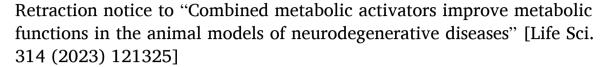
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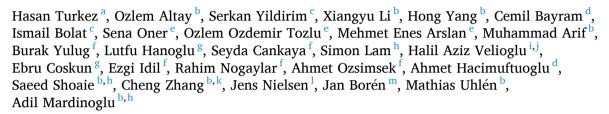
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The journal was alerted to concerns about the validity of the images shown in Figs. 3, 6 and 7 as also detailed in the following Pubpeer post: https://pubpeer.com/publications/BDEA6585A4941F7F97EB3442693 7FF. As per the journal policy, the authors were contacted on this matter, and they informed the journal that wrong images were included in the above-mentioned figures by accident. The authors claimed that the unintentional inclusion of the wrong images worsened the results and

asked for a corrigendum in April 2023.

The authors also offered to submit the raw data and physical pathology slides to be analysed by independent experts. The Editor has declined the authors' offer and decided to retract the article due to these concerns

The authors do not agree with the retraction and have maintained that the retraction of their article is not in line with Elsevier policy. They have included their explanation of the issues in the comments section of the Pubpeer post.

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