

Aquaphotonics: Introduction

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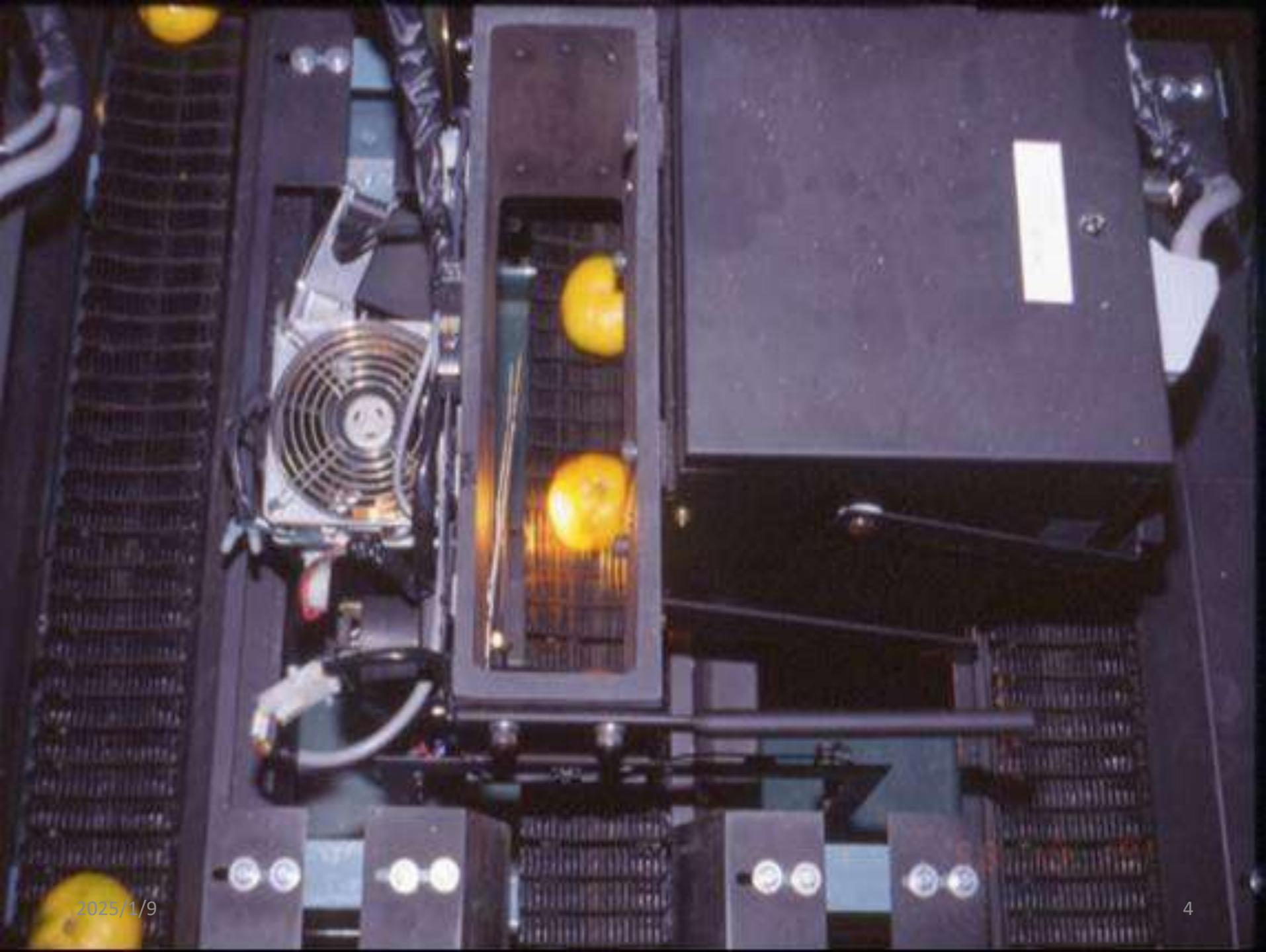


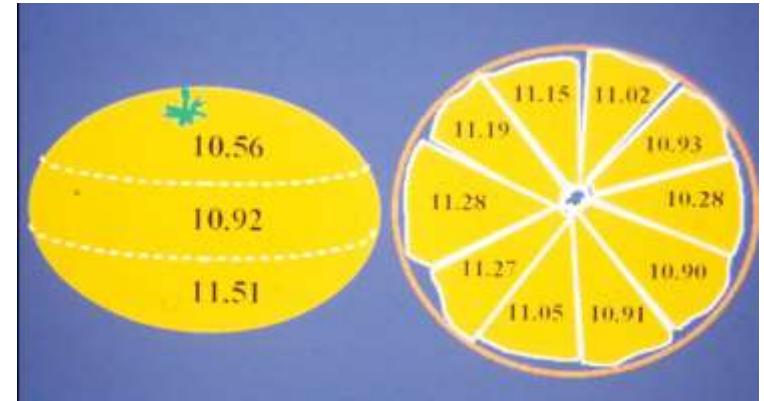
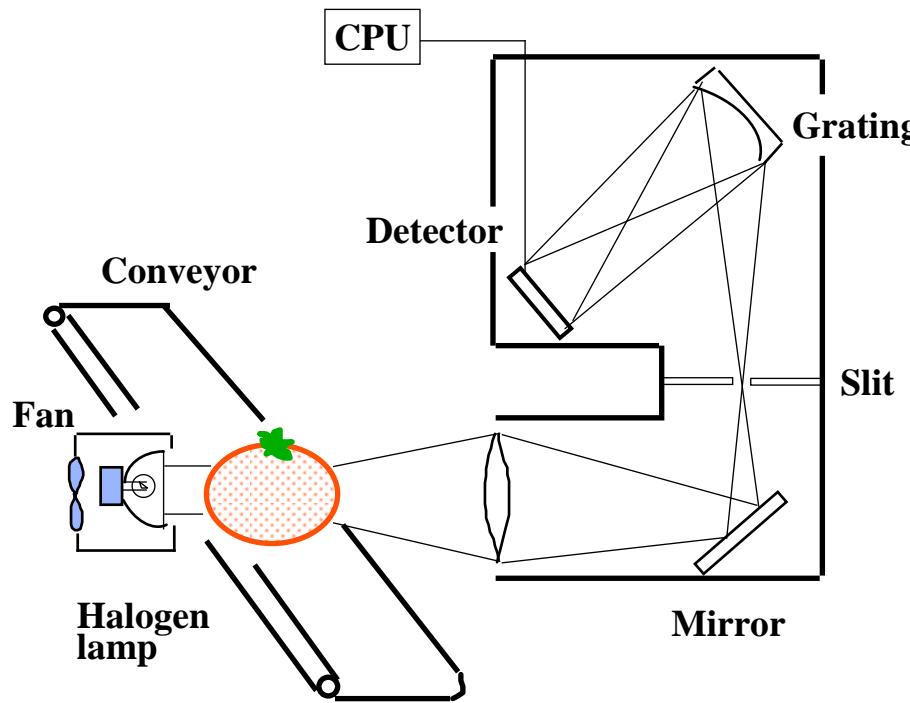
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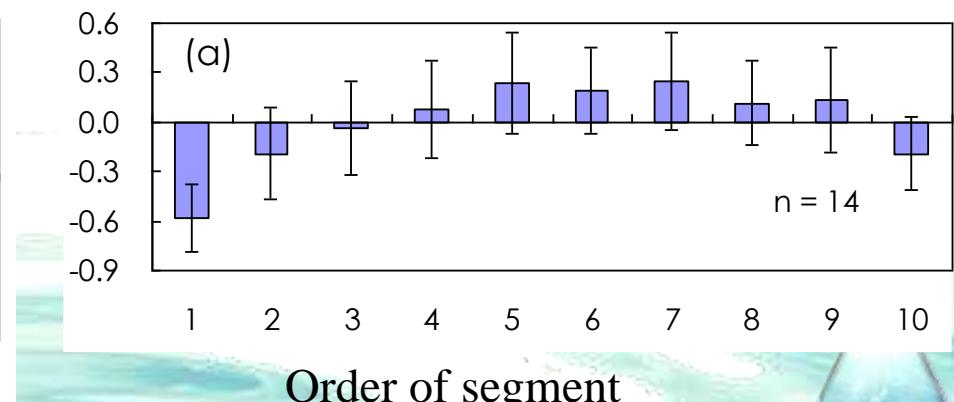
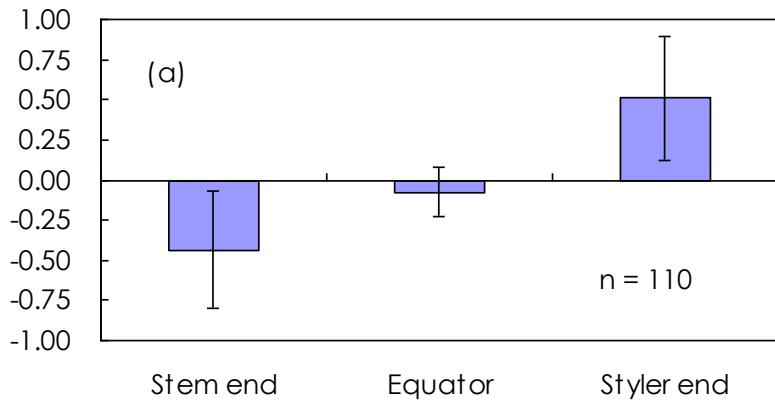
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NIR grader's structure for satsuma mandarin



Distribution of the difference from the average sugar content in a whole fruit
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Aquaphotonics concept

Water as matter and energy mirror



AQUAPHOTOMICS

Aqua - : water

Photo - : light

Omics - : all about,
complement of something

LIGHT “turns on” the **mirror**,

LIGHT “turns on”

the **water** in to **4 - dimensional
molecular mirror**

LIGHT as a

source of perturbation
(electromagnetic field)

and a **probe**
(the spectrum)



Aquaphotonics Concept

Current approach in biology:
X – Omics

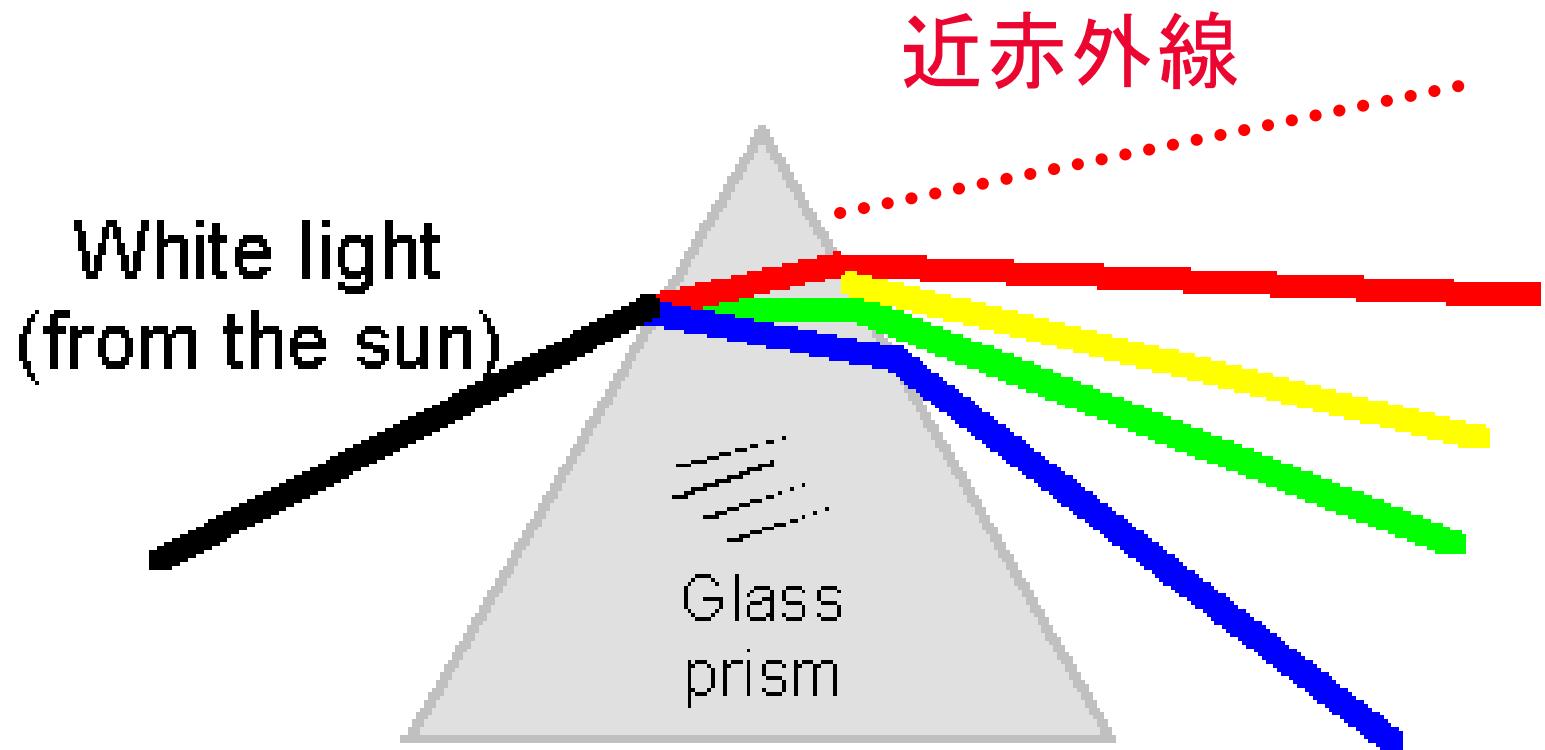
Newly proposed Aquaphotonics:
**Water as Molecular and Energy
Mirror Holistic Approach**



