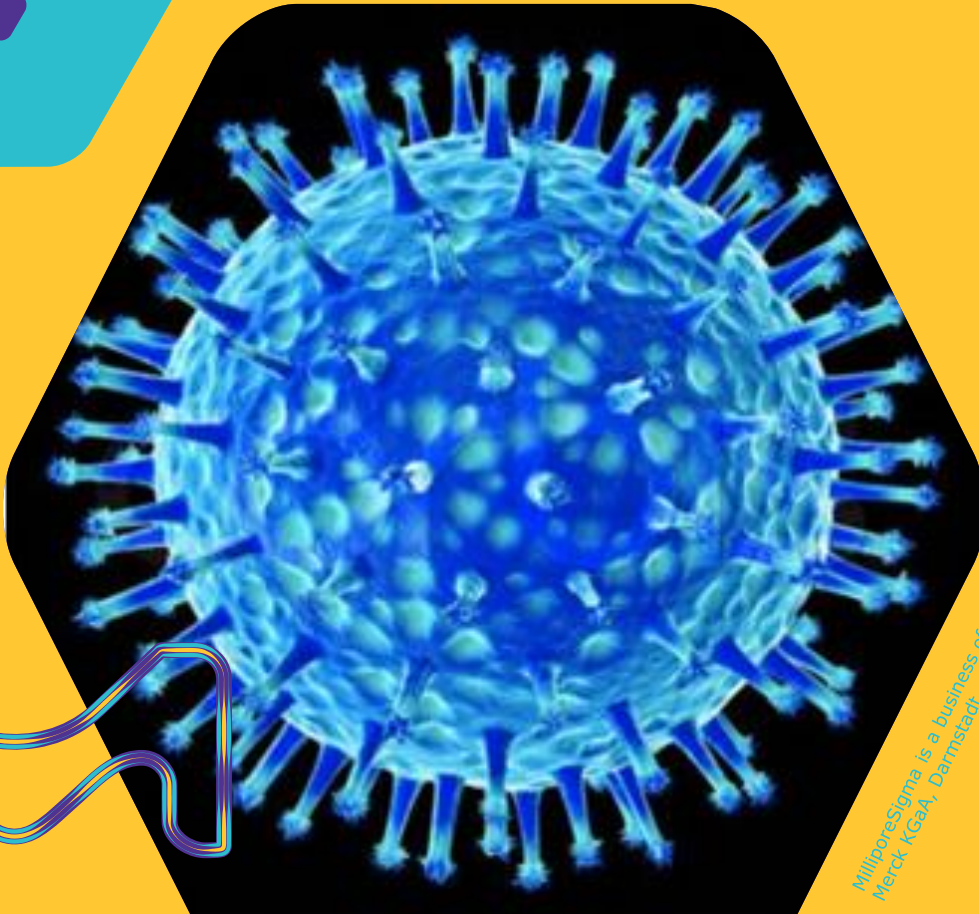


viral vector Manufacturing

Overview of Capabilities



*MiliporeSigma is a business of
Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany*

**Milipore
SIGMA**

Viral Vector Development & Production Services

- GMP Virus Production in suspension and adherent
- FDA / EMA Inspected
- In-process testing
- Process Development Services

