



# The NIST DART-MS Database Search Tool (DST)

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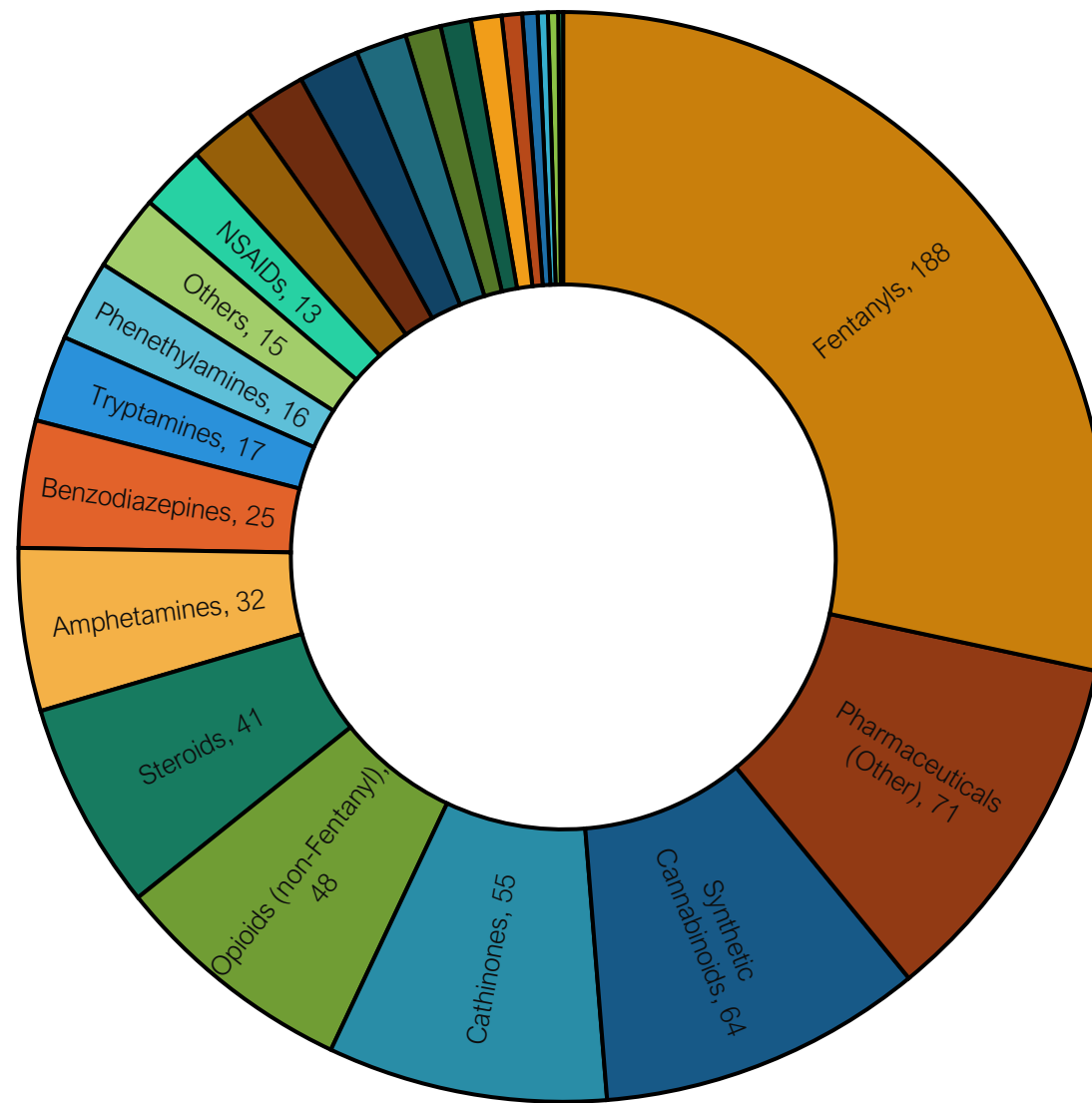
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# The Database

