

# **Novel analogues of the therapeutic complement inhibitor compstatin with significantly improved affinity and potency<sup>1</sup>**

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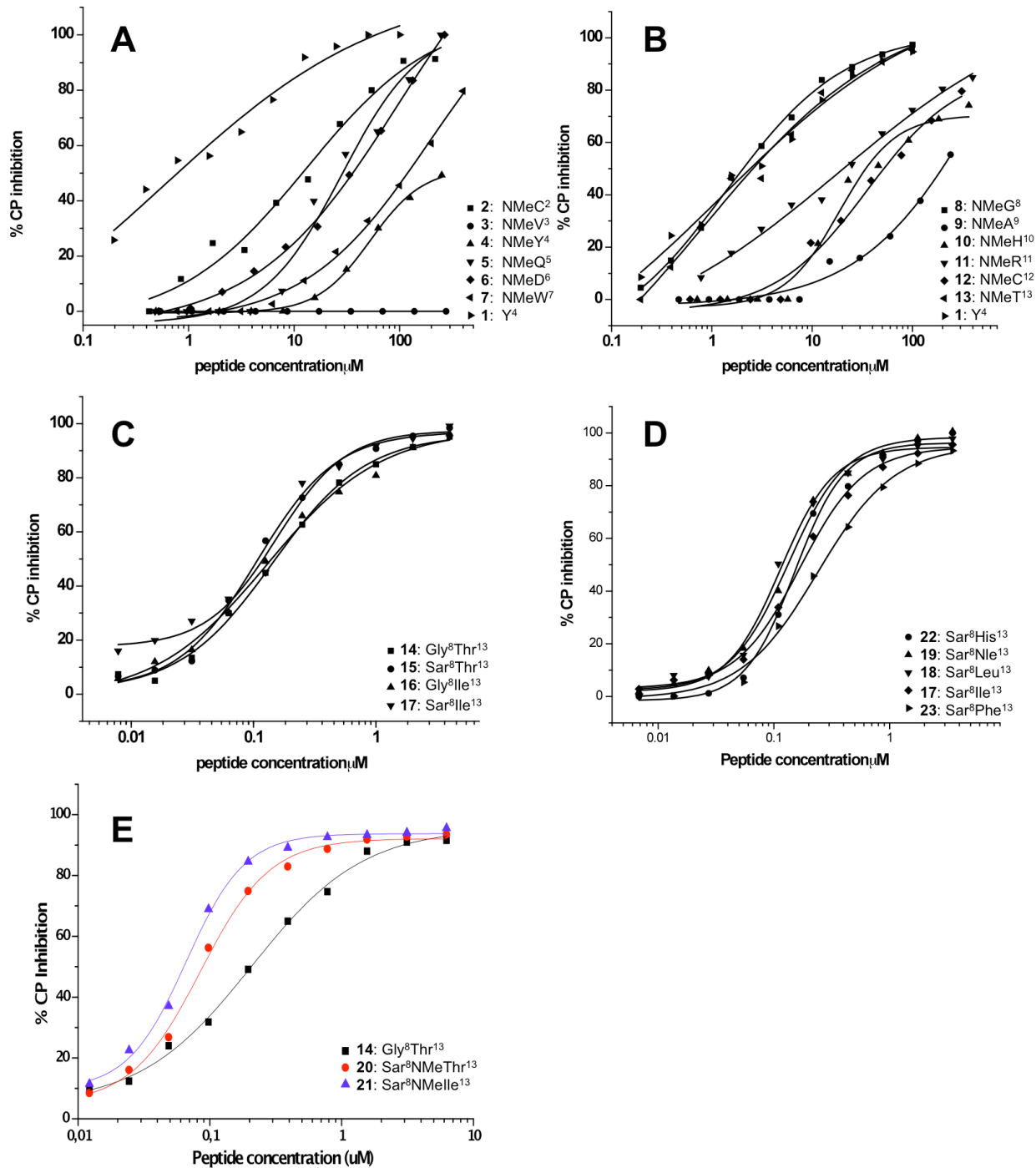
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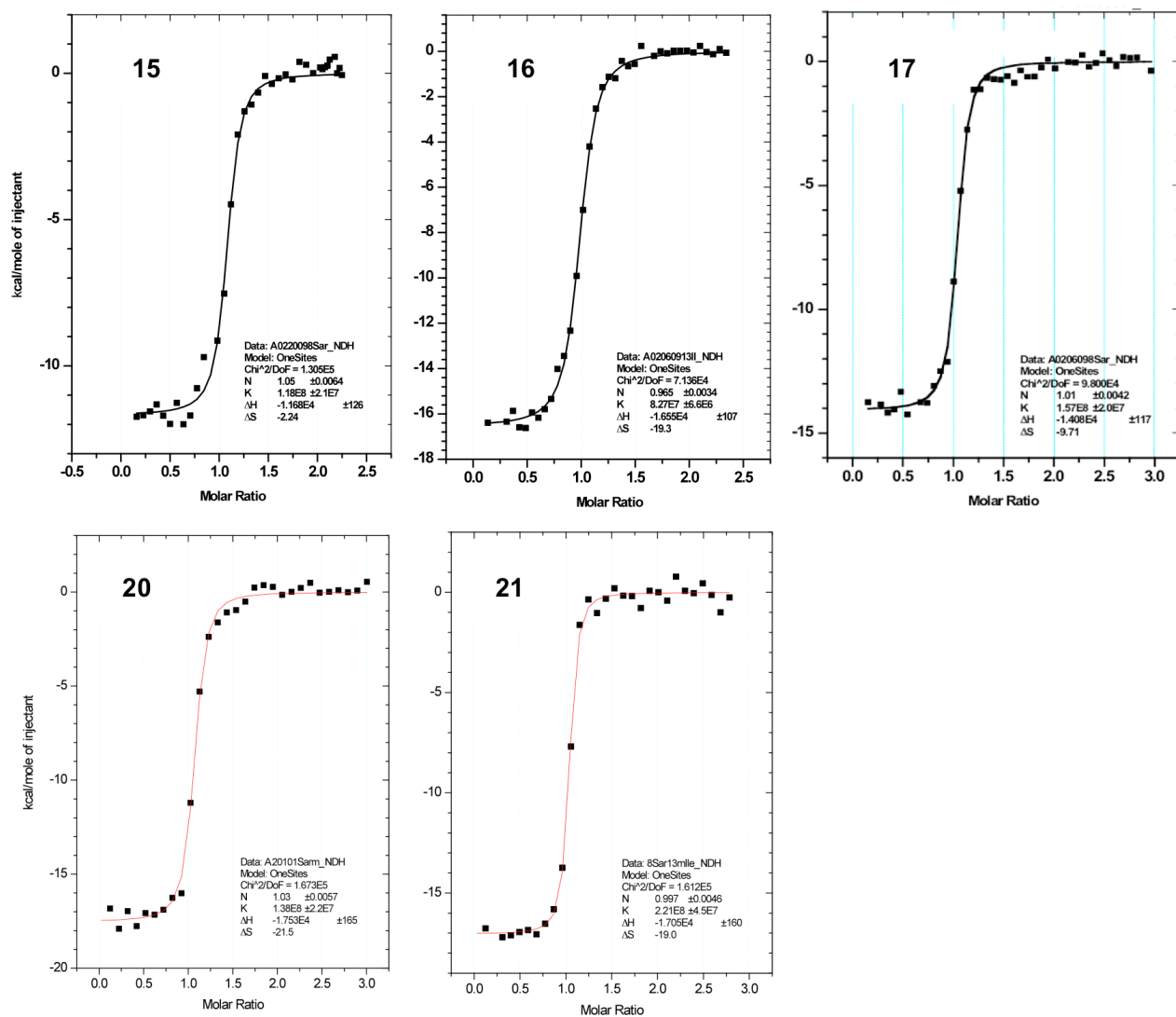
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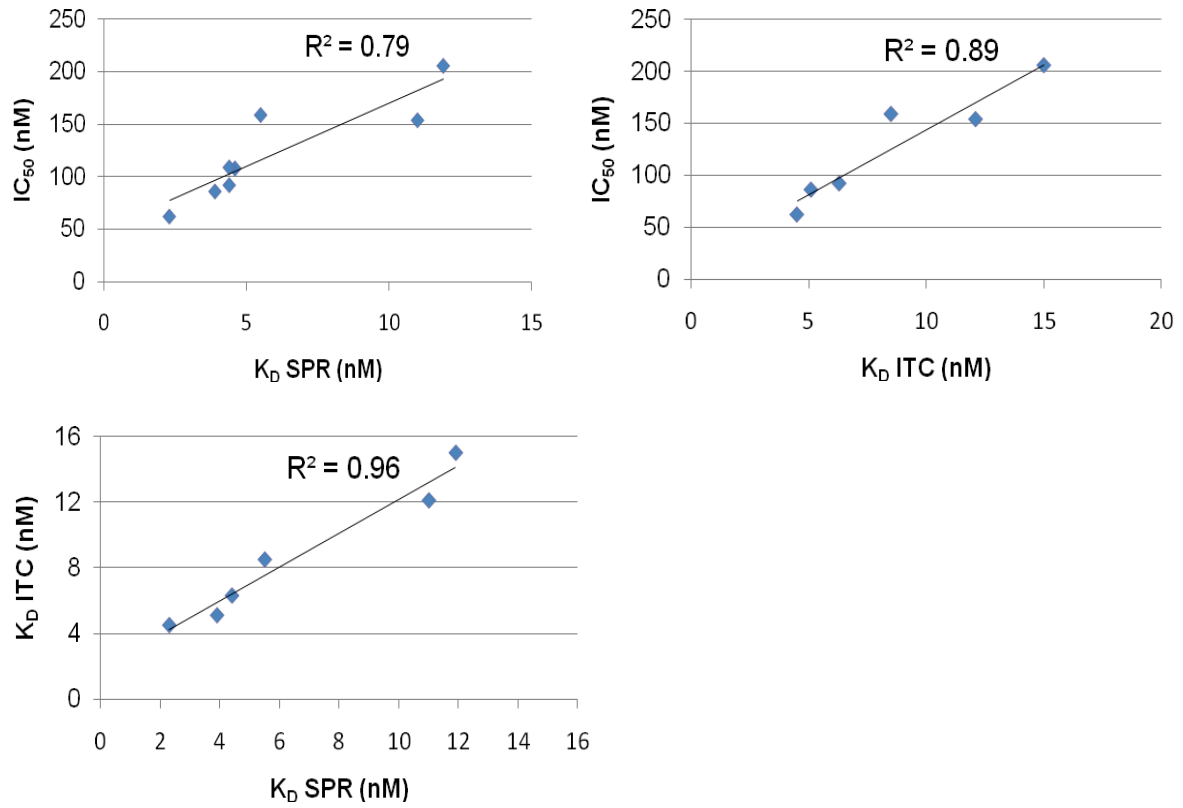
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**Suppl. Figure 1.** Inhibition of the classical pathway (CP) of complement activation as tested by ELISA. **A+B:** Compstatin analogs with various positions of backbone N-methylation on a [Tyr<sup>4</sup>]-Ac-compstatin template (peptides **1-13**). **C-E:** Specific peptide modification of [Trp(Me)<sup>4</sup>]-Ac-compstatin at position 8 and 13 (peptides **14-23**). IC<sub>50</sub> values are not normalized.



**Suppl. Figure 2.** ITC data for the binding of panel of tested analogs (peptides **15-17, 20-21**) to C3 with fit to a “single set of sites’ model.



**Suppl. Figure 3.** Correlation between complement inhibitory potency ( $IC_{50}$ ) from ELISA and binding affinities ( $K_D$ ) derived from SPR and ITC.