

S3 Table. Probability of lung cancer depending on iron concentration.

Quartile	Iron concentration ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	Cases, n=200 (%)	Controls, n=200 (%)	OR <sub>uni</sub> (95%CI) <sup>a</sup>	p-value	OR <sub>multi</sub> (95%CI) <sup>b</sup>	p-value
I	<942.90	47 (23.5)	53 (26.5)	1	-	1	-
II	942.91-1203.83	43 (21.5)	57 (28.5)	0.91 (0.48 - 1.71)	0.77	0.73 (0.36-1.45)	0.37
III	1203.84-1496.57	43 (21.5)	57 (28.5)	0.92 (0.50 - 1.70)	0.80	0.76 (0.39 - 1.48)	0.42
<b>IV</b>	<b>&gt;1497</b>	<b>67 (33.5)</b>	<b>33 (16.5)</b>	<b>2.38 (1.26 – 4.51)</b>	<b>0.01</b>	<b>2.24 (1.12 – 4.46)</b>	<b>0.02</b>

<sup>a</sup>OR<sub>uni</sub> univariable conditional logistic regression

<sup>b</sup>OR<sub>multi</sub> multivariable conditional logistic regression (adjusted for seven tested SNP's).