

Supplementary table 1: The reasons for not operating patients

	n (%)
Total	295
Operated	106/295 (35.9%)
Not operated	189/295 (64.1%)
Reasons for not being operated	
All (Complete and incomplete induction chemotherapy)	189/295 (64.1%)
Not in metastatic remission after induction chemotherapy	93/189 (49.2%)
Local progression of disease	50/189 (26.5%)
Metastatic progression of disease	12/189 (6.3%)
Symptom-related palliation only	9/189 (4.7%)
Abandoned therapy	5/189 (2.6%)
Died during induction chemotherapy	8/189 (4.2%)
Toxicity	5/189 (2.6%)
Cardiac arrest (electrolyte disturbance)	1/189 (0.5%)
Respiratory arrest	1/189 (0.5%)
Ventilator related complication	1/189 (0.5%)
Unknown	10/189 (5.3%)
Incomplete induction chemotherapy	82/189 (43.4%)
Local progression of disease	45/82 (54.9%)
Metastatic progression of disease	11/82 (13.4%)
Symptom-related palliation only	9/82 (11.0%)
Abandoned induction chemotherapy	4/82 (4.9%)
Died during induction chemotherapy	8/82 (9.8%)
Toxicity	5/82 (6.1%)
Cardiac arrest (electrolyte disturbance)	1/82 (1.2%)
Respiratory arrest	1/82 (1.2%)
Ventilator related complication	1/82 (1.2%)
Unknown	2/82 (2.4%)
Completed induction chemotherapy	107/189 (56.6%)
Not in metastatic remission	93/107 (86.9%)
Local progression of disease	5/107 (46.7%)
Metastatic progression of disease	1/107 (0.9%)
Abandoned therapy before surgery	1/107 (0.9%)
Reason unknown	8/107 (7.5%)