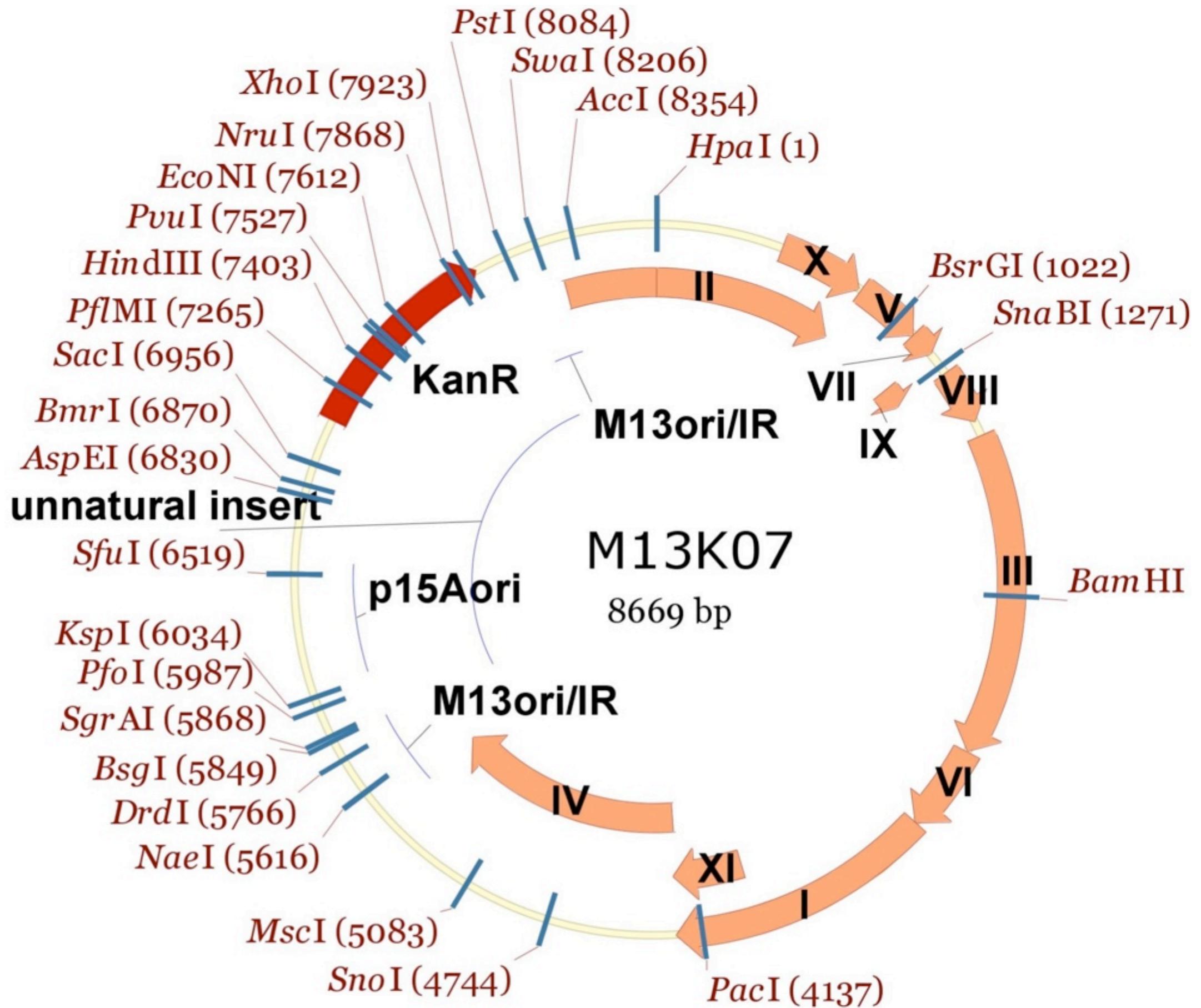
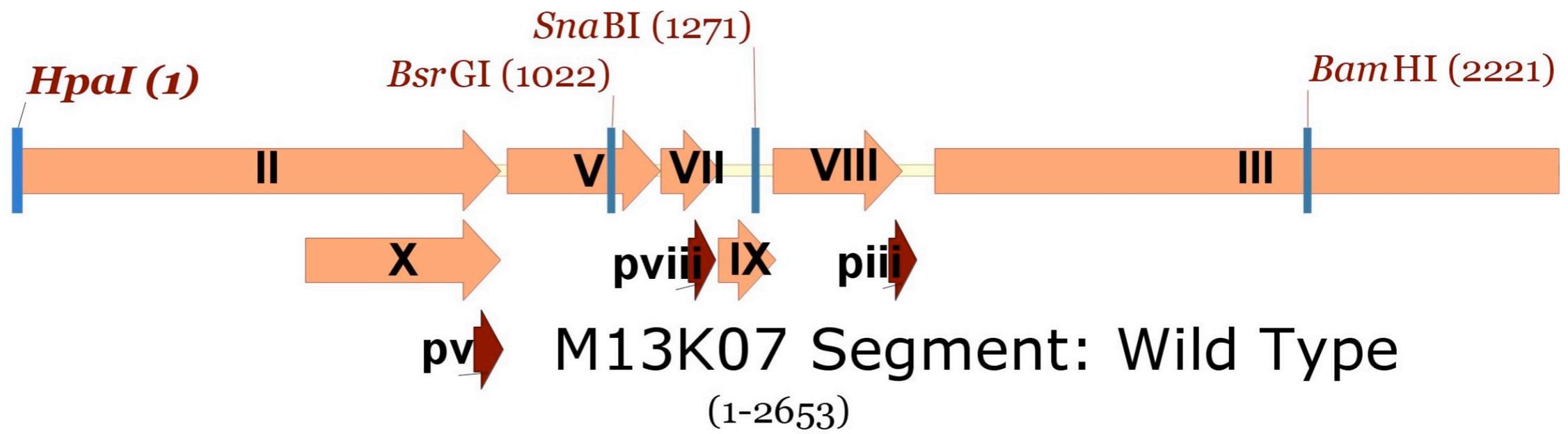
