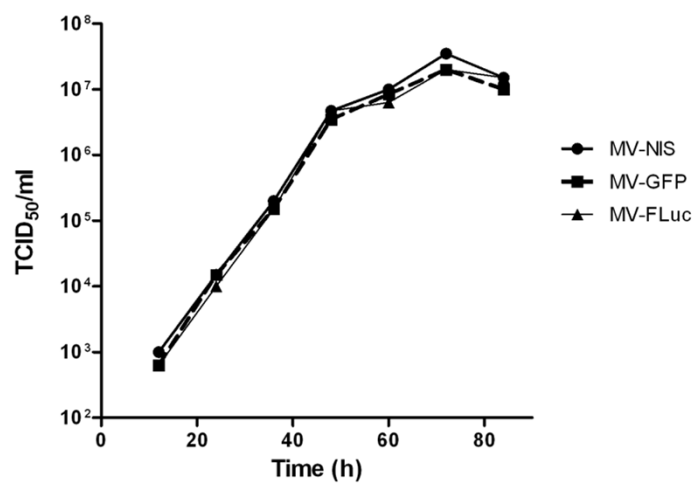
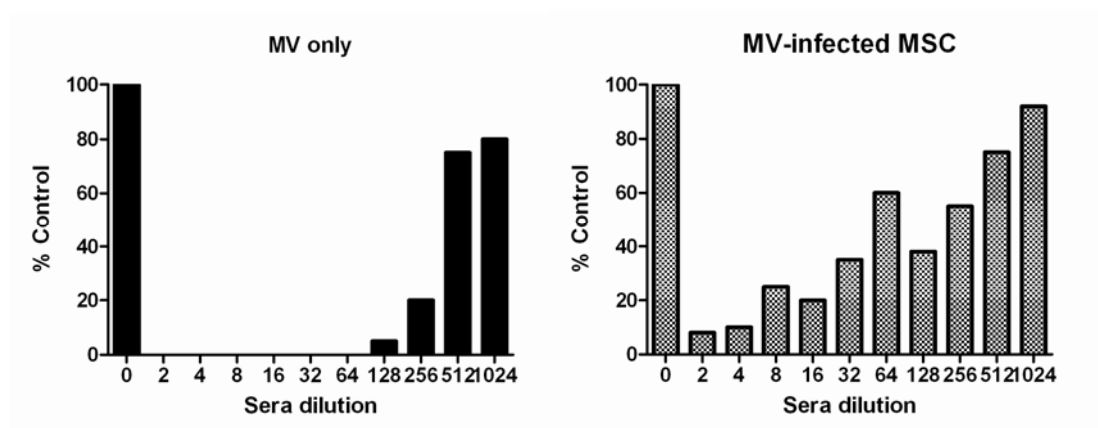


Supplementary Figure 1

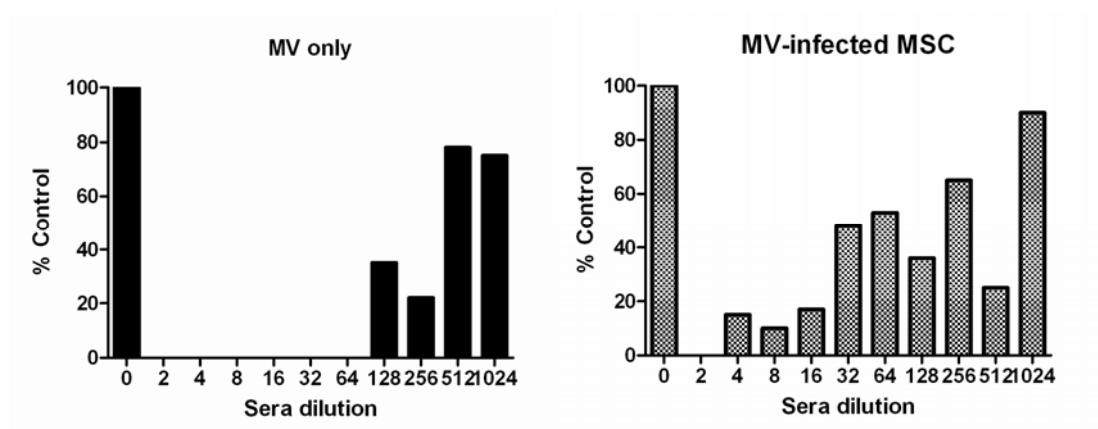


Supplementary Figure 2

Experiment 1



Experiment 2



1 **Supplementary Fig. 1. One-step growth curves for MV-NIS, MV-GFP and MV-FLuc.**

2 To compare the growth characteristics of the various recombinant MV viruses, Vero cells
3 were infected with the different viruses at an MOI of 3.0 for 2 hours at 37°C. After removing
4 the virus inoculum, standard medium was added and the cells were maintained at 32°C. At
5 12, 24, 36, 48, 60, 72 and 84 hours after infection, cells were scraped into 1 mL Opti-MEM
6 and cell-associated viruses were released by two freeze-thaw cycles. Viral titers were
7 determined with Vero cells by TCID₅₀ titration.

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9 **Supplementary Fig. 2. Virus-infected MSCs, but not cell-free virus, were protected from**
10 **the inhibitory effects of measles immune serum in-vitro.** MV or MV-infected MSCs were
11 exposed to increasing dilutions of measles immune serum and overlaid on Vero cells. The
12 numbers of syncytia were counted and represented as a percentage of numbers of syncytia
13 found in wells with no serum. Results from two independent experiments are shown.

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