

## **Product Information Sheet for NR-45187**

# Influenza A Virus, A/mallard/Alberta/125/1999 (H11N6)

## Catalog No. NR-45187

For research use only. Not for use in humans.

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## **Product Description:**

<u>Virus Classification</u>: Orthomyxoviridae, Influenzavirus A

Species: Influenza A virus

<u>Original Source</u>: Influenza A virus, A/mallard/Alberta/125/1999 (H11N6) was isolated from a mallard in Alberta, Canada on August 4, 1999.<sup>1</sup>

Comments: Sequence information is available for influenza A virus, A/mallard/Alberta/125/1999 (H11N6) at the Influenza

Research Database.

### **Material Provided:**

Each vial contains approximately 1 mL of pooled allantoic fluid from specific pathogen free (SPF) embryonated chicken eggs infected with influenza A virus, A/mallard/Alberta/125/1999 (H11N6).

<u>Note</u>: If homogeneity is required for your intended use, please purify prior to initiating work.

## Packaging/Storage:

NR-45187 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -60°C or colder immediately upon arrival. For long-term storage, the vapor phase of a liquid nitrogen freezer is recommended. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

### **Growth Conditions:**

<u>Host</u>: 9- to 11-day-old SPF embryonated chicken eggs <u>Infection</u>: Embryonated chicken eggs must be candled to confirm viability prior to inoculation

Incubation: 2 days at 35°C in a humidified chamber

<u>Effect</u>: Hemagglutination activity using allantoic fluid from infected embryonated chicken eggs and chicken red blood cells

#### Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH: Influenza A Virus, A/mallard/Alberta/125/1999 (H11N6), NR-45187."

## Biosafety Level: 3

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 6th ed. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2020; see www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm.

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#### References:

 Bahl, J., et al. "Influenza A Virus Migration and Persistence in North American Wild Birds." <u>PLoS Pathog.</u> 9 (2013): e1003570. PubMed: 24009503.

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