

## **Supplemental Materials for**

### **CT-quantified body composition predicts short-term outcome following gastrectomy of gastric cancer**

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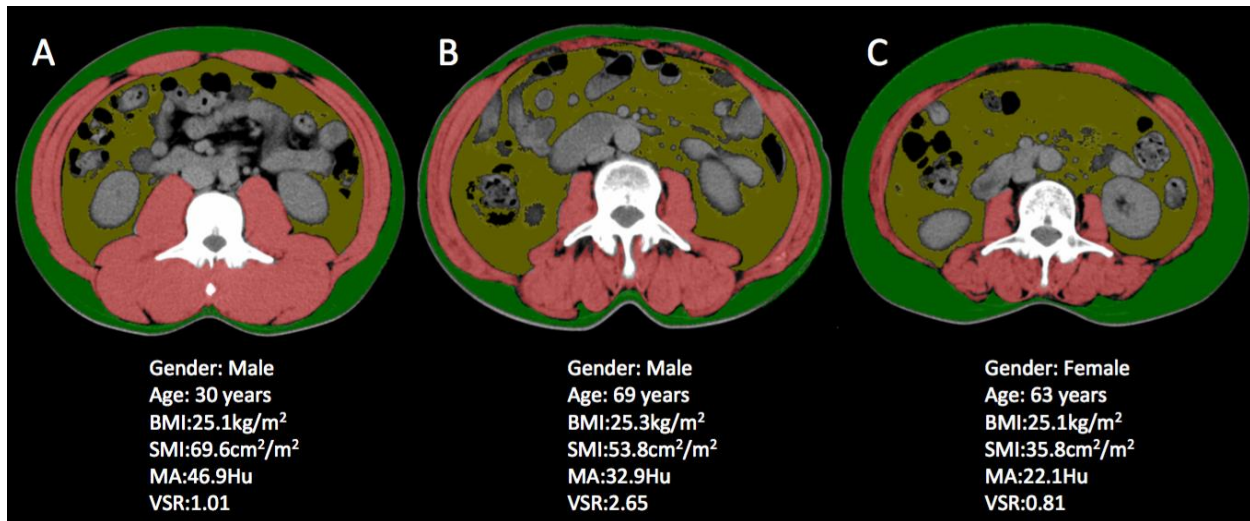
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Supplemental Figure 1: Computed tomography images of the third lumbar vertebra used to calculate body composition variables.



**Supplemental Figure 1. Computed tomography images of the third lumbar vertebra used to calculate body composition variables.** The red, green, and yellow shadows indicate the skeletal muscle, subcutaneous adipose tissue, and visceral adipose tissue areas, respectively. A, B, and C show the findings from three patients with gastric cancer. Although their BMIs were almost identical, their body composition showed great differences. BMI, body mass index; SMI, skeletal muscle index; MA, muscle attenuation; Hu, Hounsfield units; VSR, visceral to subcutaneous adipose tissue area ratio.