



Wrangling Diverse OmniAb Antibody Repertoires with OmniDeep™

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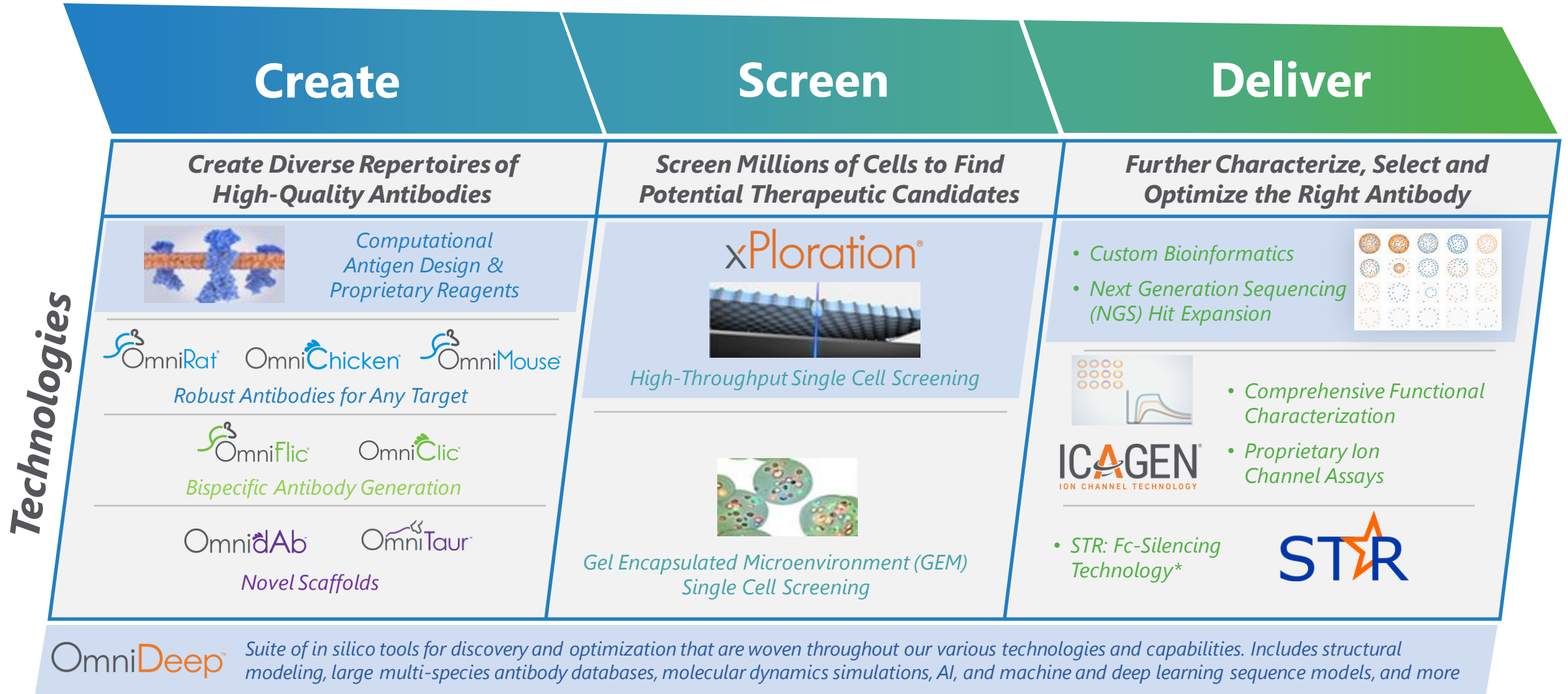
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The OmniAb Technology Offering is Expanding

TECHNOLOGY OFFERING ADDRESSES THE MOST CRITICAL CHALLENGES OF ANTIBODY DISCOVERY



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Deep Repertoires

Deep Screening

OmniDeep™

Deep Sequencing

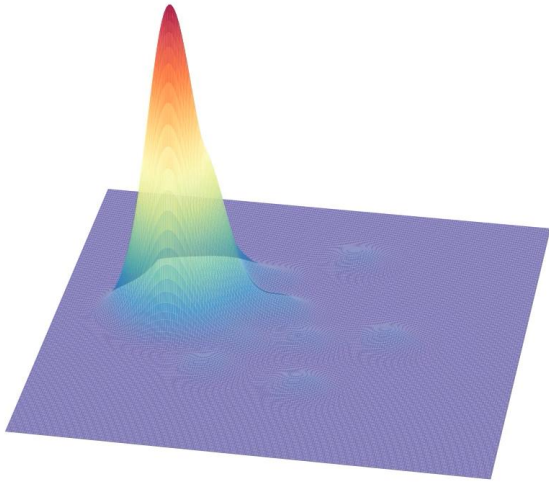
Deep Learning

Custom Antibody Repertoires for Every Target

Biological Intelligence™: Interplay between rational genetic design and powerful *in vivo* processes

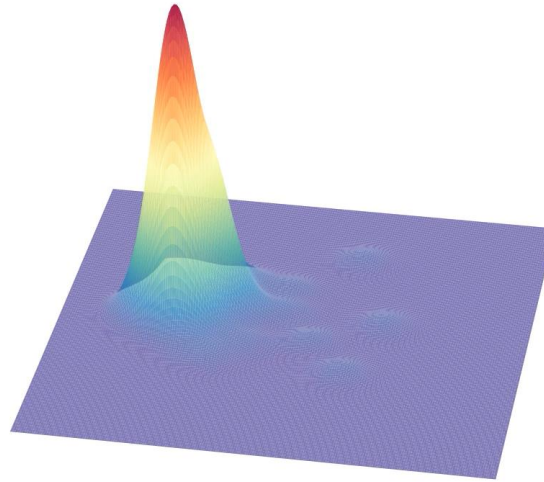
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Protein
immunization



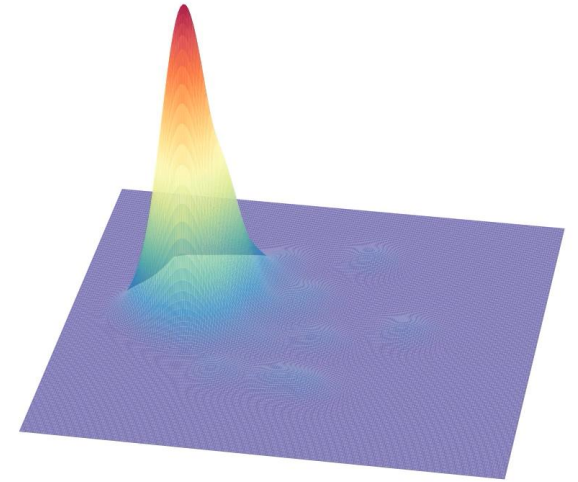
Animal 2:

Protein
immunization



Animal 3:





Genetic
immunization



Biological Intelligence can create a vast and diverse antibody repertoire within and across animals

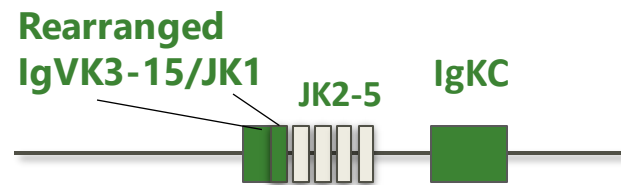
OmniAb Antibody Repertoires

BROAD PLATFORM AVAILABLE TO ADDRESS DIVERSE PARTNER OBJECTIVES

Host	V genes	Structural and immunological features	Benefits for therapeutics discovery and development
 OmniMouse®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full human V gene diversity • Choice of light chain isotype 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diverse V gene usage and mixed genetic backgrounds 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Widely accessible and flexible workflows
 OmniRat®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full human V gene diversity • Choice of light chain isotype 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diverse V gene usage and mixed genetic backgrounds • Distinctive target recognition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Industry standard • Widely accessible and flexible workflows • Extensive track record
OmniChicken®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single framework • VH3/VK3 or VH3/VL1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolutionarily divergent host system for robust immune responses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diverse and new epitope coverage • High homology targets • Excellent physical properties
 OmniFlic®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full human VH gene diversity with non-diversifying VK3 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed light chain for bispecific applications 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bispecific applications leveraging standard IgG format
OmniClic®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single framework • VH3/non-diversifying VK3 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed light chain for bispecific applications 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diverse epitope coverage • Excellent physical properties • Ease of manufacturing
OmniAb™	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single camelized human VH framework with truncated LC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Domain antibody of the “VHH” type 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diverse and new epitope coverage from human single-domain format, 12-15kD • Building blocks for multispecific molecules
 OmniTaur™	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single framework • VH4/VL1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultralong CDR-H3's for enormous structural diversity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access cryptic epitopes • Unique modalities (picobodies™) • Building blocks for multispecific molecules

