Supporting information

Ribosomal Translation of Fluorinated Non-Canonical Amino Acids for *De Novo* Biologically Active Fluorinated Macrocyclic Peptides

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Abbreviations

The abbreviations used here are as follows: *A. baumannii* Ab6, *Acinetobacter baumannii* Ab6; AcOEt, ethyl acetate; BAM, *β*-barrel–assembly machinery; Boc, t-Butyloxy carbonyl; CME, cyanomethyl ester; CPP, cell penetrating peptide; DBE，3,5-dinitrobenzyl ester; DCM, dichloromethane; DDM, n-dodecyl-*β*-D-maltopyranoside; DIC, *N, N*-diisopropylcarbodiimide; DMF, N, N-dimethylformamide; DMSO, dimethyl sulfoxide; *E. coli* W3110, *Escherichia coli* W3110; EDTA, ethylene diamine tetraacetic acid; EphA2, human ephrin type-A receptor 2; ESI-MS, electrospray ionization mass spectrometry; EtOH, ethanol; FIT, flexible in vitro translation system; Fmoc, 9-fluorenylmethyloxycarbonyl; h, hour; HCl, hydrogen chloride; HOBT, 1-hydroxybenzotriazole; HPLC, high performance liquid chromatography; IPTG, isopropyl *β*-D-thiogalactoside; *K. pneumonia* KP-D367, *Klebsiella pneumoniae* KP-D367; LB, Luria-Bertani; MALDI-TOF MS, matrix-assisted laser desorption ionization time-of-flight mass spectrometry; Met, methionine; min, minute; NaCl, sodium chloride; NaHCO$_3$, sodium hydrogen carbonate; Na$_2$SO4, sodium sulfate; NMR, nuclear magnetic resonance; *P. aeruginosa* PAO1, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* PAO1; PAGE, polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis; PBS, phosphate buffered saline; PBST, phosphate buffered saline with Tween-20; RaPID, random nonstandard peptide integrated discovery; RBC, red blood cell; rpm, revolutions per minute; RT, room temperature; SPPS, solid phase peptide synthesis; SPR, surface plasmon resonance; *S. typhimurium* SL1344, *Salmonella typhimurium* SL1344; TFA, trifluoroacetic acid; Tris-HCl, tris（hydroxymethyl）aminomethane hydrochloride; Tyr, tyrosine.

Materials

4-F-^{L}PheGly, 4-F-^{D}PheGly, Boc-2F-^{L}Phe, Boc-4-F-*β*-Phe, Boc-2F-^{L}Pro, Fmoc-protected amino acids and 3,5-dinitrobenzene were purchased from Bide Pharmatech Co., Ltd. 4-F-^{L}Phe, 4-F-^{D}Phe, Boc-4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe, *cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro, trifluoroacetic acid (TFA), chloroacetonitrile, di-tert-butyl decarbonate, triisopropylhydrosilane, 1,4-dioxane, dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO) and n-dodecyl-*β*-D-maltopyranoside (DDM) were purchased from Shanghai Aladdin Biochemical Technology Co., Ltd. *trans*-4-F-^{L}Pro were purchased from Shanghai Haohong Scientific Co., Ltd. Primers were synthesized by Genscript Biotech Corporation (Nanjing, China). T4 RNA ligase, phusion® high-fidelity DNA polymerase and PURExpress kit were purchased from New England Biolabs (NEB). Dynabeads™ M-280 Streptavidin was purchased from Thermo Fisher Scientific. M-MLV reverse transcriptase RNase H Minus was purchased from Promega (Beijing) Biotech Co.,Ltd. Taq DNA polymerase and RNase inhibitor were purchased from ABclonal Biotech Co., Ltd. T7 RNA

polymerase was purchased from NovoBiotechnology Co., Ltd. Biotinylated human EphA2 protein was purchased from Acrobiosystems. Ampicillin, sodium salt and isopropyl β-D-thiogalactoside (IPTG) was purchased from Beijing Solarbio Science & Technology Co., Ltd. Amino acids used for ribosomal synthesis and Ni-NTA Sefinose™ Resin 6FF (Settled Resin) were purchased from Sangon Biotech (Shanghai)Co., Ltd. Triethylamine was purchased from Shanghai Macklin Biochemical Co., Ltd. *Escherichia coli* W3110, *Klebsiella pneumoniae* KP-D367, *Acinetobacter baumannii* Ab6, *Salmonella typhimurium* SL1344 and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* PAO1 were obtained from Xinmiao Fu of Fujian Normal University.

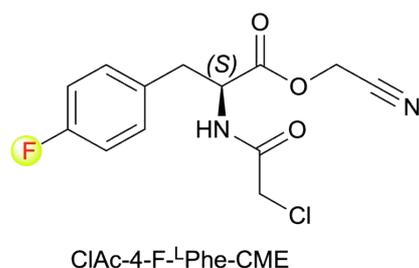**Procedure for synthesis of activated fluorinated amino acids.**

(1) Synthesis of ClAc-4-F-^{L}Phe-CME

A mixture of 4-F-^{L}Phe (100 mg, 0.55 mmol), N-(Chloroacetoxy)succinimide (118 mg, 0.61 mmol) and NaHCO$_3$ (138 mg, 1.64 mmol) in 2 mL of 50% 1,4-dioxane was stirred at RT for 3 h. The mixture was acidified at pH 2.0~3.0 by 1M HCl followed by extraction with AcOEt, and the combined organic layer was washed with brine thrice. The organic layer was dried over Na$_2$SO$_4$, concentrated under reduced pressure and vacuum drying for 1 hour. Then, the product (N-ClAc-4-F-^{L}Phe-OH) in 2 mL of DMF was mixed with triethylamine (84 μL, 0.61 mmol) and chloroacetonitrile (0.2 mL), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT for overnight. After the reaction is complete, AcOEt is added to the reaction solution, and the organic phase is washed three times with 1M HCl solution, three times with saturated NaHCO$_3$ and three times with brine. The recovered organic phase is dried with Na$_2$SO$_4$, followed by reduced pressure, and finally the desired product (ClAc-4-F-^{L}Phe-CME) is obtained. Finally, the resultant crude was purified by reverse-phase HPLC using aqueous solution/ acetonitrile as mobile phase to give the pure desired compound.

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.81 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.36 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 5.00 (s, 2H), 4.58 (ddd, *J* = 9.2, 7.5, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (s, 2H), 3.09 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.98 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 9.2 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 170.00, 166.09, 161.09 (d, *J* =242.6 Hz), 132.54 (d, *J* =2.8 Hz), 130.98 (d, *J* =8.1 Hz),

115.47, 115.02, 114.88, 53.43, 49.43, 41.94, 35.09. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -116.21 – -116.26 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for C$_{13}$H$_{12}$ClFN$_2$O$_3$ [M+H]$^+$: 299.06, 301.06, found: 298.68,

300.69.

(2) Synthesis of ClAc-4-F-^LPhe-CME

ClAc-4-F-DPhe-CME was synthesized by the same procedures as ClAc-4-F-LPhe-CME.
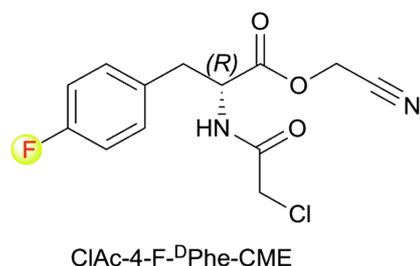

ClAc-4-F-DPhe-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.81 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.14 – 7.08 (m, 2H), 5.00 (s, 2H), 4.58 (ddd, J = 9.2, 7.5, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (s, 2H), 3.09 (dd, J = 13.9, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.98 (dd, J = 13.9, 9.2 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 170.00, 166.10, 161.09 (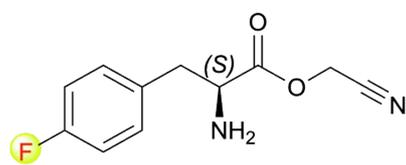d, J =242.6 Hz), 132.55 (d, J =3.3 Hz), 130.98 (d, J =8.1 Hz), 115.48, 115.02, 114.88, 53.44, 49.43, 41.94, 35.10. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -116.21 – -116.26 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for C$_{13}$H$_{12}$ClFN$_2$O$_3$ [M+H]$^+$: 299.06, 301.06, found: 298.60, 300.57.

(3) Synthesis of 4-F-LPhe-CME

4-F-LPhe → Boc-4-F-LPhe → Boc-4-F-LPhe-CME

4-F-LPhe-CME

A mixture of 4-F-LPhe (200 mg, 1.09 mmol), Di-tert-butyl dicarbonate (477 mg, 2.18 mmol) and NaHCO$_3$ (275 mg, 2.28 mmol) in 4 mL of 50% 1,4-dioxane was stirred at RT for 3 h. The mixture was acidified at pH 2.0~3.0 by 1M HCl followed by extraction with AcOEt, and the combined organic layer was washed with brine thrice. The organic layer was dried over Na$_2$SO$_4$，concentrated under reduced pressure and vacuum drying for 1 hour. Then, the product (Boc-4-F-LPhe) in 4 mL of DMF was mixed with triethylamine (168 μL, 1.20 mmol) and chloroacetonitrile (0.4 mL), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at 30 °C for overnight. After the reaction is complete, AcOEt is added to the reaction solution, and the organic phase is washed three times with 1M HCl solution, three times with saturated NaHCO$_3$ and three times with brine. The recovered organic phase is dried with Na$_2$SO$_4$, followed by reduced pressure, and finally the desired product (Boc-4-F-LPhe-CME) is obtained. The product (Boc-4-F-LPhe-CME) in 3 mL of DCM was mixed with TFA (2 mL) and Triisopropylhydrosilane (671 μL, 3.28 mmol), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT

for 3 h. After the reaction, it is directly concentrated under reduced pressure, and dissolved with AcOEt to remove TFA. Finally, the resultant crude was purified by reverse-phase HPLC using 0.1% TFA aqueous solution/0.1% TFA containing acetonitrile as mobile phase to give the pure desired compound (4-F-^{L}Phe-CME).
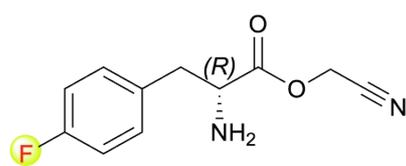

4-F-^{L}Phe-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 8.67 (s, 2H), 7.33 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 5.10 (d, J = 1.8 Hz, 2H), 4.45 (dd, J = 7.4, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.19 – 3.09 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 168.09, 161.52 (d, J =243.3 Hz), 131.39 (d, J =8.2 Hz), 130.32 (d, J =3.1 Hz), 115.42, 115.28, 115.06, 52.87, 50.06, 34.81. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ -115.32 – -115.37 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{11}H_{11}FN_2O_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 223.09, found: 222.30.

(4) Synthesis of 4-F-^{D}Phe-CME

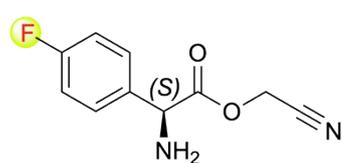4-F-^{D}Phe-CME was synthesized by the same procedures as 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME.

4-F-^{D}Phe-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 8.61 (s, 2H), 7.33 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 5.10 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 4.48 – 4.43 (m, 1H), 3.13 (qd, J = 14.2, 6.8 Hz, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 168.10, 161.52 (d, J =243.5 Hz), 131.39 (d, J =8.2 Hz), 130.29 (d, J =3.1 Hz), 115.42, 115.28, 115.06, 52.85, 50.08, 34.80. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ -115.30 – -115.35 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{11}H_{11}FN_2O_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 223.09, found: 222.53.

(5) Synthesis of 4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME

4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME was synthesized by the same procedures as 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME.

