

Modelling of Process History in intensified Design of Experiment Data

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Life forward

Bioprocess Dynamics Modulate Productivity

1 2400 0 -1* Growth Transition Production Viable Cell Density Titer*2 Titer

Time [d]



¹Nold et al., Engineering in Life Sciences, 2022
²Nold et al., Frontiers in Chemical Engineering, 2023
³Pappenreiter et al., Biochemical Engineering Journal, 2023

iDoE = Intensified design of experiment T = Temperature DO = Dissolved oxygen

- iDoE is a systematic approach to
 - Increase process understanding
 - Improve process performance
 - develop protocols containing input shifts
- iDoE requires
 - Biological feasibility ^{1,2}
 - Effect reversibility ³
 - Consideration of memory effects

Adequate design planning and modelling is challenging

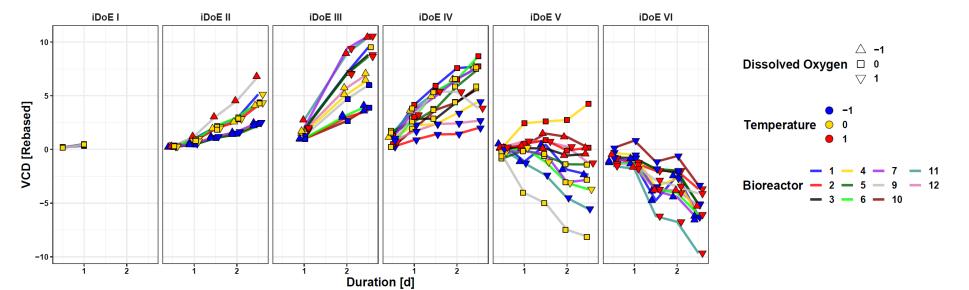
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Published iDoE-Format – One-Factor-One-Column (OFOC)

Reactor	Time	т	DO	-
1	0	-1	+1	
1	2	-1	+1	Stage 1
1	4	-1	+1	Stage I
1	6	0	-1	
1	8	0	-1	Stage 2
1	10	1	0	-
1	12	1	0	Stage 3
1	14	1	0	
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- Requires time column to capture all information
- Model includes complex interactions between iDoE-mode factors * time





Stage-Wise Modelling of OFOC-Data

iDoE = Intensified design of experiment OFOC = one factor, one column VCD = viable cell density

- <u>Time course modelling</u>, separately <u>for each stage</u> (nested DoE) with overlaps at the end / beginning of a stage
- Initial values as additional (not explicitly plannable) input factor in the design to capture different states
- <u>Re-basing</u> to initial value per stage and bioreactor as offset correction
- Concatenation of models required to describe a given time point
- Error propagation for uncertainty bands

Initial values <u>indirectly</u> address the memory effect (influence of process history) by capturing the state of the culture



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Alternative iDoE-Format - One Factor Multiple Columns (OFMC)

T = temperature D = dissolved oxygen

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One-Factor-One-Column (OFOC)

- Requires time column to capture all information
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One Factor Multiple Columns (OFMC)

- More factors
- More potential interactions

		Sta	ge 1	Sta	nge 2	St	age 3
Reactor	Time	T1	D01	T2	DO2	Т3	DO3
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1	14	-1	+1	0	-1	1	0
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iDoE-Formats Focus on Different Modelling

Reactor	Time	т	DO	-
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1	14	1	0	Stage 3
2	•••	•••	•••	

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1	14	-1	+1	0	-1	1	0
2	14	0	+1	+1	-1	-1	0

One-Factor-One-Column (OFOC)

- Requires time column to capture all information
- Model includes interaction factor * time
- End of fermentation prediction reached from (concatenated) time courses

One Factor Multiple Columns (OFMC)

- More factors
- More potential interactions
- Direct modelling of a certain time point <u>or</u> time course models possible



Across-Stage Interaction Modelling of OFMC Data

T1*T2 **T2*T3** T1*D2 T2*D3 **D1*T2 D2*T3 D1*D2 D2*D3** Viable Cell Density **T1*T3** T1*D3 **D1*T3 D1*D3** Stage 2 Stage 3 Stage 1 Boehringer Ingelheim

Reactor	Time	T1	D1	T2	D2	Т3	D3
1	14	-1	+1	0	-1	1	0
2	14	0	+1	+1	-1	-1	0

Potential across-stage interactions capture memory effects (influence of process history causing the state of the culture)

OFMC = one factor, multiple columns T = Temperature D = Dissolved oxygen

D = dissolved oxygen Shift 1 Shift 2 Shift 3 Shift 1 Shift 1 Shift 2 Shift 2 Shift 3 Shift 3 VCD [10^6/mL] **T1 T2** Т3 Shift 1 Shift 2 Shift 3 Shift 1 Shift 2 Shift 3 Shift 1 Shift 2 Shift 3 0 VCD [10^6/mL] -1 **DO1 DO2** DO3 4 8 8 10 12 14 Δ 10 12 14 6 0 6 12 2 6 8 10 14 Boehringer Ingelheim Runtime [d] Runtime [d] Runtime [d]

