

## M17 BROTH

Medium for isolating lactic streptococci from yogurt, cheese starters and other dairy products.

## TIPICAL FORMULA (g/l)

Meat Extract	5.0
Peptone Soya	5.0
Tryptone	5.0
Yeast Extract	2.5
Disodium-ß-glycerophosphate	19.0
Magnesium Sulfate	0.25
Ascorbic Acid	0.5
Lactose	5.0
Final pH 6.9 ± 0.2	

## **DESCRIPTION**

M17 BROTH is a medium for isolating lactic streptococci from yogurt, cheese starters and other dairy products.

#### PRINCIPI F

Peptones and meat derivatives are sources of carbon, nitrogen, vitamins and minerals. Yeast extract supplies B-complex vitamins which stimulate bacterial growth. Disodium-β-glycerophosphate buffers the medium as acid is produced from fermentation of lactose. Ascorbic acid stimulates growth of lactic streptococci. Magnesium sulfate provides essential ions for growth.

## **PREPARATION**

Suspend 42.25 g of powder in 1 litre of distilled or deionized water. Heat to boiling and shake until completely dissolved. Dispense in final tubes. Sterilize in autoclave at 121°C for 15 minutes.

#### **TECHNIQUE**

Inoculate the tubes and incubate at 35 ± 2°C for 40-48 hours.

#### STORAGE

10-30°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 is not classified as hazardous by current legislation and does not contain harmful substances in concentrations of ≥1%. The product must be used only by properly trained operators.

## **DISPOSAL of WASTE**

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

## REFERENCES

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# **PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

NAME

M17 BROTH

## PRESENTATION

Dehydrated culture medium

## **STORAGE**

10-30°C

PACKAGING

Code	Content	Packaging
610505	500 g	500 g of powder in plastic bottle
620505	100 g	100 g of powder in plastic bottle

# pH OF THE MEDIUM

 $6.9 \pm 0.2$ 

#### USE

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Refer to technical sheet of the product.

# APPEARANCE OF THE MEDIUM

Pinkish to medium tan dehydrated medium, free-flowing, homogeneous.

Light amber prepared medium, clear to very slightly opalescent, no significant precipitate.

# SHELFLIFE

4 years

# **QUALITY CONTROL**

1. Control of general characteristics, label and print

# 2. Microbiological control

Inoculum for productivity: 10-100 UFC/ml Inoculum for selectivity: 10⁴-10⁵ UFC/ml Inoculum for specificity: ≤ 10⁴ UFC/ml Incubation conditions: 48 h at 35 ± 2°C

Microorganisms		Growth
Lactobacillus delbruekii	ATCC 4797	Good
Lactobacillus lactis	ATCC 19435	Good

TABLE of SYMBOLS							
LOT Batch code	[]i	Caution, consult accompanying documents	3	Manufacturer	Σ	Contains sufficient for <n> tests</n>	
REF Catalogue number	1	Temperature limitation	$\subseteq$	Use by			

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