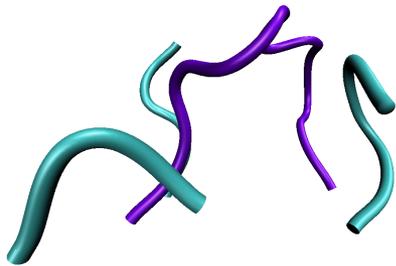


# RosettaAntibodyDesign (*RAbD*)



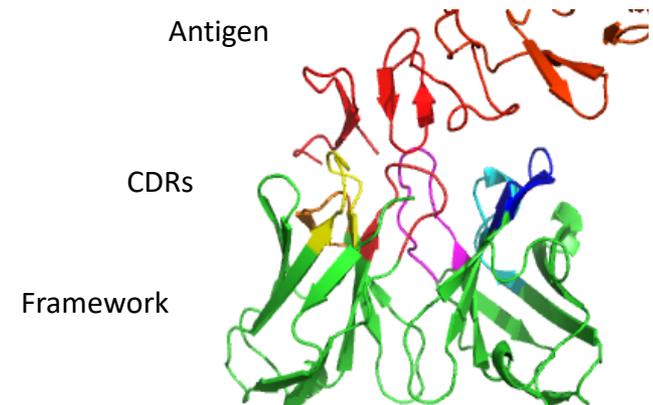
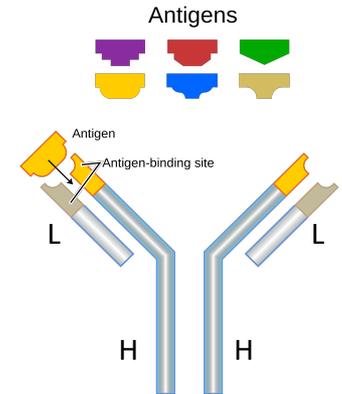
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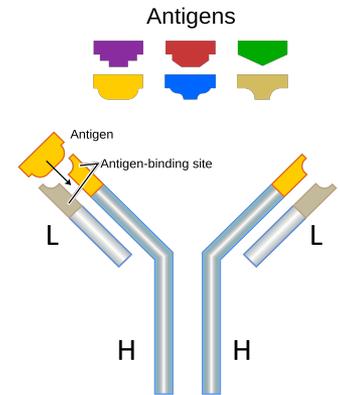
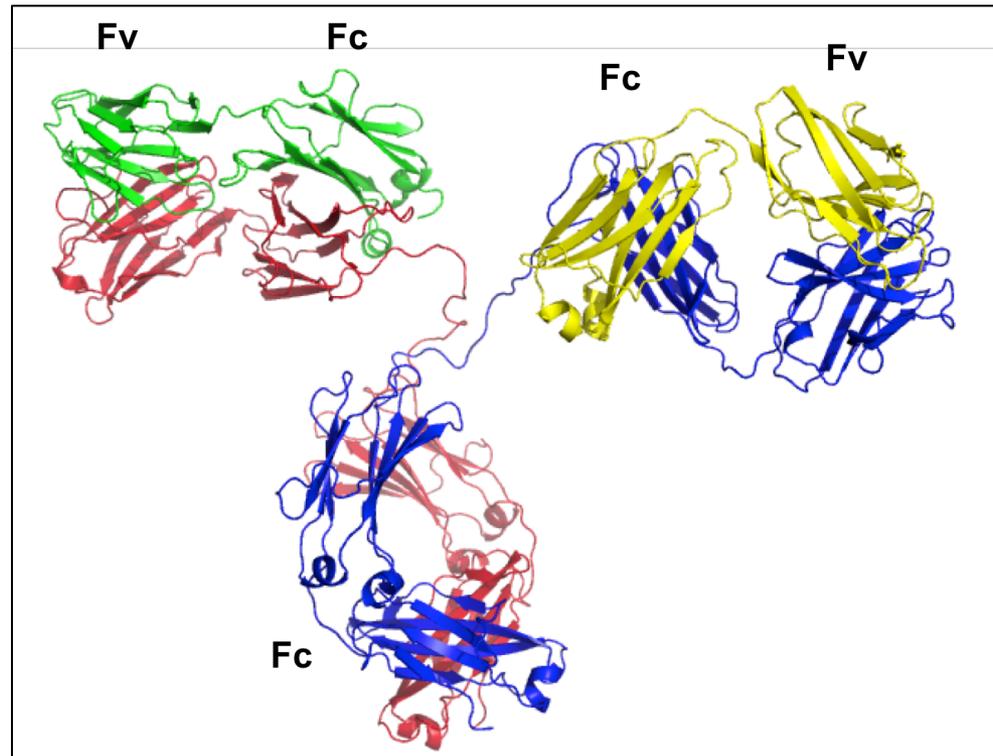
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# Antibody Structure

