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Comparative Evaluation of Four Commercially Available Immunoassays for Therapeutic Drug Monitoring of Infliximab and Adalimumab

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Patients and samples

CHU Montpellier / Nîmes

50 IFX

49 ADAL

- Stockage +4°C
- Dosage dans les 3 semaines

Table 1. Characteristics of assays used for method comparison.

	Company	Method	Measurement Range			
			IFX	Anti-IFX	ADAL	Anti-ADAL
Promonitor	GRIFOLS™	ELISA (Automated)	0.3–14.4 (µg/mL)	2–144 (AU/mL)	0.25–12 (µg/mL)	6–400 (AU/mL)
LisaTracker®	THERADIAG™	ELISA (Automated)	0.3–20 (µg/mL)	10–200 (ng/mL)	0.3–20 (µg/mL)	10–160 (ng/mL)
i-Track ¹⁰ ®	THERADIAG™	CLIA	0.3–24 (µg/mL)	10–2000 (ng/mL)	0.5–24 (µg/mL)	10–2000 (ng/mL)
ez-track1	THERADIAG™	TRF	0.2–50 (µg/mL)	4–250 (AU/mL)	0.2–50 (µg/mL)	3–200 (AU/mL)

ELISA: enzyme-linked immunoassay CLIA: chemiluminescence immunoassay; TRF: time-resolved fluorescence; IFX: infliximab; ADAL: adalimumab; AU: arbitrary unit.

Table 2. Imprecision of LT DS2 with the use of low and high IMMUNO-TROL® IFX, ADAL, and ADA.

	IFX		Anti-IFX		ADAL		Anti-ADAL	
	Intrarun (µg/mL)	Inter-Run (CV%)	Intrarun (ng/mL)	Inter-Run (CV%)	Intrarun (µg/mL)	Inter-Run (CV%)	Intrarun (ng/mL)	Inter-Run (CV%)
Low	4 (4.3)	3.3 (12.6)	41 (4.2)	39.9 (10.1)	3.3 (8.6)	3.5 (11.6)	29 (10.2)	37 (11)
High	9.6 (6.4)	ND	129 (2.6)	ND	11.5 (12.2)	ND	111 (4.8)	ND

IFX: infliximab; ADAL: adalimumab; ADA: antidrug antibodies; CV: coefficient of variation; ND: not determined.

