



Screening Platform of Marseille-Luminy (PCML)



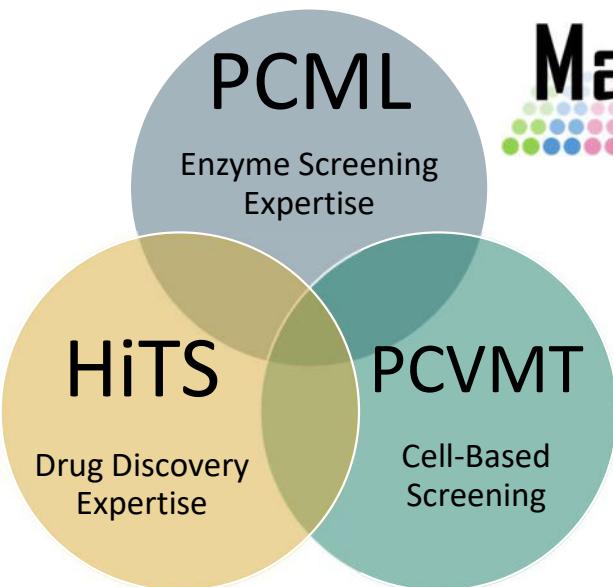
PCML is involved in MaSC

Platforms bringing together 3 sites specializing in screening



MaSC
Marseille Screening Center

<https://masc.univ-amu.fr>



PCML : People



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Professeur

Scientific manager



Cécilia Eydoux
Ingénierie de recherche

Operational manager



Tom Malaval

Ingénieur d'études

Production-Purification of
proteins – Assays developments
(AMIDEX/CISAM+ funds)



Barbara Selisko

Ingénierie de recherche

Coordination - Logistic, administration



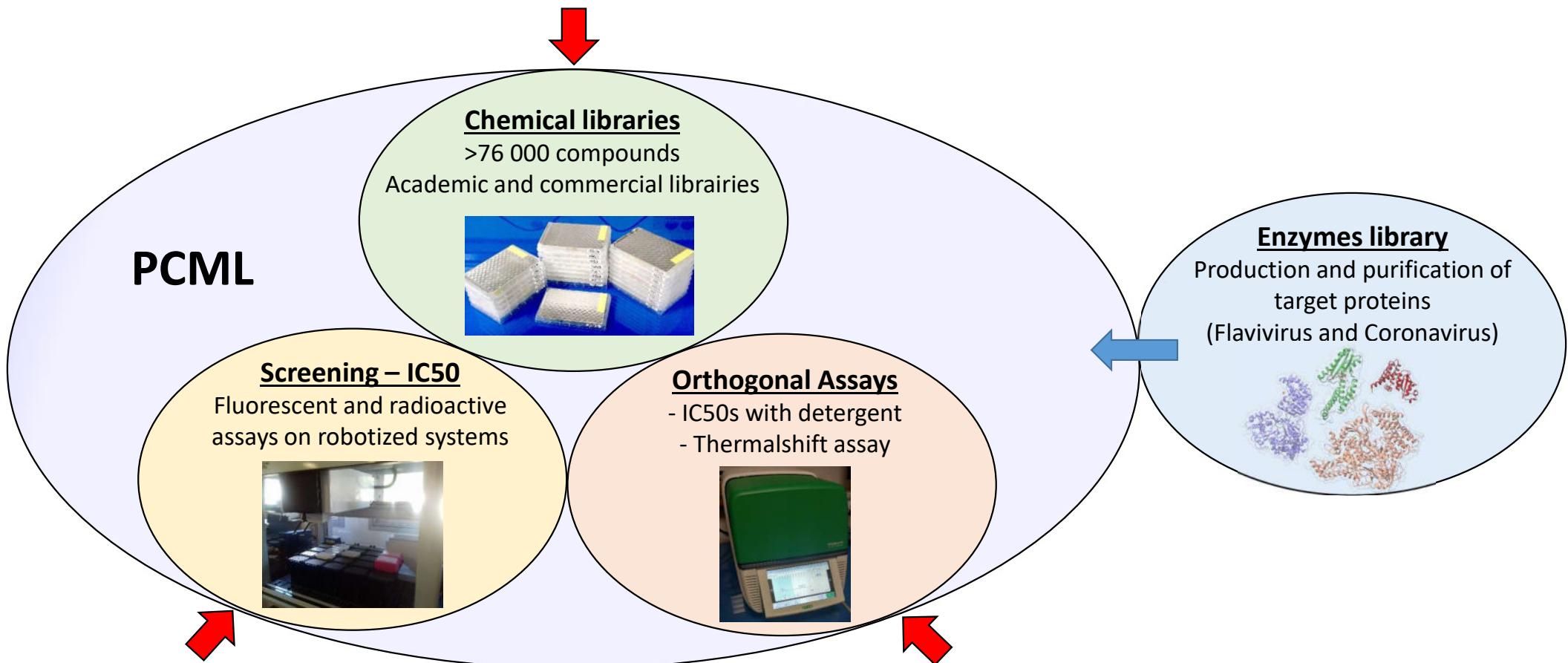
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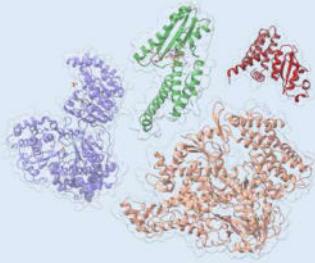
Directeur de recherche

