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MEETING WITH BIOCONTROL AND STEVE DURFEE
June 12, 1997

General Business Discussion:

1. This is an exclusive marketing and development agreement between Biocontrol Technology and Steve Durfee to use Biocontrol's infrared spectrophotometer to measure chemical components in fermentors and bioreactors. Both parties have verbally agreed that after checking with their legal representatives, mutually acceptable changes can be made to the agreement.
2. This is a joint venture between Biocontrol and Steve Durfee and an investor yet to be determined. If Steve Durfee so chooses, he may reopen the current agreement for discussion of consideration of another business arrangement.

Items to occur before the agreement becomes a joint venture:

1. Steve Durfee will complete a market analysis.
2. Steve Durfee will find a source of funding (venture capitalist or other).
3. Biocontrol and Steve Durfee will work together to demonstrate feasibility.

General Development Discussion:

1. Biocontrol will assemble a probe for Steve Durfee to perform initial exploratory testing.

Dave Purdy: Steve's business plan should include this initial exploratory phase using a probe and instrument provided by Biocontrol.

2. It is agreed that Biocontrol and Steve Durfee at this time are willing to provide minimal funds to finance exploratory testing.
3. Biocontrol will loan a modified D-1000 instrument, probe, and laptop computer to Steve Durfee free of charge for the feasibility demonstration.

Steve Durfee has agreed that he will not demonstrate the instrument provided by Biocontrol to anyone. Steve Durfee will not leave the instrument anywhere unattended and it will be under his constant supervision.

Dave Purdy will check with the Biocontrol directors about allowing Steve to have a D-1000 instrument.

Biocontrol may send someone with the instrument to Steve Durfee's laboratory of choice, or Steve Durfee may come to Indiana to do the testing at Biocontrol's laboratory.

4. If testing is successful, it will aid in raising funds for development.

Market and Product Development Agreements:

1. Probe: Biocontrol will build a new probe at least two feet long on one of the E-prototype units and provide a manual reference. Biocontrol will update the D-1000 instrument with the latest improvements affecting its ability to measure glucose.
2. Software: Tom Kerr of Biocontrol will assemble modified data acquisition software. He will include instructions for using the modified D-1000 instrument and laptop computer.
3. Hardware: Biocontrol will loan a modified D-1000 instrument with probe and laptop computer to Steve Durfee for exploratory testing.
4. Testing: Steve Durfee will provide information to Todd Barker for design of experiment for exploratory testing and determination of a calibration vector. This information will be used to collect data in order to obtain a calibration.
5. Algorithm: Biocontrol will provide temporary use of Matlab and other PLS software to Steve Durfee for developing the calibration vector and prediction algorithm during exploratory testing. Todd Barker will verify calibration and help build prediction algorithm.
6. Verification: Steve Durfee will repeat testing to verify calibration.
7. Steve Durfee will send a sample of typical fermentation broth to Pete Raber of Biocontrol for determination of optical properties.

Steve commented that the broth is not particularly hazardous (do not eat or breathe); the organisms are dead.
8. Cost: Biocontrol will determine a cost estimate of the exploratory phase.
9. Schedule: Dave McMurry will provide a schedule to provide initial test instrument. Steve Durfee will use this to determine an overall exploratory testing schedule.

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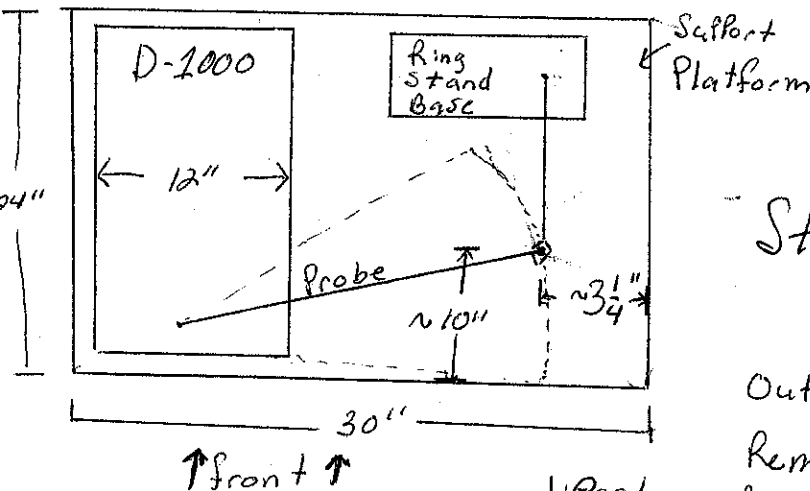
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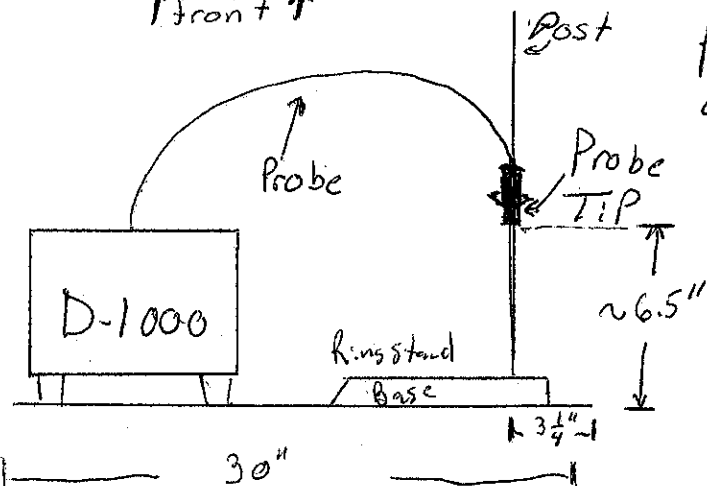
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Top View

Steve,

The area that the probe would map out on the support platform may be removed. The only requirement is that the probe tip be secured to the same platform as the D-1000.



Front View

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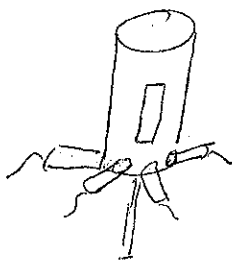
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D1000 - Installation & Assembly Good (~5:00pm Wed MT)

Fermentor:

Continuous monitoring of pH

Range 7.00 ~ ± 0.2 fixed



Dissolved Oxygen 20 ~ 80 ± 1

Used to determine metabolic mode of bacteria (Less DO, more growth)

Temperature $\sim 30^\circ\text{C}$ Range $\sim \pm 10^\circ\text{C}$ ± 0.1

Used for different growth specifications fixed

Volume of Solution depends on fermenter size & desired volume of Bacteria

DL - 1500 L

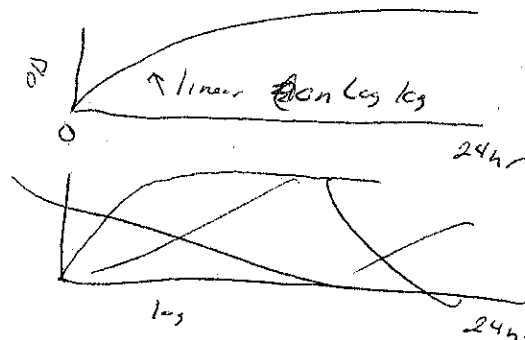
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25 mm standard insert

Technicians performed tests:

Optical Density: Range 0 - 160's (approximate)
Used to calculate cell density. This also indicates metabolic patterns. When starved, Opt Den plummets.

Glucose Conc: YSI 0 - $\sim 1600 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{dL}}$ $10 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{dL}}$ hrs.



