

# **Technical Data**

## Legi Growth Supplement w/o L-Cysteine

**FD206** 

A chemical enrichment supplement without L-Cysteine recommended for enhancing growth of Legionella species.

#### **Composition**

Per vial sufficient for 440 ml medium

Ingredients	Concentration
ACES Buffer / Potassium hydroxide	5g
Ferric pyrophosphate, soluble	0.125g
alpha-Ketoglutarate	0.500g
Distilled water	50ml

#### **Directions:**

Warm up the refrigerated supplement to 45-50°C, shake well to form uniform suspension. Avoid frothing. Aseptically add to 440 ml sterile, molten, cooled (45-50°C) Legionella Agar Base  $\underline{\text{M809A}}$  Legionella Agar Base, Granulated  $\underline{\text{GM809A}}$ . If desired aseptically add rehydrated contents of 1 vial of GVPC Selective Supplement  $\underline{\text{FD143}}$ . Mix well and pour into sterile petri plates. The final pH of the medium will be  $6.9 \pm 0.2$ . In case of non incorporation of GVPC Selective Supplement  $\underline{\text{FD143}}$ , add aseptically 10 ml sterile distilled water to bring the total volume to 500 ml medium. If desired aseptically add 1 vial to 430 ml sterile molten, cooled Legionella Agar Base  $\underline{\text{M1845}}$  alongwith BMPA Selective Supplement  $\underline{\text{FD144}}$  or GVPC Selective Supplement  $\underline{\text{FD142}}$  and Sterile Charcoal powder  $\underline{\text{FD280}}$ 

Note: On storage at 2 to 8°C; due to combination of ingredients, slight fine precipitate may develop which may be evenly distributed before addition to medium.

#### Type of specimen

Clinical samples - faeces, urine etc; Water samples

#### **Specimen Collection and Handling**

For clinical samples follow appropriate techniques for handling specimens as per established guidelines (1,2). For water samples follow appropriate techniques for handling specimens as per established guidelines (3). After use, contaminated materials must be sterilized by autoclaving before discarding.

#### Warning & Precautions

In Vitro diagnostic use. For professional use only. Read the label before opening the container. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Follow good microbiological lab practices while handling specimens and culture. Standard precautions as per established guidelines should be followed while handling clinical specimens. Safety guidelines may be referred in individual safety data sheets.

#### **Storage and Shelf Life**

Store at 2 - 8°C. Use before expiry date on the label.

#### **Disposal**

User must ensure safe disposal by autoclaving and/or incineration of used or unusable preparations of this product. Follow established laboratory procedures in disposing of infectious materials and material that comes into contact with clinical sample must be decontaminated and disposed of in accordance with current laboratory techniques (1,2).

#### Reference

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Storage temperature





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