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STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE STAN MAYFIELD BIOREFINERY PILOT PLANT

TITLE: Primary Propagator 2A

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A. Scope

This SOP describes the procedure to clean, sterilize, and operate Primary Propagator 2A (VS-3202A) during normal operation in order to propagate the seed.

B. Safety and Training Requirements

Refer to UF lab safety policies regarding equipment listed in section D below before starting any process work.

Refer to UF Biosafety guidelines and the NIH Guidelines whenever handling biological cultures/genetically modified organisms.

Review the location of fire extinguishers, fire blankets, safety showers, spill cleanup equipment and protective gear before beginning any process work.

When performing any work above 6 feet from the ground, make sure to properly use a harness to prevent injury in case of a fall.

During operations in the plant, the following safety gear will be utilized at all times:

- Safety Goggles
- Protective Gloves
- Hard Hat

C. Related Documents and SOPs

- 1. Experimental Plan
- 2. Ethanol Measurement SOP-0500
- 3. Moisture by Moisture Balance SOP-0503
- 4. Sugars, Organic Acids and Inhibitors Concentration SOP-0505
- 5. Viable Plate Count SOP-0507
- 6. Transfer Vessel SOP-0510
- 7. Sampling SOP-0511
- 8. Optical Density SOP-0513



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- 9. pH Measurement SOP-0514
- 10. Conductivity Measurement SOP-0515
- 11. Plant pH Probe Calibration SOP -0519
- 12. C5 Hydrolysate Storage SOP-2135
- 13. Media Preparation SOP-2155
- 14. Secondary Propagator 3A SOP-3220
- 15. Secondary Propagator 3B SOP-3225
- 16. Beer Well SOP-4000
- 17. Phosphoric Acid System Operation SOP-8110
- 18. Clean In Place (CIP) SOP-8205
- 19. Antifoam System Operation SOP-8310
- 20. Base B System Operation SOP-8565
- 21. Refrigeration System Operation SOP-9210
- 22. Air System Operation SOP-9405
- 23. UV Water System Operation SOP-9555
- 24. Hot Water System Operation SOP-9605
- 25. Steam Supply System Operation SOP-9305
- 26. Potable Water SOP-9705

D. Preparation/Materials/Equipment

E. Detailed Procedure

E.1 Preparation

- 1. Ensure that the air system is operational according to Air System SOP-9405.
- 2. Ensure that the potable water system is operational according to the Potable Water SOP-9705.
- 3. Instrument Calibration;
 - a. Pressure Measurement
 - i. On the HMI, verify that pressure indicator (PIT-3202A-33) is reading ambient conditions.



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ii. Verify that the reading of the local indicator (PI-3202A-33) is the same as displayed on the HMI.

b. Temperature Measurement

- i. On the HMI, verify that temperature probe (TIC-3202A-10A) is reading current ambient conditions:
- ii. Verify that the reading of the local probe (TI-3202A-02) is the same as displayed on the HMI.

c. Vessel Level Measurement

- i. On the HMI, verify that level indicator LT-3202A-03 is reading zero level.
- ii. Configure the following valves to their appropriate position to ensure there is no liquid in the vessel:
 - 1. Close valves: 3202-V-22, 3202-V-20, 3202-V-27, 3203-V-05, 3203-V-06, 3203-V-34, 3203-V-33, and steam trap valve T1-3203-04.
 - 2. Open valves: 3202-V-40, 3202-V-36, 3202-V-24, 3202-V-21, 3202-V-28, 3203-V-07, 3203-V-26, 3203-V-30, and 3203-V-29.
 - 3. If liquid/slurry starts to exit the drain, close valve 3202-V-24 and contact the supervisor.

d. pH Measurement

- i. Calibrate pH probe AE-3202A-01A according to Plant pH Probe Calibration SOP-0519
- ii. Verify that the pH reading after calibration is the same as displayed on the HMI tag AIC-3202A-01.
- 4. Verify that all side ports on the vessel are filled and secure.
- 5. Visually verify that the jacket does not have hot/cooling water flowing through it by assuring XV-3202A-29, XV-3202A-30, XV-3202A-31, and XV-3202A-32 are closed.
- 6. Verify the jacket is at ambient temperature and pressure using PI-3202A-16 and TI-3202A-17.
- 7. Verify the following automatic valves are in the closed position: XV-3202A-23, XV-3202A-V-24, and XV-3202A-V-27.
- 8. Verify steam trap T1-3202-06 is open.



