## **Appendix: Dose-response curve**

The shape of the dose-response has been determined by a test for departure from linearity, the chi-square goodness-of-fit test (p<0.05).

Code	Dose-Response Curve
*	Consistent with linearity
/	Significant departure from linearity, upward
	curvature
\	Significant departure from linearity, downward
	curvature. In the plot, parentheses around the
	tumor incidence for a dose group indicate that
	the data were omitted from the final TD50
	calculation.
Z	Significant departure from linearity, more than
	three dose groups including controls
	For \ and Z, if there was significant downward
	departure from linearity, the TD <sub>50</sub> was calculated
	without the data from the highest dose groups(s).
	In the plot, parentheses around the tumor incidence
	for a dose group indicate that the data were
	omitted from the final TD <sub>50</sub> calculation.
blank	Either no dose-related effect, or no curve shape
	could be determined because experiment had
	only two dose groups including controls