

Technical Data

Tryptone Soya Agar w/added NaCl

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Tryptone Soya Agar with added NaCl is a highly nutritious general purpose medium recommended for use when 1% Sodium Chloride is needed in medium.

Composition**

Ingredients	Gms / Litre
Casein enzymic hydrolysate	15.000
Papaic digest of soyabean meal	5.000
Sodium chloride	10.000
Agar	15.000
Final pH (at 25°C)	7.3±0.2

^{**}Formula adjusted, standardized to suit performance parameters

Directions

Suspend 45.0 grams in 1000 ml distilled water. Heat to boiling to dissolve completely. Sterilize by autoclaving at 15 lbs pressure (121°C) for 15 minutes.

Principle And Interpretation

Tryptone Soya Agar with added Sodium chloride is a nutritious general purpose medium recommended for use when 1% Sodium chloride is needed in medium. Casein enzymic hydrolysate and papaic digest of soyabean meal provide nitrogenous compounds and other growth factors. The medium contains slightly high concentration of sodium chloride which provides the ions and also maintains osmotic equilibrium.

Quality Control

Appearance

Yellow coloured homogeneous free flowing powder

Gelling

Firm, comparable with 1.5% Agar gel

Colour and Clarity of prepared medium

Yellow coloured clear gel forms in Petri plates.

Reaction

Reaction of 4.5% w/v aqueous solution at 25°C. pH: 7.3±0.2

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7.10-7.50

Cultural Response

Cultural characteristics observed after an incubation at 35-37°C for 18-24 hours.

Cultural Response

Organism	Inoculum (CFU)	Growth	Recovery
Cultural Response			
Neisseria gonorrhoeae	50-100	luxuriant	>=70%
ATCC 19424			
Staphylococcus aureus	50-100	luxuriant	>=70%
ATCC 25923			
Staphylococcus epidermidis	50-100	luxuriant	>=70%
ATCC 12228			
Streptococcus pyogenes	50-100	luxuriant	>=70%
ATCC 19615			

Storage and Shelf Life

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Store below 30°C in tightly closed container and the prepared medium at 2 - 8°C.Use before expiry date on the label.

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