# Core Biology Facility Spring 2013 Newsletter

# **Molecular Biology Lab IACC 316**

NEW! A BD FACSJazz cell sorter and a NEW Accuri C6 will be installed soon (by end of May). The cell sorter has 3 lasers (blue, red and violet) with 6 colors (3 blue, 1 red, and 2 violets)

#### **List of Equipment:**

- -Accuri C6 Flow Cytometer
- -2 ABI 7500 Fast Real-Time PCR Machines
- -ABI Veriti Thermocycler
- -2 ABI 2720 Thermocyclers
- -Agilent 2100 Bioanalyzer (DNA, RNA, protein quantitation and quality control)
- -GE Healthcare Storm 865 Imager (gel and immunoblot imaging, autoradiography)
- -Nanodrop 2000
- -DU530 UV/Vis spectrophotometer
- -Axon 4000B Genepix Microarray Scanner
- -Eppendorf 5417R Centrifuge
- -Eppendorf 5430 centrifuge
- -Allegra 25R table-top centrifuge
- -Computer workstations (Flowjo, Prism)
- -DNA/RNA/Protein gel Workstations

### Fisher Replenishment system (IACC 316)

Provides plastic consumables, Promega reagents for PCR, and growth media.

Tissue Culture Lab IACC 354A&B

#### **List of Equipment:**

- -3 Biosafety Cabinets/Tissue Culture Hoods
- -3 CO<sub>2</sub> incubators
- -Liquid Nitrogen cell storage system
- -Leica DMIL inverted fluorescent microscope with a CCD digital color camera
- -Nexcelom Cellometer Auto T4 Cell Counter
- -Inverted microscope
- -Bright field microscope

#### **Media Components:**

-We stock several kinds of media available for purchase in the CBF, including:

DMEM (high glucose)

Iscove's MDM

McCoy's 5A

MEM

MEM alpha

**RPMI 1640** 

Defined and characterized FBS

Trypsin, trypsin-EDTA, pen/strep, PBS, HBSS, and L-glutamine.

If we don't have it and you want- We'll get it! You just have to let us know!

<u>Service:</u> Consultation on experimental design, data analysis, technical training, sample analysis, and collaboration. We are dedicated to help you reach your research goals!

## **Bioassay Lab IACC 354C**

#### **List of Equipment:**

- -Thermo Multiskan Spectrum Microplate Spectrophotometer
- -Gemini EM Fluorescence Microplate Reader
- -Rainin multichannel pipettes

#### **Assay at CBF**

Apoptosis analysis

Blue native gel electrophoresis

Cell cycle analysis

Cellular bioenergetics

DNA damage and repair

Enzyme assay

Fluorescence microscopy

Gene expression assay

Genome size determination

**Immunophenotyping** 

Microarray analysis

Mycoplasma test

Western blot

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