

Investor and Analyst Day

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- 9:00 – 9:15 **Welcome** | Dr. Wenbin Jiang, CEO
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- 9:45 – 10:00 **Aurora at the NIH** | Dr. Bill Telford, NIH/NCI (*by video*)
- 10:00 – 10:15 **High Dimensional Cell Sorting** | Kevin Weller, Ohio State
- 10:15 – 10:30 **Aurora Empowering Immunological Research** | Dr. Anna Belkina, Boston University
- 10:30 – 10:45 **Cytometry in Leukemia & Lymphoma** | Dr. Franklin “Buddy” Fuda, UTSW
- 10:45 – 10:55 **Break**
- 10:55 – 11:25 **Product and Technology Overview** | Dr. Ming Yan, CTO and Mark Herberger
- 11:25 – 11:35 **Financial Overview** | Patrik Jeanmonod, CFO
- 11:35 – 11:45 **Business Strategy and Conclusions** | Dr. Wenbin Jiang
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- 12:00 – 12:30 **Hors d’oeuvre and Social**

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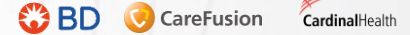
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Cytek Highlights



Patented, transformative FSP platform, delivering deep insights, high-throughput and ease-of-use



Addresses unmet needs and provides highly intuitive and flexible customer experiences



Enabling broad applications in discovery, translational and clinical



Diversified customer base with accelerating publications

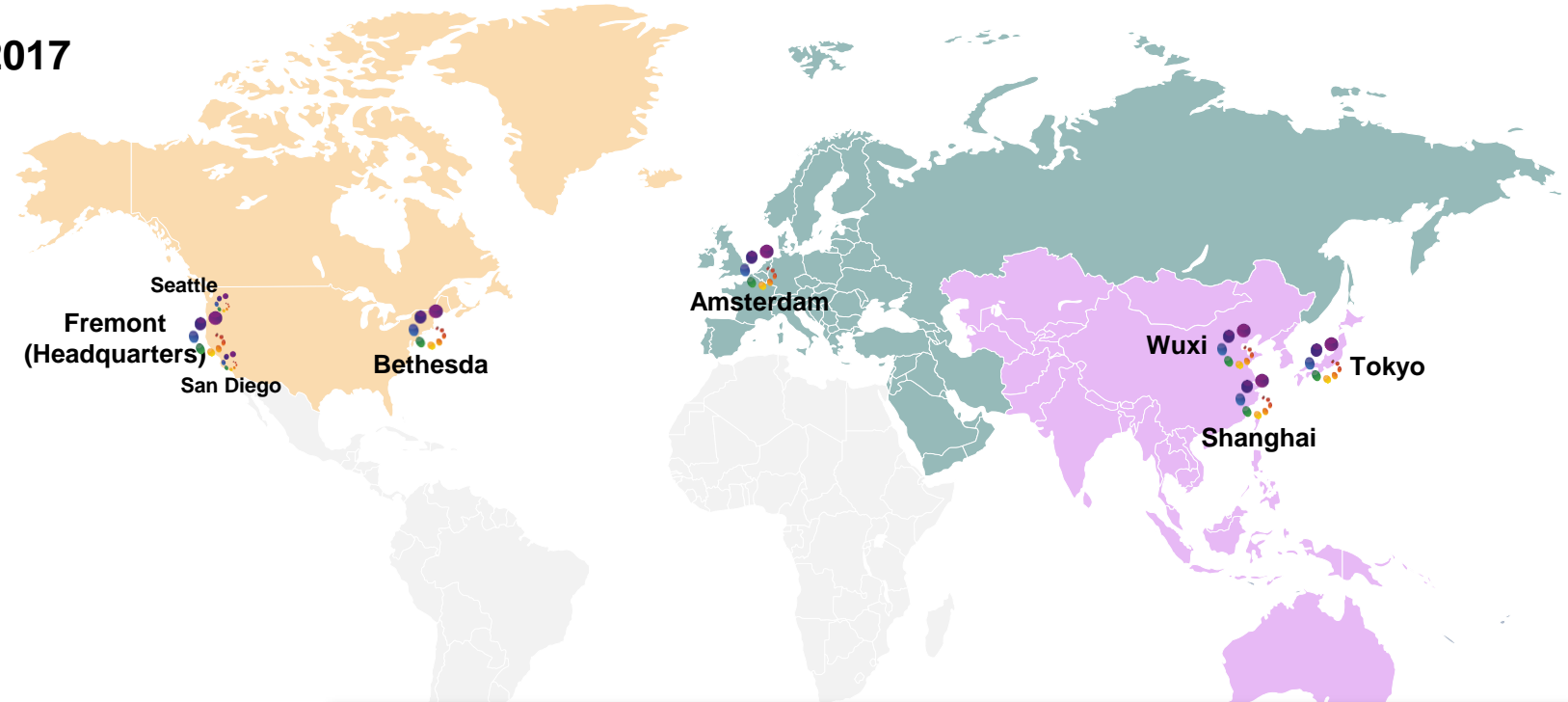


Global scale and reach, with uniquely diversified geographics

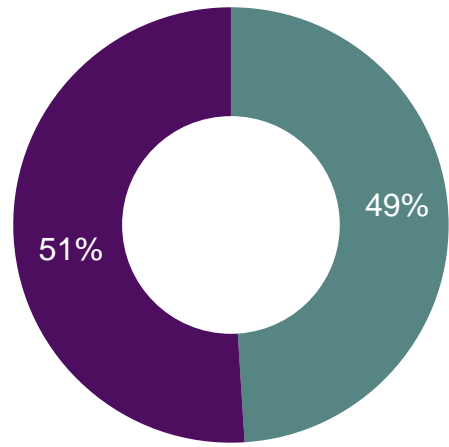
Global Scale and Reach with Diversified Revenue Mix

Since launch of Aurora Series in 2017

- 900+ Customers
- 500+ Employees
- 150+ Biopharma Companies
- 40+ Countries
- WW Applications, Service & Sales

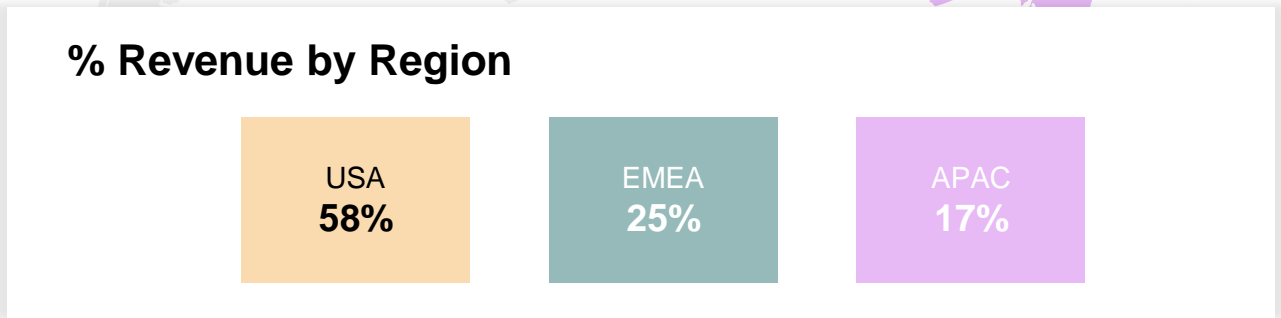


% Revenue by Industry



- Academic and Government-Owned Institutions
- Pharmaceutical and Biotechnology Companies, Distributors and CROs

% Revenue by Region



Investing to Capture the Cell Analysis Opportunity

Validated Technology Platform*

1,226

Units Placed

740

Publications

*Units as of 3/31/22
Publications as of June '22

Broad Customer Base and Global Presence

900+

Customers

40+

Countries

Strong Financial Profile*

\$139M

\$18M

TTM Revenue/
A-EBITDA

\$362M

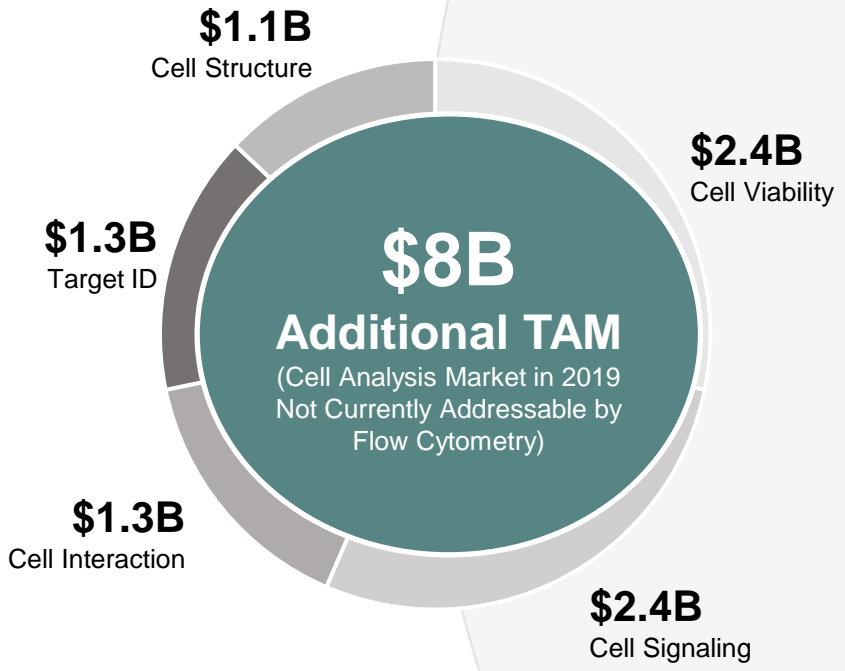
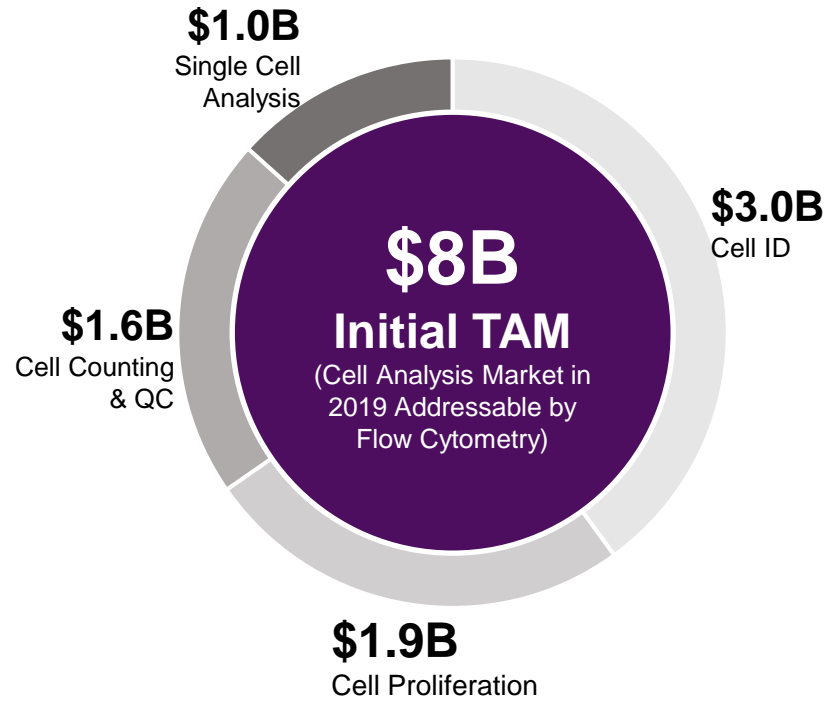
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* Data as of 3/31/22



Our FSP Platform Allows Us to Address the Broader Cell Analysis Market



\$23B Long-Term TAM
(Total Cell Analysis Market in 2024)

-  Marine Biology
-  Water Supply Contamination
-  Alternative Biofuels

Today's Focus Areas

Where Flow Cytometry fits in Research, Clinical, Diagnostics, and Other Areas

Market Segments, Sizes, and Growth Rates

What our Technology Enables: Why Customers Choose Cytek

Reagents – Markets and Opportunities

4 Real World Examples of Cytek's Use in Research and Clinical

Our Financial Profile and Business Drivers

Our Business Strategy and Objectives

The Reasons Cytek Can Become #1 in Cell Analysis



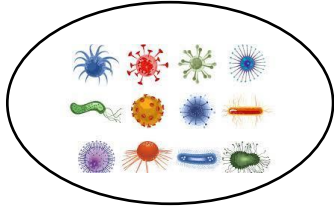
Investor and Analyst Day Market Overview

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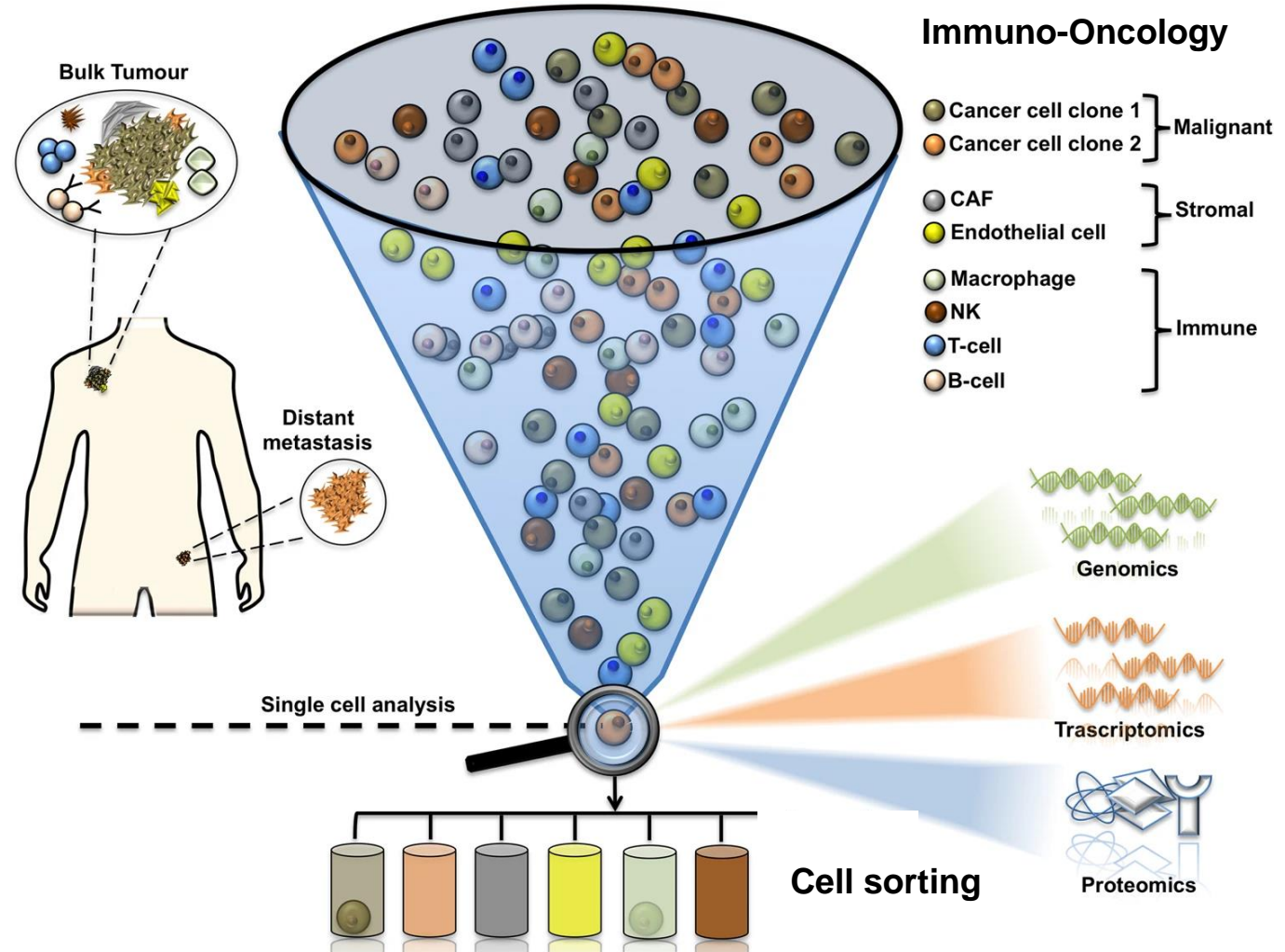
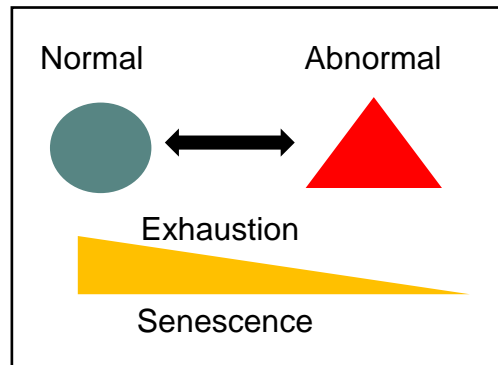
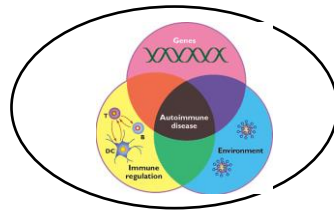
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Why Flow Cytometry? A Transformative Platform Technology

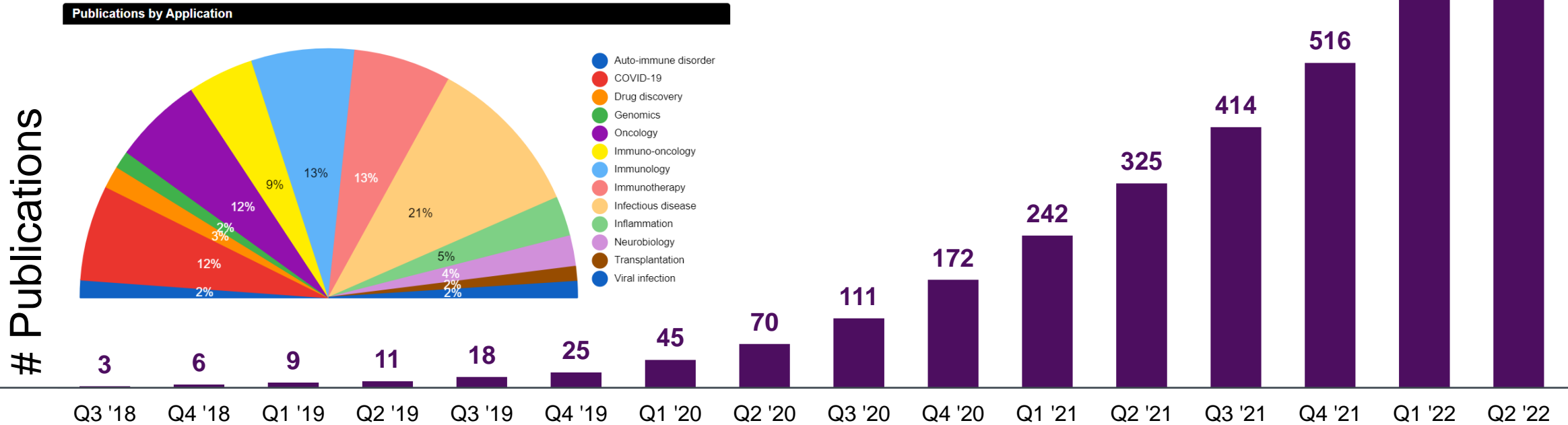
Infectious diseases



Autoimmune diseases



Cytek Technology Enables Applications



Market Forces and Needs Shaping Cell Analysis

Research

Emergence of high dimensional characterization & functional assays

- The rise of immunotherapy, tumor microenvironment, infectious disease studies (COVID)
- In 2021 Flow Cytometry accounted for the largest share of ~29% of the global cell analysis market

Target customers

- Academic Institutions
- Pharma & Biotech R&D

Translational

CRO focus on cell markers and biomarkers leads to new clinical applications

- Comprehensive Panels, New Fluorochromes
- Instrument Characterization, Optimization, Standardization
- Panel Construction, Optimization, Validation, Automation
- Data Analysis, Automated Analysis, Cloud-based

Target customers

- CRO, Pharma, Specialty labs

Clinical

Performance (quality), price, IVD, customer service are fundamental needs

- Validated applications & assay kits
- Understanding and adjusting to changing clinical regulations
- EU IVDR May 2022 (replacing IVDD)
- Laboratory Developed Tests (LDT)
- VALID Act proposed in US congress to replace 510 K and LDT with new category

Target customers

- Reference labs, hospital labs
- Developing country clinical labs

Cytek Plans to Expand the Market and Capture Share

	Research	Translational	Clinical
Customer Segment	Academic	Pharma / BioTech / CRO	Reference labs, hospitals
Application(s)	Immuoprofiling Immuno-Onc, Immunology	Dendritic cells, Car-T, Vaccine development & trials, Receptor Occupancy Assays	MRD, IO, LDT, Immunotherapy monitoring
Competitors	BD, Danaher, Cytek, Thermo, Agilent, Cytof, Miltenyi, Sony	BD, Danaher, Miltenyi, Agilent, Cytek	BD, Danaher, Cytek
Market CAGR	~10-12%	~12-15%	~5-8%

Cytek Market Share Expected to Increase

A Selection of Application Areas for FSP



Flow Cytometry Cell Analysis

Immuno-oncology

blood

RESEARCH ARTICLE | IMMUNOLOGY | NOVEMBER 8, 2020

One Tube 24 Color Full Spectral Flow Cytometry and Multi-Dimensional Software to Study the Maturation Pattern and Antigen Expression of the Myeloid

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Immuno-deficiencies

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Natural killer cell phenotype is altered in HIV-exposed seronegative women

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Abstract
 Highly exposed seronegative (HESN) individuals present a unique setting to study mechanisms of protection against HIV acquisition. As natural killer (NK) cell activation and function have been implicated as a correlate of protection in HESN individuals, we sought to better understand the features of NK cells that may confer protection. We used mass cytometry to phenotypically profile NK cells from a cohort of 26 women sex partners and healthy controls. We found that NK cells from HESN women had increased expression of NKG2A, NKG2C and ULBP1, as well as the Fcγ receptor CD16 and decreased expression of DNAM-1, CD14, Siglec7, and NKG4L. Using functional assessments of NK cells from healthy donors against autologous HIV-infected CD4⁺ T cells, we observed that NKG2C⁺ and Siglec7⁺ cells had increased cytotoxic activity. Further, we found that NK cells from HESN women tended towards increased antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity (ADCC) activity. Our study correlated with increased CD16 expression. Overall, we identify features of NK cells in HESN women that may contribute to protection from HIV infection. Follow up studies with larger cohorts are warranted to confirm these findings.

Figures

Allergy & Immunology

Androgen receptor signaling promotes Treg suppressive function during allergic airway inflammation

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Abstract
 Women have higher prevalence of asthma compared with men. In asthma, allergic airway inflammation is initiated by IL-33 signaling through ST2, leading to increased IL-4, IL-5, and IL-13 production and eosinophilic infiltration. Foxp3⁺ Tregs suppress and ST2⁺ Tregs promote allergic airway inflammation. Clinical studies showed that the androgen, dihydrodendroepiandrosterone (DHEA) reduced asthma symptoms in patients, and mouse studies showed that androgen receptor (AR) signaling decreased allergic airway inflammation. Yet the impact of AR signaling on lung Tregs remains unclear. Using AR-deficient and Foxp3 fate-mapping mice, we determined that AR signaling increased Treg suppression during Alternaria extract (AE Ext; allergen) challenge by stabilizing Foxp3⁺ Tregs and limiting the number of ST2⁺ ex-Tregs and IL-13⁺ Th2 cells and ex-Tregs. AR signaling also decreased AE Ext-induced ST2⁺ Tregs in mice by limiting expression of Gata3, a transcription factor for ST2, and by decreasing AE Ext-induced IL-33 production from murine airway epithelial cells. We confirmed our findings in human cells where 5α-dihydrotestosterone (DHT), an androgen, decreased IL-33-induced ST2 expression in lung Tregs and decreased AE Ext-induced IL-33 secretion in human bronchial epithelial cells. Our findings showed that AR signaling stabilized Treg suppressive function, providing a mechanism for the sex difference in asthma.

Infectious Disease

blood advances

RESEARCH ARTICLE | Immunology

Successful treatment of COVID-19 with remdesivir in the absence of humoral immunity

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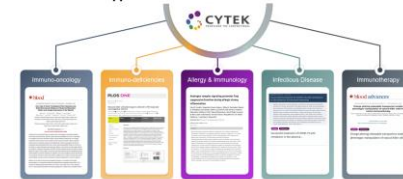
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Application of FSP in Myeloid Disorders in L/L



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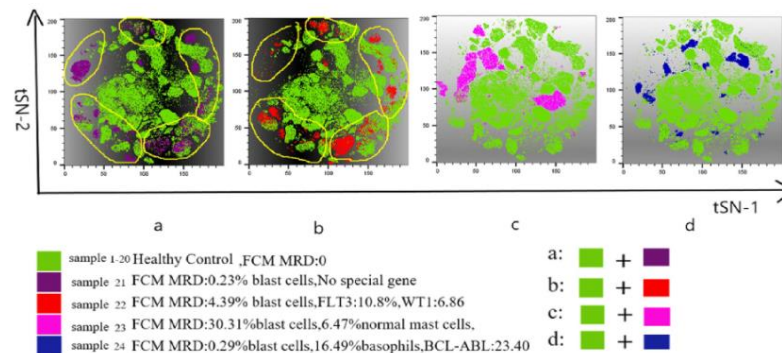
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- Published by Pathology Laboratory at Ludaopei Hospital, China
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 - that more fluorescent markers could be detected simultaneously,
 - more antigen combinations could be made,
 - Precise diagnosis through deep cellular level correlation
- A one-tube 24-color panel was designed according to our experience and Euroflow recommendation
- Offers more cellular information that is unmatched by traditional FC





Application of FSP in Multiple Myeloma Diagnostics

High-parameter and Effective Multiple Myeloma Diagnostic Panel on the Cytek NL-CLC Improves Sample Efficiency

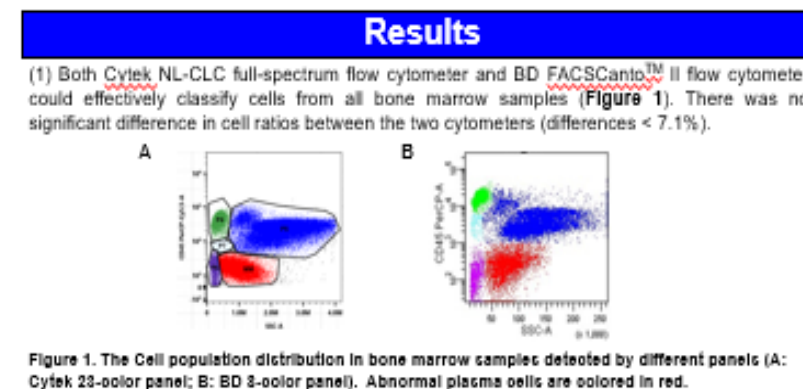
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- Presented by Kindstar Medical Laboratory, China at ICCS 2021
- Compared the antigen expression and diagnostic results obtained from the Cytek NL-CLC vs. the widely used BD FACSCanto flow cytometer
- Converted four 6-, 7- color tubes to one 23-color tube
- Found no significant difference in detection accuracy between the instruments.
- However, Cytek NL-CLC has many advantages including more detection parameters in a single tube, lower compensation interference, easier processing with small-volume samples
- Established a new standard 23-color panel for highly accurate detection of MM





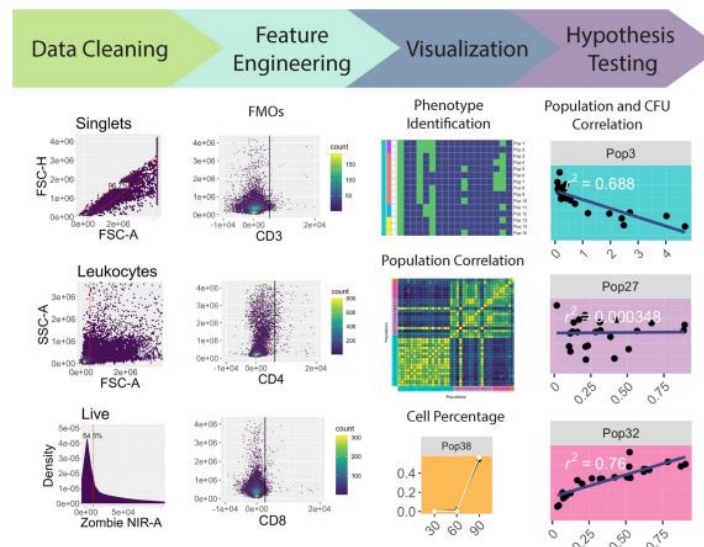
Flow Can Now Analyze 50 Parameters

Cyto-Feature Engineering: A Pipeline for Flow Cytometry Analysis to Uncover Immune Populations and Associations with Disease

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- Conventional flow cytometry data analysis uses manual gating of cells on 2D plots to distinguish populations 1–2 dimensions at a time; this makes it both subjective and time consuming (up to 15 hours per experiment)
- Better methods are therefore critically needed to take full advantage of this powerful technology.





