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Description

Strain designation: AT-62

Deposited As: *Thermus flavus*

Type strain: No

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Product format: Freeze-dried

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Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 1260: *Thermus* B-P

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ATCC Medium 461: Castenholz TYE medium

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Temperature: 70°C

Product Sheet

Handling Procedures

- 1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.**
 - 2. Using a single tube of #461 broth (5 to 6 ml), withdraw approximately 0.6 ml with a Pasteur or 1.0 ml pipette. Rehydrate the pellet.**
 - 3. Aseptically transfer 0.3 ml of this suspension back into the broth tube. Mix well.**
 - 4. Use the remaining 0.3 ml of the suspension to inoculate a slant of #461 agar.**
 - 5. Incubate tubes at 70°C. For best results, incubate tubes within a closed jar with a moistened paper towel added to maintain humidity and prevent desiccation.**
 - 6. Once growth is obtained in broth, plates can be inoculated with approximately 0.2 ml per plate. Better growth is achieved on plates when incubated at 60°C rather than 70°C. Plates should be incubated in a jar as described above or taped shut to prevent desiccation.**
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Notes

Pale gold growth should be visible in broth and slant tubes after 24 to 48 hours of incubation. At 1000X magnification, cells are long, regular rods occurring singly or occasionally as end-to-end pairs or short chains.

After 48 hours, the colonies on plates are circular, translucent, pale gold, with entire margin and smooth, glistening surface.

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