

**THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO  
BIOLOGICAL AGENTS REGISTRY FORM**  
Approved Biohazards Subcommittee: October 14, 2010  
Biosafety Website: [www.uwo.ca/humanresources/biosafety/](http://www.uwo.ca/humanresources/biosafety/)

This form must be completed by each Principal Investigator holding a grant administered by the University of Western Ontario (UWO) or in charge of a laboratory/facility where the use of Level 1, 2 or 3 biological agents is described in the laboratory or animal work proposed. The form must also be completed if any work is proposed involving animals carrying zoonotic agents infectious to humans or involving plants, fungi, or insects that require Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC) or Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) permits.

This form must be updated at least every 3 years or when there are changes to the biological agents being used.

Containment Levels will be established in accordance with Laboratory Biosafety Guidelines, 3rd edition, 2004, Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC) or Containment Standards for Veterinary Facilities, 1<sup>st</sup> edition 1996, Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA).

Completed forms are to be returned to Occupational Health and Safety, (OHS), (Support Services Building, Room 4190) for distribution to the Biohazards Subcommittee. For questions regarding this form, please contact the Biosafety Officer at extension 81135 or [biosafety@uwo.ca](mailto:biosafety@uwo.ca). If there are changes to the information on this form (excluding grant title and funding agencies), contact Occupational Health and Safety for a modification form. See website: [www.uwo.ca/humanresources/biosafety/](http://www.uwo.ca/humanresources/biosafety/)

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\*For work being performed at Institutions affiliated with the University of Western Ontario, the Safety Officer for the Institution where experiments will take place must sign the form prior to its being sent to the University of Western Ontario Biosafety Officer (See Section 15.0, Approvals).

FUNDING AGENCY/AGENCIES: CIHR, NSERC, HSFO  
 GRANT TITLE(S): Role of RGS2 in the response of cells to stress.  
Novel modes of heterotrimeric G protein regulation  
Mechanism of the protective effect of RGS2 in cardiac hypertrophy

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**Please explain the biological agents and/or biohazardous substances used and how they will be stored, used and disposed of. Projects without this description will not be reviewed.**

## CELL CULTURE AND EXOGENOUS PROTEIN EXPRESSION

Our laboratory regularly cultures mammalian, insect, and bacterial cells to study the behaviours of specific proteins (mostly G proteins and their modulators) and the biochemical pathways that utilize these proteins in cells. All cells are stored, used, and disposed of in accordance with UWO Laboratory Biosafety Guidelines. Cell stocks are stored in a liquid nitrogen container designed for this purpose, or in the case of E. Coli glycerol stocks in a -80C freezer. Exogenous proteins are expressed via bacterial cell transformation, baculoviral infection in insect cells, and transient transfection or adenoviral infection in mammalian cells.

E Coli are grown in the main laboratory (M275) on agar plates or in suspension with shaking at volumes of up to 1 litre at temperatures ranging from ambient to 37C. These are used either for the production of plasmids for mammalian transfection or for the overexpression of individual proteins for affinity purification.

Sf9 cells are grown in the lab or in a dedicated cell culture room (M275A) at room temperature as either monolayers in disposable flasks or suspended in shaking flasks. These cells are either infected with a single baculovirus to produce individual proteins for purification or are multiply infected with 2-5 baculoviruses to prepare cytosolic or cell membrane fractions that are stored and frozen for later use in assays. Sf9 cells are also used to propagate baculoviruses for later use.

Mamalian cells are used to study the roles of proteins of interest in cellular signaling, metabolism, gene regulation, etc. We use both established cell lines (HEK-293, CHO, HeLa, H9C2, and UMR-106) and primary cultures derived from mouse or rat tissues (cardiomyocytes, osteoblasts, hepatocytes, adipocytes, vascular smooth muscle cells, fibroblasts). Expression of exogenous proteins is achieved through transient or stable transfection of plasmids, or infection with adenovirus encoding specific proteins. All mammalian cells are housed in a 37C CO2-controlled incubator in a dedicated cell culture room (M275A). All cell isolation procedures and the passaging and transfection/infection of both insect and mammalian cells are carried out in a certified biological safety cabinet.

All cells are grown in either sterile disposable plastic or sterile glass containers. After use, plastic culture flasks, pipettes, etc., are collected in biohazard garbage bags and then sealed and autoclaved prior to disposal. Used medium is collected in a special container and sterilized with bleach. The biological safety cabinet used for cell culture is sterilized after each use with isopropyl alcohol and kept under a germicidal UV light. Re-usable glass flasks for Sf9 and bacterial cell cultures are sterilized using bleach and then autoclaved before being used again.

Proper protective gear is worn for all cell culture procedures.

## BIOHAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

The use of biohazardous substances in the lab is infrequent. Bordatella pertussis is a Schedule 1 toxin in Canada. It is a protein that enters cells and inactivates a subset of heterotrimeric G proteins and this property is associated with the respiratory effects of the whooping cough bacteria. Pertussis toxin comes as a lyophilized powder that is stored at 4C. When handling, gloves and safety glasses are worn and the vial is opened only in the fume hood to avoid inhalation of the powder. The powder (50 µg) is dissolved in distilled water, aliquoted into 10 equal portions, and then frozen for later use. Pertussis toxin solution is added directly to cultured cells to test whether G proteins of the Gi/o subfamily (which are selectively inhibited by the toxin) are involved in a particular process. When finished, the containers used for these cells and to contain the toxin are treated as standard biohazard waste.

**Please include a one page research summary or teaching protocol.**

G protein coupled receptors account for >1% of the proteins encoded by the human genome and serve as direct or indirect targets for roughly half all therapeutically used drugs. In the body, GPCRs enable cell to cell communication by recognizing extracellular signals and activating intracellular GTP binding proteins (G proteins). Whereas GPCRs turn on G proteins by promoting GTP binding in exchange for the non-activating nucleotide GDP, other cellular proteins exist that decrease G protein activity by promoting the hydrolysis of bound GTP to GDP, or by slowing down the rate of GDP/GTP exchange.

The Chidiac laboratory uses primarily biochemical and cell-based assays to study how G proteins are controlled by GPCRs and other cellular proteins. The latter include the Regulator of G protein signaling (RGS) proteins, which are GTPase accelerating proteins, and the GoLoco motif-containing proteins, which are inhibitors of nucleotide exchange. In addition to their modulatory effects on GPCR signaling, these two groups of proteins are also being studied in terms of their novel biochemical and cellular properties. The main proteins under investigation in the lab include the RGS protein RGS2, the GoLoco motif-containing protein G18 (aka AGS4 or GPSM3), and the multidomain protein RGS14, which contains both RGS and GoLoco functions.

RGS2 is expressed throughout the body in mammals, with highest levels in the cardiovascular, respiratory and immune systems. In the cardiovascular system, RGS2 has been shown to limit blood pressure, and it also appears to play a protective role in the pathophysiology of heart failure by limiting cardiomyocyte hypertrophy (Zou et al., *Cell Signal*. 2006 Oct;18(10):1655; Nunn et al., *Cell Signal*. 2010 22:1231). Thus RGS2 knockout mice have increased blood pressure and increased sensitivity to experimentally induced cardiac hypertrophy. These animals additionally are reported to have increased anxiety and altered immune function, and we recently reported also that they have a lean phenotype compared to wild type controls (Nunn et al., *Cell Signal*. 2011 23:1375). RGS2 is upregulated by G protein signaling, which appears to be important in receptor desensitization (Roy et al., 2006 281:32684), and by cell stress, suggesting a role in the stress response. A number of non-G protein targets for RGS2 have been identified, and we have found that it can bind to the translational machinery and inhibit mRNA translation (Nguyen et al., *J Cell Biol*. 2009 186:755). Currently, we are investigating how this novel effect of RGS2 might contribute to its protective effect in heart failure, and also how it relates to the role of RGS2 in the stress response.

The GoLoco protein G18 has been the subject of only a few studies. It contains three GoLoco motifs that impede G protein activation, and we have discovered that it also contains a 4<sup>th</sup> G protein-binding domain that exhibits novel functions (Zhao et al., *J Biol Chem*. 2010 285:9008). We are continuing to investigate the function of this protein in G protein signaling and other cellular processes using a variety of cellular and biochemical approaches.

RGS14 is a multifunctional protein that can regulate G protein activity via both its RGS domain and its GoLoco motif. Our work indicates that intermolecular interactions within RGS14 may dictate its effects on heterotrimeric G proteins (Hepler et al., *Biochemistry* 2005 44:5495), and we are continuing to investigate these.

