

## CHAPTER SIX

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## 6. RESULTS

The designing, validation, and feasibility of IAYT for Obesity were carried out in the following phases: The complete study was conducted in four stages

**In first phase:** IAYT for obesity was derived based on the literature review of classical texts and recently published research articles.

This study developed a validated module of integrated Yoga as a prelude to an RCT for obese adolescents. The content validity was assessed in four steps. After enlisting the needs of obese adolescents at their physical, mental, emotional, spiritual and behavioral levels ;14 categories of yoga practices under five domains with yogic scriptural basis (Annamaya –physical, Pranamaya – vital energy, Manomaya- mental and emotional, Vijnanamaya – intellectual, and Anandamaya – spiritual and behavioral ).

**In second phase:** Derived IAYT was validated by 16 subject matter (yoga) experts. The basis of integrated approach to Yoga therapy to achieve these goals was understood by studying several Yoga texts by the researcher under the guidance of senior Yoga masters. This was complemented by the present day scientific understanding. We then went on to compile the corrective techniques described in many texts (Patanjali Yoga sutra, Hatha Yoga pradipika, Hatharatnavali, Bhagavadgita and others) which offer a reversibility model.

Yoga practices with CVR less than 0.5 was removed from IAYT. The reason for their CVR less than 0.5 could be these practices are not focused & not having direct impact on adolescent obesity. The principle of selection of yoga practices is physical exercise along with relaxation of mind. However, few texts on Hatha Yoga lay more emphasis on improving health through different yogic practices. This module for obesity in adolescents reduces weight as it provides exercise effect to different parts of body especially arms, abdomen, hip and thigh region. Muscle work out in body region reduces adipose tissues leading to weight loss and strengthen the muscle power. It offers enough work out to burn excessive calories that results in proper balance of calorie intake and energy expenditure. Yoga practices provide deep relaxation to internal body systems which is essential to regain normal functioning of the system. Yoga also strengthens the mind determination to adhere to healthy lifestyle.

Practices of Manomayakosha like Bhajans (devotional music) & lecture on Bhakti Yoga releases stress in the mind with added relaxation. Practices of Vijnanamaya Kosha like lectures on Jnana Yoga & counseling helps to motivate children in the right direction towards success

& their goals of life by clearing the intellectual complexes & conflicts. Activity like Karma Yoga trains their mind to do work with the sense of duty & not as the burden of life which leads to relaxed mind.

These Yoga practices make IAYT unique from other Yoga modules in table no.

**In third phase:** Pilot study with two armed perspective RCT (Randomized Control Trial) was conducted for one month on overweight & obese adolescent subjects of a residential school in Sangamner, Pune, Maharashtra, India.

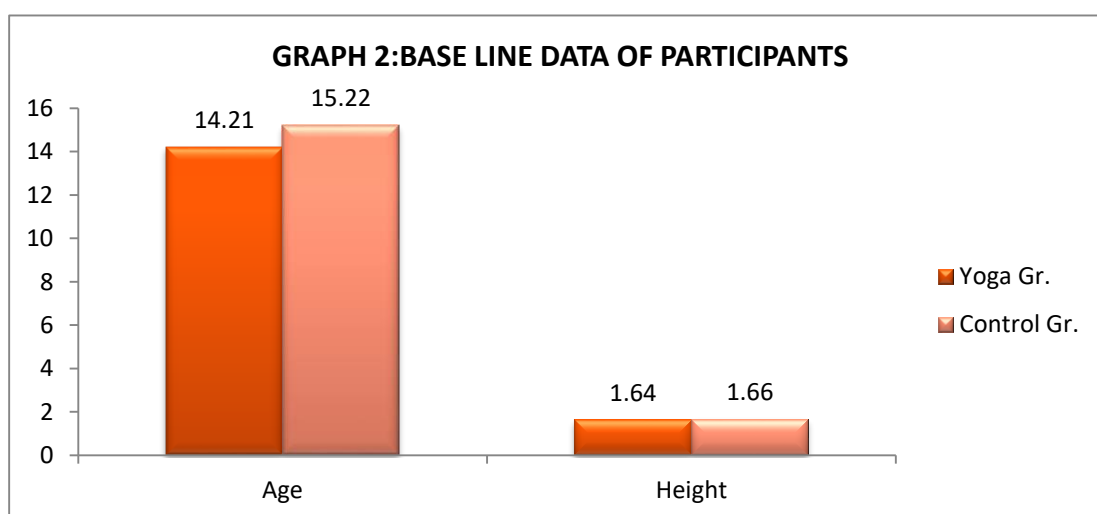
**In forth stage,** Main Study-2. The study was along with additional variables with larger sample size. That was more focused on anthropometric measurements and adipose tissues than chemical makers like serum cholesterol and triglycerides. Obesity especially abdominal is related to academic achievement and cognitive functions in children. Visceral adipose tissue have negative impact on cognitive functions leading to academic decrease among children with obesity because of its dangerous metabolic nature (Ontology, 2018)

## RESULTS FROM PILOT STUDY

**TABLE 11**

**SHOWS BASELINE DATA OF AGE AND HEIGHT OF PILOT -STUDY 1**

Variables	Yoga Gr. n = 14	Control Gr. n = 9
Age	14.21 ± 1.84	15.22 ± 1.09
Height	1.64 ± 0.09	1.66 ± 0.09



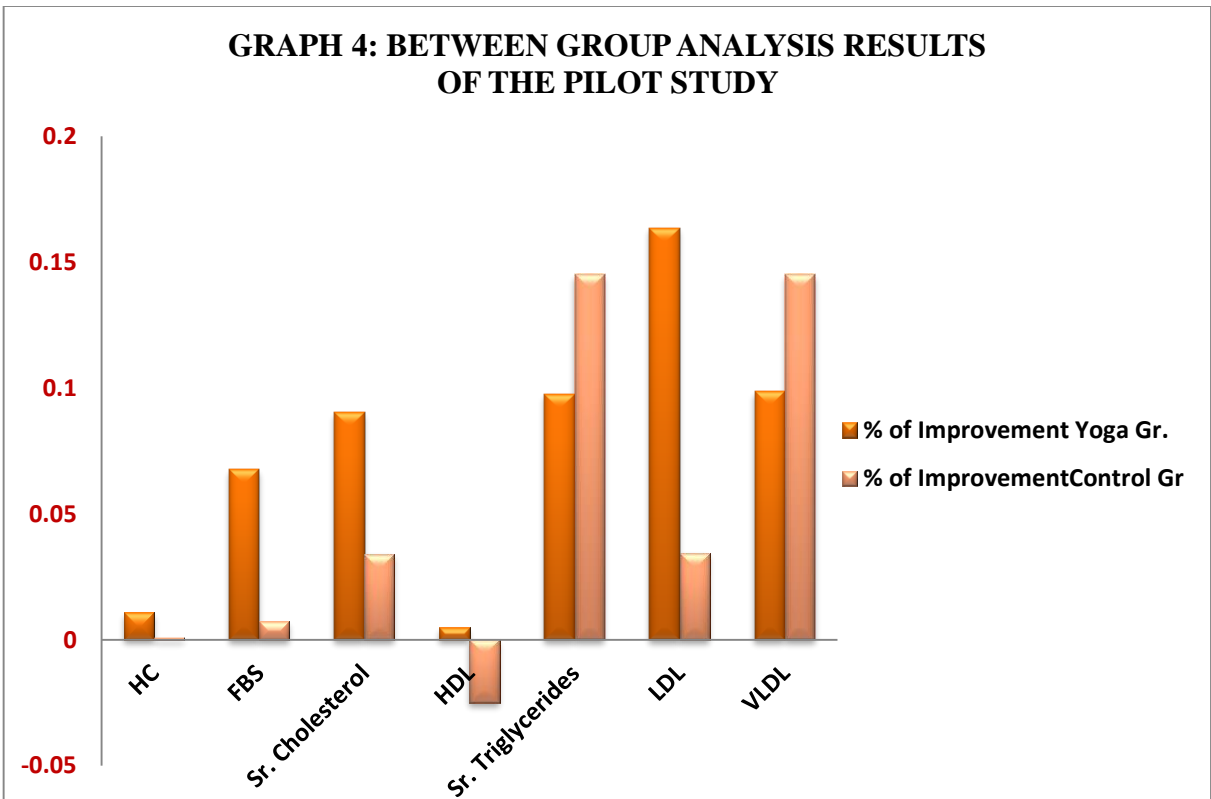
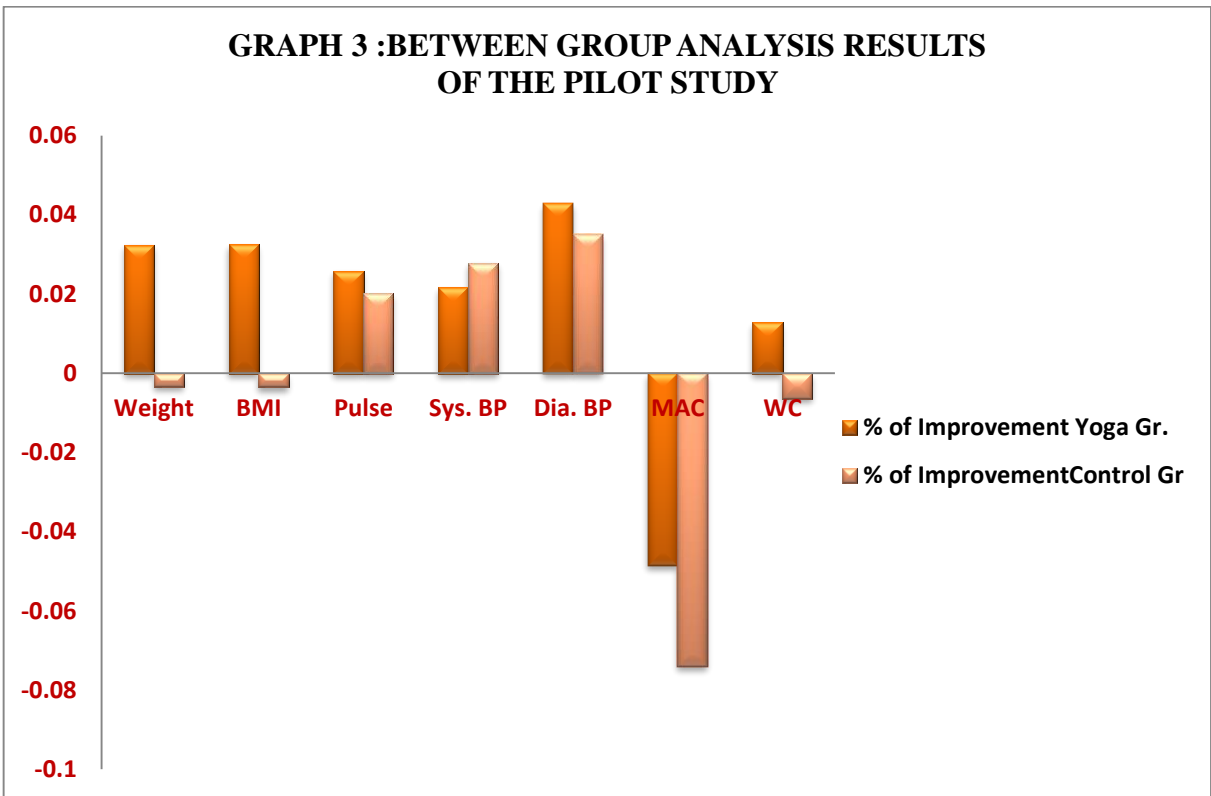
The average age of Yoga group was  $14.21 \pm 1.84$  and that of control group was  $15.22 \pm 1.09$ . The average height of Yoga group was  $1.64 \pm 0.09$  and that of control group was  $1.66 \pm 0.09$ . The minimum age in Yoga group was 11 years whereas that in control group was 14 years and the maximum age in both groups were 17 years. The minimum height in Yoga group was 1.51 meter and that of control group was 1.54 meter. The maximum height in Yoga group was 1.85 meter and that of control group was 1.75 meter.

**TABLE 12**  
**BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS OF THE PILOT STUDY**

Variables	Yoga Gr. (n = 14)			Control Gr. (n = 9)			T	P Value	Diff. in % of Improvement
	Pre Mean	Post Mean	% of Improvement	Pre Mean	Post Mean	% of Improvement			
Weight	81.64 ± 13.79	78.99 ± 13.47	3.24%	75.11±10.11	75.36 ± 10.46	-0.34%	0.684	0.501	3.58
BMI	30.17 ±4.37	29.19 ± 4.26	3.25%	26.87±1.71	26.97 ± 1.99	-0.35%	1.457	0.16	3.61
Pulse	77.35 ±4.60	75.35 ± 4.76	2.58%	71.33±4.60	69.88 ± 5.10	2.02%	2.612	.016*	0.56
Sys. BP	124.57 ±10.18	121.85 ± 7.87	2.17%	131.11±10.89	127.44 ± 6.02	2.79%	-1.81	0.085	-0.61
Dia. BP	81.74 ±12.28	78.21 ± 8.54	4.28%	85.33±8.26	82.33 ± 5.61	3.51%	-1.275	0.216	0.76
MAC	30.20 ±2.34	31.67 ± 1.68	-4.86%	29.61±2.11	31.81 ± 1.48	-7.42%	-0.203	0.841	2.55
WC	100.5 ±9.81	99.21 ± 8.57	1.28%	93.86±5.95	94.47 ± 5.50	-0.64%	1.468	0.157	1.92
HC	109.27 ±11.98	108.08 ± 12.03	1.08%	107.03±3.61	106.92 ± 3.93	0.09%	0.277	0.785	0.98
FBS	75.61 ±7.06	70.49 ± 8.46	6.76%	74.55±5.20	74 ± 9.63	0.74%	-0.918	0.369	6.02
Sr. Cholesterol	107.61 ±30.54	97.9 ± 20.23	9.02%	94.89±10.06	91.66 ± 8.13	3.40%	0.875	0.391	5.61
HDL	40.25 ±2.64	40.05 ± 1.89	0.48%	41.80±1.63	42.85 ± 1.86	-2.51%	-3.487	.002*	3
Sr. Triglycerides	115.85 ±30.07	104.54 ± 32.27	9.76%	110.98±21.38	94.88 ± 11.68	14.50%	0.856	0.401	-4.74
LDL	44.16 ±29.29	36.93 ± 20.42	16.36%	30.89±12.07	29.82 ± 9.92	3.45%	0.968	0.344	12.91
VLDL	23.19 ±	20.9 ± 6.45	9.87%	22.19±4.27	18.97 ± 2.33	14.51%	0.857	0.401	-4.64

\*Significance at the level of 0.05

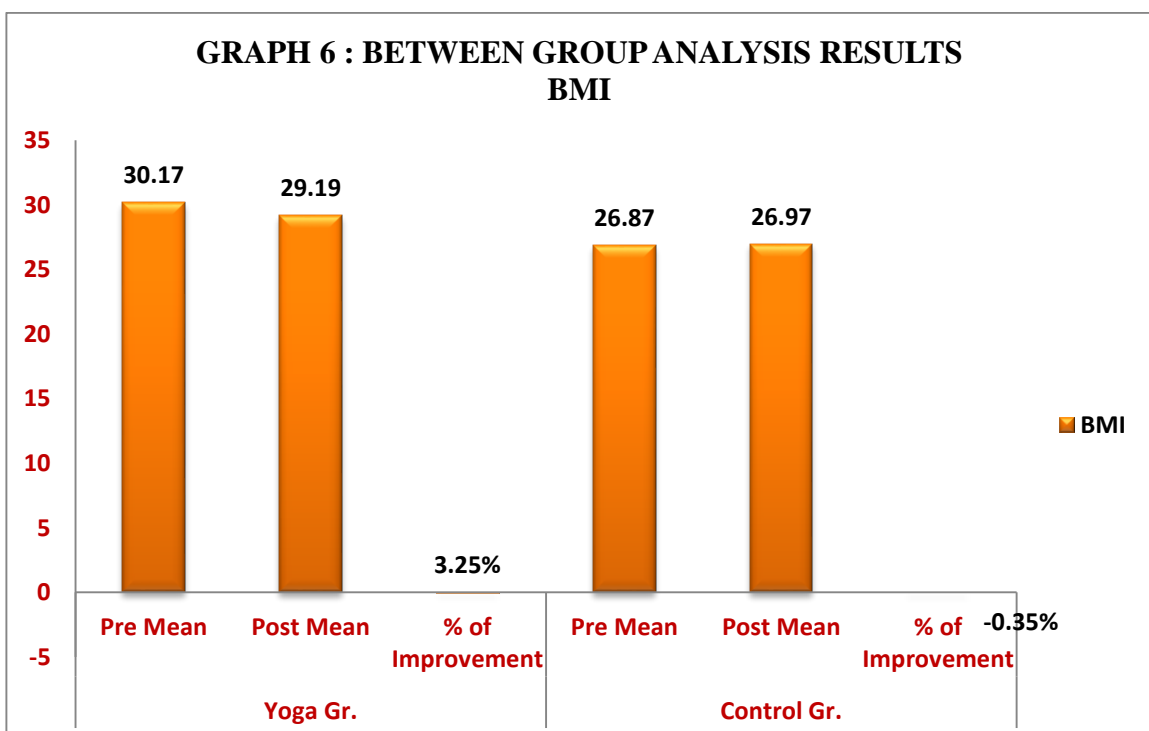
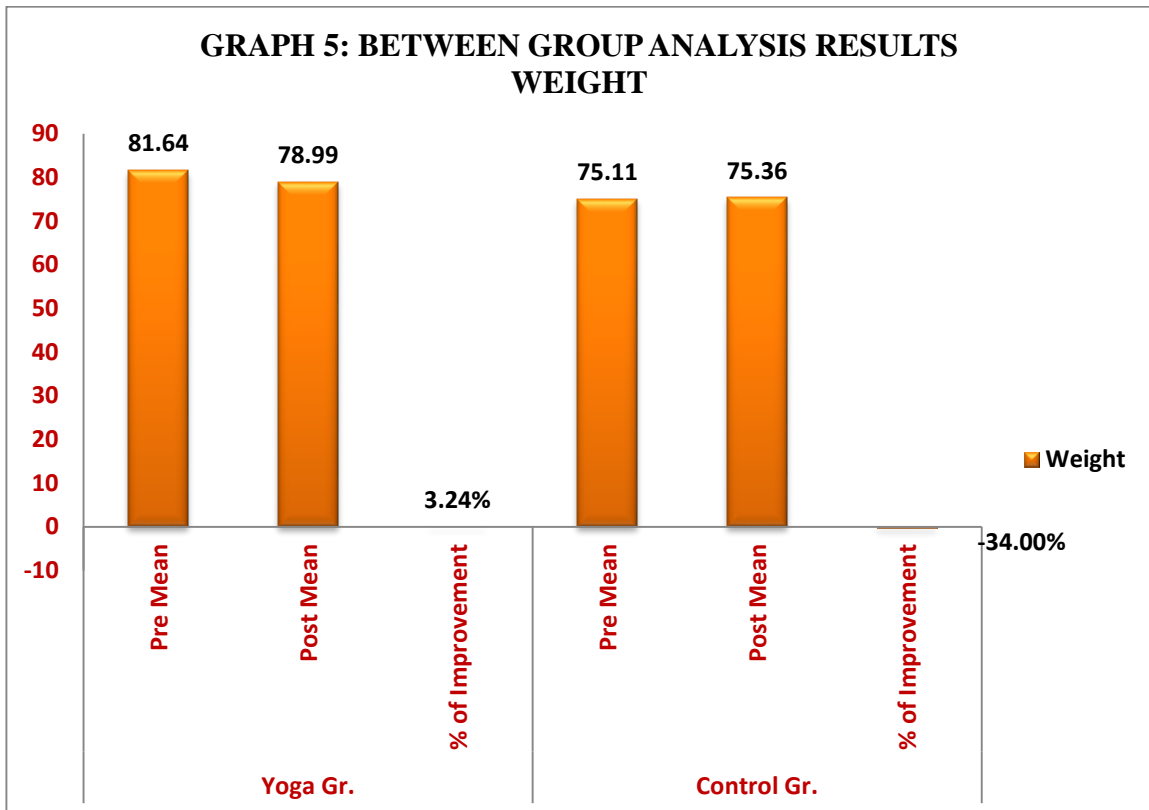
\*Mann -Whitney U Test\* Independent Sample T Test



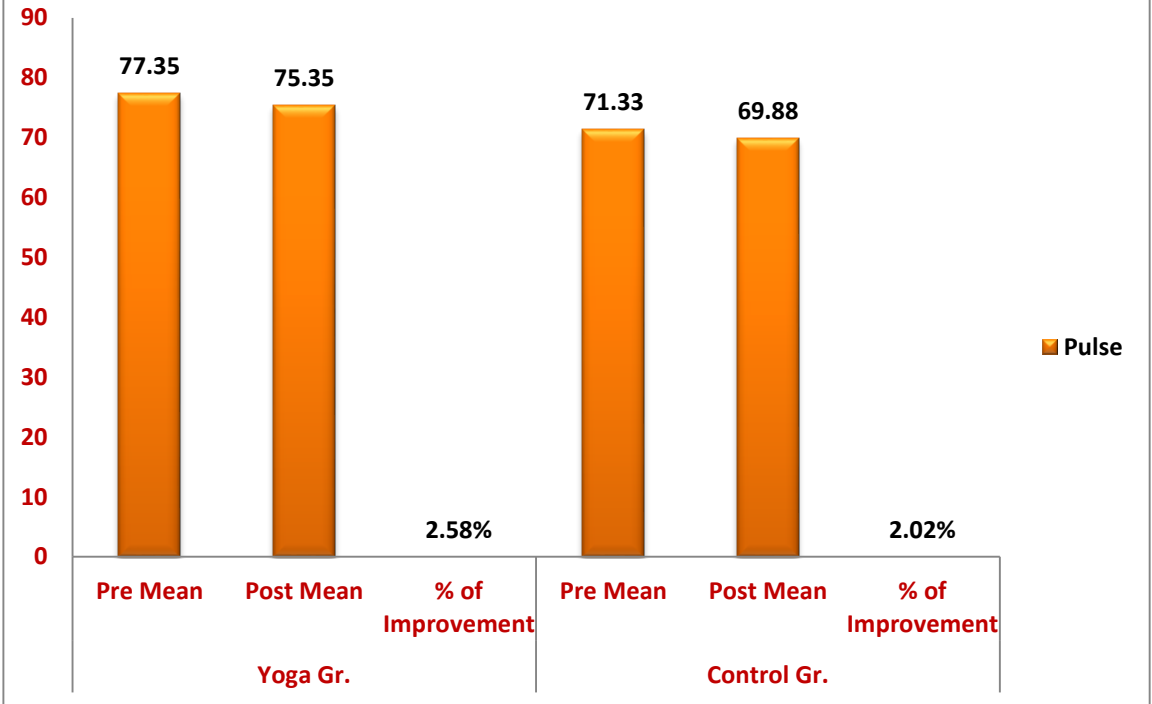
Percentage of improvement (reduction) of weight & serum cholesterol, waist circumference, hip circumference, serum cholesterol, low- density lipoprotein, high- density lipoprotein is

more in Yoga group than that of control group. Percentage of improvement (reduction) of serum triglycerides & very low -density lipoprotein were more in control group than that of Yoga group.

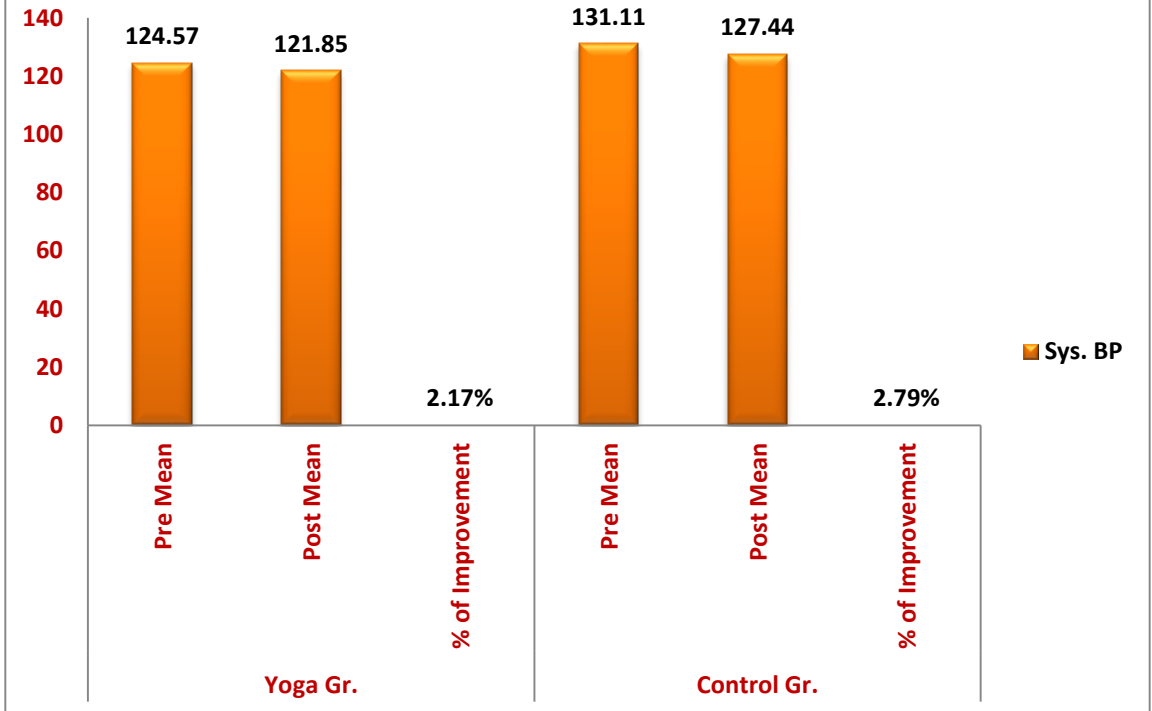
**GRAPHS BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS YOGA AND CONTROL RESULTS PER VARIABLES OF STUDY ONE**

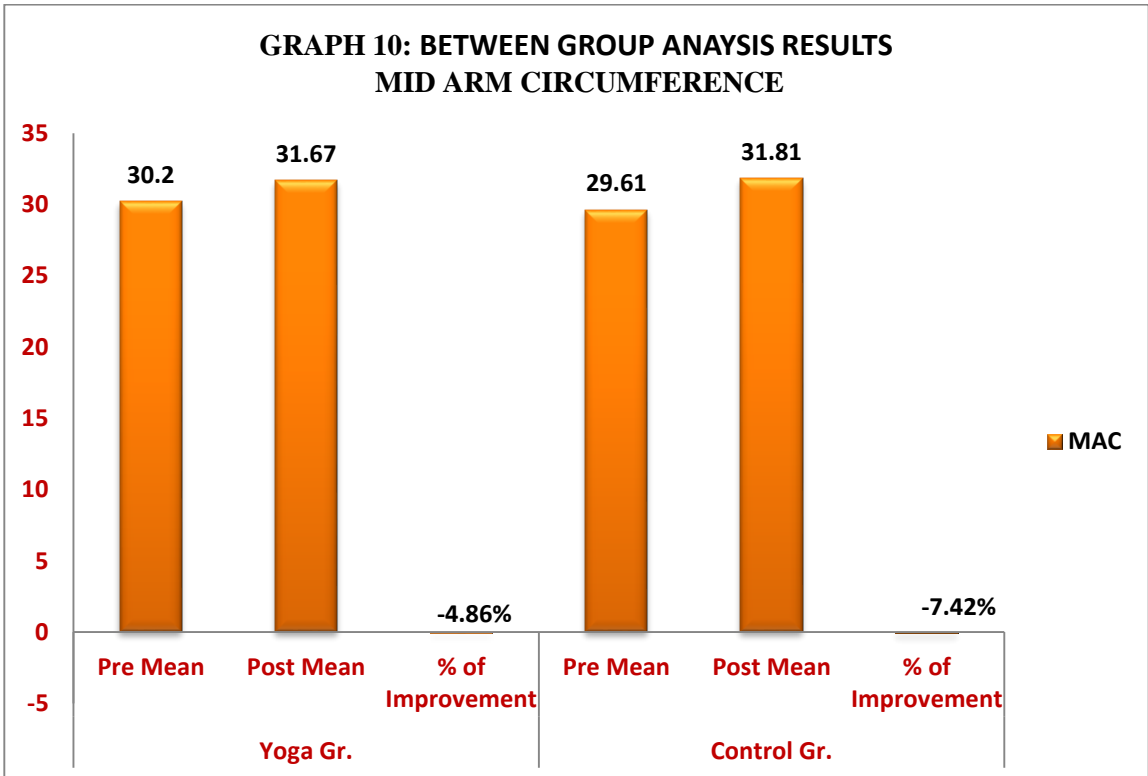
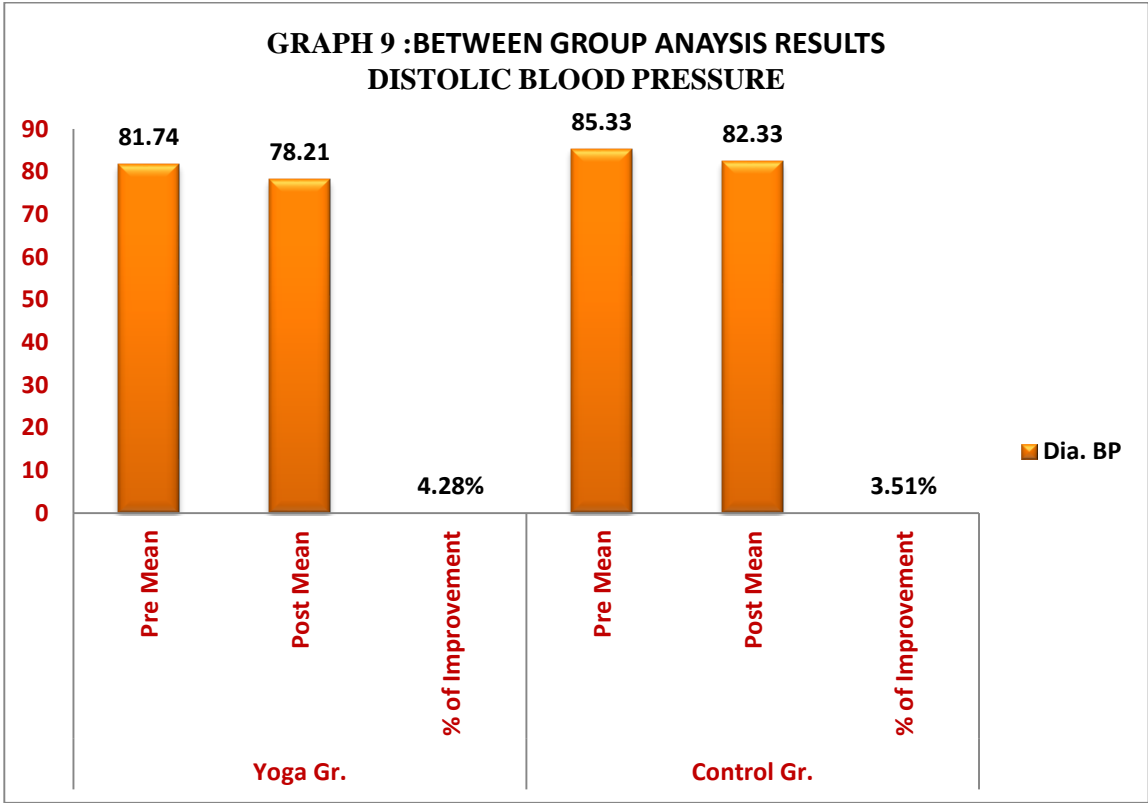