Scientific committee member
Internal expert

<https://www.afmb.univ-mrs.fr/facility/plateforme-de-criblage-marseille-luminy/>

Expertise and know-how of PCML





Enzyme library



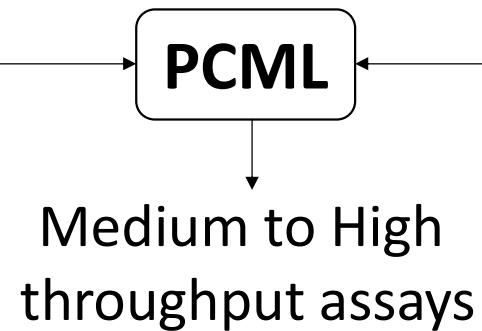
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Postdoctoral fellow



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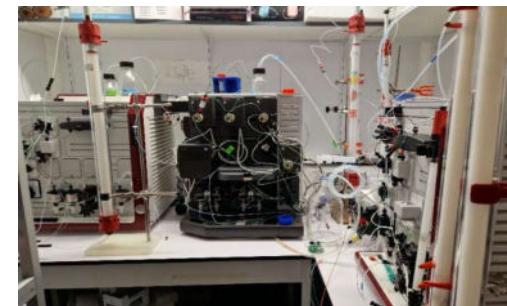
Flavivirus

18* NS5 full
6* MTase
15* RdRp



Coronavirus (1&2)

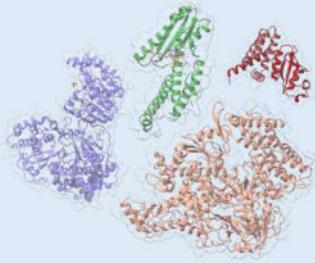
Nsp12
Nsp8
Nsp8L7 (CoV2)
Nsp7L8 (CoV1)
Nsp13 (CoV2)



NS5, RdRp and MTase proteins & assays available

PROTOTYPIC target	Specificity (Pan – target)	Production / purification	Picogreen assay	TSA assay
		NS5 RdRp MTase	NS5 RdRp MTase	NS5 RdRp MTase
MODV	Modoc virus	X X		<i>not possible</i>
PWV	Powassan virus	X X	X X	X X
KFDV	Kyasanur Forest Disease virus	X		X
OHFV	Omsk Hemorrhagic Fever virus	X X	X	X
LIV	Louping-Ill virus	X X	X	X <i>not possible</i>
TBEV	Tick-Borne Encephalitis virus	X X		
YFV	Yellow Fever virus	X X	X X	X X
EHV	Edge Hill virus	X X	X X	X X
SABV	Saboya virus	X		X
DENV4	Dengue virus serotype_4	X X X	X X	X X X
DENV1	Dengue virus serotype_1	X X X	X X	X X X
DENV3	Dengue virus serotype_3	X X X	X X X	X X X
DENV2	Dengue virus serotype_2	X X X	X X	X X X
ZKV	Zika virus	X X X	X X	X X X
ITV	Israel Turkey Meningoencephalitis virus	X X	X	X
SLEV	Saint Louis Encephalitis virus	X	X	X
JEV	Japanese Encephalitis virus	X X	X X	X X
WNV	West Nile virus	X X X	X X	<i>not possible</i> X

Clustal-Ω sequence alignment based on the RdRp domain.



