Structural mass spectrometry for the analysis of complex biological samples: ion mobility-mass spectrometry for broad-scale systems and synthetic biology

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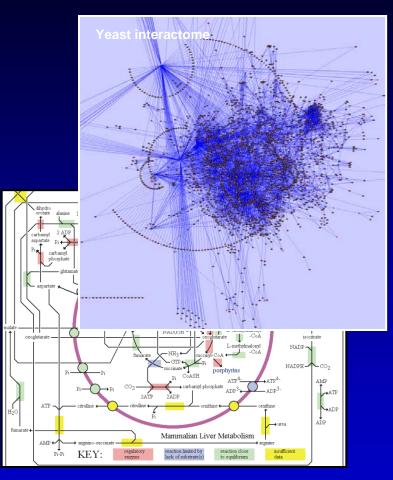


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Integrating omics for systems biology

Characterizing, quantifying, and cataloging the biomolecular inventory of a sample at specific dimensions of:

- (i) Space (e.g. cellular, tissue, or organism level)
- (ii) Time (*e.g.* point in the life cycle, healthy vs. diseased state).



One of the grand challenges in Systems Biology is the development of new technologies for characterizing the dynamic temporal change of the biomolecular inventory...

> Paraphrasing Leroy Hood Pittcon Heritage Award Address 2008

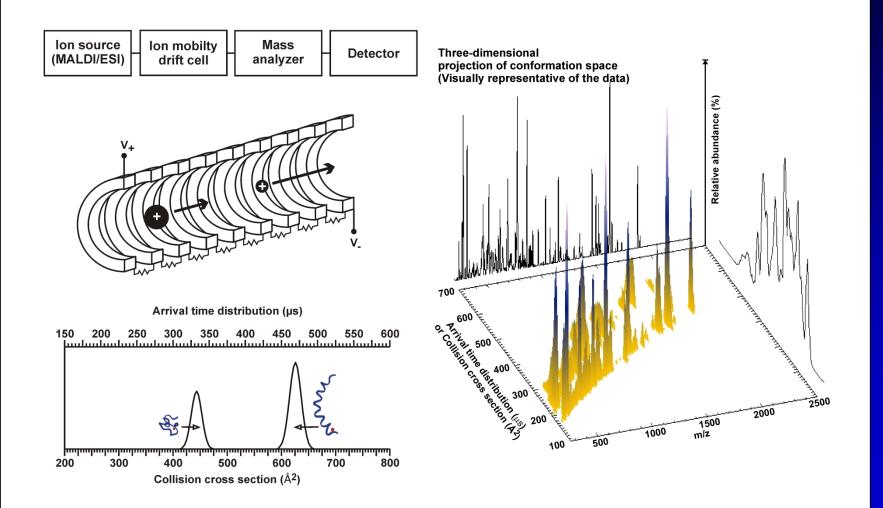
Suarez Miranda, Viajes de varones prudentes, Libro IV, Cap. XLV, Lerida, 1658:

"... In that Empire, the Art of Cartography attained such Perfection that the map of a single Province occupied the entirety of a City, and the map of the Empire, the entirety of a Province. In time, those Unconscionable Maps no longer satisfied, and *the Cartographers Guilds struck a Map of the Empire whose size was that of the Empire, and which coincided point for point with it.* The following Generations, who were not so fond of the Study of Cartography as their Forebears had been, saw that that vast Map was Useless, and not without some Pitilessness was it, that they delivered it up to the Inclemencies of Sun and Winters. In the Deserts of the West, still today, there are Tattered Ruins of that Map, inhabited by Animals and Beggars; in all the Land there is no other Relic of the Disciplines of Geography."

(From Jorge Luis Borges, Collected Fictions translated by Andrew Hurley

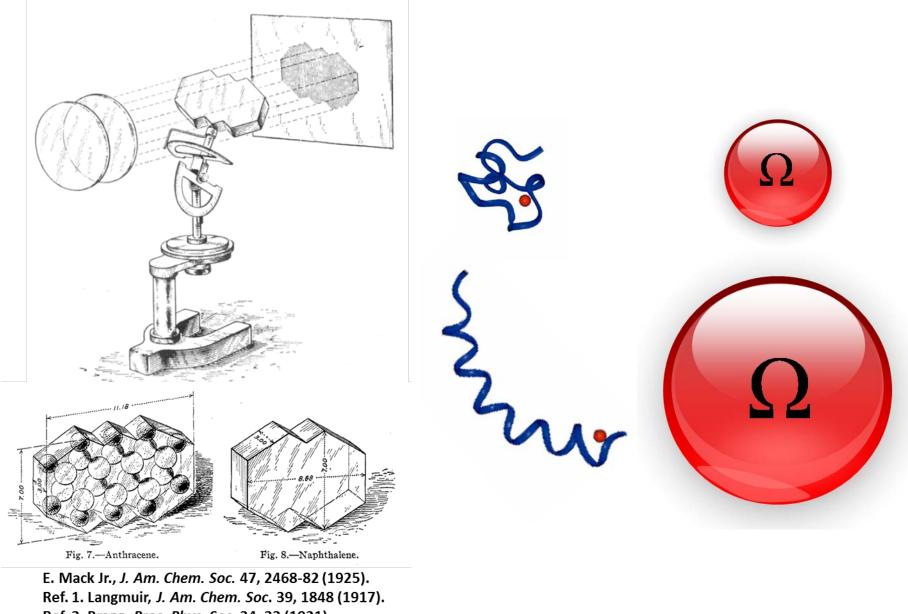
On the dimensions of dynamics in omics... A broad timescale ranging from genomics to metabolomics

On the dimensions of ion mobility-mass spectrometry...