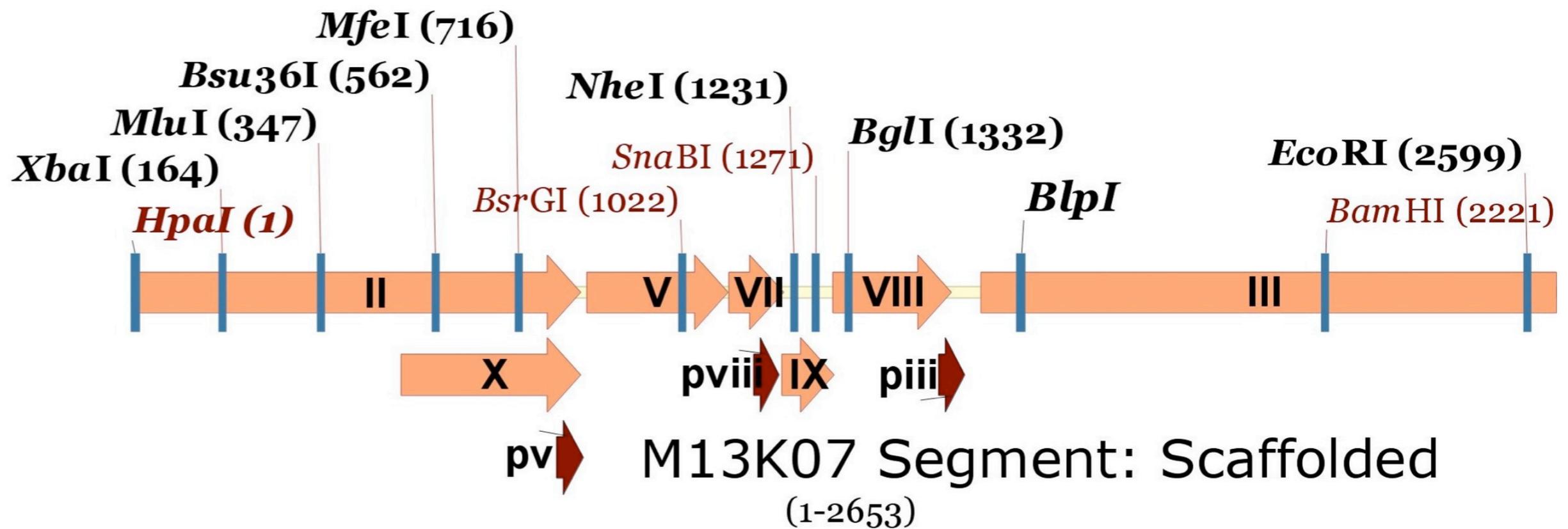


