

IPTG Induced Plasmid Expression Protocol

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Introduction

Culture preparation with IPTG will indirectly induce the expression of the plasmids regulated by a T7 promoter.

Materials

- › LB liquid media
- › Antibiotic for plasmid selection (1000x stock)
- › 100 mM IPTG (1000x stock)
- › o/N grown plasmid culture

Procedure

IPTG culture preparation

1. Prepare a sterile working space (e.g bunsen burner)
2. Add 15 mL of LB liquid media into a cell culture tube.
3. Add 15 μ L of antibiotic for the corresponding plasmid selection.
4. Add 15 μ L of 100 mM IPTG. The final concentration will be of 100 μ M.
5. Incubate for 3h, approximately. The culture has to be saturated to show an optic density (OD 600 nm) around 1 ng/ μ L.

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