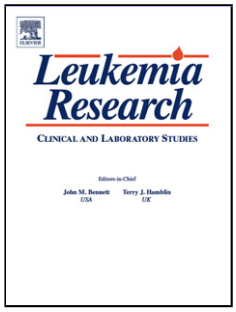

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Highlights

- A cost-effective qPCR method for quantification of miR-20b-5p levels was developed.