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ADVANCED PROTEOMICS

DIGESTIF CONTROL

TO OPTIMIZE DIGESTION PROCESS AND LC-MS ANALYSIS

Universal quality standard for digestion control
and optimization of bottom-up proteomics experiments

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A TWO-IN-ONE SOLUTION

DIGESTIF is a universal protein standard to assess simultaneously the quality of sample workup and the performance of your LC-MS system

What is DIGESTIF ?

DIGESTIF is a soluble recombinant **protein** scaffold (PBP2x, Penicillin-binding protein 2x from *Streptococcus pneumoniae*) deleted of its N-ter part and **resulting from the collaboration between Biognosys, Promise Proteomics and academic teams**¹.

DIGESTIF is composed of **11 artificial peptides (iRT)** of various hydrophobicity with good ionization.

Why use DIGESTIF ?

DIGESTIF is a two-in-one quality control reagent used to check digestion quality & efficiency as well as LC-MS performances during bottom-up proteomic experiments.

Protein digestion quality

- Easy solution to control and optimize digestion process
- Can be spiked and used in all biological samples

LC-MS performances

- Allows control of retention times
- Facilitates spectra alignment during shotgun proteomic
- Simplifies the set-up of LC-MS methods

With DIGESTIF, you can:

- Check and optimize digestion process
- Standardize sample preparation steps
- Easily set-up LC-MS methods
- Monitor retention times

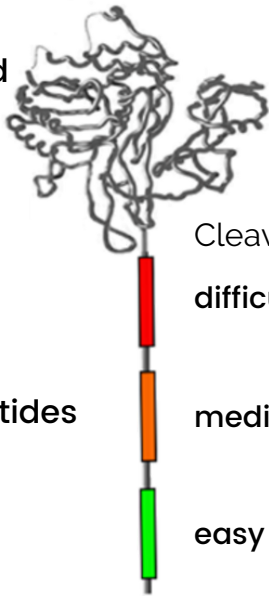
How to use it ?



Available in [labelled](#) and [unlabelled](#) presentations

DIGESTIF

PBP2x
scaffold



Cleavage :
difficult

medium

easy

iRT peptides

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Add DIGESTIF to
biological samples

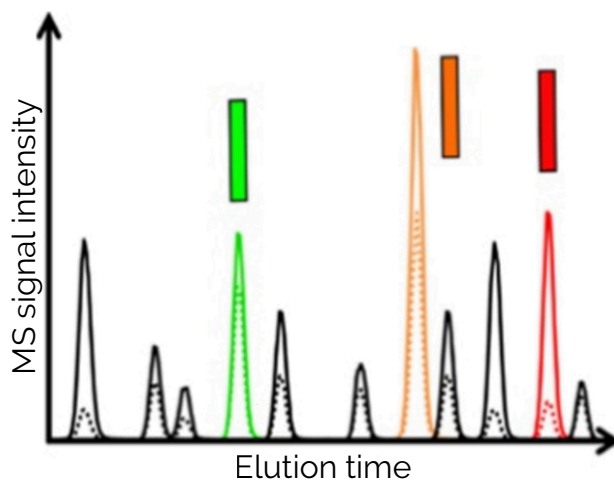


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Digest samples

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Check digestion
efficiency and LC-MS
performance



— efficient digestion
..... incomplete digestion

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Compare digestion rates
between samples,
experiments and/or
laboratories

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