Application of FSP in Immunology

Development of a 43 color panel for the characterization of conventional and unconventional T-cell subsets, B cells, NK cells, monocytes, dendritic cells, and innate lymphoid cells using spectral flow cytometry

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Abstract

Although many flow cytometers can analyze 30–50 parameters, it is still challenging to develop a 40+ color panel for the phenotyping of immune cells using fluorochrome conjugated antibodies due to limitations in the availability of spectrally unique fluorochromes that can be excited by the commonly used laser lines (UV, Violet, Blue, Green/Yellow-green, and Red). Spectral flow cytometry is capable of differentiating fluorochromes with significant overlap in the emission spectra, enabling the use of spectrally similar fluorochrome pairs such as Brilliant Blue 515 and FITC in a single panel. We have developed a 43 color panel to characterize most of the immune subsets within the peripheral immune system, including conventional T cells, unconventional T cells such as invariant natural killer T cells (iNKT), Gamma delta ($\gamma\delta$) T-cell subsets (TCR V δ 2, TCR Vy9) and mucosal-associated invariant T cells (MAIT), B-cell subsets, natural killer (NK) cells, plasmacytoid dendritic cells, dendritic cell subsets, hematopoietic progenitor cells, basophils, and innate lymphoid cell (ILC) subsets (CD117, CRTH2). The panel includes surface markers to analyze activation (CD38, HLA-DR, ICOS/CD278), differentiation (CD45RA, CD27, CD28, CD57), expression of cytokine and chemokine receptors (CD25, CD127, CCR10, CCR6, CCR4, CXCR3, CXCR5, CRTH2/CD294), and co-inhibitory molecules and exhaustion (PD-1, CD223/LAG-3, TIGIT), which enables a deep characterization of PBMCs from peripheral blood. Cells were analyzed on a 5-laser Cytek Aurora and data analysis was done using FlowJo. This panel can help to make a thorough interpretation of immune system, specifically when specimen quantity is low. The panel has not been completely optimized but would rather act as a guide toward the development of a

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Adjacent Markets: The Power of “AND”

Flow cytometry is often used with and enables downstream or companion technologies



Flow Cytometry Analysis

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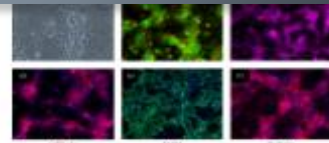
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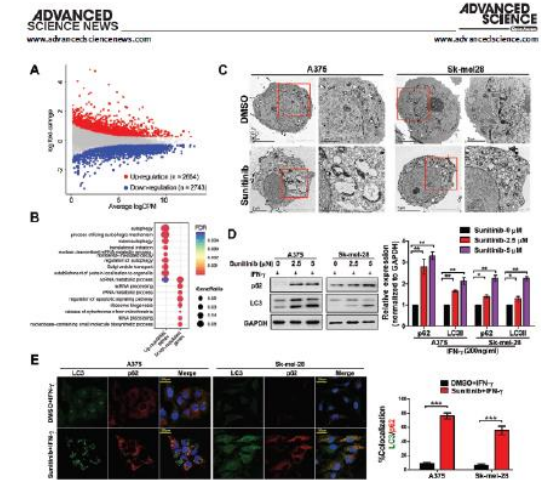
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Multicolor Flow Combined With Next Gen Sequencing

Combining these technologies improves the ability to predict leukemia relapse after therapy

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Allogeneic: Adult

Multicolor Flow Cytometry and Multigene Next-Generation Sequencing Are Complementary and Highly Predictive for Relapse in Acute Myeloid Leukemia after Allogeneic Transplantation 

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ABSTRACT
Minimal residual disease (MRD) in acute myeloid leukemia (AML) is typically measured using multiparameter flow cytometry (MFC). Detection of leukemia mutations using multigene next-generation sequencing (NGS) can potentially be used to measure residual disease. We used a targeted 28-gene NGS panel to detect mutations and different-from-normal 10-color MFC to measure MRD in AML patients before allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HCT). Residual disease was defined when any abnormal blast population was detected using MFC and when any leukemia allele was detected with a variant allele frequency (VAF) $\geq 5\%$ using NGS. We tracked the clearance of leukemia alleles between AML diagnosis and immediately before HCT and found that mutations in DNMT3A, TET2, and JAK2 were less likely to be cleared than NPM1, IDH1/2, and FLT3-ITD. Despite varying sensitivities, the concordance rate of residual disease detection before HCT using the 2 assays was 44 of 62 (71%) evaluable cases. Discordance could be explained by residual mutations in DNMT3A and TET2 that were not detected by MFC and presence of residual leukemia mutations with VAF below the established thresholds for mutation calling. Presence of flow MRD and residual mutations immediately before HCT using the 2 assays was associated with relapse risk (MFC: hazard ratio, 4.62; 95% confidence interval [CI], 1.32 to 16.09; $P = .016$ and NGS: hazard ratio, 4.35; 95% CI, 1.63 to 11.6; $P = .003$) and survival (MFC: hazard ratio, 2.44; 95% CI, 1 to 5.97; $P = .05$ and NGS: hazard ratio, 2.1; 95% CI, .97 to 4.55; $P = .059$) after HCT. Residual disease detected concurrently by MFC and NGS conferred the highest relapse risk compared with patients who were either negative by both assays or had discordant status (overall, $P = .008$). Although MFC is universally applicable, a multigene NGS approach to measuring residual disease in AML provides additional information on differential clearance of disease alleles and can assess clonal architecture before transplantation.

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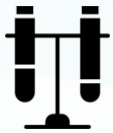
Minimal Residual Disease (MRD)

Predicting 4-Year Relapse for Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML)

MFC	NGS	
✓	✓	73%
	✓	52%
✓		50%

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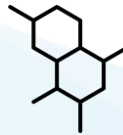


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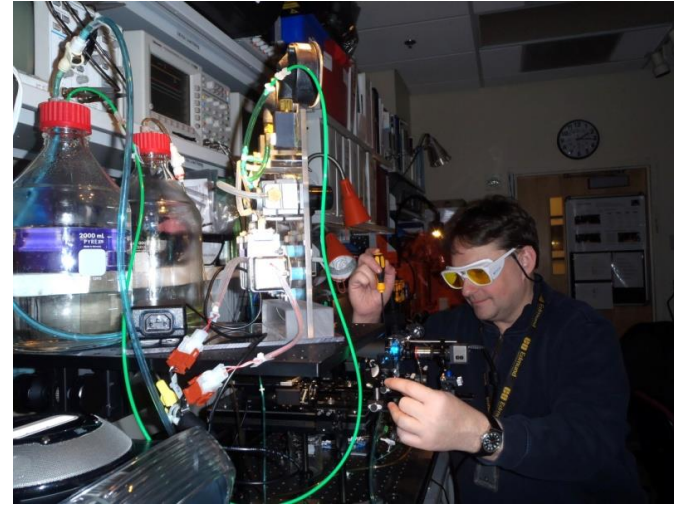
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NCI Flow Cytometry Core Laboratory

William Telford, Ph.D.

National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health



- A research **core laboratory** providing state-of-the-art flow and image cytometry services to NCI investigators.
- Building specialized instruments and improving flow cytometry technology is a big part of what we do.
- Our internal research and development program is guided and influenced by the scientists we serve.



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- While a research-oriented shared resource facility, we support both [basic and clinical research projects](#) within the National Cancer Institute.
- [Clinical trial support](#) is a major component of our mission - not diagnostic analysis for patient care, but high-level analysis of patient response to therapies.
- Recovery of the immune system following [allogeneic bone marrow transplantation, CAR-T and TCR based immunotherapies](#).
- [High-dimensional immunophenotyping](#) - up to high-20 and low-30 immune cell markers.
- [Identification of immune cell subsets in tumors](#), both circulating and solid.
- Some [cancer cell analysis](#) aimed at biochemical mechanisms.
- [Fluorescent protein](#) and [physiological marker](#) analysis.
- [Cell sorting](#) is a major focus of our group. When a research group analyzes a cell sample, they will soon want to physically separate it for further analysis.
- *We need to provide cell sorting capability that matches our analysis-only capabilities.*

What do we analyze by flow cytometry?

Our lab analyzes virtually many potential fluorescent targets

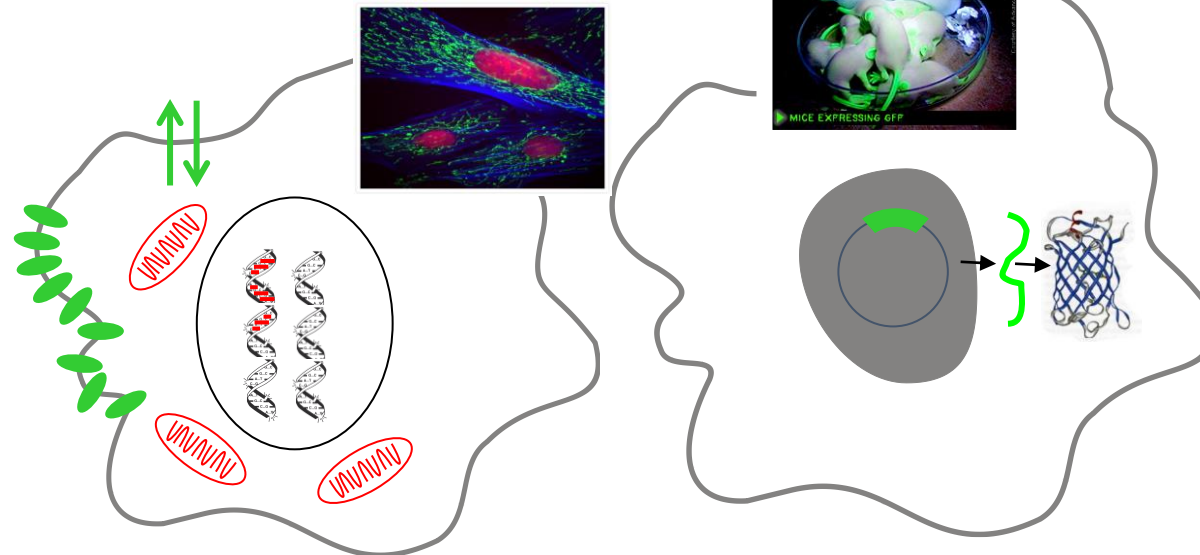
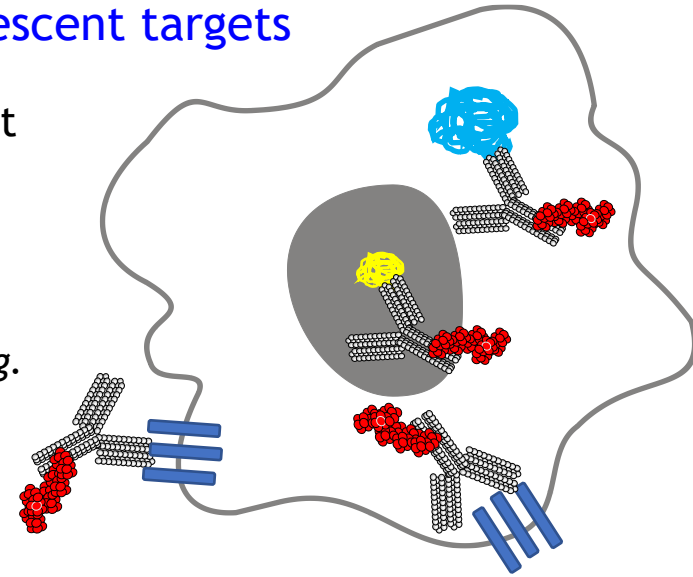
Using antibodies, FPs and biosensors, we can target almost many cellular characteristics (and there are thousands)...

Extracellular and intracellular receptors. Thousands now known for the immune system alone. *Immunophenotyping.*

Expressible fluorescent proteins (FPs). Gene expression, tracking, organelle labeling.

Physiological markers. Fluorescent biosensors for membrane electrical potential, pH, DNA content.

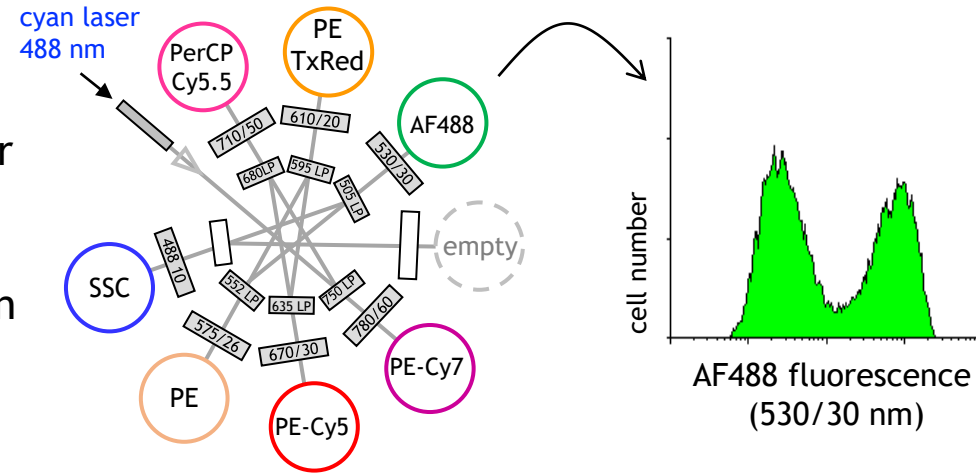
While fluorescent immunolabeling is the dominant, it is often combined with FPs and physiological markers. Complex high-dimensional labelings are now the norm. *Full spectrum analysis is essential for this.*



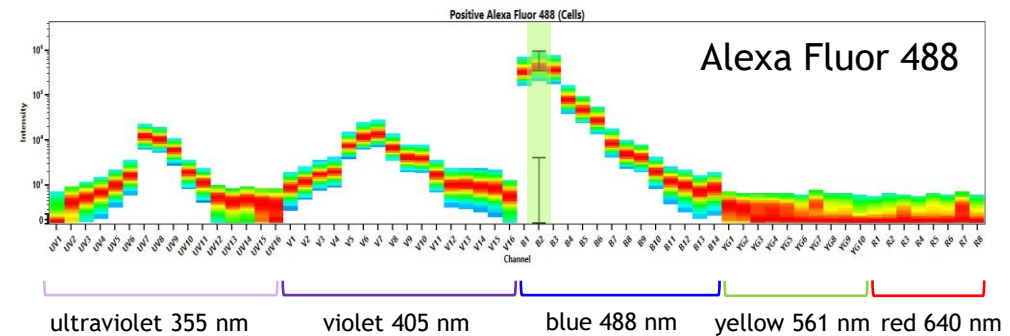
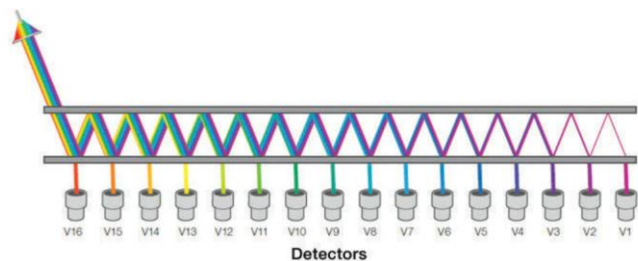
Spectral flow cytometry

Traditional flow cytometers use single lasers to excite a fluorochrome, and detects fluorescence in narrow bandwidths using dichroic mirrors, filters and PMTs.

Spectral flow cytometry collects fluorochrome data as complete spectra using multichannel PMTs or multiplex APD or SiPM arrays. Rather than compensation, it uses spectral unmixing or deconvolution to separate fluorescent probes (similar to confocal microscopy).

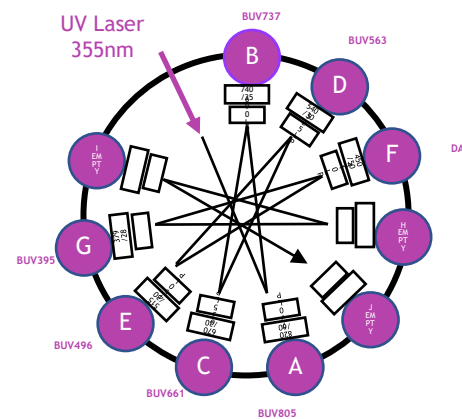
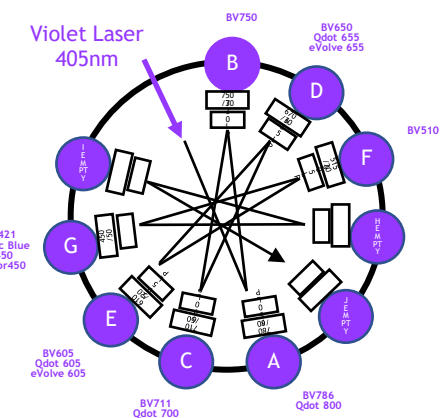
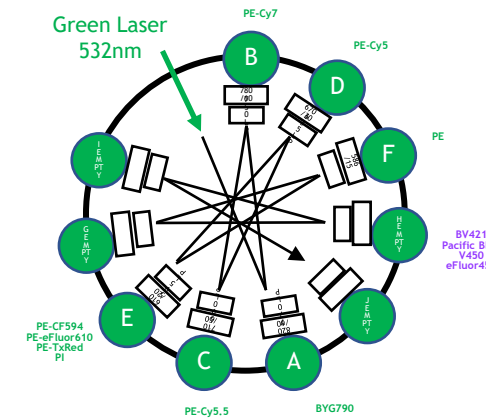
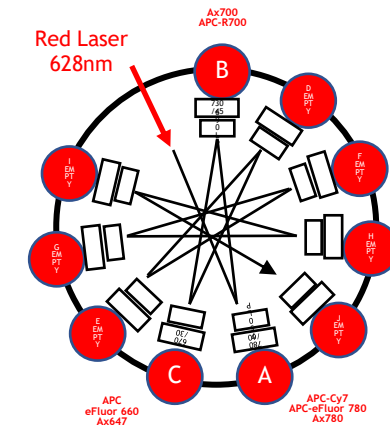
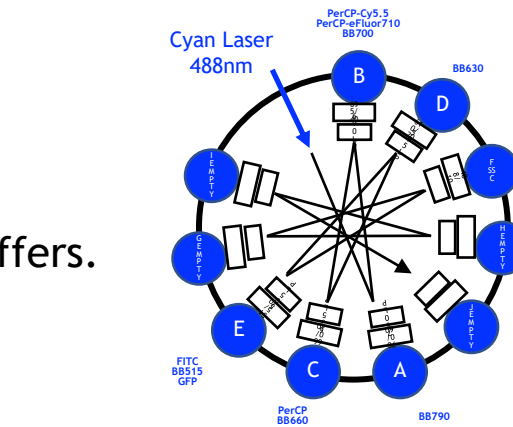
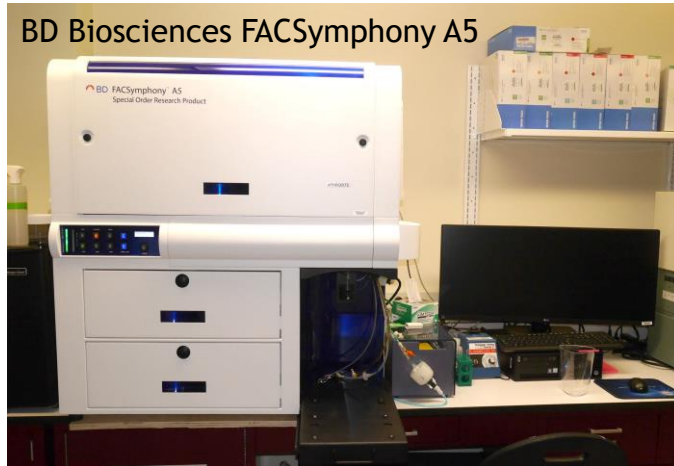


Spectral flow uses *all* lasers to excite *all* fluorochromes (not just the most optimal one) and collects the full spectra of each fluorochrome from *all* laser sources. The data is far more granular and allows better spectral separation than traditional compensation.



Traditional flow cytometry

The traditional approach ... expand the dichroic / filter single detector model. Complexity, size and cost become prohibitive and detection efficiency suffers.



The traditional approach as reached its practical limit for high-dimensional analysis.

Spectral flow cytometry

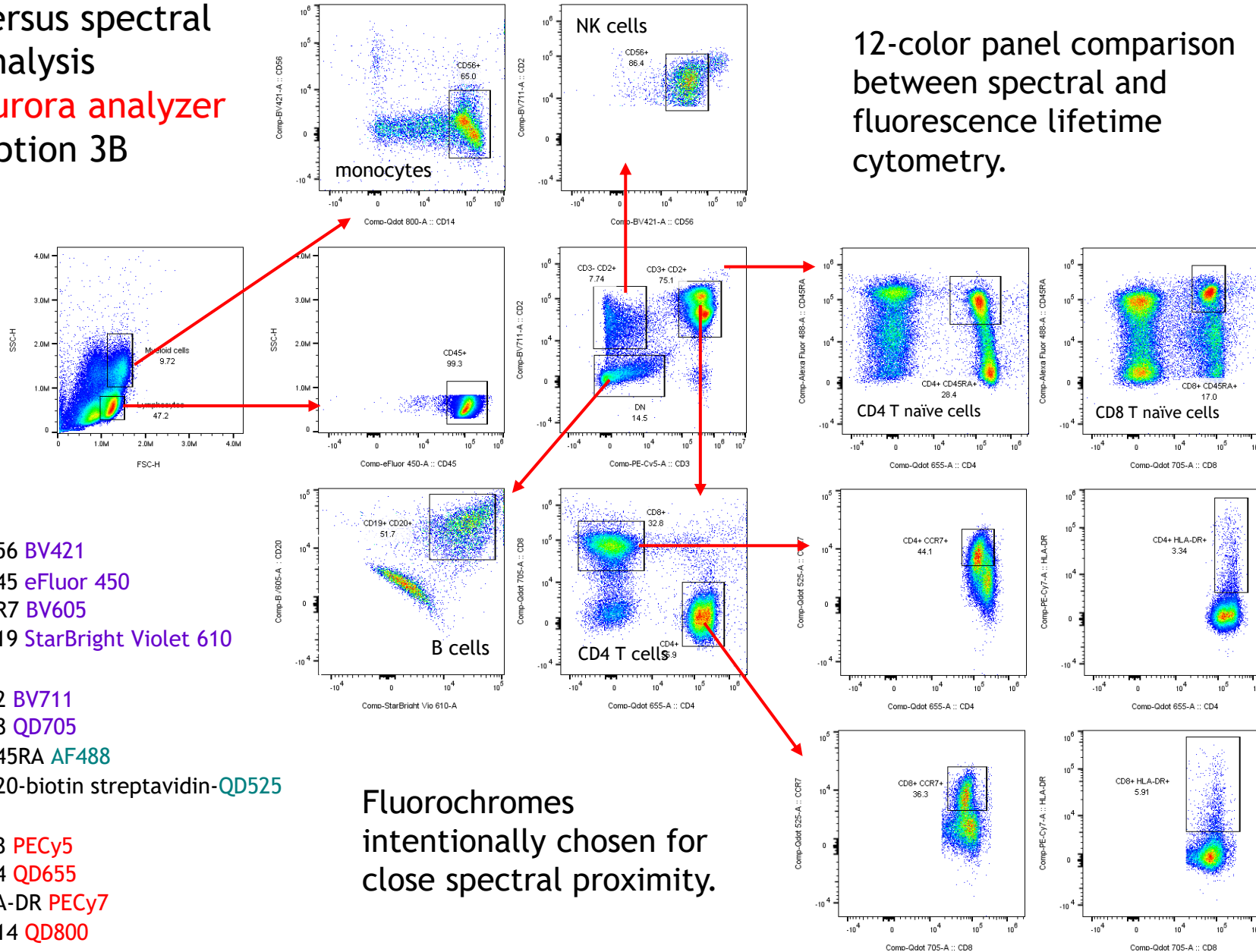
Full spectrum flow cytometry provides many advantages over traditional cytometry

- Dramatically improved ability to separate the signals from fluorescent probes with similar (but non-identical) spectra. This allows us to analyze many more fluorescent probes (and cell markers) simultaneously. More than 40 marker analysis is now practical (and has been reported).
- Improved quality of signal separation. While spectral cytometry is not strictly more sensitive than traditional techniques, improved signal separation improves data quality.

Some interesting advantages derive from these improvements...

- Spectral cytometry is more “forgiving” of less-than-optimal fluorochrome selections.
- Many older fluorochromes previously less useful for flow cytometry now have new potential. The variety of fluorescent probes now usable for cytometry is greatly increased. *Virtually any visible fluorochrome can be used.*
- Spectral analysis allows improved subtraction of cellular autofluorescence, improving detection sensitivity, particularly in difficult cell types like myeloid lineages and tumors.

DC1555 KRC Arno
versus spectral
analysis
Aurora analyzer
Option 3B



12-color panel comparison
between spectral and
fluorescence lifetime
cytometry.

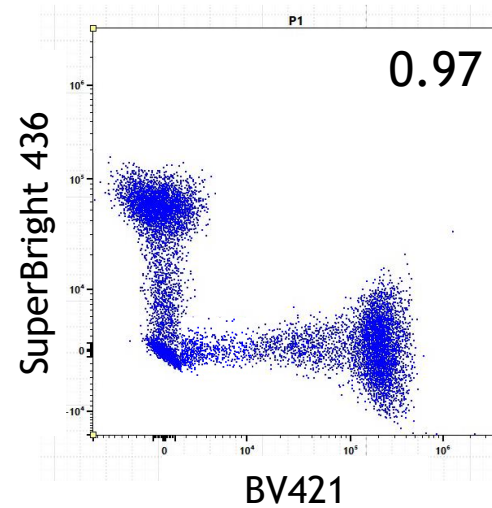
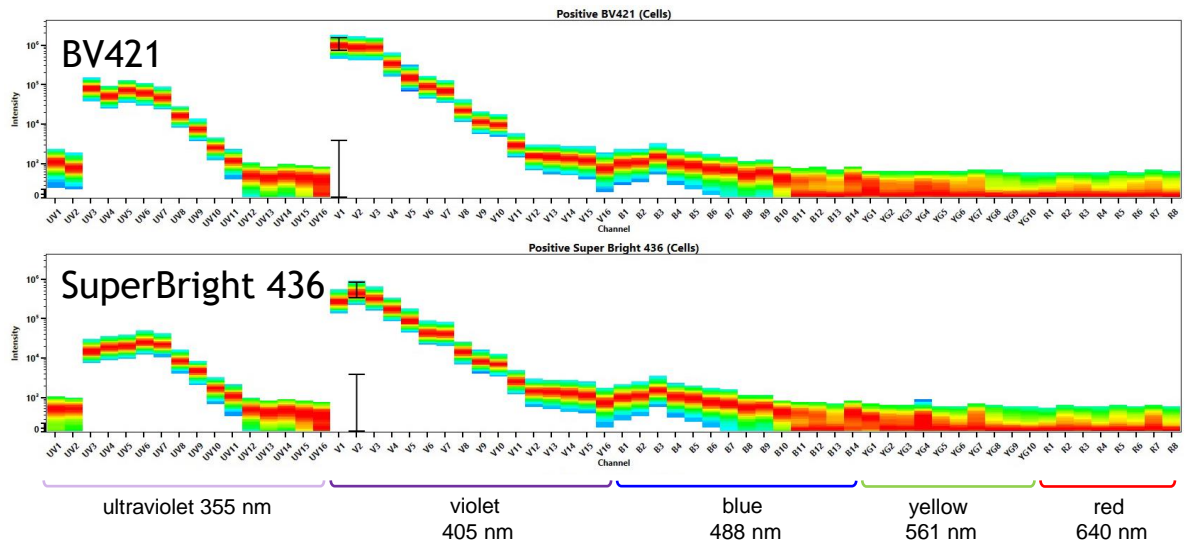
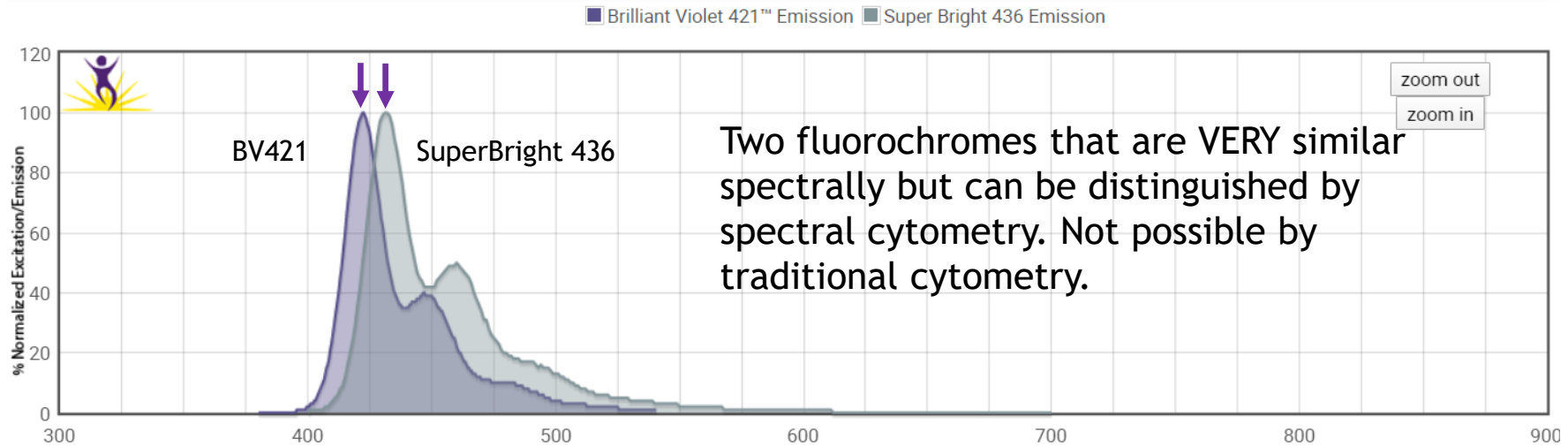
CD56 **BV421**
CD45 **eFluor 450**
CCR7 **BV605**
CD19 **StarBright Violet 610**

CD2 **BV711**
CD8 **QD705**
CD45RA **AF488**
CD20-biotin streptavidin-**QD525**

CD3 **PECy5**
CD4 **QD655**
HLA-DR **PECy7**
CD14 **QD800**

Fluorochromes
intentionally chosen for
close spectral proximity.

BV421 and SuperBright 436 by spectral cytometry



Cytek Aurora 27 colors

One of our users (Natalia Schneider-Nunez, Chris Kanakry Lab, ETIB-CCR-NCI) is designing a 27-color panel for murine B/T/NK/myeloid cells.

