

PRODUCT INFORMATION

LB Broth (Lennox L Broth)

Cat. No. L12-101

DESCRIPTION

LB Broth is used for the growth and maintenance of *E. coli* being used in molecular microbiology processes. This nutrient-rich microbial broth contains peptides, amino acids and carbohydrates in a low-salt formulation.

FORMULA (g/L)

Enzymatic Digest of Casein	10.0 g	Yeast Extract	5.0 g
Sodium Chloride	5.0 g		

Final pH: 7.0 ± 0.2 at 25 °C

PREPARATION

Mix 20 grams of the medium in one liter of purified water until evenly dispersed. Heat with repeated stirring and boil for one minute to dissolve completely. Distribute and autoclave at 121°C for 15 minutes.

QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATIONS

- 1. The powder is homogenous, free flowing and light beige.
- 2. Visually the prepared medium is clear and light yellow, with little or no precipitate.
- 3. Expected cultural response after 18-24 hours at 35 °C.

ORGANISM	RESULT
Escherichia coli ATCC 23724	Good Growth
Escherichia coli ATCC 33694	Good Growth
Escherichia coli ATCC 33849	Good Growth
Escherichia coli ATCC 39403	Good Growth
Escherichia coli ATCC 47014	Good Growth

^{*}Grams per liter may be adjusted or formula supplemented to obtain desired performance.



STORAGE

Store the sealed bottle containing the dehydrated medium at 2 to 30°C. Once opened and recapped, place the container in a low humidity environment at the same storage temperature. Protect it from moisture and light. The dehydrated medium should be discarded if it is not free flowing or if the color has changed from the original color.