



## DEPARTAMENTO DE MICROBIOLOGÍA-MICROBIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

### MATERIAL DE LABORATORIO-LABORATORY MATERIAL

#### APARATOS – APPARATUS

Agitador - Stirrer  
Autoclave - Autoclave  
Avisador - Timer

Balanza - Scale  
Balanza de precisión - Precision scale  
Baño - Bath  
Bomba de vacío – Vacuum pump

Campana – Chamber  
Campana de flujo laminar – Laminar flow hood, cabinet  
Carro - Trolley  
Centrífuga - Centrifuge  
Columna cromatografía - Chromatographic column  
Congelador - Freezer

Espectrofotómetro - Spectrophotometer  
Estufa – Incubator, heater

Fermentador – Fermentor

Grapa - Staple  
Grapadora - Stappler

Horno Pasteur – Pasteur oven

Impresora - Printer  
Incubador de CO<sub>2</sub> – CO<sub>2</sub> incubator

Liofilizador – Lyophilizator, freeze dryer

Microondas – Microwave

Ordenador - Computer

pHmetro - pH meter  
Pipeta automática – Automatic pipette  
Pipeta multicanal - Multichannel pipette  
Pipeteador – Pipetter

Sonicador – Sonicator

Teléfono- Telephone

#### VERBOS - VERBS

Abrir – to open  
Agitar – to agitate  
Agotar – to exhaust  
Agregar – to add  
Aislar – to insulate  
Apagar fuego – to extinguish  
Apagar aparato- to switch off, to turn off  
Arder – to burn

Buscar algo – to search  
Buscar alguna persona – to look for

Calibrar – to calibrate  
Centrifugar – to centrifuge  
Cerrar – to close  
Coger – to take  
Contaminar – to contaminate  
Cortar – to cut  
Crecer – to growth

Derramar sin querer – to spill  
Derramar a propósito- to pour out  
Desbloquear – to unblock  
Desbordar sin querer – to surpass  
Desbordar a propósito – overflow  
Descongelar – to defrost, to thaw  
Desecar – to desiccate  
Desechar – to cast aside, to refuse  
Desenchufar – to unplug  
Desequilibrar – to unbalance  
Desinfectar – to disinfect  
Desplazar – to move  
Destilar – to distil  
Destruir – to destroy  
Detener – to stop  
Determinar – to fix, to measure  
Dilatar – to expand  
Dispensar – to dispense

Echar – to throw  
Encender la luz – to light  
Encender un aparato – to turn on  
Enchufar – to connect, to plug

Enfocar – to focus  
Enjuagar – to rinse  
Ensancha – to widen  
Equilibrar – to balance  
Escribir – to write

Fermentar – to ferment  
Fijar – to fix  
Filtrar – to filter  
Fregar – to scrub

Hervir – to boil

Imprimir – to print  
Incubar – to incubate  
Inocular – to inoculate  
Inyectar – to inject

Llenar – to fill

Matar – to kill  
Meter – to put in  
Mezclar – to mix

Oscilar – to vary

Partir – to divide  
Pasar – to transfer  
Pedir – to ask (for)  
Pegar – to stick  
Pesar – to weigh  
Poner – to put  
Preparar – to prepare  
Probar – to test

Raspar – to scrape  
Recoger – to pick up  
Rellenar – to refill  
Repartir – to distribute  
Repetir – to repeat  
Reponer – to put back  
Romper – to break

Sacar – to take out  
Secar – to dry  
Sujetar – to fasten, to fix

Tapar – to cover  
Terminar – to finish  
Tirar – to throw out

Vaciar – to empty

## VARIOS - VARIOUS

Abrazadera – Clamp  
Abrillantador – Polish  
Aceite de inmersión – Immersion oil  
Acuoso – Watery  
Advertencia - Caution  
Aerosol – Spray, aerosol  
Agua destilada - Distilled water  
Agua ultrapura – Ultrapure water  
Aguja – Needle  
Aire acondicionado – Air conditioning  
Alcohol - Alcohol  
Algodón – Cotton  
Alicates – Pliers  
Almacén – Store  
Anilla – Ring  
Arena - Sand  
Armario - Cupboard  
Asa de siembra – Handle loop  
Azufre – Sulphur

Bacilo - Bacillus  
Bacteria – Bacterium  
Bacterias - Bacteria  
Baño - Bath  
Bata – White coat, overall  
Bayeta – Baize, cloth  
Bidón - Carboy  
Bisturí – Knife  
Bolígrafo – Ball point  
Bolsa - Bag  
Bomba – Pump  
Bombilla - Bulb  
Bombona butano – Gas cylinder  
Botella – Bottle  
Burbuja - Bubble

