

## Media for protozoa

### UYTS + Rice

Prepare as for 100 mL URO medium with 99.2 mL instead of 99.9 mL distilled water. Adjust to pH 7.5 with 0.1 mol/L HCl, and add 10 mg yeast extract, 20 mg tryptone and 0.3 ml horse serum (UYTS medium).

Beforehand, sterilize polished rice by dry heating (150°C, 30 min). Keep in a cool place. For use, add a grain of sterile rice to 10 mL UYTS medium.

### URO

NH <sub>4</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>	0.5 mg
$\beta$ -Na <sub>2</sub> glycerophosphate · 5H <sub>2</sub> O	0.4 mg
MgSO <sub>4</sub> · 7H <sub>2</sub> O	1 mg
CaCl <sub>2</sub> · 2H <sub>2</sub> O	1 mg
KCl	0.1 mg
Thiamine HCl	1 µg
Vitamin B <sub>12</sub>	0.01 µg
Biotin	0.01 µg
Fe-EDTA	0.05 mg
PIV metals	0.1 mL
Distilled water	99.9 mL
pH 7.5 <sup>1)</sup>	

1) pH is adjusted to 7.5 with 0.1 mol/L HCl.

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### P IV metals

Na <sub>2</sub> EDTA · 2H <sub>2</sub> O	100 mg
FeCl <sub>3</sub> · 6H <sub>2</sub> O	19.6 mg
MnCl <sub>2</sub> · 4H <sub>2</sub> O	3.6 mg
ZnCl <sub>2</sub> <sup>1)</sup>	1.04 mg
CoCl <sub>2</sub> · 6H <sub>2</sub> O	0.4 mg
Na <sub>2</sub> MoO <sub>4</sub> · 2H <sub>2</sub> O	0.25 mg
Distilled water	100 mL

1) In the NIES-Collection, 1.04 mg ZnCl<sub>2</sub> is replaced by 2.2mg ZnSO<sub>4</sub> · 7H<sub>2</sub>O.

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