

Table 3. Comparison of 5-year age-standardized relative survival of major cancer sites/types between all registries

Cancer site/type	5-year age-standardized relative survival (0-74 years), %						
	China				Costa Rica	Cuba	The Gambia
	Hong Kong SAR	Qidong	Shanghai	Tianjin			
	1996–2001	1992–2000	1992–1995	1991–1999	1995–2000	1994–1995	1993–1997
Tongue	64.0		66.9	68.2		38.9	
Oral cavity	64.5	43.8	70.9	69.2		43.7	
Tonsil	47.8 <sup>§</sup>		62.1	68.3		51.2	
Oropharynx						55.8	
Nasopharynx	74.0	36.4	57.6	57.6			
Hypopharynx	24.1		31.0	82.3			
Oesophagus	26.4	6.1	20.6	40.3			
Stomach	41.5	20.1	36.0	44.2			2.8
Colon	63.2	42.1	54.0	61.9		46.4	
Rectum	63.4 <sup>†</sup>	34.5	51.0	58.1		50.7	
Liver	24.6	5.4	9.8	25.8			3.2
Gall bladder	29.7	17.5	21.0	50.3			
Pancreas	19.9	6.7	9.5	31.0			
Nose/Sinuses	70.2	22.3	52.4	61.6			
Larynx	73.4	48.7	67.2	69.7		58.1	
Lung	25.1	6.4	18.0	32.3			19.7
Bone	70.1	15.2	34.0	29.8			
Skin melanoma	61.7	26.6	61.7	62.8			
Skin others	100.1	37.3	85.9	86.7			
Mesothelioma	38.1			58.1			
Kaposi sarcoma							
Connective tissue	66.5	36.2	62.9	78.7			
Breast	89.6	58.3	79.4	85.6	69.6	70.4	12.5
Cervix uteri	79.5	47.9	63.5	70.5	53.5	56.3	21.8
Corpus uteri	85.1	62.2	86.9	91.3			
Ovary	67.3	35.1	47.9	64.4			
Penis	86.8		90.7	79.0			
Prostate	78.2	36.3	54.2	68.4			
Testis	92.1		81.7	76.4			
Kidney	70.5 <sup>®</sup>	26.7	60.3	65.7			
Renal pelvis			71.2	93.9			
Ureter			73.0	77.9			
Bladder	81.2	47.3	74.5	81.1		68.8	
Eye	51.9		79.1	100.3			
Brain & nervous	48.7	11.1	51.1	49.5			
Thyroid	95.1	76.8	91.2	89.1			
Adrenal gland	71.2 <sup>*</sup>		69.5	69.2			
Hodgkin lymphoma	87.4		77.6	81.9		57.5	
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	64.7	13.4	45.6	53.2		50.3	25.5
Multiple myeloma	37.8	10.9	28.1	46.1			
Lymphoid leukaemia	59.1	5.4	30.4	64.9			
Myeloid leukaemia	42.3	6.0	30.0	68.0			
Unspecified leukaemia	36.8	7.1	14.6	22.0			

<sup>§</sup> includes oropharynx; <sup>†</sup> includes anus; <sup>®</sup> includes renal pelvis; <sup>\*</sup> includes other endocrine

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Cancer site/type	5-year age-standardized relative survival (0-74 years), %									
	India					Pakistan	Philippines		Saudi Arabia	Singapore
	Barshi	Bhopal	Chennai	Karuna-gappally	Mumbai	South Karachi	Manila	Rizal	Riyadh	
	1993-00	1991-95	1990-99	1991-97	1992-99	1995-99	1994-95	1996-97	1994-96	1993-97
Tongue	11.8	13.1	23.4	29.6	29.7	39.3				44.3
Oral cavity	26.1	37.5	36.7	45.3	36.0	40.9				49.2
Tonsil			15.6		16.6	32.3				44.7
Oropharynx			20.7		20.4					
Nasopharynx					24.7					59.2
Hypopharynx	10.0	2.0	15.0	15.5	23.1					11.9
Oesophagus	5.3	3.6	8.6	18.5	16.2					12.1
Stomach	6.0	3.8	10.3	4.1	15.2					27.4
Colon		5.2			30.3		43.5			52.5
Rectum	14.7	6.5		32.6	31.1		30.6			52.1
Liver	0.0			4.5						6.5
Gall bladder										18.3
Pancreas			8.7	4.3	15.2					4.8
Nose/Sinuses										50.4
Larynx	15.7	15.7		28.3	36.0					65.7
Lung	5.3	1.0		7.8	13.4					9.3
Bone										38.5
Skin melanoma			38.0							44.5
Skin others	75.3		7.1	83.7						95.2
Mesothelioma										11.4
Kaposi sarcoma										
Soft tissue sarcoma										57.1
Breast	52.7	30.6	47.7	54.4	51.6		55.0	39.7	64.5	76.4
Cervix uteri	35.7	34.5	59.6	57.8	46.4		37.4			65.7
Corpus uteri										79.6
Ovary		18.9	28.5	27.8	22.9					62.4
Penis	64.1				53.3					74.8
Prostate				32.6	42.3					64.3
Testis					56.2					88.2
Kidney					35.2					55.0
Renal pelvis										43.9
Ureter										
Bladder		9.7	32.0	48.4	45.6					71.9
Eye										
Brain & nervous				16.2						29.6
Thyroid				90.0						91.2
Adrenal gland										32.1
Hodgkin lymphoma			37.8		52.2					75.4
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	25.9	9.9	23.2	39.8	37.1					52.0
Multiple myeloma				13.4						26.0
Lymphoid leukaemia		12.6	16.4	45.6	15.5					42.9
Myeloid leukaemia	19.5	14.2	14.9	8.2	15.2					22.6
Unspecified leukaemia			11.2		7.1					12.9