Enzyme library



Mikael Feracci

Bunyavirales

(*LCMV, Lassa, Toscana, Rift valley fever virus...*)

11* EndoN

3* ExoN

L – protein

Retro-Virus (*HIV*)

Reverse transcriptase

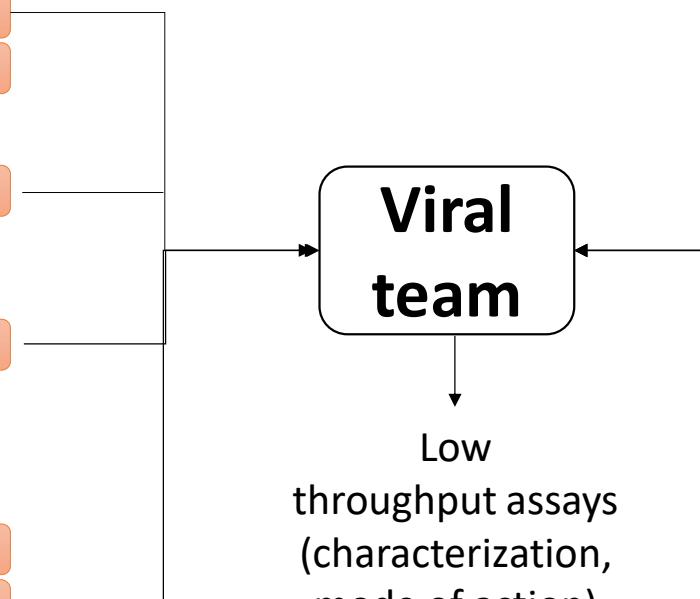
Mononegavirales (*RSV*)

RdRp, Mtase

Alpha-like Viruses (*VEEV-HEV-Chik*)

Nsp1

ORF-1 : Hel, Macro, Mtase



Coronavirus (1&2) (*MERS,SARS*)

Nsp14 (ExoN)

Nsp7

Nsp15 (EndoU)

Nsp9

Nsp3 (Macro and Protease)

Arteriviridae (*EAV*)

Nsp9

Nsp6 , Nsp 7

Picornaviridae (*Cox,Polio*)

RdRp, Helicase

Others Flaviviridae (*HCV, BVDV*)