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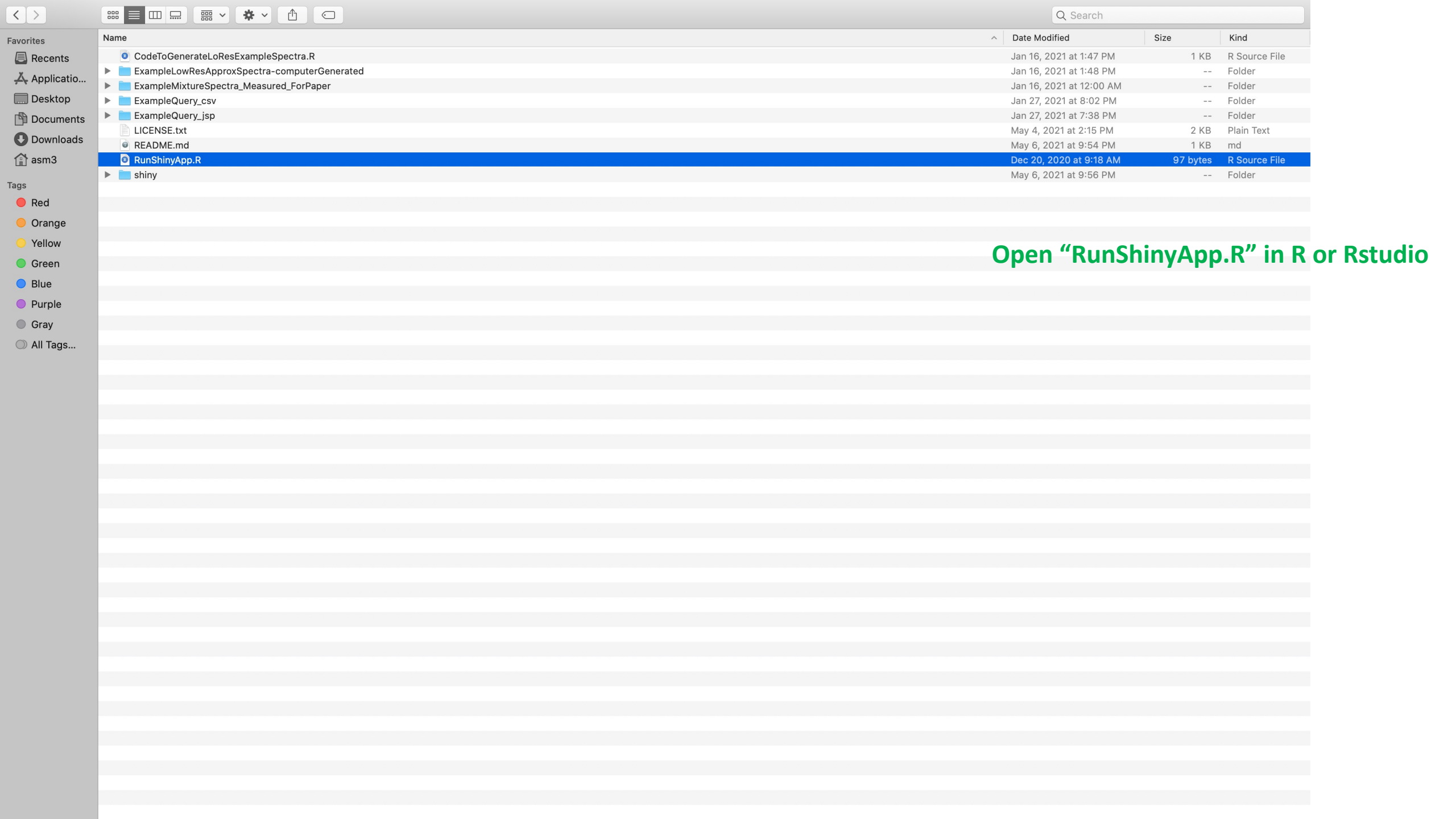
# DART-MS Forensics Database

