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APPENDIXES

Aspergillus flavus parasiticus agar (AFPA) (Leontopoulos et al., 2003)

yeast extract	20	g
bacteriological peptone	10	g
ferric ammonium citrate	0.5	g
0.2% in Dichloran 95% ethanol	1.0	ml
chloramphenicol	0.1	g
agar	15	g
distilled water	1000	ml
final pH 6.0–6.5		

5% V8 juice agar

V8 juice	5%	vol/vol
pH 5.2		
agar	2%	wt/vol

Incubation at 30°C in the dark. Conidia from 7-dayold-cultures suspended in deionized water were used as inoculum.

Czapek-dox medium (Bayman and Cotty, 1991)

sucrose	30	g
sodium nitrate	3	g
di-potassium phosphate	1	g
(potassium phosphate dibasic anhydrous)		
magnesium sulfate (anhydrous)	0.5	g
potassium chloride	0.5	g
ferrous sulfate	0.01	g
adjust to pH 7		
agar	20	g
distilled water	1000	ml

Czapek-dox medium for mutant selection (Bayman and Cotty, 1991)

sucrose	30	g
sodium nitrate	3	g
di-potassium phosphate	1	g
(potassium phosphate dibasic anhydrous)		
magnesium sulfate (anhydrous)	0.5	g
potassium chloride	0.5	g
ferrous sulfate	0.01	g

for Nit selection add :

potassium chlorate	25	g
rose Bengal	50	mg
(10 ml of a 5 mg/ml 95% ethanol stock)		
adjust to pH 7		
agar	20	g
distilled water	1000	ml

Horn BW, and Greene RL (1995)

nitrite medium	:	replace $NaNO_3$ with	0.7g	$NaNO_2$
hypoxanthine medium:		replace $NaNO_3$ with	0.1g	hypoxanthine
ammonium medium	:	replace $NaNO_3$ with	0.9g	ammonium tartrate

nitrate	nitrite	hypoxanthnine	
niaD	-	+	+	nitrate non-utilizing
nirA	-	-	+	nitrite and nitrate non-utilizing
cnx	-	+	-	hypoxantine and nitrate non-utilizing

selection of nit mutant

Types	Nitrate with clorate	nitrite	hypoxanthine	ammonium
niaD	-	+	+	+
cnx	-	+	-	+
nir	-	-	+	+
nii	-	-	+	+
wild type	+	+	+	+

Rice medium for detect aflatoxins producing fungi (modified from Shotwell et al, 1966)

5 g long grain rice in 5 ml distilled water

Rice medium for detect kojic acid producing fungi

5 g long grain rice in 15 ml distilled water

modified Yest extract medium (Horn et al., 2000)

sucrose	50	g
yeast extract	5	g
adjust to pH 6.5		
distilled water	1000	ml

Citrate utilizing medium (modified from Simmons' Citrate agar, Atlas and Snyder, 2006)

sodium citrate	2	g
Ammonium hydrogenphosphate	1	g
di-potassium phosphate	1	g
(potassium phosphate dibasic anhydrous)		
magnesium sulfate (anhydrous)	0.5	g
potassium chloride	0.5	g
ferrous sulfate	0.01	g
Bromthymol blue	0.08	g
adjust to pH 7		
agar	20	g
distilled water	1000	ml

Starch medium (Cotty and Tylor, 2003)

NaNO3	3 g
K2HPO4	1 g
MgSO4.7H2O	0.5 g
KCl	0.5 g
Glucose	36 g
Starch	20 g
Agar	13 g

The medium was adjusted to pH 6.0 prior to autoclaving

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