

# Glycolipids: A Question of Balance

## Glicolipidos: una cuestión de equilibrio

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## Glucolípidos:

Biomoléculas compuestas de una cadena lipídica (lipofílica) y un monosacárido u oligosacárido como grupo hidrofílico

Los glucolípidos más comunes contienen galactosa, manosa, fucosa, glucosa, glucosamina, galactosamina o ácido siálico como azúcar.

# 1 Esteres de Sacarosa (Monoacilados)

1.1 Solubilización de Membranas

1.2 Efecto de Bloqueo

1.3 Caracterización de micelas reversas

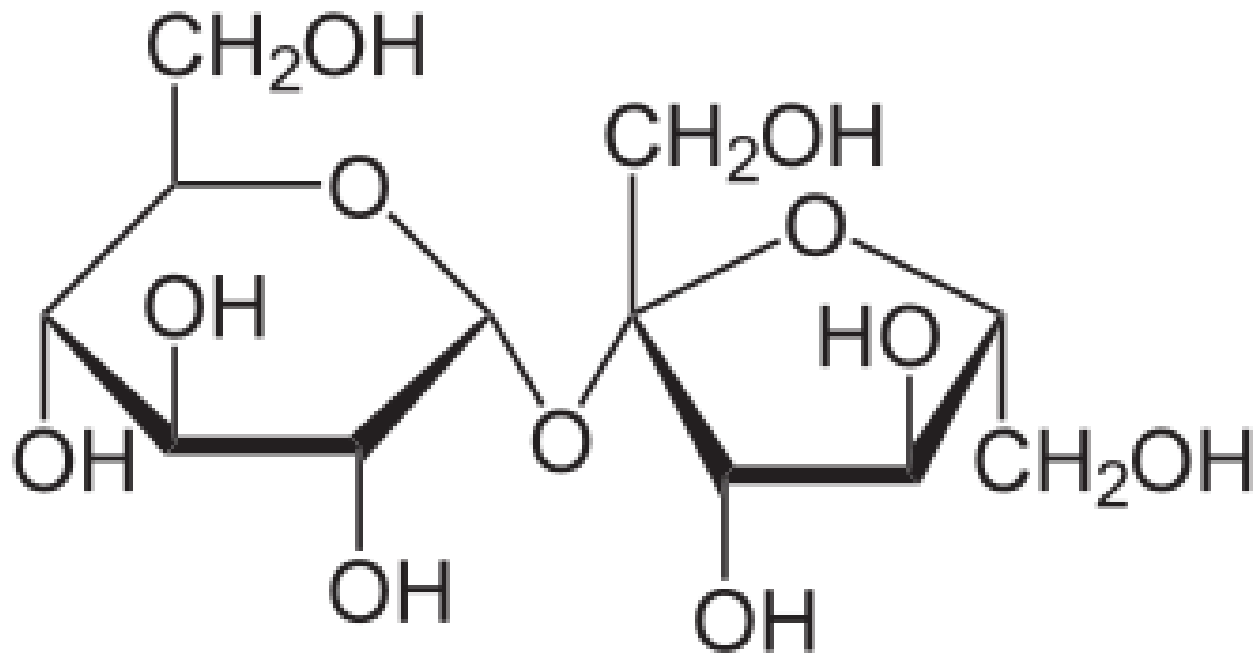
1.4 Micelas mixtas

# 2 Esteres de Sacarosa (Dialcoxi)

# 3 Derivados de Lactosa

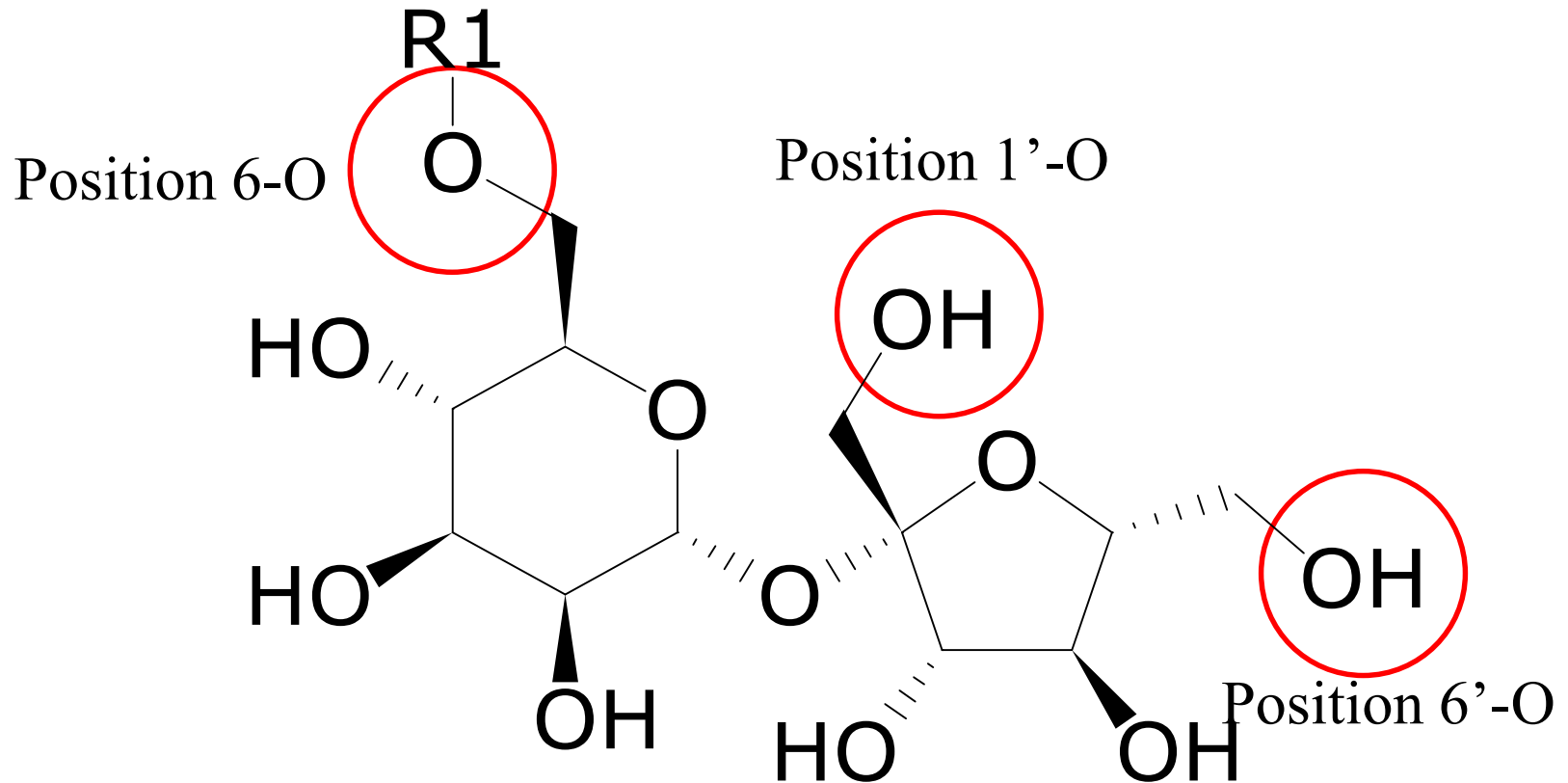
# 4 Derivados de Manosa

# 1. Sacarosa

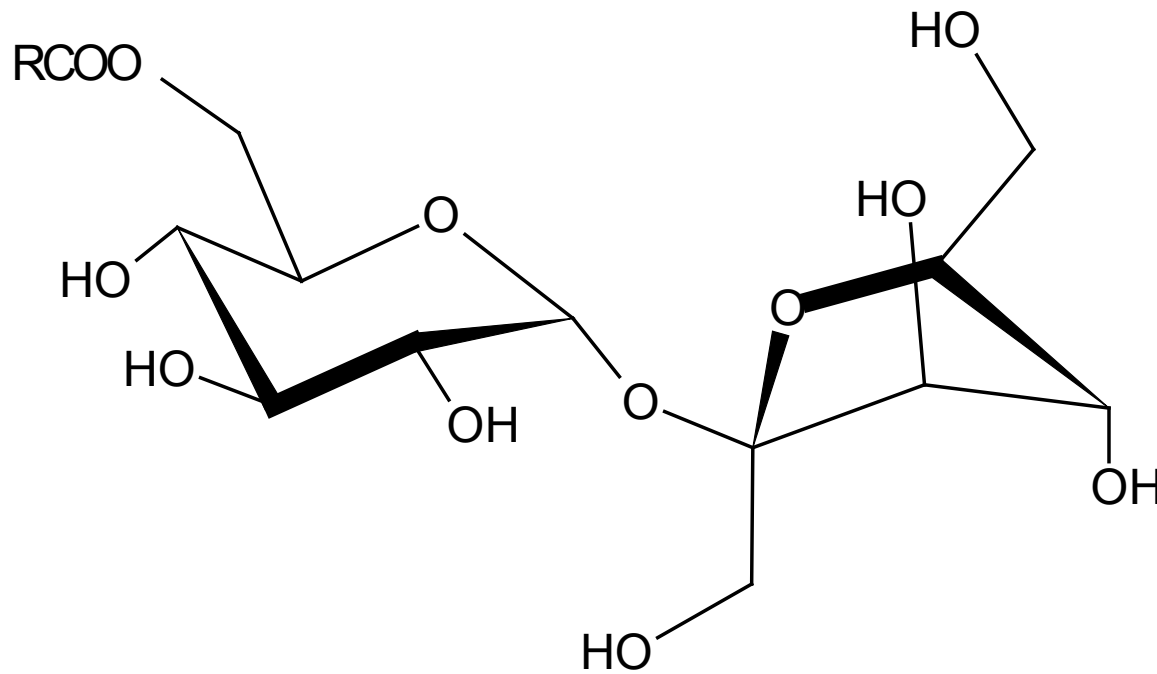




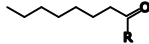
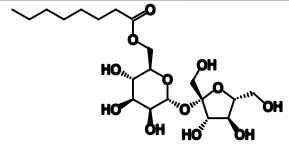
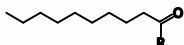
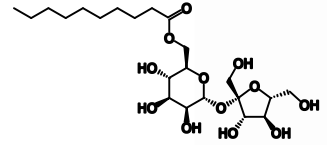
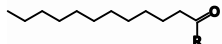
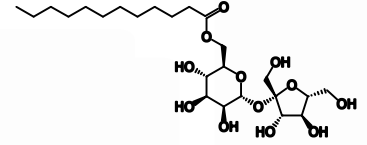
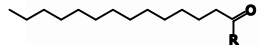
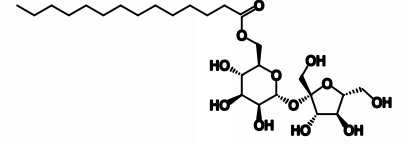
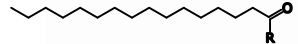
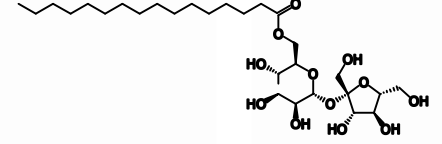
# Esterificación de Sacarosa



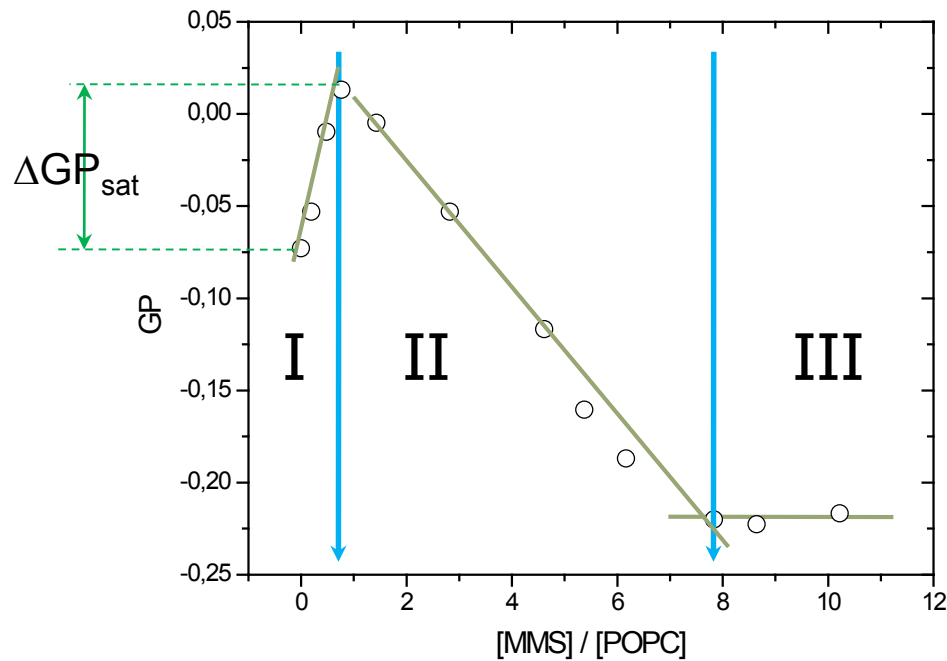
# Estructura General de ésteres 6-O sacarosa



# Sucrose derivatives

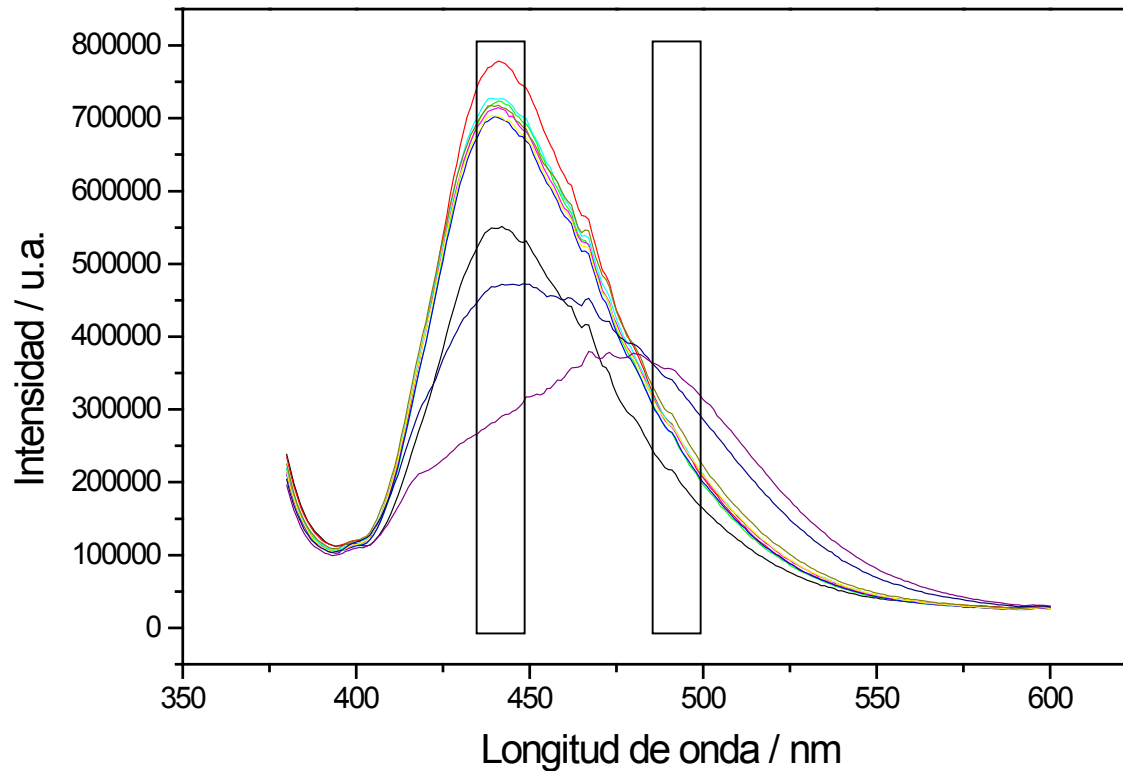
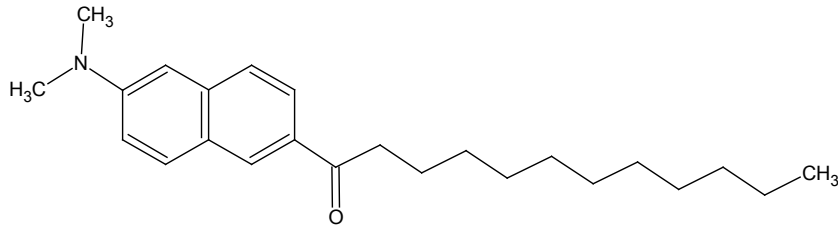
Sustituyente	nombre	Molécula
	MOS	
	MDS	
	MLS	
	MMS	
	MPS	

