



Hyaluronidase, Hyaluronan and Inflammation Answers from the air pouch

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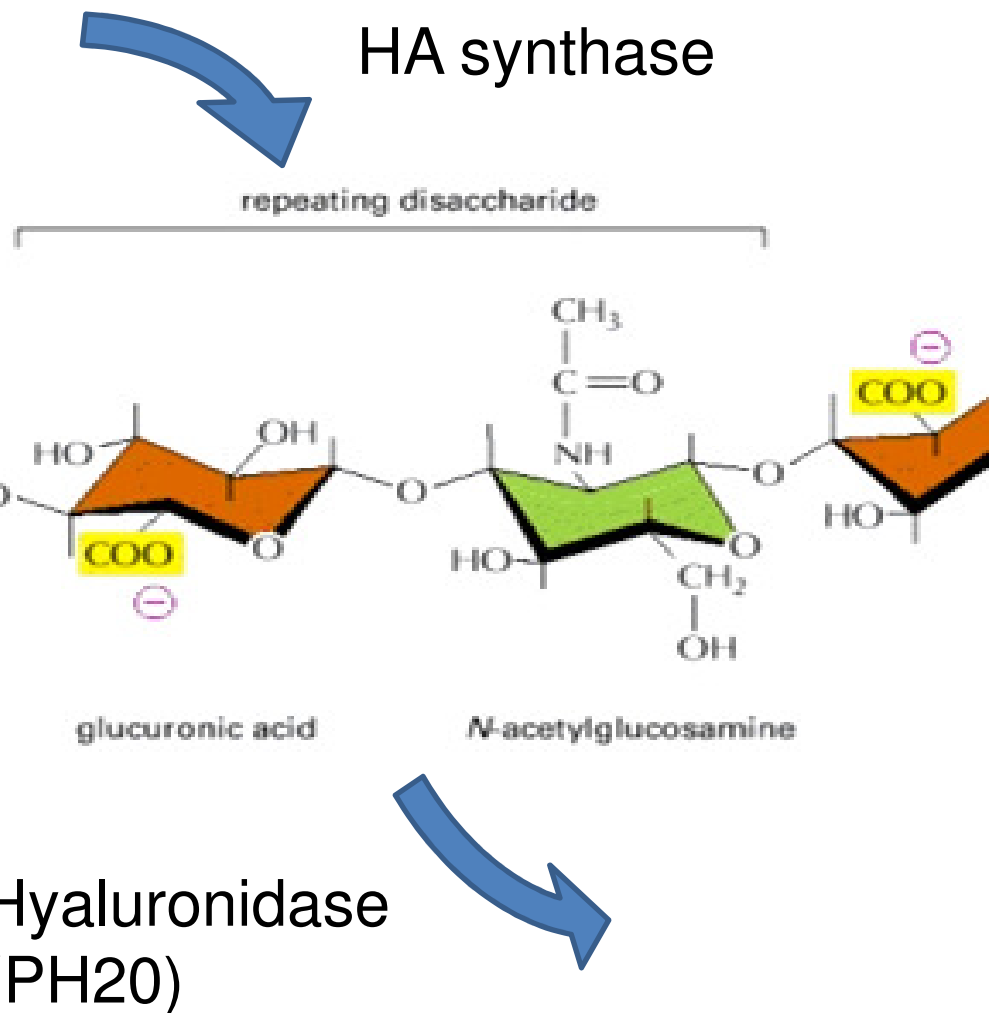
Background

- **HA, rHuPH20 & Enhance technology for drug delivery**

Studies on HA and rHuPH20 in inflammation

- **In vitro: HA-TLR interaction**
- **In vivo: Air pouch model**

Hyaluronan (HA) is a glycosaminoglycan (GAG) of up to 25,000 repeating disaccharide units



