

# Pichia manshurica Saito 62402<sup>TM</sup>

### Description

This fungi is provided as an ampoule containing viable cells (may include spores and mycelia) suspended in cryoprotectant. It was isolated in compost enriched soil in Hungary and may have potential applications as a fungal antagonist/mycoparasite.

**Strain designation:** TUB Y-5

Deposited As: Candida valida (Leberle) van Uden et Buckley

Type strain: No

## **Storage Conditions**

Product format: Freeze-dried Storage conditions: 2°C to 8°C

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#### **Growth Conditions**

Medium:

ATCC Medium 336: Potato dextrose agar (PDA)

Temperature: Room temperature

Atmosphere: Aerobic

Incubation: Under black light

# Handling Procedures

For freeze-dry (lyophilized) ampoules:

- 1. Open the ampoule.
- 2. From a single test tube of **sterile distilled water** (5 to 6 mL), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 mL with a sterile pipette and apply directly to the

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- pellet. Stir to form a suspension.
- 3. Aseptically transfer the suspension back into the test tube of sterile distilled water.
- 4. Let the test tube sit at room temperature (25°C) undisturbed for **at least 2 hours**; longer (e.g., overnight) rehydration might increase viability of some fungi.
- 5. Mix the suspension well. Use several drops (or make dilutions if desired) to inoculate recommended solid or liquid medium. Include a control that receives no inoculum.
- 6. Incubate the inoculum at the propagation conditions recommended.
- 7. 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.

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