

Supplementary Information

for

Peptide foldamer-based inhibitors of the SARS-CoV-2 S protein - human ACE2 interaction

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Table S1. Analytical data of ACEa1 and their analogues

Name	MS calculated	MS found	analytical HPLC		preparative HPLC	
			Retention time (min)	gradient	Retention time (min)	gradient
ACE α 1	934.7869 [M + 3H ⁺]	934.7861 [M + 3H ⁺]	13.29	A	19.76	A
A1	950.1515 [M + 3H ⁺]	950.1512 [M + 3H ⁺]	17.26	A	23.85	A
A1a	1212.6628 [M + H ⁺]	1212.6626 [M + H ⁺]	14.86	A	16.89	A
A1b	626.3138 [M + 2H ⁺]	626.3176 [M + 2H ⁺]	13.59	A	14.19	A
A1c	650.3044 [M + 2H ⁺]	650.3006 [M + 2H ⁺]	20.65	A	17.61	A
A1_v1	961.5113 [M + 3H ⁺]	961.5126 [M + 3H ⁺]	15.20	A	23.83	A
A1_v2	1453.7725 [M + 2H ⁺]	1453.7930 [M + 2H ⁺]	16.13	A	24.91	A
A1_v3	970.1794 [M + 3H ⁺]	970.1803 [M + 3H ⁺]	15.98	A	25.43	A
A1_v4	1428.2338 [M + 2H ⁺]	1428.2454 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.67	A	25.11	A
A2	1395.7150 [M + 2H ⁺]	1395.7090 [M + 2H ⁺]	25.98	A	24.57	A
A2a	1155.6050 [M + H ⁺]	1155.6067 [M + H ⁺]	16.49	A	18.37	A
A2b	642.8266 [M + 2H ⁺]	642.8256 [M + 2H ⁺]	10.66	A	15.94	A
A2c	633.3123 [M + 2H ⁺]	633.3179 [M + 2H ⁺]	11.42	A	17.53	A
A2_v1	1412.7548 [M + 2H ⁺]	1412.8201 [M + 2H ⁺]	17.22	A	32.59	B
A2_v2	1424.2627 [M + 2H ⁺]	1424.3079 [M + 2H ⁺]	18.18	A	34.28	B
A2_v3	1425.7570 [M + 2H ⁺]	1425.7865 [M + 2H ⁺]	18.58	A	35.94	B
A2_v4	1399.2255 [M + 2H ⁺]	1399.2761 [M + 2H ⁺]	18.17	A	35.36	B
A3	949.4796 [M + 3H ⁺]	949.4785 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.50	A	33.74	A
A3a	1172.6316 [M + H ⁺]	1172.6313 [M + H ⁺]	13.02	A	15.34	A
A3b	1286.6169 [M + H ⁺]	1286.6163 [M + H ⁺]	7.92	B	15.26	A
A3c	1301.6166 [M + H ⁺]	1301.6171 [M + H ⁺]	12.90	A	19.53	A

Analytical HPLC program (eluent A: 0.05% TFA in H₂O, eluent B: 0.05% TFA in ACN, flow 0.9 mL/min, column: ReproSil Saphir 100 C18, 5 μ , 150 x 4.6 mm):

A: t=0 min, 90 % A; t=2 min, 90% A; t=32 min, 10% A,

B: t=0 min, 90 % A; t=2 min, 90% A; t=20 min, 10% A.

Preparative HPLC programs (eluent A: 0.05% TFA in H₂O, eluent B: 0.05% TFA in ACN, flow 10 mL/min):

A: t=0 min, 90 % A; t=6 min, 90 % A; t=10 min, 75% A; t=20 min, 60% A; t=30 min, 60% A; t=35 min, 10 % A,

B: t=0 min, 90 % A; t=6 min, 90 % A; t=10 min, 75% A; t=40 min, 45% A; t=42 min, 10 % A.

Table S2. Analytical data of peptides **1-41**

Name	MS calculated	MS found	analytical HPLC		preparative HPLC	
			Retention time (min)	gradient	Retention time (min)	gradient
1	991.0601 [M + 2H ⁺]	991.0590 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.63	A	31.06	C
2	998.5693 [M + 2H ⁺]	998.5263 [M + 2H ⁺]	13.58	A	20.63	A
3	1034.5630 [M + 2H ⁺]	1034.4657 [M + 2H ⁺]	13.57	A	20.40	A
4	1035.0670 [M + 2H ⁺]	1035.0679 [M + 2H ⁺]	13.38	A	20.28	A
5	1091.4665 [M K ⁺ H ⁺]	1091.4868 [M + K ⁺ + H ⁺]	16.63	A	26.17	A
6	1135.5807 [M + 2H ⁺]	1135.5791 [M + 2H ⁺]	18.85	A	46.00	E
7	1079.0386 [M + 2H ⁺]	1079.0906 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.08	A	27.117	B
8	1116.0313 [M + 2H ⁺]	1116.0376 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.29	A	27.507	B
9	1115.5363 [M + 2H ⁺]	1115.5863 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.84	A	26.233	B
10	1151.5323 [M + 2H ⁺]	1151.5377 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.00	A	26.407	B
11	1147.5337 [M + 2H ⁺]	1147.5325 [M + 2H ⁺]	16.65	A	26.177	B
12	1161.5549 [M + 2H ⁺]	1161.5541 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.43	A	28.007	B
13	1139.0078 [M + 2H ⁺]	1139.0553 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.24	A	24.517	B
14	1160.0131 [M + 2H ⁺]	1160.0117 [M + 2H ⁺]	16.34	A	31.773	B
15	1184.0313 [M + 2H ⁺]	1184.0369 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.51	A	24.89	B
16	1176.0338 [M + 2H ⁺]	1176.0411 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.68	A	27.203	B
17	1158.5402 [M + 2H ⁺]	1158.5487 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.98	A	32.353	B
18	1151.5419 [M + 2H ⁺]	1151.5477 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.05	A	32.127	B
19	1184.5653 [M + 2H ⁺]	1184.5657 [M + 2H ⁺]	16.62	A	33.000	B

20	1167.5731 [M + 2H ⁺]	1167.5747 [M + 2H ⁺]	16.52	A	33.383	B
21	1167.5731 [M + 2H ⁺]	1167.5735 [M + 2H ⁺]	16.71	A	31.04	B
22	1142.0494 [M + 2H ⁺]	1142.0483 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.27	A	26.483	B
23	1150.0470 [M + 2H ⁺]	1150.0481 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.09	A	26.89	B
24	1125.0574 [M + 2H ⁺]	1125.0574 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.3	A	27.117	B
25	1171.0760 [M + 2H ⁺]	1171.0754 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.25	A	29.48	B
26	1173.0629 [M + 2H ⁺]	1173.0623 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.89	A	27.22	B
27	1182.5840 [M + 2H ⁺]	1182.5743 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.02	A	32.71	C
28	1178.56 [M + 2H ⁺]	1178.56 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.75	A	28.25	B
29	1168.5627 [M + 2H ⁺]	1168.5641 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.7	A	27.00	B
30	1168.5627 [M + 2H ⁺]	1168.5638 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.82	A	26.89	B
31	1192.1051 [M + 2H ⁺]	1192.1146 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.79	A	25.01	C
32	1189.0903 [M + 2H ⁺]	1189.1252 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.16	A	27.99	C
33	1190.0933 [M + 2H ⁺]	1190.0872 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.58	A	32.23	B
34	1211.5868 [M + 2H ⁺]	1211.6257 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.14	A	33.43	E
35	1189.5918 [M + 2H ⁺]	1189.5957 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.50	A	33.40	E
36	1186.5922 [M + 2H ⁺]	1186.5850 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.18	A	23.49	C
37	1207.5974 [M + 2H ⁺]	1207.5916 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.68	A	27.32	C
38	1199.5762 [M + 2H ⁺]	1199.5793 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.05	A	29.77	B
39	1208.0751 [M + 2H ⁺]	1208.0784 [M + 2H ⁺]	14.46	A	28.32	C
40	1220.5997 [M + 2H ⁺]	1220.6147 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.91	A	28.80	D
41	1203.5894 [M + 2H ⁺]	1203.5493 [M + 2H ⁺]	15.68	A	27.15	D

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B: t=0 min, 90 % A; t=6 min, 90 % A; t=10 min, 75% A; t=40 min, 45% A; t=42 min, 10 % A,

C: t=0 min, 85 % A; t=6 min, 85 % A; t=10 min, 73% A; t=40 min, 50% A; t=42 min, 10 % A,
D: t=0 min, 85 % A; t=6 min, 85 % A; t=10 min, 65% A; t=40 min, 50% A; t=42 min, 10 % A,
E: t=0 min, 85 % A; t=6 min, 85 % A; t=10 min, 70% A; t=40 min, 50% A; t=42 min, 10 % A.

Table S3. Sequences of helix $\alpha 1$ of ACE2 (ACE $\alpha 1$) and their foldameric analogues. Residues interacting with protein S are marker in red. Mutated residues are shown in green and blue. *Trans*-(1*S*,2*S*)-2-aminocyclopentanecarboxylic acid residues are shown as black pentagons.

Entry	Peptide	Amino acid sequence
1	ACE $\alpha 1$	IIEEQAKTFLDKFNHEAEDLFYQS-NH ₂
2	A1	IIEEQKTFDKNHEEDFYQ-NH ₂
3	A1a	IIEEQKTFD-NH ₂
4	A1b	FDKNHEE-NH ₂
5	A1c	HEEDFYQ-NH ₂
6	A1_v1	IIEEQKHF EY NSE HM FRQ-NH ₂
7	A1_v2	IIEEQKHF EW NSE HM FRQ-NH ₂
8	A1_v3	IIEEQKYF EY NSE HM FRQ-NH ₂
9	A1_v4	IIEEQKHF EY NSE HM FEQ-NH ₂
10	A2	IIEQA TFDKFNHEEDLYQ-NH ₂
11	A2a	IIEQA TFD-NH ₂
12	A2b	FDKFNHEE-NH ₂
13	A2c	HEEDLYQ-NH ₂
14	A2_v1	IIEQA HF EYF SE HML RQ-NH ₂
15	A2_v2	IIEQA HF EW F SE HML RQ-NH ₂
16	A2_v3	IIEQA YF EYF SE HML RQ-NH ₂
17	A2_v4	IIEQA HF EYF SE HML EQ-NH ₂
18	A3	IIEQAKTFLDKFNHEAEDLFYQ-NH ₂
19	A3a	IIEQAKTFD-NH ₂
20	A3b	FDKFNHEE-NH ₂
21	A3c	HEEDLFYQ-NH ₂

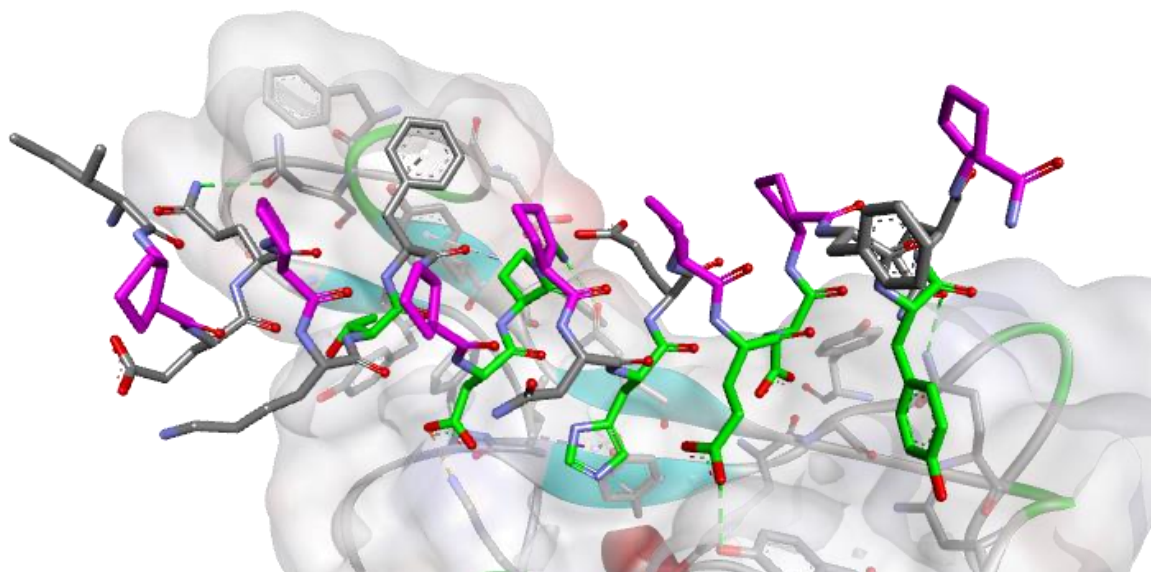


Figure S1. Modeled complex of peptide **A1** and the RBD domain of protein S (*trans*-ACPC residues forming “ β -stripe” are colored pink).

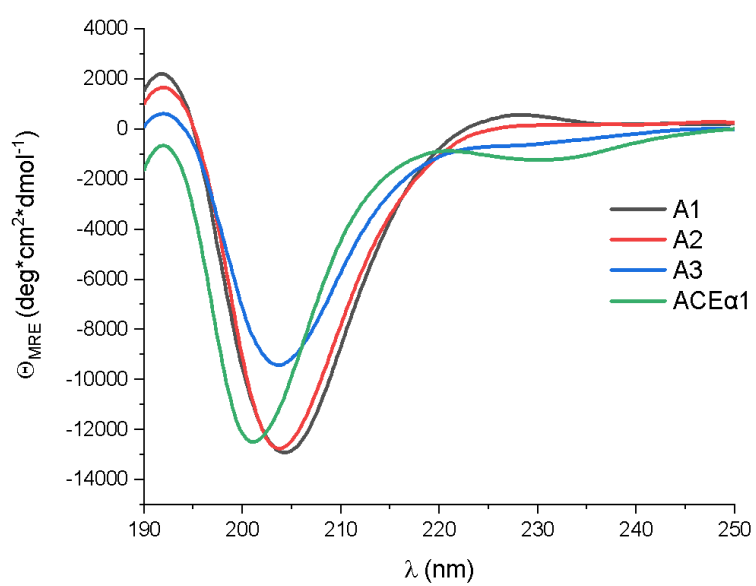


Figure S2. Comparison of CD spectra of peptides A1-3, and ACE α 1 dissolved in potassium phosphate buffer, 50 mM, pH 7.5.

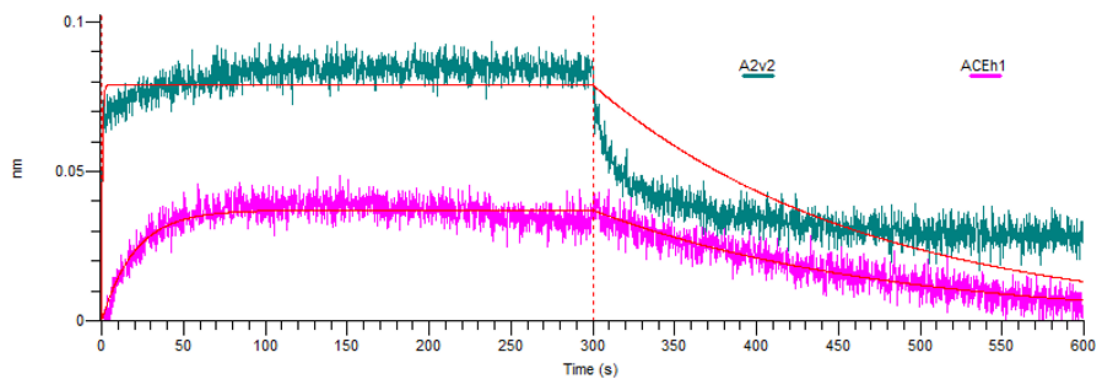


Figure S3. Comparison of BLI sensograms of peptides **ACE α 1** and **A2_v2**.

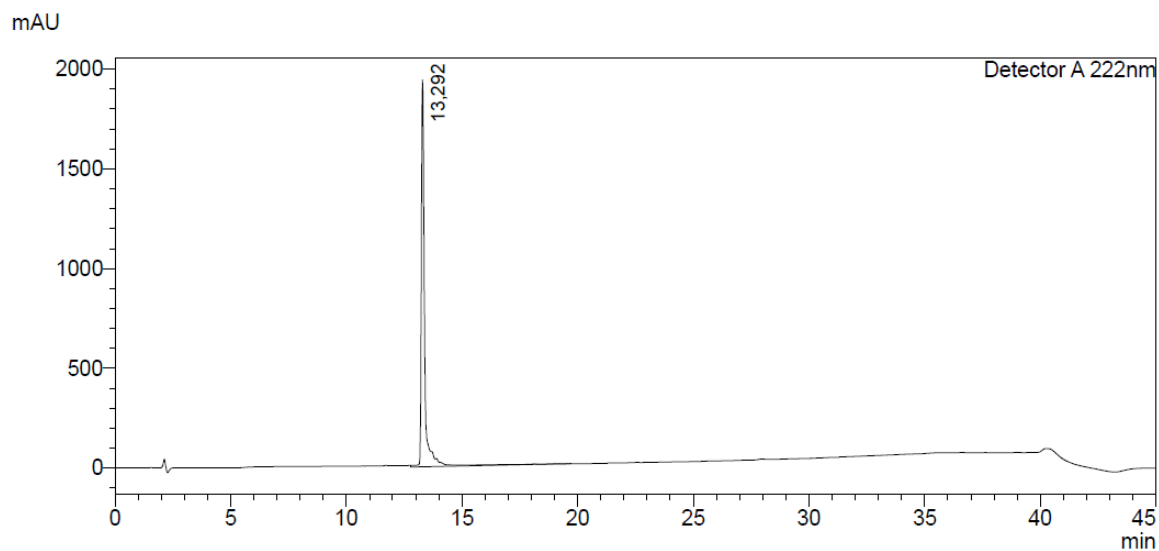


Figure S4. HPLC chromatogram of peptide ACE α 1.

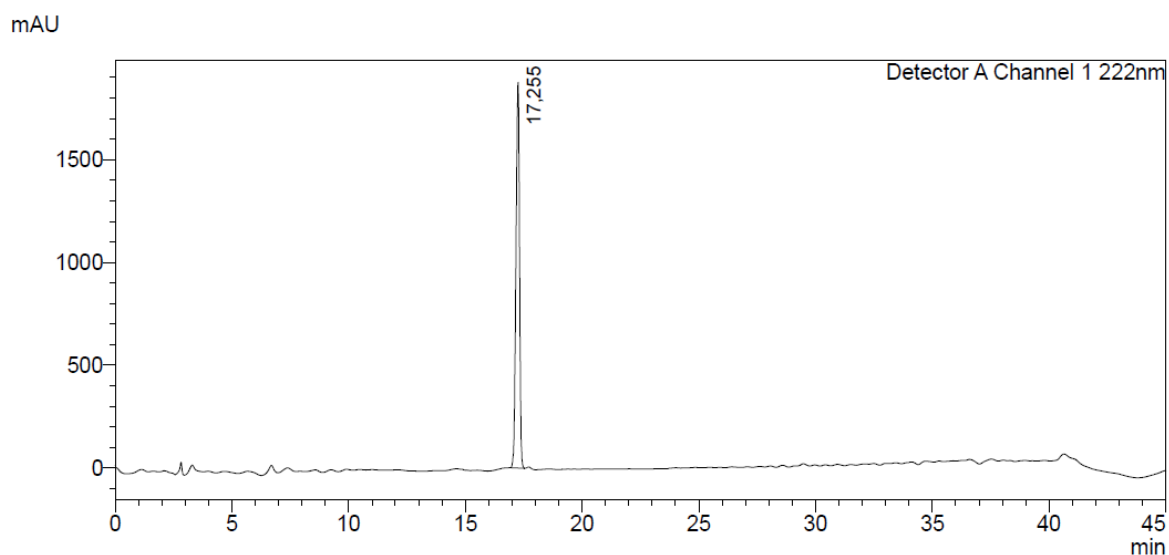


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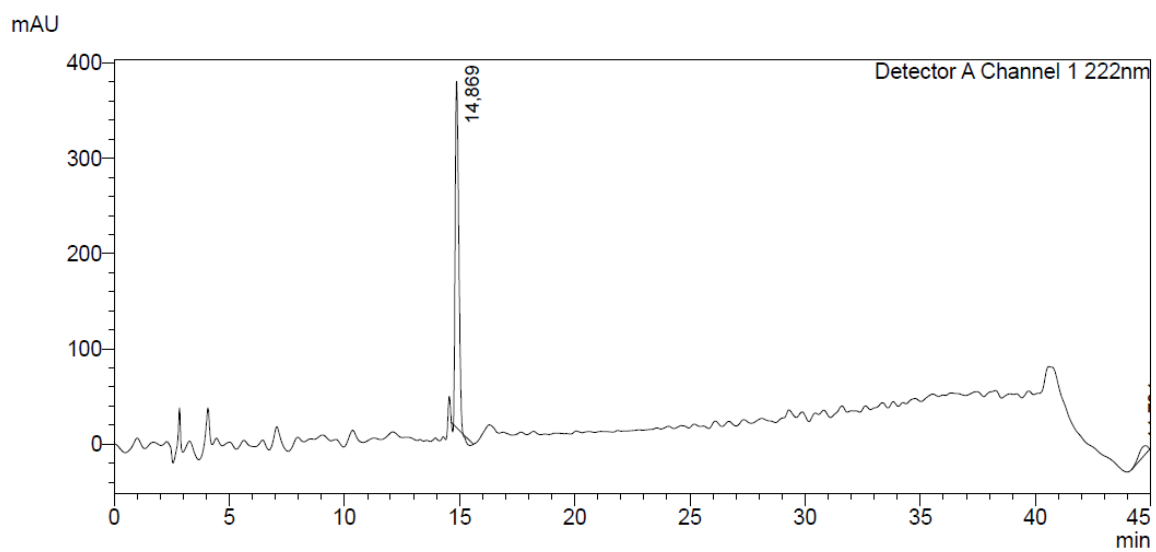


Figure S6. HPLC chromatogram of peptide A1a.

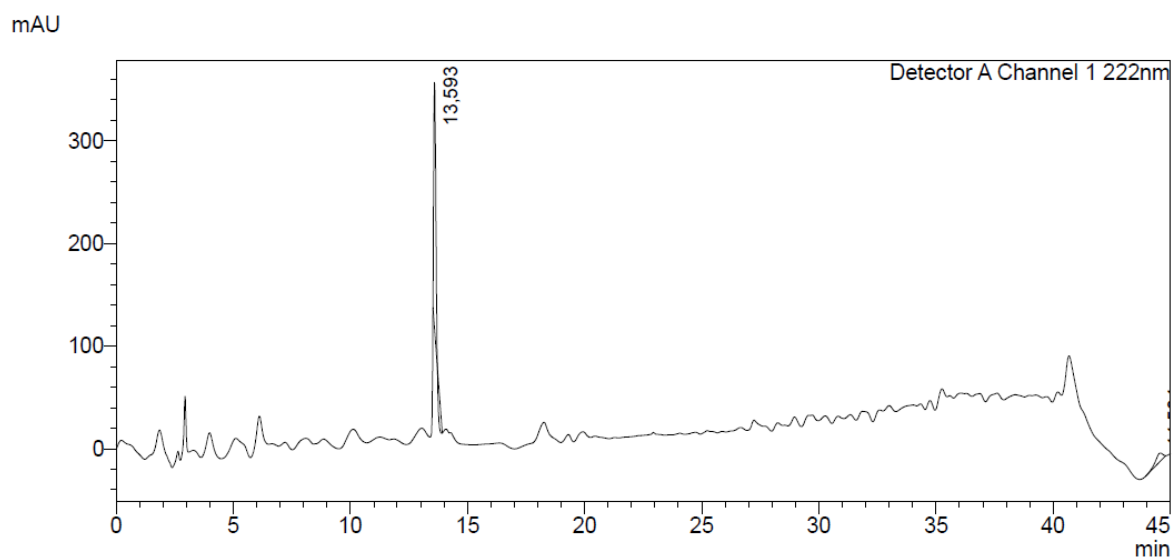


Figure S7. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A1b**.

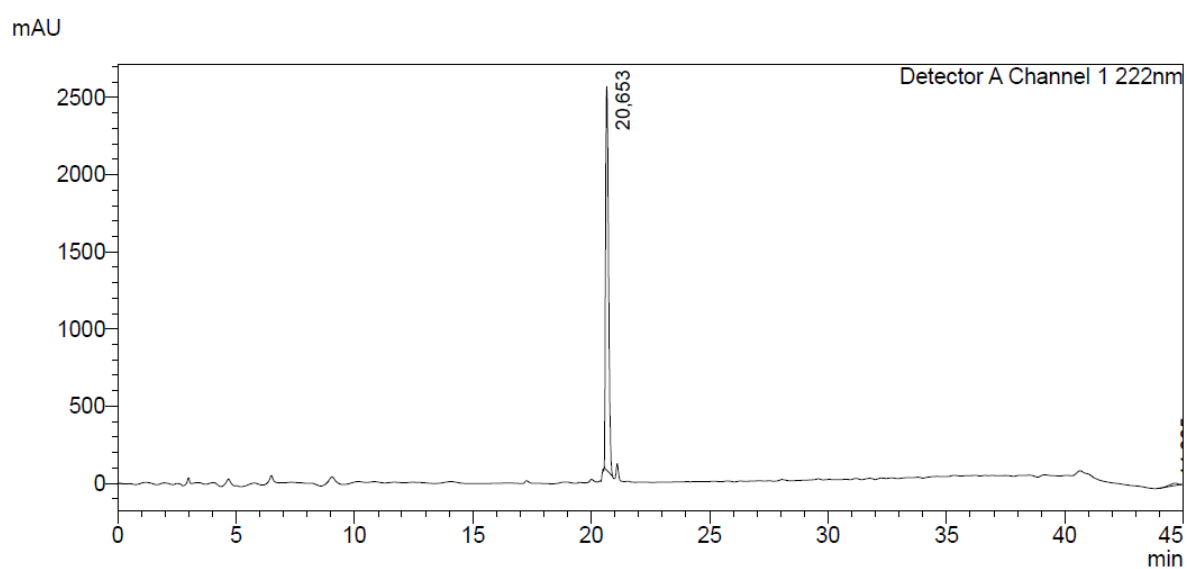


Figure S8. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A1c**.

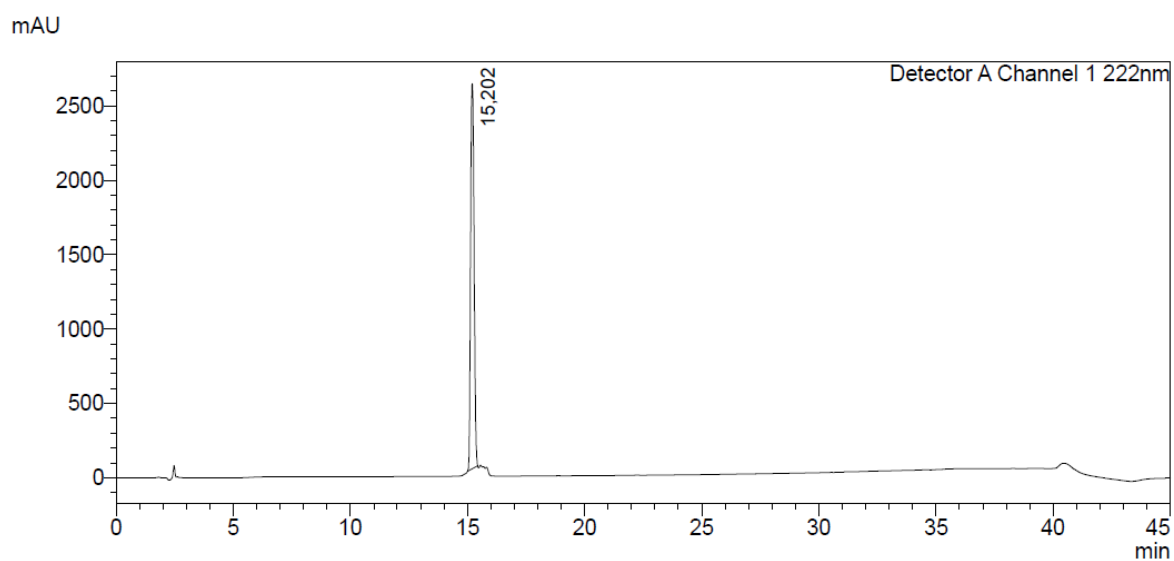


Figure S9. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A1v1**.

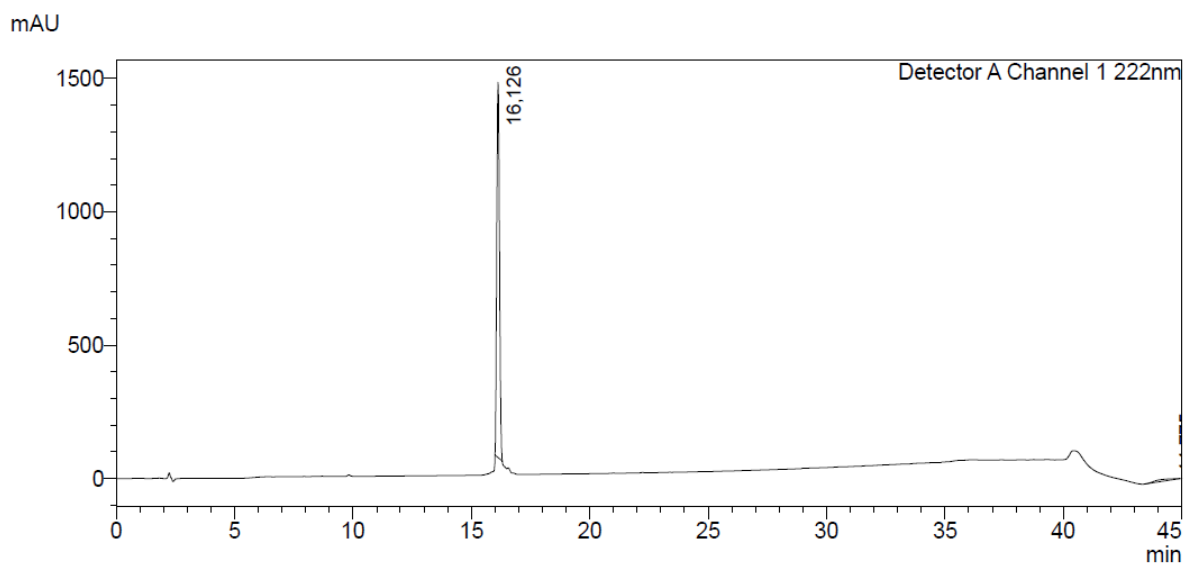


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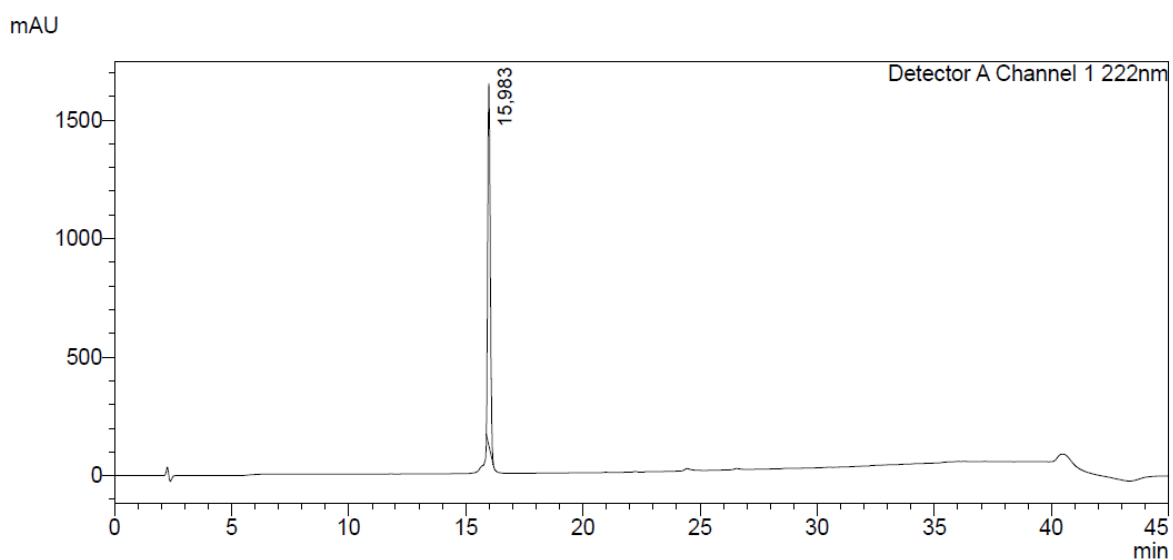


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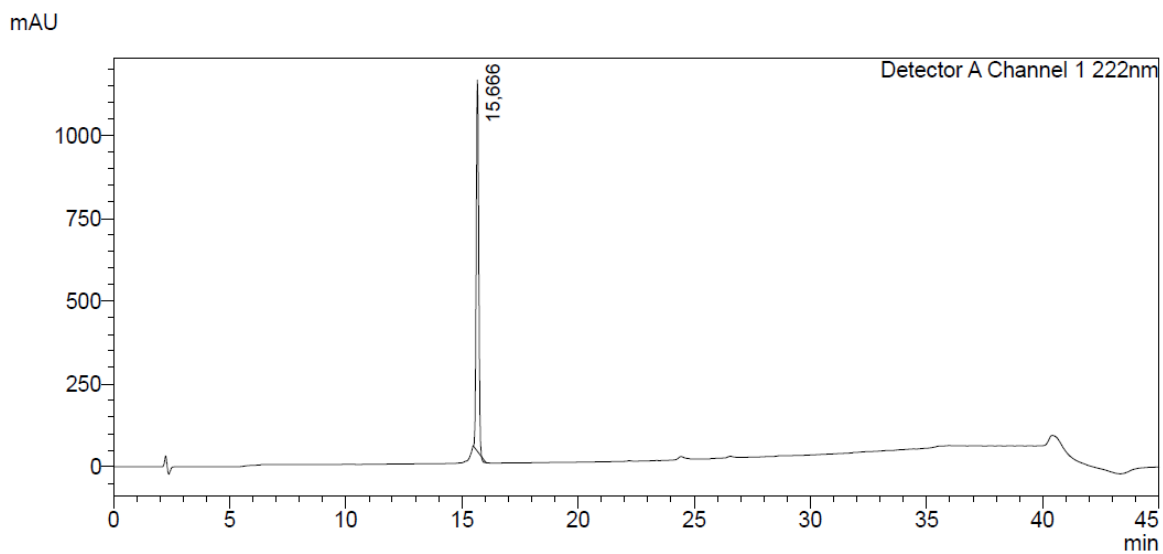


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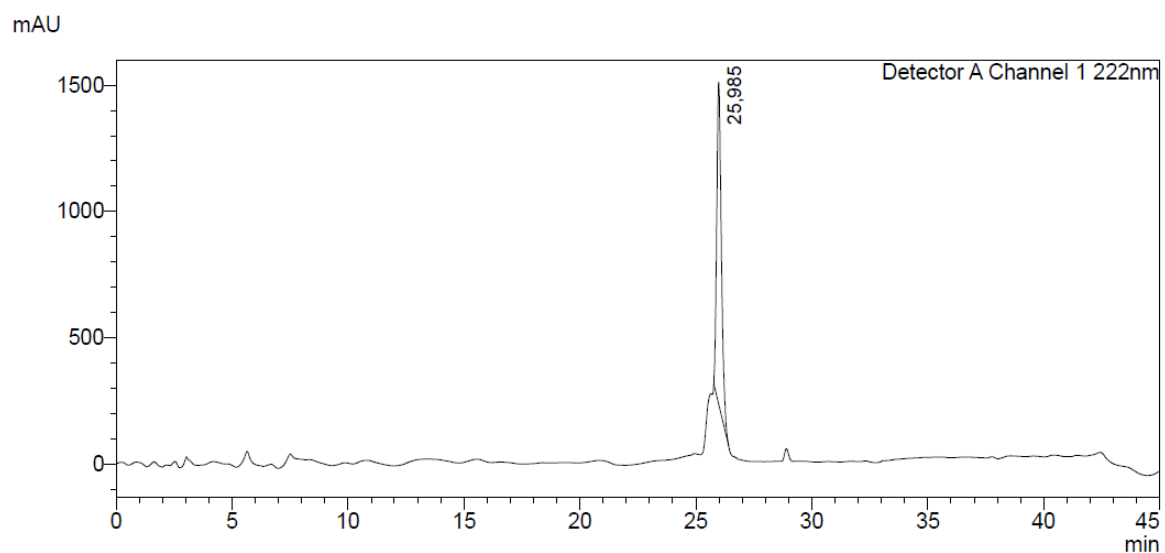


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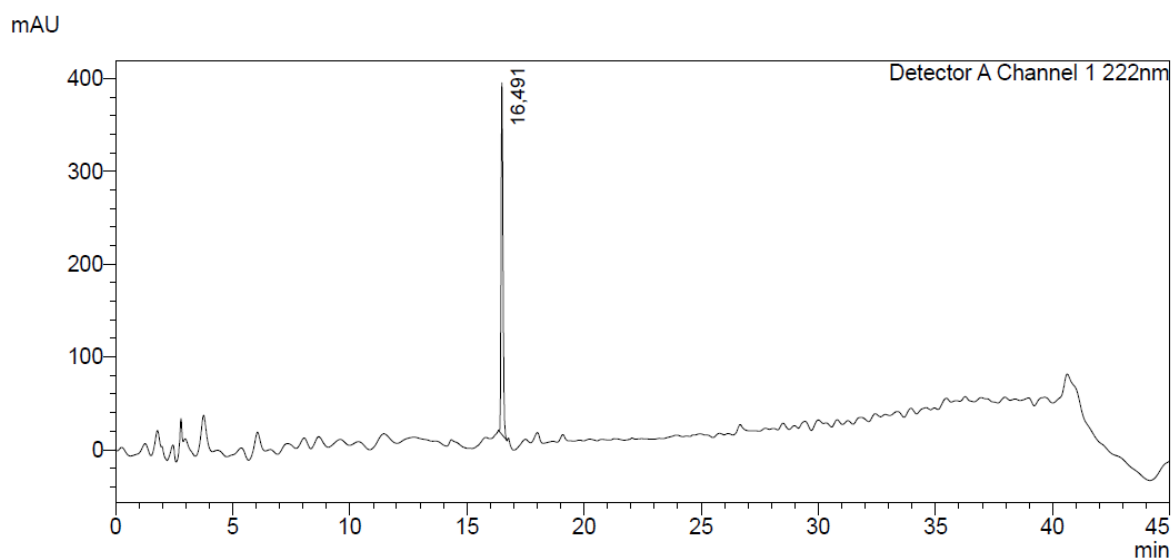


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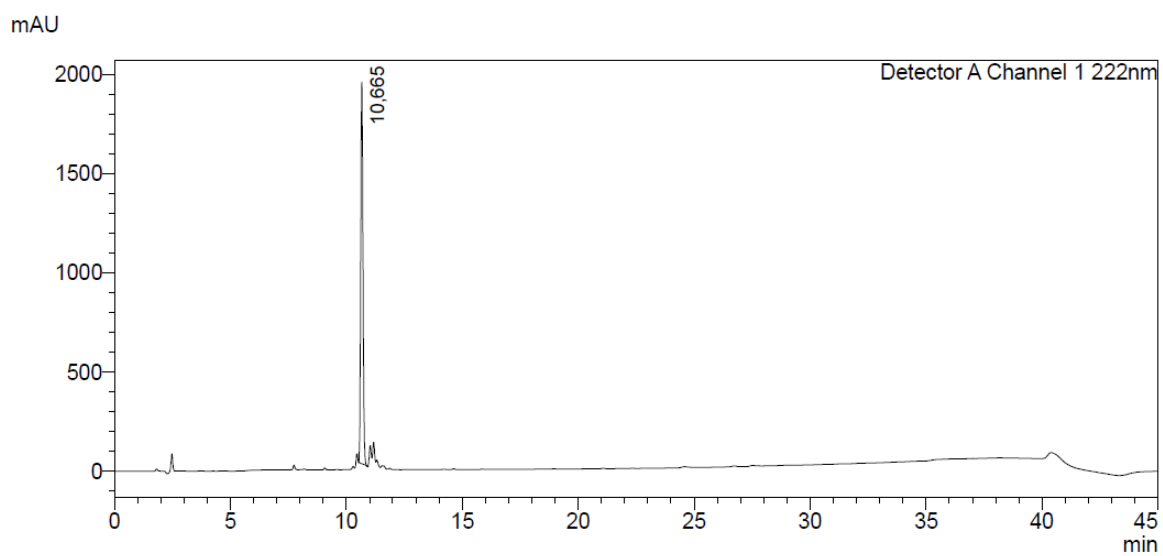


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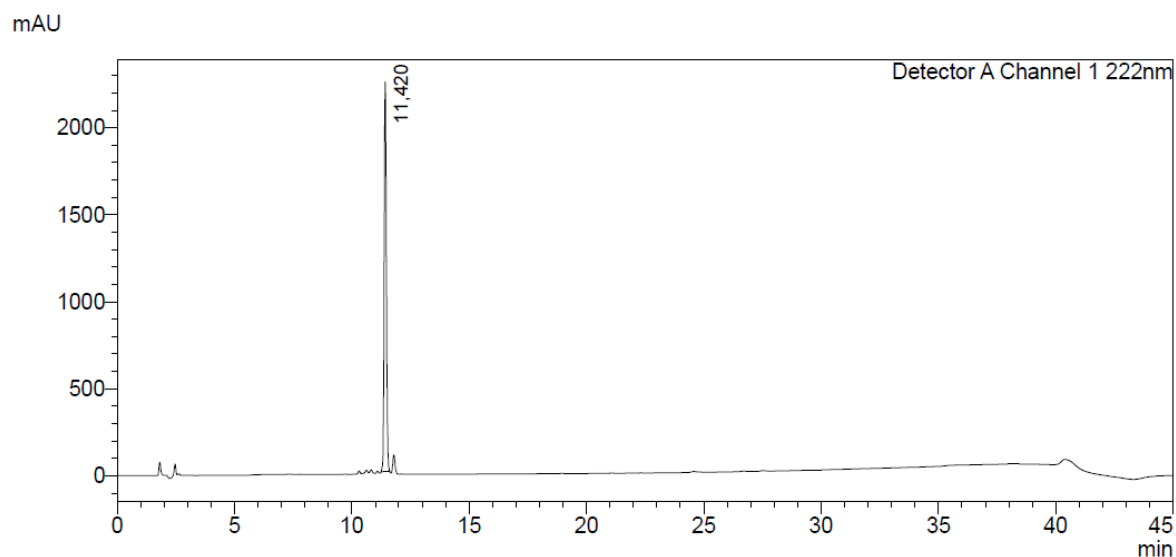


Figure S16. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A2c**.

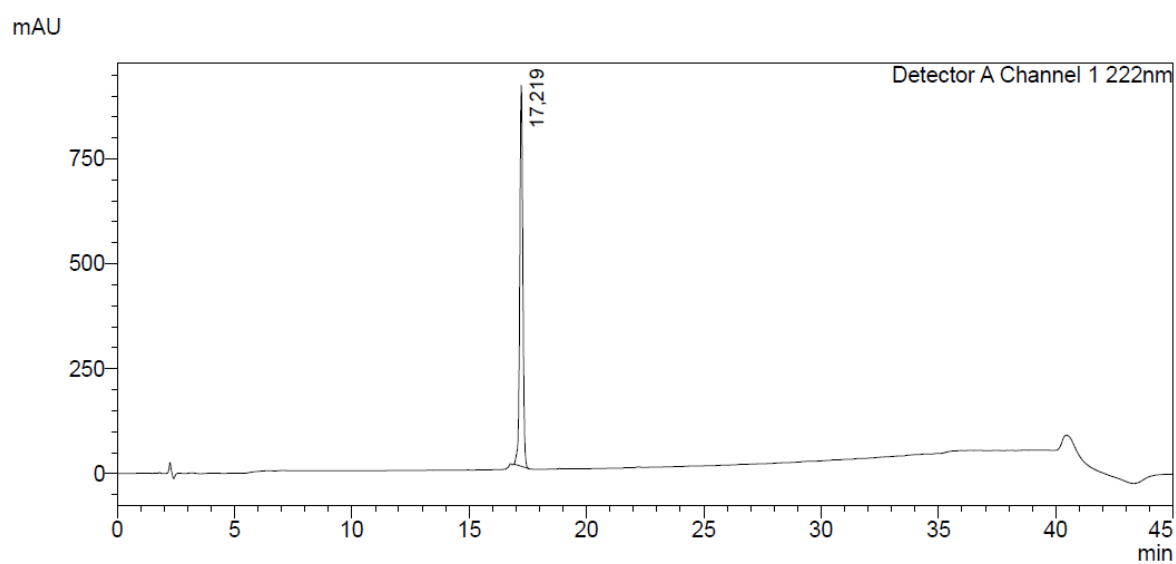


Figure S17. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A2v1**.

