

# In-cell synthesis of bioorthogonal alkene tag S-allyl-homocysteine and its coupling with reprogrammed translation – Supplementary Information

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## 1. Protein design and analytics

Protein construct variants were designed *in silico* with CAD program PyMol (The PyMOL Molecular Graphics System, Version 2.0 Schrödinger, LLC) and DNA vectors were cloned *in silico* with Geneious (Geneious 7.1.7 (<https://www.geneious.com>)).

### 1.1 *cfGFP*h1-RM(1Sahc) (*x1NSahc*) **10** (mutant with N-terminal Met only)

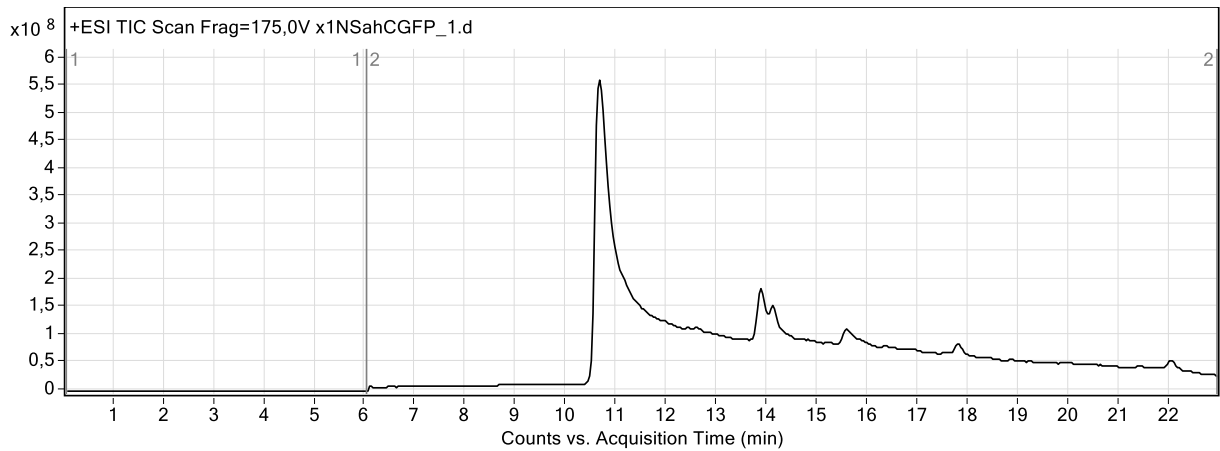
#### 1.1.1. Protein sequence information

- C-terminal (His)<sub>6</sub>-tag removed by TEV protease
- Sahc at position 1 of N-terminus with Q as the penultimate residue.

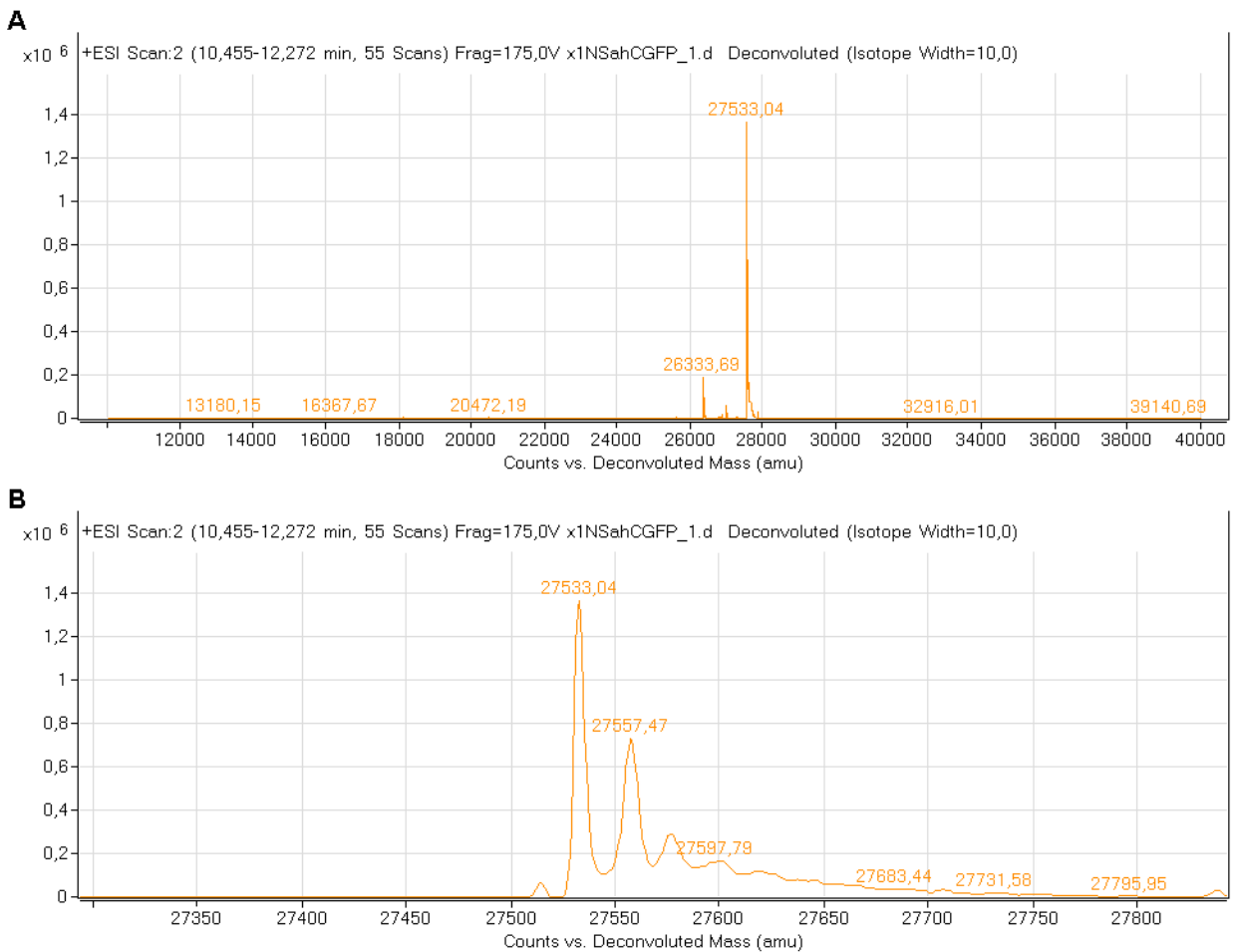
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     130     140     150     160     170     180
VNRIELKGID FKEDGNILGH KLEYNFNSHK VYITADKQKN GIKANFKIRH NVEDGSVQLA
     190     200     210     220     230     240
DHYQQNTPIG DGPVLLPDNH YLSTQSVLLK DPNEKRDAV LLEFVTAAGI THGKDELYKE
NLYFQ
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#### 1.1.2. Mass analyses:



**Figure S1.** TIC (total ion count) scan of HPLC run for cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc). Distinct curve detected  $t_R = 10.455-12.272$  min.



**Figure S2. Deconvoluted full spectrum of cfGFPs1-RM(134Sahc).** (A) Total range: 10 kDa – 40 kDa with (B) detailed view. Assignment of mass peaks: (i) 27533.04 Da – detected MW cfGFPs1-RM(1Met): calculated MW: 27532.99 Da. (ii) 27557.51 Da – detected MW of fully labelled cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc): expected/calculated MW: 27558.99 Da. All further peaks are undefined  $\text{Na}^+$  adducts.

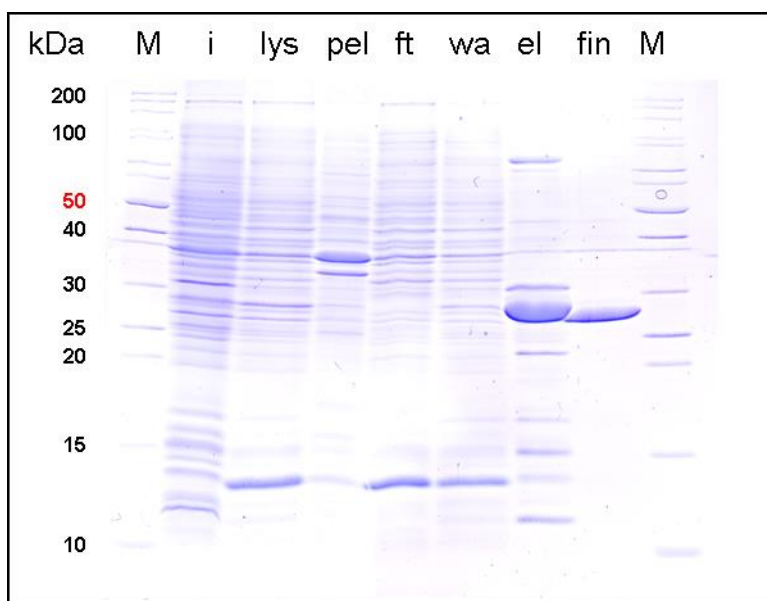
Assignment of mass peaks:

m/z (Da)	Height	Start X	End X	Area	Ion species
27533.04	1362446.41	27525	27542	8984176	cfGFPhs1-RM(1Met) [M+H] <sup>+</sup>
<b>27557.47</b>	<b>729132.06</b>	<b>27544</b>	<b>27567</b>	<b>7775432</b>	<b>cfGFPhs1-RM(1Sahc)</b>
27576.80	292249.41	27567	27588	4278068	undefined adduct

### 1.1.3. Protein yield and Met to Sahc substitution level

x1NSahc with 1 Sahc at position M1 without histidine tag: 2.0 ml, 0.2 mg mL<sup>-1</sup> (50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, 300 mM NaCl, 20% glycerol). Incorporation estimation by integration of mass curve: 57%.