Cohen's Kappa

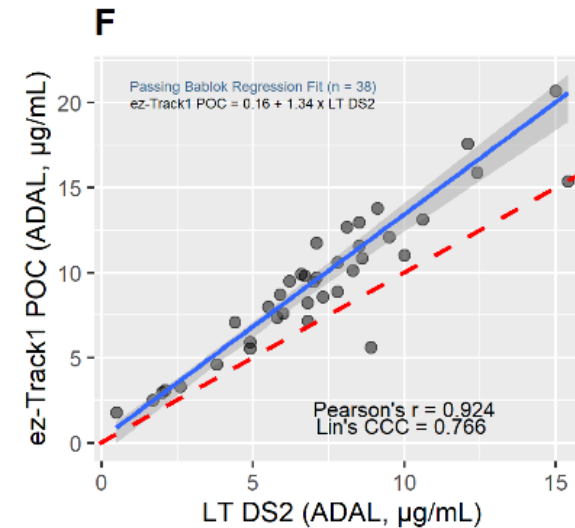
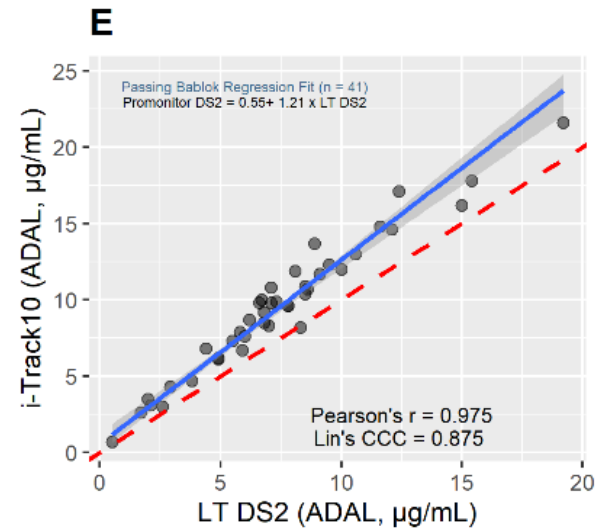
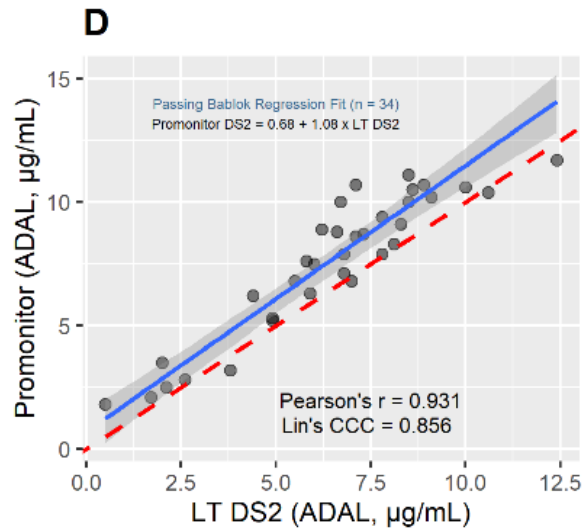
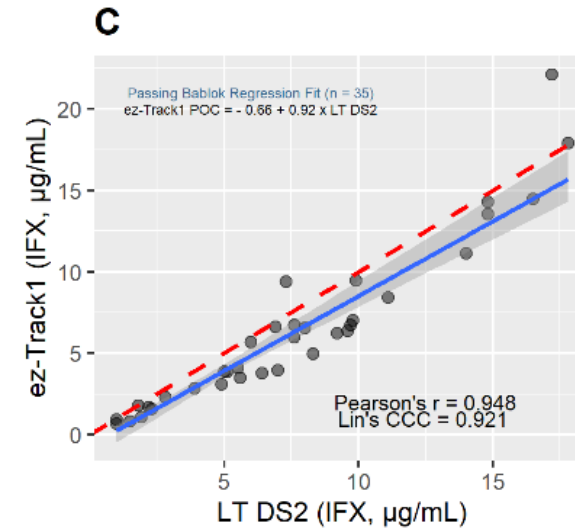
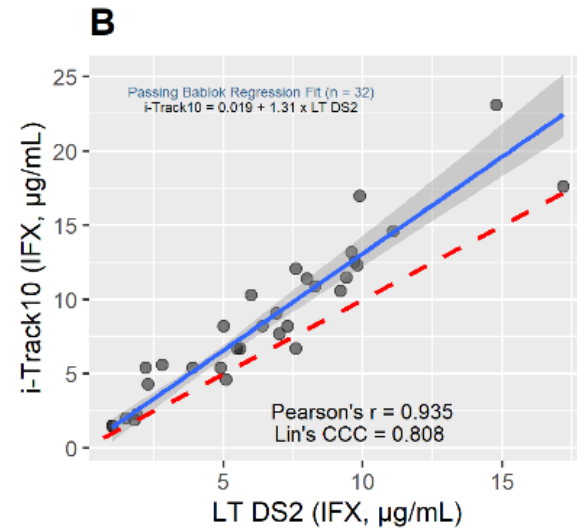
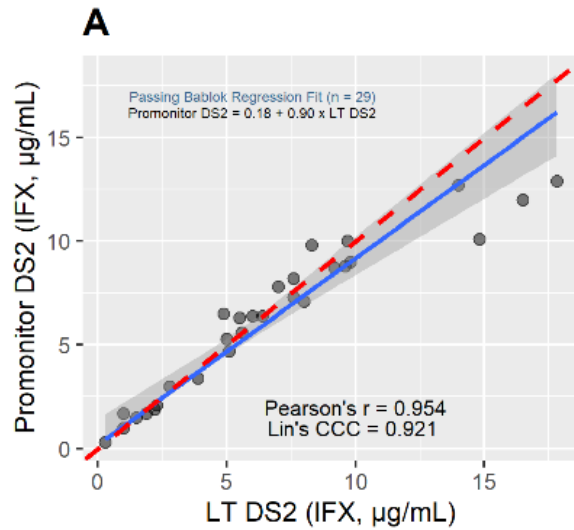
Cohen's Kappa coefficient is used to measure the level of agreement between two raters or judges who each classify items into predefined categories

