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“The physical phenomenon”

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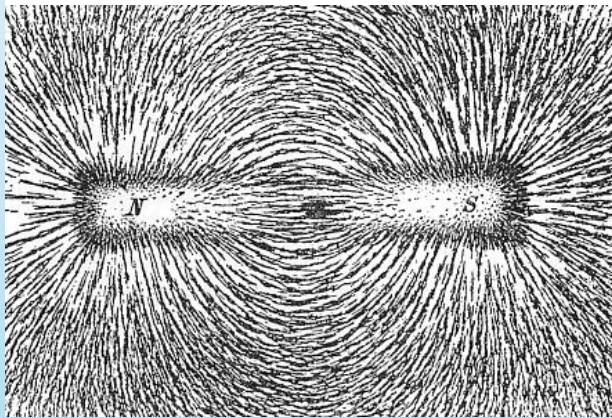
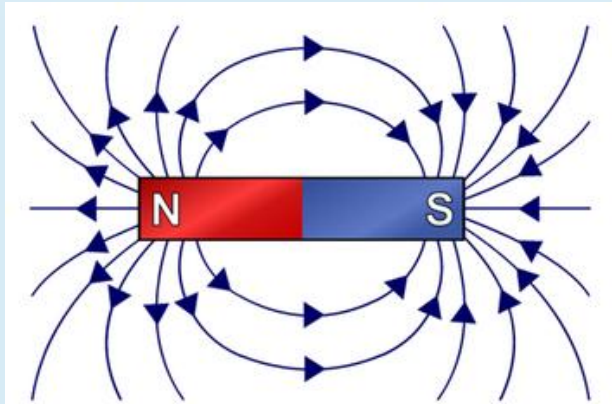


**UMG**  
*Dubium sapientiae initium*

- Electricity and magnetism are different facets of *electromagnetism*
  - a moving electric charge produces magnetic fields
  - changing magnetic fields move electric charges
- This connection first elucidated by Faraday, Maxwell
- Einstein saw electricity and magnetism as frame-dependent facets of *unified* electromagnetic force

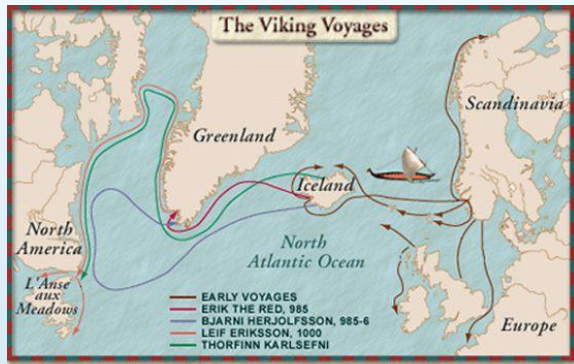


■ **Magnetic field** is a solenoidal vector field generated in space by the motion of an electric charge or a time-varying electric field. The magnetic field can also be generated with special materials (permanent magnets)



	Constituents	
	Major	Minor
<b>Soft Magnetic Materials</b>		
Iron	Fe	
Silicon Steel	Fe	Si
Nickel-Iron	Fe Ni	
Moly Permalloy	Ni Fe	Mo
Iron-Cobalt	Fe Co	V
Soft Ferrite	Fe Mn Ni Zn	O
Metallic Glasses	Fe Co Ni	B Si P
<b>Permanent Magnets</b>		
Co-Steels	Fe Co	
Alnico	Fe Ni Co Al Cu	Ti Si
Platinum Cobalt	Pt Co	
Hard Ferrites	Fe Sr	
SmCo	Co Sm Gd Fe Cu Zr	
Neodymium-iron-boror	Fe Nd Dy (Y) B Co	Cu Ga Al Nb
Cerium-iron-boron	Fe Nd Ce B	
SmFeN	Fe Sm N	
MnBi	Mn Bi	
MnAl(C)	Mn Al	Cu C





Viking Discovery in the New World

Erik the Red

Leif Eriksson

Erik the Red landing in Iceland



Viking Ship



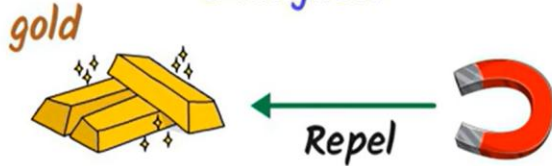
*Oersted Experiment*

*Faraday discovered that a current-carrying wire in addition to influencing a needle can be influenced by a magnet.*

*Ampère hypothesized that all magnetic phenomena were due to electric currents.*

## Diamagnetic materials

They are weakly repelled by a magnet.