# 1.1 Modelo de Solubilización de tres etapas



- I Saturation
- II Solubilization
- III Mixed Micelles

# Laurdan on Cuvette

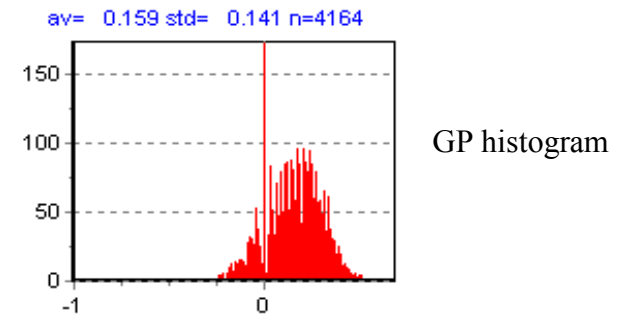
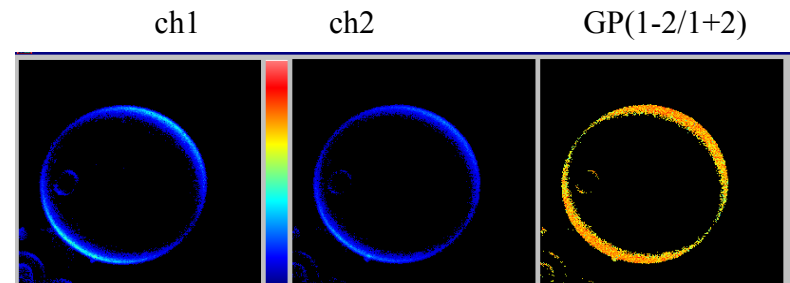
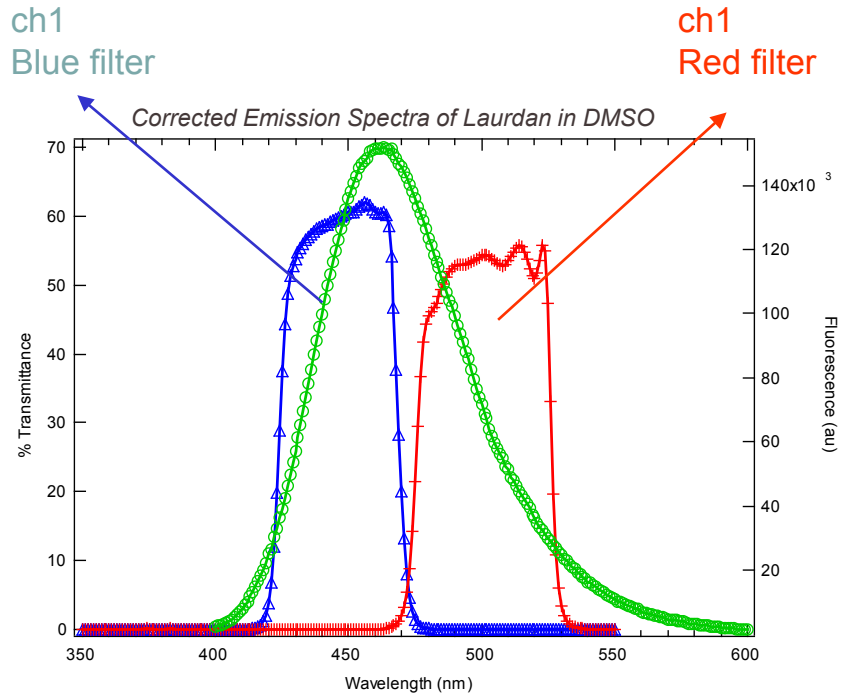


$$GP = \frac{I_{\text{blue}} - I_{\text{red}}}{I_{\text{blue}} + I_{\text{red}}}$$

$$I_{\text{blue}} = 440\text{nm}$$

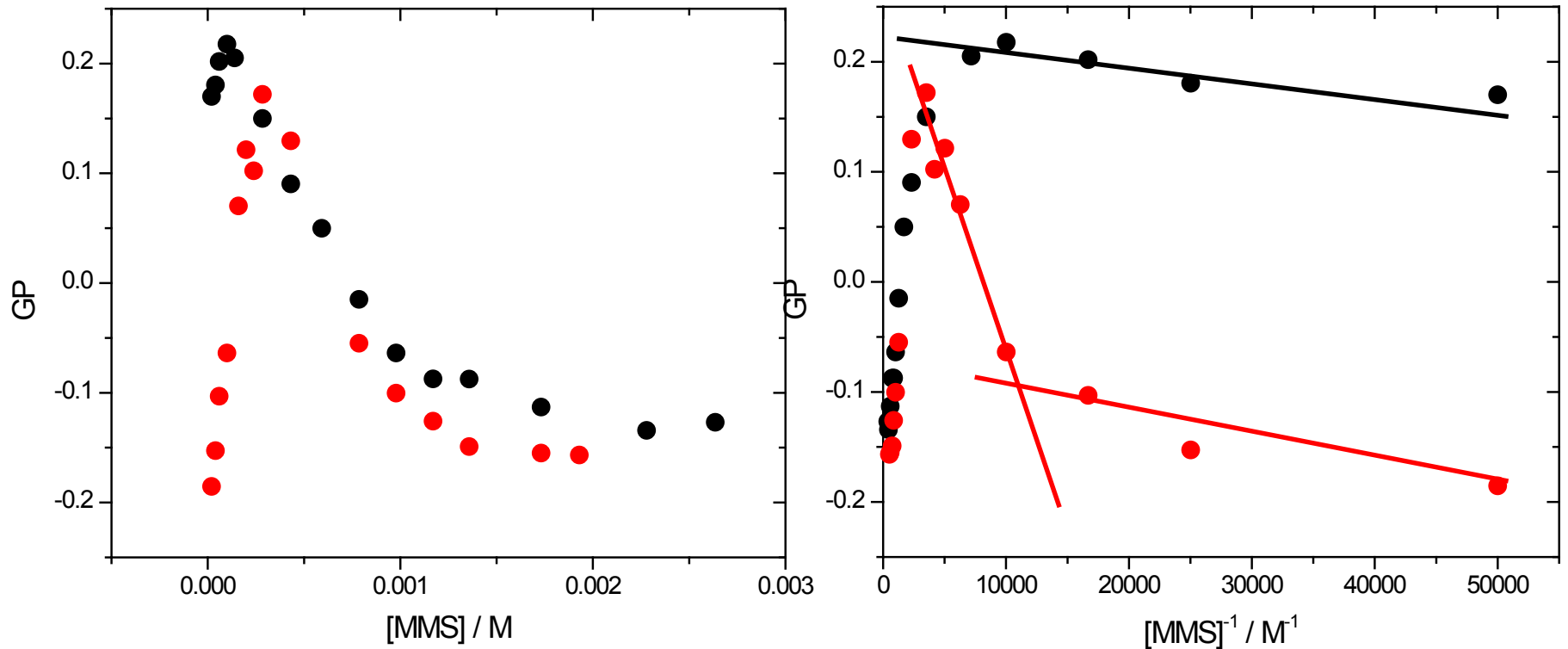
$$I_{\text{red}} = 490\text{nm}$$

# GP on the two-channel microscope



*Measurement of Laurdan GP in the GUVs using Sim-FCS program*

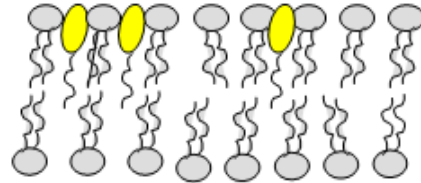
# Vesicles Solubilization Profiles in the presence of Cholesterol



Solubilization of DODAC SUV's (●) and POPC vesicles (●) with a 10% of cholesterol, [Lip] = 0.2mM , 25°C.

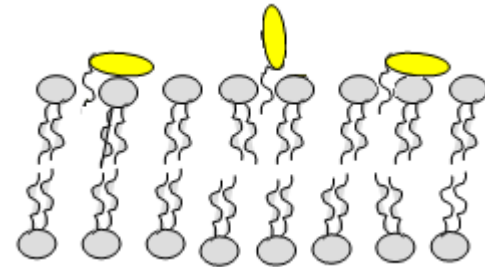
# Proposed Model

## Without cholesterol

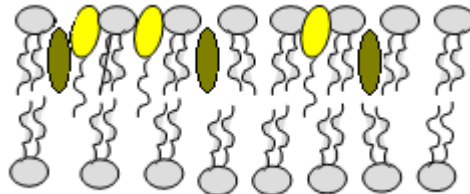


For **POPC bilayers**, the sucrose moiety of MMS could locate between the lipid heads.

For **DODAC bilayers**, the sucrose moiety of MMS could locate over the lipid heads.

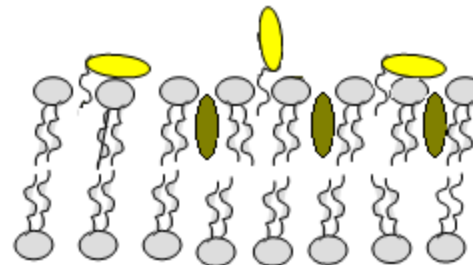


## With cholesterol



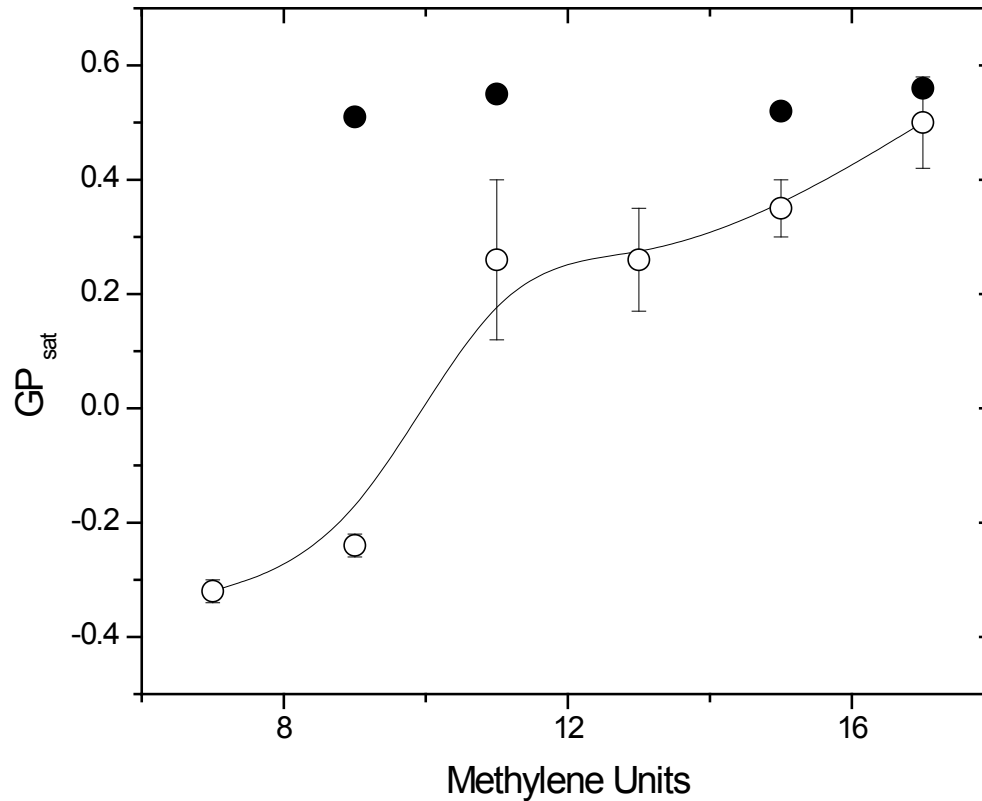
The presence of cholesterol in the bilayer of POPC liposomes would imply a major disorder when MMS is incorporated.

The presence of cholesterol for DODAC liposomes does not affect the surrounds of Laurdan.





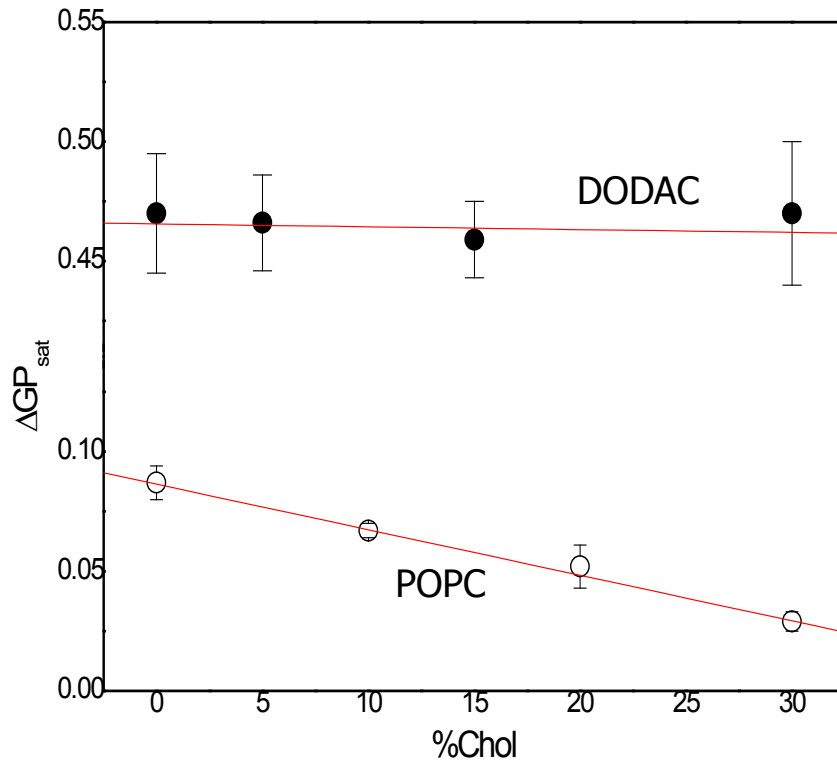
# Effect of methylene units on $GP_{\text{sat}}$



$GP_{\text{sat}}$  for DODAC SUV's ( $\circ$ ) and DPPC vesicles ( $\bullet$ ) with the series of sucrose esters at  $25^{\circ}\text{C}$

# Effect of cholesterol on $\Delta GP_{\text{sat}}$

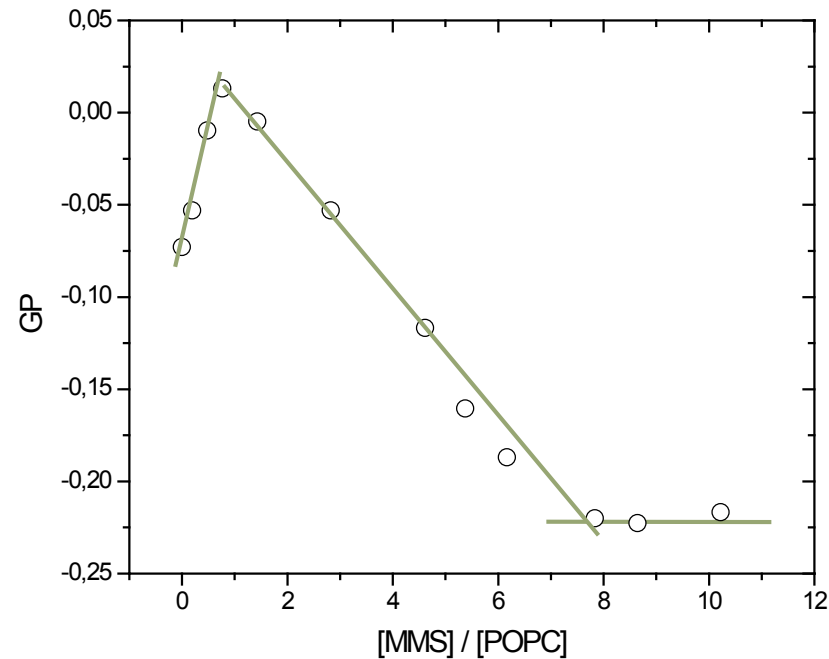
## POPC-chol and DODAC-chol plus MMS



For DODAC, the  $\Delta GP_{\text{sat}}$  is nearly independent of the amount of cholesterol present on the bilayer.