Overall, our research protein is aimed at better understanding how GPCR signaling is controlled by accessory proteins that regulate GPCR-stimulated G protein activity, and also investigating how such proteins may act in other ways in the cell. This will provide a better understanding of how these therapeutically important protein targets function under normal and pathophysiological conditions, and also uncover related pathways and their potential importance in health and disease.

## 1.0 Microorganisms

1.1 Does your work involve the use of biological agents?    x YES    O NO

(non-pathogenic and pathogenic biological agents including but not limited to bacteria and other microorganisms, viruses, prions, parasites or pathogens of plant or animal origin)? If no, please proceed to Section 2.0

Do you use microorganisms that require a permit from the CFIA?  YES  NO

If YES, please give the name of the species. \_\_\_\_\_

What is the origin of the microorganism(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the risk (if any) of escape and how this will be mitigated:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please attach the CFIA permit.

Please describe any CFIA permit conditions:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

1.2 Please complete the table below:

Name of Biological Agent(s)* (Be specific)	Is it known to be a human pathogen? YES/NO	Is it known to be an animal pathogen? YES/NO	Is it known to be a zoonotic agent? YES/NO	Maximum quantity to be cultured at one time? (in Litres)	Source/Supplier	PHAC or CFIA Containment Level
E. Coli (strains DH5alpha, BI21, and XL1-Blue)	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	8.0	Stratagene	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 1 <input type="radio"/> 2 <input type="radio"/> 2+ <input type="radio"/> 3
baculovirus	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	0.5	collaborators	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 1 <input type="radio"/> 2 <input type="radio"/> 2+ <input type="radio"/> 3
adenovirus (replication deficient)	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	0.5	collaborators	<input type="radio"/> 1 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 2 <input type="radio"/> 2+ <input type="radio"/> 3
	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No			<input type="radio"/> 1 <input type="radio"/> 2 <input type="radio"/> 2+ <input type="radio"/> 3

\*Please attach a Material Safety Data Sheet or equivalent from the supplier.

## 2.0 Cell Culture

2.1 Does your work involve the use of cell cultures?  YES  NO

If no, please proceed to Section 3.0

2.2 Please indicate the type of primary cells (i.e. derived from fresh tissue) that will be grown in culture:

Cell Type	Is this cell type used in your work?	Source of Primary Cell Culture Tissue	AUS Protocol Number
Human	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No		Not applicable
Rodent	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	heart, fat, liver, bone, fibroblasts	2007-004
Non-human primate	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No		
Other (specify)	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No		

2.3 Please indicate the type of established cells that will be grown in culture in:

Cell Type	Is this cell type used in your work?	Specific cell line(s)*	Containment Level of each cell line	Supplier / Source of cell line(s)
Human	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	HEK-293, HeLa	2	ATCC
Rodent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	UMR-106, CHO, H9C2		collaborators
Non-human primate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Sf9 insect cells	1	ATTC

\*Please attach a Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for each cell line. (For more information, see [www.atcc.org](http://www.atcc.org))



2.4 For above name, what is the containment level required?  1     2     2+     3

### 3.0 Use of Human Source Materials

3.1 Does your work involve the use of human source materials?     YES     NO

If no, please proceed to Section 4.0

3.2 Indicate in the table below the Human Source Material to be used.

Human Source Material	Source/Supplier /Company Name	Is Human Source Material Infected With An Infectious Agent? YES/UNKNOWN	Name of Infectious Agent (If applicable)	PHAC or CFIA Containment Level (Select one)
Human Blood (whole) or other Body Fluid	Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 2+ <input type="checkbox"/> 3
Human Blood (fraction) or other Body Fluid	Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 2+ <input type="checkbox"/> 3
Human Organs or Tissues (unpreserved)	Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 2+ <input type="checkbox"/> 3
Human Organs or Tissues (preserved)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable		Not Applicable

### 4.0 Genetically Modified Organisms and Cell lines

4.1 Will genetic modifications be made to the microorganisms, biological agents, or cells described in Sections 1.0 and 2.0?

YES     NO    If no, please proceed to Section 5.0

4.2 Will genetic modification(s) involving plasmids be done?     YES, complete table below     NO

Bacteria Used for Cloning *	Plasmid(s) **	Source of Plasmid	Gene Transfected	Describe the change that results from transformation or tranfection
<i>XL-1 Blue</i> <i>DH5alpha</i> (cloning) <i>BL21</i> (protein purification)	<i>pCDNA3</i> <i>pGEX4T</i> <i>pET19B</i>	<i>Invitrogen</i> <i>GE Healthcare</i> <i>Qiagen</i> Missouri S&T <i>cDNA Resource Center</i> <i>Addgene</i>	<i>RGS1, RGS2, RGS4, RGS5, RGS8, RGS16, G18, Gao, Gai2, Gas, Gaq, various GPCRs, various transcription</i>	<i>Changes in G protein-mediated signaling, altered gene expression, changes in de novo protein synthesis</i>

		<i>Various collaborators</i>	<i>factors</i>	
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\* Please attach a Material Data Sheet or equivalent if available.

\*\* Please attach a plasmid map.

4.3 Will genetic modification(s) of bacteria and/or cells involving viral vectors be made?

X YES, complete table below O NO

Virus Used for Vector Construction	Vector(s) *	Source of Vector	Gene(s) Transduced	Describe the change that results from transduction
<i>adenovirus</i>		<i>Various collaborators</i>	<i>RGS2, RGS2(eIF2B binding domain), RGS4, GFP</i>	<i>Changes in G protein-mediated signaling, altered gene expression, changes in de novo protein synthesis</i>
<i>baculovirus</i>			<i>Various GPCRs, G protein subunits, initiation factors</i>	

\* Please attach a Material Safety Data Sheet or equivalent.

4.4 Will genetic sequences from the following be involved?

- ◆ HIV  YES, please specify \_\_\_\_\_ x NO
- ◆ HTLV 1 or 2 or genes from any Level 1 or Level 2 pathogens  YES, specify \_\_\_\_\_ x NO
- ◆ SV 40 Large T antigen  YES x NO
- ◆ E1A oncogene  YES x NO
- ◆ Known oncogenes  YES, please specify \_\_\_\_\_ O NO
- ◆ Other human or animal pathogen and or their toxins  YES, please specify \_\_\_\_\_ x NO

4.5 Will virus be replication defective?

adenovirus is replication defective; baculovirus is not

**Oncogenes ie E1A**

4.6 Will virus be infectious to humans or animals?

adenovirus can infect mammalian cells; baculovirus cannot infect humans or animals

4.7 Will this be expected to increase the containment level required?  YES  NO

## 5.0 Human Gene Therapy Trials

5.1 Will human clinical trials be conducted involving a biological agent?  YES  NO  
(including but not limited to microorganisms, viruses, prions, parasites or pathogens of plant or animal origin)  
If no, please proceed to Section 6.0

5.2 If YES, please specify which biological agent will be used: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please attach a full description of the biological agent.

5.2 Will the biological agent be able to replicate in the host?  YES  NO

5.3 How will the biological agent be administered? \_\_\_\_\_

5.4 Please give the Health Care Facility where the clinical trial will be conducted: \_\_\_\_\_

5.5 Has human ethics approval been obtained?  YES, number: \_\_\_\_\_  NO  PENDING

### 6.0 Animal Experiments

6.1 Will live animals be used?  YES  NO If no, please proceed to section 7.0

6.2 Name of animal species to be used \_\_\_C57Bl/6 mice, rats\_\_\_\_\_

6.3 AUS protocol # \_\_\_\_\_2007-004\_\_\_\_\_

6.4 Will any of the agents listed in section 4.0 be used in live animals  YES, specify: \_\_\_\_\_  NO

6.5 Will the agent(s) be shed by the animal:  YES  NO, please justify:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 7.0 Use of Animal species with Zoonotic Hazards

7.1 Will any animals with zoonotic hazards or their organs, tissues, lavages or other body fluids including blood be used (see list below)?  YES  No If no, please proceed to section 8.0

7.2 Will live animals be used?  YES  No

7.3 If yes, please specify the animal(s) used:

- ◆ Pound source dogs  YES  NO
- ◆ Pound source cats  YES  NO
- ◆ Cattle, sheep or goats  YES, please specify species \_\_\_\_\_  NO
- ◆ Non-human primates  YES, please specify species \_\_\_\_\_  NO
- ◆ Wild caught animals  YES, please specify species & colony # \_\_\_\_\_  NO
- ◆ Birds  YES, please specify species \_\_\_\_\_  NO
- ◆ Others (wild or domestic)  YES, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  NO

7.4 If no live animals are used, please specify the source of the specimens:  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 8.0 Biological Toxins

8.1 Will toxins of biological origin be used?  YES  NO If no, please proceed to Section 9.0

8.2 If YES, please name the toxin(s) \_\_\_pertussis toxin\_\_\_\_\_

Please attach information, such as a Material Safety Data Sheet, for the toxin(s) used.