UV

BUV395 CD317
 BUV496 CD24
 BUV563 F4/80
 BUV615 B220
 BUV661 CD11b
 BUV737 CD45.1
 BUV805 CD8

violet

BV421 CD135
 PacBlue CD80
 BV510 Ter119
 and L/D Aqua
 BV570 NK1.1
 BV605 CD86
 BV650 I-A/I-E
 BV711 CD172a
 BV786 XCR-1

green-yellow

PE CD207
 PE-CF594 CD103
 PE-Cy5 Thy1.2
 PE-Cy7 PD-L1

red

APC CD45.2
 AF647 CD1d
 AF700 H2Kb
 APC-Cy7 CD40

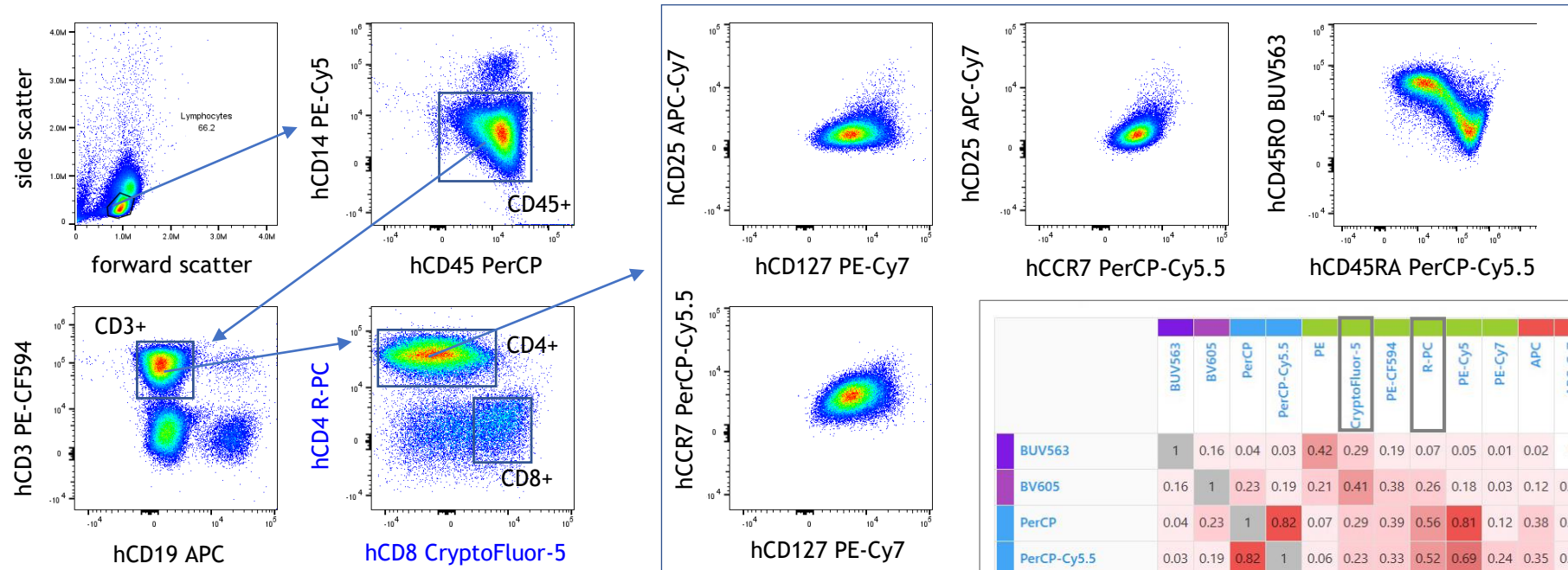
blue

FITC CD11c
 SB550 CD4
 PerCP Gr-1
 PerCP-Cy5.5 CD64

	BUV395	BUV496	BUV563	BUV615	BUV661	BUV737	BUV805	BV421	Pacific Blue	BV510	BV570	BV605	BV650	BV711	BV786	FITC	Spark Blue 550	PerCP	PerCP-Cy5.5	PE	PE-CF594	PE-Cy5	PE-Cy7	APC	Alexa Fluor 647	Alexa Fluor 700	APC-Fire 750	
BUV395	1	0.23	0.07	0.04	0.02	0.03	0.11	0.06	0.03	0.06	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0.02	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BUV496	0.23	1	0.34	0.09	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.08	0.13	0.5	0.11	0.06	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.12	0.12	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BUV563	0.07	0.34	1	0.38	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.24	0.34	0.17	0.04	0.01	0	0.09	0.18	0.04	0.03	0.44	0.21	0.05	0.01	0.02	0.01	0	0	
BUV615	0.04	0.09	0.38	1	0.31	0.11	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.29	0.46	0.23	0.07	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.25	0.18	0.24	0.61	0.3	0.04	0.17	0.05	0.04	0.02	
BUV661	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.31	1	0.36	0.09	0	0	0.04	0.06	0.15	0.36	0.26	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.43	0.4	0.03	0.16	0.46	0.05	0.84	0.78	0.44	0.15	
BUV737	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.36	1	0.39	0	0	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.11	0.38	0.21	0	0.01	0.22	0.32	0.01	0.03	0.12	0.16	0.22	0.22	0.53	0.33	
BUV805	0.11	0.04	0.02	0.04	0.09	0.39	1	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.1	0.21	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.06	0	0.01	0.01	0.08	0.03	0.02	0.07	0.23	
BV421	0.06	0.08	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.02	1	0.78	0.16	0.16	0.07	0.13	0.09	0.08	0.02	0.02	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Pacific Blue	0.03	0.13	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.01	0.78	1	0.34	0.15	0.07	0.11	0.08	0.06	0.03	0.05	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BV510	0.06	0.5	0.24	0.14	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.16	0.34	1	0.55	0.41	0.18	0.07	0.04	0.09	0.3	0.06	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.01	0	0.02	0	0.01	0.01	
BV570	0.01	0.11	0.34	0.29	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.16	0.15	0.55	1	0.71	0.26	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.24	0.1	0.07	0.46	0.27	0.08	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.01	
BV605	0.01	0.06	0.17	0.46	0.15	0.05	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.41	0.71	1	0.54	0.18	0.07	0.03	0.16	0.23	0.18	0.22	0.39	0.17	0.03	0.13	0.02	0.04	0.02	
BV650	0.01	0.03	0.04	0.23	0.36	0.11	0.03	0.13	0.11	0.18	0.26	0.54	1	0.44	0.15	0.02	0.08	0.46	0.4	0.05	0.17	0.25	0.03	0.33	0.14	0.14	0.05	
BV711	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.07	0.26	0.38	0.1	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.18	0.44	1	0.48	0.01	0.03	0.33	0.56	0.01	0.05	0.14	0.1	0.22	0.18	0.44	0.19	
BV786	0	0.01	0	0.02	0.05	0.21	0.21	0.08	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.15	0.48	1	0	0.01	0.12	0.22	0	0.01	0.03	0.16	0.04	0.02	0.11	0.23	
FITC	0.02	0.12	0.09	0.02	0.01	0	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.09	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.01	0	1	0.71	0.02	0.01	0.1	0.05	0.02	0	0	0	0	0	
Spark Blue 550	0.01	0.12	0.18	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.05	0.3	0.24	0.16	0.08	0.03	0.01	0.71	1	0.08	0.07	0.24	0.17	0.07	0.02	0.01	0	0.01	0	
PerCP	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.25	0.43	0.22	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.06	0.1	0.23	0.46	0.33	0.12	0.02	0.08	1	0.8	0.06	0.36	0.78	0.13	0.36	0.26	0.17	0.06	
PerCP-Cy5.5	0	0.01	0.03	0.18	0.4	0.32	0.06	0	0	0.04	0.07	0.18	0.4	0.56	0.22	0.01	0.07	0.8	1	0.05	0.31	0.67	0.24	0.35	0.3	0.38	0.15	
PE	0	0.03	0.44	0.24	0.03	0.01	0	0	0.01	0.09	0.46	0.22	0.05	0.01	0	0.1	0.24	0.06	0.05	1	0.43	0.11	0.03	0.04	0.01	0.01	0	
PE-CF594	0	0.01	0.21	0.61	0.16	0.03	0.01	0	0	0.06	0.27	0.39	0.17	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.17	0.36	0.31	0.43	1	0.51	0.07	0.19	0.06	0.04	0.02	
PE-Cy5	0	0	0.05	0.3	0.46	0.12	0.01	0	0	0.01	0.08	0.17	0.25	0.14	0.03	0.02	0.07	0.78	0.67	0.11	0.51	1	0.13	0.54	0.36	0.21	0.08	
PE-Cy7	0	0	0.01	0.04	0.05	0.16	0.08	0	0	0	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.1	0.16	0	0.02	0.13	0.24	0.03	0.07	0.13	1	0.06	0.03	0.09	0.28	
APC	0	0	0.02	0.17	0.84	0.22	0.03	0	0	0.02	0.05	0.13	0.33	0.22	0.04	0	0.01	0.36	0.35	0.04	0.19	0.54	0.06	1	0.88	0.47	0.18	
Alexa Fluor 647	0	0	0.01	0.05	0.78	0.22	0.02	0	0	0	0.01	0.02	0.14	0.18	0.02	0	0	0.26	0.3	0.01	0.06	0.36	0.03	0.88	1	0.53	0.18	
Alexa Fluor 700	0	0	0	0.04	0.44	0.53	0.07	0	0	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.14	0.44	0.11	0	0.01	0.17	0.38	0.01	0.04	0.21	0.09	0.47	0.53	1	0.38	
APC-Fire 750	0	0	0	0.02	0.15	0.33	0.23	0	0	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.05	0.19	0.23	0	0	0.06	0.15	0	0.02	0.08	0.28	0.18	0.18	0.38	1	

Complexity Index: 11.52

The simple 12 color T regulatory cell panel below (designed not for low spectral overlap but to test fluorochromes spectrally close to CF-5 and R-PC) show that these probes can be reasonably combined with spectrally similar fluorochromes.



Above. Resting human PBMCs labeled with the 12 indicated antibodies and analyzed on a Cytex Biosciences Aurora. Right. Spectral indices matrix. Complexity index was 11.41.

These results indicate that both CryptoFluor-5 and R-phycoyanin can be used as fluorochromes in high-dimensional labeling panels for spectral cytometry (although conjugation conditions need to be optimized). These PBs can are not tandem dyes, making them potentially more spectrally uniform options.

“New” fluorochromes

Old fluorochromes previously not applicable for flow cytometry are now being reassessed, expanding the “palette” of fluorescent tags for high-dimensional labeling.

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Original Articles

Cryptomonad Algal Phycobiliproteins as Fluorochromes for Extracellular and Intracellular Antigen Detection by Flow Cytometry

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R-phycoyanin (R-PC). Isolated from red algae (C-PC from cyanobacteria).
 $\lambda_{EX} = 533, 544 \text{ nm}$, $\lambda_{EM} = 646 \text{ nm}$

CryptoFluor-5 (CR-PE₅₅₅, phycoerythrin 555)
Isolated from photosynthetic protozoans *Chroomonas* sp., *Chroomonas ovata*.
 $\lambda_{EX} = 566 \text{ nm}$, $\lambda_{EM} = 598 \text{ nm}$



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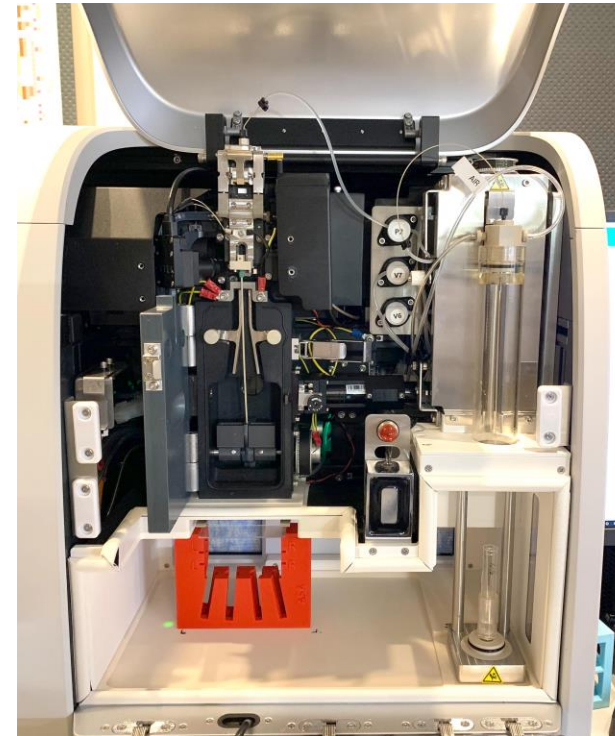
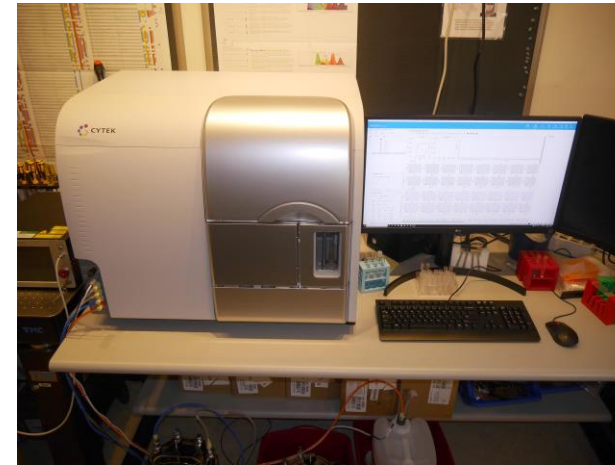
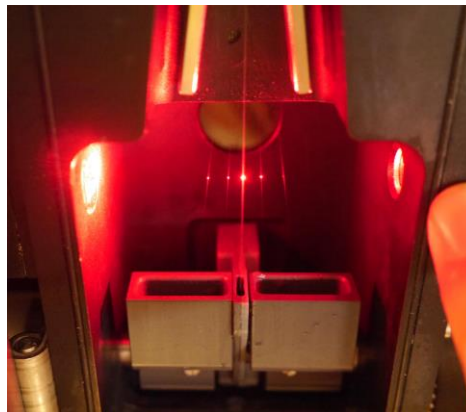
Cytek Biosciences Aurora CS cell sorter

Cell sorting is a major focus of our group. When our users analyze a cell population, they will soon want to sort it! These cells can be put back into culture, analyzed for proteomics, genomics, etc.

Traditionally, the capabilities of cell sorters lag behind analyzer development. Most manufacturers maximize their analyzer capabilities first, then build their sorters.

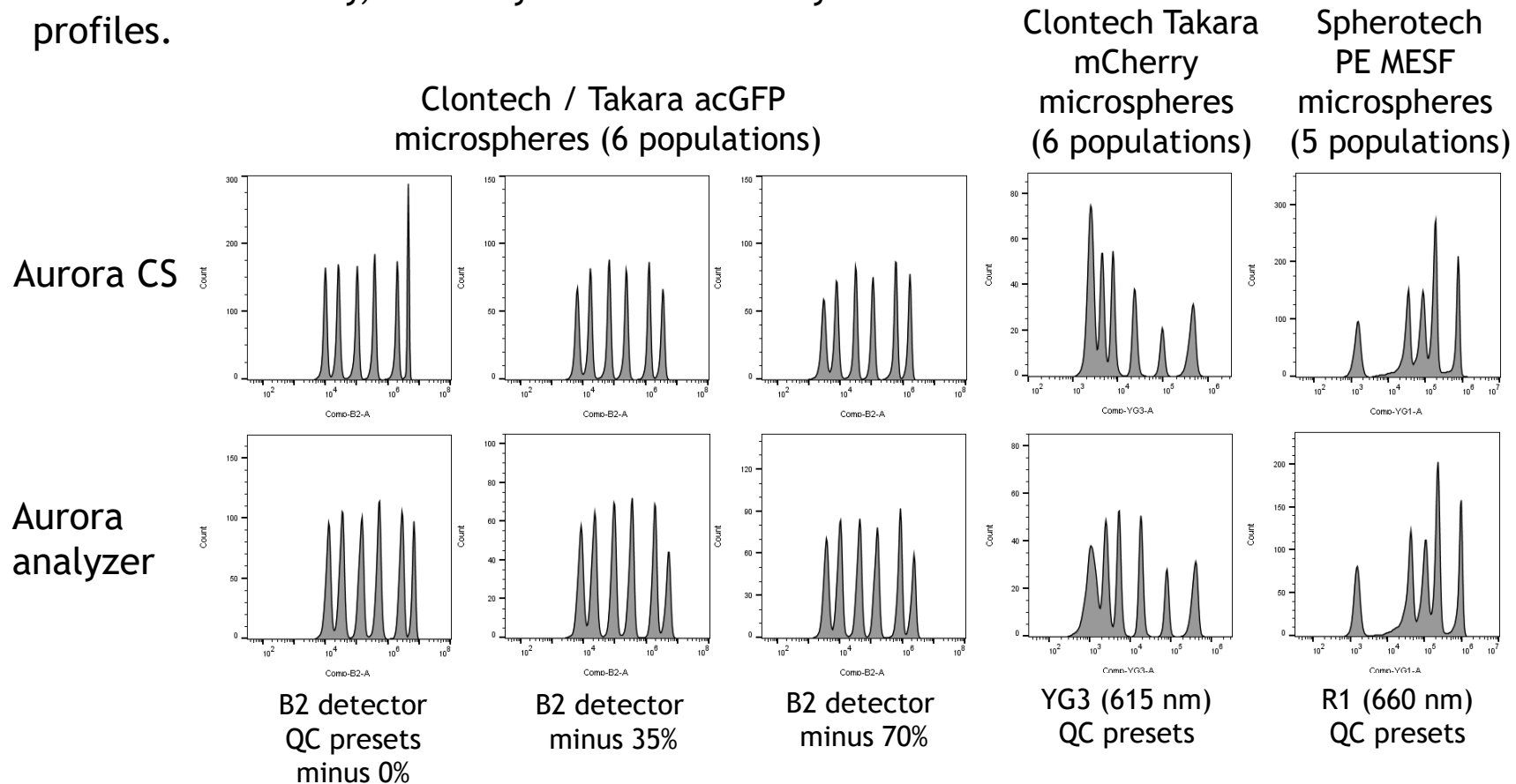
The Cytek Aurora CS cell sorter has the same analyzer optical “front end” as the analyzer. (5 lasers, 64 detectors, 40+ color analysis capability, real-time spectral unmixing for sorting).

Once our users have optimized their cell analysis experiments, they can immediately transfer them to a cell sorter for physical separation.



Cytek Biosciences Aurora CS cell sorter

Extensive sensitivity evaluations have shown that the Aurora analyzer and Aurora CS have virtual identical sensitivity, intensity and linearity profiles.



Cytek Biosciences Aurora CS cell sorter

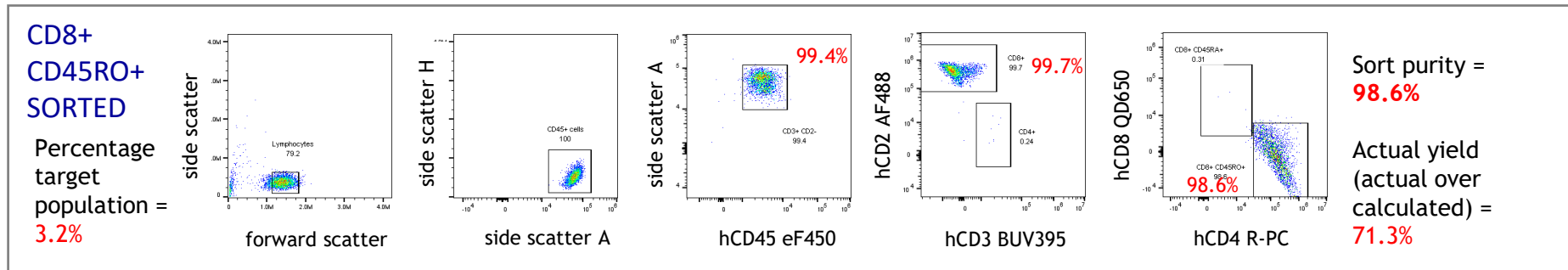
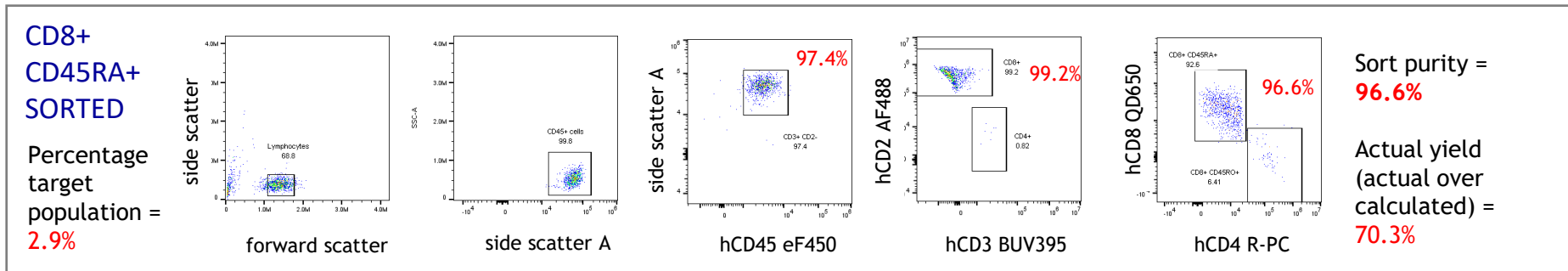
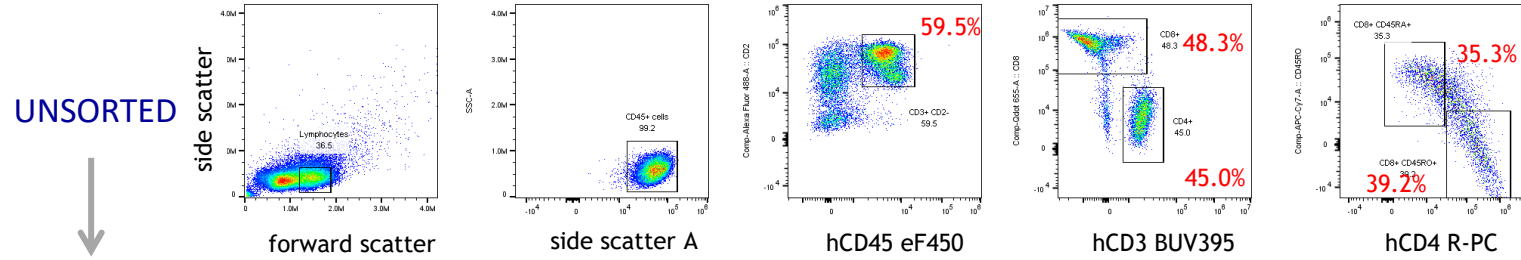
The screenshot displays the software interface for the Cytek Biosciences Aurora CS cell sorter, organized into several functional panels:

- Acquisition and Sort Controls:** Features a status bar for '8_UNSORTED: Previewing' and a control panel with buttons for Start, Record, Pause, Stop, Restart, and S1 Flush. It also shows Flow Rate (2), Event Rate (2,970), Sample Return checkbox, and Sort controls (Start Sort, Pause Sort, Stop Sort) with a Threshold Count of 319,325.
- Stream Controls:** Includes Nozzle Settings (100 µm K00119 2.16.22) and a 'Drop Delay (0.1 µs)' of 11,168. It contains sliders for DDF (Hz) at 26560, Amplitude at 53018, Plate Voltage (V) at 3000, and Pressure (psi) at 18.3. Sort Monitoring is turned On, with Drop Center at 311 and Drop Interval at 15.
- Sample Input Settings:** Chamber Light is On, and Temperature (°C) is Disabled. Sample Mixing is Off.
- Collection Device Options:** Shows 'Tube' as the selected device with a 5 ml tube size. Active Tubes are set to MIDDLE LEFT, LEFT, RIGHT, and MIDDLE RIGHT.
- Sort Stream Adjuster:** Displays Aim Settings (100µm_K00119_4 way_50) and a 'Sort Block Stage' for the CENTER stream. Drop Charge values are shown for MIDDLE LEFT (-102), LEFT (-46), RIGHT (46), and MIDDLE RIGHT (-100). A 'Center Stream Optimization' slider is also present.
- Tube and Plate Details:** Provides a comparison of 'MIDDLE LEFT' and 'LEFT' populations (RA+ CD127 hi CD25 lo vs RA+ CD127 hi CD25 hi). The MIDDLE LEFT population has a count of 3,021, a sort rate of 82 e/s, and a sort abort count of 1072. The LEFT population has a count of 31, a sort rate of 82 e/s, and a sort abort count of 6.
- Live View:** A video window showing a real-time view of the sorting process with four distinct streams of cells being collected into tubes.

Cytek Biosciences Aurora CS cell sorter

Human PBMCs, 14 color panel (T cell subsets including naïve/memory and Treg)
 Sorting for CD4+ and CD8+ populations

unlabeled
Alexa Fluor 488 hCD2
PE hCD56
R-PC hCD4
PECy7 hCD45RA
APC hCD19
APCCy7 hCD45RO
eF450 hCD45
BV605 hCD20
BV650 hCD25
QD655 CD8
BV711 hCD127
QD800 hCD14
BUV395 hCD3
BUV661 hCCR7



While still being fully optimized, we now have spectral cell sorting capability, a necessity for our group.



Investor and Analyst Day High Dimensional Cell Sorting

Kevin Weller, Ohio State University

June 22, 2022

High Dimensional Sorting for Discovery

Kevin P. Weller

Associate Director – PIIO

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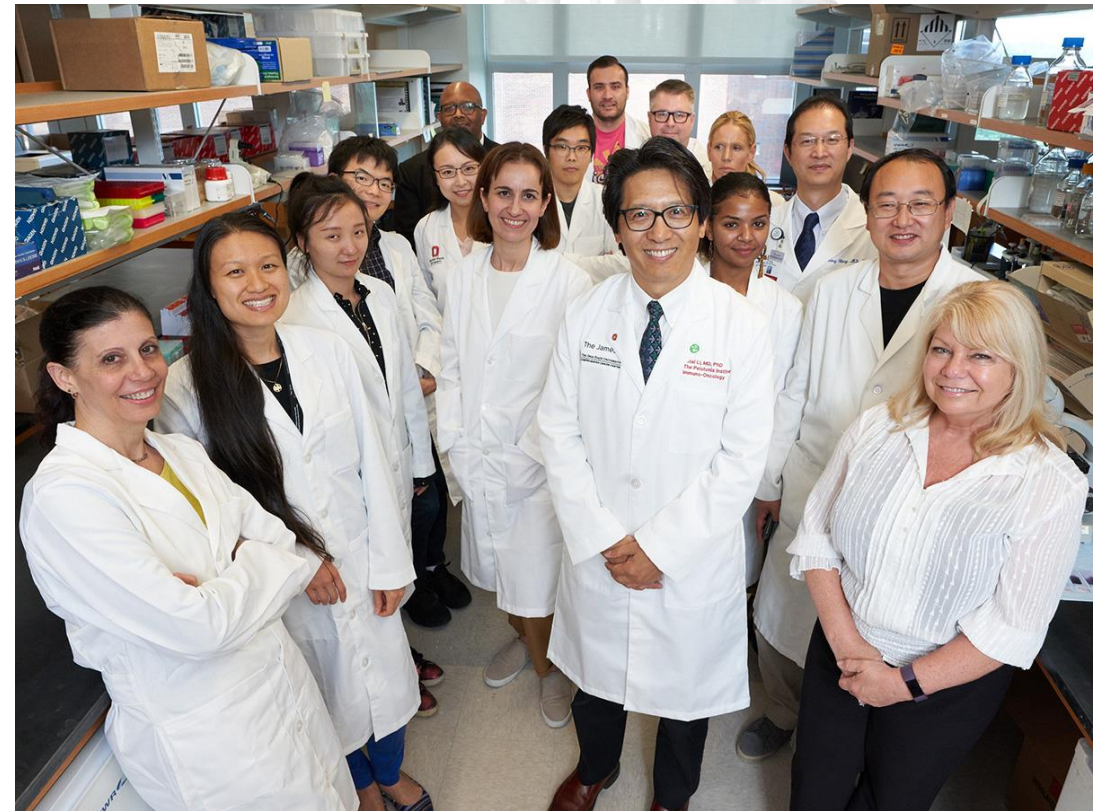
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Our Mission - PIIO

A comprehensive bench-to-clinical-trial research initiative that will accelerate advanced immunotherapies that harness the immune system to fight cancer

Founded in April 2019 with a starting donation of \$102 million



The IMDP is a key part of the bench

- Build a leading immune monitoring platform for supporting IO research from discovery to translation, using state-of-the-art technology, robust informatics, strong expertise and exceptional customer service
- A Shared Resource to provide IO researchers with the best laboratory equipment for discovery and immune monitoring
- As much of a 360 degree view of the immune system as we can provide



The PIIO was built for this

- The PIIO has over 100 members with broad specialization
- Emphasis on bioinformatics, the first IO Database is already accruing
- We are planning large experiments with teams (5-10) investigators with different interests and expertise
- Currently optimized high dimensional (35+ biomarkers) panels are being customized based experimental goals
- Get as much information from precious patient samples as possible



New Opportunities

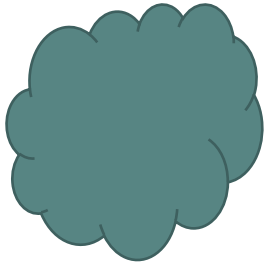
- Previous generations of sorting equipment were limited by biomarker numbers (10-15)
- Other high dimensional platforms limited:
 - Mass Cytometry – cell destruction
 - FACS – not yet reaching stated potential (25-30 commonly reported)
- Current high dimensional panels are translating well to the CS sorting platform
- Constructing a discovery pipeline...



What would
you do?

