



Product Sheet

# *Aspergillus terreus* (ATCC® 10690™)

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**Frozen: -80°C or colder**  
**Freeze-Dried: 2°C to 8°C**  
**Live Culture: See Propagation Section**

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Biosafety Level  
**1**

## Intended Use

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## Citation of Strain

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## Description

**Strain Designation:** QM 82-j [CBS 377.64, DSM 1958, IFO 6346, IMI 321320, IMI 45543, NRRL 571, QM 82J]  
**Deposited Name:** *Aspergillus terreus* Thom  
**Product Description:** An ampoule containing viable cells (may include spores and mycelia) suspended in cryoprotectant.

## Propagation

The information recommended in this section is to assist users in obtaining living culture(s) for their studies. The recommendation does not imply that the conditions or procedures provided below are optimum. Experienced researchers may initiate the growth of a culture in their own way.

ATCC® Medium 336: Potato dextrose agar (PDA)  
ATCC® Medium 307: Cornmeal agar  
ATCC® Medium 28: Emmons' modification of Sabouraud's agar

## Growth Conditions

**Temperature:** 24°C to 26°C  
**Atmosphere:** Typical aerobic

## Recommended Procedure

For **freeze-dry (lyophilized)** ampoules:

1. Open an ampoule according to enclosed instructions.
2. From a single test tube of **sterile distilled water** (5 to 6 mL), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 mL with a sterile pipette and apply directly to the pellet. Stir to form a suspension.
3. Aseptically transfer the suspension back into the test tube of sterile distilled water.
4. Let the test tube sit at room temperature (25°C) undisturbed for at least 2 hours; longer (e.g., overnight) rehydration might increase viability of some fungi.
5. Mix the suspension well. Use several drops (or make dilutions if desired) to inoculate recommended solid or liquid medium. Include a control that receives no inoculum.
6. Incubate the inoculum at the propagation conditions recommended.
7. Inspect for growth of the inoculum/strain regularly. The sign of viability is noticeable typically after 2-3 days of incubation. However, the time necessary for significant growth will vary from strain to strain.

**Colony and Cell Morphology:** After 5-7 days on Emmons' modification of Sabouraud's agar at 25°C colonies yellowish to cinnamon-brown consisting of dense felt of conidiospores. Conidial heads in compact columns; stipes smooth-walled, variable in shape, spherical to dome-like. Conidia smooth-walled, globose to subglobose.

## Notes

No special notes.

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## DNA Sequence

18S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence; internal transcribed spacer 1, 5.8S ribosomal RNA gene, and internal transcribed spacer 2, complete sequence; and 28S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence  
GGTTTCCTAGGTGAACCTGCGGAAGGATCATTACCGAGTGC GGTC TTTATGGCCCAACCTCCCACCC  
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D1D2 region of the 28S ribosomal RNA gene  
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GGACCGAGGAACGCGCTTCGGCACGACGCTGGCATAATGTTGTAACGAC



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