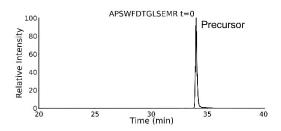
## **Supporting Information**

## A two-trick pony: lysosomal protease cathepsin B possesses surprising ligase activity

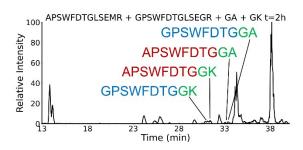
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**Figure S1.** LC chromatogram for the initial timepoint of APSWFDTGLSEMR + CatB. No peaks were present except for the precursor peptide.



**Figure S2.** LC chromatogram for the incubation of APSWFDTGLSEMR and GPSWFDTGLSEGR with dipeptides GA and GK with CatB. Raw data for the results shown in Figure 4.

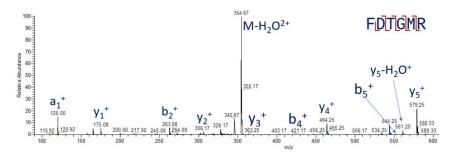


Figure S3. CID fragmentation spectrum for the ligation product FDTGMR.

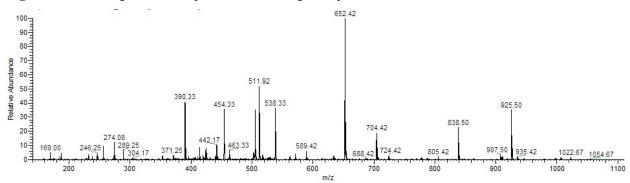


Figure S4. CID fragmentation spectrum for the ligation product APSWFDTGGR shown in Figure 3.

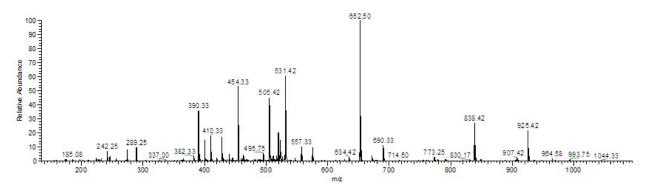


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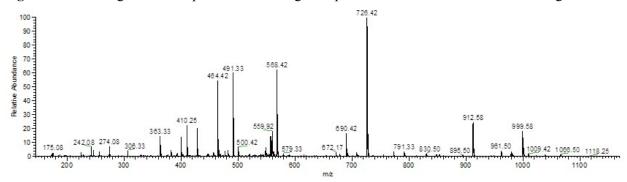


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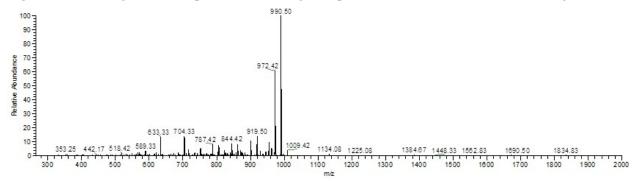


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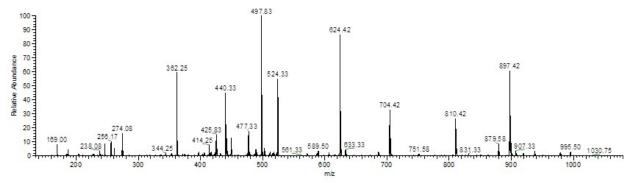


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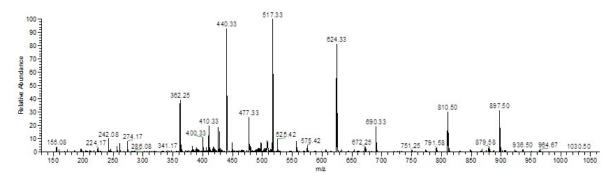


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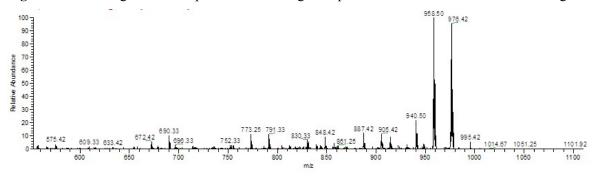


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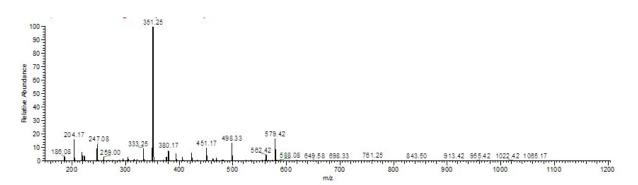
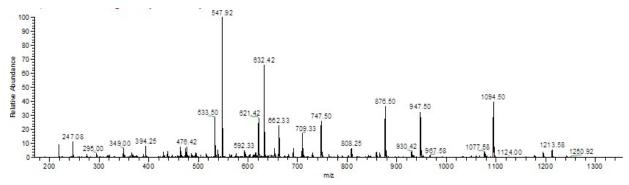


Figure S11. CID fragmentation spectrum for the ligation product VFFGA shown in Figure 5.



**Figure S12.** CID fragmentation spectrum for the ligation product VFFAEDVGSNKGA shown in Figure 5.

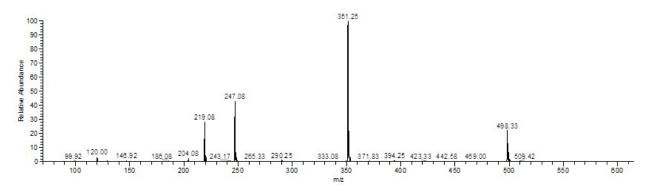


Figure S13. CID fragmentation spectrum for the ligation product VFFGK shown in Figure 5.