Let's do everything

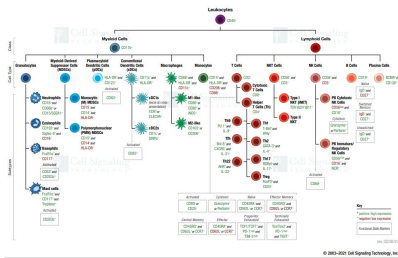
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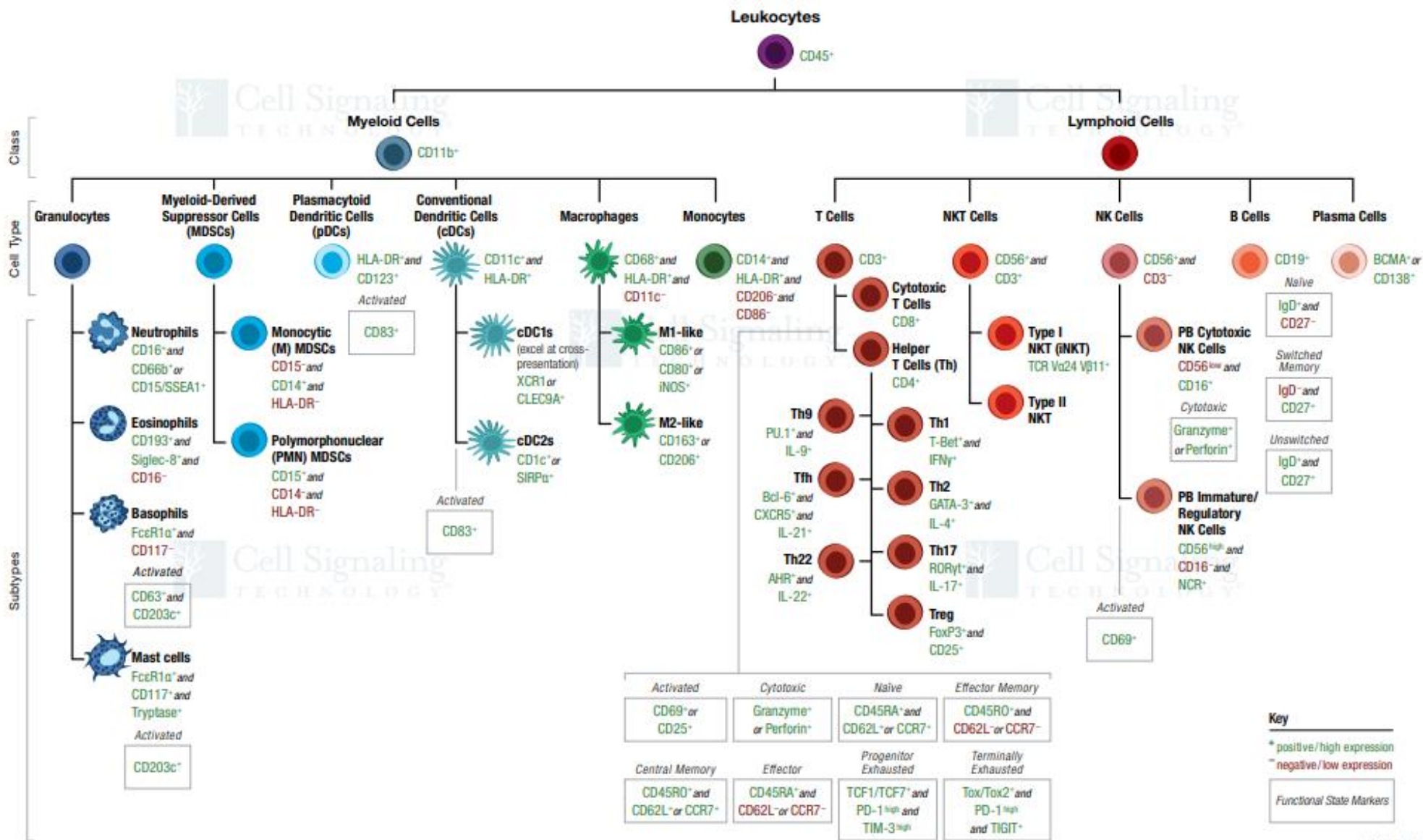


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Process and sort





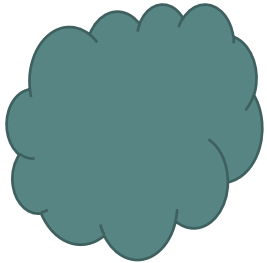
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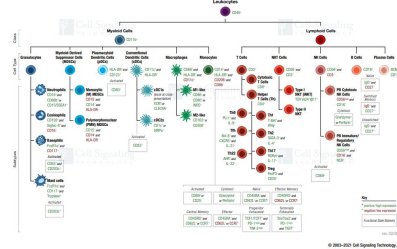
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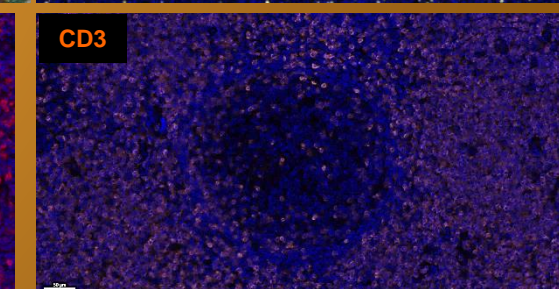
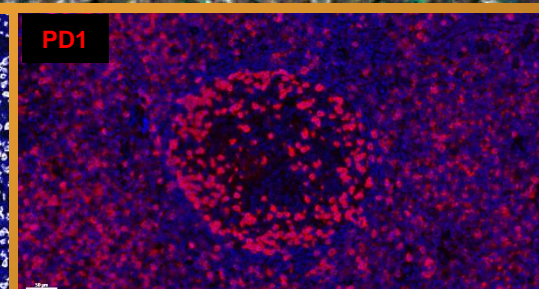
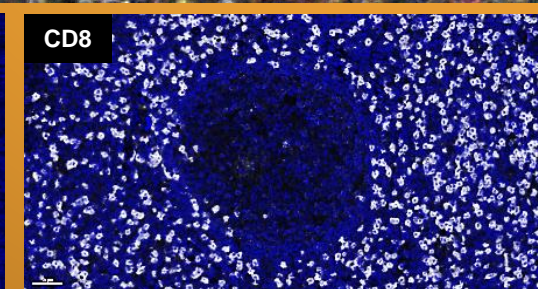
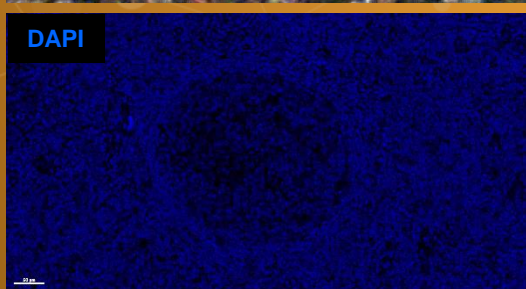
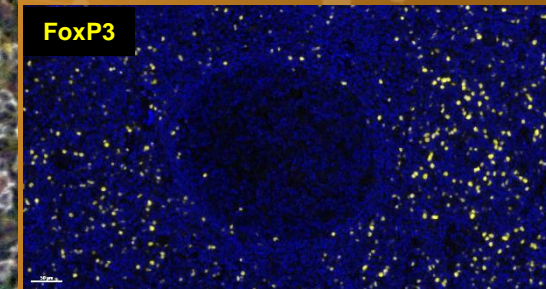
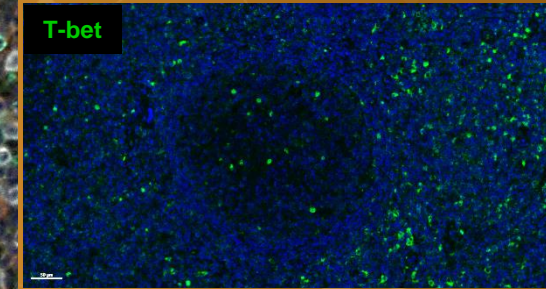
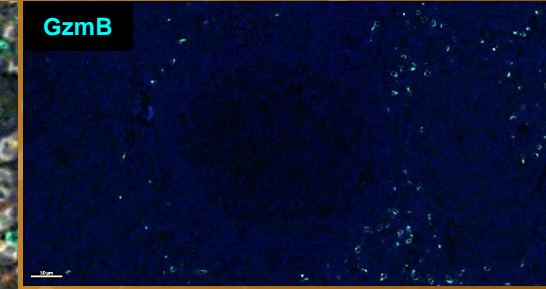
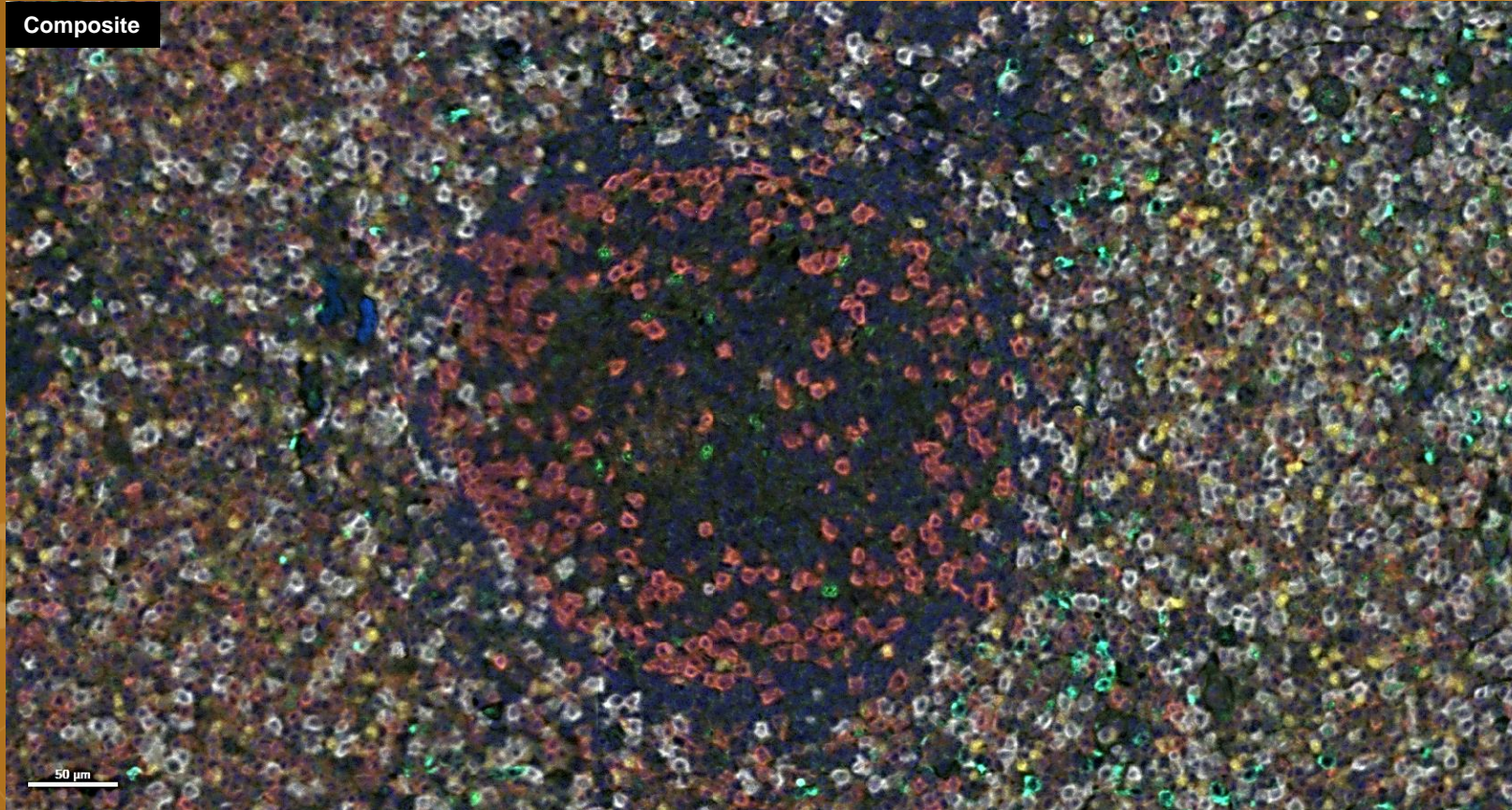
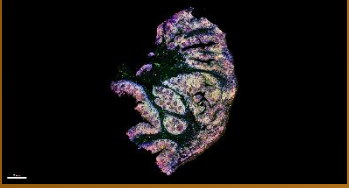
Single Cell Genomics

Single Cell Proteomics

Single Cell Functional
Screening

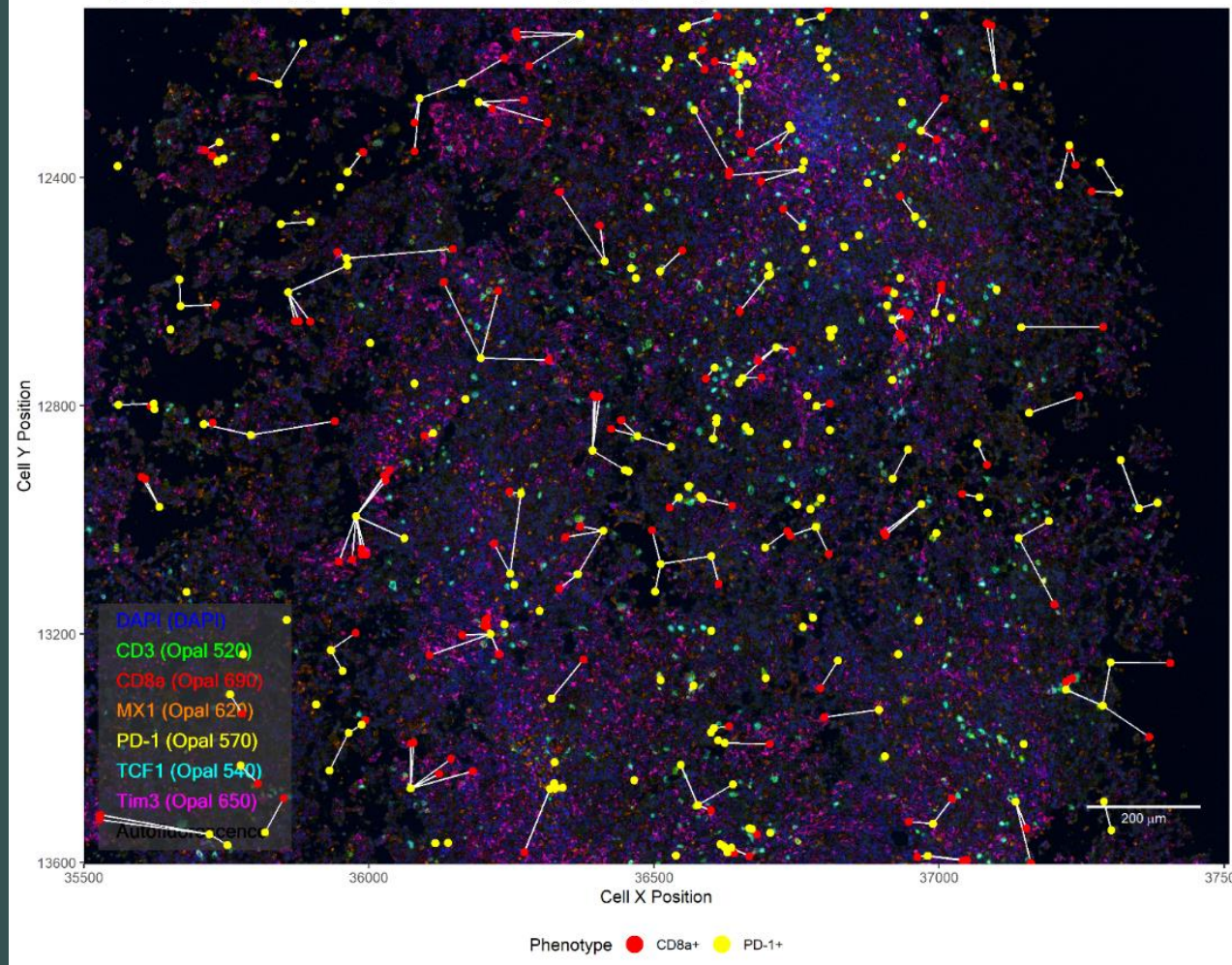
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Combine with Spatial information

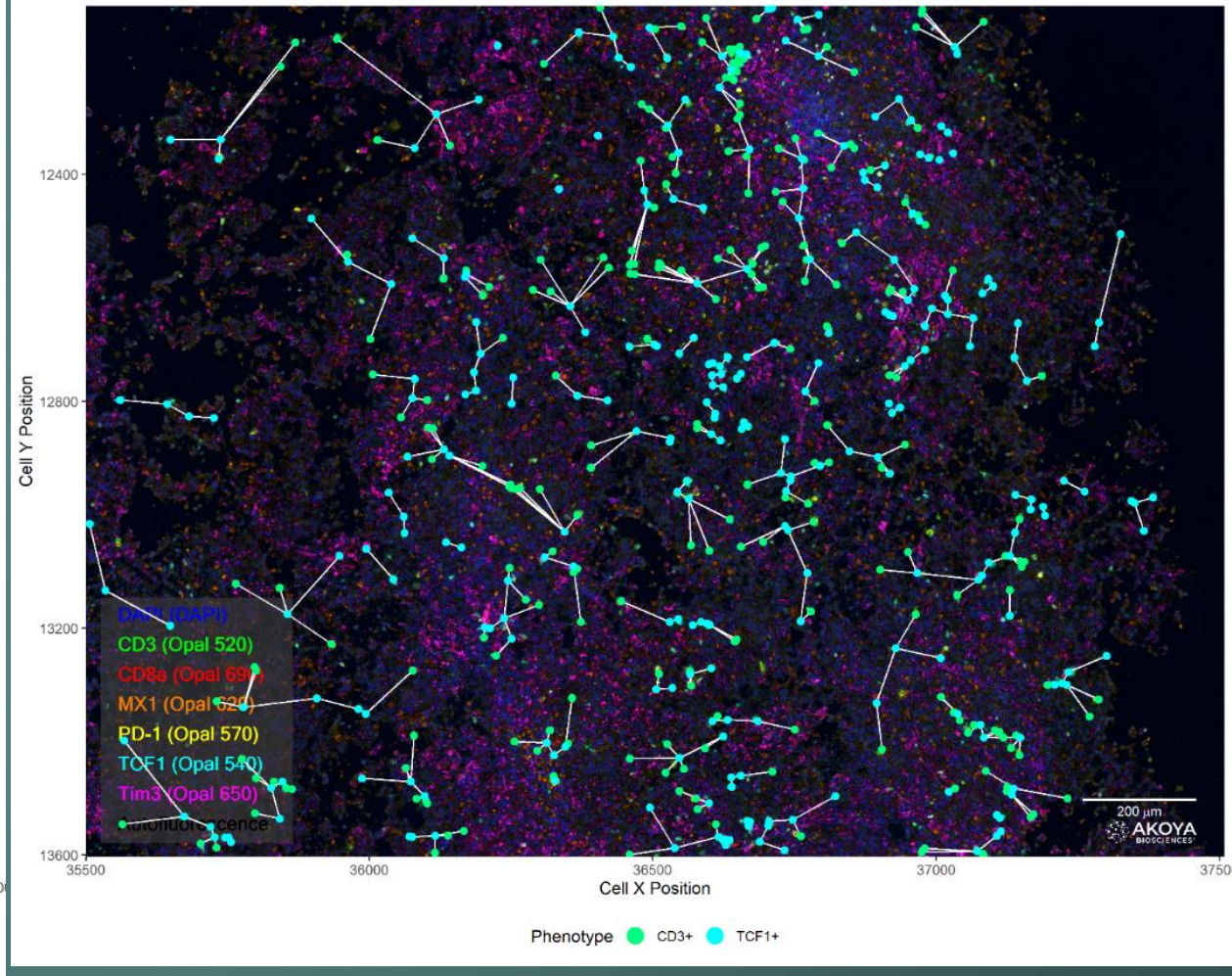


Examples of spatial maps for a given pair of biomarkers

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M1_M6_M7_M10_M11_082318_Ms Bladder Tumor_[36504,12853].im3 - Nearest TCF1+ to each CD3+



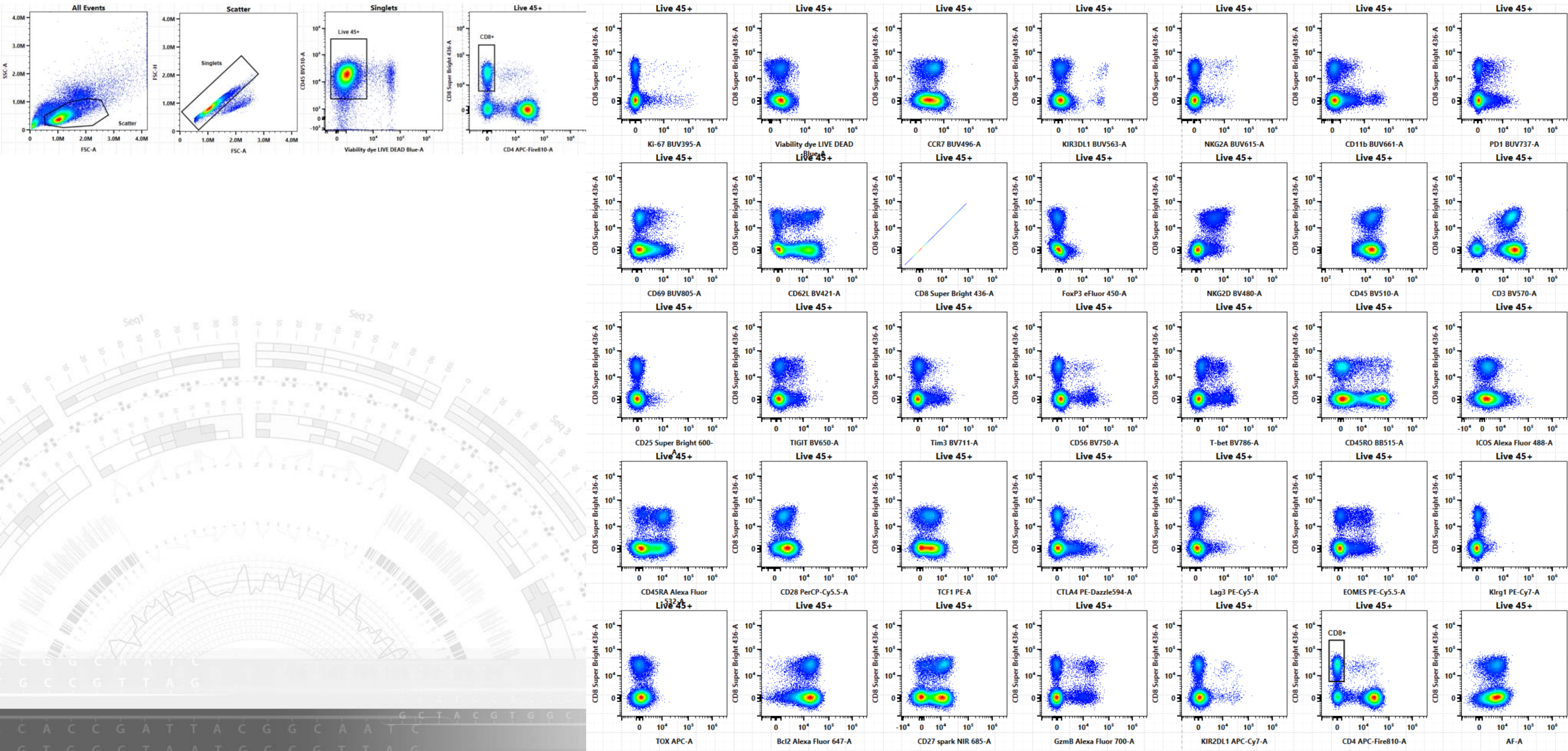
Single Cells/Team Science

- The experiments are designed and funded by multiple labs thereby distribution the costs
- Very costly becomes relatively affordable
- Each sorted cell population is selected for a specific expert on the project based on their interest
- Multiple publications and or single high-impact publications each experiment
- Every data set gets added to a mineable database
- New downstream technologies will be added as they are developed
- Unused cells can be banked

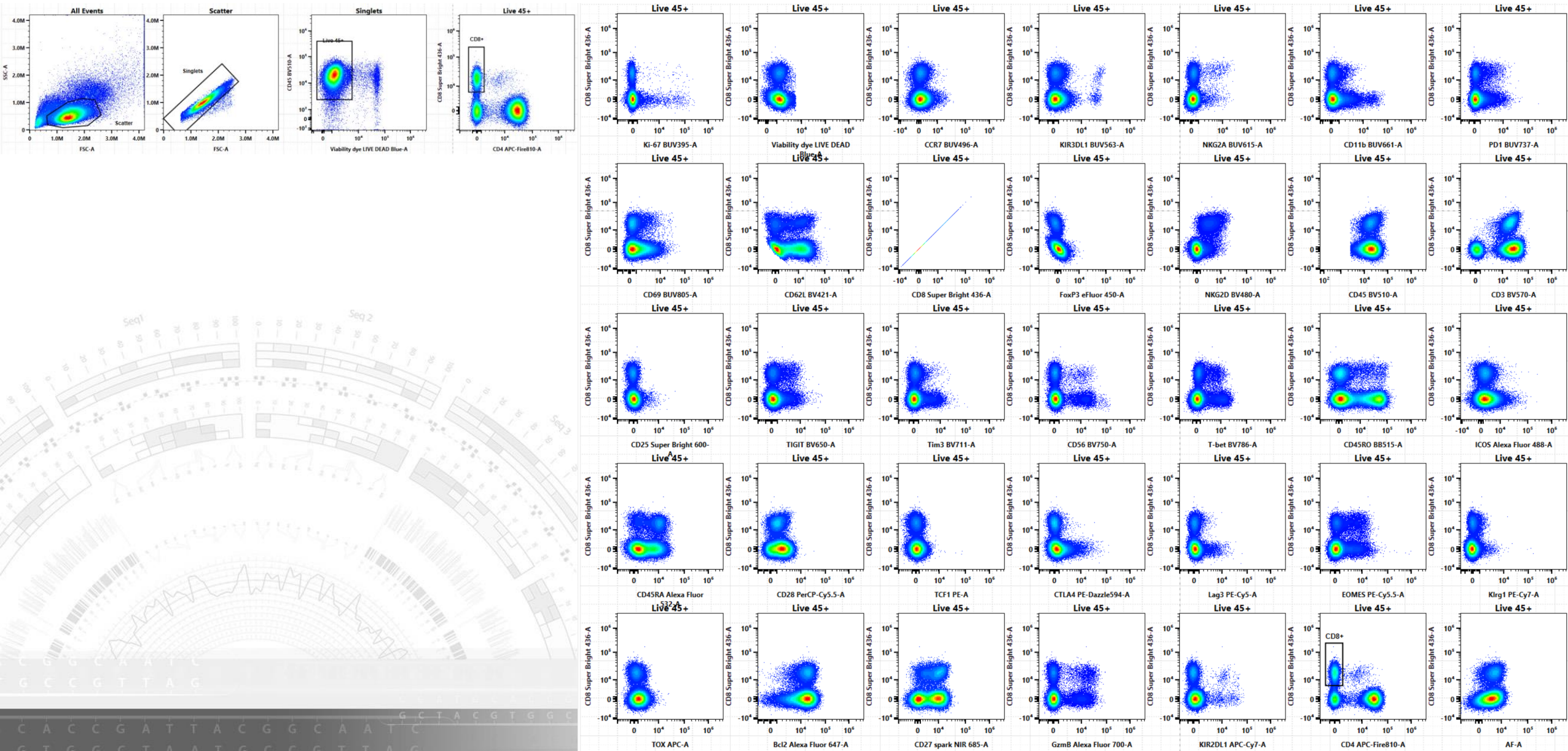


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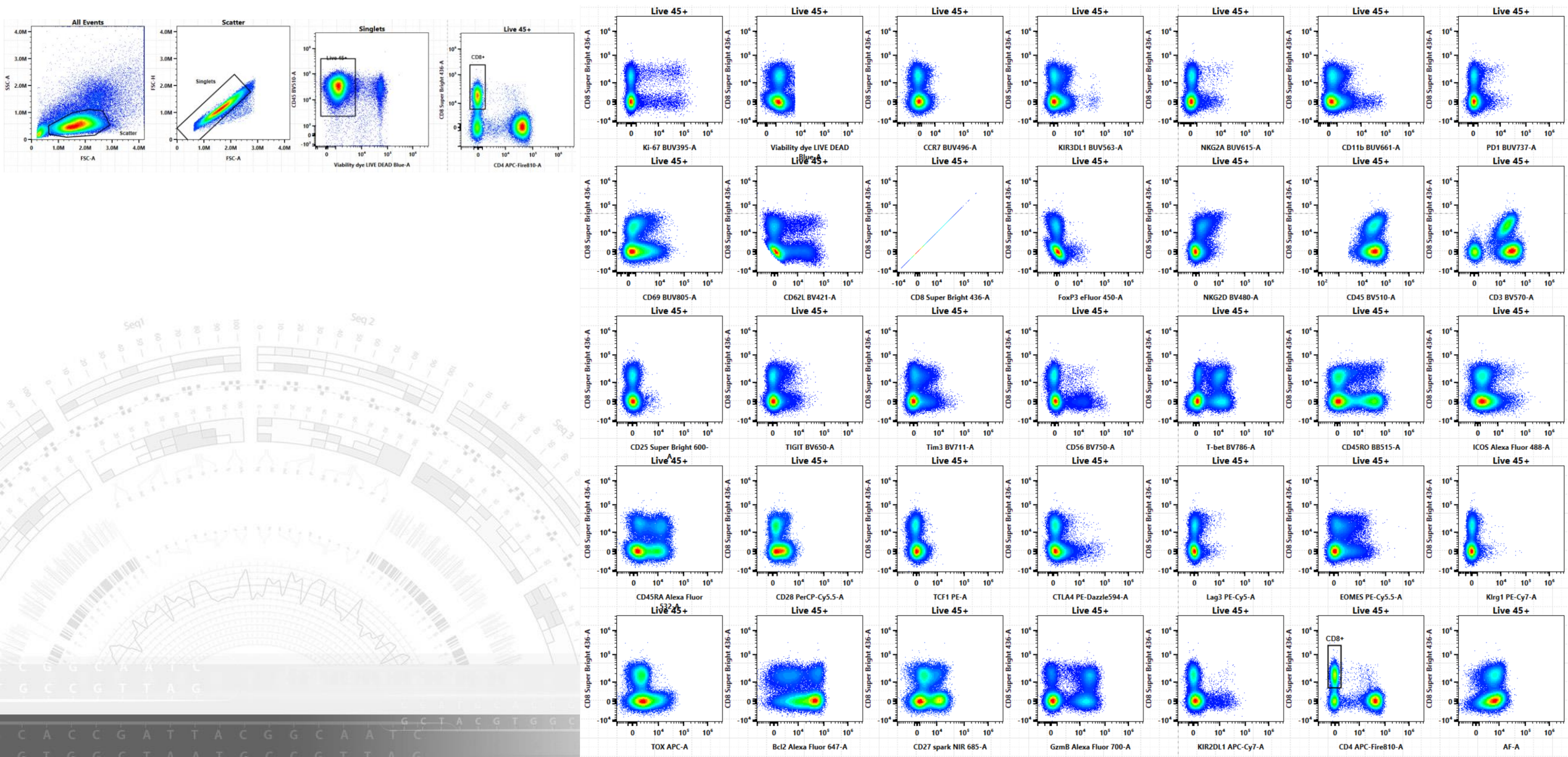
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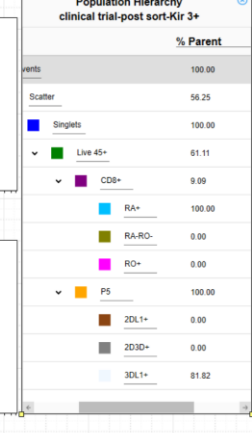
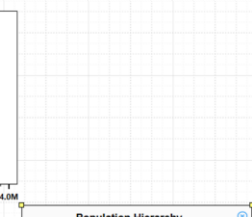
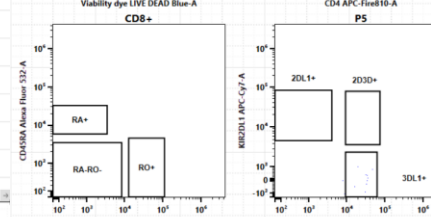
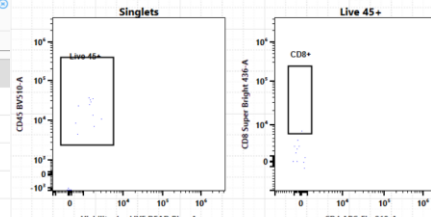
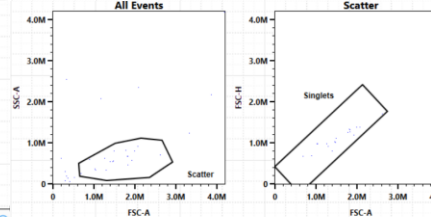
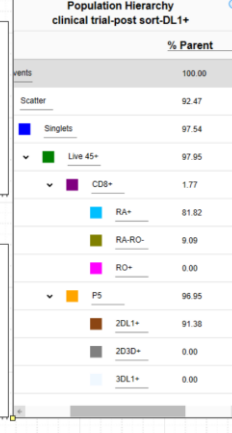
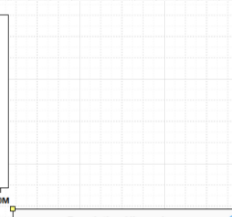
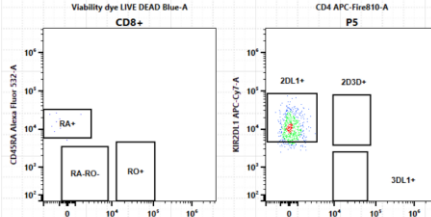
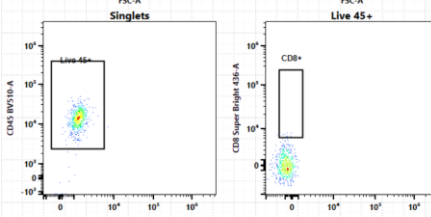
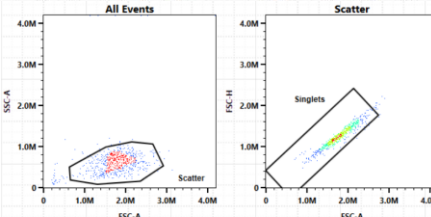
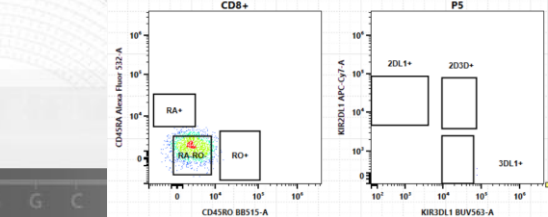
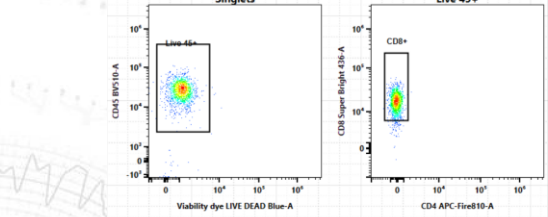
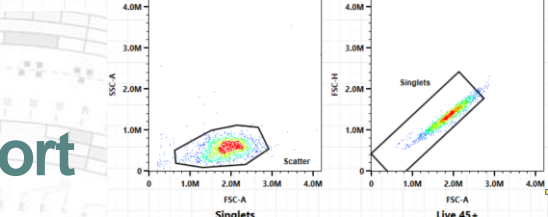
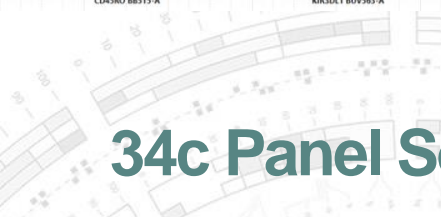
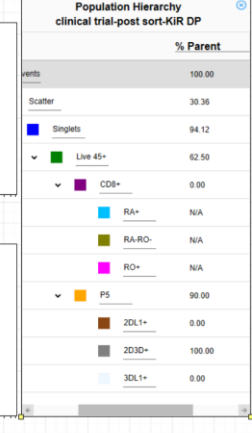
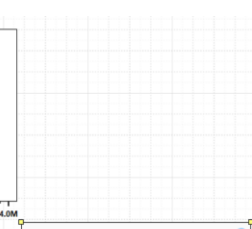
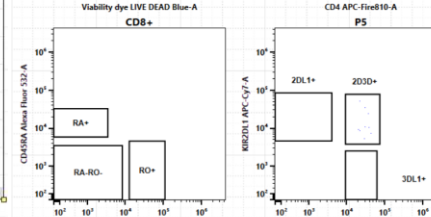
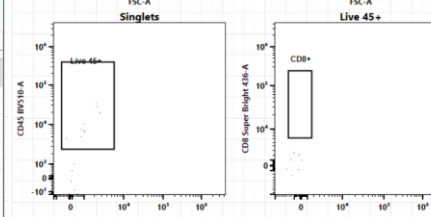
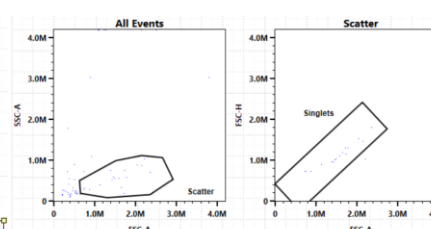
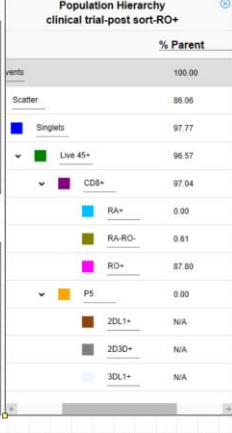
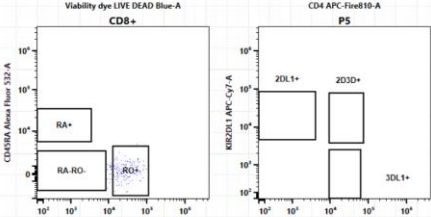
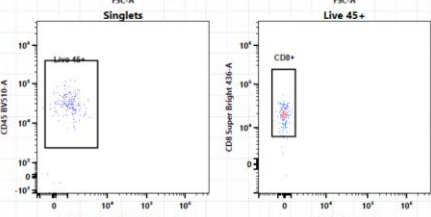
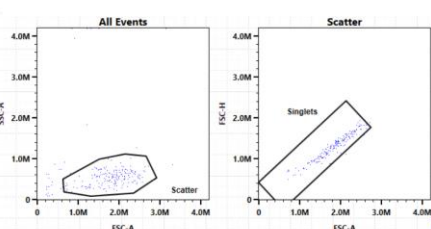
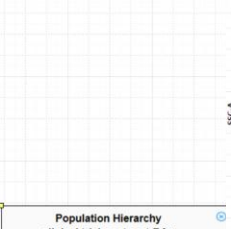
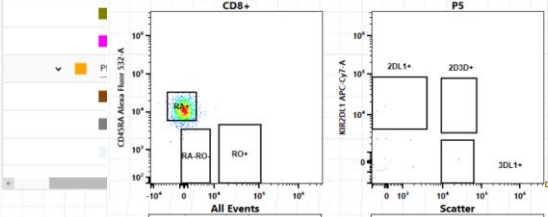
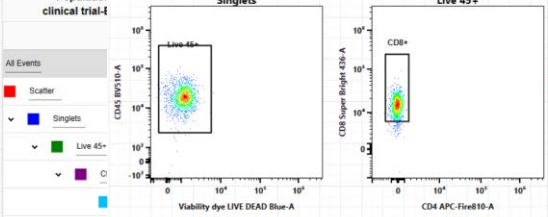
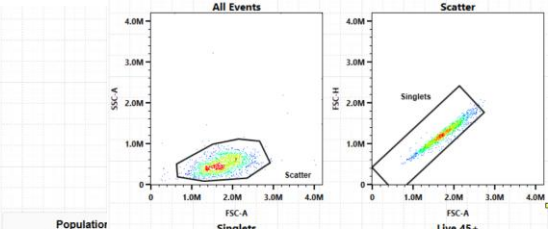
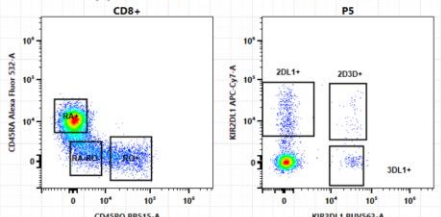
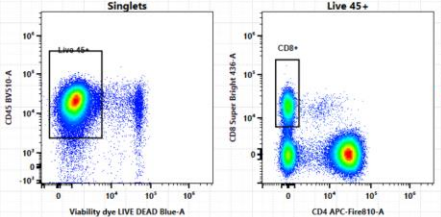
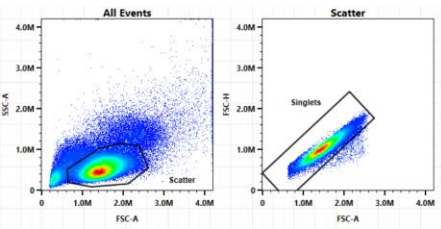


