

CRAZY POLYSACCHARIDES

CRiblage d'Activité enZYmatique sur une collection de polysaccharides de structures connues et inconnues

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Polysaccharides are the most abundant and the most diverse renewable materials found on land and in the oceans.

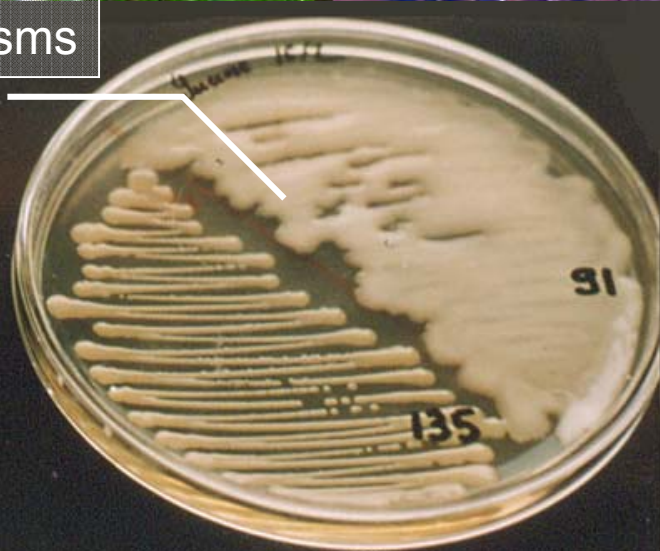
Terrestrial plants

Cellulose
Starch
Hemicelluloses
Pectines
Gums (guars,...)
...

Marine algae

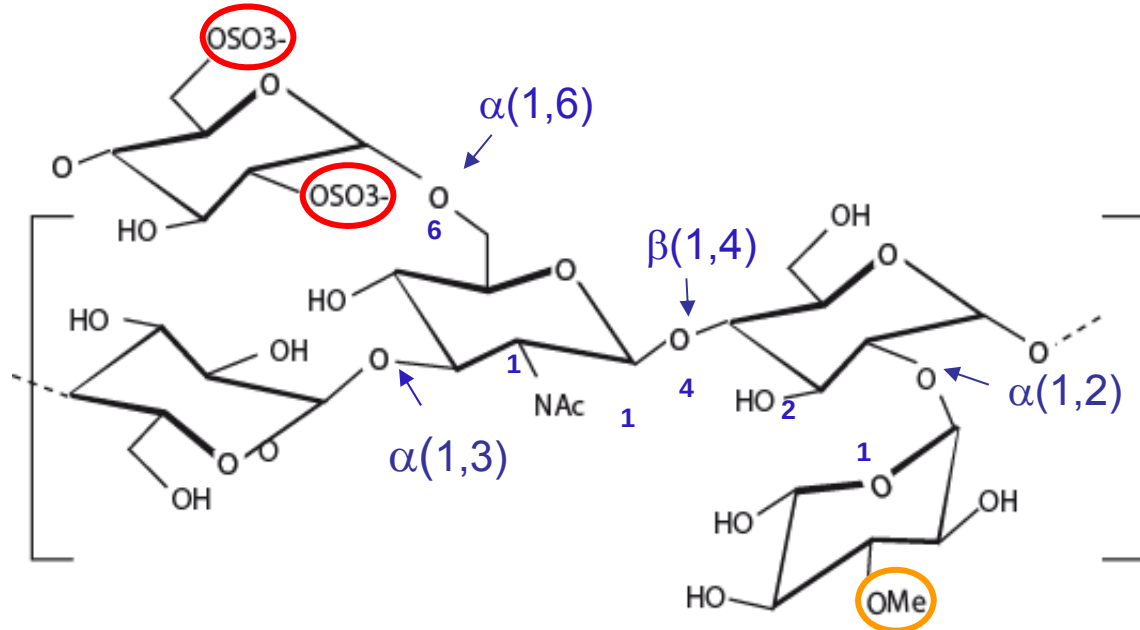
Agars
Carrageenans
Alginates
Ulvans
Xylans
...

Micro-organisms



Fungi (chitosan, $\beta(1,3)$ glucans...)
Animals (GAGs, glycogen, chitin)
Microalgae (?)

Structural diversity of polysaccharides



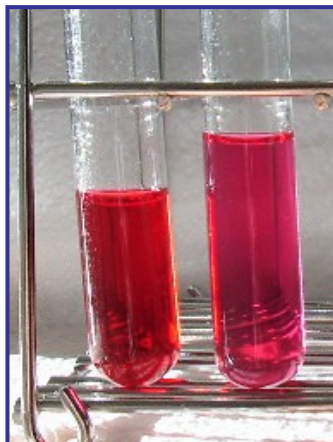
Stereochemical variability of monosaccharides

Numerous possibilities of linkage

Copolymer – hybrid – structures

Often mixture of polysaccharides (cell wall,...)

Structural analysis of polysaccharides



Chemical methods:

- Chemical depolymerization
- Chemical derivatization

➡ Averaged composition and structure



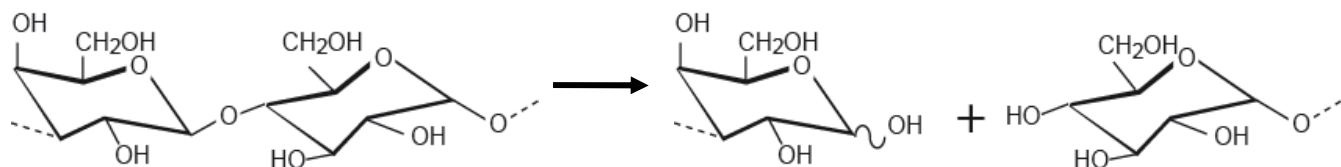
Enzymatic methods:

- Soft depolymerization
- Analysis of complex polysaccharides
- Give insight on the distribution of the moieties

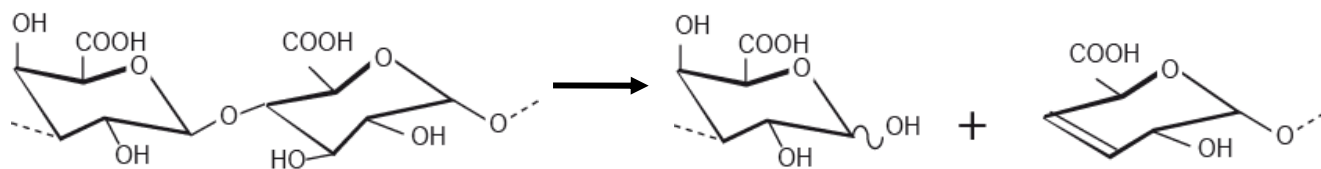
➡ Low number of enzymes available

Diversity of polysaccharide degrading enzymes

Glycoside hydrolases (hydrolysis)