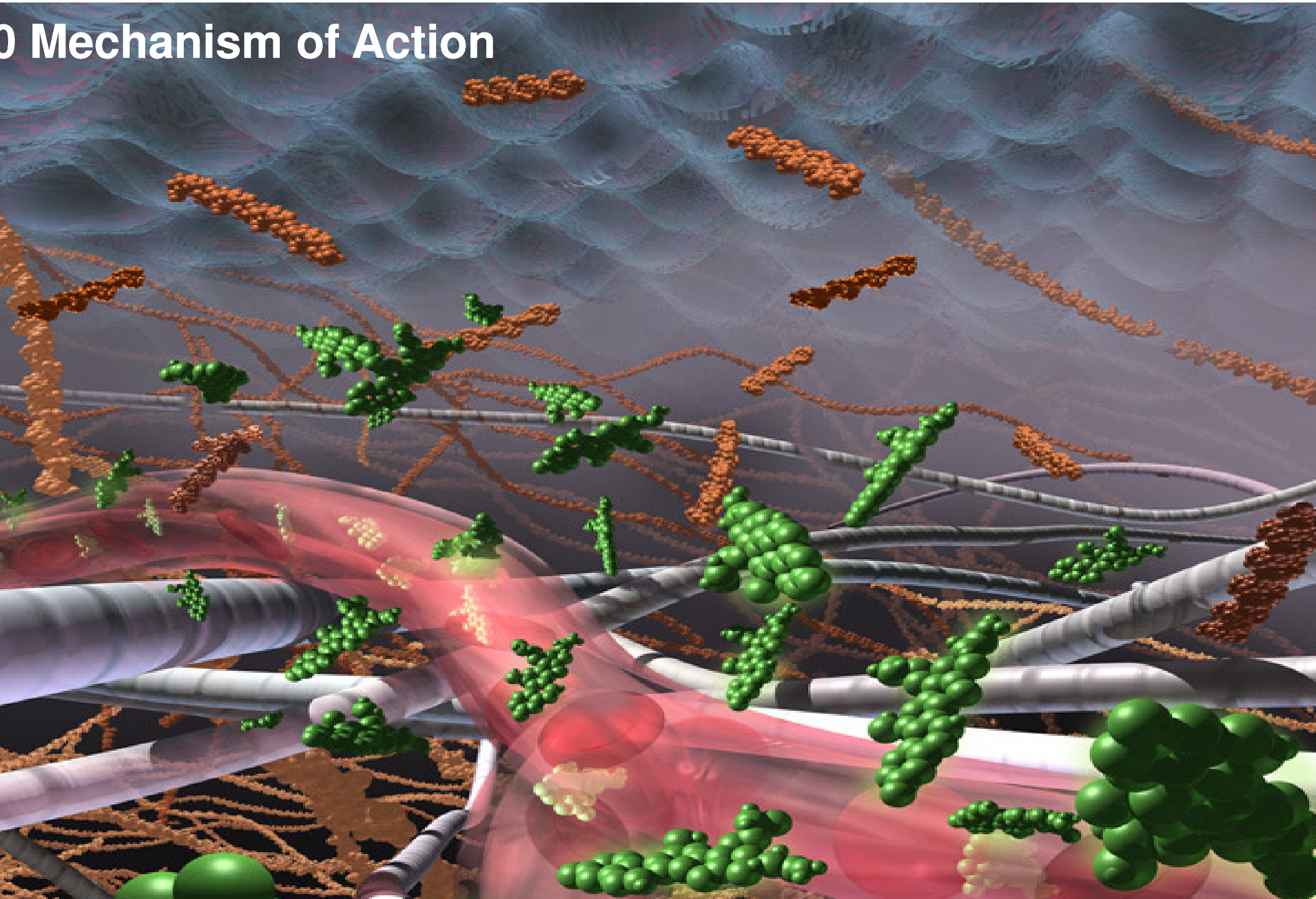
Polysaccharide

- Negatively charged and hydrophilic
- Forms viscous hydrated gel in ECM
- HA + collagens (and other ECM proteins) form a semi-permeable matrix between cells
- ~15 g HA in an adult human being, with ~5% turned over daily

Tissue distribution

Tissue	% total
Skin	50%
Skeleton and supportive tissue	25%
Muscle and Viscera	15%
Other tissues	10%

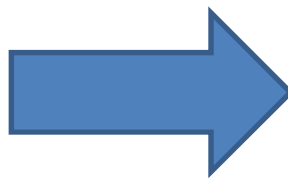
0 Mechanism of Action



Innovative Technology: Subcutaneous Dosing of Biotherapeutics



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Herceptin® SC

Aplikace během 2-5 minut



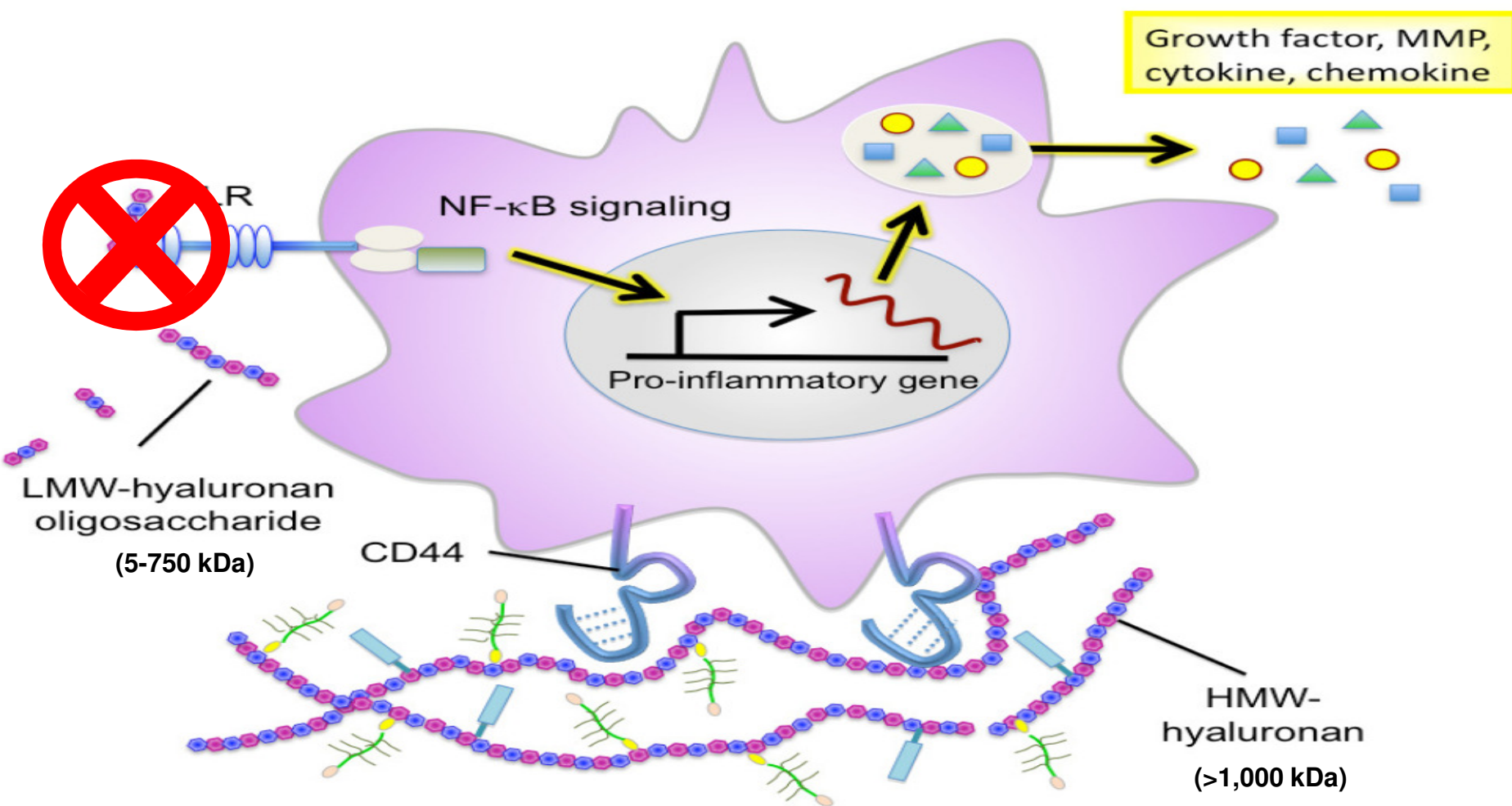
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Top 10 Drugs using Enhance Technology: Approved and Investigational

