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# Genomic DNA from *Staphylococcus epidermidis*, Strain NIHLM039

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#### **Product Description:**

Genomic DNA was extracted from a preparation of *Staphylococcus epidermidis* (*S. epidermidis*), strain NIHLM039. <u>Note</u>: The HMP material used for DNA extraction was taxonomically classified by the depositor. Quality control of HMP organisms is only performed to demonstrate that the material produced by BEI Resources is identical to the deposited material.

*S. epidermidis*, strain NIHLM039 was isolated in 2008 from a retroauricular crease of a healthy 23-year-old female volunteer in the United States.<sup>1,2</sup> *S. epidermidis*, strain NIHLM039 (HMP ID 9985) is a reference genome for The Human Microbiome Project (HMP). HMP is an initiative to identify and characterize human microbial flora. The complete genome of *S. epidermidis*, strain NIHLM039 was sequenced at the NIH Intramural Sequencing Center (GenBank: AKGS0000000).

HM-911D has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of approximately 1500 base pairs of the 16S ribosomal RNA gene.

#### **Material Provided:**

Each vial contains 0.7 to 1.5  $\mu$ g of bacterial genomic DNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl and 1 mM EDTA, pH ~ 8.0). The concentration is shown on the Certificate of Analysis. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

#### Packaging/Storage:

HM-911D was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen on dry ice and should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be minimized.

## Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH as part of the Human Microbiome Project: Genomic DNA from *Staphylococcus epidermidis*, Strain NIHLM039, HM-911D."

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