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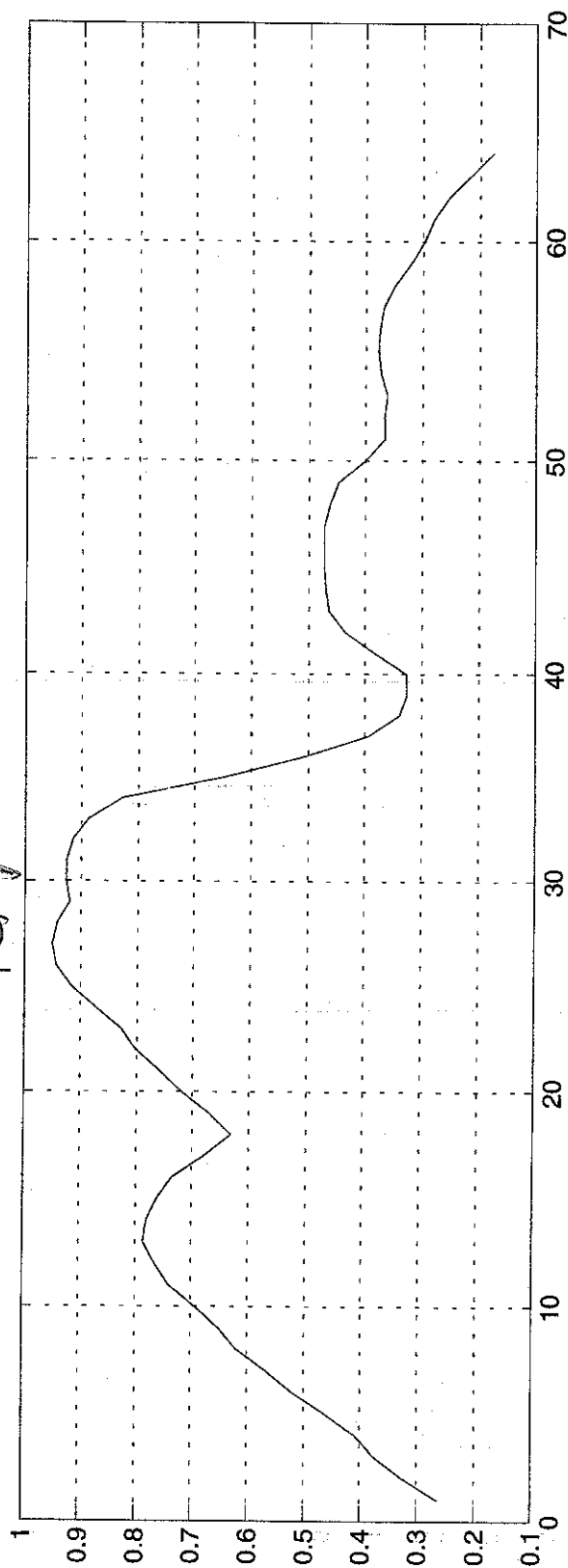
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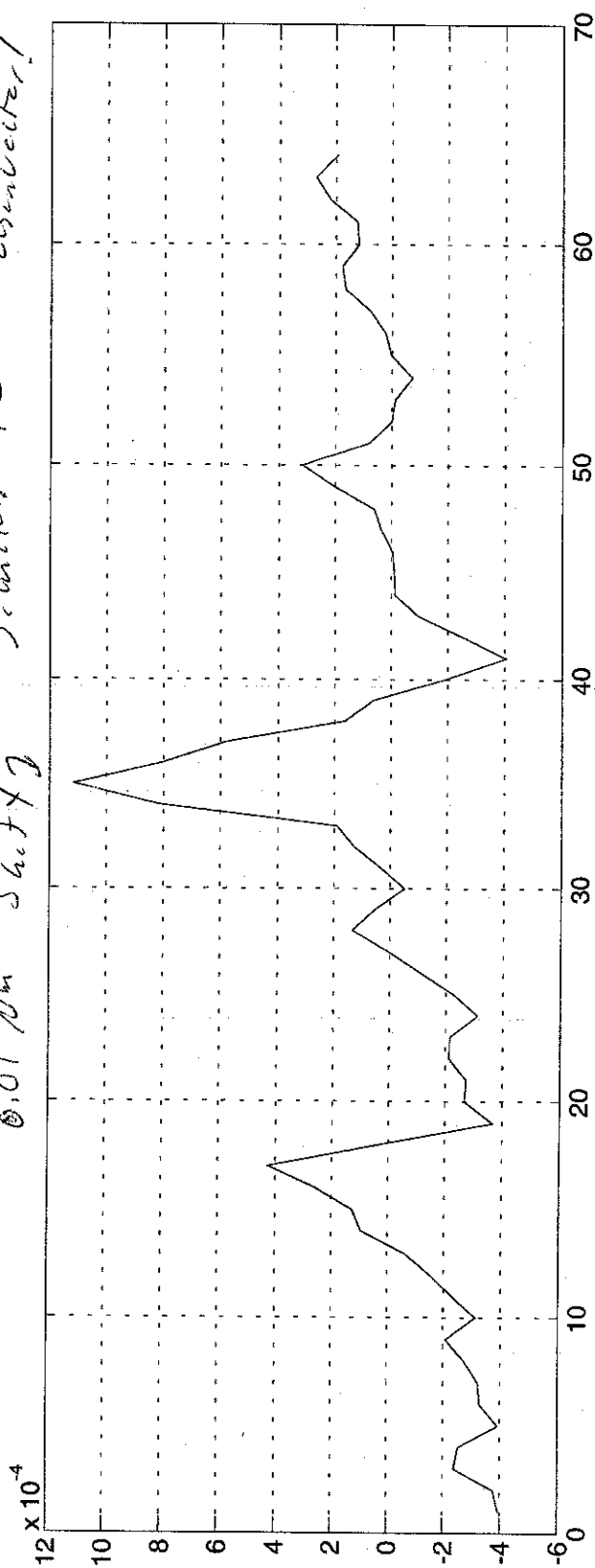
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