

Supplementary Materials

Matrix Selection Strategies for MALDI-TOF MS/MS Characterization of Cyclic Tetrapyrroles in Blood and Food Samples

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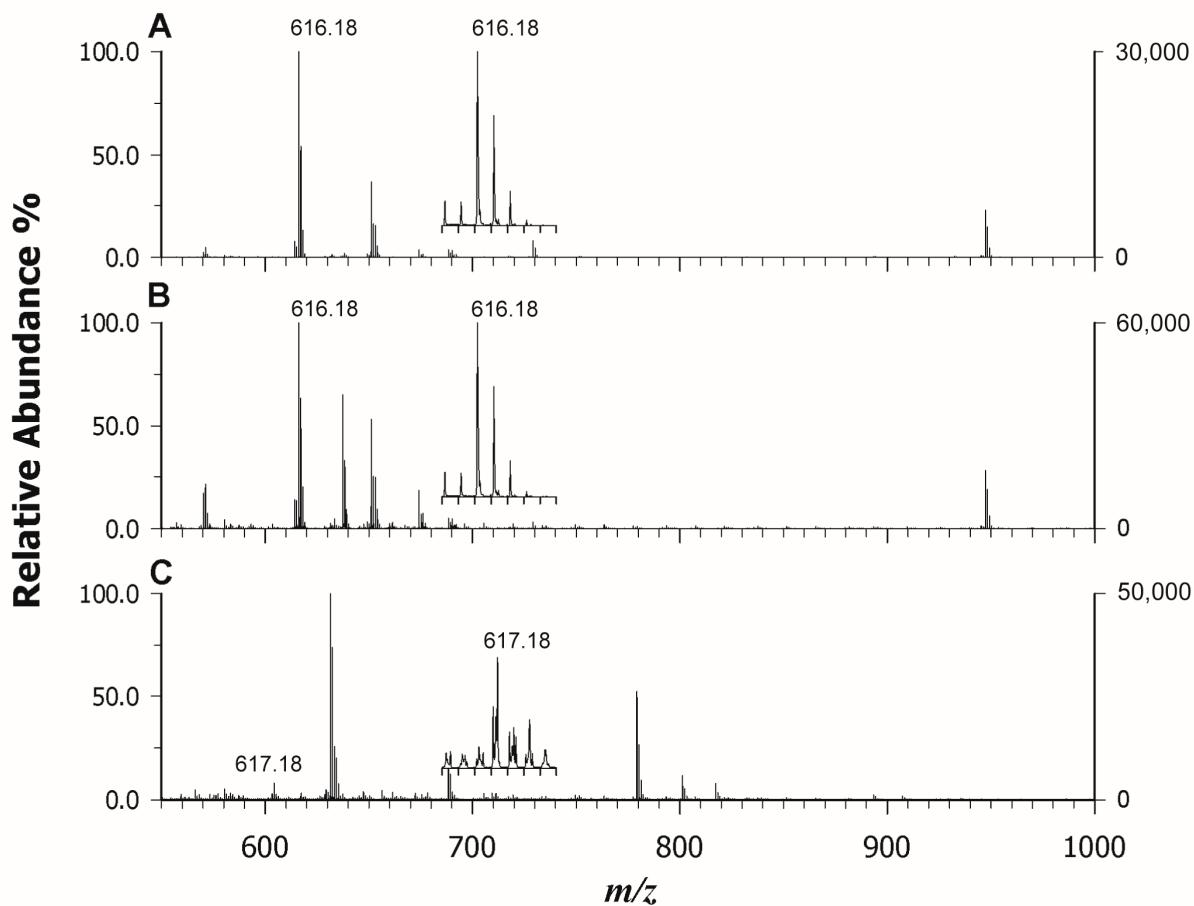


Figure S1. MALDI-ToF mass spectra in positive ion mode using 2-[(2E)-3-(4-tert-butylphenyl)-2-methylprop-2-enylidene]malononitrile (DCTB) as a matrix of heme b in hemoglobin (A), in myoglobin (B), and heme c in cytochrome C (C).

