

**Technical Data Sheet** 

Product: TRYPTONE SOYA AGAR) Triple Wrapped Irradiated

# **Specification**

General purpose solid medium containing animal and plant peptone according to Pharmacopoeial Harmonised Method and ISO Standards.

## Presentation

20 Plates/Irradiated	Packaging Details	Shelf Life	Storage	
90 mm - Triple Wrapping	1 box with 3 cellophane bags (triple wrapping) with	3,5 months	2-14°C	
with: 21 ± 2 ml	10 plates/bag. Every pack exhibitis a irradiation			
	indicator stacked on the side of the bag (8-14 KGy).			

## Composition

Composition (g/l):	
Peptone from casein	15.0
Soya peptone	5.00
Sodium chloride	5.00
Agar	15.0

## **Description /Technique**

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TSA is a widely used medium containing two peptones which support the growth of a wide variety of organisms, even that of very fastidious ones such as Neisseria, Listeria, Brucella, etc. It is frequently used for routine diagnostic purposes due to its reliability and its easily reproducible results.

#### <u>Technique</u>

This medium can be inoculated directly or after enrichment broth.

Spread the plates by streaking methodology or by spiral method.

The inoculated plates are incubated at 30-35 ° C for 24-72 h (bacteria) and 3-5 days for fungi (yeast & molds). Examined daily. (Incubation times greater then those mentioned above or different incubation temperatures may be required depending on the sample, on the specifications).

Each laboratory must evaluate the results according to their specifications.

**Attention:** Petri plates are used for monitoring the microbiological contamination of surface and air inside cleanrooms, isolators, RABS, food industries and hospitals. The double/triple irradiated wrapping ensures that the package itself doesn't contaminate the environment as the first wrapper is removed just before entering the clean area.



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## Quality control

**Physical/Chemical control** 

Color : Straw-coloured yellow

pH: 7.3 ± 0.2 at 25°C

# **Microbiological control**

Growth Promotion Test according to harmonized pharmacopoeial monographs and test methods & ISO 11133:2014 Spiral Spreading: Practical range 50 - 100 CFU (Productivity).

Aerobiosis.Incubation at 30-35 °C. Read after 18-24h to 72 h for bacteria and 3-5 days for fungi.

### Microorganism

Growth

Escherichia coli ATCC <sup>®</sup> 8739, WDCM 00012	Good (≥70 %)	
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC <sup>®</sup> 6538, WDCM 00032	Good (≥70 %)	
Bacillus subtilis ATCC <sup>®</sup> 6633, WDCM 00003	Good (≥70 %)	
Candida albicans ATCC <sup>®</sup> 10231, WDCM 00054	Good (≥70 %)	
Aspergillus brasiliensis ATCC <sup>®</sup> 16404, WDCM 00053	Good (≥70 %)	
Ps. aeruginosa ATCC <sup>®</sup> 9027, WDCM 00026	Good (≥70 %)	
L. monocytogenes ATCC <sup>®</sup> 13932, WDCM 00021	Good (≥70 %)	
Salmonella typhimurium ATCC <sup>®</sup> 14028, WDCM 00031	Good (≥70 %)	
Sterility Control		

Incubation 48 hours at 30-35°C and 48 hours at 20-25°C: NO GROWTH Check at 7 days after incubation in same conditions

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