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List of Abbreviations

AFB 1	:	Aflatoxin B1
AFP	:	Alpha feto-protien
ANOVA	:	One-way analysis of variance
cAMP	:	Cyclic adenosine monophosphate
CCl4	:	Carbon tetrachloride
cDNA	:	Complementary Deoxyribonucleic acid
CO_2	:	Carbon dioxide
CSCs	:	Cancer stem cells
CSF	:	Colony stimulating factor
CT	:	Cycle threshold
DMSO	:	Dimethyl sulfoxide
DNA	:	Deoxyribonucleic acid
dNTPs	:	Nucleosides triphosphate
EDTA	:	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid
EpCAM	:	Epithelial cell adhesion molecule
ESCs	:	Embryonic stem cells
FBS	:	Fetal bovine serum
HBsAg	:	Hepatitis B surface antigen
HBV	:	Hepatitis B virus
HCC	:	Hepatocellular carcinoma
HCV	:	Hepatitis C virus
HCV-Ab	:	Hepatitis C virus antibody
HDL	:	High density lipoproteins
HepG2	:	Human hepatoma cell line
ICC	:	Intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma
IκB	:	Inhibitors of NF-κB
IKK	:	I kappa-B kinase
IL-1	:	Interleukin-1
LDL	:	Low density lipoproteins
LPS	:	Lipopolysaccharide
MEIA	:	Microparticle enzyme immunoassay

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MMP		Matrix matallanratages
	:	Matrix metalloproteases
NAFLD	:	Non-alcoholic fatty liver disease
NALM_6	:	Human pre-B cell leukemia
NASH	:	Non-alcoholic steatohepatitis
NCI	:	National cancer institute
NEMO	:	NF-κB essential modulator
NF-kB	:	Nuclear factor- kappa B
NIK	:	NF-κB-inducing kinase
P	:	A probability
PBS	:	Phosphate buffer solution
PCR	:	Polymerase chain reaction
Rel	:	Reticulo endotheliosis
RNA	:	Ribonucleic acid
RT-PCR	:	Real-Time polymerase chain reaction
RV	:	Reaction Vessel
SD	:	Standard deviation
SNU-C4	:	Human colon cancer cells
TLRs	:	Toll-like receptors
TNF	:	Tumor necrosis factor
TPA	:	12-O-tetradecanoyl-phorbol-13-acetate
X ⁻	:	mean



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