## Supplementary Table 1. Clinicopathological information of five patients with diffuse-type gastric cancer.

Number	Age (year)	Gender	Resection	Curability	Size (cm)	pT	Lymph nodes*	pМ	Ly	Ve	Neu	MSI
P1	65	F	Total	R0	13	Serosa exposure	12/46	0	+	-	+	-
P2	69	M	Subtotal	R0	6.3	Sub- serosa	1/36	0	-	-	+	-
Р3	60	M	Subtotal	R2	5.8	Serosa exposure	2/55	1**	+	-	+	-
P4	46	F	Subtotal	R1	5.5	Serosa exposure	0/62	1 <sup>¶</sup>	+	-	+	-
P5	59	M	Subtotal	R0	7.3	Serosa exposure	9/47	0	-	-	-	-

<sup>\*</sup>Number of positive/harvested lymph nodes.

pT, pathologic Tstage, pM, pathologic Mstage, Ly, lymphatic invasion; Ve, venous invasion; Neu, neural invasion; MSI, microsatellite instability by immunohistochemistry.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Peritoneal metastasis with seeding nodules and cytology positive.

<sup>¶</sup>Cytology positive.