

**SARS-Related Coronavirus 2, Isolate hCoV-19/USA/PHC205/2021 (Lineage B.1.1.519)**

**Catalog No. NR-55483**

**Product Description:**

**Note:** The label for lot 70047320 indicates the lineage is B.1.519. The correct lineage is B.1.1.519. Severe acute respiratory syndrome-related coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2), isolate hCoV-19/USA/PHC205/2021 (also referred to as hCoV-19/USA/unPHC205/2021) was isolated from a nasopharyngeal swab in Memphis, Tennessee, USA on May 22, 2021. NR-55483 lot 70047320 was produced by infecting *Homo sapiens* lung adenocarcinoma cells (Calu-3; ATCC® HTB-55™) with the deposited material and incubating in Eagle's Minimum Essential Medium (ATCC® 30-2003™) supplemented with 2% fetal bovine serum (ATCC® 30-2020™) for 3 days at 37°C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. The cells and supernatant were spin-clarified at 1500 × g for 10 minutes at 4°C.

**Passage History:**

VT2A2(1), VT2(1)/C(1) (St. Jude Children's Research Hospital/BEI Resources); VT2A2 = Vero E6 cells with transmembrane protease, serine 2 (TMPRSS2) gene and ACE2; VT2 = Vero E6 cells with TMPRSS2 gene ; C = Calu-3 cells

**Lot: 70047320**

**Manufacturing Date: 03SEP2021**

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| TEST  | SPECIFICATIONS  | RESULTS   |
|---|---|---|
| <b>Identification by Infectivity in Calu-3 Cells</b>  | Cell rounding and detachment  | Cell rounding and detachment  |
| <b>Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS) of Complete Genome Using Illumina® iSeq™ 100 Platform</b><br>(Refer to Appendix I for NGS information)  | ≥ 98% identity with SARS-CoV-2, hCoV-19/USA/PHC205/2021 (GenBank: MZ358923.1)           | 100% identity with SARS-CoV-2, hCoV-19/USA/PHC205/2021 (GenBank: MZ358923.1)            |
| <b>Titer by TCID<sub>50</sub> Assay in Calu-3 Cells by Cytopathic Effect<sup>1</sup></b><br>(7 days at 37°C and 5% CO <sub>2</sub> )  | Report results  | 4.4 × 10 <sup>6</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> per mL <sup>2</sup>                            |
| <b>Sterility (21-day incubation)</b><br>Harpo's HTYE broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic <sup>3</sup><br>Trypticase Soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic<br>Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic<br>Sheep blood agar, 37°C, aerobic<br>Sheep blood agar, 37°C, anaerobic<br>Thioglycollate broth, 37°C, anaerobic<br>DMEM with 10% FBS, 37°C, aerobic | No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth | No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth<br>No growth |
| <b>Mycoplasma Contamination</b><br>Agar and broth culture (14-day incubation at 37°C)<br>DNA detection by PCR of extracted Test Article nucleic acid  | None detected<br>None detected  | None detected<br>None detected  |

<sup>1</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 titer (or infectivity) of a virus preparation.

<sup>2</sup>Titer was determined by cytopathic effects (CPE) and completed in triplicate (1.6 × 10<sup>6</sup> per mL, 2.8 × 10<sup>6</sup> per mL and 8.9 × 10<sup>6</sup> per mL). The average of the three values is reported.

<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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**APPENDIX I: NGS Information for NR-55483 lot 70047320**

Sequence analysis using SBC v2.0 pipeline and freebayes v1.3.1 variant caller resulted in the discovery of one SNP when compared to the reference sequence GenBank MZ358923.1 (see Table I below). Additionally, both the reference sequence MZ358923.1 and NR-55483 lot 70047320 contained twenty-nine SNPs when compared to GenBank MN908947 (SARS-CoV-2, isolate Wuhan-Hu-1, complete genome) (see Table II below).

**Table I: Variants with different nucleotides between NR-55483 lot 70047320 and reference sequence MZ358923.1**

| Variant Type | Variant Position and Identified Alternative Base | Coverage | Length of Variant | Frequency of Variant | Gene (Region) | Amino Acid Mutation |
|--------------|--|----------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| SNP          | a29871g  | 159      | 1                 | 21.3836%             | 3'UTR         | Untranslated region |

**Table II: Variants with different nucleotides between NR-55483 lot 70047320 and GenBank MN908947.3 (SARS-CoV-2, isolate Wuhan-Hu-1, complete genome)**

| Variant Type | Variant Position and Identified Alternative Base | Coverage <sup>1</sup> | Length of Variant | Frequency of Variant <sup>1</sup> | Gene (Region)  | Amino Acid Mutation |
|--------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| SNP          | c203t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | 5'UTR          | Untranslated region |
| SNP          | c222t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | 5'UTR          | Untranslated region |
| SNP          | c241t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | 5'UTR          | Untranslated region |
| SNP          | a1740g   | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp2)  | K312R               |
| SNP          | c3037t   | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp3)  | Silent mutation     |
| SNP          | c3140t   | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp3)  | P141S               |
| SNP          | g3351a   | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp3)  | S211N               |
| SNP          | a6704t   | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp3)  | N1329Y              |
| SNP          | c10029t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp4)  | T492I               |
| SNP          | c10954t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp5)  | Silent mutation     |
| SNP          | a11117g  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp6)  | I49V                |
| SNP          | c12789t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp9)  | T35I                |
| SNP          | c14408t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp12) | P323L               |
| SNP          | g16943t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp13) | S236I               |
| SNP          | c18129t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp14) | Silent mutation     |
| SNP          | t19839c  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp15) | Silent mutation     |
| SNP          | c21306t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | ORF1ab (nsp16) | Silent mutation     |
| SNP          | c22995a  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Spike          | T478K               |
| SNP          | a23403g  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Spike          | D614G               |

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|--------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| SNP          | c23604a  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Spike         | P681H               |
| SNP          | a23756g  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Spike         | T732A               |
| SNP          | t26561c  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Membrane      | Silent Mutation     |
| SNP          | c26735t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Membrane      | Silent Mutation     |
| SNP          | c26885t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Membrane      | Silent Mutation     |
| SNP          | g28881a  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Nucleocapsid  | R203K               |
| SNP          | g28882a  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         |               |                     |
| SNP          | g28883c  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Nucleocapsid  | G204R               |
| SNP          | c29197t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Nucleocapsid  | Silent Mutation     |
| SNP          | g29527t  | N/A                   | 1                 | 100.0000%                         | Nucleocapsid  | Q418H               |

<sup>1</sup>Coverage for all variants in Table II is listed as 'N/A'. There is no read coverage information for these variants because the sample reads are only mapped to the reference sequence and not to the SARS-CoV-2, Wuhan-Hu-1 isolate sequence (GenBank MN908947), but that does not mean these areas lack for coverage. All variants in Table II are mismatches in between the reference sequence and the SARS-CoV-2, Wuhan-Hu-1 sequence, so these variants will be assigned a frequency of 100% and will therefore be majority SNPs.