

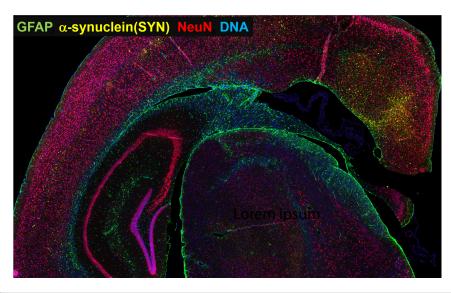


# Mouse Brain Parkinson's Disease

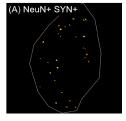
## **Study Purpose**

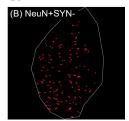
Mouse brain tissues were harvested from a mouse model with pathogenic inclusions resembling the Lewy bodies of Parkinson's disease. Alpha-synuclein antibody was used to identify the cells with inclusions and NeuN antibody was used to identify all the neurons. Two populations of neurons with and without Lewy body-like inclusions and different regions of the brain were profiled using the GeoMx Mouse Whole Transcriptome Atlas. The transcriptional differences between these regions were studied.

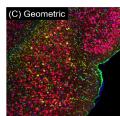
| Study Summary      |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Sample Type        | FFPE  |
| Species            | Mouse                                       |
| AOI* Strategy      | Geometric, Cell-type specific               |
| Assay              | Mouse Whole Transcriptome Atlas             |
| Morphology Markers | GFAP, Phospho-α-synuclein (SYN)#, NeuN, DNA |
| Targets Detected   | 18,533 targets                              |
| Application        | Biomarker discovery                         |



#### **Segmentation Strategy**

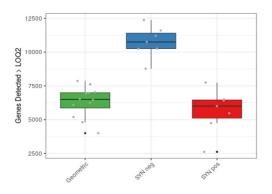






## Legend

Astrocytes were stained with GFAP antibody. The neurons with and without the Lewy body-like inclusions were enriched by segmenting for the NeuN+SYN+ (A) and NeuN+SYN- (B) cells respectively. Also, geometric ROIs (C) were placed in different regions of the brain.



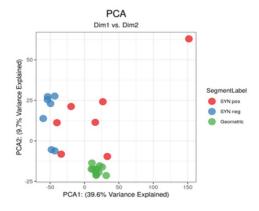
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Left:

The number of targets detected above the background (LOQ2\*) by AOI groups.

Right:

Principal component analysis (PCA) plot.



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<sup>\*</sup>AOI = Area of Illumination; LOQ=Limit of Quantitation

<sup>#</sup>Anti-α-Synuclein Phospho (Ser129) antibody: Biolegend Cat # 825701