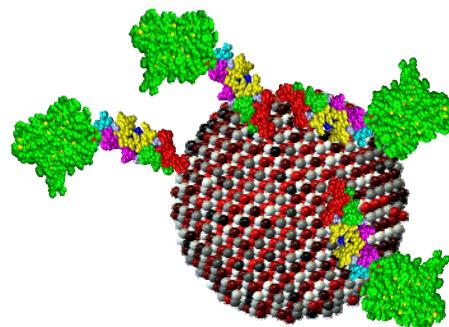


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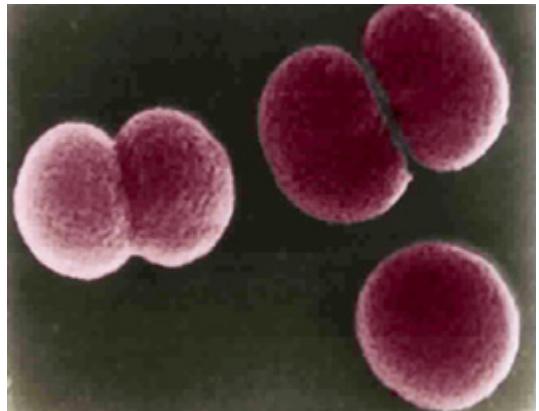
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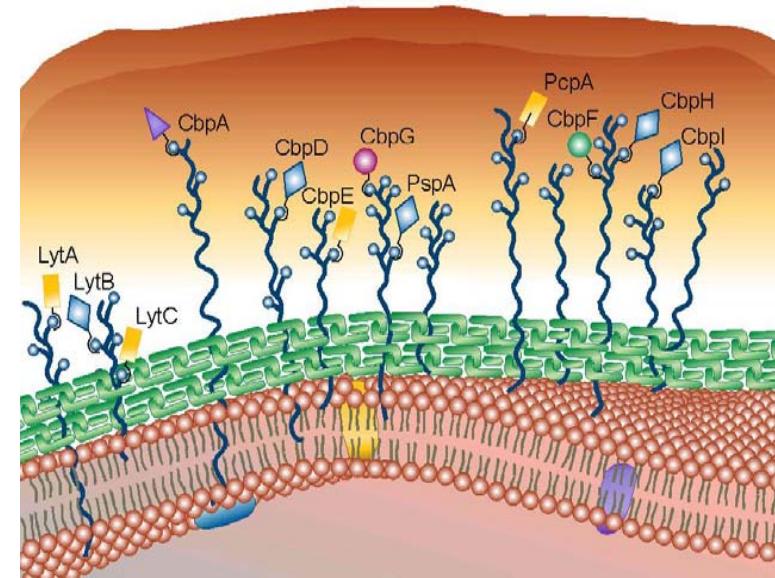
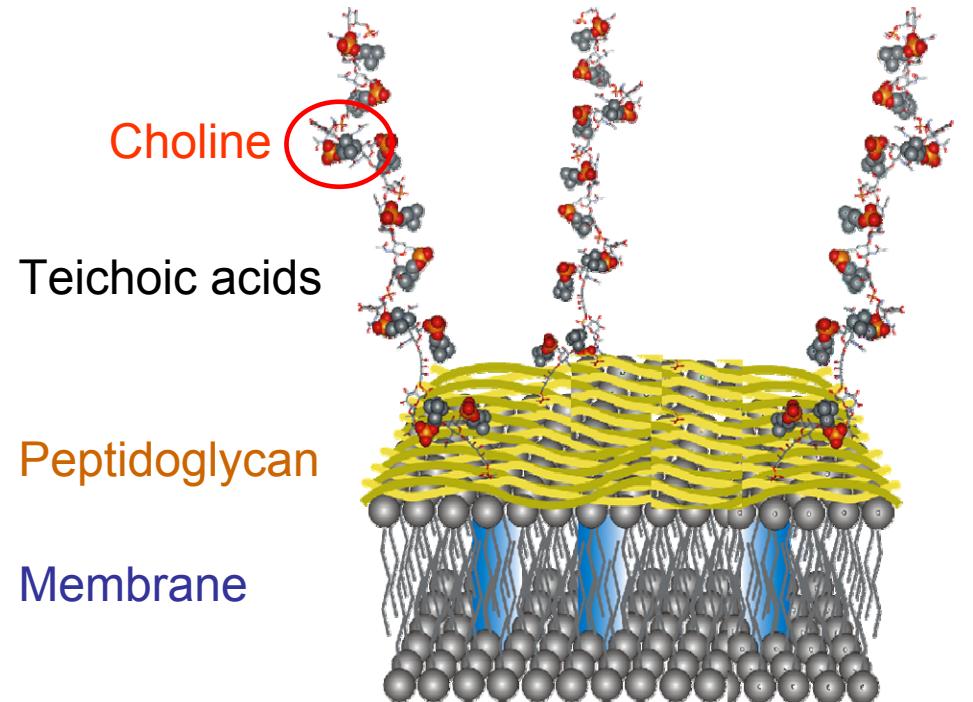
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Streptococcus pneumoniae
(pneumococcus)



