

Main sol. 120a

K ₂ HPO ₄	0.35	g
KH ₂ PO ₄	0.23	g
NH ₄ Cl	0.50	g
MgSO ₄ x 7 H ₂ O	0.50	g
CaCl ₂ x 2 H ₂ O	0.25	g
NaCl	2.25	g
FeSO₄ x 7 H₂O solution (0.1% w/v)	2.00	ml
Trace element solution SL-10	1.00	ml
Yeast extract (OXOID)	2.00	g
Casitone (BD BBL)	2.00	g
Sodium resazurin (0.1% w/v)	0.50	ml
NaHCO ₃	0.85	g
Methanol (50% v/v)	20.00	ml
Wolin's vitamin solution (10x)	1.00	ml
L-Cysteine HCl x H ₂ O	0.30	g
Na ₂ S x 9 H ₂ O	0.30	g
Distilled water	1000.00	ml

Dissolve ingredients (except bicarbonate, vitamins, methanol, cysteine and sulfide) and sparge medium with 80% N₂ and 20% CO₂ gas mixture for 30 - 45 min to make it anoxic. Then add and dissolve bicarbonate, adjust pH to 6.5 and dispense medium under 80% N₂ and 20% CO₂ gas atmosphere into anoxic Hungate-type tubes or serum vials to 30% of their volume and autoclave. Methanol (50% v/v stock solution) and the reducing agents are each autoclaved separately under 100% N₂ gas atmosphere as concentrated solutions in tightly closed tubes. Vitamins are prepared under 100% N₂ gas atmosphere and sterilized by filtration. Appropriate volumes of the solutions are injected into the sterile medium with hypodermic syringes. Adjust pH of the complete medium to 6.5 - 6.8, if necessary.