



# ***Brevundimonas diminuta*** **(Leifson and Hugh)** **Segers et al.**

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## **Description**

*Brevundimonas diminuta* strain FDA strain PCI 818 was isolated as a contaminant from a culture of *Bacillus cereus*. This strain has applications in pharmaceutical and personal care, filtration sterilization control, membrane filter testing, and sterility assurance.

**Strain designation:** FDA strain PCI 818 [CCUG 24715, DSM 1635, LMG 10743]

**Deposited As:** *Pseudomonas* sp.

**Type strain:** No

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## **Storage Conditions**

**Product format:** Freeze-dried

**Storage conditions:** 2°C to 8°C

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## **Intended Use**

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## Certificate of Analysis

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## Growth Conditions

**Medium:**

ATCC Medium 2495: 10mM Phosphate Buffer

ATCC Medium 3: Nutrient agar or nutrient broth

**Temperature:** 30°C**Atmosphere:** Aerobic

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## Handling Procedures

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions or visit [www.atcc.org](http://www.atcc.org) for

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instructions.

2. Rehydrate the entire pellet with approximately 0.5 mL of #2495 broth. Aseptically transfer the entire contents to a 5-6 mL tube of #3 broth. Additional test tubes can be inoculated by transferring 0.5 mL of the primary broth tube to these secondary tubes.
3. Use several drops of the primary broth tube to inoculate a #3 plate and/or #3 agar slant.
4. Incubate at 30°C for 48-72 hours.

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## Notes

Phosphate buffer is for rehydration and transfer only, not for growth.

Two colony types may be found in this strain if it is passed through Nutrient Broth (BD 234000).

To prevent proliferation of the second colony type, rehydrate the vial as above and maintain the culture by transferring from agar to agar.

Purified genomic DNA of this strain is available as ATCC 19146D-5.

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