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## **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

**DESCRIPTION** LETHEEN BROTH, BOTTLED

**SGL PRODUCT CODE** 3235

Letheen broth is a highly nutritious medium containing lecithin and polysorbate 80 for the neutralisation of quaternary ammonium compounds.

## **FORMULATION**

Typical product composition\*:

COMPONENT	WEIGHT / VOLUME
Peptone	10.0 g
Beef extract	5.0 g
Sodium chloride	5.0 g
Lecithin	0.7 g
Polysorbate 80	5.0 g
Purified water	1000 ml

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

## **QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATION**

PHYSICAL TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Appearance	Turbid amber or brown liquid
pH at 20-25°C	7.0 ± 0.2

STERILITY TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Incubation at 22-25°C for a minimum of 5 days	No growth detected
Incubation at 35-37°C for a minimum of 5 days	No growth detected
Incubation at 42-45°C for a minimum of 5 days	No growth detected

GROWTH PROMOTION / INHIBITION TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Bacillus subtilis ATCC 6633 NCTC 10400	Growth detected at 35-37°C incubation after not
NMT 100 CFU inoculum	more than 1 day
Candida albicans ATCC 10231 NCPF 3179	Growth detected at 35-37°C incubation after not
NMT 100 CFU inoculum	more than 2 days
Kocuria rhizophila (Micrococcus luteus)	Growth detected at 35-37°C incubation after not
ATCC 9341	more than 1 day
NMT 100 CFU inoculum	
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC 6538 NCTC 10788	Growth detected at 35-37°C incubation after not
NMT 100 CFU inoculum	more than 1 day

NMT = Not more than

NLT = Not less than

CFU = Colony forming units

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

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