

198: DESULFOSARCINA MEDIUM (BRACKISH WATER)

Final pH: 7.1 - 7.4

Final volume: 1003 ml

Solution A	952.00	ml
Solution B	30.00	ml
Solution C	10.00	ml
Solution D	1.00	ml
Solution E	10.00	ml

1. Solution A is sparged with 80% N₂ and 20% CO₂ gas mixture to reach a pH below 6 (at least 30 min), then distributed under the same gas atmosphere into anoxic Hungate-type tubes or serum vials and autoclaved. Solution B is autoclaved separately under 80% N₂ and 20% CO₂ gas atmosphere. Solutions C and E are autoclaved under 100% N₂ gas. Solution D is prepared under 100% N₂ gas atmosphere and sterilized by filtration. To complete the medium appropriate amounts of solutions B to E are added to the sterile solution A in the sequence as indicated. Final pH of the medium should be 7.1 - 7.4.

2. Note: Addition of 10 - 20 mg sodium dithionite per liter (e.g. from 5% (w/v) solution, freshly prepared under N₂ and filter-sterilized) may stimulate growth of some strains at the beginning. For transfers use 5 - 10% (v/v) inoculum.

For DSM 2650: Na-benzoate is replaced by 1.50 g/l Na-pyruvate and 1.00 g/l Na₂-malate added after autoclaving from sterile anoxic stock solutions prepared under N₂.

For DSM 9990: Na-benzoate is replaced by 6.20 g/l Na-acetate.

For DSM 103834: Na-benzoate is replaced by 2.5 g/l Na-lactate.

For DSM 113909: Supplement medium with 1.60 g Na₂-fumarate. Omit Na-benzoate. Adjust pH of final medium to 8.0 - 8.5.

For DSM 115219: Supplement medium with 0.35 g Na-formate and 0.16 g Na-acetate. Omit Na-benzoate.

Solution A

Na ₂ SO ₄	3.00	g
KH ₂ PO ₄	0.20	g
NH ₄ Cl	0.30	g
NaCl	13.50	g
MgCl ₂ x 6 H ₂ O	2.00	g
KCl	0.50	g
CaCl ₂ x 2 H ₂ O	0.15	g
Selenite-tungstate solution	1.00	ml
Trace element solution SL-10	1.00	ml

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Sodium resazurin (0.1% w/v)	0.50	ml
Distilled water	950.00	ml

Solution B

Na ₂ CO ₃	1.50	g
Distilled water	30.00	ml

Solution C

Na-benzoate	0.60	g
Distilled water	10.00	ml

Solution D

Wolin's vitamin solution (10x)	1.00	ml
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Solution E

Na ₂ S x 9 H ₂ O	0.40	g
Distilled water	10.00	ml

Selenite-tungstate solution (from medium 385)

NaOH	0.50	g
Na ₂ SeO ₃ x 5 H ₂ O	3.00	mg
Na ₂ WO ₄ x 2 H ₂ O	4.00	mg
Distilled water	1000.00	ml

Trace element solution SL-10 (from medium 320)

HCl (25%)	10.00	ml
FeCl ₂ x 4 H ₂ O	1.50	g
ZnCl ₂	70.00	mg
MnCl ₂ x 4 H ₂ O	100.00	mg
H ₃ BO ₃	6.00	mg
CoCl ₂ x 6 H ₂ O	190.00	mg
CuCl ₂ x 2 H ₂ O	2.00	mg
NiCl ₂ x 6 H ₂ O	24.00	mg
Na ₂ MoO ₄ x 2 H ₂ O	36.00	mg
Distilled water	990.00	ml

First dissolve FeCl₂ in the HCl, then dilute in water, add and dissolve the other salts. Finally make up to 1000.00 ml.

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Wolin's vitamin solution (10x) (from medium 120)

Biotin	20.00	mg
Folic acid	20.00	mg
Pyridoxine hydrochloride	100.00	mg
Thiamine HCl	50.00	mg
Riboflavin	50.00	mg
Nicotinic acid	50.00	mg
Calcium D-(+)-pantothenate	50.00	mg
Vitamin B ₁₂	1.00	mg
p-Aminobenzoic acid	50.00	mg
(DL)-alpha-Lipoic acid	50.00	mg
Distilled water	1000.00	ml