



Product Sheet

Mycobacterium smegmatis (ATCC® 19420™)

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



Biosafety Level
1

Intended Use

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Description

Designation: NCTC 8159 [Cornell 3]

Deposited Name: *Mycobacterium smegmatis* (Trevisan) Lehmann and Neumann

Product Description: Type strain

Propagation

Medium

ATCC® Medium 1395: Middlebrook 7H9 broth with ADC enrichment

ATCC® Medium 173: Middlebrook 7H10 agar with Middlebrook OADC enrichment

Growth Conditions

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Aerobic

Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Using a single tube of #1395 broth (5 to 6 mL), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 mL with a Pasteur or 1.0 mL pipette. Rehydrate the entire pellet.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Mix well.
4. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate a #173 agar slant and/or plate.
5. Incubate the tubes and plate at 37°C for 2-3 days.

Notes

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