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Fecal Pellet Composition

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This protocol is used to measure the water content of mouse fecal pellets over 1 hour.

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- 1 Place mice in a clean cage and collect their fecal pellets produced over 1 hour. 1h
- 2 Return mice to their home cage and weigh the fecal pellets (wet weight). 1m
- 3 Desiccate the fecal pellets at 65oC for 19 hours then reweigh the fecal pellets (dry weight).^{19h}