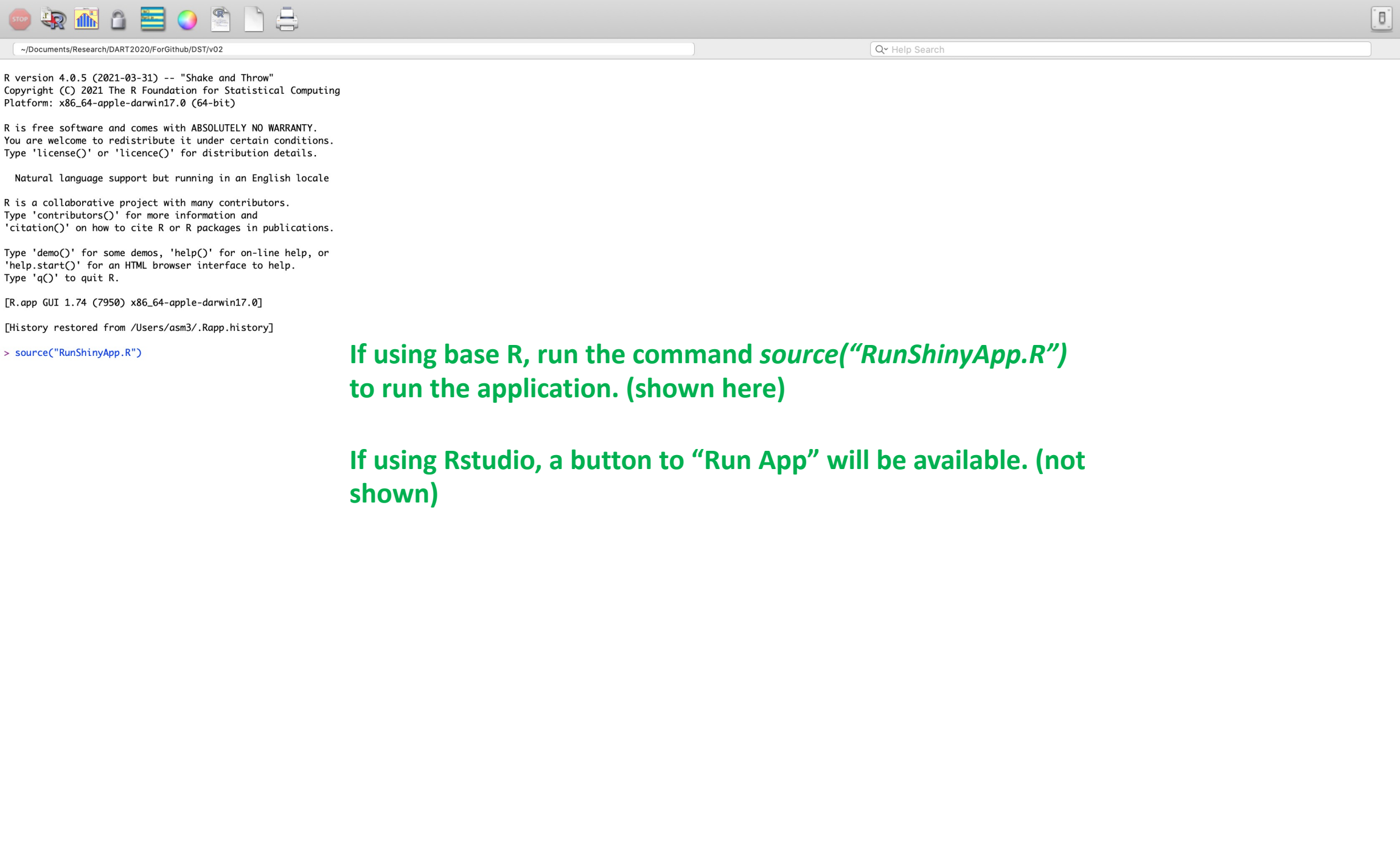
- A new database **available now**
  - focus on NPS's, synthetic opioids, cutting agents
  - spectra measured at multiple orifice 1 energies
- Developed new manual and **automated** evaluation workflow
- Implemented workflow to facilitate rapid updating of database
  - <https://github.com/asm3-nist/NIST-MS-DBB>
- Database available at <https://chemdata.nist.gov>



# The Software

<https://github.com/asm3-nist/DART-MS-DST>





If using base R, run the command *source("RunShinyApp.R")* to run the application. (shown here)

If using Rstudio, a button to “Run App” will be available. (not shown)

The application will open in your browser and default to the “Viewer” tab.

