SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

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Understanding the factors associated with child malnutrition in rural Burundi: experiences from the Muyinga and Ngozi Provinces

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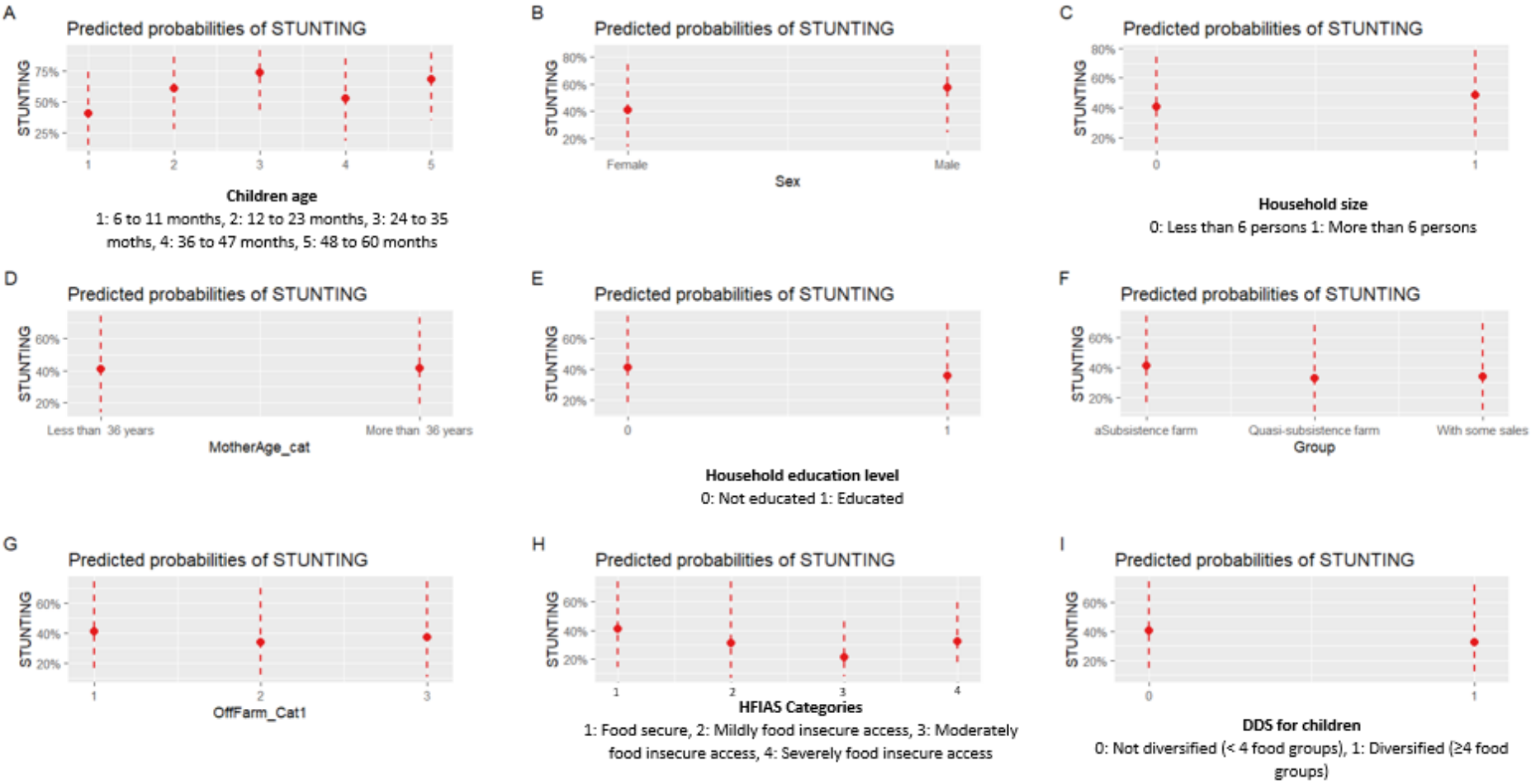

Figure S1. Socio-economic factors' relation to the children's probability of stunting

