

⇒ Stable Cell Line Project

- Goal: - > 95% cells express product of plasmid construct
 - Expression will be verified biochemically & optically

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 → Subgoal: Use antibiotic resistance as selection marker for cells that
 * * stably express GFP plasmid
 - Find optimal conc. of antibiotic (Geneticin: G418, Life Technologies)
 - Find optimal/appropriate plating density of cells

→ Procedure:

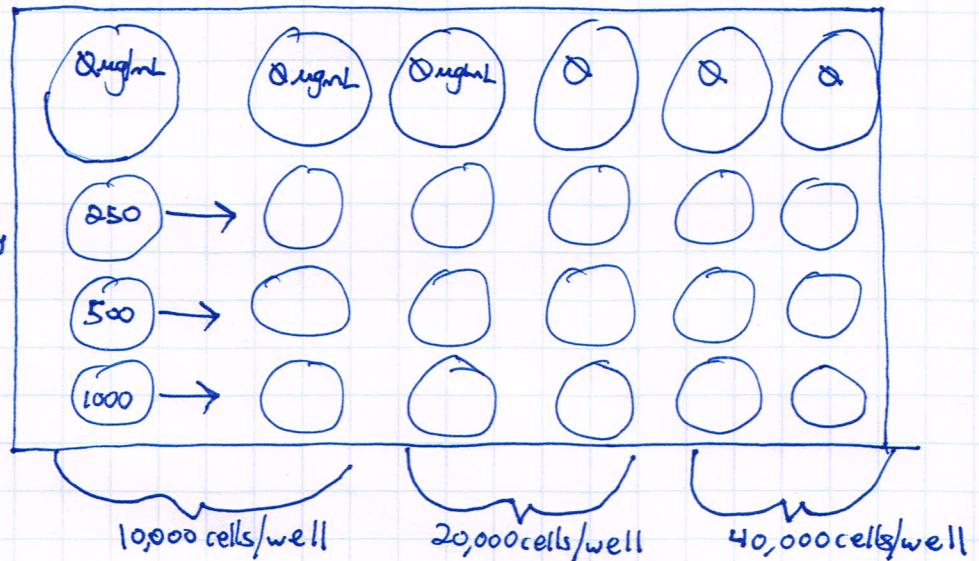
- Transfect normally in standard media
- 24 hrs. post-plating replace w/ Geneticin-containing media
 conc. range from 0 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ to 1000 $\mu\text{g/mL}$: 0, 250, 500, 1000 $\mu\text{g/mL}$
- Media change every day, qualitatively note % dead cells
 - Run exp. at least 7 and potentially 14 days.

note HER6-HEK cell line is maintained @ 400 $\mu\text{g/mL}$

Set-up/layout:

→ 24-well plate w/ duplicates

→ variables:
 cell plating density
 geneticin conc.



Have 1 million cells/mL in media. Each well contains/holds 500 μL total volume.

$$\cancel{(1,000,000 \text{ cells})(1 \text{ mL})} =$$

$$\cancel{\left(\frac{1,000,000 \text{ cells}}{\text{mL}}\right)(V_1) = (10,000 \text{ cells})(0.5 \text{ mL})}$$

$\frac{1,000,000 \text{ cells}}{\text{mL}}$ & need 10,000 cells

∴ need 10 μL of stock cell suspension + 490 μL media for 500 μL total.

- ⇒ 10k: 10 μL cell stock + 490 μL media
 20k: 20 μL cell stock + 480 μL media
 40k: 40 μL cell stock + 460 μL media