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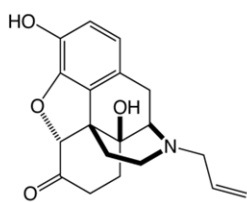
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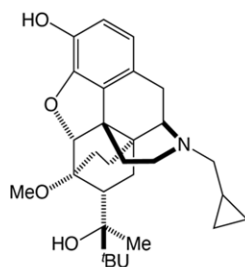
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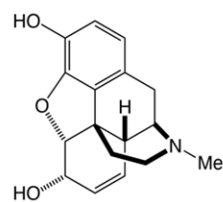
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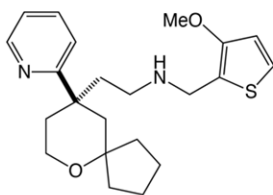
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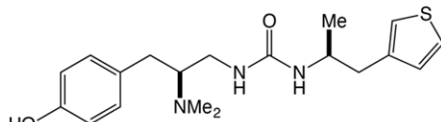
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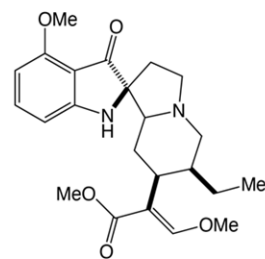
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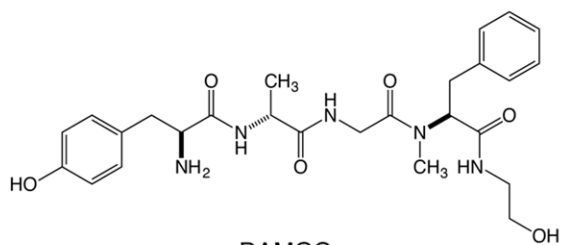
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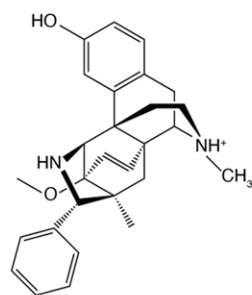
