**Strain Designation:** CBS 138  
**Deposited Name:** Torulopsis glabrata (Anderson) Lodder et de Vries  
**Product Description:** An ampoule containing viable cells suspended in cryoprotectant.

**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:** Colonies after 3 days on YM medium at 25°C are white, smooth, butyrous and entire. Cells are subglobose to ovoidal, single and in pairs pseudohyphae are absent.

**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 26S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence
References and other information relating to this product are available online at www.atcc.org.

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