- *Two protein chains*
  - **Light (L)** and **Heavy (H)**
  - 1 Gene locus codes for Heavy chain
  - 2 Gene loci code for Light chain (Lambda/Kappa)
- *6 Complementarity Determining Regions (CDRs)*
  - Highly variable in length, structure, and sequence
- *Antibody Framework*
  - Highly conserved for each gene locus



# Antibody Structure – Full IgG



Fv - Variable

Fc - Constant

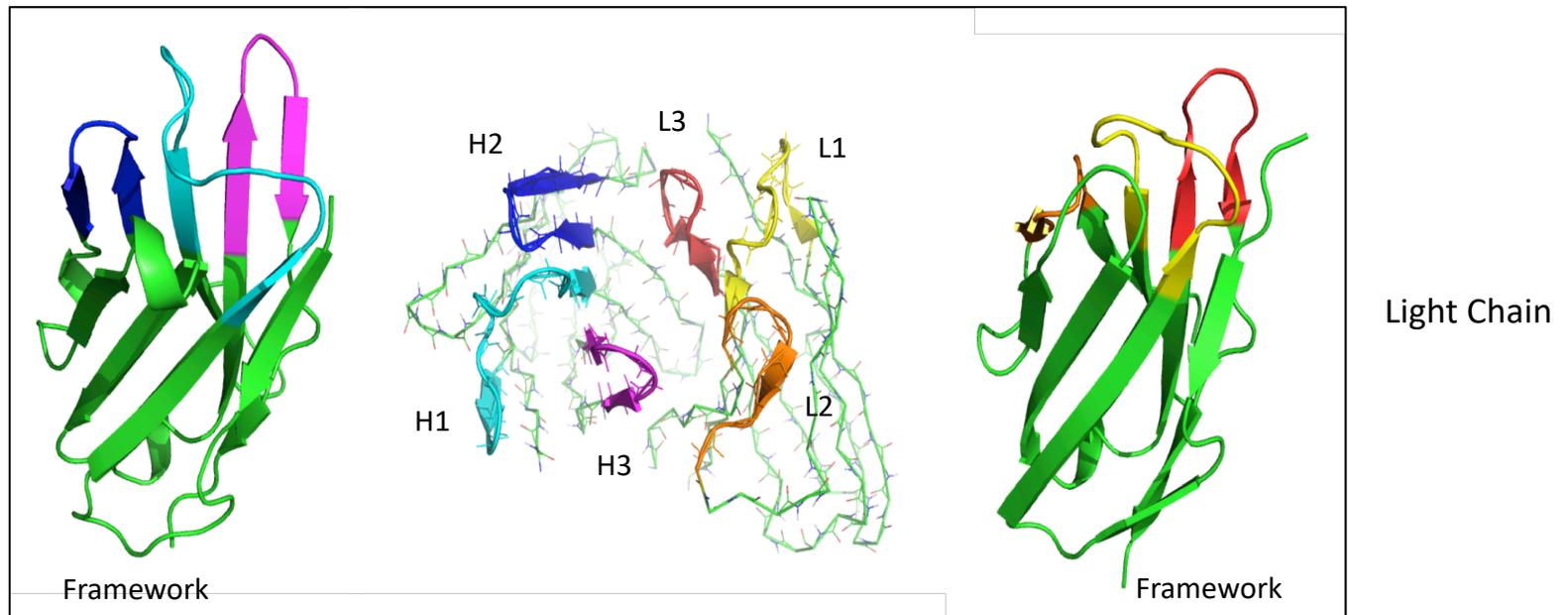
X-ray crystal structure of an antibody, full-length IgG (PDB ID 1IGT).

*Light Chain – Green/Yellow*

*Heavy Chain – Red/Blue*

# Antibody Structure

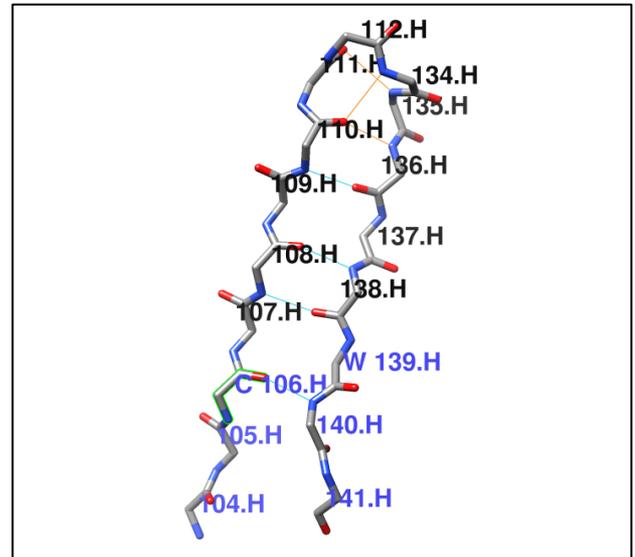
## *Fv Fragment and CDRs*



X-ray crystal structure of an antibody, Fv (PDB ID 2J88).

