

**AIR-ABC staining:**

1, perfusing rat with 4% paraformaldehyde in phosphat-bufferedsaline

2, Tissues were excised and fixation in the same fixative at 4 °C for 2hr or overnight.

3, Move the tissue into 30% sucrose in phosphate-buffered saline

4, Dry-ice frozen sections to be used 14-20 µm of thickness and cut on a cryostat microtome

5, Staining (全ての反応は切片を完全に広げて沈んでから振蕩する ).

0.1% Triton X-100(PBS) 10min

PBS 5min x 3

1% NGS(100 µl normal Goat serum in 10ml PBS) 1hr

First antibody 1/1000 in 0.02% Triton (A1R 1 µl + 0.1% Triton 200 µl + 799 µl 1% NGS) 1hr O/N

PBS 5min x 3

Second antibody 1/200 boitin-aR ( in 1% NGS ) 40min

PBS 5min x 3

standard kit C solution 45 min

PBS 5min x 3

0.1M Tris buffer (pH7.2)

0.1% DAB + 0.02% H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> 7min

0.1M PB (phosphate buffer)

Stick on coated slide glass 3hr

dehydrated through ethanol series and xylene

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