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Abstract: Three porcine reproductive and respiratory syndrome virus proteins, nsp2p, GP5-3', and nucleocapsid, from the prototype North American strain VR2332 have been produced and purified by ATG Laboratories, Inc. The proteins were produced at high levels in bacteria and affinity-purified to near homogeneity. Nsp2p and nucleocapsid are now available to any cooperating researcher on an as needed basis at no charge to the researcher.

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