

## **429d. FRANCISELLA HALIOTICIDA MEDIUM**

Dissolve Columbia agar base in 70% artificial seawater and add additional 2 g agar per liter. Autoclave and mix solution with 4% horse or sheep blood after cooling to 50°C. Add 1% glucose, 2 mM FeCl<sub>3</sub> and 0.1% cysteine, mix well and pour plates. Rehydrate pellets of freeze-dried ampoules in liquid medium 220 or 215.