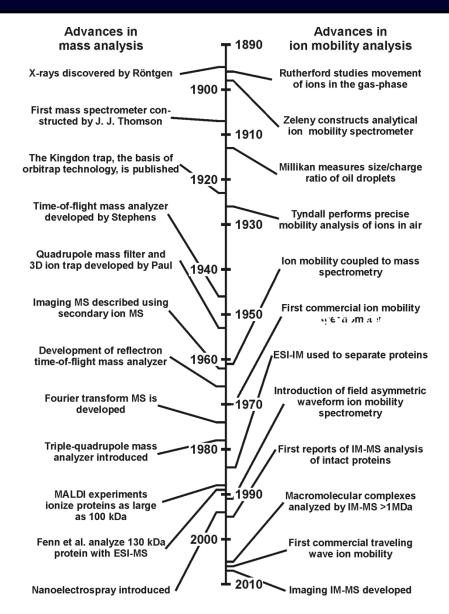
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Molecular structure determines collision cross section



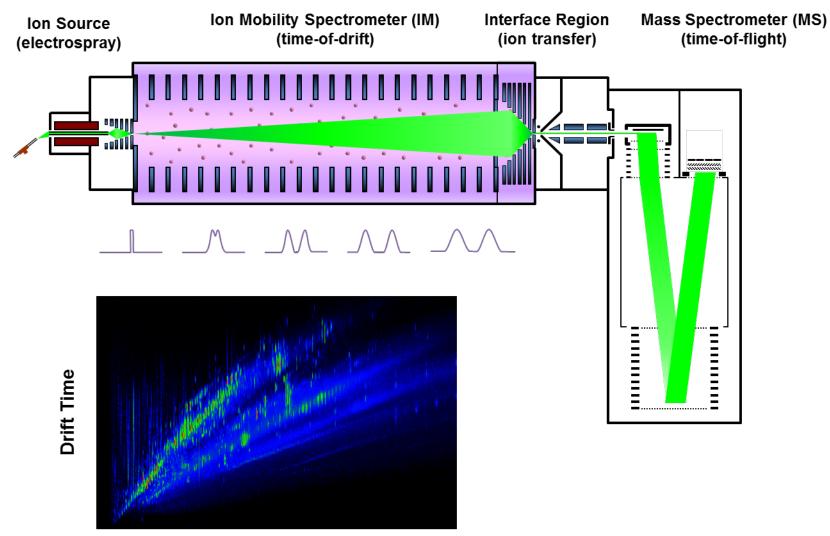
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Evolution of ion mobility with mass spectrometry



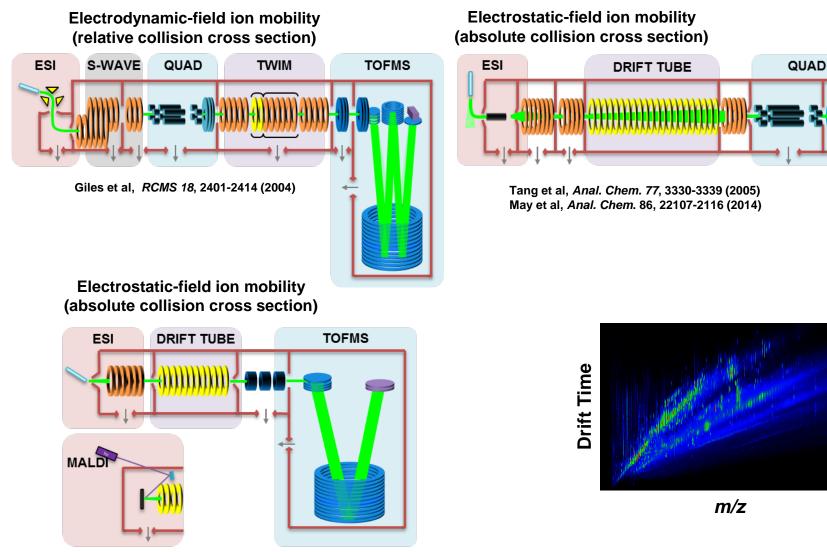
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Time-dispersive ion mobility-mass spectrometry Charge-to-size and mass-to-charge separations