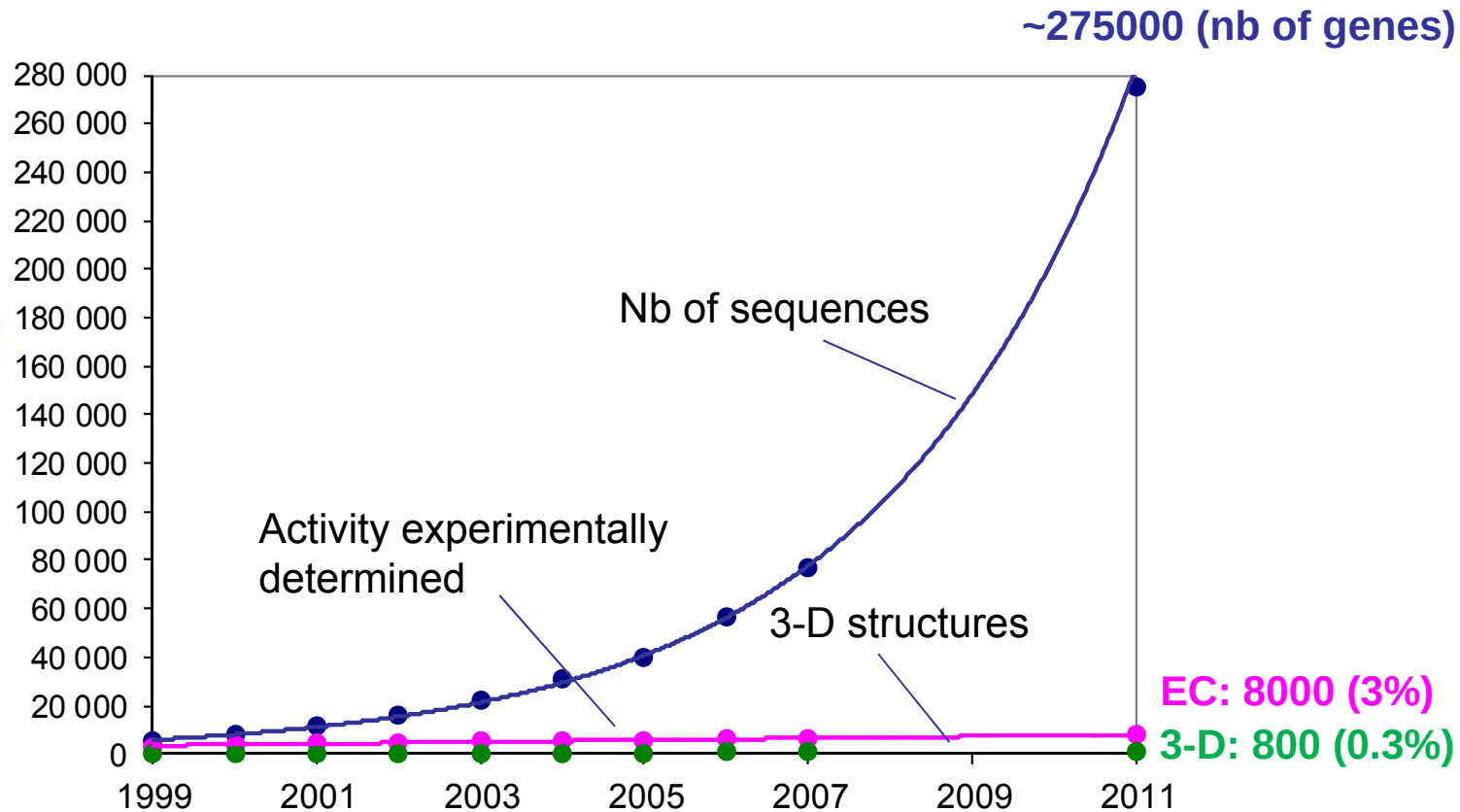
Polysaccharide lyases (β -elimination)



Classification

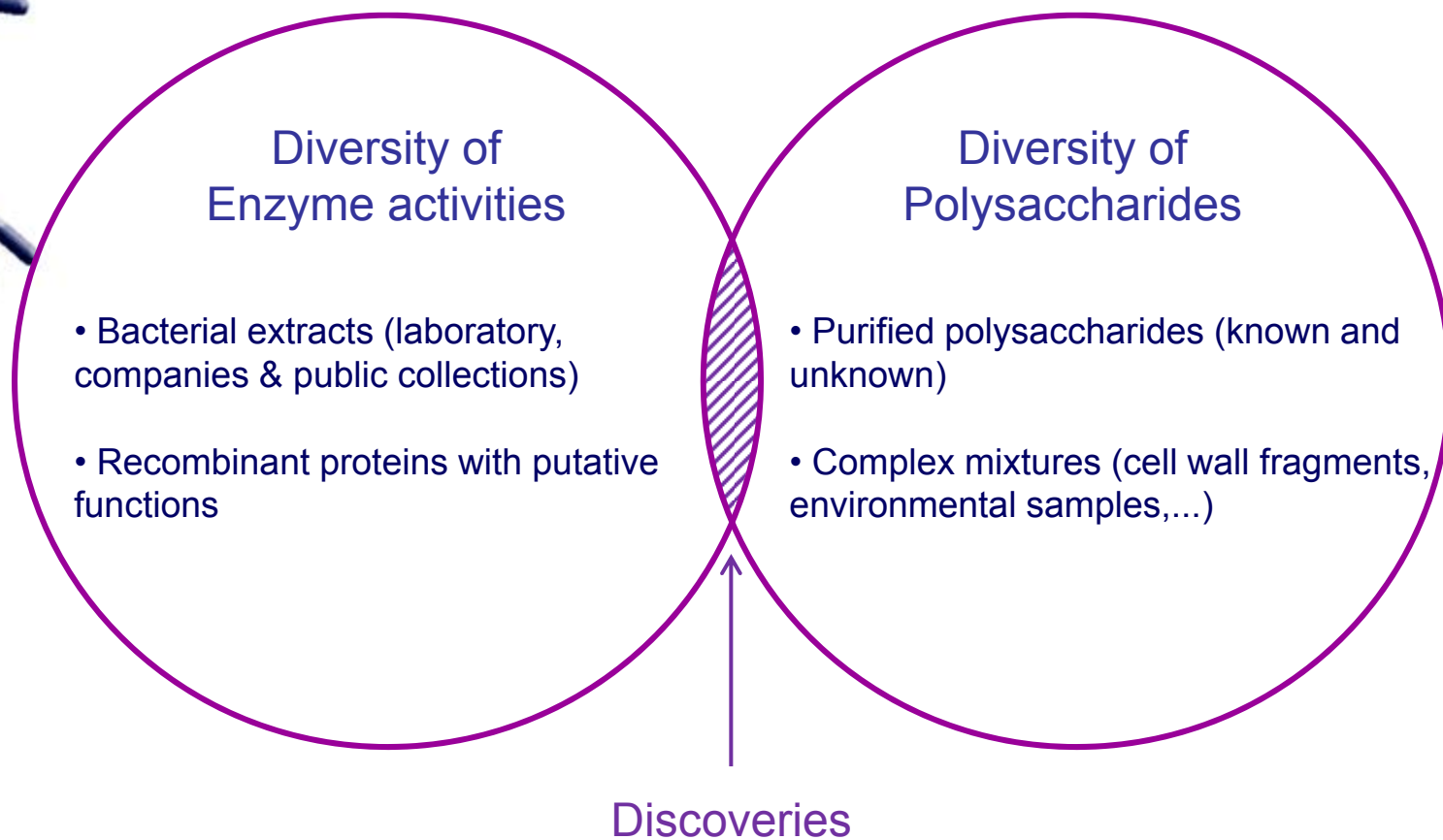
- IUBMB (enzymatic activity): 160 E.C. numbers
International Union of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
- CAZY (sequence homology): 118 GH and 21 PL families
<http://www.cazy.org>

Rate of carbohydrate-active enzymes discoveries



Since 1995, constant increase of the number GH and PL families (5/an) !

Strategy

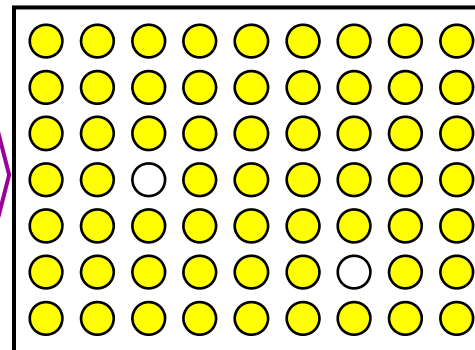


Strategy



Bacterial extracts,
Recombinant proteins,
...

