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Chocolate Agar, Base

Part D

Specifications	
Appearance (Colour)	Beige
Appearance (Form)	Free flowing, homogeneous powd
Solubility	36.00 gm/liter
Solubility before autoclaving (Clarity)	Clear to very slightly opalescent
Gel strength (1.5% gel)	Firm, comparable with 1.5% agar
pH (25°C)	7.2 ± 0.2
Prepared Medium Appearance after autoclaving (Clarity)	Clear to very slightly opalescent
Prepared Medium Appearance after autoclaving (Colour)	Light to medium amber After addition of blood : Chocolate brown, opaque
Cultural Response	Inoculate and incubate at 37°C for hours
Organism	Streptococcus pyogenes ATCC 19
Inoculum (cfu) 10-100	Growth : Good
Organism	Streptococcus pneumoniae ATCC 6303
Inoculum (cfu) 10-100	Growth: Good

Other Information

Applications

For the isolation and identification of a variety of fastidious microorganisms.

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Composition			
Ingredients		gm/lt.	
Agar		10.00	
Sodium chloride		5.00	
Corn starch		1.00	
Proteose peptone no.	3	15.00	
Di potassium phospha	ate	4.00	
Monopotassium phos	phate	1.00	

Directions

- 1. Add 36.00 gm powder to 990 ml distilled/purified water and mix thoroughly.
- 2. Gently heat and bring to boiling.
- 3. Autoclave at 15 psi pressure at 121°C for 15 minutes.
- 4. Cool to 45-50°C.
- 5. Add aseptically 10 ml of sterile defibrinated sheep blood.
- 6. Gently heat while stirring and bring to 85°C for 5-10 minutes.
- 7. Cool to 45-50°C.
- 8. Dispense into sterile petri plates.

General Information

Storage	8 to 25°C (Cool & Dry Area)
Shelf Life	36 Months
IMDG Identification	Not Regulated for Transport (Non-Haz)
HSN Code	
100 Gms	38210000 (GST 18%)
500 Gms	38210000 (GST 18%)
Type of Packing	
100 Gms	Plastic Bottle
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Available Packages

100 Gms

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