



Product Sheet

Enterococcus faecalis (ATCC® 29212™)

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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
2

Intended Use

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Citation of Strain

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Description

Designation: [Portland]

Deposited Name: *Streptococcus faecalis* Andrewes and Horder

Product Description: Used in media testing, susceptibility testing, and as a CLSI quality control strain. Used as a quality control strain for BD, bioMérieux VITEK, RapID, MicroScan, and Sensititre products.

Propagation

Medium

ATCC® Medium 44: Brain Heart Infusion Agar/Broth

ATCC® Medium 260: Trypticase soy agar/broth with defibrinated sheep blood

Growth Conditions

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Aerobic

Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions or visit www.atcc.org for instructions.
2. Rehydrate the entire pellet with approximately 0.5 mL of #44 broth. Aseptically transfer the entire contents to a 5-6 mL tube of #44 broth. Additional test tubes can be inoculated by transferring 0.5 mL of the primary broth tube to these secondary tubes.
3. Use several drops of the primary broth tube to inoculate a #260 plate and/or #260 agar slant.
4. Incubate at 37°C for 24 hours.

Notes

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References

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