Chroococcidiopsis sp.

Sample name: Chroococcidiopsis sp.

Accession number for 16S rRNA partial gene sequence: Not available

Classification: Bacteria; Cyanobacteria; Cyanophyceae; Chroococcales;

Xenococcaceae; Chroococcidiopsis

Metabolism: Autotrophic (oxygenic photosynthesis)

Origin: Thermal and mineral spring water

Collection: Rothschild laboratory (NASA Ames, CA, USA)

Sample concentration: $6.62 \times 10^6 \text{ cells/ml}$

Sample count on filter substrate: $1.99 \pm 0.13 \times 10^7$ cells

Laboratory growth conditions: 25 °C, up to 6 months

Culture medium: Blue-Green medium (BG-11)

Sample photograph:



Sample micrograph:

