



Cylindrospermum sp.

29204™

Description

Strain designation: PCC 7417

Deposited As: *Cylindrospermum* sp.

Type strain: No

Storage Conditions

Product format: Test tube

Intended Use

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Certificate of Analysis

For batch-specific test results, refer to the applicable certificate of analysis that can be found at www.atcc.org.

Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 616: Medium BG-11 for blue-green algae

Temperature: 26°C**Incubation:** Under light intensity of 2,000-3,000 lux

Handling Procedures

1. Place the test tube (laying on it side at an angle) under a florescent light at a light intensity of 2000-3000 lux; approximately 2-4 inches away from the light source.
2. Once growth has been obtained (strong green pigment) the culture can be expanded by transferring 0.5 ml original test tube culture to additional tubes of ATCC medium 616.
3. Incubate the tubes under a florescent light at a light intensity of 2000-3000 lux. If you can not determine the light intensity, place tubes at differing distance from the light source. Cultures too close or too far from the light source will lose their green

(pigmentation) color.

4. Growth should occur in one to two weeks.

Notes

Additional information on this culture is available on the ATCC® web site at www.atcc.org.

Material Citation

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References

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