## Paramagnetic materials

They are weakly attracted by a magnet.

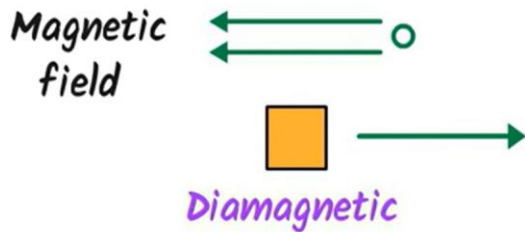


## Ferromagnetic materials

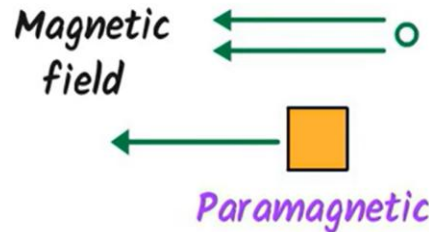
They are weakly strongly attracted by a magnet.



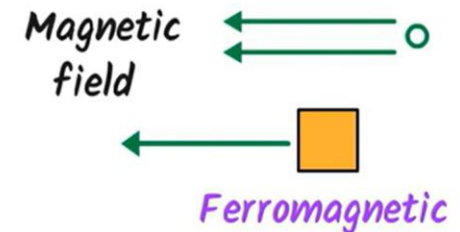
They are weakly magnetised in opposite direction of magnetic field.



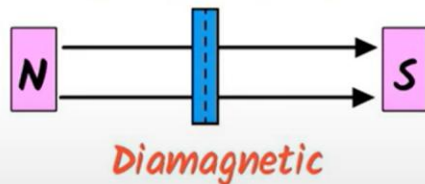
They are weakly magnetised in same direction of magnetic field.



They are strongly magnetised in same direction of magnetic field.



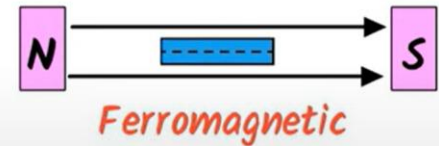
In a uniform magnetic field, they slowly align in perp direction.



In a uniform magnetic field, they slowly align in parallel...

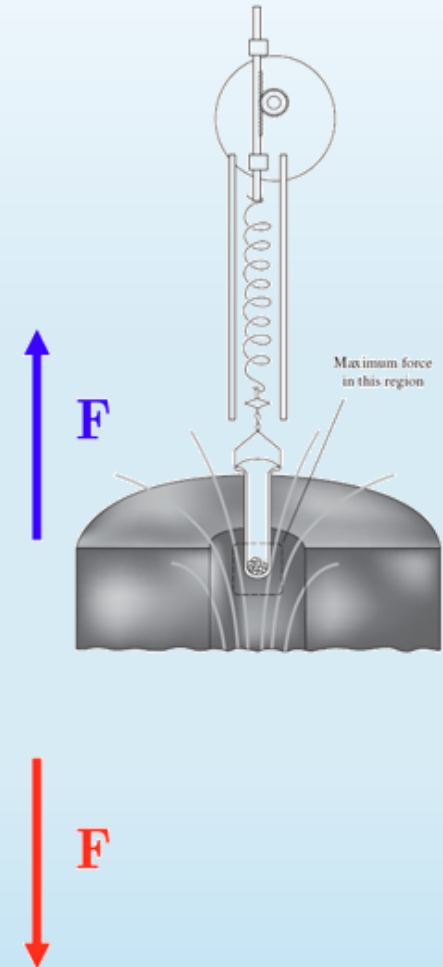


In a uniform magnetic field, they quickly align in parallel...

