

# Supplementary Materials: CNS Invasion in Meningioma—How the Intraoperative Assessment Can Improve the Prognostic Evaluation of Tumor Recurrence

Felix Behling, Christina Fodi, Irina Gepfner-Tuma, Kathrin Machetanz, Mirjam Renovanz, Marco Skardelly, Antje Bornemann, Jürgen Honegger, Ghazaleh Tabatabai, Marcos Tatagiba and Jens Schittenhelm

**Table S1.** Cohort characteristics and univariate analysis of tumor recurrence restricted to cases treated after the implementation of the WHO classification of 2007 (Chi-Square test).

Variable	Complete Cohort			<i>p</i> -value	5-year Follow-up Cohort			<i>p</i> -value
	N (%)	Tumor Recurrence N (%)	No		N (%)	Yes	No	
Gender								
Female	895 (73.6)	114 (12.7)	781 (87.3)	.0001*	277 (70.7)	114 (41.2)	163 (58.9)	.0004*
Male	321 (26.4)	70 (21.8)	251 (78.2)		115 (29.3)	70 (60.9)	45 (39.1)	
Tumor localization								
Skull base	633 (52.1)	109 (17.2)	524 (82.8)	.0007*	212 (54.1)	109 (51.4)	103 (48.6)	.0140*
Convexity/falx	456 (37.5)	70 (15.4)	386 (84.7)		156 (39.8)	70 (44.9)	86 (55.1)	
Spinal	127 (10.4)	5 (3.9)	122 (96.1)		24 (6.1)	5 (20.8)	19 (79.2)	
Simpson grade								
1	286 (24.1)	24 (8.4)	262 (91.6)	< .0001*	76 (20.0)	24 (31.6)	52 (68.4)	< .0001*
2	332 (28.0)	19 (5.7)	313 (94.3)		72 (19.0)	19 (26.4)	53 (73.6)	
3	248 (20.9)	39 (15.7)	209 (84.3)		84 (22.1)	39 (46.4)	45 (53.6)	
4	319 (26.9)	99 (31.0)	220 (69.0)		148 (39.0)	99 (66.9)	49 (33.1)	
5	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)		0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)	
CNS invasion by histopathological assessment								
Yes	63 (5.2)	21 (33.3)	42 (66.7)	< .0001*	29 (7.4)	21 (72.4)	8 (27.6)	.0043*
No	1153 (94.8)	163 (14.1)	990 (85.9)		363 (92.6)	163 (44.9)	200 (55.1)	
CNS invasion by intraoperative assessment								
Yes	275 (23.5)	51 (18.6)	224 (81.5)	.0454*	96 (26.0)	51 (53.1)	45 (46.9)	.1542
No	894 (76.5)	122 (13.7)	772 (86.4)		273 (74.0)	122 (44.7)	151 (55.3)	
CNS invasion by combined assessment								
Yes	301 (25.8)	60 (19.9)	241 (80.1)	.0036*	108 (29.3)	60 (55.6)	48 (44.4)	.0318*
No	868 (74.3)	113 (13.0)	755 (87.0)		261 (70.7)	113 (43.3)	148 (56.7)	
CNS invasion intraoperatively not seen on histopathology								
Yes	238 (20.4)	39 (16.4)	199 (83.6)	.4396	79 (21.4)	39 (49.4)	40 (50.6)	.6178
No	931 (76.6)	134 (14.4)	797 (85.6)		290 (78.6)	134 (46.2)	156 (53.8)	
CNS invasion double positive (histopathology and intraoperatively)								
	37 (3.2)	12 (32.4)	25 (67.6)	.0021*	17 (4.6)	12 (70.6)	5 (29.4)	.0449*
	1132 (96.8)	161 (14.2)	971 (85.8)		352 (95.4)	161 (45.7)	191 (54.3)	

	Yes	No						
WHO Classification 2007	1066 (87.7)	129 (12.1)	937 (87.9)	<.0001*	311 (79.3)	129 (41.5)	182 (58.5)	<.0001*
I	3 (0.3)	2 (66.7)	1 (33.3)		2 (0.5)	2 (100.0)	0 (0)	
II								
III								
WHO Classification 2016	1035 (85.1)	122 (11.8)	913 (88.2)	<.0001*	300 (76.5)	122 (40.7)	178 (59.3)	<.0001*
I	178 (14.6)	60 (33.7)	118 (66.3)		90 (23.0)	60 (66.7)	30 (33.3)	
II								
III	3 (0.3)	2 (66.7)	1 (33.3)		2 (0.5)	2 (100.0)	0 (0)	

Asterisk (\*): statistically significant result.

**Table S2.** Characteristics of meningiomas with invasive growth according to the type of assessment (Chi-Square test).

	N (%)	Histopathology Assessment	CNS Invasion	p-value
		Intraoperative Assessment	By Both Assessments	
Gender				
Female	245 (65.9)	11 (40.7)	208 (69.6)	26 (56.5)
Male	127 (34.1)	16 (59.3)	91 (30.4)	20 (43.5)
Tumor localization				
Skull base	142 (38.2)	15 (55.6)	117 (39.1)	10 (21.7)
Convexity/falk	226 (60.8)	12 (44.4)	178 (59.5)	36 (78.3)
Spinal	4 (1.1)	0 (-)	4 (1.3)	0 (-)
WHO classification 2007				0.0402*
I	271 (72.9)	15 (55.6)	240 (80.3)	16 (34.8)
II	100 (26.9)	12 (44.4)	58 (19.4)	30 (65.2)
III	1 (0.3)	0 (-)	1 (0.3)	0 (-)
Histology I				<0.0001*
Angiomatous	7 (1.9)	0 (-)	7 (2.3)	0 (-)
Fibroblastic	17 (4.6)	0 (-)	16 (5.4)	1 (2.2)
Lymphocyte rich	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)
Meningothelial	157 (42.2)	4 (14.8)	144 (48.2)	9 (19.6)
Metaplastic	5 (1.3)	1 (3.7)	4 (1.3)	0 (-)
Microcystic	11 (3.0)	0 (-)	11 (3.7)	0 (-)
Psammomatous	9 (2.4)	0 (-)	9 (3.0)	0 (-)
Secretory	16 (4.3)	2 (7.4)	13 (4.4)	1 (2.2)
Transitional	32 (8.6)	1 (3.7)	31 (10.4)	0 (-)
NOS	17 (4.6)	7 (25.9)	5 (1.7)	5 (10.9)
II				
Atypical	94 (25.3)	12 (44.4)	52 (17.4)	30 (65.2)
Chordoid	6 (1.6)	0 (-)	6 (2.0)	0 (-)
Clear Cell	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)
III				
Anaplastic	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)
Papillary	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)	0 (-)
Rhabdoid	1 (0.3)	0 (-)	1 (0.3)	0 (-)

Asterisk (\*): statistically significant result.



