

# Mycobacterium tuberculosis, Strain 97-3068

## Catalog No. NR-30829

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**Product Description:** *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (*M. tuberculosis*), strain 97-3068 was isolated between 1995 and 2000 from human sputum from an HIV-negative patient infected with pulmonary tuberculosis in North America.

**Lot<sup>1</sup>:** 70001860

**Manufacturing Date:** 16MAR2017

| TEST  | SPECIFICATIONS   | RESULTS   |
|---|--|---|
| <b>Phenotypic Analysis<sup>2</sup></b><br>Cellular morphology<br>Colony morphology <sup>3</sup><br><br>Growth rate<br>Growth at 26°C<br>Growth at 37°C<br>Acid-fast stain<br>Pigmentation in the dark (Scotochromogen)<br>Photoinduction for 1 hour (Photochromogen)<br>Nonchromogen (no pigment)<br>Biochemical tests<br>Niacin production <sup>4</sup><br>Nitrate reduction<br>Pyrazinamidase | Gram-positive rods<br>Report results<br><br>≥ 7 days<br>Negative<br>Positive<br>Positive (red colonies)<br>Negative (no pigment)<br>Negative (no pigment)<br>Positive (no pigment)<br><br>Positive<br>Positive<br>Positive | Gram-positive rods<br>Irregular, slight peaked, undulate, rough and cream (Figure 1)<br>20 days<br>Negative<br>Positive<br>Positive (red colonies)<br>Negative (no pigment)<br>Negative (no pigment)<br>Positive (no pigment)<br><br>Positive<br>Positive<br>Positive |
| <b>Genotypic Analysis</b><br>Sequencing of Heat Shock Protein 65 gene (~ 440 base pairs)  | ≥ 99% sequence identity to <i>M. tuberculosis</i> type strain (GenBank: AL123456)  | 100% sequence identity to <i>M. tuberculosis</i> type strain (GenBank: AL123456) <sup>5</sup>   |
| <b>Purity (post-freeze)</b><br>Middlebrook 7H10 agar with OADC enrichment <sup>6</sup><br><br>Tryptic Soy agar <sup>7</sup>   | Growth consistent with expected colony morphology<br>Report results  | Growth consistent with expected colony morphology<br>Growth consistent with expected colony morphology  |
| <b>Viability (post-freeze)<sup>3</sup></b>  | Growth   | Growth  |

<sup>1</sup>NR-30829 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 21 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> to produce this lot.

<sup>2</sup>Information 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.

<sup>3</sup>20 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> on Middlebrook 7H10 agar with OADC enrichment

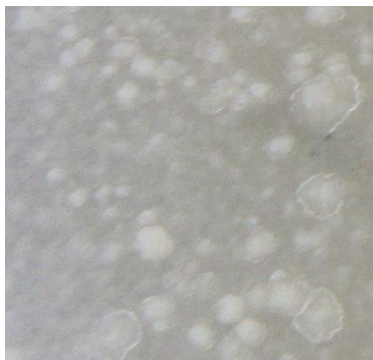
<sup>4</sup>All mycobacteria produce niacin but only *M. tuberculosis* accumulates it, resulting in a positive test for *M. tuberculosis*.

<sup>5</sup>Also consistent with *M. africanum*, *M. bovis* *M. canettii*, *M. caprae* and *M. microti*

<sup>6</sup>Purity of this lot was assessed for 32 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>.

<sup>7</sup>Purity of this lot was assessed for 20 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>.

Figure 1: Colony Morphology

**Date:** 16 NOV 2017**Signature:**

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