

HepG2 Tet-On® Advanced Cell Line

Catalog No.

Lot Number

630932 (Not sold separately)

Specified on product label.

Description

HepG2 Tet-On Advanced is a human hepatocellular carcinoma-derived cell line that expresses the tetracycline-regulated transactivator Tet-On Advanced (1, 2). Inducible expression of any gene can be achieved by transfecting or transducing this cell line with a vector containing your gene of interest under the control of a tetracycline-responsive promoter. Expression is induced by the addition of doxycycline (Dox) to the culture medium.

Package Contents

• 1 ml HepG2 Tet-On Advanced Cell Line (2.0 x 10⁶ cells/tube)

Storage Conditions

• Store cells in liquid nitrogen $(-196^{\circ}C)$ or in a $-150^{\circ}C$ freezer.

Shelf Life

• 1 year from date of receipt under proper storage conditions.

Storage Medium

• Cell Freezing Medium-DMSO 1x (Sigma-Aldrich Co., Cat. No. C6164)

Shipping Conditions

• Dry ice $(-70^{\circ}C)$

Product User Manuals

User manuals for Clontech® products are available for download at <u>www.clontech.com/manuals</u>. The following user manuals apply to this product:

- Tet-On Advanced Inducible Gene Expression System User Manual (PT3898-1)
- Tet Cell Lines Protocol-at-a-Glance (PT3001-2)

Cell Type Information

HepG2 Tet-On Advanced is a human hepatocellular carcinoma-derived cell line stably transfected with pTet-On-Advanced. This cell line is G418-resistant.

Recommended Cell Culture Medium

Grow the cells in 90% Eagle Minimum Essential Medium (alpha modification), 10% Tet System Approved Fetal Bovine Serum (FBS), 4 mM L-glutamine, 100 μ g/ml G418, 100 units/ml penicillin G sodium, 100 μ g/ml streptomycin sulfate, and 0.1 mM non-essential amino acids, in the presence of 5% CO₂.

Certificate of Analysis

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References

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Quality Control Data

Functional Tests

HepG2 Tet-On Advanced cells were transiently transfected with pTRE-Tight-Luc. Luciferase activity in the presence and absence of 1 μ g/ml doxycycline (Cat. No. 631311) was measured 72 hr later as described in the Tet-On Advanced Inducible Gene Expression System User Manual. Induction was observed to be at least 50-fold when cells were grown in medium containing Clontech's Tet System Approved FBS.

Mycoplasma Contamination Test

This lot of cells has been tested and found to be free of mycoplasma contamination.



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