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# **Product Information Sheet for MRA-1155**

Anopheles quadriannulatus, Strain SANGWE, Eggs

Catalog No. MRA-1155

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# **Product Description:**

Classification: Diptera, Culicidae, Anopheles

Species: Anopheles quadriannulatus

Strain: SANGWE (deposited in November 2010 as Anopheles

quadriannulatus A, SANGQUA)1

Original Source: The Anopheles quadriannulatus (A. quadriannulatus), strain SANGWE colony originated from female mosquitoes collected in 1999 by Dr. Richard Hunt near the Sabi River in Sangwe, Zimbabwe. 1,2 Eggs from these females were used to establish the colony, which was maintained by membrane feeding using cattle blood. 1,2

<u>Comments</u>: The wild-type SANGWE strain was karyotyped as 2L+; Xf+/f heterozygous.<sup>3</sup> The genome of *A. quadriannulatus*, strain SANGWE is available (BioProject: <u>PRJNA67511</u>).<sup>4</sup>

#### Material Provided:

MRA-1155 contains a suitable number of eggs to establish a stock. Eggs are provided on damp filter paper and should be hatched immediately upon receipt.

Note: For information on hatching and establishing a stock of A. quadriannulatus refer to Methods in Anopheles Research.

# Packaging/Storage:

MRA-1155 is prepared and shipped by CDC. The product is provided at room temperature.

#### Citation

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