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Since a few years there are well-type HPGe-detectors with a small, point-like, anode contacts available commercially. This paper describes the characterisation of the first ultra low-background, so-called, SAGe™ well detector with regards to resolution and background performance. Inside a passive lead/copper shield in the underground laboratory HADES a background count rate of $690 \pm 6 \text{d}^{-1}$ ($268 \pm 3 \text{d}^{-1}$ per kg Ge) was recorded 19 months after taking it underground.

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