IFX		LT DS2			aIFX		LT DS2 (ng/mL)		
Promonitor DS2					Promonitor DS2 (UA/mL)				
i-Track10	< 5 µg/mL	5 - 10 µg/mL	> 10 µg/mL	Total	i-Track10 (ng/mL)	≥ 10	< 10	Total	
ez-Track1 POC					ez-Track1 POC (UA/mL)				
	19	1	0	20		4	0	4	
< 5 µg/mL	17	1	0	18	≥ 10	7	13	20	
	21	7	0	28		7	3	10	
	1	14	0	15					
5 - 10 µg/mL	4	8	0	12	< 10	1	42	43	
	0	11	1	12		0	31	31	
	0	1	12	13					
> 10 µg/mL	0	10	12	22	Total	0	41	41	
	0	0	11	11		5	42	47	
	20	16	12	48		7	44	50	
Total	21	19	12	52	Kappa value	7	44	51	
	21	18	12	51		7	44	51	
	0.904					0.877			
Kappa value	0.565				Kappa value	0.345			
	0.752					0.788			

ADAL		LT DS2			aADAL		LT DS2 (ng/mL)		
Promonitor DS2					Promonitor DS2 (UA/mL)				
i-Track10	< 8 µg/mL	8 - 12 µg/mL	> 12 µg/mL	Total	i-Track10 (ng/mL)	≥ 10	< 10	Total	
ez-Track1 POC					ez-Track1 POC (UA/mL)				
	26	0	0	26		8	0	8	
< 8 µg/mL	24	0	0	24	≥ 10	9	1	10	
	21	1	0	22		8	0	8	
	7	9	5	21					
8 - 12 µg/mL	11	7	0	18	< 10	0	42	42	
	11	4	0	15		0	43	43	
	0	2	2	4					
> 12 µg/mL	0	4	7	11	Total	0	41	41	
	0	6	7	13		8	42	50	
	33	11	7	51		9	44	53	
Total	35	11	7	53	Kappa value	8	41	49	
	32	11	7	50		8	41	49	
	0.455					1.000			
Kappa value	0.517				Kappa value	0.936			
	0.401					1.000			