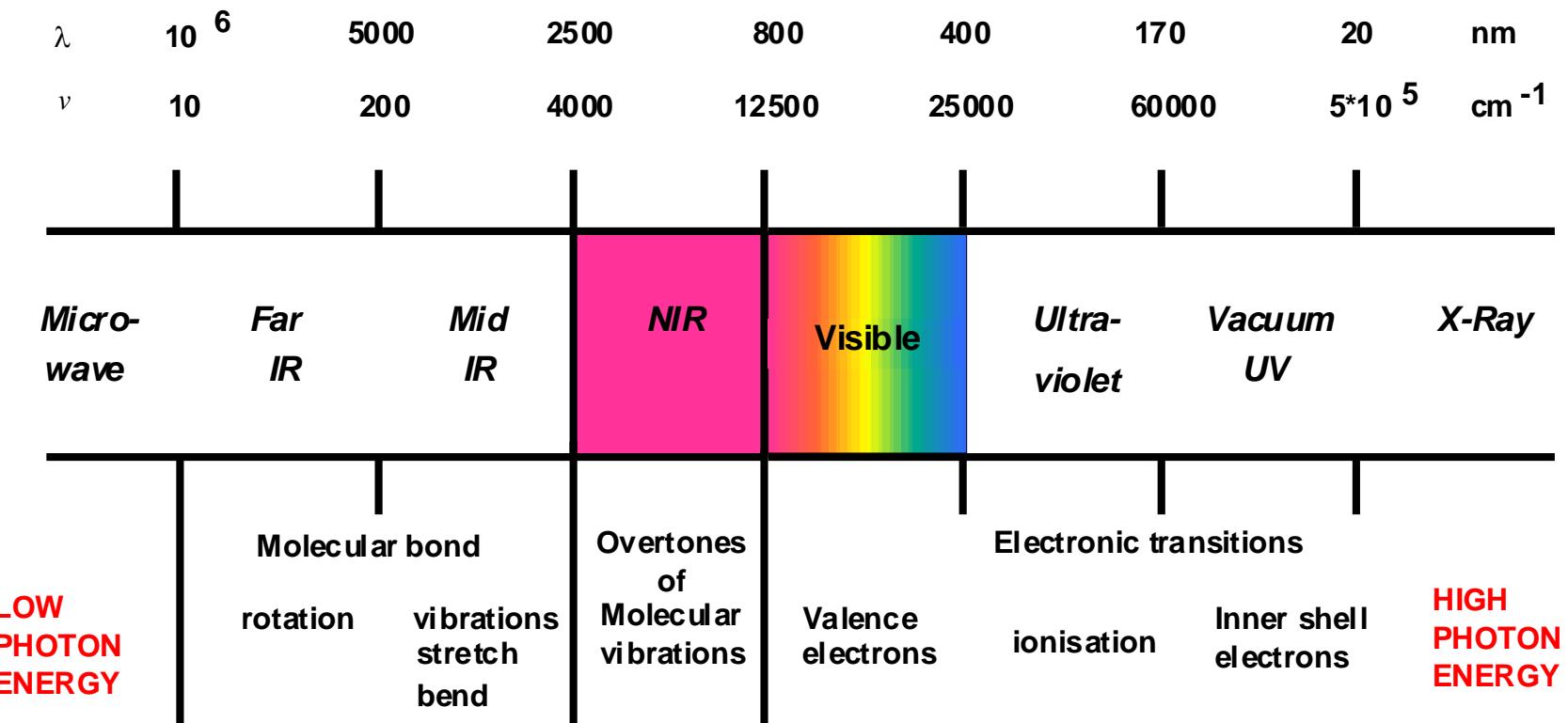
single components analysis
(genomics, proteomics,
metabolomics, ...)

water molecular system
multivariate spectral analysis directly
related to system functionality





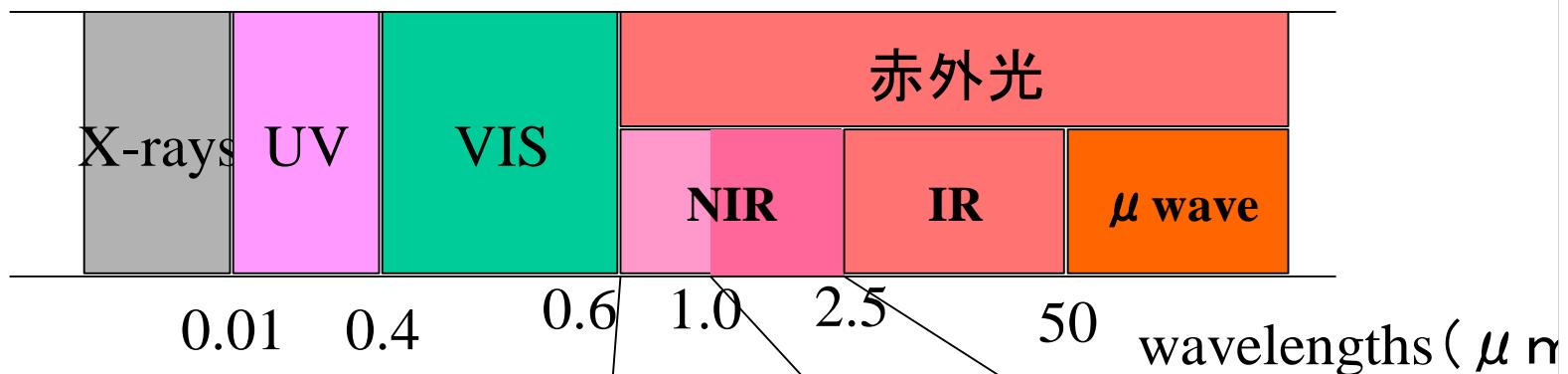
The Electromagnetic Spectrum



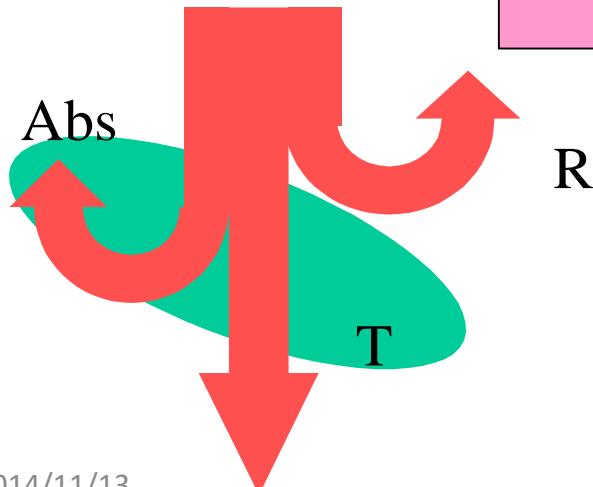
$$\lambda\nu = c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$E_{\text{photon}} = h\nu$$

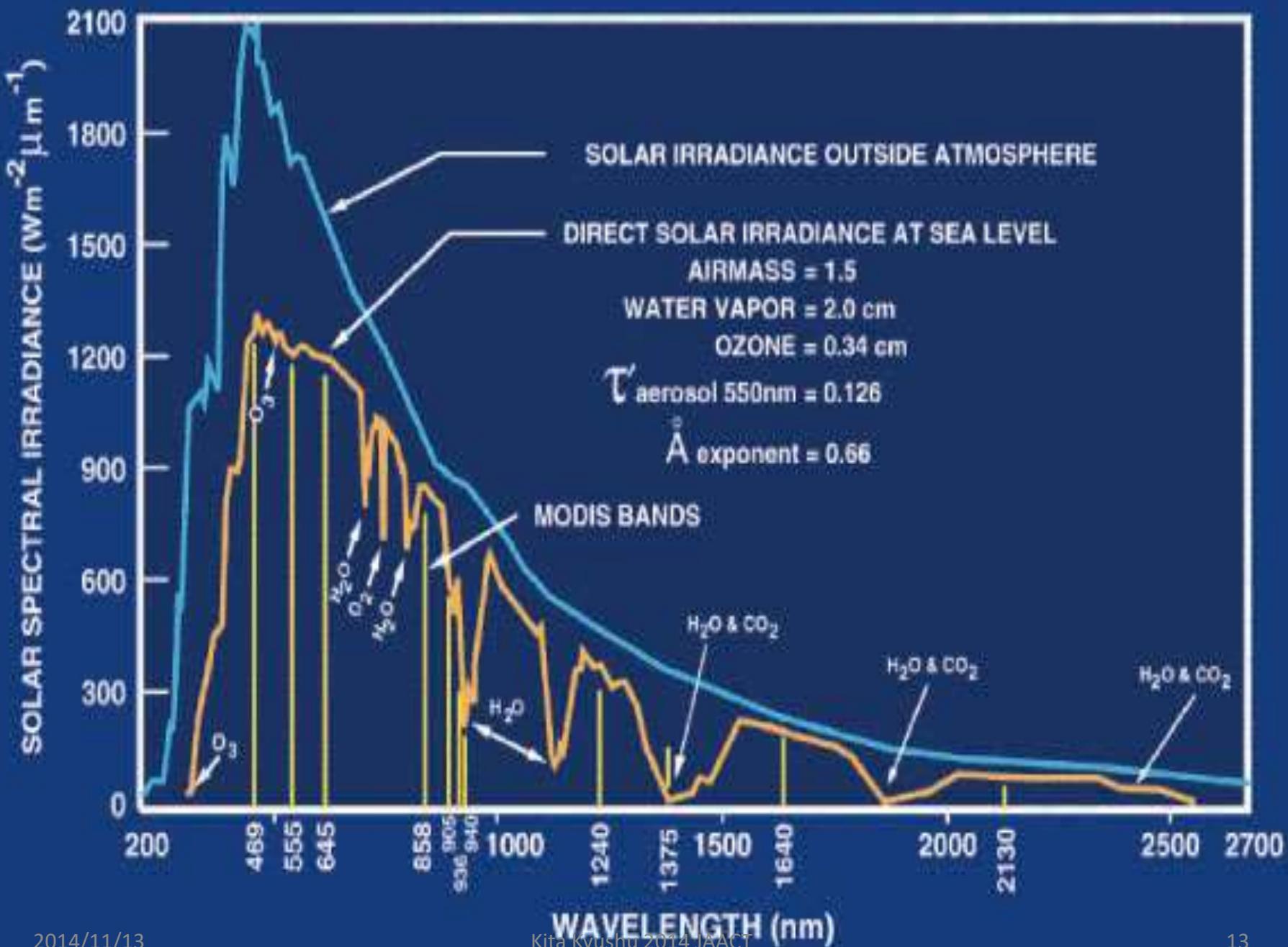
$$h = 6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$$