### 1.1.4. SDS-PAGE analysis



**Figure S3. SDS-PAGE analysis gel of all stages of expression and purification cfGFPhs1-RM(1Sahc).** M: Marker Prestained Protein Ladder, Thermo Scientific™; ni: non induced sample before expression; i: induced sample after expression; lys: lysate (soluble); pel: pellet (insoluble); ft: flow through; wa: first wash with N<sub>B</sub> Ni-NTA column; el: eluate Ni-NTA column; fin: final protein fraction used for analyses and reactions.

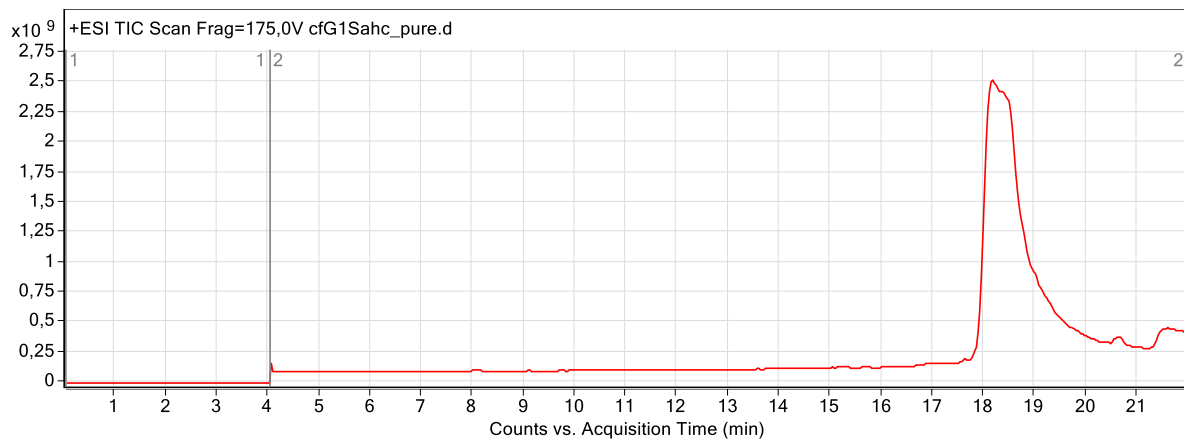
## 1.2. *cfGFP<sub>h</sub>1-RM(134Sahc)* (*cfG1Sahc*) 5 (mutant with single Met at internal position 134 after protein purification)

### 1.2.1. Protein sequence information

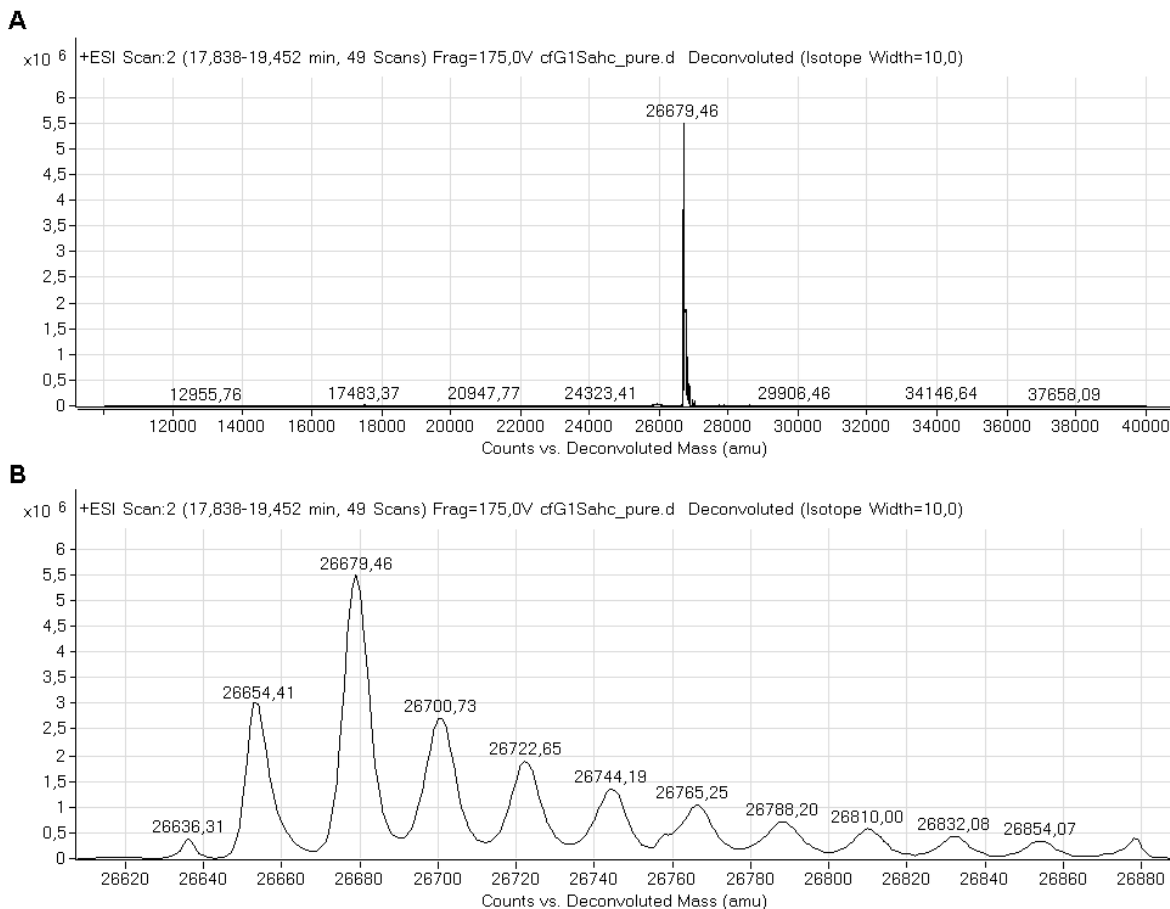
- N-terminal (His)<sub>6</sub>-tag along with Met 1 removed by TEV protease cleavage
- Single methionine at position D134M

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LVTTTLGYGVQ SFARYPDHIK RHDFFKSALP EGYVQERTIS FKDDGTYKTR AEVKFEGDTL
      130     140     150     160     170     180
VNRIELKGID FKEMGNILGH KLEYNFNSHK VYITADKQKN GIKANFKIRH NVEDGSVQLA
      190     200     210     220     230
DHYQQNTPIG DGPVLLPDNH YLSTQSVLLK DPNEKRDHAV LLEFVTAAGI THGKDELYK
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### 1.2.2. Mass analyses



**Figure S4.** TIC (total ion count) scan of HPLC run for *cfGFP<sub>h</sub>1-RM(134Sahc)*. Distinct curve detected  $t_R = 17.939\text{-}19.452$  min.



**Figure S5. Deconvoluted full spectrum of cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc).** (A) Total range 10 kDa - 40 kDa with (B) detailed view. Assignment of mass peaks: (i) 27554.41 Da – detected MW (cfGFPhs1-RM(134Met)), calculated MW: 27554 Da; (ii) 26679.46 Da – detected MW (cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc)), calculated MW: 26679.0 Da; (iii) 26700.73 Da – detected MW of fully labelled (cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>), calculated MW: 26701 Da; (iv) 26722.65 Da – detected MW (cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+2Na]<sup>+</sup>), calculated MW: 26725 Da. All further signals belong to Na<sup>+</sup> adducts of fully labelled cfG1Sahc.

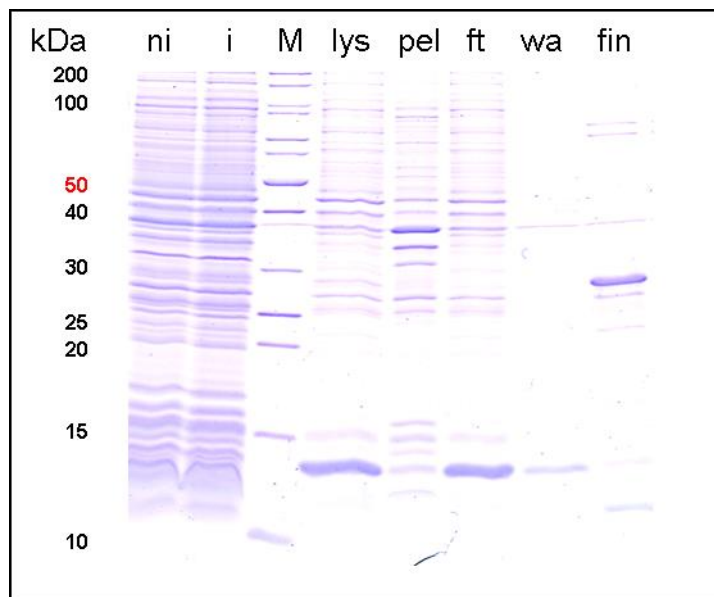
Assignment of mass peaks:

m/z (Da)	Height	Start X	End X	Area	Ion species
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<b>26679.46</b>	<b>5509124.98</b>	<b>26669</b>	<b>26689</b>	<b>45326232</b>	<b>cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc)</b>
26700.73	2726846.87	26690	26712	28201471	cfGFPhs1-RM(134M) [M+2Na] <sup>+</sup>
26722.65	1899105.47	26712	26734	20083523	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+2Na] <sup>+</sup>
26744.19	1357273.6	26734	26754	14470452	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+3Na] <sup>+</sup>
26765.25	1049067.75	26754	26777	12887384	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+4Na] <sup>+</sup>
26788.20	721758.46	26777	26800	9043953	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+5Na] <sup>+</sup>
26810.00	578425.41	26800	26821	6234573	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+6Na] <sup>+</sup>
26832.08	447515.78	26821	26843	4610025	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+7Na] <sup>+</sup>
26854.07	344186.44	26843	26866	3812381	cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc) [M+8Na] <sup>+</sup>

### 1.2.3. Protein yield and Met to Sahc substitution level

cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(134Sahc) with 1 Sahc at position D134M without histidine tag: 5.0 ml, 9.20 mg mL<sup>-1</sup> (50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, 300 mM NaCl, 20% glycerol). Incorporation estimation by integrated mass curve: 86%.

