

Influenza B Virus, B/Texas/06/2011 (Yamagata Lineage)

Catalog No. NR-44024

Product Description: Pooled allantoic fluid from specific pathogen free (SPF) embryonated chicken eggs¹ infected with influenza B virus, B/Texas/06/2011 (Yamagata Lineage)

Lot^{2,3}: 61857476

Manufacturing Date: 04JUL2013

| TEST | SPECIFICATIONS | RESULTS |
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| Identification by Infectivity Using Embryonated Chicken Eggs¹ Hemagglutination activity using allantoic fluid from infected eggs and 0.5% chicken red blood cells | Positive | Positive |
| Sequencing of Hemagglutinin Coding Region (713 nucleotides) | Consistent with B/Texas/06/2011 (Yamagata Lineage) | 99% identity with B/Texas/06/2011 (Yamagata Lineage) (GenBank: KC813979) |
| Titer by CEID₅₀ Assay^{4,5} in Embryonated Chicken Eggs¹ | Report results | 5.0 × 10 ⁸ CEID ₅₀ per mL |
| Sterility (21-day incubation) Harpo's HTYE broth ⁶ , 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Trypticase soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Blood agar, 37°C, aerobic Blood agar, 37°C, anaerobic Thioglycollate broth, 37°C, anaerobic DMEM with 10% FBS, 37°C and 5% CO ₂ | No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth | No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth 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 |

¹9- to 10-day-old SPF Embryonated Chicken Eggs acquired from B&E Eggs, York Springs, Pennsylvania

²Derived from CDC ID No. 2011767829

³Grown in the allantoic cavity of embryonated chicken eggs¹ for 2 days at 34°C in a humidified chamber

⁴The Chicken Embryo Infectious Dose 50% (CEID₅₀) is the dilution of virus that under the conditions of the assay can be expected to infect 50% of the inoculated embryonated chicken eggs, 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 CEID₅₀ provides a measure of the infectious titer (or infectivity) of a virus preparation.

⁵2 days at 34°C in a humidified chamber

⁶Atlas, Ronald M. Handbook of Microbiological Media. 3rd ed. Ed. Lawrence C. Parks. Boca Raton: CRC Press, 2004, p. 798.

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