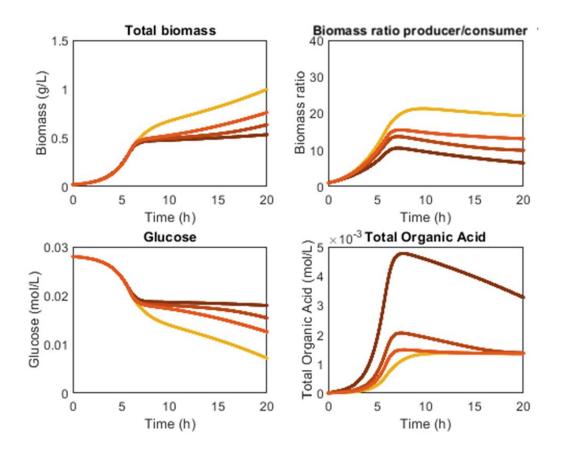


Wildtype E. coli monoculture simulations examining the role of different strength phosphate buffers.

Dark purple: regular strength phosphate buffer 0.064 M Light purple: reduced strenth phosphate buffer 0.0063 M

Mumax	0.6/h	maximum growth rate
YXGp	0.43 g/g	biomass yield on glucose
YXGp	0.25 g/g	producer biomass yield on glucose
YAX	0.26 g/g	acetic acid produced per gram of biomass
		protons produced per g biomass, protons released during
YH	0.009 mol/g	growth from ammonium metabolism

Producer inhibition equation: Holzberg and coworkers



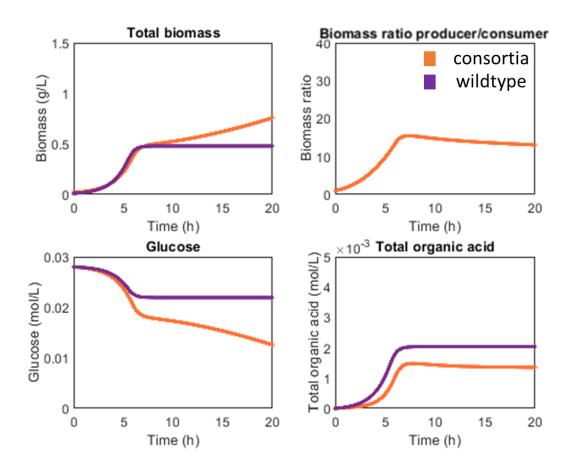
Acetate consortia simulations examining the effect of different acetic acid secretion rates.

Lines correspond with different producer acetic acid secretion rates.

Mumaxp	0.6/h	maximum growth rate producer		
Mumaxc	0.3/h	maximum growth rate consumer		
YXGp	0.25 g/g	producer biomass yield on glucose		
YXAc	0.24 g/g	consumer biomass yield on acetate		
		protons produced per g biomass, protons released		
YH	0.009 mol/g	during growth from ammonium metabolism		
Acetic acid rates were varied by varying the acetic acid per producer biomass yield				
		(light orange) acetic acid produced per gram of		
YAXp	0.26 g/g	producer biomass		
	0.38 g/g	acetic acid produced per gram of producer biomass		
	0.5 g/g	acetic acid produced per gram of producer biomass		
		(dark orange) acetic acid produced per gram of		
	1 g/g	producer biomass		

Producer inhibition equation: Holzberg and coworkers

Consumer growth and inhibition equation: Aiba and coworkers

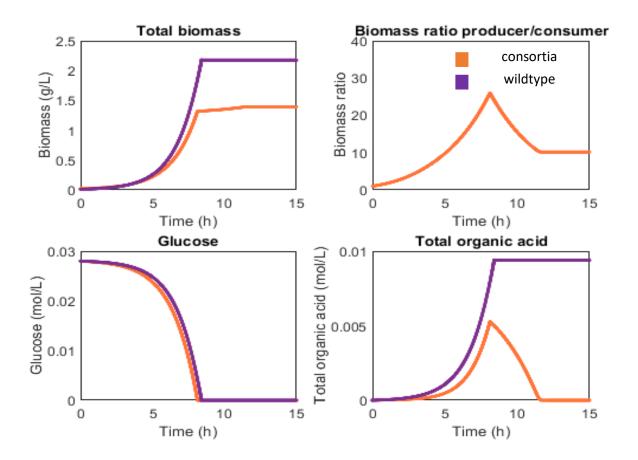


Wildtype vs. acetate consortia simulations at low phosphate buffer.

low phosphate 6.3 mM

Mumaxp	0.6/h	maximum growth rate producer
Mumaxc	0.3/h	maximum growth rate consumer
YXGp	0.25 g/g	producer biomass yield on glucose
YXAc	0.24 g/g	consumer biomass yield on acetate
		protons produced per g biomass, protons released during
YH	0.009 mol/g	growth from ammonium metabolism
YAXp	0.38 g/g	

Producer/wildtype inhibition equation: Holzberg and coworkers Consumer growth and inhibition equation: Aiba and coworkers



Wildtype vs. acetate consortia simulations at high phosphate buffer.

low phosphate 64 mM

Mumaxp	0.6/h	maximum growth rate producer
Mumaxc	0.3/h	maximum growth rate consumer
YXGp	0.25 g/g	producer biomass yield on glucose
YXAc	0.24 g/g	consumer biomass yield on acetate
		protons produced per g biomass, protons released during
YH	0.009 mol/g	growth from ammonium metabolism
YAXp	0.38 g/g	

Producer/wildtype inhibition equation: Holzberg and coworkers Consumer growth and inhibition equation: Aiba and coworkers