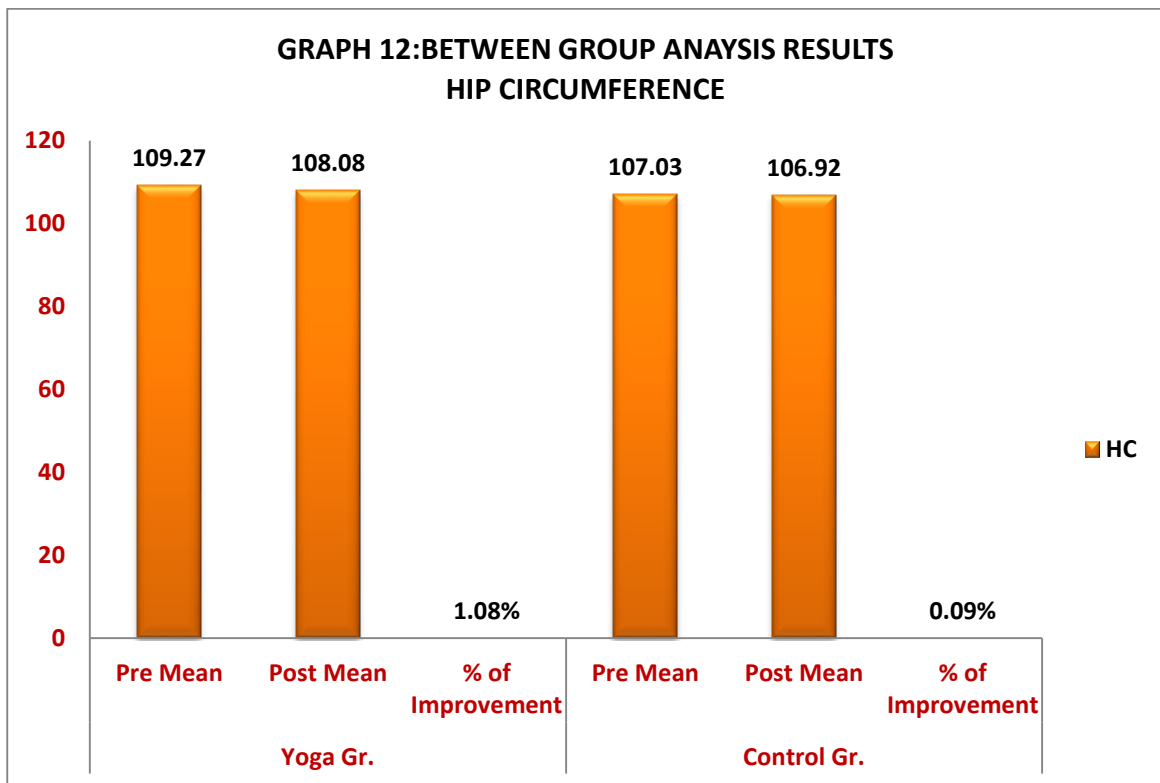
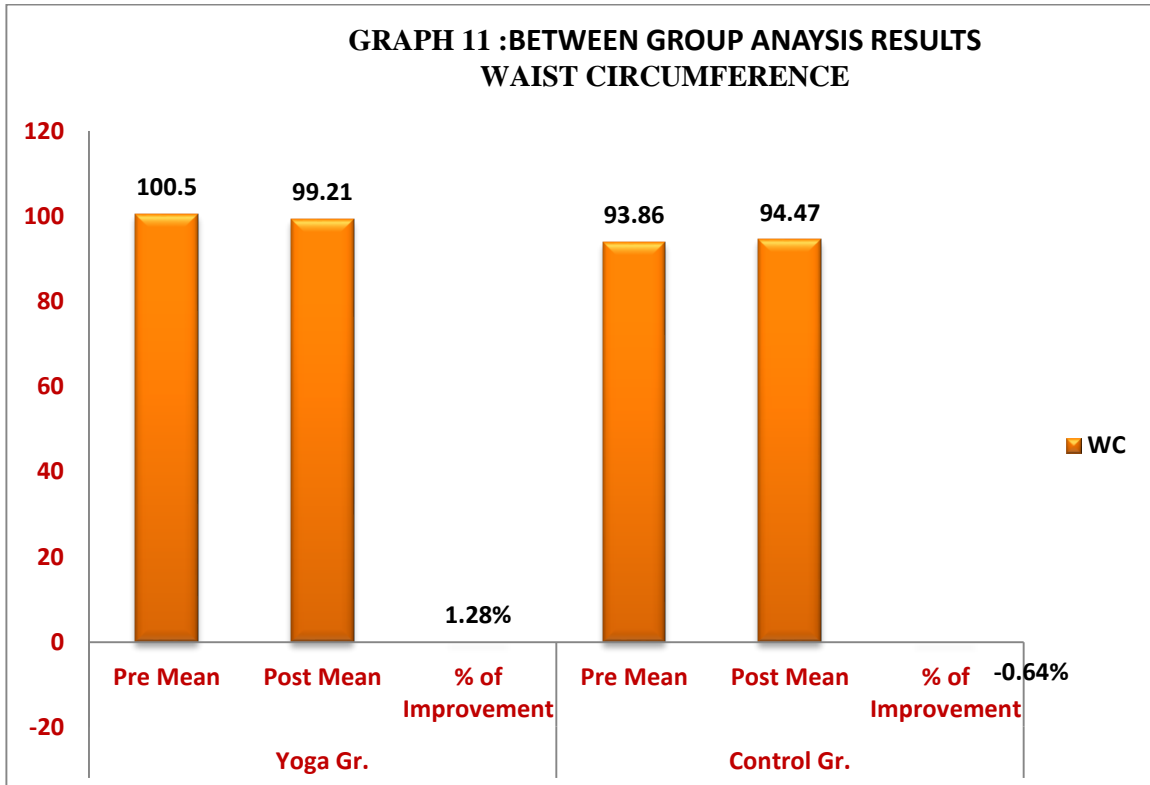
**GRAPH 7 : BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS  
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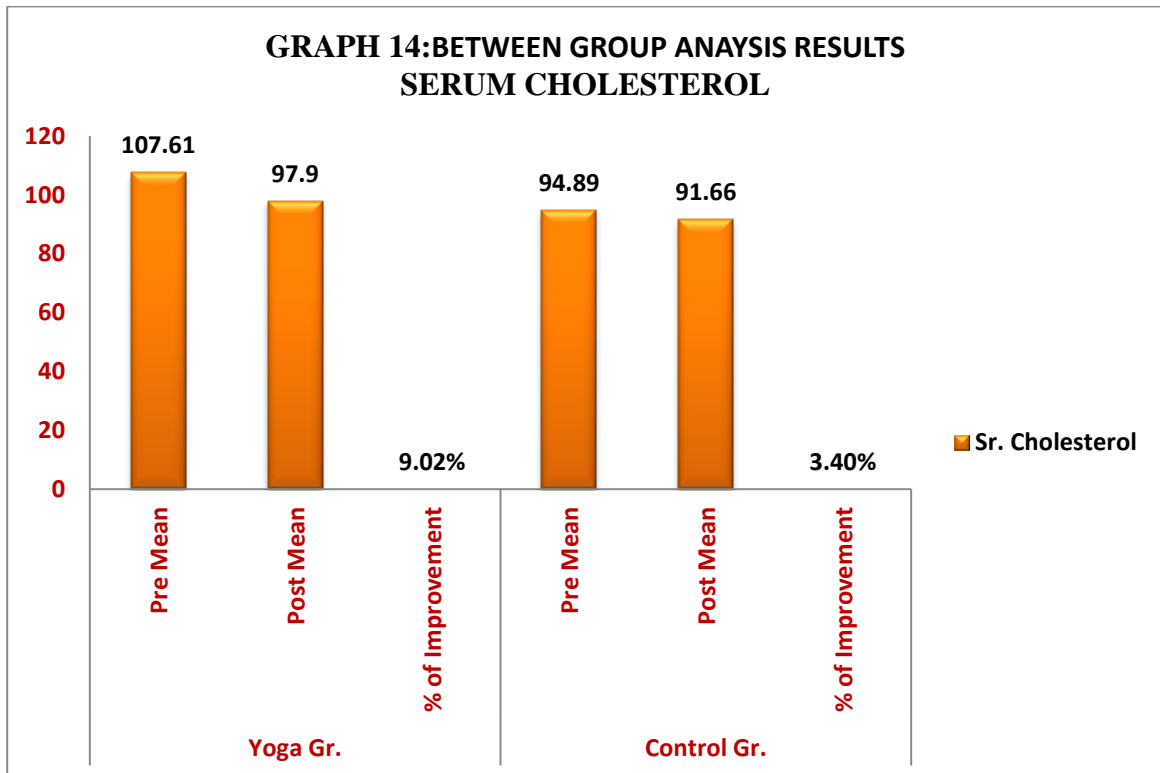
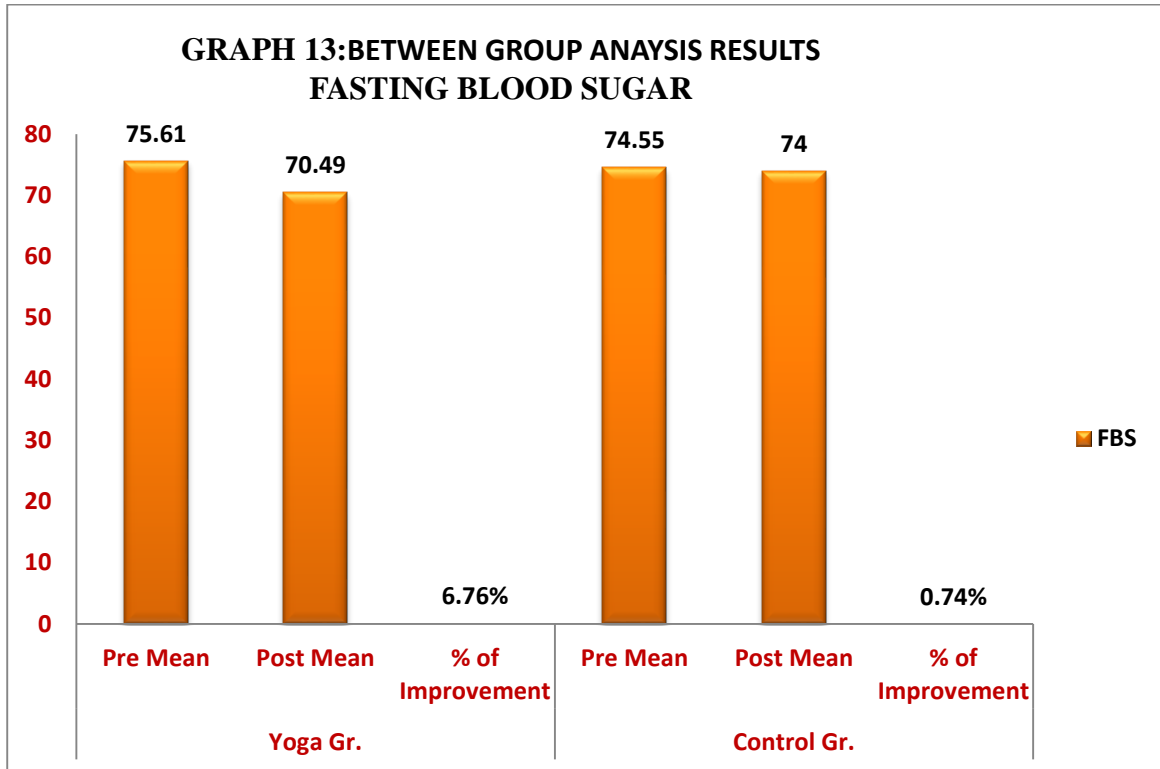


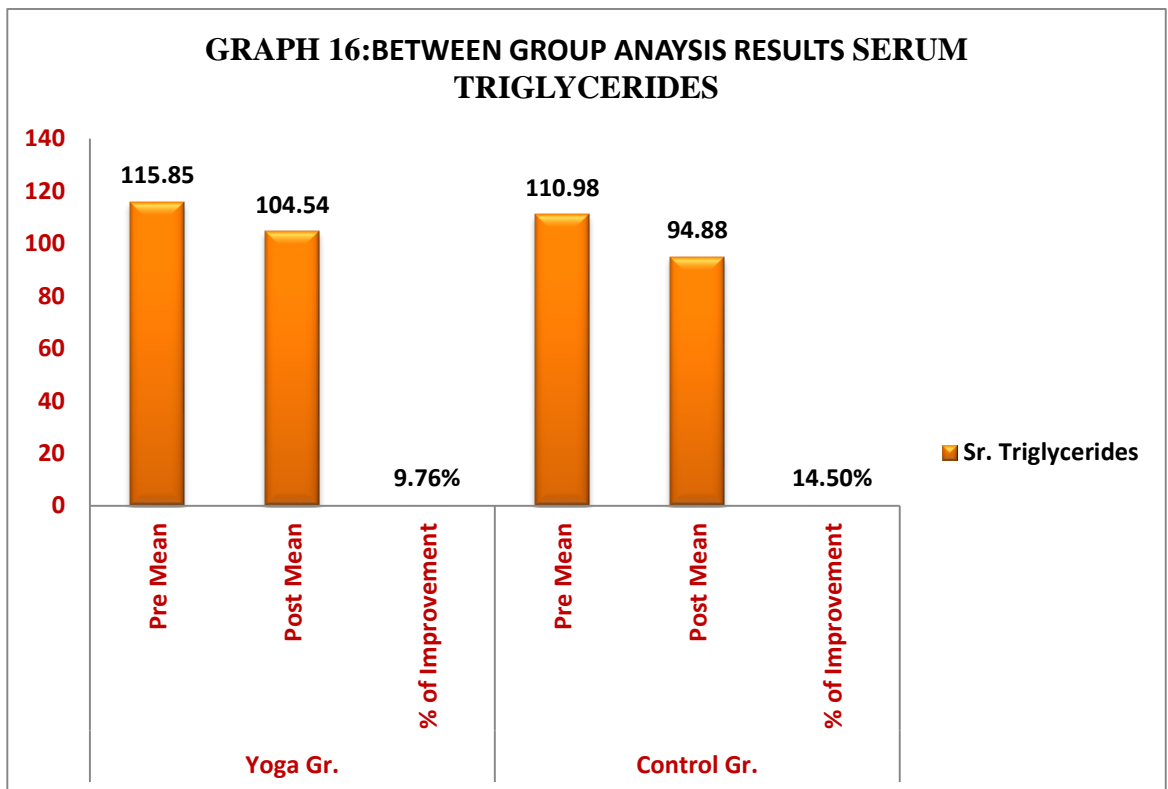
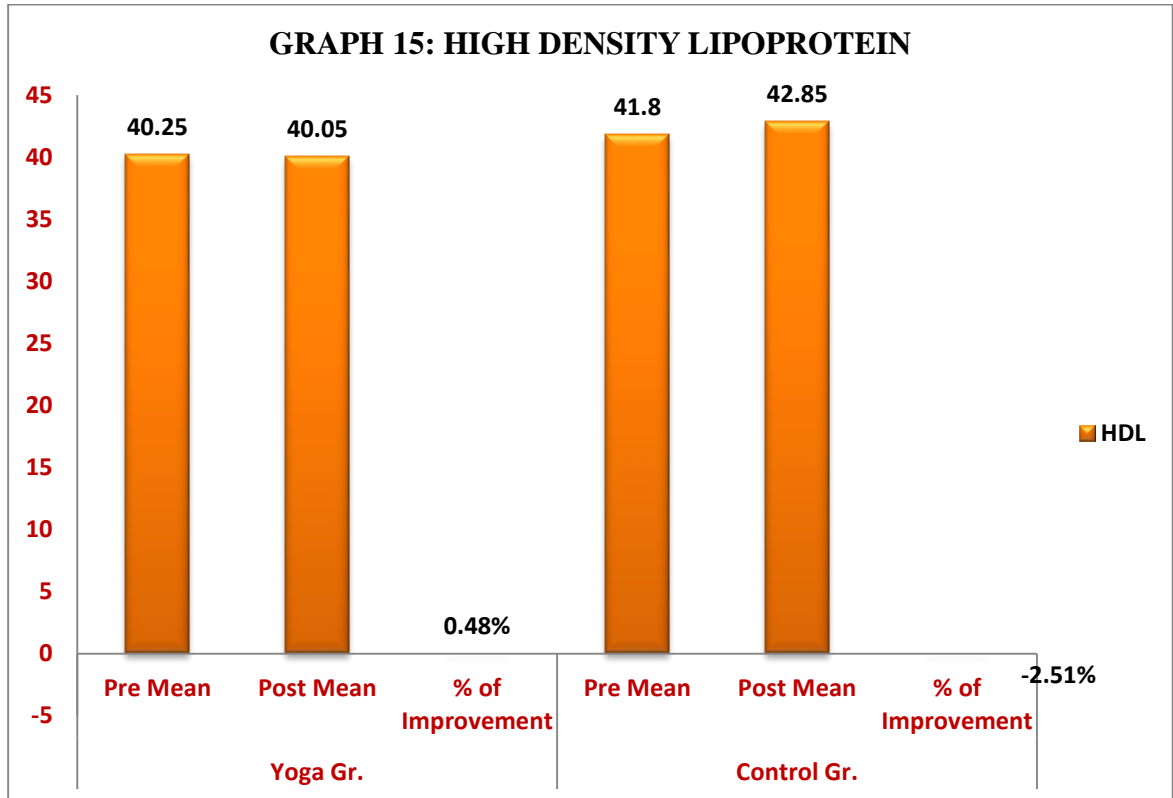
**GRAPH 8: BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS  
SYSTOLIC BLOOD PRESSURE**



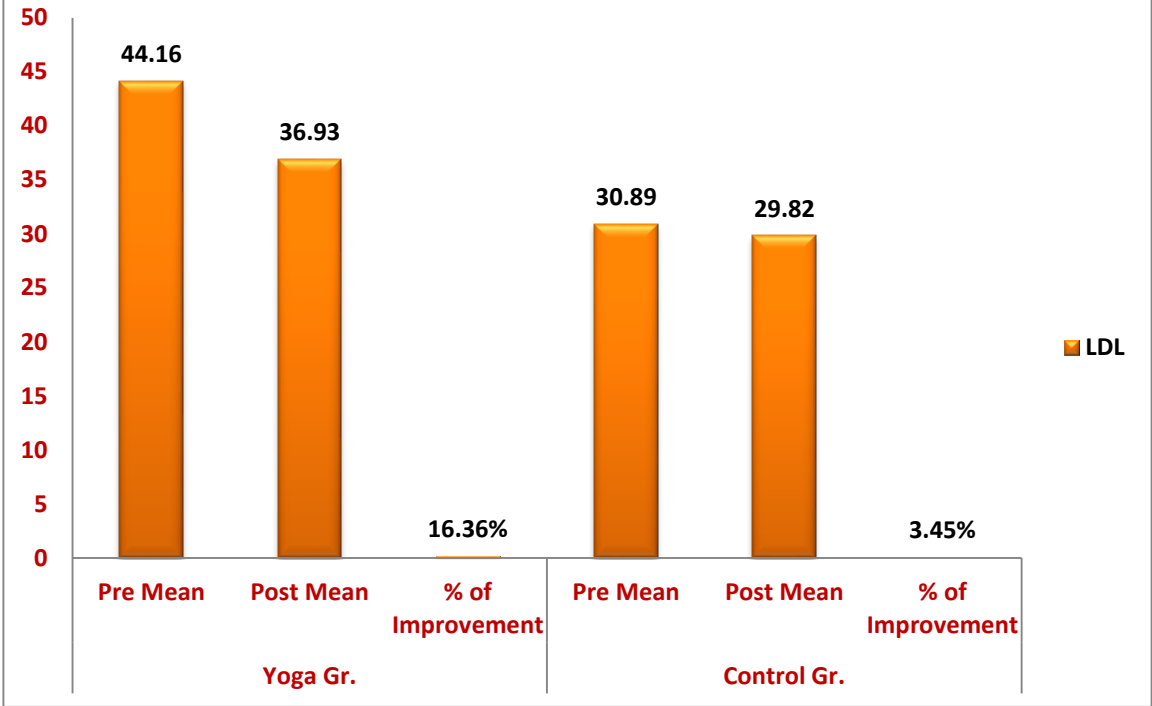




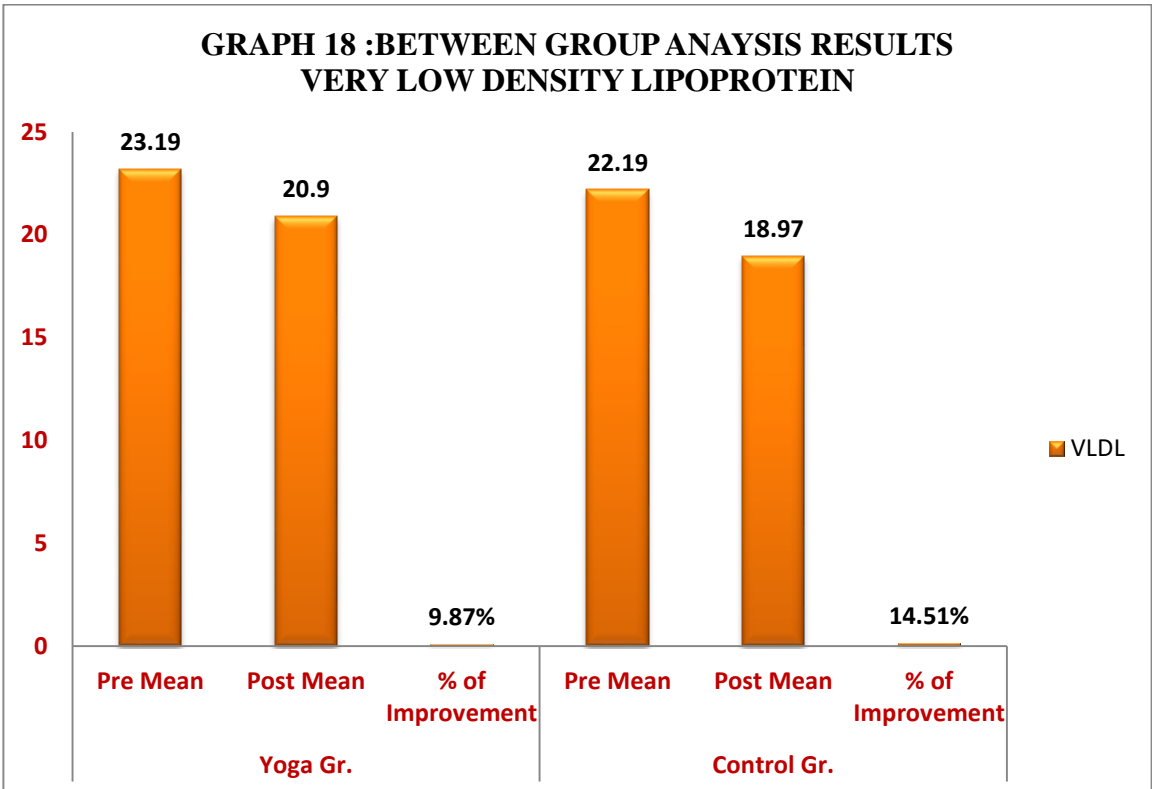




**GRAPH 17: BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS  
LOW DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN**



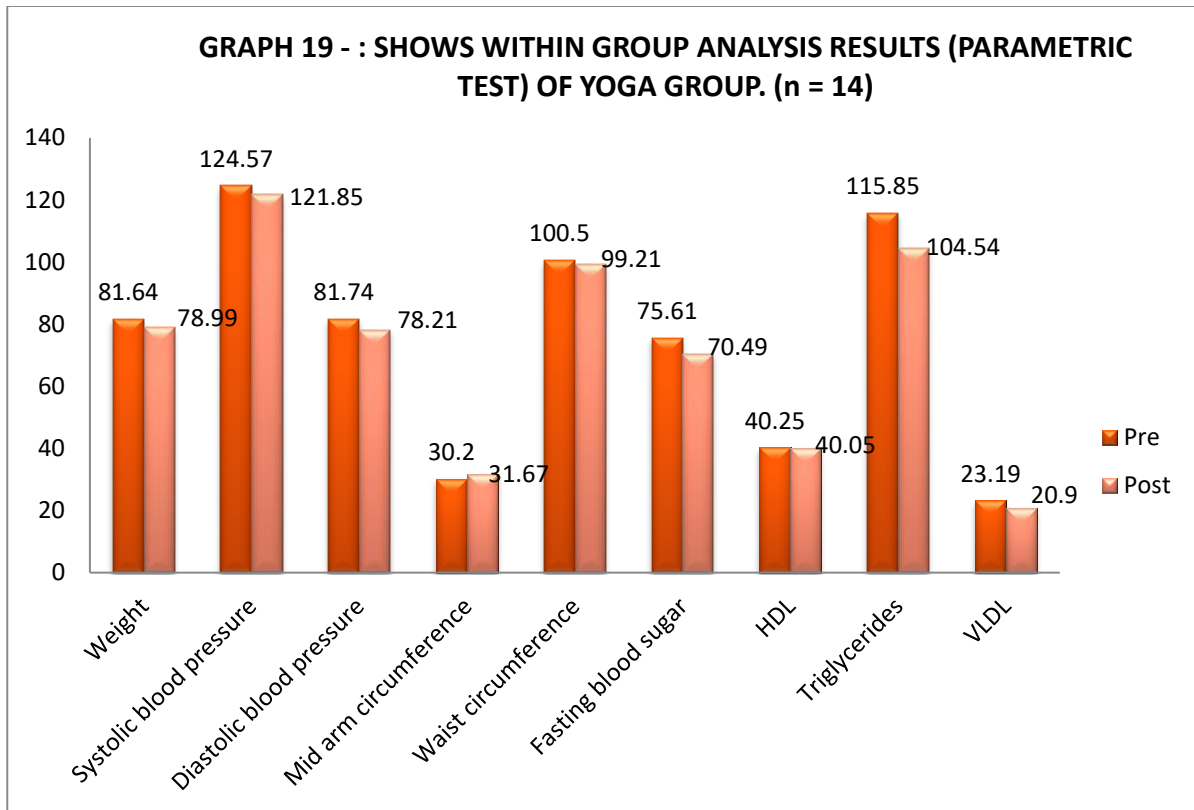
**GRAPH 18 : BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS  
VERY LOW DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN**



**TABLE 13**  
**SHOWS WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS**  
**(PARAMETRIC TEST) OF YOGA GROUP (n= 14).**

Variables	Pre	Post	T	P Value
Weight	81.64 ± 13.79	78.99 ± 13.47	7.29	0.000**
Systolic blood pressure	124.57 ± 10.18	121.85 ± 7.87	1.84	0.08
Diastolic blood pressure	81.74 ± 12.28	78.21 ± 8.54	2.71	0.01*
Mid arm circumference	30.20 ± 2.34	31.67 ± 1.68	-2.8	0.01*
Waist circumference	100.5 ± 9.81	99.21 ± 8.57	0.77	0.45
Fasting blood sugar	75.61 ± 7.06	70.49 ± 8.46	2.06	0.05*
HDL	40.25 ± 2.64	40.05 ± 1.89	0.32	0.75
Triglycerides	115.85 ± 30.07	104.54 ± 32.27	4.02	0.001**
VLDL	23.19 ± 6.03	20.90 ± 6.45	4.15	0.001**
*Significance at the level of 0.05				
**Significance at the level of 0.001				
Paired sample t test				

Weight, blood pressure, mid-arm circumference, waist circumference, fasting blood sugar, high-density lipoprotein, very low- density lipoprotein, serum triglycerides were normally distributed in Yoga group. There is significant reduction in weight ( $p = 0.000$ ), diastolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.018$ ), fasting blood sugar ( $p = 0.059$ ), very low- density lipoprotein ( $p = 0.001$ ), serum triglycerides ( $p = 0.001$ ) after intervention. There is significant increase in mid-arm circumference ( $p = 0.01$ ). There is non-significant reduction in systolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.08$ ), waist circumference ( $p = 0.45$ ) & high-density lipoprotein ( $p = 0.75$ ).

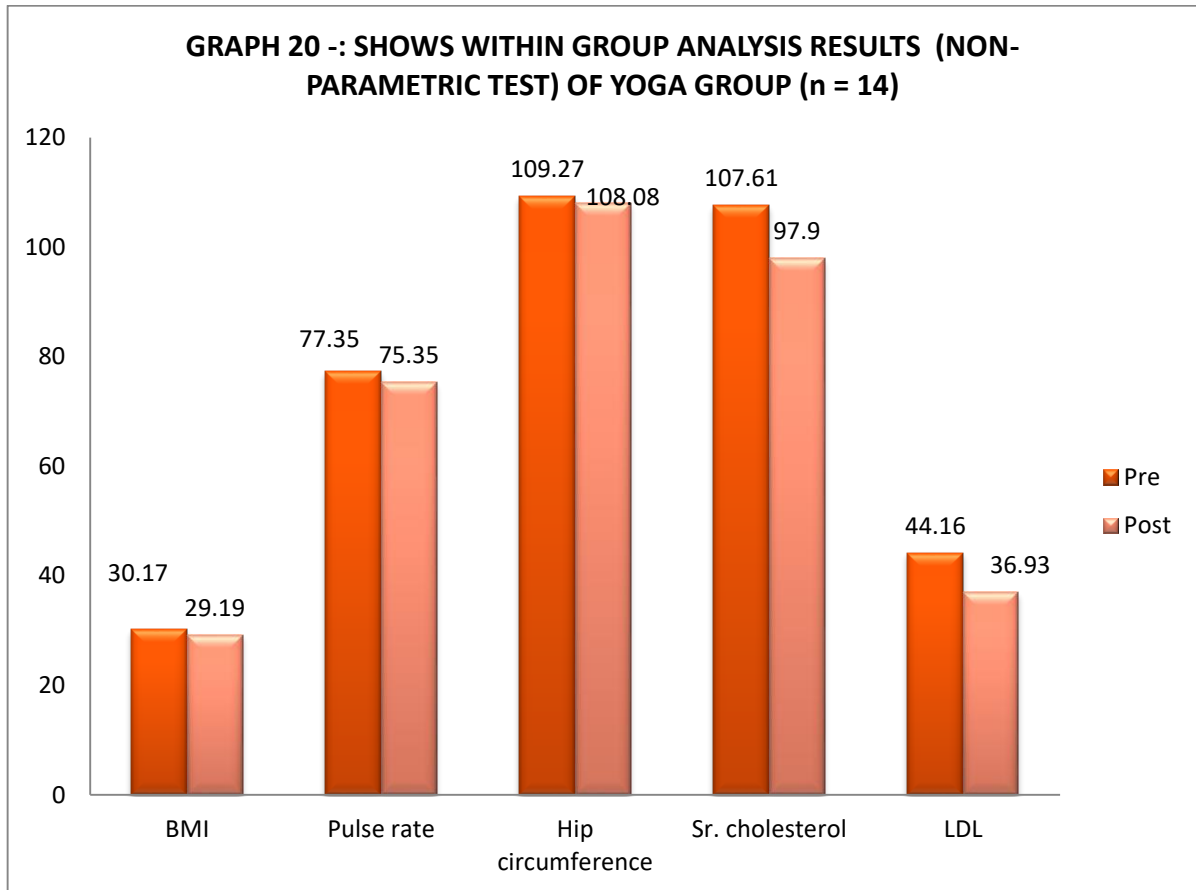


**TABLE 14**

**SHOWS WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS  
(NON- PARAMETRIC TEST) OF YOGA GROUP (n = 14)**

Variables	Pre	Post	Z	P Value
<b>BMI</b>	30.17 ± 4.37	29.19 ± 4.26	-3.29	0.001**
<b>Pulse rate</b>	77.35 ± 4.60	75.35 ± 4.76	-2.07	0.038*
<b>Hip circumference</b>	109.27 ± 11.98	108.08 ± 12.03	-2.55	0.011*
<b>Sr. cholesterol</b>	107.61 ± 30.54	97.90 ± 20.23	-2.1	0.035*
<b>LDL</b>	44.16 ± 29.29	36.93 ± 20.42	-1.16	0.245
<b>* Significance at the level of 0.05</b>				
<b>**Significance at the level of 0.001</b>				
<b>Wilcoxn Test</b>				

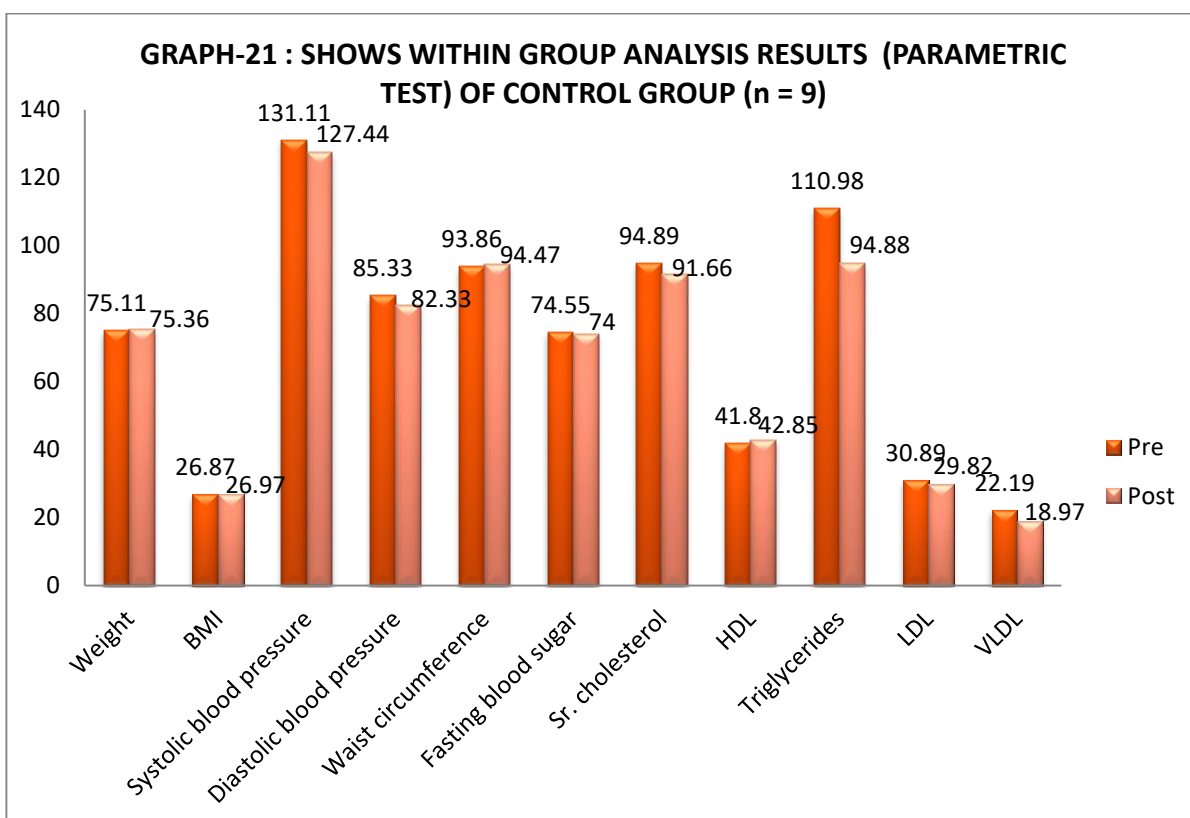
BMI, pulse rate, hip circumference, serum total cholesterol, low- density lipoprotein were not normally distributed in Yoga group. There is significant reduction in BMI ( $p = 0.00$ ), pulse rate ( $p = 0.03$ ), hip circumference ( $p = 0.01$ ), serum total cholesterol ( $p = 0.03$ ). There is non-significant reduction in low- density lipoprotein ( $p = 0.24$ ).



