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337: SYNTROPHOCOCCUS SUCROMUTANS MEDIUM

Solution A	921.00	ml
Solution B	50.00	ml
Solution C	1.00	ml
Solution D	25.00	ml
Solution E	10.00	ml
Solution F	1.00	ml

- 1. Sparge solution A with 80% N_2 and 20% CO_2 gas mixture for 30 45 min to make it anoxic. Adjust pH to 6.4 and dispense under same gas atmosphere into anoxic Hungate-type tubes or serum vials and autoclave. Solution B is autoclaved separately under 80% N_2 and 20% CO_2 gas atmosphere. Solution C is prepared under 100% N_2 gas atmosphere and sterilized by filtration. Solutions D, E and F are autoclaved separately under 100% N_2 gas. To complete the medium add appropriate amounts of solutions B F to the sterile solution A in the sequence as indicated. Adjust pH of the complete medium to 6.4 6.8, if necessary.
- 2. Note: Rumen fluid may be replaced by supplementing the medium with 200 μ g/ml of crude egg yolk phosphatidylcholine (SIGMA, type IX-E).

Solution A

Mineral solution	50.00	ml
Trace element solution SL-10	1.00	ml
Clarified rumen fluid	300.00	ml
Trypticase peptone (BD Bacto/BD BBL)	5.00	g
Na-formate	0.60	g
Sodium resazurin (0.1% w/v)	0.50	ml
Distilled water	570.00	ml

Solution B

NaHCO ₃	2.50	g
Distilled water	50.00	ml

Solution C

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Solution D

Lactose	5.00	g
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Solution E

L-Cysteine HCl x H ₂ O	0.24	g
Distilled water	10.00	ml

Solution F

$Na_2S \times 9 H_2O$	78.00	mg
Distilled water	1.00	ml

Mineral solution (from medium 335)

KH ₂ PO ₄	10.00	g
$MgCl_2 \times 6 H_2O$	6.60	g
NaCl	8.00	g
NH ₄ Cl	8.00	g
CaCl ₂ x 2 H ₂ O	1.00	g
Distilled water	1000.00	ml

Trace element solution SL-10 (from medium 320)

HCI (25%)	10.00	ml
FeCl ₂ x 4 H ₂ O	1.50	g
ZnCl ₂	70.00	mg
$MnCl_2 \times 4 H_2O$	100.00	mg
H_3BO_3	6.00	mg
CoCl ₂ x 6 H ₂ O	190.00	mg
CuCl ₂ x 2 H ₂ O	2.00	mg
$NiCl_2 \times 6 H_2O$	24.00	mg
$Na_2MoO_4 \times 2 H_2O$	36.00	mg
Distilled water	990.00	ml

First dissolve $FeCl_2$ in the HCl, then dilute in water, add and dissolve the other salts. Finally make up to 1000.00 ml.

Clarified rumen fluid (from medium 1310)

Rumen fluid from cow or sheep (obtained from fistulated animals or abattoir refuse) is filtered through muslin, autoclaved at 121° C for 15 min and then centrifuged at 27,000 g for 20 min. The supernatant is made anoxic by sparging with 100% N₂ gas for 15 min, dispensed under same gas atmosphere into anoxic serum vials to 30% of volume and then stored frozen at -20°C.

Seven vitamins solution (from medium 503)

Vitamin B ₁₂	100.00	mg
p-Aminobenzoic acid	80.00	mg

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D-(+)-biotin	20.00 mg
Nicotinic acid 2	00.00 mg
Calcium pantothenate 1	00.00 mg
Pyridoxine hydrochloride 3	00.00 mg
Thiamine-HCl x 2 H ₂ O 20	00.00 mg
Distilled water 10	00.00 ml