

# **Technical Information**

# **Bile Salts Mixture, Certified**

**Product Code: BC2009** 

## **Principle & Interpretation**

Bile Salts Mixture, Certified is recommended for use in microbiological culture media for selective isolation and cultivationof bile tolerant enteric bacteria. Bile Salts Mixture is obtained by hydrolysis of bile salts

## **Quality Control**

### Appearance

White, homogeneous, free flowing powder with characteristic odour.

### Solubility

Soluble in distilled water, insoluble in alcohol and ether.

## Clarity

1% aqueous solution is light straw coloured, clear and free from extraneous matter.

#### Reaction

Reaction of 1% w/v aqueous solution at 25ºC

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7.50-8.50

## Cultural response

Cultural response observed after an incubation at 35-37°C for 18-24 hours by preparing MacConkey Agar (DM1081), usingBile Salts Mixture, Certified as an ingredient.

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Organism	Growth	Colour of colony
Escherichia coli ATCC25922	Luxuriant	
Pink to red with bile precip	pitate	
Enterobacter aerogenesATCC 13048	Luxuriant	Pink to red
Enterococcus faecalis ATCC29212	Fair to good	Colourless to pink
Proteus vulgaris ATCC13315	Luxuriant	Colourless
Salmonella Paratyphi AATCC 9150	Luxuriant	Colourless
Shigella flexneri ATCC12022	Fair to good	Colourless
Salmonella Paratyphi BATCC 8759	Luxuriant	Colourless
Salmonella Enteritidis ATCC13076	Luxuriant	Colourless
Salmonella Typhi ATCC6539	Luxuriant	Colourless
Staphylococcus aureusATCC 25923	Inhibited	

### Chemical Analysis

Cholic acid Content >= 45.0% Loss on drying <= 6.0%

# Storage and Shelf Life

Store below 30°C. Use before expiry date on the label.



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