4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 8.75 (s, 2H), 7.61 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 5.48 (s, 1H), 5.19 – 5.11 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 168.98, 163.65 (d, J =247.0 Hz), 131.68 (d, J =8.7 Hz), 129.66 (d, J =3.1 Hz), 117.12, 116.97, 116.17, 55.49, 51.49. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ -111.46 – -111.51 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{10}H_9FN_2O_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 209.07, found: 208.11.

(6) Synthesis of 4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME

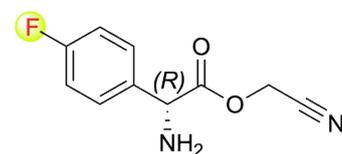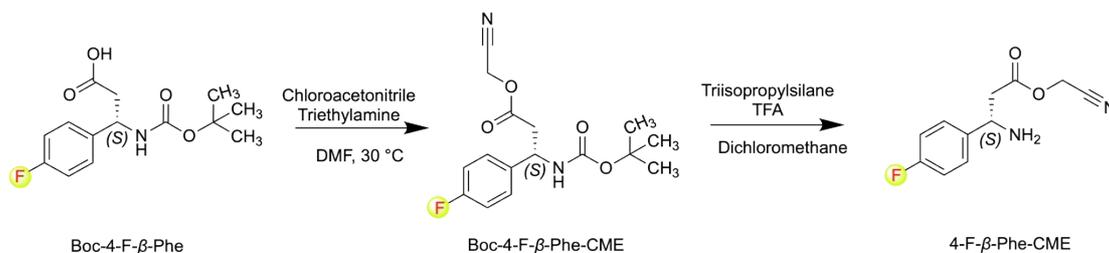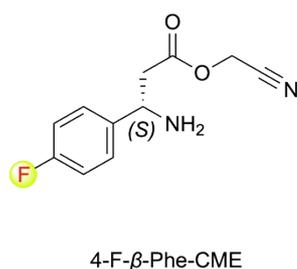4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME was synthesized by the same procedures as 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME.

4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 9.20 (s, 2H), 7.62 – 7.55 (m,

2H), 7.39 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 5.53 (s, 1H), 5.20 – 5.12 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 168.01, 163.23 (d, J =247.1 Hz), 131.43 (d, J =8.7 Hz), 128.59 (d, J =3.0 Hz), 116.63, 116.49, 115.66, 54.71, 51.07. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -111.33 – -111.38 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{10}H_9FN_2O_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 209.07, found: 208.16.

(7) Synthesis of 4-F-*β*-Phe-CME

Boc-4-F-*β*-Phe → Boc-4-F-*β*-Phe-CME → 4-F-*β*-Phe-CME

A mixture of Boc-4-F-*β*-Phe (200 mg, 0.706 mmol), triethylamine (98 μL, 0.78 mmol) and chloroacetonitrile (0.4 mL) in 4 mL of DMF was stirred at 30 °C for overnight. After the reaction is complete, AcOEt is added to the reaction solution, and the organic phase is washed three times with 1M HCl solution, three times with saturated NaHCO$_3$ and three times with brine. The recovered organic phase is dried with Na$_2$SO$_4$, followed by reduced pressure, and finally the desired product (Boc-4-F-*β*-Phe-CME) is obtained. The product (Boc-4-F-*β*-Phe-CME) in 3 mL of DCM was mixed with TFA (2 mL) and Triisopropylhydrosilane (434 μL, 2.12 mmol), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT for 3 h. After the reaction, it is directly concentrated under reduced pressure, and dissolved with AcOEt to remove TFA. Finally, the resultant crude was purified by reverse-phase HPLC using 0.1% TFA aqueous solution/0.1% TFA containing acetonitrile as mobile phase to give the pure desired compound (4-F-*β*-Phe-CME).

4-F-*β*-Phe-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.47 (s, 2H), 7.62 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.33 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 4.94 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 2H), 4.70 (dd, J = 8.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.23 – 3.08 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 169.18, 163.25 (d, J =245.7 Hz), 133.57 (d, J =3.2 Hz), 130.87 (d, J =8.6 Hz), 116.69, 116.55, 116.54, 50.80, 50.34, 38.82. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -112.69 – -112.74 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{11}H_{11}FN_2O_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 223.09, found: 222.33.

(8) Synthesis of 2F-^{L}Phe-CME

2F-^{L}Phe-CME was synthesized by the same procedures as 4-F-*β*-Phe-CME.

2F-^{L}Phe-CME

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.73 (s, 2H), 7.43 – 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.15 – 7.12 (m, 1H), 5.12 (s, 2H), 4.49 (t, J = 6.8 Hz,

1H), 3.20 – 3.15 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 168.49, 150.38 (dd, J =12.5 Hz), 148.76 (dd, J =12.9 Hz), 132.53 (dd, J =3.5 Hz), 127.05 (dd, J =3.3 Hz), 119.22 (d, J =17.3 Hz), 118.07 (d, J =16.9 Hz), 115.67, 53.11, 50.71, 35.05. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -138.50 – -138.57 (m), -140.80 – -140.88 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for C$_{11}$H$_{10}$F$_2$N$_2$O$_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 241.08, found: 240.62.

(9) Synthesis of 4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME

4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME

4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME was synthesized by the same procedures as 4-F-β-Phe-CME. ^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.89 – 8.66 (m, 2H), 7.71 (dd, J = 8.1, 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.53 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 5.11 (d, J = 1.1 Hz, 2H), 4.64 – 4.47 (m, 1H), 3.27 (qd, J = 14.3, 6.9 Hz, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 168.50, 139.80, 130.93, 130.90, 128.55 (q, J =31.7 Hz), 125.93 (q, J =3.5 Hz), 124.75 (q, J =272.6 Hz), 115.63, 53.29, 50.73, 35.77. ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -60.95. ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for C$_{12}$H$_{11}$F$_3$N$_2$O$_2$ [M+H]$^+$: 273.09, found: 273.15.

(10) Synthesis of 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE

Boc-2F-^{L}Pro   Boc-2F-^{L}Pro-DBE   2F-^{L}Pro-DBE

2F-^{L}Pro, *cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro and *trans*-4-F-^{L}Pro were preactivated as the 3,5-dinitrobenzyl ester forms. A mixture of Boc-2F-^{L}Pro (200 mg, 0.8 mmol), triethylamine (111 μL, 0.88 mmol) and 1-(Chloromethyl)-3,5-dinitrobenzene (345 mg, 1.6 mmol) in 4 mL of DMF was stirred at 30 °C for overnight. After the reaction is complete, AcOEt is added to the reaction solution, and the organic phase is washed three times with 1M HCl solution, three times with saturated NaHCO$_3$ and three times with brine. The recovered organic phase is dried with Na$_2$SO$_4$, followed by reduced pressure, and finally the desired product (Boc-2F-^{L}Pro-DBE) is obtained. The product (Boc-2F-^{L}Pro-DBE) in 3 mL of DCM was mixed with TFA (2 mL) and Triisopropylhydrosilane (489 μL, 2.39 mmol), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT for 3 h. After the reaction, it is directly concentrated under reduced pressure, and dissolved with AcOEt to remove TFA. Finally, the resultant crude was purified by reverse-phase HPLC using 0.1% TFA aqueous solution/0.1% TFA containing acetonitrile as mobile phase to give the pure desired compound (2F-^{L}Pro-DBE).
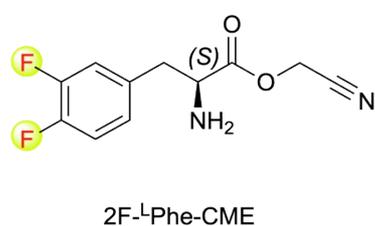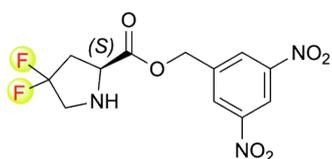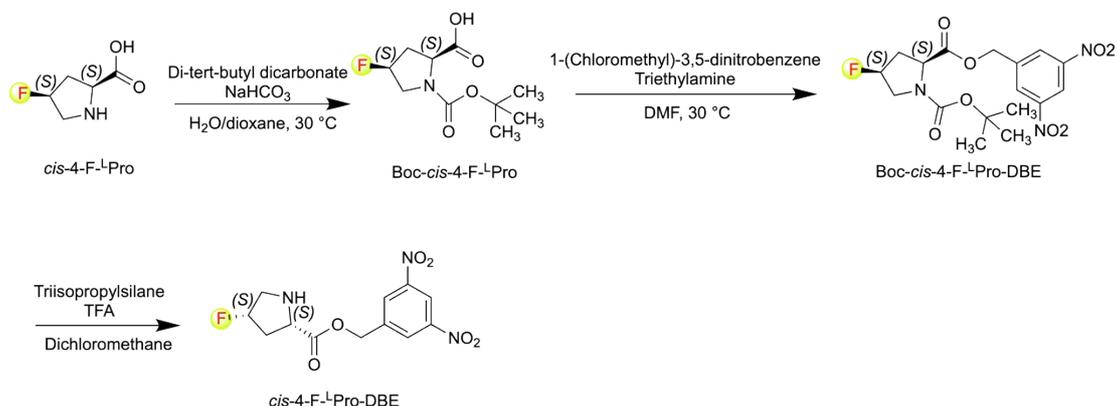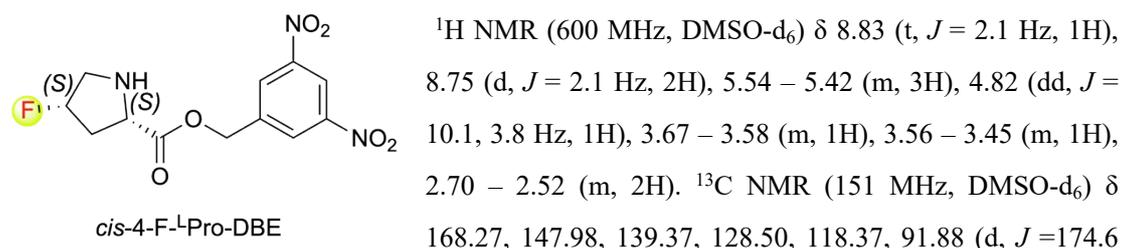

2F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.83 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 8.77 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 2H), 5.52 (s, 2H), 4.90 (t, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 3.82 –

3.68 (m, 2H), 2.97 – 2.76 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 166.95, 147.98, 139.27, 128.52, 127.23 (t, J =248.6 Hz), 118.38, 65.32, 56.67 (t, J =3.8 Hz), 50.73 (t, J =33.4 Hz), 36.03 (t, J =25.6 Hz). ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -95.48 – -95.57 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for C$_{12}$H$_{11}$F$_2$N$_3$O$_6$ [M+H]$^+$: 332.07, found: 332.03.
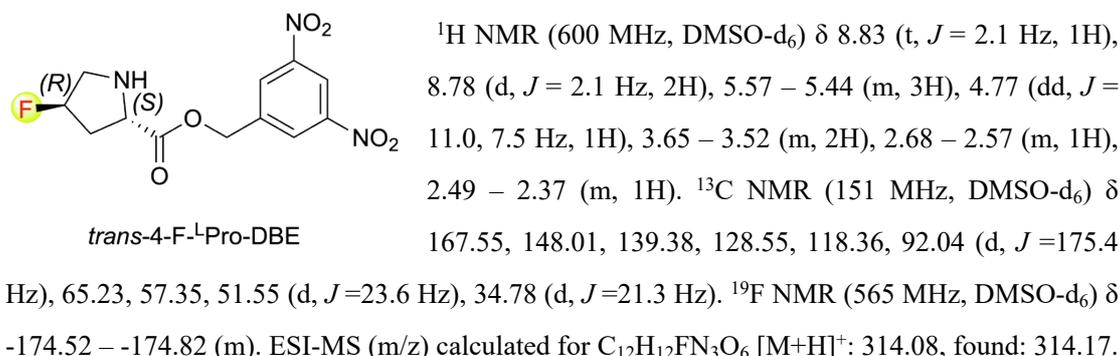
(11) Synthesis of *cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

