

Comparison of multi-parallel qPCR and double-slide Kato-Katz for detection of soil-transmitted helminth infection among children in rural Bangladesh

S8 Table. Sensitivity analysis using alternative prior distributions in Bayesian latent class analysis models for *A. lumbricoides*

| Analysis | Description of priors | Kato-Katz | | qPCR | |
|-------------------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | Sensitivity (95% BCI) | Specificity (95% BCI) | Sensitivity (95% BCI) | Specificity (95% BCI) |
| Primary analysis result | Noninformative priors | 49 (34, 64) | 68 (61, 77) | 79 (61, 99) | 97 (95, 100) |
| Sensitivity analysis 1 | More informative prior for Kato-Katz sensitivity and specificity | 49 (34, 64) | 68 (62, 76) | 80 (61, 99) | 97 (95, 100) |
| Sensitivity analysis 2 | More informative prior for qPCR sensitivity | 49 (38, 59) | 67 (63, 71) | 90 (80, 99) | 97 (95, 100) |
| Sensitivity analysis 3 | More informative prior for sensitivity and specificity of both Kato-Katz and qPCR | 49 (39, 59) | 67 (63, 71) | 90 (80, 99) | 97 (95, 100) |