

Supplementary Materials: Detection of *Naja atra* Cardiotoxin Using Adenosine-Based Molecular Beacon

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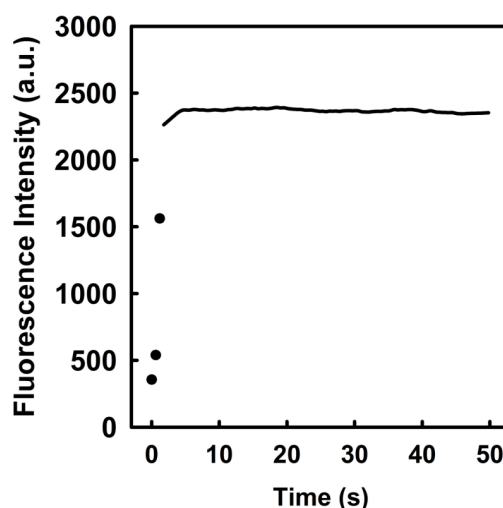


Figure S1. Time course measurement of FAM intensity (520 nm) of hairpin-shaped MB upon the addition of 100 nM CTX3. The solution containing 10 nM FAM/DABCYL-labeled A₁₂-MB-A₁₂ and 0.6 μ M coralyne was incubated with 80 nM CTX3 as indicated time periods.

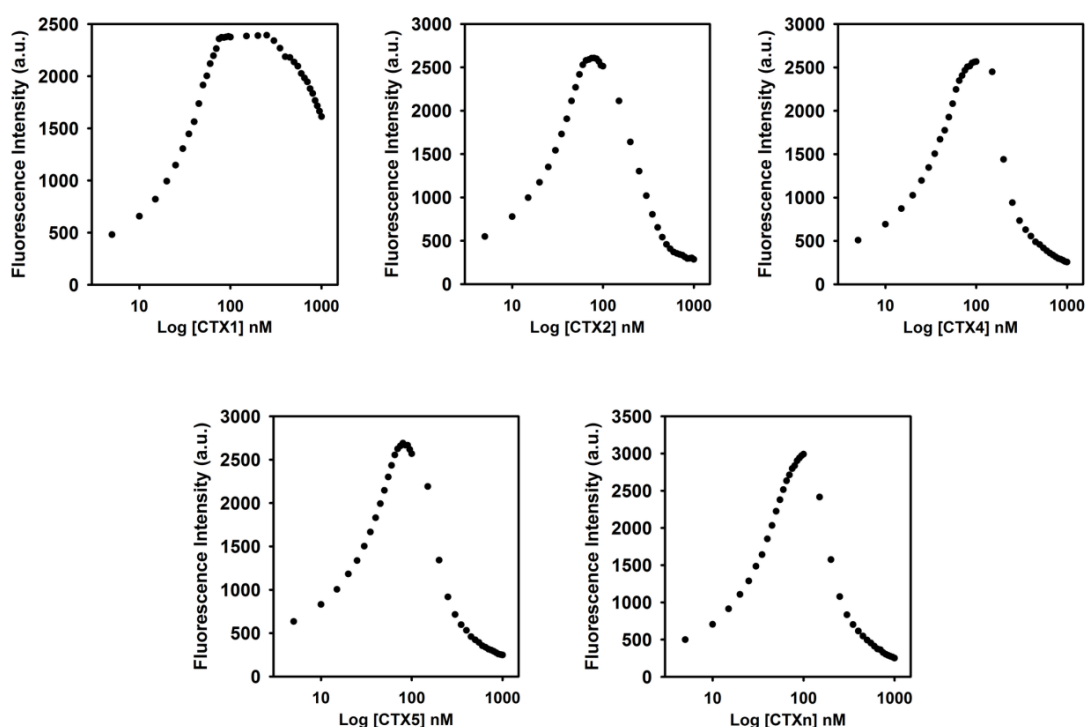


Figure S2. Effect of CTX isotoxins on fluorescence intensity at 520 nm of a solution containing 10 nM FAM/DABCYL-labeled A₁₂-MB-A₁₂ and 0.6 μ M coralyne. The hairpin-shaped MB was titrated with indicated concentration of CTXs.

