

# CMV-Bmi1 Lentifect<sup>™</sup> Purified Lentiviral Particles Cat No. LPP-Mm01438-Lv153-100-C

Ready-to-use lentiviral particles for the transduction of a variety of mammalian cells including difficult-to-transfect, primary, stem and non-dividing cells.

# Description

GeneCopoeia Lentifect<sup>™</sup> Lentiviral Particles are produced from a standardized protocol using purified plasmid DNA and the proprietary reagents, EndoFectin<sup>™</sup> Lenti (for transfection) and TiterBoost<sup>™</sup> solution. The protocol uses a third generation self-inactivating packaging system meeting BioSafety Level 2 requirements.

The Lentifect particles include a CMV promoter for efficient expression of non-tagged mouse Bmi1 protein in target cells. There is no antibiotic selection marker.

# **Contents and storage**

Provided as 4 vials of 25  $\mu$ l of purified Bmi1 lentiviral particles with titers of ~1 x 10<sup>8</sup> TU/ml.

Lentifect particles are shipped on dry ice and must be stored at -80°C immediately upon receipt. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles as this will reduce titers.

## Quality control

The lentiviral expression construct was validated by full-length sequencing, restriction enzyme digestion and PCR-size validation using gene-specific and vector-specific primers. Product is confirmed free of bacteria, fungi and common Mycoplasma contamination.

## Viral titer

The transduction unit (TU or IFU) of the lentiviral particles was estimated using the formula- 1TU=100 copies of viral genomic RNA. The physical copy numbers of the viral genomic RNA was determined using qRT-PCR. The customer should test the transduction at MOI=0.3, 1, 3, 5, 10 for their specific cell lines in order to get the best transduction efficiency.

## **Overview of production**

The Bmi1 OmicsLink<sup>™</sup> ORF lentiviral expression plasmid (GeneCopoeia Cat. No. EX-Mm01438-Lv153) was constructed using GeneCopoeia proprietary RecJoin<sup>™</sup> technology. This plasmid was co-transfected into 293Ta cells (GeneCopoeia Cat. No. LT008) with the Lenti-Pac HIV Packaging Mix (GeneCopoeia Cat. No. LT001-01). Lentivirus-containing supernatants were harvested 48 hours after transfection and stored at -80°C.

## User manual

Please contact GeneCopoeia for a copy or download at: <u>http://genecopoeia.com/product/lentiviral/pdf/packaging\_kit\_manual.pdf</u>

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