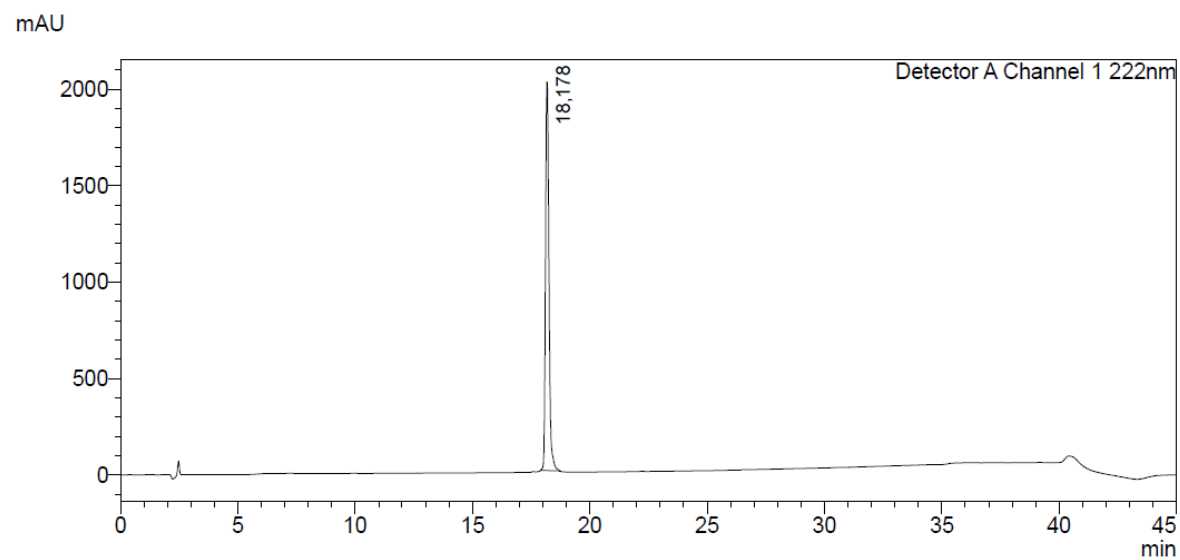


Figure S18. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A2v2**.

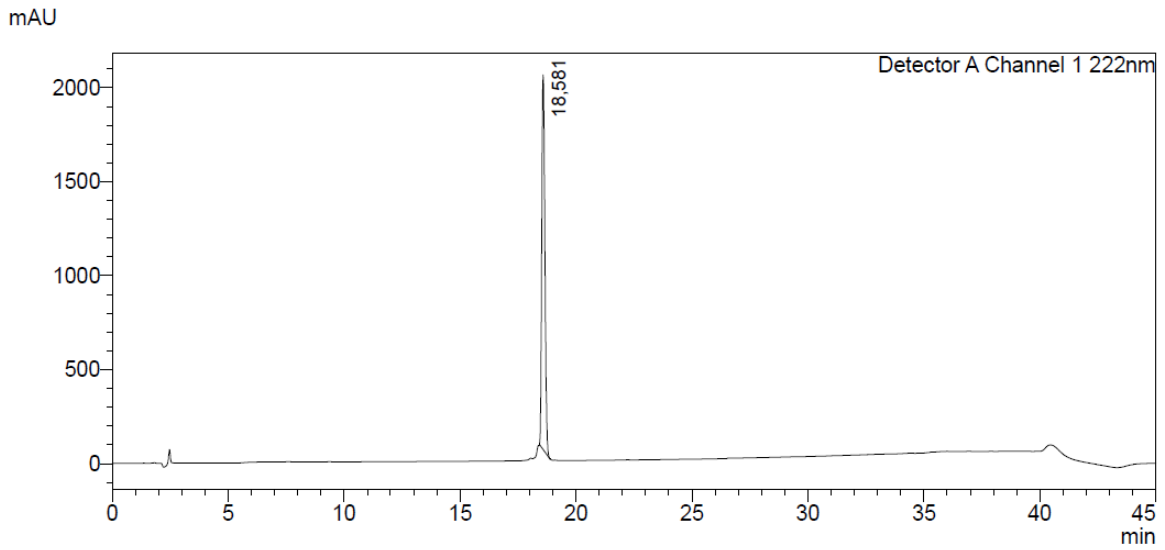


Figure S19. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **A2v3**.

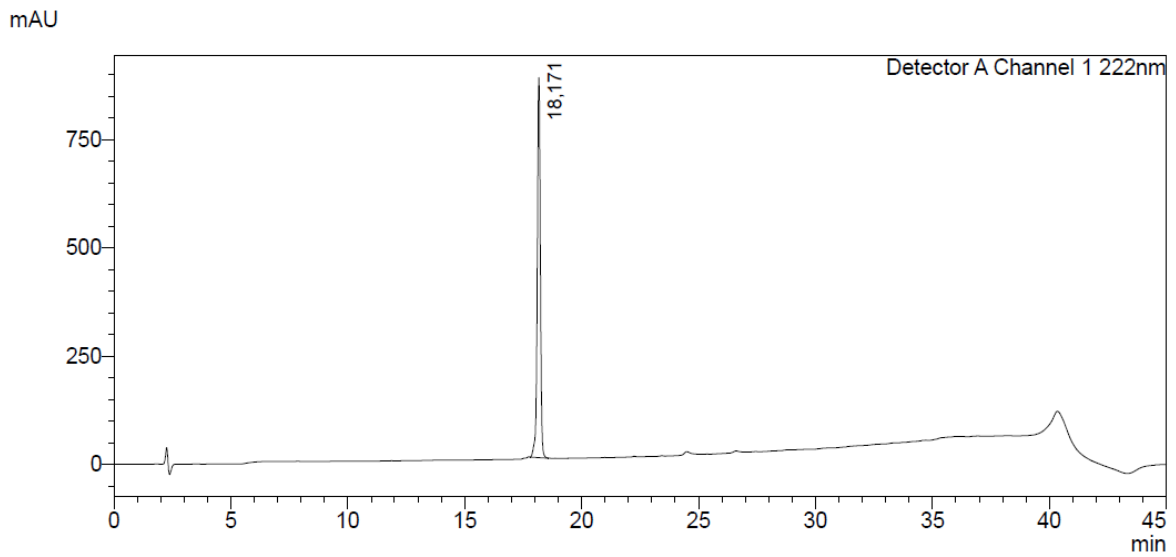


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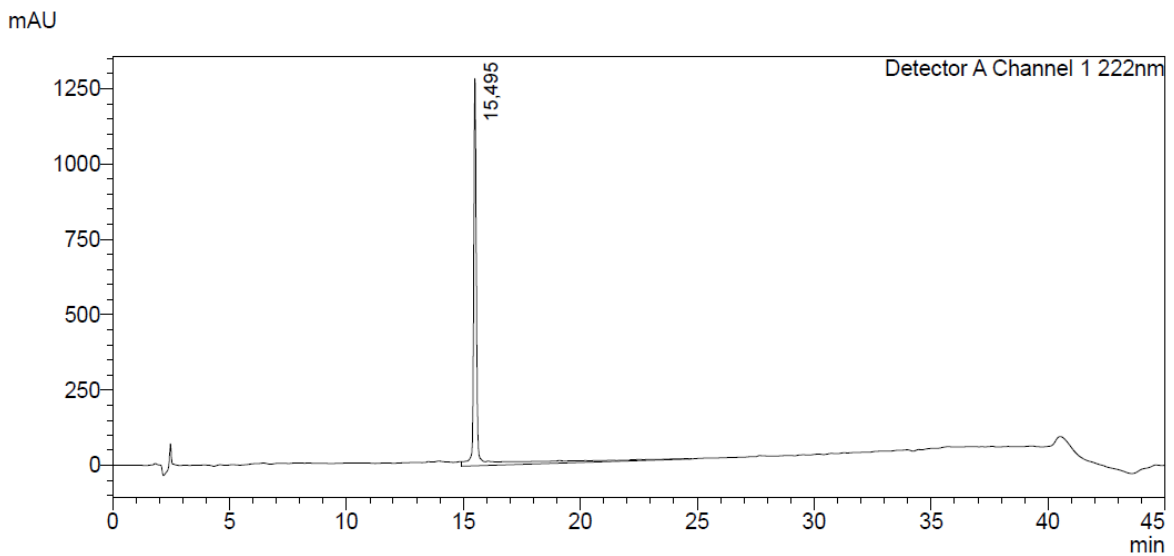


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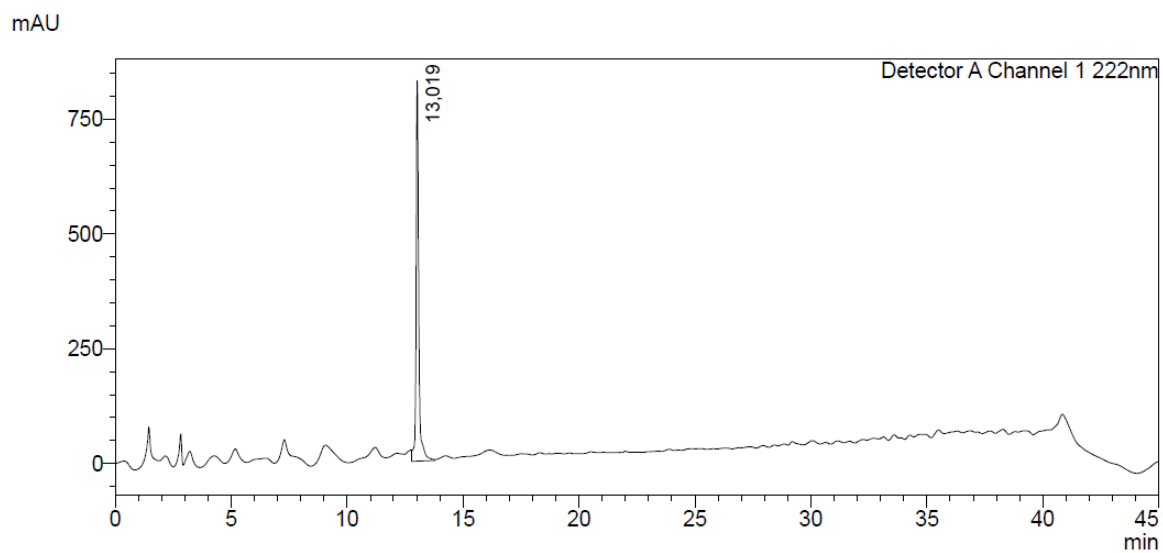


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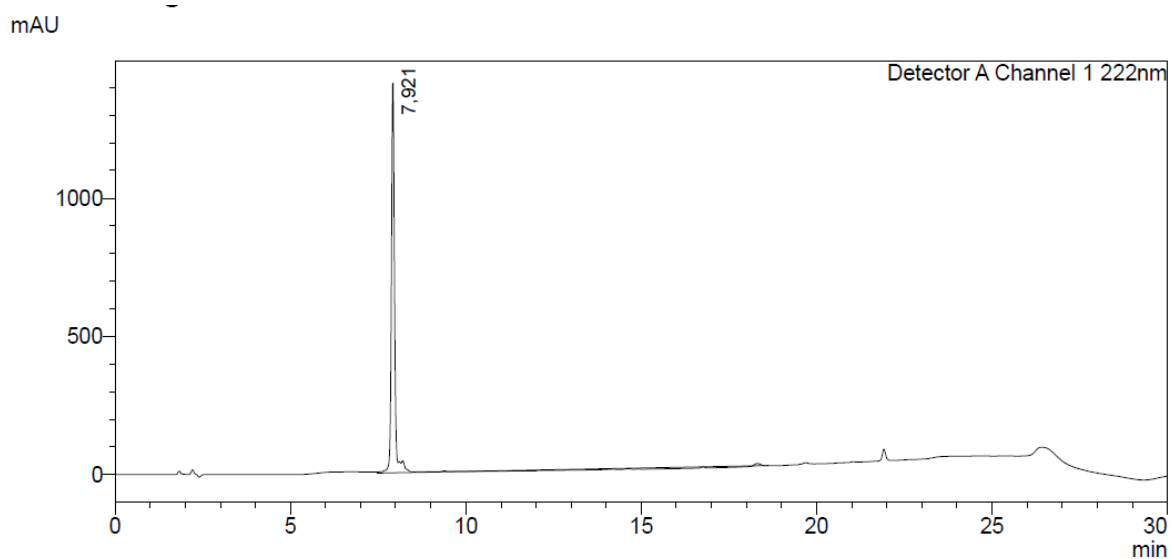


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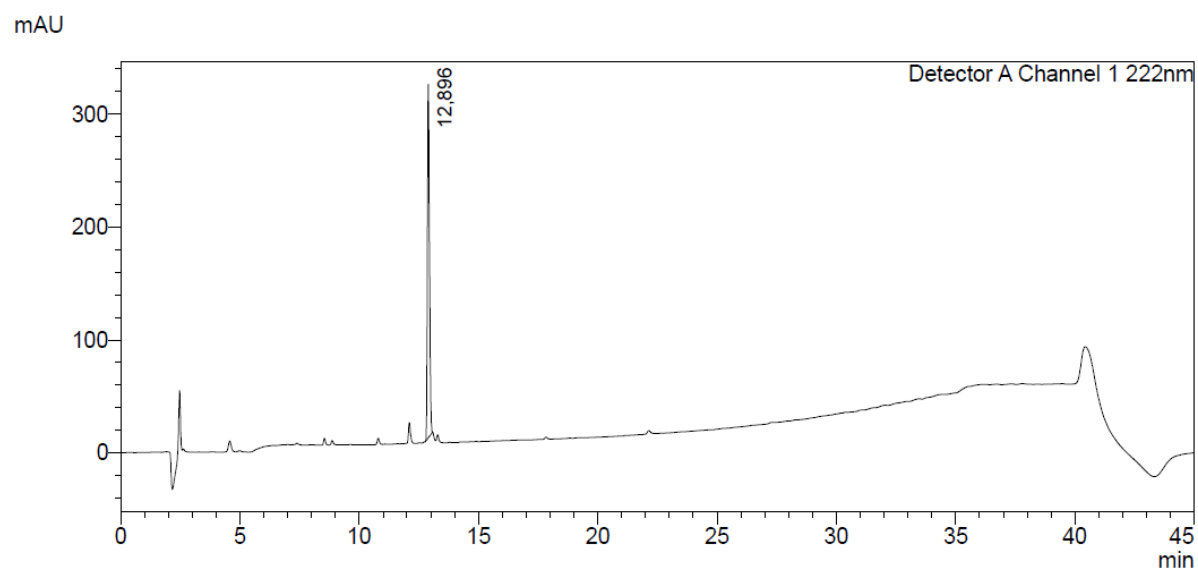


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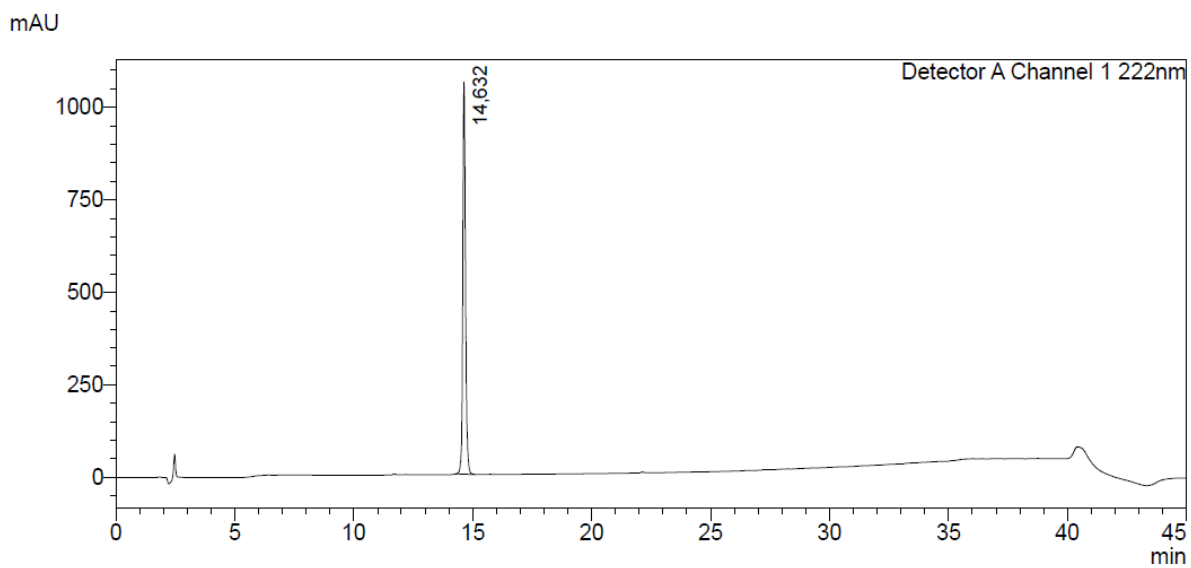


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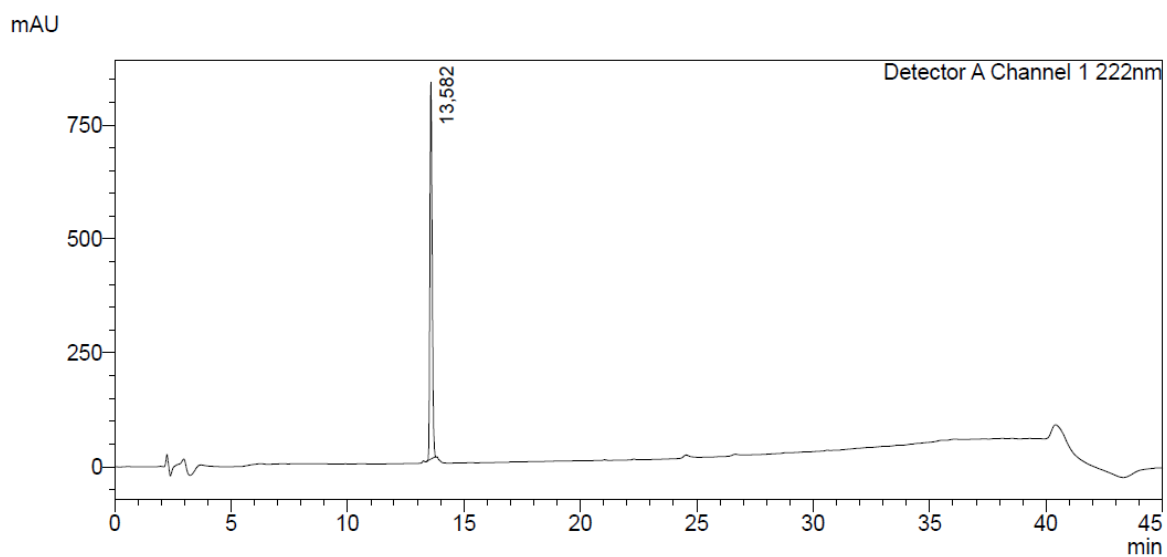


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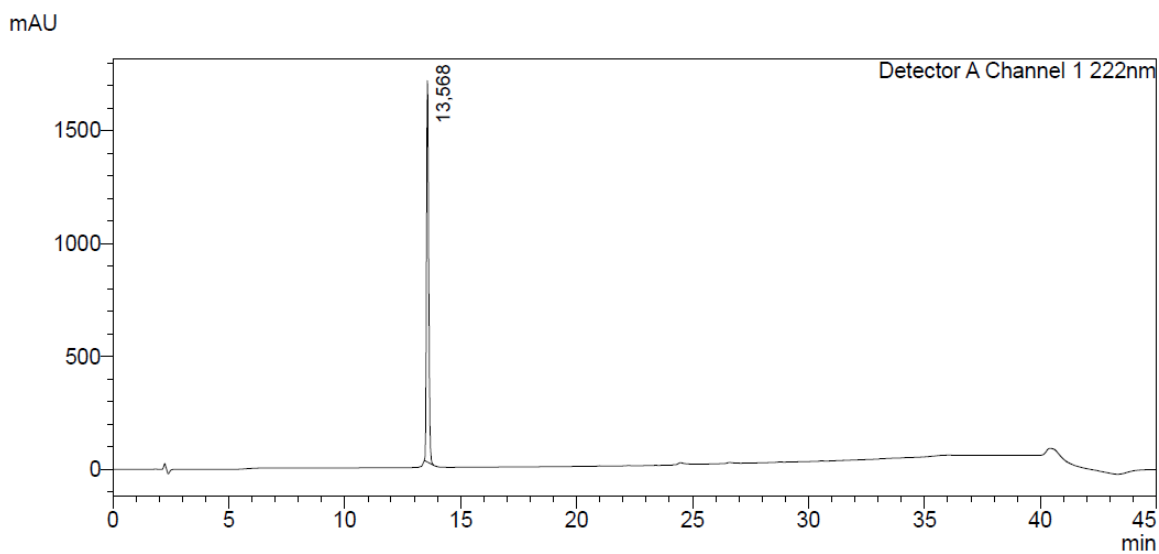


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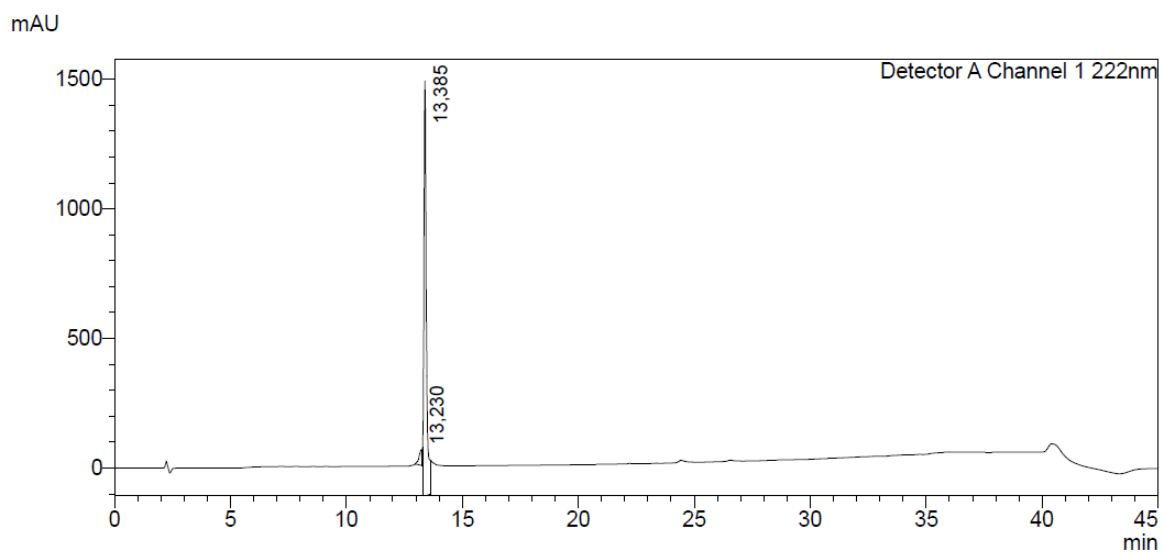


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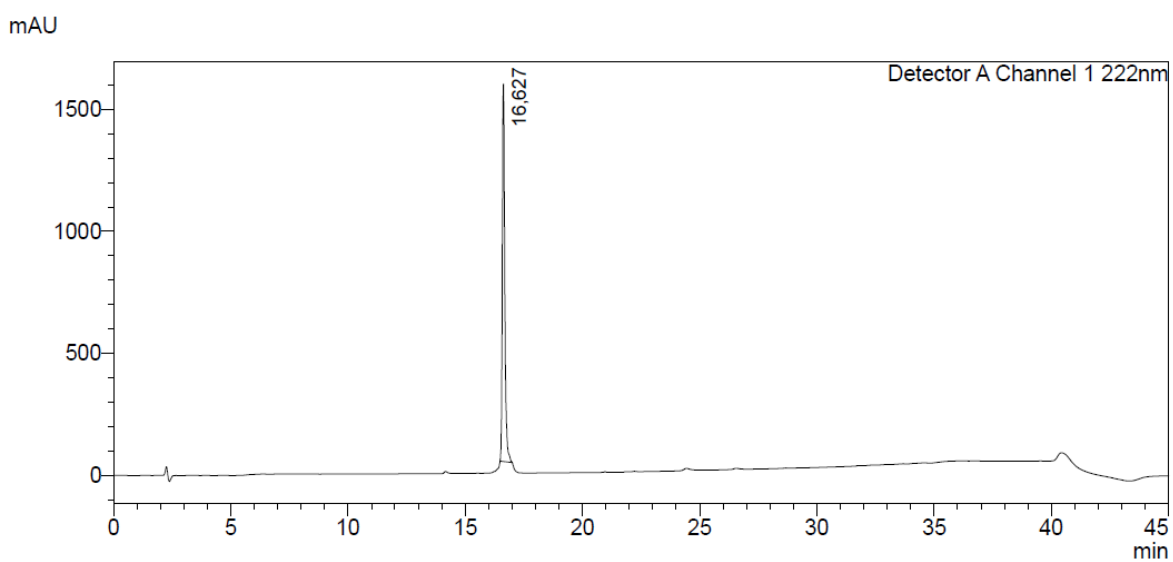


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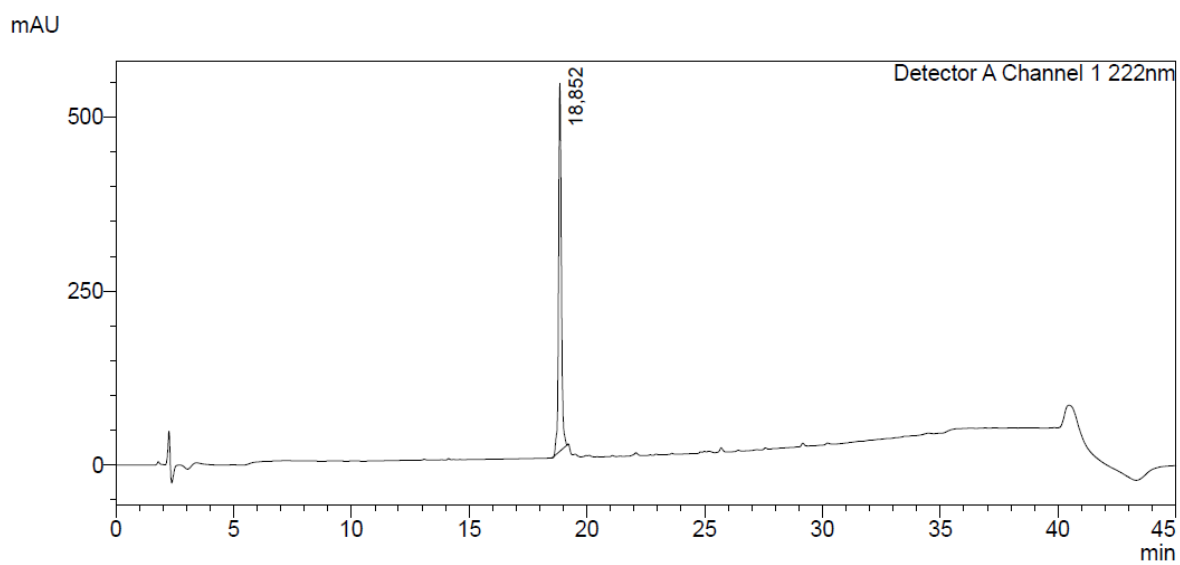


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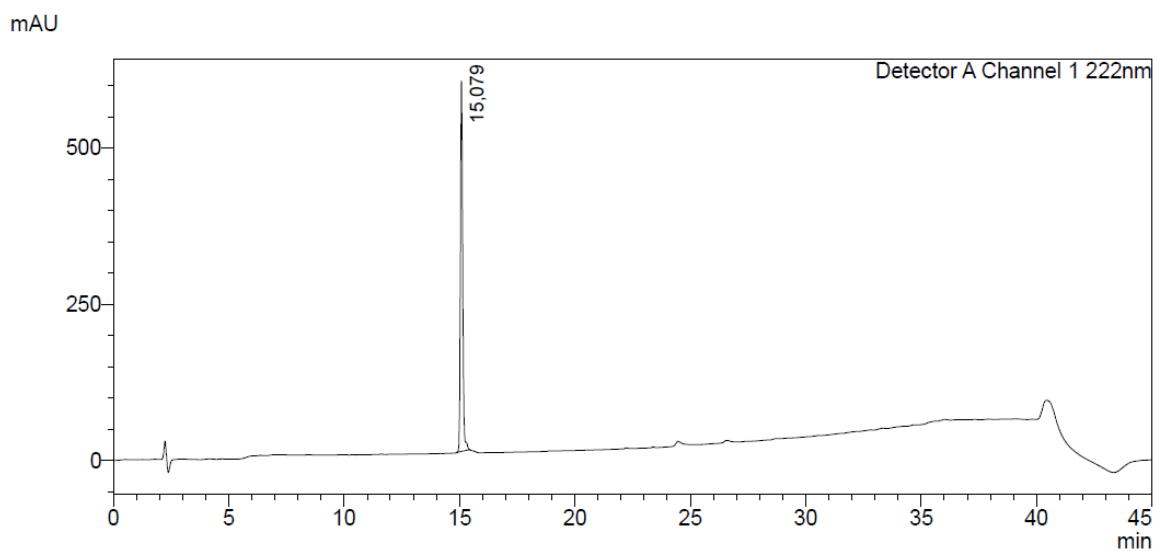


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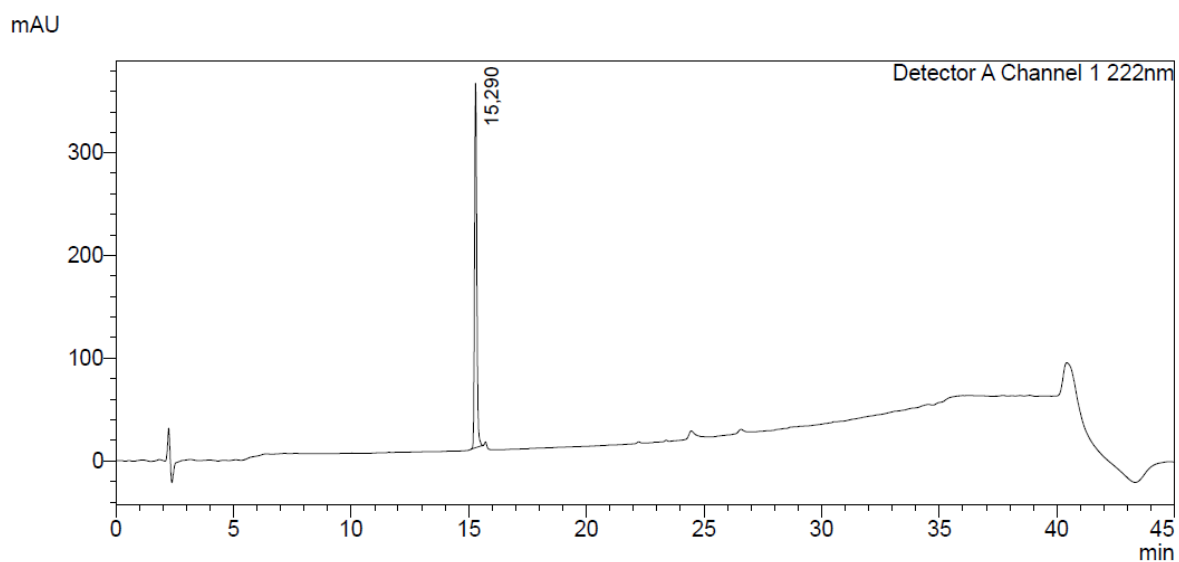


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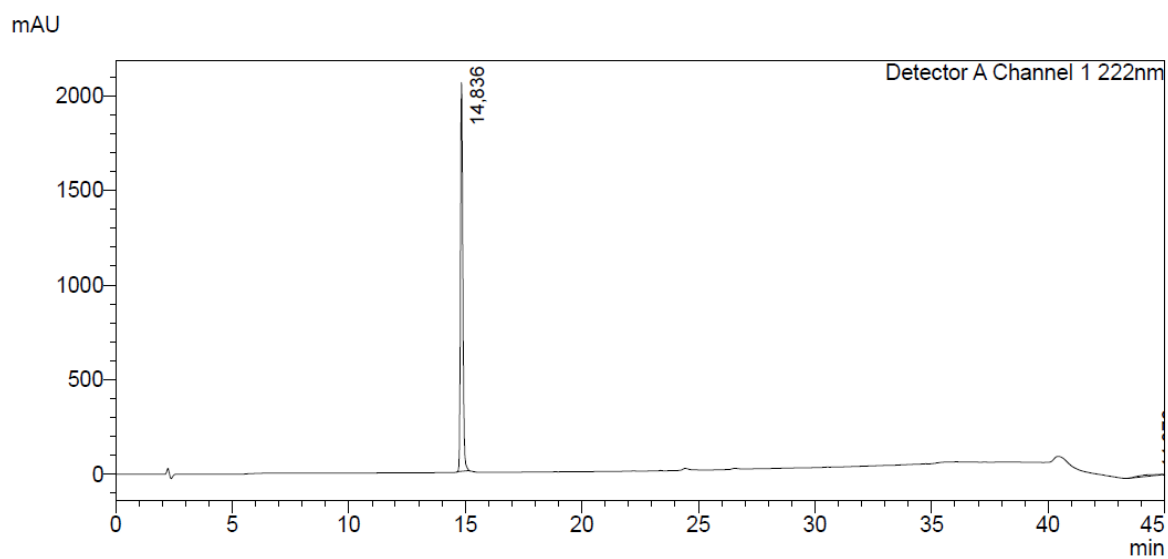


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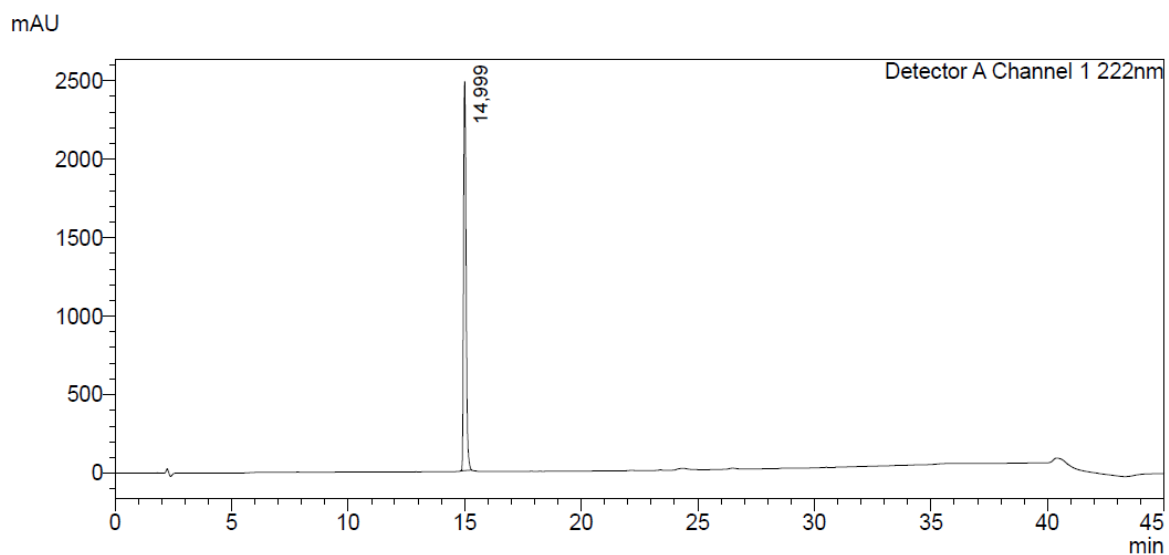


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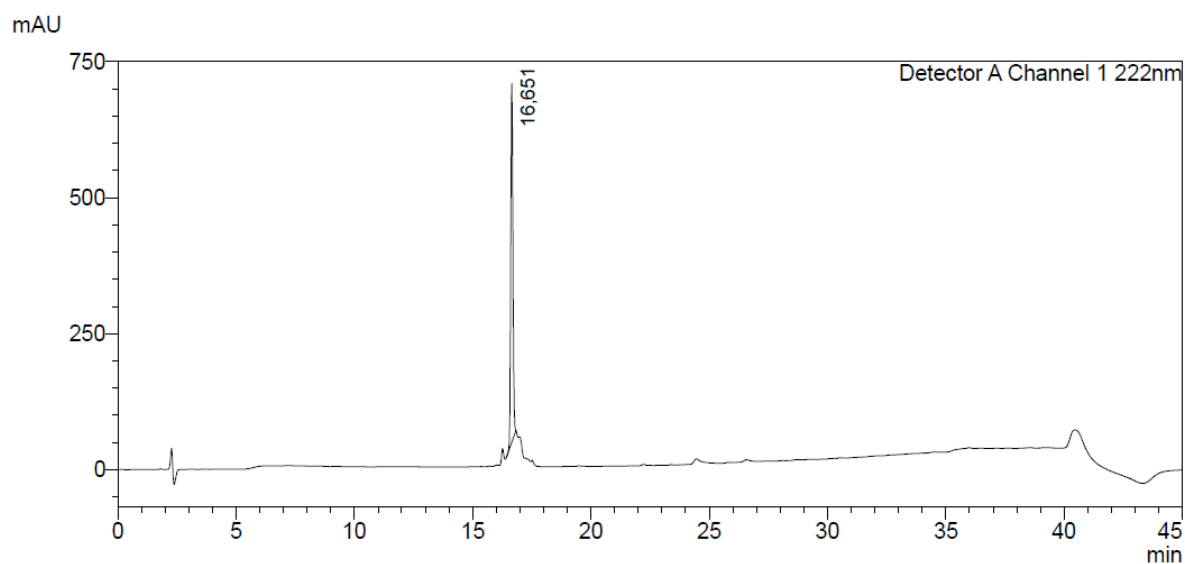


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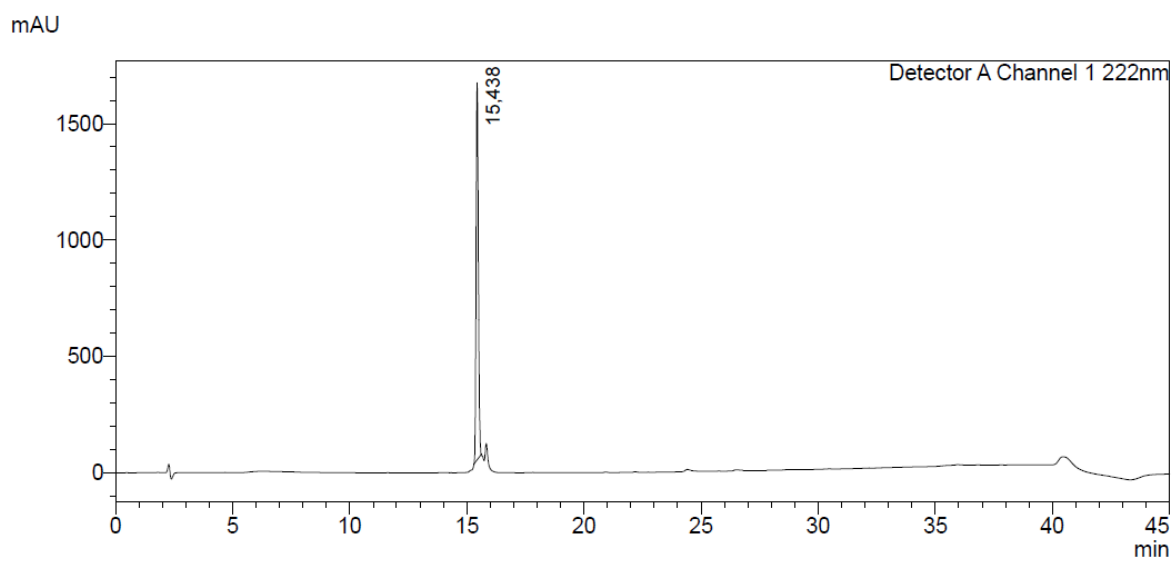


Figure S36. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 12.

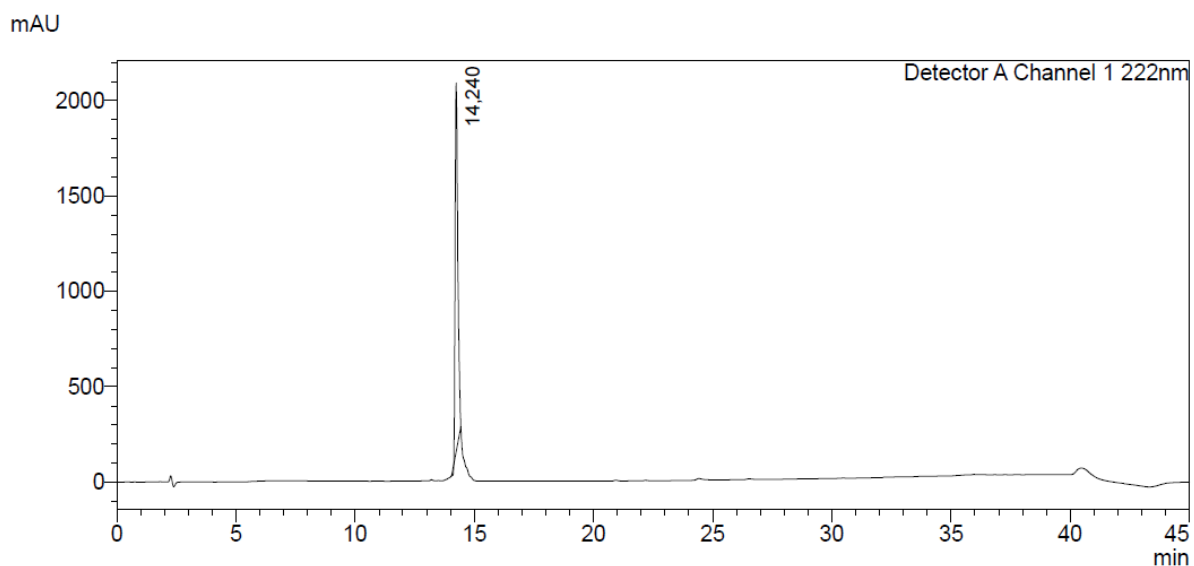


Figure S37. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 13.

