



# FOOD SAFETY CONTROLS

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**FOOD SAFETY QC MICROORGANISMS**



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# PRODUCTS FOR QUALITATIVE TESTING

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Easy ways to routinely test the presence or absence of specific pathogens or toxins.







# UV·BioTAG™

It's not uncommon for food samples to inadvertently become contaminated with control strains used in the laboratory. This leads to false-positive results which can have severe financial and regulatory implications. UV-BioTAG, our line of reference strains containing green fluorescent protein (GFP) markers integrated into the chromosome, make it easy to distinguish standard microorganism strains from laboratory control strains. Optimized for highly visible fluorescence, UV-BioTAG strains provide better stability because the GFP marker is integrated into the chromosome rather than the plasmid. With UV-BioTAG, you can quickly and reliably establish whether a positive test result can be traced back to a control strain cross-contamination issue, or if it is from another source.

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- Fluoresces under UV light to distinguish QC strains from other possible contaminants
- Instant dissolve pellet reduces preparation time
- Ready-to-use format saves time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Online Certificate of Analysis provides detailed strain information
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity



### Package Details (two options):

- UV-BioTAG Swab: six all-in-one devices including a lyophilized microorganism pellet, ampoule of hydration fluid and inoculating swab
- UV-BioTAG Vial: six lyophilized microorganism pellets in glass vials

### Applications and Test Methods

- Enumeration methods
- Detection methods
- Demonstration of Capability (DOC)
- Media QC
- Validation and Verification
- FDA Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapters 4, 4a, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 29
- USDA Microbiology Laboratory Guidebook Methods 5C.01 and 8.11

### Strains Available

- 01287UV *Cronobacter sakazakii* G-78 derived from FDA G-56
- 01227UV *Escherichia coli* (O157:H7) EC 43 derived from FDA ESC1177 (STEC)
- 01283UV *Klebsiella aerogenes* G-126 derived from FDA G-32
- 01271UV *Listeria innocua* (6a) modified from NCTC 11288
- 01249UV *Listeria monocytogenes* (1/2a) derived from FDA LS808
- 01248UV *Listeria monocytogenes* (1/2b) derived from FDA LS810
- 01250UV *Listeria monocytogenes* (4b) derived from FDA LS806
- 01279UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Abaetetuba SAL75 derived from FDA SAL72
- 01280UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Bispebjerg SAL89 derived from FDA SAL84
- 01278UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Gaminara SAL57 derived from FDA SAL5695
- 01230UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Mbandaka SAL58 derived from FDA SAL5696
- 01228UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Minnesota SAL60 derived from FDA SAL5698
- 01226UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Senftenberg SAL59 derived from FDA SAL5697
- 01277UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium SAL46 derived from FDA SAL5693
- 01223UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium SAL54 derived from FDA SAL5694
- 01282UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Nottingham SAL93 derived from FDA SAL87
- 01281UV *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Tranoroa SAL91 derived from FDA SAL86
- 01224UV *Shigella flexneri* SF84 derived from FDA SHI0552
- 01276UV *Shigella sonnei* SS61 derived from FDA SHI0551
- 01286UV *Vibrio cholerae* serovar O139 G-106 derived from FDA G-101
- 01285UV *Yersinia enterocolitica* G-79 derived from FDA G-39
- 01284UV *Yersinia enterocolitica* G-85 derived from FDA G-40



# *Lab-Elite*<sup>™</sup>

CERTIFIED REFERENCE MATERIAL

Increasing regulatory oversight in food, pharmaceutical and water industries has prompted many microbiology labs to seek accreditation to 17025:2017 standards. Our Lab-Elite CRM is designed to help those labs meet the requirements of Section 6.5.2(b) regarding reference material. Lab-Elite CRM microorganisms are just one passage from the reference culture and are delivered in our signature KWIK-STIK format. As a Certified Reference Material, Lab-Elite CRM comes with a comprehensive Certificate of Analysis detailing the strain's identity and characteristics.