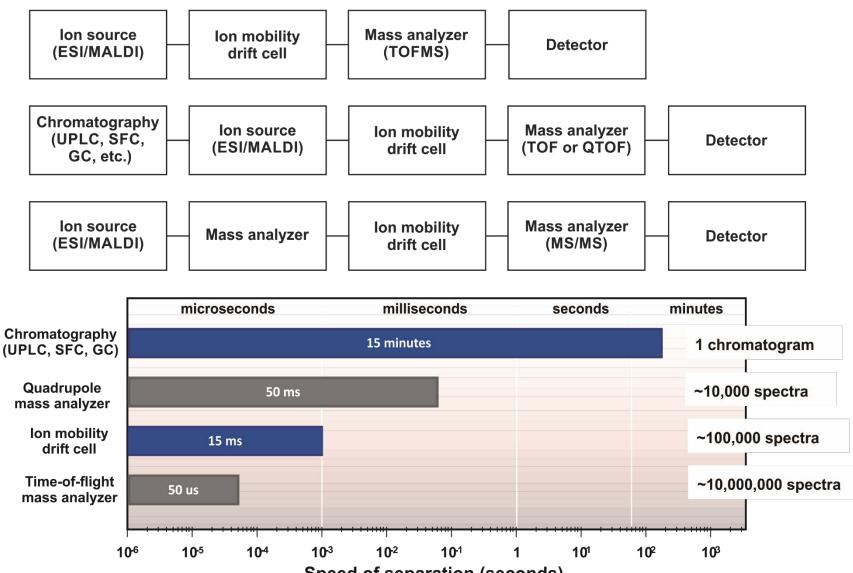
Three major types of time-dispersive ion mobility-mass spectrometry instrumentation

TOFMS



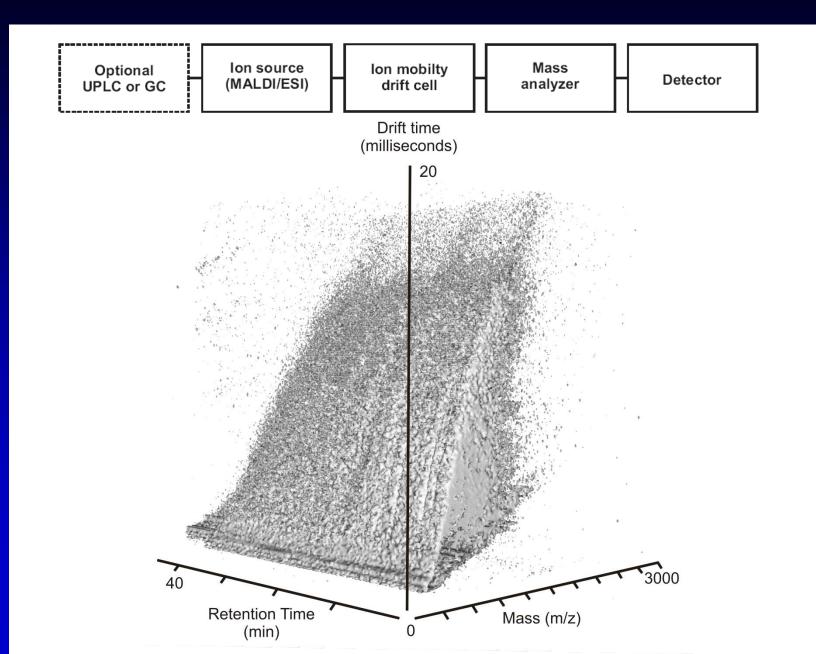
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Nesting of analytical timescales and data scaling



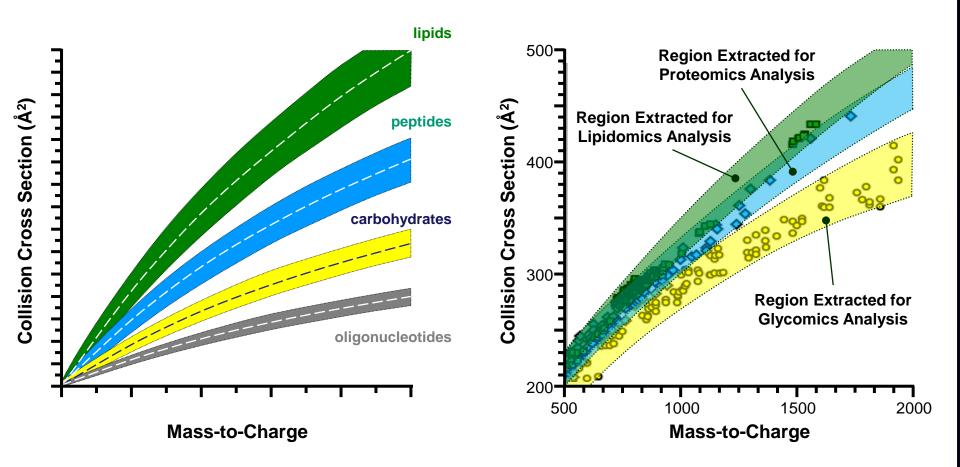
Speed of separation (seconds)

