

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	<input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of	(General priority)	Peer-reviewer's expertise on the
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not	language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision	topic of the manuscript:
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In the manuscript “Prognosis of advanced gastric cancer according to sex and age”, the authors analyzed data from 2005 patients, found the prognostic factors varied according to sex and age, and older age independently predicted poor overall survival and relapse-free survival. The manuscript was well organized and provided some useful information. There were some mistakes in the manuscript. For example, “The mean tumour size was 6.3 ± 3.5 cm (range: 1–48 mm)”, is it correct? The largest tumor size was 4.8cm? The same question in the table 1. In discussion section, “These findings may be related to younger patients typically presenting with more advanced disease”, is it younger or older? “The better outcomes among older patients may also be related to two factors”, the same question, younger or older? The authors should further analyze that dividing patients by 60 has difference or not compare to 30 or 45, which could provide more information on age related OS or PFS.

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This study investigated the prognosis factors of gastric cancer with a sample size of 2005 patients. A lot of previous studies have been investigated the factors, which associated with the prognosis of gastric cancer. The finding of this study was also similar to and validated those from previous studies. 1. The title of the manuscript was suggested as "The Prognosis factors of gastric cancer according to sex and age". 2. there were some duplicate expression in the manuscript, for example, "with approximately 53.3% and 46.7% of the patients being ≤ 60 and > 60 years old" can be expressed as "with approximately 53.3% of the patients being ≤ 60 years old,". 3. In materials and Methods, "Overall survival (OS) was defined as the time from tumour resection until death by any cause or the last follow-up", if the patients died of other reasons out of cancer, the data from these patients should be regarded as censored values. 4. There were many multiple regression models (logistic and COX), which were used in the study. What's the confounding factors being adjusted? 5. The P value of "0.000" should be presented as " < 0.001 ". 6. In table 3 and 4, when analyzing the association of depth of invasion with survival, which group was set as reference?

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