

2D FT-ICR MS/MS analysis of IgG1

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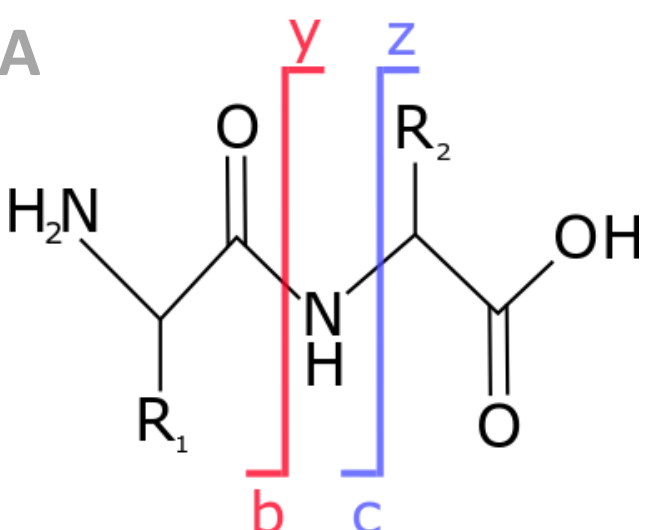
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Antibody (IgG1)

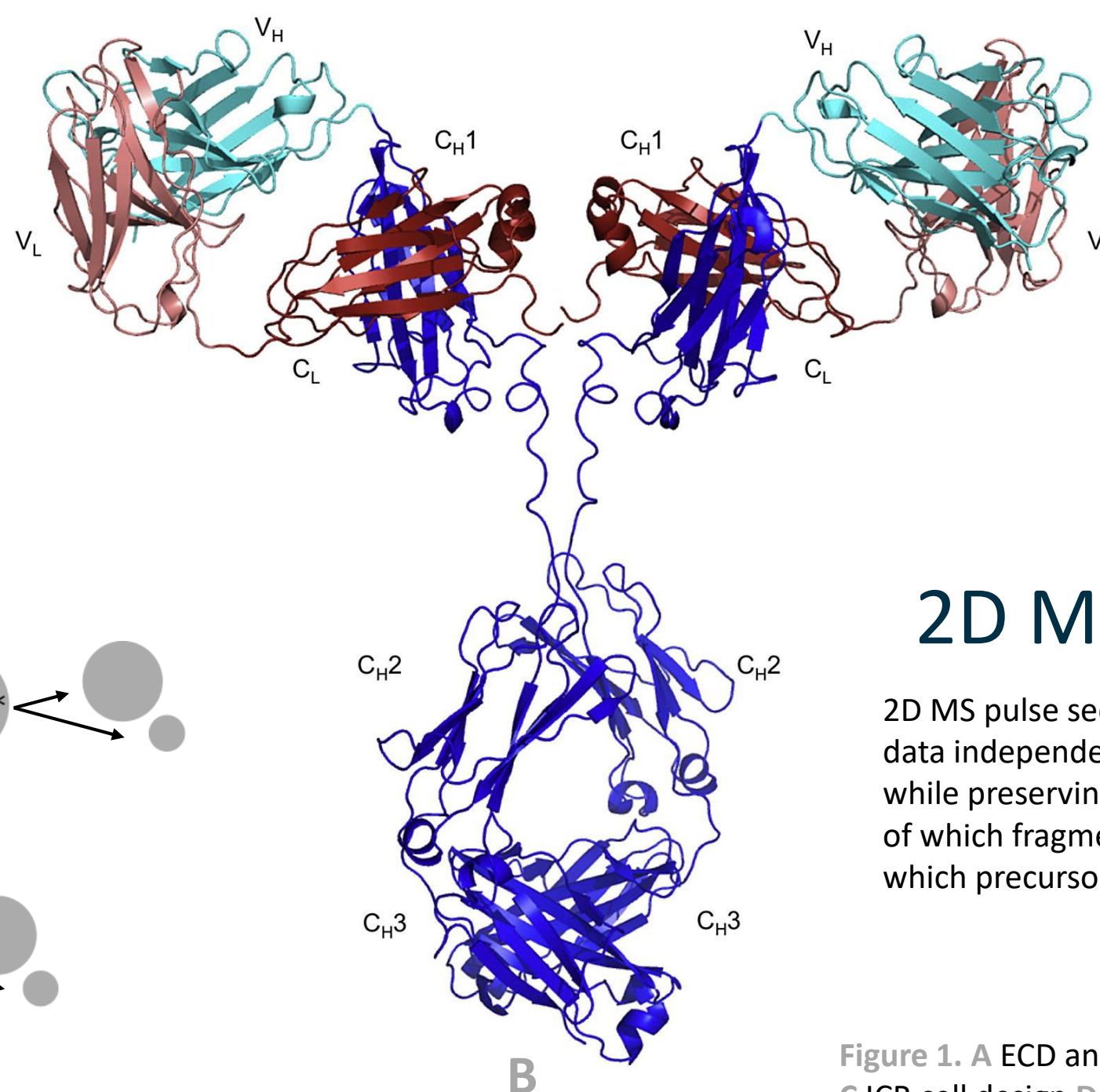
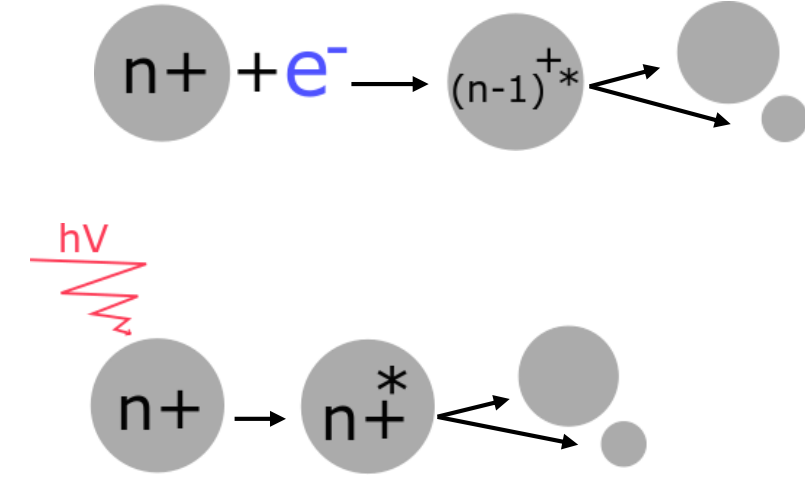
Recombinant monoclonal antibodies and derivatives are widely used as therapeutic drugs. They are susceptible to post-translational modifications that could occur during the manufacturing process and storage, resulting in product-related impurities. PTMs can change the efficacy, toxicity, or the clearance of the antibody; therefore they need to be well monitored.

