Spectrophotometry Measurements

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# Week 5

### July 1, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 12:24 (Lukas)

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

# July 2, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 9:56 (Sara)

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

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 18:18 (Natalie)

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

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

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

# Interlab (Lin/Natalie)

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

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

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Replication 1	0.047	0.033
Replication 2	0.049	0.033
Replication 3	0.052	0.033
Replication 4	0.048	0.033

#### July 3, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 10:01 (Sara)

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

#### Cell Culturing/Plating (Natalie)

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

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

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 12:38 (Natalie/Sara)

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

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 18:24 (Lin)

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

### July 5, 2018

Spectrophotometer Measurements at 12:15 (Natalie)

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

#### Interlab (Lin/Natalie)

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

#### Constructs Group (Karthik/Woody)

- ran a .7% gel with PCR products

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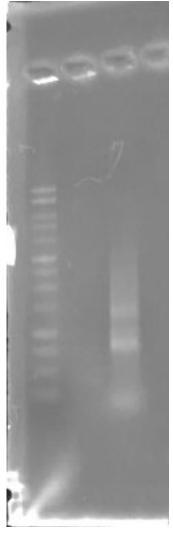
- 1. MW ladder
- 2. Q3 cscB
- 3. Q3 sps
- Stained with 5  $\mu$ L of gel green
- Gel purified Q3 cscB and Q3 sps (Promega Wizard Kit)

### July 6, 2018

### Constructs Group (Karthik/Natalie)

- Nanodrop of PCR products from yesterday:
  - Q3 cscB/sps blue = 6.2 ng/ $\mu$ L , 6.3 ng/ $\mu$ L , 6.4 ng/ $\mu$ L (used 2  $\mu$ L)
  - Q3 cscB/sps pink =  $8.5 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
- Ran a .7% gel with PCR products

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- 1. MW ladder
- 2. Q3 cscB
- 3. Q3 sps
- Stained with Nucleic Acid Diamond Dye
- Only the Q3cscB band showed up
- Gel Purification of Q3 cscB (Promega Wizard Kit)
  - Nanodrop (used 4  $\mu$ L)

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- Q3 cscB =  $5.1 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
- Q3 cscB =  $6.2 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
- PCR of Q3 cscB (CSCB Cycle)
- PCR of Q3 sps (SPS Cycle)
- Resuspension of geneblocks (following IDT protocol)
  - Q1 lone cscB  $\rightarrow$  100  $\mu$ L of autoclaved milli-Q water
  - Q1 combo cscB  $\rightarrow$  100  $\mu$ L of autoclaved milli-Q water
  - Left the two tubes at 50°C for 15 minutes
  - Nanodrop (1  $\mu$ L used):
    - Q1 combo cscB =  $8.8 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$
    - Q1 lone cscB=  $9.2 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{L}$

# Plasmid Group (Priya/Stephanie/Lin)

- Gel Purification of 1579 Cut (Promega Wizard Kit)

# Interlab (Natalie)

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