NS5b



Chemical libraries

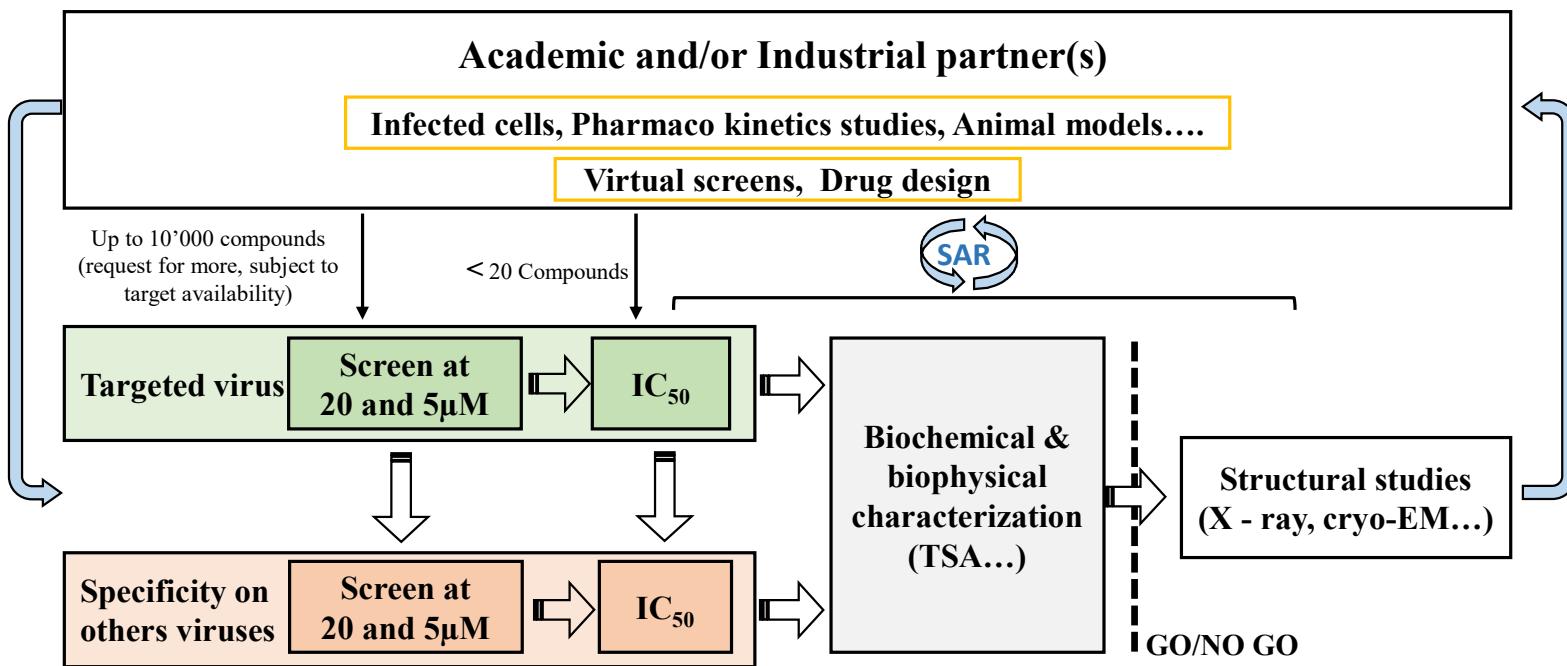
More than 76 000 compounds are available from academic and commercial libraries

- Prestwick library (chemical, natural, pyridazin)
- National Cancer Institute diversity (NCI) library
- Chembridge™ « Diversity set » library
- French National Library divided into :
 - Strasbourg library
 - Curie Institute library
 - Gif sur Yvette ICSN library
 - Caen library
- Active sight™ fragment based library
- Medicines for Malaria Venture (MMV) library (Pandemic and GHP)
- Libraries dedicated to the inhibition of the interaction protein/protein or protein/peptide :
 - 2P2I3D
 - Fr-PPICHEm
 - Life chemical rule of four
 - Part of the ChemDiv Eccentric
 - Fragments library

Plates size :

- 96 wells
- **384 wells**
- **1536 wells** (NS5 DV, Sars CoV)