8.3 What is the LD<sub>50</sub> (specify species) of the toxin \_\_\_ IVN-RAT LD50: 114ug/kg; IPR-MUS LD50: 17ug/kg; IVNMUS LD50: 127ug/kg; ICE-MUS TDLo: 200ng/kg. \_\_\_\_\_

8.4 How much of the toxin is handled at one time\*? \_\_\_\_\_ 5 µg \_\_\_\_\_

8.5 How much of the toxin is stored\*? \_\_\_\_\_ 50 µg \_\_\_\_\_

8.6 Will any biological toxins be used in live animals?  YES, Please provide details: \_\_\_\_\_  NO



If no, please proceed to Section 12.0

11.2 Has an Import Permit been obtained from HC for human pathogens?  YES  NO

11.3 Has an import permit been obtained from CFIA for animal or plant pathogens?  YES  NO

11.4 Has the import permit been sent to OHS?  YES, please provide permit # \_\_\_\_\_  NO

### 12.0 Training Requirements for Personnel Named on Form

All personnel named on the above form who will be using any of the above named agents are required to attend the following training courses given by OHS:

- ◆ Biosafety
- ◆ Laboratory and Environmental/Waste Management Safety
- ◆ WHMIS (Western or equivalent)
- ◆ Employee Health and Safety Orientation

As the Principal Investigator, I have ensured that all of the personnel named on the form who will be using any of the biological agents in Sections 1.0 to 9.0 have been trained.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

### 13.0 Containment Levels

13.1 For the work described in sections 1.0 to 9.0, please indicate the highest HC or CFIA Containment Level required.  1  2  2+  3

13.2 Has the facility been certified by OHS for this level of containment?  
 YES, date of most recent biosafety inspection: Jun 17, 2010  
 NO, please certify  
 NOT REQUIRED for Level 1 containment

13.3 Please indicate permit number (not applicable for first time applicants): BIO-UWO-0205

### 14.0 Procedures to be Followed

14.1 Please describe additional risk reduction measures will be taken beyond containment level 1, 2, 2+ or 3 measures, that are unique to this agent.

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14.2 Please outline what will be done if there is an exposure to the biological agents listed, such as a needlestick injury or an accidental splash:

An emergency shower and eyewash are available in the lab, and a first aid and spill kits are in neighbouring labs or hallways. These will be used if necessary in the case of accidental spills or splashes onto lab workers (who will also be wearing appropriate protective gear). In the event of a needlestick or other injury, the procedure according to Section 3.5 (Medical Procedures and Incident Reporting) of the UWO Biosafety Guidelines and Procedures Manual will be followed

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14.3 As the Principal Investigator, I will ensure that this project will follow the Western Biosafety Guidelines and Procedures Manual for Containment Level 1 & 2 Laboratories (and the Level 3 Facilities Manual for Level 3 projects). I will ensure that UWO faculty, staff and students working in my laboratory have an up-to-date Hazard Communication Form, found at <http://www.wph.uwo.ca/>

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ August 3, 2011 \_\_\_\_\_

**15.0 Approvals**

1) UWO Biohazards Subcommittee: SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

2) Safety Officer for the University of Western Ontario  
SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

3) Safety Officer for Institution where experiments will take place (if not UWO):  
SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approval Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date (3 years from Approval): \_\_\_\_\_

Special Conditions of Approval:



October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Ms. Shamila Survery / Mr. Michael Decosimo  
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## Info on E. coli

**SUBJECT: Importation of *Escherichia coli* strains**

Dear Ms. Survery / Mr. Decosimo:

Our office received your query about the importation of *Escherichia coli* from the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC) located in Manassas, Virginia, United States. The following *Escherichia coli* strains are considered to be level 1 animal pathogens:

- |               |                    |           |                   |                |
|---------------|--------------------|-----------|-------------------|----------------|
| • 5K          | • CIE85            | • J52     | • MC4100 (MuLac)  | • U5/41        |
| • 58          | • DH1              | • J53     | • MG1655          | • W208         |
| • 58-161      | • DH10 GOLD        | • JC3272  | • MM294           | • W945         |
| • 679         | • DH10B            | • JC7661  | • MS101           | • W1485        |
| • 1532        | • DH5              | • JC9387  | • NC-7            | • W3104        |
| • AB284       | • DH5-alpha        | • JF1504  | • Nissle 1917     | • W3110        |
| • AB311       | • DP50             | • JF1508  | • One Shot STBL3  | • WA704        |
| • AB1157      | • DY145            | • JF1509  | • OP50            | • WP2          |
| • AB1206      | • DY380            | • JJ055   | • P678            | • X1854        |
| • AG1         | • E11              | • JM83    | • PA309           | • X2160T       |
| • B           | • EJ183            | • JM101   | • PK-5            | • X2541        |
| • BB4         | • EL250            | • JM109   | • PMC103          | • X2547T       |
| • BD792       | • EMG2             | • K12     | • PR13            | • XL1-BLUE     |
| • BL21        | • EPI 300          | • KC8     | • Rri             | • XL1-BLUE-MRF |
| • BL21 (DE3)  | • EZ10             | • KA802   | • RV308           | • XL0LR        |
| • BM25.8      | • FDA Seattle 1946 | • KAM32   | • S17-1λ -PIR     | • Y10          |
| • C           | • Fusion-Blue      | • KAM33   | • SCS1            | • Y1090 (1090) |
| • C-1a        | • H1443            | • KAM43   | • SMR10           | • YN2980       |
| • C-3000      | • HF4714           | • LE450   | • SOLR            | • W3110        |
| • C25         | • HB101            | • LE451   | • SuperchargeEZ10 | • WG1          |
| • C41 (DE3)   | • HS(PFAMP)R       | • LE452   | • SURE            | • WG439        |
| • C43 (DE3)   | • Hfr3000          | • MB408   | • TOP10           | • WG443        |
| • C600        | • Hfr3000 X74      | • MBX1928 | • TG1             | • WG445        |
| • Cavalli Hfr | • HMS174           | • MC1061  |                   |                |

The Office of Biohazard Containment and Safety (BCS) of the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) only issues import permits for microorganisms that are pathogenic to animals, or parts of microorganisms that are pathogenic to animals. As the products listed above are not considered pathogenic to animals, the Office of BCS does not have any regulatory requirements for their importation.

Please note that other legislation may apply. You may wish to contact the Public Health Agency of Canada's (PHAC) Office of Laboratory Security at (613) 957-1779.

Note: Microorganisms pathogenic to animals and veterinary biologics require an import permit from the CFIA.

Sincerely,

Cinthia Labrie  
Head, Animal Pathogen Importation Program  
Office of Biohazard Containment & Safety

# Material Safety Data Sheet



## Stratagene XL1-Blue MRF' E. coli Host Strain Catalog #200301

### 1. Product and company identification

Product name	: Stratagene XL1-Blue MRF' E. coli Host Strain Catalog #200301
Material uses	: Analytical reagent. 0.5 ml
Supplier/Manufacturer	: Agilent Technologies, Inc. 1834 State Highway 71 West Cedar Creek, TX 78612
Part No.	: 200301
Validation date	: 03/30/2011
In case of emergency	: 1-800-894-1304

### 2. Hazards identification

Physical state	: Liquid.
OSHA/HCS status	: This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

#### Emergency overview

Signal word	: CAUTION!
Hazard statements	: MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION. CONTAINS MATERIAL THAT MAY CAUSE TARGET ORGAN DAMAGE, BASED ON ANIMAL DATA.
Precautions	: Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Use only with adequate ventilation. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Wash thoroughly after handling.

#### Potential acute health effects

Inhalation	: Slightly irritating to the respiratory system.
Ingestion	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Skin	: Slightly irritating to the skin.
Eyes	: Moderately irritating to eyes.

#### Potential chronic health effects

Chronic effects	: Contains material that may cause target organ damage, based on animal data.
Carcinogenicity	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Mutagenicity	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Teratogenicity	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Developmental effects	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Fertility effects	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Target organs	: Contains material which may cause damage to the following organs: kidneys, upper respiratory tract, skin, eye, lens or cornea.

