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Risk of mortality and ipsilateral-breast cancer by age.

Age was grouped into 10-years intervals, and Cox proportional hazards model was used to estimate the relative risk of death and ipsilateral-breast tumor recurrence (IBTR) in each age group. The reference age group was (30,40]. The relative hazard by age for death and IBTR are listed in Table 1 below. The smoothed version of these relative hazards was performed by cubin spline interpolation, and is displayed in hazard_spiline.pdf.

Supplemental Tables

sTable 1. Risk of mortality and IBTR by age for patients in the BCT arm

| Age | Relative | p-value | Relative | p-value |
|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Hazard of | | hazard of | |
| | death | | IBTR | |
| <= 30 | 0.93 | 0.92 | 0.64 | 0.68 |
| (30,40] | 1 | | 1 | |
| (40,50] | 0.97 | 0.94 | 0.60 | 0.32 |
| (50,60] | 1.63 | 0.19 | 0.46 | 0.18 |
| (60,70] | 2.45 | 0.02 | 0.82 | 0.73 |
| > 70 | 3.55 | 0.01 | 0.71 | 0.75 |

sTable 2. Multivariate analysis of overall survival

| Characteristic | Value | Hazard ratio | p-value |
|----------------|-------|--------------|---------|
| Age | <=50 | 1 | |
| | >50 | 2.36 | 0.0092 |
| Mass side | Left | 1 | |
| | Right | 0.57 | 0.0055 |

| OCP use | No | 1 | |
|--------------|------|------|--------|
| | Yes | 0.99 | 0.95 |
| Pre and post | Pre | 1 | |
| menopausal | | | |
| | Post | 1.16 | 0.63 |
| Chemo | No | 1 | |
| | Yes | 1.16 | 0.83 |
| Tumor stage | T1 | 1 | |
| | T2 | 1.67 | 0.0086 |
| # of Nodes | 0 | 1 | |
| | 1-3 | 1.47 | 0.59 |
| | >=4 | 5.88 | 0.011 |

sTable 3. Multivariate analysis of disease-free survival

| Characteristic | Value | Hazard ratio | p-value |
|----------------|-------|--------------|---------|
| Treatment | MRM | 1 | |
| | BCT | 1.92 | 0.0023 |
| Chemo | No | 1 | |
| | Yes | 2.91 | 0.20 |
| Tumor stage | T1 | 1 | |
| | T2 | 2.04 | 0.00070 |
| # of Nodes | 0 | 1 | |
| | 1-3 | 0.53 | 0.46 |
| | >=4 | 1.52 | 0.62 |