### Ten-year relative survival curves

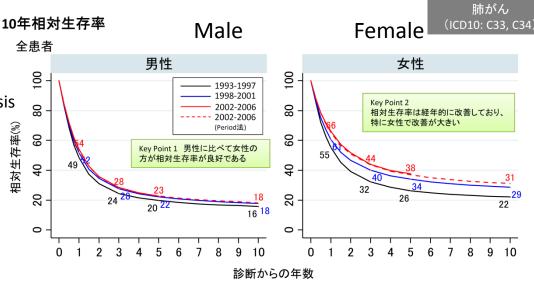


By period at diagnosis

Solid line:

Cohort approach

Red dashed line: Period anlaysis (2002-2006)

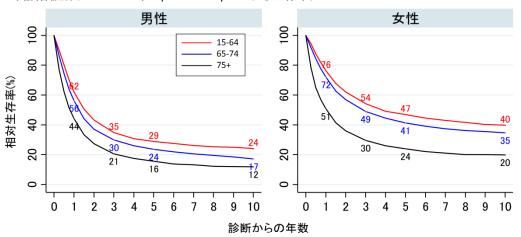


#### By age group

Period approach (2002-2006)

15-64 65-74 75-99

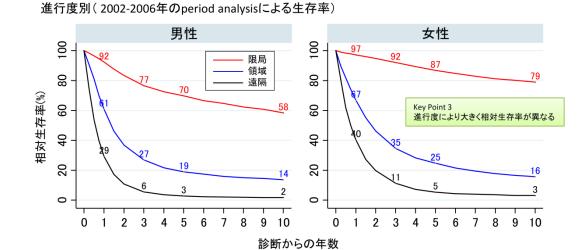
#### 年齢階級別(2002-2006年のperiod analysisによる生存率)

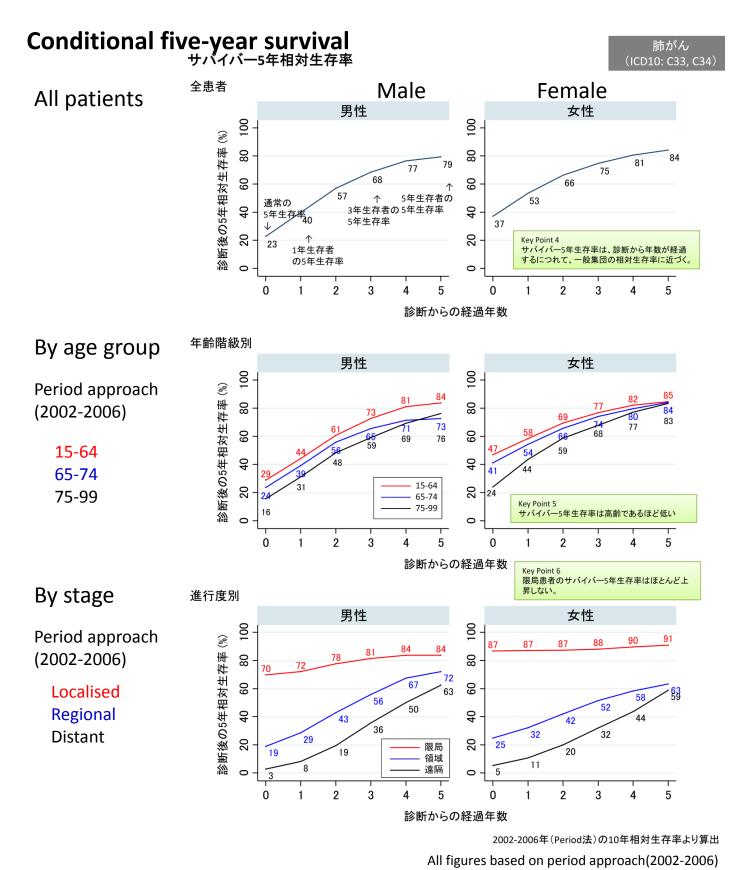


## By stage

Period approach (2002-2006)

Localised Regional Distant





X-axis indicated time since diagnosis

e.g. conditional five-year survival on x=2 was estimated by seven-year survival based on 2-year survivors

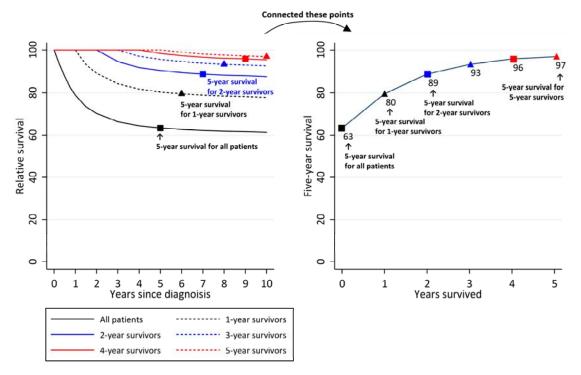
#### Additional explanations of conditional survival

The relationship between conventional relative survival curves and conditional five-year survival curve

Conditional five-year survival is a relatively recent concept to present cancer survival for cancer survivors. We have added an explanation of how we obtained and interpreted these figures, showing three typical examples of results.