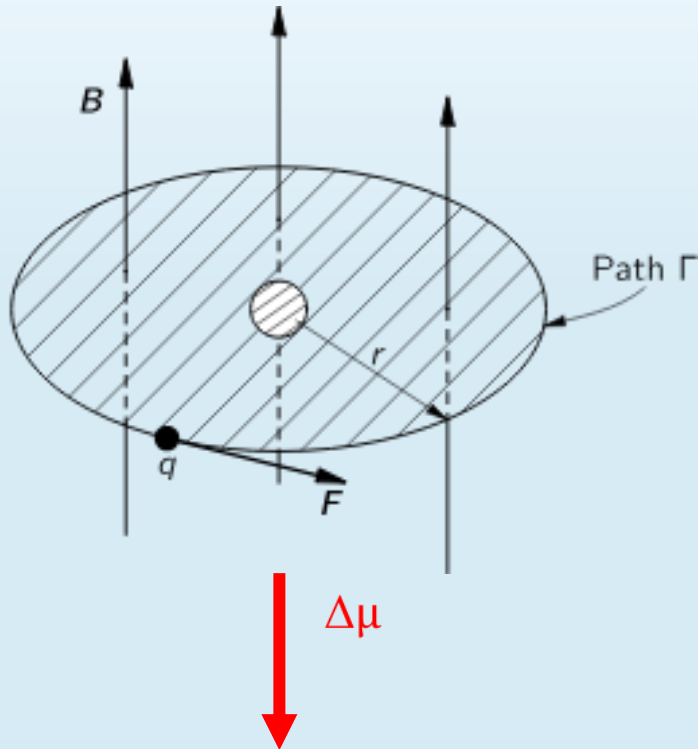


Force per kilogram near the upper end of the coil in our experiment, where  $B_z = 1.8$  tesla and  $dB_z/dz = 17$  tesla/m

Substance	Formula	Force (newtons)
<b>Diamagnetic</b>		
Water	H <sub>2</sub> O	-0.22
Copper	Cu	-0.026
Sodium chloride	NaCl	-0.15
Sulfur	S	-0.16
Diamond	C	-0.16
Graphite	C	-1.10
Liquid nitrogen	N <sub>2</sub>	-0.10 (78 K)
<b>Paramagnetic</b>		
Sodium	Na	0.20
Aluminum	Al	0.17
Copper chloride	CuCl <sub>2</sub>	2.8
Nickel sulfate	NiSO <sub>4</sub>	8.3
Liquid oxygen	O <sub>2</sub>	75 (90 K)
<b>Ferromagnetic</b>		
Iron	Fe	4000
Magnetite	Fe <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	1200



## Classical Mechanics



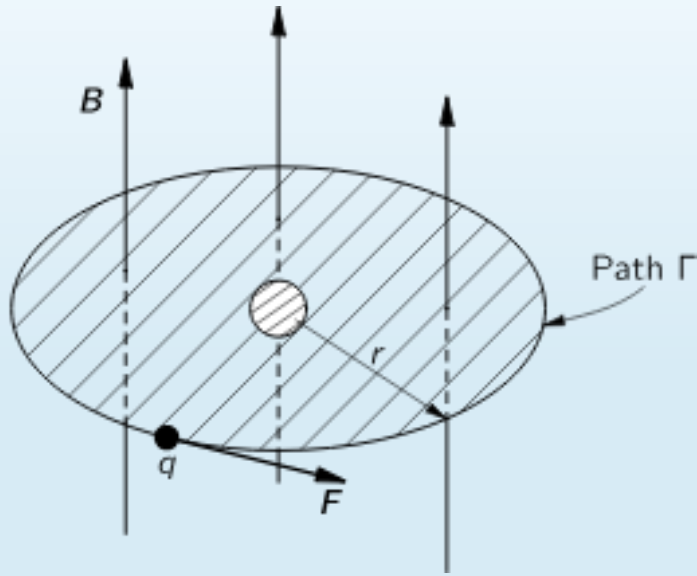
- 1) As the magnetic field changes an *electric* field is generated by magnetic induction  $E = -\frac{r}{2} \frac{dB}{dt}$
- 2) The induced electric field acting on an electron in the atom produces a torque equal to  $-qEr$  which must equal the rate of change of the angular momentum  $dJ/dt$
- 3) Extra angular momentum from the twist given to the electrons as the field is turned on  $\Delta J = \frac{qr^2}{2} B$
- 4)  $\Delta J$  makes an extra magnetic moment ( $\Delta\mu$ ) which, because it is an orbital motion, is just  $-q/2m$  times the angular momentum  $\Delta\mu = -\frac{q^2 \langle r^2 \rangle_{av}}{6m} B$

**Magnetic moment quantifies the force that the magnetic field exerts on an electric current**



## Limits

- 1) What is the mean square radius? Classical mechanics cannot supply an answer
- 2) Isolated system
- 3) Not valid for metals