### 1.2.4. SDS-PAGE analysis



**Figure S6.** SDS-PAGE analysis gel of all stages of expression and purification of cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(134Sahc). M: Marker Prestained Protein Ladder, Thermo Scientific™; ni: non induced sample before expression; i: induced sample after expression; lys: lysate (soluble); pel: pellet (insoluble); ft: flow through; wa: first wash with N<sub>B</sub> Ni-NTA column; fin: final protein fraction used for analyses and reactions.

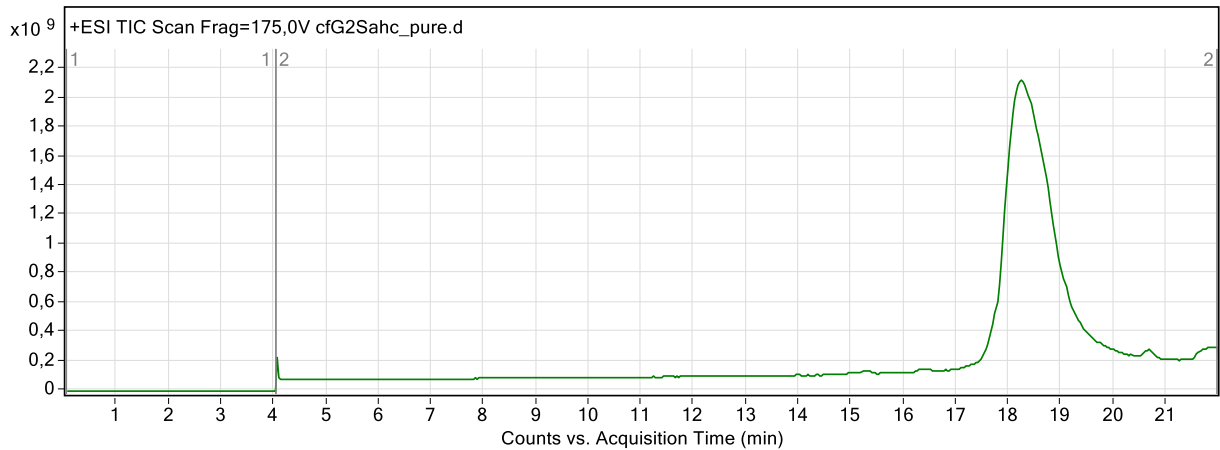
## 1.3. cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(134Sahc:143Sahc) (cfG2Sahc) 6 (mutant with two Met residues at internal positions 134 and 143 after protein purification)

### 1.3.1. Protein sequence information

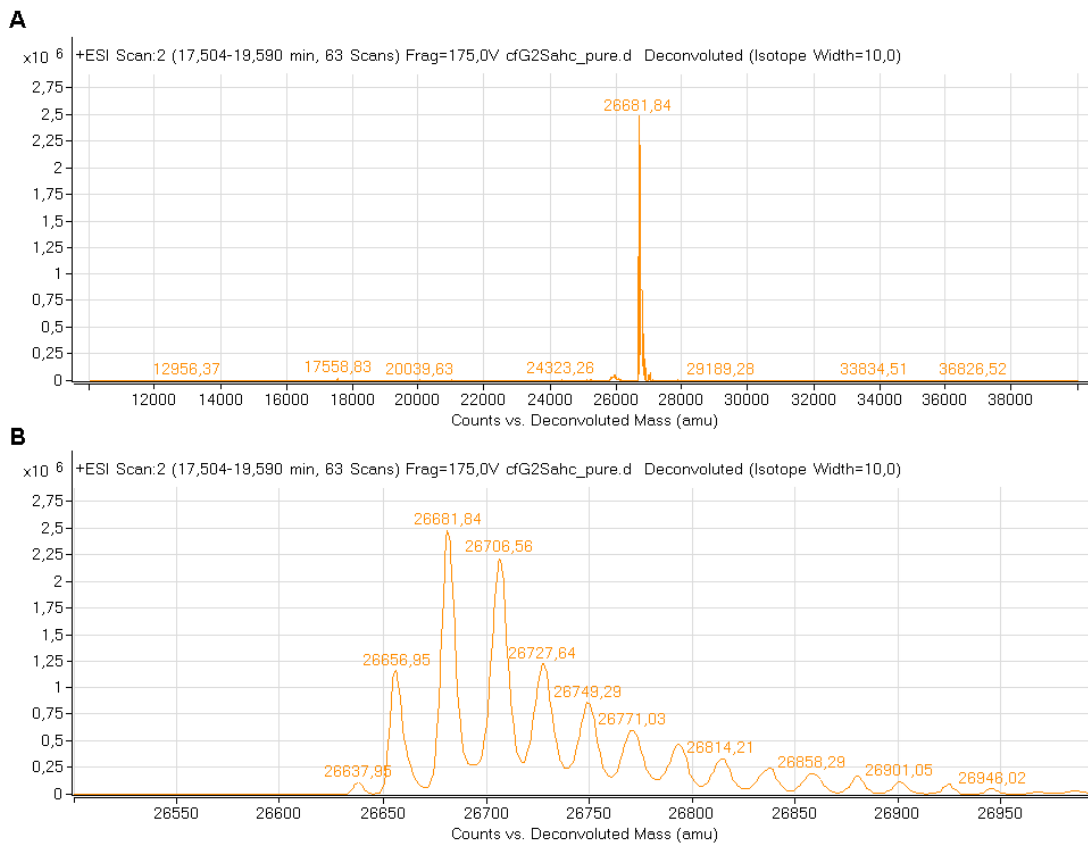
- N-terminal (His)<sub>6</sub>-tag along with Met1 removed by TEV protease
- Sahc at positions D134M und E143M (two in-frame Met residues)

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70	80	90	100	110	120
LVTTLGYGVQ	SFARYPDHIK	RHDFFKSALP	EGYVQERTIS	FKDDGTYKTR	AEVKFEGDTL
130	140	150	160	170	180
VNRIELKGID	FKEMGNILGH	KLMYNFNESHK	VYITADKQKN	GIKANFKIRH	NVEDGSVQLA
190	200	210	220	230	
DHYQQNTPIG	DGPVLLPDNH	YLSTQSVLLK	DPNEKRDAV	LLEFVTAAGI	THGKDELYK

### 1.3.2. Mass analysis



**Figure S7.** TIC (total ion count) scan of HPLC run for cfGFPs1-RM(134Sahc:143Sahc). Distinct curve detected  $t_R = 17.504\text{--}19.590$  min.



**Figure S8.** Deconvoluted full spectrum of cfGFPs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc). (A) Total range 10 kDa - 40 kDa with (B) detailed view. Assignment of mass peaks: (i) 26656.95 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(134Met:143Met)), calculated MW: 26655 Da; (ii) 26681.84 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(134Sahc:143Met)), calculated MW: 26682.14 Da; (iii) 26706.56 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(134Sahc:143Sahc)), calculated MW: 26707.14 Da; (iv) 26727.64 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>), calculated MW: 26729 Da. All further signals belong to Na<sup>+</sup> adducts of fully labelled cfG2Sahc.

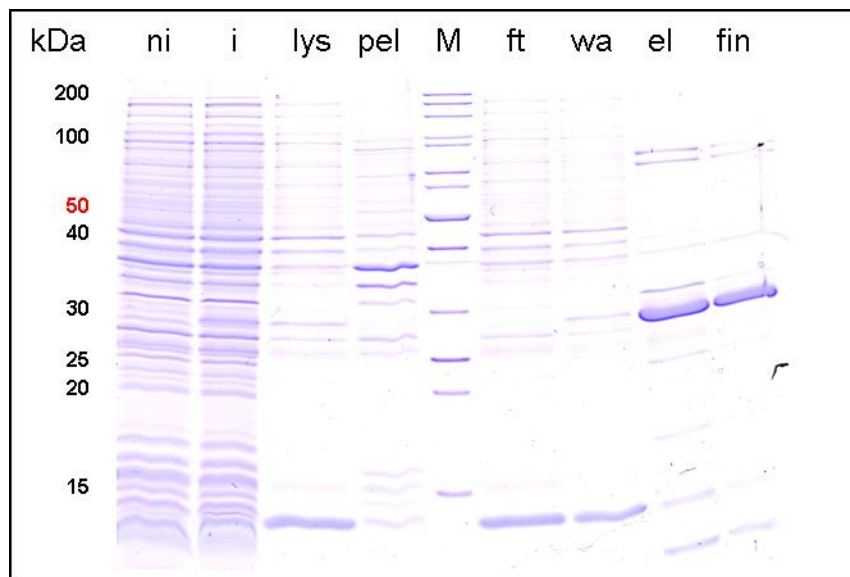
### Assignment of mass peaks:

m/z (Da)	Height	Start X	End X	Area	Ion species
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26681.84	2479611.68	26671	26693	21424578	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143M)
<b>26706.56</b>	<b>2223765.04</b>	<b>26693</b>	<b>26717</b>	<b>24000240</b>	<b>cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc)</b>
26727.64	1224950.78	26717	26739	14896270	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+Na] <sup>+</sup>
26749.29	863435.95	26739	26760	10292107	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+2Na] <sup>+</sup>
26771.03	606685.26	26760	26783	7991486	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+3Na] <sup>+</sup>
26793.04	466490.34	26783	26804	5702461	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+4Na] <sup>+</sup>
26814.21	340818.32	26804	26826	3998993	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+5Na] <sup>+</sup>
26836.59	245345.35	26826	26848	2986485	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+6Na] <sup>+</sup>
26858.29	198927.26	26848	26870	2340530	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+7Na] <sup>+</sup>
26880.22	184798.89	26870	26890	1502406	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+8Na] <sup>+</sup>
26901.05	124635.95	26891	26911	1118862	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+9Na] <sup>+</sup>
26924.14	98265.85	26914	26934	709775	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+10Na] <sup>+</sup>
26946.02	55041.08	26938	26957	424051	cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+11Na] <sup>+</sup>

### 1.3.3. Protein yield and Met to Sahc substitution level

cfG2Sahc with 2 Sahc at positions D134M and E143M without histidine tag: 5.5 ml, 10.1 mg mL<sup>-1</sup> (50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, 300 mM NaCl, 20% glycerol). Estimation of overall Met to Sahc substitution by integration of peaks: 71%. It should be noted that it is difficult to accurately assess the occupancy (i.e., the degree of Met-to-Sahc replacement) for each particular side chain because the SPI as substitution method works in a statistical fashion.

