

## **Supporting Information for**

### **Propionate exerts neuroprotective and neuroregenerative effects in the peripheral nervous system**

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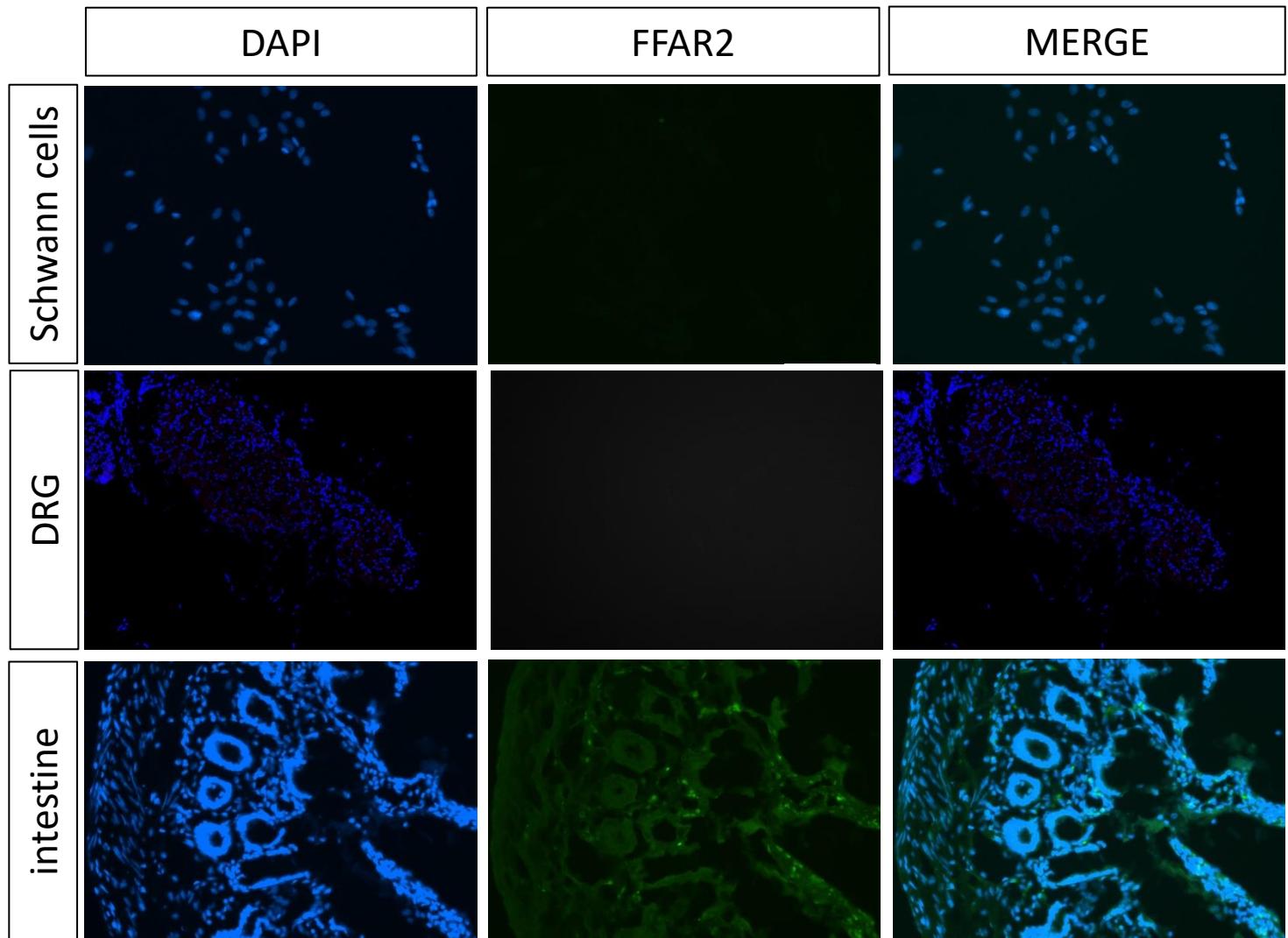
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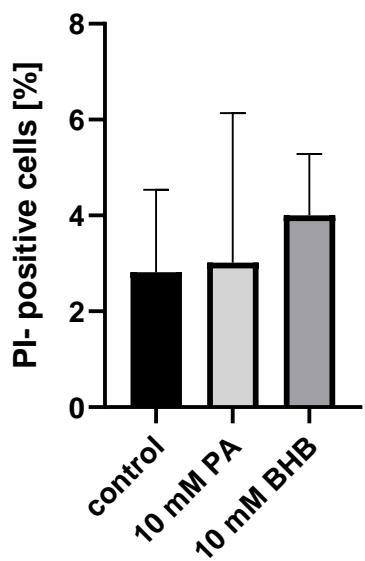
**Fig. S1. :**



**No evidence of the free fatty acid receptor 2 on Schwann cells and dorsal root ganglia.**

The free fatty acid receptor 2 was not evident immunohistochemically in Schwann cells and dorsal root ganglia. Immunohistochemically staining of the intestine served as a positive control.

**Fig. S2. :**



Neither propionate (PA) nor  $\beta$ -hydroxybutyric acid (BHB) showed any toxic effect on naïve Schwann cells in a very high concentration of 10 mM.