

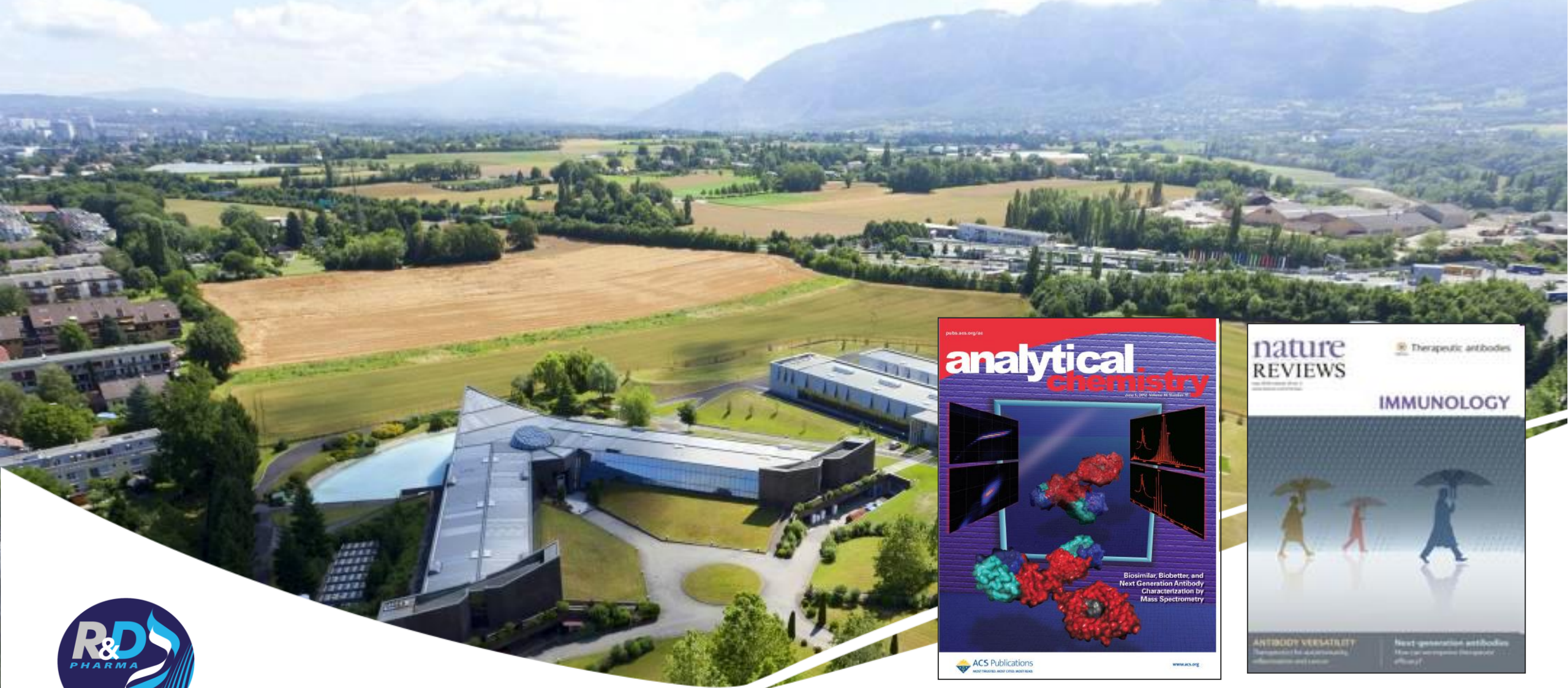


Structure, Heterogeneity and Developability Assessment of Therapeutic Antibodies

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1. Cutting edge analytical methods & network
2. MS structure assessment or fingerprinting
3. CE-MS based methods
4. Multi-dimensional LC-MS methods
5. HILIC-MS
6. Take home messages

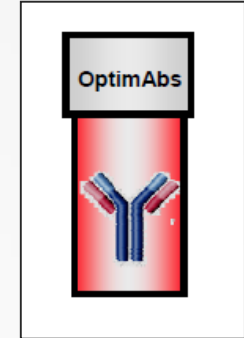


(1) Introduction: Cutting edge analytical methods & network

OptimAbs/ADCs/bsAbs/ICs : CMC & developability

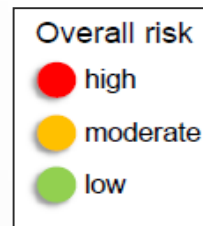
Structural assessment and sequence liabilities

- Hot spots (*in silico*): Critical Quality Attributes (CQAs, literature)
- Chromatographic & electrophoretic profiling (size, charge, hydrophobic/philic)
- Mass spectrometry (isoforms, isotypes, macro/micro-variants, PTMs)
- Multiple attribute methods (MAMs)
- Short stress studies (pH, heat, oxidation, glycation, light, freezing/thawing)
- Functional assays (Critical Quality Attributes ranking)
- Hits, Leads, Candidates structure optimization : iterative process



Safety/PK/PD

- Serum stability
- Half-life
- Administration schedule
- Immunogenicity
- De-conjugation
- Off-target activity



Manufacturability

- MCB, WCB
- Expression yields
- Purification yields
- Scalability
- Stability (process, long term)
- Cost of goods

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mAbs: analytical & structural methods (2013)

Analytical Chemistry

Review

MAb primary structure assessment

Charge variants

- Separation techniques
 - IEF, cIEF, icIEF
 - HPLC (IEX, RP, HIC)
 - Boronate affinity chrom.
- Mass spectrometry
 - Middle-up LC-MS
 - Peptide mapping (LC-MS/MS)
 - Top-down MS/MS

AA sequence and variants

- Intact mass (ESI-MS)
 - Glycan removal (PNGase F)
- Bottom-up peptide mapping
 - Enzyme digestion and LC-MS/MS
- Middle-up (LC-MS)
 - Red. mAb (light and heavy chains)
 - Limited proteolysis (IdeS, papain) + reduction (25 kDa fragments)
- Top/middle-down (HR-MS/MS)
 - ETD/ECD and CID
- SEC, CE-SDS

Glycovariants

- Glycan (released)
 - CE-LIF
 - HPLC (NP, HILIC, ZIC-HILIC, IEX, PGC)
 - MALDI-TOF, ESI-MS and MS/MS
 - Electronic impact-MS (with GC)
- Glyco-protein/ peptide
 - Intact/ middle-up LC-MS
 - Peptide mapping (LC-MS and MS/MS)

Cysteine-linked variants

- Ellman assay (free Cys)
- Differential peptide mapping
 - > red/ and non-red cond.
 - > CID and ETD (Cys linkage)
- IM-MS (Cys linkage)

Higher order structures, aggregates and mAb/Ag

Higher order

- XRD
- Native-MS
- IM-MS
- HDX-MS

Aggregates

- SEC (UV-MALS)
- A4F (UV-MALS)
- AUC
- Native MS
- IM-MS
- HDX-MS
- Crosslinking MS

mAb/Ag complexes

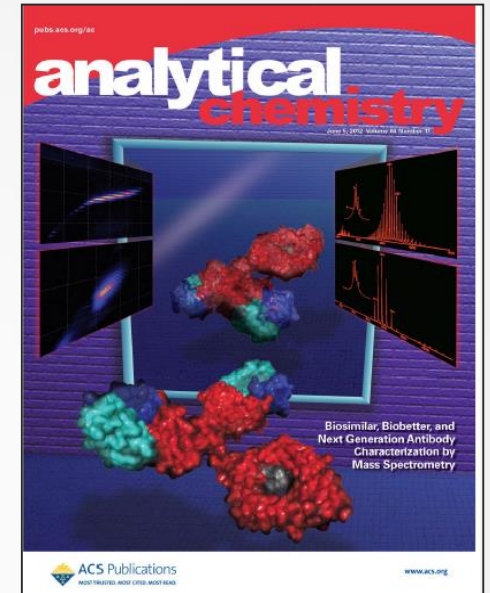
- SPR
- ELISA
- FACS
- Native MS
- IM-MS
- HDX-MS
- Crosslinking MS

PK/ Quantification

- ELISA
- Radioimmuno-assay
- Immunofluorescence
- Isotope dilution – SRM
- Isotope dilution LC-MS

- Main proteoforms
- HOS

- CQAs:**
- Glyco-variants
 - Size variants
 - Charge variants
 - Cys-related variants
 - Oxidized variants



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- A. Van Dorsselaer and coll.

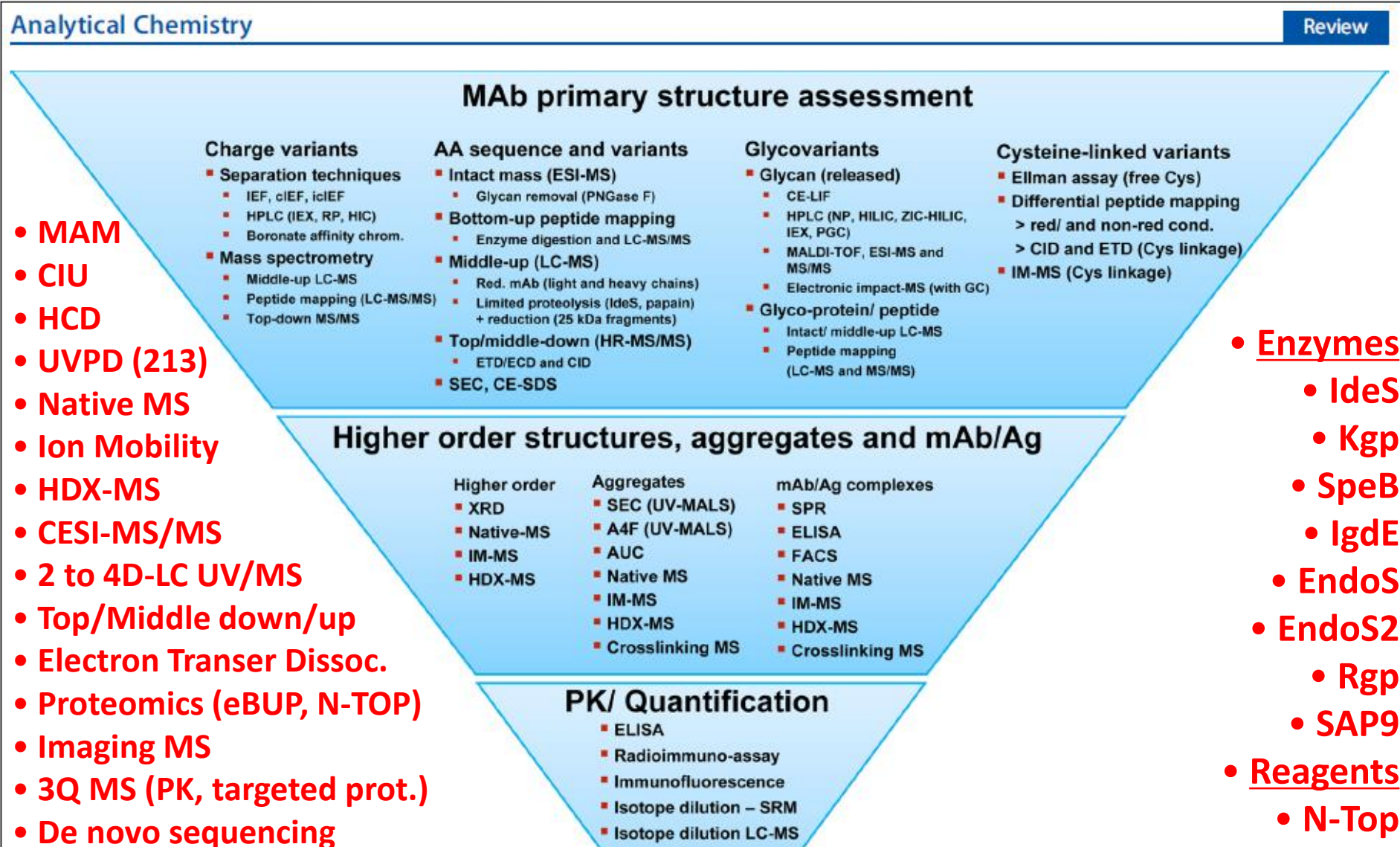


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mAbs: analytical & structural methods (2020)



- MAM
- CIU
- HCD
- UVPD (213)
- Native MS
- Ion Mobility
- HDX-MS
- CESI-MS/MS
- 2 to 4D-LC UV/MS
- Top/Middle down/up
- Electron Transfer Dissoc.
- Proteomics (eBUP, N-TOP)
- Imaging MS
- 3Q MS (PK, targeted prot.)
- De novo sequencing

- Enzymes
 - IdeS
 - Kgp
 - SpeB
 - IgdE
- EndoS
- EndoS2
- Rgp
- SAP9
- Reagents
 - N-Top

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FDA/EMA approved mAbs benchmarks: basic QC methods

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Research Article

High-resolution separation of monoclonal antibodies mixtures and their charge variants by an alternative and generic CZE method

The determination of mAb critical quality attributes (CQA) is crucial for their successful application in health diseases. A generic CZE method was developed for the high-resolution separation of various mAb charge variants, which are often recognized as important CQA. A dynamic coating of the capillary was obtained with polyethylene oxide (PEO), whereas Bis-Tris allowed the analysis of mAbs under native conditions at pH 7.0. The effect of PEO and Bis-Tris concentrations, as well as the nature of the acidic counter ion on the method performance was systematically studied. The %RSD on migration times was below 5% on

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Utility of a porous particle

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Determining the efficacy of therapeutic antibodies

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Characterization of monoclonal antibodies by size exclusion chromatography coupled to mass spectrometry

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Review
Unraveling the way to personalized medicine

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- RP
- CEX
- icIEF
- CZE
- SEC



CE-SDS: 26 mAbs + 2 ADCs FDA/EMA appr (2020)

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Determination of size variants by CE-SDS for approved therapeutic antibodies: Key implications of subclasses and light chain specificity

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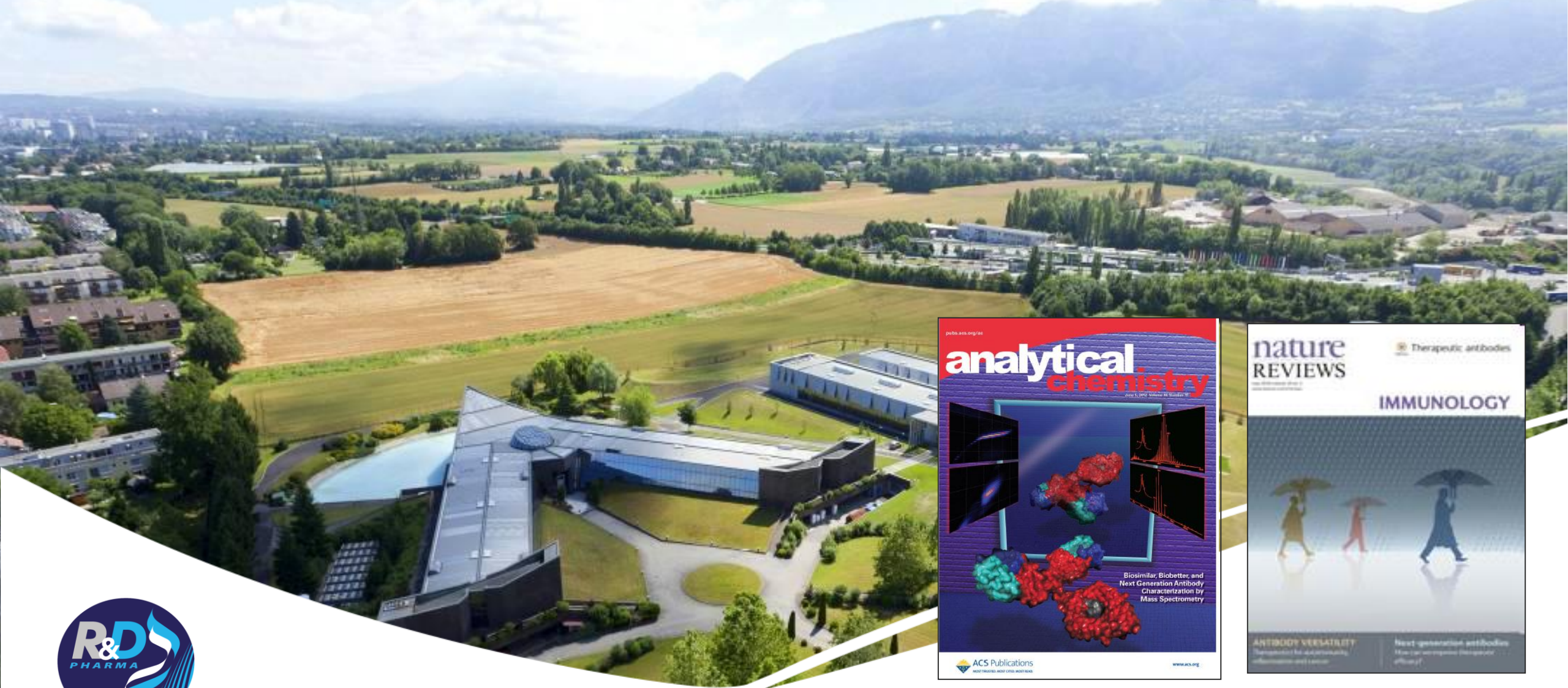
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- Ch, Hz, Hu IgGs
- CHO, NS0, SP2/0
- IgG1, 2, 2/4, 4wt, 4stab
- Glyco-engineered
- A-glycosylated
- Kappa & lambda LC
- Partially reduced IgGs
- Biosimilars
- Hinge Cys & Lys ADCs
- NISTmab



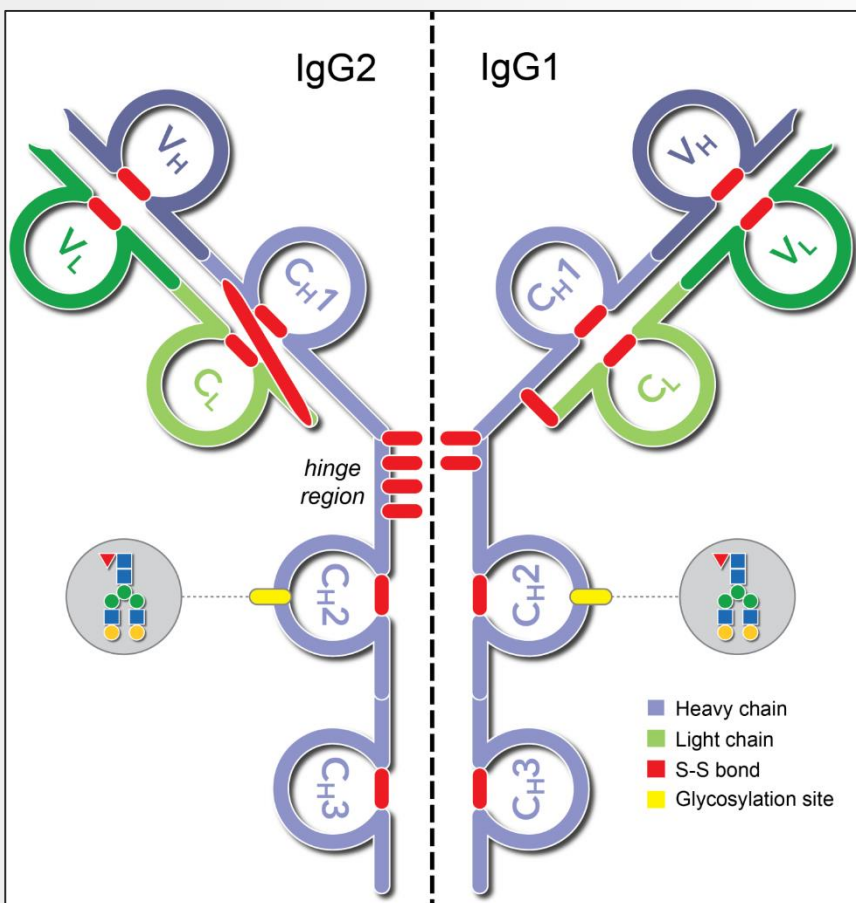


(2) Mass Spec structure assessment or fingerprinting:

TDS, HCD, ETD, UVPD, CIU

IgG1, 2, 4 : Top & middle down MS analysis (Top Down Sequencing Consortium) (2014-20)

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Interlaboratory Study for Characterizing mAbs by Top-Down and Middle-Down Mass Spec (2020)

