

# Creating Parts

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WEDNESDAY, 5/18/16

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## iCultures Grown:

- pSMART-yibDp-GFPuv
  - "GFP" or "yib"
- pSMART-EV
  - "pSMART" or "PSM"
- DLF-00286
  - "286"
- E-cloni

## Results:

(5/19) All 8 Cultures grew successfully

## Notes:

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# Mini Prep Protocol

## Introduction

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## Materials

- › Mini Prep Kit
- › Spin Columns
- › Neutralize (B3) Buffer - 4 C fridge
- › Epi Tubes

## Procedure

### Before Beginning

- ✓ 1. All centrifugation steps should be carried out at 13,000 RPM
- ✓ 2. Add 4 volumes of ethanol ( $\geq 95\%$ ) to one volume of Plasmid Wash Buffer 2.
- ✓ 3. If precipitate has formed in Lysis Buffer (B2), incubate at 30-37 degrees C, inverting periodically to dissolve.
- ✓ 4. Store Plasmid Neutralization Buffer (B3) at 4 degrees C.

### Miniprep

- ✓ 5. Pellet 1-5 ml bacterial culture by centrifugation for 8 minutes at 3500 rpm. Discard supernatant.
- ✓ 6. Resuspend pellet in 200 ul Plasmid Resuspension Buffer (B1 - pink). Vortex or pipet to ensure cells are completely resuspended. There should be no visible clumps.
- ✓ 7. Add 200 ul Plasmid Lysis Buffer (B2 - blue).
- ✓ 8. Gently invert tube 5-6 times.
- ✓ 9. Incubate at room temperature for 1 minute.

00:01:00



- ✓ 10. Color should change to dark pink, and solution will become transparent and viscous. Do not vortex.
- ✓ 11. Add 400 ul of of Plasmid Neutralization Buffer (B3 - yellow).
- ✓ 12. Gently invert tube until neutralized.
- ✓ 13. Incubate at room temperature for 2 minutes.

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- ✓ 14. Sample is neutralized when color is uniformly yellow and precipitate forms. Do not vortex.
- ✓ 15. Centrifuge lysate for 2-5 minutes.
- ✓ 16. Carefully transfer supernatant to the spin column.
- ✓ 17. Centrifuge for 1 minute. Discard flow-through.
- ✓ 18. Re-insert column in the collection tube and add 200 uL of Plasmid Wash Buffer 1.
- ✓ 19. Centrifuge for 1 minute. Discarding the flow-through is optional.
- ✓ 20. Add 400 uL of Plasmid Wash Buffer 2 and centrifuge for 1 minute.
- ✓ 21. Transfer column to a clean 1.5 mL microfuge tube. Use care to ensure that the tip of the column does not come into contact with the flow-through. If there is any doubt, re-spin the column for 1 minute.

When centrifuging with the epi tubes, cross the lids together to prevent them from breaking off. If there is an odd number then the last one should stick out sideways. Don't place the lids up or down as they can break off during centrifugation.

- ✓ 22. CRITICAL Add  $\geq 30$  uL DNA Elution Buffer to the center of the matrix. Wait for 1 minutes.

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- ✓ 23. Spin for 1 minute to elute DNA.

Usually add 50 uL of Elution Buffer

Nuclease-free water (pH 7-8.5) can also be used to elute the DNA

Yield may slightly increase if a larger volume of DNA Elution Buffer is used. But the DNA will be less concentrated. For larger size DNA, ( $\geq 10$  kb) heating the elution buffer to 50 degrees C to use can improve yield.

# Gibson Protocol

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## Introduction

Gibsons ligate plasmids and vectors together.

## Materials

- › Vector
- › Insert
- › Water
- › 2X Hi-Fi
- › PCR Tubes

## Procedure

### Amounts

- ✓ 1. 1.5 uL of vector
- ✓ 2. 5 uL of mix (2X Hi-fi Gibson Master Mix)
- ✓ 3. 1.5 uL of inserts
- ✓ 4. Add enough water so that the total volume becomes 10uL

### Order

- ✓ 5. Mix in the PCR Tube
  - Insert
  - Vector
  - Mix
  - Water



# Colony PCR

## Introduction

Get started by giving your protocol a name and editing this introduction.

## Materials

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## Procedure

- 1. Prepare econotaq master mix with oligos to amplify the region of interest (<https://www.lucigen.com/docs/manuals/MA038-EconoTaq-PLUS.pdf> (<https://www.lucigen.com/docs/manuals/MA038-EconoTaq-PLUS.pdf>))

Table1			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	10
3	EconoTaq	12.5	125
4	SL1	0.25	2.5
5	SR2	0.25	2.5
6	H2O	12	120
7	Total	25	250

CRITICAL COPY AND PASTE TABLE, INSERT NUMBER OF REACTIONS DESIRED AND TABLE WILL AUTO CALC VALUES

- 2. Aliquot out master mix + oligos into a sufficient number of PCR tubes to test colonies
- 3. If your backbone + insert plates have many more colonies than your backbone only or insert only, you will need to test fewer colonies than if you have lots of colonies on your control plates
- 4. Also include a control reaction with parent plasmid only
- 5. Aliquot out some LB (+ antibiotic) into another set of tubes,one for each colony you are testing
- 6. Pick a colony from your transformation plate with a sterile pipette tip
- 7. Dab the colony into the PCR tube with the econotaq master mix
- 8. Dab it again in the tube with LB
- 9. Run the PCR according to manufacturer’s protocol, but with a long (5 min) initial melting step at 95-98

NOTE: If you are including miniprep DNA in the PCR reaction, dilute to 50 ng/uL.

## Thermocycler Protocol

- ✓ 10. Start: 98C for 10 min.
- ✓ 11. Cycle (x35)
- ✓ 12. Melt 98C for 45s
- ✓ 13. Anneal 50C for 45s
- ✓ 14. Extend 72C for \_\_\_\_
- ✓ 15. Time = (1 min / kbase)\*length(longest amplificant)
- ✓ 16. 4C for inf

NOTE: When dealing with DNA samples instead of colony samples.  
Use 3 uL of 1ng/uL DNA

If DNA sample is poor, use at most 50 ng/uL concentration

# Freezer Stocks Protocol

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## Introduction

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## Materials

- › Cryotubes
- › 20% Glycerol
- › Culture Samples
- ›

## Procedure

### Labeling And Database

- ✓ 1. Label each cryotube tube with pGEM\_\_\_\_  
The number after the pGEM corresponds to the plasmid database
- ✓ 2. Update the Plasmid Database with the number of the tube, the sample name, and where the sample came from

### Stocks

- ✓ 3. In a cryotube, add 750 mL of culture solution to 750 mL of 20% glycerol
- ✓ 4. Gently pipette up and down
- ✓ 5. Store in -80 C freezer in the yellow box (if storage location changes update the database)

# Preparation for Sequencing

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## Introduction

How to prepare mini prepped DNA to be sent off for sequencing. The sequencing place used will do overnight sequencing. If the sample is got to them by 5 pm, they will have sequences back by 9 am the next morning.

## Materials

- › Mini prepped DNA
- › Epi tubes (medium sized)

## Procedure

### Preparation

- ✓ 1. Verify concentrations of the plasmid DNA samples

### DNA:

- ✓ 2. 8 uL of 100 ng/uL DNA per reaction
- ✓ 3. 2.2 x 8uL DNA per sample goes into each sequencing tube

Reason: we have two primers

### Primers:

- ✓ 4. Two tubes, 1 per primer
- ✓ 5. Per reaction: 5 uL of 5 uMol
- ✓ 6. Calculate final volumes and concentrations to reach the above specifications and pipette
- ✓ 7. Send off for sequencing

# Digest

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## Introduction

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## Materials

- › Restriction Enzymes
- › CutSmart (10x)
- › dH<sub>2</sub>O
- › DNA
- › Ice
- ›

## Procedure

### Restriction Digest

- ✓ 1. Create Master Mix **ON ICE** (25 uL total= 5 reactions)
  - 5 uL of CutSmart
  - 0.5 uL of Enzyme 1
  - 0.5 uL of Enzyme 2
  - 19 uL of dH<sub>2</sub>O
- ✓ 2. Mix with DNA **ON ICE** (total of 8 uL)
  - 4 uL of DNA
  - 4 uL of Master Mix
- ✓ 3. Digest for 30 minutes at 37°C
- ✓ 4. Heat kill enzymes for 20 minutes at 80°C

### Example: pSB1C3

- ✓ 5. Create Master Mix **ON ICE** (25 uL total= 5 reactions)
  - 5 uL of CutSmart
  - 0.5 uL of EcoRI-HF
  - 0.5 uL of PstI-HF
  - 0.5 uL of DpnI (to specially methylate the RFP insert)
  - 18.5 uL of dH<sub>2</sub>O
- ✓ 6. Mix with DNA **ON ICE** (total of 8 uL)
  - 4 uL of Backbone
  - 4 uL of Master Mix
- ✓ 7. Digest for 30 minutes at 37°C
- ✓ 8. Heat kill enzymes for 20 minutes at 80°C



# Lab Maintenance

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## Made 2 L of LB Broth

LB Broth/Media Protocol

Autoclaved for 30 min. -- One liter was made between two sealable 1 L bottles (each filled with 500 mL of media)

## Made 1 L of LB Agar and LB Agar + KAN Plates

LB Agar Plates

Autoclaved for 30 min.

## Made 1 L of 10% Glycerol and 500 mL of 50% Glycerol

Glycerol Stocks

Autoclaved for 30 min.

## Made Kanamycin Stock

Antibiotic Stocks

Used 350 mg of Kanamycin to make a 1000X stock of 35 ug/mL  
Aliquoted into 1 mL epi tubes.

## Notes:

- Shaker ("Max-Q 4000") set to 38; thermometer reads 33.2

# LB Broth/Media Protocol

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## Introduction

LB Broth or Media is used to grow cells. Throughout the iGem Project, we used a low salt media because ..... The recipe below is for 1 L of Broth

## Materials

- › 10 g Tryptone
- › 5 g Yeast Extract
- › 5 g Sodium Chloride (NaCl or salt)
  - › for a high salt media use 10 g of Sodium Chloride
- › Deionized Water

## Procedure

### Make Broth

- ✓ 1. In a 2000 mL Erlenmeyer flask mix the tryptone, yeast extract, sodium chloride.
- ✓ 2. Use a graduated cylinder to measure out 1 L of deionized water
- ✓ 3. Add the water to the flask and mix well
- ✓ 4. Autoclave on a liquid cycle for 15 min

Make sure to add water or ice to the bucket before autoclaving.



# LB Agar Plates

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## Introduction

This is a recipe for 1 L of LB for plates that are a low salt LB

## Materials

- › 15 g Agar
- › 10 g Tryptone
- › 5 g Yeast Extract
- › 5 g Sodium Chloride
  - › For a high salt agar, use 10 g of Sodium Chloride
- › Deionized Water

## Procedure

### Media

- ✓ 1. In a 2000 mL Erlenmeyer Flask, add the agar, tryptone, yeast extract, and sodium chloride.
- ✓ 2. In a graduated cylinder, measure out 1000 mL of deionized water.
- ✓ 3. Add it to the flask and mix.
- ✓ 4. Autoclave on a liquid cycle for 15 min

Make sure to add water or ice to the bin before autoclaving.

### KAN (Kanamycin) Plates

- ✓ 5. Once out of the autoclave, allow media to cool.
- ✓ 6. Add as many uL of KAN 1000X Stock as there is mL of media
  - For a 1 L media batch, add 1 mL of KAN 1000X stock.
- ✓ 7. Mix the flask well.
- ✓ 8. Pour plates.

Make sure the cover the entire bottom of the plate and remove as many bubbles as possible.

### CM (Chloramphenicol) Plates

- ✓ 9. Once media is out of the autoclave, allow it to cool.
- ✓ 10. Add as many uL of CM 1000X Stock as there is mL of media
  - For a 1 L media batch, add 1 mL of CM 1000X stock.
- ✓ 11. Mix the flask well.

- ✓ 12. Pour plates.

Make sure the cover the entire bottom of the plate and remove as many bubbles as possible.

## AMP (Ampicillin) Plates

- ✓ 13. Once media is out of the autoclave, allow it to cool.
- ✓ 14. Add as many uL of AMP 1000X Stock as there is mL of media

For a 1 L media batch, add 1 mL of AMP 1000X stock.

- ✓ 15. Mix the flask well.

- ✓ 16. Pour plates.

Make sure the cover the entire bottom of the plate and remove as many bubbles as possible.

# Glycerol Stocks

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## Introduction

Three concentrations of glycerol stocks.

## Materials

- › Glycerol
- › pico Water
  - › Autoclaved deionized water

## Procedure

### 10% Glycerol Stock

- ✓ 1. Add 50 mL of 100% glycerol to liter bottle
- ✓ 2. Fill bottle to 500 mL with pH<sub>2</sub>O
- ✓ 3. Autoclave on liquid cycle for 15 min
- ✓ 4. Store at room temp

### 50% Glycerol Stock

- ✓ 5. Add 250 mL of 100% glycerol to liter bottle
- ✓ 6. Fill bottle to 500 mL with pH<sub>2</sub>O
- ✓ 7. Autoclave on liquid cycle for 15 min
- ✓ 8. Store at room temp

### Made 20% Glycerol Stocks

- ✓ 9. Add 40 mL of 100% Glycerol to a 500 mL bottle
- ✓ 10. Add 160 mL of pH<sub>2</sub>O.
- ✓ 11. Autoclave on liquid cycle for 15 min.
- ✓ 12. Store at room temp

# Antibiotic Stocks

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## Introduction

Three kinds of antibiotic stocks (1000x). These recipes make 1000X stocks that follow the recommendations for plates.

## Materials

- › Antibiotic Powder
  - › Stored in -20 C freezer
- › Pico Water

## Procedure

### Kanamycin Stocks (10 mL)

- ✓ 1. Use 10 mL of pico water (autoclaved dH<sub>2</sub>O)
- ✓ 2. Add 500 mg of Kanamycin powder (-20 C freezer)
- ✓ 3. Mix well
- ✓ 4. Filter [using antibiotic filters and syringes (in drawer underneath middle bench)] into aliquots of 1 ml epi tubes
- ✓ 5. Store aliquots labeled with concentration (1000x), date, and KAN in -20 C freezer

### Ampicillin Stock (10 mL)

- ✓ 6. Use 10 mL of pico water (autoclaved dH<sub>2</sub>O)
- ✓ 7. Add 1 g of Ampicillin powder (-20 C freezer)
- ✓ 8. Mix well
- ✓ 9. Filter using antibiotic filters into 1 mL aliquots (epi tubes)
- ✓ 10. Store aliquots labeled with concentration (1000x), date, and AMP in -20 C freezer

### Chloramphenicol Stock (10 mL)

- ✓ 11. Use 10 mL of ethanol
- ✓ 12. Add 250 mg of Chloramphenicol powder (-20 C freezer)
- ✓ 13. Mix well
- ✓ 14. Filter using antibiotic filters into 1 mL aliquots (epi tubes)
- ✓ 15. Store aliquots labeled with concentration (1000x), date, and CM in -20 C freezer



4 stocks were made of each strain for now; 4 stocks were made as a back up

Used 50% instead of 20% Glycerol

4 Strains were:

- yib
- pSMART
- 286
- Ecloni

Protocol:

- Freezer Stock Protocol

## Transformations of Gibsons

Used electroporation to transform gibsons into competent cells.

Protocol:

- Electroporation Protocol

Used 50 uL of Competent Cells and 1 uL of DNA

Plated the transformations after a one hour recovery.

## Results:

(5/20)

[Name], [10uL colony #], [200uL colony #]

- badA, 1, 6
- PAM, 0, 0
- TAT, 0, 28
- TBT, 0, 0
- BAPT, 23, Lots
- TAX10, 2, 20
- DBAT, 4, 55
- TycA, 0, 0
- Control, 0
- Calculating Efficiency

CFU/ug = [(Colony #) \* (Dilution) \* (1000 ng/ug)] / X (ng/L) =  $4.4 \times 10^7$  CFU/ug for E-cloni

- CFU = "Colony Forming Unit"

## Notes:

Possible Projects include:

- Cloning hydroxylase enzymes (x7)
- Fermenting Taxadiene (cannot buy)
- Clone 10 genes in Taxol pathway, map how it works (currently unknown)
- Enzyme Engineering - improve enzymes
- NEB videos
- Computation for CRISPR
- Take pictures to document summer work
- Educational Outreach

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## Colony PCR (Emma; Thomas; Adam; Nisa; Parth)

- Protocol:
- Colony PCR Protocol

Table1			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	27
3	MM	12.5	337.5
4	SL1	0.25	6.75
5	SR2	0.25	6.75
6	H2O	12	324

## Ran Gel on Colony PCR

No samples worked  
Only GFP and pSMART had bands present



# Lab Maintenance

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FRIDAY, 5/20/16

## Made Ampicillin and Chloramphenicol Stocks (Nisa; Thomas)

Antibiotic Stocks

Made 7 mL of 200 mg/mL of Ampicillin

Made ~7 mL of 25 mg/mL of Chloramphenicol

## Made KAN and CM Plates (Ben; Emma)

50 KAN plates

35 CM plates

LB Agar Plates

## Made Gels

Gels

Made 3 gels

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## Gibson Assembly

Performed the Gibson again with a new recipe - less vector and more water (ran out of vector)

Used 1 uL of vector; 5 uL of mix, and 1.5 uL of inserts

Gibson\_Plan\_for\_5\_23\_.jpg

Reaction	Vector (uL)	Mix (uL)	Inserts (uL)	Total (uL)
1	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
2	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
3	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
4	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
5	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
6	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
7	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
8	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
9	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
10	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
11	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
12	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
13	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
14	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
15	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
16	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
17	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
18	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
19	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
20	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
21	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
22	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
23	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
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28	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
29	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
30	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
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50	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
51	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
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65	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
66	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
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69	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
70	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
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72	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
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86	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
87	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
88	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
89	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
90	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
91	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
92	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
93	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
94	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
95	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
96	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
97	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
98	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
99	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0
100	1.0	5.0	1.0	7.0

## Transformations of Gibsons

Used 3 uL of DNA; 20 uL of Comp Cells

Recovered for 2-3 hours

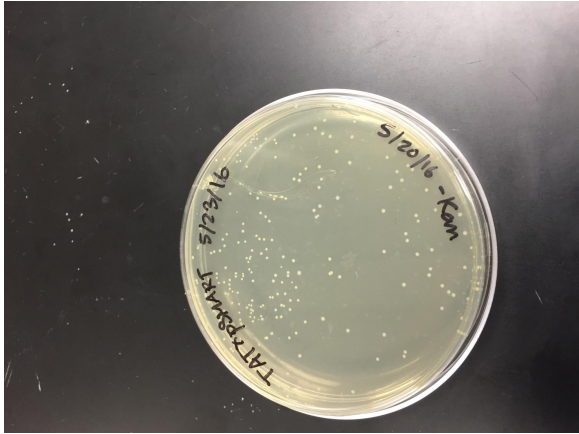
All samples electroporated for 654 ms at around 1600 V

## Plated Transformation

PAM\_Transformed\_5\_23\_2016.JPG



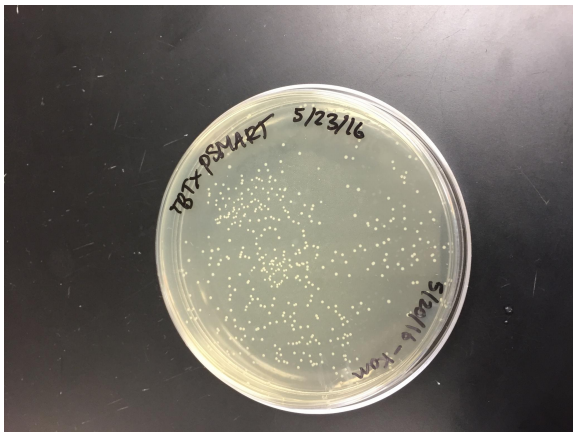
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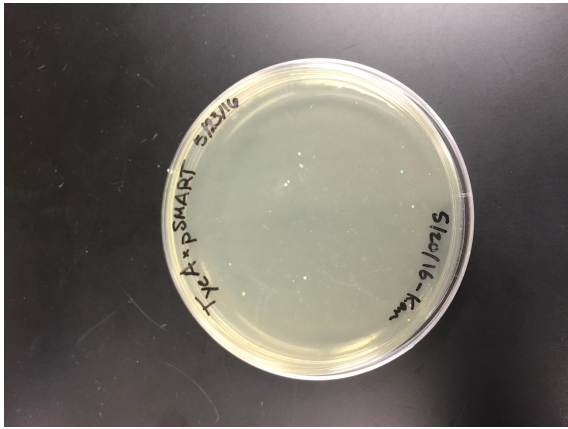
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TBT\_Transformed\_5\_23\_2016.JPG



