LE (Long-Evans)

HsdBlu:LE

The Long-Evans rats were descendants of a cross between a captured wild male and several albino laboratory females, performed by Long and Evans in 1915.

From University of Rochester, Rochester, New York, to Blue Spruce Farms, Altamont, New York in 1964. To Harlan Laboratories, through acquisition in 1988. Harlan became Envigo in 2015, then Envigo was acquired by Inotiv in 2021.

CHARACTERISTICS

Black-hooded rat, small size. The LE rat is usually used for behavioral, neurological, toxicological and aging studies.

Genetics

Coat color genes

- *a, C,* h : black-hooded

Other genes are variable (outbred stock).

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