# *PylgClassify:* Antibody Identification

- Identifies from Sequence:
  - Antibody chains
  - Antibody gene
  - Germline
  - CDR/Framework positions



- Renumbers PDB Structures
  - ***AHo Numbering Scheme***
  - North/Dunbrack CDR Definitions

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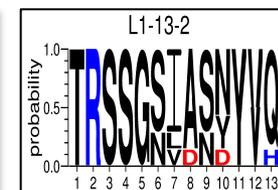
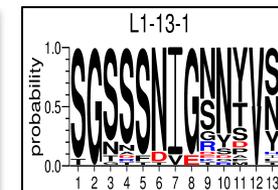
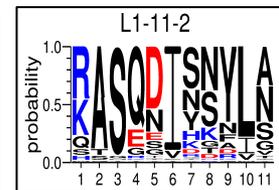
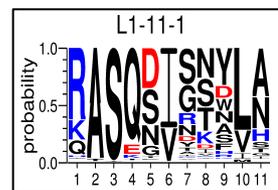
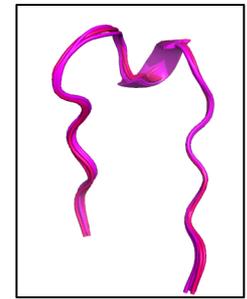
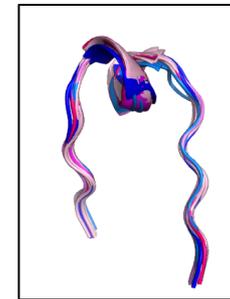
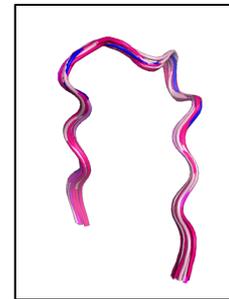
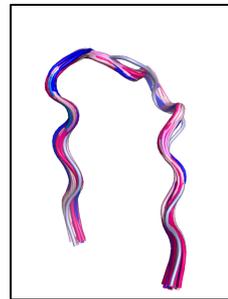
Yet Another Numbering Scheme for Immunoglobulin Variable Domains: An Automatic Modeling and Analysis Tool

Annemarie Honegger\* and Andreas Plückthun



# CDR Clustering

- **Cluster:** *Group of similar structures*
- Bioinformatic Analysis
  - High quality data set
  - 72 Non-H3 clusters
  - Consensus
    - Sequence
    - Conformation
- Knowledge-Based Antibody Design



A New Clustering of Antibody CDR Loop Conformations

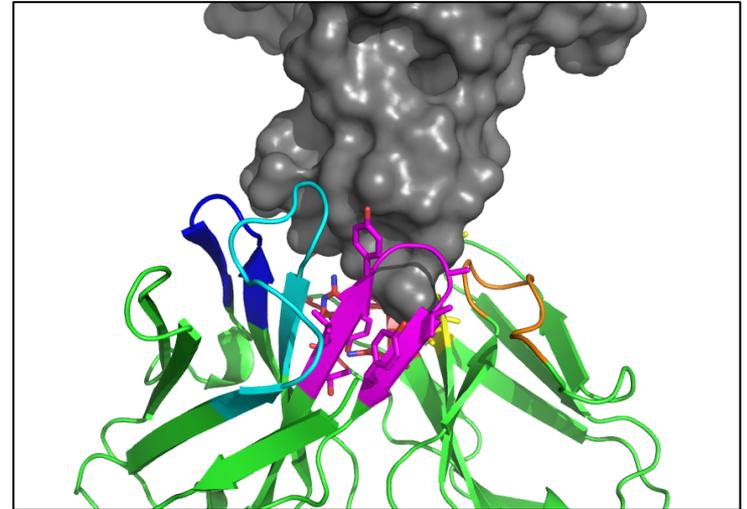
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# RosettaAntibodyDesign (RAbD)

