Sabouraud Dextrose (1%) Maltose (1%) Agar



Medium used for the cultivation of yeast, molds and aciduric microorganisms.

CONTENTS (Liter)

Casein Enzymic Hydrolysate	5.0 g
Peptic Digest of Animal Tissue	5.0 g
Dextrose	10.0 g
Maltose	10.0 g
Agar	15.0 g
Final pH = 5.4 ± 0.2 at 25° C.	

• PROCEDURE

Suspend 45.0 G of powder in 1 L of distilled or deionized water. Heat to boiling until completely dissolved. Sterilize by autoclave at 121°C for 15 minutes. Cool to 45-50°C in water bath. Mix well. Dispense in tubes.

INTERPRETATION

Sabouraud Dextrose (1%) Maltose (1%) Agar is medium used for the cultivation of yeast, molds and aciduric microorganisms. Casein enzymic hydrolysate and peptic digest of animal tissue provide nitrogen, vitamins, minerals, amino acids and growth factors. Dextrose and maltose are energy source for the growth of microorganisms. Agar is the solidifying agent.

• TECHNIC

Inoculate the plates with spreading the specimen on the surface of the medium using a sterile loop. Incubate at 25 - 30°C for 18 - 48 hours up to 7days. Refer appropriate references for recommended test procedure.

QUALITY CONTROL FOR USE

Dehydrated medium

Appearance: free-flowing, homogeneous

Color: light beige Prepared medium

Appearance: clear to slightly opalescent

Color: light amber

Incubation conditions: $30 \pm 2^{\circ}\text{C} / 18 - 48 \text{ hours up to 7days}$

Microorganism	ATCC	Inoculum CFU	Growth
Saccharomyces cerevisiae	76625	50-100	good
Escherichia coli	25922	50-100	good
Candida albicans	10231	50-100	good
Aspergillus niger	16404	heavy	good

STORE

The powder is very hygroscopic. Store the powder at room temperature, in a dry environment, in its original container tightly closed and use it before the expiry date on the label or until signs of deterioration or contamination are evident. Store prepared medium at 2-8°C.

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PACKAGE

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