Carlsbad, California, USA

BioReliance® Viral Vector CMO



Bedford, MA, USA

Cell Therapy PD, product development



Glasgow, Scotland, UK

- BioReliance® Viral Vector CMO
- BioReliance® Biosafety testing

Rockville, Maryland, USA

BioReliance® Biosafety testing



St Louis, Missouri, USA

Gene Editing, cell engineering



Martillac, FR

BioReliance® End-to-End Solutions



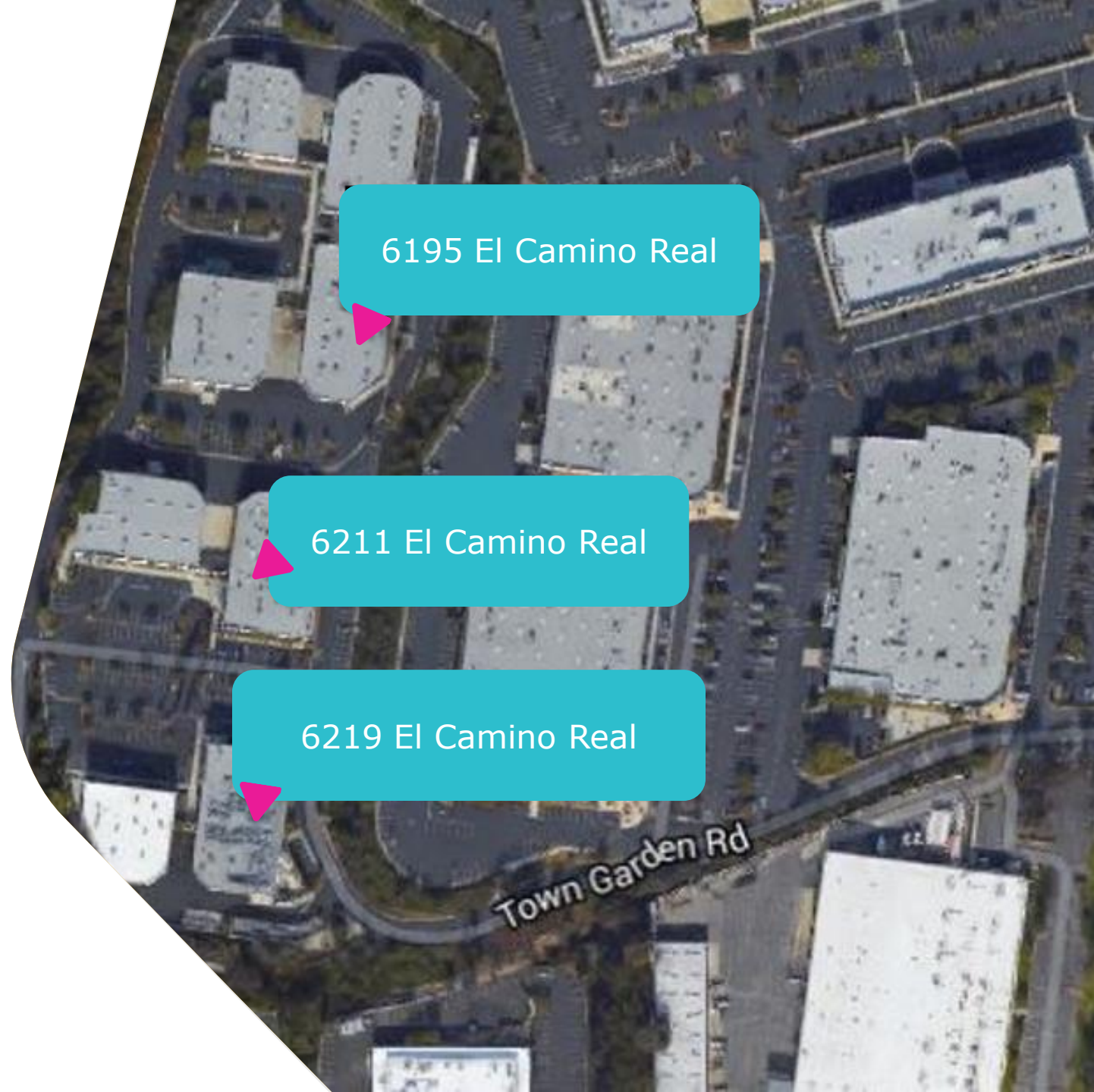
Site History

Carlsbad Facilities

6195 – Manufacturing

6211 – Support

6219 – Manufacturing



Manufacturing Facility Layout

6219 Manufacturing Facility



- **6219 B**
Two 3 Room Suites for Campaign Manufacturing

Common Support and Media/Buffer Preparation Areas

- **6219 A**
Virus Free Cell Expansion Room

6 Virus Production Suites

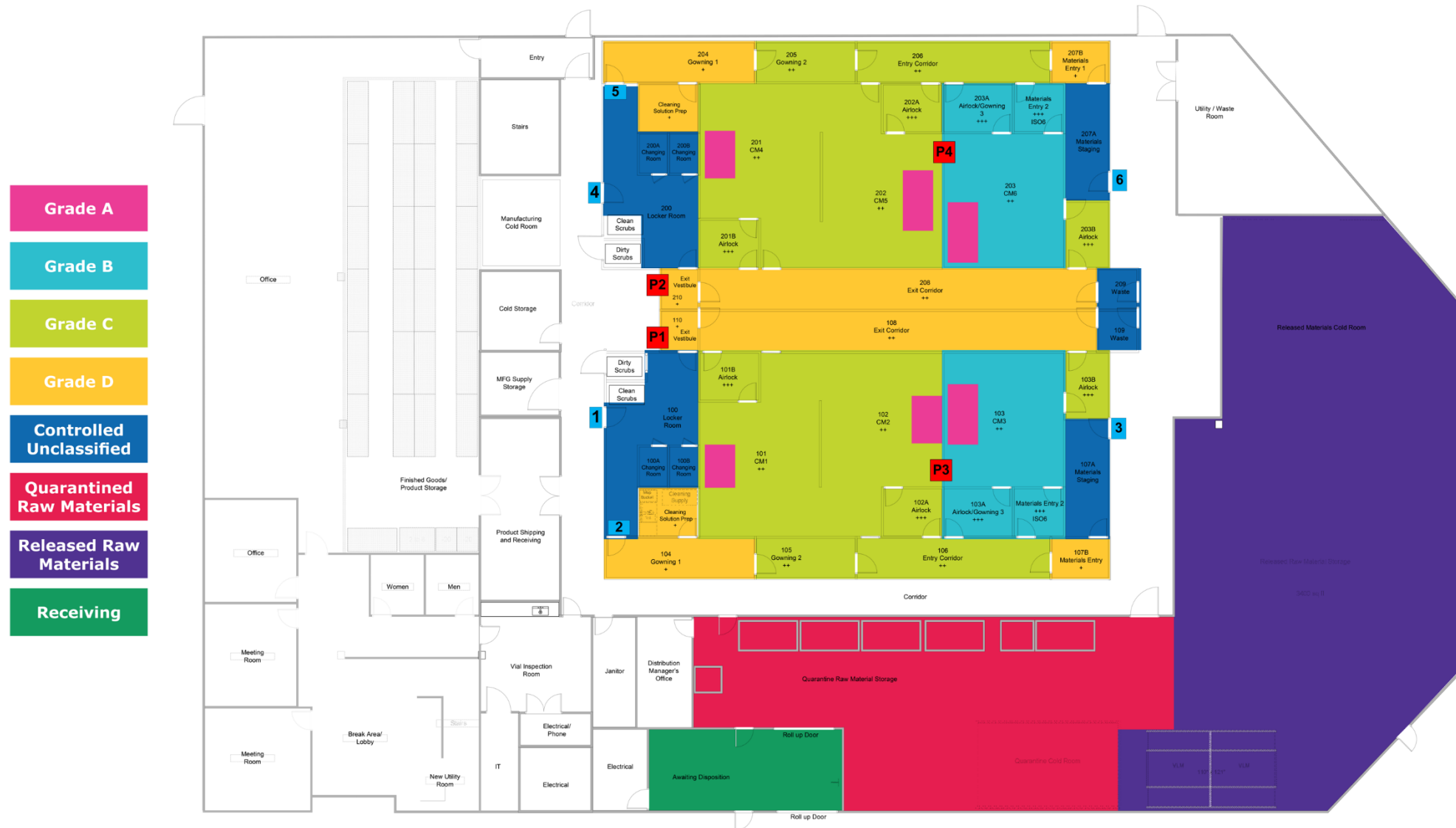
Grade B Fill Suite

- **6219 C**
Grade B Fill Suite



Manufacturing Facility Layout

6195: 2 Production Suites & 2 Fill/Finish Suites



Virus Experience

Cells, Viruses and Batches

Viruses	Experience (batches)
	2010-2019
Adeno Associated Virus	72
Adenovirus	80
Lentivirus/Retrovirus	211
Reovirus	20
Dengue Virus	15
Herpes Simplex Virus	13
Coxsackie Virus	19
Others (Sendai, Yellow Fever/West Nile and others)	16

** 3 batches in Glasgow



Virus Experience

Production Scales, Cells and Fills

Viral Production Scales

Adherent	40x10 layer cell stacks, iCELLis 500
Suspension	50L, 100L, 500L SUB, 100L/1000L perfusion

