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alla ricerca

ottimo risultato



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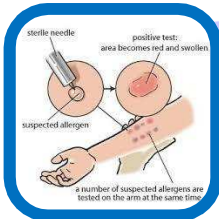
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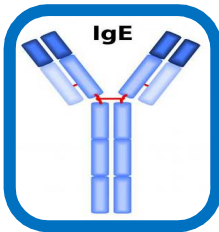
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SE AVESSIMO UN PAZIENTE IDEALE...



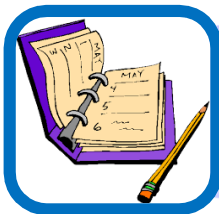
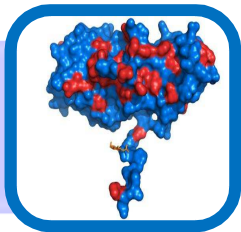
Monosensibile

Con chiara manifestazione di sintomi dopo esposizione all'allergene causale



Con conferma di SPT positivo e livelli di IgE specifiche

Con IgE per allergeni maggiori



Compiante e preciso nella compilazione di un diario

In linea con criteri inclusione/esclusione AIT



...sarebbe facile prescrivere AIT?

QUALE AIT?

**Efficace e
sicura per il
paziente**



**Via di
somministrazione
ideale per il
paziente**



**Sostenibile
e accessibile**



**Elevata qualità
dell'estratto**



QUALITY IS THE TRUE ESSENCE



PER LA PRODUZIONE BIOLOGICA IL PRODOTTO È IL PROCESSO

- COME FARMACI BIOLOGICI, LA PRODUZIONE DEGLI ALLERGENI È INTRINSECAMENTE IMPEGNATIVA E COMPLESSA RISPETTO AI FARMACI CHIMICI TRADIZIONALI¹

- I MEDICINALI BIOLOGICI SONO CARATTERIZZATI DA UNA VARIABILITÀ INTRINSECA¹

FARMACI CHIMICI¹

- Prodotti per sintesi chimica = strutture chimiche ben definite
- In larga parte indipendenti dai processi
- Solitamente possono essere analizzati per determinare i loro vari componenti
- Legame diretto tra il peso e l'attività
- 1 prodotto = 1 farmaco = 1 struttura chimica

FARMACI BIOLOGICI¹

- Prodotti in un sistema vivente
- Solitamente molecole molto grandi e complesse o mix eterogenei di molecole
- Fortemente dipendenti dal processo. Anche cambiamenti minimi nel processo produttivo possono comportare cambiamenti significativi nell'efficacia o nell'immunogenicità
- Difficili da caratterizzare e da controllare dalla materia prima al principio attivo finale

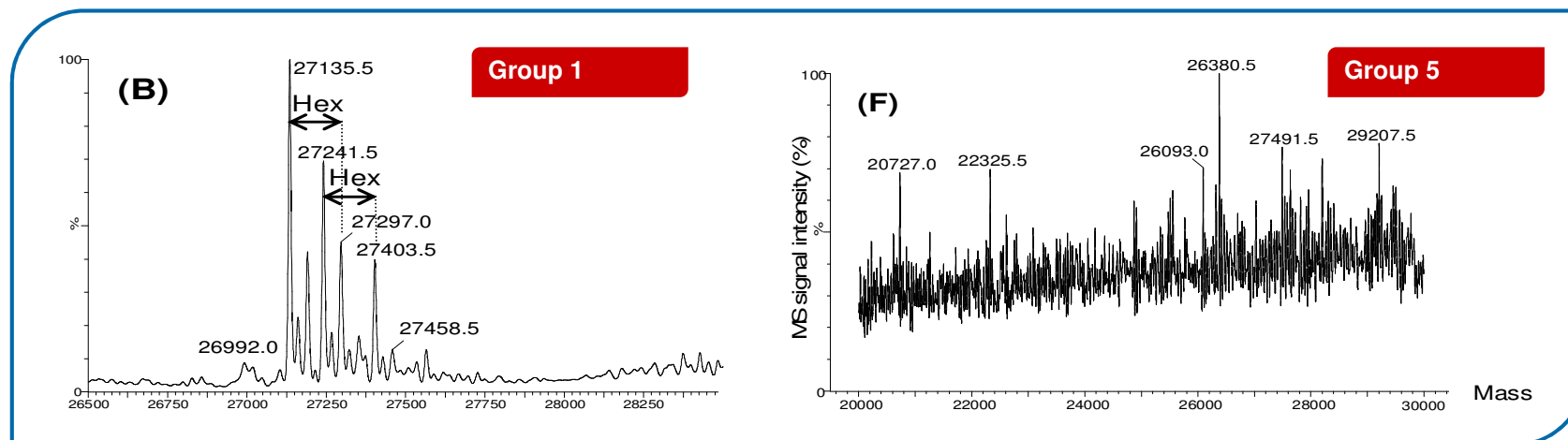


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THE INTRINSIC VARIABILITY OF ALLERGENS



MASS SPECTROMETRY-BASED ANALYSES OF GRASS POLLEN ALLERGENS



- **Numbers of main isoforms:**

- Group 1 (grass) 5-10
- Group 5 (grass) 30-50
- Bet v 1: 27
- Der p 1: 24
- Der p 2: 15
- Der f 1: 10
- Der f 2: 17

As components of living organisms, allergens consist in heterogeneous mixtures of molecules (in contrast to chemical drugs)

PRODUCTS FOR ALLERGY IMMUNOTHERAPY: A COMPLEX DEVELOPMENT



PRODUCT DESIGN

Documented scientific rationale

MANUFACTURING PROCESS DEV.

Raw
materials

Drug
substance

Drug
product

- Allergen extraction, purification, formulation, yield cost, robustness, scaling up

PRODUCT CHARACTERIZATION

Raw
materials

Drug
substance

Drug
product

- Development and implementation of analytical methods for identity, purity, consistency, stability

CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT

Preclinical

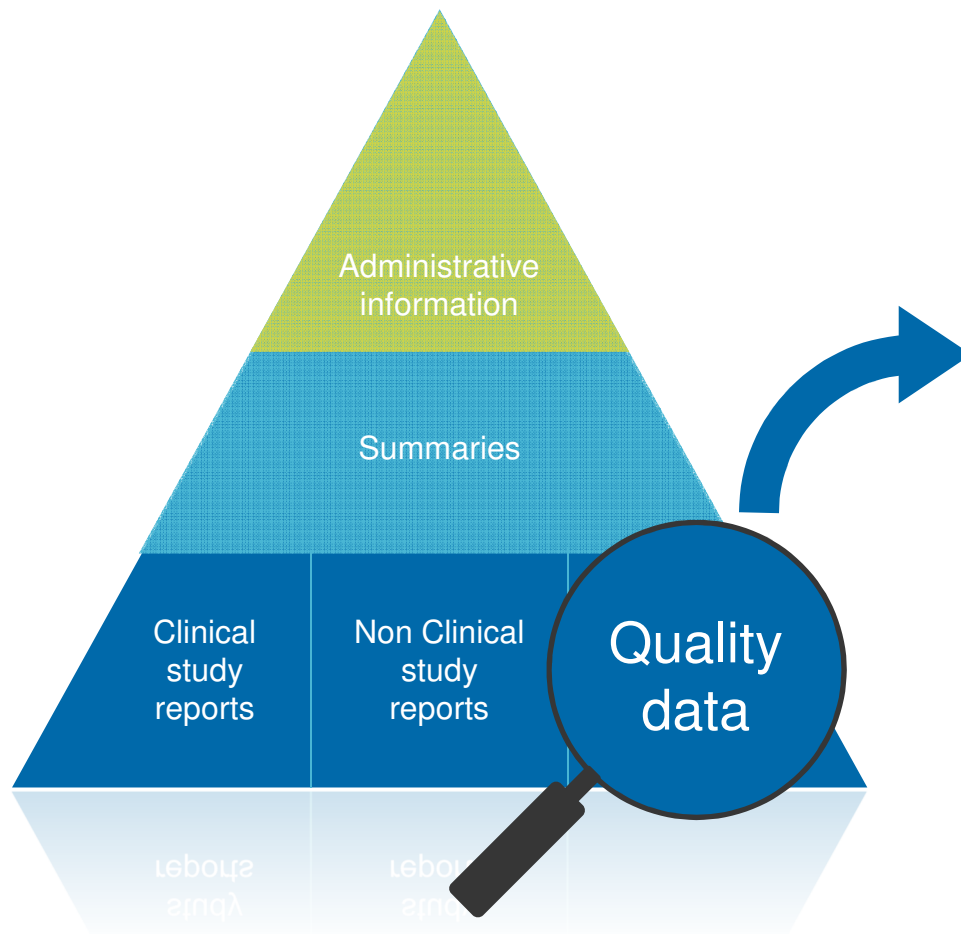
Phase I

Phase II

Phase III

- Safety, dosing, efficacy

COMMON TECHNICAL DOCUMENT



- **Manufacturing process**
(development, validation, critical steps)
- **Control and characterization**
(specifications, analytical methods, batch analysis, impurities)
- **Reference standards**
- **Container closure system**
- **Stability studies**

WELL CONTROLLED SOURCE MATERIALS



Pollen harvesting machine

- Harvesting and processing of pollens from cultured grasses



Synthetic culture medium of mites

- Development of a synthetic cultured medium free from proteins of animal origin (Stalmite™)

Batard *et al.* Allergy, 2016;71:220

TERRENO DI COLTURA DI GRADO FARMACEUTICO



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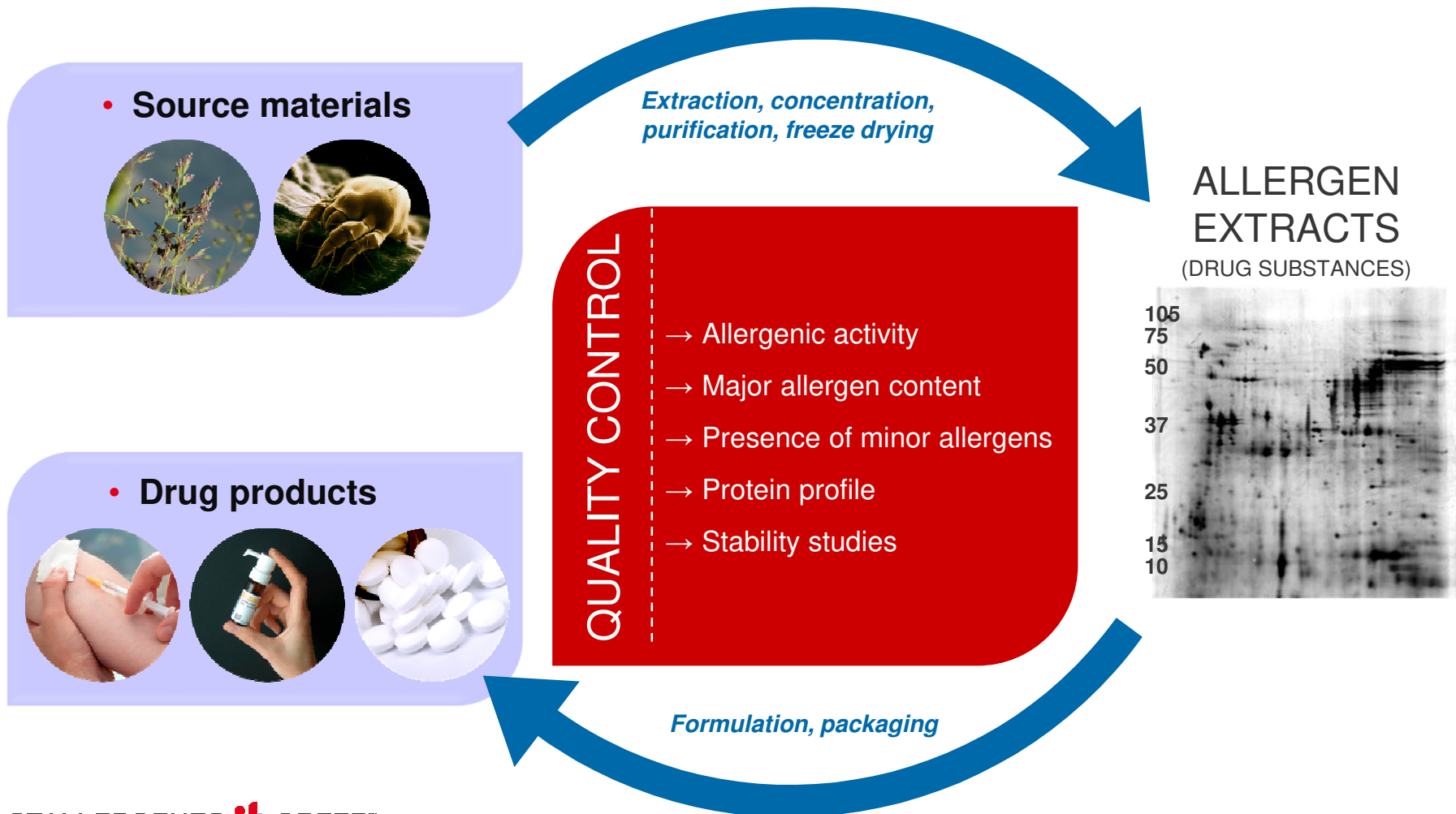
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To ensure extract consistency, source materials are obtained from cultures of each of the two mite species in a well-controlled medium combining wheat germ, yeast and synthetic amino acids (the latter in proportions which recapitulate the composition of the human stratum corneum) [6]. Those culture conditions have been rigorously established for each of the mite species to support optimal growth as well as high allergenic activity and major allergen content [6]. Our source materials are

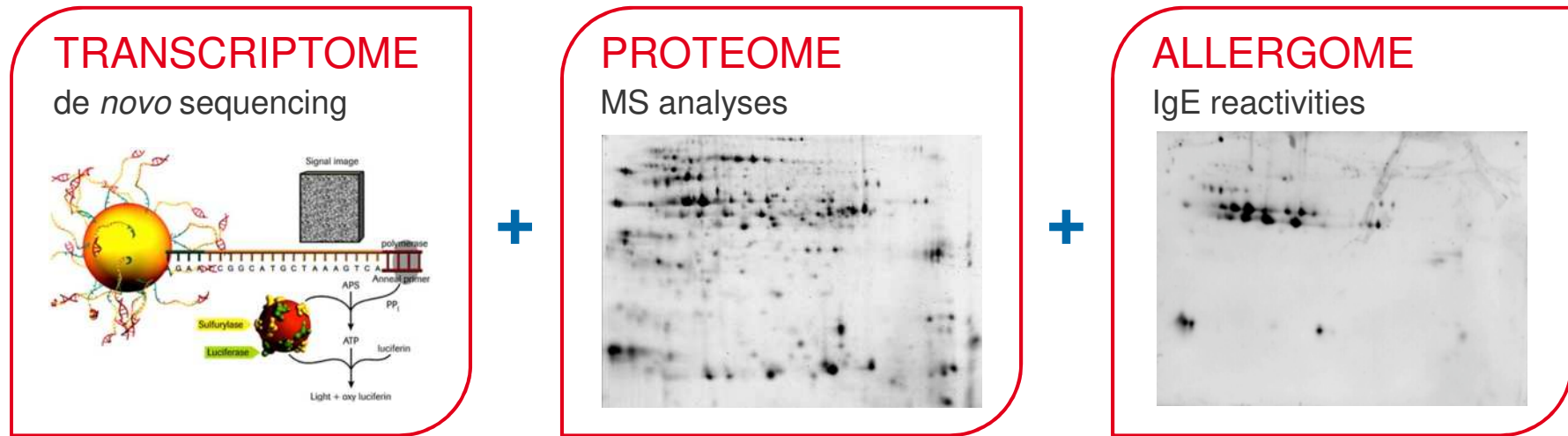


QUALITY CONTROL ALL ALONG THE MANUFACTURING CHAIN

Robust manufacturing process



COMPREHENSIVE CHARACTERIZATION OF ALLERGEN EXTRACTS USING STATE OF THE ART TECHNOLOGIES (OMICS)



