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Product Sheet

Thermoanaerobacter pseudethanolicus (ATCC® 33223™)

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Biosafety Level
1

Intended Use

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Description

Designation: 39E
Deposited Name: *Clostridium thermohydrosulfuricum* Klaushofer and Parkkinen

Propagation

Medium
ATCC® Medium 1118: Methanobacteria medium (ATCC medium 1045) with 0.2% yeast extract and 0.5% glucose

Growth Conditions
Temperature: 65.0°C
Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Propagation Procedure
1. Sterilize the top of the Balch tube by spraying it with 70% ethanol and then flame the top.
2. If needed exchange the gas in the test tube for 80% N_2 -20% CO_2.
4. When the Balch tube is ready to inoculate, open the vial. With a sterile anaerobic syringe tipped with a 22-gauge needle withdraw 0.5 ml of reduced #1118 medium and add it to the freeze dried pellet. Immediately place the vial under a gentle stream of oxygen free gas.
5. Using the same anaerobic syringe draw the rehydrated culture up and inoculate the same tube of #1118 broth. Plate 0.1 ml of the inoculated culture onto a non-selective medium and incubate aerobically at 37ºC. Use 0.1 ml of the inoculated culture to inoculate a non-selective aerobic broth and an additional tube of #1118 broth. Incubate the non-selective aerobic broth tubes at 37ºC. Incubate the #1118 broth culture at 65ºC.
6. Growth should be detected in the #1118 broth within 48 to 72 hours. There should be no growth detected on the aerobic plate or in the aerobic broth.
ANAEROBIC CONDITIONS:
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b. To obtain a fully reduced medium, it is necessary that the medium be anoxic and that a reducing agent be added. Common reducing agents are sodium sulfide, cysteine, dithiothreitol, and titanium citrate.
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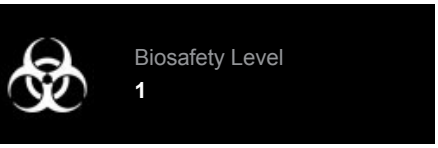

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