

Product Specifications

SEEBAND PROTEIN STAIN Analytical Grade

Catalog # IB01033

<u>Size</u> 500ml

Recommended Use

- Clear and sharp bands
- High Sensitivity, Below 10ng of Protein per Band
- Track staining intensity during staining.
- Low Background
- Washes with water only
- Storage of 12 months @ 4°C (refrigerated)

Coomassie Blue Staining of proteins in SDS-PAGE gels is a daily procedure in many laboratories. It is popular among life science researchers, due to its good sensitivity and relative ease of use. Traditionally, Coomassie Blue staining requires a methanol and acetic acid solution to achieve staining and destaining. This process increases the risk for hazardous exposure and produces an unpleasant pungent odor. SeeBand Protein Stain is a convenient alternative to traditional Coomassie Blue staining procedures. Environmentally friendly, this ready-to-use stain does not contain methanol and acetic acid and does not require hazardous solvents for destaining. This simple "hands-off" staining/destaining procedure saves valuable time while reducing the handling of hazardous materials and solvent waste in your laboratory.

Applications

- 1. Staining proteins in analytical work
- 2. Staining 2-D gels
- 3. Staining gels for long-term documentation

Time to remove SDS

<14%	10 minutes in 300 mls water	3X
14%-16%	30 minutes in 300 ml water	3X
>16%	60 minutes in 300 mls water	3X

SeeBand Protein Staining Procedure

Remove stacking gel

10 min 3x Rinse gel with 300 ml of water (for denaturing gels)

1 hour Staining with SeeBand Protein (completely submerge the gel) 20 mls/mini gel

30 min Destain in Deionized Water (Do Not continue overnight)
NOTE Longer destaining my be necessary for optimal results

Storage

Store at +4°C. Protect from light. Protect from moisture. Keep tightly sealed.