Cadena - Chain  
Caja de puntas - Tip box, tip rack  
Cajón - Drawer  
Canica – Marble  
Cáustico - Caustic  
Célula - Cell  
Cepa – Stock  
Cepo - Restrainer  
Cerillas - Matches  
Chupete - Shuching device, dummy, soother  
Cinta aislante - Electrical insulation tape  
Cinta de autoclave - Autoclave tape  
Cobaya- Guinea pig

Cocina – Kitchen  
Colonia – Colony  
Colorante - Dye  
Condensador – Condensing lens  
Conejillo de indias – Guinea pig  
Conejo - Rabbit  
Contenedor - Container  
Cordero - Lamb  
Cuaderno – Labbook, notebook  
Cubeta electroforesis - Electrophoresis chamber  
Cubo – Bucket  
Cubo de basura – Rubbishbin  
Cubo basura con ruedas - Trash can  
Cuchilla – Blade  
Cultivo – Culture

Chimpancé - Chimpanzee

Densidad - Density  
Desechos – Waste  
Despacho – Office  
Espacio – Slowly  
Desviación – Deviation  
Detergente – Detergent  
Diafragma - Diaphragm  
Disco – Disc  
Disco duro – Hard disc  
Duplicado - Duplicate

Efervescencia – Effervescence  
Embolo - Piston  
Embudo – Funnel  
Encendido - On  
Enchufe – Plug(macho), socket(hembra)  
Entrada - Gateway  
Ependorf - Microcentrifuge tubes  
Escobilla – Brush  
Espudo - Sputum  
Esterilización - Sterilization  
Estropajo – Scourer  
Etiqueta – Label  
Extintor – Fire extinguisher

Frasco de cultivo – Culture flask  
Fregadero – Kitchen sink  
Filtro – Filter  
Fluido – Fluid  
Fotocopia – Photoprint  
Frasco de cultivo – Culture flask  
Fuego – Fire  
Fusible - Fusible

Garrafa - Carafe  
Gasa – Gauze  
Gel - Gel

Goma – Ruber  
Gota - Drop  
Gradilla - Rack  
Grapadora – Stapler  
Grifo - Tap  
Guantes - Gloves

Hámster - Hamster  
Hielo - Ice  
Hisopos – Swabs  
Hongo – Fungus

Imán – Magnet  
Interior - Inside

Jeringuilla – Syringe

Lámpara – Lamp  
Lavavajillas - Dishwasher  
Leche desnatada – Skimmed milk  
Lejía – Bleach  
Liso - Smooth  
Luz ultravioleta – Ultraviolet Light

Llama – Flame  
Llave - Key

Máquina – Machine  
Manipulación - Handling  
Marmota - Marmot  
Mascarilla - Mask  
Matraz – Flask  
Matraz aforado – Volumetric flask  
Mechero – Burner, lighter  
Medida - Measure  
Medio de cultivo - Culture media  
Microbio - Microbe  
Micropipeta - Micropipette  
Microplacas – Microplates  
Microscopio – Microscope  
Moho – Mould  
Mono - Monkey  
Mosca - Magnetic stirrer

Nevera - Refrigerator  
Nocivo - Noxious

Palillos – Tooth picks  
Papel de aluminio - Aluminum foil  
Papel de filtro – Filter paper  
Papel marrón(embalar) - Wrapping paper  
Papelería – Bin  
Peine - Comb  
Perlas de vidrio - Glass beads  
Permeable – Permeable, porous  
Pesa – Weight

Pila - Battery  
Placas de petri - Petri dishes  
Plástico - Plastic  
Pinzas - Forceps  
Pinzas de apretar – Clamp  
Pipeta - Pipette  
Pocillo – Well  
Poro - Pore  
Portaobjetos – Microscope slides  
Probeta – Graduate cilinder  
Proteína – Protein  
Puchero – Cooking pot  
Pulverizador - Spray  
Puntas - Tips  
Puntas amarillas - Yellow tips  
Puntas azules - Blue tips

Rata - Rat  
Ratón - Mousse  
Recuento – (re) count  
Repisa – Ledge  
Residuo – Residue  
Rollo - Roll  
Rotulador – a marker pen  
Rugoso - Rough

Sobrenadante - Supernatant  
Sucio - Dirty  
Suelo – Floor

Suero – Serum  
Suero bovino – Calf serum  
Suero fetal bovino – Bovine Foetal serum  
Suero fisiológico – Saline  
Sulfato – Sulphate  
Sulfuro – Sulphide

Tabla - Board  
Tampón – Buffer  
Tapa - Cover  
Tapón – Stopper, plug  
Tapón metálico – Metallic top  
Teclado – Keyboard  
Técnico - Technician  
Termómetro - Thermometer  
Tijeras – Scissors  
Tiza – Chalk  
Tope - Top  
Tubo – Tube

Unidad formador de colonia (ufc) – Colony forming unit

Vidrio – Glass  
Vuelta –Turn

Yodo - Iodine