### 1.3.4. SDS-PAGE



**Figure S9. SDS-PAGE analysis gel of all stages of expression and purification cfGFPhs1-RM (134Sahc:143Sahc).** M: Marker Prestained Protein Ladder, Thermo Scientific™; ni: non induced sample before expression; i: induced sample after expression; lys: lysate (soluble); pel: pellet (insoluble); ft: flow through; wa: first wash with N<sub>B</sub> Ni-NTA column; el: eluate Ni-NTA column; fin: final protein fraction used for analyses and reactions.



1.4. *cfGFPhs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc)* – (mutant with N-terminal Met and two Met residues at the internal positions in protein sequence (“triple Met-mutant”))

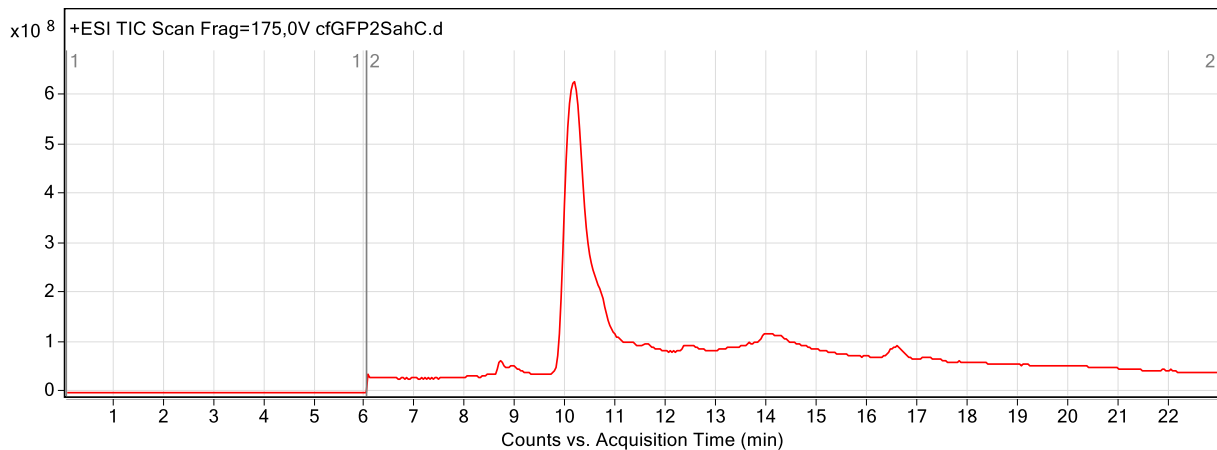
1.4.1. Protein sequence information

- C-terminal (His)<sub>6</sub>-tag
- Sahc at positions M1, D134M, E143M (with Q as the penultimate residue.)

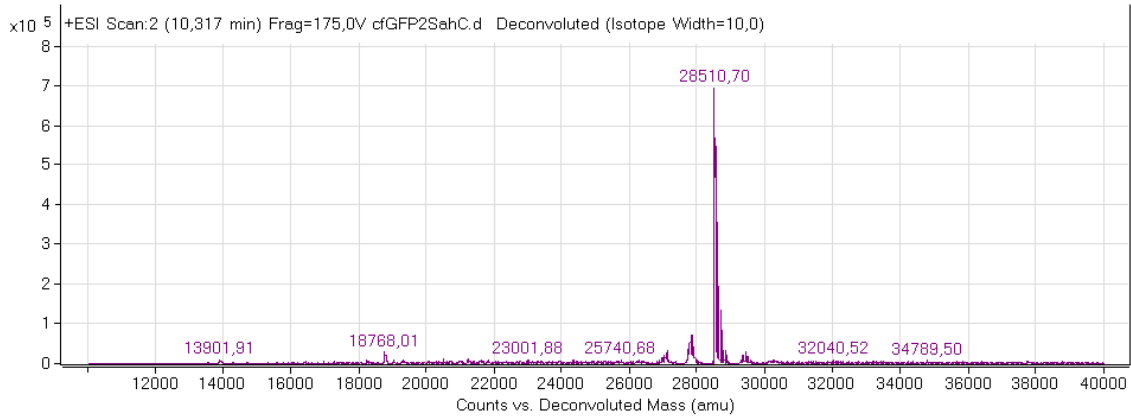
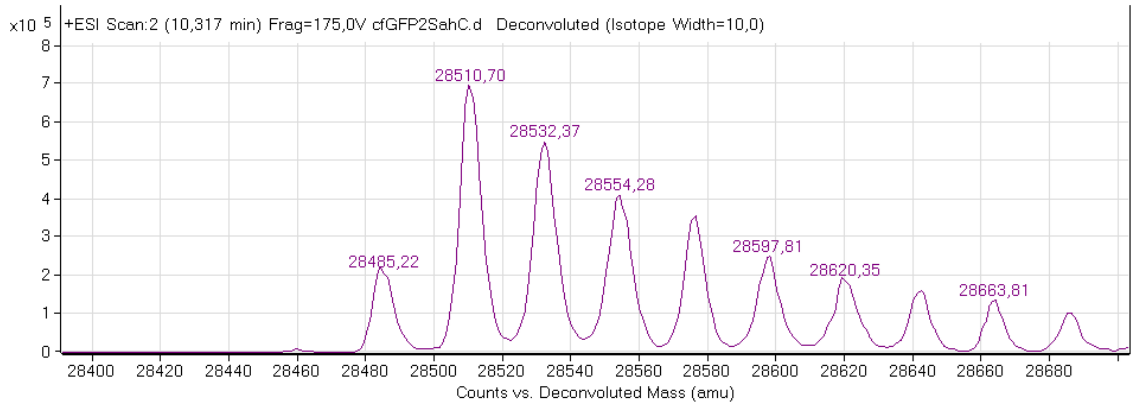
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1.4.2. Mass analysis



**Figure S10.** TIC (total ion count) scan of HPLC run for *cfGFPhs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc)*. Distinct curve detected  $t_R = 9.855-11.272$  min.

**A****B**

**Figure S11. Deconvoluted full spectrum of cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc).** (A) total range 10 kDa - 40 kDa with (B) detailed view. Assignment of mass peaks: (i) 28485.22 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(1Met:134Sahc:143Met)); calculated MW: 28487 Da; (ii) 28510.70 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(1Met:134Sahc:143Sahc)); calculated MW: 28513.14 Da; (iii) 28532.37 Da – detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc)); calculated MW: 28539.14 Da; (iv) 28554.28 Da - detected MW (cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>); calculated MW: 28555.14 Da. All further signals belong to Na<sup>+</sup> adducts of cfG3Sahc.

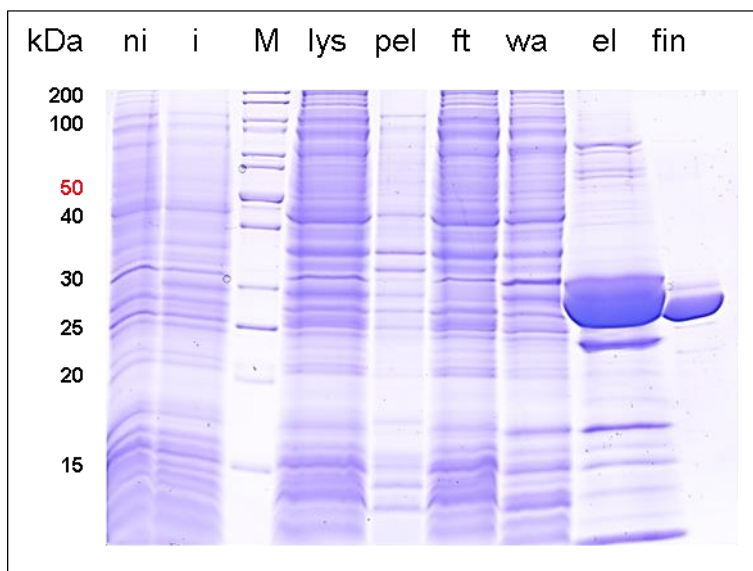
Assignment of mass peaks:

m/z (Da)	Height	Start X	End X	Area	Ion species
28485.22	206831.30	28477	28497	1678975	cfGFPs1-RM(1M:134Sahc:143M)
28510.70	694426.19	28500	28522	5539262	cfGFPs1-RM(1M:134Sahc:143Sahc)
<b>28532.37</b>	<b>547167.00</b>	<b>28522</b>	<b>28542</b>	<b>4671782</b>	<b>cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc)</b>
28554.28	409072.09	28544	28566	3701978	cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+Na] <sup>+</sup>
28576.12	356120.43	28566	28586	2766562	cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+2Na] <sup>+</sup>
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28620.35	186054.24	28610	28632	1751258	cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+4Na] <sup>+</sup>
28641.87	159403.20	28632	28652	1287824	cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+5Na] <sup>+</sup>
28663.81	134322.52	28656	28673	933412	cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+6Na] <sup>+</sup>
28685.88	101479.46	28676	28696	793921	cfGFPs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc) [M+7Na] <sup>+</sup>

### 1.4.3. Protein yield and Met to Sahc substitution level

cfG3Sahc with 3 Sahc at positions M1, D134M, E143M with histidine tag: 2 ml, 0.66 mg mL<sup>-1</sup> (50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, 300 mM NaCl, 20% glycerol). Estimation of overall Met to Sahc substitution by integration of peaks: 71%. Here is also the difficulty to note to accurately assess the occupancy (i.e., the degree of Met-to-Sahc replacement) for each particular side chain because the SPI as substitution method works in a statistical fashion.