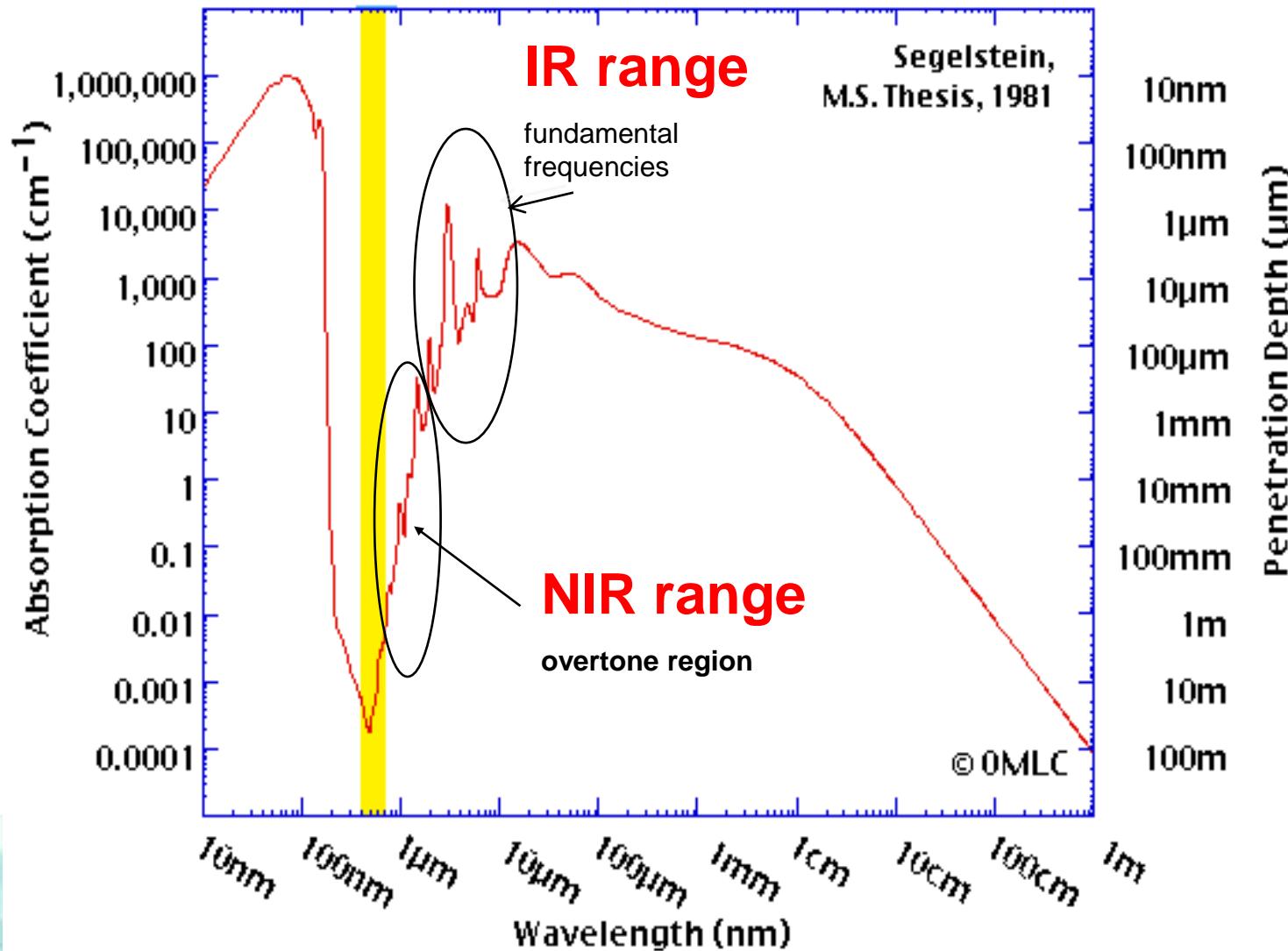
R	small	big
Abs	small	small
T	big	small



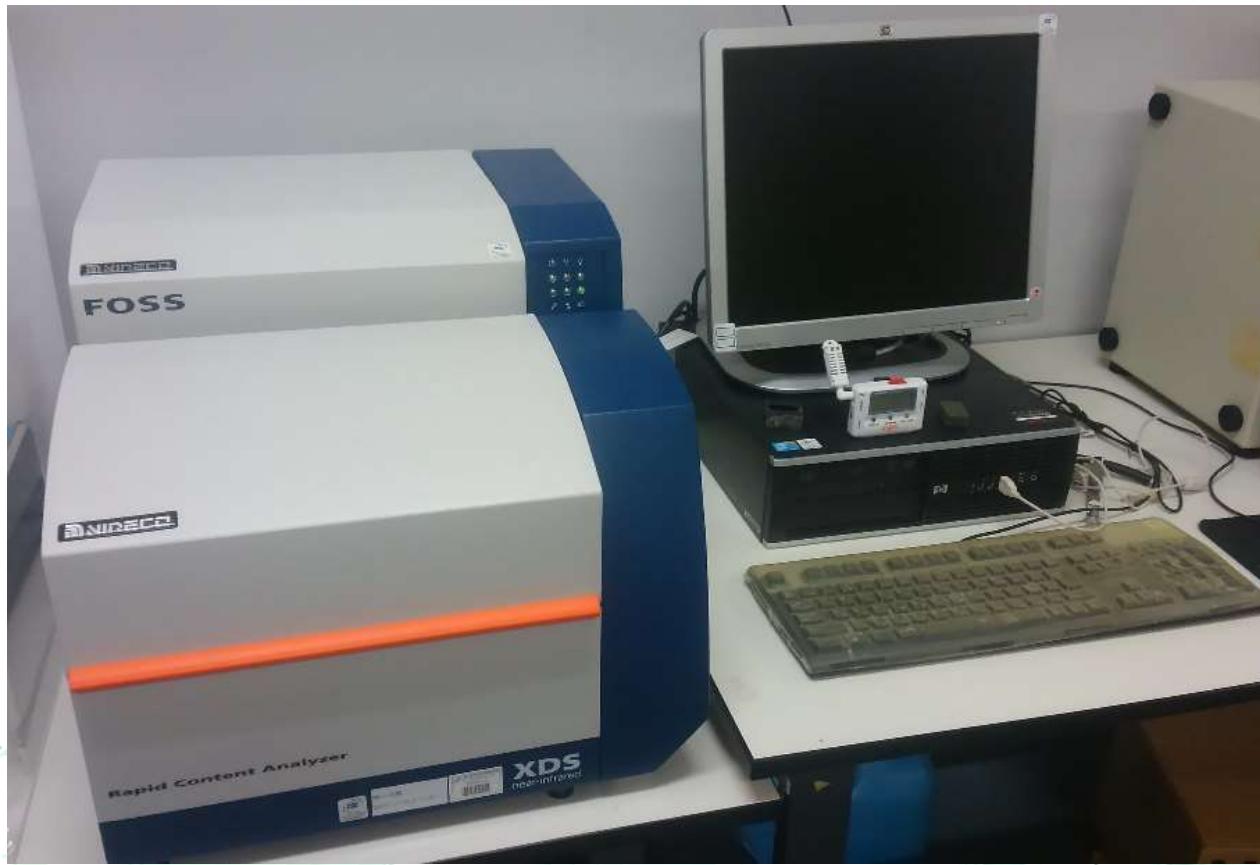
NIR range



WATER SPECTRUM



NIRS Bench Type Instrument



BIO MONITORING AND BIO DIAGNOSIS



**PORTABLE FIBER PROBES FOR
TISSUE MEASUREMENTS**

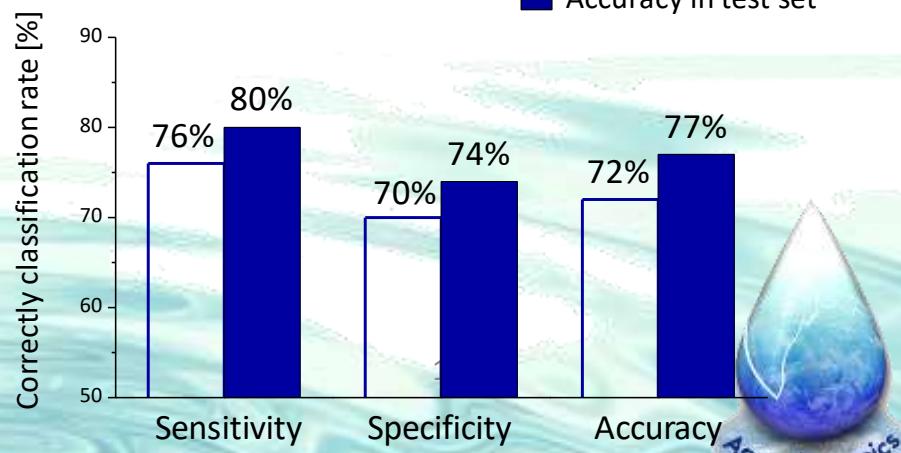
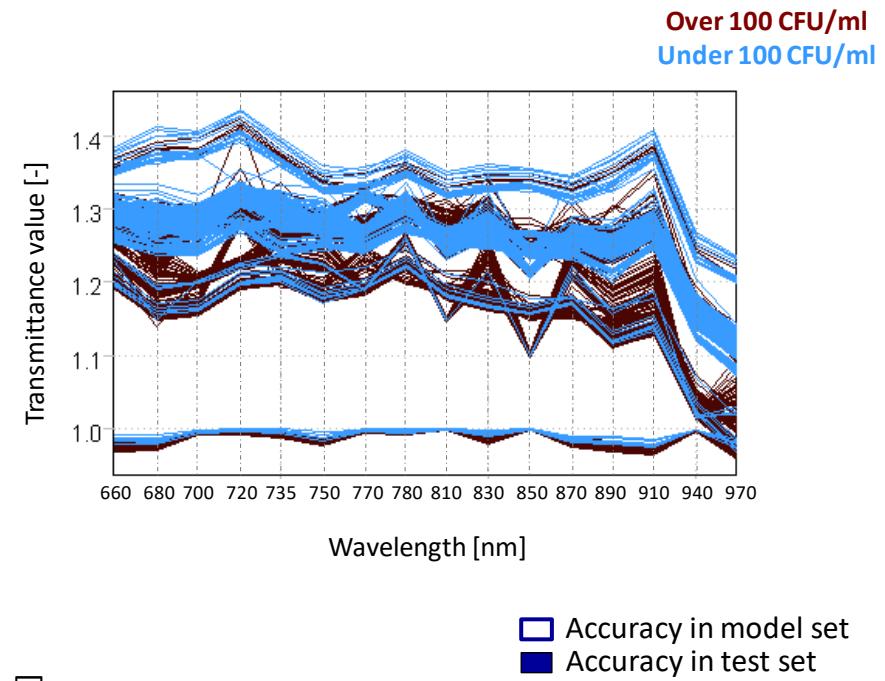


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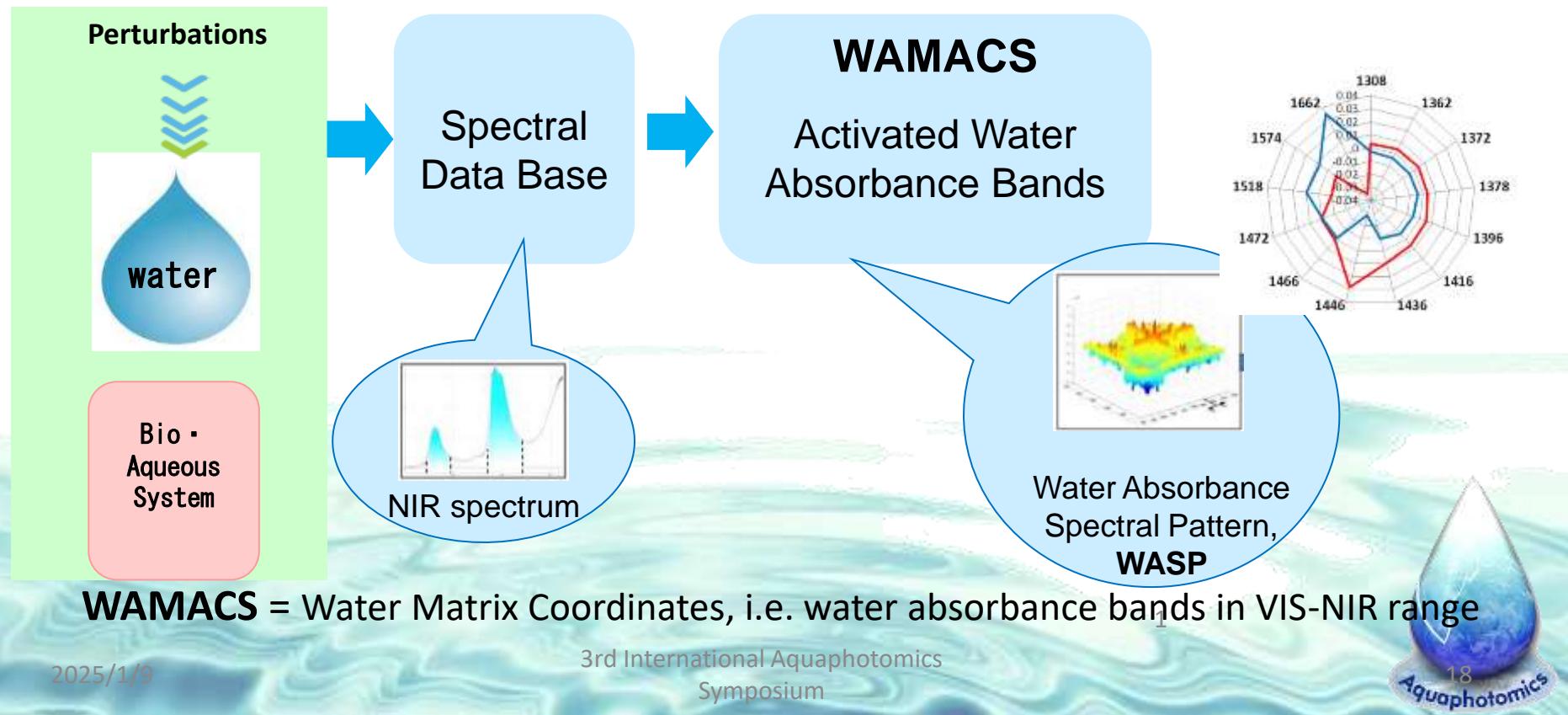
LED SENSOR for Bacteria Count Measurement in Milk



LED at 660, 680, 700, 720, 735, 750, 770, 780, 810, 830, 850, 870, 890, 910, 940, 970 nm



