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AIM: PREPARATION OF LB ~~MEDIA~~ LIQUID MEDIUM

MATERIALS :

- (i) LB powder
- (ii) Flasks
- (iii) Weighing machine
- (iv) Cotton plug

PROTOCOL:

- (i) Take a 1 L autoclave bottle
- (ii) Add 25g LB broth powder
- (iii) Add 1000 ml ultrapure water
- (iv) Mix it well, powder will not dissolve
- (v) Replace the cap to the bottle but leave it slightly loose for pressure equalization to occur. Place a piece of autoclave ~~top~~ tape on the top or as <sup>AL</sup> foil.
- (vi) Autoclave (121°C, 20 minutes)
- (vii) Cool to RT and use. (Do not tighten cap until cool)

## PROTOCOL :

- (i) Prepare 1L of LB liquid (25g broth powder per 1L) in 2000ml Erlenmeyer flask.
- (ii) Add 15g bacteriological agar (1.5%)
- (iii) Swirl to mix.
- (iv) Add a fresh piece of aluminium foil to cover the top, add a fresh piece of autoclave tape.
- (v) Autoclave ( $121^{\circ}\text{C}$ , 15 minutes)
- (vi) Let it cool down to  $50^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Media should still be liquid.
- (vii) Add antibiotics if necessary and mix.
- (viii) Set the plates and label.
- (ix) Pour the media into the plates  
(Open the lid of plate, remove the foil. Pour just enough LB agar into the plate to cover the bottom, replace the lid)
- (x) Work quickly so that it doesn't solidify. Plates should be stored in cool place upside down.

Amount of water : 100 ml (make it to 100ml  
not water  
100ml)  
LB broth : 2.5g  
Agar : 1.5g

2) In Flask II (500 ml flask)

Amount of water : 150 ml (make it to 150ml)

(ii) Incubate @  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 2 hours

(iii) Spread plate 100  $\mu\text{l}$  of the culture on  
LA plates in laminar hood.

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AIM: PREPARING SOB (Super Optimal Broth) (25ml) 5

PROCEDURE MATERIALS: pH-7.5

- (i) 0.125g of KOAC
- (ii) 0.5g of  $\text{CaCl}_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$  yeast extract (1.506g)
- (iii) 0.0146g of NaCl (1.00g)
- (iv) 0.00465g of KCl (0.0094g)
- (v) 0.06g of  $\text{MgSO}_4$  (0.1207g)

20/05/17 100ml SOB

	Req:	Amt. put
(i) Yeast extract	- 0.5g	0.5003g
(ii) Tryptone	- 2g	1.99g
(iii) NaCl	- 0.0586g	0.059g
(iv) KCl	- 0.0186g	0.019g
(v) $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$	- 0.492g	0.4881g

Autoclave at 122°C

AIM: PREPARING CCMB80 Buffer (25ml)

- (i) 10mM KOAC pH 7.0 - 0.024g
- (ii) 80mM  $\text{CaCl}_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (11.8g/L) - 0.294g
- (iii) 20mM  $\text{MnCl}_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$  - 0.1g
- (iv) 10mM  $\text{MgCl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  - 0.05g
- (v) 10% glycerol - 2.5ml
- (vi) Water - 25ml

Filter sterilization of the buffer

Fill the syringe with the buffer

Put the filter on the hot tip of syringe  
Push the piston and collect filtrate in another falcon

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## Ultra-Competent cells: iGEM

- (i) Inoculate 5ml of SOB medium with 20  $\mu$ l vial of seed stock and grow at 20°C  
OD<sub>600nm</sub> of 0.3.  
(20°C helps in making the cells competent by changing the membrane flexibility)
- (ii) Let it grow for 16 hours  
Room temperature  
↓  
Aim for lower OD.
- (iii) Pre-chill as many flat-bottom centrifuges as you can in an ice bucket.
- (iv) Transfer the culture to flat-bottom centrifuge. weigh and balance the tubes on a scale (as close as possible  $\Delta w = 1g$ )
- (v) Centrifuge at 3000g at 4°C for 10min in a flat centrifuge bottle
- (vi) Decant supernatant into waste receptacle, bleach before pouring down the drain.
- (vii) Gently resuspend in  $\frac{80}{250}$  ml = 320  $\mu$ l of ice cold CMB80 buffer.  
(Tip: Add 160  $\mu$ l first resuspend and

After pipetting, there will still be some residual cells stuck to the bottom.

Invert bottles gently to resuspend these remaining cells -

- (viii) Incubate on ice for 20 minutes.
- (ix) Centrifuge again at 3000 g at 4°C for 10 min. Decant supernatant into waste receptacle and bleach before pouring down the drain.
- (x) Resuspend cell pellet in 40 µl of ice cold CEMB80 buffer. If using multiple flat bottom centrifuge bottles, combine the cells post-resuspension.
- (xi) Use Nanodrop to measure OD of a mixture of 160 µl of LB and 40 µl of the resuspended cells.
- (xii) Use a mixture of 160 µl of LB and 40 µl CEMB80 buffer as the blank.



Prepare for aliquoting

- Make labels for aliquots. Use these to label storage ~~with~~ microcentrifuge tubes

\* Pre-chill on dry ice

(xv) Aliquot into chilled 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tubes (Flash frozen in liquid nitrogen)

(xvi) Store at  $-80^{\circ}\text{C}$  indefinitely.

\* Aliquot 200  $\mu\text{l}$  in each eppi. (for 5 reactions at a time)  
10  $\mu\text{l}$  is extra for pipetting errors. This saves eppis and efforts.

On 12/05/17, when we performed the experiment

we ran out of blank (SOB) and the OD was very low after 16 hours.

We took the OD readings in plate reader.

We should have done it in standard spectrophotometer.

OD Measurement in plate reader

9 10 11 12

\* Odd number samples (SA1, SA3...) - E. coli DH5α  
 Even number samples (SA2, SA4...) - E. coli MG1655

OD should be around 0.3.  
 We incubated again at 20°C for 2 more hours  
 and took OD measurements.

OD MEASUREMENT (No blank) - Mistake

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
H	SA1	SA2	SA3	SA4	SA5	SA6	SA7	SA8	SA9	SA10		

OD had reduced

We didnot proceed further because we didnot have  
 any more blank.

14/5/17 Evening 6 pm

- Pre inoculation from the LA plate.
- Took 2ml SOB in 15ml falcon tube.
- Using sterile 200µl pipette tips picked up one colony each of DH5α and MG1655.
- Transferred the colony into the falcon with SOB.
- Incubated the culture at 37°C @ 180 rpm for 12 hours.

15/5/17 Morning 6:00am

Stored the culture in 4°C fridge.  
 Prepared 750 ml of SOB in the evening.

Efficiency test of comp. cells

16/5/17 1:00 am (Night)

- Inoculated the main culture
- 3 samples for DH5 $\alpha$  and 2 for MG1655

SOB: 2x 5ml + 8ml + 7ml = 25ml SOB  
for MG1655

Inoculate with 100  $\mu$ l (20x 5  $\mu$ l) culture

3 x 5ml + 8ml + 7ml = 30ml SOB

for DH5 $\alpha$

Inoculate with (20x 6  $\mu$ l) = 120  $\mu$ l  
DH5 $\alpha$

- Grow @ 20 $^{\circ}$ C @ 250 rpm for 16 hrs

16/5/17 10:30 am

Measured O.D

Using spectrophotometer using 600 nm.

Time	Duration since inoculation	MG1655	DH5 $\alpha$
10:53 am	~ 10 hours	0.515	0.055
11:57 am	11 hours		0.102
1:05 pm	12 hours		0.132
2:05 pm	13 hrs		0.14
3:10 pm	14 hrs		0.203
4:00 pm	15 hrs		0.212
4:30 pm	16 hrs		0.222

\* Since the O.D of MG1655 > 0.3, we diluted it 1:1 with SOB.

(When you dilute culture to get appropriate O.D always let it grow for 16 hours)

(i) Always balance the eppis by putting them in the <sup>exact</sup> opposite slots.

(ii) Put the hinge side towards outside so that pellet forms on that side and its easier for mining.



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12:30 pm - 4:00 pm

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AIM: To check the ~~competence~~ efficiency of competent cells.

PROCEDURE:

Clean the working area with 70% ethanol.

↓  
Thaw competent cells on ice. Label one 1.5ml microcentrifuge tubes for each transformation and then pre-chill by placing it on ice.

↓  
Spin down the DNA tubes from the Competent Cell test kit to collect DNA into the bottom of each tube prior to use.

A quick spin (20-30 secs) at 8000-10000 rpm (50µl of DNA in each tube in kit)

↓  
Pipet 1µl of DNA into each microcentrifuge tube.

↓  
Pipet 50µl of competent cells into each tube. Flick the tube gently with your finger to mix.

↓  
Incubate on ice for 30 minutes.

↓  
Set the thermomixer at 42°C.

↓  
After 30 minutes ice incubation, heat shock the cells at 42°C for 60 seconds.

overnight (approx. 16 hours)



Count the number of colonies on a light field or a dark background.

### CALCULATING COMPETENT CELL EFFICIENCY

$$\text{Efficiency (in cfu/\mu g)} = \left[ \frac{\text{colonies on plate (cfu)}}{\text{Amount of DNA plated (ng)}} \right] \times 1000 \text{ (ng/\mu g)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Amount of DNA plated} &= \text{Volume of DNA added (1 \mu l)} \\ &\times \text{conc. of DNA (refer to vial, convert to ng/\mu l)} \\ &\times \left[ \frac{\text{volume plated (50 \mu l)}}{\text{total reaction volume (1000 \mu l)}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Expected Result: Efficiency -  $1.5 \times 10^8 - 6 \times 10^8$  cfu/ $\mu$ g  
for 10  $\mu$ l - 280-360 colonies ; 50  $\mu$ l - 500  $\beta$  - 1000+ DNA

## TROUBLESHOOT:

(i) MG1655 (50  $\mu$ l) was ~~put~~ spreaded on a LB plate to check if its viable.

→ We got colonies.

→ Cells are viable.

(ii) We did a second transformation test.



Used 100 pg / ~~mg~~ ml plasmids from the competent cells checking kit.



Transformed culture was centrifuged at 3000 G and ~~added~~ 100  $\mu$ l of LB

## NOTES ON TRANSFORMATION (COMPETENCE EFFICIENCY)

→ Always keep the buffer and your sample on ice (even while pipetting if possible)

→ Add cells to the plasmid rather vice-versa because plasmid is a small amount (1  $\mu$ l).

It does not get properly mixed if add on a bigger volume.

→ Add 950  $\mu$ l of LB instead of 250  $\mu$ l and incubate for 2 hours at 37°C, 250 rpm.

→ Plate 50  $\mu$ l of the culture on one side of the plate and then centrifuge and decant and resuspend the pellet in some amount of LB (say 50  $\mu$ l) and plate it on the other half.

In this way you plate all the cells that you have or are transformed.



Kept it in the incubator at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$  at  
220 rpm.

Prepared CCMB80 Buffer and filter sterilised it.

Preparation of CCMB80 Buffer (250 ml) pH-7

(i) 10 mM KOAc (10 ml of a 1M stock/L)

M.W - 98.15 g/mol

$$10 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{x}{98.15} \times \frac{1000}{250}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{10 \times 10^{-3} \times 98.15 \times 250}{1000}$$

$$= 0.04075$$

$$= \boxed{0.245 \text{ g}}$$

(ii) 80 mM  $\text{CaCl}_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (11.8 g/L)

M.W - 147 g/mol

$$80 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{x}{147} \times \frac{1000}{250}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{80 \times 10^{-3} \times 147 \times 250}{1000}$$

(iii) 20 mM  $\text{MnCl}_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (4 g/L)  
M.W - 197.91 g/mol

$$20 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{x}{197.91} \times \frac{1000}{250}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 197.91}{4} = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \boxed{0.989 \text{ g} \approx 1 \text{ g}}$$

(iv) 10 mM  $\text{MgCl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (2 g/L)  
M.W - 203.31 g/mol

$$10 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{x}{203.31} \times \frac{1000}{250}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{10 \times 10^{-3} \times 203.31}{4} = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \boxed{0.508 \text{ g}}$$

(v) 10% glycerol - 25 ml

Preparation of SOB pH. 7.5 (150 ml)

(i) LB powder

For 250 ml  $\rightarrow$  6.25 g LB

For 150 ml  $\rightarrow$   $\frac{6.25}{250} \times 150$

$$= 3.75 \text{ g}$$

$$= 0.0279 \text{ g}$$

(iii) 20mm of  $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$

$$\text{Amt. of } \text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O} = \frac{246.46 \times 20 \times 10^3 \times 150}{1000}$$

$$= 0.739 \text{ g}$$

After 16 hours of incubation  
OD was 0.227

↓  
4ml of culture was taken in a 50ml falcon.

↓  
Resuspend in 1.28 ml of CCMB80 buffer  
~~20640 μl~~ (2 times 640 μl)

↓  
Incubate for 20 min on ice

↓  
Got no pellet :c

Wt. of MgCl<sub>2</sub> for 80 mm for 500 ml sol<sup>n</sup>

$$= \frac{80 \times 95.211 \times 500}{1000} \times 10^{-3}$$

$$= 3.8084 \text{ g}$$

- (ii) Put secondary culture at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- (iii) Measure O.D. after an hour.
- (iv) Take the culture and put it in two falcons equally (5ml & 5ml).
- (v) Put these in tubes at  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  in ice for 10 mins.
- (vi) Centrifuge it for 10 mins at  $4^{\circ}\text{C}$  and 4100 rpm.
- (vii) Decant the tubes and 3ml (in each tube) of  $\text{MgCl}_2 - \text{CaCl}_2$  sol<sup>n</sup> and (resuspend using 1ml pipette gently)
- (viii) Then incubate the cells (the tube) in ice for 45 mins.
- (ix) Centrifuge the tubes for 10 mins at  $4^{\circ}\text{C}$  and 4100 rpm.

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Making 80% glycerol stock

→ Made 20ml of 80% glycerol stock  
16ml of glycerol  
4ml of water

Took 5ml activated MG1655 culture in a

15ml falcon.

Added 5ml 80% glycerol solution

Aliquotted 1ml in 1.5ml eppis.

- (xii) Add 80% glycerol (0.2ml) in each tube
- (xiii) Fill the microcentrifuge tube with 50µl of culture in each tube.

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# BACTERIAL GROWTH CURVE (24 hours) 23

Strains: DH5α and MG1655

Medium: SOB

Temp: 20°C

Shaking: 250 rpm

2 flasks were autoclaved with attempting and kept for growing the cultures.

↓  
took 50ml SOB in both

↓  
8:10 pm } Inoculated with 200µl of DH5α  
and 250µl of MG1655 respectively

↓  
took O.D measurements  
in spectrophotometer  
after every 1 hour

Optical Density

TIME	DH5α	MG1655
8:15 pm	0.031	0.008
8:35 pm	0.019	≡
9:10 pm	0.048	0.045
10:10 pm	0.053	0.048
11:10 pm	0.050	0.075
12:10 am	0.050	0.098
1:10 am	0.055	0.145
2:10 am	0.060	0.205
3:10 am	0.066	0.311
4:10 am	0.073	0.523
5:10 am	0.077	0.726

6:10 pm	0.090	1.068
7:10 am	0.101	1.536
8:10 am	0.122	2.148
9:10 am	0.144	2.796
10:10 am	0.159	3.134
11:10 am	0.176	3.920
12:10 pm	0.211	5.36
1:10 pm	0.257	5.120
2:10 pm	0.258	5.080
3:10 pm	0.319	6.280
4:10 pm	0.417	10.5
5:10 pm	0.457	8
6:10 pm	0.539	6.26



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## COMPETENT CELLS STOCK (DH5 $\alpha$ )

### Primary inoculation:

\* Took 2ml of autoclaved LB in 15ml falcon (X2)

↓  
Inoculated with 50  $\mu$ l of saturated culture  
of DH5 $\alpha$

↓  
Incubated overnight at 37 $^{\circ}$ C, 250 rpm

↓  
Stored them in 4 $^{\circ}$ C

### Secondary inoculation:



Aliquots 50  $\mu$ l 10 nos

260  $\mu$ l 4 nos

↓  
Incubated on ice for 20 mins

↓  
~~Flash~~ stored at  $-80^{\circ}\text{C}$

SOB Preparation (250 ml)

(i) LB powder - 6.25g

(ii) 2.5 mM of KCl -  $2.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 74.55 \times \frac{250}{1000}$

= 0.046 g

(iii) 20 mM of  $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$  -  $20 \times 10^{-3} \times 246.46 \times \frac{250}{1000}$

= 1.23 g

Efficiency Test

Sample - DH5 $\alpha$  comp cells

+ve control - MG1655 comp cells

-ve control - DH5 $\alpha$  without plasmid

Took 50  $\mu$ l comp cells in 2 eppis

-ve control

RFP transformation

↓  
1  $\mu$ l milli Q

↓  
Add 50  $\mu$ l comp cells

↓  
Incubate on ice for 30 mins

↓  
1  $\mu$ l 50 pg RFP Plasmid

↓  
Add 50  $\mu$ l comp cells

Heat shock @ 42°C 60secs in water bath



Add 950µL LB and incubate

@ 37°C for 2 hours



Plated 50µL on LA - can plates



grow @ 37°C overnight



Count the number of colonies

No. of colonies

285

Efficiency

$1.14 \times 10^8$

- ve control

0

+ ve control

0

TROUBLESHOOT

(Transformation with RFP plasmid again)

DH5α (J)

DH5α (Ar)

MG1655 (J)

50µL

50µL

50µL

\* Same protocol of efficiency test

No. of colonies = 319 (J) Efficiency =  $1.59 \times 10^8$

No. of colonies = 100 (Ar) Efficiency =  $0.5 \times 10^8$

BRK

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## Preparation of 10X PBS (100ml)

- 1.37 M NaCl - 8g
- 27mM KCl - 0.2g
- 43mM  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$  - 1.15g
- 14mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  - 0.2g

Set pH to 7.3

## Dilution to 1X PBS (40ml)

- Take 4ml 10X PBS
- Add 36ml distilled water
- mix thoroughly

## Preparation of fluorescein standard

- Spin down the tubes 3000 rpm, 30 secs
- Resuspend in 1ml 1X PBS (2X fluorescein)
- Take 500  $\mu\text{L}$  and dilute with 500  $\mu\text{L}$  of 1X PBS (1X fluorescein)

Molar mass of Fluorescein = 332.31

$$\text{Required weight} = \frac{332.31 \times 100 \times 10^3 \times 1}{1000}$$

$$= 0.0332 \text{ (100 mM)}$$

Insoluble in 1ml PBS

50 mL 1 mM Fluorescein

$$\frac{332.1 \times 10^{-3} \times 50}{1000}$$

$$= 0.0167 \text{ g}$$

5 mM Fluorescein 10 ml

$$\text{Required wt} = \frac{332.1 \times 5 \times 10^{-3} \times 10}{1000}$$

$$= 17 \text{ mg}$$

\* We used 1M NaOH

0.4g in 10ml of distilled water.

Fluorescein was not dissolving in PBS

because the one in our lab was not a sodium salt as we have in the

Plate used for measurement:  
 Corning 3686, 96 well plate, half area,  
 flat bottom  
 Blank plate

Arrangement in the plate

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	CA1	CA2	CA3	CA4	CA5	CA6	CA7	CA8	CA9	CA10	CA11	CA12 (PBS)
B	CA1	CA2	CA3	CA4	CA5	CA6	CA7	CA8	CA9	CA10	CA11	CA12 (PBS)
C	CA1	CA2	CA3	CA4	CA5	CA6	CA7	CA8	CA9	CA10	CA11	CA12 (PBS)
D	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12 (PBS)
E	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12 (PBS)
F	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12 (PBS)
G	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12 (PBS)

CA 1-A-1 - Fluorescein with NaOH (1M) (100µL)

D1-1 - Sodium Fluorescein with PBS (100µL)  
 (1X)

D2-2 - serial dilution (1:1)

- D-11-11

D12 - PBS (100µL)

E, F, G are replicates.

