

# GlyGen

## *Computational and Informatics Resources for Glycosciences*

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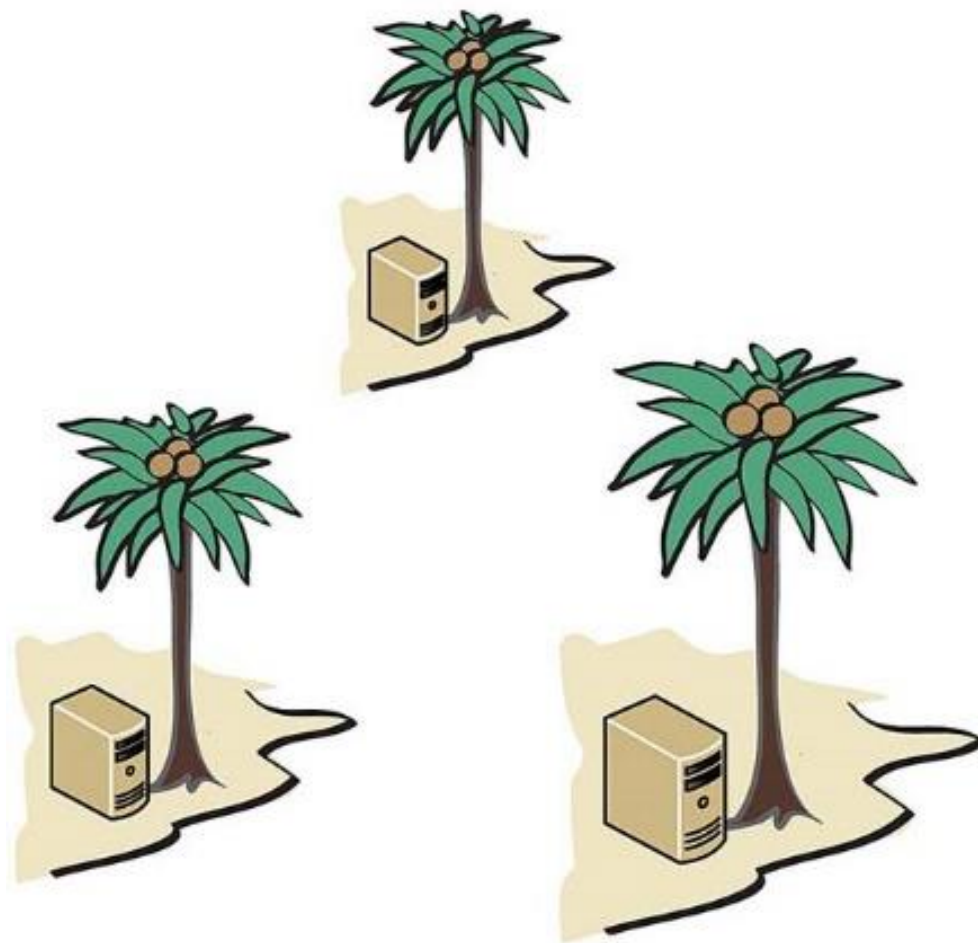
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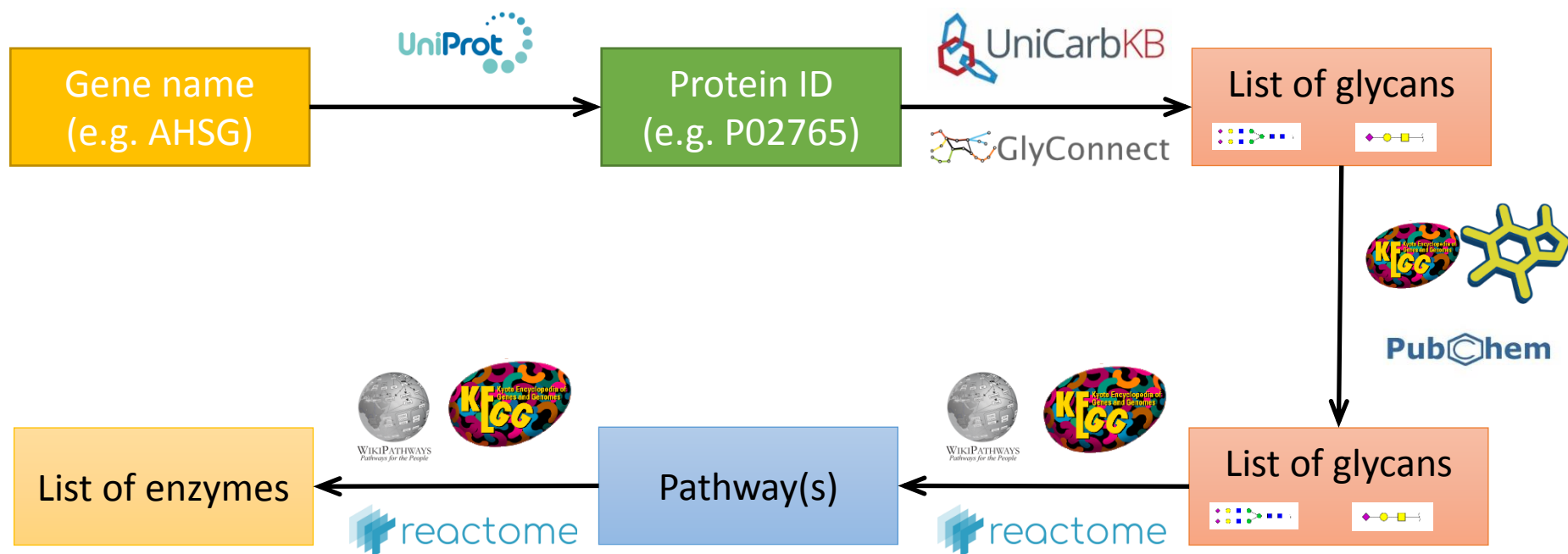
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- Get all **enzymes** that may have been involved in *synthesis of the glycans on protein X*.

