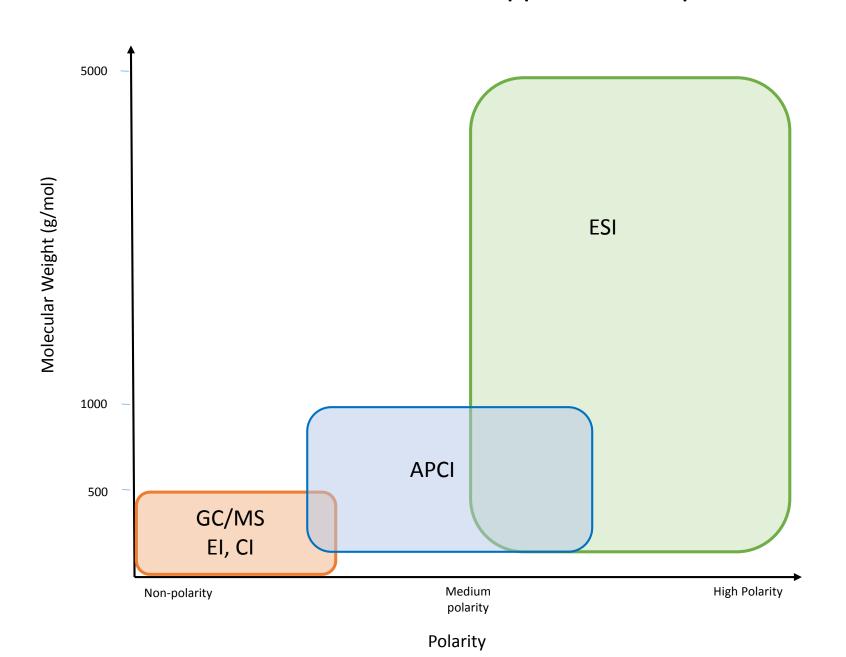
Ionization methods and applicable compounds



Which analyse for your sample?

| Sample type | Molecular weight (g/mol) | Introduction mode | Ionization mode | Quantity | Expected results | Resolution | Precautions |
|--|--------------------------|--|--|----------|--|------------|--|
| Thermally stable Non-polar (hydrocarbures, esters,) | MW < 500 | GC : Gas Chromatography Provide chromatogramme | EI: Electron impact ionization | 5 mg | -Fragmentation -Molecular pic possible M ^{+.} | Low | - No H ₂ O - No molecules > 500 g/mol - No complexes - Samples will be filtred if in solution |
| | | | CI : Chimical ionization (NH ₃) | | -Few fragmentation -Pseudo-molecular pic : MH ⁺ and/or MNH ₄ ⁺ | | |
| Non-polar (sugars, amines,) | 150 < MW < 5000 | Direct introduction | ESI: Electrospray ionization -T° _{source} : 180 °C -Analyses: + (amines) and - (acids, alcohol) | 1 mg | -No (or few) fragmentation - Ion mono- and multicharged products: In +: MH ⁺ and/or MNa ⁺ (MK ⁺), (M+2H) ²⁺ , (M+2Na) ²⁺ In -: MH ⁻ | High | - No DMSO and DMF - No tampon (TFA) - No salt - Samples will be filtred if in solution |
| | | LC : Liquid Chromatography | | | | | |
| Moderately polar | 150 < MW < 1000 | Direct introduction | APCI : Atmospheric Pressure Chimical Ionization -T° _{source} : 400 °C -Analyses : + and - | 1 mg | -No (or few) fragmentation -Ion monocharged products : MH ⁺ or MH ⁻ | High | - No DMSO and DMF - No tampon (TFA) - No salt - Samples will be filtred if in solution |
| | | LC : Liquid Chromatography | | | | | |

Operating procedure: ESI

- ✓ Provide 1 mg of sample in 2 mL vial and write the name on
- ✓ The sample is dissolved into the solvent you indicate (C = 1 mg/mL). Don't use DMSO and DMF
- ✓ 10 μ L of this solution are diluted in 1 mL of MeOH (C = 10 μ g/mL)
- ✓ Injection of 5 μ L driven by a mix of H₂O:MeOH (50:50)

Operating procedure : CI/EI

- ✓ Provide 5 mg of sample in 2 mL vial and write the name on
- ✓ The sample is dissolved into the solvent you indicate (C = 5 mg/mL). Don't use H_2O , DMSO and DMF

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