

Genomic RNA from Una Virus, MAC 150

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Product Description:

Genomic RNA was isolated from a preparation of cell lysate and supernatant from *Cercopithecus aethiops* kidney epithelial cells (Vero; ATCC® CCL-81™) infected with Una virus (UNAV), MAC 150.

UNAV, MAC 150 was isolated from a sentinel hamster in Miranda Province, Venezuela on October 12, 1997.¹

NR-50082 has been qualified for RT-PCR applications by amplification of a sequence of approximately 800 nucleotides. Recommended dilutions for successful RT-PCR amplification are indicated on the Certificate of Analysis for each lot.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 100 µL of genomic RNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl, 1 mM EDTA, pH 7). The viral genomic RNA is in a background of cellular nucleic acid and carrier RNA. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-50082 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen on dry ice and should be stored at -60°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

Citation:

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Biosafety Level: 1

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1. Powers, A. M., et al. “Genetic Relationships among Una and Una Viruses Suggest Distinct Patterns of Transmission.” Am. J. Trop. Med. Hyg. 75 (2006): 461-469. Pubmed: 16968922.

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