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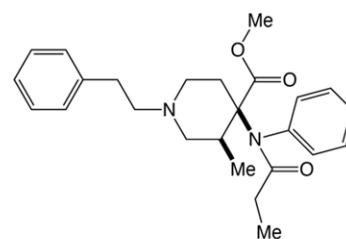
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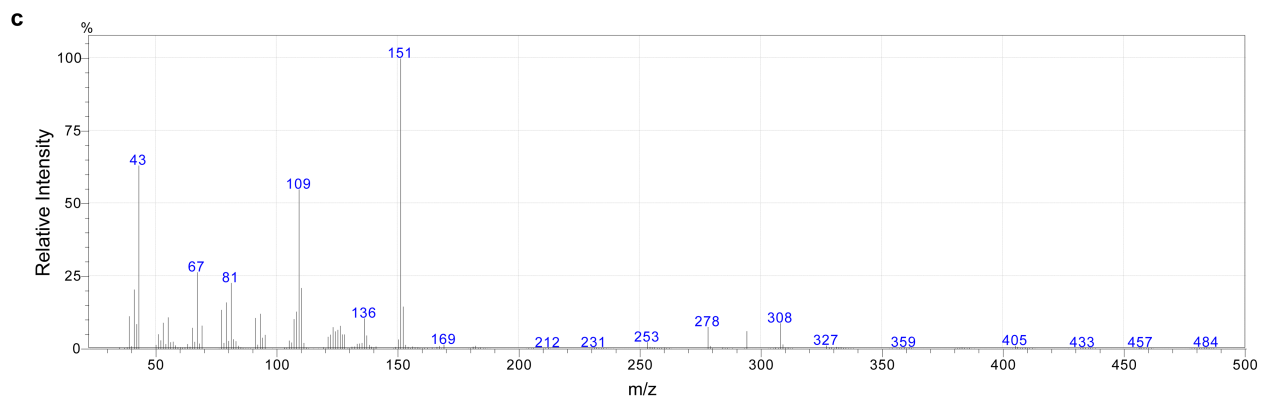
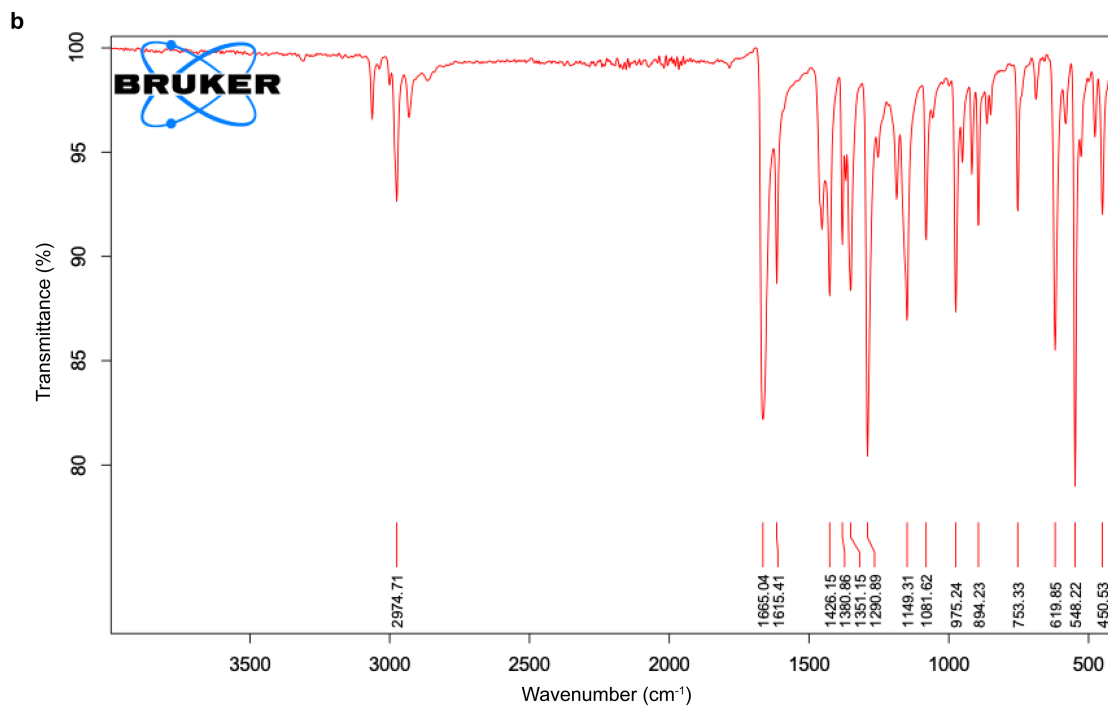
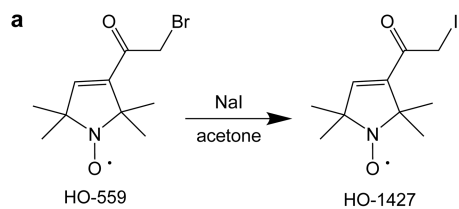


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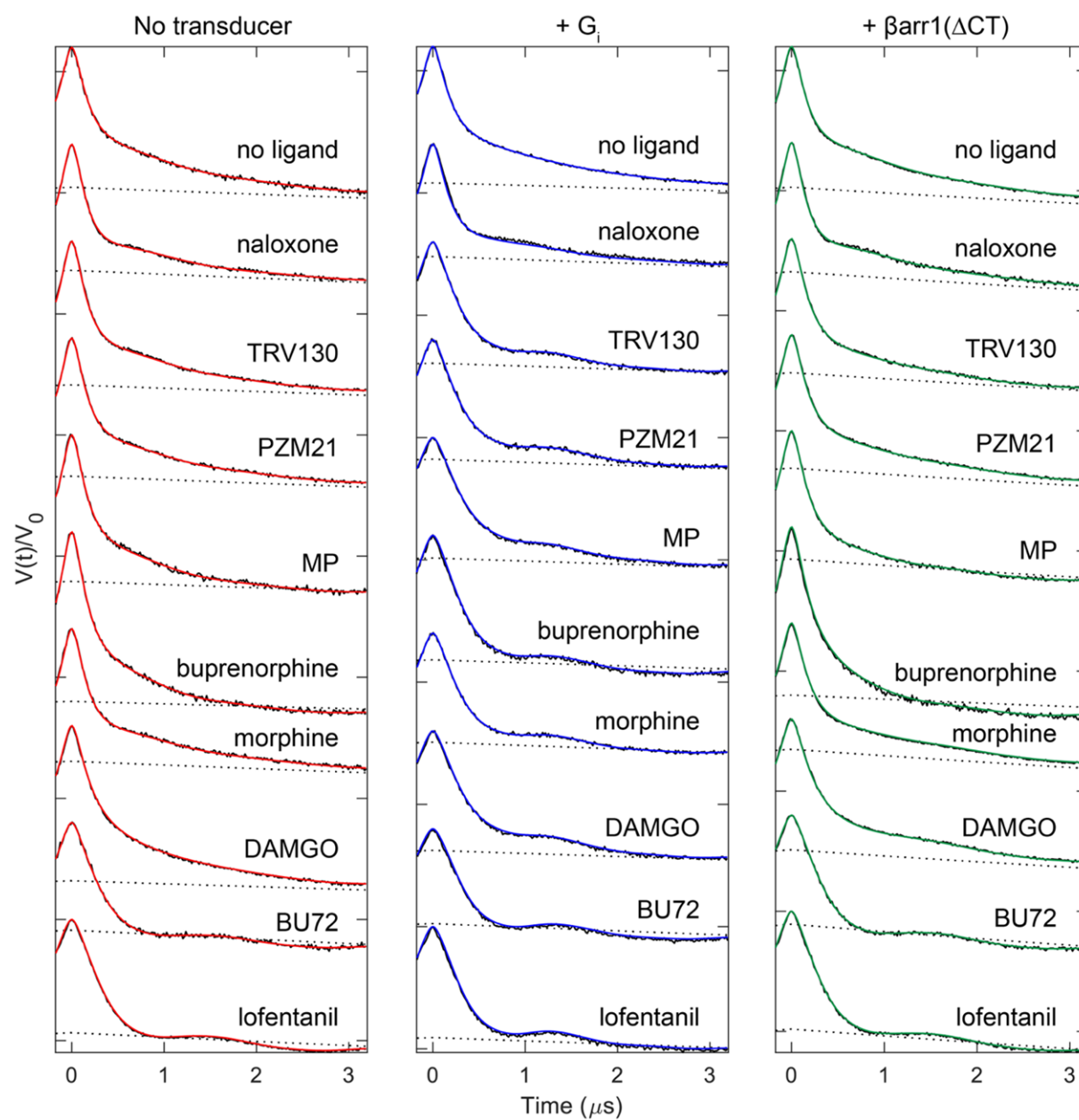


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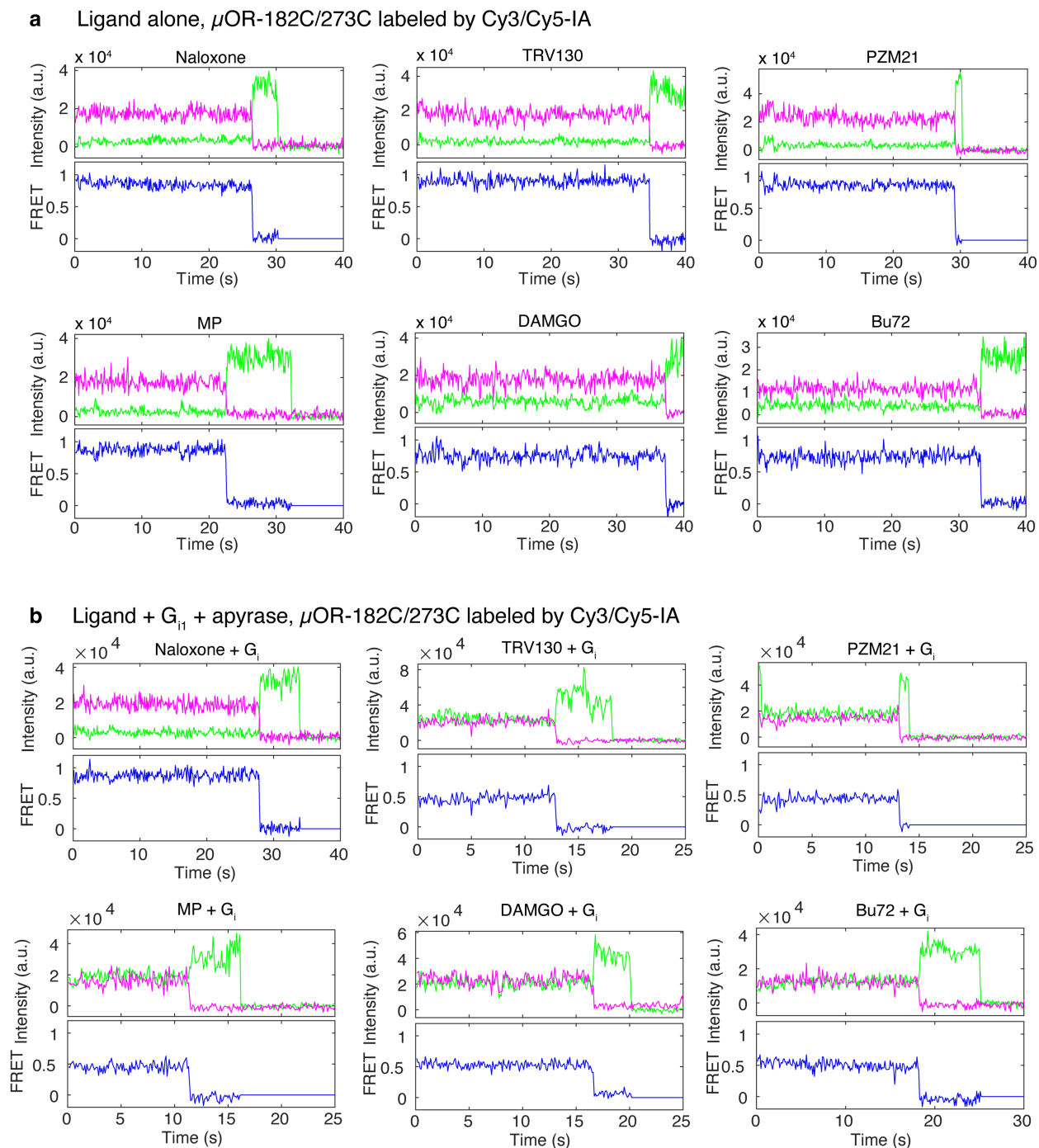