A mixture of *cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro (150 mg, 1.13 mmol), Di-tert-butyl dicarbonate (492 mg, 2.25 mmol) and NaHCO$_3$ (284 mg, 3.38 mmol) in 3 mL of 50% 1,4-dioxane was stirred at 30°C for 6 h. The mixture was acidified at pH 2.0~3.0 by 1M HCl followed by extraction with AcOEt, and the combined organic layer was washed with brine thrice. The organic layer was dried over Na$_2$SO$_4$ ，concentrated under reduced pressure and vacuum drying for 1 hour. Then, the product (Boc-*cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro) and 1-(Chloromethyl)-3,5-dinitrobenzene (488 mg, 2.25 mmol) in 3 mL of DMF was mixed with triethylamine (172 μL, 1.24 mmol), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at 30 °C for overnight. After the reaction is complete, AcOEt is added to the reaction solution, and the organic phase is washed three times with 1M HCl solution, three times with saturated NaHCO$_3$ and three times with brine. The recovered organic phase is dried with Na$_2$SO$_4$, followed by reduced pressure, and finally the desired product (Boc-*cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro) is obtained. The product (Boc-*cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro) in 3 mL of DCM was mixed with TFA (2 mL) and Triisopropylhydrosilane (671 μL, 3.28 mmol), and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT for 3 h. After the reaction, it is directly concentrated under reduced pressure, and dissolved with AcOEt to remove TFA. Finally, the resultant crude was purified by reverse-phase HPLC using 0.1% TFA aqueous solution/0.1% TFA containing acetonitrile as mobile phase to give the pure desired compound (*cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE).

cis-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.83 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 8.75 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.54 – 5.42 (m, 3H), 4.82 (dd, J = 10.1, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.67 – 3.58 (m, 1H), 3.56 – 3.45 (m, 1H), 2.70 – 2.52 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 168.27, 147.98, 139.37, 128.50, 118.37, 91.88 (d, J =174.6

Hz), 65.35, 57.58, 51.70 (d, J =23.5 Hz), 35.28 (d, J =21.6 Hz). ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -173.03 – -173.33 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{12}H_{12}FN_3O_6$ [M+H]$^+$: 314.08, found: 314.18.

(12) Synthesis of *trans*-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

trans-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE was synthesized by the same procedures as *cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro.

trans-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{1}H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 8.83 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 8.78 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.57 – 5.44 (m, 3H), 4.77 (dd, J = 11.0, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.65 – 3.52 (m, 2H), 2.68 – 2.57 (m, 1H), 2.49 – 2.37 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ 167.55, 148.01, 139.38, 128.55, 118.36, 92.04 (d, J =175.4 Hz), 65.23, 57.35, 51.55 (d, J =23.6 Hz), 34.78 (d, J =21.3 Hz). ^{19}F NMR (565 MHz, DMSO-d$_6$) δ -174.52 – -174.82 (m). ESI-MS (m/z) calculated for $C_{12}H_{12}FN_3O_6$ [M+H]$^+$: 314.08, found: 314.17.

Aminoacylation of tRNA and microhelix RNA

tRNA$^{fMet}_{CAU}$, tRNA$^{Asn-E2}_{CAU}$, tRNA$^{Pro1E2}_{CAU}$, microhelix RNA and flexizyme (eFx and dFx) used in this study were synthesized using the same procedure as previously described.[1-4] For the reaction of aminoacylation, the mixtures was allowed to incubate on ice for the optimized time, which containing 50 mM HEPES–KOH (pH 7.5), 600 mM MgCl$_2$, 20% DMSO, 25 μM dFx or eFx, 25 μM tRNA, and 5 mM activated amino acid. eFx was used for ClAc-4-F-^{L}Phe-CME, ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe-CME, 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME, 4-F-^{D}Phe-CME, 4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME, 4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME, 2F-^{L}Phe-CME, 4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME and 4-F-$β$-Phe-CME. dFx was used for 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE, *cis*-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE and *trans*-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE. The reaction time was 12 h for 4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME, 4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME and 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE, and 2 h for the other fluorinated activated amino acids. After the reaction, the aminoacyl-tRNA or aminoacyl-microhelix RNA was recovered by EtOH precipitation. The aminoacyl-tRNA or aminoacyl-microhelix RNA pellet was rinsed twice with 70% EtOH containing 0.1 M NaOAc (pH 5.2), and once with 70% EtOH. Acid-PAGE analysis of aminoacyl-microhelix RNA with activated fluorinated amino acids. ClAc-^{L}Tyr-CME was used as a positive control, DMSO was used as a negative control. Aminoacylation yields were calculated in light of the band intensity of Microhelix-AA and unreacted microhelix RNA, presented as Microhelix-AA/(Microhelix-AA + Microhelix).

Ribosomal translation of fluorinated amino acids using FIT system

Ribosomal translation was carried out in Met omitting FIT system as previously described.[5] The rP1-rP2 reaction mixtures was performed at 5 μL scale with 1 μM mRNA, 50 μM ClAc-4-F-^{L}Phe-tRNA$^{fMet}_{CAU}$ or ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe-tRNA$^{fMet}_{CAU}$ and incubated at 37 °C for 120 min. The rP3-rP12 reaction mixtures was performed at 5 μL scale with 1 μM mRNA, 50 μM ClAc-4-F-^{L}Phe-

tRNA$^{fMet}_{CAU}$, 50 μM FAA-tRNA$^{Asn-E2}_{CAU}$ or FAA-tRNA$^{Pro1E2}_{CAU}$ and incubated at 37 °C for 120 min. The translation mixture was analyzed by MALDI-TOF MS.

Expression and purification of the BAM complex

The *E. coli* BL21(DE3) cells containing all five Bam proteins (BamA, B, C, D, and E) was obtained from Xinmiao Fu of Fujian Normal University and used for expression and purification. The BL21(DE3) cells plated onto LB-ampicillin agar plates and incubated overnight at 37 °C. A 20 mL culture incubated overnight at 37°C was prepared from a single colony in LB medium supplemented with 100 mg/L of ampicillin. The strain was inoculated into fresh LB liquid medium according to the inoculation ratio of 1:100 and incubated at 37 °C for about 4 hours until the OD$_{600}$ reached about 1.0. The temperature of the incubator was set to 20 °C and then cultured for 1 hour, and 200 uM IPTG was added to induce overnight. First of all, the induced cells were collected by freezing centrifuge 3000 rpm for 30 min, and the collected cells were resuspended with Buffer 1 (20 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 150 mM NaCl), and then crushed low temperature and pressure with a high pressure crusher. The broken cells were centrifuged 1 hour at 4 °C for18000 rpm   by high speed centrifuge. After centrifugation at 4 °C 18000 rpm for 1 hour, and the supernatant was discarded and the cell membrane was collected. The collected cell membranes were resuscitated with Buffer 2 (20 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 300 mM NaCl, 1% DDM) and then dissolved at 4 °C for 2 hours. After dissolving the membrane, the supernatant was collected by high speed centrifuge at 18,000 rpm. The 20 mM imidazole was added to the supernatant and incubated with a 2 mL Ni-NTA sefinose™ resin column for 1 hour. After incubation, 10 column volumes were washed with Buffer 3 (20 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 300 mM NaCl, 0.025%DDM) containing 30 mM and 50 mM imidazole respectively. Then, the protein was eluted with Buffer 3 containing 200 mM imidazole, and the eluted protein was collected. Finally, using the 20-fold molar excess of EZ-Link™ Sulfo-NHS-LC-LC-Biotin for BAM complex, and incubate reaction on ice for 2 hours. After the protein labeling is completed, dialysis is used to purify the labeled protein to remove the remaining unreacted and hydrolyzed biotin reagents.

RaPID selection of macrocyclic peptides against BAM complex

Before the first round of screening, the mRNA template library (AUG-(NNK)$_{8-12}$-UGC-(GGC-AGC)$_3$-UAG) was ligated with puromycin linker (DNA-PEG-CC-Pu, 5'-pCTCCCGCCCCCCGTCC-PEG linker-CC-puromycin-3') with T4 ligase to obtain the mRNA-Pu library. Then, the 1.2 μM mRNA-Pu library was incubated for 120 minutes at 37 °C in RF1 and Met omitted FIT system containing 50 μM ClAc-^{D}Tyr-tRNA$^{fMet}_{CAU}$. After the reaction, the mixture were incubated at 25 °C for 15 minutes, then 5 μL of 100 mM EDTA (pH 8.0) was added to continue incubating at 37 °C for 30 minutes. The mixture was then mixed with a reverse transcription solution include M-MLV reverse transcriptase RNase H negative group，RNase inhibitor, 25 mM Tris-HCl

(pH 8.3), 15 mM Mg(OAc)$_2$, 10 mM KOH, 0.25 mM dNTPs, 2 μM CGS3an13.R39 (5'-TTTCC GCCCC CCGTC CTAGC TGCCG CTGCC GCTGC CGCA-3') and incubated at 42 ℃ for 60 minutes. The obtained mixture was then mixed with the blocking solution (20 mM phosphate pH 7.4, 275 mM NaCl, 5.4 mM KCl, 0.1% Tween 20 and 0.2% acetyl BSA) at 1:1 and incubated at 4 ℃ with BAM complex Dynabeads™ M-280 Streptavidin for 60 minutes (called positive selection). Then, discard the supernatant, wash the beads with PBST (10 mM Phosphate pH 7.4, 137 mM NaCl, 2.7 mM KCl, 0.05% Tween 20) for three times, then add PCR mix containing 0.25 μM T7g10M.F46 (5'-TAATA CGACT CACTA TAGGG TTAAC TTTAA GAAGG AGATA TACAT A-3'), 0.25 μM CGS3an13.R22, heat it at 95℃ for 10 minutes, and elute to get cDNAs. The cDNAs was detected by QuantStudio™ real-time PCR system (Applied Biosystems), then PCR was recovered by Taq DNA polymerase and transcribed *in vitro* to construct a mRNA library rich in BAM complex binding sequences to prepare for the next round of screening. Starting with the second round of screening, six more negative selections were added before positive selections to remove unwanted beads binders. Finally, the cDNAs recovered in the sixth round was deep sequencing using NovaSeq 6000 system (Ilumina).

