E-Gel™ Low Range Quantitative DNA Ladder

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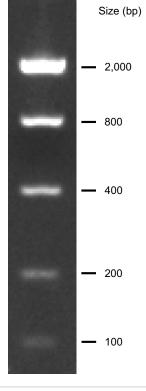
Storage

- Product is shipped at ambient temperature.
- Store at room temperature or at 4°C for up to 6 months, or at -20°C for long term storage.



Product description

- The Invitrogen[™] E-Gel[™] Low Range Quantitative DNA Ladder is designed for sizing and quantification of double stranded DNA on 2% E-Gel[™] agarose gels.
- The E-Gel[™] Low Range Quantitative DNA Ladder consists of 5 individual chromatography-purified DNA fragments ranging in size from 100 bp to 2,000 bp.
- The ladder is supplied with 1X E-Gel[™] Sample Loading Buffer for sample DNA.





Required materials

- E-Gel[™] E-Gel[™] EX or E-Gel[™] Agarose Gel with SYBR[™] Safe (See Choosing the right DNA ladder for your E-Gel[™] agarose gel)
- TE Buffer (Cat. No. AM9858)
- Ultrapure[™] DNase/RNase-Free Distillated Water (Cat. No. 10977023)



Important guidelines

- Do not heat the E-Gel[™] Low Range Quantitative DNA Ladder before loading.
- Load the same volume of DNA sample and DNA ladder.
- For quantification, adjust the concentration of the sample to equalize it approximately with the amount of DNA in the nearest band of the ladder.
- Dilute sample DNA in TE buffer to avoid degradation of DNA sample.
- Choosing the right DNA ladder for your E-Gel™ agarose gel
- Troubleshooting
- Limited product warranty and disclaimer details



- Visit our product pages for additional information and protocols.
- Go online to view related DNA ladders and markers.
- For support, visit thermofisher.com/support.

Prepare DNA ladders and samples for electrophoresis

This protocol provides a brief description of how to use the DNA ladder with E-GelTM agarose gels. For detailed instructions on using specific types of E-GelTM agarose gels, go to thermofisher.com or contact Technical Support.

Step			Action			
1		Prepare DNA ladder	 a. Thaw, mix and briefly centrifuge DNA ladder before use. b. Prepare DNA ladder. For E-Gel™ EX Agarose Gels, mix 5 µL of DNA ladder with 15 µL of water. For E-Gel™ Agarose Gels, mix 10 µL of DNA ladder with 10 µL of water. For E-Gel™ 48 Agarose Gels, mix 10 µL of DNA ladder with 5 µL of water. 			
2		Prepare samples	 a. Dilute your sample 2- to 10-fold with TE Buffer (Cat. No. AM9858), 1X E-Gel™ Sample Loading Buffer (Cat No. 10482055), or water. b. Mix gently. 			
3		Load samples and DNA ladders	 a. Load DNA ladders and DNA samples into the appropriate wells of the E-Gel™ agarose gel. Add 20 µL for E-Gel™ and E-Gel™ EX Agarose Gels. Add 15 µL for E-Gel™ 48 Agarose Gels. b. Add water to any empty wells, so that all wells contain an equal volume of liquid. 			
		Perform electrophoresis	a. Choose the appropriate E-Gel [™] run protocol for your gel type based on the electrophoresis device being used.			
			Gel type	Program	Recommended run time	
			E-Gel [™] Power Snap Electrophoresis Device (Cat. No. G8100)			
4			E-Gel™ EX Agarose Gel (1%, 2%)	E-Gel EX 4 1-2%	15 min (20 min max)	
			E-Gel™ Agarose Gel (0.8%, 1.2%, 2%)	E-Gel 0.8-2%	26 min (40 min max)	
			E-Gel™ E-Base™ Device			
			E-Gel™ 48 Agarose Gel (1%, 2%)	EG	20 min	
			b. Run the program to start electrophoresis.			
5		Visualize agarose gel	Visualize DNA ladder and samples.			
			 Use the E-Gel[™] Power Snap Camera (Cat. No. G8200), E-Gel[™] Imager (Cat. No. 466612), or other blue light imager to detect DNA bands stained with SYBR[™] stains. 			
			UV transilluminator to detect DNA bands stained with ethidium bromide.			