## Quantum Mechanics

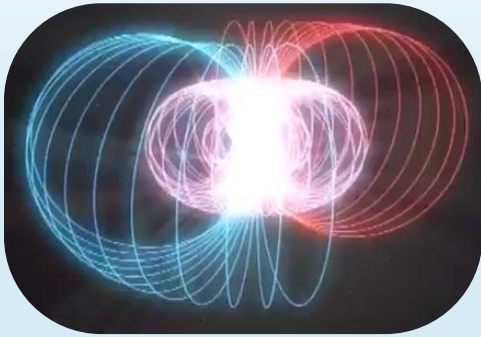
- 1) The Langevin theory is not the full picture for metals because there are also non-localized electrons.
- 2) The theory that describes diamagnetism in a free electron gas is called Landau diamagnetism



$$F = -\nabla E_{mag} = \frac{\chi}{2\mu_0} \nabla B^2$$

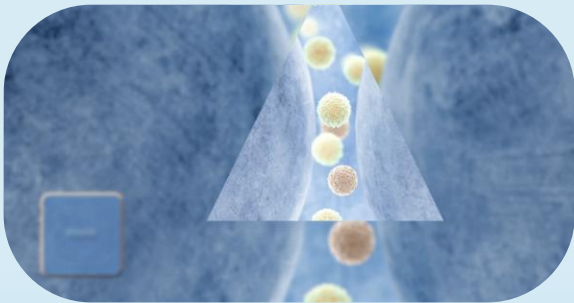


Biological effects of magnetic field are manifold and sometimes complex.

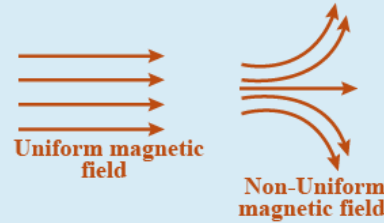


Parameters

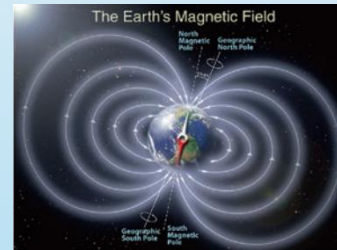
Frequency → static magnetic field  
→ time-varying magnetic field



Homogeneity



Intensity → Weak (<1 mT)  
→ Moderate (1 mT < MF < 1 T)  
→ High (>1 T)



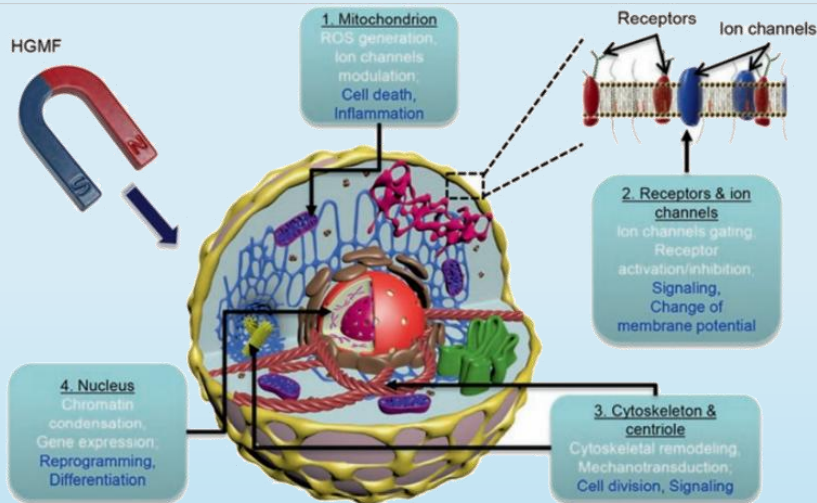
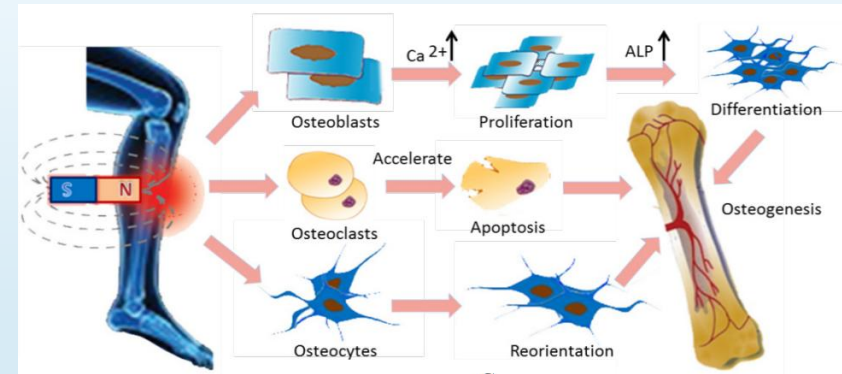
0.05 mT



