**Supplementary Material**

**Serum Alkaline Phosphatase Level Predicts Cardiac Valve Calcification**

**in Maintenance Hemodialysis Patients**

**Blood Purification**

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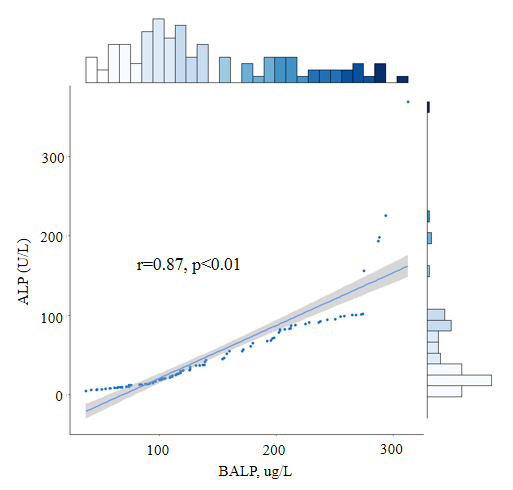
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**Table S1** Components of the Global cardiac calcium scoring system [24]

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| **Components** | **Score** |
| Posterior annulus | (by thirds, score 0–3) |
| Posterior mitral leaflet restriction | (0, 1) |
| Anterior mitral leaflet restriction | (0, 1 [valve opening on long-axis  view ≤10 mm]) |
| Mitral valve calcification (either leaflet) | (0, 1 [mild], 2 [greater than mild]) |
| Subvalvular apparatus calcification | (0, 1) |
| Aortic valve calcification | (0,1[nodule(s) in fewer than three leaflets], 2 [nodules in three leaflets but nonrestrictive], 3 [restrictive\*]) |
| Aortic root calcification | (0, 1) |

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\* Reduced motion of one or more leaflets or a meangradient ≥ 15 mm Hg

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**Fig. S1** Correlations between serum concentration of ALP

and bone-specific alkaline phosphatase (BALP)