Collection of polysaccharides



Colorimetric assay

Mass spectrometry
(MALDI)

Rational of the method



Polysaccharides

+



Enzymes



Oligosaccharides

Rational of the method



+



Polysaccharides

- High molecular weight
- Low number of chain ends

Enzymes



Oligosaccharides

- Low molecular weight = Mass spectrometry (Maldi)
- High number of chain end = Colorimetric assay (reducing ends)

Rational of the method



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Filtration membrane

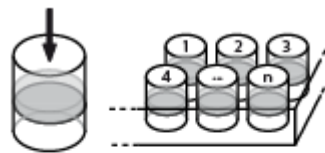


Oligosaccharides

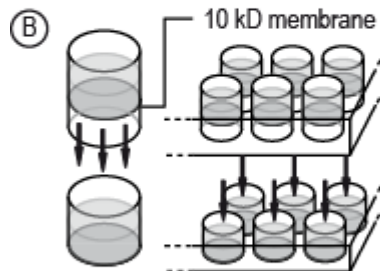
- Low molecular weight = colorimetric assay (reducing ends)
- High number of chain end = Mass spectrometry (Maldi)

Protocol of screening

- (A) Polysaccharides 1, 2, ..., n ($10\text{kD} < \text{Mw}$)
+
Bacterial extract ($10\text{kDa} < \text{Mw} < 300\text{kDa}$)



Filtration of all the polysaccharides and bacterial extracts in order to eliminate low molecular weight carbohydrates (10kDa).



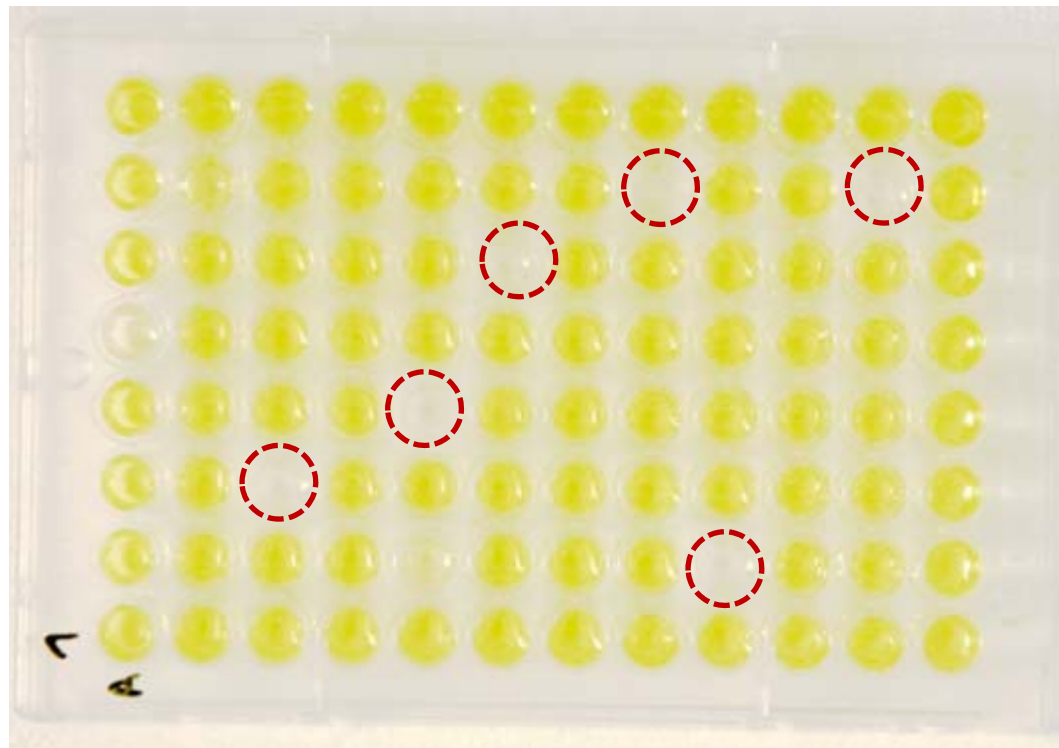
After incubation, low molecular weight oligosaccharides are recovered by filtration.

- (C) Ferricyanid solution



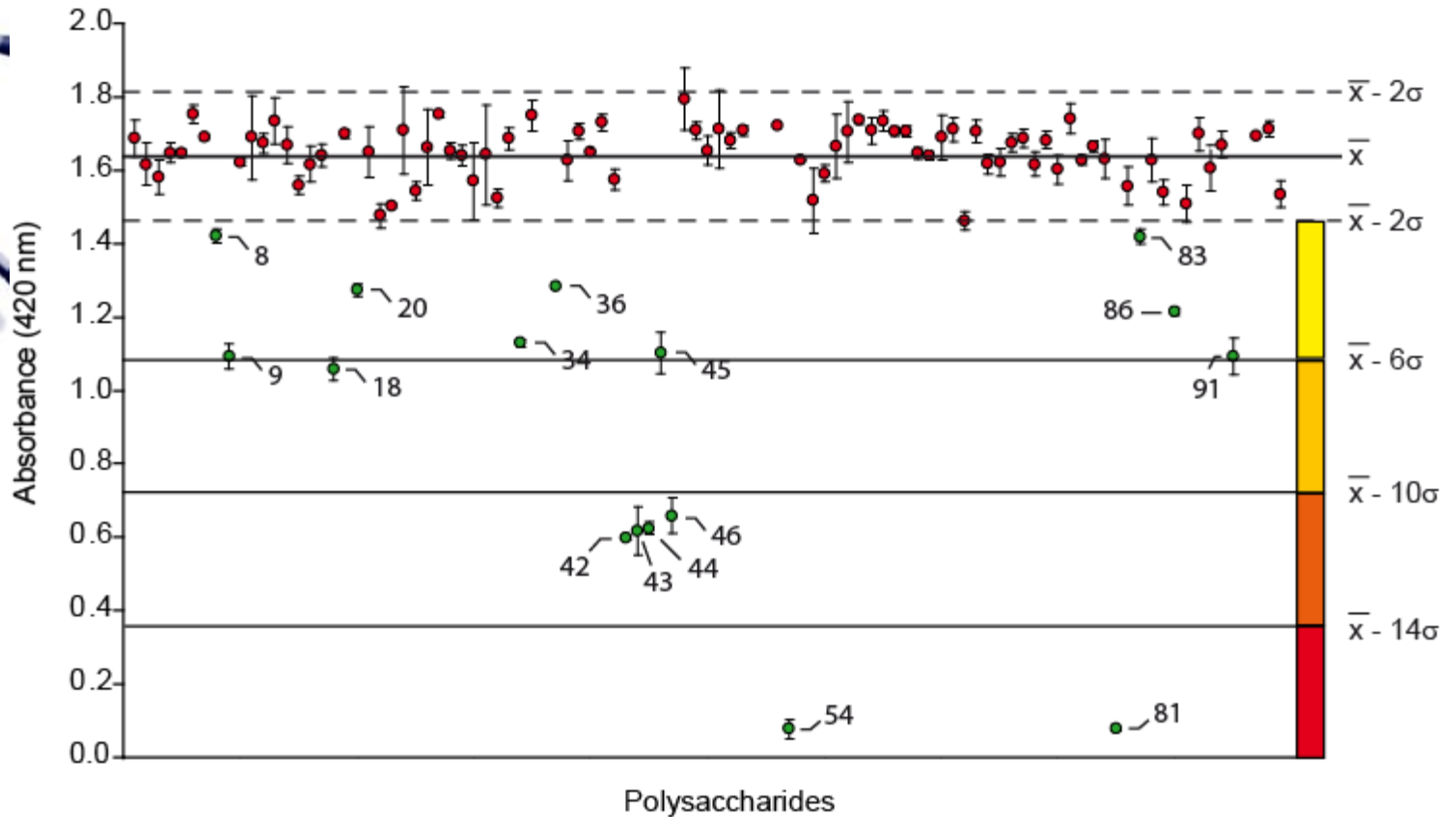
The reducing ends are assayed by the ferricyanid method.