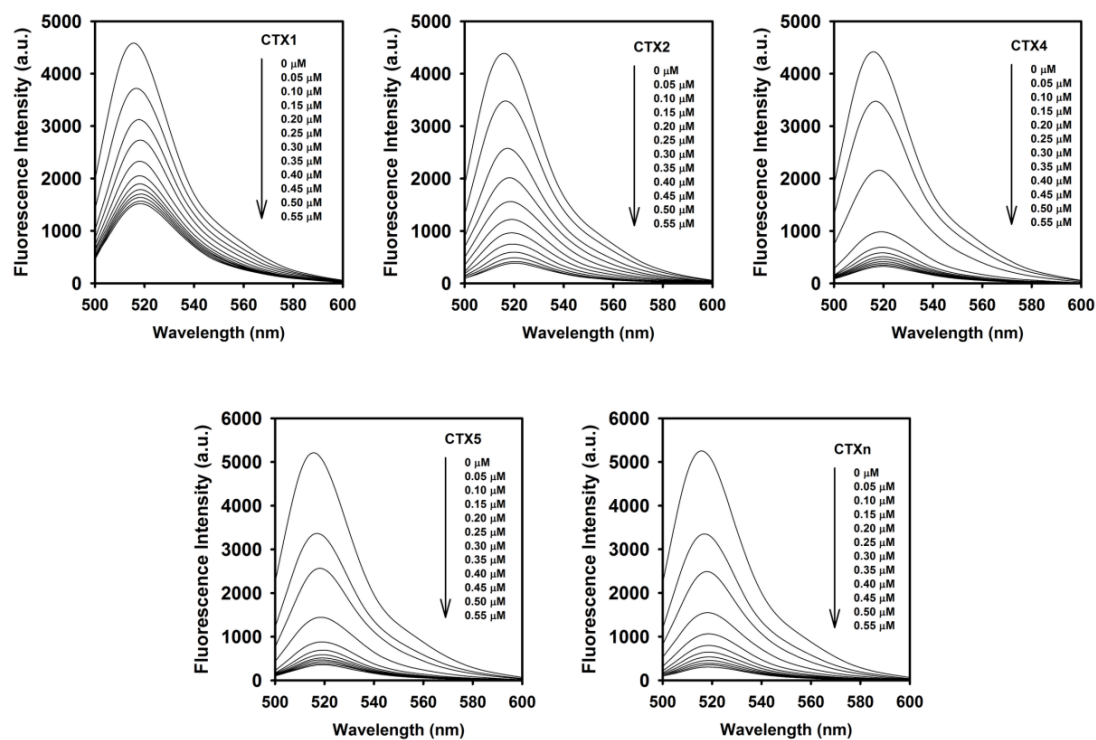


Figure S3. Fluorescence intensity at 520 nm of A₁₂-MB-A₁₂ was reduced by titrating with CTX isotoxins. FAM/DABCYL-labeled A₁₂-MB-A₁₂ (10 nM) was titrated with indicated concentrations of CTXs.

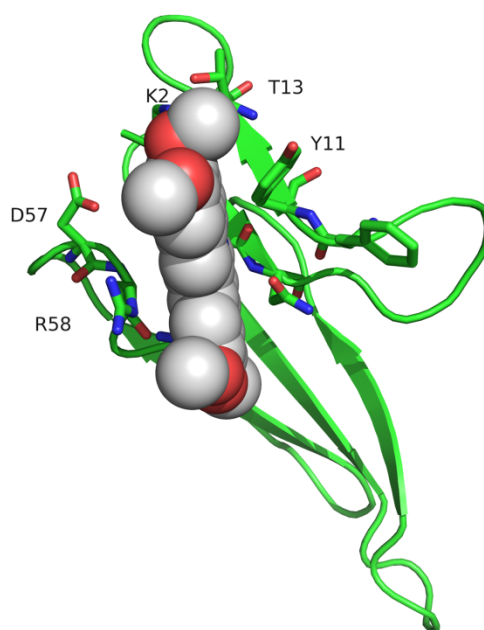


Figure S4. Molecular model showing the binding of coralyne with CTX3.

