

Resource Summary Report

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BHK-21/WI-2

RRID:CVCL_HB78

Type: Cell Line

Proper Citation

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Cell Line Information

URL: https://web.expasy.org/cellosaurus/CVCL_HB78

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Description: Cell line BHK-21/WI-2 is a Spontaneously immortalized cell line with a species of origin Mesocricetus auratus (Golden hamster)

Sex: Male

Defining Citation: [PMID:193466](#), [PMID:5320494](#), [PMID:20709108](#)

Comments: Virology: Susceptible to infection by human herpesvirus 2 (HHV-2) and Rubella virus (PubMed=193466).

Category: Spontaneously immortalized cell line

Organism: Mesocricetus auratus (Golden hamster)

Name: BHK-21/WI-2

Synonyms: BHK 21/WI-2, BHK21/WI-2, BHK-21 clone WI-2, WI-2

Cross References: Kerafast:EH1011, Wikidata:Q54796395

ID: CVCL_HB78

Hierarchy: cvcl_1914

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for BHK-21/WI-2.

No alerts have been found for BHK-21/WI-2.

Data and Source Information

Source: [Cellosaurus](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 1 mentions in open access literature.

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

Engdahl TB, et al. (2021) Broad and potently neutralizing monoclonal antibodies isolated from human survivors of New World hantavirus infection. Cell reports, 35(5), 109086.