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# **TECHNICAL SHEET**

B1009 DICH	ORAN GLYCEROL MEDIUM BASE	
Formula		
Ingredients:	gms/lit.	
Peptic digest of animal tissue	5.00	
Dextrose	10.00	
Monopotassium phosphate	1.00	
Magnesium sulphate	0.50	
Chloramphenicol	0.10	
Dichloran	0.002	
Agar	15.00	
Final pH (at 25°C): 5.6 <u>+</u> 0.		
Directions :		

Suspend 15.8 grams in 500 ml distilled water. Heat to boiling to dissolve the medium completely. Add 110 grams of glycerol (Analytical Reagent Grade). Sterilize by autoclaving at 15 lbs pressure (121°C) for 15 minutes. Mix well and pour into sterile Petri plates.

### Principle:

Dichloran Glycerol Medium is recommended for isolation and enumeration of xerophilic moulds from dried and semidried foods. Peptic digest of animal tissue provides nitrogen, vitamins and minerals. Dextrose is a carbohydrate source. Phosphate buffers the medium. Magnesium sulfate provides divalent cations and sulfate. Dichloran is an antifungal agent, added to the medium to reduce colony diameters of spreading fungi. The glycerol at 18% (w/w) lowers the water activity Chloramphenicol inhibits gram – negative and gram – positive bacteria.

QC Tests - (I)Deh	ydrated Medium						
Colour:			Cream to light yellow				
Appearance :			Homogeneous Free Flowing powder				
(II)Rehydrated m	edium						
PH (post autoclaving/heating):			5.6 ± 0.2				
Colour (post autoclaving/heating):			Medium amber				
Clarity (post autoclaving/heating):			Slightly opalescent				
(III)Q.C. Test M	icrobiological						
Cultural char days.	racteristics obse	rved with added	22 grams of glyc	erol after an incubati	on at 25°C for upto 6		
MICROORGAN	CROORGANISM (ATCC )		ROWTH				
Mucor racemosus (42647)		Go	ood - luxuriant				
Saccharomyces cerevisiae (9763)		763 ) Go	ood – luxuriant				
Candida albicans (10231)		Go	ood – luxuriant				
Escherichia coli (25922)		In	hibited				
Bacillus subt	Bacillus subtilis (6633)		hibited				
Precautions :	1. For Laboratory Use.						
	2. Follow proper, established laboratory procedures in handling and disposing of infectious materials.						
Limitations :	1. Since the nutritional requirements of organisms vary, some strains may be encountered that fail to grow or grow poorly on this medium.						
Use :	For selective isolation of xerophilic molds from food samples.						
Storage :	Dehydrated medium- below 30°C Prepared medium- Between 2 to 8°C.						
Packing:	500 gm bottle						
Product profile:	Reconstitution	Quantity on Preparation (500	pH (25°C)	Supplement	Sterilization		
B1009	31.6a/l	15.82L	5.6 ± 0.2	Glycerol	121°C / 15 minutes		

#### Disclaimer:

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