#### Over-exposure signs/symptoms

Inhalation	: Adverse symptoms may include the following: respiratory tract irritation coughing
Ingestion	: No specific data.
Skin	: Adverse symptoms may include the following: irritation redness

## 2. Hazards identification

**Eyes** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
irritation  
watering  
redness

**Medical conditions aggravated by over-exposure** : Pre-existing disorders involving any target organs mentioned in this MSDS as being at risk may be aggravated by over-exposure to this product.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Name	CAS number	%
Glycerol	56-81-5	10 - 30
Sodium chloride	7647-14-5	0.1 - 1

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

## 4. First aid measures

**Eye contact** : Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical attention immediately.

**Skin contact** : In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation** : Move exposed person to fresh air. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately.

**Ingestion** : Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

**Protection of first-aiders** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

**Notes to physician** : No specific treatment. Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Flammability of the product** : In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

### Extinguishing media

**Suitable** : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

**Not suitable** : None known.

**Special exposure hazards** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

**Hazardous thermal decomposition products** : Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
carbon dioxide  
carbon monoxide  
halogenated compounds  
metal oxide/oxides

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

## 6. Accidental release measures

- Personal precautions** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).
- Environmental precautions** : Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).
- Methods for cleaning up** : Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

## 7. Handling and storage

- Handling** : Potentially biohazardous material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container.
- Storage** : Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Ingredient	Exposure limits
Glycerol	<p><b>ACGIH TLV (United States, 2/2010).</b> TWA: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s). Form: Inhalable fraction. See Appendix C, paragraph A. Inhalable Particulate Mass TLVs (IPM-TLVs) for those materials that are hazardous when deposited anywhere in the respiratory tract.</p> <p><b>OSHA PEL (United States, 6/2010).</b> TWA: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s). Form: Respirable fraction TWA: 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s). Form: Total dust</p> <p><b>OSHA PEL 1989 (United States, 3/1989).</b> TWA: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s). Form: Respirable fraction TWA: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s). Form: Total dust</p>

- Recommended monitoring procedures** : If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, personal, workplace atmosphere or biological monitoring may be required to determine the effectiveness of the ventilation or other control measures and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment.
- Engineering measures** : Use only with adequate ventilation. If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Hygiene measures** : Handle as biohazard material (Biosafety level 1). Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

### Personal protection

- Respiratory** : Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
- Hands** : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.
- Eyes** : Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists or dusts.
- Skin** : Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
- Environmental exposure controls** : Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.
- Other protection** : Not available.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

- Physical state** : Liquid.
- Flash point** : Not available.
- Auto-ignition temperature** : Not available.
- Flammable limits** : Not available.
- Color** : Not available.
- Odor** : Not available.
- pH** : 7
- Boiling/condensation point** : 100°C (212°F)
- Melting/freezing point** : 0°C (32°F)
- Density** : Not available.
- Vapor pressure** : Not available.
- Vapor density** : Not available.
- Odor threshold** : Not available.
- Evaporation rate** : Not available.
- Solubility** : Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water and hot water.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

- Chemical stability** : The product is stable.
- Conditions to avoid** : No specific data.
- Materials to avoid** : Reactive or incompatible with the following materials: oxidizing materials, reducing materials, metals, acids and alkalis.  
Slightly reactive or incompatible with the following materials: organic materials and moisture.
- Hazardous decomposition products** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.
- Possibility of hazardous reactions** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
Glycerol	LD50 Oral	Rat	12600 mg/kg	-
Sodium chloride	LC50 Inhalation Dusts and mists	Rat	>42 g/m <sup>3</sup>	1 hours
	LD50 Oral	Rat	3000 mg/kg	-

### Irritation/Corrosion

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Score	Exposure	Observation
Glycerol	Eyes - Mild irritant	Rabbit	-	-	-
	Skin - Mild irritant	Rabbit	-	-	-
Sodium chloride	Eyes - Moderate irritant	Rabbit	-	-	-
	Skin - Mild irritant	Rabbit	-	-	-

### Sensitizer

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

### Chronic toxicity / Carcinogenicity / Mutagenicity / Teratogenicity / Reproductive toxicity

Not available.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### Aquatic ecotoxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Exposure
Glycerol	Acute LC50 54 to 57 ml/L Fresh water	Fish - Oncorhynchus mykiss - 0.9 g	96 hours
Sodium chloride	Acute EC50 402600 to 469200 ug/L Fresh water	Daphnia - Daphnia magna	48 hours
	Acute LC50 >5600 ppm Fresh water	Crustaceans - Asellus communis	48 hours
	Acute LC50 1000000 ug/L Fresh water	Fish - Morone saxatilis - LARVAE	96 hours

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

**Other adverse effects** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste disposal** : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Significant quantities of waste product residues should not be disposed of via the foul sewer but processed in a suitable effluent treatment plant. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations. Local regulations may be more stringent than regional or national requirements.

The information presented below only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations.

Refer to Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE and Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION for additional handling information and protection of employees.

## 14. Transport information

### Regulatory information

DOT / IMDG / IATA / : Not regulated.

## 15. Regulatory information

**HCS Classification** : Irritating material  
Target organ effects

**U.S. Federal regulations** : TSCA 8(a) IUR: Partial exemption

**United States inventory (TSCA 8b)**: All components are listed or exempted.

**SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances**: No products were found.

**SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification**: No products were found.

**SARA 302/304/311/312 hazardous chemicals**: Sodium chloride; Glycerol

**SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification**:

Sodium chloride: Immediate (acute) health hazard, Delayed (chronic) health hazard;

Glycerol: Immediate (acute) health hazard, Delayed (chronic) health hazard

**Clean Air Act Section 112(b) Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)** : Not listed

**Clean Air Act Section 602 Class I Substances** : Not listed

**Clean Air Act Section 602 Class II Substances** : Not listed

**DEA List I Chemicals (Precursor Chemicals)** : Not listed

**DEA List II Chemicals (Essential Chemicals)** : Not listed

## 15. Regulatory information

### State regulations

- Massachusetts** : The following components are listed: GLYCERINE MIST  
**New York** : None of the components are listed.  
**New Jersey** : The following components are listed: GLYCERIN; 1,2,3-PROPANETRIOL  
**Pennsylvania** : The following components are listed: 1,2,3-PROPANETRIOL

### California Prop. 65

No products were found.

## 16. Other information

**Label requirements** : MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION. CONTAINS MATERIAL THAT MAY CAUSE TARGET ORGAN DAMAGE, BASED ON ANIMAL DATA.

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**1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**

**Product code** A102081A  
**Product name** Baculovirus 1L Expression



**Company/Undertaking Identification**

INVITROGEN CORPORATON  
 5791 VAN ALLEN WAY  
 PO BOX 6482  
 CARLSBAD, CA 92008  
 760-603-7200

INVITROGEN CORPORATION  
 5250 MAINWAY DRIVE  
 BURLINGTON, ONT  
 CANADA L7L 6A4  
 800-263-6236

GIBCO PRODUCTS  
 INVITROGEN CORPORATION  
 3175 STALEY ROAD P.O. BOX 68  
 GRAND ISLAND, NY 14072  
 716-774-6700

**24 hour Emergency Response (Transport):** 866-536-0631  
 301-431-8585  
 Outside of the U.S. ++1-301-431-8585

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**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

**Hazardous/Non-hazardous Components**

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health. We recommend handling all chemicals with caution.

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**Emergency Overview**

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health

### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Form  
Liquid

#### Principle Routes of Exposure/

#### Potential Health effects

Eyes	No information available
Skin	No information available
Inhalation	No information available
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

#### Specific effects

Carcinogenic effects	No information available
Mutagenic effects	No information available
Reproductive toxicity	No information available
Sensitization	No information available

#### Target Organ Effects

No information available

#### HMIS

Health	0
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Notes to physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	Dry chemical
<b>Special protective equipment for firefighters</b>	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Use personal protective equipment
<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	Soak up with inert absorbent material.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

<b>Handling</b>	No special handling advice required
<b>Storage</b>	Keep in properly labelled containers

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Occupational exposure controls

#### Exposure limits

**Engineering measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

#### Personal protective equipment

<b>Respiratory protection</b>	In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment
<b>Hand protection</b>	Protective gloves
<b>Eye protection</b>	Safety glasses with side-shields
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Lightweight protective clothing.
<b>Hygiene measures</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice
<b>Environmental exposure controls</b>	Prevent product from entering drains.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### General Information

**Form** Liquid

### Important Health Safety and Environmental Information

<b>Boiling point/range</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>Melting point/range</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>Flash point</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Water solubility</b>	No data available	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Stability</b>	Stable.
<b>Materials to avoid</b>	No information available
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No information available
<b>Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute toxicity

#### Principle Routes of Exposure/

#### Potential Health effects

<b>Eyes</b>	No information available
<b>Skin</b>	No information available
<b>Inhalation</b>	No information available
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed.