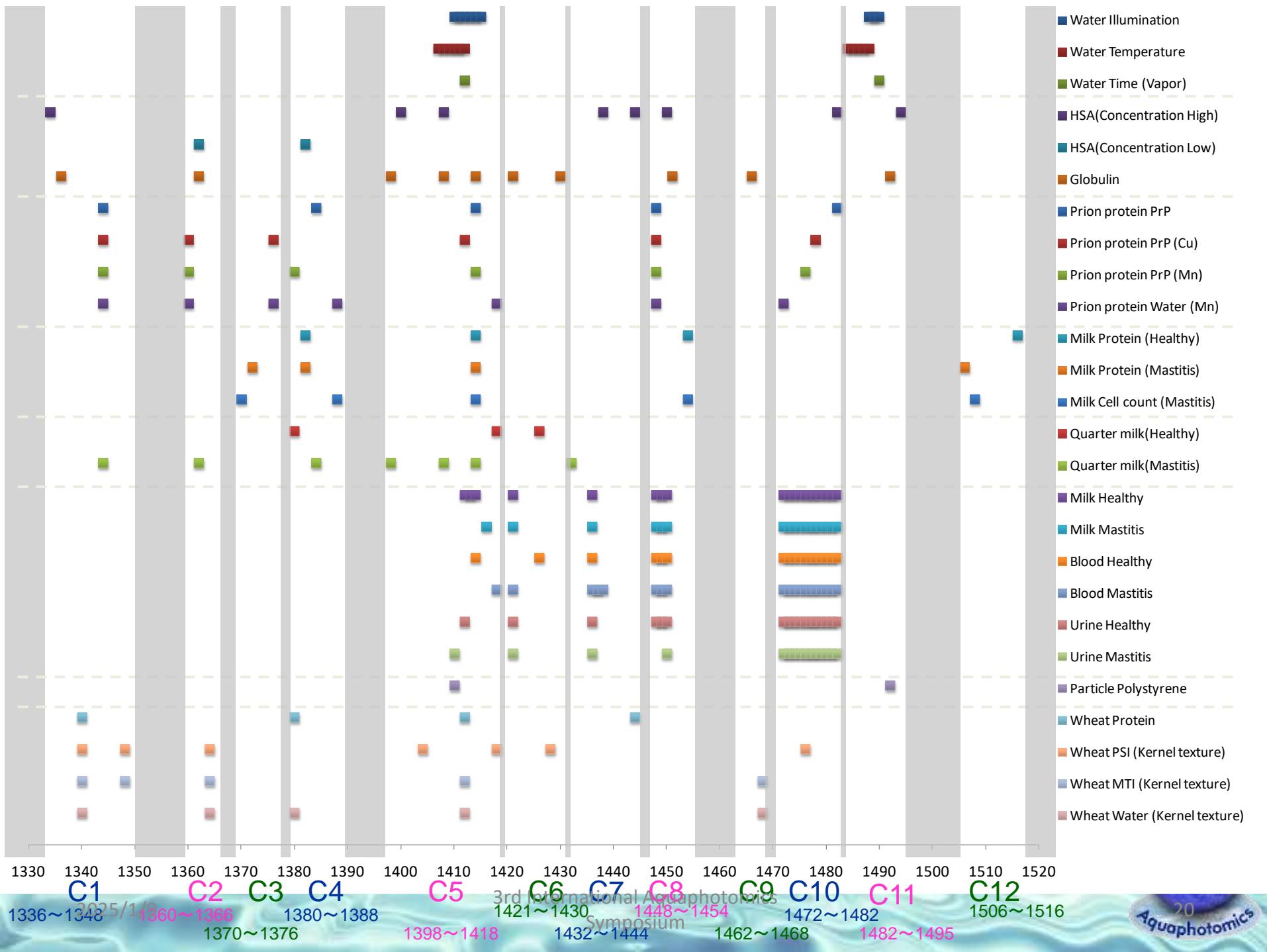
AQUAPHOTOMICS: WATER as a MOLECULAR MIRROR



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1345.5	H17O8+, 1st overt.	Wei and Salahub 1997: The Journal of Chemical Physics, 106: 6086.
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1346.6	H15O7+, 1st overt.	Wei and Salahub 1997: The Journal of Chemical Physics, 106: 6086.
1347.0	aqueous proton [H+-(H ₂ O) ₅] - AD-type H ₂ O free-OH stretch, 1st overt.	Headrick et al. (Mark Johnson) 2005: Science, 308: 1765.
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1347.7	H13O6+ free OH stech, 1st overt.	Mizuse and Fijii 2012: The Journal of Physical Chemistry, 116: 4868.
1348.1	H11O5+ free OH stech, 1st overt.	Mizuse and Fijii 2012: The Journal of Physical Chemistry, 116: 4868.
1351	H5O2	Tsenkova
1351.35	1st overtone (OH-(H ₂ O) ₅)	Science28
1351.35	OH-(H ₂ O) ₅ (free RTs)	Tsenkova
1351.4	-OH free stretching, 1st overt.	Shin et al. (Mark Johnson) 2004: Science, 304: 1137.
1353.0	high correlation with combined single salt solution data (NaCl and KCl)/overall salinity	R. Peters and S. Nobles, University of Saskatchewan
1353.2	nonbonded -OH stretches, 1st overt.	Headrick et al. (Mark Johnson) 2005: Science, 308: 1765.
1353.2	1st overtone free OH stretch (OH-(H ₂ O) ₃)	Science28
1354	1st overtone free OH stretch (OH-(H ₂ O) ₂)	Science28
1355	1st overtone Superoxide Tetrahydrate O ₂ -(H ₂ O) ₄	Weber, Science 2000
1356.8	Water - n ₁ +n ₃ +n	Choppin and Violante 1972: The Journal of Chemical Physics, 56: 5890.
1357.6	H17O8+ free OH stech, 1st overt.	Mizuse and Fijii 2012: The Journal of Physical Chemistry, 116: 4868.
1357.93	1st overtone H ₂ O (1%) - n ₃	Ozaki 1982
1358.3	H17O8+, 1st overt.	Wei and Salahub 1997: The Journal of Chemical Physics, 106: 6086.
1359.1	H15O7+ free OH stech, 1st overt.	Mizuse and Fijii 2012: The Journal of Physical Chemistry, 116: 4868.
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1360.55	1st overtone free OH stretch (OH-(H ₂ O) ₄)	Science28
1362	1st overtone free water OH stretch (OH-H ₂ O)	Xantheas, 1995

C1 - 1336-1348 (1342)nm – v₃

1344nm H₂O - 2* v₃ (Siesler, Ozaki, Kawata, & Heise, 2001)

1340nm liquid water/moisture (Williams, 2009)

v₁ + v₂

v₁ + v₃

v₁ + v₂

2v_{OH}

(v)II

2*v2+v3

OH-(H₂O)_i i=1...

H15O7+ free OH strech

O2 -(H₂O)_i i=1...

H13O6+ free OH strech, 1st overt

H+ -(H₂O)_i i=1...

'-OH strech in fully hydrated hydronium, 2nd overt.

DD stretch (OH-(H₂O)4)

1st overtone free OH stretch (OH-(H₂O)4) -
3675cm⁻¹

H bond 18=< n=<24, 1st overt.

(Robertson, Diken, Price, Shin, & Johnson, 2003)

aqueous proton [H+·(H₂O)5] - AD-type H₂O
free-OH strech, 1st overt

degenerate asymmetric OH strech, 2nd overt.

aqueous proton [H+·(H₂O)4] - H₃O+ symmetric
stretch, 1st overt.

Dangling -OH (non-hydrogen-bonded), 1st overt.



Assignment

C1 - 1336-1348 (1342)nm – ν_3

1344nm H_2O - $2^* \nu_3$ (Siesler, Ozaki, Kawata, & Heise, 2001)

1340nm liquid water/moisture (Williams, 2009)

C2 - 1360-1366 (1364)nm – OH-(H_2O)₁, OH-(H_2O)₂, OH-(H_2O)₄

1360nm 1st overtone free OH stretch (OH-(H_2O)₄) - 3675cm^{-1} (Robertson, Diken, Price, Shin, & Johnson, 2003)

1366nm 1st overtone OH- stretch (OH-(H_2O)₂) - 3660cm^{-1} (Robertson et al., 2003)

C3 - 1370-1379 (1374)nm – $\nu_1 + \nu_3$

1379.3nm H_2O - $\nu_1 + \nu_3$ - 7250cm^{-1} (Siesler et al., 2001)

1379.3nm overtone of stretching vibration - 7250cm^{-1} (Kuroda, Hamano, Mori, Yoshikawa, & Nagao, 2000)

1373 nm first overtone of $2\nu_{OH}$ (Lakshmi Reddy, Padma Suvarna, Udayabhaska Reddy, Endo, & Frost, 2014)

C4 - 1380-1388 (1384)nm – OH-(H_2O)₁, OH-(H_2O)₄, O₂-(H_2O)₄

1383.15nm 1st overtone interwater / DD stretch (OH-(H_2O)₄) - 3615cm^{-1} (Robertson et al., 2003)

1381nm H_2O - $\nu_{1+}\nu_3$ (Cattaneo, Cabassi, Profaizer, & Giangiacomo, 2009)



WAMACS

Water Matrix Coordinates:

Water absorbance bands
corresponding to pools of water
molecules with the same
vibration frequency



AQUAPHOTOME

is

**the entire complements of
water matrix coordinates
found under
various perturbations
over the whole EMS**



Water Absorbance Pattern, WAP

AQUAGRAM

Aquagram was devised to **visualize the WASP**.

The aquagram displays **normalized absorbance values at specific water bands** on the axes originating from the center of the graph.

Absorbance values at the WAMACs are placed on the respective radial axes.

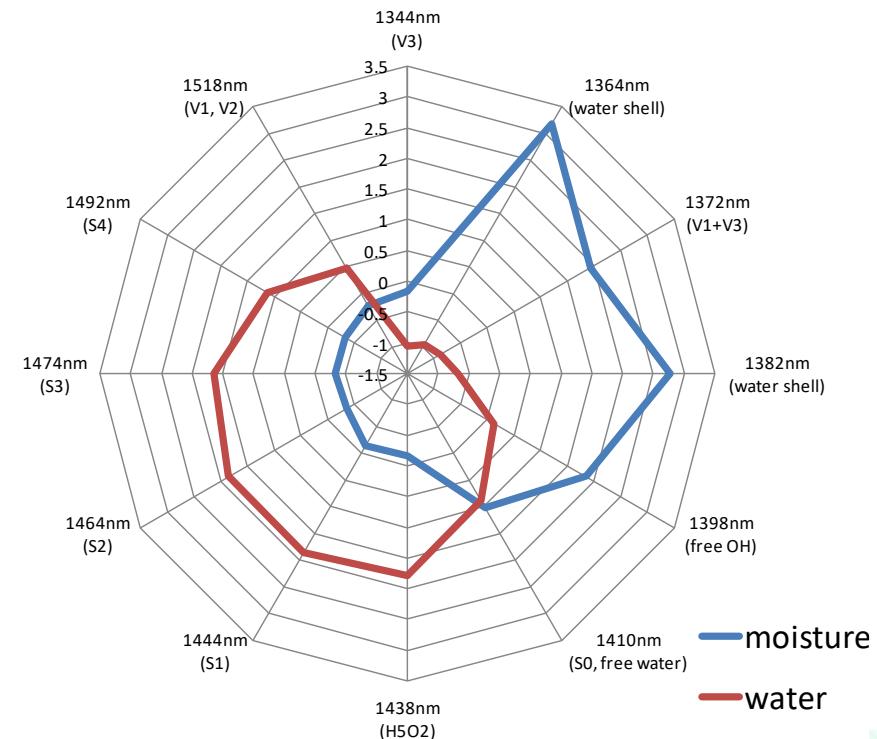
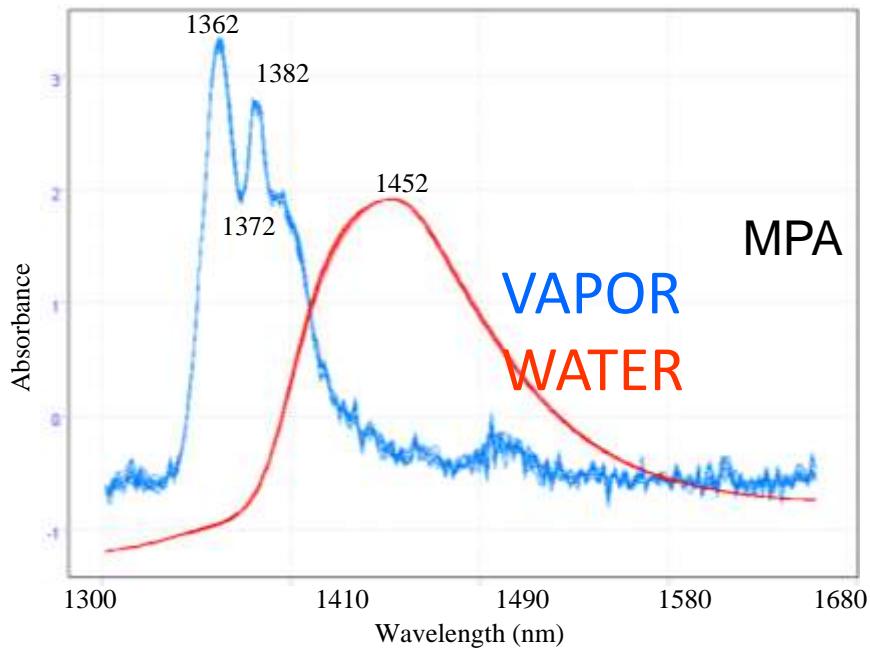


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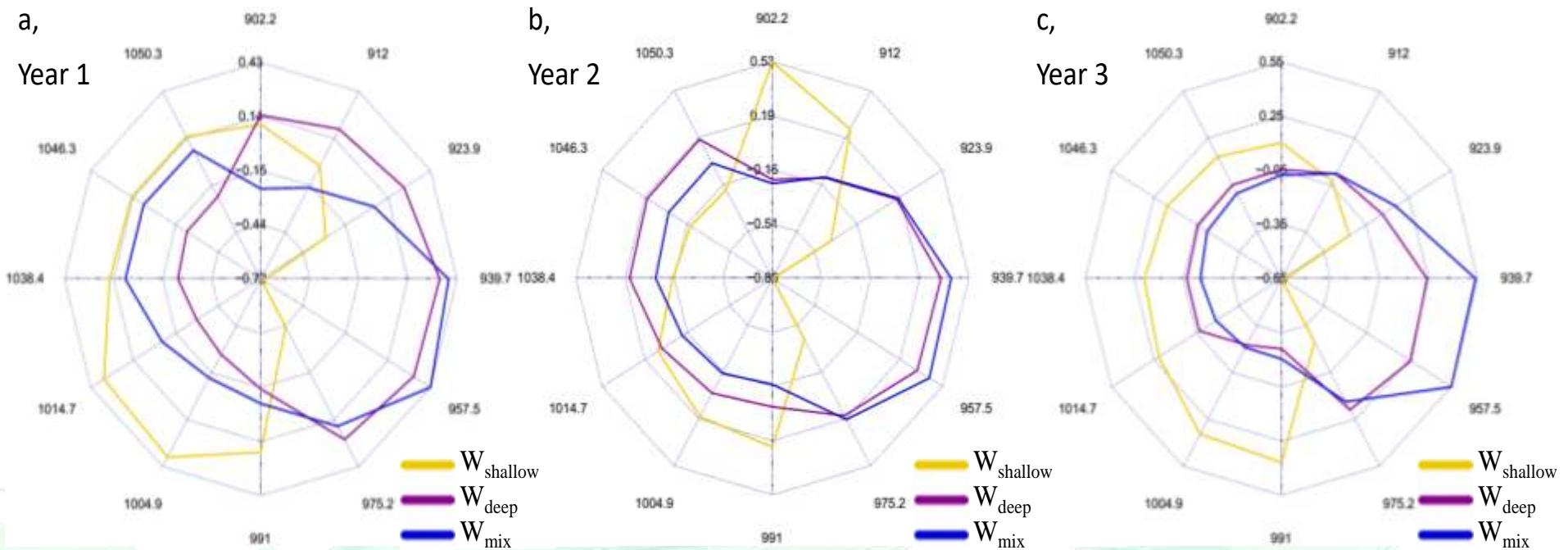
AQUGRAM