Proprietary Product Candidates	Therapeutic Area	Use/ Indication	Research/ Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Filed for Approval	Approved Product
Baxter HyQ (immunoglobulin with rHuPH20)	Immunology	Primary immunodeficiency						
Roche (up to 8 potential targets) Herceptin® SC	Oncology	Breast Cancer						
MabThera® SC	Oncology	Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma						
Actemra® SC	Anti-inflammatory	Rheumatoid arthritis						
Pfizer (up to 6 potential targets)	Primary & Specialty Care	3 specified 3 pending	Undisclosed					
ViroPharma Cinryze® with rHuPH20	Immunology	Hereditary angioedema						
Intrexon Alpha 1-antitrypsin with rHuPH20	Immunology	Alpha 1 antitrypsin deficiency						

IV → SC

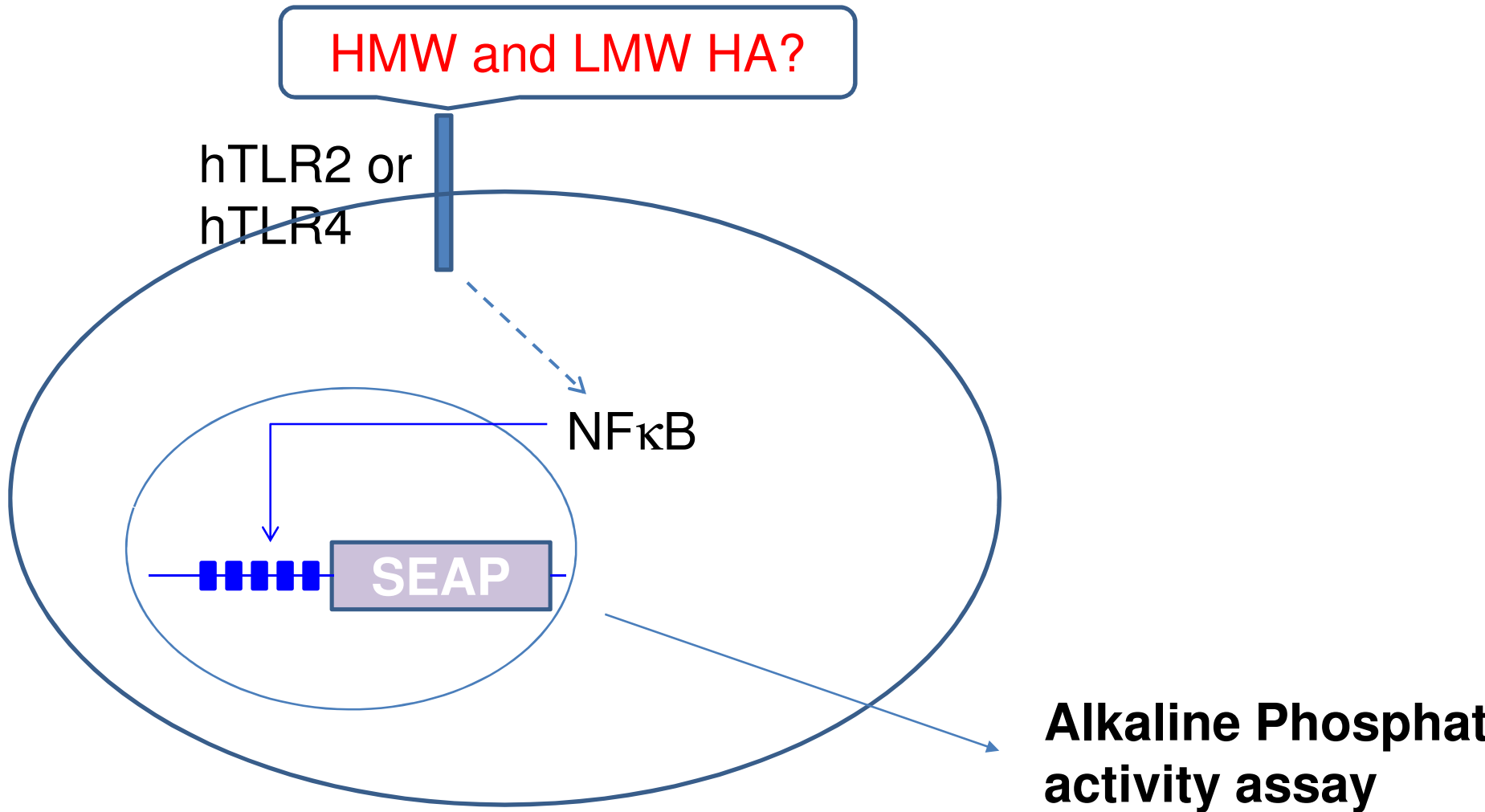
Alternative Proposed Mechanism of Pro-Inflammatory Response by LMW HA (Catabolic product of PH20)