Example of screening



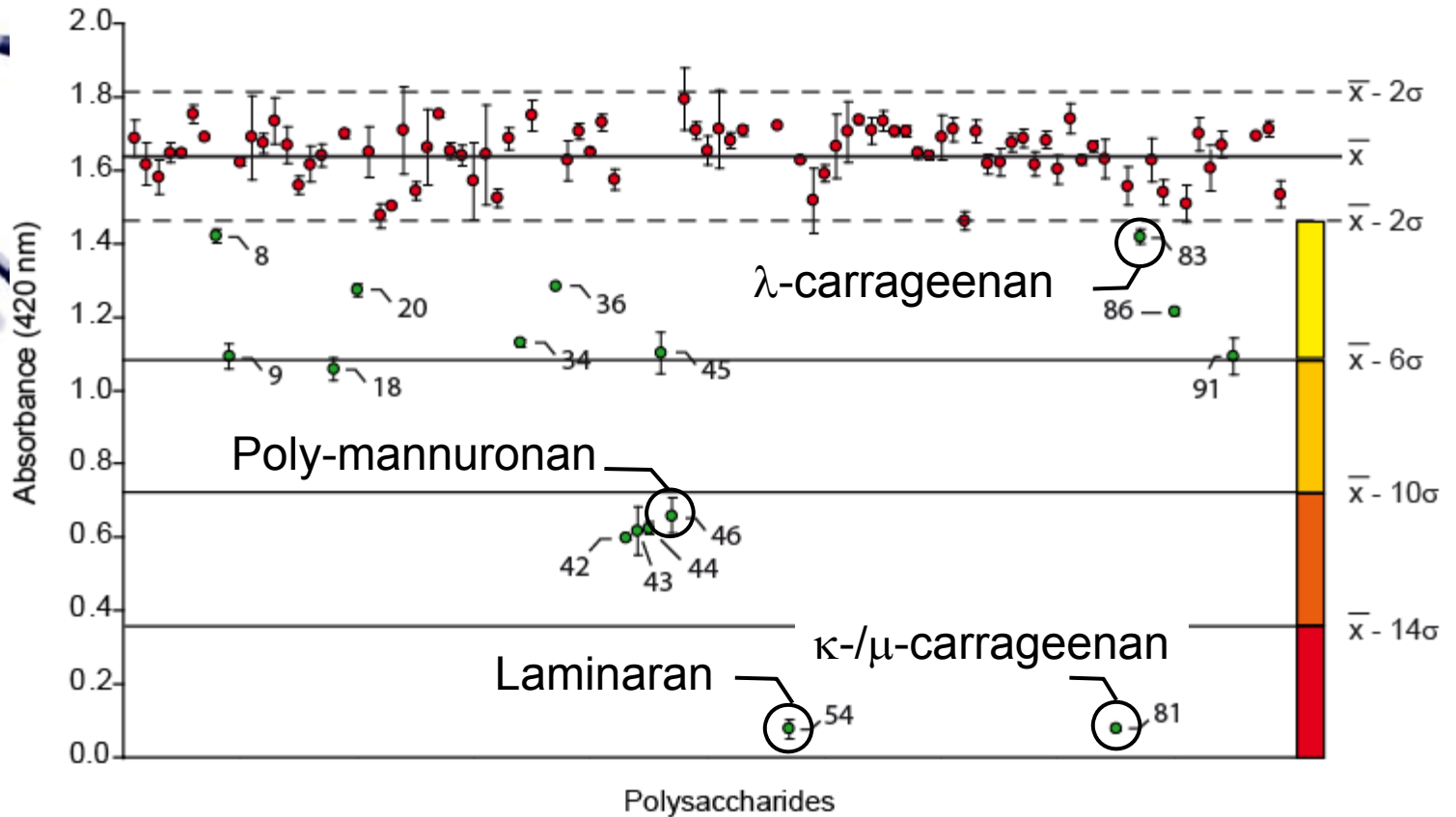
Detection of reducing ends using ferricyanid solution