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9. Verify the initial valve settings according to the table below:

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| Line | Application | Valve | Position | Check |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------|-------|
| CIP Header | Spray Ball Valve | 3202-V-39 | Closed | |
| | Spray Ball Valve | 3202-V-41 | Closed | |
| | Vent Line Cleanse | 3202-V-35 | Closed | |
| | C5 and Prep Tank Line Cleanse | 3202-V-44 | Closed | |
| | To Main Transfer Line | 3202-V-03 | Closed | |
| | To Main Transfer Line | 3202-V-04 | Closed | |
| | To Main Transfer Line | 3202-V-05 | Closed | |
| | Air Sparger Line Cleanse | 3202-V-11 | Closed | |
| UV Water | Intermediate | 3202-V-06 | Closed | |
| | To Main Transfer | 3202-V-22 | Closed | |
| Sterile Air | Outlet to atmosphere | 3202-V-07 | Closed | |
| | Pressure Indicator | 3202-V-08 | Open | |
| | Intermediate to sparger | 3202-V-10 | Closed | |
| | To vent | 3202-V-38 | Closed | |
| | Vacuum Relief Valve | 3202-V-42 | Closed | |
| Phosphoric Acid | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-13 | Open | |
| Prep Tank | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-01 | Closed | |
| C5 Pump | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-02 | Closed | |
| Vessel Jacket | High Point Vent | 3202-V-32 | Open | |
| | Recirculation Pump | 3202-V-33 | Closed | |
| | Steam Inlet | 3202-V-34 | Closed | |
| | Steam Pressure Gauge | 3202-V-31 | Open | |
| | Recirculation pump | 3202-V-17 | Closed | |
| | Pressure Indicator | 3202-V-16 | Open | |
| | Drain to steam trap | 3202-V-19 | Closed | |



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| | Drain to floor | 3202-V-18 | Open | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------|--|
| | Recirculation pump supply | 3214-V-21 | Open | |
| | Recirculation pump return | 3214-V-24 | Open | |
| | Recirculation pump pressure indicator | 3214-V-22 | Open | |
| Steam Inlet to Tank | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-25 | Closed | |
| | Drain to floor | 3202-V-29 | Closed | |
| | Pressure Indicator | 3202-V-30 | Open | |
| | Sample Port | 3202-V-12 | Closed | |
| Vent | Main | 3202-V-40 | Open | |
| | To Beerwell | 3202-V-36 | Closed | |
| | To Vacuum Pump | 3202-V-37 | Closed | |
| Transfer Line | Bottom Drain Valve | 3202-V-24 | Closed | |
| | Steam Trap | 3202-V-20 | Closed | |
| | Intermediate | 3202-V-21 | Open | |
| | Secondary Propagator 3A | 3202-V-28 | Closed | |
| | Secondary Propagator 3B | 3202-V-27 | Closed | |

E.2 Sterilization

- 1. Ensure the Steam System is operational according to Steam System SOP-9305.
- 2. Ensure the Hot Water System is functioning properly according to SOP-9605.
- 3. Ensure the Refrigeration System is operational according to Refrigeration System SOP-9210.
- 4. Ensure the Primary Propagator 2A Jacket has been fully drained by visual verification at the floor drain exit, located down the line from valve 3202-V-18.
- 5. Add Low Pressure Steam to the tank jacket by:
 - a. At the HMI, switch the temperature control TIC-3202A-10B to SIP mode.
 - b. Close Jacket High Point Vent valve 3202-V-32.
 - c. Verify steam pressure in PI-3202A-15 is below 30 psi.
 - i. If not, contact supervisor.
 - d. Slowly open steam supply valve 3202-V-34.
 - e. When steam exits drain downline from 3202-V-18, open the drain to the steam trap (valve 3202-V-19) and close the drain valve 3202-V-18.
 - f. Verify the pressure in PI-3202A-15 is 15 ± 2 psi.



