Product Name: Schaedler Broth

Basal medium for aerobic and anaerobic bacteria isolation.

TYPICAL FORMULA (G/L)

Tryptic Soy Broth	10.0
Tryptone	5.0
Yeast Extract	5.0
Glucose	5.0
Hemin	0.01
L-Cystine	0.4
Final pH = 7.6 ± 0 .	2 at 25°C.

DIRECTIONS

Suspend 25.42 G of powder in 1 L of distilled or deionized water. Heat to boiling until completely dissolved. Dispense into final containers. Sterilize in the autoclave at 121°C for 15 minutes.

DESCRIPTION

Schaedler Broth is a nonselective medium used for fastidious aerobic and anaerobic bacteria, such as lactobacilli, streptococci, clostridia and *Bacteroides*. The medium is highly nutritious due to its content of peptones, glucose and yeast extract. Hemin supplies the X factor required by many fastidious microorganisms.

TECHNIQUE

Cool the medium at 25°C. If the medium is not used immediately after its preparation, it must be regenerated at 100°C for 20 minutes in order to restore conditions of anaerobiosis. Do not repeat this operation more than once. Inoculate the material to examine into the tube using a sterile bent glass rod. Incubate at 36 \pm 1°C for 18-48 hours in aero/anaerobic conditions required by the species being studied.

QUALITY CONTROL

Dehydrated medium

Appearance: free-flowing, homogeneous.

Color: light tan.
Prepared medium

Appearance: clear to slightly opalescent, may have a slight precipitate.

Color: light to medium amber.

Incubation conditions: $36 \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}$ / 18-48 hours.

Microorganism	ATCC	Growth
Clostridium perfringens	13124	good
Streptococcus pyogenes	19615	good
Escherichia coli	25922	good
Staphylococcus aureus	25923	good



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PERFORMANCE AND LIMITATIONS

Since the nutritional requirements of organisms are different, some strains may be encountered that fail to grow or grow poorly on this medium.

STORAGE

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 2-6°C.

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PACKAGING

Cat. No: MB-S1137 Schaedler Broth	500 G
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