

Product Information Sheet for NR-43641

SUPPORTING INFECTIOUS DISEASE RESEARCH Helicobacter pylori, Strain CPY6271

Catalog No. NR-43641

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Product Description:

Bacteria Classification: Helicobacteraceae, Helicobacter

Species: Helicobacter pylori

Strain: Hp CPY6271

<u>Original Source</u>: Helicobacter pylori (H. pylori), strain CPY6271 was isolated by Teruko Nakazawa, Professor Emeritus, Yamaguchi University, from gastric biopsy homogenate from a gastric cancer patient in Yamaguchi Prefecture, Japan.^{1,2}

<u>Comments</u>: *H. pylori*, strain CPY6271 is part of a genome sequencing project at the <u>Institute for Genome Sciences</u> at the University of Maryland.^{2,3} The complete genome of *H. pylori*, strain CPY6271 has been sequenced (GenBank: AKNP00000000).

H. pylori is a microaerophilic, Gram-negative, nonsporulating, spiral-shaped and flagellated rod commonly found in the human stomach, present in about half of the world population.^{4,5} It is an opportunistic pathogen linked to diseases of the upper gastrointestinal tract including: gastric and duodenal ulcers, chronic gastritis and stomach cancer.² *H. pylori* infections are difficult to cure and successful treatment generally requires the administration of several antibacterial agents simultaneously.^{6,7}

Material Provided:

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

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

Packaging/Storage:

NR-43641 was packaged aseptically in 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:

<u>Media</u>

Tryptic Soy broth or Brain Heart Infusion broth or Brucella broth or equivalent

Tryptic Soy agar or Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood or Brucella agar or Columbia agar with 7% defibrinated horse blood, 5 $\mu g/mL$ trimethoprim, 5 $\mu g/mL$ vancomycin, 10 $\mu g/mL$ cefsulodin and 2.5 $\mu g/mL$ amphotericin B or equivalent

Incubation:

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Microaerophilic (~ 6-16% O_2 and 2-10% CO_2) Propagation:

- 1. Keep vial frozen until ready for use, then thaw.
- 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 2 to 3 days.

Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH: *Helicobacter pylori*, Strain CPY6271, NR-43641."

Biosafety Level: 2

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 5th ed. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2009; see www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm.

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