

**Influenza A Virus, A/WSN/33 (H1N1) PA-2A-NLuc (PASTN)**

**Catalog No. NR-49383**

**Product Description:**

Influenza A virus, A/WSN/33 (H1N1) PA-2A-NLuc (PASTN) is a replication-competent influenza reporter virus that carries the luciferase variant NanoLuc® (NLuc) fused to the viral polymerase subunit A (PA). NR-49383 lot 70037384 was produced by infecting Madin-Darby Canine Kidney cells (MDCK; ATCC® CCL-34™) with influenza A virus, A/WSN/33 (H1N1) PA-2A-NLuc (PASTN) and incubating in Eagle's Minimum Essential Medium (ATCC® 30-2003™) supplemented with 0.125% bovine serum albumin (Gibco 15260-037) and 1.0 µg/mL L-1-tosylamido-2-phenylethyl chloromethyl ketone (TPCK)-treated trypsin for 6 days at 37°C and 5% CO<sub>2</sub>.

**Passage History:**

C(3)/C(7) (Prior to deposit at BEI Resources/BEI Resources); C = MDCK cells

**Lot: 70037384**

**Manufacturing Date: 13AUG2020**

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
<b>Identification by Infectivity in MDCK Cells</b>	Cell rounding and detachment	Cell rounding and detachment
<b>Sequencing of PA-2A-NLuc Fusion Region</b> (~ 760 nucleotides)	Identity confirmed	Identity confirmed <sup>1</sup>
<b>Titer by TCID<sub>50</sub> Assay in MDCK Cells<sup>2</sup></b> (7 days at 37°C and 5% CO <sub>2</sub> )	Report results	1.6 × 10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> per mL
<b>Sterility (21-day incubation)</b> Harpo's HTYE broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic <sup>3</sup> 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, aerobic	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
<b>Mycoplasma Contamination</b> 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

<sup>1</sup>Nucleotide sequencing confirmed the presence of the entire NanoLuc® ORF and the "self-cleaving" 2A peptide from porcine teschovirus fused in frame to the C-terminus of the modified PA gene, with the terminal 50 nucleotides of the native PA sequence repeated after the NLuc stop codon to restore native packaging sequences. See Tran, V., et al. "Highly Sensitive Real-Time *in vivo* Imaging of an Influenza Reporter Virus Reveals Dynamics of Replication and Spread." *J. Virol.* 87 (2001): 13321-13329 (PubMed: 24089552) for details.

<sup>2</sup>The Tissue Culture Infectious Dose 50% (TCID<sub>50</sub>) endpoint is the 50% infectious endpoint in cell culture. The TCID<sub>50</sub> 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% (LD<sub>50</sub>) is expected to kill half of the animals exposed. A reciprocal of the dilution required to yield the TCID<sub>50</sub> provides a measure of the infectious titer (or infectivity) of a virus preparation.

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

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