

# Influenza A Virus, A/ring-billed gull/Quebec/02434-1/2009 (H13N6)

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## Product Description:

Virus Classification: *Orthomyxoviridae, Influenzavirus A*

Species: Influenza A virus

Strain/Isolate: A/ring-billed gull/Quebec/02434-1/2009 (H13N6)

Original Source: Influenza A virus, A/ring-billed gull/Quebec/02434-1/2009 (H13N6) was isolated from a ring-billed gull in Quebec, Canada on July 20, 2009.

Comments: Sequence information is available for Influenza A virus, A/ring-billed gull/Quebec/02434-1/2009 (H13N6) at the [Influenza Research Database](#).

## Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 1 mL of pooled allantoic fluid from specific pathogen free (SPF) embryonated chicken eggs infected with influenza A virus, A/ring-billed gull/Quebec/02434-1/2009 (H13N6).

Note: If homogeneity is required for your intended use, please purify prior to initiating work.

## Packaging/Storage:

NR-31218 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -60°C or colder immediately upon arrival. For long-term storage, the vapor phase of a liquid nitrogen freezer is recommended. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

## Growth Conditions:

Host: 9- to 11-day-old SPF embryonated chicken eggs

Infection: Embryonated chicken eggs must be candled to confirm viability prior to inoculation

Incubation: 2 days at 35°C in a humidified chamber without CO<sub>2</sub>

Effect: Hemagglutination activity using allantoic fluid from infected embryonated chicken eggs and chicken red blood cells

## Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH:

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## Biosafety Level: 3

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 6th ed. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2020; see [www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm).

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