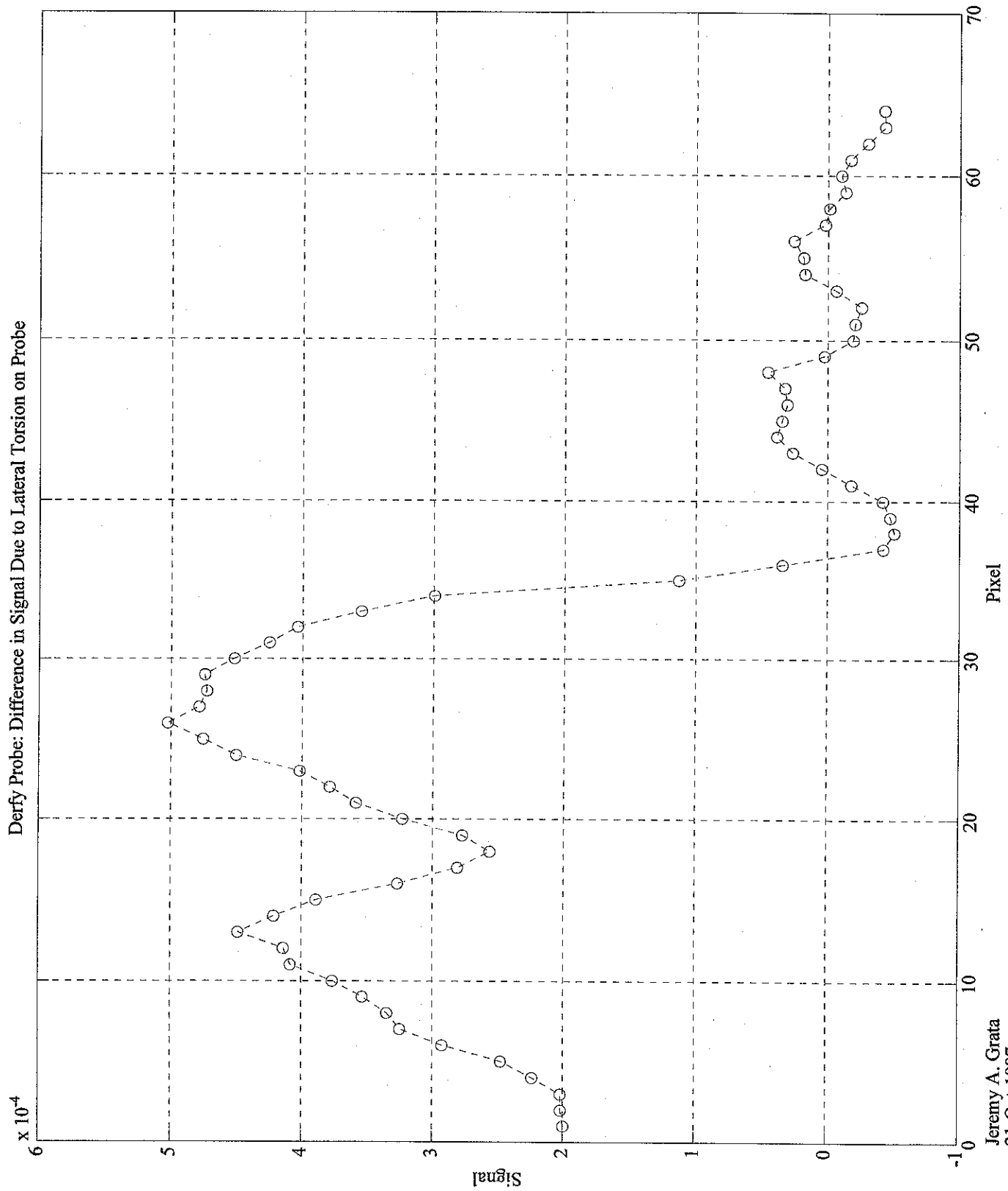
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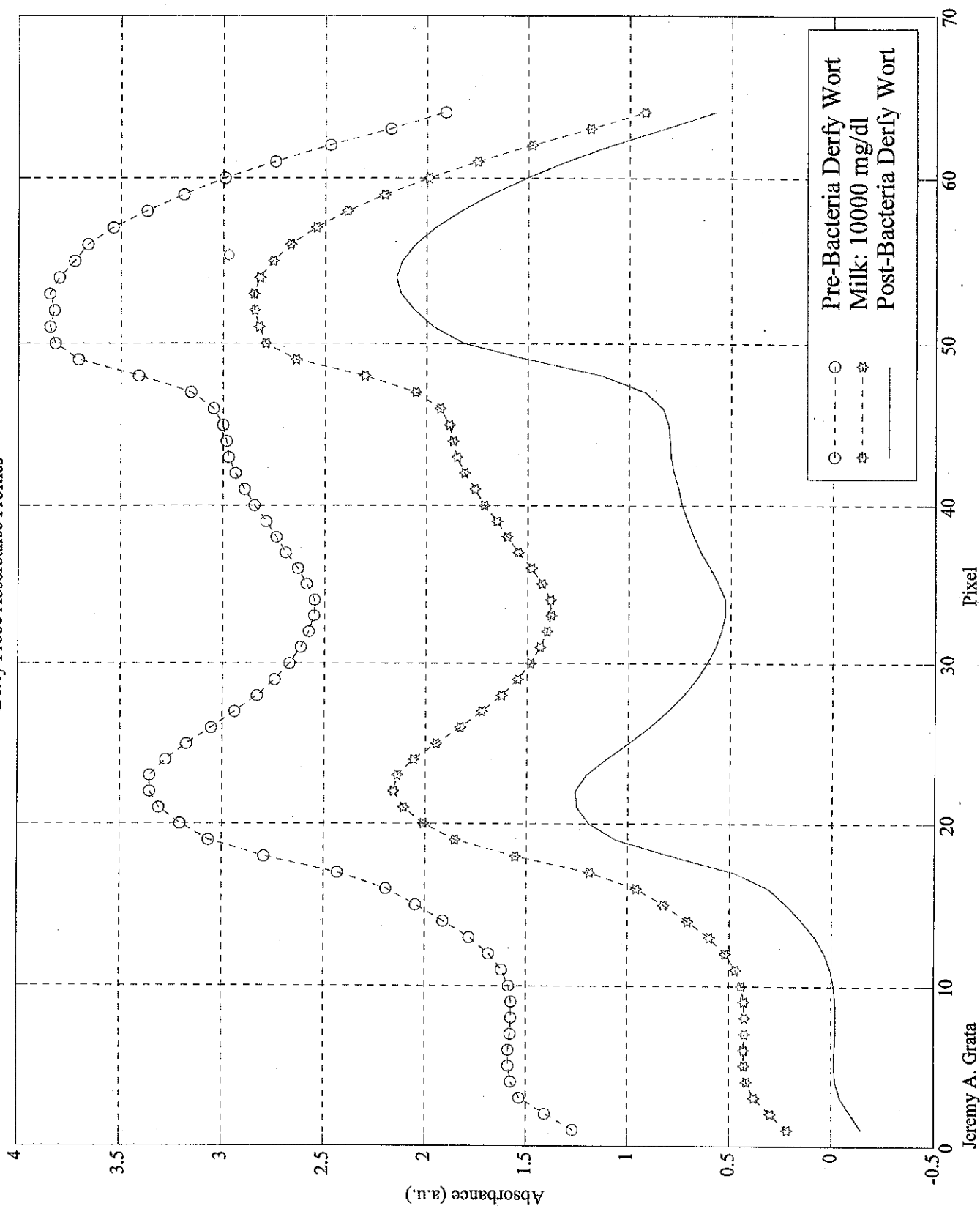
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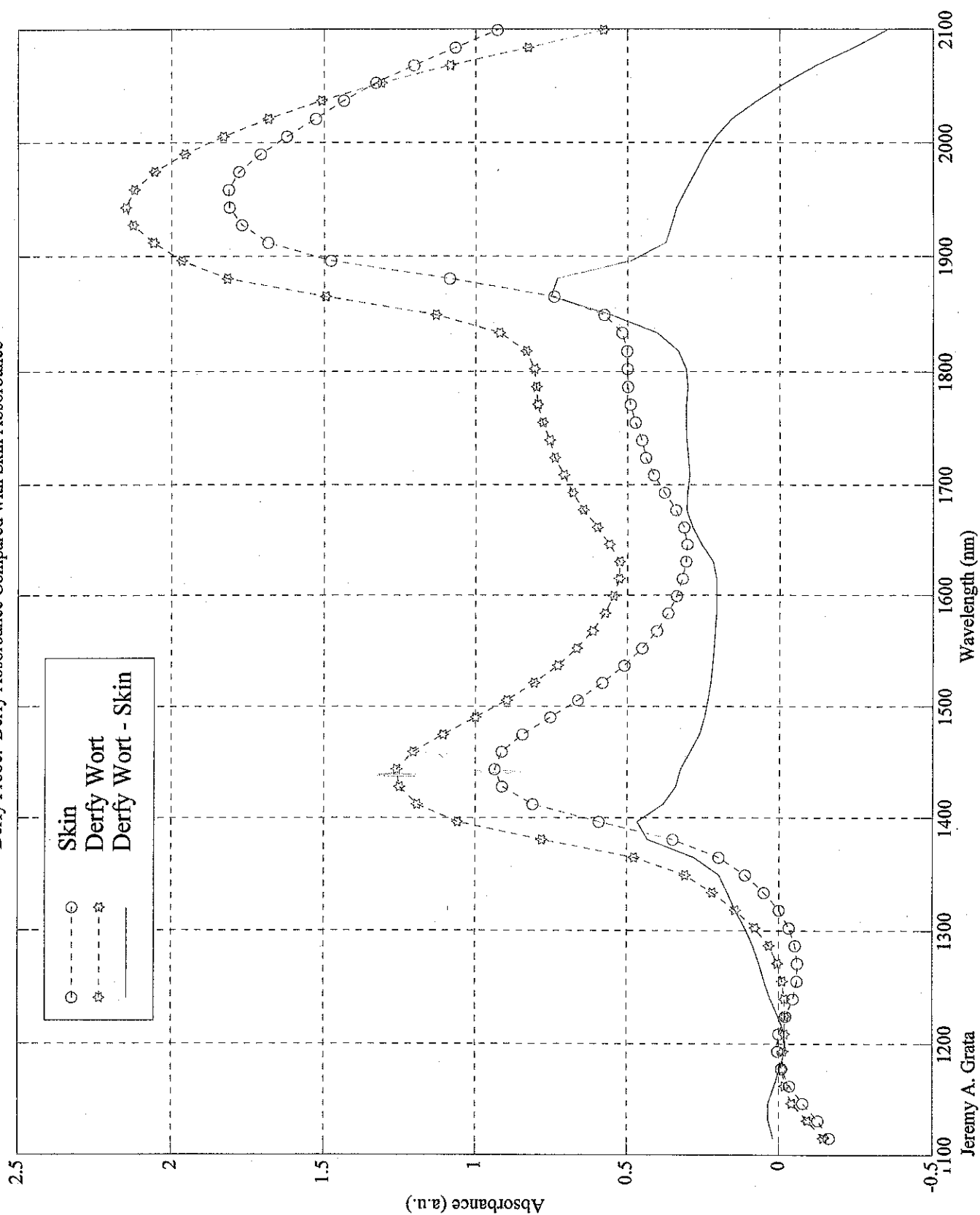