Common Light Chain Platforms

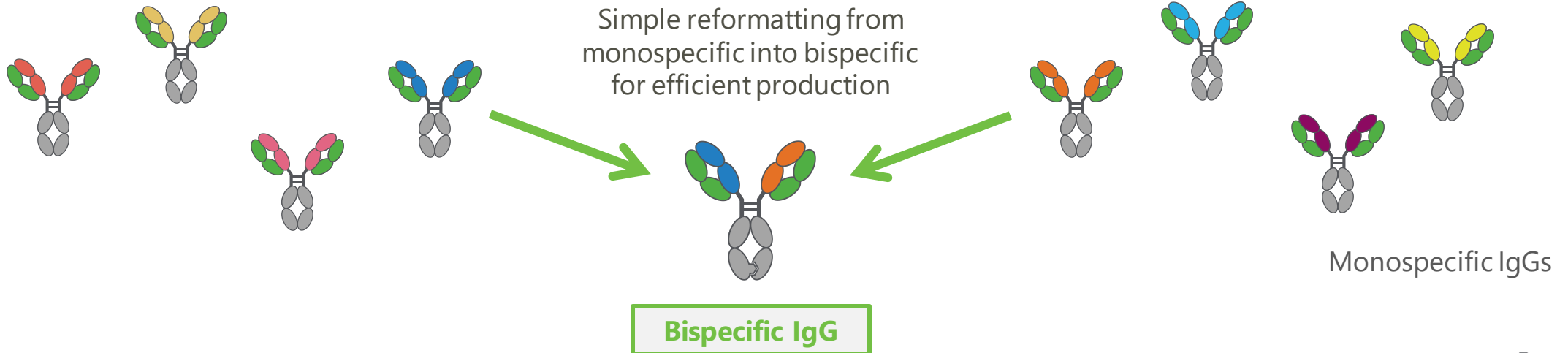
STANDARD IGG FORMAT TO DE-RISK DOWNSTREAM DEVELOPMENT[†] OF BISPECIFIC MABS



Rearranged human VK3-15 light chain combined with diversifying heavy chain

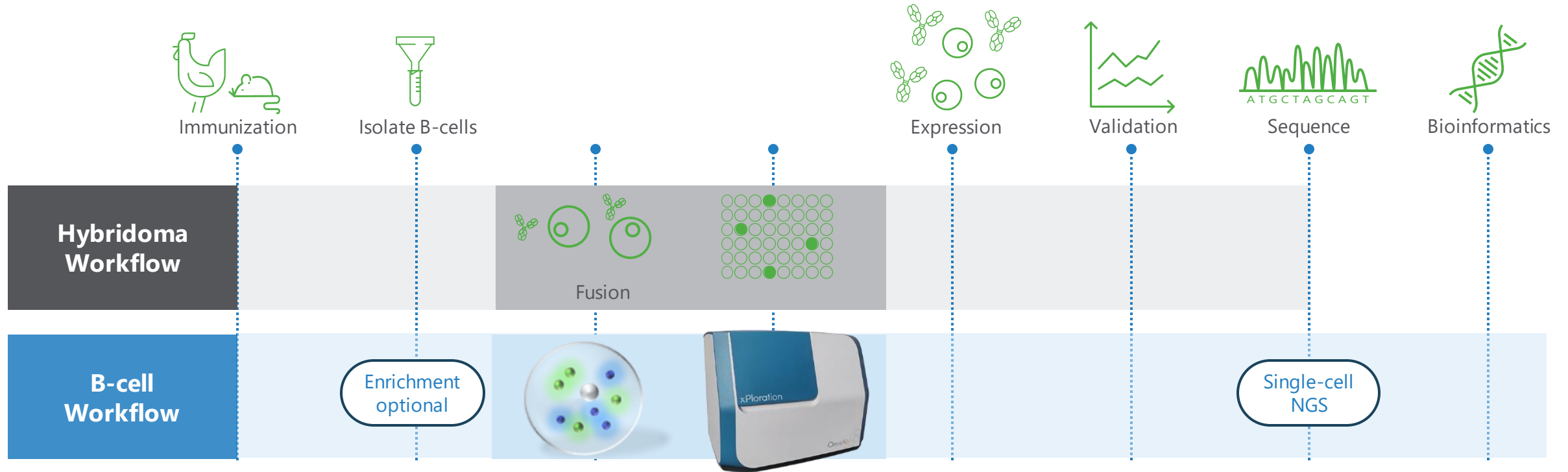


"Germlining" human VK3-15 light chain combined with diversifying heavy chain



[†]The Evolution of Bispecific Antibodies, Nimish Gera
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Deep Screening Platforms



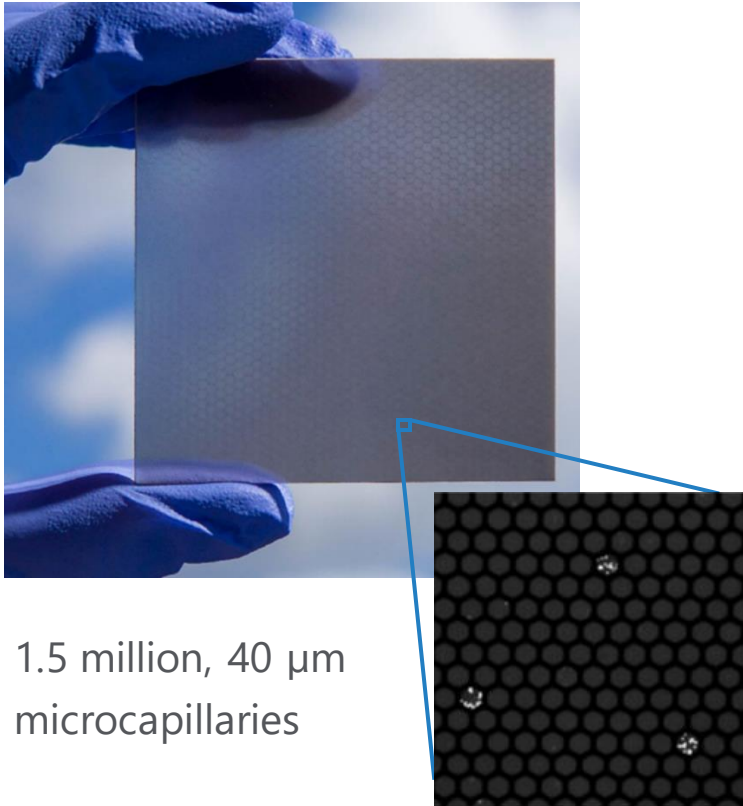
Our powerful single B-cell screening technologies, **xPloration[®]** and **GEM assay**,
bypass bottlenecks of hybridoma workflows

AI-driven multi-parameter screening of **tens of millions** of cells
in **hours instead of weeks**

Technologies enable **screening against difficult targets**:
GPCRs, ion channels and surface antigens

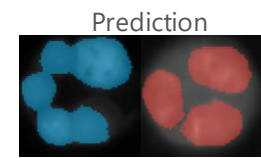
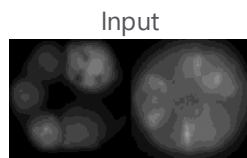
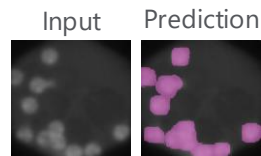
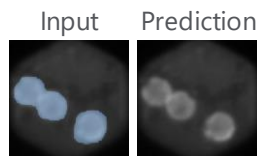
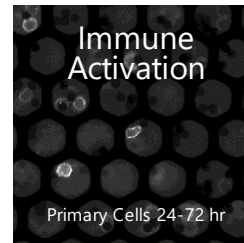
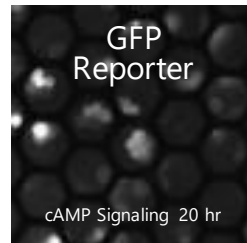
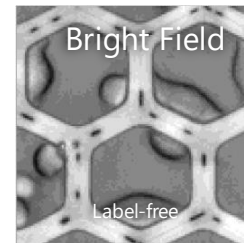
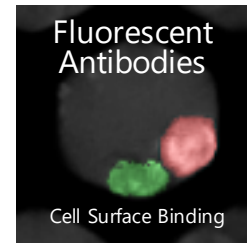
xPloration®: AI-Driven Deep Functional Screening

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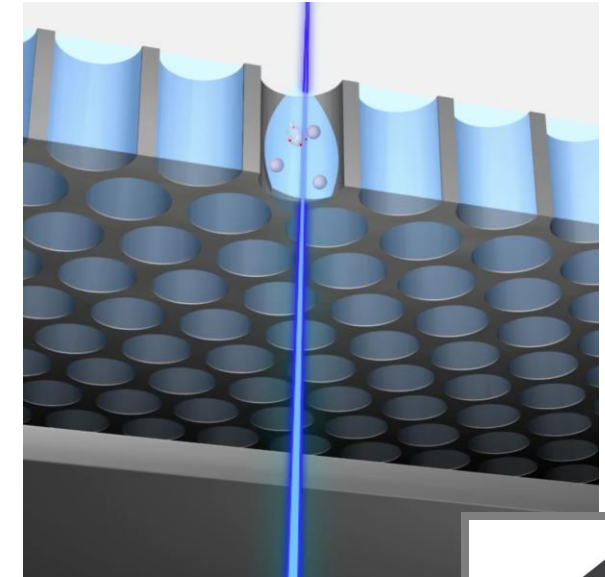
Unique through-hole format

2 | Assay + Machine Vision



Machine vision hit detection

3 | Recovery & Single-Cell NGS



Precise laser-based recovery
Single-cell barcoding or pooled

Assay



Assay

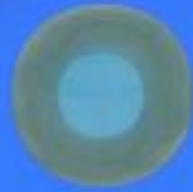
Antibody
secreting cell



Target cell

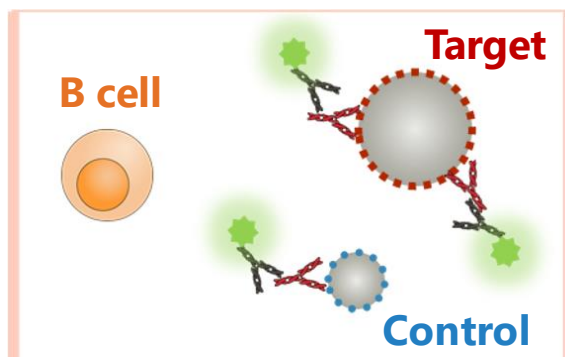


Assay



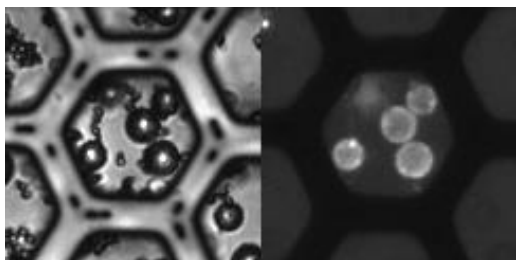
Multi-Parameter Screening: Multiplex Phenotypic Data

