

**CSI256Ra01****Primary Rat Epididymis Fibroblasts (EF)**  
**Organism Species: Rattus norvegicus (Rat)**  
***Instruction manual***FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY  
NOT FOR USE IN CLINICAL DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES

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**[ DESCRIPTION ]****Cell Type:** Fibroblasts**Synonyms:** EF**Species:** Rattus norvegicus (Rat)**Tissue Source:** Epididymis**Size:** >5×10<sup>5</sup>cell/vial**[ PROPERTIES ]****Cell activity:** >85% (Viability by Trypan Blue Exclusion).**Formulation:** Frozen 1 mL or T25 flask.**Biosafety:** Negative for HIV-1, HBV, HCV, mycoplasma, bacteria, yeast and fungi.**Applications:** For research use only. It is not approved for human or animal use, or for application in clinical diagnostic procedures.**Growth Properties:** Adherent**[ CONTENTS ]****Form & Buffer:** Supplied as solution form in frozen stock solution, containing 90% FBS+10% DMSO.**[ USAGE ]**

Upon receiving the cells in a T-25 flask at room temperature, immediately transfer the cells to 37°C, 5% incubator; the cells in vials, directly and immediately transfer the cells from dry ice to liquid nitrogen.

**Culture conditions:**

DMEM+10%FBS+1%Fibroblasts growth supplement+1%Penicillin-Streptomycin Solution

Temperature: 37°C

Condition: 95% air, 5% carbon dioxide

**Cell recovery:**

After receiving the cells, shake at 37°C in a water bath until completely dissolved, transfer to a 15 ml centrifuge tube, add 3-5 times complete culture solution, 1000 rpm for 5 min, discard the supernatant, and place in a T25 flask for culture.

**Cell passage:**

1. Cell passage when cell growth at 85-95%.
2. Discard the medium and wash with PBS 1-2 times.



3. Add 1 ml of Trypsin at 37°C, observe the cell under the microscope. If the cells are retracted and rounded, pat the culture flask to let the cells fall off. Stop digestion by adding 2 ml of complete medium containing 10% serum. Make it a single cell suspension.
4. Add the fresh medium to resuspend the cells. Unless otherwise stated, the recommended ratio of primary cells is 1/2.

**[ Shipping ]**

Dry ice.

**[ STORAGE ]**

Upon receiving, directly and immediately transfer the cells from dry ice to liquid nitrogen and keep the cells in liquid nitrogen until they are needed for experiments.

**[ IMPORTANTNOTE ]**

The cell is for research use only, and we will not be responsible for any issue if the cell was used in clinical diagnostic or any other procedures.

**[ Figure ]**

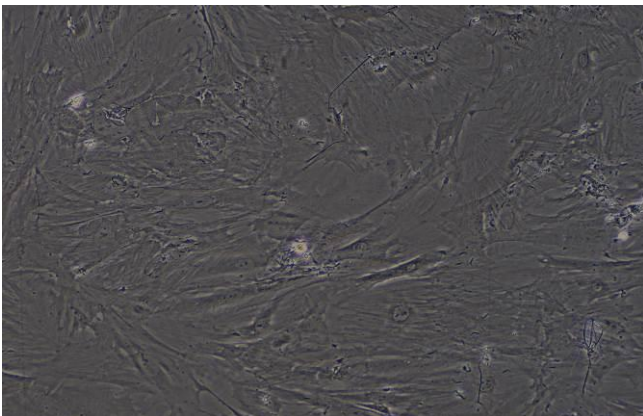


Figure 1

Figure 1 Morphology of Rat Epididymis Fibroblasts (Optical microscope, x100)

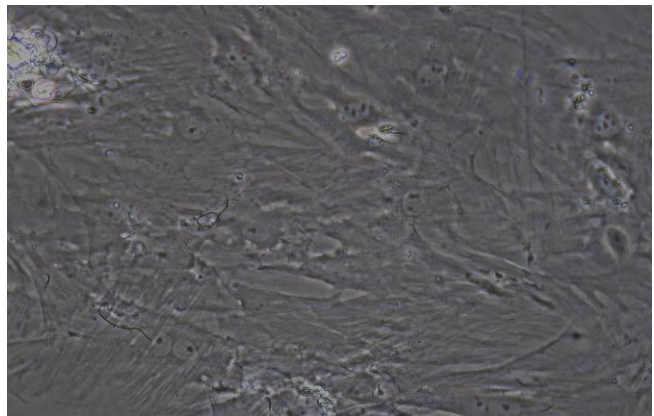


Figure 2

Figure 2 Morphology of Rat Epididymis Fibroblasts (Optical microscope, x200)