**Supplementary Table 2.** Univariate analysis of overall survival and disease-free survival after paraaortic lymph node dissection in the M1a group

Variable	Overall survival		Disease-free survival	
	HR (95% CI)	P-value	HR (95% CI)	P-value
CEA, >5 ng/mL SYNCH-PALNM No. of severity factors	1.656 (0.370–7.404) 0.278 (0.033–2.315)	0.510 0.237	4.157 (0.592–29.181) 0.102 (0.008–1.219)	0.151 0.071
1 ≥2	1 6.957 (1.398–34.620)	0.017	1 11.758 (1.796–76.968)	0.010

M1a group, patients with isolated paraaortic lymph node metastasis; HR, hazard ratio; CI, confidence interval; SYNCH-PALNM, synchronous paraaortic lymph node metastasis with primary cancer.

Severity factors were analyzed with only paraaortic lymph nodes, not including regional nodes of primary cancer.