MassWorks & GC/ID NEW V2.0.

Fully Automated and Highly Confident GC/MS Compound ID

GC/ID is a fully automated data processing software that provides dramatic improvements for GC/MS qualitative analysis. By incorporating Cerno's proven TrueCal[™] calibration technology for <u>accurate mass formula ID</u> along with conventional library search, a significant improvement in compound ID certainty is achieved on single quad GC/ MS systems. GC/ID also provides, for the first time, an entirely automated method of quantitatively utilizing the NIST, Wiley or user generated retention index values to provide yet a third orthogonal metric for compound ID.

V2 takes full advantage of the new NIST20 libraries which incorporate accurately calculated RI values by Artificial Intelligence (AI) along with accurate experimental RI values to provide 100% coverage of RI values for the entire library! V2 further improves the powerful new approach used to identify and deconvolve mixtures and the background of co-eluting peaks to minimize the mis-

identification of compounds in complex samples.

These features can save the analyst hundreds of hours per year while increasing compound ID confidence and minimizing the number of "unidentified" peaks due to interferences, unresolved peaks, or just ambiguous library search results. GC/ID can automatically process an entire sequence of GC/MS runs from most vendor instruments including the popular Agilent GC/MSD. It also provides an easy-to-use review mode to audit results and generate reports in either PDF or spreadsheet formats.

Formula ID is a feature normally only available on high resolution instruments. Combined with library search and retention index values, these three metrics can be "blended" into an overall match quality or used independently providing dramatic improvements and valuable time savings in GC/MS compound ID.



GC/ID processes an entire run in a few minutes, calculates the NIST match value (NIST) for each peak, verifies the compound formula by accurate mass/spectral accuracy via M+ (SA-M) as well as fragment ions (SA-F), and then performs retention index match (RI Fit). **These additional metrics can dramatically improve compound identification confidence.**

GC/ID automatically identifies "mixture" peaks and not only indicates the number of unresolved compounds, but also generates the "pure" MS



The peak at 2.65 min actually contains 3 co-eluting peaks which GC/ID deconvolves as shown. Version 2 provides improved deconvolution and, unlike conventional approaches, minimizes over fitting and eliminates false hits.

GC/ID confirms each NIST library match by validating the formula using accurate mass/spectral accuracy



The profile mode spectral overlay of the calculated "True" MS (Blue) and the calibrated (Red) MS shows nearly a perfect match with 99.24% spectral accuracy confirming the NIST compound formula for more confident ID. This is a feature previously only available in high resolution MS.

Retention index (RI Fit) provides a powerful quantitative metric to readily ID the right compound, even when the library search values are close or ambiguous

The "NIST" match results (*Red*) cannot distinguish the correct compound within the top 3 hits and neither does the formula ID from spectral accuracy (SA-M or SA-F). "RI Fit" (Blue) easily distinguishes the correct hit and the (NIST+SA+RI Fit) blended "Match" value (Green) clearly identifies the correct compound.

Hit	Match	NIST		SA-M	SA-F	RIFit	MW	Formula	Name
1	970.14	U.	914	99.2	99.09	98.36	95.953	C2H2Cl2	Ethylene, 1,2-dichloro-, (Z)-
2	953.82	Ŭ,	966	99.2	99.09	86.64	95.953	C2H2Cl2	1,2-Dichloroethylene
3	864.07	Ŭ,	967	99.2	99.09	50.64	95.953	C2H2Cl2	Ethylene, 1,2-dichloro-, (E)-
4	780.9	4	418	97.1	99.09	74.36	95.99	C2H6CIP	Chloro(dimethyl)phosphine
5	752.57		891	99.2	99.09	13.64	95.953	C2H2Cl2	Ethene, 1,1-dichloro-

GC/ID is the first major breakthrough in GC/MS in decades

GC/MS library search has been a powerful tool for the ID of organic compounds for decades. However, besides continued expansion of spectral libraries, hardware improvements in terms of sensitivity and ease of use, no significant progress has been made to assist the analyst in

determining the correct match from a long list of possible hits without the tedious and time-consuming manual review or even re-analysis. Contact us today for a demo or to learn how GC/ID V2 can make your lab more productive.



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