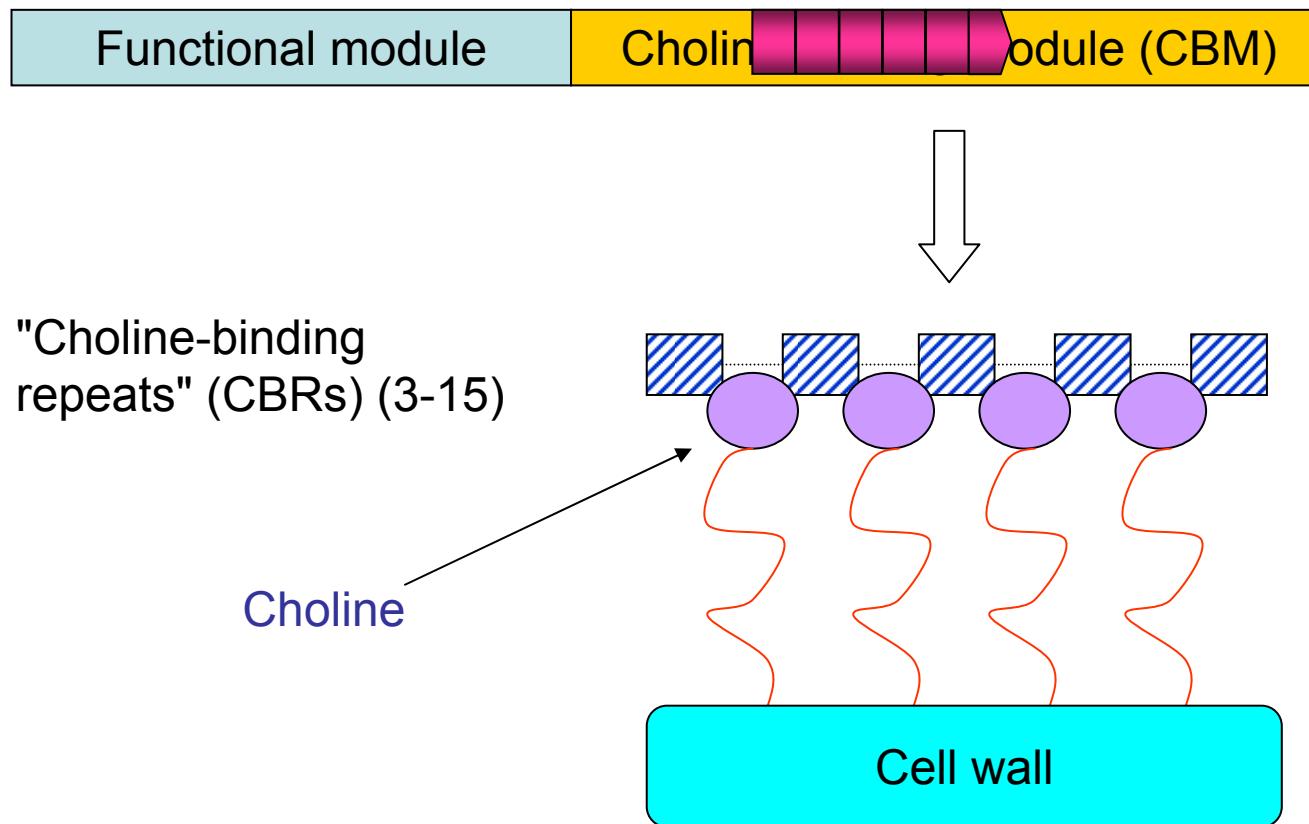
Choline-binding proteins (CBPs)

CBP relevance

- Cell viability
- Infectivity
- Toxin release
- Lysis of cell wall (cell division)

Choline-binding proteins (CBPs)

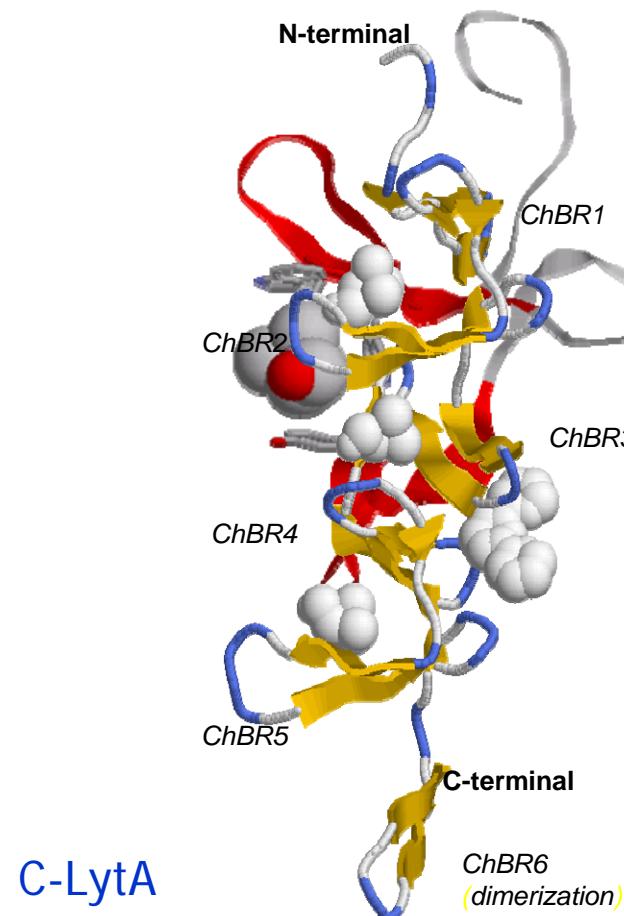
15 members described so far



C-LytA module

Structure of C-LytA (15 kDa)

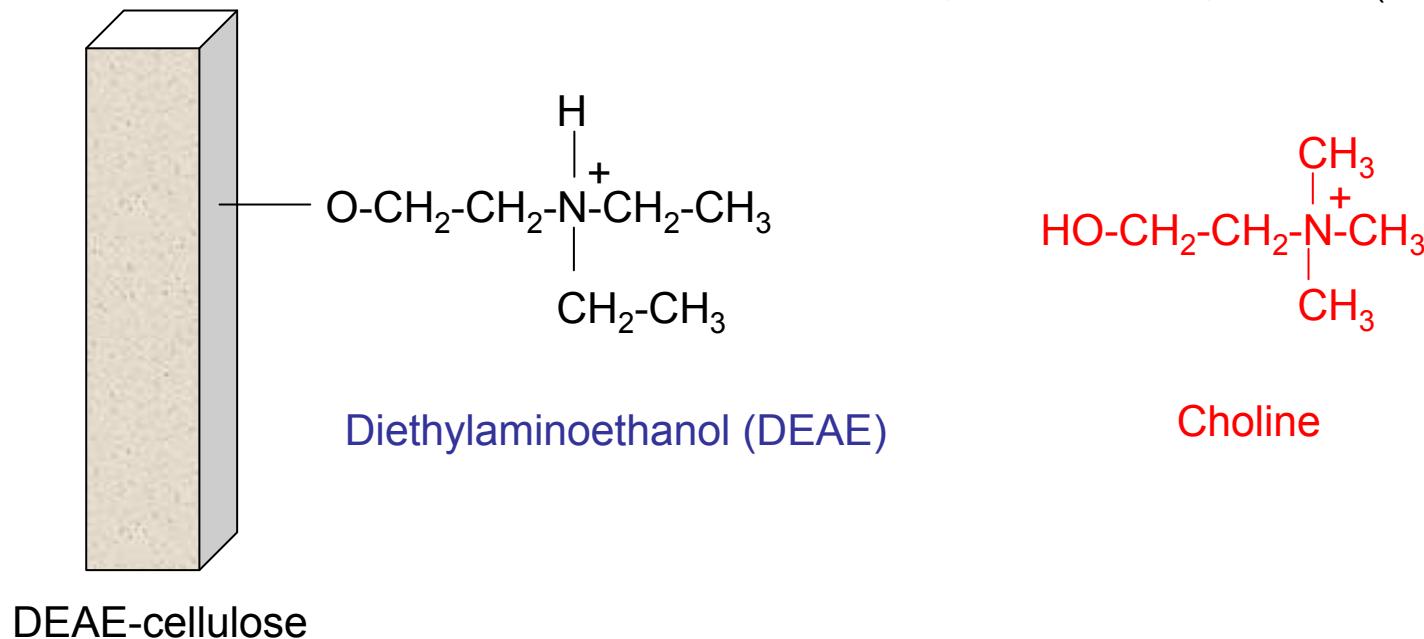
- The choline-binding repeats (CBRs) are β -hairpins
- Two consecutive CBRs configure a binding site
- The hairpins conform an extended superhelix - the $\beta\beta$ -3-solenoid



