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Calendar Website: <http://bidflow.calendarhost.com/cgi-bin/calweb/calweb.cgi>

LSRII START UP

1. Turn on Cytometer
2. Check sheath & waste tanks
3. Prime if necessary
4. Log into DIVA
5. Verify CST

EXPERIMENT SET UP

1. Open Up Experiment/ New Experiment
2. Check Parameters under Cytometer Settings
 - a. Inspector tab/ Cytometer settings to delete excess parameters/ Add necessary parameters
 - b. Check boxes for height and width if wanting to do doublet discrimination
3. Add Specimen (will open up tubes)
4. Begin to draw plots & gates on global worksheet
 - a. FCS vs SSC & fluorescence parameters
 - b. Set up any doublet discrimination plots as well
5. Use Acquisition Dashboard to stop/ start Sample
 - a. Select number of events displayed & number events recorded
 - b. Standby → Run (low, medium, high)
6. Change/ adjust voltages of sample using controls
 - a. Bring population into view on FSC SSC
 - b. Adjust fluorescence voltages
7. Once voltages are set → Record
8. Add new tubes and run experiment

AUTOMATIC COMPENSATION

1. Experiment → Compensation Set Up → Create Compensation Controls
 - a. Software will open up new worksheet with compensation controls
2. Run unstained control
 - a. Adjust FSC & SSC voltages
 - b. Adjust fluorescence voltages
3. Run single stained controls for each fluorescence parameter
4. Experiment → Compensation Set Up → Calculate Compensation
5. Link & Save to Experiment
6. Switch from Normal work sheet to Global Worksheet
7. Begin to draw plots & gates on global worksheet

Exporting FCS files/ closing up

1. Highlight Experiment
2. Export FCS files
3. Save to drive
4. Run Cleaning procedure/ Log Out

Using An Old Template

1. Open Up Experiment → Highlight Experiment → Duplicate without Data

How to check Instrument Configurations

1. Cytometer → CST → View Configurations

How to check CST Bead lot

1. Cytometer → CST → Check that the bead lot number accurately matches
2. First time using account must add CST settings