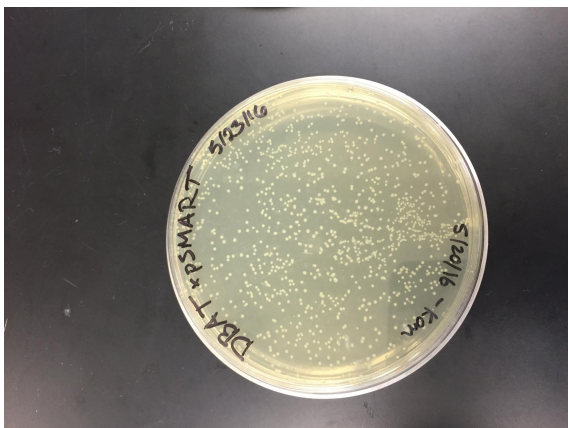
TycA\_Transformed\_5\_23\_2016.JPG



BAPT\_Transformed\_5\_23\_2016.JPG



DBAT\_Transformed\_5\_23\_2016.JPG



BadA did not grow any colonies

## Colony PCR of Old Plates

Plates from 5/20/2016

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Table2			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	16
3	MM	12.5	200
4	SL1	0.25	10
5	SR2	0.25	10
6	H2O	12	200

## Inoculation of E. cloni (Parth; Nisa)

Inoculated a colony of E. cloni in 35 uL of LB broth

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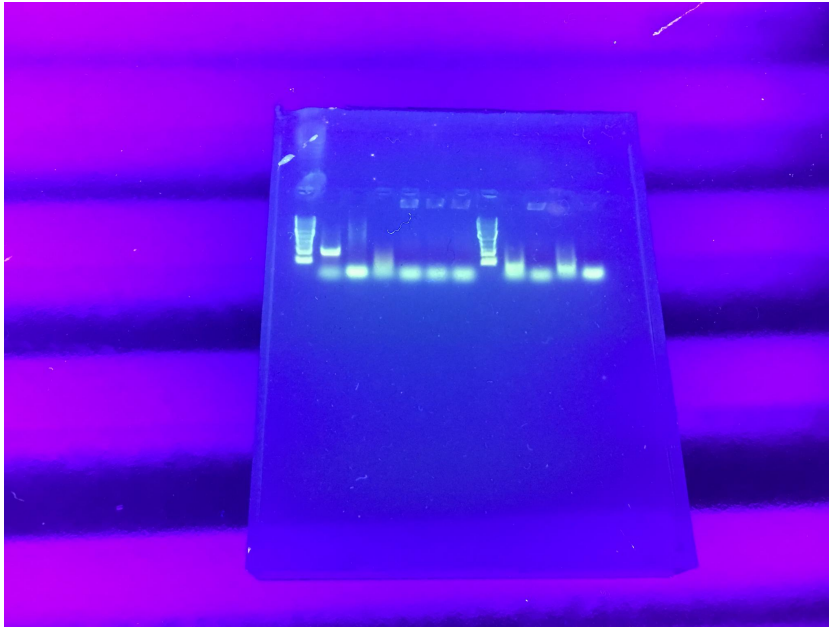
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## Ran Gels on 5/19 Gibsons

8 ul of ladder; 2 ul of DNA stain; 10 ul of DNA; 160 V for 20 min

524\_PCR\_Colony\_Screening\_Gel.jpeg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: Positive Control
- 3: Negative Control
- 4: tycA
- 5: DBAT
- 6: TAX10
- 7: BAPT
- 8: Ladder
- 9: TBT
- 10: TAT
- 11: PAM
- 12: BadA
- 13: Empty

There were no discernible bands; results do not align with expected transformation success

Cause is unknown as there were numerous colonies on plate but no inserts detected

Because the mini prepped positive control clearly worked, hypothesis is that the econoTaq master mix is not successfully breaking down the cells to allow the DNA inside the nucleus to replicate.

## Colony PCR of Gibsons from 5/23 (Ben; Emma)

8 colonies were selected from each plate except BadA

Made LB tubes with 50 mL of KAN + LB

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

## Transformation of badA into Comp Cells

Used badA Gibson from 5/23 and E. cloni from 5/24

Separated Gibson into three different transformations (T1, T2, and T3)

Recovered for 3 hours before plating onto KAN plates

Left overnight in incubator at 37 C

Electroporation Results:

- T1: 250 V; 654 ms
- T2: 1690 V; 654 ms
- T3: 660 V; 654 ms

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## Preparation of E. cloni Comp Cells (Parth; Nisa)

Electrocompetent Cells

Left culture overnight; did not check OD

Washed with glycerol 6 times

Forgot to do the final spin down and resuspension of equal volume of glycerol (these steps were not written in the protocol at the time, protocol has been updated)

Aliquoted 50 uL into 1.7 mL epi tubes

## Made Gels

Made 2 more gels; wrapped in cling wrap and stored in 4 C fridge

Gels

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## Ran Gels for Colony PCR from 5/24

Protocol:

- Gels

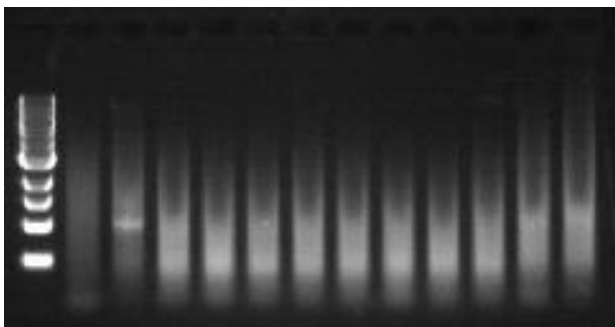
Used 10 uL of DNA instead of 5 uL of H2O and 5 uL of DNA

The Controls were diluted with 7uL of H2O in order to have enough to use in every gel (there was only 25 uL available after the PCR). The controls were also diluted by H2O in each well (5 uL of DNA and 5 uL of H2O). Controls were yibDp-GFP (+) and pSmart, no insert (-)

Two sets of three Gels ran for 35 min at 160 V

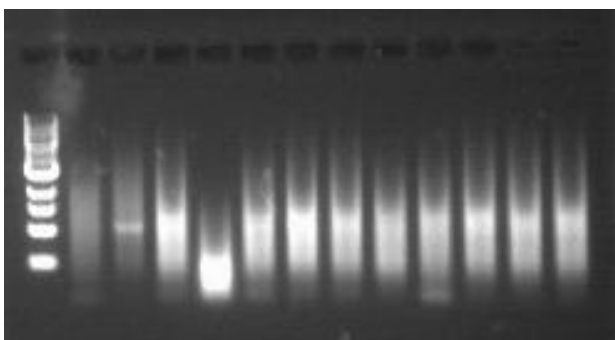
**Note: Controls seemed to be the flipped version of what was expected. Assumed that controls were mislabeled**

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- 1: Ladder
- 2: Negative Control
- 3: Positive Control
- 4-11: PAM 1-8
- 12-13: BAPT 3-4

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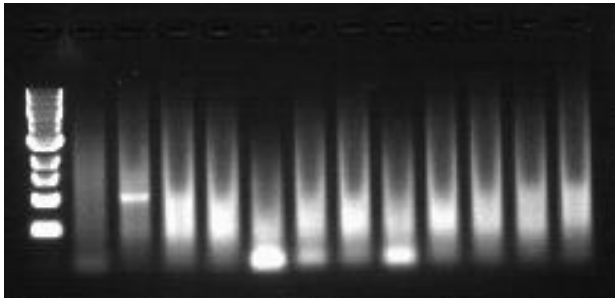


- 1: Ladder
- 2: Positive Control
- 3: Negative Control
- 4-11: DBAT 1-8
- 12-13: BAPT 1-2

\*DBAT 2 (well 5) was a poor band length; less sample was added



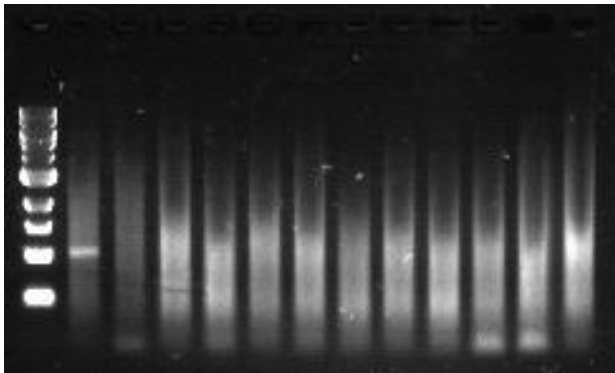
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- 1: Ladder
- 2: Positive Control
- 3: Negative Control
- 4-11: TAT 1-8
- 12-13: BAPT 5-6

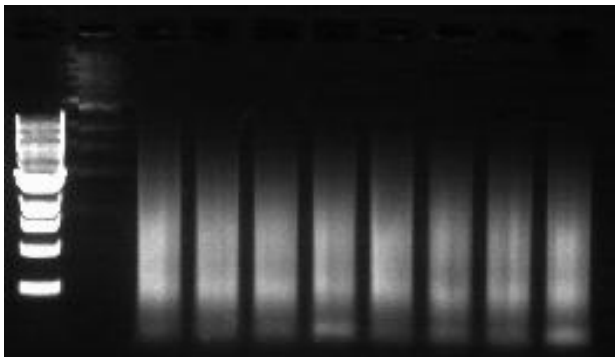
\*TAT 3-6 (wells 6-9) had bands too small

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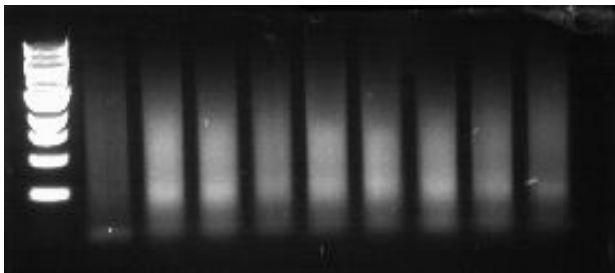
- 1: Ladder
- 2: Negative Control
- 3: Positive Control
- 4-11: TBT 1-8
- 12-13: BAPT 7-8

05252016\_Brandon2.jpg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: Negative Control
- 3-10: TAX10 1-8

05252016\_Suzie2.jpg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: Negative Control
- 3-10: TycA 1-8

## DNA PCR (Emma; Thomas)

Goal: To determine if the Gibsons worked; Is the Colony PCR lysing the cells enough?

Used Colony PCR protocol but added 1 uL of DNA instead of 1 colony

For BadA, 2 uL of dH<sub>2</sub>O was added to the gibson and the entire volume added to the PCR tube

# Protocol:

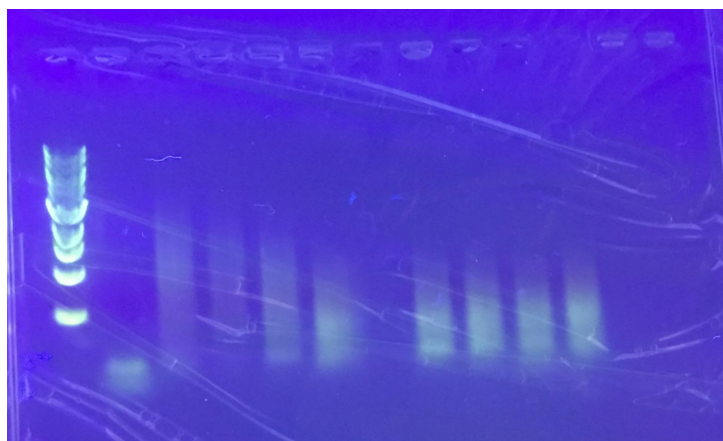
- Colony PCR Protocol

Table3

	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	10
3	MM	12.5	125
4	SL1	0.25	2.5
5	SR2	0.25	2.5
6	H2O	12	120

## Ran Gel

05252016\_PCRAmplificationofGibsonReactions.jpeg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: pSMART
- 3: badA
- 4: PAM
- 5: TAT
- 6: TBT
- 7: Empty
- 8: BAPT
- 9: TAX10
- 10: DBAT
- 11: TycA
- 12-13: Empty

No insert bands appeared

Suspected that the yib and pSMART labels were switched as the control was a pSMART and not the intended yib; labeling has been changed on tubes and on the picture.

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## Made Gels

Gels
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Made 3 gels

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## Econo Taq PCR (Ben)

**Goal:** Test YibDp and pSmart in freezer to see if they are mislabeled; Is there a better Master Mix Recipe?

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Two Master Mixes were made

- MM1 used the protocol given us by Charlie (0.25uL of each primer).
- MM2 used the protocol Adam remembers (1.25uL of each primer in each tube).

The YibDp and the pSmart in the freezer were run on the PCR machine under each of these MM conditions. The mixes are given below:

- Added 25uL EconoTaq / .5uL SL1 / .5uL SR2 / 24uL pH2O to Master Mix 1. 23uL of this was added to two tubes. 1.5uL DNA added after.
  - Each Reaction: 12.5uL EconoTaq / .25uL each primer / 12uL pH2O / Total = 25uL - 2uL to account for potential pipetting error
- Added 25uL EconoTaq / 2.5uL SL1 / 2.5uL SR2 / 20uL pH2O to Master Mix 2. 23uL of this was added to two tubes. 1.5uL DNA added after.
  - Each Reaction: 12.5uL EconoTaq / 1.25uL each primer / 10uL pH2O / Total = 25uL - 2uL to account for potential pipetting error.
- These were run on the same PCR protocol as yesterday. (98C for 5min, then cycle x35: (98C for 30s) / (50C for 30s) / (72C for 3min)

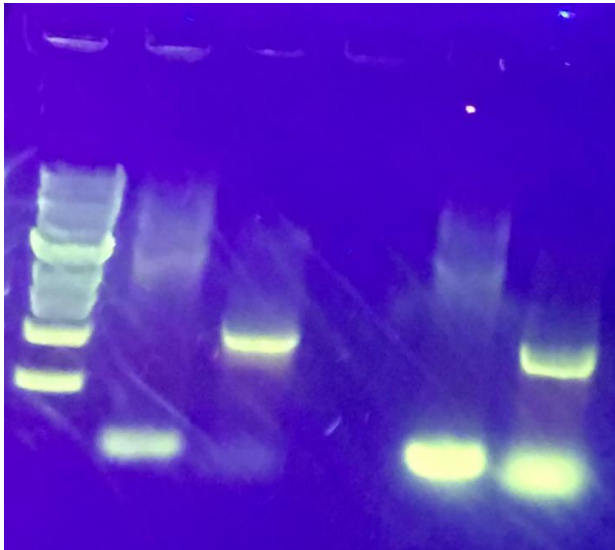
Note: 3min is overkill... Whoops; specifically, the increased extension time is unnecessary due to our insert being ~1kb

The PCR was then ran on a gel

Expectation:

- 1kb band in both yibDp-GFPs, garbage in pSmart (since there is no insert)
- If the results of the samples seem flipped, then the minipreps of the samples located in the fridge have their labels swapped
- If the samples with 1.25 uL of primer are clearer, then the PCR protocol will be updated with this improvement

05/26/2016 psmart vs yibd.jpeg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: yibDp-GFP \*
- 3: pSMART \*
- 4: Empty
- 5: yibDp-GFP \*\*
- 6: pSMART \*\*

\*0.25 uL of primer

\*\* 1.25 uL of primer

The bands indicate that the minipreps had their labels swapped.

PCR machine is proven effective at doing PCR.

0.25 uL of primer is adequate for good PCR results.

## Inoculations (Ben)

The following culture samples were inoculated from single colony plates (2 colonies per plate) into 5mL of LB+Kan. The numbers were marked with the corresponding colonies on the plates:

- BAPT-1
- BAPT-2
- DBAT-1
- DBAT-2
- TAT-1
- TAT-2
- TycA-1
- TycA-2
- PAM-1
- PAM-2
- TBT-1
- TBT-2
- BadA-1
- BadA-2
- TAX10-1
- TAX10-2

5/27 All cultures grew except for BadA-1

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## Freezer Stocks/Miniprep/Concentration Check of Inoculations

Protocols:

- Freezer Stocks Protocol
- Miniprep Protocol NEB
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations

Freezer Stock Edit: Used 500 uL of glycerol and culture instead of 750 uL. Stocks were created for each inoculation from 5/26.

Miniprep Edit: Used a 50 uL elution.

Table4									
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1	Sample:	PAM-1	PAM-2	DBAT-1	DBAT-2	TBT-1	TBT-2	TAX10-1	TAX10-2
2	ng/uL:	11	300	88	94	57	175	89	96
3	Sample:	BAPT-1	BAPT-2	TycA-1	TycA-2	BadA-1	BadA-2	TAT-1	TAT-2
4	ng/uL:	101	63	11	48	5	146	59	119

## PCR Mini prepped DNA

Used a colony PCR protocol

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Due to concentration results and limited quantity of Econo Taq, PAM-1, TycA-1, and BadA-1 were not run

Used 0.28 uL of each primer instead of 0.25 uL

Used 1 ng/uL dilutions of the mini prepped DNA

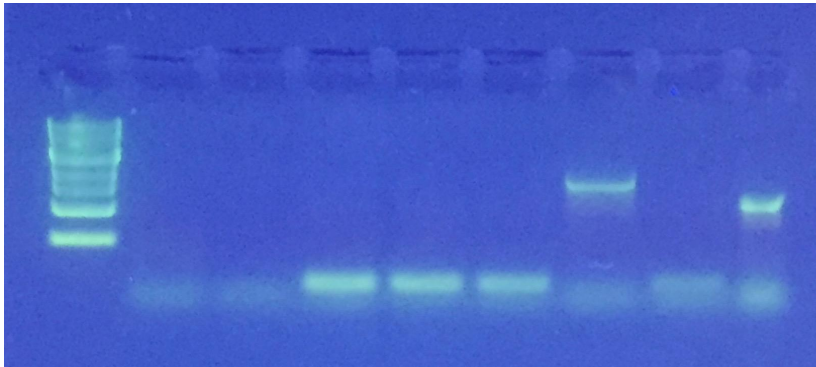
Dilutions were made in small epi tubes and stored in the -20 C freezer

Gel was run on the PCR Results

Protocol:

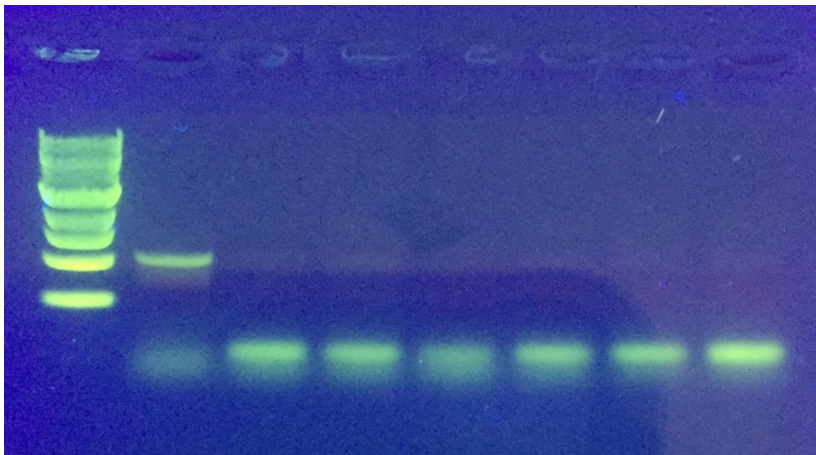
- Gels

5-27-16\_Angelica (1).jpg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: BadA-2
- 3: PAM-2
- 4: TAT-1
- 5: TAT-2
- 6: TBT-1
- 7: TBT-2
- 8: BAPT-1
- 8.5: Yib-pD

5-27-16\_Brandon (1).jpg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: Yib-pD
- 3: BAPT-2
- 4: TAX10-1
- 5: TAX10-2
- 6: DBAT-1
- 7: DBAT-2
- 8: TycA-2

Only TBT-2 showed the expected band size

## Sequencing

Total of 16.5 uL of DNA/dilution in each sample tube

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Calculations (for 2 samples and primers SL1 and SR2):

- PAM-2:  $V_1 = \frac{(100 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{L})(16.5 \mu\text{L})}{(300 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{L})} = 5.5 \mu\text{L DNA}$  (add 11 uL dH<sub>2</sub>O to make dilution)
- TBT-2:  $V_1 = \frac{(100 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{L})(16.5 \mu\text{L})}{(175 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{L})} = 9.43 \mu\text{L DNA}$  (add 7.07 uL dH<sub>2</sub>O to make dilution)
- Each Primer:  $V_1 = \frac{(5 \mu\text{Mol})(75 \mu\text{L})}{(100 \mu\text{Mol})} = 3.75 \mu\text{L Primer}$  (add 71.25 uL dH<sub>2</sub>O to make dilution)

5/28: Only TBT-2 and PAM-2 showed positive on the sequencing

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## Colony PCR of 5/23 Transformations

Goal: To use probability to find colonies with inserts for those inserts that came back with an empty vector from sequencing

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Table5			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	100
3	MM	12.5	1250
4	SL1	0.25	25
5	SR2	0.25	25
6	H2O	12	1200

Ran:

- PAM Colony and Miniprep
- TBT Miniprep
- BAPT 20 colonies
- TAX10 20 colonies
- DBAT 20 colonies
- TAT 14 colonies
- BadA 14 colonies
- pSMART 1 sample
- GFP 1 sample
- ProD 2 colonies

Used an elongation of 3.5 min

For Gel:

Used a 100 well gell mold

Used 450 mL of agarose; 45 uL of dye

Protocol:

- Gels

Ran Gels:

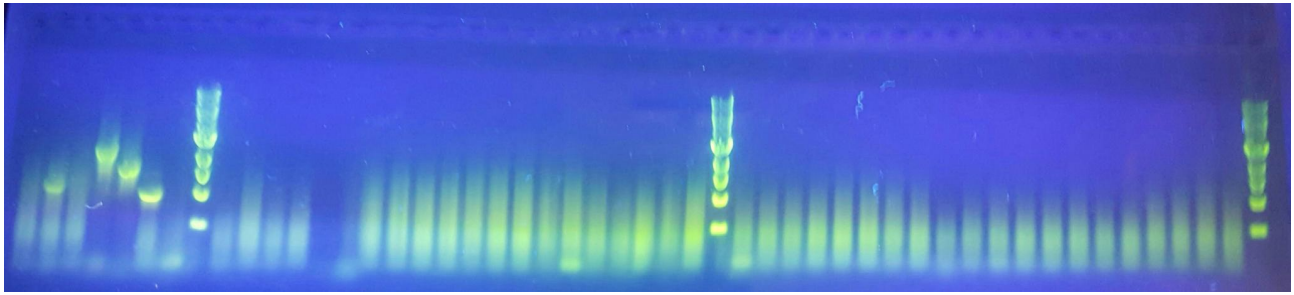
Used 10 uL of DNA from PCR; 2 uL of dye

Ran for 35 min at 160 V

During loading, the pipette tips continuously retained some of sample or fell off

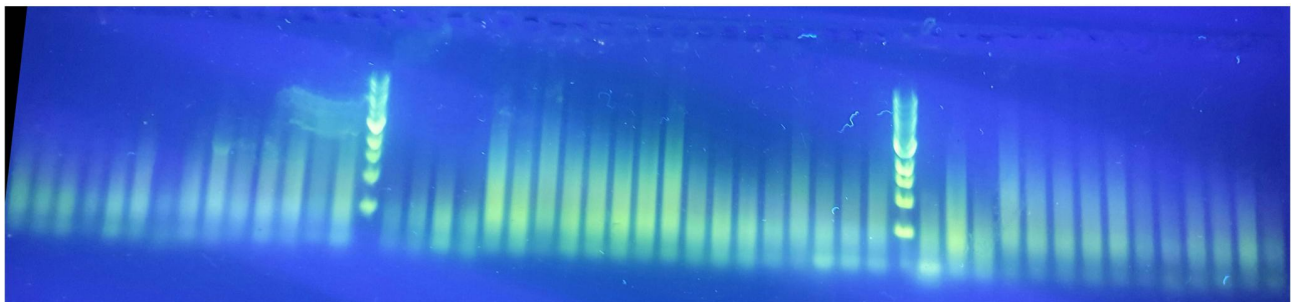


5:31:16 Big Bertha Row 1.jpg



1: Pro D  
2: Pro D  
3: PAM Colony  
4: PAM Mini prep  
5: TBT Mini prep  
6: GFP  
7: PSM  
8: Ladder  
9-29: BAPT 1-20  
30: Ladder  
31-50: TAX10 1-20

5/31/2016 Big Bertha Row 2.jpg



1-14: TAT 1-14  
15: Ladder  
16-35: DBAT 1-20  
36: Ladder  
37-50: BadA 1-14

Only the TBT miniprep, PAM miniprep, TAT colony 9, and TAT colony 10 showed the expected band sizes.

## Made dilution of sequence confirmed PAM and TBT

Diluted samples to 50 ng/uL

- For TBT Dilution, used 5.7 uL of DNA with 14.3 uL of pico H<sub>2</sub>O
- For PAM Dilution, used 3.3 uL of DNA with 16.7 uL of pico H<sub>2</sub>O

## Inoculation of ProD Cultures

Picked 2 colonies from proD plate (proD-1 and proD-2)

Inoculated in 10 mL of LB+KAN

Also Inoculated TAT 9, TAT 10, DBAT 16, DBAT 18, and DBAT 20.

# Transformations of TBT and TycA

Protocol:

- Electroporation Protocol

TBT was transformed into two cultures

- TBT 1 - 1710 V 3.9 ms
- TBT 2 - 1710 V 4.0 ms

TycA was transformed into one culture

- TycA - 1580 V 654 ms

Recovered for 3 hours

3 uL of DNA and 20 uL of Comp Cells was used

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## Freezer Stocks of 5/31 Inoculations

Protocol:

- Freezer Stock Protocol

Used 500 uL of glycerol and culture instead of 750 uL

Created stocks of

- TAT 9
- TAT 10
- DBAT 16
- DBAT 18
- DBAT 20

## Double Colony PCR

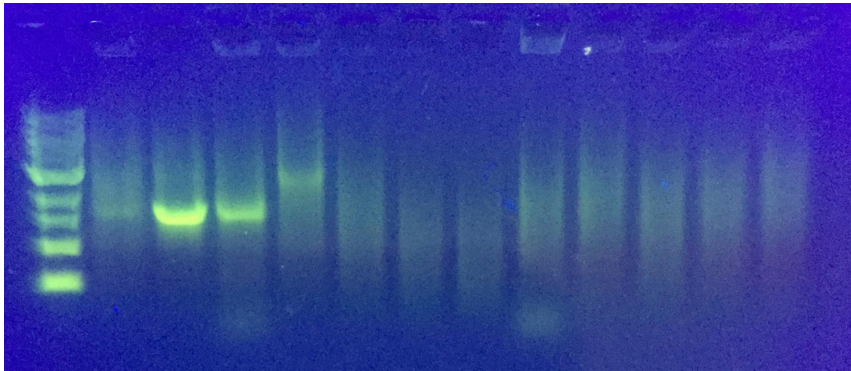
Mike's method of smearing things on the side of the PCR tube before pipetting into the tube was used for all big colonies. The smaller colonies were dipped into the master mix.

- 200uL pipette tips were used to pick and smear the colonies.
- Experimental setup:
  - 8 colonies from: TAX10, BAPT, BadA
    - 2 of each colony, half tested on PCR machine in Teer basement lab and half in Lynch lab. Results will be compared later.
  - 4 controls: PAM-2 Colony, PAM-2 Miniprep, GFP Miniprep, pSmart Miniprep in both lab tests
  - 72 total reactions, made 74 Master mix according to the following:
    - 1x // 74x
    - 12.5 uL Econo // 925 uL
    - .25 uL SL1 // 18.5 uL
    - .25 uL SR2 // 18.5 uL
    - 12 uL H2O // 888 uL
    - 25 uL total // 1850 uL
    - NOTE: WE WERE 7 REACTIONS SHORT. PIPETTES NEED CALIBRATION
  - Protocol used in Teer basement:
    - Start: 98C for 10 min.
    - Cycle (x40)
      - Melt 98C for 45s
      - Anneal 50C for 45s
      - Extend 72C for 3m 30s
        - Time = (1 min / kbase)\*length(longest amplificant)
        - Time = 1min/kbase \* length(longest amplificant)
    - 4C for inf

Colony PCR

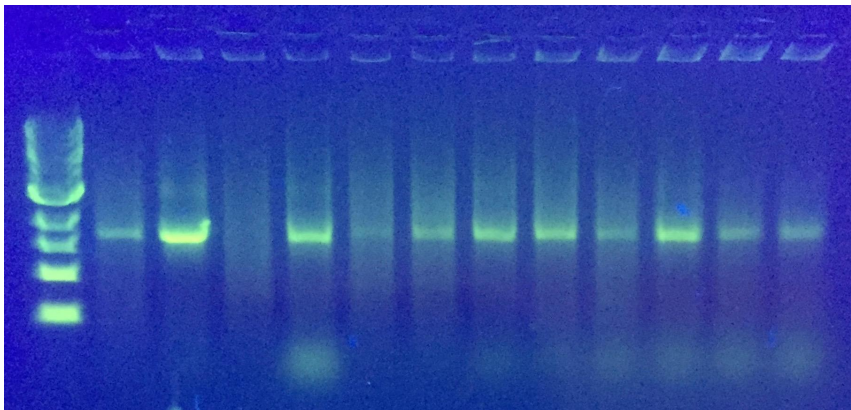
Ran Gel on PCR in both Teer and in Lynch Labs

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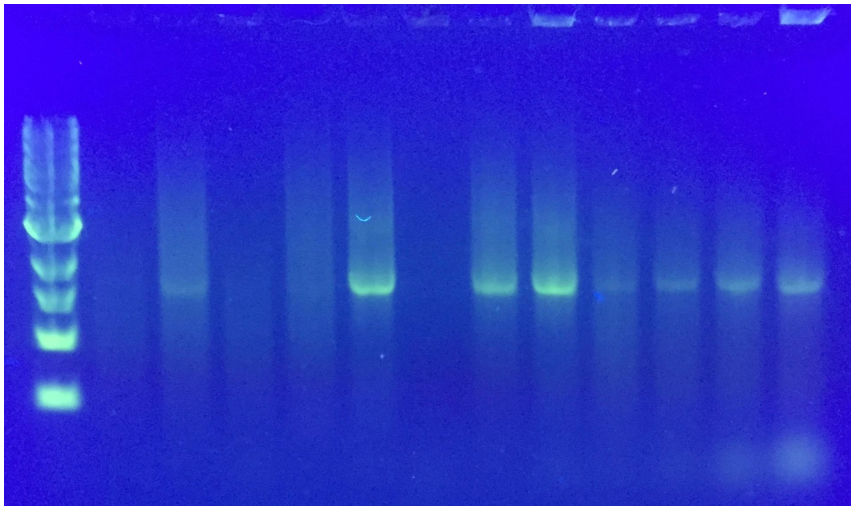
1: Ladder  
2: GFP  
3: PAM - Mini prep  
4: PAM Colony  
5: pSMART  
6-13: BadA A-H

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1:Ladder  
2-9: TAX10 A-H  
10-13: BadA A-D

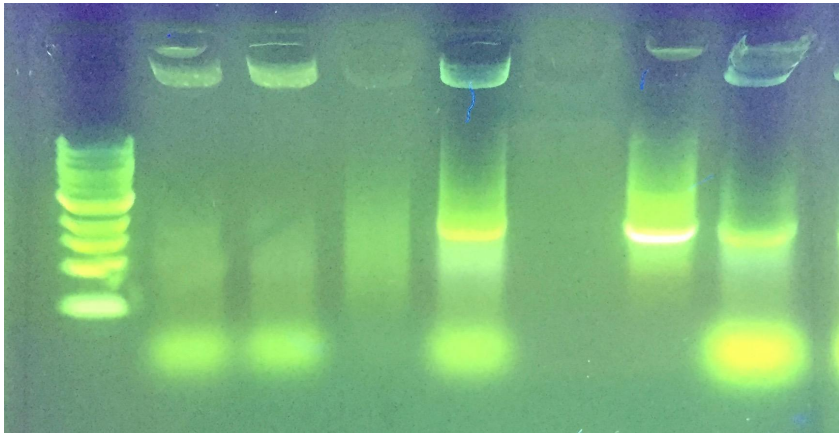
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1: Ladder  
2-9: BAPT A-H  
10-13: BadA E-H

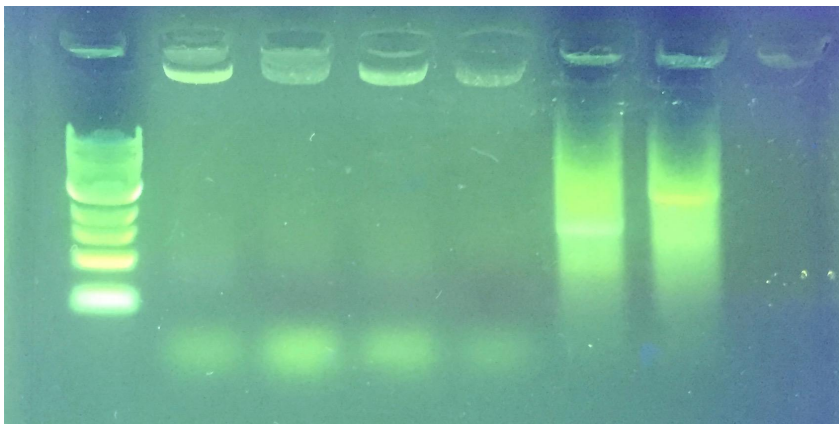


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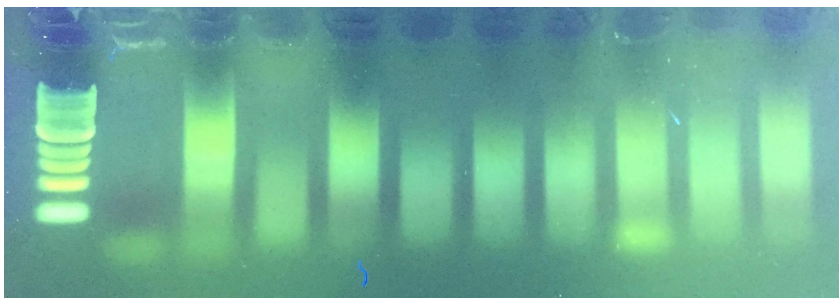
1: Ladder  
2-5: BAPT A-D  
6: Empty  
7: PAM Miniprep  
8: PAM Colony

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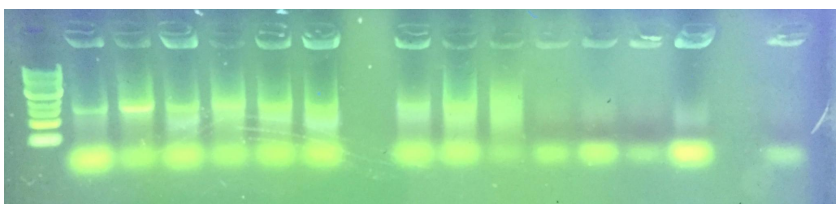
1: Ladder  
2-5: BAPT E-H  
6: pSMART  
7: GFP  
8: Empty

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1: Ladder  
2-3: TAX10 G-H  
4-11: BadA A-H

6-1-16\_Gel4.jpg



1: Ladder  
2-9: BadA A-H  
10-15: TAX10 A-F

In the Teer Gels Positive Results included:

- TAX10- (A,B,D,E,G,H)
- BAPT- (B, D, E, G, H)

- badA- (A, B, C, D, F, G, H)

## Inoculation of Positive Colonies

Colonies denoted in red in the above results were inoculated in 5 mL of LB + KAN and left in the shaker over night

## Mini prep/Concentration Check of Successful Transformations from 5/31 (Nisa; Thomas)

Protocols:

- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations

Miniprep Edit: Used 50 uL elution

Table6						
	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	Sample	TAT-9	TAT-10	DBAT-16	DBAT-18	DBAT-20
2	ng/uL (Concentration)	121	80	117	72	55

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## Made KAN Plates

Stored most of KAN plates in bag in 4 C fridge -- the rest stored at room temp on shelf

Made 1 L of Agar for plates - all plates were KAN plate

LB Agar Plates

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## Colony PCR on TycA Plate (Emma; Ben)

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

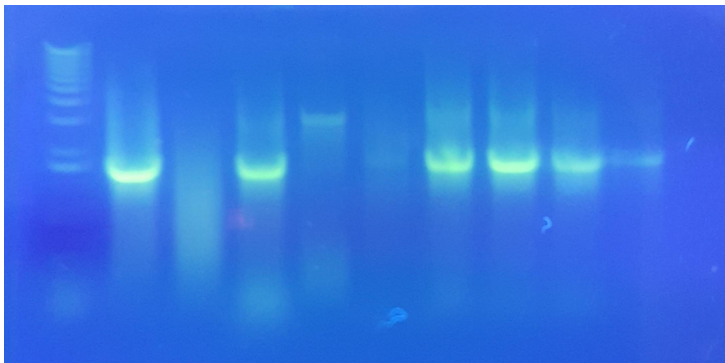
Duplicate NOT run in Lynch Lab

Used an elongation of 4.5 min

Smeared 10 colonies using Mike's method

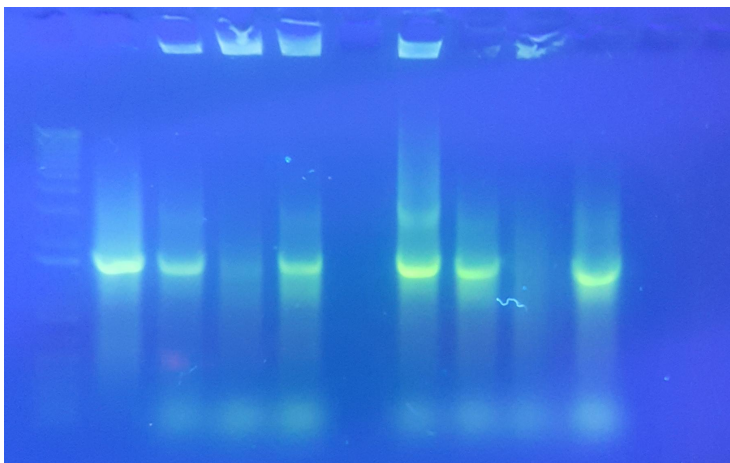
Ran a Gel

6-2-2016 Angelica (TycA).jpg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: GFP
- 3: PAM Mini prep
- 4: PAM Colony
- 5: pSMART
- 6-9: TycA 1-4
- 10: Spillage from TycA 4

6-2-2016 Brandon (TycA).jpg



- 1: Ladder
- 2: GFP
- 3: PAM Colony
- 4-5: TycA 9-10
- 6: Empty
- 7-10: TycA 5-8

Due to Gel results, TycA Samples 1-6, 9, and 10 were chosen for inoculation

## Inoculation of Colonies

TycA Samples 1-6, 9, and 10 were inoculated in 5 mL of LB+KAN

## Freezer Stocks/Miniprep/Concentration Check/Sequencing of Successful 6/1 Transformations (Parth, Nisa)



Samples:

- TAX10- (A,B,D,E,G,H)
- BAPT- (B, D, E, G, H)
- badA- (A, B, C, D, F, G, H)

Protocols:

- Freezer Stocks Protocol
- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Preparation for Sequencing

Miniprep Edit: Used a 50 uL elution

Table9								
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	Sample:	TAX10-A	TAX10-B	TAX10-D	TAX10-E	TAX10-G	TAX10-H	
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	69	203	210	190	132	94	
3	Sample:	BAPT-B	BAPT-D	BAPT-E	BAPT-G	BAPT-H		
4	Concentration (ng/uL)	61	51	146	142	180		
5	Sample:	badA-A	badA-B	badA-C	badA-D	badA-F	badA-G	badA-H
6	Concentration (ng/uL)	52	209	60	100	165	149	130

Results of Testing DNA Concentration

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## Made Gels

2 Gels were made

Gels
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## Autoclaved Tips and Glassware

Autoclaved 10 boxes of 200 tips and 5 boxes of 10 tips on gravity cycle

Autoclaved beakers and flasks

## Made 20% Glycerol Stocks

Glycerol Stocks
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40 mL of 100% Glycerol was added to 160 mL pH<sub>2</sub>O

## Freezer Purge

The freezer stocks were gone through and all negative sequence stocks were discarded.

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## Freezer Stocks/Miniprep/Concentration Check of TycA

Labels were pGEM40-48 for samples TycA 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10

Protocols:

- Freezer Stocks Protocol
  - Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
  - Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Miniprep Edit: First step is 3500 rmp for 8 min

Table11				
	A	B	C	D
1	Sample:	tycA 1	TycA 2	TycA 3
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	83	25	42
3	Sample:	TycA 4	TycA 5	TycA 6
4	Concentration (ng/uL)	75	36	53
5	Sample:	TycA 8	TycA 9	TycA 10
6	Concentration (ng/uL)	51	51	71

## Transformations

Protocol:

- Electroporation Protocol

DBAT, BAPT, TAX10, and TycA were transformed into competent E Cloni Cells

Recovered in Shaker for 2 hours.

Table10			
	A	B	C
1	Sample	Volts	milliseconds
2	BAPT	1520	654
3	TAX10	1540	654
4	DBAT 1	1570	0.9
5	DBAT 2	1570	654
6	TycA 1	1610	1.3
7	TycA 2	1630	1.3

Transformations were then plated:

Table12			
	A	B	C
1	Sample	10 uL	100 uL
2	BAPT	A	B
3	TAX10	A	B
4	DBAT 1	A	B
5	DBAT 2	A	B

TycA 1 and TycA 2 were both plated with 200 uL

## Inoculated TycA

(1-8) small colonies and placed in shaker

## Sent for Sequencing

Protocol:

- Preparation for Sequencing

These samples were sent for sequencing:

- TycA 1-6, 8-10
- BadA-B

Did not dilute,

Sent 10 uL of each sample

Only sent in 1 primer

- TycA sent in with SL1
- BadA-B sent in with SR2

## Diluted Samples

Diluted samples of BadA-B and TAT-9 to 50 ng/uL

- BadA => 1.2 uL DNA; 3.8 uL pH<sub>2</sub>O
- TAT => 2.1 uL DNA; 2.9 uL pH<sub>2</sub>O

# Colony PCR

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Made a double PCR; ran one set on the old PCR machine; ran the new set on the new PCR machine

Samples run were:

- pSMART
- GFP
- ProD Colony
- ProD Colony
- PAM-2 Colony
- PAM-2 Miniprep
- TBT Miniprep
- BadA-B Miniprep
- TAT-9 Miniprep

Table13			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	24
3	MM	12.5	300
4	SL1	0.25	6
5	SR2	0.25	6
6	H2O	12	288

Added a new protocol to the new PCR machine

- Saved in a new folder "IGEM 2016" as "IGEM COL V1"
  - Ran for 30s at 50, 72, and 98 with an elongation of 4.5 min

## Notes:

BadA is Sequence Confirmed

Tax10 and BAPT were blanks

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## Made Gels

Made 2 new gels and left in fridge for weekend

Gels
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## Freezer Stocks of TycA and addition to Database

Protocol:

- Freezer Stock Protocol

Labels were pGEM049-056 for samples TycA 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

## Mini Prep Inoculations for TycA

Protocol:

- Miniprep Protocol NEB

The following inoculations were mini prepped:

- TycA 1
- TycA 2
- TycA 3
- TycA 4
- TycA 5
- TycA 7
- TycA 8
- TycA 9

Used a 50 uL elution.