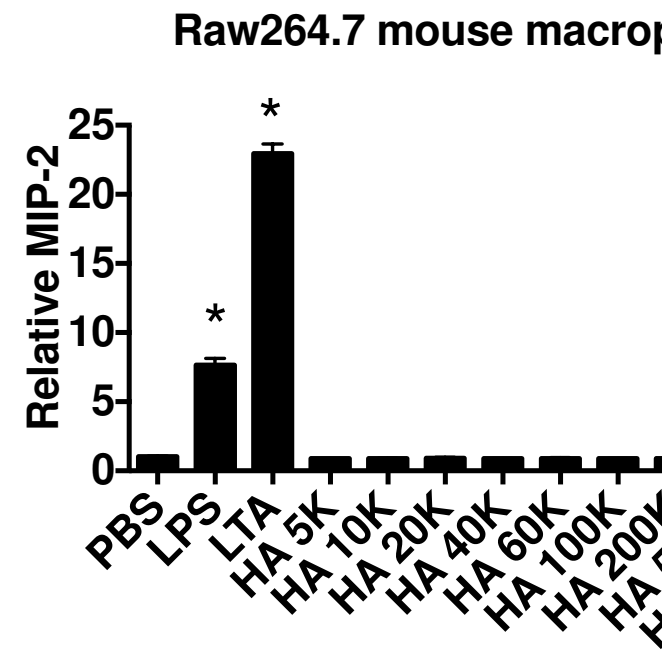
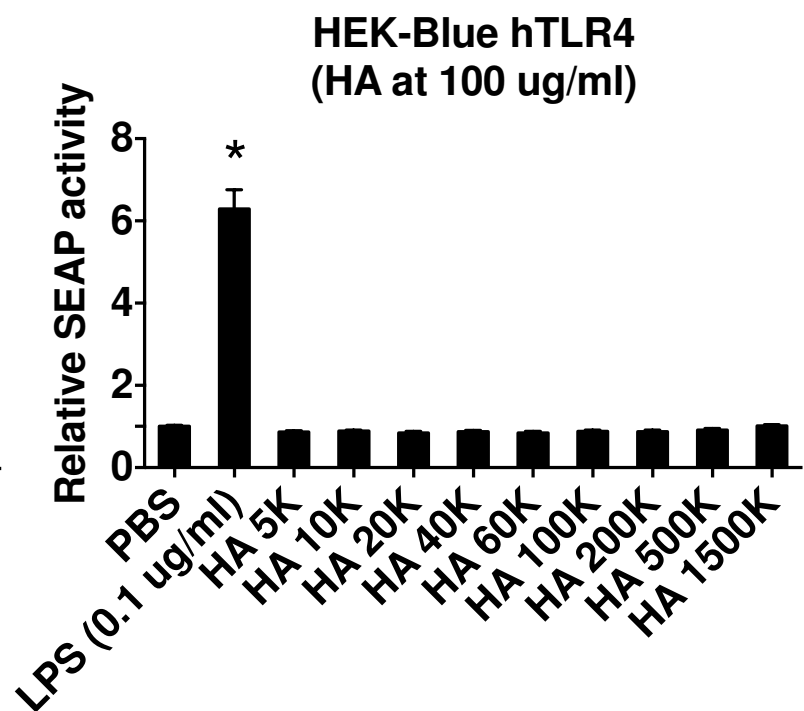
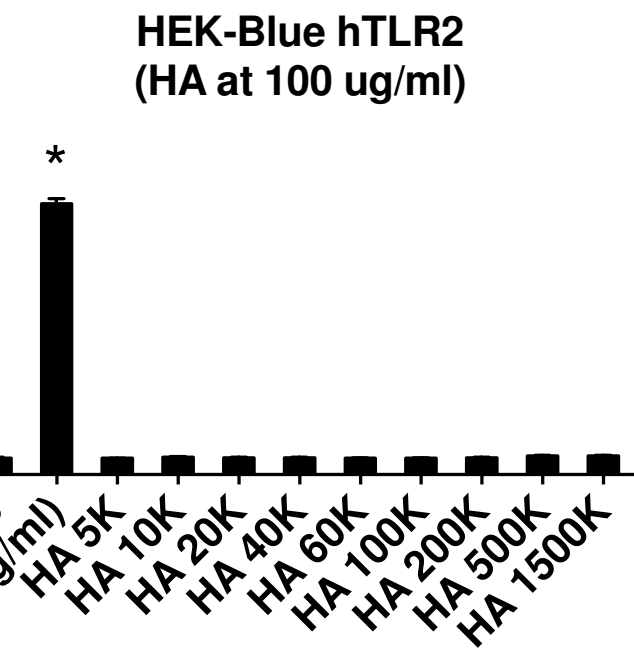
- CCL2/MCP1
- CCL3/MIP1 α
- CCL4/MIP1 β
- CCL5/RANTES
- CXCL1/GRO α
- CXCL2/MIP2
- CXCL9/MIP3
- CXCL10/IP10
- IL-1 β
- IL-8/LIX
- IL12 p40/p50
- TNF α

Since rHuPH20 degrades HMW HA \rightarrow LMW HA fragments, does it stimulate inflammation?

