Canid herpesvirus 1

VR-552™

Description

Canid herpesvirus 1 (canine herpesvirus) strain D 004 is propagated in MDCK (NBL-2) cells (ATCC CCL-34). This strain was isolated from the respiratory tract of a dog and was deposited by the Division of Veterinary Medicine at Walter Reed Army Institute of Research.

Strain designation: D 004
Common name: Canine herpesvirus
Deposited As: Canine herpesvirus

Storage Conditions

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

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Host: MDCK (NBL-2) (ATCC CCL-34)
Effects: cell rounding; cell sloughing; CPE
Complete medium:
EMEM (ATCC 30-2003) + 2% FBS (ATCC 30-2020)
Temperature: 37°C
Atmosphere: 95% Air, 5% CO_2
Recommendations for infection: For best results, infection should be performed on a 80-90% confluent, 18-48 hour old cellular monolayer. Prepare dilution of virus in minimum amount of volume (e.g. 1 mL per 25 cm^2). Wash monolayer with PBS or serum free medium prior to inoculation. Adsorb virus dilution for 1-2 hours at 37°C in a humidified 5% CO_2 atmosphere, rocking every 20-30 minutes to redistribute inoculum. End adsorption by adding virus growth medium.

Incubation: 1-6 days at 37°C in a humidified 5% CO_2atmosphere, until CPE is progressed through 80% of the monolayer.

Handling Procedures

Mycoplasma contamination: Not detected

Notes

No cross-neutralization with other herpesviruses. Can only be propagated in cells of canine origin. Purified 1 time by terminal dilution, and 3 times by plaque passage.
Key Abbreviations: °C, Degrees Celsius; CO_2, Carbon dioxide; CPE, Cytopathic effect; EMEM, Eagle's Minimum Essential Medium; FBS, Fetal bovine serum; MDCK, Madin Darby canine kidney cells; PBS, Phosphate-buffered saline

Material Citation

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