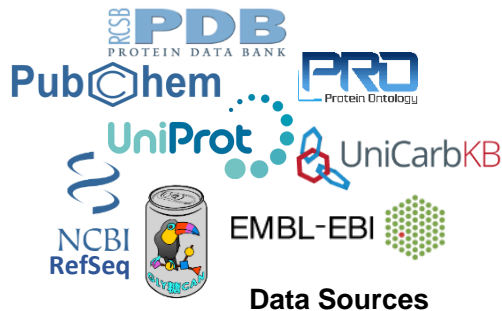


- **Integration of glycobiology-related information** from diverse domains/databases
- **Creation of an intuitive web portal** to browse and search for knowledge in glycobiology
- Provide **free and standardized access** to the integrated datasets
- **Developing essential new information resources**, including:
  - An open, comprehensive **Glycan microarray data repository**
  - A **Glycan Naming Ontology (GNOME)** that facilitates interpretation of incomplete structural information in the context of biological function

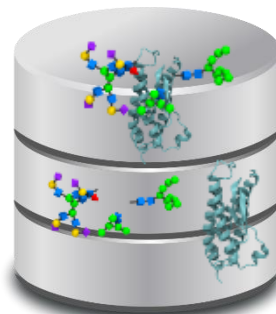
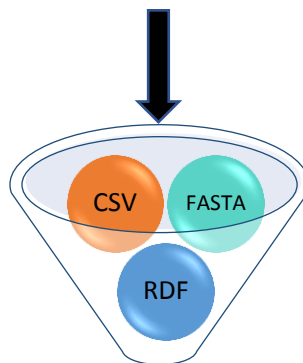
- Data integration
- Data access
- Data sharing



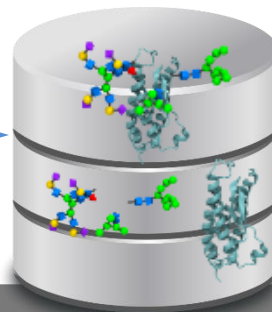
Use Cases

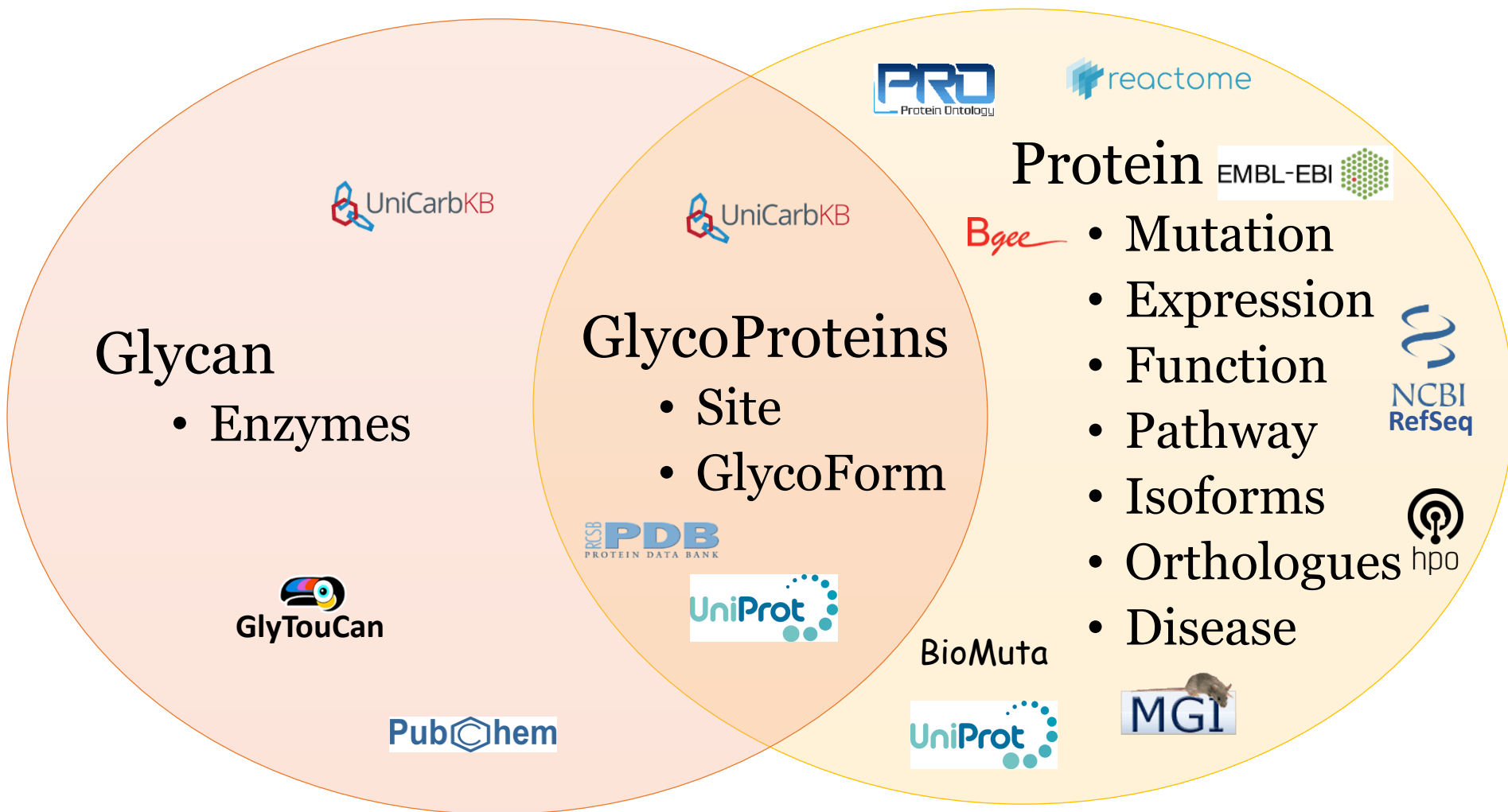


Data Generators



Dataset Collection







- BioCompute is a community driven project to build a framework to standardize bioinformatics computations and analyses communication.
- **The dataset readme provides the following info –**
  - Provenance, Authoring and Versioning details
  - Usability and description of the dataset
  - Detailed steps required to create the dataset
  - Input and Output files and their formats
  - Software and computational platform requirements
  - Tools, scripts and codes required for creating the dataset
  - Content description of the dataset
  - Dataset statistics



## Provenance Domain

**ID:** [http://data.glygen.org/DSBCO\\_000038](http://data.glygen.org/DSBCO_000038)  
**Name:** human\_proteoform\_glycosylation\_sites\_unicarbk\_glytoucan.csv  
**Title:** Glycosylation Sites [UniCarbKB]  
**Version:** 1.0  
**Created:** 2018-02-21T14:46:55-5:00  
**Created by:** Rahi Navelkar [rsn13@gwu.edu; Jeet Vora [jeetvora@gwu.edu]  
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## Provenance, Authoring, Versioning and License Information

## Usability Domain

List of human [taxid:9606] proteins with information on glycosylation sites from UniCarbKB database. The file also includes GlyTouCan accessions and UniCarbKB structure ids for associated glycan structures. <https://academic.oup.com/nar/article/42/D1/D215/1052197> ,<https://doi.org/10.1093/nar/gkt1128>

## Describes Intended Use Cases

## Description Domain

**Keywords:** protein, canonical, glycosylation, glycan

### Pipeline Steps:

- Step 1: The input file was retrieved directly from source.
- Step 2: The UniProtKB protein accessions in the input file were mapped to UniProt canonical accessions ....
- Step 3: The glycosylation type [linkage type] was retrieved through UniCarbKB structure webpage using scripts [make-proteoform\_glycosylation\_sites\_unicarbk\_glytoucan-csv-step2a.py,.....
- Step 4: The file was processed for quality check using a python Records which fall under one or more following criteria's are flagged and eliminated [eliminated records can be accessed using log file]

## Human Readable Description of Process

## Execution Domain:

**Script Access Type:** Text  
**Scripts:** make-proteoform\_glycosylation\_sites\_unicarbk\_glytoucan-csv-step2a.py, make-proteoform\_glycosylation\_sites\_unicarbk\_glytoucan-csv-step2b.py,  
**Script Location:** <https://github.com/glygener/glygen-backend/blob/master/integration/>  
**Script Driver:** manual  
**Platform:** CentOS7

## Explicit Computational Inputs and Processes

## Software Prerequisites:

**Name:** Python  
**Version:** 2.7.13

## Software Requirements

(.....)