Left minipreps for concentration testing on monday.

## Concentrations (from 6/6 for these minipreps):

Protocol:

- Testing Miniprep Concentrations

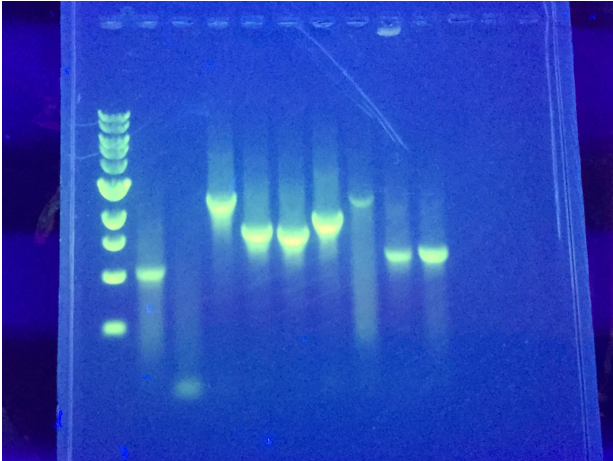
Tested Concentrations using nanodrop

Table17								
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	Sample	TycA-2	TycA-3	TycA-4	TycA-5	TycA-7	TycA-8	TycA-9
2	Round 1 (ng/uL)	33	10	22	6	3	5	5
3	Round 2 (ng/uL)	13	43	52	3	19	4	22
4	Concentration used:	33	43	52	N/A	19	N/A	22

## Ran Gel on 6/3 PCR

The two PCR on 6/2 were run on two PCR machines. Samples tested in Angelica were from the old PCR machine and samples tested on Brandon were from the new PCR machine.

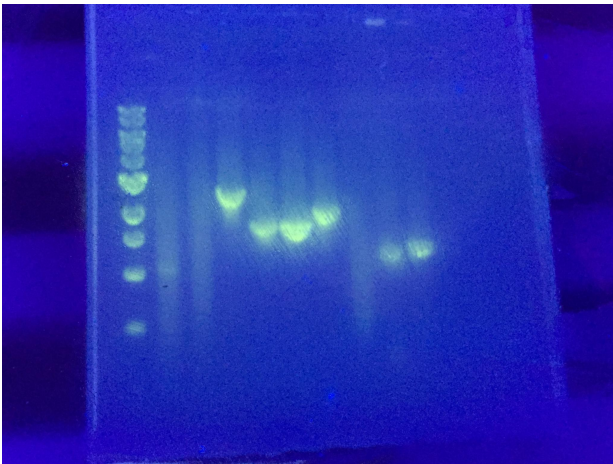
06/03/2016 Angelica.JPG



30s denature, 30s anneal, 3:30 elongation, 35 cycles, oldmachine

- 1: Ladder
- 2: GFP
- 3: pSMART
- 4: PAM Miniprep
- 5: TBT Miniprep
- 6: TAT Miniprep
- 7: BAdA Miniprep
- 8: PAM Colony
- 9: ProD 1
- 10: ProD2
- 11-13: Empty

06/03/2016 Brandon.JPG



30s denature, 30s anneal, 3:30 elongation, 35 cycles, new machine

- 1: Ladder
- 2: GFP
- 3: pSMART
- 4: PAM Miniprep
- 5: TBT Miniprep
- 6: TAT Miniprep
- 7: BAdA Miniprep
- 8: PAM Colony
- 9: ProD 1
- 10: ProD2
- 11-13: Empty

## Plated Gibson Transformations (Parth)

DBAT, TAX10, and BAPT were all plated on to Kan plates with the following uL amounts.

- 10 uL, 50 uL, 100 uL of transformation per enzyme



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## Colony PCR of Controls

Goal: Testing if the 45 second annealing and denature steps affected controls

Protocol:

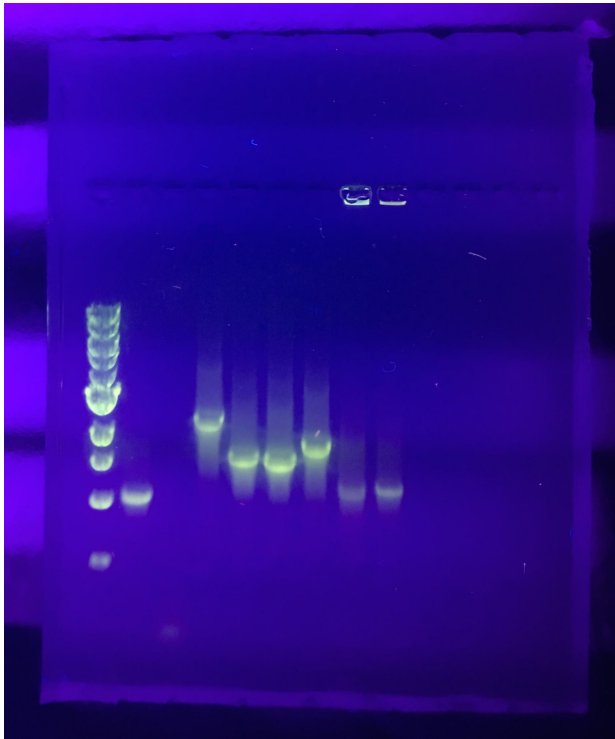
- Colony PCR Protocol
- PCR of controls:
- Standard PCR mix used
  - Miniprep DNA diluted to 50ng/ul concentration

Samples: GFP, Psmart, Pam Mini, TBT mini, TAT mini, BADA Mini, PAM colony, ProD 1, Prod D2

Table16			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	24
3	MM	12.5	300
4	SL1	0.25	6
5	SR2	0.25	6
6	H2O	12	288
7	Total	25	600

Ran Gel

image (4).jpeg



45s denature, 45s anneal 3:30 elongation 35 cycles, Old machine

1:Ladder

2:GFP

3:pSMART

4:PAM miniprep

5:TBT miniprep

6:TAT miniprep

7:badA miniprep

8:proD colony

9:proD colony

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## Gels for PCR (Jaydeep)

Made 4 gels, 200mL total

Gels
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## Colony PCR (Ben; Nisa)

Goal: Try different times and protocols to see where our controls stopped working

Notes:

- Running 4:30 elongation time on old PCR (Mike) and new PCRA (Charlie). 3:30 on new PCRB (NEB)
- Ran with 40x cycles

Samples used:

- PSM, GFP, PAM C, PAM M , BadA M, TBT M, TAT M, ProD C, ProD C.

(Time in: About 10:20a)

Table14					
	A	B	C	D	E
1			(# col +1 control)	Using Old MM (Used in the first 6 that went into Mike)	New MM to make
2	Thing	1 rxn	30	6	24
3	MM	12.5	375	75	300
4	SL1	0.25	7.5	1.5	6
5	SR2	0.25	7.5	1.5	6
6	H2O	12	360	72	288
7	Total	25	750	150	600

Left Gels for tomorrow

## Miniprep of DBAT, TAX10, and BAPT (Jay > Ben, Parth)

Goal: Miniprep....

Protocol:

- Miniprep Protocol NEB
- 50 uL elution of dH2O

Inoculation samples used:

- TAX10 (1-6)
- DBAT (1-6)
- BAPT (1-6)

## Concentrations:

Protocol:

- Testing Miniprep Concentrations

Table18							
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	TAX10 Sample	1	2	3	4	5	6
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	127	119	-12	40	98	84
3	DBAT Sample	1	2	3	4	5	6
4	Concentration (ng/uL)	-2	59	122	13	116	63
5	BAPT Sample	1	2	3	4	5	6
6	Concentration (ng/uL)	24	41	23	14	73	100

## Transformation of Sequence Confirmed Mini prep into 286 Cells(Thomas; Emma)

Goal: That our minipreped sequence confirmed cells can be transformed into the more robust 286 cells

Protocol:

- Electroporation Protocol

Details:

- Transformed: sequence confirmed minipreps of PAM-2, TBT-2, TAT-9, BadA-B
- Used 500ul tubes
- because of a shortage of 1.5ml tubes

left incubator for 2.5 hours

Recorded volts during electroporation

Table15		A	B	C
1	Sample	Volts	Milliseconds	
2	TAT -9 A	610	654	
3	TAT-9 B	1690	3.5	
4	BadA B	1680	3.8	
5	PAM-2	1680	3.4	
6	TBT-2	1710	4	

## Sequencing (Parth, Thomas)

Protocol:

- Preparation for Sequencing

Sent the following samples for sequencing along with SL1 primer:

- TycA- (2,3,4,7,9)

- TAX10- (1,2,4,5,6)
- DBAT- (2,4,5,6)\*
  - Accidentally sent sample 4 instead of 3
- BAPT- (2,5,6)

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## Gels for PCR (Ben; Jaydeep)

Made 4 gels, 200mL tot

Gels
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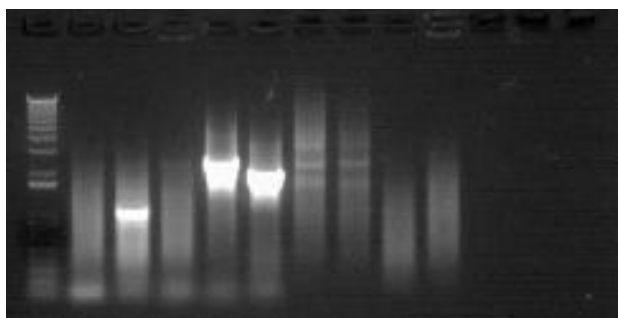
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## Ran Gels for PCR Colony on 6/6

Protocol:


- Gels

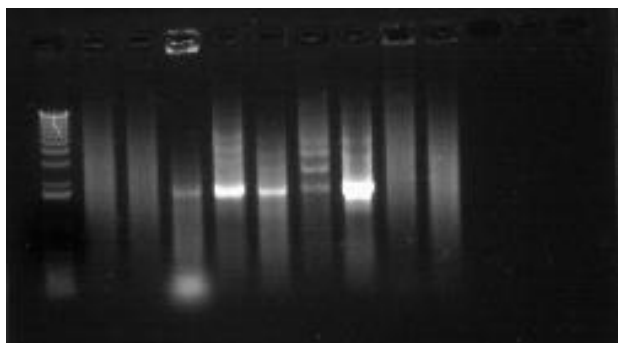
 Mike-4m30s\_elong.jpg



denature 45s, anneal 45s, elongation 4:30, 40 cycles, old machine

- 1: Ladder
- 2: pSMART
- 3: GFP
- 4: PAM Colony
- 5: PAM Miniprep
- 6: BadA Miniprep
- 7: TBT Miniprep
- 8: TAT Miniprep
- 9: ProD Colony
- 10: ProD Colony
- 11-13: Empty

 Charlie-4m30s\_elong.jpg

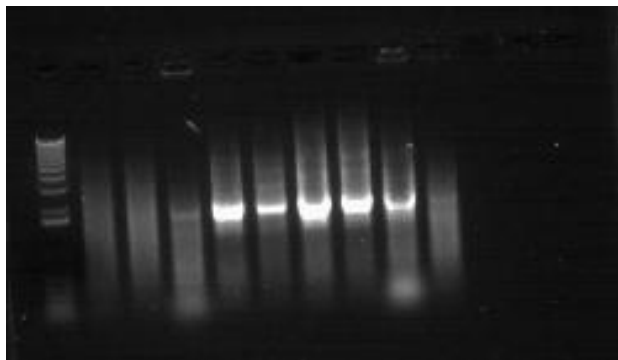


denature 45s, anneal 45s, elongation 4:30, 40 cycles, new machine

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- 4: PAM Colony
- 5: PAM Miniprep
- 6: BadA Miniprep
- 7: TBT Miniprep
- 8: TAT Miniprep
- 9: ProD Colony
- 10: ProD Colony
- 11-13: Empty



NEB-3m30s\_elong.jpg



denature 45s, anneal 45s, elongation 3:30, 40 cycles, new machine

- 1: Ladder
- 2: pSMART
- 3: GFP
- 4: PAM Colony
- 5: PAM Miniprep
- 6: BadA Miniprep
- 7: TBT Miniprep
- 8: TAT Miniprep
- 9: ProD Colony
- 10: ProD Colony
- 11-13: Empty

Well that didn't work quite right... Time for the next experiment!

## PCR again: Find working Protocol for long TycA inserts

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

GFP, Psm, PAM-M, PAM-C, TBT-M, TBT-C, TAT-M, TAT-C, BadA-M, BadA-C, ProD-1, ProD-2

Note: Add in 1 uL of 20-50ng/uL DNA.

Table7

	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	38
3	MM	12.5	475
4	SL1	0.25	9.5
5	SR2	0.25	9.5
6	H2O	12	456
7	Total	25	950

Labels:

Table8

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	GFP	P-Smart	PAM-C	TBT_C	TAT-C	BadA-C	ProD-1	ProD-2	PAM-M	TBT-M	TAT-M	BadA-M

Old PCR machine on Angelica

(98C for 30s / 50C for 30s / 72C for 4m30s) x35

Left (New PCR A) on Suzie

(98C for 30s / 50C for 30s / 72C for 4m30s) x35

Right (New PCR B) on Brandon

(98C for 30s / 50C for 30s / 72C for 3m30s) x40

## Inoculations (Adam)

Made liquid cultures of:

- TycA (small colonies)

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TUESDAY, 6/7/16

Made KAN Plates (Nisa; Parth; Thomas)

Made 52 KAN plates

LB Agar Plates

# iGEM Oligos

**Project:** Duke iGEM 2016

**Authors:** Adam Yaseen

**Date:** 2016-06-07

TUESDAY, 6/7/16

Table1			
	A	B	C
1	ID#	Date	Description
2	oIG01	6/7/2016	PAM additional sequencing primer
3	oIG02	6/7/2016	TycA additional sequencing primer B
4	oIG03	6/7/2016	TycA additional sequencing primer A
5	oIG04	6/7/2016	TycA additional sequencing primer C
6	oIG05	6/7/2016	badA additional sequencing primer
7	oIG06	6/21/2016	badA point mutagenic forward primer
8	oIG07	6/21/2016	badA supporting mutagenic reverse primer
9	oIG08	6/21/2016	TBT insert mutagenic forward primer
10	oIG09	6/21/2016	TBT supporting mutagenic reversre primer
11	oIG10	6/22/2016	pSMART 1/2 Gibson forward primer
12	oIG11	6/22/2016	pSMART 1/2 Gibson reverse primer
13	oIG12	6/22/2016	pSMART 2/2 Gibson forward primer
14	oIG13	6/22/2016	pSMART 2/2 Gibson reverse primer
15	oIG14	7/11/2016	G-block F
16	oIG15	7/11/2016	G-block R
17	oIG16	7/18/2016	TycA 1/2 R
18	oIG17	7/18/2016	TycA 2/2 F
19	oIG18	7/18/2016	TycA M1 F, fixing for golden gate
20	oIG19	7/18/2016	TycA M1 R
21	oIG20	7/18/2016	TycA M2 F, fixing for golden gate
22	oIG21	7/18/2016	TycA M2 R
23	oIG22	7/20/2016	G-Block M F
24	oIG23	7/20/2016	G-Block M R
25	oIG24	7/20/2016	Tax10 M R
26	oIG25	7/22/2016	pSB1C3 F
27	oIG26	7/22/2016	pSB1C3 R

28	oIG27	7/26/2016	Amp2 F
29	oIG28	7/26/2016	Amp1 R
30	oIG29	9/21/2016	pSB1C3 5' M F
31	oIG30	9/21/2016	pSB1C3 5' M R
32	oIG31	9/21/2016	badA RBS M F
33	oIG32	9/21/2016	badA RBS M R
34	oIG33	9/21/2016	pSB1C3 3' M F
35	oIG34	9/21/2016	pSB1C3 3' M R
36	oIG35	9/21/2016	DBAT RBS M F
37	oIG36	9/21/2016	DBAT RBS M R
38	oIG37	9/21/2016	BAPT RBS M F
39	oIG38	9/21/2016	BAPT RBS M R
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## Miniprep TycA Inoculations from 6/7 (Ben; Nisa; Ben)

Protocol:

- Mini Prep Protocol NEB

50 uL elution used

Inoculation samples used:

- TycA 1, 3, 4, 9

### Concentrations:

Tested concentrations using nanodrop (Testing Concentrations Protocol)

Table20					
	A	B	C	D	E
1	TycA Sample	1	3	4	9
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	13	13	9	4

## Colony PCR: Testing overnight PCRs

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Each will be run with:

1. GFP
2. Psmart
3. PAM-C
4. PAM-M
5. TBT-C
6. TBT-M
7. ProD

Each Protocol:

[98C for X sec / 50C for X sec / 72C for 3m30s] x 35

Old: X = 45s

Left: X = 45s

Right: X = 30s

Table19

	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	23
3	MM	12.5	287.5
4	SL1	0.25	5.75
5	SR2	0.25	5.75
6	H2O	12	276
7	Total	25	575

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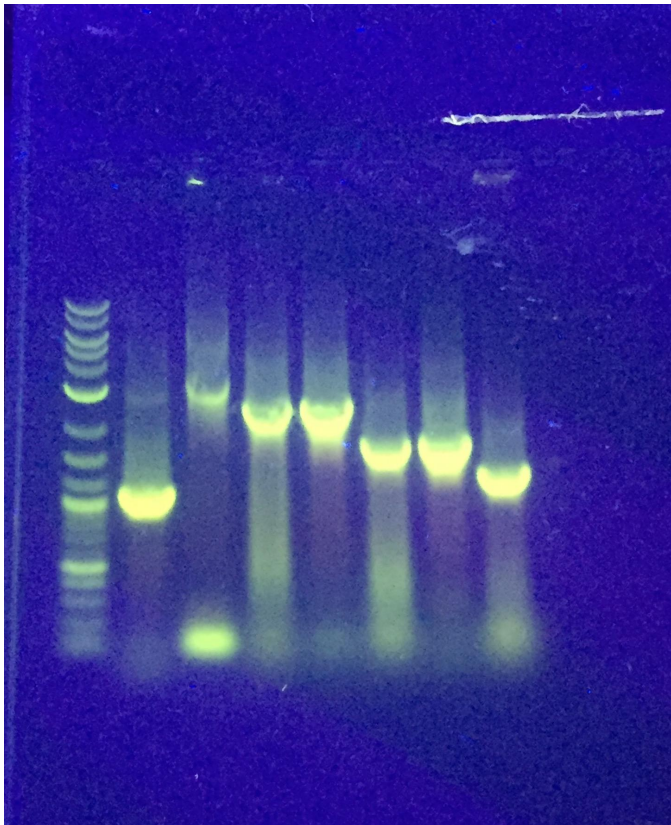
## Ran Gel on Overnight PCR from 6/8

Protocol:

- Gels

Ran gels for

 Suzie 6/9

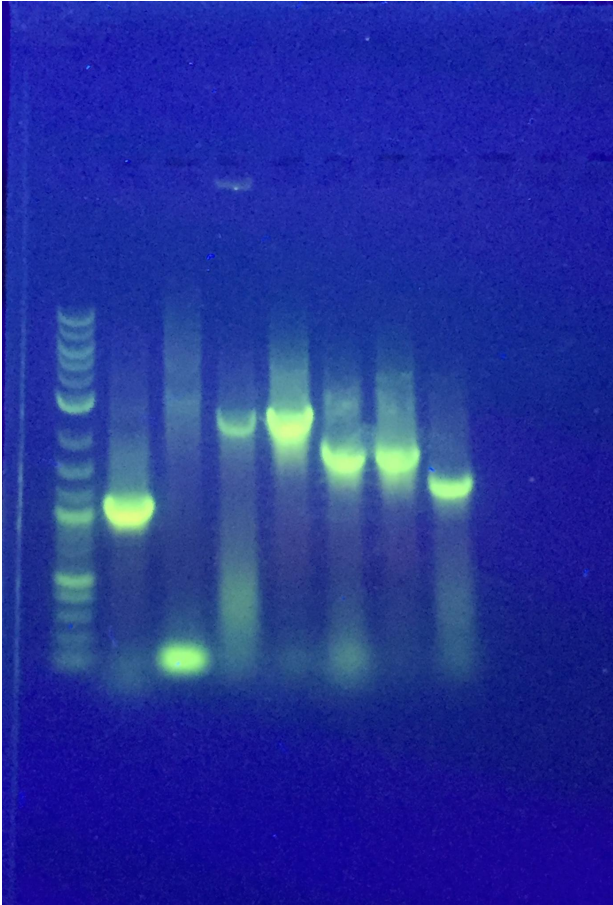


RIGHT: [98C for 30 sec / 50C for 30 sec / 72C for 3m30s] x 35

NOTE: overnight caused some residue bands to appear in the negative control

1. Ladder
2. GFP
3. Psmart
4. PAM-C
5. PAM-M
6. TBT-C
7. TBT-M
8. ProD

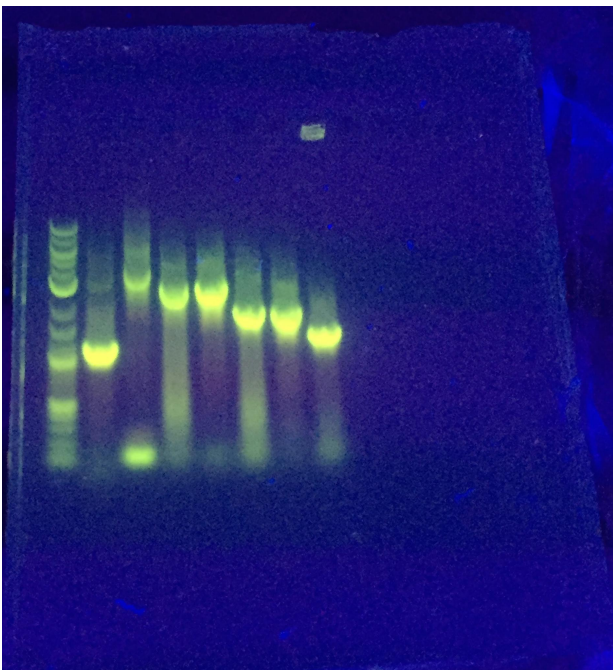




OLD: [98C for 45 sec / 50C for 45 sec / 72C for 3m30s] x 35

NOTE: Faint band on negative control likely due to overnights.  
What is the long crap on PAM-C?

