# Peptone from Casein, pancreatic, granulated

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Tryptone, granulated is suited for the preparation of media for fastidious microorganisms, fungi, bacterial vaccine production, and the elaboration of indole testing

#### **Mode of Action**

Tryptone is a pancreatic digestion of casein. It fulfils the USP criteria for tryptone.

Tryptone is a nitrogen source containing a high level of free amino acids, particularly tryptophane and the absence of detectable carbohydrates.

It is usually employed in concentrations of 1.0%.

#### **Typical Analysis**

Colour granules	Beige
pH (5% in water)	6.7-7.7
Loss on drying (105 °C)	≤6%
Sulfated ash (800 °C)	≤15%
Amino-nitrogen ( $N_{\alpha}$ )	3.0-5.0%
Assay protein (ex. N calc. on dried substance)	≥80%
Nitrogen (N <sub>T</sub> ) (Kjeldahl)	12-13%
Calcium	≤0.1%
Amino acid specification	See table page 542

### **Ordering Information**

Product	Merck Cat. No.	Pack size
Peptone from Casein, pancreatic, granulated	1.07213.1000	1 kg
Peptone from Casein, pancreatic, granulated	1.07213.2500	2.5 kg
Peptone from Casein, pancreatic, granulated	1.07213.9025	25 kg

## **Quality control**

Test strains	Growth
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC 25923	+
Staphylococcus aureus ATCC 6538P	+
Enterococcus faecalis ATCC 11700	+
Listeria monocytogenes ATCC 19113	+
Escherichia coli ATCC 8739	+
Klebsiella pneumoniae ATCC 13883	+
Salmonella typhimurium ATCC 14028	+