

## **Supplementary Material**

### **Systematic comparison of muscle ultrasound thickness in polyneuropathies and other neuromuscular diseases**

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**Supplementary Table 1a. Adjusted p-values for comparisons of muscle US thickness in males between healthy control, CIDP, polyneuropathy and other NMD. Right side only.**

Muscle		CIDP	Neuropathy	Other NM	Control
<b>APB C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9634	0.9893	0.0014
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9634	-	0.9996	0.017
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9893	0.9996	-	0.0125
	<b>Control</b>	0.0014	0.017	0.0125	-
<b>APB R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9916	0.9537	0.0012
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9916	-	0.9941	0.0093
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9537	0.9941	-	0.0215
	<b>Control</b>	0.0012	0.0093	0.0215	-
<b>Biceps C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9776	1	0.8125
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9776	-	0.9806	0.9752
	<b>Other NM</b>	1	0.9806	-	0.8331
	<b>Control</b>	0.8125	0.9752	0.8331	-
<b>Biceps R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.4156	1	0.966
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.4156	-	0.5503	0.2382
	<b>Other NM</b>	1	0.5503	-	0.9758
	<b>Control</b>	0.966	0.2382	0.9758	-
<b>ADM</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.4807	0.1085	0.029
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.4807	-	0.7589	0.001
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.1085	0.7589	-	<.0001
	<b>Control</b>	0.029	0.001	<.0001	-
<b>FDI</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.4035	0.9959	0.2921
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.4035	-	0.6789	0.9994

	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9959	0.6789	-	0.5246
	<b>Control</b>	0.2921	0.9994	0.5246	-
<b>Quad R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	1	0.9778	0.0508
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	1	-	0.9842	0.0971
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9778	0.9842	-	0.2207
	<b>Control</b>	0.0508	0.0971	0.2207	-
<b>Quad C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9826	0.9727	<.0001
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9826	-	0.9996	0.0003
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9727	0.9996	-	0.0005
	<b>Control</b>	<.0001	0.0003	0.0005	-
<b>TA R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.6767	0.8727	0.8853
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.6767	-	0.3378	0.9767
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.8727	0.3378	-	0.4593
	<b>Control</b>	0.8853	0.9767	0.4593	-
<b>TA C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.7515	0.8461	0.2785
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.7515	-	0.3647	0.9012
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.8461	0.3647	-	0.0667
	<b>Control</b>	0.2785	0.9012	0.0667	-
<b>AH</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.6242	0.7218	<.0001
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.6242	-	0.1837	<.0001
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.7218	0.1837	-	<.0001
	<b>Control</b>	<.0001	<.0001	<.0001	-
<b>EDB</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.6583	0.7247	<.0001
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.6583	-	1	<.0001
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.7247	1	-	<.0001
	<b>Control</b>	<.0001	<.0001	<.0001	-

**Supplementary Table 1b. Adjusted p-values for comparison in females between healthy control, CIDP, polyneuropathy and other NMD. Right side only.**

Muscle		CIDP	Neuropathy	Other NM	Control
<b>APB C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9923	0.9602	0.1918
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9923	-	0.9876	0.0391
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9602	0.9876	-	0.0993
	<b>Control</b>	0.1918	0.0391	0.0993	-
<b>APB R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9899	0.9676	0.1442
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9899	-	0.9954	0.001
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9676	0.9954	-	0.0005
	<b>Control</b>	0.1442	0.001	0.0005	-
<b>Biceps C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.7	0.6079	.9876
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.7	-	0.9956	0.0739
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.6079	0.9956	-	0.043
	<b>Control</b>	0.9876	0.0739	0.043	-
<b>Biceps R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.7928	0.9976	0.6966
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.7928	-	0.6787	0.9988
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9976	0.6787	-	0.4859
	<b>Control</b>	0.6966	0.9988	0.4859	-
<b>ADM</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.8999	0.9371	0.0047
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.8999	-	0.9984	0.0002
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.9371	0.9984	-	.0001
	<b>Control</b>	0.0047	0.0002	.0001	-
<b>FDI</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.0979	0.0936	0.0095
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.0979	-	1	0.6545