- Knowledge-Based Antibody Design
- ***Application*** - Application can be used for many antibody design projects
  - ***Affinity Maturation***
  - ***Homologous redesign***
  - ***Stability improvement***
  - ***De Novo design***
- ***Framework*** - set of components we can use in PyRosetta or RosettaScripts

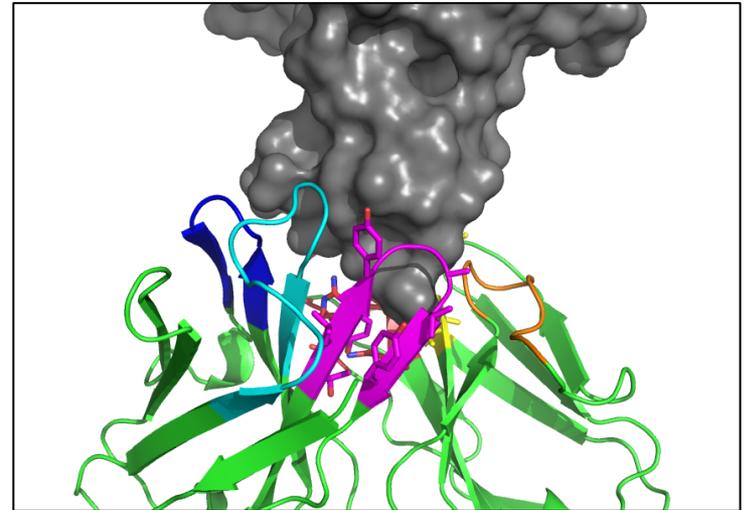
# Antibody Designer: Overview

- *Monte Carlo Algorithm.*
- Whole CDR Sampling (GraftDesign)
  - *Sample structures from database*
  - *Insert and optimize peptide bond without CDR disruption*
  - *New Graft Algorithm*
    - *100% Closure*
  - *Roughly mimics Somatic Recombination*
- Sequence Sampling (SeqDesign)
  - *Sample amino acid types*
    - *According to CDR Cluster Profiles*
  - *Roughly mimics Somatic Hypermutation*



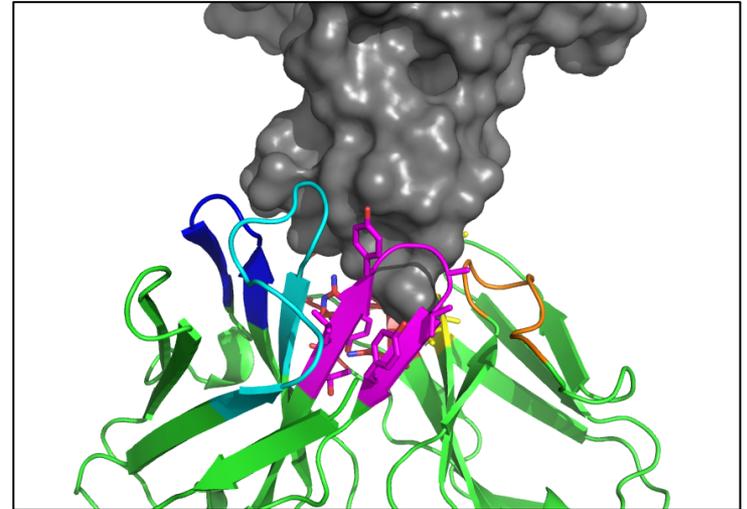
# Antibody Designer: Overview

- Structure Optimization
  - Change/Sample DOF to minimize total energy of system
  - Integrated binding energy optimization instead of total energy
- Constraints
  - Dihedral constraints
    - Circular Harmonic
    - CDR Cluster based
  - Epitope/Paratope constraints
    - Site Constraints
- Lambda/Kappa specific design



# Antibody Designer: Optional CDR File Overview

- Allows Tailored Design
  - Strategy-based Design
  - Redesigns, *de novo* design, etc.
- Simple Syntax
  - CDR-Level Control