UPLC-IM-MS analysis of serum



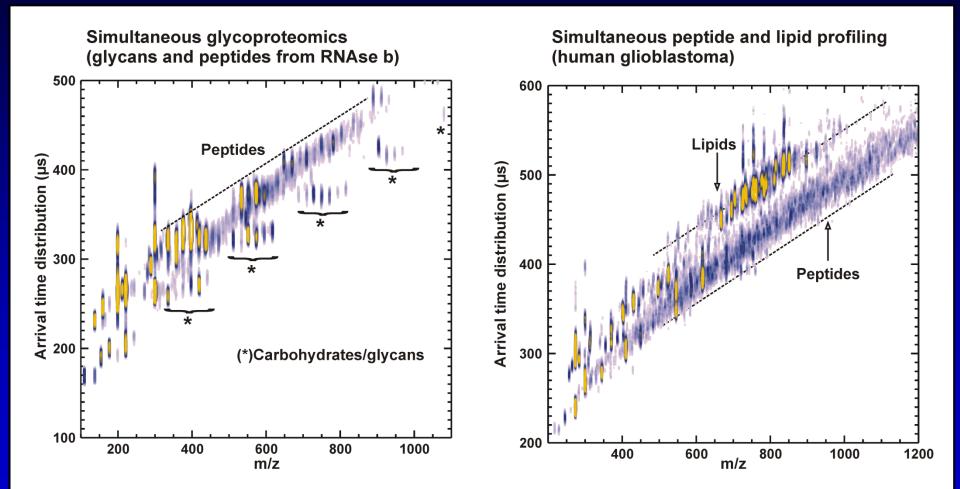
Biomolecular class separations

(Structural selectivity from prevailing structural characteristics of density)

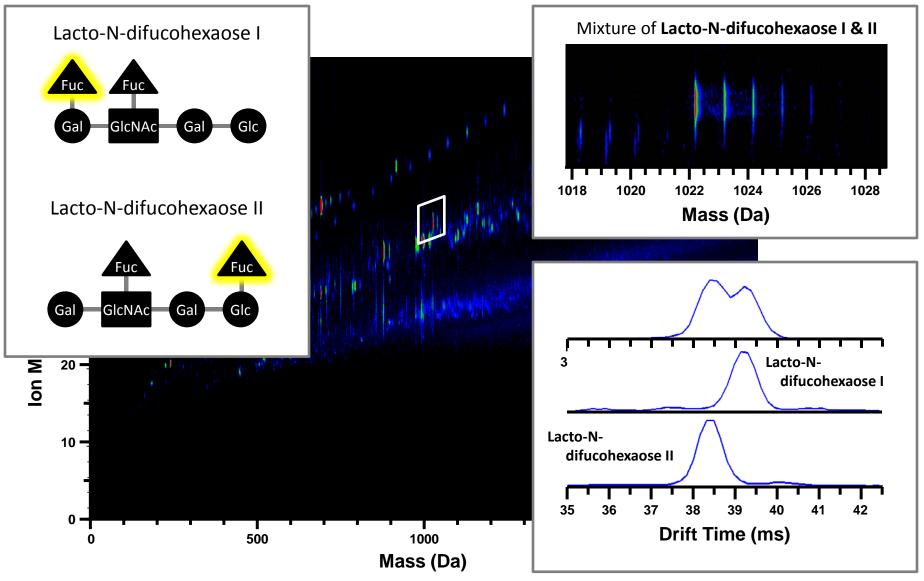


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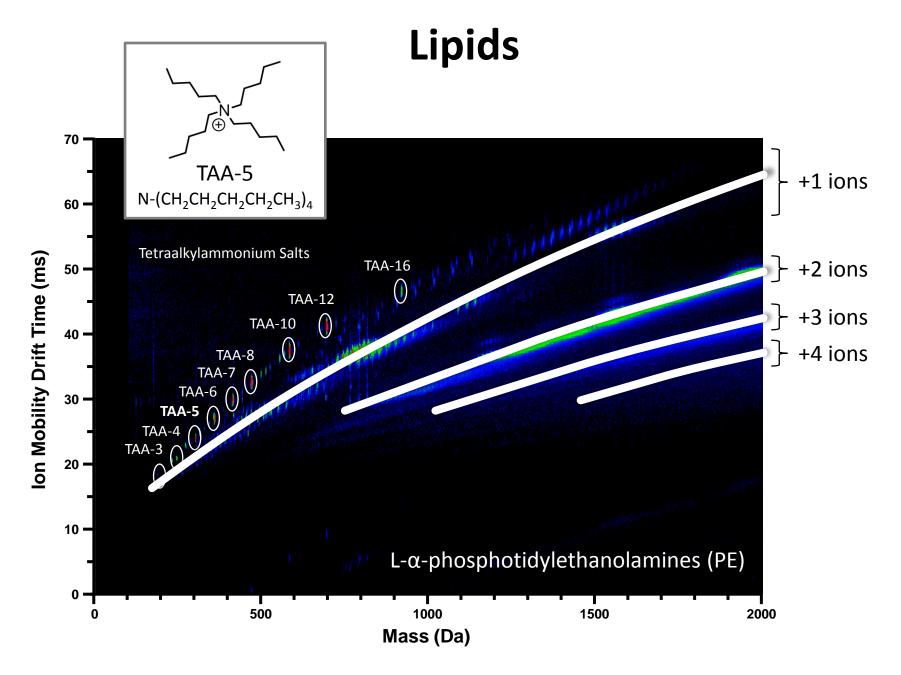
Integrated omics