CBMs as affinity tags for protein purification/immobilization

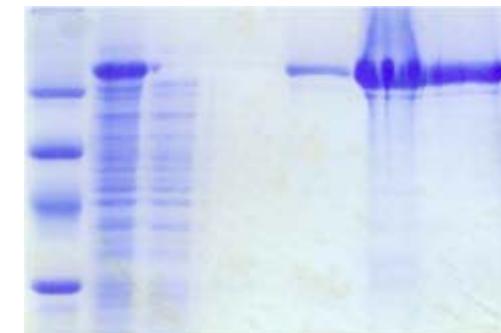
Choline-binding proteins do not exclusively recognize choline

Sanz *et al.*, FEBS lett. 232, 308-312 (1988)



Purification of fusion proteins in DEAE

$\text{NH}_2\text{-}$ Choline-binding module Protein -COOH

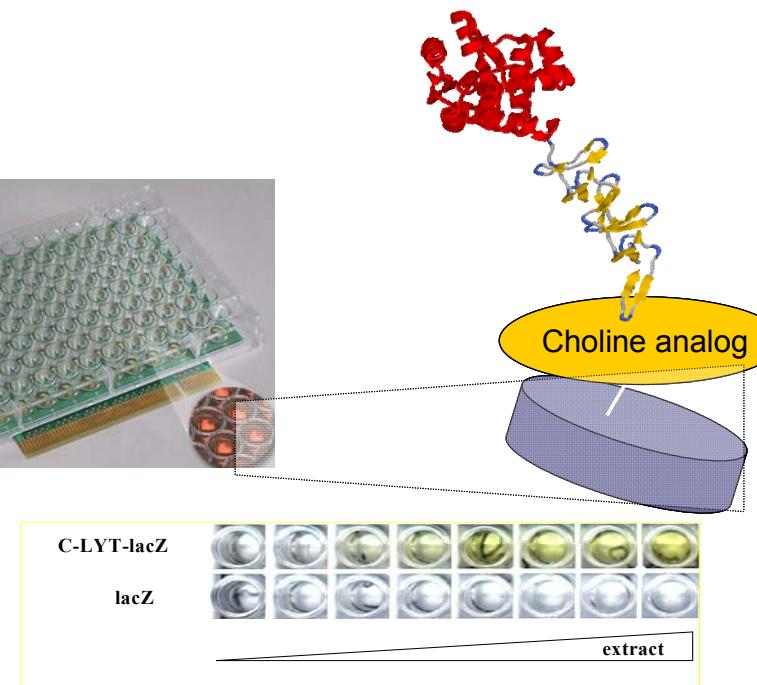


Sanchez-Puelles *et al.*, Eur. J. Biochem. 203, 153-159 (1992)
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Proteins containing choline-binding domains are easily immobilized