General procedures for RaPID selection of fluorinated macrocyclic peptides against BAM complex and EphA2

Before the first round of screening, the mRNA template library (AUG-(NNK)$_{5-7}$-AUG-(NNK)$_5$-UGC-(GGC-AGC)$_3$-UAG) was ligated with puromycin linker (DNA-PEG-CC-Pu, 5'-pCTCCCGCCCCCCGTCC-PEG linker-CC-puromycin-3') with T4 ligase to obtain the mRNA-Pu library. Then, the 1.2 μM mRNA-Pu library was incubated for 120 minutes at 37 ℃ in RF1 and Met omitted FIT system containing 50 μM ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe-tRNA$^{fMet}_{CAU}$ and 4-F-^{D}Phe-tRNA$^{Asn-E2}_{CAU}$ (or 2F-^{L}Phe-tRNA$^{Asn-E2}_{CAU}$, 4-F-β-Phe-tRNA$^{Asn-E2}_{CAU}$). After the reaction, the mixture were incubated at 25 ℃ for 15 minutes, then 5 μL of 100 mM EDTA (pH 8.0) was added to continue incubating at 37 ℃ for 30 minutes. The mixture was then mixed with a reverse transcription solution include M-MLV reverse transcriptase RNase H negative group，RNase inhibitor, 25 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.3), 15 mM Mg(OAc)$_2$, 10 mM KOH, 0.25 mM dNTPs, 2 μM CGS3an13.R39 (5'-TTTCC GCCCC CCGTC CTAGC TGCCG CTGCC GCTGC CGCA-3') and incubated at 42 ℃ for 60 minutes. The obtained mixture was then mixed with the blocking solution (20 mM phosphate pH 7.4, 275 mM NaCl, 5.4 mM KCl, 0.1% Tween 20 and 0.2% acetyl BSA) at 1:1 and incubated at 4 ℃ with BAM complex(or EphA2) Dynabeads™ M-280 Streptavidin for 60 minutes (called positive selection). Then, discard the supernatant, wash the beads with PBST (10 mM Phosphate pH 7.4, 137 mM NaCl, 2.7 mM KCl, 0.05% Tween 20) for three times, then add PCR mix containing 0.25 μM T7g10M.F46 (5'-TAATA CGACT CACTA TAGGG TTAAC TTTAA GAAGG AGATA TACAT A-3'), 0.25 μM CGS3an13.R22, heat it at 95 ℃ for 10 minutes, and elute to get cDNAs.

The cDNAs was detected by QuantStudio™ real-time PCR system (Applied Biosystems), then PCR was recovered by phusion® high-fidelity DNA polymerase and transcribed *in vitro* to construct a mRNA library rich in BAM complex(or EphA2) binding sequences to prepare for the next round of screening. Starting with the second round of screening, six more negative selections were added before positive selections to remove unwanted beads binders. Finally, the cDNAs recovered in the sixth(or fifth) round was deep sequencing using NovaSeq 6000 system (Ilumina).

General procedures for solid-phase synthesis of selected peptides

In this study, macrocyclic peptides and fluorinated macrocyclic peptides were synthesized by standard Fmoc solid phase peptide synthesis (SPPS). Firstly, a mixture (0.3 mmol Fmoc-Gly-OH and 0.3 mmol HOBT dissolved in 8 mL DMF and 0.5 mL DIC) was prepared, and 0.5 g Rink Amide MBHA resin was added to the mixture, and then reacted under nitrogen protection for 1.5 h. The resin was filtered and washed at least three times with DMF and DCM, and a deprotective agent (DMF solution containing 20% piperidine) was added to remove the Fmoc protective group. Then a new mixture (0.9 mmol Fmoc-AA-OH and 0.9 mmol HOBT dissolved in 10 mL DMF and 1 mL DIC) was prepared and condensation reaction was carried out under nitrogen protection for 1 hour. By repeating the steps of deprotection and condensation reaction, the desired peptide was finally obtained, and the bromoacetyl group was connected to the *N*-terminal free α-amino group of the resin peptide. Then the peptides were broken down from the resin, precipitated with ether, then dissolved again with DMSO, and then incubated for 1 hour after adjusting the pH value of the solution to 8.0, the macrocyclic peptides and fluorinated macrocyclic peptides containing thioether bonds were obtained. Finally, the pH value was adjusted to 3～4 with TFA and purified by reversed-phase HPLC. The mobile phase was 0.1% TFA aqueous solution / acetonitrile containing 0.1% TFA. The purified macrocyclic peptides and fluorinated macrocyclic peptides were confirmed by electrospray ionization mass spectrometry (ESI-MS).

Binding kinetics analysis by SPR

The binding kinetics between the selected peptides and EphA2 were tested by SPR using a Biacore T200 instrument (GE Healthcare) at 25 °C. In this study, the running buffer was HBS-EP+ buffer (10 mM HEPES-KOH (pH 7.4), 150 mM NaCl, 50 μM EDTA, 0.05% Tween 20) containing 0.1% DMSO. Biotin capture kit (GE Healthcare) was used to fix human EphA2 on the surface of Biacore CAP chip with a density of 1050 RU. Five different concentrations of peptides were injected at the flow rate of 30 μL/min, and their kinetic constants were determined. The binding kinetic was quantified by single cycle kinetic method. Finally, the binding sensorgrams was analyzed by Biacore evaluation software, and the standard 1:1 model was used for fitting.

The binding kinetics between the selected peptides and BAM complex were tested by SPR using

a Biacore T200 instrument (GE Healthcare) at 25 °C. In this study, the running buffer was HBS-EP+ buffer (10 mM HEPES-KOH (pH 7.4), 150 mM NaCl, 50 μM EDTA, 0.05% Tween 20) containing 0.1% DMSO. The Series S Sensor Chip CM5 was used to fix BAM complex on the surface of Biacore CM5 chip with a density of 9500 RU. The binding mode was multi-cycle kinetics (one sample concentration one cycle). Finally, the binding sensorgrams was analyzed by Biacore evaluation software, and the standard 1:1 model was used for fitting.

Preliminary evaluation of the antibacterial activity of macrocyclic peptides against *E. coli* W3110

Remove the previously preserved *E. coli* W3110 cells from the -80 °C refrigerator, scrape a little, inoculate it into 1 mL LB liquid medium, and culture overnight in 37°C shaker. The strain was inoculated into fresh LB liquid medium according to the inoculation ratio of 1:100 and incubated at 37°C until the OD_{600} reached about 0.47～0.53. First, 100 μL *E. coli* W3110 cells was taken, then centrifuged for 2 minutes at 13000 rpm, then the supernatant was absorbed and discarded, and then the cells were resuspended with 100 μL PBS solution, followed by 13000 rpm centrifugation for two minutes. Various macrocyclic peptides were dissolved in DMSO and then diluted to the required concentration. The untreated group was resuspended with 100 μL PBS, and the peptide treatment group was resuspended with 98 μL ddH$_2$O, then 1 μL 100 mM EDTA and 1 μL 5 mM different peptides were added, mixed evenly, and reacted for 5 minutes. After the reaction, the sample volume 4 μL cells was spotted on plates, and the first ten-fold dilution was carried out, and the second to five ten-fold dilution was carried out after mixing. Finally, after all the plates were finished, the plates were put into a 37 °C biochemical incubator for inverted culture overnight. Finally, the plate was scanned and counted.

Without EDTA，the peptide treatment group was resuspended with 99 μL ddH$_2$O, then 1 μL 5 mM different peptides was added, mixed evenly, and reacted for 5 minutes.

Hemolysis assay

Various macrocyclic peptides were dissolved in DMSO and then diluted to the required concentration. The hemolysis assay was carried out with mice blood and diluted ten-fold with 0.9% NaCl to obtain 10% (v/v) red blood cell suspension. First, the red blood cell suspension was centrifuged at 1000 rpm for 15 min, the supernatant was carefully sucked off, and the operation was repeated twice, then resuscitated with 0.9% NaCl, and 200 μL of red blood cell suspension was taken as the untreated group. 2 μL DMSO was added to the negative control group, and 2 μL macrocyclic peptides was added to the experimental treatment group. In the positive control group, the red blood cell suspension was centrifuged at 1000 rpm for 10 min, and the supernatant was absorbed for 200 μL ddH$_2$O. The samples were incubated at 37 °C for 80 min. After the reaction,

the samples were centrifuged at 1000 rpm for 10 min，and take pictures of the pellet after centrifugation. Then, the supernatant from each sample was absorbed into the 96-well plate to ensure that there could be no air bubbles in each hole. The absorbance of the supernatant at the wavelength of 545 nm was measured by microplate reader, and the percentage of hemolysis of each group was calculated.

$$\text{Percentage of hemolysis} = \frac{OD_{treatment} - OD_{Untrated}}{OD_{postive} - OD_{Untreated}} \times 100\%$$

Evaluation of R9-conjugated macrocyclic peptides against Gram-negative pathogens

Remove the previously preserved *E. coli* W3110 cells from the -80 °C refrigerator, scrape a little, inoculate it into 1 mL LB liquid medium, and culture overnight in 37 °C shaker. The strain was inoculated into fresh LB liquid medium according to the inoculation ratio of 1:100 and incubated at 37 °C until the OD_{600} reached about 0.47～0.53. First, 100 μL *E. coli* W3110 cells was taken, then centrifuged for 2 minutes at 13000 rpm, then the supernatant was absorbed and discarded, and then the cells were resuspended with 100 μL PBS solution, followed by 13000 rpm centrifugation for two minutes. Various fluorinated macrocyclic peptides conjugated with R9 were dissolved in DMSO and then diluted to the required concentration. The untreated group was resuspended with 100 μL PBS, and the peptide treatment group was resuspended with 99 μL ddH$_2$O, then 1 μL 0.5 mM different fluorinated macrocyclic peptides conjugated with R9 were added, mixed evenly, and reacted for 15 minutes. After the reaction, the sample volume 4 μL cells was spotted on plates, and the first ten-fold dilution was carried out, and the second to five ten-fold dilution was carried out after mixing. Finally, after all the plates were finished, the plates were put into a 37 °C biochemical incubator for inverted culture overnight. Finally, the plate was scanned and counted. Fluorinated macrocyclic peptides conjugated with R9 against *K. pneumonia* KP-D367 cells, *A. baumannii* Ab6 cells, *S. typhimurium* SL1344 cells, and *P. aeruginosa* PAO1 cells by the same procedures as *E. coli* W3110，the slight difference is that the centrifugation time of *S. typhimurium* SL1344 cells and *P. aeruginosa* PAO1 cells is 3 minutes.

Propidium Iodide (PI) assay

Thaw the previously preserved *E. coli* W3110 cells from the -80 °C freezer. Scrape a small amount and inoculate it into 1 mL of LB liquid medium. Culture overnight in a 37°C shaker. Next day, inoculate the strain into fresh LB liquid medium at a 1:100 ratio and incubate at 37 °C until the OD_{600} reaches approximately 0.47 to 0.53. Take 100 μL of the *E. coli* W3110 cells and centrifuge for 2 min at 13,000 rpm. Discard the supernatant. For the untreated group, resuspend the cells in 100 μL of PBS. For the peptide treatment group, resuspend the cells in 99 μL of ddH$_2$O and add 1

μL of 0.5 mM of the different peptides. Mix thoroughly and let react for 15 min. After the treatment, take 80 μL of each sample and incubate with PI at a final concentration of 25 μg/mL for 15 min. After incubation, wash the samples with the same amount of PBS, centrifuge, and resuspend at a 10-fold concentration. Observe the images using a Nikon Eclipse Ci-L Plus microscope.

Protein leakage assay

Thaw the previously preserved *E. coli* W3110 cells from the -80 °C freezer. Scrape a small amount and inoculate it into 1 mL of LB liquid medium. Incubate overnight in a 37°C shaker. Next day, transfer the culture to fresh LB liquid medium at a 1:100 inoculation ratio and incubate at 37 °C until the OD_{600} reaches approximately 0.47 to 0.53. Collect 300 μL of the *E. coli* W3110 cells and centrifuge for 2 min at 13,000 rpm, discarding the supernatant afterward. Resuspend the untreated group in 300 μL of PBS, and the peptide treatment group in 297 μL of ddH_2O. Add 3 μL of 0.5 mM different peptides to the treatment group, mix well, and allow to react for 15 min. After the treatment, resuspend all samples in 15 μL of 6×SDS loading buffer and 15 μL of 10% SDS. All samples were heated at 99.9°C for 15 min, followed by 10% SDS-PAGE analysis and staining with Coomassie brilliant blue R250.

