iGEM2013 – Microbiology – BMB – SDU	
<b>Title:</b> ON culture of <i>E. coli</i>	<b>Date issued:</b> 2012.10.25
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## 1. Purpose

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To prepare ON culture of E.coli for use in experiments

### 2. Area of application

This procedure is valid for all E. coli ON cultures

# 3. Apparatus and equipment

Apparatus/equipment	Location (Room number)	Check points	
Incubator	Laboratory (class 1) - V16-407-2	<ul> <li>Preheated</li> </ul>	37
	Laboratory (class 2) – V15-501b-2		
Spectrometer	Laboratory (class 1) - V16-407-2	<ul> <li>Set to wavelength 600</li> </ul>	
	Laboratory (class 2) – V15-501a-2		
Vortex	Laboratory (class 1)	•	
	Laboratory (class 2) – V15-501a-2		
Pipette boy		Remember to recharge	
Racks		•	
Sterile glass culture tube	Laboratory (class 1) – opposite elevator	•	
	Laboratory (class 2) – V16-501a-2 filing cabinet		

Refrigerator	•	
Pipettes (p1000,200)	•	

### 4. Materials and reagents - their shelf life and risk labelling

Name	Components	Supplier / Cat. #	Room (hallway storage)	Sa
Appropriate medium	1% Tryptone	Oxoid	Media lab or V18-405-0	
ex.	1% NaCl	Sigma-Aldrich		
LB	0.5% Yeast extract	Merck		
Appropriate antibiotic if				
needed				
5 ml graduated pipettes		Fisher Scientific / CCI 4487	Micro storage	
Cuvettes		Contact lab-manager	BMB storage	
Blue pipette tips		Contact lab-manager	Micro storage	
Green pipette tips		Contact lab-manager	Micro storage	
Plate Bag		Contact lab-manager	BMB storage	

## 5. QC - Quality Control

When measuring  $OD_{600}$ , measurements can't go above 0.300, if this is the case dilute solution with medium 10 times.

#### 6. List of other SOPs relevant to this SOP

### 7. Environmental conditions required

#### 8. **Procedure**

- 1. Take an agar plate with appropriate medium and antibiotic
- 2. Scrap surface of frozen bacterial stock



- 3. Streak this bacterial stock onto agar plate (primary streak)
- 4. Take a new pipette tip streak again (secondary steak)
- 5. Take a new pipette tip streak again (tertiary streak)
- 6. Place the plate in a plate bag
- 7. Leave 16 hours in incubator set to 37 °C
- 8. Move plate to refrigerator (4 °C)
- 9. Fill 5 ml medium in culture tube
- 10. Add antibiotic to appropriate concentration
- 11. Take single colony from agar plate
- 12. Vortex medium with colony
- 13. Place culture tube in incubator set to 37 °C with aeration (155 rpm)
- 14. Leave 16 hours
- 15. Add 1 ml medium to a cuvette and calibrate spectrometer
- 16. Add 0.9 ml medium to a cuvette and 0.1 ml ON culture and mix
- 17. Measure OD

#### 9. Waste handling

Chemical name	Concentration	Type of waste (C, Z)	Remarks
ON Culture		Liquid bacterial waste	
Once use plastic		GMO yellow waste	

### 10. Time consumption

- Total-time 30 hours and 20 min.
- Hands-on-time 30 min.

#### 11. Scheme of development

Date / Initials	Version No.	Description of changes	
12.10.25 / MM	01	The SOP has been written	
13.01.02 / MM & TK	01	The SOP has been approved	

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