

Also, the adjusted treatment effect (all pre-specified covariates retained in the model) is shown in the following with the standard error estimated by sandwich estimator :

## Hazard ratio using the Sandwich Estimator

Population	HR (95% CI) p-value
Never smoked	0.67 (0.49, 0.92) p=0.0125
Oriental	0.66 (0.48, 0.91) P=0.0110
Oriental never smoked	0.37 (0.20, 0.66) P=0.0007

The need for adjustment for important prognostic factors in clinical trials is stated in the literature. Hauck et al [2] report that failure to adjust for prognostic factors in the analysis of randomized trials leads to a loss of efficiency as well as bias in the treatment effect being estimated, recommending that analyses adjust for important prognostic covariates. Further, Akawaza et al [3] report that when a trial population is heterogeneous with several strongly prognostic factors, as is often the case in advanced cancer patients, a simple logrank test can yield misleading results and should not be used. Further, the authors note that the stratified logrank test may suffer some power loss when many prognostic factors need to be considered and the number of patients within stratum is small. To address these problems, the Cox regression methods are advised.

References:

- [1] ICH Topic E9. Statistical Principles for Clinical Trials. CPMP/ICH/363/96, 1996.
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- [3] Akazawa, K., Nakamura, T. and Palesch, Y. Power of logrank test and Cox regression model in clinical trials with heterogeneous samples. *Statistics in Medicine*, 1997, 16: 583-597

**Robustness of the subgroup analysis for non smokers, Oriental patients and non smoking Oriental patients:**

In order to check the robustness of findings in the subsets of never smokers, Oriental patients and Oriental never smokers, a resampling procedure was adopted as follows:

For each subset, a given number of patients were sampled with replacement from Iressa and placebo treated patients on a 2:1 basis to reflect the trial randomization. The hazard rate amongst the sampled patients was then calculated for Iressa and placebo and the hazard ratio computed. This procedure was repeated 1000 times. The mean and spread of the resulting (log) hazard ratios was then calculated. The results are shown in Table 1.

Subset	Number of patients	Number of Iressa patients	Number of placebo patients
Never smokers	1000	667	333
Oriental patients	1000	667	333
Oriental never smokers	1000	667	333
Never smokers	1000	667	333
Oriental patients	1000	667	333
Oriental never smokers	1000	667	333
Never smokers	1000	667	333
Oriental patients	1000	667	333
Oriental never smokers	1000	667	333

Table 1. Results of resampling simulations in never smokers, Oriental patients and Oriental never smokers.

Subset	N <sup>a</sup> resampled (Iressa:placebo)	HR <sup>b</sup>	HR 2.5 <sup>th</sup> percentile	HR 97.5 <sup>th</sup> percentile
Oriental non Smokers (N=141)	20:10	0.355 <sup>c</sup>	0.081	1.283
	40:20	0.361	0.138	0.839
	60:30	0.361	0.171	0.763
	Full resampling <sup>d</sup>	0.368	0.208	0.647
Orientals (N=342)	20:10	0.671	0.215	2.002
	50:25	0.681	0.339	1.368
	100:50	0.662	0.413	1.051
	150:75	0.661	0.458	1.002
	Full resampling	0.664	0.486	0.896
Non Smokers (N=375)	20:10	0.660	0.213	2.289
	50:25	0.670	0.340	1.260
	100:50	0.674	0.413	1.120
	150:75	0.673	0.438	1.001
	200:100	0.679	0.464	0.981
	Full resampling	0.681	0.496	0.930

<sup>a</sup> 1000 resamples per row.

<sup>b</sup> Hazard ratio.

