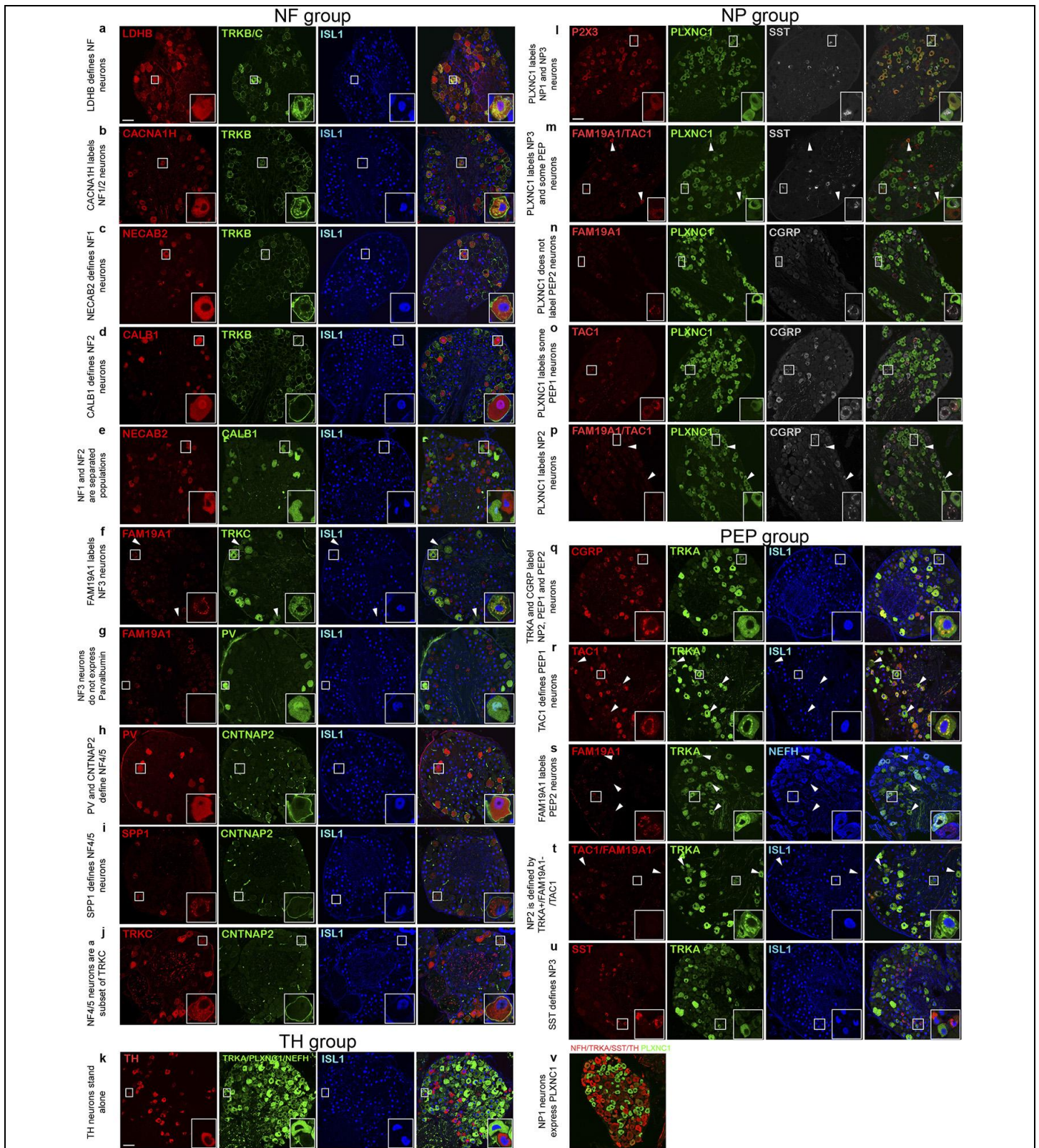


Supplementary Figure 1

Number of genes detected.

Distribution of the number of detected genes, including only the UCSC mRNA gene models (i.e. excluding many non-coding RNAs, ribosomal and tRNAs and expressed repeat families). The average number of detected genes was 3574 (standard deviation, 2010).

