

TM 2206 - M-TRYPTONE GLUCOSE EXTRACT BROTH

INTENDED USE

For enumeration of bacteria in milk and other samples of sanitary importance in dairy industries by membrane filter technique.

PRODUCT SUMMARY AND EXPLANATION

M-Tryptone Glucose Extract Broth is used as non-selective general purpose media recommended by APHA for determination of bacterial counts in dairy products and water, foods and other specimens respectively.

The dairy industry has relied for safety on control of the manufacturing process and on the use of tests such as the standard plate count and coliform count as indicators of post process contamination. Testing of dairy products or dairy plant environment samples for pathogens has not been routinely performed. However, there is a need for at least surveillance testing of product and environmental samples as well as for re-evaluation of processing and environmental control procedures. Evaluation of this may require that product and environmental samples be analyzed for pathogens.

COMPOSITION

Ingredients	Gms / Ltr		
Casein enzymic hydrolysate	10.000		
Dextrose	2.000		
Beef extract	6.000		

PRINCIPLE

Casein enzymic hydrolysate and beef extract provide the essential nutrients like amino acids, minerals and trace growth factors. Dextrose serves as the carbon source. About 2 ml of the broth medium is used to saturate sterile absorbent pads. Filters used for membrane filtration are then aseptically placed on these absorbent pads.

INSTRUCTION FOR USE

- Dissolve 18 grams in 1000 ml distilled water.
- Heat if necessary to dissolve the medium completely.
- Sterilize by autoclaving at 15 psi pressure (121°C) for 15 minutes.

QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATIONS

Appearance of Powder : Cream to yellow homogeneous free flowing powder

Appearance of prepared medium : Light amber coloured clear solution without any precipitate

pH (at 25°C) : 7.0±0.2

INTERPRETATION

Cultural characteristics observed after an incubation.

Microorganism	ATCC	Inoculum (CFU/ml)	Growth	Recovery	Incubation Temperature	Incubation Period
Escherichia coli	25922	50-100	luxuriant	>=50 %	35-37°C	18-24 Hours
Salmonella Typhi	6539	50-100	luxuriant	>=50 %	35-37°C	18-24 Hours
Staphylococcus aureus	25923	50-100	luxuriant	>=50 %	35-37°C	18-24 Hours

PACKAGING:











In pack size of 500 gm bottles.

STORAGE

Dehydrated powder, hygroscopic in nature, store in a dry place, in tightly-sealed containers between 25-30°C and protect from direct sunlight. Under optimal conditions, the medium has a shelf life of 4 years. When the container is opened for the first time, note the time and date on the label space provided on the container. After the desired amount of medium has been taken out replace the cap tightly to protect from hydration.

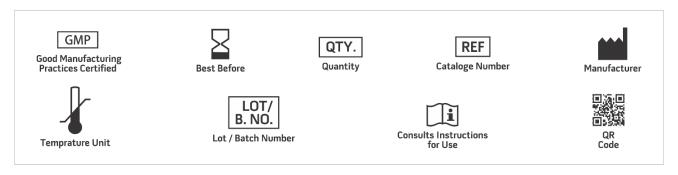
Product Deterioration: Do not use if they show evidence of microbial contamination, discoloration, drying or any other signs of deterioration.

DISPOSAL

After use, prepared plates, specimen/sample containers and other contaminated materials must be sterilized before discarding.

REFERENCES

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NOTE: Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling Practices.

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