Workflow on PCML

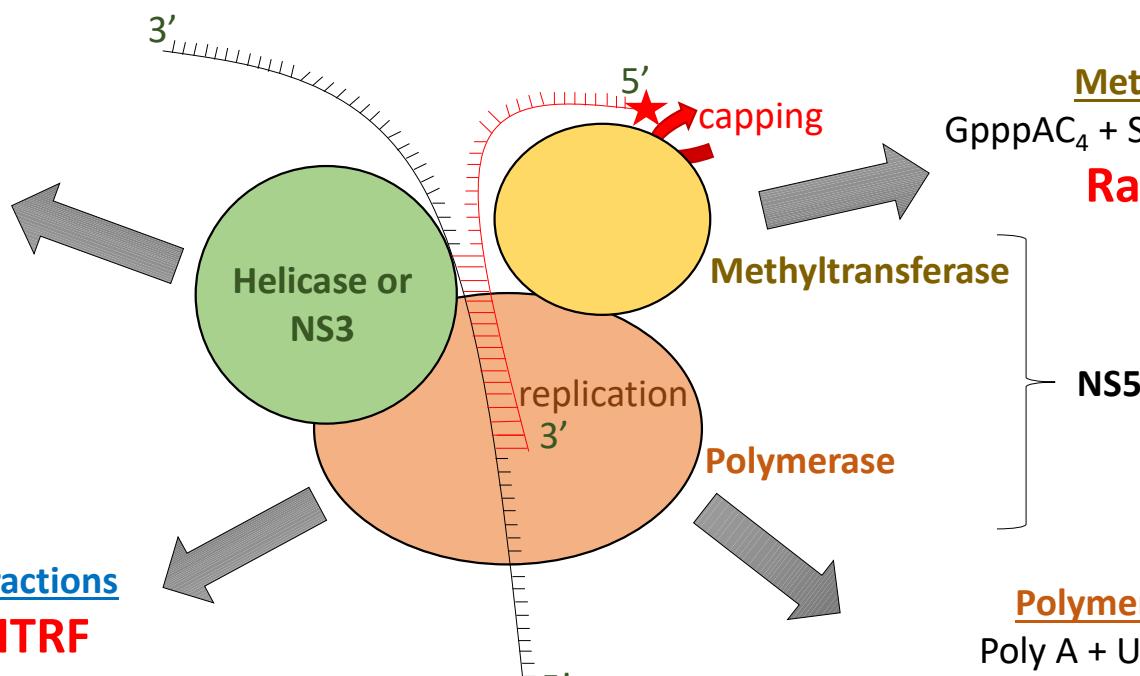


Screening – IC50



ATPase activity
ATP \rightarrow ADP + Pi
Detection of Pi by Biomolgreen reagent (luminescence) (IC50)

Protein/protein interactions
Detection by HTRF (Screen/IC50)



Methyltransferase activity
 $\text{GpppAC}_4 + \text{SAM}^{(3)\text{H}} \rightarrow {}^{3}\text{HmGpppAC}_4 + \text{SAH}$
Radioactive assays (Screen/IC50)

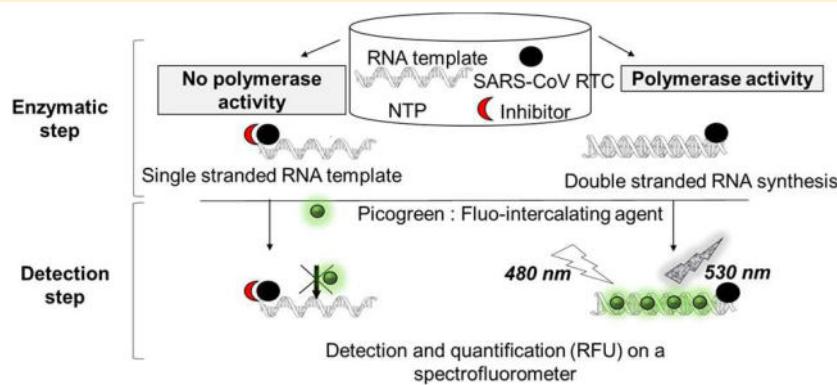
NS5

Polymerase activity
 $\text{Poly A} + \text{UTP} \rightarrow \text{Poly A/U}$
Detection of double strand RNA by Picogreen reagent (fluorescence) (Screen/IC50)



