# **Mouse Bone Marrow Transplantation**

### A. Solutions

### Flushing Solution (pH 7.3)

DMEM 225 ml FBS 25 ml

heparin 10 U/ml (3.125 ml of stock\* per 250 ml)

\*heparin stock =  $10 \mu g/\mu l$ 80 units heparin/mg =  $0.08 \text{ units/}\mu g$ So a  $10 \mu g/\mu l$  stock is  $0.8 \text{ units/}\mu l$ .

### **ACK lysing buffer** (pH 7.2-7.4)

 $\begin{array}{lll} NH_4Cl & 4.15~g \\ KHCO_3 & 0.5~g \\ Na_2EDTA & 18.6~mg \\ H_2O & 500~ml \end{array}$ 

## **Washing Buffer**

1X PBS 50 ml Albumin 1g

### **Suspending solution**

DMEM 50 ml Albumin 0.5 g

heparin 5 U/ml (312.5 µl of stock\*)

# B. Set up the day before the experiment

- 1. Prepare Flushing, Washing and Suspending solution fresh.
- 2. Sterilize dissecting tools.
- 3. Irradiate recipient mice.
- 4. Bring donor mice over from mouse house.

## Take to mouse house:

Bruincard P200 and sterile tips mouse immobilizer insulin syringes 250ml flask cells ice bucket