## I/O Domain

### Input Subdomain:

**uri:** [https://data.glygen.org/ln2wwwdata/source/human\\_glytoucan\\_140918\\_2018\\_10\\_31\\_02\\_17\\_32.txt](https://data.glygen.org/ln2wwwdata/source/human_glytoucan_140918_2018_10_31_02_17_32.txt)  
**filename:** human\_glytoucan\_140918\_2018\_10\_31\_02\_17\_32.txt

Information on Input files required in the pipeline steps to create the dataset

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**filename :** human\_protein\_all.fasta

### Output Subdomain:

**mediatype:** csv  
**uri:** [https://data.glygen.org/ln2wwwdata/reviewed/human\\_proteiform\\_glycosylation\\_sites\\_unicarbk\\_b\\_glytoucan.csv](https://data.glygen.org/ln2wwwdata/reviewed/human_proteiform_glycosylation_sites_unicarbk_b_glytoucan.csv)  
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**mediatype:** csv  
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**filename:** human\_proteiform\_glycosylation\_sites\_unicarbk\_b\_glytoucan.csv

### Content:

#### Column Headers:

**uniprotkb\_canonical\_ac:** Accession assigned to the protein in the UniProtKB database  
**glycosylation\_site:** Site on the protein sequence where glycosylation occurs  
**evidence:** NCBI PubMed Id (PMID) as evidence for the entry  
**unicarbk\_id:** UnicarbkKB database identifier  
**glytoucan\_ac:** Unique accession assigned to the registered glycan structure in GlyTouCan database  
**amino\_acid:** Three letter abbreviation code of the amino acid  
**glycosylation\_type:** Type of glycosylation (N/O/C/S linked glycosylation)

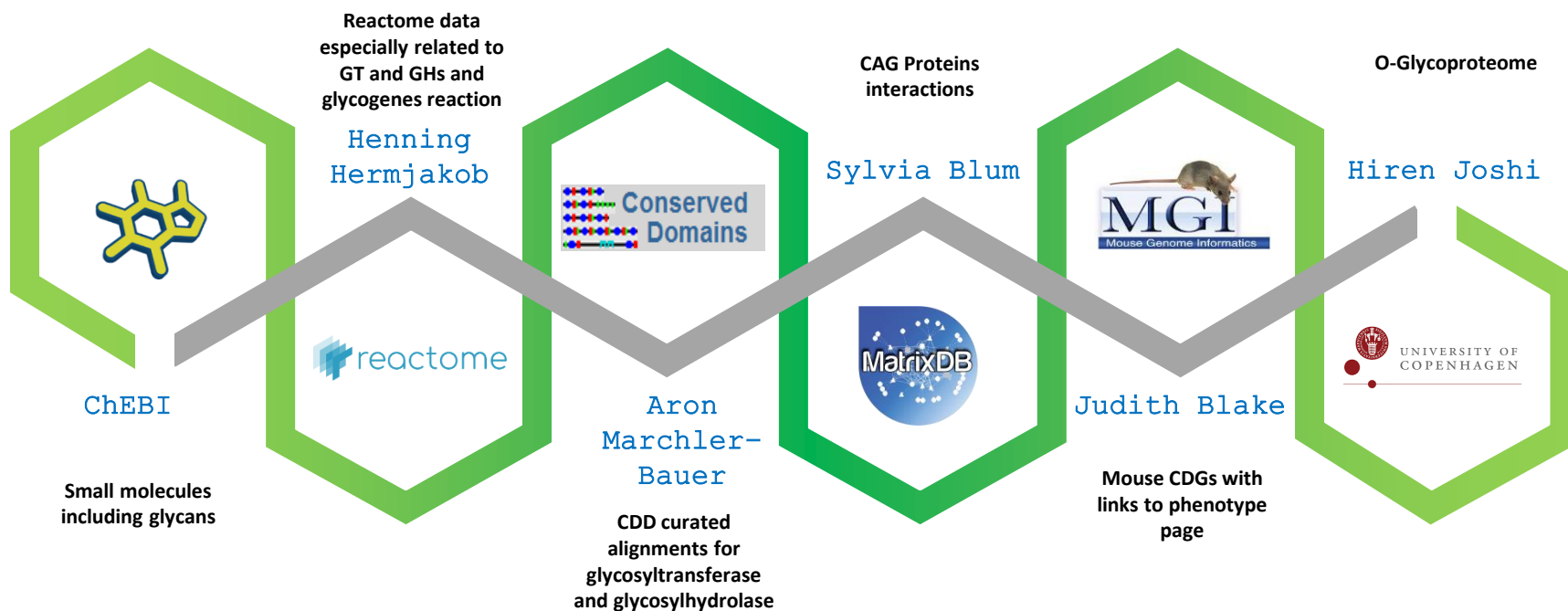
Information on the output files Log files provide information on discarded/obsolete entries. The stat csv provides description of the column headers and the unique value statistics of the dataset.

