

**Influenza A H3N2 Virus**  
**Strain: Tasmania/503/20**  
**Infectious Culture Fluid (1 mL)**

**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

Influenza A H3N2 Virus (Strain: Tasmania/503/20) is an enveloped virus with a diameter of 80-120nm, and contains a single-stranded, segmented, negative-sense RNA within a nucleocapsid.

Each frozen aliquot contains 1 mL of titrated viral culture fluid.

**INTENDED USE:**

Viral culture fluids are sold as consumable testing materials; propagation or commercialization is prohibited without prior written consent from ZeptoMetrix. The suitability and performance characteristics should be determined by your laboratory for each intended usage.

These products are NOT intended for use in the manufacture or processing of injectable products subject to licensure under section 351 of the Public Health Service Act or for any other product intended for administration to humans.

**FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. NOT FOR USE IN DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES.**

The purchase of infectious microorganisms from ZeptoMetrix requires a Material Transfer Agreement (MTA).

**BIOSAFETY:**

Influenza A H3N2 Virus is a Biosafety Level 2 (BSL-2) microorganism and must be used within a BSL-2 facility in a biosafety cabinet (BSC). Please consult your institution's regulations regarding the use of this product. For a detailed discussion on biological safety see the current edition of Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories (BMBL), published by the CDC.

**PRECAUTIONS:**

- Use Universal Precautions, this product is **potentially biohazardous**.
- Repetitive freezing and thawing is not recommended (aliquot material if necessary). Titer may be altered by multiple freeze-thaws.
- To avoid cross-contamination, use separate pipette tips for all reagents.

**RECOMMENDED STORAGE:**

Viral culture fluids should be stored at -65°C or below.

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|  | Catalog Number        |  | Temperature Limitation |
|  | Batch Code            |  | Expiration Date        |
|  | For Research Use Only |  | Biological Risk        |
|  | Manufacturer          |                                                                                     |                        |