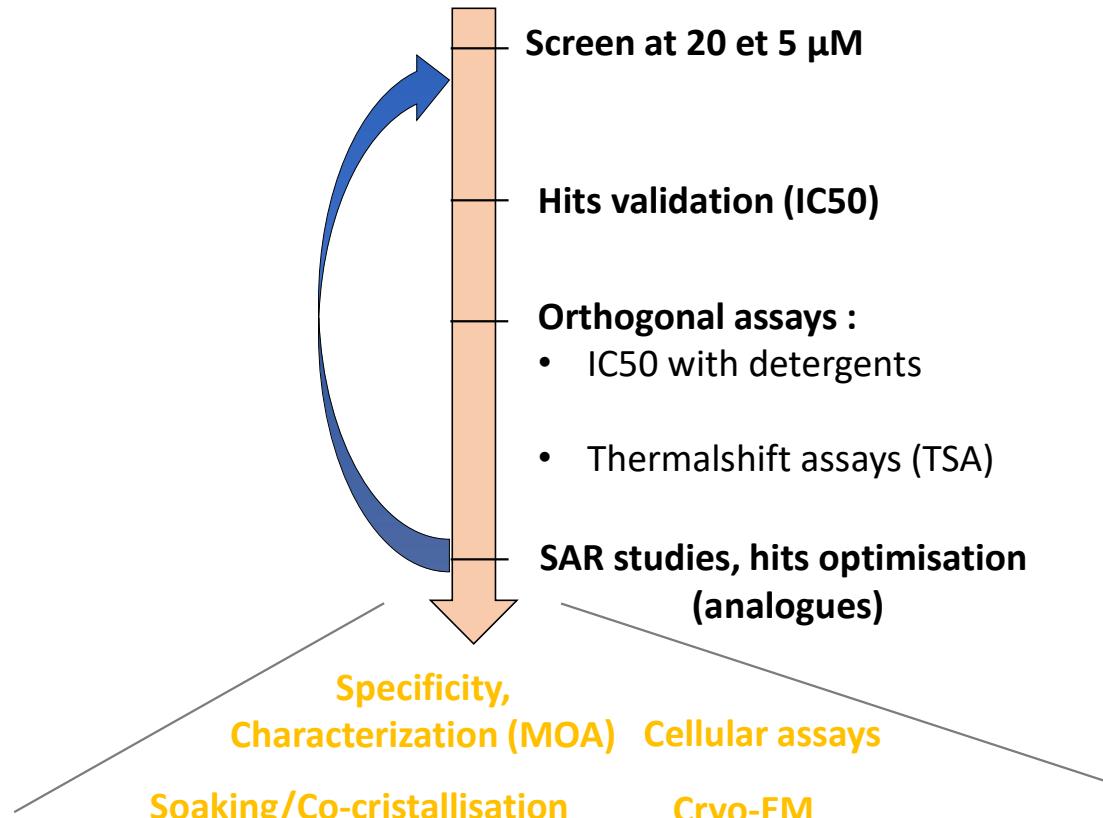
Screening – IC50

Example on SARS Cov-2 replication complex



Eydoux C, Fattorini V, Shannon A, Le TT, Didier B, Canard B, Guillermot JC. *J Virol Methods*. 2021 Feb;288:114013. PMID: 33166547

	ID	Number of Compounds	Hit rate	Z'
Prestwick	Chemical	1520	3.02%	0,8
	Natural	320	9.7%	0,75
	Pyridazine	400	2.2%	0,78
Academic	PPI-Chem	10 314	0.75%	0,85
	CNE	1040	3.4 %	0,8
Pharma Y	Virtual screen	618	0,30%	0,84
	Virtual screen	150	0%	0,8
Pharma J	virtual screen	129+2839	0 to 1,2%	0,75
Pharma P	Virtual screen	4996	(0,1 to 0,04%)	0,78
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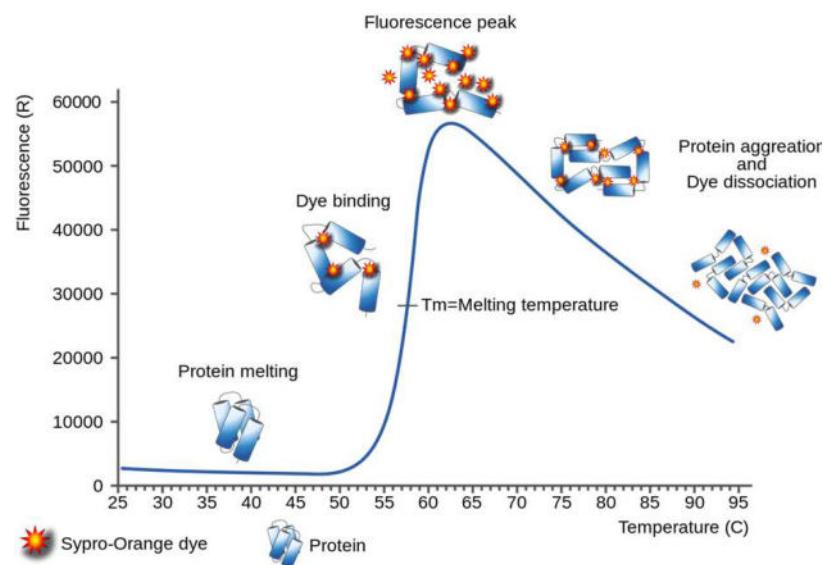


