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### **Mitochondrial Membrane Potential Measurements**

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## Permeability Assays (TEER and other methods)

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- "Modulation of the p75 neurotrophin receptor using LM11A-31 prevents diabetes-induced retinal vascular permeability in mice via inhibition of inflammation and the RhoA kinase pathway" Elshaer et al (2019) *Diabetologia*.
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# Proliferation and Viability Assays (using MTT, LDH, BrdU)

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- "Gastrodin inhibits high glucose-induced human retinal endothelial cell apoptosis by regulating the SIRT1/TLR4/NF-KBp65 signaling pathway" Zhang et al (2018) *Molecular Medicine Reports*.
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