



Product Information Sheet

Y889 YEP Medium Yeast Extract Peptone Medium

Synonyms: YP Agar, YP Medium

Properties

Form: Powder
Appearance: Cream to Tan
Application: Molecular Biology, Microbiology, Phytopathology
Solubility: Water
Typical Working Concentration: 40.0 g/L
Storage Temp: 2 – 6°C

Formula (mg/L)

Agar	15,000
Peptone from Meat	10,000
Sodium Chloride	5000
Yeast Extract	10,000

Application Notes

YEP is a standard medium base for the maintenance and propagation of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. This medium can be used as a base for Yeast Peptone Dextrose medium (YPD), or supplemented with another carbon source such as sucrose, glycerol, mannitol, etc.

This medium has been used to culture *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* (Garfinkel et al., 1981) as well as yeasts such as *Saccharomyces* (Subashini et al., 2011) and *Candida* (Jindamorakot et al., 2008).

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