Cells

293, 293T, BHK, PER.C6, MRC5, HeLa, HT1080, A549, Vero

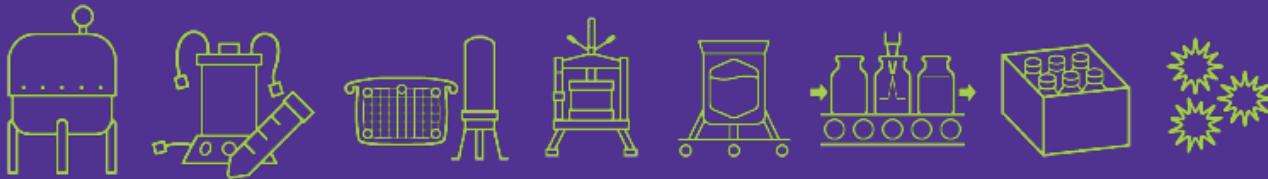
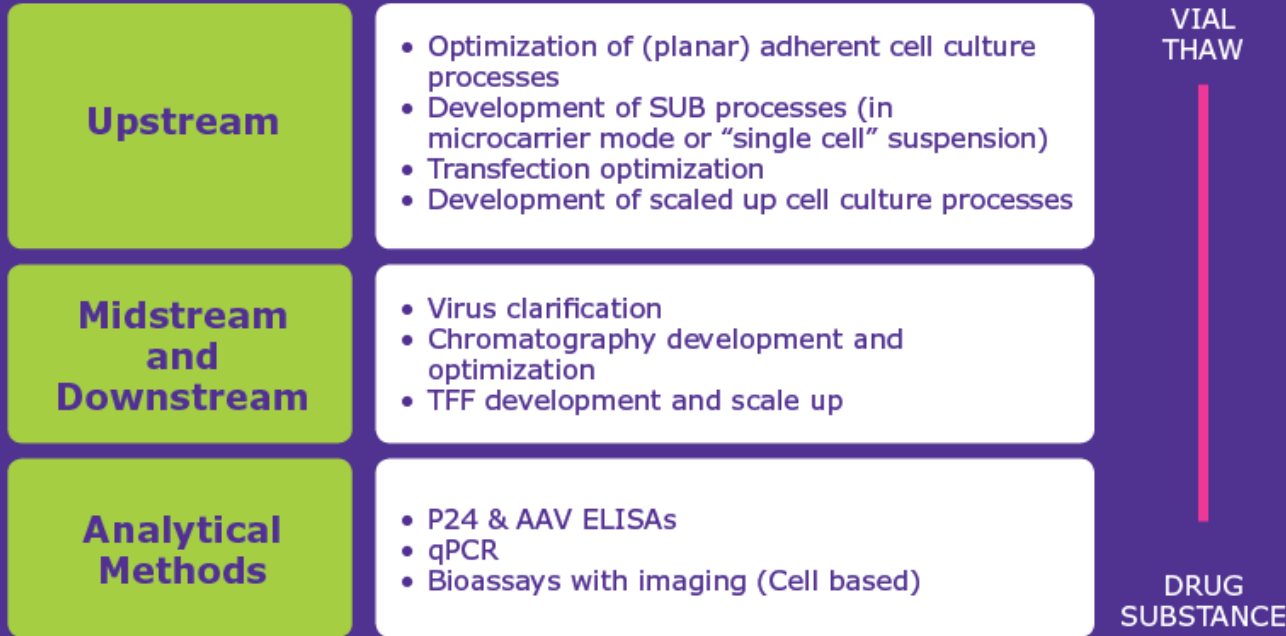
Fills

Fill/finish: 800 vials/day semi-automated into 2mL to 30mL vials



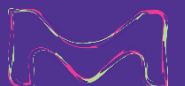
Our PD capabilities

Our group possesses significant R&D and PD capabilities including "End to End" processing over multiple scales, modalities and vectors



We fully characterize your product & process

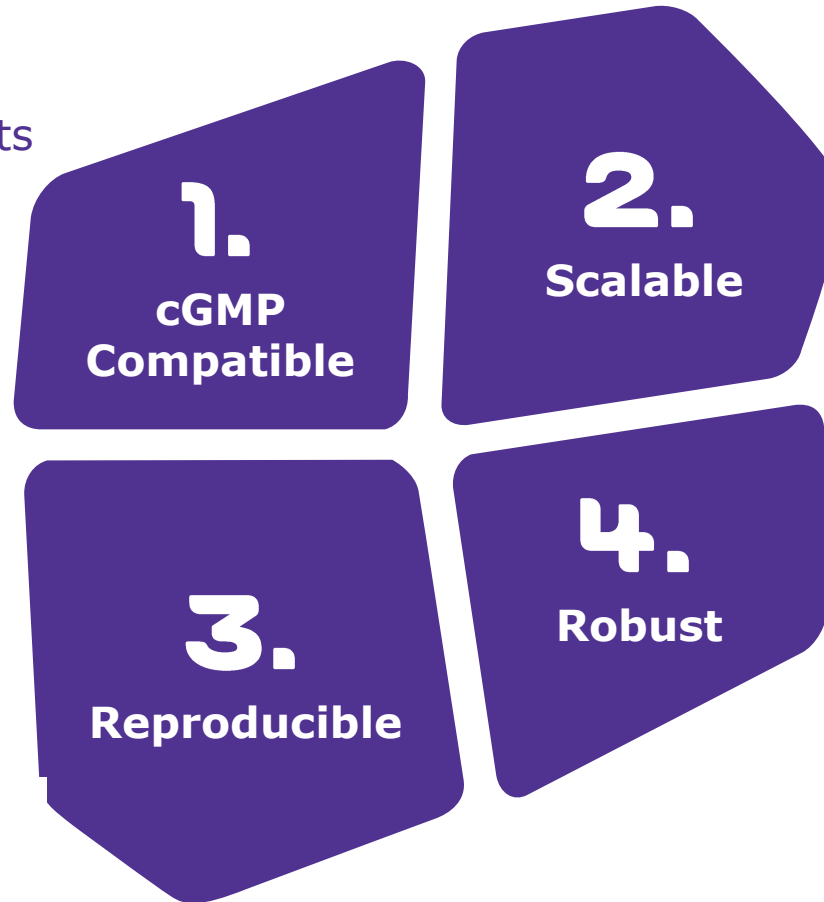
	Early (PD)	Late (ENG/GMP)
Product	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Titer • Infectious titer • Purity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contaminants • Residuals • Potency • Stability • Identity • Appearance
Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass balance • Process appropriateness • Material/supplies appropriateness • Scale assessment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safety • Reproducibility • Trending



Critical Factors for Viral Vectors Manufacturing

- Raw Materials and Reagents
- Equipment
- Consumable Sets
- Single Use Technology

- Product Quality
- Product Yield
- Titer
- Purity



- Equipment
- Unit Operations

- Mode of Operation
- Stability
- Tolerance
- Feasible Range
- Process Time



6211 Process Development Laboratory



PD Main Equipment:

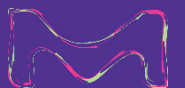
- Mobius 50L Bioreactor
- iCELLis nano Fixed Bed Bioreactor
- Eppendorf CelligenBlu Bioreactor
- Eppendorf DASGIP
- AKTA Prime
- AKTA Pilot
- Spectrum TFF system
- PendoTech Filtration System

