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In fact, most nerves contain bundles of axons that are pleated like an accordion along the long axis of a nerve such that they can unfold during stretch to prevent mechanical damage.

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In the tether model, the stresses absorbed by the membrane are transmitted to the channel via the interaction with ECM or CSK elements. Eur J Oral Sci 121: 538—544.

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Measurements of TRAAK currents in the node of Ranvier To analyze the physiological function of TRAAK channels in the node of Ranvier we performed electrophysiological recordings from single myelinated axons using a voltage clamp technique known as node clamp. Voltage and ligand gated channels can be modified slightly by mechanical stimulation, which might change their responsiveness or slightly, but they still respond primarily to voltage or ligands, respectively.

The mechanosensitive ion channel TRAAK is localized to the mammalian node of Ranvier

Recordings were performed at 32—37°C. These studies were performed in a collaboration between my group and the clinical group of Peter Ruppersberg at the University of Tübingen. The second model began with the discovery of MS channels of E.

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by other stimuli, such as ligands or force. Under extreme in bacteria, non selective MSCs such as MSCL and MSCS serve as safety valves to prevent lysis.

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