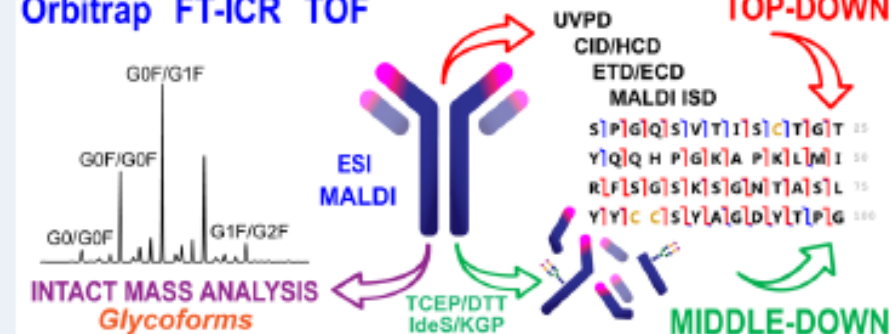
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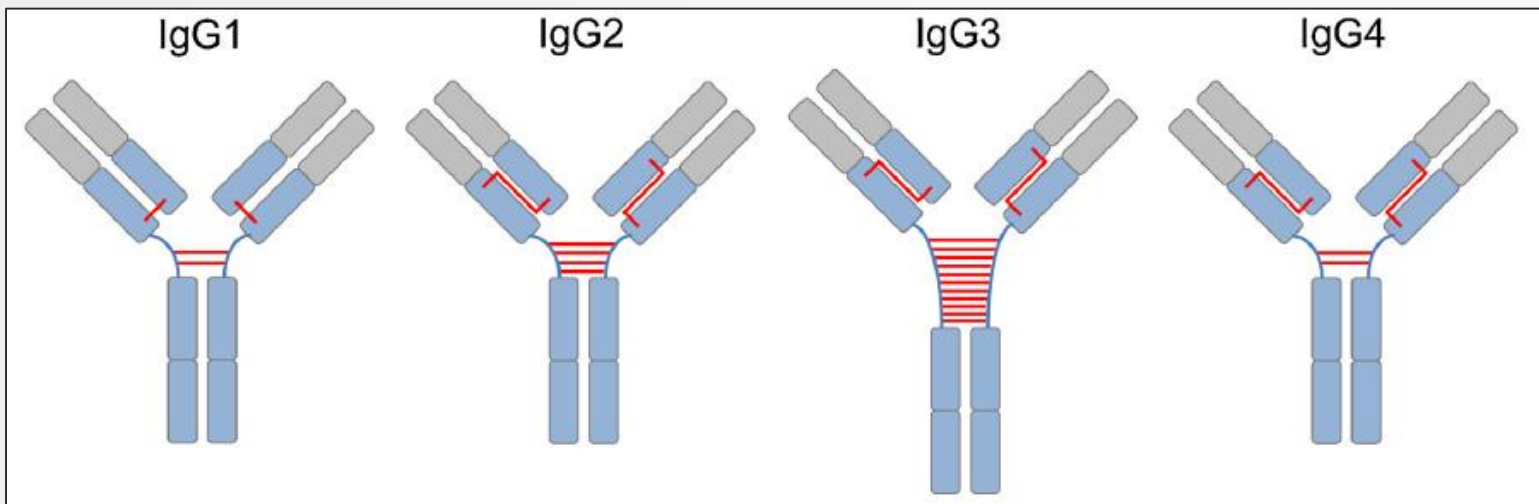
ABSTRACT: The Consortium for Top-Down Proteomics (www.topdownproteomics.org) launched the present study to assess the current state of top-down mass spectrometry (TD MS) and middle-down mass spectrometry (MD MS) for characterizing monoclonal antibody (mAb) primary structures, including their modifications. To meet the needs of the rapidly growing therapeutic antibody market, it is important to develop analytical strategies to characterize the heterogeneity of a therapeutic product's primary structure accurately and reproducibly. The major objective of the present study is to determine whether current TD/MD MS technologies and protocols can add value to the more commonly employed bottom-up (BU) approaches with regard to confirming protein integrity, sequencing variable domains, avoiding artifacts, and revealing modifications and their locations. We also aim to gather information on the common TD/MD MS methods and practices in the field. A panel of three mAbs was selected and centrally provided to 20 laboratories worldwide for the analysis: Sigma mAb standard (SiLuLite), NIST mAb standard, and the therapeutic mAb Herceptin (trastuzumab). Various MS instrument platforms and ion dissociation techniques were employed. The present study confirms that TD/MD MS tools are available in laboratories worldwide and provide complementary information to the BU approach that can be crucial for comprehensive mAb characterization. The current limitations, as well as possible solutions to overcome them, are also outlined. A primary limitation revealed by the results of the present study is that the expert knowledge in both experiment and data analysis is indispensable to practice TD/MD MS.

KEYWORDS: monoclonal antibody, top-down, middle-down, intact mass measurement, mass spectrometry, glycoform

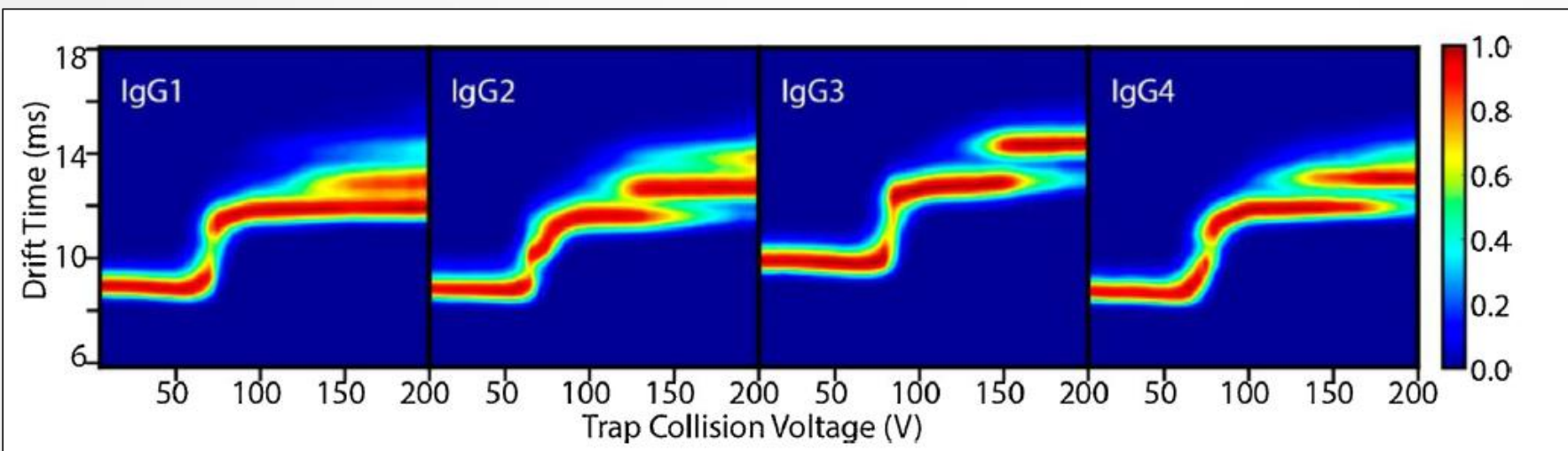
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Collision Induced Unfolding (CIU): isotype fingerprints



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Middle-level-IM-MS & CIU (Anal Chem 2020)

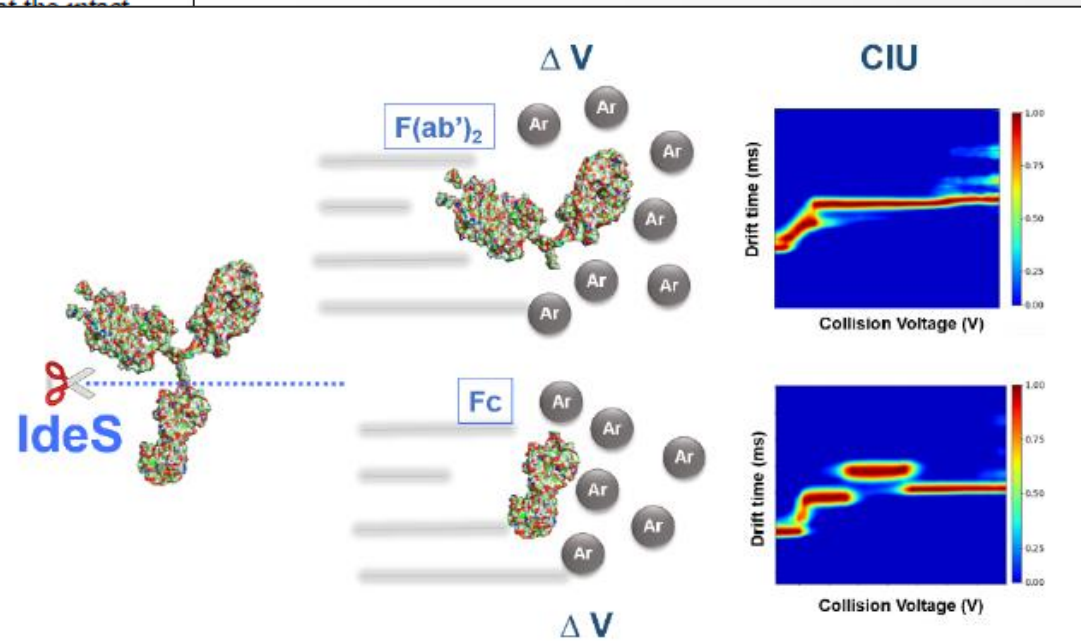
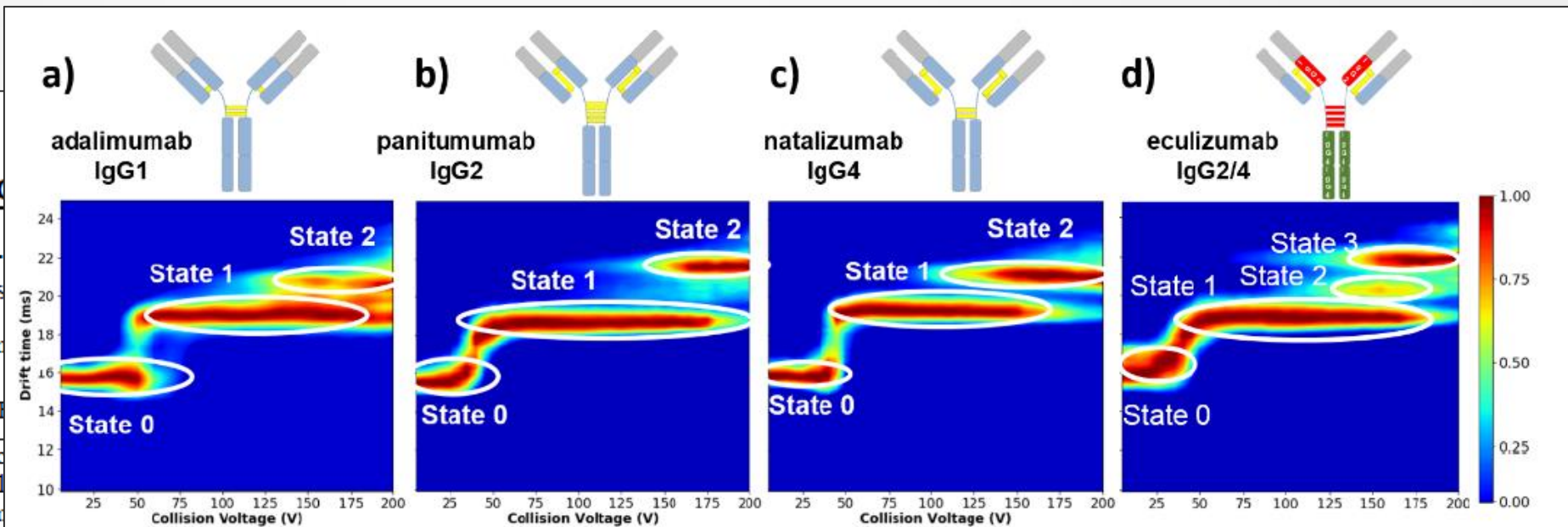
Middle-level IM-MS and CIU immunoglobulin isotype fingerprinting

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ABSTRACT: Currently approved therapeutic monoclonal antibodies (mAbs) differ in their specific inter-chains disulfide bonds, which are diagnostic for mAb isotyping, among which native ion mobility methods are used. However, mAb isotyping by these approaches is based on detection of subtle differences and thus remains challenging. We report here on middle-level (after IdeS digestion) IM-MS and CIU approaches to afford better differentiation of mAb isotypes. Our method provides simultaneously CIU patterns of F(ab')₂ and Fc domains within a single run. Middle-level IM-MS of F(ab')₂ domains enable more reliable classification of mAb isotypes compared to intact level CIU, while CIU fingerprinting of Fc domains are overall less informative for mAb isotyping. F(ab')₂ regions can thus be considered as diagnostic domains for mAb isotyping. Benefits of middle-level IM-MS and CIU approaches are further illustrated using IgG2/IgG4 eculizumab. While classical analytical techniques led to controversial results, middle-level CIU uniquely resolved the challenge of eculizumab « hybridity », highlighting that its F(ab')₂ and Fc CIU patterns correspond to an IgG2 and IgG4 respectively. Altogether, the middle-level CIU approach is more clear-cut, accurate and straightforward for canonical mAb isotyping. Middle-level CIU thus constitutes a real breakthrough in protein analysis, paving the way for its implementation in R&D laboratories.



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SEC-CIU: workflow automation (Anal Chem 2020)

Towards automation of Collision Induced Unfolding through online Size Exclusion Chromatography Mass Spectrometry.

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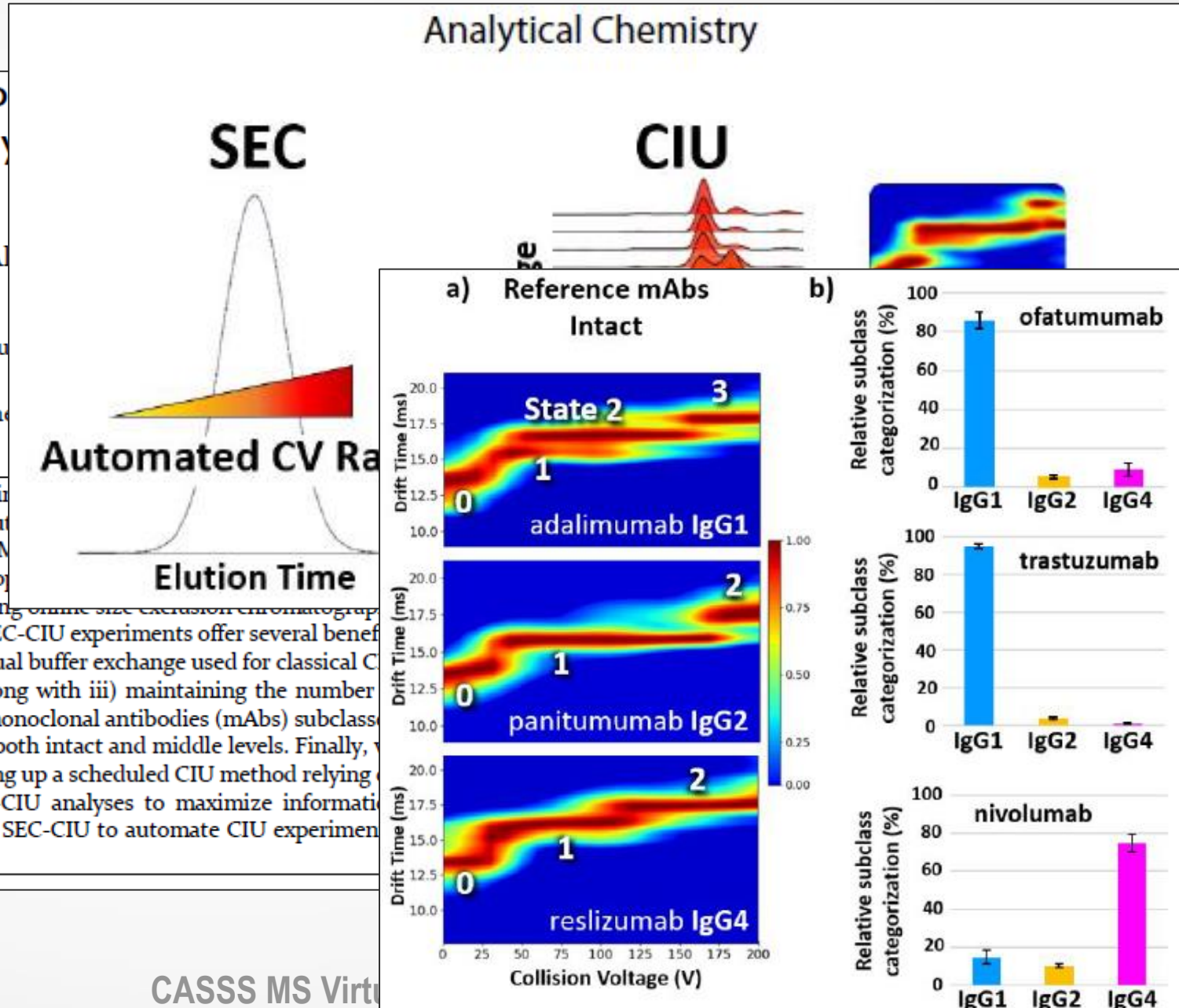
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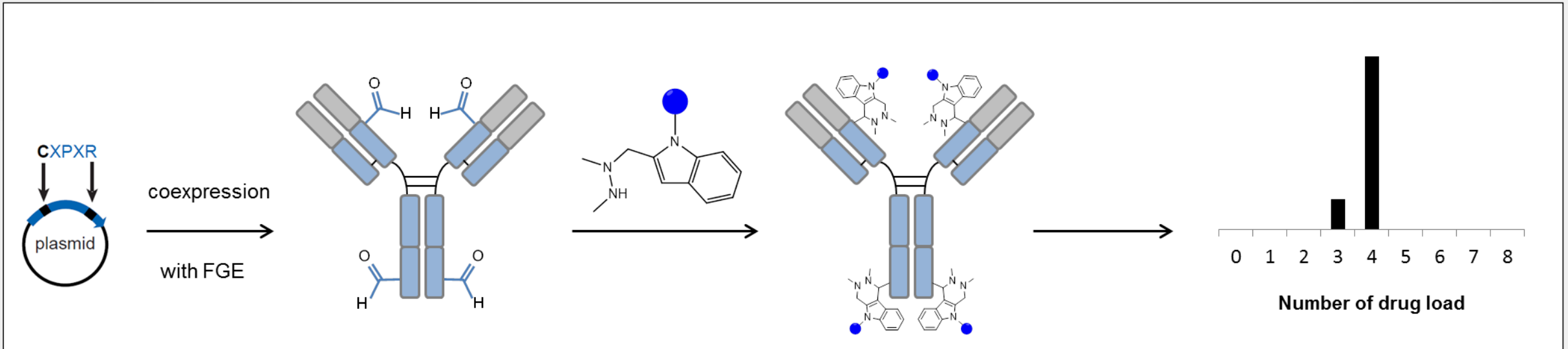
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ABSTRACT: Ion mobility-based collision induced unfolding (CIU) has gained in popularity for the study of protein unfolding and their noncovalent complexes, notably for biotechnological applications. However, the manual workflow for CIU experiments, from sample preparation to data interpretation using online size exclusion chromatography coupled to native ion mobility mass spectrometry (SEC-CIU). Online automated SEC-CIU experiments offer several benefits over nanoESI-CIU, among which i) improved and fast desalting compared to manual buffer exchange used for classical CIU experiments; ii) drastic reduction of the overall data collection time process along with iii) maintaining the number of unfolding transitions. We then evaluate the potential of SEC-CIU to distinguish monoclonal antibodies (mAbs) subclass, illustrating the efficiency of our method for rapid mAb subclass identification at both intact and middle levels. Finally, we demonstrate that CIU data acquisition time can be further reduced either by setting up a scheduled CIU method relying on diagnostic trap collision voltages or by implementing mAbs-multiplexed SEC-CIU analyses to maximize information content in a single experiment. Altogether, our results confirm the suitability of SEC-CIU to automate CIU experiments, particularly for the fast characterization of next generation mAb-based products.