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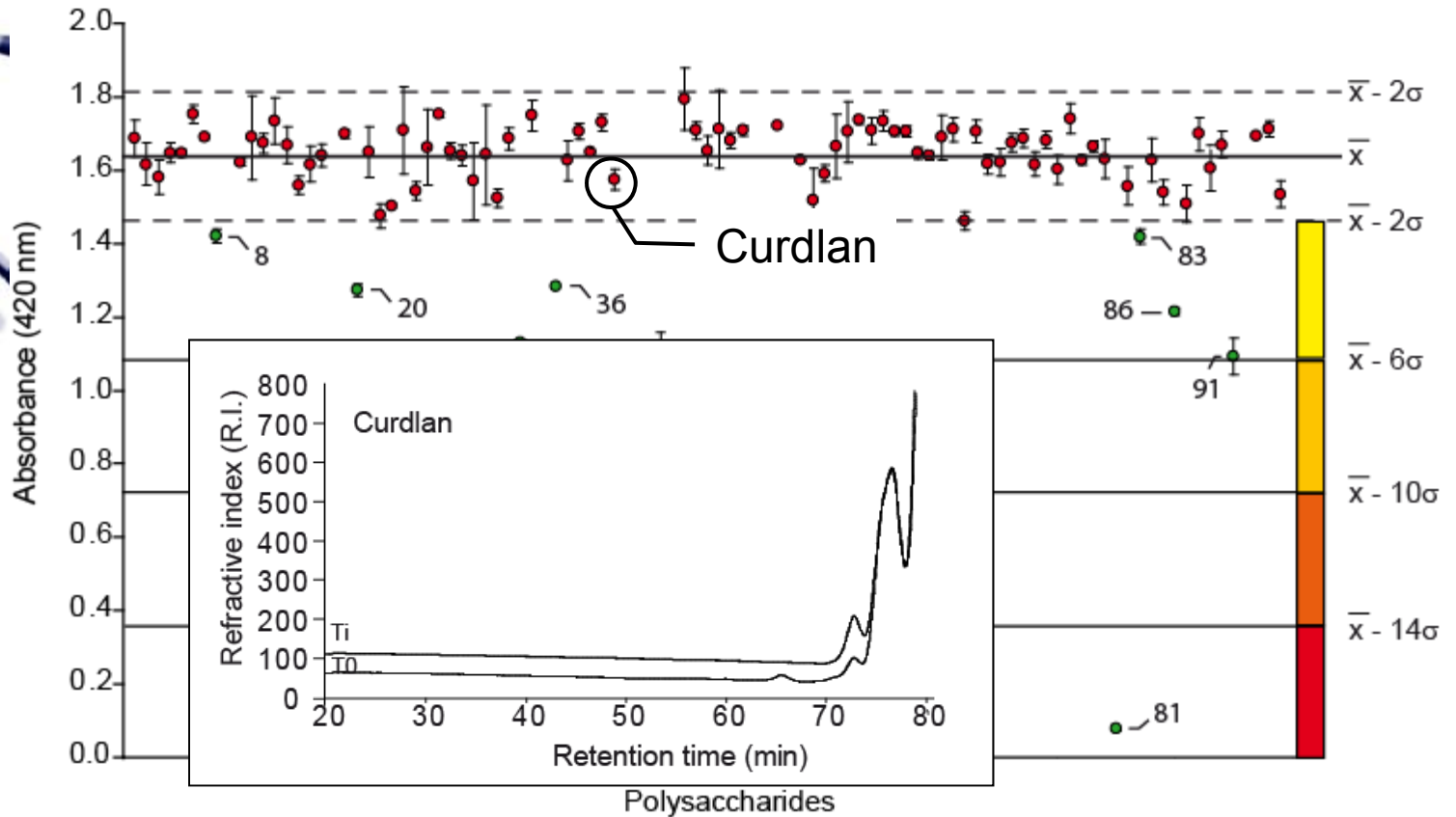
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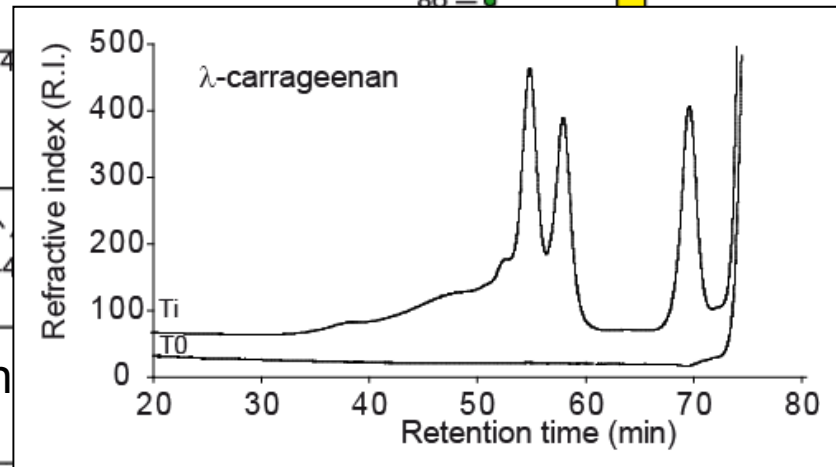
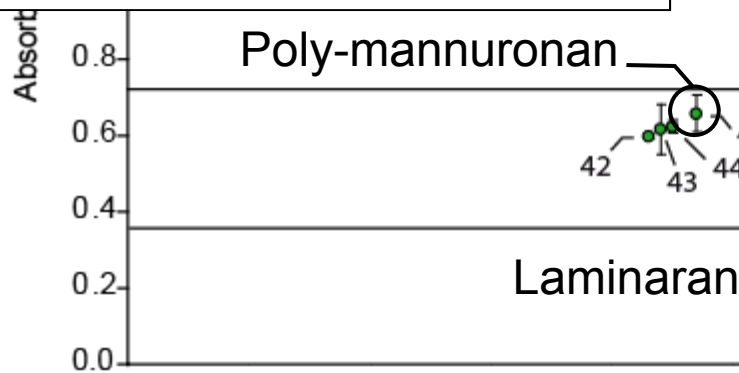
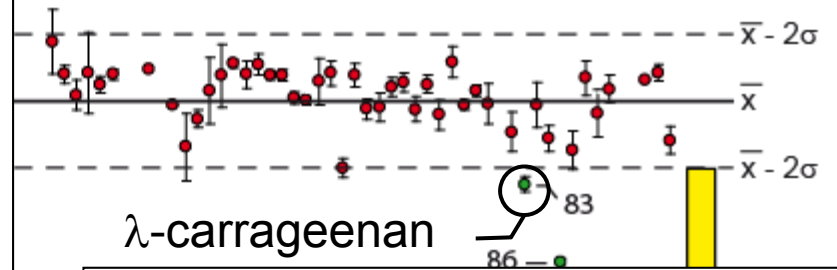
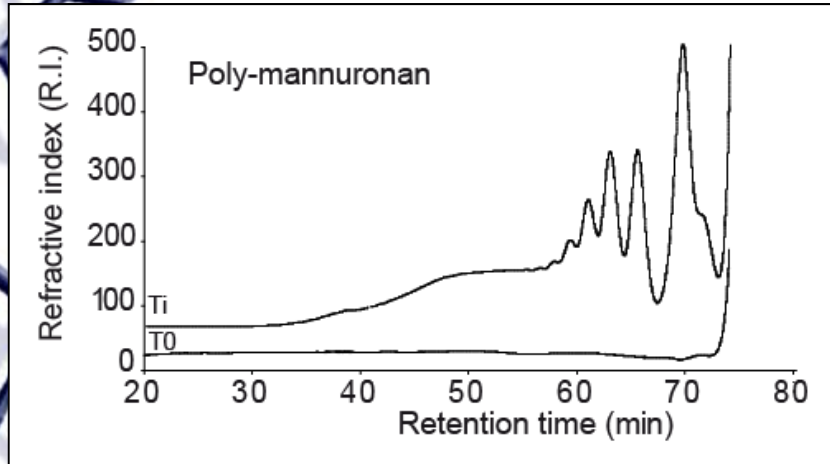
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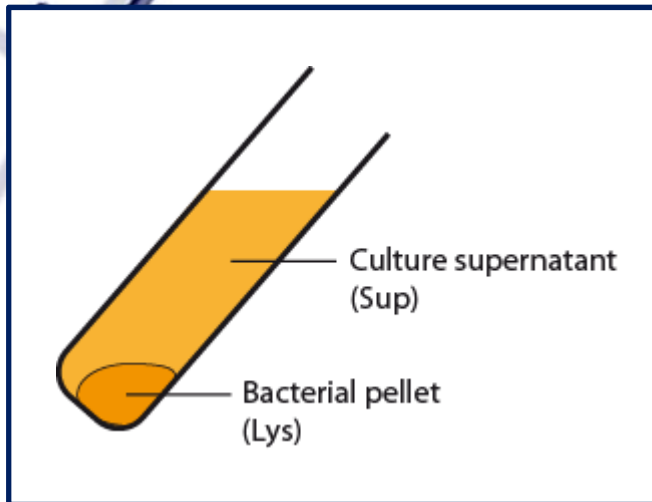
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Polysaccharides

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Phenotyping of *Pseudoalteromonas carrageenovora*



		- Carrageenan		+ Carrageenan	
Polysaccharides		Lys.	Spnt.	Lys.	Spnt.
Red algae	κ/μ-carrageenan (81)				
	ι/ν-carrageenan (82)				
	λ-carrageenan (83)				
	Xylan palmaria (91)				
	Oligo lambda (86)				
Brown algae	Sodium alginate (LN) (43)				
	Sodium alginate (MP) (42)				
	Sodium alginate (AS) (44)				
	Propylen glycol alginate (45)				
	Mannuronan (46)				
	Laminaran (54)				
Terrestrial plants	Galactan (18)				
	β-cyclodextrin (34)				
	Arabinoxylan (wheat) (9)				
	Arabinoxylan (rye) (8)				
	Arabinoxylan (maïs) (10)				
	Rhamnogalacturonan (20)				
	Konjac glucomanan (22)				
	Locust bean gum (23)				
Lichenan (36)					

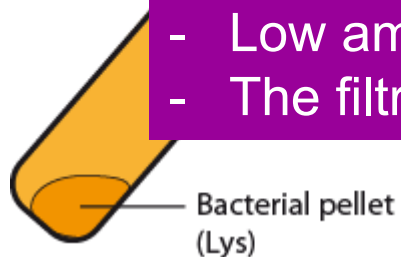
P. carrageenovora likes red and brown algae

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Red algae				

Screening conditions used for colorimetric analyses could be advantageously used for MS analyses

- Low amount of ions
- The filtration steps remove most of contaminant

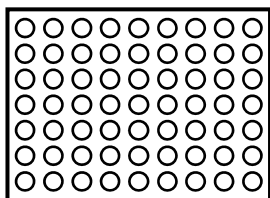


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Terrestrial plants				

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Pipeline for Mass spectrometry analyses



