

Table SI. Clinical characteristics for the 40 patients with gastric cancer.

Characteristic	n
Sex	
Male	28
Female	12
Age, years	
≤60	10
>60	30
Histological type	
Tubular	23
Papillary	3
Mucinous	3
Signet ring cell	11
Differentiation	
Well	2
Middle	25
Poor	13
T stage	
Tumor <i>in situ</i> + 1	14
2	8
3	15
4	3
N stage	
0	19
1	9
2	7
3	5
M stage	
0	39
1	1
TNM stage	
0 + 1	17
2	7
3	15
4	1
MVI	
No	27
Yes	13
Lymphatic invasion	
No	35
Yes	5
Perineural invasion	
No	34
Yes	6
CEA, ng/ml	
≤5	30
>5	10
CA19-9, U/ml	
≤37	28
>37	12
Laurén classification	
Intestinal	26
Diffuse	14

MVI, microvascular invasion; CEA, carcinoembryonic antigen; CA19-9, carbohydrate antigen 19-9.