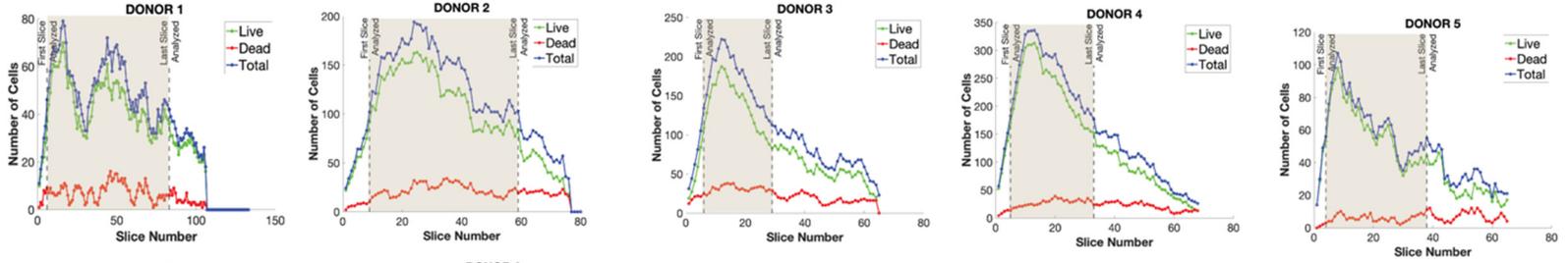
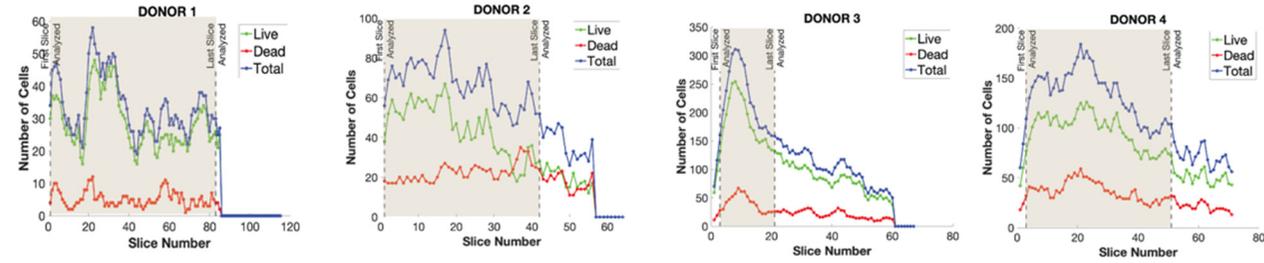


DAY 7

Surface
(Y orientation)



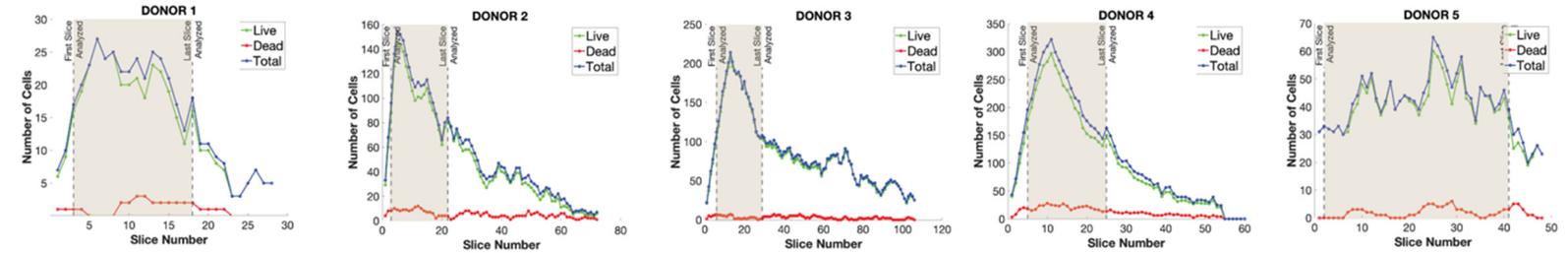
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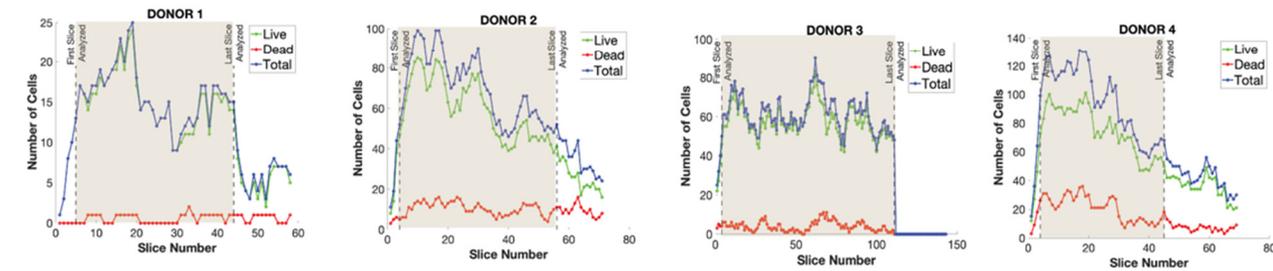
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DAY 14

Surface
(Y orientation)



Core
(X orientation)



X

Figure S1. Collected and examined (shaded region) confocal slice stacks in the surface (Y orientation) and core (X orientation) of standard alginate carriers after seven and 14 days of culture. Green= Living cell amount; Red= Dead cell amount; Blue= Total cell amount