# Strep-tag purification (Strep tactin purification kit from IBA)

### Aim:

Purify strep-tagged proteins

## Timeframe:

• 95 minutes

# Materials:

- Cleared cell lysate containing Strep-tagged protein
- Strep -Tactin Superflow Lysis Buffer (Buffer NP)
- Strep -Tactin Superflow Elution Buffer (Buffer NPD)
- 10 ml syringes
- Connector adapter
  (All buffers should be sterile filtered (0.2 or 0.45 µm) before use.)

# Procedure (according to manufacturer's instruction):

- 1. Remove cartridge outlet stopper.
- 2. Equilibrate the cartridge with 5 column volumes of wash buffer. Do not use high pressure to force buffer through the cartridge. Ideal flow rates are 1 ml/min (1 ml cartridges).
- 3. Apply cleared lysate to the cartridge.
- 4. Wash the cartridge with 10 column volumes of Strep -Tactin wash Buffer.
- 5. Fill the column with Strep -Tactin Superflow Elution Buffer and elute protein from cartridge. Protein usually elutes within 5–10 column volumes.
- 6. Regenerate column: wash the column 3 CV of 50mM NaOH, and then wash with 5 CV of wash buffer.
- **7.** Store in freezer at -20°C.