Impact of Stage 1 Settings is Obvious in the Raw Data

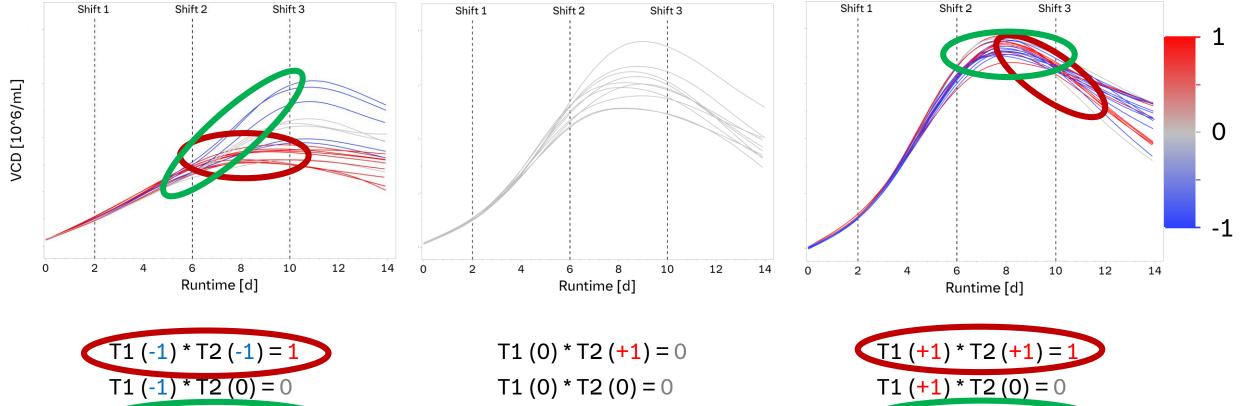
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VCD= viable cell density

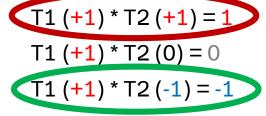
T = temperature

T1 × T2 Suggests Change in Right Order to be Beneficial

T = temperature



T1(0) * T2(-1) = 0





T1 (-1) * T2 (+1) = -1

Determine Importance of Across-Stage Interactions

RSM = response surface model FI = factor interaction (n)ASI = (non-) across stage interaction Min = minimum Max = maximum T = temperature D = dissolved oxygen

- Fit d14 data (without model selection) for
 - 3 performance-related responses
 - 5 product quality-related responses
- Full RSM (6 main, 6 quadratic, 2 2FI, 12 ASI)
- Scale the estimates within a model

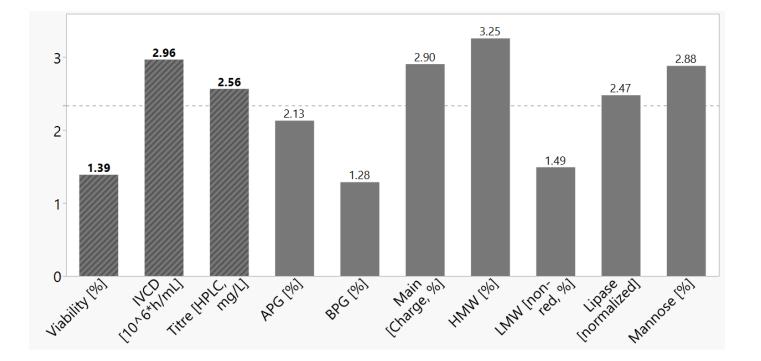
$$x'=rac{x-\min(x)}{\max(x)-\min(x)}$$

T1	T1 ²	T1 * D1	T1 * T2	T1 * D2
T2	T2 ²	T2 * D2	T1 * T3	T1 * D3
ТЗ	T3 ²		T2 * T3	T2 * D1
D1	D1 ²		D1 * D2	T2 * D3
D2	D2 ²		D1 * D3	T3 * D1
D3	D3 ²		D2 * D3	T3 * D2



ASIs are on Average 3-Times Smaller than Other Terms

 (n)ASI = (non-) across stage interaction RSM = response surface model IVCD = integral viable cell density A/BPG = acidic / basic peak group H/LMW = high/low molecular weight HPLC = high performance liquid chromatography

