

Toxoplasma gondii, Strain GAB2-2007-GAL-DOM2

Catalog No. NR-31079

Product Description:

Toxoplasma gondii (*T. gondii*), strain GAB2-2007-GAL-DOM2 was isolated from a chicken in Makokou, Gabon, Africa, in 2007. Strain GAB2-2007-GAL-DOM2 was deposited as a prototype strain for the type 14 haplogroup and is a reference strain for the *Toxoplasma gondii* Genome Project at the J. Craig Venter Institute's Genomic Sequencing Center for Infectious Diseases (GSCID).

Lot: 70025297¹

Manufacturing Date: 06APR2019

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Cell Morphology²	Report results	Refractile; parasitophorous vacuoles visible
Genotypic Analysis³ Sequencing of uracil phosphoribosyltransferase (UPRT) intron 1 (~ 540 bp)	≥ 99% sequence identity to <i>T. gondii</i> , strain GAB2-2007-GAL-DOM2 (GenBank: AHZU02000452.1)	100% sequence identity to <i>T. gondii</i> , strain GAB2-2007-GAL-DOM2 (GenBank: AHZU02000452.1) (Figure 1)
Viable Cell Count by Hemacytometry³	> 10 ⁶ cells/mL	4.9 × 10 ⁷ cells/mL
Viability (post-freeze)^{2,4}	Growth	Growth
Sterility (21-day incubation)² Harpo's HTYE broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic ⁵ Trypticase soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic DMEM with 10% FBS, 37°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
Mycoplasma Contamination² DNA Detection by PCR	None detected	None detected

¹NR-31079 was produced by cultivation of NRS-31079 lot 60773780 in human foreskin fibroblast cells (ATCC® CRL-1634™) with cell cultivation medium for parasites (ATCC® medium 2222: DMEM supplemented with 10% heat-inactivated fetal bovine serum). The culture was propagated for 8 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO₂ until lysis of the host cell monolayer was reached.

²Testing completed on vialled, post-freeze material.

³Testing completed on bulk material prior to vialing and freezing.

⁴Viable cells and signs of infection were seen after 7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO₂ in DMEM supplemented with 10% heat-inactivated fetal bovine serum.

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

Figure 1: UPRT Intron 1 Sequence

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GACAAACGAC CAGGAAGAAA GCATTCTCCA GGACATCATC ACGAGGTAAT CCTTCAACCG AAGTTTGCTT TCCGTGACTC TGCCGTGTTGG
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