## Highlights

- Certified reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- Qualitative QC microorganisms one passage from the reference strains for ultimate authenticity
- Ready-to-use format to save you time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity



## Package Details

- One KWIK-STIK – All-in-one design includes a lyophilized microorganism pellet, ampoule of hydration fluid and inoculating swab
- Peel-off identification label
- Online Certificate of Analysis

## Applications and Test Methods

- ISO 17025:2017 laboratories requiring CRM
- Validation/Verification of processes and instruments
- Presence/Absence
- Identification methods

## Strains Available

- 0392-CRM *Aspergillus brasiliensis* derived from ATCC® 16404™\*\*
- 0998-CRM *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 10876™\*\*
- 0486-CRM *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *spizizenii* derived from ATCC® 6633™\*\*
- 0488-CRM *Burkholderia cepacia* derived from ATCC® 25416™\*\*
- 0121-CRM *Campylobacter coli* derived from ATCC® 43478™\*\*
- 0443-CRM *Candida albicans* derived from ATCC® 10231™\*\*
- 0318-CRM *Clostridium perfringens* derived from ATCC® 13124™\*\*
- 0317-CRM *Clostridium sporogenes* derived from ATCC® 19404™\*\*
- 0367-CRM *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 19433™\*\*
- 0795-CRM *Escherichia coli* (O157:H7) derived from ATCC® 43888™\*\*
- 0335-CRM *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 25922™\*\*
- 0483-CRM *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 8739™\*\*
- 0261-CRM *Klebsiella variicola* derived from ATCC® 31488™\*\*
- 0211-CRM *Legionella pneumophila* subsp. *pneumophila* derived from ATCC® 33152™\*\*
- 0815-CRM *Listeria ivanovii* subsp. *ivanovii* derived from ATCC® 19119™\*\*
- 0727-CRM *Listeria monocytogenes* derived from ATCC® 15313™\*\*
- 0484-CRM *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 9027™\*\*
- 0363-CRM *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*\*
- 0262-CRM *Serratia marcescens* derived from ATCC® 43862™\*\*
- 0485-CRM *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*\*

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# KWIKSTIK™

2 Passages *plus*

Some laboratory applications require strains that are a few passages from the original reference culture. For those special instances, we offer KWIK-STIK Plus, which combines microorganisms that are just two passages from their reference strains, with our signature KWIK-STIK format. Each device features a qualitative lyophilized microorganism pellet, ampoule of hydration fluid and inoculating swab; so everything you need for growing control cultures is included in one handy device.

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- Designed for applications requiring strains that are fewer passages from the reference culture
- All-in-one design reduces the risk of contamination
- Ready-to-use format saves time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Online Certificate of Analysis provides detailed strain information
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity



## Package Details

- User-friendly design with a lyophilized microorganism pellet, ampoule of hydration fluid and inoculating swab
- Pack of five STIKs
- Peel-off identification label on each STIK

## Applications and Test Methods

- Instrument validations
- Validation of neutralization methods
- Water tests
- Disinfectant qualification

## Strains Available

- 0392X *Aspergillus brasiliensis* derived from ATCC® 16404™\*
- 0998X *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 10876™\*
- 0486X *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *spizizenii* derived from ATCC® 6633™\*
- 0488X *Burkholderia cepacia* derived from ATCC® 25416™\*
- 0443X *Candida albicans* derived from ATCC® 10231™\*
- 0317X *Clostridium sporogenes* derived from ATCC® 19404™\*
- 0366X *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 29212™\*
- 0335X *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 25922™\*
- 0483X *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 8739™\*
- 0871X *Geobacillus stearothermophilus* derived from ATCC® 7953™\*
- 0306X *Klebsiella aerogenes* derived from ATCC® 13048™\*
- 0688X *Kocuria rhizophila* derived from ATCC® 9341™\*
- 0687X *Listeria monocytogenes* derived from ATCC® 19115™\*
- 01110X *Methylobacterium extorquens* derived from ATCC® BAA-2500™\*
- 0484X *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 9027™\*
- 0699X *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* derived from ATCC® 9763™\*
- 0363X *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*
- 0806X *Serratia marcescens* derived from ATCC® 14756™\*
- 0485X *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*
- 0385X *Streptococcus pyogenes* derived from ATCC® 19615™\*

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# KWIKSTIK™

Laboratories throughout the world have been praising the KWIK-STIK for decades. That's because its simple, all-inclusive design makes life easier for lab techs while reducing chances for errors. Each KWIK-STIK contains a qualitative lyophilized microorganism pellet, ampoule of hydration fluid and inoculating swab. Everything you need to grow reference cultures for QC testing is included in this one handy device. Available in packs of two or six, KWIK-STIKs are universally used for all types of microbiological control testing.