Screening microtiter plate



Robotized MALDI deposition



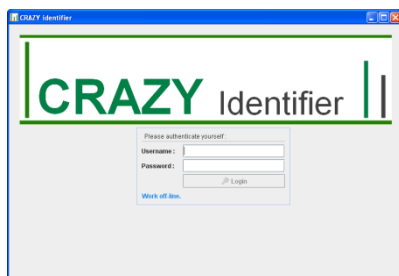
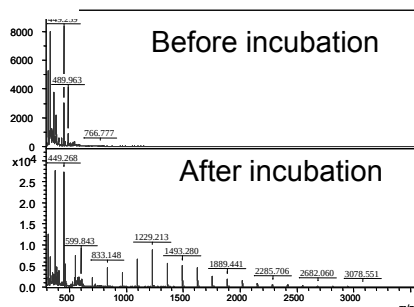
Automatized analysis of
MALDI TOF spectra



“Crazy identifier” software

Comparison with data bank of oligosaccharides
structure

In depth analysis for new degradation products
(i.e. new enzymes)



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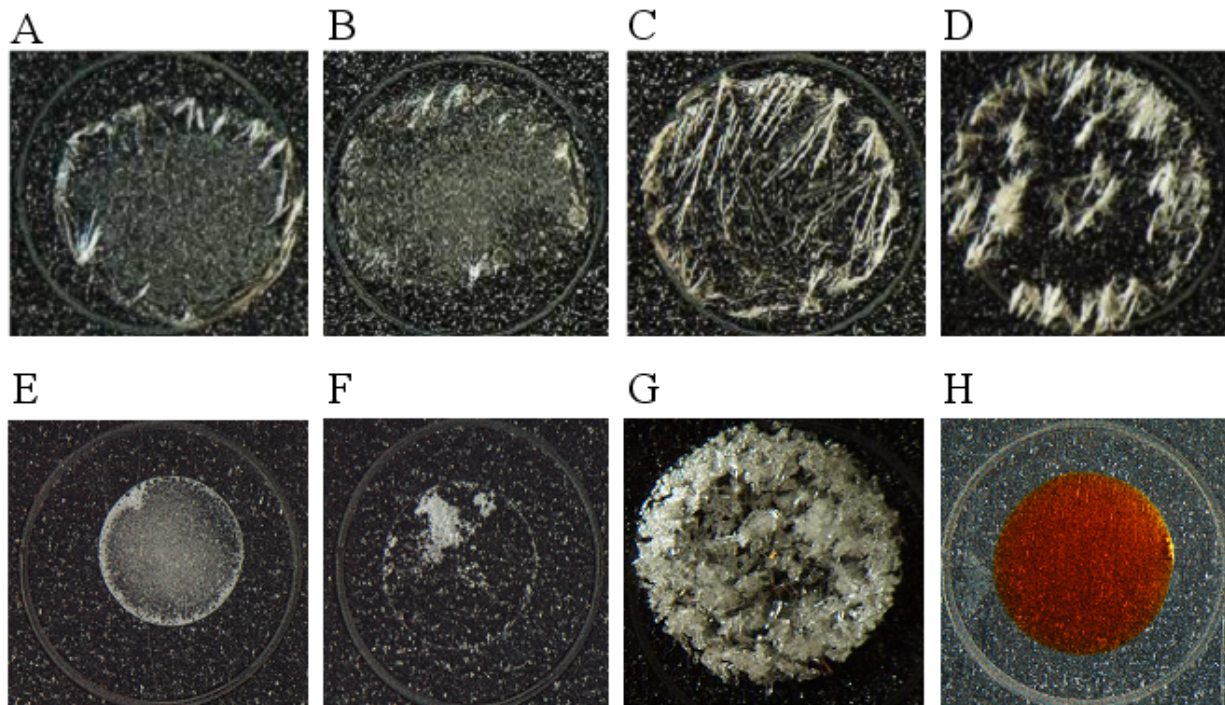


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Matrix selection

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- Assayed with neutral, anionic (sulfate, carboxyl acid) and cationic oligosaccharides
- Analyzed in positive and negative modes

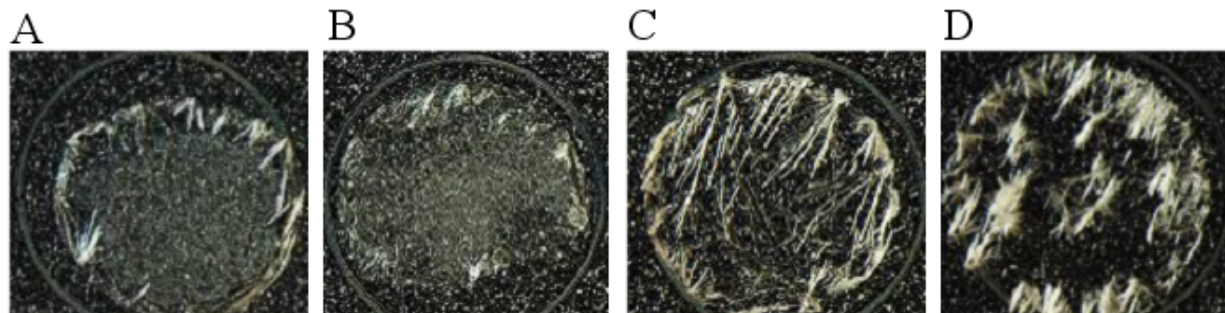
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Criteria 2: Signal Maldi must be recorded



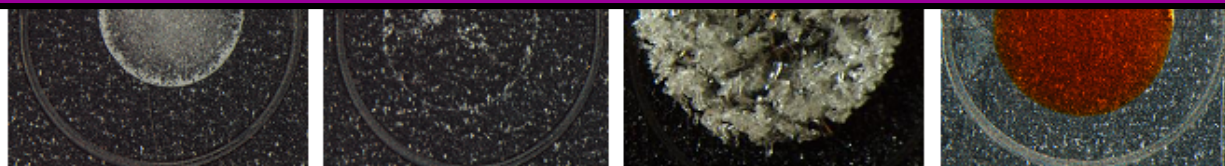
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8 matrices/analytical conditions were selected (THAP, DHB/THAP, sDHB, harmane, nor-harmane, DHB/DMA and HABA/TMG₂)