Carbohydrates

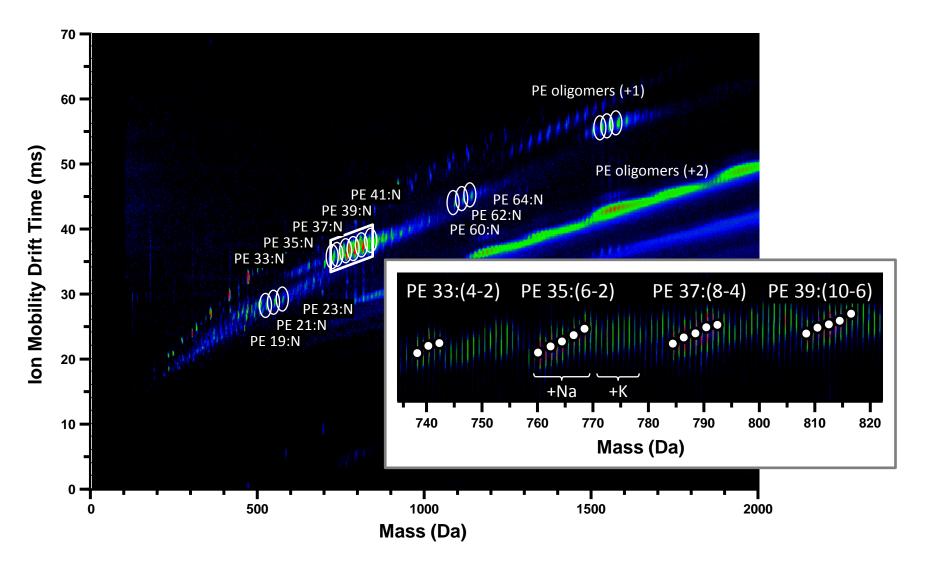


2D spectra is of a mixture of 14 carbohydrate standards. A mixture of TAA salts was added as internal IM and MS calibrants. Annotated are the sodiated (+Na) ions only.



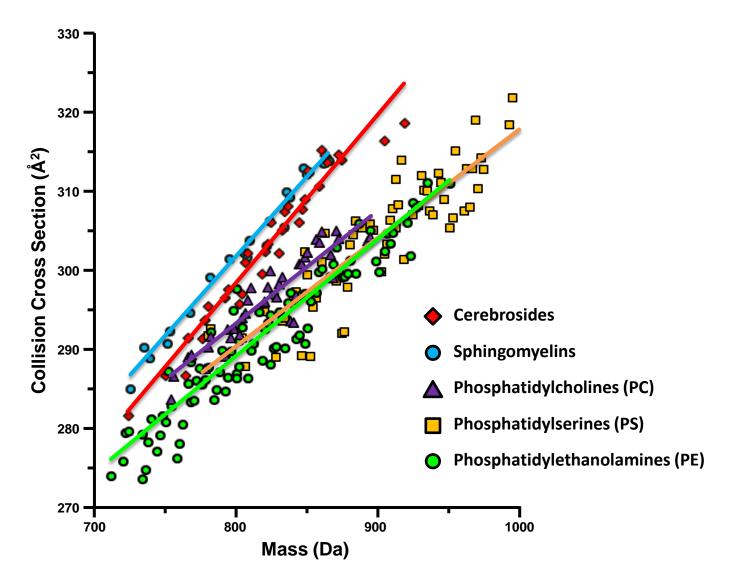
Distribution of PE lipids derived from chicken egg. An equimolar mixture of TAA salts was spiked in as an internal IM and MS calibrant. Structure shown is the tetrapentylammonium cation (TAA-5).

Lipids



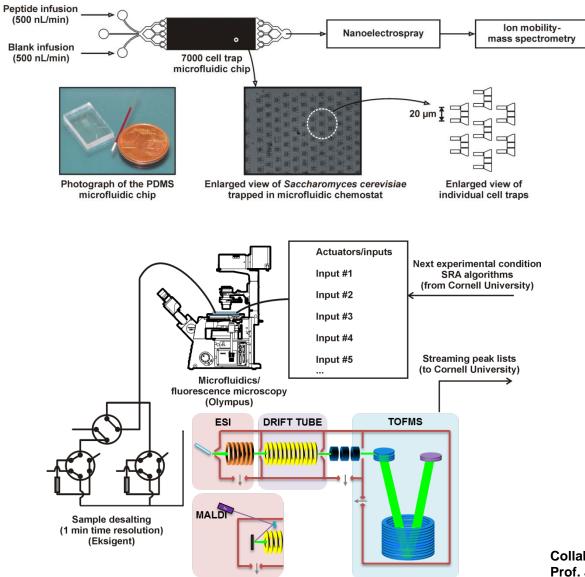
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Conformational Space Mapping in High Resolution Sub-Class Trends in Lipid Data