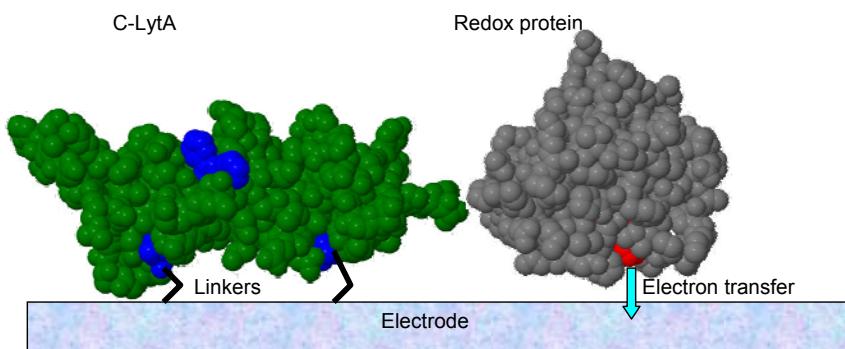
DEAE-Paper



Protein arrays/biosensors



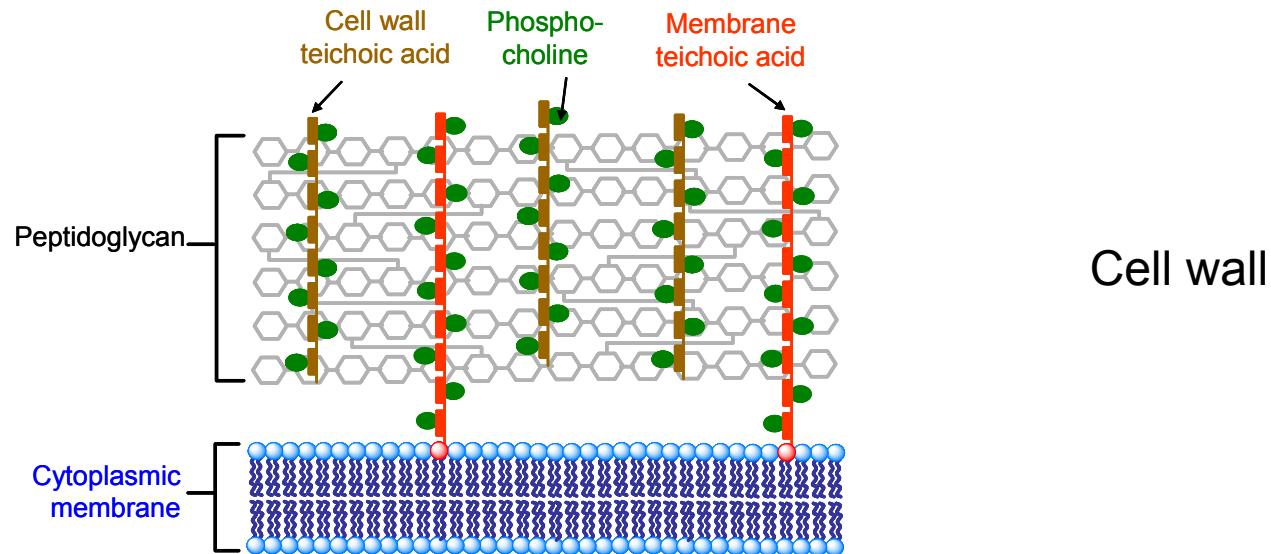
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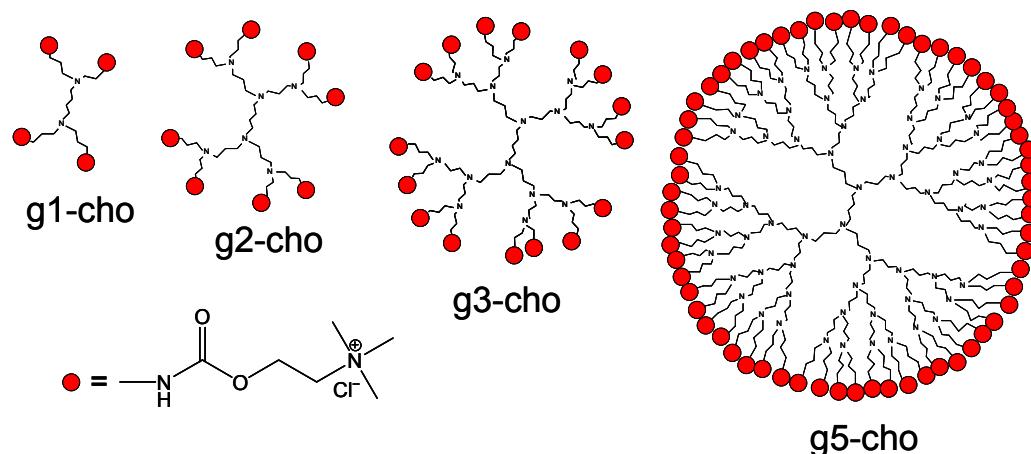
Enzymatic electrodes

Bioinspired nanomaterials: Choline PPI dendrimers

Hernández-Rocamora *et al.* Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. 48, 948-951 (2009)

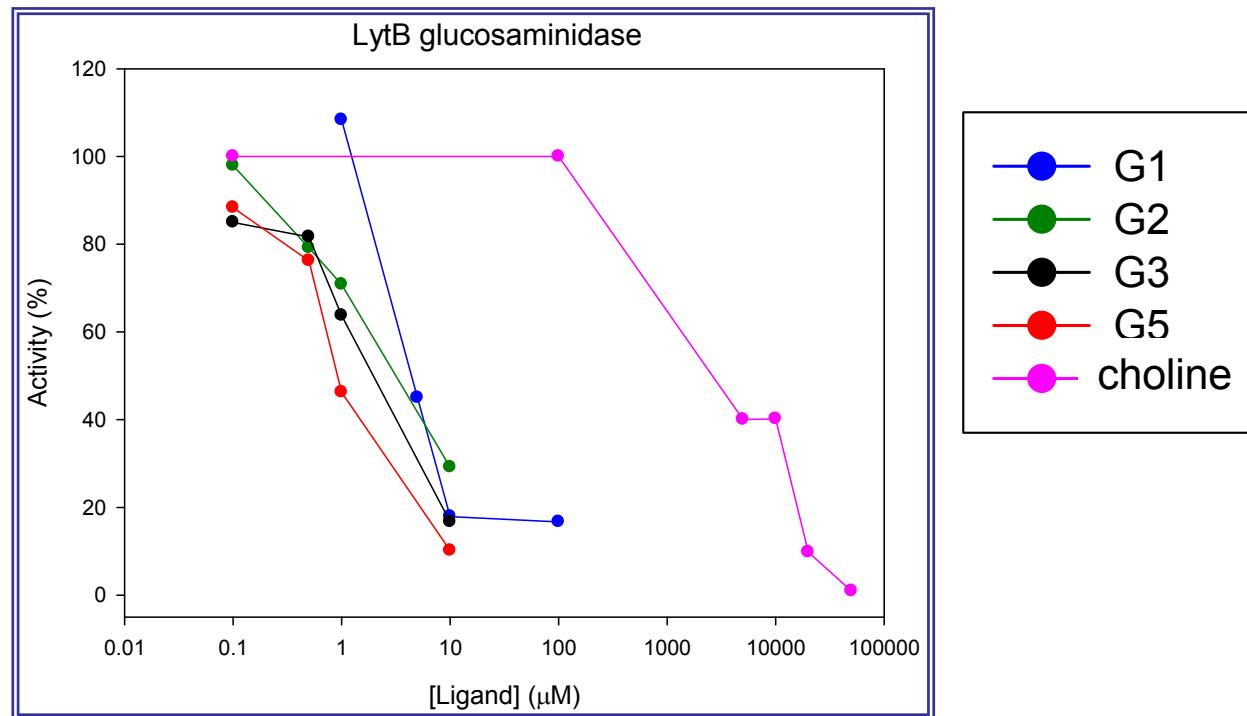


Cell wall



Dendrimers as
mimics of cell wall

Multivalent disposition of choline enhances CBP affinity

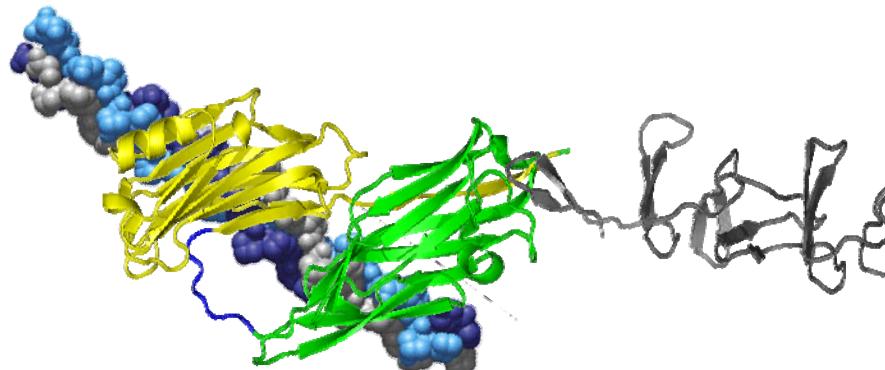


Dendrimer	Protein	Kd (μM)
g1-cho (4 cholines)	C-LytGFP	4.1 ± 1.0
g2-cho (8 cholines)	C-LytGFP	0.15 ± 0.05
g3-cho (16 cholines)	C-LytGFP	0.04 ± 0.01
g5-cho (64 cholines)	C-LytGFP	0.02 ± 0.01