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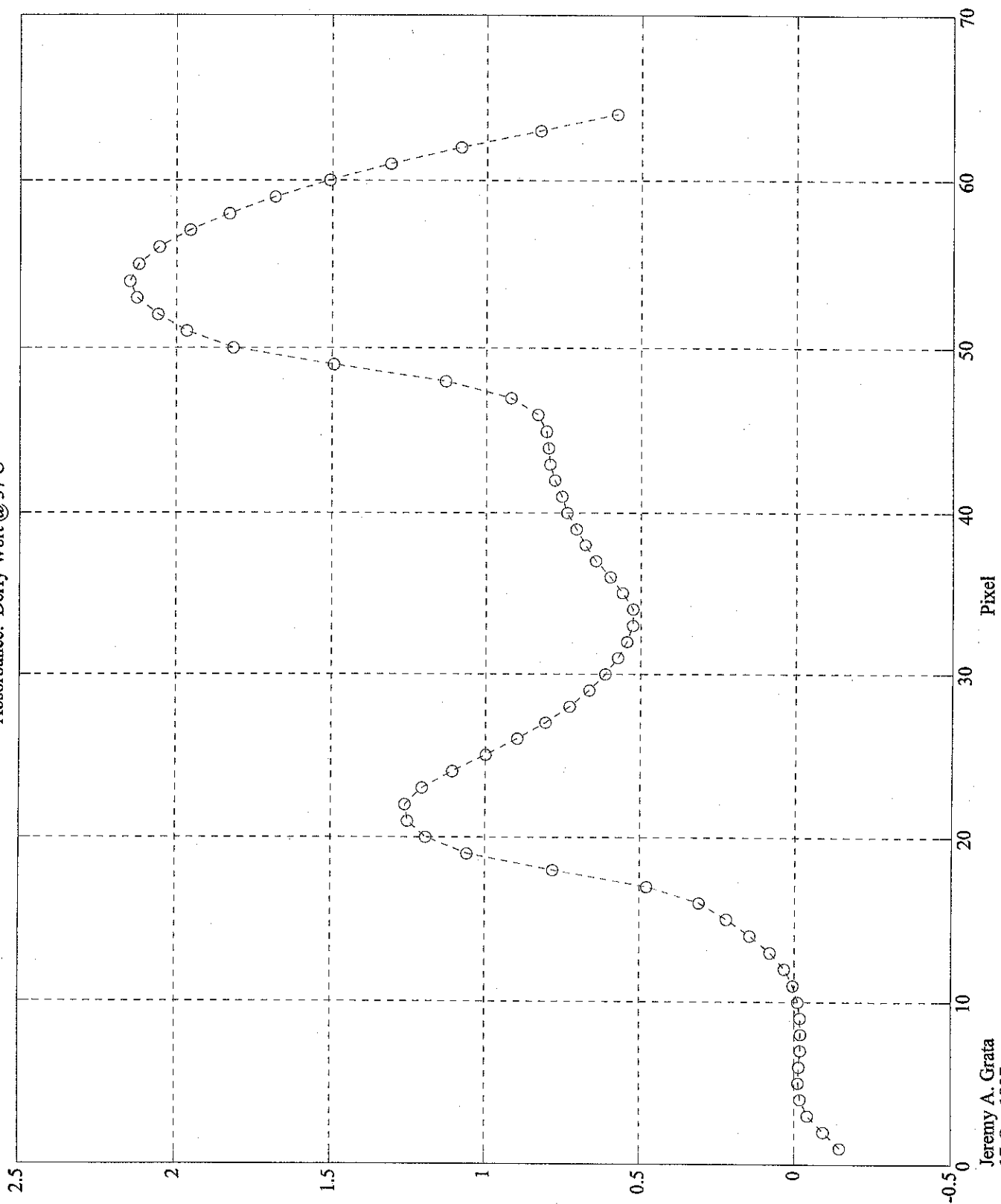
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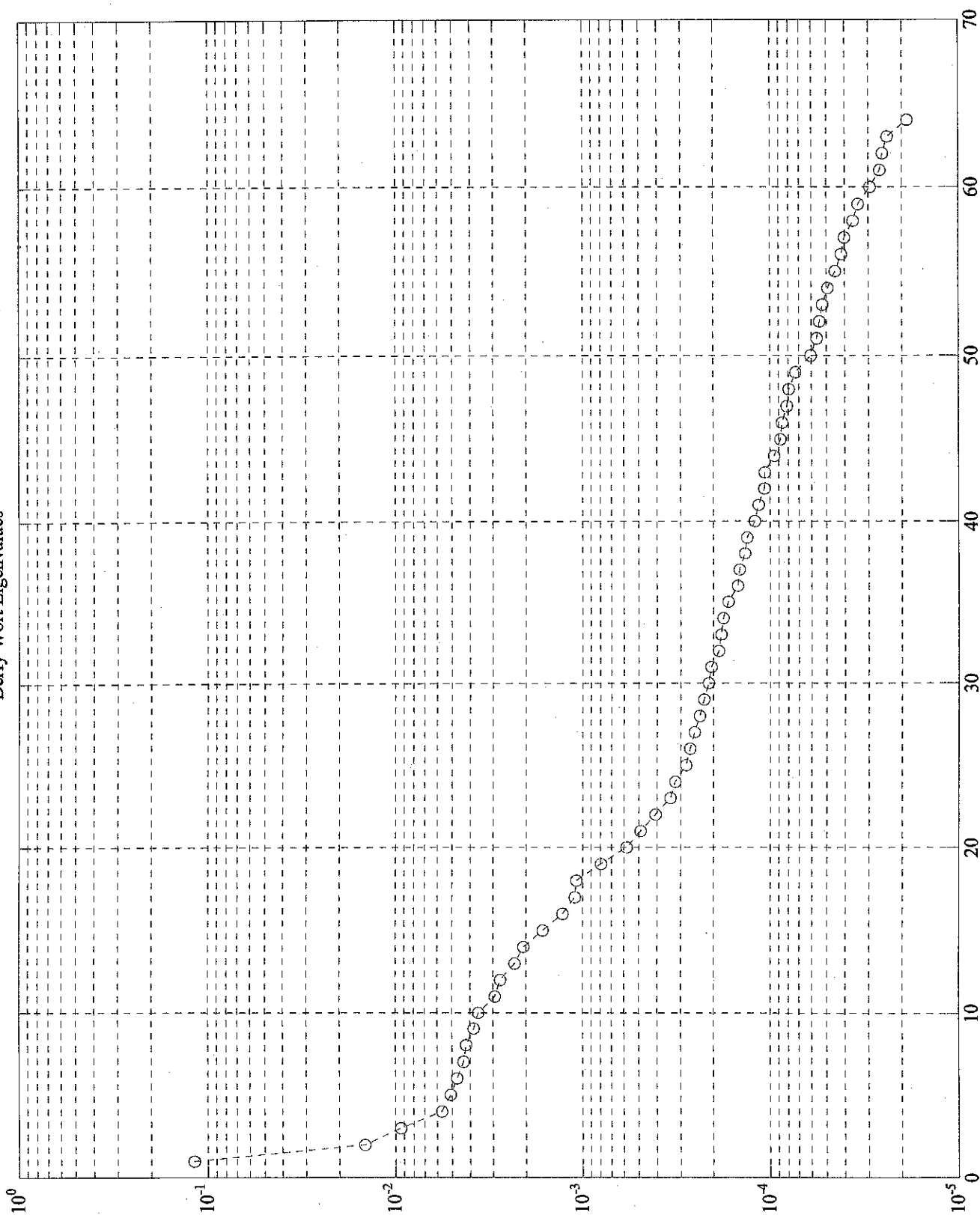


