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Product Information Sheet for HM-565

Veillonella sp., Oral Taxon 780, Strain F0422

Catalog No. HM-565

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Product Description:

Bacteria Classification: Veillonellaceae, Veillonella

Species: Veillonella sp. Subtaxon: Oral Taxon 780

Strain: F0422

Original Source: Veillonella sp., Oral Taxon 780, strain F0422

was isolated from a human oral cavity.

Comments: Veillonella sp., Oral Taxon 780, strain F0422 (HMP ID 9200) is a reference genome for The Human Microbiome Project (HMP). HMP is an initiative to identify and characterize human microbial flora. The complete genome of Veillonella sp., Oral Taxon 780, strain F0422 is currently being sequenced at the J. Craig Venter Institute (GenBank: AFUJ00000000).

HMP material is taxonomically classified by the Note: depositor. Quality control of these materials is only performed to demonstrate that the material distributed by BEI Resources is identical to the deposited material.

Veillonella species are anaerobic, non-sporulating, Gramnegative cocci that commonly inhabit the mouth and respiratory and intestinal tracts of humans and animals.2 Generally, Veillonella sp. are not able to ferment carbohydrates but are able to ferment organic acids such as lactate and pyruvate.^{2,3} Although Veillonella species are considered to be of low virulence, they may cause infection by themselves or as part of a polymicrobial infection in certain instances.4

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 0.5 mL of bacterial culture in Modified Reinforced Clostridial broth supplemented with 10% glycerol.

Note: If homogeneity is required for your intended use, please purify prior to initiating work.

Packaging/Storage:

HM-565 was packaged aseptically in cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -60°C or colder immediately upon arrival. For long-term storage, the vapor

phase of a liquid nitrogen freezer is recommended. Freezethaw cycles should be avoided.

Growth Conditions:

Media:

Modified Reinforced Clostridial broth (ATCC medium 2107) or

equivalent

Tryptic Soy agar with 5% defibrinated sheep blood or equivalent

Incubation:

Temperature: 37°C Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Propagation:

- 1. Keep vial frozen until ready for use, then thaw.
- 2. Transfer the entire thawed aliquot into a single tube of broth.
- 3. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate an agar slant and/or plate.
- Incubate the tube, slant and/or plate at 37°C for 48 to 96 hours.

Citation:

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Biosafety Level: 2

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 5th ed. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2009; see http://www.cdc.gov/biosafetv/publications/bmbl5/index.htm.

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