Author’s response to reviews

Title: Dietary pattern and dietary total antioxidant capacity influence on the risk of dyslipidemia in Korean adults

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Thank you for resubmitting your manuscript.

You have addressed most points well. However, there's one minor item outstanding. Please revise Table 3 according to the feedback below:

" 2) As some of the variables are clearly not normally distributed, please present medians and interquartile ranges for these in any descriptive text. One such example is carotenoids, as the standard deviations are clearly larger than the means.

-> We presented medians and interquartile ranges for individual antioxidants and dietary TAC in the results section.

line 215-218: The individual antioxidants and dietary TAC were not normally distributed. The medians (interquartile ranges, IQR) for vitamin C, retinol, vitamin E, carotenoids, flavonoids, and dietary TAC were 64.0 (100.0), 0.0 (0.1), 3.7 (3.2), 1.3 (2.4), 141.2 (230.8), and 229.6 (333.3), respectively."

➡️ We appreciate the opportunity to revise our manuscript. We highlighted the changes using yellow highlighted text. We presented medians and interquartile ranges for individual antioxidants and dietary TAC in the footnote of Table 3.

Table 3 footnote:

* The medians (interquartile ranges, IQR) for vitamin C, retinol, vitamin E, carotenoids, flavonoids, and dietary TAC were 64.0 (100.0), 0.0 (0.1), 3.7 (3.2), 1.3 (2.4), 141.2 (230.8), and 229.6 (333.3), respectively.