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9 S1 Instrumental Conditions

10 The detailed information related to the datasets used in this study are provided in Table S1.

Table S1: The list samples, ionization mode, vendor, and the associated reference.

nr	Sample Type	Ionization Mode	Vendor	Reference
1	Wastewater Influent	Positive	Sciex	¹
2	Wastewater Influent	Negative	Sciex	^{2,3}
3	Produced Water	Positive	Waters	⁴
4	Produced Water	Negative	Waters	⁴
5	Surface Water Extract	Positive	Agilent	unpublished ^a
6	Surface Water Extract	Negative	Agilent	unpublished ^a
7	Biosolids	Positive	Waters	⁵

^a Samples were prepared following extraction⁴ and analysis⁵ procedures detailed elsewhere.

11 S2 Self Adjusting Centroiding Algorithm

12 S2.1 Centroiding Parameters

Table S2: The list of parameters, their description, and the used value for centroiding of the data.

nr	Input	Description	value
1	raw data	raw data in mzXML format	-
2	min intensity	minimum absolute intensity for signal	1000
3	resolution	nominal resolution	20000
4	R ² threshold	threshold for goodness of fit	0.8
5	signal to background	the ratio of the apex to the median signal in the window	1.5

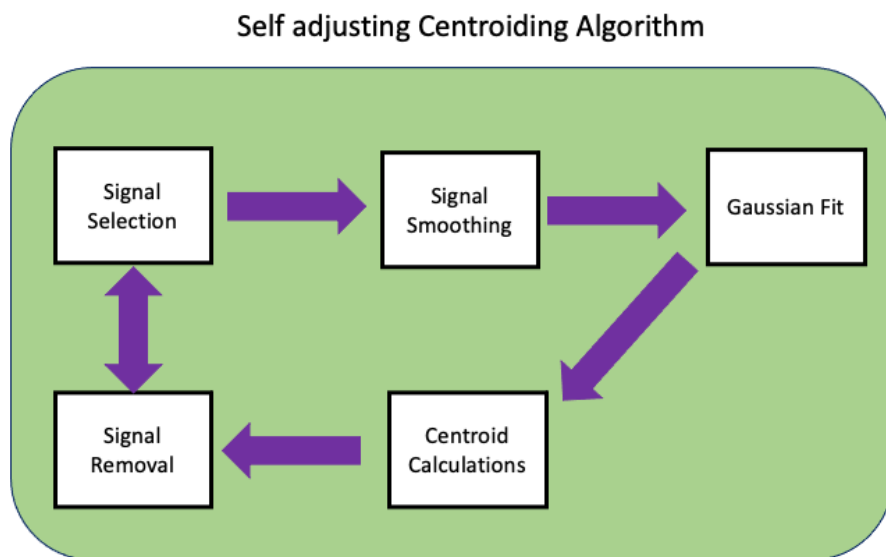


Figure S1: The workflow of the self adjusting centroiding algorithm.

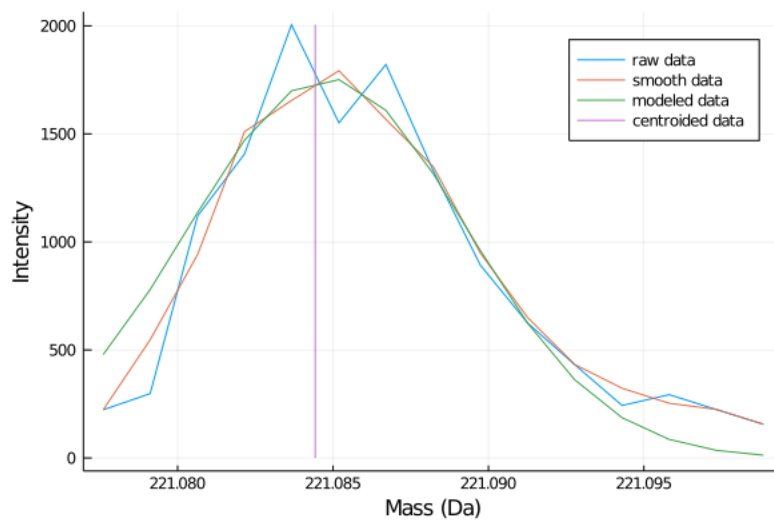


Figure S2: The signal of a successfully detected and centroided peak.