Blue hTLR2 and hTLR4 reporter system



Does not activate TLR2/TLR4 in cell-based assays



ouch Model of inflammation

imulation:

H2O

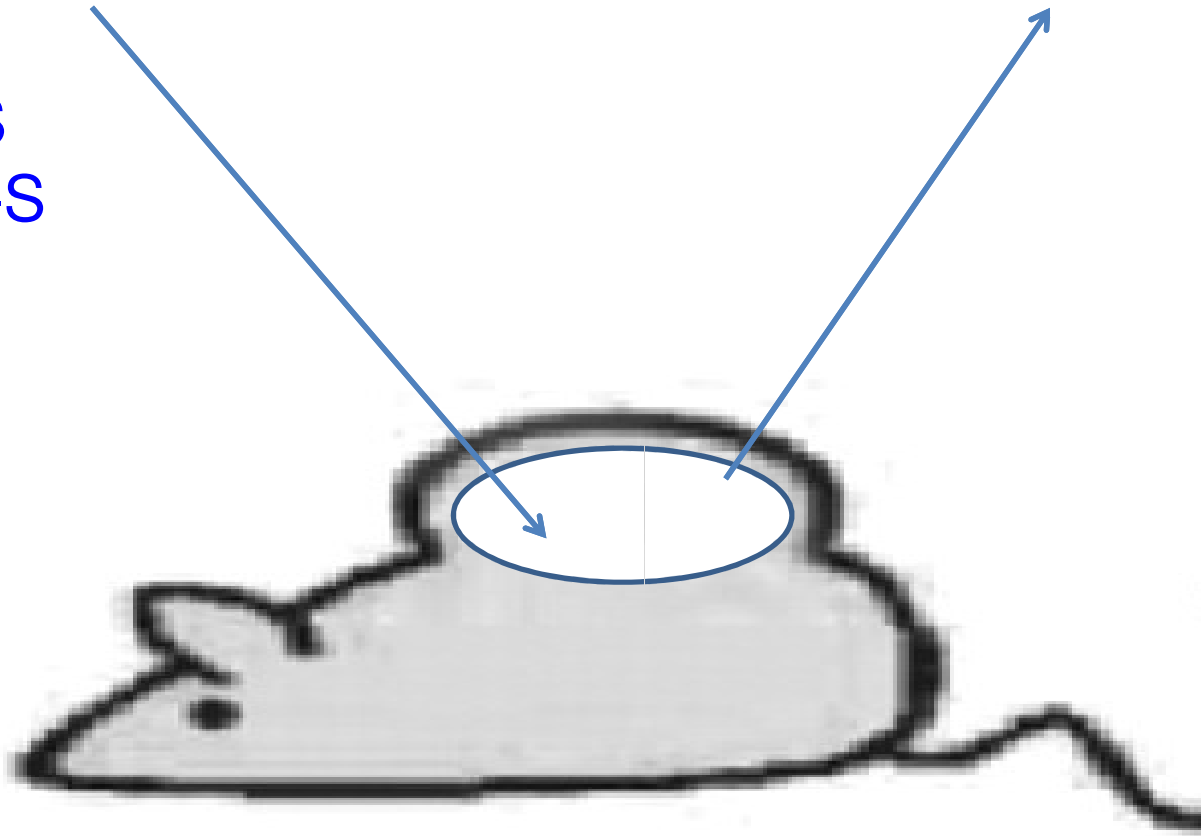
HA

a Hyal type I-S

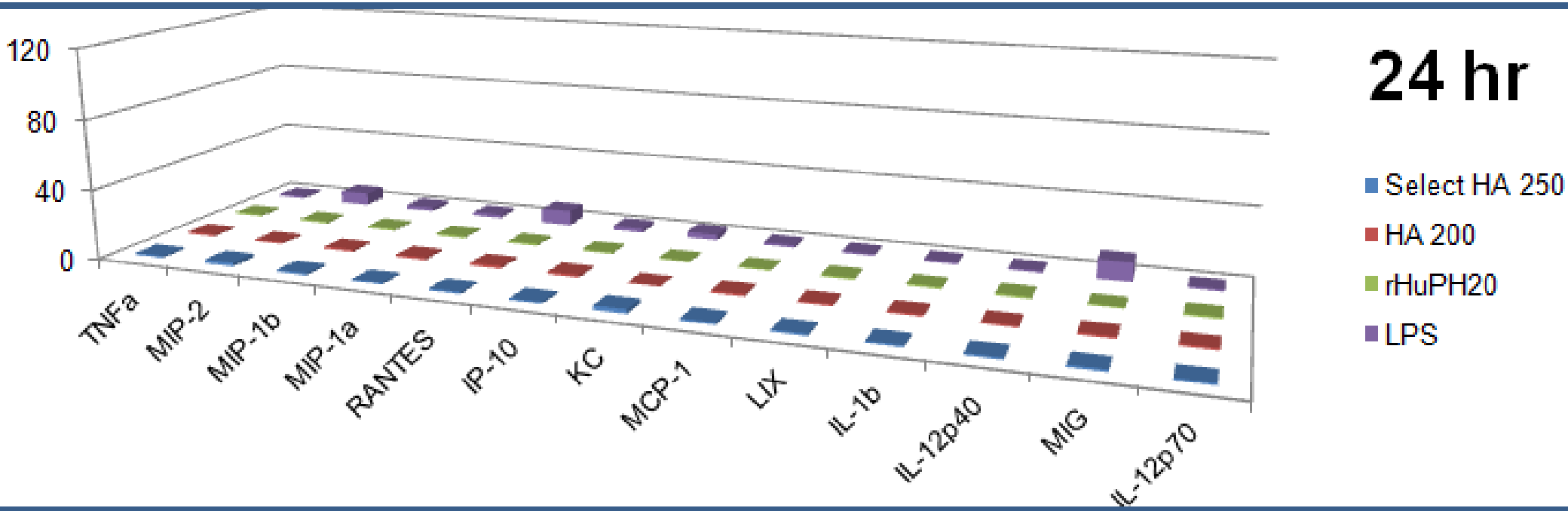
a Hyal type IV-S

APE analysis:

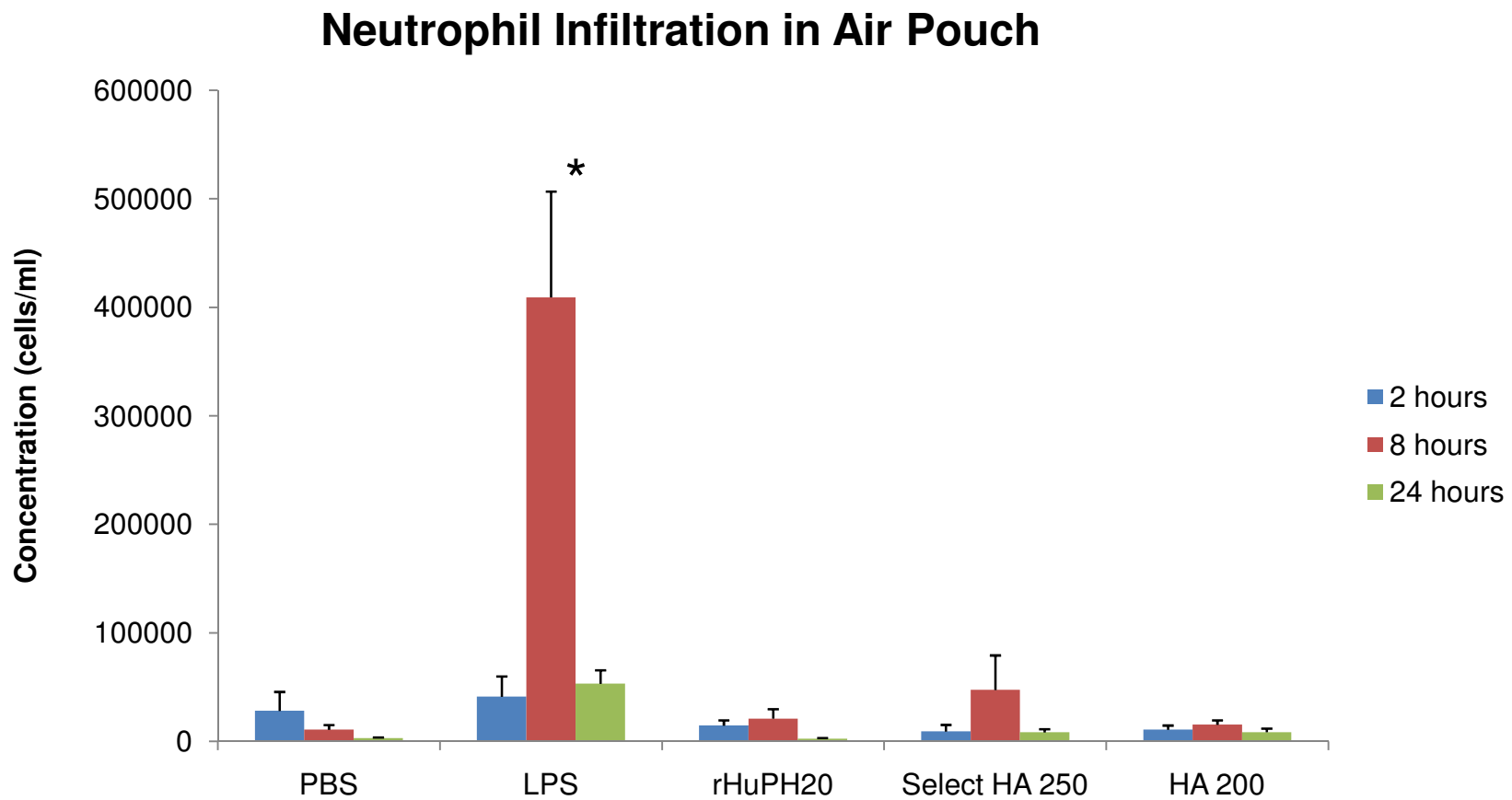
- Cytokines/Chemokine
- AP infiltrating cells



Neither LMW HA nor rHuPH20 stimulated cytokine/chemokine production in the air pouch

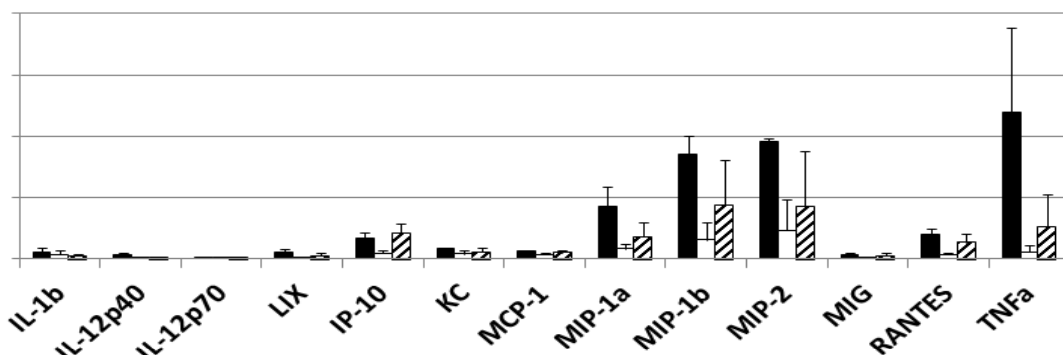


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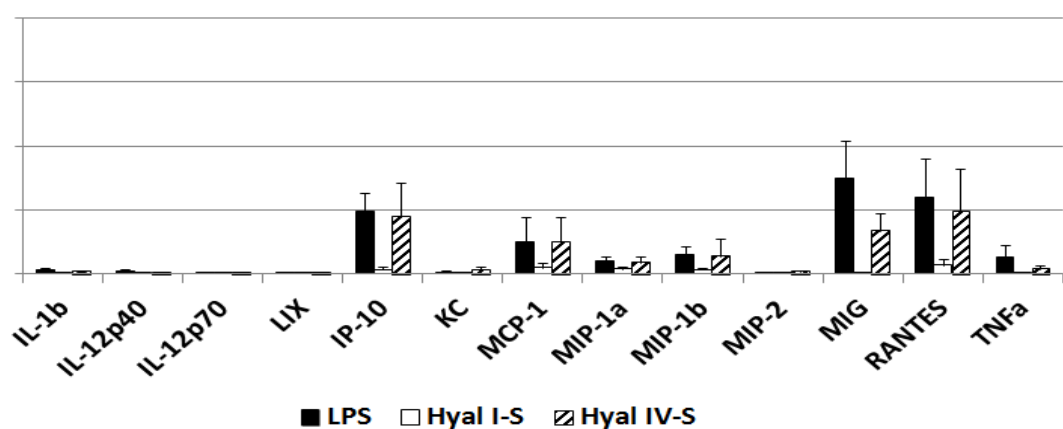