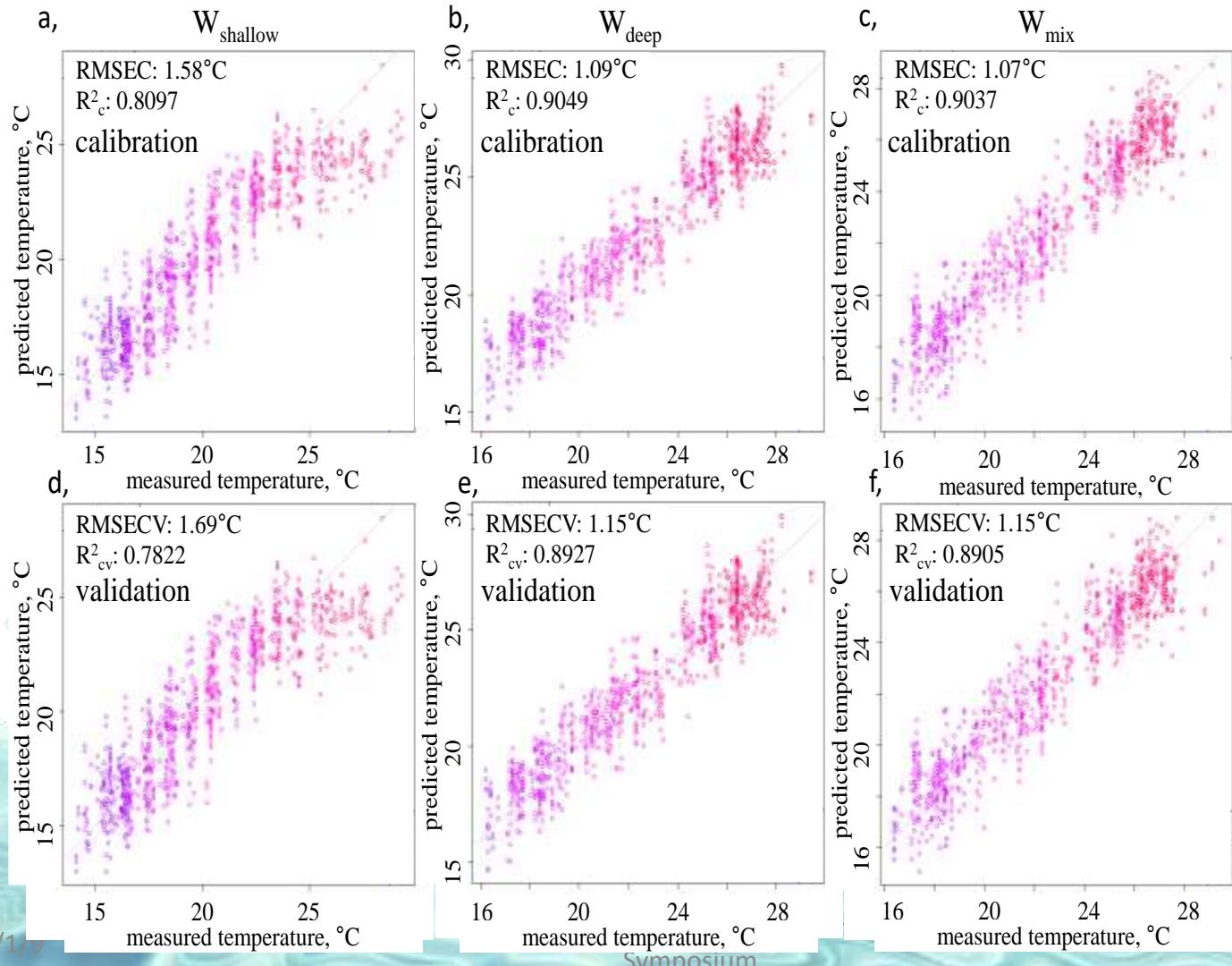
$$A'_\lambda = \frac{A_\lambda - \mu}{\sigma}$$

A : Absorbance after EMSC (1300-1600 nm)
 μ : Mean of Averaged spectra
 σ : SD of absorbance each wave length

Aquagrams of ground water samples

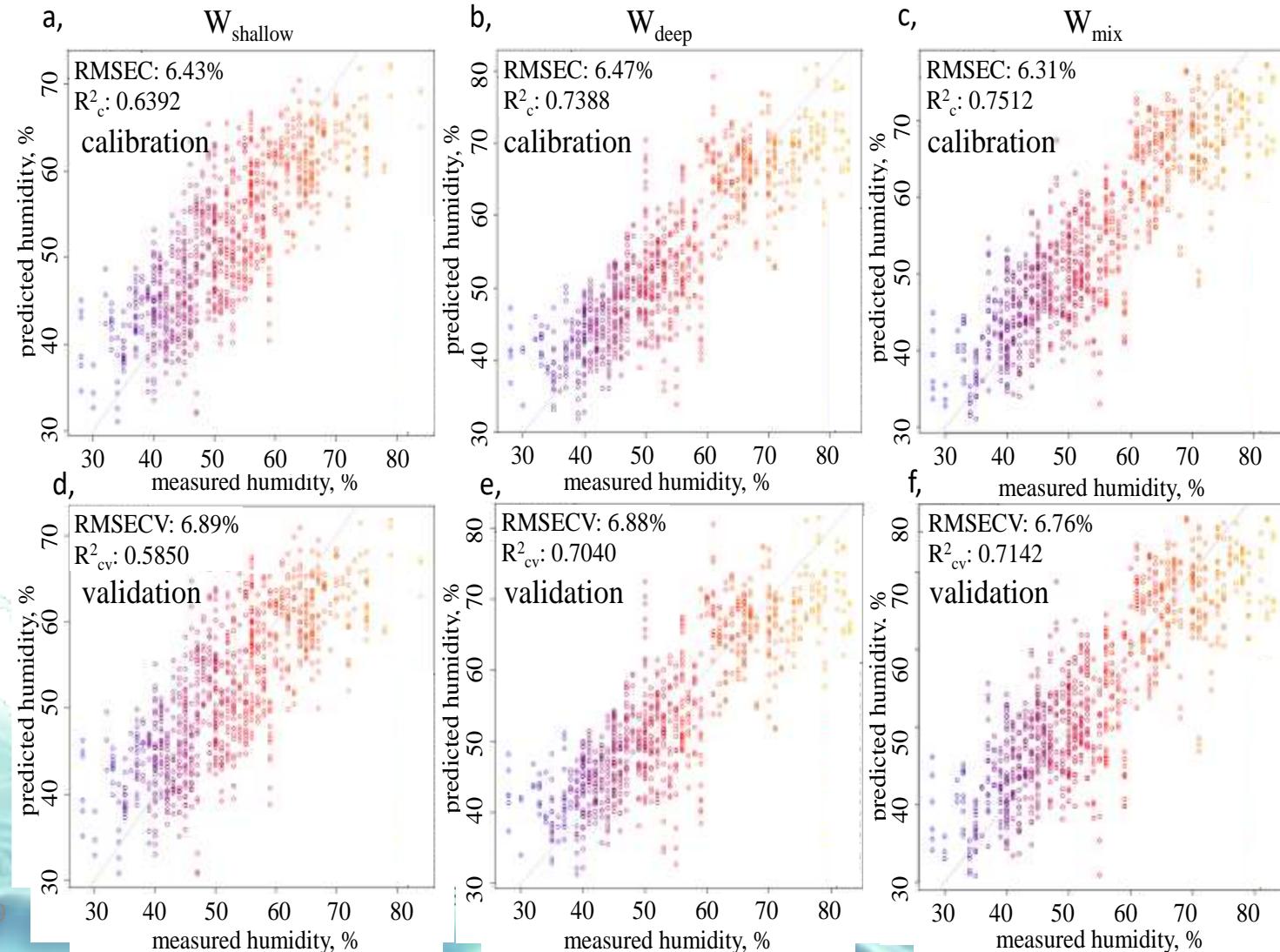


PLSR Models on Water Temperature One Year Spectral Data



PLSR models on relative humidity

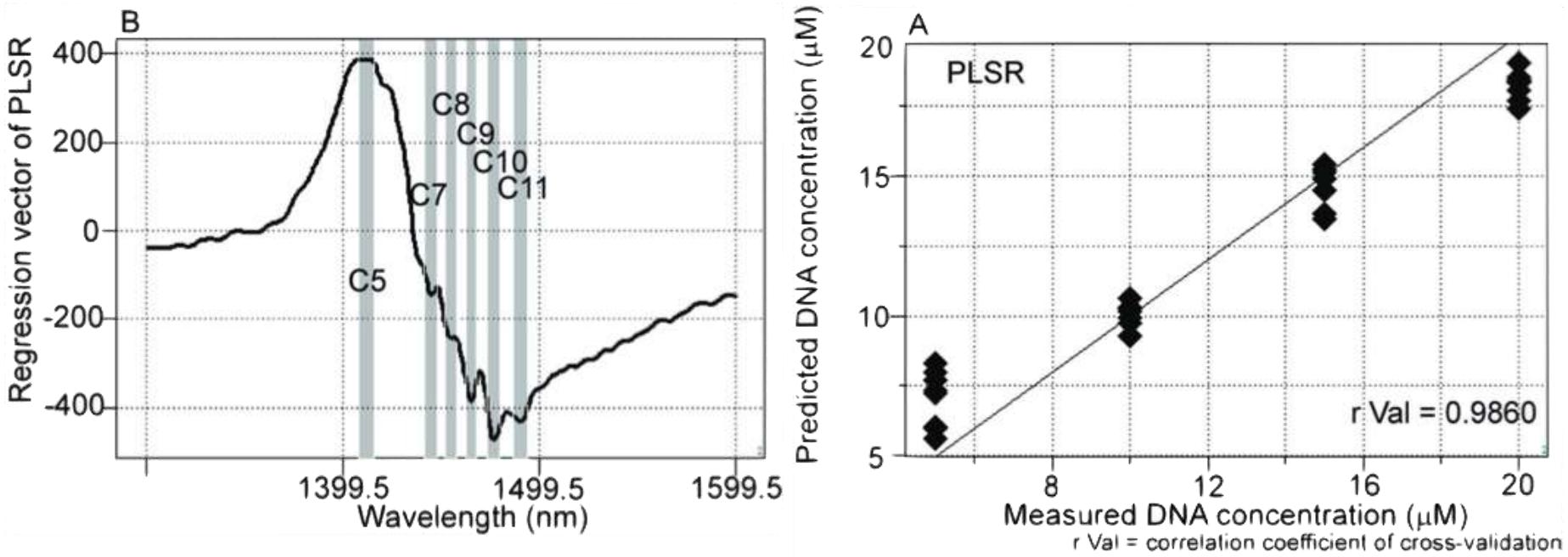
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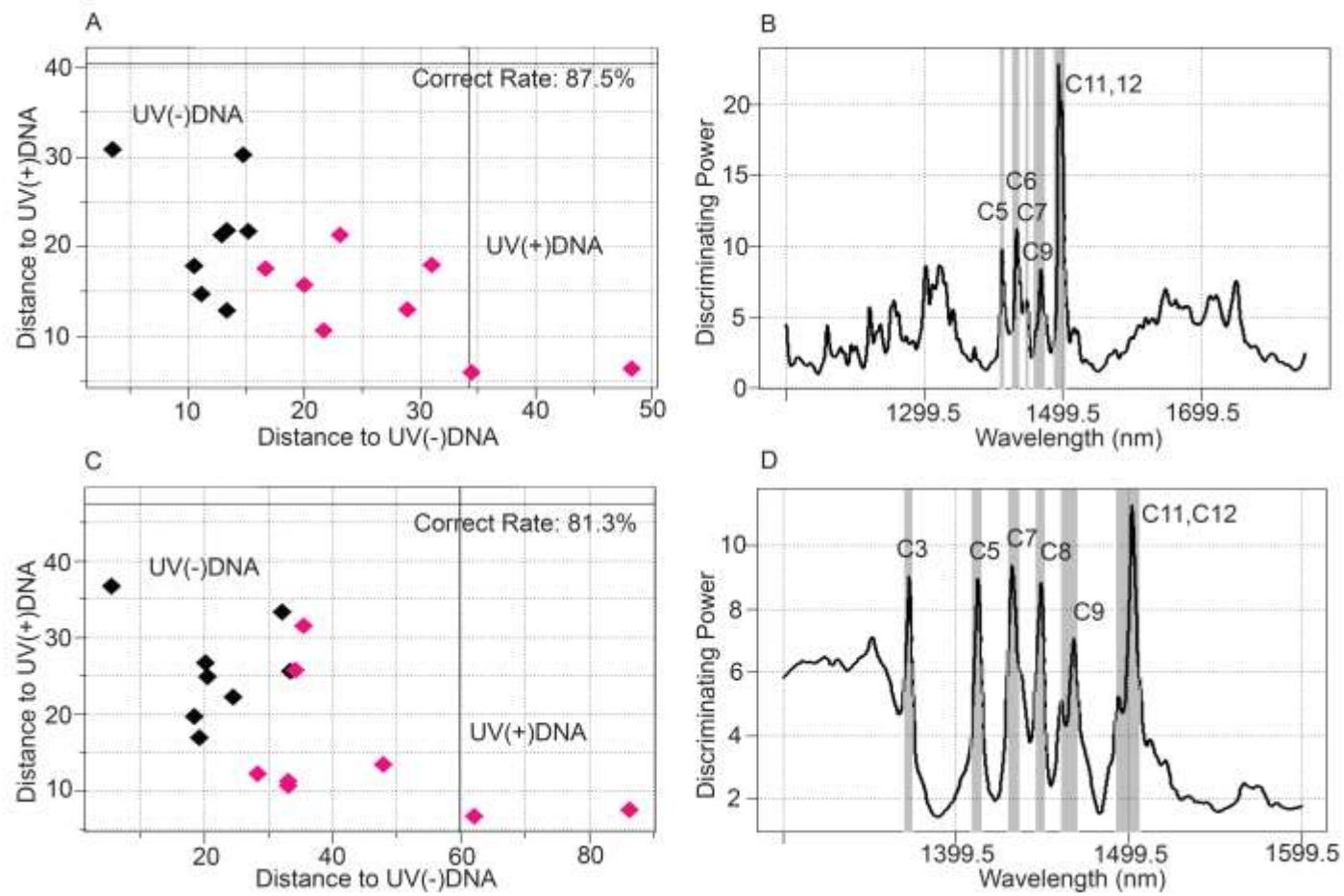
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NIRS regression model according to DNA concentration. (A) Y-fit for DNA concentration of partial least squares regression (PLSR) with pretreatment by mean centering, smoothing (21 points), OSC (one component), and active class validation. $N = 32$, number of applied latent variables = 2, $r \text{ Cal} = 0.9978$, $\text{SEC} = 0.3882$, $r \text{ Val} = 0.9860$, $\text{SECV} = 1.5131$. (B) Regression vector of the PLSR calibration model for DNA concentration showing characteristic water peaks at the 1400–1500 nm spectral interval.