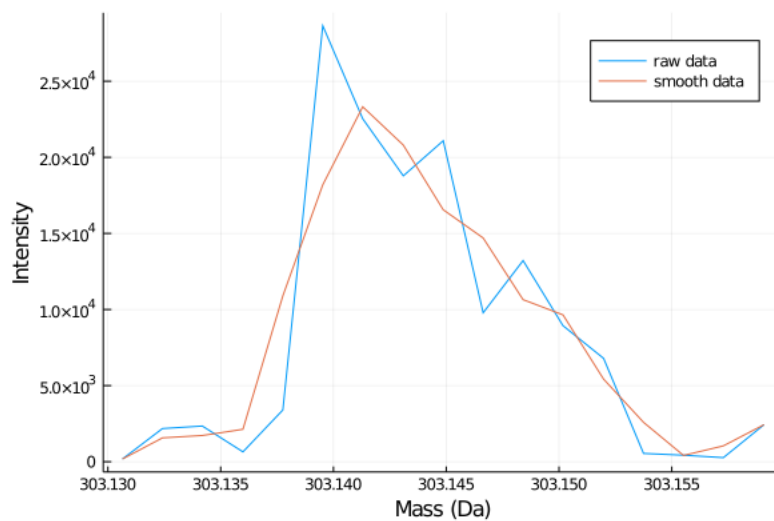


Figure S3: The signal of false negative peak where the algorithm fails to detect and centroid the peak.

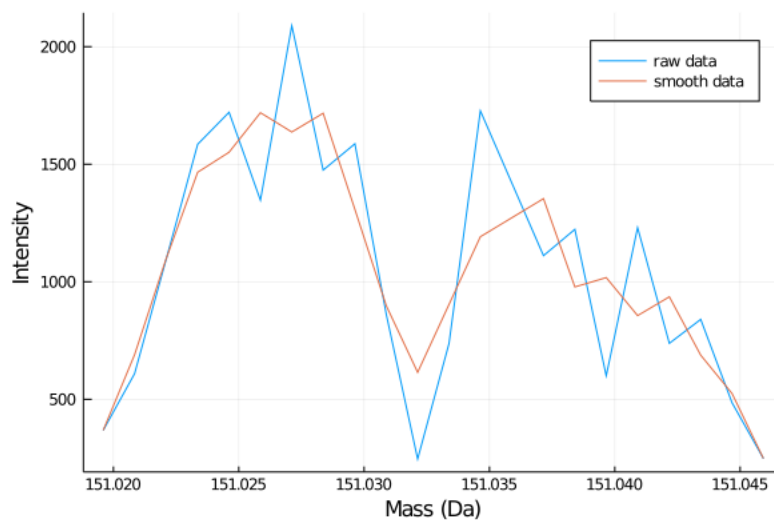


Figure S4: The signal of a true negative assessment by the algorithm. The signal does not belong to a peak, and has been assessed as such.