OD measurements ~~and~~ (Corning - Costar - 96 wells -  
 Transparent plate Full area - Flat bottom) 33

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	120 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O	200 $\mu$ L Ludox	200 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O									240 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O
B	120 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O	200 $\mu$ L Ludox	200 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O									240 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O
C	120 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O	200 $\mu$ L Ludox	200 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O									240 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O
D	120 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O	200 $\mu$ L Ludox	200 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O									240 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O



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Plasmid constructs for Hijack module  
To be sequenced by IDT -

(1) RBS + Arac gene with ssRA tag + double terminator

RBS - Bba-B0030

Well

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Kit Plate-4

Arac - Bba-C0080

ssRA - Bba-M0052

Double terminator - Bba-B0014

(2) DnaA dependent promoter (pDnaA) + RBS

PolA promoter: Bba-K847210

RBS: Bba-B0030

\* GC content was low

Could not be synthesised

(3) RBS + LacI with ssRA + double terminator

RBS: Bba-B0032

LacI: Bba-C0012

ssRA: Bba-M0052

Double terminator: Bba-B0014

- Petri plates (LA + Cam)
- 42°C water bath with floating foam tube rack
- Ice and ice bucket
- Spreader

#### PROCEDURE:

Resuspend DNA in selected wells with 10  $\mu$ l of autoclaved milliQ water.

Pipette up and down several times.



Resuspension will be red in colour.

- Petri plates (LA + Cam)
- 42°C water bath with floating foam tube rack
- Ice and ice bucket
- Spreader

PROCEDURE:

close the tubes and incubate on ice for 30 mins.



Heat shock tubes at  $42^{\circ}\text{C}$  for ~~40~~<sup>60</sup> secs.



Incubate on ice for 5 mins



Pipette  $950\ \mu\text{l}$  of LB to each transformation



Incubate at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 2 hours, 250 rpm



Pipette  $100\ \mu\text{l}$  of each transformation onto petri dishes and spread with sterilized

↓  
Pipette 50  $\mu$ l of comp cells in a 1.5 ml tube  
and pipette up and down properly  
to mix the plasmid well

↓  
Pipette 1  $\mu$ l of control DNA into 1.5 ml tube.  
(10  $\mu$ g/1  $\mu$ l RFP plasmid)

↓  
Pipette 50  $\mu$ l of comp cells and mix well.

↓  
Close the tubes and incubate on ice for 30 mins.

↓  
Heat shock tubes at 42°C for ~~40~~<sup>60</sup> secs.

↓  
Incubate on ice for 5 mins

↓  
Pipette 950  $\mu$ l of LB to each transformation

↓  
Incubate at 37°C for 2 hours, 250 rpm

↓  
Pipette 100  $\mu$ l of each transformation onto  
petri dishes and spread with sterilized  
spreader.

↓

and pipette the whole thing  
onto a petri plate and spread  
it using sterilised spreader.



Incubate transformations overnight  
(14-18 hours) at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$

(Repeat) <sup>4</sup>

## 1st Inoculation

Took 15ml falcons (x 16)



Added 2ml LB to each of them



Added 1.42  $\mu$ l of chloramphenicol to each of them



Labeled them (1.T.D.1, 2.T.D.1, 1.T.D.2, and wrapped them with Alu-foil 2.T.D.2...)



Picked up colonies using 200  $\mu$ l pipette tips (2 colonies for each device)



Inoculated in 2ml LB+can



Kept all the falcons in the incubator at 37°C, 250 rpm overnight.

## 2nd Inoculation

Took 50ml falcons (x 16) and labeled them



... ..



11:00am

took samples for 0hr time point

↓ (1.5ml each in eppis)

put them on ice and then at 4°C

Black P  
Corning

Plate 1  
1

A	+ve
B	v



Look all the eppis in an ice bucket for the fluorescence and O.D measurements in the plate reader.

OUTLINE SKETCH OF THE PLATE READER

Fluorescence Measurement

Black Plate

Corning 3686, 96 well plate, half area, flat bottom

	Plate 1			Owo						2hrs		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	+ve	-ve	T-D1	T-D2	TD3	TD4	TD5	TD6	Blank	+ve	-ve	T-D-1
B	"	"										
C												
D												
E												
F												
G												
H												

colony - 2  
D  
E  
F  
G  
H

Transparent plate

Corning

96 well plate, full area, flat bottom

Plate 1 — 0hrs

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	+ve	-ve	T.1	T.2	T.3	T.4	T.5	T.6	Blank	+ve	-ve	T.1
B												
C												
D												
E												
F												
G												
H												

2 hrs

Plate 2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	T.2	T.3	T.4	T.5	T.6	Blank	+ve	+ve	T.1	T.2	T.3	T.4
B							+ve	+ve				
C							+ve	+ve				
D							+ve	+ve				
E							-ve	-ve				
F							-ve	-ve				
G							-ve	+ve				
H							-ve	-ve				

2 hrs

D

E

F

G

H

Plotted all the graphs in Excel.

~~Time~~ Fluorescence vs Time

OD vs Time

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# MINIPREP PLASMID EXTRACTION

Extraction of plasmid from GFP colonies CBBa-K13700  
PSB1C3 backbone.

## PROTOCOL :

Inoculation of transformed colony for miniprep.

Take 2ml LB-Cam (25 µg/ml) in a 15ml falcon



Pick one GFP transformed colony into the falcon with 10 µl tip



Incubate at 37°C, 220 rpm for 18 hrs

## Miniprep plasmid extraction

Pipette 1ml culture into 2 1.5ml eppys each



Centrifuge at 8000 rpm (6800 rcf) for 3 mins at 25°C



Discard supernatant

Resuspend pellet in 125 µl P1 buffer



Add RNase to P1 buffer, write open date

Pool them together into a 1.5ml eppy

(lysis) ↓

Add 250 µl P2 buffer and mix well by inverting the tubes (Not more than 5 mins) 4 to 6 times

Put date on the bottle when opened

↓  
Add 350  $\mu$ l  $N_3$  buffer and mix by inverting the tubes 4 to 6 times

↓  
Centrifuge at 17900  $\times$ cf or 13000 rpm at 25°C for 10 mins

↓ → Discard pellet

Pipette 800  $\mu$ l supernatant into the column

↓  
Centrifuge at 13000 rpm or 17900  $\times$ cf for 60 sec

↓ → Discard flow through

Add 750  $\mu$ l PB buffer to the ~~column~~ column

↓  
Centrifuge at 13000 rpm for 60 sec

↓ → Discard flow through

Add 750  $\mu$ l of PE buffer to the bed

↓  
Centrifuge at 13000 rpm for 60 sec

↓ → Discard flow through

Centrifuge  
Transfer the column into 1.5ml eppy

↓  
Temp: 37°C Add 50  $\mu$ l EB and let it stand for 60 sec

↓  
Centrifuge at 13,000 rpm for 60 sec  
↓  
store at -20°C, label

to disable the nuclease to degrade DNA.

(2) P2 buffer : lysis buffer

(200mM NaOH and SDS)



Base

Soap

} High pH

Destroys cell membrane - SDS

NaOH denatures DNA

(3) N3 buffer : Neutralization buffer

guanidine hydrochloride + acetic acid

Renatures DNA : neutral pH

Precipitates as - SDS salts

(4) PE

Useful to wash out other components  
(has buffer + salt + ethanol)

Prevents DNA from dissociating from  
column while you wash away other  
contamination.

Nanodrop conc. of GFP+ssRAC(BBa - <sup>K13708</sup> ~~1000~~) 51  
- 120.3 ~~100~~ ng/mL

(c) EB: Elution buffer  
contains 10mM Tris at pH 8-9  
→ DNA is soluble in tris buffer.  
(Usable again)

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Pipetted 1ml culture into 2 eppis

↓  
Centrifuged at 6800 rcf - 3 mins 25°C

↓ → Discard supernatant

Pellet resuspension in 125µl P1 buffer  
with RNase

↓  
Pooled both samples together

↓  
Added 250µl P2 buffer mixed well  
waited for 2mins (Blue colour  
appeared)

↓  
Added N3 buffer and  
mixed well (Turned whitish)  
(waited 2mins)

↓  
Centrifuged at 17900 rcf, 10mins, 25°C

↓ → Discard pellet

Pipette 800µl supernatant into column

↓  
Centrifuged at 17900, 1min

↓  
Added PE buffer (750µl) to the bed } X2

↓  
Centrifuged

↓  
Add PB buffer (500µl) to the column } X2

↓  
Centrifuged

↓  
Added 50µl EB kept at 37°C for 1.5 min  
Centrifuged

~~TRIS~~  
Accidentally  
skipped PB buffer  
addition.  
★ did after  
PE buffer



## PREPARATION OF MEDIA

### YPD Medium (For 1000ml)

- (i) Peptone - 20g
- (ii) Yeast extract - 10g
- (iii) Water - 950ml

Autoclave

Add 40% (w/v) glucose solution 50ml  
(filter sterilized)

(For 200ml)

- (i) Peptone - 4g
- (ii) Yeast extract - 2g
- (iii) Water - 190ml
- (iv) glucose - 10ml

(4g glucose in distilled water)  
Filter sterilized

### YP Agar Plates (For 500ml)

- (i) Yeast extract - 5g
- (ii) Peptone - 10g

For 100 ml (approx - 5 plates)

- (i) Yeast extract - 1g
- (ii) Peptone - 2g
- (iii) Agar - 2g
- (iv) Water - 95 ml
- (v) Glucose - 5ml (filter sterilized)  
(2g in 5ml of distilled water)  
glucose

Primary Inoculum (8:30 pm)

at 40°C in water bath

- (i) Took 1ml milliQ water in an eppi and heated it
- (ii) Put a pinch full of baker's yeast (*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*)  
in it

(iii) Dissolved it using vortex mixer and kept it at 40°C.

(iv) ~~initially~~ Took 5ml of YPD media in a sterile falcon ~~and~~ (X2)

(v) Took 100µl of the yeast culture and inoculated it in 5ml YPD (X2)

(vi) kept the falcons at 30°C, 180 rpm overnight

Mistake

We added 50ml of glucose to 190ml of the media instead of 10ml.

We had an extra flask with 190ml YPD (glucose unadded) we added the right amount of glucose to it ~~and used it~~

## Secondary inoculations 8:30 am

(i) In 2, 500ml flasks with 247.5ml media we inoculated 2.5ml of primary.

(ii) ~~kept it inside the incubator at 30°C, 180 rpm.~~

(iii) Took the 0th hour reading immediately after inoculation after shaking it well (collected 1ml in an eppi)

(iii) Kept the flasks in the incubator at 30°C, 180 rpm.

(iv) Took readings after every one hour. (collected 1ml of the sample in eppis and stored at 4°C)

11:20 am

\* We did a third inoculation in 200ml of media with right amount of glucose.

Repeated the same steps as above with it.

Methylene Blue - 0.4% (w/v)  
sol<sup>n</sup>

0.04g - methylene blue powder  
10ml - water (distilled)

Filter sterilisation

Trypan Blue solution - 0.1% (w/v)

0.01g - Trypan blue powder  
10ml - distilled water

Filter sterilisation

## TAKING MEASUREMENTS

(i) Resuspending Culture

Centrifuge the aliquot of each time point (1ml)  
at 1500 rpm (or 2000g) for 2mins  
to pellet cells



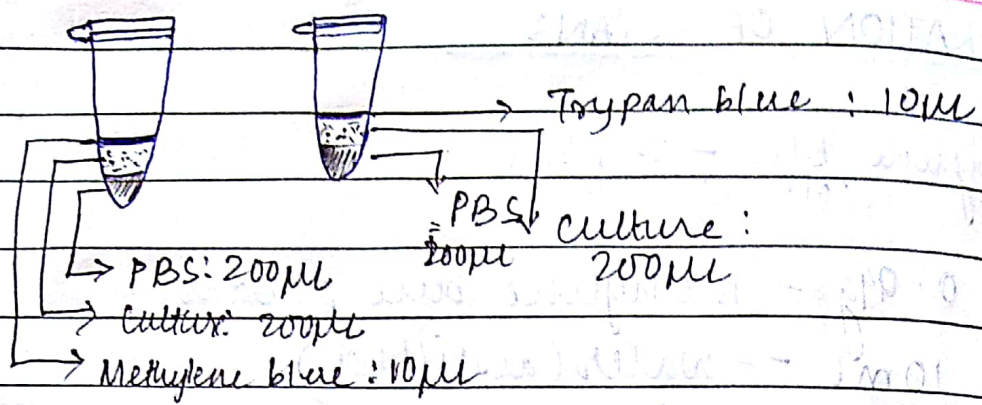
~~In sterile~~

Remove the supernatant and  
resuspend cells in 1ml PBS

(ii) Staining

(i) Make Triplicates of 200µl PBS + 200µl culture

(ii) Add equal amount of methylene blue to one



(iii) Vortex gently and let it sit for 3-5 mins at room temp

(iv) Load and visualise

(iii) Hemocytometer: Loading

Clean hemocytometer surface and coverslip with 70% ethanol



Place coverslip on hemocytometer



Take 10µl of sample and load it on hemocytometer

(a) Invert the tube several times to resuspend the cells

(b) Pipette 10µl of sample at once ~~with the sample~~

(c) Add 10µl in the V-shaped groove in hemocytometer

(d)

## (V) COUNTING CELLS

(a) Count cells only from images taken, and not directly from hemocytometer

### RESULT:

Live cells were not getting stained with methylene blue.

~~Dye~~ Dyes were not getting dissolved in water so we dissolved it in ethanol.

4% w/v of methylene blue and ~~1%~~ Safran ~~were used~~ from lab were used for staining.

## PFA Fixing

Spin down the growth cell sample 1500 rpm for 2 mins

↓  
Resuspend in PBS; (PBS wash)

↓  
Spin down again @ 1500 rpm, 2 mins

↓  
Resuspend in 4% PFA, 200  $\mu$ l

↓  
Incubate on ice for 90 mins

↓  
Spin down @ 1500 rpm, 2 mins

↓  
Resuspend YC and YA cultures  
in 800  $\mu$ l PBS

and YB in 1 mL PBS

↓  
Make duplicates of 200  $\mu$ l PBS + 200  $\mu$ l culture

↓  
Add 10  $\mu$ l of methyl Blue to one  
replicate

and 10  $\mu$ l of Safranin to other  
replicate

1. ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~

2. ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~

3. ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~

4. ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~

5. ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~ ~~TOP HILL~~



Enzyme Master Mix for Plasmid backbone  
(25  $\mu$ L, 5 rxns)

- 5  $\mu$ L NEB Buffer 2
- 0.5  $\mu$ L BSA
- 0.5  $\mu$ L EcoRI-HF
- 0.5  $\mu$ L PstI
- 0.5  $\mu$ L DpnI (used to digest any template DNA from production)
- 18  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

Enzyme Master Mix for Part A (25  $\mu$ L, 5 rxns)

- 5  $\mu$ L NEB Buffer 2
- 0.5  $\mu$ L BSA
- 0.5  $\mu$ L EcoRI-HF
- 0.5  $\mu$ L SpeI
- 18.5  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

Enzyme Master Mix for Part B (25  $\mu$ L, 5 rxns)

- 5  $\mu$ L NEB Buffer 2
- 0.5  $\mu$ L BSA
- 0.5  $\mu$ L XbaI
- 0.5  $\mu$ L PstI
- 18.5  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

→ Add

→ Add

Digest

→ Add

→ Add

Digest

→ Add 4

→ Add

Digest

Ligation

→ Add 2  $\mu$ L

~~→ Add~~

Add equ

Add equ

Add 1  $\mu$ L

Add

### Digest Plasmid Backbone

- Add 4µl linearized plasmid backbone (25ng/µl for 100ng total)
- Add 4µl of Enzyme Master Mix

### Digest Part A

- Add 4µl Part A (25ng/µl for 100ng total)
- Add 4µl of Enzyme Master Mix

### Digest Part B

- Add 4µl Part B (25ng/µl for 100ng total)
- Add 4µl of Enzyme Master Mix

Digest all three reactions at 37°C for 30 minutes and heat kill at 80°C for 20 mins.

### Ligation

- Add 2µl of digested Plasmid Backbone (25ng)
- ↓
- Add equimolar amount of Part A (< 3µl)
- ↓
- Add equimolar amount of Part B (< 3µl)
- ↓
- Add 1µl T4 DNA ligase buffer.



Transform with 1-2 $\mu$ l of product

↓  
50  $\mu$ l of DH5 $\alpha$  cells (glycerol stock)

↓  
incubated at 37°C, 230 rpm

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## HYBRID PROMOTER CONSTRUCT (P<sub>lac</sub>/Ara)

conc. by nanodrop measurement = 39.3 ng/ $\mu$ l

### Digestions

Backbone (PSB1C3)

conc. = 25 ng/ $\mu$ l

25 ng backbone = 1  $\mu$ l

Master mix = 4  $\mu$ l

dH<sub>2</sub>O = 3  $\mu$ l

8  $\mu$ l

Part: CHybrid Promoter

conc = 39.3 ng/ $\mu$ l

25 ng part = 0.64  $\mu$ l

Master mix = 4  $\mu$ l

dH<sub>2</sub>O = 3.36  $\mu$ l

8  $\mu$ l

→ Digest each at 37°C / 30 min

→ Heat kill at 80°C / 20 min  
(Denaturation of enzyme)

### Ligation

Add 2  $\mu$ l of digested plasmid backbone  
(= 6.25 ng)

↓  
Add 1  $\mu$ l T4 DNA ligase buffer

↓  
Add 0.5  $\mu$ l T4 DNA ligase

↓  
Add water upto 10  $\mu$ l  
= 4.5  $\mu$ l

↓  
Ligate at 16°C / 30 min  
Heat kill 80°C / 20 min

↓  
Transform with 1-2  $\mu$ l of product

React  
Part

Digested backbone = 2  $\mu$ l  
Part = 2  $\mu$ l

T4 DNA ligase buffer = 1  $\mu$ l

T4 DNA ligase = 0.5  $\mu$ l

Water = 4.5  $\mu$ l

10  $\mu$ l

Control

2  $\mu$ l

~~2  $\mu$ l~~

1  $\mu$ l

0.5  $\mu$ l

6.5  $\mu$ l

10  $\mu$ l

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TRANSFORMATION:

Took 50  $\mu$ l of comp. cells in <sup>two</sup> ~~one~~ eppi

↓  
Added 1  $\mu$ l of the construct ~~and~~ mixed well  
& Control

↓  
30 min ice incubation

↓  
45 sec at 42°C waterbath

↓  
5 min ice incubation

↓  
Added 200µl of LB

↓  
2½ hours at 37°C, 220 rpm

↓  
Plating on Cam plates (LA)

18 hrs incubation at 37°C, 220 rpm



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0.0 - ~~0.137~~ 0.137

Comp. cell Preparation



Transfer to 50ml falcon on ice



Centrifuge at 3000 rcf at 4°C for  
10 mins

Resuspend in 2ml CCMB80

↓  
 OD measurement

↓  
 Sample 950  $\mu$ l SOB + 50  $\mu$ l cells  
 Blank 950  $\mu$ l SOB + 50  $\mu$ l CCMB80

↓  
 OD of suspension =  $\frac{0.039}{20} \times 20$   
 = 0.78

↓  
 Dilute the cell suspension to a  
 final OD of 1-1.5

↓  
 Centrifuged at 3000 rcf, 4°C, 10min  
 removed supernatant and  
 diluted in 1ml of  
 CCMB80

Final OD -  $0.78 \times 2$   
 = 1.54

↓  
 Aliquot 50  $\mu$ l of the cells into eppi

↓  
 20 mins ice incubation

↓  
 Store in -80°C



# TRANSFORMATION 9/8/17

Took 50  $\mu$ l of competent cells



Added 1  $\mu$ l of 100 ng/ $\mu$ l of RFP plasmid  
(Comp. test kit)



Ice incubation for 30 mins



Heat shock - 42°C - 60secs



Ice incubation for 5 mins



Added 200  $\mu$ l of LB



Incubation at 37°C, 220 rpm, 2 hours



Plated the pellet in LB-ram plates

# T7 BACTERIOPHAGE EXPERIMENTS

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## Serial dilution and concentration estimation of T7 lytic phage

Clean the working area with EtOH



Wear gloves and other protective equipments



Keep the flame of the burner on near working area

(work within 8cm of the flame)



Dilution of the stock is as follows

$10^{-1}$ ,  $10^{-2}$ ,  $10^{-3}$ ,  $10^{-4}$ ,  $10^{-5}$

Measure out 900  $\mu$ l milli-Q water

use  $MgSO_4$  in labelled eppi

( $1-10^{-1}$ ,  $2-10^{-2}$ ,  $3-10^{-3}$ ,  $4-10^{-4}$ ,  $5-10^{-5}$ )



Pipette out 100  $\mu$ l phage lysate into eppi

↓ mix well

Pipette out 100  $\mu$ l from eppi 1 to 2

↓ mix well

Pipette out 100  $\mu$ l from eppi 2 to 3

↓ mix well

Repeat dilutions till 5



Grow E. coli till an 0.0 0.3-0.7 (expo phase)

Add 200  $\mu$ l of cell culture



Add 100  $\mu$ l of different phage dilutions

(make 2 replicates for each dilutions)

vortex ↓ wait for 4-11 min @ 55°C

Mix and pour on LB plate and spread uniformly.



