

ABSTRACT

An object of the present invention is to provide an albumin-sugar chain complex bound with a number of sugar chains sufficient for obtaining a sugar chain clustering effect while also being able to exist comparatively stably in the body. The present invention provides an albumin-sugar chain complex having five or more molecules of an asparagine-linked sugar chain bound per molecule of albumin; a carrier for selectively delivering a functional molecule to a target tissue in the body that contains the aforementioned albumin-sugar chain complex; and a bioimaging probe having the aforementioned albumin-sugar chain complex as an active ingredient thereof that is administered into the body of an animal.