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3G-ADCs: enzyme-assisted ligation (formylglycine-generating enzyme, SMARTag®, Catalent)

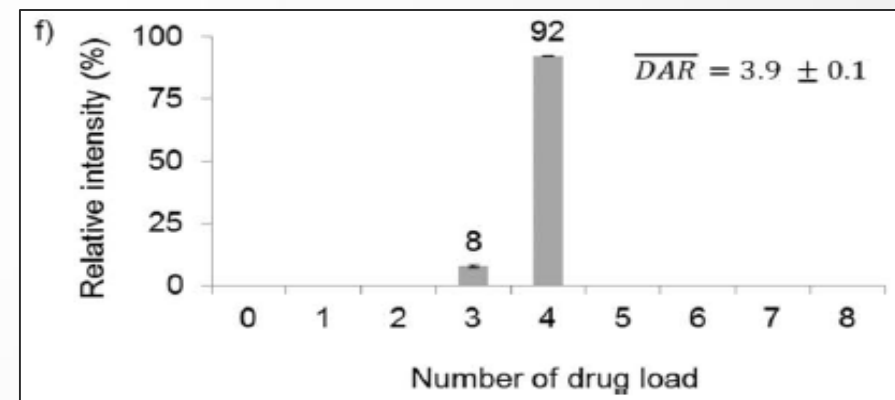
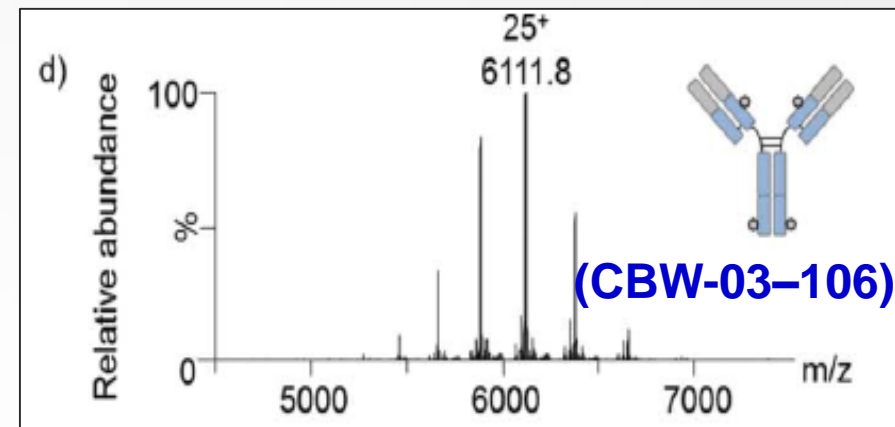
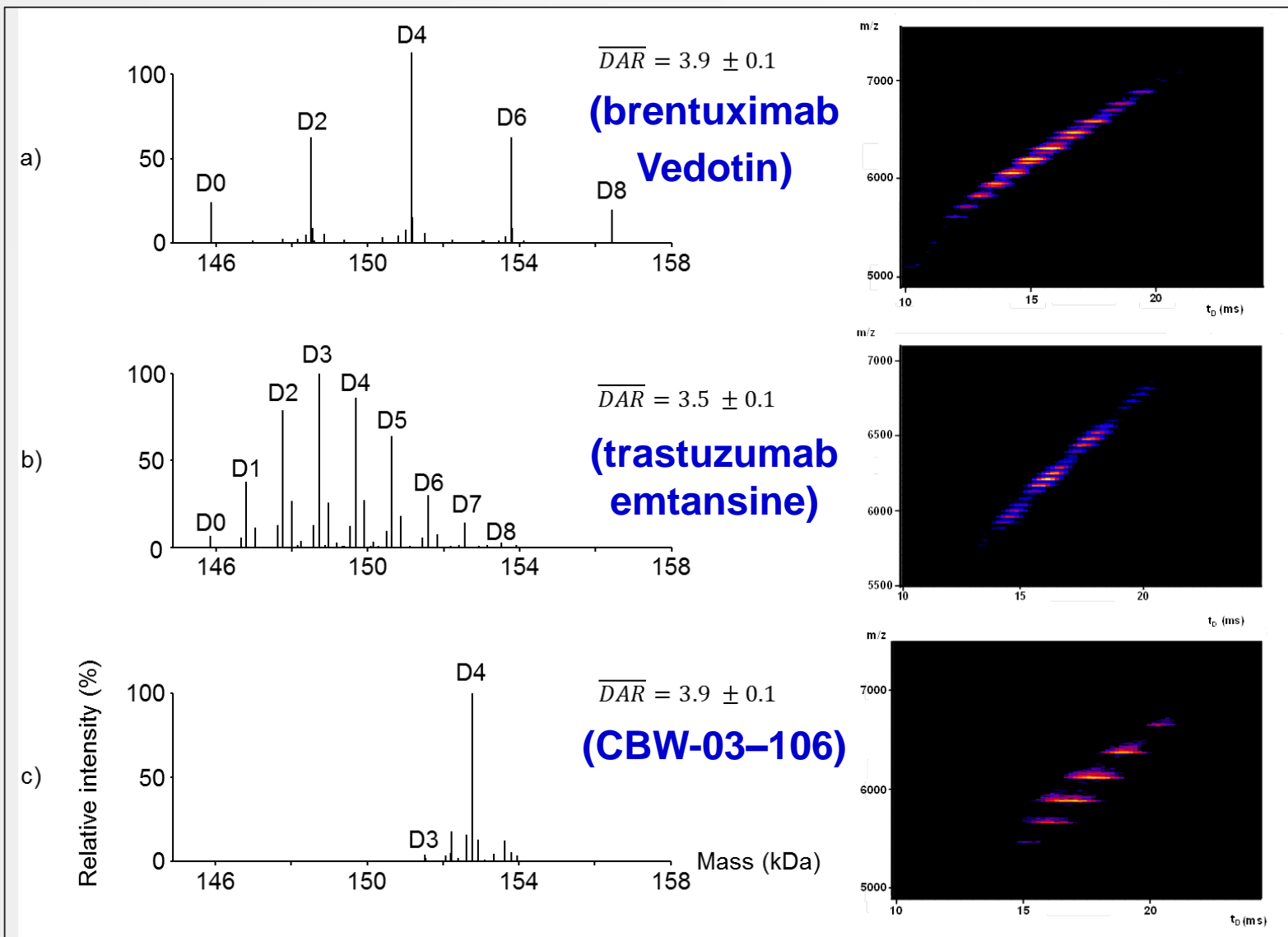


- Engineered Lys-Cys-X-Pro-X-Arg tag + formylglycine-generating enzyme (FGE)
=> Cys oxidized to formylglycine + HIPS ligation

- (1) native MS/ native IM-MS
- (2) HCD, ETD, UVPD

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3G-ADCs: SMARTag® (Catalent): native MS/ IM-MS



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IgG & ADC structures : HCD, ETD, UVPD (2019)



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RESEARCH ARTICLE

A Case Study to Identify the Drug Conjugation Site of a Site-Specific Antibody-Drug-Conjugate Using Middle-Down Mass Spectrometry

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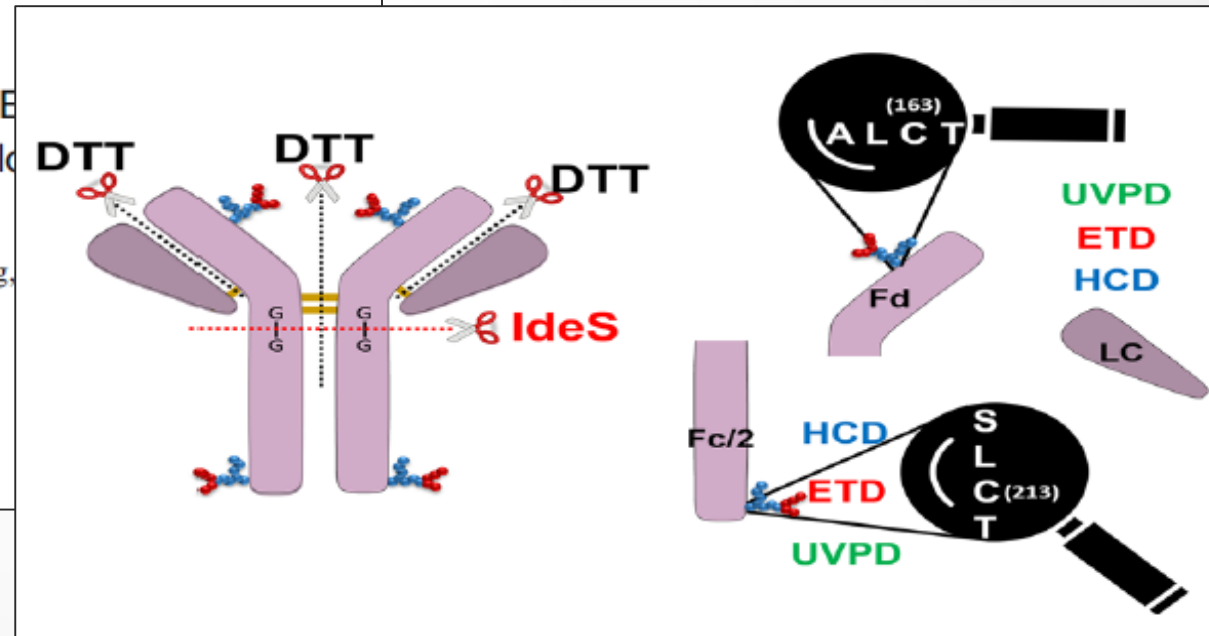
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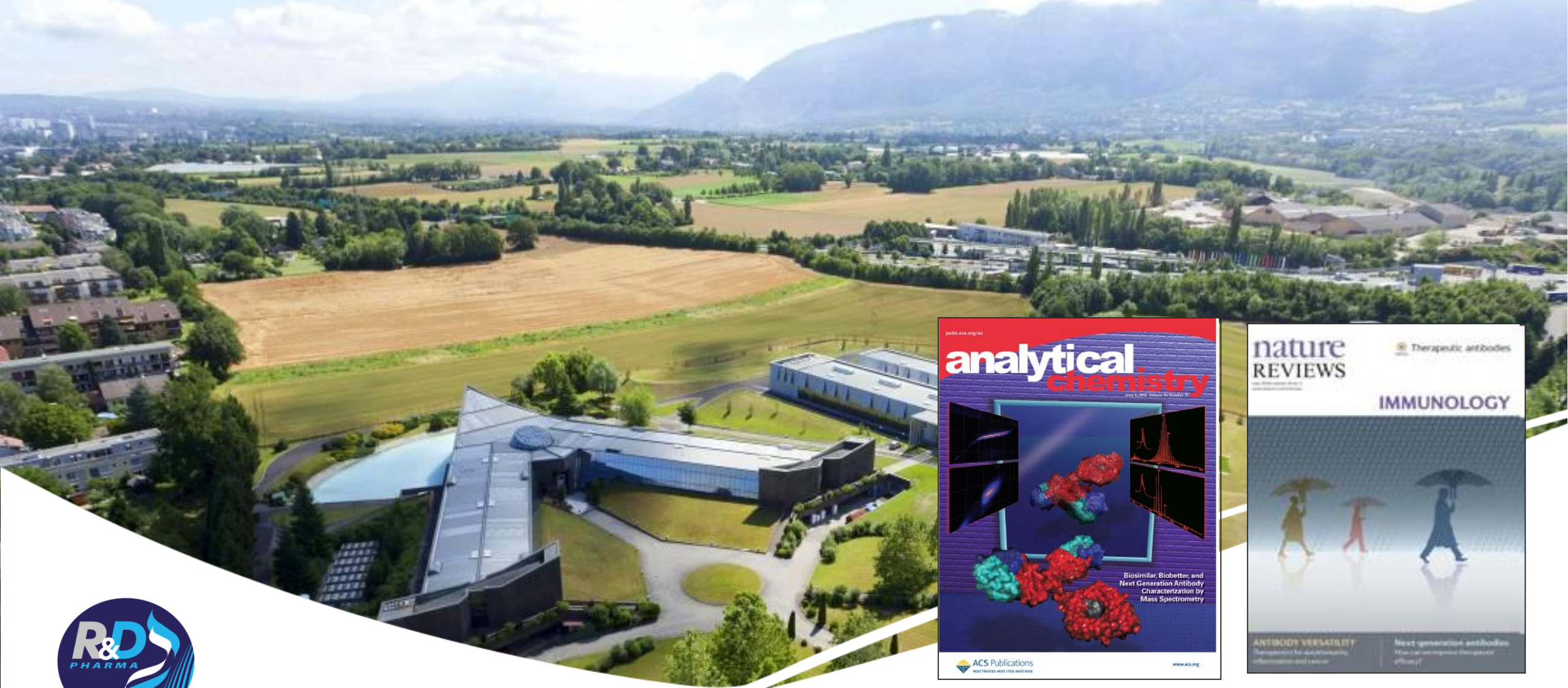
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- Reduction (DTT)
- IdeS digestion
- **HCD: higher-energy collisional-dissociation**
- **ETD: electron-transfer dissociation**
- **UVPD: 213 nm UV photodissoc**



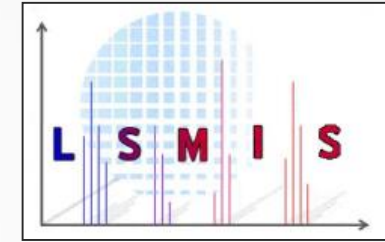
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Capillary Electrophoresis + MS (CE-MS) (2016-20)

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Review

Insights from capillary electrophoresis approaches for characterization of monoclonal antibodies and antibody drug conjugates in the period 2016–2018

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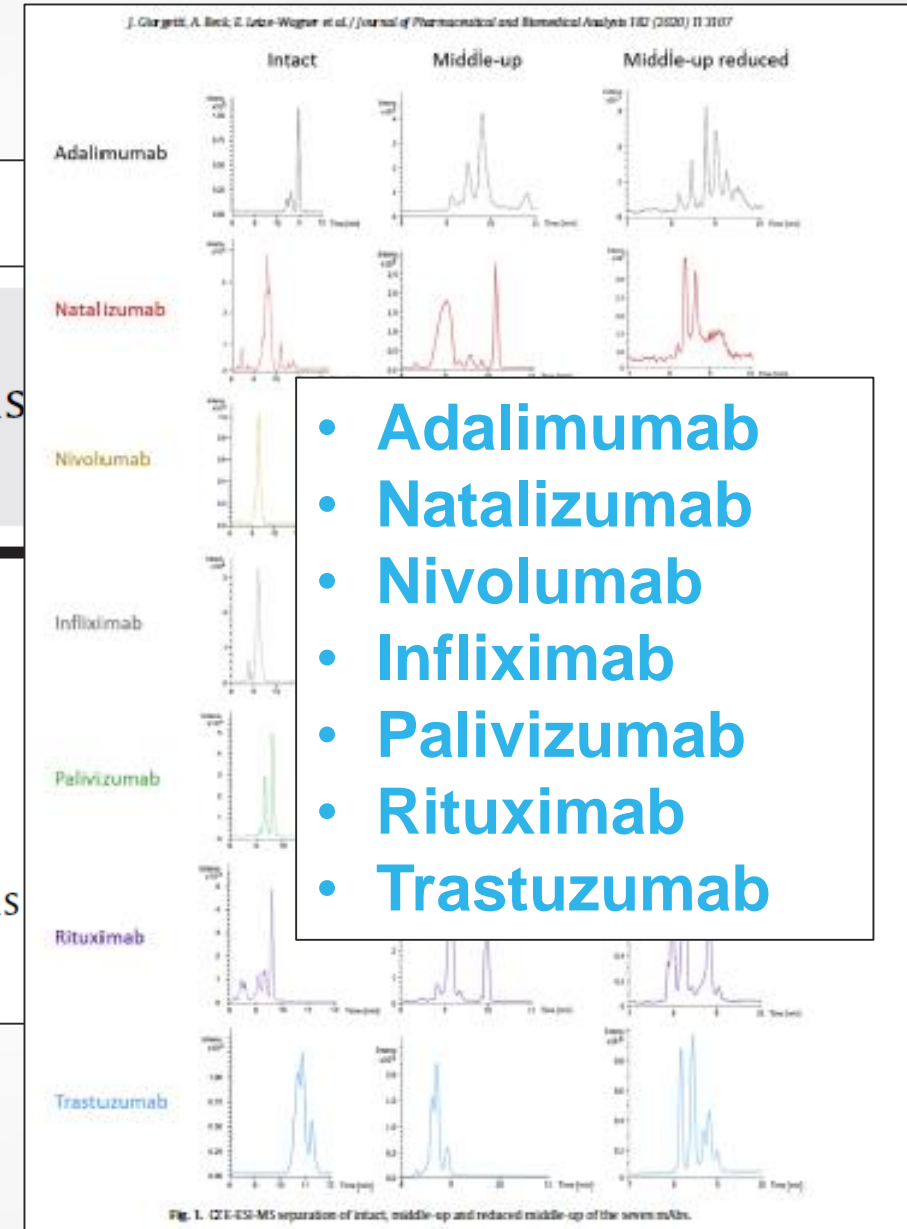
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Combination of intact, middle-up and bottom-up levels to characterize 7 therapeutic monoclonal antibodies by capillary electrophoresis – Mass spectrometry

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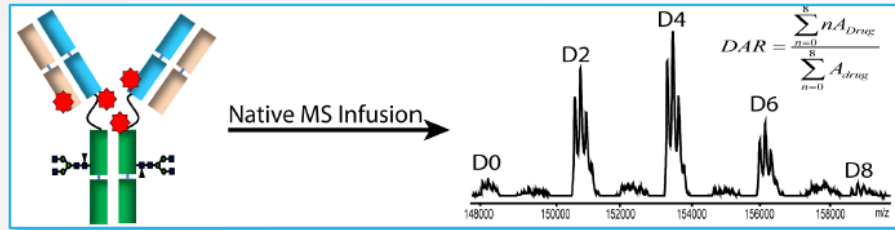
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ADC characterization by sheathless CE-MS (2016-2020)

Native MS of brentuximab vedotin

1. Top level

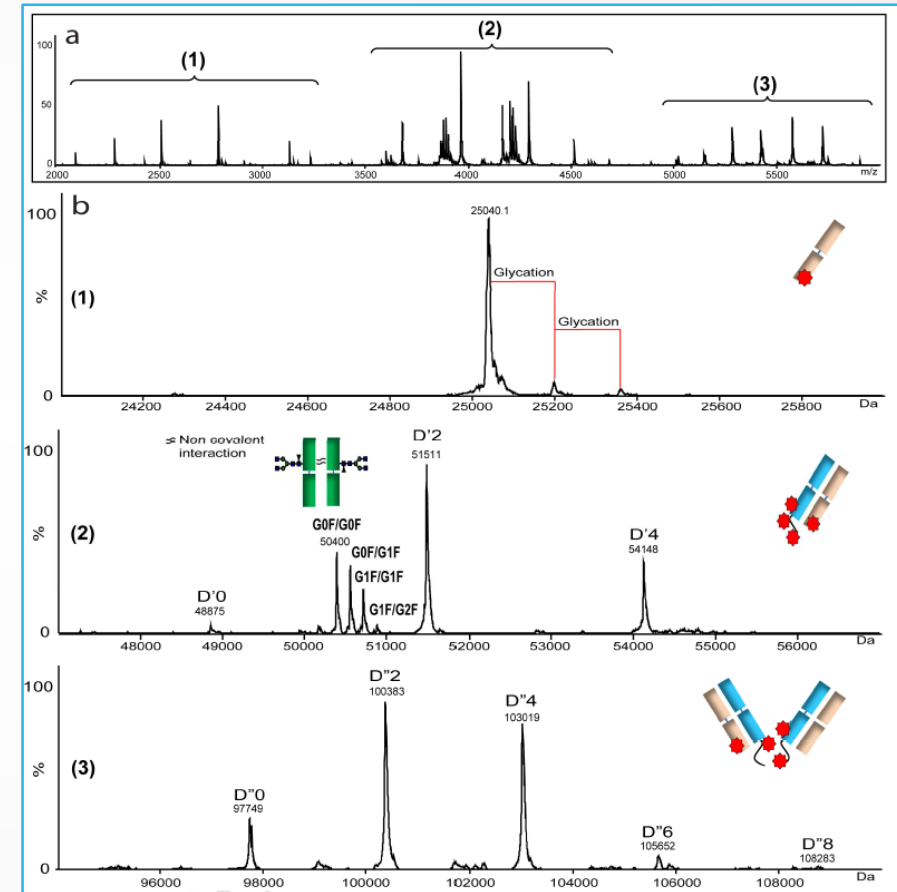


- Sheathless CE-MS used as nanoESI infusion platform
- Average DAR & distribution determination
- Structural information of the subunits $F_{c/2}$, $F(ab)'_2$, LC, $F(ab)$, +/- payloads
- Non-covalent dimers of ADC $F_{c/2}$ subunits