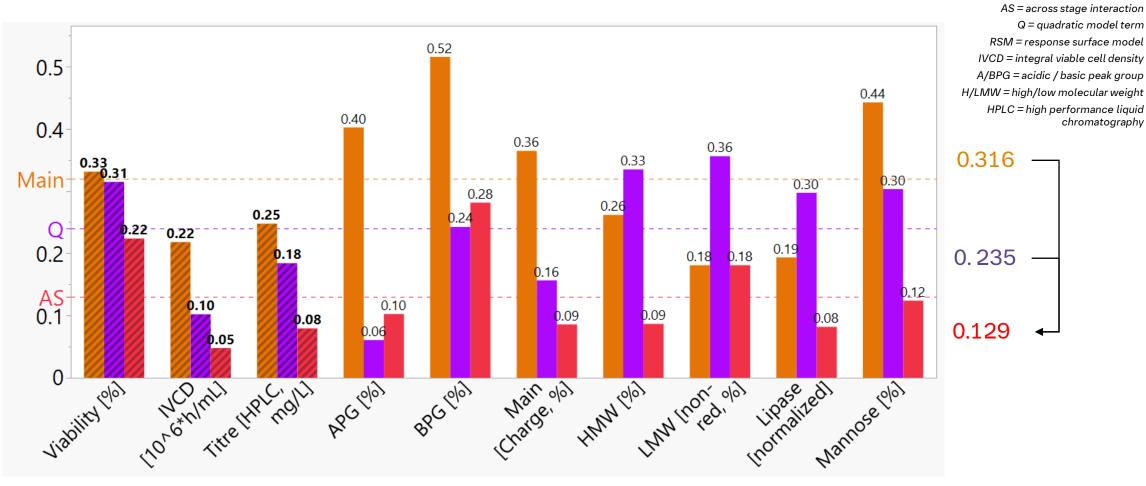


	Average	Average	Average(nASI)/
Response	(ASI)	(nASI)	Average(ASI)
Viability [%]	0.22385	0.31032	1.386317933
IVCD [10^6*h/mL]	0.04781	0.14158	2.961487678
Titre [HPLC, mg/L]	0.07953	0.20369	2.561337202
APG [%]	0.10258	0.21804	2.125656086
BPG [%]	0.28131	0.36123	1.284107375
Main [Charge, %]	0.08583	0.24889	2.899644596
HMW [%]	0.0866	0.2816	3.251553617
LMW [non-red, %]	0.18103	0.26923	1.487224736
Lipase [normalized]	0.08183	0.2024	2.473446365
Mannose [%]	0.12396	0.35644	2.875504561

Which model term classes are most influential?



Close-Up Relative Estimate Sizes per Model Term Class



- (Across-Stage) Interactions are on average the least influential (except APG, BPG)
- Main effects or quadratic effects are on average most influential



Are there Extremely Large ASIs?

• Some ASIs are large in some responses while not so important in others

Term

T2 [°C]*DO1 [%]

IVCD

Viability

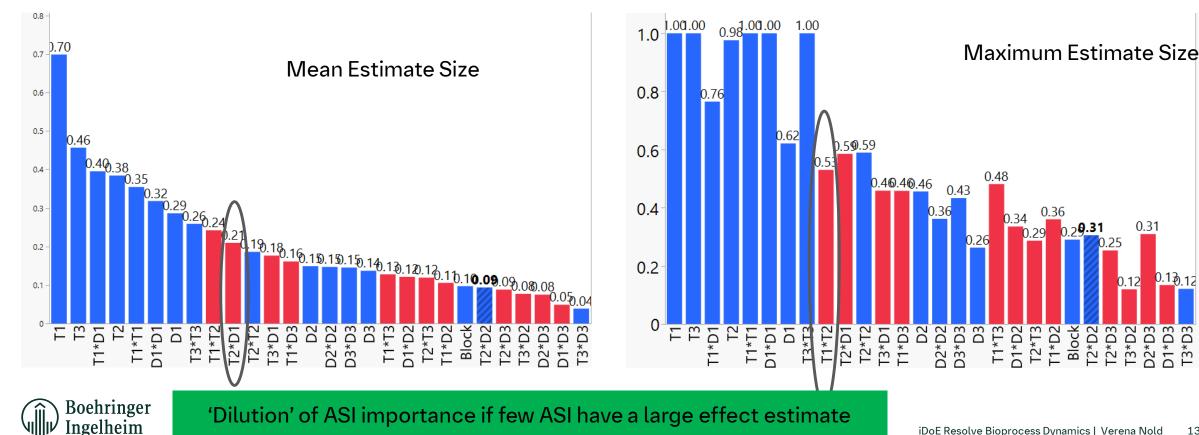
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Some ASI are even the most important model term for individual models, e.g. T1*T2 is third largest effect for LMW