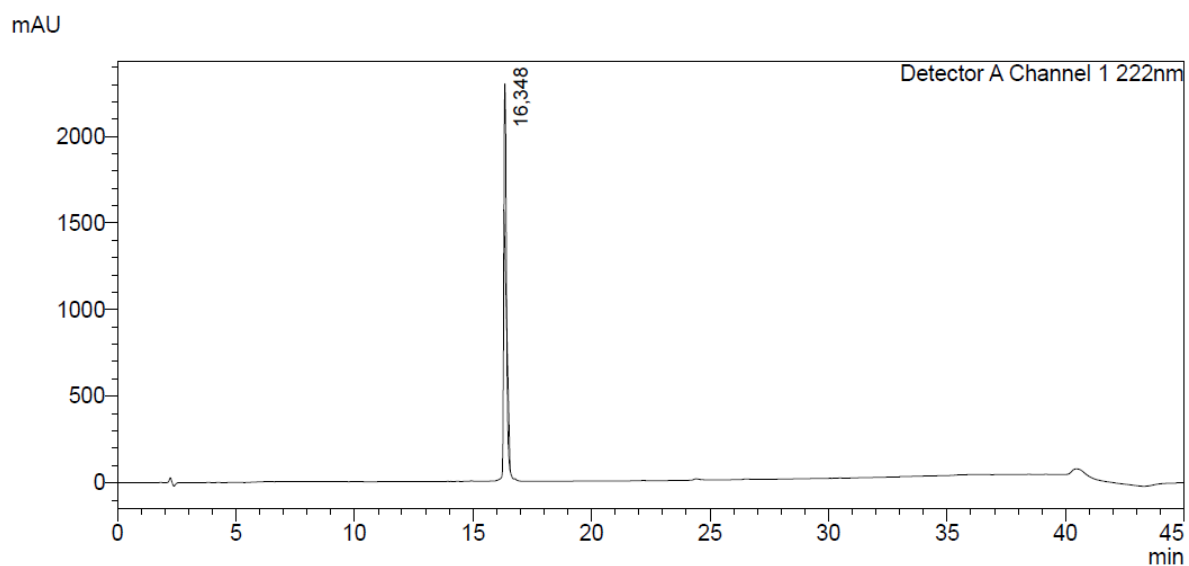


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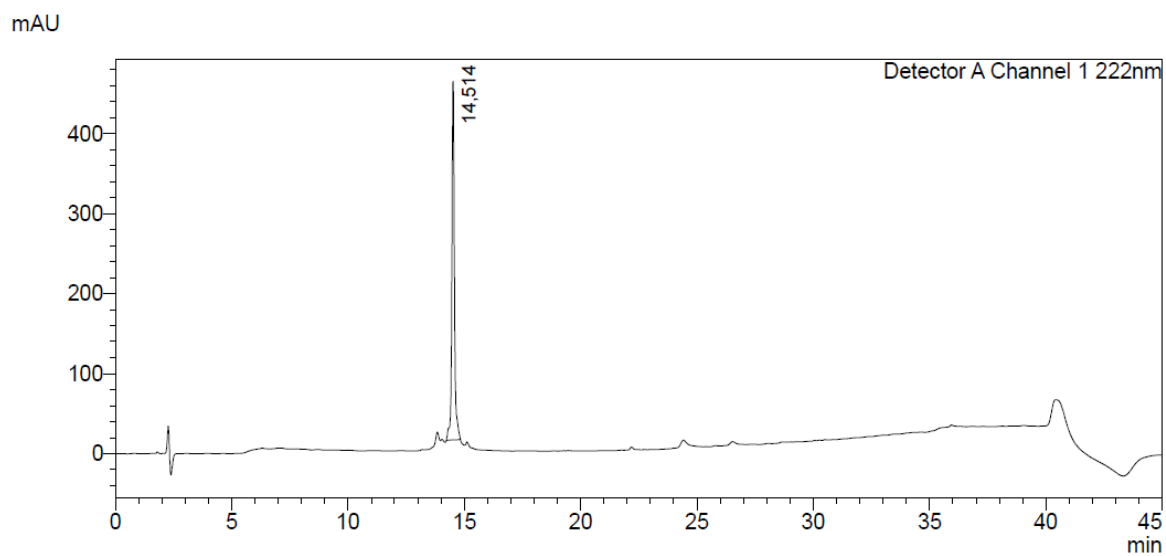


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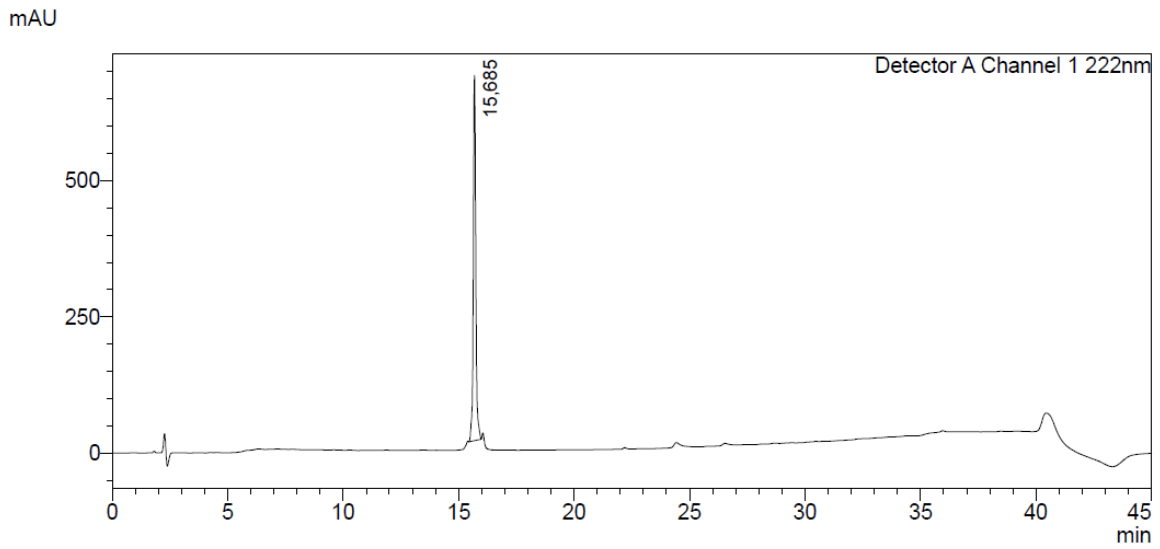


Figure S40. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **16**.

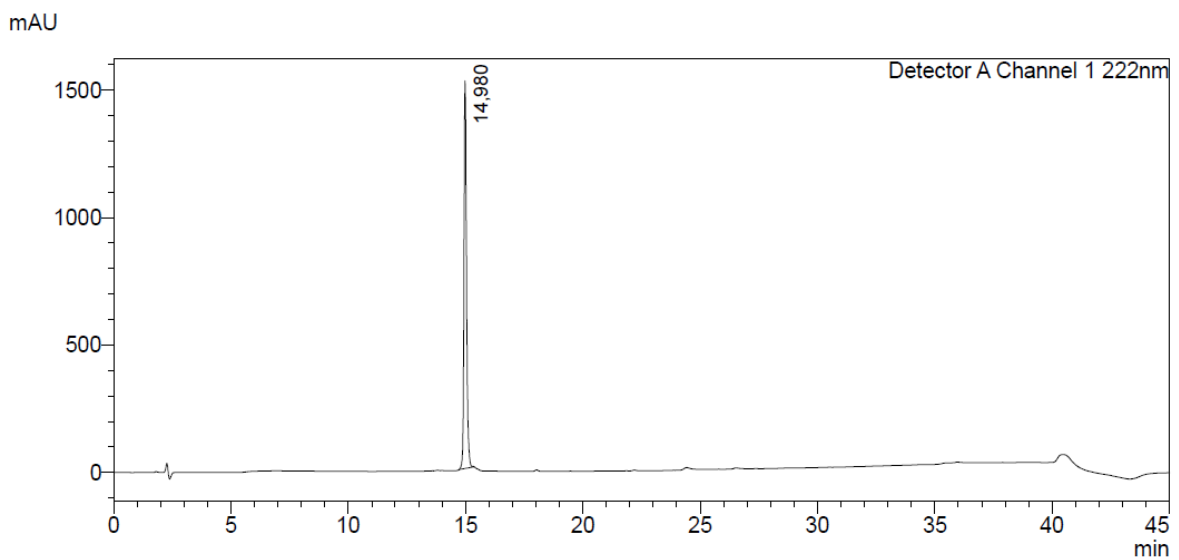


Figure S41. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **17**.

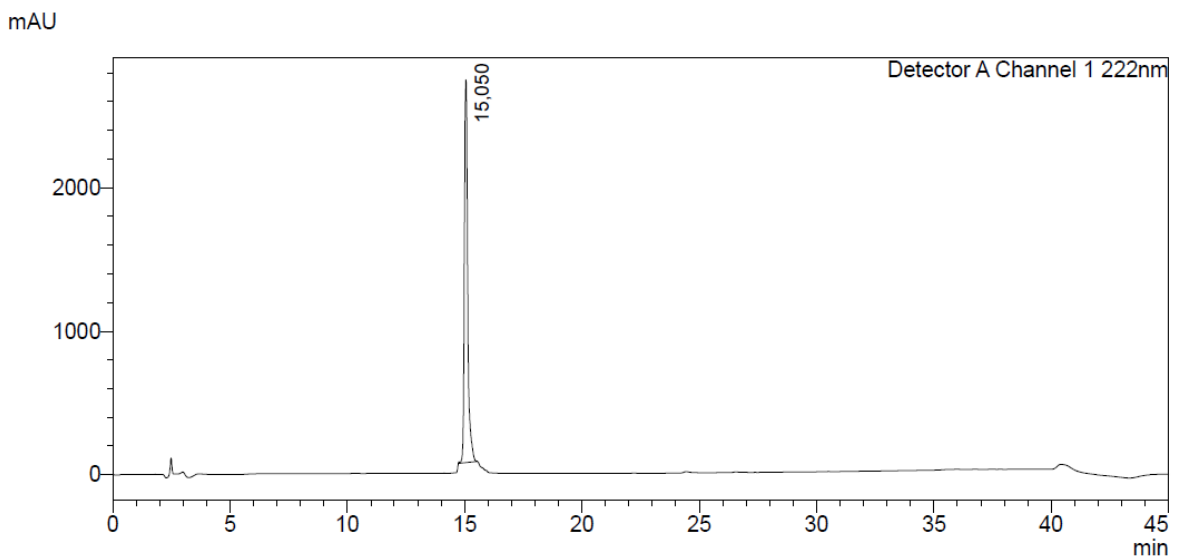


Figure S42. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **18**.

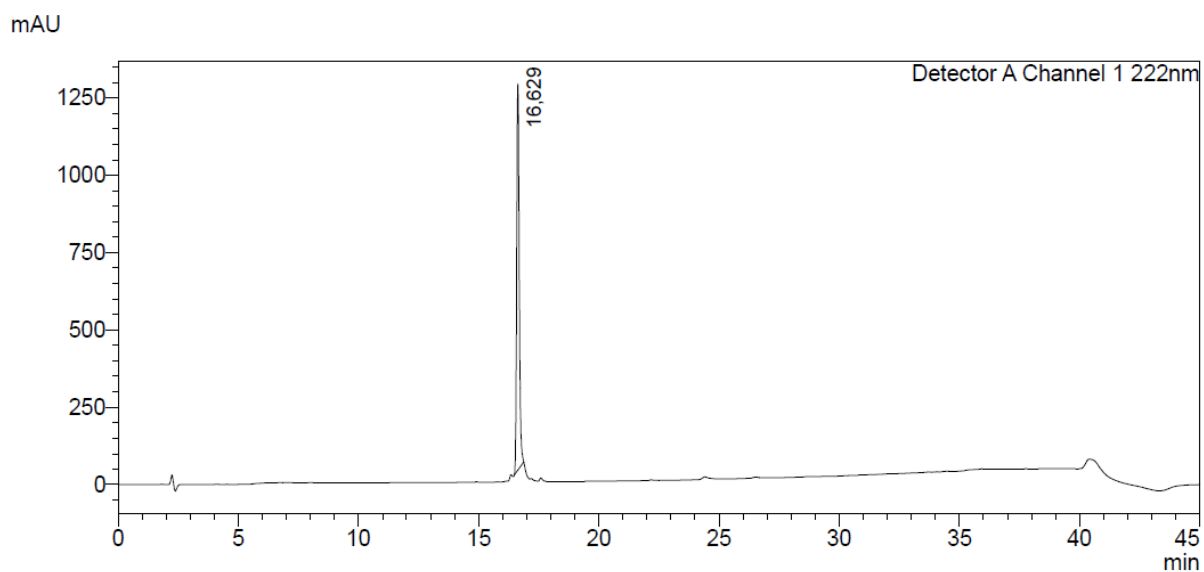


Figure S43. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 19.

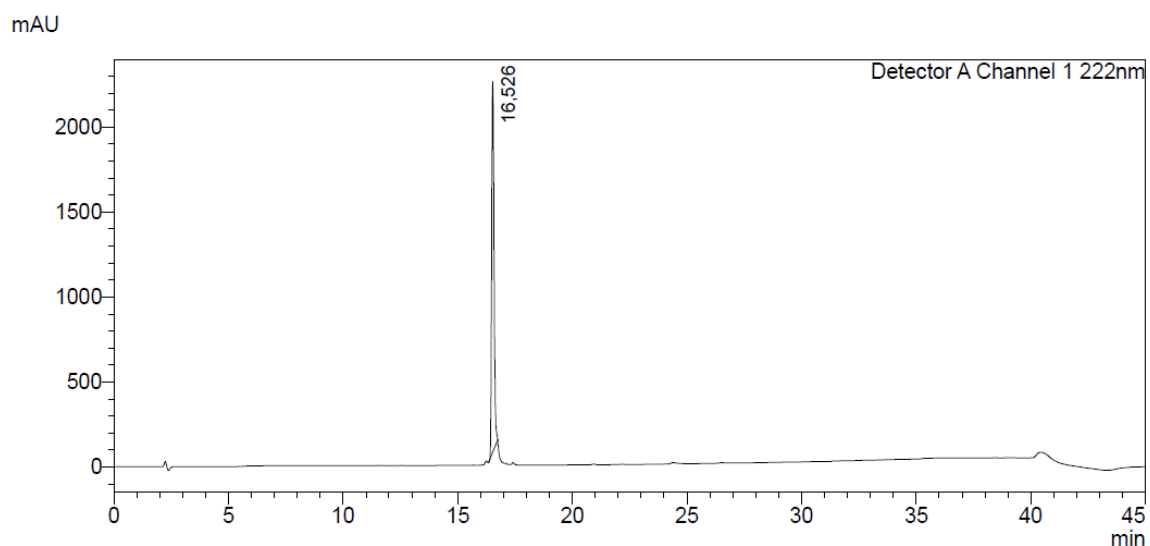


Figure S44. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 20.

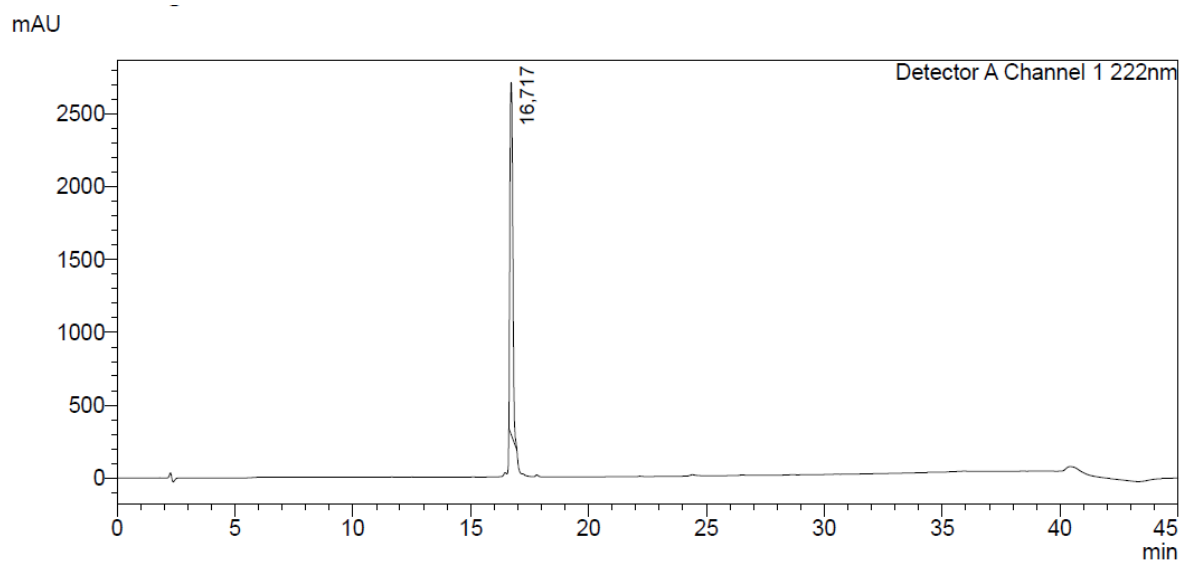


Figure S45. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 21.

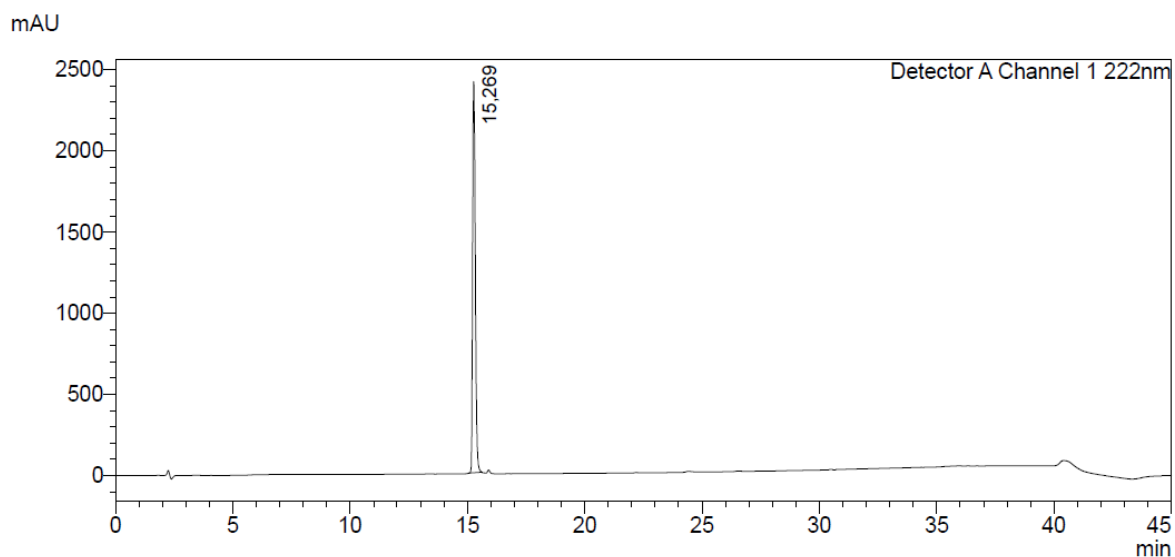


Figure S46. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **22**.

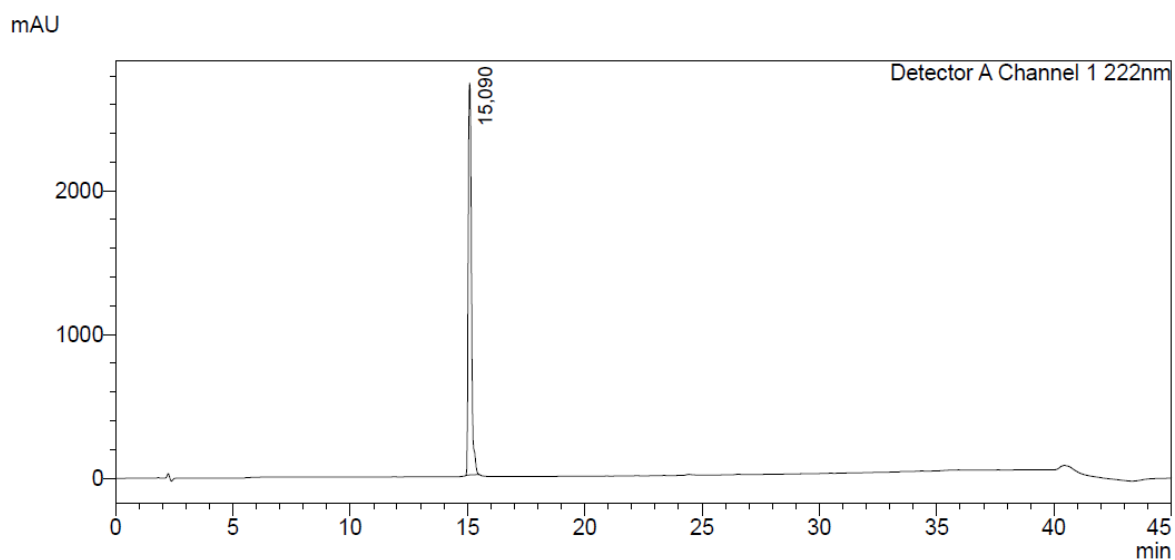


Figure S47. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **23**.

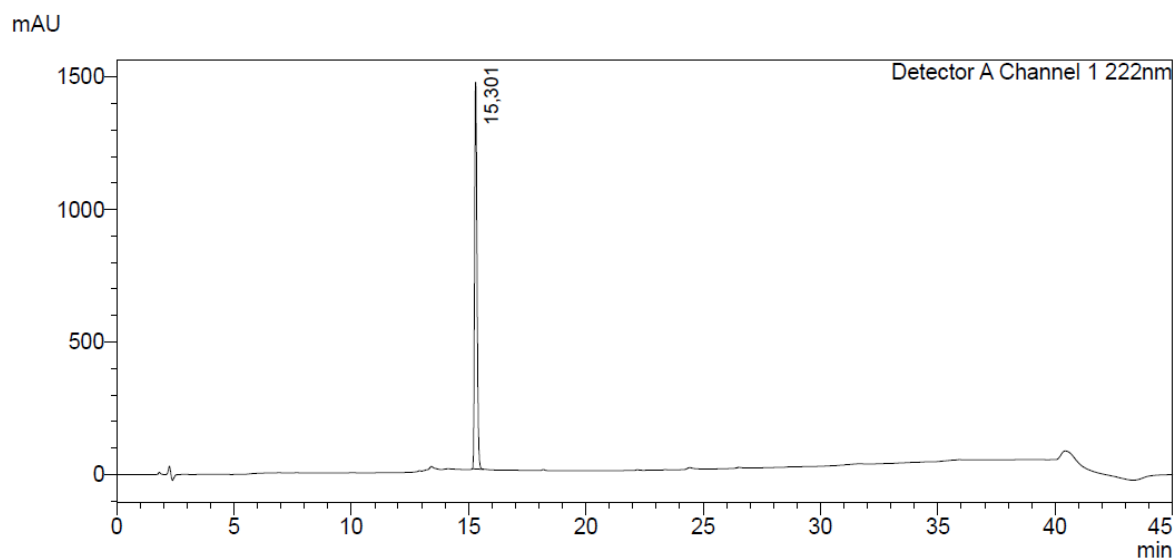


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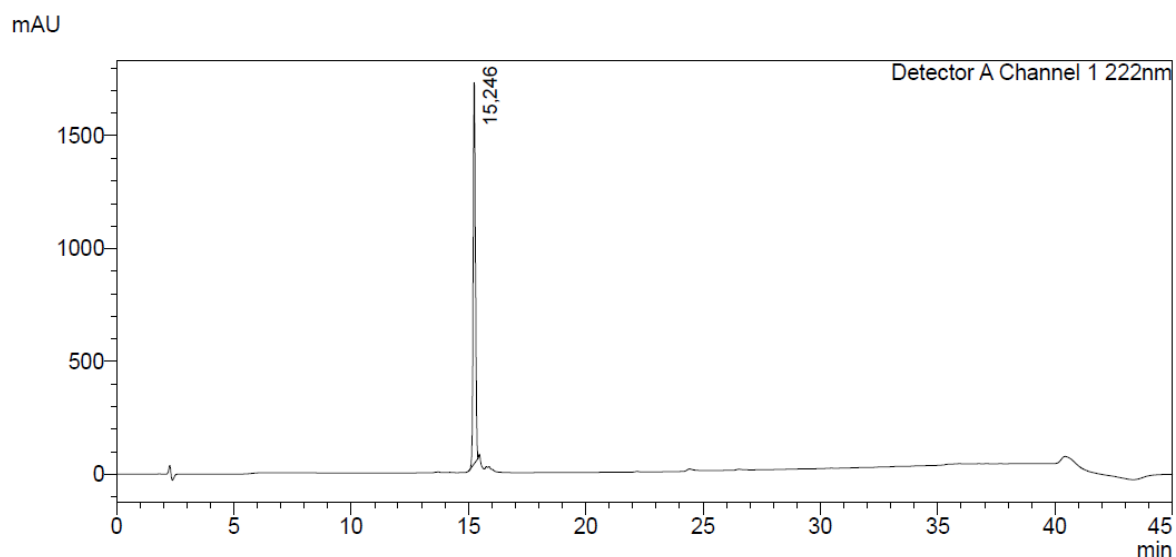


Figure S49. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 25.

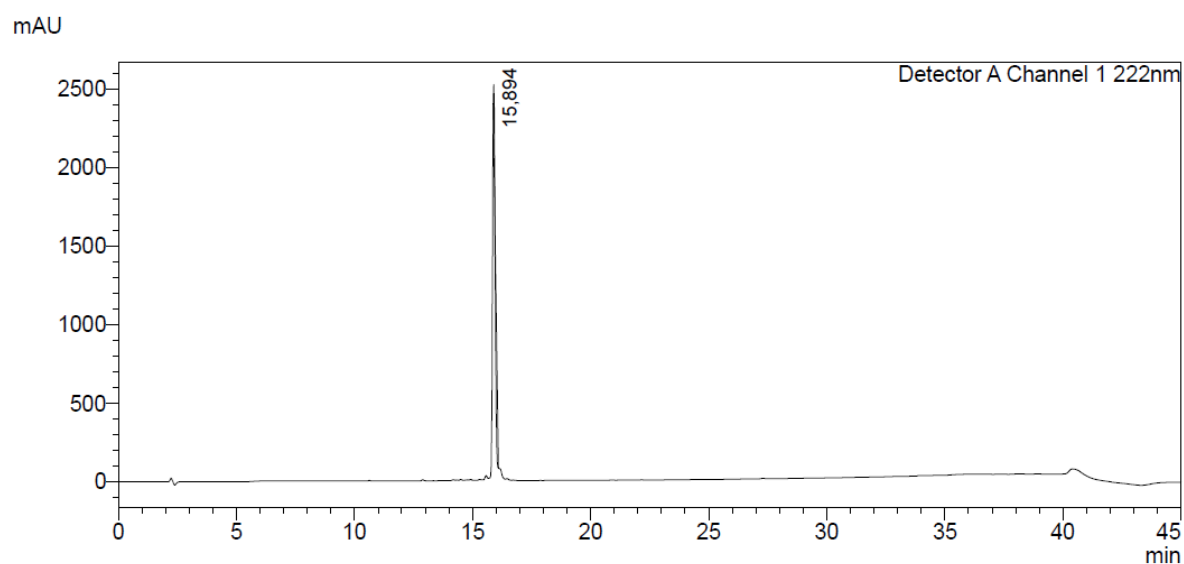


Figure S50. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 26.

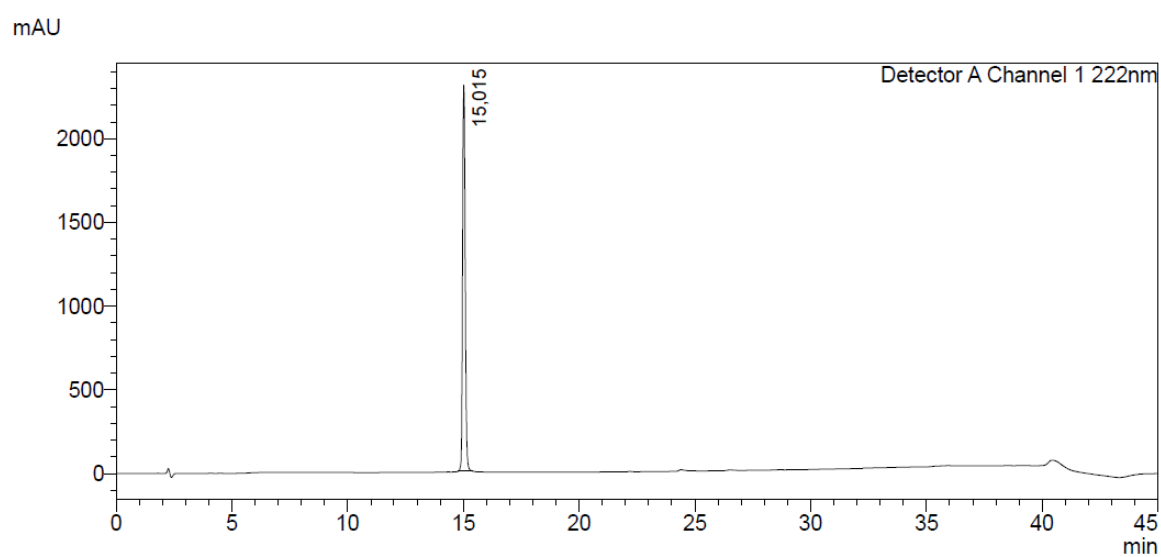


Figure S51. HPLC chromatogram of peptide 27.

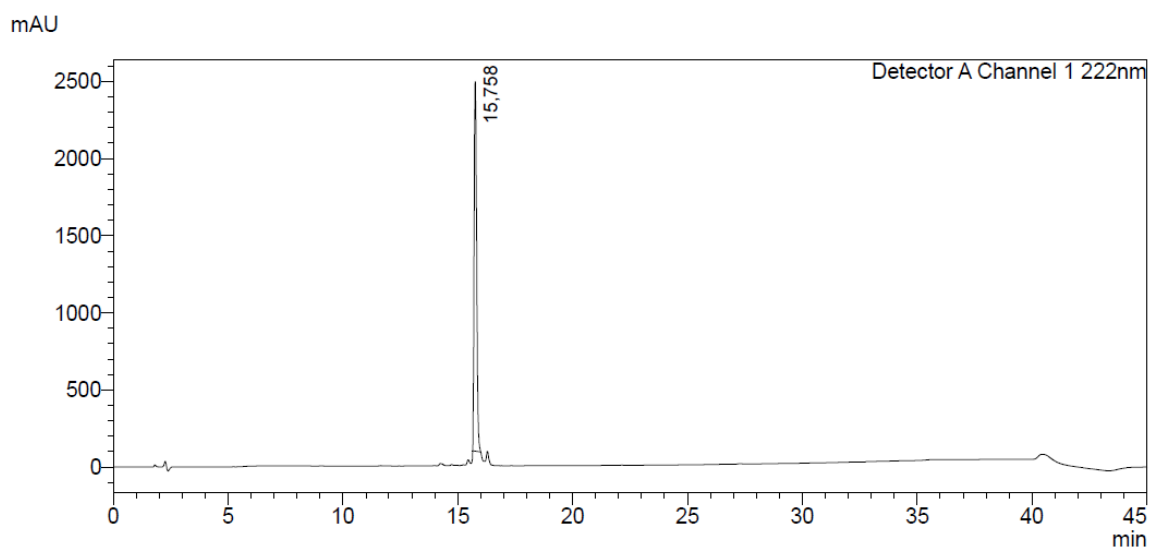


Figure S52. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **28**.

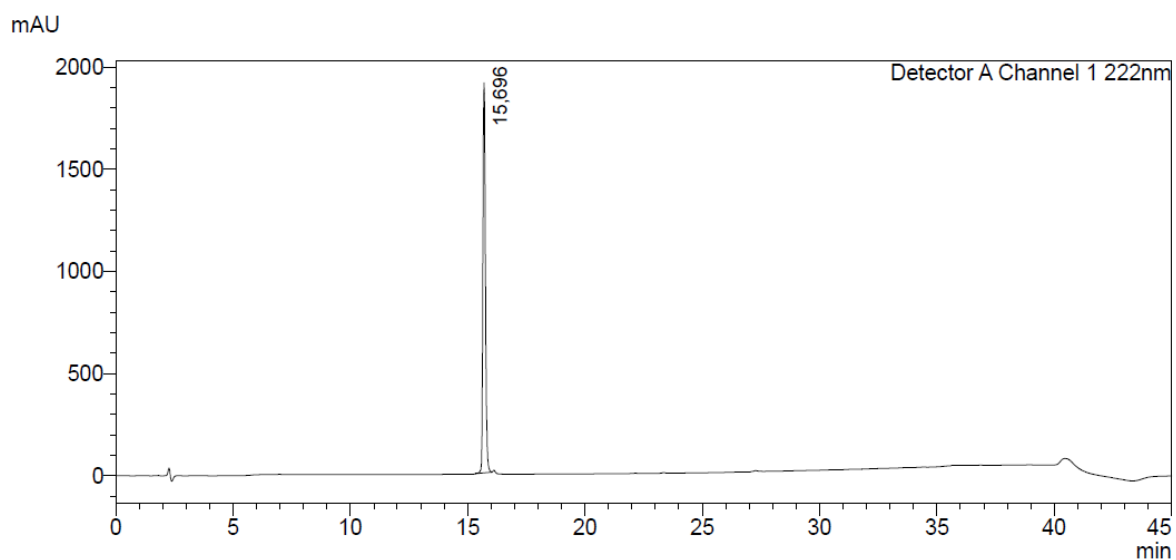


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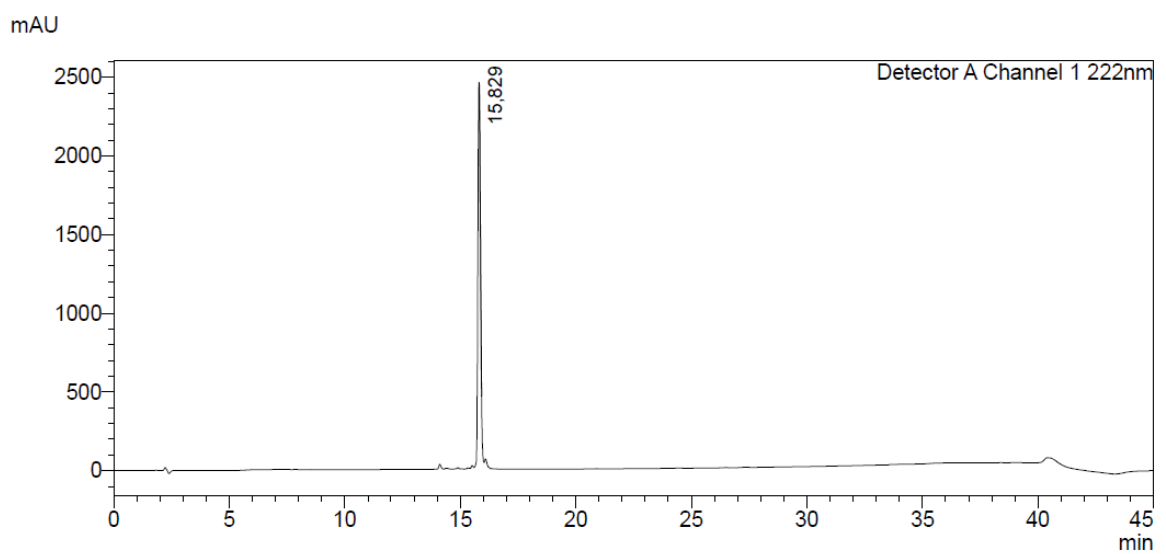


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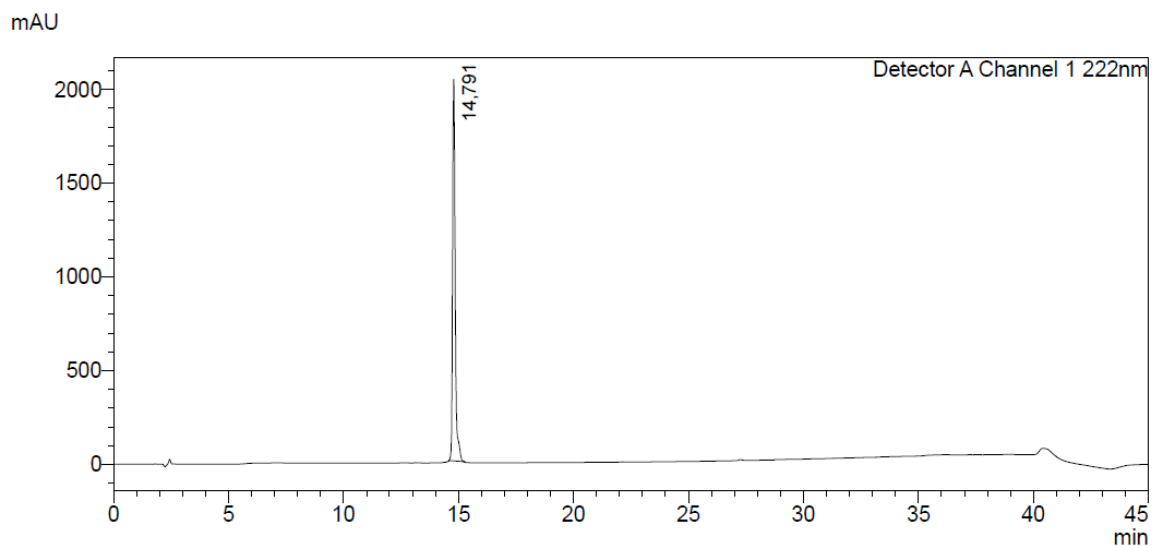


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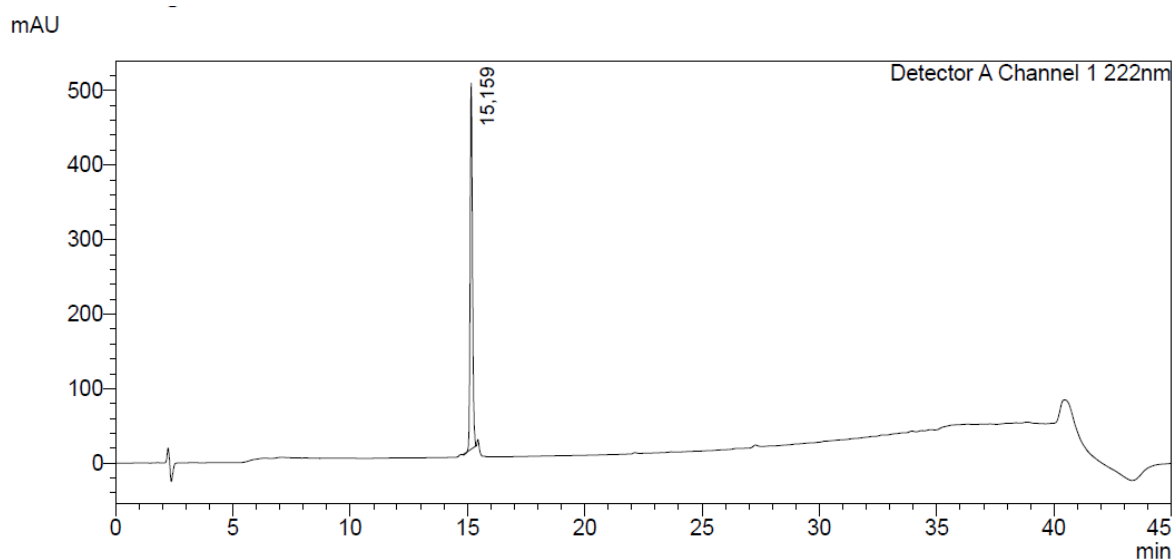


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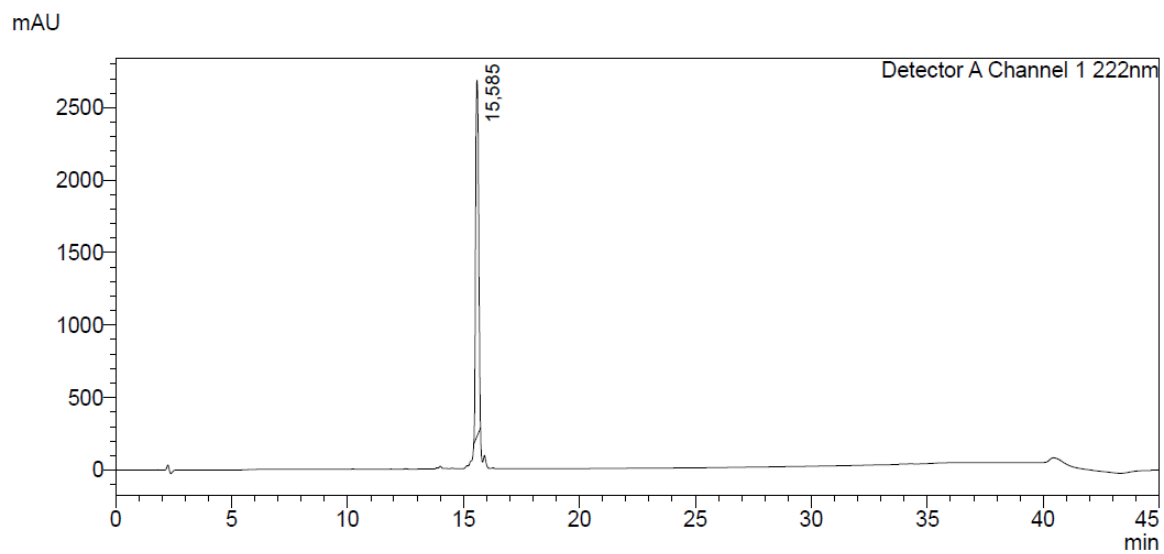


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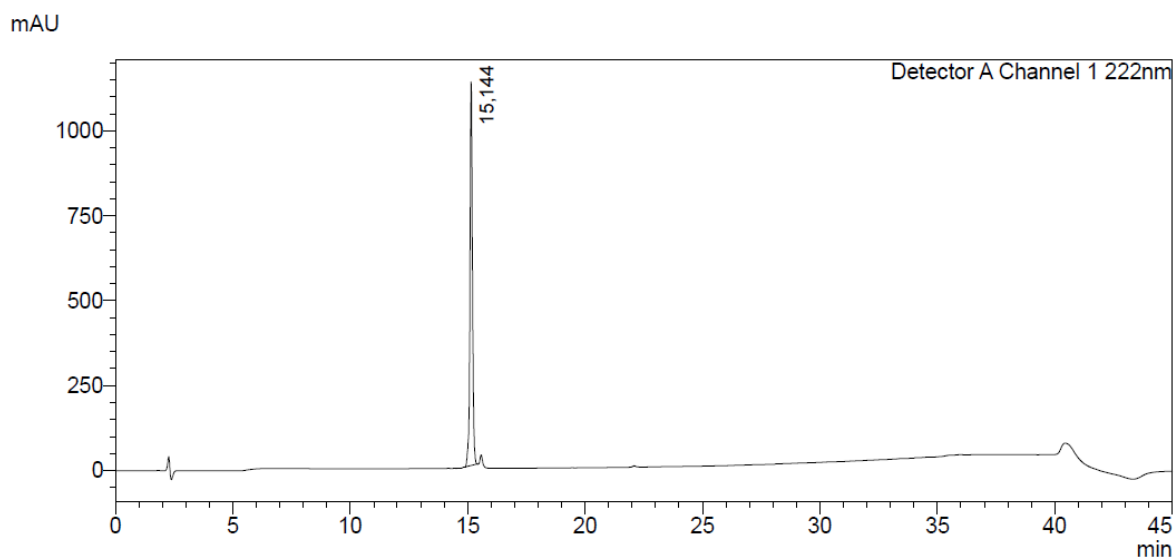


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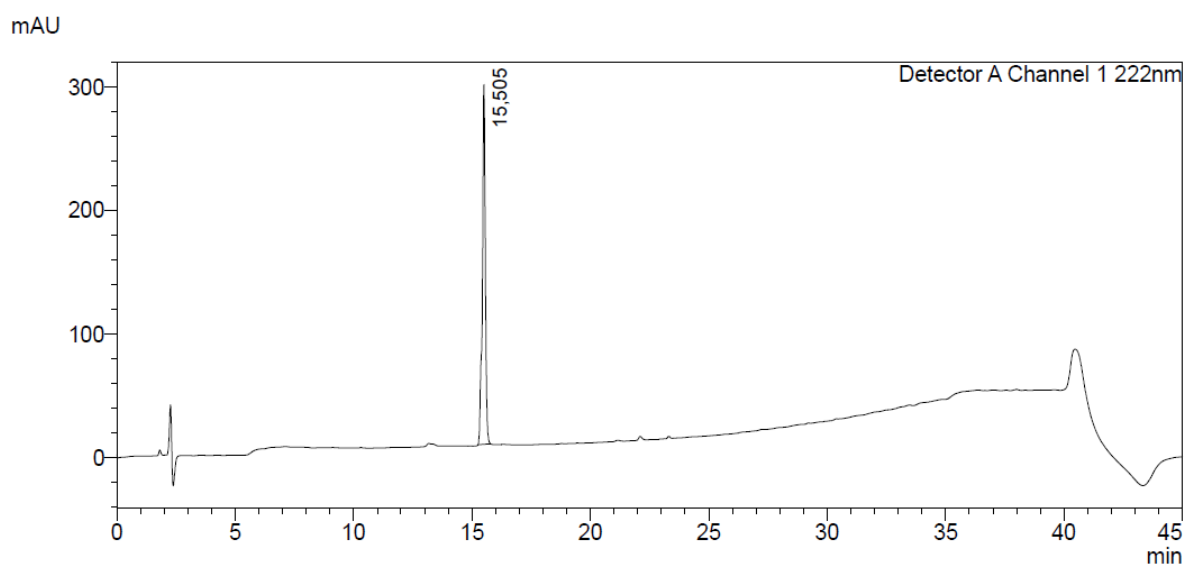


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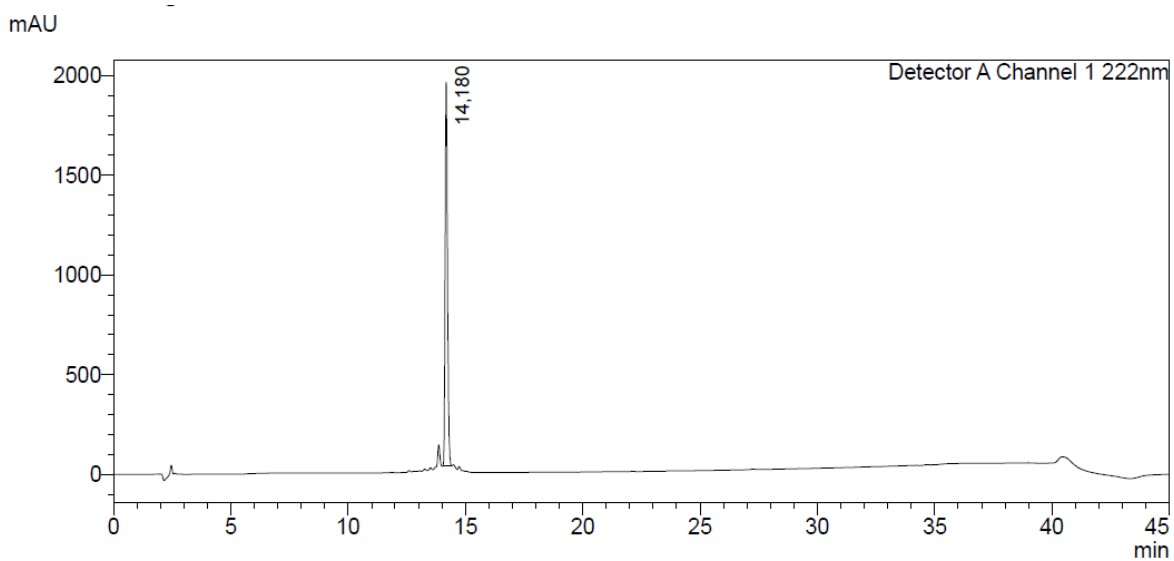


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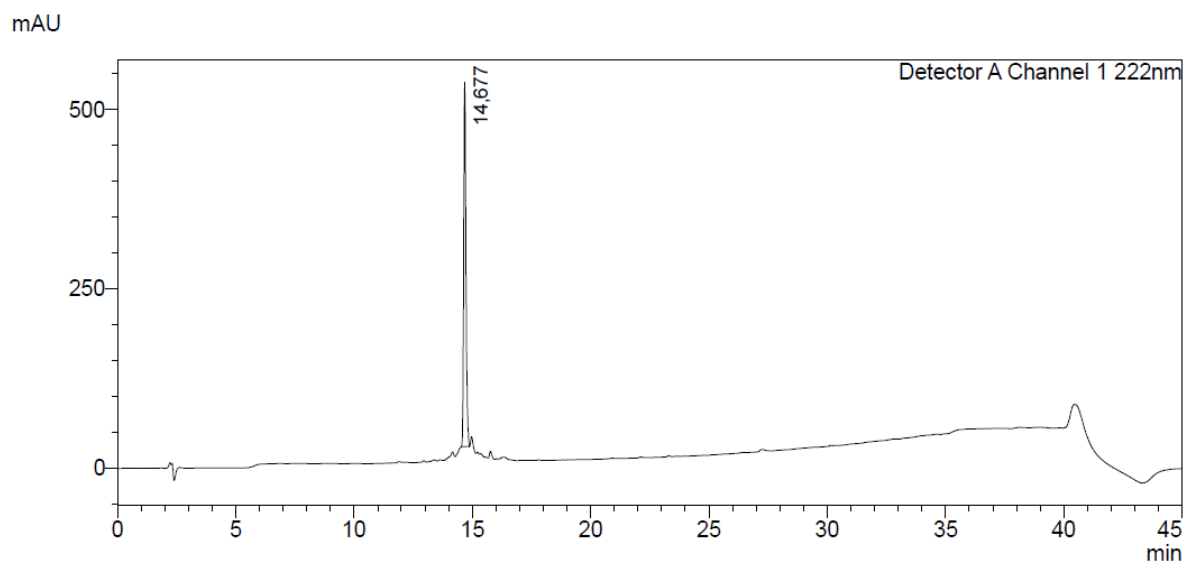


Figure S61. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **37**.