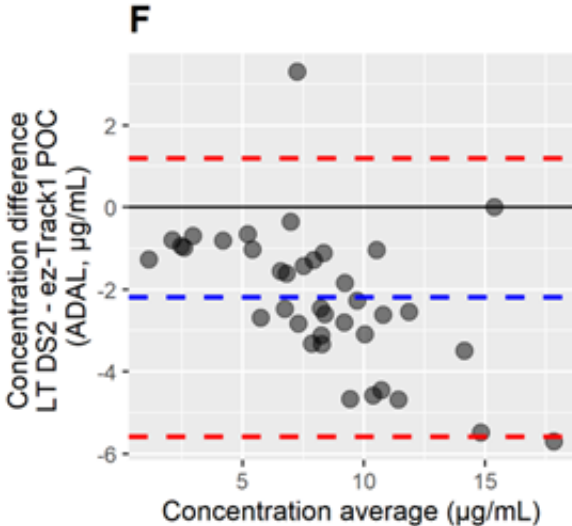
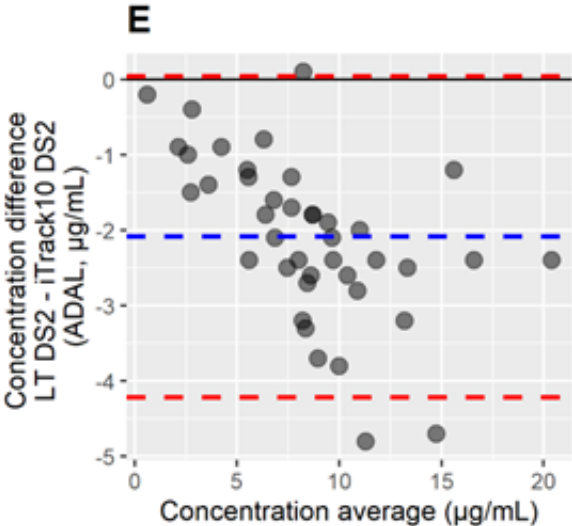
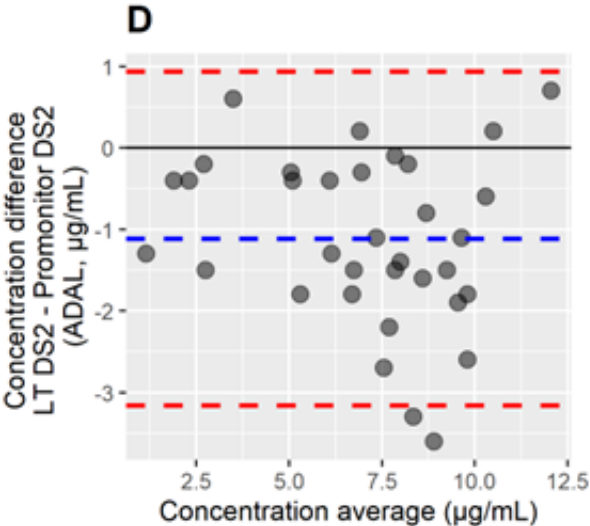
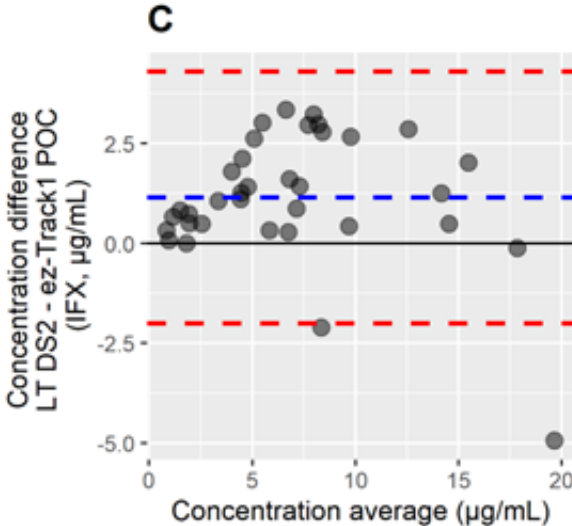
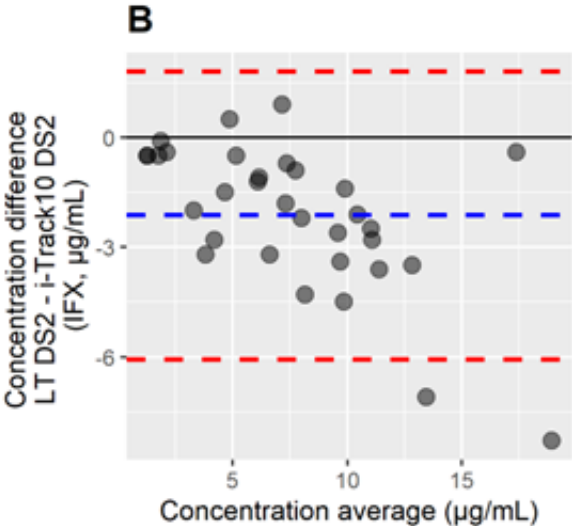
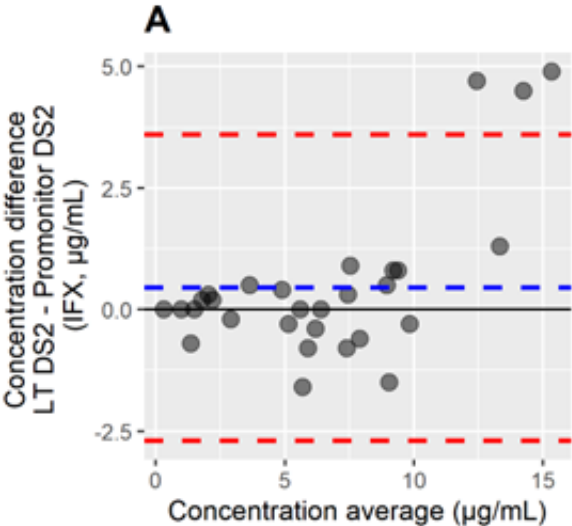
Passing-Bablok regression: IFX - ADAL

