

***Olsenella* sp., Oral Taxon 809, Strain F0356**

**Catalog No. HM-198**

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**Product Description:**

Bacteria Classification: *Coriobacteriaceae, Olsenella*

Species: *Olsenella* sp.

Subtaxon: Oral Taxon 809

Strain: F0356

Original Source: *Olsenella* sp., Oral Taxon 809, strain F0356 was isolated from the molar dental plaque of a human patient.<sup>1</sup>

Comments: *Olsenella* sp., Oral Taxon 809, strain F0356 ([HMP ID 1008](#)) is a reference genome for [The Human Microbiome Project](#) (HMP). HMP is an initiative to identify and characterize human microbial flora. The complete genome of *Olsenella* sp. Oral Taxon 809 strain F0356 was sequenced at the [Broad Institute](#) (GenBank: [ACVE00000000](#)).

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*Olsenella* species are generally anaerobic, Gram-positive, non-motile, non-sporeforming, rod-shaped bacteria that are found in the oral cavity of patients with periodontitis and endodontic infections; some species can be found in animal rumen.<sup>2,3</sup>

**Material Provided:**

Each vial contains approximately 0.5 mL of bacterial culture in 0.5X Peptone Yeast Extract Glucose (PYG) broth with 0.1% Tween 80 supplemented with 10% glycerol.

Note: If homogeneity is required for your intended use, please purify prior to initiating work.

**Packaging/Storage:**

HM-198 was packaged aseptically in cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -60°C or colder immediately upon arrival. For long-term storage, the vapor phase of a liquid nitrogen freezer is recommended. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

**Growth Conditions:**

Media:

PYG medium with 0.1% Tween 80 (ATCC® medium 1482) or

equivalent

Incubation:

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: Anaerobic (80% N<sub>2</sub>:10% CO<sub>2</sub>:10% H<sub>2</sub>)

Propagation:

1. Keep vial frozen until ready for use, then thaw.
2. Transfer the entire thawed aliquot into a single tube of broth.
3. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate an agar slant and/or plate.
4. Incubate the tube, slant and/or plate at 37°C for 48 hours.

**Citation:**

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH as part of the Human Microbiome Project: *Olsenella* sp., Oral Taxon 809, Strain F0356, HM-198."

**Biosafety Level: 1**

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. [Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories](#). 5th ed. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2009; see [www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm).

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