

Research Article Reporting Checklist for Bioinformatic and Data Re-analysis Studies

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Criteria	Information is located on page/paragraph/line of the manuscript	N/A
Explain if and how you generated and analysed your own data (e.g. cell samples, tissue samples, mouse models, human models)	Page 4,8,9 in MATERIALS & METHODS	
Explain how you have adjusted for differences between data types (e.g. data derived from different cell, tissue and population types) and data sets (both own and previously published) AND Detail how you have processed the different datasets to make them comparable	Page 8,9	
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Detailed comparison of your own new findings against the findings of the original study in which the data was first generated	Page 16-22 in discussion	
Explain in detail the impact of your findings within the field of epigenomics	Our data provide the first investigation regarding alterations of m6A modifications in AGEs-induced dermal fibroblasts and photoaging field.	
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