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Mycobacterium tuberculosis, Strain 96-3460

Catalog No. NR-30747

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Product Description: *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (*M. tuberculosis*), strain 96-3460 was isolated between 1995 and 2000 from human sputum from an HIV-negative patient infected with pulmonary tuberculosis in North America. Strain 96-3460 was deposited as a multi-drug sensitive (MDS) strain of tuberculosis with sensitivity to rifampicin and isoniazid.

Lot¹: 64496319

Manufacturing Date: 14SEP2016

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis ²		
Cellular morphology	Gram-positive rods	Gram-positive rods
Colony morphology ³	Report results	Irregular, slight peaked, undulate, rough and cream (Figure 1)
Growth rate	≥ 7 days	21 days
Growth at 26°C	Negative	Negative
Growth at 37°C	Positive	Positive
Acid-fast stain	Positive (red colonies)	Positive (red colonies)
Pigmentation in the dark (Scotochromogen)	Negative (no pigment)	Negative (no pigment)
Photoinduction for 1 hour (Photochromogen)	Negative (no pigment)	Negative (no pigment)
Nonchromogen (no pigment)	Positive (no pigment)	Positive (no pigment)
Biochemical tests	-	
Niacin production ⁴	Positive	Positive
Nitrate reduction	Positive	Positive
Pyrazinamidase	Positive	Positive
Genotypic Analysis		
Sequencing of Heat Shock Protein 65 gene	≥ 99% sequence identity to	100% sequence identity to
(410 base pairs)	M. tuberculosis type strain	M. tuberculosis type strain
	(GenBank: AL123456)	(GenBank: AL123456)⁵
Purity (post-freeze)		
Middlebrook 7H10 agar with OADC enrichment ⁶	Growth consistent with expected	Growth consistent with expected
	colony morphology	colony morphology
Tryptic Soy agar ⁶	Report results	No growth
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Viability (post-freeze) ³	Growth	Growth

¹NR-30747 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 29 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." <u>Biochemical Testing</u>. (2012) Jose C. Jimenez-Lopez (Ed.), InTech, <u>http://www.intechopen.com/books/biochemical-testing/biochemical-isolation-and-identification-of-mycobacteria</u> and Lévy-Frébault, V. V. and F. Portaels. "Proposed Minimal Standards for the Genus *Mycobacterium* and for Description of New Slowly Growing *Mycobacterium* Species." <u>Int. J. Syst. Bacteriol.</u> 42 (1992): 315-323. PubMed: 1581193.

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

⁴All mycobacteria produce niacin but only *M. tuberculosis* accumulates it, resulting in a positive test for *M. tuberculosis*.

⁵Also consistent with *M. africanum*, *M. bovis*, *M. canettii* and *M. microti*

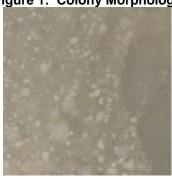
⁶Purity of this lot was assessed for 52 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO₂.

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Figure 1: Colony Morphology



Date: 05 SEP 2017

Signature:

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