



Product Sheet

Staphylococcus aureus (ATCC® BAA-2420™)

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Genotype: *mecA+* *ccr+* SCC*mec* Type II

Propagation

Medium

ATCC® Medium 44: Brain Heart Infusion Agar/Broth

Growth Conditions

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Aerobic

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 #44 agar slant and/or plate.
 5. Incubate the tubes and plate at 37°C for 24 hours.
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Notes

Colonies on #44 agar are yellow, smooth, and opaque. Sensitive to oxacillin. Presence of the *mecA* gene confirmed by PCR. PCR testing identifies the strain as SCC*mec* Type II.

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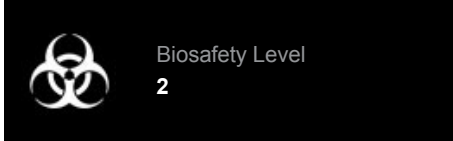
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