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Aurora CS Data from 'Patient 1'





34c Panel Sort

CGCGGTTAG
CACCATTACGC
GTGGGATACGTT
CGA

Thanks!



<https://www.pelotonia.org/profile/KW0281>



Investor and Analyst Day
**Aurora Empowering Immunological
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Dr. Anna Belkina, Boston University

June 22, 2022

Full spectrum cell analysis reveals novel immune phenotypes in health and disease

Anna C. Belkina, M.D., Ph.D.

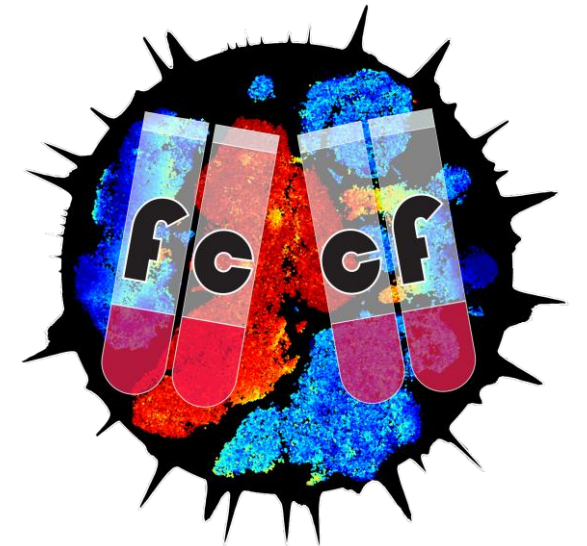


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Director

Flow Cytometry Core Facility



Introduction

➤ Assistant Professor of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at Boston University School of Medicine

My work is focused on chronic inflammatory processes in the context of variety of conditions:

- HIV
- Diabetes/obesity
- Aging and 'inflammaging'

Bioinformatic approaches to study single cell data

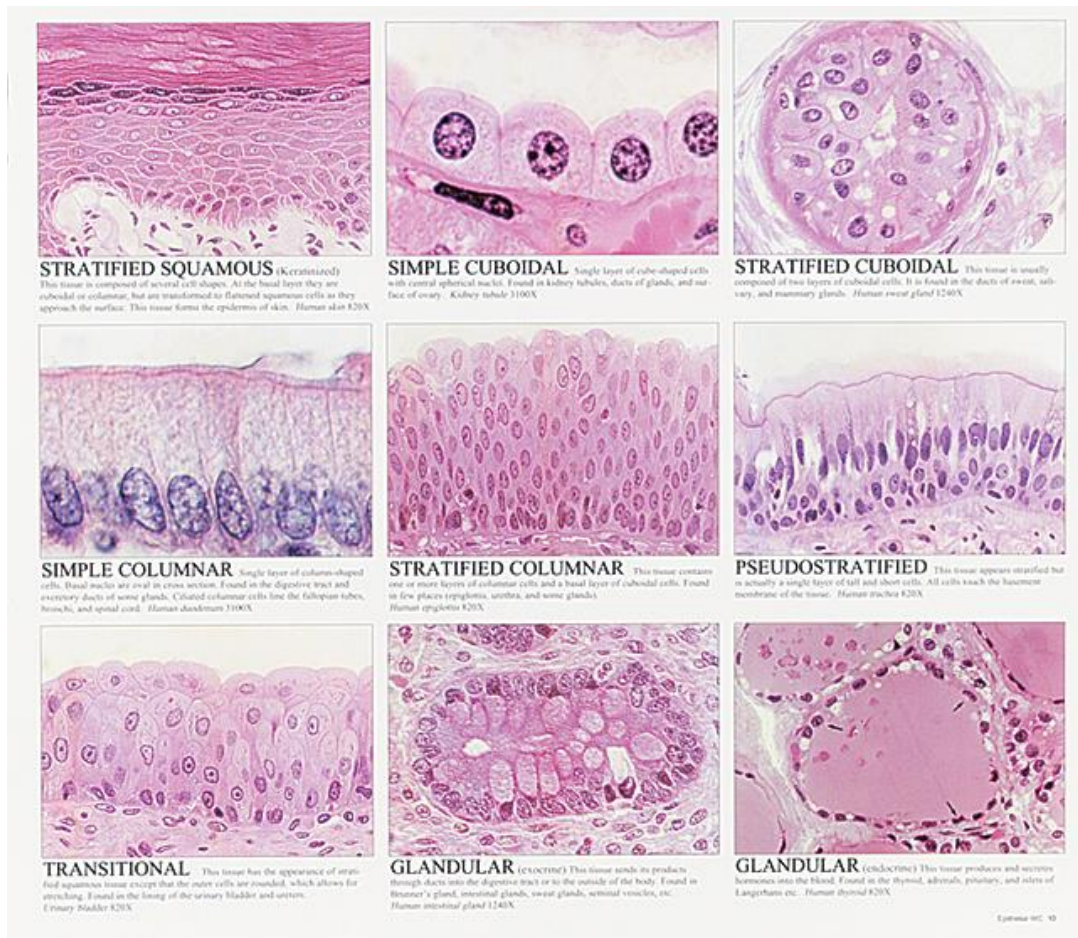
- Visualization of flow cytometry data structure
- Multivariate analyses of mixed datasets

❖ Director of the Flow Cytometry Core Facility

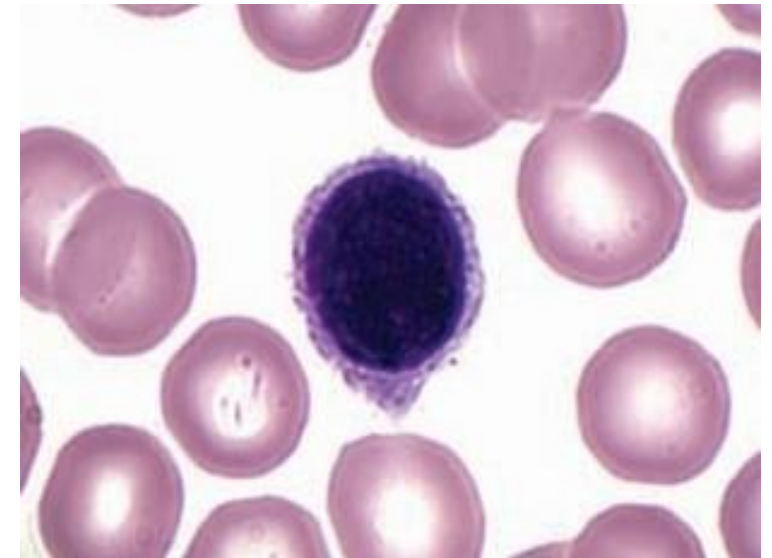
Multiple instruments including 5L Cytek Aurora (spectral applications)

Immune system is known to be incredibly complex, but you would never suspect that if you look at the immune cells under the microscope...

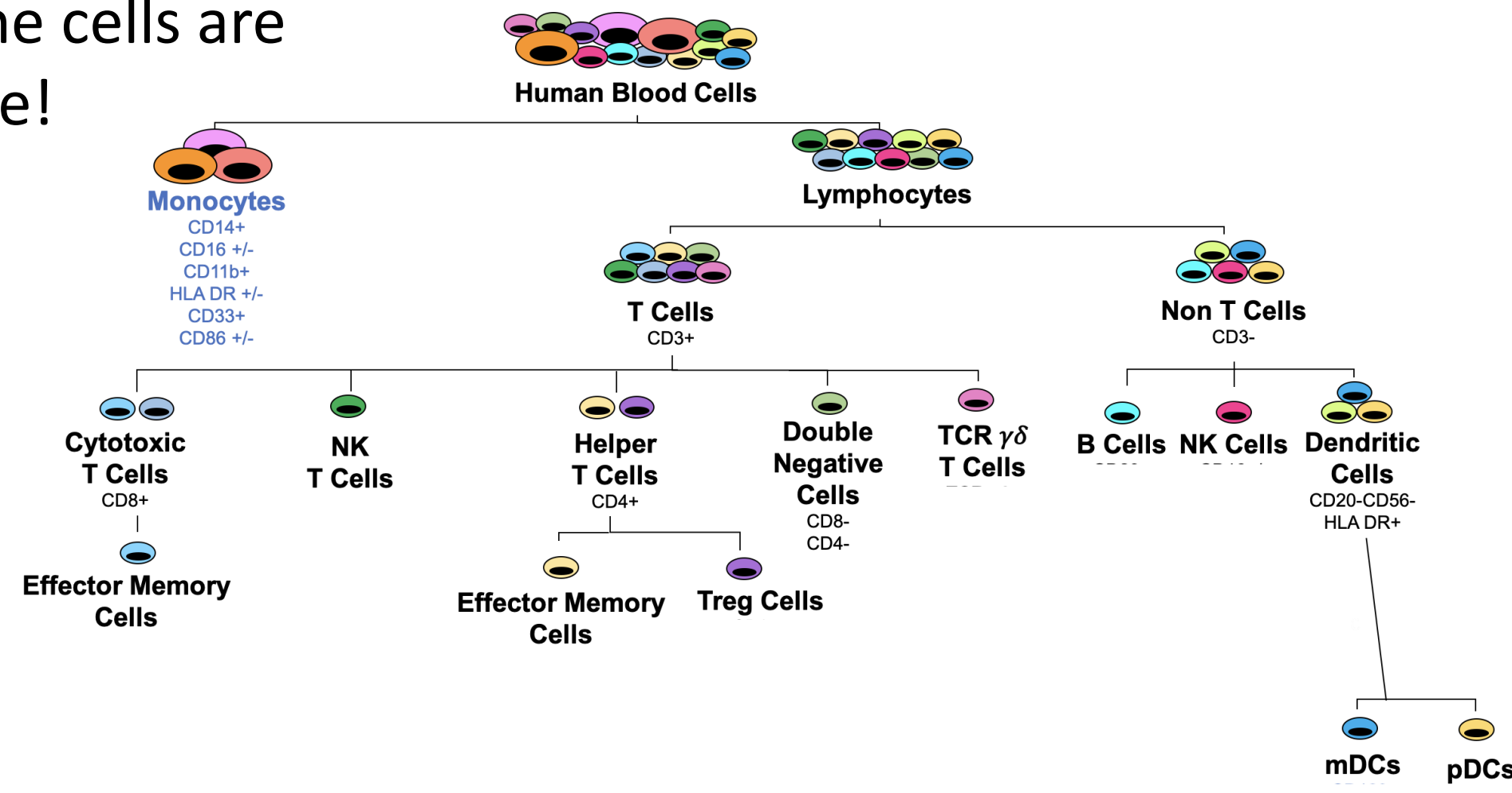
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Lymphocyte



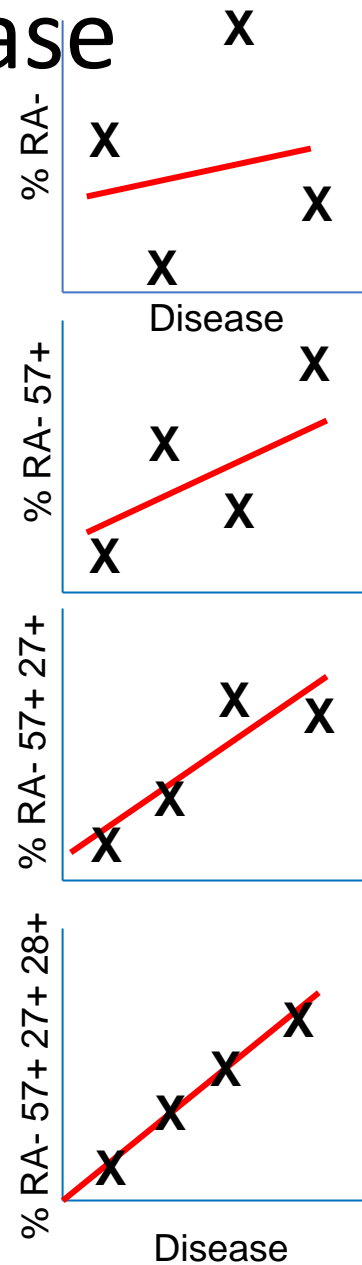
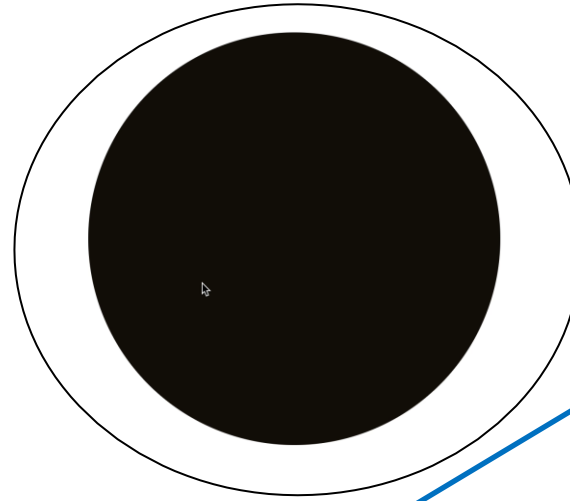
However, immune cells are extremely diverse!



Protein 'fingerprints' that define diverse types and functions of immune cells

Multiparameter measurements allow us to detect the exact 'fingerprint' that correlates with disease

- Immune feature:
- with no correlation
 - with weak correlation
 - with strong correlation to outcome.



We need to assay these proteins in a single measurement

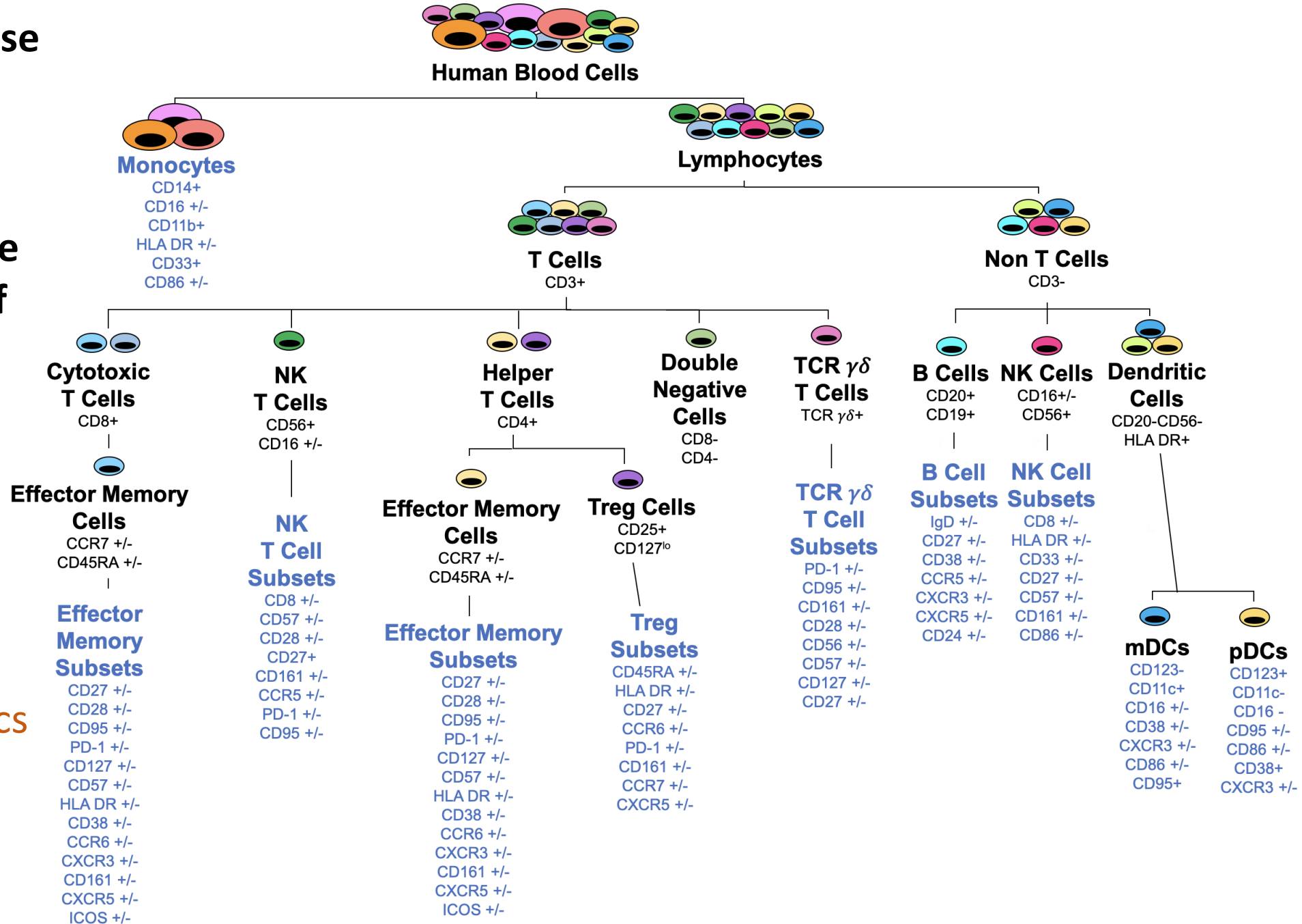
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identify and measure other biomarkers of disease

➤ For basic and translational research

➤ For clinical trials

➤ For clinical diagnostics



HIV: a problem even when virus is undetectable

Despite successful viral suppression via anti-retroviral therapy, HIV+ individuals have an elevated risk of Serious Non-AIDS (SNA) events:

cardiovascular atherosclerosis
neurocognitive degeneration
diabetes mellitus
cancer
osteoporosis
liver (cirrhosis)
frailty
pneumonia

Diseases associated with normal aging

SNAs afflict older HIV+ individuals at higher rates than the age-matched general population

AIDS Patient Care STDS, 2013. 27(1): p. 5-16.

SNAs occur at younger ages in HIV+ vs uninfected controls

Clin Infect Dis, 2011. 53(11): p. 1120-6.

Do HIV+ individuals age earlier or differently?

Whether HIV causes SNAs through the same mechanism(s) as normal aging or through other processes is unclear...

Our Previous Work Implicate $\gamma\delta$ T cells as Inflammatory Driver in HIV, Aging

Multivariate Computational Analysis of Gamma Delta T Cell Inhibitory Receptor Signatures Reveals the Divergence of Healthy and ART-Suppressed HIV+ Aging



Anna C. Belkina^{1,2}, Alina Starchenko³, Katherine A. Drake⁴, Elizabeth A. Proctor³, Riley M. F. Pihl¹, Alex Olson⁵, Douglas A. Lauffenburger³, Nina Lin^{5†} and Jennifer E. Snyder-Cappione^{1,6*†}

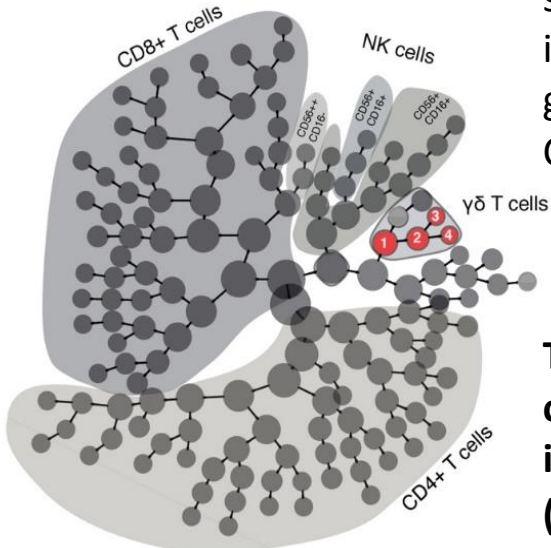
16-color immunophenotyping (PBMCs)
OMIP-037 (Belkina et al, 2017)

16 markers of inflammation in plasma

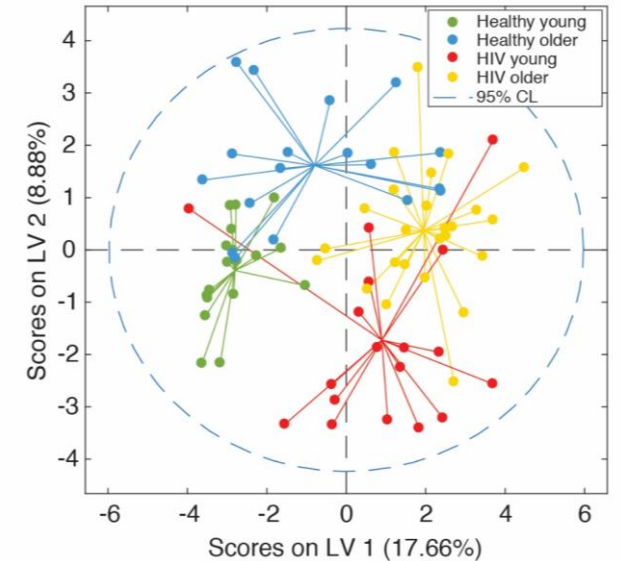
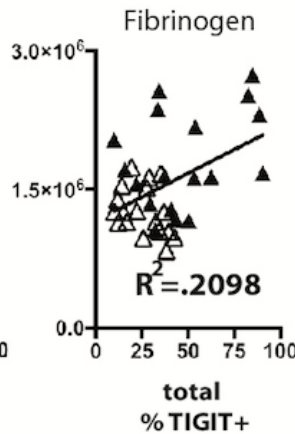
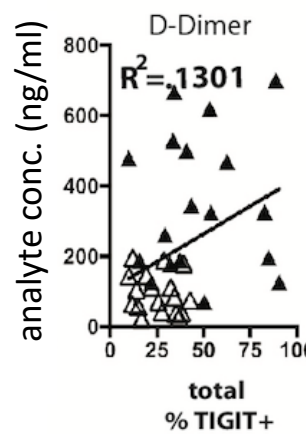
CITRUS algorithm:
TIGIT

TIGIT on $\gamma\delta$ T cells stratified subjects into HIV+ vs HIV- groups with 89% CV accuracy

% TIGIT+ $\gamma\delta$ T cells tracked with plasma inflammatory markers



TIGIT: druggable checkpoint inhibitor (tiragolumab)

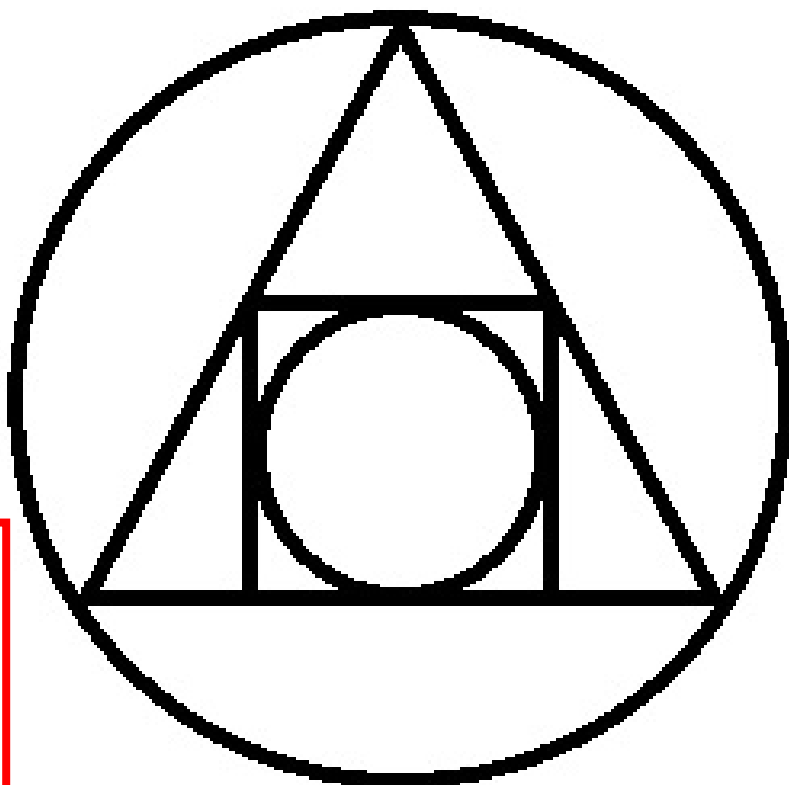


IR signatures on $\gamma\delta$ T cells and plasma markers stratify 4 groups of subjects in a PLS-DA multivariate model

Multiparameter analysis of immune cells

Reagents

to distinguish multiple analytes simultaneously



We switched to CYTEK spectral platform to generate larger datasets with better signal resolution

Instrumentation

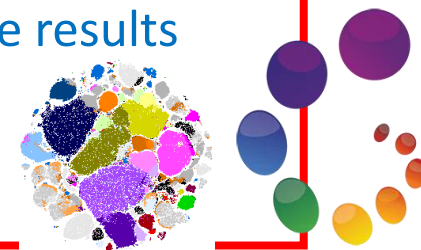
to detect multiple reagents



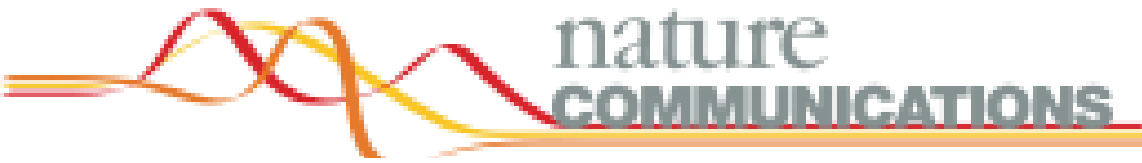
We use CYTEK spectral unmixing with integrated signal standardization + our own algorithmic tools