**TABLE 15**  
**SHOWS WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS**  
**(PARAMETRIC TEST)**  
**OF CONTROL GROUP (n = 9)**

Variables	Pre	Post	T	P Value
Weight	75.11 ± 10.11	75.36 ± 10.46	-0.495	0.634
BMI	26.87 ± 1.71	26.97 ± 1.99	-0.522	0.616
Systolic blood pressure	131.11 ± 10.89	127.44 ± 6.02	1.584	0.152
Diastolic blood pressure	85.33 ± 8.26	82.33 ± 5.61	2.25	0.055
Waist circumference	93.86 ± 5.95	94.47 ± 5.50	-0.514	0.621
Fasting blood sugar	74.55 ± 5.20	74 ± 9.63	0.194	0.851
Sr. cholesterol	94.89 ± 10.06	91.66 ± 8.13	0.26	0.26
HDL	41.80 ± 1.63	42.85 ± 1.86	-3.088	0.015*
Triglycerides	110.98 ± 21.38	94.88 ± 11.68	3.437	0.009*
LDL	30.89 ± 12.07	29.82 ± 9.92	0.331	0.749
VLDL	22.19 ± 4.27	18.97 ± 2.33	3.438	0.009*
<b>* Significance at the level of 0.05</b>				
<b>Paired sample t test</b>				

Weight, BMI, blood pressure, waist circumference, fasting blood sugar, Serum cholesterol, high-density lipoprotein, low- density lipoprotein, very low- density lipoprotein, serum triglycerides were normally distributed in control group. There is significant reduction in high-density lipoprotein ( $p = 0.15$ ), serum triglycerides ( $p = 0.009$ ) & very low- density lipoprotein ( $p = 0.009$ ). There is reduction in weight ( $p = 0.634$ ), BMI ( $p = 0.616$ ), systolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.152$ ), diastolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.055$ ), waist circumference ( $p = 0.621$ ), fasting blood sugar ( $p = 0.851$ ), serum total cholesterol ( $p = 0.260$ ) & low- density lipoprotein ( $p = 0.749$ ) but without significance.

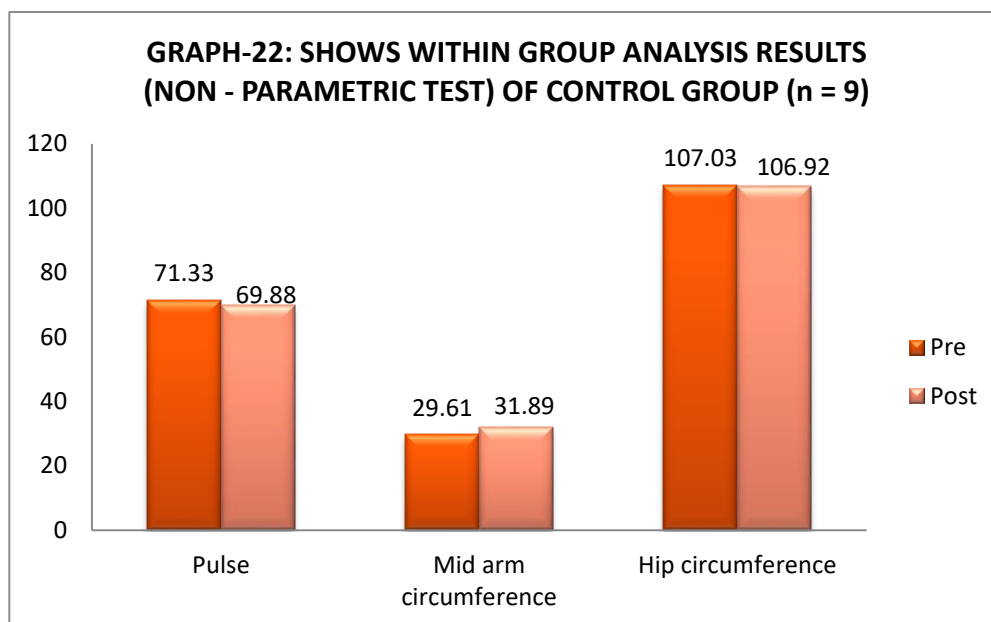


**Table 16**  
**SHOWS WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS RESULTS (NON - PARAMETRIC TEST)**  
**OF CONTROL GROUP (n = 9)**

Variables	Pre	Post	Z	P Value
Pulse	71.33 ± 4.60	69.88 ± 5.10	-1.219	0.223
Mid arm circumference	29.61 ± 2.11	31.89 ± 1.48	-2.433	0.015*
Hip circumference	107.03 ± 3.61	106.92 ± 3.93	-0.105	0.916
<b>*Significance at the level of 0.05</b>				
<b>Wilcoxn Test</b>				

### Changes in pulse rate, Mid arm circumference & hip circumference

Data for these variables was not normally distributed in control group. Hence, Wilkococson's signed rank tes was performed. There is significant increase in Mid arm circumference ( $p = 0.015$ ). There is reduction in pulse rate ( $p = 0.223$ ) & hip circumference ( $p = 0.916$ ) but without significanceafter one month compared to baseline.

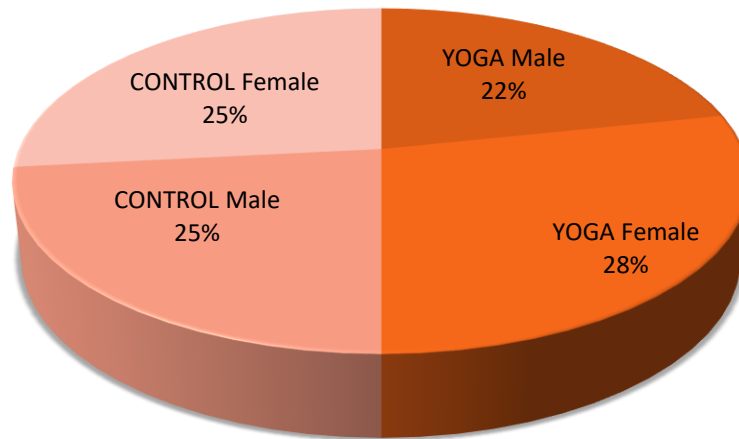


**TABLE 17**

**SHOWS THE BASELINE DEMOGRAPHIC DATA OF AGE AND HEIGHT OF THE YOGA & CONTROL GROUP MAIN STUDY 2 AT DR KALMADI SHYAMARAV SCHOOL PUNE**

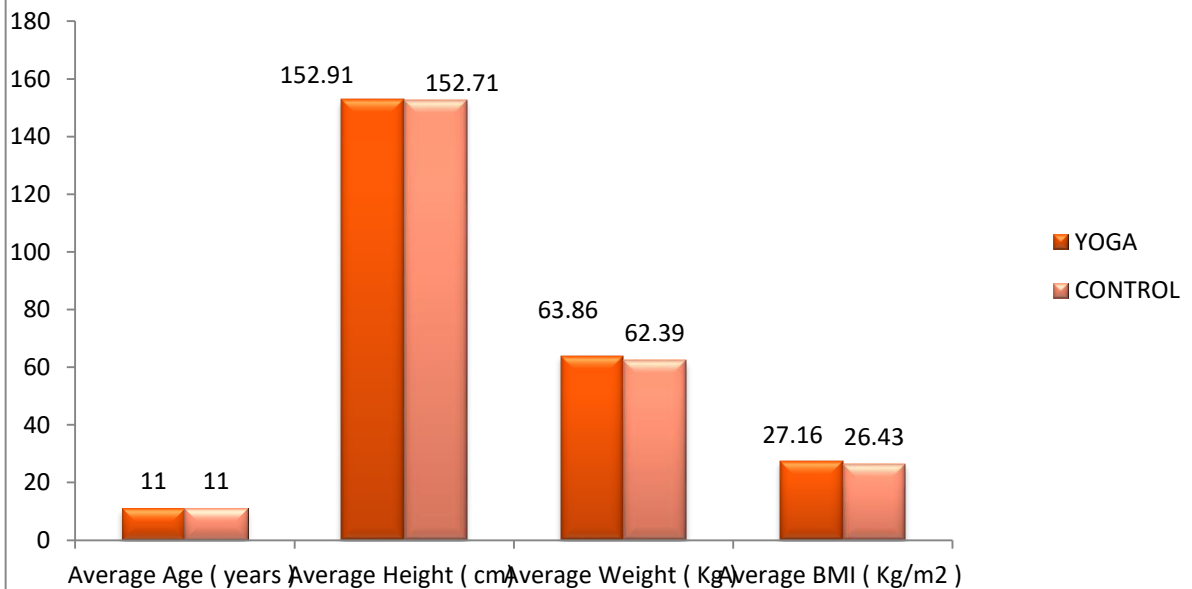
NO.	GROUP	YOGA		CONTROL	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
1	Gender	10	15	14	14
2	Average Age ( years )	11 ± 1.4		11 ± 1.3	
3	Average Height ( cm)	152.91 ± 6.97		152.71 ± 9.18	
4	Average Weight ( Kg )	63.86 ± 15.52		62.39 ± 14.21	
5	Average BMI ( Kg/m2)	27.16 ± 5.04		26.43 ± 3.53	

**GRAPH-23:- SHOWS THE BASELINE DEMOGRAPHIC DATA OF GENDER OF THE YOGA AND CONTROL GROUP OF MAIN STUDY**



**GRAPH-24:DEMOGRAPHIC DATA OF MAIN STUDY**

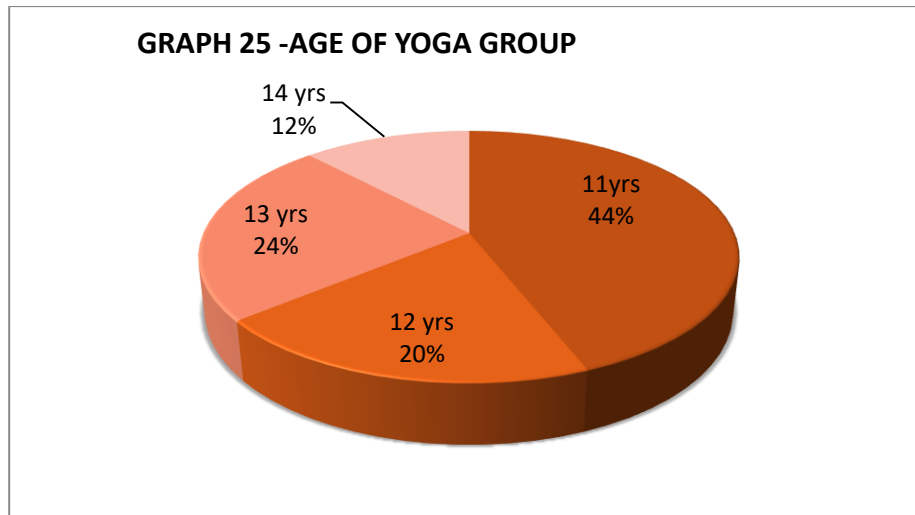
Shows The baseline demographic data of age and height of the yoga and control group



Parameters like abdominal circumference, waist circumference, hip circumference, total body fat percentage, trunk subcutaneous fat, trunk muscle percentage, legs subcutaneous fat, legs muscle percentage and sit ups per minute were normally distributed.

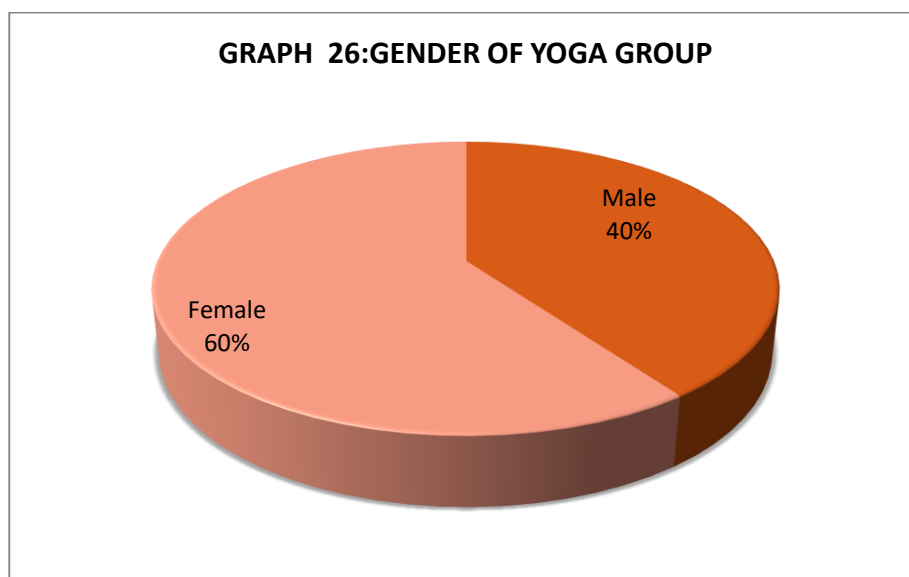
In yoga Group, ages of all participants were as follows:-

Age	No of Participants
11yrs	11
12 yrs	5
13 yrs	6
14 yrs	3



In Yoga Group, 10 male & 15 female participants were there.

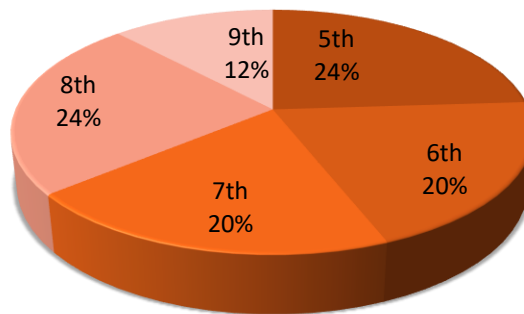
Gender	No of Participants
Male	10
Female	15



In yoga Group, no. of participants in each standard was as follows:-

STANDARD	No of Participants
5th	6
6th	5
7th	5
8th	6
9th	3

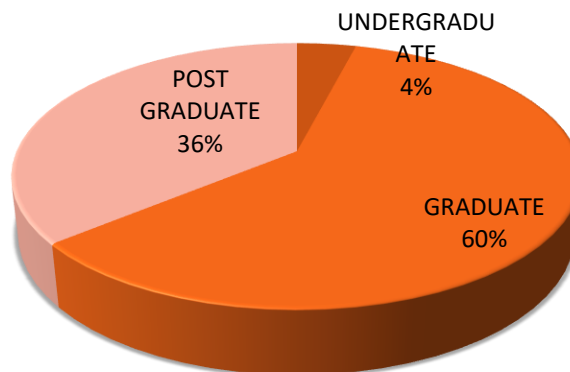
**GRAPH -27:STANDARD OF YOGA GROUP**



In yoga Group, status of parent education was as follows:-

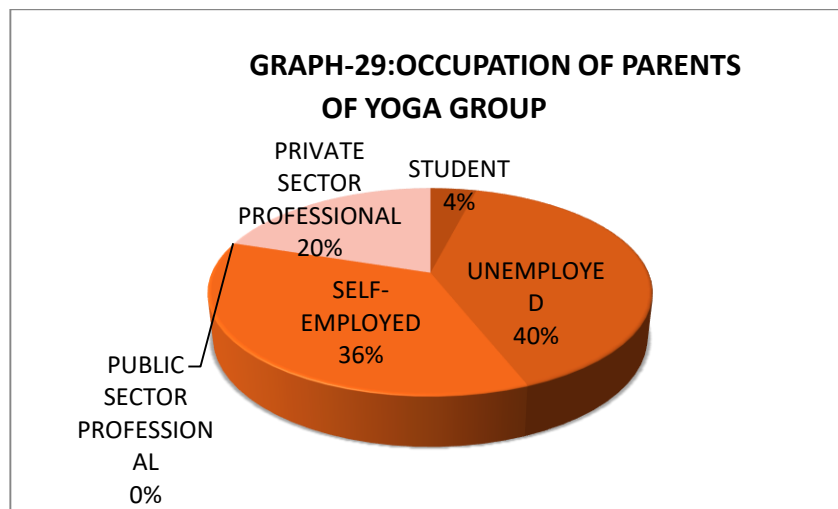
PARENTS EDUCATION	No of Participants
UNDERGRADUATE	1
GRADUATE	15
POST GRADUATE	9

**GRAPH -28:PARENT EDUCATION OF YOGA GROUP**



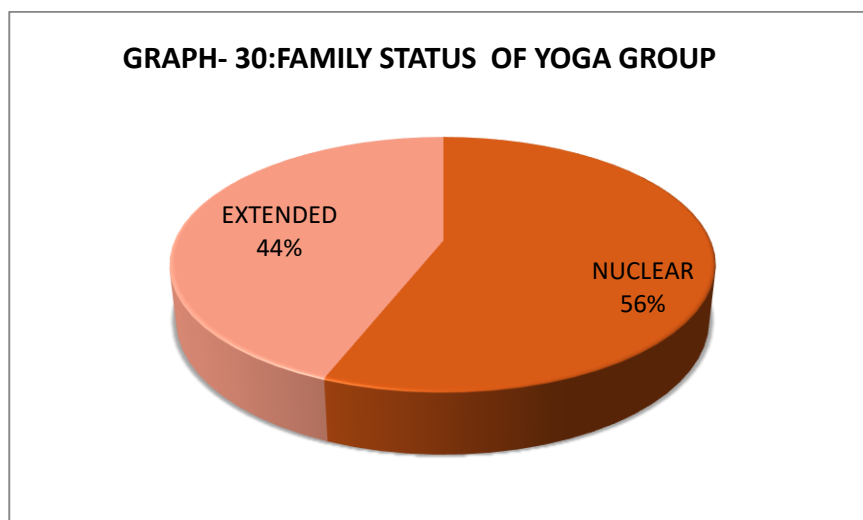
In yoga Group, status of parent occupation was as follows:-

OCCUPATION	No of Participants
STUDENT	1
UNEMPLOYED	10
SELF-EMPLOYED	9
PUBLIC SECTOR PROFESSIONAL	0
PRIVATE SECTOR PROFESSIONAL	5



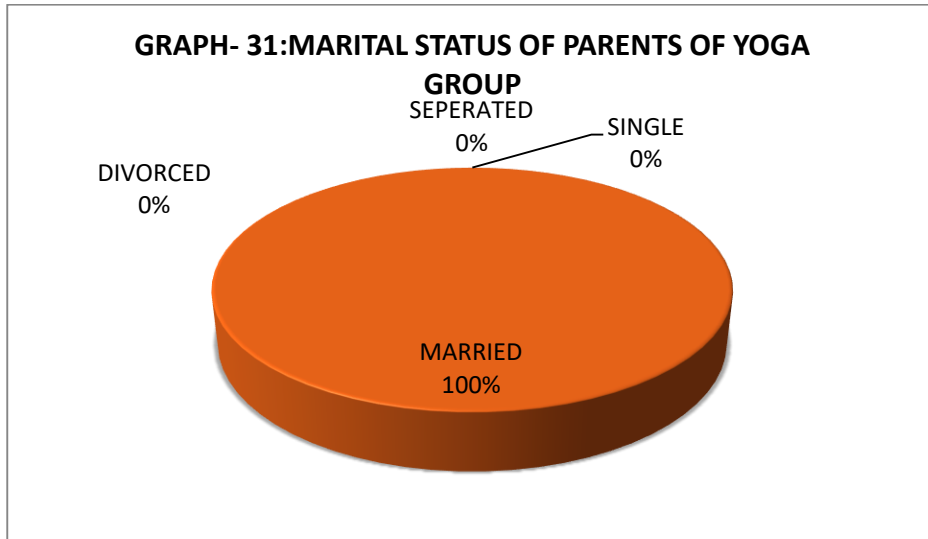
In yoga Group, status of family was as follows:-

FAMILY STATUS	No of Participants
NUCLEAR	14
EXTENDED	11



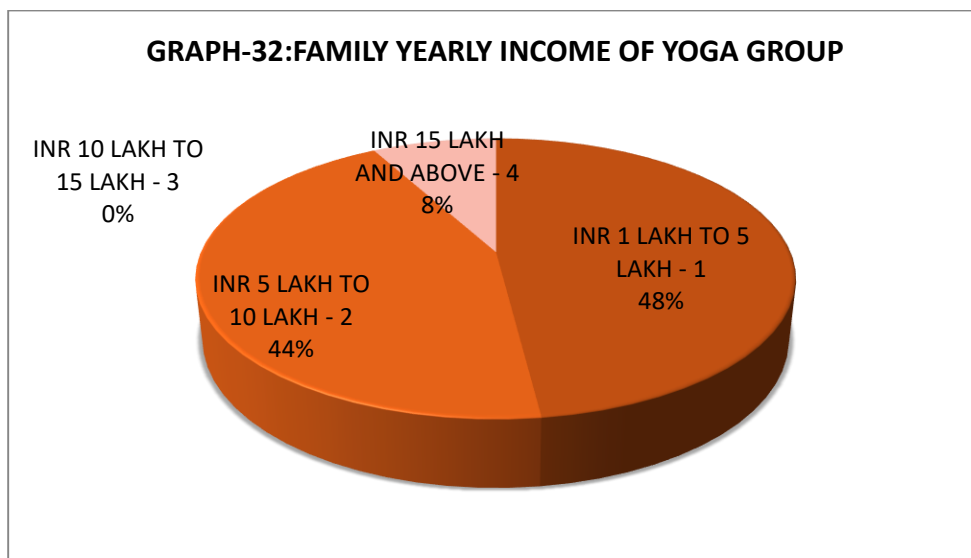
In yoga Group, marital status of parents was as follows:-

MARITAL STATUS	No of Participants
<b>SINGLE</b>	0
<b>MARRIED</b>	25
<b>DIVORCED</b>	0
<b>SEPERATED</b>	0



In yoga Group, family income was as follows:-

FAMILY INCOME/YEAR	No of Participants
<b>INR 1 LAKH TO 5 LAKH - 1</b>	12
<b>INR 5 LAKH TO 10 LAKH - 2</b>	11
<b>INR 10 LAKH TO 15 LAKH - 3</b>	0
<b>INR 15 LAKH AND ABOVE - 4</b>	2



The result of Physical parameters & physical tests are as follows:

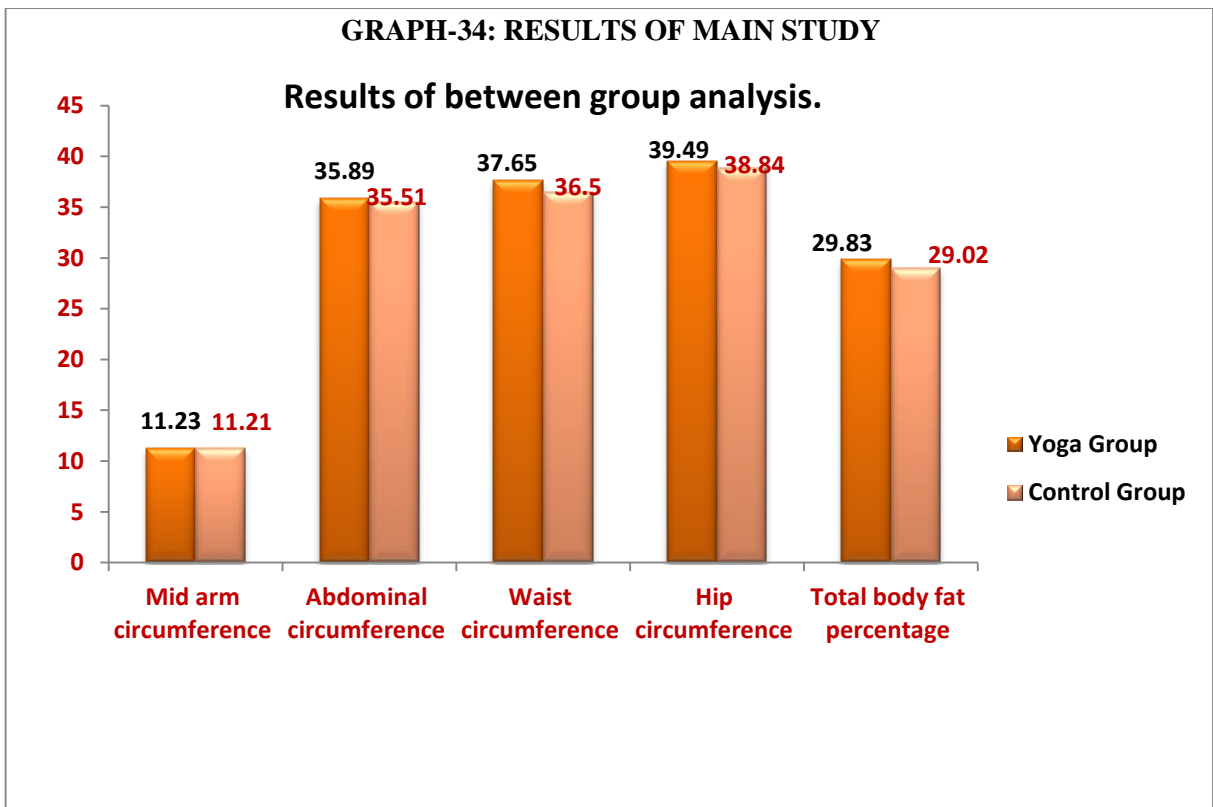
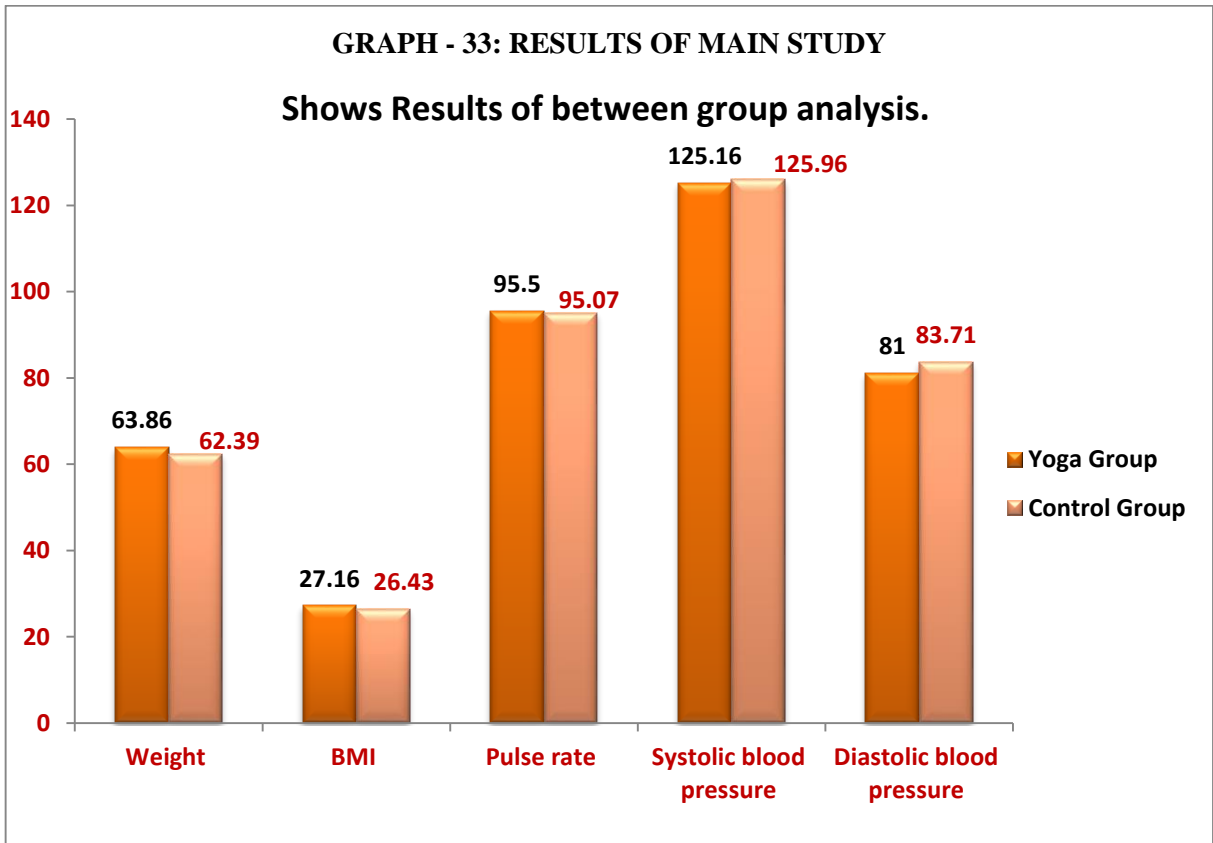
**TABLE-18**  
**SHOWS RESULTS OF BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSES**

No.	Variable	Yoga Group		Control Group		t value	p value
		( n= 25 )		( n= 28 )			
		Pre	Post	Pre	Post		
1	Weight	63.86 ± 15.52	63.14 ± 15.28	62.39 ± 14.21	62.8 ± 14.73	0.517 a	0.6
2	BMI	27.16 ± 5.04	26.47 ± 4.85	26.43 ± 3.53	26.82 ± 3.58	0.053 a	0.95
3	Pulse rate	95.5 ± 11.7	97.37 ± 14.48	95.07 ± 12.77	93.85 ± 11.31	1.052 a	0.29
4	Systolic BP	125.16 ± 11.06	122.87 ± 13.43	125.96 ± 18.54	119.25 ± 13.68	0.883 a	0.37
5	Diastolic BP	81 ± 6.83	76.95 ± 8.79	83.71 ± 9.78	77.5 ± 8.05	0.330 a	0.74
6	Mid Arm Cir.	11.23 ± 1.03	11.07 ± 0.93	11.21 ± 1.37	11.35 ± 1.42	0.027 a	0.97
7	Abdominal Cir.	35.89 ± 3.69	35.5 ± 3.77	35.51 ± 3.27	35.42 ± 3.28	0.530 b	0.05 <sup>∞</sup>
8	Waist Cir.	37.65 ± 4.48	37.77 ± 4.81	36.50 ± 3.01	36.99 ± 3.67	0.593b	0.79
9	Hip Cir.	39.49 ± 4.63	38.21 ± 4.71	38.84 ± 3.71	38.57 ± 3.93	2.479 b	0.54
10	Total body fat %	29.83 ± 3.46	27.76 ± 2.72	29.02 ± 2.65	28.96 ± 2.17	3.236 b	0.92
11	Resting metabolism	1382.83 ± 205.34	1404.33 ± 263.33	1369.25 ± 218.60	1388.33 ± 238.43	0.579 a	0.56
12	Subcutaneous fat ( Whole body )	25.57 ± 5.58	21.96 ± 4.32	24.80 ± 5.11	22.75 ± 4.56	0.606 a	0.54
13	Muscle percentage ( Whole body )	27.13 ± 3.51	28.26 ± 2.89	27.20 ± 3.06	28.12 ± 2.93	.036 a	0.97
14	Subcutaneous fat ( Arms )	39.23 ± 8.58	34.62 ± 6.47	38.90 ± 8.16	36.02 ± 7.03	0.383 a	0.7
15	Muscle% (Arms )	31.01 ± 6.78	33.98 ± 5.07	30.62 ± 7.27	33.47 ± 6.61	0.330 a	0.74
16	Subcutaneous fat ( Trunk )	22.21 ± 5.35	19.23 ± 3.29	21.34 ± 4.32	20.07 ± 3.52	1.241 b	0.88
17	Muscle % ( Trunk )	20.58 ± 2.97	21.55 ± 2.20	20.87 ± 2.40	21.2 ± 2.08	-1.637b	0.36
18	Subcutaneous fat ( Legs )	38.35 ± 8.27	34.27 ± 6.29	38.75 ± 8.81	35.92 ± 7.71	- 0.278 b	0.77
19	Muscle % (Legs )	41.94 ± 5.21	43.94 ± 4.65	42.06 ± 4.94	43.78 ± 4.95	- 0.701b	0.14
20	Sit ups	32.95 ± 7.02	31.5 ± 9.38	30.21 ± 8.74	26.78 ± 7.36	- 0.942b	0.09
21	Flamingo Balance test	60.70 ± 37.07	65.75 ± 38.48	72.17 ± 56.41	91.89 ± 58.65	1.568 a	0.11

<sup>∞</sup> Significance at 0.05

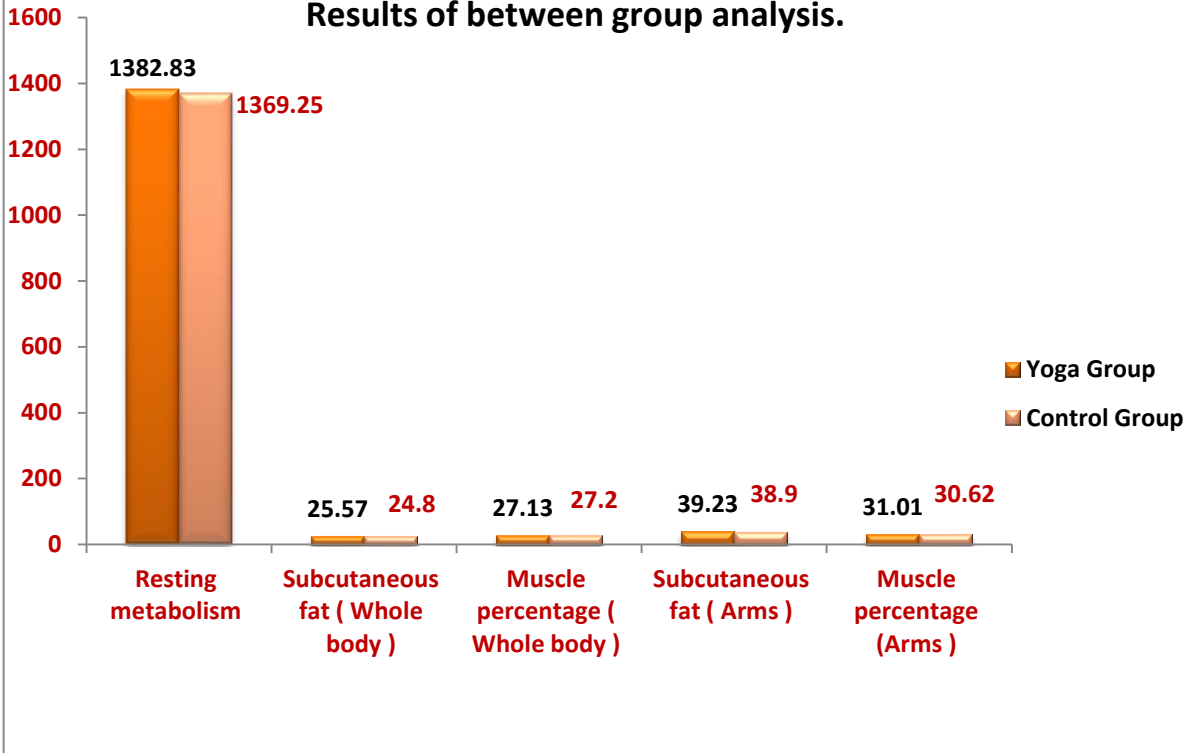
a Mann-Whitney U test.