3 T

# Physical interactions of the SMF with biological systems

- 1) Induced electric fields and current
- 2) Magneto-mechanical effects
  - 1) Magnetically induced torque
  - 2) Magnetically induced displacement force
  - 3) Electronic spin



## Potential Applications



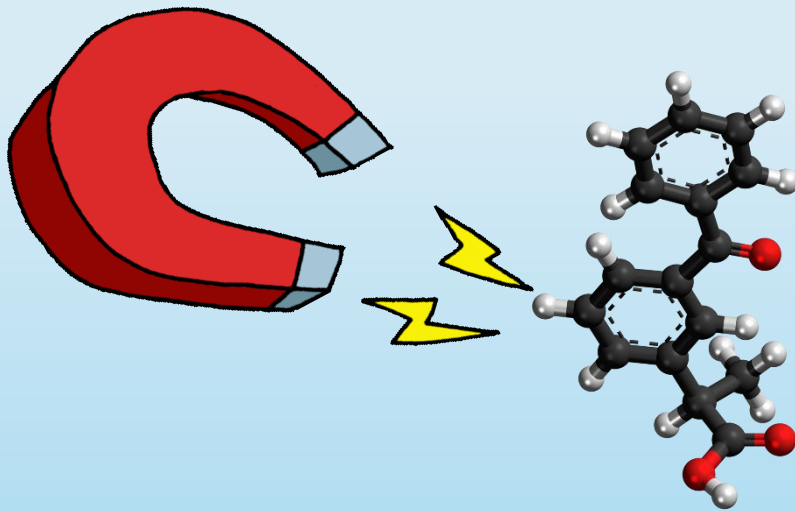
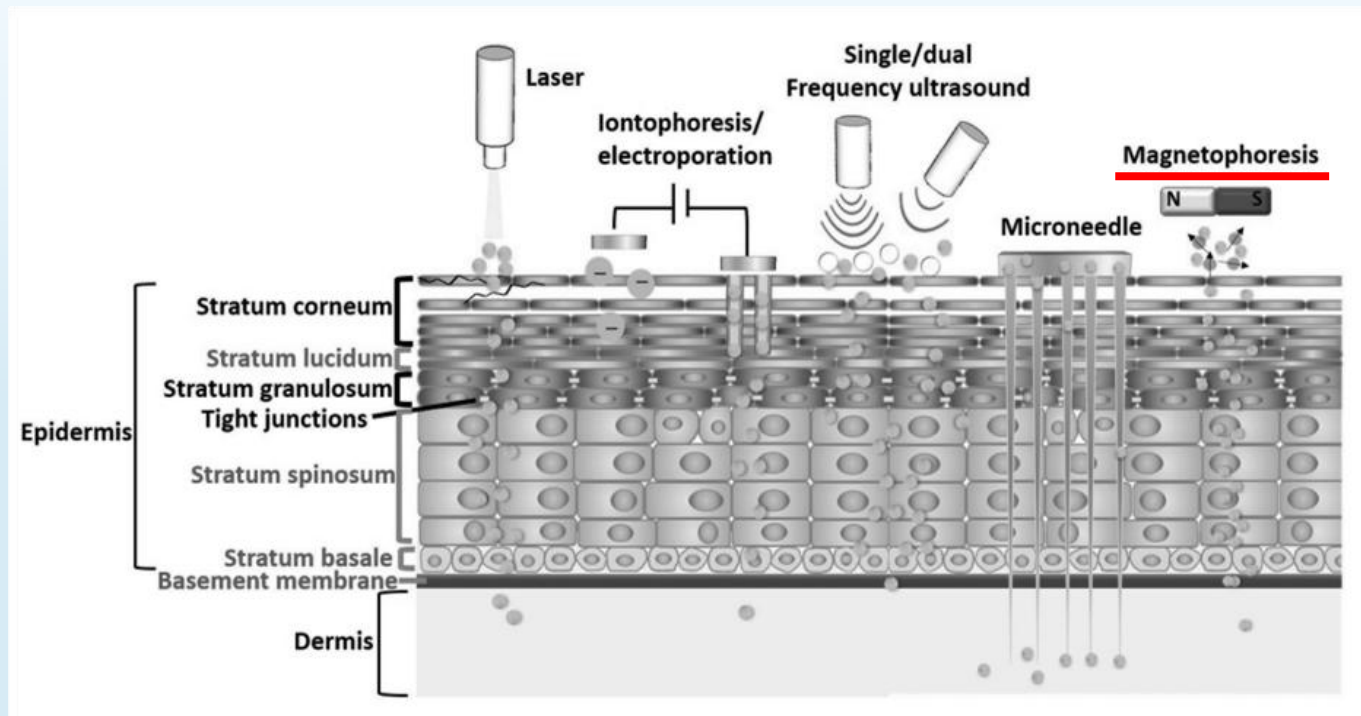
**For post-surgical patients**  
Reduces muscle degeneration in periods where physical activity is not possible