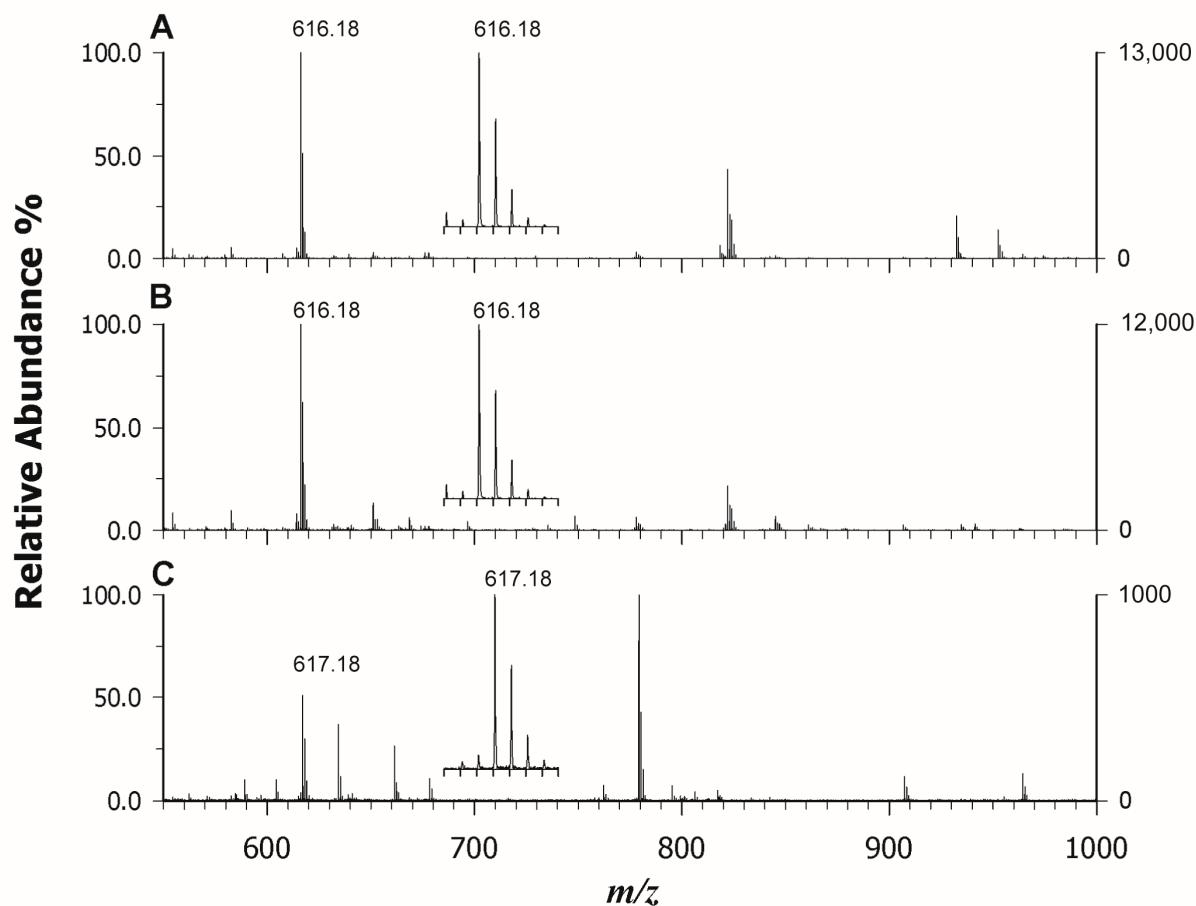


Figure S2. MALDI-ToF mass spectra in positive ion mode using CClCA as a matrix of heme b in hemoglobin (A), in myoglobin (B), and heme c in cytochrome C (C).

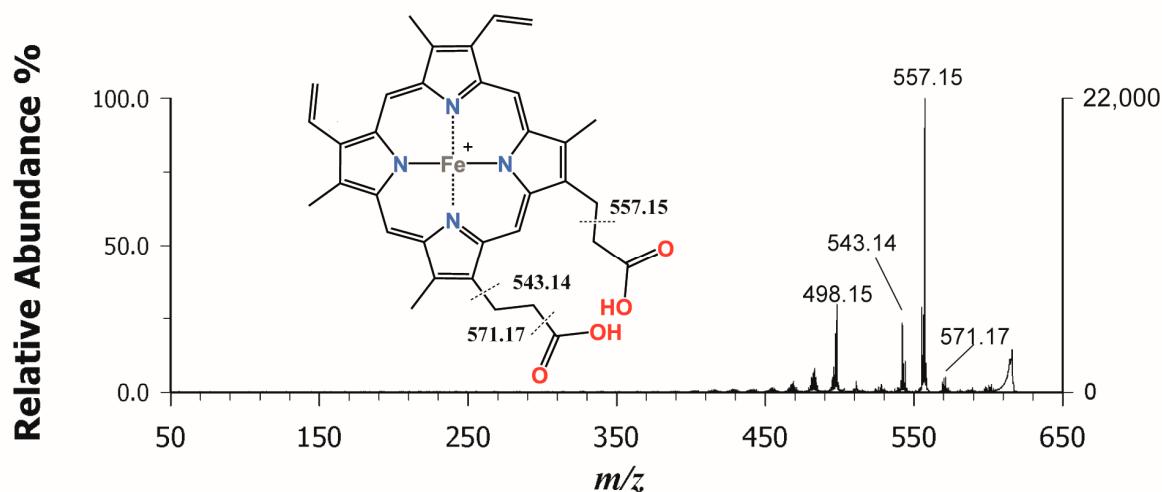


Figure S3. Tandem MS spectrum of heme b from hemoglobin standard protein at m/z 616.18 using CHCA as a matrix.