ECD and IRMPD fragmentations



Electron Capture Dissociation
Ions capture a free electron. The liberation of the electric potential energy result in fragmentation (c and z).

Infrared Multiphoton Dissociation
Ions are heated by a CO₂ laser. The sequential absorption of photons leads to dissociation. Fragments follow the lowest energy pathway (b and y).



12T FT-ICR MS/MS

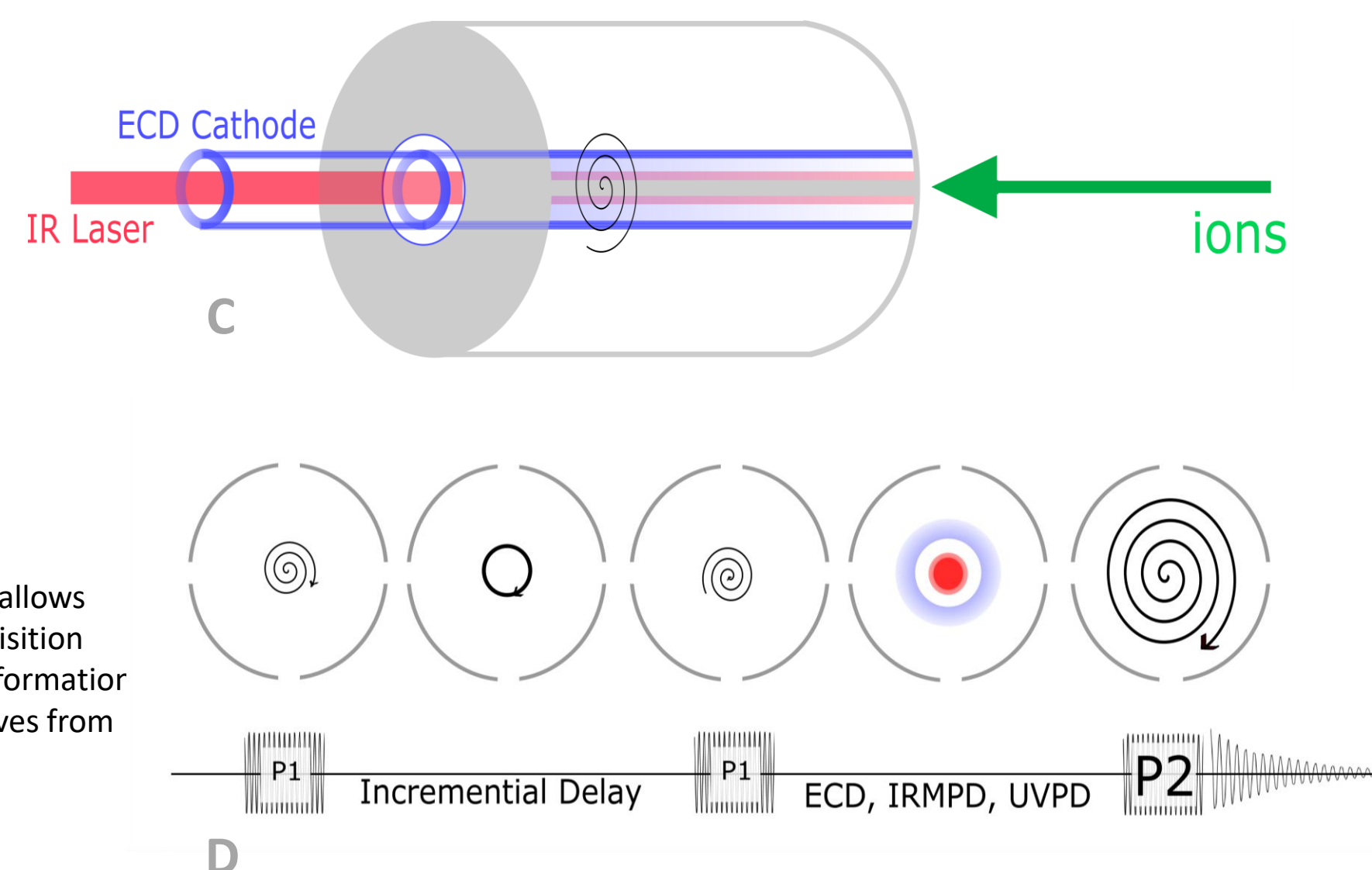
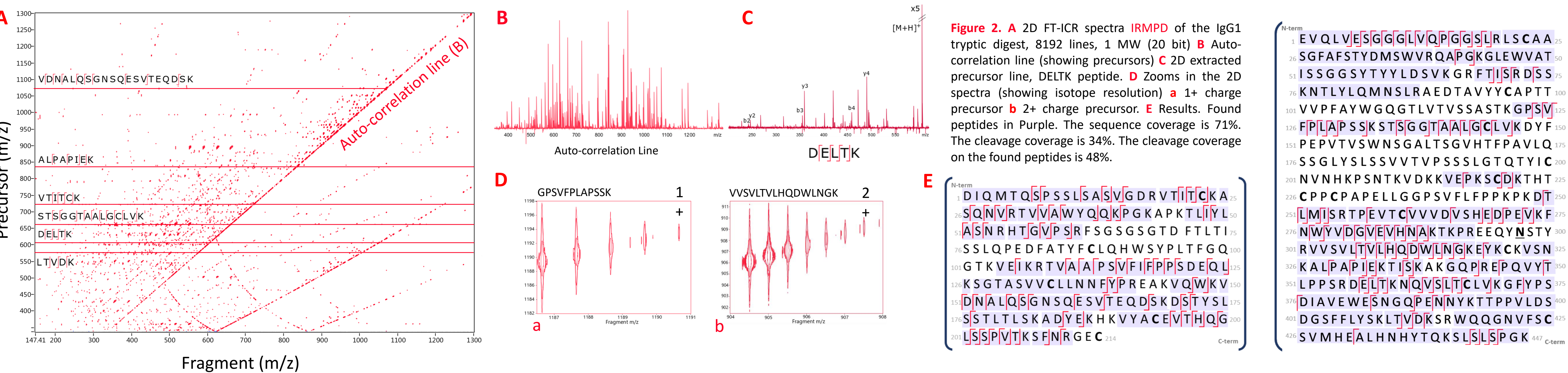
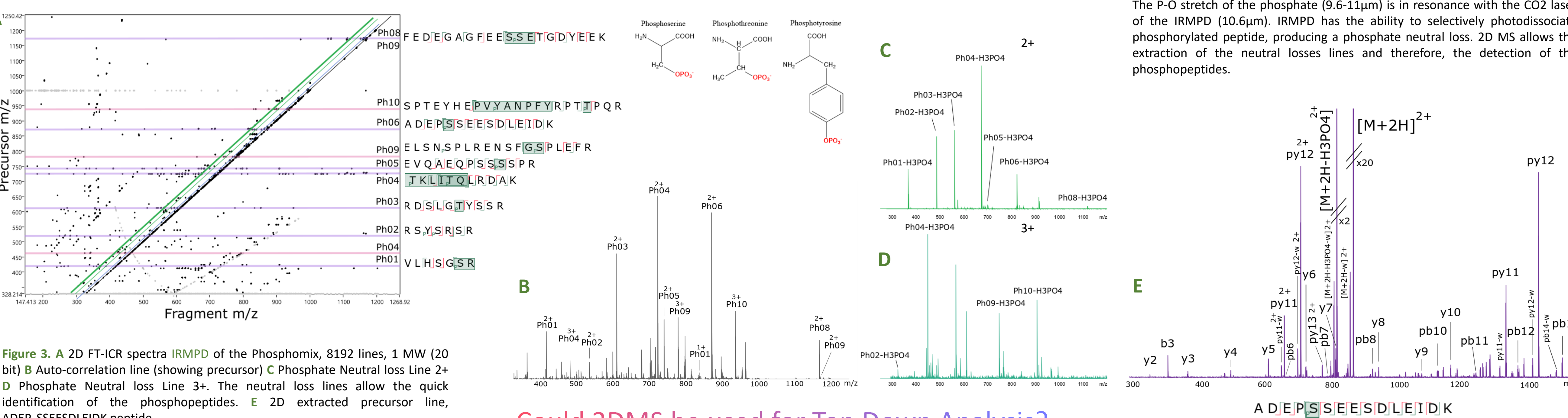


