

A1152

In regard to the strain that we call A1152: this is not CEA17.

This has been the subject of considerable confusion here and with clients.

We have updated our strain listing here <http://www.fgsc.net/asperg.html> and elsewhere to reflect this fact.

The strain that we received is pyrG+ as evidenced by its ability to grow on minimal medium.

We did correspond about this strain several times when it was originally sent in February of 2006. In April Gustavo wrote

>Dear Kevin,

>I checked with Marcia Ferreira and she sent you 01/11 the following strains:

>delta ku80 pyrG+ an CEA17 pyrG+

>She has not sent you any pyrG- strain. Sorry about that. We can send you the delta ku80 pyrG- if you wish. Do you want I send it to you ?

>Best regards,

>Gustavo

We did not receive a replacement and the description of this strain as "CEA17 pyrG+" was quite confusing.

We did receive a DeltaKU80 pyrG- strain from Gustavo in March 2006. We call it FGSC A 1160.