The IRB Drosophila Injection Service:

(1) Rules

- Contact **Ainoa Olza** (<u>ainoa.olza@irbbarcelona.org</u>) to arrange a date and time to give the DNA for injection and start the injection process
- Mix $6\mu g$ of DNA with $2\mu g$ of delta 2-3 helper DNA, precipitate it and resuspend it in $20\mu l$ of injection buffer. The length of the DNA to be injected should be provided
- We use $\mathbf{w^{1118}}$ and \mathbf{yw} embryos as hosts. Please cross the F1 with $\mathbf{w^{1118}}$ or \mathbf{yw} (no balancers) to increase the frequency of transgenic flies
- People will be contacted by email once the injected larvae are ready
- Numbers of F1 flies, scored F2 flies and F2 red eyes flies carrying a transgene should be provided

(2) Protocol Injection buffer (5mM KCl, 01mM Phosphatase buffer pH 6,8):

0.074gr KCl

10ml Stock Phosphatase Buffer pH 6,8

190ml H₂O

(Stock Phosphatase Buffer pH 6,8: 46.3ml Na₂HPO₄ 1M +53.7ml NaH₂PO₄ 1M)