Red dashed lines are identity lines ($y=x$).
Grey shade areas are the 95% confidence



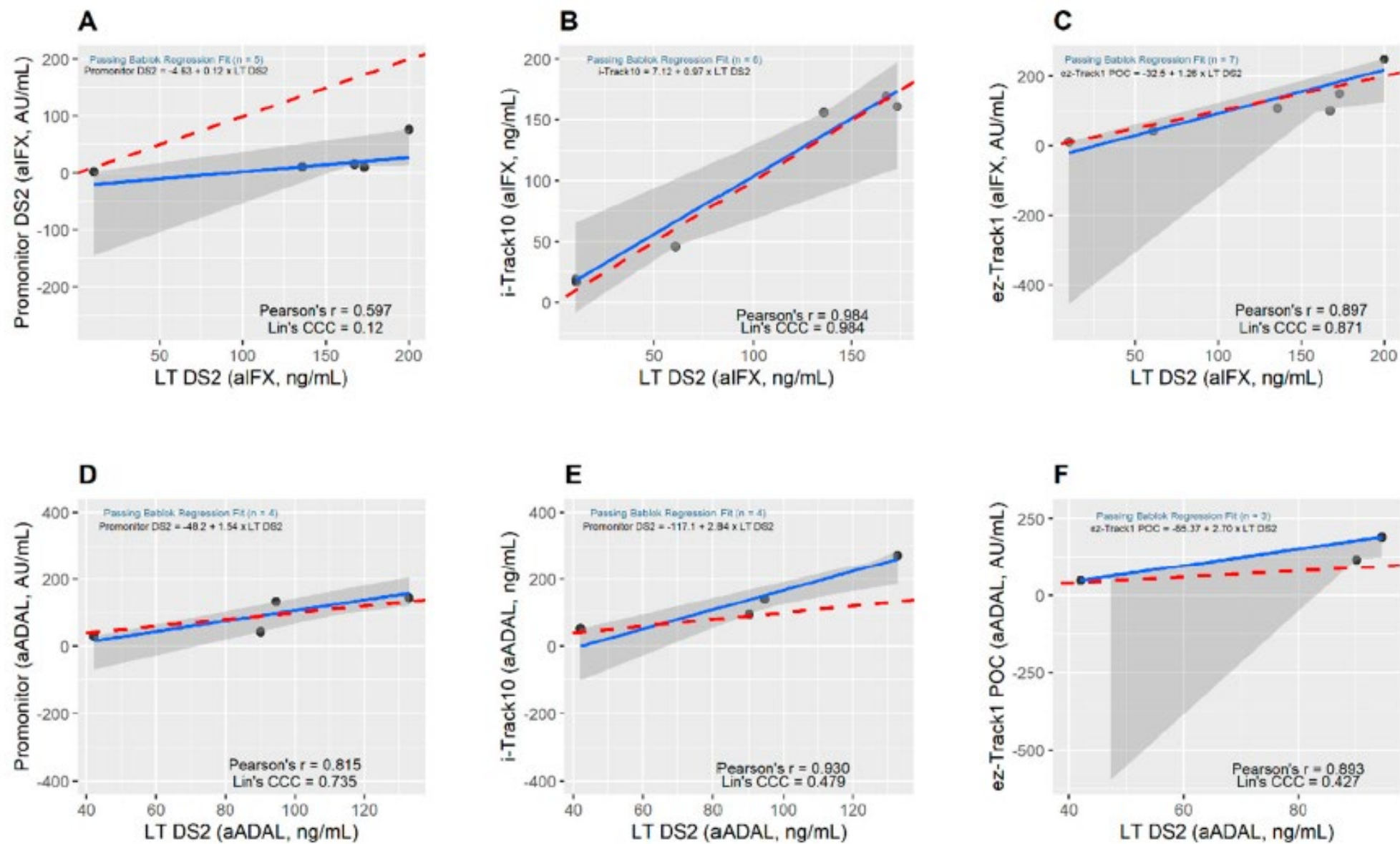
Bland-Altman analysis: IFX - ADAL

The difference between the two measurements is plotted on the y-axis, and the average of the two measurements on the x-axis. Dashed blue lines represent the bias and dashed red lines the 95% limit of agreement (LOA)