#### Specific effects

<b>Carcinogenic effects</b>	No information available
<b>Mutagenic effects</b>	No information available
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available
<b>Sensitization</b>	No information available

**Target Organ Effects** No information available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity effects** No information available.  
**Mobility** No information available.  
**Biodegradation** Inherently biodegradable.  
**Bioaccumulation** Does not bioaccumulate.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IATA

<b>Proper shipping name</b>	Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations
<b>Hazard Class</b>	No information available
<b>Subsidiary Class</b>	No information available
<b>Packing group</b>	No information available
<b>UN-No</b>	No information available

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

This product is not regulated by SARA.

#### **Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)**

This product does not contain HAPs.

### U.S. State Regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain chemicals listed under Proposition 65

#### **WHMIS hazard class:**

Non-controlled

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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## Adenovirus types 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 - Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS)

### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET - INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCES

#### SECTION I - INFECTIOUS AGENT

**NAME:** *Adenovirus types 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7*

**SYNONYM OR CROSS REFERENCE:** ARD, acute respiratory disease, pharyngoconjunctival fever

**CHARACTERISTICS:** *Adenoviridae*; non-enveloped, icosahedral virions, 70-90 nm diameter, doubled-stranded, linear DNA genome.

#### SECTION II - HEALTH HAZARD

**PATHOGENICITY:** Varies in clinical manifestation and severity; symptoms include fever, rhinitis, pharyngitis, tonsillitis, cough and conjunctivitis; common cause of nonstreptococcal exudative pharyngitis among children under 3 years; more severe diseases include laryngitis, croup, bronchiolitis, or severe pneumonia; a syndrome of pharyngitis and conjunctivitis (pharyngoconjunctival fever) is associated with adenovirus infection

**EPIDEMIOLOGY:** Worldwide; seasonal in temperate regions, with highest incidences in the fall, winter and early spring; in tropical areas, infections are common in the wet and colder weather; annual incidence is particularly high in children; adenovirus types 4 and 7 are common among military recruits (ARD)

**HOST RANGE:** Humans

**INFECTIOUS DOSE:** >150 plaque forming units when given intranasally

**MODE OF TRANSMISSION:** Directly by oral contact and droplet spread; indirectly by handkerchiefs, eating utensils and other articles freshly soiled with respiratory discharge of an infected person; outbreaks have been related to swimming pools; possible spread through the fecal-oral route

**INCUBATION PERIOD:** From 1-10 days

**COMMUNICABILITY:** Shortly prior to and for the duration of the active disease

#### SECTION III - DISSEMINATION

**RESERVOIR:** Humans

**ZOONOSIS:** None

**VECTORS:** None

## SECTION IV - VIABILITY

**DRUG SUSCEPTIBILITY:** No specific antiviral available; cidofovir has shown promise in the treatment of adenoviral ocular infections.

**SUSCEPTIBILITY TO DISINFECTANTS:** Susceptible to 1% sodium hypochlorite, 2% glutaraldehyde, 0.25% sodium dodecyl sulfate

**PHYSICAL INACTIVATION:** Sensitive to heat >56°C; unusually stable to chemical or physical agents and adverse pH conditions

**SURVIVAL OUTSIDE HOST:** Resistance to chemical and physical agents allows for prolonged survival outside of the body. Adenovirus type 3 survived up to 10 days on paper under ambient conditions; adenovirus type 2 survived from 3-8 weeks on environmental surfaces at room temperature

## SECTION V - MEDICAL

**SURVEILLANCE:** Monitor for symptoms; confirm by serological analysis

**FIRST AID/TREATMENT:** Mainly supportive therapy

**IMMUNIZATION:** Vaccine available for adenovirus types 4 and 7 (used for military recruits)

**PROPHYLAXIS:** None available

## SECTION VI - LABORATORY HAZARDS

**LABORATORY-ACQUIRED INFECTIONS:** Ten cases documented up to 1988

**SOURCES/SPECIMENS:** Respiratory secretions

**PRIMARY HAZARDS:** Ingestion; droplet exposure of the mucous membrane

**SPECIAL HAZARDS:** Contact with feces from infected animals

## SECTION VII - RECOMMENDED PRECAUTIONS

**CONTAINMENT REQUIREMENTS:** Biosafety level 2 practices and containment facilities for all activities involving the virus and potentially infectious body fluids or tissues

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING:** Laboratory coat; gloves when skin contact with infectious materials is unavoidable

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** None

## SECTION VIII - HANDLING INFORMATION

**SPILLS:** Allow aerosols to settle; wearing protective clothing gently cover the spill with absorbent paper towel and apply 1% sodium hypochlorite starting at the perimeter and working towards the centre; allow sufficient contact time (30 min) before clean up

**DISPOSAL:** Decontaminate all wastes before disposal; steam sterilization, incineration, chemical disinfection

**STORAGE:** In sealed containers that are appropriately labelled

## SECTION IX - MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

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**Prepared by:** Office of Laboratory Security, PHAC

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Info on Cell Line(s)

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

MSDS FOR ANIMAL CELL CULTURES (Biosafety Level 1 or 2)

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1 - SUBSTANCE IDENTITY AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product Name: Various Animal Cell Cultures at Biosafety Level 1 or 2  
ATCC Catalog #: Various

COMPANY INFORMATION: AMERICAN TYPE CULTURE COLLECTION  
PO BOX 1549  
MANASSAS, VA 20108

FOR INFORMATION CALL: 800-638-6597 or 703-365-2700  
AFTER-HOURS CONTACT: 703-365-2710  
CHEMTREC EMERGENCY: 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887

### SECTION 2 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Either frozen or growing cells shipped in liquid cell culture medium (a mixture of components that may include, but is not limited to: inorganic salts, vitamins, amino acids, carbohydrates and other nutrients dissolved in water). Frozen Cultures may also contain a 5%-10% solution of Dimethyl sulfoxide as a cryoprotectant.

### SECTION 3 - HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

HMIS Rating: Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0  
NFPA Rating: Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

This substance is not hazardous as defined by OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 however this product should be handled according to good lab practices, with proper personal protective equipment, proper engineering controls and within the parameters of the purchaser's safety program.

#### Health Hazards

##### For Biosafety Level 1 Cell Cultures

Handle as a potentially biohazardous material under at least Biosafety Level 1 containment.

This cell line is not known to cause disease in healthy adult humans. These cells have **NOT** been screened for Hepatitis B, human immunodeficiency viruses or other adventitious agents, unless otherwise reported on the Certificate of Analysis. Regardless of results reported on the Certificate of Analysis Universal Precautions according to 29 CFR 1910.1030 should be followed at all times when manipulating these cell lines.

See next page for Biosafety Level 2 cell cultures.



## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### For Biosafety Level 2 Cell Cultures

Handle as a potentially biohazardous material under at least Biosafety Level 2 containment.

These cell lines are associated with human disease, hazards include: percutaneous injury, ingestion, mucous membrane exposure (U.S. Government Publication **Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories**). These cells have **NOT** been screened for Hepatitis B, human immunodeficiency viruses or other adventitious agents, unless otherwise reported on the Certificate of Analysis. Regardless of results reported on the Certificate of Analysis Universal Precautions according to 29 CFR 1910.1030 should be followed at all times when manipulating these cell lines.

### SECTION 4 -

### FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Report to your Safety Office and Seek Medical Attention as Soon as Possible

**Ingestion:** If person is unconscious seek emergency medical attention; never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If the person is conscious wash mouth out with copious amounts of water and call a physician then administer three cupfuls of water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician.

**Inhalation:** If person is unconscious seek emergency medical attention, if person is conscious remove to fresh air and call a physician.

**Dermal exposure:** Immediately wash skin with copious amounts of water followed by washing with soap and copious amounts of water. Remove all contaminated clothing.

**Eye exposures:** Flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes with eyelids separated and call a physician.

### SECTION 5 -

### FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flammability:** Data not available

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, Halon (where regulations permit), or appropriate foam.

