

***Mycobacterium caprae*, Strain NLA000201913**

Catalog No. NR-49256

Product Description: *Mycobacterium caprae* (*M. caprae*), strain NLA000201913 was isolated in October 2002 from human sputum.

Lot¹: 63954362

Manufacturing Date: 18MAR2016

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis^{2,3} Cellular morphology Colony morphology ⁴ Growth rate Growth at 26°C Growth at 37°C Acid-fast stain Pigmentation in the dark (Scotochromogen) Photoinduction for 1 hour (Photochromogen) Nonchromogen (no pigment) Biochemical tests Niacin production ⁵ Nitrate reduction Pyrazinamidase	Gram-positive rods Report results ≥ 7 days Report results Positive Positive (red colonies) Negative (no pigment) Negative (no pigment) Positive (no pigment) Negative Negative Positive	Gram-positive rods Irregular, slight peaked, undulate, rough and cream 22 days Negative Positive Positive (red colonies) Negative (no pigment) Negative (no pigment) Negative (no pigment) Positive (no pigment) Negative Positive ⁶ Positive
Genotypic Analysis Sequencing of Heat Shock Protein 65 gene (~ 370 base pairs)	≥ 99% sequence identity to <i>M. caprae</i> type strain (GenBank: AF547884.1)	100% sequence identity to <i>M. caprae</i> type strain (GenBank: AF547884.1) ⁷
Purity (post-freeze) Middlebrook 7H10 agar with OADC enrichment ⁸ Tryptic Soy agar ⁸	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology Report results	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology No growth
Viability (post-freeze)⁴	Growth	Growth

¹NR-49256 was produced by inoculation of the deposited material into Middlebrook 7H9 broth with ADC enrichment. Broth inoculum was added to Middlebrook 7H10 agar with OADC enrichment kolles, which were grown for 37 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO₂ to produce this lot.

²Information on Mycobacterium testing is available from Ribón, W. "Biochemical Isolation and Identification of Mycobacteria." *Biochemical Testing*. (2012) Jose C. Jimenez-Lopez (Ed.), InTech, <http://www.intechopen.com/books/biochemical-testing/biochemical-isolation-and-identification-of-mycobacteria> and Lévy-Frébault, V. V. and F. Portaels. "Proposed Minimal Standards for the Genus *Mycobacterium* and for Description of New Slowly Growing *Mycobacterium* Species." *Int. J. Syst. Bacteriol.* 42 (1992): 315-323. PubMed: 1581193.

³Phenotypic characterization of *M. caprae* was performed following: Aranaz, A., et al. "*Mycobacterium tuberculosis* subsp. *caprae* subsp. nov.: A Taxonomic Study of a New Member of the *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* Complex Isolated from Goats in Spain." *Int. J. Syst. Bacteriol.* 49 (1999): 1263-1273. PubMed: 10425790.

⁴22 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO₂ on Middlebrook 7H10 agar with OADC enrichment

⁵All mycobacteria produce niacin but only *M. tuberculosis* accumulates it, resulting in a positive test for *M. tuberculosis*.

⁶NR-49246 was deposited as *M. caprae* and is reported to be negative for nitrate reduction. Testing performed in triplicate by BEI Resources indicates a positive result.

⁷Also consistent with *M. africanum*, *M. bovis*, *M. canettii*, *M. microti* and *M. tuberculosis*

⁸Purity of this lot was assessed for 80 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO₂.

Certificate of Analysis for NR-49256

Date: 16 AUG 2017

Signature:



BEI Resources Authentication

ATCC®, on behalf of BEI Resources, hereby represents and warrants that the material provided under this certificate has been subjected to the tests and procedures specified and that the results described, along with any other data provided in this certificate, are true and accurate to the best of ATCC®'s knowledge.

ATCC® is a trademark of the American Type Culture Collection.

You are authorized to use this product for research use only. It is not intended for human use.

