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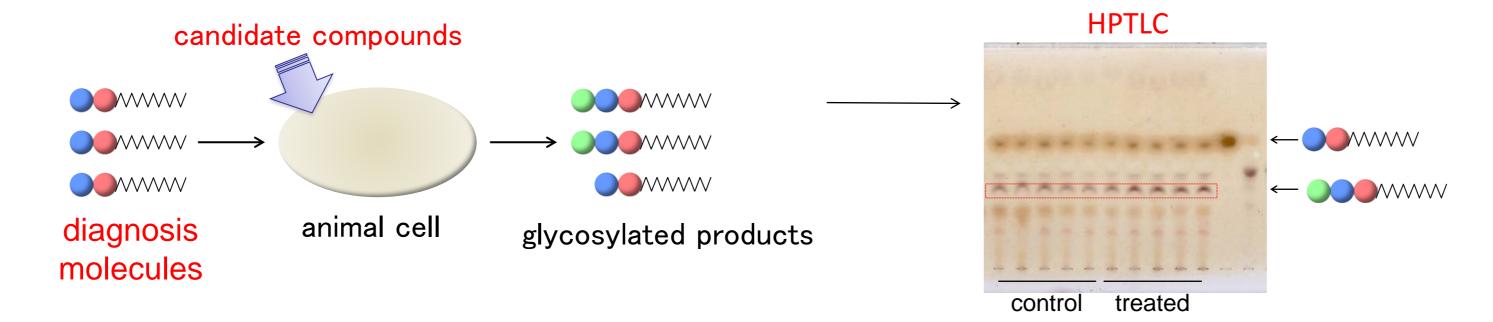
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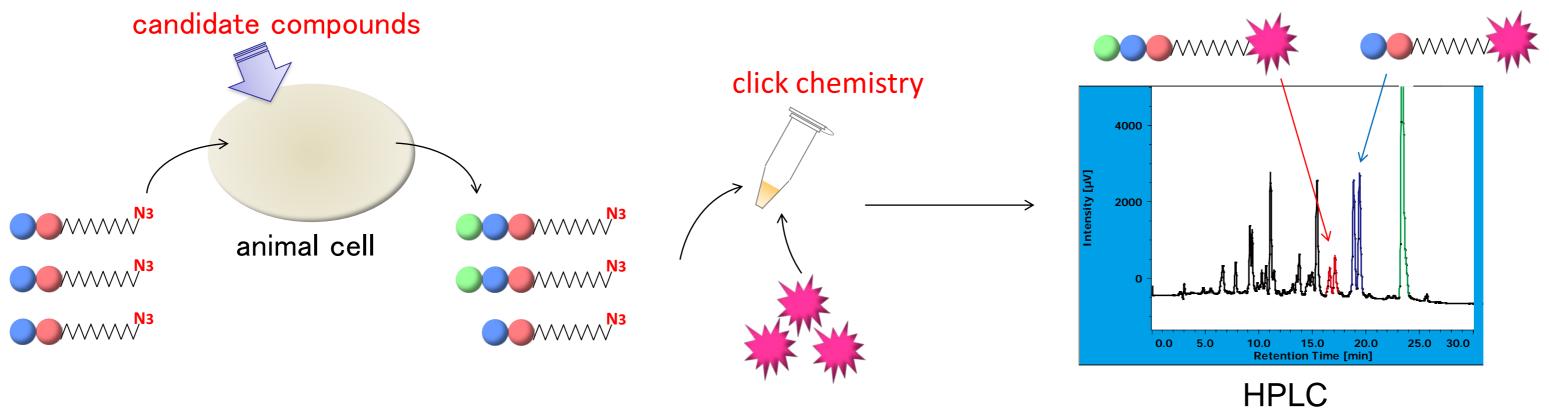
GlycoCompounds: Novel Method of Searching for Glycosylation-Regulating Compounds

carbohydrate chain abnormality causes a disease \rightarrow searching for glycosylation-regulating compounds \rightarrow It is difficult to check quantitative change of carbohydrates in a cell. \rightarrow monitoring using diagnosis molecule!

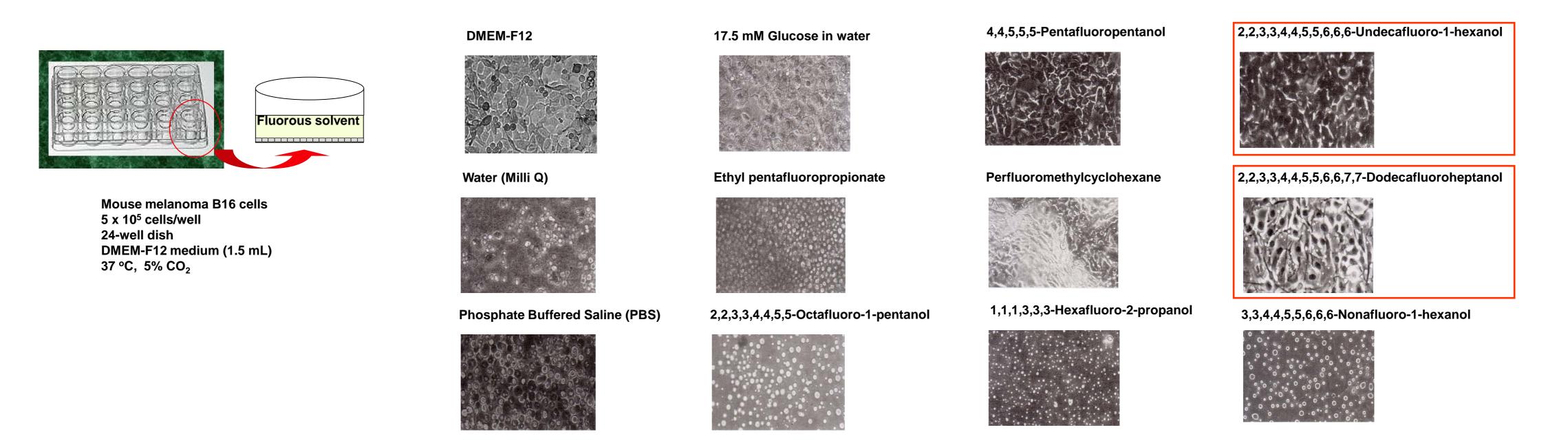


Advantages of this method are (1) detection without cell homogenization, (2) amplification of the signal, (3) detecting the effect on cabohydrate synthesis right after addition of candidate compound.

Moreover, the glycosylated products by using azidododecyl lactoside could be conjugated with fluorescent molecule by click chemistry, and the obtained fluorescent oligosaccharides were quantitatively analyzed by HPLC.



Fluorous Compounds: Cell Culture in Fluorous Solvents



Fluorous solvents contain high concentration of O_2 . \rightarrow Development of new cell culture system