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#### Developments in Data Independent MS Acquisition Comprehensive and Reproducible Identification and Label-Free Quantification of Proteins

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The next step in the evolution of High Definition MS

#### SYNAPT G2-S Geometry

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#### Ion Block Design

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#### Sampling cone aperture

- Increased to 0.8mm diameter
  - Approx 5x increase in gas/ion flow

#### New ion block design

- No supplemental pumping
- All ions (and gas) enter StepWave guide
  - Approx 200x increase in gas flow
  - Up to 200x increase in ion flux.



#### Novel StepWave ion guide design Conjoined Ion Guide

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#### Additional design benefit Robustness



**Conjoined Ion Guides** 

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Gas

**Rough Pump** 

#### Designed to deal with problems associated with a larger sampling orifice





#### ESI Positive Ion Sensitivity Synapt G2-5

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#### Identification ...limits of detection



#### SYNAPT G2-S vs SYNAPT G2



Identification ...detection in complex mixtures

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# Glu-Fibrinopeptide spiked into Bovine Insulin (1/10,000)



#### In-Spectral Dynamic Range > 4 orders of magnitude

## MS<sup>E</sup> Synapt G2-S vs Synapt G2

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# Data Dependent LC-MS/MS vs Data Independent LC-MS/MS

### Conventional Data Dependent LC-MS/MS Precursor Survey Scan



## Conventional Data Dependent LC-MS/MS Product Ion Scan



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## Conventional Data Dependent LC-MS/MS Product Ion Scan



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#### Conventional Data Dependent LC-MS/MS

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#### Data Independent LC-MS/MS (LC-MS<sup>E</sup>)

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#### What is the level of Complexity E coli UPLC Separation



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#### E coli Precursor MH+ Density

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~450K Ion Detections = ~36K EMRT's = ~10K ID'd peptides = 697 ID'd Proteins

Intensity distribution of all ion detections in an E coli lysate digest





~2/3 of all precursor ion detections are less than 2 orders of magnitude in intensity of the most abundant ion detections.

#### Peptide Retention Time Distribution



Retention Time, mins

Approximately 50% of all tryptic peptides elute in 20% the chromatographic gradient elution time

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# m/z Distribution of All Ions in an E coli Lysate Digest

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Approximately 60% of all ion detections are between m/z 400-800

#### Data Complexity Mass Resolution and Accuracy is Critical

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#### Ion mobility enhanced UPLC-MS<sup>E</sup>

#### Synapt G2-S Schematic

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#### UPLC/HDMS<sup>E</sup> ...deconvoluting chimericy

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#### UPLC-HDMS<sup>E</sup> Mobility Drift Time + Retention Time Alignment

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#### Impact of Ion Mobility Enhanced UPLC-MS<sup>E</sup> Precursor/Product Drift Time Alignment





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With Drift Time Alignment 35 product ions tentatively associated with one precursor

#### How Does Ion Mobility Improve Proteir Identification Rate and Quality

- Increases analytical peak capacity/ separation power by approximately 7-10 fold
- Reduces <u>chimeric</u> interferences & distraction
- Precursor and product ions are mobility drift time aligned as well as chromatographic retention time aligned .
  - Increased specificity, less distracting product ions per peptide
- Improved precursor charge state recognition
  - Isotopes for each charge state of each peptide precursor have the same mobility drift time
- More precursor ions detected because of reduced interference from chemical noise
- Improved measurement & confidence in peptide monoisotopic accurate mass
- Adds an additional dimension of separation without increasing analysis time

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# Example UPLC-HDMS<sup>E</sup> data The Impact of Ion Mobility Synapt G2 HDMS

#### Application 1: High Throughput analysis of Shewanella





#### Increased number of proteins/ peptides identified

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Absolute Quantitation of Proteins from *Shewanella Oneidensis* 



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Application 2: Increased Proteome Coverage of *Caenorhabditis elegans* 

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#### Increasing Number of Identified Proteins wi Increase in Peak Capacity



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# Increasing Number of Identified Peptides with Increase in Peak Capacity





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