



Supplementary Fig. 2. Schematic figure of surgical procedure of pancreaticoduodenectomy (PD) and distal pancreatectomy (DP). (A) The transection line for the PD. (B) The transection line in the DP procedure; the operation was categorized as either proximal or distal transection according to the location of the transection line at the left border of the aorta.