

Supplementary Figure S1: Immunohistochemistry for MAP2 (A-H) and S100 β (I-P) 1 d after 90-min t-MCAO (B-D, J-L) and p-MCAO (F-H, N-P). Immunohistochemistry showed that MAP2⁺ cells were not observed within the ischemic areas after 90-min t-MCAO (B, C) and p-MCAO (F, G), but were observed in ipsilateral non-ischemic areas after 90-min t-MCAO (B, D) and p-MCAO (F, H). Immunohistochemistry showed that S100 β^+ cells were not observed within the ischemic areas after 90-min t-MCAO (B, D) and p-MCAO (F, H). Immunohistochemistry showed that S100 β^+ cells were not observed within the ischemic areas after 90-min t-MCAO (J, K) and p-MCAO (N, O), but were observed in the ipsilateral non-ischemic areas after 90-min t-MCAO (J, L) and p-MCAO (N, P). Results are representative of three replicates. Scale bars = 200 µm (B, F, J, N) and 20 µm (C, D, G, H, K, L, O, P). Abbreviations: contra, contralateral; ipsi, ipsilateral; MAP2, microtubule-associated protein 2; p-MCAO, permanent middle artery occlusion; t-MCAO, transient middle cerebral artery occlusion.



Supplementary Figure S2: Immunohistochemistry for MAP2 (A-D) and S100β (E-H) 1 d after 90-min t-MCAO (B, F) and p-MCAO (C, G). Immunohistochemistry showed that MAP2⁺ cells were scarcely

observed at the peri-ischemic areas in mice after 90-min t-MCAO (B) and p-MCAO (C). Positive regions expressing MAP2 at the peri-ischemic areas were not significantly different between the stroke models (D). Immunohistochemistry showed that, although a few S100 β^+ cells were observed at the peri-ischemic areas after 90-min t-MCAO (F) and p-MCAO (G), the positive regions expressing S100 β at peri-ischemic areas were not significantly different between the stroke models (H). Results are representative of three replicates. Scale bars = 50 µm (B, C, F, G). Abbreviations: MAP2, microtubule-associated protein 2; p-MCAO, permanent middle artery occlusion; t-MCAO, transient middle cerebral artery occlusion.