Preparing PCR Buffers

GC BIOCHEMISTRY RESEARCH PROTOCOLS

TE buffer

10 mM Tris-Cl, pH 7.5 1 mM EDTA

Make from 1M stock of Tris-Cl (pH 7.5) and 500 mM stock of EDTA (pH 8.0).

For 1 L: (Tris and EDTA both added per L) 10mL 1M Tris-Cl pH 7.5 plus, 2 ml 500mM EDTA pH 8.0

TBE Recipe (1 liter of 5X stock solution)

1-54 g of Tris base (CAS# 77-86-1)

2-27.5 g of boric acid (CAS# 10043-35-3)

3-20 ml of 0.5 M EDTA (CAS# 60-00-4) (pH 8.0)

TBE can be diluted to 1X prior to use in electrophoresis, 0.5x is acceptable as well.