

## Supplementary Table 1

**Table S1.** Sphere forming cell (SFC) frequency determined by limiting dilution analysis

		P1			P2			P3		
Colon cancer sample	Condition	TIC frequency 1 in x			TIC frequency 1 in x			TIC frequency 1 in x		
		Lower	Estimate	Upper	Lower	Estimate	Upper	Lower	Estimate	Upper
T6	N	12.19	9.14	6.85	11.46	7.51	4.92	20.10	11.66	6.77
	H 1%	4.19	3.39	2.75	4.45	3.24	2.36	8.35	5.43	3.53
T18	N	13.09	8.47	5.48	7.15	4.54	2.88	6.32	4.45	3.13
	H 1%	5.33	3.62	2.46	2.86	2.00	1.39	3.13	2.38	1.81
T20	N	1.78	1.57	1.40	3.15	2.03	1.43	2.09	1.75	1.49
	H 1%	1.50	1.34	1.22	1.66	1.29	1.10	1.63	1.39	1.22
XT18	N	20.2	12.95	8.30	9.96	6.35	4.06	6.26	3.70	2.19
	H 1%	9.7	6.76	4.71	3.50	2.51	1.80	2.82	1.87	1.24

ELDA: Extreme Limiting Dilution Analysis, SFC frequency 1 in x, x= number of colon cancer cells