

HER number 202				
Identification				
Name 202	Morphotype A1 (Myophage)	Other designations		
Taxonomy				
Realm	Kingdom	Phylum	Class	
Order	Family ?1	Genus Bixzunavirus	Species Bixzunavirus I3	
Images				
Electron Micrograph Image FHIFC BY		Image description Magnification: 297,000 Bar: 50 nm Staining: UA	Magnification: 297,000X Bar: 50 nm	

Characteristics Temperate and transducing phage. Turbid plaques. The only Mycobacterium phage with a contractile tail. Life cycle of 5 hours.	Genomic sequence Activated			
Propagation conditions				
Bacterial hosts 1202				
Reference Kozloff, L.M., C.V.S. Raj, R.N. Rao, V.A. Chapman, and S. Delong. 1972. Structure of a transducing mycobacteriophage. J. Virol. 9:390-393.				
Remarks Propagate the phage at 33°C				
History				
<i>History</i> <b>Received from</b> Dr. K.P. Gopinathan Microbiology and Cell Biology Laboratory Indian Institute of Science Bangalore 560012, India	<b>Date</b> 12-12-1983			
<b>Isolated by</b> C.V. Sundar and T. Ramakrishnan Microbiology and Cell Biology Laboratory Indian Institute of Science	<b>Date</b> 1969			
<i>Source</i> Soil, Bangalore, India				
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