

N1 Still Contesting Choice of N2 Strain



Image of the "total loser" N2 strain

(Cambridge, UK). Disproving the maxim that time heals all wounds, nematode isolate N1 made clear in recent statements that it is every bit as rankled about not being chosen as the phylum standard-bearer today as it was nearly 50 years ago. "It was totally rigged from the start" insisted the visibly petulant round worm obtained from Sidney Brenner's garden. "And seriously, who lives in mushroom compost let alone Bristol? I mean, what a shithole, am I right?" added the derisive strain referring to the humble origins of N2. According to N1, it is also "way the fuck more representative of nematodes than N2. *Chromadore* shouldn't even be a class in my opinion and *Rhabditidae*? What a joke," said the *Diplogasteridae* family member. "And don't even talk to me about the Bergerac strain," added the peevish round worm, "Freak freak freak! Anyway, it's not like I really wanted to be prodded, mutagenized, starved, bleached, and ultimately autoclaved by a bunch of asshole scientists," the begrudging nematode added. "So the joke's on you, N2. Hope you've enjoyed the last 50 years, cause you've got a lot more of the same coming!" Notably, N1 (*Mesodiplogaster lheritieri*) has yet to have its genome sequenced and currently stands at zero citations on PubMed. Also, as of press time an upcoming statement is widely anticipated from *Drosophila* S1 cells, which will express their complete contempt for the S2 cell line, which is probably derived from some stupid macrophage-like lineage or something.