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2. Middle level

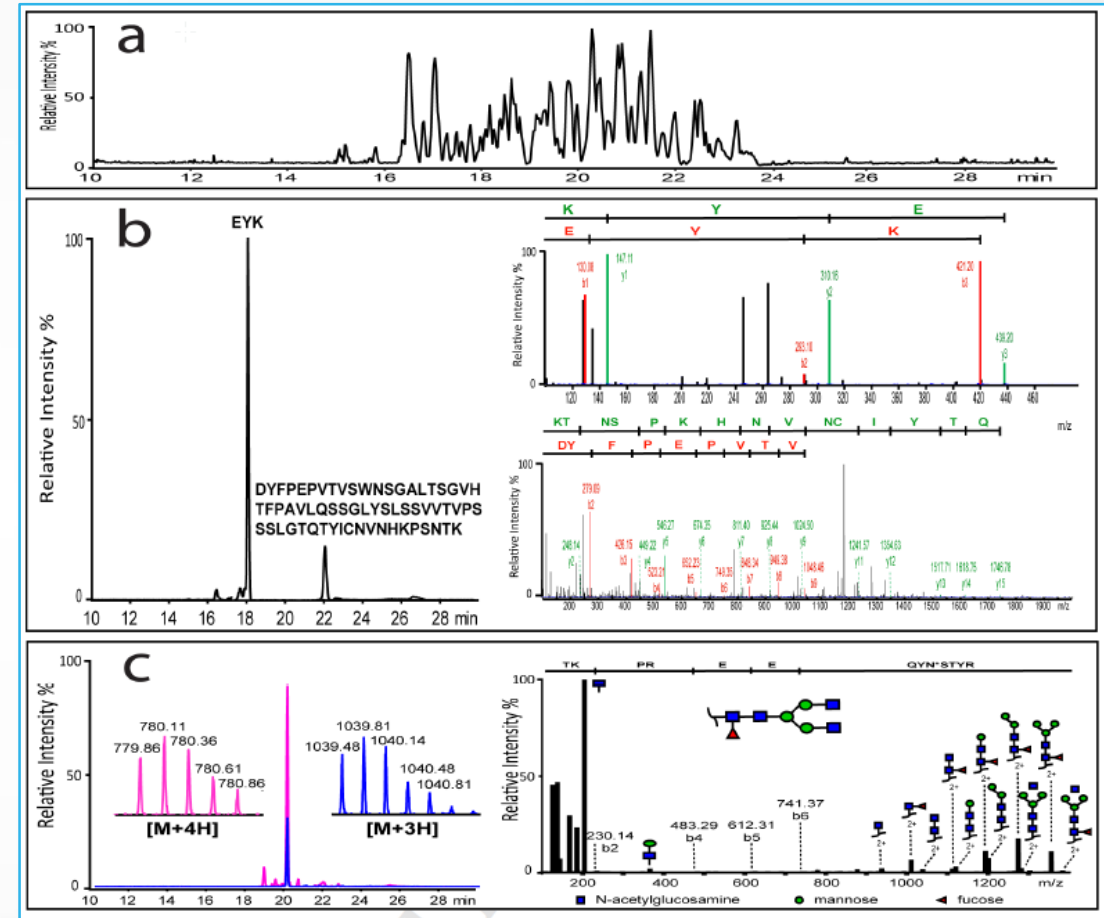


ADC peptide mapping by sheathless CZE-ESI-MS/MS

Peptide mapping (brentuximab vedotin)

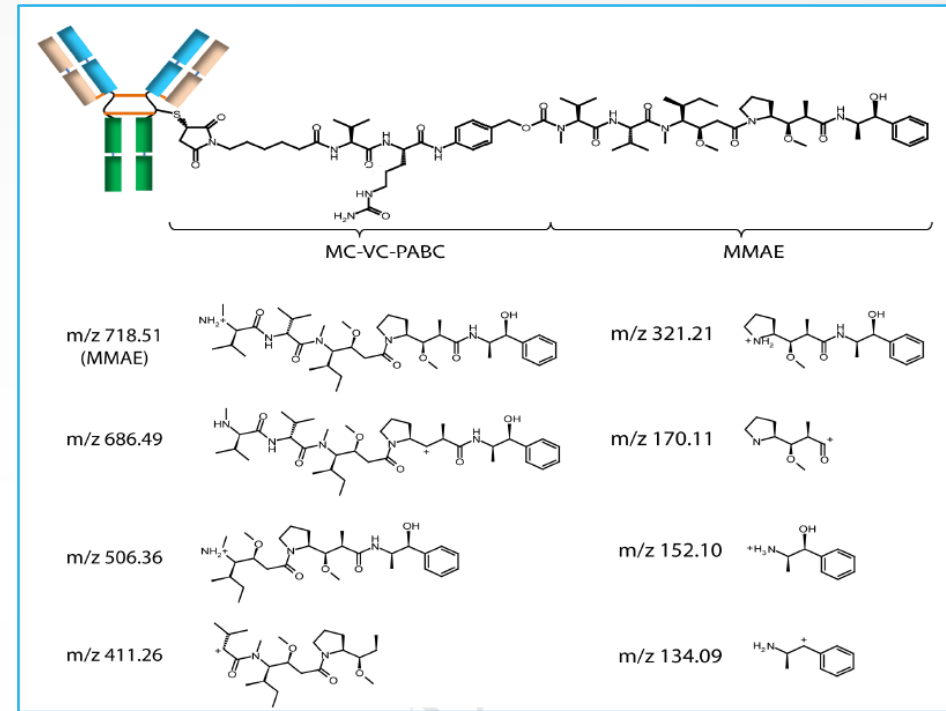
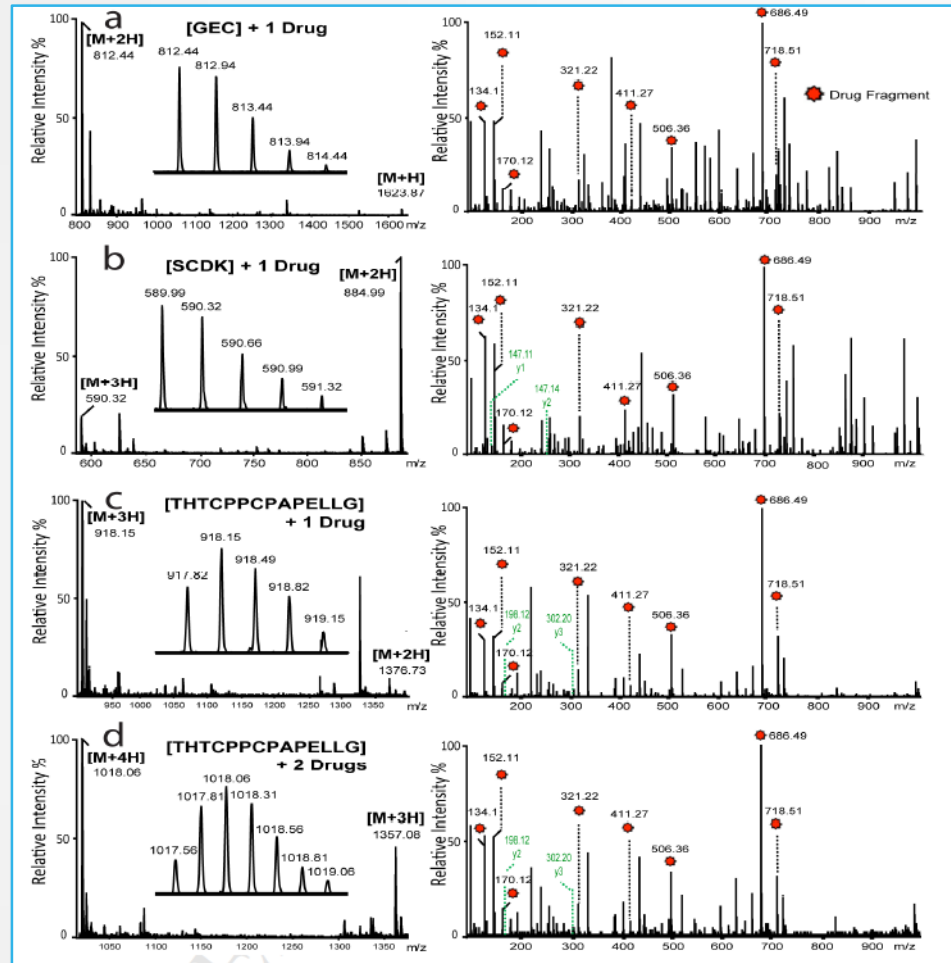
3. Bottom level

- Within a single injection of 200 fmol
- Primary structure assessment
- Identification of very small peptides (3 a.a.) alongside to a 63 a.a. peptide
- Glycosylations (11 peptides) characterized with improved sensitivity



- Said N, Gahoual R, Kuhn L, Beck A, François YN, Leize-Wagner E. Anal Chim Acta 2016
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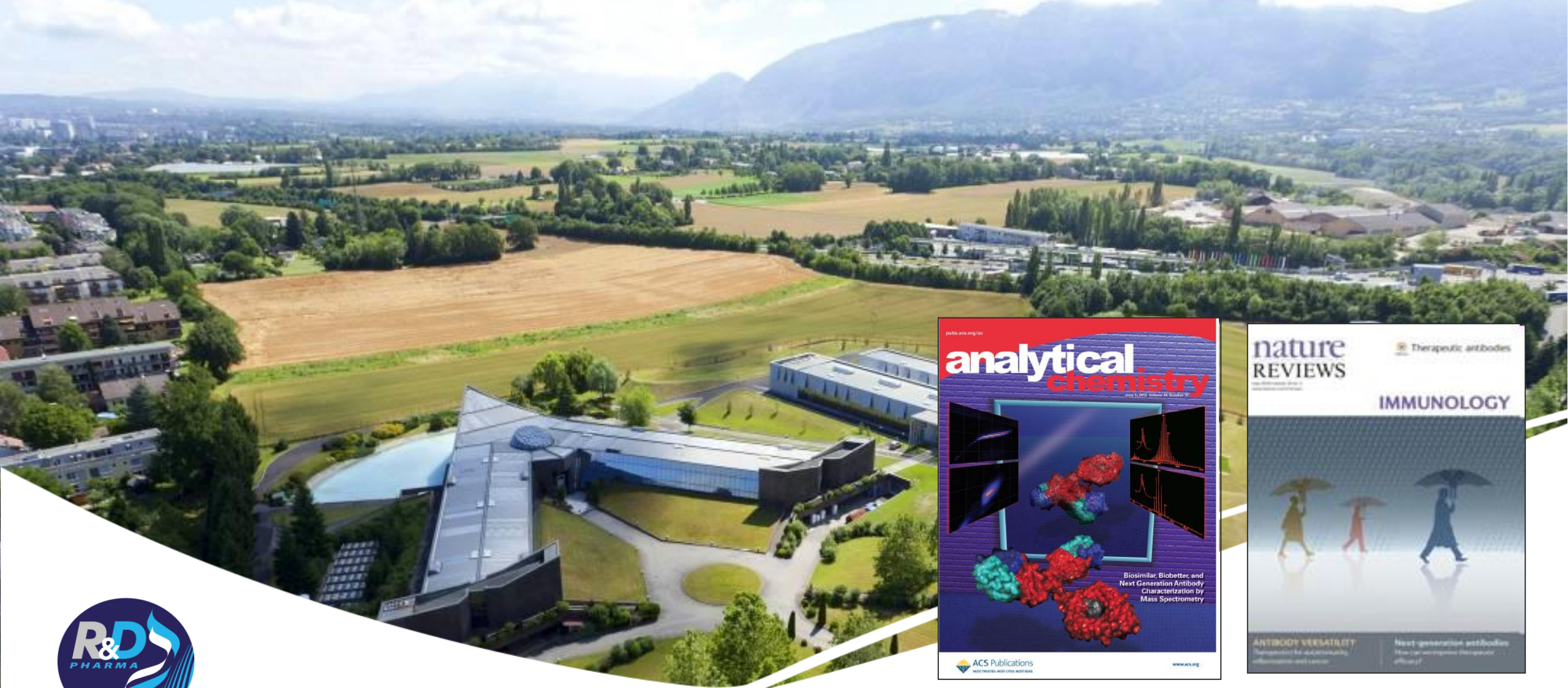
ADC peptide mapping CZE-ESI-MS/MS (2016-2020)



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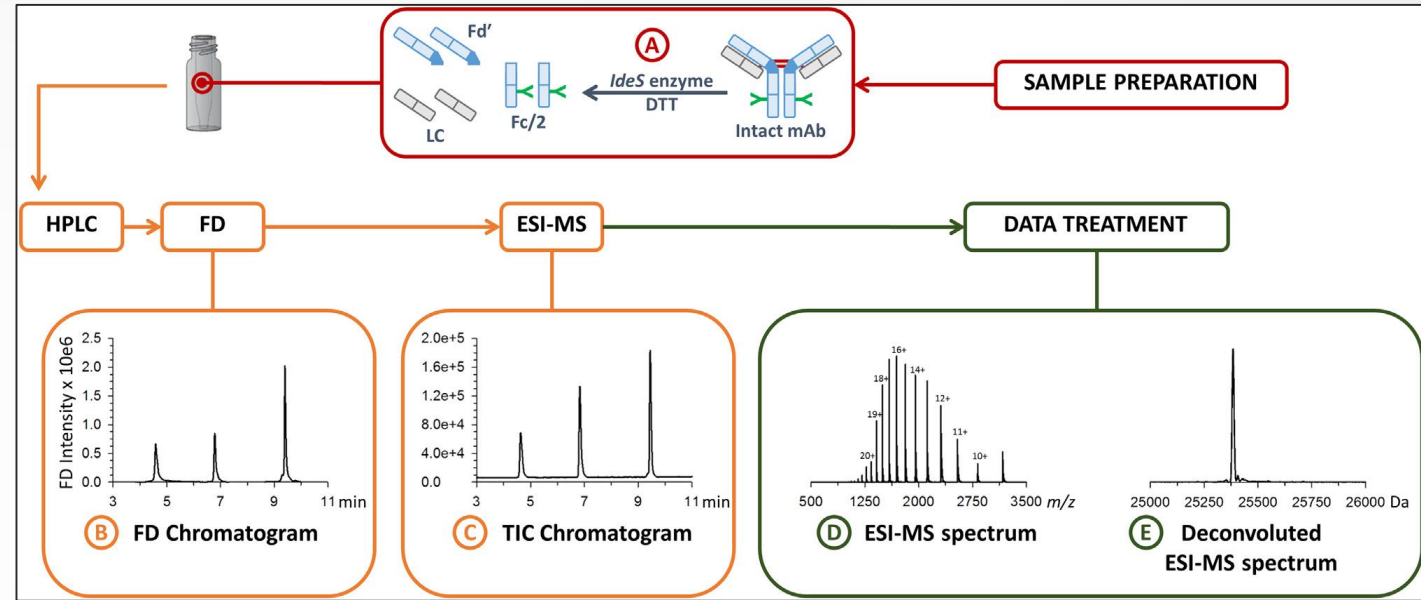
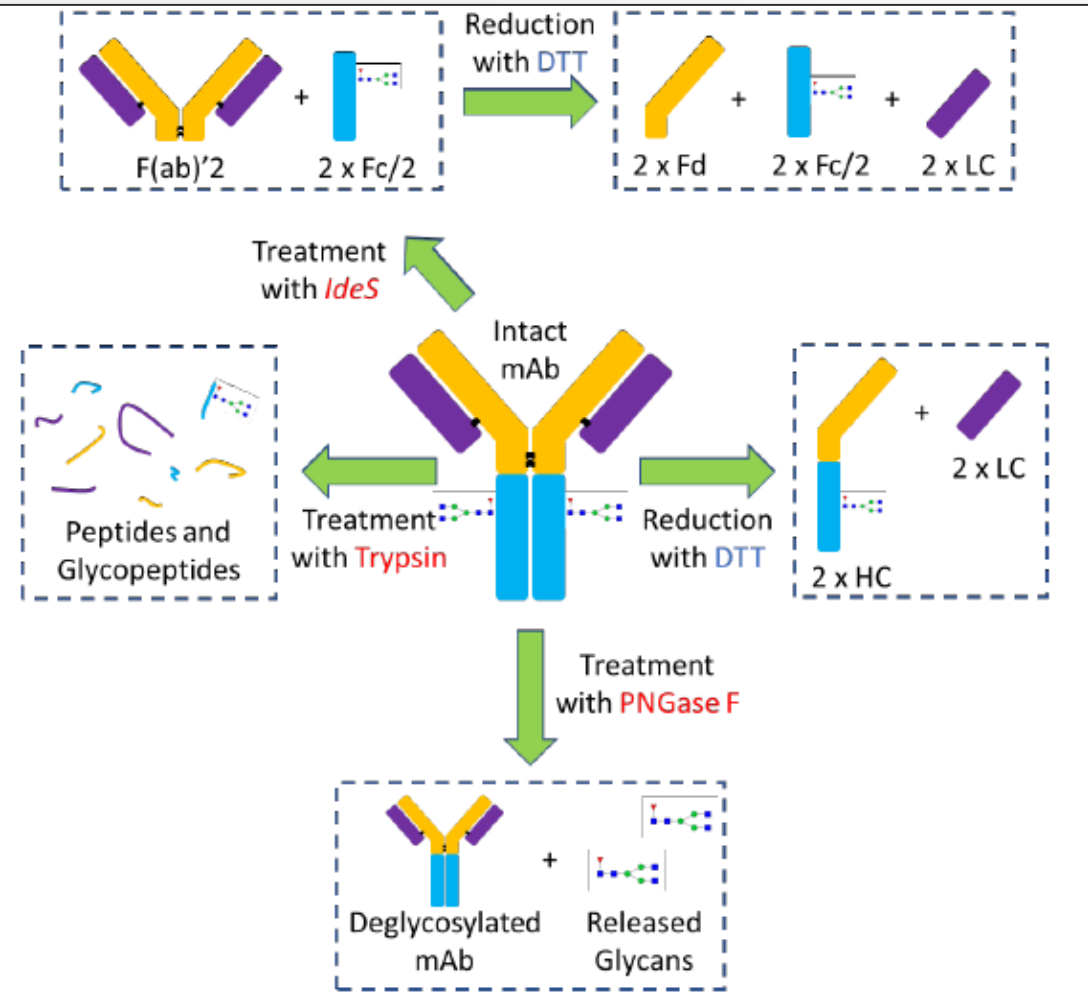
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- Four drug-loaded peptides and associated MS/MS spectra
- Localization of the drugs / yield of drug incorporation
- Seven diagnostic ions identified “MMAE fragments”



(4) Multi-dimensional LC-MS methods:
SEC-MS, SECxSEC MS, SEC-HIC-MS...