Absorbance: Derfy Wort @ 37 C

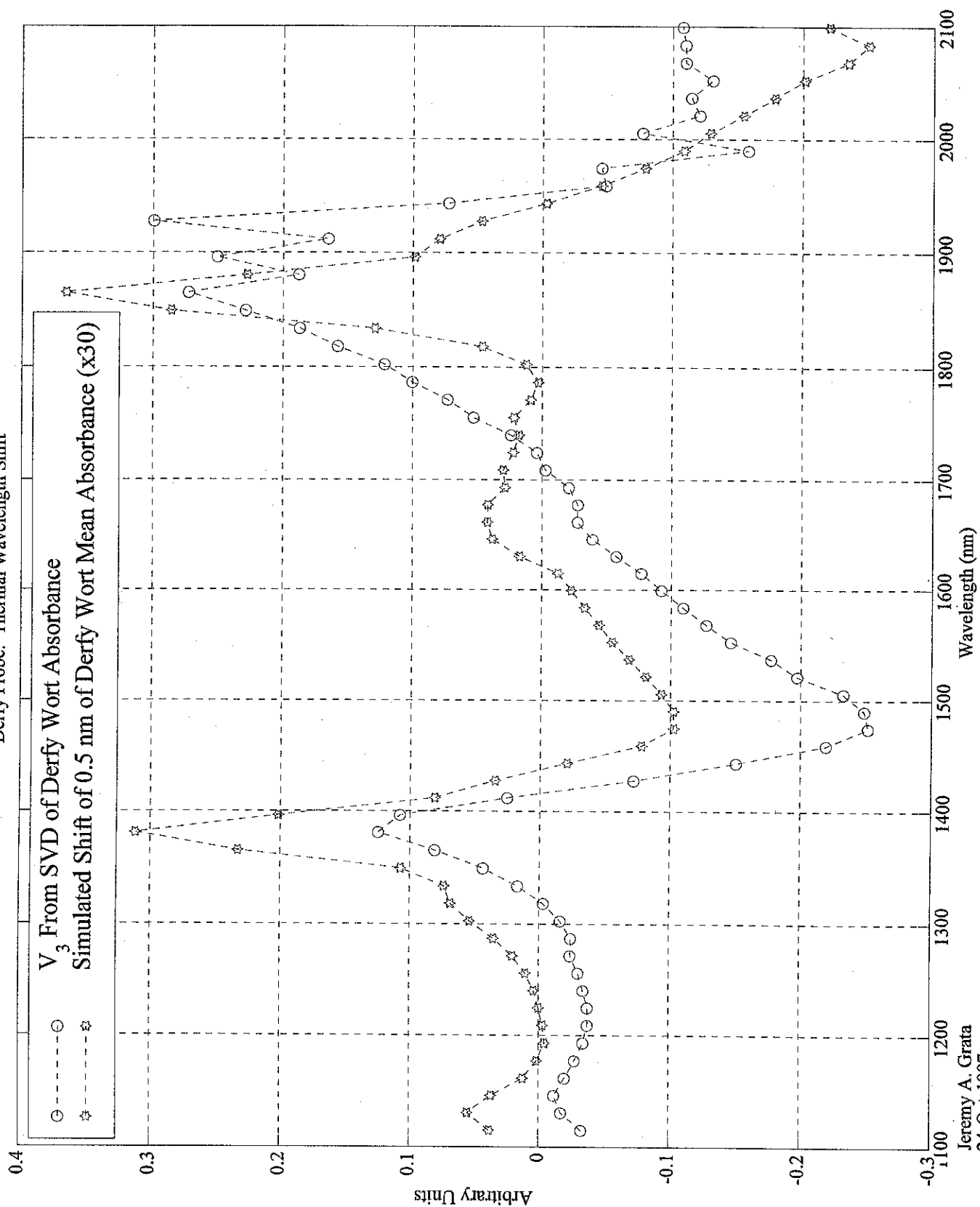


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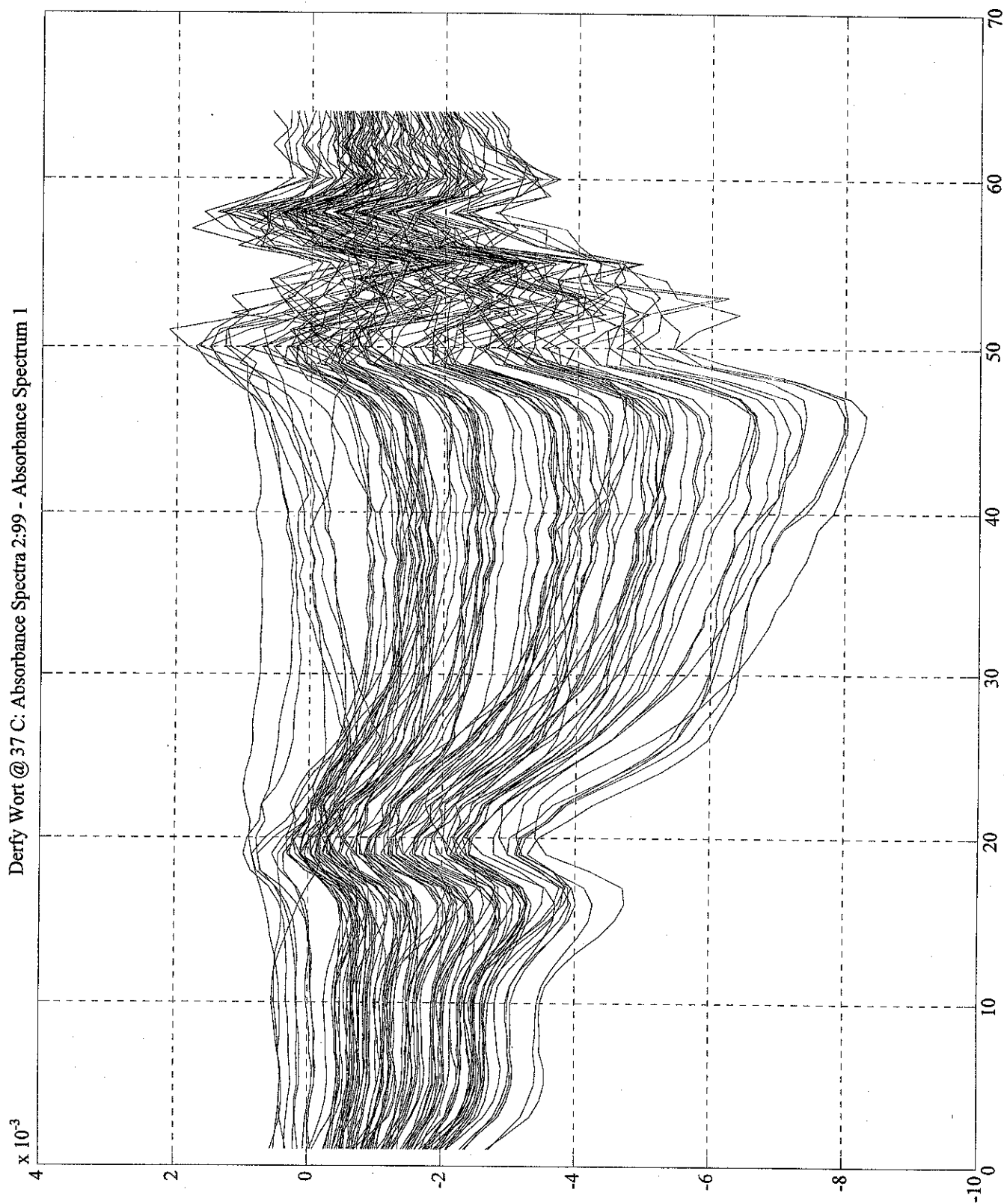
Derfy Wort Eigenvalues



Derfy Probe: Thermal Wavelength Shift



Derfy Wort @ 37 C: Absorbance Spectra 2:99 - Absorbance Spectrum 1



BIOCONTROL TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Memorandum

TO: Jeremy Grata
 FROM: Todd Barker
 DATE: November 6, 1997
 RE: Experimental Design, BIOFERM

In this memo I've prepared a randomized experimental design. The worksheet below shows a replicated and randomized design with Spike as a quantitative variable and Block as a qualitative variable. In the work sheet Blank simply indicates where nonglucose DI water is added to the Wort.

original design order	Sample #	Wort Concentration (mg/dL)	Block
11	1	350 400	Glucose
