| Variables       | SBF2-AS1 | P-value | miR-338-3p | P-value | ADAM17 | P-value |
|-----------------|----------|---------|------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                 | High (n) | Low (n) | High (n)   | Low (n) | High (n) | Low (n) |
| Age (years)     |          |         |            |         |          |         |
| <50             | 18       | 20      | 14         | 24      | 16      | 22      |
| >50             | 14       | 4       | 12         | 6       | 12      | 6       |
| Gender          | 0.36     | 0.51    | 0.28       |         |         |
| Male            | 20       | 15      | 16         | 19      | 15      | 20      |
| Female          | 12       | 9       | 10         | 11      | 13      | 8       |
| Tumor size      | 0.078    | 0.113   | 0.084      |         |         |
| ≤3 cm           | 21       | 16      | 17         | 20      | 15      | 22      |
| >3 cm           | 11       | 8       | 9          | 10      | 13      | 6       |
| Differentiation | 0.104    | 0.13    | 0.141      |         |         |
| High            | 10       | 4       | 6          | 8       | 0       | 14      |
| Medium          | 13       | 8       | 12         | 9       | 13      | 8       |
| Low             | 9        | 12      | 8          | 13      | 15      | 6       |
| LNM             | <0.01    | <0.01   | <0.01      |         |         |
| Yes             | 22       | 2       | 6          | 18      | 16      | 8       |
| No              | 10       | 22      | 20         | 12      | 12      | 20      |
| TNM stage       | <0.01    | <0.01   | <0.01      |         |         |
| I-II            | 20       | 16      | 22         | 14      | 12      | 24      |
| II-IV           | 12       | 8       | 4          | 16      | 16      | 4       |