



Figure S2. Heparan dependence of MCMV infection.

EGFP⁺ MCMV, HSV-1 and MuHV-4 were incubated with heparin at varying concentration (2h, 37°C) then added to BHK-21 cell monolayers (0.2 p.f.u./ cell), still in the presence of heparin. 18h later infection was quantitated by flow cytometric assay of eGFP expression. Bars show mean \pm SD of triplicate infections, each expressed as a percentage of the no heparin control (20-50% of total cells eGFP⁺). The inhibition of each infection by heparin was highly significant ($p < 10^{-6}$ by χ^2 test, comparing infected and uninfected populations).