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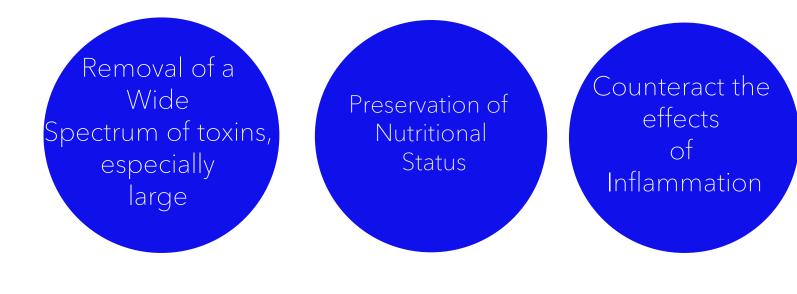
Engineering the extraordinary

Advances in hemodialysis Supra HFR Advanced Therapy

Please refer to the Instruction for Use of Supra HFR procedure packs and included components (that are medical devices CE0123) for the available instruction, contraindications, warnings and precautions, together with User manuals of Flexya and Formula machines.



Challenges with Extracorporeal Renal Replacement Today



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Supra HFR Technical design

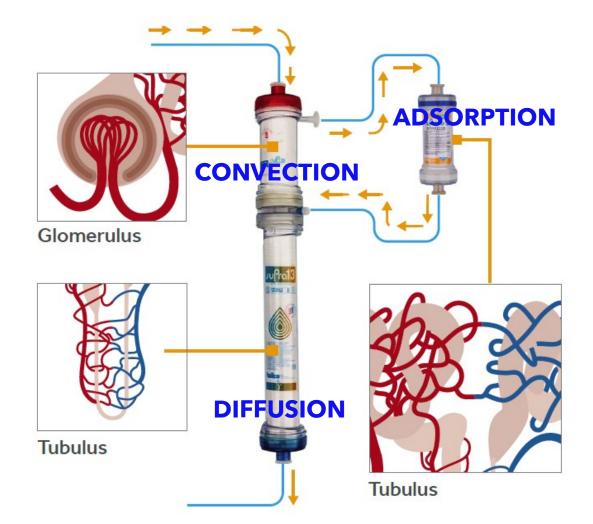
Supra HFR is the HDF therapy based on the HFR (HemodiaFiltration with endogenous Reinfusion) concept that mimics the physiology of the human kidney. The substitution fluid is **endogenous** because obtained by regeneration of the same own patient ultrafiltrate.

Convection, diffusion and adsorption are the three separated purification mechanisms grouped in two devices^{1,2}:

- a double-chamber filter
- a resin adsorbent cartridge.

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Adsorption focus: how does the resin work

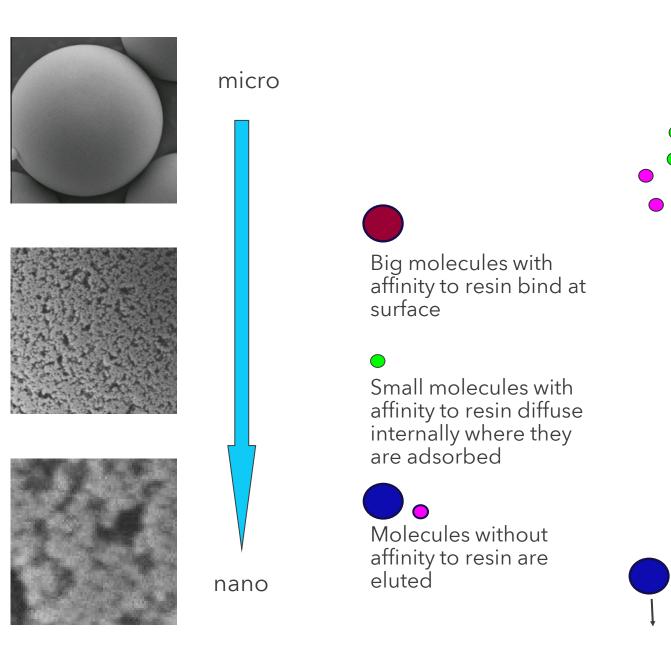
Hydrophobic styrene resin inside the cartridge

Different affinities based on chemical, physical or electrical interactions allows resin to adsorb molecules.

