

## AZIDE DEXTROSE BROTH

A selective medium for the detection of enterococci.

Dehydrated media	
Code number:	500 g: ADB20500, 5 kg: ADB25000
Colour:	Yellowish
Appearance:	Homogeneous hygroscopic powder
pH before autoclaving (25 °C):	7,0 – 7,4

**Direction:** Suspend **35 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.

### Warning!

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

Prepared media	
Bottled media:	100 ml: ADB30100, 500 ml: ADB30500
Tubed media:	150 x 15 mm: ADB40010 (10 ml)
Colour:	Yellowish
pH (25 °C):	7,1 – 7,3

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

### FORMULA in g/l

Peptones	19,8
Glucose	7,5
Sodium chloride	7,5
Sodium azide	0,2

**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
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> ATCC 29212		Good	
<i>Escherichia coli</i> ATCC 25922		Inhibited	

**References:** Mallmann and Seligmann (1950) Am. J. Public Health 40: 286.

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