

# TMH 104-SABOURAUD DEXTROSE AGAR (as per USP/BP/EP/JP/IP)

#### **INTENDED USE**

For selection, isolation and cultivation of yeasts and fungi.

#### PRODUCT SUMMARY AND EXPLANATION

Sabouraud Dextrose Agar is Carliers modification of the formulation described by Sabouraud for the cultivation of fungi (yeasts, molds), and aciduric microorganisms. Sabouraud Dextrose Agar is recommended for microbiological examination of non-sterile products in accordance with the harmonized method of USP/EP/BP/JP. This medium is also employed in microbial limit tests in pharmaceutical testing, food, cosmetics, and clinical specimens.

#### **COMPOSITION**

Ingredients	Gms / Ltr
Dextrose	40.000
Agar	15.000
Mixture of Peptone and Tryptone (1:1)	10.000

#### **PRINCIPLE**

Peptone and Tryptone provides carbonaceous, nitrogenous compounds, long chain amino acids, vitamins and other essential growth nutrients. Dextrose (Glucose) provides an energy source. High dextrose concentration and low pH favors fungal growth and inhibits contaminating bacteria from the samples. Agar is added as a solidifying agent.

## **INSTRUCTION FOR USE**

- Dissolve 65.00 grams of the medium in 1000 ml distilled water.
- Gently heat to boiling with gentle swirling to dissolve the medium completely.
- Sterilize by autoclaving at 15 psi (121°C) for 15 minutes.
- Cool to 45 50°C.
- Mix well and pour into sterile Petriplate.

#### **QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATIONS**

**Appearance of Powder** Cream to yellow colour, homogeneous free flowing powder

Light amber colour, clear to slightly opalescent gel Appearance of prepared medium

pH (at 25°C) 5.6±0.2

#### **INTERPRETATION**

Cultural characteristics observed after incubation.

Microorganism	ATCC	Inoculum (CFU/ml)	Growth	Appearance of colony	Zone Diameter/ Recovery	Incubation Temp.	Incubation Period
#Aspergillus brasiliensis	16404	10-100	Luxuriant	White mycelium, black spores	≥ 70%	20-25°C	≤ 5 Days
Trichoderma viride	52440	Point Inoculation	Luxuriant	Cottony bluish- green	Good zone diameter	20-25°C	5 Days
Trichophyton mentagrophytes	9533	Point Inoculation	Luxuriant	White to cream colour, downy to fluffy	Good zone diameter	20-25°C	≤ 5 Days









## **PRODUCT DATA SHEET**

Candida albicans	10231	50-100	Luxuriant	Whitish convex, entire dimorphic	≥ 70%	30-35°C	18-48 hours
Candida albicans	10231	50-100	Luxuriant	Whitish convex, entire dimorphic	≥ 70%	20-25°C	<=3 days
Candida krusei	6258	50-100	Luxuriant	Greyish white, flat, circular, dimorphic	≥ 70%	30-35°C	18-48 hours
Saccharomyces cerevisiae	9763	50-100	Luxuriant	White to cream, flat, smooth, moist, glistening or dull, glabrous	≥ 70%	30-35°C	18-48 hours
Penicillium corylophilum	20203	Point Inoculation	Luxuriant	Greyish green	Good zone diameter	20-25°C.	5 Days

#Formerly known as Aspergillus niger

### **PACKAGING**

In 100 & 500 gm packaging size.

#### **STORAGE**

Dehydrated powder, hygroscopic in nature, store in a dry place, in tightly-sealed containers below 25°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.

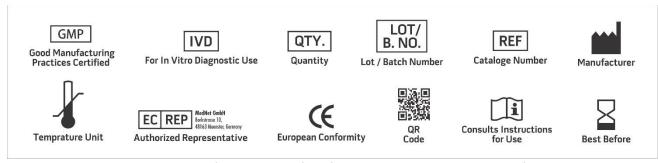
**Product Deterioration:** Do not use, if powder show evidence of microbial contamination, discoloration, drying, or other signs of deterioration.

#### **DISPOSAL**

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

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

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