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## **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

**DESCRIPTION** CETRIMIDE AGAR, BOTTLED

**SGL PRODUCT CODE** 3024

A selective medium designed to recover *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. The formulation is described in the European Pharmacopoeia (EP) 2.6.13 and United States Pharmacopeia (USP) <62>.

## **FORMULATION**

Typical product composition\*:

COMPONENT	WEIGHT / VOLUME
Pancreatic digest of gelatin	20.0 g
Magnesium chloride	1.4 g
Dipotassium sulfate	10.0 g
Cetrimide	0.3 g
Agar	13.6 g
Purified water	1000 ml
Glycerol	10 ml

<sup>\*</sup>Product may be adjusted and/or supplemented to meet performance criteria

## **QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATION**

PHYSICAL TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Appearance	Translucent, colourless to pale straw gel
pH at 20-25°C	7.2 ± 0.2

STERILITY TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Incubation at 35-37°C for 5 days	No growth detected

GROWTH PROMOTION / INHIBITION TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Pseudomonas aeruginosa ATCC 27853	Good growth compared to control and pigmentation at 35-37°C incubation after 18-72 hours
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC 6538	Growth inhibition at 35-37°C incubation for 18-72 hours

NMT = Not more than

NLT = Not less than

CFU = Colony forming units

Additional specification testing may be performed as requested by the customer.

Manufactured in compliance with ISO 9001 (Ref No FM37824).

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