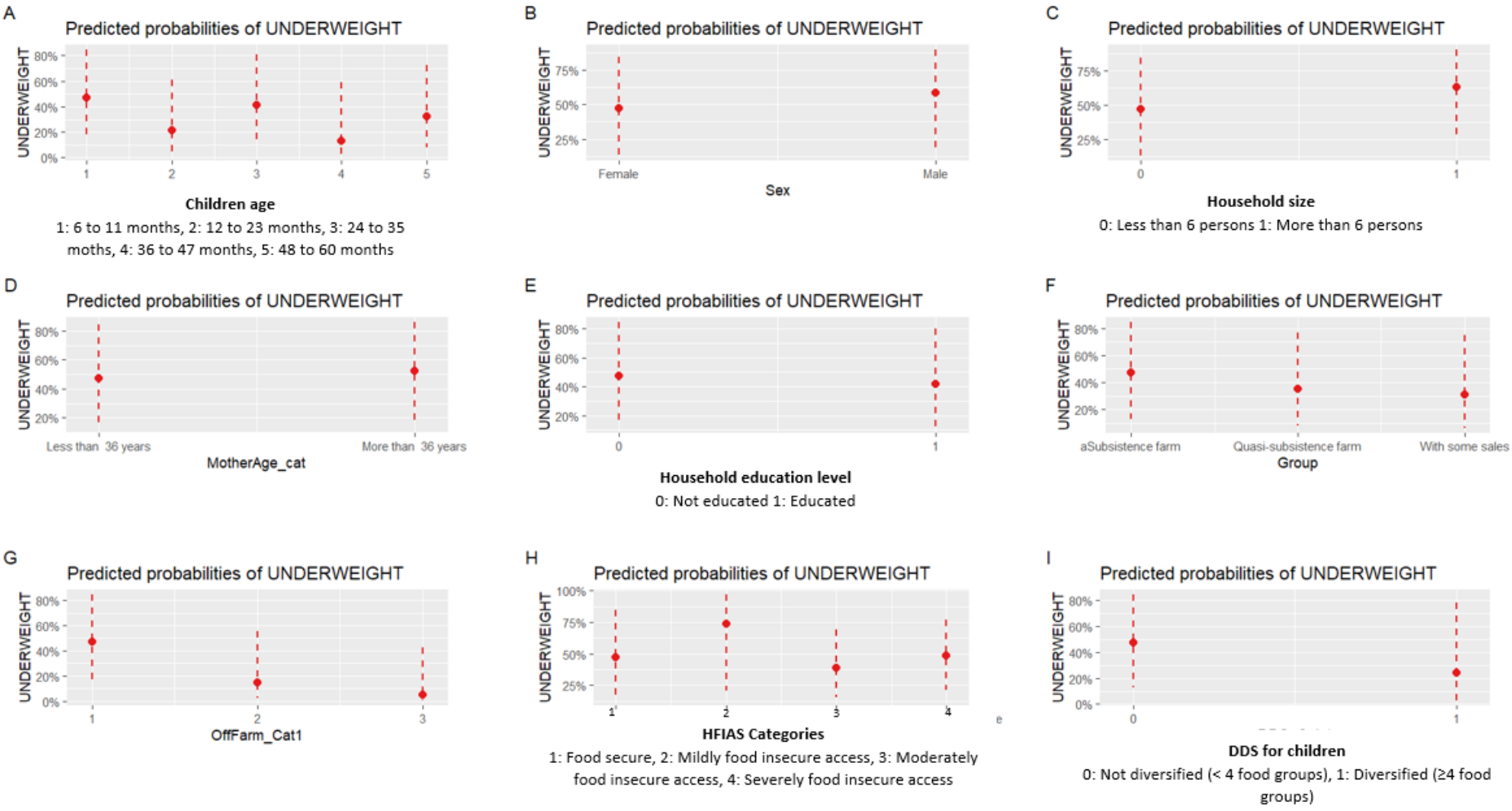

Figure S2. Socio-economic factors' relation to the children's nutritional status (Underweight_WAZ)

