

# **Certificate of Analysis**

#### **Neural Stem Cell Growth Medium**

Catalog No. GUXNX-90011 Lot Number: 120706c01

Preparation Date: 2012-7-6

Size: 100ml

## **Kit Components**

Containing 96 ml of Neural Stem Cell Basal Medium (Cat. No. GUXNX -03011-96), 2 ml of B27, 20 ul of bFGF, 10 ul of EGF, 1 ml of Glutamine, 1 ml of Penicilin-Streptomycin Solution and 100 ul of Heparin, pH 7.2. Store at  $4^{\circ}$ C once prepared.

## **Sterility**

Bacterial and Fungal Contamination: Samples are inoculated and cultured on blood agar plate, thioglycolate broth, tryptocase soy broth and sabouraud dextrose agar.

Specification: No growth must be observed.

Mycoplasma: Samples are tested for mycoplasma contamination using a PCR-based assay and direct

culture.

Specification: Results must be negative.

Endotoxin: Samples are tested for endotoxin contamination with LAL test.

Specification: Results must show a concentration of  $\leq 25$ EU/ml.

### Cell culture testing

Each batch of growth medium is tested for its ability to support in vitro growth of Neural Stem Cell. When are cultured in growth medium, >80% of the cells retain their undifferentiated phenotype, and can be differentiated into Neurons, Astrocytes and Oligodendrocytes. Neural Stem Cells must demonstrate a doubling time of 20-30 hours, and can proliferate for  $\geq$  3 passages.

#### **Results:**

All specifications have been met.

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