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- i. If not, contact supervisor.
- 6. Add Low Pressure Steam to the tank by:
 - a. Open steam supply valve 3202-V-25 on the bottom of the tank.
 - b. Open tank drain to trap valve 3202-V-20.
 - c. Open tank drain valve 3202-V-24.
 - d. On the HMI, set sterilization temperature on TIC-3202A-10B to 250 $^{\circ}$ F (121 $^{\circ}$ C).
 - e. On the HMI, set MODE to AUTO on TIC-3202A-10B.
- 7. When the tank reaches 5 psi of pressure, remove residual air by:
 - a. On the HMI, set MODE to MANUAL on TIC-3202A-10B and OUTPUT to -5.
 - b. Close tank drain valve 3202-V-24.
 - c. Open the vent line to vacuum pump valves 3202-V-40 and 3202-V-37.
 - d. At the HMI, open solenoid valve XV-3201-01 and turn on vacuum pump PV-3201.
 - e. At the HMI, monitor the pressure on PI-3202A-33 until it reaches -10 psi.
 - f. At the HMI, turn off vacuum pump PV-3201 and close the solenoid valve XV-3201-01.
 - g. Close the vent line to vacuum pump valves 3202-V-40 and V-37.
 - h. On the HMI, set MODE to AUTO on TIC-3202A-10B.
 - i. Once the tank pressure reads 0 psi on PI-3202A-33, open the tank drain valve 3202-V-24.
- 8. When the tank reaches 250 °F, record the time.
- 9. Ensure the tank pressure is above the vacuum relief set point, then open vacuum relief valve 3202-V-42 to sterilize the portion of pipe between the relief valve and the tank. This valve will remain open throughout fermentation.
- 10. Maintain sterilization temperature (250 °F or higher) for 60 minutes.
- 11. After sterilization time is completed, cool the tank by:
 - a. On the HMI, stop steam to the tank by setting MODE to MANUAL on TIC-3202A-10B and OUTPUT to -5.
 - b. Close valve 3202-V-25.
 - c. Stop steam to the jacket by closing valve 3202-V-34.
 - d. Introduce air to the tank by slowly opening 3202-V-38. This will prevent a vacuum from forming while the tank cools rapidly. (This step may not be needed depending on the vacuum relief vent efficiency)



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NOTE: It is imperative that the pressure inside the tank does not drop below atmospheric from here on.

- e. Start adding cooling water to the jacket by:
 - Relieve pressure in the jacket by slowly opening jacket drain valve 3202-V-18.
 - ii. After steam has stopped exiting drain, open jacket high point vent valve 3202-V-32.
 - iii. After the jacket has been drained, close valves 3202-V-18, 3202-V-19, and 3202-V-32.
 - iv. At the HMI, set MODE to NORMAL TIC-3202A-10B.
 - v. At the HMI, set Temperature control to 98.6 °F (37 °C) and AUTO on TIC-3202A-10A.
- f. Monitor the tank pressure on the HMI at PI-3202A-33.
- g. Monitor the tank temperature on the HMI at TIC-3202A-10A.
- h. Once the tank temperature reaches 98.6 °F (37 °C):
 - Close valve 3202-V-38, which will then put the responsibility of maintaining a positive pressure differential onto the vacuum relief vent only.
 - ii. Open valve 3202-V-17 and V-33 to the Primary Propagator 2A Jacket pump.
 - iii. At HMI, start Primary Propagator 2A Jacket Pump PT-3212.