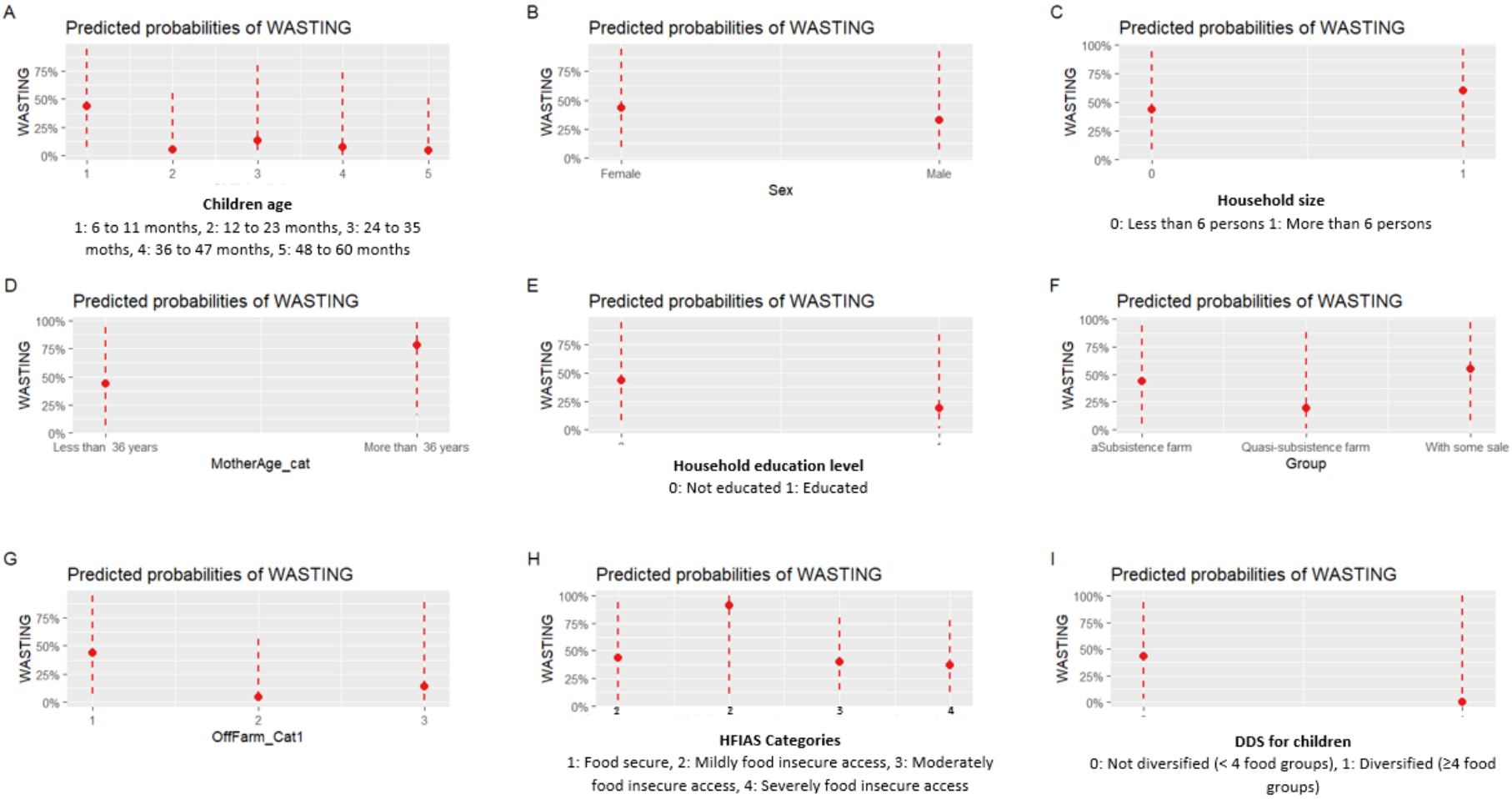

Figure S3. Socio-economic factors' relation to the children's probability of wasting (Wasting_WHZ)

Table S1. ***Model 1-Results of a logistic regression showing determinants of stunting, Underweight WAZ and underweight BAZ in children under five years of age***

