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ProductInformation

RNA MARKER 0.2-10 KB

Product No. **R 7020**

Storage: –70 °C

PRODUCT SUMMARY

Suitable for use as a molecular weight marker for formaldehyde agarose gel electrophoresis.

Usage: 1-2 µl per lane. See suitability assay for details.

Concentration: Approx. 1mg/ml

STORAGE BUFFER

10 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0
1 mM EDTA

1 X TBE ELECTROPHORESIS BUFFER

89 mM Tris Borate, pH 8.3
2 mM EDTA

SUITABILITY ASSAY

RNA Marker sample solutions were prepared for electrophoresis as follows:

2-4 µl RNA Marker, q.s. to 5 µl with water (Rnase free)
3 µl RNA Sample Loading Buffer (Product No. R 4268) 62.5% (v/v) Deionized Formamide, 1.14 M Formaldehyde, 1.25X MOPS-EDTA-Sodium Acetate Buffer (Product No. M 5755, diluted 1:8), 200 µg/ml Bromphenol Blue, 200 µg/ml Xylene Cyanole, 50µg/ml Ethidium Bromide
1 µl 200 mM Potassium Acetate, pH 4.5

The RNA marker sample solution was incubated at 65 °C for 10 minutes and immediately cooled on ice.

SUITABILITY ASSAY(continued)

The entire 9 µl of RNA Marker solution was loaded with appropriate RNA markers on an agarose gel. Electrophoresis was performed in a mini submarine-type apparatus at 100 V for 2 hours in 1X TBE electrophoresis buffer. The gel was stained in 5 µg/ml ethidium bromide for 15 minutes and destained 1 hour with shaking in water. Nine bands were resolved and the band pattern was consistent with the sizes listed below.

FRAGMENT SIZES (bases)

10000	1500
6000	1000
4000	500
3000	200
2000	

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