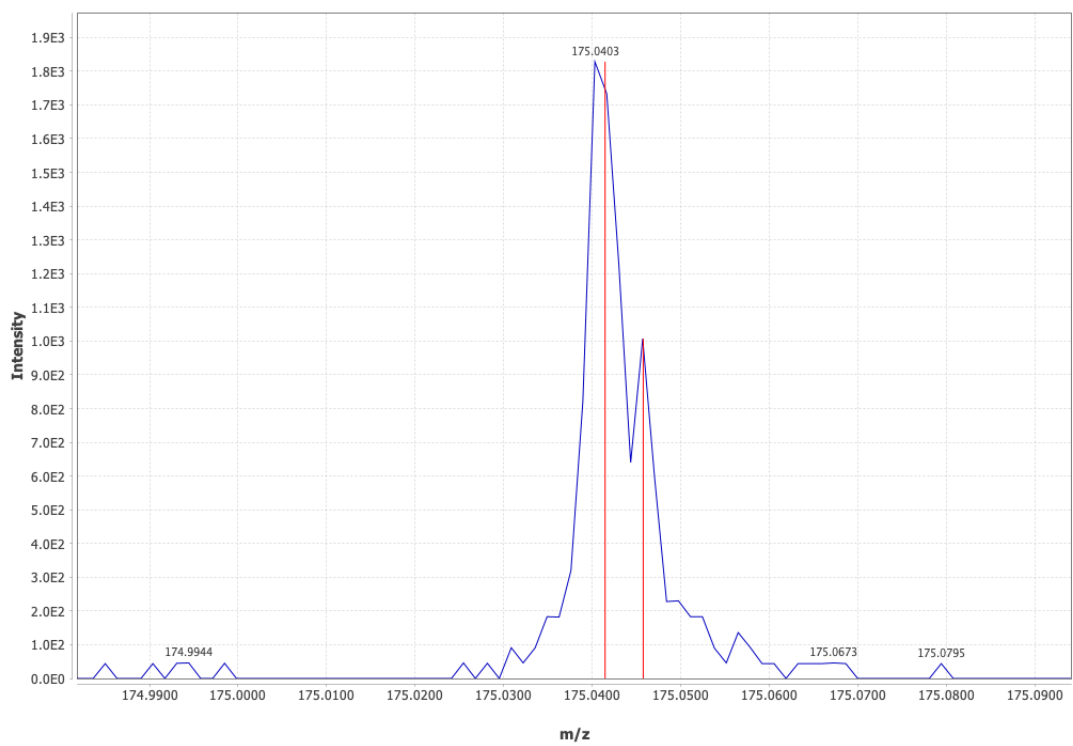


Figure S5: Shows the signal of a true positive (the main peak) and a false positive (the shoulder peak) detected by Centroiding algorithm implemented via MzMine2.⁶