Data analysis tools





to evaluate the results



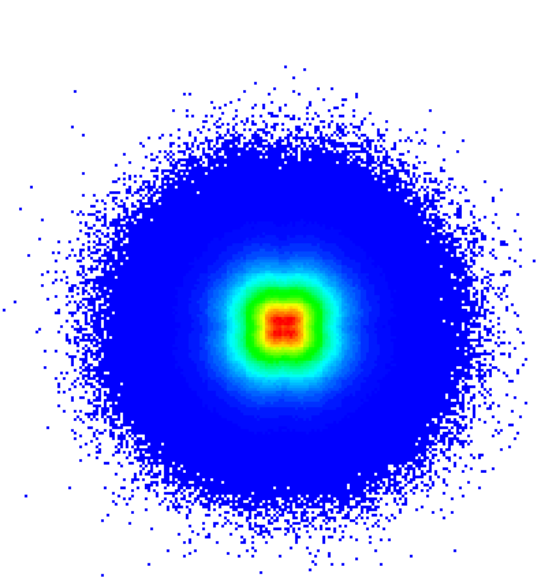
opt-SNE algorithm enables high quality visualization of **mega-scale** datasets and serves as our staple tool for high parameter data analysis



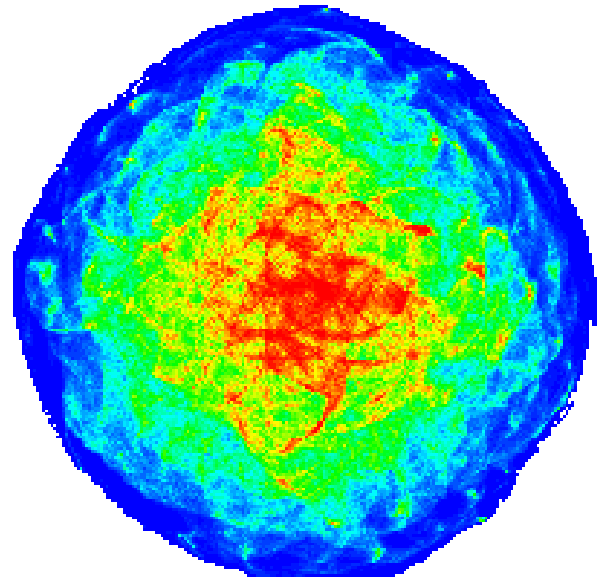
Automated optimized parameters for t-distributed stochastic neighbor embedding improve visualization and allow analysis of large datasets

 Anna C. Belkina, Christopher O. Ciccolella, Rina Anno,  Richard Halpert,  Josef Spidlen,  Jennifer E. Snyder-Cappione

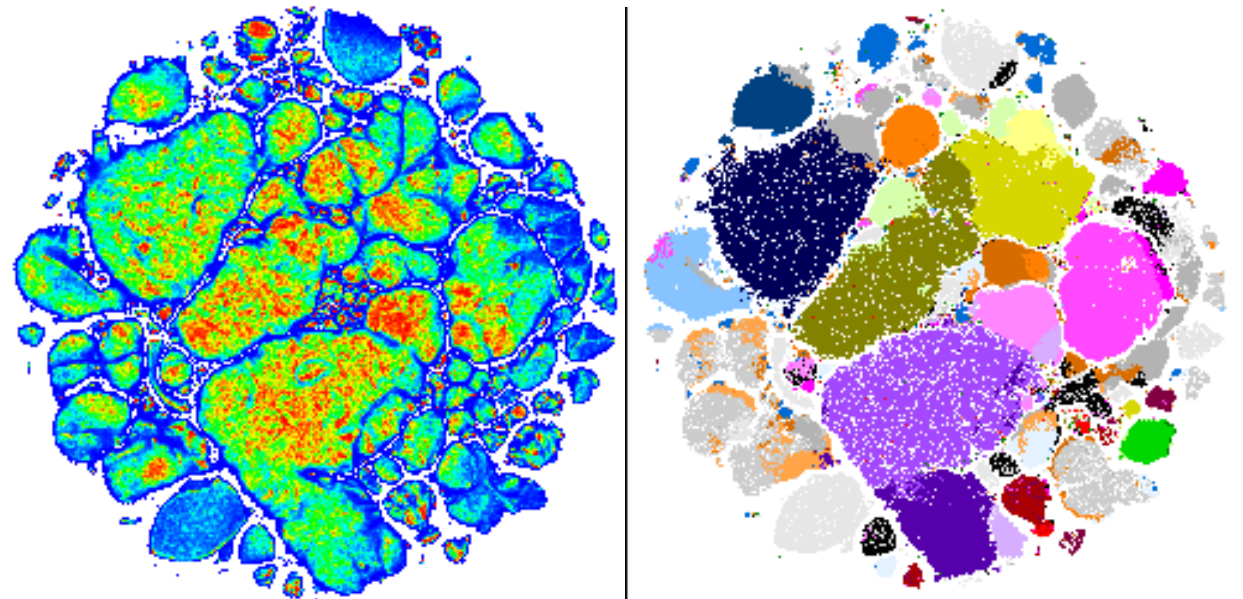
“Standard” t-SNE



‘t-SNE for large data’



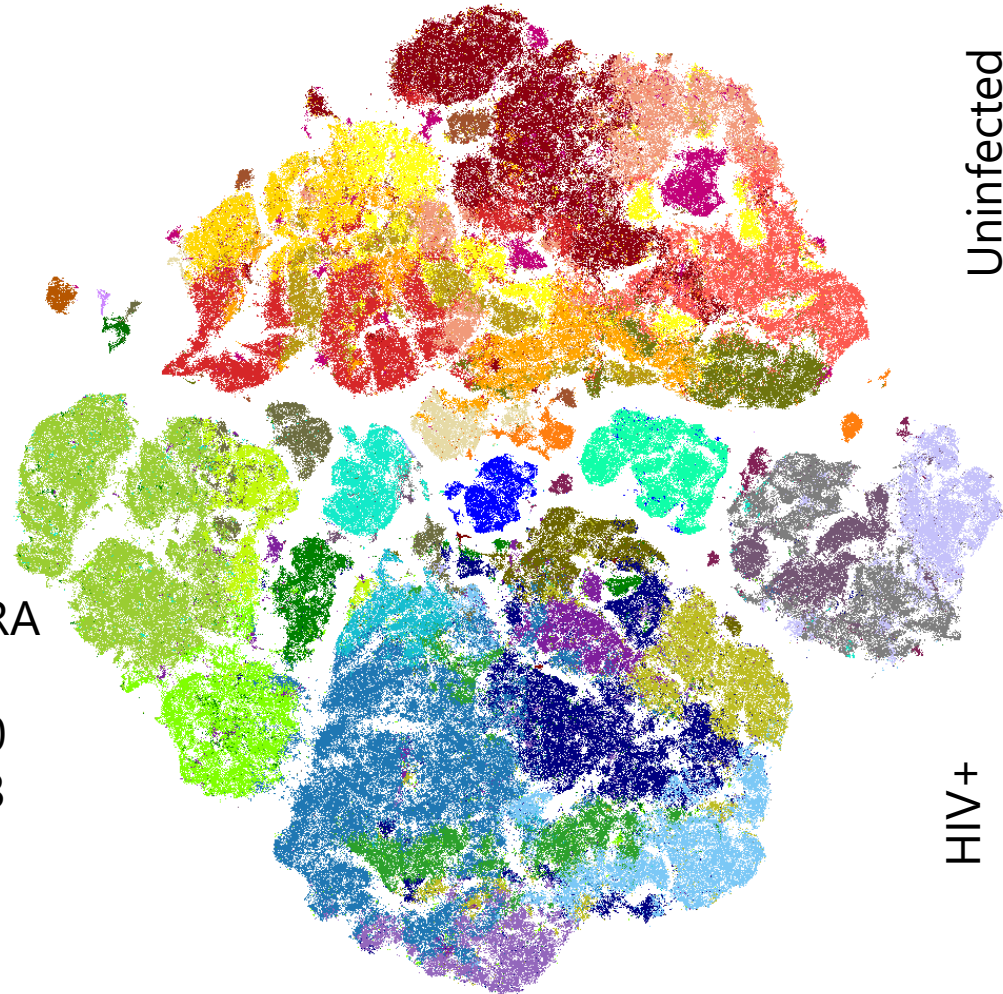
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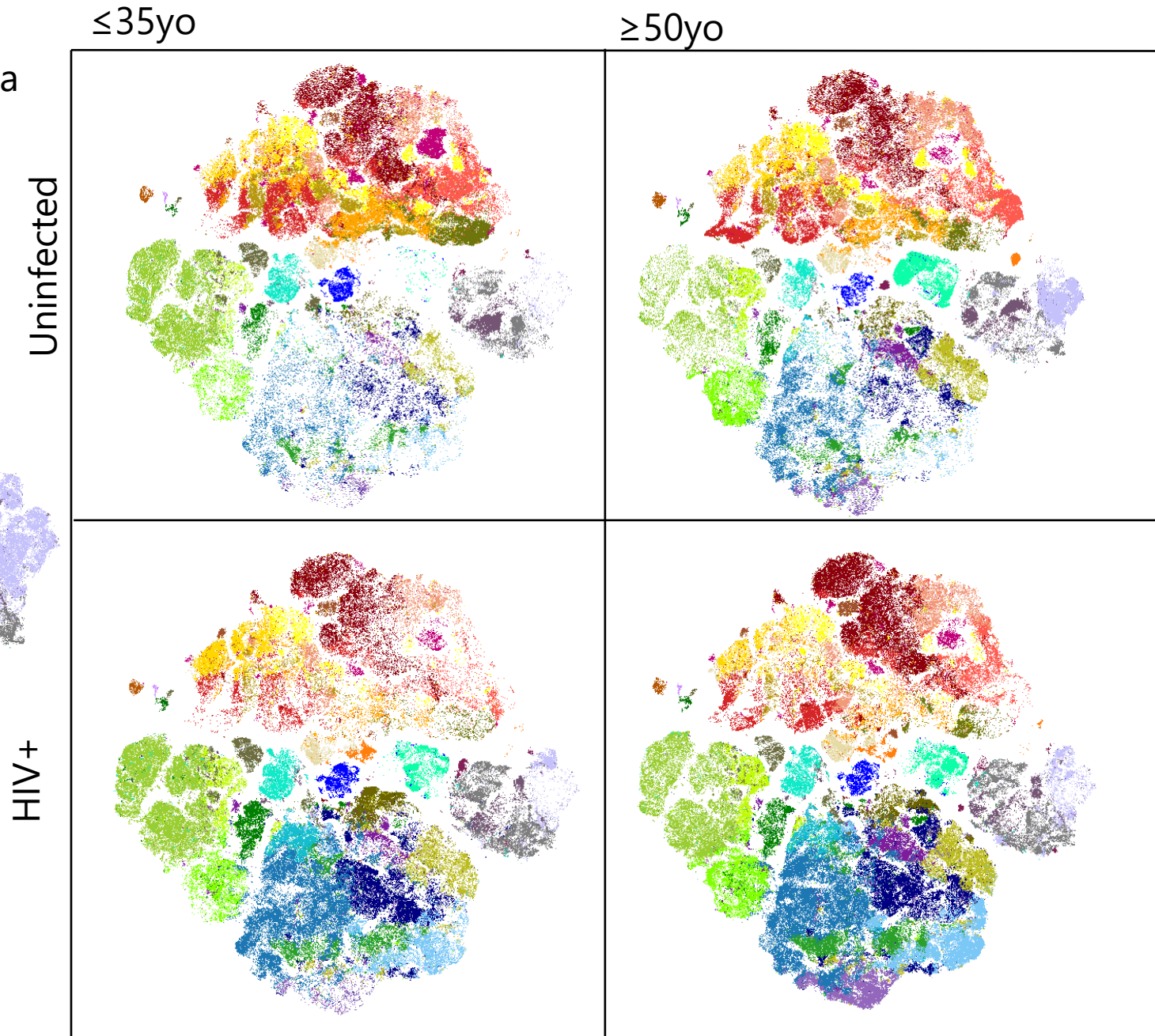
Spectral analysis reveals dramatic diversity of $\gamma\delta$ T cells in HIV, Aging

opt-SNE algorithm integrates the spectral data

V δ 1
V δ 2
V γ 9
CD3
CD4
CD8
CD27
CD16
CD56
CD45RA
CD38
CD160
CD103
TIM-3
TIGIT
PD-1

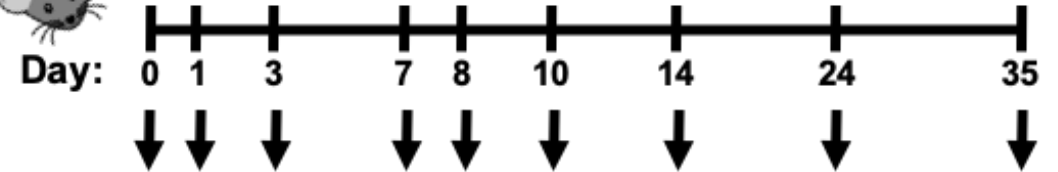


$\gamma\delta$ T cell data from 96 subjects contain 40 distinct clusters / subtypes



Mapping the landscape of the lung in pneumococcal pneumonia

nature
COMMUNICATIONS



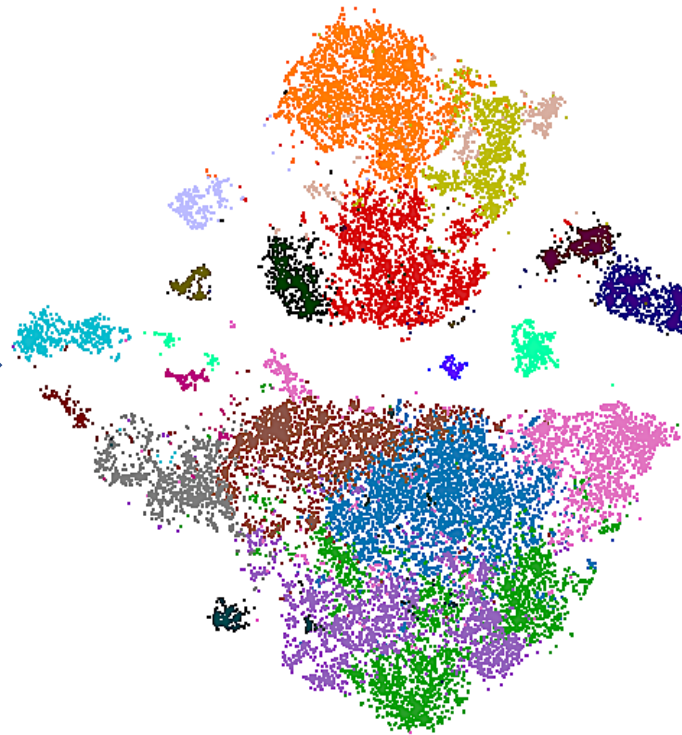
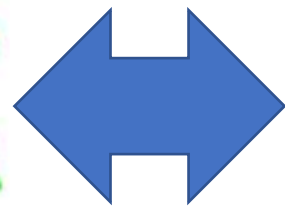
Watch recovery from pneumonia & development of immunity

Antigen presentation by lung epithelial cells directs $CD4^+$ T_{RM} cell function and regulates barrier immunity

Shenoy et al, 2022



Epithelial cells



T and B lymphocytes

- Spectral fingerprints of lung cells are generated on Cytex Aurora
- Measurement stability over multiple timepoints - critical for this project
- Recovery from pneumonia induces development of tissue resident memory $CD4^+$ TRM cells, BRM cells, and antibody secreting plasma cells.

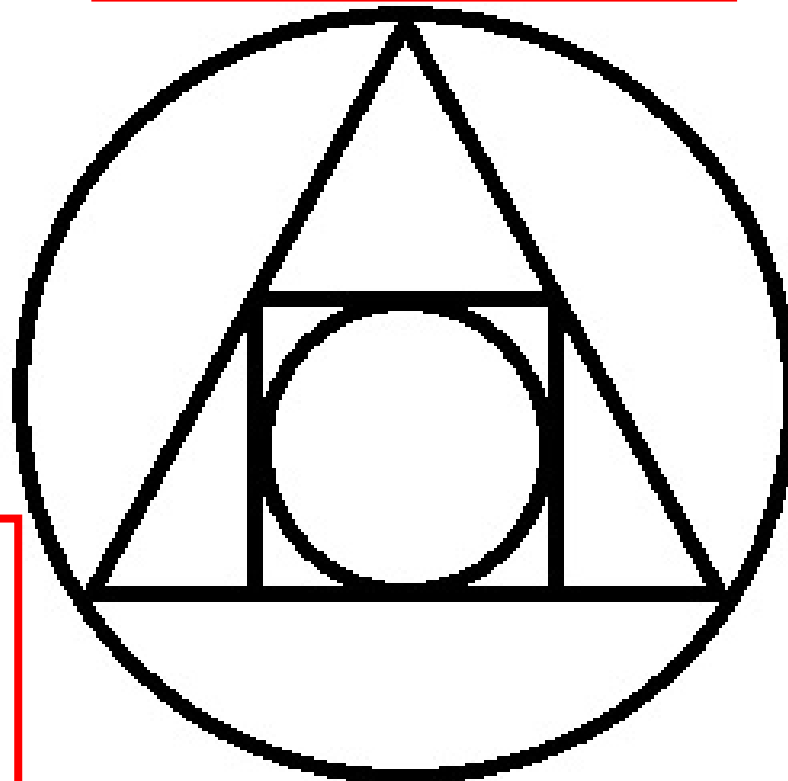
Multiparameter measurements on immune cells

Moving forward, full spectrum cell analysis is the method of choice for single cells cell characterization.

CYTEK spectral platform has become a *de facto* default tool for spectral cell analysis

Reagents
to distinguish multiple analytes simultaneously

CYTEK customizable standardized panels allow reproducible and easy-to-implement assays



Instrumentation
to detect multiple reagents

Data analysis tools
to evaluate the results



Investor and Analyst Day

The Aurora Analyzer in Oncology

Dr. Franklin “Buddy” Fuda, UTSW

June 22, 2022

Buddy Fuda

Professor of Pathology

Division of Hematopathology

Director of Clinical Flow Cytometry

University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center Dallas, Tx

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My Background

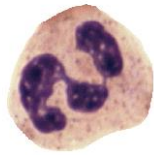
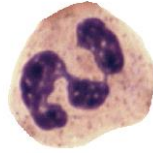
- 20 Years in Clinical Practice
- Hematopathology and Flow Cytometry at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical center (UTSW)
 - Director of two clinical flow cytometry laboratories and one immunology laboratory
 - One of the largest university labs in the county
 - Wide range of patient demographics with high variety of disease
 - Continued in the tradition of excellence set forth by experts in the field such as Louis Picker, Steven Kroft and Nitin Karandikar
 - Expertise in comprehensive and detailed analysis with a unique approach using various software programs including cluster analysis with Cytosight
 - Used as a reference laboratory for regional laboratories on particularly difficult cases
- Collaborated with other flow cytometry experts on essential projects such as ConTexFlo (10-year effort across 7-13 labs) building “standardized” screening tubes for high parameter testing
- Actively involved member, contributor and inspector on international education committees, quality standards committees, and regulatory committees for clinical flow cytometry



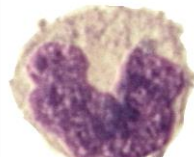
Clinical Flow Cytometry



Immunophenotype



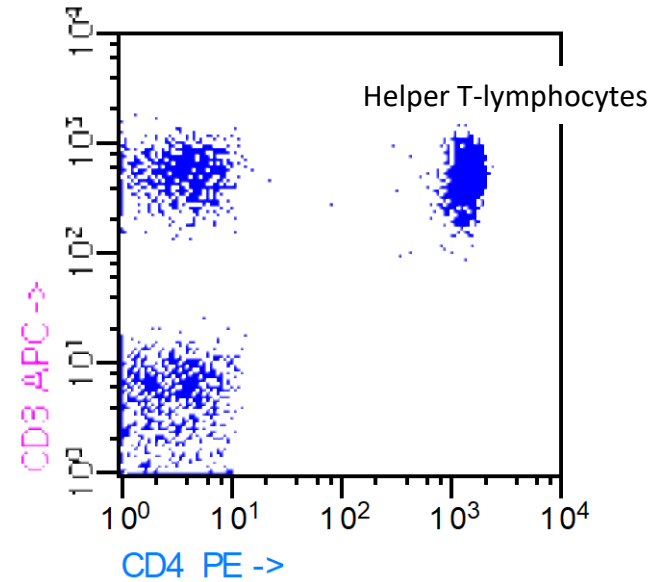
Neutrophil



Monocyte



Lymphocyte



Normal Cell Populations

vs

Cancer Cell Populations

Leukemias and Lymphomas

How are Laboratories Graded?

All Institutions

1. Sensitivity and Accuracy of Diagnosis
2. Operating Expenses
3. Turn Around Time

Academic Institutions

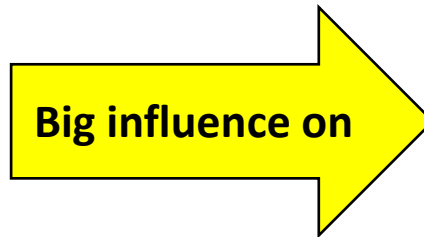
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4. Expertise in Field
 1. Publications
 2. National Prominence

Setting Our Goals

Correct Resources Impact Outcomes

Resources

1. **Instruments**
 - Performance
 - Reliability/Downtime (Service)
2. **Reagents**
 - Performance
 - Supply
 - Shipping Times
3. **Vendor Application Support**
 - Training
 - Knowledge of Clinical Market
4. **Vendor Customers Service**



Outcomes

Quality of Product
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Cytek

Customer service company ✓

Flow Cytometry Focused ✓



Match my passion

~~Chrysler dealership~~

Four Wheel Parts

Flow Cytometry Systems

The Hardware/Instruments

Numbers Game

Markers matter!

The more per tube

The more powerful the test

The more cost effective the test

Conventional Clinical Flow Cytometer
Up to 12 colors

Conventional Research Flow Cytometer
Up to 30 colors

Dirty!

Conventional Flow Cytometer Reality

Most Clinical Labs
6-8 colors

Highest Expertise
10-14 colors

Cytek

High Parameter Testing
Up to 40 markers

Clean!

Flow Cytometry Systems

The Hardware/Instruments

Conventional Flow Cytometer

Porthole Windows



FARM

COW!

Examples: Operating Expense Comparisons

Fewer Tubes = \$\$\$

Example 1 – Peripheral Blood screen

	Conventional	Cytek	
Unique Markers	17	17	
Tubes	2	1	
Total Markers Run	19	17	
Redundant Markers	2	0	
Unbillable Markers	2	0	
Cost Savings	-	1 tube (2 Markers)	~50%

Example 2 – Peripheral Blood Mycosis Fungoides Panel

	Conventional	Cytek	
Unique Markers	20	20	
Tubes	3	1	
Total Markers Run	27	20	
Redundant Markers	7	0	
Unbillable Markers	7	0	
Cost Savings	-	2 tube (7 Markers)	~75%

Example 3 – Lymphoid/Myeloid Bone Marrow Screen

	Conventional	Cytek	
Unique Markers	28	28	
Tubes	4	2	
Total Markers Run	38	29	
Redundant Markers	10	1	
Unbillable Markers	10	1	
Cost Savings	-	2 tube (9 Markers)	~100%

Example 4 – Acute Myeloid Leukemia Panel

	Conventional	Cytek	
Unique Markers	31	31	
Tubes	6	2	
Total Markers Run	47	32	
Redundant Markers	19	1	
Unbillable Markers	19	1	
Cost Savings	-	4 tube (18 Markers)	~200%

Turn Around Time Acquisition Faster On Cytek

Fewer tubes = Faster

- Less Resource Consumption
- Faster patient results

Routine sensitivity each tube – 3 minutes

Panel	Acquisitions Minutes per panel Conventional	Acquisition Minutes per panel Cytek	Acquisition Time Savings	Acquisition Time Savings across 1,000 patients
Peripheral Blood screen	6	3	100%	50 hours
Peripheral Blood Mycosis Fungoides Panel	9	3	200%	100 hours
Lymphoid/Myeloid Bone Marrow Screen	12	6	200%	100 hours
Acute Leukemia Panel	18	6	300%	200 hours

Routine analysis each tube – 3 minutes

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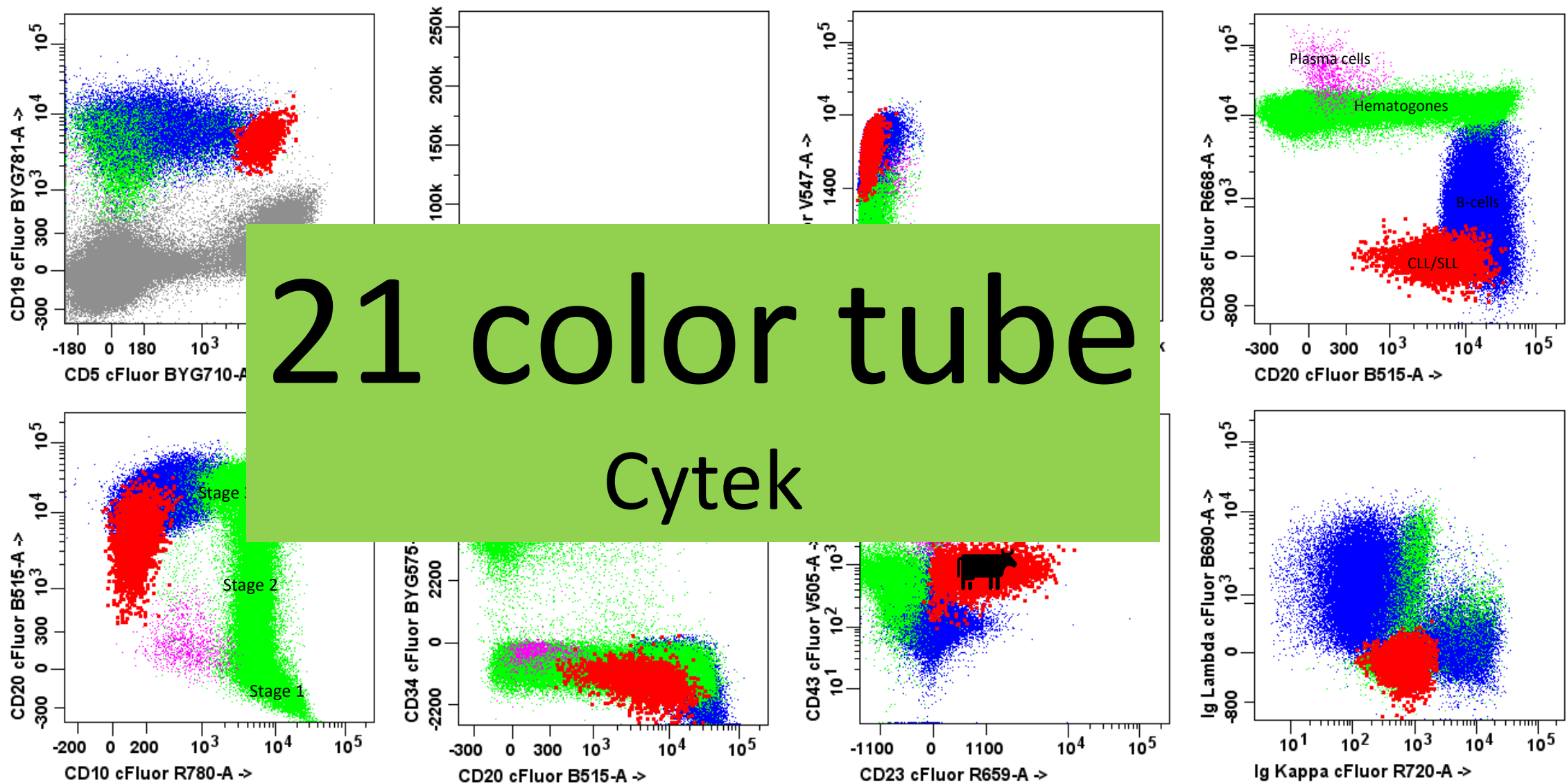
Faster Turn Around Times

- Increased productivity
 - Flow cytometry lab
 - Hematopathology work up
- Improved patient care
 - Earlier diagnosis
 - Earlier induction of treatment
- More cost-effective patient care
 - More specific therapeutic approach
 - Reduced duration of inpatient hospital care

Cytek system
“No-brainer”

But, does it actually work?

True Testament
What does the data look like in complex tissue?
Can I identify a minute malignant population?



21 color tube
Cytek

Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia/Small Lymphocytic lymphoma (CLL/SLL)

CLL/SLL = 0.001%

CD5(+), CD10(-), CD19(+), CD20(dim +), CD23(+), CD34(-), CD38(-), CD43(+), CD45(+), surface kappa(dim +), surface lambda(-)

Successful Operation

Academic Institutions

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Achieve our goals

FAN!