Multilevel mAbs LC-MS characterization (2019)



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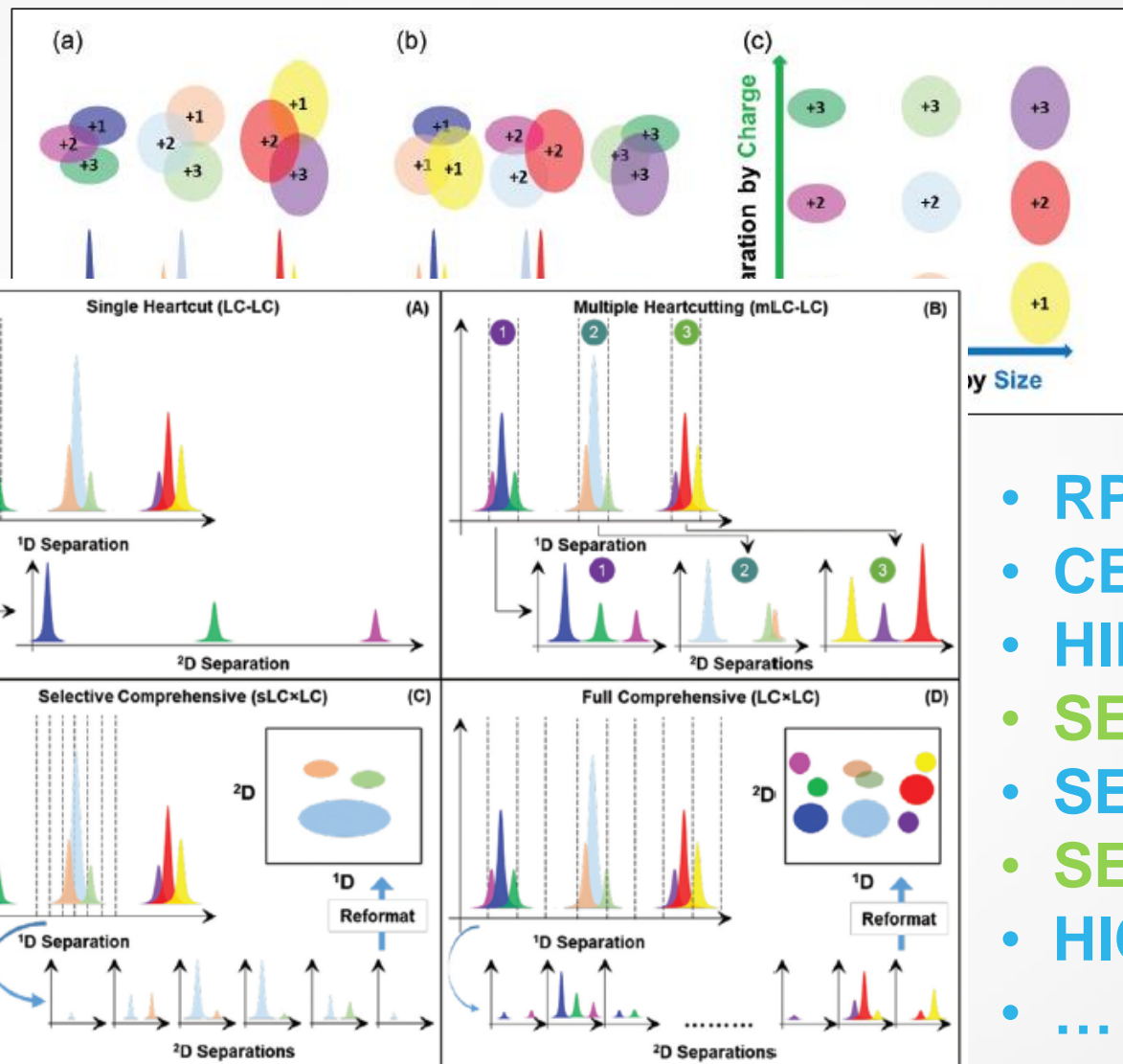
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2 to 4 D LC-MS: mAbs & ADCs (2019)

Recent Advances in Two-Dimensional Liquid Chromatography for the Characterization of Monoclonal Antibodies and Other Therapeutic Proteins

Dwight R. Stoll, Kelly Zhang, Gregory O. Staples, and Alain Beck



- RPxRP-MS
- CEXxRP-MS
- HILICxRP-MS
- SECxRP-MS
- SECxSEC-IMxMS
- SEC-IMxMS
- HICxSEC-IMxMS
- ...

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Non-denaturing LC-MS: IEX, SEC, HIC-MS (2020)

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Review

Coupling non-denaturing chromatography to the characterization of monoclonal antibodies

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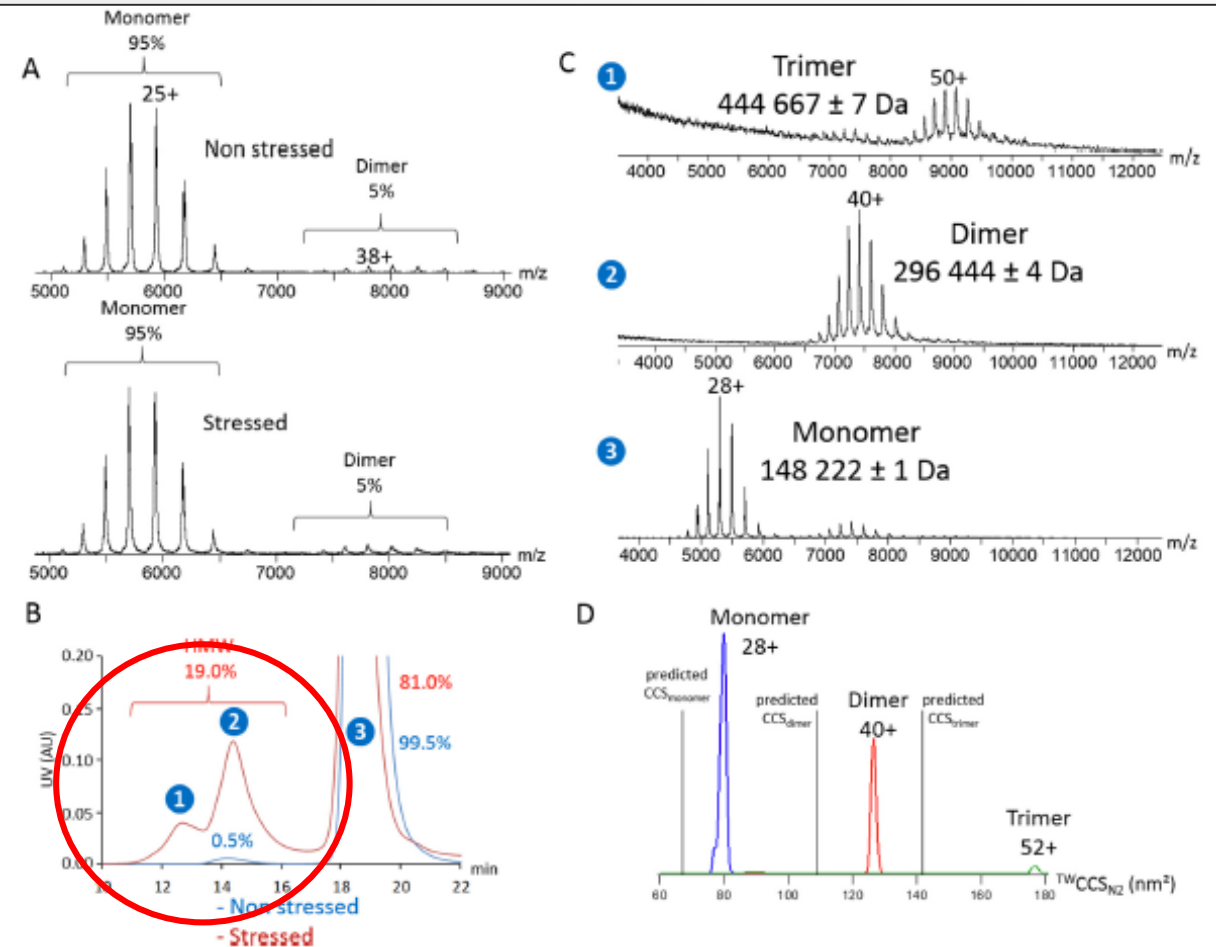
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| 2. | Ion-exchange chromatography | |
| 2.1. | IEX-MS direct coupling | |
| 2.2. | IEX-MS indirect coupling through 2D-LC | |
| 3. | Size exclusion chromatography | |
| 3.1. | SEC-MS direct coupling | |
| 3.2. | SEC-MS indirect coupling through 2D-LC | |
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| 4.2. | HIC-MS indirect coupling through 2D-LC setup | |
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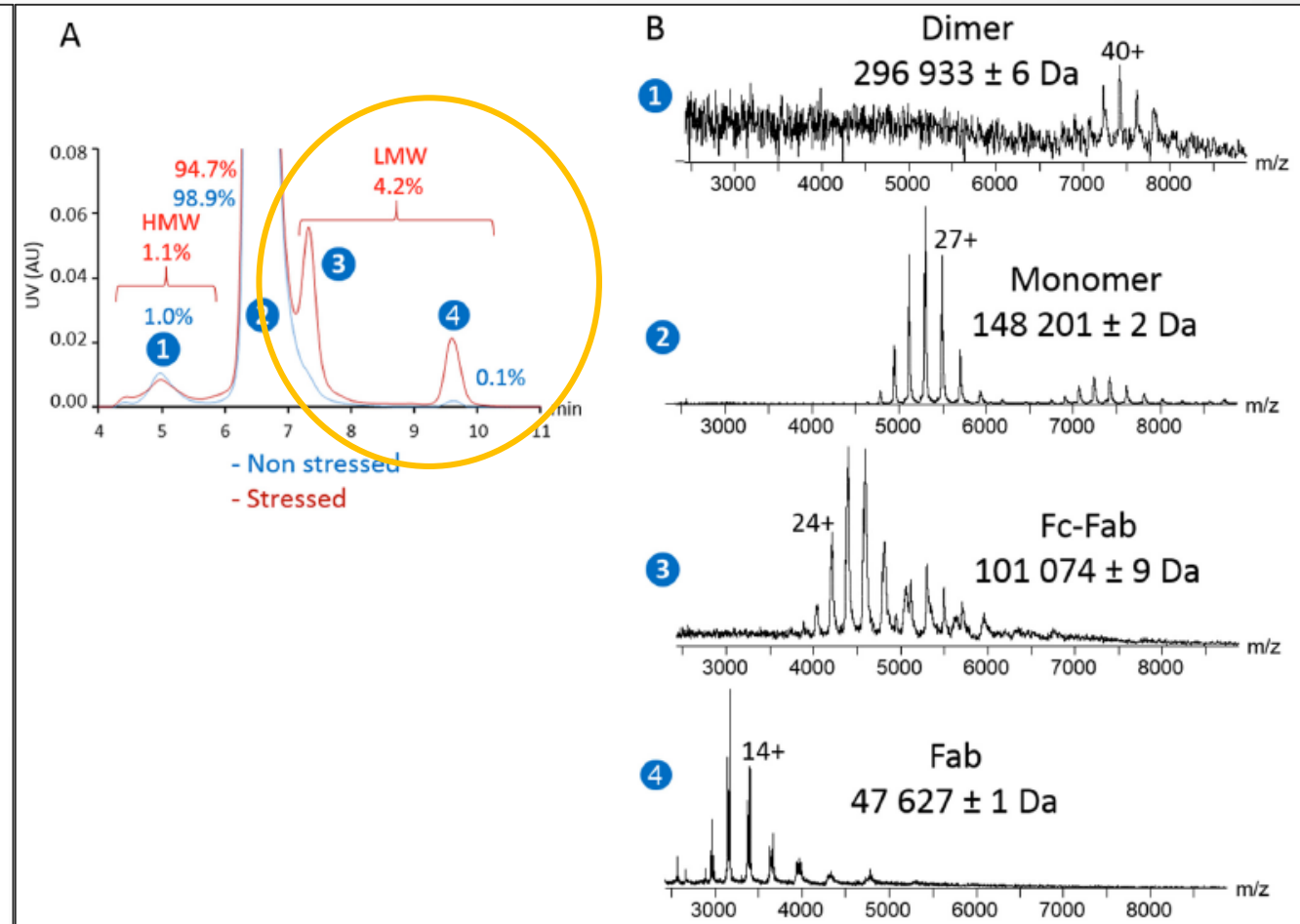


Size variants structure assessment: SEC*-native MS

(A) Monomer & HMWS (trastuzumab)**



(B) Monomer & LMWS (NISTmAb)***



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On line 4D for mAbs size variants (SECxSEC-IMxMS)

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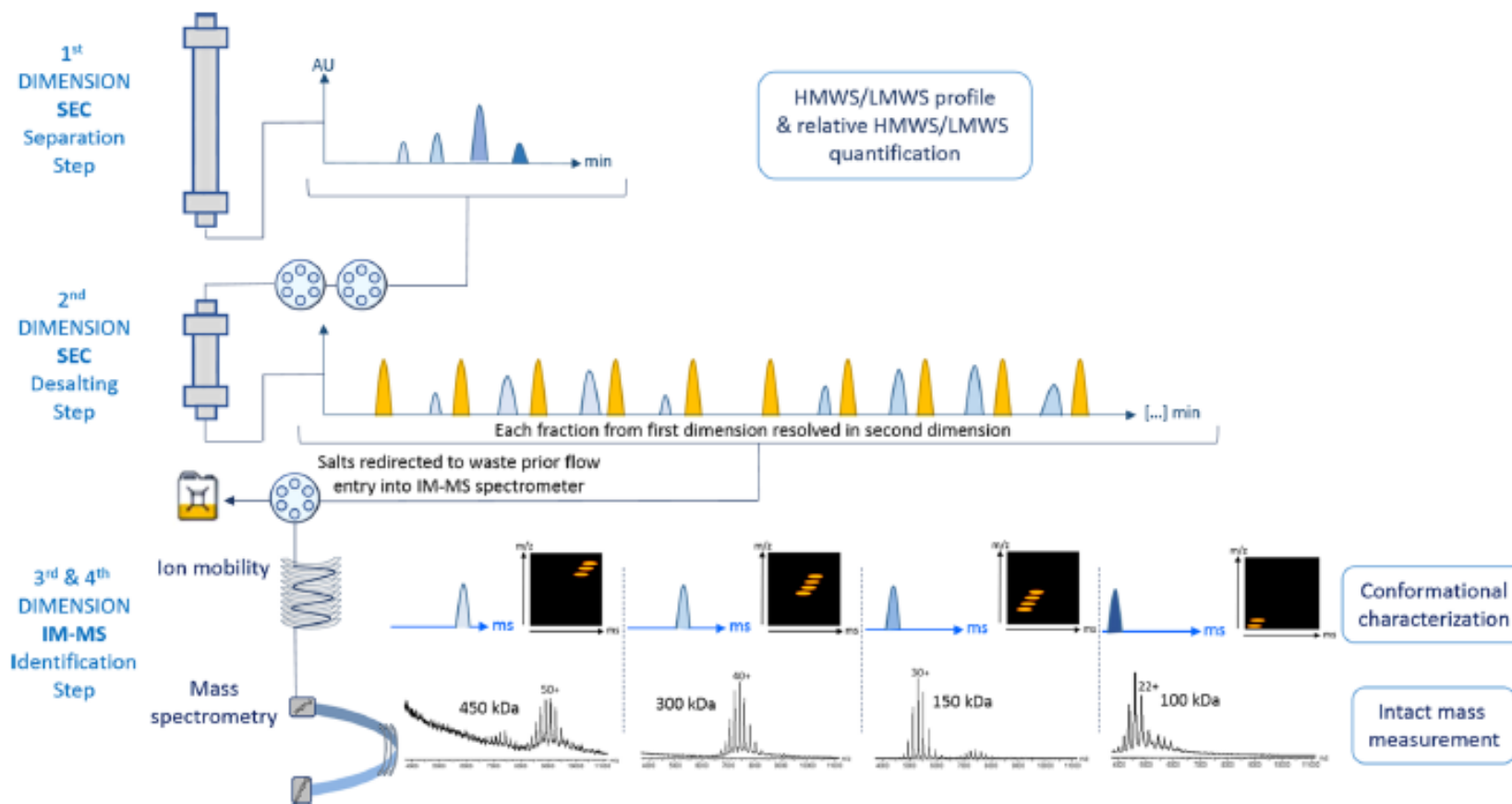
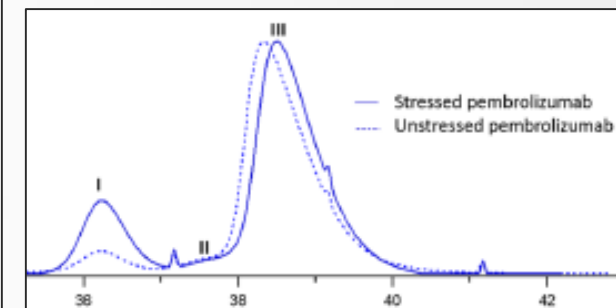


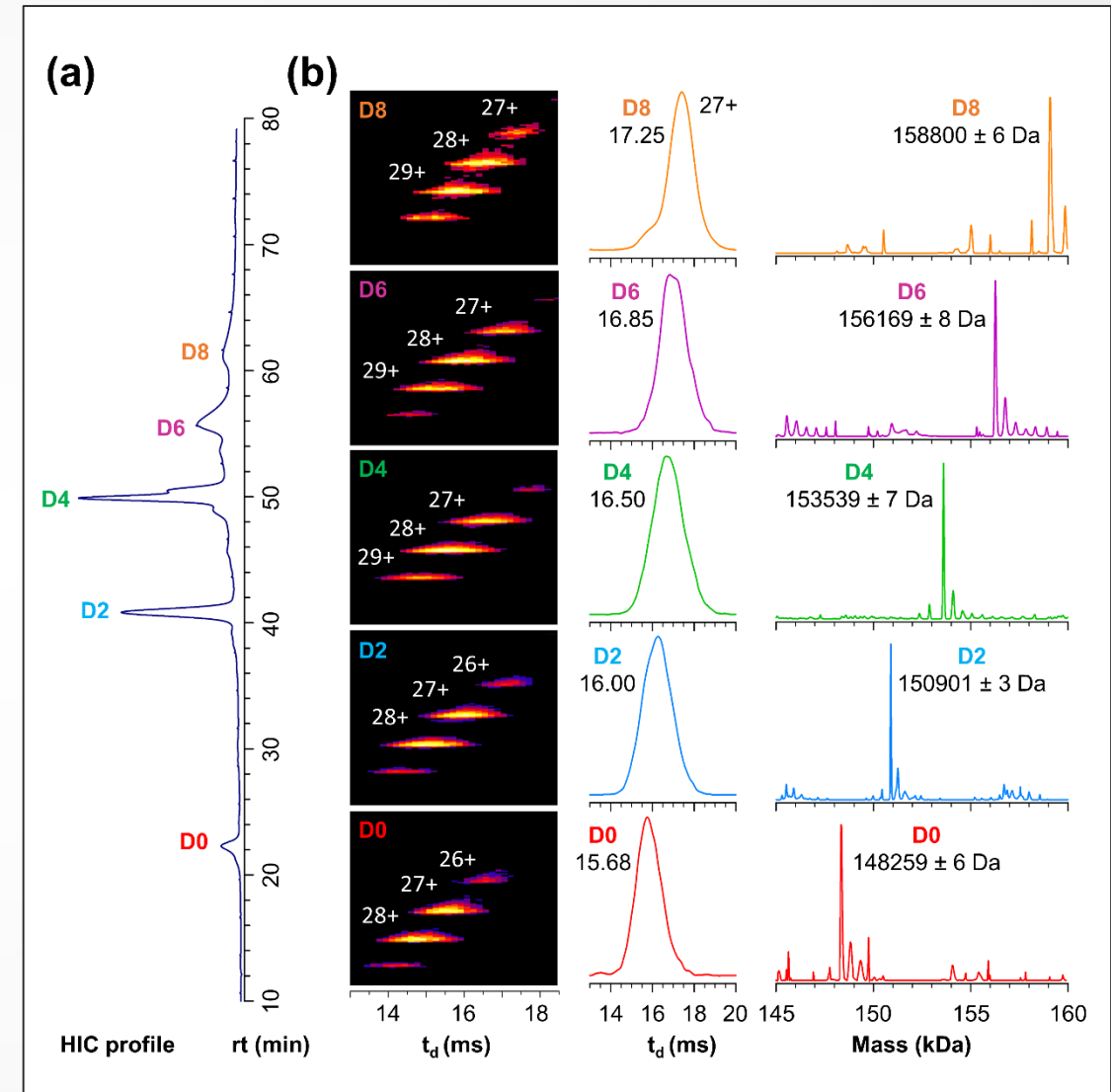
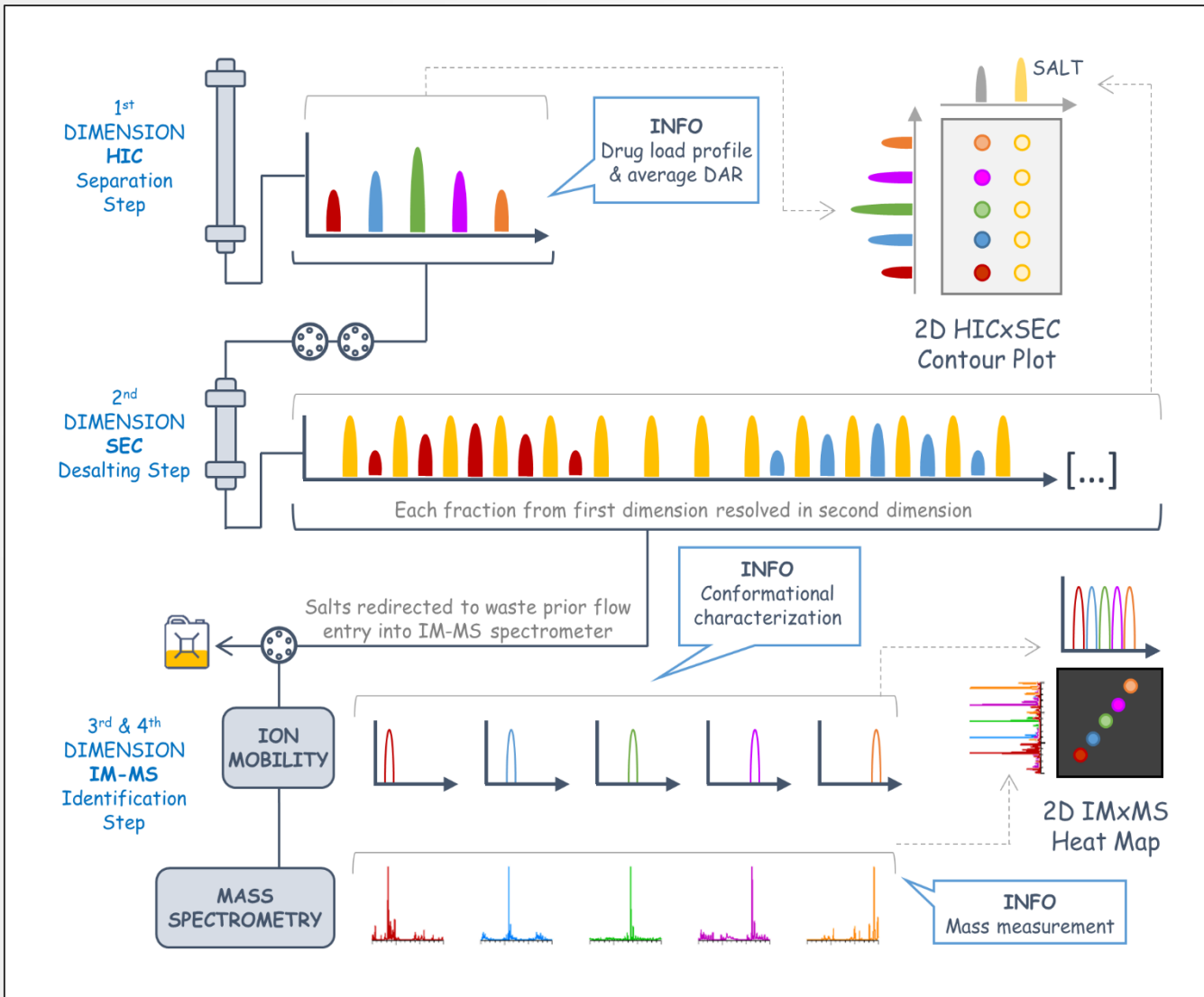
Figure 2. Flowchart of the SECxSEC-native IMxMS for mAb analysis. The optimized SECxSEC method was hyphenated to IM-MS. In the first dimension, SEC with nonvolatile salts allows a proper separation and quantitation of mAb HMWS/LMWS. In the second dimension, a short SEC column used with a volatile mobile phase was employed as a fast desalting step. Online native IM-MS allows conformational characterization and intact mass measurement of each individual 1^D-SEC peaks.