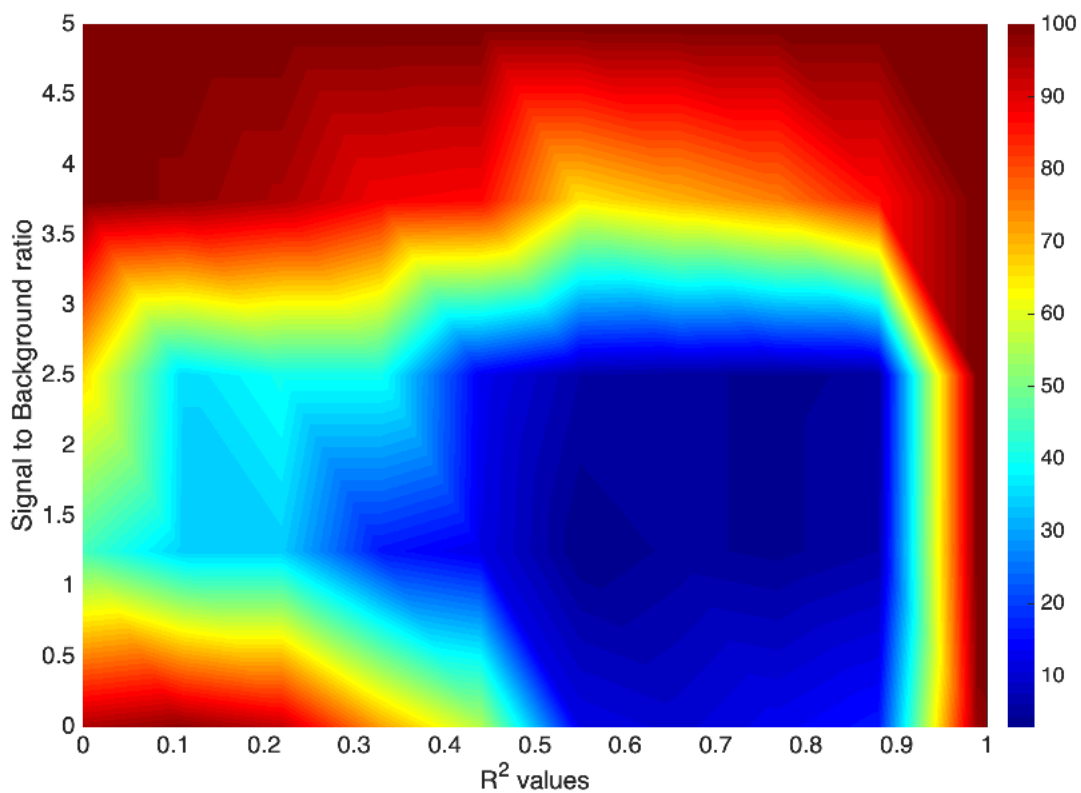


Figure S6: shows the total number of false detection (i.e. the sum of false positives and false negatives) as a function of R^2 and the signal to background ratio.

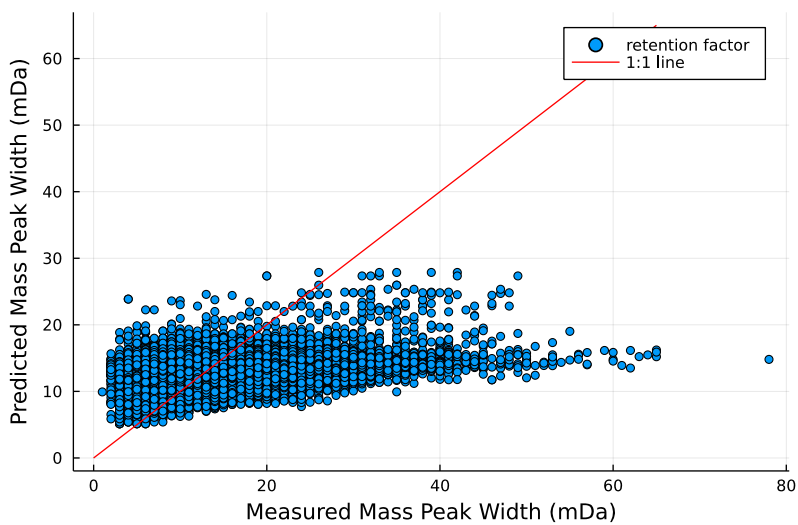


Figure S7: shows the random forest model based on 10000 randomly selected retention factors.

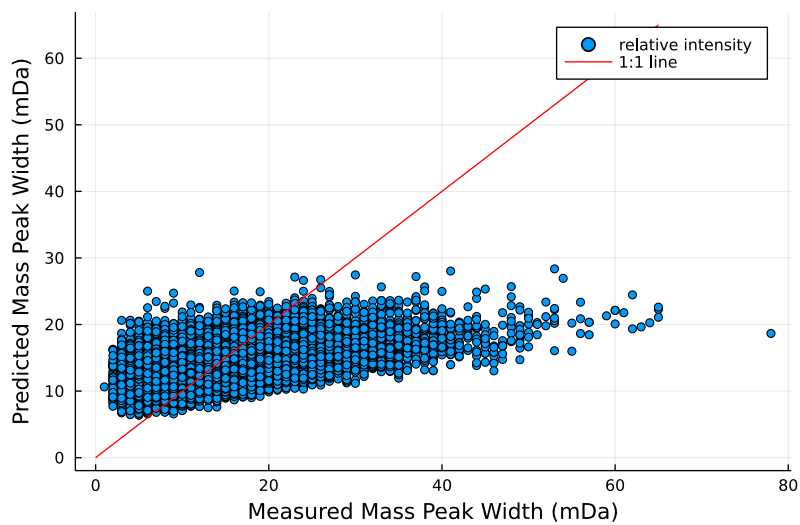


Figure S8: shows the random forest model based on 10000 randomly selected relative intensities.

