Supplementary table 3. the PD-L1 distribution of core needle biopsies classified by histological subtypes

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|  | PD-L1 distribution of core needle biopsies |  |
| Histological subtypes | 3 status a | 2 status b | 1 status c | *P* value |
| Adenocarcinoma | 1 | 14 | 19 | 0.848 |
| squamous cell carcinoma | 0 | 6 | 9 |
| Other | 0 | 2 | 0 |

Note: The biopsies were divided into 3 PD-L1 status according to TPS: negative, TPS＜1%; low expression: TPS=1-49%; high expression: TPS≥50%. a, the biopsies from one patient covered 3 status; b, the biopsies from one patient covered 2 status; c, the biopsies from one patient covered 1 status.