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- All-in-one design reduces the risk of contamination
- Strains are less than or equal to three passages from reference culture
- Ready-to-use format saves time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Online Certificate of Analysis provides detailed strain information
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity



## Package Details

- User-friendly design with a lyophilized microorganism pellet, ampoule of hydration fluid and inoculating swab
- Packs of two or six

## Applications and Test Methods

- Culture purposes
- Daily QC
- Verification and Validation
- QC of Identification Systems and Assay Kits

## Strains Available

- 0392 *Aspergillus brasiliensis* derived from ATCC® 16404™\*
- 0330 *Bacillus cereus* derived from NCIMB 7464
- 0481 *Campylobacter jejuni* subsp. *jejuni* derived from ATCC® 33291™\*
- 0443 *Candida albicans* derived from ATCC® 10231™\*
- 0367 *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 19433™\*
- 0465 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 11775™\*
- 0335 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 25922™\*
- 0791 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 51813™\*
- 0483 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 8739™\*
- 0306 *Klebsiella aerogenes* derived from ATCC® 13048™\*
- 0261 *Klebsiella variicola* derived from ATCC® 31488™\*
- 0813 *Lactobacillus fermentum* derived from ATCC® 9338™\*
- 0414 *Listeria innocua* derived from NCTC 11288
- 0815 *Listeria ivanovii* subsp. *ivanovii* derived from ATCC® 19119™\*
- 0310 *Proteus mirabilis* derived from NCIMB 13283
- 0353 *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 27853™\*
- 0484 *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 9027™\*
- 0363 *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*
- 0485 *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*
- 0385 *Streptococcus pyogenes* derived from ATCC® 19615™\*

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KWIK-STIKs are also available in QC Sets and Panels. We offer a wide range of bundled QC Sets and Panels for the most commonly used technologies and standards. Each set or panel contains the manufacturer-recommended quality control strains for a particular instrument or test method in a simple, ready-to-use format.



### **Big 6 STEC QC Set (Catalog No. 5218P)**

- 01098P *Escherichia coli* (O45:H2) derived from CDC 00-3039
- 01099P *Escherichia coli* (O121:H19) derived from CDC 02-3211
- 01100P *Escherichia coli* (O26:H11) derived from CDC 03-3014
- 01101P *Escherichia coli* (O103:H11) derived from CDC 06-3008
- 01102P *Escherichia coli* (O111:H8) derived from CDC 2010C-3114
- 01097P *Escherichia coli* (O145:NM) derived from CDC 99-3311

### **Bruker MALDI Biotyper System Food Identification Panel (Catalog No. 5254P)**

- 0229P *Citrobacter freundii* derived from ATCC® 43864™\*
- 0366P *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 29212™\*
- 0128P *Lactobacillus sakei* subsp. *sakei* derived from ATCC® 15521™\*
- 0699P *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* derived from ATCC® 9763™\*
- 0605P *Staphylococcus xylosum* derived from ATCC® 29971™\*

## **Bruker MALDI Biotyper System Food Pathogens Identification Panel (Catalog No. 5255P)**

- 0481P *Campylobacter jejuni* subsp. *jejuni* derived from ATCC® 33291™\*
- 01088P *Cronobacter sakazakii* derived from ATCC® 29544™\*
- 0129P *Listeria monocytogenes* (4b) derived from ATCC® 13932™\*
- 0363P *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*

## **Colilert QC Set (Catalog No. 5144P)**

- 0465P *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 11775™\*
- 0261P *Klebsiella variicola* derived from ATCC® 31488™\*
- 0416P *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 10145™\*

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# LYFO·DISK™

It doesn't get much easier than this. Simply rehydrate LYFO DISK qualitative microorganism pellets with a diluent, such as phosphate buffer or saline, and you're ready to inoculate your culture media. LYFO DISK, packaged in a glass vial containing six pellets of a single strain, offers a ton of flexibility. It's an ideal solution for many quality control applications including presence/absence testing, microbial identification methods, antimicrobial susceptibility testing, media QC, water testing and more!

