

# CaptureSelect<sup>™</sup> Lenti VSVG Affinity Matrix (RUO)

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### **CaptureSelect Lenti VSVG affinity matrix**

- Designed to bind VSV-G pseudotyped Lentiviral vector particles from suspension cultures
- High recovery and purity in a single step
- Gentle elution conditions, based on Arginine, to retain infectivity of the lentivirus particles
- A scalable affinity purification method based on an agarose base-bead
- Non-animal derived



Designed to help increase productivity and efficiency in the downstream process of lentiviral vectors Thermo Fisher s c I E N T I F I C

# **Dynamic Binding Capacity – 1mL column**



### DBC is determined by P24 total particle ELISA

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Fraction	Volume (mL)	TP/mL	C/C0	
Start		3.98E9		
1	7.1	1.55E7	0.39	
2	12.1	5.24E7	1.32	
3	17.1	2.14E8	5.39	
4	22.1	3.53E8	8.88	24.6 ml
5	27.1	5.85E8	14.7	24.0 ML
6	32.1	1.44E9	36.09	
7	47.1	2.82E9	70.84	
8	52.1	2.68E9	67.33	

- 10% breakthrough (C/C<sub>0</sub>= 10%) estimated from the curve at 24.6 ml loading
- This relates to 9.78E10 total particles/ml resin (= 1E11)

### Dynamic Binding Capacity at 10% breakthrough is 1E11 total particles/mL resin

# **Chromatography conditions**



The CaptureSelect Lenti VSVG affinity matrix demonstrates an efficient elution profile

# **Comparison of total particle to infectious particle ratios**



### Total particle (TP) and infectious particle (IP) ratio

Sample	TP/mL	IP/mL	TP/IP ratio	
1. Feed	1.10E10	7.98E7	138	
1. Flow through	3.25E8	8.30E5	392	
1. Elution	4.44E10	4.42E8	100	
2. Feed	1.11E10	9.00E7	165	
2. Flow through	1.28E9	5.45E6	245	
2. Elution	2.6E10	4.66E8	71	

n=2

The eluted fractions show a more than 5-fold increase of the infectious particle concentration compared to the load

The concentration of infectious particles in the elution fraction has been enriched through purification using the Lenti-VSVG resin

# **Recovery of infectious particles (n=2)**

Sample	Volume (mL)	IP/mL	TU (Transduction units)	Recovery	HCP removal	Total DNA removal
1. Feed	250	7.98E7	1.99E10			
1. Flow through	258	8.30E5	2.14E8			
1. Elution	22.5	4.42E8	9.95E9	49.9%	98.7%	80.2%
2. Feed	230	9.00E7	2.07E10			
2. Flow through	240	5.45E6	1.31E9			
2. Elution	25.6	4.66E8	1.19E10	57.7%	97.1%	96.5%

**Recovery of infectious particles after purification using the Lenti VSGV resin is 50-60%** 



# CaptureSelect Lenti VSVG resin characteristics



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For efficient purification of Lentivirus particles from suspension cultures, pseudotyped with VSV-G

#### **MAIN RESIN CHARACTERISTICS**

Matrix: agarose-based, epoxide activated2943932Average particle size: 65 ± 10 μm2943932Ligand: CaptureSelect Lenti VSVG affinity ligand2943932Ligand coupling method: epoxideBinding capacity: ~1E11 total particles/ml matrixElution conditions: 50 mM HEPES, 150 mM NaCl, 0.8 M Arginine pH 7.5Strip conditions: 50 mM Sodium Phosphate pH 12Flow characteristics: 50–200 cm/h (up to 2 bar)Formulation buffer: 20% (v/v) ethanol

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# **Lentivirus purification challenges**

- Enveloped virus particles



- Produced in human cells (HEK293)  $\rightarrow$  resulting in a broad variety of product related contaminants



- Lack of assays to discriminate / specifically detect all different forms
- P24 ELISA: total particles (TP) analysis, the standard for Lentivirus particles
- IP assay: Cell based assay to measure infectivity
- TP/IP ratio: Indication of quality of the Lentivirus prep; the lower the ratio the better it is.

# **Lentivirus purification challenges**

- LVV requires a very narrow range of pH, temperature, shear stress, salt concentration, and osmolarity
- No specific affinity chromatography method commercially available
- Current methods;
  - (Ultra-)centrifugation
  - Tangential Flow Filtration TFF
  - Heparin resin, e.g. POROS 50 HE Heparin Affinity resin
  - AEX resin e.g. POROS 50 D Weak Anion Exchange Resin
  - AEX membranes e.g. Sartobind Q, Mustang Q
  - AEX nanofibers
  - Monoliths, CIM DEAE column
- Current recoveries ~30%