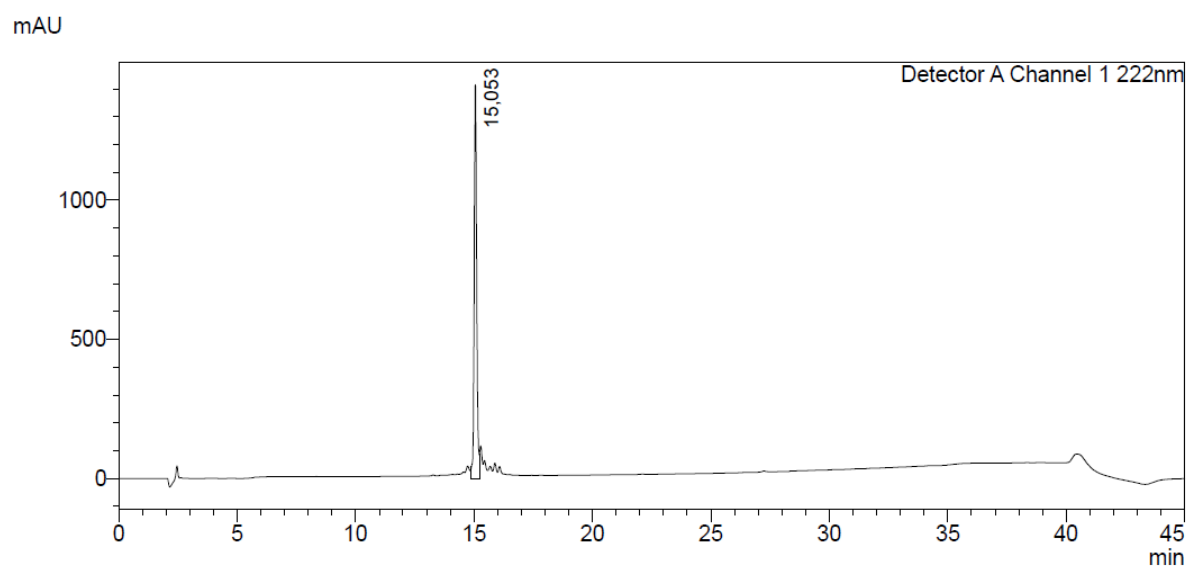


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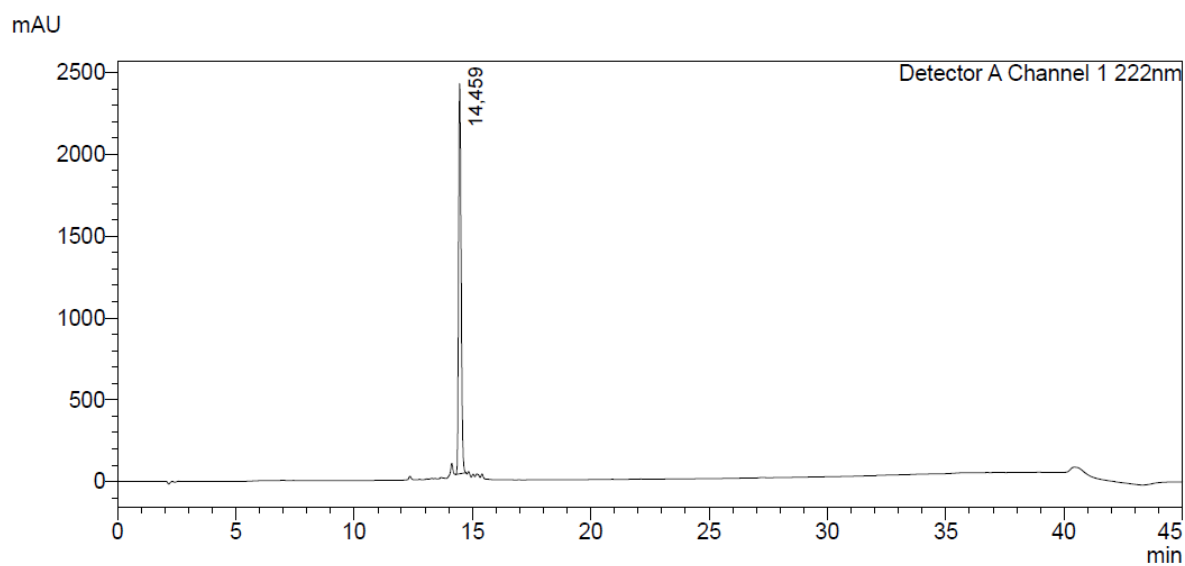


Figure S63. HPLC chromatogram of peptide **39**.

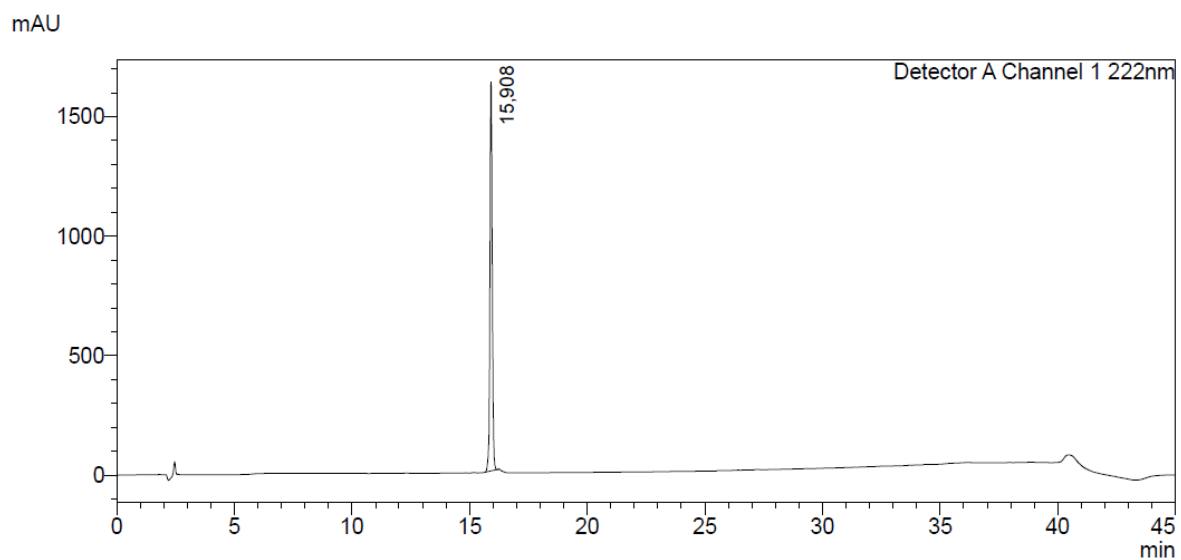


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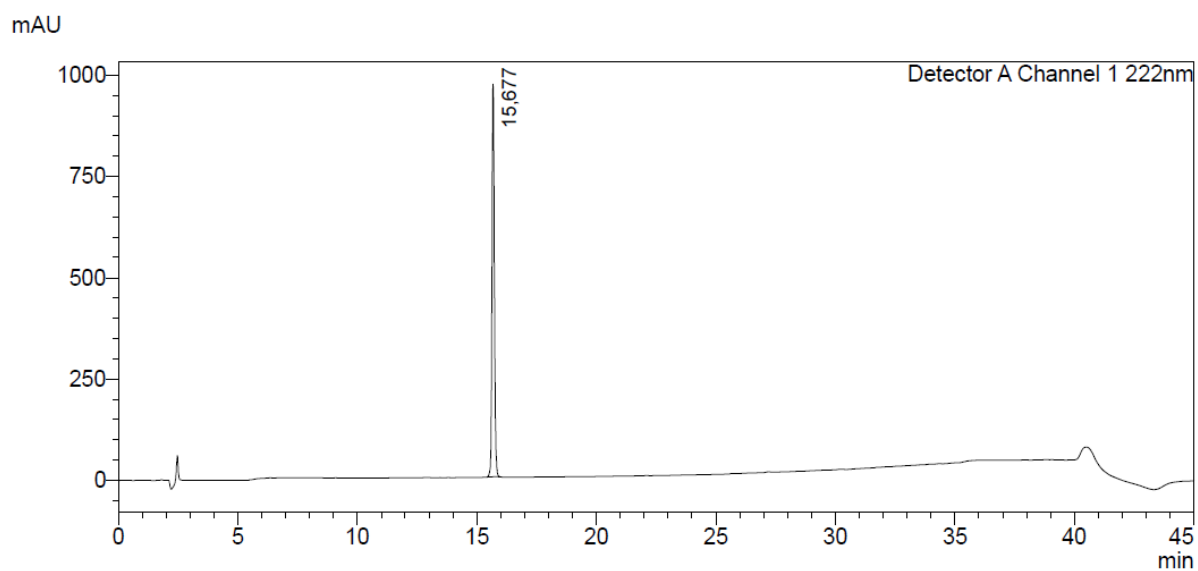


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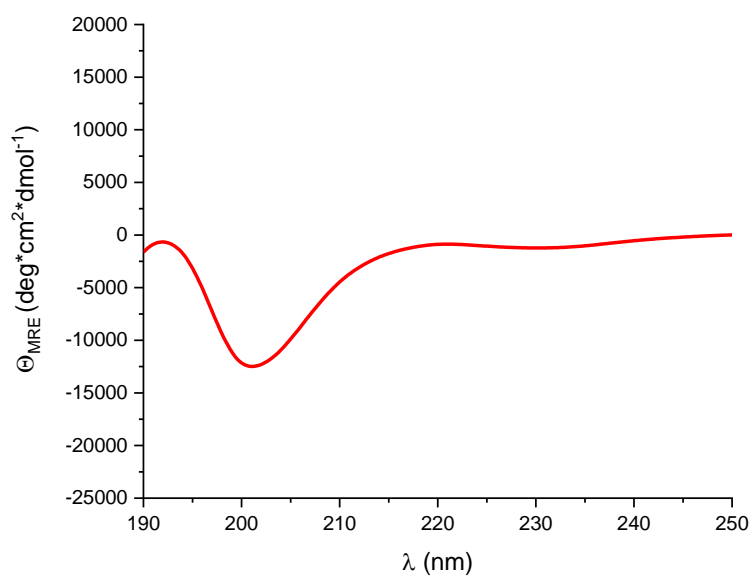


Figure S66. CD spectrum of peptide ACE α 1.

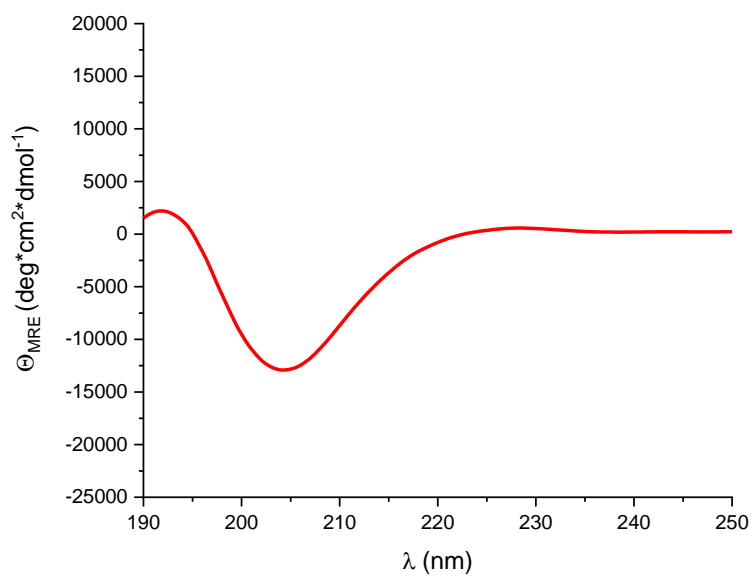


Figure S67. CD spectrum of peptide A1.

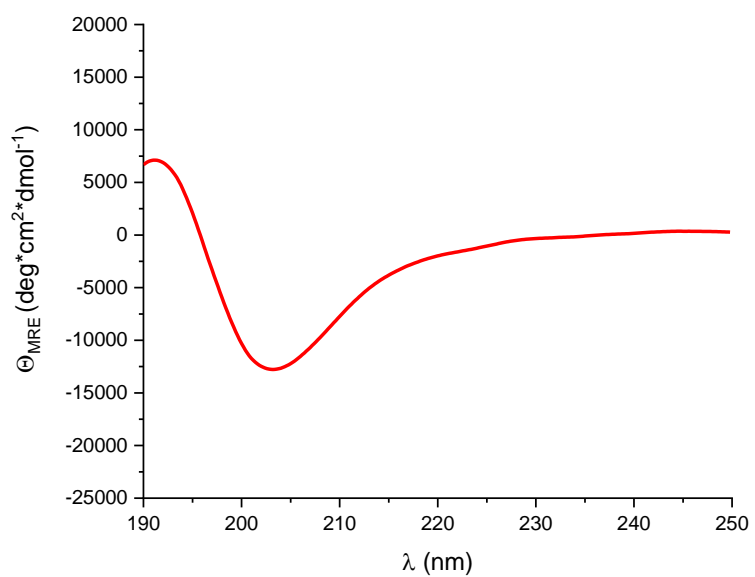


Figure S68. CD spectrum of peptide **A1a**.

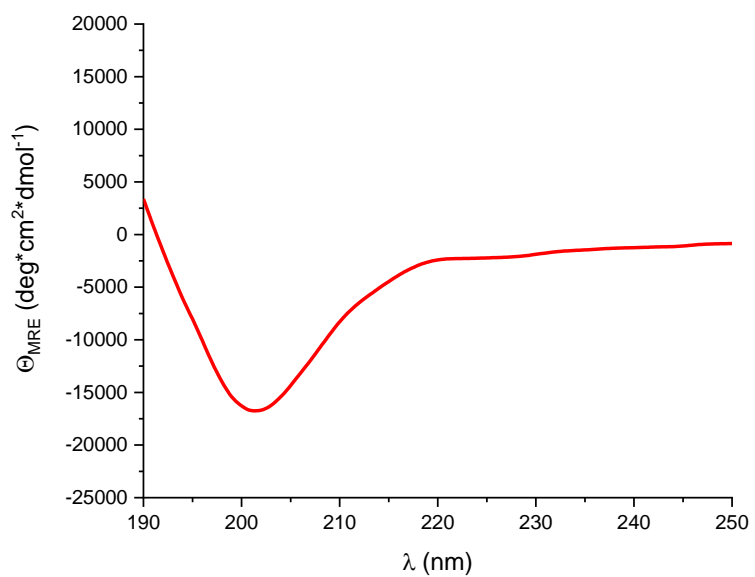


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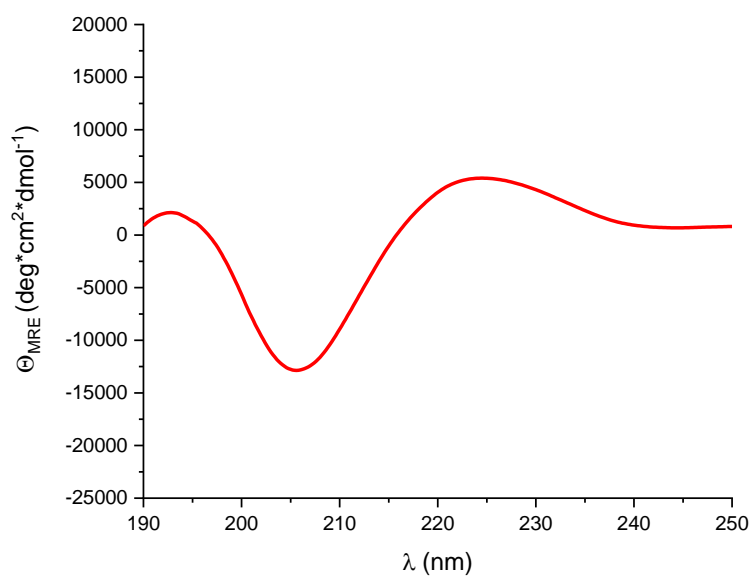


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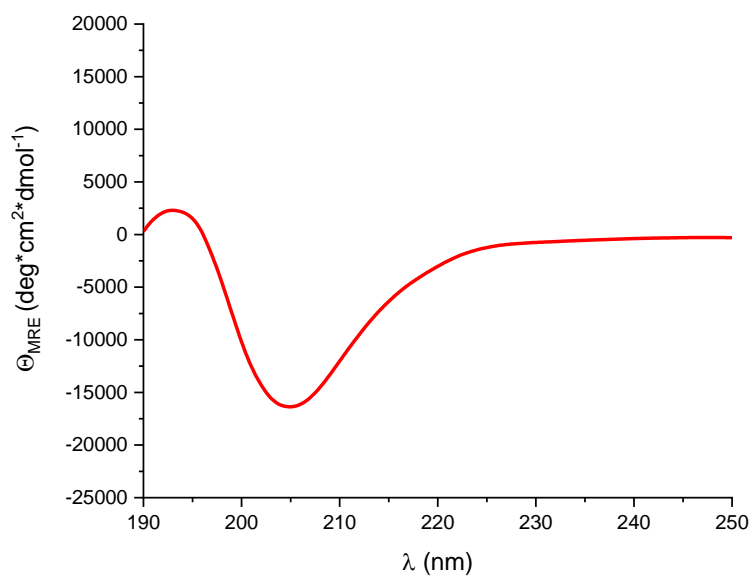


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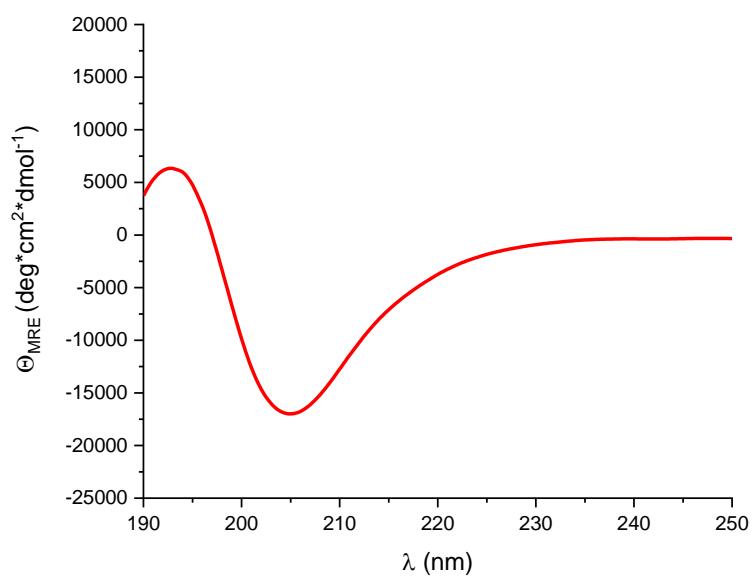


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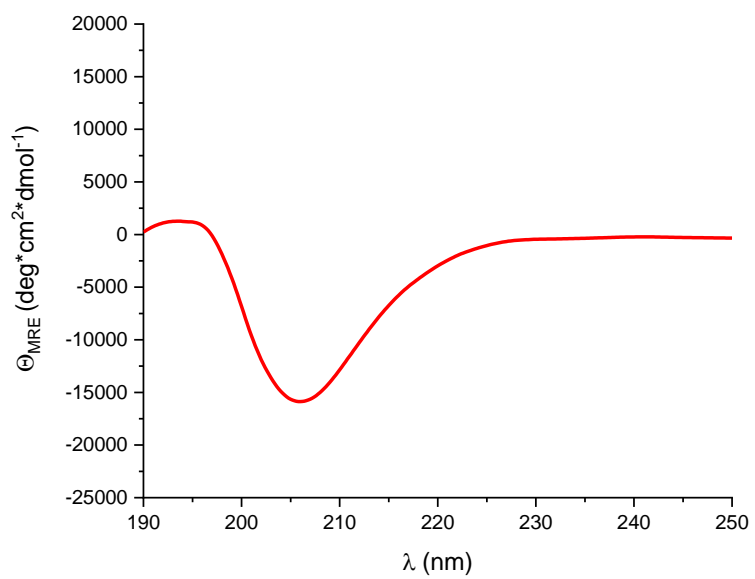


Figure S73. CD spectrum of peptide **A1v3**.

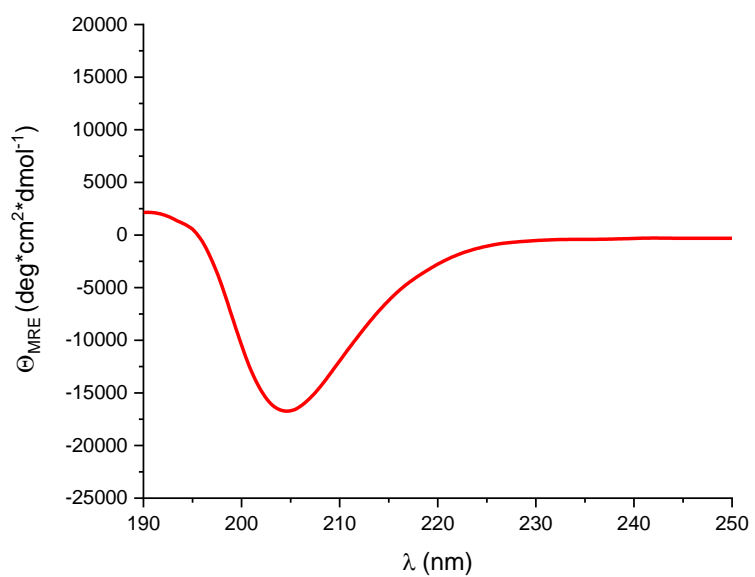


Figure S74. CD spectrum of peptide **A1v4**.

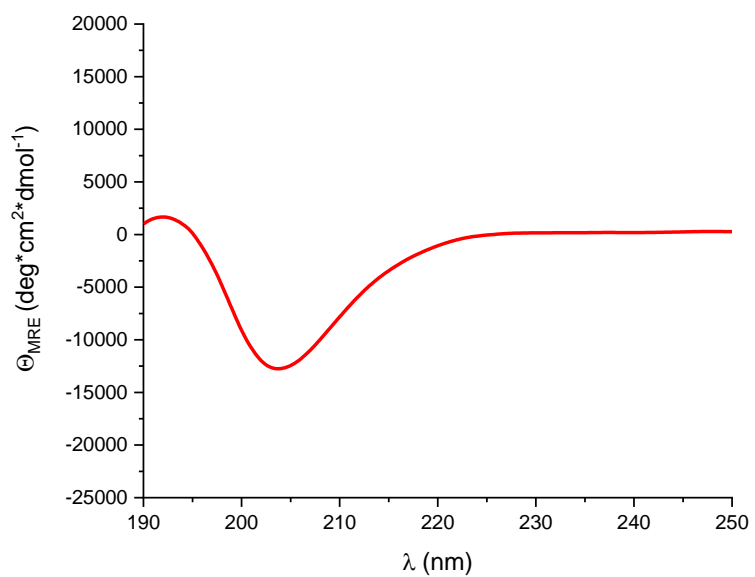


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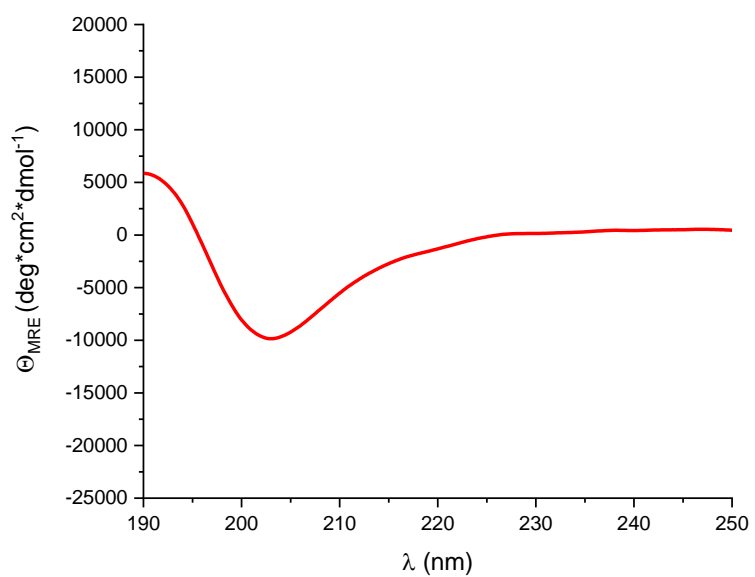


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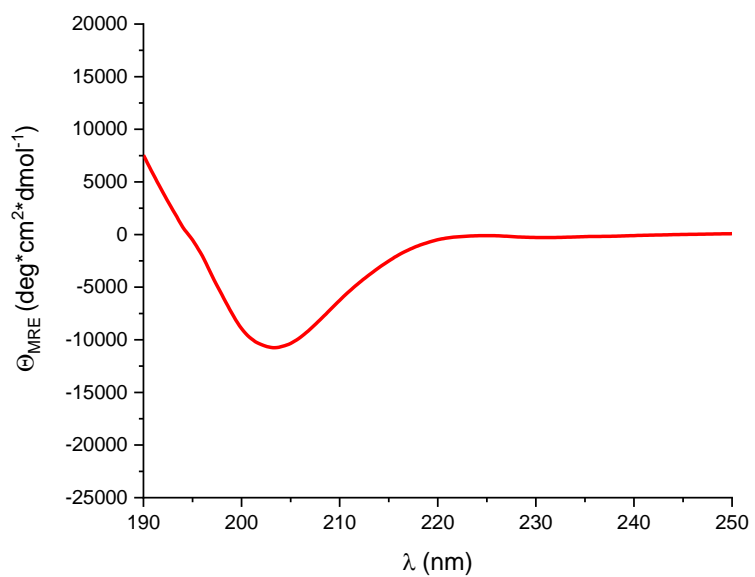


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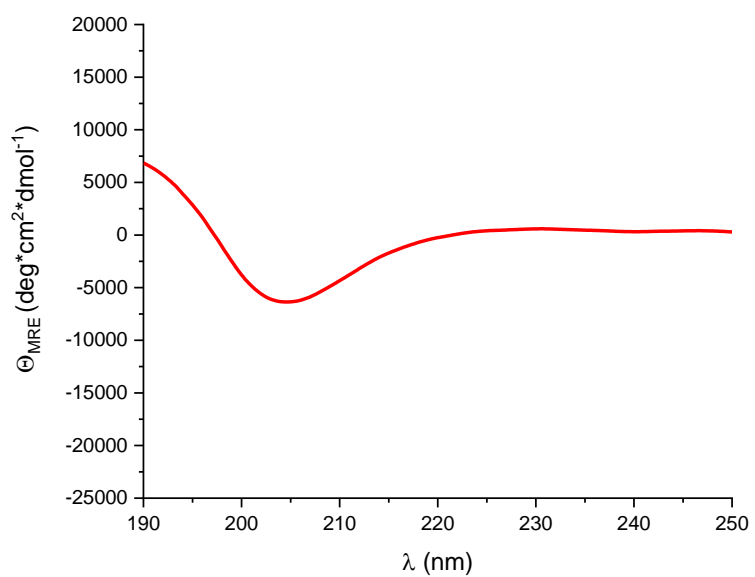


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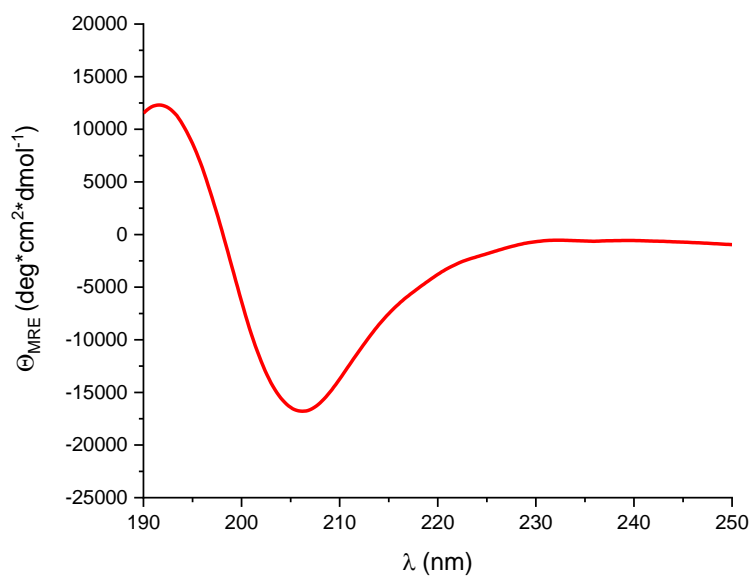


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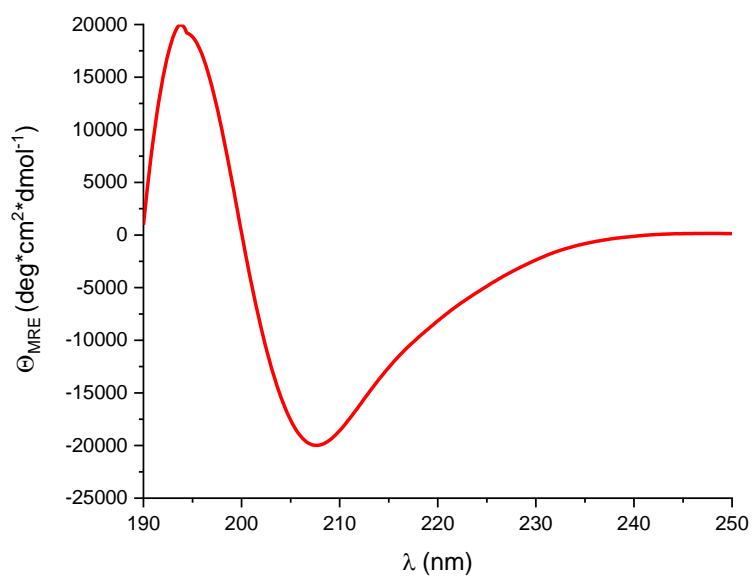


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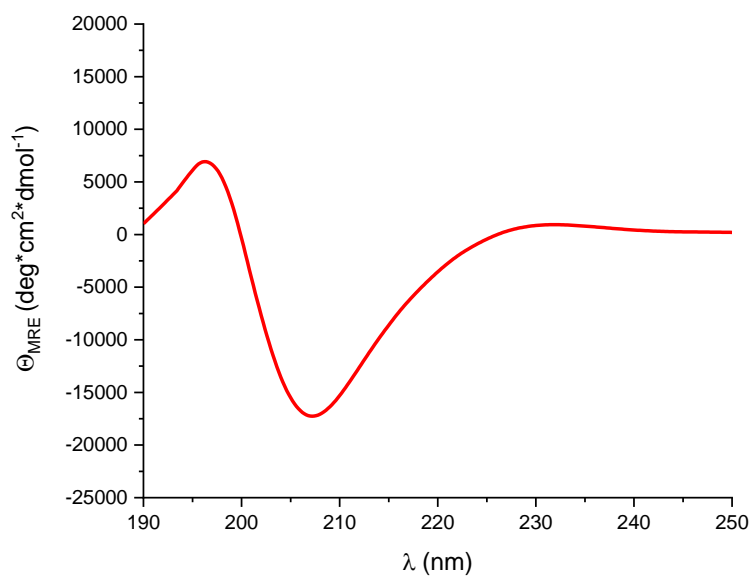


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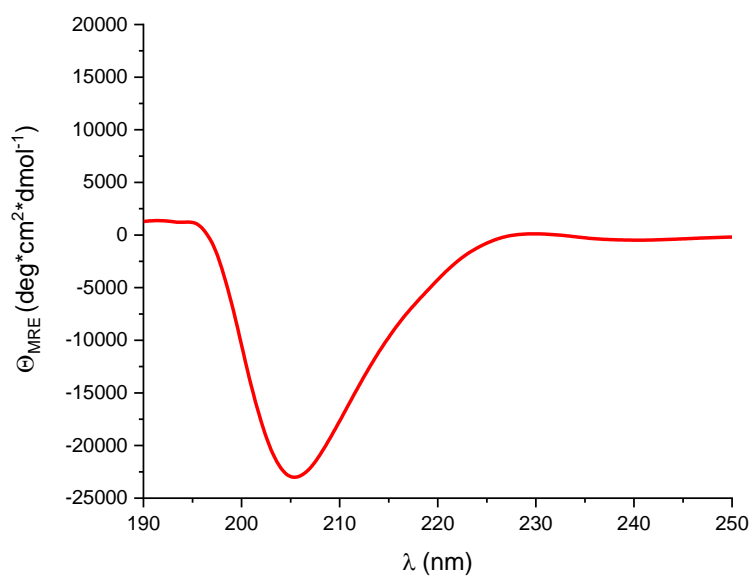


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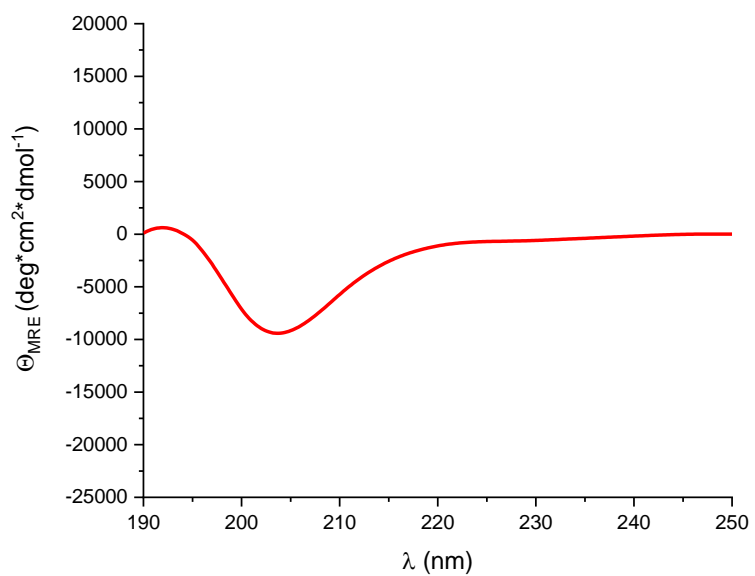


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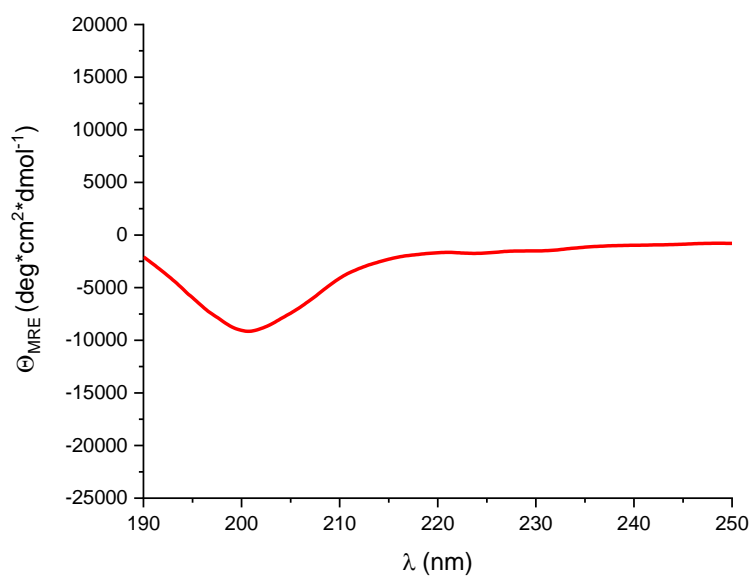


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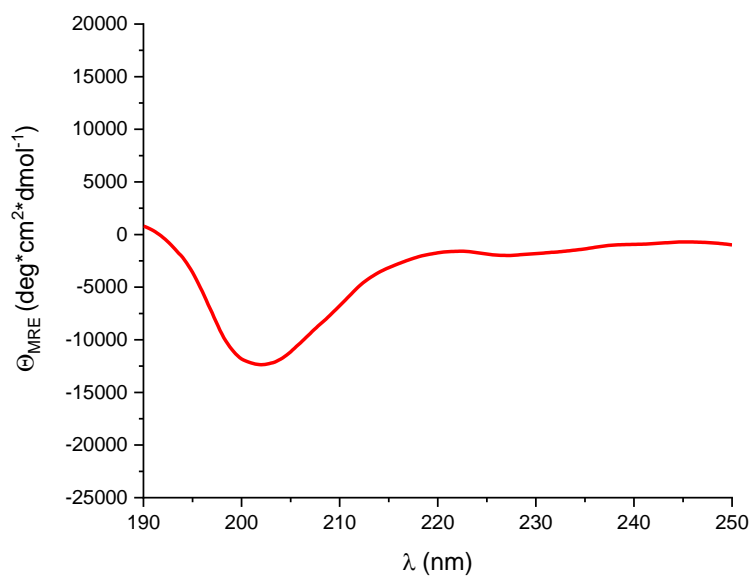


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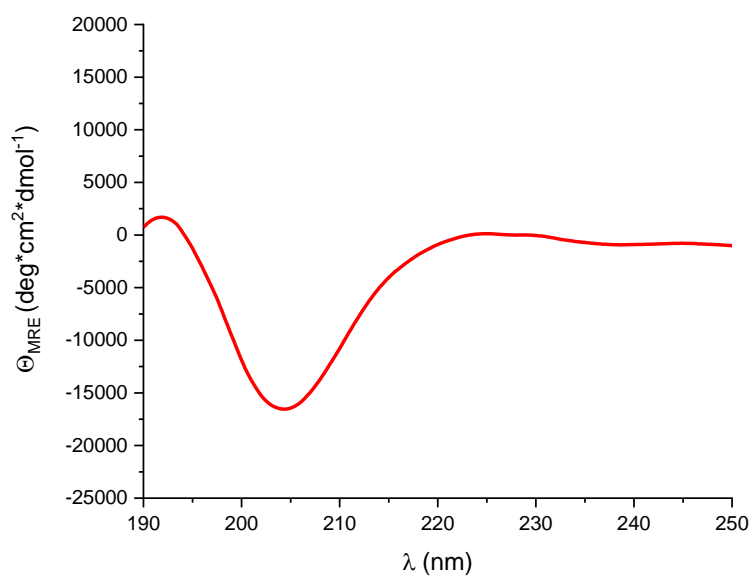


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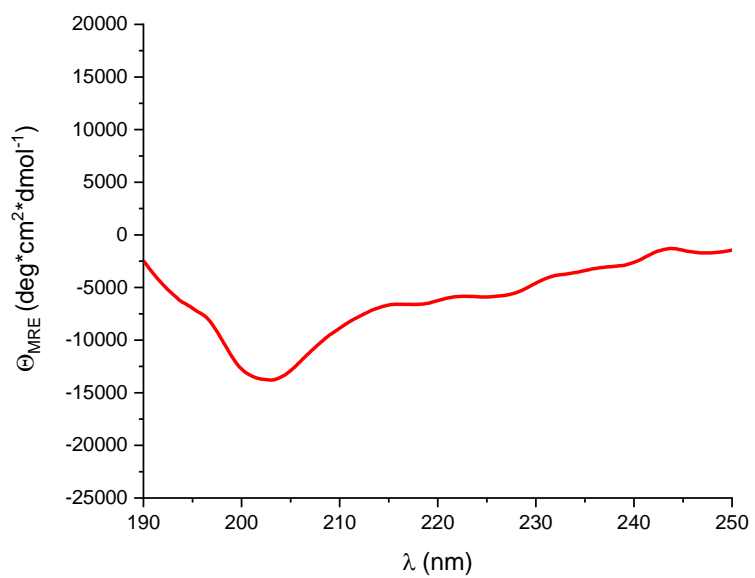


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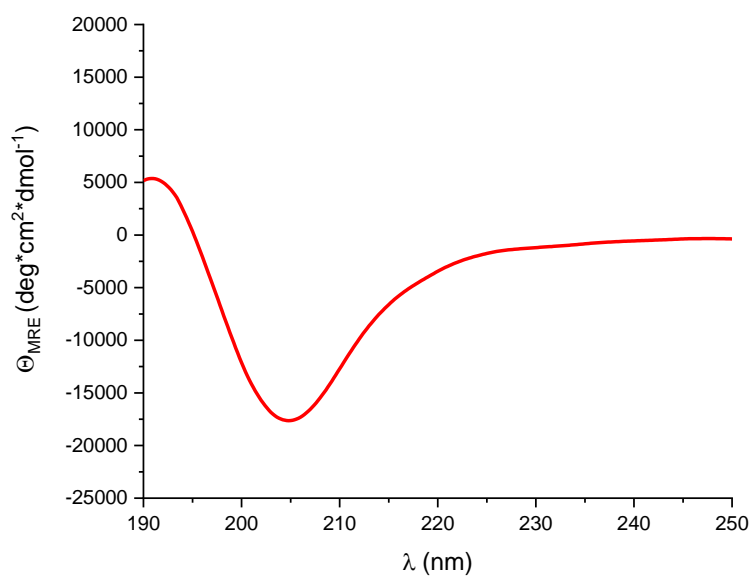


