## **Microorganisms**



## 1318. METHANOCELLA CONRADII MEDIUM

MgCl <sub>2</sub> x 6 H <sub>2</sub> O	0.40	g
CaCl <sub>2</sub> x 2 H <sub>2</sub> O	0.10	g
NH <sub>4</sub> Cl	0.10	g
$KH_2PO_4$	0.20	g
KCI	0.50	g
Yeast extract	0.20	g
Na-acetate	0.09	g
Trace element solution SL-10 (see medium 320)	1.00	ml
Selenite-tungstate solution (see medium 385)	1.00	ml
Na-resazurin solution (0.1% w/v)	0.50	ml
NaHCO <sub>3</sub>	2.50	g
Vitamin solution (see medium 141)	9.00	ml
Seven vitamins solution (see medium 503)	1.00	ml
$Na_2S \times 9 H_2O$	0.20	g
Distilled water	1000.00	ml

Dissolve ingredients (except bicarbonate, vitamins and sulfide) and sparge medium with 80%  $H_2$  and 20%  $CO_2$  gas mixture for 30 – 45 min to make it anoxic. Dispense medium under same gas atmosphere into anoxic Hungate-type tubes or serium vials and autoclave. Add vitamins (sterilized by filtration) and sulfide from sterile anoxic stock solutions prepared under 100%  $N_2$  gas and bicarbonate from a sterile anoxic stock solution prepared under 80%  $N_2$  and 20%  $CO_2$  gas mixture. The pH of the complete medium should be 7.0. After inoculation pressurize vials to 1 bar overpressure with sterile 80%  $H_2$  and 20%  $CO_2$  gas mixture.