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US8603750B2	A method for assaying an analyte (e.g., cell, cellular organelle, virus, etc.) that involves contacting a sam- ple suspected of containing an analyte with a reactant capable of binding and/or reacting with said analyte under suitable conditions to allow binding of said analyte, if present, to said reactant; and for assess- ing binding and/or reaction between an analyte and a reactant to determine the presence and/or amount of the analyte.	CapitalBio (Beijing), Yang X, Wang F, Zheng D, Dong D, Guo L, Tsinghua University (Beijing), Cheng J	Guo L, Dong D, Zheng D, Wang F, Yang X, Cheng J,	11/21/2002	2013
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US8551470B2	Use of substance P, an 11-amino-acid neuropeptide of the tachykinin family that is expressed in sensory neu- rons, macrophages, eosinophils, endothelial cells and corneal cells, for the manufacture of a medicament for mobilization or proliferation of mesenchymal stem cells from bone marrow, and use of substance P for the manufacture of a medicament for wound-healing or for facilitating wound-healing.	Korea Institute of Radiological & Medical Sciences (Seoul), Chung-Ang University Industry-Academy Cooperation Foundation (Seoul), Son YS, Hong HS, Kim JC	Son YS, Hong HS, Kim JC	10/27/2004	2013
US20130338021A1	Methods and compositions for determining the presence of or predisposition to insulin resistance, diabetes and complications of diabetes in a subject, which comprise co-culturing a biological sample from the subject <i>in vitro</i> with one or more renal cell lines, maintaining the co-culture for a sufficient amount of time for the biological sample to induce physiological changes in the renal cells and detecting the physi- ological changes in the renal cells using microscopy, immunostaining, ELISA, protein arrays, western blot- ting or flow cytometry.	Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation (Madison, WI, USA)	Dart ML, Sollinger H, Hullett DA	3/15/2013	2013
US20130323753A1	Kits and methods for identification of anti-excitotoxic compounds in embodiments, which entail measuring the surface amount of the EAAT-1 protein; <i>in situ</i> immunostaining or membrane extracts can be used.	Rutgers, the State University (New Brunswick, NJ, USA)	Firestein- Miller, BL	9/6/2007	2013
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