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DATA SHEET

Product name: Rat Melanoblast Culture – T25 Plated Cells

Catalog number: 55011-12-T25

Description: Rat Melanoblast Culture T25 Plated Cells. Also available in T75 tissue culture

flask with plated Cells, shipped at room temperature or in Frozen Vial, shipped in Dry-ice. They were maintained in Celprogen's Rat Melanoblast Culture Complete Growth Medium and sub-cultured every 24 to 48 hours on Rat Melanoblast

Culture Extra-cellular Matrix.

Source: Rat Cord Blood. Also available from Adult Rat Skin tissue

Storage Conditions: Liquid nitrogen vapor phase for frozen Ampule of Rat Melanoblast Culture. For

plated cells in tissue culture flask, upon receipt of the cells wipe the flask with 70% ethanol and transfer to sterile tissue culture hood. In the tissue culture hood remove the media of the cells and wash the cells with 1X PBS sterile solution, for 2-3 minutes, remove the PBS solution and then trypsinize. After trypsinization of the Cells neutralize the trypsin with equal volume of Rat Melanoblast Culture Complete Growth Media with serum and collect the Cell suspension in sterile conical centrifuge tube in the tissue culture hood. Centrifuge the cell suspension at 100g for 7 minutes in centrifuge. Plate cells $5x10^5$ cells per pre-coated flasks with Rat Melanoblast Culture Extra-cellular Matrix for Expansion in Rat

Melanoblast Culture Complete Growth Medium.

Positive Markers: CD117, Melanin, Epithelial & Telomerase

Morphology

& Proliferation: Mixed population of cells with approximately 95% attached cells and the other

5.0% in suspension, need to change cell culture media every day after 48 hours of initial cell culture or when the media starts changing color to slight yellow for pink. Fast growing cell culture. Change media with Celprogen's Rat Melanoblast Culture Complete Growth Medium with the appropriate Rat Melanoblast Culture

Extra-cellular Matrix. Temperature 37°C in 5% CO₂ humidified incubator.

Sub-culturing:



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- 1. Thaw the vial with gentle agitation in a 37°C water bath or a dry 37°C shaking incubator. For water bath thawing keep the O-ring out of the water.
- 2. Remove the thawed vial and wipe with 70% ethanol. Then transfer to the tissue culture hood.
- 3. Transfer the vial contents to a sterile centrifuge tube, and gently add pre-warmed Rat Melanoblast Culture Growth Media to the centrifuge tube. Use additional Rat Melanoblast Culture Complete Media to rinse the vial and transfer the liquid to the centrifuge tube repeat this once more to ensure you have all the cells transferred to the 15ml centrifuge tube. Centrifuge the cells at 100g for 7 minutes. Remove the supernatant and re-suspend the cell pellet in 500ul of Rat Melanoblast Culture Complete Growth Medium.
- **4.** Add the 500ul of cells to T75 flask pre-coated with Rat Melanoblast Culture Extra-cellular Matrix with 15ml of Rat Melanoblast Culture Complete Growth Medium.
- **5.** Incubate the cells in the T75 flask in a 37°C in 5% CO₂ humidified incubator. Perform 100% Media Change every 24 to 48 hours.
- **6.** Medium renewal every other or 2-3 days, sub-culturing ratio: 1:3

Freezing Medium: Available for purchase Cat# M55011-12FM

Trypsin: Available for purchase Cat# T1509-014

IX PBS: Available for Purchase Cat# P1408-013

Storage temperature: Liquid nitrogen vapor phase

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