Protocols Column Descriptions

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DOI	Digital object identifier (DOI) for each article	XML	
Protocol_Shared	Was a protocol shared in this text as assessed by DataSeer algorithm	DataSeer	Labeled "Yes" or "No"
Protocol_Location	Location of protocol(s) detected.	DataSeer	Labeled "Publication", "Repository" or "Supplemental Information". Multiple locations are separated by "|" (e.g. Publication | Repository)
Protocol_Source	Name of protocol location if it falls into the "Publication" or "Repository" category.	DataSeer	
Protocol_URL	URL of identified protocols	DataSeer	
Pub_Day	Publication day of article	XML	"epub" date is used
Pub_Month	Publication month of article	XML	"epub" date is used
Pub_Year	Publication year of article	XML	"epub" date is used
Pub_Quarter	Publication quarter based on the publication date	DataSeer	In format yearquarter, e.g. 2023Q2.
Cohort	Which publisher cohort the article belongs to	XML	Labeled "PLOS" or "Comparator"