Scanning electron microscopy

Thaw the previously preserved *E. coli* W3110 cells from the -80°C freezer. Scrape a small amount and inoculate it into 1 mL of LB liquid medium. Incubate overnight in a 37°C shaker. The next day, inoculate the strain into fresh LB liquid medium at a 1:100 ratio and incubate at 37°C until the OD_{600} reaches approximately 0.47 to 0.53. Take 500 μL of *E. coli* W3110 cells, centrifuge for 10 min at 4000 rpm, and discard the supernatant. Resuspend the cells in 500 μL of PBS, then centrifuge again at 4000 rpm for 10 min and discard the supernatant. Dissolve various macrocyclic peptides in DMSO and dilute to the required concentration. Resuspend the untreated group in 500 μL of PBS. For the peptide treatment group, resuspend in 495 μL of ddH_2O, add 5 μL of 0.2 mM or 0.5 mM peptides, mix well, and let react for 4 h.

After the treament, spot 4 μL of the sample on plates. Perform the first ten-fold dilution and mix, then continue with the second to fifth ten-fold dilutions. Incubate the plates inverted overnight in a 37°C incubator. Scan and count the colonies. For the remaining 492 μL, centrifuge at 6100g for 10 min, discard the supernatant, add 500 μL of ddH_2O, and let it stand for 15 min. Centrifuge again at 6100g for 10 min, discard the supernatant, and add 500 μL of ddH_2O containing 2.5% glutaraldehyde. Resuspend and fix the cells overnight at 4°C. Centrifuge at 6100g for 10 min, remove the supernatant, and wash twice with ddH_2O, letting it stand for 15 min each time, followed by centrifugation at 6100g for 10 min. Discard the supernatant. Dehydrate the sample with ethanol at concentration gradients of 30%, 60%, and 90%, without resuspension, centrifuging at 6100g for

10 min and discarding the supernatant after each step. Finally, use 100% ethanol, rest for 15 min, centrifuge at 6100g for 10 min, discard the supernatant, and repeat with 100% ethanol, leaving about 10 μL. Then the critical point was dried and sprayed with gold, and the images were observed by Quanta 250 FEG.

Prediction of binding sites between peptides and the BAM complex

Firstly, the fpocket algorithm was used, a rapid method for pocket prediction based on the three-dimensional structure of BAM complex (PDB ID: 5AYW). This method establishes a grid surrounding the protein, positioning alpha spheres on grid points devoid of spatial conflicts with protein atoms, subsequently utilizing a clustering algorithm to ascertain whether these regions constitute potential binding pockets. Alpha spheres were designated with radii ranging from 3.4Å to 6.2Å, with a prerequisite of at least 15 alpha spheres for a region to be considered a pocket. The method employs pairwise single linkage clustering with a Euclidean distance metric.

Secondly, PointSite was utilized for the prediction of potential binding sites within the BAM structure. Similar to fpocket, PointSite relies exclusively on the structural integrity of protein, independent of ligand data. PointSite was executed using the default parameter (voting number 25) to ascertain each amino acid's propensity to constitute a pocket. Utilizing these assessments, pockets identified by P2Rank—a separate program designed for the prediction of ligand-binding pockets—were re-ranked, selecting the top three based on their average scores.

Lastly, the application of the PepNN algorithm, a deep attention model formulated for the identification of peptide binding sites, facilitated the incorporation of macrocyclic peptide data in evaluating potential binding sites on BAM complex. Macrocyclic peptides were segmented at non-standard sites into multiple fragments, each containing solely standard amino acids (Table S1). PepNN evaluated each amino acid for its potentiality as a peptide binding site. An average of the scores for all fragments associated with the same cyclic peptide was computed to derive the final predictive outcomes.

Supplementary Data

Figure S1 | Acid-PAGE analysis of aminoacylation of microhelix RNA with CME-activated fluorinated amino acids and DBE-activated fluorinated amino acids under the same reaction conditions that 50 mM HEPES-KOH (pH 7.5), 2 h. Arrows indicate the positions of flexizyme (eFx or dFx), aminoacyl-microhelix RNA (Microhelix-AA), and unreacted microhelix RNA (Microhelix). ClAc-^{L}Tyr-CME was used as a positive control, DMSO was used as a negative control. The result shows that the efficiency of charging of 4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME, 4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME and 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE onto RNA was low.

Figure S2 | Acid-PAGE analysis of aminoacylation of microhelix RNA with CME-activated fluorinated amino acids and DBE-activated fluorinated amino acids under various reaction pH. Arrows indicate the positions of flexizyme (eFx or dFx), aminoacyl-microhelix RNA (Microhelix-AA), and unreacted microhelix RNA (Microhelix). ClAc-^{L}Tyr-CME was used as a positive control, DMSO was used as a negative control. The experiments demonstrate that the optimal reaction conditions of 4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME, 4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME and 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE are 50 mM HEPES-KOH (pH 7.5), 12 h.

Figure S3 | RaPID selections against EphA2 using fluorinated macrocyclic peptides library. The ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe was assigned to the initiator AUG codon, and 2F-^{L}Phe was assigned to the elongator AUG codon. The recovery of cDNAs were quantitatively determined by real-time PCR and were shown on the figure (orange bars: cDNAs eluted from EphA2 immobilized beads; magenta bars: cDNAs eluted from beads). The recovery ratio was defined as the ratio of recovered cDNAs amount from EphA2 immobilized beads (orange) or magnetic beads-only (magenta) to the amount of the input mRNA/cDNA-peptide fusion. Negative selection was not performed at the 1st round. The sequence of cDNA library was analyzed at the end of the 5th round of selection

Figure S4 | SPR results of the Ep-F2-M2. Five different concentrations (Ep-F2-M2: 0.5, 1.0, 2.5, 5, 10 nM) were injected for SPR measurements. The K_D value of Ep-F2-M2 was determined to be 0.29 nM.

Figure S5 | RaPID selections against the BAM complex using fluorinated macrocyclic peptides library. The ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe was assigned to the initiator AUG codon, and 4-F-^{D}Phe was assigned to the elongator AUG codon. The recovery of cDNAs were quantitatively determined by real-time PCR and were shown on the figure (orange bars: cDNAs eluted from BAM complex immobilized beads; magenta bars: cDNAs eluted from beads). The recovery ratio was defined as the ratio of recovered cDNAs amount from BAM complex immobilized beads (orange) or magnetic beads-only (magenta) to the amount of the input mRNA/cDNA-peptide fusion. Negative selection was not performed at the 1st round. The sequence of cDNA library was analysed at the end of the 6th round of selection.

Figure S6 | RaPID selections against the BAM complex using fluorinated macrocyclic peptides library. The ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe was assigned to the initiator AUG codon, and 4-F-β-Phe was assigned to the elongator AUG codon. The recovery of cDNAs were quantitatively determined by real-time PCR and were shown on the figure (orange bars: cDNAs eluted from BAM complex immobilized beads; magenta bars: cDNAs eluted from beads). The recovery ratio was defined as the ratio of recovered cDNAs amount from BAM complex immobilized beads (orange) or magnetic beads-only (magenta) to the amount of the input mRNA/cDNA-peptide fusion. Negative selection was not performed at the 1st round. The sequence of cDNA library was analyzed at the end of the 6th round of selection.

Figure S7 | Results of macrocyclic peptides and fluorinated macrocyclic peptide against *E. coli* W3110. (A) Survival of *E. coli* W3110 cells in logarithmic-phase following a 5 min treatment with 50 μM peptides. (B) Survival of *E. coli* W3110 cells in logarithmic-phase following a 5 min treatment with 50 μM peptides plus 1 mM EDTA.

Figure S8 | Hemolysis activity of macrocyclic peptides and CPP-conjugated peptides toward RBCs (mean ± SD, n=3). (A) Hemolysis activity of BAM-D1, BAM-f2 and BAM-β3 toward RBCs. (B) Hemolysis activity of R9, BAM-D1-R9, BAM-f2-R9 and BAM-β3-R9 toward RBCs. No significance (ns) indicates a P-value between macrocyclic peptide treatment and DMSO treatment.

Figure S9 | SPR sensorgrams of macrocyclic peptides targeting BAM complex. SPR sensorgram of (A) BAM-D1, (B) BAM-f2 and (C) BAM-*β*3. The peptides sequences and the kinetics constants are shown in Table S1.

Table S1 | Binding properties of macrocyclic peptides to BAM complex.

Peptide	Sequence	k_a ($\times 10^4$ M^{-1}s^{-1})	k_d ($\times 10^{-3}$ s^{-1})	K_D (nM)
BAM-D1	Ac-^{D}YLIWYSRSHPFRVCG-NH$_2$ (S)	0.43	3.30	763.0
BAM-f2	Ac-(4-F-^{D}Phe)IWHKSLT(4-F-^{D}Phe)NYLHTCG-NH$_2$ (S)	0.90	6.80	754.9
BAM-*β*3	Ac-(4-F-^{D}Phe)KHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH$_2$ (S)	2.54	11.52	453.4

The values of k_a, k_d, and K_D were determined by SPR.

Figure S10 | The result of protein leakage assay. (A) Bacterial precipitation after treatment and centrifugation. (B) The SDS-PAGE of bacterial precipitation.

Figure S11 | The result of dot board corresponding to SEM. (A) Treatment group with final concentration of 2 μM. (B) Treatment group with final concentration of 5 μM.

Figure S12 | The predicted binding pockets of fluorinated macrocyclic peptides with BAM complex (PDB ID: 5AYW). BamA is illustrated as a green surface model, while BamB is depicted as a cyan surface model. (A) Predictions made by the PointSite algorithm are represented by orange spheres. (B) Predictions by the PepNN algorithm are shown as red sticks. (C) Predictions from the Fpocket algorithm are visualized as a blue mesh.

Table S2 | The sequence of peptide fragments used to predict the interaction sites of BAM-D1, BAM-f2 and BAM-β3 with BAM complex.

peptide fragments	sequence
BAM-D1-r1-7	LIWYSRS
BAM-D1-r2-8	IWYSRSH
BAM-D1-r3-9	WYSRSHP
BAM-D1-r4-10	YSRSHPF
BAM-D1-r5-11	SRSHPFR
BAM-D1-r6-12	RSHPFRV
BAM-D1-r7-13	SHPFRVC
BAM-f2-r1-7	IWHKSLT
BAM-f2-r9-15	NYLHTCG
BAM-β3-r1-5	KHFIY
BAM-β3-r7-13	YRSPICG

Figure S13 | RaPID selections against the BAM complex using macrocyclic peptides library. The ClAc-^{D}Tyr was assigned to the initiator AUG codon. The recovery of cDNAs were quantitatively determined by real-time PCR and were shown on the figure (orange bars: cDNAs eluted from BAM complex immobilized beads; magenta bars: cDNAs eluted from beads). The recovery ratio was defined as the ratio of recovered cDNAs amount from BAM complex immobilized beads (orange) or magnetic beads-only (magenta) to the amount of the input mRNA/cDNA-peptide fusion. Negative selection was not performed at the 1st round. The sequence of cDNA library was analyzed at the end of the 6th round of selection.

Figure S14 | Selected top 20 fluorinated macrocyclic peptide sequences in consensus with the designed library by targeting EphA2 using the RaPID system. M at the initiation position indicates ClAc-4-F-DPhe while M at the elongation position indicates 2F-LPhe.

Figure S15 | Selected top 20 macrocyclic peptide sequences in consensus with the designed library by targeting the BAM complex using the RaPID system. M at the initiation position indicates ClAc-^{D}Tyr.

Figure S16 | Selected top 20 fluorinated macrocyclic peptide sequences in consensus with the designed library by targeting the BAM complex using the RaPID system. M at the initiation position indicates ClAc-4-F-^{D}Phe while M at the elongation position indicates 4-F-^{D}Phe.

Figure S17 | Selected top 20 fluorinated macrocyclic peptide sequences in consensus with the designed library by targeting the BAM complex using the RaPID system. M at the initiation position indicates ClAc-4-F-$^{\text{D}}$Phe while M at the elongation position indicates 4-F-β-Phe.