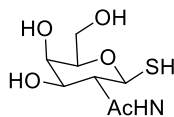
### 1.4.4. SDS-PAGE-gel



**Figure S12.** SDS-PAGE analysis gel of all stages of expression and purification of cfGFPhs1-RM(1Sahc:134Sahc:143Sahc). M: Marker Prestained Protein Ladder, Thermo Scientific™; ni: non induced sample before expression; i: induced sample after expression; lys: lysate (soluble); pel: pellet (insoluble); ft: flow through; wa: first wash with N<sub>B</sub> Ni-NTA column; el: eluate Ni-NTA column; fin: final protein fraction used for analyses and reactions.

## 2. Syntheses of small ligands and precursors

### 2.1. 2-Acetamido-2-deoxy-β-D-galactopyranosyl-1-thiol (GalNAc) 7:

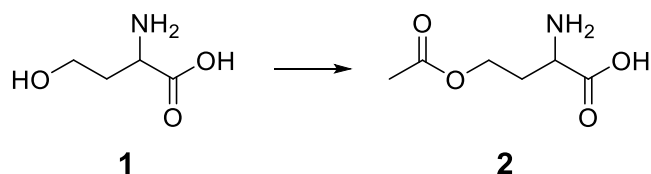


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**Figure S13.** Structure of GalNAc 7.

Synthesis by Sebastian Köhling [1].

## 2.2. O-acetyl-L-homocysteine (Oahc) 2:



**Figure S14.** One-step reaction of L-homoserine 1 to Oahc 2.

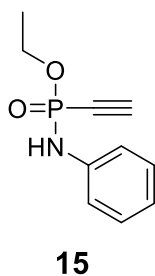
To a round bottomed flask containing a mixture of glacial acetic acid (99.9%, 17.8 mL) and perchloric acid (70%, 927  $\mu$ L, 10.75 mmol, 1.28 eq.), was added the L-homoserine (1.0 g, 8.39 mmol, 1.0 eq.). While cooling the mixture to 17  $^{\circ}$ C, acetic anhydride (3.53 mL, 37.37 mmol, 4.45 eq.) was added carefully under stirring. The stirring was ceased for 90 min at room temperature. The reaction was then quenched by adding water (700  $\mu$ L, 40.00 mmol) and stirred for another hour. Unreacted perchloric acid was decomposed by adding amyl amine (1.5 mL, 12.90 mmol). To the resulting mixture was added diethyl ether (200 mL) and kept at 4  $^{\circ}$ C overnight. The resulting precipitate was filtered off and the crude product (1.65 g) was dissolved in water (10 mL) and ethanol (70 mL). After standing overnight at 4 $^{\circ}$ C a second precipitate was obtained. This product was isolated by filtration and yielded 554 mg (3.44 mmol, 41%) of the desired O-acetyl-L-homoserine 2 as a white solid.

ESI-MS:  $m/z = 162.0756$  [M + H] $^{+}$ ; calculated for [C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>4</sub> + H] $^{+}$ : 162.0761.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, 10% CD<sub>3</sub>OD in D<sub>2</sub>O)  $\delta$ : 4.25 (2H, t,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 4-H), 3.82 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.2, 5.3$  Hz, 2-H), 2.26 - 2.32 (1H, m, 3-Ha), 2.16 - 2.23 (1H, m, 3-Hb), 2.11 (3H, s, 6-H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (126 MHz, 10% CD<sub>3</sub>OD in D<sub>2</sub>O)  $\delta$ : 175.1 (5-C), 174.7 (1-C), 62.7 (4-C), 53.8 (2-C), 30.4 (3-C), 21.4 (6-C).

## 2.3. Ethyl-N-phenyl-P-ethynyl phosphonamidate 15



**Figure S15.** Structure of phenyl phosphonamidate (PP) 15.

The compound 15 was synthesised according to the general procedure from 1.45 ml diethyl chlorophosphite (10.07 mmol) and 1.00 g phenyl azide (8.39 mmol). The crude phosphonamidate was

purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (50% n-hexane in EtOAc) and obtained as a yellowish solid. (1.4 g, 6.74 mmol, 80.3%) [2].

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  = 7.33 – 7.25 (m, 2H), 7.20 (d,  $J=7.6$ , 1H), 7.16 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 7.05 – 6.94 (m, 1H), 4.35 – 4.10 (m, 2H), 2.91 (d,  $J=12.9$ , 1H), 1.39 (t,  $J=7.1$ , 3H).

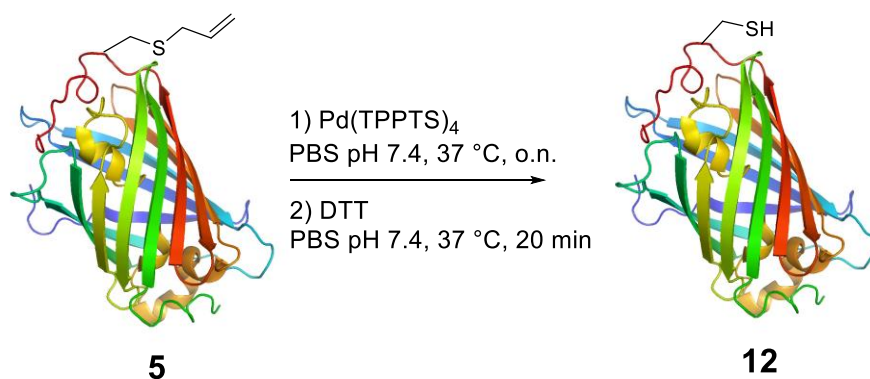
$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  = 139.18, 129.28, 122.23, 118.16 (d,  $J=7.6$ ), 87.77 (d,  $J=48.8$ ), 76.39 (d,  $J=272.9$ ), 62.13 (d,  $J=5.1$ ), 16.17 (d,  $J=7.4$ ).

$^{31}\text{P}$  NMR (243 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  = -8.75. HR-MS for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_2\text{P}^+[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  calcd.: 210.0678, found: 210.0680.

#### 2.4. Generation of $\text{Pd}(\text{TPPTS})_4$

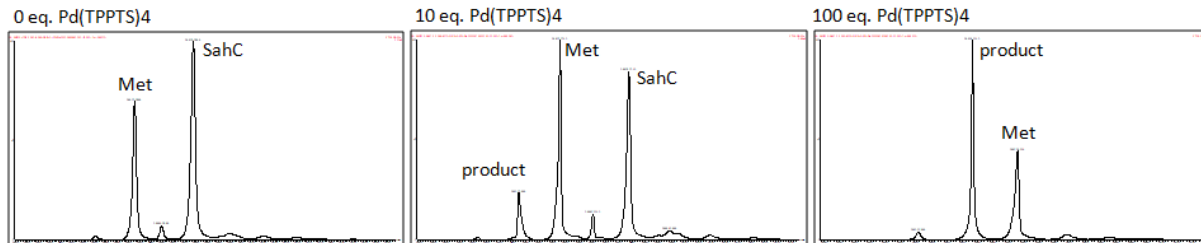
3,3',3''-Phosphanetriyltris(benzenesulfonic acid) trisodium salt (TPPTS) (6 eq., 15.2 mg, 26.8  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) was dissolved in 250  $\mu\text{l}$  of PBS pH 7.4. Palladium(II) acetate (1.0 mg, 4.45  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) was added to generate the pale brown 17.8 mM  $\text{Pd}(\text{TPPTS})_4$ .

#### 2.5. Deallylation reactions of cfG1Sahc 5 with $\text{Pd}(\text{TPPTS})_4$ catalyst



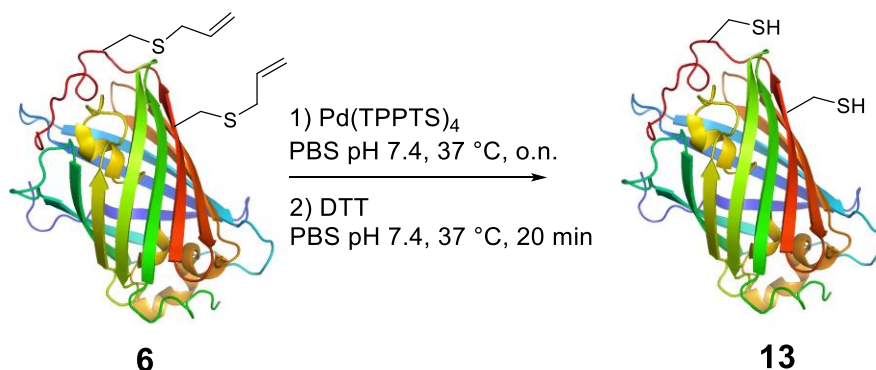
**Figure S16. Deallylation reaction of cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc).** cfG1Sahc 5 allowed to react to cfGFPhs1-RM(hC) 12.