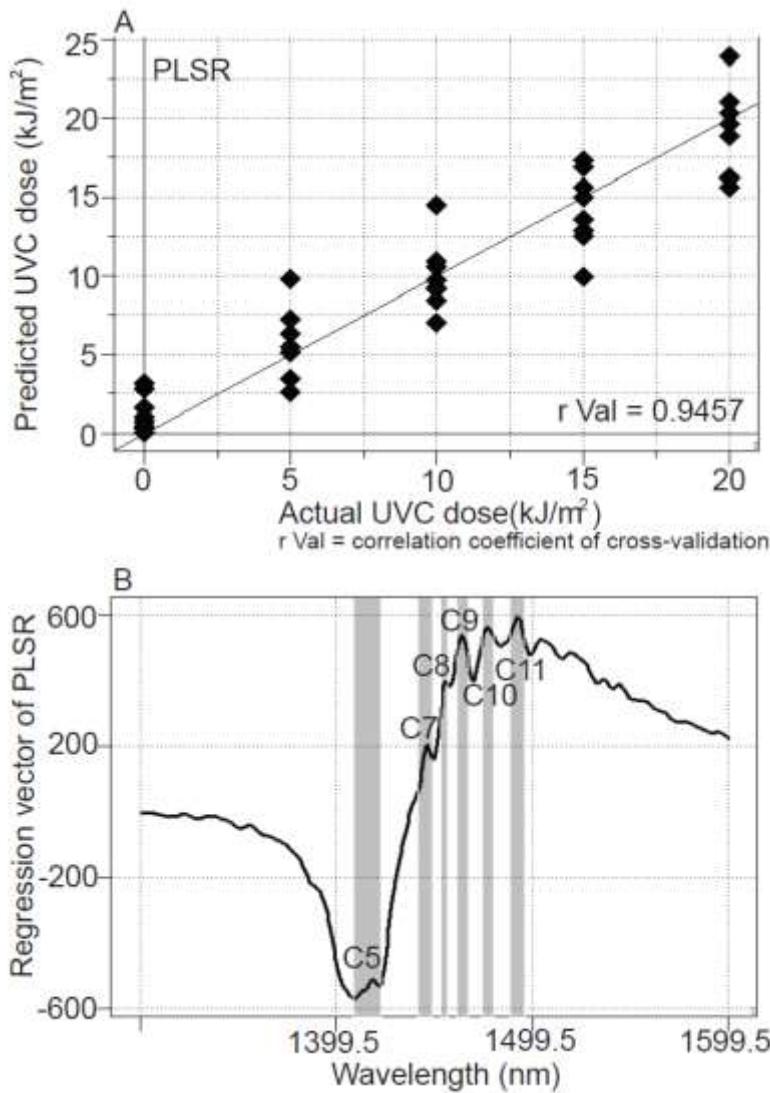
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NIRS based discrimination of Milli-Q water and cis-syn T<>Ts solutions.

SIMCA using 1300-1600 nm interval of NIR spectra with mean-centering and smoothing (45 points). Factor # =2: samples of Milli-Q water and isolated cis-syn T<>Ts solutions form separate groups (ratio of correctly classified samples = 94.9 %).

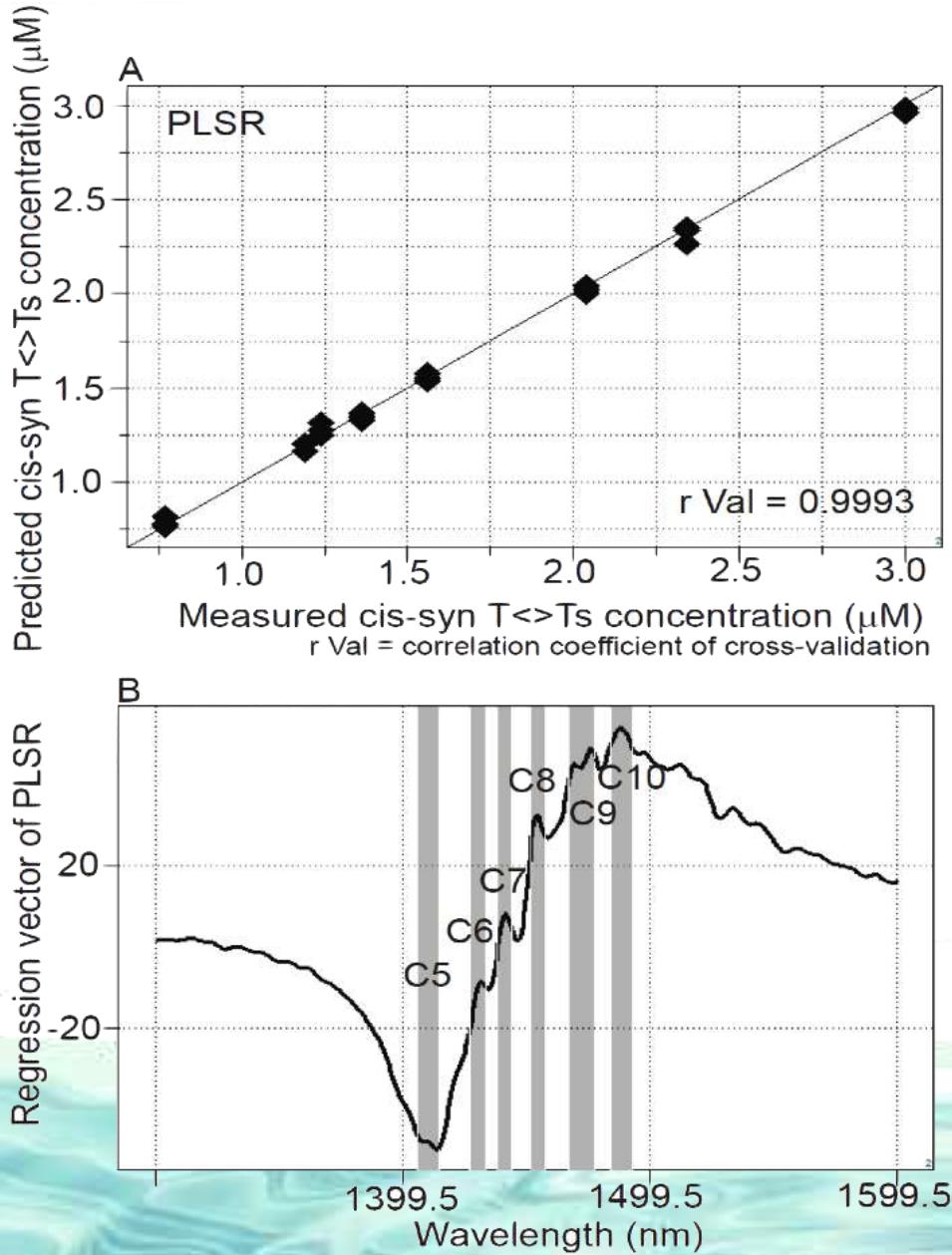
C) PLS-DA using 1300-1600 nm interval of NIR spectra : 94.9 % of samples were classified correctly in cross-validation. Factor # =1.



Results of NIRS regression models dependent on the irradiated UVC doses show close correlation between the actually irradiated doses of UVC and the levels determined by the NIRS calibration model when DNA samples irradiated with UVC at doses of 0, 5, 10, 15 and 20 kJ/m^2 were measured in 20 μM aqueous solutions.

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Quantitative analysis of isolated cis-syn T<>Ts using NIRS and HPLC data showing high correlation between cis-syn T<>Ts concentrations determined by the NIR calibration model and the laboratory reference values (0.77 μM - 3.0 μM) determined by HPLC.

A) Y-fit for cis-syn T<>Ts concentration of PLSR with pretreatment of mean centering, smoothing (21 points), OSC (one component) and leave-one-out cross validation: $N = 24$, number of applied latent variables = 2, $r \text{ Cal} = 0.9993$, $\text{SEC} = 0.0267$, $r \text{ Val} = 0.9993$, $\text{SECV} = 0.0308$.

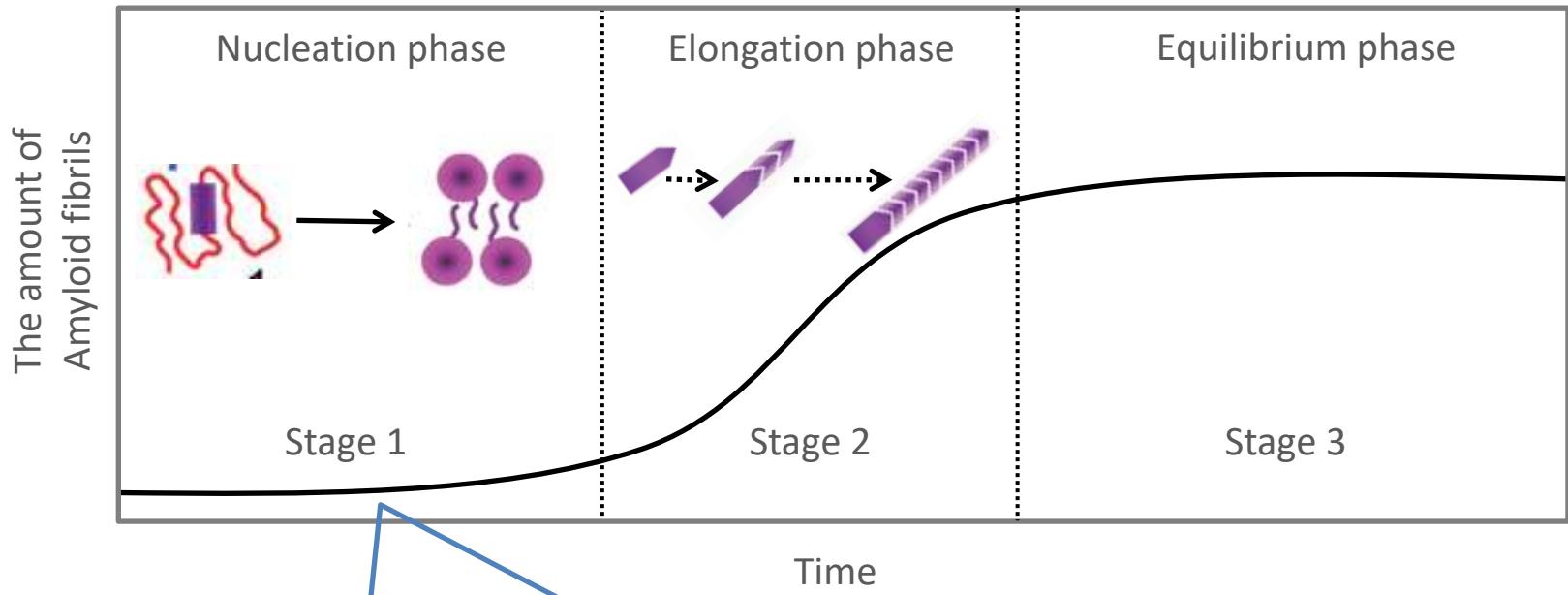
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Unique transformations of water structure for the amyloidogenic nucleation

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If NIR could detect change with nucleation,
It is possible to diagnose amyloidosis!!