E.3 Operation of Primary Propagator 2A

a. Start Up

- 1. Ensure the UV Water System is running according to SOP-9555.
- 2. Ensure the Base B System is functioning properly according to SOP-8565.
- 3. Ensure the Phosphoric Acid System is functioning properly according to SOP-8110.
- 4. Assure the Antifoam System is functioning properly according to SOP-8310.
- 5. Close valve 3202-V-24 to prevent flow through the bottom of tank transfer line.
- 6. Open valves 3202-V-40 and V-36 to the Beer Well vent line.
- 7. Open valve 3202-V-13 to allow for addition of Phosphoric Acid.
- 8. Add desired amount of Hydrolysate according to the Experimental Plan by:
 - a. Ensure C5 Hydrolysate Storage is ready according to SOP-2135.
 - b. Open valve 3202-V-02 to start adding C5 hydrolysate to the tank.



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c. At the HMI, corroborate the amount of slurry added using the level sensor LIC-3202A-03.

- d. Once the desired level has been achieved, stop the transfer of hydrolysate according to SOP-2135.
- e. Close valve 3202-V-02.
- 9. Add the amount of UV water necessary for operation according to the Experimental Plan by:
 - a. Close Valve 3202-V-21.
 - b. Open Valves 3202-V-06 and 3202-V-22.
 - c. Open Valve 3202-V-24 to add water through the bottom of the tank.
 - d. Once the volume reaches 20%, turn on agitation (AG-3202A) using XS-3202A-05, and set speed to 100% in MANUAL on the HMI using SIC-3202A-05.
 - e. Monitor the liquid level on the HMI LIC-3202A-03 until it reaches the desired level.
 - f. Turn off UV Water addition by closing valves 3202-V-24 and 3202-V-22.
- 10. Verify that the temperature is set to 98.6 °F (37 °C) on the HMI (TIC-3202A-10A).
- 11. When the temperature reaches the set point, turn on the pH control by:
 - a. Set the pH to 9.0 for AIC-3202A-01A and switch to AUTO.
 - b. Once the pH is at setpoint, turn off the pH control at the HMI by switching to MANUAL and setting the OUTPUT to -5 (AIC-3202A-01).
 - c. Take a sample using sample valve SSP-3202-01 and the steam valve 3202-V-12 according to Sampling SOP-0511.
 - d. Meaure the pH of the sample according to pH Measurement SOP-0514.
 - i. If the pH is not 9.0 \pm 0.20, contact supervisor.
- 12. Allow the Hydrolysate/UV Water solution to sit for 20 24 h.
- 13. Add the desired amounts Trace Metals, Magnesium Sulfate, and Sodium Metabisulfite solution according to the Experimental Plan by:
 - a. Open valve 3202-V-01.
 - b. Add the desired amounts of Trace Metal, Magnesium Sulfate and Sodium Metabisulfite solution according to the Media Preparation SOP-2155.
 - c. Once the desired amounts have been added, close valve 3202-V-01.



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- 14. Turn on the air sparger by:
 - a. Open valve 3202-V-10.
 - b. Set the desired sterile air flowrate in the rotameter FI-3202A-26.
- 15. Turn on Antifoam Control by:
 - a. Open valve 3213-V-19.
 - b. At the HMI, switch the antifoam to AUTO.
- 16. Set the pH to 6.3 at the HMI using AIC-3202A-01.

CAUTION: This procedure requires the use of genetically modified bacteria, vessel sterility and microbial containment is imperative.