type I-S and IV-S are pro-inflammatory in vivo

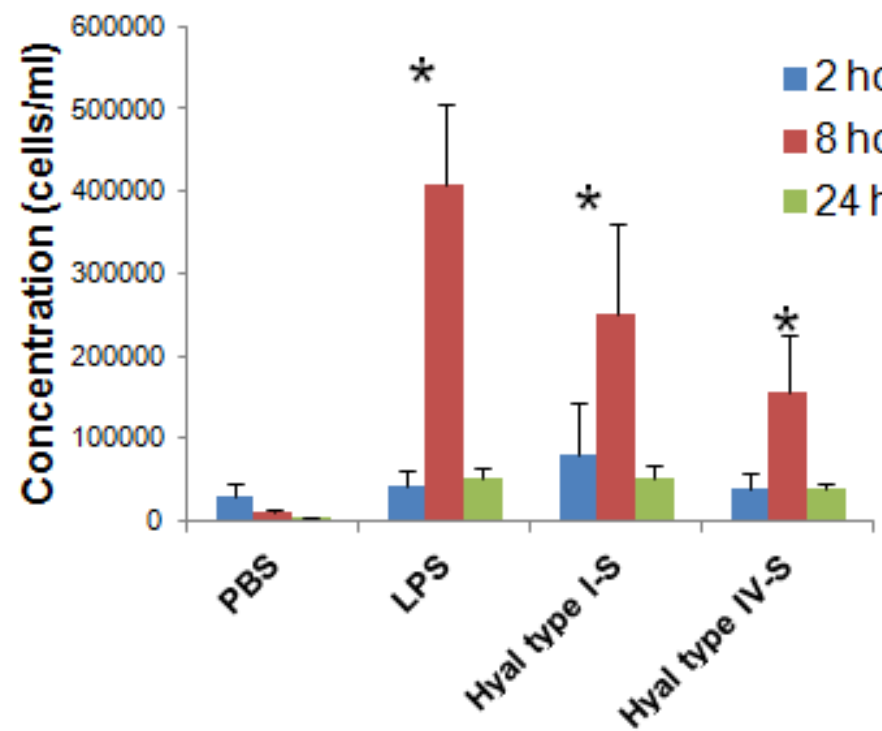
Cytokine/Chemokine stimulation in APE (2 h)



Cytokine/Chemokine stimulation in APE (8 h)



Neutrophil Infiltration in Air Pouch

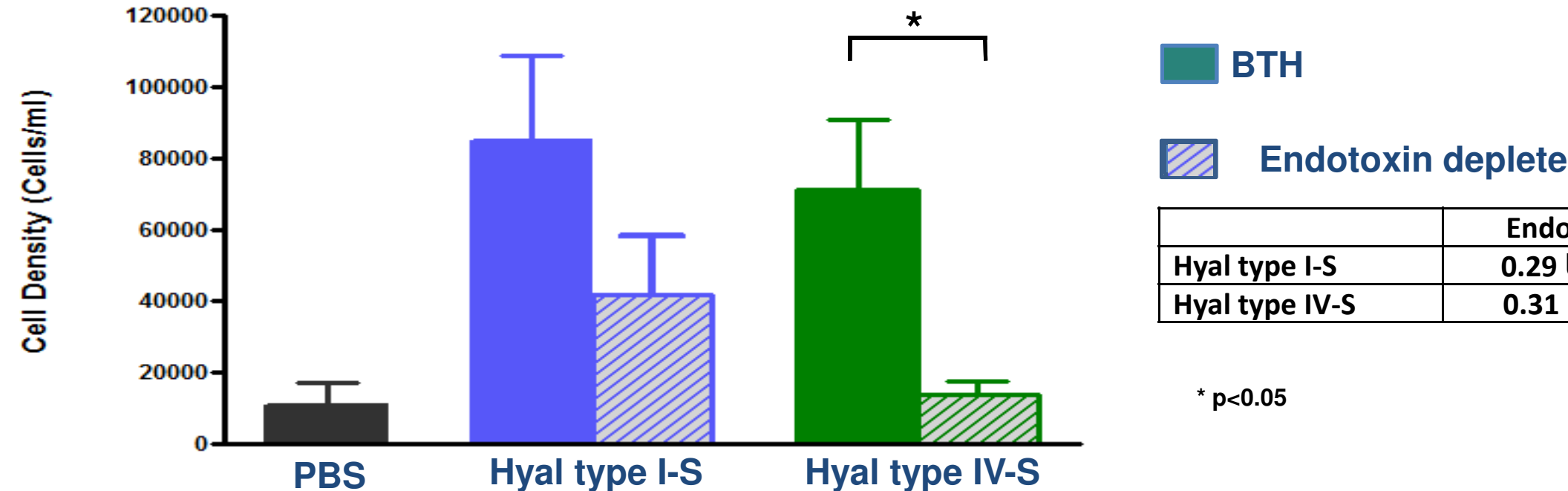


Endotoxin Level in the Test Reagents correlates with inflammation

Reagent	Endotoxin (EU/ml)	Stimulation of Inflammation
PBS	<0.1	
LPS (1 ug/ml)	3905	+
rHuPH20 (2,400 U/ml)	<0.1	-
Hyal type I-S (2,400 U/ml)	34.7	+
Hyal type IV-S (2,400 U/ml)	234	+
Select-HA 250 (500 ug/ml)	0.7	-
HA 200 (500 ug/ml)	<0.1	-

