

## Test 20\_M9

**Description:** Measurement and dilution in growing medium with low autofluorescence, different final volumes in the wells.

**Purpose:** find out the relationship between measurements (ASB, GFP and RFP) and dilution of the culture in the well, and between measurements' behaviours working with different final volumes in the well.

**Methods:** A flat-bottom non sterile plate is used.

Wells are filled with growing volumes of culture containing the construct A1 (J23100+E0240) – from 0 µl to 300 µl, with steps of 25 µl.

Volumes in wells are equalized by adding growing volumes of M9 till a final volume of 100 µl, 200 µl and 300.

See the file Piastra20\_M9.xls for more details.

Growing protocol: cultures were incubated in 5ml M9 37°C 220 rpm overnight and then diluted 1:1000. After dilution, falcons were incubated 37°C 220 rpm for about 4 hours.

### **Protocol:**

- The plate is filled as described in Methods
- Static measurement of ASB, RFP and GFP