

Supplementary Table 1. Clinical characteristics at the time of chemotherapy and treatment outcomes

| Characteristic | Total (n = 90) |
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| Stage (Rai system) | |
| o | 23 (25.6) |
| I | 13 (14.4) |
| II | 14 (15.6) |
| III | 20 (22.2) |
| IV | 19 (21.1) |
| Unknown | 1 (1.1) |
| Stage (Binet system) | |
| A | 45 (50.0) |
| В | 11 (12.2) |
| С | 33 (36.7) |
| Unknown | 1 (1.1) |
| Constitutional symptom ($n = 88$) | 12 (13.3) |
| Response to 1st line chemotherapy | |
| CR | 16 (17.8) |
| PR | 47 (52.2) |
| SD | 20 (22.2) |
| PD | 4 (4.4) |
| Unknown | 2 (2.2) |
| Death in cytopenia | 1 (1.1) |
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Values are presented as number (%).

CR, complete remission; PR, partial remission; SD, stable disease; PD, progressive disease.