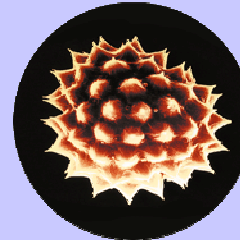
• OUTPUTS:

- 2D proteome/allergome maps
- Comprehensive characterization of allergenic extracts



House dust mites

- Confirmation of the presence of all known allergen groups



Ragweed

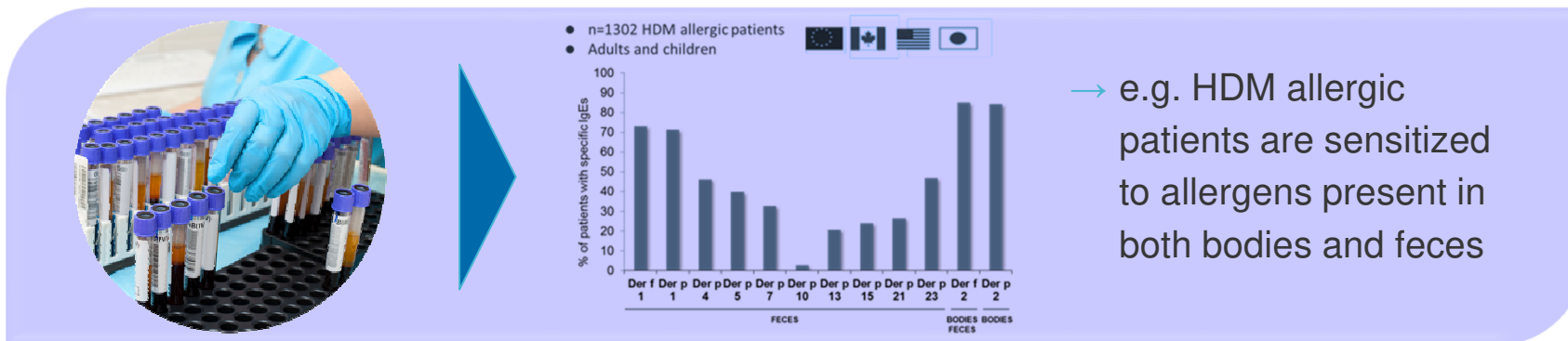
- **Amb a 11** identified as a new major allergen

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THE RIGHT PRODUCT FOR THE RIGHT PATIENT

- Patient characterization



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- Product characterization



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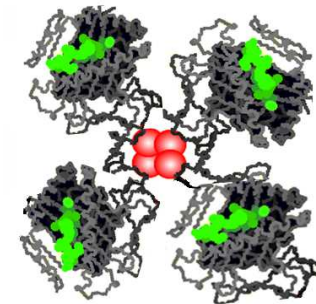
Grass-specific CD4⁺ T-cells exhibit varying degrees of cross-reactivity, implications for allergen-specific immunotherapy

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The reorientation of grass pollen-specific CD4⁺ T cells from a Th2 to a Th1/T Reg profile is central to AIT efficacy

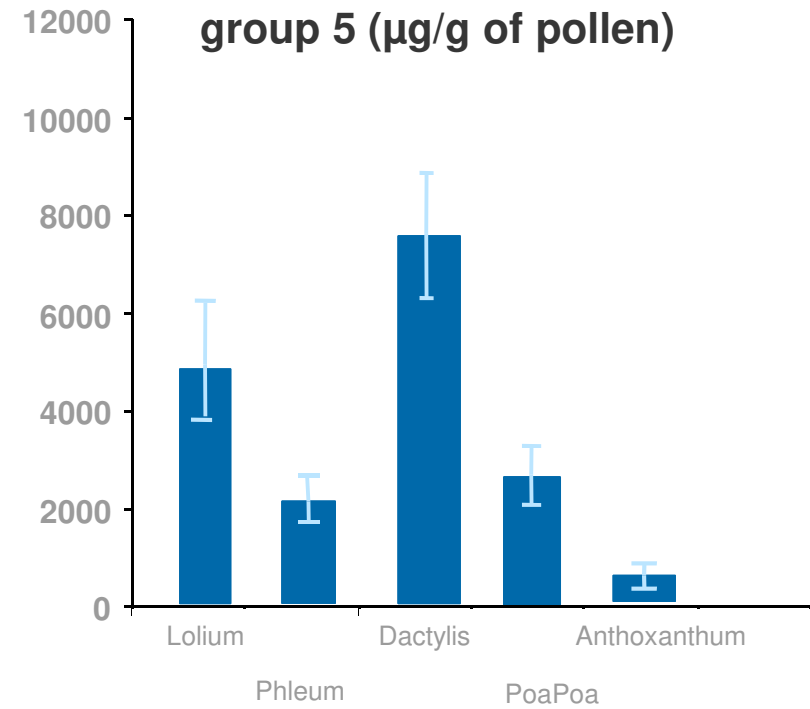
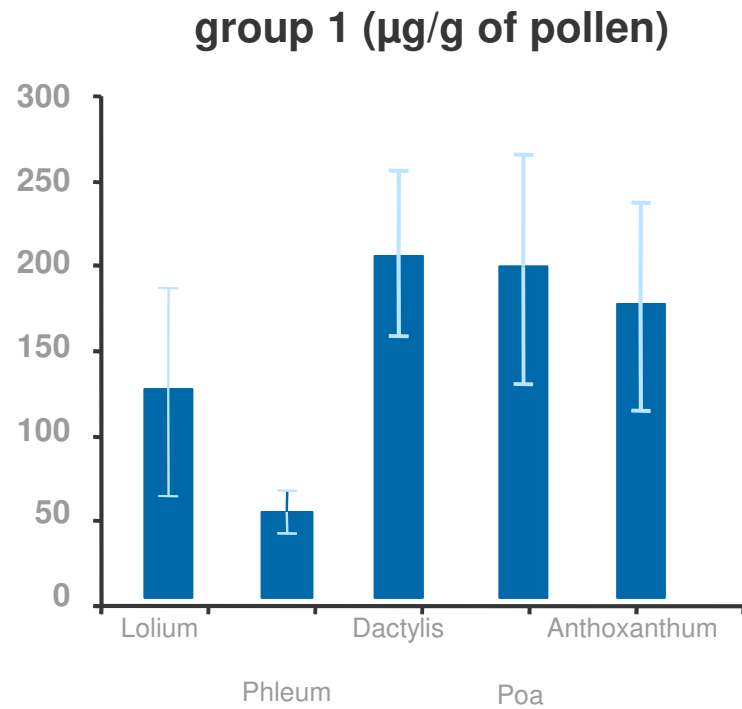
- ✓ Patients allergic to grass pollens have Th2 cells in their blood directed to both cross reactive and non-cross reactive T cell epitopes
- ✓ These Th2 cells specific for non cross-reactive T cell epitopes contribute to allergic inflammation



Multiple grass-pollen-species immunotherapy should be more beneficial than single species immunotherapy

Archila LD, et al. Clin Exp Allergy 2014;44(7):986-98.