Incubate overnight @ 37°C



Count the number of plaque

Dilution	# of plaque
$10^{-2}$	uncountable
$10^{-3}$	uncountable
$10^{-4}$	360, 200

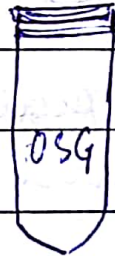
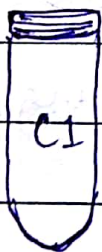
$$Pfu_c = \frac{\# \text{ plaque}}{\text{dilution} \times \text{volume}}$$

$$= \frac{360}{10^4 \times 0.1}$$

$$= 3.6 \times 10^7$$

$$Pfu_c = \frac{200}{10^4 \times 0.1} = 2 \times 10^7$$

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HOST DYNAMICS AND PHAGE KINETICSgrow *E. coli* to an  $O.D = 0.2$ Inoculate 9ml LB with 1ml of  
 $O.D = 0.2$  culture

Label the eppis as shown

Measure  $O.D$  of *C1* and *OSG* every  
15 mins.

Calculate vol. of phage for  $MOI = 0.0001$

$$V_{\text{phage}} = \frac{0.0001 \times 0.2 \times 10 \times 4.5 \times 10^8}{2.8 \times 10^6}$$
$$\approx 240 \mu\text{l}$$

Add 240  $\mu\text{l}$  phage lysate to C2 and OSG

↓ Store OSG in ice

Transfer C2 to incubator and check OD every 15 mins.

Centrifuge OSG tube @ 10000 rpm for 10 mins at 4°C

↓ Discard supernatant

Dissolve the pellet in 10ml 0.1M  $\text{MgSO}_4$  solution

↓  
Centrifuge @ 10000 rpm 4°C 10 min

↓ Discard supernatant

Dissolve the pellet in 10ml 0.1M  $\text{MgSO}_4$

Centrifuge @ 10000 rpm 4°C 10 mins

Dissolve pellet in 10ml LB and  
immediately transfer to 90ml LB

Total volume = 100ml



Incubate @ 37°C in water bath



Take samples every 5 mins  
starting @  $t=0$  till  $t=45$  mins



Time (t)	0	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
(i)	$10^{-2}$	$10^{-2}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$
(ii)	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-5}$	$10^{-5}$	$10^{-5}$	$10^{-6}$	$10^{-6}$
(iii)	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-5}$	$10^{-5}$	$10^{-5}$	$10^{-6}$	$10^{-6}$	$10^{-6}$	$10^{-7}$	$10^{-7}$



Count plaques on each plate  
and back calculate  
phage concentration

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## TROUBLESHOOT FOR 3A Assembly

### Gel preparation 100ml Agarose gel

(i) 1g of Agarose

(ii) 100ml TAE → cook for 2mins in microwave

(iii) Few drops of EtBr

Casted on a tray and put a comb  
Gel running.

Remove the comb

↓  
Put the gel tray on gel electrophoresis machine

↓  
2  $\mu$ l of ~~DNA ladder~~ reconstituted DNA was added to the 1st well

↓  
3 drops of loading dye were added to (1  $\mu$ l each) parafilm strip

↓  
3  $\mu$ l of hybrid promoter construct  
3  $\mu$ l of RBS + Amie CP construct  
4  $\mu$ l of RBS + CS Blue construct  
were mixed with loading dye and added to well 2, 3, 4 respectively.

↓  
It was run at 80V for 1 hour

Hybrid PromotRESULT-

Did not find a band in the image -

REPEAT - Plasmid construct eDigestion

PSBIC3 backbone

conc = 25ng/ $\mu$ L25ng backbone = 1 $\mu$ LMastermix = 4 $\mu$ LdH<sub>2</sub>O = 3 $\mu$ L8 $\mu$ L

Pare (Hybrid Promot)

conc = 25ng/ $\mu$ LPare = 1 $\mu$ LMastermix = 4 $\mu$ LdH<sub>2</sub>O = 3 $\mu$ L8 $\mu$ L

Digest at 37°C for 30mins

Heat kill at 80°C for 20mins

Preparation of enzyme mastermixPSBIC3 backbone (2~~run~~)10 $\mu$ LNEB Buffer 3.1 - 2 $\mu$ LEcoRI-HF - 0.2 $\mu$ LPst I - 0.2 $\mu$ LDpn I - 0.2 $\mu$ LdH<sub>2</sub>O - 7.4 $\mu$ L10 $\mu$ L



ECOR1 - HF

0.2  $\mu$ l

Pst 1

0.2  $\mu$ l

dH<sub>2</sub>O

7.6  $\mu$ l

10  $\mu$ l

To check the digested product

Gel Preparation (50ml)

0.5g Agarose

50ml TAE

Heat for 2 mins in oven

Few drops of EtBr

Casted the gel on a tray and put the comb

After it got solidified, took out the comb

Put the tray on gel electrophoresis machine

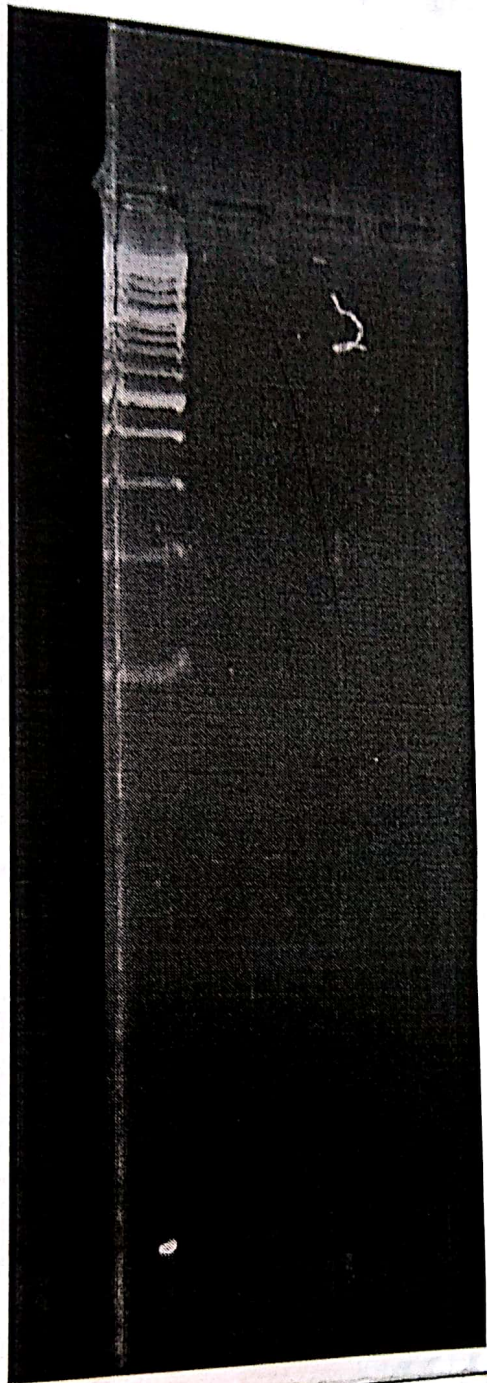
~~Run at 110V for 40 mins~~

3 wells were loaded with

(i) Reconstituted <sup>2log</sup> DNA ladder - 2  $\mu$ l

(ii) 4  $\mu$ l (3+1) of PSB13 digested backbone

(iii) 4  $\mu$ l (3+1) of hybrid promoter



~~1/2/20~~  
~~1/2/20~~  
1/2/20  
1/2/20  
1/2/20

Usually RF cloning has two PCR ~~cycles~~ reactions  
 Since we have a megaprimer, we will  
 start with secondary reaction.

Ratio of insert to plasmid:

A molar insert : plasmid ratio  $\geq 20$

Conc. of hybrid promoter (insert) :  $39.4 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{l}$   
 Conc. of the plasmid (Amp<sup>r</sup>CP gene in pSB1C3) :  $62.6 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{l}$

Molar mass of hybrid promoter =  $50.4 \times 10^3 \text{ g/mole}$   
 Molar mass of Amp<sup>r</sup>CP plasmid =  $8.43 \times 10^5 \text{ g/mole}$

If we take 100ng of the plasmid

Amount of plasmid =  $0.798 \mu\text{l} \approx 0.8 \mu\text{l}$

$$\text{Moles of plasmid} = \frac{100 \times 10^{-9}}{8.43 \times 10^5}$$

$$\frac{0.8 \times 10^{-6}}{1000}$$

$$= \frac{100 \times 10^{-9}}{8.43 \times 10^5} \times \frac{1000}{0.8 \times 10^{-6}}$$

$$= \frac{0.741 \times 10^{-5} \text{ g/mole}}{11.86}$$

$$= 6.24 \times 10^{-14} \text{ moles}$$

Moles of insert =  $11.86 \times 10^{-14}$  g / moles of insert  
 We need  $20 \times 0.741 \times 10^5$

$20 \times 0.741 \times 10^5 = 1482000$   
 $20 \times 11.86 \times 10^{-14} = 237.24 \times 10^{-14}$   
 Moles of insert =  $118.6 \times 10^{-14}$

Mass of weight of insert =  $237.24 \times 10^{-14} \times 50.4 \times 10^3$   
 $= 119.57$   
 $= 59.77$  ng  
 $\approx 60$  ng  $\approx 120$  ng

Amount of insert (in  $\mu$ ) =  $120$  ng  
 $40$  ng/ $\mu$   
 $= 3$   $\mu$

PCR Mix (20 $\mu$ )

Test	Test	Control
Plasmid : (62.6 ng/ $\mu$ )	1.6 <del>0.008</del> $\mu$	<del>0.008</del> 1.6 $\mu$
Mega primers:	3 <del>1.5</del> $\mu$	mini Q (3 <del>1.5</del> $\mu$ )
PCR Buffer :	4 $\mu$	4 $\mu$
(5 $\times$ ) 10mM dNTP	0.4 $\mu$	0.4 $\mu$
Easy mix:	0.2 $\mu$	0.2 $\mu$
Phusion: (2U/ $\mu$ )	10.8 $\mu$	10.8 $\mu$
Mini Q :	20 $\mu$	20 $\mu$

↓  
Mix all components well.

2-step thermal cycler conditions

Denature @ 98°C for 30secs - 1X

↓  
Denature @ 98°C for 8secs } ~~100~~  
↓ } 15X

Extension @ 72°C 30sec/kb

plasmid around ~ 2.0kb

@ 70secs 60secs

↓  
Final extension @ 72°C for 5mins - 1X

↓  
Add 20 units of DpnI to the reaction mixture

↓  
Incubate for 2hrs at 37°C

↓  
Heat kill @ 80°C for 20 mins

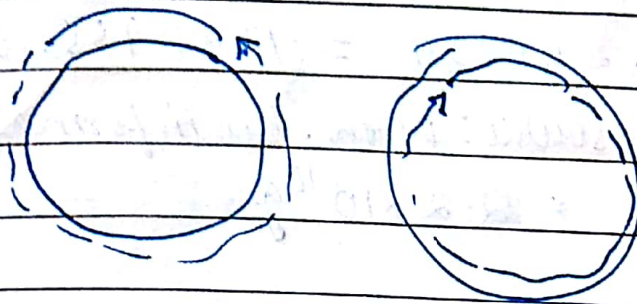
↓  
Transform into ultra-comp cells

Size of insert - 163

Size of parent plasmid - 2740

Size of PSBIC3 backbone - 2070

Size of desired plasmid - 2233



AmilCP gene in the parent plasmid is much bigger than the insert.

Thus, the insert would not loop like it should. It would be in strain ~~insert~~ instead.

So we'll use a backbone with a small insert like RBS or promoter

We are going to run 2 PCR reactions

One with template plasmid: BBA-B0034

RBS + PSBIA3

Size of RBS - 12bp

Total size of plasmid - 2167bp

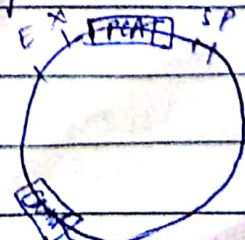


Other with template plasmid: BBA-I14033

Promoter + PSBIC3

Size of Promoter - 38bp

Total size of plasmid - 2108bp



Approx. MW of nucleic acids

$$\text{MW of dsDNA} = (\# \text{ nucleotides} \times 607.4) + 157.4$$

(Source: ThermoFischer Scientific)

$$\text{MW of BBA-B0034} = 1316393.7 \text{ Da}$$

$$\text{MW of BBA-B0034} = 1338955.5 \text{ Da}$$

(Source: www.bioinformatics.org)

$$= 2.2 \times 10^{-18} \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Molar mass} = 2.2 \times 10^{-18} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ g/mol}$$

$$= 13.24 \times 10^5 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$\text{MW of BBA-I4033} = 1280557.1 \text{ Da}$$

(Approx. by formula)

By calculator

$$= 1302479.30 \text{ Da}$$

$$= 2.16 \times 10^{-18} \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Molar mass} = 2.16 \times 10^{-18} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ g/mol}$$

$$= 13 \times 10^5 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$\text{MW of Hyd. Promoter} = 99164.1 \text{ Da}$$

(Approx)

$$\text{MW (calculator)} = 100739.47 \text{ Da}$$

$$= 1.67 \times 10^{-19} \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Molar mass} = 1.67 \times 10^{-19} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}$$

$$= 10.06 \times 10^4 \text{ g/mol}$$

Amount  
 Conc:  
 Volume  
 Moles  
 Moles of Hyd pr  
 for  
 wt. of pro  
 Conc. of  
 Vol.  
 Plasmid  
 Insert  
 Buffer (10x)  
 Pfx Platinum  
 polymerase  
 10mM dNTP  
 50mM MgS  
 MilliQ

7.9

Conc. of RBS plasmid = 50.1 ng/μL  
 Conc. of pcat plasmid = 47.8 ng/μL

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RBS

Amount taken: 100 ng  
 Conc: 50.1 ng/μL  
 Volume: 2 μL  
 Moles:  $\frac{100 \times 10^{-9}}{13.24 \times 10^5}$   
 =  $7.55 \times 10^{-14}$

PCAT promoter  
 100 ng  
 47.8 ng/μL  
 2 μL  
 $\frac{100 \times 10^{-9}}{10 \times 10^4} = 1.54 \times 10^{-13}$

Moles of Hyd promoter:  $20 \times 7.55 \times 10^{-14}$   
 for 20:1 ratio =  $1.51 \times 10^{-13}$

Moles of Hybrid promoter:  $20 \times 1.54 \times 10^{-13}$   
 =  $1.54 \times 10^{-13}$

Wt. of promoter = 151 ng

Wt. of promoter: 155 ng

Conc. of promoter = 40 ng/μL

40 ng/μL

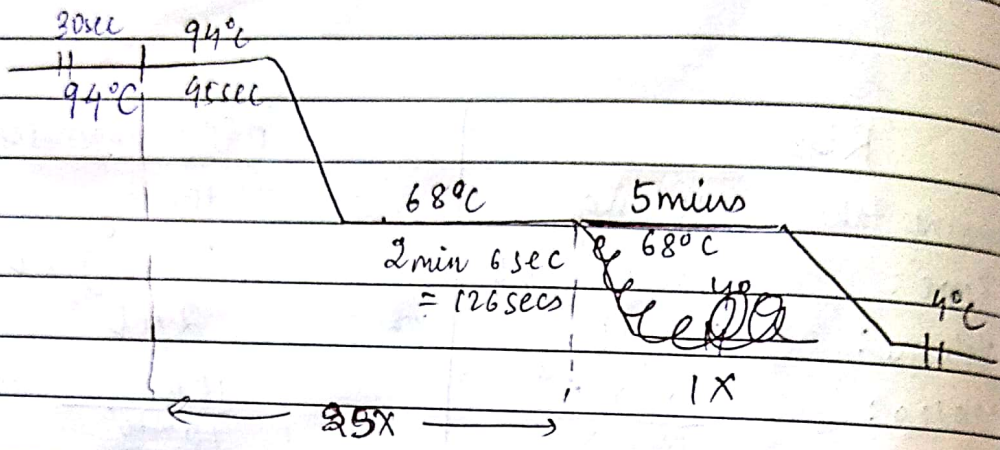
Vol. of promoter = 4 μL

4 μL

PCR Mix (50 μL)	RBS	PCAT	Control
Plasmid	2 μL	2 μL	-
Insert	4 μL	4 μL	5 μL
Buffer (10x)	5 μL	5 μL	1 μL
Pfx Platinum polymerase	1 μL	1 μL	1.5 μL
10mM dNTP mix	1.5 μL	1.5 μL	1 μL
50mM MgSO4	1 μL	1 μL	57.5 μL
MiliQ	35.5 μL	25.5 μL	



2-Step PCR  $T_m = 72^\circ C$



↓  
 20 units of Dpn I (stock 20000 U/ml) (1ml)  
 ↓  
 2 hrs 37°C  
 ↓  
 80°C / 20 min inactivation

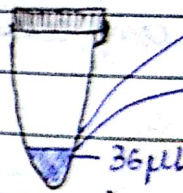
Mastermix for 20 µl reactions (x 2)

10X Pfx Buffer	-	4 µl
10mM dNTP	-	1.2 µl
50 mM MgSO <sub>4</sub>	-	0.8 µl
Megaprimer	-	8 µl
Template Pfx Polymerase	-	1.6 µl
Milli Q water	-	20.4 µl
		<hr/>
		36 µl

Reaction

- 10X Pfx Buffer
- 10mM dNTP
- 50mM MgSO<sub>4</sub>
- Megaprimer
- Template DNA
- Pfx polymerase
- Distilled

We add



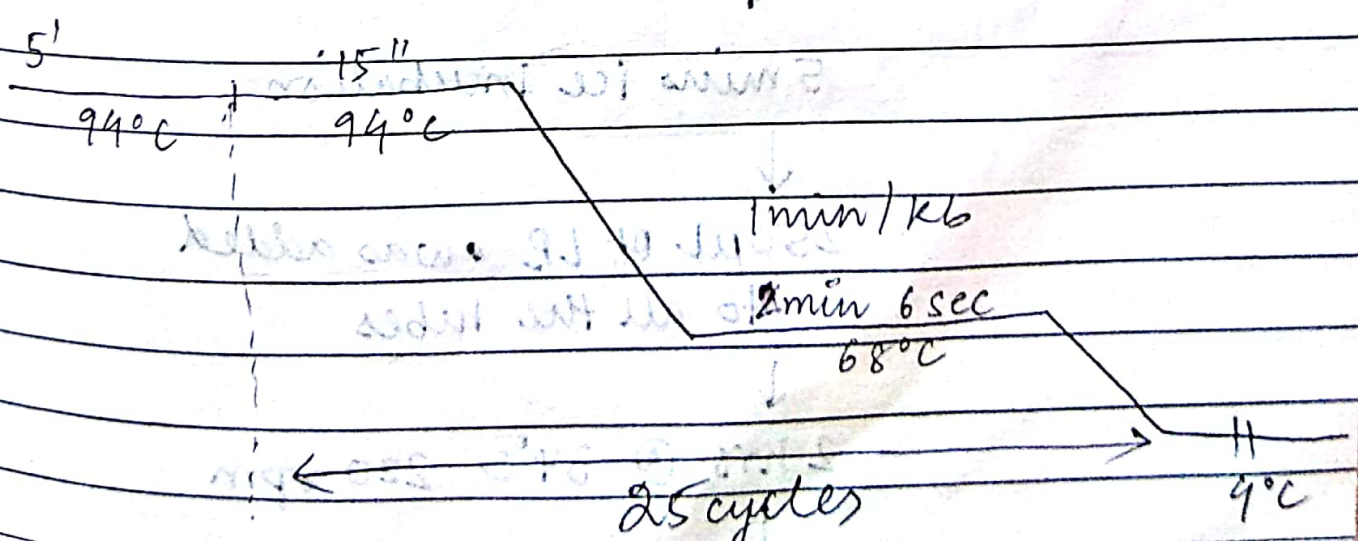
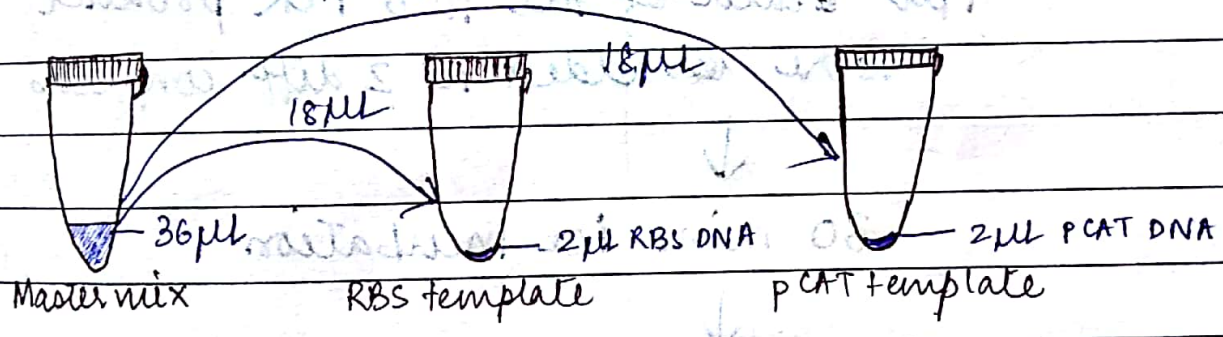
Master mix

5' 94°C

# Reactions

	pCAT	RBS	Final conc
10x Pfx Buffer	1 $\mu$ l	1 $\mu$ l	1x
10mM dNTP	0.3 $\mu$ l	0.3 $\mu$ l	0.3 mM
50mM MgSO <sub>4</sub>	0.2 $\mu$ l	0.2 $\mu$ l	1 mM
Megaprimer	4 $\mu$ l	4 $\mu$ l	
Template DNA	2 $\mu$ l	2 $\mu$ l	
Pfx polymerase	0.4 $\mu$ l	0.4 $\mu$ l	1 U
Distilled water	2.1 $\mu$ l	2.1 $\mu$ l	

We added 18  $\mu$ l of the mastermix to 2  $\mu$ l each of RBS template DNA and pCAT promoter template DNA.



