

## Retraction

## Retraction: Silencing lncRNA XIST exhibits antiproliferative and proapoptotic effects on gastric cancer cells by up-regulating microRNA-132 and down-regulating PXN

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**This article has been retracted:** Aging has completed its investigation of this paper. We found internal duplication in **Figure 2C**, illustrating results of wound healing assays, and duplication between EdU assay images in **Figures 2B** and **3G**. We also found multiple instances of overlap between some of the EdU assay images used for **Figures 2B**, **3G** and **5D** and data published by other authors in 2018 and 2019 [1-4]. Unexpectedly, the images of rulers (with specific imperfections) used to illustrate tumor size duplicate such images from two unrelated papers [5, 6]. Consequently, all authors agreed that the article should be retracted.

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