1. Ladder
2. GFP
3. Psmart
4. PAM-C
5. PAM-M
6. TBT-C
7. TBT-M
8. ProD



LEFT: [98C for 45 sec / 50C for 45 sec / 72C for 3m30s] x 35

NOTE: Bright band on negative control likely due to overnight at 105C. What is the bright band over ProD?

1. Ladder
2. GFP
3. Psmart
4. PAM-C
5. PAM-M
6. TBT-C
7. TBT-M
8. ProD

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## Gibson Attempt Three (Changing concentrations)

We found that the lucigen p-smart is 742ng/ul

Our DBAT gblock is 40ng/ul

We diluted the p-smart at 17ng/ul in a separate aliquot

Attempted the gibson again, used Comp Cells from the Lynch Lab; 1 uL of DNA 20 uL of comp cells

DBAT in several trials

Protocol:

- Gibson Protocol

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## Transformation Results

- Nothing grew 😞 😫
- Potentially due to low times on the electroporation

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## Transformation Take Two

We performed the Gibson Again, on DBAT

Used two variables;

- 4 uL of DNA
- And then diluted with water to 1 uL of H<sub>2</sub>O and 1 uL of DNA

## Results (6/14)

Most plates grew

# Lab Maintenance

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## Made LB +KAN

LB Broth/Media Protocol

Made 4 bottles (250mL) of 125 mL aliquots of LB+KAN broth

Used 1/8 of the LB media recipe in each bottle (0.625 g of Salt and Yeast and 1.25 g of tryptone)

The old stocks had been contaminated

Used smaller bottles and smaller aliquots to limit contamination

## Made Aliquots of Commonly Used Materials

Made conical tube aliquots (~50 mL) of 10%, 20%, and 50% Glycerol as well as pico water.

Made aliquots to help limit contamination and to clean up bench space.

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## Colony PCR of DBAT Plates

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

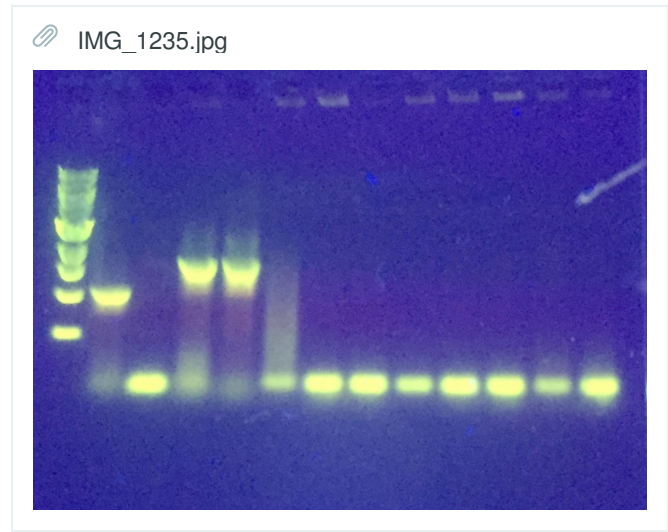
Edits:

- 8 colonies picked per plate (DBAT -A, DBAT-B, DBAT-3)
- Controls: (GFP, PSmart, TBT-M, TBT-C)
- PCR run on old machine
  - (98 C for 30s/ 50C for 30s/72c for 2m45s)x35

Table21			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	30
3	MM	12.5	375
4	SL1	0.25	7.5
5	SR2	0.25	7.5
6	H2O	12	360

## Gel of colony PCR

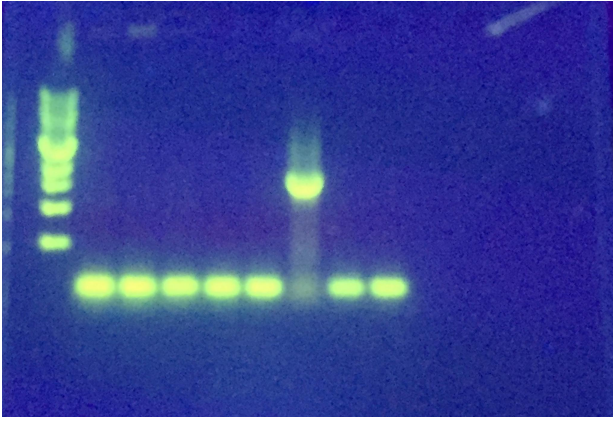
Angelica



- 1. Ladder
- 2-5. GFP, pSMART, TBT Miniprep, TBT Miniprep
- 6-13. DBAT-B (colonies 1-8)

Brandon

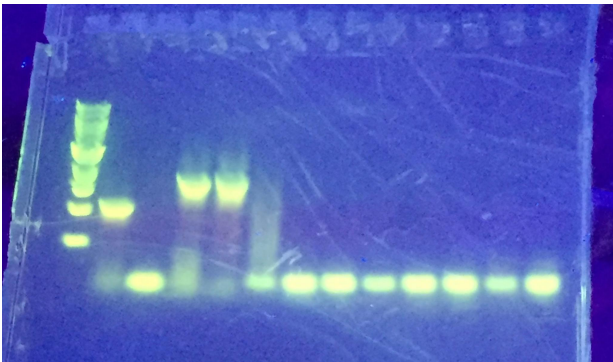
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- 1. Ladder
- 2-9. DBAT-A (colonies 1-8)

Suzie

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- 1. Ladder
- 2-9. DBAT-3 (colonies 1-8)

## Restriction Digest

Protocol:

- Digest

Edits:

- Digested pSB1C3 (45 ng/uL) and TAT9 (121ng/uL) with EcoRI-HF and PstI-HF
- Added DpnI in the Master Mix for pSB1C3
- Mixed 3 uL of insert DNA with 5 uL of Master mix instead of 4 uL and 4 uL

## Ligation

Protocol:

- Ligation

Edits:

- Ligated EcoRI/PstI digested pSB1C3 with EcoRI/PstI digested TAT9
- 2 uL of each were used

## Transformation

Protocol:

- Electroporation Protocol

Edits:

- 3uL of ligation DNA was used as well as 20 uL of competent cells

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## Made CM Plates

Made 0.5 L of CM Plates - 23 plates

LB Agar Plates

## Made CM LB Stock

Made 0.5 L of LB Broth + CM

LB Broth/Media Protocol

## Autoclaved Glassware

New half liter and liter bottles came in. All were autoclaved.

## Made KAN Stock

Made KAN Stocks using 40 ng/ul.

Antibiotic Stocks



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## Colony PCR of DBAT small colonies

- Protocol:
- Colony PCR Protocol

DBAT-A 1:11  
DBAT-B 1:4  
DBAT-3 1:8, 12

Table22			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	28
3	EconoTaq	12.5	350
4	SL1	0.25	7
5	SR2	0.25	7
6	H2O	12	336
7	Total	25	700

Ran Gels:

pic order:  
angelica  
brandon  
suzie

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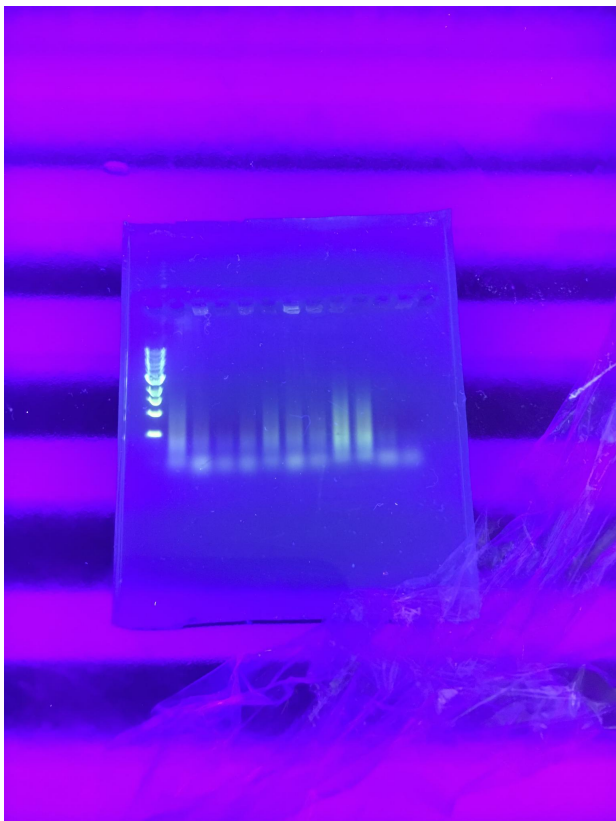


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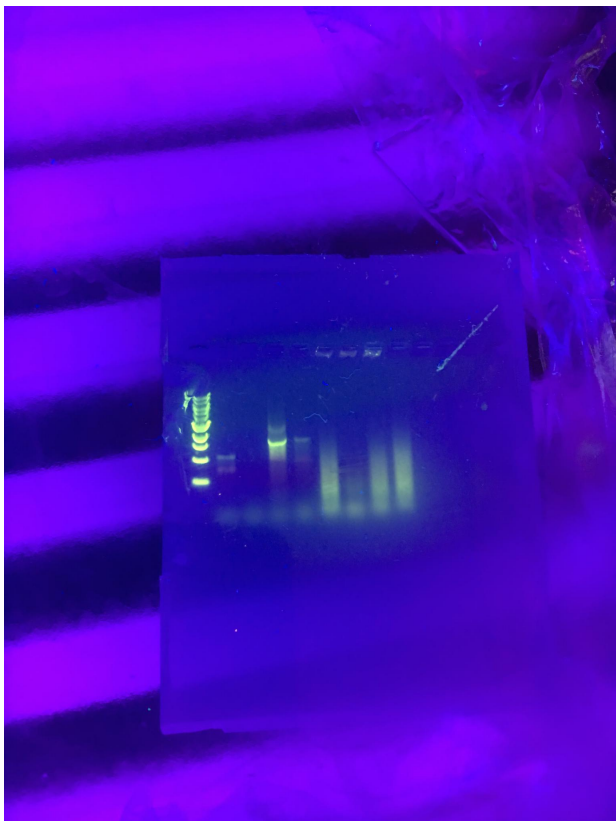
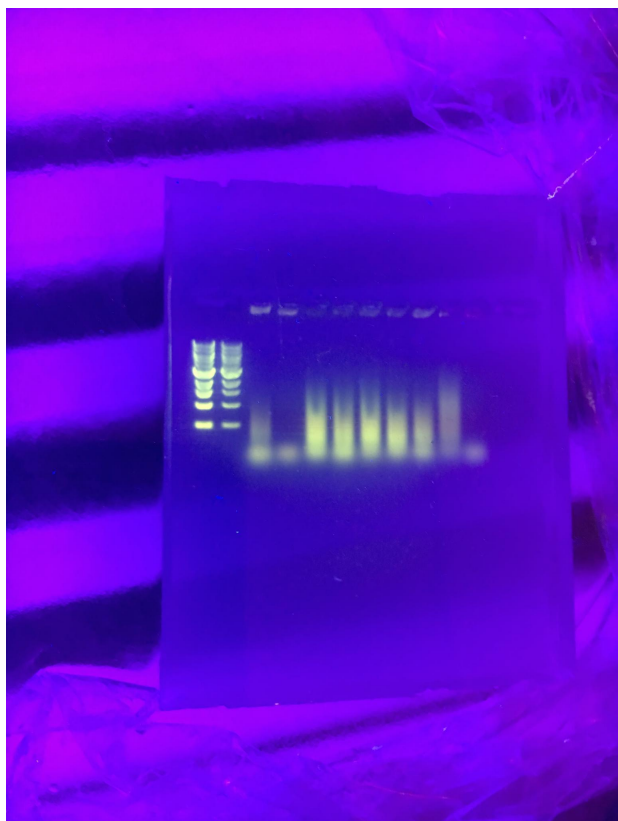


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WEDNESDAY, 6/15/16

## Made E-cloni Stocks

Took old plate and inoculated two 50 mL LB flasks.

The plate had several infections

Took a long time to grow - suspicious

Decided to discard

## Made new E-cloni Plate

Because the old plate had several infections, a chip of stock Ecloni was plated onto a new plate and grown overnight

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THURSDAY, 6/16/16

## Colony PCR for Small DBAT Colonies

Protocols:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Controls:

GFP x100, 2.5 uL  
pSMART x100, 2.5 uL  
TBT Colony

Colonies:

Kan 6/7/16 DBAT A 75 uL: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9

Table23			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	12
3	EconoTaq	12.5	150
4	SL1	0.25	3
5	SR2	0.25	3
6	H2O	12	144
7	Total	25	300

Ran Gels:

## Inoculated DBAT

DBAT A6 came back sequence confirmed.  
It was inoculated in 5 mL of LB + KAN

## Checked gBlock Concentrations

Diluted to 4x (0.5 uL gBlock and 1.5uL pH20. Vol total = 2uL)  
Multiplied read by 4 to get the following concentrations

Table24		
	A	B
1	gBlock	Real Concentration (ng/uL)
2	TycA-1	48
3	TycA-2	40
4	Tax10	96
5	BAPT	32

## Freezer Stocks/Miniprep/Concentration Check/Sequencing

Protocols:

- Freezer Stocks Protocol
- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentration
- Preparation for Sequencing

Preformed on:

- TAT9-pSB1C3 1-1
- TAT9-pSB1C3 1-2
- TAT9-pSB1C3 2-1
- TAT9-pSB1C3 2-2
- TAT9-pSB1C3 2-3
- TAT9-pSB1C3 2-4
  - Note that there is a slim chance that 2-3 and 2-4 may have been switched within the miniprep procedure

### Concentration Results:

Table25							
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	Sample	1-1	1-2	2-1	2-2	2-3	2-4
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	128	85	160	207	140	53

Sequencing:

- Used primers meant for the pSB1C3 backbone (Amp 1, Amp 2)
  - Amp 1 Concentration: 51.2  $\mu$ M
  - Amp 2 Concentration: 47.99  $\mu$ M
- Results (6/17): All were sequence confirmed except for TAT9-pSB1C3 1-2

## Component Cells

Protocol:

- Electrocompetent Cells

Edits:

- Incorectly measured OD using 420nm instead of 600nm

- Prematurely took out cells resulting in only one tube of comp. cells
- Redo 6/17

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## Made E-cloni Stocks

Inoculated two flasks of 50 mL LB

Let grow



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## Control PCR

Everyone to do their own PCR to check for human error.

GFP/pSM/TBT-M/TBT-C/PAM-M/PAM-C/ProD/ProD

Make own master mix - focus on what you are doing and why

Emma

Master Mix:

Table26			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	10
3	EconoTaq	12.5	125
4	SL1	0.25	2.5
5	SR2	0.25	2.5
6	H2O	12	120
7	Total	25	250

H2O 1st; SL1 2nd; SR2 3rd; ET 4th

Samples:

1=GFP

2=pSMART

3=TBT Miniprep

4=TBT Colony

5=Pam Miniprep

6=PAM Colony

7=ProD 1

8=ProD2

Master Mix was mixing by pipetting up and down

The Master Mix was not aliquoted until all four rows were being aliquoted simultaneously

Parth

Samples:

- pSMART miniprep 1:100 dilution
- GFP miniprep 1:100 dilution
- TBT miniprep
- TBT colony
- PAM miniprep
- PAM colony

- ProD colony 1
- ProD colony 2

Protocol:

- Colony PCR Protocol

Table28			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	9
3	EconoTaq	12.5	112.5
4	SL1	0.25	2.25
5	SR2	0.25	2.25
6	H2O	12	108
7	Total	25	225

Reaction Mix

Edits to procedure: No LB was aliquoted and used, the purpose of this test was to check consistency of PCR procedure. Longest amplicant is PAM (2.5 kb); therefore, extension time was 3.5 minutes.

Results:



Samples going in the same order from left to right as listed previously. Note: ProD colony 1 did not PCR correctly as there was no liquid, thus there is a gap before ProD-2.

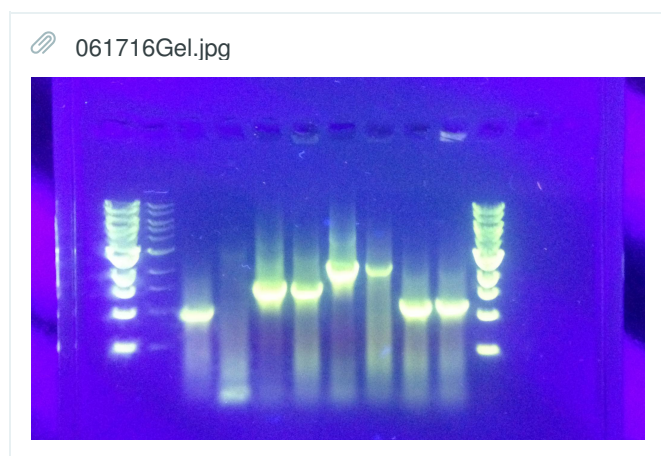
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Jay

Protocol:

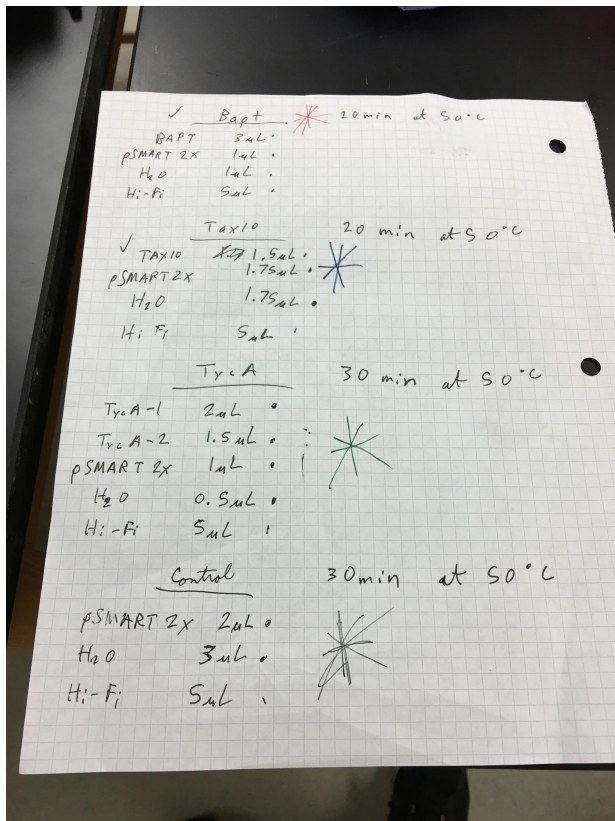
- Colony PCR Protocol (Edit: Extension time 3 1/2 minutes)

Table27			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	9
3	EconoTaq	12.5	112.5
4	SL1	0.25	2.25
5	SR2	0.25	2.25
6	H2O	12	108
7	Total	25	225



1. Ladder
2. Blank (Ladder contaminated)
3. GFP 1:100 dilution
4. pSMART 1:100 dilution
5. TBT-Miniprep (50ng/uL)
6. TBT-Colony
7. PAM-Miniprep (50ng/uL)
8. PAM-Colony
9. ProD-Colony 1
10. ProD-Colony 2
11. Ladder

Gibsons



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## Comp Cells were made

Electrocompetent Cells	Not yet tested
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## End of Week Check

- Made more 70% ethanol
- Made sure pipette tips were everywhere
- Cleaned all counters

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## Competent Cell Test

Used 5 concentrations of DNA in 2 transformations each for a total of transformations

- White (W) = 0.5 pg/ul
- Red (R) = 5 pg/ul
- Green (G) = 10 pg/ul
- Orange (O) = 20 pg/ul
- Yellow (Y) = 50 pg/ul

Transformed Cells using the Electroporation protocol. Used 1 uL of DNA in 20 ul of Comp Cells. Plated after recovering for three hours.