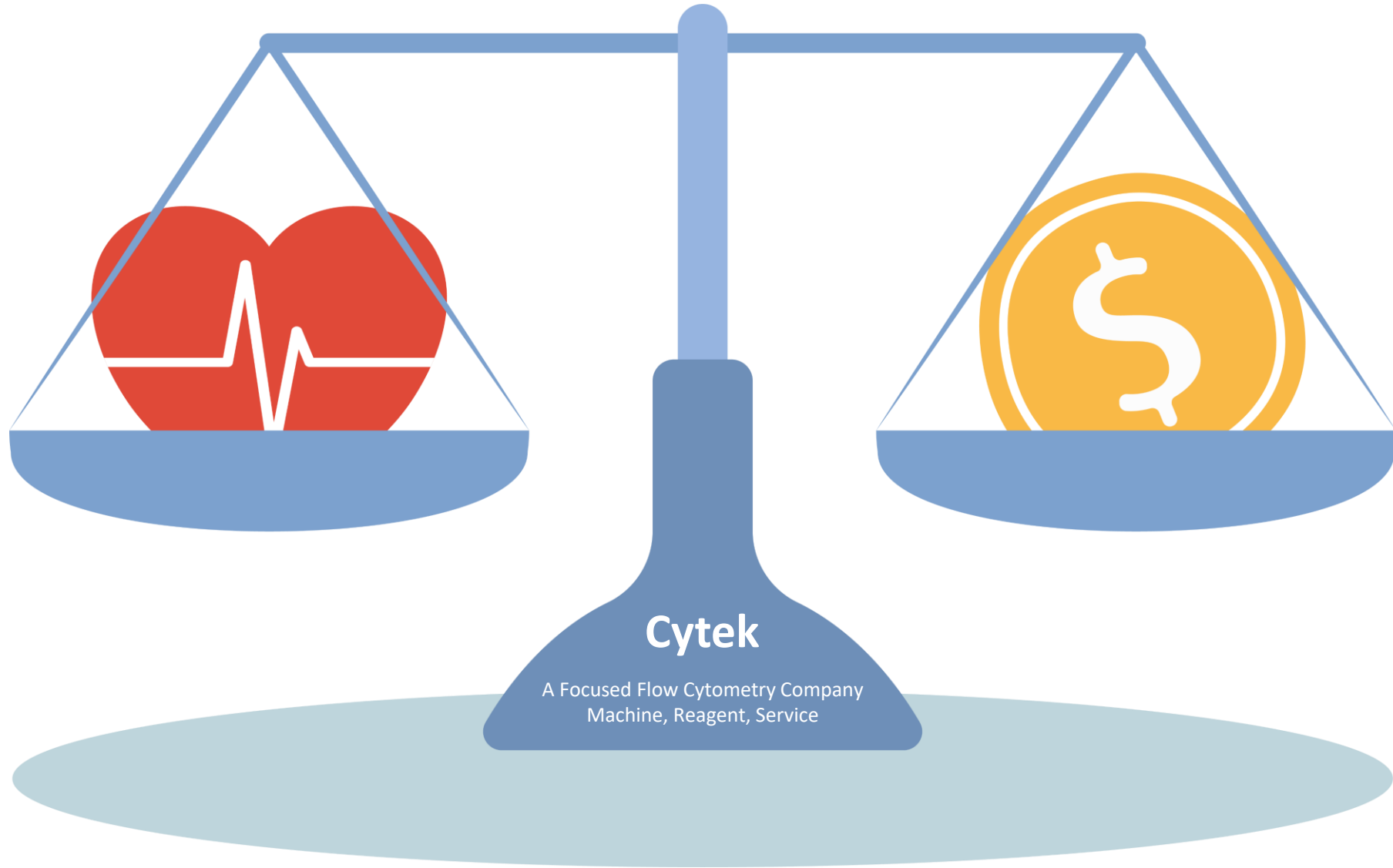


What's that mean for Flow Cytometry

- Cytek revolutionizes flow cytometry
 - Unleashes the full potential of artificial intelligence
 - Simplifies the technical component
 - Opens new horizons for research and clinical practice
 - Meets new challenges brought about through advancements in clinical therapeutics

What's that mean for Cytek

- It takes the market share
 - Reference laboratories and University Laboratories
 - Will switch to the latest technology
 - Private practice and small laboratories
 - Will establish in-house labs
 - Flow cytometry is a high revenue generator
 - Capture the professional component but outsource the technical component
 - Technical component is where most revenue lies
 - Cytek simplifies the technical component
- Out of the gate Early
 - Builds a bond
 - Superior product
 - Superior customer service
 - Longevity of relationship



Cytex

A Focused Flow Cytometry Company
Machine, Reagent, Service



Investor and Analyst Day Break

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Investor and Analyst Day

Cytek Technologies and Products

Dr. Ming Yan, Chief Technology Officer
Mark Herberger, Sr. Director Marketing

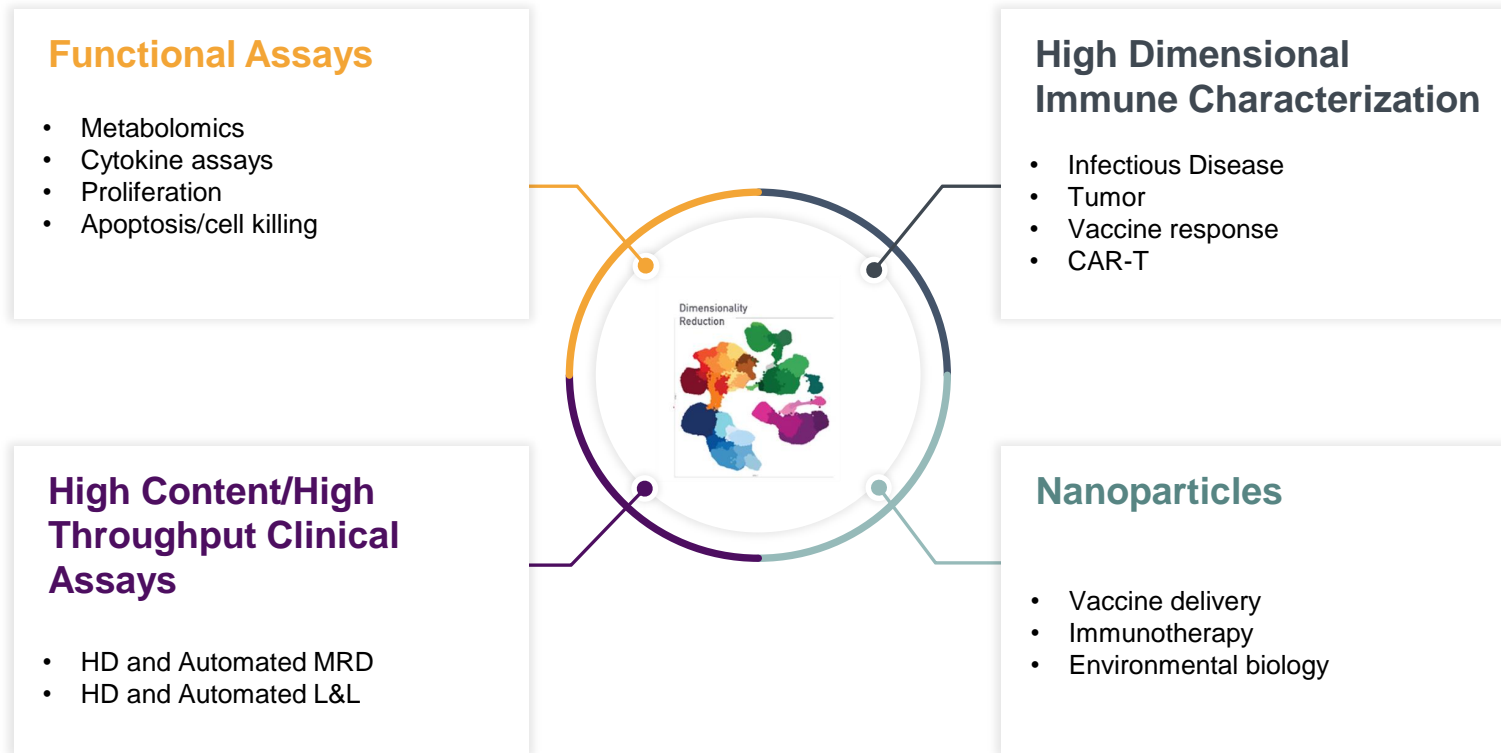
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Unmet Needs: High Dimensional Cell Analysis

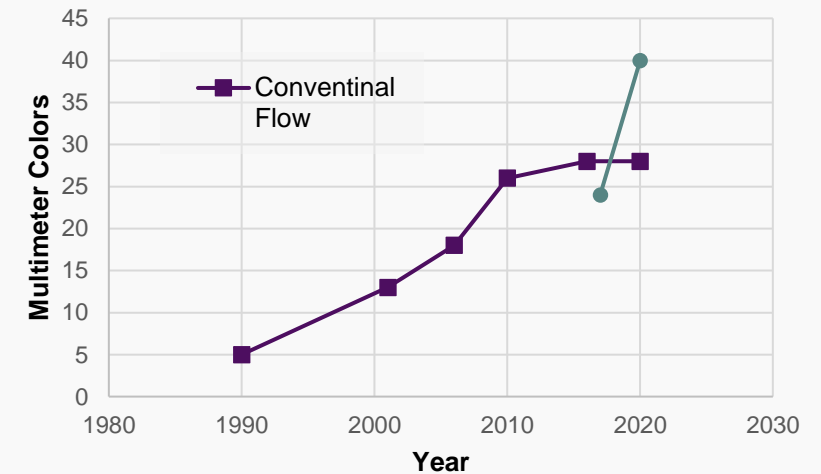
The complexity of the immune system requires to detect and purify

- the combinations of expressing numerous proteins,
- the functionally distinct cell subsets.

To correlate a given immune response to disease and treatment

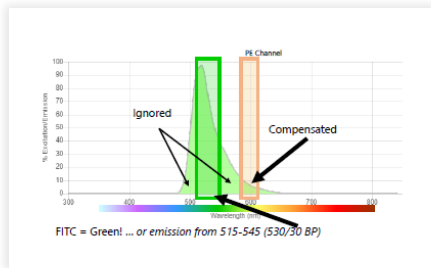


Trend of Multiparameter Cell Analysis

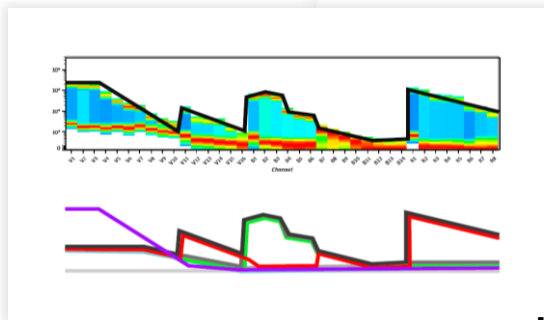
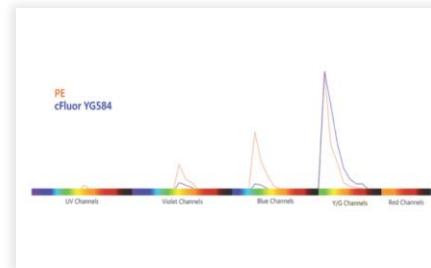


Advancing Cell Analysis with Our Unique FSP Technology

Conventional

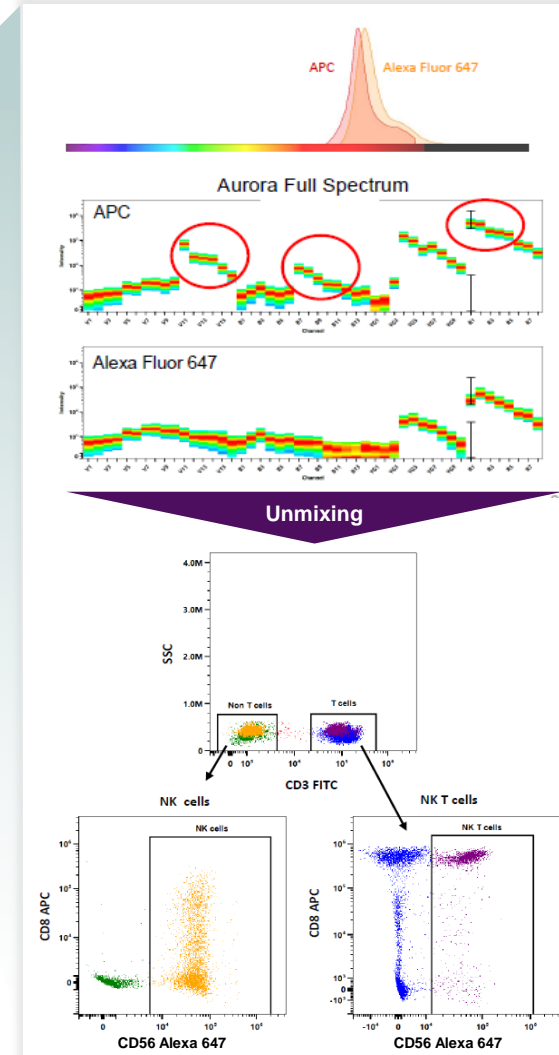


Cytek's FSP Technology



Unmixing algorithm

ENTIRE emission spectrum is captured across the different module & stitched together to create a spectral signature that combines emission information of fluorochrome excited by all onboard lasers



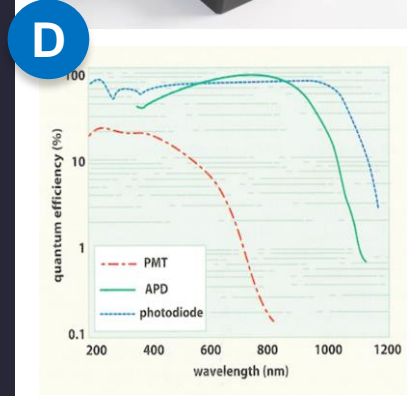
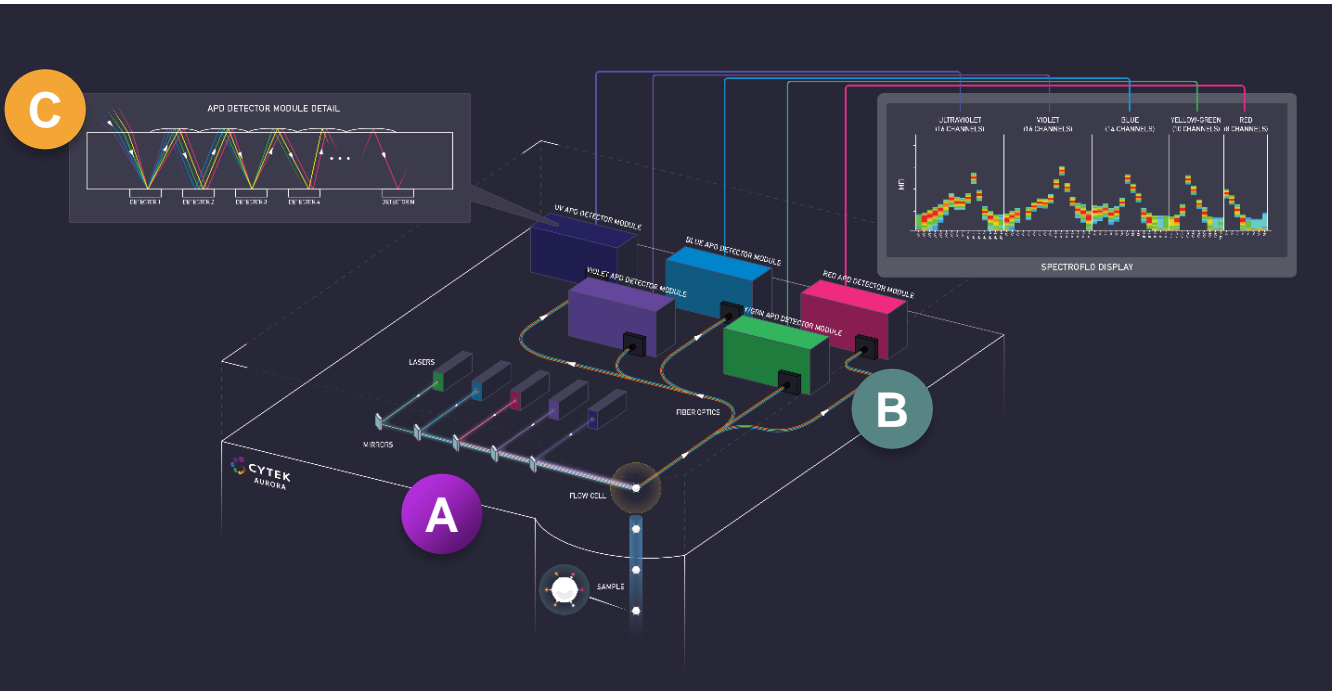
Our FSP platform was purpose-built to advance the next generation of cell analysis by **delivering deep insights, high throughputs and ease of use**

FSP technology enables **high sensitivity and high throughput without compromising data quality**

Allows **use of many dyes simultaneously with optimal resolution**, which is not possible with conventional cytometers

FSP is **able to extract autofluorescence** to enhance resolution

Our FSP Technology is Powered by Patented Innovative Designs



A The fluorescence spectrum from each laser source is collected from multiple laser excitation

B The fluorescence from each laser source is collected by each corresponding detector array module

C Use of APD detectors maximizes sensitivity and enables broad wavelength responses

D The combination of our patented optical design with APD detectors yields high-resolution data at an optimized signal-to-noise ratio

Maximize Resolution & Accuracy | **Optimized Signal-to-Noise Ratio** | **High Resolution** | **Valuable Insights**

Cytek's Core Instruments: Analyzer to Sorter

Aurora



>40 Colors
from 3-5
Lasers

Biopharma,
CROs, Large
Academic
Labs

High-End
Market

Northern Lights



>24 Colors
from 1-3
Lasers

Individual
Researchers &
Clinical Labs

Entry-Level
Market

Aurora Cell Sorter



>40 Colors
from 3-5
Lasers

Biopharma,
CROs, Large
Academic
Labs

High-End
Market



High-Throughput & Compact



Flexible & Intuitive



Ultra-Sensitive



Valuable Insights

We Provide an End-to-End Platform of FSP Solutions

Instruments

Aurora



Northern Lights



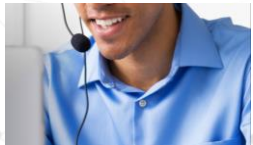
Cell Sorter



Automatic sample loader



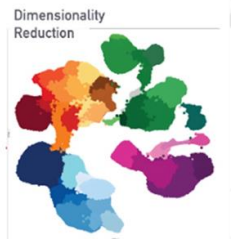
Reagents and Kits




Violet		Blue		Red	
Specificity	Fluorochrome	Specificity	Fluorochrome	Specificity	Fluorochrome
CD3	cFluor V420	CD8	cFluor B515	CD127	cFluor R659
CD14	cFluor V450	CCR7	cFluor BYG575	CD16	cFluor R668
CD45	cFluor V547	IgD	cFluor BYG667	CD56	cFluor R720
		CD45RA	cFluor B690	CD4	cFluor R780
		CD19	cFluor BYG710	Viability	ViaDye Red
		CD25	cFluor BYG781	CD27	cFluor R840

Services & Application Support

Data Acquisition and Analysis Software

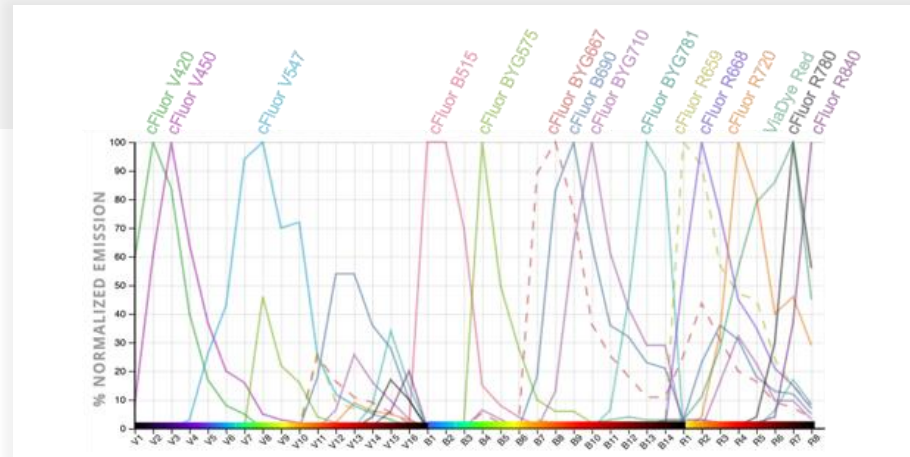


Cytek' FSP Platform versus Other Technologies

		Conventional Flow Cytometry	Spectral Flow Cytometry	Mass Cytometry
Biomarkers / Parameters (>40 biomarkers) ¹	✓	✗	✗	✓
Sensitivity (nanoparticle detection)	✓	✓	✗	✗
Throughput (>30K cell/second)	✓	✓	✓	✗
Footprint (<150K cm ³)	✓	✓	✗	✗
Sorting Capability	✓	✓	✗	✗
Cost : Performance²	✓	✗	✗	✗

Our FSP Technology Provides a Significant Reagents Sales Opportunity

- Cytek developed a set of spectral unique dyes based on full spectrum cytometry
 - About 28 cFluor dyes with high parameter enablers have been commercialized
 - We market cFluor 14 & 25 colors immunoprofiling kit
- Fluorescence spectrum of Cytek cFluor dyes can be stored in the instruments for ease of use and bundling with instruments
- Spectral unique dye – high parameter enabler
- Function assay dye



		Laser	cFluor
		Violet	cFluor V420
		Violet	cFluor V450
		Violet	cFluor V500
		Violet	cFluor V570
		Violet	cFluor V620
		Blue	cFluor B518
		Blue	cFluor B532
		Blue	cFluor B548
		Blue	cFluor BYG575
		Blue	cFluor BYG610
		Blue	cFluor BYG628
		Blue	cFluor BYG666
		Blue	cFluor BYG676
		Blue	cFluor BYG680
		Blue	cFluor BYG710
		Blue	cFluor BYG781
		Yellow Green	cFluor YG584
		Red	cFluor R659
		Red	cFluor R667
		Red	cFluor R685
		Red	cFluor R720
		Red	cFluor R780
		Red	cFluor R810
		Violet	ViaViolet
		Red	ViaRed

Reagents & Kits Portfolio



Cytek® cFluor® Reagents

Cytek® Aurora

Cytek® Northern Lights™



Cytek® cFluor® Dyes and Reagents

High Parameter Enablers™ Empower Full Spectrum Profiling™

Cytek® Aurora, Aurora CS, and Northern Lights™ flow cytometers deliver powerful cell analysis and sorting capabilities by leveraging Full Spectrum Profiling™

In a world of ever expanding fluorochrome options, our field teams listened to users who expressed frustration at the time commitment needed to understand the

Our reagents are **fluorochrome conjugated antibodies** used to identify cells of interest

Our multi-color cFluor immunoprofiling kits and optimized multicolor immunofluorescence panel **provide users with ready-to-use antibodies and protocols**

Class 1 single-color reagents currently sold in China with clinical studies **underway for 6-color TBNK reagents for potential Class 3 registration**

CD-IVD single-color reagents & 6-color TBNK reagents **self certified in Q2 for EU customers**

Cytek Bioinformatics Program Objectives



Make it easier to do Flow: Easier for new customers to get started, and advanced users to scale to **larger and more complex** experiments.



Accelerates reagent and instrument pull-through. Powerful and easy-to-use software gives **faster** time-to-insight and answers **more** scientific questions.



Enables better understanding of our customers' needs: Our software gives us **deeper insights** into customers' use cases and applications.

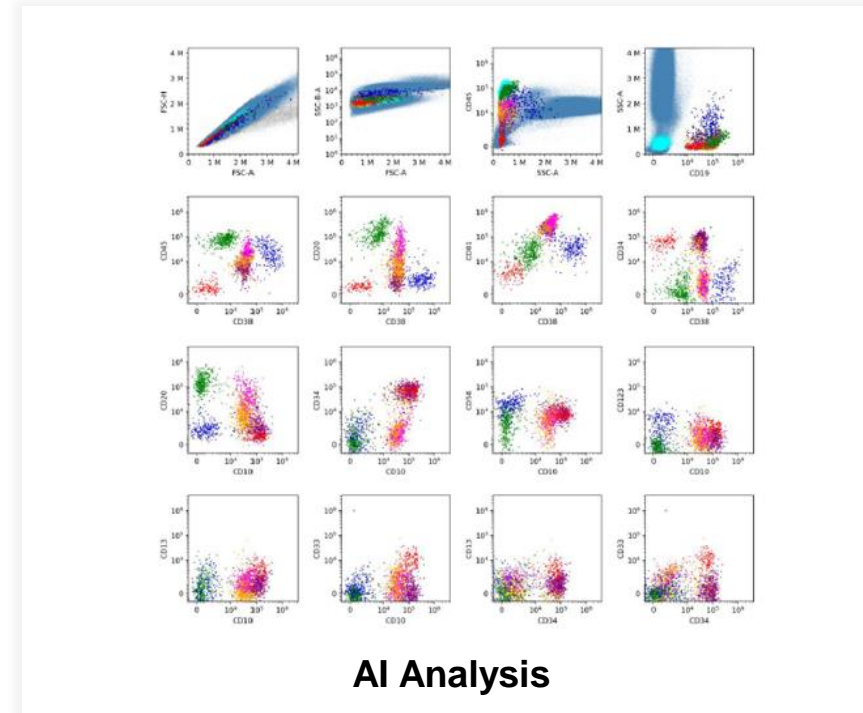
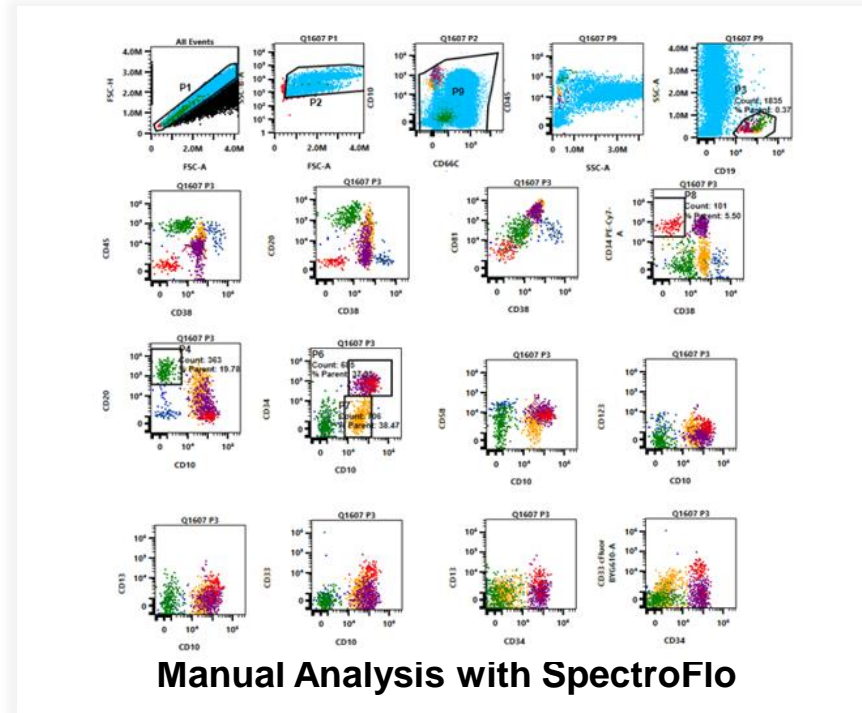


Enhances and accelerates product development. We use the same software as our customers, aligning us with customer needs and reducing time-to-market.

Cytek AI Expected to Speed Up the Clinical Adoption

Collaboration of AI machine learning on automatic diagnosis of B-ALL MRD

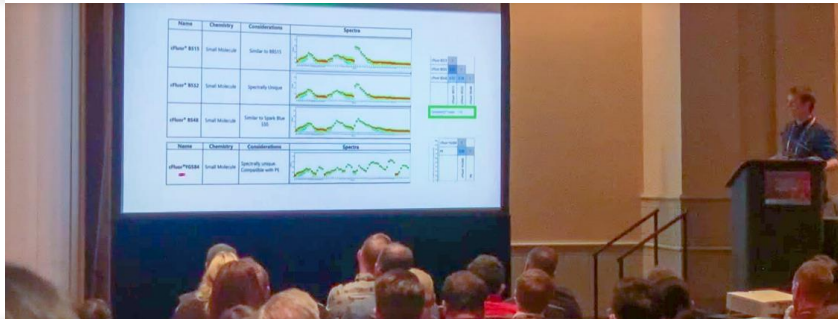
Increased accuracy with less laboratory time – Greater simplicity



Seamless Workflow to the Clinician with Immediate Data Read

Advancing Technology through Collaborations

Dr. Sylvain Simon of Fred Hutch Cyto 2022 Talk



A 59-marker panel to decipher immune cell perturbations in immunotherapy-treated patients

VERA TANG, ADJUNCT PROFESSOR, FACILITY MANAGER, FLOW CYTOMETRY CORE FACILITY. UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA

Optimization and quantification of small particle sensitivity on the Cytek Aurora platform using FCM PASS software.