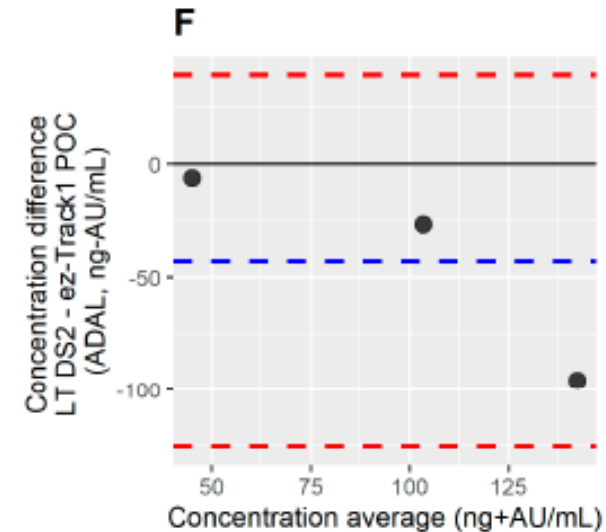
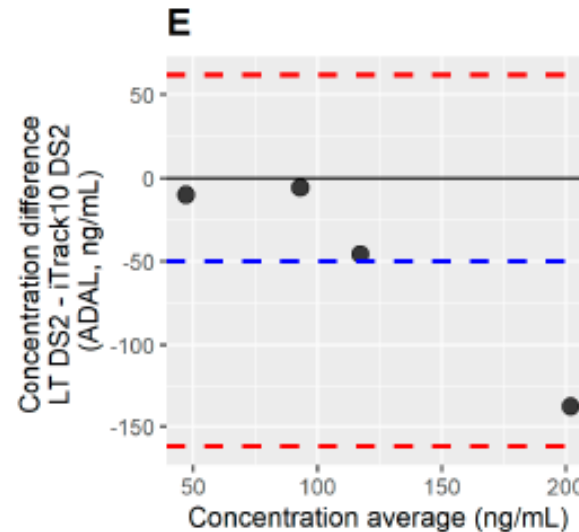
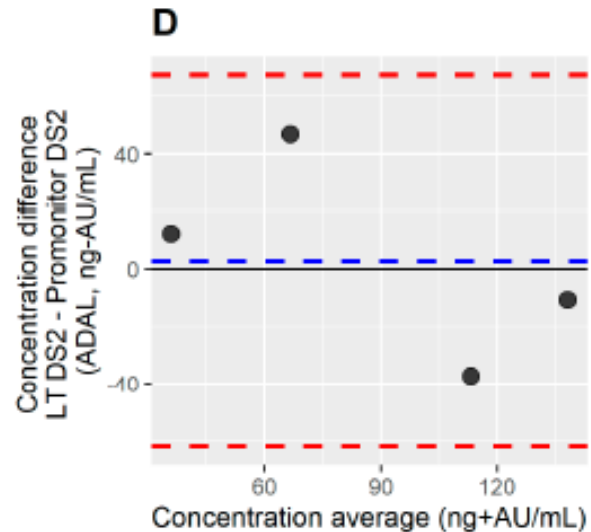
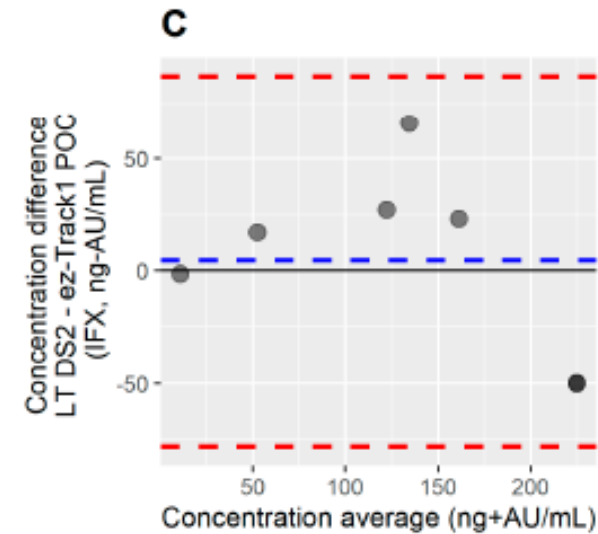
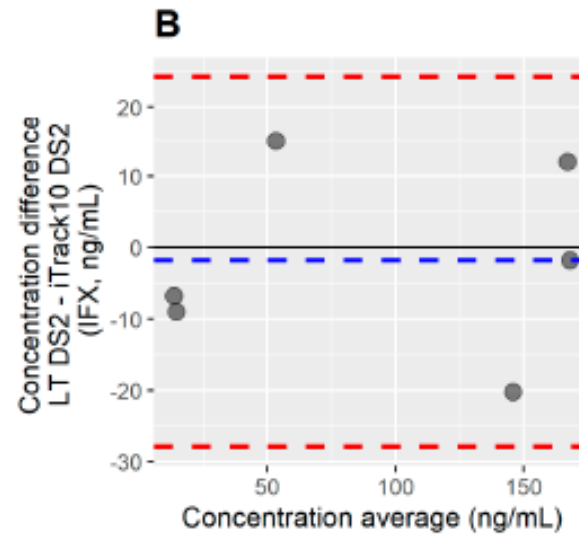
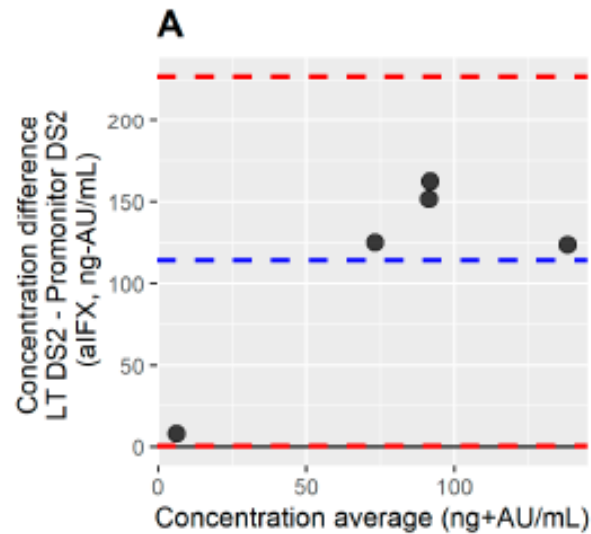
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Discordances Lisa tracker / iTrack