Selective binding of target on beads



BF

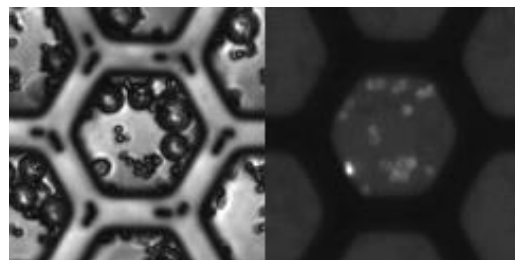
Binding



Binding to Target

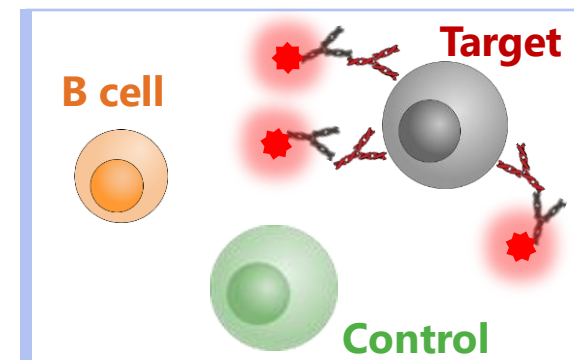
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Binding



Binding to Control

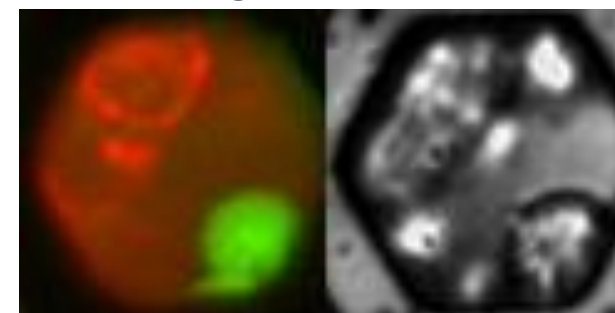
Selective binding of target cell



Binding

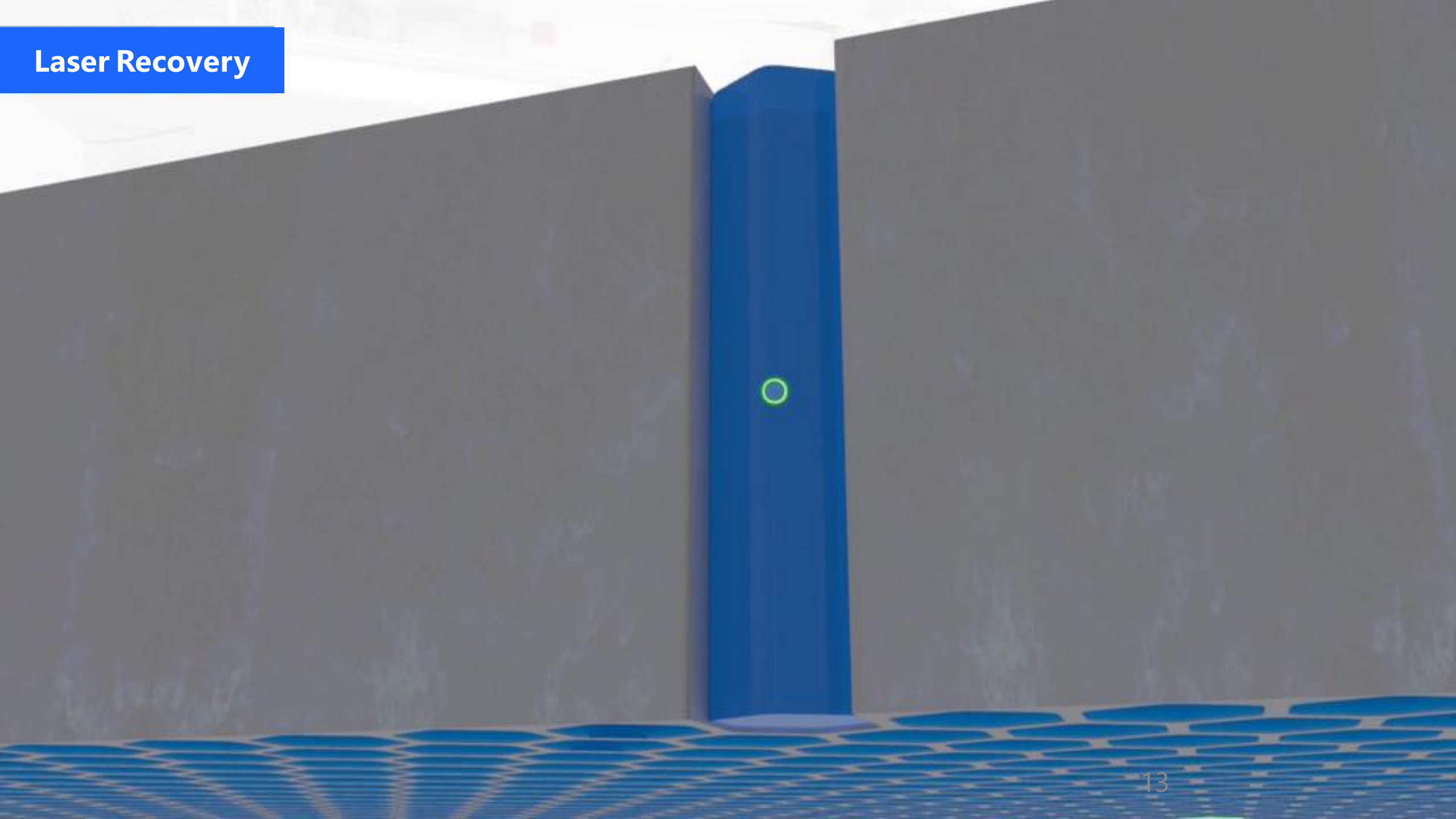
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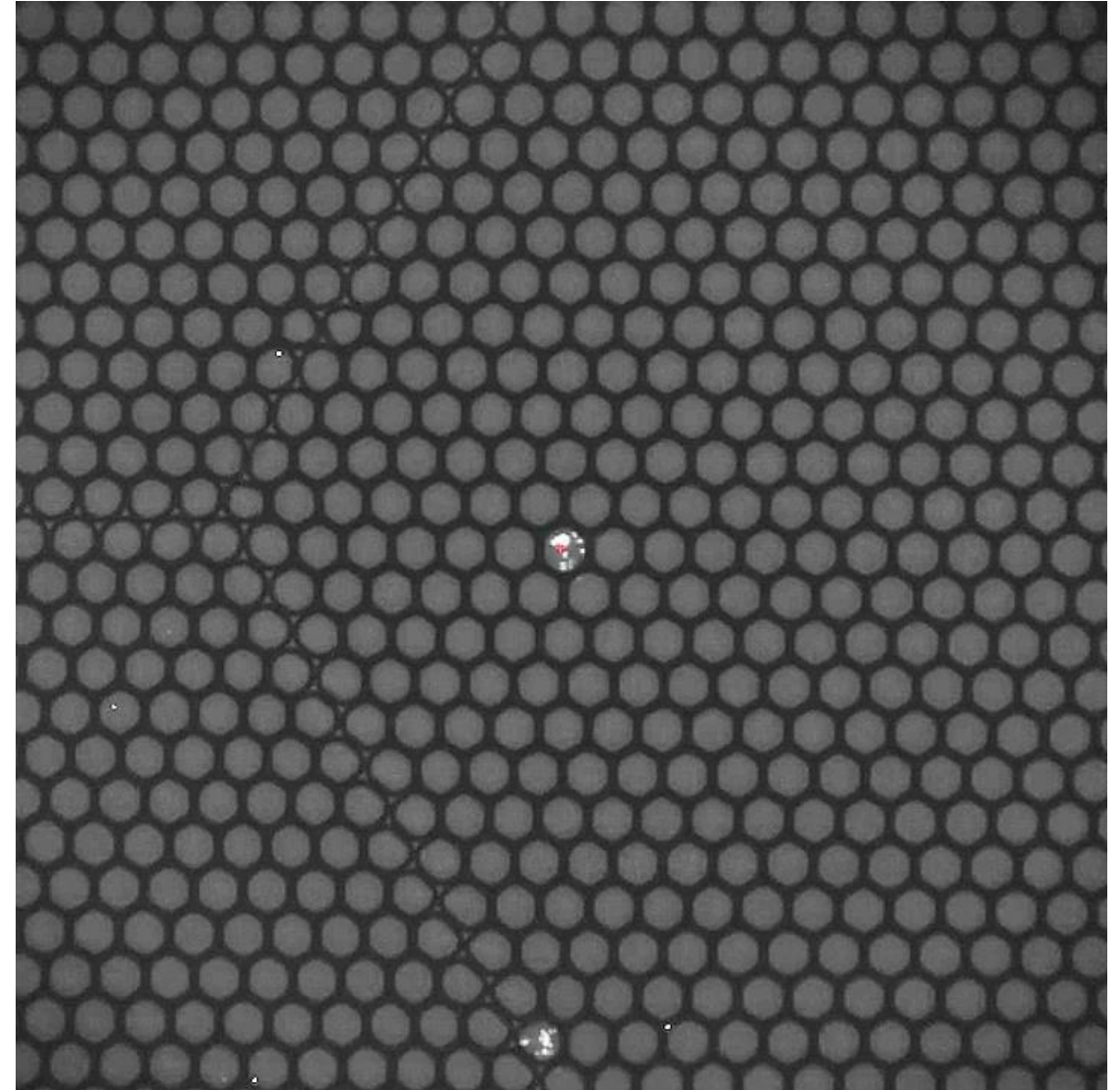
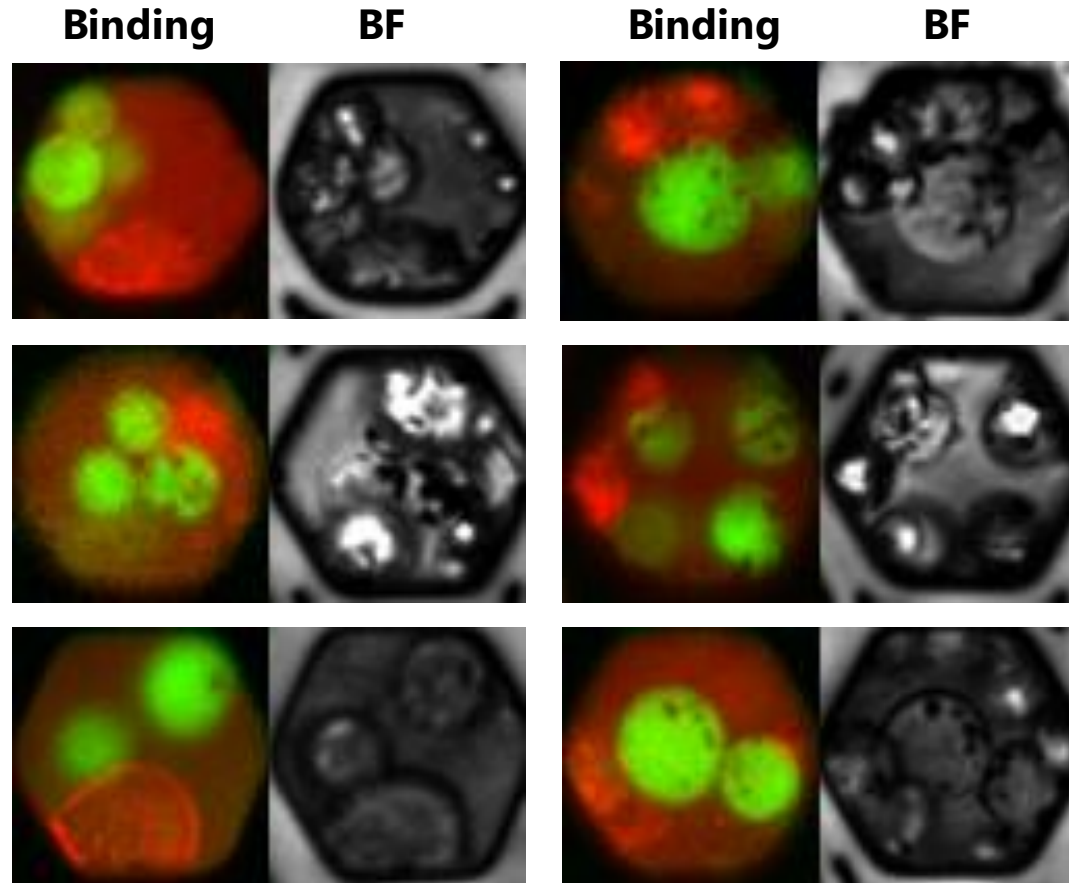
Control