	Dependent variable:		
	Stunting (1)	Underweight (2)	Wasting (3)
Child age [12 to 23months]	0.805*	-1.210**	-2.613***
	(0.483)	(0.546)	(0.892)
Child age [24 to 35months]	1.390***	-0.254	-1.610*
	(0.505)	(0.542)	(0.832)
Child age [36 to 47months]	0.496	-1.779**	-2.297*
	(0.634)	(0.879)	(1.251)
Child age [48 to 60months]	1.145**	-0.628	-2.839***
	(0.508)	(0.552)	(0.981)
Child Gender [Male]	0.683**	0.457	-0.460
	(0.304)	(0.361)	(0.596)
Household Size [Household larger than 6 persons]	0.318	0.640	0.677
	(0.340)	(0.396)	(0.690)
Mother's age [More than 36 years]	0.019	0.197	1.528**
	(0.333)	(0.385)	(0.704)
Household head education [not educated]	-0.218	-0.222	-1.183*
	(0.303)	(0.358)	(0.616)
Subsistence level [Sell 5% to 10%]	-0.340	-0.499	-1.176
	(0.343)	(0.404)	(0.830)
Subsistence level [Sell more than 10%]	-0.304	-0.696	0.466
	(0.397)	(0.463)	(0.672)
Off_farm_Income [Between 96-238.1 USD]	-0.294	-1.652***	-2.789**
	(0.385)	(0.565)	(1.300)
Off-farm Income [More than 238.1 USD]	-0.162	-2.875**	-1.578
	(0.561)	(1.194)	(1.933)
HFIAS Level [Mildly food insecure access]	-0.423	1.149	2.618
	(0.832)	(1.128)	(1.979)
HFIAS Level [Moderately food insecure access]	-0.962*	-0.338	-0.158
	(0.544)	(0.735)	(1.385)
HFIAS Level [Severely food insecure access]	-0.367	0.050	-0.285
	(0.527)	(0.685)	(1.321)
Dietary diversity [Not diversified]	-0.368	-1.023	-1.934
	(0.489)	(0.811)	(1.832)
Constant	-0.373	-0.111	-0.261
	(0.737)	(0.919)	(1.565)
Observations	210	215	210
Log Likelihood	-133.110	-102.211	-42.729
Akaike Inf. Crit.	300.220	238.421	119.457

Significant code: *$p < 0.10$; **$p < 0.05$; ***$p < 0.01$

Table S2: *Model 2* -Results of a logistic regression showing determinants of stunting, Underweight WAZ and underweight BAZ in children under five years of age without HFIAS and dietary diversity

	Dependent variable:		
	STUNTING (1)	UNDERWEIGHT (2)	WASTING (3)
Child age [12 to 23months]	0.711	-1.251**	-2.728***
	(0.473)	(0.537)	(0.871)
Child age [24 to 35months]	1.375***	-0.299	-1.659**
	(0.498)	(0.525)	(0.782)
Child age [36 to 47months]	0.541	-1.623*	-2.120*
	(0.625)	(0.872)	(1.260)
Child age [48 to 60months]	1.224**	-0.525	-2.669***
	(0.499)	(0.534)	(0.952)
Child Gender [Male]	0.753**	0.399	-0.567
	(0.297)	(0.354)	(0.580)
Household Size	0.377	0.725*	0.769
	(0.329)	(0.390)	(0.669)
Mother's age [More than 36 years]	0.074	0.155	1.472**
	(0.326)	(0.381)	(0.699)
Household head education [not educated]	-0.231	-0.215	-1.316**
	(0.298)	(0.347)	(0.609)
Subsistence level [Sell 5% to 10%]	-0.306	-0.526	-1.043
	(0.334)	(0.394)	(0.774)
Subsistence level [Sell more than 10%]	-0.271	-0.661	0.463
	(0.388)	(0.457)	(0.651)
Off_farm_Income Between 96-238.1 USD	-0.324	-1.444***	-2.621**
	(0.365)	(0.502)	(1.144)
Off-farm Income [More than 238.1 USD]	-0.149	-2.700**	-0.790
	(0.493)	(1.063)	(1.155)
Constant	-1.001*	-0.267	-0.487
	(0.555)	(0.596)	(0.868)
Observations	212	217	212
Log Likelihood	-136.516	-105.128	-45.231
Akaike Inf. Crit.	299.033	236.256	116.461

Significant code: *$p < 0.10$; **$p < 0.05$; ***$p < 0.01$