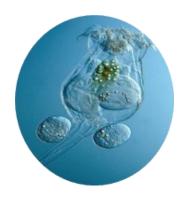




TEST BIOTA







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Microbiotests provides a wide range of aquatic and terrestrial test biota that can be used for standardised and culture-independent toxicity testing, bioassay services, or for other research applications.

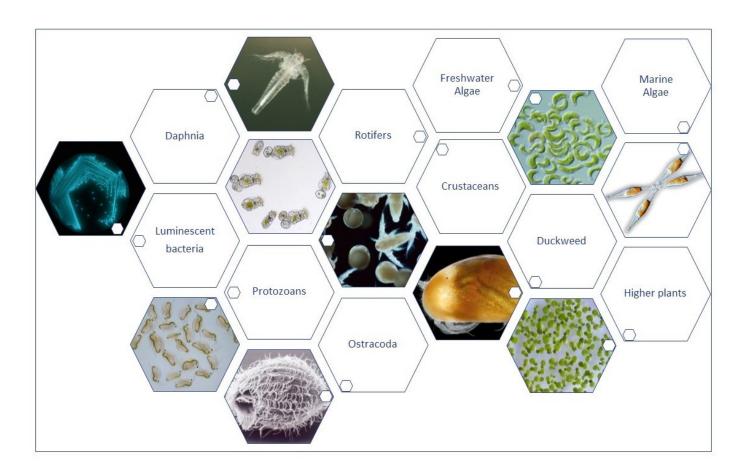
These freshwater, marine and estuarine biota can also be used as starter culture to maintain live stocks or as back-up in the culturing facility of environmental laboratories and institutes.

Many of these test species are identical to the test organisms used in international Standards and Guidelines for environmental toxicity testing and chemical risk assessment (ISO, OECD, ASTM, US EPA).

Various freshwater and marine organisms are available: luminescent bacteria, daphnia, algae, rotifers, crustaceans, protozoans, macrophytes (duckweed) and higher plants.

The test biota are not provided as living cultures as such, but as dormant or immobilised test species that can be stored for months and activated (= hatched, de-immobilised or germinated) at the time of the performance of the ecotoxicological bioassays.

Depending on the test species we guarantee a shelf life of the biological material up to 6 months.



TEST BIOTA

Ciliate stocks

TB11 5 vials with Tetrahymena thermophila

(freshwater tests)
Standard or Guideline:

Standardized prtocol for toxicity testing / OECD method



Rotifer cysts

TB21 10 tubes with Brachionus calyciflorus cysts

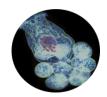
(freshwater tests)

Standard or Guideline: acute: ISO 19827, chronic: ISO 20666

TB22 10 tubes with Brachionus plicatilis cysts

(estuarine/marine tests)

Standard or Guideline: ISO 19820





Crustacean cysts / ephippia

TB31 10 tubes with Thamnocephalus platyurus cysts

(freshwater tests)

Standard or Guideline: ISO 14380



TB32 10 tubes° with Artemia franciscana cysts

(estuarine/marine tests) (o more than 20 tests per tube)

Standard or Guideline:

Standardized protocol for toxicity testing



TB33 10 tubes with Daphnia magna ephippia

(freshwater tests)
Standard or Guideline:

acute: ISO 6341, OECD 202, DIN 38412-L30

chronic: ISO 10706, OECD 211



TB35 10 tubes with *Ceriodaphnia dubia* ephippia

(freshwater tests)
Standard or Guideline:

acute: US EPA 2002.0

chronic: US EPA 1002.0, ISO 20665



TB36 10 tubes with Heterocypris incongruens cysts

(freshwater sediment contact tests) Standard or Guideline : ISO 14371



Micro-algae stocks

TB41 5 tubes with Selenastrum capricornutum beads

(syn. Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)

(freshwater tests) + de-immobilization medium

Standard or Guideline: ISO 8692, OECD 201, DIN 38412-L33

TB42 5 tubes with *Phaeodactylum tricornutum* inoculum

(estuarine/marine tests)

Standard or Guideline: ISO 10253



Phytotoxkit/Phytotestkit seeds

TB61 10 tubes with Sorgho seed (Sorghum saccharatum)

TB62 10 tubes with garden cress seed (Lepidium sativum)

TB63 10 tubes with mustard seed (Sinapis alba)

Standard or Guideline: ISO 18763, ISO 11269-1, OECD 208



Duckweed turions

TB73 5 tubes with Spirodela polyrhiza turions

Standard or Guideline: ISO 20227



<u>Luminescent bacteria</u> of Aliivibrio fischeri (formerly named Vibrio fischeri)

BIO2006 BioLight Multi Test, Freeze Dried Bacteria (10 vials/box)

BIO2007 BioLight Single Test, Freeze Dried Bacteria (50 vials/box)

Standard or Guideline: ISO 11348-3



Nothobranchius furzeri

TB81 100 embryonic diapause eggs of the African Turquoise Killifish:

Nothobranchius furzeri strain 'GRZ'

model organism in : ageing research, genomics, regenerative medicine,

behavioural studies, developmental biology and ecotoxicology



Microbiotests certifies the highest quality of the biological material produced.

All test organisms are cultured in-house under strictly controlled conditions resulting in standardised organisms for reliable and standardized toxicity testing and other research.

Every single batch of test biota is subject to thorough internal quality control screenings and reference tests according to international standards and guidelines to guarantee the biological quality and viability of the test species.





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