# Antibody Designer: CDR Instruction File Example

First Column: *CDR or ALL*

Second Column: *Option Type*

```
ALL GraftDesign ALLOW  
ALL SeqDesign ALLOW
```

```
ALL CDRSet EXCLUDE PDBIDs 1N8Z 3BEI
```

```
L1 CDRSet EXCLUDE Clusters L1-11-1
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L2 CDRSet INCLUDEONLY CLUSTER L2-8-1
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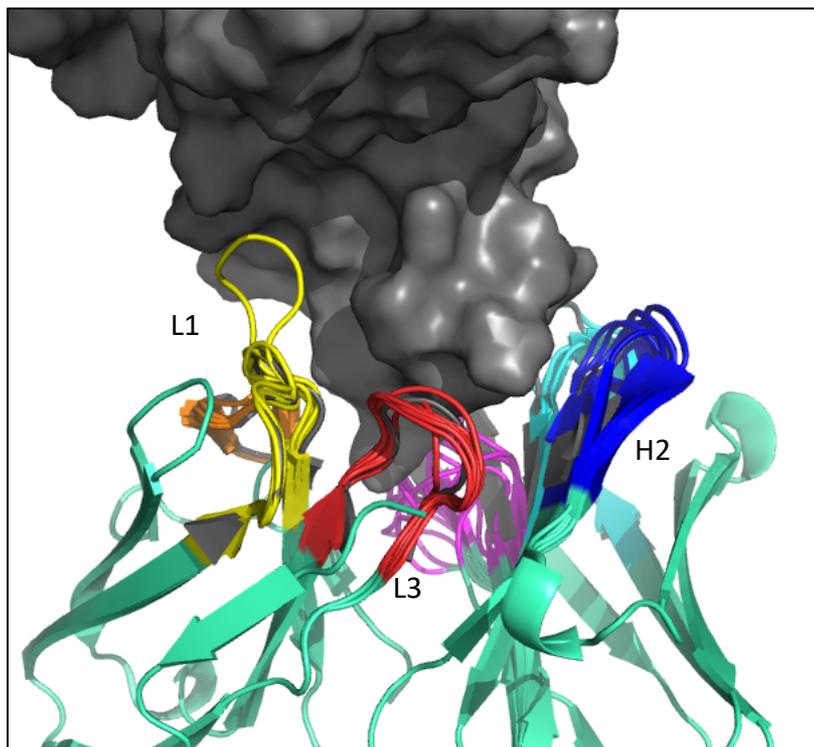
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L3 CDRSet STAY_NATIVE_CLUSTER
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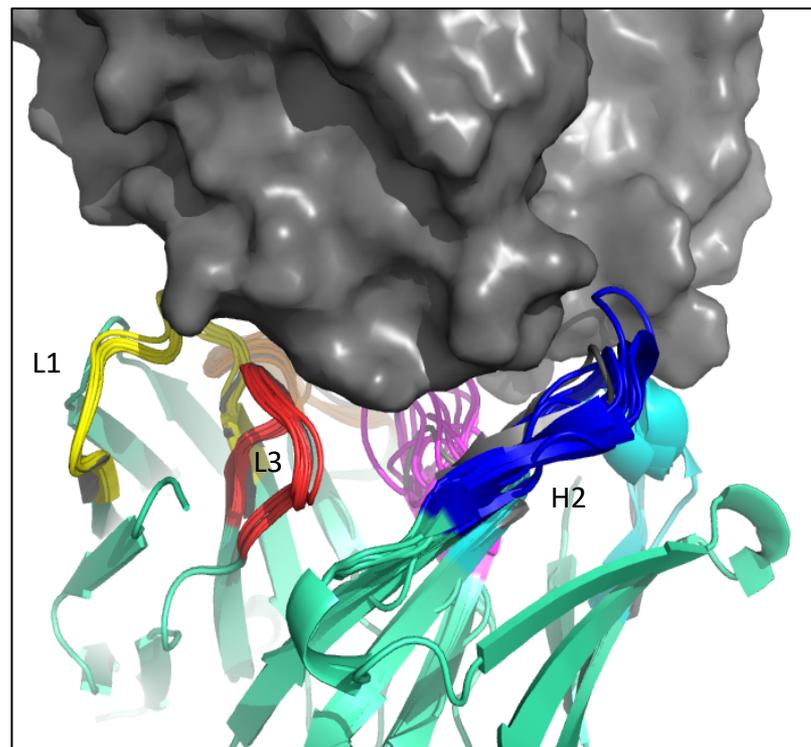
# Example Command-Line

```
antibody_designer.default.linuxclangrelease -s  
my_ab.pdb -nstruct 500 -seq_design_cdrs L1 L2  
L3 -light_chain lambda -optimize_dG
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# Top Decoy Examples

