

1. NUTRIENT AGAR

Peptone	5.0	g
Meat extract	3.0	g
Agar, if necessary	15.0	g
Distilled water	1000.0	ml

Adjust pH to 7.0. For *Bacillus* strains the addition of 10.0 mg $\text{MnSO}_4 \times \text{H}_2\text{O}$ is recommended for sporulation.