

**Table S1.** Reasons to leave the study. The last visit attended is reported in brackets.

<b>Twin Pregnancy (n = 9)</b>	<b>Singleton Pregnancy (n = 4)</b>
3 fetal malformation/chromosomopathy (T1, T1, T1)	
2 fetal loss (T1, T2)	1 pre-eclampsia and IUGR (T2)
1 HELLP syndrome and fetal loss (T2)	3 lost at follow-up (T1, T1)
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HELLP, hemolysis elevated liver enzymes low platelet; IUGR, intrauterine growth restriction. Data are given as mean  $\pm$  SD or n (%). The trend has the expression:  $Y_j = \beta_0 + [\beta_1 t + \beta_2 t^2]$ .