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Retraction: BCNet: a novel network for blood cell classification

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A Retraction of the Original Research Article

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This retraction was approved by the Chief Editors of Frontiers in Cell and Developmental Biology and the Chief Executive Editor of Frontiers. The authors do not agree to this retraction.