



Saccharococcus thermophilus Nystrand

43126™

Description

Strain designation: 739

Deposited As: *Saccharococcus thermophilus* Nystrand

Type strain: No

Storage Conditions

Product format: Freeze-dried

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 1478: Tryptone glucose extract agar with sucrose

Temperature: 55°C

Handling Procedures

1. Open vial according to the enclosed instructions.
2. Using a single tube of #1478 broth (5 to 6 ml), withdraw approximately 0.5 ml to 1.0 ml with a Pasteur or 1.0 ml pipette. Rehydrate the pellet.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube and mix well.
4. Use several drops of the cell suspension to inoculate a second tube of broth, a slant and/or a plate.

5. Incubate all tubes and plate at 55°C for 24 to 48 hours.

Notes

Under phase microscopy, cells are coccoid in clusters. On #1478 plates, colonies are entire, dull, circular, smooth, and convex. *Saccharococcus* grows best on agar plates. It must be transferred each day since viability is rapidly lost. Viability may also be lost after 24 hours at 4° C.

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

Material Citation

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