

ATCC medium: 1207 BC Medium for *Acetivibrio cellulolyticus*

Mineral Solution 1 (see below)	75.0 ml
Mineral Solution 2 (see below)	75.0 ml
FeSO ₄ . 7H ₂ O Solution (see below)	10.0 ml
Vitamin mixture (see below)	10.0 ml
Wolfe's Mineral Solution (see below)	10.0 ml
NaHCO ₃	2.0 g
Resazurin solution (0.1% aqueous)	1.0 ml
Distilled water.....	810.0 ml
Alpha-Cellulose (Sigma C-6429)	3.0 g
Cysteine-Sulfide Reducing Solution (see below)	12.8 ml

The pH should be 7.6 at room temperature; do not adjust.

Bring medium to boil under 10% CO₂ 90% N₂. Cool and continue flushing. Add 8 ml reducing solution. Heat slightly to mix if necessary and add an additional 4.8 ml of reducing solution. Dispense 7.0 ml/tube (anaerobically) and cap.

A note of caution:

This medium contains sodium sulfide and hydrogen sulfide production will occur. Hydrogen sulfide is hazardous and this medium should be prepared in a chemical fume hood.

Mineral Solution 1:

K ₂ HPO ₄	3.9 g
Distilled water.....	1.0 L

Mineral Solution 2:

KH ₂ PO ₄	2.4 g
Na ₂ SO ₄	2.5 g
NH ₄ Cl	12.0 g
CaCl ₂ . 2H ₂ O	0.8 g
MgSO ₄ . 7H ₂ O	1.2 g
Distilled water.....	1.0 L

FeSO₄ . 7H₂O Solution:

Dissolve 0.2 g FeSO₄ . 7H₂O in 100 ml distilled water. Add 3 drops concentrated HCl.

Vitamin Mixture:

Biotin.....	2.0 mg
B6 (pyridoxine hydrochloride)	10.0 mg
B1 (thiamine . HCl).....	5.0 mg
B12 (crystalline cyanocobalamin).....	5.0 mg
p-Aminobenzoic acid.....	0.5 mg
Lipoic acid (D,L-6,8-Thioctic acid).....	5.0 mg
Distilled water.....	1.0 L

Store below -20 C.

Wolfe's Mineral Solution:

Available from ATCC as a sterile ready-to-use liquid (Trace Mineral Supplement, catalog no. MD-TMS.)

Nitriloacetic acid	1.5 g
MgSO ₄ . 7H ₂ O	3.0 g
MnSO ₄ . H ₂ O	0.5 g
NaCl.....	1.0 g
FeSO ₄ . 7H ₂ O	0.1 g
CoCl ₂ . 6H ₂ O	0.1 g
CaCl ₂	0.1 g
ZnSO ₄ . 7H ₂ O	0.1 g
CuSO ₄ . 5H ₂ O	0.01 g
AlK(SO ₄) ₂ . 12H ₂ O.....	0.01 g
H ₃ BO ₃	0.01 g
Na ₂ MoO ₄ . 2H ₂ O.....	0.01 g
Distilled water.....	1.0 L

Add nitrilotriacetic acid to approximately 500 ml of water and adjust to pH 6.5 with KOH to dissolve the compound. Bring volume to 1.0 L with remaining water and add remaining compounds one at a time.

Cysteine-Sulfide Reducing Solution (1.25%):

L-Cysteine . HCl.....	2.5 g
Na ₂ S . 9H ₂ O	2.5 g
Distilled water to.....	200.0 ml

Dissolve cysteine in 50 ml distilled water. Adjust to pH 10 with fresh 3 N NaOH (rapidly) and start flushing with nitrogen. Add Na₂S . 9H₂O.

Bring total volume to 200 ml (add 150 ml but subtract the volume of 3 N NaOH and boil under nitrogen). Transfer anaerobically to tubes; stopper with butyl rubber and autoclave.