Table I. Experimental ranges of the independent variables in the experimental design (Each factor in this design was studied at five different levels –α; -1; 0; +1; +α).

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| Factors | -1 | 0 | +1 | Axial (-α) | Axial (+α) |
| A: barley bran, % | 1 | 2.5 | 4 | 0.7 | 4.3 |
| B: yeast extract,g l-1 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1.6 | 6.4 |