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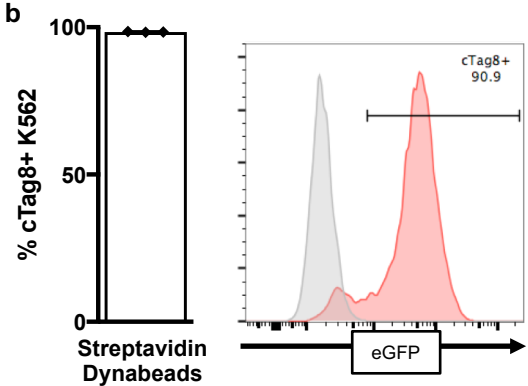
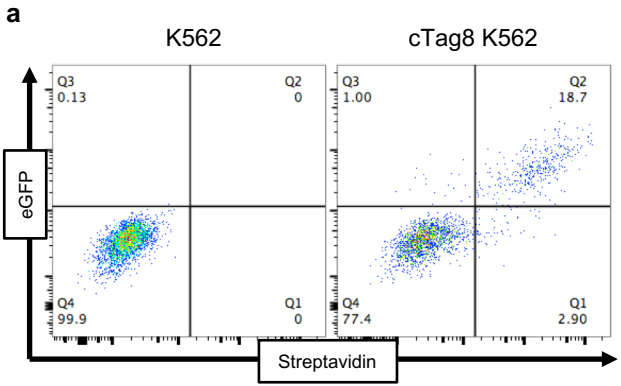
## **Supplemental Information**

### **Lentiviral Vector Purification Using Genetically**

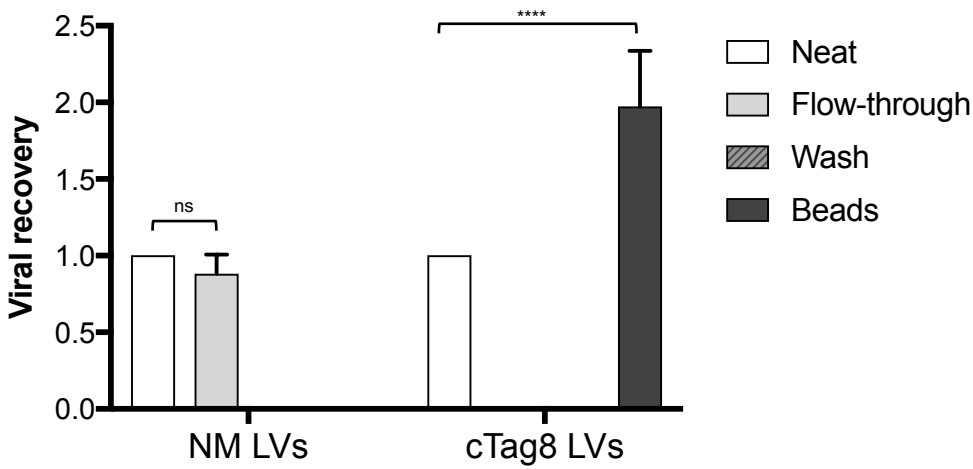
### **Encoded Biotin Mimic in Packaging Cell**

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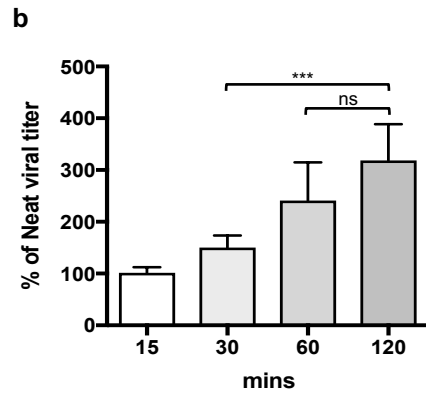
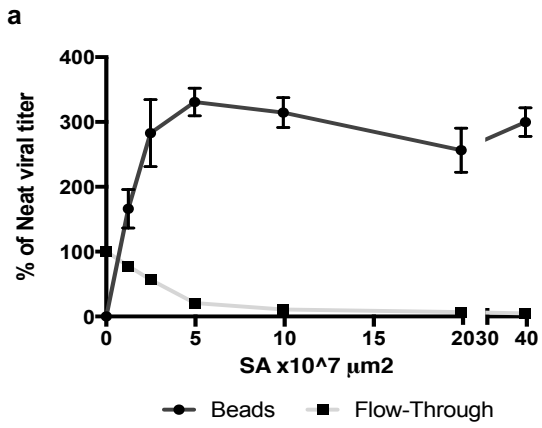
Supplemental Figure 1



