### PRODUCT INFORMATION





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# **Brain Heart Infusion Broth** Cat. No. B02-113

# **DESCRIPTION**

Brain Heart Infusion Broth is used for the cultivation of fastidious microorganisms. Brain-Heart Infusion and Proteose Peptone provide a source of carbon, nitrogen and vitamins.

#### Formula\* per Liter:

Brain Heart Infusion (from Solids)	17.5g
Proteose Peptone	10.0g
Sodium Chloride	5.0g
Dextrose	2.0g
Disodium Phosphate	2.0g

#### **Final pH:** $7.4 \pm 0.2$ at $25^{\circ}$ C

## **PREPARATION**

Mix 37 grams of the medium in one liter of purified water until evenly dispersed. Heat with repeated stirring to dissolve completely. Distribute and autoclave at 121°C for 15 minutes.

# **QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATIONS**

- 1. The powder is homogeneous, free flowing, and beige.
- 2. Visually the prepared medium is amber and clear.
- **3.** Expected cultural response after incubation at  $35^{\circ} \pm 2$  and observed after 1-3 days.

#### **Organism:**

Aspergillus niger ATCC® 16404 Growth
Candida albicans ATCC® 10231 Growth
Enterococcus faecalis ATCC® 29212 Growth
Escherichia coli ATCC® 25922 Growth
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC® 25923 Growth

## **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.

**Result:** 

<sup>\*</sup> Grams per liter may be adjusted or formula supplemented to obtain desired performance.