PD adherent scale:

- 10 x CS10
- iCELLis nano up to 4m²
- *Access to iCELLis 500m²*

PD suspension scale:

- Mobius 3L
- Mobius 50L
- Hyclone SUB 50L
- Eppendorf CelligenBlu 50L



Manufacturing

Full service, experienced CDMO designed to meet your rigorous timelines

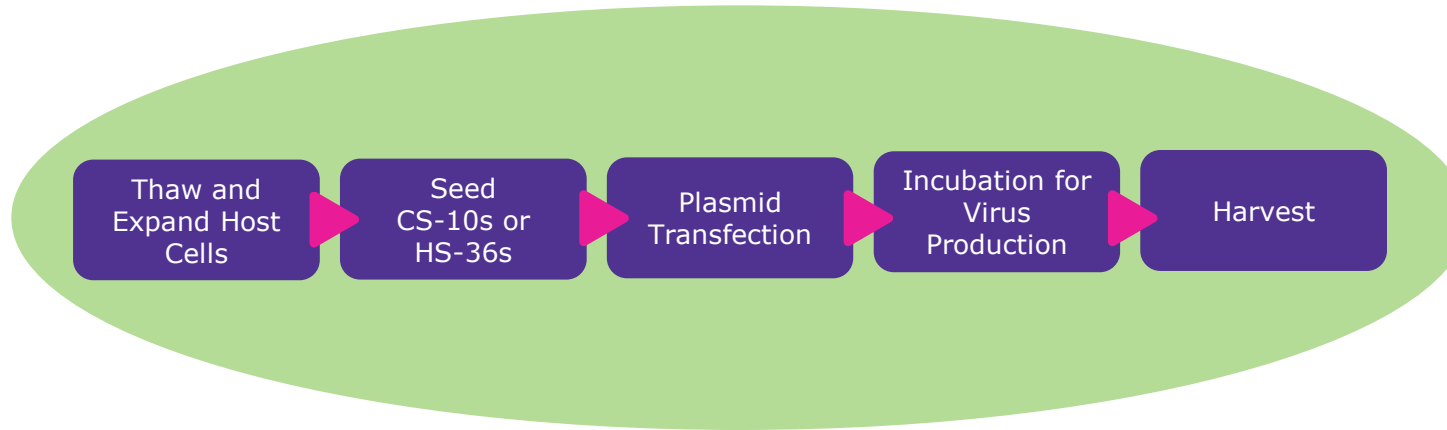
- Product innovators with >25 years of experience
- Technology transfer partners
 - Ensure cGMP readiness
 - Focus on robust process design and risk reduction
- Produced >500 batches of virus to support development from clinical through commercialization
- cGMP state-of-the-art facility accommodates scale-up and transfer to manufacturing, through to commercial launch
- Viral vector manufacturing at scales of
 - Up to 500m² iCELLis for adherent
 - 100 L for suspension (1000L with perfusion processes)
 - 500 L SUB



Typical AAV Process and Recoveries

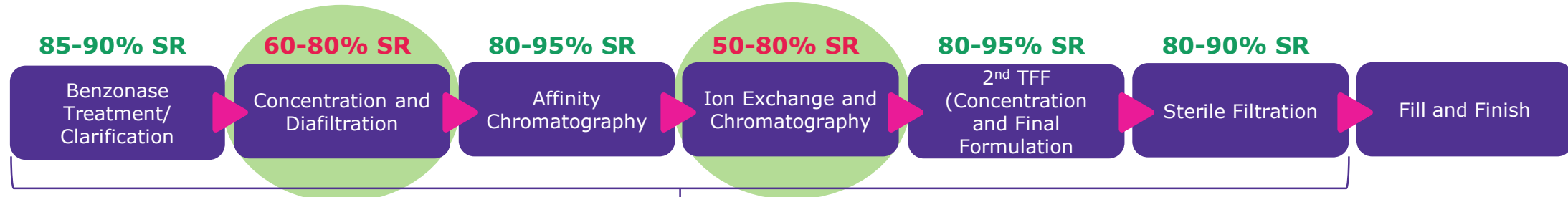
Adherent Process

Upstream



GC/mL
2.0-5.0E+10

Downstream



Typical process recovery from harvest through sterile filtration: **40-60%**

Purified GC/mL
~1.0E+13

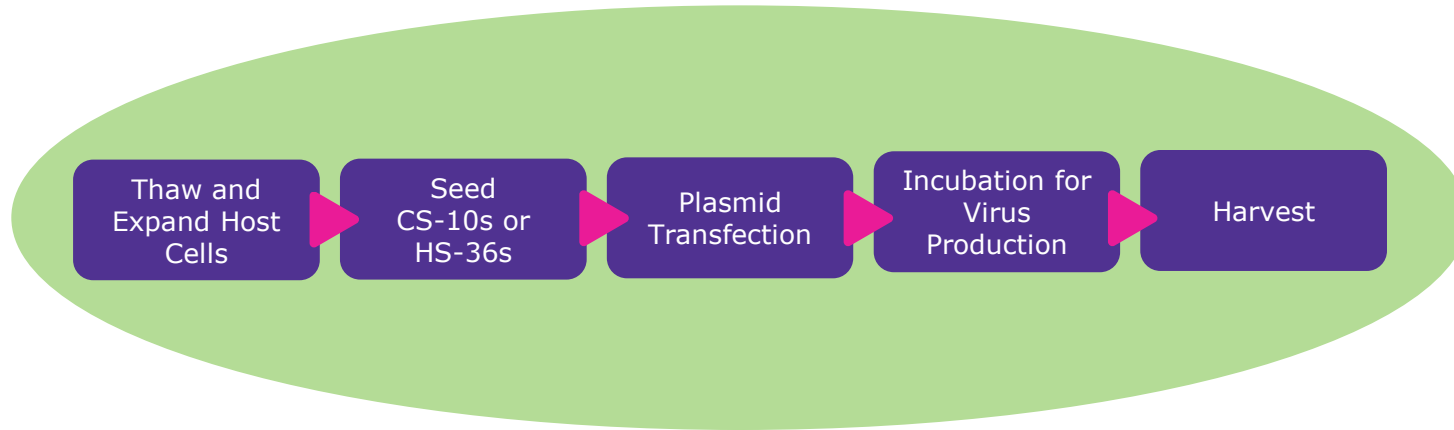
● Significant optimization opportunity, SR = Step recovery



