

**Table 1.** Clinical and histological characteristics of patients

Patient	Sex	Age	TGDC Ca size (mm)	Interval to thyroidectomy	Number of operations	Thyroid Ca size (mm)	Lymph nodes metastases	RAI (mCi)	Follow-up (years)	Last TG stimulated (ng/ml)**
1	M	18	8	10 years	two	9 Invasive	no	100	one	0.57
2	F	21	NA	Simultaneous removal	two	no cancer was found	no	250* (2 doses)	nine	0.39
3	F	18	NA	1 month	two	multifocal 5 (1 <sup>st</sup> tumor) 3 (2 <sup>nd</sup> tumor)	yes	250* (2 doses)	two	32.6
4	F	68	6	Simultaneous removal	one	6	no	100	three	0.01
5	F	46	NA	3 months	two	multifocal 10 (1 <sup>st</sup> tumor) 3 (2 <sup>nd</sup> tumor) 1 (3 <sup>d</sup> tumor)	no	100	seven	0.1
6	M	65	NA invasive	6 months	two	2	no	100	one	0.6

TGDC: thyroglossal duct cyst, Ca: carcinoma, RAI: radioactive iodine, NA: not available

\*recurrence of TGDC Ca, \*\*on stopping thyroxine