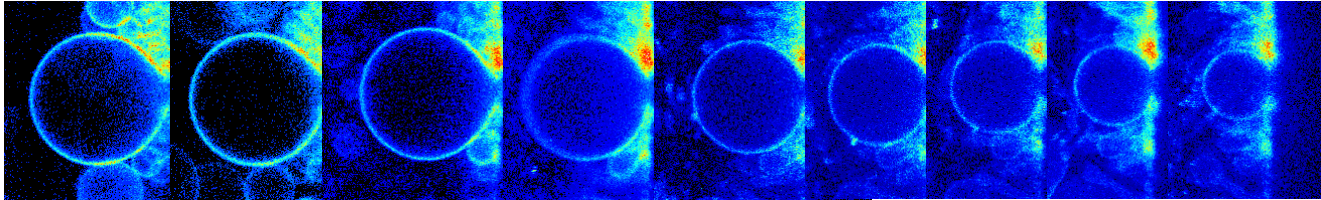
However for POPC there is a small, but clear decrease on the value of  $\Delta GP_{\text{sat}}$  as cholesterol increase.

# Three Stage Model of Solubilization

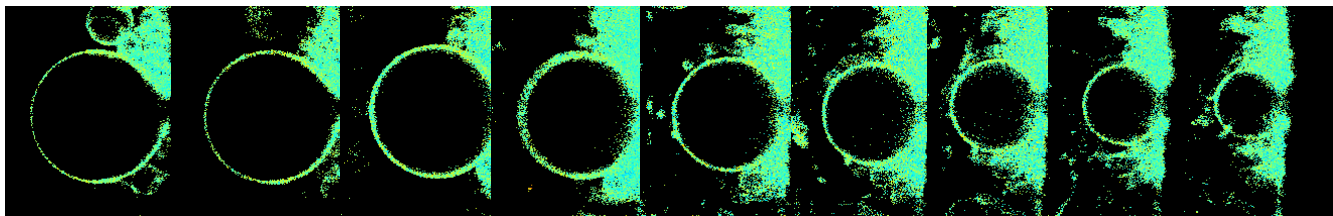


# Images of Solubilization of GUVs

Two-photon intensity image: POPC plus 1 $\mu$ M MMS

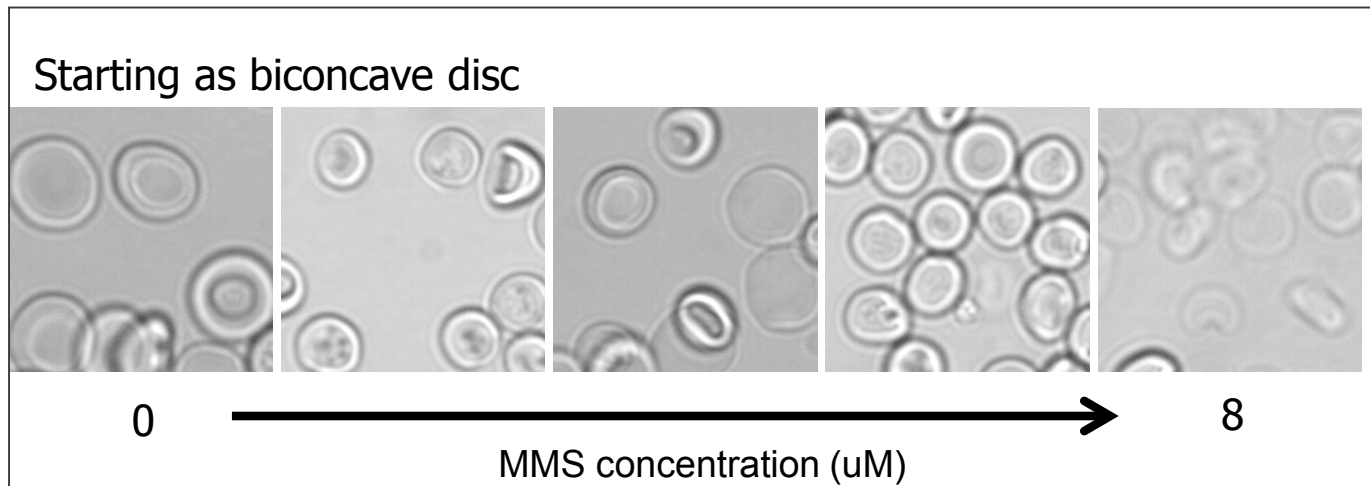
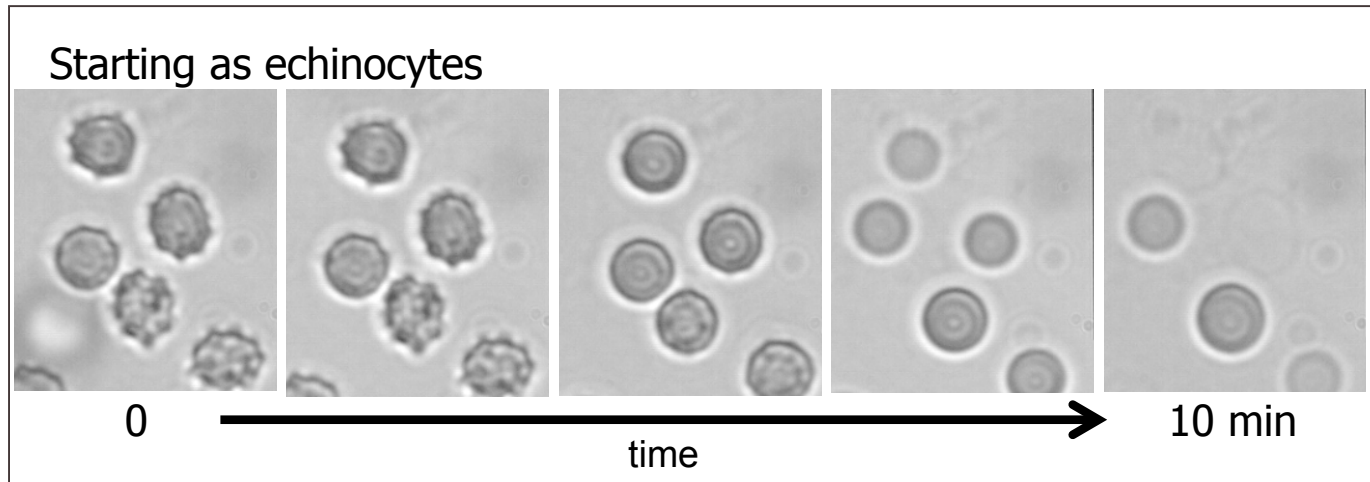


Two-photon GP image: POPC plus 1 $\mu$ M MMS

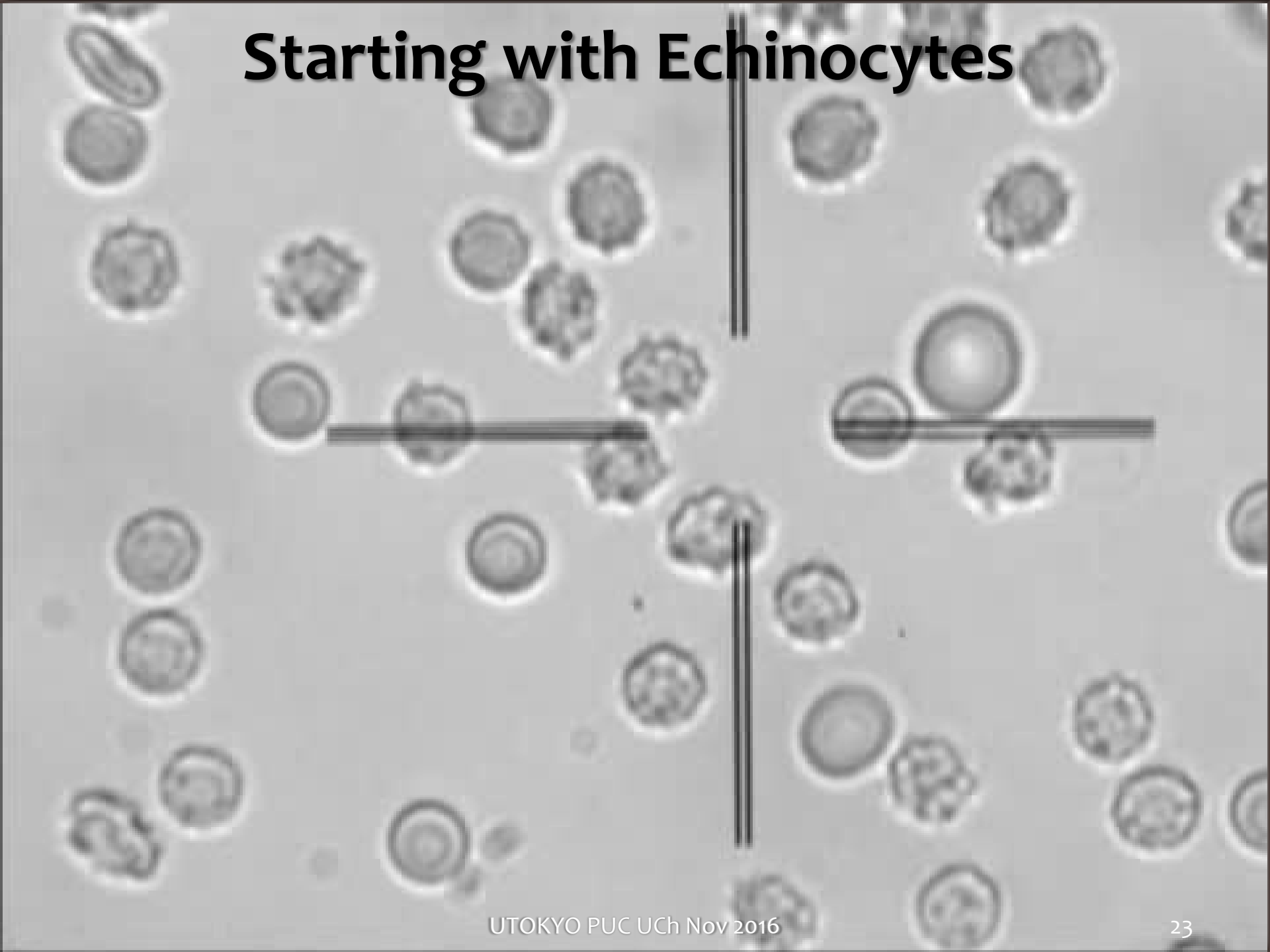


GP measurements indicate that there are not changes in the water content of the membrane during the solubilization process of POPC by myristyl sucrose (MMS).

# Erythrocytes and MMS

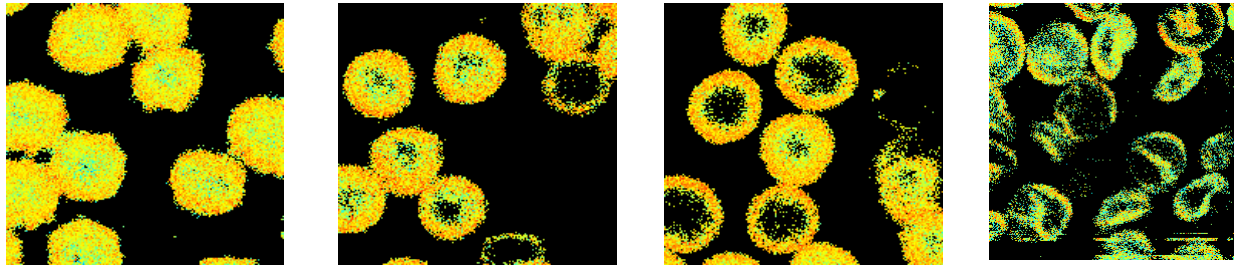


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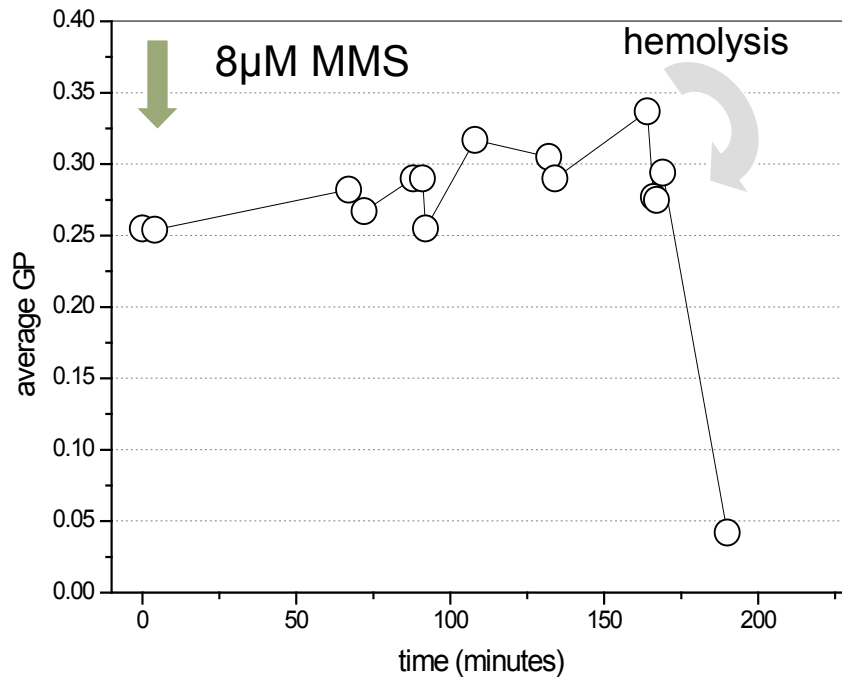


