

**Vector pαH Containing the SARS Coronavirus, Recombinant Spike Ectodomain Gene**

**Catalog No. NR-54975**

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**Product Description:**

NR-54975 is an expression vector containing the SARS coronavirus, recombinant spike ectodomain gene insert (codon optimized) encoding S1 ectodomain residues 1-1190 (GenPept: [AAP41037.1](#)) linked to C-terminal T4 fibrin trimerization domain (foldon), an HRV3C cleavage site, octa His-tag and Strep-tag® II. Recombinant S ectodomain trimer is stabilized in the prefusion conformation by two proline substitutions (K968P and V969P)<sup>1,2</sup> NR-54975 contains the beta-lactamase gene, *bla*, to provide transformant selection through ampicillin resistance in *Escherichia coli* (*E. coli*). The deposited plasmid was transformed into One Shot™ TOP10 *Escherichia coli* (Invitrogen™ C404003), grown in Terrific broth with ampicillin (100 µg per mL) for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere, extracted using a Plasmid Plus Maxi Kit (QIAGEN® 12963) and vialled in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl, 1 mM EDTA, pH 8.0).

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
<b>Next-Generation DNA Sequencing (pre-vial)</b>	~ 7710 base pairs	7709 base pairs <sup>1</sup>
<b>Genotypic Analysis</b> Sequencing of S glycoprotein insert (~ 3600 base pairs)	≥ 99% sequence identity to depositor's sequence C-terminal T4 foldon trimerization domain confirmed C-terminal HRV3C protease cleavage site confirmed C-terminal octa-histidine tag confirmed C-terminal Strep-tag® II confirmed	100% sequence identity to depositor's sequence <sup>2</sup> C-terminal T4 foldon trimerization domain confirmed C-terminal HRV3C protease cleavage site confirmed C-terminal octa-histidine tag confirmed C-terminal Strep-tag® II confirmed
<b>Antibiotic Resistance</b> Ampicillin (encoded by beta-lactamase gene <i>bla</i> )	<i>bla</i> sequence present	<i>bla</i> sequence present
<b>Concentration by PicoGreen® Measurement</b>	≥ 2 µg/mL	0.6 µg in 30 µL/vial (20 µg/mL)
<b>Amount per Vial</b>	Report results	0.6 µg/vial
<b>OD<sub>260</sub>/OD<sub>280</sub> Ratio</b>	1.7 to 2.1	1.9
<b>Effective Bacterial Transformation</b> Invitrogen™ One Shot™ TOP10 <i>E. coli</i>	≥ 50 colonies/ng	56 colonies/ng

<sup>1</sup>The sequence was assembled pre-vial using the depositor's predicted sequence as the reference sequence. The complete plasmid sequence and map are provided on the BEI Resources webpage.

<sup>2</sup>The NR-54975 insert was codon optimized for mammalian expression, amino acid identity is consistent with SARS-CoV S glycoprotein (GenPept: AAP41037.1) other than the stabilization mutations.

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