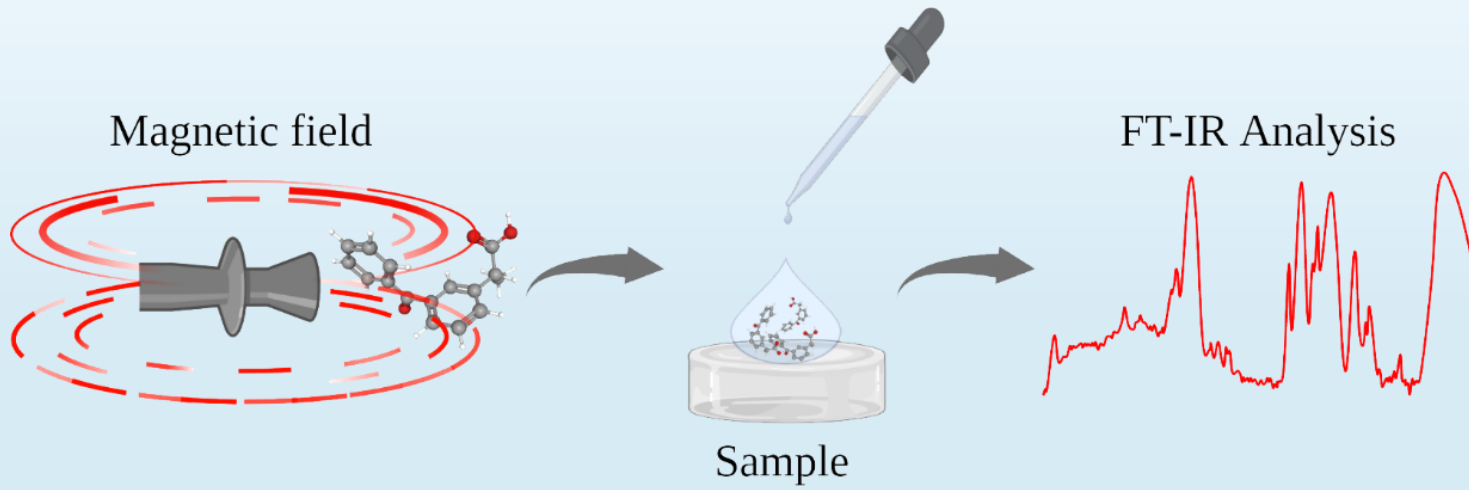


**For aging population**  
Slows muscle loss and maintains healthy muscle metabolism in the elderly



**For professional athletes**  
Maintains muscle mass during detraining





**CTU Mega 20:**

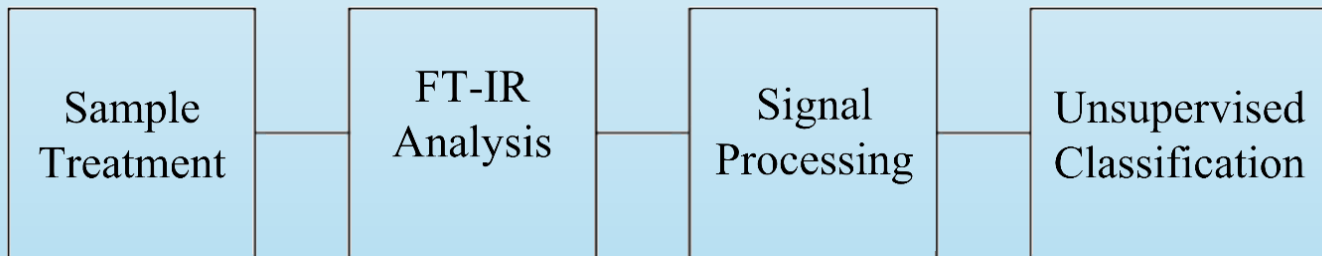
- 1. 25 minutes

**Molecules:**

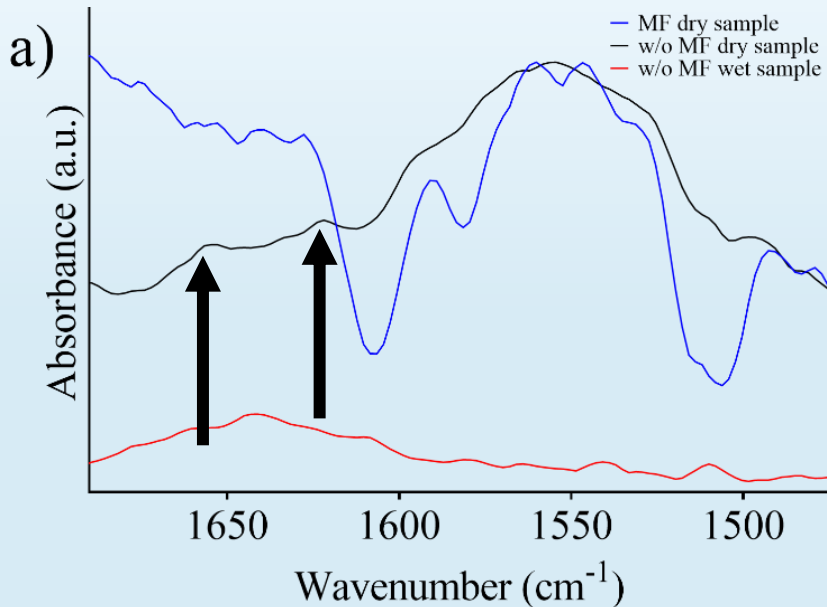
- Ketoprofen

**Analysis:**

- Within 5 minutes

