

Materials List for:

Exposure of the Pig CNS for Histological Analysis: A Manual for Decapitation, Skull Opening, and Brain Removal

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Materials

Name	Company	Catalog Number	Comments
Heavy Scalpel Handle #4	FST (Fine Science Tools)	10008-13	Good for skin incision and soft tissue removal
Non-Sterile Scalpel Blades #23	FST	10023-00	
Scalpel Handle #7	FST	10007-12	Optimal for dural incision and precision work
Non-Sterile Scalpel Blades #11	FST	10011-00	
Surgical Forceps	FST	11024-18	The tip of the surgical forceps ensure a firm grip
Kerrison Bone Punch	Aesculap Neurosurgery	FF713R	Must be robust, bite size 3-5 mm
Bone Rongeur	Aesculap Neurosurgery	MD615	Must be robust, bite size 15 x 5 mm
Bone Rongeur	Aesculap Neurosurgery	FO551R	Must be robust, bite size 25 x 15 mm
Bone Chisel	Lawton	67-0335	The size of the chisel head should not exceed 20 mm
Mallet (Hammer)	Millarco	5624108	Weight 300 g, length 30 cm, head hit area size 2 x 2 cm
Micro-Scissor	FST	14002-14	
Dissector	Aesculap Neurosurgery	OL165R	
Göttingen minipigs	Ellegaard Göttingen Minipigs A/S, Denmark		
Euthanimal			pentobarbital
Ketamine	Pfizer		
Midazolam	Hameln Pharmaceuticals		