**Protective Equipment:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent inhalation, ingestion, skin and eye contact.

**Specific Hazard(s):** Responders should take into consideration the biohazard risk associated with responding to a fire in the area where the material may be stored or handled.



## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Procedure(s) of Personal Precaution(s):** At a minimum use PPE listed in Section 8. Wear laboratory coat, gloves and eye protection. Avoid all contact.

#### Methods for Cleaning Up

**Patient/Victim:** Wash with soap and water. Work clothes should be laundered separately. Launder contaminated clothing before re-use. Do not take clothing home.

**Equipment/Environment:** Allow aerosols to settle; wearing protective clothing, gently cover spill with paper towel and apply 1% sodium hypochlorite, starting at perimeter and working towards the center; allow sufficient contact time before clean up (30 min).

**Note:** The use of additional PPE may be necessary for cleaning solutions.

### SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handle and store according to instructions on product information sheet and label.

Special Requirements:

Follow established laboratory procedures when handling material.

### SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Use Personal Protective Equipment:** Including Eye Protection, Chemical Resistant Gloves, and appropriate clothing to prevent skin exposure. In addition, a Respiratory protection program that complies with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements or European Standard EN 149 must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant respirator use.

**Engineering Controls:** The use and storage of this material requires user to maintain and make available appropriate eyewash and safety shower facilities. Use fume hood or other appropriate ventilation method to keep airborne concentrations as low as possible.

**Exposure Limits:** No exposure limits for this material have been established by ACGIH, NIOSH, or OSHA.

### SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Data Not Available

### SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Route of Exposure

American Type Culture Collection  
P.O. Box 1549  
Manassas, VA 20108  
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Emergency Telephone: (703) 365-2710 (24 hours)  
Information Telephone: (703) 365-2700 Ext.2303



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**Eye Contact:** Data not available. Avoid eye contact.  
**Skin Contact:** Data not available. Avoid skin contact.  
**Skin Absorption:** Data not available. Avoid skin absorption.  
**Inhalation:** Data not available. Avoid inhalation.  
**Ingestion:** Data not available. Avoid ingestion.  
**Parenteral Exposure:** Data not available. Avoid parenteral exposure.

### Sensitization

**Skin:** Data not available  
**Respiratory:** Data not available

**Target Organ(s) or System(s):** Data not available

### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

**Skin and Mucous Membranes:** Data not available  
**Respiratory:** Data not available  
**Gastrointestinal:** Data not available

**Toxicity Data:** Data not available

**Effects of Long Term or Repeated Exposure:** Data not available

**Chronic Exposure–Teratogen:** Data not available

**Chronic Exposure–Mutagen:** Data not available

**Chronic Exposure–Reproductive Hazard:** Data not available

## SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No ecological information available.

## SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Decontaminate all wastes before disposal (steam sterilization, chemical disinfection, and/or incineration).

Dispose of in accordance with applicable regulations.

## SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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## SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

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Designations: 293 [HEK-293]

Depositors: FL Graham

Biosafety Level: 2 [CELLS CONTAIN ADENOVIRUS ]

Shipped: frozen

Medium & Serum: [See Propagation](#)

Growth Properties: adherent

Organism: *Homo sapiens* (human)

Morphology: epithelial



Source: **Organ:** embryonic kidney  
**Cell Type:** transformed with adenovirus 5 DNA

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Applications: efficacy testing [92587]  
 transfection host ([Nucleofection technology from Lonza Roche Transfection Reagents](#))  
 virucide testing [92579]

Receptors: vitronectin, expressed

Tumorigenic: YES

DNA Profile (STR): Amelogenin: X  
 CSF1PO: 11,12  
 D13S317: 12,14  
 D16S539: 9,13  
 D5S818: 8,9  
 D7S820: 11,12  
 TH01: 7,9,3  
 TPOX: 11  
 vWA: 16,19

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Designations: **HeLa**

Depositors: WF Scherer

Biosafety Level: 2 [Cells contain human papilloma virus ]

Shipped: frozen

Medium & Serum: [See Propagation](#)

Growth Properties: adherent

Organism: *Homo sapiens* (human)

Morphology: epithelial



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Source: **Organ:** cervix  
**Disease:** adenocarcinoma  
**Cell Type:** epithelial

Cellular Products: keratin  
Lysophosphatidylcholine (lyso-PC) induces AP-1 activity and c-jun N-terminal kinase activity (JNK1) by a protein kinase C-independent pathway [26623]

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## Applications:

transfection host ( [21491] [Nucleofection technology from Lonza Roche Transfection Reagents](#))  
screening for *Escherichia coli* strains with invasive potential [21447]  
~~Human~~ adenovirus 3  
Encephalomyocarditis virus  
Human poliovirus 1  
Human poliovirus 2  
Human poliovirus 3

DNA Profile (STR): Amelogenin: X  
CSF1PO: 9.10  
D13S317: 12.13.3  
D16S539: 9.10



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## Cell Biology

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Designations: UMR-106

Depositors: AE Bogden

Biosafety Level: 1

Shipped: frozen

Medium & Serum: [See Propagation](#)

Growth Properties: adherent

Organism: Rattus norvegicus (rat)

Morphology: epithelial

Source: **Organ:** bone  
**Strain:** Sprague-Dawley  
**Disease:** osteosarcoma

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Receptors: parathyroid hormone (PTH): 1-25(OH)2D3 (bone resorbing steroid hormone)

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**Propagation:** The UMR-106 cell line is a clonal derivative of a transplantable rat osteosarcoma that had been induced by injection of radiophosphorous (32P).

**ATCC Complete Growth Medium:** The cells are maintained in ATCC Complete Growth Medium (ATCC Form #30-2002) formulated Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium, Catalog No. 30-2002. The serum is fetal bovine serum (FBS) from ATCC (ATCC Form #30-2002) at a concentration of 10% in the medium. The addition of 10% FBS to the medium is essential for growth. The addition of 10% FBS to the medium is essential for growth. The addition of 10% FBS to the medium is essential for growth.

Both the original sarcoma and the cloned line were developed by T.J. Martin at the University of Sheffield.

**Subculturing:** **Subcultivation Ratio:** A subcultivation ratio of 1:4 to 1:8 is recommended  
**Medium Renewal:** 2 to 3 times per week  
Remove medium, and rinse with 0.25% trypsin, 0.03% EDTA solution. Remove the solution and add an additional 1 to 2 ml of trypsin-EDTA solution. Allow the flask to sit at room temperature (or at 37C) until the cells detach.



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Designations: **CHO-K1**

Depositors: TT Puck

Biosafety Level: 1

Shipped: frozen

Medium & Serum: [See Propagation](#)

Growth Properties: adherent

Organism: *Cricetulus griseus* (hamster, Chinese)

Morphology: epithelial-like



Source: Organ: ovary

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Isolation: **Isolation date:** 1957

Applications: transfection host ([Nucleofection technology from Lonza Roche Transfection Reagents](#))

Virus Resistance: poliovirus 2; modoc virus, Button Willow virus

Cytogenetic Analysis: Chromosome Frequency Distribution 50 Cells: 2n = 22. Stemline number ~~finite~~ diploid.

Gender:

Comments: The CHO-K1 cell line was derived as a subclone from the parental CHO cell line initiated from a biopsy of an ovary of an adult Chinese hamster by T. T. Puck in 1957. [22224]  
The cells require proline in the medium for growth. [25976]

Propagation: **ATCC complete growth medium:** The base medium for this cell line is ATCC-formulated F-12K Medium, Catalog No. 30-2004. To make the complete growth medium, add the following components to the base medium: fetal bovine serum to a final concentration of 10%.  
**Temperature:** 37.0°C

Subculturing: **Protocol:**

1. Remove and discard culture medium.
2. Briefly rinse the cell layer with 0.25% (w/v) Trypsin- 0.53 mM EDTA

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ATCC® Number:	CRL-1446™	<a href="#">Order this Item</a>	Price:	\$279.00
Designations:	H9c2(2-1)			
Depositors:	W Carlisle			
Biosafety Level:	1			
Shipped:	frozen			
Medium & Serum:	<a href="#">See Propagation</a>			
Growth Properties:	adherent			
Organism:	Rattus norvegicus (rat)			
Morphology:	myoblast			
Source:	<b>Strain:</b> BD1X <b>Organ:</b> heart <b>Tissue:</b> myocardium			
Cellular Products:	myokinase; creatine phosphokinase; myosin			
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Applications:	transfection host ( <a href="#">Roche Transfection Reagents</a> )			
Receptors:	acetylcholine, expressed			
Age:	embryo			
Comments:				

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## Propagation:

H9c2(2-1) is a subclone of the original clonal cell line derived from embryonic BD1X rat heart tissue by B. Kimes and B. Brandt and exhibits many of the properties of skeletal muscle.

