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	Authors: Georgios Schinas, Eleni Polyzou, Vasiliki Dimakopoulou,	
	Stamatia Tsoupra, Charalambos Gogos and Karolina Akinosoglou	
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