b Independent Sample t-test



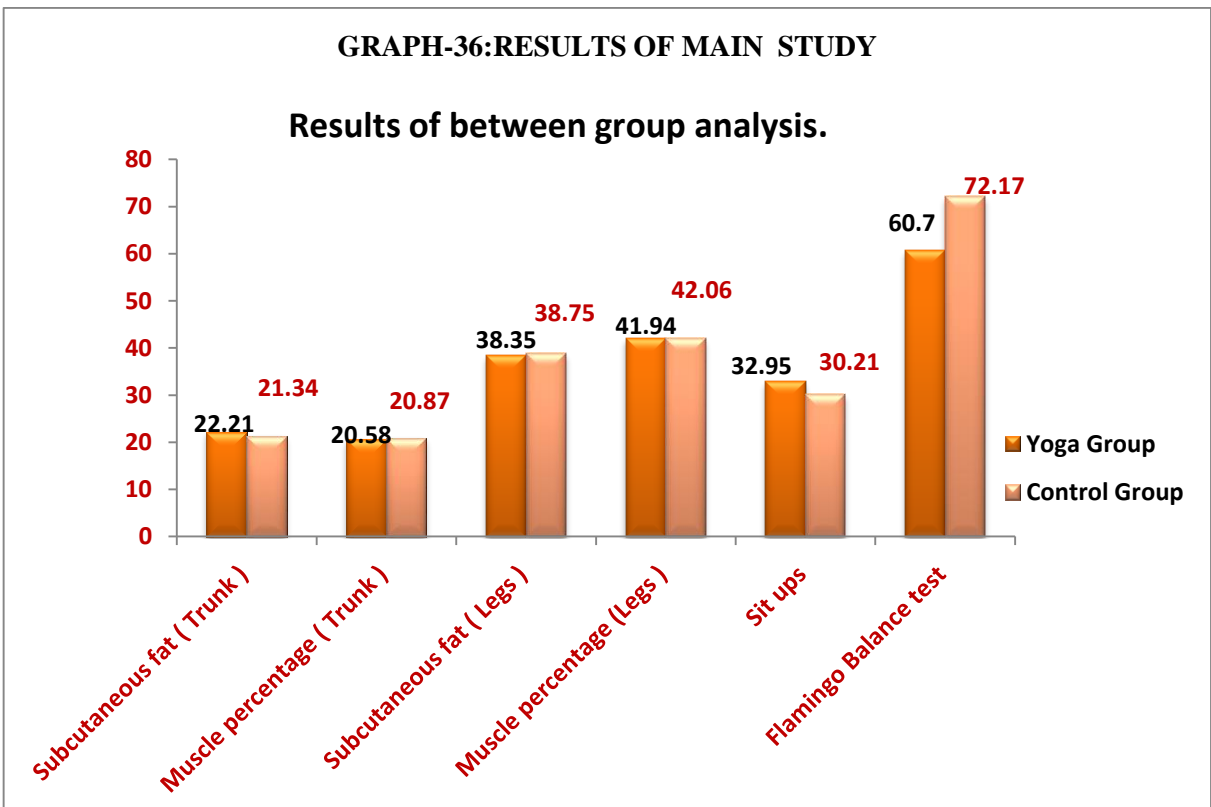
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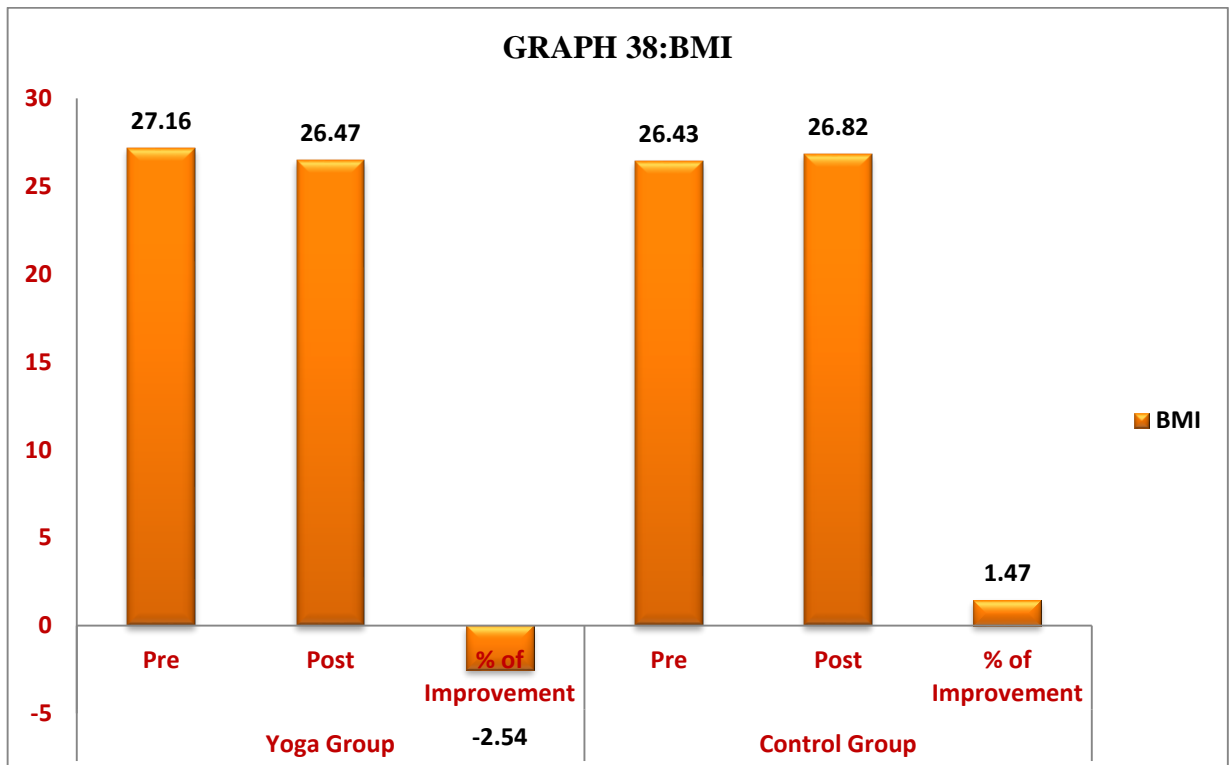
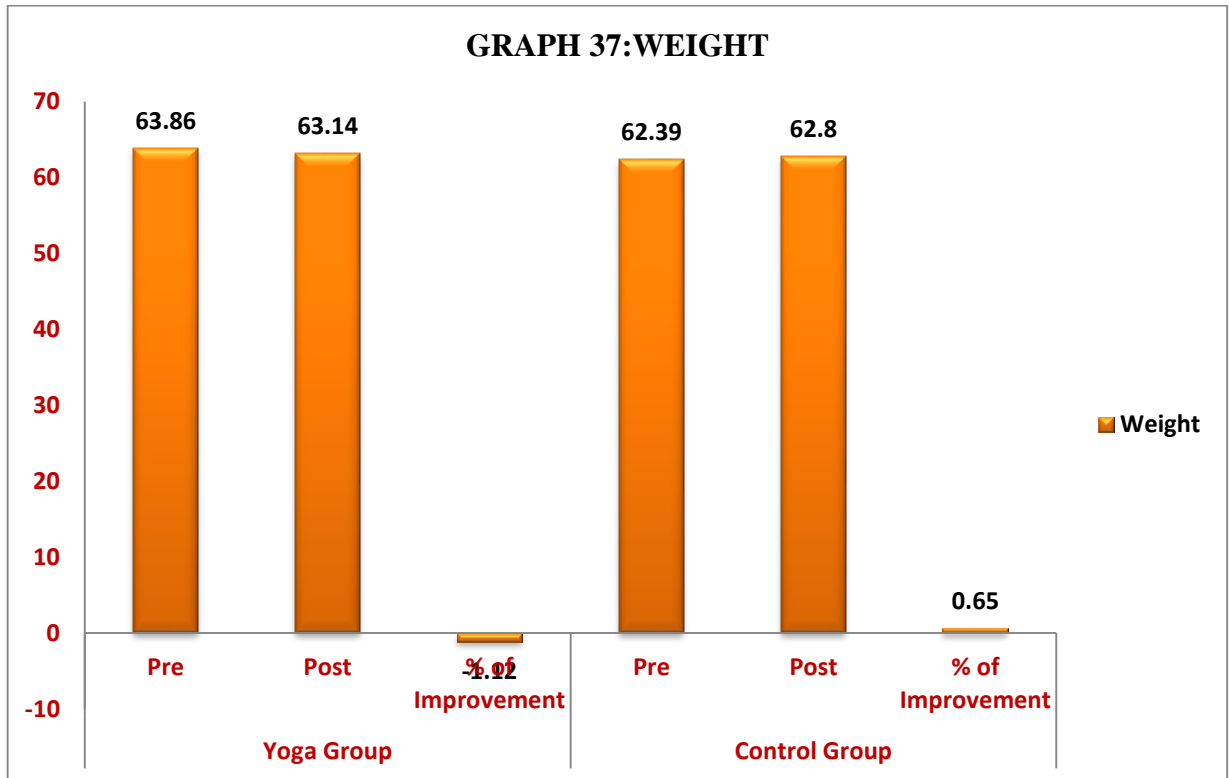


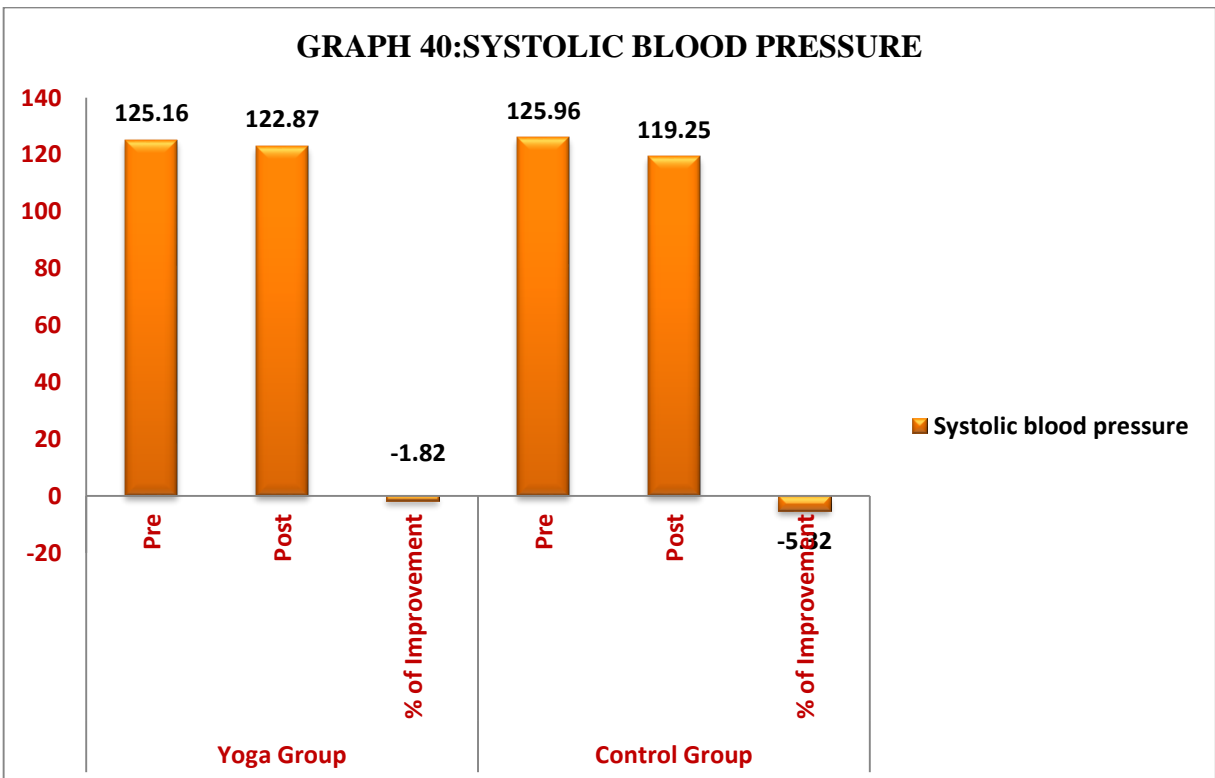
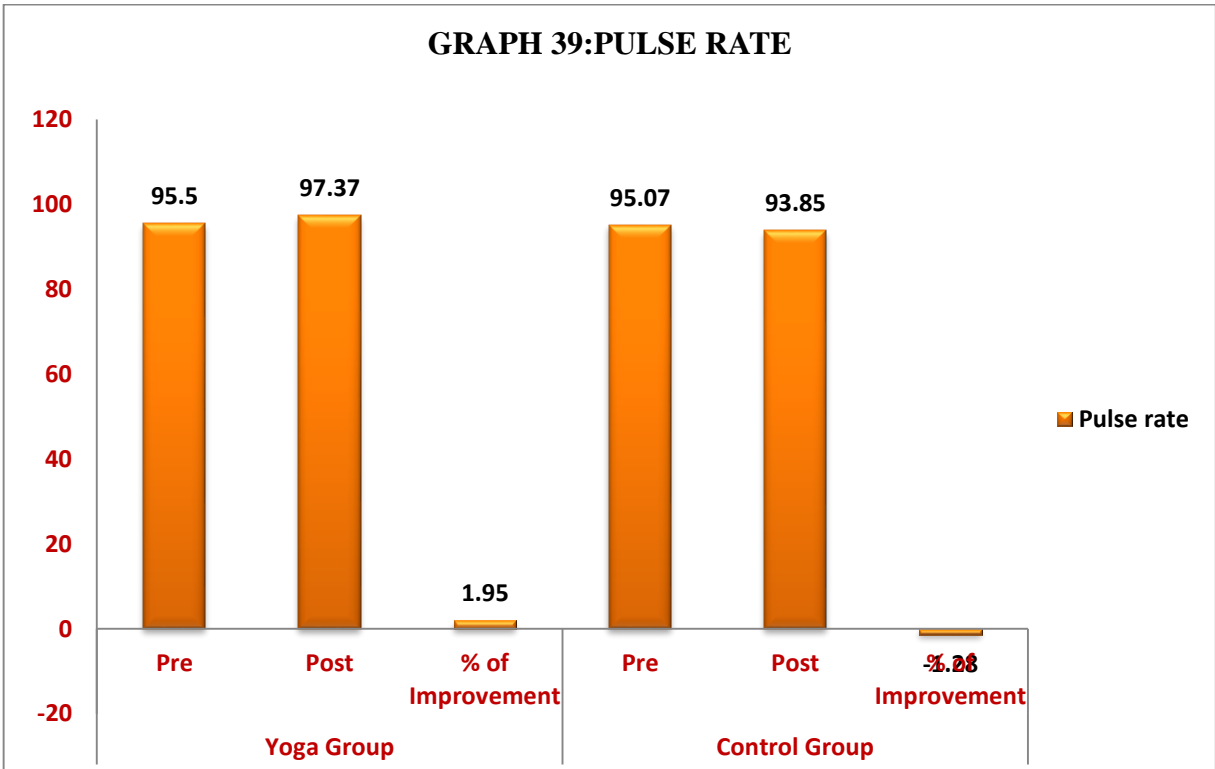
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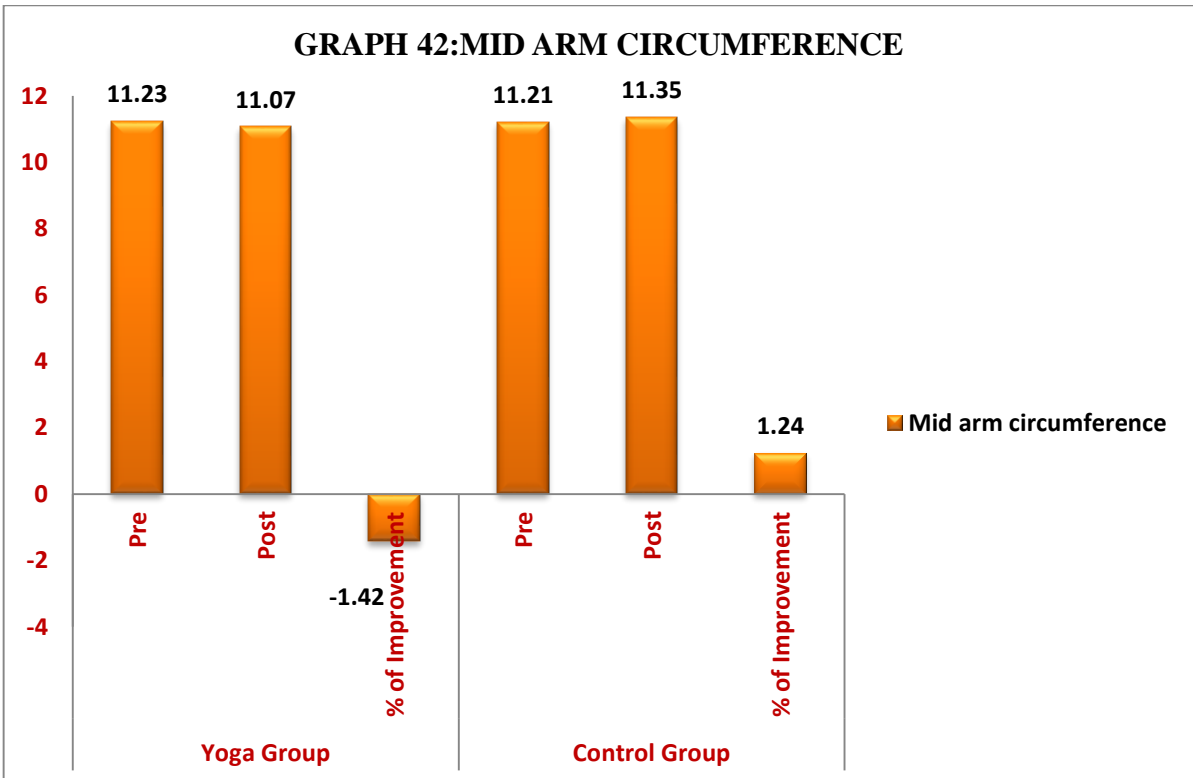
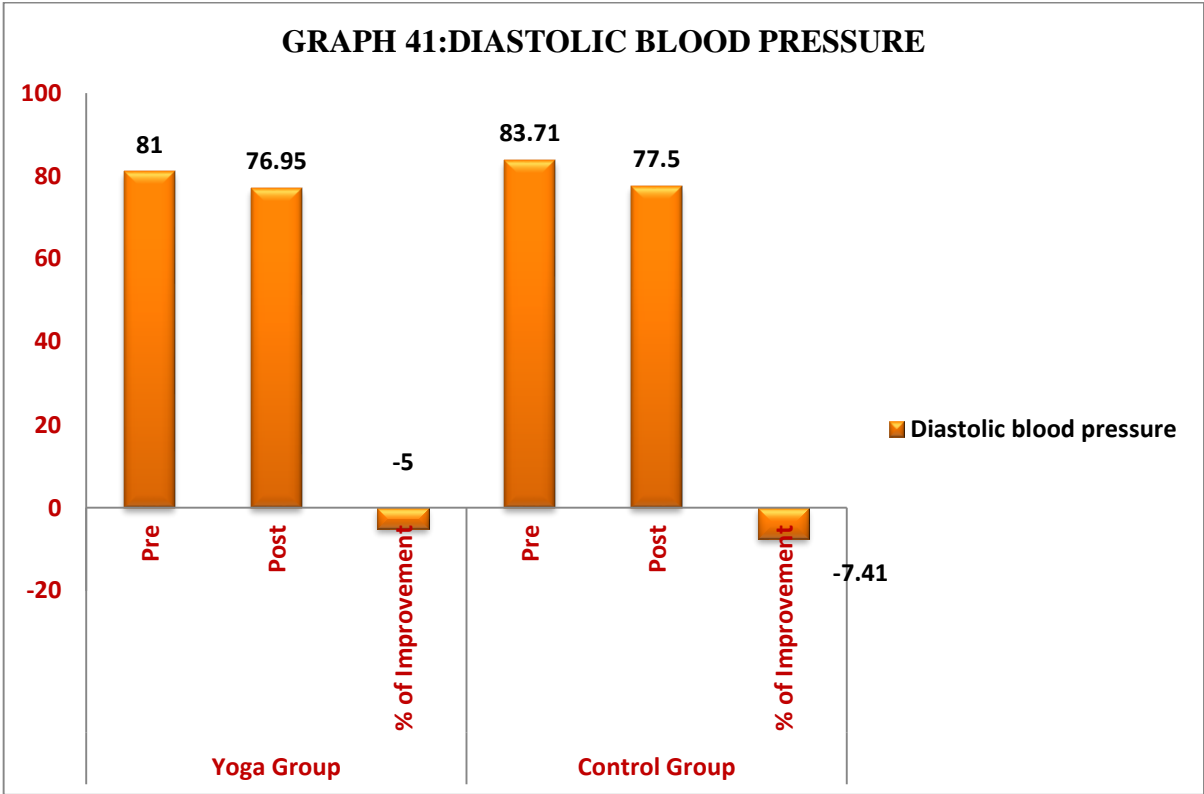
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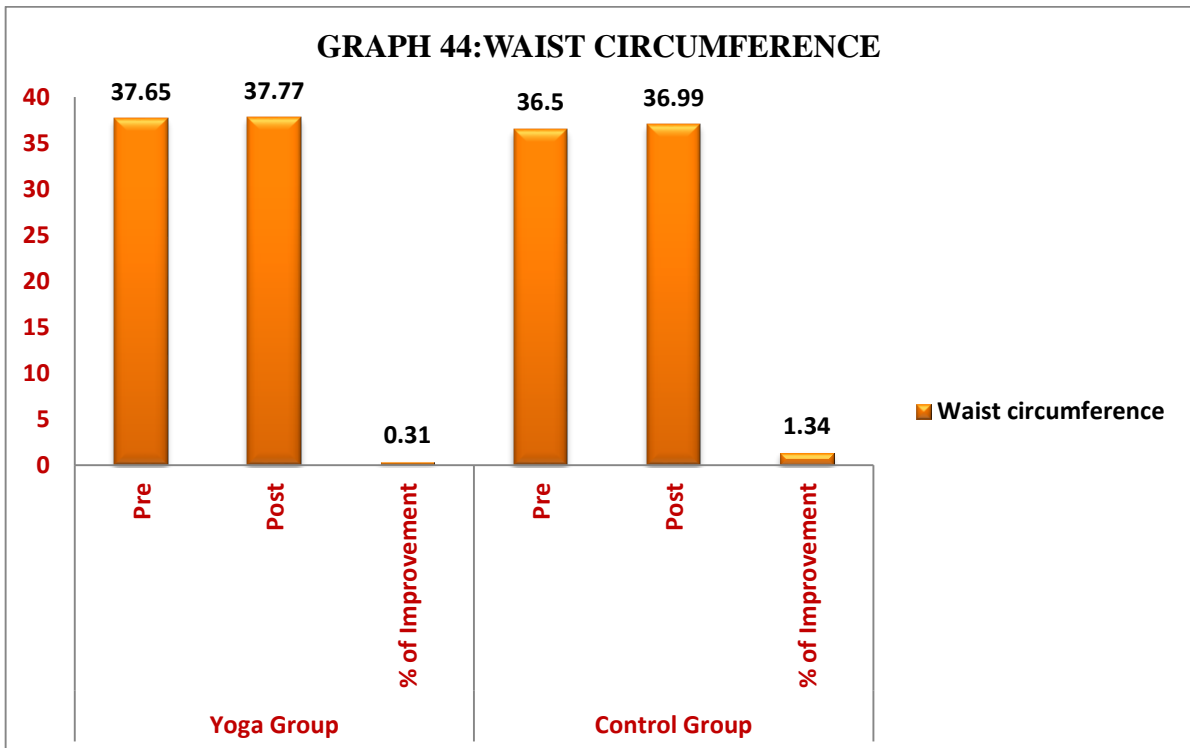
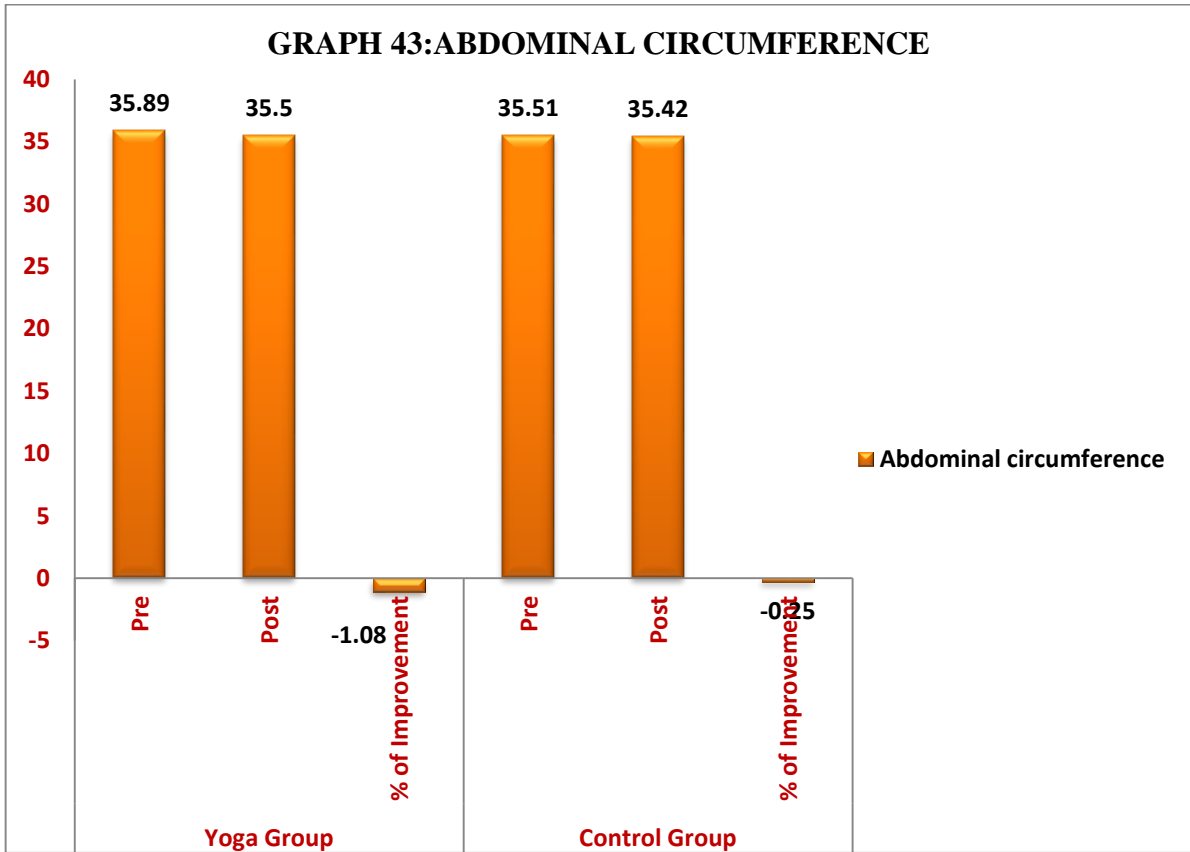


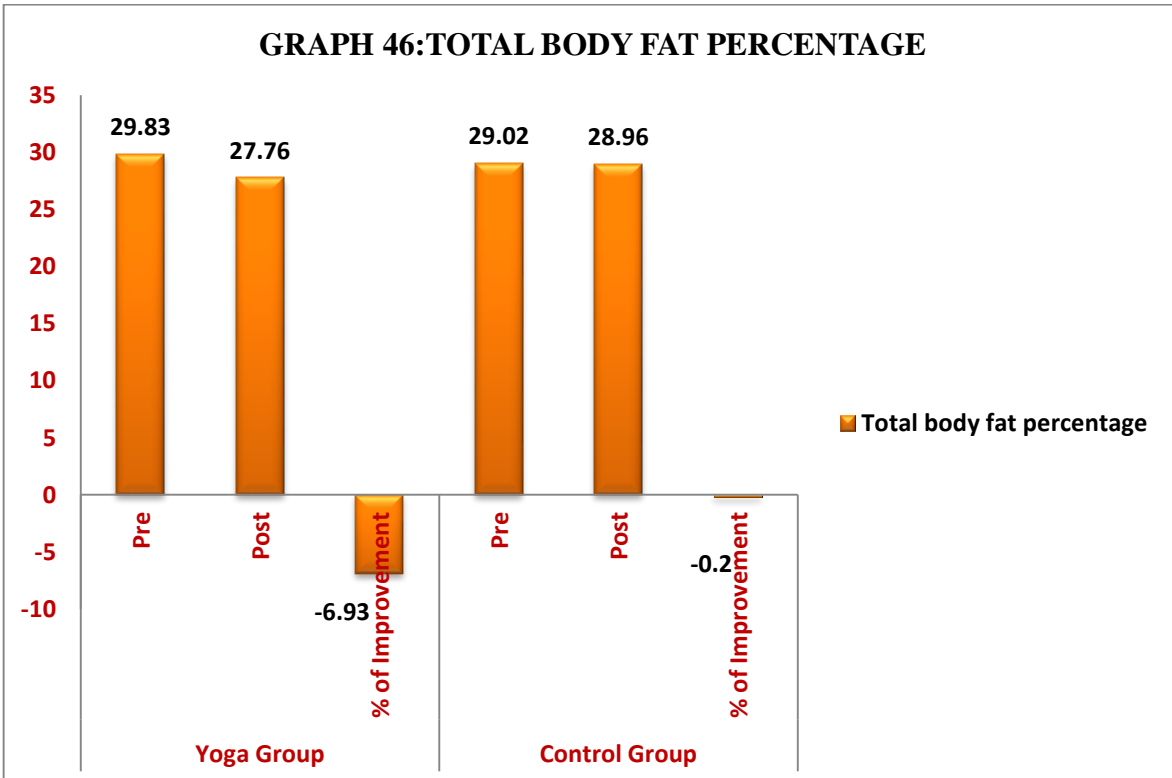
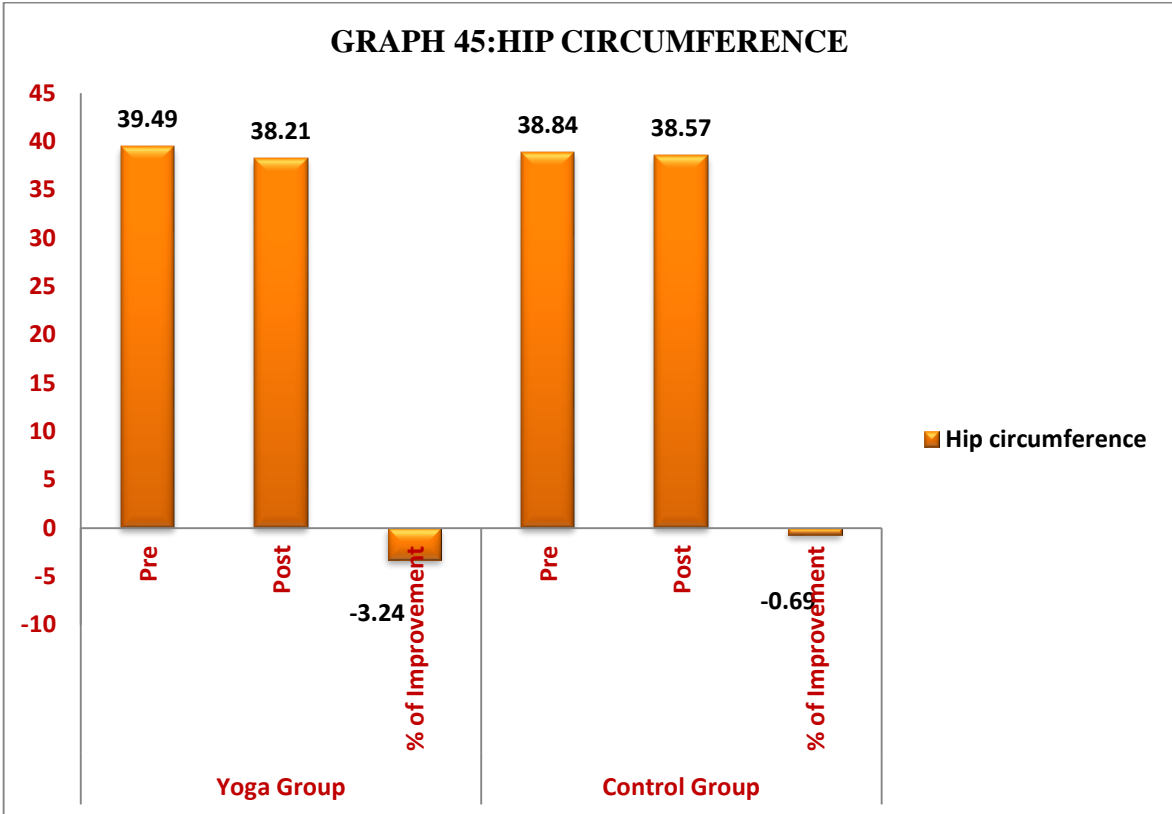
**RESULTS OF BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS PER VARIABLE**

