693. COLUMBIA BLOOD MEDIUM

Columbia agar base supplemented with 5% defibrinated sheep blood. Rehydrate pellets of freeze-dried ampoules in liquid medium 545, 215 or 1 (see below).

**ATTENTION:** organisms, for which only M 693 is mentioned in the catalogue entry, do not grow in one of the media listed below! Those are meant to rehydrate the freeze-dried pellets, not for cultivation.

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545. TRYPTONE SOYA BROTH (TSB)

Peptone from casein 17.0 g
Peptone from soymeal 3.0 g
D(+)–Glucose 2.5 g
NaCl 5.0 g
K₂HPO₄ 2.5 g
Distilled water 1000.0 ml

Adjust pH to 7.3.
The same as Caso Bouillon (Merck or Oxoid, Germany).

215. BHI MEDIUM

Brain Heart Infusion (Difco) 37.0 g
Distilled water 1000.0 ml

1. NUTRIENT BROTH

Peptone 5.0 g
Meat extract 3.0 g
Distilled water 1000.0 ml

Adjust pH to 7.0.