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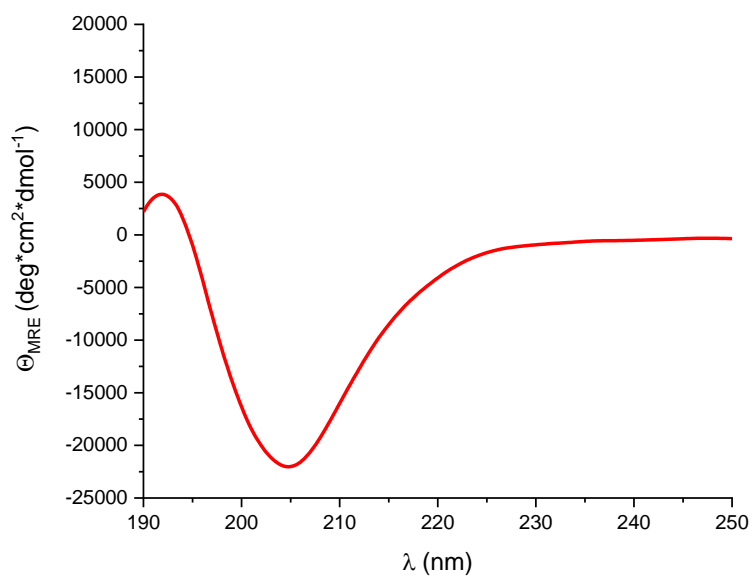


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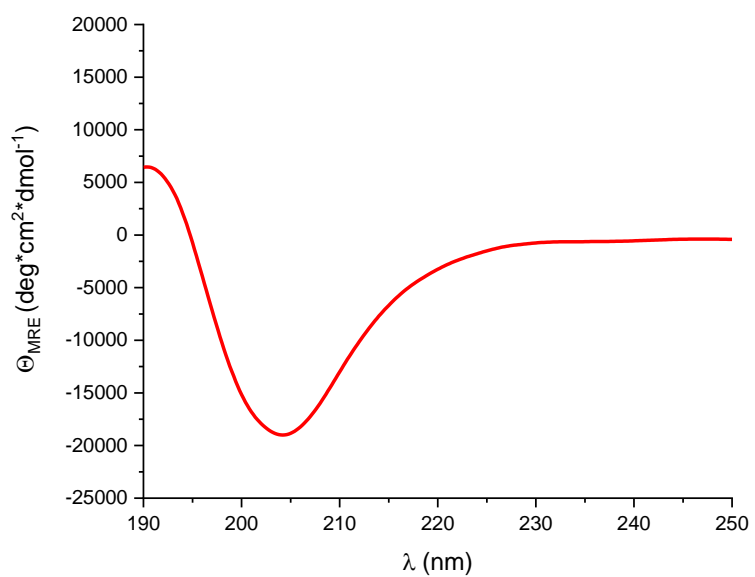


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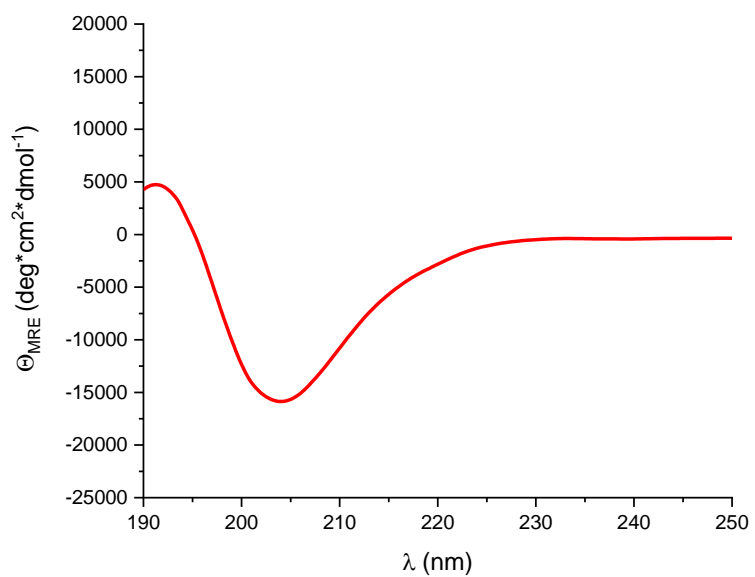


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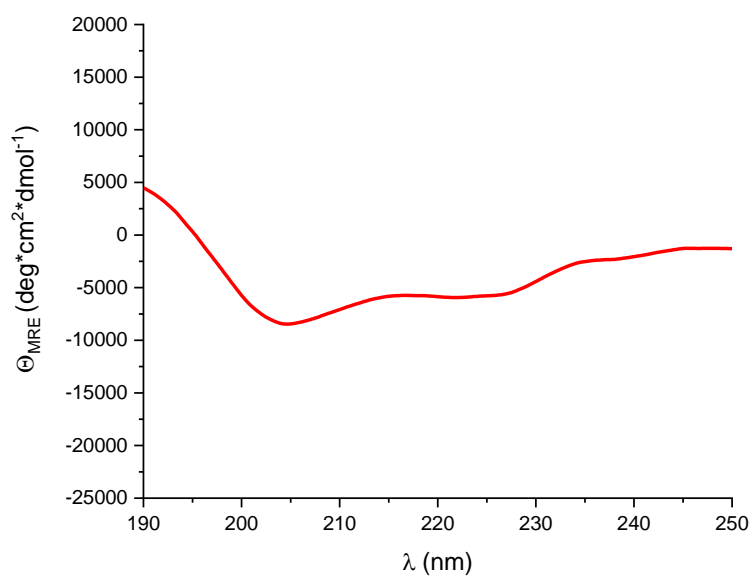


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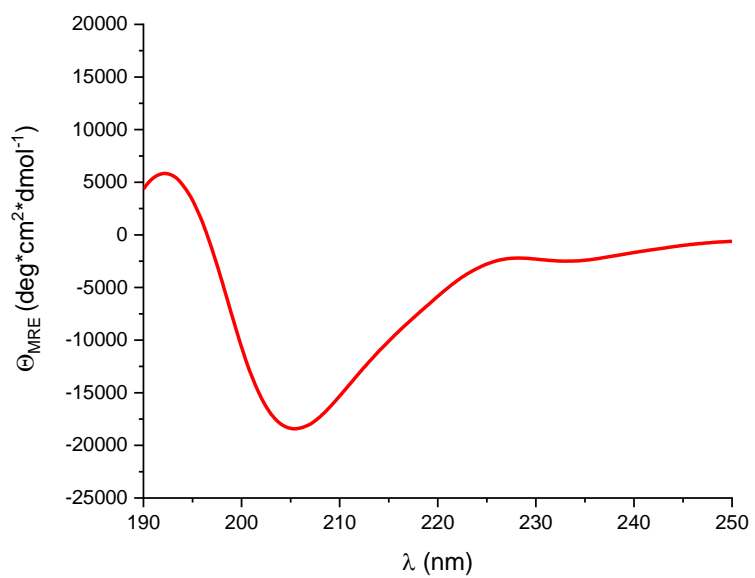


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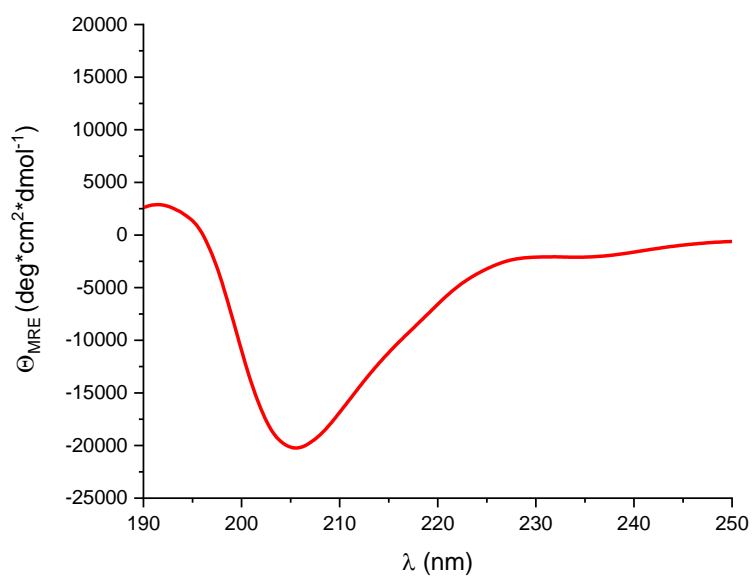


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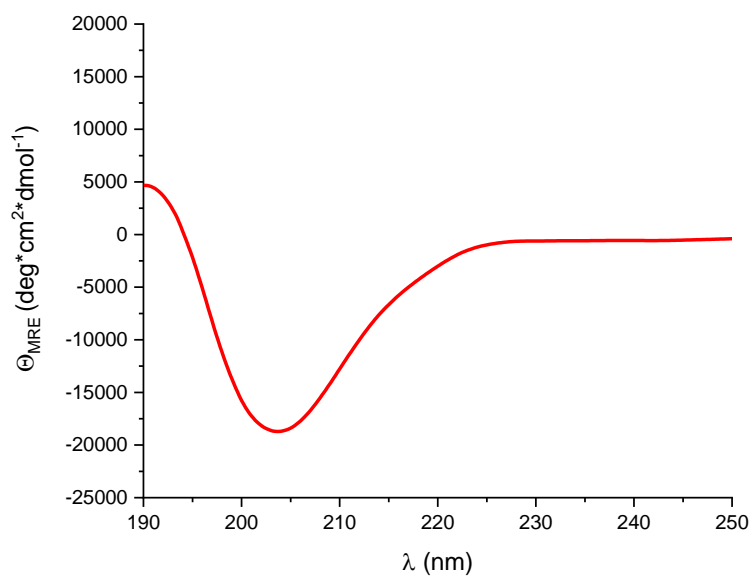


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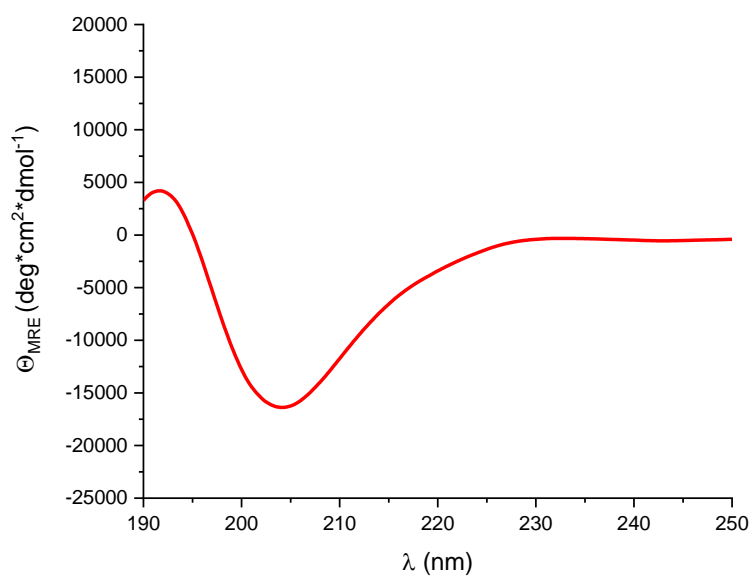


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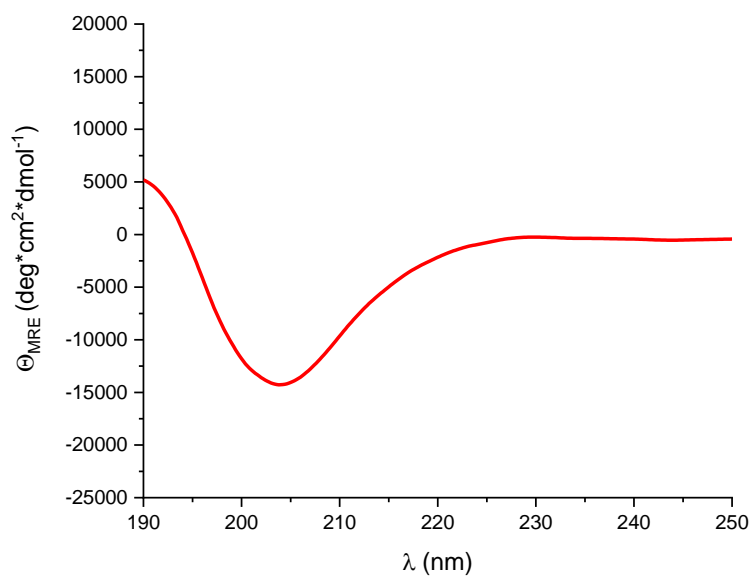


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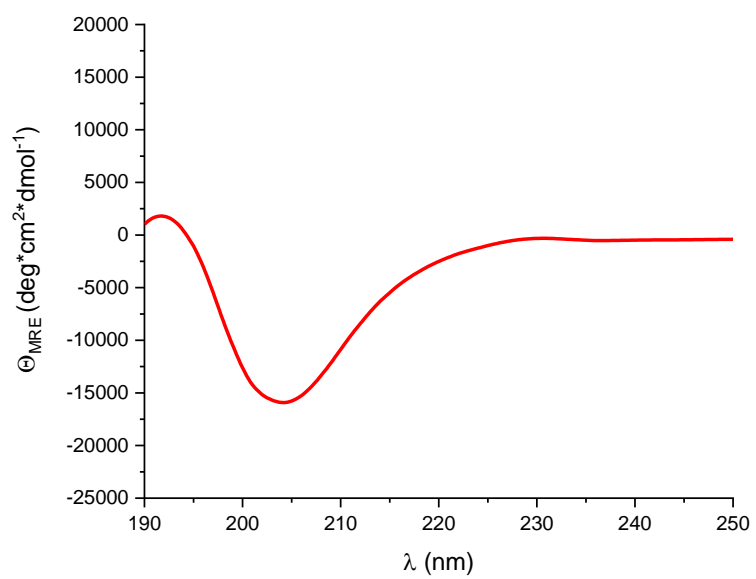


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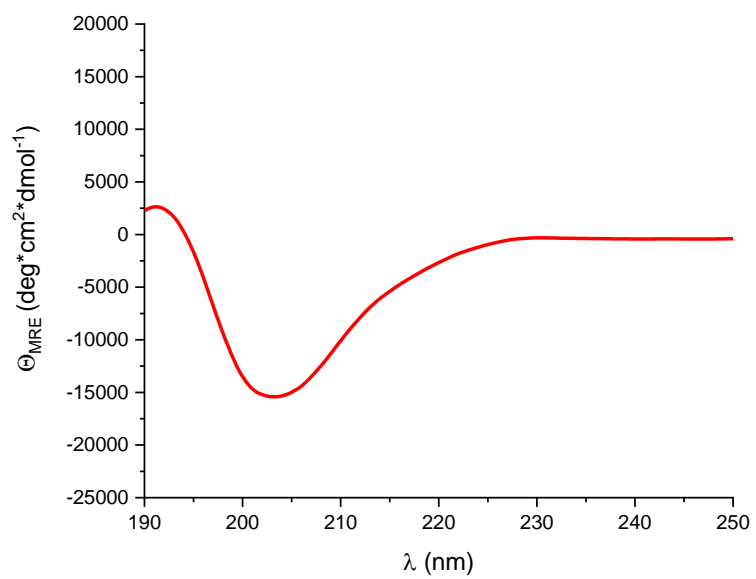


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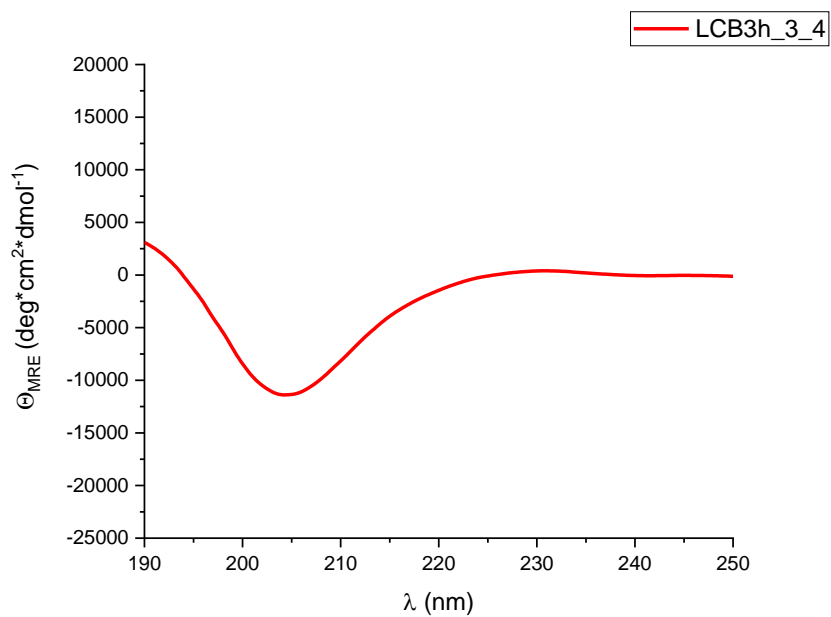


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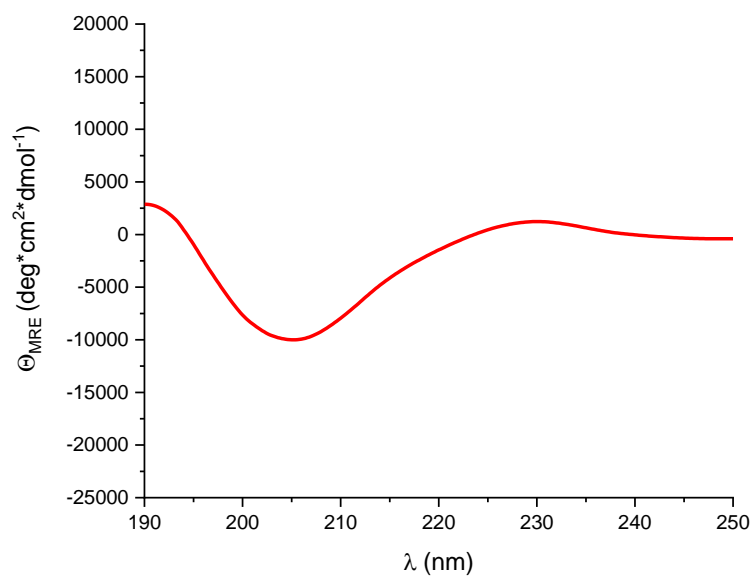


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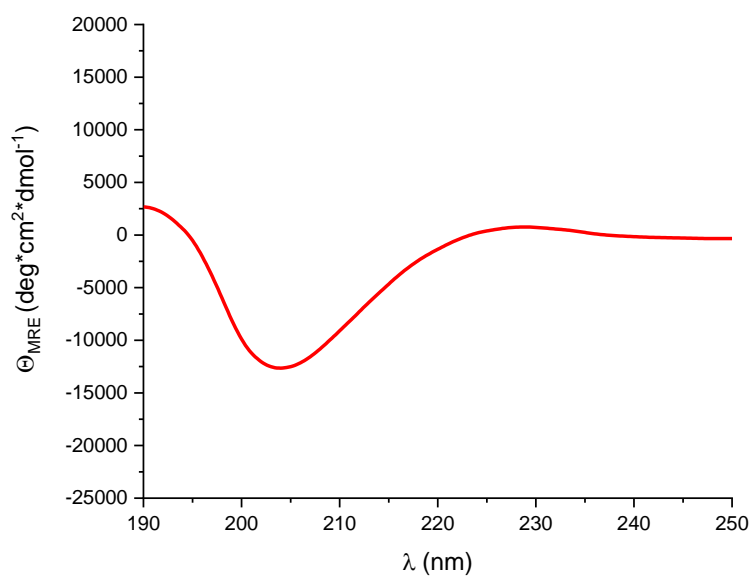


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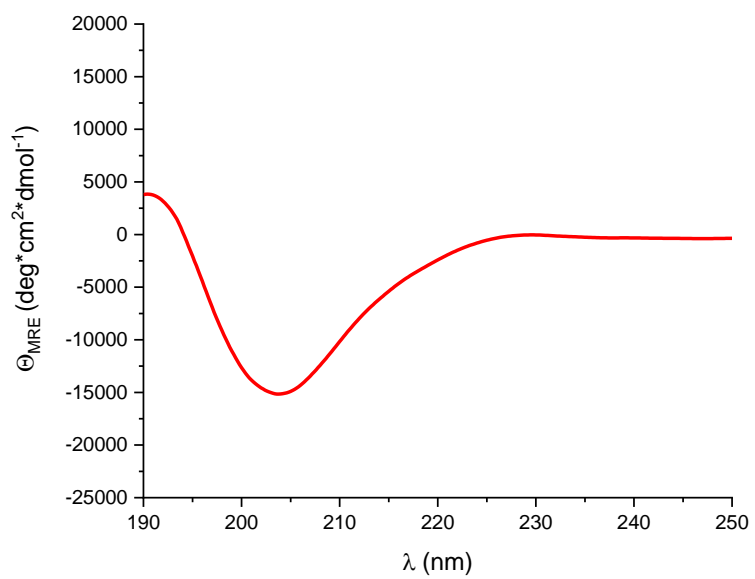


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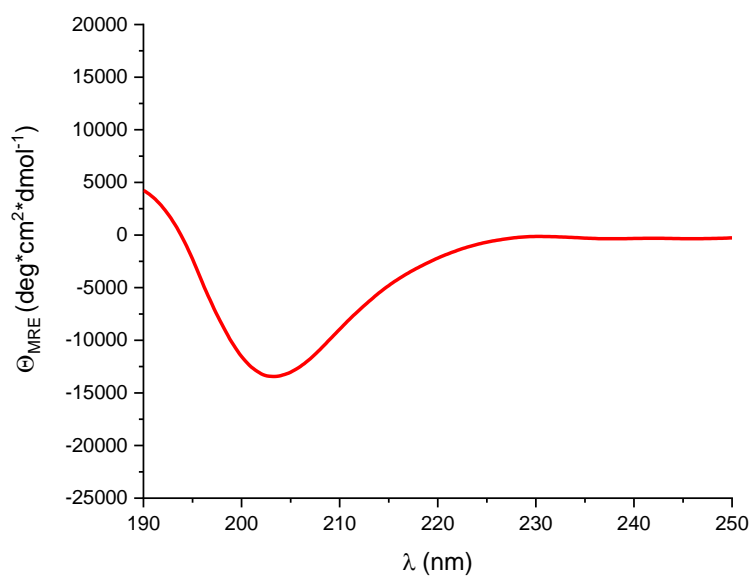


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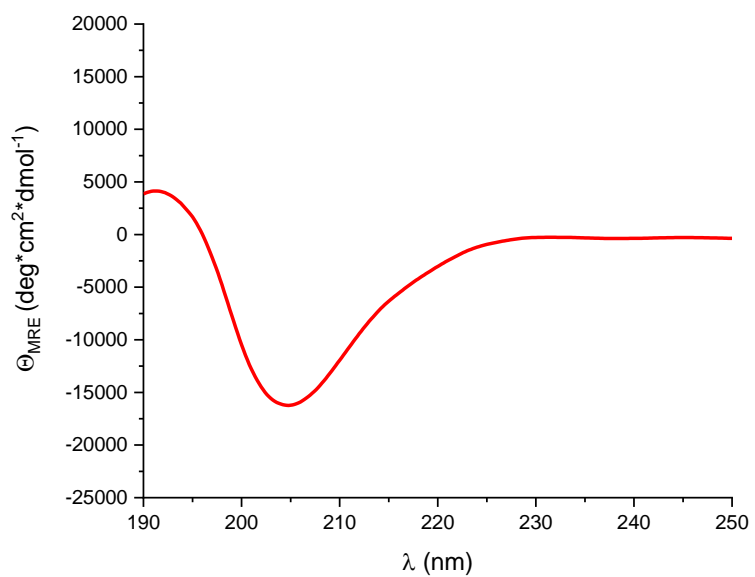


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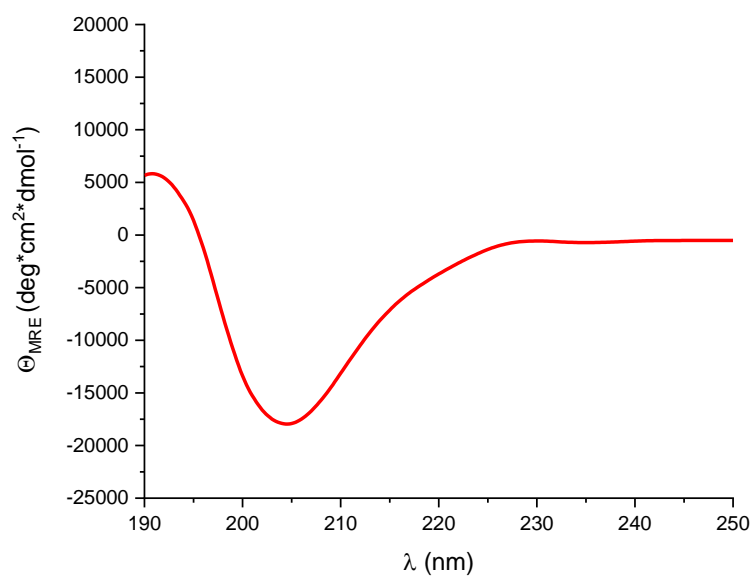


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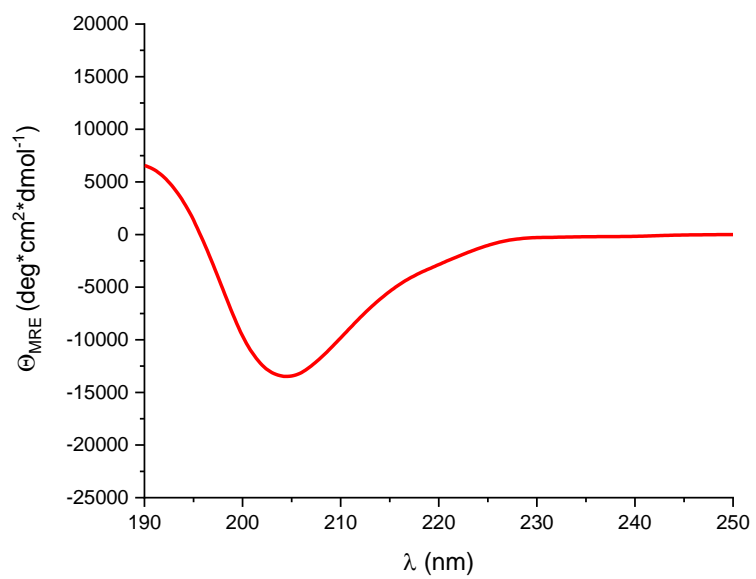


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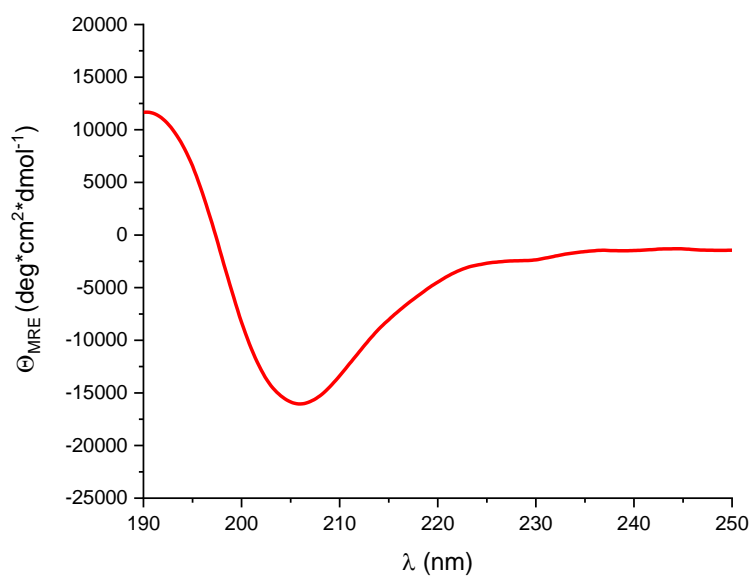


Figure S108. CD spectrum of peptide **22**.

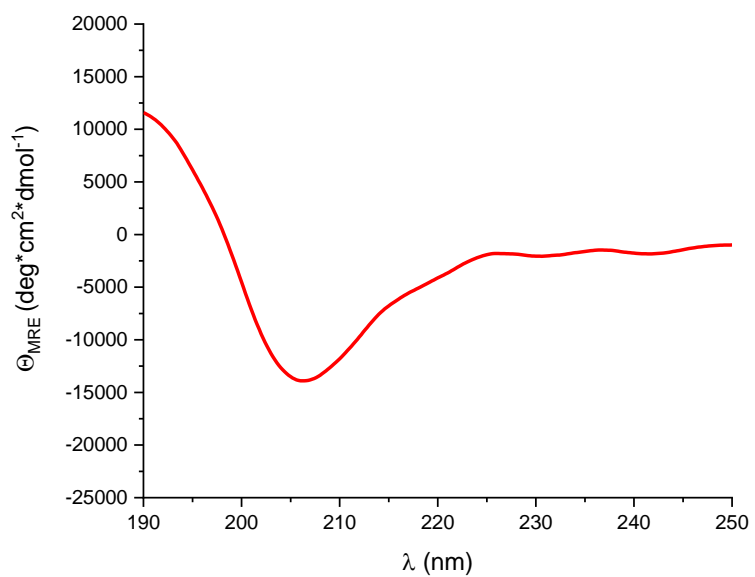


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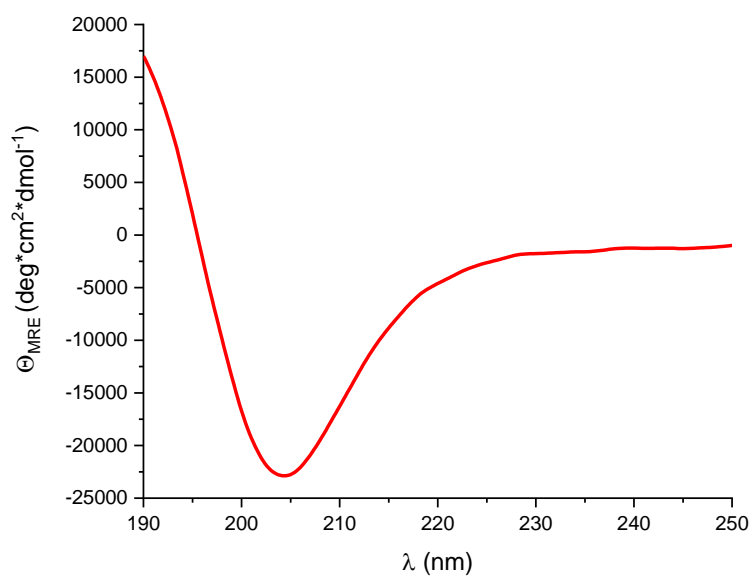


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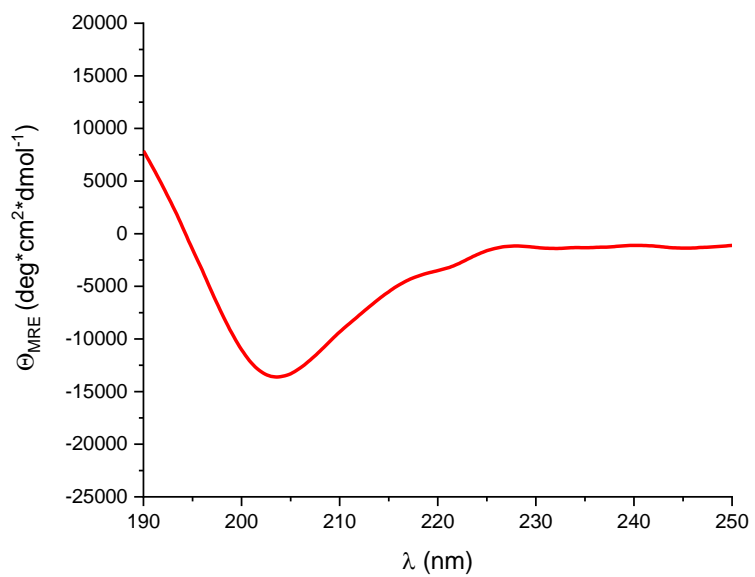


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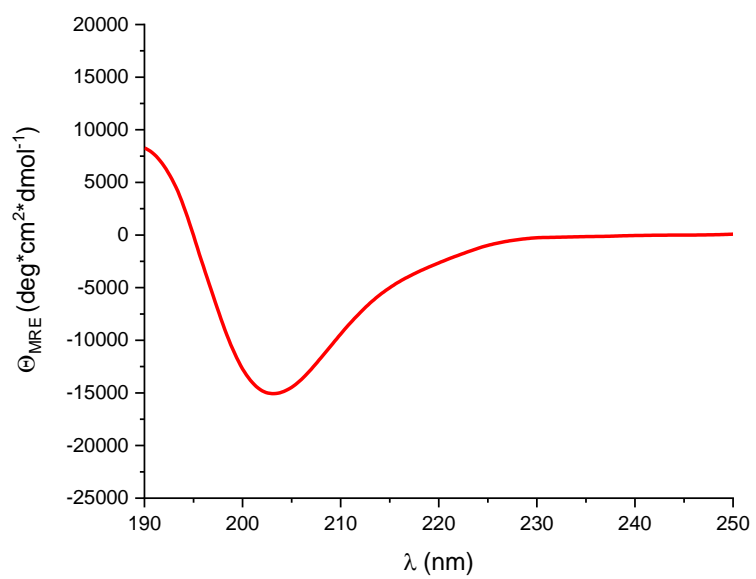


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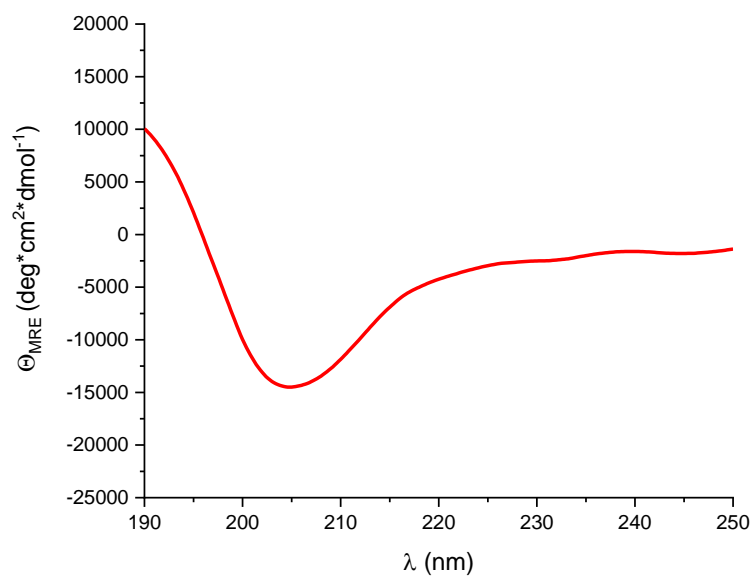


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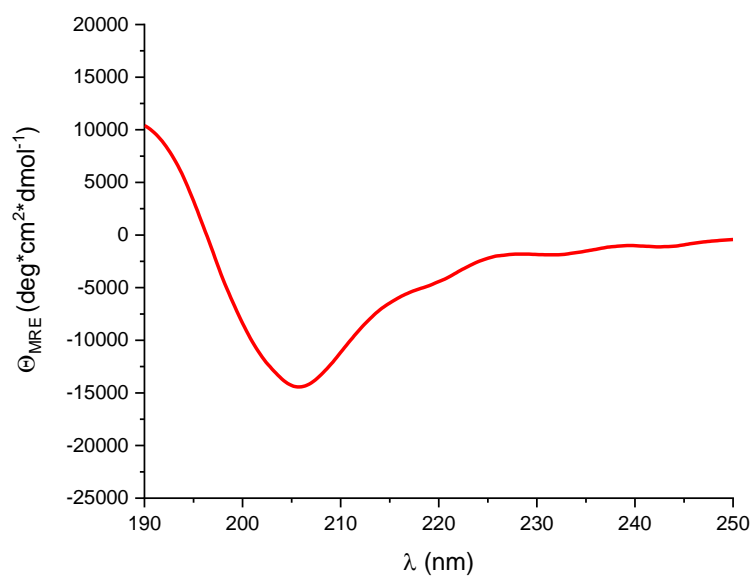


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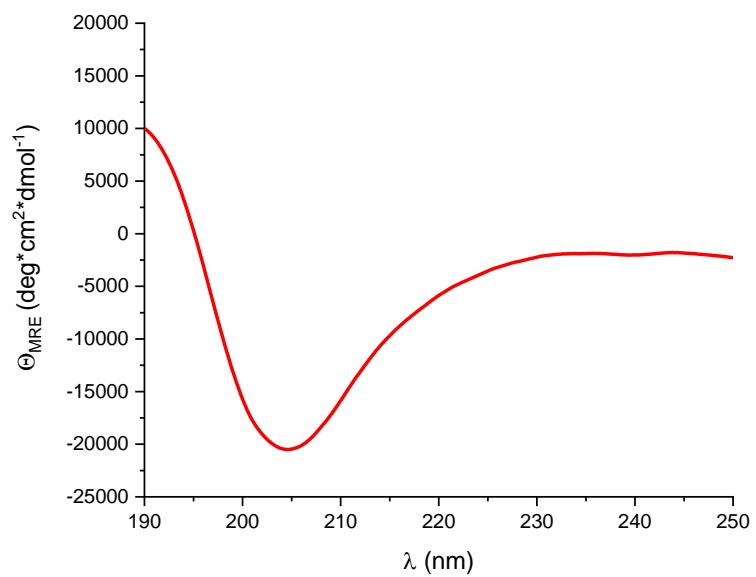


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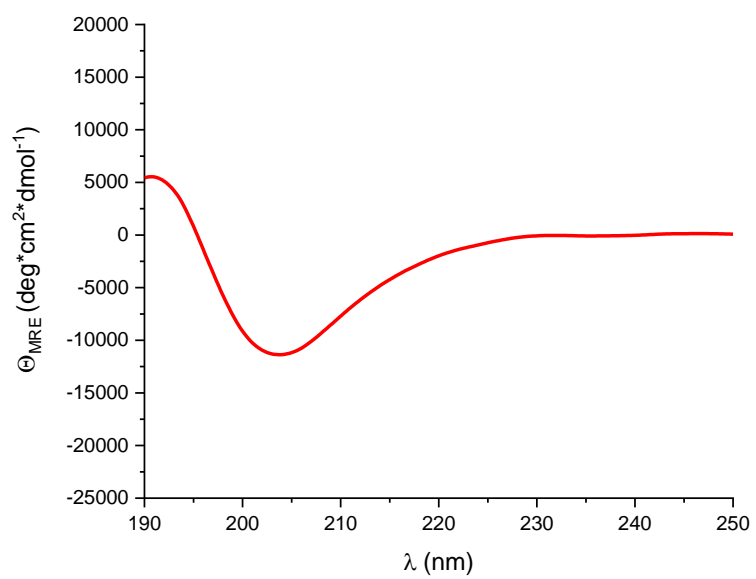


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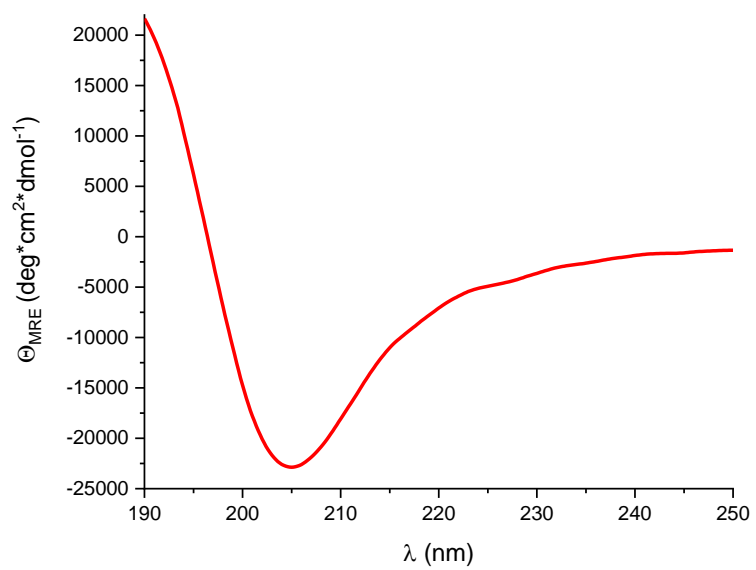


Figure S117. CD spectrum of peptide **31**.

