



# *Campylobacter fetus* subsp. *fetus* (Smith and Taylor) Veron and Chatelain

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## Description

*Campylobacter fetus* subsp. *fetus* is a whole-genome sequenced bacterium that has applications as a quality control strain for API products.

**Strain designation:** NADL 1083-2255

**Deposited As:** *Vibrio fetus* Smith and Taylor

**Type strain:** No

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## Storage Conditions

**Product format:** Freeze-dried

**Storage conditions:** 2°C to 8°C

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## Intended Use

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## BSL 2

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### **Growth Conditions**

**Medium:**

ATCC Medium 1115: Brucella albimi broth

ATCC Medium 177: Fluid thioglycollate medium

ATCC Medium 260: Trypticase soy agar/broth with defibrinated sheep blood

**Temperature:** 37°C

**Atmosphere:** Microaerophilic: 3-5% O<sub>2</sub>, 10% CO<sub>2</sub>

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### **Handling Procedures**

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1. Open vial.
2. Using a single tube of #1115 or #177 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.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Mix well.
4. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate a #260 agar slant and/or plate.
5. Incubate tubes and plates at 37°C under microaerophilic conditions for 48 to 72 hours. Use an anaerobe jar with an active catalyst and a microaerophilic gas generator pack, or other acceptable method. Loosen the screw caps during an incubation period.

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### Notes

Fluid Thioglycollate tube may be incubated aerobically. To observe cells, examine a wet mount of the broth under phase microscopy. The organism is curved to spiral Gram negative rod with darting motility. Motility is best observed in young cultures. With age, cells may be looks like cocci.

Once good growth is present, these organisms tend to lose the viability especially if it is exposed to air for lengthy periods.

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### References

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