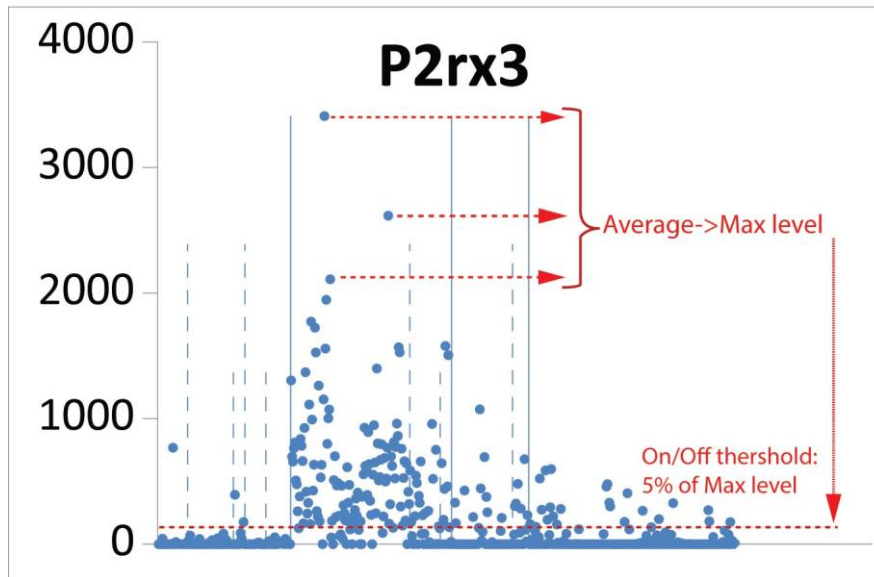


Supplementary Figure 2

Immunohistochemical identification of neuronal types.

