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Product Sheet

Eagle's Minimum Essential Medium (EMEM) (ATCC® 30-2003™)

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Storage Temp.
Store medium at 2°C to 8°C in the dark when not in use.

Biosafety Level
1

Description

Product Description: Eagle's minimum essential medium modified to contain Earle's Balanced Salt Solution, non-essential amino acids, 2 mM L-glutamine, 1 mM sodium pyruvate, and 1500 mg/L sodium bicarbonate. **NOTE:** This reduced level of sodium bicarbonate (NaHCO3, 1.5 g/L) is intended for use in 5% CO_2 in air. Additional sodium bicarbonate may be required for use in incubators containing higher percentages of CO_2.
Volume: 500 mL

Directions for Use

Formulation

Contains Earle's Balanced Salt Solution, non-essential amino acids, 2 mM L-glutamine, 1 mM sodium pyruvate, and 1500 mg/L sodium bicarbonate. **NOTE:** This reduced level of sodium bicarbonate ($NaHCO_3$, 1.5 g/L) is intended for use in a 5% CO_2 in air. Additional sodium bicarbonate may be required for use in incubators containing higher percentages of CO_2.

Quality Control Specifications

Sterility tests are performed on each lot of medium using current USP methods. Each lot of medium is also checked for its ability to support the growth of several different cell lines using both sequential subcultures and plating efficiencies. Additional test results are listed in the Certificate of Analysis.

Test*	Specification
pH	7.0 to 7.4
Osmolality	260 to 320 mOsm/kg
Sterility Testing	Pass
Endotoxin	≤ 0.5 EU/mL
Mycoplasma	Pass
Growth Promotion	Pass

*Please consult the Certificate of Analysis for lot-specific test results.

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