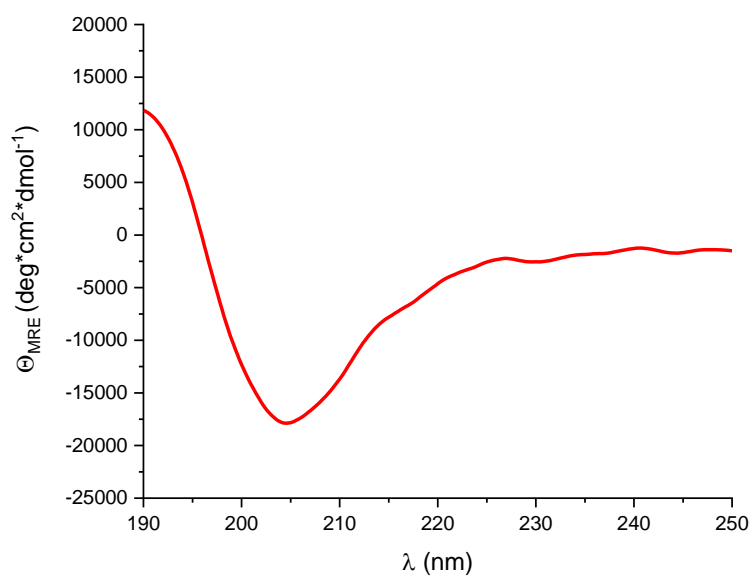


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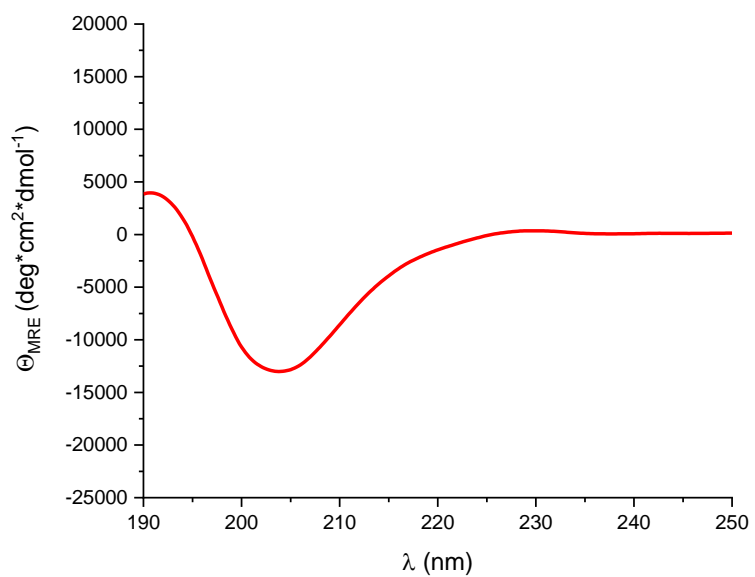


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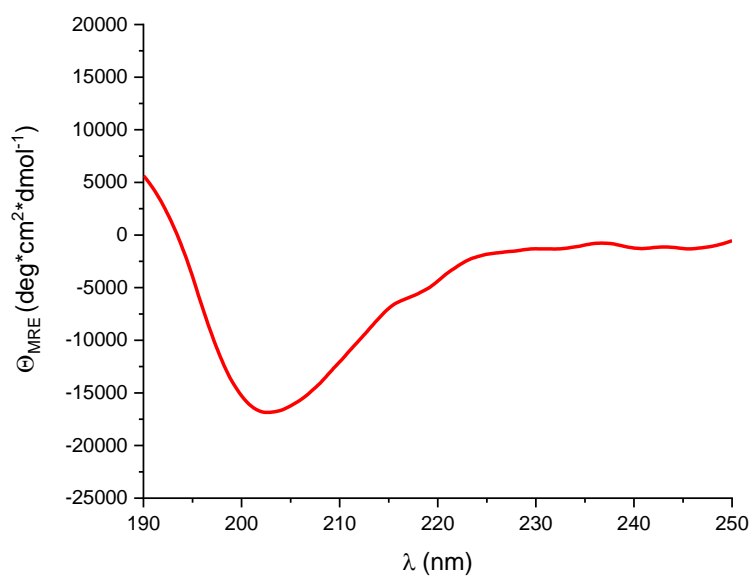


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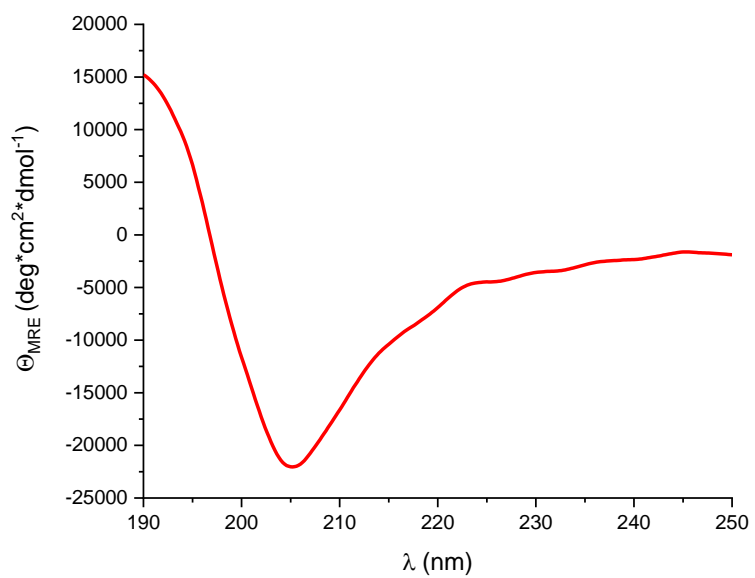


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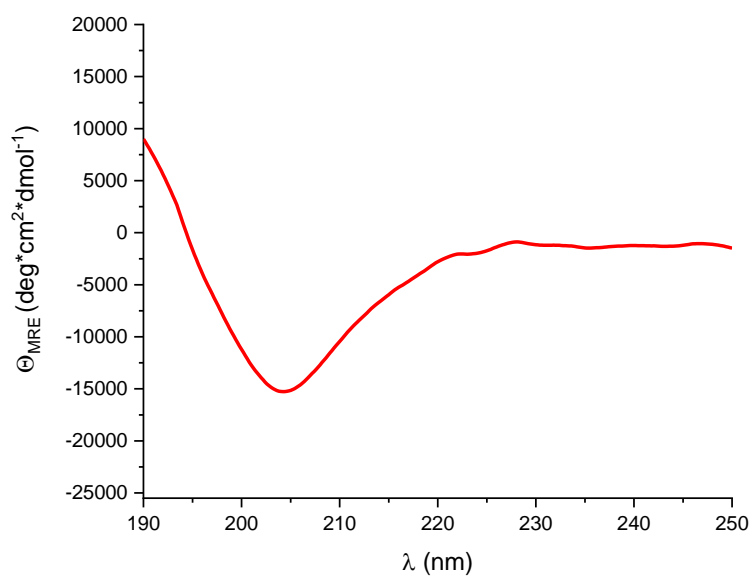


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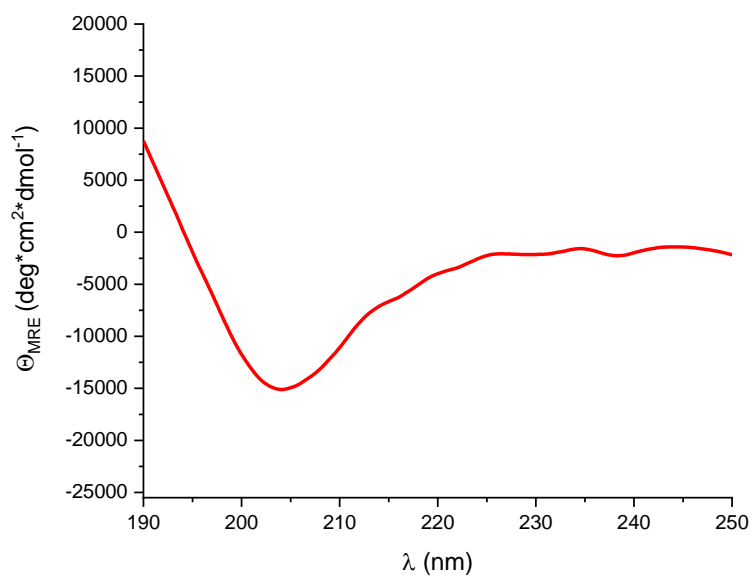


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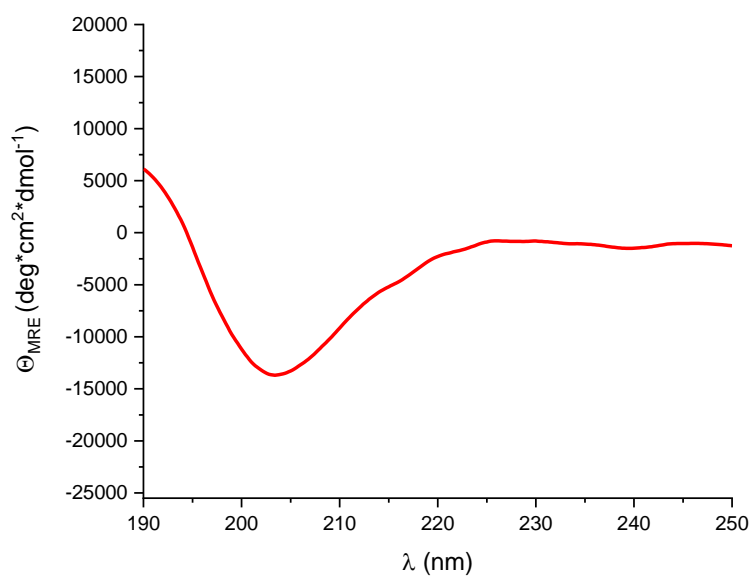


Figure S124. CD spectrum of peptide **38**.

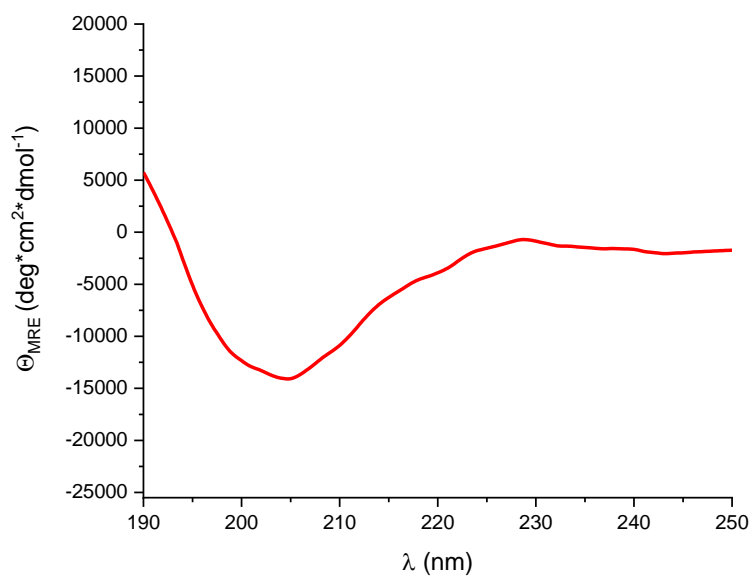


Figure S125. CD spectrum of peptide **39**.

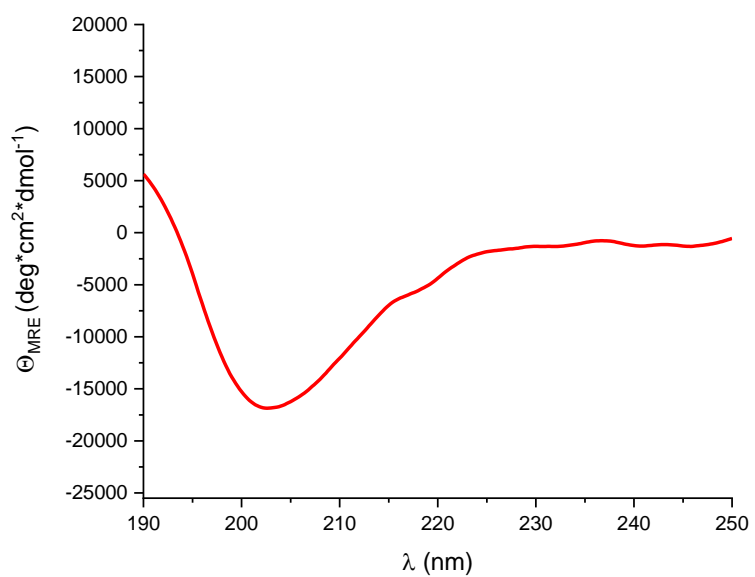


Figure S126. CD spectrum of peptide **40**.

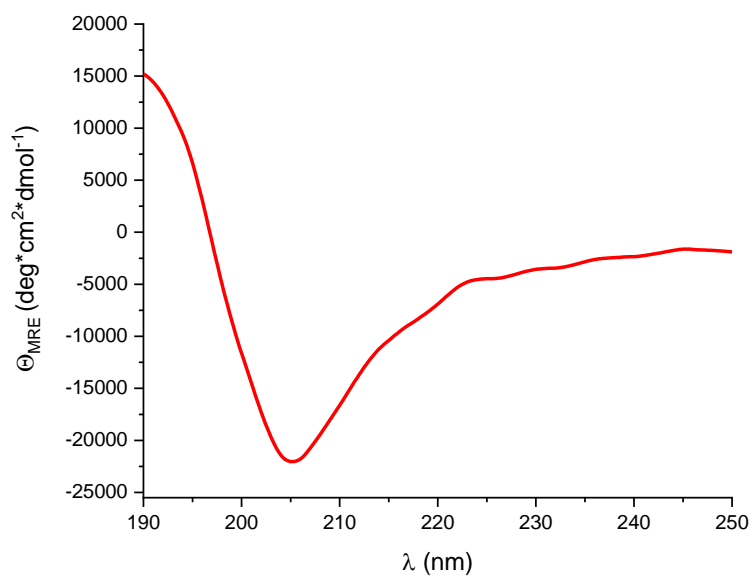


Figure S127. CD spectrum of peptide **41**.

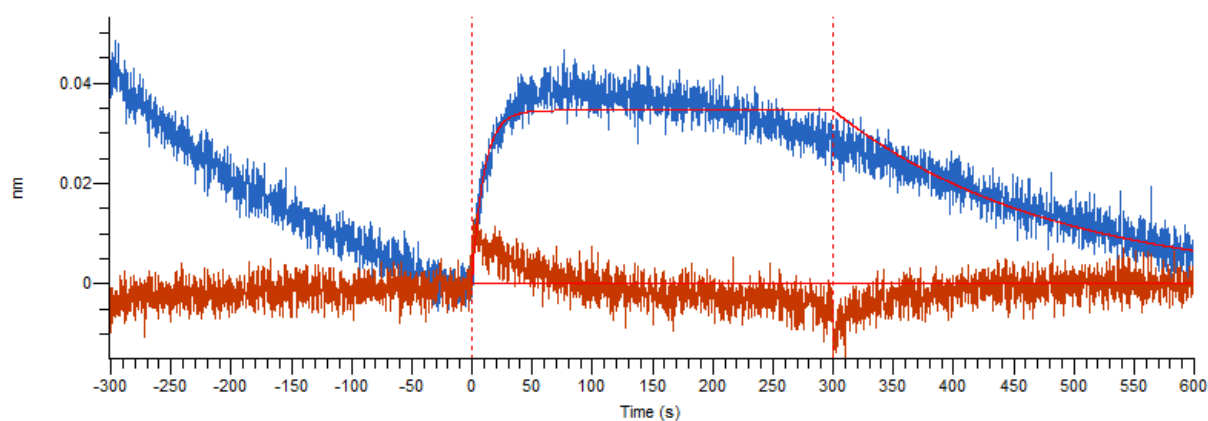


Figure S128. Binding of 50 μM ACE α 1 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

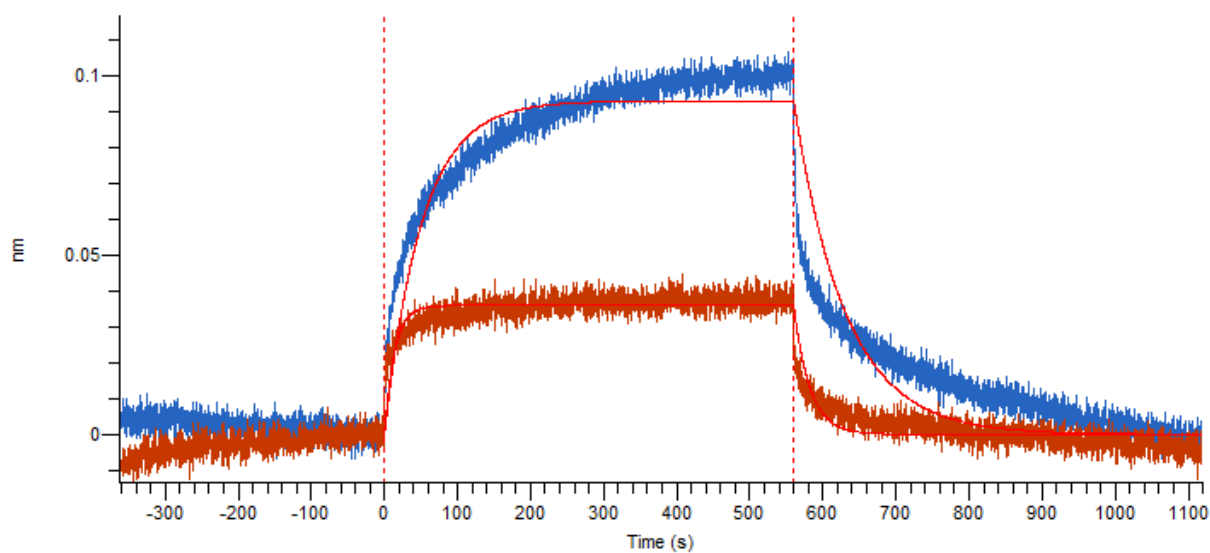


Figure S129. Binding of 50 μM A1 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

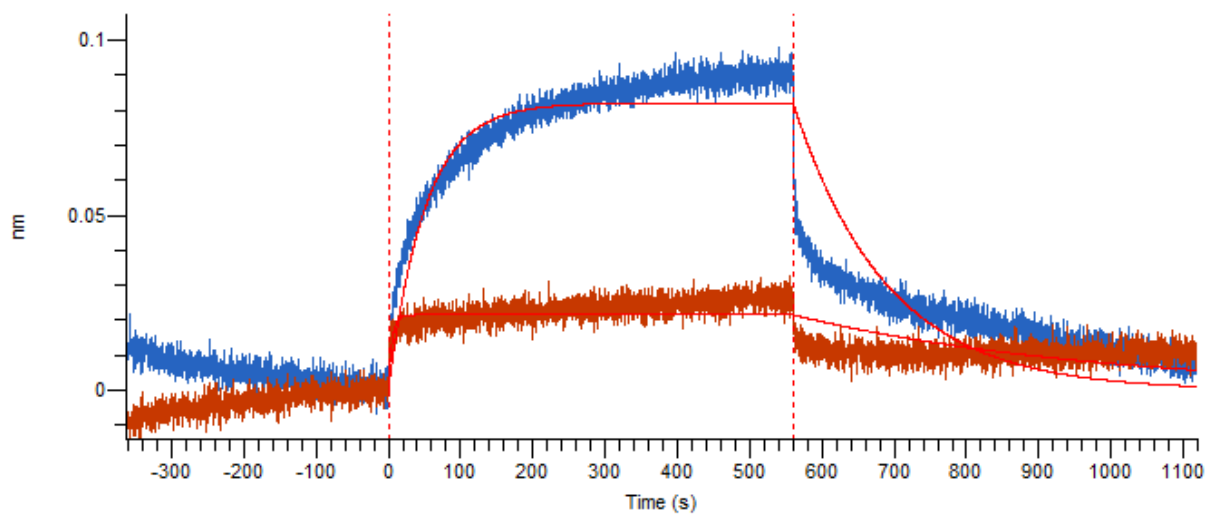


Figure S130. Binding of 50 μM A1a to the RBD monitored with BLI.

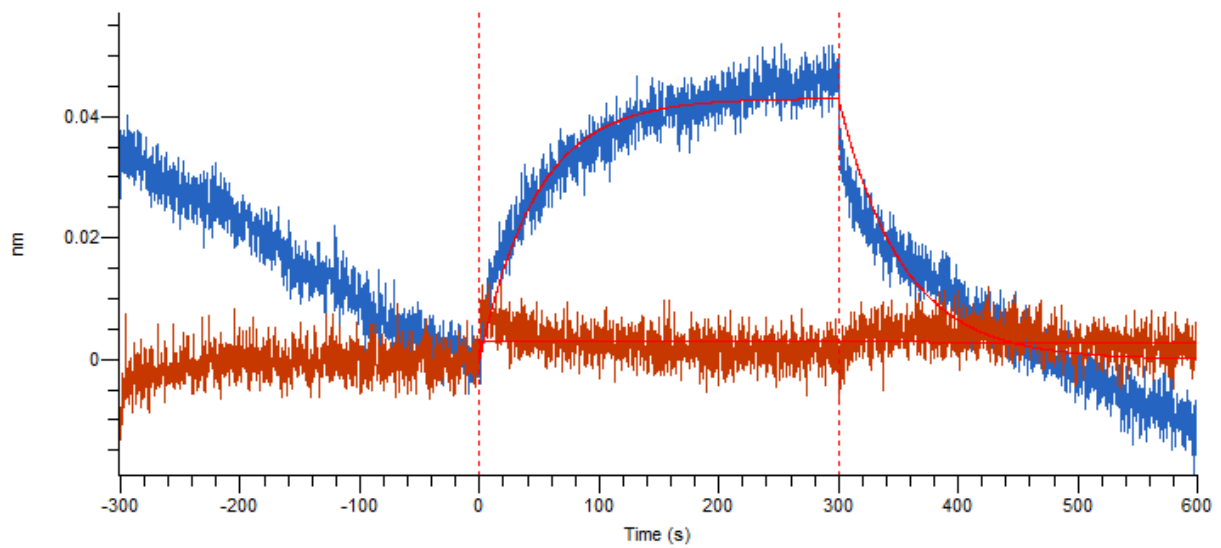


Figure S131. Binding of 50 μM A1b to the RBD monitored with BLI.

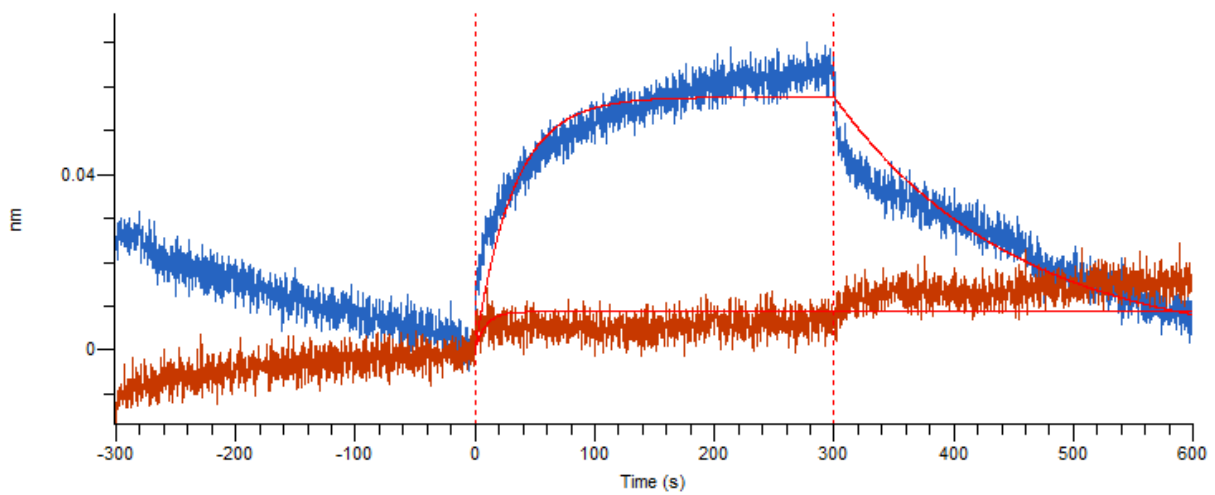


Figure S132. Binding of 50 μM A1c to the RBD monitored with BLI.

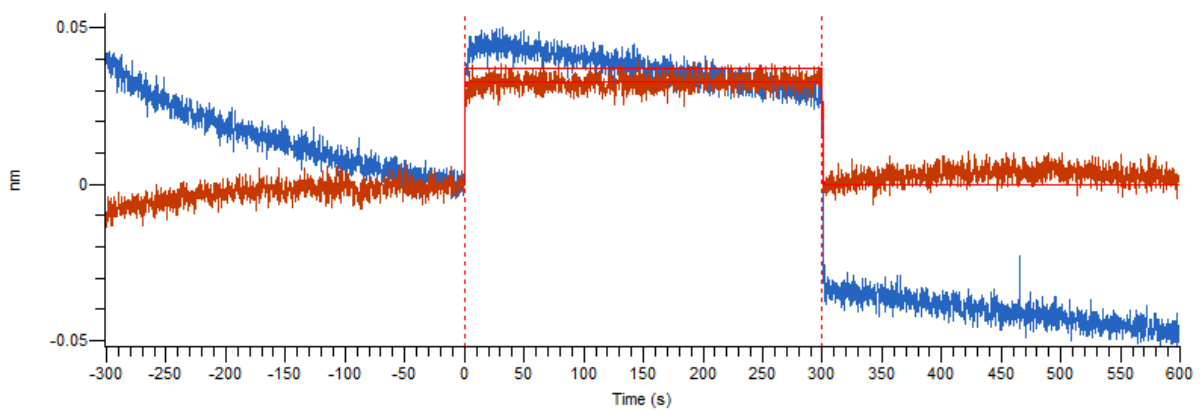


Figure S133. Binding of 50 μM A1v1 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

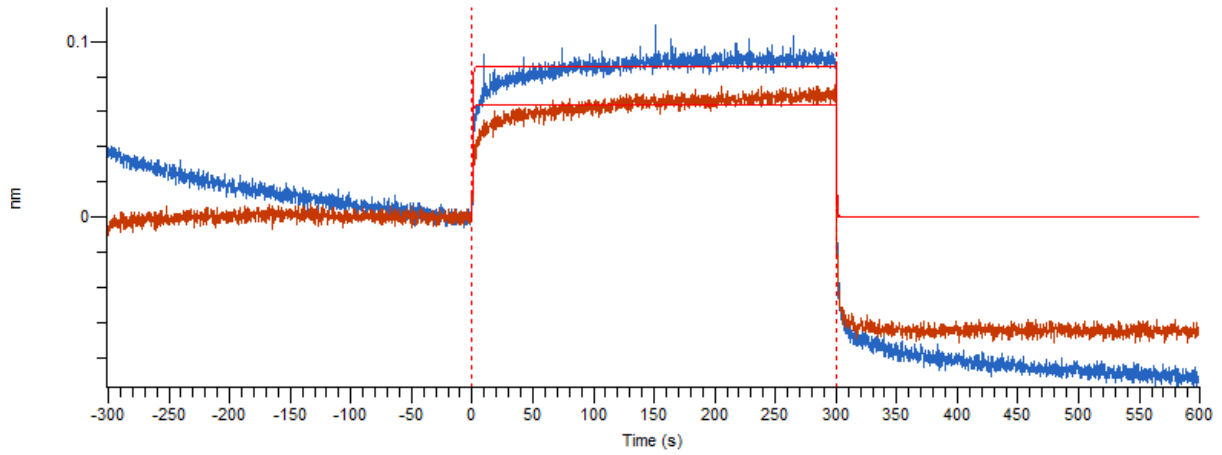


Figure S134. Binding of 50 μM A1v2 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

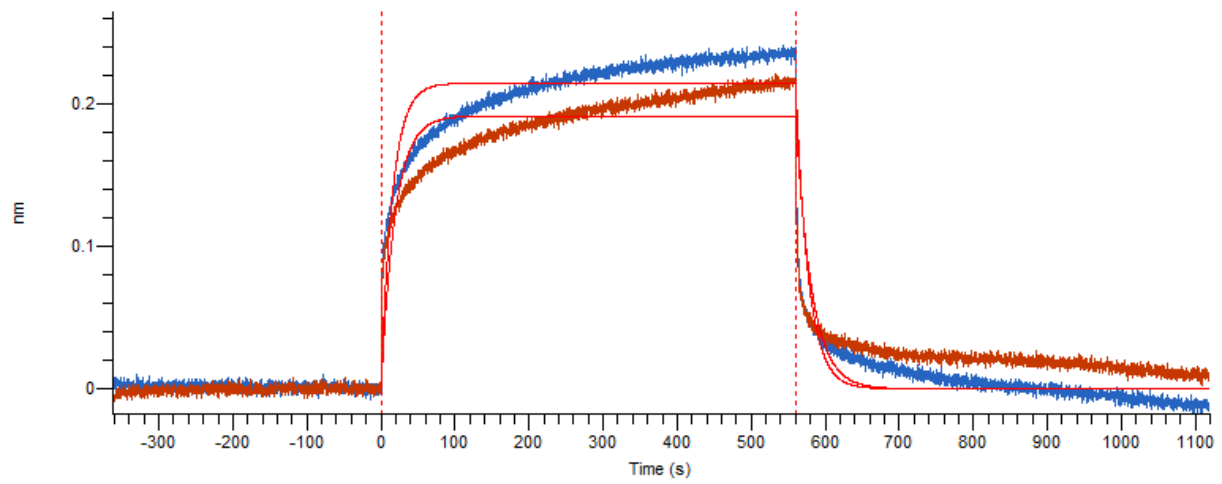


Figure S135. Binding of 50 μM A1v3 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

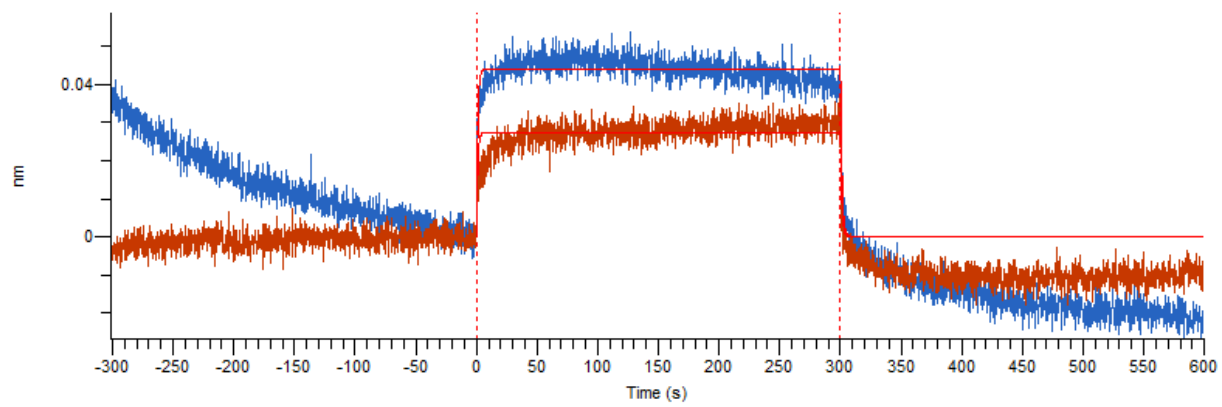


Figure S136. Binding of 50 μM A1v4 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

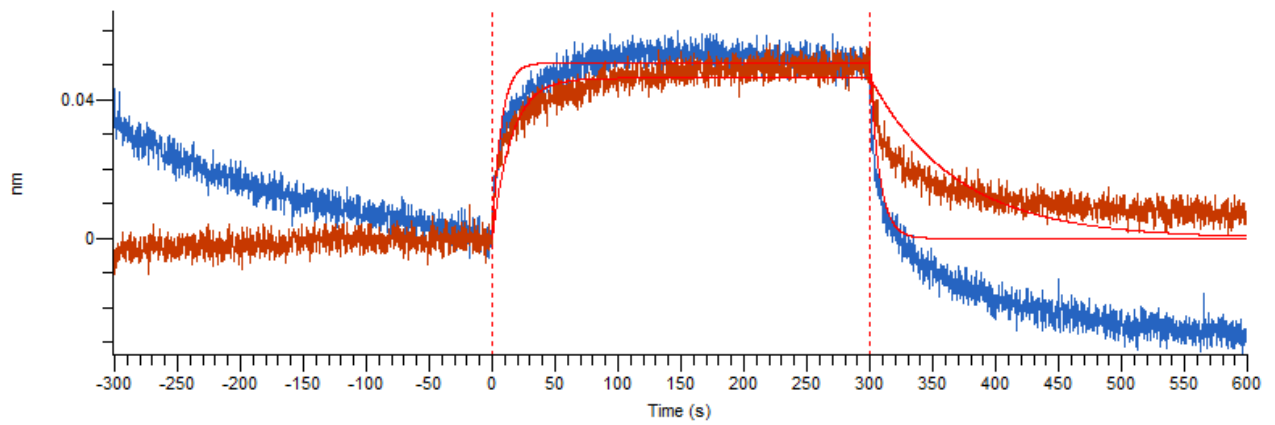


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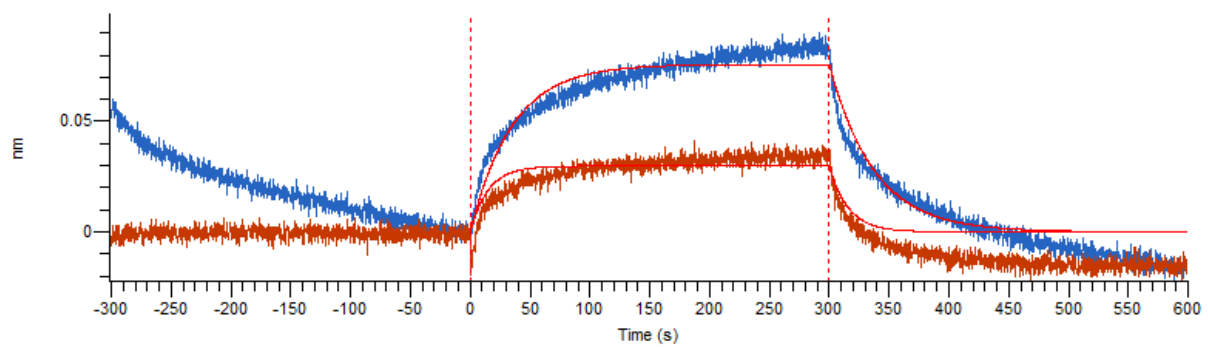


Figure S138. Binding of 50 μM A2a to the RBD monitored with BLI.

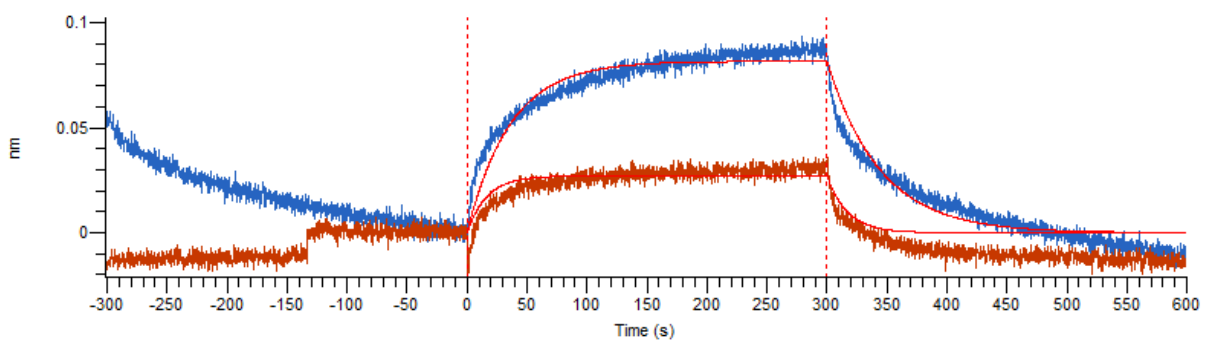


Figure S139. Binding of 50 μM A2b to the RBD monitored with BLI.

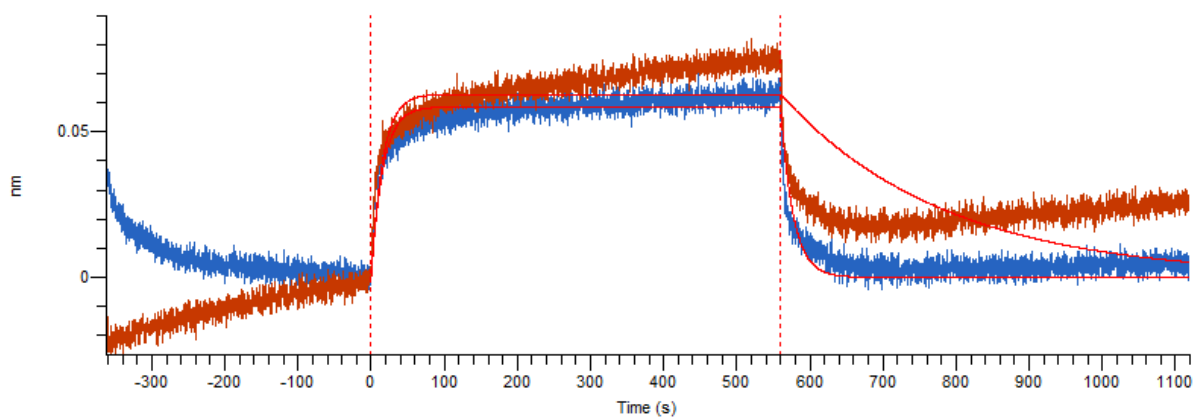


Figure S140. Binding of 50 μM A2c to the RBD monitored with BLI.

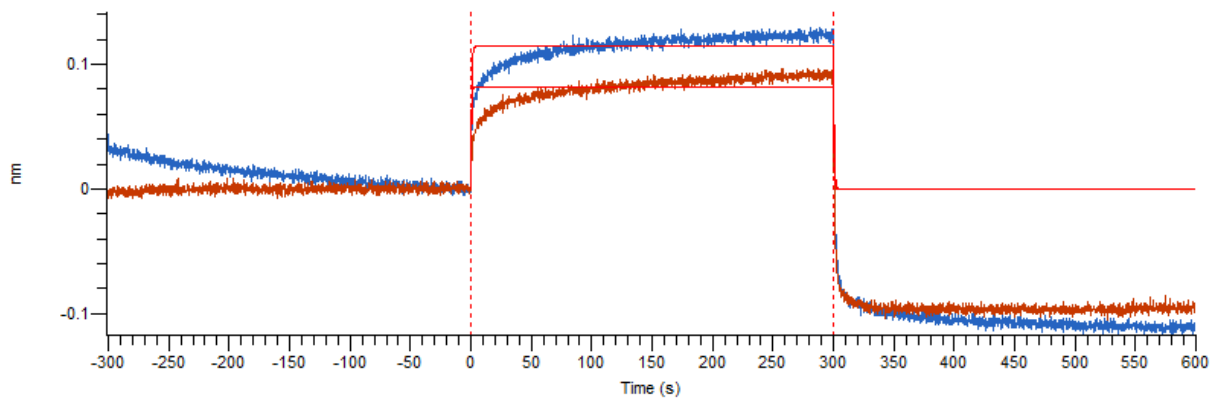


Figure S141. Binding of 50 μM A2v1 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

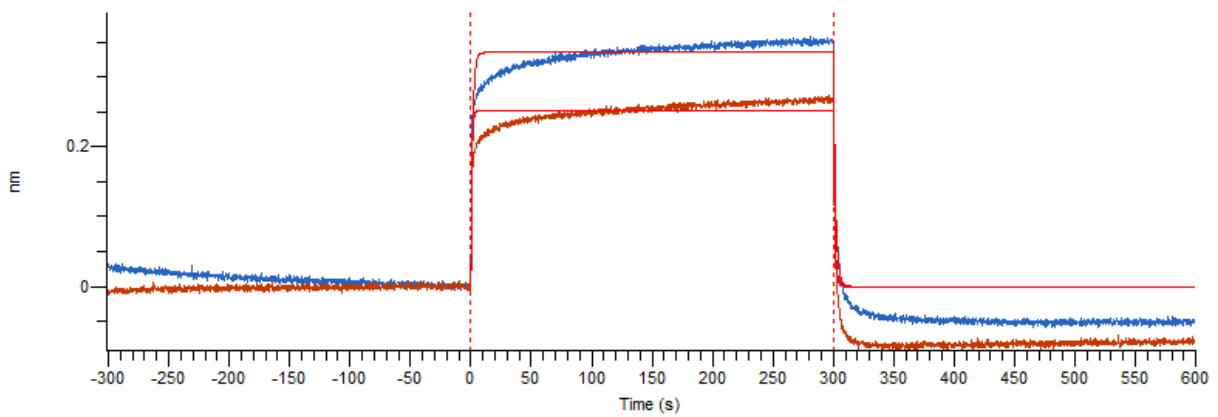


Figure S142. Binding of 50 μM A2v2 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

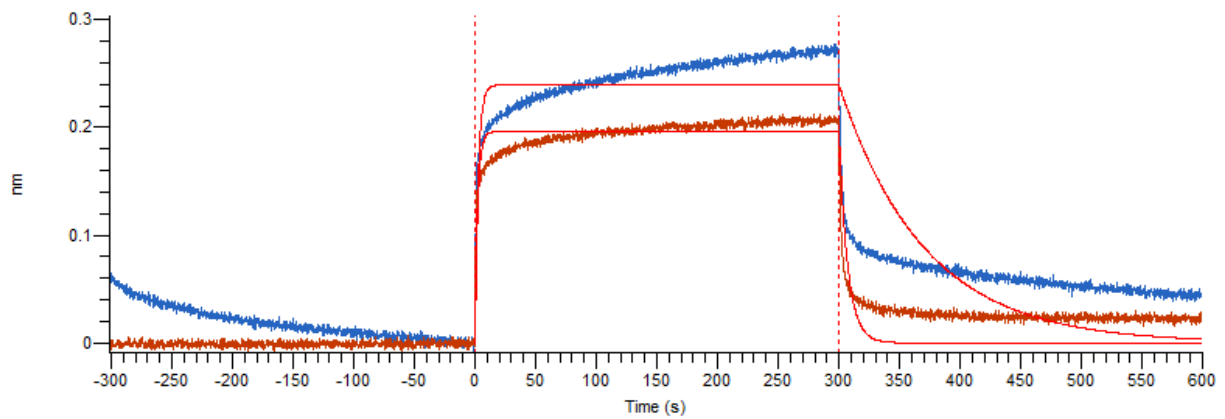


Figure S143. Binding of 50 μM A2v3 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

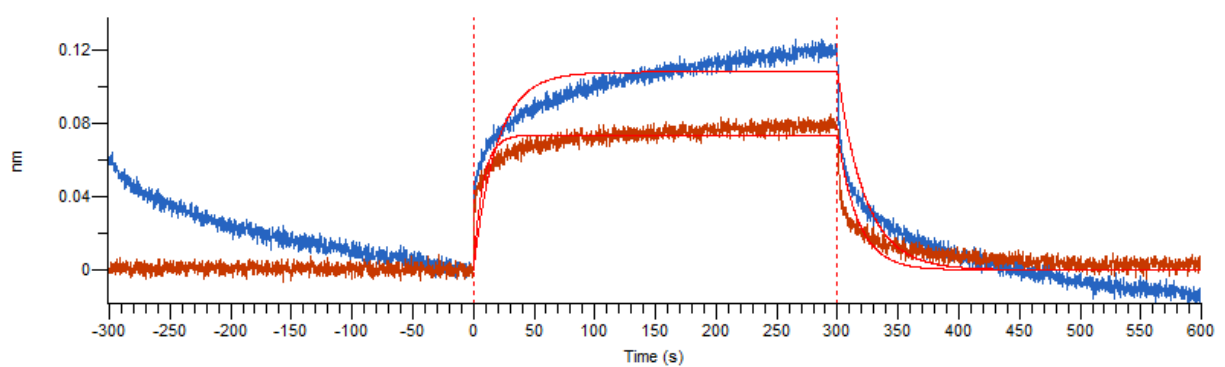


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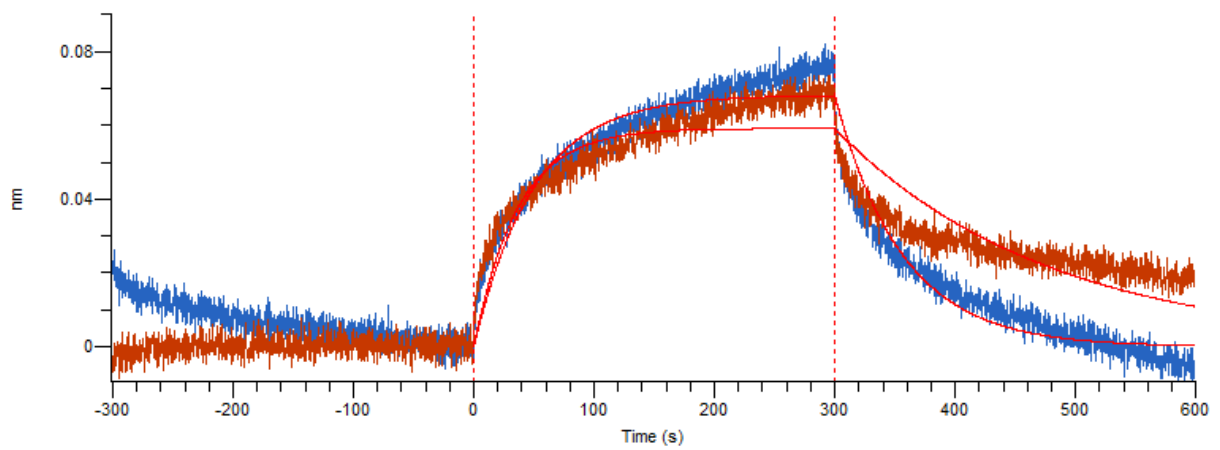


Figure S145. Binding of 50 μM A3 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

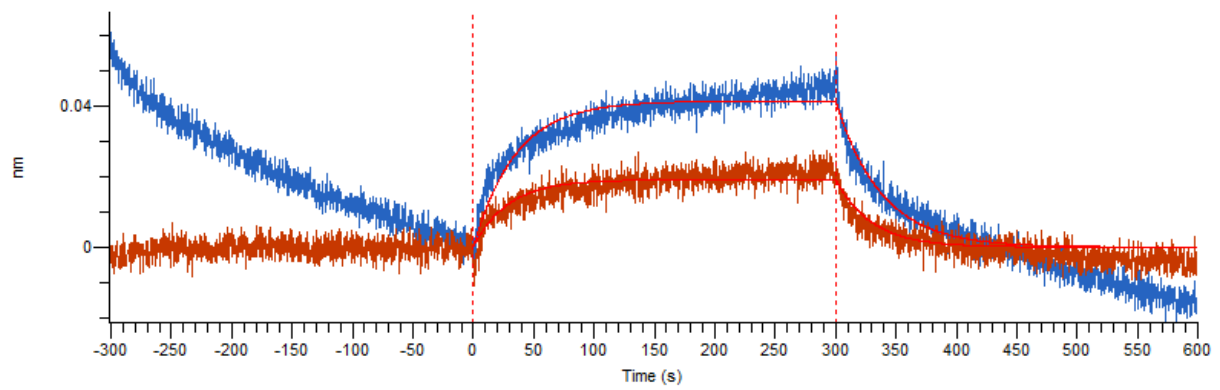


Figure S146. Binding of 50 μM A3a to the RBD monitored with BLI.

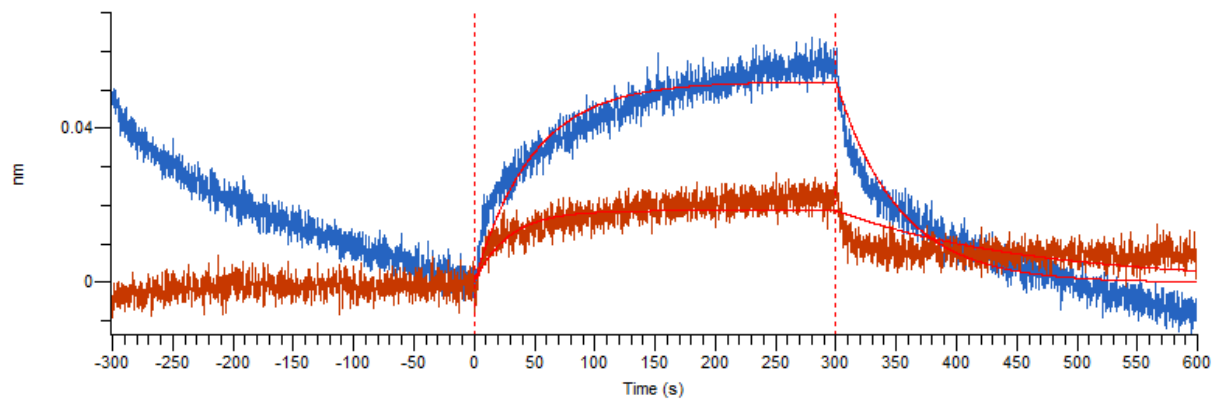


Figure S147. Binding of 50 μM A3b to the RBD monitored with BLI.

