

**Table 1:** *C. parvum* Yields and by Mouse Strain

Mouse Strain	Number of Mice Infected	Average Oocyst Yield/ Mouse-Collection <sup>c</sup>	Total number of oocysts	Production period (days)	Production days to produce $1 \times 10^9$ oocysts	Lost production % to produce $1 \times 10^9$ oocysts
C57BL/6	42	$1.3 \times 10^7$	$1.9 \times 10^9$	28	16	16
C57BL/6	42	$1.2 \times 10^7$	$4.7 \times 10^9$	23	8	11
C57BL/6	36	$1.7 \times 10^7$	$2.3 \times 10^9$	13	8	28
C57BL/6	21	$6.6 \times 10^6$	$1.2 \times 10^9$	20	16	16
C57BL/6	42	ND	$8.7 \times 10^8$	29	NA	
	<b>Mean</b>	<b><math>1.2 \times 10^7</math><sup>a</sup></b>	<b><math>2.2 \times 10^9</math><sup>a</sup></b>			<b>18<sup>b</sup></b>
	<b>SD</b>	<b><math>4.3 \times 10^6</math></b>	<b><math>1.5 \times 10^9</math></b>			<b>7</b>
CF-1	20	$5.5 \times 10^6$	$8.4 \times 10^8$	18	NA	
CF-1	20	$1.1 \times 10^7$	$2.3 \times 10^9$	19	15	2
CF-1	40	$6.3 \times 10^6$	$2.3 \times 10^9$	16	12	0
CF-1	19	$7.5 \times 10^6$	$1.4 \times 10^9$	19	12	2
CF-1	20	$7.3 \times 10^6$	$1.2 \times 10^9$	18	16	7
	<b>Mean</b>	<b><math>7.5 \times 10^6</math><sup>a</sup></b>	<b><math>1.6 \times 10^9</math><sup>a</sup></b>			<b>3<sup>b</sup></b>
	<b>SD</b>	<b><math>2.1 \times 10^6</math></b>	<b><math>6.6 \times 10^8</math></b>			<b>3</b>

<sup>a</sup>No statistical difference between model means<sup>b</sup> Means statistically different P = .0146 by Student's T-test.<sup>c</sup>Collection period equals 36 hrs.

ND not determined, NA not achieved