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Description

Strain designation: NCTC 5886

Deposited As: Haemophilus aphrophilus Khairat

Type strain: No

Storage Conditions

Product format: Freeze-dried **Storage conditions:** 2°C to 8°C

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 2167: Haemophilus Test Medium ATCC Medium 814: GC Agar/Broth Medium

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: 95% Air, 5% CO₂

Handling Procedures

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions or visit www.atcc.org for

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instructions.

- 2. Rehydrate the entire pellet with approximately 0.5 mL of #2167 broth. Aseptically transfer the entire contents to a 5-6 mL tube of #2167 broth. Additional test tubes can be inoculated by transferring 0.5 mL of the primary broth tube to these secondary broth tubes.
- 3. Use several drops of the primary broth tube to inoculate a #814 plate and/or #814 agar slant.
- 4. Incubate at 37°C for 24 to 48 hours in an atmosphere of 5% CO₂.

Notes

Colonies on #814 agar are small, circular, entire, glistening and low convex. This strain no longer requires X factor for growth.

This strain has been referred to as the type strain of *Haemophilus aphrophilus* (Int J Syst Bacteriol 16: 1134, 1966). This strain is also cited to produce restriction endonucleases Hapl and Hapll (Methods Mol. Biol. 7: 113133, 1974; Nat. New Biol. 246: 138140, 1973; Nucleic Acids Res. 13: r165r200, 1985).

Additional information on this culture is available on the ATCC® web site at www.atcc.org.

Material Citation

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