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SEPARATION OF IGG GLYCOFORMS FOR BIOSIMILARS DEVELOPMENT USING FC GAMMA RECEPTORS AS AFFINITY-BASED CHROMATOGRAPHY LIGANDS

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Abstract: In biosimilars development, matching the glycosylation pattern of the innovator molecule can be a significant challenge in cell culture development. Here we present a novel downstream method using Fc gamma receptors as chromatography affinity ligands to separate monoclonal antibody glycoforms. Additional data is presented highlighting glycoform potentiation of effector functions such as antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity (ADCC) and phagocytosis which can be important mechanisms of action to consider in biosimilars development.