↓  
2 hrs at 37°C

↓  
80°C / 20 min heat,  
inactivation

↓  
Transformation

4 comp cells stock were ~~brought~~<sup>taken</sup>

↓ (2 MG1655)  
(2 DH5α)

1 μl each of the two PCR product  
were ~~was~~ added to 2 diff. comp cells

↓  
30 mins ice incubation

↓  
1 min @ 42°C water bath

↓  
5 mins ice incubation

↓  
250 μl of LB • was added  
to all the tubes

↓  
2 hrs @ 37°C 220 rpm

↓  
Remove 200µl of LB

↓  
Resuspend pellet in the remaining LB

↓  
Plate the held amount in respective antibiotic plates (LA)

RBS template - Amp plate

PCAT template - Cam plate

Result -

No. of colonies

RBS - 3 (CM41655)

PCAT - 3 (DH5α)

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## Antibiotic Stock Preparation

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(1) Ampicillin  
Stock : 100 mg/ml in 50% ethanol  
Working : 100 µg/ml  
Colour code : ORANGE  
Line code : I

(2) Chloramphenicol  
Stock : 35 mg/ml in 100% ethanol  
Working : 35 µg/ml  
Colour code : GREEN  
Line code : II

(3) Kanamycin  
Stock : 35 mg/ml in distilled water  
Working : 35 µg/ml  
Colour code : Red  
Line code : III

(4) Tetracycline  
Stock : 15 mg/ml in 50% ethanol  
Working : 15 µg/ml  
Colour code : Yellow  
Line code : IIII

NOTE: light sensitive, wrap with Aluminium

Amount of distilled water = 5 ml

Stock (1 ml x 10) Tubes wrapped with Alu foil

Amount of Tetracycline powder = 150 mg (15 x 10)

Amount of 100% ethanol = 5 ml

Amount of distilled water = 5 ml

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### Preparation of SOB (250 ml)

LB powder - 26.25 g

2.5 mM of KCl - 0.0466 g

20 mM of MgSO<sub>4</sub> = ~~1.232 g~~  
1.232 g

$$\frac{20 \times 10^3 \times 250 \times 246.5}{1000}$$

### CCMB80 buffer (100 ml)

① 10 mM KOAc M.W = 98.15 g/mol

$$\frac{10 \times 10^{-3} \times 200 \times 100}{1000} \times 98.15$$

$$= 0.098 \text{ g}$$

② 80 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub> · 2H<sub>2</sub>O M.W = 147 g/mol

$$\frac{80 \times 10^{-3} \times 100}{1000} \times 147 = 1.17 \text{ g}$$

(3) 20mM  $MnCl_2 \cdot H_2O$  MW = 197.91g/mol  

$$= \frac{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000}{1000} \times 197.91 = 0.395g$$

(4) 10mM  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$  M.W = 203.31g/mol  

$$\frac{10 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000}{1000} \times 203.31 = 0.203g$$

(5) 10% v/v glycerol  

$$\frac{100 \times 10}{100} = 10ml$$

Adjust pH to 6.5

Filter sterilize and store at 4°C

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Inoculation of SOB (100ml) with 1ml of M9165I seed stock for comp. cell preparations

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Transformation of the PCR product (Hydprn) did not work.

No transformants.

The competent cells were not competent.

# Inoculation

Take 2 15ml falcon x 2

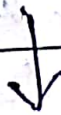
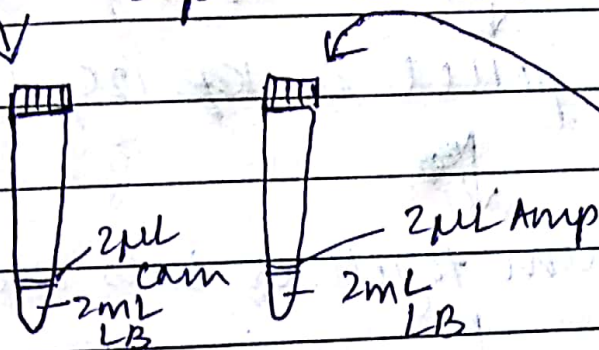


Pour 2ml LB in each



Put 2µl Ampicillin in one  
and

2µl ~~can~~ chloramphenicol in other



⊗ vortex the two falcons



Pick a colony from  
pcAT temp plate  
and inoculate  
with a 2µl tip



Pick a colony from  
RBS temp plate  
with 2µl tip  
inoculate



↓  
 Incubate @ 37°C  
 with 220 rpm  
 for 18 hours

### Plasmid Extraction

Pipette 1ml culture into 1.5ml eppendorf x 2

↓  
 Centrifuge at 8000rpm (6800rcf) for  
 3 mins at 25°C

↓ → Discard supernatant  
 Resuspend pellet in 125µl P1 buffer

↓  
 Pool them together into one tube

↓  
 Add 250µl P2 buffer and mix well  
 by inverting the tubes 4-6 times  
 (Not more than 5 mins) No vortex

↓  
 Add 350µl N3 buffer & mix by  
 inverting the tubes 4-6 times

↓  
 Centrifuge @ 13000 rpm (17900rcf) at  
 25°C for 10 mins

↓ → Discard pellet

Pipette 100µl supernatant into QIAprep  
 column & centrifuge @ 13000rpm/60sec

Wash QIA prep spin column by adding  
0.5 ml buffer PB and centrifuge  
for 30-60 secs.

Discard the flow through

↓  
Centrifuge at 13000 rpm for 60 secs

↓ ↘ Discard flow through

Add 750  $\mu$ l PE buffer & centrifuge 13000 rpm  
for 1 min

↓  
Centrifuge / 13000 rpm / 60 secs

↓ ↘ Discard flow through

Centrifuge / 13500 rpm / 60 secs

↓  
Transfer column in 1.5 ml eppy

↓  
Add 50  $\mu$ l buffer EB at the  
center of each column

↓  
Stand for 5 min @ 37°C

## Nanodrop measurement

Yield

93.6 ng/ $\mu$ l - Hyb-pr-Amp

$$260/280 = 2.01$$

81.4 ng/ $\mu$ l - Hyb-pr-cam

$$260/280 = 1.98$$

## Media Preparation

LA (200ml)

~~100~~ LB Powder - 5g

Agar - 3g

Distilled water - upto 200ml

For 100ml

LB powder - 2.5g

Agar - 1.5g

Water - upto 100ml

Antibiotic stock (Kanamycin) - 50mg/ml

Amount of Kanamycin - 250mg

Amount of MilliQ water - 5ml

- Filter sterilized with 0.2 $\mu$ m filter
- Aliquoted in 5 epp microcentrifuge tubes

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# 1.5% Gel Preparation

Take 0.75g Agarose ~~was taken~~



Add 50 ml 1X TAE



Heat



Add E+BV



Pour on the tray

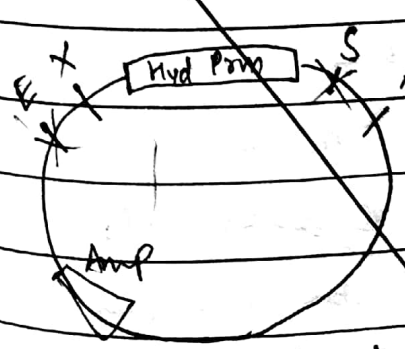


Put the comb

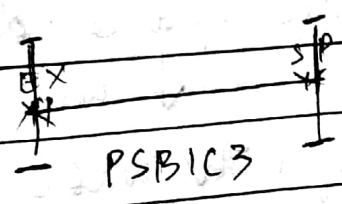
## 3A Assembly

### Characterisation of Hybrid Promoter

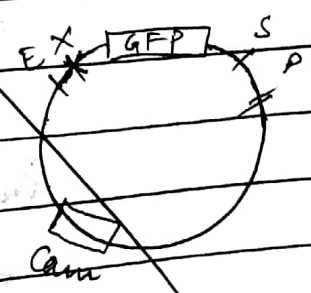
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PCR Product

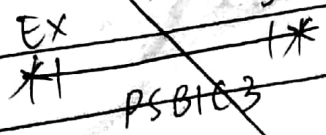
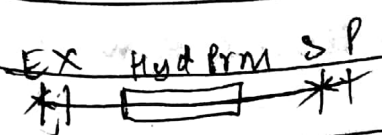


E-P

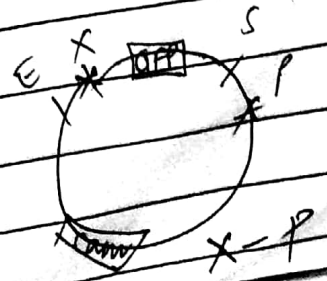


E-S

②



E-P



X-P

~~NEB Buffer~~

<del>EcoRI</del>	<del>0.2 <math>\mu</math>l</del>
<del>PstI</del>	<del>0.2 <math>\mu</math>l</del>
<del>DpnI</del>	<del>0.2 <math>\mu</math>l</del>
<del>dH<sub>2</sub>O</del>	<del>7.4 <math>\mu</math>l</del>

Enzyme master mix for promoter

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~~NEB Buffer~~

TRANSFORMATION OF RBS (BBA-B0030) ~~into~~

RBS - BBA-B0030 into <sup>MG1655</sup> comp cells

Kit Plate-4, 4G

Resuspend the dry DNA with ~~100~~ 10  $\mu$ l <sup>alotomed</sup> milliQ water



Pipette up and down

↓ wait for 5 mins

Transfer the whole amount into 600  $\mu$ l eppy tube and label



Take 1  $\mu$ l of it and pipette in another eppy



Take 50  $\mu$ l of comp cells and mix well

↓  
Heat shock @ 42°C, 1min

↓  
Ice incubation - 5mins

↓  
Add 250  $\mu$ L LB and ~~water~~  
incubate @ 37°C for 2hrs

↓  
Plate on Cam plates (100  $\mu$ L)

Result:

No. of colonies: 1

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Gel running for PCR product (Hybrid Promoter)

Digestion

	Phyd Amp	Phyd Cam	RBS Elowitz	Phyd Cam	pCAT	
RE (Xba I)	1 $\mu$ l	1 $\mu$ l	1 $\mu$ l	1 $\mu$ l	1 $\mu$ l	
DNA (1 $\mu$ g)	10.6 $\mu$ l	20 $\mu$ l	12.2 $\mu$ l	2 $\mu$ l	2 $\mu$ l	
10X CutSmart NEB Buffer	5 $\mu$ l	5 $\mu$ l	5 $\mu$ l	5 $\mu$ l	5 $\mu$ l	
Total Reaction Volume	50 $\mu$ l	50 $\mu$ l	50 $\mu$ l	50 $\mu$ l	50 $\mu$ l	
Incubation time	1 hr	20 min	1 hr	20 min	1 hr	20 min
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
Incubation Temp	37°C	65°C	37°C	65°C	37°C	65°C

<u>Plasmid</u>	<u>Concentration</u>
Phyd Amp	93.6 ng/ $\mu$ l
RBS Elowitz	50.1 ng/ $\mu$ l
Phyd Cam	81.4 ng/ $\mu$ l
pCAT	47.8 ng/ $\mu$ l

$$\begin{aligned}
 93.6 \times 10^{-3} \mu\text{g} &\rightarrow 1 \mu\text{l} \\
 1 \mu\text{g} &\rightarrow \frac{1}{93.6} \times 10^3 \\
 &= 10.68 \mu\text{l}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 50.1 \times 10^{-3} \mu\text{g} &\rightarrow 1 \mu\text{l} \\
 1 \mu\text{g} &\rightarrow \frac{1}{50.1} \times 10^3 \\
 &= 20 \mu\text{l}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$81.4 \times 10^{-3} \mu\text{g} \rightarrow 1 \mu\text{L}$$

$$1 \mu\text{g} \rightarrow \frac{1}{81.4} \times 10^3$$

$$= 12.2 \mu\text{L}$$

$$47.8 \times 10^{-3} \mu\text{g} \rightarrow 1 \mu\text{L}$$

$$1 \mu\text{g} \rightarrow \frac{1}{47.8} \times 10^3$$

$$= 21 \mu\text{L}$$

Make 1.5% Agarose gel  
(0.75g Agarose in 50ml water)



Heat and dissolve



Add a drop of ETBR (~1μL)



Pour into the tray



Put the comb



Let it solidify



Remove comb,

Run gel in gel electrophoresis



80V, 1hr

↓

Image gel under UV

Result - No different betw<sup>n</sup> the size of  
different plasmids  
1.57. couldn't give good resolution.

2M NaCl 2.92g  
 Tris-HCl (2M) 10 mL 2.42g  
 pH = 7.9 (Use funny HCl to adjust pH)  
 MgCl<sub>2</sub> · 6H<sub>2</sub>O ~~10 mL~~ 3 mL 0.1604g  
 (1M) ~~2.42g~~ 2.02g  
 BSA (10000 µg/ml) - 4 mL  
 (10X)

NaCl - Mol. wt - 58.44 g/mol

$$\frac{x}{58.44} \times \frac{1000}{25} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2}{40} \times 58.44$$

$$= 2.92g$$

Tris-Base - Mol. wt = 121.14 g/mol

$$\frac{x}{121.14} \times \frac{1000}{10} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2}{100} \times 121.14$$

$$= 2.42g$$

MgCl<sub>2</sub> · 6H<sub>2</sub>O - Mol. wt = 203.3 g/mol

Inoculation of colonies in 2ml LB



Incubation for 15 hrs @ 37°C

220 rpm



Pipette 1ml culture into 1.5ml eppi x 2

1.

13000 rpm @ 25°C / 10 min  
↓  
Discard pellet  
↓  
Pipette 800 µl supernatant  
into RIA prep column & centrifuge  
@ 13000 rpm / 60 sec

↓  
Discard flow through  
Wash RIA prep spin column  
by adding 0.5 ml buffer PB and  
centrifuge for 30-60 sec

↓  
Discard flow through  
Centrifuge @ 13000 rpm for 60 sec

↓  
Discard flow through  
Transfer column in 1.5 ml eppy

↓  
Add 50 µl buffer EB at the  
centre of each column

↓  
Stand for 5 min @ 37°C

(But we did for 1 hr)  
↓  
Centrifuge @ 13000 rpm / 60 sec

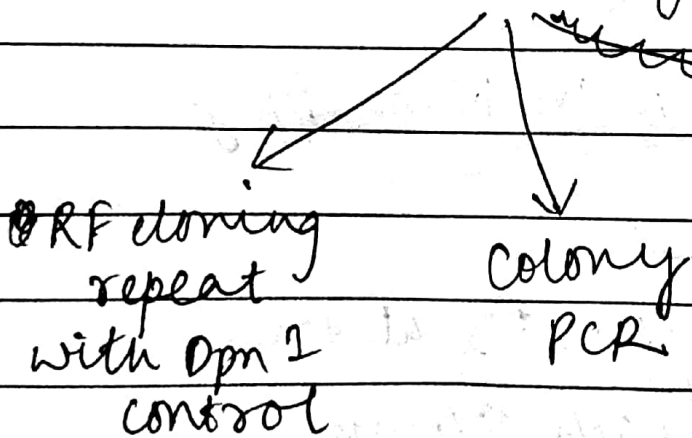
↓  
Store at -20°C

RBS Elowitz (50µl)	66.6	7.94	2.05
pCAT (50µl)	63.7 <del>47.8</del>	1.83	1.2 <del>2.00</del>
Hyd-Pr-Amp (25µl)	<del>7.29</del>	<del>1.71</del> 1.67	0.76 <del>0.90</del>
Hyd-Pr-Cam (25µl)	112.8	1.9	1.81
RBS-Anti (C0030)(50µl)	73.8	1.76	0.95

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Plans

- Miniprep Hyd-Pr-Amp
- Transform PCR product again
- Miniprep multiple colonies from the same
- Digest with double digestion Hyd-Pr-Amp, Cam;

RBS Et., pCAT  
Run on 2% gel



NEB buffer 3:1 (1x)

- 100mM NaCl
- 50mM Tris-HCl
- 10mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>
- 100 µg/ml BSA

NEB buffer 2:1 (1x)

- 50mM NaCl
- 10mM Tris-HCl
- 10mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>
- 100 µg/ml BSA

pH for both buffers are 7.9 @ 25°C

Enzyme Efficiency Table

Enzyme	Buffer 2:1	Buffer 3:1
EcoRI	100*	50
XbaI	100	75
SpeI	100	25
Pst I	75	100

Buffer conversion (2:1 → 3:1)

$$\text{NaCl: } \frac{50\text{mM} \times 2 + x\text{mM} \times 1}{20} = \frac{100\text{mM} \times 2}{20}$$

$$x = 100\text{mM NaCl for 1x}$$

$$\text{Tris HCl: } \frac{10\text{mM} \times 2 + y\text{mM} \times 1}{20} = \frac{50\text{mM} \times 2}{20}$$

Step-1

① Backbone digestion (10µl)

Enzyme mastermix

- (i) 2µl NEB buffer 3.1
- (ii) 0.2µl EcoRI
- (iii) 0.2µl Pst I
- (iv) 0.2µl Dpn I
- (v) 7.4µl dH<sub>2</sub>O

4µl of above mastermix

+

4µl of backbone (PSIT3)



Incubate 37°C / 30 mins - (Incubator)

Heat kill 80°C / 20 mins - (Thermomixer)

(Put the thermomixer at 80°C prior to the experiment)

Step-2

② Part A (RBS - BBA - B0030)

(i) Spe I digestion in Buffer 2.1

(a) 2µl NEB Buffer 2.1 (manually made in the lab)

(b) 0.2µl Spe I

4  $\mu$ l of master mix  
+

200ng of DNA (Conc. of miniprep  
RBS - 73.8 ng/ $\mu$ l)



(3  $\mu$ l of BBA-B0030)  
+  
1  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O

[ 73.8 x 3 = 221.4 ng ]

Incubate 37°C / 30 mins

Heat kill 80°C / 20 mins

Step-1 and Step-2(i) can happen at the same time.

Pipette all the components and incubate together.