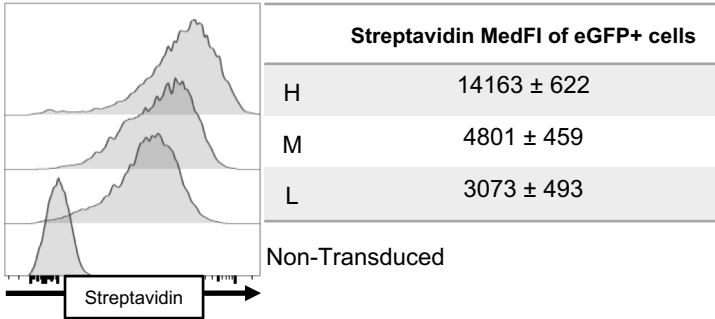
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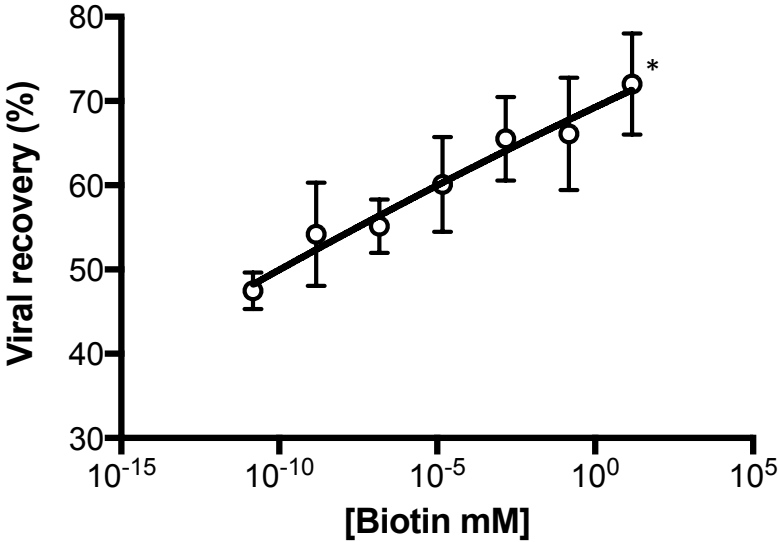
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Supplemental Figure 4

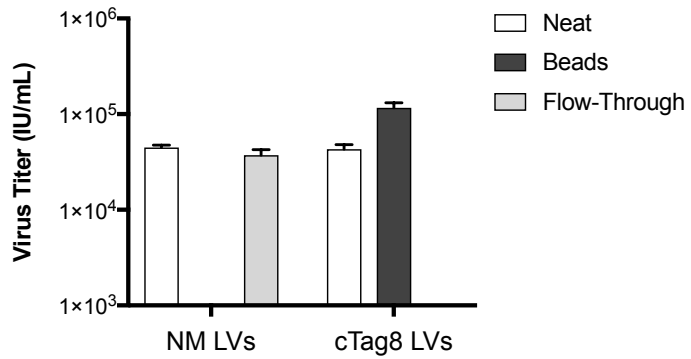


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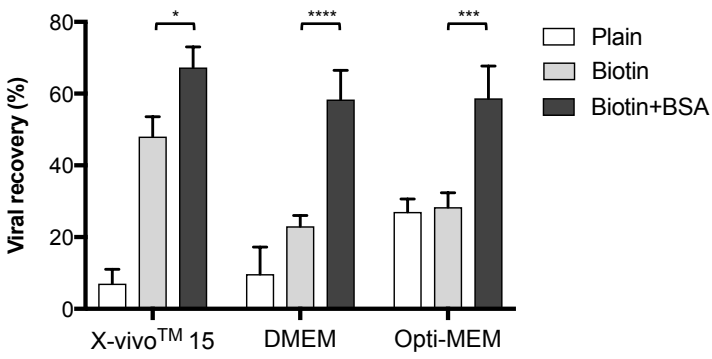


Supplemental Figure 6

**a**



**b**



## **Supplemental Data**

**FIG. S1:** Proof on concept for cellular sorting using cTag8 and streptavidin interaction.

K562 suspension cell line were  $\gamma$ -retrovirally transduced to express cTag8 on their surface, co-expressed with eGFP marker gene. **(a)** cTag8 expressing K562 and negative control K562 cells were stained with streptavidin-APC to determine transduction efficiency by flow cytometry; with 18.7% of the cells were double positive for streptavidin and eGFP. Transduced cells were then sorted with Dynabeads® MyOne™ Streptavidin T1 magnetic beads (10mg/mL) by incubating beads with cells for 1 hour at room temperature. Streptavidin Dynabeads were magnetically separated from the flow through and collected for subsequent cell culture. **(b)** cTag8 expression of collected Dynabeads-sorted cTag8 K562 cells was assessed 12 days post-sorting by flow cytometry. Results are presented as a percentage graph of cTag8 positive cells  $\pm$  standard deviation (SD) of triplicate determinations; and an overlaid histogram of K562 (grey population) and Dynabeads-sorted cTag8 K562 (red population) as representative data.

