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1	31-8-16	PREVELENCE OF E-COLI IN DRINKING & WASTE WATER.
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4		Isolation and pure culturing of anaerobic bacteria to be used in different biotechnological processes.

### OBSERVATIONS:-

In drinking water Ecoli was nil while countable colonies of Ecoli were seen in sewage water sample.

Drinking water = Nil.  
sewage water = 259 colonies per 0.5ml.



1-8-16.

## PRACTICAL # 1

# PREVALENCE OF E-COLI IN DRINKING AND WASTE WATER.

### MATERIAL:-

Water sample, autoclave, hot air oven, EMB agar, distilled water, Petri plates, Micropipette, Aluminium foil, Conical flask, weighing balance, flame, safety cabinet, 70% alcohol / Ethanol, cotton, tips, incubator.

### PROCEDURE:-

- Took 250 ml distilled water in a conical flask and added weighed media (EMB agar - Eosine methylene Blue) in it and mixed well.
- Covered the conical flask with cotton and wrapped aluminium foil on it.
- Placed this flask in autoclave for sterilization.
- In autoclave, just release pressure, when needle came on 5.
- Wait until needle gone to 115 psi and then remove air after 15 minutes.



- Placed petri plates in hot air oven for 45 minutes at  $180^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- Took out media from autoclave and petri plates from hot air oven when time completes.
- Pour 10-12 ml media (estimated) in petri plate under safety cabinet. Cover it. Allowed it to solidify.
- Poured drops of water on petri plate with the help of micropipette and cover.
- (Both waste water and drinking water samples poured separately on petri plates.
- Placed these plates in incubator for 24 hours at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- Observed these plates after 24 hours and counted if colonies were visible.



PRACTICAL # 2.ISOLATION, IDENTIFICATION AND OPTIMIZATION OF BACTERIA.

IN THIS PRACTICAL, WE STUDIED THESE HEADINGS MENTIONED BELOW:-

- SOURCE OF ISOLATION.
- ENRICHMENT CULTURE DEVELOPEMENT.
- PURE CULTURING.
- IDENTIFICATION.
- OPTIMIZATION.

1 SOURCE OF ISOLATION:-

Isolation means separation of desired bacteria. For example, Bacteria for bio (clean water through biological agents), waste water treatment. Source should be environment that have elements which is going to be clean.

2 ENRICHMENT CULTURE DEVELOPEMENT:-

For enrichment culture development liquid medium should be used called Broth. Note the temperature of environment from where sample / bacteria taken. Placed sample with broth at that temperature for one day. Growth in medium will be checked



from turbidity of medium. Note broth OD on spectrophotometer. (OD - Optical density).

### 3 ⇒ PURE CULTURING:-

When OD of sample high then move it to solid media from liquid media (agar). Selective or differential medium should be used for specified bacterial growth. Selective medium (autoclaved) placed in petriplate (sterilized). After 10-15 min. medium solidify. Took 0.1-1ml from broth and poured on plate (spread through rod). Incubated it for 24 hours.

There are different species of different shapes of colonies. Lawn of colonies were not considered. Considered these plates for further identification that have 30-300 colonies.

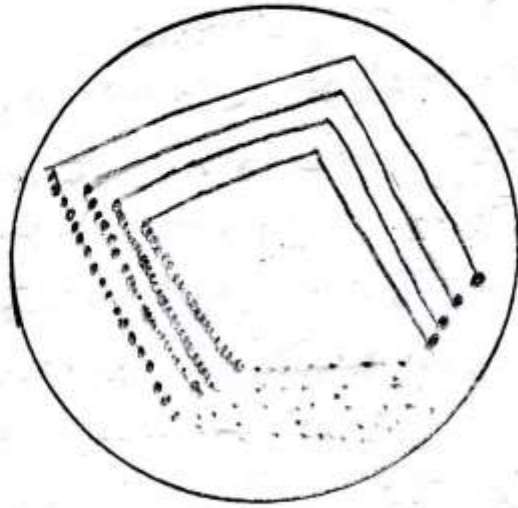
⇒ Preventions from Lawn:-

- \* Make dilutions.
- \* Used less quantity of sample (e.g. 50  $\mu$ l instead of 100  $\mu$ l.)
- \* Identify their shapes and grow them separately.

Picked colony with the help of inoculating loop and streaked them.

### 4 ⇒ IDENTIFICATION:-

Identification also called characterization.



⇒ Streaking

Shapes:-



Rod shape



circular



Spring.



Vibrato



Characterization of bacteria is of two types:-

- 1 ⇒ Phenotypic
- 2 ⇒ Genotypic.

### ⇒ PHENOTYPIC:-

Bacteria characterized according to their physical appearance that may include:-

- Shape
- Motility
- Staining.
- Endospore staining.

If tie between two or more groups during characterization then further biochemical tests will be performed.

### ⇒ GENOTYPIC:-

Bacteria characterized according to their genetical basis. Checked their DNA, amplify it and checked the sequence. Submit it in Data basis and checked with which they are matched.

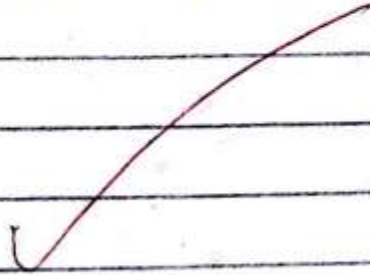
### ⇒ OPTIMIZATION:-

For these parameters of bacterial bacterial growth optimize



- pH
- Temperature
- Inoculum size.

