

Technical Information

DOB Growth Medium with 2% Raffinose (Glucose Free)

Product Code: G1087

DOB Growth Medium with 2% Raffinose is used for the growth of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*.

Composition**

Ingredients	Grams/Litre
Potassium dihydrogen phosphate	1.00
Magnesium sulphate	0.50
Sodium chloride	0.10
Calcium chloride	0.10
Biotin	0.002 gm
Calcium pantothenate	0.4 mg
Folic acid	0.002 mg
Inositol	2.00 mg
Niacin	0.4 mg
PABA	0.2 mg
Pyridoxin, HCl	0.4 mg
Riboflavin	0.2 mg
Thiamine HCl	0.4 mg
Boric acid	0.5 mg
Copper sulphate	0.04 mg
Potassium iodide	0.1 mg
Ferric chloride	0.2 mg
Manganese sulphate	0.4 mg
Sodium molybdate	0.2 mg
Zinc sulphate	0.4 mg
Ammonium sulphate	5.00
Raffinose	20.00

** Formula adjusted, standardized to suit performance parameters

Methodology

Suspend 26.7 grams in 1000 ml distilled water. Sterilize by autoclaving at 10 lbs pressure (115°C) for 20 minutes. Mix well and dispense as desired.

Principle and Interpretation

DOB Growth Medium with 2% Raffinose (Glucose free) is used for the growth of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. This yeast strain is called budding yeast and is extensively studied microorganism in molecular and cell biology.

DOB Growth Medium with 2% Raffinose (Glucose free) is developed according to the formulae of Wickerham (1, 2) which supplies the required nutritional elements for budding yeast cells. This media contains all the essential vitamins and inorganic salts which are required for the propagation of yeast cells but does not contain the amino acids namely, histidine, methionine, leucine, lysine and tryptophan. Raffinose serves as the carbon source for the cells.

Quality control

Appearance of Powder :

White to cream colored, homogeneous, free flowing powder.

Color and Clarity :

Light yellow colored, clear solution without any precipitate.

Cultural Response :

Cultural characteristics observed after an incubation at 25-30°C for 18 - 48 hours.

Organisms (ATCC)

Saccharomyces cerevisiae

Growth

good-luxuriant

Storage and Shelf Life

Store below 30°C and the prepared medium at 2 - 8°C. Use before expiry date on the label.

Reference

1. Wickerham. 1939. J. Tropical Med. Hyg. 42:176.
2. Wickerham. 1946. J. Bacteriol. 52:293.

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