Product Sheet

Influenza A virus (H1N1), High titer VR-95PQ[™]

Description

Influenza A virus (H1N1) strain A/PR/8/34 is a high-titer, purified, live virus that is propagated in SPF chicken embryonated eggs. This strain was isolated in 1934 from a human patient in Puerto Rico and was deposited by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. This product has applications in respiratory disease research, antiviral studies, assay development, and vaccine development.

Strain designation: A/PR/8/34Deposited As: Influenza A virusShipping information: Quantitative PFUs and genome copy number reported on

Certificate of Analysis

Storage Conditions

Product format: Frozen Storage conditions: -70°C or colder

Intended Use

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For batch-specific test results, refer to the applicable certificate of analysis that can be found at www.atcc.org.

Growth Conditions

Host: Specific pathogen free chicken embryonated eggs, 10-11 days
Effects: death of host animal; hemagglutination of red blood cells
Temperature: 35°C
Recommendations for infection: Dilute virus in D-PBS prior to inoculation.
Incubation: 2-3 days in a humidified atmosphere

Handling Procedures



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Mycoplasma contamination: Not detected

Notes

ATCC VR-95PQ is a high-titer, purified, live virus suspended in 1X PBS + 0.1% Sodium azide. This product was prepared from ATCC VR-95 via purification through sucrose gradient centrifugation, and is devoid of cellular debris and contaminants. **Key Abbreviations:** °C, Degrees Celsius; D-PBS, Dulbecco's Phosphate-buffered saline; PBS, Phosphate-buffered saline; RBC, Red blood cell; SPF, Specific pathogen free

Material Citation

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References

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