

**Supplementary Table 2.** Incidence of nodal metastasis in the 2014 patient cohort

Depth	Ulceration	Parameter	Differentiated type		Undifferentiated type	
Mucosa	UL0	Tumor diameter (cm)	≤2	>2	≤2	>2
		Incidence of nodal metastasis, n (%)	5/430 (1.2)	14/487 (2.9)	8/400 (2.0)	27/432 (6.2)
		95% CI (%)	0.5–2.7	1.7–4.8	1.0–3.9	4.3–8.9
	UL1	Tumor diameter (cm)	≤3	>3	≤2	>2
		Incidence of nodal metastasis, n (%)	19/874 (2.2)	9/230 (3.9)	25/743 (3.4)	53/871 (6.1)
		95% CI (%)	1.4–3.4	2.1–7.3	2.3–4.9	4.7–7.9

CI, confidence interval.

Patients who meet the absolute indication for endoscopic submucosal dissection according to the Japanese Gastric Cancer Association guidelines are highlighted in shading.