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A sarcopenia index based on serum creatinine and cystatin C cannot accurately detect either low muscle mass or sarcopenia in urban community-dwelling older people

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Supplementary Figure 3. The ROC curves of the sarcopenia index for estimating sarcopenia against different "gold standards" in the whole study population: (A) EWGSOP criteria; (B) AWGS criteria; (C) IWGS criteria; and (D) FNIH criteria.