6	2	100	Blank
34	3	250 200	Glucose
33	4	100	Glucose
30	5	300	Blank
27	6	350 400	Glucose
40	7	500	Blank
9	8	100	Glucose
22	9	300	Blank
7	10	300	Blank
19	11	300 400	Glucose
28	12	500	Glucose
31	13	500	Blank
4	14	500	Glucose
8	15	500	Blank
17	16	100	Glucose
38	17	500	Blank
12	18	500	Glucose
13	19	300	Blank
3	20	350 400	Glucose
5		100	Blank
18		250 200	Glucose
16		500	Blank
1		100	Glucose
39		300	Blank
25		100	Glucose
23		100	Blank
26		250 200	Glucose
24		100	Blank
35		350 400	Glucose
15		100	Blank
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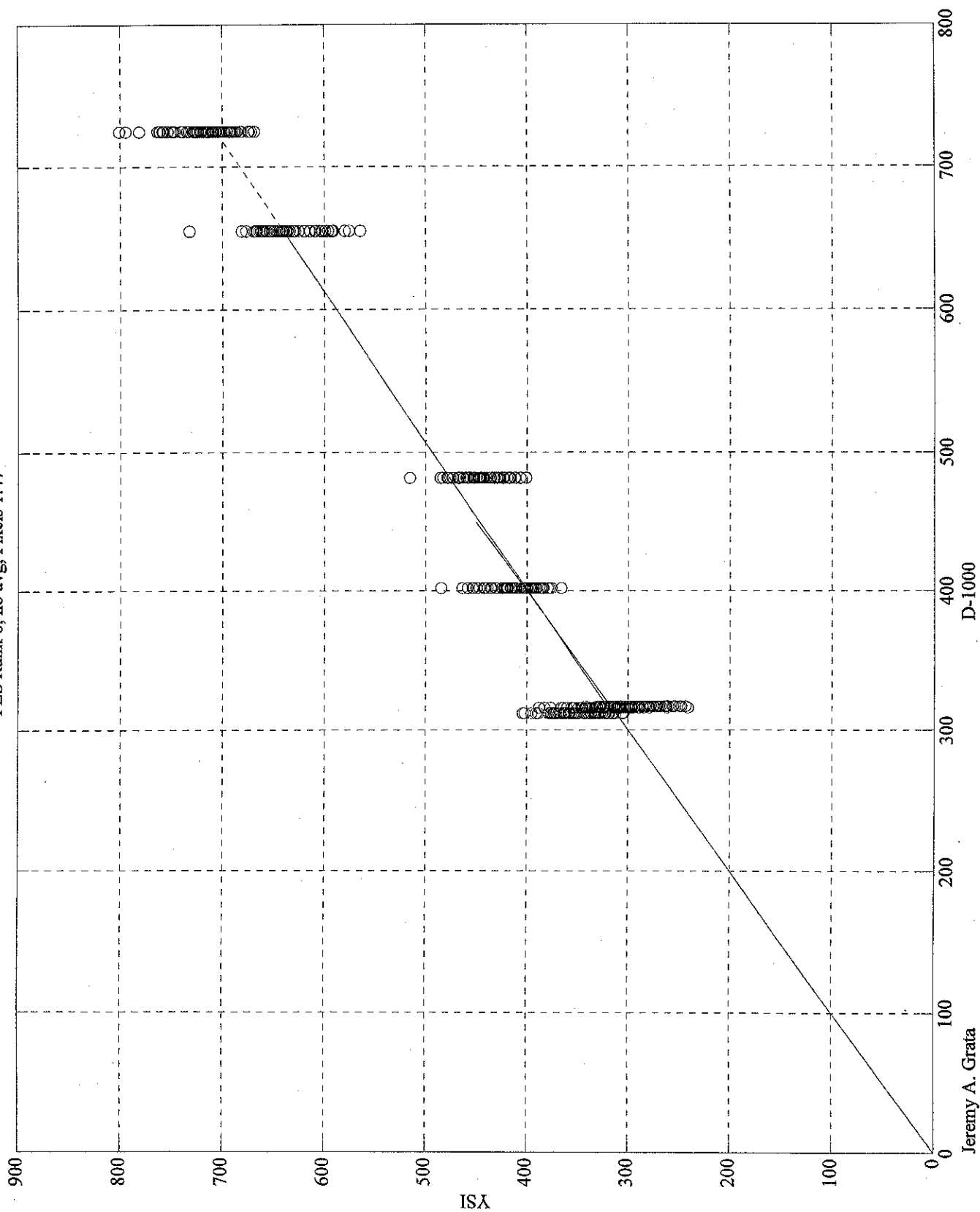
We might also consider more extensive replication. I've also put together a design having 10 replicates and two series of dilutions - perhaps allowing for more effective control of pipet uncertainty or variation due to time correlation.

