

Taxonomic status of this strain

Now this strain is designated as a strain of *Haloterrigena turkmenica* in Ref. 4556 (Int. J. Syst. Bacteriol. 49, 131-136, 1999); however, DNA-DNA hybridization values between JCM 9743 and the type strain (JCM 9101) is low in Ref. 4742 (Int. J. Syst. Evol. Microbiol. 50, 1297-1303, 2000). Establishment of the comprehensive taxonomic status of this strain should await further studies.

See also Ref. 4307 (Extremophilies, 2: 33-39, 1998) for the history of this strain.

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