Part 2 of your portfolio:

1. Choose a section (site-site)
2. Design DNA for your section (must include terminal RE sites)
3. Annotate sequence (follow scheme)
4. Write summary paragraph (include \$ estimate and GO/NO-GO)
5. 4-8 week fab time, $f(L, \text{complexity})$







Idea #1 -- Get rid of protein X

Work between the MluI and Bsu36I sites

Step 3: identify flanking restriction sites

An *M13K07mut8* scaffold has been made in the Endy lab to design these changes; Felix Moser, a technician in the Endy lab, performed the DNA synthesis plus a little site directed mutagenesis. The i

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251 TGACCTCTTA TCAAAGGAG CAATTAAAGG TACTCTCTAA TCCTGACCTG
301 TTGGAGTTTG CTTCCGGTCT GGTTCCGCTTT GAAGCTCGAA TAAA[ACGCG
351 TTTATTTGAAG TCTTTCGGGC TTCCTCTTAA TCTTTTTGAT GCAATCCGCT
401 TTGCTTCTGA CTATAATAGT CAGGGTAAAG ACCTGATTTT TGATTTATGG
451 TCATTCTCGT TTTCTGAACT GTTAAAGCA TTTGAGGGGG ATTCAATGAA
501 TATTTATGAC GATTCCGCAG TATTGGACGC TATCCAGTCT AAACATTTTA
551 CTATTACCC[C CTCAGG]CAAA ACTTCTTTTG CAAAAGCCTC TCGCTATTTT
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Mlu I
[ACGCG **T**]TATTTGAAG TCTTTCGGGC TTCCTCTTAA TCTTTTTGAT GCAATCCGCT
TTGCTTCTGA CTATAATAGT CAGGGTAAAG ACCTGATTTT TGATTTATGG
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TATTTATGAC GATTCCGCAG TATTGGACGC TATCCAGTCT AAACATTTTA
Bsu36 I
CTATTACCC[C CTC**A**GG]

Find some parts. We know that gX
should be somewhere around here,
and maybe an RBS.

Mlu I
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 TTGCTTCTGA CTATAATAGT CAGGGTAAAG ACCTGATTTT TGATTTATGG
 TCATTCTCGT TTTCTGAACT GTTTAAAGCA **TTTGAGGGGG** **ATTCAATGAA**
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 Bsu36 I
 CTATTACCC[C CTC**A**GG]

Option 1. Eliminate start codon

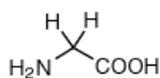
Issue: Remember pII, does it need a met?

What would be a neutral substitution for methionine?

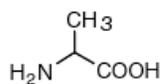
Do a web search on "methionine substitution neutral"

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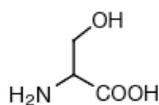
Let's check this out...

