# Product Name : H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test

Rapid test for hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S) production.

# CONTENT OF THE PACKAGES

## ITEMS NECESSARY NOT INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGES

• Physiological Solution (MB-20095)

### INTERPRETATION

H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test containing iron compounds allow detection of hydrogen sulfide production.

## PRINCIPLE OF THE METHOD

If sulfide is produced, it combines with iron compounds to produce ferrous sulfide, a black precipitate.

#### PROCEDURE

- 1. Take a tube from the kit.
- 2. Add 0.3 mL of sterile physiological solution.
- 3. Suspend with sterile loop a well isolated colony from culture medium.
- 4. Cover the tube and incubate at 37°C for 4 hours until to 24 hours.
- 5. Interprete the results by referring to reactions table.

# INTERPRETATION OF THE RESULTS

Interpret the results according to the table;

Color of the medium

H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test

Black

Positive

Colorless

Negative





*Salmonella typhimurium* ATCC 14028



# QUALITY CONTROL FOR USE

Each batch of H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test is submitted to the quality control using the following microorganisms :

Microorganism		H <sub>2</sub> S Production
Citrobacter freundii	ATCC 8090	+
Proteus vulgaris	ATCC 13315	+
Salmonella typhimurium	ATCC 14028	+
Escherichia coli	ATCC 25922	-

#### PRECAUTIONS

H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test is a disposable device to be used only for diagnostic use *in vitro*. It is intended for use in a professional environment and must be used in the laboratory by properly trained personal, using approved asepsis and safety methods for handling pathogenic agents.

#### STORE

Store H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test at 2-6 °C in its original package. In such conditions the product is valid until the expiry date shown on the label. Do not use after expiry date. Dispose of them if they show signs of deterioration.

# DISPOSAL OF USED MATERIAL

After the use, H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test and the material that has come into contact with the sample must be decontaminated and disposed of in accordance with the laboratory procedures.

#### REFERENCES

1. Belliveau R.R., Grayson J.W. and Butler T.J.: Simple method of identyfing Enterobacteriaceae . Am . J. Clin. Pathol . 50:126 – 128, 1968.

# PACKAGE

Cat. No : MB-88013 H<sub>2</sub>S Rapid Test 30 tubes

