



# 3M™ Petrifilm™ – Rapid Coliform Count Plates

## Product Information

<b>MEDIUM:</b>	Petrifilm™ Rapid Coliform Count plates (6402/6412)													
<b>ISO/BSI CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION NUMBER:</b>	3M Microbiology is certified to ISO-9001:2000, FM 14552 Manufactured at Brookings, South Dakota, U.S.A.													
<b>DATE OF EXPIRATION/ LOT NUMBER</b>	Expiry and lot number indicated on each package. Lot number indicated on each plate.													
<b>FORMULATION:</b>	Violet red bile nutrients, cold water soluble gel, tetrazolium indicator													
<b>METHOD OF PREPARATION:</b>	Nutrients and gels coated onto film. For use, hydrate with one ml aqueous sample or dilution of sample. See product package insert for detailed instructions.													
<b>CONTAMINATION CHECK:</b>	Minimum 80 plates per batch tested Incubated at 32°C for 24 hours Columbia sequential sampling plan													
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<b>PACKAGING:</b>	Pack size: 25 plates per foil pouch Film grade: Plastic foil laminate Seal integrity check: Delamination seal integrity test performed													
<b>MEASUREMENT SYSTEMS CALIBRATION AND TRACEABILITY:</b>	Incubator temperature. 3M internal calibration. Minimum calibration once per year for all equipment.													
<b>MEDIA QUALITY STATEMENT:</b>	Quality assurance certificate included in package													
<b>SHELF LIFE:</b>	12 months from date of manufacture													
<b>STORAGE CONDITIONS:</b>	Store at temperatures less than or equal to 8°C													
<b>SIGNED:</b>														

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