

# YG Broth



Medium used for the cultivation and enumeration of yeasts, molds and other microorganisms from soil and water.

## • CONTENTS (Liter)

Yeast Extract	1.0 g
Glucose	1.0 g
Dipotassium Phosphate	0.3 g
Monopotassium Phosphate	0.2 g
Magnesium Sulfate Heptahydrate	0.2 g
Final pH = 6.9 ± 0.2 at 25°C	

## • PROCEDURE

Suspend 2.7 G of powder in 1 L of distilled or deionized water. If necessary, add 5 mL of 0.1% Crystal Violet Solution. 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. Pour into tubes.

## • INTERPRETATION

YG Broth is a medium used for the cultivation and enumeration of yeasts, molds and other microorganisms from soil and water. Yeast extract is the nitrogen and vitamin sources. Glucose is a fermentable carbohydrate. Dipotassium phosphate and monopotassium phosphate are the buffering agents. Magnesium sulfate heptahydrate provides essential ions for the growth of microorganisms.

## • TECHNIC

Inoculate the specimen using a sterile needle to the medium. Incubate at 28 ± 2°C for 40 - 72 hours. 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: very light amber

Incubation conditions: 28 ± 2°C / 40 - 72 hours

Microorganism	ATCC	Growth (w/o Crystal Violet)	Growth (w/ Crystal Violet)
<i>Escherichia coli</i>	25922	good	good
<i>Aspergillus niger</i>	16404	good	inhibited
<i>Candida albicans</i>	10231	good	inhibited
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	25923	good	inhibited

**• 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. Store prepared medium at 2 - 8°C.

**• REFERENCES**

1. Atlas and Park (1993) Handbook of Micr. Media

**• PACKAGE**

Cat. No : MB-Y0778 YG Broth	500 G
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