

## Goat Anti-Rat IgG Magnetic Beads



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1. Aliquot 10 µl of bead solution to clean microcentrifuge tube and wash 3X with 1 ml of cold 1X PBS (pH 7.5) or sterile media containing antibiotics.
2. Add 5 µg of antibody to 20 µl 1X PBS and add to washed magnetic beads. Incubate at 4°C with agitation for at least 1 hour.
3. Place tube in NEB Magnetic Separation Rack to pull beads to the side of the tube and decant supernatant being careful not to disturb bead pellet.
4. Wash 4X as in step 2. Suspend beads in 100 µl of storage buffer appropriate for the primary antibody.

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