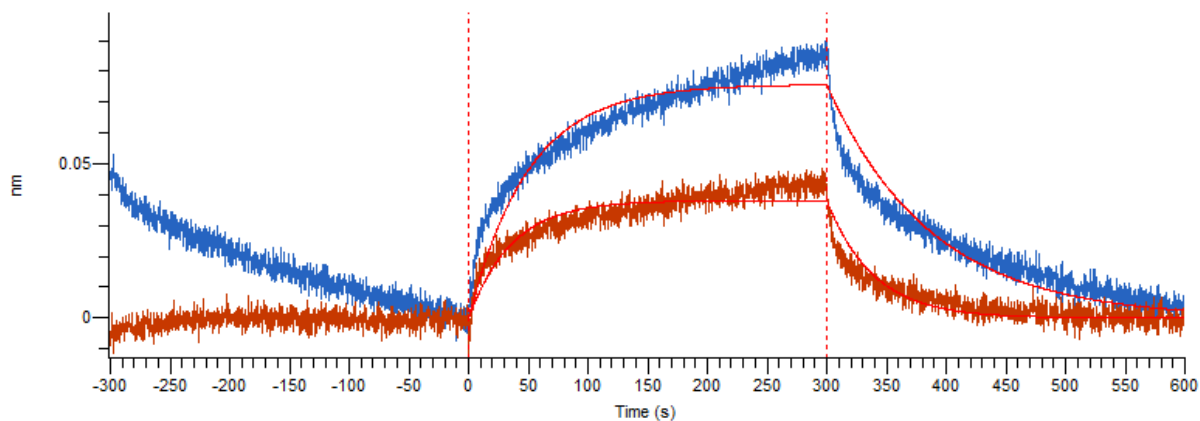


Figure S148. Binding of 50 μM A3c to the RBD monitored with BLI.

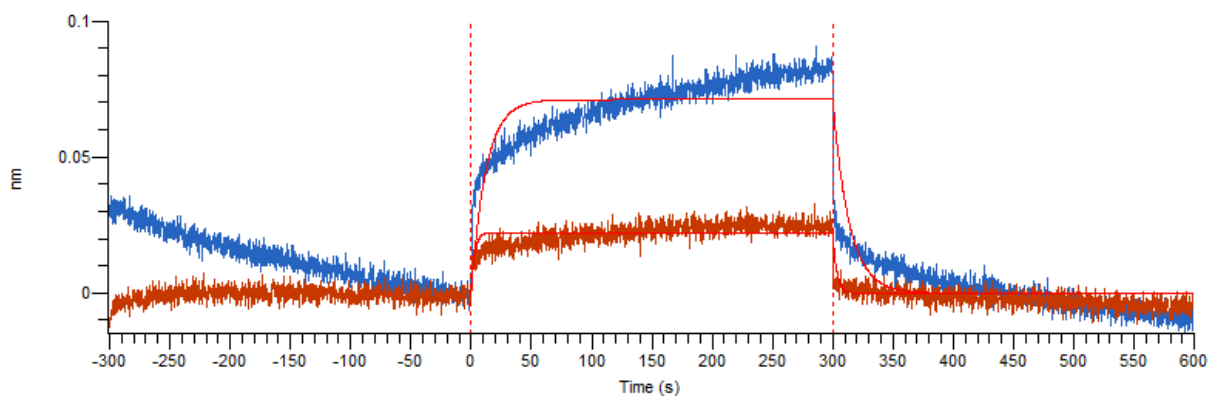


Figure S149. Binding of 50 μM peptide 1 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

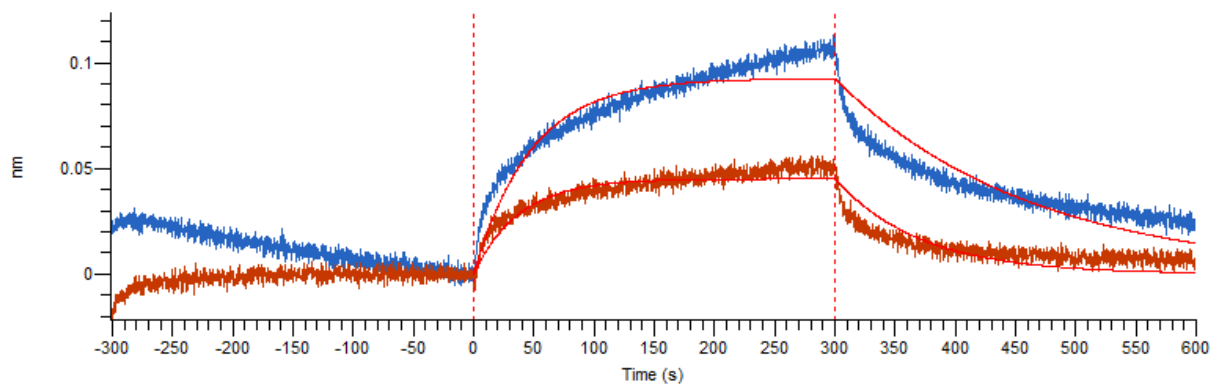


Figure S150. Binding of 50 μM peptide 2 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

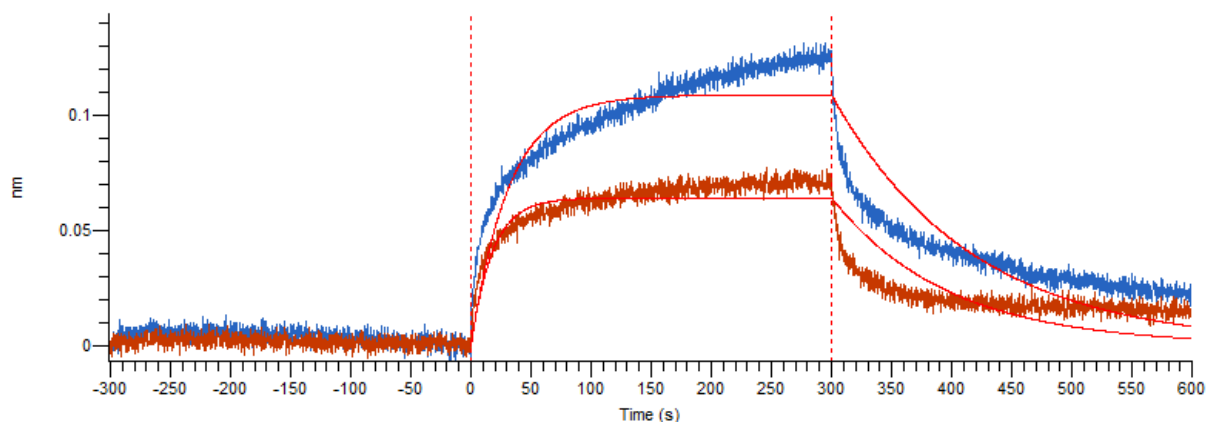


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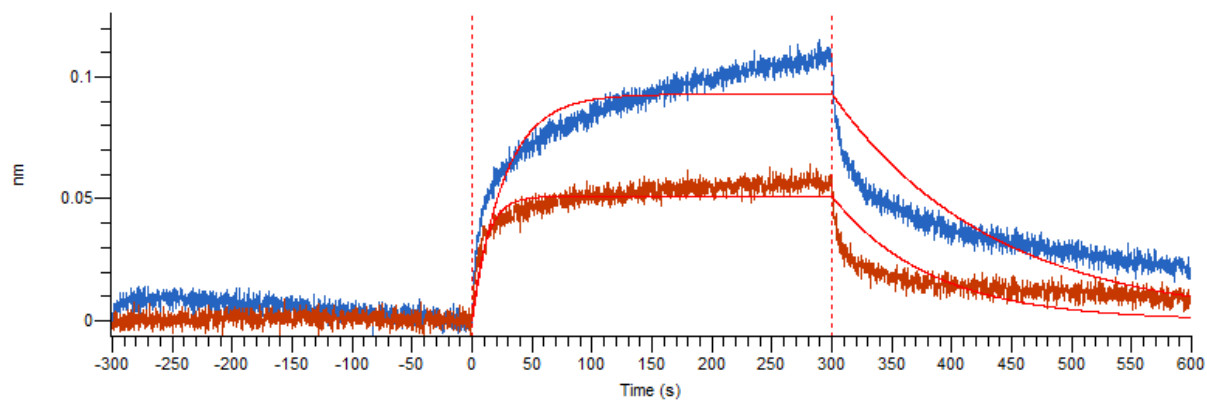


Figure S152. Binding of 50 μM peptide 4 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

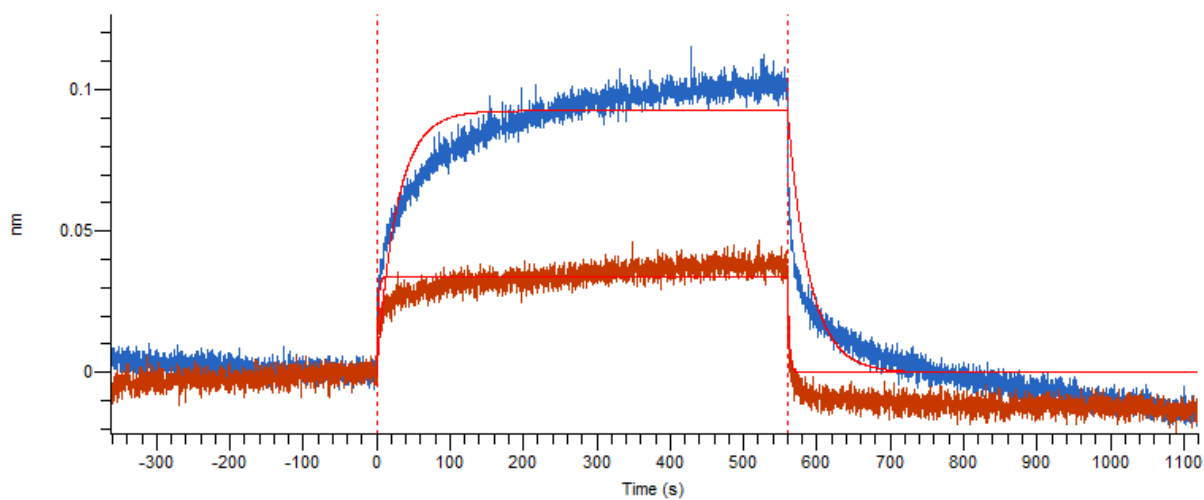


Figure S153. Binding of 50 μM peptide 5 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

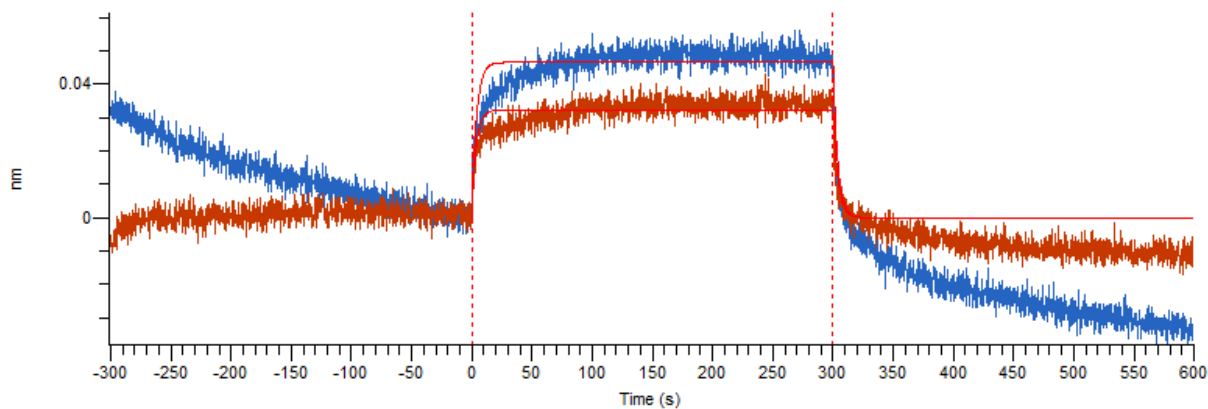


Figure S154. Binding of 50 μM peptide 6 to the RBD monitored with BLI.

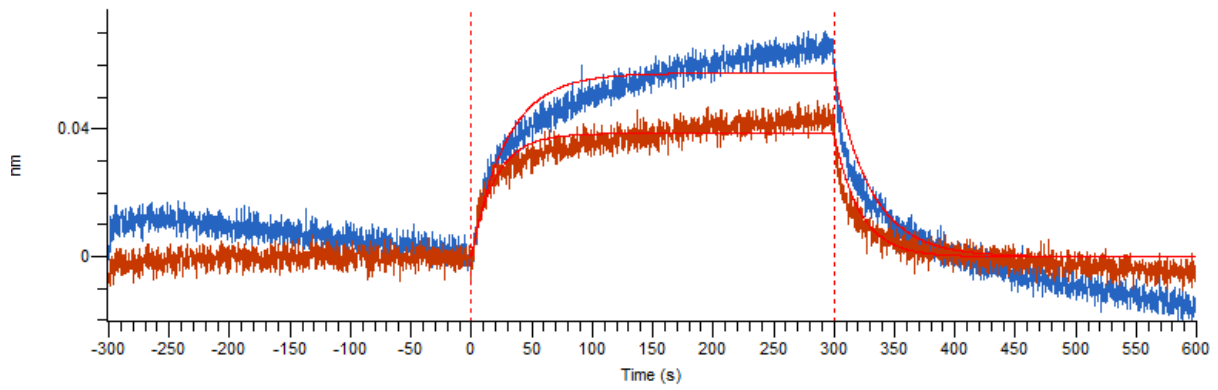


Figure S155. Binding of 50 μM peptide **7** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

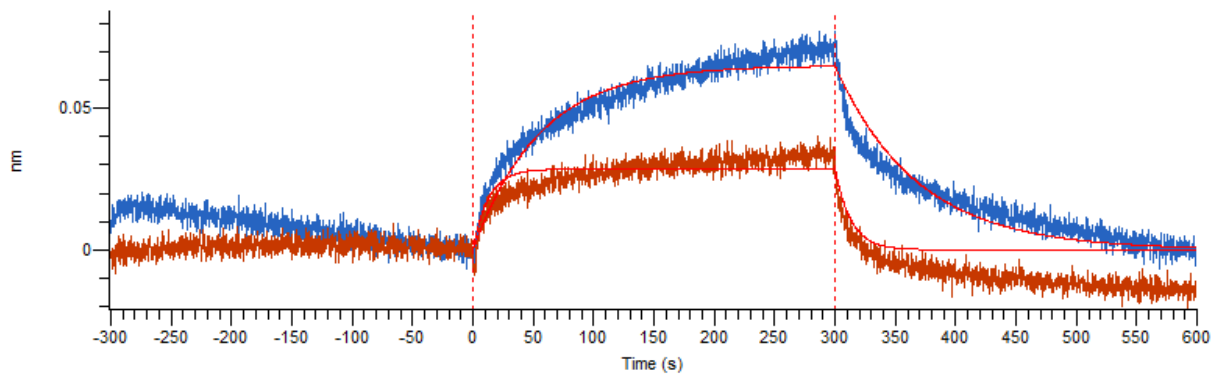


Figure S156. Binding of 50 μM peptide **8** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

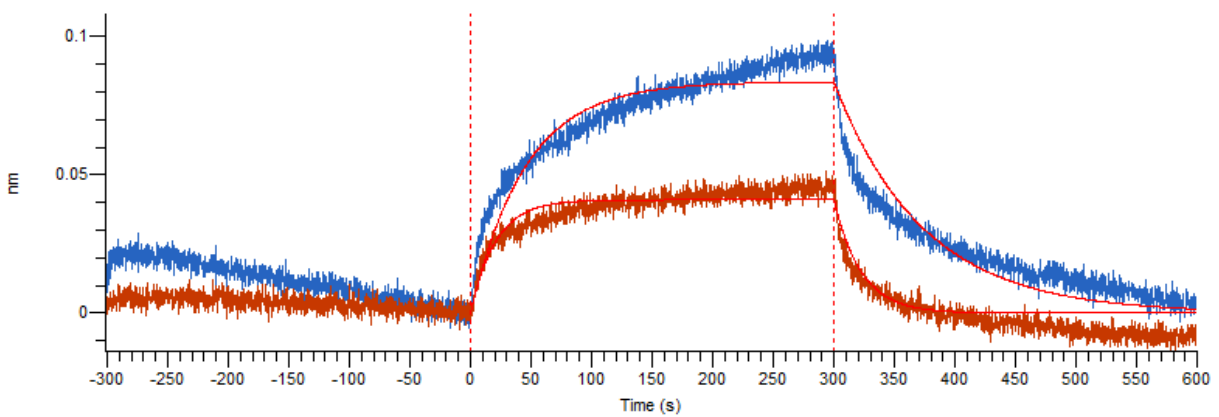


Figure S157. Binding of 50 μM peptide **9** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

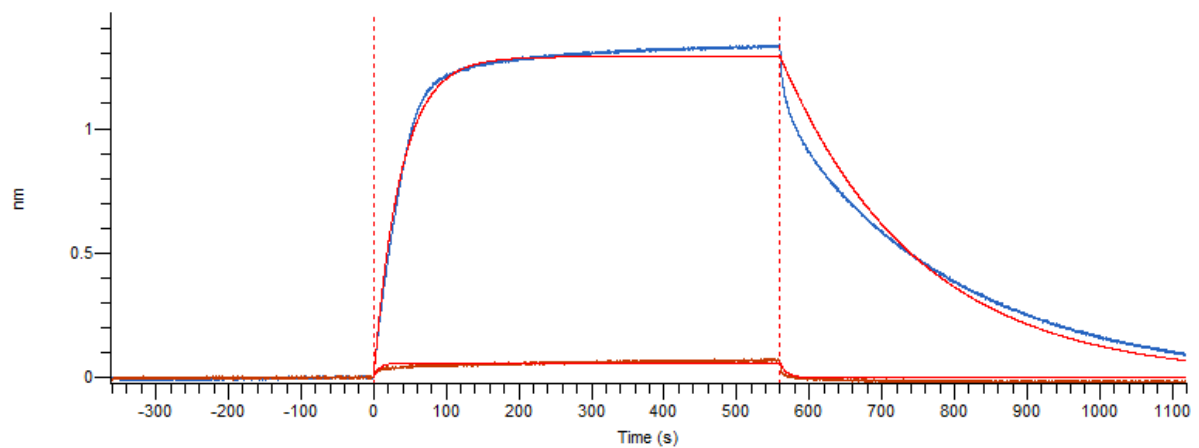


Figure S158. Binding of 50 μM peptide **10** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

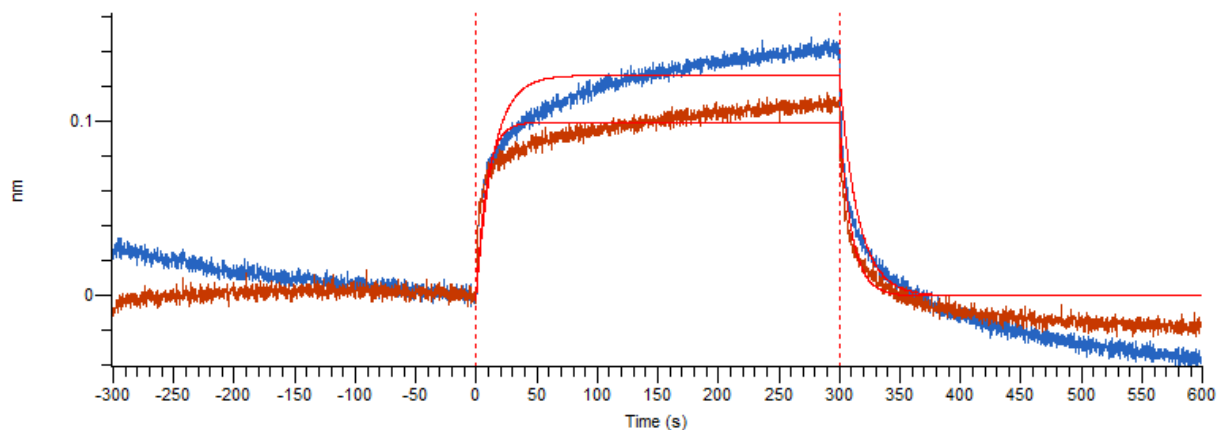


Figure S159. Binding of 50 μM peptide **11** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

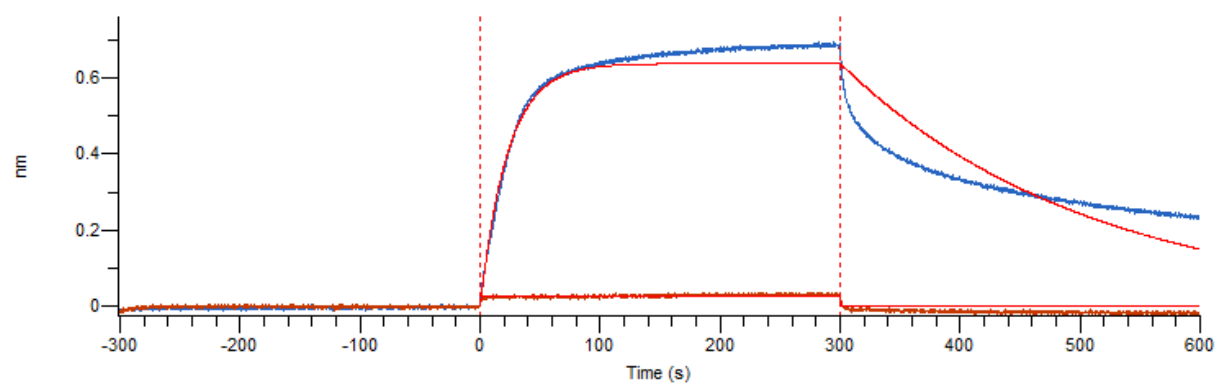


Figure S160. Binding of 50 μM peptide **12** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

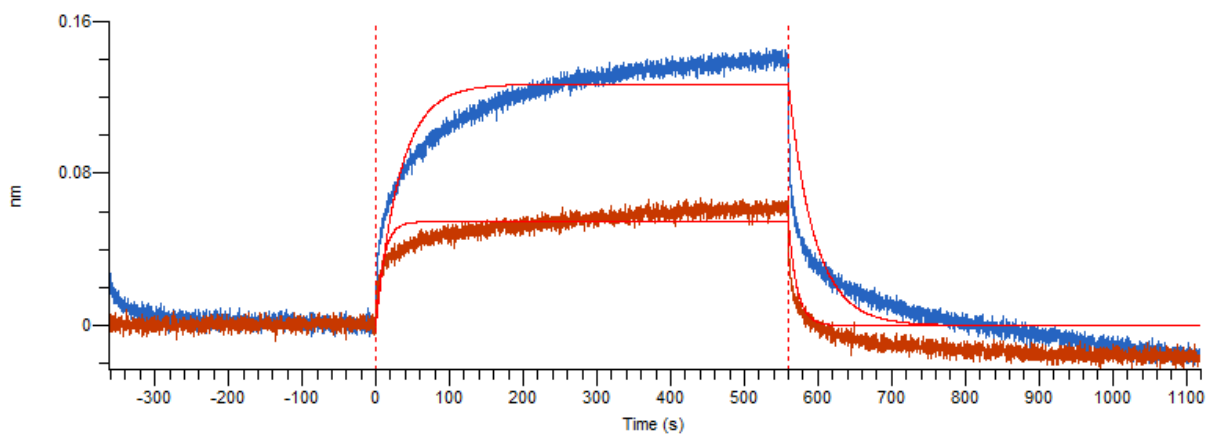


Figure S161. Binding of 50 μM peptide **13** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

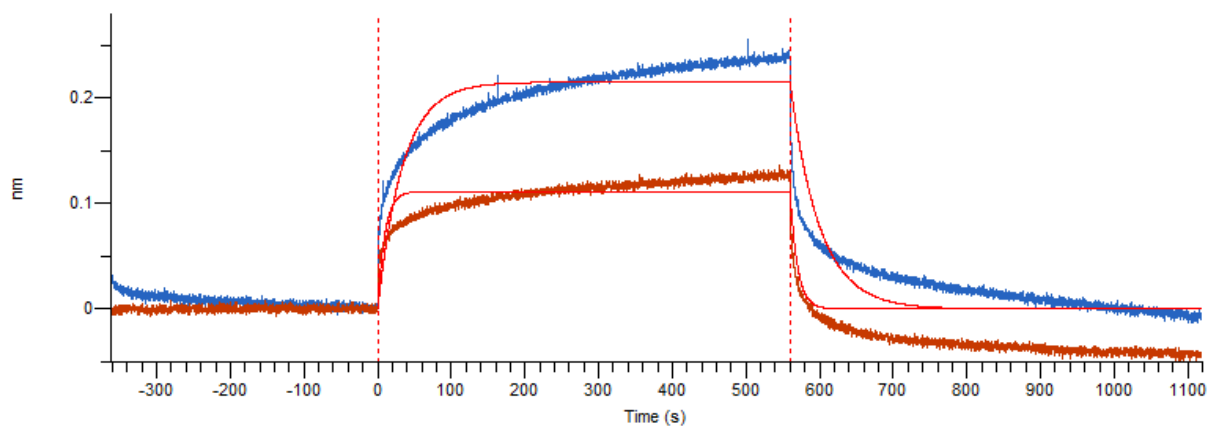


Figure S162. Binding of 50 μM peptide **14** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

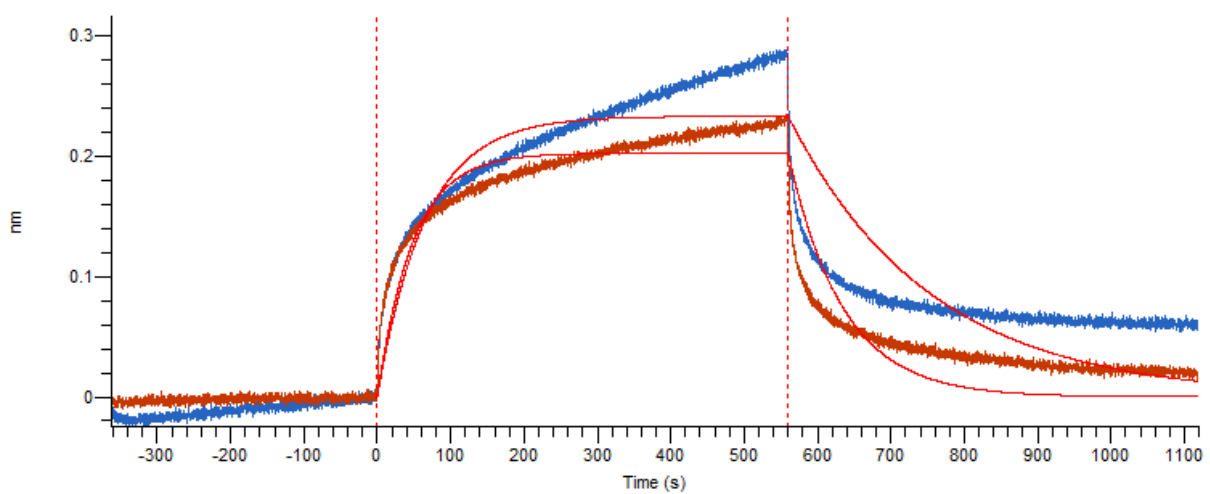


Figure S163. Binding of 50 μM peptide **15** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

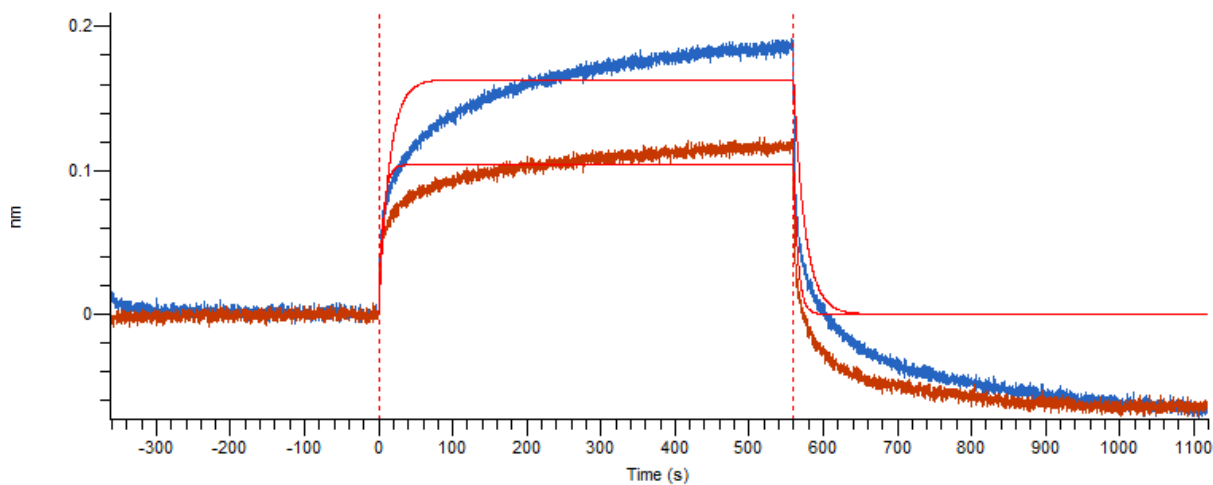


Figure S164. Binding of 50 μM peptide **16** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

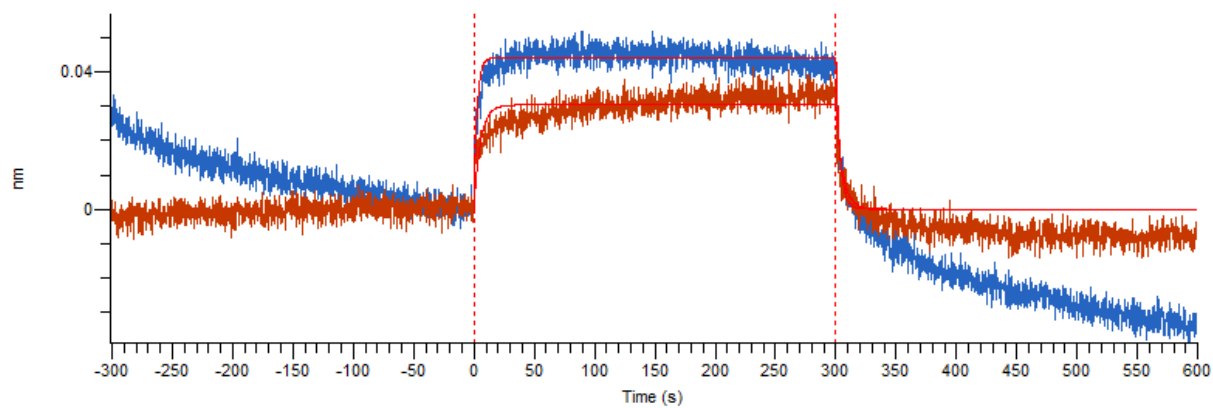


Figure S165. Binding of 50 μM peptide **17** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

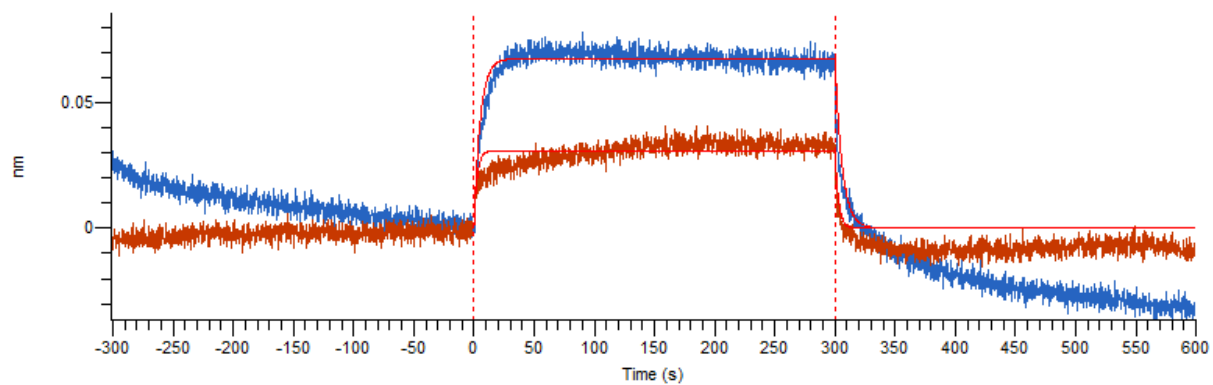


Figure S166. Binding of 50 μM peptide **18** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

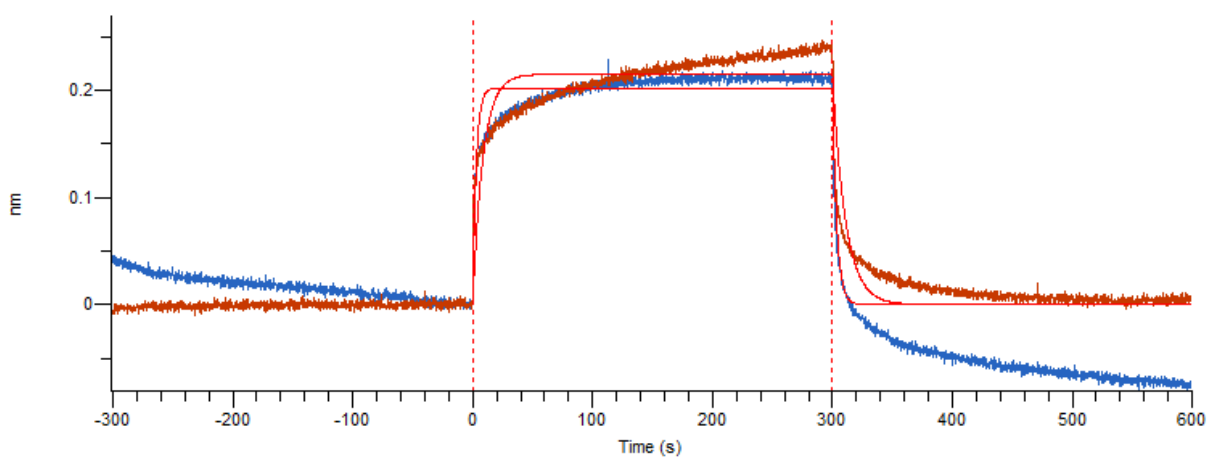


Figure S167. Binding of 50 μM peptide **19** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

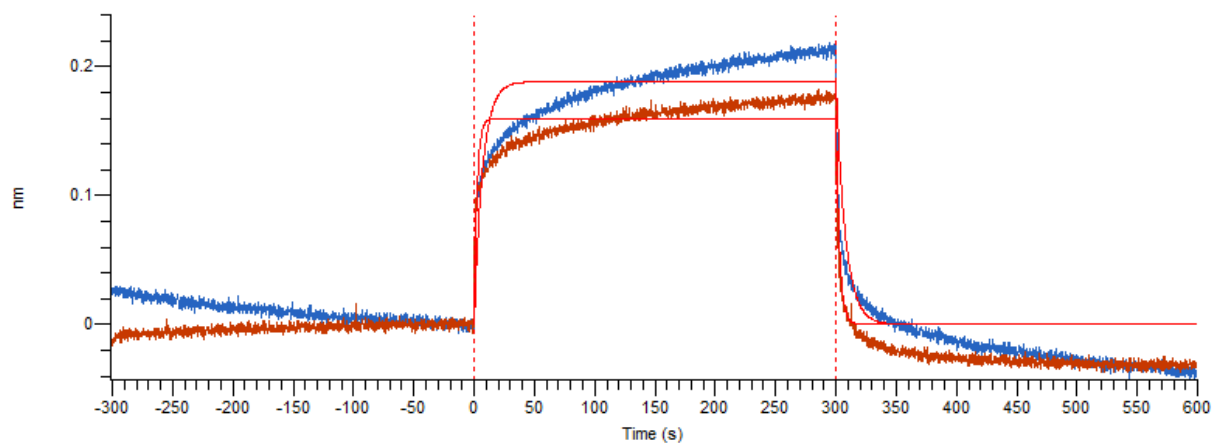


Figure S168. Binding of 50 μM peptide **20** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

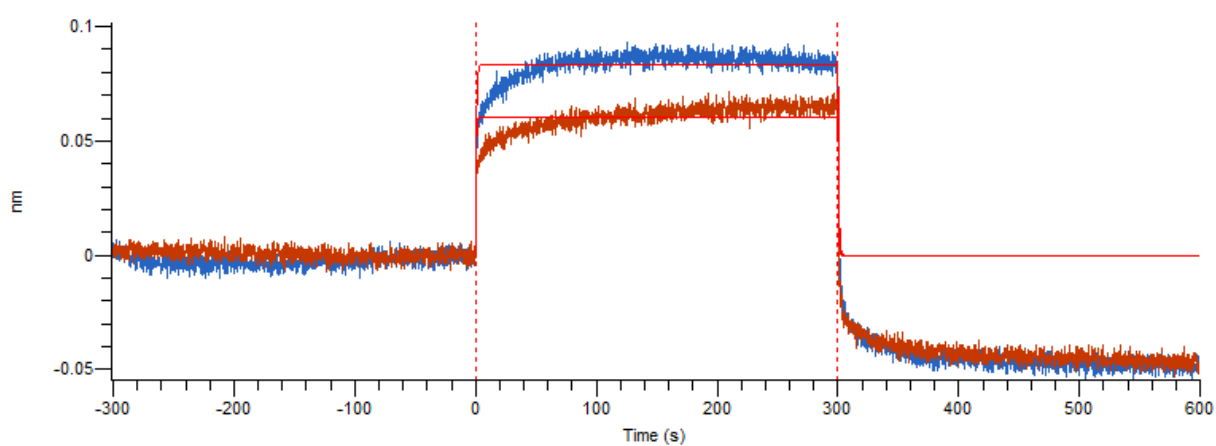


Figure S169. Binding of 50 μM peptide **21** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

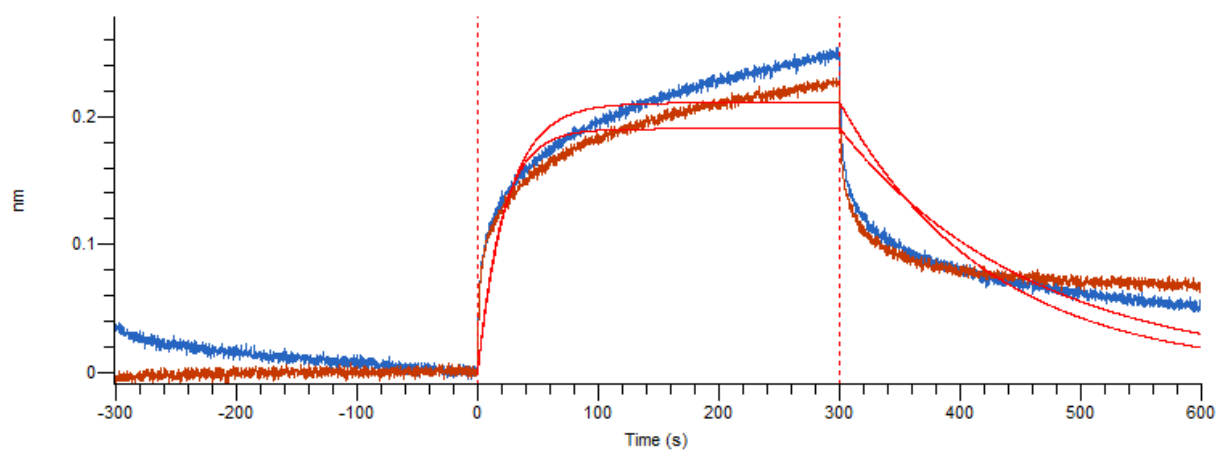


Figure S170. Binding of 50 μM peptide **22** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

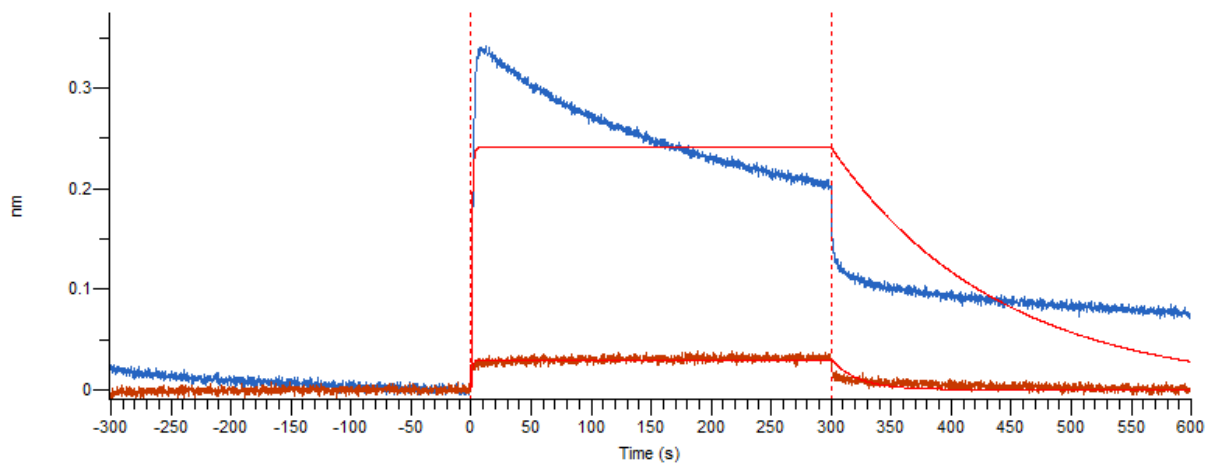


Figure S171. Binding of 50 μM peptide **23** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

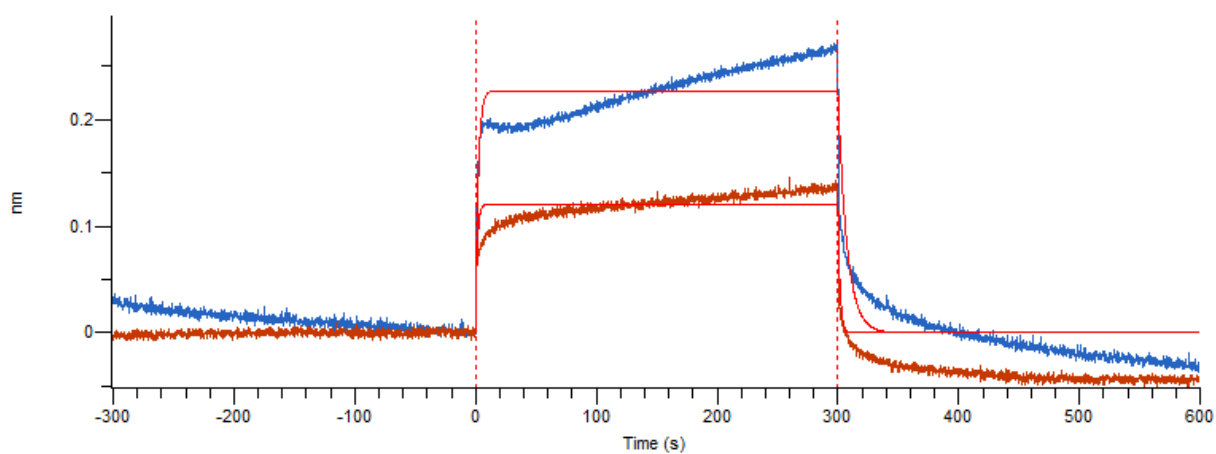


Figure S172. Binding of 50 μM peptide **24** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

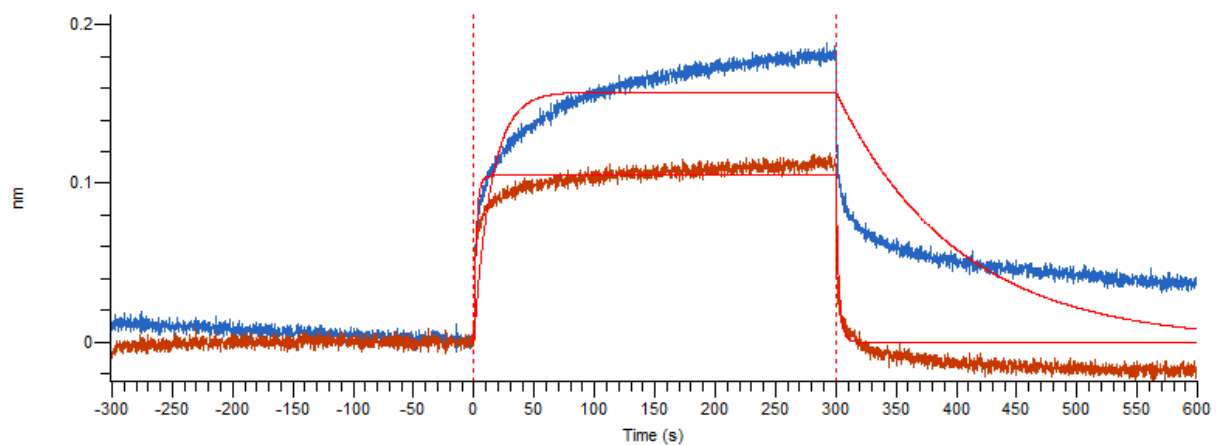


Figure S173. Binding of 50 μM peptide **25** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