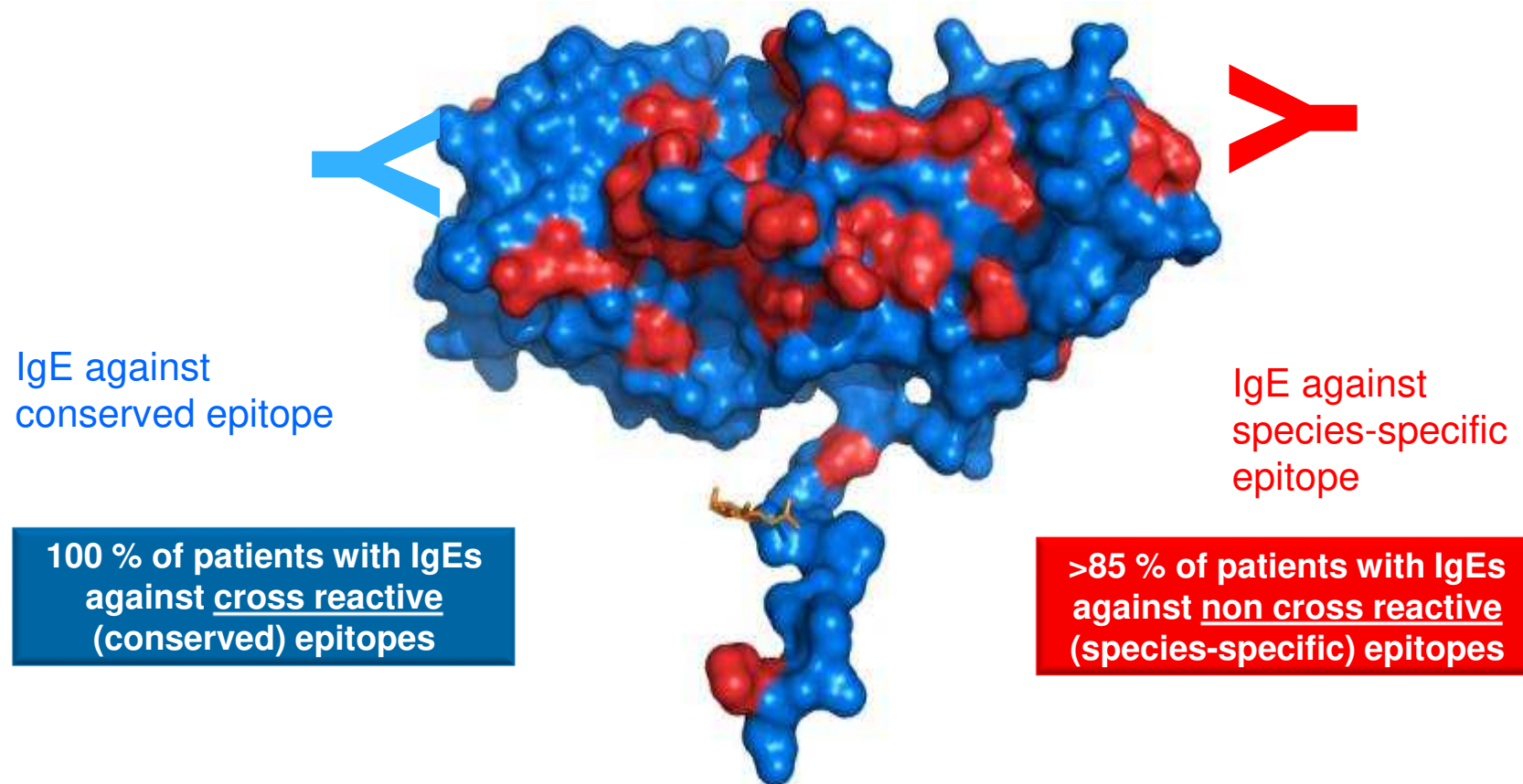
THE QUANTITY OF GROUP 1 AND GROUP 5 MAJOR ALLERGENS VARIES BETWEEN GRASS SPECIES



Moingeon P, et al. *Int Arch Allergy Immunol.* 2008;146(4):338-42. 97

RELEVANCE TO PATIENT SENSITIZATION: ANALYSIS OF IGE RESPONSES TO GRASS POLLEN ALLERGENS

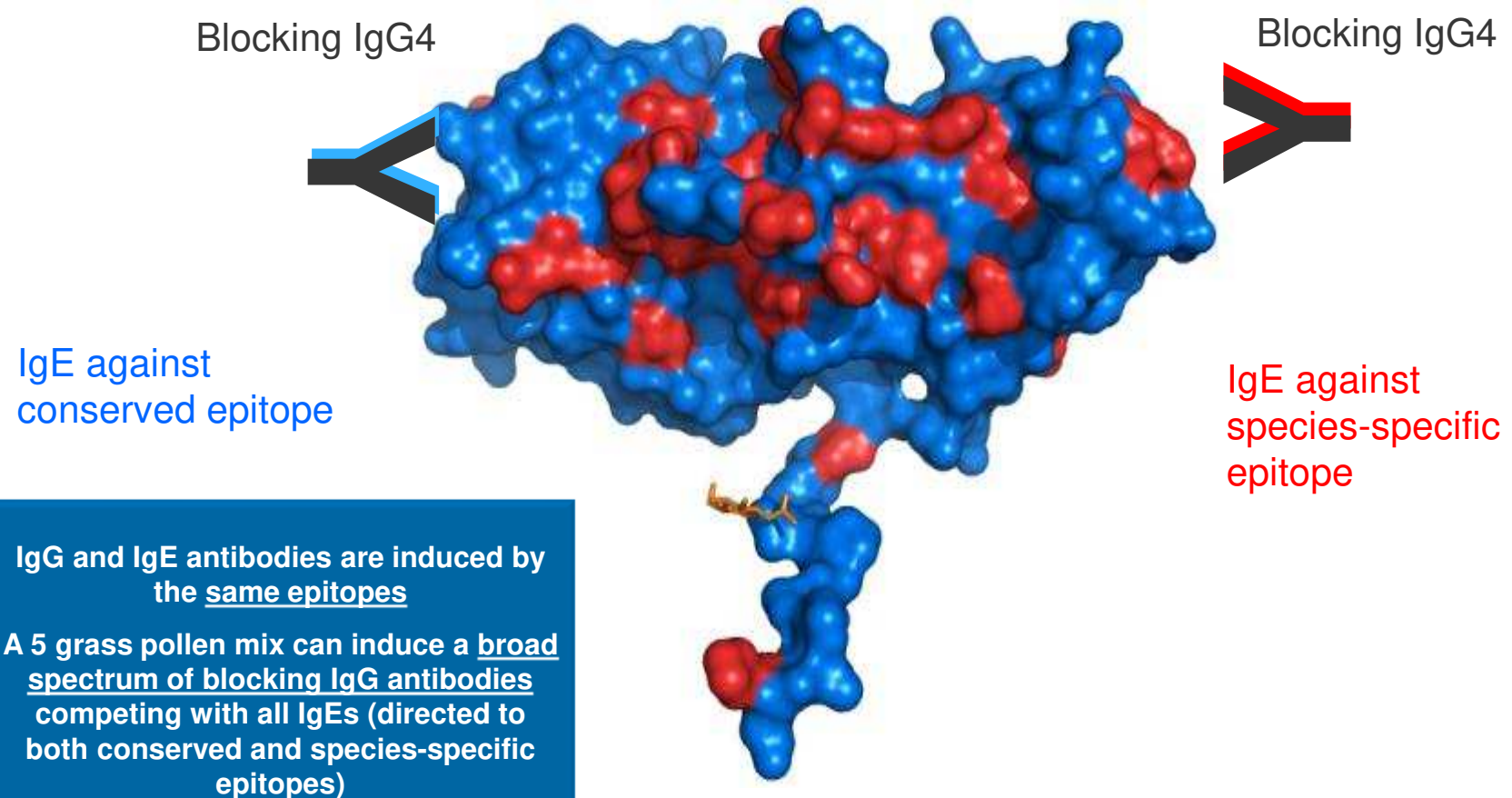
Group 1 allergen: variable aminoacids shown in red



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RELEVANCE TO IMMUNOTHERAPY: INDUCTION OF BLOCKING IGG4 ANTIBODIES

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MOLECOLE DI ACARI

Table 1. Allergens identified in *Dermatophagoides pteronyssinus* and *Dermatophagoides farinae* species.

