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## Mycobacterium tuberculosis, Strain HN563

## Catalog No. NR-18986

**Product Description:** *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (*M. tuberculosis*), strain HN563 was isolated in 1996 from the lymphatic tissue of a patient with tuberculosis in Texas. Strain HN563 was deposited as a multi-drug resistant (MDR) strain of tuberculosis with resistance to rifampicin and isoniazid.

## Lot<sup>1</sup>: 60917997

## Manufacturing Date: 18JUN2012

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis <sup>2</sup>		
Cellular morphology	Report results	Gram-positive rod
Colony morphology <sup>3</sup>	Report results	Circular to slightly irregular,
Colony morphology		rough and white (Figure 1)
Growth on Brain Heart Infusion agar	Report results	Growth
Growth on MacConkey agar (without crystal violet)	No growth	No growth
Growth rate	≥7 days	≥ 7 days
Growth at 26°C	Negative	Negative
Growth at 37°C	Positive	Positive
Growth at 45°C	Negative	Negative
Growth at 55°C	Negative	Negative
Acid-fast stain	Positive (red colonies)	Positive (red colonies)
Pigmentation in the dark (Scotochromogen)	Negative (no pigment)	Negative (no pigment)
Photoinduction for 1 hour (Photochromogen)	Negative (no pigment)	Negative (no pigment)
Nonchromogen (no pigment)	Positive (no pigment)	Positive (no pigment)
Biochemical tests		
Niacin production <sup>4</sup>	Positive	Positive
Nitrate reduction	Positive	Positive
Pyrazinamidase	Positive	Positive
Urease <sup>5</sup>	Report results	Negative
Aryl sulfate (3 days)	Negative	Negative
Aryl sulfate (14 days)	Positive	Positive
Catalase	Positive	Positive
Iron uptake	Negative	Negative
Tween 80 hydrolysis	Report results	Negative
Growth in the presence of 5% sodium chloride	Negative	Negative
Growth in the presence of thiophene-2-carboxylic acid	Positive	Positive
hydrazide (TCH)		
Genotypic Analysis		
Sequencing of Heat Shock Protein 65 gene (420 base	Consistent with Mycobacterium	Consistent with Mycobacterium
pairs)	tuberculosis	tuberculosis <sup>6</sup>
Viability (post-freeze) <sup>3</sup>	Growth	Growth

<sup>1</sup>NR-18986 was produced by propagation of the deposited material in Middlebrook 7H9 broth with ADC enrichment supplemented with 0.02% glycerol and 0.075% Tween 80 in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 23 days at 37°C.

<sup>2</sup>Information on Mycobacterium testing is available from Ribón, W. "Biochemical Isolation and Identification of Mycobacteria, Biochemical Testing" <u>Biochemical Testing</u>. (2012) Jose C. Jimenez-Lopez (Ed.), InTech, Available from: <u>http://www.intechopen.com/books/biochemical-testing/biochemical-isolation-and-identification-of-mycobacteria</u> and Lévy-Frébault, V. V. and F. Portaels. "Proposed Minimal Standards for the Genus *Mycobacterium* and for Description of New Slowly Growing *Mycobacterium* Species." <u>Int. J. Syst. Bacteriol.</u> 42 (1992): 315-323. PubMed: <u>1581193</u>.

<sup>3</sup>21 days at 37°C and aerobic atmosphere with 5%CO<sub>2</sub> on Middlebrook 7H10 Agar with OADC enrichment

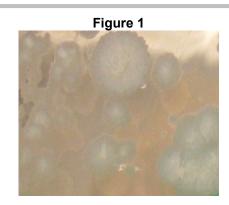
<sup>4</sup>All mycobacteria produce niacin but only *M. tuberculosis* accumulates it.

<sup>5</sup>>85% of *M. tuberculosis* strains are positive

<sup>6</sup>Also consistent with *Mycobacterium bovis* 

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