

# **Culture Media**

### Data sheet

#### Use

For enumerating microorganisms by the membrane filtration method.

#### Formula

Beef Extract	6 g/l
Tryptone	10 g/l
Dextrose (Glucose)	2 g/l

#### Precautions

- For industrial use only.

- Follow proper procedures for handling and disposing of infectious materials laboratory.

#### Directions

1) Remove the protective bag, remove the plug from the base .

2) Place the monitor on the connector previously placed on the manifold or drilled silicone stopper.

3) Remove the lid of the funnel and pour the sample into the funnel.

4) Apply vacuum just long enough to pull the sample through the filter.

5) Remove the rubber stopper of the collector to remove the remaining empty and then replace the cap on the collector.

6) Remove the funnel and distribute the culture media over the membrane filter. Be careful

not to touch the filter with the tip of the ampoule.

7) Apply vacuum briefly to allow the culture media to go through the membrane and be absorbed by the cellulose pad, the time required for the medium crop does not fully rest on the filter (this must not be supersaturated or dry) and flow to the pad on the bottom of the monitor.

8) Remove the lid from the funnel and cover the base with it. Remove the base from the manifold or silicone stopper and close the bottom port of the base with the previously removed plug.

9) Incubate the so created Petri dish, inverted according to the culture media.

#### **Reading results**

**Incubation:** For 24 to 48 hs at  $35 \pm 2^{\circ}$ C

Interpretation of results: All colonies appearing on the filter surface can be counted. They appear transparent color to creamy white, some can produce pigments.

### Limitations

1) Since the nutritional requirements of organisms vary, some strains may be encountered that fail to grow or grow poorly on this medium.

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## **TGE-050**



QC Test

#### **QC TEST MICROBIOLOGICAL**

Cultural characteristics observed after 24 hs at $35 \pm 2^{\circ}$ C	
MICROORGANISMS (ATCC) Escherichia coli (25922)	<b>RECOVERY RATE</b> ≥ 70%
Cultural characteristics observed after 72 hs at 37°C	
STERILITY	RECOVERY RATE No growth
pH:	6.8 ± 0.2
	Shelf life
	18 months.
	Storage
	Store at room temperature.
Code	Packaging
TGE-050	Box of 50 glass ampoules .

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