

# **Plasma Exosomes Spread and Cluster Around $\beta$ -Amyloid Plaques in an Animal Model of Alzheimer's Disease**

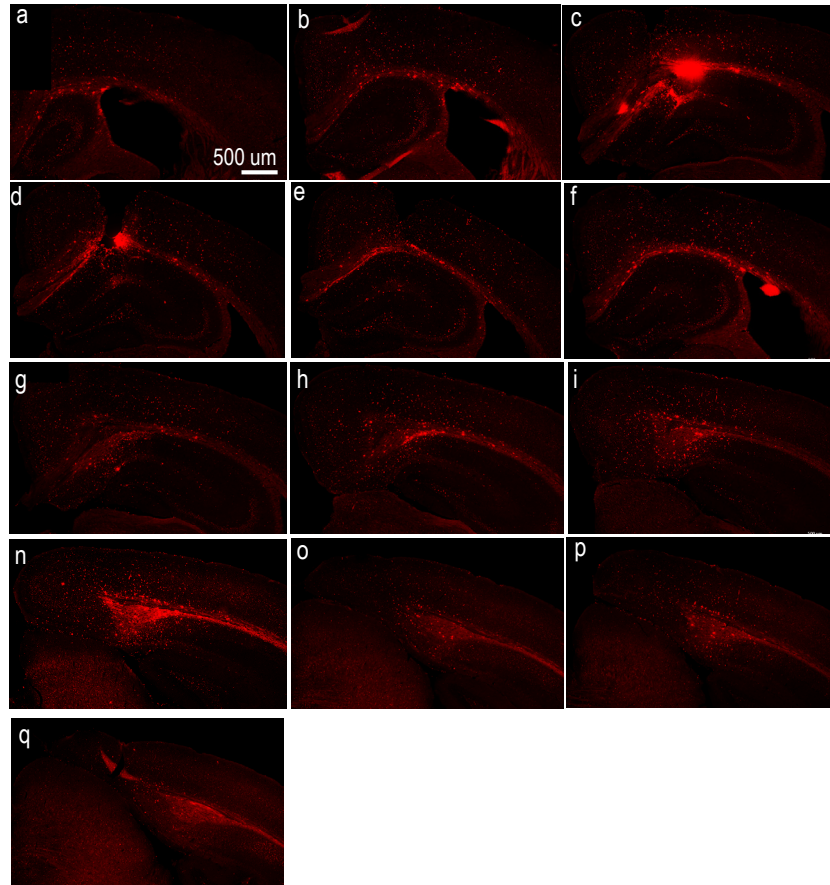
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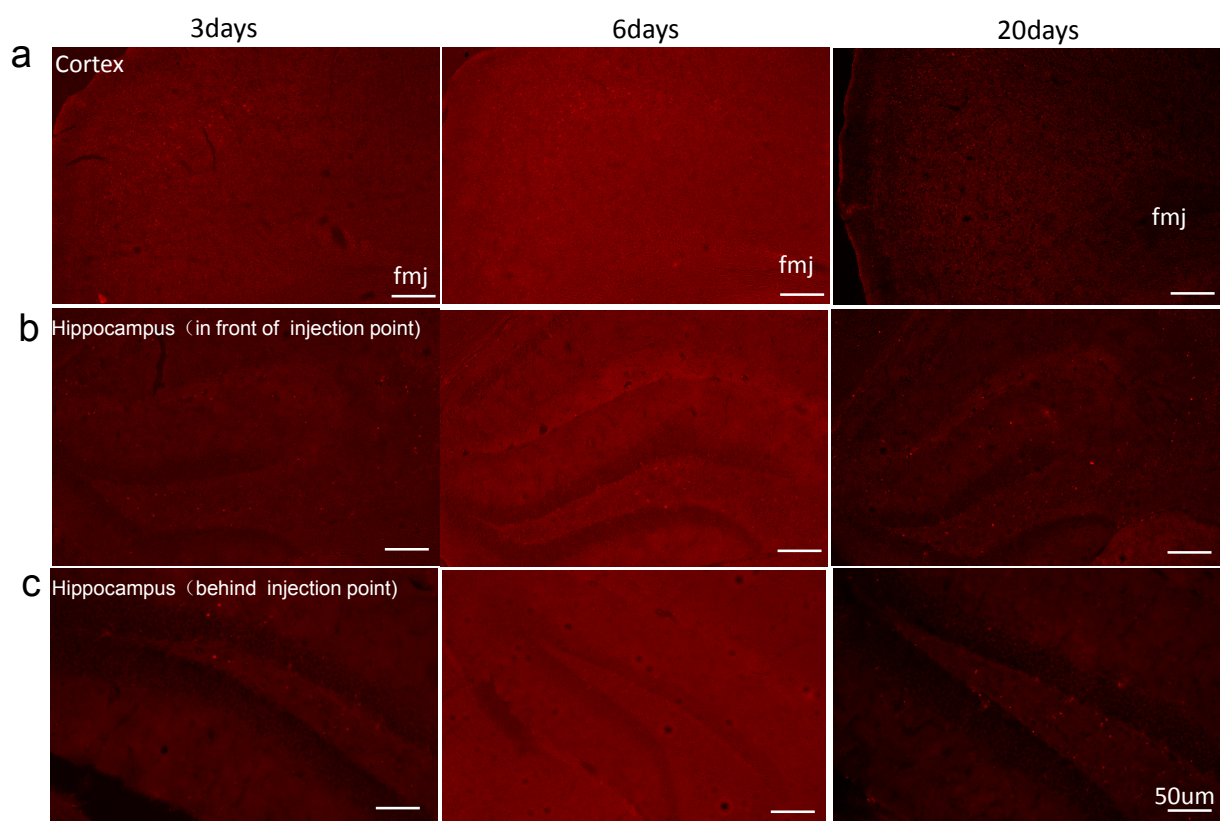
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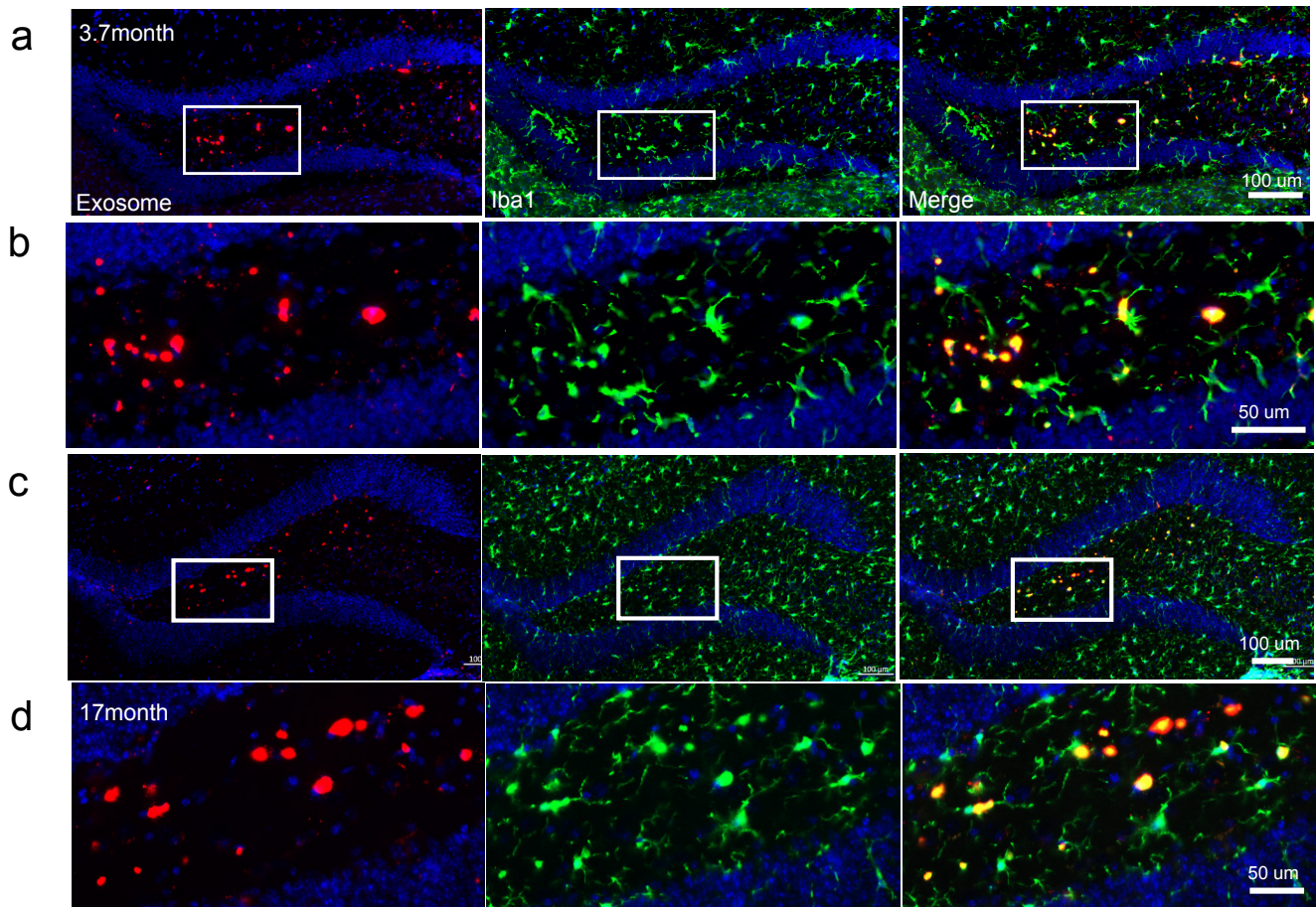
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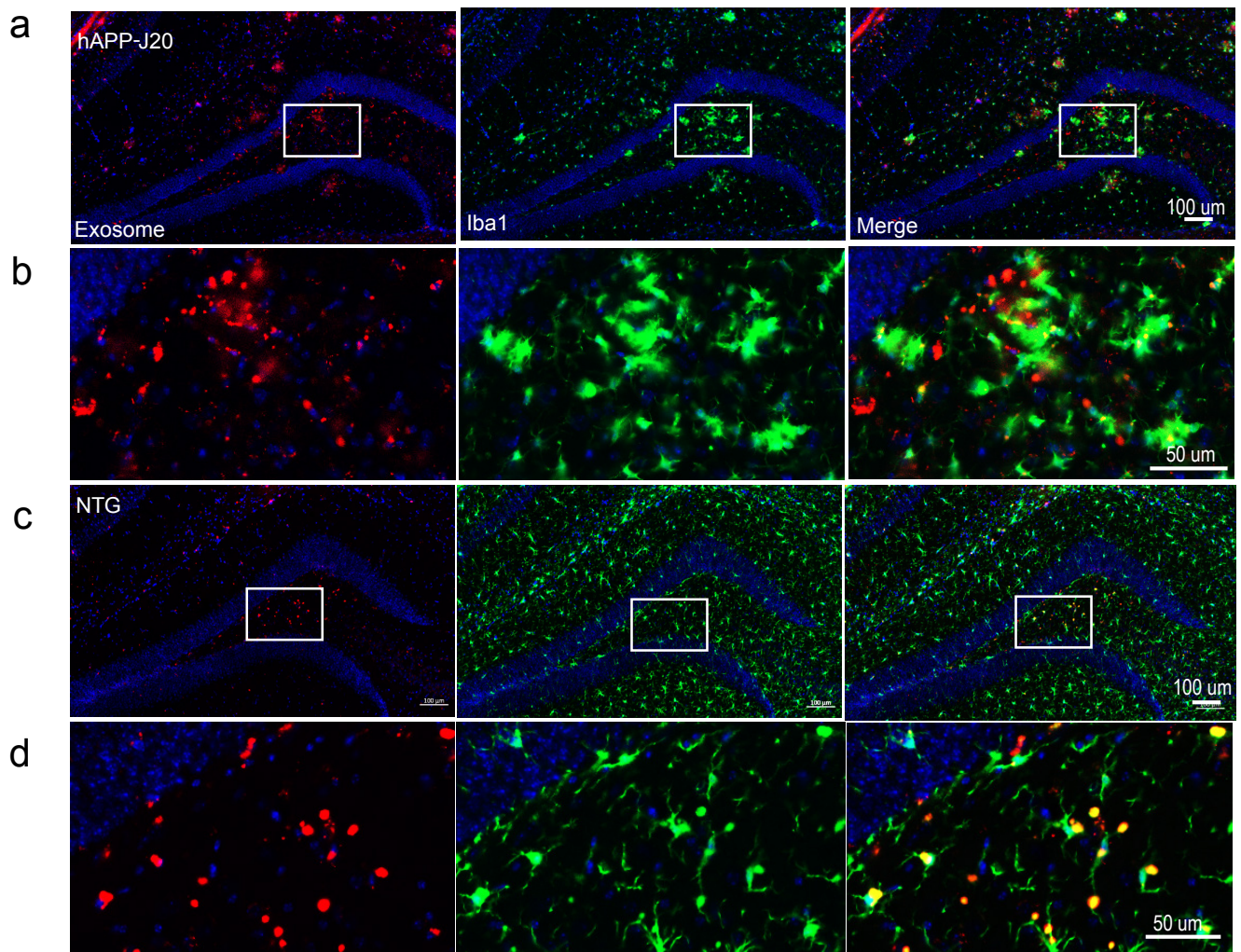
**Figure1. Exosomes are widely distribute in brain** Images were captured at 20 days after injection of exosomes in non-transgenic mice (a-q). 13 coronal brain sections that is about 200um between each section. Exosomes (red) are widely distribute in most brain sections.



**Figure2.**The control (DiI incubation with PBS and being re-isolated, washed, re-suspended in sterile PBS for three times as the DiI-exosomes' preparation) were injected into hippocampal DG region. Representative photomicrographs showing images captured at 3,6,20 days after injection



**Figure3. Aging did not affect the phagocytosis of exosomes by microglia** Red fluorescence-labeled exosomes were stereotaxically injected into the hippocampus. (a,c) Hippocampal sections from 3.7 and 17 months old mouse were stained with anti-Iba1 antibody (green). The merge images show the exosomes taken up by microglia (b,d) higher magnification images of the boxed area in images a,c.



**Figure4. Exosomes target microglia in hAPP-J20 mice with lower efficiency** Red fluorescence-labeled exosomes were stereotaxically injected into the hippocampus. (a,c) Microglia in hippocampal sections from hAPP-J20 mouse and NTG mouse are labeled with anti-Iba1 antibody. The merge images show the exosomes taken up by microglia. (b,d) higher magnification images of the boxed area in images a,c.