- Protocols:
- Electroporation Protocol

## Transformation Results

Table30			
	A	B	C
1	Sample	Voltage (V)	Time (ms)
2	W1	1710	3.9
3	W2	1710	3.8
4	R1	1700	0.7
5	R2	1710	654
6	G1	1720	4.1
7	G2	1720	4.3
8	O1	1700	0.7
9	O2	1710	654
10	Y1	1710	3.8
11	Y2	1700	654

Plated each transformation on a CM plate with 25 ul of transformed cells. The Y1 and Y2 samples were plated three times at dilutions of 25 ul, 75 ul, and 100 ul.

**Results (6.19)**  
The colonies on each plate were counted and tabulated. The data was then transformed using the CFU equation.

Table31

	A	B
1	Sample	Colony #
2	W1	2
3	W2	4
4	R1	14
5	R2	6
6	G1	80
7	G2	115
8	O1	9
9	O2	38

Colonies/Plate for all but Y1 and Y2

Table32

	A	B	C
1	Dilution	Y1	Y2
2	25	20	52
3	75	53	29
4	100	33	233

Colonies/Plate of Yellow Concentration

Table33					
	A	B	C	D	E
1	Sample	Colony #	Dilution (ul)	DNA Concentration (ng/ul)	CFU
2	W1	2	25	0.005	10000000
3	W2	4	25	0.005	20000000
4	R1	14	25	0.005	70000000
5	R2	6	25	0.005	30000000
6	G1	80	25	0.01	200000000
7	G2	115	25	0.01	287500000
8	O1	9	25	0.02	11250000
9	O2	38	25	0.02	47500000
10	Y1a	20	25	0.05	10000000
11	Y1b	53	75	0.05	79500000
12	Y1c	33	100	0.05	66000000
13	Y2a	52	25	0.05	26000000
14	Y2b	29	75	0.05	43500000
15	Y2c	233	100	0.05	466000000
16	Average				97660714.285714

Transformed Data

## Plates Chilled

Plates in the incubator were taken out



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MONDAY, 6/20

## Colony PCR

Emma

samples (color, letter/number)

Table34			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	17
3	EconoTaq	12.5	212.5
4	SL1	0.25	4.25
5	SR2	0.25	4.25
6	H2O	12	204
7	Total	25	425

Thomas

samples (color, letter/number)

Table36			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	35
3	EconoTaq	12.5	437.5
4	SL1	0.25	8.75
5	SR2	0.25	8.75
6	H2O	12	420
7	Total	25	875

Parth

samples (color, letter/number)

Table35			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	35
3	EconoTaq	12.5	437.5
4	SL1	0.25	8.75
5	SR2	0.25	8.75
6	H2O	12	420
7	Total	25	875

PCR 30@98C/30@50C/3:00@72C  
 Controls: GFP, psmart, TBT-M, TBT-C, ProD  
 Master Mix for Emma's control made by Thomas  
 PCR machine for Emma's Samples was turned off after ten seconds due to Jay's forgotten samples

Gel Electrophoresis

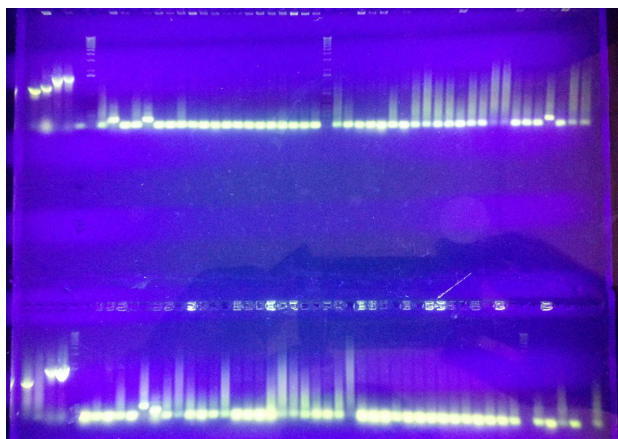
Table37										
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	
1	Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Well 4	Well 5	Well 6	Wells 7-26	Well 27	Wells 28-35	Well 36
2	GFP (PP)	ProD (PP)	TBT- Miniprep (PP)	TBT- Colony (PP)	PSmart (PP)	Ladder	Green Numbers 1-20; BAPT #2 (TL)	Ladder	Red Letters A-H; TAX10 #1 (TL)	Black Letters I-15 (JC)

Big Bertha Row 1

Table38										
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	
1	Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Well 4	Well 5	Wells 6-29	Wells 30-43	Well 44	Wells 45-48	Well 49
2	GFP (EM)	PSmart (EM)	TBT- Colony (EM)	TBT- Miniprep (EM)	Ladder	Green Letters A-X; BAPT #2 (EM)	Black Letters A-N; BAPT #1 (EM)	Ladder	Blue Letters A-D; TAX10 #2 (EM)	Evagene Letters E-Z; Intellivision #2 (EM)

Big Bertha Row 2

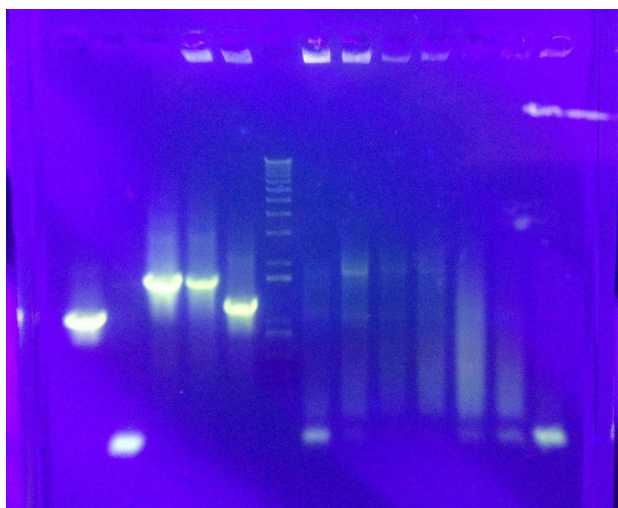
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See Tables above

Angelica

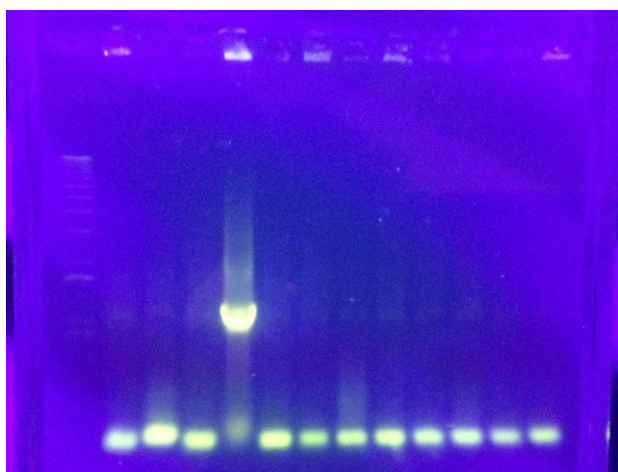
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1. GFP (Version: Thomas's)
2. pSMART (Version: Thomas's)
3. TBT-Miniprep (Version: Thomas's)
4. TBT-Colony (Version: Thomas's)
5. ProD (Version: Thomas's)
6. Ladder
- 7-13. TAX10#2 1-7 (Blue Numbers)

Brandon

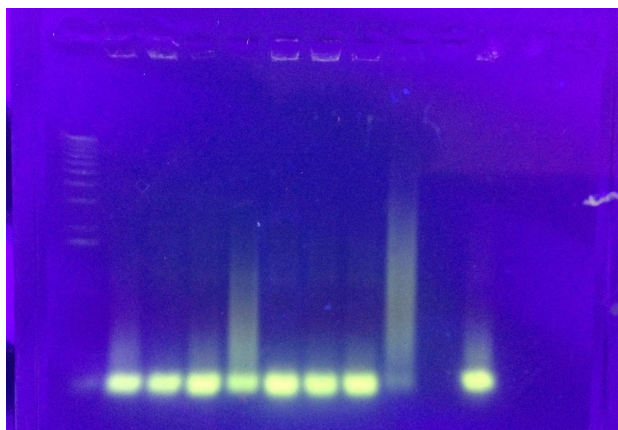
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1. Ladder
- 2-4. TAX10#2 8-10 (Blue Numbers)
5. ProD (Version: Emma's)
- 6-13. TAX10#1 1-8 (Red Numbers)

Suzie

 Suzie.JPG



1. Ladder
- 2-9. TAX10#1 10-17 (Red Numbers)
10. Blank
11. TAX10#1 9 (Red Number)

# Creating Parts

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TUESDAY, 6/21

## Minipreps/Concentration Check/Sequencing

Protocols:

- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentration
- Preparation for Sequencing

Samples:

- BAPT #1 (A, B)
- TAX10 #2 (2, 3, 4)
- TAX10 #2 (A, F)
- BAPT #2 (C, D, F, R, X)

### Results

Table42										
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
1	Sample	BAPT#1-A	BAPT#1-B	BAPT#2-C	BAPT#2-D	BAPT#2-F	BAPT#2-R	BAPT#2-X	TAX10#2-A	TAX10#2-
2	Conc	123	60	67	61	66	56	54	50	!

Sent in for sequencing

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TUESDAY, 6/21

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## Made CM and KAN plates

Made one liter of CM and one liter of KAN agar.

The plates set out for two hours and were still not set up - they were left overnight but were still not set in the morning.

All of the plates were discarded.

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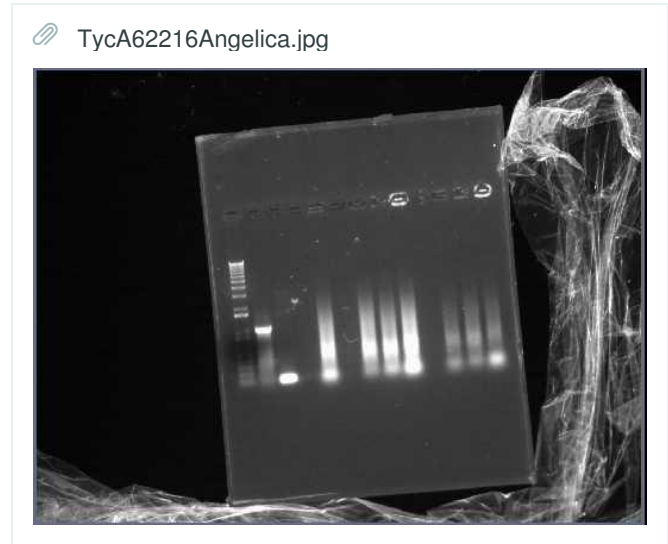
## Colony PCR on TycA

4:30 elongation 30 s Elongation/Denaturation

Table43			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	53
3	EconoTaq	12.5	662.5
4	SL1	0.25	13.25
5	SR2	0.25	13.25
6	H2O	12	636
7	Total	25	1325

## Gel Electrophoresis for TycA

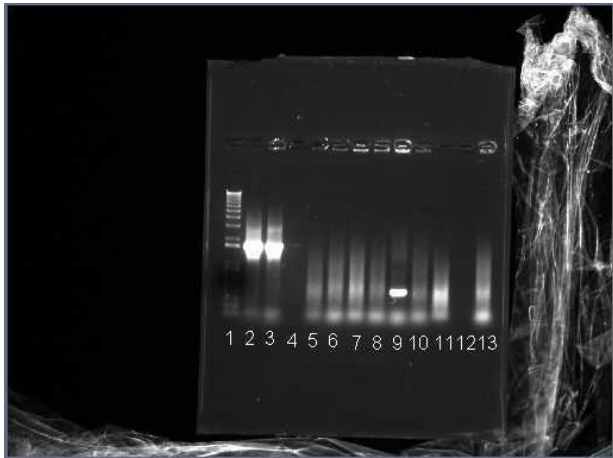
Angelica



- 1. Ladder
- 2. GFP
- 3. pSMART
- 4-10: TycA yi 1-7
- 11-13: TycA san 11-13

Brandon

TycA62216Brandon.jpg



1. Ladder
2. TBT Mini Prep
3. TBT Colony
- 4-11. TycA er 1-8
12. Empty
13. TycA san 14

Suzie

TycA62216Suzie.jpg



1. Ladder
2. PAM Mini Prep
3. PAM Colony
- 4-11. TycA #2 1-8

Mike

TycA62216Mike.jpg



1. Ladder
2. ProD
3. ProD
- 4-13. TycA san 1-10

Inoculations were made of samples:

- TycA san: 1, 10
- TycA er: 6, 8
- TycA yi: 4, 2



- TycA #2: 4, 5

Inoculations placed in 5 mL of LB+KAN and

## Transformations

Transformed several samples into cells. All samples used 1ul of DNA and 20 ul of Comp Cells.

Transformations were recovered for 2 hours and then 75 uL was plated onto a KAN Plate. Another set of plates was made after 4 hours of recovery with a 5:95 ratio of cells to LB.

Table44

	A	B	C	D
1	DNA Sample	Cell Sample	Volts	Tims (ms)
2	DBAT #1	286	1700	3.7
3	DBAT #2	286	1710	3.8
4	DBAT EV #1	286	1700	3.6
5	DBAT EV #2	286	1710	3.8
6	BadA EV #1	286	1710	3.7
7	BadA EV #2	286	1710	3.7
8	DBAT #1	E.Cloni	1720	4
9	DBAT #2	E.Cloni	1720	4

## Restriction Digest

Protocol:

- Digest

Edits:

- Digested pSB1C3 (45 ng/uL) and DBAT (70ng/uL) with EcoRI-HF and PstI-HF
- Added DpnI in the Master Mix for pSB1C3
- Mixed 3 uL of insert DNA with 5 uL of Master mix instead of 4 uL and 4 uL

## Ligation

Protocol:

- Ligation

Edits:

- Ligated EcoRI/PstI digested pSB1C3 with EcoRI/PstI digested DBAT
- 2 uL of each were used

## Transformation

Protocol:

- Electroporation Protocol

Edits:

- 3uL of ligation DNA was used as well as 20 uL of competent cells

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WEDNESDAY, 6/22

## Made CM and KAN plates

Made one liter of CM and one liter of KAN agar.

Stored in the 4C fridge

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THURSDAY, 6/23

## Minipreps/Concentration Check/Sequencing (Nisa)

- Protocols:
- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
  - Testing Miniprep Concentration
  - Preparation for Sequencing

- Samples:
- TycA EV-6
  - TycA San 1, 10

### Results

Table45				
	A	B	C	D
1	Sample	TycA EV-6	TycA San-1	TycA San-10
2	Conc	41	9	55

## Made Plates of 286 (Parth & Nisa)

- Made plates of 286
- 1 with 25 uL concentration spread out
  - 2 by streaking into single colonies

## Inoculations (Parth)

Made Inoculations of DBAT-pSB1C3 #1 (A-E)

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## Made DLF-00286 Competent Cells

Total of 29 aliquots of 50 uL were stored in the -80°C freezer

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FRIDAY, 6/24

## Freezer Stocks/Miniprep/Concentration Check/Sequencing (Nisa)

Protocols:

- Freezer Stocks Protocol (750 uL)
- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy (50 uL elution buffer)
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Preparation for Sequencing

Samples:

- DBAT-pSB1C3 #1 (A-E)

### Results

Table29						
	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	Sample	DBAT-pSB1C3#1-A	DBAT-pSB1C3#1-B	DBAT-pSB1C3#1-C	DBAT-pSB1C3#1-D	DBAT-pSB1C3#1-E
2	Conc	31	84	51	47	56

## Gibson Transformations

Samples:

- TAX10-1B
- TAX10-2B

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SATURDAY, 6/25

## Colony PCR on TAX10 Plates 1B & 2B

3:00 elongation  
38 Reactions: 17 colonies from 1B, 13 colonies from 2B, 1 uL GFP, 1 uL pSMART, 1 uL TBT miniprep, 1 TBT colony, 1 uL BadA miniprep, 1 BadA colony, 2 ProD colonies

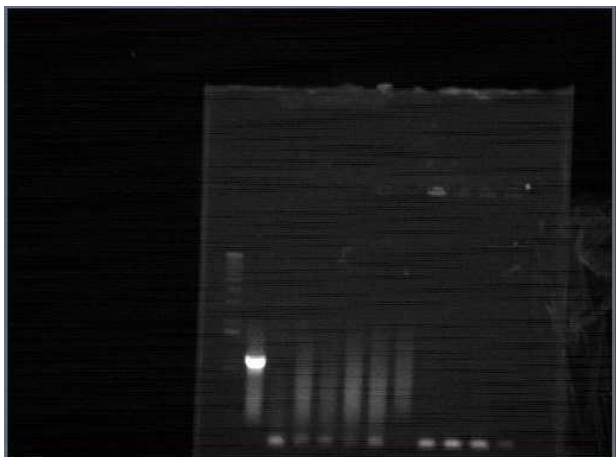
Table39			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	40
3	EconoTaq	12.5	500
4	SL1	0.25	10
5	SR2	0.25	10
6	H2O	12	480
7	Total	25	1000

### Gel Electrophoresis

Angelica

Table40					
	A	B	C	D	E
1	Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Wells 4-12	Well 13
2	Ladder	GFP	pSMA RT	TAX10 Plate 1B #1-9	Blank

Angelica62516.jpg



Brandon

Table41

	A	B	C	D	E
1	Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Wells 4-11	Wells 12-13
2	Ladder	TBT Miniprep	TBT Colony	TAX10 Plate 1B #10-17	Blank

Brandon62516.jpg



Suzie

Table46					
	A	B	C	D	E
1	Well 1	Wells 2-3	Wells 4-10	Well 11	Wells 12-13
2	Ladder	ProD Colonies	TAX10 Plate 2B #1-7	Blank	TAX10 Plate 2B #5-6

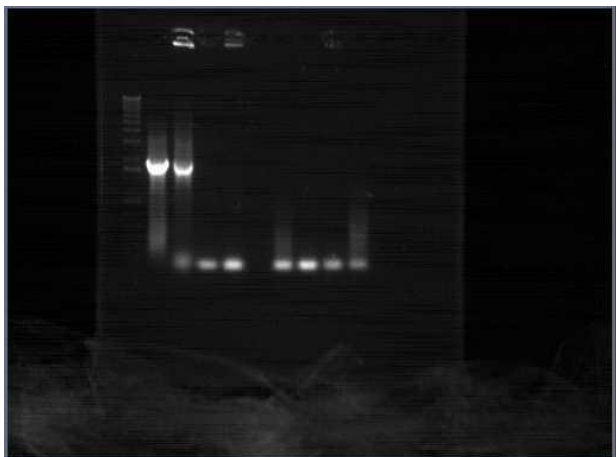


Mike

Table47							
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Wells 4-5	Well 6	Wells 7-10	Wells 11-13
2	Ladder	BadA Miniprep	BadA Colony	TAX10 Plate 2B #8-9	Blank	TAX10 Plate 2B #10-13	Blank



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# Creating Parts

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TUESDAY, 6/28

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## Digest/Ligation/Transformation of TAX10+ pSB1C3 (Parth)

Protocols:

- Digest
  - Edits: 2uL pSB1C3+2uL dH<sub>2</sub>O, 1uL TAX10+3uLdH<sub>2</sub>O to make the amounts equimolar for the ligation
  - TAX10 taken was directly from gBlock
- Ligation
  - Two attempts at ligation (Samples: #1, #2)
- Transformation
  - Edits: Plated Sample #1 @ 75uL and 25uL, Plated Sample #2 once @ 75 uL

**Result:** Failure, no colonies grew

# Lab Maintenance

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WEDNESDAY, 6/29

Autoclaved Epi Tubes and washed glassware.