Pembrolizumab
HMWS (SEC):
oxidized species
and not only
dimers or
aggregates

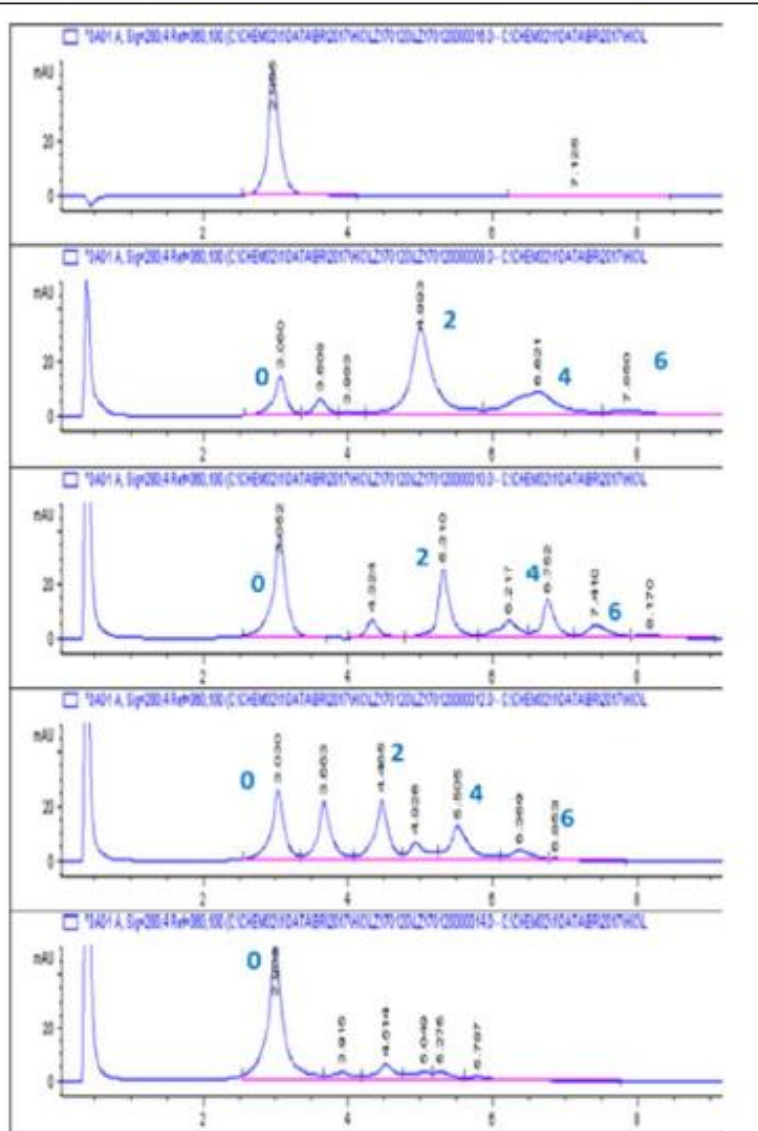
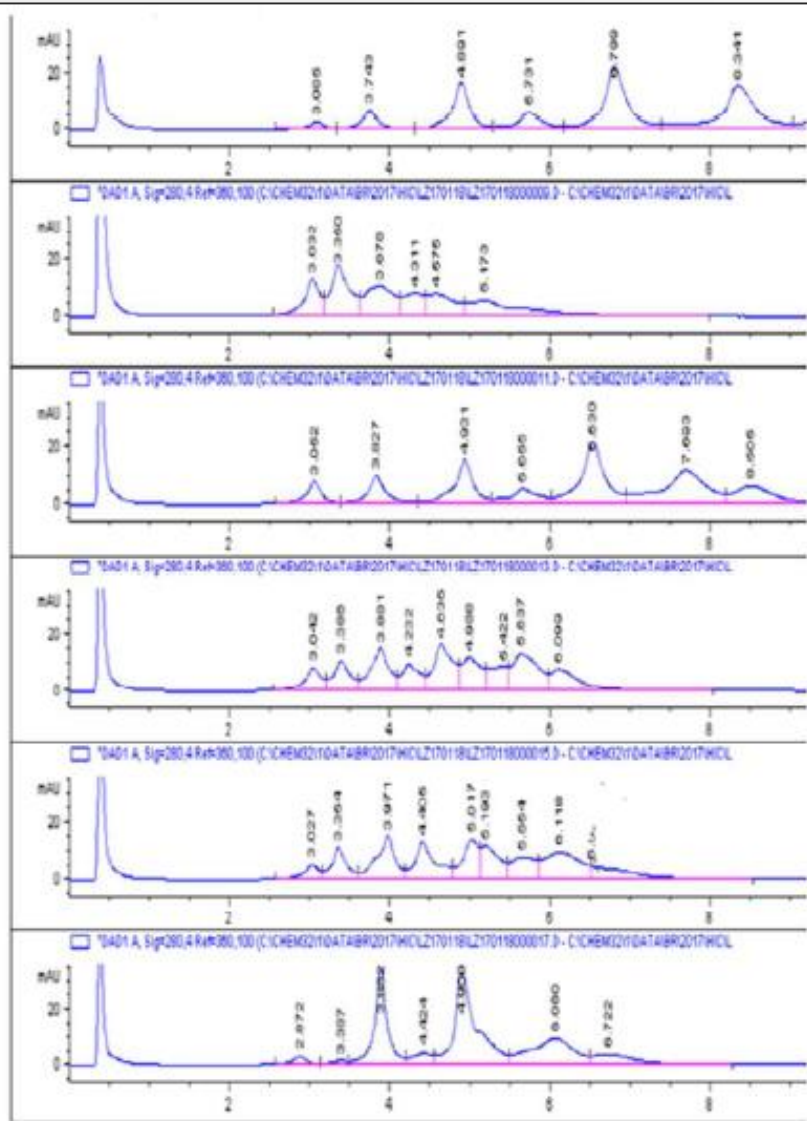
➤ Ehkirch A, D'Atri V, Rouvière F, Beck A, Guillarme D, Heinisch S, Cianféroni S et al. Anal Chem 2018

On line 4D methods for ADCs (HICxSEC-IMxMS)



➤ Ehkirch A, D'Atri V, Rouvière F, Beck A, Guillaume D, Heinisch S, Cianféroni S et al. Anal Chem 2018

Cutting-Edge Analytical methods for ADCs: HIC

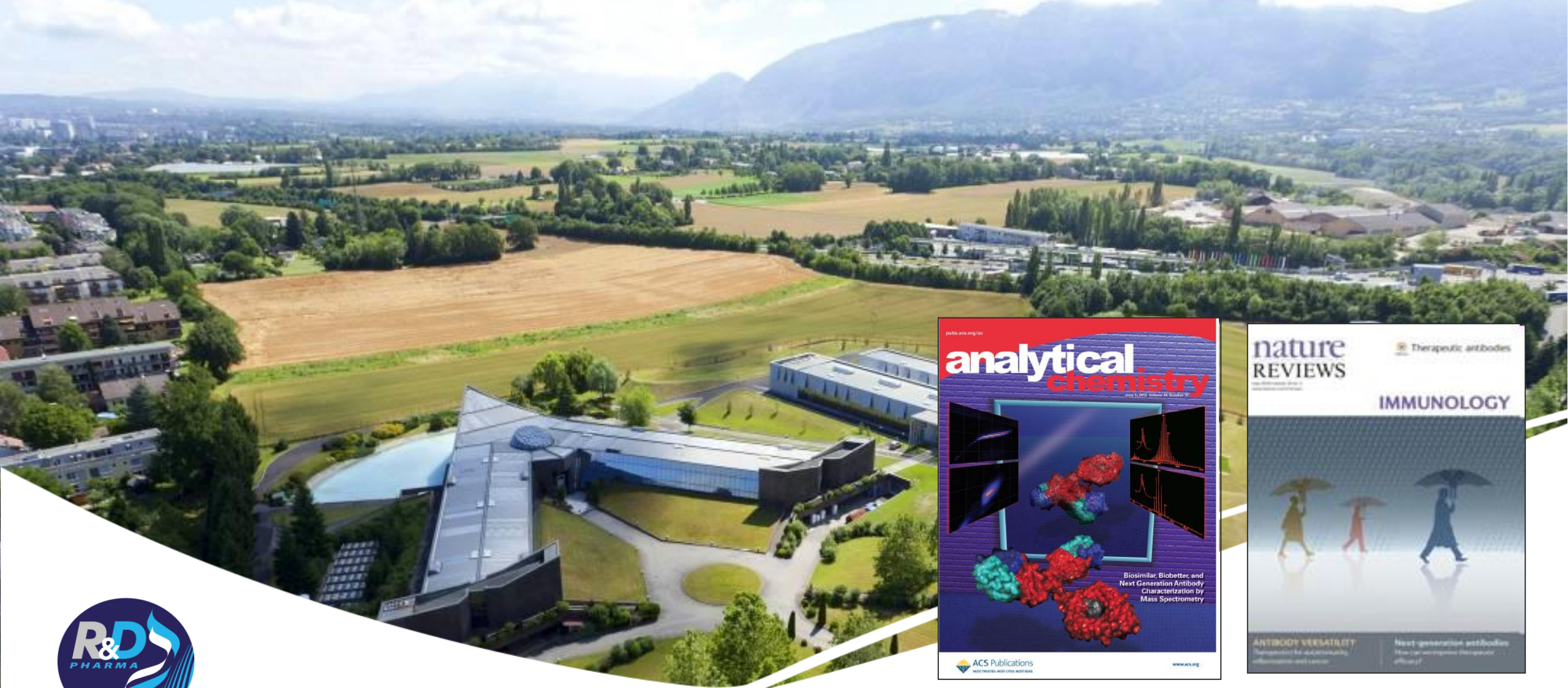


Chromatograms obtained for investigational hinge Cys-ADCs:

- different mAbs
- isotypes (1, 2, 4)
- drug-linkers
- reducing agent & ratios

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(5) Hydrophilic interaction Chromatography-MS (HILIC-MS) :

mAbs, biosimilars, Fc-fusions, ADCs...



NISTmAb – Glyco-NIST collab. Study (2020)

NIST Interlaboratory Study on Glycosylation Analysis of Monoclonal Antibodies: Comparison of Results from

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De Leoz MLA, Duewer DL, Fung A, Liu L, Yau HK, Potter O, Staples GO, Furuki K, Frenkel R, Hu Y, Sosic Z, Zhang P, Altmann F, Gruber C, Shao C, Zaia J, Evers W, Pangelley S, Suckau D, Wiechmann A, Resemann A, Jabs W, **Beck A**, Froehlich JW, Huang C, Li Y, Liu Y, Sun S, Wang Y, Seo Y, An HJ, Reichardt NC, Ruiz JE, Archer-Hartmann S, Azadi P, Bell L, Lakos Z, An Y, Cipollo JF, Pučić-Baković M, Štambuk J, Lauc G, Li X, Wang PG, Bock A, Hennig R, Rapp E, Creskey M, Cyr T, Nakano M, Sugiyama T, Leung PA, Link-Lenczowski P, Jaworek J, Yang SJ, Zhang H, Kelly T, Klapoetke S, Cao R, Kim JY, Lee HK, Lee J, Yoo JS, Kim SR, Suh SK, de Haan N, Falck D, Lageveen-Kammeijer GSM, Wuhrer M, Emery RJ, Kozak RP, Liew LP, Royle L, Urbanowicz PA, Packer N, Song X, Everest-Dass A, Lattová E, Cajic S, Alagesan K, Kolarich D, Kasali T, Lindo V, Chen Y, Goswami K, Gau B, Amunugama R, Jones R, Stroop CJM, Kato K, Yagi H, Kondo S, Yuen CT, Harazono A, Shi X, Magnelli P, Kasper BT, Mahal LK, Harvey DJ, O'Flaherty RM, Rudd P, Saldova R, Hecht ES, Muddiman DC, Kang J, Bhoskar P, Menard D, Saati A, Merle C, Mast S, Tep S, Truong J, Nishikaze T, Sekiya S, Shafer A, Funaoka S, Toyoda M, de Vreugd P, Caron C, Pradhan P, Tan NC, Mechref Y, Patil S, Rohrer JS, Chakrabarti R, Dadke D, Lahori M, Zou C, Cairo CW, Reiz B, Whittal RM, Lebrilla C, Wu LD, Guttman A, Szigeti M, Kremkow BG, Lee K, Sihlbom C, Adamczyk B, Jin C, Karlsson NG, Örnros J, Larson G, Nilsson J, Meyer B, Wiegandt A, Komatsu E, Perreault H, Bodnar ED, Said N, Francois YN, Leize-Wagner E, Maier S, Zeck A, Heck AJR, Yang Y, Haselberg R, Yu YQ, Alley W, Leone JW, Yuan H, Stein SE.

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PMID: 31591262 **Free Article**

NIST Interlaboratory Study



76 Participants, 103 Datasets

• Leoz L, Duewer D, Beck A & 100+ scientists. Mol Cell Proteomics 2020

Glyco-analytics: originators vs biosimilars (2019)



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| Biosimilars | EU | US |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| adalimumab | 8 | 3 |
| rituximab | 6 | 1 |
| trastuzumab | 5 | 4 |
| infliximab | 4 | 3 |
| etanercept | 2 | 1 |
| bevacizumab | 2 | 1 |
| Sum | 27 | 13 |

Glycosylation of biosimilars: Recent advances in analytical characterization and clinical implications

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Multiple biosimilar products have become available for single originator biologics.
- Limitations in biological assays for the comparison of glycosylation of biosimilars.
- Novel analytical techniques for glycan analysis in biosimilar development.
- Clinical implications of glycan heterogeneity among multiple infliximab biosimilars.