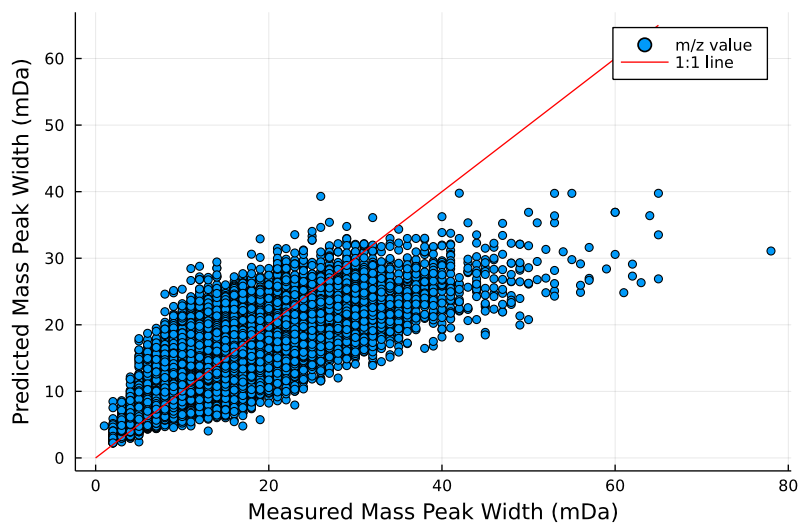


Figure S9: shows the random forest model based on 10000 randomly selected m/z values.

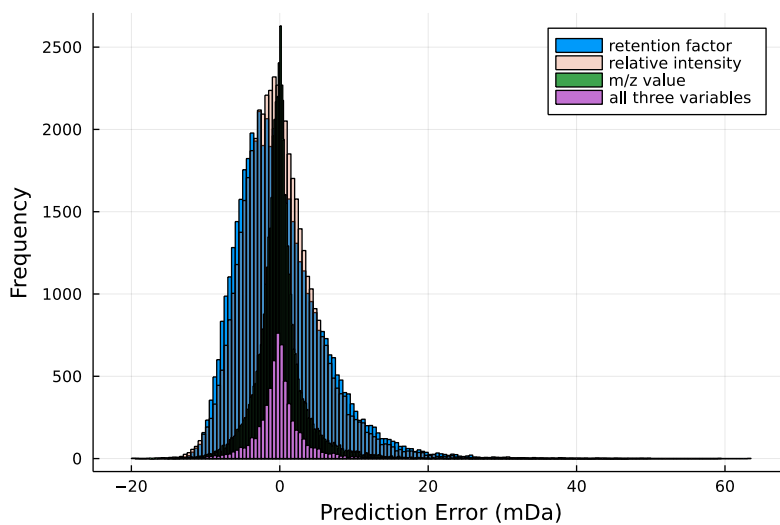


Figure S10: shows the prediction error (mDa) distribution of four models using individual variables as well as all three variables together.

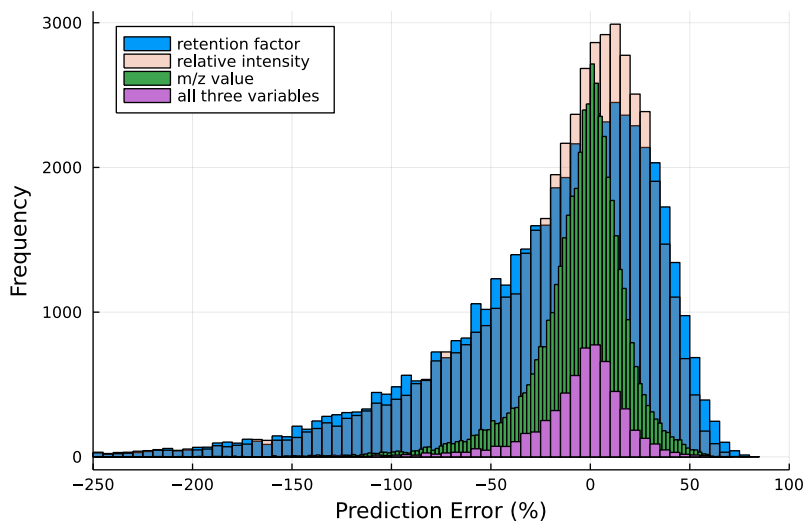


Figure S11: shows the prediction error (%) distribution of four models using individual variables as well as all three variables together.

