

# **Chitin (CBD-tag Affinity) Magnetic Beads**

Catalogue number: ABA-06001 ABA-06002 ABA-06003

#### [Introduction]

AvanBio Chitin Magnetic Beads are nano-superparamagnetic beads covalently coupled with chitin. With a fast magnetic response rate, high protein binding capacity and low non-specific binding, AvanBio Chitin Magnetic Beads provide a rapid and efficient method to purify CBD(chitin-binding domain)-fusion proteins from cell culture supernatant. The beads are simply added to cell culture supernatant and CBD-fusion proteins will bind to the beads. After washing unbound proteins off, the CBD-fusion proteins can be eluted from the magnetic beads or the protein-bound magnetic beads can be directly used in downstream experiments (e.g. capturing target proteins, which bind to the immobilized CBD-fusion proteins, from crude cell lysates). The process can be completed manually or fully automated for high throughput applications.

## **[Product Specifications]**

Diameter: 500nm

**pH stability:** pH 3-13

**30 min sedimentation rate:** <0.1%

**Magnetic response rate:** >30emu/g

**Solvent:** 20% ethanol

Binding capacity: 60-100µg CBD-fusion proteins per mg magnetic beads

### **[Product Content]**

Catalogue Number	Conc. (mg/ml)	Volume (ml)	Amount of Beads (mg)
ABA-06001	50	1	50
ABA-06002	50	4	200
ABA-06003	50	20	1000

#### **[Purification Protocol]**

The following protocol provides general guidelines for purification of CBD-fusion proteins using AvanBio Chitin Magnetic Beads and may be modified by the user for specific applications. The protocol is scalable.

#### A. Additional materials recommended:

- Binding/Washing Buffer: 20mM Tris-HCl, 0.5M NaCl, 1mM EDTA, 0.1% Tween-20, pH 8.0
- 2. A magnetic stand or a 96-well magnetic bead automation processor

#### **B.** Isolation of CBD-fusion proteins:

- 1. Gently mix the magnetic beads thoroughly before use by repeated inversion.
- 2. Place 20µl of magnetic beads (1mg) into a 1.5ml sterile microcentrifuge tube.
- 3. Place the tube on a magnetic stand, collect the beads and discard the supernatant.
- 4. Wash the beads twice with Binding/Washing Buffer (500μl each time) by magnetic separation. Collect the beads and discard the supernatant.
- 5. Add 200-500μl of cell culture supernatant to the beads; mix thoroughly and incubate for 1 hr at 4°C on a rotator.



- 6. Collect the beads with a magnet and save the supernatant for analysis if desired.
- 7. Wash the protein-coupled beads three times with Binding/Washing Buffer (500µl each time) by magnetic separation.
- 8. The CBD-fusion proteins can be eluted from the magnetic beads (e.g. boiling in 30μl of SDS-PAGE reducing sample buffer for 5 min); or the protein-bound magnetic beads can be directly used in downstream experiments (e.g. capturing target proteins, which bind to the immobilized CBD-fusion proteins, from crude cell lysates).

### [Storage]

Stored at 2-8 °C, 2 years