

Appendix B. Parameters

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Abstract

This appendix show the parameters we applied to the model we establish. The parameters are determined by model assumptions, references, and estimation calculation.

1 Model Review

1.1 Oleic acid induction system

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dR}{dt} &= r_{x,R} - r_{seq} - \lambda(E_g) R, \\ \frac{dD}{dt} &= r_{x,D} - \lambda(E_g) D, \\ \frac{dA}{dt} &= r_D - r_B - 2 \cdot r_{seq} - \lambda(E_g) A, \\ \frac{dC}{dt} &= r_{seq} - \lambda(E_g) C, \\ \frac{dE_g}{dt} &= r_{x,E_g} - \lambda(E_g) \cdot E_g, \\ \frac{dF}{dt} &= r_f.\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

1.2 Comparison of oleic acid inducer with native circuit

$$\text{Native circuit : } P_R(R) = \frac{a_R}{1 + K_R R}\tag{2}$$

$$\text{Oleic acid inducer : } P_R(R) = \begin{cases} \frac{a_R}{1 + K_R R}, & \text{for } R > \frac{1}{K_p} = 0.0033\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1} \\ \frac{a_R K_R R}{1 + K_R R}, & \text{for } R \leq \frac{1}{K_p} = 0.0033\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1} \end{cases}\tag{3}$$

1.3 Parameter estimation

$$AFI = \frac{RFI}{OD600}\tag{4}$$

$$\text{Corrected } AFI_{n\%} = AFI_{n\%} - \text{Empty}$$

$$\text{Exp } F_{n\%} = A \cdot AFI_{n\%} + B\tag{5}$$

2 Parameters

Parameter description	Term	Value	Units	Reference
Forward sequestration	k_f	612.55	$\mu\text{M}^{-2} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	[2]
Reverse sequestration	k_r	900.73	h^{-1}	[2]
PlsB turnover rate	$k_{\text{cat},B}$	192.91	h^{-1}	[2]
FadD turnover rate	$k_{\text{cat},D}$	49	h^{-1}	[2]
FadR'strength to promote itself(NAR)	a_R	0.0131	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	[2]
FadR leaky expression (NAR)	b_R	0.0007	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	[2]
FadD'strength to promote itself	a_D	0.0517	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	[2]
FadD leaky expression	b_D	0.0108	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	[2]
FadR affinity to own promoter (NAR)	K_R	4.3222	μM^{-1}	[2]
FadR affinity to fadD	K_D	305.95	μM^{-1}	[2]
Michaelis constant	$K_{m,B}$	45429	μM	[2]
Michaelis constant	$K_{m,D}$	0.0672	μM	[2]
PlsB concentration	B	0.1369	μM	[2]
Cell growth parameter	λ_{max}	0.1818	h^{-1}	[2], E. coli DH1Δ fadE strain.
E_g promoter strength	a_g	λ_{max}	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	To ensure full express at λ_{max} .
FadR'strength to promote itself(PAR)	a_R	0.0131	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	Same as NAR by assumption
FadR leaky expression (PAR)	b_R	0.0007	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	Same as NAR by assumption
Decrease paramameter in growth	s_T	0.7	—	[3], By <i>pgi</i> down-regulation.
FadR affinity to own promoter (PAR)	K_R	4.3222×7	μM^{-1}	Multiple times the value of NAR
FadR affinity to E_g promoter	K_g	$= K_R = 4.9114$	μM^{-1}	the same promoter as FadR with PAR
Affinity of FadR for prod synthesis enzyme E_p	K_P	$= K_D = 305.95$	$\mu\text{M} \cdot \text{h}^{-1}$	[1], Designed with FadR operator site from fadD promoter.
Aerobic coefficient	A_{ae}	1.59	—	Parameter estimation calculation
Aerobic intercept	B_{ae}	1.82	—	Parameter estimation calculation
Anaerobic coefficient	A_{an}	1.73	—	Parameter estimation calculation
Anaerobic intercept	B_{an}	0.98	—	Parameter estimation calculation

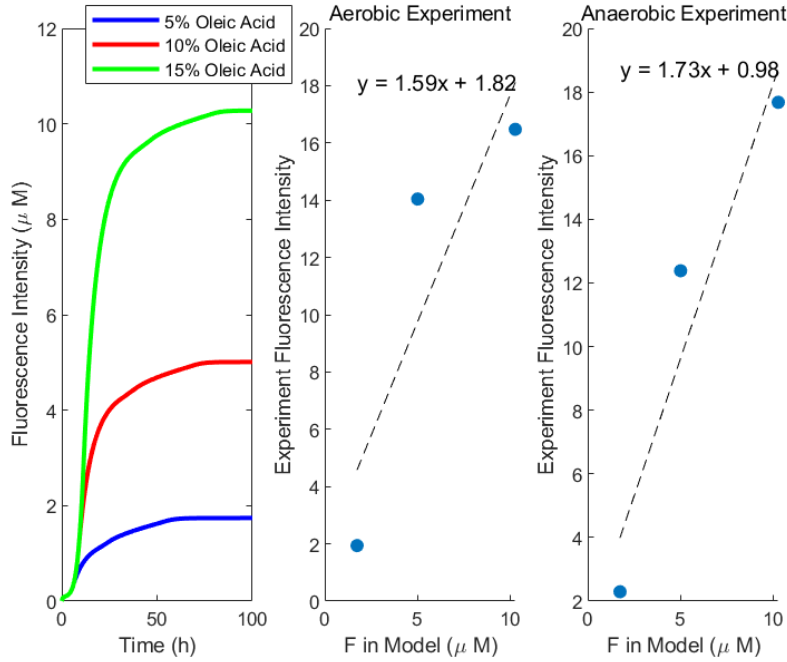


Figure 1: Parameter estimation by measuring the fluorescence intensity and fitting