

Certificate of Analysis for NR-4359

Escherichia coli, Strain CoGen001851

Catalog No. NR-4359

Product Description: Escherichia coli (E. coli), strain CoGen001851 is an isolate from Illinois that was obtained during the 2006 California spinach outbreak.

Lot¹: 58580350 Manufacturing Date: 23APR2009

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis Cellular morphology	Gram-negative rods	Gram-negative rods
Colony morphology ² Analytical profile index (API [®] 20 E)	Report results Consistent with <i>E. coli</i>	Circular, convex, entire, opaque, smooth and cream (Figure 1) Consistent with <i>E. coli</i>
Genotypic Analysis Sequencing of 16S ribosomal RNA gene (~ 1460 bp)	Consistent with E. coli	Consistent with <i>E. coli</i> ³
Viability (post-freeze) ²	Growth	Growth

¹NR-4359 was produced by inoculation of the deposited material into Tryptic Soy Broth and grown 24 hours at 37°C and aerobic atmosphere. Broth inoculum was added to Kolles which were grown 24 hours at 37°C and aerobic atmosphere to produce this lot.

Figure 1



Date: 29 MAR 2011

Signature:

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²24 hours at 37°C and aerobic atmosphere on Tryptic Soy Agar

³Also consistent with *Shigella* species