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- Easy to use – simply re-hydrate the pellet and inoculate
- Strains are less than or equal to three passages from reference culture
- Ready-to-use format saves time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Online Certificate of Analysis provides detailed strain information
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity

## Package Details

- Vial of six qualitative lyophilized microorganism pellets

## Applications and Test Methods

- Culture purposes
- Media and reagent QC
- QC of microbial identification including biochemical, PCR and rapid molecular methods
- Water tests (e.g. enzyme substrates)
- Disinfectant studies
- Verification and Validation
- Proficiency tests
- Daily QC



## Strains Available

- 0263L *Aerococcus viridans* derived from ATCC® 10400™\*
- 0998L *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 10876™\*
- 0256L *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 11778™\*
- 0120L *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *subtilis* derived from ATCC® 6051™\*
- 0121L *Campylobacter coli* derived from ATCC® 43478™\*
- 0111L *Campylobacter jejuni* subsp. *jejuni* derived from ATCC® 33560™\*
- 01088L *Cronobacter sakazakii* derived from ATCC® 29544™\*
- 0366L *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 29212™\*
- 0795L *Escherichia coli* (O157:H7) derived from ATCC® 43888™\*
- 0335L *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 25922™\*
- 0483L *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 8739™\*
- 0871L *Geobacillus stearothermophilus* derived from ATCC® 7953™\*
- 0306L *Klebsiella aerogenes* derived from ATCC® 13048™\*
- 0211L *Legionella pneumophila* subsp. *pneumophila* derived from ATCC® 33152™\*
- 0277L *Listeria monocytogenes* derived from ATCC® 19111™\*
- 01190L *Listeria monocytogenes* derived from ATCC® 35152™\*
- 0690L *Proteus mirabilis* derived from ATCC® 25933™\*
- 0353L *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 27853™\*
- 0421L *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 13311™\*
- 0485L *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*

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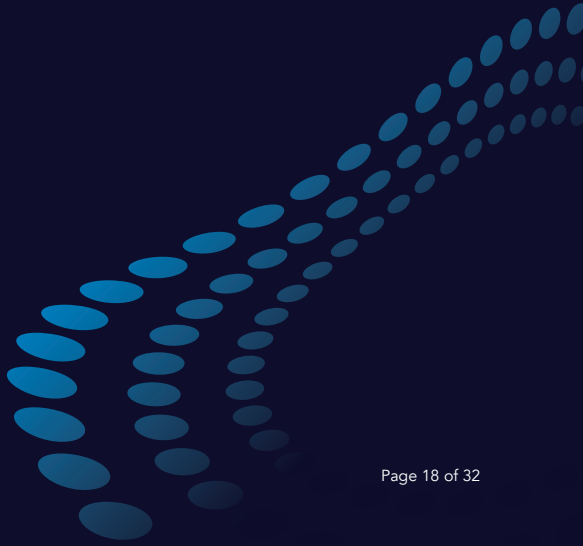




# PRODUCTS FOR QUANTITATIVE TESTING



Daily process controls to monitor methods, equipment, techniques, and environmental conditions.





Epower is the embodiment of “flexibility is your friend.” You’ll love the versatility of simply using one product for all of your QC needs – from media QC and presence/absence testing to enumeration testing, water testing, and disinfectant testing. Use a single strain or combine multiple strains for a mixed population. Each quantitative microorganism pellet delivers a specific range of CFU, so you can easily manipulate Epower to deliver virtually any concentration. We know you’ll appreciate the ease and adaptability that Epower offers.

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- Available in concentrations ranging from  $10^2$  to  $10^8$  CFU per pellet
- Strains are less than or equal to three passages from reference culture
- Can be combined for a mixed microorganism population
- Easily manipulated to deliver a wide variety of concentrations
- Ready-to-use format to save you time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity



## Package Details

- Vial of 10 quantitated lyophilized pellets

## Applications and Test Methods

- Microbial detection
- Enumeration
- Verification and Validation
- Equipment calibration
- Method validation
- Disinfectant qualification
- Water tests
- Proficiency tests
- Mixed microorganism population challenge

