



## 0.5 M EDTA (0.5 L)

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### ABSTRACT

Is used in a multitude of experiments, but is often used as an ingredient in 10x TBE buffer

### PROTOCOL STATUS

#### Working

We use this protocol in our group and it is working

### MATERIALS

NAME	CATALOG #	VENDOR
Ethylenediamine Tetraacetic Acid Disodium Salt Dihydrate111212	S311-500	Fisher Scientific
Sodium Hydroxide111212	BP359-500	Fisher Scientific

### SAFETY WARNINGS

Will be using NaOH pellets, make sure to wear gloves.

### BEFORE STARTING

Make sure you are able to use the pH machine and an autoclave machine

- 1 Fill 0.5 L beaker with 300 ml of deionized water.
- 2 Add 73.06 g of Ethylenediamine Tetraacetic Acid Disodium Salt (292,24 g/mol) to the water and mix.
- 3 Put the electrode pH meter into the solution (with continuous mixing) and measure the pH (don't worry if the solution isn't clear). The pH will be about 3 at this point. The pH needs to be at 8.
- 4 Add NaOH pellets until the pH is near 7.8 (the solution will be clear around pH 7.5). Complete to arrive at pH 8 with NaOH 5 M solution (also NaOH 10 M is good).
- 5 Once at pH 8, fill to 500 ml.
- 6 Autoclave at 121 °C for 00:15:00 or filter it with 0,22 µ filter.



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