#### Statistics [Unique Value]:

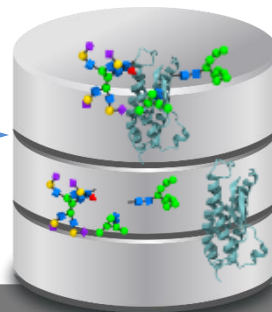
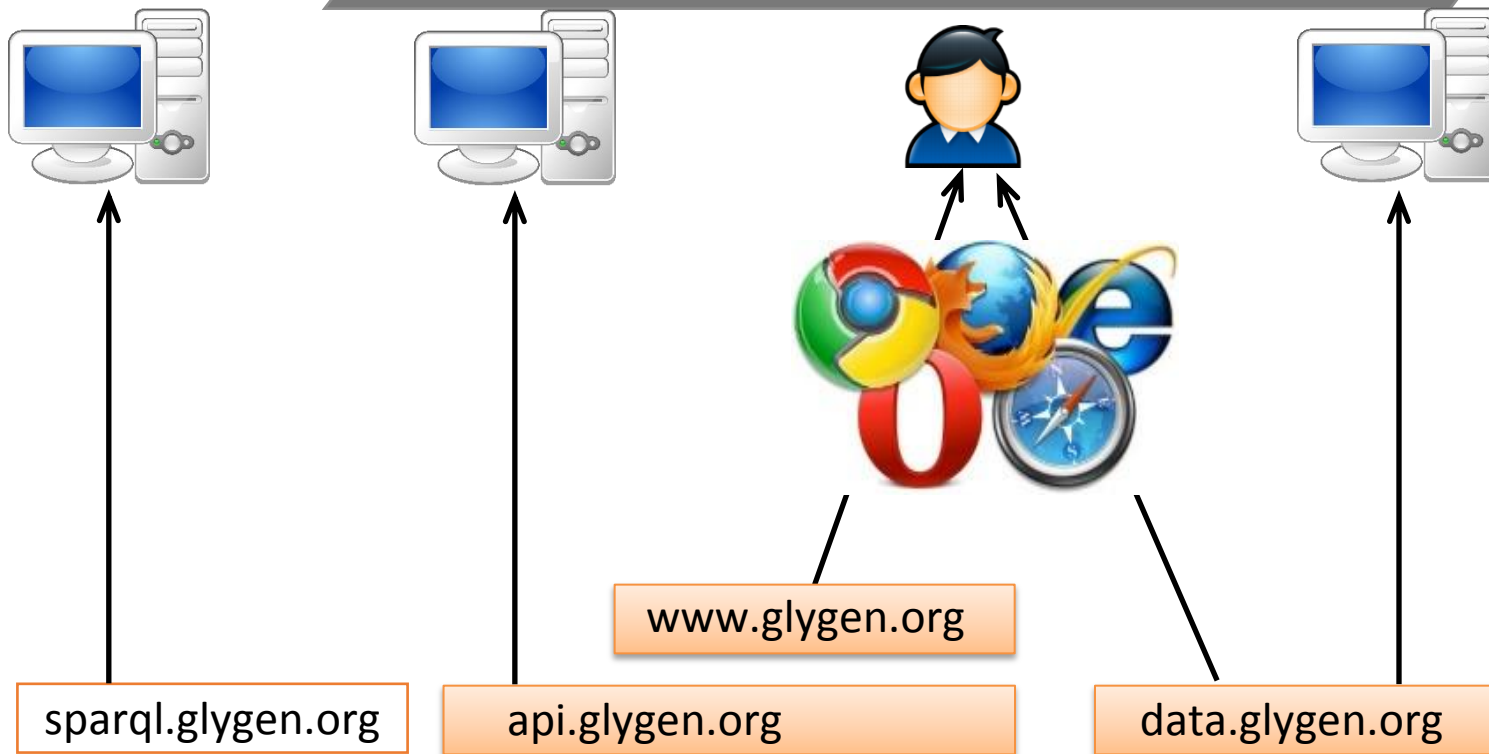
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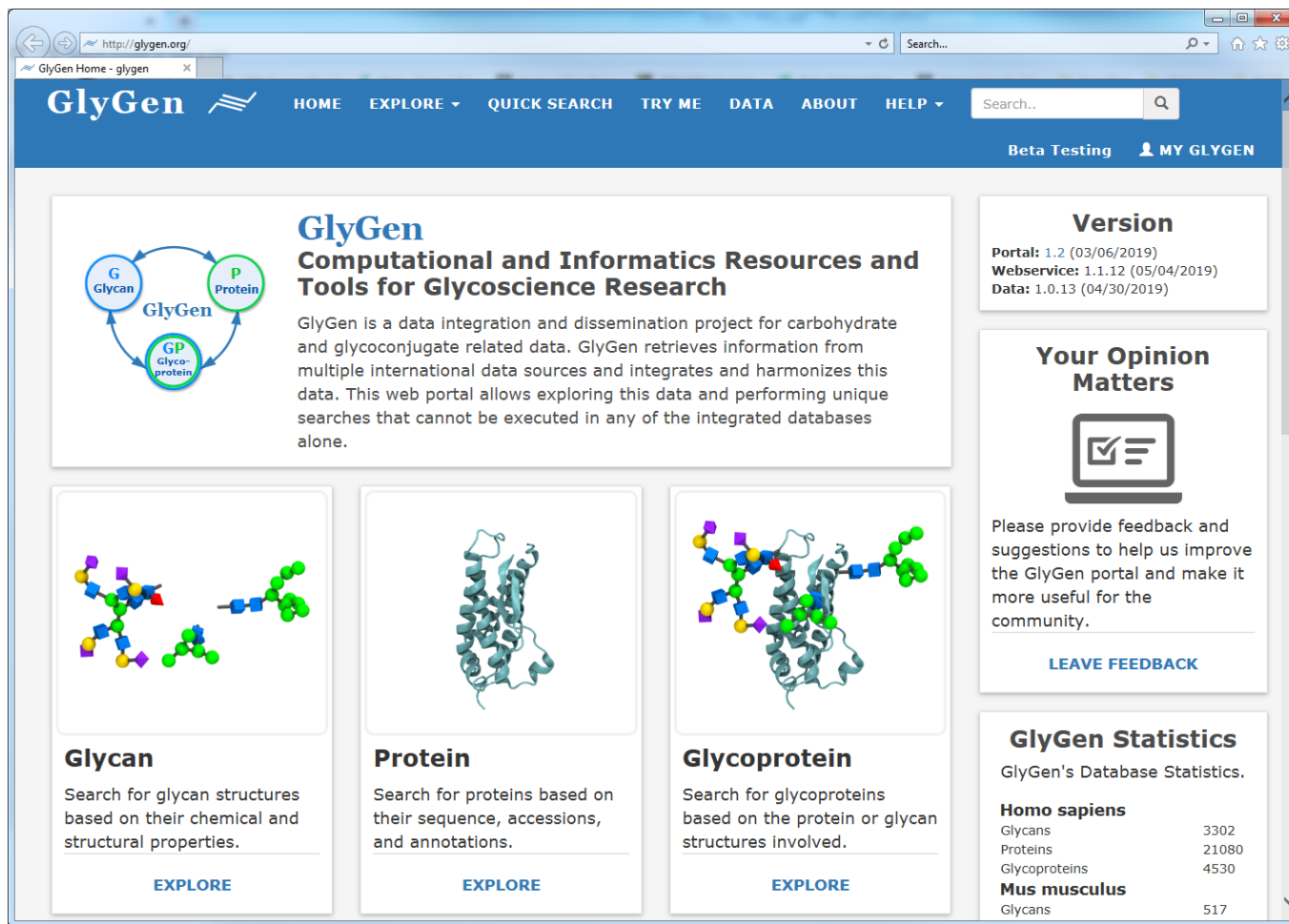
- Homo sapiens
  - Glycans 3302
  - Proteins 21080
  - Glycoproteins 4530
- Mus musculus
  - Glycans 517
  - Proteins 22289
  - Glycoproteins 3792

