



Product Sheet

Thermococcus gorgonarius (ATCC® 700654™)

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Description

Designation: DSM 10395 [W-12]

Deposited Name: *Thermococcus gorgonarius* Miroshnichenko et al.

Propagation

Medium

ATCC® Medium 2104: Marine Thermococcus medium

Growth Conditions

Temperature: 85.0°C

Atmosphere: Anaerobic

Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Obtain a single tube of #2104 broth (5 to 6 ml), and under anaerobic conditions, withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 ml with a Pasteur or 1.0 ml pipette. Re-hydrate the pellet.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Mix well.
4. After 4 to 7 days of incubation, turbidity should be observed.
5. Transfers can now be made to other tubes of broth, slants, and/or plates

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 or
 - Exchanging the headspace in stoppered culture tubes for the appropriate 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 Pak jar, or
 - Use of sterile butyl rubber stoppers on test tubes so that an anaerobic gas headspace is retained.

Notes

The cells are irregular cocci that grow well at pH 6.5-7.5. The optimal temperature for growth is between 80-88°C, but growth is also observed at 70°C and 95°C. The ATCC suggests the anaerobic technique that utilizes Hungate tubes because growth is enhanced when tubes are pressurized (20-40 psi).

References

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Biosafety Level: 1

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