(ii) ECORI digestion in buffer 2.1

(a) 8  $\mu$ l digested product

(b) 0.8  $\mu$ l Buffer 2.1

(c) 0.8  $\mu$ l Buffer converter

(d) 0.1  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O

(e) 0.2  $\mu$ l ECORI

15  $\mu$ l



Incubate 37°C / 30 mins

Heat kill 80°C / 20 mins



4  $\mu$ l master mix (2  $\mu$ l + 2  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O)



Incubate 37°C / 30min

Heat kill 80°C / 20min

This can also be done with step - 1

- (a) 2  $\mu$ l NEB buffer 3-1
- (b) 0.2  $\mu$ l XbaI
- (c) 0.2  $\mu$ l Pst I
- (d) 7.6  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O

100 ng of DNA (4  $\mu$ l) (GFP conc<sup>n</sup> - 120.3 ng/ $\mu$ g)  
+  
4  $\mu$ l master mix (2  $\mu$ l + 2  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O)



incubate 37°C / 30 min  
heat kill 80°C / 20 min

This can also be done with step-1

↓  
Filter sterilise and heat inactivate  
at 80°C

Aliquot into 1.2ml microcentrifuge tubes

Preparation of Buffer 2.1 (10X)

1X

50mM NaCl

10mM Tris-HCl

10mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>

100µg/ml BSA

} pH = 7.9

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Part A (6X) [ For Zakhya, & Jyothish and Aarti ]

(a) 6µL NEB Buffer 2.1 (manually made)

(b) 0.6µL SpeI

(c) 7.8 x 3 = 23.4 µL dH<sub>2</sub>O

Ligation Mastermix (13 react<sup>n</sup>)

T4 ligase buffer : 13µL

T4 ligase : 6.5µL

Milli Q H<sub>2</sub>O : 6.5µL

(all reagents from set of T4 ligase)

For 3A ligation :

4µL RBS + 2µL GFP + 2µL PSBIT3  
Digests

↓  
16°C overnight

↓  
80°C / 20mins

1ml of ligation product



50µl of M&B55 comp cells



30 min incubation for 30 mins



1 min heat shock at 42°C



5 min ice incubation



Incubated 37°C for 2 hours



Plated Tet plate

① -ve control

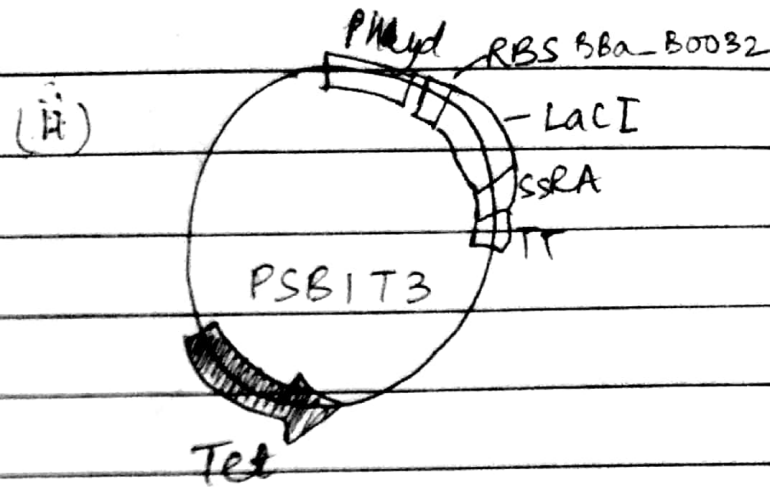
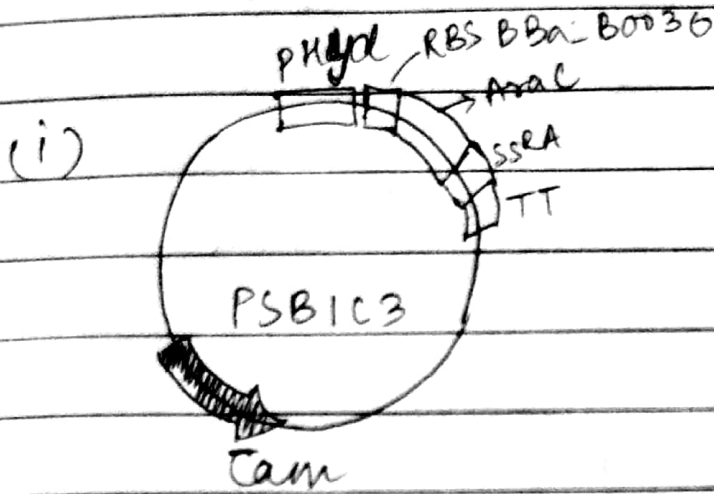
② ligation product



No colonies were found.

Constructs: (i) pHyd (g-block) + AraC (g-block)  
+ PSB1C3

(ii) pHyd (g-block) + LacI (g-block)  
+ PSB1T3



## Digestion

① Enzyme mastermix for plasmid backbone  
(100ng, 5 rxns) 25  $\mu$ l

(i) NEB Buffer 3.1	5 $\mu$ l
(ii) EcoRI	0.5 $\mu$ l
(iii) PstI	0.5 $\mu$ l
(iv) RpnI	0.5 $\mu$ l
(v) dH <sub>2</sub> O	18.5 $\mu$ l
	<hr/> 25 $\mu$ l

4  $\mu$ l of mastermix  
+ 4  $\mu$ l (100ng) of plasmid backbone  
(PSB1C3 and PSB1T3)



Incubate 37°C / 30 min  
Heat inactivate 80°C / 20 min

NEB Buffer 2.1 (From Lab)	2 $\mu$ l
SpeI	0.2 $\mu$ l
dH <sub>2</sub> O	7.8 $\mu$ l
	<hr/> 10 $\mu$ l

↓  
3  $\mu$ l of master mix  
+  
1  $\mu$ l of dH<sub>2</sub>O

+  
150 ng pHyd - 4  $\mu$ l



Incubate 37°C / 30min  
Heat inactivate 80°C / 20mins

Ⓟ (ii) EcoRI digestion

- (a) 8  $\mu$ l digested product
  - (b) 0.8  $\mu$ l Buffer 2.1
  - (c) 0.8  $\mu$ l Buffer converter
  - (d) 5.6  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O (Should have added 6  $\mu$ l)
  - (e) 0.8  $\mu$ l EcoRI (Should have added 0.2  $\mu$ l)  
By mistake added 0.8
- 16  $\mu$ l

Mastermix -

- (a) NEB Buffer 3.1 - 2µL
  - (b) XbaI - 0.2µL
  - (c) PstI - 0.2µL
  - (d) dH<sub>2</sub>O - 7.6µL
- 10µL

100ng DNA (4µL)

4µL mastermix



Incubate 37°C / 30min

Heat 80°C / 20min

Resuspension of gblocks

14131029  
IGEM IISER-PUNE-INDI IGEN 2  
224977598 08-Aug-2017  
gBlocks® Gene Fragments  
rbs-AraC-srrA-2xTer  
1000ng = 1510fmol dried

14131030  
IGEM IISER-PUNE-INDI IGEN 2  
224875834 08-Aug-2017  
gBlocks® Gene Fragments  
rbs-LacI-srrA-2xTer  
1000ng = 1262fmol dried

1000ng

↓  
added 40µL TE

↓  
Final conc<sup>n</sup> - 25ng/µL

1000ng

↓  
added 40µL TE

↓  
Final conc<sup>n</sup> - 25ng/µL

distilled water

100 ml

100 ml

20

# Digestion

1. 100 ml of distilled water is added to 100 ml of

10% solution of starch in water.

2. 10 ml of 1% iodine solution

is added to the mixture.

3. The mixture is kept in a water bath at 37°C for 10 minutes.

4. The mixture is cooled to room temperature.

5. The mixture is then tested for starch.

6. The mixture is found to be blue.

7. This shows that starch is present in the mixture.



Ligation Mastermix : 4  $\mu$ l  
T4 ligase buffer : 4  $\mu$ l  
T4 DNA ligase : 2  $\mu$ l  
dH<sub>2</sub>O : 2  $\mu$ l

3A ligation :

2  $\mu$ l Mastermix + 4  $\mu$ l Promoter +  
2  $\mu$ l gblock + 2  $\mu$ l backbone

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Gel electrophoresis of double digested  
product (14/9/17)

2% gel : 1g agarose + 50 ml TAE  
heat 1:30 mins

↓

Add ~ 1  $\mu$ l ETBr

↓

Pour gel & put comb

↓

Let it solidify

↓

Run in TAE buffer

Column 2 → Flowitz RBS 5  $\mu$ l + 1  $\mu$ l dye

Column 3 → pHyb Amp 5  $\mu$ l + 1  $\mu$ l dye

Column 4 → 2log ladder 2  $\mu$ l

Column 5 → pHyb CAM 5  $\mu$ l + 1  $\mu$ l dye

Column 6 → pCAT 5  $\mu$ l + 1  $\mu$ l dye

80V / 1 hr.

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### RESULT OF GEL -

Didn't see anything on any lane  
Can not think of a possible reason  
for this result.

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### Transformation of ligated product

Take 1 µl of ligated product

↓  
Add 50 µl of comp cells

↓  
30c incubation (30 mins)

↓  
Heat shock @ 42° / 0.1 mins

↓  
30c incubation 5 mins

↓  
Add 250 µl LB

↓  
Incubate @ 37°C / 2hrs

↓  
Plating

Arac-L - Cam

Lac I - Tet

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Result - No colonies were found

30/9/17

### TROUBLESHOOT -

Transformation of Arac product

↓  
No colonies

# Re-ligation

40  $\mu$ l of digested promoter

2  $\mu$ l of digest g block (AraC)

2  $\mu$ l of digested backbone

2  $\mu$ l of ligation master mix

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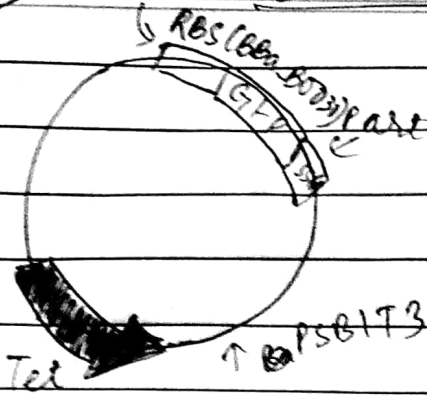
10  $\mu$ l

Result: No colonies

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# Part A 3A Assembly

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K139908  
~~(100000)~~

## (1) Backbone digestion (10µl) PSBIT3

- (i) ~~2000~~ 1µl NEB buffer 3.1
- (ii) 0.2µl EcoRI
- (iii) 0.2µl PstI
- (iv) 0.2µl DpnI
- (v) 4µl PSBIT3 (100ng)
- (vi) 4.4µl dH<sub>2</sub>O

## (2) Part A (RBS-BBa-B0030) - (10µl)

- (i) 1µl Cut Smart Buffer (NEB)
- (ii) 0.2µl EcoRI
- (ii) 0.2µl SpeI
- (iii) 2µl RBS (conc. 73.8ng/µl)
- (iv) 6.6µl dH<sub>2</sub>O

## (3) Part B (GFP with ssRA tag) BBa-K139908

- (i) 1µl NEB Buffer 2.1
- (ii) 0.2µl XbaI
- (iii) 0.2µl PstI
- (iv) 1µl GFP
- (v) dH<sub>2</sub>O

Mol

Source:

Rice

(1) GFP  
Mol

(2) RB  
Mol

(3) Bac  
Mol

Keep emulsifying at 37°C / 4 hours

Heat kill - 20 mins

## Ligation

Molar wt. of all constructs -

Thermofischer

Source: ~~Q&A~~

~~Rel. Q~~ Mol. wt. in daltons = (# nucleotides X  
607.4) + 157.4 Da

$$1 \text{ Da} = 1.67 \times 10^{-24} \text{ g}$$

$$A_0 = 6.023 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules/mol}$$

① GFP (<sup>bp</sup>2823)

$$\text{mol. mass} = 1724864.5 \text{ g/mol}$$

② RBS (<sup>bp</sup>2085)

$$\text{Mol. mass} = 1273984.5 \text{ g/mol}$$

③ Backbone (PSBIT3) - B# of b-p = 2461

$$\text{Molar mass} = 1503451.2 \text{ g/mol}$$

~~40x15000~~  $1 \text{ M} = 1503451.2$

$$\mu \text{ M} = 100 \times 10^{-9} \text{ g}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu \text{ M} = \frac{100 \times 10^{-9}}{1503451.2}$$

$$= 6.65 \times 10^{-14} \text{ M}$$

GFP

$$1M = 1724864.5g$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6.65 \times 10^{-14} \times 1724864.5g \\ = 1.14 \times 10^{-7}g \\ = 114ng \end{aligned}$$

1 $\mu$ l

RBS

$$1M = 1273984.5$$

$$6.65 \times 10^{-14} = ?$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6.65 \times 10^{-14} \times 1273984.5 \\ = 0.084 \times 10^{-9} \\ = 84ng \end{aligned}$$

### Ligation

- (i) 2  $\mu$ l ~~digested~~ digested backbone
- (ii) 2  $\mu$ l ~~digested~~ Part A digest
- (iii) 2  $\mu$ l Part B digest
- (iv) 1  $\mu$ l T4 DNA ligase buffer
- (v) 0.5  $\mu$ l T4 DNA ligase
- (vi) 2.5  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O

4/10/17 - Transformation 80°/20 mins

1µl ligated product without heat kill

↓  
Add 50µl comp cells

↓  
9°C incubation for 30 mins

↓  
Heat shock at 42°C / 1 min

↓  
9°C incubation / 5 mins

↓  
Add 250µl SOC

↓  
Incubate at 37°C / 2 hours

↓  
~~Plate~~ Centrifuge at 3000g / 5 mins

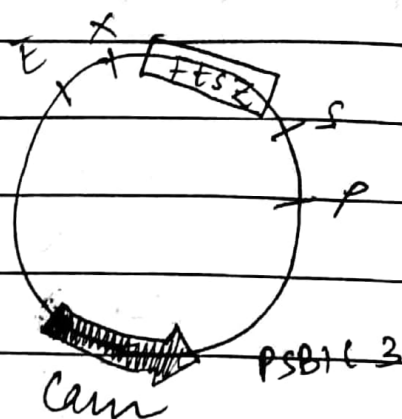
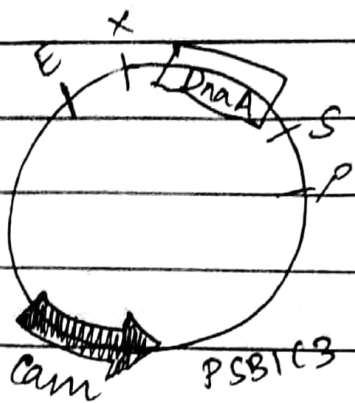
↓  
Resuspend in 100µl SOC

↓  
Plate on Tet plate

Result: No. of colonies: 44  
Neg. control No. of colonies = 0

FtsZ - 1197 bp

MW - 731462.8 g/mol



25 ng/μl

PSB103 - 2070 bp

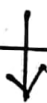
MW - 1264820.3 g/mol

### Digestion

#### Component

#### 10 μl reaction

DNA (DnaA & FtsZ) PSB103	4 μg (100 ng)
10X NEB Buffer 3.1	1 μl
EcoRI	0.2 μl
PstI	0.2 μl
dH <sub>2</sub> O	4.6 μl



37°C / 4 hours



80°C / 20 mins

DNA (PSB103)	4 μl
10X NEB Buffer 3.1	1 μl
EcoRI	0.2 μl
DNT	

→ 37°C / 4 hours



### Digestion

Add T4 DNA ligase at the end.

Component	40 μl Reaction
10X T4 DNA Ligase Buffer	1 μl
VECTOR DNA (DNAA) (PSB103)	2 μl
Insert DNA (DNAA)	4.2 μl
T4 DNA Ligase	0.5 μl
H <sub>2</sub> O	2.3 μl
	<u>10 μl</u>
10X T4 DNA Ligase Buffer	1 μl
VECTOR DNA ( <del>F157</del> ) (PSB103)	2 μl
Insert DNA ( <del>PSB103</del> ) (F152)	3.5 μl
T4 DNA Ligase	0.5 μl
H <sub>2</sub> O	3 μl
	<u>10 μl</u>

↓  
16°C / overnight

We want 20ng of vector DNA

100ng → 10 μl

20ng → 2 μl

$$1M - 1264820.3 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$20 \times 10^{-9} \text{ g}$$

$$20 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$1264820.3$$

$$= 1.58 \times 10^{-14} M$$

$$\text{Molarity of insert} = 3 \times 1.58 \times 10^{-14} M$$

$$= 4.74 \times 10^{-14} M$$

## DNA

$$1M = 895807.8 \text{ g} \\ n \text{ g} = 4.74 \times 10^{-14} M$$

$$895807.8 \times 4.74 \times 10^{-14}$$

$$= 42.4 \text{ ng}$$

$$\text{Vol. of DNA} = 4.24 \mu\text{L}$$

wt.

of FtsZ required

$$731462.8 \text{ g} = 1M$$

$$n = 4.74 \times 10^{-14} M$$

$$n = 3467133.6 \times 10^{-14} \text{ g}$$

$$= 34.6 \text{ ng}$$

$$\text{Vol. of FtsZ} = 3.5 \mu\text{L}$$

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## Transformation

2 Transformations directly after ligation  
(DNA and FtsZ) - Arani

Incubated in SOC for 4-5 hours  
at 37°C

3 Transformations after heat inactivation  
(DNA, FtsZ, control)

Incubated in SOC for 2 hours  
at 37°C

Plated on lam plates.

	No. of colonies
Result - FtsZ (Arani) -	60
DNA (Arani) -	0
Backbone control -	0

Miniprep of 6 colonies for the clones from  
 3A Assembly ( ~~CB~~ RBS CBBa.B0030 ) + GFP +  
 PSBIT3 ) <sup>SSRA</sup>

NanoDrop :

Colony	Concn (µg/mL)	260:280
Colony 1	96.5	1.92
Colony 2	116.7	1.91
Colony 3	109.3	1.83
Colony 4	78.1	1.93
* Colony 5	107.4	0.94
Colony 6	105	1.92

gel running for confirmation

- Make 1% agarose gel

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Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Well 4	Well 5	Well 6	Well 7
2 Log ladder	Colony 2	Colony 2	Colony 3	Colony 4	Colony 5	Colony 6
2 µl	5+5 µl	5+1 µl	5+1 µl	5+1 µl	5+1 µl	5+1 µl

7/10 The circular plasmid was cut with Pst I  
Digestion mixture (25 µl)

Pst I	-	1.2 µl
NIB Buffer 3-1	-	12 µl
dH <sub>2</sub> O	-	21.8 µl
	↓	25 µl
		25 µl of DNA

7/10

## Glycerol stock Preparation

Take 1ml of saturated SOB culture  
(in SOB)  
of each colony



Add 1ml of 80% glycerol  
(6ml 100% glycerol + 1.5ml dH<sub>2</sub>O)



Aliquot in 12 eppis (2 replicates  
for each colony)



Flash freeze in liq. N<sub>2</sub>



Store at -80°C

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## Inoculation for Miniprep (FtsZ + RB163)

Take 5 falcons (15ml)



Add 2ml SOB in each falcon



Add 2µl lam in each



Pick 5 colonies and inoculate in  
respective falcons

↓  
Incubate at 37°C / overnight  
220 rpm

↓  
Miniprep (drain)

Nanodrop measurements (EtsZ ligated product)

Colony	Concn (µg/mL)	
Colony 1	55.4	260/280 1.994
Colony 2	36.2	1.786
Colony 3	52.2	1.96
Colony 4	54.5	2.007
Colony 5	50.34	1.98

Troubleshoot (2A)

Transformation

1µl of DNA, Backbone, RFP plasmid into 600µl eppi

↓  
50µl comp cells

↓  
30 mins ice incubation

↓  
1 min heat shock (42°C)

↓  
5 mins ice incubation

↓  
Add 250µl SOC into all the eppi's

↓  
Incubation at 37°C / 220 rpm / 3 hours  
↓ plate on lam plates

Confirmation of the construct with Gel  
Digestion mixture (5 rxns) - F1s2 + P5B1C3  
(Single cut)

NEB Buffer 3.1 - 5  $\mu$ L  
Pst I - 0.5  $\mu$ L  
dH<sub>2</sub>O - 19.5  $\mu$ L

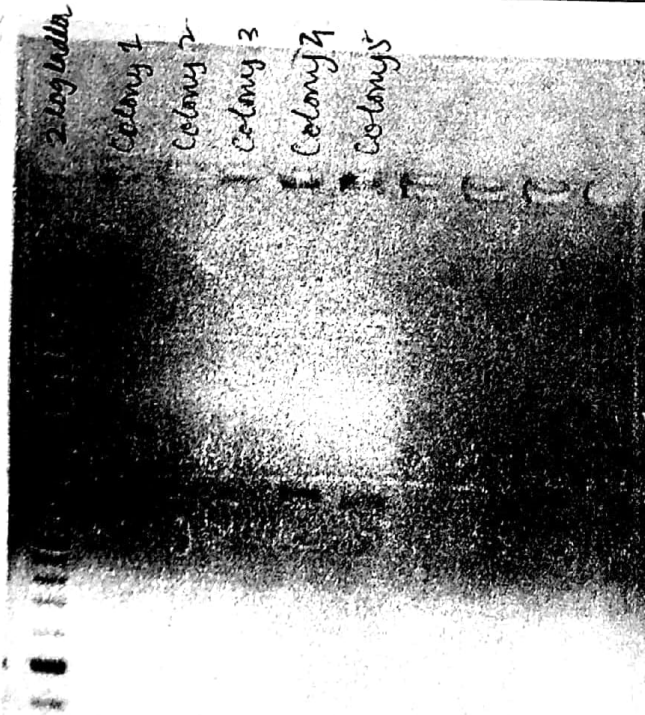


~~4~~ 4  $\mu$ L master mix

+

4  $\mu$ L DNA (Colony 1, Colony 2, ...  
Colonies)

The <sup>digested</sup> DNA were run on a 0.8% gel.