Example 1: Stomach cancer (male)

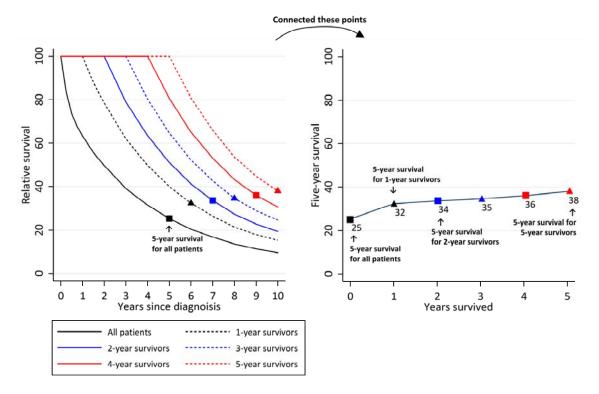
Most patients died within 1-2 years, few survivors died afterwards.



For stomach cancer patients, many patients who have an unfavorable prognosis (e.g. advanced stage) died within 1 or 2 years. Conditional five-year relative survival approaches to 100% some years after diagnosis, this means that long-term survivors can be considered as who have a survival probability close to that of the general population.

Example 2: Liver cancer (male)

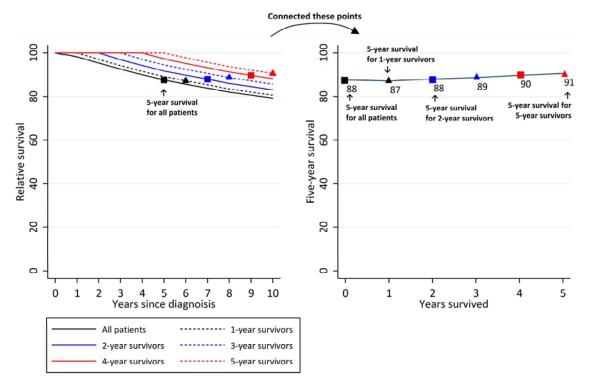
After some years post diagnosis, many patients continued to die.



Liver cancer patients continued to die after diagnosis. Conditional five-year survival for five-year survivors was lower than 40%. This is probably because liver cancer patients have a high probability of recurrence of cancer, or die from liver cirrhosis or liver failure related to the hepatitis B or C virus.

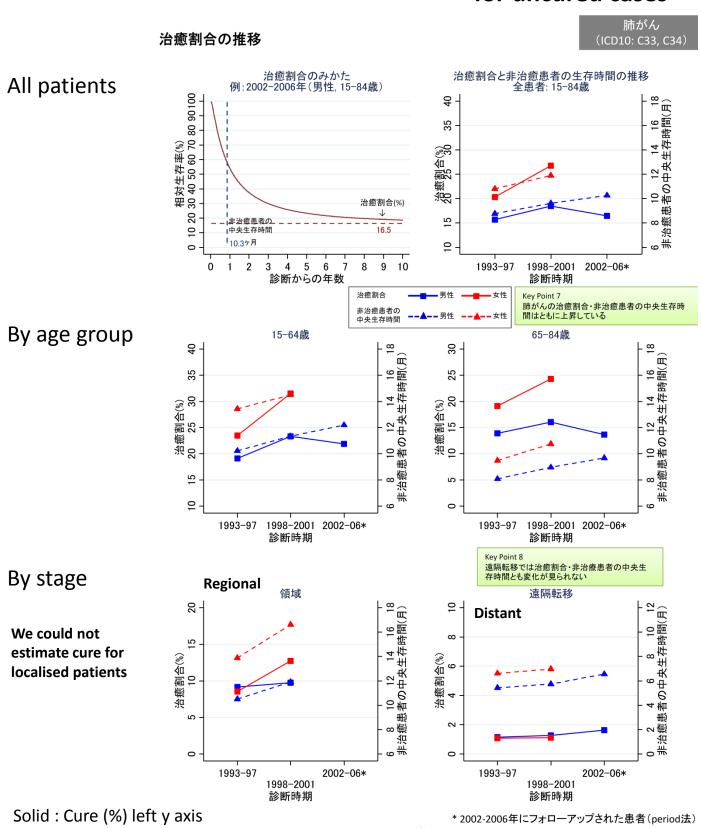
Example 3: Breast cancer (female)

Five-year survival was high; however, a proportion of survivors continued to die.



Although five-year survival of breast cancer is relatively high, after some years post diagnosis, a proportion of survivors of breast cancer continued to die. This may be due to recurrence or progression of tumors of survivors during long-term follow-up.

# Trends in cure fraction and median survival time for uncured cases



Dashed: Median survival time (month) right y axis

Blue: Male, Red: Female, Black: Both sexes

## Tables in the results of individual cancer site (5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> page)

表:Table

男性: Male

女性:Female

全患者: All patients

限局:Localised

領域:Regional metastasis

遠隔: Distant metastasis

不明: Missing

Table 1. Number of analysed cases

Table 2. 1-, 3-, 5- and 10-year relative survival (by period at diagnosis, age group and stage)

Table 3. Conditional five-year survival

Table 4. Trends in cure fraction and median survival time for uncured cases