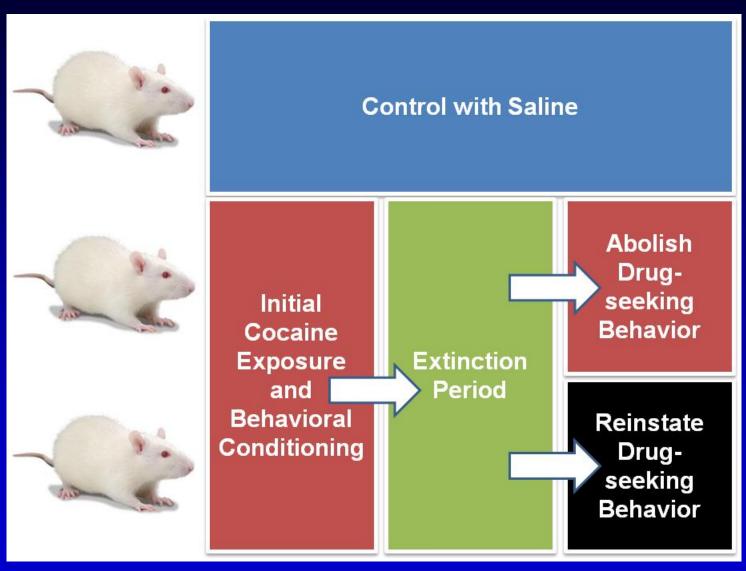
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Dynamic systems biology Automated robot scientist version 2.0



Collaboration with Prof. John Wikswo (VU) and Prof. Hod Lipson (Cornell)

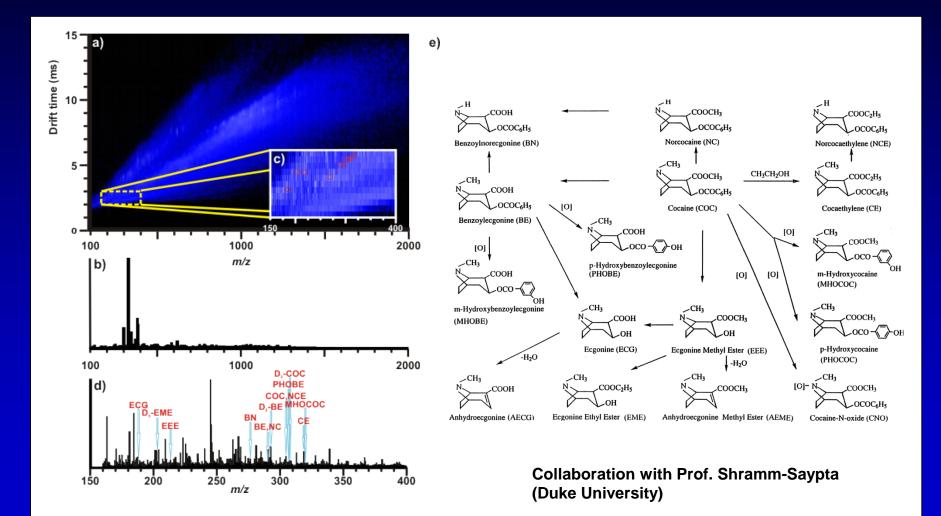
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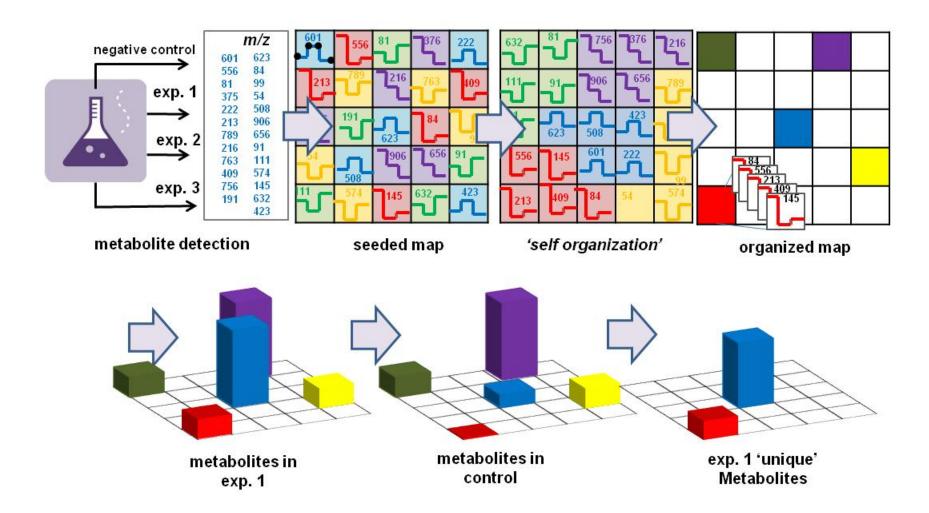
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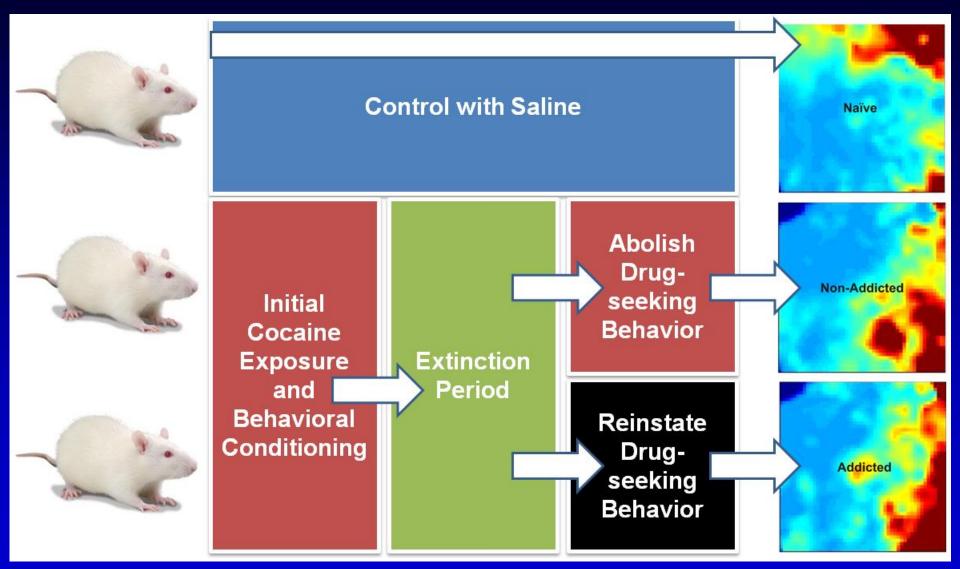
Cocaine metabolism in rat serum



