# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

# Light Producing Microorganisms

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# Staphylococcus aureus S. aureus UAMS-1 (Xen40)

**Product No.: 119244** 

**Material Provided:** 1 Agar Plate **Storage Conditions:** -80°C

# In vitro Characteristics

#### **Genetic Characteristics**

Staphylococcus aureus-Xen40 was derived from the parental strain S. aureus UAMS-1, a clinical isolate. S. aureus-Xen40 possesses a stable copy of the *Photorhabdus luminescens lux* operon at a single integration site on the bacterial chromosome.

#### **Growth Characteristics**

S. aureus-Xen40 grows well in Brain-Heart Infusion (BHI) broth at 37°C under ambient aeration. S. aureus-Xen40 may also be grown selectively on LB agar containing 200 μg/mL kanamycin.

# **Colonial Morphology**

On LB agar, *S. aureus*-Xen40 appears as small (~1.5mm), cream-colored, opaque, smooth, circular colonies.

#### **Virulence Factor**

 $\textbf{Hemolysis} \colon \text{ $\beta$-hemolysis} \ \, \text{on} \ \, \text{TSA} \ \, + \ \, 5\% \ \, \text{sheep}$ 

blood

**DNAse**: Positive.

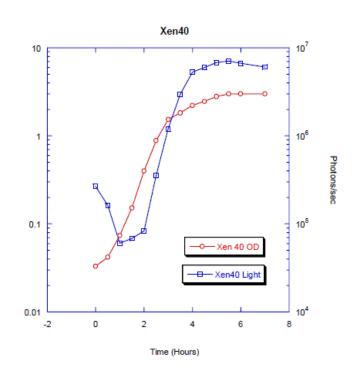
NaCl: Tolerant via growth on Mannitol Salts

Agar.

**Coagulase**: Positive in 24hrs (parental).

## **Growth Curve**

Log-phase growth can be achieved after 1.5 to 3 hours of subculture in BHI broth at 37°C, shaking at 200 rpm. For the above broth culture conditions, an absorbance measurement at 600nm (against a LB blank) of 1 is roughly equivalent to 3x108 cfu/mL of *S. aureus*-Xen40 and the relative light intensity is 0.013 photons/sec/cell.





### **Product Information**

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