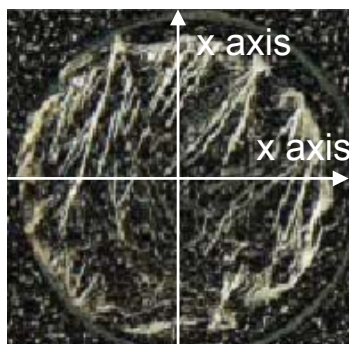


Statistical analyses of deposit

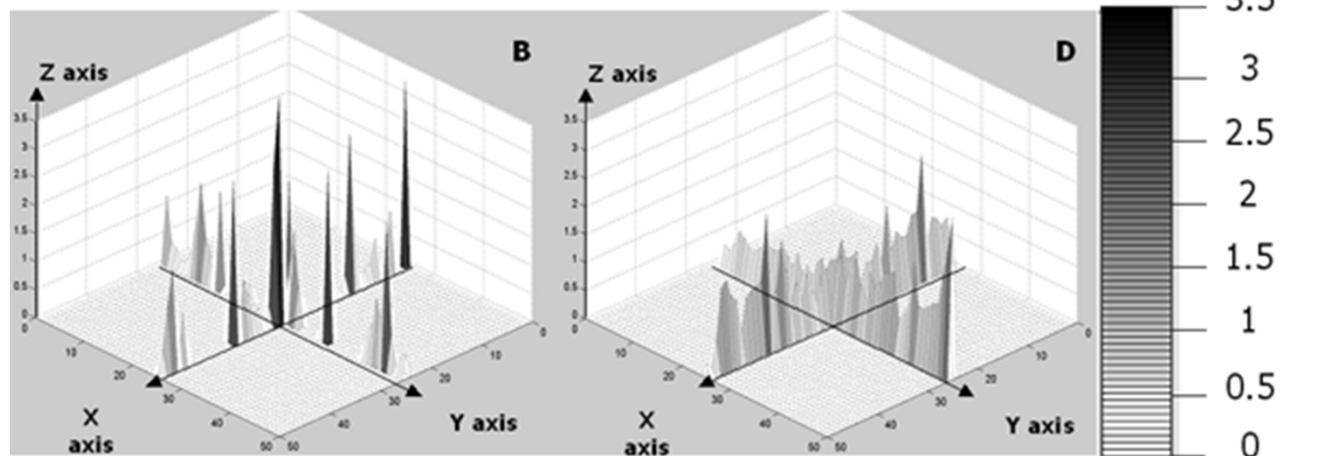
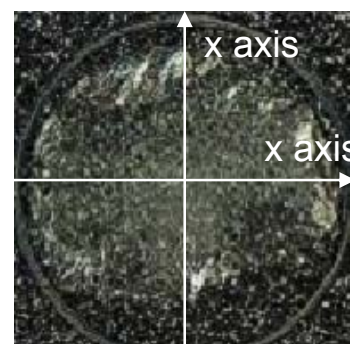
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Criteria 3: Reproducibility of mass determination

DHB



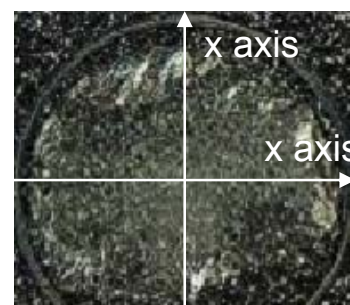
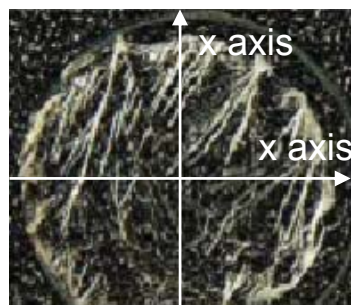
DMA/DHB



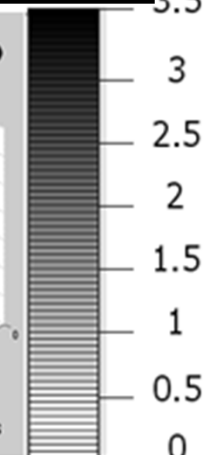
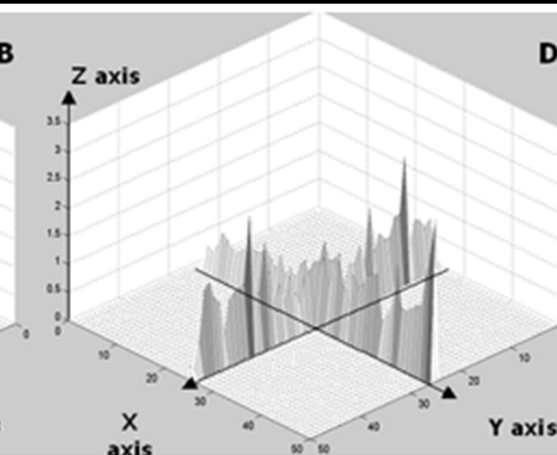
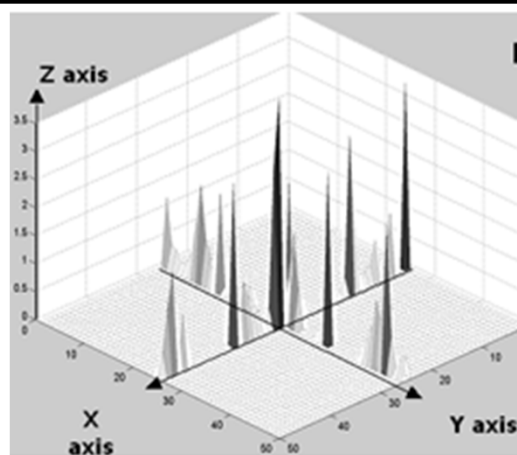
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4 matrices selected for automatic analyses



(x 1e3)

3.5

3

2.5

2

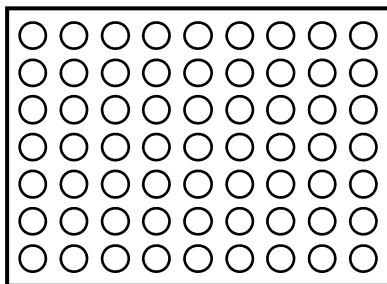
1.5

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0.5

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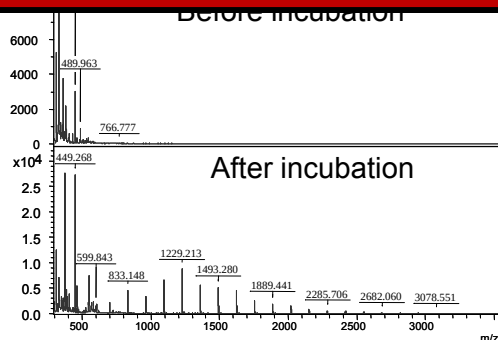
Assayed with incubated microtiter-plate



Microtiter-plate incubation

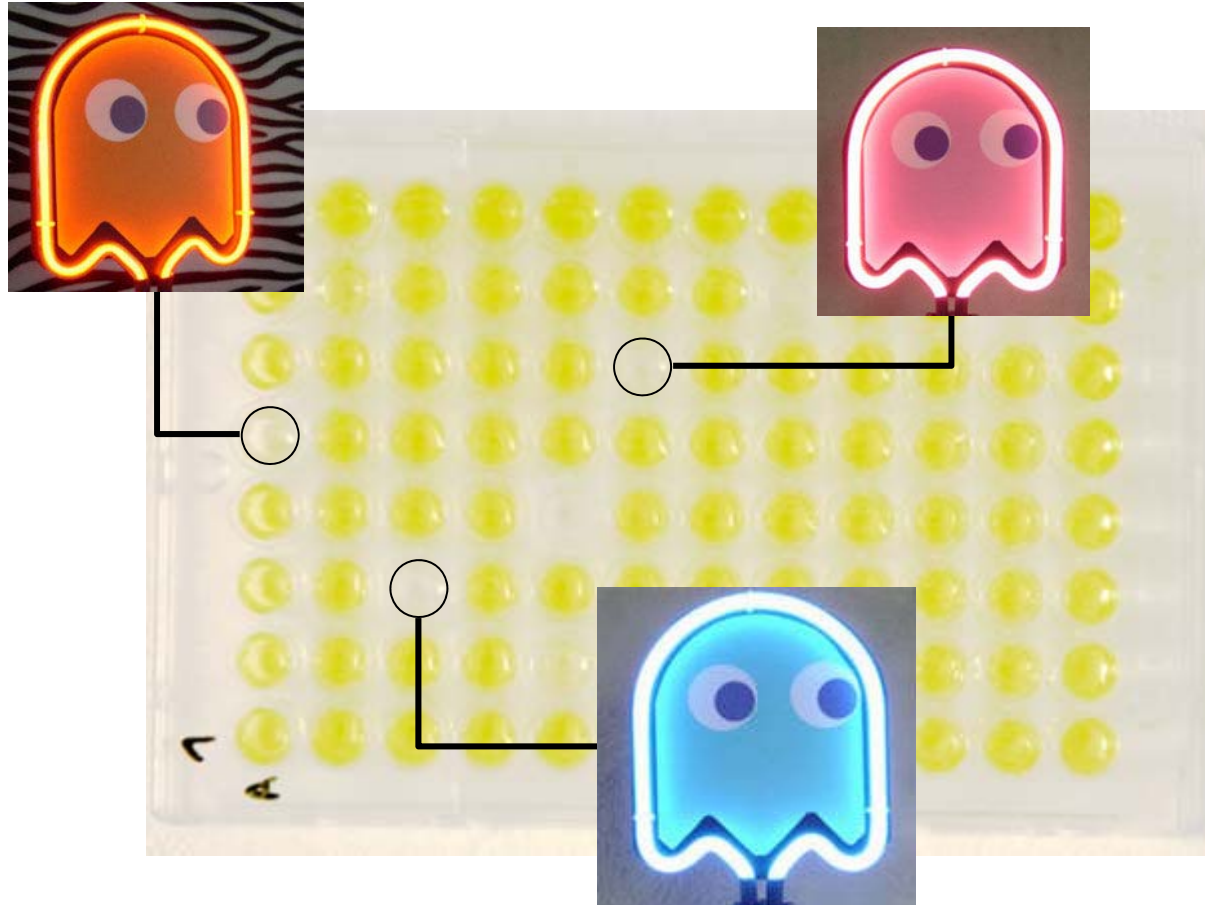
DMA/DHB (N,N-Dimethylaniline / 2,5-dihydroxybenzoic acid) matrix was found the most adapted

