SUPPORTING INFECTIOUS DISEASE RESEARCH

## Acanthamoeba sp., Strain CDC:V028

## Catalog No. NR-33657

**Product Description:** Acanthamoeba sp., strain CDC:V028 was isolated in 1985 from the brain tissue of a woman in California.

## Lot<sup>1</sup>: 60840924

## Manufacturing Date: 27MAR2012

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Genotyping Sequencing of 18S ribosomal RNA gene (~ 300 bp)	Consistent with type T4 Acanthamoeba sp. <sup>2</sup>	Consistent with type T4 Acanthamoeba sp. <sup>2</sup>
Functional Activity by PCR Amplification <sup>3</sup> 18S ribosomal RNA gene (amplicon ASA.S1)	423 bp to 551 bp amplicon	~ 450 bp amplicon
Viable Cell Count by Hemacytometry (pre-freeze)	> 10 <sup>6</sup> cells/mL	9.2 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cells/mL
Viability (post-freeze) <sup>4</sup>	Growth	Growth
Sterility (21-day incubation) Harpo's HTYE broth <sup>5</sup> , 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Trypticase soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Brain heart infusion, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sheep blood agar, 37°C, aerobic Sheep blood agar, 37°C, anaerobic Thioglycollate broth, 37°C, anaerobic	No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth	No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth No growth

<sup>1</sup>NR-33657 was produced by cultivation of *Acanthamoeba* sp., strain CDC:V028 in PYG Medium (<u>ATCC medium 712</u>) for 6 days at 25°C in an aerobic atmosphere and preserved.

<sup>2</sup>Identity of >99% to GenBank: AY702987

<sup>3</sup>PCR amplification was performed using the JDP1 and JDP2 primer set as described [Schroeder, J. M. et al. "Use of Subgenic 18S Ribosomal DNA PCR and Sequencing for Genus and Genotype Identification of Acanthamoebae from Humans with Keratitis and from Sewage Sludge." <u>J. Clin.</u> <u>Microbiol.</u> 39 (2001): 1903-1911. PubMed: 11326011].

<sup>4</sup>Viable cells were observed after 4 days under cultivation conditions.

<sup>5</sup>Atlas, Ronald M. <u>Handbook of Microbiological Media</u>. 3rd ed. Ed. Lawrence C. Parks. Boca Raton: CRC Press, 2004, p. 798.

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