Depletion of Endotoxin Reduced the Pro-inflammatory Activity of BTHs

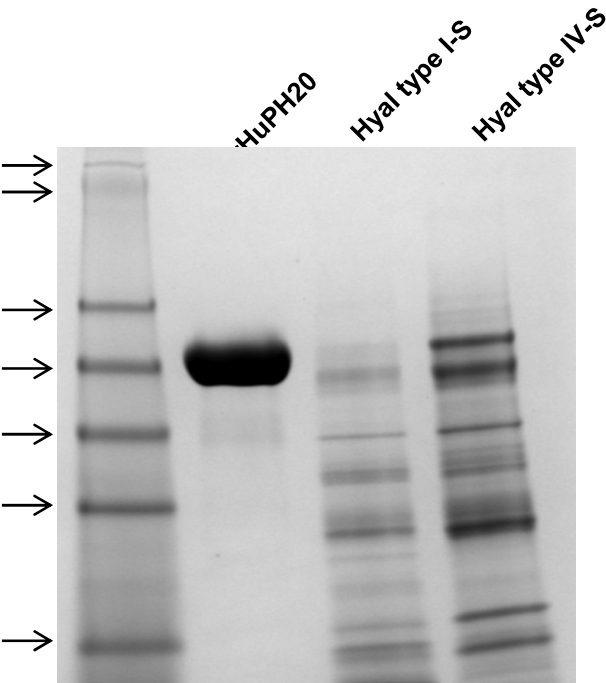
Cell Count in the Air Pouch Exudate



- Endotoxin is one of the pro-inflammatory components in Hyal type I-S
- Endotoxin is the major pro-inflammatory component in Hyal type IV-S

Other proteins may also contribute to the pro-inflammatory activity of Hyal type I-S and IV-S.

Summary



- rHuPH20, and its catabolic product LMW HA, do not stimulate inflammation in models evaluated
- Bovine testis hyaluronidases (commercial source) stimulate inflammation
- The endotoxin (and possibly other protein contents) but not the hyaluronidase activity are the contributing components in bovine testicular hyaluronidases that induces inflammation

PH20 and LMW HA are not pro-inflammatory

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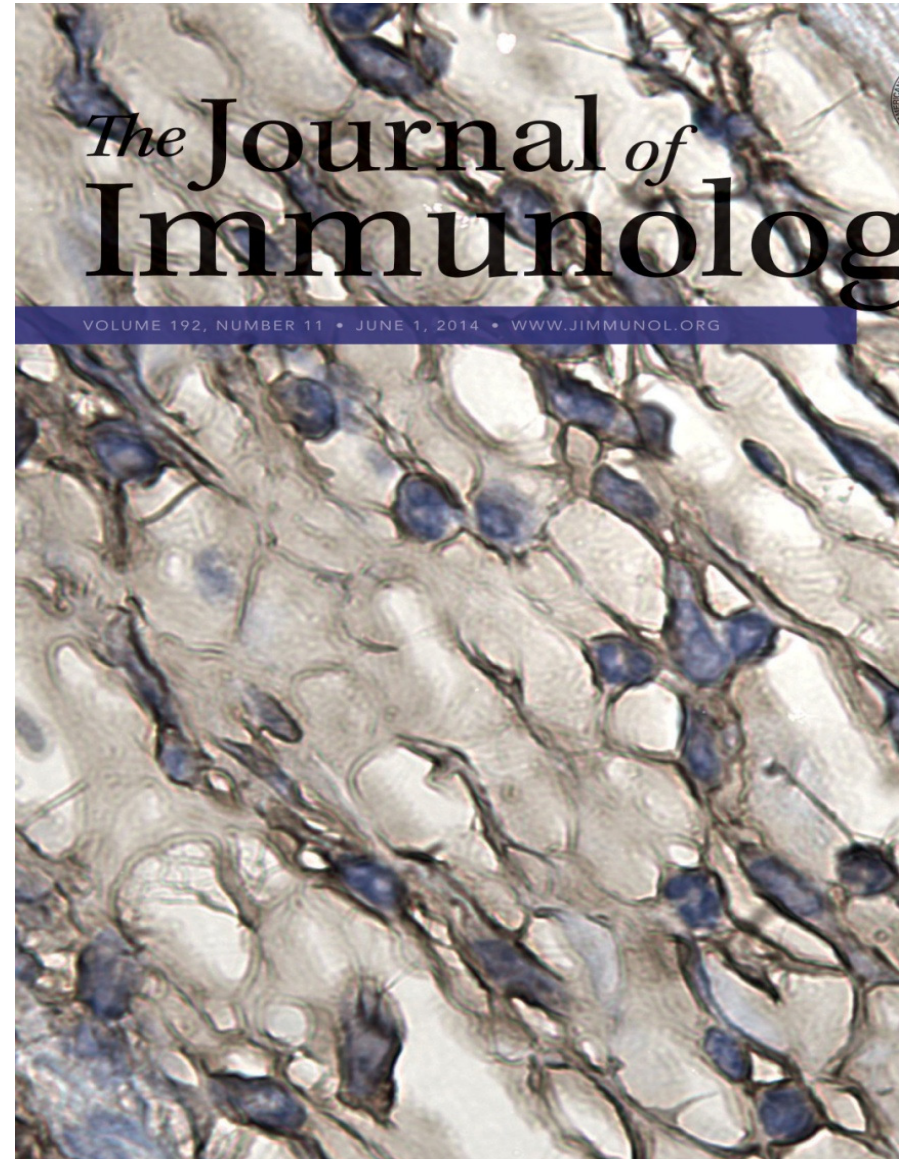
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