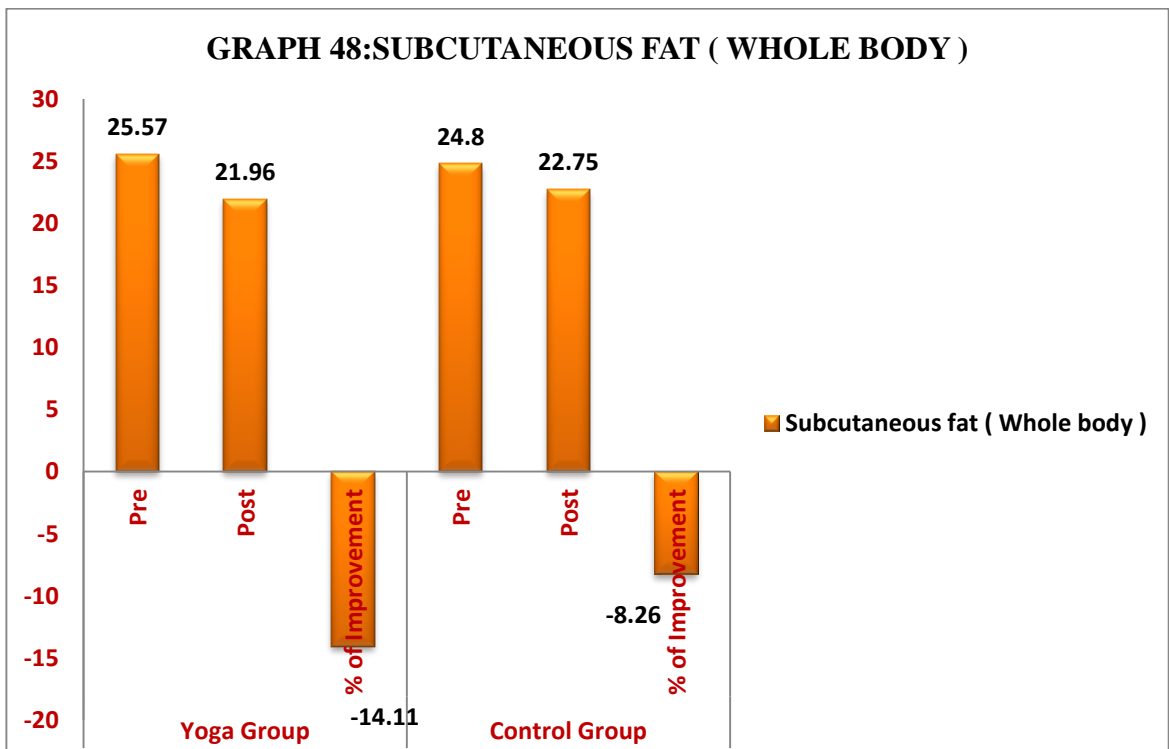
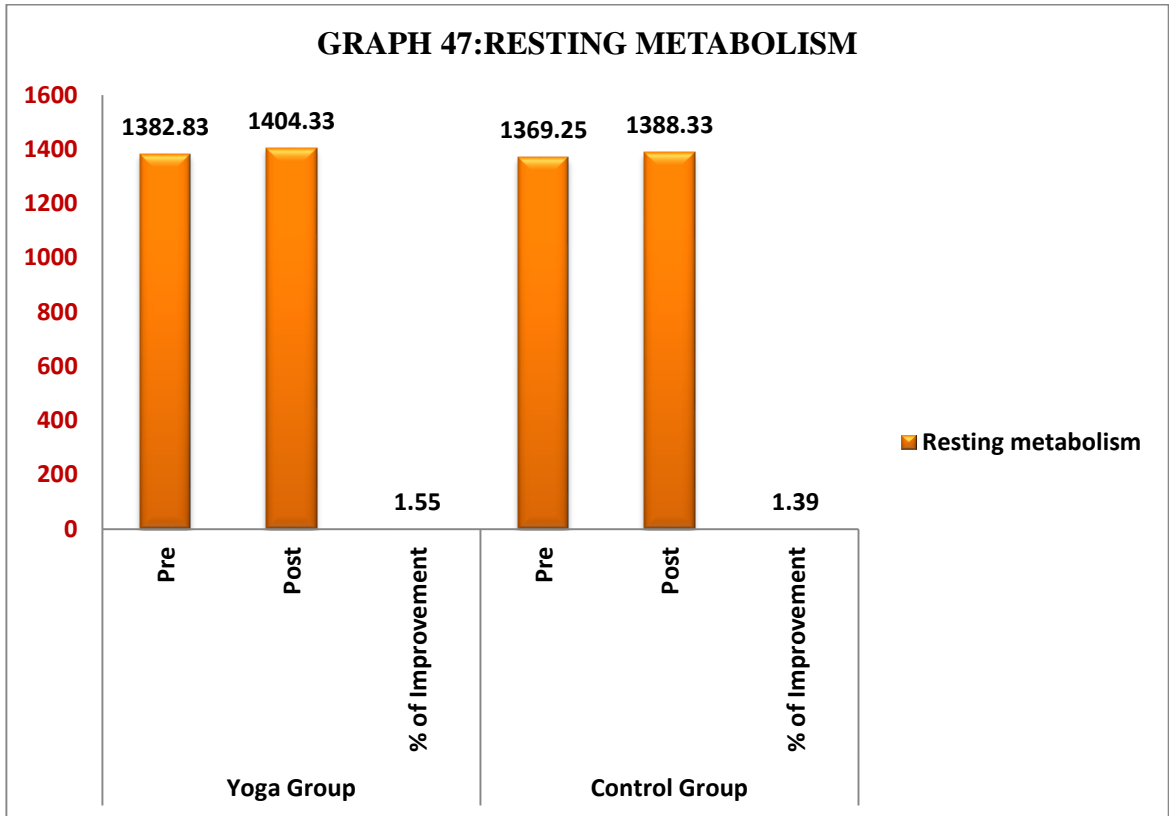


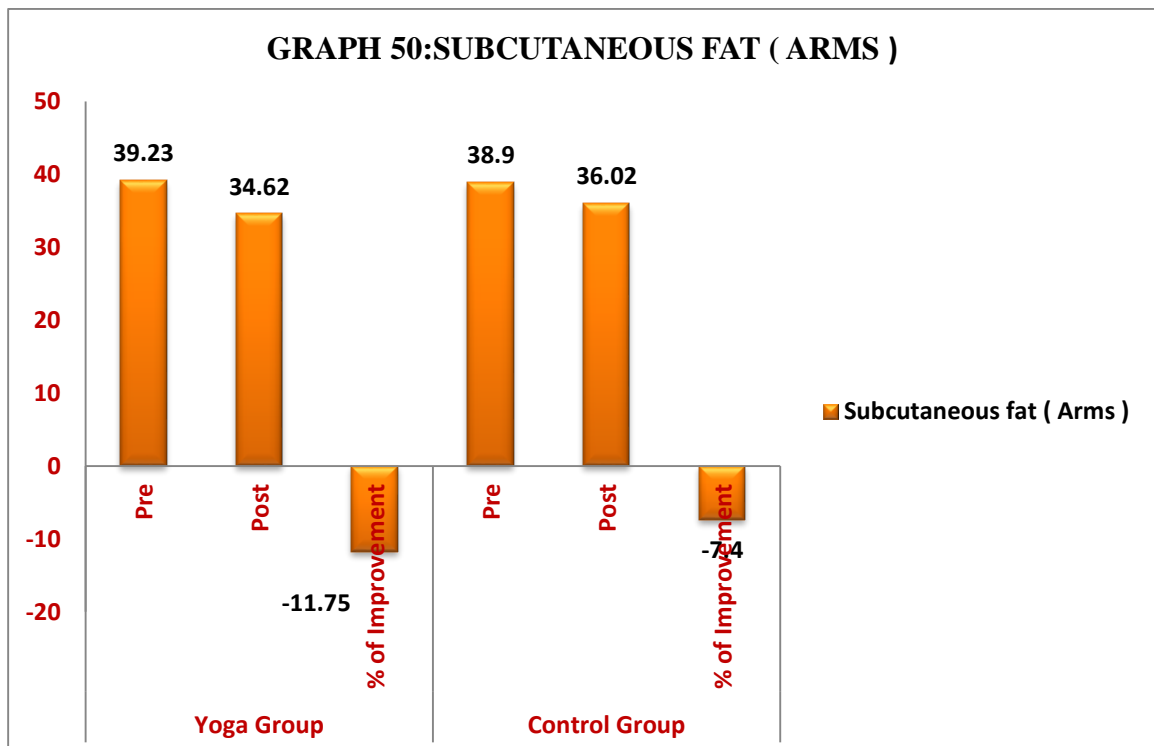
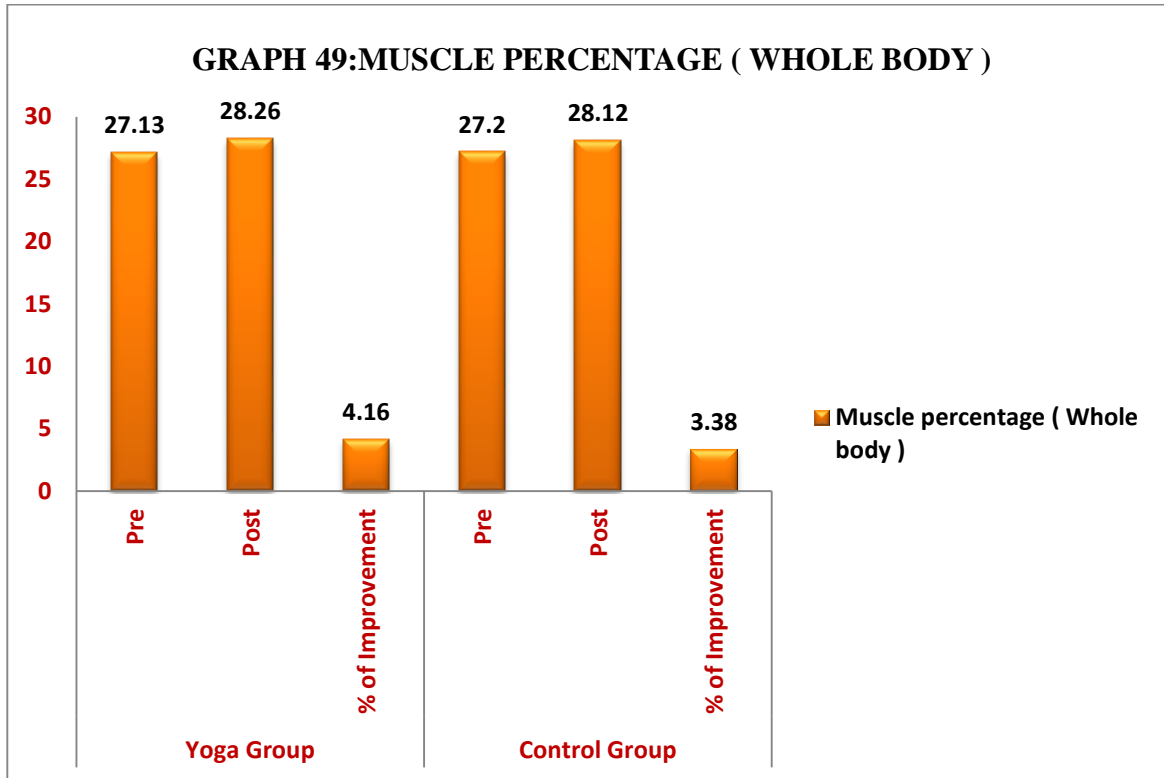


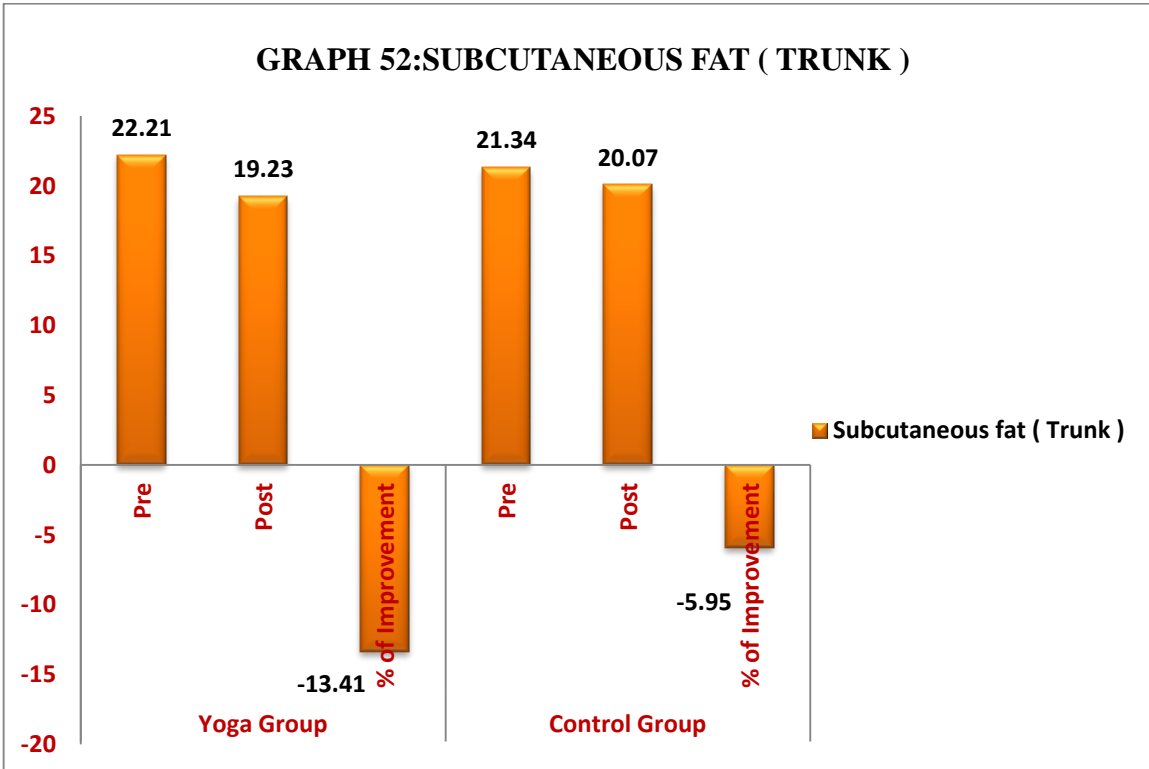
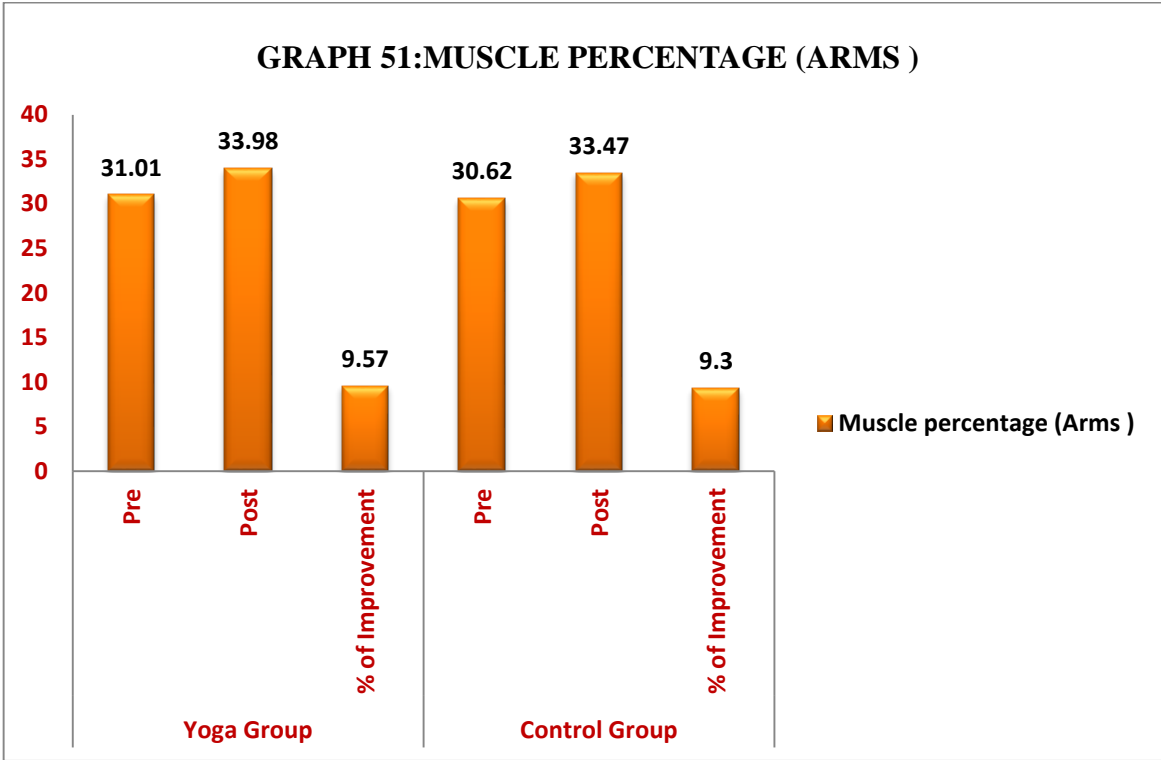


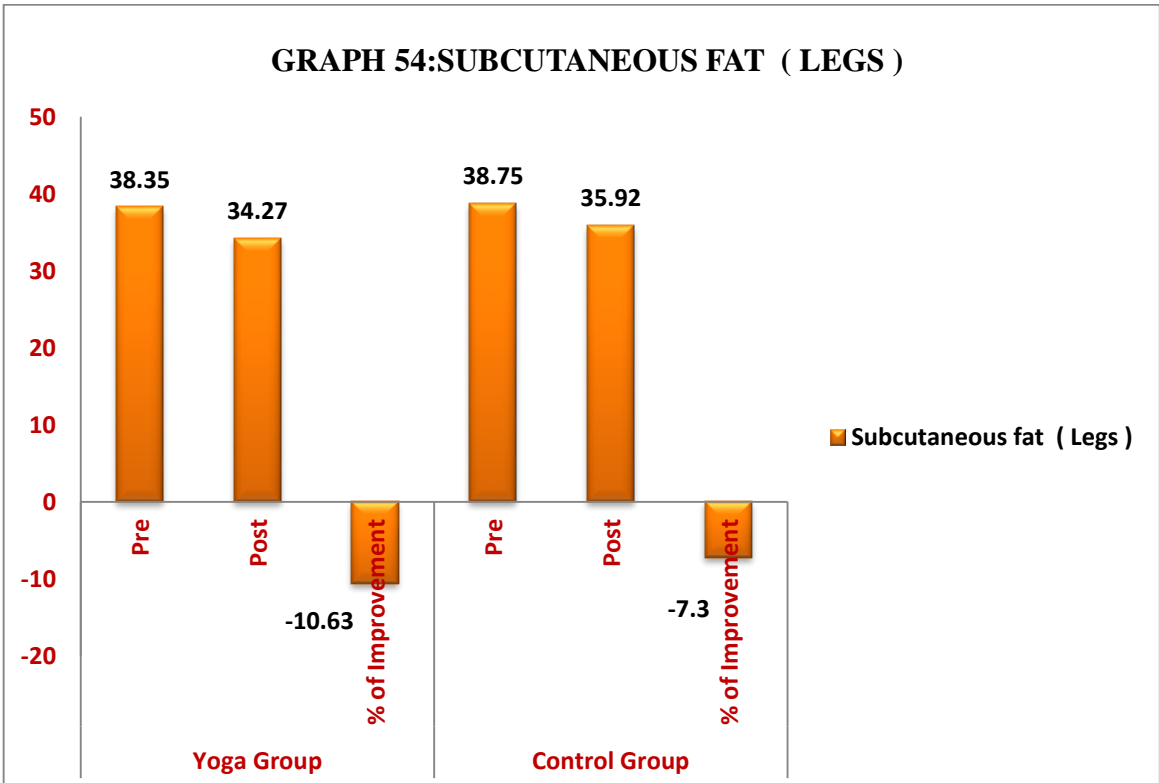
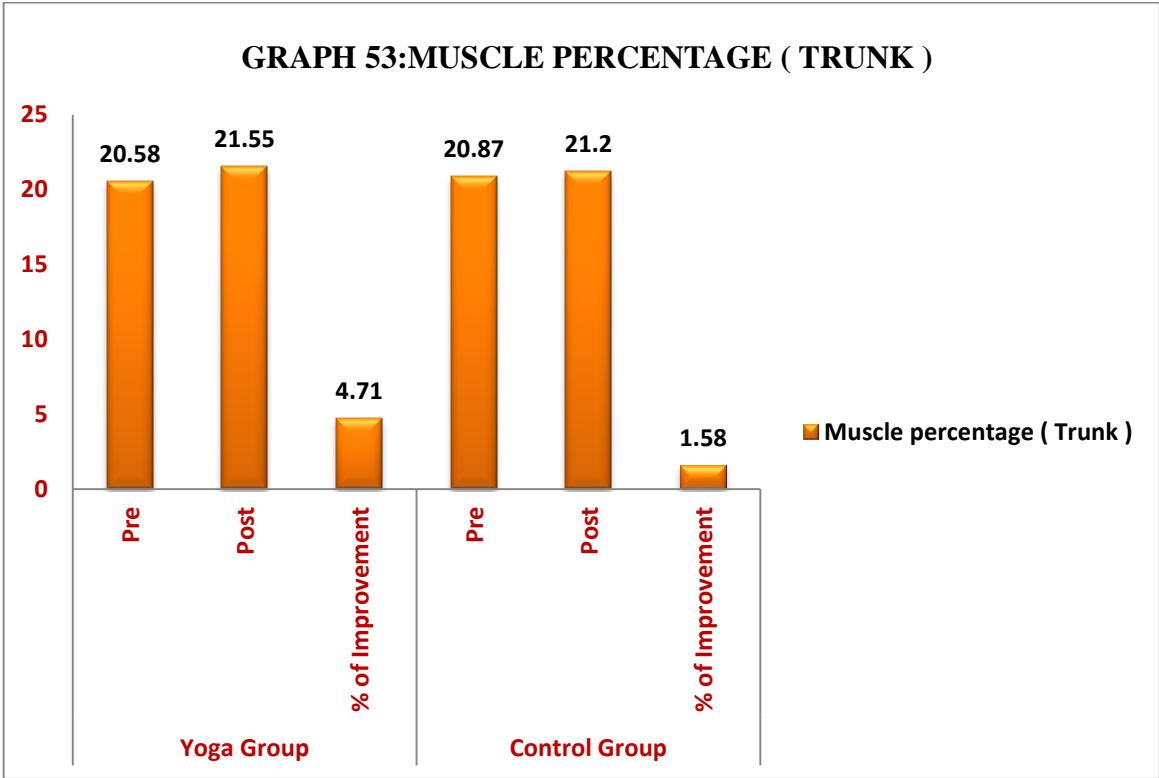


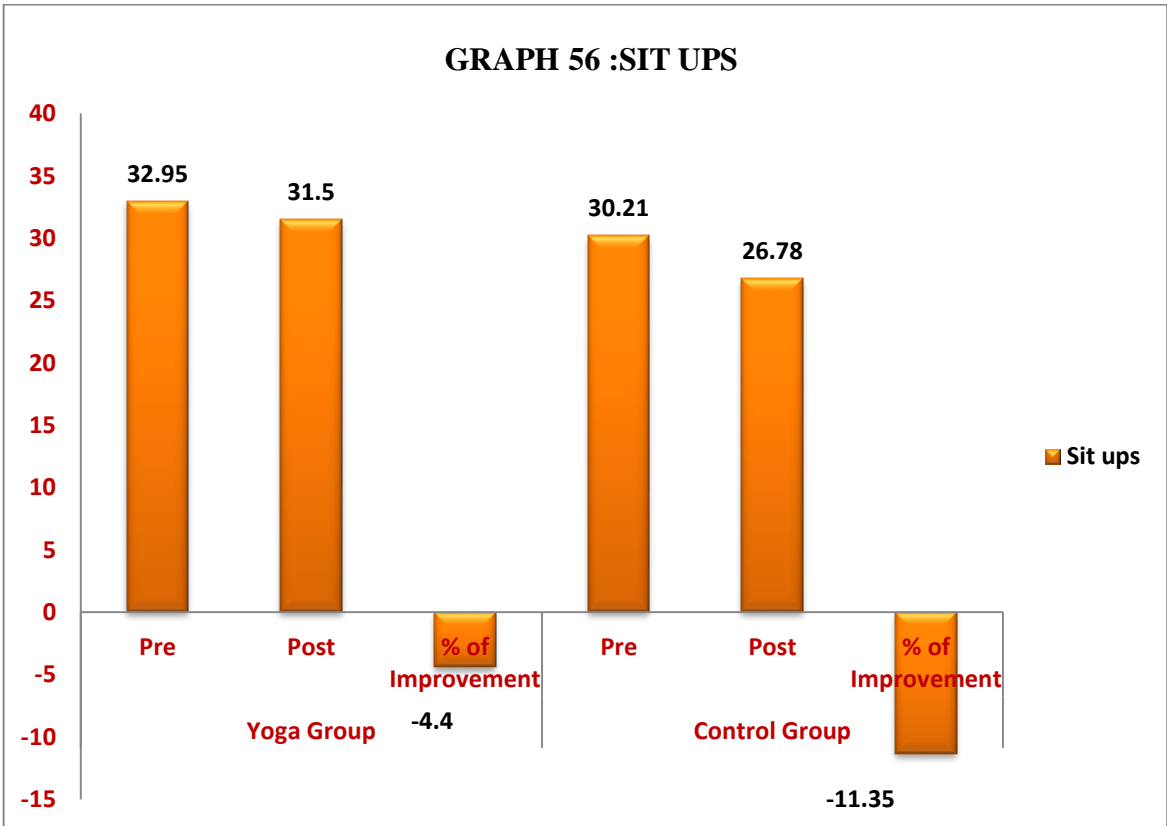
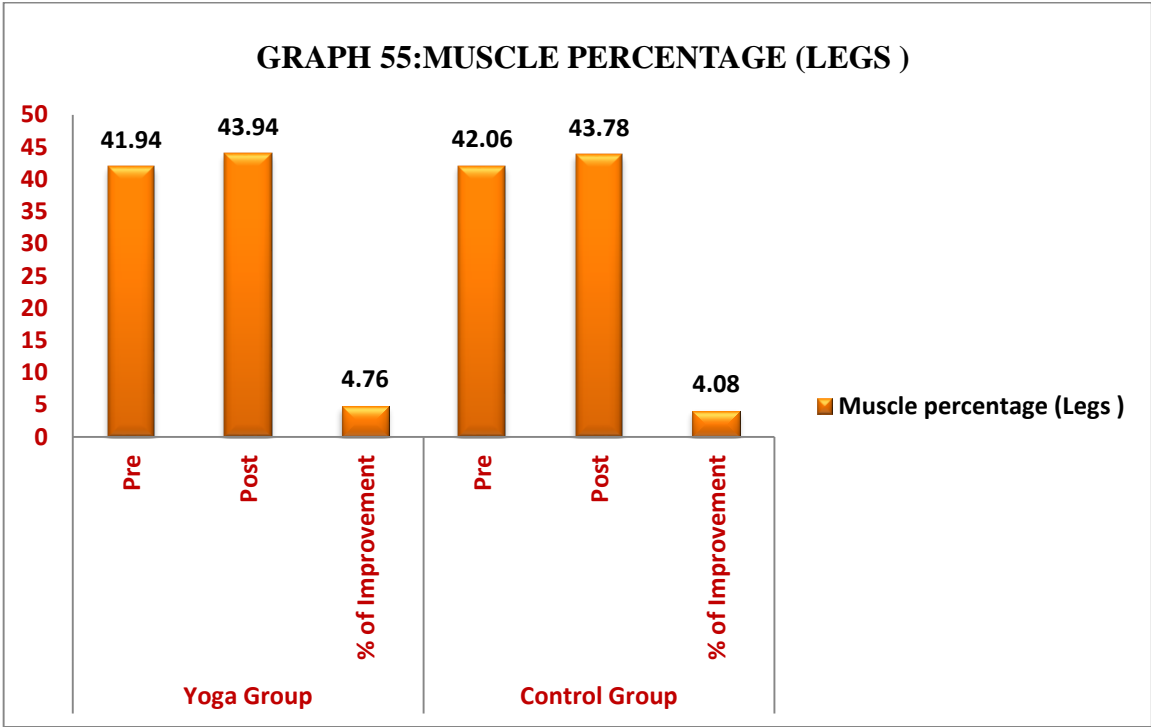




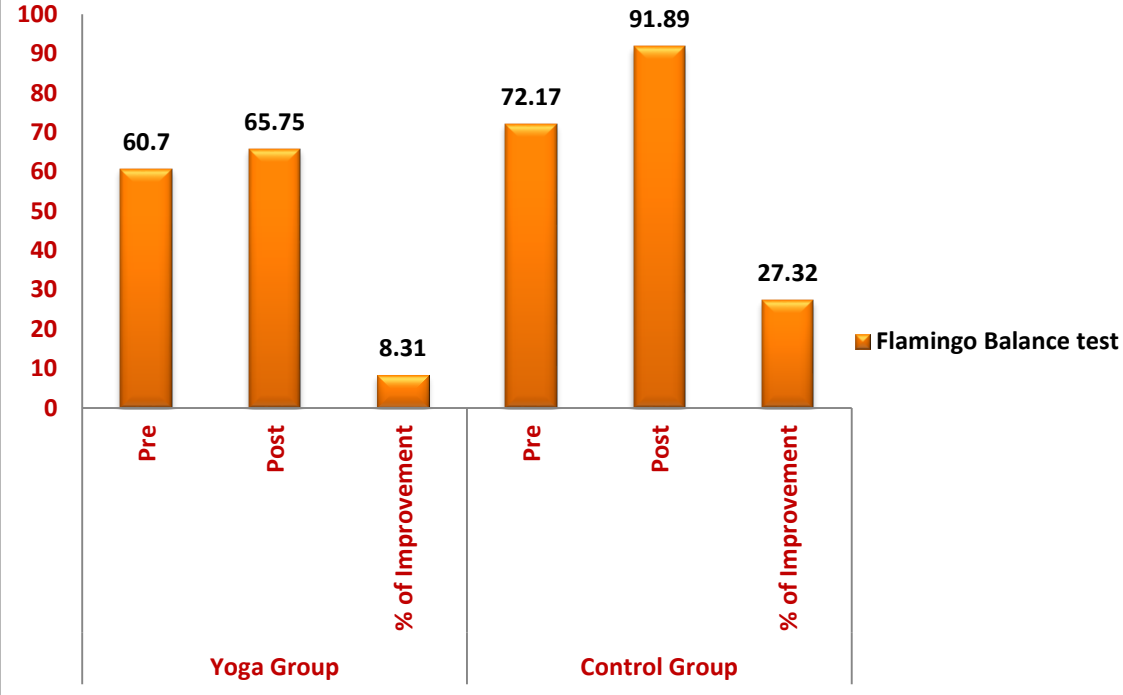








**GRAPH 57:FLAMINGO BALANCE TEST**



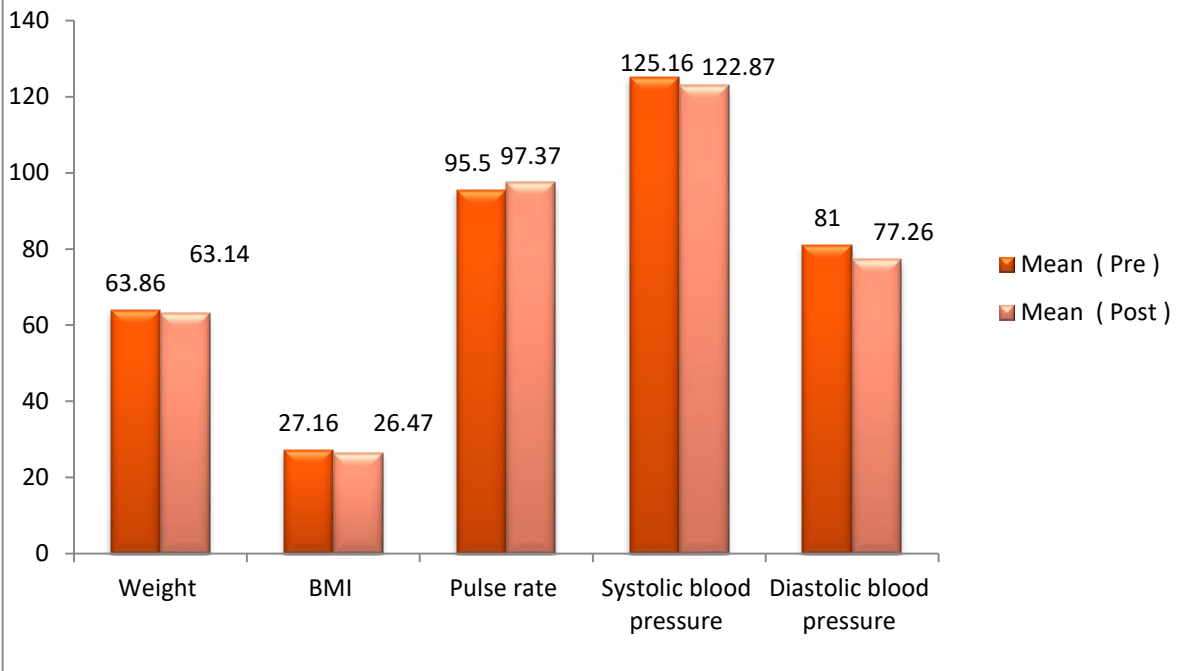
**TABLE 19**

**SHOWS RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF YOGA GROUP (n= 25).**

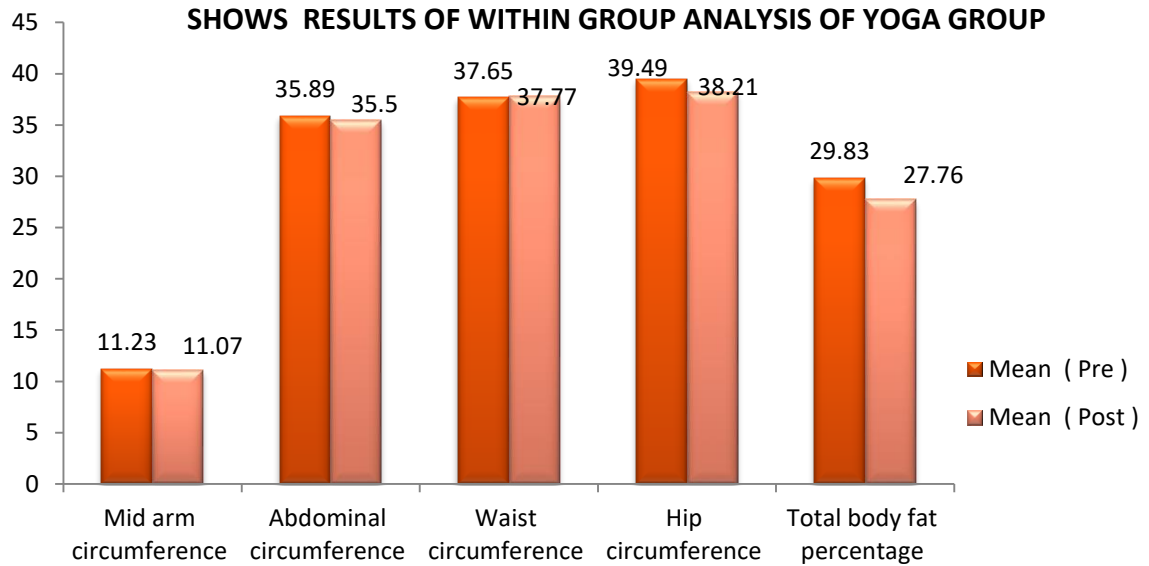
No.	Variable	Mean ( Pre )	Mean ( Post )	t / z value	p value
1	Weight	63.86 ± 15.52	63.14 ± 15.28	2.359 a	0.018*
2	BMI	27.16 ± 5.04	26.47 ± 4.85	3.344 a	0.001*
3	Pulse rate	95.5 ± 11.7	97.37 ± 14.48	0.529 a	0.597
4	Systolic blood pressure	125.16 ± 11.06	122.87 ± 13.42	1.037 a	0.3
5	Diastolic blood pressure	81 ± 6.83	77.26 ± 17.63	1.712 a	0.087
6	Mid arm circumference	11.23 ± 1.03	11.07 ± 0.93	0.716 a	0.474
7	Abdominal circumference	35.89 ± 3.69	35.5 ± 3.77	0.902 b	0.376
8	Waist circumference	37.65 ± 4.48	37.77 ± 4.81	0.602 b	0.553
9	Hip circumference	39.49 ± 4.63	38.21 ± 4.71	3.68 b	0.001*
10	Total body fat percentage	29.83 ± 3.46	27.76 ± 2.72	4.40 b	0.001*
11	Resting metabolism	1382.83 ± 205.34	1404.33 ± 263.73	1.33 a	0.183
12	Subcutaneous fat Whole body	25.57 ± 5.58	21.96 ± 4.32	2.57 a	0.01∞
13	Muscle per% Whole body )	27.13 ± 3.51	28.26 ± 2.89	1.77 b	0.076
14	Subcutaneous fat ( Arms )	39.23 ± 8.58	34.62 ± 6.47	2.315 a	0.021∞
15	Muscle percentage (Arms )	31.01 ± 6.78	33.98 ± 5.07	2.032 a	0.042∞
16	Subcutaneous fat ( Trunk )	22.21 ± 5.35	19.23 ± 3.29	3.085 b	0.005∞
17	Muscle percentage ( Trunk )	20.58 ± 2.97	21.55 ± 2.20	2.480 b	0.021∞
18	Subcutaneous fat ( Legs )	38.35 ± 8.27	34.27 ± 6.29	2.307 b	0.03∞
19	Muscle percentage (Legs )	41.94 ± 5.21	43.94 ± 4.65	1.359b	0.187
20	Sit ups	32.95 ± 7.02	31.5 ± 9.38	0.582 b	0.566
21	Flamingo Balance test	60.70 ± 37.07	65.75 ± 38.48	1.845 a	0.065

