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Product Sheet

Cryptococcus amylolentus (ATCC® 56469™)

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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
1

Intended Use

This product is intended for research use only. It is not intended for any animal or human therapeutic or diagnostic use.

Citation of Strain

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Description

Strain Designation: NRRL Y-7784 [CBS 6039, IFO 10423, JCM 1690]
Deposited Name: *Cryptococcus amylolentus* (van der Walt et al.) Golubev
Product Description: An ampoule containing viable cells (may include spores and mycelia) suspended in cryoprotectant.

Propagation

The information recommended in this section is to assist users in obtaining living culture(s) for their studies. The recommendation does not imply that the conditions or procedures provided below are optimum. Experienced researchers may initiate the growth of a culture in their own way.

ATCC® Medium 28: Emmons' modification of Sabouraud's agar
ATCC® Medium 200: YM agar or YM broth
ATCC® Medium 324: Malt extract agar

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 1-2 days of incubation. However, the time necessary for significant growth will vary from strain to strain.

Colony and Cell Morphology: After 3 days on YM at 25°C, two colony types present on plates. One type off-white, smooth, mucoid, glistening; yeast cells subglobose or ovoid, single or in pairs, no pseudohyphae present. Second type white, raised, rough, dull; yeast cells subglobose or ovoid, single or in pairs, pseudohyphae present.

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 28S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence
AAGGATCAGTAGAGAATAACGGACTTCGGTCCATATATCTACCCATCTACACCTGTGAACCGTATTTGT
GCTTCGGCACGTTTTACACAAACTTCTAAATGTAATGAATGTAAACTATTATAACAATAATAAAACTTT
CAACAACGGATCTCTTGGCTTCCACATCGATGAAGAACGCAGCGAAATGCGATAAGTAATGTGAATTG
CAGAATTCAGTGAATCATCGAGTCTTTGAACGCAACTTGCGCCCTTTGGTATTCCGAAGGGCATGCCTG
TTTGAGAGTCATGAACATCTCAATCCTTCGGGTTTATGACCTGTTGGCATTGGATTTGGGTGTTTGCCGC
GACCTGCAAAGGACGTCGGCTCGCCTTAAATGTGTTAGTGGGAAGGTGATTACCTGTCAGCCCGACGT
AATAAGTTTCGTTGGGCCTATGGGGTAGTTGTCGGCTTGCTTATAACAACCATCTTTTTTGTTTGACCTCA
AATCAGGTAGGGCTACCCGCTGAACTTAAG

D1D2 region of the 28S ribosomal RNA gene
CATATCAATAAGCGGAGGAAAAGAAACTAACAAGGATTCCCCTAGTAACGGCGAGTGAACCGGGAA
GAGCTCAAATTTGAAATCTGGCGTCCTTCGGGCGTCCGAGTTGTAATCTACAGAAACGTTTTCCGTGCT
GGACTGTGTCTAAGTTCCTTGGAATAGGATATCAAAGAGGGTGACAATCCCGTACTTGACACAATCAC
CAGTGCTCTGTGATACGTTTTCTACGAGTCGCGTTGCTTGGGAATGCAGCGCAAAATGGGTGGTAAACT
CCATCTAAAGCTAAATATTGGTGGAAGACCGATAGCGAACAAGTACCGTGAGGGAAAGATGAAAAG
CACTTTGGAAAGAGAGTTAAACAGTACGTGAAATTGTTGAAAGGGAAACGATTGAAGTCAGTCGTGT
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AAGGGCACGAGGAATGTAGCAATCTTCGGGTTGTGTTATAGCCTTGTGTCGCATACACTGGTTGGGACT
GAGGAATGCAGCTCGCCTTTATGGCCGGGGTTCGCCCACGTTCGAGCTTAGGATGTTGACAAAATGGC
TTTAAACGAC

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Isolation

Frass of the tunnels of *Sinoxylon ruficorne* infesting *Dichrostachys cinerea* near Groblersdal, Transvaal, South Africa

References

References and other information relating to this product are available online at www.atcc.org.

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