To cfG1Sahc 5 (1.78 nmol) in 36.3  $\mu\text{l}$  PBS pH 7.4 was added the previous solution of  $\text{Pd}(\text{TPPTS})_4$  (17.8 mM). The deprotection was carried out with either 10 eq. (17.8 nmol, 0.1  $\mu\text{l}$ ) or 100 eq. (178 nmol, 1  $\mu\text{l}$ ) of  $\text{Pd}(\text{TPPTS})_4$ . The mixtures were shaken at 37 °C overnight. Next a large excess of Dithiothreitol (DTT) (1000 eq., 1.78  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 274  $\mu\text{g}$ ) was added and the solution was kept at 37 °C for 20 min, w/up. Full deprotection could be achieved with 100 eq.  $\text{Pd}(\text{TPPTS})_4$ . The product cfGFPhs1-RM(hC) 12 was analysed by ESI QToF MS. Calculated MW: 26638 Da Detected MW: 26638 Da.



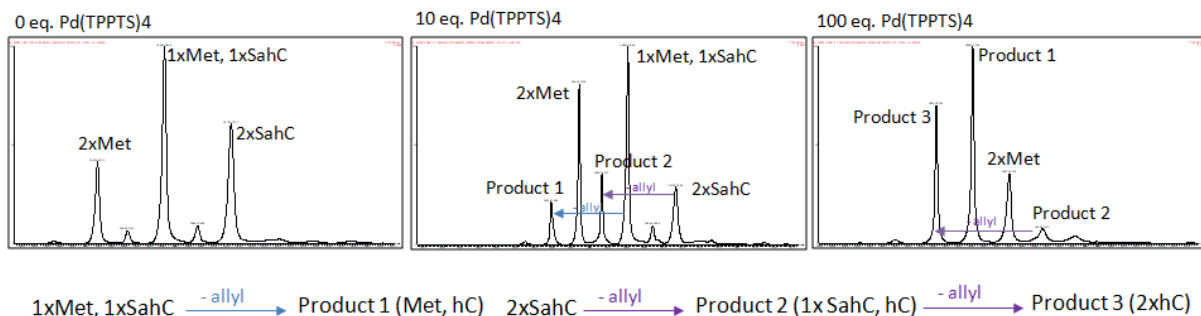
**Figure S17. Deprotection progression with 10 and 100 eq. of the catalyst.** Detected mass (ESI QToF) of starting material cfG1Sahc **5**: 26678 Da and the detected mass of the product **12**: 26638 Da.

### 2.6. Deallylation reactions of cfG2Sahc **6** with Pd(TPPTS) catalyst



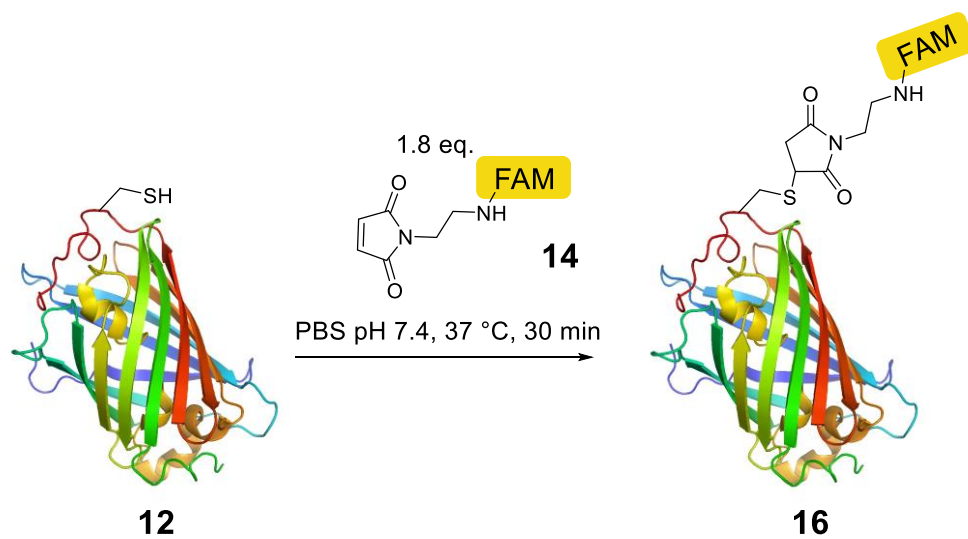
**Figure 18. Deallylation reaction of cfGFPhs1-RM(134Sahc:143Sahc).** cfG2Sahc **6** was allowed to react to cfGFPhs1-RM(2hc) **13**.

To cfG2Sahc **6** (1.78 nmol) in 36.3  $\mu$ l PBS pH 7.4 was added the previous solution of Pd(TPPTS)<sub>4</sub> (17.8 mM). The deprotection was carried out with either 10 eq. (17.8 nmol, 0.1  $\mu$ l) or 100 eq. (178 nmol, 1  $\mu$ l) of Pd(TPPTS)<sub>4</sub>. The mixtures were shaken at 37 °C overnight. Next a large excess of Dithiothreitol (DTT) (1000 eq., 1.78  $\mu$ mol, 274  $\mu$ g) was added and the solution was kept at 37 °C for 20 min, w/up. Full deprotection could be achieved with 100 eq. Pd(TPPTS)<sub>4</sub>. The product cfGFPhs1-RM(2hc) **13** was analysed by ESI QToF MS. Calculated MW: 26627 Da; Detected MW: 26626 Da.



**Figure S19. Deprotection progression with 10 and 100 eq. of the catalyst.** Detected mass (ESI QToF) of starting material cfG2Sahc **6**: 26707 Da and the detected mass of the product **13**: 26626 Da.

2.7. Conjugation of FAM maleimide **14** to fcGFPs1-RM(hC) **12**



**Figure S20. Conjugation reaction of fcGFPs1-RM(hC) with FM.** cfGFP(hC) **12** was allowed to react with FM **14** to yield cfGFP(hC)-FM **16**.

6-FAM maleimide was purchased from Lumiprobe© (cat. # 44180). The 6-FAM maleimide **14** (1.8 eq., 0.5 mg in 500  $\mu\text{l}$  DMSO, 1 nmol  $\mu\text{l}^{-1}$ , 0.5  $\mu\text{l}$ ) was added to cfGFP(hC) **12** (0.28 nmol/10  $\mu\text{l}$  in PBS pH 7.4) and incubated at 37 °C for 30 min, w/up. The product **16** was analysed by ESI QToF MS. Calculated MW: 27137 Da; Detected MW: 27140 Da.

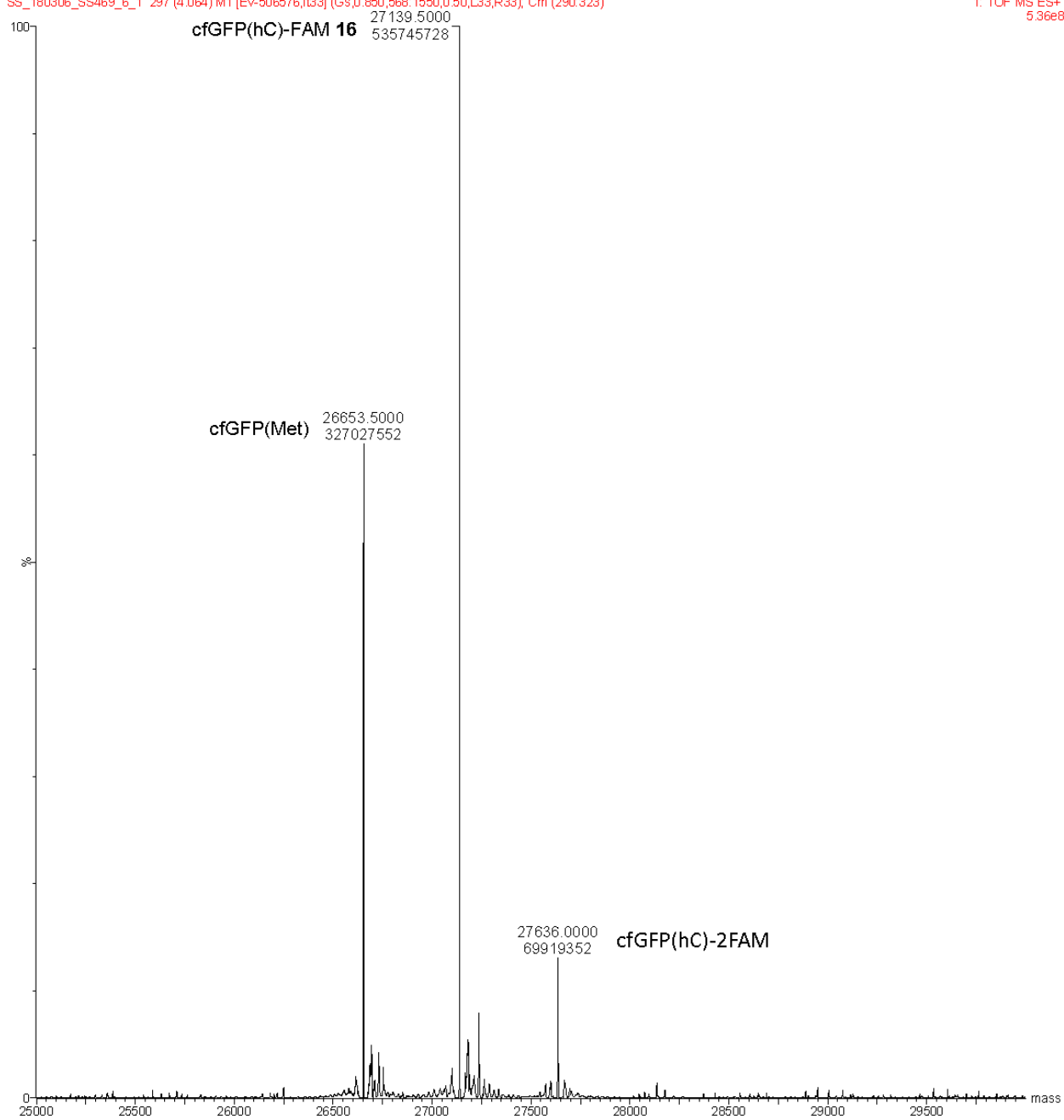
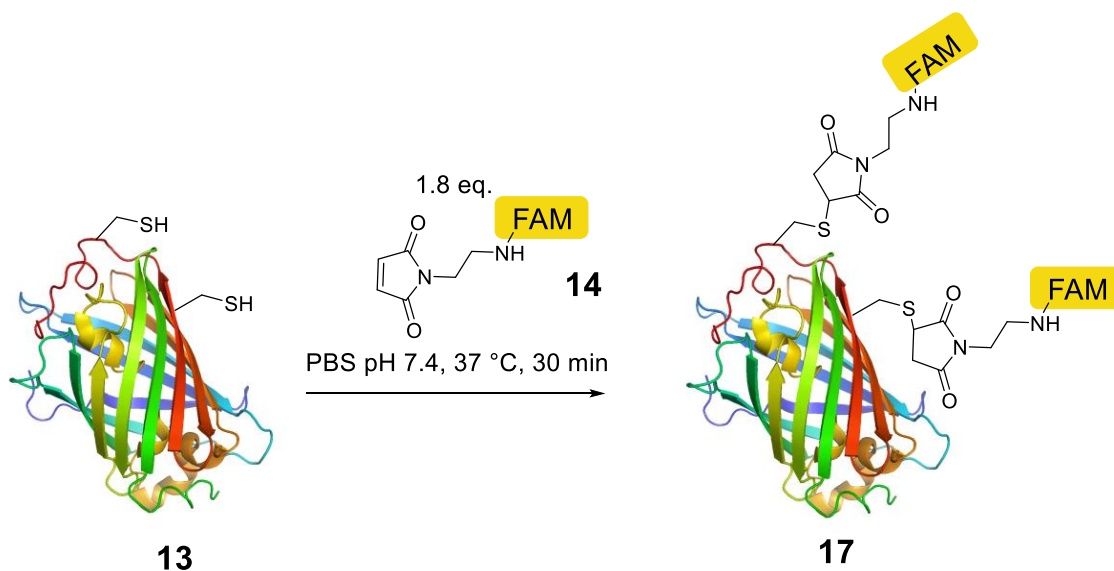


