## Supplementary Tables

Table S1. Correlation between the levels of p97 and CD44 <sup>+</sup> /CD24 <sup>-</sup> CSC population in breast
cancer patients ( $n = 75$ ).

	Expression	CD44 <sup>+</sup> /CD24 <sup>-</sup>	non CD44 <sup>+</sup> /CD24 <sup></sup>	CD44 <sup>-</sup> /CD24 <sup>-</sup>	CD44 <sup>-</sup> /CD24 <sup>+</sup>	CD44 <sup>+</sup> /CD24 <sup>+</sup>	<i>p</i> -value
p97	High	22	17	17	0	0	< 0.001
	Low	10	61	58	2	1	
<i>p</i> -values were calculated using the chi-squared test.							

Table S2. Correlation between the levels of p97 and SOX2 in breast cancer patients ( $n = 75$ ).						
	SOX2					
	Expression	Low	High	<i>p</i> -value		
p97	Low	21	20	< 0.001		
	High	3	31			
<i>p</i> -values were calculated using the chi-squared test.						

Table S3. Correlation between the levels of p97 and c-MYC in breast cancer patients ( $n = 98$ ).					
	c-MYC				
	Expression	Low	High	<i>p</i> -value	
p97	Low	32	9	< 0.001	
	High	4	53		
<i>p</i> -values were calculated using the chi-squared test.					

Table S4. Correlation between the levels of p97 and SKP2 in breast cancer patients ( $n = 97$ ).					
	SKP2				
	Expression	Low	High	<i>p</i> -value	
p97	Low	37	4	< 0.001	
	High	3	53		
<i>p</i> -values were calculated using the chi-squared test.					