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Table 2. Distribution of Metastatic and Nonmetastatic LNs

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LN Size (mm)	4	4-8	8
Non-metastatic Metastatic	1193 78	449 101	41 50
Metastatic	70	101	30

McNemar-Chi-Square test

Table 1. Distrubition and Size of Metastatic and Non-metastatic LNs on Pathologic Specimen

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Fig. 1. Diagram of sensitivity, specificity and accuracy

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Region LN	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11	#12	#13	#16	Total
Non-meta. Number	58	88	390	311	66	201	117	110	88	24	38	79	59	54	1683
Diameter	2	1.7	2	2.1	2.5	2.3	2	3.2	2.1	2.6	2.4	3.6	2.5	2.5	2.3
Metastatic															
Number	8	1	56	41	20	67	11	8	5	7	3	1	1	0	229
Diameter	3.9	3.0	3.8	4.5	4.5	5.3	4.1	3.1	9	3.4	7	15	8	0	4.6

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^{*}Diameter(mm):

Table 3. Distribution LNs on Pathologic Specimen and CT $\,$

	#1	#2	#3,5	#4,6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11	#12	#13	#16	Total ()
LNs on													
Patho. Spec.	66	89	532	619	128	118	93	31	41	80	60	54	1191
Meta. LNs on						_	_		_			_	
Patho. Spec.	8	1	76	108	11	8	5	7	3	1	1	0	229
LNs													
on CT	1	1	97	53	8	6	4	0	0	1	0	1	172

Table 4. CT Nodal Staging of Gastric Cancer: Accuracies*	with
variable size criterias	

variable size criteri		Gastric Caricer, Ac	curacies with			6-11 mm
Size criteria					(10) Suss	
Patho. staging/Pt. No.	All nodes	4mm	8mm		(11).	64% Deutch
N0, 28 ¹⁾	14(50%)2)	15(54%)3)	21(75%)4)		(,	가
N1, 12	7(58%)	8(67%)	7(58%)	СТ		·
N2, 10	4(40%)	4(40%)	1(10%)	0.	(5).	TNM
N3, 3	0(0%)	0(0%)	0(0%)		(3).	I IVIVI
M1, 2	1(50%)	1(50%)	0(0%)	71	TNIA	
Total 55()	26/55	28/55	29/55	가	TNM	1
	(47%)	(51%)	(53%)		0.7	
*Accuracy:		CT	가		CT	가
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		(15 /28 =	= 54(%))			
4) CT 8mm	n	(0.1 /0.0	75 (0/))	78 %		,
		(21 /28 =	= 75(%))		가	
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		,		4mm	,	8 mm
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CT Lymphnodal Staging of Gastric Cancer by New TNM Staging System: Reassessment of the Size Criteria of Lymph Nodes¹

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Purpose: In the CT staging of gastric cancer, the reported size criteria for perigastric lymph nodes (LNs) has varied, as has the accuracy of the findings. We investigated whether relevant criteria could be established for nodal staging by CT, using a new TNM staging system.

Materials and Methods: In 55 patients who underwent surgery for gastric cancer, lymph node staging was determined by CT, according to various lymph node size criteria. For each patients, a new TNM staging system was used. Two radiologists analyzed the findings and measured the short diameter of discernible perigastric LNs(n= 192). Twelve percent (229) were found to be metastatic. For the diagnosis of LN metastasis according to LN size, sensitivity, specificity, and accuracy curves were obtained, and using the McNemar Chi-square test, the results were statistically analysed.

Results: The accuracy of lymph node staging was 53% with a size criterion of 8mm, 51% with a criterion of 4mm, and 47% when all discernible LNs were included. These differences were not, however, statistically significant. The size of metastatic LNs in these patients varied widely(1-22mm). Sensitivity and specificity curves crossed when LNs were between 4 and 4.5mm; accuracy was greatest in lymph nodes larger than 7mm.

Conclusion: The accuracy of N staging by CT, using a new TNM staging system, was low and did not differ significantly according to varying size criteria (McNemar Chi-Square test(p > 0.05). This finding may be due to the fact that metastatic lymph node size varied widely.

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