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B834 ANDRADE PEPTONE WATER										
Fo	rmula									
Ingredients :			gms/	gms/lit.						
Pep	otic digest of an	imal tissue	10.00	10.00						
So	dium chloride		5.00	5.00						
Andrade indicator				0.10						
Final pH (at 25°C) : 7.4 <u>+</u> 0.2										
Directions :										
Suspend 15.1 gms in 1000 ml. distilled water. Dissolve the medium and dispense in test tubes										
containing inverted Durham's tubes. Sterilize by autoclaving at 15 lbs pressure (121°C) for 15										
mii	minutes. Cool to room temperature and aseptically add sterile stock solution of carbohydrate to a									
final concentration of 5% to 1.0% (w/v)										
Principle :										
Andrade Peptone Water is used for studying the various carbohydrate fermentation patterns of										
different organisms. The peptic digest used is free from fermentable carbohydrates and the										
medium is also free from nitrates which may interfere with gas production. Andrade indicator is a										
solution of acid fuchsin which when titrated with sodium hydroxide, change colour from pink to										
yellow. The Andrade indicator changes colour from yellow to pink as the pH decreases. The										
medium is pink when hot but becomes straw coloured on cooling. Test carbohydrate solutions										
should be sterilized separately and aseptically added to sterile Andrade Peptone Water. The										
biochemical identification of organisms capable of growing in this medium is made by various sugar										
fermentation results.										
QC Tests – (I)Dehydrated Medium										
Colour :				Cream to light yellow						
Appearance :				Homogeneous Free Flowing powder						
(II)Rehydrated medium										
pH (post autoclaving/heating) :				7.4 <u>+</u> 0.2						
Colour (post autoclaving/heating)			g):	Light pink						
Clarity (post autoclaving/heating)			g):	Clear						
(III)Q.C. Test Microbiological										
	Cultural characteristics observed after 18 - 24 hrs. at 35-37°C.									
MICROORGANISM (ATCC)				GROWTH	AC	CID*	AC1	D **		
Escherichia coli (25922)				Luxuriant		-		+		
Salmonella typhi (6539)				Luxuriant		-		+		
Shigella sonnei (25931)				Luxuriant		-		+		
* Acid = Acid in absence of added Dextrose										
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Precautions : 1. For Laborator			ry Use.	Use.						
		2. Follow proper, established laboratory procedures in handling and disposing of								
		infectious materials.								
Limitations :		1. Since the nutritional requirements of organisms vary, some strains may be								
		encountered that fail to grow or grow poorly on this medium.								
Use :		B834 : After carbohydrate addition, it is used to study fermentation reactions.								
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 St		Steril	ization	
			Preparat	ion (500g)						
B834		15.10 g/l	33.11 L		7.4 <u>+</u> 0.2	Sterile	stock	121°C/	15 min.	
						solution of				
						carbohvd	Irate			