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Correction: Maternal zinc alleviates *tert*-butyl hydroperoxide-induced mitochondrial oxidative stress on embryonic development involving the activation of Nrf2/PGC-1α pathway

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Following publication of the original article [1], the authors reported that Fig. 3 were incorrect because there was naming error occurred during the archiving of electron microscopy micrographs of mitochondrial ultrastructure for maternal Zn treatment referring to Zn + pbs and Zn + BHP groups, resulting in the incorrect use of these images in Fig. 3D. The other elements of the Fig. 3D remain the same, and the interpretation of the results remains unchanged. This error does not affect the conclusions drawn in the paper.

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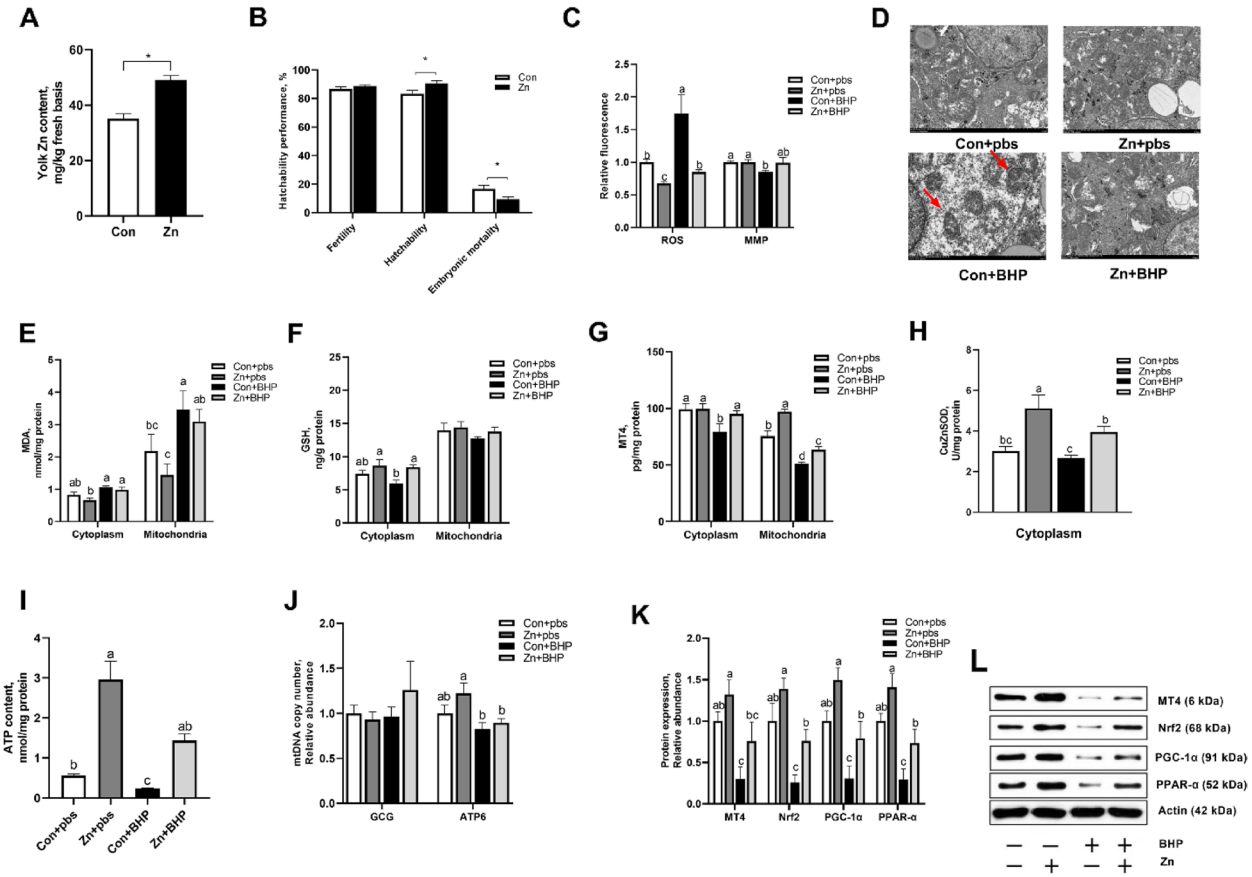

