

Chikungunya Virus, R-91142

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Product Description: Cell lysate and supernatant from *Cercopithecus aethiops* kidney epithelial cells (Vero E6) infected with chikungunya virus, R-91142.

Lot¹: 58507548

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Sequencing of Species-Specific Region (~ 1020 nt)	Consistent with chikungunya virus	99% identity to chikungunya virus (GenBank: HQ456255)
Titer by TCID ₅₀ Assay ^{2,3} in Vero E6 Cells ⁴	Report results	5.0 x 10 ⁶ TCID ₅₀ per mL
Functional Activity by RT-PCR Assay	~ 1200 bp amplicon	~ 1200 bp amplicon
Sterility (21-day incubation) Harpo's HTYE broth ⁵ , 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Trypticase soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sheep blood agar, 37°C, aerobic Sheep blood agar, 37°C, anaerobic Thioglycollate broth, 37°C, anaerobic DMEM with 10% FBS, 37°C and 5% CO ₂	No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth	No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth
Mycoplasma Contamination Agar and broth culture (14-day incubation at 37°C)	None detected	None detected

¹Grown and deposited by Charles H. Calisher, Ph. D., Department of Microbiology, Immunology and Pathology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.

²The Tissue Culture Infectious Dose 50% (TCID₅₀) endpoint is the 50% infectious endpoint in cell culture. The TCID₅₀ is the dilution of virus that under the conditions of the assay can be expected to infect 50% of the culture vessels inoculated, just as a Lethal Dose 50% (LD₅₀) is expected to kill half of the animals exposed. A reciprocal of the dilution required to yield the TCID₅₀ provides a measure of the titer (or infectivity) of a virus preparation.

³7 days at 37°C and 5% CO₂

⁴Vero E6 cells; ATCC® CRL-1586™

⁵Atlas, Ronald M. Handbook of Microbiological Media. 3rd ed. Ed. Lawrence C. Parks. Boca Raton: CRC Press, 2004, p. 798.

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