

Table S1: Immunostaining results and MSI status by PCR.

MSI status by PCR	MMR proteins expression		
	MLH1/PMS2 negative	MSH2/MSH6 negative	MMR^c proteins positive
MSI^a n=45 (18%)	37 (82.2%)	4 (8.9%)	4 (8.9%)
MSS^b n=201 (82%)	3 (1.5%)	1 (0.5%)	197 (98%)

^amicrosatellite unstable, ^bmicrosatellite stable, ^cmismatched repair.