# Starting with Echinocytes

Water access in the membrane during the interaction



time

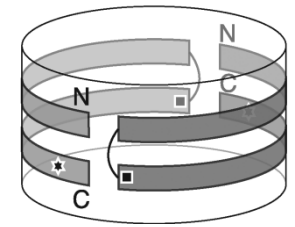
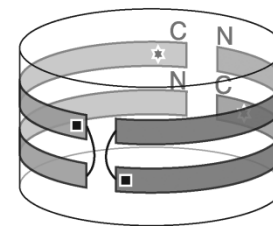
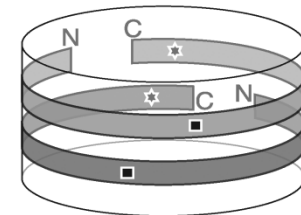
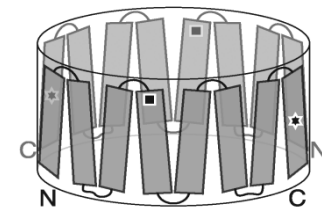
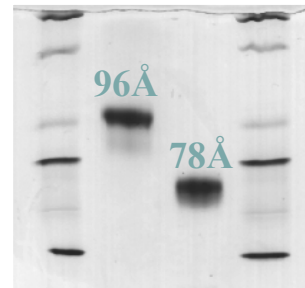
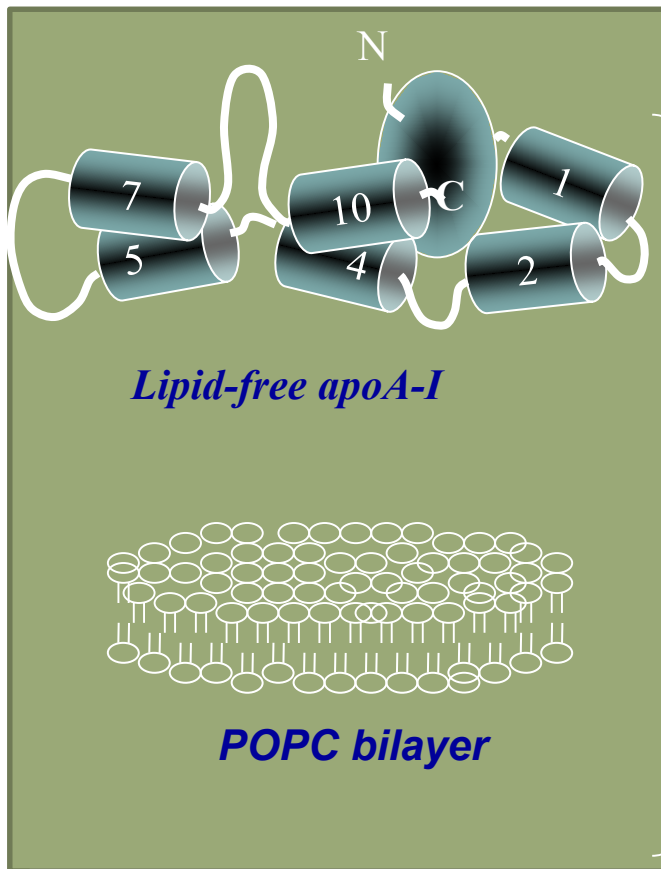


Water content increases slightly before hemolysis.

After hemolysis water content decreases.

# 1.2 Surface Blocking Effect

**Reconstituted HDL particles:** Human Apolipoprotein A-I was purified from blood plasma. Reconstituted discoidal particles containing POPC and 2 molecules of apo A-I per complex are prepared by the sodium cholate dialysis method. The homogeneity and hydrodynamic diameters of the rHDLs were estimated by native (8-25%) polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis on a Pharmacia System.

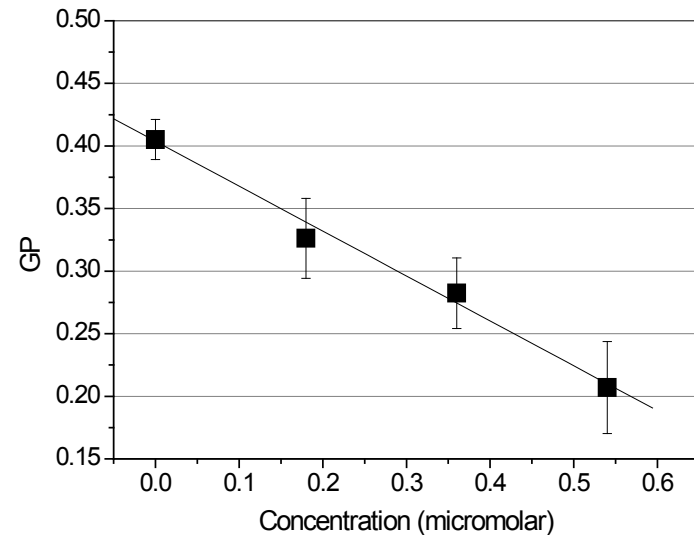
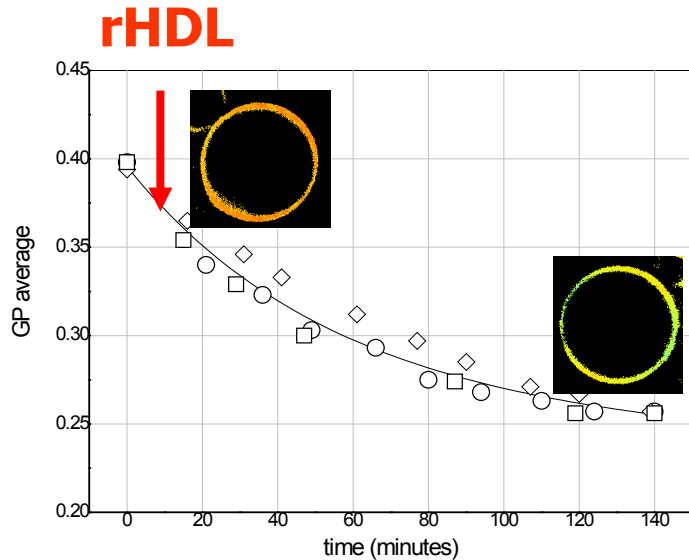




# Surface Blocking Effect

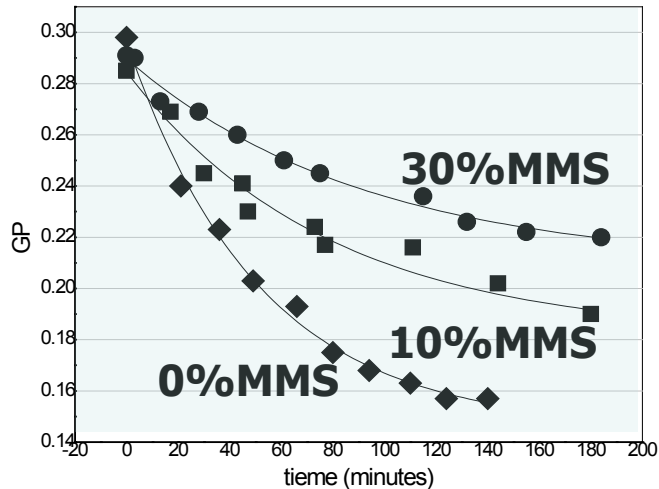
GP changes after addition of rHDL to a GUV made of POPC plus 32% cholesterol

GP changes after 2 hours incubation of GUVs made of POPC plus 32% cholesterol with different concentration of rHDL



# Surface Blocking Effect

Kinetics after addition of 10ug/ml rHD to GUVs.

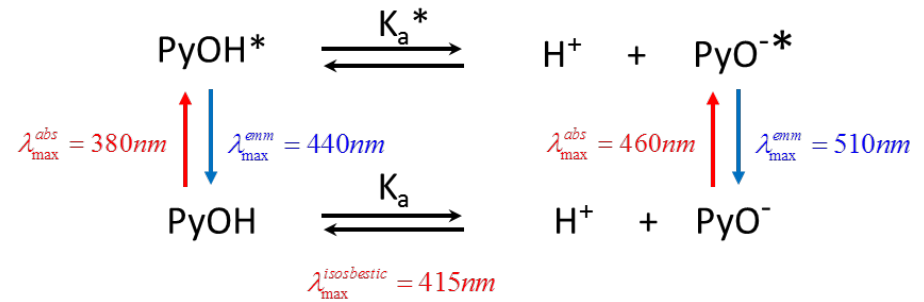
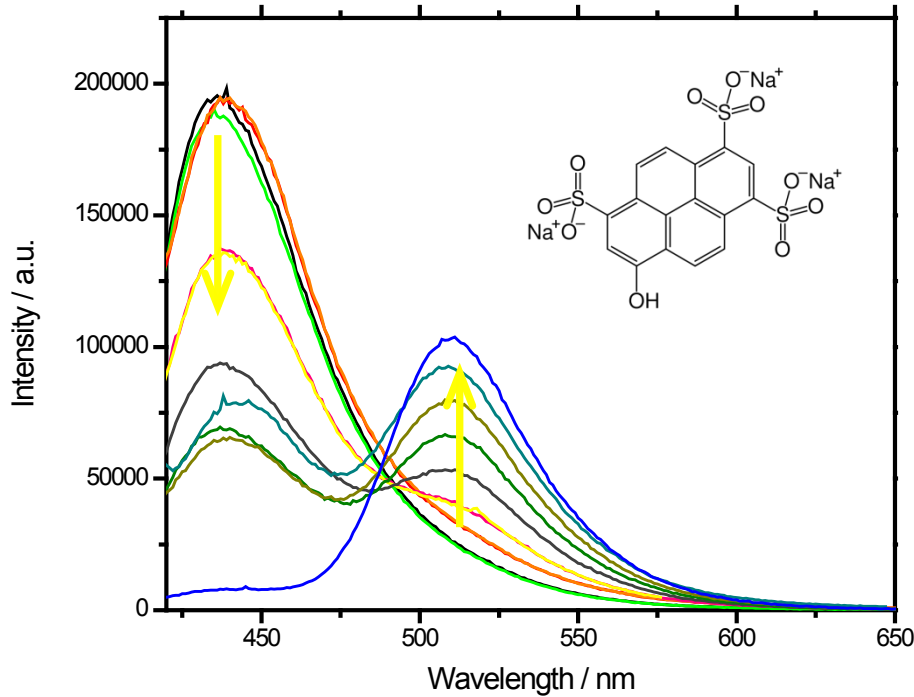


Although the GP value of the POPC-32% Chol does not change when adding MMS, the accessibility of cholesterol has been modified.

rHDL particles can detect the difference!.

# 1.3 Reversed Micelles

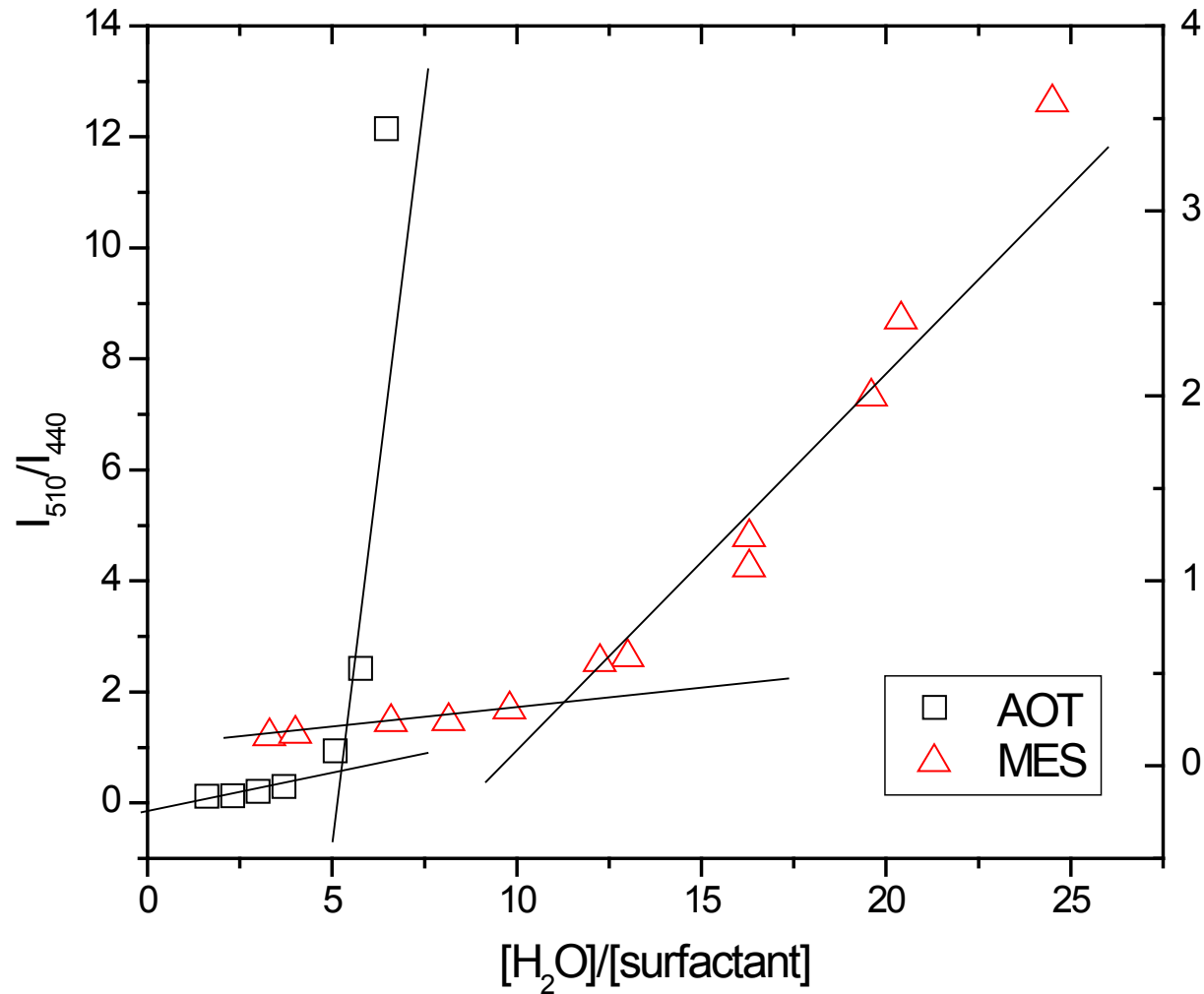
# Reversed Micelles



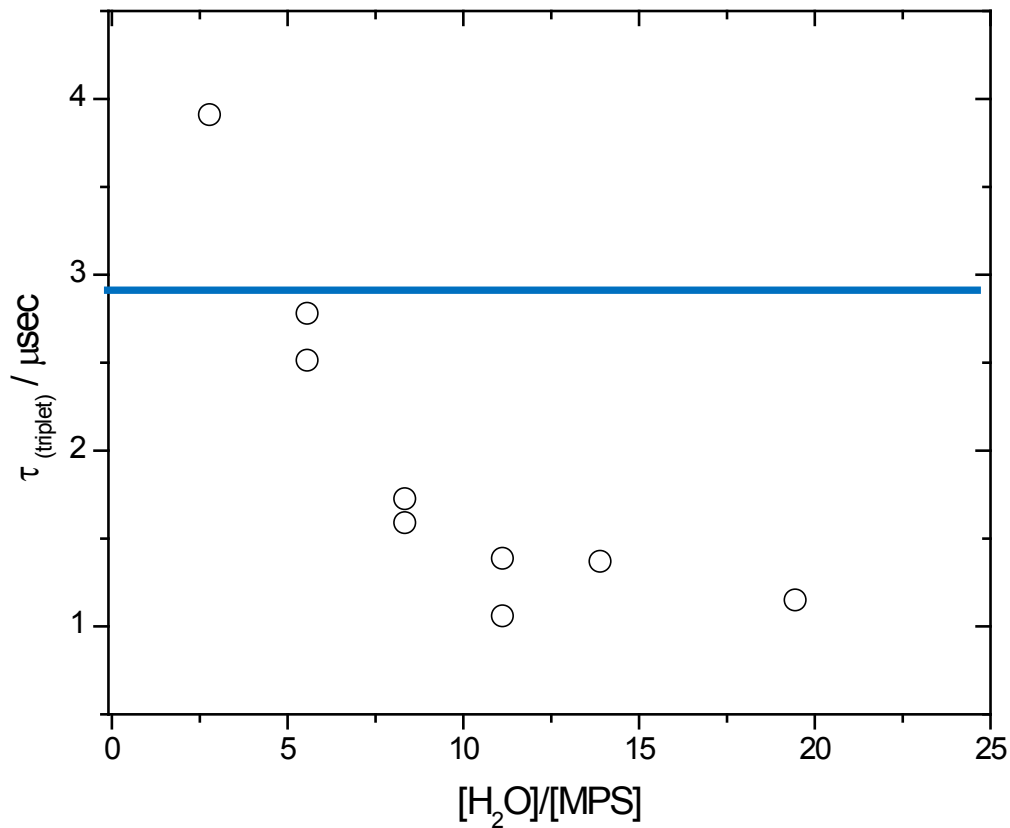
Emission spectra of pyranine located inside the aqueous pool of MPS reversed micelles in chloroform with increasing proportion of water.

