Reviewer’s report

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The manuscript has been improved by new experiments. However, the description of double staining method should be given and the quality of Figure 2 is still not impressive, especially those taken under high power microscopy. These should be further improved before its publication.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.