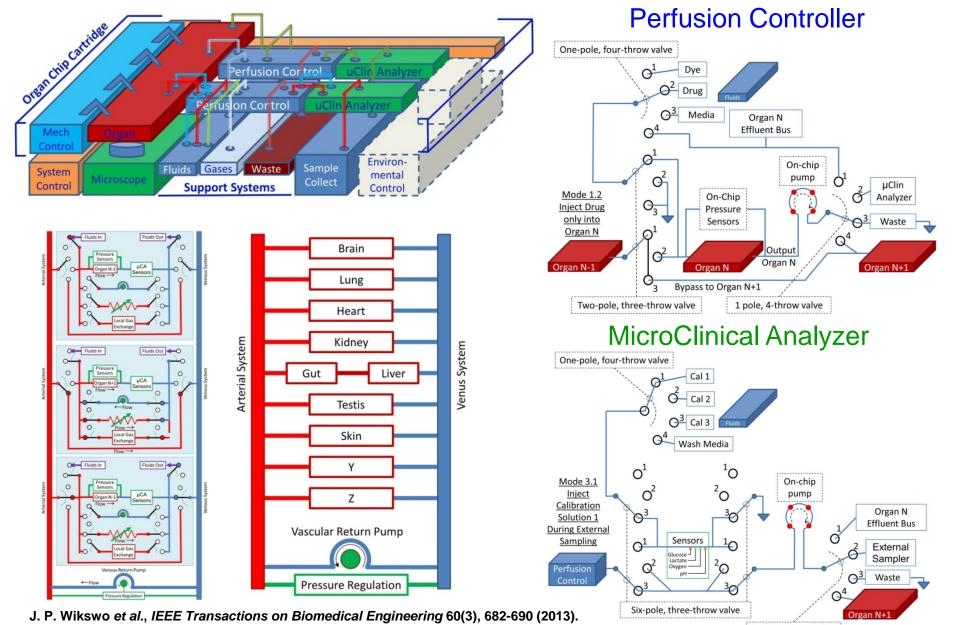
Metabolomic dynamics inspector (MEDI) self-organizing feature maps for target prioritization