Borsarelli, C. D.; Braslavsky, S. E. *Journal of Physical Chemistry B* **1997**, *101*, 6036

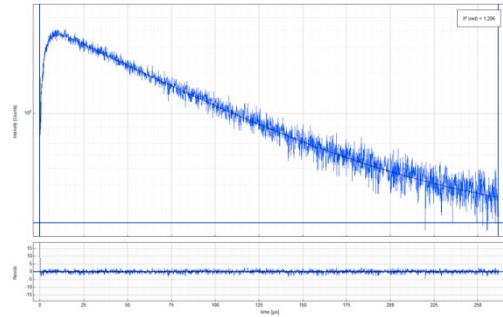
# Sucrose Ester Reversed Micelles



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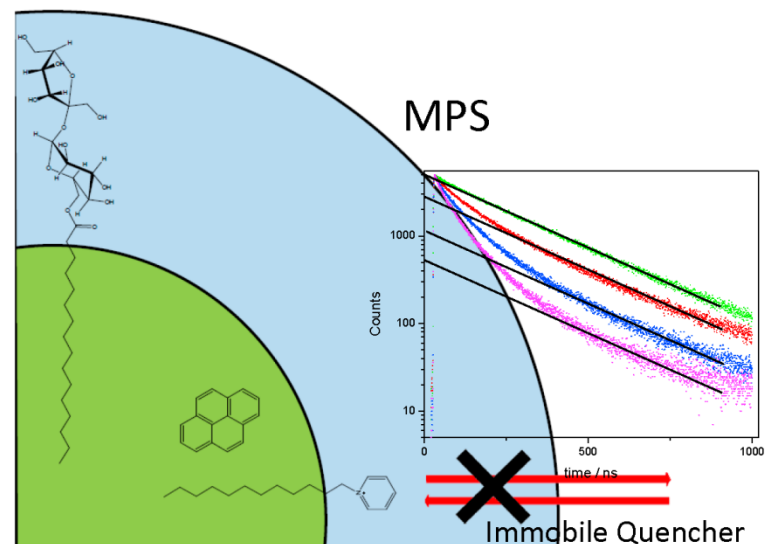
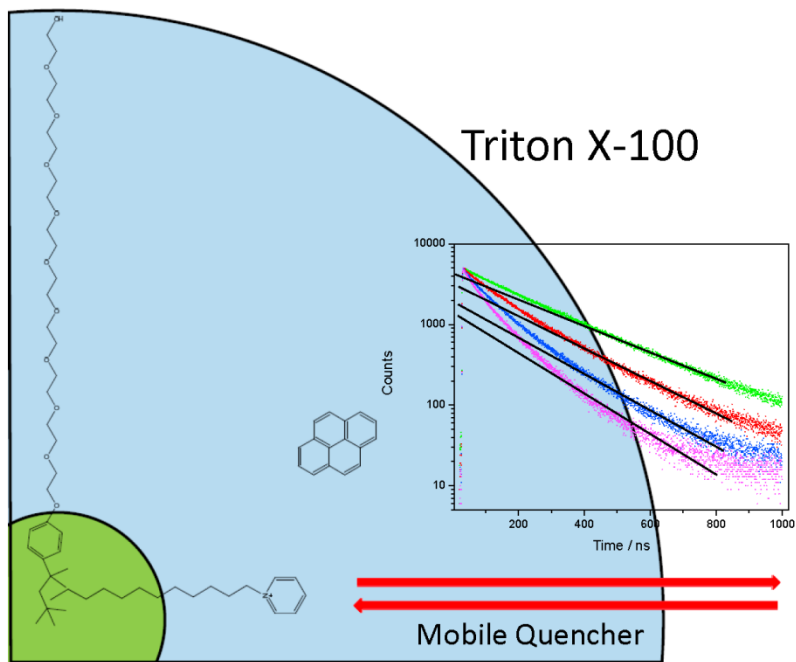
Singlet oxygen emission



$$I(t) = A \left( e^{-t/\tau_1} - e^{-t/\tau_2} \right)$$

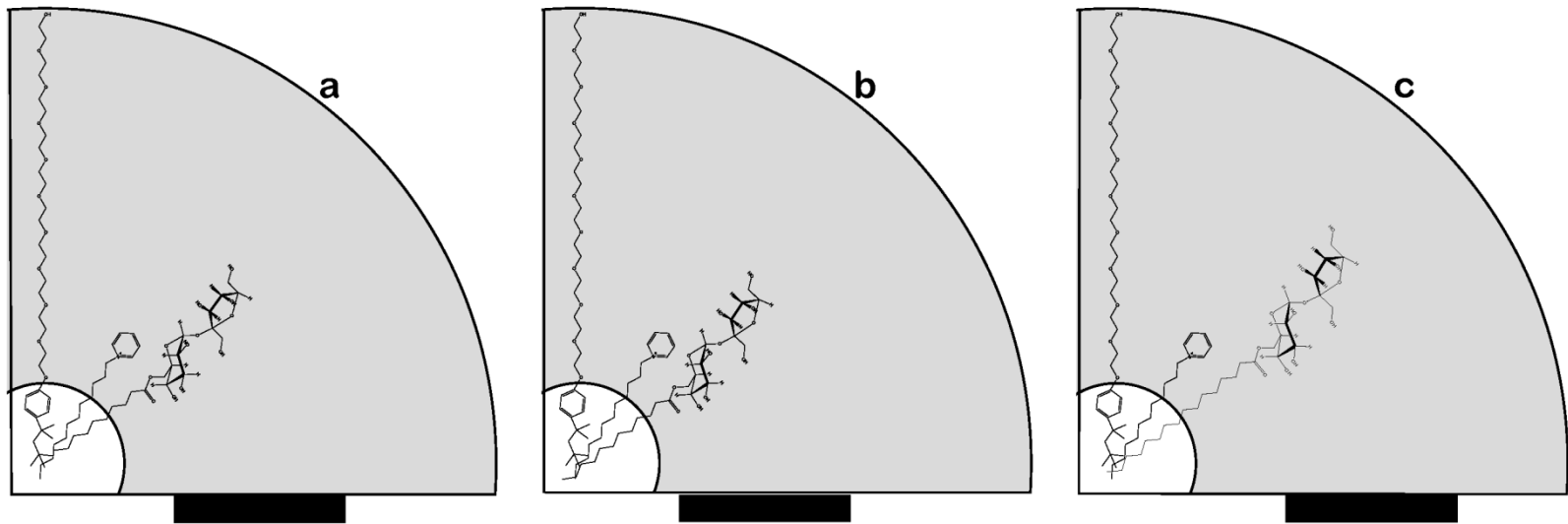
# 1.4 Mixed Micelles

# 1.4 Effect on the Palisade of Direct Mixed Micelles





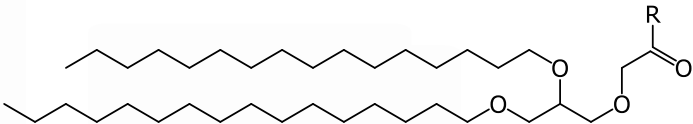
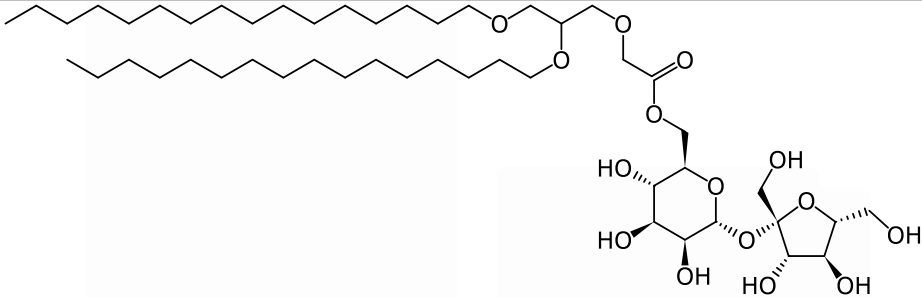
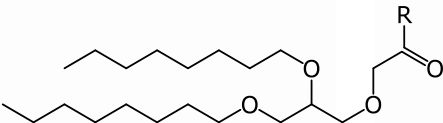
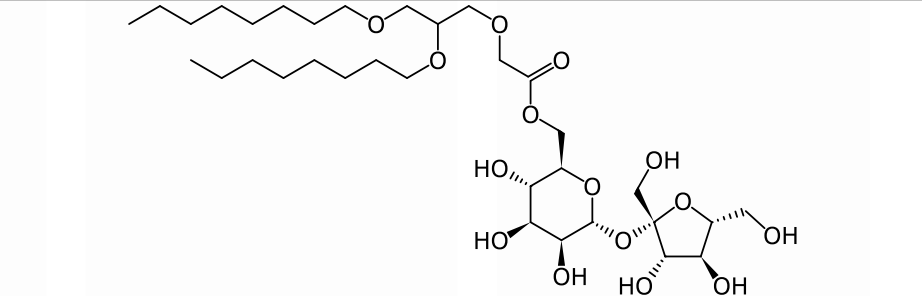
# Direct Mixed Micelles



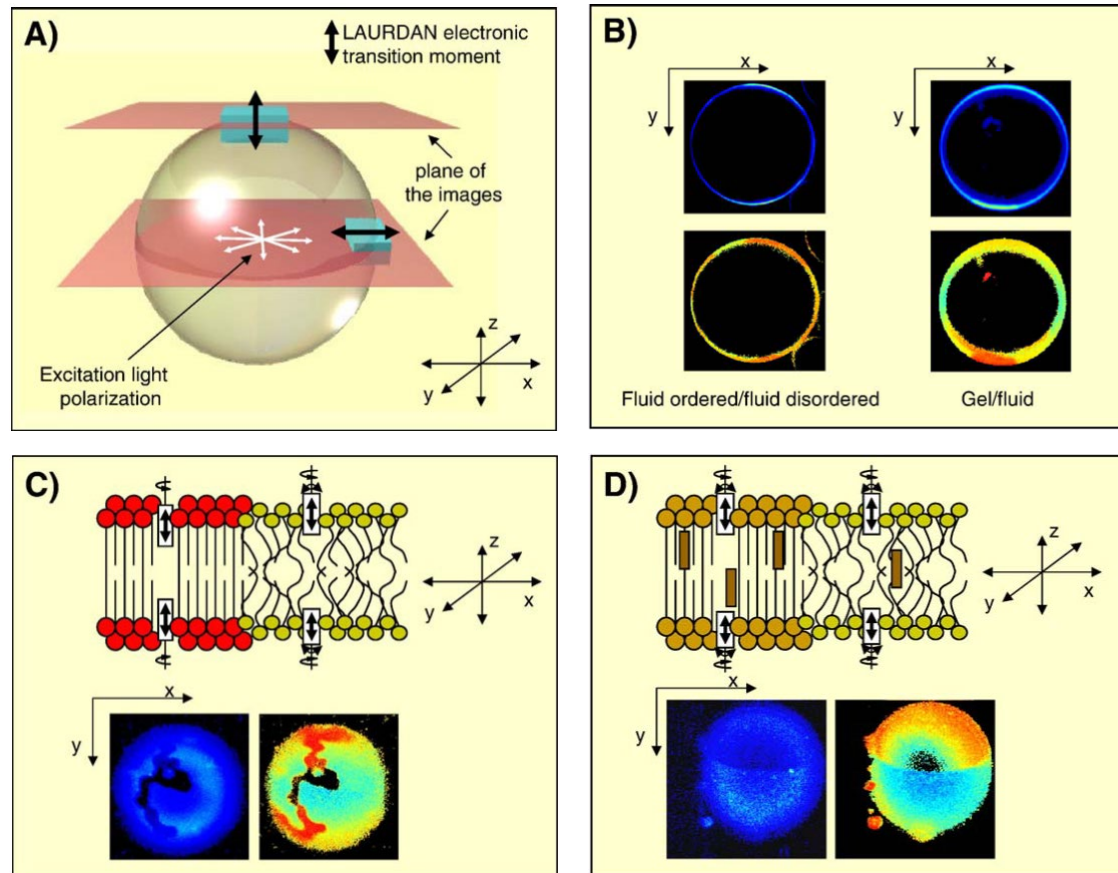
The disturbing effect on the micelle core, consequence of the difference in size of both hydrophobic tails (Triton X-100 and SE), plays an important role, and the blocking effect can be overcome when the hydrophobic tails of SEs are too short or too long compared with Triton alkyl chain.

## 2 Sucrose Esters (Dialcoxy)

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Substituent	name	Molecule
	<p><b>DPGXS</b></p>	
	<p><b>DOGXS</b></p>	

# Photoselection effect in Laurdan emission

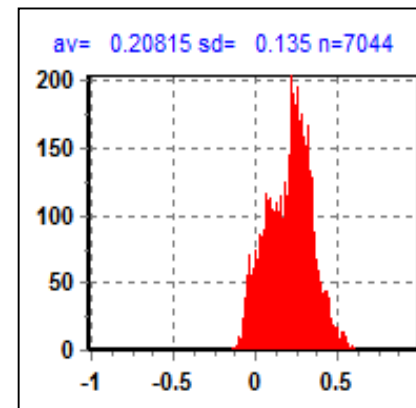
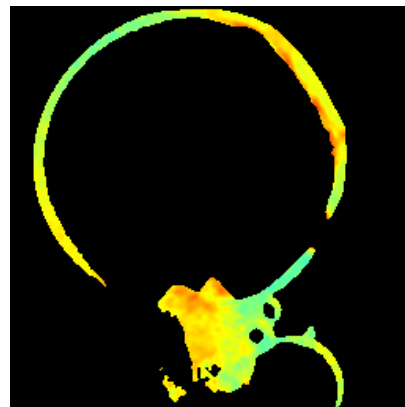
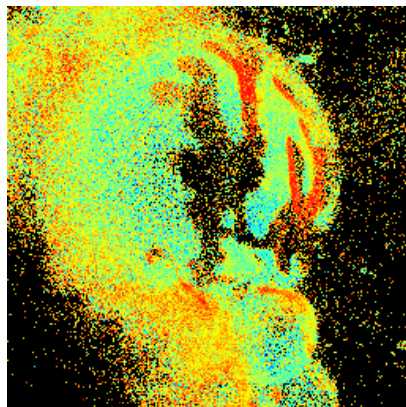
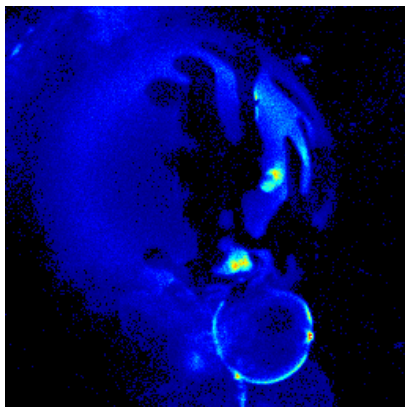


From: Bagatolli, L. A. (2006). "To see or not to see: Lateral organization of biological membranes and fluorescence microscopy." *Biochimica Et Biophysica Acta-Biomembranes* **1758**(10): 1541-1556.