NMR spectra of activated fluorinated amino acids

¹H NMR of ClAc-4-F-ᴸPhe-CME

¹³C NMR of ClAc-4-F-ᴸPhe-CME

¹⁹F NMR of ClAc-4-F-^LPhe-CME

¹H NMR of ClAc-4-F-^DPhe-CME

¹³C NMR of ClAc-4-F-^DPhe-CME

¹⁹F NMR of ClAc-4-F-^DPhe-CME

^{1}H NMR of 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME

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7.32
7.31
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7.30
7.30
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7.17
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5.10
5.07
4.46
4.45
4.45
4.44
3.18
3.17
3.16
3.15
3.13
3.12
3.11
3.11
3.10
3.09

Acetonitrile

DMSO

H$_2$O

Triethylamine

Triethylamine

^{13}C NMR of 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME

WJJ2-20210303.10.fid

168.09
162.33
160.71
131.42
131.36
130.33
130.31
115.42
115.28
115.06
52.87
50.06
34.81

DMSO

Sodium trifluoroacetate

Acetonitrile

Sodium trifluoroacetate

Triethylamine

Triethylamine

Acetonitrile

^{19}F NMR of 4-F-^{L}Phe-CME

^{1}H NMR of 4-F-^{D}Phe-CME

^{13}C NMR of 4-F-^{D}Phe-CME

WJJ3-20210303.10.fid

168.10
162.32
160.71
131.41
131.36
130.30
130.28
115.42
115.28
115.06
52.85
50.08
34.80

DMSO

Sodium trifluoroacetate

Acetonitrile

Sodium trifluoroacetate

Triethylamine

Triethylamine

Acetonitrile

f1 (ppm)

^{19}F NMR of 4-F-^{D}Phe-CME

WJJ3-20210303.11.fid

115.30
115.31
115.31
115.32
115.33
115.34
115.35

Sodium trifluoroacetate

f1 (ppm)

¹H NMR of 4-F-ᴸPheGly-CME

¹³C NMR of 4-F-ᴸPheGly-CME

^{19}F NMR of 4-F-^{L}PheGly-CME

WJJ4-20210303.11.fid

111.46
111.47
111.48
111.49
111.50
111.51
111.51

Sodium trifluoroacetate

^{1}H NMR of 4-F-^{D}PheGly-CME

WJJ-9-20210302.10.fid

9.20
7.62
7.61
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7.60
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5.17
5.16
5.15
5.13

DMSO

Triethylamine hydrochloride

Triethylamine hydrochloride

H$_2$O

Triethylamine hydrochloride

2.26
1.84
1.99
0.97
1.75

¹³C NMR of 4-F-^DPheGly-CME

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168.01
164.05
162.41
131.46
131.40
128.60
128.58
116.63
116.49
115.66
54.71
51.07

DMSO

Triethylamine hydrochloride

Triethylamine hydrochloride

f1 (ppm)

¹⁹F NMR of 4-F-^DPheGly-CME

WJJ9-20210303.11.fid

111.33
111.34
111.35
111.36
111.37
111.37
111.38

Sodium trifluoroacetate

f1 (ppm)

^{1}H NMR of 2F-^{L}Phe-CME

^{13}C NMR of 2F-^{L}Phe-CME

^{19}F NMR of 2F-^{L}Phe-CME

^{1}H NMR of 4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME

^{13}C NMR of 4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME

WJJ8-20210303.10.fid

168.50

139.80
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125.89
125.65
123.85
122.05
115.63

53.11
50.73

35.77

DMSO

Sodium trifluoroacetate

Sodium trifluoroacetate

Triethylamine

Triethylamine

f1 (ppm)

^{19}F NMR of 4-CF$_3$-^{L}Phe-CME

WJJ8-20210303.11.fid

-60.95

Sodium trifluoroacetate

f1 (ppm)

¹H NMR of 4-F-β-Phe-CME

¹³C NMR of 4-F-β-Phe-CME

^{19}F NMR of 4-F-β-Phe-CME

WJJ5-20210303.11.fid

112.69
112.69
112.70
112.71
112.72
112.73
112.74

Sodium trifluoroacetate

^{1}H NMR of 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE

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Acetonitrile

DMSO

0.79
1.76
1.96
1.00
2.10
2.22

^{13}C NMR of 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{19}F NMR of 2F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{1}H NMR of cis-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{13}C NMR of cis-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

^{19}F NMR of cis-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

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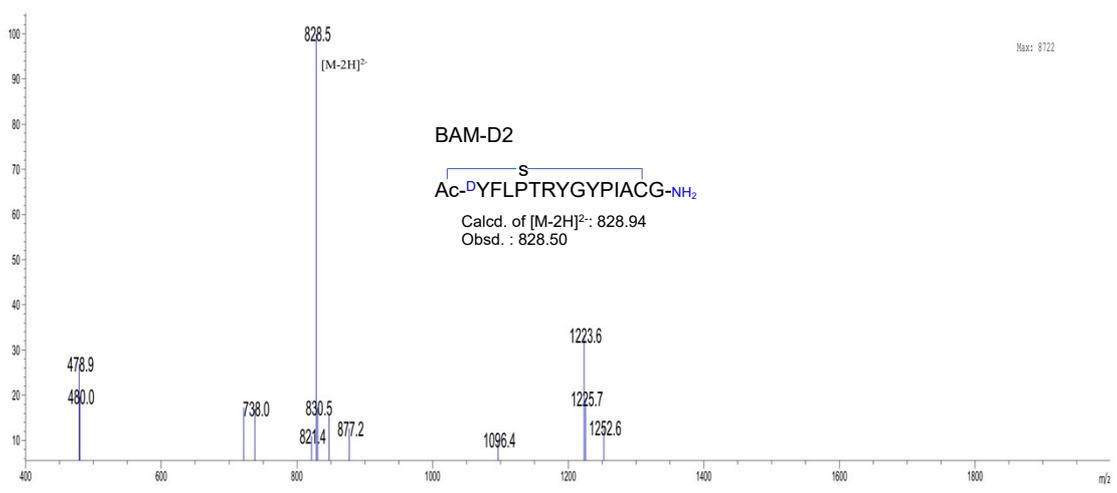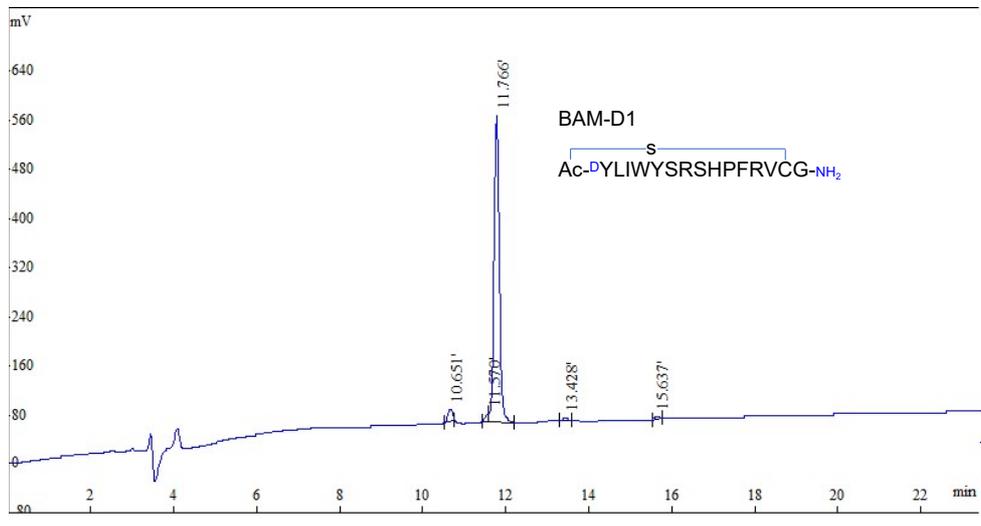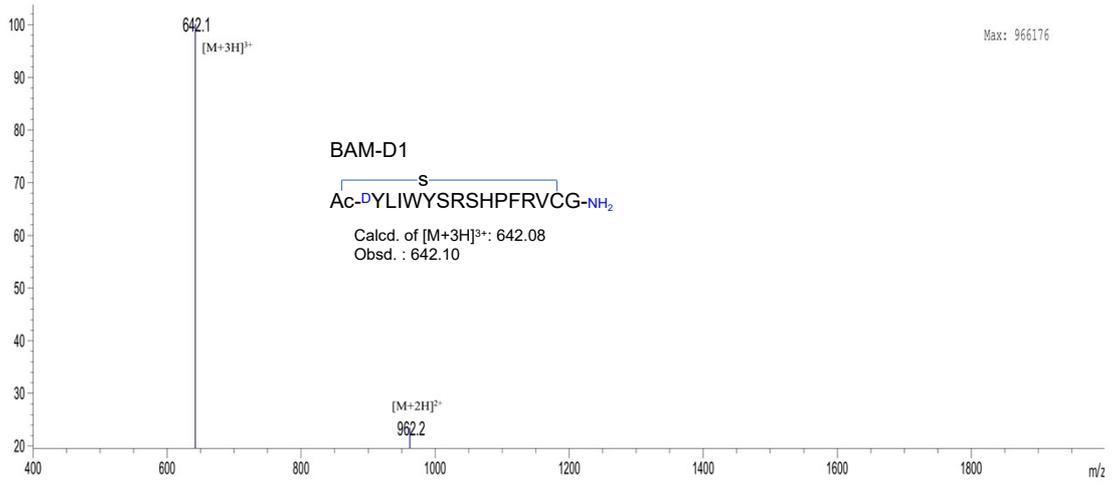173.17
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Sodium trifluoroacetate

f1 (ppm)

^{1}H NMR of trans-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

WJJ-fan-20220218.24.fid

8.84
8.83
8.83
8.88
8.78
8.7
5.55
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2.61
2.60
2.59
2.49
2.48
2.47
2.47
2.42
2.42
2.41
2.40

Acetonitrile

DMSO

Ethyl acetate

Ethyl acetate

Ethyl acetate

0.83
1.81

2.97
1.00
2.01
1.05
1.05

f1 (ppm)

