

**Supplementary Figure 1. Correlation of PFKFB3 expression level with HIF-1 $\alpha$ , Ki-67, and epithelial–mesenchymal transition (EMT) markers.** IHC was used to determine the protein expression level of PFKFB3 and HIF-1 $\alpha$ , Ki-67, EMT markers E-cadherin, Vimentin, and Snail. The IHC score of PFKFB3 is plotted with the IHC score of HIF-1 $\alpha$ , Ki-67, EMT markers (A-E). Note that PFKFB3 expression level is negatively correlated with E-cadherin but positively correlated with HIF-1 $\alpha$ , Ki-67, Vimentin, and Snail.