Size of P5B1C3 -

2070

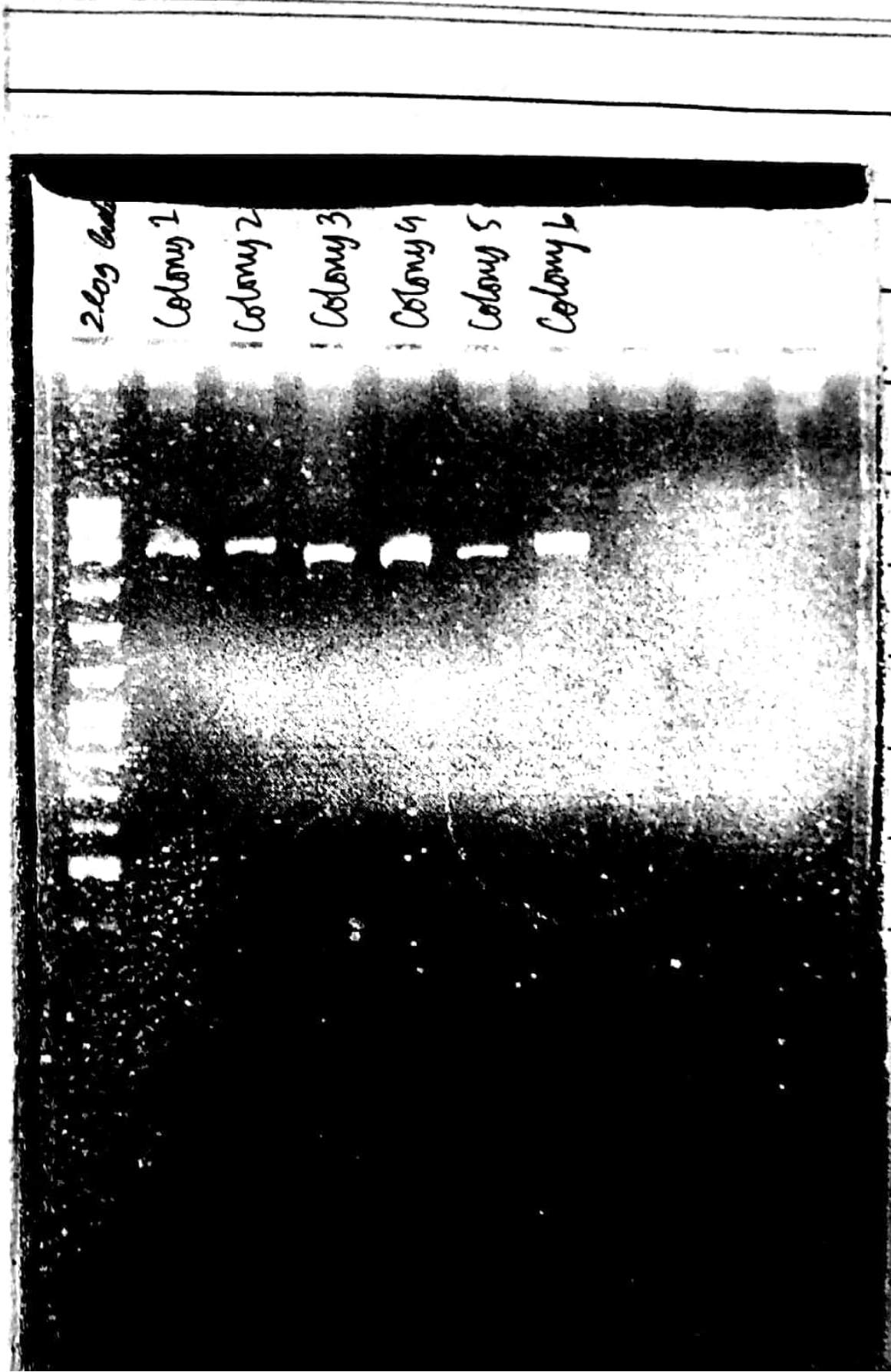
Size of P5F1S2 -

1197

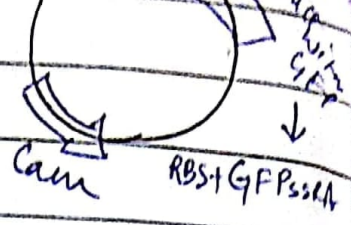
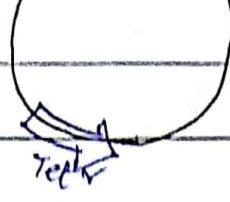
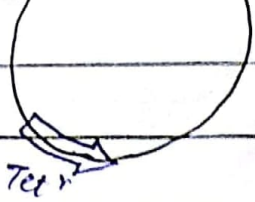
Gel image of st -

of 3A construct (RBS+GFP+PSBIT3)  
a 0.8%.

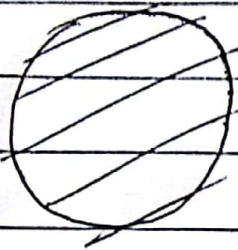
2-Log DNA Ladder  
visualized by  
ethidium bromide  
staining on a 1.0%  
TBE agarose gel.  
Mass values are for  
1 µg/lane.



Suggested Load:  
10 µl/gel lane



(10)



Digestion of Part A (P Hyd) Conc<sup>n</sup>: 393 ng/μl

- Phyd - 2 μl
- EcoRI - 0.2 μl
- SpeI - 0.2 μl
- 10x Cutsmart - 1 μl
- dH<sub>2</sub>O - 6.6 μl
- 10 μl

↓  
Digest at 37°C for 3 1/2 hours  
↓  
Heat inactivate @ 80°C for 20 mins

Part B

- LacI gblock - 25 ng/μl
- Arac gblock - 25 ng/μl
- RBS-GFPssRA (colony 1) - 96.5 ng/μl

Digestion react<sup>n</sup>

Part	LacI	Arac	RBS+GFP
	4 μl	4 μl	2 μl
XbaI	0.2 μl	0.2 μl	0.2 μl
Pst I	0.2 μl	0.2 μl	0.2 μl
B Buffer 3-1	1 μl	1 μl	1 μl
dH <sub>2</sub> O	4.6 μl	4.6 μl	6.6 μl
	<u>10 μl</u>	<u>10 μl</u>	<u>10 μl</u>



↓  
Digest at 37°C for 3 1/2 hours  
Heat inactivate at 80°C for <sup>20</sup> mins

Backbone Digest

conc<sup>n</sup> - 25ng/ $\mu$ L

	Tet <sup>r</sup>	Cam <sup>r</sup>
Part	4 $\mu$ L	4 $\mu$ L
EcoRI	0.2 $\mu$ L	0.2 $\mu$ L
Pst I	0.2 $\mu$ L	0.2 $\mu$ L
Dpn I	0.2 $\mu$ L	0.2 $\mu$ L
NEB Buffer 3.1	1 $\mu$ L	1 $\mu$ L
dH <sub>2</sub> O	4.4 $\mu$ L	4.4 $\mu$ L
	<u>10<math>\mu</math>L</u>	<u>10<math>\mu</math>L</u>

↓  
Digest @ 37°C for 3 1/2 hours  
(water bath)

↓  
Heat inactivate at 80°C for 20 mins  
(Thermomixer)

Ligation

It is done using 1:1 molar ratio of the backbone and parts.

<u>Part</u>	<u>Molar mass (g/mol)</u>	<u>BP</u>
PSBIT3	1503451.2	2461
PSBIC3	1264820.3	2070
pHyd (Pac/ara)	50.4 x 10 <sup>3</sup>	163
LacI gblock	78.4 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	1283
AraC gblock	1.5 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	1072

↓  
Digest at 37°C for 3½ hours  
Heat inactivate at 80°C for 20 mins

Backbone Digest

conc<sup>n</sup> - 25ng/μL

Part	Tet <sup>r</sup>	Cam <sup>r</sup>
EcoRI	4μL	4μL
Pst I	0.2μL	0.2μL
Dpn I	0.2μL	0.2μL
NEB Buffer 3.1	0.2μL	0.2μL
dH <sub>2</sub> O	1μL	1μL
	<u>4.4μL</u>	<u>4.4μL</u>
	10μL	10μL

↓  
Digest @ 37°C for 3½ hours  
(water bath)

↓  
Heat inactivate at 80°C for 20 mins  
(Thermomixer)

Ligation

It is done using 1:1 molar ratio of the backbone and parts.

Part	Molar mass (g/mol)	BP
PSBIT3	1503451.2	2461
PSBIC3	1264820.3	2070
pHyd (Plasmid)	$50.4 \times 10^3$	163

and  $1.58 \times 10^{-14}$  M of PSB1C3

### Ligation reactions

	LacI (Tel) (in $\mu$ L)	Ara C (Tel) (in $\mu$ L)	GFP 6.5 RA (Tel) (in $\mu$ L)
T4 ligase	0.5	0.5	0.5
10X Buffer (T4 ligase)	1	1	1
Vector digest	2	2	2
Paxt digest	1	1	0.4
P Hyd	0.2	0.2	0.2
dH <sub>2</sub> O	5.3	5.3	5.9
	10 $\mu$ L	10 $\mu$ L	10 $\mu$ L

↓  
↓ digate @ 16°C / overnight

↓  
Transformation

### Religation of DnaA

T4 ligase	0.5 $\mu$ L
T4 ligase Buffer (10X)	1 $\mu$ L
PSB1C3	2 $\mu$ L
DnaA	4.2 $\mu$ L
dH <sub>2</sub> O	2.3 $\mu$ L
	10 $\mu$ L

Transformed all the above ligated products along with FtsZ + PS1C3, Snehal's construct - ~~PEP~~ Hyd Promoter + GFP + PET15B (Amp),

(iii) ~~QOR~~ Hyd Promoter + RBS + GFP<sub>ss</sub>RA (Cam) - 2

(iv) FtsZ - 0

(v) DnaA - 0

(vi) Snehal (GFP) - 129

Troubleshoot:

Retransformation of AraC, LacI, FtsZ & DnaA constructs.

~~It~~ \* Grown in SOB and not SOC.

Characterization of Hyd Promoter + RBS + GFP<sub>ss</sub>RA (Cam)

To check for the right construct

Picked up the two colonies

↓ 2ml

Grew on SOB + 2µl Cam overnight

↓

Used 1ml for miniprep and 1ml for induction of IPTG and Arabinose

Induction of promoter with 0.7% Arabinose and 1mM IPTG

↓  
Measured OD after 30 mins (0.5 mL culture)

Colony 1 - 0.126

Colony 2 - 0.167

Actual OD

Colony 1 -  $0.126 \times 2 = 0.252$

Colony 2 -  $0.167 \times 2 = 0.334$

After 20 minutes

Induced with 1mM IPTG and 0.7% Arabinose

(1) Control 1

comp cells in SOB

10  $\mu$ l comp cells (MG1655) in 1ml of SOB

(2) Uninduced culture - Control 2  
0.75ml

(3) Control - 3 - SOB (Black)

(4) Induced culture -  
0.75ml

Arabinose stock - 20%

Amount to be added =  $x$

$$C_1 = 20\% \quad V_1 = ?$$

$$C_2 = 0.7\% \quad V_2 = 750 \mu\text{l}$$

$$20 \times x = 0.7 \times (0.75 + x)$$

$$= \frac{0.7 \times (0.75)}{20} = 26.2 \mu\text{l}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ ml}$$

$$= 0.75 \mu\text{L}$$

Induced with 27.2  $\mu\text{L}$  of Arabinose (0.7%) and (0.75 ml culture)

~~0.75~~ 0.75  $\mu\text{L}$  of IPTG (1 mM).

Grew the culture for 1 hour 30 mins.  
Pipetted 100  $\mu\text{L}$  in the black Corning half plate. ~~plated~~ checked fluorescence.

Plate layout

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	Blank (CSOB)	UI1	UI2	I1	I2	-ve control comp cell						
B	Blank	UI1	UI2	I1	I2	CC						
C	Blank	UI1	UI2	I1	I2	CC						

No fluorescence

UI1 - Uninduced colony 1

Grew for one hour more.

I1 - Induced colony 1

No fluorescence.

BSA - Bovine serum albumin

Mol. wt = 66.5 kDa

It is used to stabilize some restriction enzymes during digestion of DNA and prevents adsorption of the enzyme to reaction tubes, pipet tips.  
(Does crowding)

NEB Buffer 1.1 (1X)

10mM Bis-Tris-Propane-HCl

10mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>

100 µg/ml BSA

pH 7.0 @ 25°C

NEB Buffer 3.1 (1X)

100mM NaCl

50mM Tris-HCl

10mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>

100 µg/ml BSA

pH 7.9 @ 25°C

NEB Buffer 2.1 (1X)

50mM NaCl

10mM Tris-HCl

10mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>

100 µg/ml BSA

pH 7.9 @ 25°C

Out Smart Buffer

50mM Potassium Acetate

20mM Tris-acetate

10mM Mg-acetate

100 µg/ml BSA

pH 7.9 @ 25°C

## Gel

Ara 1 (cut)	Ara 1 (uncut)	Ara 2 (cut)	Ara 2 (uncut)	2log ladder	LacI 1 cut	LacI 2 uncut
						LacI 2 cut
						LacI 2 uncut

Delayed in imaging

- DNA diffused

Gel for 3A part (HP + RBS + GFP<sub>SSRA</sub>)

Double cut ~~get~~ DNA (EcoRI & BspI)

HP + RBS + GFP (C1)

HP + RBS + GFP (C2)

DNA

2  $\mu$ l

2  $\mu$ l

NEB Buffer 3.1 (10x)

1  $\mu$ l

1  $\mu$ l

EcoRI

0.2  $\mu$ l

0.2  $\mu$ l



- Lane 1 - Colony 1
- Lane 2 - 2 log ladder
- Lane 3 - Colony 2
- Lane 4 - Colony 1

Troubleshoot for Rf-cloning

Took 2µl of PCR product (both Pcat & RBS)

↓  
Ran it of 0.8% gel

Result - could not visualise

Ppn I digestion

	HP (Cam)	HP (Amp)	Pcat	RBS (Amp)
DNA or PCR product	3µl	3µl	2µl	2µl
Ppn I	0.2µl	0.2µl	0.2µl	0.2µl
Cut Smart (10x) Buffer	1µl	1µl	1µl	1µl
dH <sub>2</sub> O	5.8µl	5.8µl	6.8µl	6.8µl
	10µl	10µl	10µl	10µl

↓  
@ 37°C 2½ hours (WB)

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26/5/17 \* Preparation of Ultra-competent Cells -  
 3/6/17  
 Keep cells always in ice, keeping them outside drastically reduces competency.

Inoculate 10 mL SOB with 40 µL of  
 a single saturated MG1655 inoculum (2:00 am)  
 colony in 2 mL SOB @ 37°C overnight for incubation  
 Inoculate @ 20°C 250 rpm overnight

Checked OD @ 11 am (9 hrs post inoculation)  
 OD = 0.308

↓ cooled it on ice.

Centrifuge @ 2000 g 4°C for 10 min  
 ↓ Discard supernatant.

Resuspend it in 3 mL ice cold  
 CCM80 ↓ incubate on ice 20 min

Centrifuge @ 2000 g 4°C for 10 min  
 ↓ Discard Supernatant.

Dissolve the pellet in 400 µL ice cold CCM80

Measure OD of the cell suspension

50 µL cells + 950 µL SOB      Blank: 50 µL CCM80 + 950 µL SOB

Dilution factor = 20

Measured OD = ~~0.277~~ 0.277

OD of cell suspension = ~~0.277~~ 0.377 x 20 = 7.54

\* Invert the second fully in ice  
 keep on ice. Make sure it's not changing above ice in epp  
 tubes

↓  
Diluted the cell suspension 1:6? Final  
350µl cells + 1750µl concanavalin } O.D. @ 1w  
1-15

Final OD = 1.008

↓  
Aliquot 50µl into 15ml eppi

↓  
Incubate on ice for 20min

↓  
Flash freeze using liquid N<sub>2</sub> <sup>[should do this]</sup>

↓  
Store @ -80°C in cryo box  
(Labelled CC on cap, MG1655, date, 3/16/17  
on the side of eppi)

26/5/17  
106/17

\* Transformation for efficiency test

↓  
Take 50µl competent cells in 1.5ml eppi

↓  
Add 1ml 100pg/µl plasmid from kit

↓  
Incubate on ice for 30min

↓  
60 sec heat shock in water bath @ 42°C

↓  
Incubate on ice for 5min

↓  
Add 450µl LB and mix gently

5/

↓  
plate 50  $\mu$ L on half of a LA - Chloramphenicol  
plate, pellet down the culture, resuspend,  
in 50  $\mu$ L LB and plate it on the other half.

↓  
Inoculate @ 37°C overnight

↓  
Count the no. of colonies

Armani  $\Rightarrow$  25 colonies

Jyothish  $\Rightarrow$  337 colonies

Zakhuja  $\Rightarrow$  53 colonies

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Charvi (Glycerol stock) = 5 colonies

Zakhuja (growth culture) = 106 colonies

Efficiency Calculation

26/5/17

Total Volume of Culture = 1000  $\mu$ L

Volume plated = 50  $\mu$ L

Transformation efficiency  $\Rightarrow$  CFU /  $\mu$ g DNA.

T.E = no. of colonies  $\times$  Volume of culture  $\times 10^6$   
(19-17)

Conc. of plasmid  $\times$  Volume of plasmid  $\times$  Volume

TE 5 =  $\frac{53 \times 1000 \times 10^6}{1.06 \times 10^7}$

TE  $\mu$ i # CFU /  $\mu$ g plasmid Plasmid conc  $\mu$ g/ $\mu$ l 29/5

Transformation Efficiency = # Colonies  $\times$  Vol of Culture (unit)

conc. plasmid  $\times$  Vol of plasmid  $\times$  10<sup>8</sup>

unit  $\rightarrow$  CFU /  $\mu$ g of DNA

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Efficiency =  $\frac{106 \cdot 10^6}{5} = 2.12 \times 10^7$

Notes: The cells were kept @ -20°C ~~for~~ ~~at least~~ 52.0 hrs.

29/5/17 \* Bacterial growth Curve

Inoculated 2 conical flasks

↓  
Took 50ml SOB in both

↓  
Inoculated one with 200µl PH5x } 8:10 pm  
and the other with 200µl M1655

↓  
Took OD measurements and left  
the culture for incubation  
@ 20°C and 250 rpm

Time PH5x:OD M1655:OD

8:15 pm 0.031 (Bad quality) 0.008

8:35 pm 0.019

9:10 pm 0.048 0.045

10:10 pm 0.053 0.048

11:10 pm 0.050 0.075

12:10 am 0.050 0.098

1:10 am 0.055 0.145

2:10 am 0.060 0.205

3:10 am 0.066 0.311

4:10 am 0.073 0.523

5:10 am 0.077 0.726

6:10 am 0.090 1.068

7:10 am 0.101 1.536

8:10 am 0.122 2.148

9:10 am 0.144 2.796

G

10:10 am	0.159	3.134
11:10 am	0.176	3.920
12:10 pm	0.211	5.36
1:10 pm	0.257	5.120
2:10 pm	0.258	5.080
3:10 pm	0.319	6.280
4:10 pm	0.417	10.50
5:10 pm	0.457	8.00
6:10 pm	0.539	6.26
7:10 pm	0.613	6.52
8:10 pm	0.772	7.52

5/6/17 (C, J, Ad, Z) MEASUREMENT KIT

(measurement of fluorescence)

Required: CamLA plates, BioBricks, DH5α cells,

Procedure:

BioBricks ⇒ 1) TRANSFORMATION, DH5α cells, Cam resistance

available ⇒ Resuspended each plasmid in 10µl distilled as dry DNA water (dH<sub>2</sub>O) (used MilliQ water)\*

→ [Kit plate G - 20B, 20D, 20F, 20H, 20J, 20L, 20N, 20P]

↓  
 { → Meanwhile, labelled 8 spots as 20B, ... }  
 along with bioBrick name

↓  
 Thawed Competent Cells in ice for and for least 8-10 mins. {DH5α, X5 (260µl in 1.5µl), time stored in -80°C}



wait for 5mins after Resuspension for the DNA to be dissolved properly

after 5mins, set 10  $\mu$ l on the pipette and pipetted out the DNA soln from the well and transferred into corresponding epis (Labelled)

- 1) Labelled 8 more epis, 2) added 1  $\mu$ l of DNA soln into the corresponding epis
- 3) Added 50  $\mu$ l of DH5 $\alpha$  cells into each of epis.

