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Abstract

This protocol describes the seeding, fixation and staining of samples for immunofluorescent visualization of ATP13A2 and CD63.

Materials

- 4% paraformaldehyde (Thermo Fisher Scientific): J61899
- BSA (Roth): 8076.4
- Saponin (Sigma): S-2149
- anti-ATP13A2 (Sigma): A3361
- anti-CD63 (ExBio): 11-343-C100
- alexa-488 goat anti-rabbit IgG (Invitrogen): R37116
- alexa-594 goat anti-mouse IgG (Invitrogen): A11005
- DAPI (Sigma): D9542
- FluorSave (Merck): 345789-20ml



- 1 Seed cells: 75 000 cells/well (SH-SY5Y) in a 12-well plate with coverslips. Allow the cells to attach and grow for  48:00:00 . 2d
- 2 Wash the cells with ice-cold PBS.
- 3 Fix the cells with 4% paraformaldehyde  00:30:00 at 37 °C. 30m
- 4 Wash the cells twice with ice-cold PBS.
- 5 Permeabilization and blocking with a mixture of 5% BSA (Roth) and 0.5% saponin (Sigma) (diluted in PBS) (referred to as blocking buffer) for  01:00:00 on a shaker. 1h
- 6 Incubate with primary antibody (anti-ATP13A2, A3361, Sigma; anti-CD63, 11-343-C100, ExBio) (diluted 1/200 in blocking buffer) for  02:00:00 (40 µl antibody mixture is sufficient per coverslip in a wet chamber). 2h
- 7 Wash with DPBS for  00:05:00 on a shaker, repeat this step 3x. 5m
- 8 Incubate the samples in secondary antibody (alexa-488 goat anti-rabbit IgG R37116, Invitrogen; alexa-594 goat anti-mouse IgG, A11005, Invitrogen) (diluted 1/1000 in blocking buffer) for  00:30:00 on a shaker. 30m
- 9 Wash with DPBS for  00:05:00 on a shaker, repeat this step 3x. 5m
- 10 Incubate the samples in 200 ng/ml DAPI (D9542, Sigma) for  00:15:00 . 15m
- 11 Wash with DPBS for  00:05:00 on a shaker, repeat this step 3x. 5m



- 12 Mount the samples with FluorSave (345789-20ml, Merck).
- 13 Acquire images using a LSM880 microscope (Zeiss) with a 63x objective and Airyscan detector.