**Description**

**Designation:** 17-5 [BUCSAV 217, BUCSAV 449, Glaxo 664, ICPB 2080, NCDO 82, NCIB 6376, NCIB 8014, NCIB 8030]

**Deposited Name:** Lactobacillus arabinosus Fred et al.

**Product Description:** Used in the assay of biotin, tryptophan, niacinamide [nicotinamide], nicotinic acid [niacin], pantothenic acid, and calcium pantothenate. Metabolizes mevalonic acid; produces lactic acid [lactate].

**Medium**

ATCC® Medium 416: Lactobacilli MRS Agar/Broth

**Growth Conditions**

**Temperature:** 37°C

**Atmosphere:** 5% CO₂

**Propagation Procedure**

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Using a single tube of #416 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 #416 agar slant and/or plate.
5. Incubate the tubes and plate at 37°C for 24 hours.

**Notes**

When used as a Bacteriophage host, best results are achieved by using a 24 hours culture. Purified genomic DNA of this strain is available as ATCC® 8014D-5™.

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**References**

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**Biosafety Level: 1**

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