Laser Recovery



Rapid Laser Recovery of Hits

Example target cell specific hits



1x speed video of laser recovery

Integrating Biological Intelligence™ with AI

IN SILICO TOOLS TO BETTER MINE DIVERSE IMMUNE REPERTOIRES

Biological Intelligence

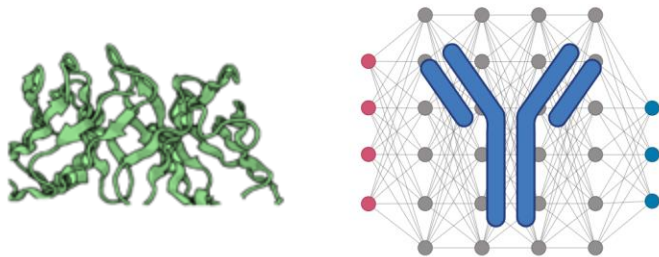
Deep Screening + Deep Sequencing



Large-scale data collection

Structure-Based Design Tools

Deep Learning Models



Proprietary Databases



Multi-species databases



NKp46 Case Study:

Discovering NK cell engager arm for bispecific antibody

Project Background

Target

- NKp46 (NCR1, CD335) is a 46-kDa glycoprotein
- No statistically significant downregulation of NKp46 on both NK and T cells has been observed in many cancers



From PDB 6IAP

Discover anti-NKp46 antibodies from OmniClic for bispecific antibody (NKCE)

OmniDeep™ Empowers Large-Scale Antibody Discovery

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OmniDeep™

**Biological
Intelligence™**



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xPloration®

OmniClic® Screening Summary

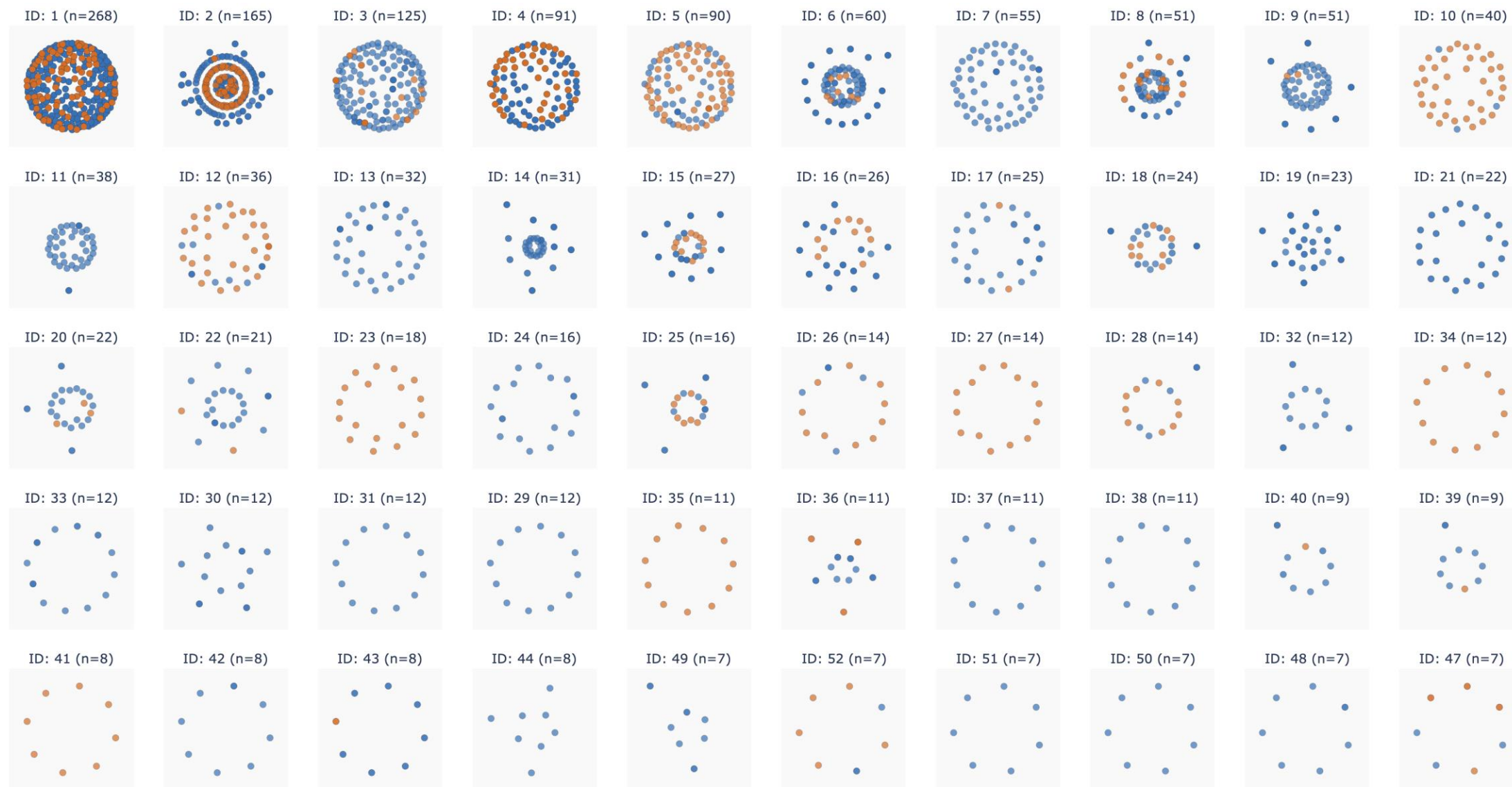


Bird	Screen Type	# Cells Screened	# Hits
1	Antigen on beads	1.4 M	1200
	Cells	3.2 M	203
2	Antigen on beads	1.4 M	1199
	Cells	3.1 M	602
3	Antigen on beads	2.6 M	1326
	Cells	1.3 M	699
Total		13 M	5229