## Strains Available

- 0260 *Arthrobacter psychrolactophilus* derived from ATCC® 700733™\*
- 0392 *Aspergillus brasiliensis* derived from ATCC® 16404™\*
- 0486 *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *spizizenii* derived from ATCC® 6633™\*
- 0488 *Burkholderia cepacia* derived from ATCC® 25416™\*
- 0443 *Candida albicans* derived from ATCC® 10231™\*
- 0487 *Clostridium sporogenes* derived from ATCC® 11437™\*
- 0756 *Cronobacter muytjensii* derived from ATCC® 51329™\*
- 0366 *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 29212™\*
- 0795 *Escherichia coli* (O157:H7) derived from ATCC® 43888™\*
- 0791 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 51813™\*
- 0483 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 8739™\*
- 0306 *Klebsiella aerogenes* derived from ATCC® 13048™\*
- 0814 *Listeria innocua* (6a) derived from ATCC® 33090™\*
- 0687 *Listeria monocytogenes* derived from ATCC® 19115™\*
- 0794 *Penicillium venetum* derived from ATCC® 16025™\*
- 0353 *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 27853™\*
- 0484 *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* derived from ATCC® 9027™\*
- 0363 *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*
- 0485 *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*
- 0803 *Zygosaccharomyces rouxii* derived from ATCC® 28253™\*

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The ultimate in authenticity. Epower CRM quantitative quality control microorganisms are just one passage from the reference strain. If your lab is ISO 17025:2017 accredited, Epower CRM can help you meet the requirements of Section 6.5.2(b) regarding reference materials. This product offers plenty of flexibility, which is a huge benefit in the lab. Each microorganism pellet has a pre-determined range of CFUs, so you can easily manipulate the product to deliver your desired concentration. You can also create a mixed microorganism population by combining multiple Epower CRM strains. As a Certified Reference Material, Epower CRM comes with a comprehensive Certificate of Analysis detailing the strain's identity, characteristics and standard deviation.

## Highlights

- Quantitative QC microorganisms one passage from the reference strains for ultimate authenticity
- Available in concentrations ranging from  $10^2$  to  $10^7$  CFU per pellet
- Can be combined for a mixed microorganism population
- Easily manipulated to deliver a wide variety of concentrations
- Ready-to-use format to save you time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical



## Package Details

- Vial of 10 quantitated lyophilized microorganism pellets
- Certificate of Analysis

## Applications and Test Methods

- ISO 17025:2017 laboratories requiring CRM
- Detection and enumeration methods
- Verification and Validation
- Bioburden determination
- Minimal lethal concentration
- Disinfectant qualification
- Water tests
- Proficiency tests
- Methods requiring a specific CFU range
- Mixed microorganism population challenge

## Strains Available

- 0392 *Aspergillus brasiliensis* derived from ATCC® 16404™\*
- 01182 *Aspergillus flavus* derived from ATCC® 9643™\*
- 0998 *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 10876™\*
- 0486 *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *spizizenii* derived from ATCC® 6633™\*
- 0443 *Candida albicans* derived from ATCC® 10231™\*
- 0487 *Clostridium sporogenes* derived from ATCC® 11437™\*
- 0756 *Cronobacter muytjensii* derived from ATCC® 51329™\*
- 0366 *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 29212™\*
- 0495 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 35218™\*
- 0791 *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 51813™\*
- 0306 *Klebsiella aerogenes* derived from ATCC® 13048™\*
- 0694 *Klebsiella pneumoniae* subsp. *pneumoniae* derived from ATCC® 10031™\*
- 0813 *Lactobacillus fermentum* derived from ATCC® 9338™\*
- 0814 *Listeria innocua* derived from ATCC® 33090™\*
- 0687 *Listeria monocytogenes* derived from ATCC® 19115™\*
- 0698 *Saccharomyces kudriavzevii* derived from ATCC® 2601™\*
- 0421 *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 13311™\*
- 0363 *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*
- 0360 *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 25923™\*
- 0485 *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*

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Let's face it; Growth Promotion Testing of culture media is likely not at the top of your "favorite lab activities" list. We get it, which is why we created EZ-Accu Shot. It provides a fast, convenient and reliable solution for Growth Promotion Testing, Media Challenge Testing and more. Each instant-dissolve microorganism pellet is designed to deliver 10-100 CFU per inoculum and provides 8 hours of stability after rehydration, so you can meet required guidelines with ease.

