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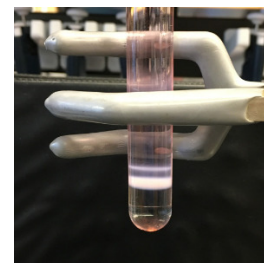
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Abstract

Purification of mammalian orthoreovirus by CsCl gradient

Attachments



Reovirus Purificatio...

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Troubleshooting

Before start

Reagents

HO Buffer

1 mL 1 M Tris, p 7.4

5 mL 5 M NaCl

67 uL B-ME

Water to 100 mL

Filter sterilize through 0.2 micron membrane

Dialysis Buffer

120 mL 5M NaCl

60 mL 1M MgCl₂

40 mL 1M Tris, pH 7.4

water to 4 L

Filter sterilize through 0.2 micron membrane

1.2 g/cm³ CsCl

33.3 g CsCl

Dialysis buffer to 100 mL

Filter sterilize through 0.2 micron membrane

1.4 g/cm³ CsCl

67 g CsCl

Dialysis buffer to 100 mL

Filter sterilize through 0.2 micron membrane

344059 Tube, Thinwall, Ultra-Clear™, 13.2 mL, 14 × 89 mm

86703 DIALYSISTUBING SP1 8K 10MM 15M














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21009-284 TUBE CENT AUTOCLAV 50ML PK10 3117-0500










- 1 Pellet 4×10^8 spinner-adapted L929 at 2000 x g for 00:10:00 at 4 °C .
- 2 Remove supernatant (can be added back to 1 L bottle to be used during infection).
- 3 Resuspend cells in total volume of 40 mL virus in Joklik's Minimum Essential Media without supplements, JMEM .
 - a. Adsorb for 01:00:00 at room temperature with passage 2 or viral prep supernatant at an MOI of 10 PFU/cell with gentle shaking on orbital shaker.
- 4 Add adsorption mixture to 760 mL JMEM supplemented with 5% FBS, 2mM L-Glutamine, 100 U penicillin per ml, 100 ug streptomycin per ml, and 0.25 mg per ml amphotericin B
- 5 Incubate on a spinner plate at 34 °C - 37 °C with environmental CO₂ for 72:00:00 .
- 6 Spin at 2500 x g for 00:10:00 at 4 °C .
- 7 Remove supernatant and resuspend cells in 7 mL HO buffer . Suspension may be stored at -20 °C - 80 °C at this step. If using immediately one freeze/thaw cycle is recommended. Supernatants of infections started with passage 2 reovirus can be stored at 80 °C and used for future viral purifications.
- 8 Thaw HO suspension on ice.
- 9 Add 100 µL 10% DOC per tube and incubate on ice for > 00:30:00 , vortexing every 00:10:00 .



- 10 Add  2.5 mL Vertrel XF .
- 11 Sonicate on ice for  00:01:00 to disrupt cells and place on ice.
- 12 Add additional  2.5 mL Vertrel XF .
- 13 Sonicate on ice for  00:01:00 to disrupt cells and place on ice.
- 14 Centrifuge at 9700 x g for  00:10:00 at  4 °C .
- 15 Transfer aqueous (top) layer to a clean tube and discard pellets.
- 16 Add  2.5 mL Vertrel XF .
- 17 Sonicate on ice for  00:01:00 to disrupt cells and place on ice.
- 18 Centrifuge at 9700 x g for  00:10:00 at  4 °C .
- 19 During second centrifugation step prepare CsCl gradient:
 - a. Add  2.5 mL 1.2 g/mL CsCl and gently underlay with  2.5 mL 1.4 g/mL CsCl being careful to not mix layers.
- 20 Carefully layer aqueous (top) fraction onto CsCl gradient. Balance tubes with HO buffer.
- 21 Spin at 25000 RPM overnight at  5 °C .



- 22 Wipe bottom of tube with ethanol.
- 23 Puncture the bottom of the tube with an 18.5-gauge needle.
- 24 Collect virus fraction (bottom band) and top-component (top band) into a clean tube.
- 25 Dialyze exhaustively against  400 mL -  500 mL cold dialysis buffer for at least  24:00:00 at  4 °C . (Change buffer after  01:00:00 ,  04:00:00 , and next morning).
- 26 Transfer to new tube.
- 27 Determine particle density (1 OD260 = 2.1×10^{12} particles/mL = 185 ug viral protein/mL).
- 28 Store at  4 °C Storage .