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Orange Serum-NPS

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M&S item numbers: 1120 (50 / PK) and 1120-H (100 / PK)

Profile: Dehydrated nutrient pad sets 50 mm in petri dishes, sterile

Color: Beige

Storage: Dark and dry at room temperature

Shelf life: 2 years after sterilization

Description and application range

Orange Serum-NPS are used for the detection and colony count of acidophilic and acidotolerant microorganisms in fruit juices, soft drinks and other beverages. The composition of this medium, i.e. the presence of orange serum, together with the low pH provides optimal growth conditions for acidophilic and acid tolerant microorganisms from beverages containing fruit juices or fruit components. The growth of accompanying microorganisms is slightly inhibited by the low pH. Incubation under anaerobic or microaerophilic conditions stimulates the growth of more demanding Lactobacilli. The medium is manufactured and quality tested in compliance with ISO 11133:2014 + Amd 1:2018 standard.

Typical composition

Enzymatic digest of casein	10.0 g/l
Yeast extract	3.0 g/l
Orange serum extract	5.0 g/l
Dextrose	4.0 g/l
Dipotassium phosphate	3.0 g/l

Final pH: 5.5 ± 0.2 at 25 °C

Microbiological quality control

Bacterial contamination

Incubation: aerobically at room temperature for 3 days, specification: no growth

Productivity quantitative analysis

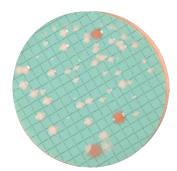
Incubation: 25 ± 1 °C for 48 ± 3 h, approx. inoculum: 80 – 120 CFU

Microorganism	Test strain	Specification	Appearance
Saccharomyces cerevisiae	DSM 70449	P _R ≥ 0,7	White
Brettanomyces bruxellensis	DSM 70001	Growth	Beige
Lactobacillus sakei	DSM 20017	Growth	White, little
Rhodotorula bacarum	DSM 70854	Growth	Red, shiny

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Mixed culture of Saccharomyces cerevisiae, Zygosaccharomyces rouxii, Brettanomyces bruxellensis and Rhodotorula mucilaginosa after 3 days at 30 °C