- 17. Inoculate the propagator using sterile transfer vessel according to the experimental plan and Transfer Vessel SOP-0510.
 - a. Record time and date of inoculation in fermentation log book.
- 18. Take a sterile sample using sample valve SSP-3202-01 and the steam valve 3202-V-12 according to Sampling SOP-0511.
 - a. Measure ethanol according to Ethanol Measurement SOP-0500.
 - b. Measure sugars, organic acids, and inhibitors concentration according to SOP-0505.
 - c. Measure cell density according to SOP-0513.
 - d. Viable plate counts according to SOP-0507.

b. Operation

- 1. Monitor the temperature and pH regularly on HMI using TIC-3202A-10A and AIC-3202A-01.
- 2. Should temperature or pH be different from the set-point (±10%) contact supervisor.
- 3. Take sterile samples according to the Experimental Plan using the sample valve SSP-3202-01 and the steam valve 3202-V-12 according to Sampling SOP-0511.
 - a. Measure ethanol according to Ethanol Measurement SOP-0500.
 - b. Measure sugars, organic acids, and inhibitors concentration according to SOP-0505.



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c. Measure cell density according to SOP-0513.

- d. Viable plate counts according to SOP-0507.
- 4. After 24 h, take a sterile sample according to the Experimental Plan using the sample valve SSP-3202-01 and the steam valve 3202-V-12 according to Sampling SOP-0511.
 - a. Measure ethanol according to Ethanol Measurement SOP-0500.
 - Measure sugars, organic acids, and inhibitors concentration according to SOP-0505.
 - c. Measure cell density according to SOP-0513.
 - d. Viable plate counts according to SOP-0507.
- 5. If the analysis of the samples taken in step 4 fall within the expected parameters (according to Experimental Plan) and it is desired to carry the propagation forward, proceed to section E.3.d: *Transfer of seed to Secondary Propagator 3A/3B*.

c. Broth Contamination or Disposal

- 1. In the case that the Propagation is not carried out forward to the secondary propagation, transfer the contents to the Beer Well by:
 - a. Make sure the Beer Well is ready to receive the broth according to the Beer Well SOP-4000.
 - b. At the HMI, turn off temperature (TIC-3202A-10) and pH control (AIC-3202A-01) by switching to MANUAL and setting the OUTPUT to -5.
 - c. At the HMI, turn off the antifoam by switching to OFF.
 - d. Configure valves for transfer from Primary Propagator 2A to Beer Well by:
 - i. Ensure valves 3202-V-22, 3202-V-24 and 3202-V-27 are closed.
 - ii. Close valve 3202-V-20.
 - iii. Open valves 3202-V-21 and 3202-V-28.
 - iv. Close valves 3203-V-05, 3203-V-06, 3203-V-09, 3203-V-30, 3203-V-34, 3203-V-36, 3203-V-38 and 3203-V-41.
 - v. Close valves 3205-V-05, 3205-V-07, 3205-V-08, 3205-V-09, 3205-V-11, 3205-V-31, 3205-V-32, 3205-V-36, 3205-V-39, 3205-V-40, 3205-V-41, 3205-V-43.



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- vi. Open valves 3203-V-07, 3203-V-26, 3203-V-33, 3203-V-40, and 3203-V-42
- vii. Open valves 3205-V-06, 3205-V-29, 3205-V-35, 3205-V-38, 3205-V-42.
- viii. Open valve 3202-V-24 to allow broth to fill the lines up to Fermentor A pump.
- e. At the HMI, turn on the Fermentor A Pump (PC-3204A) on XS-3204A-21.
- f. Monitor the pressure in PI-3204A-22.
- g. Once the pressure drops significantly the propagator is empty and the pump (PC-3204A) can be turned off on the HMI (XS-3204A-21).
- h. Transfer the newly added contents from the Beer Well to the Decanter Feed Tank according to Beer Well SOP-4000.