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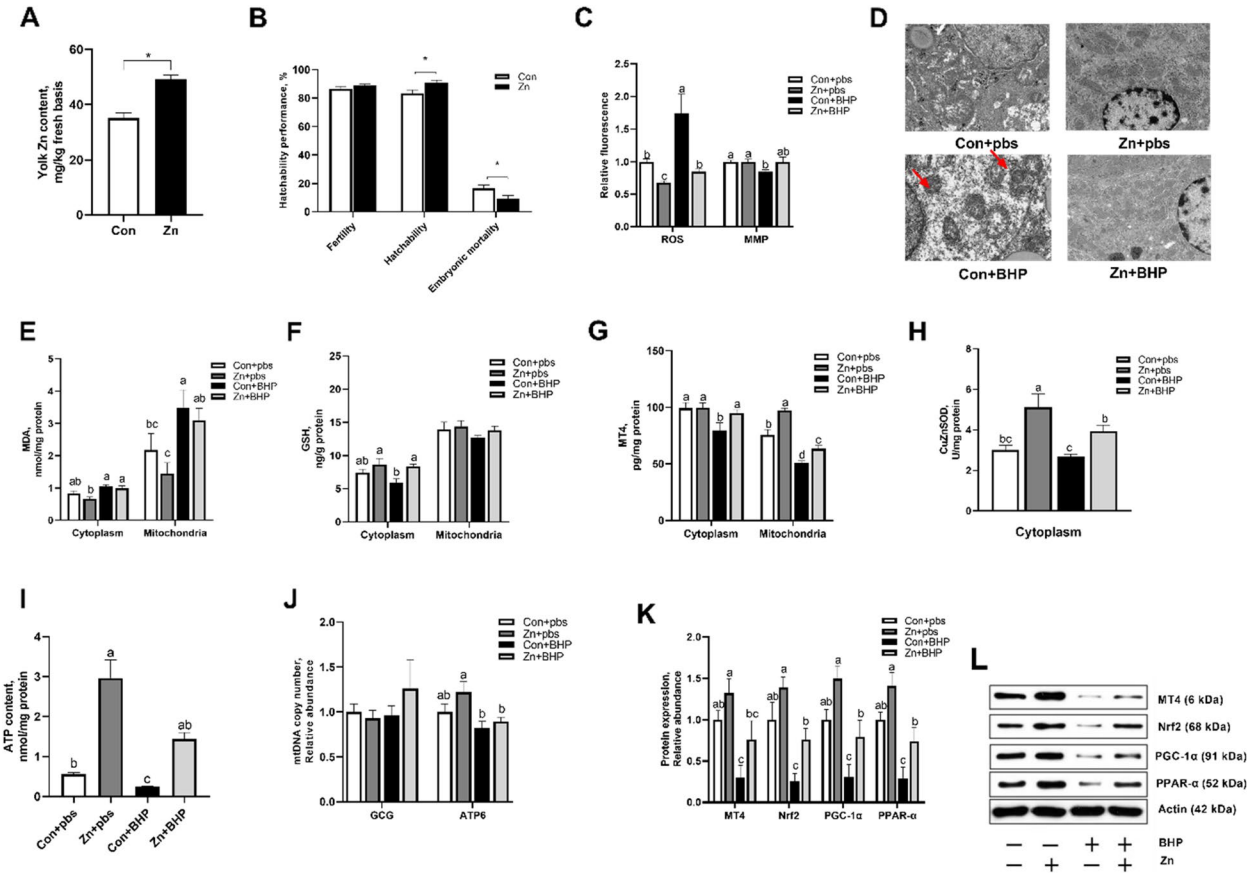

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