



# ***Thermocrinis minervae*** **Caldwell et al.**

**BAA-1533™**

## **Description**

**Strain designation:** CR11

**Type strain:** Yes

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## **Storage Conditions**

**Product format:** Frozen

**Storage conditions:** -80°C or colder

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## **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](http://www.atcc.org).

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## Growth Conditions

**Medium:****ATCC Medium 2804: MJTSO Medium****Temperature:** 70°C**Atmosphere:** 80% H<sub>2</sub>, 20% CO<sub>2</sub> (5 psi)

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## Handling Procedures

1. Sterilize the top of the Balch tube by spraying it with 70% ethanol and then flaming the top
2. If needed, exchange the gas in the test tube for 80% N<sub>2</sub> 20% CO<sub>2</sub>; do not over pressurize. Using a 1 ml syringe tipped with 22-gauge needle, add 0.1 ml 1 M thiosulfate to each tube of broth to be inoculated. If the balch tube contains 8 ? 10 ml of broth, add 3 ml air with a 1 ml syringe tipped with 22-gauge needle.

3. When the balch tube is ready to inoculate, thaw the frozen vial at room temperature.
4. For inoculation, using a 1.0 ml syringe tipped with 22-gauge needle, withdraw the cell suspension from the vial and transfer it to the broth. Additional tubes of #2804 can be inoculated by transferring 0.5 ml of the primary broth using good technique. Plate 0.1 ml of the inoculated culture onto a non-selective medium and incubate aerobically at 37°C. Incubate the anaerobic tube at 70°C to 75°C.
5. Growth should be detected in the #2804 broth within 48 to 72 hours. There should be no growth detected on the aerobic plate.

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## Notes

Cells are rods that occur singly and are motile. Good growth should be detected within 48 to 72 hours.

This organism is reported to grow chemolithoautotrophically with H<sub>2</sub> or thisulfate as the electron donors, and O<sub>2</sub> (up to 16%) as the electron acceptor. It is also reported to utilize yeast extract, mannose, glucose, maltose, succinate, peptone, Casamino acids, starch, citrate, and CO<sub>2</sub> as carbon sources.

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## References

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