Figure S21. ESI QToF spectrum of FAM maleimide 14 conjugation with cfGFP(hC) 12 after 30 min.



2.8. Conjugation of FAM maleimide **14** to fcGFPs1-RM(2hC) **13**



**Figure S22. Conjugation reaction of fcGFPs1-RM(2hC) with FM.** cfGFP(2hC) **13** was allowed to react with FM **14** to yield cfGFP(2hC)-2FM **17**.

6-FAM maleimide was purchased from Lumiprobe (cat. # 44180). The 6-FAM maleimide **14** (1.8 eq., 0.5 mg in 500  $\mu$ l DMSO, 1 nmol  $\mu$ l<sup>-1</sup>, 0.5  $\mu$ l) was added to cfGFP(2hC) **13** (0.28 nmol/10  $\mu$ l in PBS pH 7.4) and incubated at 37 °C for 30 min, w/up. The product **17** was analysed by ESI QToF MS. Calculated MW: 27623 Da; Detected MW: 27627 Da.

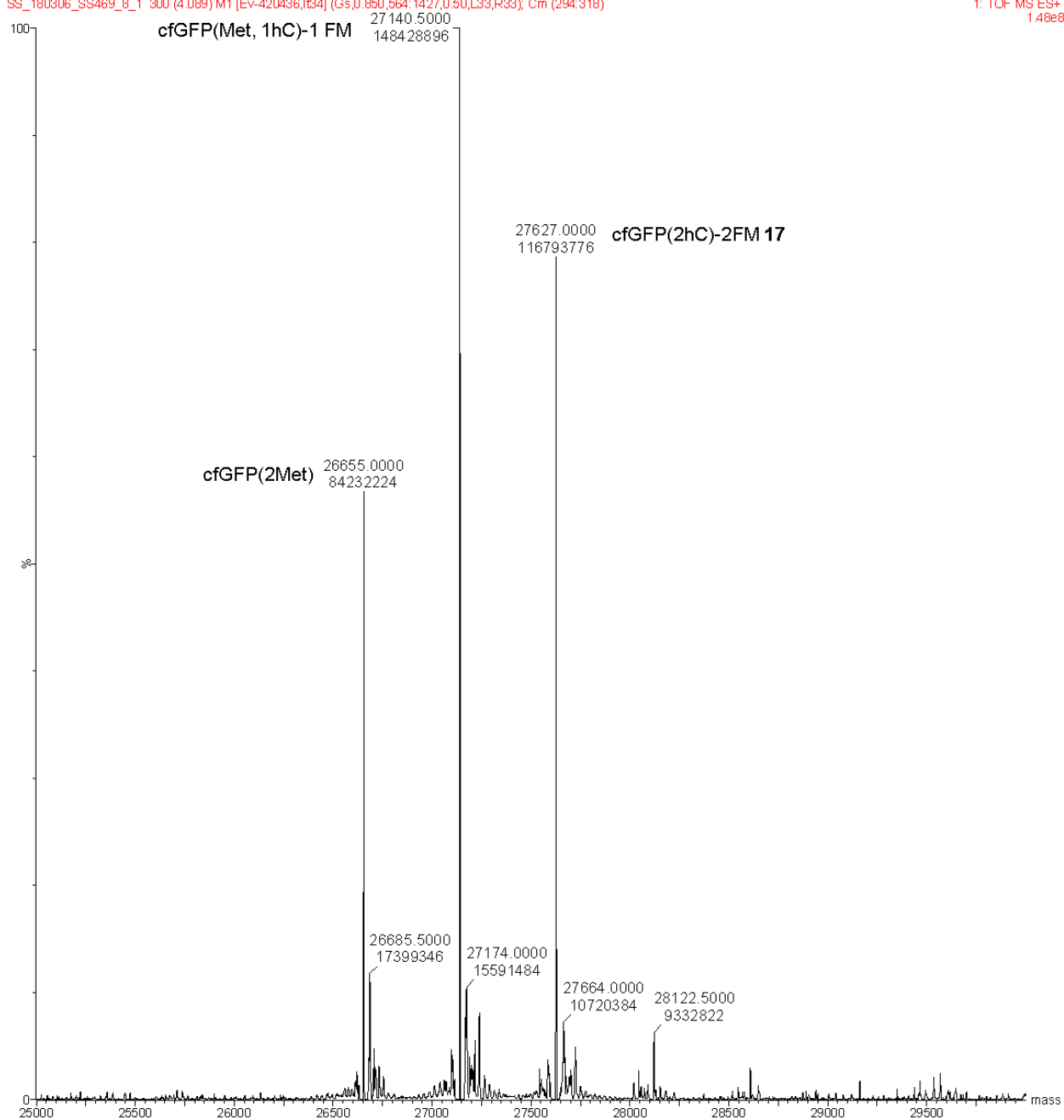
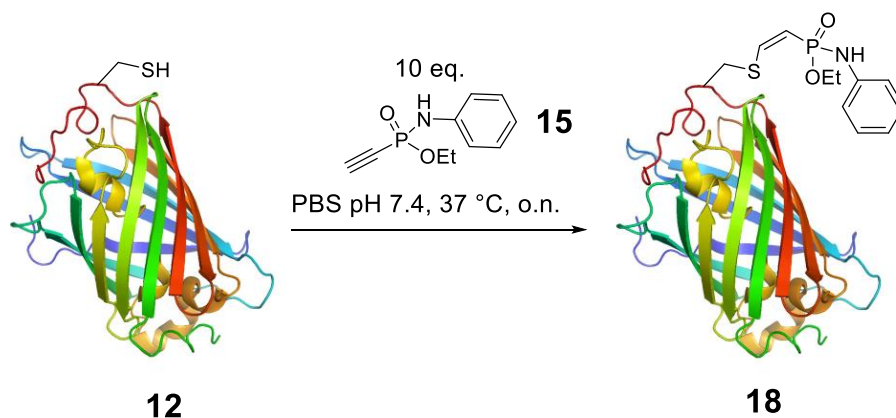


Figure S23. ESI QTOF spectrum of FAM maleimide **14** conjugation with cfGFP(2 hC) **13** after 30 min.

2.9. Conjugation of Phenyl phosphonamidate **15** to cfGFP<sub>hC</sub>-RM(hC) **12**



**Figure S24. Conjugation reaction of cfGFP<sub>hC</sub>-RM(hC) with PP.** cfGFP(hC) **12** was allowed to react with PP **15** to yield cfGFP<sub>hC</sub>-RM(hC)-PP **18**.

Phenyl phosphonamidate (PP) **15** (10 eq., 6 nmol  $\mu\text{l}^{-1}$ , 0.5  $\mu\text{l}$ ) was added to cfGFP(hC) **12** (0.28 nmol/10  $\mu\text{l}$  in PBS pH 7.4) and incubated at 37 °C overnight, w/up. The product cfGFP<sub>hC</sub>-RM(hC)-PP **18** was analysed by ESI QToF MS. Calculated MW: 2684 Da; Detected MW: 26848 Da.