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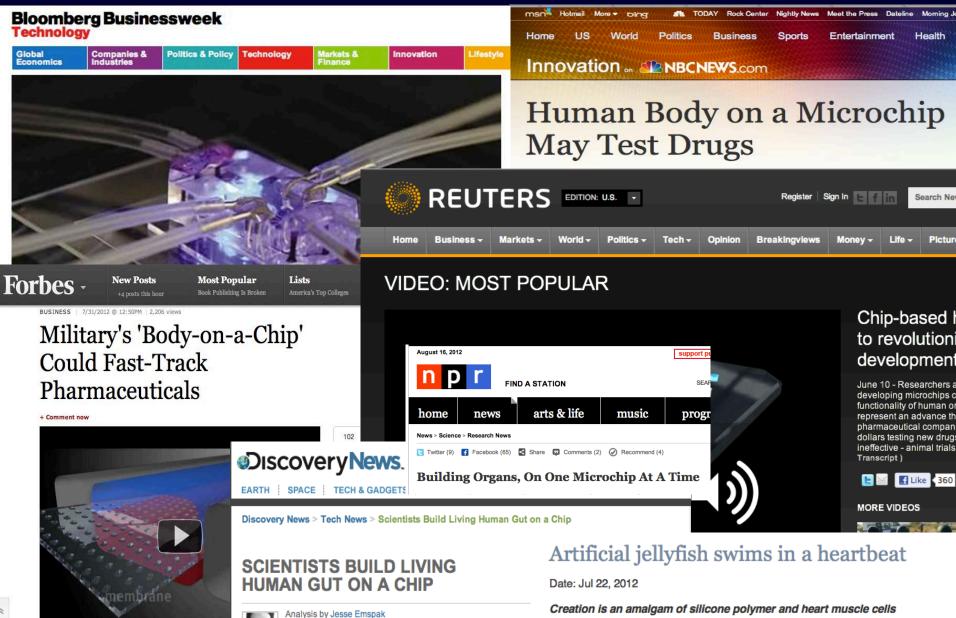


Generalized scheme of the µHuman



¹ pole, 4-throw valve

The µHuman and mHuman in the press...

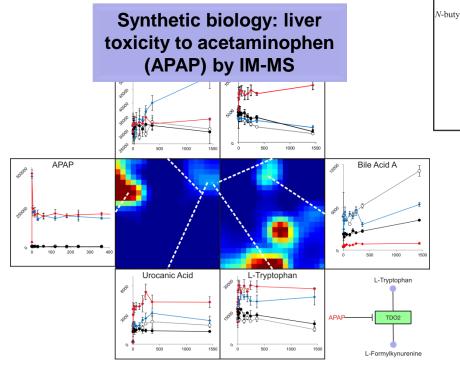


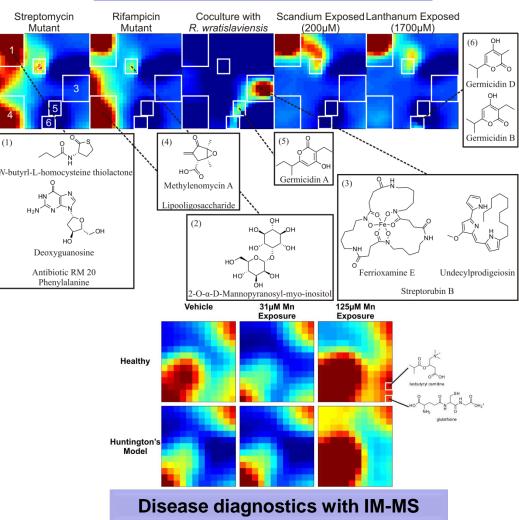
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Integrating biology: Translating data to information (Self-organizing maps for untargeted analyses to target identification)

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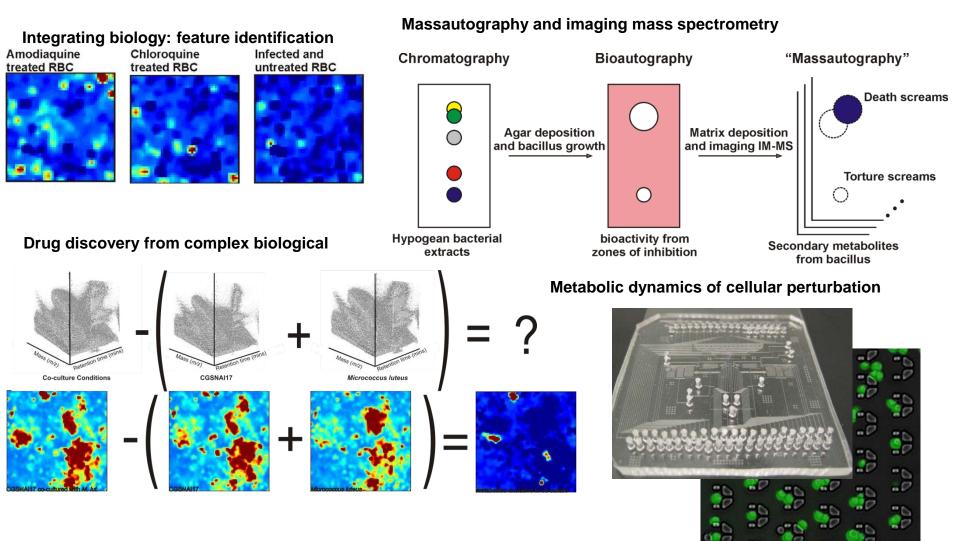
- Self-organizing maps to elucidate ** salient molecular features
- Heat map features direct target ** species for identification
- ** Initially untargeted analyses for panomic molecular coverage





Drug discovery using IM-MS

Can we get to systems, synthetic, and chemical biology with integrated omics and informatics?



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