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Week 5

July 1, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 12:24 (Lukas)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 µL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A= 1.385
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A= 1.051

July 2, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 9:56 (Sara)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 μL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A = 0.592
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A = 0.419

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 18:18 (Natalie)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 μL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A= 1.493
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A = 1.210

Plasmid Group (Priya/Stephanie/Sara/Manvi//Matthew/Karthik)

- Try doing a gel extraction
 - Full = .110 g = 110 mg
 - Added .11 mL of membrane binding solution
 - Partial = .100 g = 100 mg
 - Added .1 mL of membrane binding solution
 - Gel purification

Interlab (Lin/Natalie)

- Instrument Brand and Model
 - Filtermax F5 Multi-mode Microplate Reader
- Can your instrument measure both absorbance and fluorescence?
 - Yes

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- Does your instrument have pathlength correction, and if yes can it be disabled?
 - Fluorescence = weight within the well
 - Absorbance = figure it out depending on volume within the well and the distance you're measuring
 - Doesn't correct automatically? → possible but you need to know amount of volume in the wells
- What filters does your instrument have for measuring GFP?
 - BW35NM
- Does your instrument use top or bottom optics?
 - Yes both
- Started and finished calibration 1

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	LUDOX CL-X	ddH ₂ O
Replication 1	0.047	0.033
Replication 2	0.049	0.033
Replication 3	0.052	0.033
Replication 4	0.048	0.033

July 3, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 10:01 (Sara)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 μL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A= 1.414
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A = 1.096

Cell Culturing/Plating (Natalie)

- Supplementing Measurements Flasks with culture
- Added 20 mL of culture from UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1e into UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m

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- Added 20 mL of culture from UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2e into UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 12:38 (Natalie/Sara)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 μL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A= 0.994
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A = 0.996

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 18:24 (Lin)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 µL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A= 1.034
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A= 1.023

July 5, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 12:15 (Natalie)

- Done at 750 nm with 1500 µL of culture
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 1m A= 1.217
- UTEX 1% room temp. 6/13 2m A = 1.160

Interlab (Lin/Natalie)

- Made chloramphenicol stock solution
 - Added .10 g of chloramphenicol to 4 mL of 200% proof ethyl alcohol
- finished calibration 2 and calibration 3

Constructs Group (Karthik/Woody)

- ran a .7% gel with PCR products
 - 1. MW ladder
 - 2. Q3 cscB
 - 3. Q3 sps
 - Stained with 5 μL of gel green
- Gel purified Q3 cscB and Q3 sps (Promega Wizard Kit)

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Constructs Group (Karthik/Natalie)

- Nanodrop of PCR products from yesterday:
 - Q3 cscB/sps blue = $6.2 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$, $6.3 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$, $6.4 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$ (used $2 \mu\text{L}$)
 - Q3 cscB/sps pink = $8.5 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
- Ran a .7% gel with PCR products
 - 1. MW ladder
 - 2. Q3 cscB
 - 3. Q3 sps
 - Stained with Nucleic Acid Diamond Dye
 - Only the Q3cscB band showed up
- Gel Purification of Q3 cscB (Promega Wizard Kit)
 - Nanodrop (used 4 μL)
 - Q3 cscB = $5.1 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
 - Q3 cscB = $6.2 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
- PCR of Q3 cscB (CSCB Cycle)
- PCR of Q3 sps (SPS Cycle)
- Resuspension of geneblocks (following IDT protocol)
 - Q1 lone cscB \rightarrow 100 μ L of autoclaved milli-Q water
 - Q1 combo cscB \rightarrow 100 μ L of autoclaved milli-Q water
 - Left the two tubes at 50°C for 15 minutes
 - Nanodrop (1 μL used):
 - Q1 combo cscB = $8.8 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
 - Q1 lone cscB= $9.2 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$

Plasmid Group (Priya/Stephanie/Lin)

- Gel Purification of 1579 Cut (Promega Wizard Kit)

Interlab (Natalie)

- remade the chloramphenicol stock because we used old powder last time
 - .10 g chloramphenicol and 4 mL of 200% proof ethyl alcohol