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New England Biolabs Certificate of Analysis

Product Name:	NEB® 5-alpha Competent E. coli (High Efficiency)
Catalog #:	C2987U
<i>Lot #</i> :	5381709
Assay Date:	09/2017
Expiration Date:	09/2018
Storage Temp:	-80°C
Specification Version:	<i>PS-C2987U v2.0</i>
Effective Date:	02 Jun 2017

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)	Lot #5381709
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Ampicillin) - 15 μ l of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Ampicillin will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Chloramphenicol) - 15 μ l of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Chloramphenicol will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Kanamycin) - 15 μl of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Kanamycin will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Nitrofurantoin) - 15 μ l of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Nitrofurantoin will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Spectinomycin) - 15 μ l of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Spectinomycin will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Streptomycin) - 15 µl of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Streptomycin will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Antibiotic Sensitivity (Tetracycline) - 15 μ l of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate containing Tetracycline will not form colonies after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass



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Blue-White Screening (α-complementation, Competent Cells) - NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) were shown to be suitable for blue/white screening by α -complementation of the β -galactosidase gene using pUC19.	Pass
Phage Resistance (Φ 80) - 15 µl of untransformed NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) streaked onto a Rich Broth plate does not support plaque formation by phage Φ 80 after incubation for 16 hours at 37°C.	Pass
Transformation Efficiency - 1 well of NEB® 5-alpha Competent <i>E. coli</i> (High Efficiency) cells were transformed with 100 pg of pUC19 DNA using the transformation protocol provided. Incubation overnight on LB -Ampicillin plates at 37°C resulted in >1 x 10e9 cfu/ μ g of DNA.	Pass

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