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- Delivers 10-100 CFU per 0.1 ml
- Strains are less than or equal to three passages from reference culture
- Instant dissolve pellet reduces preparation time
- No dilutions required for simplified test procedure
- Up to 8 hours stability allows for ultimate flexibility
- 50 tests per kit, ideal quantity for labs of any size
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity
- Online Certificate of Analysis provides detailed strain information



## Package Details

- Five vials of a single, quantitated microorganism (one lyophilized pellet per vial)
- Five vials of Hydrating Fluid (1.2 ml in each vial)
- Up to 50 tests per kit

## Applications and Test Methods

- Growth Promotion Testing
- Media Challenge Testing
- Suitability of Counting Methods
- Suitability of Sterility Tests
- Suitability of Tests for Specified Microorganisms
- Microbial Limits Testing
- Microbial Enumeration Testing
- Validation of Neutralization Methods
- Methods requiring a low CFU concentration

## Strains Available

- 0392A *Aspergillus brasiliensis* derived from ATCC® 16404™\*
- 0998A *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 10876™\*
- 0486A *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *spizizenii* derived from ATCC® 6633™\*
- 01269A *Burkholderia cenocepacia* derived from ATCC® BAA-245™\*
- 0488A *Burkholderia cepacia* derived from ATCC® 25416™\*
- 0443A *Candida albicans* derived from ATCC® 10231™\*
- 0487A *Clostridium sporogenes* derived from ATCC® 11437™\*
- 0317A *Clostridium sporogenes* derived from ATCC® 19404™\*
- 0366A *Enterococcus faecalis* derived from ATCC® 29212™\*\*
- 0335A *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 25922™\*\*
- 0483A *Escherichia coli* derived from ATCC® 8739™\*\*
- 0306A *Klebsiella aerogenes* derived from ATCC® 13048™\*\*
- 0957A *Klebsiella pneumoniae* subsp. *pneumoniae* derived from ATCC® 33495™\*\*
- 0688A *Kocuria rhizophila* derived from ATCC® 9341™\*\*
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- 0699A *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* derived from ATCC® 9763™\*\*
- 0421A *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 13311™\*\*
- 0363A *Salmonella enterica* subsp. *enterica* serovar Typhimurium derived from ATCC® 14028™\*\*
- 0360A *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 25923™\*\*
- 0485A *Staphylococcus aureus* subsp. *aureus* derived from ATCC® 6538™\*\*

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## Package Details

- Vial of 10 lyophilized pellets

## Highlights

- Accredited reference material under ISO 17034 standard
- EZ-SPORE contains  $10^4$  CFU per pellet
- Strains are less than or equal to three passages from the reference culture
- Ready-to-use format saves time and money
- Refrigerated storage is easy and economical
- Online Certificate of Analysis provides detailed strain information
- Traceability to reference cultures ensures authenticity

## Applications and Test Methods

- Daily food process controls
- Spoilage detection methods
- Disinfectant qualification studies



## Strains Available

- 0256SPR *Bacillus cereus* derived from ATCC® 11778™\*
- 0486SPR *Bacillus subtilis* subsp. *spizizenii* derived from ATCC® 6633™\*
- 0871SPR *Geobacillus stearothermophilus* derived from ATCC® 7953™\*

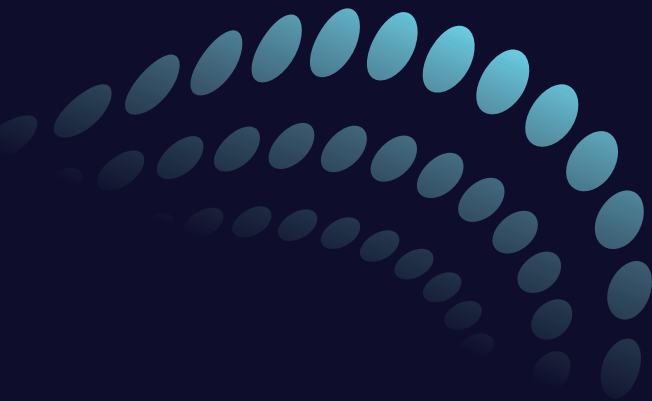
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- *Enterobacter cloacae*
- *Enterococcus species*
- *Escherichia coli* (O157:H7)
- *Klebsiella pneumoniae*
- *Kocuria rhizophila*
- *Legionella pneumophila*
- *Listeria monocytogenes* (serotype 4b)
- *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*
- *Salmonella weltevreden*
- *Serratia marcescens*
- *Staphylococcus aureus*
- *Vibrio cholerae*

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