Product Information Sheet for NR-28796

Salmonella enterica subsp. *enterica*, Strain SL480 (Serovar Schwarzengrund)

Catalog No. NR-28796

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Product Description:

Bacteria Classification: *Enterobacteriaceae*, *Salmonella*
Species: *Salmonella enterica*
Subspecies: *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica*
Serovar: Schwarzengrund
Strain: SL480, (also referred to as strain DBS_GA_F25499, CVM35940, AM08915-B and OR000440)[1,2]
Original Source: *Salmonella enterica* (*S. enterica*) subsp. *enterica*, strain SL480 was isolated in 2000 from a human patient in Oregon, USA.[1]
Comments: Strain SL480 is reported to be a multi-drug resistant strain.[1] The complete genome for *S. enterica* subsp. *enterica*, strain SL480 was sequenced at the J. Craig Venter Institute (GenBank: ABEJ00000000); strain SL480 is reported to contain a resistance plasmid and two plasmids of unknown function.[1]

S. enterica are Gram-negative, rod-shaped, flagellated bacteria. The species is divided into six subspecies (I, II, IIIa, IIIb, IV, VI) where only subspecies I, subsp. *enterica*, is considered of clinical relevance.[3] Salmonellosis (non-typhoidal), due to the greater than 1500 serovars of *S. enterica* subsp. *enterica*, is one of the most common food-borne diseases with approximately 1 million cases that occur in the United States every year.[4] Pathogenicity results from a variety of virulence factors found in plasmids, prophages, and five pathogenicity islands which allow these organisms to colonize and infect host organisms.[5,6]

S. enterica subsp. *enterica* serovar Schwarzengrund (formerly *Salmonella schwarzengrund*) is a rare serotype, however it is a predominant cause of Salmonellosis in Southeast Asia, a major source of imported food products to the U.S.[7] Recent evidence suggests that antimicrobial drug (especially quinolone) resistance is emerging in this serovar in different parts of the world.[8,9] It is particularly prevalent in retail chicken meat and chicken farms in Taiwan.[9]

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 0.5 mL of bacterial culture in 0.5X Nutrient broth supplemented with 10% glycerol.

Note: If homogeneity is required for your intended use, please purify prior to initiating work.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-28796 was packaged aseptically, in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -60°C or colder immediately upon arrival. For long-term storage, the vapor phase of a liquid nitrogen freezer is recommended. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

Growth Conditions:

Media:
Tryptic Soy broth or Nutrient broth or equivalent
Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood or Nutrient agar or equivalent
Incubation:
Temperature: 37°C
Atmosphere: Aerobic
Propagation:

1. Keep vial frozen until ready for use; then thaw.
2. Transfer the entire thawed aliquot into a single tube of broth.
3. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate an agar slant and/or plate.
4. Incubate the tube, slant and/or plate at 37°C for 24 hours.

Citation:

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Biosafety Level: 2

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