

# *Trichophyton indotineae* Infection, São Paulo, Brazil, 2024

## Appendix

### Supplemental Methods

#### Morphologic Characterization

Morphologic characterization was conducted following the methods outlined by De Hoog et al. (1). The isolate was cultivated on Lacrimel agar, which consists of 7 g skimmed milk powder, 10 g honey, 17 g cornmeal agar (Oxoid), 0.05 g chloramphenicol, and 1,000 mL distilled water. The culture was incubated at 25°C for 14 days. After incubation, the colony diameter and descriptions were recorded. Microscopic features were examined by using lactic acid mounts and visualized with an optical microscope at ×40 magnification.

#### In Vitro Antifungal Susceptibility Testing

Antifungal susceptibility testing was conducted by using the EUCAST E.Def 11.0 broth dilution method. The isolate was evaluated against several antifungal agents, including terbinafine, fluconazole, voriconazole, and itraconazole (all sourced from Sigma-Aldrich in India). *Trichophyton indotineae* was subcultured on potato dextrose agar plates containing cycloheximide (300 mg/L) and chloramphenicol (50 mg/L) and incubated at 25°C for 7 days. A conidia inoculum was prepared in sterile water containing 0.1% Tween-20 by covering the colonies with water and scraping them with a sterile swab. The microconidia were transferred to a sterile tube with 5 mL sterile water and Tween-20 solution and filtered through an 11-µm filter. The suspension was adjusted to a concentration of  $2 \times 10^6$  to  $5 \times 10^6$  microconidia/mL, equivalent to McFarland 0.5, as confirmed by using a hemocytometer. This was further diluted 1:10 to achieve a final inoculum concentration of  $2 \times 10^5$ – $5 \times 10^5$ /mL, supplemented with 600 mg/L cycloheximide and 100 mg/L chloramphenicol. After inoculating the *T. indotineae* strain into a tissue-treated microdilution plate containing the antifungal agent to be evaluated, the plate

was incubated at 25°C for 5 days. Using a spectrophotometer, the MIC was visually determined at 50% inhibition of fungal growth. *Aspergillus flavus* ATCC 204304 reference strains were used as controls and assessed after 48 hours of incubation at the same temperature. The isolate was classified as either wild type or non-wild type on the basis of the European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing (EUCAST) epidemiologic cutoff values (ECOFFs) for terbinafine, itraconazole, and voriconazole. It should be noted that ECOFFs for fluconazole have not yet been established.

## Supplemental Results

The *T. indotineae* isolate exhibited colonies that grew to a diameter of 5–6 cm, appearing flat with a suede-like texture and ranging in color from white to cream (Appendix Figure, panel C). The reverse sides of the colonies were yellowish to brownish (Appendix Figure, panel D). Microscopic examination revealed the presence of septate, hyaline, and spiral hyphae (Appendix Figure, panels A, B). Additionally, the macroconidia were fusiform to clavate and had thin walls (Appendix Figure, panel A), whereas the microconidia, alongside undifferentiated hyphae, were spherical to pyriform in shape (Appendix Figure, panels A, B).

This *T. indotineae* isolate exhibited low MICs for itraconazole and voriconazole at 0.016 mg/L and 0.125 mg/L, respectively. In contrast, fluconazole showed MIC of 32 mg/L. At the same time, terbinafine had a high MIC of 4 mg/L, categorized as non-wild type (Appendix Table 1).

## Reference

1. de Hoog GS, Guarro J, Gené J, Ahmed SA, Al-Hatmi AMS, Figueras MJ, et al. Atlas of clinical fungi, 4th ed. Utrecht (the Netherlands): Westerdijk Institute; 2019.

**Appendix Table 1.** Antifungal susceptibility testing of *Trichophyton indotineae* isolate\*

Antifungal	MIC, mg/L	WT/NWT	ECOFF†
Terbinafine	4	NWT	0.125
Fluconazole	32	ND	ND
Itraconazole	0.016	WT	0.25
Voriconazole	0.125	NWT	1

\*ECOFF, epidemiologic cutoff values; ND, not determined; NWT, non-wild type; WT, wild type.

†European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing (EUCAST) E.Def 7.4, E.Def 9.4 and E.Def 11.0 procedures. Version 4.0, 2023.

**Appendix Table 2.** Characteristics of whole-genome sequences of *Trichophyton indotineae* isolates from human cases downloaded from the National Center for Biotechnology Information

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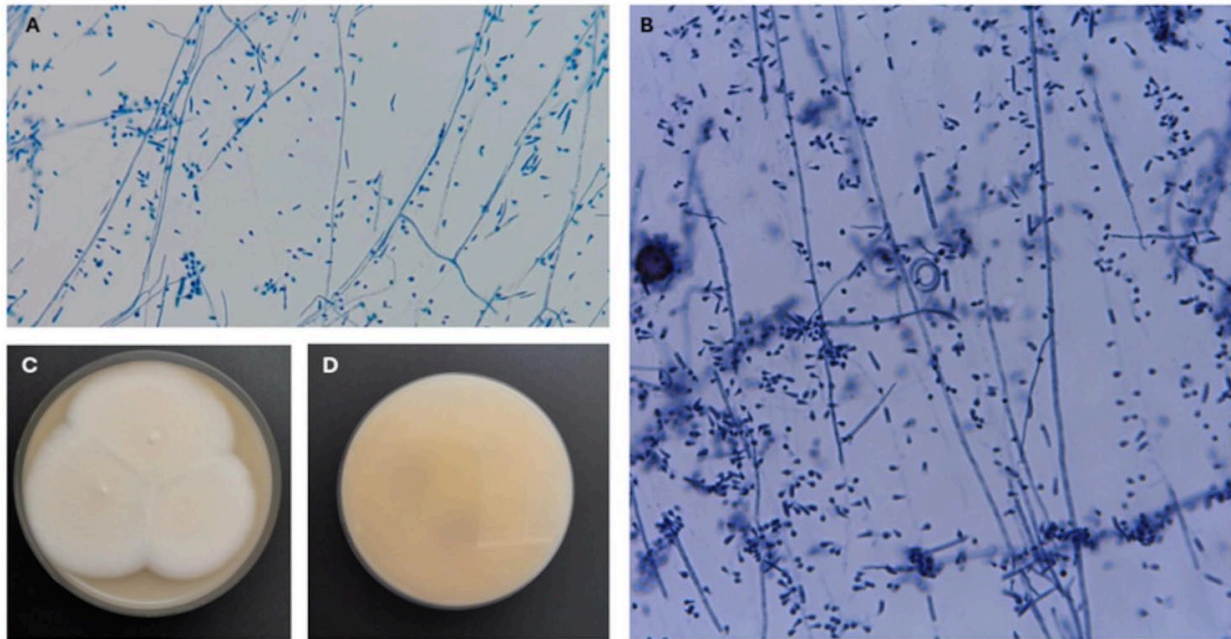
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**Appendix Figure.** Morphologic characterization of the *Trichophyton indotineae* isolate. A, B) Microscopic features in a lactophenol cotton blue preparation: developing macroconidia, sessile microconidia, spiral hyphae, and released microconidia. C, D) Colony characteristics (Lactrimel, 2 weeks, 25°C).