GeneRuler Ultra Low Range DNA Ladder

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WARNING! Read the Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) and follow the handling instructions. Wear appropriate protective eyewear, clothing, and gloves. Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) are available from **thermofisher.com/support.**

Contents and storage

Cat. No.	Contents	Amount	Storage
SM1211	GeneRuler Ultra Low Range DNA Ladder	50 µg (for 50-100 applications), 0.5 µg/µL	-25 °C to -15 °C
	6X TriTrack DNA Loading Dye	1 mL	
SM1212	GeneRuler Ultra Low Range DNA Ladder	250 (5 x 50) µg (for 250-500 applications), 0.5 µg/µL	
	6X TriTrack DNA Loading Dye	2 x 1 mL	

Description

Thermo Scientific™ GeneRuler™ Ultra Low Range DNA Ladder contains a mix of 11 chromatography-purified individual DNA fragments (in base pairs): 300, 200, 150, 100, 75, **50**, 35, 25, 20, 15, 10. It contains a 50 bp reference band for easy orientation.
The ladder is supplied in a storage buffer.
It is specially designed for electrophoretic analysis of small DNA fragments on high percentage agarose (5 %) and polyacrylamide (8-10 %) gels.

Storage Buffer

10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.6), 1 mM EDTA.

6X TriTrack DNA Loading Dye

10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.6), 0.03 % bromophenol blue, 0.03 % xylene cyanol FF, 0.15 % orange G, 60 % glycerol and 60 mM EDTA.

Protocol for loading

Loading mixture for the 5 mm gel lane*:

Components	Gels	
	Agarose	**Polyacrylamide**
DNA ladder (0.5-1 µg)	1-2 µL	1-2 µL
6X TriTrack DNA Loading Dye	1 µL	0.5 µL
Deionized water	4-3 µL	1.5-0.5 µL
	6 µL	3 µL

Step 1: Mix gently
Step 2: Load on the gel

* For gels with other lane widths, the components of the mixture should be scaled either up or down. Use 0.2-0.4 µL (0.1-0.2 µg) of DNA ladder per 1 mm of lane.

Recommendations

- Do not heat before loading
- Dilute your DNA sample with the 6X TriTrack DNA Loading Dye (#R1161, supplied with the ladder): mix 1 volume of the dye solution with 5 volumes of the DNA sample;
- Load the same volumes of the DNA sample and the 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.
- For DNA band visualization with SYBR™ Green and other intercalating dyes, do not add the dyes into the sample, use gel staining after electrophoresis or include dyes into agarose gel to avoid aberrant DNA migration.
- **Important note:** For DNA band visualization with GelRed™ use gel staining after electrophoresis to avoid aberrant DNA migration.

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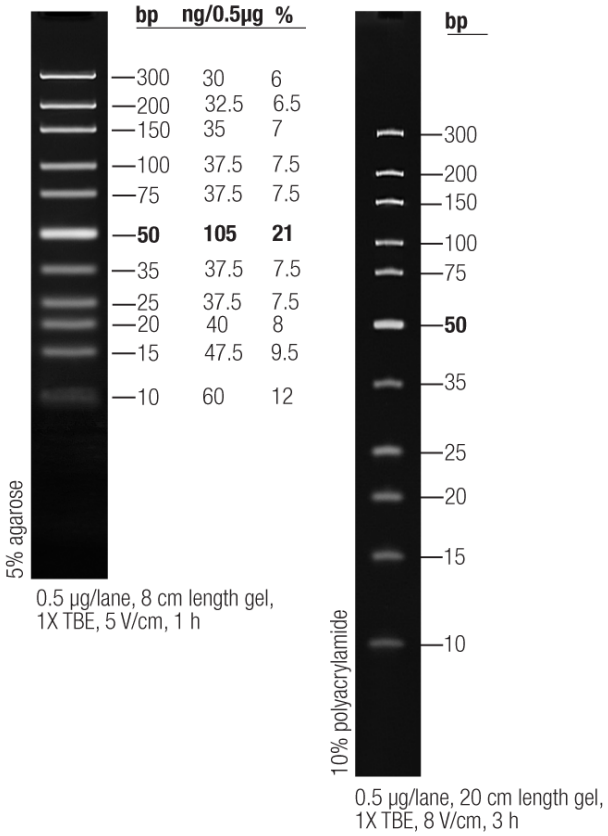

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