**FIG. S2:** Stable cTag8 and streptavidin interaction during vector capture.

cTag8 LVs, along with negative control NM LVs, were incubation with streptavidin Dynabeads for 2h at 4°C. Beads were then immobilized by magnetization and flow-through fractions were collected. Next beads were washed 4 times with cold PBS and wash fractions were collected. Magnetic beads were then resuspended in serum-free DMEM and viral titers of all collected fractions (neat, flow-through, wash and beads) were determined by infectivity assay. Results are plotted as viral recovery of each fraction compared to total vector input  $\pm$  standard deviation (SD) of three independent experiments with \*\*\*\*  $p \leq 0.0001$  and non-significant as ns.

**FIG. S3:** cTag8 LVs streptavidin-mediated capture optimization.

**(a)** Number of magnetic beads, in terms of surface area (SA) (with  $3.14 \mu\text{m}^2/\text{bead}$  and  $3.16 \times 10^5$  beads/ $\mu\text{L}$ ) per mL of LV supernatant, was optimized as follows. Beads starting with  $100 \mu\text{L}$  ( $9.92 \times 10^7 \mu\text{m}^2$  SA) of beads/mL of LV serial diluted 1:2 for 6 points, ending with  $3.125 \mu\text{L}$  ( $3.1 \times 10^6 \mu\text{m}^2$  SA) of beads/mL of LV, were washed and incubated with 1mL of cTag8 LVs (Neat viral titer of  $7.6 \pm 0.4 \times 10^4$  IU/mL) for 2h at 4°C. For appropriate analysis, bead resuspension volumes after capture were kept the same as starting material. Washed virion-bound-beads and respective flow-through fractions were then assessed for infectivity. **(b)** Capture incubation time of cTag8 LVs with  $25 \mu\text{L}$  of beads/mL of LV was optimized by incubation reactions for 15 to 120 minutes (mins), at room temperature. Results are plotted as percentage of starting (neat) viral titer  $\pm$  standard deviation (SD) of three independent experiments with \*\*\*  $p \leq 0.001$  and non-significant (ns)  $p > 0.05$ .

**FIG. S4:** Establishing differential cTag8 293T cells expressors.

Populations were sorted using BD FACSAria III sorter. Half-offset overlaid histograms of non-transduced 293T and sorted cTag8 293T cells into low (L), medium (M) and high (H) expressors stained with streptavidin conjugated to APC; with streptavidin median fluorescence intensity (MedFI) values of eGFP positive cells are presented in a table  $\pm$  standard deviation (SD) of triplicate determinations.

**FIG. S5:** Dose-dependent biotin-mediated elution.

cTag8 LVs from vector stock were captured by streptavidin Dynabeads and bead fraction was incubated with seven 1:100 serial dilutions of biotin in Opti-MEM supplemented with 0.5% BSA, for 2h at 4°C. (\*) Highest biotin concentration tested was 15mM due to the difficulty in biotin solubility at concentrations  $>30\text{mM}$ . Dose-dependent displacement graph of percentage of cTag8 LVs recovered in each elution conditions relative to starting neat supernatant  $\pm$  standard deviation (SD) of three independent experiments are presented. Biotin concentrations values on the X-axis were transformed into log values for the non-linear regression analysis of the results.



**FIG. S6:** Efficient cTag8 LVs recovery using different culture media as elution formulation. **(a)** NM LVs and cTag8 LVs were captured by streptavidin Dynabeads by incubation for 1h at room temperature. **(b)** cTag8 LV bead fraction was then subjected to elution in three different media: X-vivoT<sup>M</sup>15, DMEM and Opti-MEM, each supplemented with plain, 500 $\mu$ M biotin and 500 $\mu$ M biotin with 0.5% BSA. Viral titer and recoveries of collected fractions and conditions were determined by infectivity assay. All values are represented with  $\pm$  standard deviation (SD) of three independent experiments, with \*  $p \leq 0.05$  and \*\*\*  $p \leq 0.001$ .