ATCC Medium 1875: Desulfobacterium Medium with 10mM Lactate

Solution A:

Na ₂ SO ₄ 3.0 g
KH ₂ PO ₄ 0.2 g
NH ₄ C1 0.3 g
NaCl 21.0 g
MgCl ₂ x 6H ₂ O 3.0 g
KCl 0.5 g
CaCl ₂ x 2H ₂ O 0.15 g
Resazurin 1.0 mg
10mM Lactate 1.12 g
Distilled water

Solution B:

Trace element solution SL-10 (see Medium 1601)..... 1.0 mL

Solution C:

NaHCO ₃	2.5 g
Distilled water	$50.0 \ \text{mL}$

Solution D:

Wolfe's vitamin solution (see Medium 1019)..... 10.0 mL

Solution E:

Na₂SeO₃ x 5H₂O (solution) 3.0 mg in 1L 0.01M NaOH..... 1.0 mL

*<u>Solution F:</u>

Na ₂ S x 9H ₂ O	0.4 g
Distilled water	10.0 mL

Solution A is prepared and autoclaved anaerobically under $80\%N_2/20\%CO_2$. Solution C is filter-sterilized and gassed for 20 minutes with N_2/CO_2 . Solutions B, D, and E are filter-sterilized and gassed with N_2 . Solution F is autoclaved under N_2 .

Solutions B to E are added to the sterile, cooled Solution A in the sequence indicated.

Final pH of the medium should be 7.0.

*Solution F should be added at time of inoculation. Autoclave under N₂ and send as separate solution.

Addition of 10-20 mg sodium dithionite per liter (e.g. from 5% w/v solution freshly prepared under N_2 and filter-sterilized) may stimulate growth of all strains at the beginning. For transfers use 5-10% inoculum. Incubate all strains in the dark.