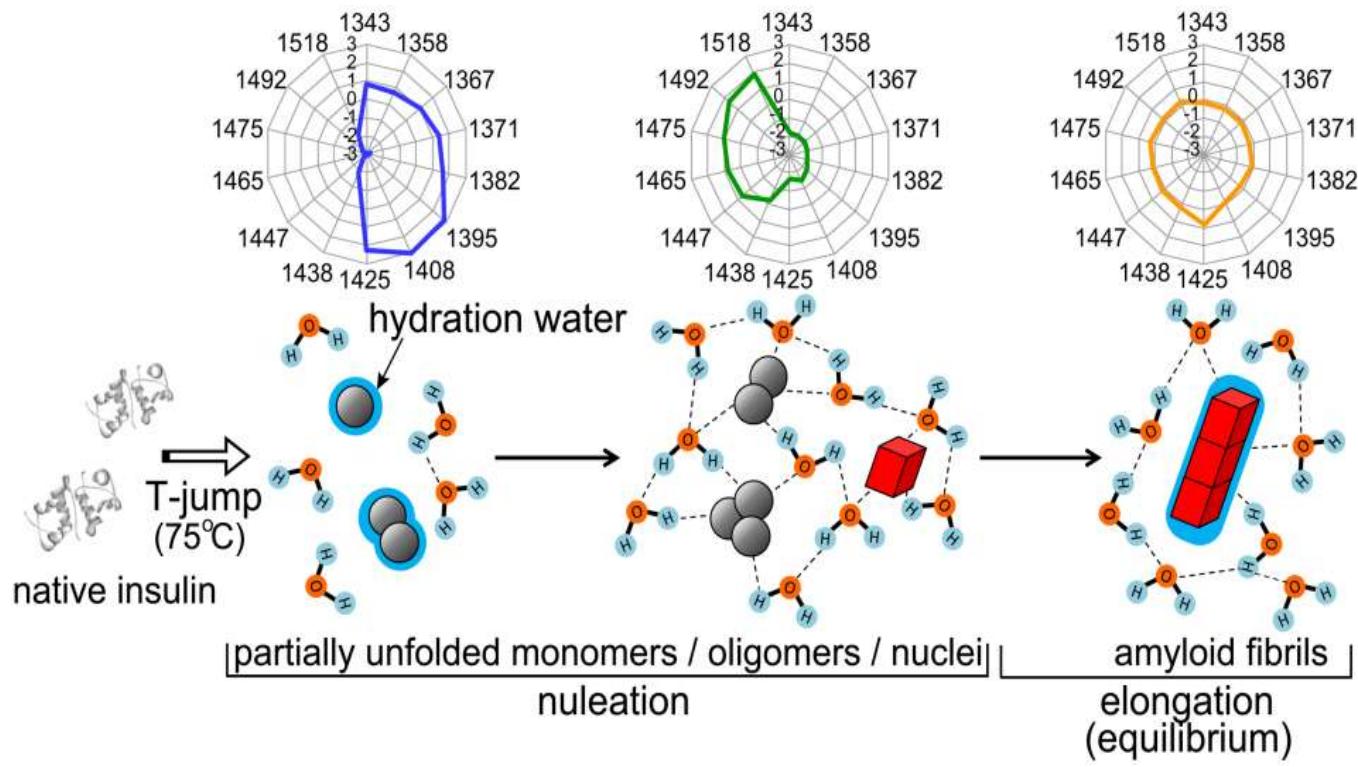
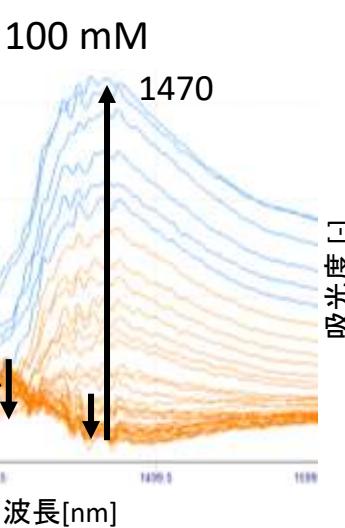
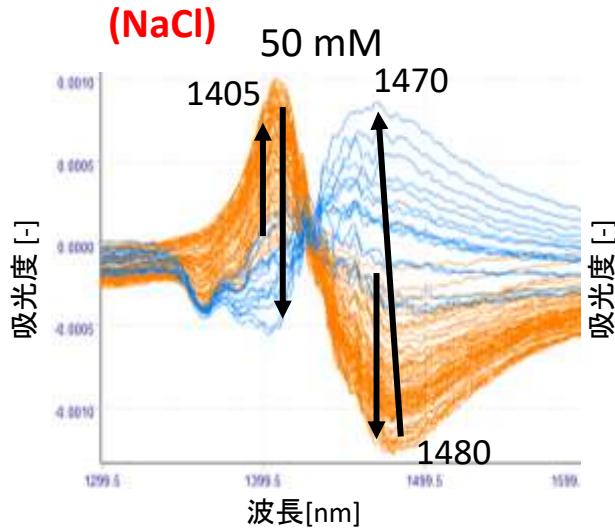


Figure: Schematic illustration representing multi-step transformation of water structures during the fibril formation.

In the nucleation phase, free water molecules and hydrating water onto protein molecules are dominated initially, but afterwards hydrogen-bonded water networks are developed, which is considered essential for nucleation by interlinking protein molecules softly. In the elongation phase, the hydrogen bonds were decayed gradually towards the state observed in bulk water, and slight increasing of hydrated water onto amyloid fibrils was also observed.

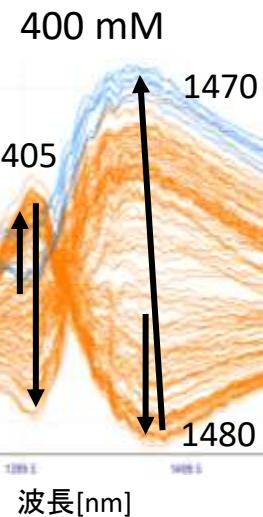
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アミロイド線維形成サンプル



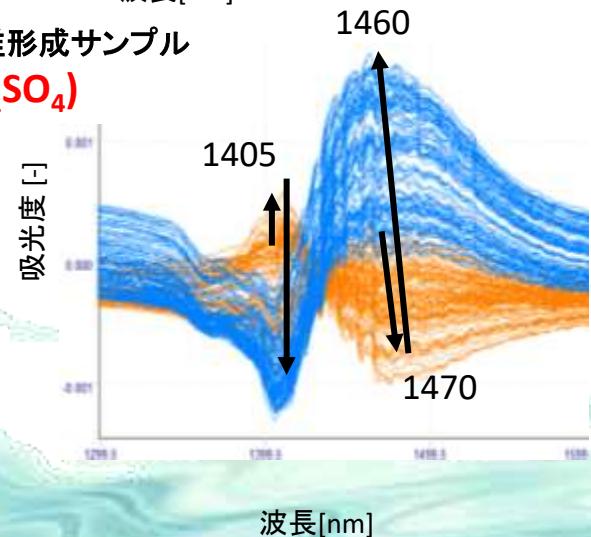
核形成期

伸長期



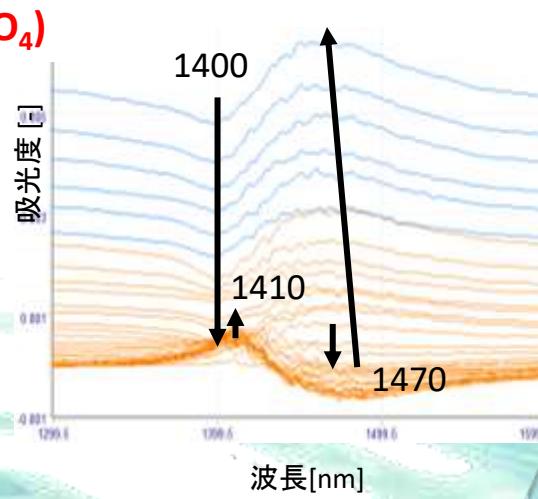
アミロイド線維形成サンプル

(Na₂SO₄)



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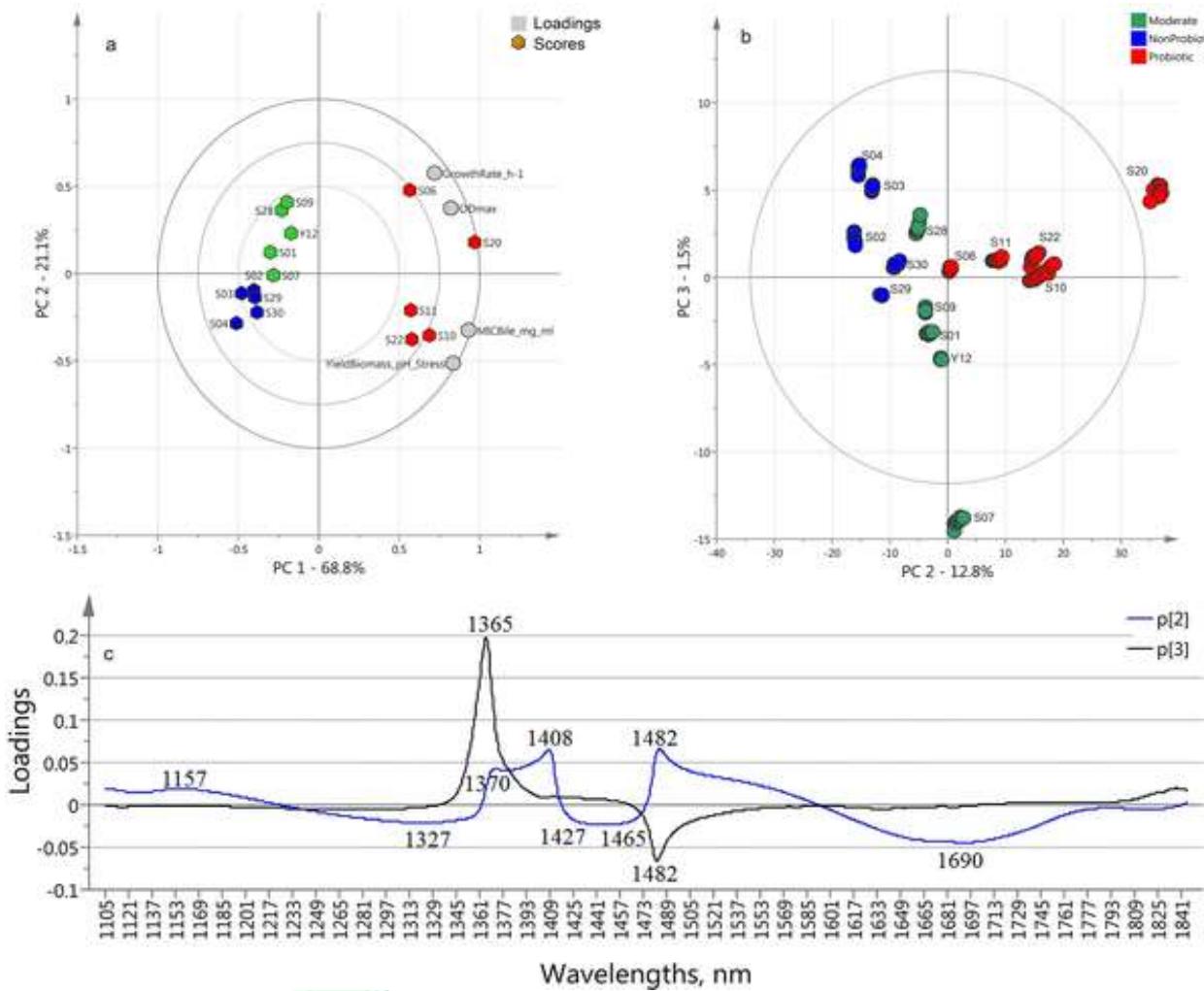
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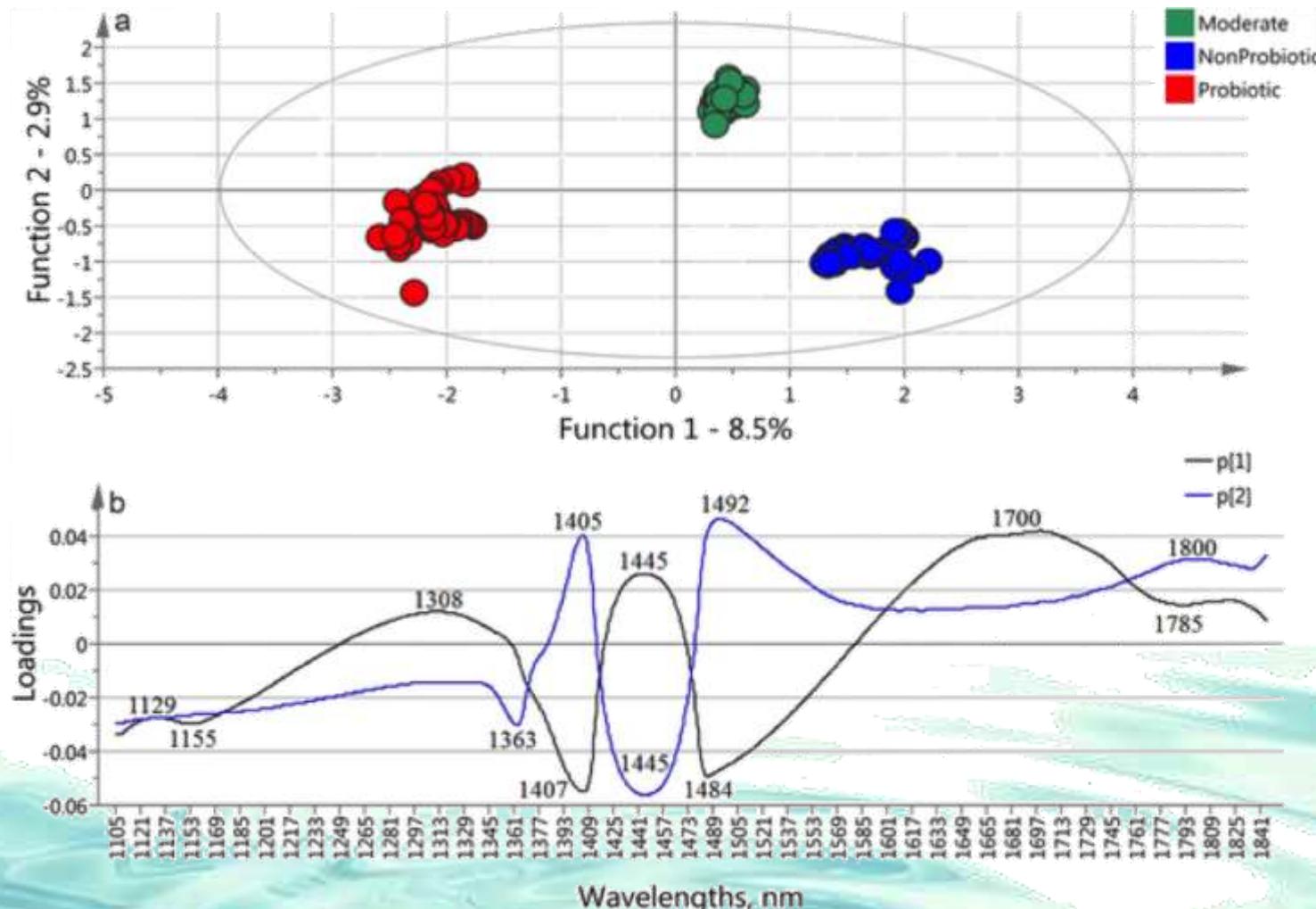


