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Subject: Correction

This notification is to inform you of corrections made to CLSI document M38, Reference Method for Broth Dilution Antifungal Susceptibility Testing of Filamentous Fungi, 3rd ed. The corrections are described below and shown as highlighted text, where applicable.

Subchapter 3.2.5.1, Nondermatophyte Moulds:

In step 8 of the step-action table, the Comment column incorrectly lists the density of the suspension as "0.2-2.5 CFU/mL." The density of the suspension was corrected to read "0.2-2.5 × 106 CFU/mL."

Appendix G, Minimal Effective Concentrations of Caspofungin and Anidulafungin:

As stated in the last sentence of the Figure G1 legend, minimal effective concentrations (MECs) for rows A and B (Aspergillus niger) are the wells in column 7 (red box: 0.12 µg/mL), and MECs for rows C to H (Aspergillus flavus, Aspergillus terreus, and Aspergillus fumigatus) are the wells in column 6 (blue box: 0.25 µg/mL). However, in the figure itself, the red box is incorrectly placed in column 8, and the blue box is incorrectly placed in column 7.

The placement of the red and blue boxes has been corrected so the red box highlights rows A and B in column 7, and the blue box highlights rows C to H in column 6, as shown in the corrected figure:

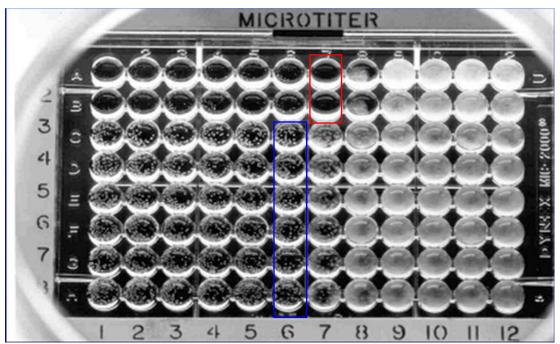


Figure G1. Example of Caspofungin Minimal Effective Concentration (MEC) Results

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