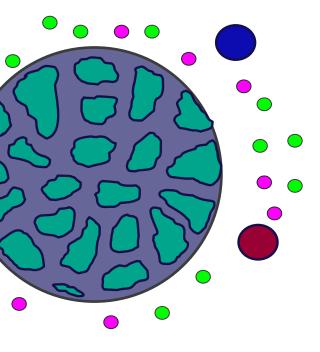
Typical adsorbed molecules: β2microglobulin, homocysteine, angiogenin, PTH, myoglobin several chemokines and cytokines

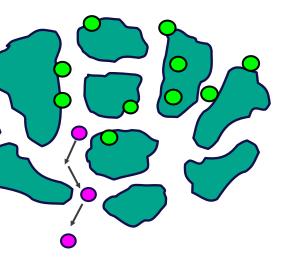
The resin structure offers high sorbent surface area (up to 700 m²/g) thanks to many pores and channels.

The resin has been proven not to retain albumin and essential physiological molecules.



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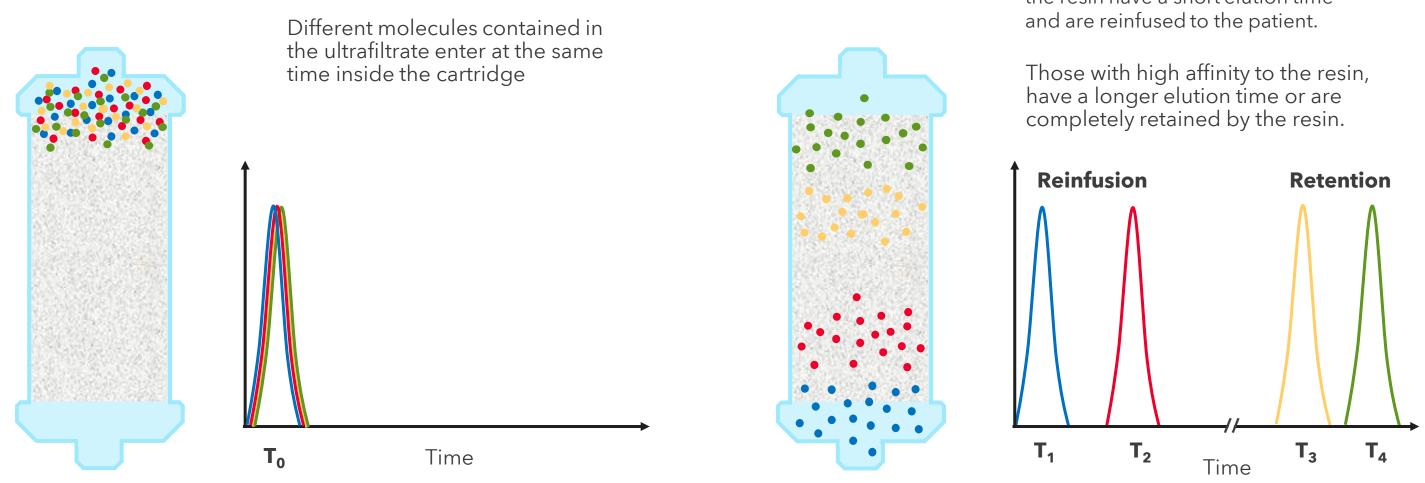




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Adsorption Focus: chromatography column

Sorbent cartridge performs as a **chromatography column**

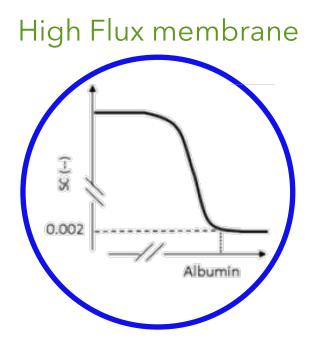


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Molecules with little or no affinity to the resin have a short elution time

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Permeability of the convective stage membrane



Synclear 02 [™] membrane	
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	ΤΝΓ-α	IL-6	AAG	Albumin
Molecular weight	Monomer 17 kDa, trimer 51 kDa	23-26 kDa	41-41 kDa	66,5 kDa
Stokes radii	monomer 1.9 nm / trimer 2,3 nm	2 nm	3,5 nm	3,5 nm
Polyphenylene H	31%	9%	1%	0%
Synclear 02	74%	35%	11%	3%

Supra HFR convective chamber is equipped by Synclear 02[™] membrane

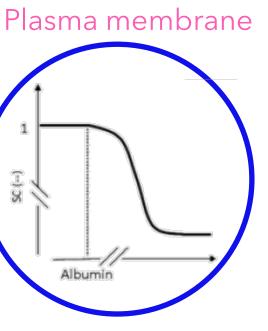
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The expansion of the permeability over the standard high flux is allowed by the selective resin adsorption.

