, line 3: replace "0,05" by "0.05"

Page 11, line 5, and page 12, line 22: replace "every 10th man" by "every 9th man"

Page 21, line 6: replace "Fraune" by "Frauen" and start a new paragraph with "27. Agarwal ..."
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