Allergen groups	Biological function/activity	MW (kDa)	Presence reported in mite species		Sequence homology between the two species	Prevalence of IgE recognition	Location within mites
			Dp	Df			
1	Cysteine protease	24–27	Dp	Df	81%, 24 isoforms for Der p 1 and 10 isoforms for Der f 1	60–80%	Feces
2	Niemann Pick C2 homolog	15	Dp	Df	88%, 15 isoforms for Der p 2 and 17 isoforms for Der f 2	≥70%	Body
3	Trypsin	25–30	Dp	Df	81%	10–15%	Body (Df)
4	α-amylase	56–63	Dp		?	10–25%	Feces
5	Unknown	14	Dp		?	10–40%	Feces
6	Chymotrypsin	25	Dp	Df	75%	41–65%	
7	Unknown	26–31	Dp	Df	86%	20–40%	Feces
8	Glutathione-S-transferase	25–27	Dp	Df	?	10–40%	Feces
9	Collagenolytic serine protease	24–29	Dp		?	?	Feces
10	Tropomyosin	33–37	Dp	Df	98%	5–10%	
11	Paramyosin	98–103	Dp	Df	97%	65–80%	
13	Fatty acid binding protein	15		Df	?	<25%	Feces
14	Apolipoprotein	177	Dp	Df	>80%	20–60%	Body
15	Chitinase	98–105	Dp	Df	90%	15–30%	
16	Gelsolin/villin	53–55		Df	?	35–47%	
17	Calcium-binding protein	53		Df	?	35%	
18	Chitin-binding protein	49–60	Dp	Df	88%	30–40%	
20	Arginine kinase	40	Dp		?	5–20%	Body
21	Unknown	14	Dp	Df	?	15–30%	Feces
22	Unknown	67		Df	?	?	Feces
23	Peritrophin-like protein domain	14	Dp		?	30–60%	Feces

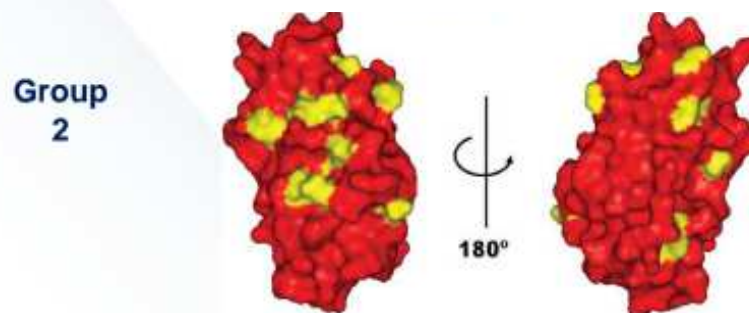
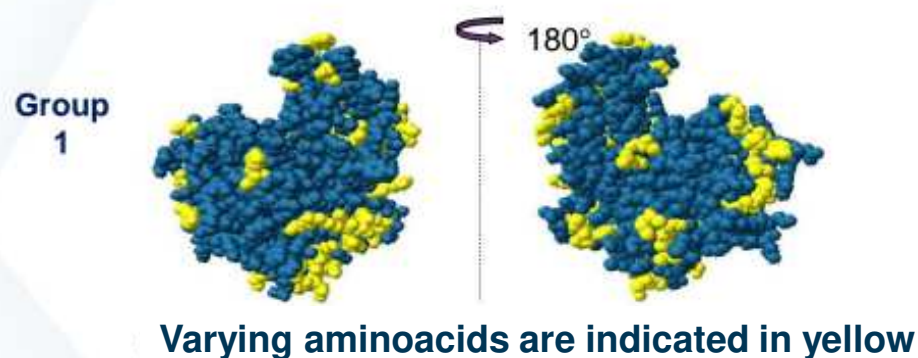
Allergen groups 12 and 19 were reported in *Blomia*, but not in *Dermatophagoides* mite species.
 Df: *Dermatophagoides farinae*; Dp: *Dermatophagoides pteronyssinus*; MW: Molecular weight.
 From [30] (WHO International Union of Immunological Societies site providing the official list of registered allergens and their isoforms). Prevalence of IgE recognition was obtained from [4,15,30,35,36] and [PM, Unpublished Data].

Razionale all'utilizzo di entrambi gli estratti

- ❑ *D. pteronyssinus* and *D. farinae*, some differences exist (80-85% amino acid sequence homology)
- ❑ *D. pteronyssinus* and *D. farinae* extracts was consistently more efficacious than single extracts

AIT ACARI, RAZIONALE PER IL MIX DI DUE ACARI

AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN DER P AND DER F ALLERGENS



For a given allergen, existence of species-specific epitopes recognized by IgEs and IgGs

ACARI: ESTRATTI IN COMMERCIO

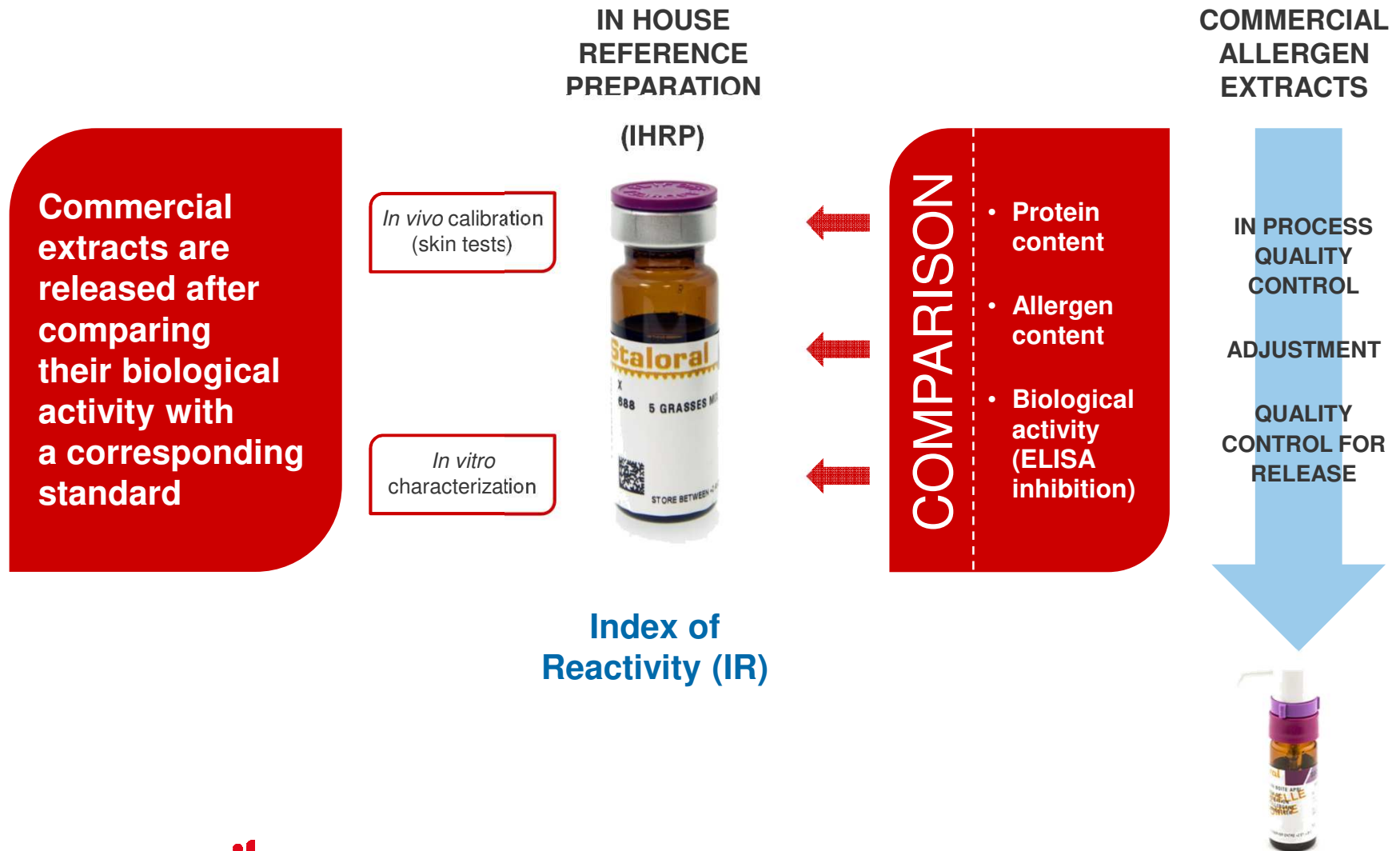
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150								
100								
75								
50								
37								
25								
20								
15	BCA	305.16±13.47	770.24±16.83	61.11±3.93	276.58±17.96	197.22±4.49	26.98±1.62	13.13±0.56
10	(mg/ml)							