Checked the OD of sample for pH and  
than temperature etc. with respect to pH.



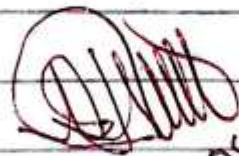
PRACTICAL # 3.HOW TO AVOID CONTAMINATION.

There are several ways to avoid contamination during bacterial culturing.

- 1 ⇒ Wash hands before doing work.
- 2 ⇒ Wear gloves and a lab coat.
- 3 ⇒ Keep long hair tied back.
- 4 ⇒ Tare weighing balance, before weighing media.
- 5 ⇒ Close bottles of reagents and media after taken them.
- 6 ⇒ Do not poured back to media bottle took enough that is used.
- 7 ⇒ Wipe down working surface with 70% Ethanol
- 8 ⇒ Used sterilized equipments.
- 9 ⇒ Used distilled water for media preparation.
- 10 ⇒ ~~Covered~~ Do not open sterilized petriplate in air
- 11 ⇒ Work in a laminar flow hood when passaging cells.
- 12 ⇒ Stay as organized as possible - label every thing



- 13 ⇒ Inspect all Equipments and media for contamination before use.
- 14 ⇒ If you must completely remove a lid from a tube, plate or bottle, set it down with the open surface facing up.
- 15 ⇒ Do not pass your hands / arms over any open bottle, plate or tube.
- 16 ⇒ Placed bottles, plates / tubes on one side before used and on another side after use. (left & right).
- 17 ⇒ Use proper antibiotics in your culture media.
- 18 ⇒ Turn on the UV lamp within laminar flow for 10 minutes to sterilize the area.
- 19 ⇒ Invert petri plates after 10-15 minutes of pouring (when solidify)
- 20 ⇒ Placed petri plates in oven in such a manner that lid cover the base.
- 21 ⇒ Do not open mouth during pouring.
- 22 ⇒ Clean autoclave incubator with Ethanol before placing petri plates.
- 23 ⇒ When finished, dispose of materials properly, wipe down working surfaces with Ethanol.



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## Practical # 4.

# ISOLATION AND PURE CULTURING OF ANAEROBIC BACTERIA TO BE USED IN DIFFERENT BIOTECHNOLOGICAL PROCESSES.

For isolation of pure culturing of anaerobic bacteria some controlled conditions required, such as,

- Temperature
- Absence of  $O_2$
- PH
- Inoculum size etc

• For this purpose simple culturing methods not used, because in these methods,  $O_2$  may enter and purpose of pure culturing of anaerobes not completed. First of all get sample from that area which was completely  $O_2$  deficient like, stagnant water body (bottoms) or from soil depth.

• Different methods should be used for culturing of anaerobes such as given below:-

- i → Anaerobic chamber
- ii → Sealed vial
- iii → Sealed vial with oil layer
- iv → Pour plate method



- v ⇒ Anaerobic jar.
- vi ⇒ Agar dilutions

### ⇒ ANAEROBIC CHAMBER:-

Specific chamber designed for the cultivation of anaerobes which is expensive and need expertise to handle. Evacuated and two cylinders, one with nitrogen and other with carbon dioxide (both have fixed flow) (like a safety cabinet), Spark with electricity or ultra violet radiation that sterilized the equipments. Work as safety cabinet as well as incubator. Only anaerobes grow in this chamber.

### ⇒ SEALED VIAL:-

Used autoclaved vial with broth (liquid medium). Sealed the vial with stopper and sealing. Add sample in it and remove  $O_2$  with the help of syringe. Only anaerobes grow in this vial. incubate at specific temperature.

### ⇒ SEALED VIAL WITH OIL LAYER:-

Used sterilized media (broth) and vial, added sample and then added 3-5mm oil layer on it. Oil prevents penetration of oxygen inside, no need of evacuation.



### ⇒ POUR PLATE METHOD:-


Added sample in a sterilized plate (petri plate) and then pour media on it (solid media-agar). Oxygen automatically removed by pressing of media. Aerobes grow only but colonial study is limited.

### ⇒ ANAEROBIC JAR:-

Sample placed on solid media and spread. All petri plates with sample collected and placed in a jar and closed with a lid that prevents  $O_2$  passage. Anaerogen kits used to absorb already present  $O_2$  (packets).

### ⇒ AGAR DILUTIONS:-

Used basically for isolation of specific colonies and their characteristics study. Sample mixed with molten agar in a tube and made dilutions. Incubated and checked colony characteristics in tubes (dilutions). Pure culture will be obtained from this by breaking tube at the point of specific colony. Carefully pick the specific area and grow in selective media for further studies.

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Practical # 5

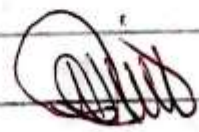
## PURE CULTURING OF SALMONELLA

### MATERIAL:-

Petri plates, distilled water, pipette's, Bismuth sulfide, weighing balance, conical flask, stopper, autoclave, hot air oven, safety cabinet, hot plate.

### PROCEDURE:-

- Sterilized petri plates in hot air oven at  $180^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Weighed bismuth sulfide media (agar) and mixed with distilled water in conical flask.
- Placed conical flask on hot plate till boiling.
- Poured agar in petri plates under safety cabinet, and allowed them to solidify.
- Put 0.5 mg sample for dilutions and poured 100  $\mu\text{l}$  from each dilution in petri plate ~~hex~~ 4 labelled respectively.
- Incubated petriplates for 24 hours and then for 48 hours
- Observed the colonies of salmonella.

  
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