



Product Sheet

# Adeno-associated virus 4 (ATCC® VR-646™)

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**-70°C or colder**

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Biosafety Level  
**2**

## Intended Use

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## Description

**Strain:** none

**Classification:** Parvoviridae, Dependovirus, Adeno-associated virus-4

**Original Source:**

Monkey cells infected with SV-15 virus

**Depositor:** WP Parks

## Batch-Specific Information

Refer to the Certificate of Analysis for batch-specific test results.

## Propagation

**Propagation Host:**

monkey kidney cells; suckling mouse

**Recommended Host:** LLC-MK<sub>2</sub> (ATCC® CCL-7.1™)

**Effect on Host:**

Cytopathic effect: AAV produces no CPE. Helper adenovirus induces refractile rounding and cell sloughing.

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Non-cytopathic without helper virus

**Medium:**

Virus growth medium: EMEM (ATCC® 30-2003) + 2%FBS (ATCC® 30-2020) with adenovirus helper SV-15 (ATCC® VR-1449™)

**Growth Conditions**

**Temperature:** 37.0°C

**Duration:** Evidence of virus growth can be expected within 2-3 days. For best results cells should be 24-48 hours old and 80%-90% confluent (not 100%) at the time of infection.

## Comments

Requires co-infection with helper adenovirus SV-15 (ATCC® VR-1449™) for replication. Helper virus may be inactivated at 56°C for 30 minutes.

NOTE: This preparation has tested positive for *Mycoplasma orale* by PCR. This strain of *Mycoplasma* does not grow in agar.

## References

References and other information relating to this product are available online at [www.atcc.org](http://www.atcc.org).

## Key Abbreviations

AAV, Adeno associated virus

AGMkK, African green monkey kidney cells

bp, base pair

CF, complement fixation

CO<sub>2</sub>(CO<sub>2</sub>), carbon dioxide

CPE, cytopathic effect

D-17, primary canine osteogenic sarcoma cells

EMEM, Eagles minimum essential medium

FBS, fetal bovine serum

i.u., infectious units

LLC-MK<sub>2</sub>(LLC-MK2), rhesus monkey kidney cells

MK, monkey cells

mL, milliliter

MOI, multiplicity of infection

NCBI, National Center for Biotechnology Information

PCR, polymerase chain reaction

Pen, penicillin

Strep, streptomycin

SV, simian virus


TC, tissue culture



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TCID<sub>50</sub>(TCID[50]), The Tissue Culture Infectious Dose

50% endpoint is the 50% infectious endpoint in cell culture. The TCID<sub>50</sub> 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% (LD<sub>50</sub>) is expected to kill half of the animals exposed. A reciprocal of the dilution required to yield the TCID<sub>50</sub> provides a measure of the titer (or infectivity) of a virus preparation.

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