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<b>B1425</b>	<b>NUTRIENT AGAR with NaCl</b>				
<b>Formula</b>					
<b>Ingredients :</b>		<b>gms/lit.</b>			
Peptone		5.00			
Meat extract B#		1.00			
Yeast extract		2.00			
Sodium chloride		5.00			
Agar		15.00			
#- Equivalent to Beef extract					
<b>Final pH (at 25°C) : 7.4 ± 0.2</b>					
<b>Directions :</b>					
Suspend 28 gms. in 1000 ml. distilled water. Boil to dissolve the medium completely. Dispense as desired and sterilize by autoclaving at 15 lbs pressure (121°C) for 15 minutes.					
<b>Principle :</b>					
Nutrient Agar contains Meat Extract B and Peptone as carbon and nitrogen sources for general growth requirements. Yeast extract provides essential vitamins. Agar is added as a solidifying agent.					
<b>QC Tests – (I)Dehydrated Medium</b>					
Colour :		Cream to yellow			
Appearance :		Homogeneous Free Flowing powder			
<b>(II)Rehydrated medium</b>					
pH (post autoclaving/heating) :		7.4 ± 0.2			
Colour (post autoclaving/heating) :		Cream to light amber			
Clarity (post autoclaving/heating) :		Clear			
<b>(III)Q.C. Test Microbiological</b>					
Cultural characteristics observed after 18 - 48 hrs at 35 - 37°C.					
MICROORGANISM (ATCC )		GROWTH			
Escherichia coli (25922)		Good – luxuriant			
Pseudomonas aeruginosa (27853)		Good – luxuriant			
Staphylococcus aureus (25923)		Good – luxuriant			
Streptococcus pyogenes (19615)		Good – luxuriant			
<b>Precautions :</b>	1. For Laboratory Use. 2. Follow proper, established laboratory procedures in handling and disposing of infectious materials.				
<b>Limitations :</b>	1. Since the nutritional requirements of organisms vary, some strains may be encountered that fail to grow or grow poorly on this medium.				
<b>Use:</b>	For cultivation of less fastidious microorganisms, can be enriched with blood or other biological fluids. The Nutrient Agar with NaCl formulation meets the requirements given by EN 12780 for sub culturing Pseudomonas colonies for identification tests.				
<b>Storage :</b>	Dehydrated medium- below 30°C Prepared medium– Between 2 to 8°C.				
<b>Packing :</b>	500 gm. bottle				
<b>Product profile:</b>	Reconstitution	Quantity on Preparation (500g)	pH (25°C)	Supplement	Sterilization
<b>B1425</b>	28g/l	17.857L	7.4 ± 0.2	NIL	121°C / 15 minutes

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