# GUVs

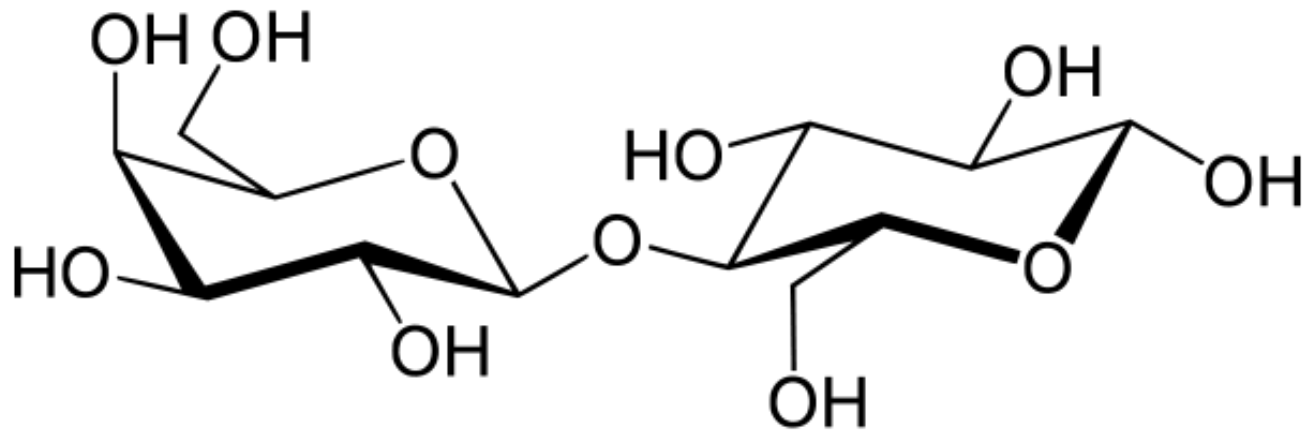
## POPC:DPGXS (30% POPC) GUVs

50°C

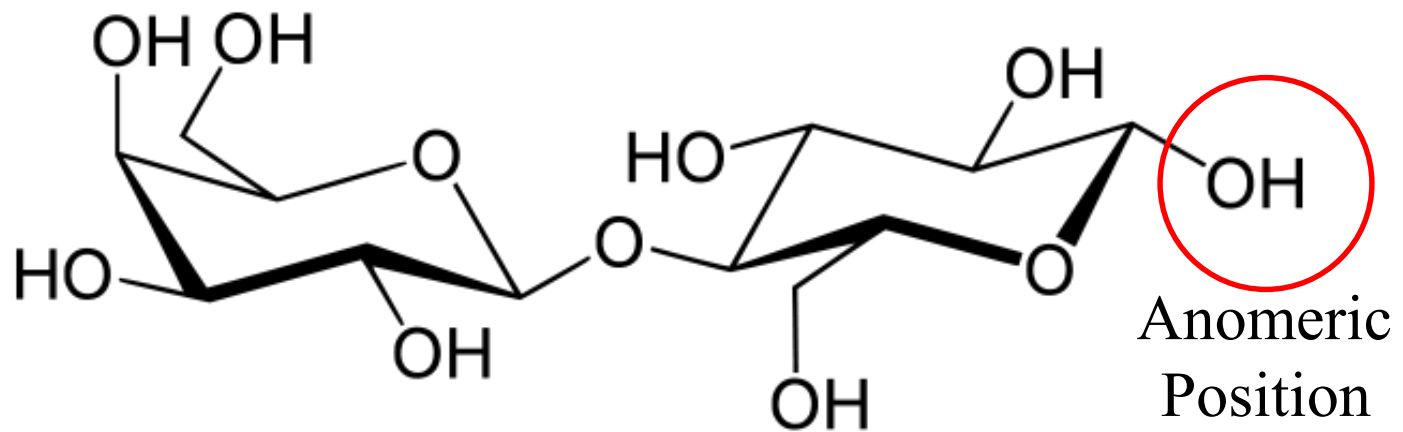


# 3 Lactose Derivatives

# Lactose

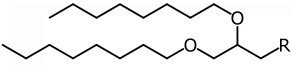
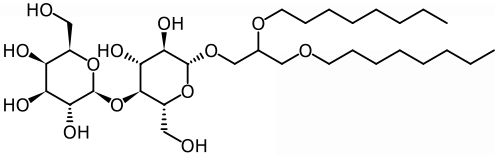
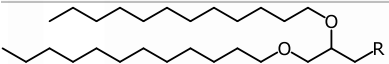
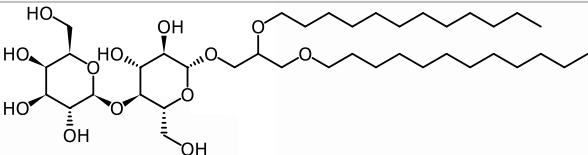

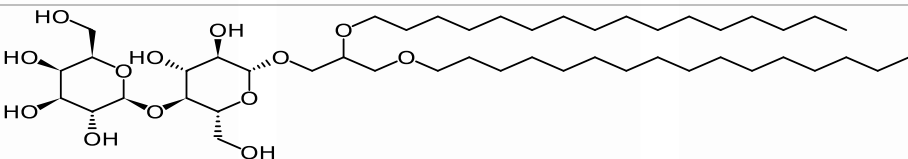


# Lactose Reaction





# Lactose Derivatives

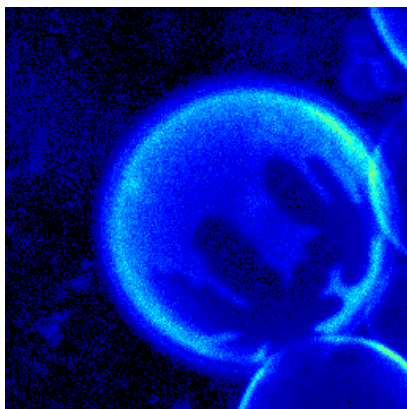
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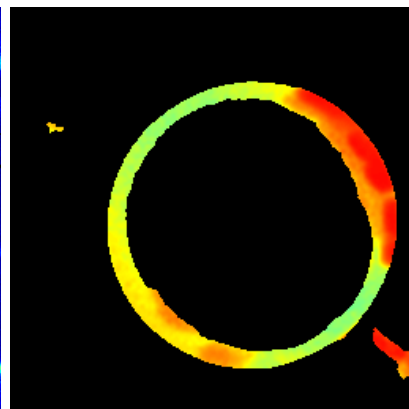
30°C

POPC:DPL (36% POPC) GUVs

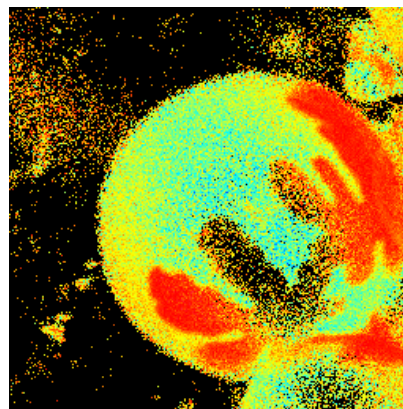
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Intensity



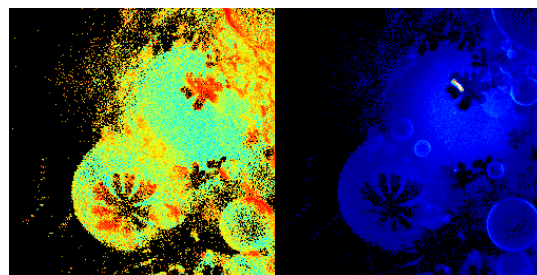
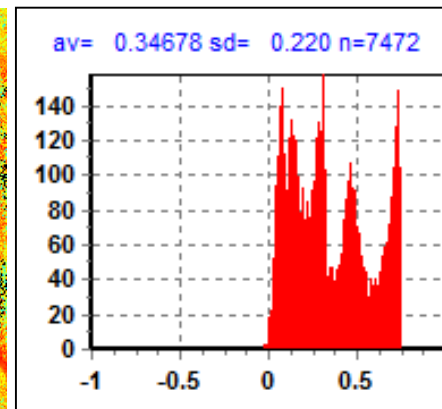
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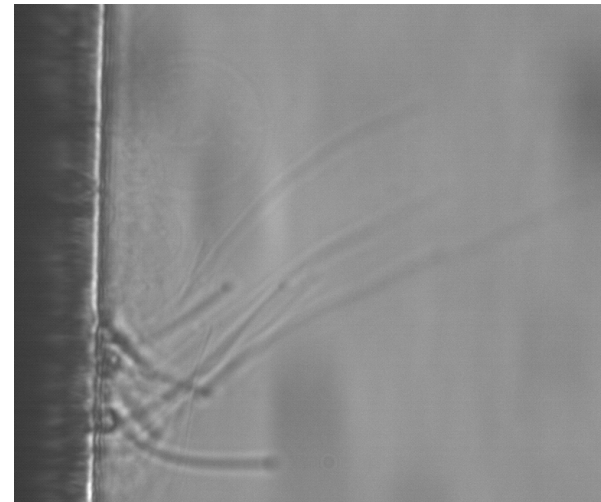
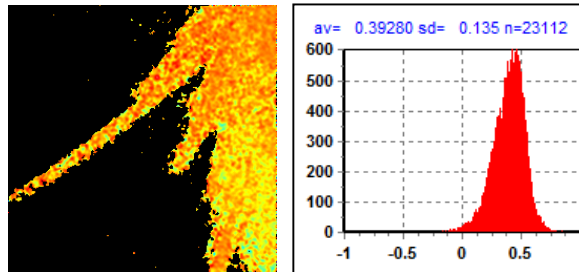
GP Histogram



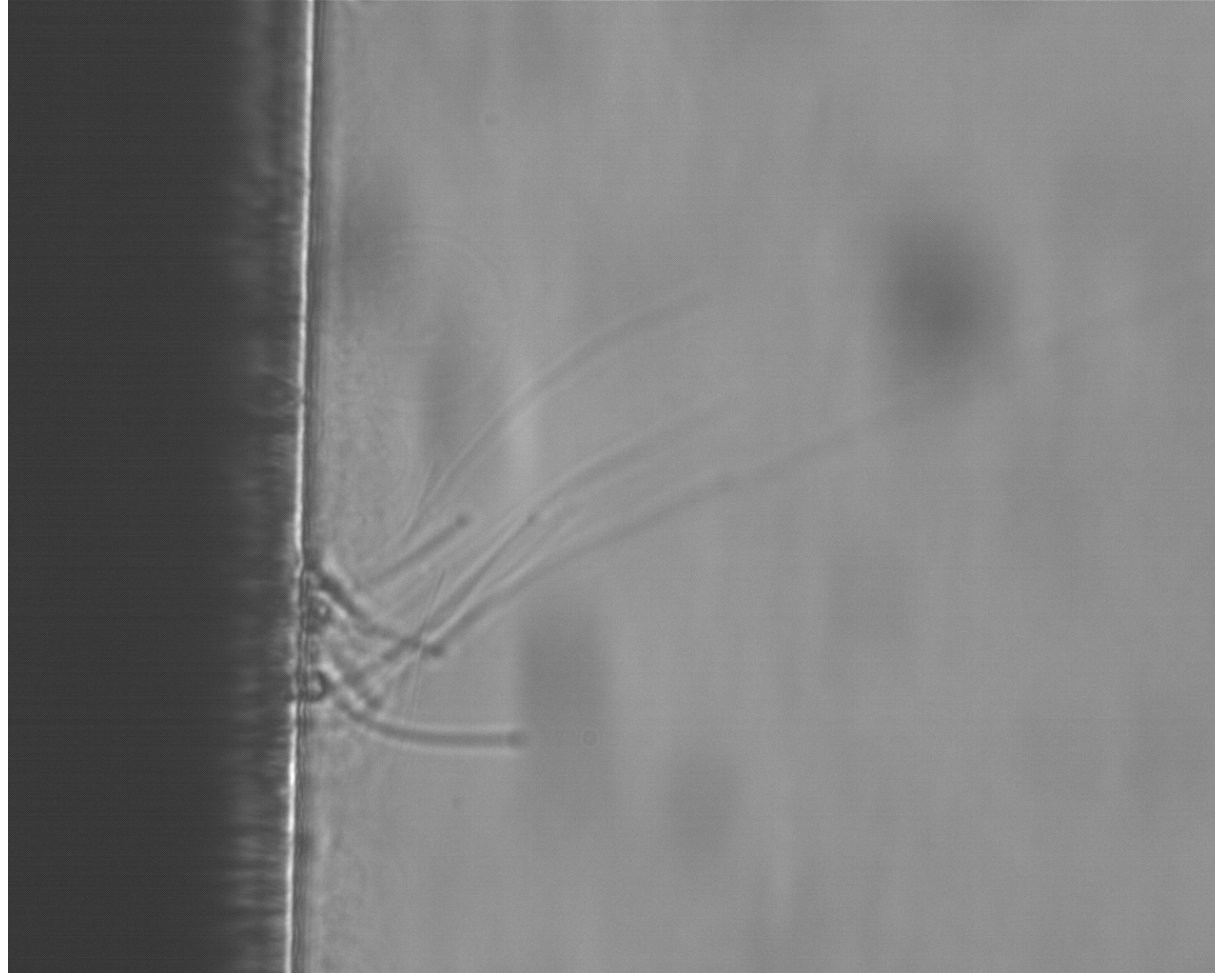
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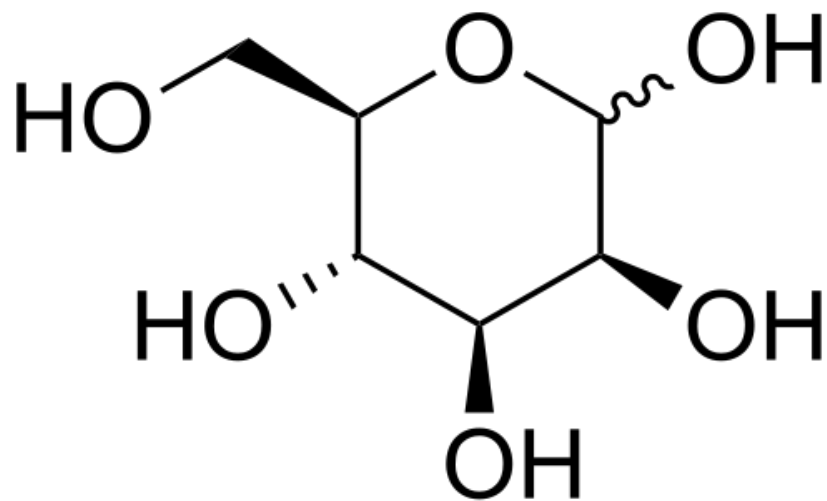


