



ADVANCED APPROACH IN BACTERIAL CELLULOSE PRODUCTION: FROM THE ORGANISM TO THE PROCESS

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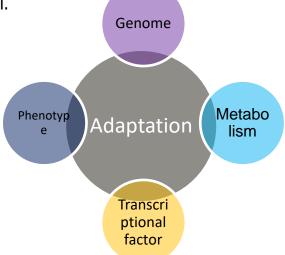
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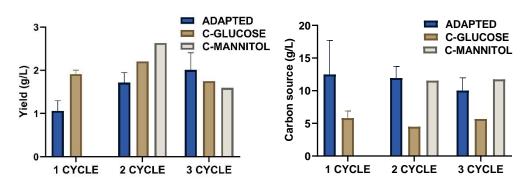
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<u>Background</u>

- Bacteria adapt themselves to the different environmental conditions
- Bacteria modify their metabolism based on the environment
- The adaptation process is a multilevel regulation
- Stimulation of transcription factors occurs due to limitation of optimum conditions.
- K2G3D can produce cellulose in both glucose and mannitol.



<u>Preliminary tests</u>



Future perspectives:

- Analyse mutation assosiated with the stress
- Behavior of evolved strain interms of cellulose production.
- Understanding the metabolic changes
- Study changes at genome level
- Study pathways associated with the respective networks