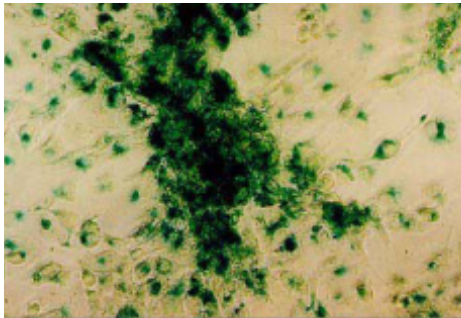


Targeting Systems Introduces :
Targefect-Cos



Cos cells transfected with Targefect-Cos :
 Transfection efficiency is approximately 80%.

Targefect-Cos Transfection Reagent is specifically developed to achieve the highest transfection efficiency in Cos cells.

Transfection protocol for transfection in presence of serum

Set up cells to be transfected so that they are about 70-80% confluent at the time of the experiment. Plate out or maintain cells to be transfected in media with 5% serum. This protocol has been optimized for cells maintained in media with 5% serum. Higher serum concentrations may need adjustment of transfection conditions (i.e. DNA: targefect ratios may need to be changed).

Prepare transfection complexes as follows :

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Note : It is important to use high glucose DMEM (DMEM containing 4500 mg/liter glucose for complex formation. Use clear plastic tubes for complex formation. Do not vortex the Targefect-Cos reagent. Thaw the reagent if it arrives frozen and gently mix it by inverting the tube several times and then store at 4 oC. Do not freeze this reagent. Prepare transfection complexes as follows if you are performing duplicate transfections in 35 mm dishes/6-well plates.

Tube #	DMEM	Plasmid DNA	Targefect-Cos
1	0.5 ml	6 µg	12 µl

Add DMEM 1 first, then add DNA, mix well by flicking the tube about 12 times to create a vortexing action. Add targefect next, mix well again by flicking the tube. Incubate the tubes at 37oC for 20 minutes to form the transfection complexes. Add the appropriate amount of transfection complex per well/dish. Swirl the dish and incubate at 37 o C overnight. Assay at 24-48 hrs post transfection.

Recommended volumes of transfection complex for performing transfection in different size dishes :

Culture Vessel	Volume of plating medium	DNA (μg) in transfection complex volume (μl)	Targefect in transfection complex volume (μl)
96well	100 μl	0.2 μg in 25 μl	0.5 μl in 25 μl
24well	500 μl	0.8 μg in 50 μl	1.5 μl in 50 μl
12well	1 ml	1.6 μg in 150 μl	3.5 μl in 150 μl
35mm	2 ml	3.0 μg in 250 μl	6 μl in 250 μl
6well	2 ml	3.0 μg in 250 μl	6 μl in 250 μl
60mm	5 ml	6.0 μg in 0.5 ml	12 μl in 0.5ml
10cm	15 ml	18 μg in 1.5 ml	36 μl in 1.5 ml

Note: The above conditions are standardized using media with 5% FBS.

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#COS-10	10 x 1.5 ml	\$1600

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