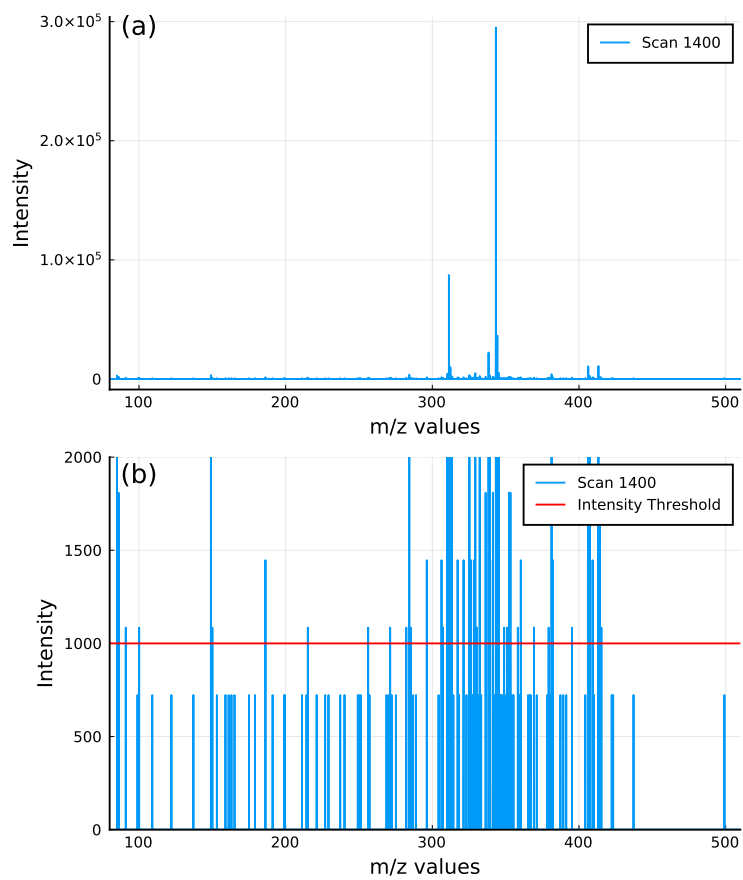


Figure S12: shows (a) the raw signal at scan 1400 and (b) the zoomed in around the set intensity threshold of 1000 counts per second.

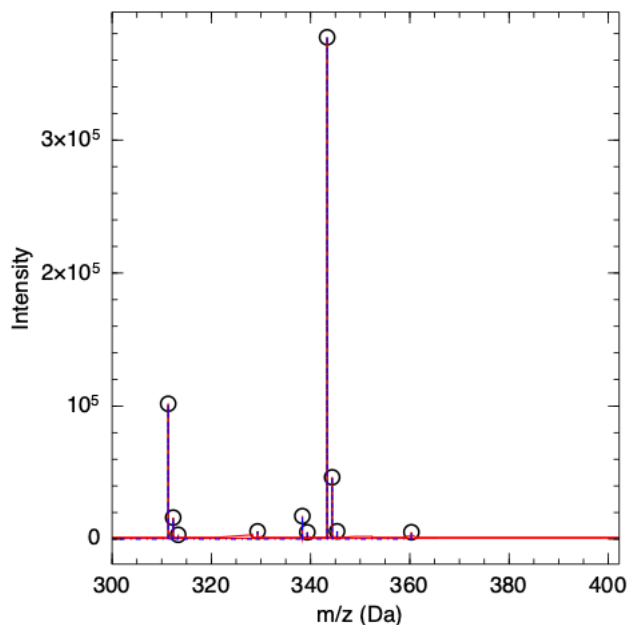


Figure S13: shows the signal of a successfully detected and centroided scan.

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