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I fully take on board your valuable comment that some figure citations in the thesis point section are difficult to locate. I have carefully checked the corresponding figure numbers and cross-references, revised and unified all figure citations in Pages 96 - 102, and ensured every cited figure can be accurately matched in the main text.

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Kind regards,

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