Spectral Libraries and DIA Library Generation — Hands-on

Understand how spectral libraries connect LC–MS/MS identifications to DIA-based quantification. This module focuses on the concepts behind spectral libraries, how DDA experiments feed library building, the role of retention time anchoring and formats, and how to plan DIA-ready libraries for reproducible proteome coverage.

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Spectral Library Concepts & Content

What a spectral library represents in proteomics

linking peptide IDs to reference spectra **fragment m/z and intensity patterns** **retention time annotations**

Key fields stored for each library entry (conceptual)

peptide sequence and charge **modification state** **quality and confidence tags**

Types of spectral libraries and their roles

project specific vs public | organism or tissue focused | general vs targeted panels

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DDA-Based Library Building Logic

Using DDA runs as input to libraries

sample selection ideas | fractionation to gain coverage | importance of high confidence IDs

Filtering and curating candidate peptides for a library

FDR and quality thresholds | charge state and length ranges | handling modifications conceptually

Retention time and iRT anchoring concepts

normalizing retention times | using reference peptides transfer between gradients idea

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DIA-Focused Libraries & Formats

How DIA engines use spectral libraries conceptually

matching DIA fragments to library entries | scoring of candidate matches | role of RT and fragment patterns

Library formats and practical considerations (high level)

generic vs tool specific formats | embedded vs external RT scales | managing versions of libraries

Predicted spectral and hybrid libraries (conceptual)

motivation for predicted libraries | combining experimental and predicted content | coverage vs

confidence tradeoffs

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Planning DIA Studies Around Libraries

Designing a DIA experiment with library needs in mind

theory plus planning worksheet

Library maintenance, extension and documentation

adding new peptides over time | tracking provenance and parameters | linking library versions to studies

Reporting library generation workflows in studies

summaries for methods sections | tables describing coverage and content | exporting library subsets for sharing