

19. The apparatus of claim 6, wherein said comonomer is chosen from N,N'-methylenediacrylamide, N,N-bisacrylylcystamine, N,N'-(1,2-dihydroxyethylene) bisacrylamide, and N,N'-diallyltartardiamide.

20. The apparatus of claim 9, wherein said initiator is ammonium persulfate.

21. The apparatus of claim 11, wherein said buffer comprises Tris(hydroxymethyl)methylamine.

22. The apparatus of claim 1 or 2, further comprising sodium dodecyl sulphate.

23. The apparatus of claim 2, wherein powdered components are provided in said first inner volume, liquid components in said second inner volume and an initiator and accelerator provided in two separate other inner volumes, at least one said other inner volume being separated from one said first or second inner volumes by a third burstable seal.

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