An ampoule containing viable cells (yeast cells, spores, or agar cubes with mycelia) suspended in cryoprotectant.

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.

Biosafety Level

1

Or contact your local distributor

Recommended Procedure

Frozen ampoules packed in dry ice should either be thawed immediately or stored in liquid nitrogen. If liquid nitrogen storage facilities are not available, frozen ampoules may be stored at or below -70°C for approximately one week. 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 35°C to 40°C water bath, until just thawed (approximately 5 minutes). Immerse the ampoule 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. Inspect for growth of the inoculum/strain regularly. The sign of viability is noticeable typically after 2-3 days of incubation. However, the time necessary for significant growth will vary from strain to strain.

Notes

This organism is a CLSI control strain for antimicrobial susceptibility testing.

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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 28S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence.
GGACCGAGGAACGCGCTTCGGCACGGACGCTGGCATAATGGTTGTAAAC
beta-tubulin (TUB2) gene
TGTGCCCGATCCCCCTGTTCCCCTCTCCCCCCGACGCGTCTCTTTTGGGCTGCTCTCTGAAGACCAACCCC
ACCCGTTCCTGGAGAAACTTTGGATGAATTGACTAACATTCTTTCTTCTTCGTGATCATAGGTTCATCTGC
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CCCCTATAGGCCAGCGGAAACAACATCTCCTGCGCCACGCGCATGAACGTACACTTAGATGCTGCGTGCTTCAAC
GGGTAACAACTGG

human

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