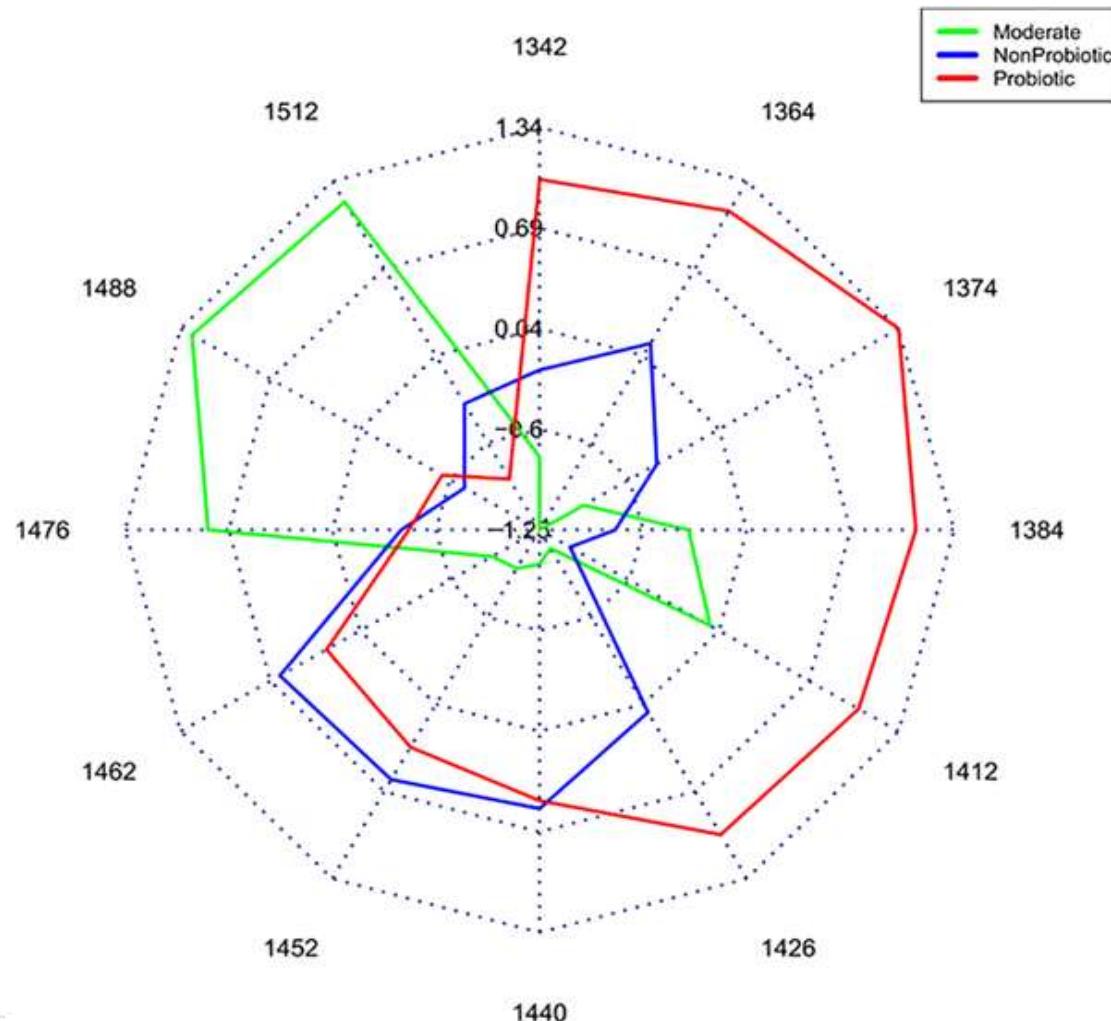


a) PCA Bi-plot calculated on the reference data (strains growth rates, maximal optical densities, bile MIC and the yield of biomass after three hours stay at pH 1.80 in presence of pepsin (9000 U/ml), reference data in Table 1); b) MW-PCA analyses using the 1100–1850 nm wavelength interval—Score plot calculated on spectral data ($n = 150$) at the cultivation time of 11.4–12 h.

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OPLS-DA model built on the spectral data of the 15 strains in the monitoring time between 11.4–12 h ($n = 150$) using the 1100–1850 nm wavelength interval to classify the probiotic, moderate and non-probiotic groups a) score plot and b) loadings plots.





Aquagram on the spectra of culture media of groups of probiotic, moderate and non-probiotic strains

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Measured wave-length (nm)	Calculated wave-number (cm ⁻¹)	Calculated fundamental wavenumber (cm ⁻¹)	Assignment	Ref
1155		-	Combination overtone of free water (S ₀)	-
1365	7326	7326/2 = 3663	OH, 1st overtone, aqueous proton [H+-(H ₂ O) ₂]—H ₂ O asymmetric stretch	[40]
			OH, 1st overtone, Dangling-OH (non-hydrogen-bonded)	[41]
			OH, 1st overtone, H ₂ O ν1	[42]
			OH, 1st overtone, H ₁₅ O ₇₊	[43]
1386	7215	7215/2 = 3607.5	OH, 1st overtone, Superoxide Tetrahydrate O ₂₋ (H ₂ O) ₄	[44]
			OH, 1st overtone, H+(H ₂ O) ₁₀	[40]
			C-H stretching, sucrose	[45]
1408	7100	7100/2 = 3550	OH, 1st overtone, OH' stretching mode	[46]
			OH, 1st overtone, H-bonded OH stretch	[47]
			O-H, 1st overtone, glucose bonds	[48]
			OH, 1st overtone, OH stretching in alcohols	[49]
1450	6895	6895/2 = 3447.5	OH, 1st overtone, hydrogen-bonded dimers	[50]
			OH, 1st overtone, deionized water	[51]
			OH, 1st overtone, O-H stretch	[52]
			combination of antisymmetric and symmetric stretching modes of water	[53]
1485	6735	6735/2 = 3367.5	OH, 1st overtone, H ₁₇ O ₅₊	[43]
			OH, 1st overtone, H ₁₅ O ₇₊ H-bonded OH stretch	[47]
			NH, 1st overtone, amid	[54]
1492	6700	6700/2 = 3350	NH/OH, 1st overtone, N-H/O-H stretching	[55]
			OH, 1st overtone, hydrogen-bonded (S ₄)	[34]
			OH, 1st overtone, H ₁₅ O ₇₊	[43]
			OH, 1st overtone, strongly H-bonded	[56]
			NH, 1st overtone, N-H stretching	[57,58]
			NH, 1st overtone, NH ₂ 's asymmetric stretch	[59]
1698	5890	5890/2 = 2945	OH 1st overtone, Superoxide Tetrahydrate O ₂₋ (H ₂ O) ₄	[44]
			C-H vibration	[60]
			CH/CH ₂ combination band	[61]
			H-O-H/O-H bending and translation/rotation combinations	[62]
1819	5500	5500/2 = 2750	1st overtone IHB stretch (OH-(H ₂ O) ₃)	[63]
			combinationν(C-H) + ν(O-D)free	[64]

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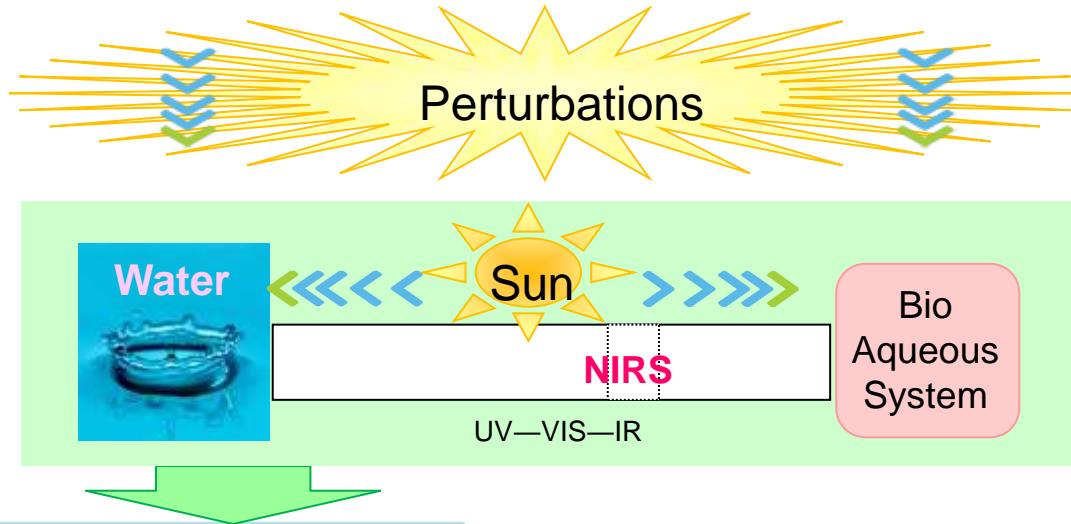
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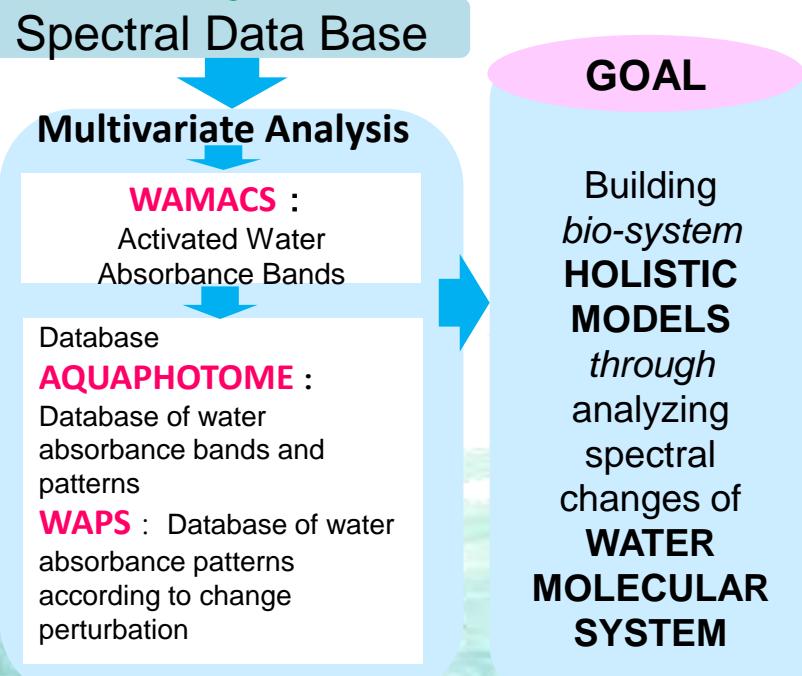
FUTURE

- Water Vocabulary: letters (water bands), words (spectral patterns), sentences (water functionality)
- Basic well known phenomena and reactions should be explained with added knowledge about water
- Education about water on a large scale

Experiments



Data Analysis



Medical Science,
Pharmacy

Engineering

Biotechnology

Basic Science

- Analyzing of aqueous system
- Interaction of water with DNA
- Interaction of water with organic and non-organic molecules
- Aqueous systems in cells
- Aqueous systems in tissue
- Aqueous systems in organs
- Aqueous systems in whole body

Applying in various fields

水の音
光の遊び
生きている

Sound of a stream,
Sunlight dancing on waters,
Life wakes up again.

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R. Tsenkova, 2004

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