Figure 1. A ECD and IRMPD fragmentation techniques B Antibody structure (IgG1) Rouet et Al, 2014
C ICR cell design D 2D MS Pulse sequence

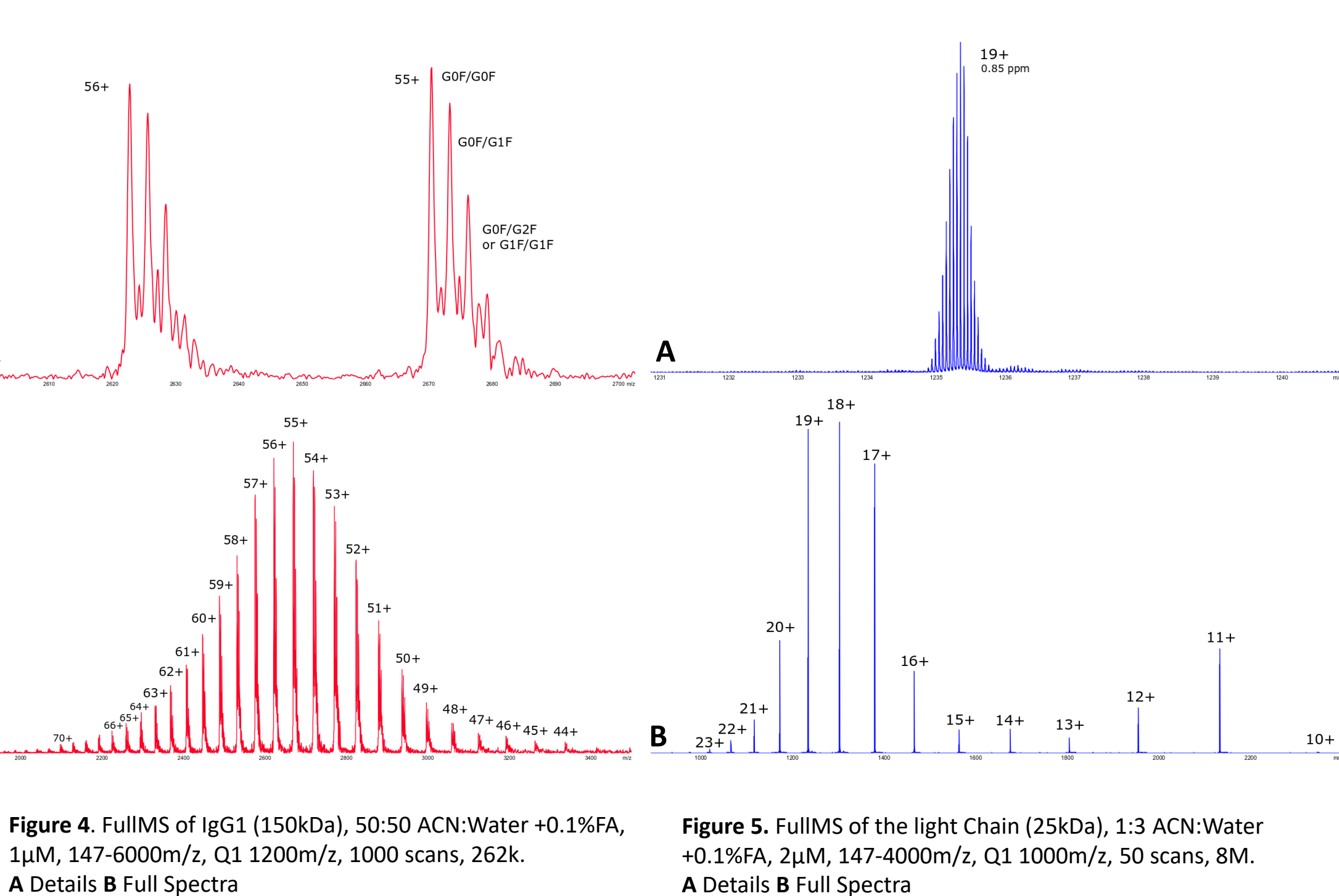
How can 2DMS improve the analysis of the tryptic digest of IgG1?



Could 2DMS be a tool for Proteomics and PTM investigation?



