**Figure S2.** Random-effects meta-analysis comparing the area growth rates (in mm$^2$/year) of GA lesions with different lesion locations. **A.** In the GA location classification 1, the area growth rate in center point spared group is 0.47 mm$^2$/year (31.3%) faster than center point involved group ($P < 0.001$). **B.** In the GA location classification 2, the difference in the area growth rate is much larger (0.84 mm$^2$/year; 60.9%) between foveal zone spared and foveal zone involved group ($P < 0.001$). The diamond represents the overall effect estimate (width of the diamond represents the 95% CIs). For each individual study, different data marker sizes indicate weight and the lines represent the 95% CIs. SD = standard deviation; CI = confidence interval.