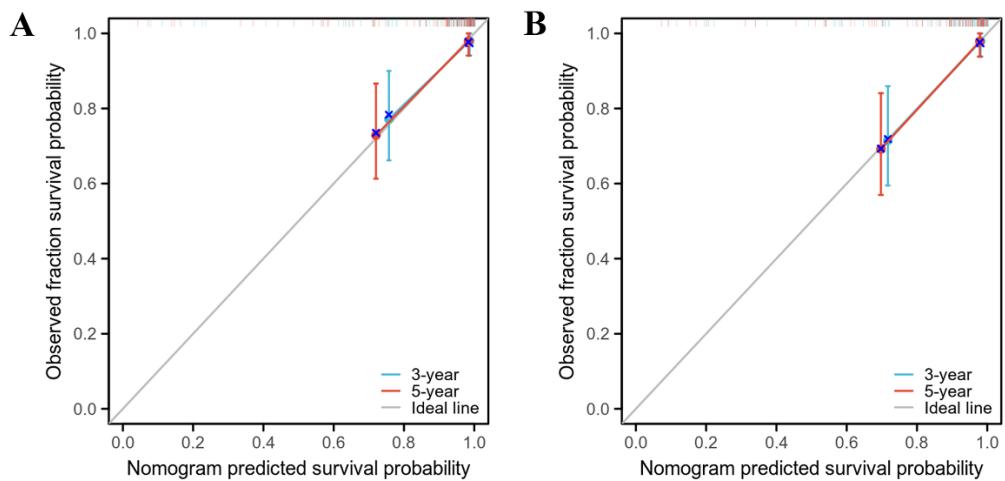


Supplementary figure 1 PCR products were sequenced to confirm the presence of hsa_circ_0005927.



Supplementary figure 2 Calibration curves reflected good discriminative ability of prognosis. (A) OS model. (B) DFS model.

Supplementary table 1 Univariate and multivariate Cox regression analysis of survival time

| Characteristics | Univariate analysis | | Multivariate analysis | |
|----------------------|------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Hazard ratio (95% CI) | P | Hazard ratio (95% CI) | P |
| Age | 0.153 (0.048-0.490) | 0.002 | 0.135 (0.040-0.459) | 0.001 |
| Sex | 1.327 (0.472-3.731) | 0.592 | | |
| Diameter | 1.126 (0.952-1.331) | 0.166 | | |
| Differentiation | 1.680 (0.738-3.826) | 0.216 | | |
| Invasion | 4.128 (0.891-19.116) | 0.070 | | |
| Lymphatic metastasis | 5.620 (1.268-24.921) | 0.023 | 1.033 (0.172-6.221) | 0.971 |
| Distal metastasis | 5.756 (2.032-16.301) | 0.001 | 4.047 (1.269-12.905) | 0.018 |
| Venous invasion | 3.668 (1.164-11.562) | 0.026 | 1.325 (0.354-4.960) | 0.676 |
| Perineural invasion | 13.441 (1.764-102.381) | 0.012 | 6.980 (0.714-68.210) | 0.095 |
| CEA | 0.307 (0.085-1.102) | 0.070 | | |
| CA19-9 | 0.451 (0.159-1.278) | 0.134 | | |
| Hsa_circ_0005927 | 0.607 (0.356-1.034) | 0.066 | | |