

DNA Engineering: M1D5 Lab Talk

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Team Color	5 ng pCX-EGFP	bkb+ insert, no ligase	bkb + ligase	bkb+ insert, + ligase*
RED				
ORANGE				
YELLOW				
GREEN				
BLUE				
PINK				
PURPLE				

**list each plate*

Interpreting ligation results

- Did the positive control work for many groups?
- No ligase results?
- Bkb + ligase tells you?
- What variations may be giving differences seen for experimental samples?

Cells not on ice

Loss of DNA

Ratio Bkb : insert

Isolating DNA from bacteria: DNA Miniprep

- Harvest cells+ aspirate media



- Resuspend them

Soln I

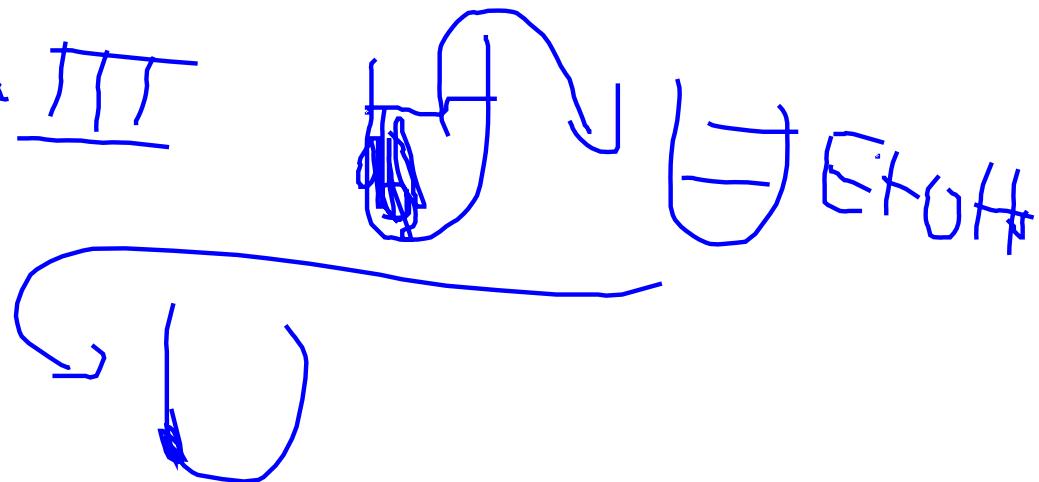
- Lyse them + raise pH

Soln II NaOH
 SDS

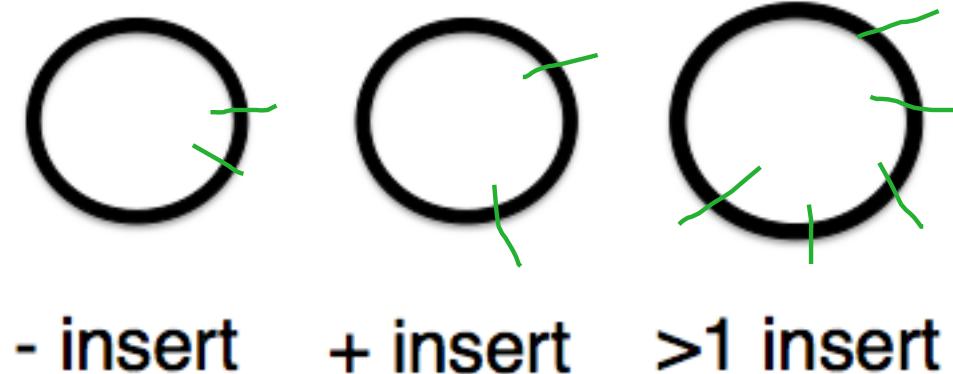
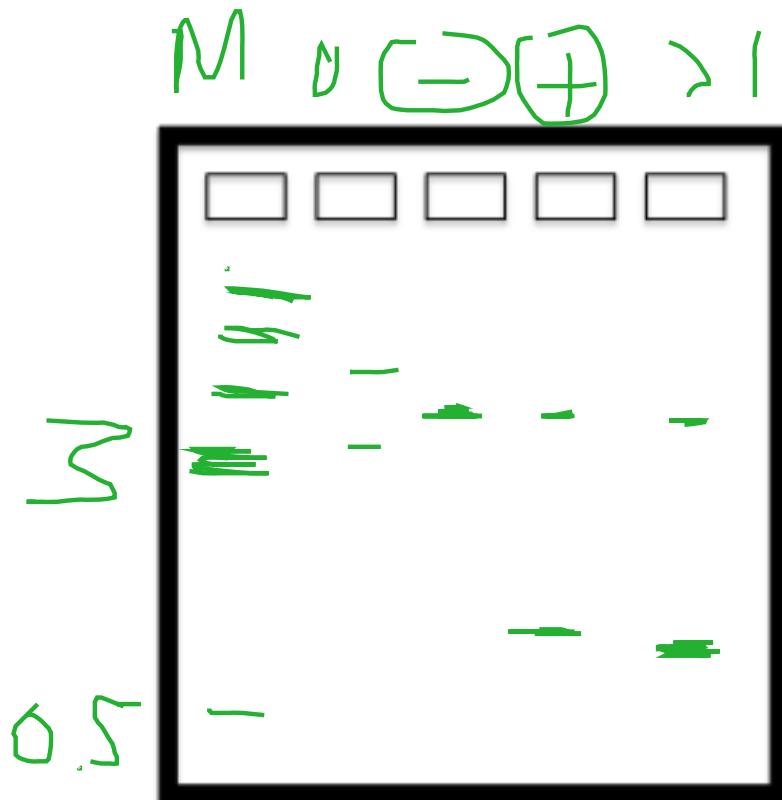
- Restore pH