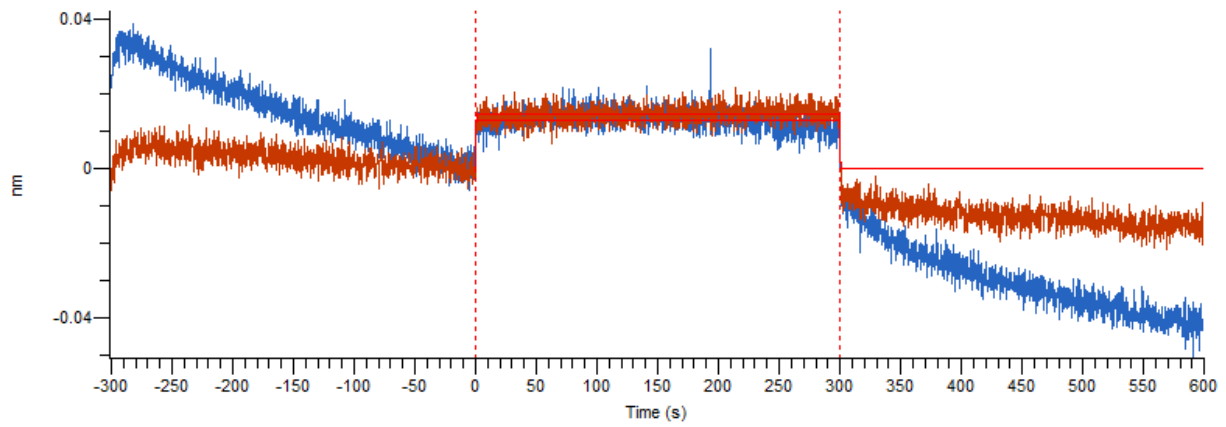


Figure S174. Binding of 50 μM peptide **26** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

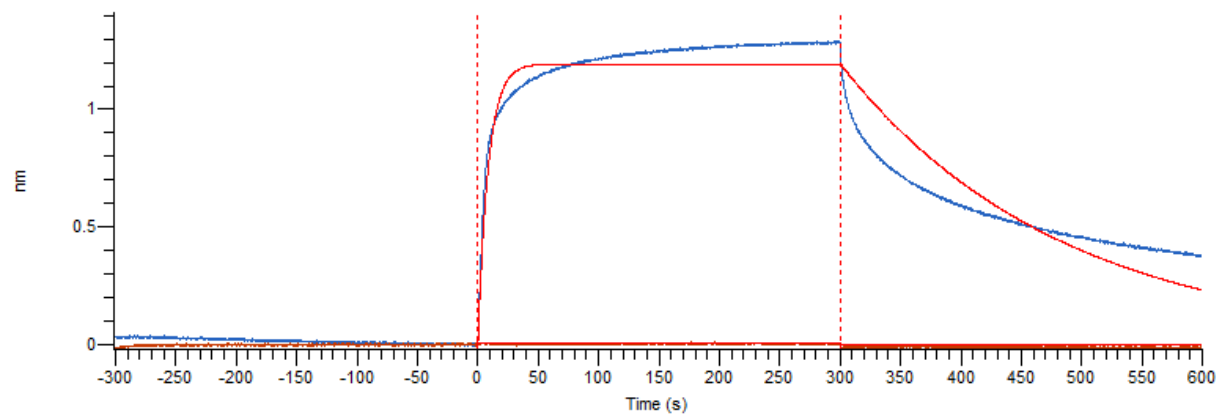


Figure S175. Binding of 50 μM peptide **27** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

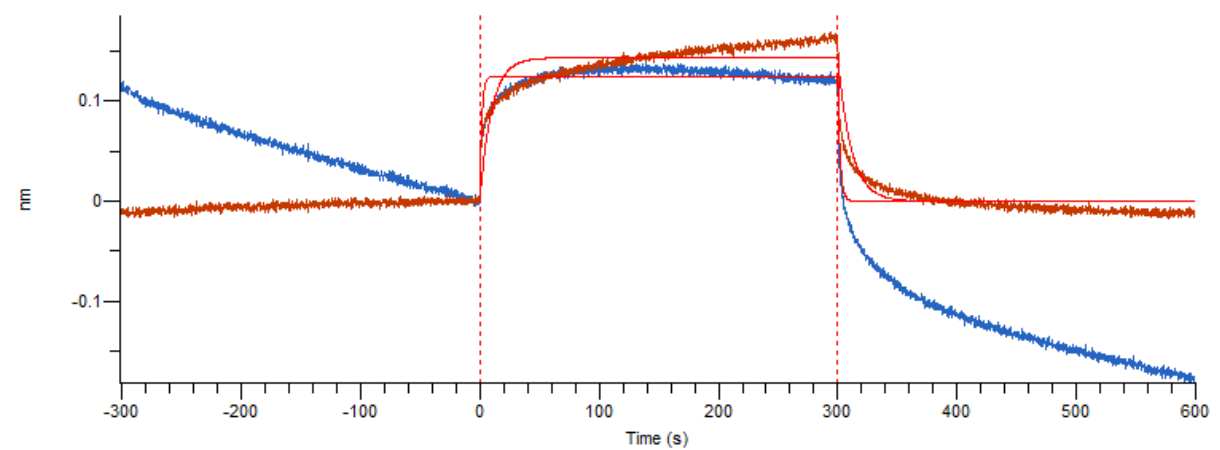


Figure S176. Binding of 50 μM peptide **28** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

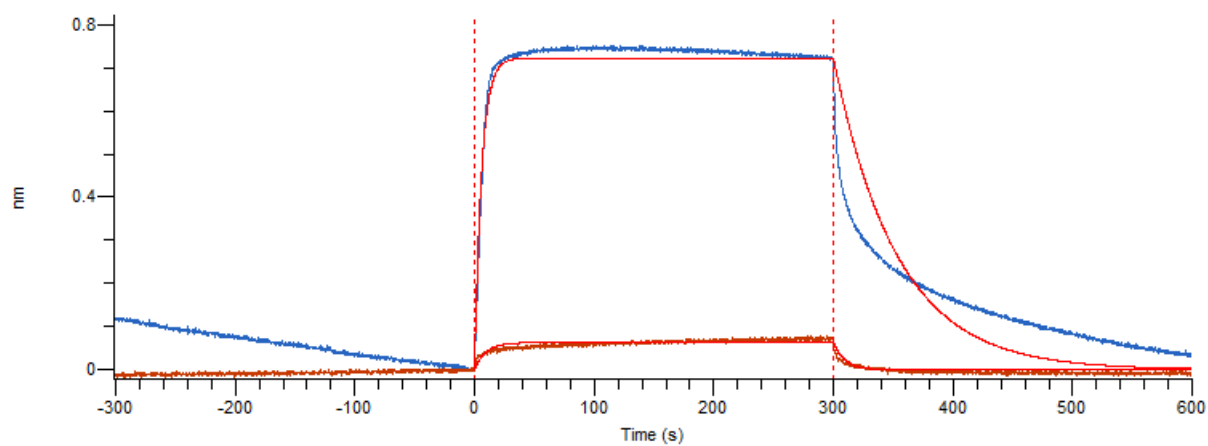


Figure S177. Binding of 50 μM peptide **29** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

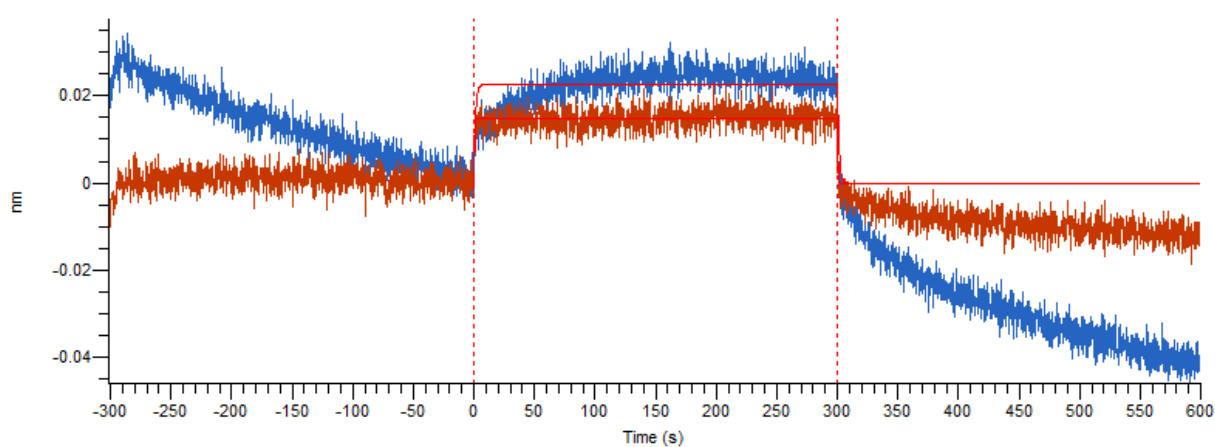


Figure S178. Binding of 50 μM peptide **30** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

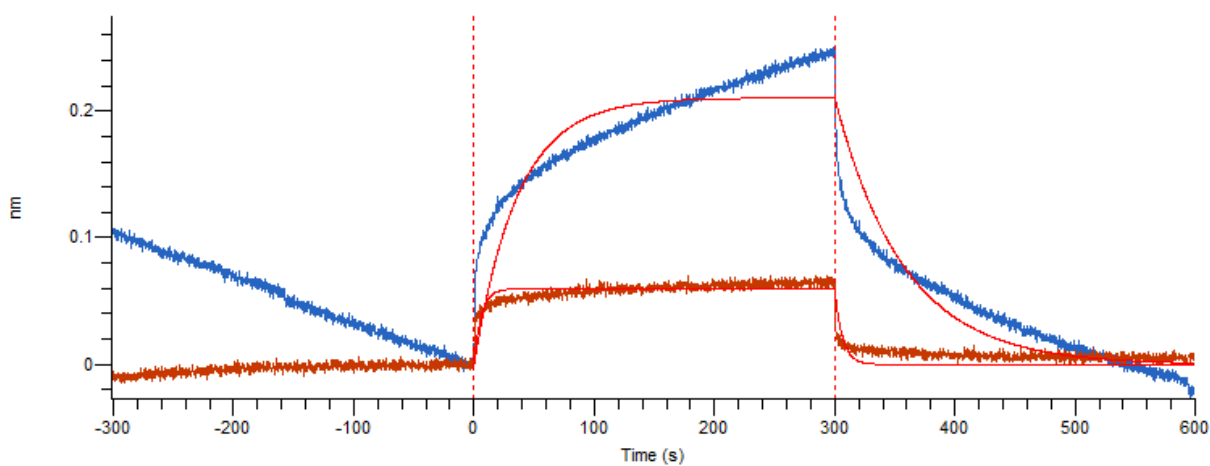


Figure S179. Binding of 50 μM peptide **31** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

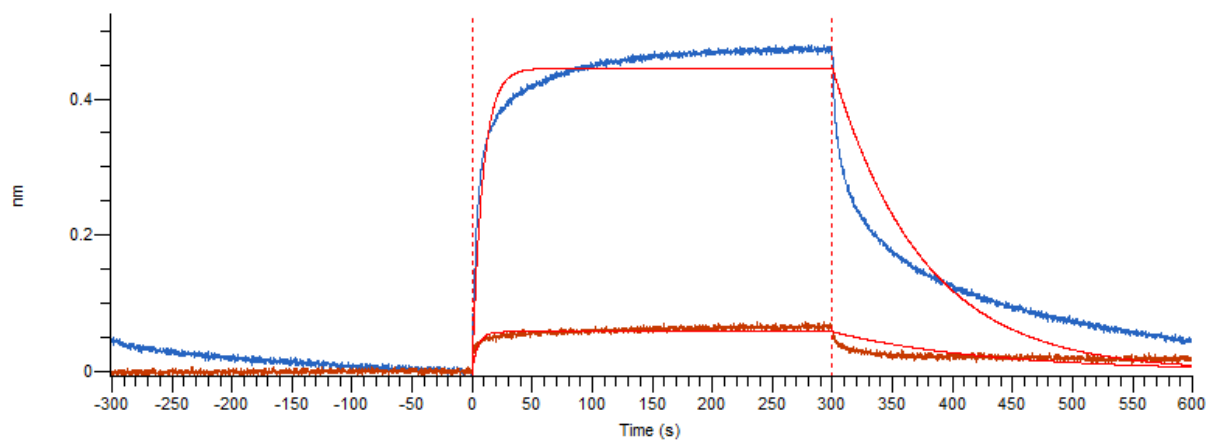


Figure S180. Binding of 50 μM peptide **32** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

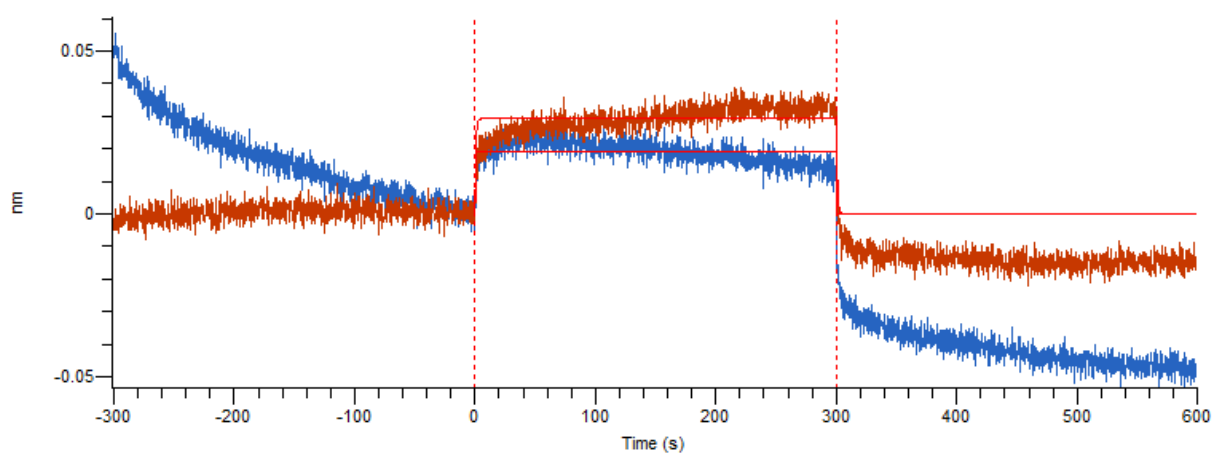


Figure S181. Binding of 50 μM peptide **33** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

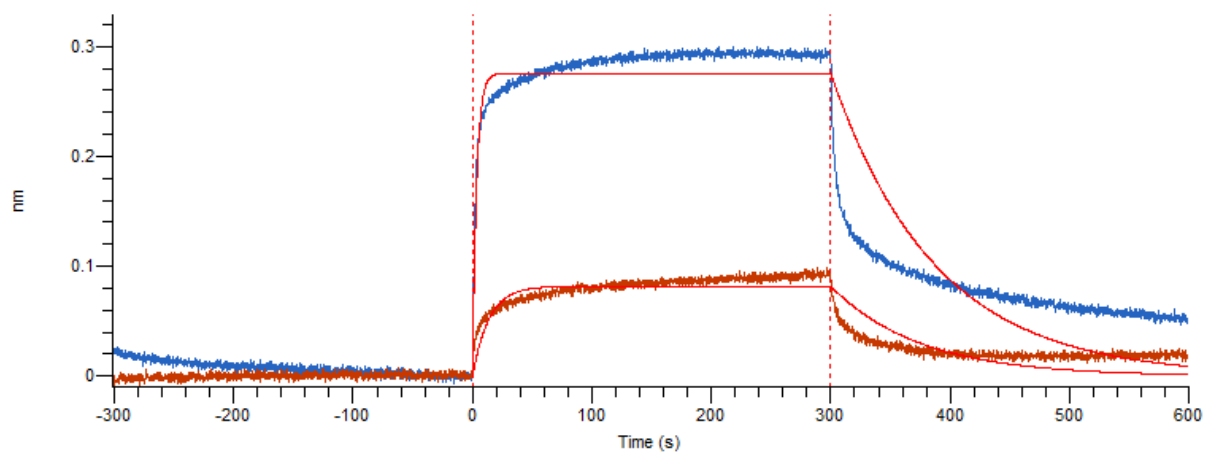


Figure S182. Binding of 50 μM peptide **34** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

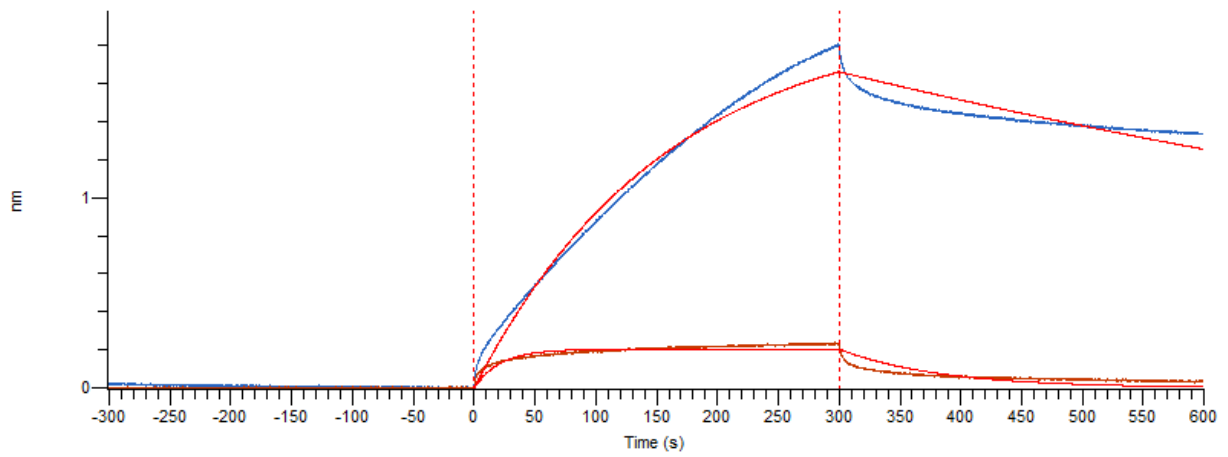


Figure S183. Binding of 50 μM peptide **35** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

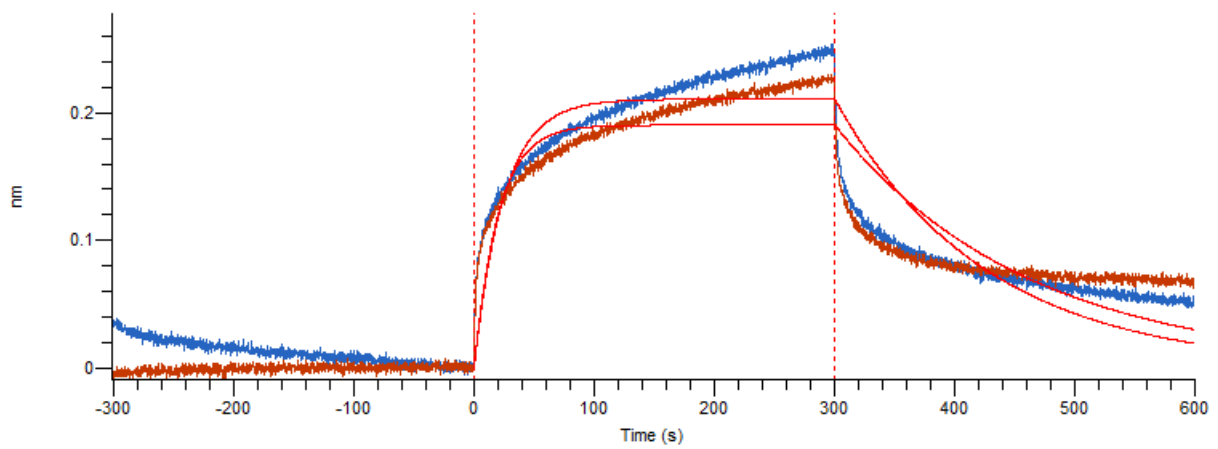


Figure S184. Binding of 50 μM peptide **36** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

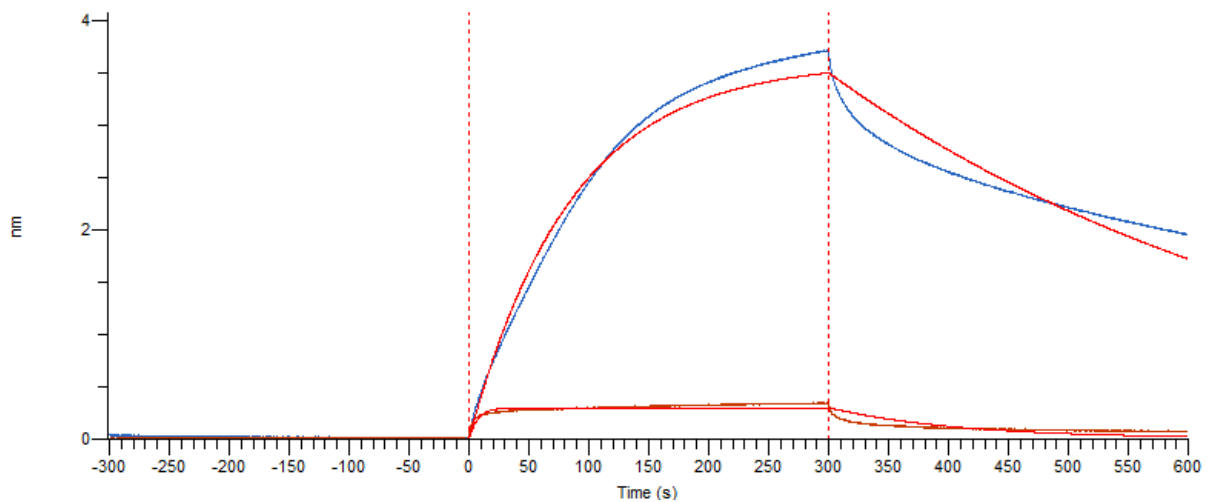


Figure S185. Binding of 50 μM peptide **37** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

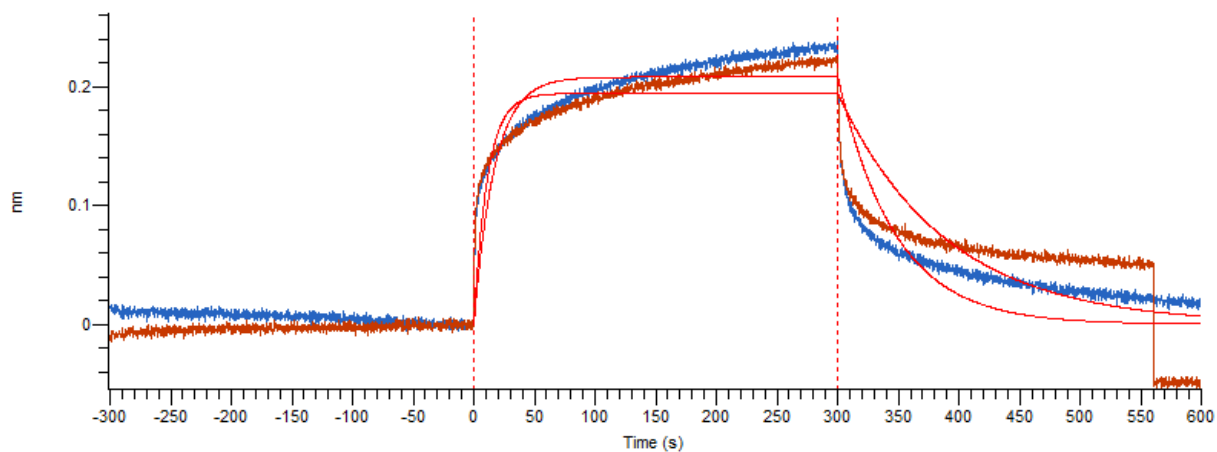


Figure S186. Binding of 50 μM peptide **38** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

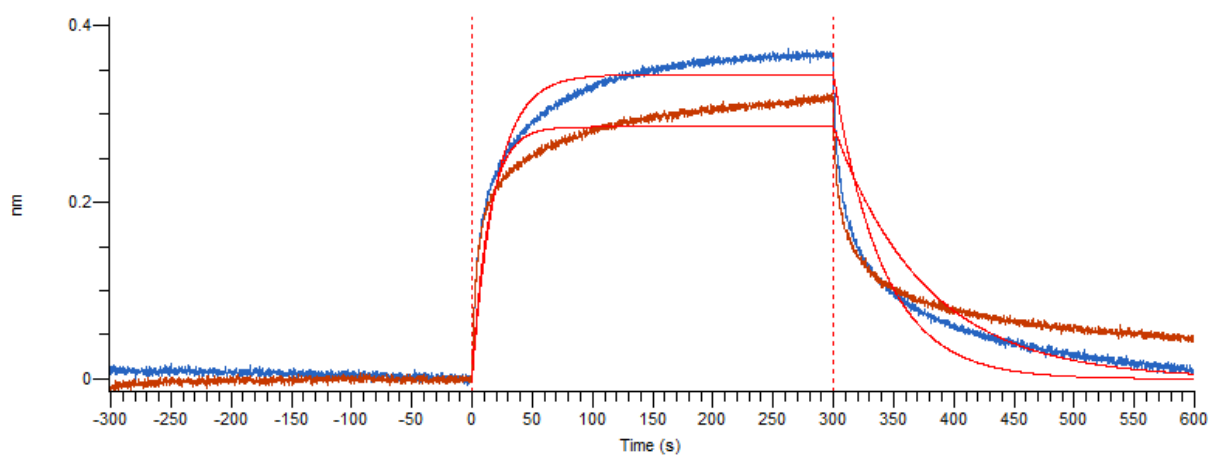


Figure S187. Binding of 50 μM peptide **39** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

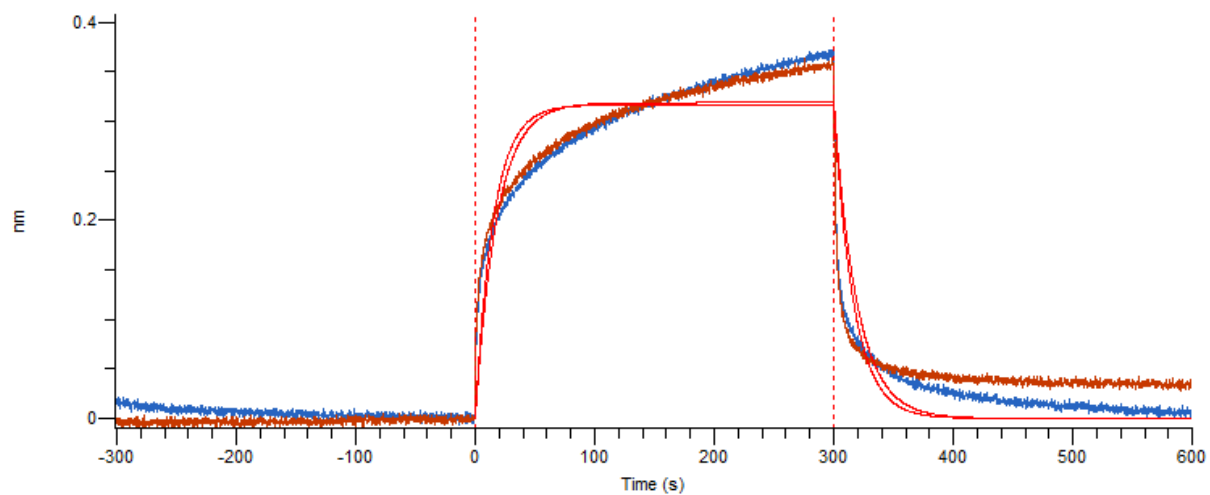


Figure S188. Binding of 50 μM peptide **40** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

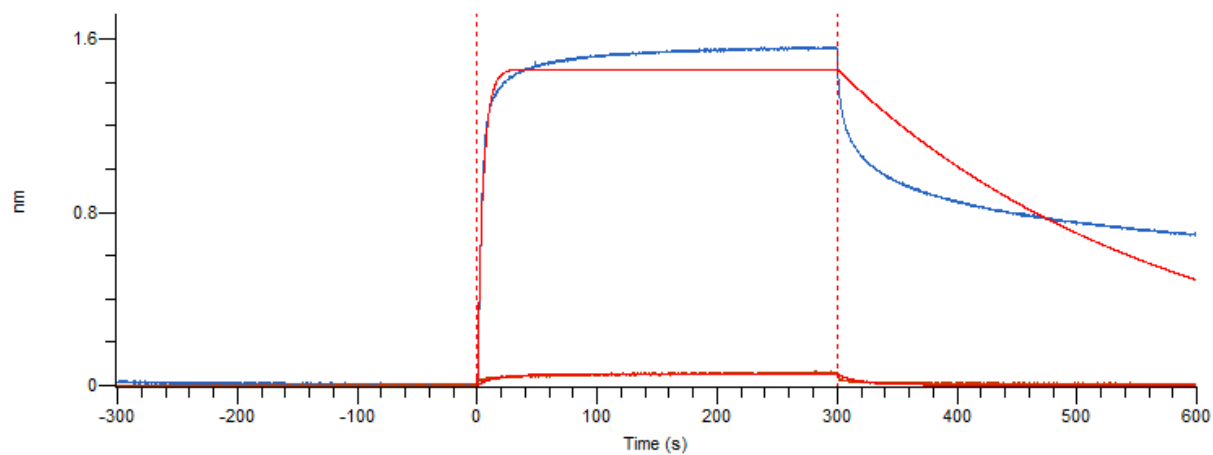


Figure S189. Binding of 50 μ M peptide **41** to the RBD monitored with BLI.

Table S4. Chemical shifts of peptide **27**. Cp stands for *trans*-(1*S*,2*S*)-2-amino-1-cyclopentanecarboxylic acid.

Residue	Proton	Chemical shift [ppm]
Arg1	HN	7.86
	HA	3.93
	HB	1.94 (2) 1.98 (1)
	HG	1.71
	HD	3.24
	Asp2	HN
	HA	4.80
	HB	2.81 (2) 2.97 (1)
Asp3	HN	8.87
	HA	4.65
	HB	2.83 (2) 2.93 (1)
Glu4	HN	8.26
	HA	4.36
	HB	2.09 (2) 2.25 (1)
	HG	2.41 (2) 2.48 (1)
Cp5	HN	7.85
	HA	2.58
	HB	4.37
	HG, D, E	1.76 (4) 1.87 (3) 1.95 (2) 2.05 (1)
Arg6	HN	8.30
	HA	3.89
	HB	1.59 (2) 1.71 (1)
	HG	1.35 (2) 1.43 (1)
	HD	2.90 (2) 2.97 (1)
	HE	7.25
Trp7	HN	7.95
	HA	4.67
	HB	3.41 (2) 3.55 (1)
	HD1	7.26
	HE1	10.27
	HZ2	7.36
	HE3	7.68
	HH2	7.12
Leu8	HZ3	7.07
	HN	8.07
	HA	4.30
	HB	1.65 (2) 1.73 (1)
	HG	1.64
Cp9	HD	0.96
	HN	7.99
	HA	2.80
	HB	4.38
Thr10	HG,D, E	1.73 (4) 1.79 (3) 1.91 (2) 2.00 (1)
	HN	8.16
	HA	4.40
	HB	3.75
	HG	1.28
Asp11	HN	8.36
	HA	4.55
	HB	2.86 (2) 3.26 (1)
Cp12	HN	7.98
	HA	2.88
	HB	4.40
	HG,D,E	1.79 (4) 1.85 (3) 1.95 (2) 2.10 (1)
Val13	HN	8.42
	HA	3.47
	HB	2.31
Tyr14	HG	0.82 (2) 1.03 (1)
	HN	8.42
	HA	4.36
	HB	3.27 (2) 3.46 (1)
	HD	6.66
	HE	7.14
Glu15	HN	8.49
	HA	4.08
	HB	2.17
	HG	2.50 (2) 2.72 (1)
Cp16	HN	8.23
	HA	2.95
	HB	4.32
	HG,D,E	1.70 (4) 1.73 (3) 1.84 (2) 1.99 (1)
	HN	8.35
Trp17	HA	4.41
	HB	3.18 (2) 3.22 (1)
	HD1	7.15
	HE1	10.27
	HZ2	7.34
	HE3	7.53
	HH2	7.10
	HZ3	7.01
	HN	7.81
His18	HA	4.59
	HB	3.25 (2) 3.47 (1)
	HD2	7.32
	HE	7.31 (2) 8.38 (1)
	NH ₂	HN1
HN2		7.08

Table S5. Interproton contacts of peptide **27**, Cp stands for *trans*-(1*S*,2*S*)-2-amino-1-cyclopentanecarboxylic acid.

Sequential (<i>i, i+1</i>)	Intensity
Arg1HA-Asp2HN	s
Arg1HG-Asp2HN	w
Asp2HA-Asp3HN	s
Asp3HA-Glu4HN	s
Asp3HB1-Glu4HN	m
Asp3HB2-Glu4HN	m
Cp5HA-Arg6HN	s
Cp5HB-Arg6HN	m
Arg6HA-Trp7HN	m
Arg6HB2-Trp7HN	m
Arg6HG1-Trp7HN	w
Arg6HG2-Trp7HN	w
Trp7HA-Leu8HN	m
Trp7HB1-Leu8HN	s
Trp7HB2-Leu8HN	m
Leu8HA-Cp9HN	m
Leu8HD-Cp9HB	w
Leu8HD-Cp9HN	w
Leu8HG-Cp9HN	m
Cp9HA-Thr10HN	s
Cp9HB-Thr10HN	s
Thr10HA-Asp11HN	s
Thr10HB-Asp11HN	m
Thr10HG-Asp11HN	m
Asp11HA-Cp12HN	m
Asp11HB1-Cp12HN	s
Cp12HA-Val13HN	s
Cp12HB-Val13HN	m

Cp12HA-Val13HB1	w
Val13HG2-Tyr14HE	m
Val13HN-Tyr14HE	w
Tyr14HA-Glu15HN	m
Tyr14HB1-Glu15HN	s
Tyr14HB2-Glu15HN	m
Tyr14HE-Glu15HN	m
Tyr14HE-Glu15HA	m
Tyr14HE-Glu15HG1	m
Tyr14HE-Glu15HG2	w
Tyr14HN-Glu15HB	w
Glu15HA-Cp16HN	m
Glu15HB-Cp16HN	s
Glu15HN-Cp16HA	w
Cp16HA-Trp17HN	s
Cp16HN-Trp17HA	w
Trp17HA-His18HN	m
Trp17HN-His18HB1	m
His18HE-HN2HN1	m
His18HA-NH2HN2	w
Sequential (HN-HN)	Intensity
Asp3HN-Glu4HN	s
Glu4HN-Cp5HN	s
Cp5HN-Arg6HN	m
Arg6HN-Trp7HN	m
Trp7HN-Leu8HN	m
Cp9HN-Thr10HN	m
Thr10HN-Asp11HN	m
Asp11HN-Cp12HN	s

Cp12HN-Val13HN	m
Tyr14HN-Glu15HN	m
Glu15HN-Cp16HN	s
Trp17HN-His18HN	s
His18HN-HN2HN1	s
His18HN-HN2HN2	m
Medium range (<i>i, i+2</i>)	Intensity
Asp2HA-Glu4HN	m
Asp3HA-Cp5HN	m
Cp5HA-Trp7HN	w
Cp5HB-Trp7HE3	m
Arg6HA-Leu8HN	w
Leu8HA-Thr10HN	w
Asp11HN-Val13HG1	w
Cp12HA-Tyr14HN	w
Tyr14HB1-Cp16HN	m
Cp16HA-His18HN	w
Cp16HB-His18HN	m
Cp16HB-His18HD2	m
Trp17HA-HN2HN1	w
Medium range (<i>i, i+3</i>)	Intensity
Glu4HA-Trp7HD1	m
Glu4HA-Trp7HN	s
Cp5HG-Leu8HD	w
Cp5HB-Leu8HN	s
Cp5HN-Leu8HD	w
Arg6HA-Cp9HA	s
Arg6HA-Cp9HN	m
Arg6HA-Cp9HG	m

Trp7HA-Thr10HN	s
Trp7HE3-Thr10HG	m
Leu8HA-Asp11HB2	s
Leu8HA-Asp11HN	s
Leu8HA-Asp11HB1	s
Asp11HA-Tyr14HN	w
Asp11HA-Tyr14HD	s
Cp12HB-Glu15HN	s
Cp12HB-Glu15HB	s
Val13HA-Cp16HA	s
Val13HA-Cp16HN	m
Tyr14HA-Trp17HD1	s
Tyr14HA-Trp17HN	s
Glu15HA-His18HN	m
Glu15HA-His18HB2	s
Glu15HA-His18HD2	w
Medium range (i, i+4)	Intensity
Asp3HA-Trp7HN	s
Glu4HA-Leu8HN	w
Glu4HB1-Leu8HN	w
Glu4HB2-Leu8HN	w
Arg6HA-Thr10HN	w
Trp7HA-Asp11HN	s
Asp11HA-Glu15HN	m
Val13HG2-Trp17HE1	m
Tyr14HA-His18HD2	w
Tyr 14HD-His18HE	w
Tyr14HE-His18HE	w
Glu15HA-HN2HN1	w

Table S6. Vicinal coupling constants (${}^3J_{\text{HNHA}}$) determined from ${}^1\text{H}$ NMR spectrum for peptide **27**.

NH	3J [Hz]
HN1	**
HN2	7.09
HN3	6.50
HN4	6.15
HN5	7.66
HN6	2.3
HN7	7.35
HN8	5.83
HN9	9.33
HN10	2.88
HN11	4.17
HN12	9.10
HN13	~3.3*
HN14	~4*
HN15	5.25
HN16	9.02
HN17	4.63
HN18	8.84

Table S7. NMR calculation statistics for peptide **27**

average number of NOE violations	2.9
average amount of NOE violations [\AA]	2.019
number of different VdW violations	15
average number of VdW violations	8.7
average amount of VdW violations [\AA]	2.371
average RMSD [\AA]	1.428

Interaction Energy Calculations. Interaction Energies were calculated using MMGBSA [S5] method implemented in Amber 22 software [S6]. The forcefield ff5ipq-m extended with parameters for β -residues was applied [S7]. Peptide-protein complex were neutralized with Cl⁻ ions and solvated with TIP3P waters in a rectangular box with a 12 Å buffer distance. The system was subjected to molecular dynamic calculations including: (a) minimization; (b) heating (50 ps); (c) density equilibration (50 ps) and (d) constant pressure equilibration (500 ps) at 300K. Subsequently, the production MD simulation were performed (500 ps) at 300K. The interaction energies (MMGBSA algorithm) were calculated using MMPBSA.py script included in Amber22 software.

Table S8. Peptide-RBD of S protein interaction energies calculated using MMGBSA method

Peptide no	calculated ΔG [kcal/mol]
7	-31.6 ± 4.0
10	-31.4 ± 4.3
12	-35.6 ± 5.6
27	-44.4 ± 6.6

Molecular Dynamics simulations. Calculations were performed using GROMACS [S8] software. The PDB file, of the RBD protein in complex with the inhibitor, was processed with pdb2gmx to generate the topology file using Amber03ff [S9] force field which includes parametrization of trans-(1*S*-2*S*)-2-aminocyclopentanecarboxylic acid (*trans*-ACPC) under the three letter code SS5. The protein complex was then placed in a cubic box with 10 Å distance from any box edge, and the box was filled with water molecules using spc216.gro, a 3-point solvent model. The solvated complex was neutralized substituting water molecules by the corresponding ions to achieve neutral charge of the box. Subsequently, the system was energy minimized using steepest descent minimization with maximum 50000 steps and maximum force of < 1000 kJ/mol/nm. Long range electrostatic interactions were treated with Particle Mesh Ewald (PME). Next the system was allowed to equilibrate in two stages: (a) Heating equilibration phase (NVT equilibration): The temperature was set at 300 K, over 100 ps simulation in 50000 steps at 2 fs per step, applying Periodic Boundary Conditions and modified Berendsen thermostat, with position restrains on the protein complex; (b) pressure equilibration phase (NPT equilibration): The pressure equilibration used the same molecular dynamic parameters as the NVT phase using pressure coupling, controlled by Parrinello-Rahman with a reference pressure of 1.0 bar and tau_p 2ps. The equilibration was run over 100 ps. Finally, MD production was done. A 100 ns simulation was run. From the trajectory we extracted the radius of gyration of the complex for the most potent and less potent inhibitors towards RBD-protein.

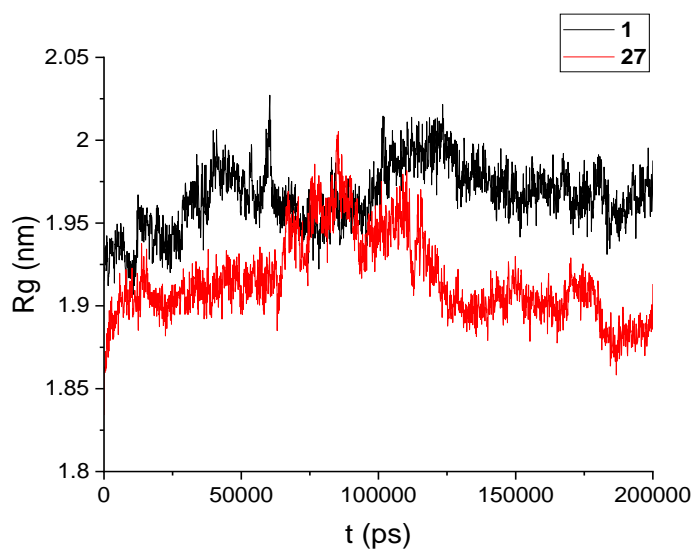
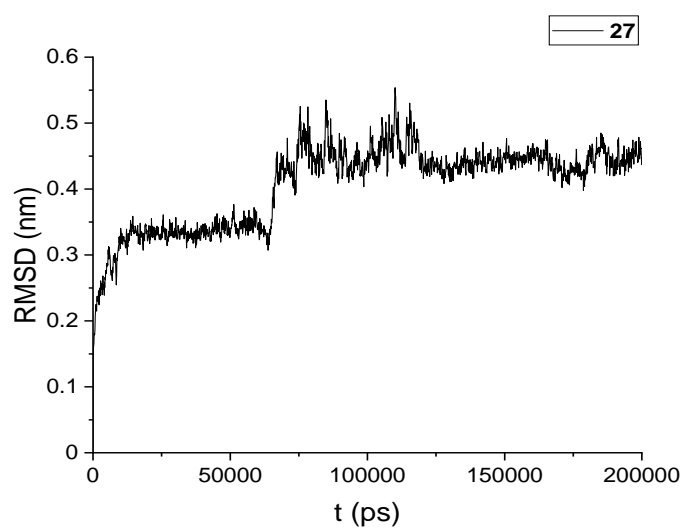
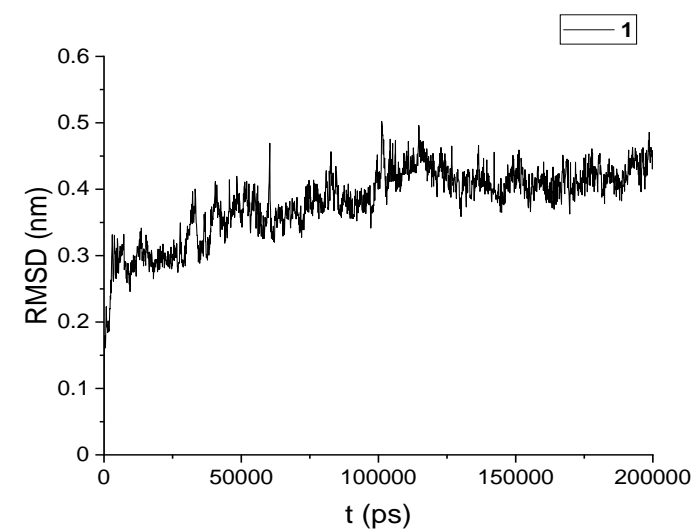


Figure S190. RMSD and radius of gyration (R_g) for complexes of peptides **1** and **27** with RBD of the S protein during MD simulations.

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