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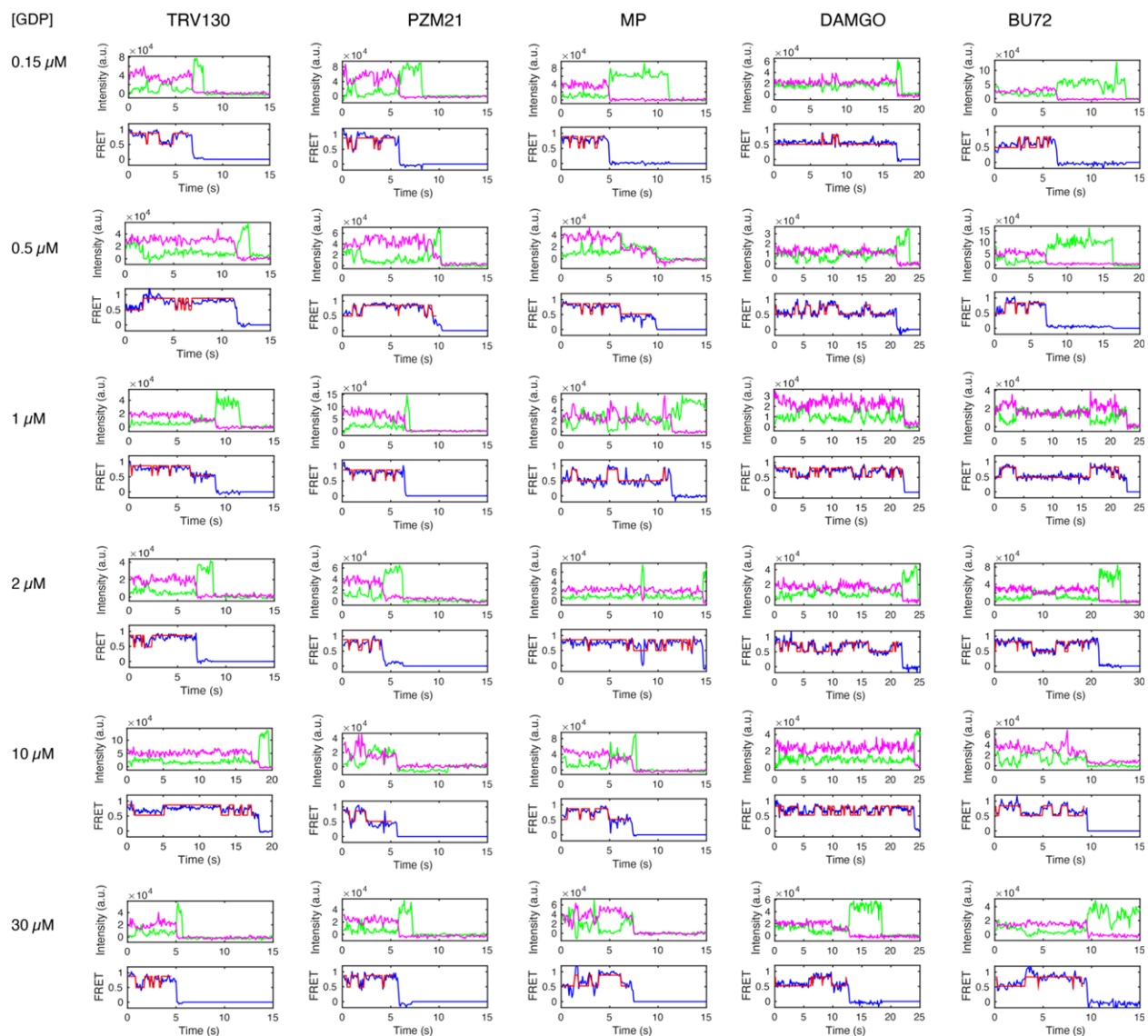
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Dotted lines indicate background signal.

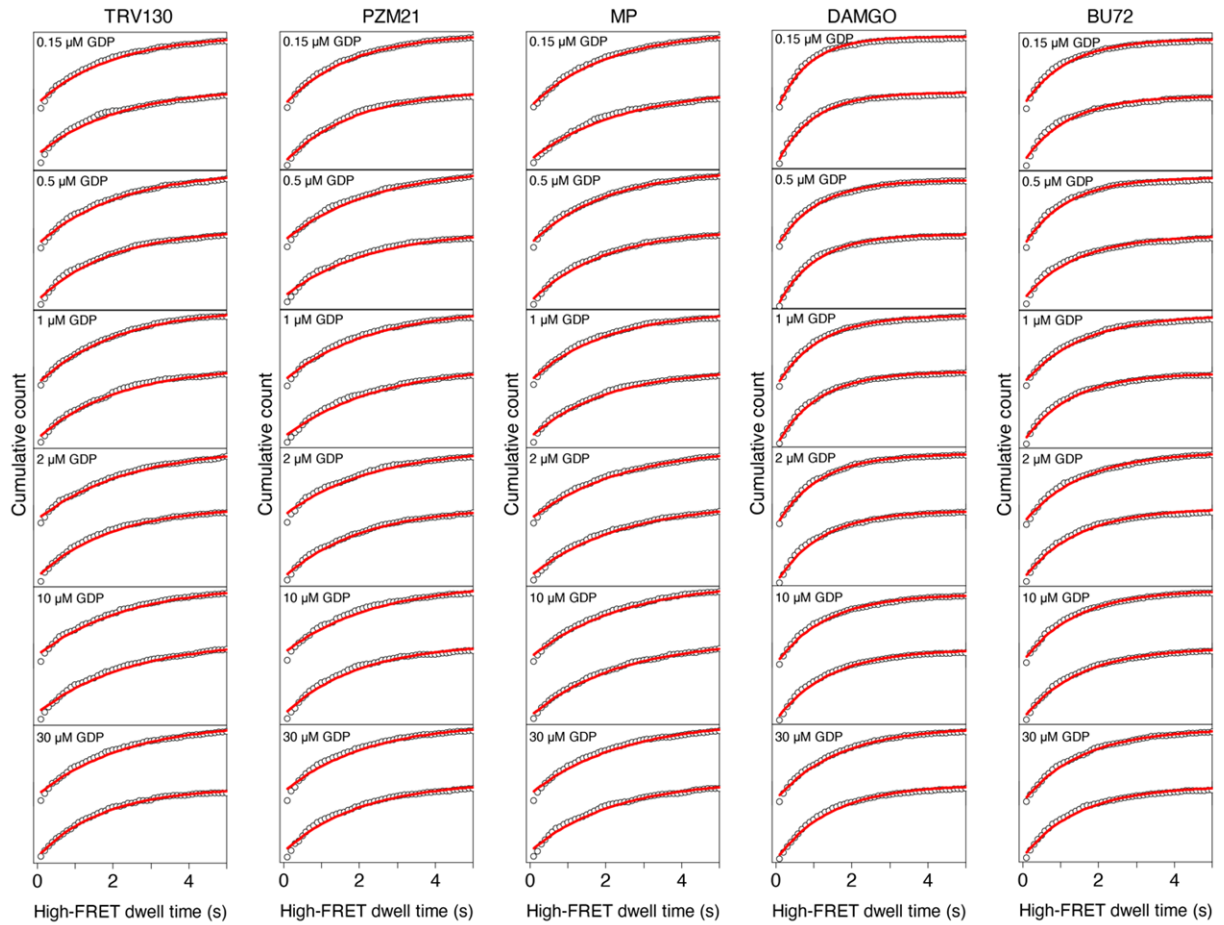


**Supplementary Fig. 4. Representative fluorescence traces of Cy3 and Cy5 labeled  $\mu\text{OR}\Delta 7\text{-182C/273C}$  ( $\mu\text{OR-Cy3/Cy5}$ ).