TECHNOLOGIC SUMMARY

STREAM System for bone tissue and monitoring

A bioreactor aimed to develop standardized bone tissue models, with applications ranging from basic research to drug discovery.



REFERENCE

STREAM [D02181]

KEYWORDS

BONE, TISSUE MODEL, CELL CULTURE, BIOREACTOR, SCREENING, RESEARCH.

APPLICATIONS

- Fundamental research
- In depth understanding of bone pathologies (e.g., osteoporosis)
- Drug screening
- Validation of medical devices



- Lab hardware
- Cell culture
- Organs-on-chip

Technology Readiness Level TRL 4 « *Technology validated in Lab* environment »



INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

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DESCRIPTION

STREAM is an innovating system aiming to control, standardize and simplify the culture of bone tissue models cultivated in vitro on perfused 3D scaffolds.

The system is composed of culture chambers embedded in an automated fluidic circuit. Additionnaly to the possibility to adjust and control in real-time cell culture conditions (e.g., hydrodynamic and chemical environments), the device allows for advanced live cell monitoring through culture medium composition analysis and fluorescence microscopy (cf. picture below).

Potential applications for this tool range from fundamental bone physiology research to drug and biomaterials screening and assessment (e.g., toxicology, pharmacokinetics, scaffolds and implants biocompatibility/bioactivity).

COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGES

- Custom designed culture scaffolds
- Tight control over the culture environment •
- Fully automated culture protocols
- Continuous and real-time cell monitoring

DEVELOPMENT STAGE

- In silico validation of the hydrodynamic environment
- Prototypes available
- On-going : Development of automated cell-seeding procedures

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

PULSALYS is looking for (i) academic or industrial research facilities interested in testing/using the system (ii) industrial partners interested in bringing this product to the market.

Illustrations : culture chamber, simulated flow through a custom-made scaffold, bone cells seen through confocal microscopy



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