GRAPHICAL ABSTRACT

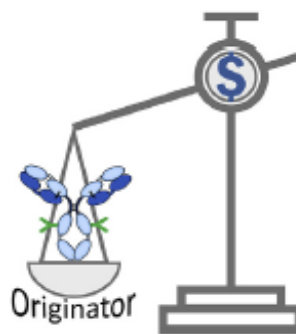


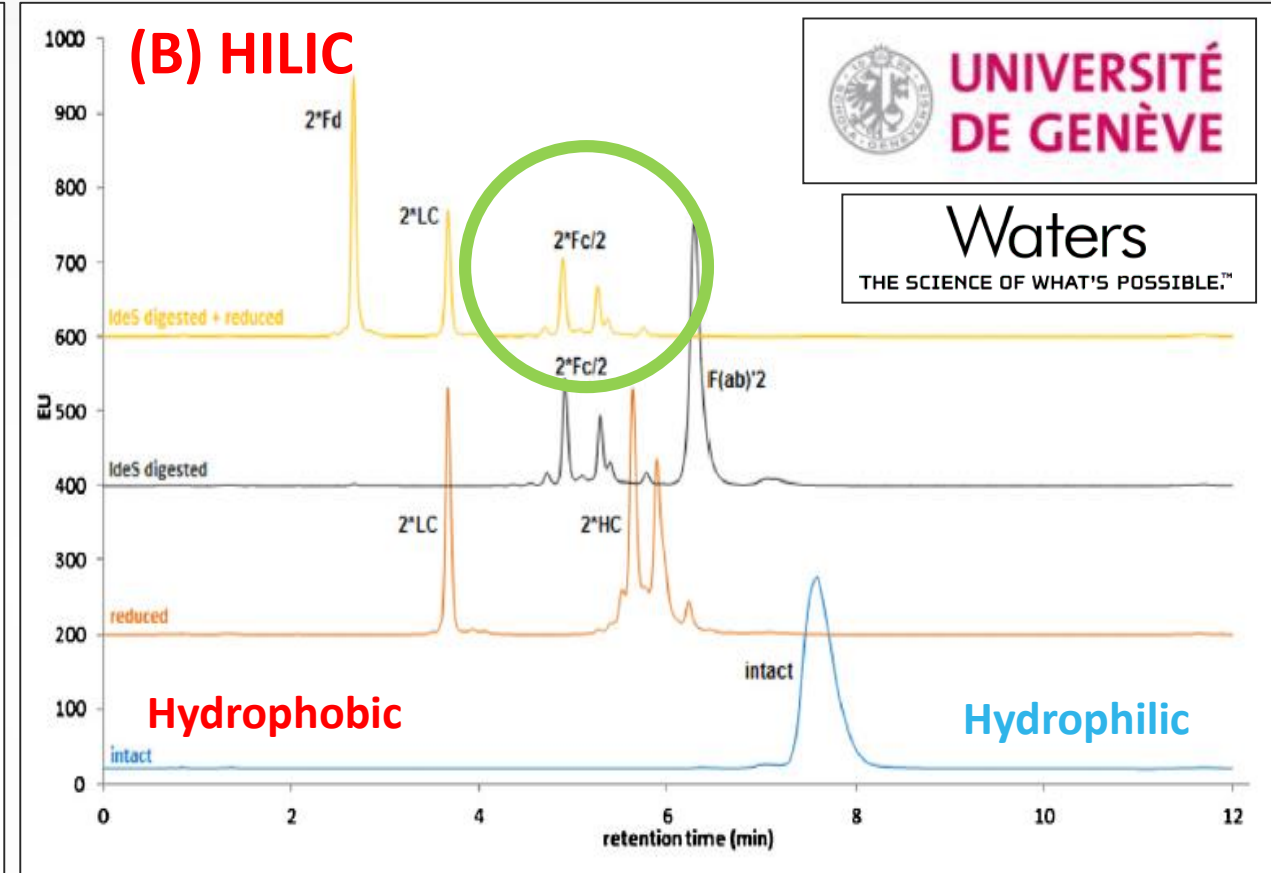
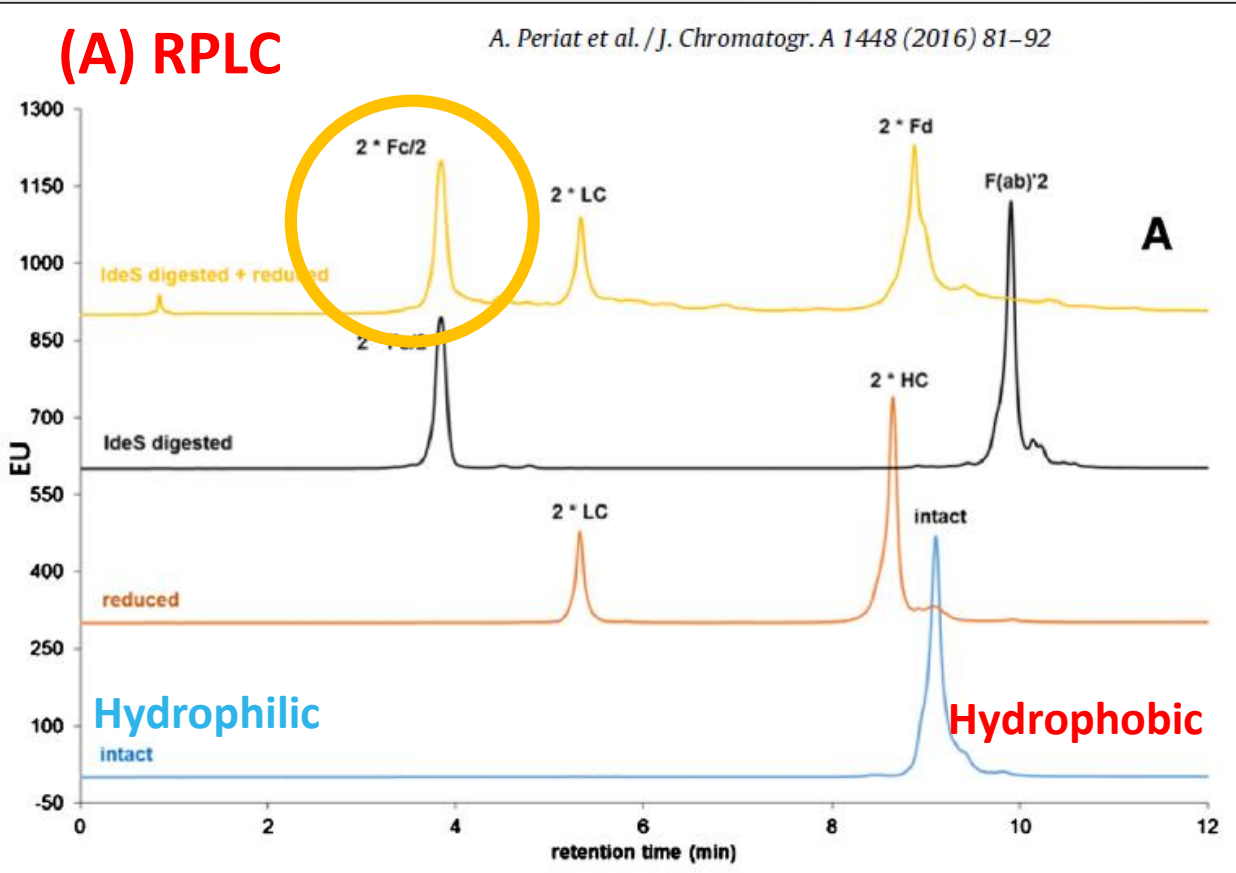
Table 3

Novel analytical strategies for glycan analysis in biosimilar mAb development

| Method | Level of analysis | Obtained information | Site-specific information | Multi-attribute monitoring (MAM) | Comments | Ref. |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|---|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--|---------------|
| HILIC-MS | Middle-up | Glycoform determination | No | Limited | Limited sample preparation allows the direct comparison of biosimilars. | [110,112] |
| 2D-LC-MS | Middle-up | Glycoform determination | No | Multiple CQAs | Increased resolving power from multidimensional approach. Complex data analysis and high technical requirements. | [119,120] |
| IM-MS | glycopeptide | Isobaric glycopeptide and glycoform differentiation | Yes | No | Increased throughput by analysis of glycans and peptides directly after PNGase F release | [124,127] |
| | Intact | Glycan heterogeneity | No | No | Direct comparison of biosimilars on glycan heterogeneity and HOS differences on intact level. Limited resolving power. | [131,132] |
| site-specific enzymatic digestion | Peptide | Limited glycoform determination | Yes- Quantitative | No | Only differentiation between high-mannose- or complex-type glycans possible. However, site-specific glycan occupancy information is available. | [141] |
| | glycopeptide | Glycoform determination | Yes | No | Allows qualitative site-specific glycan determination and total glycan occupancy levels. | [75] |
| MAM | glycopeptide | Glycoform determination | Yes | Multiple CQAs | Fully ICH-validated platforms available for MAM-monitoring. Essential for the implementation of QbD approaches | [144,146,176] |



IgGs (IdeS): RPLC vs HILIC (HydrophILIC interaction Chrom.)



=> Orthogonal methods

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Etanercept N & O-glycans: HILIC-MS, middle-up (2019)

Orthogonal Middle-up Approaches for Characterization of the Glycan Heterogeneity of Etanercept by Hydrophilic Interaction Chromatography Coupled to High-Resolution Mass Spectrometry

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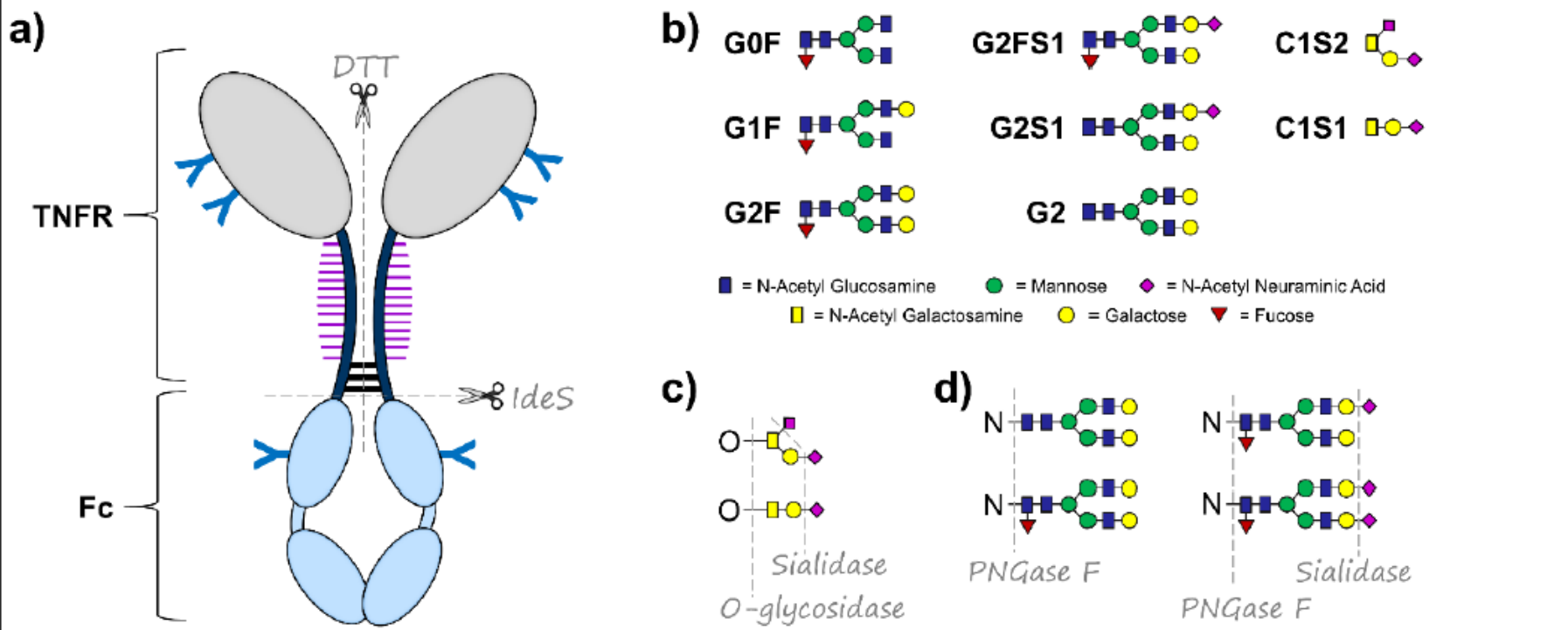
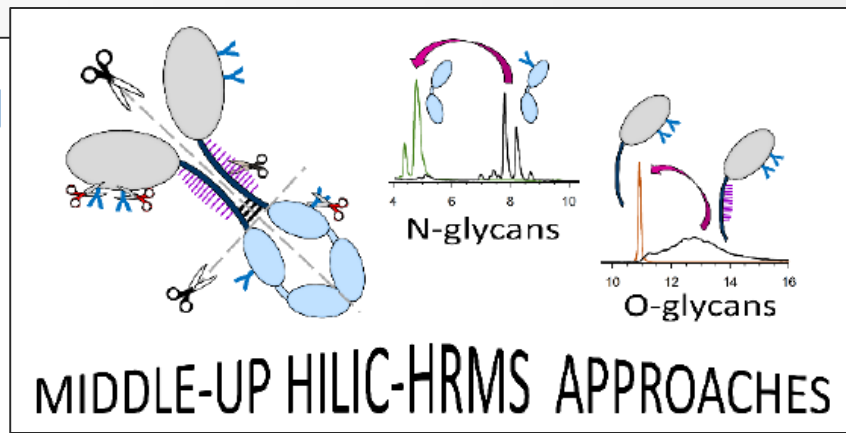
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ADCs (IdeS): HILIC-MS (glycans + payloads DLD)

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Short communication

Characterization of an antibody-drug conjugate by hydrophilic interaction chromatography coupled to mass spectrometry[☆]



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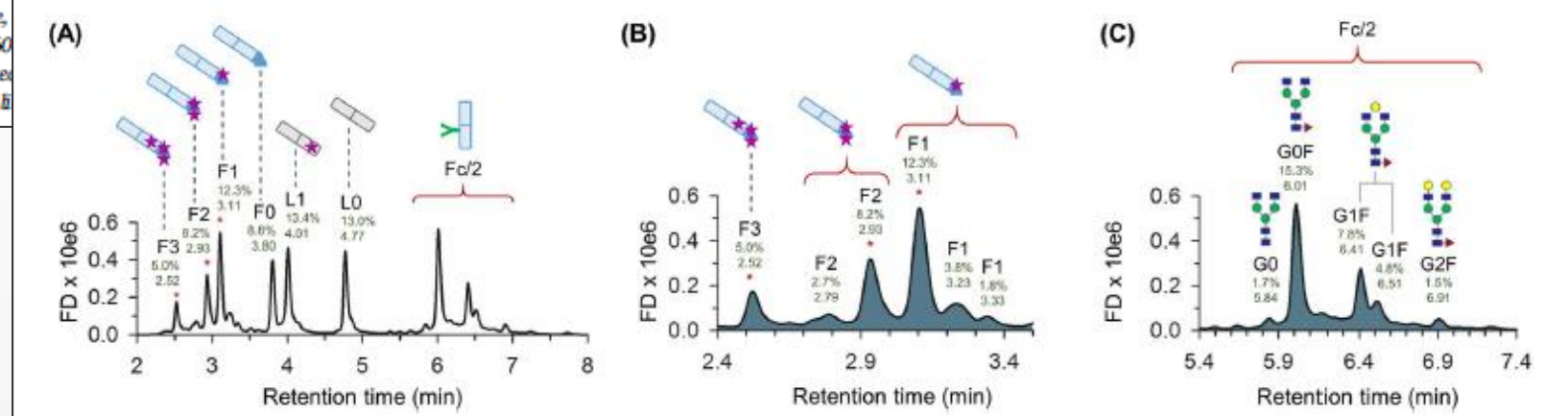
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⇒ **HILIC orthogonal to RP-HPLC**



Cutting-Edge Analytical methods for ADCs: HILIC-MS

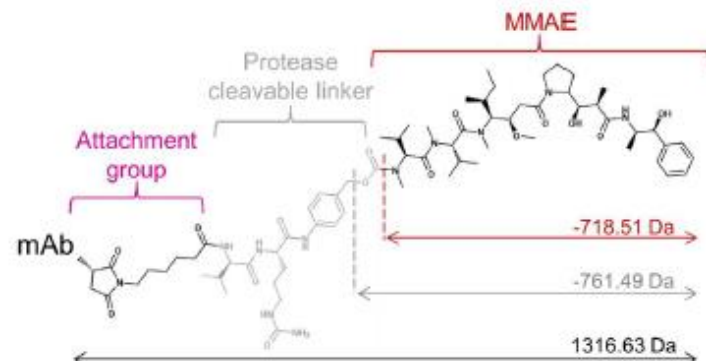
(A) Brentuximab vedotin light chain sequence

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 YPREAKVQWKVDNALQSGNSQESVTEQDSKDSTY
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 NRGE**C**

(B) Brentuximab vedotin heavy chain sequence

(pE)QIQLQQSGPEVVKPGASVKIS**C**KASGYTFTDYY
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 VFS**C**SVMHEALHNHYTQKLSLS**P**SG**K**

(C) Brentuximab vedotin drug payload



(D) HILIC-MS middle-up analysis of brentuximab vedotin. Subunit retention times and mass assignments. The following nomenclature has been used for the glycan assignments: H = hexose (mannose/galactose); N = N-acetyl glucosamine; F = fucose. Q/pE stands for pyroglutamic acid formation.

| tr (min) | Assignment | Trivial assignment | Theoretical mass (Da) | Experimental mass (Da) | Δm (Da) |
|----------|---------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------|
| 2.52 | Fd' (Q/pE) + 3drugs | F3 | 29088.22 | 29088.56 | 0.3 |
| | Fd' (Q/pE) + 3drugs - MMAE | F3-MMAE | 28326.73 | 28327.05 | 0.3 |
| 2.79 | Fd' (Q/pE) + 2drugs | F2 | 27771.60 | 27772.16 | 0.6 |
| 2.93 | Fd' (Q/pE) + 2drugs | F2 | 27771.60 | 27771.48 | 0.1 |
| | Fd' (Q/pE) + 2drugs - MMAE | F2-MMAE | 27010.11 | 27009.29 | 0.8 |
| 3.11 | Fd' (Q/pE) + 1 drug | F1 | 26454.97 | 26454.76 | 0.2 |
| 3.23 | Fd' + 1 drug | F1 | 26472.00 | 26472.00 | 0.0 |
| 3.33 | Fd' (Q/pE) + 1 drug + intra S-H | F1 | 26459.00 | 26459.33 | 0.2 |
| 3.80 | Fd' (Q/pE) | F0 | 25138.35 | 25138.06 | 0.3 |
| 4.01 | LC + 1 drug | L1 | 25040.86 | 25040.47 | 0.4 |
| | LC + 1 drug - MMAE | L1-MMAE | 24279.37 | 24278.70 | 0.7 |
| 4.77 | LC | L0 | 23724.23 | 23723.74 | 0.5 |
| 5.84 | Fc/2 + H3N4 | Fc/2 + G0 | 25054.07 | 25053.15 | 0.9 |
| 6.01 | Fc/2 + H3N4F1 | Fc/2 + G0F | 25200.22 | 25199.62 | 0.6 |
| 6.41 | Fc/2 + H4N4F1 | Fc/2 + G1Fa | 25362.36 | 25361.69 | 0.7 |
| 6.51 | Fc/2 + H4N4F1 | Fc/2 + G1Fb | 25362.36 | 25361.75 | 0.6 |
| 6.91 | Fc/2 + H5N4F1 | Fc/2 + G2F | 25524.50 | 25524.04 | 0.5 |

GlyGLICK ADCs (Genovis): HILIC-MS (Anal Chem 2020)

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Glycan-mediated technology for obtaining homogeneous site-specific conjugated antibody-drug conjugates: synthesis and analytical characterization by using complementary middle-up LC/HRMS analysis