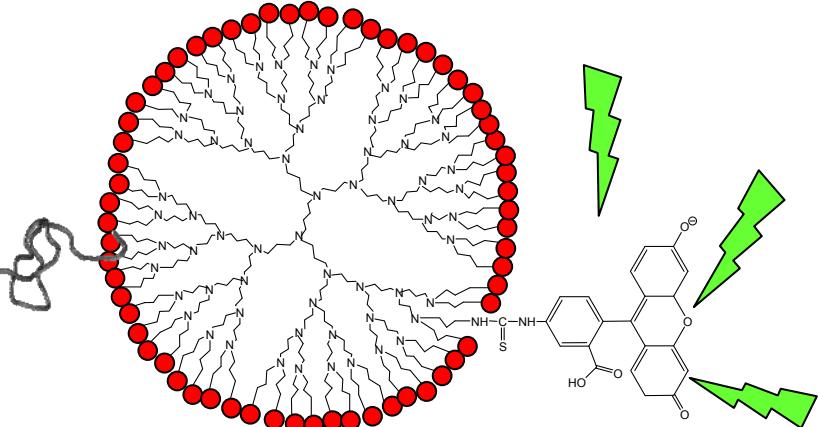
Tissue imaging using CBM-choline dendrimer cassettes

Hernández-Rocamora *et al.* Chem. Comm. in press (2011)

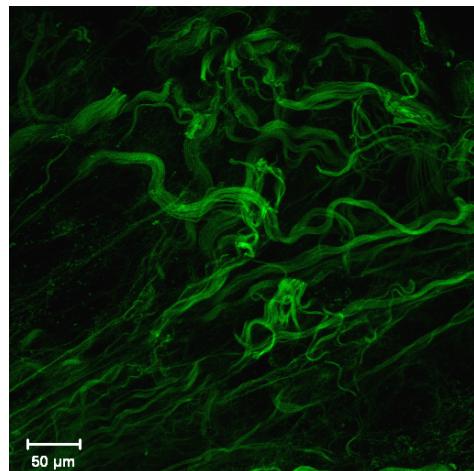
Collagen



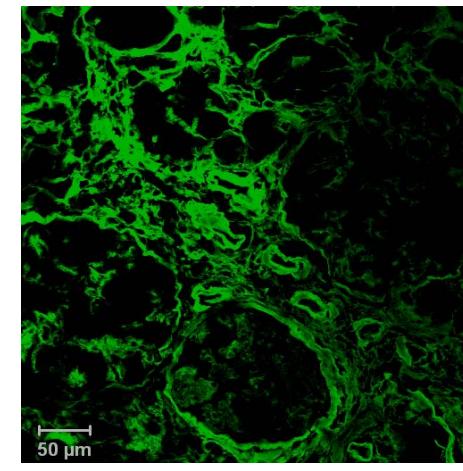
CNA35 (collagen binding protein)
fused to C-LytA



