

**ATCC medium: 1237 Modified peptone-yeast extract glucose (MPYG)**

Peptone.....	10.0 g
Yeast extract.....	10.0 g
Resazurin solution (0.025%).....	4.0 ml
Salt Solution (see below).....	40.0 ml
Vitamin K3-Hemin Solution (see below).....	10.0 ml
L-Cysteine . HCl.....	0.5 g
(NH <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> .....	0.5 g
Volatile Fatty Acid Solution (see below).....	3.1 ml
Glucose.....	5.0 g
Distilled water.....	887.0 ml

Bring all of the constituents except the vitamin K3-hemin solution, L-cysteine . HCl and volatile acid solution to a boil under 97% N<sub>2</sub>, 3% H<sub>2</sub>. After the solution has boiled and reduced, cool, add cysteine, vitamin K3-hemin solution and volatile fatty acid solution and adjust pH to 7.0 if necessary. Dispense under an atmosphere of 97% N<sub>2</sub>, 3% H<sub>2</sub>. Stopper with butyl rubber and autoclave in press.

*Salts Solution:*

CaCl <sub>2</sub> (anhydrous) .....	0.2 g
MgSO <sub>4</sub> .....	0.2 g
K <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub> .....	1.0 g
KH <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> .....	1.0 g
NaHCO <sub>3</sub> .....	10.0 g
NaCl.....	2.0 g

Dissolve CaCl<sub>2</sub> and MgSO<sub>4</sub> in 300 ml of distilled water. Add 500 ml water and add the remaining salts while swirling slowly. Add 200 ml of distilled water, mix, and store at 4C.

*Vitamin K3-Hemin Solution:*

*Part A:*

Menadione (Vitamin K3) .....	100.0 mg
Ethanol (95%).....	30.0 ml

Add menadione to ethanol. Filter-sterilize.

*Part B:*

Hemin.....	50.0 mg
N NaOH.....	1.0 ml
Distilled water to.....	100.0 ml

Dissolve hemin in NaOH and bring volume to 100 ml with distilled water.  
Autoclave solution at 121C for 15 minutes and cool.

Aseptically add 1 ml sterile menadione solution to 100 ml hemin  
solution. Use this vitamin K3-hemin solution at a concentration of 10  
ml/L medium.

*Volatile Fatty Acid Solution:*

Propionic acid.....	6.0 ml
n-Butyric acid.....	4.0 ml
n-Valeric acid.....	1.0 ml
Isovaleric acid.....	1.0 ml
Isobutyric acid.....	1.0 ml
DL-alpha-Methyl butyric acid.....	1.0 ml
Acetic acid.....	17.0 ml