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MSQ43, Anopheles stephensi Cell Line

Catalog No. MRA-858

Product Description:

MSQ43 is an immortalized cell line derived from the larval tissue of the mosquito *Anopheles stephensi*, Indian wildtype strain. MRA-858 lot 70013642 was produced by cultivation of the deposited material in complete culture medium (CCM) at 28°C in sealed flasks for 4 days, after which the cells reached >90% confluency and were harvested.

Lot: 70013642

Manufacturing Date: 17JUN2022

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Growth Properties	Adherent monolayer	Adherent monolayer (Figure 1)
Total Cell Count (post-freeze)	> 1.0 × 10 ⁶ cells per vial	5 × 10 ⁶ cells per vial
Viability (post-freeze)	≥ 75%	97.1%
Sterility (21-day incubation)		
Harpo's HTYE broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic ¹	No growth	No growth
Trypticase soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic	No growth	No growth
Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic	No growth	No growth
DMEM with 10% FBS, 37°C, aerobic	No growth	No growth
Sheep blood agar, 37°C, aerobic	No growth	No growth
Sheep blood agar, 37°C, anaerobic	No growth	No growth
Thioglycollate broth, 37°C, anaerobic	No growth	No growth
Mycoplasma Contamination		
DNA detection by PCR	None detected	None detected

¹Atlas, Ronald M. <u>Handbook of Microbiological Media</u>. 3rd ed. Ed. Lawrence C. Parks. Boca Raton: CRC Press, 2004, p. 798.

Figure 1: Cellular Morphology



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