



Desulfovibrio gigas LeGall

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Description

Type strain

Strain designation: NCIB 9332

Deposited As: *Desulfovibrio gigas* LeGall

Type strain: Yes

Storage Conditions

Product format: Freeze-dried

Storage conditions: 2°C to 8°C

Intended Use

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Certificate of Analysis

For batch-specific test results, refer to the applicable certificate of analysis that can be found at www.atcc.org.

Growth Conditions

Medium:

ATCC Medium 1249: Modified Baar's medium for sulfate reducers

Temperature: 30°C

Atmosphere: 80% N₂, 20% CO₂; 100% N₂

Handling Procedures

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Perform all steps under anaerobic conditions. (*see below*)
3. Aseptically transfer 0.5 mL of ATCC Medium #1249 to the vial and rehydrate the freeze-dried pellet, and immediately place the rehydrated pellet under a gentle stream of oxygen-free sterile gas. Then transfer the suspension back into the tube of broth. Inoculate a plate of non-selective medium with 0.1 mL

- of the culture. Inoculate a non-selective tube of broth.
4. Seal the test tube with a rubber stopper and incubate anaerobically at 30°C. Incubate the plate(s) and aerobic broth at 30°C as a purity check.
 5. After two or three days, growth should be evident by turbidity through out the broth. Once growth has been established, the culture should be transferred to fresh broth every 24 to 48 hours.
 6. This culture is very sensitive to oxygen; therefore steps should be taken to avoid exposure to oxygen. When the culture exhibits good growth, it will remain viable for up to 1 week if stored at 4°C under anaerobic conditions.

ANAEROBIC CONDITIONS:

Anaerobic conditions for transfer may be obtained by either of the following:

- Use of an anaerobic gas chamber, or
- Placement of test tubes under a gassing cannula system connected to anaerobic gas.

Anaerobic conditions for incubation may be obtained by any of the following:

- Loose screw caps on test tubes in anaerobic chamber,
- Loose screw caps on test tubes in an activated anaerobic gas pack jar, or
- Use of sterile butyl rubber stoppers on test tubes so that an anaerobic gas headspace is retained.

Notes

This item is a slightly closer match to *Desulfovibrio paquesii* than to *D. gigas* by 16S rRNA sequencing.

Growth will be detected within 24 to 48 hours by turbidity throughout the broth.

The cells are typically in short chains.

Additional information on this culture is available on the ATCC® web site at www.atcc.org.

Material Citation

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