## Appendix

Table 1-Top three regions with highest age-standardised incidence of small intestinal cancer

Top three regions with highest incidence of small intestinal cancer	Standardised incidence (per 100 000)
North America	1.4
Oceania	0.96
Northern Europe	0.94

Table 2-Top three countries with highest AAPCs of small intestinal cancer incidence among elderly aged 50 or above

Country	Average Annual Percentage Change
	(AAPC)
Poland	21.4
India	12.0
Thailand	10.3

## About this study, a collaboration with the APRU

This study is a collaboration with **Professor Mellissa Withers**, the Director of the APRU Global Health Programme, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California. The <u>APRU</u> (<a href="https://apru.org/">https://apru.org/</a>) was established in Los Angeles in 1997 by the presidents of UCLA, Berkeley, Caltech and the University of Southern California. It now has a membership of 60 leading research universities from around the Pacific Rim. CUHK is an important member of the APRU, and Professor Martin Wong Chi-sang and Dr Jason Huang Junjie are currently the Co-Chairs of the Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) Global Health Working Group for the network.

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