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## **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

**DESCRIPTION** MACCONKEY AGAR WITHOUT SALT OR CRYSTAL VIOLET,

90MM PLATES

**SGL PRODUCT CODE** 8071

A differential medium designed to recover enteric micro-organisms while inhibiting the swarming of *Proteus* species.

## **FORMULATION**

Typical product composition\*:

COMPONENT	WEIGHT / VOLUME
Peptone	20.0 g
Lactose	10.0 g
Bile salts	5.0 g
Neutral red	0.04 – 0.075 g
Agar	12.0 – 15.0 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	Transparent, pale red gel
pH at 20-25°C	7.4 ± 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

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GROWTH PROMOTION / INHIBITION TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Escherichia coli ATCC 8739 WDCM00012	Good growth compared to control at 35-37°C
	incubation for 18-24 hours. Lactose fermenting.
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC 6538 WDCM 00032	Good growth compared to control at 35-37°C
	incubation for 18-24 hours. Lactose fermenting.
Enterococcus faecalis ATCC 19433 WDCM00009	Good growth compared to control at 35-37°C
	incubation for 18-24 hours. Lactose fermenting.
Proteus mirabilis ATCC 29906 WDCM 00023	Good growth compared to control at 35-37°C
	incubation for 18-24 hours. Non-lactose
	fermenting. Non-swarming.

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).