Supplementary figure 2. Immunohistochemical identification of neuronal types. (a) Triple immunohistochemistry for LDHB, TRKB and TRKC and ISLET1. Note TRKB⁺-TRKC⁺/LDHB⁺ neurons (inset). All neurons belonging to the large *Neurofilament, heavy polypeptide* neuron class express *Lactate dehydrogenase B (Ldhd)*. (b-e) **Validation of the NF1 and NF2 TRKB⁺ subgroups.** (b) Triple immunohistochemistry for CACNA1H, TRKB and ISLET1. Note TRKB⁺/CACNA1H⁺ neurons (inset). The *Calcium channel, voltage-dependent, T type, alpha 1H subunit (CACNA1H)* labels most of the *neurotrophic tyrosine kinase, receptor, type 2*, TRKB-expressing neurons. (c) Triple immunohistochemistry for NECAB2, TRKB and ISLET1. Note NECAB2⁺/TRKB^{high} neurons (inset). The NF1 subgroup of neurons expresses the *N-terminal EF-hand calcium binding protein 2 (NECAB2)* and TRKB at high levels (TRKB^{high}). (d) Triple immunohistochemistry for CALB1, TRKB and ISLET1. Note CALB1⁺/TRKB^{low} (inset). The NF2 subgroup expresses *Calbindin (CALB1)* and TRKB at low levels (TRKB^{low}, NF2). (e) Triple immunohistochemistry for NECAB2, CALB1 and ISLET1 shows NECAB2 and CALB1 being mutually exclusive (inset). (f-j) **Validation of the NF3, NF4 and NF5 TRKC⁺ subgroups.** The large, *Neurotrophic tyrosine kinase, receptor, type 3 (TRKC)* population is formed by 3 subgroups. (f) Triple immunohistochemistry for FAM19A1, TRKC and ISLET1. Note FAM19A1⁺/TRKC⁺ neurons (inset) and TRKC⁺/FAM19A1⁻ neurons (arrowheads). NF3 is defined as a subpopulation of TRKC neurons expressing the *Chemokine-like protein Tafa-1 (FAM19A1)*. (g) Triple immunohistochemistry for FAM19A1, Parvalbumin (PV) and ISLET1. *Pvalb* and *Fam19a1* expression is mutually exclusive (inset). NF3 neurons are negative for Parvalbumin. (h) Triple immunohistochemistry for CNTNAP2, PV and ISLET1. Note PV⁺/CNTNAP2⁺ neurons (inset). (i) Triple immunohistochemistry for SPP1, CNTNAP2 and ISLET1. Note SPP1⁺/CNTNAP2⁺ neurons (inset) representing NF4 and NF5. NF4 and NF5 PV-positive neurons are a subpopulation of TRKC-positive neurons. (j) Triple immunohistochemistry for TRKC, CNTNAP2 and ISLET1. Note NF4 and NF5 CNTNAP2⁺/TRKC⁺ neurons (inset), subgroups of the largest TRKC population. We could not distinguish NF4 from NF5. However, *Inhibin, beta B (INHBB)* stood out as a good candidate to mark neurons belonging to the NF5 subgroup of TRKC⁺/PV⁺ neurons. (k) Triple immunohistochemistry for TH (sole marker defining TH population), combined TRKA/PLXNC1/NEFH and ISLET1. Note TH⁺/TRKA⁻/PLXNC1⁻/NEFH⁻ neurons (inset). TH labels neither neurons belonging to the NF group (defined by *Nefh* expression), nor the NP group (defined by *Plxnc1* expression) or the PEP group (defined by *TrkA*). (l-v) A combinatorial immunohistochemistry strategy was used to successfully distinguish the NP (l-p, v) and the PEP (q-u) classes of sensory neurons. Data analysis identified *Plexin C1 (PLXNC1)* as a common marker for all three subgroups of the NP group and, additionally, being expressed in some PEP1 neurons. (l) Triple immunohistochemistry for P2X3, PLXNC1 and SST. Note SST⁺/PLXNC1⁺/P2X3⁺ (inset). PLXNC1 labels all Somatostatin (SST) positive neurons belonging to NP3 and P2X3⁺ neurons belonging to NP1. (m) Triple immunohistochemistry for combined FAM19A1/TAC1, PLXNC1 and SST. Note (FAM19A1⁺ or TAC1⁺)/PLXNC1⁺/SST⁻ (arrowheads) and (FAM19A1⁻ and TAC1⁻)/PLXNC1⁺/SST⁺ neurons (inset). PLXNC1 expression is detected in NP3 and some neurons belonging to PEP groups. (n) Triple immunohistochemistry for FAM19A1, PLXNC1 and CGRP. *Fam19a1* and *Plxnc1* expression is mutually exclusive (inset); PEP2 neurons do not express PLXNC1 (o) Triple immunohistochemistry for TAC1, PLXNC1 and CGRP. Note TAC1⁺/PLXNC1⁺/CGRP⁺ neurons (inset); expression patterns of *PLXNC1* and of *Tachykinin, precursor 1 (TAC1)*, a unique marker of PEP1 neurons, show some overlap. (p) Triple immunohistochemistry for PLXNC1, combined FAM19A1 and TAC1 and CGRP, shows CGRP⁺/FAM19A1⁻TAC1⁻/PLXNC1⁺ neurons belonging to the NP2 subgroup. (q) Triple immunohistochemistry for CGRP, TRKA and ISLET1. TRKA and CGRP show 1:1 co-localization (inset). The *Neurotrophic tyrosine kinase, receptor, type 1 (TRKA)* and *Calcitonin receptor-like (CGRP)* are expressed by all neurons belonging to NP2, PEP1 and PEP2 subgroups. (r) Triple immunohistochemistry for TAC1, TRKA and ISLET1. TAC1 defines PEP1 neurons. Note

TRKA⁺/TAC1⁺ (inset) and TRKA⁺/TAC1⁻ neurons (arrowheads) belonging to the other two TRKA-expressing groups, NP2 and PEP2, respectively. **(s)** Triple immunohistochemistry for FAM19A1, TRKA and NEFH. Note NEFH⁺/FAM19A1⁺/TRKA⁺ and NEFH⁺/FAM19A1⁺/TRKA⁻ neurons, belonging to PEP2 and NF3, respectively (inset) and TRKA⁺/FAM19A1⁻ neurons (arrowheads) belonging to the other two TRKA-expressing groups (NP2 and PEP1). **(t)** Triple immunohistochemistry for combined FAM19A1/TAC1, TRKA and ISLET1. Note TRKA⁺/FAM19A1⁻/TAC1⁻ neurons (inset and arrowheads), belonging to NP2 subgroup. **(u)** Triple immunohistochemistry for SST, TRKA and ISLET1. *Sst* and *TrkA* expression is mutually exclusive (inset). *Sst* defines the NP3 subgroup. **(v)** Double immunohistochemistry for PLXNC1 and combined NFH/TRKA/SST/TH. Note PLXNC1⁺/NFH⁻/TRKA⁻/SST⁻/TH⁻ neurons belonging to the NP1 subclass. Scale bar = 50 μm.



Supplementary Figure 3

Illustration of how threshold level was determined for each gene to calculate the fraction of positive cells (thresholding method).