ATCC medium: 1011 Diphasic Blood Agar Medium

Complete Medium

Blood Agar base (ATCC Medium 449)	700 ml
Rabbit Blood, defibrinated	300 ml
Locke's solution (added as an overlay; see below)	450 ml

Cool ATCC Medium 449 (see below) until it may be held comfortably in the hand. Aseptically add 30% sterile, defibrinated rabbit blood; dispense 5 ml per 16 X 125 mm screw-capped test tube, slant and cool; add 3 ml sterile Locke's Solution overlay (see below).

ATCC Medium 449

(composition per 750 ml)

Meat extract (dry, granulated)	25.0 g
DI Water	250.0 ml

Infuse beef in water by bringing to a rapid boil for 2-3 minutes, stirring constantly. Filter through Whatman #2V filter paper if required and add:

Neopeptone (BD 211681)	10.0 g
NaCl	
Agar	10.0 g
DI Water to	500.0 ml

Adjust pH to 7.2-7.4. Autoclave at 121°C.

Locke's Solution:

NaCl	8.0 g
KCI	0.2 g
CaCl2	0.2 g
KH2PO4	
Glucose	2 5 g
DI Water	1000 ml