Dear authors,

Thanks for the quick reply. Unfortunately, we can not accept your explanation of the potential complexity or impossibility of sharing the code outside Caltech servers. This, at best, sounds like an apology for not undergoing the effort to share the code in a valid repository. What technical complexity explains why it can not be deposited in an external repository? That is, we need the technical details about what makes it impossible to assess if such motivation is acceptable.

Also, you mention a previous paper with the same code published in our journal. Thanks for pointing it out. Could you provide the details of the paper to consult it? It could be a long process for us to look at the entire database of published papers looking for the one with such a Code Availability section.

Regards,

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