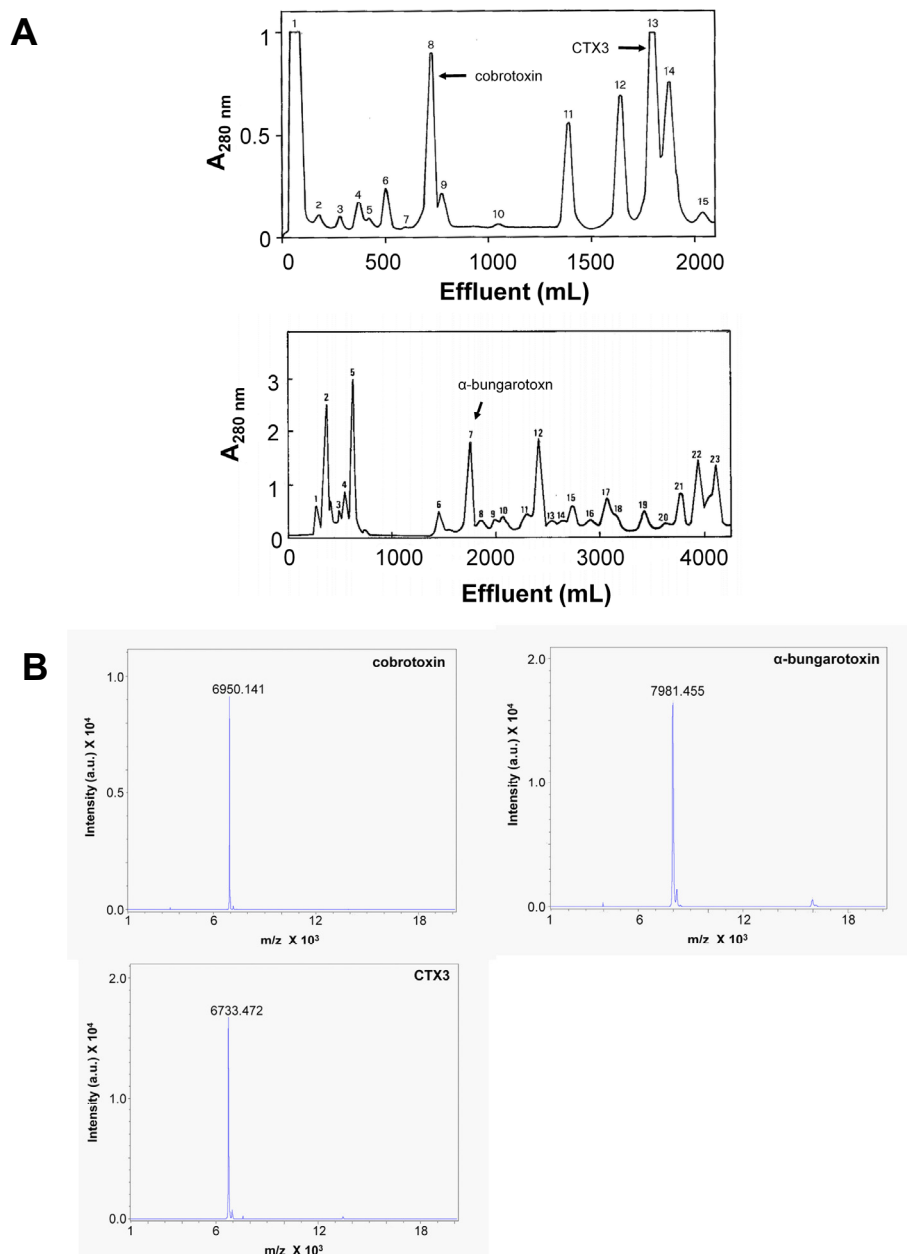


Figure S5. Chromatographic separation and MALDI-TOF analyses of CTX3, cobrotoxin, and α -bungarotoxin. (A) Separation of CTX3, cobrotoxin, and α -bungarotoxin from *N. atra* and *Bungarus multicinctus* crude venoms were conducted essentially according to the same manner described in [1,2]; (B) MALDI-TOF analyses of CTXs, cobrotoxin, and α -bungarotoxin.

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