^{13}C NMR of trans-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

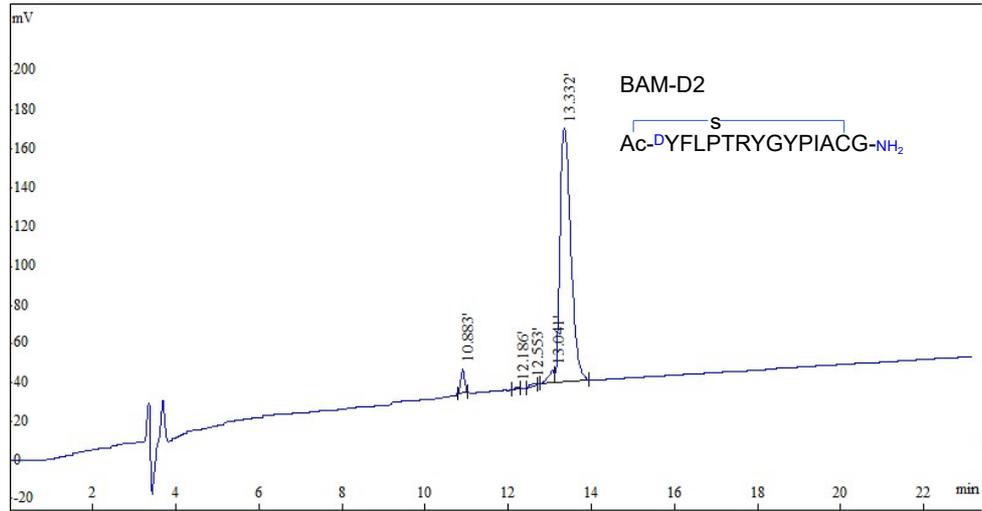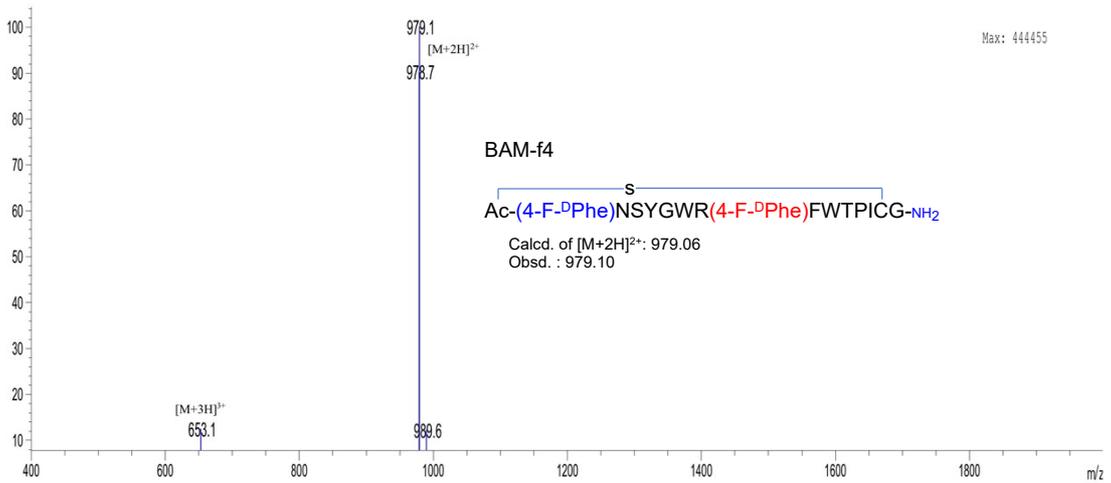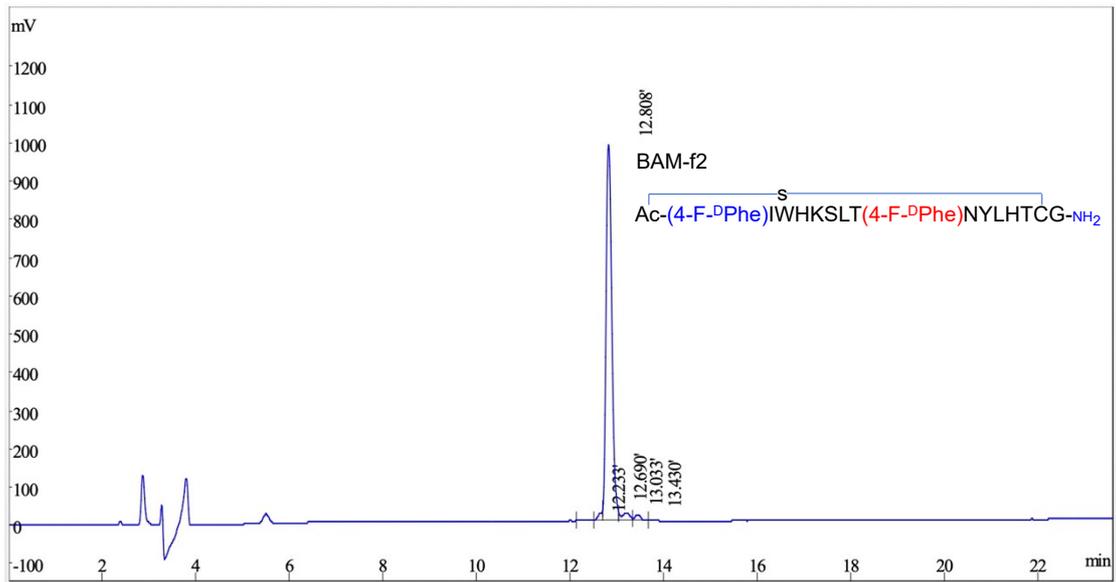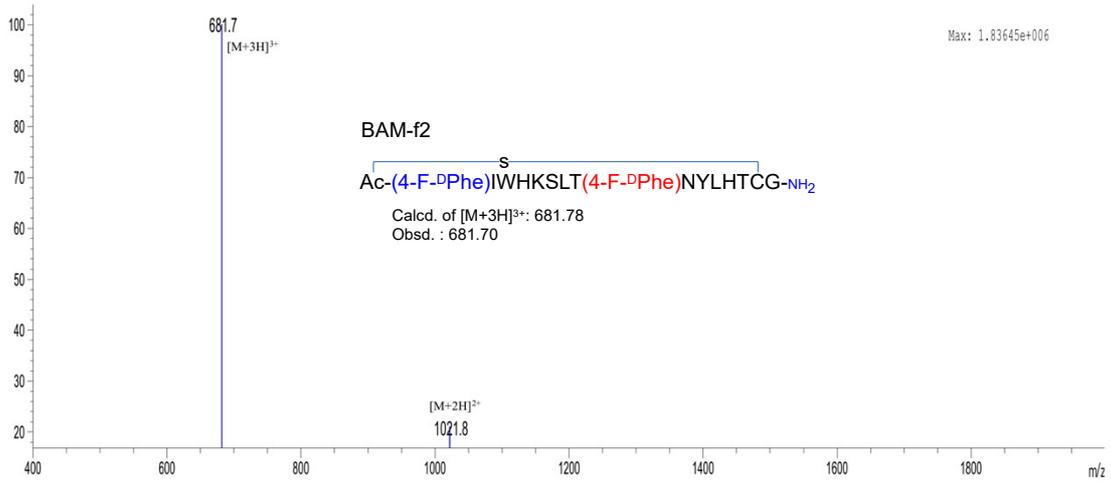### ^{19}F NMR of trans-4-F-^{L}Pro-DBE

Characterization of synthesized macrocyclic peptides by ESI-MS and analytical HPLC (the calculated mass (Calcd.) and observed mass (Obsd.) for peptides are shown in each spectrum).
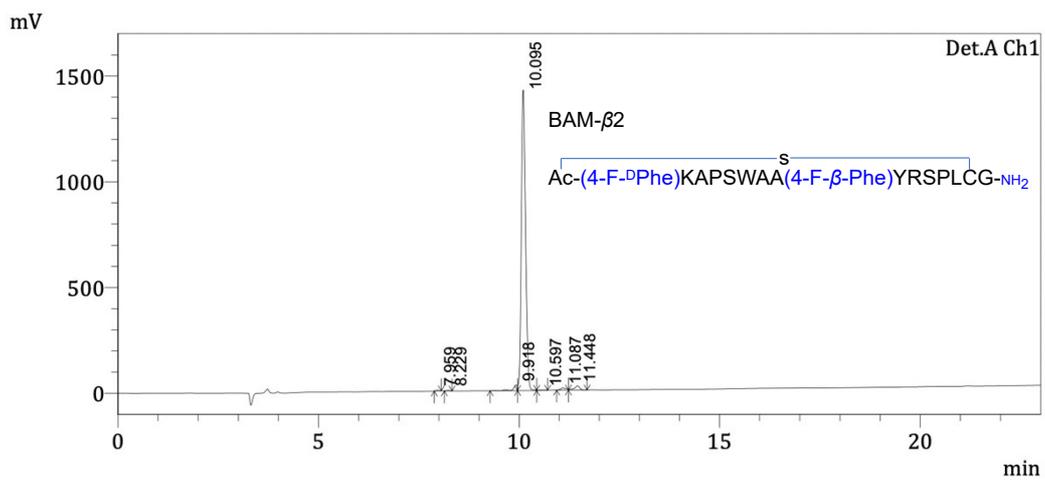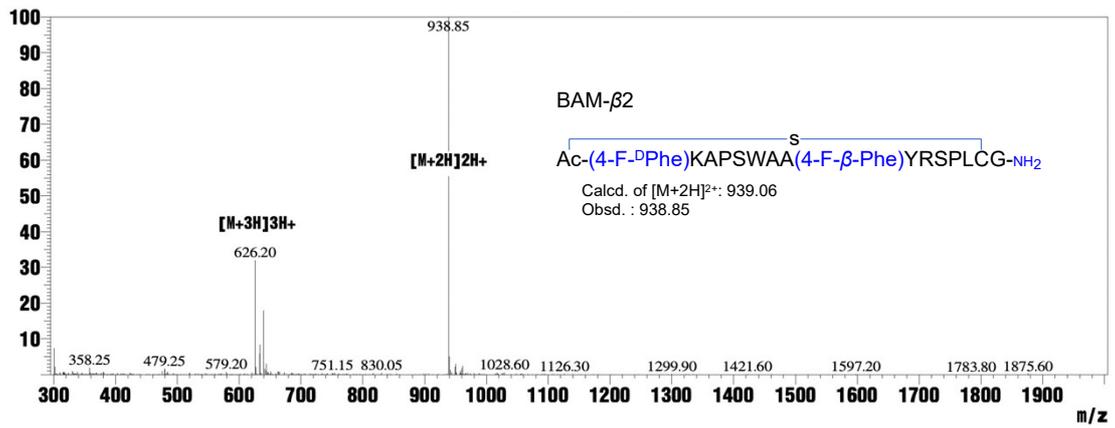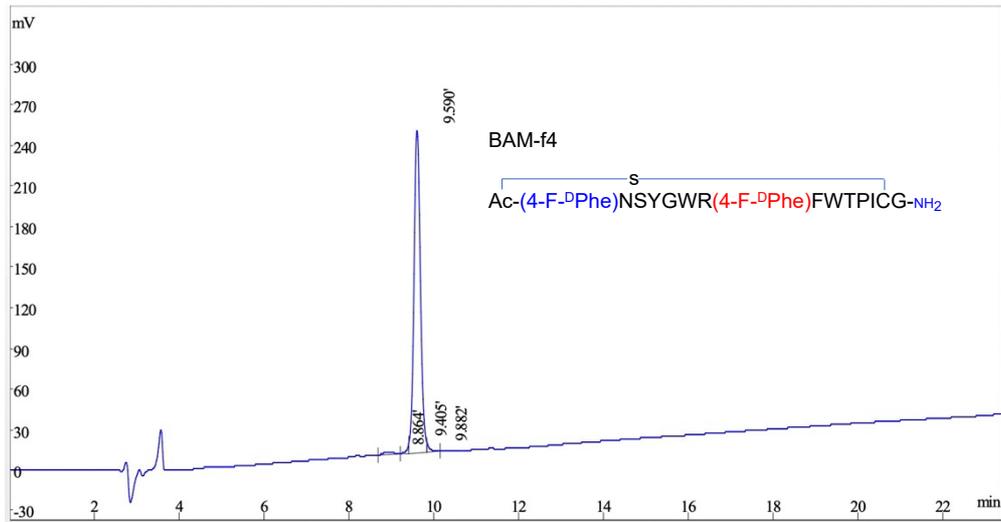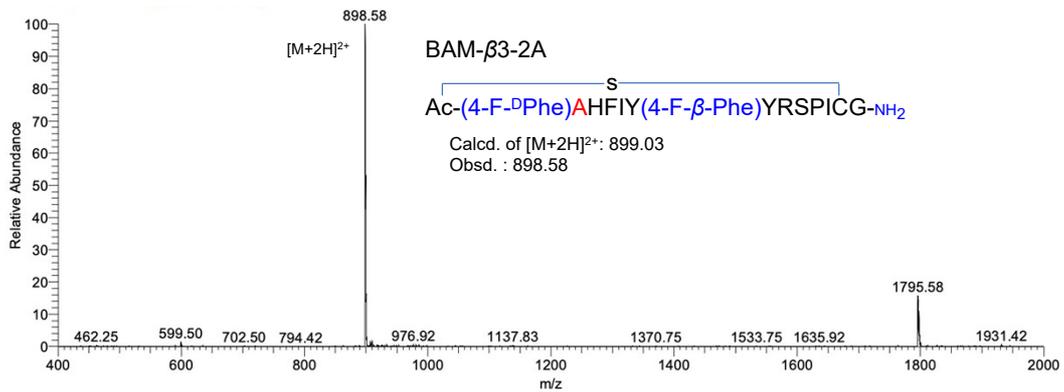
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Ac-(4-F-DPhe) IWYALK(2F-LPhe) TTQRYCG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]2+: 996.13
Obsd. : 996.10

