International Bureau





(10) International Publication Number WO 2012/151391 A3

(51) International Patent Classification:

A61K 39/00 (2006.01) A61K 39/145 (2006.01)

C12N 7/06 (2006.01)

(21) International Application Number:

PCT/US2012/036304

(22) International Filing Date:

3 May 2012 (03.05.2012)

(25) Filing Language:

English

(26) Publication Language:

English

(30) Priority Data: 61/482,367

4 May 2011 (04.05.2011)

US

(71) Applicant (for all designated States except US): STRECK, INC. [US/US]; 7002 South 109th Street, Lavista, NE 68182 (US).

(72) Inventors; and

(75) Inventors/Applicants (for US only): RYAN, Wayne, L. [US/US]; 1606 S. 187th Circle, Omaha, NE 68130 (US). GRUNKEMEYER, James, A. [US/US]; 13116 Frances Street, Omaha, NE 68144 (US).

(74) Agents: SIMS, Norman et al.; Dobrusin & Thennisch PC, 29 W. Lawrence Street, Suite 210, Pontiac, MI 48342 (US).

(81) Designated States (unless otherwise indicated, for every kind of national protection available): AE, AG, AL, AM,

AO, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BH, BR, BW, BY, BZ, CA, CH, CL, CN, CO, CR, CU, CZ, DE, DK, DM, DO, DZ, EC, EE, EG, ES, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, GT, HN, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KM, KN, KP, KR, KZ, LA, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LY, MA, MD, ME, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, MY, MZ, NA, NG, NI, NO, NZ, OM, PE, PG, PH, PL, PT, QA, RO, RS, RU, RW, SC, SD, SE, SG, SK, SL, SM, ST, SV, SY, TH, TJ, TM, TN, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ, VC, VN, ZA, ZM, ZW.

(84) Designated States (unless otherwise indicated, for every kind of regional protection available): ARIPO (BW, GH, GM, KE, LR, LS, MW, MZ, NA, RW, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZM, ZW), Eurasian (AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, RU, TJ, TM), European (AL, AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LT, LU, LV, MC, MK, MT, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, SM, TR), OAPI (BF, BJ, CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GQ, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG).

#### Published:

- with international search report (Art. 21(3))
- before the expiration of the time limit for amending the claims and to be republished in the event of receipt of amendments (Rule 48.2(h))
- (88) Date of publication of the international search report:

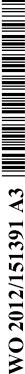
3 January 2013

## (54) Title: INACTIVATED SWINE FLU VIRUS AND METHODS OF PREPARING IT

Figure 1: Hemagglutination Bio-Activity of H1N1 Isolate Stored at 2-7°C

(57) Abstract: The present invention is directed at a composition comprising a live swine flu virus having an infectious component and a plurality of surface antigens in contact with a formaldehyde donor agent having a molecular weight that is less than about 400 g/mol. Preferably, the formaldehyde donor agent is selected from a non-crosslinking chemical fixative that contains urea.





### INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No PCT/US2012/036304

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER INV. C12N7/06 A61K39/145

ADD.

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

### B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

C12N A61K

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

EPO-Internal, BIOSIS, CHEM ABS Data, EMBASE, WPI Data

C. DOCUM	ENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT	
Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X,P	US 2011/110975 A1 (GRUNKEMEYER JAMES A ET AL) 12 May 2011 (2011-05-12) cited in the application the whole document paragraph [0034]; claims 1-20	1-20
Υ	WO 98/02740 A1 (STRECK LAB) 22 January 1998 (1998-01-22) cited in the application page 8, line 20 page 9, line 30 - line 34	1-20
Υ	WO 2006/083286 A2 (SINAI SCHOOL MEDICINE) 10 August 2006 (2006-08-10) paragraph [0148] 	1-20

Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C.	X See patent family annex.
* Special categories of cited documents:  "A" document defining the general state of the art which is not considered to be of particular relevance  "E" earlier application or patent but published on or after the international filing date  "L" document which may throw doubts on priority claim(s) or which is cited to establish the publication date of another citation or other special reason (as specified)  "O" document referring to an oral disclosure, use, exhibition or other means  "P" document published prior to the international filing date but later than the priority date claimed	"T" later document published after the international filing date or priority date and not in conflict with the application but cited to understand the principle or theory underlying the invention  "X" document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered novel or cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is taken alone  "Y" document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is combined with one or more other such documents, such combination being obvious to a person skilled in the art  "&" document member of the same patent family
Date of the actual completion of the international search	Date of mailing of the international search report
12 November 2012	21/11/2012
Name and mailing address of the ISA/  European Patent Office, P.B. 5818 Patentlaan 2  NL - 2280 HV Rijswijk  Tel. (+31-70) 340-2040,  Fax: (+31-70) 340-3016	Authorized officer  Mandl, Birgit

1

# **INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT**

International application No
PCT/US2012/036304

C(Continua	tion). DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT	PC1/052012/036304
Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
A	DU N ET AL: "Generation and evaluation of the trivalent inactivated reassortant vaccine using human, avian, and swine influenza A viruses", VACCINE, ELSEVIER LTD, GB, vol. 26, no. 23, 2 June 2008 (2008-06-02), pages 2912-2918, XP022666966, ISSN: 0264-410X, DOI: 10.1016/J.VACCINE.2008.03.048 [retrieved on 2008-04-11] abstract page 2914, left-hand column, paragraph 2	1-20
Α	WO 2008/157203 A2 (WYETH CORP) 24 December 2008 (2008-12-24) example 2	1-20
A	VINCENT A L ET AL: "Efficacy of inactivated swine influenza virus vaccines against the 2009 A/H1N1 influenza virus in pigs", VACCINE, vol. 28, no. 15, 24 March 2010 (2010-03-24), pages 2782-2787, XP026946263, ISSN: 0264-410X, D0I: 10.1016/J.VACCINE.2010.01.049 [retrieved on 2010-02-02] abstract	1-20

1

## **INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT**

Information on patent family members

International application No
PCT/US2012/036304

Patent document cited in search report	Publication date	Patent family member(s)	Publication date
US 2011110975 A1	12-05-2011	NONE	
WO 9802740 A1	22-01-1998	AU 3717197 A US 5849517 A WO 9802740 A1	09-02-1998 15-12-1998 22-01-1998
WO 2006083286 A2	10-08-2006	BR PI0511776 A CA 2610632 A1 CN 1993140 A CN 102727880 A EP 1773384 A2 EP 2497492 A1 US 2009010962 A1 WO 2006083286 A2	15-01-2008 10-08-2006 04-07-2007 17-10-2012 18-04-2007 12-09-2012 08-01-2009 10-08-2006
WO 2008157203 A2	24-12-2008	NONE	