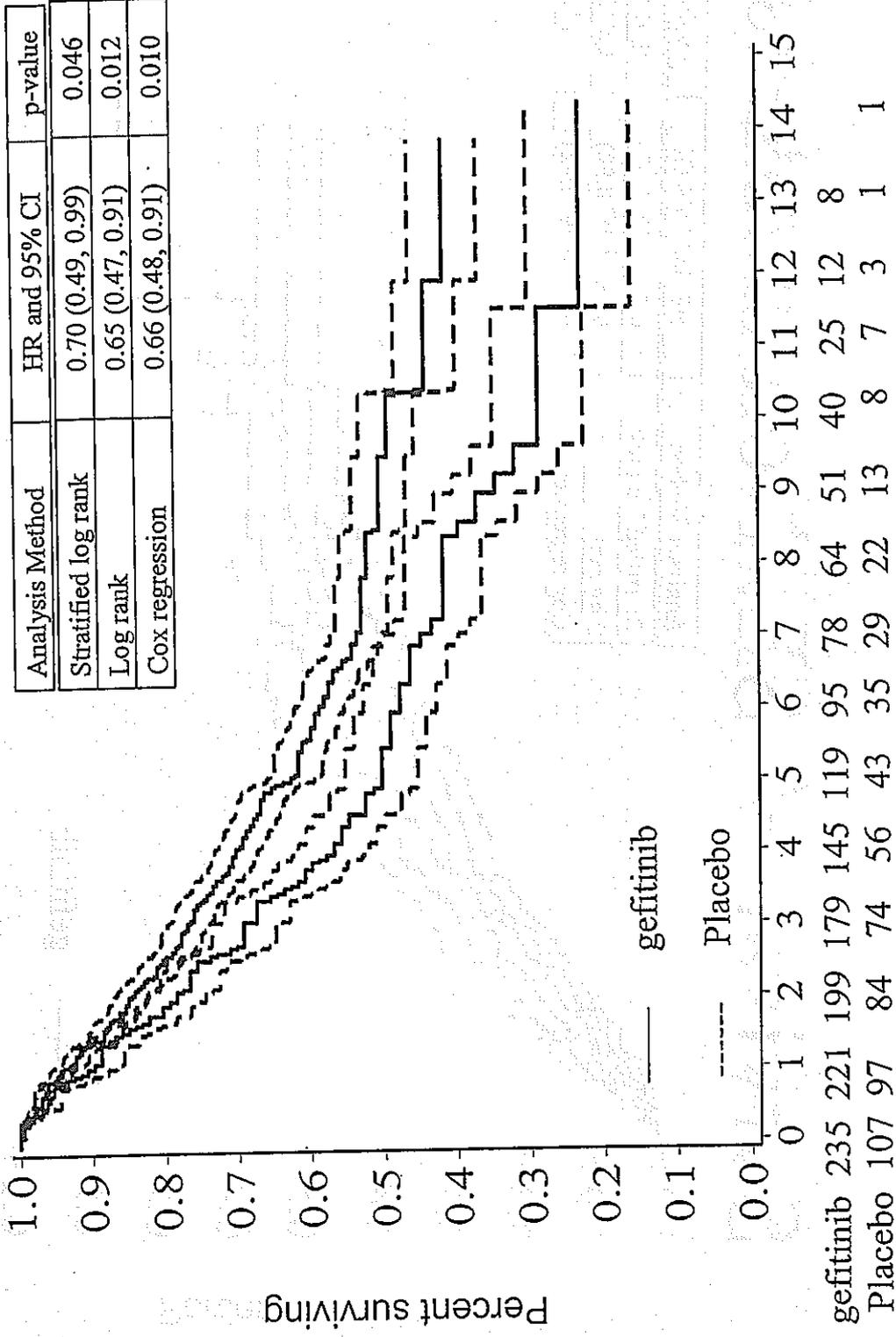
<sup>c</sup> Only 998 resamples returned a hazard ratio estimate; in two samples there were no deaths in the Iressa arm due to the small sample size and a hazard ratio could not be calculated.

<sup>d</sup> Full resampling with replacement.

The resampling results show that the findings in non smokers, Oriental and Oriental non smokers are robust. Even with small sample sizes, a treatment effect in favour of Iressa treated patients is evident. Full resampling confirms statistical significance in all three subsets.