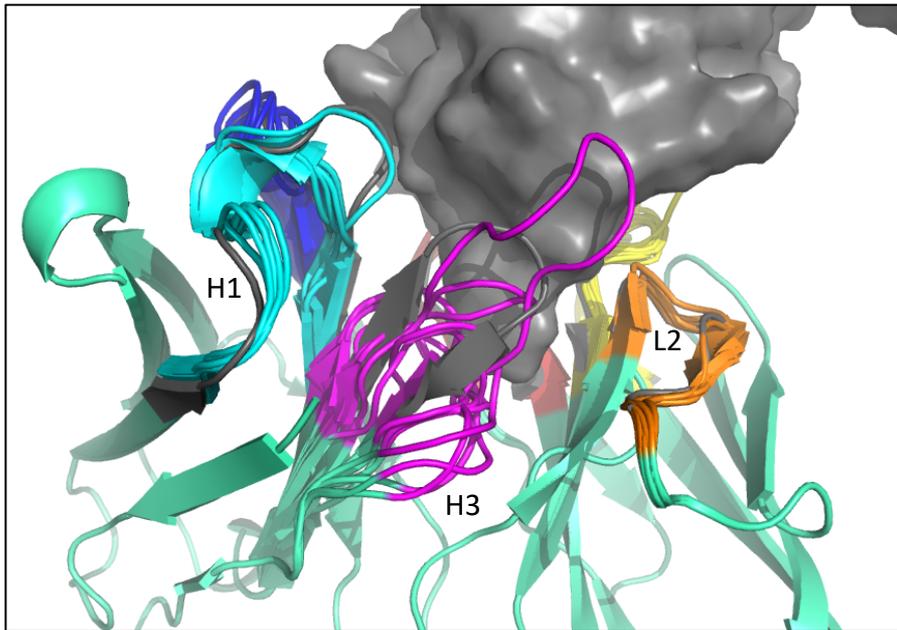


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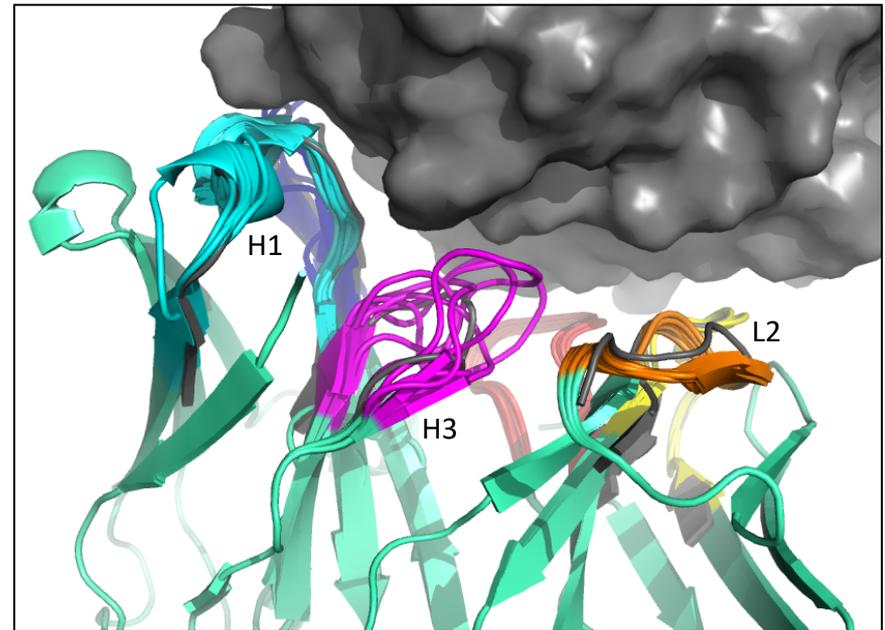


