

Certificate of Analysis for NR-542

Melao Virus, TRVL 9375

Catalog No. NR-542

(Derived from ATCC® VR-761™)

Product Description: Cell lysate and supernatant from African green monkey kidney (Vero) cells¹ infected with Melao virus, TRVL 9375.

Lot²: 4008232 Manufacturing Date: 18JUN2005

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Identification by Infectivity in Vero Cells ¹	Cell rounding and detachment	Cell rounding and detachment
Titer by TCID₅₀ Assay³,⁴ in Vero Cells¹	Report results	2.8 X 10 ⁷ TCID ₅₀ /mL
Sterility (post-vialing; 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
Mycoplasma Contamination Agar and broth culture (14 day incubation at 37°C) DNA Detection by PCR of extracted Test Article nucleic acid	None detected None detected	None detected None detected

¹Vero cells: ATCC[®] CCL-81™.

Date: 02 OCT 2006 **Signature:** Signature on File

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²Grown in Minimum Essential Medium containing Earle's salts and non-essential amino acids (GIBCO[®] 10370-021) supplemented with 2% irradiated fetal bovine serum (Cambrex[®] 14-471E), 2 mM L-glutamine (GIBCO[®] 25030-081), and 1 mM sodium pyruvate (GIBCO[®] 11360-070) for 6 days at 37°C and 5% CO₂.

³The 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.

⁴3 days at 37°C and 5% CO₂.

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