Small

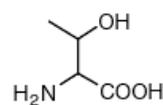
Glycine (Gly, G)
MW: 57.05



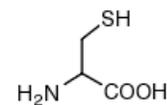
Alanine (Ala, A)
MW: 71.09



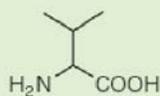
Serine (Ser, S)
MW: 87.08, pK_a ~ 16



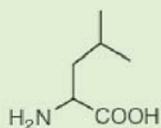
Threonine (Thr, T)
MW: 101.11, pK_a ~ 16



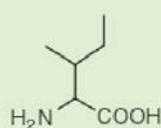
Cysteine (Cys, C)
MW: 103.15, pK_a = 8.35

Nucleophilic**Hydrophobic**

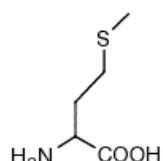
Valine (Val, V)
MW: 99.14



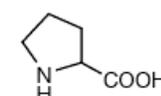
Leucine (Leu, L)
MW: 113.16



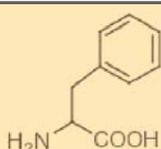
Isoleucine (Ile, I)
MW: 113.16



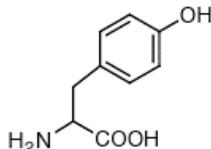
Methionine (Met, M)
MW: 131.19



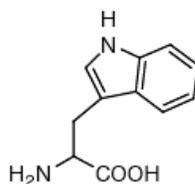
Proline (Pro, P)
MW: 97.12

Aromatic

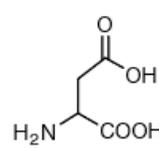
Phenylalanine (Phe, F)
MW: 147.18



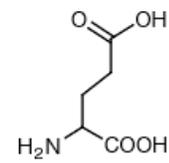
Tyrosine (Tyr, Y)
MW: 163.18



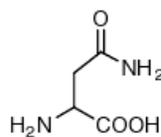
Tryptophan (Trp, W)
MW: 186.21

Acidic

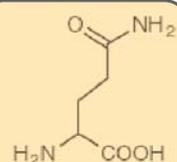
Aspartic Acid (Asp, D)
MW: 115.09, pK_a = 3.9



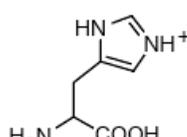
Glutamic Acid (Glu, E)
MW: 129.12, pK_a = 4.07

Amide

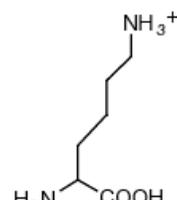
Asparagine (Asn, N)
MW: 114.11



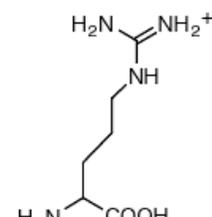
Glutamine (Gln, Q)
MW: 128.14

Basic

Histidine (His, H)
MW: 137.14, pK_a = 6.04



Lysine (Lys, K)
MW: 128.17, pK_a = 10.79



Arginine (Arg, R)
MW: 156.19, pK_a = 12.48

		Second Position									
		U		C		A		G			
First Position (5' end)	U	UUU	Phe	UCU	Ser	UAU	Tyr	UGU	Cys	U	Third Position (3' end)
		UUC		UCC		UAC		UGC		C	
		UUA	Leu	UCA		UAA	<i>Stop</i>	UGA	<i>Stop</i>	A	
		UUG		UCG		UAG	<i>Stop</i>	UGG	Trp	G	
	C	CUU	Leu	CCU	Pro	CAU	His	CGU	Arg	U	
CUC		CCC		CAC		CGC		C			
CUA		CCA		CAA		CGA	A				
CUG		CCG		CAG		CGG	G				
A	AUU	Ile	ACU	Thr	AAU	Asn	AGU	Ser	U		
	AUC		ACC		AAC		AGC		C		
	AUA	Met	ACA		AAA	Lys	AGA	Arg	A		
	AUG		ACG		AAG		AGG		G		
G	GUU	Val	GCU	Ala	GAU	Asp	GGU	Gly	U		
	GUC		GCC		GAC		GGC		C		
	GUA		GCA		GAA	GGA	A				
	GUG		GCG		GAG	GGG	G				

Figure by MIT OpenCourseWare.

Lots of choices for leucine...
Pick a reasonable codon...

Given that we could use one of six codons for leucine, which should we choose?

Since DNA will be used in *E. coli*, choose a codon that *E. coli* likes.

Web search on "codon usage coli"

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Let's go with CUG

Mlu I

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Option 2. Trash the RBS...