Additional file

Additional file 1: List of possible answers for basic decision questions concerning buying current running/walking shoes

1. **Place of acquisition**

* sports shop
* shoe shop
* shop not specialized in selling shoe (f.i. Aldi, Lidl, H&M)
* via internet
* via sports club
* other

1. **Undergoing a gait analysis**

* I bought my shoes without undergoing a gait analysis and did not buy shoes based on the results of a gait analysis
* I bought my shoes without undergoing a gait analysis, but the shoes were selected based on the results of a gait analysis
* I bought my shoe after undergoing a gait analysis, but I did not buy the selected shoes based on the results of the gait analysis
* I bought my shoes after undergoing a gait analysis and I bought the selected shoes based on the results of the gait analysis

1. **Price of your shoes:**

* € 0-20
* € 21-40
* € 41-60
* € 61-80
* € 81-120
* € 121-160
* € 161-200
* € 201-250
* > € 250

1. **Are your current shoes second-hand shoes?** (Yes/No)
2. **Reason for acquisition**

* Previous shoes were worn out or broken
* Previous shoes were dirty
* Previous shoes did not fit well
* I was bored with my previous pair of shoes
* New sport specific acquisition
* Because injury occurred wearing previous shoes

1. **Influence of advice of others: Did you buy your current shoes taking into account the advice of others (trainer, seller, relative, team members, physician, expert, …?** (Yes/No)
2. **Impulsiveness when buying shoes**

* Very impulsive
* Impulsive
* Thoughtful
* Very thoughtful