

Data Sharing Statement

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Item	Question	Authors' Response (place “-” if not applicable)
1	Would you like to share data collected for your study to others?	Yes
2	If not, would you like to share the reason for your decision?	-
3	What data in particular will be shared?	Raw data on patient related indicators, general information about the patient.
4	Any other documents will be shared? Such as study protocol, statistical analysis plan, informed consent form, clinical study report, analytic code.	Statistical analysis plan, informed consent form, and clinical study report will also be shared if requested.
5	When will data availability begin?	From the publication date.
6	When will data availability end?	Two years within the publication date, since the technique or survival date may be updated over time.
7	To whom will you share the data?	Gastroenterology surgeons and medical oncologists who are interested in gastric cancer.
8	For what type of analysis or purpose?	For analysis to evaluate the prognostic impact of ratio between metastatic and harvested lymph nodes and negative lymph node count in gastric cancer.
9	How or where can the data/documents be obtained?	By email to corresponding author: heyulong@mail.sysu.edu.cn
10	Any other restrictions?	We may balance the potential benefits and risks for each request and then provide the data that could be shared.