



Lactobacillus helveticus **(Orla-Jensen) Bergey et al.**

10797™

Description

Strain designation: V80

Deposited As: *Lactobacillus helveticus* (Orla-Jensen) Bergey et al.

Type strain: No

Storage Conditions

Product format: Freeze-dried

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 416: Lactobacilli MRS Agar/Broth

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Handling Procedures

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. From a single tube of #416 broth (5 to 6 ml), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 ml with a Pasteur or 1.0 ml pipette and use to rehydrate the pellet.
3. Aseptically transfer the rehydrated pellet back into the broth tube. Mix well

4. Use several drops of this suspension to inoculate a second tube of broth, a slant and/or a plate.
 5. Incubate tubes and plate at 37°C under anaerobic conditions for 48 hours. Loosen screw caps of all test tubes during the incubation period.
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Notes

Growth on plates is best when incubated anaerobically, but some growth will occur when incubated under CO₂. Sparse growth occurs when incubated under aerobic conditions, but the cells will appear stressed and atypical. Colonies are cream, smooth, entire, glistening and opaque when incubated optimally.

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Material Citation

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