



Product Sheet

# *Campylobacter jejuni* *subsp. jejuni* (ATCC® 43446™)

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## Description

**Designation:** MK104

**Deposited Name:** *Campylobacter jejuni* subsp. *jejuni* (Jones et al.) Veron and Chatelain

**Antigenic Properties:** Serotype O:19

## Propagation

### Medium

ATCC® Medium 1116: Brucella broth with 0.16% agar

### Growth Conditions

**Temperature:** 37.0°C

**Atmosphere:** Microaerophilic

### Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Using a single tube of #1115 or #177 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 #260 agar slant and/or plate.
5. Incubate tubes and plate at 37°C, under microaerophilic conditions, for 48 to 72 hours. Use an anaerobe jar with an active catalyst and a microaerophilic gas generator pack, or other acceptable method. Incubate tubes with cap loose.

## Notes

Fluid Thioglycollate tube may be incubated aerobically.

To observe cells, examine a wet mount of the broth under phase microscopy. The organism is a straight to slightly curved gram negative rod with darting motility. Motility is best observed in young cultures.

Two colony types are observed on #260 agar. One type is small, convex, and entire. The second type is larger, slightly irregular, and flat. Once good growth is present, these organisms tend to lose viability, especially if exposed to air for lengthy periods.

The cells do not Gram stain well using traditional procedures. To obtain the best results, use a basic fuchsin counterstain in place of the safranin.

Storage at liquid nitrogen temperatures, with 10% sterile glycerol as the cryoprotectant, is recommended for long-term preservation.

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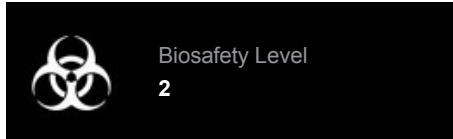
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