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Product Sheet

Brucella ovis (ATCC® 25840™)

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Description

Designation: 63/290 [NCTC 10512]

Propagation

Medium
ATCC® Medium 260: Trypticase soy agar/broth with defibrinated sheep blood

Growth Conditions
Atmosphere: 5%CO_2
Temperature: 37.0°C

Propagation Procedure
1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. **Using a single tube of #44 broth (5 to 6 ml), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 ml with a Pasteur or 1.0 ml pipette. Rehydrate the entire pellet.**
3. **Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Mix well.**
4. **Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate a #260 agar slant and/or plate.**
5. **Incubate all tubes and plate at 37°C in an atmosphere of 5% CO_2 for 24 to 48 hours.**

Notes

Colonies on #260 agar are circular, entire, slightly scalloped edges, low convex and translucent.

The depositor states that even on primary isolation, cultures are in the non-smooth phase and do not possess A and M antigens of smooth *Brucellae*. Strain is not lysed by *Brucella* phage Tb.

Different species of blood may be used. Depositor recommended 10% defibrinated horse blood. We have used both rabbit and sheep blood with success.

If growth does not appear on primary agar plate or slants, transfer again from the 48 hour broth culture. This strain requires 5% CO_2 for growth.

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