**Product Sheet**

**Candida albicans (ATCC® MYA-2876™)**

**Please read this FIRST**

**Storage Temp.**
*Frozen*: -80°C or colder
*Freeze-Dried*: 2°C to 8°C

**Live Culture: See Propagation Section**

**Biosafety Level**
1

**Description**

**Strain Designation**: SC5314  
**Deposited Name**: Candida albicans (Robin) Berkhout  
**Product Description**: An ampoule containing viable cells (yeast cells, spores, or agar cubes with 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.

**Recommended Procedure**

Frozen ampoules packed in dry ice should either be thawed immediately or stored in liquid nitrogen. Do not under any circumstance store frozen ampoules at refrigerator freezer temperatures (generally -20°C). Storage of frozen material at this temperature will result in the death of the culture.

1. To thaw a frozen ampoule, place in a 25°C to 30°C water bath, until just thawed (approximately 5 minutes). Immerse the ampoule just sufficient to cover the frozen material. Do not agitate the ampoule.
2. Immediately after thawing, wipe down ampoule with 70% ethanol and aseptically transfer at least 50 µL (or 2-3 agar cubes) of the content onto a plate or broth with medium recommended.
3. Incubate the inoculum/strain at the temperature and conditions recommended.
4. Inspect for growth of the innoculum/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.

**Notes**

Genome sequencing strain (Stanford Genome Technology Center, Stanford University, USA).

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**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 26S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence

**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**

If use of this culture results in a scientific publication, it should be cited in that manuscript in the following manner: Candida albicans (ATCC® MYA-2876™)
Clinical specimen - human

References

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

Biosafety Level: 1

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