

Centre for AIDS Reagents



Data Sheet

NAME:	PM1
REPOSITORY REFERENCE:	ARP057
SPECIES/TYPE:	Clonal derivative of HUT 78.
SPECIAL CHARACTERISTICS:	Cells grow in suspension. Cells are permissive for growth of Macrophage and T-cell trophic viruses.
CULTURE MEDIUM:	RPMI 1640, 90% Foetal calf serum, 10%
NOTE:	CCR5 expression is commonly low in PM1 cells so a figure of 5.8% is a normal level, although clearly detectable using mAb 2D7 and obviously sufficient to mediate HIV-1 entry. The optimal growth conditions for PM1 cells are a cell density of 1x10e5 cells/ml after refeeding, with a regular refeeding schedule of twice weekly. When they are grown at higher cellular density, they may start to lose CCR5 expression intensity and show prominent spontaneous apoptosis.
STORAGE:	Liquid nitrogen
SOURCE:	Dr Marvin Reitz (courtesy of the NIH AIDS Research and Reference Reagent Program).
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