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Click through the available libraries.

Click through the available compounds in the navigator.

Reference Library:

NIST-DARTMS-Forensics-2020-update1.RDS

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1	1-(3-Chlorophenyl)piperazine	C10H13ClN2	
2	1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)piperazine	C11H16N2O	15
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4	1B-LSD	C24H31N3O2	35
5	1-Demethyl Phenazepam	C16H10BrClN4	5
6	1P-LSD	C23H29N3O2	35
7	2,2,3,3-Tetramethyl-Cyclopropyl fentanyl	C27H36N2O	
8	2,3-Dimethylmethcathinone	C12H17NO	15
9	2,3-Pentylone	C13H17NO3	25
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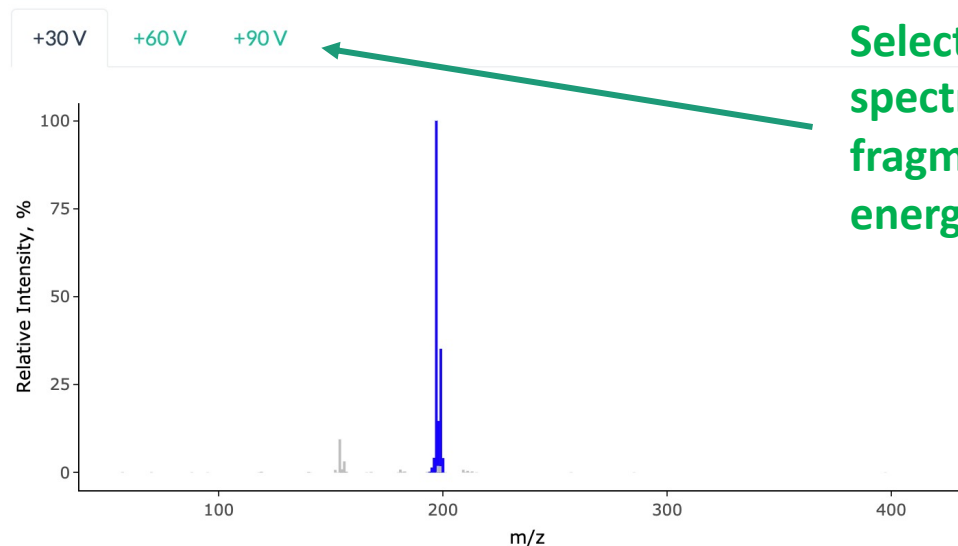
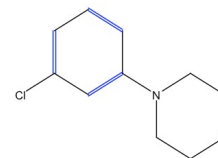
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Contributor: NIST  
Comment: None



Select tabs to see spectra at a specific fragmentation energy.

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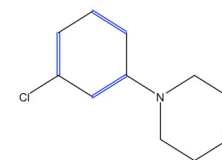
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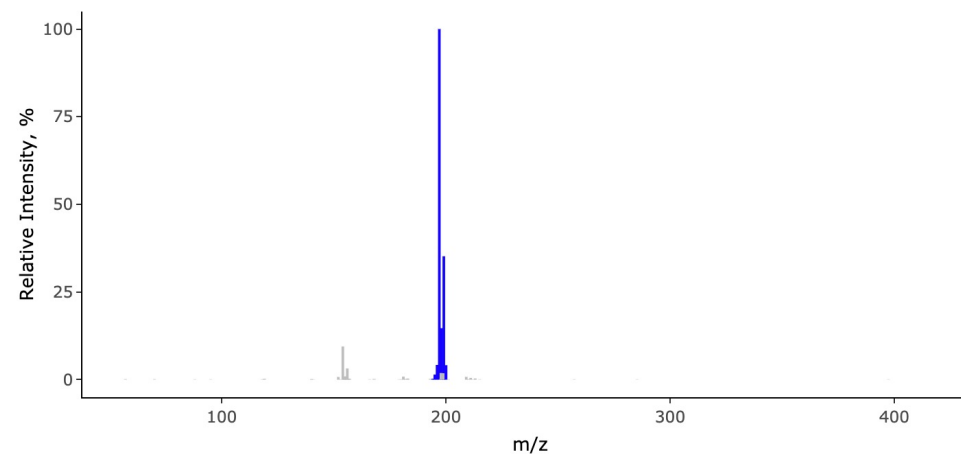
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Search Mode:

☐ Pure Compound ☒ Mixture Analysis

Query Spectra

Advanced

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measured at each fragmentation level.

