



PSL Spheres 1 micron to 160 microns, NIST Traceable, Particle Size Standards

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PSL Spheres are excellent for use with any application that requires calibration of a size response curve using NIST traceable, size standards with narrow standard deviation of the size peak. The mean size diameter of these PSL spheres are calibrated with NIST traceable microscopy methods. The size distribution and uniformity are measured by electrical resistance analysis or optical microscopy. Polystyrene latex spheres range from 1 μm to 160 μm and are made from polystyrene (PSL). PSL Spheres are used instead of irregularly shaped particles to minimize the laser response of analytical instruments that are sensitive to particle shape. Products from 1 to 160 μm are packaged as aqueous suspensions in 15 mL dropper-tipped bottles. Concentration is maintained at 1.05 grams per cm cubed. Each bottle of PSL spheres contains a Certificate of Calibration and Traceability to NIST which includes a description of the calibration method and its uncertainty, and a table of chemical and physical properties. A Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) with handling and disposal instructions is also available. Packages are lot-numbered for convenient technical service and support after the sale.

PSL Spheres	1 μm to 160 μm
Particle Composition	Polystyrene Latex, PSL Spheres
Particle Density	1.05 g/cm ³
Index of Refraction	1.59 @ 589nm (25°C)
Bottle Size	15 mL
Expiration Date	≤ 24 months
Additives	Contains trace amounts of surfactant
Suggested Storage Temp.	2-8°C
Bottle Size and Volume	15ml (A) Bottle

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PSL Spheres, 1um to 160um, Polystyrene Latex Spheres				
Product Part #	Nominal Diameter	Certified Mean Peak	Std. Dev & CV	Solids Concentration
AP4009A	0.994 μm	0.994 μm ± 0.021 μm	0.010 μm (1.0%)	1.0%
AP4010A	1.0 μm	1.019 μm ± 0.015 μm	0.010 μm (1.0%)	1.0%
AP4011A	1.1 μm	1.101 μm ± 0.017 μm	0.012 μm (1.1%)	1.0%
AP4013A	1.3 μm	1.361 μm ± 0.015 μm	0.021 μm (1.5%)	1.0%
AP4016A	1.6 μm	1.587 μm ± 0.018 μm	0.021 μm (1.3%)	1.00%
AP4018A	1.8 μm	1.745 μm ± 0.022 μm	0.019 μm (1.1%)	1.0%
AP4202A	2.0 μm	1.999 μm ± 0.020 μm	0.021 μm (1.0%)	1.0%
AP4025A	2.5 μm	2.504 μm ± 0.027 μm	0.025 μm (1.0%)	0.50%
AP4203A	3.0 μm	3.002 μm ± 0.019 μm	0.03 μm (1.1%)	0.50%
AP4204A	4.0 μm	4.000 μm ± 0.043 μm	0.04 μm (1.0%)	0.40%
AP4205A	5.0 μm	4.993 μm ± 0.040 μm	0.05 μm (1.0%)	0.30%
AP4206A	6.0 μm	6.007 μm ± 0.040 μm	0.07 μm (1.2%)	0.30%
AP4207A	7.0 μm	6.982 μm ± 0.045 μm	0.07 μm (1.0%)	0.30%
AP4208A	8.0 μm	7.979 μm ± 0.075 μm	0.09 μm (1.1%)	0.30%
AP4209A	9.0 μm	8.956 μm ± 0.082 μm	0.09 μm (1.0%)	0.30%
AP4210A	10 μm	10.00 μm ± 0.08 μm	0.09 μm (0.9%)	0.20%

AP4212A	12 µm	12.01 µm ± 0.11 µm	0.12 µm (1.0%)	0.20%
AP4215A	15 µm	14.97 µm ± 0.10 µm	0.15 µm (1.0%)	0.30%
AP4220A	20 µm	19.99 µm ± 0.25 µm	0.28 µm (1.4%)	0.30%
AP4225A	25 µm	24.61 µm ± 0.22 µm	0.27 µm (1.1%)	0.50%
AP4230A	30 µm	29.75 µm ± 0.56 µm	0.45 µm (1.5%)	0.60%
AP4240A	40 µm	39.94 µm ± 0.35 µm	0.44 µm (1.1%)	0.70%
AP4250A	50 µm	50.2 µm ± 0.30 µm	0.5 µm (1.0%)	0.40%
AP4260A	60 µm	59.2 µm ± 0.6 µm	0.9 µm (1.5%)	0.20%
AP4270A	70 µm	69.1 µm ± 0.9 µm	0.9 µm (1.2%)	0.20%
AP4280A	80 µm	79.4 µm ± 0.5 µm	0.9 µm (1.1%)	0.70%
AP4310A	100 µm	100 µm ± 1.5 µm	1.5 µm (1.5%)	0.10%
AP4311A	115 µm	113 µm ± 1.0 µm	1.6 µm (1.4%)	0.60%
AP4314A	140 µm	138 µm ± 2.0 µm	.5 µm (1.8%)	0.00%
AP4316A	160 µm	161 µm ± 3.1 µm	.5 µm (2.2%)	0.80%