

## Product Information Sheet

# 1% Agarose in Tris-Acetate-EDTA (TAE), pHast Pack™ Buffers

**Catalog Number PPB012**

## Product Description

Contents of one pouch, when dissolved in 250 mL of ultrapure water, will yield a 1× solution containing 40 mM Tris acetate, 1 mM EDTA, and 1.0% (w/v) agarose. Contents tested to be DNase, RNase, and Nickase free.

## Application

Tris-Acetate-EDTA buffer with 1.0% agarose is primarily used for gel electrophoresis to separate nucleic acids.

## Preparation Instructions

In a 1 L flask, combine pHast pack contents with 250 mL ultrapure water and mix well. Microwave on high for ~1 minute to boil and dissolve the agarose. Use a heat resistant glove to remove the flask every 10 – 15 seconds to mix gently by swirling the liquid in a circle at the bottom of the flask. Repeat until the agarose is fully dissolved. Cool the flask slightly with cold water while swirling every 10 – 15 seconds, add the stain, and pour the gel. Allow agarose gel to fully cool and solidify before removing combs.

## Storage and Stability

Store at room temperature. Product may naturally agglomerate but can be simply broken up within the pouch prior to use.

## Precautions and Disclaimer

For R&D use only. Not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

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