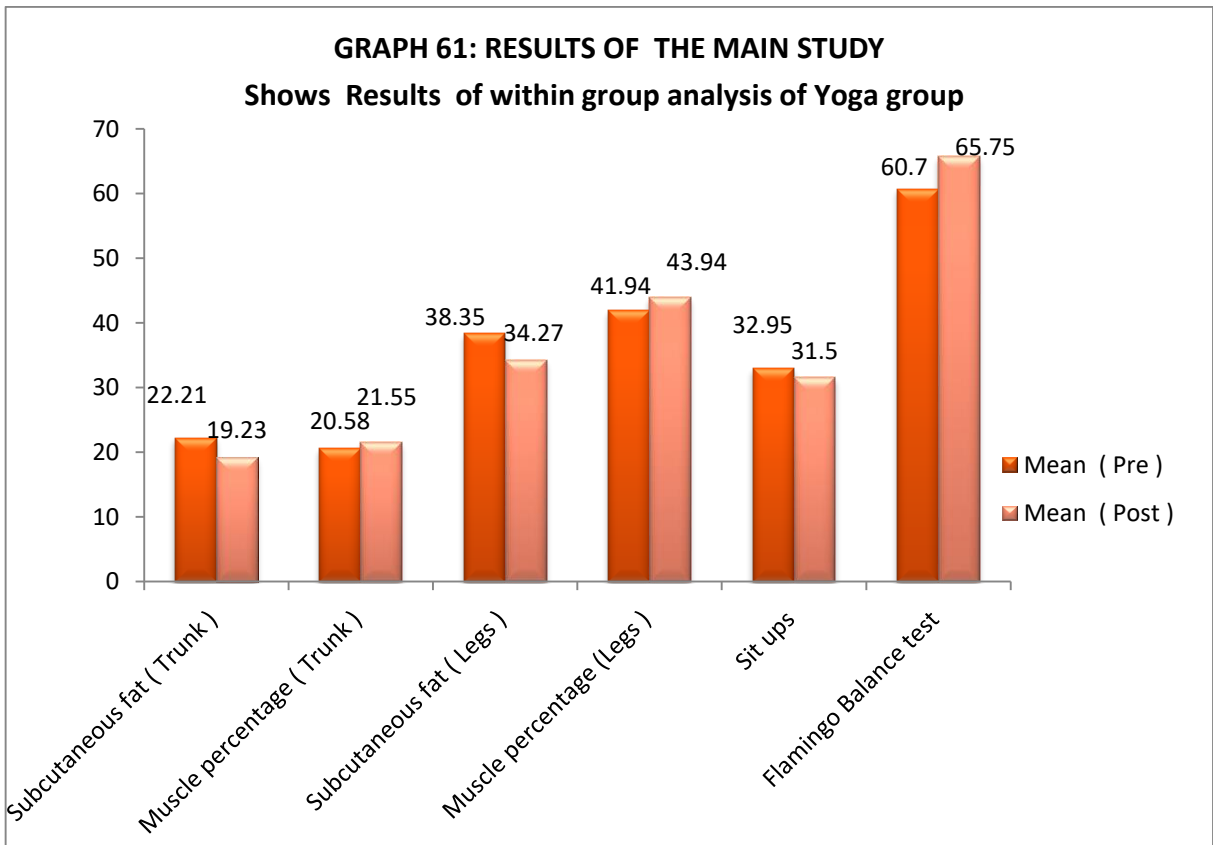
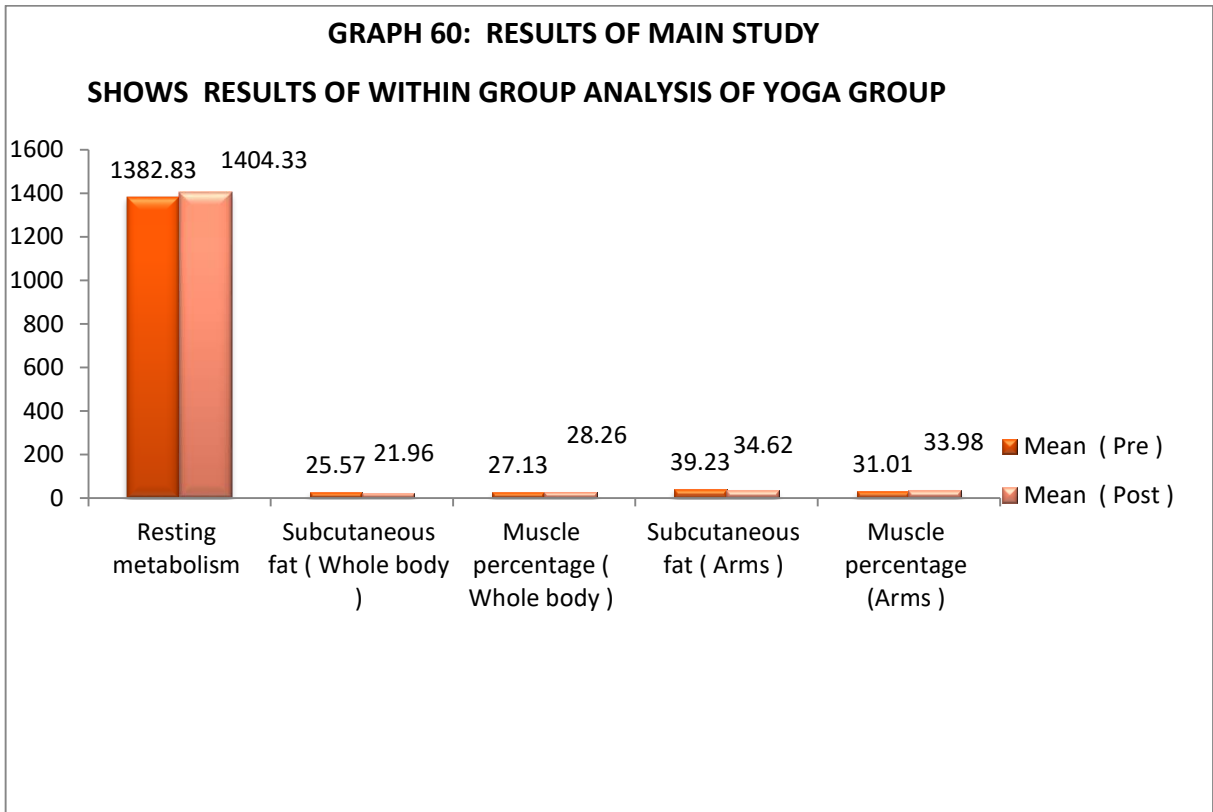
\* Significance at 0.01 ∞ Significance at 0.05  
a Wilcox test                      b Paired sample t test

**GRAPH- 58: RESULTS OF MAIN STUDY**  
**SHOWS RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF YOGA GROUP**



**GRAPH-59: RESULTS OF MAIN STUDY**  
**SHOWS RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF YOGA GROUP**





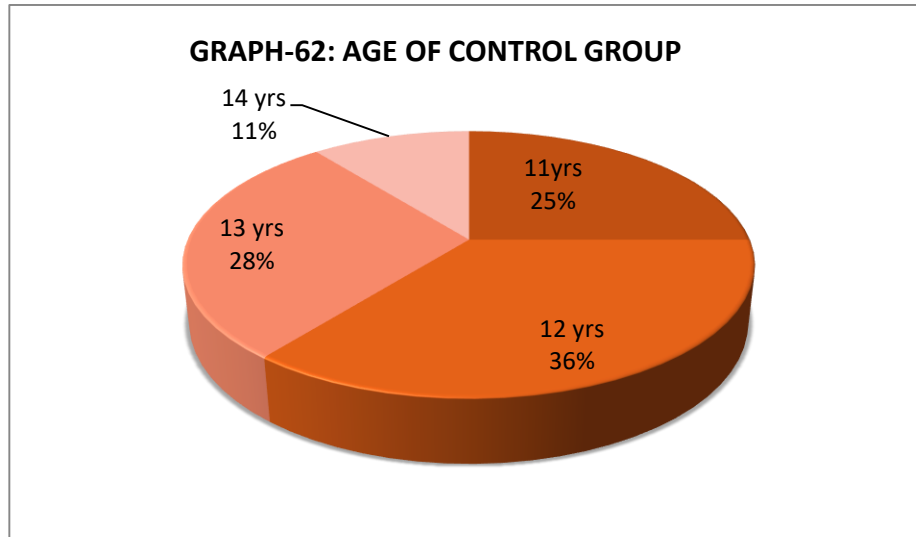
Hip circumference ( $p = 0.001$ ), total body fat percentage ( $p = 0.001$ ), trunk subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.005$ ) and legs subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.03$ ) reduced significantly whereas abdominal circumference ( $p = 0.376$ ) reduced but without significance. Trunk muscle percentage ( $p = 0.021$ ) increased significantly. Waist circumference ( $p = 0.553$ ) increased but without significance. Whole body muscle percentage ( $p = 0.076$ ) and legs muscle percentage ( $p = 0.187$ ) increased but without significance. Number of sit ups per minute ( $p = 0.566$ ) is decreased but without significance.

Parameters like weight, BMI, mid arm circumference, pulse rate, systolic blood pressure, diastolic blood pressure, resting metabolism, whole body subcutaneous fat, arm subcutaneous fat, arm muscle percentage and flamingo balance test were not normally distributed. Weight ( $p = 0.018$ ), BMI ( $p = 0.001$ ), whole body subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.01$ ), arm subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.021$ ) reduced significantly whereas systolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.30$ ), diastolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.087$ ) and mid arm circumference ( $p = 0.474$ ) reduced but without significance. Muscle percentage of arms ( $p = 0.042$ ) increased significantly whereas pulse rate ( $p = 0.597$ ), Flamingo balance test ( $p = 0.065$ ) increased but without significance.

Results of within group analysis of Control group are given in Table. Parameters like abdominal circumference, waist circumference, hip circumference, total body fat percentage, trunk subcutaneous fat, trunk muscle percentage, legs subcutaneous fat, legs muscle percentage and sit ups per minute were normally distributed. Number of sit ups per minute ( $p = 0.023$ ) decreased significantly whereas abdominal circumference ( $p = 0.730$ ), hip circumference ( $p = 0.226$ ), total body fat percentage ( $p = 0.876$ ), trunk subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.186$ ) and legs subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.162$ ) reduced but without significance. Waist circumference ( $p = 0.244$ ), trunk muscle percentage ( $p = 0.427$ ) and legs muscle percentage ( $p = 0.270$ ) increased but without significance.

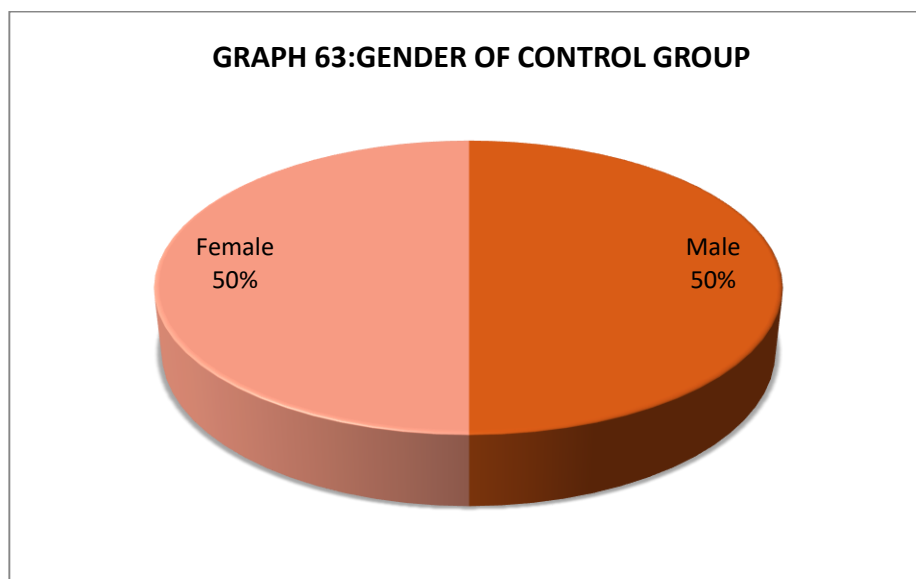
In Control Group, age of participants was as follows:-

Age	No of Participants
11yrs	7
12 yrs	10
13 yrs	8
14 yrs	3



In Control Group, 14 male & 14 female participants were there.

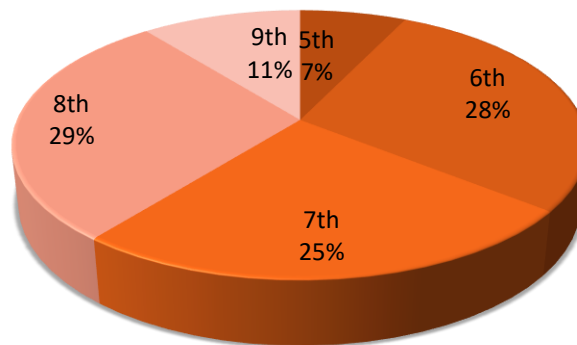
Gender	No of Participants
Male	14
Female	14



In Control Group, no. of participants in each standard was as follows:-

STANDARD	No of Participants
5th	2
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8th	8
9th	3

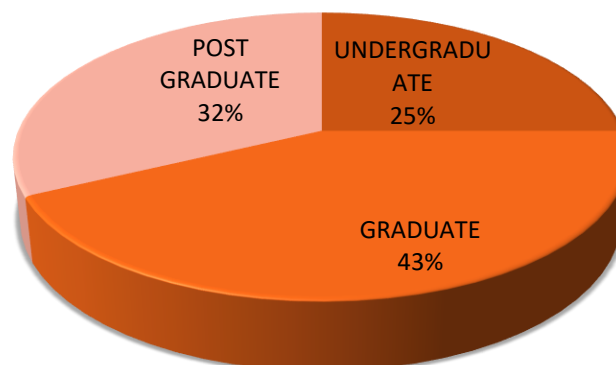
**GRAPH 64: STANDARD OF CONTROL GROUP**



In Control Group, status of parent education was as follows:-

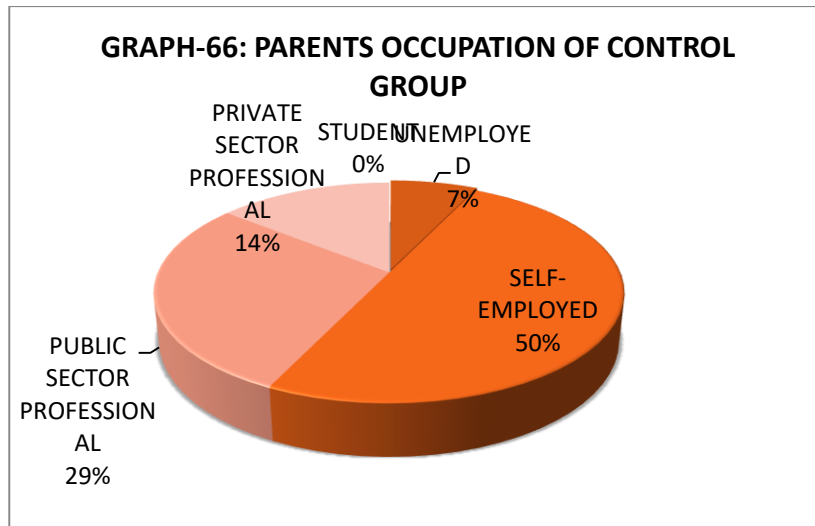
Parent Education	No of Participants
UNDERGRADUATE	7
GRADUATE	12
POST GRADUATE	9

**GRAPH 65: PARENTS EDUCATION OF CONTROL GROUP**



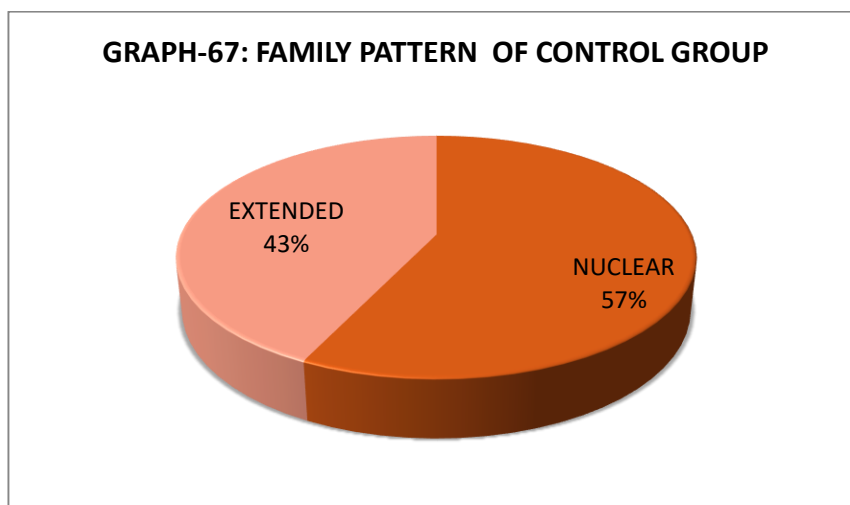
In Control Group, status of parent occupation was as follows:-

OCCUPATION	No of Participants
STUDENT	0
UNEMPLOYED	2
SELF-EMPLOYED	14
PUBLIC SECTOR PROFESSIONAL	8
PRIVATE SECTOR PROFESSIONAL	4



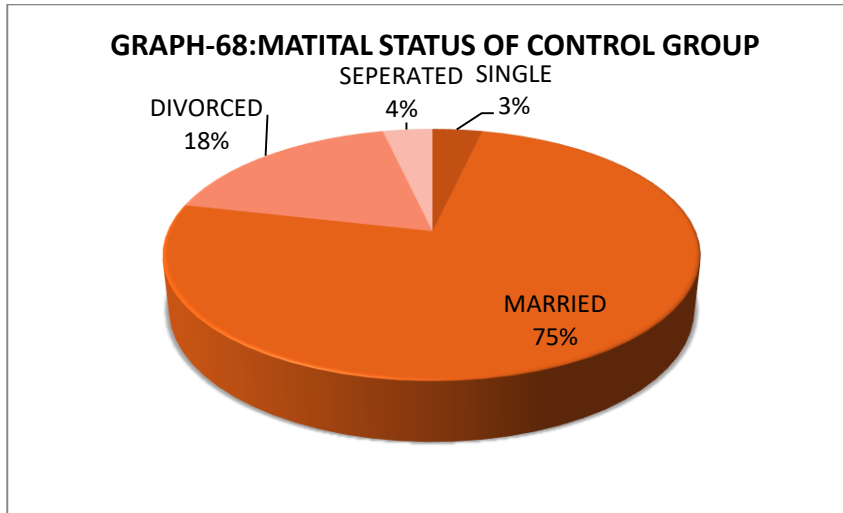
In Control Group, status of family was as follows:-

Family status	No of Participants
NUCLEAR	16
EXTENDED	12



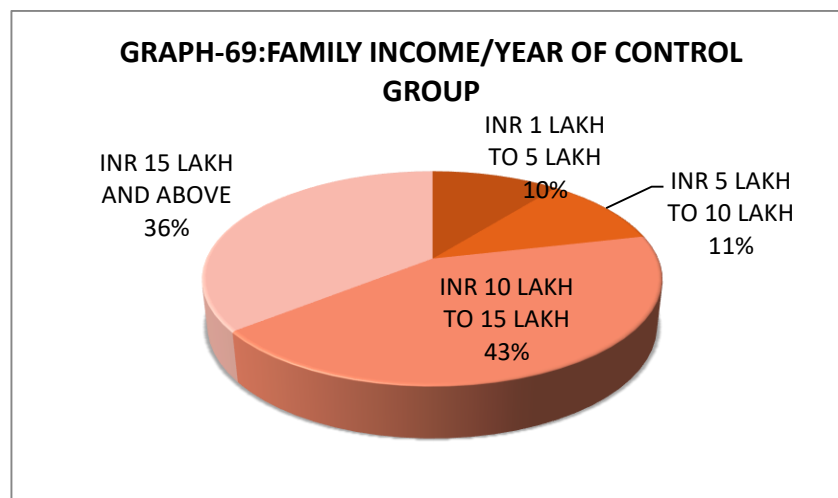
In Control Group, marital status of parents:

MARITAL STATUS	No of Participants
<b>SINGLE</b>	1
<b>MARRIED</b>	21
<b>DIVORCED</b>	5
<b>SEPERATED</b>	1



In Control Group, family income was as follows:-

FAMILY INCOME/YEAR	No of Participants
<b>INR 1 LAKH TO 5 LAKH - 1</b>	3
<b>INR 5 LAKH TO 10 LAKH - 2</b>	3
<b>INR 10 LAKH TO 15 LAKH - 3</b>	12
<b>INR 15 LAKH AND ABOVE - 4</b>	10



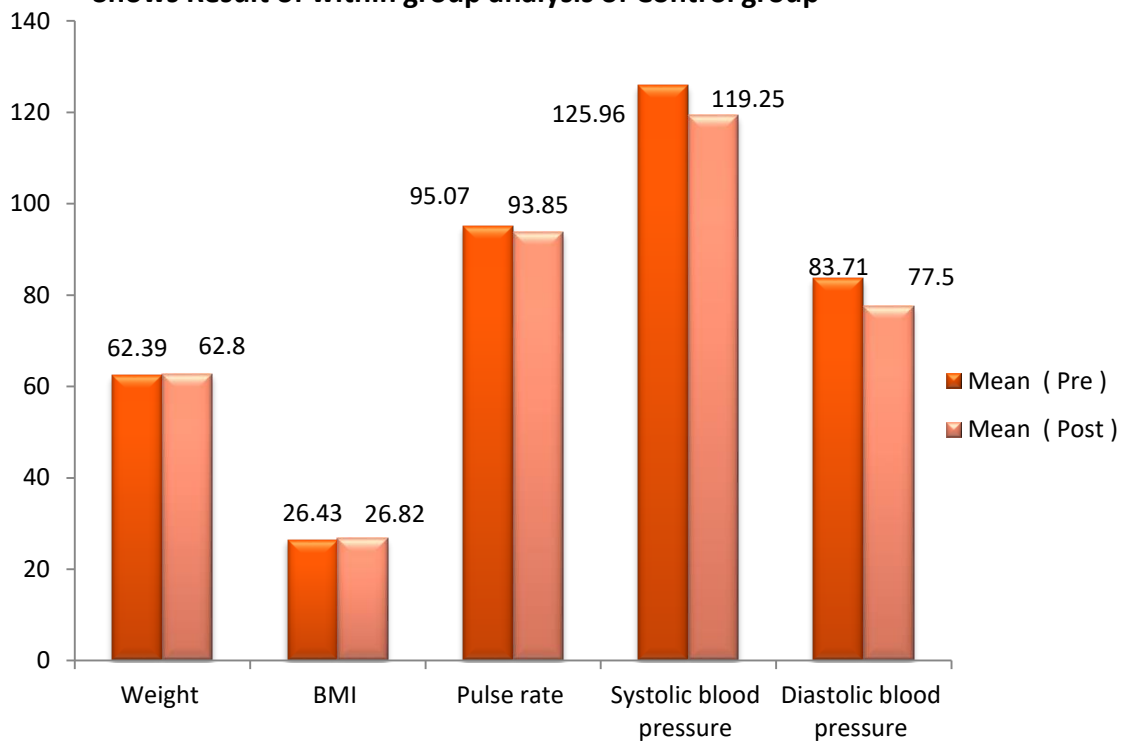
**TABLE -20**

**SHOWS RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF CONTROL GROUP (n= 28)**

No	Variable	Mean Pre value	Mean Post value	t value	p value
1	Weight	62.39 ± 14.21	62.8 ± 14.73	1.646 a	0.1
2	BMI	26.43 ± 3.53	26.82 ± 3.58	0.108 a	0.914
3	Pulse rate	95.07 ± 12.77	93.85 ± 11.31	0.781 a	0.435
4	Systolic blood pressure	125.96 ± 18.54	119.25 ± 13.68	2.596 a	0.009∞
5	Diastolic blood pressure	83.71 ± 9.78	77.5 ± 8.05	2.90 a	0.004∞
6	Mid arm circumference	11.21 ± 1.37	11.35 ± 1.42	1.160 a	0.246
7	Abdominal circumference	35.51 ± 3.27	35.42 ± 3.28	0.348 b	0.73
8	Waist circumference	36.50 ± 3.01	36.99 ± 3.67	1.192b	0.244
9	Hip circumference	38.84 ± 3.71	38.57 ± 3.93	1.240 b	0.226
10	Total body fat percentage	29.02 ± 2.65	28.96 ± 2.17	0.157 b	0.876
11	Resting metabolism	1369.25 ± 218.60	1388.33 ± 238.43	1.287 a	0.198
12	Subcutaneous fat Whole body	24.80 ± 5.11	22.75 ± 4.56	1.150 a	0.25
13	Muscle percentage Whole bod	27.20 ± 3.06	28.12 ± 2.93	1.059 a	0.29
14	Subcutaneous fat ( Arms )	38.90 ± 8.16	36.02 ± 7.03	0.997 a	0.319
15	Muscle percentage (Arms )	30.62 ± 7.27	33.47 ± 6.61	1.261 a	0.207
16	Subcutaneous fat ( Trunk )	21.34 ± 4.32	20.07 ± 3.52	1.359 b	0.186
17	Muscle percentage ( Trunk )	20.87 ± 2.40	21.2 ± 2.08	0.806 b	0.427
18	Subcutaneous fat ( Legs )	38.75 ± 8.81	35.92 ± 7.71	1.439 b	0.162
19	Muscle percentage (Legs )	42.06 ± 4.94	43.78 ± 4.95	1.128b	0.27
20	Sit ups	30.21 ± 8.74	26.78 ± 7.36	2.419 b	0.023∞
21	Flamingo Balance test	72.17 ± 56.41	91.89 ± 58.65	1.173 a	0.241
∞ Significance at 0.05 a Wilcoxn Test b Paired Ssample t test					

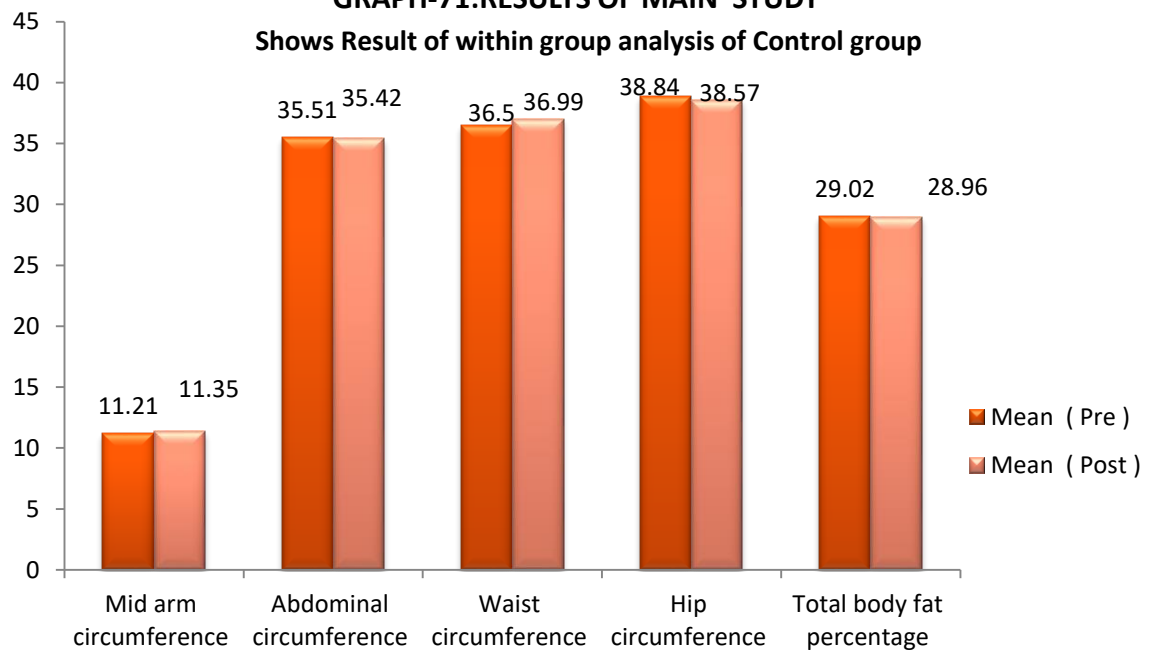
**GRAPH - 70: RESULTS OF MAIN STUDY**

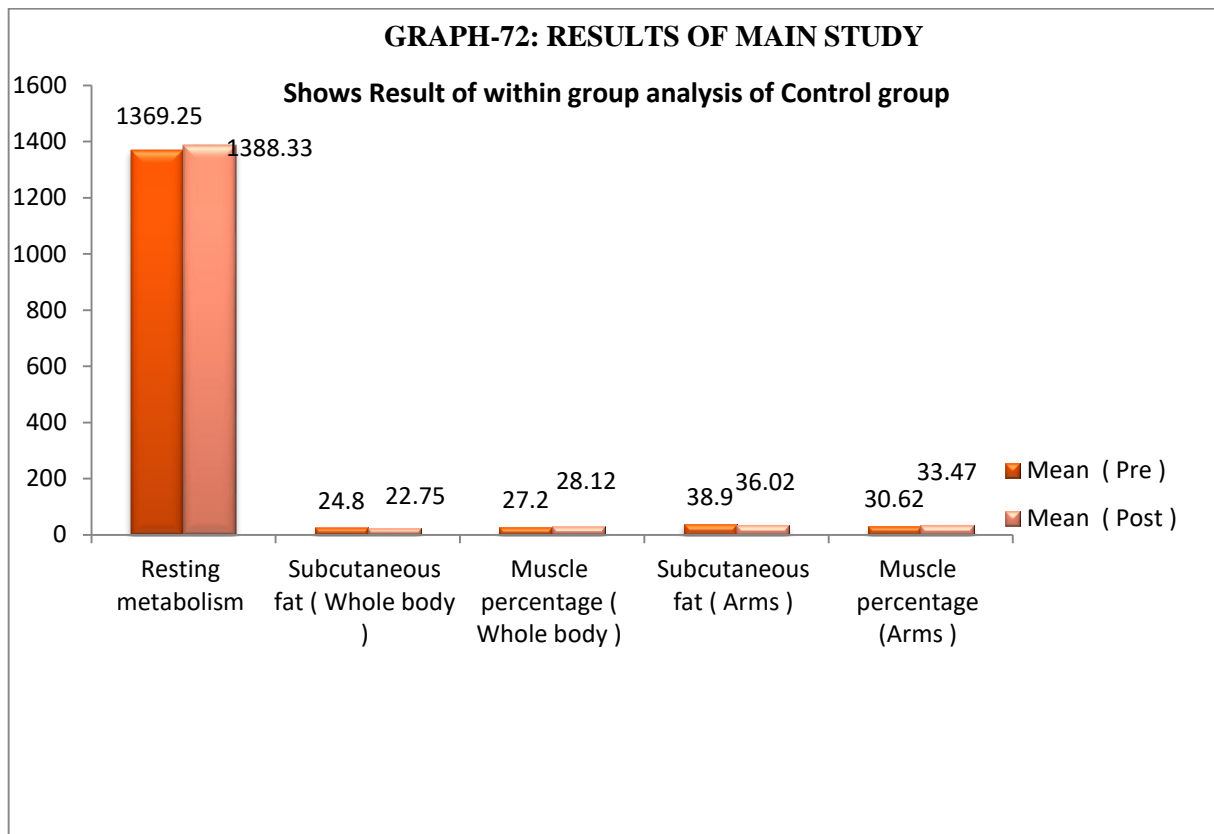
**Shows Result of within group analysis of Control group**



