



# MagIso™ Anti-MERS-CoV Spike Magnetic Particles Immunoprecipitation (IP) Kit

**Catalog Number: WHK-SN012** 

Please read this instruction manual carefully before using the product

## **Product Contents**

	Contents	Package 1 (20 Tests)	Package 2 (100 Tests)	Storage
1	Anti-MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike Magnetic Beads <sup>13</sup>	1 mL	5 mL	2-8°C for 12 months
2	NP40 Cell Lysis Buffer <sup>2</sup>	4 mL	22 mL	-20°C for 12 months
3	5×TBST (pH7.4)	Required but not supplied		
4	1×TBST (pH7.4)	Required but not supplied		
5	ddH <sub>2</sub> O	Required but not supplied		
6	Alkaline Elution Buffer	3 mL	15 mL	2-8°C for 12 months
7	Acidity Elution Buffer	3 mL	15 mL	2-8°C for 12 months
8	Neutralization Buffer	2 mL	8 mL	2-8°C for 12 months

<sup>[1]</sup> The IP KIT contains anti-MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike Immunomagnetic Beads(2 mg/mL) in phosphate buffered saline (PBS, pH 7.4) with sodium azide (0.1%).

# **Product Description**

The Anti-MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike Immunomagnetic Beads, conjugated with Anti-MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike antibody, are used for immuneprecipitation (IP) of MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike proteins which expressed in vitro expression systems and bacterial and mammalian cell lysates.

For IP, the beads are added to a sample containing MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike proteins to form a bead-protein complex. The complex is removed from the solution manually using a Magnetic Separator. The bound MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike proteins are dissociated from the Immunomagnetic Beads using an elution buffer.

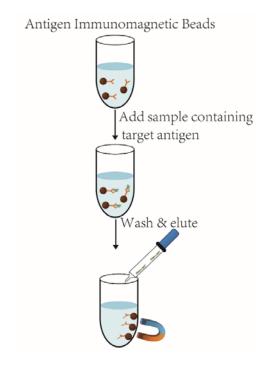


Fig. 1 Immunoprecipitation (IP) Protocol

<sup>[2]</sup> Using NP-40 cell lysate buffer in the kit is required, otherwise, the magnetic beads may be precipitated.

<sup>[3]</sup> Immunomagnetic Beads kits are shipped at ambient temperature in which immunomagnetic beads are provided in liquid buffer.

# **Antibody Information**

Antibody: MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike

Antibody, Rabbit PAb, Antigen Affinity

Purified

Immunogen: Recombinant MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel

coronavirus) Spike Protein (ECD, aa 1-1297)

Isotype: Rabbit IgG

**Specificity:** The antibody reacts with MERS-CoV (NCoV/

Novel coronavirus) full-length Spike protein

(S protein).

**Preparation:** Produced in rabbits immunized with

purified, recombinant MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike Protein. Spike Protein specific IgG was purified by MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) Spike Protein affinity chromatography.

**Applications:** IP, Minimum Protein Purification

Notes: The applications have not been validated with corresponding viruses.

#### **Protocol**

The protocol (Fig. 1) uses 50  $\mu$ L Anti-MERS-CoV (NCoV / Novel coronavirus) SpikeImmunomagnetic Beads, but this can be scaled up or down as required.

## **Cell Lysis**

Cells may be lysed using any standard cell lysis protocol in accordance with your starting materials. We suggest using NP40 Cell Lysis Buffer (supplied with kit).

#### **Immunoprecipitate Target Antigen**

- 1. Add 50  $\mu$ L of Immunomagnetic Beads into a 15Lm microcentrifuge tube.
- 2. Add 150  $\mu$ L of 1×TBST buffer to the Immunomagnetic Beads and gently vortex to mix.
- 3. Place the tube into a Magnetic Separator to collect the beads against the wall side of the tube. Remove and discard the supernatant.
- 4. Add 1 mL of 1×TBST buffer to the tube. Invert the tube several times or gently vortex to mix for 1 min. Collect Immunomagnetic Beads with a Magnetic Separator. Remove and discard the supernatant.
- 5. Add the sample containing target protein (Cell lysate: 0.5-1mg; Recombinant protein: 5-25  $\mu$ g) to the pre-washed Immunomagnetic Beads, add 1×TBST buffer until final

volume to 200-500 μL, and incubate at 37°C for 20-30 min (or at room temperature for 2-3h) with mixing.

- 5. Collect the Immunomagnetic Beads with a Magnetic Separator, remove the unbounded sample and save for analysis.
- 6. Add 300  $\mu$ L of 5×TBST buffer to the tube and gently mix. Collect the Immunomagnetic Beads and discard the supernatant. Repeat this wash twice.
- 7. Add 300  $\mu$ L of ddH $_2$ O to the tube and gently mix. Collect the Immunomagnetic Beads on a Magnetic Separator and discard the supernatant.

#### **Elute Target Antigen.**

A. Alkaline Elution

- 1. Add 100  $\mu$ L of Alkaline Elution buffer to the tube.
- 2. Gently vortex to mix and incubate the sample at room temperature on a rotator for 5 min.
- 3. Magnetically separate the Immunomagnetic Beads and save the supernatant containing the target antigen.
- 4. To neutralize the sample, add 50  $\mu L$  of Neutralization Buffer for each 100  $\mu L$  of eluate.

#### B. Acidity Elution

- 1. Add 100 µL Acidity Elution Buffer.
- 2. Gently vortex to mix and incubate the sample at room temperature on a rotator for 5-10 min.
- 3. Magnetically separate the Immunomagnetic Beads and save the supernatant containing the target antigen.
- 4. To neutralize the low pH, add 15  $\mu L$  of Neutralization Buffer for each 100  $\mu L$  of eluate.

#### C. Denaturing Elution

- 1. Add 10  $\mu L$  of 2×SDS-PAGE Sample Loading Buffer to the tube.
- 2. Gently vortex to mix and incubate the sample at 95-100 °C for 5-10 min.
- 3. Magnetically separate the Immunomagnetic Beads and save the supernatant containing the antigen.

## **General Test System (for reference):**

	Recombinant Protein	Cell Lysate
Sample Quality	10μg add into 0.5mg cell lysate (without interfering proteins)	0.5mg
Final Volume	300μL	
Incubate Time	Room temperature, 2h	
Elute	Using 10 μL of 2×SDS-PAGE Sample Loading Buffer	

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## **Trouble Shooting**

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution	
	Magnetic Beads were frozen or centrifuged		
Magnetic Beads aggregated	Buffer was incompatible with magnetic beads	Handle the Beads as directed in the instructions	
	Detergent was not added to the wash and bind solutions		
	Wash conditions were too stringent for the weak or transient interaction	Reduce the number of washes	
		Lower the ionic strength of the wash buffer	
	Interacting protein was expressed at a low level	Apply additional protein sample	
		Use a more sensitive detection system	
Failure to co-IP interacting protein	Buffer system was not optimal for the protein: protein interaction	Optimize the co-IP buffer	
	Insufficient sample was loaded on the gel for Western blot detection	Elute sample in 30% acetonitrile 0.5% formic acid, then	
		Bring the sample back up in SDS-PAGE Sample Loading Buffer and load entire elution fraction on	

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Little or no protein is detected	Protein degraded	Include protease inhibitors (PMSF) in the lysis buffer
		Use new lysate or lysate stored at -80° C
	No or minimal protein was expressed	Verify protein expression by SDS-PAGE or Western blot
		Analysis of the lysate using an positive control as a reference
		Increase the amount of lysate used for IP/Co-IP Use a more sensitive detection
		system

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