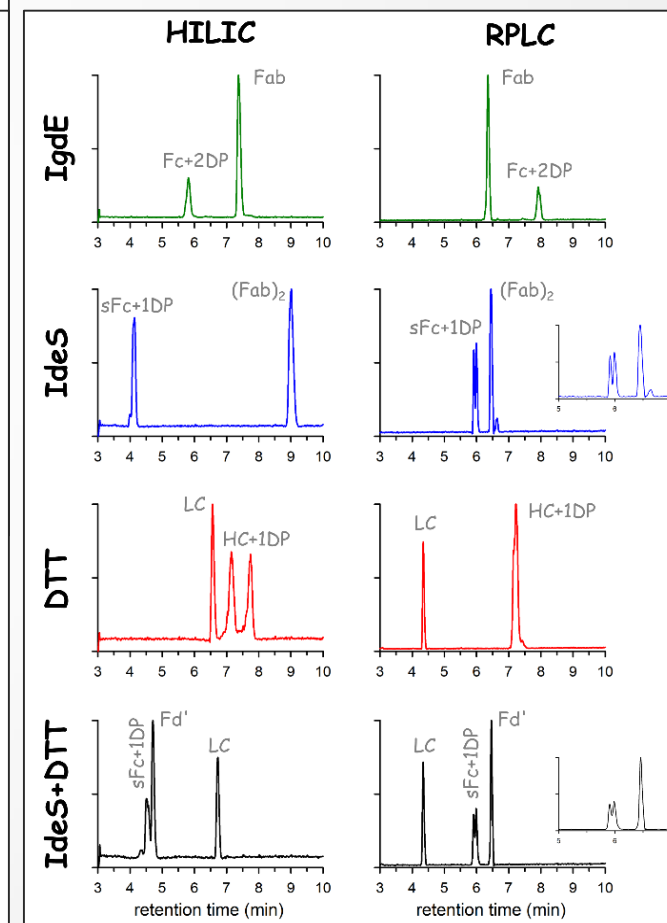
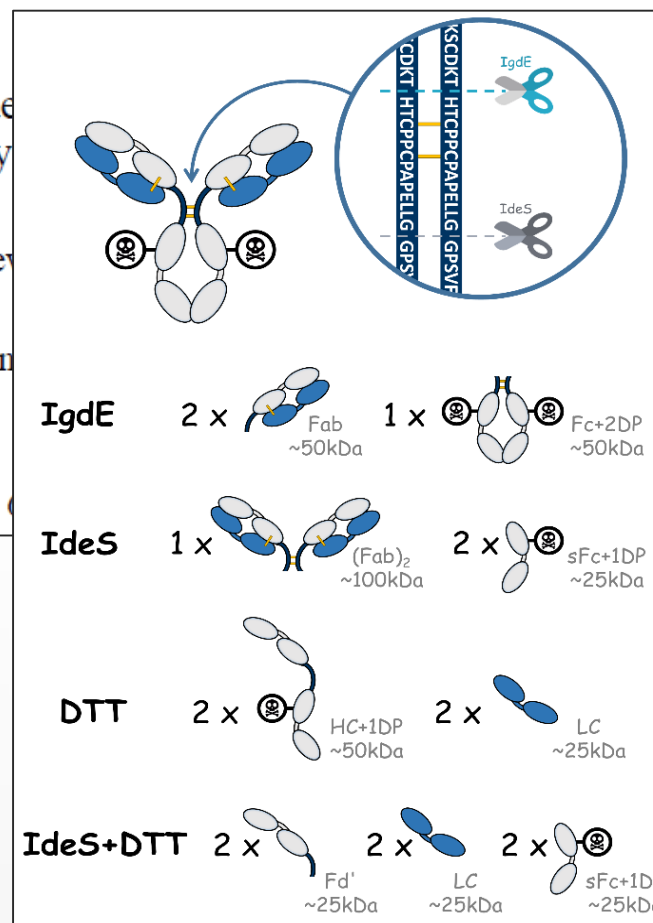
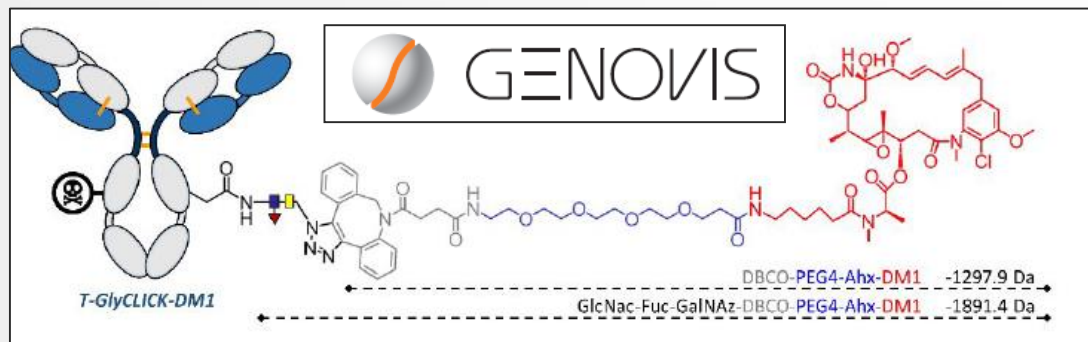
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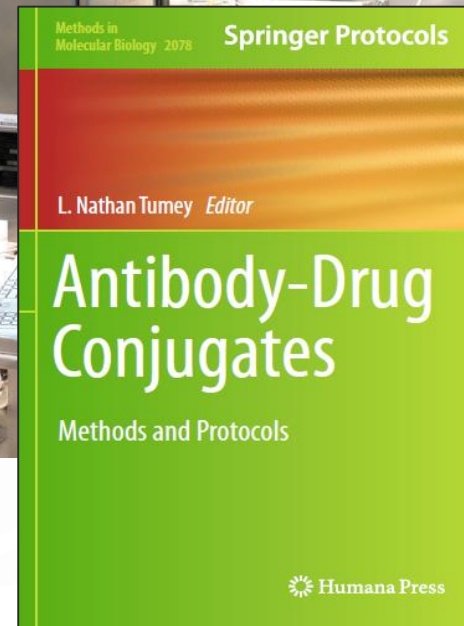
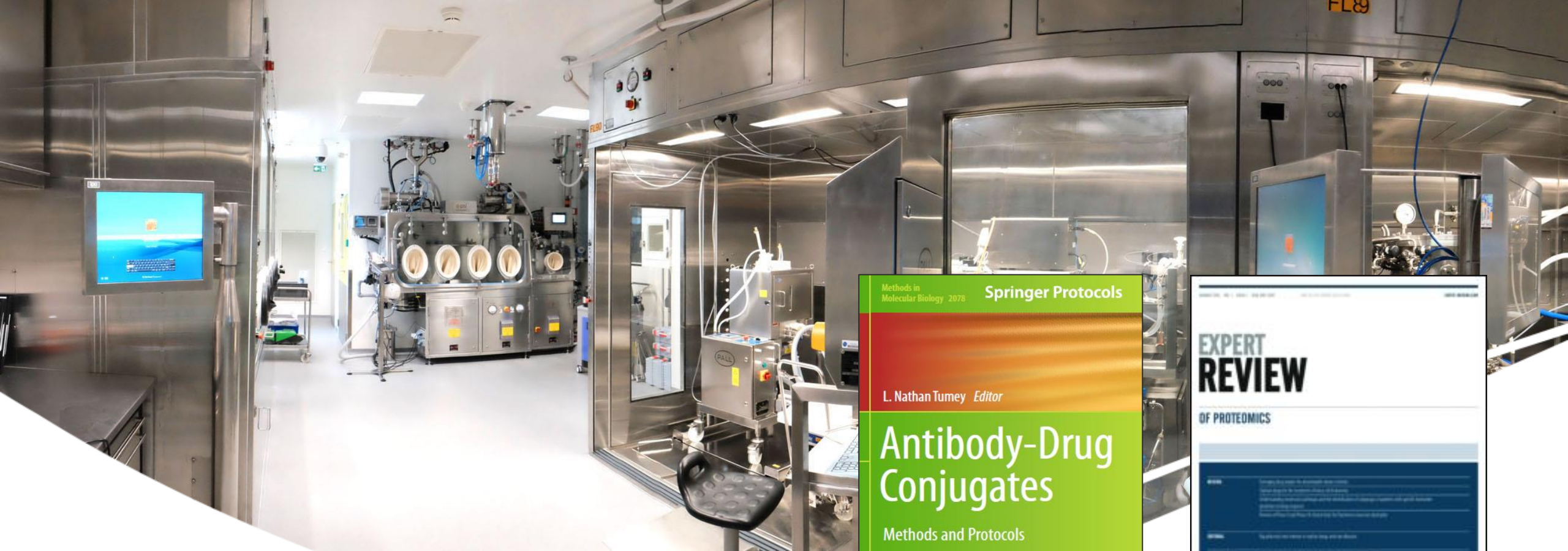
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(5) Take home messages:
networking, open research, white papers

Cutting-edge analytical & structural network: antibody-based drugs (2005-20: +200 papers*, +160 talks)**



* IF50, +10,700 citations

** Open research & innovation

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REPORT



International standards for monoclonal antibodies to support pre- and post-marketing product consistency: Evaluation of a candidate international standard for the bioactivities of rituximab

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- SEC
- cIEF
- CE-SDS
- CZE

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- European National Competent Authorities (eg ANSM, PEI...)
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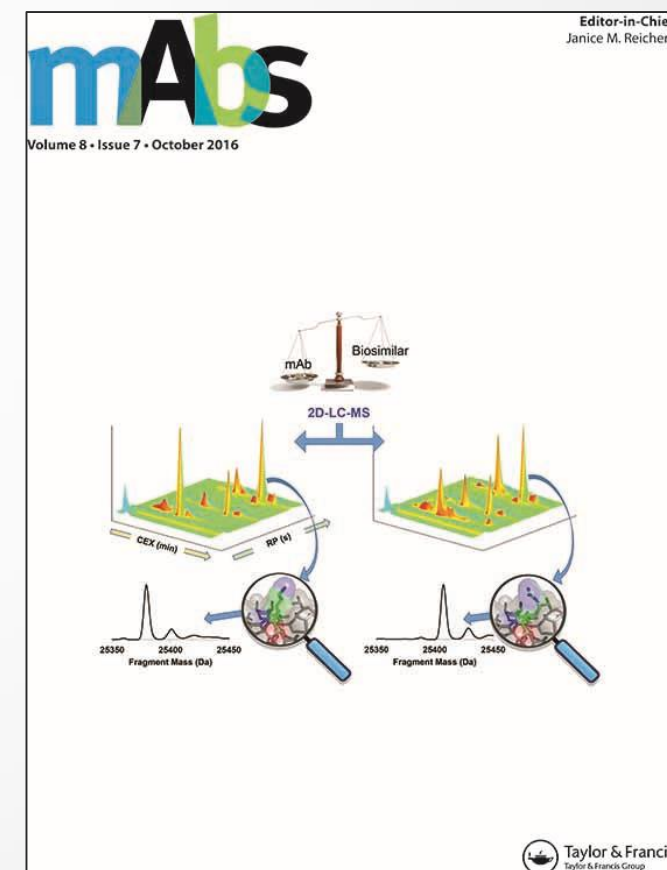
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Analytical comparability study of recombinant monoclonal antibody therapeutics

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ABSTRACT

Process changes are inevitable in the life cycle of recombinant monoclonal antibody therapeutics. Products made using pre- and post-change processes are required to be comparable as demonstrated by comparability studies to qualify for continuous development and commercial supply. Establishment of comparability is a systematic process of gathering and evaluating data based on scientific understanding and clinical experience of the relationship between product quality attributes and their impact on safety and efficacy. This review summarizes the current understanding of various modifications of recombinant monoclonal antibodies. It further outlines the critical steps in designing and executing successful comparability studies to support process changes at different stages of a product's lifecycle.



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Macro- and Micro-Heterogeneity of Natural and Recombinant IgG Antibodies

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Abstract: Recombinant antibodies should be thoroughly characterized to ensure that their structures are highly representative of the natural structures. Small structural differences in size, charge or stability, pharmacokinetics as found in endogenous antibodies. The knowledge of the drug and of the current use of recombinant mAbs is essential.

Keywords: critical quality attributes; product profile

Table 1. Micro-heterogeneity natural IgGs and recombinant mAbs.

| Modifications | Natural | Recombinant | Resulting Heterogeneity |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| N-terminal modifications | | | |
| PyroGlu | 100% pyroGlu | Varied levels | Mass, charge for Gln to pyroGlu |
| Truncation | Not expected | Rare and low | Mass |
| Signal peptides | Not expected | Low | Mass and charge |
| Asn deamidation | Substantial level | Common, varied levels | Mass and charge |
| Asp isomerization | Not expected | Common, varied levels | Charge and hydrophobicity |
| Succinimide | Not expected | Common, varied levels | Mass, charge, and hydrophobicity |
| Oxidation | Low | Met, Trp, Cys, His | Mass and hydrophobicity |
| Cysteine related modifications | | | |
| Free cysteine | Low | Low | Mass, charge and hydrophobicity |
| Alternative disulfide bond linkage | Common | Common | Charge |
| Trisulfide bond | Extremely low | Low | Mass and charge |
| Thioether | Low | Low | Mass |
| Glycosylation | Common | Common | Mass and charge |
| Glycation | Common | Common | Mass and charge |
| C-terminal modifications | | | |
| C-terminal Lys | Complete removal | Common, varied levels | Mass, charge and hydrophobicity |
| C-terminal modifications | Not detected | Low varied levels | Mass and charge |

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Cutting-edge mass spectrometry characterization of antibody-drug conjugates

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Drug-Linker intermediate
(Intermediate, 0.3-1.5 kDa)

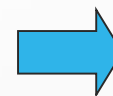
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(Intermediate, 150 kDa)



ADC-DS

(API, 156 kDa, avDAR4)

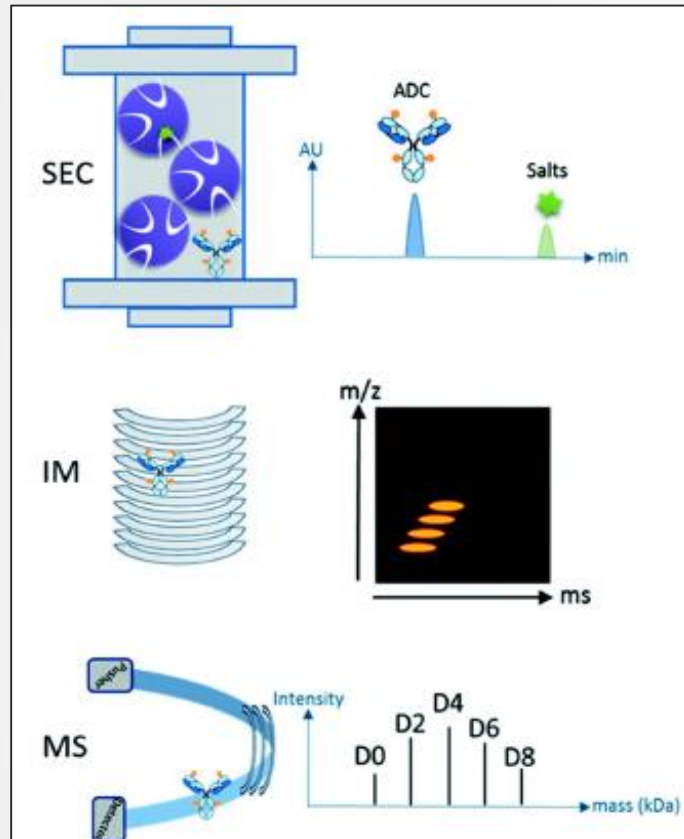


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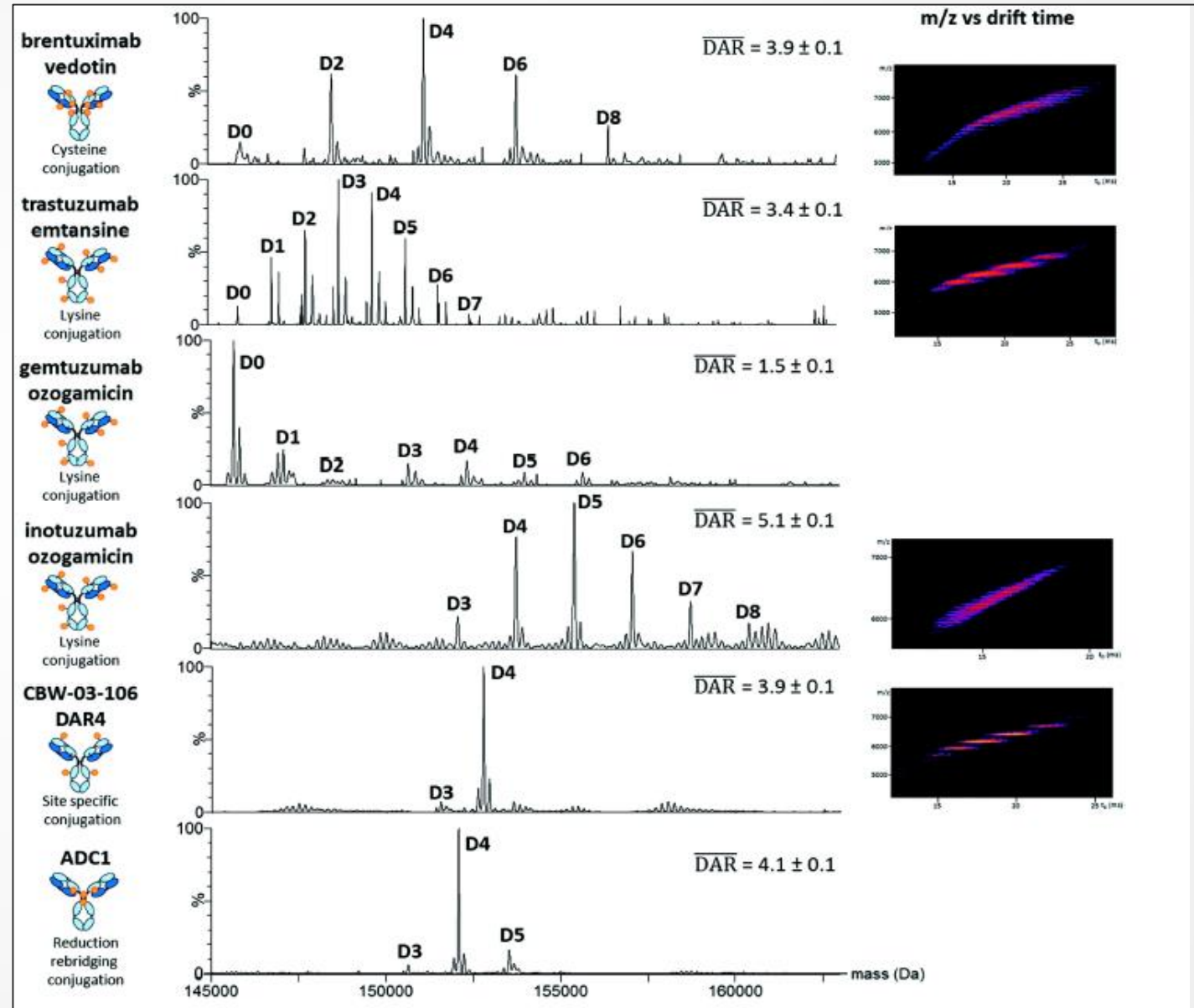
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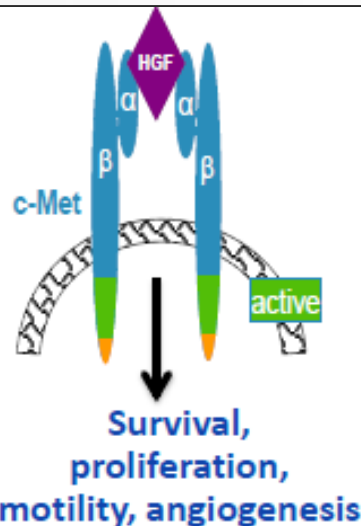
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Anti-c-Met monoclonal antibody ABT-700 breaks oncogene addiction in tumors with *MET* amplification



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ABBV-399, a c-Met Antibody-Drug Conjugate that Targets Both *MET*-Amplified and c-Met-Overexpressing Tumors, Irradiation-Induced *MET* Pathway Dependence

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First-in-Human Phase I, Dose-Escalation and -Expansion Study of Telisotuzumab Vedotin, an Antibody-Drug Conjugate Targeting c-Met, in Patients With Advanced Solid Tumors

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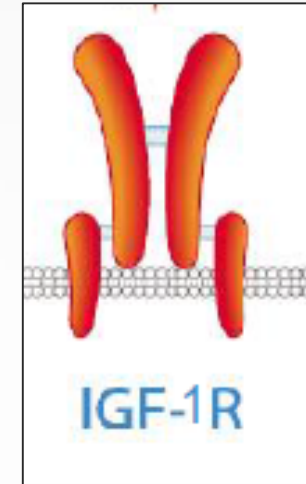


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Efficacy of the Antibody-Drug Conjugate W0101 in Preclinical Models of IGF-1 Receptor Overexpressing Solid Tumors



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ABSTRACT

The insulin-like growth factor type 1 receptor (IGF-1R) is important in tumorigenesis, and its overexpression occurs in numerous tumor tissues. To date, therapeutic approaches based on mAbs and tyrosine kinase inhibitors targeting IGF-1R have only shown clinical benefit in specific patient populations. We report a unique IGF-1R-targeted antibody-drug conjugate (ADC), W0101, designed to deliver a highly potent cytotoxic auristatin derivative selectively to IGF-1R overexpressing tumor cells. The mAb (hz208F2-4) used to prepare the ADC was selected for its specific binding properties to IGF-1R compared with the insulin receptor, and for its internalization properties. Conjugation of a novel auristatin derivative drug linker to hz208F2-4 did not alter its binding and internalization proper-

ties. W0101 induced receptor-dependent cell cytotoxicity *in vitro* when applied to various cell lines overexpressing IGF-1R, but it did not affect normal cells. Efficacy studies were conducted in several mouse models expressing different levels of IGF-1R to determine the sensitivity of the tumors to W0101. W0101 induced potent tumor regression in certain mouse models. Interestingly, the potency of W0101 correlated with the expression level of IGF-1R evaluated by IHC. In an MCF-7 breast cancer model with high-level IGF-1R expression, a single injection of W0101 3 mg/kg led to strong inhibition of tumor growth. W0101 provides a potential new therapeutic option for patients overexpressing IGF-1R. A first-in-human trial of W0101 is currently ongoing to address clinical safety.



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Review

Antibody–Drug Conjugates: The Last Decade

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Abstract: An armed antibody (antibody–drug conjugate or ADC) is a vectorized chemotherapy which results from the grafting of a cytotoxic agent onto a monoclonal antibody via a judiciously constructed spacer arm. ADCs have made considerable progress in 10 years. While in 2009 gemtuzumab ozogamicin (Mylotarg[®]) was used clinically, in 2020, 8 Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-approved ADCs are available, and more than 80 others are in active clinical studies. This review will focus on FDA-approved and late-stage ADCs, their limitations including their toxicity and associated resistance mechanisms, as well as new emerging strategies to address these issues

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Table 1. Antibody–drug conjugates (ADCs) approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), in advanced clinical trials (Phase III or pivotal phase II) or recently stopped.

| Company | ADC (Cytotoxic) | Isotype and Target | Indication/Approval Date (Trade Name)/Clinical Status |
|------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Pfizer | gemtuzumab ozogamicin (CAL) | IgG4 CD33 | 2000–2010/2017 AML (Mylotarg [®]) |
| Seattle Genetics | brentuximab vedotin (AUR) | IgG1 CD30 | 2011 ALCL and Hodgkin lymphoma (Adcetris [®]) |
| Roche | trastuzumab emtansine (MAY) | IgG1 HER2+ | 2013 metastatic HER2+++ breast cancer (Kadcyla [®]) ** |
| Pfizer | inotuzumab ozogamicin (CAL) | IgG4 CD22 | 2017 ALL and CLL (Besponsa [®]) |
| Roche | polatuzumab vedotin (AUR) | IgG1 CD79b | 2019 DLBCL (Polivy [®]) |
| Seattle Genetics | enfortumab vedotin (AUR) | IgG1 Nectin 4 | 2019 urothelial cancer (Padcev [®]) ** |
| Daiichi Sankyo | trastuzumab deruxtecan (EXA) | IgG1 HER2+ | 2019 metastatic HER2+++ breast cancer (Enhertu [®]) ** |
| Immunomedics | sacituzumab govitecan (IRI) | IgG1 TROP-2 | 2020, metastatic TNBC (Trodelvy [®]) ** |
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