

Banded and bundled tail fibers



AI Overview

Banded and bundled tail fibers are arrangements of fibers used either in fly tying to create lifelike tails for fishing flies or in fiber optic cables to align multiple fibers for signal transmission.

In Fly Tying

Bundled tail fibers in fly tying are groups of natural or synthetic fibers gathered and secured to the hook shank to form the tail of a fly . These fibers can include bucktail, calf tail, moose mane, or rooster hackle, chosen for their stiffness, buoyancy, and movement in water . The fibers are carefully sized, aligned, and tied to maintain durability and create realistic motion that attracts fish. Proper handling ensures the fibers retain their shape and do not splay or break during casting or underwater action . Banded tail fibers refer to fibers arranged in distinct color bands or sections to mimic natural prey patterns. This technique enhances visual appeal and can improve the fly's effectiveness by imitating segmented bodies or color variations of insects or baitfish .

In Fiber Optics

Bundled tail fibers, also called ribbon fibers, are multiple optical fibers aligned and bonded together in a ribbon-like structure . This configuration is crucial for high-density fiber optic cables, allowing efficient signal transmission and easier mass fusion splicing. Common issues with bundled tail fibers include:

- Mechanical stress: Excessive bending, twisting, or tension can break fibers and ca...

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We observed the positional relationship between the bundled collagen fibrils (collagen fibers) and the embedding late osteoblast processes by three-dimensional reconstruction with

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Structure of Skeletal Muscle

Each skeletal muscle fiber is a single cylindrical muscle cell. An individual skeletal muscle may be made up of hundreds, or even thousands, of muscle fibers bundled together and wrapped in a connective

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Major tail proteins of bacteriophages of the order Caudovirales

These hollow elongated protein structures, present in most bacteriophages of the order Caudovirales, connect the DNA-containing capsid with a receptor function at the distal end of the tail

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Architecture of the bacteriophage lambda tail: Structure

Bacteriophage lambda has a double-stranded DNA genome and a long, flexible, non-contractile tail encoded by a contiguous block of 11 genes downstream of the head genes. The tail

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Inside each skeletal muscle, muscle fibers are organized into bundles, called fascicles, surrounded by a middle layer of connective tissue called the perimysium.

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Horse Tails

Braided, bundled, banged or natural. Go to any horse barn or event and you are likely to see a wide variety of horse tail styles. Don't get me wrong –

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What are tail fibers and their role in phage infection?

Tail fibers are specialized protein appendages on bacteriophages that recognize and attach to specific bacterial host cell receptors, initiating viral infection.

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The Function of Bacteriophage Tail Fibers: Infection and Replication

□□ TL;DR: Key Takeaways Bacteriophage tail fibers are ****critical protein structures**** that enable viruses to infect bacteria by recognizing and binding to host cell receptors. They act as the virus's "grappling

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Extracellular contractile injection systems (eCISs) are bacteriophage tail-derived toxin delivery complexes in prokaryotes. They play roles in microbial interactions with hosts, using tail...

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Structural Characterization and Assembly of the Distal Tail Structure ...

Because ORF46 and ORF47 are essential for tail formation, as is the TMP (52), we propose that these three proteins form a tail initiator complex constituting the tail fiber and the conical structure, which

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Muscle fascicle: Anatomy and function | Kenhub

A muscle fascicle bundles muscle fibers enveloped by perimysium. Learn more about this topic at Kenhub!

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Types of Muscle Tissue and Fibers | Biology for Majors II

Muscle cells are specialized for contraction. Muscles allow for motions such as walking, and they also facilitate bodily processes such as respiration and digestion. The body contains three types of

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The tail structure of bacteriophage T4 and its mechanism of

Bacteriophage T4 and related viruses have a contractile tail that serves as an efficient mechanical device for infecting bacteria.

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RBPseg: Toward a complete phage tail fiber structure atlas

Using this approach, we generated complete tail fiber models, validated by single-particle cryo-electron microscopy of five fibers from three phages.

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Each skeletal muscle is an organ that consists of various integrated tissues. These tissues include the skeletal muscle fibers, blood vessels, nerve fibers, and connective tissue. Each skeletal muscle has

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Sarcolemma plasma membrane of a muscle fiber Myofibril a long organelle with a banded appearance found within muscle fibers Myofilament Actin or myosin containing structure Tendon

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Here, we will discuss the function and dynamics of the tail of the Caudovirales. We will examine the similarities and differences of all three families belonging to this order and point out specific

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Towards a complete phage tail fiber structure atlas | bioRxiv

In this paper, we introduce RBPseg, a method that combines monomeric ESMfold predictions with a novel sigmoid distance pair (sDp) protein segmentation technique. This method

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Muscular System Structure

Smooth and cardiac muscle fibers do not develop in this way. An individual skeletal muscle may be made up of hundreds, or even thousands, of muscle fibers that are bundled together and wrapped in

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What Are Tail Fibers and Why Are They Important? [The Truth]

Tail fibers are specialized, needle-like protein structures extending from the baseplate of a bacteriophage that function as sensory organs to identify and bind to specific receptor sites on a host

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Muscle Fiber

Muscle fiber is defined as a multinucleated cell that contains contractile myofibrils, exhibiting distinct dark and light bands that form cross striations, and is surrounded by a thin connective tissue layer called

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(PDF) Towards a complete phage tail fiber structure atlas

Additionally, we conducted a structural classification of 67 fibers and their domains, which identified 16 well-defined tail fiber classes and 89 domains.

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RBPseg: Toward a complete phage tail fiber structure atlas

Here, we introduce RBPseg, a method that combines monomeric ESMFold predictions with a structural- based domain identification approach, to divide tail fiber sequences into

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Targeting mechanisms of tailed bacteriophages

Tailed phages use a broad range of receptor-binding proteins, such as tail fibres, tail spikes and the central tail spike, to target their cognate bacterial cell surface receptors.

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