

Table SI. Description of the study population of 443 children answering the itch questionnaire

Variable	Male	Female	Total
Number	227	215	443
Age, years, median	8.0	8.0	8.0
Mean	7.74	7.71	7.72
Birthplace child			
Germany (%)	98.7	99.1	98.9
Not Germany (%)	1.3	0.9	1.1
Birthplace mother			
Germany (%)	88.5	86.5	87.6
Not Germany (%)	11.5	13.5	12.4
Birthplace father			
Germany (%)	89.0	85.6	87.4
Not Germany (%)	11.0	14.4	11.9
Brothers and sisters (%)			
0			21.0
1			51.9
2			18.3
>=3			8.7
Firstborn (%)	54.6	56.3	55.3
Multiples			
Twin	4.0	1.9	2.9
Triplet	1.3	0.5	0.9

Table SII. Percentage of the body affected by itch

	Areas affected by itch %		
	Acute itch within the last 24 h (n = 38)	Any itch within the last 24 h (n = 45)	Chronic itch (n = 60)
Percentage of the body affected by itch	Mean 8.73 Median 3.31 IQR 2.34–8.97	Mean 4.43 Median 2.73 IQR 0.83–5.26	Mean 8.20 Median 3.56 IQR 1.93–9.72

IQR: interquartile range.

Table SIII. Areas affected by itch, %

Area	Acute itch within the last 24 h (n = 38)	Any itch within the last 24 h (n = 45)	Chronic itch (n = 60)
Genital	0.0	0.0	5.0
Face	13.2	13.3	18.3
Neck	10.5	15.6	15.0
Shoulder	7.9	8.9	6.7
Breast	5.3	6.7	15.0
Abdomen	18.4	22.2	25.0
Hip	2.6	2.2	8.3
Axilla	0.0	0.0	3.3
Upper arm frontal	7.9	8.9	18.3
Armlet	21.1	28.9	45.0
Lower arm frontal	7.9	11.1	15.0
Wrist frontal	2.6	8.9	16.7
Palmar	10.5	8.9	10.0
Upper leg frontal	18.4	22.2	30.0
Knee	10.5	13.3	8.3
Lower leg frontal	18.4	17.8	25.0
Ankle frontal	5.3	8.9	8.3
Dorsum of the foot	15.8	13.3	6.7
Gluteal	13.2	13.3	16.7
Capitulum	28.9	26.7	18.3
Upper back	15.8	20.0	18.3
Lower back	15.8	15.6	30.0
Upper arm dorsal	7.9	6.7	11.7
Elbow	5.3	4.4	10.0
Lower arm dorsal	0.0	0.0	10.0
Wrist dorsal	2.6	4.4	8.3
Dorsum of the hand	5.3	4.4	10.0
Upper leg dorsal	10.5	11.1	18.3
Knee bend	18.4	22.2	41.7
Lower leg dorsal	5.3	4.4	11.7
Ankle dorsal	5.3	4.4	5.0
Plantar	2.6	2.2	0.0