Kept it on ice incubation for 30mins  
(kept water bath for heating till 42 $^{\circ}$ C)

After 30min ice incubation gave a brief heat shock at 42 $^{\circ}$ C for 60sec  
(also heat shocked the 5X DH5 $\alpha$  stock for -ve Control)

Immediately transferred the epis into ice and incubated in ice for 5mins.

added 950  $\mu$ l of LB into each of the epis (9 epis)

incubated at 37 $^{\circ}$ C, 250 rpm for 2hrs.

08/06/2017. Preparation of phosphate buffer.

### PBS Buffer.

Materials req: NaCl, KCl,  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4$ ,  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , Scott Bottle, pH meter, weighing

### METHOD:-

1. Measure the following in a paper boat on weighing machine [100ml, 10X]

1. NaCl (58.44g/mol) 8g

2. KCl (74.55g/mol) 0.2g

3.  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4$  (141.96g/mol) 1.44g

4.  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  (136.09g/mol) 0.24g.

2. dissolve in 80ml and adjust pH to 7.4

3. Make the solution upto 100ml.

08/06/2017 LB Medium

Aim: Preparation of LB medium

Materials: HIMEDIA LURIA BERTANI BROTH (M1245)

Extremocya flask, glassware. - 500G

100ml 200ml 150ml

PROTOCOL: 2.5g 5g 3.75g.

1. In 1l flask add 5g of LB

2. dissolve it in distilled water.

3. Make the mark till 200.

4. make & insert a cotton plug, cover it with the foil and give it for autoclaving.



- 7. Label the plates.
- 8. Pour and 20 ml, enough to create a covering layer at the bottom of the plate.
- 9. Store plates upside down. [work quickly]

-100 mL - -150 ml (back) - 1

LB: 25g 3.75g

Agar: 15g 2.25g

H<sub>2</sub>O: 100ml 150ml  
(make upto)

2/10/17. Measurement Track.

- \* PBS prepared. 10x
- \* dilute to 1x PBS (40ml)

Took 4 ml of 10x PBS  
added 36ml distilled water.  
Mix thoroughly.

- \* Preparing fluorescein standard
- > spin down the tubes (2000 rpm, 30 sec)

> Resuspend in 1ml 1x PBS (2x fluorescein)

> Take 500ul of dilute with 500ul of 1x PBS (1x fluorescein) (50mM)

(I) Preparing our own 100 mM fluorescein  
(1 mL) x 5 mM  
Mass

Molar mass of fluorescein = 376.275 gm

height req =  $\frac{\text{molar mass} \times \text{conc} \times \text{vol}}{1000}$

$$= \frac{376.275 \times 100 \times 10^{-3} \times 1}{1000}$$

376.275

$$= 0.0376275$$

$$= 0.03763 \text{ gm}$$

Dissolve in 1 mL of PBS

Molar mass of fluorescein = 376.275

height req =  $376.275 \times 100 \times 10^{-3} \times 1$

$$= 0.0376275 \times 100 \text{ mM}$$

(1 ~~resoluble~~)

50 mL 1 mM Fluorescein

$$\text{Mass} = \frac{376.275 \times 1 \times 10^{-3} \times 50}{1000}$$

1000

$$= 18.81375 \times 10^{-3} \text{ g}$$

$$= 0.01881 \text{ g}$$

Plate used: Corning 3686, 96 well  
half area



Blank = 14 cm + 1 ml LB . [ 500 μl AM (1B) + 1 ml H<sub>2</sub>O ]  
AD 60 1.90g

12:38pm -ve c  
12:38pm +ve c

TD1 c  
TD2 c

TD3 c

TD4 c

TD5 c

TD6 c

-ve J

+ve J

TD1 J

TD2 J

TD3 J

TD4 J

TD5 J

TD6 J

AD 60 0.351

0.712

0.307

0.648

0.653

0.626

0.668

0.787

0.675

0.678

0.850

0.687

0.745

0.658

0.807

0.740

(0.666)

8.617

Take  
(specimen)  
using  
thru

Flow

F

a

h

So  $5 \text{ mL} \times 25 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mg/mL} = 2 \text{ mL} \times 35 \text{ mg/mL}$   
 $x = \frac{25}{7} = 3.57 \text{ } \mu\text{L of } 35 \text{ ng/mL conc.}$

For 100 mL LB  $\Rightarrow 100 \times 25 \times 10^{-3} = x \times 35 \text{ mg/mL}$   
 $x = 3.57 \times 20 = 71.4 \text{ } \mu\text{L g}$

35 mg/mL conc.

For 220 mL  $\Rightarrow 220 \times 25 \times 10^{-3} = x \times 35 \text{ mg/mL}$   
 $x = \frac{3.14 \times 220}{35} = 2.25 \times 10^{-2}$

$x = 357 \times 10^{-2}$

$= 15.70 \times 10^{-2}$

$= 157.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mg}$   
 $\downarrow = 157 \text{ } \mu\text{L}$

Take 5 mL in 15 mL falcon and pick a  
 (repeat for all 8 devices) colony into it  
 using a 1 mL tip



Inoculate @ 37°C, 220 rpm, 16-18 Hrs.  
 (Inoculate @ 11:20 pm)



9:17 Started checking OP for cultures @ 11 am

↓  
found dilutions using excel sheet

↓  
incubated 12 ml LB with appropriate amount of inoculum

↓  
Took zero time point @ 2:00 pm

↓  
Took 2 hrs time point @ 4:00 pm

→ Cancelled

→ *Issue: Cancel the experiment due to the suspicion of contamination as cultures were open.*

6:17 → Colony inoculation of devices

↓  
Took 5 ml of LB-Cam in 16:15 mL falcon

↓  
Picked a colony into it using 10 µl tip

↓  
Inoculated overnight @ 37°C 220 rpm

6:17 checked OP and unincubated LB-carr to get a final OD 0.02

↓  
Started incubation @ 11:00 am and took zero time point

2 hrs @

4 hrs @

6 hrs @

Measured

↓  
 2 hrs @ 1 pm } Aliquotted 1.5 mL  
 4 hrs @ 3:00 pm } from each culture and  
 6 hrs @ 5:00 pm } stored on ice @ 4°C

↓  
 Measured OD & fluorescence on plate reader.

@ 11 am

t

prepare

0 pm

1:00 pm

blue  
illumination

ices

15 mL falcons

10 µl tip

220 rpm

10-100

11:00 am

# Hemostaphylo Colloidalium

Aim:

## Preparation of media

YPP media (for 200 mL)

- (i) Peptone - 4g
- (ii) Yeast extract - 2g
- (iii) Glucose - 10 mL
- (iv) Water - 190 mL (4g glucose in distilled water filtered sterilized)

YP agar plate (approx - 5 plates)

- (i) Yeast extract - 1g
- (ii) Peptone - 2g
- (iii) Agar - 2g
- (iv) Water - 95 mL
- (v) Glucose - 5 mL (filter sterilized)

Mass (ng)	Kilobases
40	10.0
40	8.0
48	6.0
40	5.0
32	4.0
120	3.0
40	2.0
57	1.5
45	1.2
122	1.0
34	0.9
31	0.8
27	0.7
23	0.6
124	0.5
49	0.4
37	0.3
32	0.2
61	0.1

2 log ladder

Primary inoculum. (8.30pm)

(i) Took 1ml milk water in eppendorf @ 42°C

(ii) 1/4th eppendorf baker's yeast (*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*)

(iii) dissolve using Vortex mixer → store @ 4°C.

(iv) 5ml of YPD media in a sterile falcon (x2)

(v) Took 100µl of the yeast culture and inoculate in 5ml (YPD) x2

store @ 30°C and 180 rpm overnight

Errors: We added 50ml of glucose to 190ml of the media instead of 10ml

We had an entire flask with 190ml YPD (glucose included) we added the right amount of glucose to it and used it.

But the primary inoculation was still done in the yeast glucose media.

Can cause death due to osmotic pressure

9/7/17 Secondary inoculation

PREPERAT

1. added 2.5 ml of penicillin to each flask labelled YA and YB.

Swirled and took out 1 ml O/R reading @ 8:30 am

↓  
kept the flasks in the incubator @ 30°C, 180 rpm.

\* did not take readings after evening on how pellet them (collected 1 ml of the sample in eppis and stored @ 4°C)

11:30 am

TAKING

We did a 3rd inoculation in 20ml

of media with the causal agent of food

2. Making glucose solution

Eg of glucose in 20 ml water

[5 for agar, 10 for culture]

→ 1st added 10 ml glucose to the culture

\* → Took out 2 ml. [Cotton plug was wet]

→ added 2 ml of primary inoculum

→ Swirled it and took out

1 ml O reading. (11:20 am)

1) Str PFA fixing for Hemocytometry

↓

Spin down the growth cell sample

↓

Resuspend in PBS (PBS wash)

↓

Spin down

↓

Resuspend in 4% PFA.

↓

Crystal violet <sup>no</sup> dead cells

↓

Remove cells incubate for 90 min

↓

Blue dyes dead cells, add dye. [ ]

↓

Vortex and incubate for 5 min

↓

\* YC | YA


↓

in 800µl. Spin down.

↓

\* YB in 1ml. Resuspend in PBS [ ]

Pictures are taken in the order

- 10x - whole grid 

- Top left grid

- Top right grid

- Central grid

- bottom left grid

- bottom right grid

40x

10/7/17 \*

Part giesus fusion and transformation

Part name - Bba K592011

Description - Gj blue, green chromoprotein. (Cam)

Length - 702

Well - 4-21/2K

Resuspension

→ the well ~~was~~ content was resuspended in

10 µl milliQ water.

→ transferred it to Epi and is stored in -20°C

RBS - Bba0034 Ampicillin

Back bone - Kanamycin / tetracycline

Sample	TL	TR	C	BL	BR	Image
B10V						
B10S						
B11V						
B11S						
B12V						
B12S						
B13V						
B13S						
B14V						
B14S						
B15V						
B15S						
B16V						
B16S						
B0V						
B0S						
B1V						
B1S						
B2V						
B2S						
B3V						
B3S						
B4V						
B4S						
B5V						
B5S						
B6V						
B6S						

Chickayah and Co

Sample	10x
- C0S	1
- C0M	11
- C1M	1
- C1S	1
- C2S	11
- C2M	1
- C2MS	1
- C2M	1
- C3M	1
- C3S	1
- C4M	2
- C4S	1
- C5M	1
- C5S	2
- C6M	1
- C6S	2
- C7S	1
- C7M	2
- C8M	2
- C8S	1
- C9S	11
- C9M	1
- C10S	111
- C10M	1
- C11S	1
- C11M	111









12/09/17 → Pouring 100 plates

11/09/17. Transfection of suspended cells

Post name: DR- K592001, J. B. J.

Pipette 2 µL plasmid into a 40 µL

Add 60 µL competent cells and mix well

Incubate on ice for 30 min

60 sec heat shock @ 42°C in water bath

Incubate on ice for 5 min

↓ add 200 µL LB

Incubate @ 37°C - 200 rpm for 2 hr

Pellet and plate 200 µL on antibiotic plates

Grow them @ 37°C overnight

Transfer the plates to 4°C.

22/7/17. Incubate for strips (45 min)

Take 5 ml LB - can use 15 ml plates

Incubate with single colony

Incubate @ 37°C 200 rpm for 18 hr

24/4/17 - Miniprep plasmid extraction (CJ Blue).

Take 15ml each of cultures in 2 eppis

↓  
Centrifuge @ 6500rcf for 3min

↓ Discard Supernatant.

Resuspend the pellets in 125µl P1 each.

and pool the eppis together.

↓

Add 250µl P2, mix by swirling

let it stand for 5min

↓

Add 350µl N3 buffer, mix, standing

↓

Centrifuge @ 17400 rcf for 10mins.

↓ Discard pellet

Load 800µl Supernatant in the column

↓

Centrifuge @ 17400rcf, 60 seconds

↓ Discard flow through

Add 500µl PB, Spin @ 12000rcf for 60s

↓ Discard flow through.

Add 750µl PE, centrifuge @ 12000rcf for 60s

↓ Discard flow through.

↓

Keep the column in a new sterile eppis

↓

Incubate @ 37°C for 5min after

adding 50µl EB to the column.

↓  
Centrifuge @ 17900 rcf for 60 sec

↓  
Measure the yield and store @ -20°C

g Blue conc 56.6 / 1.85

0.9 μL

> H<sub>2</sub>O.

> Enzyme master mix for G' Blue.

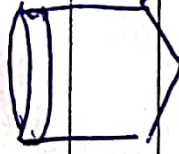
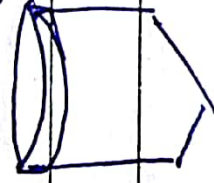
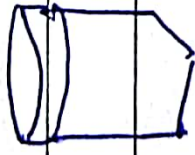
• 2 μL NEB Buffer 3.1

• 0.2 μL XbaI

• 0.2 μL Bst I

• 7.6 μL dH<sub>2</sub>O

Back bone digest RBS digest G' Blue digest



• 4 μL M-mix

• 4 μL M-mix

• 4 μL M-mix

• 4 μL P50 IK3 (25 mg/ml)

• 2 μL RBS

• 2 μL ~~Blue~~ G' Blue

• 2 μL dH<sub>2</sub>O

• 2 μL dH<sub>2</sub>O.

Digest @ 37°C for 30 mins



Heat kill @ 80°C for 20 min



↓  
 Add 0.5 μL T4 DNA ligase  
 ↓  
 Add 2.5 μL dH<sub>2</sub>O (final volume 10 μL)  
 ↓  
 ligate 16°C / 20 min, heat kill 80°C / 2 min  
 ↓  
 Store @ -20°C

3/8/17 \* Transformation of cells with ligated product.  
 (100%)

Take 2 μL of ligated product in 1.5 μL eppi.  
 ↓  
 Add 50 μL DH5α competent cells  
 ↓

Incubate on ice for 30 min  
 ↓  
 60 sec heat shock @ 42°C  
 ↓

Incubate on ice for 5 min  
 ↓  
 Add 250 μL LB and mix gently  
 ↓

Incubate @ 37° of 2 hrs.  
 ↓  
 Plate 50 μL on a plate. (control on J, half plate)  
 ↓  
 Incubate over night @ 37°C.



↓  
Count colonies = 0

Kana  
→ few

7/8/17 Conformational gel for ligated product

14/8/17 Plating the pellets

The remaining inoculum in the epi was pelleted down and plated (50µl).

# Colonies = 95 - 105 (15 big)

3/8/17

→ New  
Comp  
Result

4/9/17

→ M  
\* fu  
1  
\* at

### Kanamycin Plates

→ few new Kanamycin plates with  $35 \mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$

$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$

$$50 \text{ mg/mL} \times 2 \mu\text{L} = 35 \mu\text{g}/\text{mL} \times 200 \text{ mL}$$

$$2 \mu\text{L} = \frac{7000 \mu\text{g}}{50 \text{ mg}} \times \text{mL}$$

$$= 140 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mL}$$

$$= 140 \mu\text{L}$$

$$35 \text{ mg/mL} \times 2 \mu\text{L} = 35 \mu\text{g}/\text{mL} \times 200$$

$$x \mu\text{L} = \mu\text{g}/\text{mL} \times 200$$

$$35 \text{ mg/mL}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-3} \mu\text{mL}$$

2/8/17

- 2 mL

→ New Kanamycin plates ( $35 \mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ ) and test  $\phi$  with MG1655 Comp Cells.

Result - no growth in 2 plates but in 1.  
not reliable result.

2/9/17 - Tris HCl

→ Make Tris HCl (dilutes with forming HCl)

10 mL → 2.42g Tris base in MilliQ.

\* forming HCl not available hence used  
1 N HCl.

\* attaining pH at given conc for given Volume

15/09/17 CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

1) 11.2 g/ml 200/200 1.06  
 2) 14.2 g/ml 200/200 1.02  
 3) 16.1 g/ml 200/200 1.02  
 4) 20.0 g/ml 200/200 1.02

14/09/17 RESOLUTION 9 16 PAPER (J & Z)

1) double visualization

- 1) 15 compounds vs 8 spots. ~~200/200~~ 200/200 1.02
- 2) Double visualization (Comp) 90m 2.2g
- 3) Comp Analysis (Comp) 50 5-200.

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- 1. PIP 111.1 1.73
- 2. White Anal CP 113.0 1.74
- 3. Blue Anal CP 121.0 1.80.

1) Staking test and Amp plates 5 each.  
 2) LA given outland & unad.

was not possible.

13/10

8/9/18 Make Trace HCl

Trace base - 2.42g X 2

forming HCl - 5.6 ml

Multi Q = Rest

pH obtained = 7.91

14/10

8/9/17

Assist Jyoti in comp cell preparation in CA Lab.

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16/10

7.

2

8.

→ Mo

→ LA

## 13/09/17 CHARVEE NANODROP

Receiver R1 71.8 ng/ $\mu$ L 260/280 = 1.96

Sender S1 46.4 ng/ $\mu$ L 260/280 = 2.00

REP 184.1 ng/ $\mu$ L 260/280 = 1.72

260/230 = 1.08

14/09/17

RESUSPENSION 1) TS PURPLE (J & Z)

2) double Terminators

1.) TS compatible TS Purple: ~~Bka~~ Bka-5-20b (Cam)

2.) Double Terminators (Cam) Bka-3-3f

3.) Comp-AmilCP (Cam) ~~50~~ 5-20d.

Buffer

\* Prepared

\* NaCl - 100g

9/20/21

\* Tris - 100g

\*  $MgSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$  - 10g

9/20/21

\* BA assembly

16  
 1. 400ml water  
 2. 100ml NaCl  
 3. 100ml Tris  
 4. 100ml  $MgSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$



200ml 3% / 100ml  
 100ml 10% / 100ml

\* Part A (100ml) digestion in 2 steps  
 Step 1: Spe I digestion in Buffer 2.1

- 200  $\mu$ l NEB buffer 2.1
- 20  $\mu$ l Spe I
- 20  $\mu$ l DNA
- 20  $\mu$ l 10% Glycerol



Incubate 37°C  
 Next cell for

Step 2: Eco RI digestion in buffer 3.1

- 100  $\mu$ l digested product
- 5  $\mu$ l NEB buffer 2.1
- 5  $\mu$ l Eco RI
- 5  $\mu$ l 10% Glycerol
- 5  $\mu$ l DNA



Incubate 37°C  
 Next cell for

\* Part B (100  $\mu$ l) digestion  
 100  $\mu$ l DNA  
 10  $\mu$ l Spe I  
 10  $\mu$ l Eco RI  
 10  $\mu$ l 10% Glycerol  
 10  $\mu$ l NEB buffer 3.1  
 10  $\mu$ l NotI  
 10  $\mu$ l Bst I

Buffer Concentrations 2.1 → 3.1 (J.S.) 47.

\* Prepared 2M NaCl. - 25mL

2M Tris HCl - 30mL pK<sub>a</sub> 9.1

1M MgCl<sub>2</sub> · 6H<sub>2</sub>O = 3mL

100µg/mL BSA - 5mL

\* NaCl : MW = 58.44 g/mol

$$x / 58.44 \times 1000 / 25 = 2$$

\* Tris : MW = 121.14 g/mol

$$x / 121.14 \times 1000 / 30 = 2$$

$$x = 7.2684g$$

\* MgCl<sub>2</sub> · 6H<sub>2</sub>O : MW = 203.3 g/mol

$$x / 203.3 \times 1000 / 3 = 1$$

$$x = 0.61g$$

\* 3A assembly : ~~prepare~~ RBS + G blue + backbone.

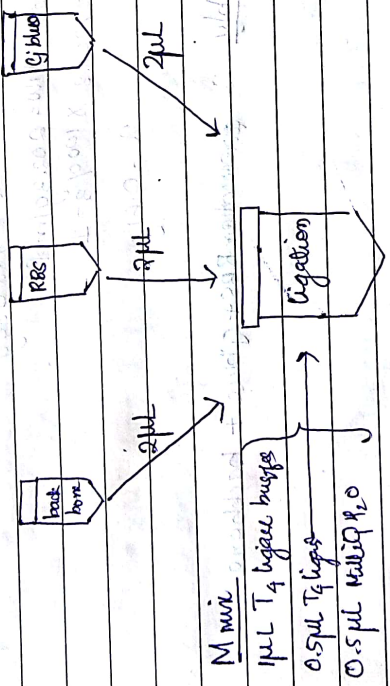
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Ligation Master mix - 17 reactions

- T4 ligase buffer - 14  $\mu$ L
- T4 ligase - 3  $\mu$ L
- Water - 7  $\mu$ L

For 3A ligation 2  $\mu$ L master mix + 2  $\mu$ L RBS  
 + 2  $\mu$ L C-Blue + 2  $\mu$ L backbone

3A assembly



~~16/11/17~~ Ligation was done for (10 hrs) @ 16°C.  
 @ 10:30am shifted to 80°C for 20min.

