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A selective medium for the enrichment of *Salmonella* and *Shigella* spp.

Dehydrated media		
Code number:	500 g: GNB20500, 5 kg: GNB25000	
Colour:	Yellowish	
Appearance:	Homogeneous hygroscopic powder	
pH before autoclaving (25 °C):	6,8 - 7,2	

Direction: Suspend **39 g** in one litre of distilled water and heat gently to dissolve the medium completely. Dispense into final containers and sterilise by autoclaving at 115 °C for 15 minutes. Cool quickly!

Warning!

The medium is heat sensitive. No further sterilisation is necessary or desirable.

Prepared media		
Bottled media:	100 ml: GNB30100, 500 ml: GNB30500	
Tubed media:	150 x 15 mm: GNB40010 (10 ml)	
Colour:	Yellowish	
pH (25 °C):	6,9 - 7,1	

Direction: Dispense the bottled media aseptically into sterile final containers. Media in tubes are ready to use.

FORMULA in g/l

Peptones	20,0
Mannitol	2,0
Glucose	1,0
Sodium chloride	5,0
Sodium citrate	5,0
Sodium deoxycholate	0,5
Buffers	5,5

Note: The typical formula can be adjusted to obtain optimal performance.

Storage conditions: Store the dehydrated media tightly closed in a dry place at room temperature. Store the bottled and tubed media protected from light at room temperature. Use before the expiry date on the label.

Quality control:

Test strains	Incubation temp: 37 °C	Growth	Incubation time: 24 h
Salmonella typhimurium ATCC 14028		Good	
Shigella sonnei	ATCC 25931	Good	
Enterococcus faecalis	ATCC 29212	Inhibited	

References: Hajna (1955) Public Health Lab. 13: 59.

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