	F0/1 (N=100)	F2 (N=15)	F3 (N=7)	F4 (N=8)	Р
APRI*	0.3 (0.2–0.4)	0.6 (0.4–1.1)	0.8 (0.5–0.9)	1.5 (1.1–2.7)	$< 0.001^{+}$
FIB-4*	1.3 (0.9–1.7)	2.1 (1.3–3.8)	2.3 (1.1–3.6)	4.0 (3.2–7.4)	$< 0.001^{\dagger}$
	F0/1 (N=117)	F2 (N=19)	F3 (N=7)	F4 (N=9)	Р
ELF	8.7 (8.1–9.2)	9.6 (9.0–9.9)	9.9 (9.2–10.8)	11.9 (10.5–12.6)	$< 0.001^{+}$
None/mild ( < 7.7) (N, %)	2 (1.7)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	$< 0.001^{\ddagger}$
Moderate (7.7–9.8) (N, %)	106 (90.6)	13 (68.4)	3 (42.9)	2 (22.2)	
Severe ( $\geq$ 9.8) (N, %)	9 (7.7)	6 (31.6)	4 (57.1)	7 (77.8)	
M2BPGi (COI)	0.4 (0.3–0.6)	0.8 (0.5–1.3)	0.6 (0.4–1.7)	1.5 (0.8–5.6)	$< 0.001^{+}$
- (<1.0) (N, %)	114 (97.4)	12 (63.2)	5 (71.4)	3 (33.3)	$< 0.001^{\ddagger}$
1+ (1.0–3.0) (N, %)	3 (2.6)	5 (26.3)	2 (28.6)	3 (33.3)	
2+ (≥3.0) (N, %)	0 (0.0)	2 (10.5)	0 (0.0)	3 (33.3)	

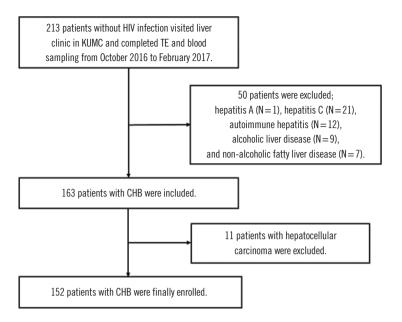
## Supplemental Data Table 1. APRI, FIB-4, ELF, and M2BPGi according to the fibrosis grade based on TE

Data are presented as median (interquartile range).

\*APRI and FIB-4 scores were obtained from 130 CHB patients at enrollment; <sup>†</sup>Kruskal–Wallis test; <sup>‡</sup>Chi-squared test.

Abbreviations: APRI, AST-to-platelet ratio index; FIB-4, fibrosis-4; ELF, enhanced liver fibrosis; M2BPGi, Mac-2 binding protein glycosylation isomer; TE, transient elastography; COI, cut-off index.

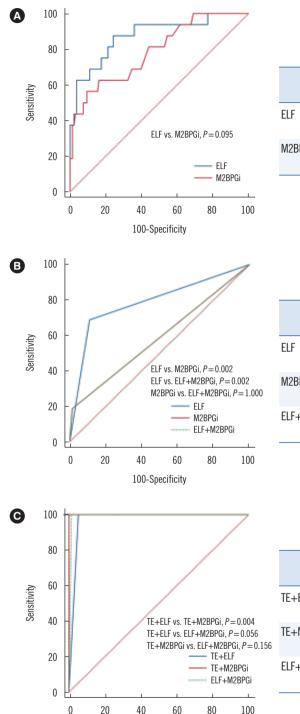




Supplemental Data Fig. 1. Flow chart of patient enrollment.

Abbreviations: HIV, human immunodeficiency virus; KUMC, Konkuk University Medical Center; TE, transient elastography; CHB, chronic hepatitis B.





	AUC (95% CI)	Optimal cut—off	Sensitivity (95% CI)	Specificity (95% CI)	PLR (95% CI)	NLR (95% CI)
LF	0.87 (0.81–0.92)	>9.36	87.5 (61.7–98.4)	75.7 (67.6–82.7)	3.6 (2.5–5.2)	0.2 (0.0–0.6)
2BPGi	0.79 (0.72–0.85)	>0.85 COI	56.3 (29.9–80.2)	90.4 (84.2–94.8)	5.9 (3.0–11.5)	0.5 (0.3–0.8)

	Cut-off	AUC (95% CI)	Sensitivity (95% CI)	Specificity (95% CI)	PLR (95% CI)	NLR (95% CI)
ELF	≥9.8	0.79 (0.71–0.85)	68.8 (41.3–88.9)	88.9 (82.4–93.7)	6.2 (3.5–11.1)	0.4 (0.2–0.7)
M2BPGi	≥3.0 COI	0.59 (0.50–0.67)	18.8 (4.0–45.6)	98.5 (94.8–99.8)	12.8 (2.3–70.7)	0.8 (0.6–1.0)
ELF+M2BPGi	$\geq$ 9.8/ $\geq$ 3.0 COI	0.59 (0.50–0.67)	18.8 (4.0–45.6)	98.5 (94.8–99.8)	12.8 (2.3–70.7)	0.8 (0.6–1.0)

		AUC (95% CI)	Sensitivity (95% CI)	Specificity (95% CI)	PLR (95% CI)	NLR (95% CI)
	TE+ELF	0.97 (0.93–0.99)	100.0 (29.2–100.0)	94.6 (89.7–97.7)	18.6 (9.4–36.5)	0.0 (N/A)
).156	TE+M2BPGi	1.00 (0.97–1.00)	100.0 (29.2–100.0)	100.0 (97.6–100.0)	N/A	0.0 (N/A)
	ELF+M2BPGi	0.99 (0.96–1.00)	100.0 (29.2–100.0)	98.7 (95.2–99.8)	74.5 (18.8–295.1)	0.0 (N/A)

**Supplemental Data Fig. 2.** ROC curve analysis of ELF, M2BPGi, and combined TE, ELF, and M2BPGi to predict advanced LF. (A) ROC curve analysis of ELF and M2BPGi to predict advanced LF ( $F \ge 3$  by TE). (B) ROC curve analysis of ELF and M2BPGi above the respective cut-off values with high NLR to predict advanced LF ( $F \ge 3$  by TE). (C) ROC curve analysis of by combined TE, ELF, and M2BPGi above the respective cut-off values with high NLR to predict advanced LF. Advanced LF based on TE+ELF+M2BPGi was defined as  $F \ge 3$  by TE, ELF  $\ge 9.8$ , and M2BPGi  $\ge 3.0$  COI. The concordance rate of TE, ELF, and M2BPGi was 80.9% (N=123).

Abbreviations: ROC, receiver operating characteristic; ELF, enhanced liver fibrosis; M2BPGi, Mac-2 binding protein glycosylation isomer; TE, transient elastography; LF, liver fibrosis; NLR, negative likelihood ratio; COI, cut-off index; AUC, area under the curve; CI, confidence interval, PLR; positive likelihood ratio; N/A, not available.

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