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### **TECHNICAL SHEET**

B1055 HALOPHILIC	.055 HALOPHILIC AGAR	
Formula	B1055	
Ingredients:	gms/lit.	
Casein acid hydrochloride	10.00	
Yeast extract	10.00	
Proteose peptone	5.00	
Trisodium citrate	3.00	
Potassium chloride	2.00	
Magnesium sulphate	25.00	
Sodium chloride	250.00	
Agar	20.00	
Final pH (at 25°C): 7.2 <u>+</u> 0.2		
Directions:		

Suspend 32.5 grams in 100 ml distilled water. Heat to boiling to dissolve the medium completely. Sterilize by autoclaving at 15 lbs pressure (121°C) for 15 minutes. Cool to 45-50°C. Mix well and pour into sterile Petri plates.

## **Principle:**

Halophilic media contains casein acid hydrolysate, proteose peptone and yeast extract which provide all the necessary nutrients, mainly nitrogenous and vitamins to the halophilic bacteria. Trisodium citrate is added to avoid the losses. Magnesium is an essential ion for the growth of extreme halophiles and is incorporated in the medium as magnesium sulphate.

Colour : Offwhite to yellow     Appearance: Homogeneous Free Flowing powder     Colour : Offwhite to yellow     Colour : Homogeneous Free Flowing powder     Colour : Homogeneous Flowing powder     Colour : Homogeneous Flowing powder     Colour
(II)Rehydrated medium
pH (post autoclaving/heating): $7.2 \pm 0.2$
Colour (post autoclaving/heating): Amber
Clarity (post autoclaving/heating): Slightly opalescent gel
(III)Q.C. Test Microbiological
Cultural characteristics observed after12 days at 35-37°C.
MICROORGANISM (ATCC) GROWTH
Halococcus morrhuae (17082) Luxuriant
Halobacterium salinarium (33171) Luxuriant
Precautions: 1. For Laboratory Use.
2. Follow proper, established laboratory procedures in handling and disposin
infectious materials.
<b>Limitations:</b> 1. Since the nutritional requirements of organisms vary, some strains may
encountered that fail to grow or grow poorly on this medium.
Use: For isolation and cultivation of extremely halophilic bacteria.
Storage: Dehydrated medium- below 30°C Prepared medium- Between 2 to 8°C.
Packing: 500 gm bottle
Product profile:   Reconstitution   Quantity on   pH (25°C)   Supplement   Sterilizati
Preparation (500g)
<b>B1055</b>   325 g/l   1.538   $7.2 \pm 0.2$   Nil   $121^{\circ}$ C/15m

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