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Development of the mRNA vaccine and the challenges we had to overcome

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The development of the mRNA vaccines is heralded as one of the most impactful to control the SARS-CoV2 pandemic.

As of August 22, Pfizer has shipped more than 1.3 billion doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine worldwide.

But what were the hurdles that Pfizer/BioNTech had to overcome to develop a safe and effective vaccine?

Some of them were scientific of nature but most of them were not.

Marc Kaptein, Pfizer's Medical Director in the Netherlands, will share his story of the light speed roller coaster ride.

Buckle up and be amazed about the wonderful world of science-driven, large scale vaccine development, production and global distribution.