

S3 Table. Comparison of male and female CKD patients

	Male (n=657)	Female (n=374)	P value
Age (years)	58(36-74)	58(33-75)	0.98
Diabetes mellitus , n (%)	183(28)	86(23)	0.09
CVD , n (%)	262(40)	108(29)	0.0004
Dialysis , n (%)	180(27)	119(32)	0.13
SGA>1 , n (%)	183 (28)	137(37)	0.004
%HGS (n=631/354)	86(50-116)	81(48-111)	0.01
BMI (kg/m ²)	24.7(20.4-27.3)	23.9(18.9-28.1)	0.05
LBMI (kg/m ² ; n=570/320)	18.1 (15.5-21.0)	15.1 (13.1-18.4)	<0.0001
FBMI (kg/m ² ; n=570/320)	6.5 (3.8-9.9)	8.6 (5.2-12.9)	<0.0001
S-Albumin (g/L)	35 (28- 41)	34 (27- 40)	0.01
hsCRP (mg/L)	3.8(0.5-26)	2.8(0.4-27)	0.08

Data presented as median (10th - 90th percentile), number and percentage.

Abbreviations: CVD, cardiovascular disease; SGA, subjective global assessment; % HGS, handgrip strength as percentage of the controls; BMI, body mass index; LBMI, lean body mass index; FBMI, fat body mass index; S-Albumin, serum-albumin; hsCRP, high sensitivity C-reactive protein