**<https://data.glygen.org/>**



- Data integration
- Data access
- Data sharing





The screenshot shows the GlyGen website interface. At the top is a blue navigation bar with the GlyGen logo and menu items: HOME, EXPLORE, QUICK SEARCH, TRY ME, DATA, ABOUT, and HELP. A search bar is located on the right side of the navigation bar. Below the navigation bar, the main content area is divided into several sections. On the left, there is a circular diagram showing the relationship between Glycan (G), Protein (P), and Glycoprotein (GP). In the center, the GlyGen logo is displayed above the title "GlyGen Computational and Informatics Resources and Tools for Glycoscience Research". Below this title, a paragraph describes GlyGen as a data integration and dissemination project for carbohydrate and glycoconjugate related data. To the right of the main content, there is a "Version" section listing the Portal (1.2), Webservice (1.1.12), and Data (1.0.13) versions. Below the version section is a "Your Opinion Matters" section with a feedback icon and a "LEAVE FEEDBACK" button. At the bottom right, there is a "GlyGen Statistics" section showing database statistics for Homo sapiens and Mus musculus. The main content area also features three large boxes for "Glycan", "Protein", and "Glycoprotein" searches, each with a corresponding molecular structure image and an "EXPLORE" button.

**GlyGen**  
Computational and Informatics Resources and Tools for Glycoscience Research

GlyGen is a data integration and dissemination project for carbohydrate and glycoconjugate related data. GlyGen retrieves information from multiple international data sources and integrates and harmonizes this data. This web portal allows exploring this data and performing unique searches that cannot be executed in any of the integrated databases alone.

**Version**  
Portal: 1.2 (03/06/2019)  
Webservice: 1.1.12 (05/04/2019)  
Data: 1.0.13 (04/30/2019)

**Your Opinion Matters**

Please provide feedback and suggestions to help us improve the GlyGen portal and make it more useful for the community.

[LEAVE FEEDBACK](#)

**GlyGen Statistics**  
GlyGen's Database Statistics.

Homo sapiens	
Glycans	3302
Proteins	21080
Glycoproteins	4530
Mus musculus	
Glycans	517

**Glycan**  
Search for glycan structures based on their chemical and structural properties.  
[EXPLORE](#)

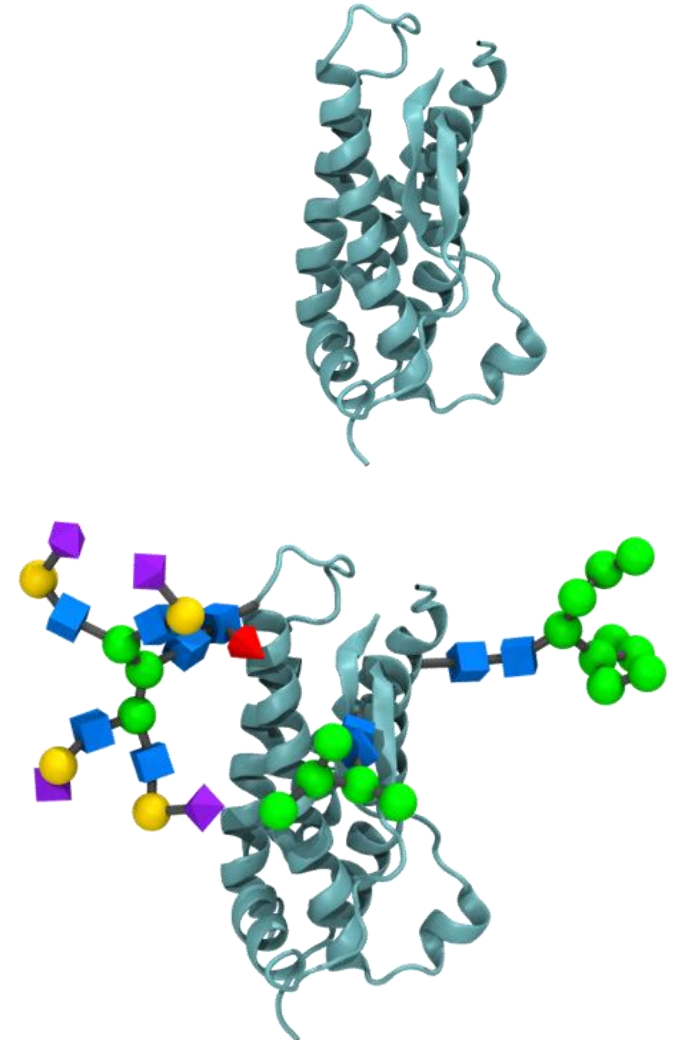
**Protein**  
Search for proteins based on their sequence, accessions, and annotations.  
[EXPLORE](#)

**Glycoprotein**  
Search for glycoproteins based on the protein or glycan structures involved.  
[EXPLORE](#)



- GlyTouCan ID
- Mass
- Number of Monosaccharides
- Organism
- Glycan Type
- Protein Id / name
- Motif
- Enzyme

- Accession (UniProt, RefSeq)
- Mass
- Organism
- Protein name
- Gene name
- Attached glycan
- Glycosylated amino acid
- Sequence
- Pathway



## Summary of your Protein Search

Performed on: May 24th 2019, 3:55:07 pm (EST)

Search Term: G17689DH

Search Category: any

[Update Results](#)
[Modify Search](#)

\*\* To perform the same search again using the current version of the database, click "Update Results".

Page [Prev](#) 1 [Next](#) Records per page 20 "7 Proteins were found"

[Download](#) 

UniProtKB Accession	Gene Name	UniProtKB Name	Chemical Mass (Da)	Organism	RefSeq Name	RefSeq Accession
<a href="#">P07911-1</a>	UMOD	Uromodulin	69761	Homo sapiens	uromodulin isoform a preproprotein	NP_001008390.1
<a href="#">P00750-1</a>	PLAT	Tissue-type plasminogen activator	62917	Homo sapiens	tissue-type plasminogen activator isoform 1 preproprotein	NP_000921.1
<a href="#">P01730-1</a>	CD4	T-cell surface glycoprotein CD4	51111	Homo sapiens	T-cell surface glycoprotein CD4 isoform 1 precursor	NP_000607.1
<a href="#">P02788-1</a>	LTF	Lactotransferrin	78182	Homo sapiens	lactotransferrin isoform 2	NP_001186078.1
<a href="#">P14210-1</a>	HGF	Hepatocyte growth factor	83134	Homo sapiens	hepatocyte growth factor isoform 1 preproprotein	NP_000592.3

