

## 730: FERROGLOBUS PLACIDUS MEDIUM

Solution A	950.00	ml
Solution B	30.00	ml
Solution C	1.00	ml
Solution D	10.00	ml
Solution E	10.00	ml

1. Sparge solution A with 80%  $H_2$  and 20%  $CO_2$  gas mixture for 30 - 45 min to make it anoxic, then dispense under same gas atmosphere into anoxic serum vials to 10% volume (e.g., 10 ml medium in 100 ml bottle) and autoclave. Solution B is autoclaved separately after sparging with 80%  $N_2$  and 20%  $CO_2$  gas mixture. Solution C and D are prepared under 100%  $N_2$  gas atmosphere and sterilized by filtration. Solution E is autoclaved under 100%  $N_2$  gas atmosphere. To complete the medium add appropriate amounts of solutions B to E to the sterile solution A in the sequence as indicated.

2. Adjust pH of complete medium to 7.2, if necessary.

3. Note: Cultures are very sensitive to the nitrite produced during growth. Thus, incubate this strain ony a few hours at one time (8-12 h) and thereafter check growth by microscopy. Immediately stop the incubation at 85°C, when the medium begins to show some turbidity.

### Solution A

NaCl	18.00	g
$MgCl_2 \times 6 H_2O$	4.30	g
$CaCl_2 \times 2 H_2O$	0.14	g
KCI	0.34	g
K <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub>	0.14	g
NH <sub>4</sub> Cl	0.24	g
KNO <sub>3</sub>	1.00	g
Modified Wolin's mineral solution	10.00	ml
Distilled water	940.00	ml
Solution B		
Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	1.50	g
Distilled water	30.00	ml
Solution C		
Wolin's vitamin solution (10x)	1.00	ml

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## Solution **D**

Na-pyruvate	1.00	g
Distilled water	10.00	ml

## Solution E

$Na_2S \times 9 H_2O$	0.30	g
Distilled water	10.00	ml

#### Modified Wolin's mineral solution (from medium 141)

Nitrilotriacetic acid	1.50	g
$MgSO_4 \times 7 H_2O$	3.00	g
$MnSO_4 \times H_2O$	0.50	g
NaCl	1.00	g
$FeSO_4 \times 7 H_2O$	0.10	g
$CoSO_4 \times 7 H_2O$	0.18	g
$CaCl_2 \times 2 H_2O$	0.10	g
$ZnSO_4 \times 7 H_2O$	0.18	g
$CuSO_4 \times 5 H_2O$	0.01	g
$AIK(SO_4)_2 \times 12 H_2O$	0.02	g
H <sub>3</sub> BO <sub>3</sub>	0.01	g
Na <sub>2</sub> MoO <sub>4</sub> x 2 H <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	g
$NiCl_2 \times 6 H_2O$	0.03	g
$Na_2SeO_3 \times 5 H_2O$	0.30	mg
$Na_2WO_4 \ge H_2O$	0.40	mg
Distilled water	1000.00	ml

First dissolve nitrilotriacetic acid and adjust pH to 6.5 with KOH, then add minerals. Adjust final to pH 7.0 with KOH.

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

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