



Product Sheet

Neisseria meningitidis (ATCC® BAA-729™)

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Description

Designation: Vitek #500165 [NSB #86185]

Deposited Name: *Neisseria meningitidis* (Albrecht and Ghon) Murray

Propagation

Medium

ATCC® Medium 814: GC Agar/Broth Medium

Growth Conditions

Atmosphere: nitrogen (N₂), 95%; carbon dioxide (CO₂), 5%

Temperature: 37.0°C

Propagation Procedure

- Using a single tube of #814 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.
- Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Mix well.
- Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate a #814 agar slant and/or plate.
- Incubate all tubes and plate at 37°C with 5% CO₂. Growth should occur in 24 hours. Assure that screw caps are loose during incubation period.

Notes

After 24 hours, growth is evident by turbidity in the broth and entire, glistening, circular, smooth, convex, and gray colonies on agar surfaces.

Cells are large Gram negative bean-shaped cocci in pairs.

Brain Heart Infusion (BD 237500) can be used to rehydrate vial contents if #814 broth is not available, but it will

not support growth as well as the GC broth.

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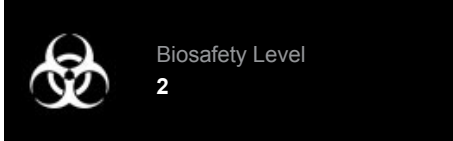
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