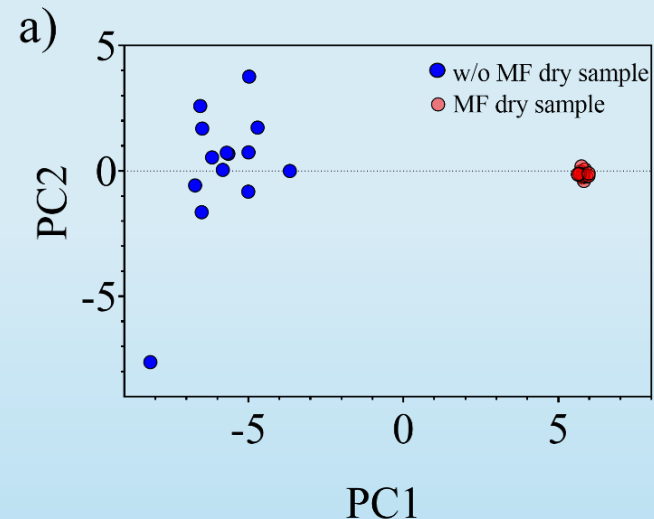
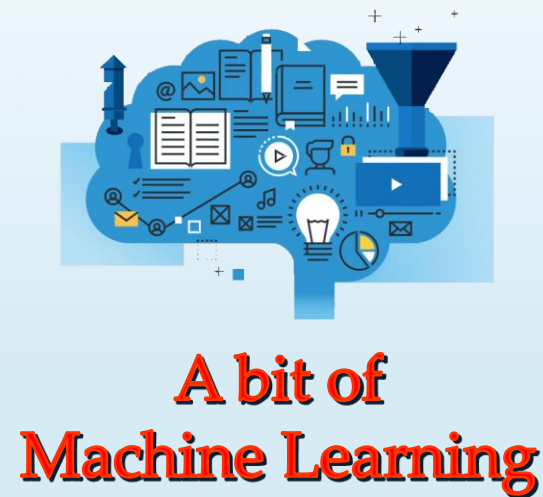






## Ketoprofen

- Pure Ketoprofen is characterized by two absorption peaks at about  $1655 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $1697 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  due to C=O stretching



**Outlook: What is the clinical effect of such changes ?**



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