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Antimicrobial Resistance Panel 9: *Escherichia coli* Raetz Pathway Mutants

Catalog No. NR-55648

Product Description:

NR-55648 consists of an 8-member panel of *Escherichia coli* (*E. coli*) controlled expression mutant strains generated by disrupting the native copy of the indicated Lipid IVA biosynthesis pathway genes. The disrupted gene is expressed *in trans* in a plasmid under the control of *lac* promoter.

NR-51863 was produced by inoculation of deposited material into Tryptic Soy broth with 50 µg/mL kanamycin which was used to inoculate a Tryptic Soy agar with 50 µg/mL kanamycin plate, and both were grown at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere for 1 day. After a hold at room temperature for 1 day, the material from the initial growth was passaged in Tryptic Soy broth with 50 µg/mL kanamycin for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere.

NR-51864, NR-51884, NR-51942 and NR-51944 were produced by inoculation of deposited material into Tryptic Soy broth with 50 μ g/mL kanamycin and grown for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere. Broth inoculum was added to Tryptic Soy agar with 50 μ g/mL kanamycin kolles, which were grown for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere.

NR-51865, NR-51941 and NR-51943 were produced by inoculation of deposited material into Tryptic Soy broth and grown for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere. Broth inoculum was added to Tryptic Soy agar kolles, which were grown for 1 day at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere.

Quality control testing was completed under propagation conditions unless otherwise noted.

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COMPONENT MANUFACTURING STRAIN MUTATION LOT NUMBER NUMBER DATE *lpxD::*Kan^R / pTU433 NR-51863 NB27082-CDU0019 70047241 16SEP2021 (pMMB, PtaclacUV5::Ec_lpxD) ΔtolC::FRT, ΔlpxK:: FRT, FL66-84MA NR-51864 NB27177-JRW0021 70047253 15SEP2021 (IPTG inducible lpxKPa, Kan^R) NR-51865 NB27177-JWM0002 ΔtolC lpxK::Kan^R / pMM14 (Plac::lpxK) 70047255 16SEP2021 ΔlpxA::Kan^R / pTU406 NR-51884 NB27082-TUP0006 70047247 22SEP2021 (pMMB, CmR, PlacUV5::EclpxA) NR-51941 NB27082-TUP0001 ΔlpxD::frt / pTU433 (Plac::lpxD) 70047243 16SEP2021 NR-51942 NB27082-TUP0005 ΔlpxA::Kan^R / pTU406 (Plac::lpxA) 70047245 22SEP2021 NR-51943 NB27354-TUT0035 $\Delta cdh::FRT \Delta tolC::FRT$ 70043420 23APR2021 ΔlpxK::Kan^R / pMM14 (Plac::lpxK) NR-51944 NB27176-JWM0004 70047251 15SEP2021

Table 1: Panel Components

Table 2: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27082-CDU0019 (NR-51863)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology Colony morphology	Gram-negative rods Report results	Gram-negative rods Circular, low convex, entire, smooth, translucent and cream
Motility (wet mount) VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	Report results <i>E. coli</i>	Motile <i>E. coli</i> (99.9%)

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Novobiocin	Report results	≥ 6 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Azithromycin	Report results	3 μg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.032 μg/mL
Fusidic Acid	Report results	≥ 256 µg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	0.125 μg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	≥ 32 µg/mL
Genotypic Analysis		
Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E.</i> coli (74.1%)
Confirmation of deletion	Deletion confirmed	Pending
Purity	Growth consistent with expected colony	Growth consistent with expected colony
7 days on Tryptic Soy agar at 37°C in an aerobic	morphology	morphology
atmosphere with and without 5% CO ₂		
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 3: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27177-JRW0021 (NR-51864)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology	Gram-negative rods	Gram-negative rods
Colony morphology	Report results	Circular, convex, entire, smooth, and cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	E. coli (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Novobiocin	Report results	22 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Azithromycin	Report results	1.5 μg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.004 μg/mL
Fusidic Acid	Report results	4 μg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	≤ 0.064 µg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	6 μg/mL
Genotypic Analysis		
Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E. coli</i> (75.1%)
Confirmation of deletions	Deletions confirmed	Pending
Purity	Growth consistent with expected colony	Growth consistent with expected colony
7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with	morphology	morphology
and without 5% CO ₂ on Tryptic Soy agar with		
5% defibrinated sheep blood		
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 4: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27177-JWM0002 (NR-51865)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology	Gram-negative rods	Gram-negative rods
Colony morphology	Report results	Circular, low convex, entire, smooth, translucent and cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	E. coli (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Novobiocin	Report results	19 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Azithromycin	Report results	1 μg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.004 μg/mL
Fusidic Acid	Report results	96 µg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	0.125 μg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	12 μg/mL
Genotypic Analysis		
Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E. coli</i> (75.1%)
Confirmation of deletions	Deletions confirmed	Pending
Purity 7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with and without 5% CO ₂ on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 5: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27082-TUP0006 (NR-51884)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology Colony morphology	Gram-negative rods Report results	Gram-negative rods Circular, low convex, entire, smooth,
		translucent and cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	<i>E. coli</i> (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc 1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Mueller Hinton agar Novobiocin	Report results	≤ 6 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips 1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Mueller Hinton agar		
Azithromycin	Report results	3 μg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.008 μg/mL

