

7 Abbreviations

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|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| ACh | acetylcholine |
| AChR | acetylcholine receptor |
| bp | base pair |
| cDNA | complementary DNA |
| ChAT | choline acetyltransferase |
| °C | Celsius degrees |
| d | day |
| dH ₂ O | deionized water |
| DIC | differential interference contrast |
| g | gramm |
| GFP | green fluorescent protein |
| h | hours |
| Hz | herz, per second |
| IR | infrared |
| kb | kilo base pairs |
| kDa | kilo dalton |
| l | liter |
| m | milli |
| min | minutes |
| mRNA | messenger RNA |
| μ | micro |
| n | nano |
| OD | optic density |
| PCR | polymerase chain reaction |
| rpm | rounds per minute |
| RT ₁ | room temperature |
| RT ₂ | reverse transcription |
| sec | second |
| U | unit |
| V | volt |