g5-cho/FITC

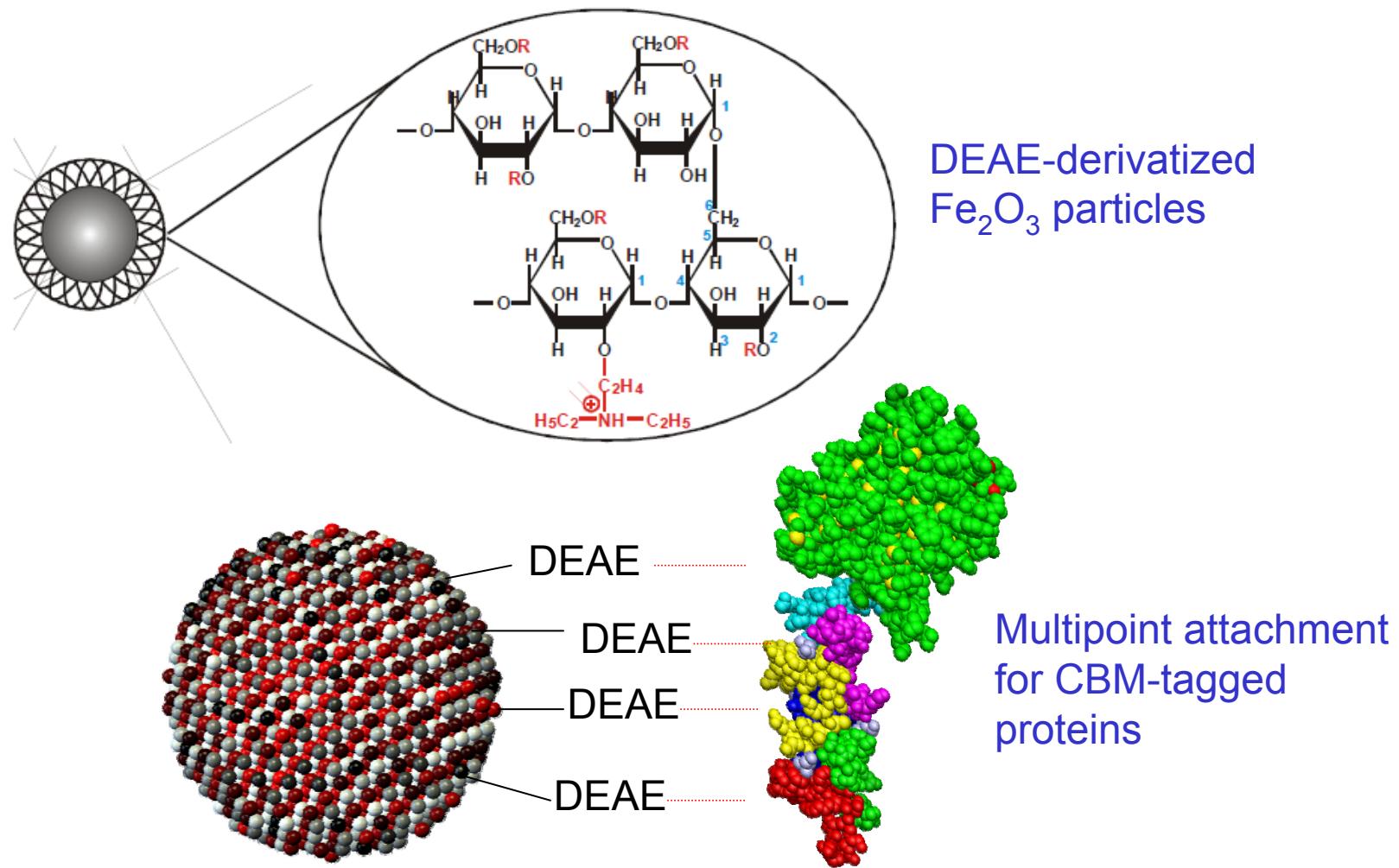


Porcine pericardium



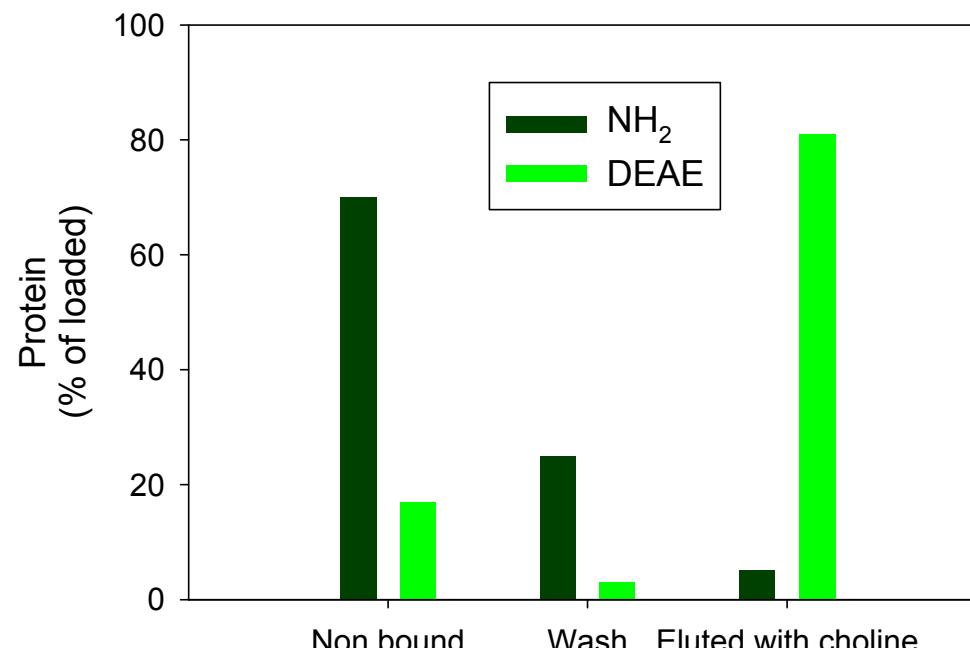
Human kidney

Biofunctionalization of magnetic nanoparticles



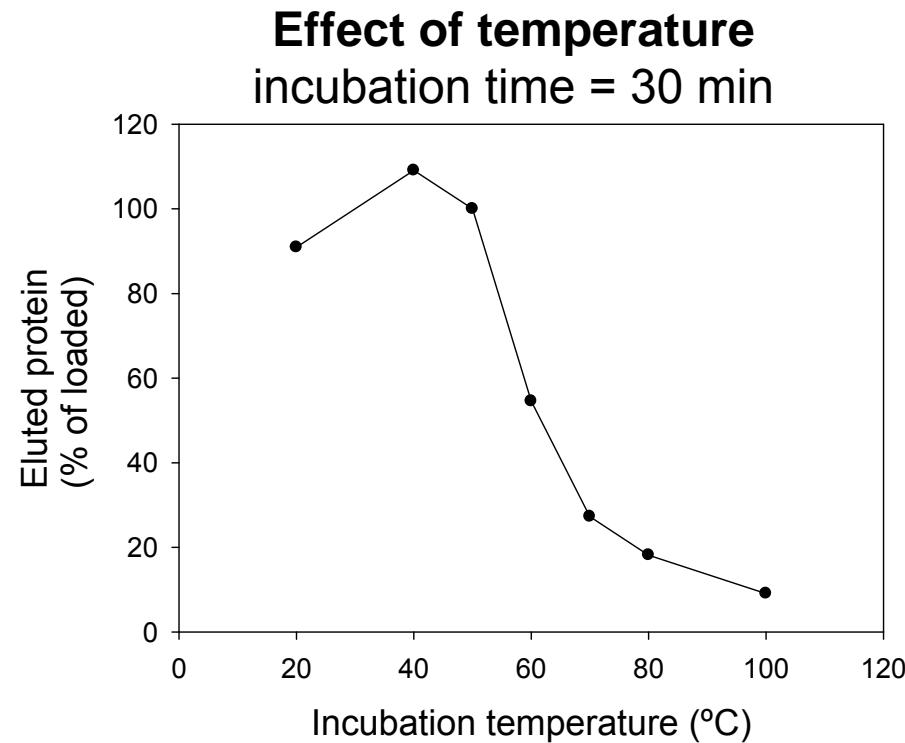
DEAE particles bind C-LytA with specificity and efficiency

Chemicell™ FluidMag
DEAE-starch or NH₂-starch
 $\varnothing = 200$ nm



Yield: ≈ 50 mg protein/g of particles

Stability of the interaction



No effect of detergents on binding:
Sarkosyl 0.1%
CHAPS 0.1%

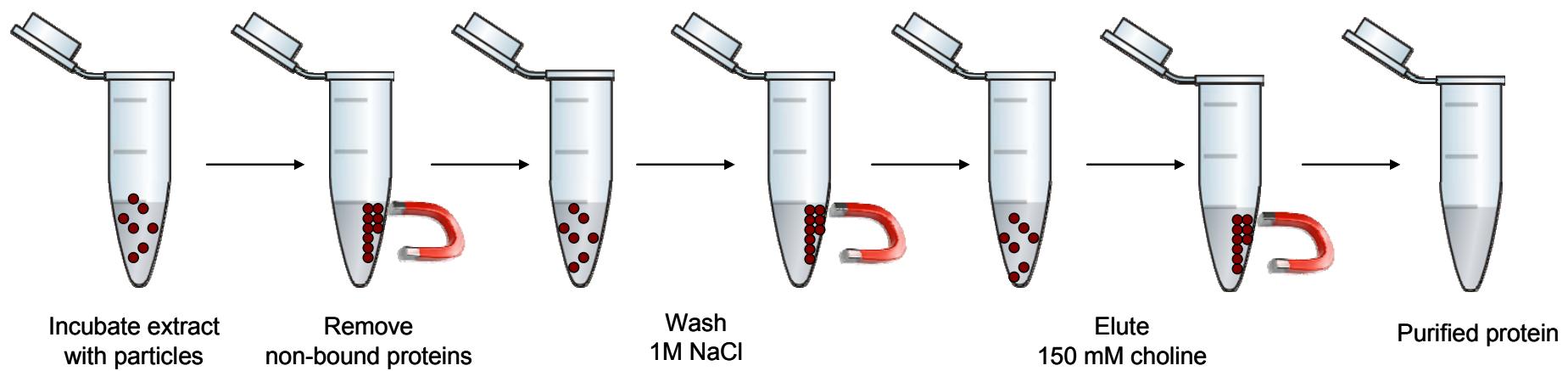
Other particles tested:

Chemicell™ SiMag
DEAE-silica $\varnothing = 750$ nm

Obtained by coprecipitation
DEAE-dextran, $\varnothing = 10$ nm
(Puerto Morales, ICMM, Madrid)

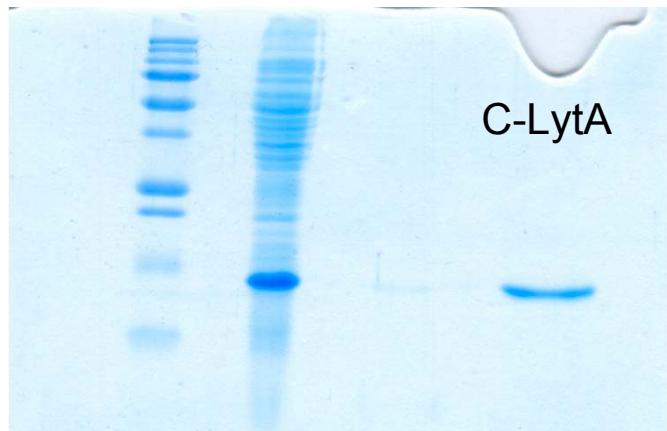
Magnetic nanoparticles as supports for CBM-tagged protein purification

Chemicell™ FluidMag
DEAE-starch
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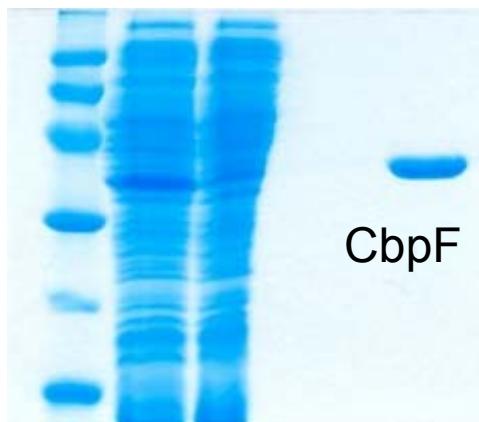
Purification from a cell extract

SDS-PAGE electrophoresis



C-LytA

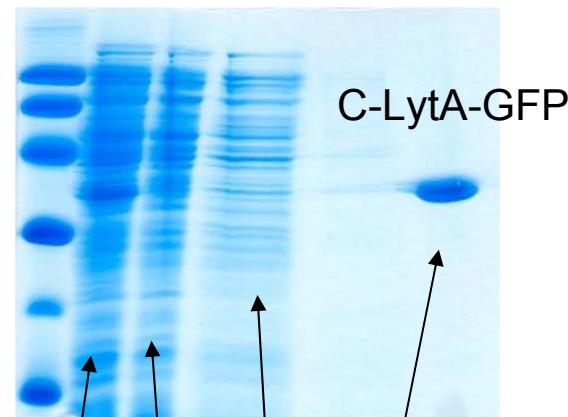
Isolated module



CbpF

Full-length choline-binding protein

Fusion protein with GFP

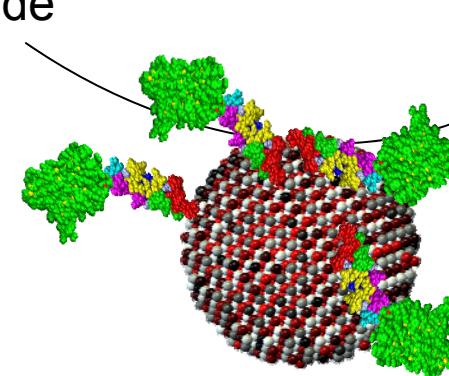


C-LytA-GFP

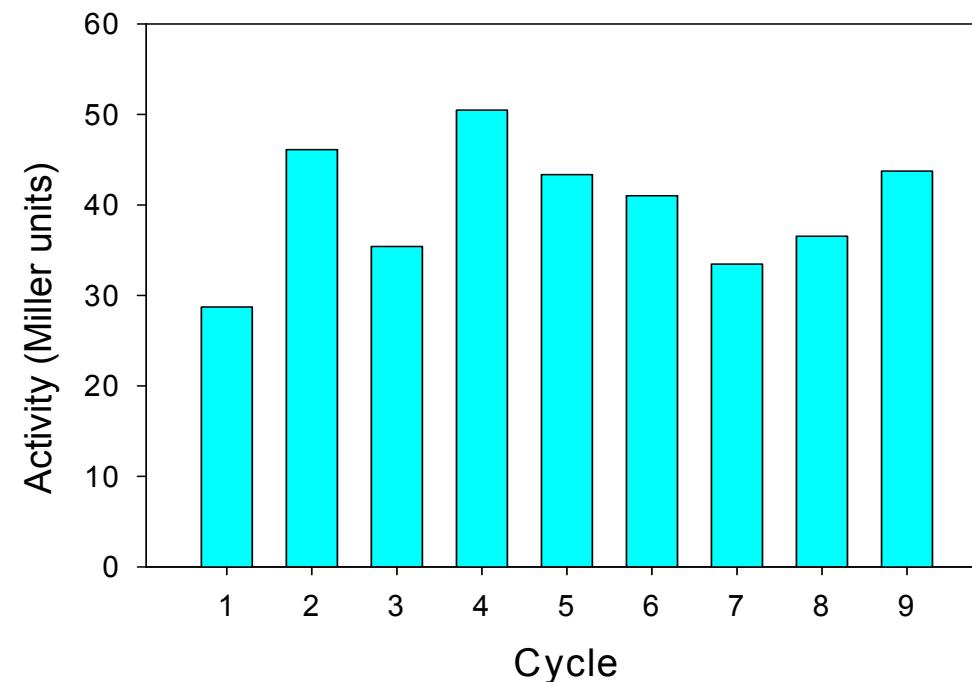


Bioinspired nanobioreactors: Immobilization of a functional C-LytA- β -galactosidase enzyme

