**Product Sheet** 

# Neisseria gonorrhoeae (Zopf) Trevisan

**31150**<sup>™</sup>

#### Description

**Strain designation:** GC/CB/003 [CDC T-2] **Deposited As:** *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* (Zopf) Trevisan **Type strain:** No

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Growth Conditions Medium: ATCC Medium 814: GC Agar/Broth Medium Temperature: 37°C Atmosphere: 95% Air, 5% CO<sub>2</sub>



#### Handling Procedures

- 1. Thaw frozen vial at room temperature.
- 2. Withdraw the entire contents of the vial with a Pasteur or 1.0 mL pipette and transfer to a tube of #814 broth (5 to 6 mL).
- 3. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate a #814 agar slant and/or plate.
- 4. Incubate the tubes and plate at 37°C in an atmosphere of 5%  $CO_2$  for 24-48 hours. Loosen the screw caps during the incubation period.

#### Notes

Good growth occurs within 48 hours incubation. Colonies are entire, smooth, glistening, and white in color on #814 agar. The increased CO<sub>2</sub> is required for growth.

Brain Heart Infusion (BD 237500) can be used to rehydrate vial contents if #814 broth is not available, but it will not support growth as well as the GC broth.

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