

Data Sheet.

NAME :	xxHIV-1 _{LAI}
REPOSITORY REFERENCE :	ARP171.1
PROVIDED :	0.5ml cell-free virus (grown in MT-2 cells). Titre is 2.0×10^5 syncytia forming units/ml assayed in CD4/LacZ-1 cells.
SPECIAL CHARACTERISTICS :	3TC-sensitive virus. Produced by electroporation of MT-2 cells with pxxHIV-1 _{Lai} proviral DNA. The virus was expanded once in MT-2 cells, harvested , aliquoted, and stored at -80°C.
HOST :	MT-2 cells or PHA stimulated normal donor PBMCs.
PROPAGATION :	Virus is readily expanded by infecting $1-5 \times 10^6$ MT-2 cells or PHA-stimulated donor PBMCs with 0.1ml of virus.
STERILITY :	Negative for Mycoplasma, fungi and bacteria.
STORAGE :	Liquid Nitrogen or -80°C
SOURCE :	Dr John Mellors and Mr Chaofu Shi (courtesy of the NIH AIDS Research and Reference Reagent Program).

REFERENCE :

Nguyen MH et al (1994), Antimicrob Agents Chemother
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