The following solutions might work well - apparently you've not found the solubility of glucose in water to be an issue - which is good. Hopefully we can run through the 40 tests on Friday.

Prepare spiking solution to a concentration of 500 g / L (50,000 mg/dL). This is approximately 2:1 volume/volume solution and may require heating or ultrasonic dissolution.

BIOFERM Wort Solution Concentration	Dilution Scheme Spike Volume / Wort Volume	Stock Concentration Spiking Solution
100	250 μ L Stock / 125 mL	50000 mg/dL
200 250	625 250 μ L Stock / 125 mL	50000
300	750 μ L Stock / 125 mL	50000
400 350	1000 875 μ L Stock / 125 mL	50000
500	1250 μ L Stock / 125 mL	50000

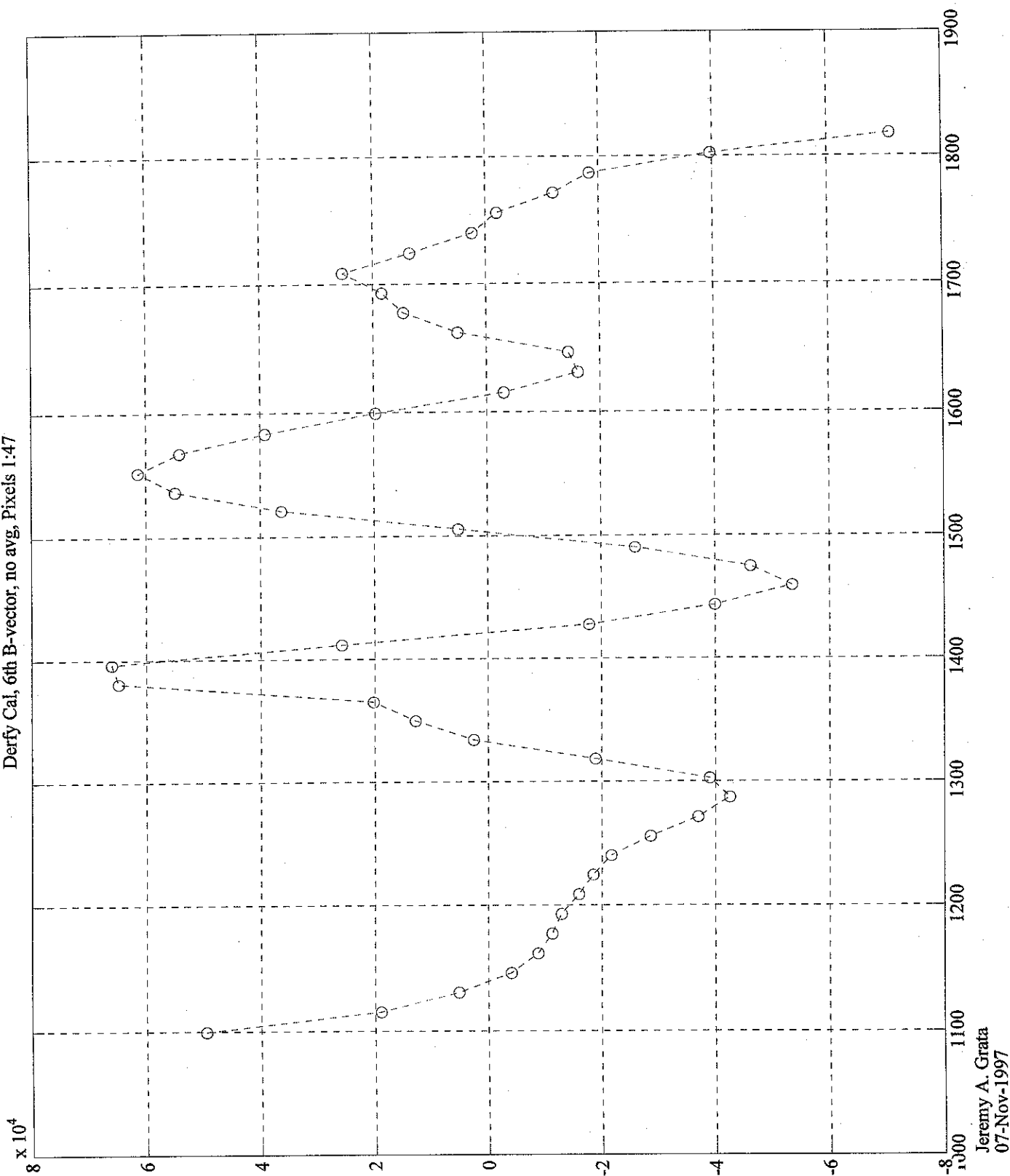
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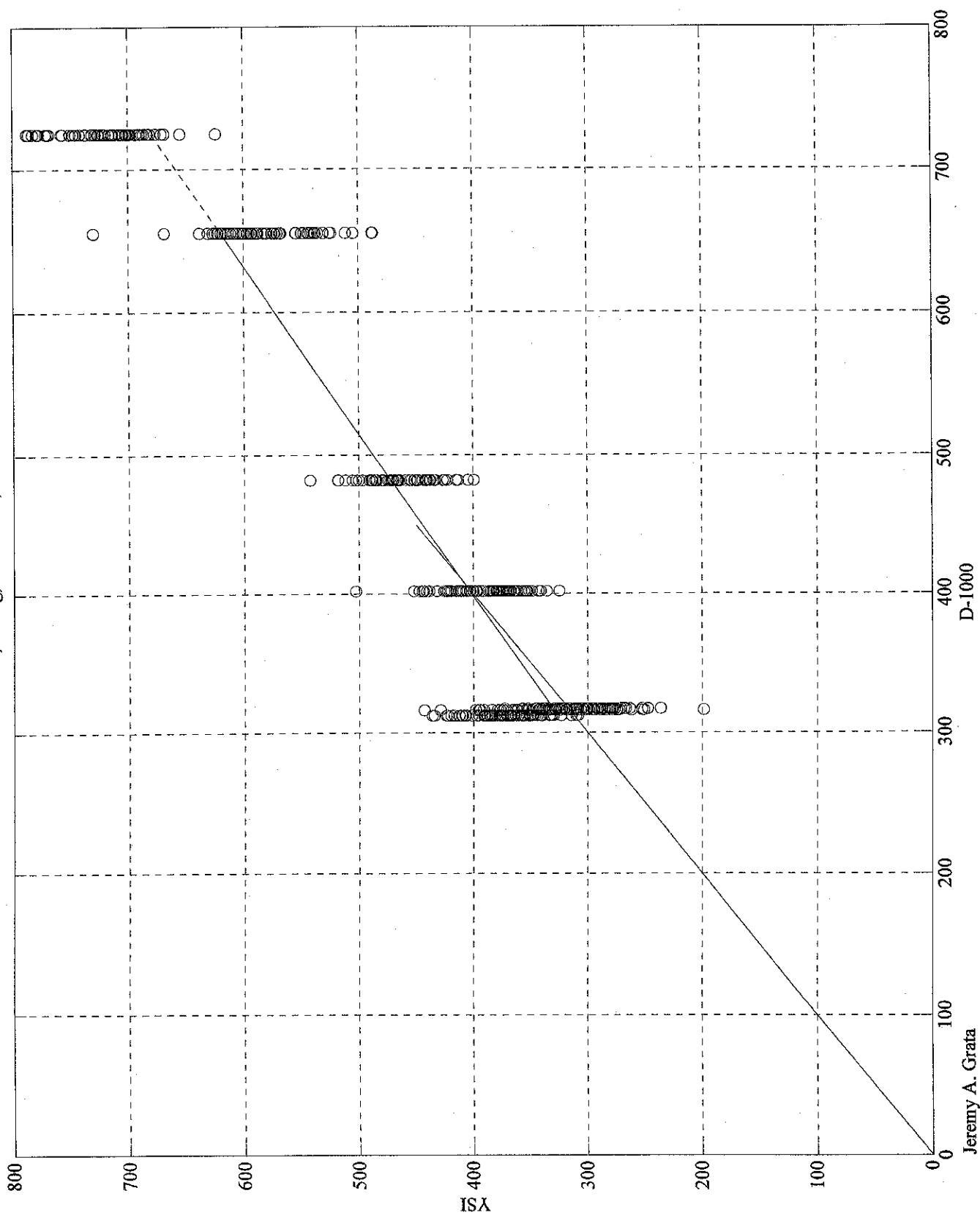
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WORT