Orthogonal assays



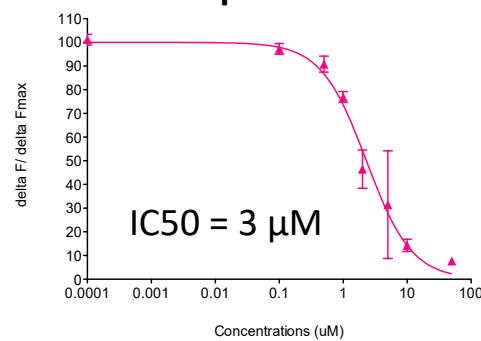
Thermal shift assay (TSA)

Validation of the compound/protein interaction ($K_{d_{app}}$)
Help to cristalogenesis, cryo-EM...

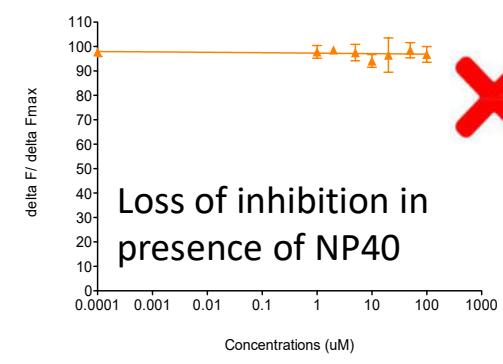
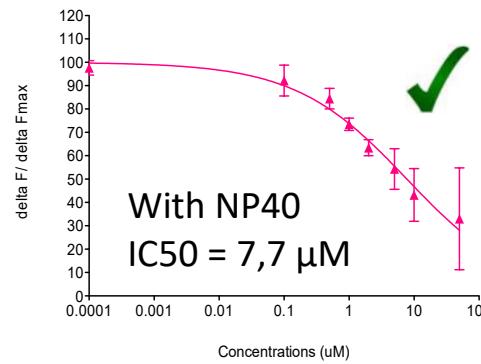
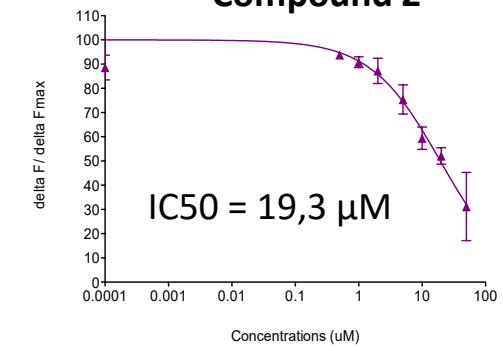


IC50 with and without detergent
(aggregator,unspecific binding...)

