

Resource Summary Report

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RRID:CVCL_0472

Type: Cell Line

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Cell Line Information

URL: https://web.expasy.org/cellosaurus/CVCL_0472

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Description: Cell line OK is a Spontaneously immortalized cell line with a species of origin Didelphis virginiana (North American opossum)

Sex: Female

Defining Citation: [PMID:566717](#), [PMID:1802405](#), [PMID:6394469](#), [PMID:28615248](#), [PMID:30379374](#), [PMID:33122286](#)

Comments: Characteristics: Used to study X chromosome inactivation as well as to investigate proximal tubule ion transport and membrane trafficking., Group: Marsupial cell line.

Category: Spontaneously immortalized cell line

Organism: Didelphis virginiana (North American opossum)

Name: OK

Synonyms: Opossum Kidney, OK-WT

Cross References: BTO:BTO_0003069, CLO:CLO_0008246, MCCL:MCC:0000370, CLDB:cl3766, ATCC:CRL-1840, CCRID:3101MAMGNO20, CLS:606465, ECACC:91021202, GEO:GSM4009046, GEO:GSM4009050, GEO:GSM4009051, GEO:GSM4009052, GEO:GSM4249049, GEO:GSM4249050, GEO:GSM4249051, KCB:KCB 200824YJ, TOKU-E:2794, Wikidata:Q25326634

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for OK.

No alerts have been found for OK.

Data and Source Information

Source: [Cellosaurus](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 9 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [RRID](#) .

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