

## CRL-7163<sup>™</sup>

## **Description**

Organism: Homo sapiens, human

**Tissue:** Thymus

**Age:** 13 weeks gestation **Morphology:** fibroblast

**Growth properties:** Adherent

Disease: Normal

## **Storage Conditions**

Product format: Frozen

Storage conditions: Vapor phase of liquid nitrogen

#### Intended Use

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#### **Growth Conditions**

Temperature: 37°C

## Handling Procedures

#### **Unpacking and storage instructions:**

- 1. Check all containers for leakage or breakage.
- 2. Remove the frozen cells from the dry ice packaging and immediately place the cells at a temperature below -130°C, preferably in liquid nitrogen vapor, until ready for use.

**Complete medium:** The base medium for this cell line is ATCC-formulated Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium, Catalog No. 30-2002. To make the complete growth medium, add the following components to the base medium: fetal bovine serum to a final concentration of 10%.



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#### **Subculturing procedure:**

**Protocol:** Remove medium, and rinse with 0.25% trypsin, 0.03% EDTA solution. Remove the solution and add an additional 1 to 2 ml of trypsin-EDTA solution. Allow the flask to sit at room temperature (or at 37C) until the cells detach. Add fresh culture medium, aspirate and dispense into new culture flasks.

**Subcultivation Ratio:** A subcultivation ratio of 1:2 to 1:4 is recommended

Medium Renewal: Every 2 to 3 days

Reagents for cryopreservation: Complete growth medium supplemented with 5%

(v/v) DMSO (ATCC 4-X)

#### Material Citation

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