- Processed with pooled NGS sequencing for **2130 unique sequences**

Synergy between OmniClic, xPloration® and NGS enables large-scale repertoire mining

OmniClic® Repertoire Space



● Bead screen

● Cell screen

Bioinformatics-Aided Antibody Selection

Activity profile

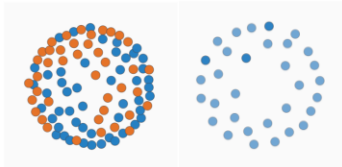
Profile 1:

Cell + Protein binder



Profile 2:

All Cell binders



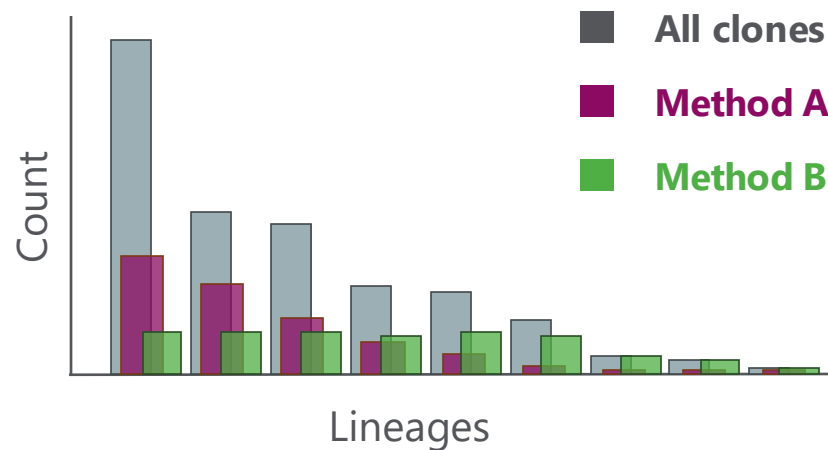
Profile 3:

Cell binder only



- Post-sort selection of desired functional profile
- Focused on cell and protein binders

Diversity



Clone selection considerations:

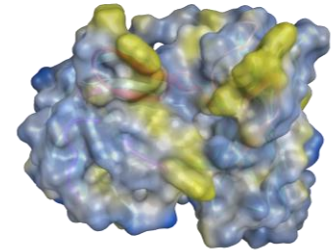
- Maximize coverage of sequence diversity
- Bias towards or away lineage distribution

In Silico Developability Filter

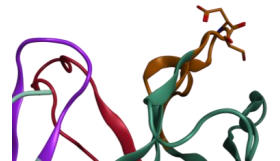
Sequences

3D homology models

Structure-based predictions



Hydrophobic patches near CDRs

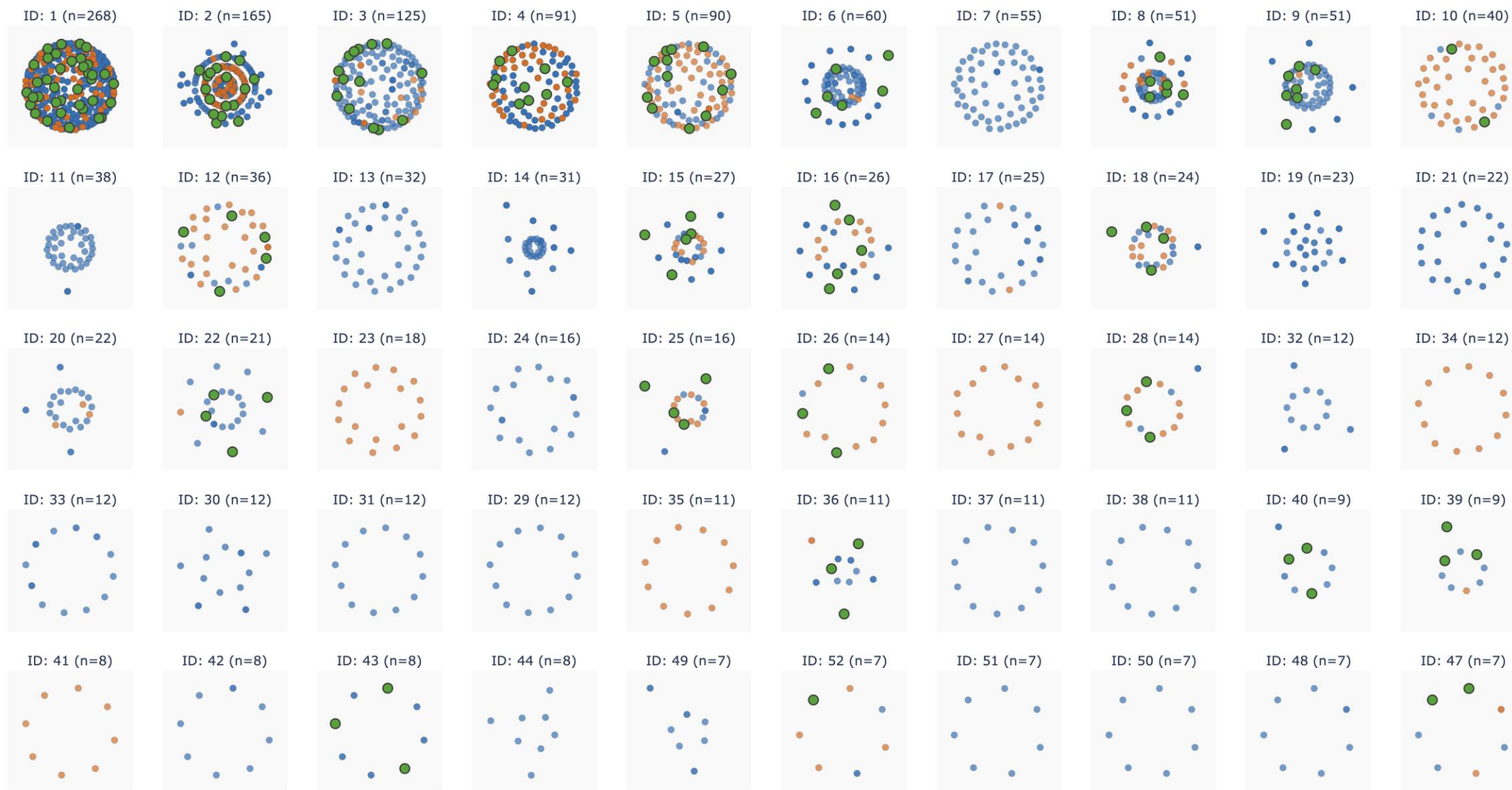


Potential isomerization

- Structure-based method for cost and time efficient filtering for the most promising clones based on predicted properties