# Creating Parts

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THURSDAY, 6/30

## Splitting pSmart into Pieces before Gibson

### PCR

- 2 reactions: 1) linear pSmart (17 ng/uL), 1/2 forward primer, 1/2 reverse primer; 2) linear pSmart (17 ng/uL), 2/2 forward primer, 2/2 reverse primer
- 63 degrees Celsius annealing temperature

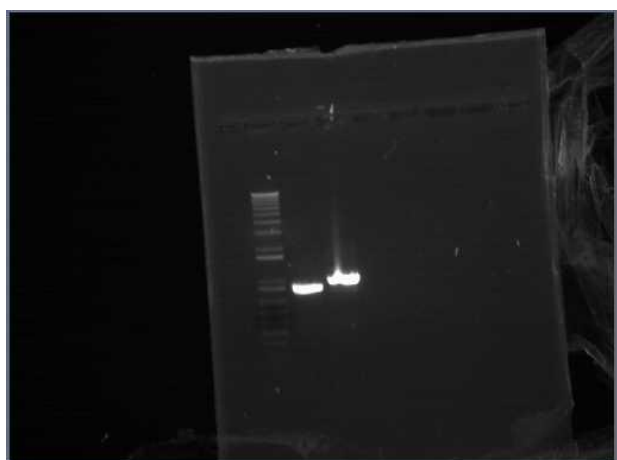
Table48

	A	B	C	D
1				
2	Thing	1 rxn	2.2	
3	Q5-2xMM	25	55	
4	Forward Primer	2.5	5.5	(not mixed)
5	Reverse Primer	2.5	5.5	(not mixed)
6	DNA	1	2.2	
7	H2O	19	41.8	
8	Total	50	110	

Master Mix

## Gel Electrophoresis

PSmartChew063016.jpg



Ladder, Reaction 1, Reaction 2

## Monarch PCR DNA Cleanup (see protocol)

- Concentration Check: Piece 1 @ 61 ng/uL; Piece 2 @ 91 ng/uL
- Conversions: Piece 1 @ 0.1098 picomoles/uL; Piece 2 @ 0.1452 picomoles/uL
- (Conversion from ng/uL to picomoles/uL:  $\times 1000 / (\text{bp length} \times 650)$ )

## 10 uL Dilutions to 0.020 picomoles/uL for Gibson Reaction

- Concentration Check: Piece 1 @ 12 ng/uL; Piece 2 @ 14 ng/uL
- Conversions: Piece 1 @ 0.0216 picomoles/uL; Piece 2 @ 0.0223 picomoles/uL

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THURSDAY, 6/30

Autoclaved glassware and biohazard trash.

## Made Electrocompetent Cells (E cloni)

- 9 aliquots were made

# Creating Parts

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FRIDAY, 7/1

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## Gibson Reaction with (TAX10+ pSMART 1/2+ pSMART 2/2)

Protocol:

- Gibson Protocol

Samples:

- TAX10
  - 1  $\mu$ L TAX10 from gBlock
  - 1  $\mu$ L pSMART 1/2 dilution
  - 1  $\mu$ L pSmart 2/2 dilution
  - 2  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
  - 5  $\mu$ L Gibson HiFi Master Mix
- Control
  - 1  $\mu$ L pSMART 1/2 dilution
  - 1  $\mu$ L pSmart 2/2 dilution
  - 3  $\mu$ L dH<sub>2</sub>O
  - 5  $\mu$ L Gibson HiFi Master Mix

## Electroporation

- TAX10 #1: 1620 V, 2.5 ms; TAX10 #2: 1620 V, 654 ms; TAX10 #3: 654 ms (voltage not recorded)
- Put for recovery in Lynch Lab shaker around 11:45 AM

## Plating

- After 3 PM
- 2 plates of each TAX10, 80  $\mu$ L each (some plates soft)
- Put in incubator at 37 degrees Celsius for 20 hours

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FRIDAY, 7/1

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Made and autoclaved 1 L LB broth: transferred to autoclaved jar.



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SATURDAY, 7/2

## Colony PCR on TAX10 Plates 1B, 2B, 3A

3:00 elongation  
60 Reactions: 16 colonies from 1B, 16 colonies from 2B, 16 colonies from 3A, 3 x 1 uL GFP, 3 x 1 uL pSMART, 3 x 1 uL TBT miniprep, 3 x 1 TBT colony

Table49			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	66
3	EconoTaq	12.5	825
4	SL1	0.25	16.5
5	SR2	0.25	16.5
6	H2O	12	792
7	Total	25	1650

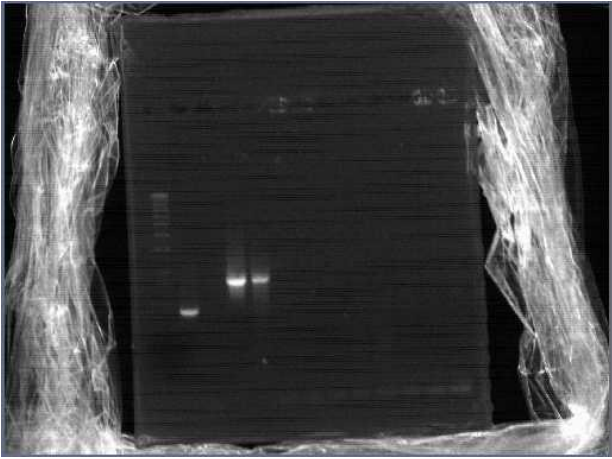
Master Mix

## Gel Electrophoresis

Angelica

Table50						
	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	Well 1	Well 2	Well 3	Well 4	Well 5	Wells 6-13
2	Ladder	GFP (JCS)	PSmart (JCS)	TBT-Miniprep (JCS)	TBT-Colony (JCS)	TAX10 Plate 1B #1-8

Angelica7216.jpg

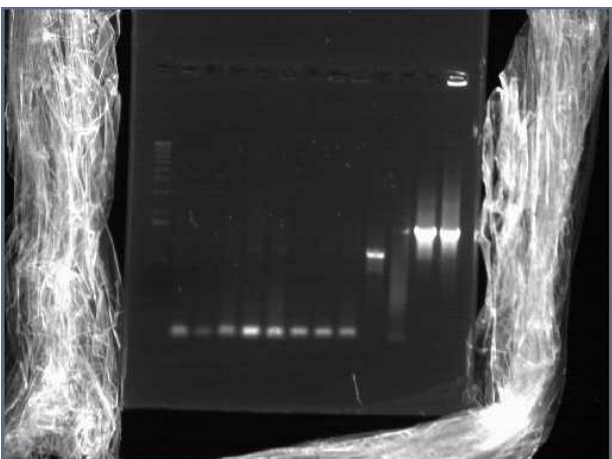


Brandon

Table51

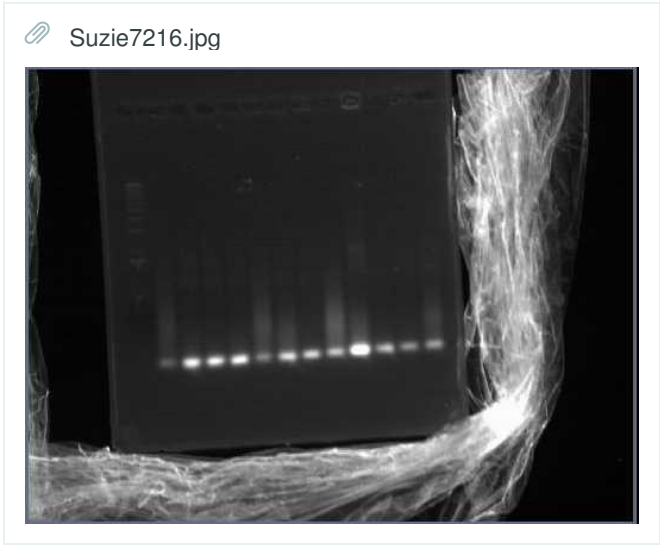
	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	Well 1	Wells 2-9	Well 10	Well 11	Well 12	Well 13
2	Ladder	TAX10 Plate 1B #9-16	GFP (NV)	PSmart (NV)	TBT-Miniprep (NV)	TBT-Colony (NV)

Brandon7216.jpg



Suzie

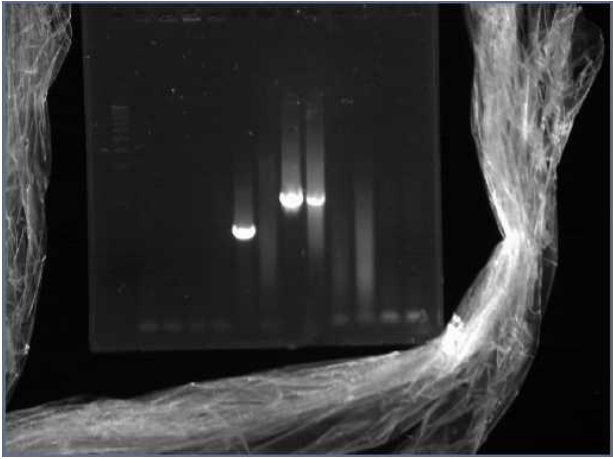
Table52		
	A	B
1	Well 1	Wells 2-13
2	Ladder	TAX10 Plate 2B #1-12



Mike

Table53							
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	Well 1	Wells 2-5	Well 6	Well 7	Well 8	Well 9	Wells 10-13
2	Ladder	TAX10 Plate 2B #13-16	GFP (PP)	PSmart (PP)	TBT-Miniprep (PP)	TBT-Colony (PP)	TAX10 Plate 3A #1-4

Mike7216.jpg

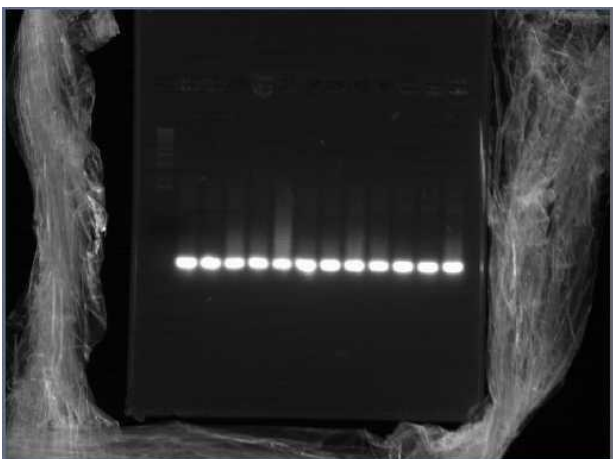


Ed-Ward

Table54

	A	B
1	Well 1	Wells 2-13
2	Ladder	TAX1 0 Plate 3A #5-16

Ed-Ward7216.jpg



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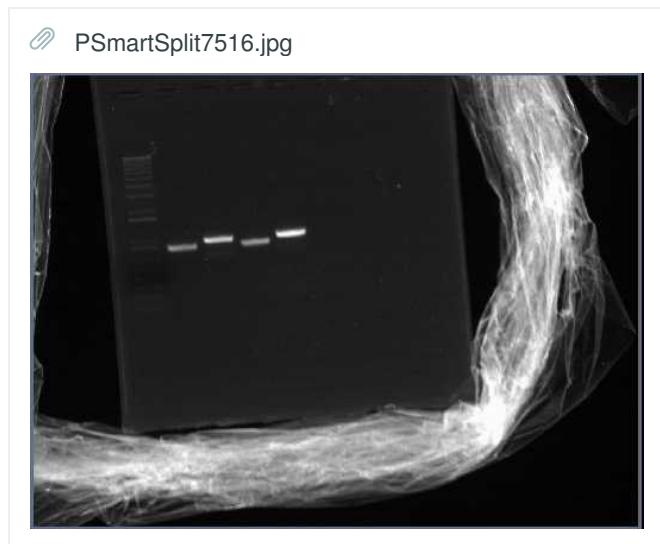
TUESDAY, 7/5

## Running Controls for Cutting pSmart into Pieces before Gibson

### PCR

- 4 reactions: 1) 1 uL linear pSmart (1:10 dilution of 17 ng/uL), 2.5 uL 1/2 forward primer, 2.5 uL 1/2 reverse primer, 19 uL PICO water, 25 uL Q5-2xMM; 2) 1 uL linear pSmart (1:10 dilution of 17 ng/uL), 2.5 uL 2/2 forward primer, 2.5 uL 2/2 reverse primer, 19 uL PICO water, 25 uL Q5-2xMM; 3) 1 uL linear pSmart (1:100 dilution of 17 ng/uL), 2.5 uL 1/2 forward primer, 2.5 uL 1/2 reverse primer, 19 uL PICO water, 25 uL Q5-2xMM; 4) 1 uL linear pSmart (1:100 dilution of 17 ng/uL), 2.5 uL 2/2 forward primer, 2.5 uL 2/2 reverse primer, 19 uL PICO water, 25 uL Q5-2xMM
- 63 degrees Celsius annealing temperature
- Q5 PCR protocol on old PCR machine

### Gel Electrophoresis



Ladder, Reaction 1 (10 uL dilution), Reaction 2 (10 uL dilution),  
Reaction 1 (100 uL dilution), Reaction 2 (100 uL dilution)

### Monarch PCR DNA Cleanup (see protocol)

- Concentration Check: 10 uL dilution Piece 1 @ 23 ng/uL; 10 uL dilution Piece 2 @ 33 ng/uL; 100 uL dilution Piece 1 @ 24 ng/uL; 100 uL dilution Piece 2 @ 38 ng/uL
- Conversions: Piece 1 @ 0. picomoles/uL; Piece 2 @ 0. picomoles/uL
- (Conversion from ng/uL to picomoles/uL:  $\times 1000 / (\text{bp length} \times 650)$ )

### 10 uL Dilutions to 0.020 picomoles/uL for Gibson Reaction

- Concentration Check: Piece 1 @ 12 ng/uL; Piece 2 @ 15 ng/uL
- Conversions: Piece 1 @ 0.0 picomoles/uL; Piece 2 @ 0.0 picomoles/uL

### Gibson Reactions

Protocol:

- Gibson Protocol

Samples:

- Control: Pieces
  - 1  $\mu\text{L}$  pSmart 1/2 100 uL dilution
  - 1  $\mu\text{L}$  pSmart 2/2 100 uL dilution
  - 3  $\mu\text{L}$  dH<sub>2</sub>O

- 5 µL Gibson HiFi Master Mix
- Control: Full
  - 1 µL pSmart 17 ng/uL dilution
  - 4 µL dH<sub>2</sub>O
  - 5 µL Gibson HiFi Master Mix
- Control: Fake Pieces
  - 1 µL pSmart 1/2 100 uL dilution
  - 1 µL pSmart 2/2 100 uL dilution
  - 8 µL dH<sub>2</sub>O
- Control: Fake Full
  - 1 µL pSmart 17 ng/uL dilution
  - 9 µL dH<sub>2</sub>O

## Electroporation

- Gibson Pieces, Fake Pieces, Fake Full (Gibson Full did not electroporate)
- 1 uL Gibson, 35 uL electrocompetent cells, electroporate, 250 uL LB Broth
- Put for recovery in original shaker at 37 degrees Celsius around 6 PM

## Plating

- After 9 PM
- 2 plates of each, 35 and 80 uL
- Put in incubator at 37 degrees Celsius

## Restriction Digest

Protocol:

- Digest

Edits:

- Digested pSB1C3 (45 ng/uL) and DBAT (40ng/uL) with EcoRI-HF and PstI-HF
- Added DpnI in the Master Mix for pSB1C3

## Ligation

Protocol:

- Ligation

Edits:

- Ligated EcoRI/PstI digested pSB1C3 with EcoRI/PstI digested TAT9
- 2 uL of each were used

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WEDNESDAY, 7/6

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## Made Electrocompetent Cells (E cloni)

- 25 aliquots were made

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THURSDAY, 7/7

Transformed water, new dilution linear DNA, and gibson on new dilution linear DNA into E Cloni

Plated 35 uL and 80 uL of each

After 20 hours, only growth on fake 35 uL plate > 2 small colonies



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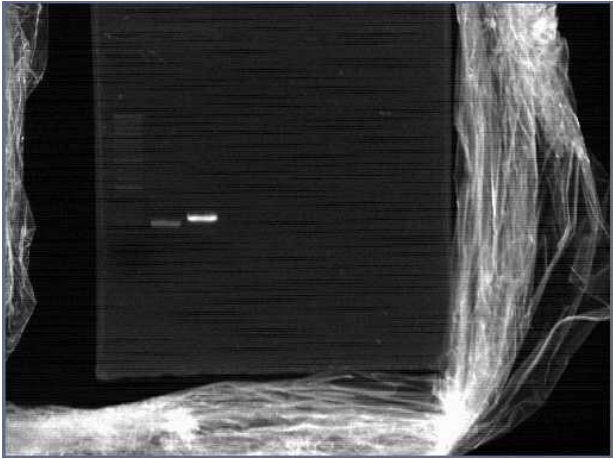
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FRIDAY, 7/8

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Chewed up 1:100 dilution of new psmart dilution into pieces with Q5 PCR

 PSmartChew7816.jpg



Piece 1 @ 18 ng/uL, Piece 2 @ 40 ng/uL >> Diluted: Piece 1 @ 12 ng/uL, Piece 2 @ 15 ng/uL

2 Gibsons: control with no insert and TBT insert

Transformed Gibsons at 2:30 PM: TBT @ 1660 V, 3.2 ms; control @ 1660 V, 3.1 ms

Plated 35 uL TBT, 80 uL TBT, 50 uL control around 9:30 PM

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SUNDAY, 7/10

## Colony PCR on DBAT pSB1C3

3:00 elongation, ran initially with normal protocol (50°C annealing) for about 30 cycles, then ran on another PCR with 59°C annealing

10 Reactions: 4 colonies from 2A, 4 colonies from 2B, 2 from 1

Table55			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	12
3	EconoTaq	12.5	150
4	Amp1	0.25	3
5	Amp2	0.25	3
6	H2O	12	144
7	Total	25	300

Master Mix

## Colony PCR on Thomas' Plates (Nisa)

3:00 elongation  
7 Reactions: GFPA, GFPB, badA-B, TAT-9, DBAT

Table56			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	7
3	EconoTaq	12.5	87.5
4	SL1	0.25	1.75
5	SR2	0.25	1.75
6	H2O	12	84
7	Total	25	175

# Creating Parts

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MONDAY, 7/11

## 2-piece PSmart Gibson Attempt w/TBT

- 1.5 uL 1/2 PSM, 1.5 uL 2/2 PSM, 2 uL TBT, 5uL Hi-Fi: 1660 V, 3.1 ms
- 2 uL Full PSM, 3 uL PICO water, 5 uL Hi-Fi: 1670 V, 3.2 ms
- 1.5 uL 1/2 PSM, 1.5 uL 2/2 PSM, 2 uL PICO water, 5 uL Hi-Fi: 1660 V, 3.0 ms

All recovered for 3 hours and plated 2 x 80 uL of each at 2:30 PM

## Q5 Mutagenesis

Hydrated and suspended the new oligos in 100uM aliquots. Diluted to 10uM for the reaction. Protocol:

Q5 Hot Start Hi-Fi 2X Master Mix - 12.5 uL  
10uM Forward - 1.25 uM  
10uM Reverse Primer - 1.25 um  
Template (BadA at 2 ng/uL. TBT at 3 ng/uL) - 1 uL  
Water to 25uL toatl volume - 9 uL

PCR machine:  
Saved as "BadA Mut Q5" under "CT001243 Root"

Gel for 35min > single band in each well > PCR products can be used directly for KLD reaction  
1 uL of kinase, ligase, and DpnI each mixed together for KLD mix  
1 uL KLD mix, 1 uL ligase buffer, 2 uL PCR product mixed in each reaction tube  
Tubes incubated at room temperature for an hour  
BadA and TBT from each tube transformed: BadA @ 1650 V, 3.1 ms; TBT @ 1630 V, 2.8 ms  
Recovered for 1.5 hours  
Plated 10 uL, 100 uL of each at 8:10 PM

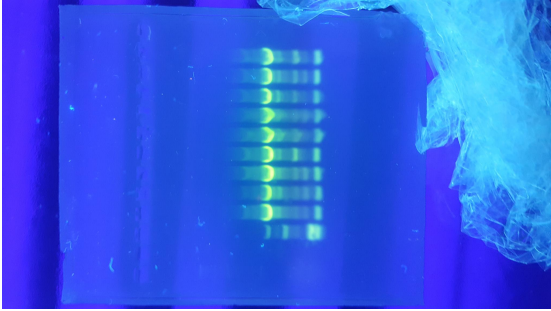
## Colony PCR of DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

3:00 elongation

Table73			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +3 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	12
3	EconoTaq	12.5	150
4	Amp1	0.25	3
5	Amp2	0.25	3
6	H2O	12	144
7	Total	25	300

Ladder (too faint), pSB1C3+RFP (too faint), DBATxpSB1C3 75-2 (EV), DBATxpSB1C3 2A 1-4, 2B 1-4, 1-1

 DBATpSB1C3 7.11.16



## Inoculations of DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

Inoculated 2A3-4, 2B1, 1-1

## Transformation of pSB1C3xE. cloni (Nisa)

Took 2 ug of pSB1C3+RFP (from iGEM kit) and transformed 35 uL E. cloni

Let recover for 1.5 hr outside and 1 hr in incubator

Plated on CM plate diluted to 5:95 at 25 uL and 75 uL

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TUESDAY, 7/12

## Q5 PCR to Cut Mismatched Base Pairs of Homology from PSmart

Table57			
	A	B	C
1		1 rxn	3.3
2	Q5-2xMM	25	82.5
3	1/2 PSM Forward Primer	2.5	8.25
4	2/2 PSM Reverse Primer	2.5	8.25
5	PICO Water	19	62.7
6		49	161.7

3 reactions: 15 ng/uL PSM, 1:10 dilution, 1:100 dilution  
Ladder and three reactions run in that order on gel



## Colony PCR to Assess Success of 2-Piece PSmart Gibson with TBT

Table58			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	24.2
3	EconoTaq	12.5	302.5
4	SL1	0.25	6.05
5	SR2	0.25	6.05
6	H2O	12	290.4
7	Total	25	605

22 rxns: Plate A colonies #1-18, GFP, PSM, TBT-C, TBT-M

Suzie: Ladder, TBT-M, TBT-C, Colonies #1-10 - No positive screens

Suzie 2: Ladder, TBT-M, TBT-C, GFP, PSM, Colonies #11-18 - see below



Colony 17 inoculated at 6:15 PM (faint band at TBT level in image)