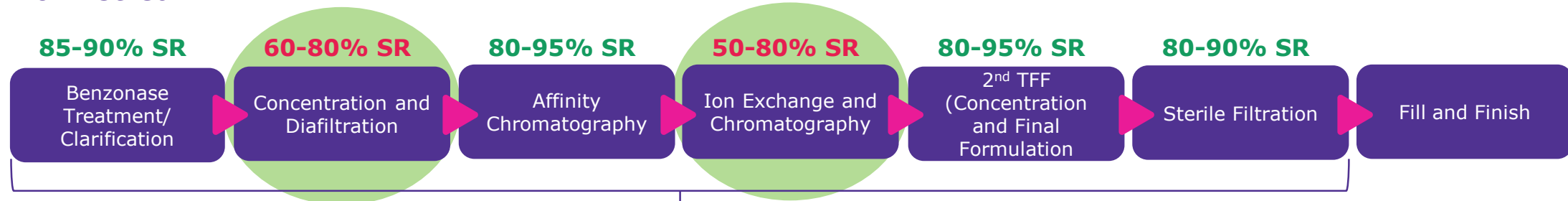
Typical AAV Process and Recoveries

Suspension

Upstream



Downstream



Typical process recovery from harvest through sterile filtration: **40-60%**

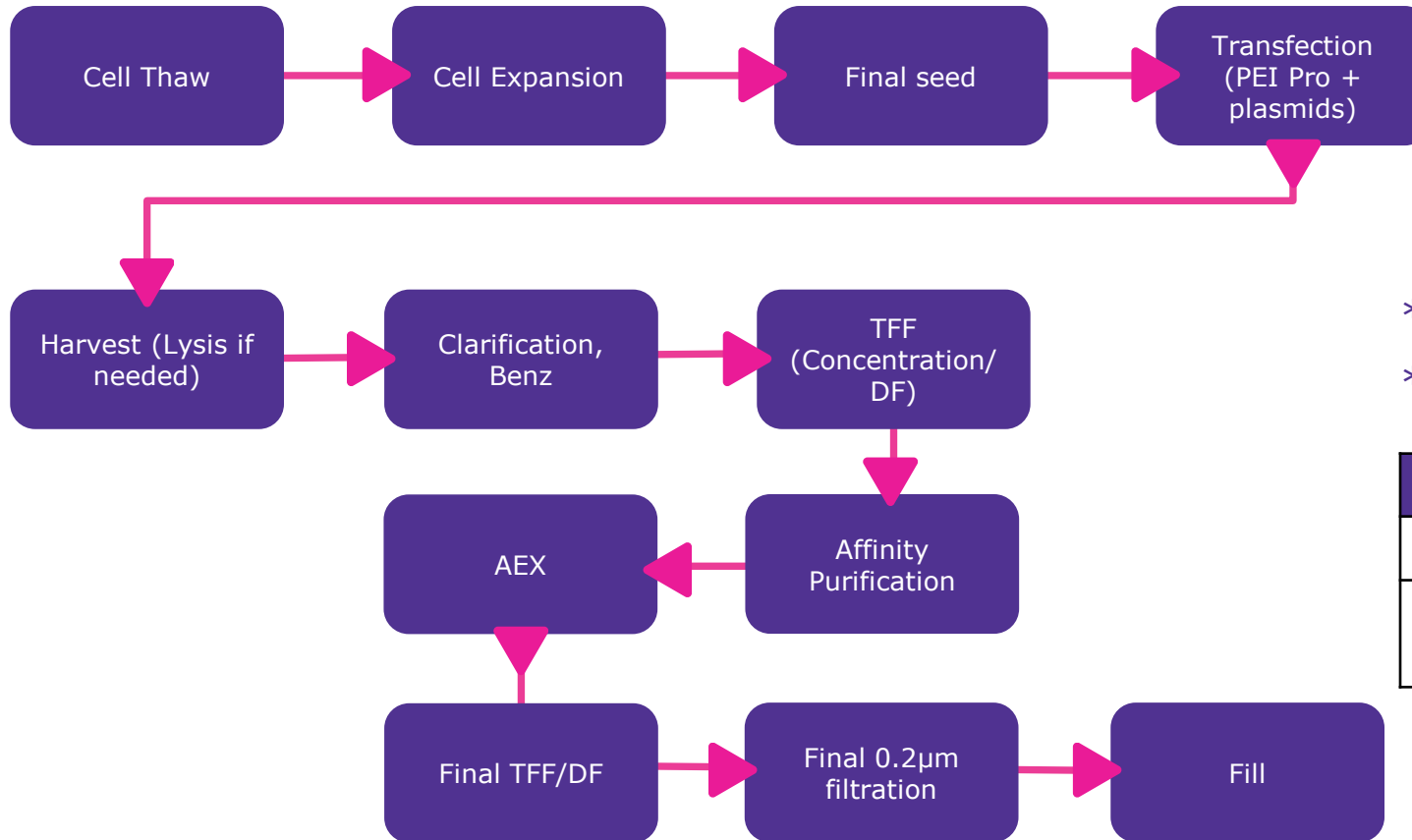
GC/mL	Full capsids
2.0E+11	≥ 70%

● Significant optimization opportunity, SR = Step recovery



Typical AAV Process

Process Flow



*Typical yields depending on serotype
 ** Current experiments in SF and Brx

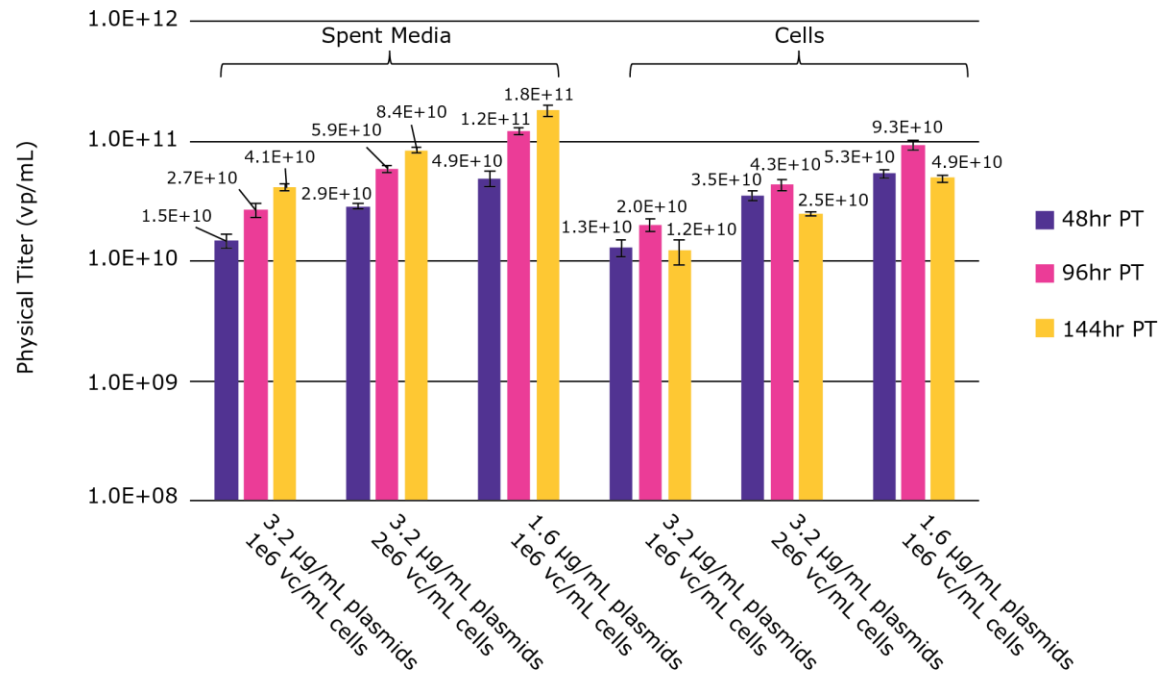
Method	GC/mL
Adherent at crude harvest	~2.0-5.0E+10*
Suspension in SF and Brx at crude harvest	~1.4E+11**



