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### DATA SHEET

**Reagent:** HIV-1 QH0692 Env Expression Vector (QH0692, clone 42 (SVPB6))

**Catalog Number:** 11018

**Lot Number:** 130122

**Release Category:** B

**Provided:** 5 µg of dried purified DNA stabilized in DNASTable *PLUS*

**Cloning Vector:** pcDNA3.1D/V5-His TOPO©. The size of the cloning vector including the insert is 8566 bp.

**Cloning Site:** The HIV-1 env/rev cassette was directly cloned into the cloning site of pcDNA3.1D/V5-His TOPO© expression vector, in the correct orientation with the CMV promoter. The size of the insert is 3052 bp.

**GenBank:** AY835439

**Description:** A PCR fragment containing full-length env and rev genes was derived from the genomic DNA of infected PBMC. Original virus was obtained by PBMC co-culture. The env/rev cassette was cloned into pcDNA3.1D/V5-His TOPO© expression vector by a directional cloning approach. A single transformed ampicillin resistant *E. coli* colony was selected and expanded. Recombinant plasmid carries resistance genes for ampicillin and neomycin.

**Special Characteristics:** Plasmid Expansion: It is recommended that this plasmid be expanded using DH5a™ Competent Cells in LB medium at 34°C. The clone represents env/rev sequences from a subject with acute subtype B infection (female-male transmission in Trinidad/Tobago). The clone expresses a functional env/rev cassette and can be used to generate pseudotyped infectious virions that use CCR5 as the viral co-receptor. QH0692.42 Env containing pseudovirions are included in a standard virus neutralization panel for subtype B strains (SVPB6).

This clone is also available as a member of a panel set, see catalog #11227. [Click here to see the table of individual reagents for this reference panel.](#)

[Contributor provided sequence information](#)

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[Plasmid map and sequence file lot 130122.](#)

This reagent is currently being provided as dried purified DNA stabilized in DNASTable *PLUS*. Please see the notice for additional information and the protocol for reconstitution of dried DNA reagents. [Dried DNA Notice](#)

**Recommended Storage:** Keep the reagent at room temperature in a dry storage cabinet or in a moisture barrier bag.

**Contributor:** Dr. David Montefiori, Dr. Feng Gao and Dr. Ming Li.

**References:** Li, M., Gao F., Mascola J.R., Stamatatos L., Polonis V.R., Koutsoukos M., Voss G., Goepfert P., Gilbert P., Greene K.M., Bilaska M., Kothe D.L., Salazar-Gonzalez J.F., Wei X., Decker J.M., Hahn B.H., and Montefiori D.C. Human immunodeficiency virus type 1 env clones from acute and early subtype B infections for standardized assessments of vaccine-elicited neutralizing antibodies. *J. Virology* **79**(16): 10108-10125, 2005.

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