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iPSC Transduction

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ABSTRACT

This is the iPSC transduction protocol.

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Note:

Cells will need to be maintained in StemFlex medium to reform healthy iPSCs colony-like morphology (4-5 days)

Given that we don't know what viral titer will be toxic to the cells during transduction we will have to optimize the transduction as we progress

MATERIALS TEXT

Material needed:

1. Packaged virus
2. Polybrene (diluted 100µg/mL)
3. Stem flex (+) warmed to room temperature ~ 10 to 15min
4. Vitronectin-coated plates (coating to final concentration of 1.0µg/cm²)

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Begin transduction with cell line 7026

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Day 1:

2 Split iPS cells into single cells in complete medium with RVC. (500µl per well)

3 Seed cells at 5.0X10⁴ cells in glass-bottom 24-well plates

Day 2: Calculations are for 24-well plates. (If using a 6 well plate, the

4 Virus infection:

5 Remove the culture medium from cells, add (**300µL**) fresh medium without RVC into each well

6 Add **45µl** virus and 1µg/ml polybrene into cells and mix it. Incubate in 37 degree, 5% CO₂.

Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Control
PLVX mCherry H	PLVX IRES-Puro H	pLoc Mlana	

7 Add Polybrene into the infected well to make the final concentration to be 1ug/ml.

7.1 Stock Polybrene (10mg/mL)

7.2 Make a 100x dilution to make a working concentration of 100µg/mL

$$(10\text{mg/mL}) (V_{\text{stock}}) = (100\mu\text{g/mL})(0.5\text{mL})$$

$$V_{\text{stock}} = 5\mu\text{L of stock into } 495\mu\text{L of DPBS } (-)(-)$$

$$(100\mu\text{g/mL}) (V_{\text{stock}}) = (1\mu\text{g/mL})(0.3\text{mL}) \rightarrow V_{\text{stock}} = \mathbf{3\mu\text{L}}$$

of working concentration per 300µL of medium added

Day 3:

8 Monitor the cells for the next 48 hours

Day 4 (or 48 hours later):

9 Check IRES-GFP or HLA-A2's expression at least **48 hours** after the transduction.

10 For antibiotic-based selection, the cells will be maintained to reform colonies and subsequently grown in medium with **1µg/mL** of Puromycin to initiate selection