



## Retraction Note to: In vitro derivation of mammalian germ cells from stem cells and their potential therapeutic application

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1. MicroRNAs and DNA methylation as epigenetic regulators of mitosis, meiosis and spermiogenesis.

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