**Table 2** Response surface design factor levels and coding

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| **Levels** | **Factors** | | | |
| **Fungus ratio  (A)** | **Fungal inoculum(B) /%** | **Additive amount of corn flour  (C) /%** | **Fermentation time (D) /d** |
| -1 | 2:8 | 8 | 8 | 13 |
| 0 | 3: 7 | 10 | 10 | 15 |
| 1 | 4: 6 | 12 | 12 | 17 |