

**ATCC medium: 1609 XPS medium**

Peptone.....5.00 g  
Sucrose.....15.00 g  
Potato Dextrose Broth (BD 254920).....4.50 g  
Casamino acids.....1.00 g  
Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> .....0.79 g  
Distilled water.....990.00 ml

After autoclaving and cooling to room temperature, add 10 ml of a sterile solution of 0.05 g/ml Ca(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> · 4H<sub>2</sub>O and mix well. To make XPS agar plates: Autoclave 2X XPS, 3% agar, and Ca(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> · 4H<sub>2</sub>O separately. Combine the solutions aseptically after sterilization.