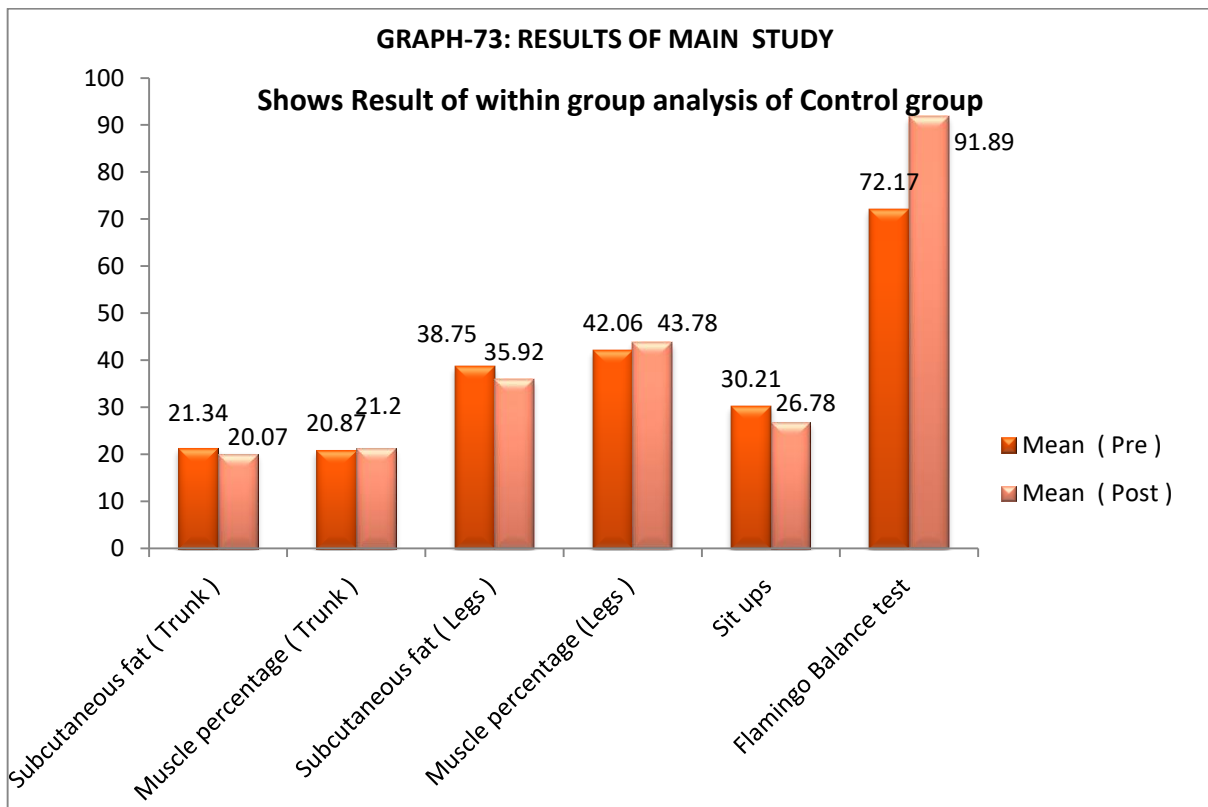
**GRAPH-71:RESULTS OF MAIN STUDY**

**Shows Result of within group analysis of Control group**





Parameters like weight, BMI, mid arm circumference, pulse rate, systolic blood pressure, diastolic blood pressure, resting metabolism, whole body subcutaneous fat, arm subcutaneous fat, arm muscle percentage and flamingo balance test were not normally distributed. Systolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.009$ ), diastolic blood pressure ( $p = 0.004$ ) reduced significantly whereas pulse rate ( $p = 0.435$ ), whole body subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.250$ ), arm subcutaneous fat ( $p = 0.319$ ) reduced but without significance. Weight ( $p = 0.100$ ), BMI ( $p = 0.914$ ), mid arm circumference ( $p = 0.246$ ), resting metabolism ( $p = 0.198$ ), whole body muscle percentage ( $p = 0.290$ ) and Flamingo balance test ( $p = 0.241$ ) increased but without significance.



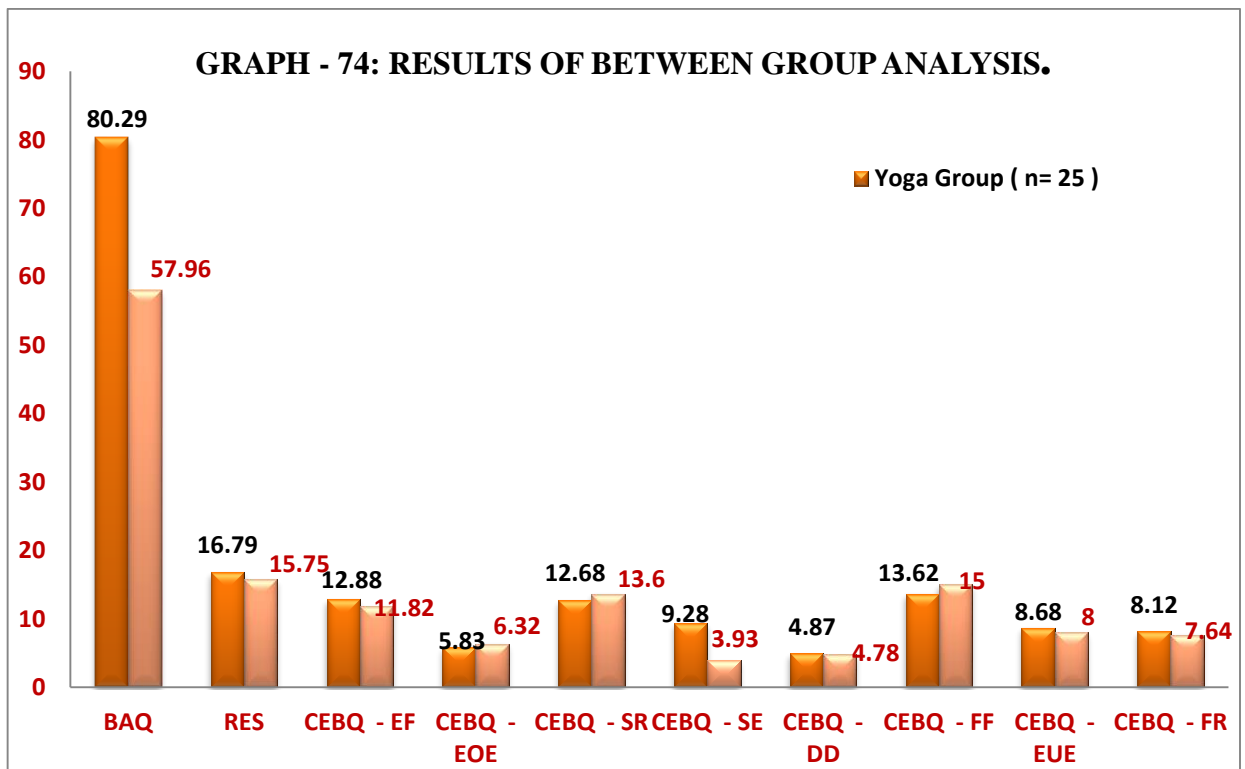
Analysis of in between Yoga and control group states that abdominal circumference of Yoga group decreased significantly than that of Control group ( $p = 0.05$ ). Weight, BMI, mid-arm circumference, hip circumference, total body fat percentage, subcutaneous fat of whole body, arm, trunk and legs has been reduced more in Yoga group than that of Control group but without significance. Number of sit ups, systolic blood pressure and diastolic blood pressure is decreased in control group more than that of Yoga group but without significance. Pulse rate is found to be increased in Yoga group whereas that of control group is reduced but without significance. Waist circumference is increased more in control group than that of Yoga group but without significance. Resting metabolism, muscle percentage of whole body, arm, trunk and legs are increased more in Yoga group than that of Control group but without significance. Flamingo balance test has been increased more in control group than that of Yoga group but without significance.

The result of Psychological Parameters is as follows:-

**TABLE NO. 21**  
**RESULTS OF BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS**

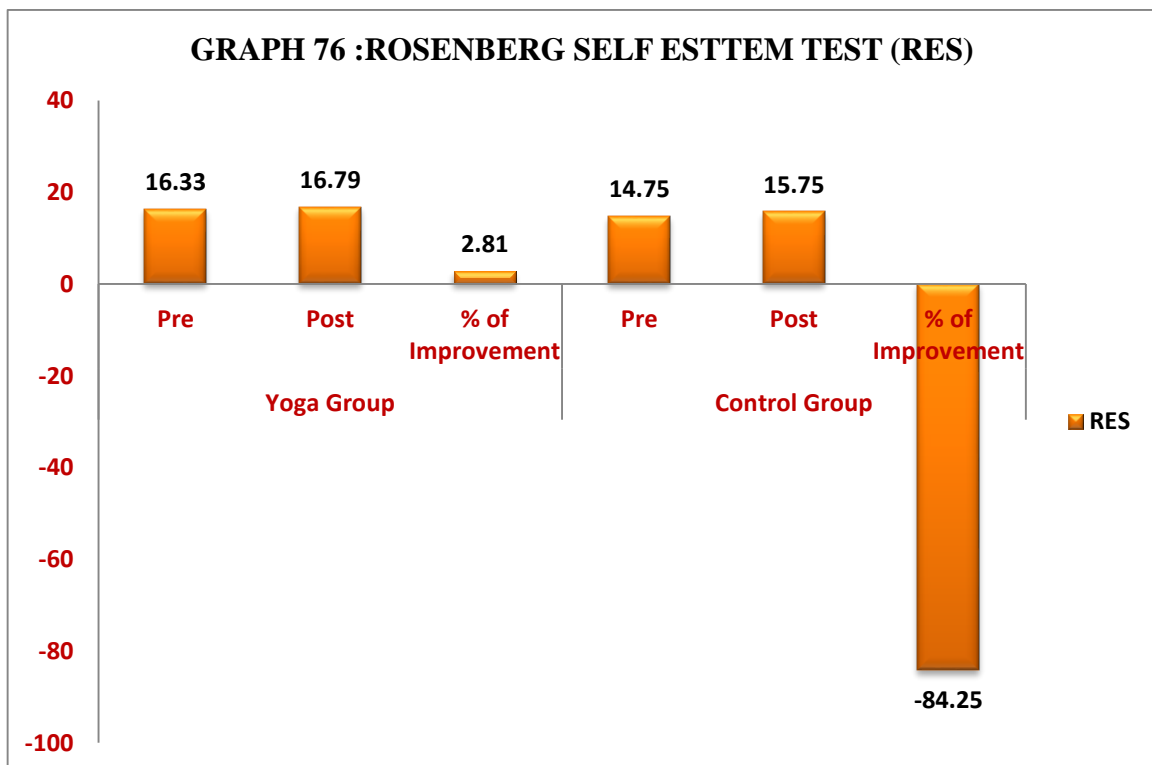
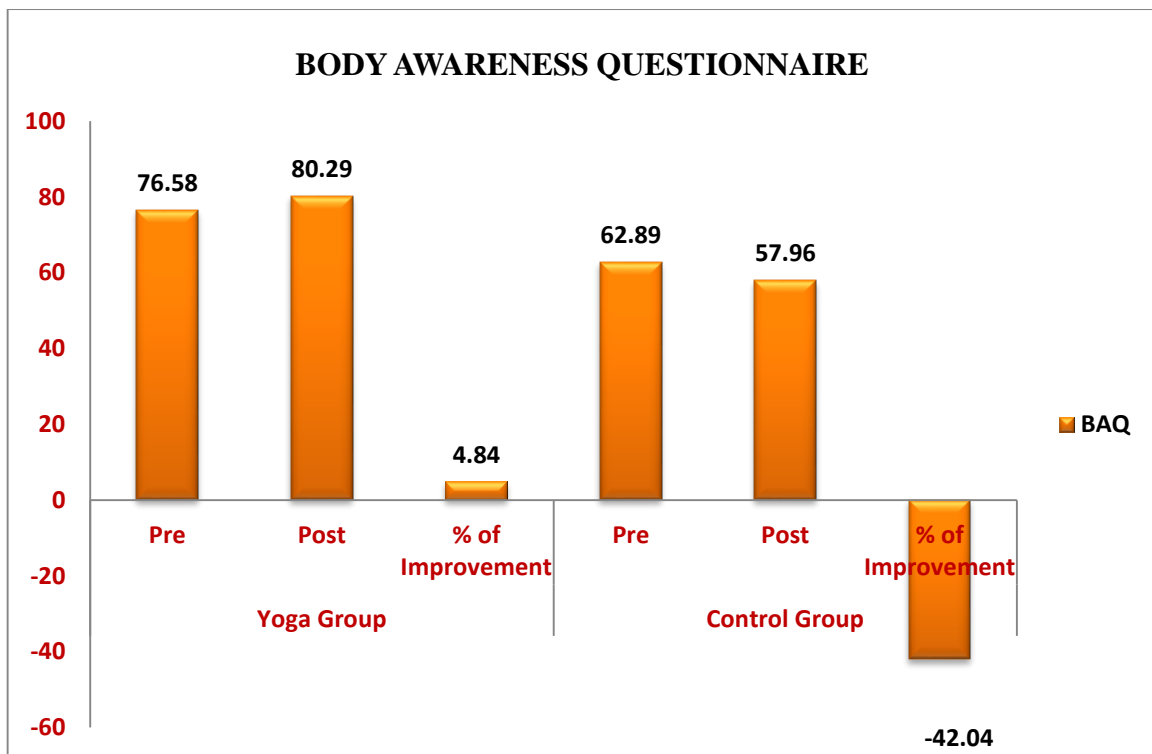
No.	Variables	Yoga Group ( n= 25 ) Pre	Post	% of Difference	Pre	Control Group ( n= 28 ) Post	% of Difference	Z / t value	p value
1	BAQ	76.58 ± 19.37	80.29 ± 16.31	4.84	62.89 ± 19.48	57.96 ± 17.14	-42.04	-1.830 b	0.07
2	RES	16.33 ± 2.83	16.79 ± 2.37	2.81	14.75 ± 3.83	15.75 ± 2.88	-84.25	-1.070 a	0.28
3	CEBQ - EF	14.88 ± 4.15	12.88 ± 3.71	-13.44	13.21 ± 3.21	11.82 ± 3.25	-88.81	0.656 b	0.51
4	CEBQ - EOE	07.36 ± 3.18	05.83 ± 3.14	-20.78	7.82 ± 4.19	6.32 ± 3.74	-93.68	-0.779 a	0.43
5	CEBQ - SR	14.28 ± 3.76	12.68 ± 2.98	-11.2	11.82 ± 3.48	13.60 ± 3.96	-86.4	2.817 b	0.007*
6	CEBQ - SE	09.60 ± 4.07	09.28 ± 2.90	-3.33	11.28 ± 10.14	3.93 ± 3.18	-96.07	-0.880 b	0.38
7	CEBQ - DD	05.04 ± 2.44	04.87 ± 2.69	-3.37	6.21 ± 2.91	4.78 ± 2.20	-95.22	-0.047 a	0.96
8	CEBQ - FF	14.12 ± 5.21	13.62 ± 5.46	-3.54	16.64 ± 5.25	15 ± 5.01	-85	-0.829 a	0.40
9	CEBQ - EUE	09.32 ± 3.54	8.68 ± 4.31	6.86	10.60 ± 4.39	8 ± 4.18	-92	-0.664 a	0.50
10	CEBQ - FR	11.24 ± 5.22	8.12 ± 4.71	27.75	9.78 ± 4.68	7.64 ± 3.34	-92.36	1.037 b	0.3

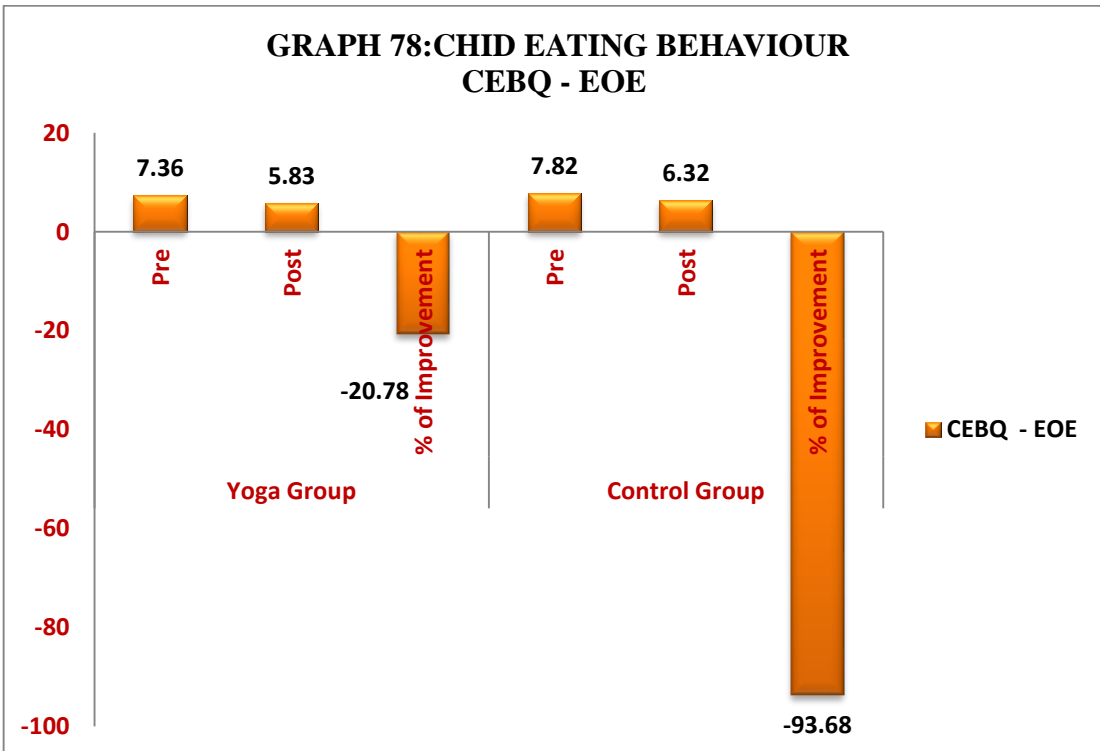
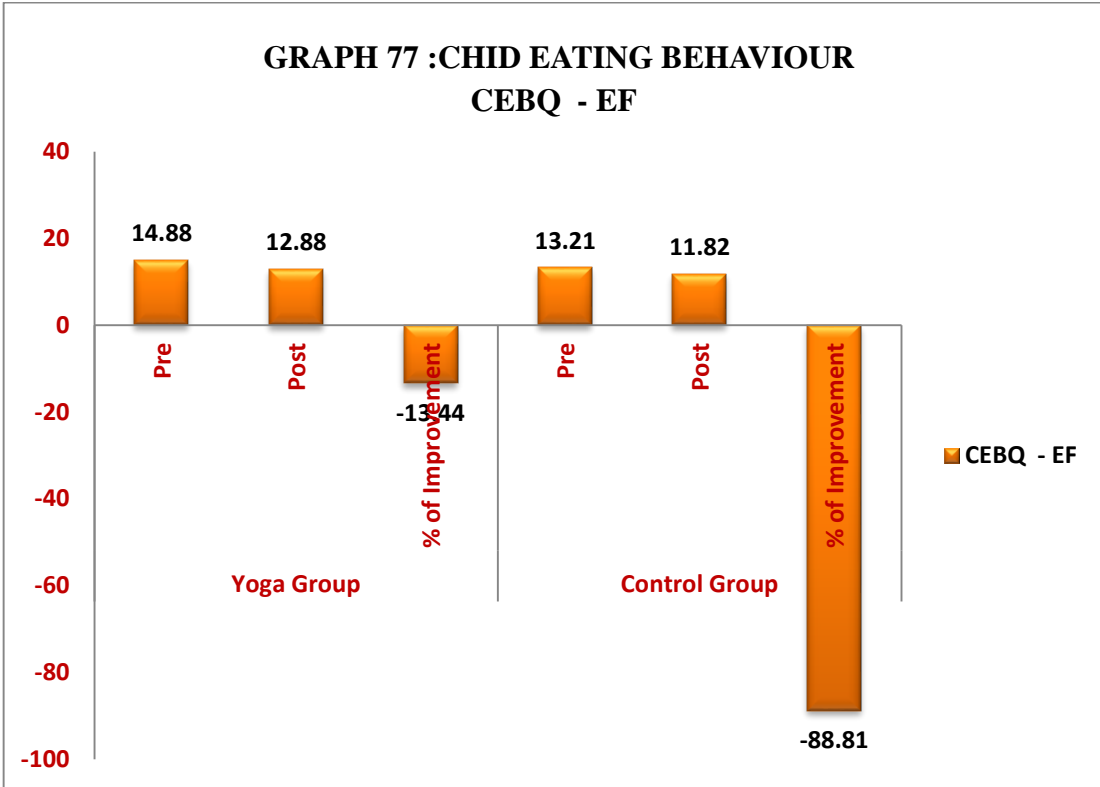
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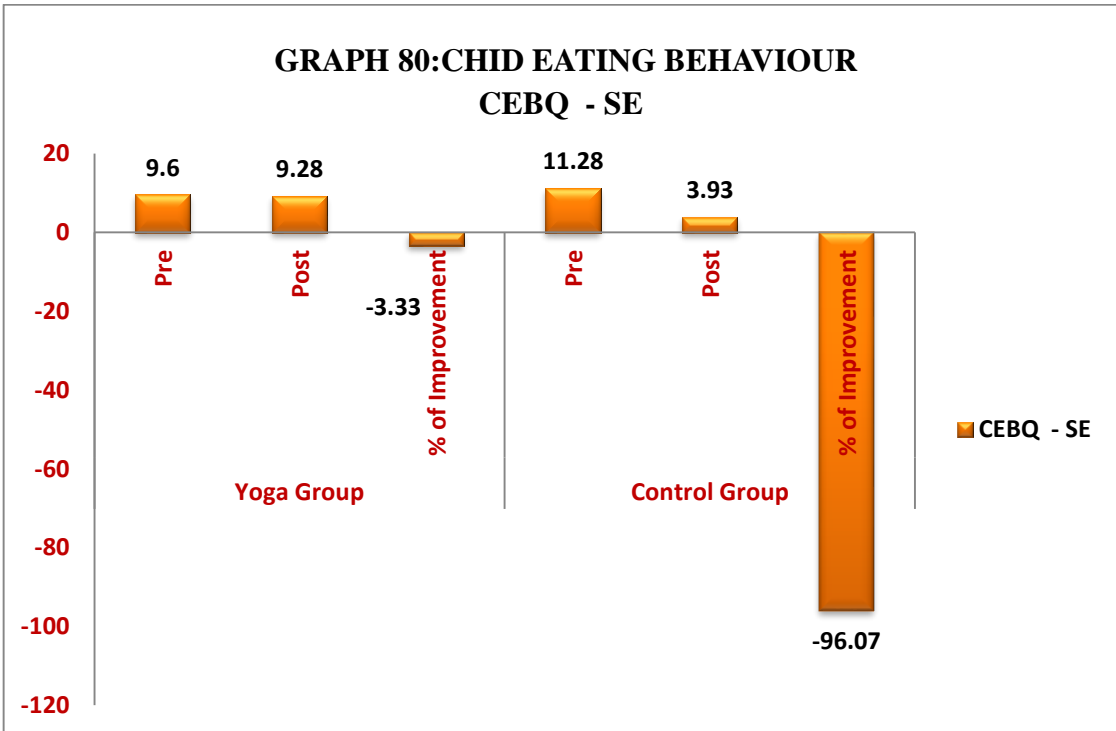
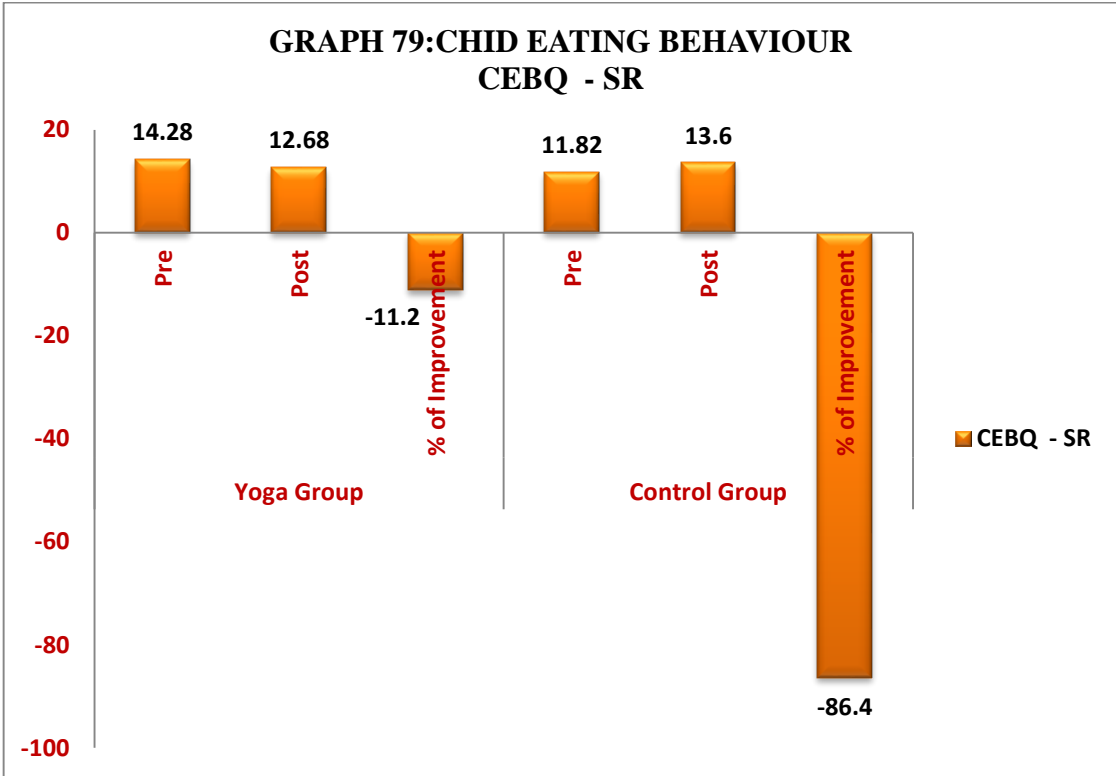