Ep-F1

Ac-(4-F-DPhe) IWYALK(2F-LPhe) TTQRYCG-NH2

Ep-F2

Ac-(4-F-DPhe) HPLYN(2F-LPhe) GCWTKSG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]2+: 875.96
Obsd. : 875.90

Ep-F2

S

Ac-(4-F-^{D}Phe) HPLYN(2F-^{L}Phe) GCWTKSG-$_{NH_2}$

Ep-F2-M2

S

Ac-^{D}FHPLYNFGCWTKSG-$_{NH_2}$

Calcd. of [M+2H]$^{2+}$: 848.97
Obsd. : 848.75

Ep-F2-M2

S

Ac-^{D}FHPLYNFGCWTKSG-$_{NH_2}$

BAM-D1

Ac-^{D}YLIWYSRSHPFRVCG-NH$_2$

Calcd. of [M+3H]$^{3+}$: 642.08
Obsd. : 642.10

BAM-D1

Ac-^{D}YLIWYSRSHPFRVCG-NH$_2$

BAM-D2

Ac-^{D}YFLPTRYGYPIACG-NH$_2$

Calcd. of [M-2H]$^{2-}$: 828.94
Obsd. : 828.50

BAM-D2

Ac-^{D}YFLPTRYGYPIACG-NH$_2$

BAM-D6

Ac-^{D}YSFLFDHYLRPIPCG-NH$_2$

Calcd. of [M+2H]$^{2+}$: 933.96
Obsd. : 934.60

BAM-D6

Ac-^{D}YSFLFDHYLRPIPCG-NH$_2$

BAM-f2

S
Ac-(4-F-DPhe)IWHKSLT(4-F-DPhe)NYLHTCG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+3H]$^{3+}$: 681.78
Obsd. : 681.70

BAM-f2

S
Ac-(4-F-DPhe)IWHKSLT(4-F-DPhe)NYLHTCG-NH2

BAM-f4

S
Ac-(4-F-DPhe)NSYGWR(4-F-DPhe)FWTPICG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]$^{2+}$: 979.06
Obsd. : 979.10

BAM-f4

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)NSYGWR(4-F-^DPhe)FWTPICG-NH₂

BAM-*β2*

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KAPSWAA(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPLCG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 939.06
Obsd. : 938.85

Det.A Ch1

BAM-*β2*

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KAPSWAA(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPLCG-NH₂

BAM-*β*3

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+3H]³⁺: 618.71
Obsd. : 618.65

BAM-*β*3

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

BAM-*β*3-2A

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)AHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 899.03
Obsd. : 898.58

BAM-*β*3-2A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)AHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

BAM-*β*3-3A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KAFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 894.54
Obsd. : 893.92

[M+2H]²⁺
893.92

BAM-*β*3-3A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KAFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

BAM-β3-4A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHAIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 889.53
Obsd. : 889.00

BAM-β3-4A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHAIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

BAM-β3-5A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFAY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 906.54
Obsd. : 905.92

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BAM-*β*3-5A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFAY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH2

BAM-*β*3-6A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIA(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]$^{2+}$: 881.53
Obsd. : 881.17

[M+2H]$^{2+}$

881.17

588.17

1761.83

475.42   718.75   1173.58   1303.92   1439.92   1631.17   1870.92   1970.00

BAM-*β*3-6A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIA(4-F-*β*-Phe)YRSPICG-NH2

BAM-*β*3-8A

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)ARSPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 881.53
Obsd. : 881.08

BAM-*β*3-8A

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)ARSPICG-NH₂

BAM-*β*3-9A

Ac-(4-F-^DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-*β*-Phe)YASPICG-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 885.02
Obsd. : 884.92

BAM-β3-9A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YASPICG-NH2

$[M+2H]^{2+}$

919.50

BAM-β3-10A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRAPICG-NH2

Calcd. of $[M+2H]^{2+}$: 919.58
Obsd. : 919.50

BAM-β3-10A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRAPICG-NH2

BAM-β3-11A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSAICG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 915.05
Obsd. : 914.50

BAM-β3-11A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSAICG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 915.05
Obsd. : 914.50

BAM-β3-12A

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPACG-NH2

Calcd. of [M+2H]²⁺: 907.03
Obsd. : 906.50

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BAM-β3-12A

Ac-(4-F-ᴰPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPACG-NH₂

BAM-D1-R9

Ac-ᴰYLIWYSRSHPFRVCGS(Acp)RRRRRRRRR-NH₂

Calcd. of [M+7H]⁷⁺: 505.17
Obsd. : 505.25

BAM-D1-R9

Ac-ᴰYLIWYSRSHPFRVCGS(Acp)RRRRRRRRR-NH₂

Det.A Ch1

BAM-f2-R9

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)IWHKSLT(4-F-DPhe)NYLHTCGS(Acp)RRRRRRRRR-NH2

Calcd. of [M+7H]$^{7+}$: 522.17
Obsd. : 522.20

BAM-f2-R9

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)IWHKSLT(4-F-DPhe)NYLHTCGS(Acp)RRRRRRRRR-NH2

Det.A Ch1

BAM-β3-R9

Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPICGS(Acp)RRRRRRRRR-NH2

Calcd. of [M+3H]$^{3+}$: 495.12
Obsd. : 495.10

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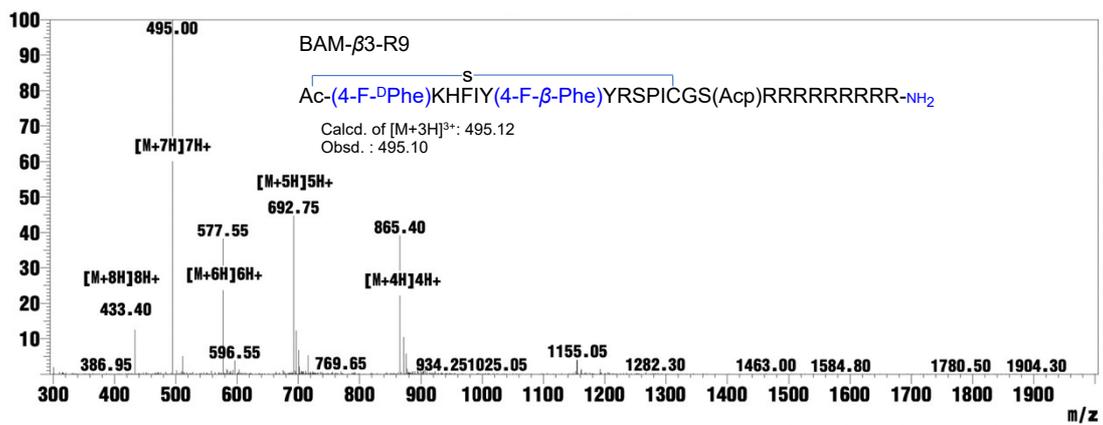BAM-β3-R9

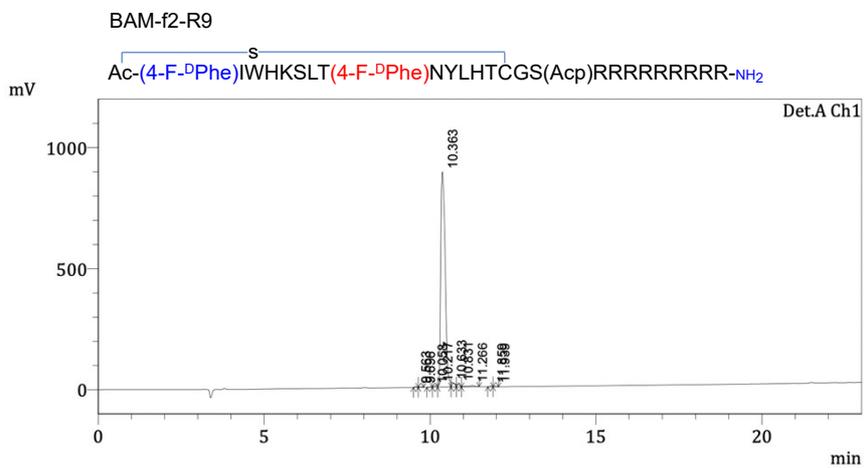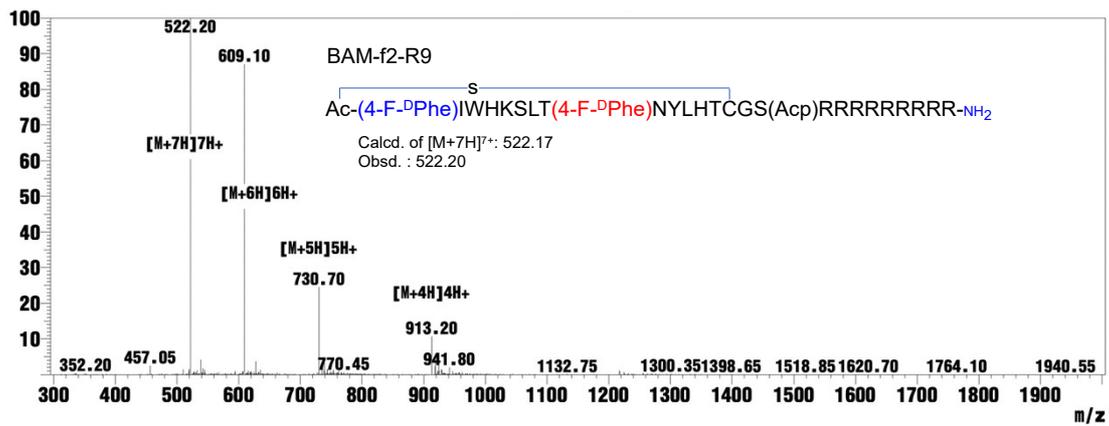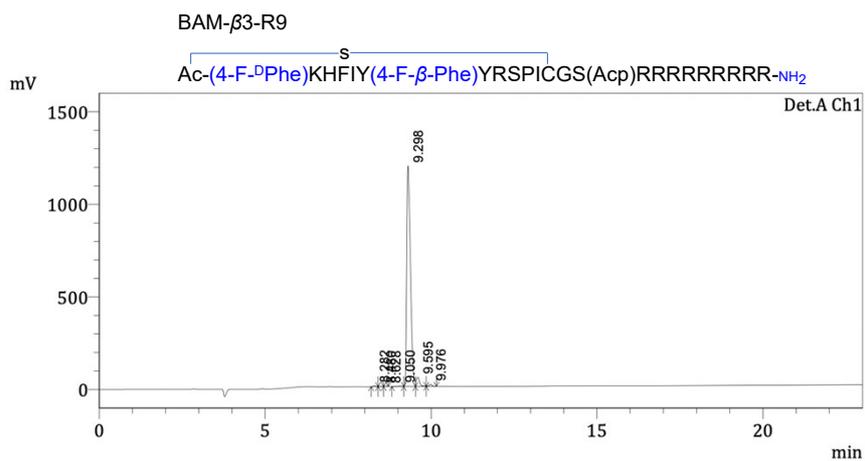Ac-(4-F-DPhe)KHFIY(4-F-β-Phe)YRSPICGS(Acp)RRRRRRRRR-NH2

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