## **TECHNICAL SHEET**



## **MRVP BROTH**

A differential medium for the differentiation of bacteria on the basis of methyl red and Voges-Proskauer reactions.

| Dehydrated media               |                                 |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Code number:                   | 500 g: MVP20500, 5 kg: MVP25000 |  |  |  |
| Colour:                        | Yellowish                       |  |  |  |
| Appearance:                    | Homogeneous hygroscopic powder  |  |  |  |
| pH before autoclaving (25 °C): | 6,8 - 7,2                       |  |  |  |

**Direction:** Suspend **17 g** in one litre of distilled water and heat gently to dissolve the medium completely. Dispense into test tubes and sterilise by autoclaving at 121 °C for 15 minutes. Cool quickly!

| Prepared media                                    |                              |  |  |  |
|---|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Bottled media: 100 ml: MVP30100, 500 ml: MVP30500 |                              |  |  |  |
| Tubed media:                                      | 100 x 12 mm: MVP40002 (2 ml) |  |  |  |
| Colour:   | Yellowish                    |  |  |  |
| pH (25 °C):                                       | 6,9 – 7,1                    |  |  |  |

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

## FORMULA in g/l

| Peptones | 7 |
|----------|---|
| Glucose  | 5 |
| Buffers  | 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:**

| <b>Test strains</b>   | Incubation temp: 37 °C | Reactions  | Incubation time: 24 h |
|-----------------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
|                       |                        | Methyl red | Voges-Proskauer       |
| Escherichia coli      | ATCC 25922             | +          | -                     |
| Enterobacter aerogene | s ATCC 13048           | -          | +                     |

**References:** Voges and Proskauer (1898) Z. Hyg. 28: 20. ISO 6579, ISO 6585, FIL-IDF 181

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