## Miniprep/Concentration Check/Sequencing of DBAT pSB1C3 (Parth, Nisa)

Samples:

- DBATxpSB1C3 2A3-4, 2B1, 1-1

Protocols:

- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Preparation for Sequencing

Miniprep Edit: Used a 50 uL elution

Table61						
	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	Sample:	DBATxpSB1C3 2A3	2A4	2B1	1-1	
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	99	60	61	48	

Results of Testing DNA Concentration

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WEDNESDAY, 7/13

## Q5 PCR to Cut Mismatched Base Pairs of Homology from PSmart

Table59			
	A	B	C
1		1 rxn	4.4
2	Q5-2xMM	25	110
3	1/2 PSM Forward Primer	2.5	11
4	2/2 PSM Reverse Primer	2.5	11
5	PICO Water	19	83.6
6		49	215.6

4 reactions: 15 ng/uL PSM, 1:5 dilution, 1:10 dilution, 1:100 dilution  
Ladder, 3 ng original psmart control, four reactions run in that order on gel



## Inoculations of DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

Inoculated 2A3-4, 2B1, 1-1

## Inoculations of pSB1C3xE. cloni (Nisa)

Inoculated 3 colonies from 75 uL plate



# Creating Parts

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THURSDAY, 7/14

## Testing Full PSmart w/o Mismatched Tail for Gibsons

Decided to use 1:100 dilution PCR products for Gibsons > PCR Cleanup done, product @ 41 ng/uL, diluted to .016 picomoles/uL (tailless psm)  
15 ng/uL actually 19 ng/uL Psmart, diluted to .016 picomoles/uL  
TBT at 48 ng/uL, diluted to .032 picomoles/uL

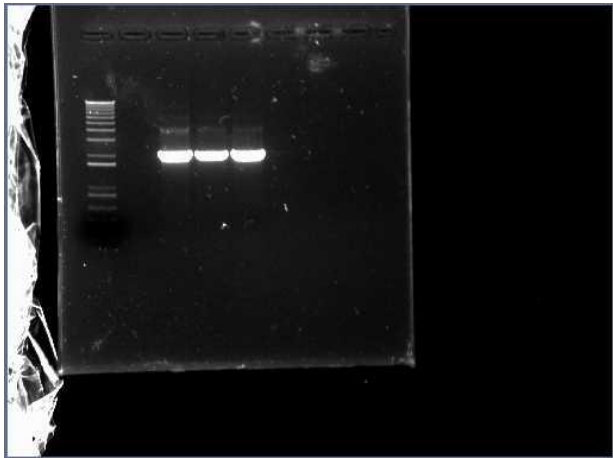
- 3 Gibson reactions
- Tailless psm, TBT > transformation 1: 1660 V, 654 ms; transformation 4: 1680 V, 3.6 ms
  - Tailless psm > transformation 2: 1680 V, 3.5 ms
  - 19ng/uL psm, TBT > transformation 3: 1690 V, 654 ms
- 3 hour recovery, plated 2 x 80 uL of each reaction at 6:50 PM

## Q5 PCR to Cut Mismatched Base Pairs of Homology from LCKan PSmart

Table60			
	A	B	C
1		1 rxn	3.3
2	Q5-2xMM	25	82.5
3	1/2 PSM Forward Primer	2.5	8.25
4	2/2 PSM Reverse Primer	2.5	8.25
5	PICO Water	19	62.7
6		49	161.7

3 reactions: 50 ng/uL LCKan PSM, 1:10 dilution, 1:100 dilution  
Ladder, 10 ng original psmart control, three reactions run in that order on gel

 LCKanMismatchCut071416.jpg



## Miniprep/Concentration Check of pSB1C3 (Nisa)

Samples:

- pSB1C3xE. cloni 1, 2

Protocols:

- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Preparation for Sequencing

Miniprep Edit: Used a 30 uL elution

Table69

	A	B	C	D
1	Sample:	1	2	
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	138	185	

Results of Testing DNA Concentration

## Restriction Digest of pSB1C3

Protocol:

- Digest

Edits:

- Digested pSB1C3 (samples from above) with EcoRI-HF and PstI-HF

## Inoculations of pSB1C3xE. cloni (Nisa)

Inoculated 3 colonies from 75 uL plate

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FRIDAY, 7/15

## LCamp Transformations

- TAX10: 1660 v, 3.1 ms; plated 2 x 70 uL and 1 x 20 uL plates
- Real control: 1650 V, 654 ms; plated 2 x 70 uL
- (Not LCamp but done with same batch) Fake tailless PSM control: 1670 V, 3.5 ms; plated 2 x 70 uL
- Plated at around 8 PM

## Miniprep/Concentration Check of pSB1C3 (Nisa)

Samples:

- pSB1C3xE. cloni 2, 3

Protocols:

- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Preparation for Sequencing

Miniprep Edit: Used a 30 uL elution

Table70				
	A	B	C	D
1	Sample:	2	3	
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	151	142	

Results of Testing DNA Concentration

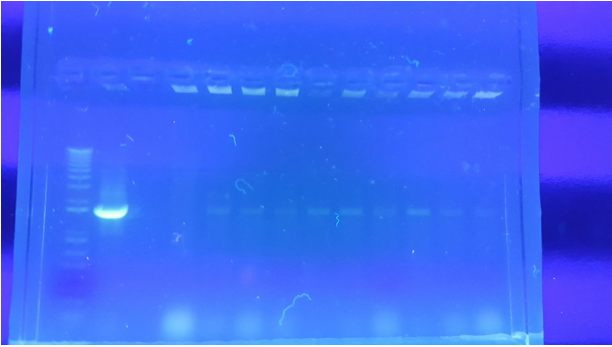
## Colony PCR on DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

3:00 elongation

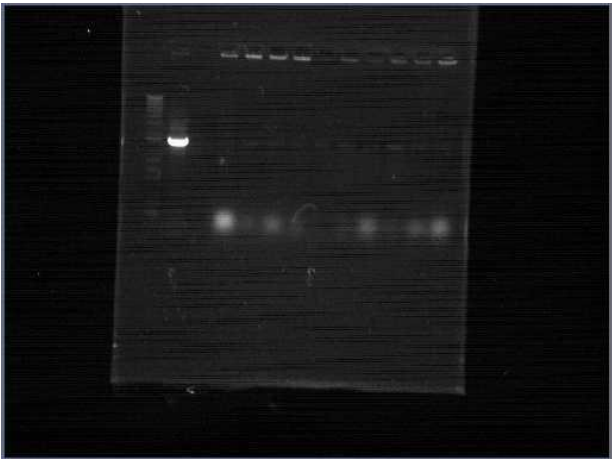
Table68			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +2 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	12
3	EconoTaq	12.5	150
4	Amp1	0.25	3
5	Amp2	0.25	3
6	H2O	12	144
7	Total	25	300

Master Mix for 12 reactions: Sequence confirmed DBAT-pSB1C3 (75-2), Seq. confirmed EV DBAT-pSB1C3 miniprep, 2A 1-4, 2B 1-4, 1- 1,2

7-15 DBAT-pSB1C3.jpg



Nisa071516-1.jpg



Ran extra positive control

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SATURDAY, 7/16

## Colony PCR on LCamp 20 uL Plate Colonies

Table62			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	13.2
3	EconoTaq	12.5	165
4	SL1	0.25	3.3
5	SR2	0.25	3.3
6	H2O	12	158.4
7	Total	25	330

Master Mix for 12 reactions: PSM, GFP, TBT-M, TBT-C, 8 colonies

Run at 8 PM and left overnight

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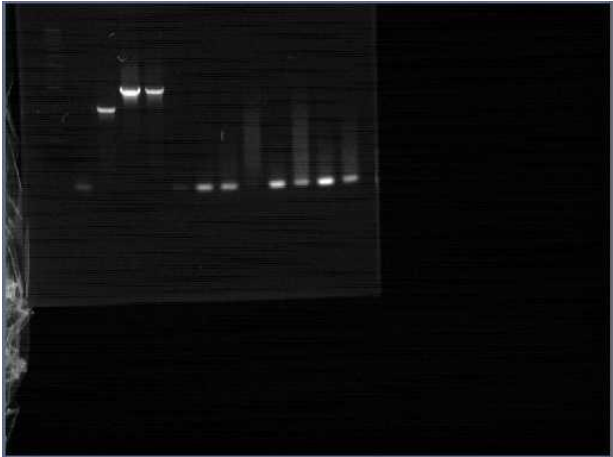
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SUNDAY, 7/17

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Gel of PCR products run at 6 PM

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Ladder, PSM, GFP, TBT-M, TBT-C, LCamp + TAX10 Colonies 1-8 (All negative)

## Inoculations of DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

Inoculated 4 colonies DBAT pSB1C3 1-2. 2A3, 2A4, 2B2

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MONDAY, 7/18

## Endura Competent Cells Transformations

- LC Amp + TAX10 in Broth: 1710 V, 4.3 ms - plated 2 x 50 uL + 2 x 10 uL
- LC Amp + TAX10 in Endura Special Recovery (875 uL): 1680 V, 3.5 ms - plated 2 x 50 uL + 2 x 10 uL
- LC Amp Control: 1690 V, 3.8 ms - plated 50 uL, 10 uL
- FAKE LC Amp Control: 1670 V, 3.2 ms - plated 50 uL, 10 uL

> 2 hour recovery, plated around 6 PM

## Miniprep/Concentration Check of DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

Samples:

- DBAT pSB1C3 1-2
- 2A3
- 2A4
- 2B2

Protocols:

- Miniprep Protocol Zyppy
- Testing Miniprep Concentrations
- Preparation for Sequencing

Miniprep Edit: Used a 40 uL elution

Table71					
	A	B	C	D	E
1	Sample:	DBAT pSB1C3 1-2	2A3	2A4	2B2
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	69	65	85	27

## pSB1C3 Purification and Concentration Check (Nisa)

Protocol:

- Gel Purification

Edits:

- Started with 1,500 ng of pSB1C3
- Used 6 uL elution buffer

Results:

Combined from 5 samples into 3 samples of pSB1C3

Table75				
	A	B	C	D
1	Sample:	1	2	3
2	Concentration (ng/uL)	12	10	9



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## Colony PCR of 10 uL LCamp Endura Plates

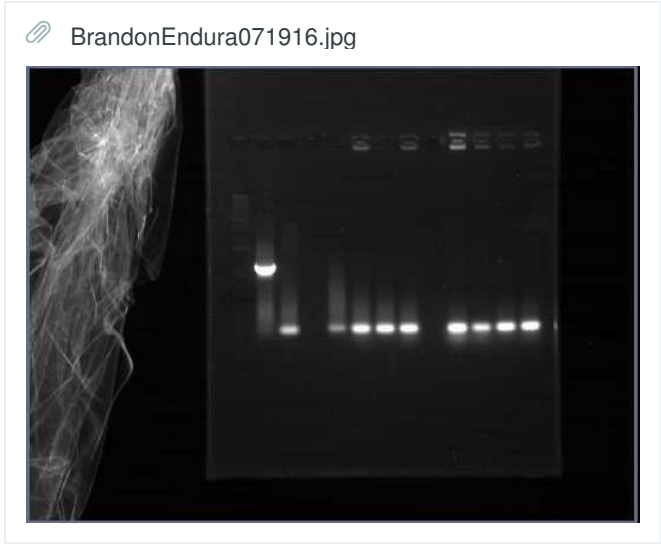
Table63			
	A	B	C
1			(# reactions x 1.1)
2	Thing	1 rxn	33
3	MM	12.5	412.5
4	SL1 (3.2 uM)	7.8125	257.8125
5	SR2 (100 uM)	0.25	8.25
6	H2O	4.4375	146.4375

Master Mix

2:45 Elongation

**Brandon**

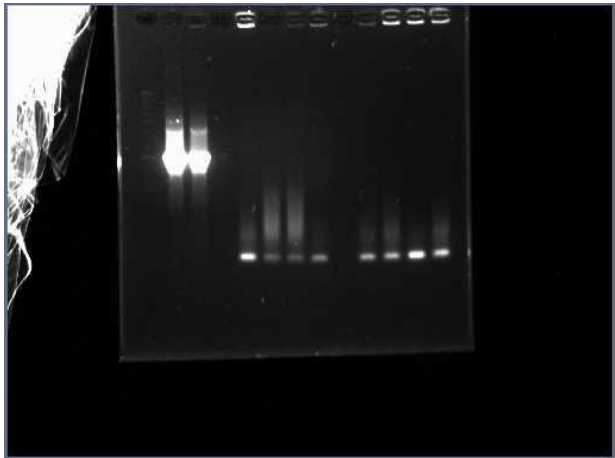
Ladder, GFP, PSM, Blank, 1, 2, 3, 4, Blank, 10, 38, 39, 40



**Suzie**


Ladder, TBT-M, TBT-C, Blank, 17, 18, 19 20, Blank, 2, 3, 4, 5

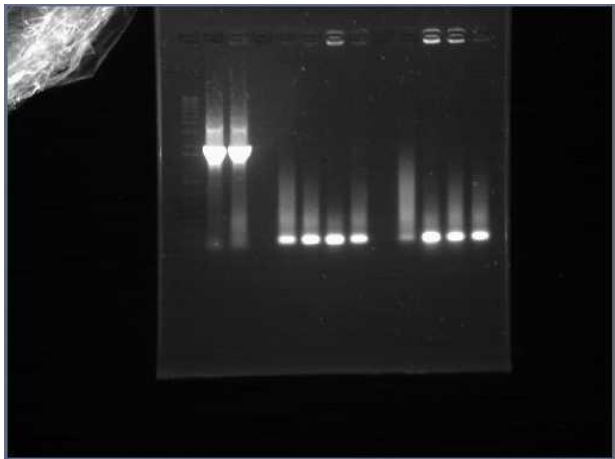
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**Mike**

Ladder, BadA-M, BadA-C, Blank, 16, 17, 18, 19, Blank, 28, 31, 32, 39

 MikeEndura071916.jpg

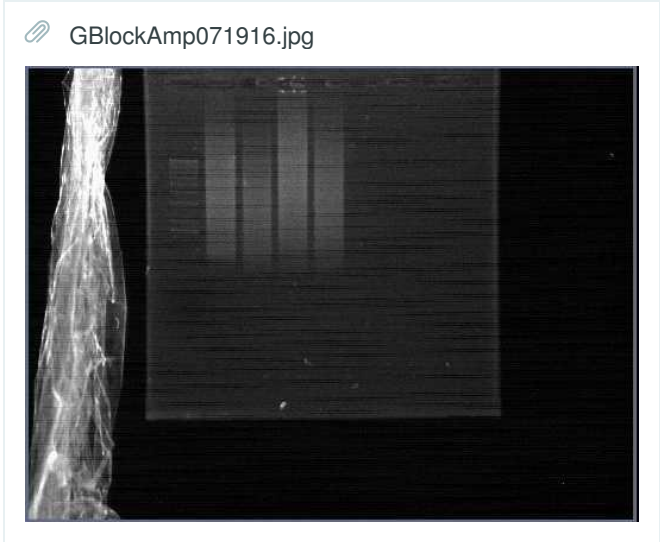


GBlock Amplification PCR

Table64			
	A	B	C
1			(# reactions x 1.1)
2	Thing	1 rxn	4.4
3	Q5-2xMM	25	110
4	Forward Primer (10 uM)	2.5	11
5	Reverse Primer (10 uM)	2.5	11
6	PICO H2O	19	83.6
7	<b>Total</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>215.6</b>

Master Mix: 49 uL added to 1 uL of DNA for each reaction

0:55 Elongation



Ladder, BAPT (5 ng/uL), 1:10 BAPT, TAX10 (9 ng/uL), 1:10 TAX10

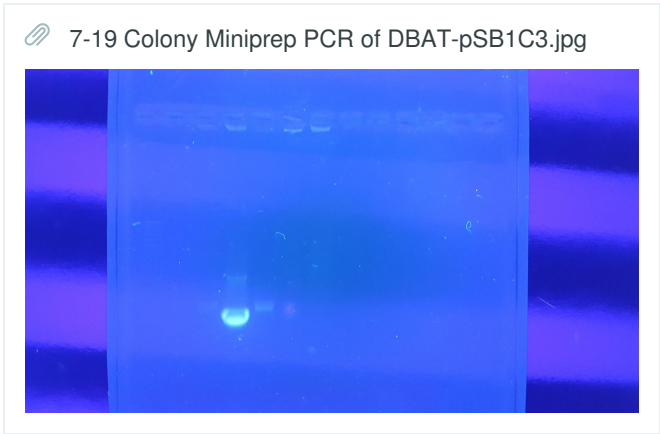
Colony + Miniprep PCR on DBAT pSB1C3 (Nisa)

3:00 elongation

Table72

	A	B	C
1			(# col +3 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	10
3	EconoTaq	12.5	125
4	Amp1	0.25	2.5
5	Amp2	0.25	2.5
6	H2O	12	120
7	Total	25	250

Master Mix for 12 reactions: Sequence confirmed DBAT-pSB1C3 (75-2) colony, Seq. confirmed EV DBAT-pSB1C3 miniprep, Seq. confirmed EV DBAT-pSB1C3 colony, Miniprep: 1-2, 2A3, 2A4, 2B2, Colony: 1-2, 2A4, 2B2



Only had bands on colonies, including negative control

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## Temperature Gradient PCR for GBlock Amplification

Table65

	A	B	C
1			(# reactions x 1.1)
2	Thing	1 rxn	4.4
3	Q5-2xMM	25	110
4	Forward Primer (10 uM)	2.5	11
5	Reverse Primer (10 uM)	2.5	11
6	PICO H2O	19	83.6
7	<b>Total</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>215.6</b>

Master Mix: 49 uL added to 1 uL of DNA for each reaction

1:05 Elongation

 GBlockAmplification72016.jpg



Ladder, BAPT @ 63°C Annealing, BAPT @ 60.8°C Annealing, BAPT @ 58.4°C Annealing, BAPT @ 57°C Annealing, Blank, BAPT @ 60.8°C Annealing (redone)

## Inoculations

From Endura 10 uL plates: Red #38 & #1 + Blue #3 & #28 > Inoculated in LB + Amp @ 4 PM, left in shaker

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## Troubleshooting GBlock Amplification, feat. Adim

Table66

	A	B	C
1			(# reactions x 1.1)
2	Thing	1 rxn	4.4
3	Q5-2xMM	12.5	55
4	Forward Primer (10 uM)	1.25	5.5
5	Reverse Primer (10 uM)	1.25	5.5
6	PICO H2O	4	17.6
7	GC Enhancer	5	22
8	<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>105.6</b>

Master Mix: 24 uL added to 1 uL of DNA for each reaction

3:00 Elongation

**Suzie**

 GBlock1Amp72116.jpg



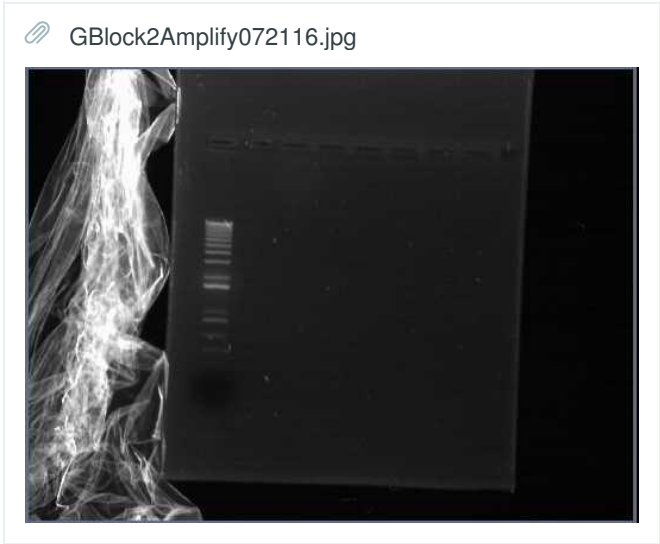
Ladder, BAPT @ 63°C Annealing, BAPT @ 60.8°C Annealing,  
BAPT @ 58.4°C Annealing, BAPT @ 57°C Annealing

Table67

	A	B
1		
2	Thing	1 rxn
3	Q5-2xMM	12.5
4	Forward Primer (10 uM)	1.25
5	Reverse Primer (10 uM)	1.25
6	PICO H2O	8
7	<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>

Added to 2 uL of DNA for reaction

3:00 Elongation



Ladder, BAPT @ 63 °C Annealing

Note: 15 uL of 5 ng/uL BAPT left

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## Transformations of Q5 Mutagenesis S.C. Products into DLF-00286

- TBT: 1630 V, 654 ms
- BadA: 1670 V, 3.0 ms

> Plated each of 75 uL and 5 uL recovery:95 uL LB broth mixtures on LB+KAN plates for both transformations at 8 PM



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Table74			
	A	B	C
1			(# col +1 control)
2	Thing	1 rxn	2
3	MM	12.5	25
4	Amp2_F	0.25	0.5
5	SR2	0.25	0.5
6	H2O	12	24

# Lab Maintenance

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## Made Electrocompetent Cells (286 - J, R)

- 36 aliquots were made