$\text{o-nitrophenylgalactopyranoside}$

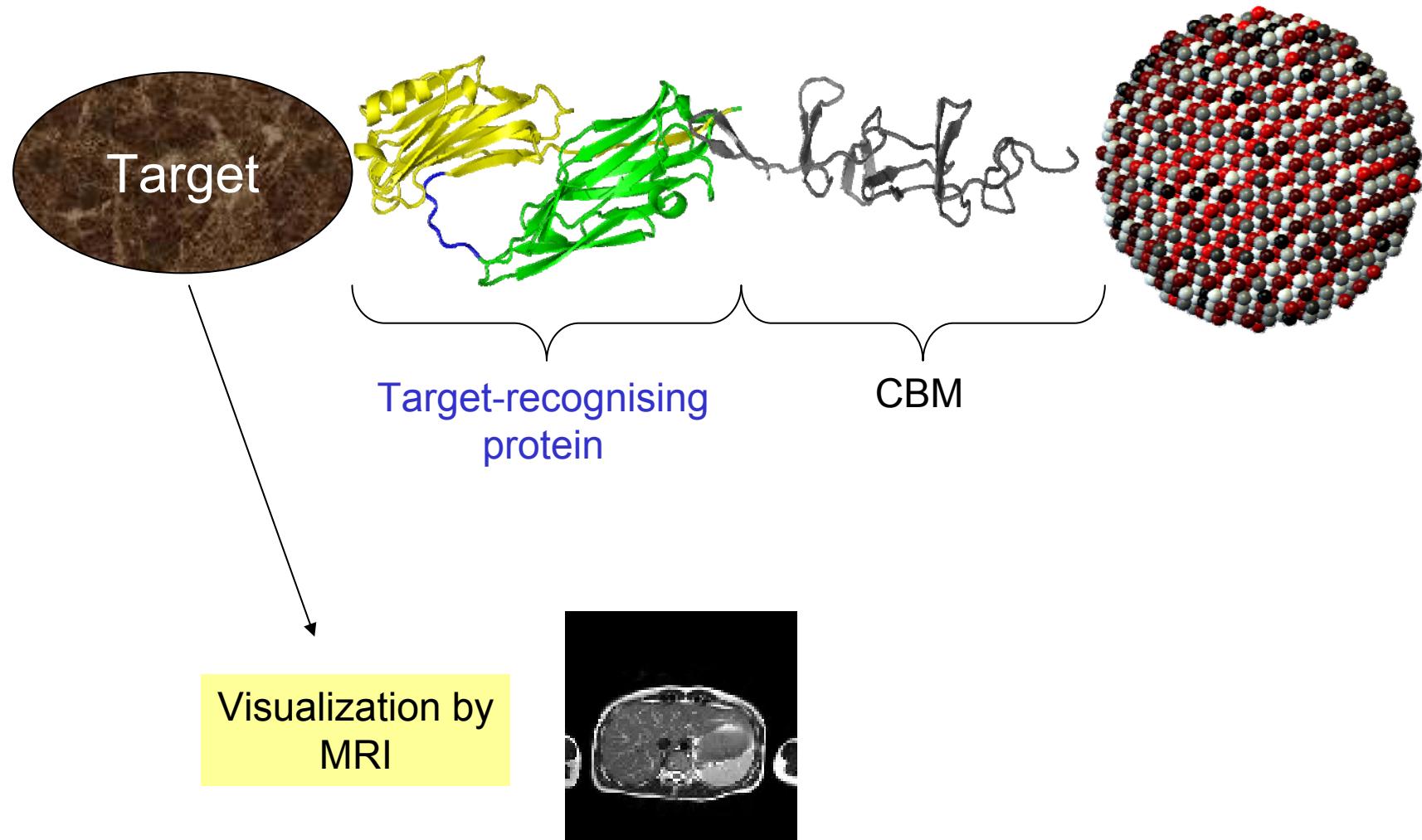


$\text{o-nitrophenol + galactose}$



Future developments

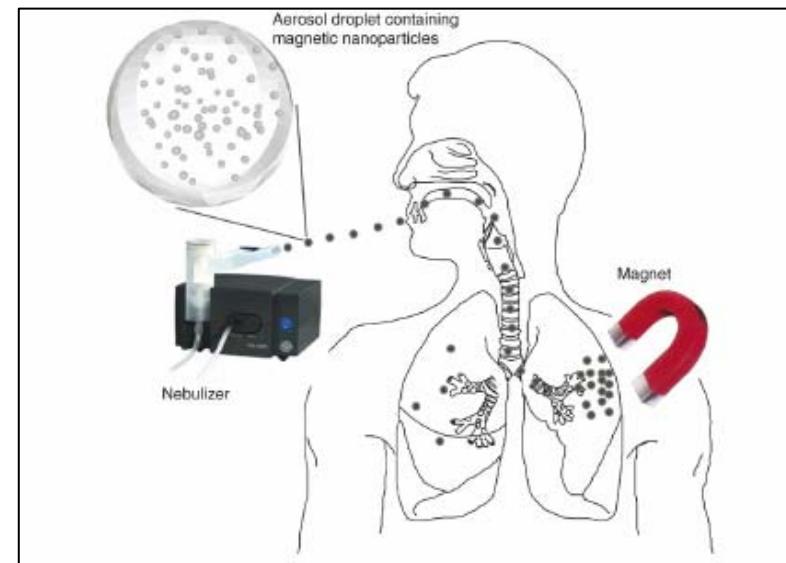
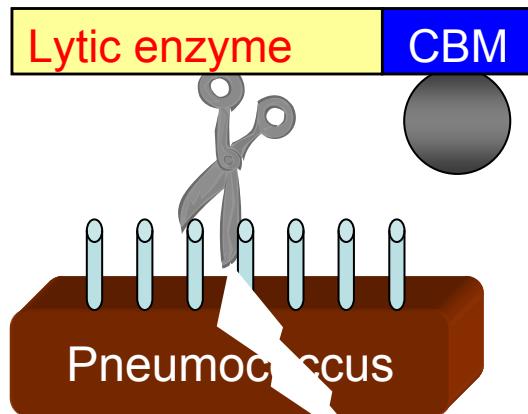
Directed targeting



Future developments

Magnet-guided targeting (nanomagnetoaerosols)

Transporters of pneumococcal lytic enzymes



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