d. Transfer of seed to Secondary Propagator 3A/3B

- 1. At the HMI, turn off temperature (TIC-3202A-10A) and pH control (AIC-3202A-01) by switching to MANUAL and setting the OUTPUT to -5.
- 2. At the HMI, turn off the antifoam by switching to OFF.
- 3. Configure valves for transfer from Primary Propagator 2A to either Secondary Propagator 3A or 3B:
 - a. If transferring to Secondary Propagator 3A (VS-3203A):
 - i. Close valves 3203-V-05 and 3203-V-07.
 - ii. Open valve 3202-V-28.
 - b. If transferring to Secondary Propagator 3B (VS-3203B):
 - i. Close valves 3204-V-05 and 3204-V-07.
 - ii. Open valve 3202-V-27.
- 4. Ensure valve 3202-V-01, 3202-V-02, 3202-V-22, and 3202-V-44 are closed.
- 5. Close valve 3202-V-13.
- 6. Ensure XV-3202A-23 is in the closed position on the HMI.
- 7. Close valve 3202-V-36.
- 8. Open valve 3202-V-21.
- 9. Close valve 3202-V-20.



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10. Open valve 3202-V-24.

- 11. Pressurize Primary Propagator 2A to 30 PSI by:
 - a. Slowly open valve 3202-V-38 while having someone at the HMI watch and relay the pressure reading on PI-3202A-33.

CAUTION: Make sure you do not over-pressurize the vessel. When the vessel is pressurized to 50 PSI, the rupture disc breaks (PSE-3202A-28) and the entire contents of the tank are transferred to the Beer Well in order to release the pressure.

- b. Once the pressure of the vessel has reached 30 PSI, close valve 3202-V-38.
- c. Complete the SOP for operation of either Secondary Propagator 3A or 3B (SOP-3220 or SOP-3225).

c. Shutdown

- 1. Ensure the necessary amount of inoculum has been transferred into either Secondary Propagator 3A or 3B according to the Experimental Plan.
- 2. Ensure the main drain valves for either Secondary Propagator (3A: 3203-V-34, 3B: 3204-V-30) are closed.
- 3. Open vent valve 3202-V-36 to release any remaining pressure in the vessel.

d. Cleaning

- Ensure that the CIP system is operational and ready according to CIP system SOP-8205
- 2. Ensure valves are set according to the table below:



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NOTE: Before configuring these valves, ensure the CIP system is not supplying pressure to the CIP header but only to the CIP loops.

| Rinse Tank TS-8203 | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Line | Application | Valve | Position | Check | | | | |
| CIP Return | Rinse Tank Return | 8201-V-30 | Closed | | | | | |
| | Caustic Tank Return | 8201-V-04 | Closed | | | | | |
| | To Drain | 8201-V-31 | Open | | | | | |
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| Line | Application | Valve | Position | Check | | | | |
| CIP Header | Spray Ball Valve | 3202-V-39 | Closed | | | | | |
| | Spray Ball Valve | 3202-V-41 | Closed | | | | | |
| | Vent Line Cleanse | 3202-V-35 | Open | | | | | |
| | C5 and Prep Tank Line | C5 and Prep Tank Line | | | | | | |
| | Cleanse | 3202-V-44 | Open | | | | | |
| | To Main Transfer | 3202-V-03 | Closed | | | | | |
| | To Main Transfer | 3202-V-04 | Closed | | | | | |
| | To Main Transfer | 3202-V-05 | Closed | | | | | |
| | Air Sparger Line | | | | | | | |
| | Cleanse | 3202-V-11 | <u>Open</u> | | | | | |
| Vent | Main | 3202-V-40 | Open | | | | | |
| | To Beerwell | 3202-V-36 | Closed | | | | | |
| | To Vacuum Pump | 3202-V-37 | Closed | | | | | |
| UV Water | Intermediate | 3202-V-06 | Closed | | | | | |
| | To Main Transfer | 3202-V-22 | Closed | | | | | |
| Sterile Air | Outlet to Atmosphere Intermediate to | 3202-V-07 | Closed | | | | | |
| | sparger | 3202-V-10 | Closed | | | | | |
| | Intermediate to top of | | | | | | | |
| | tank | 3202-V-38 | Closed | | | | | |
| | Vacuum Relief Valve | 3202-V-42 | Closed | | | | | |
| Phosphoric Acid | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-13 | Closed | | | | | |
| Prep Tank Cooler | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-01 | Closed | | | | | |