- Reproducible
- Positive and negative modes
- Adapted to the diversity of oligosaccharides



Automatized analysis of
MALDI TOF spectra

Input of Mass spectrometry in the discovery of new enzyme activity



Comparison of predicted GH and PL in genome vs observed

<http://www.cazy.org>

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Foreword Archaea Bacteria Eukaryota Viruses

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Taxonomy ID : 342610

Lineage : cellular organisms ; Bacteria ; Proteobacteria ; Gammaproteobacteria ; Alteromonadales ; Pseudoalteromonadaceae ; Pseudoalteromonas ; Pseudoalteromonas atlantica

Glycoside Hydrolase Family	2	3	5	8	10	13	16	23	24	29	31	32	36	37	42	43	50	63	73	77	85	86	92	94	103	117
Number of sequences	5	4	1	1	1	11	4	4	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	2	1	1	3	4	1	3	2
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Xylanase (points to GH family column 3)

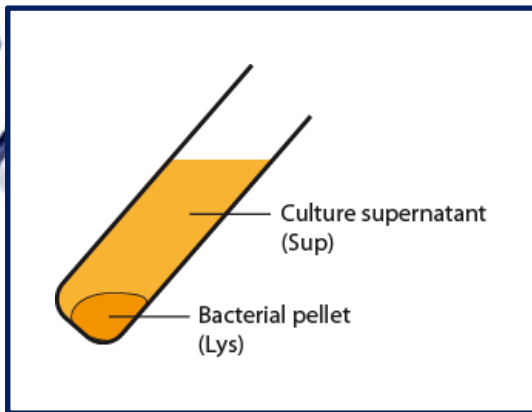
Agarases
κ-Carrageenases (points to GH family column 16)

Alginate lyase (points to PL family column 7)

Agarase (points to GH family column 50)

Oligo-agarase (points to GH family column 86)

Screening results of *P. atlantica* (pellet)



Polysaccharides		ZoBell medium	Glucose	Alginate	Pectin	Carrageenan
Red algae	Xylan (Palmaria sp.)					
	Porphyran					
	Agarose					
	Iota-carrageenan					
	Oligo-agarose					
	Oligo-iota-carrageenan					
Terrestrial plants	α, α -trehalose					
	Xylan (beechwood)					
	Arabinoxylan (rye)					
	Arabinoxylan (wheat)					
	Arabinogalactan					
	Amylose					
	CM-cellulose					
	Lichenan					
Bacteria	Peptidoglycan					
	Welan gum					
	Industrial n°1					
	Industrial n°2					
	EPS 657					
Others	EPS <i>P. atlantica</i>					
	Pullulan					
	Fucogalactan					
pNP	Oligo-ulvans					
	β -D-galactopyranoside					
	β -D-fucopyranoside					
	β -D-xylopyranoside					
	β -D-mannopyranoside					
	β -L-arabinopyranoside					
	β -D-glucopyranoside					
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	α -D-maltopyranoside					
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	α -D-mannopyranoside					
	α -D-xylopyranoside					

Screening results of *P. atlantica*

Detected activities	Expected activities	nb Atl	Family
Porphyran	Porphyrnanase	3	GH16
agarose	Endo agarase	1	GH16
	exo agarase	3	GH50
	agarase	3	GH86
Oligo agarose	α -1,3-L-neoagarooligosaccharide hydrolase	2	GH117
iota nu , oligos iota	iotase	1	GH86
Xylan palmaria, xylan beechwood	endo-1,4- β xylanase	1	GH8
arabinoxylan (wheat, rye, mais)		1	GH10
α,α -trehalose	α,α -trehalase	1	GH37
CM-cellulose, acetate de cellulose	cellulase	1	GH5
Lichenan	glucanase	1	GH8
pullulan	pullulanase	1	GH13
amylose	amylase	7	GH13
peptidoglycan, pNP-GlcNac	β -N-acetylhexosaminidase lytic transglycosylase	2,1,4,2,1,3	GH3, GH224,GH23, GH73, GH85,GH103
b-D galactopyranoside	β -galactosidase	4	GH2
		1	GH42
b-D-mannopyranoside	β -mannosidase	1	GH2
b-D-xylopyranoside	β -glucosidase/xylanase	2	GH3
b-D-glucopyranoside			
a-D galactopyranoside	α -galactosidase	1	GH36
a-L-arabinofuranoside	α -L-arabinofuranosidase	1	GH43
a-D-maltopyranoside	malto-oligosyltrehalose trehalohydrolase	7	GH13
a-D-glucopyranoside	α -glucosidase/xylosidase	2	GH31
a-D-xylopyranoside	xylosidase	1	GH43
a-D-mannopyranoside	α -1,2-mannosidase	4	GH92

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agarose	exo agarase	3	GH50

Summary of the screening

- 1) ~ 80 % of the predicted activities were detected
- 2) Some predicted enzymes have new modes of action (ι-carrageenase, Me-porphyrnanase)
- 3) Some predicted enzymes were not observed (5 alginate lyases)
- 4) Unpredicted enzymes

α-D-glucopyranoside	α-glucosidase/xylosidase	2	GH31
α-D-xylopyranoside	xylosidase	1	GH43
α-D-mannopyranoside	α-1,2-mannosidase	4	GH92

Conclusion

The screening method is now implemented

Profile of GH and PL in complex extracts (physiology, strains, microbiomes, ...)

Comparison between predicted from genome and observed GH/PL

Ascribe function to putative polysaccharides degrading enzymes

Discovery of new enzyme activities

Production of new oligosaccharides series

New technological challenge

Improve polysaccharides collection require partnerships with academic but with companies

- Discoveries are correlated to the richness of the collection
- We must challenge polysaccharides with high interest

Next technical challenges: more integrated screening

- One site for screening (*from incubation to MS analysis*)
- Pursue the development of « CRAZY Identifier »
(*improve the beta-version, integrate in MS software*)
- Improve automation of the micro-plate preparation

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Medium-throughput profiling method for screening polysaccharide-degrading enzymes in complex bacterial extracts

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Polysaccharides are the most abundant and the most diverse renewable materials found on earth. Due to the stereochemical variability of carbohydrates, polysaccharide-degrading enzymes – *i.e.* glycoside hydrolases and polysaccharide lyases – are essential tools for resolving the structure of these complex macromolecules. The exponential increase of genomic and metagenomic data contrasts sharply with the low number of