Soln III

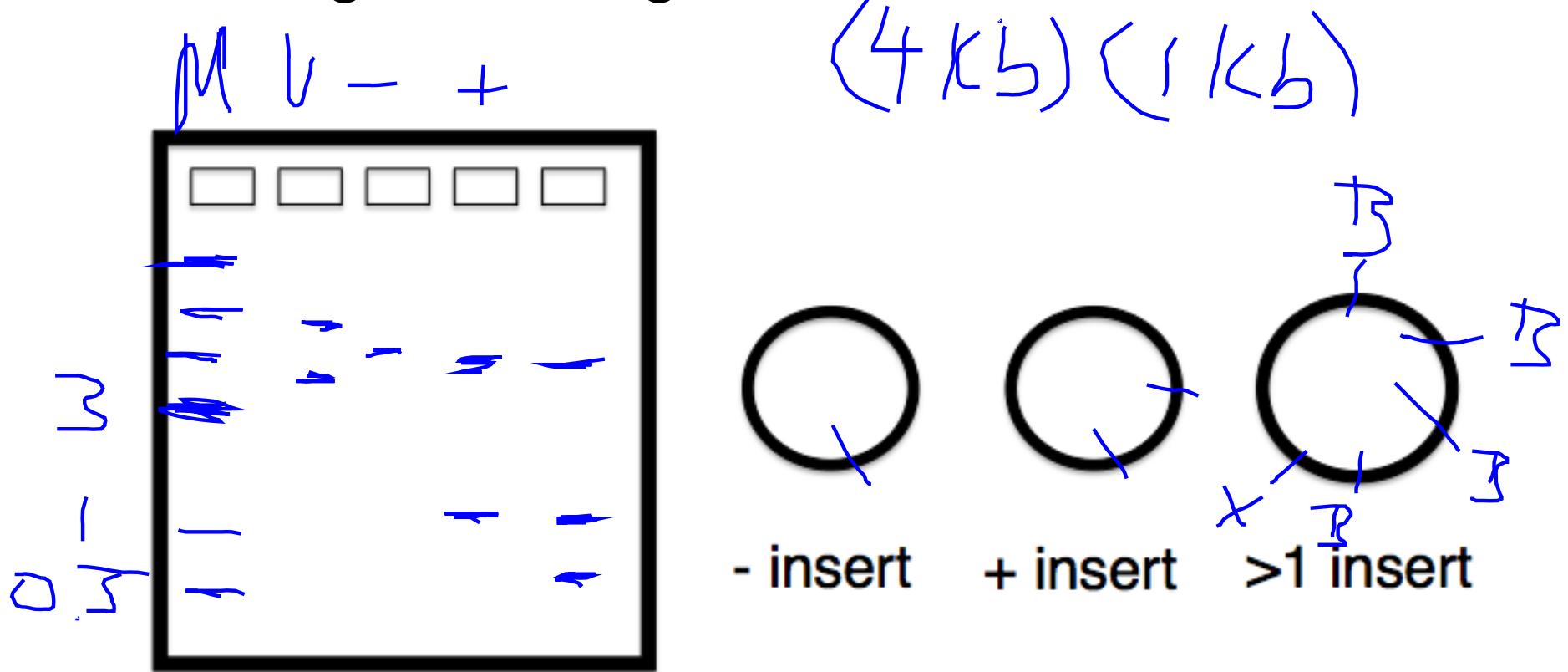
- Concentrate + wash



Diagnostic Digests: Xbal and RI?