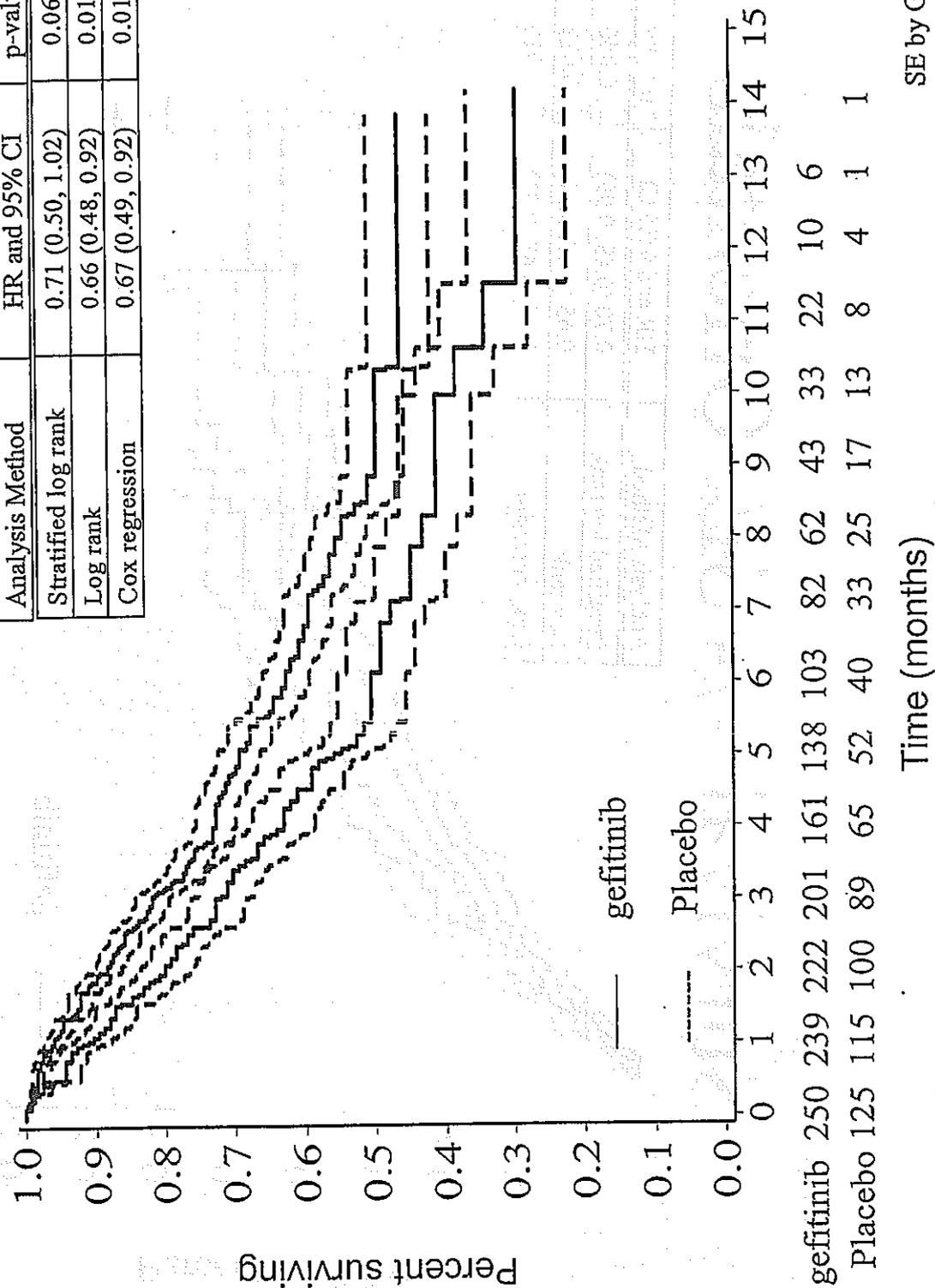
# Survival +/- SE: Orientals

Analysis Method	HR and 95% CI	p-value
Stratified log rank	0.70 (0.49, 0.99)	0.046
Log rank	0.65 (0.47, 0.91)	0.012
Cox regression	0.66 (0.48, 0.91)	0.010