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Fusidic Acid	Report results	≥ 256 µg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	0.125 μg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	≥ 32 µg/mL
Genotypic Analysis Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹ Confirmation of deletion	≥ 70% for species identification Deletion confirmed	<i>E. coli</i> (75.1%) Pending
Purity 7 days on Tryptic Soy agar at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with and without 5% CO ₂	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 6: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27082-TUP0001(NR-51941)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology	Gram-negative rods	Gram-negative rods
Colony morphology	Report results	Circular, low convex, entire, smooth, translucent and cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	E. coli (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on Mueller Hinton agar		
Novobiocin	Report results	≤ 6 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Azithromycin	Report results	4 μg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.016 μg/mL
Fusidic Acid	Report results	≥ 256 µg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	0.125 μg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	≥ 32 µg/mL
Genotypic Analysis Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E. coli</i> (75.1%)
Confirmation of deletion	Deletion confirmed	Pending
Purity 7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with 5% CO ₂ on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 7: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27082-TUP0005 (NR-51942)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology Colony morphology	Gram-negative rods Report results	Gram-negative rods Circular, convex, entire, smooth, and
		cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	E. coli (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Novobiocin	Report results	≤ 6 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Azithromycin	Report results	2 µg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.008 µg/mL
Fusidic Acid	Report results	≥ 256 µg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	≤ 0.125 µg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	≥ 32 µg/mL
Genotypic Analysis		
Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E. coli</i> (75.1%)
Confirmation of deletion	Deletion confirmed	Pending
Purity	Growth consistent with expected colony	Growth consistent with expected colony
7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with	morphology	morphology
5% CO ₂ on Tryptic Soy agar with 5%		
defibrinated sheep blood		
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 8: Escherichia coli, NB27354-TUT0035 (NR-51943)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology	Gram-negative rods	Gram-negative rods
Colony morphology	Report results	Circular, low convex, entire, smooth and cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	E. coli (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Gatifloxacin	Report results	34 to 35 mm
Novobiocin	Report results	11 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Clindamycin	Report results	1.5 μg/mL
Erythromycin	Report results	4 μg/mL
Linezolid	Report results	6 to 8 μg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	16 μg/mL
Tetracyclin	Report results	1.5 μg/mL
Trimethoprim	Report results	0.64 μg/mL
Sensititre™ Gram Negative GNX2F		
Colistin	Report results	≤ 0.25 μg/mL
Genotypic Analysis		
Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E. coli</i> (75.4%)
Confirmation of deletions	Deletions confirmed	Pending

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Purity 7 days at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with and without 5% CO ₂ on Tryptic Soy agar	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology
Viability	Growth	Growth

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Table 9: Escherichia coli, Strain NB27176-JWM0004 (NR-51944)

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Phenotypic Analysis		
Cellular morphology	Gram-negative rods	Gram-negative rods
Colony morphology	Report results	Circular, convex, entire, smooth, and cream
Motility (wet mount)	Report results	Motile
VITEK [®] MS (MALDI-TOF)	E. coli	E. coli (99.9%)
Antibiotic Susceptibility Profile		
BD BBL™ Sensi-Disc™ susceptibility test disc		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar		
Novobiocin	Report results	≤ 6 mm
Etest [®] antibiotic test strips		
1 day at 35°C in an aerobic atmosphere on		
Mueller Hinton agar	Benert regulte	2 4 9 / 201
Azithromycin	Report results	3 μg/mL
Ciprofloxacin	Report results	0.012 μg/mL
Fusidic Acid	Report results	≥ 256 µg/mL
Polymixin B	Report results	≤ 0.064 µg/mL
Rifampin	Report results	12 µg/mL
Genotypic Analysis		
Digital DNA-DNA hybridization (dDDH) ¹	≥ 70% for species identification	<i>E. coli</i> (75.1%)
Confirmation of deletion	Deletion confirmed	Pending
Purity 7 days on Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology	Growth consistent with expected colony morphology
sheep blood at 37°C in an aerobic atmosphere with and without 5% CO ₂	morphology	morphology
Viability	Growth	Growth

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