Transfer for

Transforming an

MG1655 Cells

ligation for

Pelleted the

Resuspended antibiotic

Incubate  
The plate was left in hood since the plug popped in the oven



Transforming and plating ligation products.

MG1655 cells were transformed with 1  $\mu$ l ligation products. (Transformation as in fig 4.1)

↓  
Pelleted the cells @ 5000g 10 minutes  
↓ Supernatant discarded

Resuspended in 25  $\mu$ l LB and plated in an antibiotic selection plate.

↓  
Incubate @ 37°C for grow the overnight

[The plate was left in  
hood since the plug  
popped in the oven]

Colonies : 4

1/10/17. Inoculation of *Gibbs*-RBS colonies.

1. Inoculated 2 colonies into 2ml LB in a 15ml falcon with 2  $\mu$ l tetr antibiotic.

2/10/17 - Miniprep. [Protocol as in page 37 (24/7/17)]  
- (Video shooting)

3/10/17 3A assembly PCAT/G13 promoter + *Gibbs*  
RBS (PSBIA3)

- PCAT + RBS-*Gibbs* + PSBIA3
- G13 + RBS-*Gibbs* + PSBIA3

Master mix for back bone. (2x)

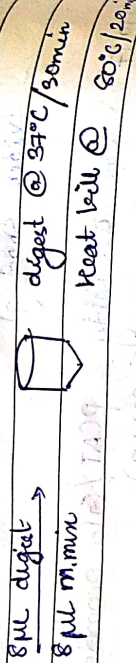
- 2  $\mu$ l NAB buffer 3.1 } 4  $\mu$ l master mix incubate 27/30 min
- 0.2  $\mu$ l EcoRI } 4  $\mu$ l backbone. Heat 100°C
- 0.2  $\mu$ l PstI } (per reaction 4  $\mu$ l) 80°C (20 min)
- 0.2  $\mu$ l DPN I } (per reaction 4  $\mu$ l) MM
- 7.4  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O

M. mix for promoter: Step 1

- Buffer 2 + BSA } Buffer 2.1
- 2  $\mu$ l NEB buffer 2 } - 2  $\mu$ l NEB buffer 2.1
- 0.2  $\mu$ l Spe I } - 0.2  $\mu$ l Spe I
- 0.2  $\mu$ l BSA } - 7.5  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O
- 7.6  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O

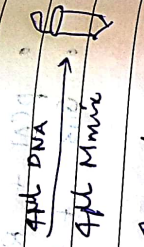
Step 2: ECORI in buffer 2.1

- 4  $\mu$ L buffer 2.1
- 4  $\mu$ L buffer connecter
- 3  $\mu$ L  $H_2O$
- 2  $\mu$ L ECORI



Mix for chromophore digestion

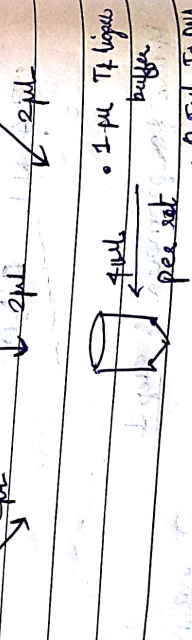
- 4  $\mu$ L NEB buffer 3.1
- 0.4  $\mu$ L XbaI
- 0.4  $\mu$ L Pst I
- 15.2  $\mu$ L  $H_2O$



Incubate @ 37°C  
 heat kill @ 80°C / 20 min

Single pot digestions

Promoter digest  
 Chromophore Backbone



Incubate @ 16°C for 20 min  
 Heat kill @ 80°C for 20 min

5/10/17 Transfor  
 7pm  
 Transfor  
 plating  
 colonies

Trouble

5/10/17 Transf  
 EORI  
 Missing  
 Code

6/10/17 Gel  
 nano  
 • 0.5 g adpa  
 • 50ml XTAE  
 • one drop  
 set the

Digestion  
 Gel run  
 - 125

Master m  
 - 6  $\mu$ L Buff  
 - 0.5  $\mu$ L PG  
 - 19.5  $\mu$ L d  
 ↓  
 5  $\mu$ L MIN

5/10/17 Transformation and plating,

Transformation as in (pg 41)  
plating was done on tetr plates.  
colonies = no colonies (0)

both in -ve and + plates.  
trouble shoot: might be due to 21 buffer  
instead of 2.0.

5/10/17 Transformation and plating.

EcoRI SpeI was digested in buffer 3.1  
Overnight digestion.  
Colonies = 0.

6/10/17 Gel running for RBS tj blue mixed bed  
Nano drop = 36 ug /  $\mu$ l.

• 0.5 g agarose.

• 50ml 1XTAE

• one drop EtBr.

set the gel for half an hour.

Digestion of  $\phi$ Blue RBS with Eco RI for

Gel running: 1% Gel.

- 10s

Master mix for EcoRI

- 6  $\mu$ l Buffer 3.1 x 2 12  $\mu$ l

- 0.5  $\mu$ l PfuI x 2

- 19.5  $\mu$ l dH<sub>2</sub>O. (Vortex  $\rightarrow$  Spin down) 46.8  $\mu$ l

↓

5  $\mu$ l MM mix + 5  $\mu$ l P. Construct

- ↓
- Incubate @ 27°C water bath for 30 min
- heat kill @ 80°C 20 min
- spin down @ 7000 ref 5 min (RT)
- ↓

Mix 5µl product with 1µl 6x loading dye and load into respective wells.

↓

Run the gel along with 2 log DNA ladder @ 80V for 1hr.

Image it

9/10/17 Transformation: for 2A product

- pL-psBIC3
- pB-psBIC3

→ Water bath was already in use hence its heat shock got delayed by 1.15 hrs.

→ Colonies = 0

10/10/17 Inoculation

- 2nd - 200 SOB with CAM (colony)

11/10/12

PL  
2  
lv  
pca

13.10.12

- 0.5g
- 0.5g
- 0
- Mark

4.4 Gel Run  
• 0.5g Ag  
• 50µl  
• 10µl I

TROUBLE SHOT

- Use a di
- Blank Gi or

11/10/12

Inoculation

PL - Chloramphenicol 2A assembly

2 colonies

Inoculation Agar Competent Cells

preparation

13.10.12. SOB preparation. (250ml)

• 0.5g Agar 6.25g LB.

• 1.288g  $MgSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$

• 0.065g KCl (purified)

• Make upto 250ml

4. Gel Running

• 0.5g Agarose

• 50ml 1x TAE.

• 10µL EtBr.

TROUBLE SHOOTING.

→ Use a diff recovery medium

→ Blank Gels / rpm problem eliminated

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- 327) 995-997
- 328) 998-999
- 329) 1000-1000

Non-pup (Pup and 27)

- 1) 20-22
- 2) 23-25
- 3) 26-28
- 4) 29-31
- 5) 32-34
- 6) 35-37
- 7) 38-40
- 8) 41-43
- 9) 44-46
- 10) 47-49
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- 12) 53-55
- 13) 56-58
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- 15) 62-64
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- 21) 80-82
- 22) 83-85
- 23) 86-88
- 24) 89-91
- 25) 92-94
- 26) 95-97
- 27) 98-100
- 28) 101-103
- 29) 104-106
- 30) 107-109
- 31) 110-112
- 32) 113-115
- 33) 116-118
- 34) 119-121
- 35) 122-124
- 36) 125-127
- 37) 128-130
- 38) 131-133
- 39) 134-136
- 40) 137-139
- 41) 140-142
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Comp Amid CP.

conc. 52.3 ng/ $\mu$ l

A260 1.045

A280 0.655

260/280 1.59

260/230 0.72

pCAT

conc. 67.6 ng/ $\mu$ l

A260 1.3530

A280 0.813

260/280 1.66

260/230 0.83

Gel Running and digestion:

EORI  $\rightarrow$  PST I (\* correction)

34 constructs [pLett amid CP, Comp Amid CP, 6 people pCAT]

$\rightarrow$  digestion for the 4 constructs:

Master Mix:

Buffer 3.1 4  $\mu$ l

EORI PST I 0.4  $\mu$ l

dH<sub>2</sub>O 15.6  $\mu$ l.

add 5  $\mu$ l master mix to 5  $\mu$ l construct.

subject 1/2 hour @ 57°C [water bath]

vent machine @ 80°C 20 min.



gel loading:

1  $\mu$ L loading buffer + 5  $\mu$ L digested product



10x TBE loading buffer + 5  $\mu$ L digested product

\* 3A Assembly:

Composite ts Purple

- 0.2  $\mu$ L XbaI
  - 0.2  $\mu$ L Pst I
  - 2  $\mu$ L Buffer 3.1
  - 7.6  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
- 10  $\mu$ L M. mix
- 7  $\mu$ L ts purple
- + 3  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

Backbone psBIT3

- 0.2  $\mu$ L EcoRI
  - 0.2  $\mu$ L Pst I
  - 0.2  $\mu$ L DpNI
  - 2  $\mu$ L Buffer 3.1
  - 7.4  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
- 10  $\mu$ L M. mix
- 5  $\mu$ L PCAT
- 10  $\mu$ L psBIT3

PCAT digestion

- 0.2  $\mu$ L EcoRI
  - 0.2  $\mu$ L SpeI
  - 2  $\mu$ L BSA Buffer 2.0
  - 2  $\mu$ L BSA
  - 5.6  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
- 10  $\mu$ L M. mix
- 5  $\mu$ L PCAT
- 7.5  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

- Composite
- 0.2  $\mu$ L
- 0.2  $\mu$ L
- 2  $\mu$ L
- 7.6  $\mu$ L

→ composite Amid

• 0.2  $\mu$ L XbaI

• 0.2  $\mu$ L Pst I

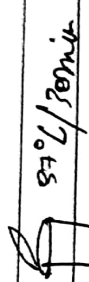
• 2  $\mu$ L buffer 1

• 7.6  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

10  $\mu$ L Minic

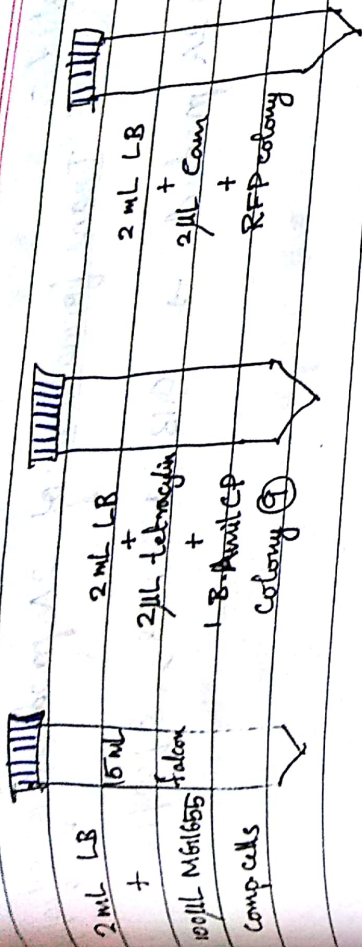
5  $\mu$ L bnulcp

+ 5  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O



87°C/30min

80°C/20min



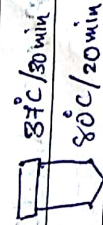
On plate mask the picked B-AmilCP colony as 9.

2A- PSB13 + G13 / PL-Platt

Backbone digestion

- EcoRI - 0.2 μL
- Pst I - 0.2 μL
- Dpn I - 0.2 μL
- buffer 3:1 - 2 μL
- dH<sub>2</sub>O - 7.4 μL

PSB13 - 10 μL

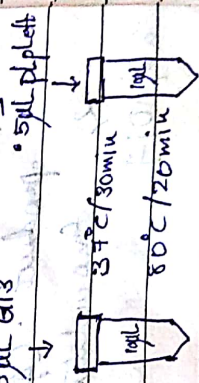


Promoter digestion

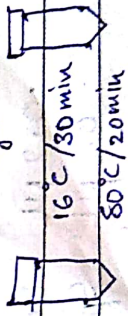
- EcoRI - 0.2 μL
- Pst I - 0.2 μL
- buffer 3:1 - 2 μL
- dH<sub>2</sub>O - 7.6 μL



5 μL G13



2 μL PSB13 + 6 μL digest



5 to autoclave

LA: 100 mL, Eppi: 50 nos, Water bath: 80°C

22/10/17  
Mini prep

→ Transformat  
→ 1) Eff  
• 10  
• 5  
• 10

→ 2) P  
→ 3) R

→ Nano drop  
Con: 56.7 ng/μl  
A 260  
A 280  
260/280  
260/230

→ Nano Drop  
Conc  
A 260  
A 280  
260/280  
260/230

20/10/17  
Transformati of 2A product of 8/10/17

→ 2A product → G13 PSB1C3, 8/10/17

21/10/17  
1) inoculation of G13 PSB1C3 transformati product (4 colonies)  
2) inoculation of PCAT AmiCP-PSB1C3

22/10/17  
- ~~PCAT~~ G13, PLPLEFT digestion  
• 0.2 μl EcoRI  
• 0.2 μl SpeI  
• 2 μl buffer 2.0  
• 2 μl BSA  
• 5.0 μl dH<sub>2</sub>O  
5 μl + 5 μl MM  
↓  
5 μl 5 μl

22/10/17

Mini prep of G13 PSB1C3 and PCAT AmilCP (PSB1T3)

Transformation

→ 1) Efficiency transformation

- 10pg/μl
- 50pg/μl
- 100pg/μl

→ 2) PL-PSB1C3 (8.10.17)

→ 3) PL-PLEFT (16.9.17)

→ Nano drop G13 PSB1C3 (22/10/17 mini prep)

Con: 56.7 ng/μl

A260

1.122

A280

0.569

260/280

1.97

260/230

2.03

→ Nano Drop (PCAT AmilCP PSB1T3 mini prep 22/10/17)

Conc

95.3 ng/μl

A260

1.907

A280

0.984

260/280

1.94

260/230

2.05

• 3.9 x 2 = 7.8  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O.

4  $\mu$ L Plasmid + 4  $\mu$ L *Erzuzyme* Master Mix.

Incubate @ 37°C for 30 min

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Heat kill @ 80°C for 20 min

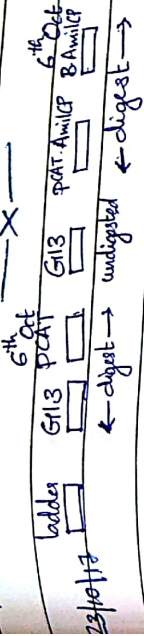
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Load in the GEL.

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Run the gel @ 80 V for 1 hour.

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Image the gel using gel doc.

Cast Ges - (0.5g Agarose, 50ul 1x TAE, 10ul EtBr)

22/10/17



22/10/17 plating

23/10/17

Aarti Run EcoRI digest of G113 & AmiCP of 22/10/17

• PL-plate digestion

- 0.2  $\mu$ L EcoRI
- 0.2  $\mu$ L Pst I
- 1  $\mu$ L NEB buff 3.1
- 2.6  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
- 6  $\mu$ L PL-plate
- 0.2  $\mu$ L EcoRI
- 0.2  $\mu$ L Pst I
- 1  $\mu$ L NEB buff 3.1
- 2.6  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
- 6  $\mu$ L plate

Digestion for Mijack Module.

- 1) Anac
- 2) lact
- 3) phyb
- 4)

Do in 2 incubator  
 for I9  
 0.116

- 1) cast gel
- 2) inoculate pCAT  
 Anil CP psBIT3  
 ① (2ml LB tet R) pCAT
- 3) inoculate psBIT3  
 ts purple psBIT3  
 ① (2ml LB tet R)
- 4) inoculate cell.  
 ① (1ml LB can)
- 5) inoculate pL psBIT3  
 in (Babony (2ml LB can))  
 ① (2ml LB can)

To do  
 12:30 - 3:30 4: 8:100 - 6:30  
 12:30 - 10:30  
 2A: pCAT. ts purple psBIT3  
 2x 2A: G13 Anil CP psBIT3  
 2x 2A: G13 ts purple psBIT3  
 2x 2A: G13 Anil CP psBIT3  
 - 0.2 ml EGRI  
 - 0.2 ml pST 1  
 - 1 ml 3.1  
 - 5 ml pCAT ts  
 - 3.6 ml dH2O

wig ladder

- 1) p-left Anac
- 2) p-left psBIT3
- 3) G13 ts purple
- 4) pCAT ts purple
- 5) G13 ts purple
- 6) pCAT Anil CP
- 7) p-left
- 8) G13 Anil CP
- 9) p-left

lating (I + 2  
 inoculation of  
 Replasmid

- 1) p-left
- 2) p-left
- 3) G13 ts purple
- 4) pCAT ts purple
- 5) G13 ts purple
- 6) pCAT Anil CP
- 7) p-left
- 8) G13 Anil CP
- 9) p-left



4/10/17 Trans formation

- 1) PL pleff Amil CP (2A) PSB1C3
- 2) pleff PSB1C3
- 3) G13 ts purple PSBIT3 (23/10)
- 4) PCAT ts purple PSBIT3
- 5) G13 ts purple PSB1C3 (2A/123)
- 6) PCAT Amil CP PSB1C3 (23/10)
- 7) PL pleff PSB1C3
- 8) G13 Amil CP PSB1A3 (3/10)
- 9) PL pleff Amil CP PSBIT3 (3A) 23/10

10) plating - (J + Z) (7pm)

Inoculation of 2 components (J)  
Replenishing consumables.

25/10/17

Inoculation of yeast.

Mix prep (J)

Digestion E & P

illow }  
20X }  
 • PCAT ts purple PSBIT3 ① → 5µL } 87°C / 60min  
 G13 Mix → 5µL } 80°C / 20min

• PCAT ts purple PSBIT3 ② → 5µL }  
 G13 Mix → 5µL } "

• PCAT ts purple PSBIT3 → 5µL }  
 Mix → 5µL } "

Ligation

Master mix: 1  $\mu$ L T4 ligase  
 2  $\mu$ L T4 ligase buffer  
 5  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O

i) G13- ts purple - tet<sup>r</sup> [EAP] → 2  $\mu$ L  
 PSBIC3 [EAP] → 1  $\mu$ L  
 T4 M mix → 2  $\mu$ L

ii) G13- ts purple - tet<sup>r</sup> [EAP] → 2  $\mu$ L  
 PSBIC3 [EAP] → 1  $\mu$ L  
 T4 M mix → 2  $\mu$ L

iii) PCAT- ts purple - tet<sup>r</sup> [EAP] → 2  $\mu$ L  
 PSBIC3 [EAP] → 1  $\mu$ L  
 T4 M mix → 2  $\mu$ L

iv) G13 [EAP] (22  $\mu$ L Oct) → 2  $\mu$ L } 2.5  
 Composite AmiCIP [EAP] (23<sup>rd</sup> Oct) → 1  $\mu$ L } 0.5  
 T4 M mix → 2  $\mu$ L

v) (ccdB)

T4 ligase = 0.5 - 0.25  $\mu$ L (directly in small epis)

T4 ligase buffer, 0.5  $\mu$ L  
 Insert (digested) = 3.25  $\mu$ L  
 PSBIC3 (digested) = 1  $\mu$ L

- 600 (Innovation)
- 1) p CFI Amil
  - 2) Inoculate
  - 3) Inoculate
  - 4) Inoculate

26/10/17  
 9:30 am  
 Etef  
 products

2 pm gel  
 Bioactive  
 • 0.2  
 • 2  $\mu$ L  
 • 7.8  $\mu$ L

1, 5-11  
 69  
 29

Team (Inoculation for characterisation, plate reading)

- 1) pCAT Amilp p5173 (2ml LB-tet R)
- 2) Inoculate p5173 (2ml LB-tet R)
- 3) Inoculate efb (exp. recipient) (1ml LB comp)
- 4) Inoculate pL p5173 (2ml LB comp)

26/10/17

9:30 AM

Exp. screening Transformation of ligated products.

2 pm gel running:

Reactions

- 0.2 EcORI X 4 = 0.8 (5 µl per reaction)
- 2 µl 3.1 Buffer X 4 = 8 µl
- 7.8 µl dH<sub>2</sub>O X 4 = 31.2 µl

.1

1 5-11 8

60 29

2.5

0.5

eddy in small epis