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Cryptococcus gattii, Strain C10

Catalog No. NR-50430

Product Description: *Cryptococcus gattii* (*C. gattii*), strain C10 was isolated from an unknown human source in the Pacific Northwest region of North America. *C. gattii*, strain C10 was deposited as lineage VGIIa and resistant to azoles.

Lot¹: 2206

Manufacturing Date: 19DEC2016

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology ²	Report results	Globose; single or budding (Figure 1A)
Colony morphology ²	Report results	Entire, smooth, mucoid and cream (Figure 1B)
Canavanine-glycine-bromthymol blue (CGB) differential medium ³	Report results	Blue
Genotypic Analysis		
Sequencing of partial 18S rRNA gene, internal transcribed spacer (ITS) 1, 5.8S rRNA gene, ITS 2, partial 28S rRNA (~ 520 base pairs)	≥ 99% sequence identity to <i>C. gattii</i> (GenBank: FJ914888.1)	100% sequence identity to <i>C. gattii</i> (GenBank: FJ914888.1)
Sequencing of 26S rRNA gene (~ 620 base pairs)	≥ 99% sequence identity to <i>C. gattii</i> (GenBank: KC171326.1)	100% sequence identity to <i>C. gattii</i> (GenBank: KC171326.1)
Antimicrobial Susceptibility ^{4,5}		
Fluconazole	Report MIC (µg/mL)	8 μg/mL to 12 μg/mL
Purity ⁶		
Nutrient broth with 0.1% Yeast Extract at 25°C	No bacterial growth	No bacterial growth
Nutrient broth with 0.1% Yeast Extract at 37°C	No bacterial growth	No bacterial growth
Viability (post-freeze) ²	Growth	Growth

¹NR-50430 was produced by inoculation of the deposited material onto Yeast Mold agar and incubated for 5 days at 25°C in an aerobic atmosphere. Cells were harvested from agar with 20% glycerol.

²3 days at 25°C in an aerobic atmosphere on modified Sabouraud Dextrose agar

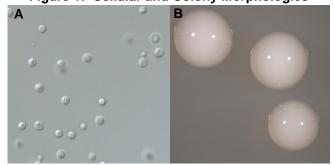
³² days at 26°C in an aerobic atmosphere. CGB medium differentiates *C. gattii* from *C. neoformans* based on the ability of *C. gattii* isolates to grow in the presence of L-canavanine and to assimilate glycine as a sole carbon source, resulting in a blue color. *C. neoformans* isolates will show yellow to light green on CGB medium [McTaggart, L., et al. "Rapid Identification of *Cryptococcus neoformans* var. *grubii*, *C. neoformans* var. *neoformans*, and *C. gattii* by Use of Rapid Biochemical Tests, Differential Media, and DNA Sequencing." <u>J. Clin. Microbiol.</u> 49 (2011): 2522-2527. PubMed: 21593254.].

⁴2 days at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on RPMI 1640 agar with MOPS and 2% glucose (Remel R04067)

⁵bioMérieux Etest[®] 510858

⁶Clarity of broth was determined by visual inspection after 5 days in an aerobic atmosphere.

Figure 1: Cellular and Colony Morphologies



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