

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

DESCRIPTIONROSE BENGAL CHLORAMPHENICOL AGAR, 90MM PLATESSGL PRODUCT CODE8080

A selective medium used for the selective enumeration of moulds and yeasts from foods. The chloramphenicol inhibits bacterial growth and the Rose-Bengal limits colony size.

FORMULATION

Typical product composition*:

COMPONENT	WEIGHT / VOLUME
Peptone	5.0 g
Dextrose	10.0 g
Potassium phosphate	1.0 g
Magnesium sulphate	0.5 g
Rose bengal	0.05 g
Chloramphenicol	0.1 g
Agar	15.5 g
Purified water	1000 ml

*Product may be adjusted and/or supplemented to meet performance criteria

QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATION

PHYSICAL TESTS	SPECIFICATION CRITERIA
Appearance	Translucent pink gel
pH at 20-25°C	7.2 ± 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
Candida albicans ATCC 2091 NCPF 3255	≥50% CFU recovery compared to control at 35-
NMT 100 CFU inoculum	37°C incubation after not more than 3 days
Escherichia coli ATCC 8739 NCTC 12923	No growth at 35-37°C incubation after 24-48hrs
NCIB 8545	
NLT 1000 CFU inoculum	

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) and tested in accordance with ISO 11133 by a UKAS (ISO 17025) accredited laboratory (Ref No. 4356).