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Personal Memo from
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Dear Barbara.

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E. coli genome size
(I haven't followed this lately).

Your 1983 map review allows
50 kb/min = 5×10^6 base pairs.

I thought DNA association kinetics
had given a smaller number, ?
$\sim 2 \times 10^6$. Do I misrecollect?

Do you know where this is most
recently, critically discussed?

Ditto for B. subtilis?

Yours,

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