In silico tools guide data-driven antibody selection process

OmniClic® Repertoire Space



● Selected

● Bead screen

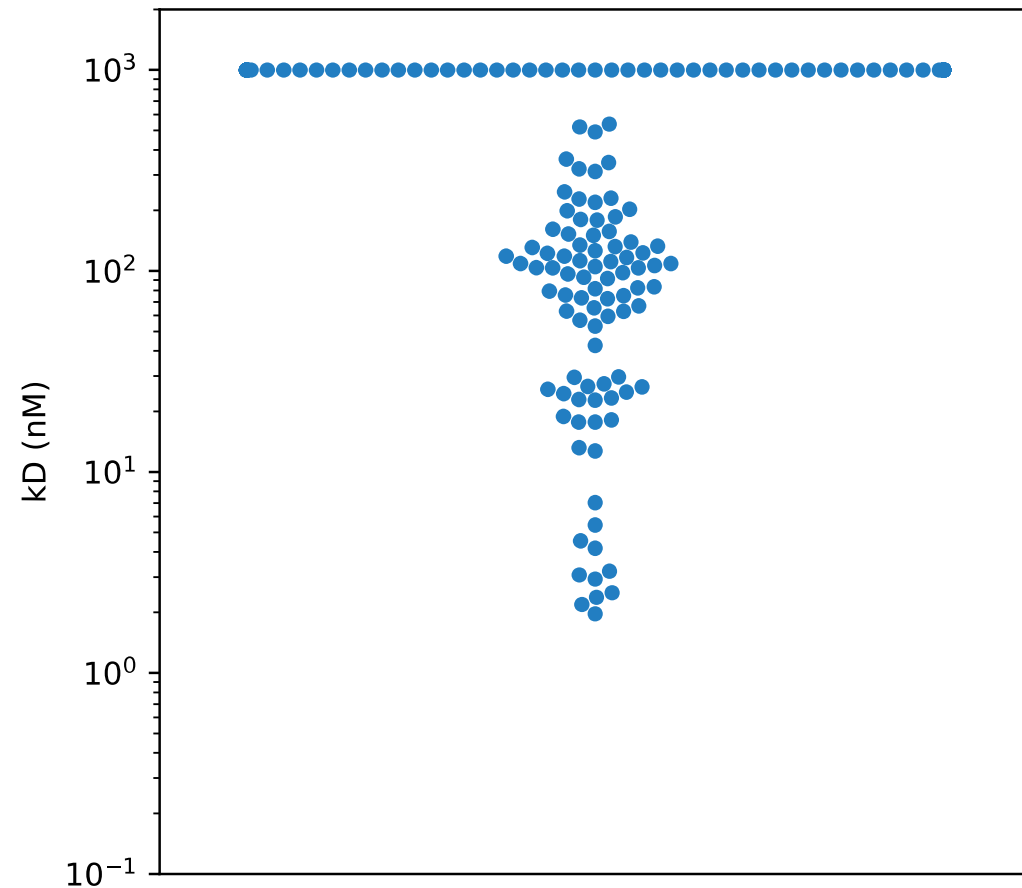
● Cell screen

Discovery of NKp46 Binders



# Selected Clones	Binding (%)	<10 nM (%)
178	49	6%

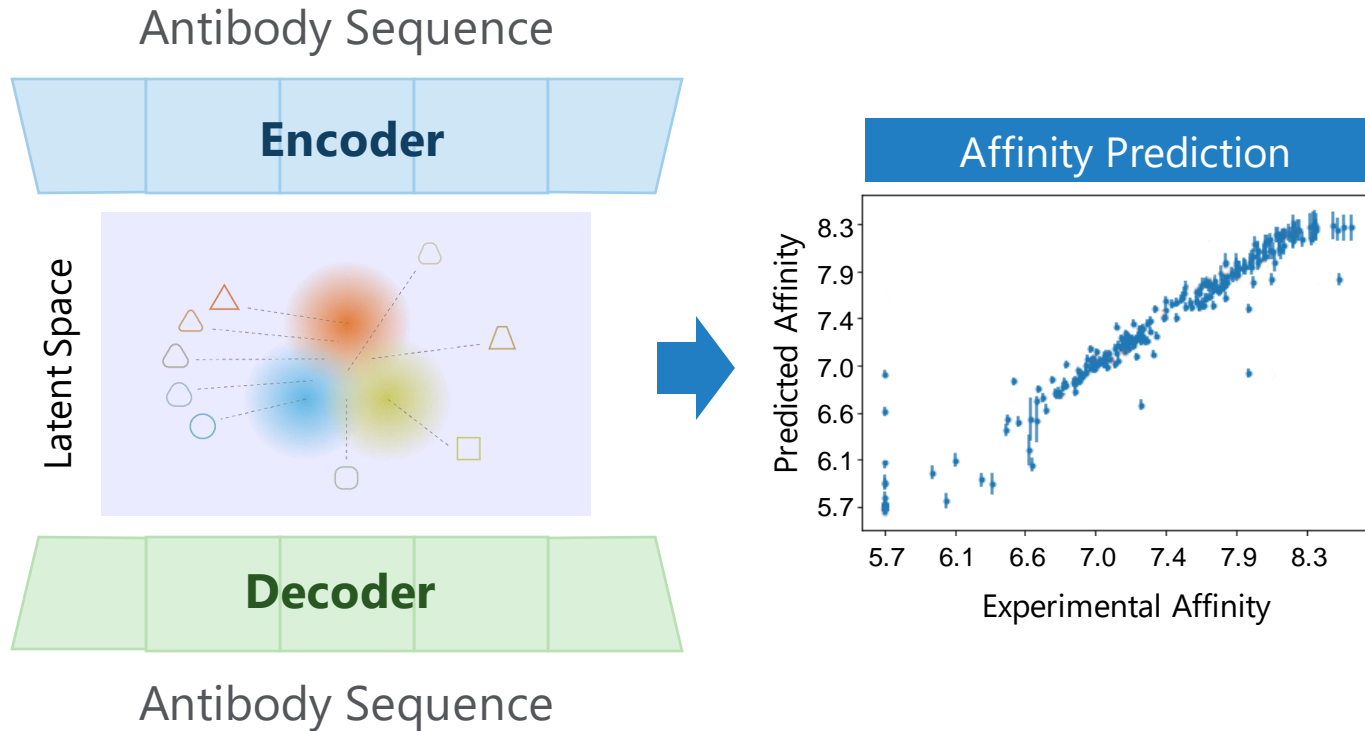
- Expressed clones with common light chain
- 88 confirmed binders
 - Average affinity ~100 nM



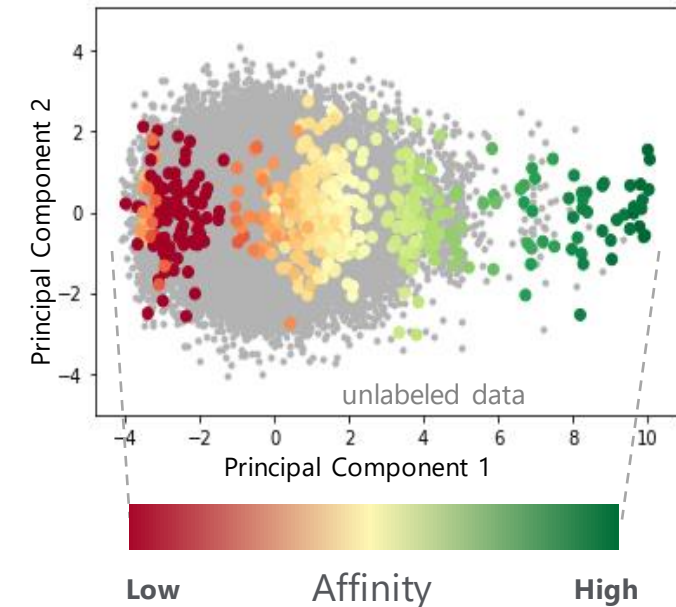
Can we employ deep learning to increase yield and affinity?

Encoding Sequence Space with Deep Learning

Variational Autoencoder (VAE) Model



Encoded Antibody Space



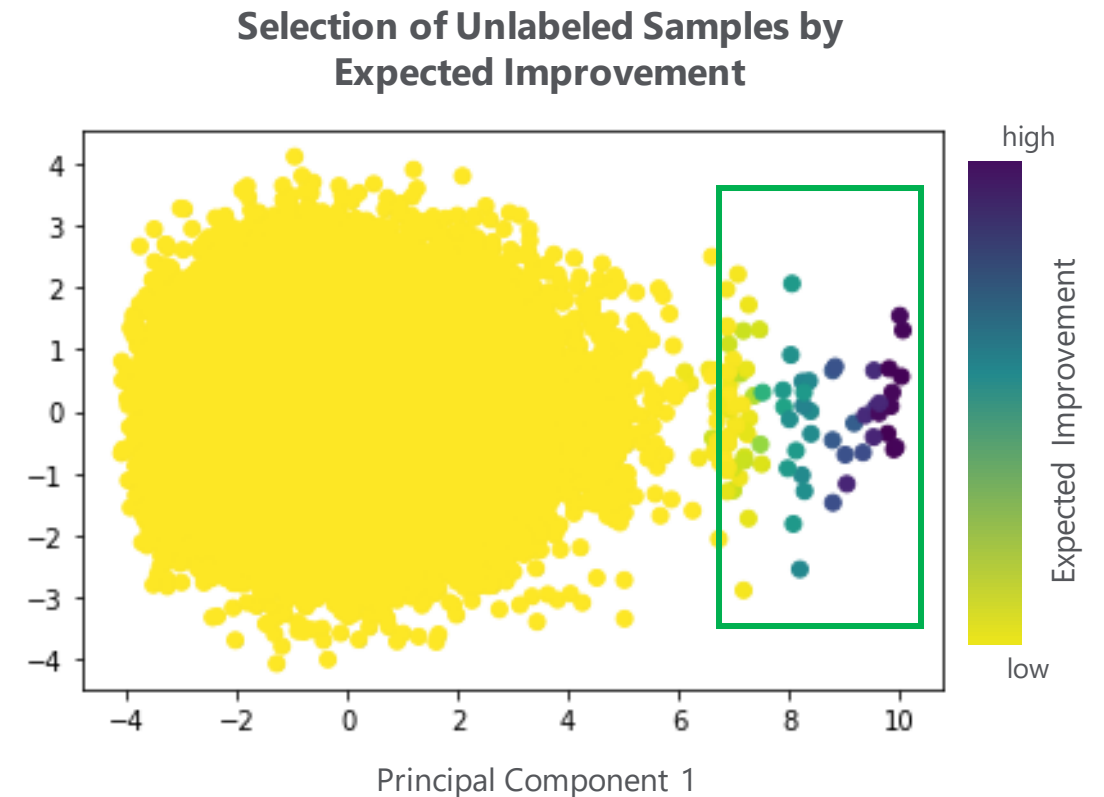
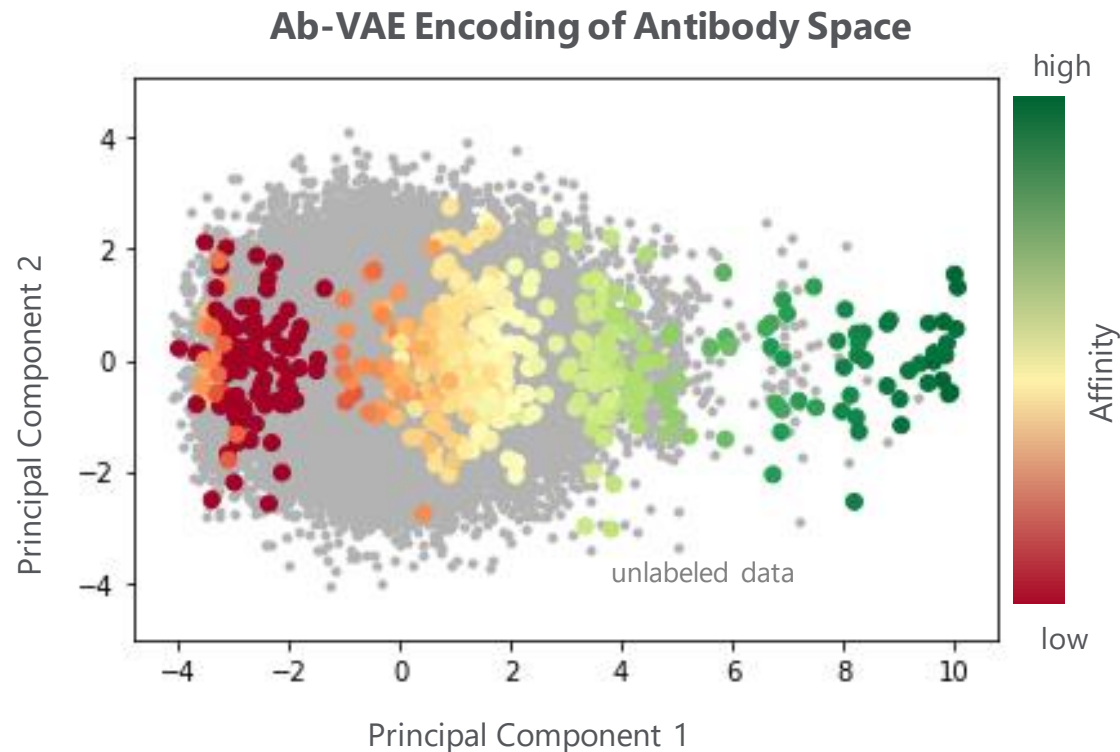
Property prediction organizes model space according to affinity

