Microorganisms



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| Main sol. 539 | |
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| KH ₂ PO ₄ | 0.20 |
| NH ₄ Cl | 0.30 |
| NaCl | 1.00 |
| $MgCl_2 \times 6 H_2O$ | 0.40 |
| KCI | 0.50 |
| $CaCl_2 \ge H_2O$ | 0.15 |
| Trace element solution SL-10 | 1.00 |
| Yeast extract | 0.50 |
| Sodium resazurin (0.1% w/v) | 0.50 |
| Na ₂ CO ₃ | 1.00 |
| Cellobiose | 5.00 |
| Cellulose, MN 301 (optional) | 5.00 |
| $Na_2S \times 9 H_2O$ | 0.40 |
| Distilled water | 1000.00 |
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1. Dissolve ingredients (except carbonate, cellobiose and sulfide), then sparge medium with 80% N_2 and 20% CO_2 gas mixture for 30 - 45 min to make it anoxic. Dispense medium under same gas atmosphere into anoxic Hungate-type tubes or serum vials and autoclave. After sterilization add cellobiose (sterilized by filtration) and sulfide from sterile anoxic stock solutions prepared under 100% N_2 gas and carbonate from a sterile anoxic stock solution prepared under 80% N_2 and 20% CO_2 gas mixture. Adjust pH of complete medium to 7.0, if necessary.

2. Note: Some strains can be adapted to cellulose as substrate using 5.00 g/l cellulose powder MN 301 (MACHEREY-NAGEL).