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| C5 Pump | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-02 | Closed | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-------|--|
| Steam Inlet to Tank | Inlet to tank | 3202-V-25 | Closed | | |
| | Outlet to Atmosphere | 3202-V-29 | Closed | | |
| | Sample Port | 3202-V-12 | Closed | | |
| Transfer Line | Bottom Drain Valve | 3202-V-24 | Open | | |
| | Steam Trap | 3202-V-20 | Closed | | |
| | Intermediate | 3202-V-21 | Open | | |
| | Secondary Propagator | | | | |
| | 3A | 3202-V-28 | Closed | | |
| | , , , | Secondary Propagator | | | |
| | 3B | 3202-V-27 | Closed | | |
| Fermentor A VS-3204A | | | | | |
| Line | Application | Valve | Position | Check | |
| | Secondary Propagator | | | | |
| | 3A/3B Transfer Line | | a | | |
| CIP Header | Cleanse | 3205-V-05 | Closed | | |
| | Secondary Propagator | | | | |
| | 3A/3B Transfer Line Cleanse | 3205-V-07 | Closed | | |
| | Secondary Propagator | 3203-V-07 | Closed | | |
| | 3A/3B Transfer Line | | | | |
| | Cleanse | 3205-V-10 | Closed | | |
| Main Transfer | UV Water Addition | 3205-V-09 | Closed | | |
| | Outlet to atmosphere | 3205-V-08 | Closed | | |
| | Secondary Propagator | | | | |
| | 3A/3B Transfer Line | 3205-V-29 | Open | | |
| | Main Drain | 3205-V-31 | Closed | | |
| | Drain to Trap | 3205-V-32 | Closed | | |
| | Outlet to atmosphere | 3205-V-36 | Closed | | |
| | Outlet to atmosphere | 3205-V-39 | Closed | | |
| | Outlet to atmosphere | 3205-V-40 | Closed | | |
| | Outlet to atmosphere | 3205-V-44 | Closed | | |
| | Beer Well Transfer | | | | |
| | Line | 3205-V-42 | Closed | | |
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| Main Return Line | 3205-V-38 | Open |
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| CIP Return Line | 3205-V-41 | Open |

- 3. Clean Primary Propagator 2A (VS-3202A) by:
 - a. If inoculum was transferred to Secondary Propagator 3A (VS-3203A):
 - i. Verify valves 3203-V-05, 3203-V-06, 3203-V-09, 3203-V-30, and 3203-V-34 are closed.
 - ii. Verify valves 3203-V-07 and 3203-V-26 are open.
 - iii. Close valves 3203-V-36, 3203-V-38, and 3203-V-41.
 - iv. Open valves 3203-V-33, 3203-V-40, and 3203-V-42.
 - v. Close valve 3205-V-11.
 - vi. Open valve 3205-V-06.
 - vii. Allow for transfer of CIP waste to Fermentor A pump PC-3204A by opening valve 3202-V-28.
 - b. If inoculum was transferred to Secondary Propagator 3B (VS-3203B):
 - i. Verify valves 3204-V-05, 3204-V-06, 3204-V-09, 3204-V-30, and 3204-V-33 are closed.
 - ii. Verify valves 3204-V-07 and 3204-V-32 are open.
 - iii. Close valves 3204-V-40, 3204-V-42, and 3204-V-45.
 - iv. Open valves 3204-V-35, 3204-V-44, and 3204-V-46.
 - v. Close valve 3205-V-06.
 - vi. Open valve 3205-V-11.
 - vii. Allow for transfer of CIP waste to Fermentor A pump PC-3204A by opening valve 3202-V-27.
- 4. Set CIP system to deliver Rinse Water to drain by:
 - a. Slowly opening valve 8201-V-20 and then closing valve 8201-V-21.
 - b. At the HMI, turn on pump PC-3204A.
 - c. Locally monitor the pressure in PI-3204-22 to be around 20 psi.
 - i. If pressure acts eratically below 15 psi then notify supervisor in the control room.