Titre

Mannose





Main

Charge

0.070739

Lipase

0.032133

LMW

0.380571 0.072729

APG

0.20953 0.189233 0.486571

BPG

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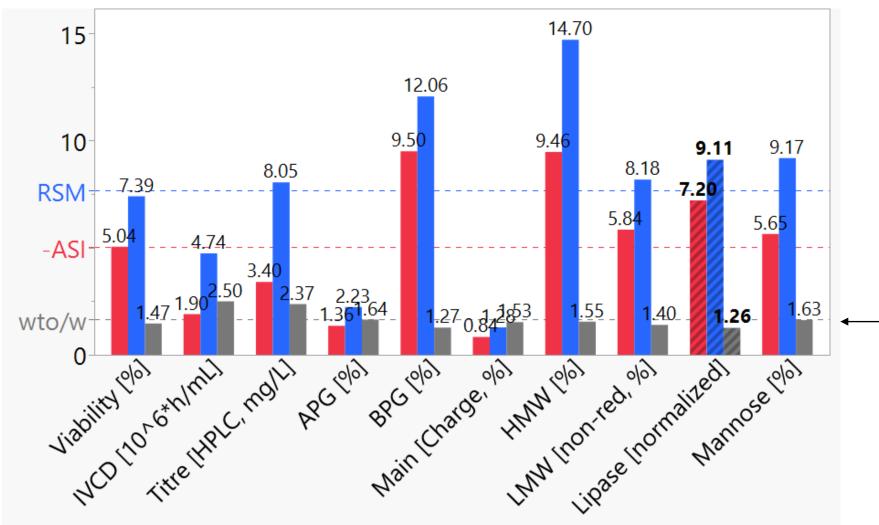
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- Compare model complexities
 - Full RSM (6 main, 6 quadratic, 2 2FI, 12 ASI)
 - RSM without ASI

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Т3	T3 ²		3	T2 * D1
D1	D1 ²	RS	J1 * D2	T2 * D3
D2	D2 ²		D1 * D3	T3 * D1
D3	D3 ²		D2 * D3	T3 * D2
T1	T1 ²	T1 * D1		
T1 T2	T1 ² T2 ²	T1 * D1 T2 * D2		
	-	T2 * D2		
T2	T2 ²	T2 * D2	ASI	
T2 T3	T2 ² T3 ² D1 ²		ASI	
T2 T3 D1	T2 ² T3 ² D1 ²	T2 * D2	ASI	



Omitting ASIs Leads to Strongly Increased MAPEs



$$\label{eq:mapping} \begin{split} \text{MAPE} &= \text{Mean absolute percentage error} \\ &ASI = across stage interaction \\ &RSM = response surface model \\ &W(to) = with(out) \\ &IVCD = integral viable cell density \\ &A/BPG = acidic / basic peak group \\ &H/LMW = high/low molecular weight \\ &A_t = \text{Actual value} \\ &F_t = \text{Forecast value} \\ &n = \text{fitted points} \\ &N = number observations \end{split}$$

Mean increase in MAPE is 66.16%

 $ext{MAPE} = 100rac{1}{n}\sum_{t=1}^n \left|rac{A_t-F_t}{A_t}
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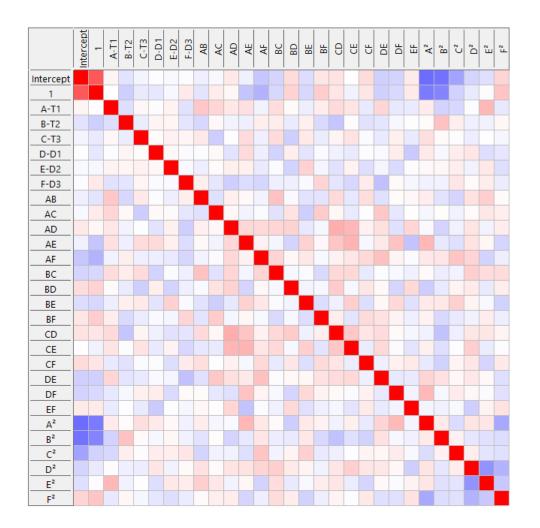


Can ASI be Neglected in iDoE Planning?

- Only relatively small effect of ASIs on average
- Few ASI have a high effect estimate
- Multiple ASIs jointy have a strong impact on the model (MAPE)
- Designs with minimal correlation structure enable to estimate model terms independetly
- > minimal bias of estimated terms (if not selecting model structure)
- > Difference in model would be more visible for "worse" design

Models must be able to estimate relevant ASI without biasing non-ASI model terms

ASI = across stage interaction iDoE = intensified design of experiments MAPE = Mean absolute percentage error





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Back Up

Supplementary Material





Orient Choice of Stages on Bioprocess Dynamics

- Study all factors at 3 levels
- 2x Ambr250 = 48 experiments
- Stage 0 at center point to allow accommodation to split and seeding into new bioreactor
- 4 days for each shift-induced change to provide sufficient time for adaptation to new settings and measurable change of cellular behaviour