** **a**, Fluorescence traces of  $\mu\text{OR-Cy3/Cy5}$  in the presence of saturating ligands (related to Fig. 3b). **b**, Fluorescence traces of  $\mu\text{OR-Cy3/Cy5}$  in the presence of saturating ligands and  $G_i$ , which were treated with apyrase to remove free GDP (related to Fig. 4a).

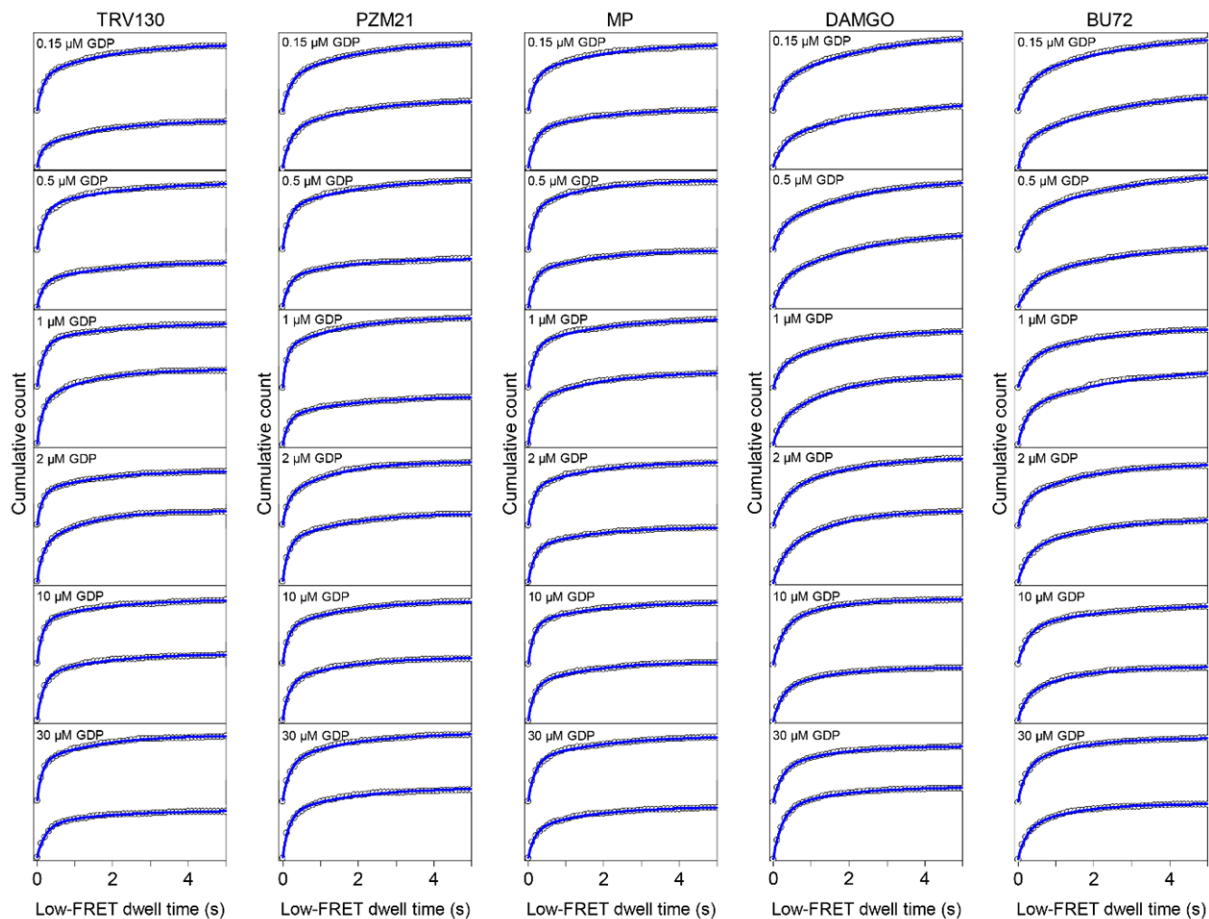


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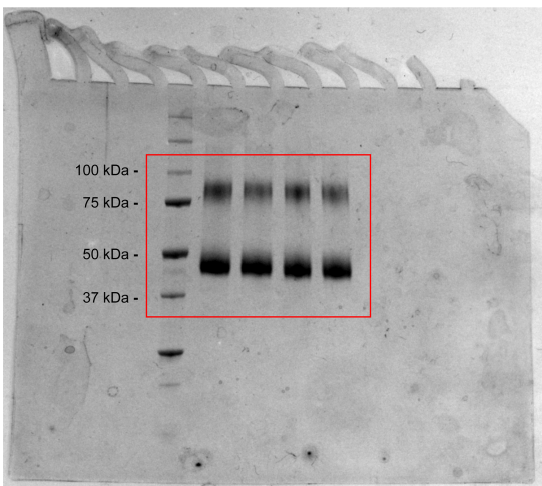


