



Product Sheet

Neisseria meningitidis (ATCC® 53417™)

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Description

Designation: M1027 [ATCC 13077]

Deposited Name: *Neisseria meningitidis* (Albrecht and Ghon) Murray

Antigenic Properties: Serogroup A

Propagation

Medium

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

Growth Conditions

Temperature: 37.0°C

Atmosphere: 5% CO₂

Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Using a single tube of #814 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 0.2 ml of the suspension to inoculate a #814 slant, and/or 0.1 ml for a plate.
5. Incubate all tubes and plate at 37°C with 5% CO₂ for 24 to 48 hours. Assure that screw caps are loose during incubation period.

Notes

Brain Heart Infusion (BD 237500) can be used to rehydrate the vial contents if #814 broth is not available, but it will not support growth as well. Transfer should immediately be made to plates. Growth will also occur on rabbit or sheep blood plates.

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References

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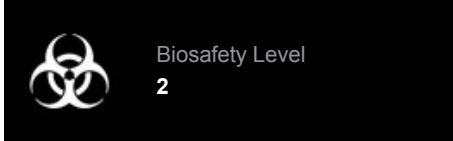
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