

## **Centre for AIDS Reagents**

## **Data Sheet**

**NAME**; pROD10 & pROD10 (modified)

REPOSITORY REFERENCE: EVA232 & 232.1

**CLONING VECTOR:** pKP59

**HOST:** XL-1 Blue

CLONING SITE: XbaI-AatII

DESCRIPTION OF CLONE: 232: Complete provinal sequence of HIV-2 ROD constructed from λROD27,

 $\lambda ROD35$  and pSPE2. Flanked by 200bp of cellular DNA at the 5' end and 10bp at

the 3' end. Insert 10.5Kb; Vector 2Kb. Ampicillin Resistance Marker.

**232.1:** Full length infectious clone. Complete proviral sequence of HIV-2 ROD constructed from ROD27, ROD35 and pSPE5. Flanked by 200bp of cellular DNA at the 5' end and 10bp at the 3' end. Insert 10.5Kb; Vector 2Kb. SV40 origin of replication has been inserted to assist transfection into Cos cells. Ampicillin

Resistance Marker.

**FURTHER INFORMATION:** Sequencing work has identified the following mutations in the modified

pROD10 - Compared to the HIV-2 ROD sequence number M15390 (NID: g1332361). There is a mutation in pSVR - a C to T single nucleotide change at

position 8307 of the RNA sequence (+1 = start of RNA genome).

This leads to the introduction of a stop codon and termination of the Envelope ORF at amino acid number 720. This is in the intracellular region of the transmembrane protein of envelope. The wild type version has not been checked but the pSVR version replicates well in vitro despite this mutation. Also three nucleotides changes as compared to the sequence of the HIV-2 ROD (Accession # M15390) have been found. The actual sequence of the Vpx ORF

in EVA232 is:

ATGACAGACCCCAGAGAGACAGTACCACCAGGAAACAGCGGCGAAGAGACTATCGGAGAGGCCTTCGCCTGGCTAAACAGGACAGTAGAAGCCATAAACAGGAAGCAGTGAATCACCTACCCCGAGAACTTATTTTCCAGGTGTGGCAGAGGTCCTGGAGATACTGGCATGATGAACAAGGGATGTCAGAAAGTTACACAAAGTATAGATATTTGTGCATAATgCAGAgAGCgGTGTACATGCATGTTAGGAAAGGGTGTACTTGCCTGGGGAGGGGACATGGGCCAGGAGGGTGGAGACCAGGGCCTCCTCCTCCCCCCTCCAGGTCTGAA

The changed nucleotides are indicated in lower case red letters. These changes lead to two amino acid substitutions in the corresponding Vpx protein as compared to the reference protein: I75M and K77R

PRESENTATION: 50µl DNA

EVA232 = 115  $\mu$ g/ml in TE Buffer, EVA232.1 = 545  $\mu$ g/ml in TE Buffer.

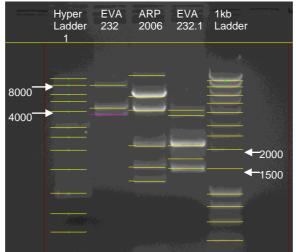
**CHARACTERISTICS:** Transfection into CD4+ cells results in production of infectious virus.

**SOURCE:** Dr J-M Bechet, Institute Pasteur, Paris.

232.1 Modified by Dr AML Lever, University of Cambridge.

**REFERENCE:** Clavel et al (1986) Science **233**:343 Guyader et al (1987) Nature **326**:662.

## **RESTRICTION PATTERNS:**



Band Sizes when cut with HindIII and XbaI EVA232 8000, 4300, 3800bp

EVA232.1 4100, 3700, 2200, 1900, 1500bp

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