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# Top Decoy H3 Variability



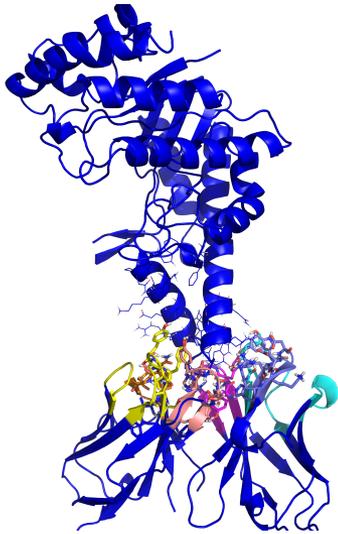
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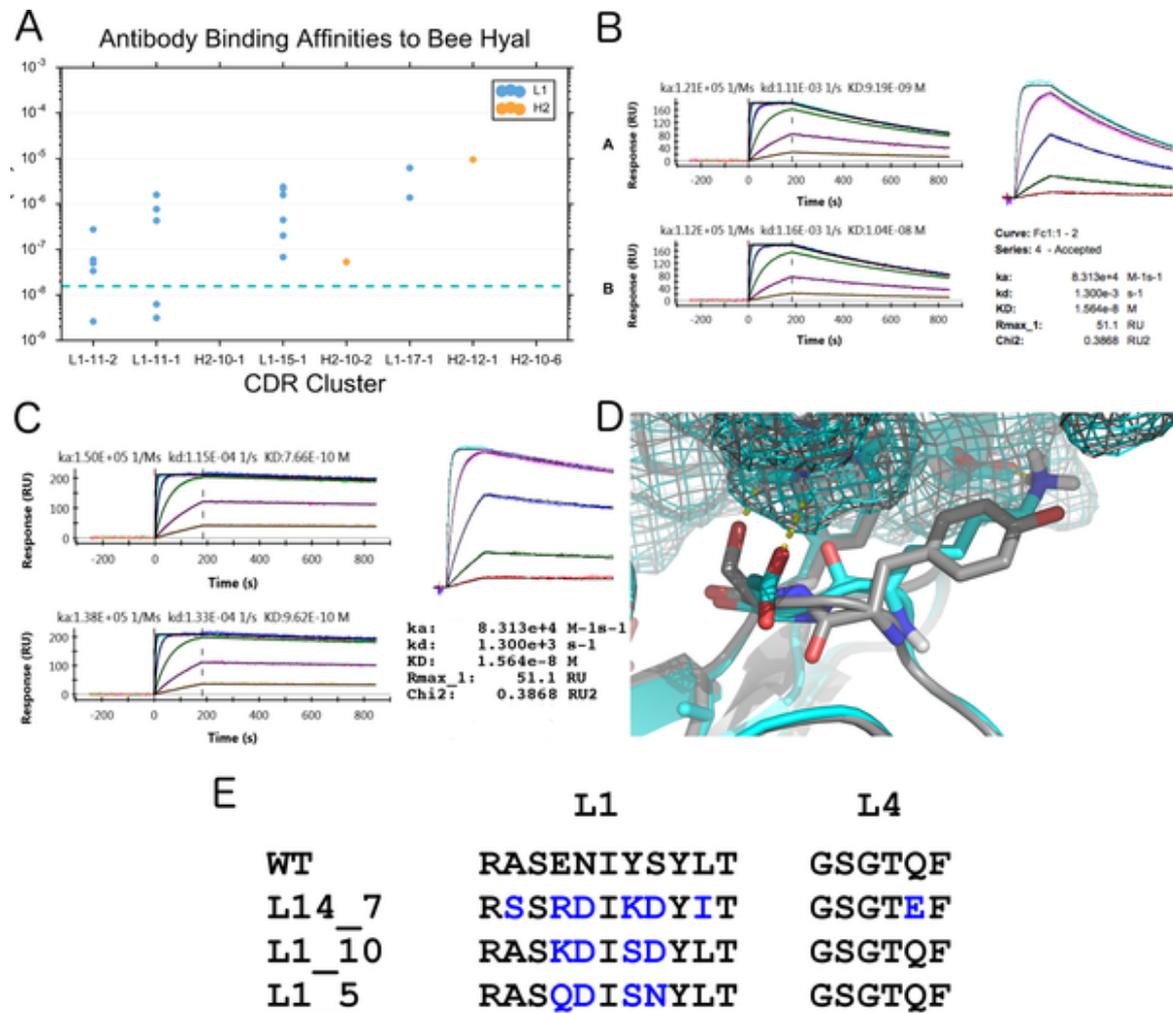
# 2J88 Antibody Improvement

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- Antibody binds to Bee Hyaluronidase
  - Major allergen of Bee Venom
- Binds at 15.6 nM
  - Top design binds 2.5 nM
- Designed L1/L4 (DE framework)
- Designed H2
- Dock/No Dock, only CDRs with profiles

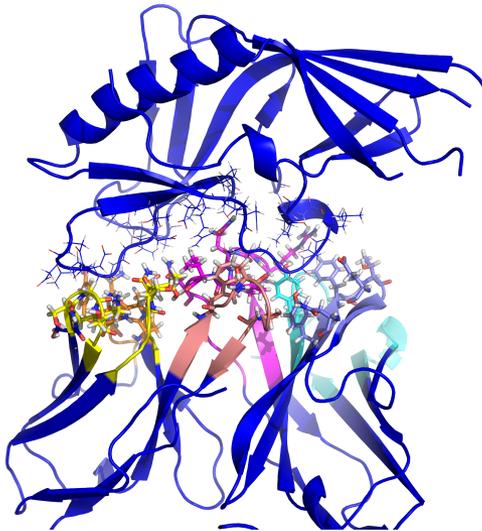
Fig 8. Designed antibodies against bee hyaluronidase.



