

# A new shaped rocking bioreactor for insect and mammalian cells

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Services at the Biochemistry Core Facility

#### Cloning

pCoofy expression vector series

**Expression screening** 

E.coli - P. pastoris - Baculovirus - HEK293E

**Production in bioreactors up to 10L** 

bacteria - yeast - insect and mammalian

**Protein purification** 

**Protein quality** 

Mass spec, ANSEC, DLS, SEC-MALS, CD

### The Facility's need for a new bioreactor

Stirred tank: time consuming setup, contamination

## Insect and mammalian cell production at the Facility

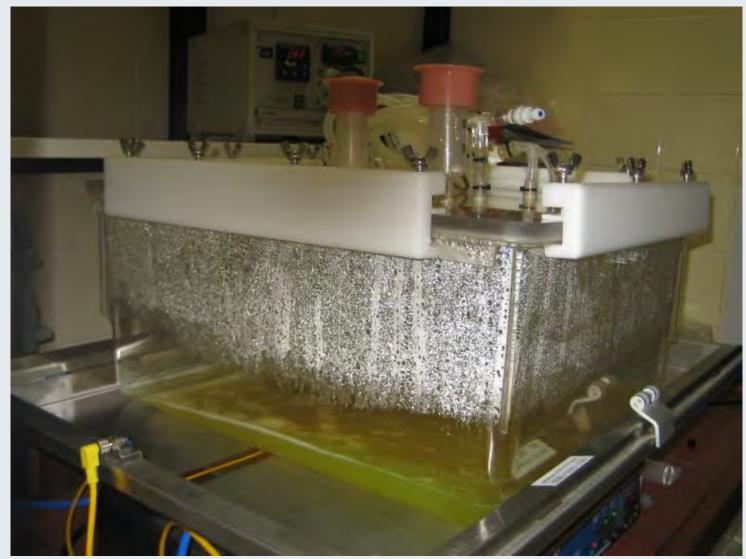






risk,

 Wave bag: expensive, shape coupled to air transfer, high contamination risk, wet filters, process optimization needed



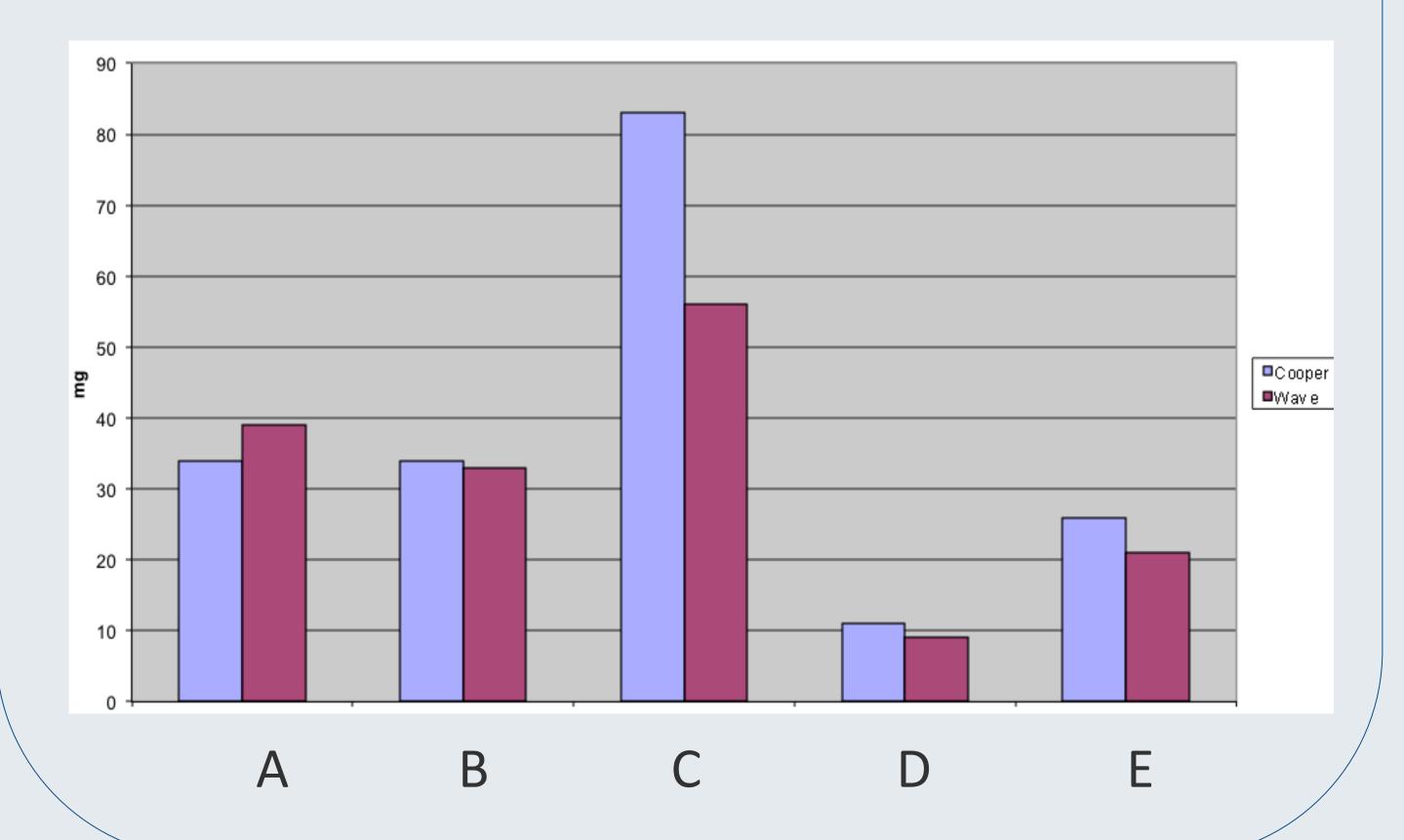
#### Prototype of Cooper

- → effective temperature regulation on wave shaker
- $\rightarrow$  easy filling up to 10L
- $\rightarrow$  no contamination
- $\rightarrow$  optimal productivity

# Productivity of Cooper versus Wave in insect cells

5 L production in wave and cooper

IMAC purification of target proteins





#### **Final Design of Cooper**

- Fixed shape
- Reusable and cost-effective
- Convenient handling (filling, transport)
- Compatible with different rocking units, sensors and filters

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