

Certificate of Analysis for NR-31933

Enterococcus faecium, Strain E1578

Catalog No. NR-31933

Product Description: *Enterococcus faecium* (*E. faecium*), strain E1578 was isolated in 2001 from the feces of a miniature pig in Germany.

Lot¹: 64220041 Manufacturing Date: 18MAY2016

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis ²		
Cellular morphology	Gram-positive cocci	Gram-positive cocci
Colony morphology ³	Report results	Circular, low convex, entire, smooth and white (Figure 1)
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Non-motile
VITEK® MS (MALDÍ-TOF)	E. faecium	E. faecium (99.9%)
Genotypic Analysis		
Sequencing of 16S ribosomal RNA gene (~ 1500 base pairs)	≥ 99% sequence identity to E. faecium, strain E1552 (GenBank: AHWW01000010.1)	99.9% sequence identity to E. faecium, strain E1552 (GenBank: AHWW01000010.1)4
Purity (post-freeze) ⁵	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology
Viability (post-freeze) ²	Growth	Growth

¹NR-31933 was produced by inoculation of the deposited material into Tryptic Soy broth and incubated for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere. Broth inoculum was added to Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood kolles, which were grown for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere to produce this lot.

Figure 1: Colony Morphology

Date: 06 JUL 2016 Signature:

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²Enterococcus species are differentiated from *Streptococcus* species through hemolytic activity. This item was not tested for hemolytic activity as the 16S sequence and VITEK® MS (MALDI-TOF) results clearly identified the organism as *Enterococcus*.

³¹ day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood.

⁴Also consistent with other *Enterococcus* species

⁵Purity of this lot was assessed for 8 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood.