



Product Sheet

# Enteric group 137 (ATCC® BAA-72™)

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## Description

**Designation:** CDC 2429-97  
**Deposited Name:** Enteric group 137

## Propagation

**Medium**  
ATCC® Medium 18: Trypticase Soy Agar/Broth

## Growth Conditions

**Temperature:** 37.0°C  
**Atmosphere:** Aerobic

## Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. From a single tube of #18 broth (5 to 6 ml), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 ml with a Pasteur or 1.0 ml pipette and use to rehydrate the entire pellet.
3. Aseptically transfer the rehydrated pellet back into the broth tube. Mix well.
4. Use several drops of this suspension to inoculate an additional broth tube, a #18 agar slant and/or a plate.
5. Incubate the tubes and plate at 37°C for 24 hours.

## Notes

On #18 plates colonies are entire, glistening, smooth, and convex. Cells are motile short rods, stained Gram negative, occurring singly or in pairs.

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