	<b>Other NM</b>	0.0936	1	-	0.695
	<b>Control</b>	0.0095	0.6545	0.695	-
<b>Quad R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.9301	0.2725	0.5204
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.9301	-	0.2538	0.6433
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.2725	0.2538	-	0.7626
	<b>Control</b>	0.5204	0.6433	0.7626	-
<b>Quad C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.8019	0.4118	0.0909
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.8019	-	0.7528	0.6821
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.4118	0.7528	-	0.6821
	<b>Control</b>	0.0909	0.1097	0.6821	-
<b>TA R</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.0239	0.0143	0.0008
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.0239	-	0.9911	0.4754
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.0143	0.9911	-	0.6999
	<b>Control</b>	0.0008	0.4754	0.6999	-
<b>TA C</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.003	0.0119	<.0001
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.003	-	0.9044	0.2263
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.0119	0.9044	-	0.0452
	<b>Control</b>	<.0001	0.2263	0.0452	-
<b>AH</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.7325	0.7718	<.0001
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.7325	-	0.9996	<.0001
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.7718	0.9996	-	<.0001
	<b>Control</b>	<.0001	<.0001	<.0001	-
<b>EDB</b>	<b>CIDP</b>	-	0.8551	0.609	<.0001
	<b>Neuropathy</b>	0.8551	-	0.9092	<.0001
	<b>Other NM</b>	0.609	0.9092	-	<.0001
	<b>Control</b>	<.0001	<.0001	<.0001	-

**Table 2a. Comparison of muscle thickness in males between healthy controls, CIDP, polyneuropathy and other NMD. Right side only.**

Muscle	Healthy	CIDP	Polyneuropathy	Other NMD
<b>Biceps R</b>	278.8 ± 50.3	292 ± 76	342.1 ± 63.47	318.9 ± 81.98
<b>Biceps C</b>	410.8 ± 56.57	377.5 ± 69.1	399.8 ± 45.11	408.5 ± 123.1
<b>APB R</b>	48.87 ± 7.15	38.5 ± 9.17	40.66 ± 10.59	41.43 ± 6.64
<b>APB C</b>	65.89 ± 10.76	51.6 ± 13.1	55.66 ± 15.57	54 ± 8.88
<b>FDI</b>	125.3 ± 20.94	113.3 ± 23.2	128.7 ± 19	120.5 ± 18.89
<b>ADM</b>	107.6 ± 18.79	88.5 ± 20.9	87.11 ± 19.28	80.75 ± 17.7
<b>Quad R</b>	233.7 ± 51.71	<b>187.3 ± 58.4</b>	<b>212.1 ± 45.71</b>	241.5 ± 90.55
<b>Quad C</b>	345.5 ± 67.83	<b>246.8 ± 61.3</b>	<b>280.5 ± 51</b>	304.1 ± 111.9
<b>TA R</b>	232.6 ± 25.57	226.8 ± 36.2	245.3 ± 40.65	226 ± 28.15
<b>TA C</b>	290.3 ± 28.88	271.6 ± 40	289 ± 29.91	272.3 ± 32.66
<b>AH</b>	127.9 ± 19.38	<b>34.1 ± 11.5</b>	<b>41 ± 15.32</b>	34 ± 12.48
<b>EDB</b>	84.6 ± 12.4	<b>35.7 ± 11</b>	<b>43 ± 13.44</b>	46.3 ± 11.97

**Table 2b. Comparison of muscle thickness in females between healthy controls, CIDP, polyneuropathy and other NMD. Right side only.**

Muscle	Healthy	CIDP	Polyneuropathy	Other NMD
<b>Biceps R</b>	235.42 ± 46.92	204.4 ± 89.65	245.6 ± 74	213 ± 62.29
<b>Biceps C</b>	317 ± 40.7	298.6 ± 66.12	296.3 ± 68.21	275.5 ± 74.55
<b>APB R</b>	41.3 ± 6.58	34.8 ± 1.78	33.37 ± 7.87	31.14 ± 8.58
<b>APB C</b>	55.3 ± 11.16	41.6 ± 10.78	46.5 ± 10.78	45.5 ± 11.89
<b>FDI</b>	105.7 ± 15.23	<b>70.8 ± 20.24</b>	<b>103 ± 23.82</b>	98.21 ± 20.42
<b>ADM</b>	91.39 ± 14.89	<b>57 ± 26</b>	<b>71.37 ± 20.68</b>	66 ± 16.32

<b>Quad R</b>	200.6 ± 54.5	<b>174.4 ± 46.61</b>	<b>185.3 ± 63.18</b>	199.3 ± 55.97
<b>Quad C</b>	282.2 ± 57.61	<b>220.2 ± 58.4</b>	<b>237 ± 73.42</b>	241 ± 64
<b>TA R</b>	199.9 ± 29.96	152 ± 43.59	195.5 ± 28.62	194.1 ± 36.62
<b>TA C</b>	255.6 ± 30.81	181.4 ± 70.39	246 ± 40.84	230.2 ± 36.94
<b>AH</b>	113.6 ± 18.96	<b>24.8 ± 3.27</b>	<b>33.75 ± 12.25</b>	31.35 ± 12.21
<b>EDB</b>	71.3 ± 13.21	<b>28.4 ± 5.5</b>	<b>33.5 ± 11.13</b>	35.35 ± 9.91