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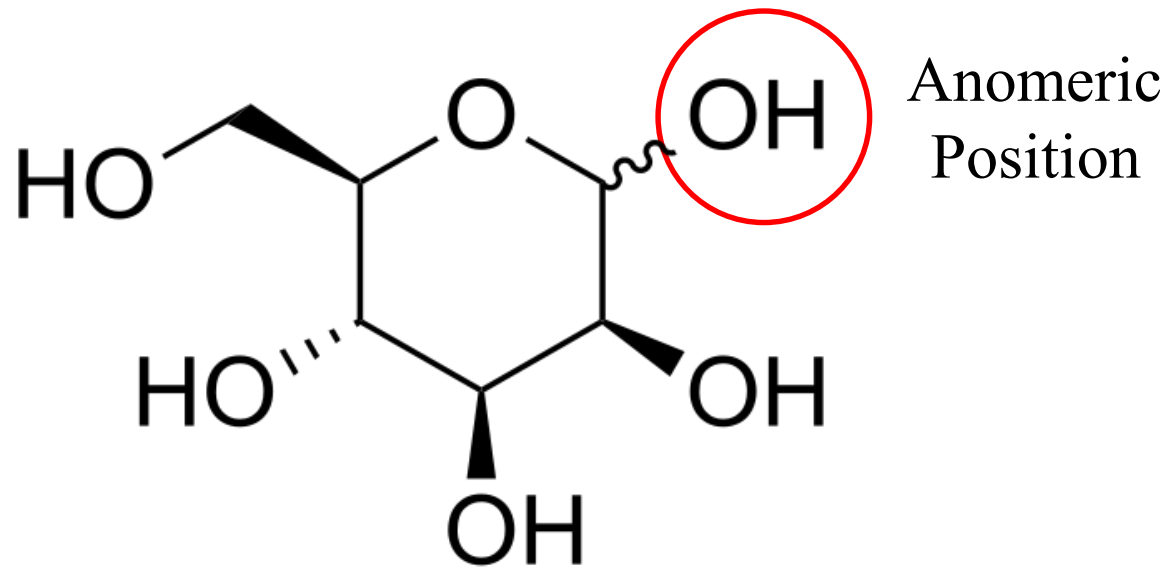


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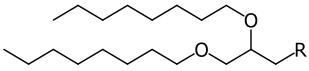
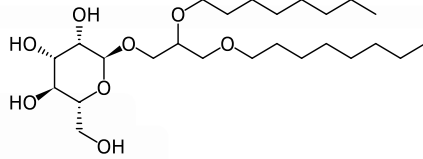
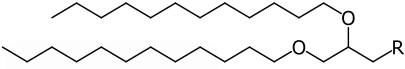
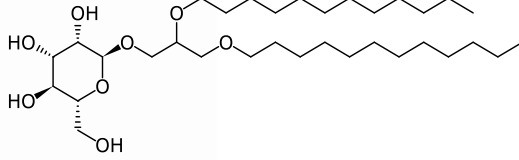
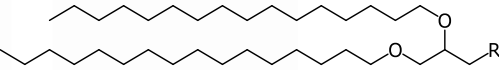
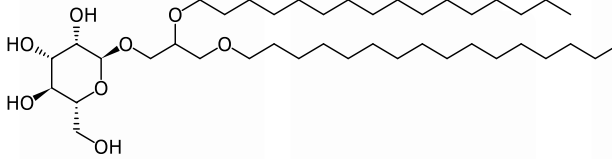
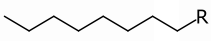
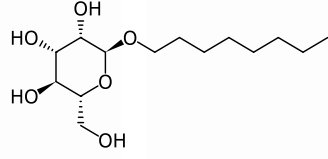
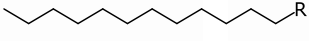
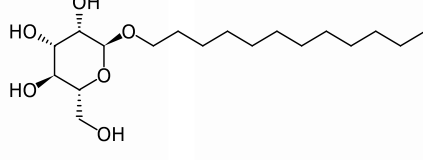
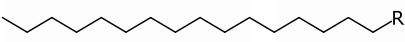
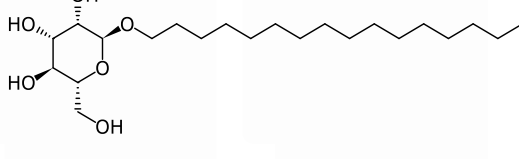
# Mannose



# Mannose Reaction

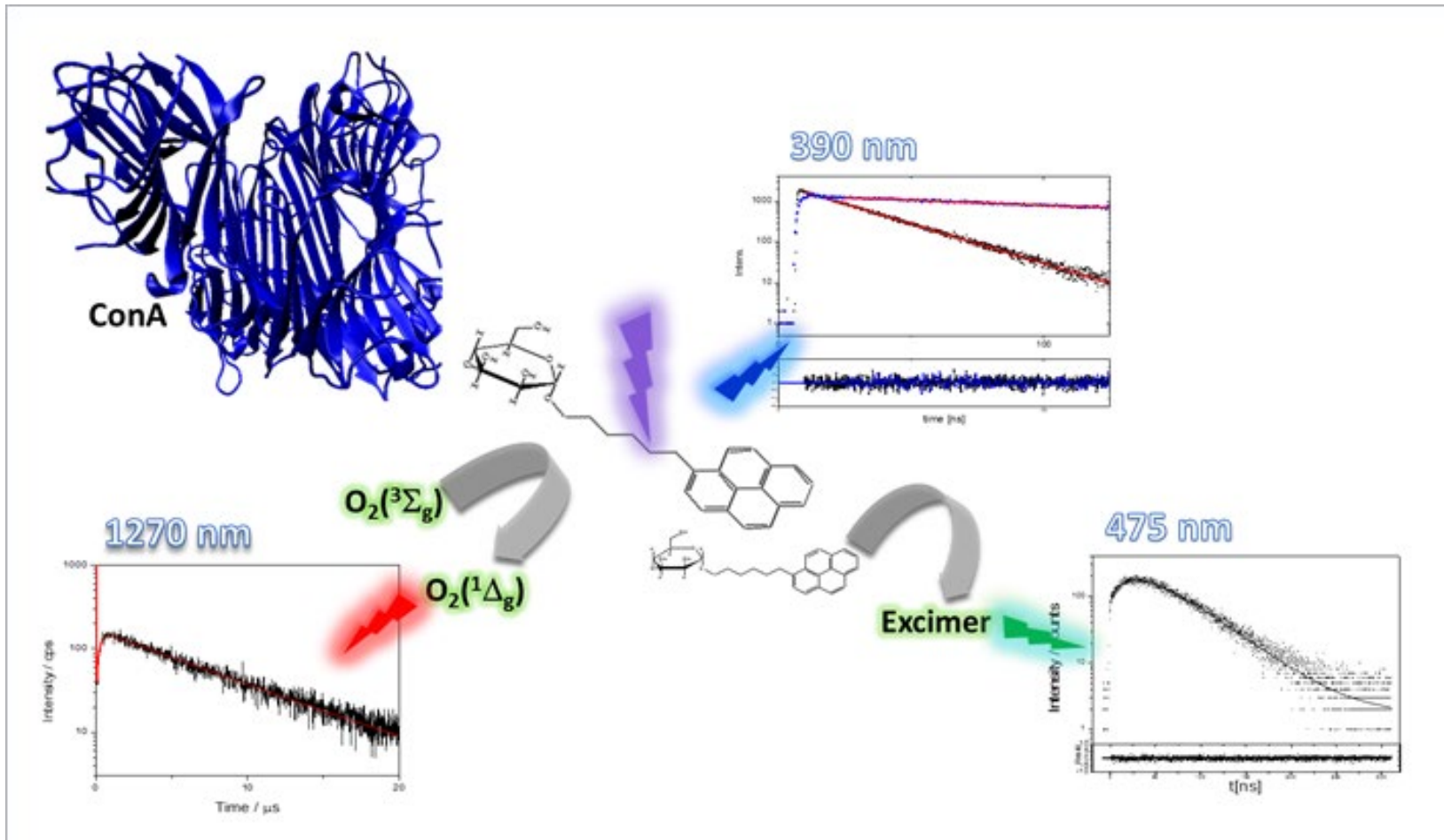


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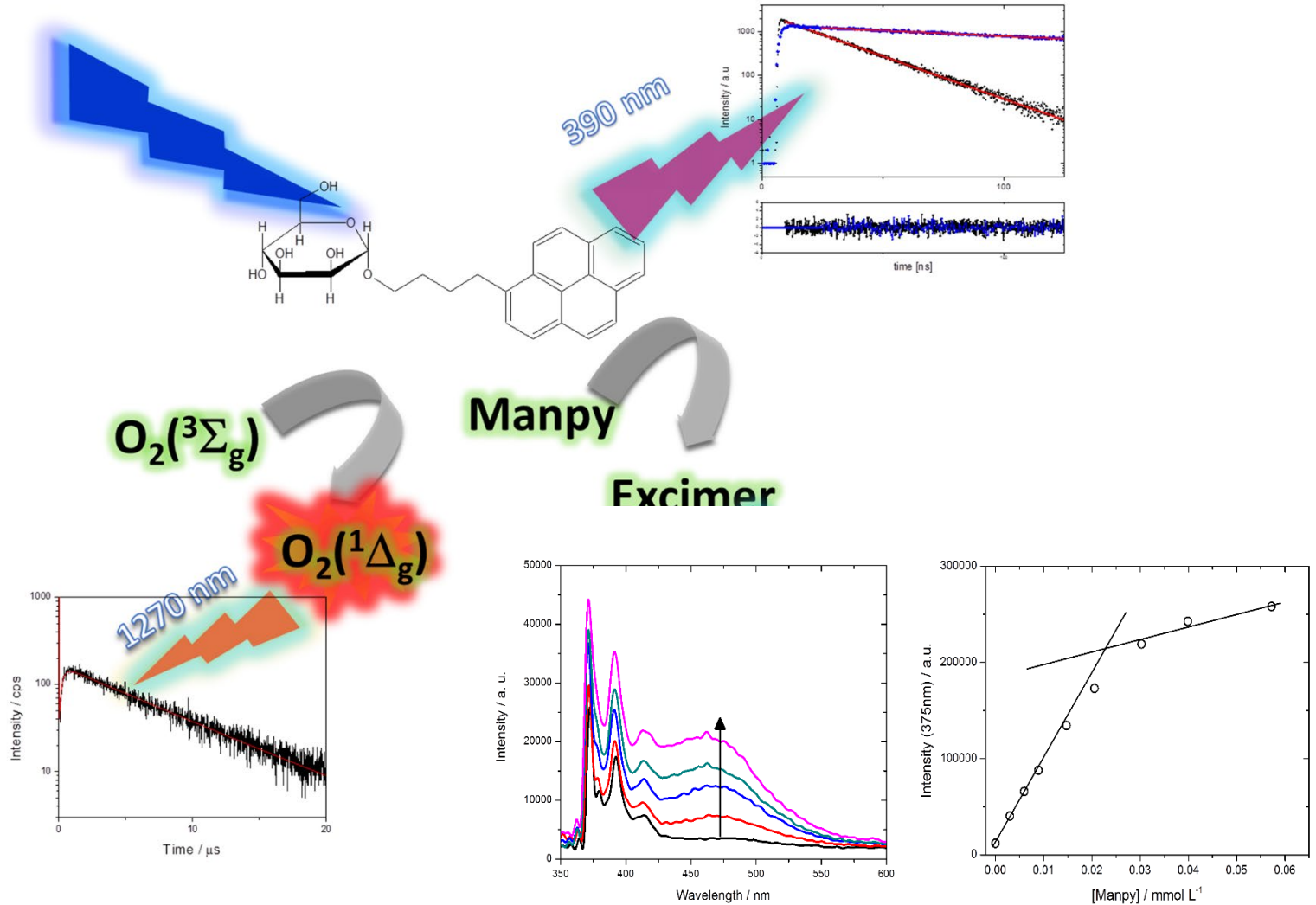
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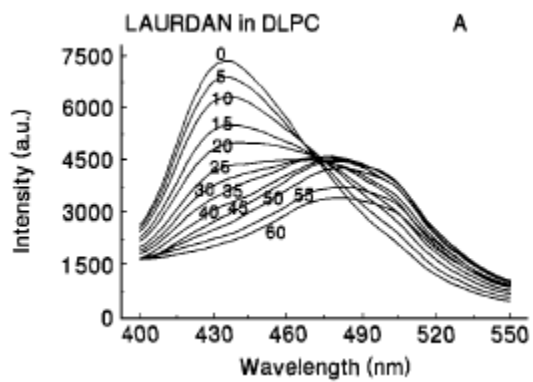
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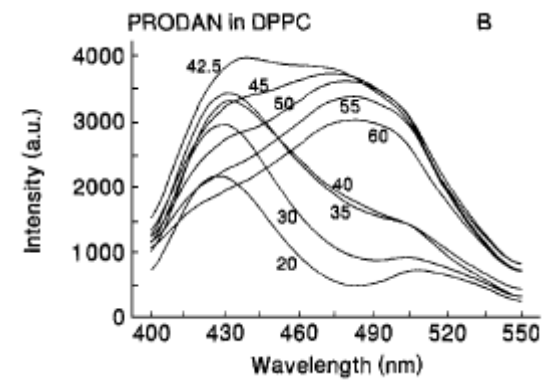
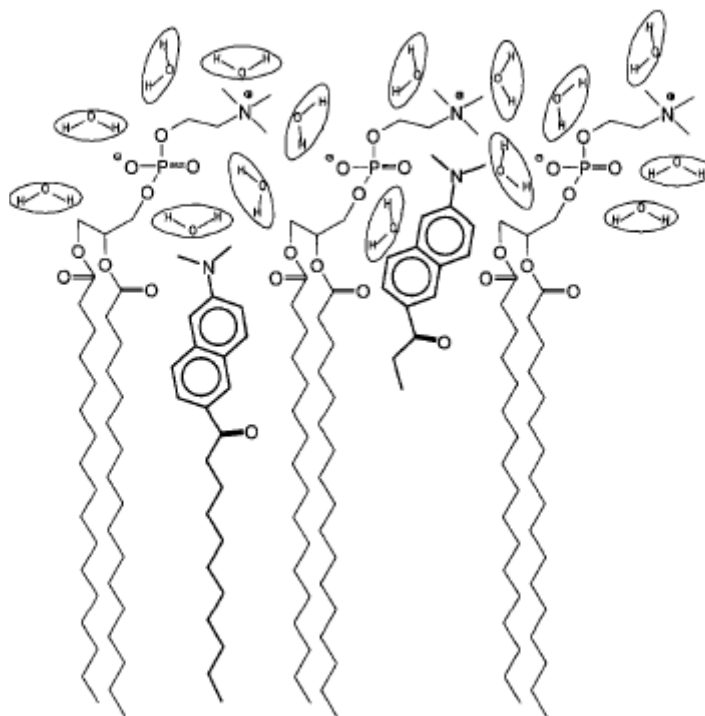
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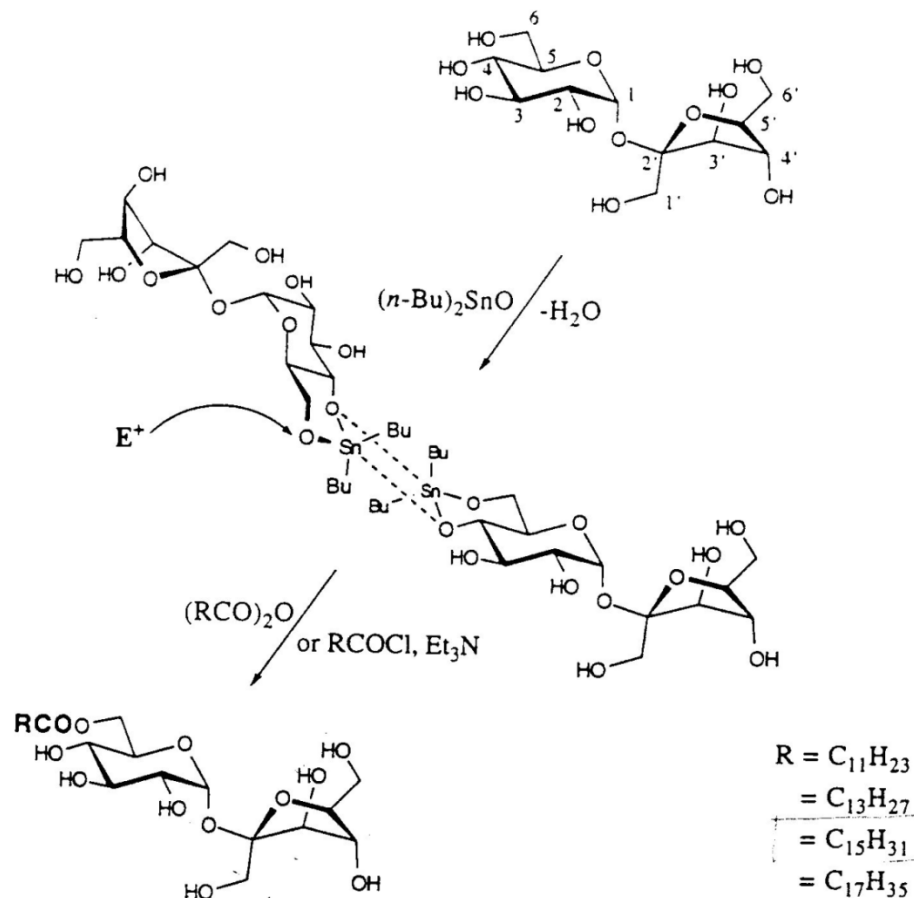