**Supplementary Fig. 6. Fitting high-FRET dwell time.** Cumulative counts are shown as black circles. High-FRET dwell times are fitted in single exponential decays (solid lines in red). There are two repeats for each condition.

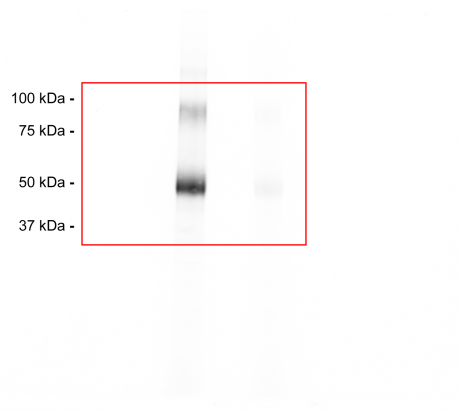


**Supplementary Fig. 7. Fitting low-FRET dwell time.** Cumulative counts of low-FRET dwell time for each condition are shown as black circles. Low-FRET dwell times are fitted in double exponential decays (solid lines in blue). There are two repeats for each condition.

Coomassie Brilliant Blue staining



ATTO 488 Fluorescence



**Supplementary Fig. 8. The raw, uncropped gel images for Extended Data Fig. 3a. Regions shown in Extended Data Fig. 3a are marked by red rectangles.**