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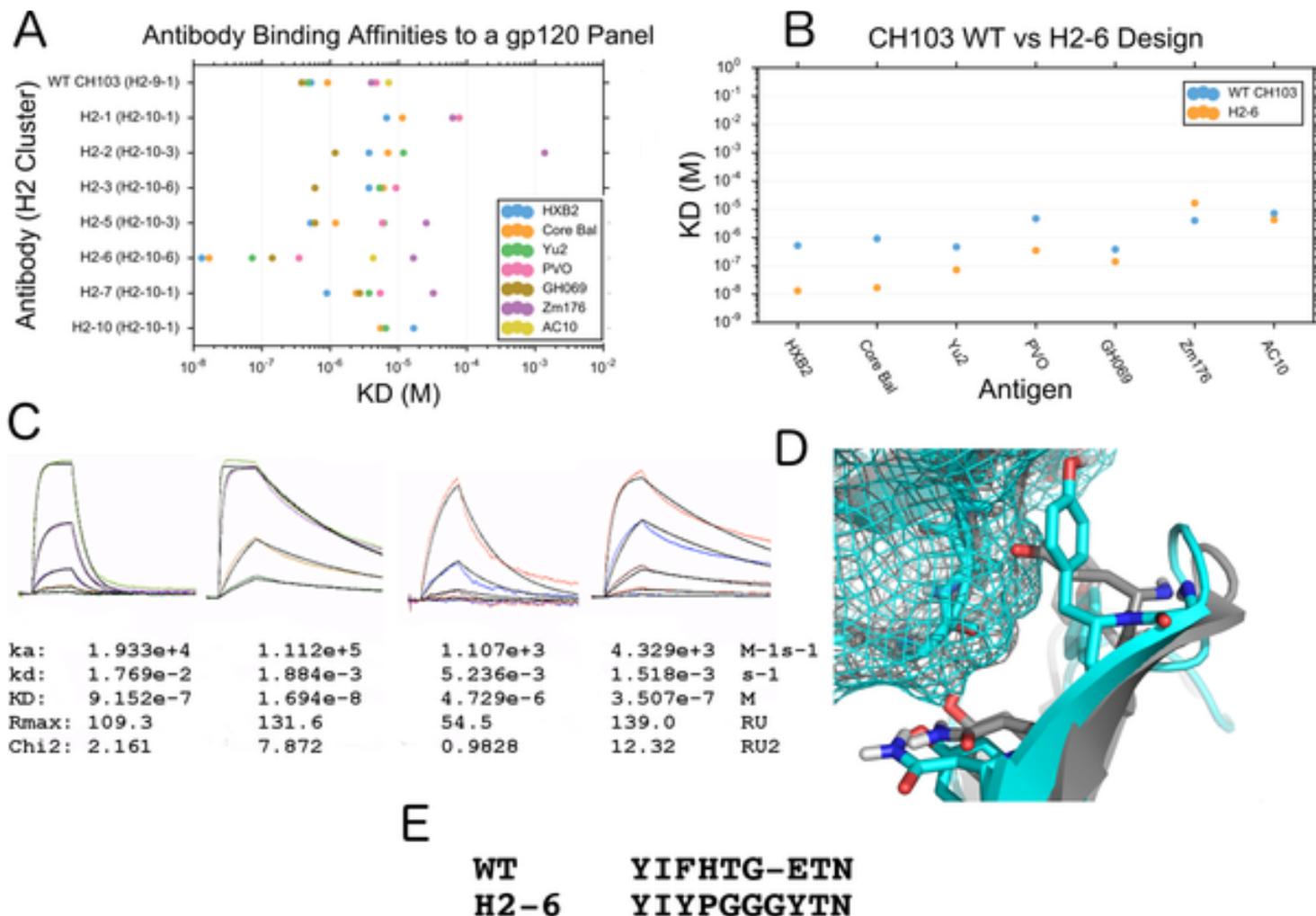
# CH103 Antibody Improvement

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- Antibody binds to CD4 GP120 binding site
- ZM176 Crystal 4JAN
- CH103 binds 4JAN at  **$2.30 \times 10^{-6}$  M**
- Designed L1/L3
- Designed H2

Fig 9. Binding of designed antibodies to HIV gp120.



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# Tutorial

- 1) ***Affinity improvement/Library Design*** using Sequence Design only
- 2) ***Redesign*** an antibody using **GraftDesign** and **SequenceDesign**
- 3) ***De Novo design*** using All-CDR Sequence Design and GraftDesign of various lengths and clusters
- 4) ***Custom protocol creation using*** RAbD components in RosettaScripts

Thanks!