Myoblastic cells in this line will fuse to form multinucleated myotubes and respond to acetylcholine stimulation. The base medium for this cell line is ATCC complete growth medium. The base medium for this cell line is ATCC-formulated, Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium, Catalog No. 30-2002. To make the complete growth medium, add the following components to the base medium: fetal bovine serum to a final concentration of 10%.

**Atmosphere:** air, 95%; carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), 5%

**Temperature:** 37.0°C

## Subculturing:

**Protocol:** The myoblastic population will become depleted rapidly if the cultures are allowed to become confluent. To prevent loss of myoblastic cells, cultures should be subcultured before they become confluent, and the line should be recloned periodically with selection for myoblastic cells.


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### Cell Biology

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Designations: Sf9

Depositors: G Smith, C Cherry, MD Summers

Biosafety Level: 1

Shipped: frozen

Medium & Serum: [See Propagation](#)

Growth Properties: mixed; adherent/suspension

Organism: Spodoptera frugiperda (fall armyworm)

Morphology: epithelial



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Source: Organ: ovary

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Isolation: Isolation date: 1983

Applications: transfection host ([Roche Transfection Reagents technology from amaxa](#))

Virus Susceptibility: Nuclear polyhedrosis virus, Autographa californica, St. Louis encephalitis virus

Age: pupa

Gender: female

Comments: This line can be used to replicate baculovirus expression vectors. It is important to use the medium described below.

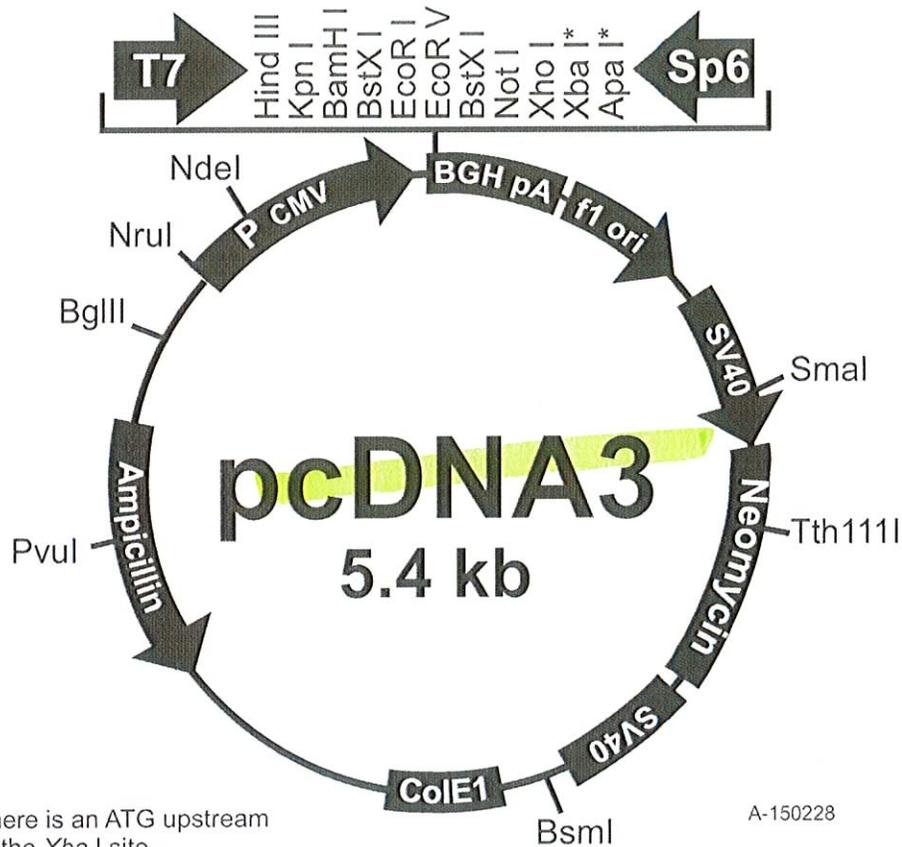
**Propagation:** **ATCC complete growth medium:** The base medium for this cell line is Grace's Insect Medium Supplemented (GIBCO/Invitrogen Cat. No. 11605-094 or equivalent). To make the complete growth medium, add the following components to the base medium: heat-inactivated insect cell culture tested fetal bovine serum to a final concentration of 10%.  
**Atmosphere:** air, 100%  
**Temperature:** 26.0°C  
**Growth Conditions:** The recommended media are formulated for use without CO<sub>2</sub>. Omission of the yeastolate or lactalbumin hydrolysate will lead to poor performance by this line.

Comments for pcDNA3:  
5446 nucleotides

CMV promoter: bases 209-863  
T7 promoter: bases 864-882  
Polylinker: bases 889-994  
Sp6 promoter: bases 999-1016  
BGH poly A: bases 1018-1249  
SV40 promoter: bases 1790-2115  
SV40 origin of replication: bases 1984-2069  
Neomycin ORF: bases 2151-2945  
SV40 poly A: bases 3000-3372  
ColE1 origin: bases 3632-4305  
Ampicillin ORF: bases 4450-5310



## Info on Plasmid(s)



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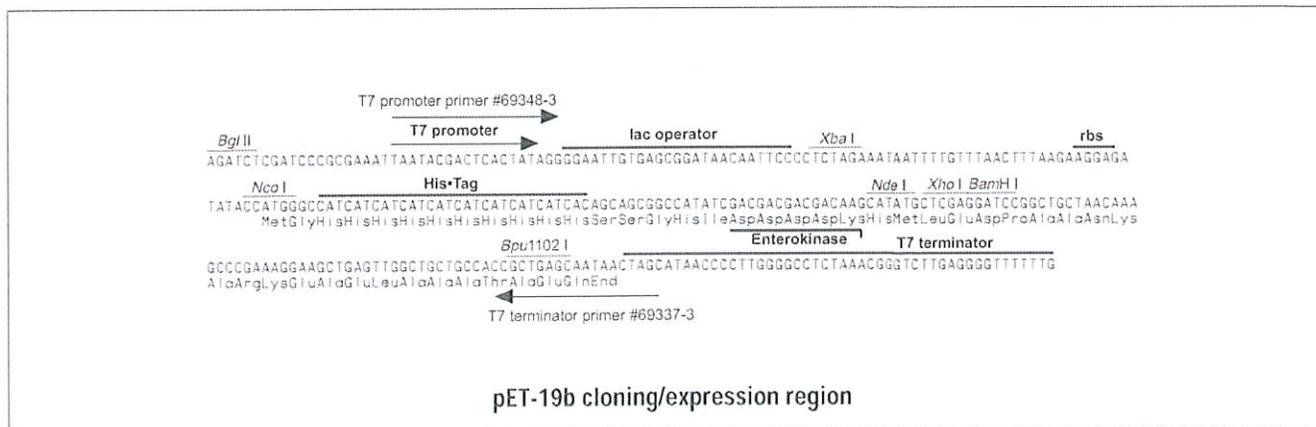
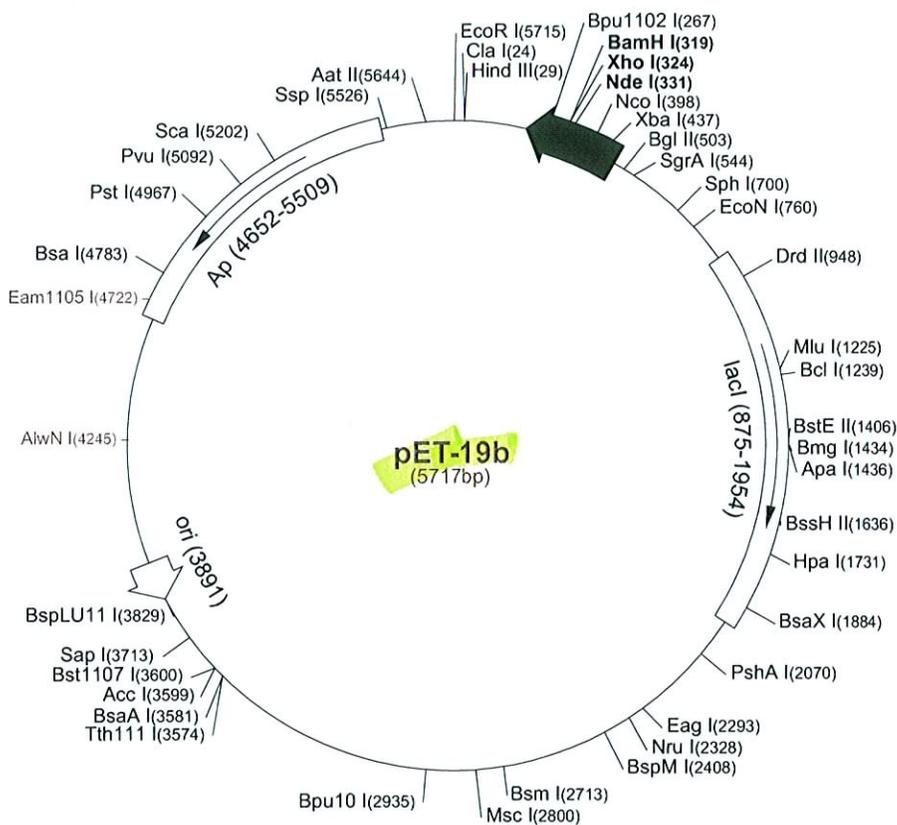
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# pET-19b Vector