Variation in allergen content in sublingual allergen immunotherapy with house dust mites

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ALLERGEN STANDARDIZATION IS CRITICAL TO GUARANTEE BATCH TO BATCH CONSISTENCY

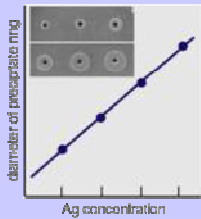
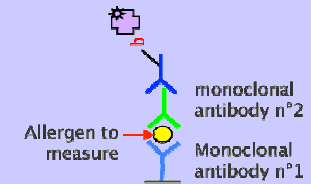


QUANTITATIVE MEASUREMENT OF MAJOR ALLERGENS



- **ELISA sandwich**

- Monoclonal or polyclonal specific antibodies
- e.g. EU create project (Bet v 1)



- **Radial Immuno-Diffusion (RID)**

- e.g. Amb a 1, Fel d 1
- Specific polyclonal antibodies in the gel



- **Mass-spectrometry**

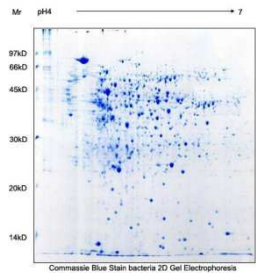
- Measurement after ionization of the mass of specific peptides
- Identification
- Quantification of all allergen variants

PRODUZIONE DI LIVELLO FARMACEUTICO

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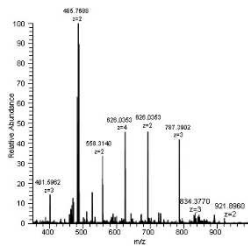
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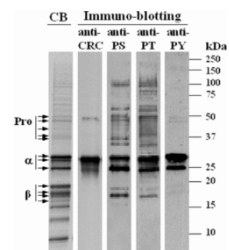
2D gel analysis



Mass spectrometry



Immunoblotting



cles. The rationale supporting this approach is to obtain extracts whose allergen composition and content mimic natural exposure conditions. The characterization of such *D. pteronyssinus* and *D. farinae* source materials using a combination of proteomic approaches (i.e. 2D gel analysis and mass spectrometry-based protein sequencing, as well as immunoblotting with allergen-specific antibodies) confirmed unambiguously the presence of a broad spectrum of both major and minor allergens in these cultures (table 1). On a quan-

ESTRATTO OTTIMALE

- ❑ **La qualità dell'estratto allergenico è essenziale per una diagnosi accurata e un trattamento sicuro ed efficace**

- ❑ **L'estratto ideale copre tutti i profili di sensibilizzazione dei pazienti allergici «mimando» la naturale esposizione:**
 - ✓ Deve contenere gli allergeni maggiori quantificati
 - ✓ Deve contenere tutti gli epitopi e non contenere altre sostanze a basso peso (es istamina)
 - ✓ Deve essere standardizzato: potenza allergenica nota e riproducibile
 - ✓ I mix (dello stesso gruppo omologo) hanno lo scopo di avere repertorio completo proveniente da specie



LA SCELTA DELLA DOSE OTTIMALE

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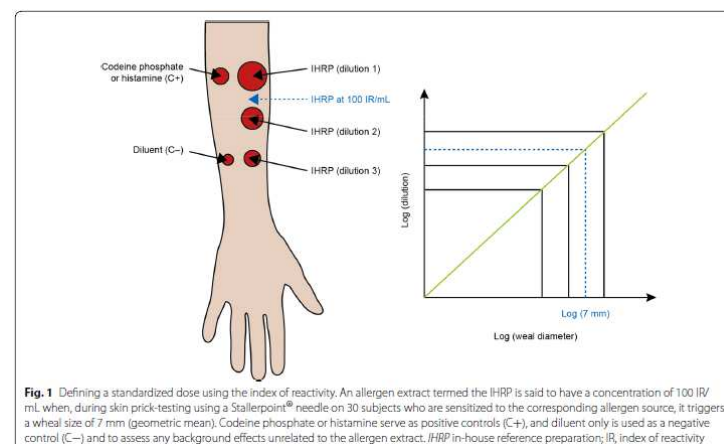
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Choosing the optimal dose in sublingual immunotherapy: Rationale for the 300 index of reactivity dose

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IR per diagnosi e trattamento



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Formulazioni della SLIT:

- **Comprese** (SLIT tablets)
- **Estratto glicerinato** (SLIT drops)

- ❑ **Evidenze: esiste un rapporto dose-risposta ed è fondamentale l'utilizzo della dose dimostratasi clinicamente efficace**
- ❑ **Gli studi relativi a graminacee e HDM compresse o graminacee, betulla o HDM drops per il trattamento delle allergie respiratorie hanno confermato che la dose 300 IR fornisce l'efficacia e la tollerabilità ottimali**

**FDA richiede la concentrazione in BAU
Per le graminacee 300 IR corrispondono a 9,000 BAU**

UN ESEMPIO DI 300IR DOSE OTTIMALE

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RESEARCH

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Sustained efficacy and safety of a 300IR daily dose of a sublingual solution of birch pollen allergen extract in adults with allergic rhinoconjunctivitis: results of a double-blind, placebo-controlled study

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RISULTATI CLINICI DELL'AIT CON UN ESTRATTO A DOSE OTTIMALE

- ✓ **Efficace in poche settimane**
- ✓ **Efficacia già al primo ciclo di trattamento**
- ✓ **Efficacia che perdura nel tempo**
- ✓ **Efficacia dopo la sospensione**



AIT GRAMINACEE

EXPERT
REVIEWS

Five-grass-pollen sublingual immunotherapy tablet for the treatment of grass-pollen-induced allergic rhinoconjunctivitis: 5 years of experience

Expert Rev Clin Immunol. 10(10):1309-1324 (2014)

Drug Profile

Didler, Wahn, Horak & Cox

Table 2. Summary of 5-grass-pollen sublingual immunotherapy tablet efficacy from five Phase I-III clinical trials.

