



***Thermoanaerobacter ethanolicus* Wiegel and Ljungdahl**

BAA-3451™

Description

This product is an ATCC manufactured and accessioned progeny of 31937 cited in US Patent Number 4,385,117.

Strain designation: JW200 Fe(3)

Deposited As: ATCC accessioned progeny of *Thermoanaerobacter ethanolicus* strain JW200 Fe(3) cited in US Patent Number 4,385,117 as 31937.

Type strain: No

Storage Conditions

Product format: Freeze-dried

Storage conditions: 2°C to 8°C

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 1190: *Thermoanaerobacter ethanolicus* medium

Temperature: 60°C**Atmosphere:** Aerobic

Handling Procedures

1. Open vial.
2. Perform all steps under anaerobic conditions (see below).

3. Aseptically transfer 0.5 ml of ATCC Medium #1190 to the vial with the freeze-dried pellet; immediately place the rehydrated pellet under a stream of oxygen-free sterile gas. Then transfer the entire suspension back into the tube of broth. Inoculate a plate of non-selective medium with 0.1 of the culture. Inoculate a non-selective tube of broth.
4. Seal the test tube with a rubber stopper and incubate anaerobically at 60°C. The rubber stoppers should be tapped down to insure that the anaerobic conditions are maintained during incubation. Incubate the plate(s) and aerobic broth at 37°C as a purity check.
5. After one to three days, growth should be evident by turbidity throughout the broth. Once growth has been established, the culture should be transferred to fresh broth every 24 to 48 hours.
6. This culture is very sensitive to oxygen; therefore steps should be taken to avoid exposure to oxygen. When the culture exhibits good growth it will remain viable for up to 1 week if stored at 4°C under anaerobic conditions.

ANAEROBIC CONDITIONS:

- Tubes of media are placed under a gassing cannula system hooked to a source of oxygen free gas.
- All transfers are performed while the test tubes are on the cannula system with a gentle stream of oxygen-free gas flowing through the system.
- As the test tubes are removed from the cannula system each is sealed with butyl rubber stopper thus maintaining the anaerobic headspace

Material Citation

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References

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