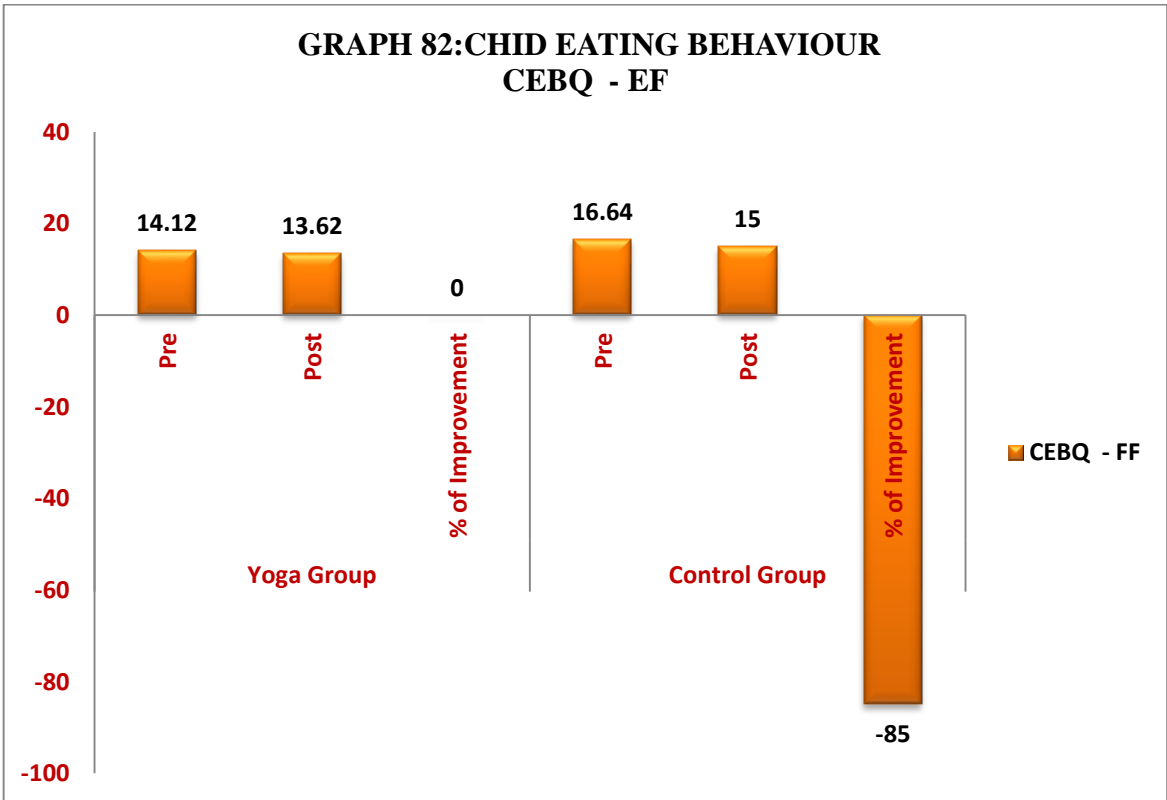
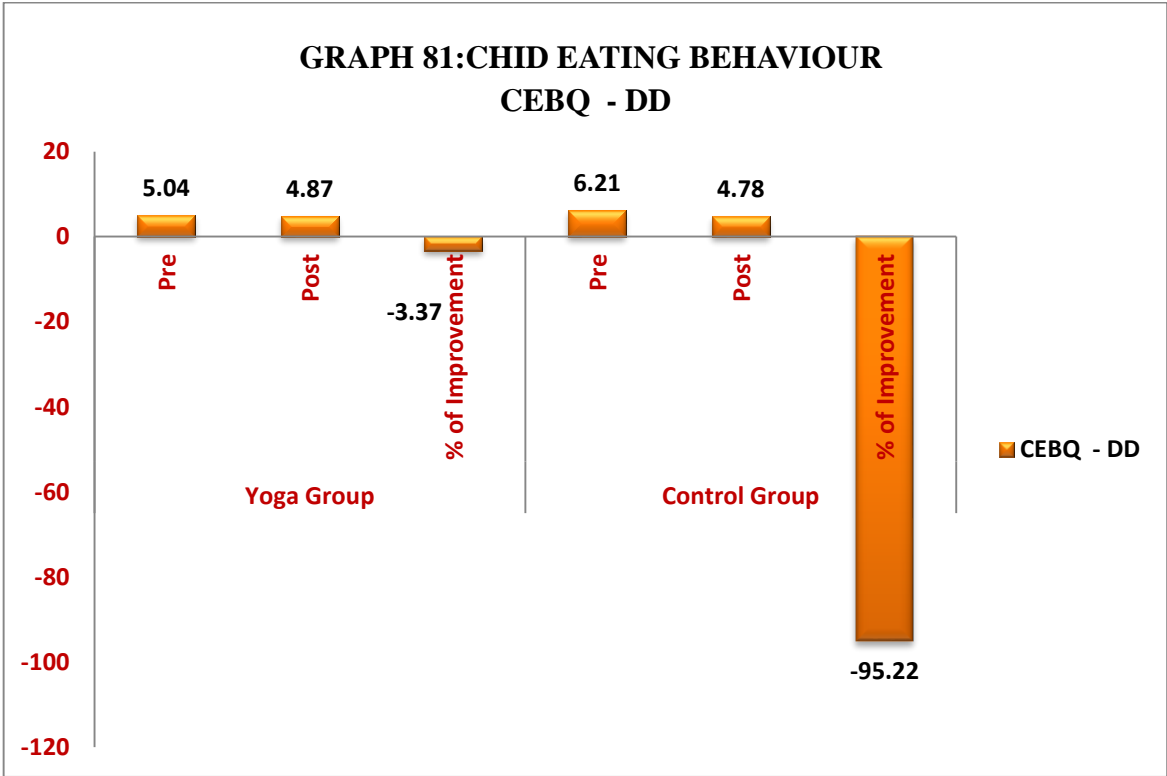
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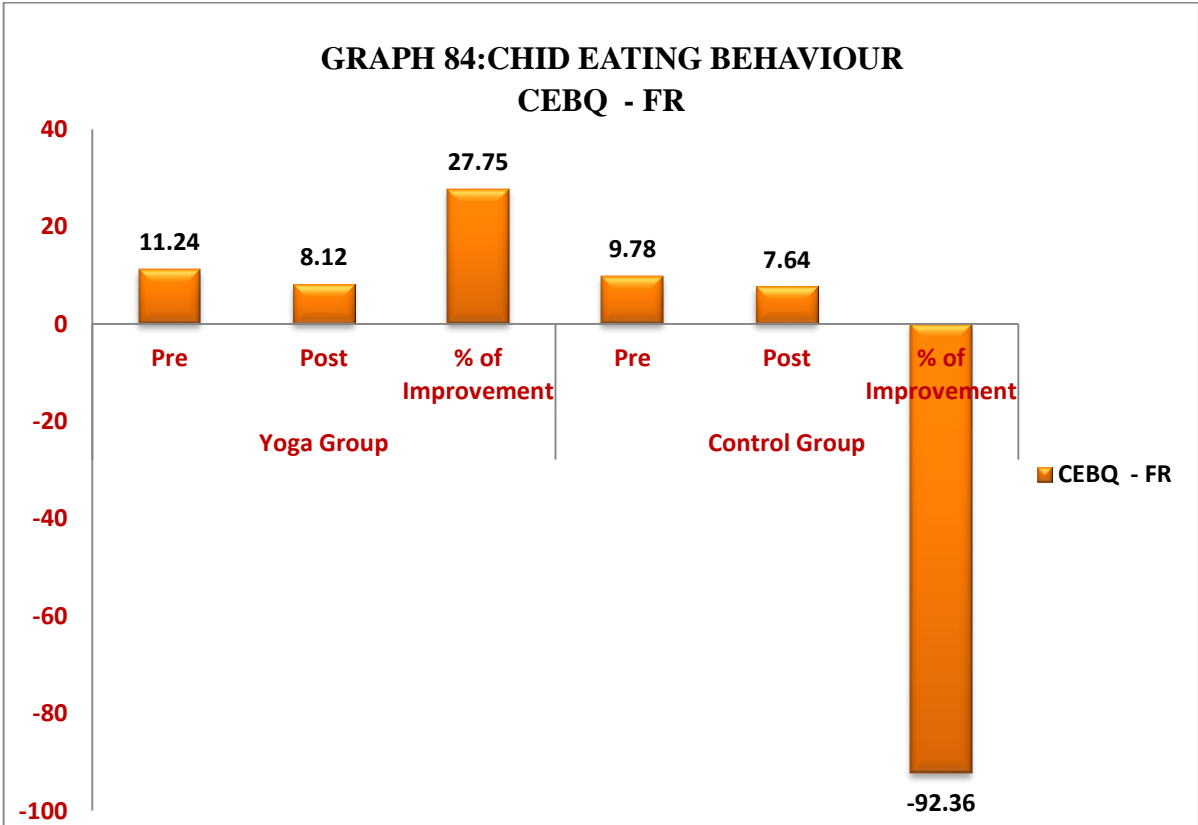
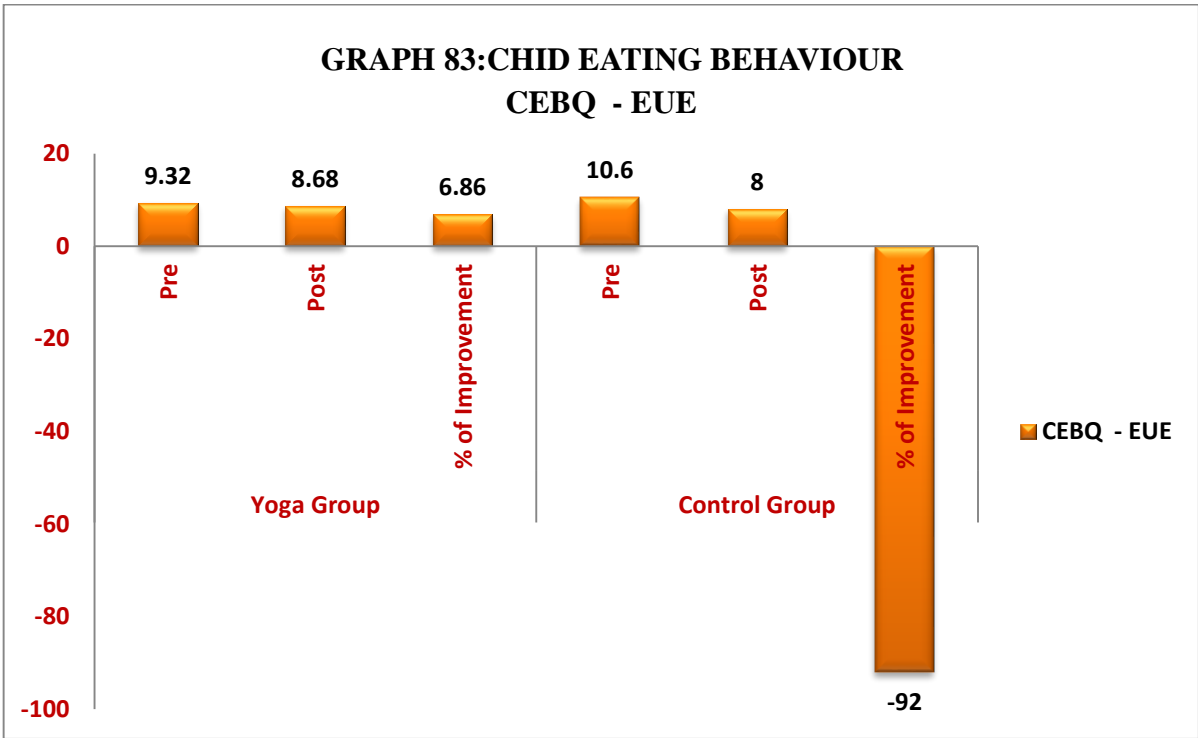
**GRAPH 75: RESULT OF IN BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSIS BODY AWARENESS**











Analysis of in between Yoga and control group states that BAQ of Yoga group is increased where as that of Control group is increased but without significance ( $p = 0.07$ ). RES of Yoga group is increased where as that of Control group is also increased but without significance ( $p = 0.28$ ). CEBQ –EF of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.51$ ). CEBQ –EOE of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is also decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.43$ ). CEBQ –SR of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is increased but with significance ( $p = 0.007$ ). CEBQ –SE of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is also decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.38$ ). CEBQ –DD of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is also decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.96$ ). CEBQ –FF of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is also decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.40$ ). CEBQ –EUE of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is also decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.50$ ). CEBQ –FR of Yoga group is decreased where as that of Control group is also decreased but without significance ( $p = 0.30$ ).

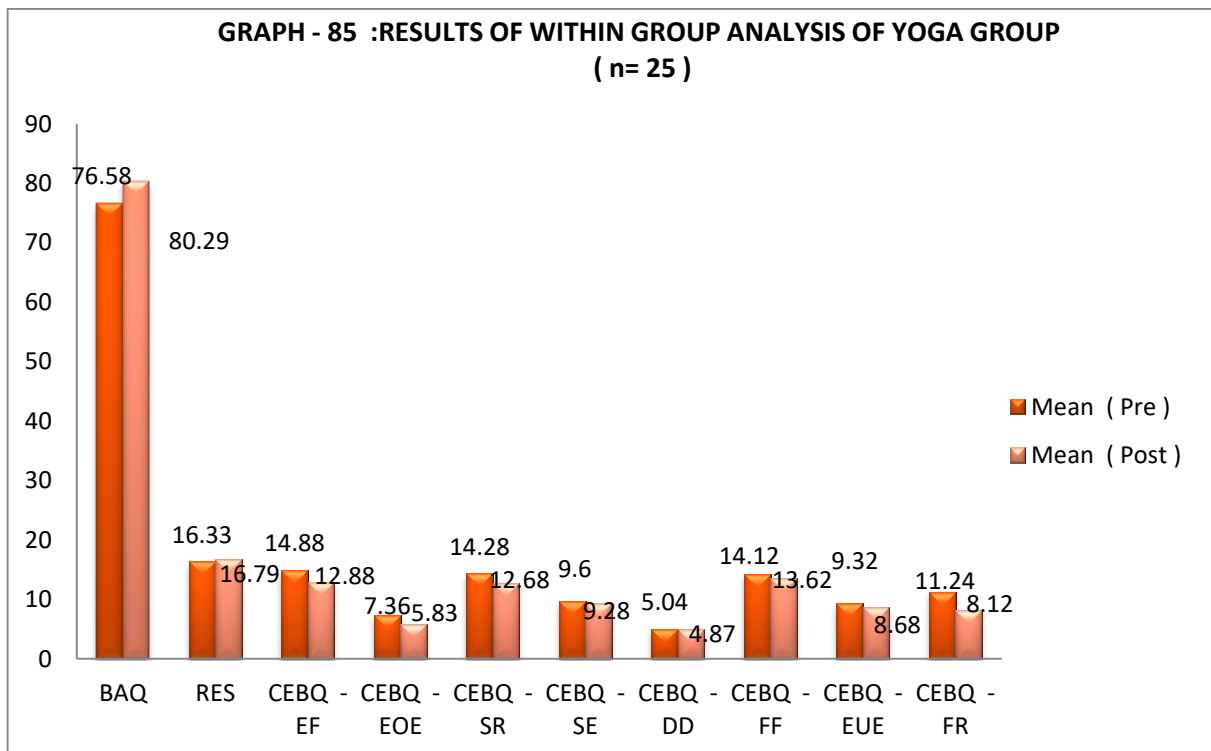
The results of Cognitive parameters are as follows:-

**TABLE NO.22**

**RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF YOGA GROUP ( $n= 25$ ).**

No.	Variable	Mean ( Pre )	Mean ( Post )	t / z value	p value
1	BAQ	76.58 ± 19.37	80.29 ± 16.31	-1.073 b	0.294
2	RES	16.33 ± 2.83	16.79 ± 2.37	-.926 a	0.354
3	CEBQ - EF	14.88 ± 4.15	12.88 ± 3.71	3.176 b	0.004*
4	CEBQ - EOE	07.36 ± 3.18	05.83 ± 3.14	-2.611 a	0.009*
5	CEBQ - SR	14.28 ± 3.76	12.68 ± 2.98	1.789 b	0.086
6	CEBQ - SE	09.60 ± 4.07	09.28 ± 2.90	0.479 b	0.636
7	CEBQ - DD	05.04 ± 2.44	04.87 ± 2.69	-0.461 a	0.645
8	CEBQ - FF	14.12 ± 5.21	13.62 ± 5.46	-0.891 a	0.373
9	CEBQ - EUE	09.32 ± 3.54	8.68 ± 4.31	-0.919 a	0.358
10	CEBQ - FR	11.24 ± 5.22	8.12 ± 4.71	4.058 b	0.001*
<b>a Wilcox test</b> <b>b Paired sample t test</b> <b>* <math>p &lt; 0.05</math></b>					

Results of within group analysis of Yoga group are given in above Table. Parameters like BAQ (Body Awareness Questionnaire) , CEBQ - EF ( Child Eating Behavior Questionnaire - Enjoyment of food ) , CEBQ - SR ( Satiety responsiveness ) , CEBQ - SE ( Slowness in eating ) , CEBQ - FR ( Food responsiveness ) – Disinhibition were normally distributed . Parameters like RES (Rosenberg Self-esteem Scale), CEBQ - EOE ( Child Eating Behavior Questionnaire - Emotional over-eating ) CEBQ - DD ( Desire to drink ) , CEBQ - FF ( Food fussiness ) , CEBQ - EUE ( Emotional under-eating ) .Variables like BAQ ( $p = 0.29$ ) and RES ( $p = 0.35$ ) increased but without significance . Variables like CEBQ-EF ( $p = 0.004$ ), CEBQ-EOE ( $p = 0.009$ ) and CEBQ-FR ( $p = 0.001$ ) decreased with significance. Variables like CEBQ-SR ( $p = 0.08$ ) , CEBQ-SE ( $p = 0.63$ ) , CEBQ-DD ( $p = 0.64$ ) , CEBQ-FF ( $p = 0.37$ ) and CEBQ-EUE ( $p = 0.35$ ) decreased but without significance .

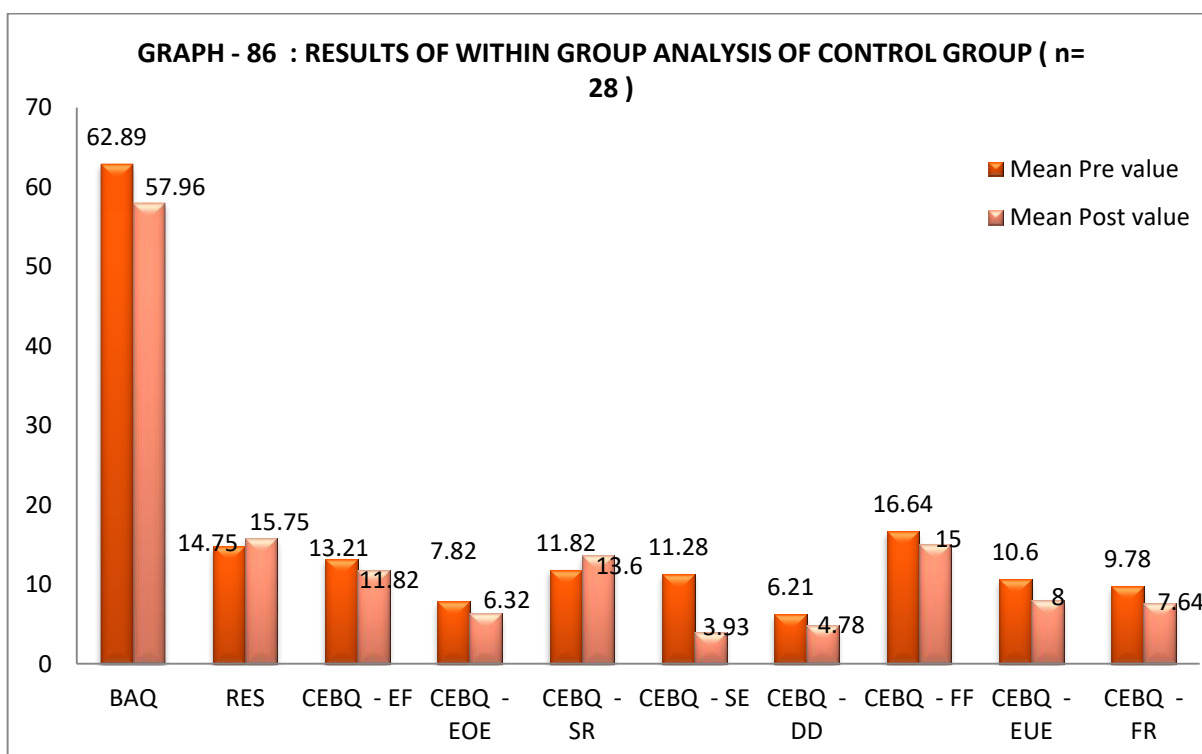


**TABLE NO.23**

**RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF CONTROL GROUP (*n*= 28)**

No.	Variable	Mean Pre value	Mean Post value	t value	p value
1	BAQ	62.89 ± 19.48	57.96 ± 17.14	1.491 b	0.14
2	RES	14.75 ± 3.83	15.75 ± 2.88	-2.046 a	0.04*
3	CEBQ - EF	13.21 ± 3.21	11.82 ± 3.25	2.081 b	0.04*
4	CEBQ - EOE	7.82 ± 4.19	6.32 ± 3.74	-1.710 a	0.08
5	CEBQ - SR	11.82 ± 3.48	13.60 ± 3.96	-2.212 b	0.03*
6	CEBQ - SE	11.28 ± 10.14	3.93 ± 3.18	1.753 b	0.09
7	CEBQ - DD	6.21 ± 2.91	4.78 ± 2.20	-2.500 a	0.01*
8	CEBQ - FF	16.64 ± 5.25	15 ± 5.01	-2.281 a	0.02*
9	CEBQ - EUE	10.60 ± 4.39	8 ± 4.18	-3.712 a	0.01*
10	CEBQ - FR	9.78 ± 4.68	7.64 ± 3.34	3.776 b	0.001*
<b>a Wilcox test</b> <b>b Paired sample t test</b> <b>* p &lt; 0.05</b>					

Results of within group analysis of Control group are given in above Table. Parameters like BAQ (Body Awareness Questionnaire ), CEBQ - EF ( Child Eating Behavior Questionnaire - Enjoyment of food ), CEBQ - SR ( Satiety responsiveness ) , CEBQ - SE ( Slowness in eating), CEBQ - FR ( Food responsiveness ) . Parameters like RES ( Rosenberg Self-esteem Scale), CEBQ - EOE ( Child Eating Behavior Questionnaire - Emotional over-eating ) , CEBQ - DD ( Desire to drink ) , CEBQ - FF ( Food fussiness) , CEBQ - EUE ( Emotional under-eating ) . Variables like BAQ ( $p = 0.14$ ), CEBQ - EOE ( $p = 0.08$ ), CEBQ - SE ( $p = 0.09$ ) decreased but without significance . Variables like RES ( $p = 0.04$ ) and CEBQ - SR ( $p = 0.03$ ) increased with significance. Variables like CEBQ - EF ( $p = 0.04$ ), CEBQ - DD ( $p = 0.01$ ), CEBQ - FF ( $p = 0.02$ ), CEBQ - EUE ( $p = 0.01$ ) and CEBQ - FR ( $p = 0.001$ ) decreased with significance .



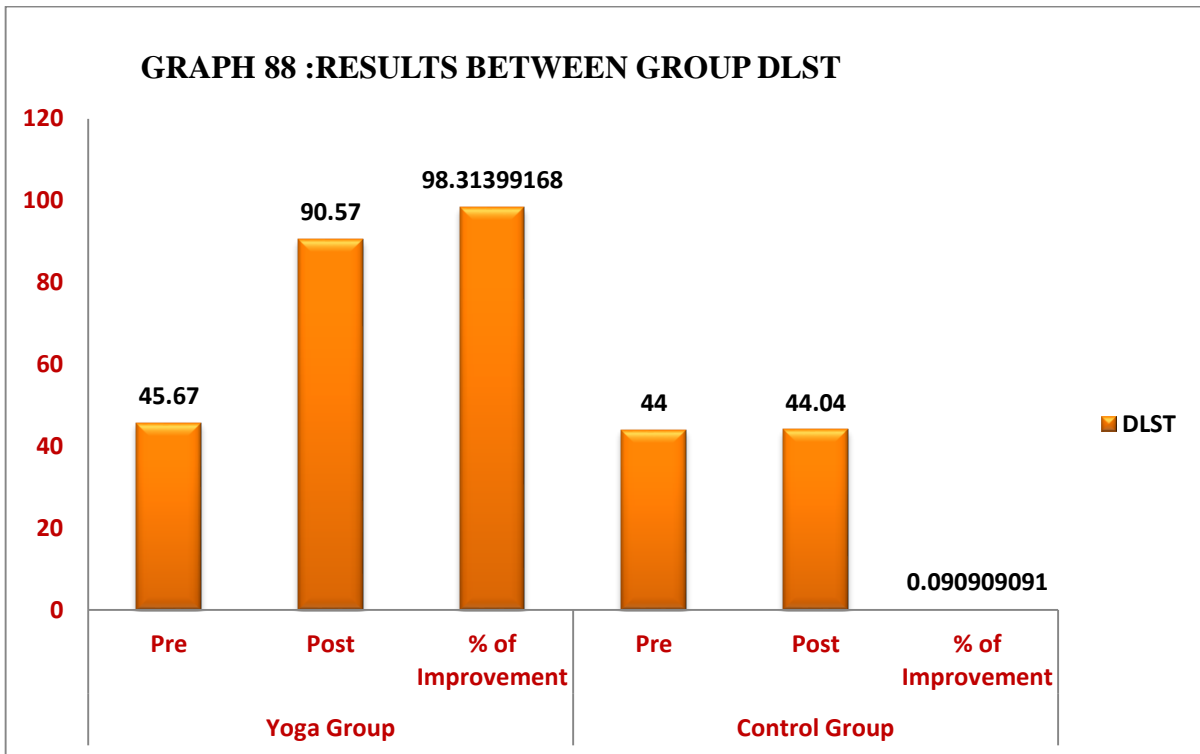
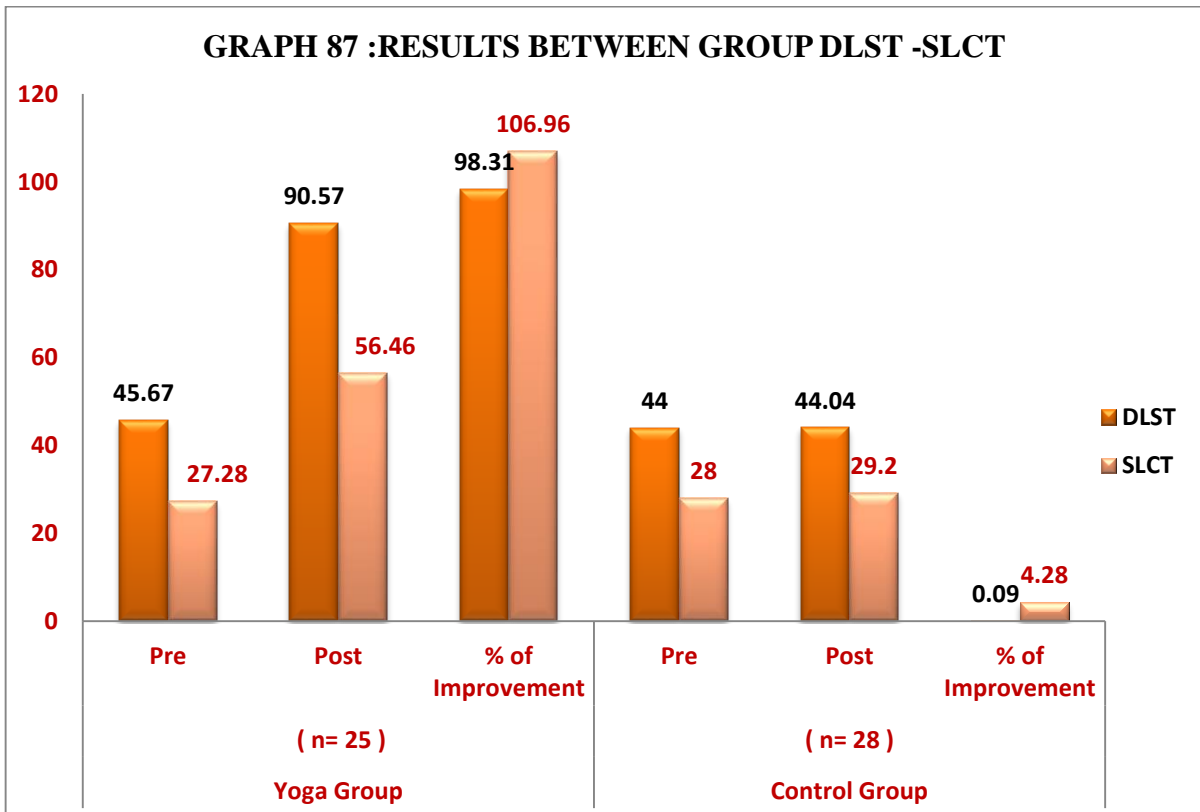
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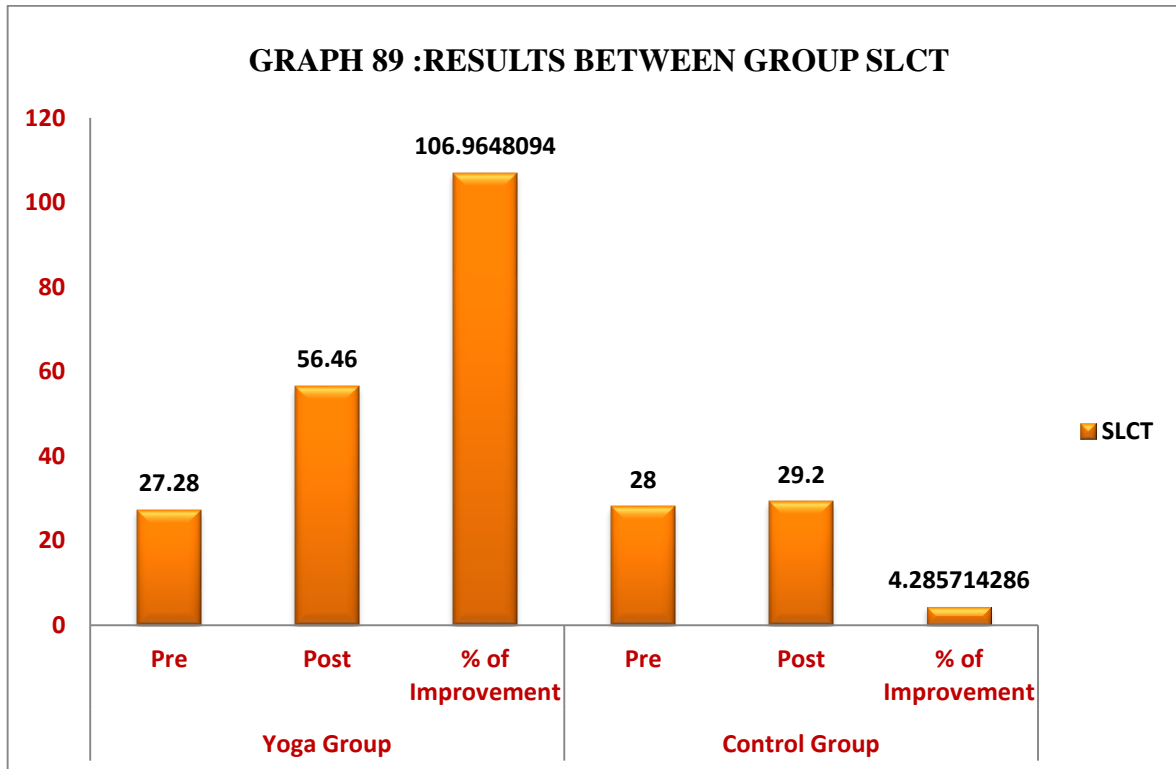
**TABLE NO. 24**  
**RESULTS OF BETWEEN GROUP ANALYSES.**

No.	Variable	Yoga Group ( n= 25 )		Control Group ( n= 28 )		t value	p value
		Pre	Post	Pre	Post		
1	DLST	45.67 ± 9.73	90.57 ± 09.37	44 ± 8.95	44.04 ± 8.92	0.517 a	0.6
2	SLCT	27.28 ± 9.37	56.46 ± 9.35	28 ± 12.53	29.20 ± 10.91	9.877 b	<0.001*

a Mann-Whitney U test.

b Independent samples t-test





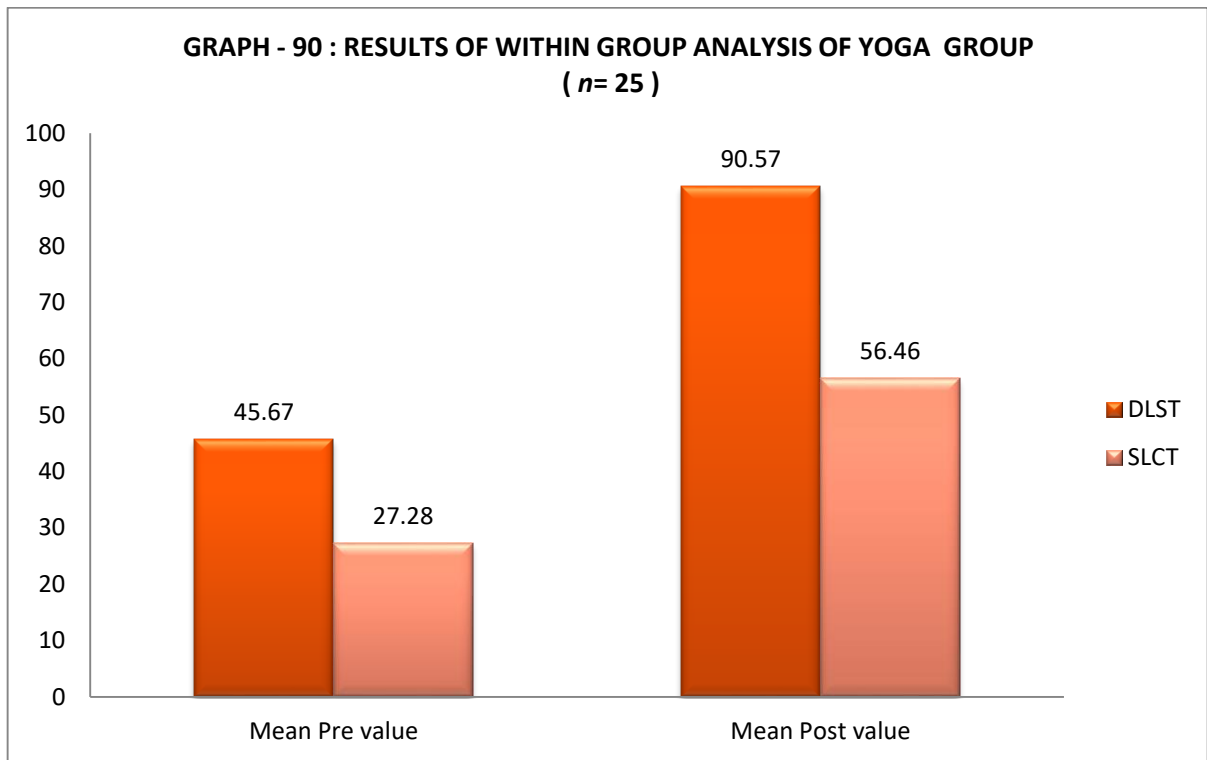
Analysis of in between Yoga and control group states that DLST of Yoga group is increased than that of Control group but without significance ( $p = 0.60$ ). SLCT of Yoga group is increased than that of Control group with significance ( $p = 0.00$ ).

**TABLE NO. 25**

**RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF YOGA GROUP ( $n= 25$ )**

No.	Variable	Mean Pre value	Mean Post value	t value	p value
1	DLST	45.67 ± 9.73	90.57 ± 09.37	-4.542 a	<0.001*
2	SLCT	27.28 ± 9.37	56.46 ± 9.35	-14.227 b	<0.001*

a Wilcox test  
b Paired sample t test



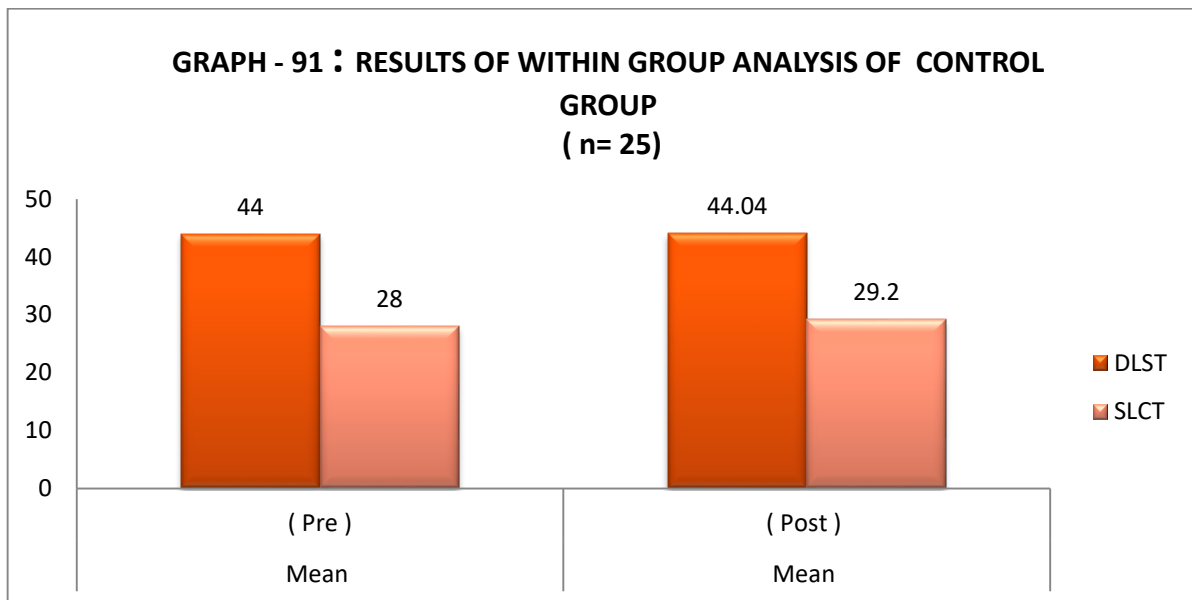
Results of within group analysis of Yoga group are given in above Table. Parameters like SLCT (Six Letter Cancellation Test) were normally distributed which is increased with significance ( $p = 0.00$ ). Parameters like DLST (Digit Letter Substitution Test) were not normally distributed which also increased with significance ( $p = 0.00$ ).

**TABLE NO. 26**

**RESULTS OF WITHIN GROUP ANALYSIS OF CONTROL GROUP (n= 28).**

No.	Variable	Mean ( Pre )	Mean ( Post )	t / z value	p value
1	DLST	44 ± 8.95	44.04 ± 8.92	-0.515 a	0.607
2	SLCT	28 ± 12.53	29.20 ± 10.91	.607 b	0.371

a Wilcoxon test  
b Paired sample t test



Results of within group analysis of Control group are given in above Table. Parameters like SLCT were normally distributed which is increased but without significance ( $p = 0.371$ ). Parameters like DLST were not normally distributed which also increased but without significance ( $p = 0.607$ ).