Study Phase	Primary end point	Treatment	Primary analysis set (n)	LS mean	LS mean difference vs placebo		p-value vs placebo [†]	Ref.
					Absolute point estimate (95% CI)	Relative point estimate (%)		
VO34.04 EU study in adults IIb/III	ARTSS	500 IR (4M)	143	3.74	-1.22 (-1.91, -0.53)	-24.7	0.0006	[46]
		300 IR (4M)	136	3.58	-1.39 (-2.09, -0.69)	-28.2	0.0001	
		100 IR (4M)	142	4.72	-0.26 (-0.95, 0.43)	-5.3	0.4606	
		Placebo	148	4.93				
VO56.07A Allergen-exposure chamber study in adults I	ARTSS	300 IR	45	4.85	-1.97 (-2.99, -0.94)	-29.3	0.0003	[49]
		Placebo	44	6.87				
VO52.06 EU pediatric study III	ARTSS	300 IR (4M)	131	3.25	-1.13 (-1.80, -0.46)	-25.5	0.0010	[50]
		Placebo	135	4.51				
VO53.06 [‡] Long-term efficacy study in adults III	AAAdSS	300 IR (4M)	149	3.39	-1.82 (-2.61, -1.02)	-34.9	<0.0001	[28,51]
		300 IR (2M)	147	3.25	-1.96 (-2.76, -1.16)	-37.6	<0.0001	
		Placebo	165	5.21				
VO61.08 US study in adults III	Daily CS [§]	300 IR (4M)	208	0.32	-0.13 (-0.19, -0.06)	-28.2	0.0003	[52]
		Placebo	228	0.45				

2M or 4M, patients received active treatment starting 2 or 4 months, respectively, before the pollen season.

[†]Based on absolute point estimate of LS mean difference.

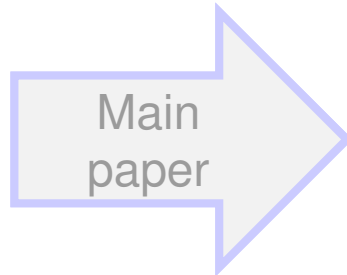
[‡]Year 3 results are presented.

[§]Daily CS is derived from the RTSS and RMS and gives equal weight to symptoms and medication use. This score is conventionally expressed on a scale from 0 to 3 and calculated per day for each patient as: daily CS = (daily RTSS/6 + daily RMS)/2.

AAAdSS: Average Adjusted Symptom Score; ARC: Allergic rhinoconjunctivitis; ARTSS: Average rhinoconjunctivitis Total Symptom Score; CS: Combined Score; IR: Index of reactivity; LS: Least squares; RMS: Rescue Medication Score; RTSS: Rhinoconjunctivitis Total Symptom Score; SLIT: Sublingual immunotherapy.

AIT GRAMINACEE

Rhinitis, sinusitis, and upper airway disease



Sustained 3-year efficacy of pre- and coseasonal 5-grass-pollen sublingual immunotherapy tablets in patients with grass pollen-induced rhinoconjunctivitis

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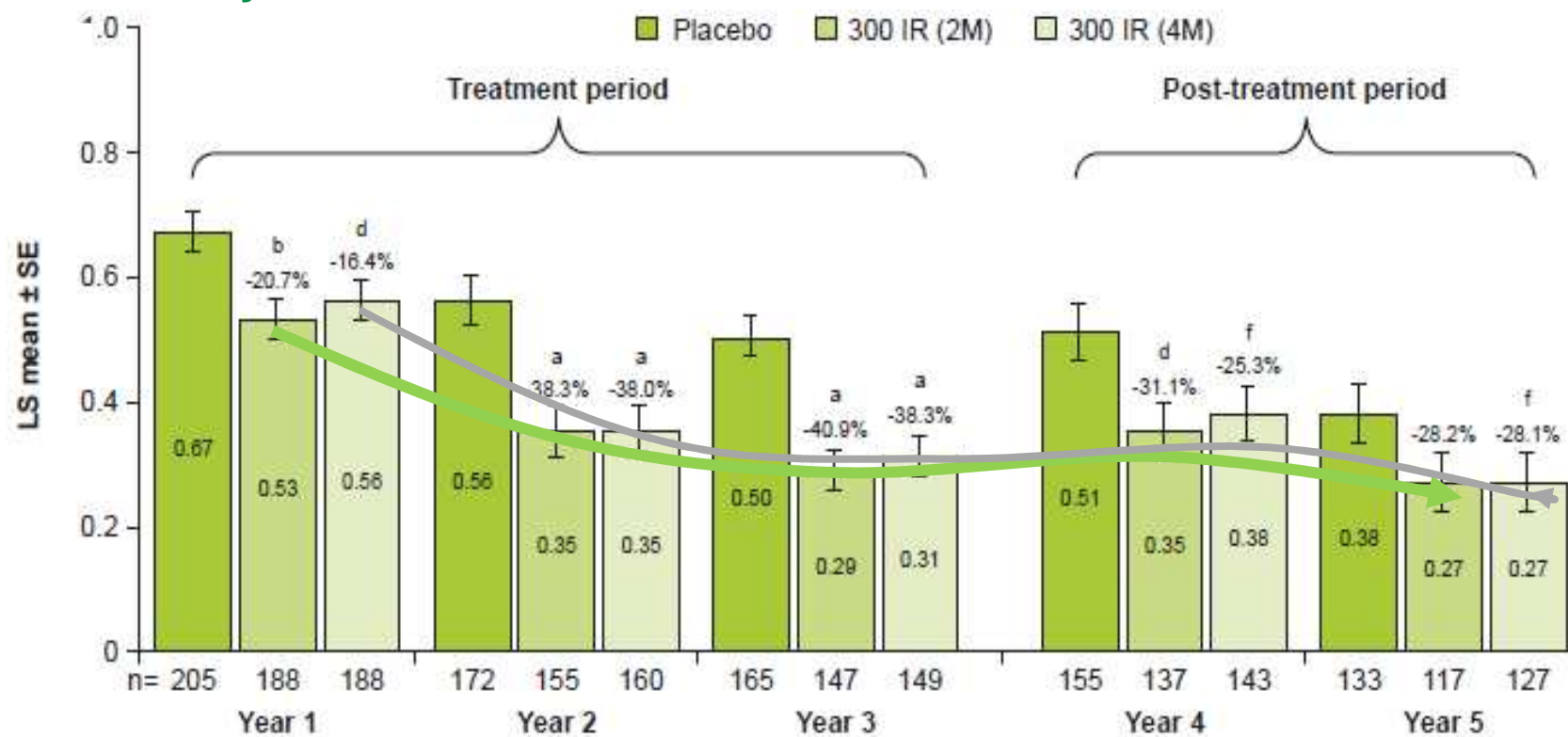
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Prolonged efficacy of the 300IR 5-grass pollen tablet up to 2 years after treatment cessation, as measured by a recommended daily combined score

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EFFICACIA A LUNGO TERMINE – DOPO LA SOSPENSIONE

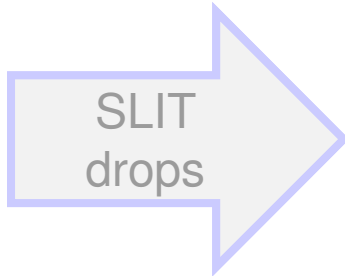
Daily Combined Score



5-Grass pollen tablet 2 months and 4 months absolute value are stable from year 2 to year 5

^ap < 0.0001, ^bp < 0.0005, ^cp < 0.001, ^dp < 0.005, ^ep < 0.01, ^fp < 0.05 for comparison vs placebo

AIT ACARI – EFFICACE ANCHE NELL’ASMA EFFICACE AL PRIMO ANNO E ALLA SOSPENSIONE



ORIGINAL ARTICLE AIRWAY DISEASES

House dust mite sublingual immunotherapy is safe and appears to be effective in moderate, persistent asthma

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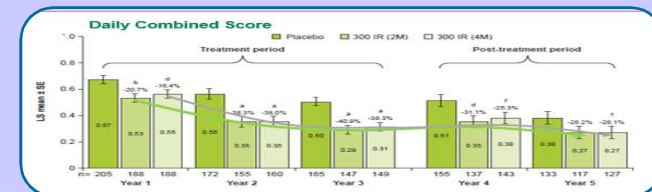
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Choosing the optimal dose in sublingual immunotherapy: Rationale for the 300 index of reactivity dose

