

# TRYPTIC SOY BROTH EP, USP

Medium for microbial growth, conforms to harmonized USP/EP requirements.

TYPICAL FORMULA	(g/l)			
Tryptone	17.0			
Soytone	3.0			
Sodium Chloride	5.0			
Glucose	2.5			
Potassium Phosphate Dibasic	2.5			
Final pH 7.3 ± 0.2				

### DESCRIPTION

TRYPTIC SOY BROTH EP, USP is a nutritious medium that supports the growth of a wide variety of microorganisms, especially common aerobic and facultatively anaerobic bacteria and fungi. The medium is recommended by the United States Pharmacopeia (USP) and the European Pharmacopeia (EP) for counting total anaerobic microorganisms in pharmaceutical products and to test the absence of fungal contamination in pharmaceutical products at 20-25°C.

### **PRINCIPLE**

Tryptone and soytone are sources of peptides and free amino acids. Glucose is a energy source easy to use by microorganisms. Sodium chloride maintains the osmotic balance of the medium. Dibasic potassium phosphate acts as buffer to pH control.

#### PREPARATION

Check the content of the bottle is homogeneous and clear; if it is the case repeatedly turn the bottle upside down. TRYPTIC SOY BROTH EP, USP can be used as such or divided, under aseptic conditions, in lower aliquots.

#### TECHNIQUE

Bring the medium to room temperature or, preferably at 36±1°C. Inoculate with the sample. Incubate at 36±1°C for 18-24 hours.

# INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

Turbidity indicates microbial growth in the medium.

#### STORAGE

10-25°C away from light, until the expiry date on the label or until signs of deterioration or contamination are evident.

## WARNING AND PRECAUTIONS

The product does not contain hazardous substances in concentrations exceeding the limits set by current legislation and therefore is not classified as dangerous. It is nevertheless recommended to consult the safety data sheet for its correct use. The product is designed for *In vitro* diagnostic use and must be used only by properly trained operators.

# DISPOSAL OF WASTE

Disposal of waste must be carried out according to the national and local regulations in force.

## **REFERENCES**

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# **PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

# NAME

TRYPTIC SOY BROTH EP, USP

## PRESENTATION

Glass bottles containing liquid medium

## STORAGE

10-25°C

## **PACKAGING**

Ref.	Content	Packaging
400030	6 flip cap bottles x 100 ml	6 bottles in cardboard box
400130	6 flip cap bottles x 300 ml	6 bottles in cardboard box
400230	6 flip cap bottles x 1000 ml	6 bottles in cardboard box
400330	6 screw cap bottles x 100 ml	6 bottles in cardboard box
400430	6 screw cap bottles x 200 ml	6 bottles in cardboard box

# pH OF THE MEDIUM

7.3 ± 0.2

#### USE

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## **TECHNIQUE**

Refer to technical sheet of the product

# APPEARANCE OF THE MEDIUM

Light amber medium, clear without precipitates

# SHELFLIFE

2 years

# **QUALITY CONTROL**

- 1. Control of general characteristics, label and print
- Sterility control
  - 7 days at  $22 \pm 1^{\circ}$ C, in aerobiosis 7 days at  $36 \pm 1^{\circ}$ C, in aerobiosis
- Microbiological control
  - Inoculum for productivity: 10-100 CFU/ml

Incubation Conditions: 18-24 h at 35 ± 2°C, in aerobiosis

Microorganism		Growth
Staphylococcus aureus	ATCC® 25923	Good
Bacillus subtilis	ATCC® 6633	Good
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	ATCC® 27853	Good
Aspergillus niger	ATCC® 16404	Good
Candida albicans	ATCC® 10231	Good

TABLE OF SYMBOLS						
LOT Batch code	IVD In vitro Diagnostic Medical Device	Manufacturer	Use by	Fragile, handle with care		
REF Catalogue number	Temperature limitation	Contains sufficient for <n> tests</n>	Caution, see instructions for use	② Do not reuse		



