

Product: Voges-Proskauer Solution A

Catalog Number: iR94001

Lot Number:

Expiration Date:

Application:

This reagent is used in Voges-Proskauer test for detection of acetoin production by bacterial culture along with Voges-Proskauer Solution B.

Composition:

Alpha-Naphthol 0.5 g Ethanol 95% 10 ml

Directions:

Grow test culture in MR-VP Medium. Add 0.6 ml (6 drops) of Voges-Proskauer Solution A and 0.2 ml (2 drops) of Voges-Proskauer Solution B for 2.5 ml medium. Shake tubes gently for 30 seconds to 1 minute to expose the medium to atmospheric oxygen in order to oxidize the acetoin (acetylmethylcarbinol) so as to obtain a color reaction. Allow tube to stand at least 30 to 45 minutes.

Quality control:

Appearance: Colorless to reddish brown colored solution.

Clarity: Clear solution without any particles

Cultural Response: Biochemical identification was carried out by adding 0.6 ml of Voges-Proskauer Solution A and 0.2 ml of Voges-Proskauer Solution B in 48 hours old cultures grown in MR-VP Medium.

Microorganism (ATCC)	Growth	VP Test
E. aerogenes (13048)	Very Good	Positive (Pink-Red)
E. coli (25922)	Very Good	Negative
K. pneumoniae (13883)	Very Good	Positive (Pink-Red)

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