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Product Sheet

Bifidobacterium longum subsp. suis (ATCC® 27533™)

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Description

Designation: SU 859
Deposited Name: *Bifidobacterium suis* Matteuzzi et al.

Propagation

Medium
ATCC® Medium 1053: Reinforced Clostridial medium (Oxoid CM149)

Growth Conditions
Temperature: 37.0°C
Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Propagation Procedure
1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Under anaerobic conditions, withdraw 0.5 ml of #1053 from a single test tube (5 to 6 ml) and rehydrate the entire vial contents.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Additional tubes may be inoculated with 0.5 ml each from the suspension. A slant of #1053 may also be inoculated with 0.2 ml. Streak several blood plates to check for colonial morphology and purity.
4. Incubate tubes under an anaerobic atmosphere at 37°C. Incubate one agar plate anaerobically for colony formation, and one aerobically for aerobic contamination check.
ANAEROBIC CONDITIONS:
Anaerobic conditions for transfer may be obtained by either of the following:
- Use of an anaerobic gas chamber, or
- Placement of test tubes under a gassing cannula system hooked to anaerobic gas.

Anaerobic conditions for incubation may be obtained by any of the following:
- Loose screw caps on test tubes in anaerobic chamber,
- Loose screw caps on test tubes in an activated anaerobic gas pack jar, or
- Use of sterile butyl rubber stoppers on test tubes so that an anaerobic gas headspace is retained.

Notes

In 24 to 48 hours, growth is evident by turbidity and gas in the broth and by colonies on the anaerobic agar surfaces. No growth should occur on agar plate incubated aerobically. On #260 plates, colonies are smooth, entire, circular, and translucent.

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References

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