

## **Certificate of Analysis for NR-15192**

## Modified pCAGGS Vector Containing the SARS Coronavirus, Urbani Non-Structural Protein 4 Gene

## Catalog No. NR-15192

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## **Product Description:**

The non-structural protein 4 (nsp4) gene from severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus (SARS-CoV), Urbani (GenBank: AY278741) was cloned into the modified pCAGGS mammalian expression vector. pCAGGS was modified by adding a hemagglutinin (HA) tag and 3X FLAG tag C-terminal to the insert coding sequence. NR-15192 contains the beta-lactamase gene, *bla*, to provide transformant selection through ampicillin resistance in *Escherichia coli (E. coli)*. The deposited plasmid was transformed into One Shot™ TOP10 *E. coli* (Invitrogen™ C404003), grown in Luria-Bertani broth with ampicillin (100 µg per mL) for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere, extracted using a Plasmid *Plus* Maxi Kit (QIAGEN® 12963) and vialed in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl, 1 mM EDTA, pH 8.0).

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Next-Generation DNA Sequencing (pre-vial)	Report results	7182 base pairs <sup>1</sup>
Genotypic Analysis Sequencing of nsp4 insert (~ 1500 base pairs)	≥ 99% sequence identity to SARS-CoV, Urbani nsp4 gene (GenBank: AY278741.1)	100% sequence identity to SARS-CoV, Urbani nsp4 gene (GenBank: AY278741.1)
Sequencing of modified pCAGGS vector (pCC448) (~ 4800 base pairs)	C-terminal HA tag confirmed C-terminal 3X FLAG tag confirmed	C-terminal HA tag confirmed C-terminal 3X FLAG tag confirmed
Antibiotic Resistance Ampicillin (encoded by beta-lactamase gene <i>bla</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	bla sequence present	bla sequence present
Concentration by PicoGreen® Measurement	≥ 2 µg/mL	0.6 μg in 30 μL per vial (22 μg/mL)
Amount per Vial	Report results	0.6 μg per vial
OD <sub>260</sub> /OD <sub>280</sub> Ratio	1.7 to 2.1	1.9
Effective Bacterial Transformation Invitrogen™ One Shot™ TOP10 E. coli	≥ 50 colonies per ng	116 colonies per ng

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The sequence was assembled pre-vial using the depositor's predicted sequence as the reference sequence. The complete plasmid sequence and map are provided on the BEI Resources webpage.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>The antibiotic ampicillin degrades quickly during growth. Bacterial stationary phase should be minimized during plasmid expansion to avoid plasmid loss and increased antibiotic concentrations may be necessary.