# Survival +/- SE: Non-smokers

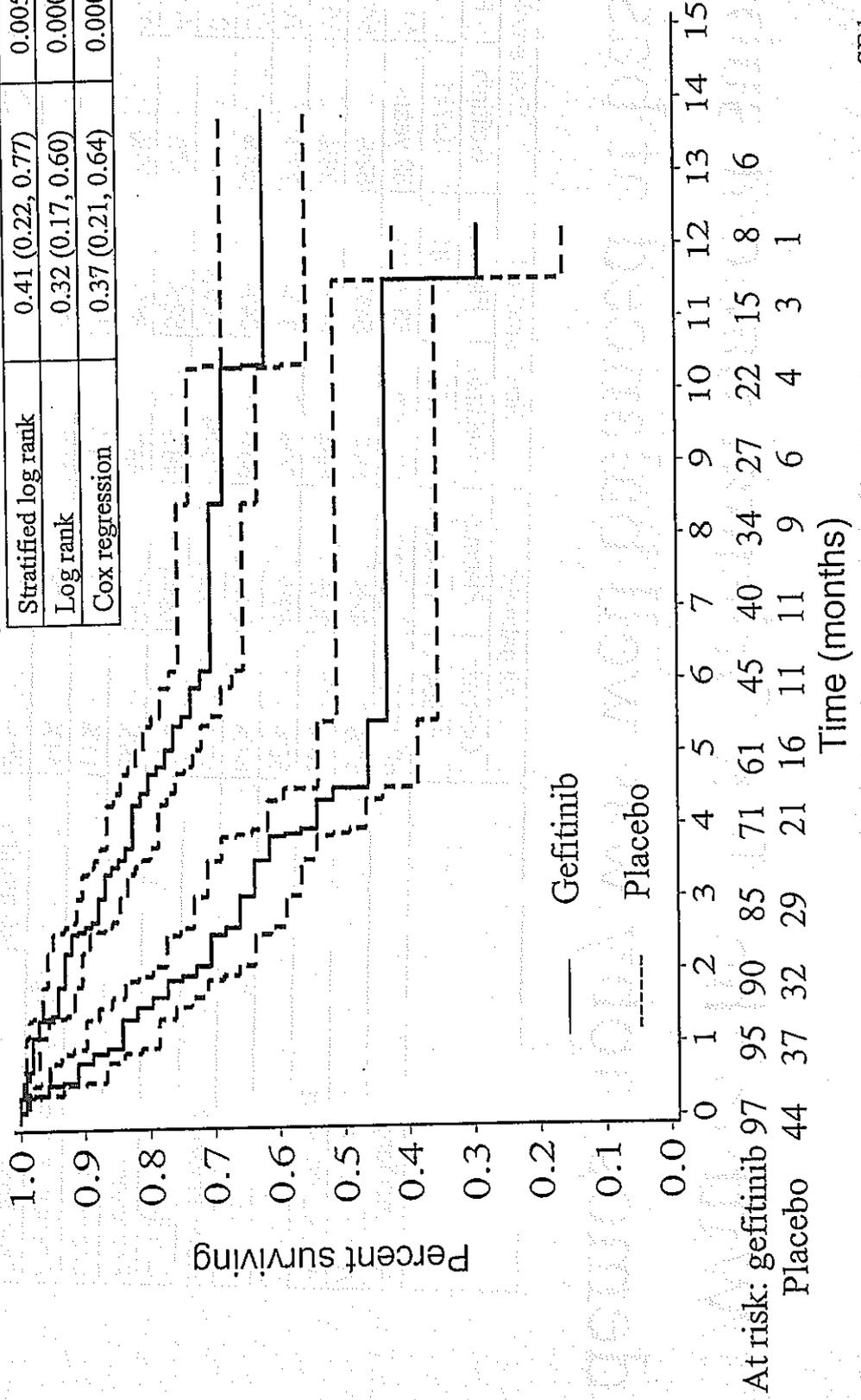
Analysis Method	HR and 95% CI	p-value
Stratified log rank	0.71 (0.50, 1.02)	0.061
Log rank	0.66 (0.48, 0.92)	0.013
Cox regression	0.67 (0.49, 0.92)	0.012



SE by Greenwoods formula

# Survival +/- SE : Oriental non-smokers

Analysis Method	HR and 95% CI	p-value
Stratified log rank	0.41 (0.22, 0.77)	0.0052
Log rank	0.32 (0.17, 0.60)	0.0003
Cox regression	0.37 (0.21, 0.64)	0.0004



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Within the Non Oriental patient subset, demography was well balanced at baseline

	All patients		Never smoked		Ever smoked	
	Gefitinib N=894	Placebo N=456	Gefitinib N=153	Placebo N=81	Gefitinib N=741	Placebo N=375
Age (median)	62 years	61 years	62 years	63 years	62 years	61 years
Age < 65 years	61%	62%	56%	54%	62%	64%
Age >= 65 years	39%	38%	44%	46%	38%	36%
Male	69%	69%	34%	37%	77%	76%
PS 0-1	64%	68%	66%	64%	63%	69%
Never smoked	17%	18%	100%	100%	0	0
2nd line	47%	45%	48%	52%	47%	44%
Refractory	89%	90%	86%	85%	89%	90%
Intolerant	11%	10%	13%	12%	11%	9%
Adenocarcinoma histology :	44%	45%	71%	62%	38%	41%
Time from diagnosis to randomisation	26%	23%	35%	21%	24%	24%
<6 months	36%	40%	29%	42%	38%	39%
6-12 months	37%	37%	35%	37%	38%	37%
> 12 months	17%	19%	11%	24%	18%	18%
Best response to prior chemotherapy	37%	38%	42%	39%	36%	38%
CR/PR	46%	43%	46%	33%	45%	44%
SD						
PD/NE						

