

## 55369

# **Bismuth Sulphite Agar (I)**

Part D

Specifications	
Appearance (Colour)	Light beige to light green
Appearance (Form)	Free flowing, homogeneous powder
Solubility	63.40 gm/liter
Solubility before autoclaving (Clarity)	Opaque with a flocculent precipitate
Gel strength	Firm, comparable with 1.5% agar gel
pH (25°C)	7.5 ± 0.2
Prepared medium appearance after boiling (clarity)	Opaque with a flocculent precipitate
Prepared medium appearance after boiling (colour)	Light grey-green to medium green
Cultural Response	Inoculate and incubate at 37°C for 18 - 24 hours
Organism	Salmonella typhimurium ATCC 14028
Inoculum (cfu) 10-100	Growth: Good, Recovery Rate: >=50%, Colony colour: Black or greenish-grey, may have sheen
Organism	Salmonella typhi ATCC 6539
Inoculum (cfu) 10-100	Growth: Good, Recovery Rate: >=50%, Colony colour: Black with metallic sheen
Organism	Escherichia coli ATCC 25922
Inoculum	>10 <sup>3</sup> , Growth : Partial Inhibition, Colony colour : Dull green or brown colonies, without metallic sheen.
Organism	Enterococcus faecalis ATCC 29212
Inoculum	>10 <sup>3</sup> , Growth : Inhibited
Organism	Salmonella enteritidis ATCC 13076
Inoculum (cfu) 10-100	Growth: Good, Recovery Rate: >=50%, Colony colour: Black with metallic sheen

#### **Other Information**

#### **Applications**

For the selective isolation and identification of Salmonella typhi and other enteric bacilli.

Composition	
Ingredients	gm/lt.
Peptone	10.00
Agar	24.00
D- Glucose monohydrate	5.00
Ferric citrate	0.40
Brilliant Green	0.01
Ammonium bismuth citrate	3.00

Sodium sulfite	10.00
Disodium hydrogen orthophosphate	5.00
Beef extract (ex.buffalo)	6.00

#### **Directions**

- 1. Add 63.40 gm powder to distilled/purified water.
- 2. Bring volume to 1.0 litre and mix thoroughly.
- 3. Gently heat and bring to boiling.
- 4. Do not Autoclave or Overheat the medium.
- 5. Swirl the flask while dispensing 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
500 Gms	Plastic Bottle

## **Available Packages**

100 Gms

500 Gms