General

Species

Function

Glycosylation

Sequence

Cross References

Pathway

Isoform

Orthologs

Disease

Mutation

Expression Tissue

Expression Disease

Publications

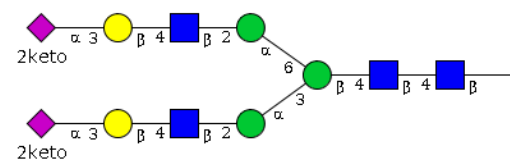
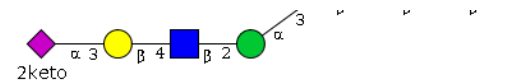
UniCarbKB 1

G77252PU

N-linked

Asn653

PubMed 2



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## Sequence

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      |        |        |        |        |
1  MWVTKLLPAL LLQHVLLHLL LLPIAIPYAE GQRKRRNTIH EFKKSAKTTL IKIDPALKIK
61  TKKVNTADQC ANRCTRNKGL PFTCKAFVFD KARKQCLWFP FNSMSSGVKK EFGHEFDLYE
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421 DLHRHIFWEP DASKLNENYC RNPDDAHGP WCYTGNPLIP WDYCPISRCE GDTTPTIVNL
481 DHPVISCAKT KQLRVVNGIP TRTNIGWMVS LRYRNKHICG GSLIKESWVL TARQCFPSRD
  
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☒ N-linked Glycosylation 4

☒ O-linked Glycosylation 1

☒ Mutation 2

## General

Species

Motif

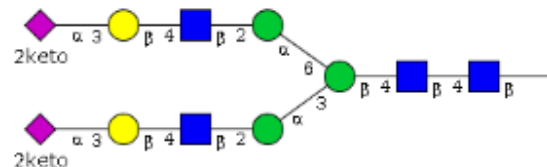
Found Glycoproteins

Cross References

Biosynthetic Enzymes

Digital Sequence

## General



- **GlyTouCan Accession:** [G77252PU](#)
- **Chemical Mass:** 2,222.78 Da
- **Glycan Type/Subtype:** N-Glycan complex

## Species

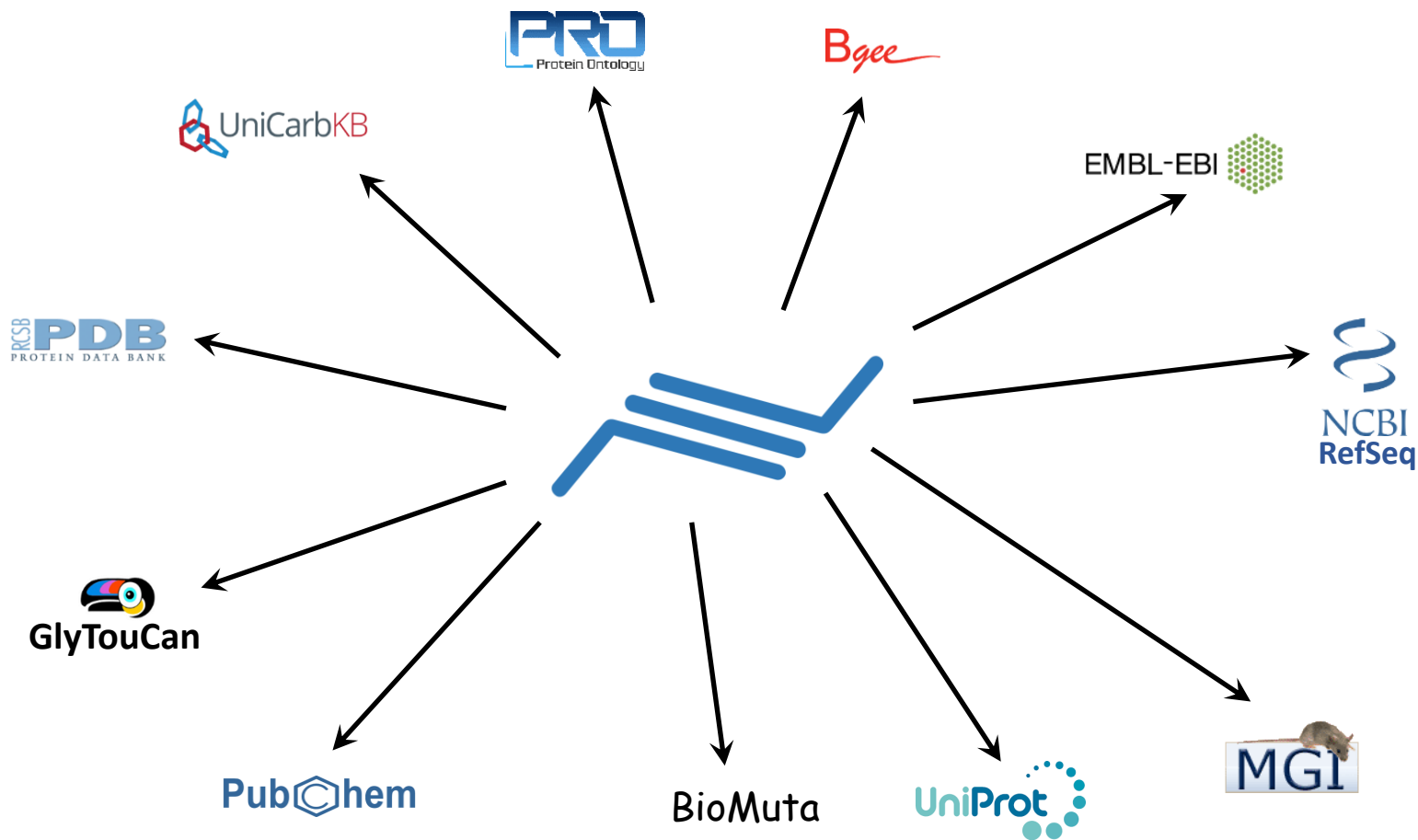
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GlycomeDB

