



Tomasiella immunophila

TSD-438™

Description

Tomasiella immunophila strain X is a bacterial type strain isolated from the feces of a wild-type C57BL/6J mouse in Cleveland, Ohio.

Strain designation: X

Type strain: Yes

Type strain description: This culture provided to the ATCC type strain depository is neither produced nor characterized by ATCC. No technical information is available on this material. Refer to depositor for technical information on this strain.

Technical information: ATCC Product Experience does not have technical information on type strain deposits that are not fully characterized. Additional information can be found in the depositor's publication.

Storage Conditions

Product format: Frozen

Storage conditions: -80°C or colder

Intended Use

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Growth Conditions

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Incubation: 2~3 days when inoculated as a bacterial lawn.

Handling Procedures

Depositor-recommended growth conditions:

Depositor recommends peptone from casein (15G), Soy Peptone (5 g), Sodium

Chloride (5 g), Yeast Extract (5 g), L-Cystine (0.5 g), Hemin (5mg), Vitamin K1 (10 mg), Sodium Hydroxide (1N) to adjust pH between 7.0 and 7.2, Agar 1.2%, Water to 950 mL

After autoclave, add N-Acetylmuramic acid (MurNAc, 5 mg/mL stock) 1.00 mL and Defibrinated Sheep Blood 50.00 mL. Then pour the agar plates.

Depositor claims N-Acetylmuramic acid (MurNAc) must be added for its optimal growth. Without MurNAc, *T. immunophila* grows extremely slow. So far, *T. immunophila* doesn't grow very well in all tested liquid media, especially when single colony was inoculated. For regular maintenance, bacterial lawn is recommended. To avoid contamination, 100 µg/mL streptomycin and 12.5 µg/mL of tetracycline can be added into agar plates for growing *T. immunophila*.

Material Citation

If use of this material results in a scientific publication, please cite the material in the following manner: *Tomasiella immunophila* (ATCC TSD-438)

References

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