

### Specifikace přípravků Q-Swab a QD-Loop



#### **OBSAH**

- QS1000 Buffered Peptone Water
- QS1100 Universal Diluent Broth
- QS1200 Letheen Broth
- QS1300 Stuart Medium
- QS1400 Amies Medium
- QD-Loop Maximum Recovery Diluent

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#### **QS1000 – BUFFERED PEPTONE WATER**

Buffered Peptone Water may be used as a pre-enrichment medium, prior to selective enrichment in the isolation of salmonellae from foods. It also provides conditions for resuscitation of cells that have been injured by processes of food preservation.

Formulation	g/litre
Peptone	10.0
Sodium chloride	5.0
Disodium phosphate	3.5
Potassium dihydrogen phosphate	1.5
PH 7.2 +/- 0.2	

#### **Description**

The Q-Swab product is a sampling device with a dry swab to collect a sample from a surface or any other area of interest. After breaking the snap valve, the medium is released to the sample for further incubation or other microbial investigations.

#### **Appearance**

Light straw coloured solution

# **Quality Control Positive control**

Positive controlExpected resultS. typhimurium ATCC 14028Turbid growthS. poona NCTC 4840Turbid growth

#### Negative control Expected result

Uninoculated medium No change

#### **Precautions**

Good Laboratory Practice (GLP). The medium may contain high amounts of pathogenic bacteria.



#### **QS1100 – UNIVERSAL DILUENT BROTH**

Universal Diluent Broth combines the protective effect of peptone in the diluting solution with the osmotic support of physiological saline. The low concentration of peptone does not cause multiplication of the organisms within 1-2 hours of dilution of the sample. The isotonic strength of the diluent ensures recovery of organisms from various sources, which may be vulnerable in distilled water or aqueous suspensions.

Formulation	g/litre
Sodium chloride	8.5
Peptone	1.0
PH 7.0 +/- 0.2	

#### **Description**

The Q-Swab product is a sampling device with a dry swab to collect a sample from a surface or any other area of interest. After breaking the snap valve, the medium is released to the sample for further incubation or other microbial investigations.

#### **Appearance**

Colourless, clear solution

Quality Control Negative control Uninoculated medium

**Expected result**No change

#### **Precautions**

Good Laboratory Practice (GLP).



#### **QS1200 – LETHEEN BROTH**

A pre-enrichment medium most often used for samples where preservatives may be present. Letheen Broth contains lecithine and Tween 80, which neutralises most common preservatives.

Formulation	g/litre
Peptamine	10.0
Beef Extract	5.0
Tween 80	5.0
Sodium chloride	5.0
Lecithine	0.7
PH 7.0 +/- 0.2	

#### **Description**

The Q-Swab product is a sampling device with a dry swab to collect a sample from a surface or any other area of interest. After breaking the snap valve, the medium is released to the sample for further incubation or other microbial investigations.

#### **Appearance**

Light almost colourless solution

Quality Control	
Positive control	
E. coli ATCC 39403	
D. aubtilus ATCC 10702	

**Expected result** Turbid growth Turbid growth B. subtilus ATCC 10783

**Negative control** Uninoculated medium **Expected result** No change

#### **Precautions**

Good Laboratory Practice (GLP).



#### **QS1300 – STUART MEDIUM**

This medium is a non-nutritional substrate for the preservation of *Neisseria* species and other fastidious organisms during their transport from clinic to laboratory. Originally formulated for the conservation of *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* and *Trichomonas vaginalis*, it may also be used for the transport of other bacteriological specimens.

Formulation	g/litre
Sodium glycerophosphate	10.0
Sodium thioglycollate	0.5
Cysteine hydrochloride	0.5
Calcium chloride	0.1
Methylene blue	0.001
PH 7.4 +/- 0.2	

#### **Description**

The Q-Swab product is a sampling device with a dry swab to collect a sample from a surface or any other area of interest. After breaking the snap valve, the medium is released to the sample for further incubation or other microbial investigations.

#### **Appearance**

Off-white coloured transparent medium

## Quality Control

**Positive control Expected result** Strep. Pyogenes ATCC 19615 Turbid growth

## **Negative control**Uninoculated medium Expected result No change

#### **Precautions**

Good Laboratory Practice (GLP). A small amount of blue colour at the top of the medium indicates oxidation.





#### **QS1400 – AMIES MEDIUM**

An improved transport medium, containing charcoal to prolong the viability of pathogenic organisms, especially *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*.

Formulation	g/litre
Charcoal pharmaceutical	10.0
Sodium chloride	3.0
Sodium hydrogenphosphate	1.15
Sodium thioglycollate	1.0
Potassium dihydrogen phosphate	0.2
Potassium chloride	0.2
Calcium chloride	0.1
Magnesium chloride	0.1
PH 7.2 +/- 0.2	

#### **Description**

The Q-Swab product is a sampling device with a dry swab to collect a sample from a surface or any other area of interest. After breaking the snap valve, the medium is released to the sample for further incubation or other microbial investigations.

#### **Appearance**

Straw coloured solution

<b>Quality Control</b>	
Positive control	Expected result
S. aureus ATCC 25923	Turbid growth
E. coli ATCC 25922	Turbid growth

Negative controlExpected resultUninoculated mediumNo change

#### **Precautions**

Good Laboratory Practice (GLP). The medium may contain high amounts of pathogenic bacteria.





#### **QD-LOOP – MAXIMUM RECOVERY DILUENT**

The diluent complies with the recommendations of ISO 6887 and the German §35 Lebensmittelgesetz (German food law). This diluent can be used as an alternative to RINGER solution for milk and liquid milk products, dried milk, cheese, butter, meat and meat products, ice cream and chilled food based on milk. Maximum Recovery Diluent is of isotonic strength to ensure recovery of organisms from various sources and combines the protective effect of peptone in the diluent with the osmotic support of physiological saline. Within 1-2 hours of dilution of the sample there is no multiplication of organisms due to the low concentration of peptones.

Formulation	g/litre
Sodium chloride	8.5
Peptone	1.0
PH 7 0 +/- 0 2	

#### **Description**

The QD-Loop product is a Quick Dilution and sampling device with a loop or dipper to collect a defined amount from a liquid sample. After breaking the snap valve, the sample will be diluted and is ready for further microbial processing.

**Expected result** 

#### **Appearance**

Colourless solution

### Quality Control Positive control

E. coli ATCC 25922 Colony counts after 0, 2, 4 & 6 hours Ent. faecalis ATCC 11700 Colony counts after 0, 2, 4 & 6 hours

# Negative controlExpected resultUninoculated mediumNo change

#### **Precautions**

Good Laboratory Practice (GLP).