- **Input data:** xPloration[®] sorted sequences, affinity data, and bulk NGS
- Organization is purely data-driven both by the provided sequence and given affinity data

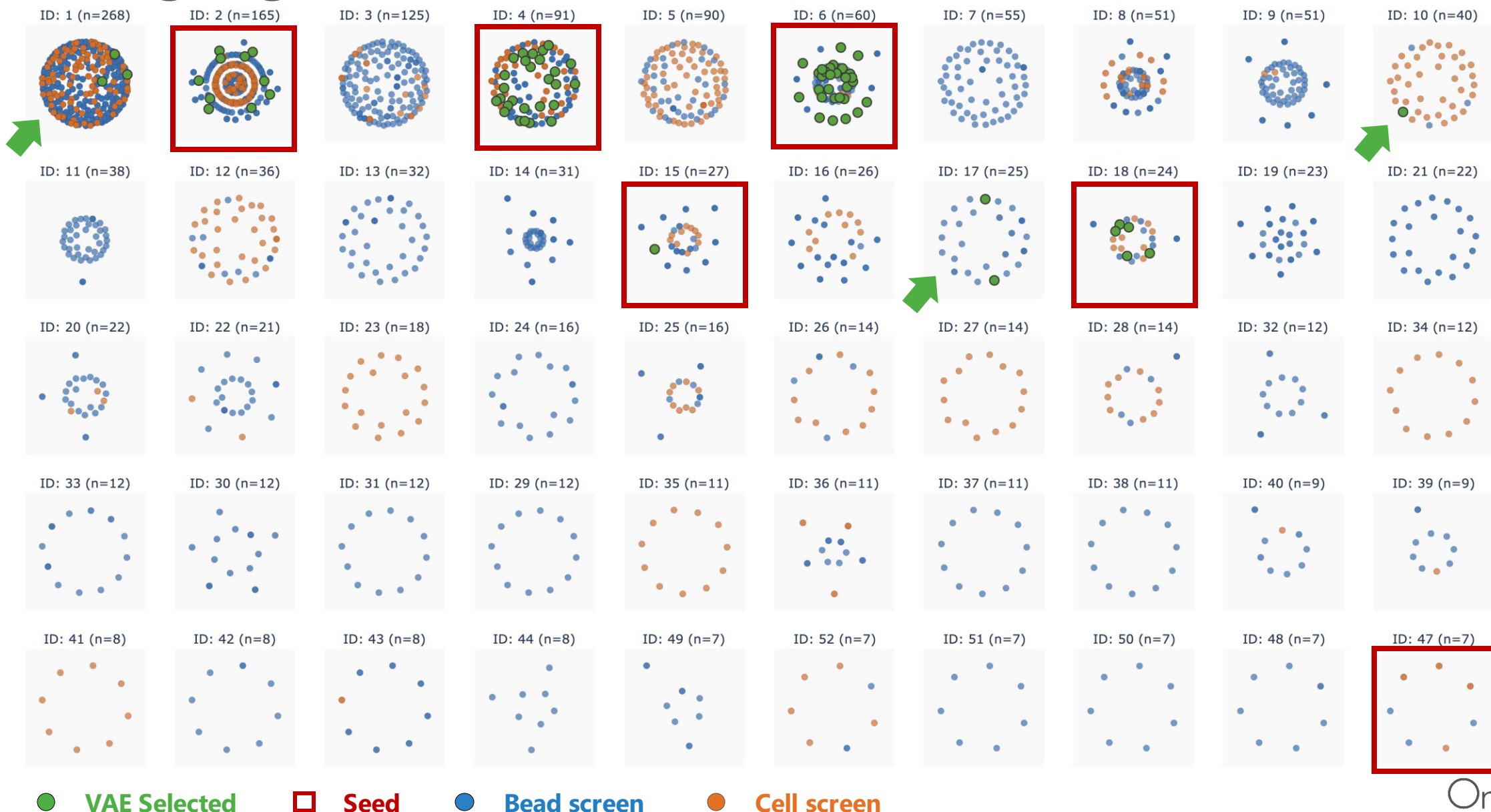
Identifying Higher Affinity Antibody Sequences

SELECTION FROM UNLABELED POOL OF DATA

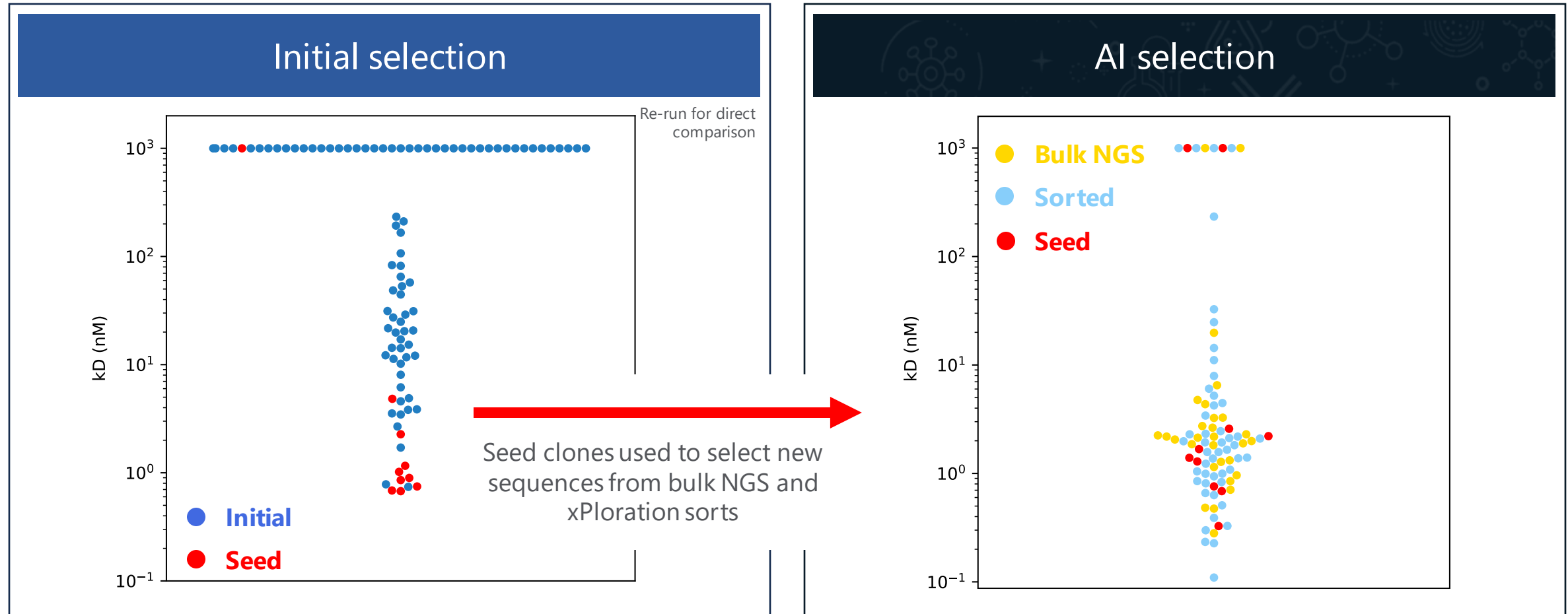
- **Expected Improvement (EI)** of the entire unlabeled data set can be calculated and sequences with highest values are selected



VAE Highlight New Clusters to Prioritize

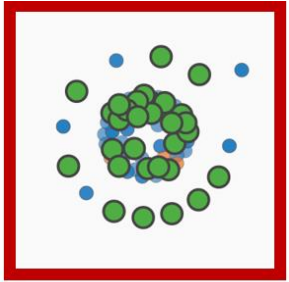


OmniDeep™ Successfully Selected High Affinity Clones

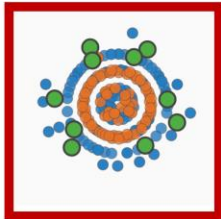
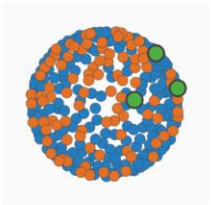


Successfully found additional unique clones at 91% rate with ~10x improvement in mean affinity