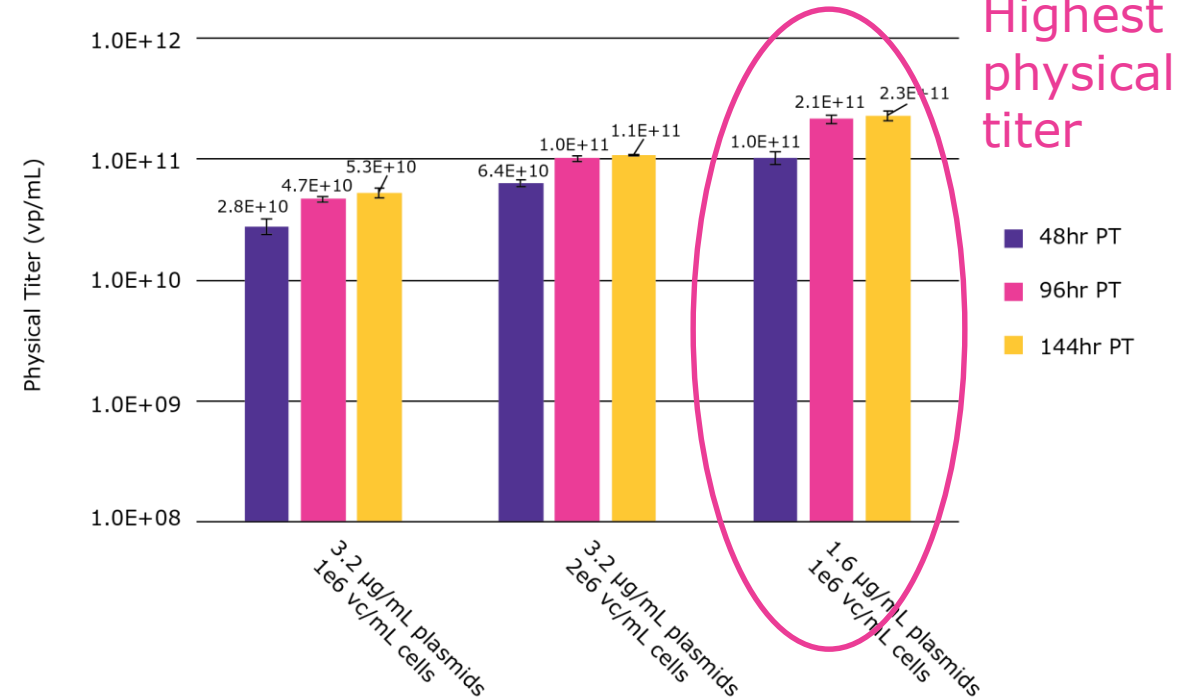
AAV production using HEK293T-3F11 cells

Physical Titers

Physical Titer Profile of HEK293T-3F11 Transfected with AAV8 Plasmid System



Total Physical Titer Profile of HEK293T-3F11 Transfected with AAV8 Plasmid System



Highest physical titer

Each bar represents an average of 2 shake flasks x 1 or 2 dilutions x 2 replicate wells and error bars are stdev

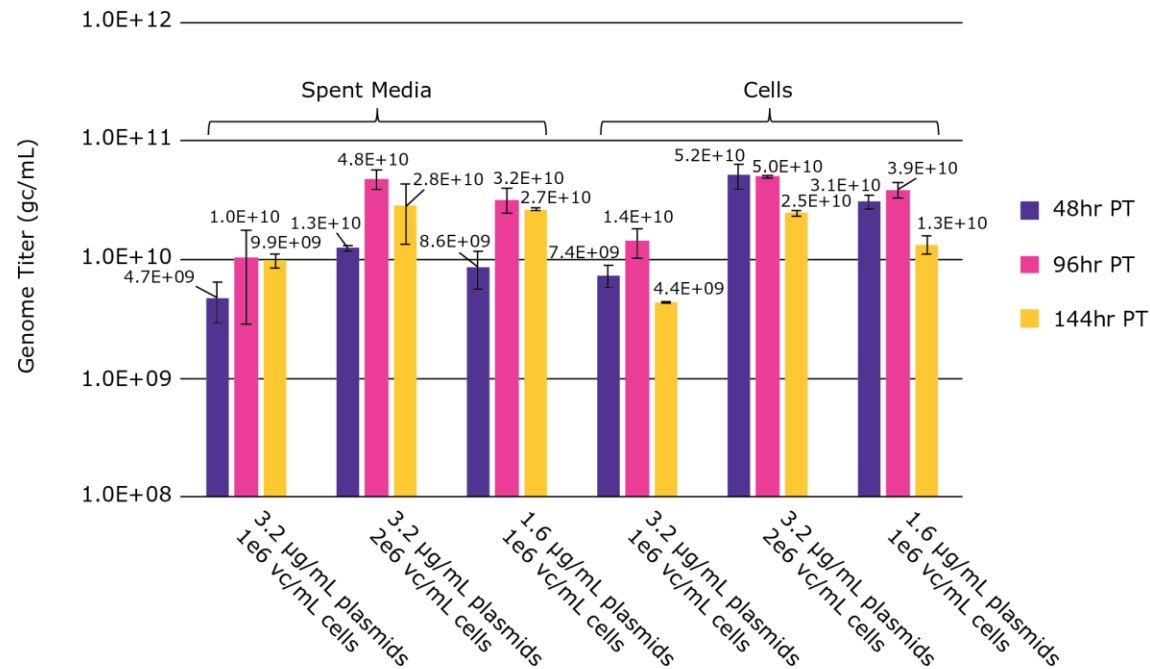
- Physical titer of AAV8 increased over time in spent media, but reached the maximum at day 4 PT in cells.
- Total physical titer of AAV8 increased until day 4 PT and then plateaued.