Multiple sites nano-particle standardization

- NIH
- University Ottawa
- Cytek Bethesda

Team

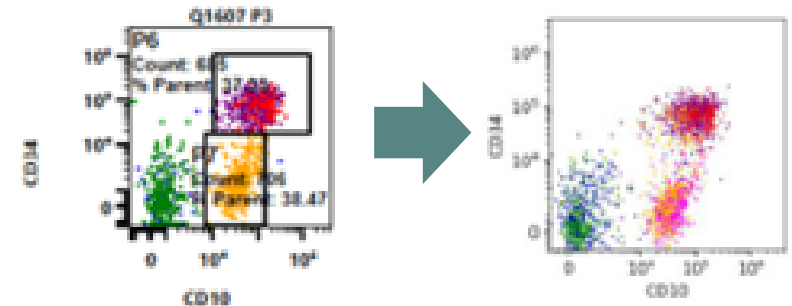


CYTEK
TRANSCEND THE CONVENTIONAL



Multiple site collaboration in L&L MRD diagnosis and monitoring

AI on clinical data analysis



Cytek's Value Proposition to the Clinical Market



FSP

Advanced flow cytometry for disease screening, diagnosis and monitoring

Benefits

- More informative antibodies in 1 tube
- Eliminates redundant reagents
- Optimizes use of smaller amounts of patient specimen
- Identifies tiny populations of abnormal cells
- Explore new cell maturation pathways and cell subtypes
- Improves overall laboratory efficiency
- Lowers costs

Cytek Supporting Laboratory Developed Test (LDT) Worldwide

Project	Panels	Number of cFluors
Cytek 20-color MRD kit	20C AML MRD	20
Conversion of BD Canto L&L panels to NL-CLC	10 panels, screening and diagnosis. Tested in >300 samples	16 cFluors
Broad range of LDT panels	23C MM, 23C ALL-CS, 16C ALL-IC, 22C L&L screening panel, AML CAR-T target panel	15-17 cFluors
Formal clinical study on two MRD panels: NL-CLC vs. Canto Testing AI data analysis	14C BLL MRD 20C AML MRD	14 cFluors
20C AML panel for publication to promote cFluor	20C AML MRD panel	17 cFluors
Custom reagent projects	Assorted IO, Immunology, infectious disease	Varies due to clone and dye access
Evaluating AI algorithm for AML MRD diagnosis and analysis	AML MRD diagnosis	>15 cFluors

Next-Gen Clinical Flow Cytometry – Key Focus Points

Next Generation Flow Cytometry: completely operator independent - removing bias, daily performance variability, and individual operators' variability. Result: improved results & data quality

Instrument

- Characterization & Initialization
- Easy set up
- Optimization and standardization

Automation

- Cocktail & Assay Preparation
- Consistent construction, incubation, and sample processing times
- Constant temperature control and minimized light exposure

Data Acquisition

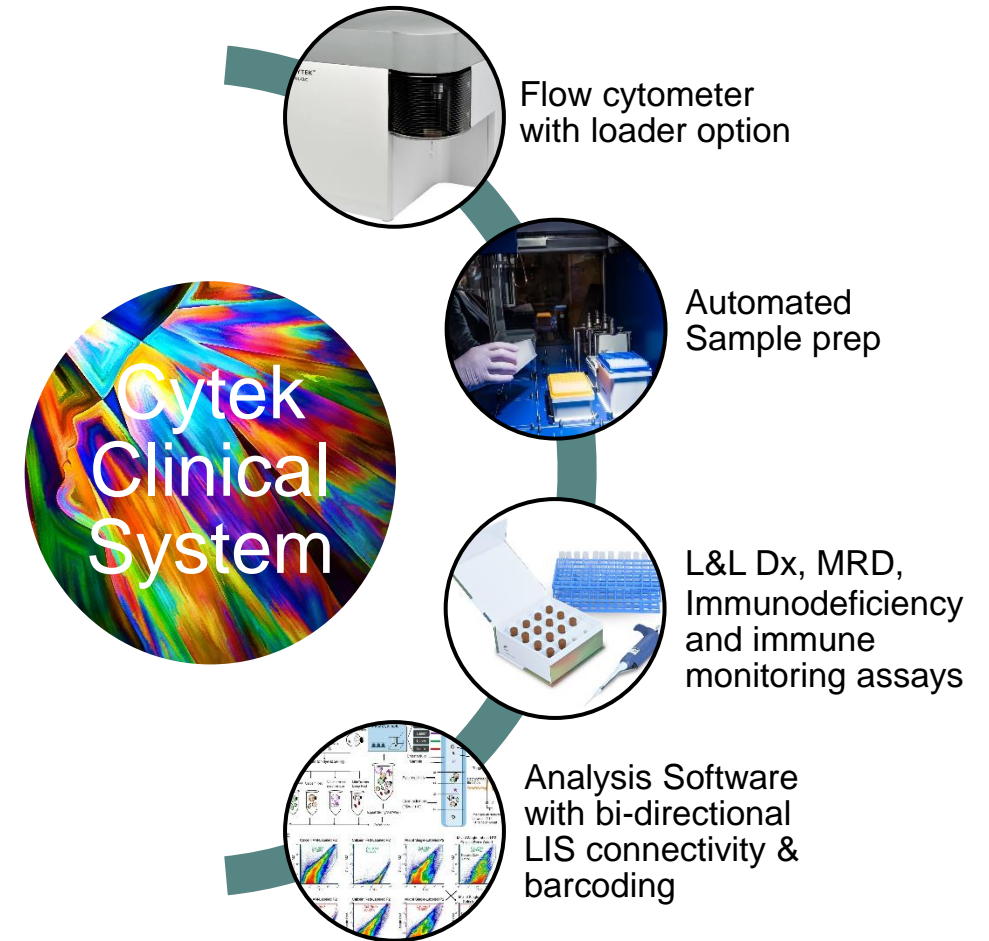
- Standardization & QC verification
- Assay & Acquisition worksheets
- Adjustment of acquisition gates

Data Analysis & Reporting

- Cluster determination & visualization
- Reporting & Database export
- Cross-discipline data integration & correlation

System Solutions Under Development at Cytek

- Advanced Instrumentation
- Automated processing
- Panels based on innovative cFluor reagents
- Application driven menu
- Automatic data analysis



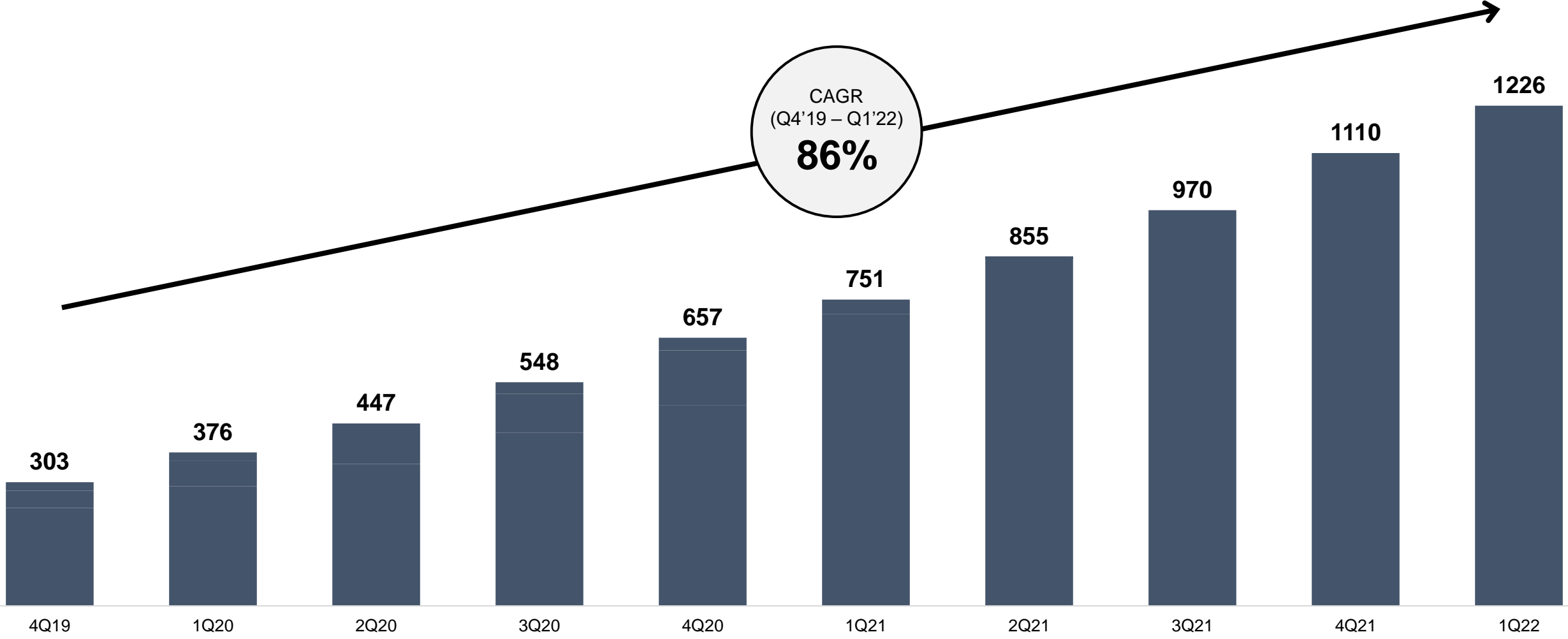


Investor and Analyst Day **Key Financial Review**

Patrik Jeanmonod, CFO

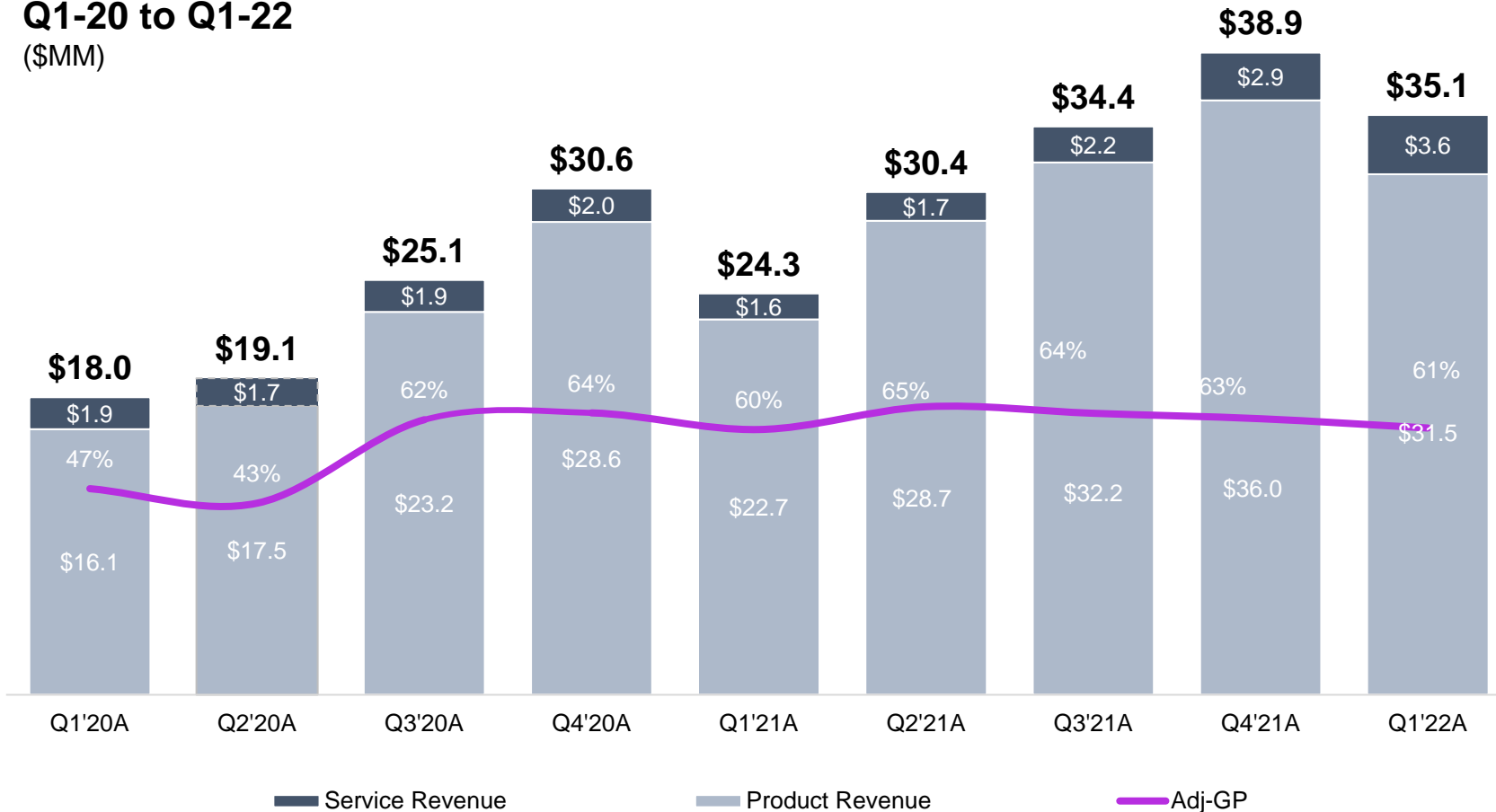
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Strong and Growing Base of Instrument Placements



Quarterly Revenue and Adjusted Gross Margin %

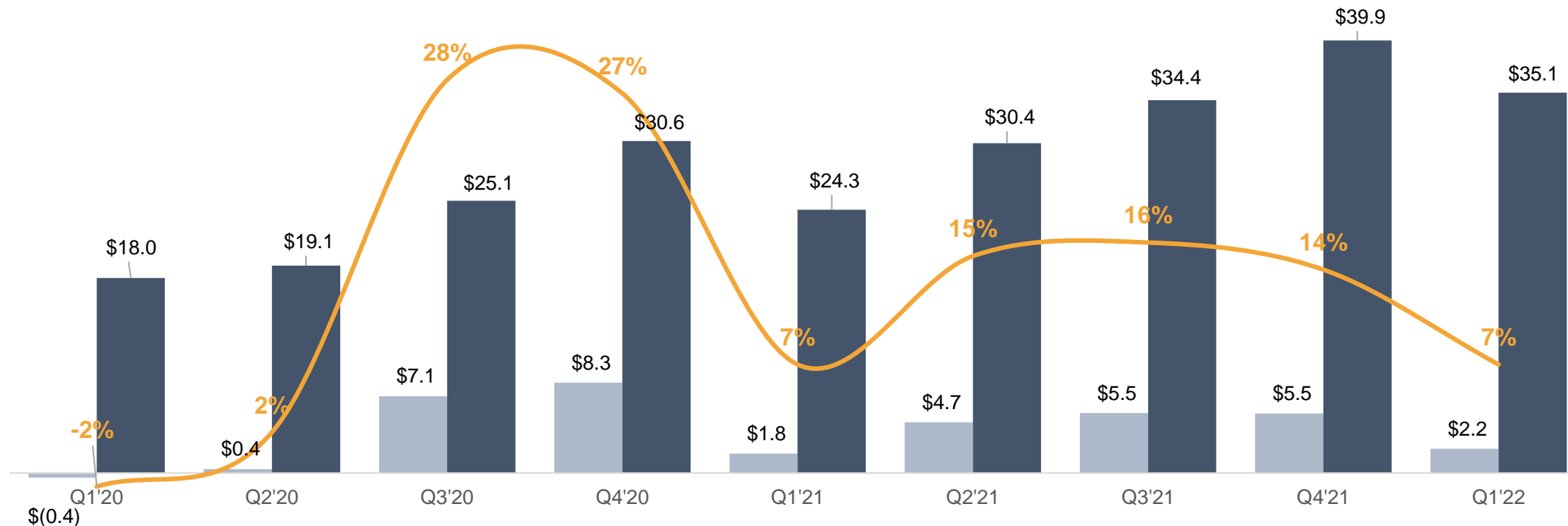
Q1-20 to Q1-22
(\$MM)



Q1-2022 Review

- Revenue \$35.1 million or + 44% YoY
- Cytek added another 116 instruments now total base at 1,226
- Service revenue has more than doubled from the prior year on more instruments coming off warranty
- Adjusted GP margin 61% compared to 60% in the first quarter of 2021

Revenue & Adj. EBITDA



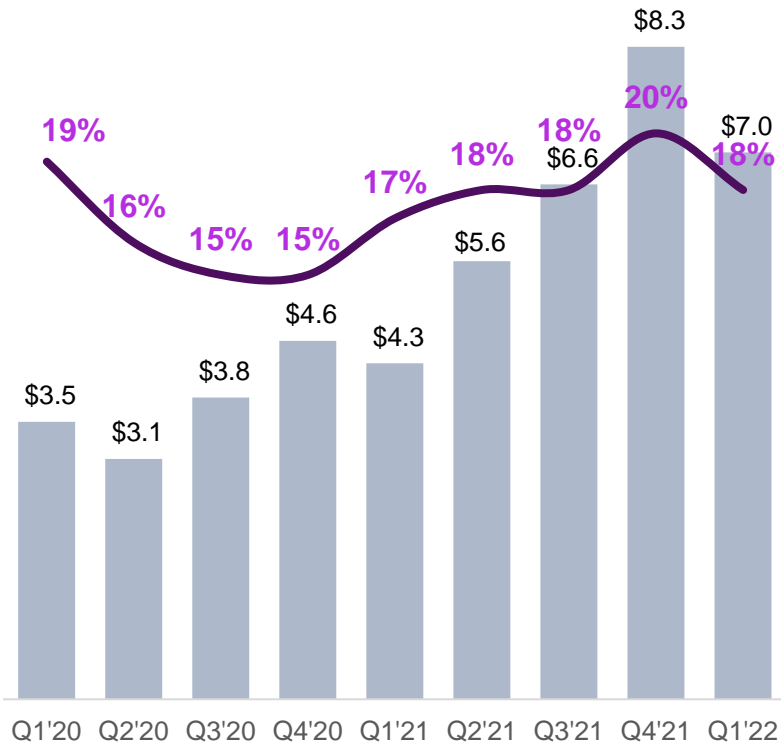
	Q1'20	Q2'20	Q3'20	Q4'20	Q1'21	Q2'21	Q3'21	Q4'21	Q1'22
Adj. EBITDA	\$(0.4)	\$0.4	\$7.1	\$8.3	\$1.8	\$4.7	\$5.5	\$5.5	\$2.2
Tot. Revenue	\$18.0	\$19.1	\$25.1	\$30.6	\$24.3	\$30.4	\$34.4	\$39.9	\$35.1
A-EBITDA %	-2%	2%	28%	27%	7%	15%	16%	14%	7%

■ Tot Revenue

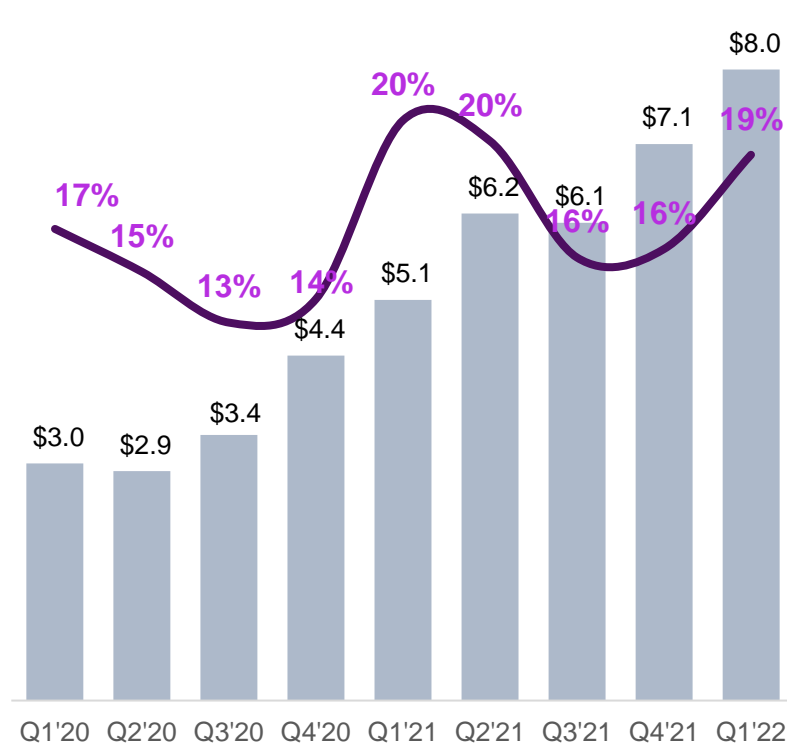
— A-EBITDA %

Operating Expenses

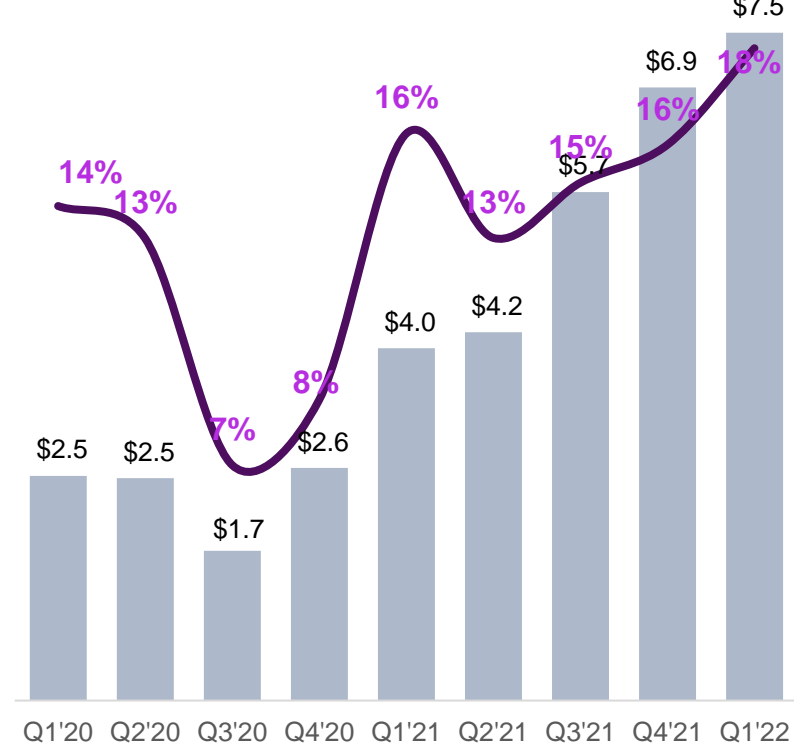
S&M Expenses (\$MM)



R&D Expenses (\$MM)



G&A Expenses (\$MM)



— % of Total Revenue

Cytek Operating Stats

Non-GAAP Target Operating Model

(\$ in thousands)

	1Q2020	2Q2020	3Q2020	4Q2020	1Q2021	2Q2021	3Q2021	4Q2021	1Q2022
Gross Margin %	47%	43%	62%	64%	60%	65%	64%	63%	61%
S&M %	19%	16%	15%	15%	17%	18%	18%	20%	18%
R&D %	17%	15%	13%	14%	20%	20%	16%	16%	19%
G&A %	14%	13%	7%	8%	16%	13%	15%	16%	18%
Adj. EBITDA Margin %	-2%	2%	28%	27%	7%	15%	16%	14%	7%

Key Improvement Drivers

Gross Margin

- Shift in product mix with higher margin reagents becoming a greater share of total revenue
- Benefit from economies of scale as Company grows
- Leverage global manufacturing capabilities

S&M

- Increased publications improve brand recognition and lowers customer acquisition costs
- Improved variable costs to retain and service customers at scale

R&D

- Lower cost to develop new products by leveraging existing FSP platform
- Talent diversification in other lower cost locations
- Lower fixed costs to operate at scale

G&A

- Improved operating costs through system automation
- Talent diversification in other lower cost locations

Top Line Growth with Improved Operating Efficiencies



Support 4 pillars strategy – with focus on top line growth, GP margin improvement and increased A-EBITDA \$ value and as percent of total revenues



Discipline in cost management



Capex investment to support long term Cytek worldwide growth



Re-affirming prior 2022 revenue guidance closer to the high end of the range \$160 - \$168m



Investor and Analyst Day **Business Strategy & Conclusions**

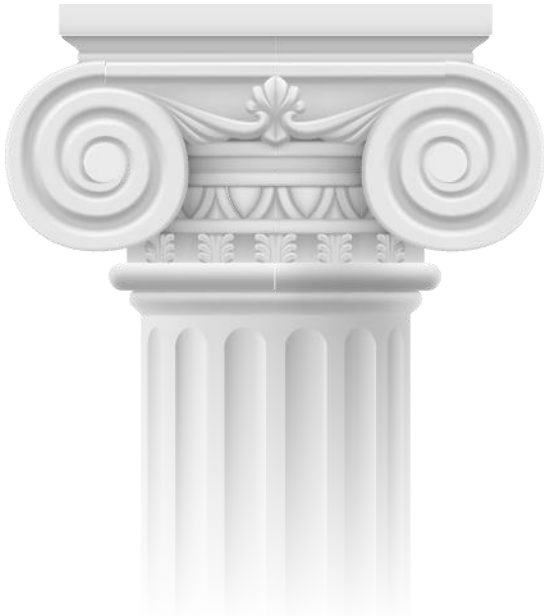
Dr. Wenbin Jiang, CEO

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Cytek's Four Business Pillars

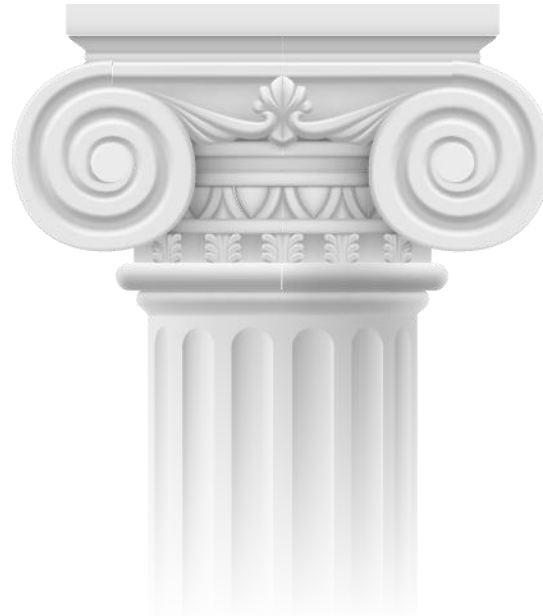
Instruments

- Performance
- Intelligence
- Ease of use
- Compact
- Lowest cost



Applications

- Enabler
- Panels/kits
- Flexibility
- Functionality/Purposes
- Volume/repeating



Bioinformatics

- Storage
- Analysis
- Optimization
- Management
- Exchanges



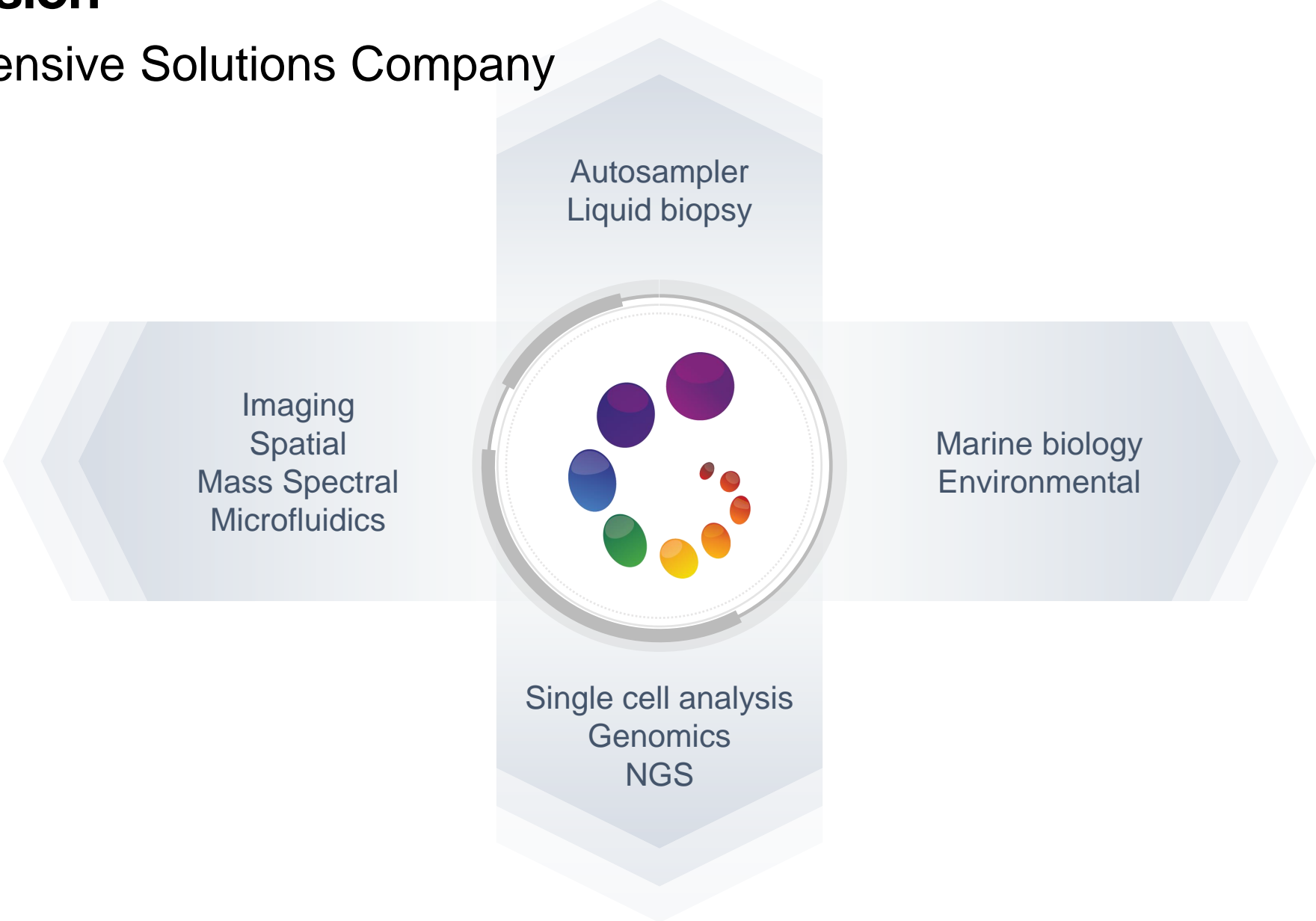
Clinical

- Regulatory
- LDT
- Menu
- AI
- Standardization



Cytek Vision

Comprehensive Solutions Company



Cytek's Operational and Shareholder Goals

Commitment to
Shareholder Value Creation

Capital Efficiency

Operational Excellence

Maximize Free Cash Flow

Maintain **Positive EBITDA**

Execution Speed

Smart **Acquisitions,**
Licenses and **Joint Ventures**



Why Invest In Cytek - Investment Thesis

Transformative Platform Technology
Driving Growth & Expansion with strong
global adoption rate

The most **competitive innovator**
in Cell Analysis – fastest growth
in the industry

Strong **Balance Sheet**
and **Cash Flow Positive**

Attractive **Valuation**





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Appendixes

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Non-GAAP Adjusted GP Reconciliation

(\$ in thousands)

Non-GAAP Adjusted Gross Profit Reconciliation

(\$ in thousands)

	FY20A	FY21A	1Q2020	2Q2020	3Q2020	4Q2020	1Q2021	2Q2021	3Q2021	4Q2021	4Q2022
GAAP Gross Profit	51,710	79,144	8,375	8,270	15,615	19,450	14,487	19,745	21,276	23,636	20,177
<u>Adjustments</u>											
Amortization of Acquisition-Related Intangible Assets	0	237	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	237	337
Stock-Based Compensation Expense	232	1,508	29	40	38	125	112	120	559	717	708
Non-GAAP gross profit	51,942	80,888	8,404	8,310	15,653	19,574	14,599	19,864	21,835	24,589	21,221
Revenue	92,839	127,950	17,988	19,137	25,095	30,619	24,272	30,408	34,376	38,893	35,064
Non-GAAP gross profit %	56%	63%	47%	43%	62%	64%	60%	65%	64%	63%	61%

Non-GAAP Adjusted EBITDA

(\$ in thousands)

Non-GAAP Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

(\$ in thousands)

	FY19A	FY20A	FY21A	1Q2020	2Q2020	3Q2020	4Q2020	1Q2021	2Q2021	3Q2021	4Q2021	1Q2022
Net Income	(16,827)	19,411	3,027	(839)	8,111	6,539	5,600	101	2,671	1,420	(1,165)	(2,158)
Adjustments												
Depreciation and Amortization	309	578	1,241	105	161	179	133	169	194	194	685	1,470
Provision for (Benefits from) Income Tax	534	(4,982)	2,921	198	(7,914)	387	2,348	50	597	655	1,619	(1,144)
Interest Income	(711)	(110)	(49)	(86)	(15)	(3)	(5)	(10)	(9)	(12)	(19)	(18)
Interest Expense	1	333	1,741	0	1	2	330	375	433	442	492	590
Foreign currency exchange loss (gain), net	(32)	(463)	1,481	104	(79)	(137)	(350)	663	135	388	295	422
Litigation Settlement	20,019											
Loss on Lease Exit Cost							347				347	
Acquisition Related Expenses							229				229	
Stock-Based Compensation Expense	269	611	6,586	105	109	125	271	456	667	2,455	3,008	3,837
Adjusted EBITDA	3,561	15,379	17,525	(411)	373	7,091	8,327	1,804	4,688	5,542	5,491	2,998
Revenue	57,883	92,839	127,950	17,988	19,137	25,095	30,619	24,272	30,408	34,376	38,893	35,064
<i>Adjusted EBITDA % of Revenue</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>-2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>28%</i>	<i>27%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>7%</i>

Overview of Our Key Business Components

Revenue Components	Background
Instruments	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our instrument revenue primarily consists of sales of our Aurora and Northern Lights and Cell Sorter systems, instrument accessories, such as loaders• We offer multiple versions of our Aurora and Northern Lights and Cell Sorter systems with different price points based on the number of lasers integrated in the systems• We also derive revenue from sales of our conventional flow cytometry system, which is available for sale in China• We recognize product revenue when control of the instrument is transferred to the customer
Reagents / Applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• We currently offer and are developing an additional range of kits and single vial reagents for both the Clinical and RUO (human & mouse) markets.• As a full flow cytometry solutions provider, we are aggressively expanding our reagent offering of kits, single vial reagents, and paid panel design, support, and validation services to meet our customers' needs and to drive the continued and expanded adoption of our superior technology into both the Clinical and RUO markets.
Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our software is integrated into our instruments free of charge
Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our service revenue primarily consists of post-warranty service contracts, installations and repairs which are recognized over time• Post-warranty service contracts are recognized ratably over the term of the contract and installations and repair services are recognized as they are delivered to the customer