Compound 1



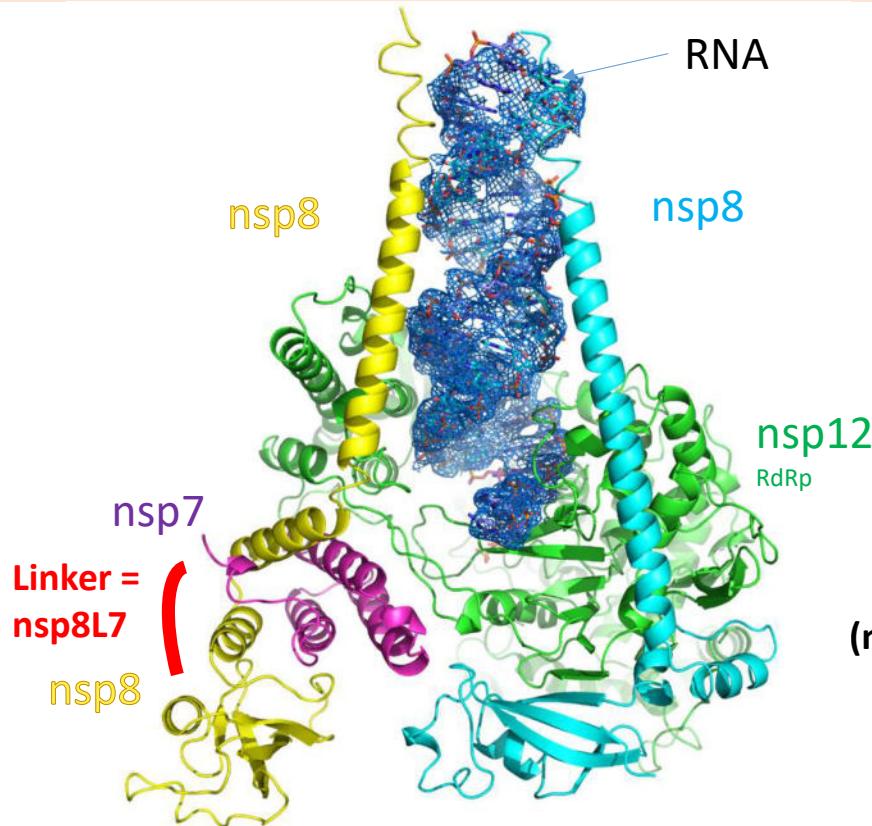
Compound 2



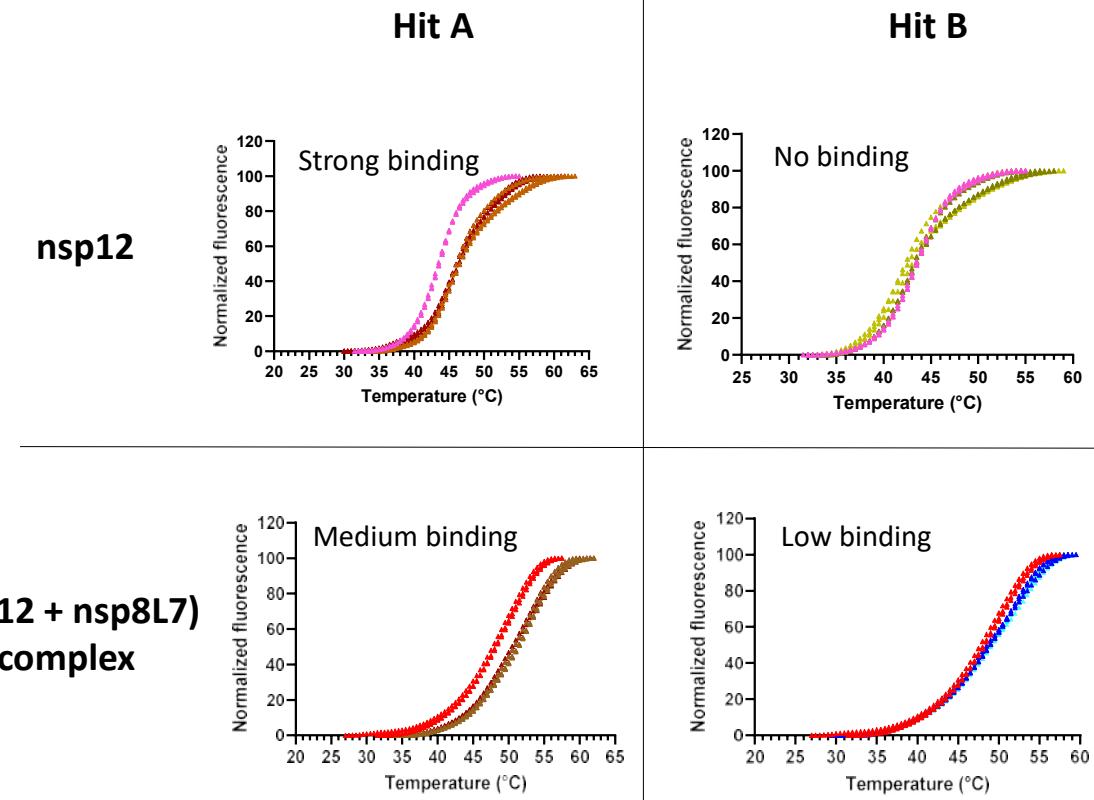


Orthogonal assays

Simplify mapping of hits on the SARS-CoV2 RTC by TSA assay



(nsp12 + nsp8L7)
complex



-> Hit A : Cryo-EM and co-crystallization are on going