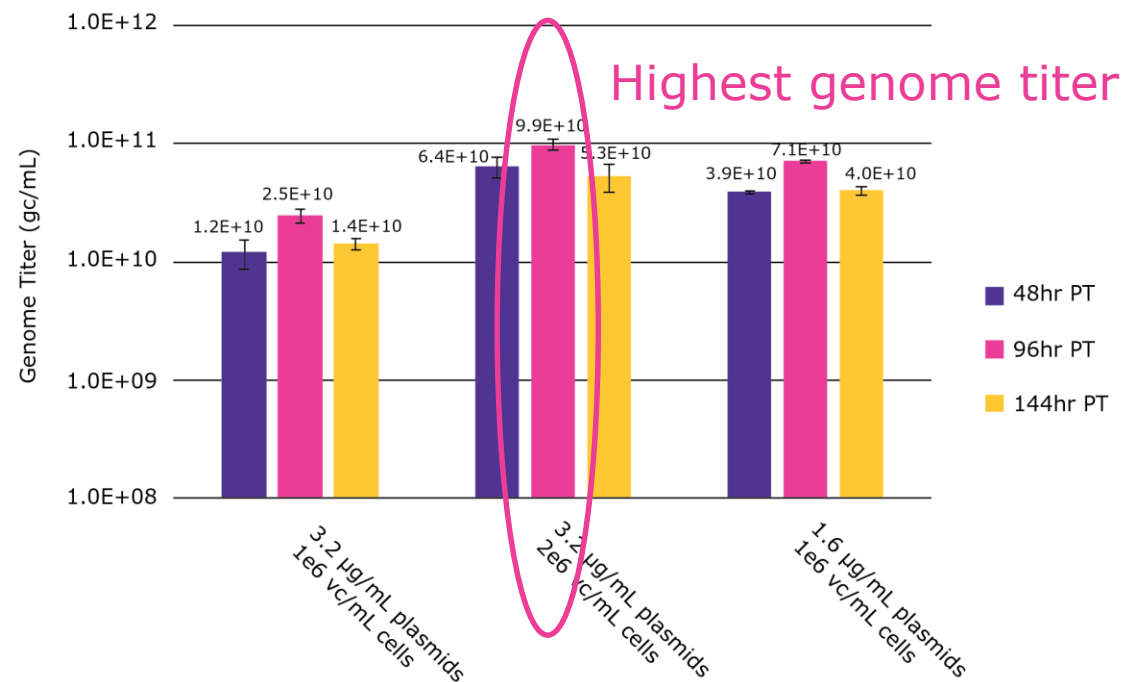
Results using HEK293T-3F11 cells

Genome Titers

Genome Titer Profile of HEK293T-3F11 Transfected with AAV8 Plasmid System



Total Genome Titer Profile of HEK293T-3F11 Transfected with AAV8 Plasmid System



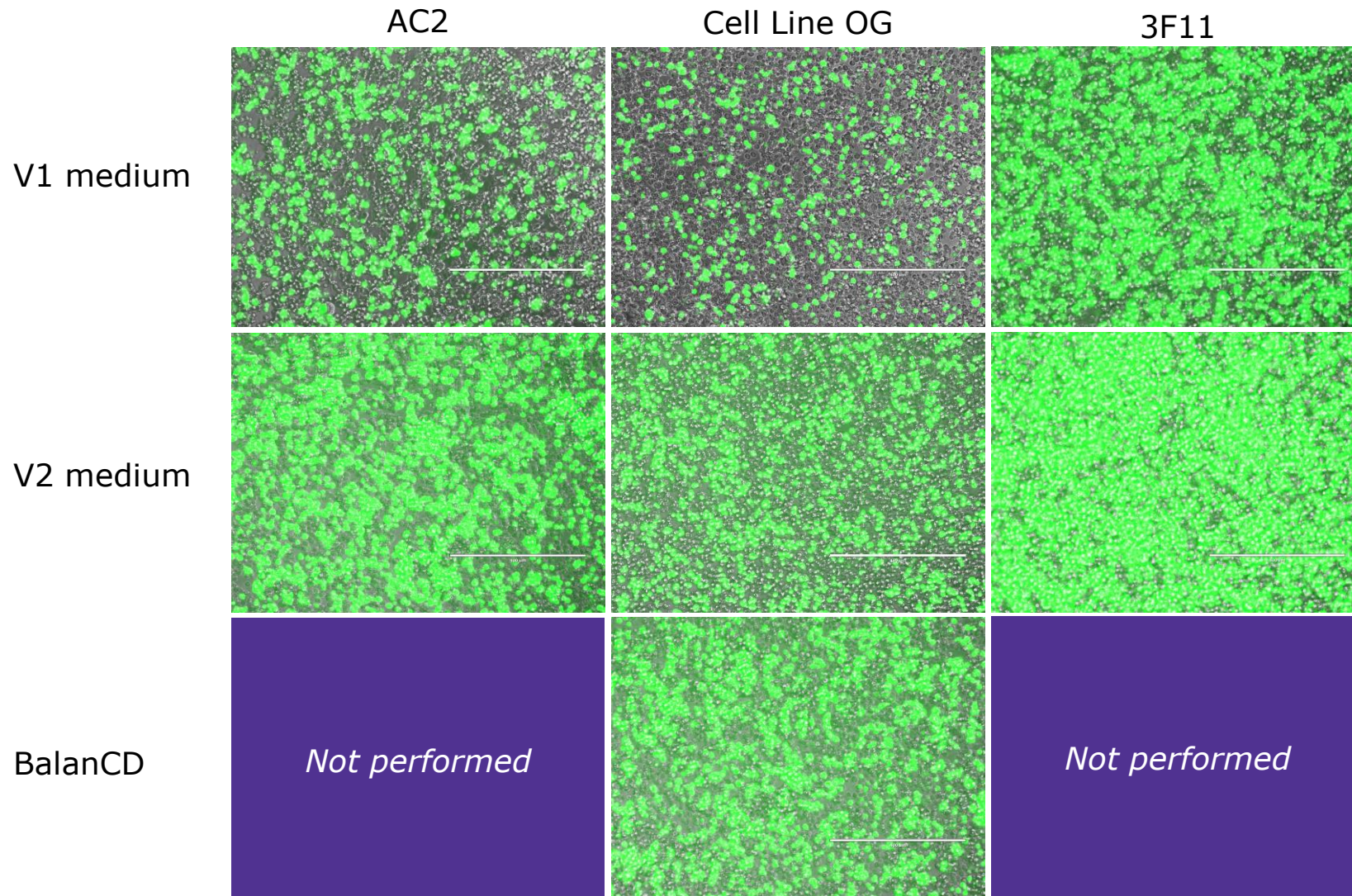
Each bar represents an average of 2 shake flasks x 2 or 3 replicate wells and error bars are stdev

- Genome titer of AAV8 increased until day 4 PT and then plateaued in spent media, but decreased after day 4 PT in cells.
- Total genome titer of AAV8 increased until day 4 PT and then decreased.



