

Name of the Product : **Listeria Identification Agar Base (PALCAM)**  
 Code No. : **M1064**  
 Section 1 : **Chemical Identification**  
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     Name of the Product : Listeria Identification Agar Base (PALCAM)  
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Section 2 : <b>Composition</b>			
Ingredients	Grams/Litre	Ingredients	Grams/Litre
Peptic digest of animal tissue	23.00	Starch	1.00
Sodium chloride	5.00	Mannitol	10.00
*Ammonium ferric citrate	0.50	*Esculin	0.80
Dextrose	0.50	*Lithium chloride	15.00
*Phenol red	0.08	Agar	13.00

Final pH (at 25°C) 7.0±0.2

\* Harmful / Irritant material



Ammonium ferric citrate  
 CAS No. : 1185-57-5  
 R : 36/37/38 S : 26-36  
 RTECS : GE 7540000



Esculin  
 CAS No. : 531-75-9  
 R : 20-21-22



Lithium chloride  
 CAS No. : 7447-41-8  
 R : 22-36/37/38 S : 26  
 RTECS : OJ 5950000



Phenol red  
 CAS No. : 143-74-8  
 R : 36/37/38 S : 26-36  
 RTECS : SJ 7490000

### Section 3 : **Hazards Identification**



Hazard : Inhalation and ingestion of, or skin penetration by these substances is harmful to one's health. Non-recurring, recurring or lengthy exposure to these substances may result in irreversible damage.  
 Caution : Avoid contact with the human body, including inhalation of the vapours and in cases of malaise consult a doctor.



Hazard : This symbol designates substances which may have an irritant effect on skin, eyes and respiratory organs.  
 Caution : Do not breathe vapours and avoid contact with skin and eyes.

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**Section 4 : First - Aid Measures**

In case of swallowing, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of inhalation, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call physician. In case of contact with eyes, wash with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate washing by separating the eyelids with fingers. In serious conditions, call a physician, show the container or label.

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**Section 5 : Fire Fighting Measures**

Extinguishing Media. Water spray.

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder or appropriate foam. Special fire-fighting procedures. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

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**Section 6 : Accidental Release Measures**

Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots and heavy rubber gloves. Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

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**Section 7 : Handling and Storage**

Handling - Refer to Section 8

Storage - Store below 30°C

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**Section 8 : Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

Wear appropriate NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator, chemical-resistant gloves, safety goggles, other protective clothing. Mechanical exhaust required.

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**Section 9 : Physical and Chemical Properties**

Appearance : Homogeneous powder.

Colour : Light yellow to pink

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**Section 10 : Stability and Reactivity**

Stability : Product is stable if stored as per the conditions specified under storage of Section No. 7. Product loses its potency/performance above 45°C.

Conditions to avoid : Heat and light.

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

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**Section 11 : Toxicological Information**

Acute Effects : May be harmful if swallowed.

Exposure can cause : Stomach pains, vomiting, diarrhoea. Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.

RTECS No. : OJ 5950000 SJ 7490000 GE 7540000

For complete information RTECS may be referred.

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**Section 12 : Ecological Information**

Data not available

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Section 13 : **Disposal Considerations**

On completion of work all used or unusable preparations of this product and derivatives thereof are to be disposed off by autoclaving and/or by incineration. Dispose off waste in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and local laws.

Section 14 : **Transport Information**

UN No. : Not applicable.

Section 15 : **Regulatory Information**

Risk Phrases : Harmful if swallowed

Risk Phrases : Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

Risk Phrases : Harmful by inhalation

Risk Phrases : Harmful in contact with skin

Safety Phrases : In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice

Safety Phrases : Wear suitable protective clothing



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Section 16 : **Other Information**

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