IFX LT (ug/ml)	Anti-IFX LT (ng/ml)	date dosage i-Track10	IFX (ug/ml)	Anti-IFX (AU/ml)
2,2	<10	23/09/2022	5,4	19
3,9	<10	28/09/2022	5,4	23
4,9	<10	28/09/2022	8,8	11
1,9	<10	28/09/2022	2,3	11
9,4	<10	28/09/2022	11,5	14
9,2	<10	28/09/2022	11,6	26
7,6	<10	28/09/2022	10,3	14
1	<10	28/09/2022	1,5	19
9,8	<10	28/09/2022	12,6	12
17,2	<10	28/09/2022	24	40

➔ Faux positifs iTrack pour les anti-IFX

➔ Revoir le cut-off ?

Conclusion / discussion

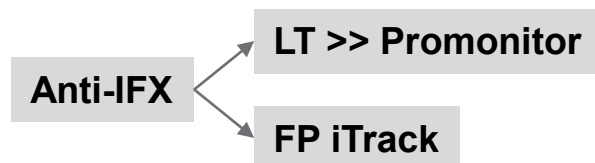
LT DS2 was used as the reference method

50 samples were analyzed

Low number of immunizations

Quantitative analysis indicated a good concordance between the three evaluated assays and our “gold standard”

Use the same assay method for the follow-up of a given patient.



Quelle technique pour quelle utilisation ?

ELISA

Robustesse technique

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Manque de souplesse (séries)

 TDM grosse volumétrie

i-Track

Souplesse random access

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Faux positifs ADA ?

 TDM volumétrie réduite

Ez-Track

**Qualité des résultats
Souplesse**

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**Sang total / sérum
15' pour l'ensemble des résultats**

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