AAV2 Production Transfection Efficiency

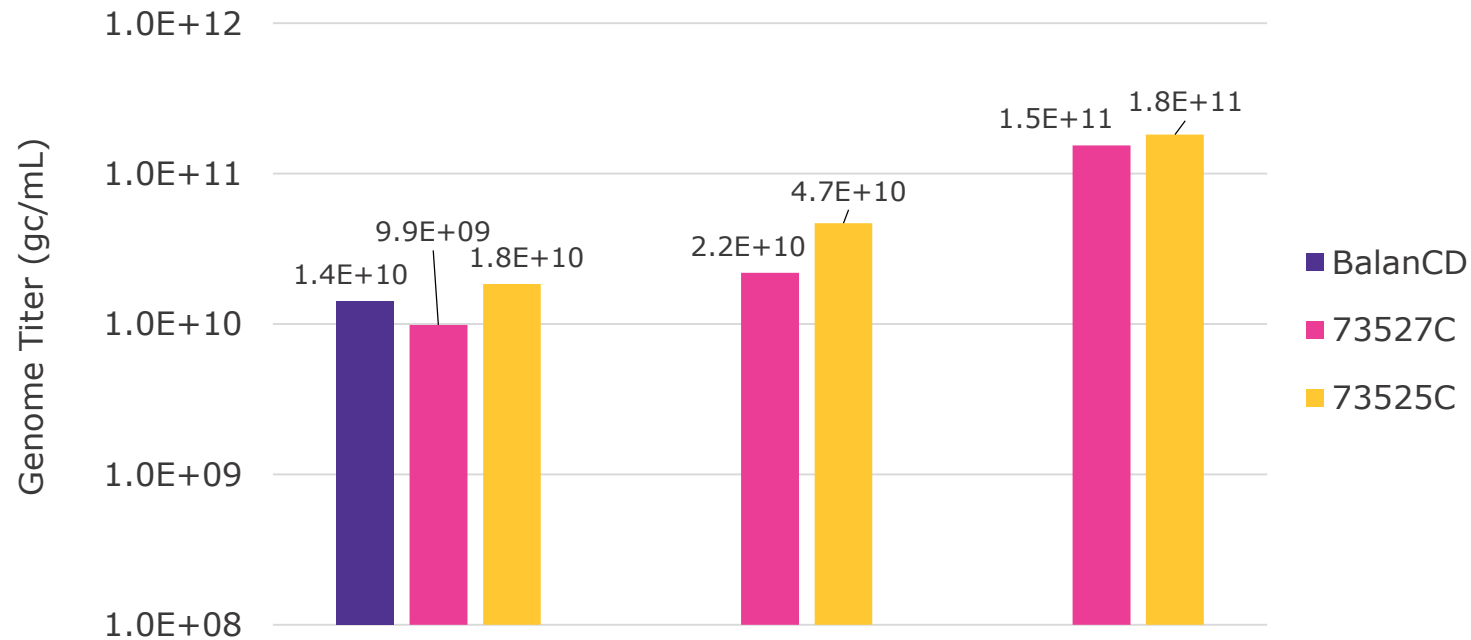
24 hrs post transfection



AAV2 Production

AAV2 Production in T and non-T containing HEK293 cells

Genome Titer of Different Cells Transfected with AAV2 Plasmid System



73527C = V1

73525C = V2

Results:

- Highest titers seen with clone 3F11 (T antigen containing cell line)
- Clone AC2 (non T) also gave good titer, especially in V2 medium
- Clone OG (non T) gave lowest titers



Carlsbad Operations

Process Diversity

Virus	Production Vessel	Purification Method	Fill Scale/Container
Lenti	10 Layer CellStacks	Membrane Absorber	200/Glass
Retro	10 Layer CellStacks	None	800/Bags
Retro	S.U.B.	Column Chromatography	1000/Glass
Reo	SS Bioreactor	Column Chromatography	>10,000/Glass/NA
Adeno	iCellis	Column Chromatography	2000/Glass
Coxsackie	10 Layer CellStacks	CsCl	>4,000/Glass/NA
HD Ad	10 Layer CellStacks	CsCl	2000/Glass
AAV	36 Layer HyperStacks	Column Chromatography	1000/Glass



What MilliporeSigma brings to the table

Industrial-scale GMP viral vector manufacturing

Deep know-hows across virus types, including AAV, Lenti/Retro, and Reovirus

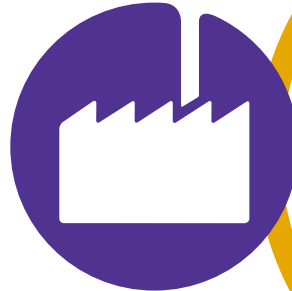


Cutting-edge gene editing tools backed by a strong IP portfolio

- **Proxy-CRISPR:** expanded access of genome
- **Paired nickase:** increased cutting precision
- **CRISPR Chrom:** tools to modify epigenetics

GMP manufacturing services

Cell line development, biological production, regulatory support, facility design



Best-in-class bioprocessing reagents and equipment

including upstream and downstream processing

Industry leading testing services

Including viral and gene therapy testing (e.g., off target, full/empty capsid) and biosafety testing



Thought leadership

- Core member of National Cell Manufacturing Consortium and developed national roadmap on cell therapy manufacturing
- Internal Bioethics Advisory Panel established on gene editing



Our gene therapy testing services

	Virus Seed	Cell Banks	Plasmids	Unprocessed Bulk Harvest	Purified Bulk Harvest	Final Lot
Identity	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Titer	✓			✓		
Sterility	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Adventitious Agents	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Cell Properties		✓				
Vector Concentration					✓	✓
Expression of Gene					✓	✓
Residuals					✓	✓
Product Characteristics i.e. pH					✓	
Endotoxin			✓			✓