The pET-19b vector (Cat. No. 69677-3) carries an N-terminal His•Tag<sup>®</sup> sequence followed by an enterokinase site and three cloning sites. Unique sites are shown on the circle map. Note that the sequence is numbered by the pBR322 convention, so the T7 expression region is reversed on the circular map. The cloning/expression region of the coding strand transcribed by T7 RNA polymerase is shown below.

### pET-19b sequence landmarks

T7 promoter	472-488
T7 transcription start	471
His•Tag coding sequence	366-395
Multiple cloning sites ( <i>Nde</i> I - <i>Bam</i> H I)	319-335
T7 terminator	213-259
<i>lac</i> I coding sequence	875-1954
pBR322 origin	3891
<i>bla</i> coding sequence	4652-5509



# pET-19b Restriction Sites

Enzyme	# Sites	Locations	Enzyme	# Sites	Locations	Enzyme	# Sites	Locations		
AatII	1	5644	BssHII	1	1636	PflMI	3	807 2675 2724		
AccI	1	3599	Bst1107I	1	3600	PleI	7	486 774 861 1657 3723		
AccIII	7	992 1720 2051 3338 3479	BstEII	1	1406			4208 4711		
		3781 5021	BstXI	3	1027 1156 1279	PshAI	1	2070		
AcI	89		BstYI	11		Psp5II	2	2793 2835		
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BspMI	1	2408	NgoAIV	4	535 2123 2283 2637					
BsrI	25		NlaIII	31						
BsrBI	3	438 3762 5563	NlaIV	28						
BsrDI	4	1272 1638 4783 4957	NruI	1	2328					
BsrFI	8	160 535 544 911 2123	NspI	4	700 3174 3466 3833					
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## Material Safety Data Sheet

MSDS Preparation Date: 24/07/2008  
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**Pertussis Toxin**

**Cat. No: 3097**

**Batch No: 3**

### 1. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

For batch specific information, please see Product Information sheet.

### 2. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

For batch specific information, please see Product Information sheet.

### 3. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Use in a chemical fume hood, with air supplied by an independent system. Avoid inhalation, contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

Material should be stored in a tightly sealed container under the storage condition stated on the Product Information sheet and on the vial label.

### 4. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under normal handling conditions.

Conditions to avoid: Not applicable for this product

Hazardous Combustion/Decomposition of Product: May emit toxic gases such as carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and nitrogen oxide upon thermal decomposition.

### 5. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Exposure may cause irritation to eyes, mucous membranes, upper respiratory tract and skin.

### 6. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

RTECS No: XW5883750

Target Organs: Eyes, Respiratory system, Skin

Toxicity Data: IVN-RAT LD50: 114ug/kg; IPR-MUS LD50: 17ug/kg; IVN-MUS LD50: 127ug/kg; ICE-MUS TDLo: 200ng/kg.

Only selected Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) data is presented above. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

### 7. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Classification: Toxic. May be harmful or fatal if inhaled, swallowed or absorbed through skin

Safety Phrases: S22 - Do not breathe dust  
S24/25 - Avoid contact with skin and eyes  
S36/37/39 - Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection

Risk Phrases: R23/24/25 - Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves, safety goggles and other protective clothing to prevent contact with eyes and skin. Laboratory should be equipped with a safety shower and eye wash station. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

### 9. FIRST-AID MEASURES

In cases of SKIN CONTACT: Wash with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and wash before wearing. In case of eye contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

In cases of INHALATION: Remove to fresh air and monitor breathing. If breathing becomes difficult, give oxygen. If breathing stops, give artificial respiration.

In cases of INGESTION: If swallowed, rinse mouth out with water, contact local poison centre and call a physician.

### 10. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media: Material is non-combustible. Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions.

Unusual Fire and Explosive Hazards: May emit toxic gases upon thermal decomposition.

Special Fire-Fighting Procedures: Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

### 11. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Wear appropriate protective clothing. Cover spillage with suitable absorbent material. Using non-spark tools, sweep up material and place in an appropriate container. Decontaminate spill site with 10% caustic solution and ventilate area until after disposal is complete. Hold all material for appropriate disposal as described under DISPOSAL CONDITIONS.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data not yet available - treat as potentially toxic if released into the environment.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONDITIONS

As specific country, federal, state and local environmental regulations are varied and change frequently, we recommend that you contact your local department for Health Services for information on the correct disposal of this product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U.N.Number: UN2811  
Proper Shipping Name: Toxins extracted from living sources, solid, n.o.s.  
ATA Class: 6.1  
IATA Packing Group: I

### 15. OTHER INFORMATION

Due to the nature of this material. It must only be handled by suitably qualified experienced scientists in appropriately equipped and authorised facilities. The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and should be used as a guide only for experienced personnel. Always consult your safety advisor and follow appropriate local and national safety legislature. The absence of warning must not, under any circumstance, be taken to mean that no hazard exists.

CAUTION — Not fully tested. For research use only. Not for human use.

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## Product Information

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Protein toxin produced by *Bordetella pertussis*; has a molecular weight of ~105,700 Daltons and is composed of 5 subunits (S-1, S-2, S-3, S-4 and S-5) in a 1:1:1:2:1 ratio. Arranged in an A-B structure, the A protomer (S1) functions as a catalytic subunit while the B oligomer (S2, S3, S4 & S5) forms the receptor binding element.

### Description:

Bacterial toxin that catalyses ADP-ribosylation of G-proteins Gi, Go and Gt. Impairs G protein heterotrimer interaction with receptors, blocking receptor coupling.

### Physical and Chemical Properties:

CAS Number: [70323-44-3] Physical Appearance: White lyophilised solid

### Storage:

Store the lyophilised solid at +4°C. Once reconstituted store at +4°C. Long term storage of this product in solution is not recommended.

### Solubility:

Each vial, when reconstituted to 500µl with sterile distilled water, contains 50µg of protein (0.1µg/µl) in 0.01M sodium phosphate buffer, pH 7.0, with 0.05M sodium chloride. The resulting suspension should be made uniform by gentle mixing prior to use. Do not sterile filter as this will result in loss of material.

### Stability and Solubility Advice:

This product should not be frozen. Pertussis toxin can be permanently inactivated by boiling at 100°C for 15-30 minutes

### Other Information:

Please note that this product is not activated. While cells will activate the pertussis toxin if working in an intact system, in a cell free system, activation is required. This can be achieved by pre-incubation of the toxin with high concentrations of dithiothreitol (DTT), see Kaslow et al (1987) for suggested conditions.

If inactivated, this product is not considered hazardous by ingestion; pertussis toxin is degraded by the low pH in the gut and is not absorbed. Take special care when working in conjunction with hypodermic needles. If i.v. or i.m. injection should occur, consult a physician.

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### TOXIN USE RISK ASSESSMENT

<b>Name of Toxin:</b>	Pertussis
<b>Proposed Use Dose:</b>	5 µg
<b>Proposed Storage Dose:</b>	50 µg
<b>LD<sub>50</sub> (species):</b>	114 µg

<b>Calculation:</b>			
	114 µg/kg	x	50 kg/person
Dose per person based on LD <sub>50</sub> in µg =	5700		
<b>LD<sub>50</sub> per person with safety factor of 10 based on LD<sub>50</sub> in µg =</b>			<b>570</b>

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