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d. To rinse out the vent line, air sparger line, and the C5/Prep tank line let the CIP system run with the current valve configuration for 1 minute.

- e. After 1 minute open CIP spray ball valves 3202-V-39 and 3202-V-41.
- f. Close CIP supply valves 3202-V-35, 3202-V-44, and 3202-V-11.
- g. Open vent line valve 3202-V-36 and allow the rinse cycle to run for 15 minutes.
- h. After 15 minutes, open valve 8201-V-21 and then close valve 8201-V-20 and quickly turn off pump PC-3204A at the HMI.
- 5. Set CIP system to deliver Caustic water by:
 - a. Close CIP supply spray ball valves 3202-V-39 and 3202-V-41.
 - b. Close vent valve 3202-V-36.
 - c. Open CIP supply valve 3202-V-35, 3202-V-34, and 3202-V-11 to allow CIP solution into the vent line, air sparger line, and C5/Prep tank line.
 - d. Close 8201-V-31 and open 8201-V-04 to return CIP solution to the Dilute Caustic Tank.
 - e. Slowly open valve 8201-V-13 and then close 8201-V-14.
 - f. At the HMI, turn on pump PC-3204A.
 - g. Locally monitor the pressure in PI-3204-22 to be around 20 psi.
 - i. If pressure acts eratically below 15 psi then notify supervisor in the control room.
 - h. To clean out the vent line, air sparger line, and the C5/Prep tank line let the CIP system run with the current valve configuration for 1 minute.
 - i. After 1 minute, open CIP supply spray ball valves 3202-V-39 and 3202-V-41.
 - j. Close CIP supply valves 3210-V-45, 3210-V-10, and 3210-V-19.
 - k. Open vent line valve 3210-V-44 and allow the clean cycle to run for 15 mintues.
 - I. After 15 minutes, open valve 8201-V-14 and then close valve 8201-V-13 and quickly turn off pump PC-3204A at the HMI.
- 6. Set CIP system to deliver UV water by:
 - a. Ensure the UV Water System is running according to SOP-9555.
 - b. Close CIP supply spray ball valves 3210-V-05 and 3210-V-06.
 - c. Close vent valve 3210-V-44.



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d. Open CIP supply valves 3210-V-45, 3210-V-10, and 3210-V-19 to allow UV Water into the vent line, air sparger line, and C5/Prep tank line.

- e. Close valve 8201-V-04 and open valve 8201-V-30 to return UV water to the Rinse Tank.
- f. Slowly open valve 8201-V-12.
- a. At the HMI, turn on pump PC-3204A.
- b. To rinse out the vent line, air sparger line, and the C5/Prep tank line let the CIP system run with the current valve configuration for 1 minute.
- c. After 1 minute, open CIP supply spray ball valves 3210-V-05 and 3210-V-06.
- g. Close CIP supply valves 3210-V-45, 3210-V-10, and 3210-V-19.
- h. Open vent line valve 3210-V-44 and allow the UV rinse cycle to run for 15 mintues.
- i. After 15 minutes, close valve 8201-V-12 and quickly turn off pump PC-3204A at the HMI.
- 7. Close main drain valve 3202-V-24.
- 8. Primary Propagator 2A is now clean and ready for use.



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Fermentation Data Log:

Experimental plan number:_____ Vessel:_____ Biomass type:_____

| Date | Time of Day | Elapsed Time (h) | Temp (deg F) | pH (Bottom Probe Top Probe) | Airflow Rate (L/min) | Vessel Pressure (psi) | Comment |
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