WEB TABLE Ia COMPARISON OF ANTHROPOMETRY WITH OTHER INDIAN STUDIES: MALE INFANTS

Study	Mean	SD	Number	P value
Weight (g) at 34 weeks				
Present study	2054	341	291	
Singh, et al. [4]	2021	460	83	0.54*
Ghosh, et al. [3]	2170	475	82	$0.04^{\#}$
Weight (g) at 38 weeks				
Present study	3032	373	4024	
Singh, et al.	2896	440	941	<0.001*
Ghosh, et al.	2738	474	874	<0.001#
Weight (g) at 40 weeks				
Present study	3294	370	3366	
Singh, et al.	3080	430	791	< 0.001*
Ghosh, et al.	2892	451	1110	<0.001#
Length (cms) at 38 weeks				
Present study	49.1	1.69	3657	
Ghosh, et al.	48.4	2.4	810	<0.001#
HC (cms) at 38 weeks				
Present study	33.9	1.12	3620	
Ghosh, et al.	33.3	1.9	810	< 0.001#

^{*}Comparison with Singh et al. [4] and #comparison with Ghosh, et al. [3]; P values are based on the independent samples t-test with welch correction for unequal variances.

WEB TABLE Ib COMPARISON OF ANTHROPOMETRY WITH OTHER INDIAN STUDIES: FEMALE INFANTS

Study	Mean	SD	Number	P value
Weight (g) at 34 weeks				
Present study **	1955	342	217	
Singh, et al. [4]	2021	460	83	0.24*
Ghosh, et al. [3]	2170	475	82	0.0003#
Weight (g) at 38 weeks				
Present study	2939	357	3978	
Singh, et al.	2896	440	941	0.005*
Ghosh, et al.	2738	474	874	< 0.001#
Weight (g) at 40 weeks				
Present study	3294	370	3366	
Singh, et al.	3080	430	791	< 0.001*
Ghosh, et al.	2892	451	1110	< 0.001#
Length in (cm) at 38 weeks				
Present study	48.6	1.69	3659	
Ghosh, et al.	48.4	2.4	810	0.02#
HC in (cm) at 38 weeks				
Present study	33.3	1.09	3601	
Ghosh, et al.	33.3	1.9	810	1.00#

^{*}Comparison with Singh, et al. [4]; #comparison with Ghosh, et al. [3].