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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1: Baseline characteristics of participants (April–May 2022, South Korea).

No.	Gender/Age	Past medical history	Dietary habit (4G)	Control sample					0 min test sample (Hb [g/dL])	
				ESR (mm/h) [0–15]	aPTT (s) [20–33]	PT (s) [10.5–13.2]	INR [0.88–1.12]	Hb (g/dL)	Position 1	Position 2
1	M/31	None	None	2	27.1	11.3	0.97	15.5	15.6	15.4
2	M/33	None	None	2	26.0	11.6	0.99	14.6	14.7	14.8
3	F/33	None	None	6	26.2	12.0	1.03	14.7	15.2	15.0
4	F/38	None	Red ginseng	4	27.6	10.6	0.9	13.2	13.4	13.4
5	F/38	None	None	21	27.3	12.2	1.04	13.6	14.2	14.4
6	F/39	None	None	6	30.4	11.5	0.98	13.3	13.2	13.3
7	F/43	None	None	11	23.9	11.1	0.95	9.8	9.9	10.0
8	F/43	None	None	4	30.2	11.6	0.99	14.3	14.5	14.3
9	M/41	None	Red ginseng	21	27.9	11.6	0.99	16.3	16.6	16.5
10	F/31	None	None	2	26.2	11.8	1.01	13.5	15.2	14.8

4G, ginger, ginkgo, garlic, ginseng; Hb, haemoglobin; ESR, erythrocyte sedimentation rate; aPTT, activated partial thromboplastin time; PT, prothrombin time; INR, international normalised ratio; F, female; M, male.