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Staphylococcus aureus, Strain NRS49

Catalog No. NR-45884

Product Description: *Staphylococcus aureus (S. aureus)*, strain NRS49 was isolated in August 1997 from the blood of a 45-year-old male cancer patient with septicemia in South Korea.

Lot¹: 70011110

Manufacturing Date: 13DEC2017

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology	Gram-positive cocci	Gram-positive cocci
Colony morphology ²	Report results	Circular, convex, entire, smooth and
	Report roodito	cream (Figure 1)
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Non-motile
Hemolysis ³	Report results	β-hemolytic
Biochemical characterization		phemoryae
Catalase	Positive	Positive
Coagulase ⁴	Report results	Positive
VITEK [®] 2 Compact (GP card)	S. aureus (\geq 89%)	S. aureus (99%)
VITER* 2 Compact (GF card)	3. auleus (2 89%)	3. aureus (9978)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile ⁵		
VITEK [®] (AST-GP71 card)		
Beta-lactamase ⁶	Report results	Positive
Cefoxitin screen	Report results	Positive
Benzylpenicillin	Report results	Resistant (≥ 0.5 µg/mL)
Oxacillin	Resistant	Resistant ($\geq 4 \ \mu g/mL$)
Gentamicin	Sensitive	Sensitive ($\leq 0.5 \ \mu g/mL$)
Ciprofloxacin	Resistant	Resistant (≥ 8 µg/mL)
Levofloxacin	Report results	Resistant ($\geq 8 \ \mu g/mL$)
Moxifloxacin	Report results	Resistant (= 4 μ g/mL)
Clindamycin (inducible resistance)	Report results	Negative
Erythromycin	Report results	Resistant (≥ 8 µg/mL)
Clindamycin	Report results	Resistant (\geq 8 µg/mL)
Quinupristin/dalfopristin	Sensitive	Sensitive (= $0.5 \ \mu g/mL$)
Linezolid	Report results	Sensitive (= $2 \mu g/mL$)
Daptomycin	Non-susceptible	Sensitive (= 2 μ g/mL) ⁷ Susceptible (= 1 μ g/mL) ⁷
Vancomycin	Report results	
Minocycline		Intermediate (4 μg/mL) Resistant (≥ 16 μg/mL)
	Report results	
Tetracycline	Resistant	Resistant (≥ 16 µg/mL)
Tigecycline	Report results	Resistant (= 1 μ g/mL) ⁸
Nitrofurantoin	Report results	Sensitive (≤ 16 µg/mL)
Rifampicin	Report results	Sensitive (≤ 0.5 μg/mL)
Trimethoprim/sulfamethoxazole	Sensitive	Sensitive (≤ 10 µg/mL)
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips ⁹		
Chloramphenicol	Report results	Sensitive (= $8 \mu g/mL$)
Teicoplanin	Intermediate	Sensitive (= $4-6 \ \mu g/mL$) ¹⁰
Vancomycin	Intermediate	Intermediate (= 6 µg/mL)
Genotypic Analysis		
Sequencing of 16S ribosomal RNA gene	\geq 99% sequence identity to <i>S. aureus</i>	100% sequence identity to S. aureus
(~ 830 base pairs)	type strain (GenBank: L37597)	type strain (GenBank: L37597) ¹¹
Purity (post-freeze) ¹²	Consistent with expected colony	Consistent with expected colony
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	morphology	morphology
Viability (post-freeze) ²	Growth	Growth

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- ¹S. aureus, strain NRS49 was deposited to BEI Resources as part of the NARSA collection. NR-45884 was produced by inoculation of the deposited material into Tryptic Soy broth and grown 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere. Broth inoculum was added to Tryptic Soy agar kolles which were grown 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere to produce this lot.
- ²1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Tryptic Soy agar
- ³1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood
- ⁴4 hours at 37°C in rabbit plasma with 0.15% EDTA (Coagulase Plasma BBL™ 240827)
- ⁵Minimum Inhibitory Concentration (MIC); MIC Interpretation Guideline: CLSI M100-S22 (2012)
- ⁶The production of beta-lactamase was detected using a Cefinase™ Paper Disc (BBL™ 231650).
- ⁷S. aureus, strain NRS49 was deposited as having an intermediate susceptibility to glycopeptides and non-susceptible to daptomycin. Antibiotic susceptibility testing performed in duplicate identified strain NRS49 as susceptible to daptomycin. Studies have demonstrated a correlation between reduced daptomycin susceptibility and vancomycin resistance in vancomycin hetero-intermediate and intermediate staphylococcal species. Reduced sensitivity to these antibiotics is believed to be due to a thickening of the cell wall. For additional information, please refer to Tran, T. T., J. M. Munita and C. A. Arias. "Mechanisms of Drug Resistance: Daptomycin Resistance." <u>Ann. N. Y. Acad. Sci.</u> 1354 (2015): 32-53. PubMed: 26495887.
- ⁸MIC Interpretation Guideline: EUCAST Version 4.0 (2014)
- ⁹1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Mueller Hinton agar
- ¹⁰S. aureus, strain NRS49 was deposited as having an intermediate susceptibility to teicoplanin. Antibiotic susceptibility testing using bioMérieux Etest[®] antibiotic test strips and performed in duplicate determined that strain NRS49 is sensitive to teicoplanin. For additional information on susceptibility testing of glycopeptide intermediate *S. aureus* (GISA) strains, please refer to Walsh, T. R., et al. "Evaluation of Current Methods for Detection of Staphylococci with Reduced Susceptibility to Glycopeptides." <u>J. Clin. Microbiol.</u> 39 (2001): 2439-2444. PubMed: 11427551.
 ¹¹Also consistent with other *Staphylococcus* species

¹²Purity of this lot was assessed for 7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood.

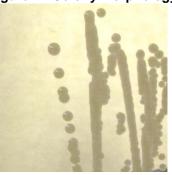


Figure 1: Colony Morphology

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