51.0 ml

51.6 grams

129 grams

125 ml

Experimental Design — See 11-6-97

① Stock Solution Prepared by Jeremy Groth: 50,000 mg/dL

Nominal WORT Conc

Dilution

YSI reading

1 100

250 ml / 125 ml

410 mg/dL

2 200

500 ml / 125 ml

491 mg/dL

3 400

1000 ml / 125 ml

655 mg/dL

4 500

1250 ml / 125 ml

750 mg/dL

② Stirred Thermostated soln 37°C

Sample pipet for YSI measurement

brown from
soln.

YSI reading

③ Blanks

5 100

6 300

7 500

④ 7550 Refere

7550 Dark

7550 Spec

655 mg/dL 4

318 10

491 20

410 10

DRK REF

REF DRK

315 300

655 400

318 500

410 100

REF

DRK

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<u>YSI</u>	<u>Nominal</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Stir</u>	<u>Temp</u>	<u>Time Clock</u>
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315	300	B		38.0	
315	300	B		38.0	
655	400 300	G		38.5	
750	500	G		42.5	
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	DRK				
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750	500	G		41.5	
318	500	B		40.0	
410	100	G		39.5	
	REF				
	DRK				11:53
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750	500	G		41.5	
315	300	B		44.0	
655	400	G		41.0	
	REF				
	DRK				12:10
318	100	B		41.5	12:13
491	200	G		47.0	
318	500	B		41.0	
410	100	G		41.0	
	REF				
	DRK				12:28
315	300	B		41.5	
410	100	G		39.5	
318	100	B		43.5	
655	400	G		41.0	
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<u>YSI</u>	<u>Nominal</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Stir</u>	<u>Temp</u>	<u>Time Clock</u>
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318	100	B		41.0	
315	300	B		41.0	
318	500	B		42.5	
	R				
	DRK				
491	200	G		44.0	
315	300	B		44.0	
750	500	G		45.5	
491	200	G		43.0	
	REF				1:16
	DRK				
750	500	G		43	
	500	B		41.5	1:23

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Derby
Validation Station

Time	Station	Temp	Dark Correction	Star @ 6	Values
10:24	75 Ref		No		
10:28	75 Dik		"		
10:26	75:52	24°C	"	Star @ 6	500 497
10:29	75:56	24.5°C	"	"	322 318
10:32	75:55	24.5°C	"	"	321 319
10:35	75:51	24.5°C	"	"	405 407
10:38	75 Ref		"		
10:39	75 Dik		"		
10:40	75:59	25.5°C	"	"	758 758
10:44	75:57	24.5°C	"	"	318 —
10:46	75:53	24°C	"	"	673 670
10:49	75 Ref		"		
10:50	75 Dik		"		

YSI BLOOD GLUCOSE RESULTS

11/07

11/11

PATIENT ID CODE #	PHLEB TIME	YSI (1)	TIME YSI (2)	YSI 1 OPERATOR	YSI 2 REMARKS
Sample 1	10:10	410	10:30	405	407
2	10:12	491	10:35	500	497
3	10:19	655	10:39	673	670
4	10:21	750	10:43	758	758
5	10:23	318	10:47	321	319
6	10:26	315	10:51	322	318
7	10:28	318	10:55	(328)	318
				injected plug.	
1	2:29	402			
2	2:31	482			
3	2:33	655			
4	2:35	725			
5	2:38	316			
6	2:40	317			
7	2:42	312			

DATE

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Index of Files Recorded on Derfy Probe Machine

Repotl - Repositioning the reference by tightening and loosening the reference holder. 20 with bolt just snug, 20 with bolt tightened, 120 total.

Reposref - Repositioning the reference holder by removing and replacing. 100 Dark, 100 Reference (w/o removing the reference). 2 Sets of 20 Repositioned references, 5 individual references (one repositioning), 4 sets of 20 Repositioned references

Wiggle - The body of the probe is subjected to torsion in different directions to see the effect of probe vibration. 100 Dark, 300 Reference spectra non-stop. First two peaks of the reference spectra are due to lateral torsion on probe (towards back first then towards front. This assumes the probe is hanging off to one side of the d1000, the start button side). These two torsion applications are repeated, then a sequence of torsion applications follows in this manner: towards the back, towards the front, away from the d1000, towards the d1000 (same probe orientation as above). This sequence is performed 5 times, then 2 sets of towards back/towards front torsion applications.

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~~X~~ **Openwow** - This is open probe data. Because of the platform that the d1000 is attached to, open-probe signal must be taken either from the platform or from a reflecting surface. 100 dark, 100 Spectra of black felt on the probe facing surface of the platform, 100 dark, 100 spectra from a front surface gold reflecting mirror positioned under the probe at roughly a 45 degree angle from the probe output light direction.

Milk20k - 20000 mg/dl milk solution spectra recorded under the typical derfy probe sampling method. 100 Dark, 100 reference, 100 milk spectra in continuously stirring bath @ 35-37 degree C inside a 300ml glass dish sitting on a piece of aluminum oxide, 100 milk (same as above, but with a piece of krylon black painted note card between the surface the aluminum oxide and the bottom of the dish.

Lastdrd - These are reference spectra for noise analysis. The machine was allowed to warm up for a few days. 200 dark spectra, 600 reference spectra, 200 dark spectra.

Derfwatr - Water spectra recorded under the typical derfy probe sampling method.

Milkwarm - 10000mg/dl milk solution recorded as above.

Derfppe - Derfy pre-bacteria solution recorded under the typical derfy probe sampling method.

Derfp - Derfy harvested bacteria solution (wort) recorded under the typical derfy probe sampling method but with one extra reference recorded after the normal 100 references and at room temperature.

Derfwarm - Derfy Harvested bacteria solution (wort) recorded under the typical derfy probe sampling method.

{Derfdark, Derfdrk, Derfdrk2, Derfrd, Derfref, Derfref3} - These file are the first sets of data recorded on the derfy machine. They contain refs, darks or both. For files with both, it can be determined if dark correction was on or off depending on the magnitude of the darks ($\sim 1e-3$ if off, $\sim 1e-5$ if on). The same is true for files with dark only. For files with reference only, it is unknown if the dark correction was on or off. Some of these files were recorded before the probe was completely wrapped in insulation. For analysis of dark and reference, use **Lastdrd**.