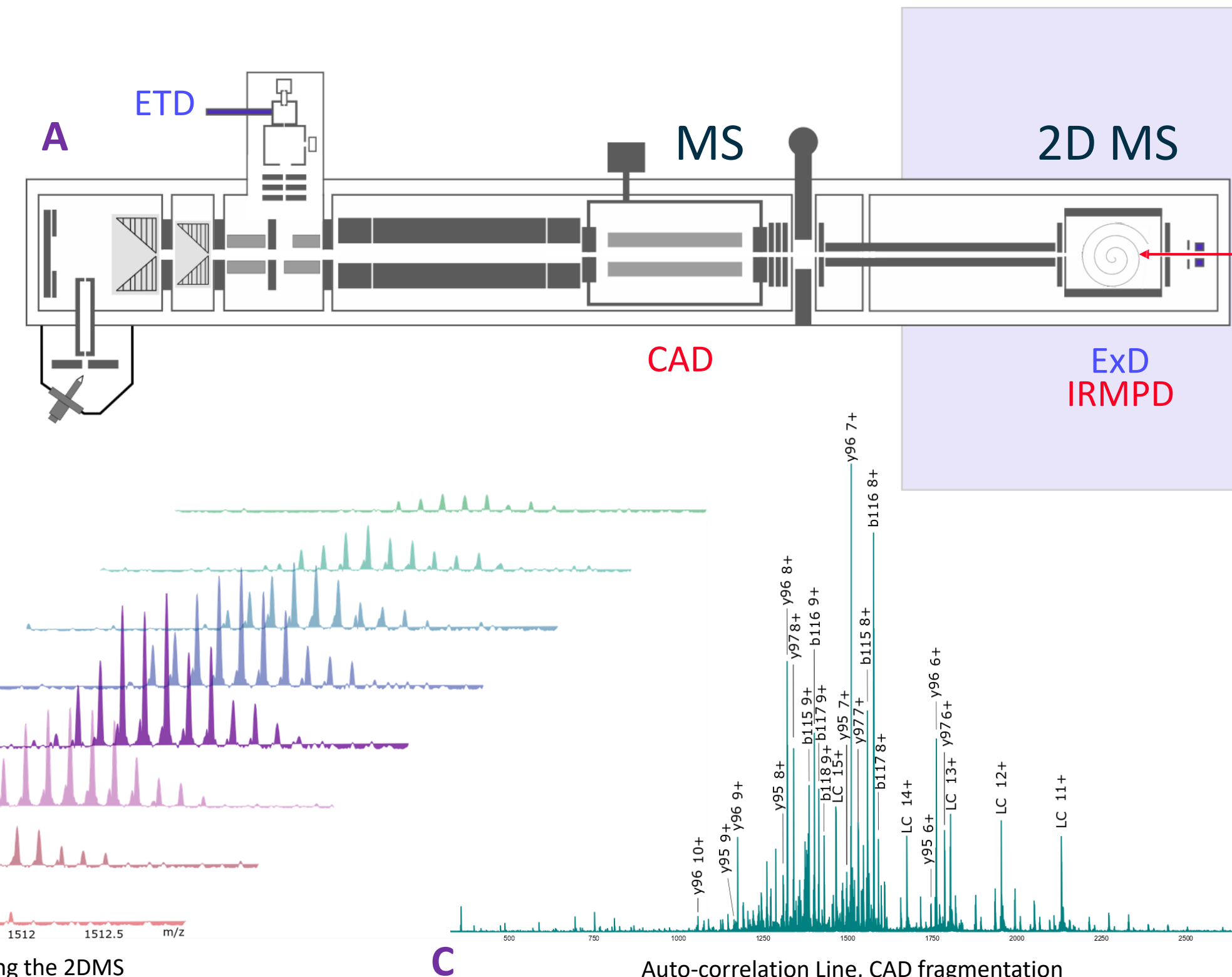
Could 2DMS be used for Top Down Analysis?



MS/2D MS

The intact protein is fragmented in the quadrupole by ETD or CAD and then the fragments are analysed by 2DMS by ExD or IRMPD.

Figure 6. 2D CAD FT-ICR spectra IRMPD of the Light Chain, 4096 lines, 2 MW (21 bit), CAD 25V A Design of Experiment, the light chain was first fragmented by CAD in the front end, then by 2D MS IRMPD in the ICR cell. B Modulation of the y96 7+ ion. C Auto-correlation line, showing fragments from the CAD, precursors for the 2D MS.



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Conclusion

- 2D MS is a useful tool for the analysis of bottom up mixtures, and could permit to identify and locate PTMs.
- With 2D MS and IRMPD, it is possible to selectively analyse phosphopeptides.
- MS/2D MS offers a new approach to top down proteomics.
- The 2D MS technique offers an alternative to MS/MS with a different set of limitations.

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