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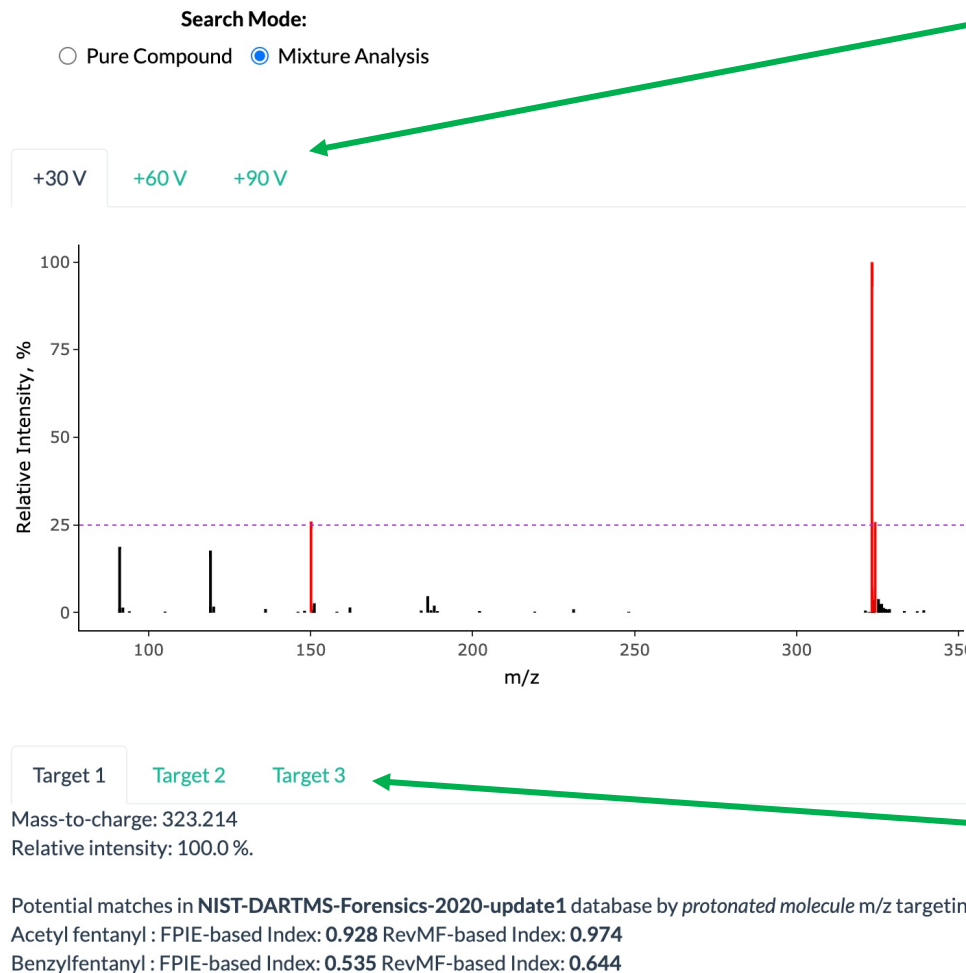
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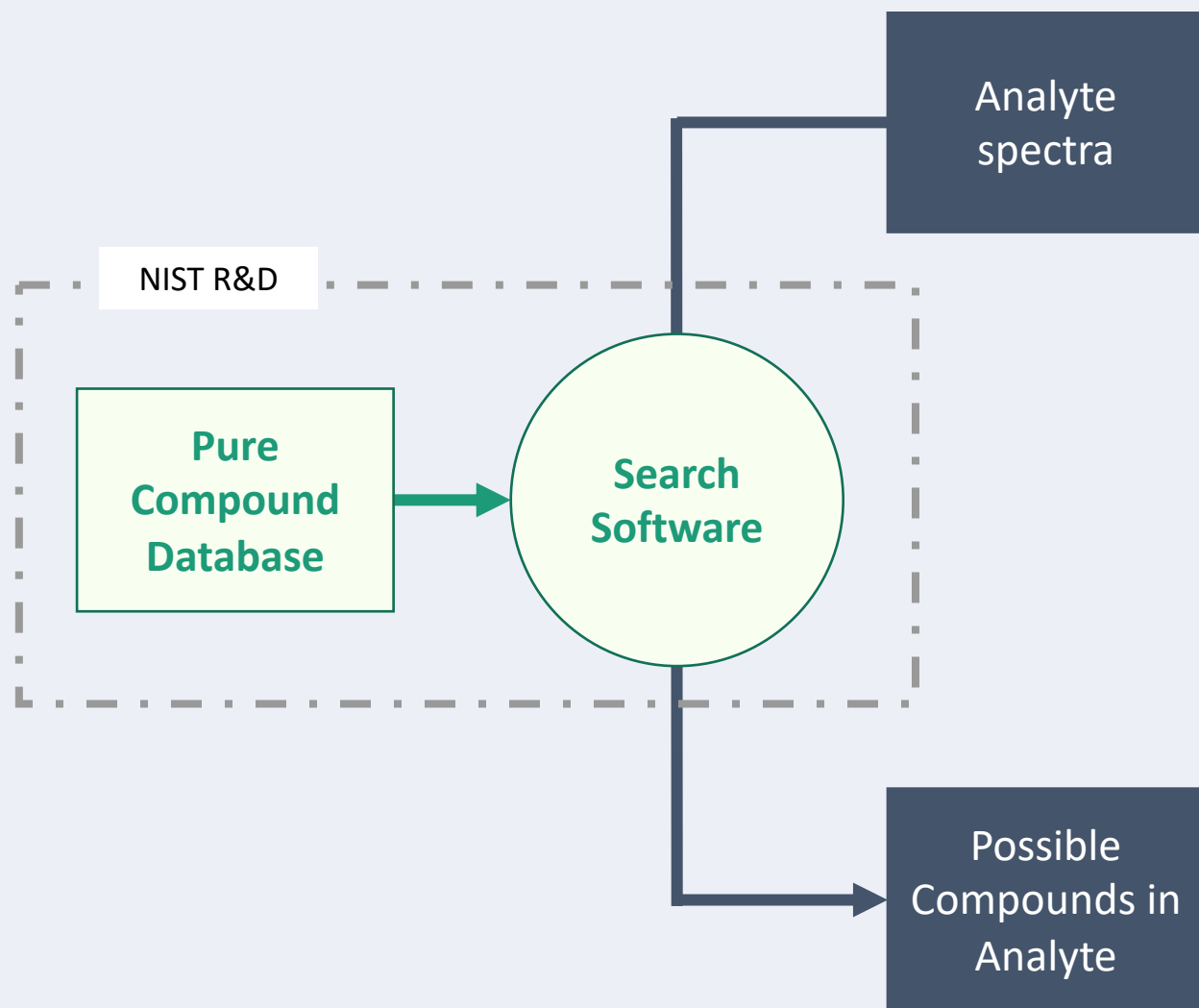
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# Summary

1. New NIST DART-MS Forensics Database (Library)
  - a. Plan to provide regular updates as more compounds and spectra are acquired
  - b. Suggestions for new or missing compounds, or corrections to entries should be submitted to [DARTdata@nist.gov](mailto:DARTdata@nist.gov)
  - c. Most updated database available at <https://chemdata.nist.gov>
2. New NIST DART-MS Database Search Tool (DST)
  - a. Plan to provide updated software based on user feedback
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  - c. DART-MS Search Tool (DST) available at <https://github.com/asm3-nist/DART-MS-DST>

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