Clostridium haemolyticum (Hall) Scott et al.

9650™

Description

Type strain
Strain designation: 29866 (Folsom) [L.S. McClung 2027]
Deposited As: *Clostridium haemolyticum* (Hall) Scott et al.
Type strain: Yes

Storage Conditions

Product format: Freeze-dried
Storage conditions: 2°C to 8°C

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Medium:
ATCC Medium 2107: Modified Reinforced Clostridial
ATCC Medium 260: Trypticase soy agar/broth with defibrinated sheep blood
Temperature: 37°C
Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Handling Procedures

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Under anaerobic conditions, withdraw 0.5 mL of recommended broth from a single tube (5 to 6 mL) and rehydrate the entire vial contents.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth. Additional tubes may be

inoculated with 0.5 mL each from the suspension. A slant can be inoculated with 0.3 mL. Inoculate several blood agar plates to check for colonial morphology and purity.

4. Incubate tubes and one blood plate under anaerobic conditions at 37°C. Incubate the second plate aerobically as a contamination check.
5. Within 24 to 48 hours, growth is evident by good turbidity and gas in the broth, and gas production is evident on the agar slant. No growth should occur on the blood agar plate incubated aerobically.

ANAEROBIC CONDITIONS:

Anaerobic conditions for transfer may be obtained by either of the following:

- Use of an anaerobic gas chamber.
- Placement of test tubes under a gassing cannula system hooked to anaerobic gas.

Anaerobic conditions for incubation may be obtained by any of the following:

- Loose screw-caps on test tubes in anaerobic chamber.
- Loose screw-caps on test tubes in an activated anaerobic gas pack jar.
- Use of sterile butyl rubber stoppers on test tubes so that an anaerobic gas headspace is retained.

Notes

ATCC Medium 1490 Modified Chopped Meat medium can be used as an alternate. Anaerobe Systems Brucella Blood plate (AS-111 or AS-141) can be used to analyze colony morphology and purity.
Always use freshly prepared pre-reduced media or pre-reduced media that has been previously prepared but stored under anaerobic conditions. Resazurin in the media is a color indicator for anaerobic conditions. Observance of pink color in medium before use or during incubation shows anaerobic conditions have not been met and oxidation has occurred. Medium should be discarded.

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