# Within the Oriental patient subset, demography was well balanced at baseline

	All patients						Never smoked		Ever smoked			
	Gefitinib		Placebo		Gefitinib		Placebo		Gefitinib		Placebo	
	N=235	N=107	N=97	N=44	N=138	N=63						
Age (median)	61 years	61 years	58 years	55 years	64 years	64 years						
Age < 65 years	59%	64%	68%	82%	53%	52%						
Age >= 65 years	41%	36%	32%	18%	47%	48%						
Male	60%	60%	21%	27%	87%	83%						
PS 0-1	72%	72%	72%	70%	72%	73%						
Never smoked	41%	41%	100%	100%	0	0						
2nd line	54%	65%	52%	64%	55%	65%						
Refractory	93%	97%	94%	100%	93%	95%						
Intolerant	7%	3%	6%	0	7%	5%						
Adenocarcinoma histology	64%	64%	77%	84%	55%	49%						
Time from diagnosis to randomisation	<6 months	25%	32%	22%	41%	25%						
	6-12 months	40%	38%	38%	41%	41%						
	> 12 months	35%	30%	40%	25%	33%						
Best response to prior chemotherapy	CR/PR	21%	21%	22%	16%	24%						
	SD	34%	32%	35%	32%	32%						
	PD/NE	44%	48%	43%	52%	44%						

癌の組織型、性別、喫煙歴の別による有効性

癌の組織型、性別、喫煙歴の別によるイレッサの有効性の日本及びアジア地域での報告についてを、以下の表にまとめた。

Fukuoka et al (IDEAL1 試験日本人サブセット)

	奏効	非奏効	病勢コントロール	非病勢コントロール
女性	6	10	13	3
男性	8	27	23	12
腺癌	13	25	30	8
非腺癌	1	12	6	7

- [奏効率/性別] 感度 (奏効例に占める女性の割合) 6/14 (42.9%)
- 特異度 (非奏効例に占める男性の割合) 27/37 (73.0%)
- [奏効率/組織型] 感度 (奏効例に占める腺癌の割合) 13/14 (92.9%)
- 特異度 (非奏効例に占める非腺癌の割合) 12/37 (32.4%)
- [病勢コントロール率/性別] 感度 (病勢コントロール例に占める女性の割合) 13/36 (36.1%)
- 特異度 (非病勢コントロール例に占める男性の割合) 12/15 (80%)
- [病勢コントロール率/組織型] 感度 (病勢コントロール例に占める腺癌の割合) 30/36 (83.3%)
- 特異度 (非病勢コントロール例に占める非腺癌の割合) 7/15 (46.7%)

Takano et al

	奏効	非奏効
女性	17	15
男性	15	51
腺癌	31	50
非腺癌	1	16
非喫煙者	20	12
喫煙者	12	54

- [性別] 感度 (奏効例に占める女性の割合) 17/32 (53.1%)
- 特異度 (非奏効例に占める男性の割合) 51/66 (77.3%)
- [組織型] 感度 (奏効例に占める腺癌の割合) 31/32 (96.9%)
- 特異度 (非奏効例に占める非腺癌の割合) 16/66 (24.2%)
- [喫煙歴] 感度 (奏効例に占める非喫煙者の割合) 20/32 (62.5%)
- 特異度 (非奏効例に占める喫煙者の割合) 54/66 (81.8%)

Kaneda et al

	奏効	非奏効
女性	14	23
男性	6	58
腺癌	20	61
非腺癌	0	20
非喫煙者	15	40
喫煙者	5	41

- [性別] 感度 (奏効例に占める女性の割合) 14/20 (70%)  
 特異度 (非奏効例に占める男性の割合) 58/81 (71.6%)
- [組織型] 感度 (奏効例に占める腺癌の割合) 20/20 (100%)  
 特異度 (非奏効例に占める非腺癌の割合) 20/81 (24.7%)
- [喫煙歴] 感度 (奏効例に占める非喫煙者の割合) 15/20 (75%)  
 特異度 (非奏効例に占める喫煙者の割合) 41/81 (50.6%)

Hotta et al

	奏効	非奏効
女性	6	13
男性	9	28
腺癌	13	32
非腺癌	2	9
喫煙量 BI < 600	8	20
喫煙量 BI ≥ 600	7	21

BI: Brinkman Index

- [性別] 感度 (奏効例に占める女性の割合) 6/15 (40%)  
 特異度 (非奏効例に占める男性の割合) 28/41 (68.3%)
- [組織型] 感度 (奏効例に占める腺癌の割合) 13/15 (86.7%)  
 特異度 (非奏効例に占める非腺癌の割合) 9/41 (22.0%)
- [喫煙歴] 感度 (奏効例に占める喫煙量 BI < 600 の割合) 8/15 (53.3%)  
 特異度 (非奏効例に占める喫煙量 BI ≥ 600 の割合) 21/41 (51.2%)

Kim et al

	奏効	非奏効
女性	10	9