



# *Halobacterium salinarum* (Harrison and Kennedy) Elazari-Volcani

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## Description

*Halobacterium salinarum* strain NRC-1 is a whole-genome sequenced archaeon that contains the megaplasmid or minichromosome pNRC100. This strain is a halophile.

**Strain designation:** NRC-1 [JCM 11081]

**Deposited As:** *Halobacterium* sp.

**Type strain:** No

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## Storage Conditions

**Product format:** Freeze-dried

**Storage conditions:** 2°C to 8°C

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## Intended Use

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### Certificate of Analysis

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### Growth Conditions

**Medium:**

ATCC Medium 2185: Halobacterium NRC-1 medium

**Temperature:** 37°C

**Atmosphere:** Aerobic

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### Handling Procedures

1. Open vial.
2. Rehydrate the entire pellet with approximately 0.5 mL of #2185 broth. Additional test tubes can be inoculated by transferring 0.1 mL of the primary broth tube to these secondary tubes.

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3. Incubate the tubes at 37°C on a shaker for 3 to 7 days. Establish growth in the broth tubes prior to transferring to agar plates and/or slant tube.
  4. Incubate the plates and/or slant tube for 3-7 days to establish growth.
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### Notes

This strain should be allowed to establish growth in the broth tubes for approximately 3 days before transferring to agar plates and/or slant tubes. Biphasic slants are the preferred media, since growth at the interface of the biphasic slant should occur within 3 days. Growth on agar plates (after transfer) will be slow.

Incubating the broth culture on a shaker at 37°C will decrease the time needed to detect growth.

Purified genomic DNA of this strain is available (ATCC 700922D-5).

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