

## 693: COLUMBIA BLOOD MEDIUM

Final volume: 1000 ml

Columbia agar base	1000.00	ml
Defibrinated sheep blood	5.00	%

1. Columbia agar base supplemented with 5% defibrinated sheep blood. Rehydrate pellets of freeze-dried ampoules in liquid medium 545, 215 or 1 (see below).

2. ATTENTION: organisms, for which only M 693 is mentioned in the catalogue entry, do not grow in one of the media listed below! Those are meant to rehydrate the freeze-dried pellets, not for cultivation.

545. TRYPTONE SOYA BROTH (TSB) (from medium 54a)	
Casein peptone 17.00	g
Soy peptone 3.00	g
D(+)-Glucose 2.50	g
NaCl 5.00	g
K <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub> 2.50	g
Distilled water 1000.00	ml

1. Adjust pH to 7.3.

2. The same as Caso Bouillon (Merck or Oxoid, Germany).

<b>215. BHI MEDIUM</b> (from medium 429) Brain heart infusion (Difco) Distilled water	37.00 1000.00	g ml
<b>1. NUTRIENT BROTH</b> (from medium 429) Peptone Meat extract Distilled water	5.00 3.00 1000.00	g g ml

Adjust pH to 7.0.