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SOD2 and human alpha-synuclein immunofluorescence staining



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Abstract

This protocol is designed for SOD2 and human alpha-synuclein staining using the anti-SOD2 (RRID:AB_2636921) and MJFR1-Alexa 488 (RRID:AB_2537217) antibodies. Tissue stained with this protocol include 35 µm free-floating mouse brain sections. All tissue was from mice perfused with 4% PFA.



| Day 1 | | 10m |
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| 1 | Rinse brain slices (35μ) in TBS (0.05M Trizma base and 0.15M NaCl; pH: 7.6) 3X | 30m |
| 2 | Quench brain slices in a solution containing 3%H ₂ O ₂ and 10% Methanol in TBS 00:20:00 | 20m |
| 3 | Rinse brain slices in TBS (0.05M Trizma base and 0.15M NaCl; pH: 7.6) 3X 00:10:00 | 30m |
| 4 | Incubate in blocking buffer (5% donkey serum, 2% BSA, 0.5% Triton X-100 in TBS) onumber of the blocking buffer (5% donkey serum, 2% BSA, 0.5% Triton X-100 in TBS) hour at room temperature | 1h |
| 5 | Incubate with anti-SOD2 (1:1000; Cell Signaling, RRID:AB_2636921) in 50% blocking solution 24:00:00 hour at 4°C | 1d |
| 6 | Rinse brain slices in TBS-T (TBS+ 0.25% Triton X-100) 3X 00:10:00 | 30m |
| 7 | Incubate in fluorescent secondary antibody at 1:200 dilution in 50% blocking buffer 01:00:00 r at room temperature. | 1h |
| 8 | Rinse brain slices in TBS-T (TBS+ 0.25% Triton X-100) 3X 00:10:00 | 30m |
| 9 | Incubate with rabbit anti-hASYN(1:400; RRID:AB_2537217, MJFR1-Alexa 488) 24:00:00 at 4°C in 50% blocking buffer | 1d |
| 10 | Rinse brain slices in TBS-T (TBS+ 0.25% Triton X-100) 2x 00:10:00 | 20m |
| 11 | Rinse brain slices in TBS (0.05M Trizma base and 0.15M NaCl; pH: 7.6) 00:10:00 | 10m |
| 12 | Mount free-floating sections on SuperFrost+ slides (if staining free-floating tissue) and let dry at room temperature for 15 minutes. | |



13 Coverslip with fluorescent mounting medium and #1.5 coverslips. Outline coverslip with clear nail polish and store at 4oC.