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The authors performed an interesting basic research on murine model of colitis. the evaluate the effects of colitis on neurons survival. please check typing and English along the paper specific comment: - Along the paper change NF- κ B with Nf-kB - Briefly describe the macroscopical classification of intestinal lesios and per microscopic classification in the same paragraph - Please reduce the methods paragraph assembling the procedures