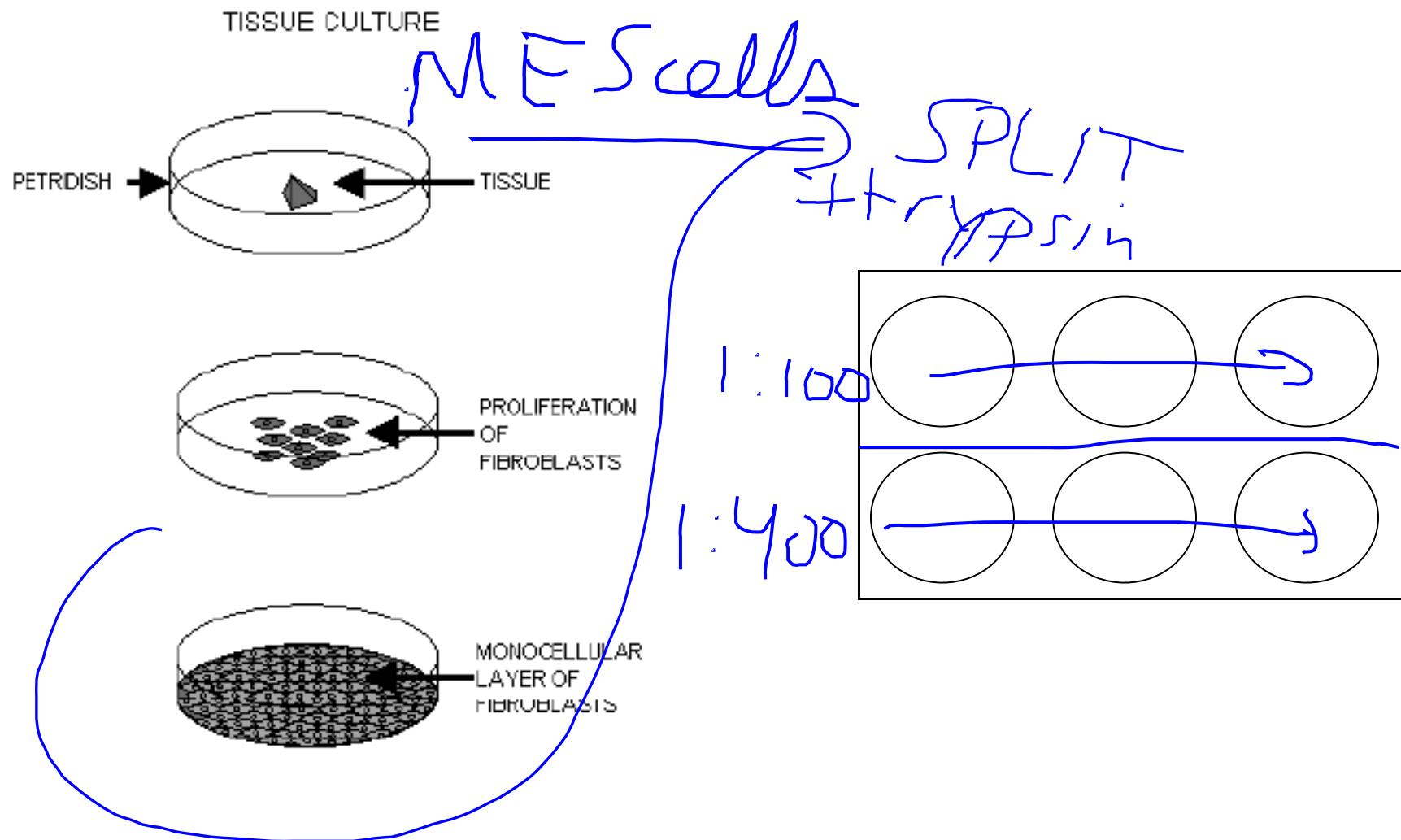


Diagnostic Digests: BamHI and Xhol?

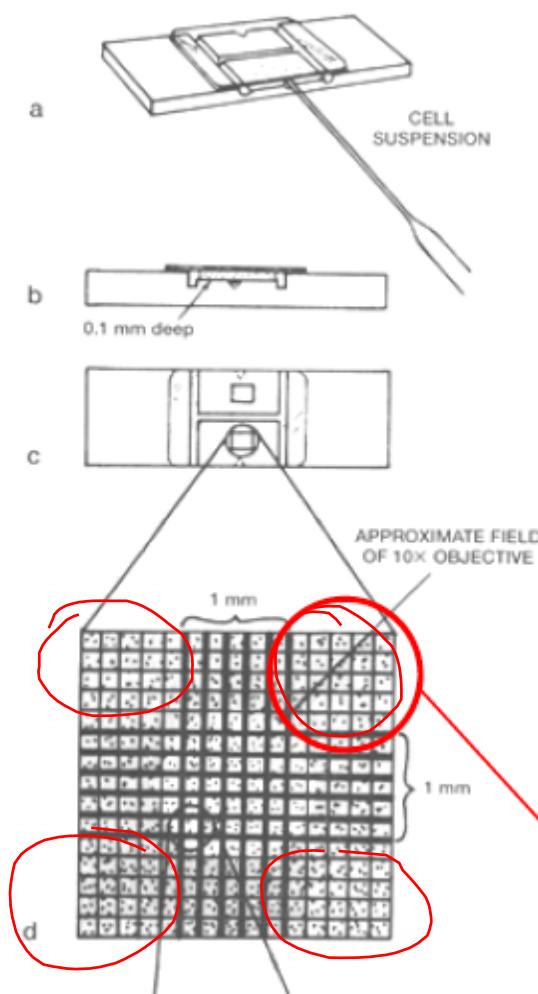


Also consider: compatible buffers, reaction temperatures, results if one enzyme doesn't cut

Also today: TC for fun....



Figuring out how many cells you have



Count
cells in
4x4 corners
Avg x 10,000
cells/ml

Mod 1: what's left?

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Lipofect + L.P.

R

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RED	~2296	0	8	49, 43
ORANGE	~884	0	0	2, 0
YELLOW	~4200	0	12	4, 0
GREEN	~1200	0	0	0, 1
BLUE	~5800	1	4	172, 166
PINK	~3072	1	7	183, 221
PURPLE	10	10	20	1, 1

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