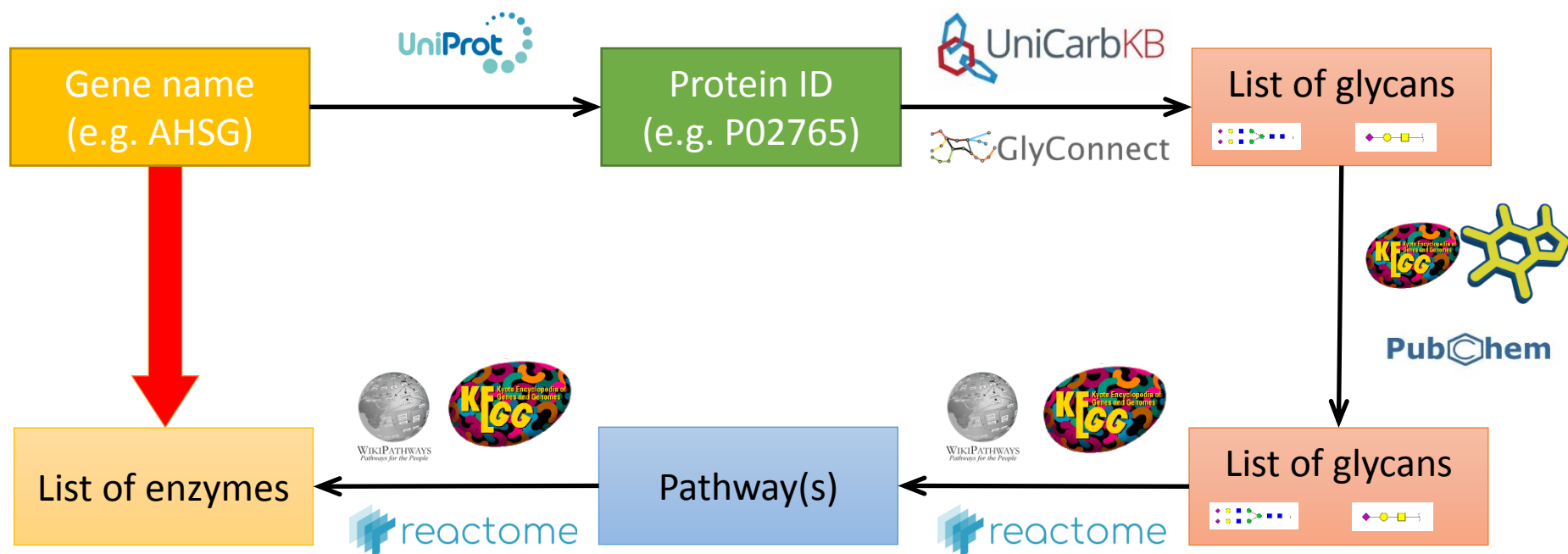
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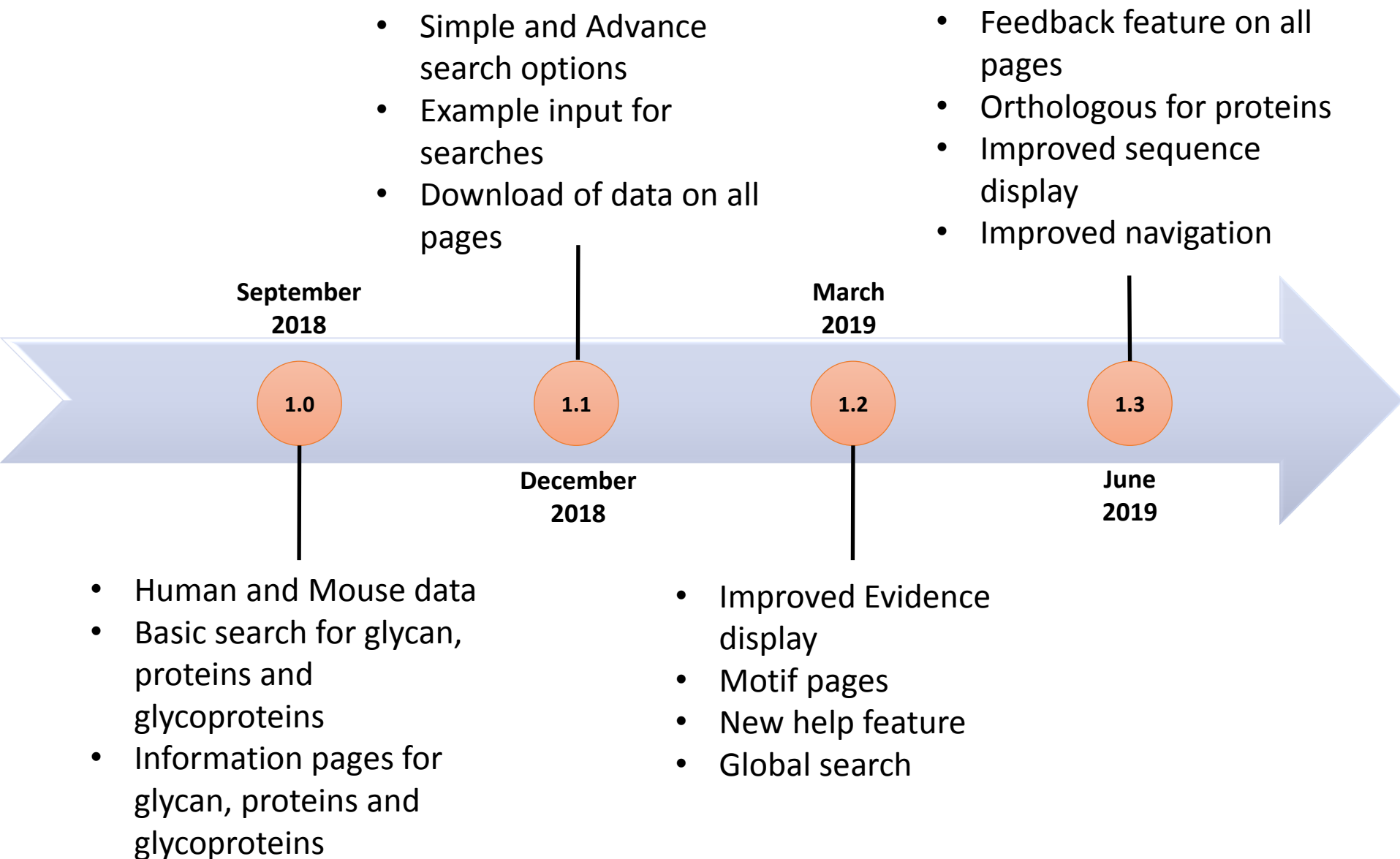
UniCarbKB

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- Get all **enzymes** that may have been involved in *synthesis of the glycans on protein X*.







- Data from new sources
- New species (Rat, HIV)
- Improved help system for users
- More use cases
- 3D structures for glycans, proteins and glycoproteins
- Better widgets to search for and display data