Supra HFR therapy is an advanced alternative to HDF online.

Extraction percentage of different molecules with different membranes

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Main clinical results

Evaluation design

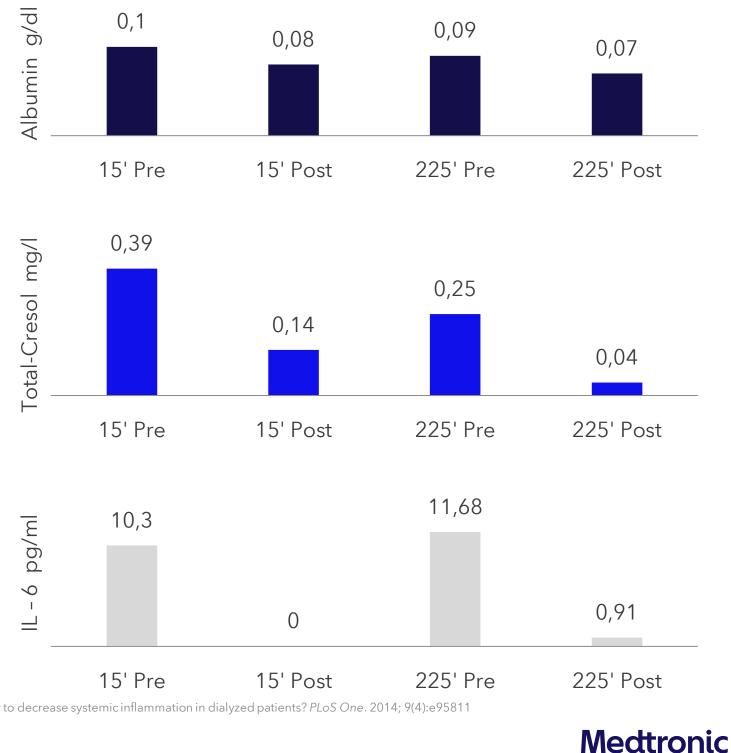
- 12 ESRD patients three times weekly hemodialysis
- Single dialysis session evaluation
- Pre and post cartridge sampling 15' and 225'

Investigation focus

- Retention capacity of the resin along a 4 hours session
- P-cresol, IL-6 and albumin

Remarkable outcomes

- Effective removal of protein bound toxins, cytokines and albumin saving along the whole dialysis session
 - Significant adsorption of P-cresol and IL-6
 - No albumin retention



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Supra HFR Main clinical results

Evaluation design

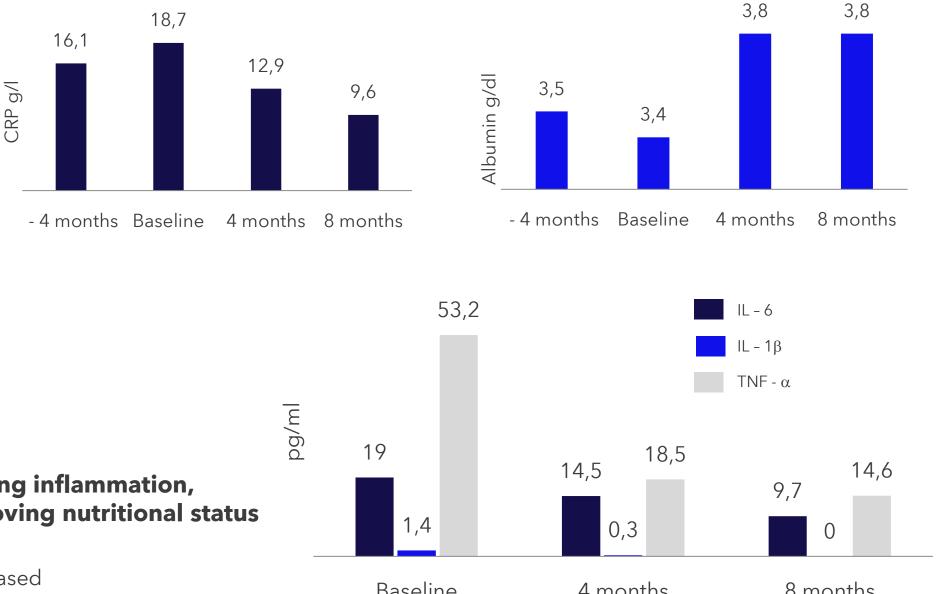
- 24 patients (>6 months HD)
- CRP > 5 mg/L•
- Albumin <4 g/dL
- Pre dialysis serum sampling at 0, 4, 8 months in Supra HFR