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✓ Efficacia e sicurezza dimostrate



FARMACOECONOMIA: VANTAGGI DELL'AIT



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Health economic comparison of SLIT allergen and SCIT allergoid immunotherapy in patients with seasonal grass-allergic rhinoconjunctivitis in Germany

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Cost effectiveness analysis of immunotherapy in patients with grass pollen allergic rhinoconjunctivitis in Germany

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Abstract

Objectives:

An economic evaluation was conducted to assess the outcomes and costs, as well as cost-effectiveness

Sublingual or subcutaneous immunotherapy for seasonal allergic rhinitis: an indirect analysis of efficacy, safety and cost

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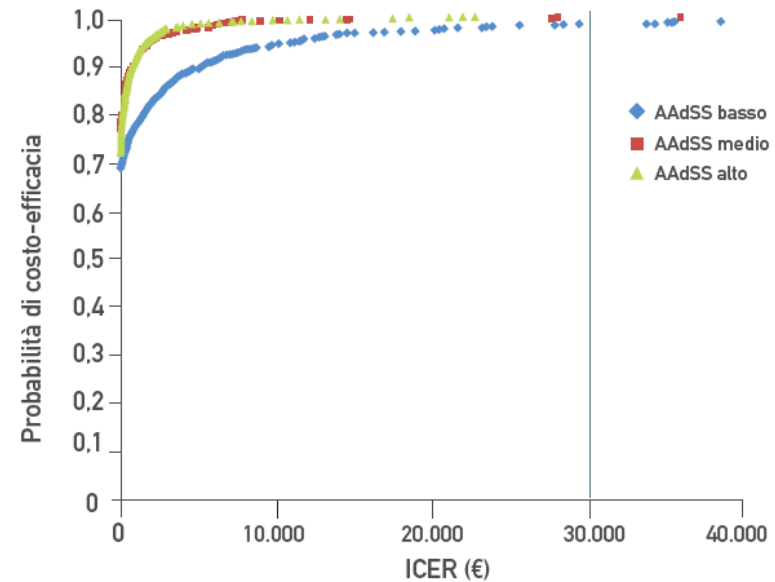
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FARMACOECONOMIA: VANTAGGI DELL'AIT

- ✓ Nei pazienti con rinite moderata grave l'ICER è estremamente positivo
- ✓ Le compresse di 5 graminacee hanno un buon rapporto costo-efficacia nel trattamento della RA da graminacee in pazienti adulti rispetto al trattamento farmacologico tradizionale
- ✓ Le 5 graminacee economicamente sono vantaggiose verso altre SLIT e SCIT
- ✓ Le 5 graminacee sono economicamente vantaggiose vs i sintomatici (in press)

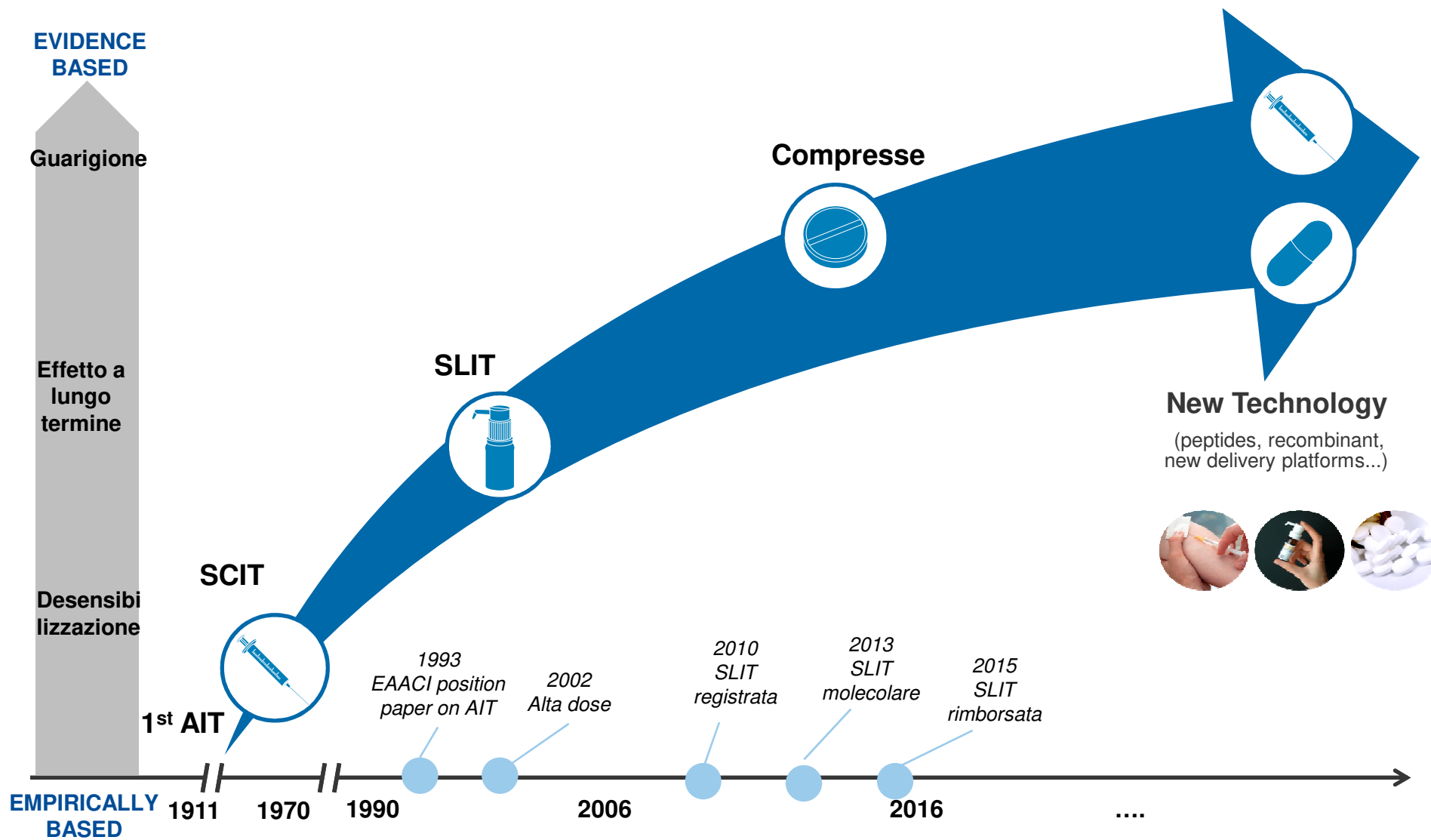


Curva di accettabilità del rapporto costo-efficacia.
Il valore soglia di 30.000 €/ QALY rappresenta la massima disponibilità a pagare considerata sostenibile sulla base delle recenti decisioni delle più importanti agenzie regolatorie internazionali.

AAdSS: Average Adjusted Symptom Score
ICER: Incremental Cost-effectiveness Ratio

Grafico elaborato dall'articolo Ruggeri et al,
Clin Drug Investig 2013

CONCLUSIONI: L'EVOLUZIONE DELL'AIT



CONCLUSIONI

Se cerchiamo l'AIT ottimale:

L'estratto deve essere di qualità certificata

- ✓ Qualità della materia prima, del processo produttivo e controlli quali-quantitativi
- ✓ Tutti gli epitopi al quale il paziente è esposto e al quale è risultato positivo

Deve essere efficace e sicura

- ✓ Dose ottimale
- ✓ Efficacia e sicurezza dimostrate da studi in doppio-cieco

Deve essere vantaggiosa economicamente

- ✓ Cost-effectiveness dimostrata da studi di farmaco-economia



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