Table 1: **Max NHI vs MES in Rectum and Descending Colon**

|  |  | Max NHI in Ascending Colon | | | | | Max NHI in Transverse Colon | | | | |
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| location | Max MES | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| rectum and descending colon | 0 | 83.5% (86) | 4.9% (5) | 9.7% (10) | 1.9% (2) | 0.0% (0) | 92.2% (95) | 1.0% (1) | 6.8% (7) | 0.0% (0) | 0.0% (0) |
| rectum and descending colon | 1 | 71.0% (22) | 3.2% (1) | 19.4% (6) | 3.2% (1) | 3.2% (1) | 83.3% (25) | 0.0% (0) | 13.3% (4) | 3.3% (1) | 0.0% (0) |
| rectum and descending colon | >1 | 43.8% (7) | 6.2% (1) | 25.0% (4) | 25.0% (4) | 0.0% (0) | 50.0% (8) | 6.2% (1) | 25.0% (4) | 18.8% (3) | 0.0% (0) |