Dear Fabian,

Many thanks for the clarification. This is ok. Though it is not ideal from the scientific point of view, we understand that this situation can happen sometimes. Therefore, what we need is for you to publish the code that you have developed. The fact that it cannot be used without another model is not a problem.

Please, publish your code in one of the suitable repositories (we provide some options in our Code and Data policy, e.g., Zenodo, FAIRshare). You must include a license with it so that other people can use it. We usually recommend the GPLv3 (https://www.gnu.org/licenses/gpl-3.0.html). When you have done it, please, reply to this comment with the DOI of the repository. Also, remember to include it in future versions of your manuscript.

Regards,

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