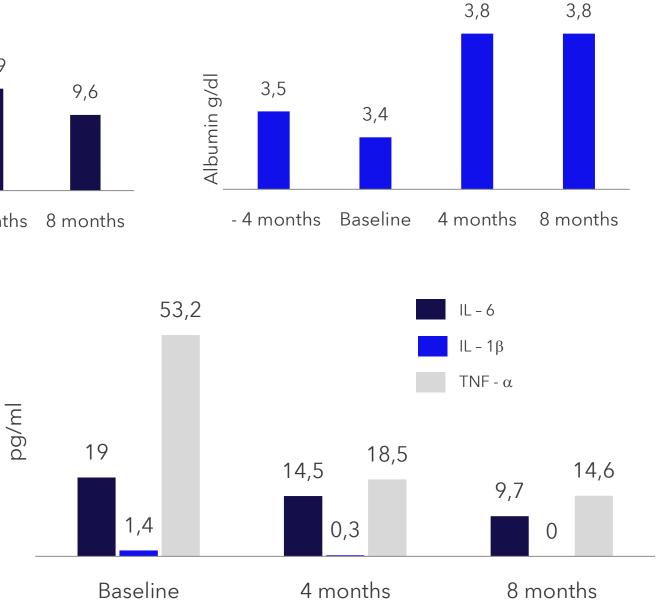
Investigation focus

- Long terms effect on •
 - Inflammation _
 - Albumin levels _

Remarkable outcomes

- Medium long terms benefits in improving inflammation, increasing blood purification and improving nutritional status
- In 4 and 8 months periods •
 - serum levels of CRP, IL-6, IL-1b, TNF-a decreased _
 - Albumin levels significantly increased _





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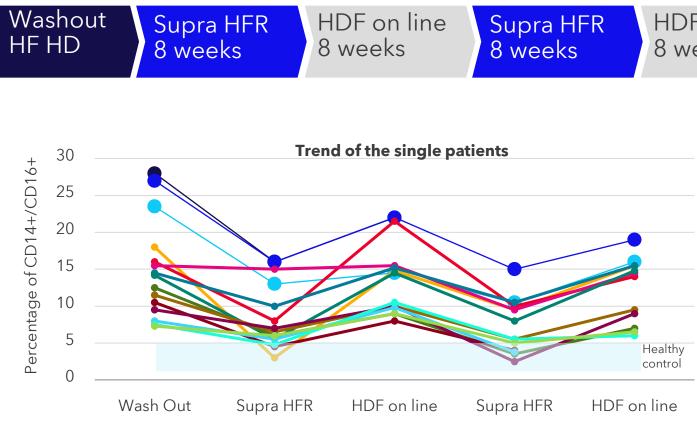
- Perspective crossover study •
- 16 patients •
- 4 periods 8 weeks long •
- Comparison vs HDF on line

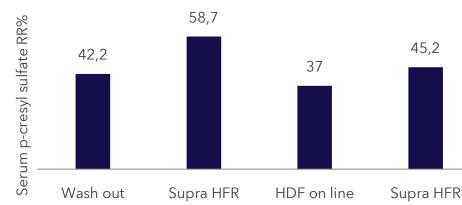
Investigation focus

- Effectiveness comparison in
 - Improvement of inflammatory status
 - Impact on endothelial damage _
 - Uremic toxins removal _

Remarkable outcomes

- Improvement of the inflammatory status up to • achieve healthy control levels
- The study design and the results allow to relate • strong benefits of Supra HFR compared to HDF on line in most all the targets





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HDF on line 8 weeks



HDF on line



Meaningfully removes large molecular weight and protein-bound toxins¹⁻³

Benefits of Supra HFR therapy includes blood purification in a wide range of molecular size so suitable for treating patients with high concentration of large molecular weight toxins and of proteinbound toxins

Preserves beneficial molecules^{1,4}

Benefits of Supra HFR therapy includes preservation of beneficial molecules such as aminoacids and vitamins.

Improves inflammatory conditions^{1,2}

Benefits of Supra HFR therapy includes reduced inflammation. CRP, IL-6 and several inflammatory markers decrease.

Improves quality of life⁵

Benefits of Supra HFR therapy include improved quality of life.



Supra HFR Main clinical results



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