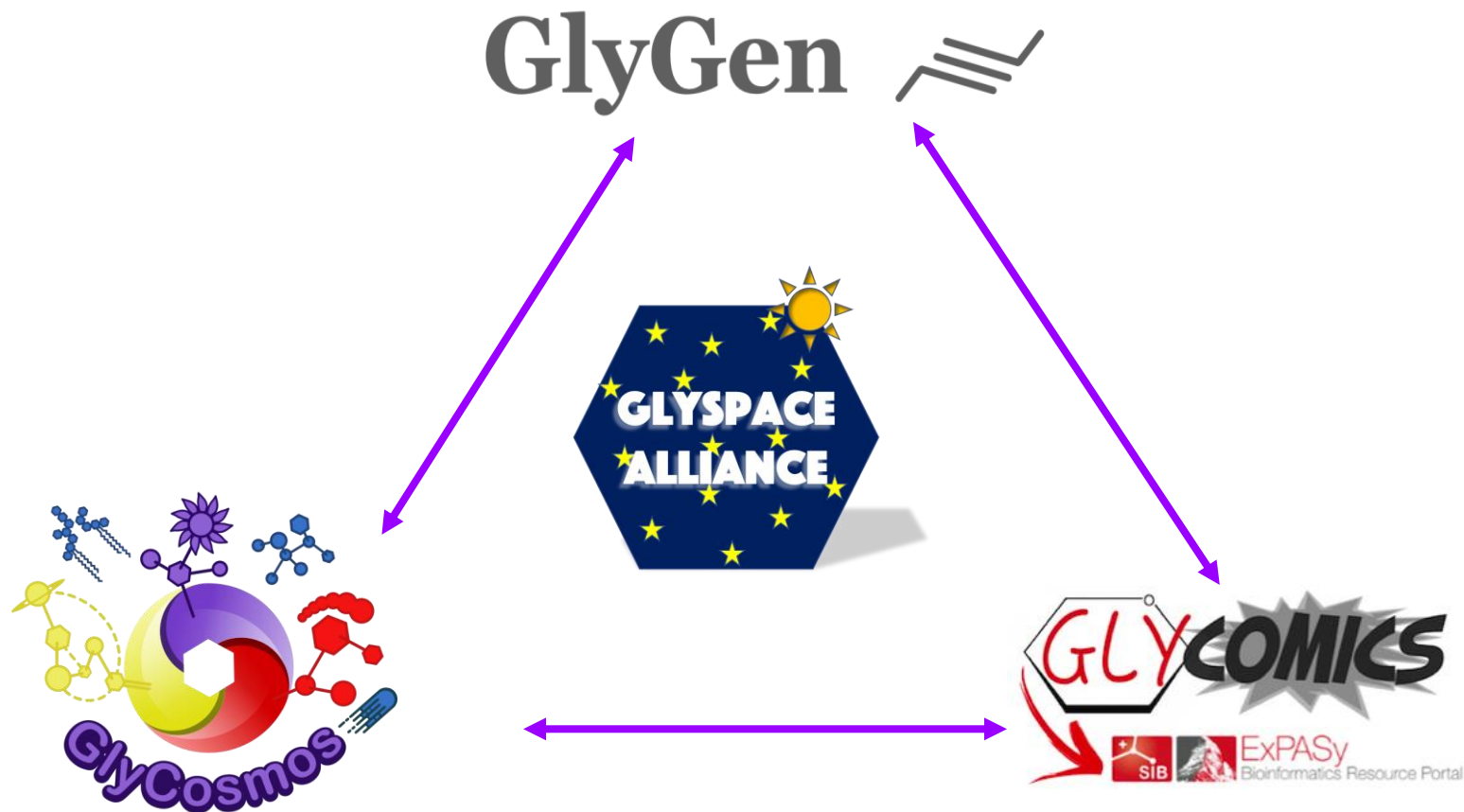
- Try the webpage – give feedback
- What are the questions you would like to ask
- Enriching the database with own data

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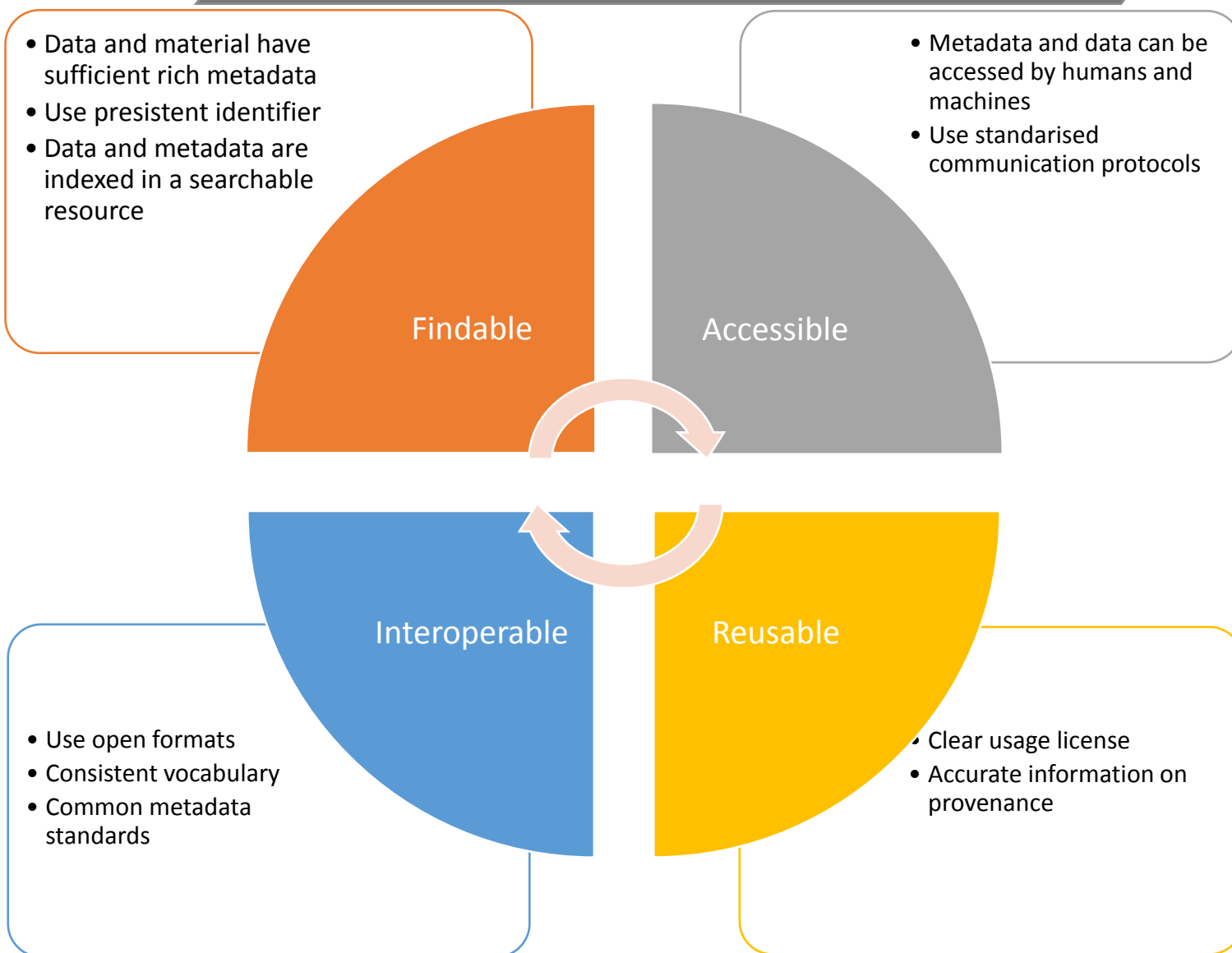
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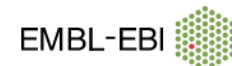
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