

Name of the Product : **Crystal Violet Tetrazolium Agar Base**  
Code No. : **M586**

Section 1 : **Chemical Identification**

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Produced by : HiMedia Laboratories Pvt. Ltd.  
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Section 2 : **Composition**

Ingredients	Grams/Litre	Ingredients	Grams/Litre
Casein enzymic hydrolysate	5.00	Yeast extract	2.50
Dextrose	1.00	*Crystal violet	0.001
Agar	15.00		

Final pH (at 25°C) 7.0±0.2

\* Harmful / Dangerous to the Environment material



Crystal violet

CAS No. : 548-62-9

R : 20-40-41-50/53 S : 22-26-36/37/39-61

RTECS : BO 9000000

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 : Substances which are harmful to the aquatic (aquatic organisms, waters), as well as the non-aquatic environment (fauna, flora, atmosphere) or which have a detrimental effect at longer term.

Caution : Avoid release to the environment.

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.

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.

- 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 : Greyish yellow
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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. : BO 9000000  
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.
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- Section 14 : **Transport Information**  
UN No. : Not applicable.
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Section 15 : **Regulatory Information**

Risk Phrases : Harmful by inhalation

Risk Phrases : Possible risks of irreversible effects

Risk Phrases : Risk of serious damage to eyes

Risk Phrases : Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

Safety Phrases : Do not breathe dust

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

Safety Phrases : Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection

Safety Phrases : Avoid release to the environment



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Section 16 : **Other Information**

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