Supporting Information for

## SCX-tip aided LC-MS detection of active ricin via oligonucleotide substrate for depurination kinetics

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**Fig. S1** (A) Diagram of SCX membrane device (A), the effect of pretreatment and pretreatment on peak area and retention time of Rd12 (B) alone, or Rd12 and hemoglobin (Hb)(C).



**Fig. S2** Linear curves of Rd12, RNA12, and adenine in LC-TUV-QDa detection. The peak area of the analyte or IS (r(GCGCGGGCGC)) was collected from the QDa channel. The MW of IS was 3229.992, and the employed concentration was 2  $\mu$ M.



**Fig. S3** The chromatograms of Rd-based oligos before and after reaction with ricin in LC-TUV-QDa, where the TUV channel was shown, and Rd12 was used as the positive control.



Fig. S4 (A) The linear curve of Rd12-8dA; (B) the enzymatic kinetic curve of Rd12-8dA with ricin at pH 4.0.



**Fig. S5** The alignment between the crystal structure of ricin with dinucleotide ApG (PDB: 3RTJ) and molecular docking of ricin (the model in our work) with a dinucleotide ApG.



Fig. S6 The relative peak area ratio of Rd12 substrate before and after reaction with ricin in LC-TUV. Conditions: 20  $\mu$ M Rd12, 1  $\mu$ g/mL (16 nM) or 2  $\mu$ g/mL ricin in PBS at pH 7.4.



Fig. S7 The cell survival rate curve with the increase of Rd12 concentration at pH 7.4.

Oligo	Modified sites	Docking score (kcal/mol)	RMSD (Å)	Align RMSD(Å)
Rd12-5mG	-mGdAGA	-181.8	99.8	0
Rd12-5dG	-dGdAGA	-207.9	99.8	0
Rd12-7mdG	-GdAmdGA	-180.2	99.3	0
Rd12-8G	-GdAGG	-210.2	99.2	0
Rd12-8C	-GdAGC	-237.5	98.4	0
RNA12-8dA	-GAGdA	-183.1	100.6	0
Rd12-8mdA	-GdAGmdA	-194.8	99.4	0
Rd12-6AP	-GdAPGA	-209.9	99.4	0
RNA12-6mA	-GmAGA	-200.5	99.5	0
Rd12-6mdA	-GmdAGA	-195.9	99.6	0
Rd12-8dA	-GdAGdA	-177.0	100.8	0

Table S1. The molecular docking of modified oligos and ricin at pH 4.0