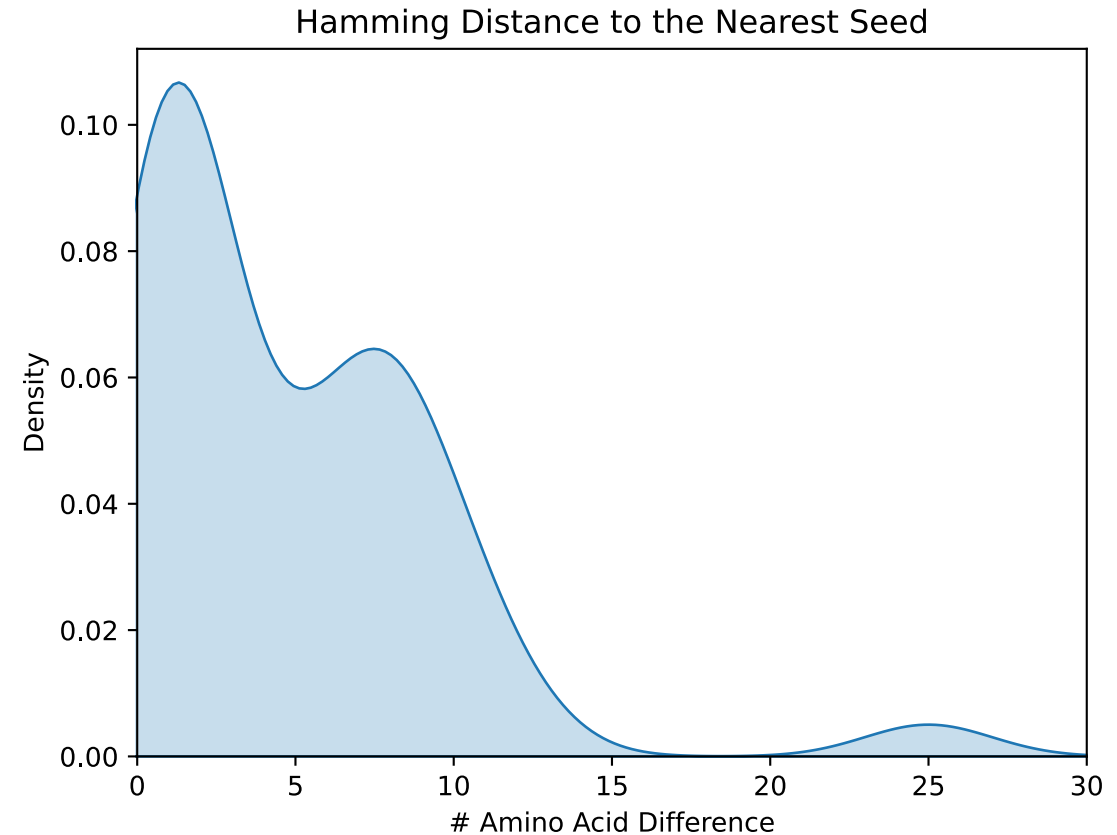
New Insights from OmniDeep™



- Prioritize clones within standard lineage definitions
- Found 70 pM clone (10x seed affinity)



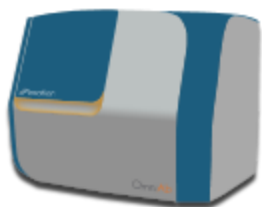
- Identifies new non-obvious clones in other lineages



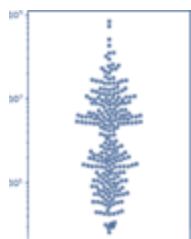
Deep learning provides new non-obvious insights for partners

OmniDeep™ Leverages Deep Learning

High-Quality Input Data



xPloration hits

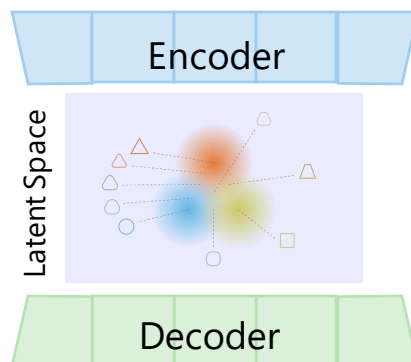


Assay data



Animal NGS data

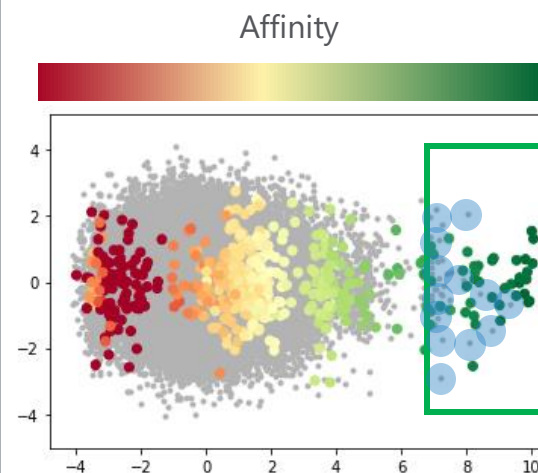
Deep Learning Model



Variational Autoencoder (VAE) :

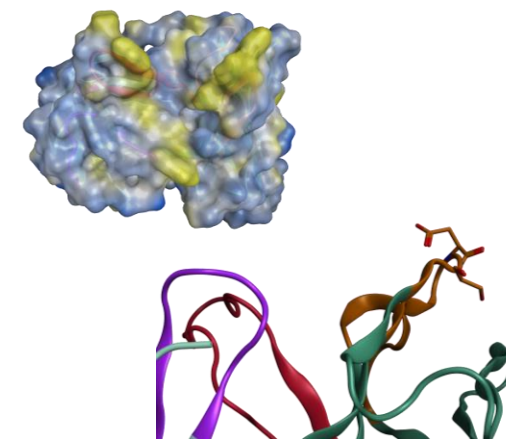
- Extends insights from confirmed hits to infer function of untested clones

New Suggested Hits



Suggested antibodies highlighted in light blue

in Silico Developability Filter



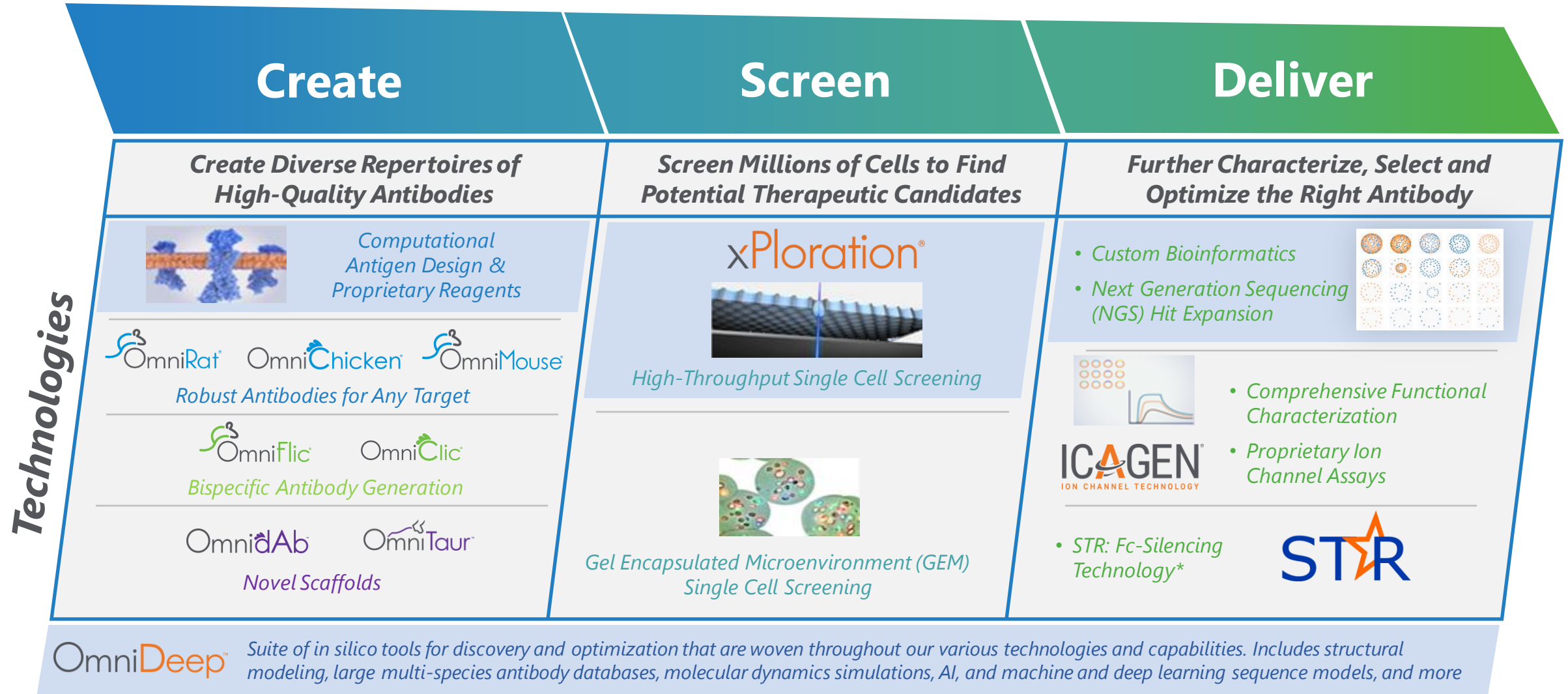
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AI suggests additional high affinity and developable antibody sequences

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The logo for OmniAb, featuring the word "Omni" in white and "Ab" in orange, with a registered trademark symbol (®) to the upper right of the "b".

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