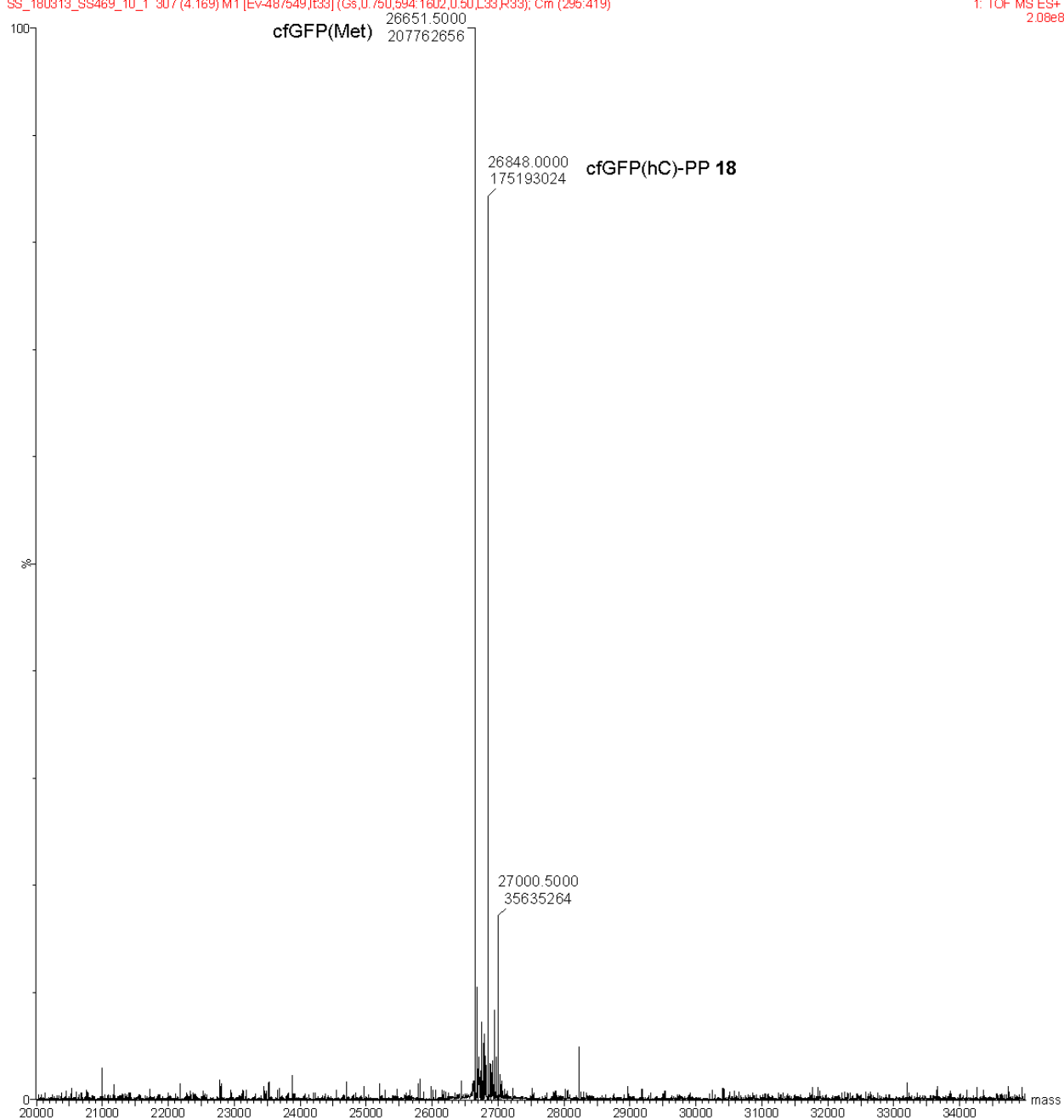
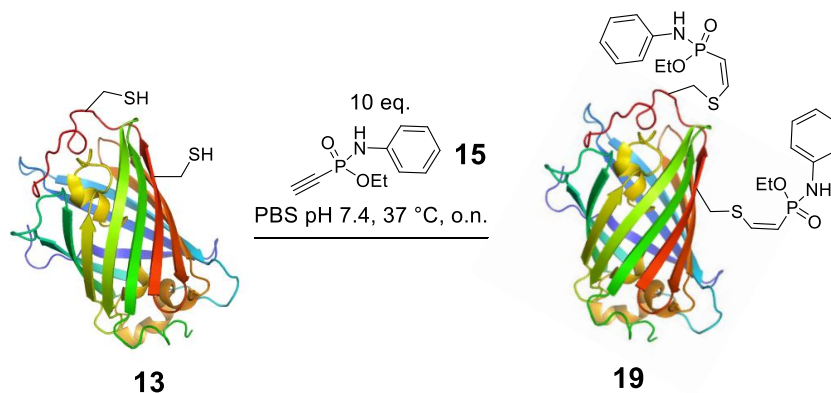


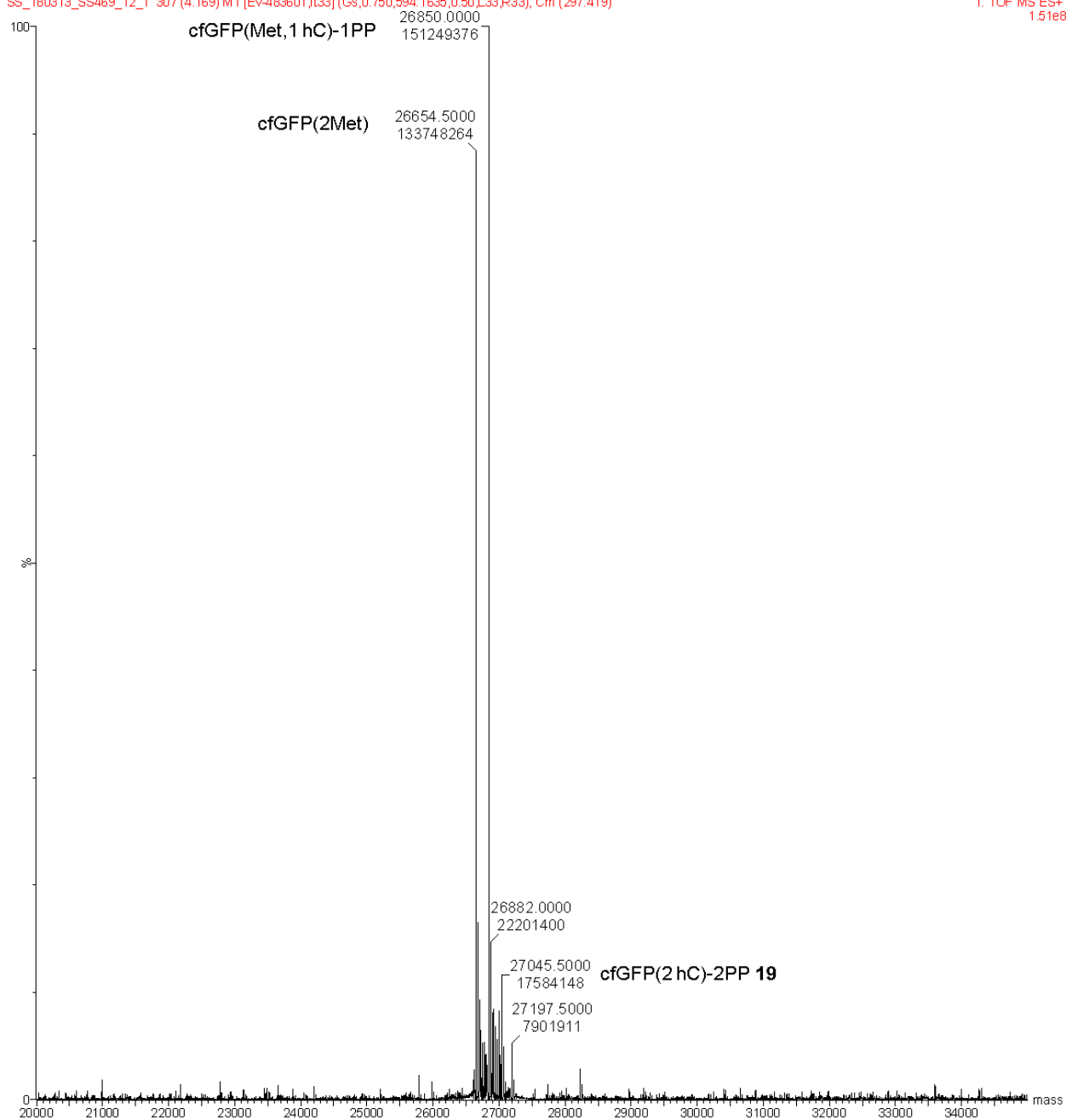
Figure S25. ESI QToF spectrum of Phenyl phosphonamidate (PP) 15 conjugation with cfGFP(hC) 12 after overnight.

2.10. Conjugation of Phenyl phosphonamidate to cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(2hC) **13**



**Figure S26. Conjugation reaction of cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(2hC) with PP.** cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(2hC) **13** was allowed to react with PP **15** to yield cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(2hC)-2PP **19**

Phenyl phosphonamidate (PP) **15** (10 eq., 6 nmol  $\mu\text{l}^{-1}$ , 0.5  $\mu\text{l}$ ) was added to cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(2hC) **13** (0.28 nmol/10  $\mu\text{l}$  in PBS pH 7.4) and incubated at 37 °C overnight, w/up. The product cfGFP<sub>h</sub>s1-RM(2hC)-2PP **19** was analysed by ESI QToF MS. Calculated MW: 27044 Da; Detected MW: 27045 Da.



**Figure S27.** ESI QToF spectrum of Phenyl phosphoramidate (PP) **15** conjugation with cfGFP<sub>h1</sub>-RM(2hC) **13** after overnight incubation.

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