



ActeroTM Tryptic Soy Agar w/ Lecithin & Tween 80 Product Information

Catalogue No.	Description	
FCM- 187	Actero TM	Tryptic Soy Agar w/ Lecithin & Tween 80 (500 G)
FCM- 186	Actero TM	Tryptic Soy Agar w/ Lecithin & Tween 80 (2 KG)
FCM- 185	Actero TM	Tryptic Soy Agar w/ Lecithin & Tween 80 (10 KG)

INTENDED USE

Tryptic Soy Agar w/ Lecithin & Tween 80 (Polysorbate 80) is recommended for the detection and enumeration of microorganisms on surfaces where the monitoring of sanitation is important.

Formula* per Liter:

Casein Digest Peptone	15.0g
Papaic Digest of Soybean Meal	5.0g
Sodium Chloride	5.0g
Lecithin	0.7g
Tween 80 (Polysorbate 80)	5.0g
Agar	20.5g

Final pH: 7.3 ± 0.2 at 25°C *

Grams per liter may be adjusted or formula supplemented to obtain desired performance.

PREPARATION

Mix 51.2 grams of the medium in one liter of purified water until evenly dispersed. Heat with repeated stirring and boiling to dissolve completely. Distribute and autoclave at 121°C for 15 minutes. Cool to 45-50°C before dispensing into plates.

QUALITY CONTROL SPECIFICATIONS

1. The powder is homogeneous with soft lumps and light beige.

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- **2.** Visually the prepared medium is trace to moderately hazy and yellow beige.
- **3.** Expected cultural response after 18-48 hours at 35°C.

Organism	Result	
Bacillus subtilis	Growth	
ATCC® 6633		
Candida albicans	Growth	
ATCC® 10231		
Clostridium sporogenes	Growth	
ATCC® 11437		
Enterococcus faecalis	Growth	
ATCC® 19433		
Escherichia coli	Growth	
ATCC® 25922		
Micrococcus luteus	Growth	
ATCC® 9341		
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	Growth	
ATCC® 27853		
Salmonella typhimurium	Growth	
ATCC® 14028		
Staphylococcus aureus	Growth	
ATCC® 25923		
Staphylococcus epidermidis	Growth	
ATCC® 12228		

STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS:

Store the sealed bottle containing the dehydrated medium at 2 to 30°C. Once opened and recapped, place the container in a low humidity environment at the same storage temperature. Protect it from moisture and light. The dehydrated medium should be discarded if it is not free flowing, or if the color has changed from the original light beige.