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# Regiostereoselective synthesis of sucrose monoesters

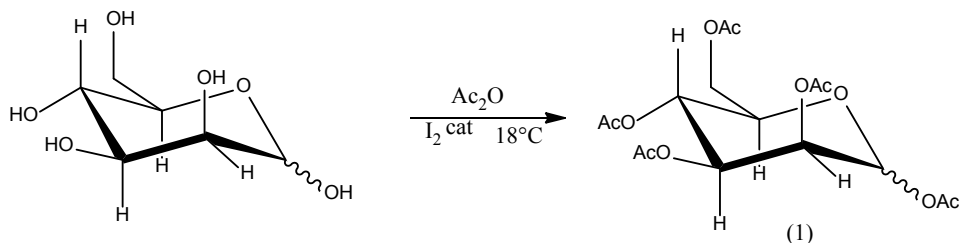


Scheme

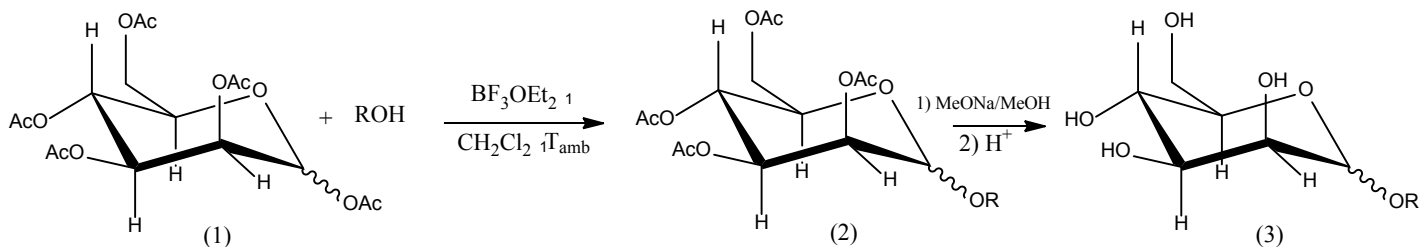
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# Synthesis of Lactose and mannose derivatives

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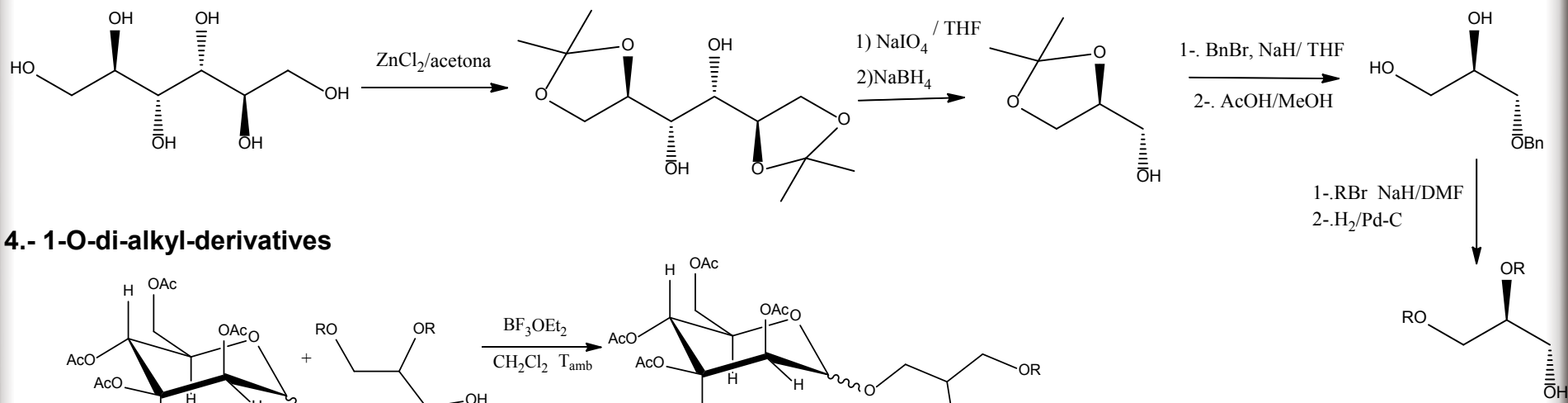


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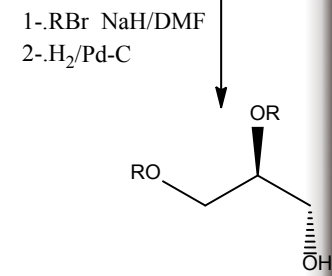
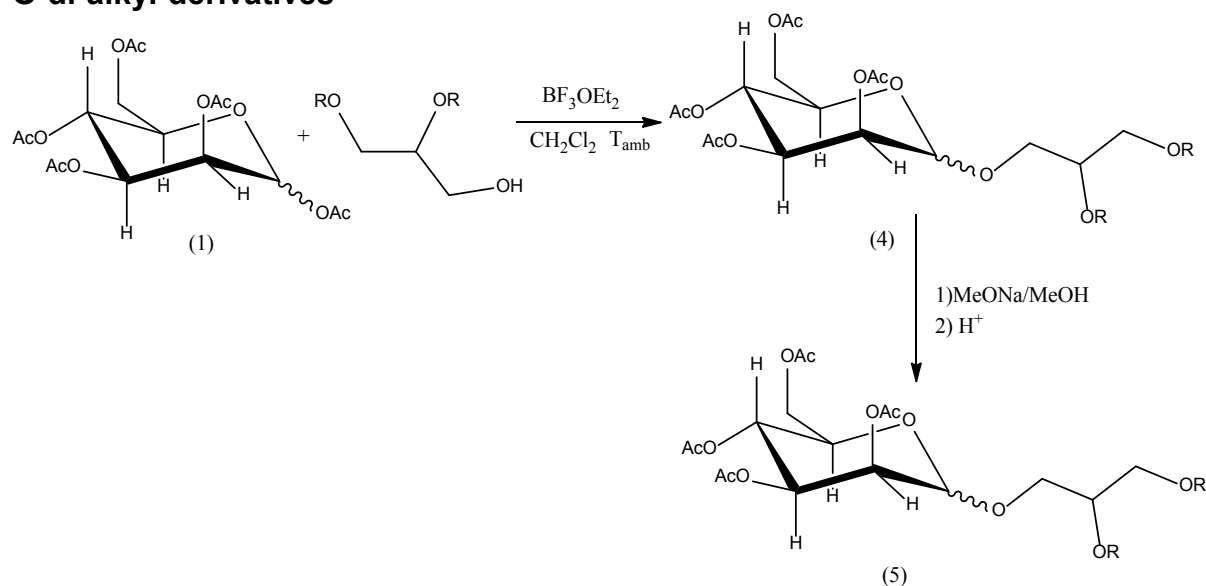


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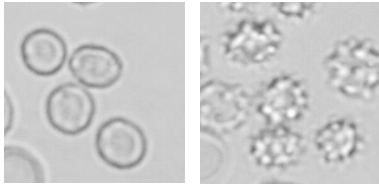
## 3.- Glycerol derivatives



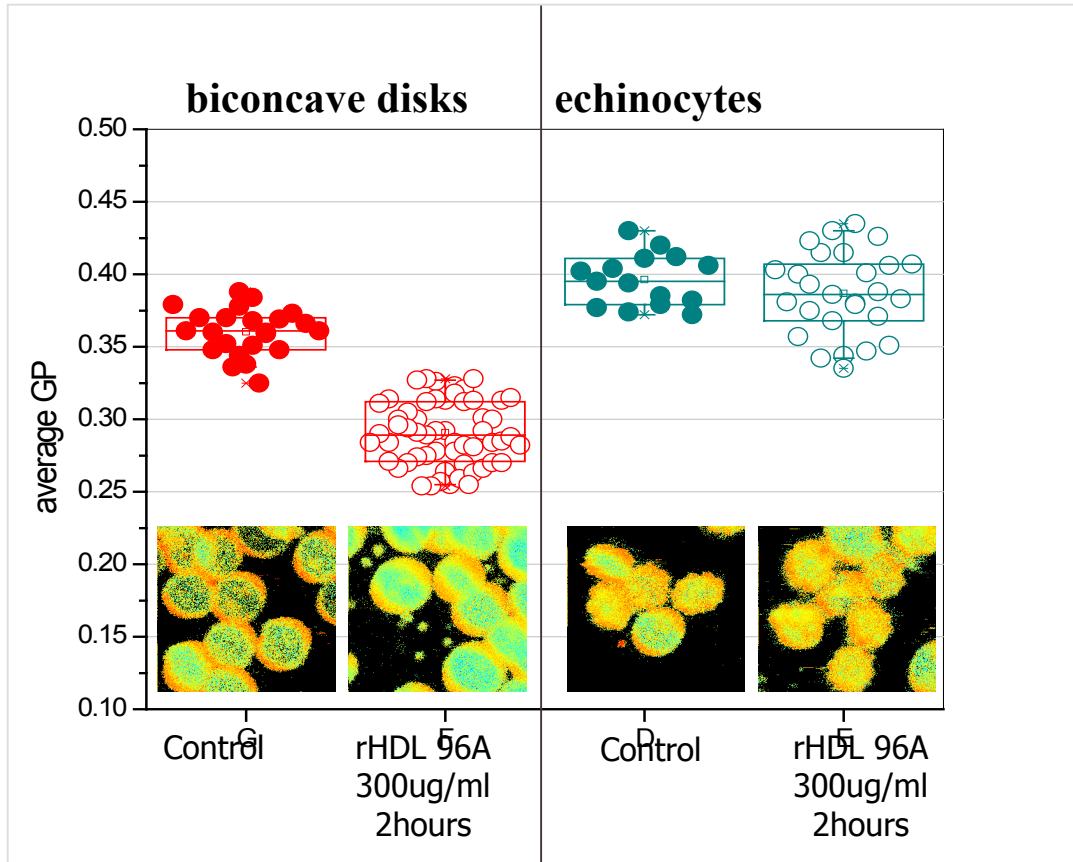
## 4.- 1-O-di-alkyl-derivatives



# RED BLOOD CELLS



In a blood sample erythrocytes can be found as biconcave discs or as echinocytes.

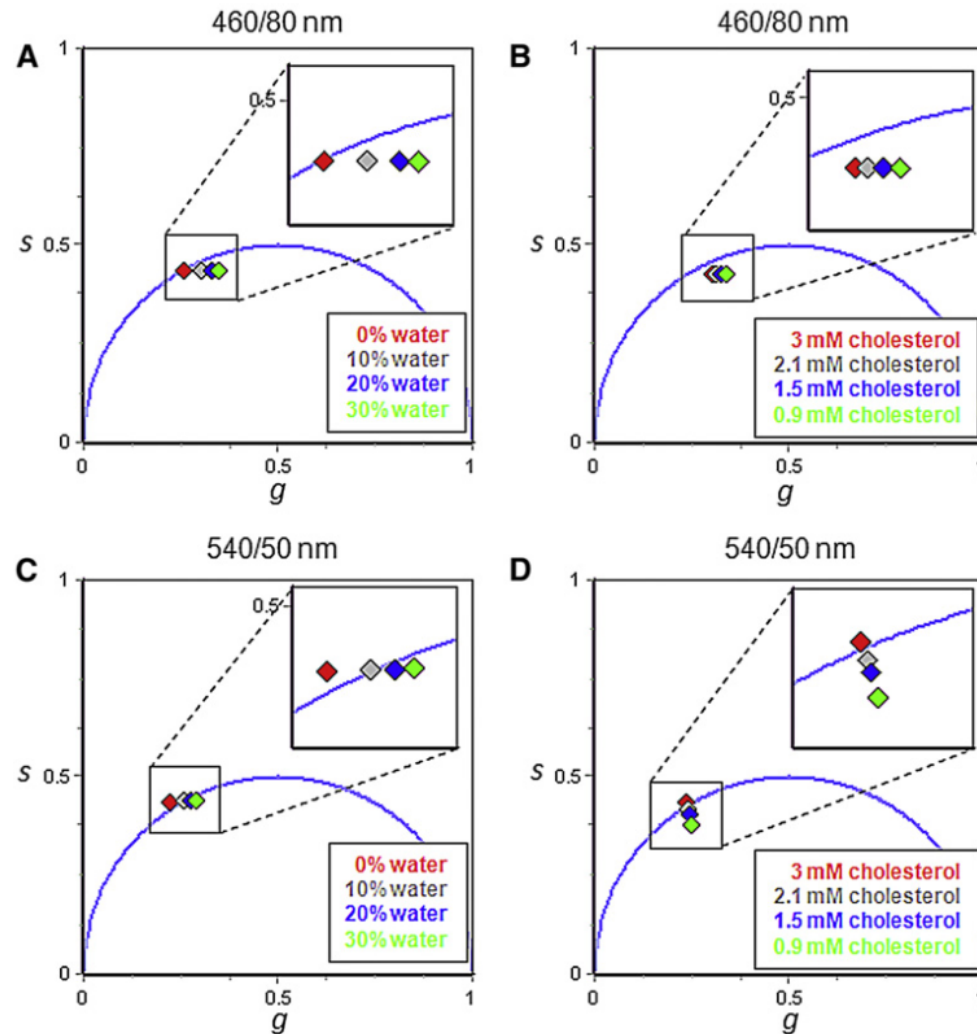


The average GP value for echinocytes is slightly higher than the value of the biconcave discs.

HDL removes cholesterol more efficiently from the erythrocytes with concave-disc shape.



# Water and Cholesterol effect on Phasors\*



\* Golfetto O., Hinde E., Gratton E. (2013) Laurdan fluorescence lifetime discriminates cholesterol content from changes in fluidity in living cell membranes. *Biophys J* 104: 1238-1247.