

Table 2. Inclusion and exclusion criteria for the survival study

<b>Inclusion criteria</b>	:	A cohort of single primary, incident, invasive cancers diagnosed within a specified consecutive calendar period from 1 <sup>st</sup> January to 31 <sup>st</sup> December with a potential follow-up period of five years or more for a sizeable number of cases
<b>Exclusion criteria</b>	:	Cases registered on the basis of a death certificate notification and continuing to remain as a case of Death Certificate Only (DCO) - Incidence date same as the date of death  Cases without any follow-up information after the first registration - Lack of any follow-up  Cases rejected on validation checks of submitted variables to the survival database - Details of checks listed separately