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	Republic of Korea			Thailand				Turkey	Uganda	Zimbabwe
	Busan	Incheon	Seoul	Chiang Mai	Khon Kaen	Lampang	Songkhla	Izmir	Kampala	Harare <sup>s</sup>
	1996-01	1997-01	1993-97	1993-97	1993-97	1990-00	1990-99	1995-97	1993-97	1993-97
Tongue	52.8	52.0	59.6	24.3	32.4	33.2	31.4			
Oral cavity	48.4	54.4	51.6	22.0	41.9	37.2	35.3			
Tonsil	57.9	48.4	58.3	30.6		43.4	13.5			
Oropharynx	20.9		42.8							
Nasopharynx	53.2	53.6	47.1	41.5	34.6	39.9	47.4	0.0		
Hypopharynx	23.5	38.3	31.3	30.0		32.8	24.0			
Oesophagus	20.5	25.9	22.8	6.4		26.8	9.9	3.0	12.3	
Stomach	46.5	50.0	49.2	12.1		20.4	8.8	0.0	22.8	
Colon	57.0	57.4	65.7	32.5	44.3	39.4	52.8	52.2	8.2	28.6
Rectum	57.3	57.6	61.5	30.4	42.8	36.8	31.9	52.0	10.1	30.3
Liver	10.0	16.8	20.3	3.3		11.9	2.5	1.4	3.7	
Gall bladder	21.8	25.3	30.3	6.4		18.5	14.4			
Pancreas	7.4	14.2	17.1	10.6		15.0	15.9			
Nose/Sinuses	39.3	63.4	50.9	30.8		50.7	25.9			
Larynx	58.9	61.6	75.6	28.0	26.5	49.1	44.6	71.4		29.7
Lung	13.7	20.6	19.7	4.8		12.1	8.6	0.0	11.4	
Bone	39.7	46.9	39.8	8.5		19.9	27.5			
Skin melanoma	48.1	71.5	49.5	23.3		46.2	53.8			77.4
Skin others	89.4	85.4	92.6	59.2		85.4	76.6			
Mesothelioma	17.0		40.8							
Kaposi sarcoma								35.6	4.4	
Connective tissue	40.8	55.6	55.7	44.6		52.6	32.0			
Breast	80.6	78.5	78.6	57.3	65.6	63.3	62.4	77.2	45.8	57.8
Cervix uteri	75.8	79.5	79.2	60.0	53.9	63.3	61.3	63.5	13.1	39.1
Corpus uteri	74.3	72.3	81.7	64.4		74.4	72.5			
Ovary	54.5	58.7	62.2	44.7	58.1	46.3	48.7	59.7	8.6	34.0
Penis	73.0		77.5	36.7		73.1	64.6			
Prostate	59.5	69.4	70.2	35.0		58.3	32.7	47.2		
Testis	72.2	98.3	93.9			61.1				
Kidney	64.1	67.9	70.3	23.1		29.0	37.0			
Renal pelvis	54.6	72.3	71.1			28.0				
Ureter	68.1	91.0	57.5							
Bladder	72.8	76.1	79.5	33.2	59.7	49.5	45.9	70.7		37.2
Eye	59.3		58.1						35.7	69.9
Brain & nervous	37.5	41.0	38.9	16.4		43.4	31.1			
Thyroid	93.0	92.6	94.4	65.4		73.1	86.9	10.8		
Adrenal gland	32.3 <sup>+</sup>	78.4	31.6							
Hodgkin lymphoma	76.9	82.8	76.3	73.1	67.7	56.4	55.9	65.8		46.5
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	49.0	57.4	58.0	28.1	39.3	44.3	47.7	50.6	25.1	26.0
Multiple myeloma	14.5	29.0	32.0				32.3	31.1		
Lymphoid leukaemia	32.7	40.3	38.5	15.4		44.1	36.5	50.1		
Myeloid leukaemia	27.5	36.0	26.3	10.9		35.0	15.4	34.2		
Unspecified leukaemia	6.1		16.8	11.0		12.9	17.0			

<sup>s</sup> all races together; + includes other endocrine glands