

Democratizing Calculations In The Cloud

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Agenda

- Intro to OpenEye and Orion
- HPC Science in Orion



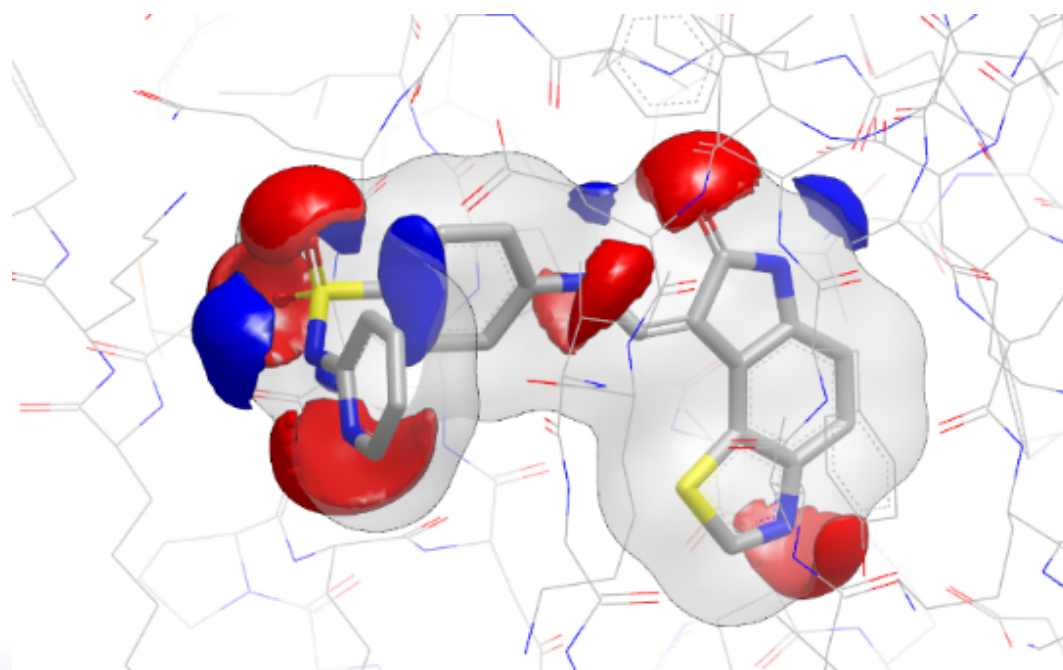
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OpenEye Modeling & Cheminformatics



Molecular Similarity (shape & electrostatics) == Biological Similarity

- Founded 1997
 - Anthony Nicholls
- Santa Fe HQ
 - Boston, Cologne, Tokyo, remote
- Organic growth – no VC
- 70 employees



Looking For Potential COVID-19 Therapeutics: Docking Studies On 1.4 Billion Molecules

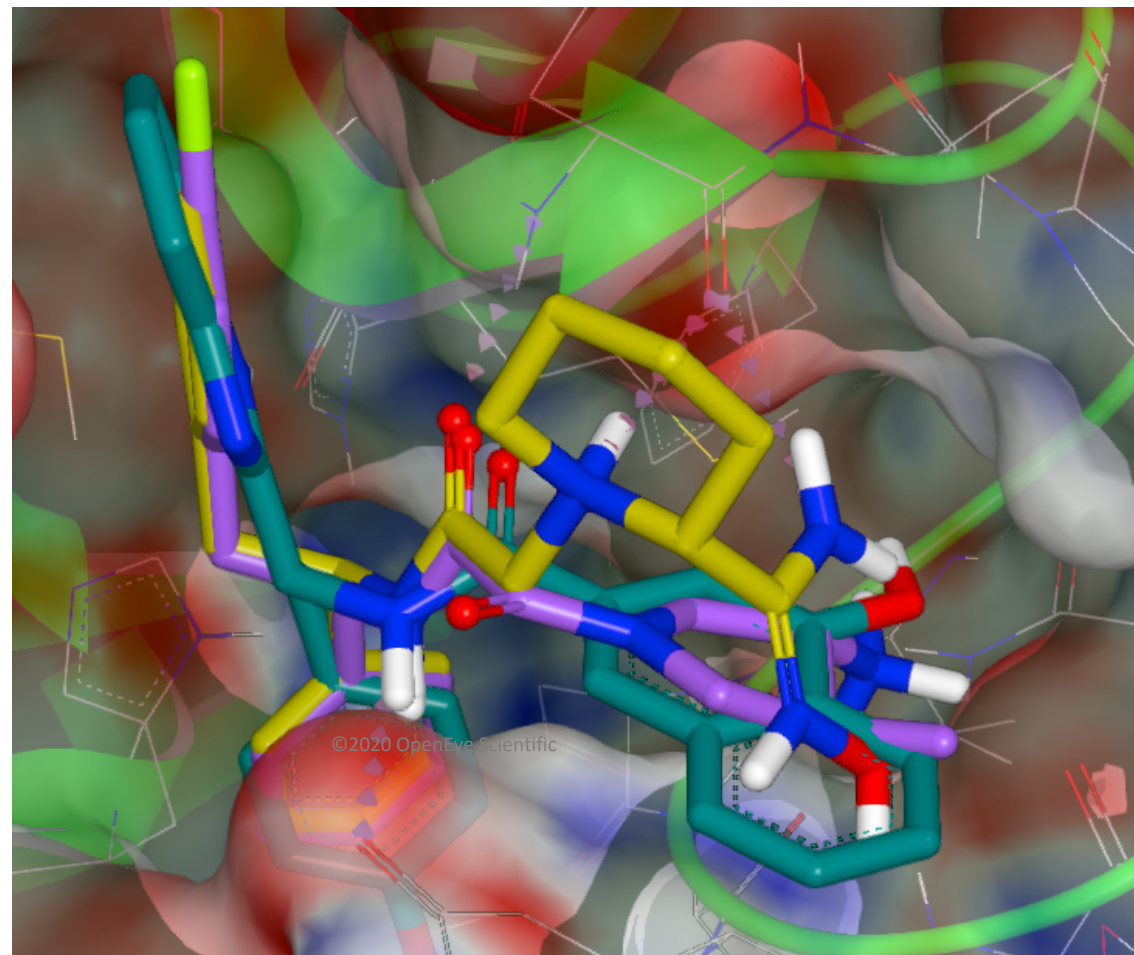
5TB input data, 50K CPUs,
3.5 days per study

SARS-CoV-2 Mpro protease

www.eyesopen.com/blog/openeye-deploys-the-orion-molecular-design-platform-to-find-covid-19-therapeutics

Angiotensin converting enzyme 2
(ACE2)

www.eyesopen.com/blog/openeye-releases-additional-giga-scale-virtual-screening-covid-19-data-for-public-use



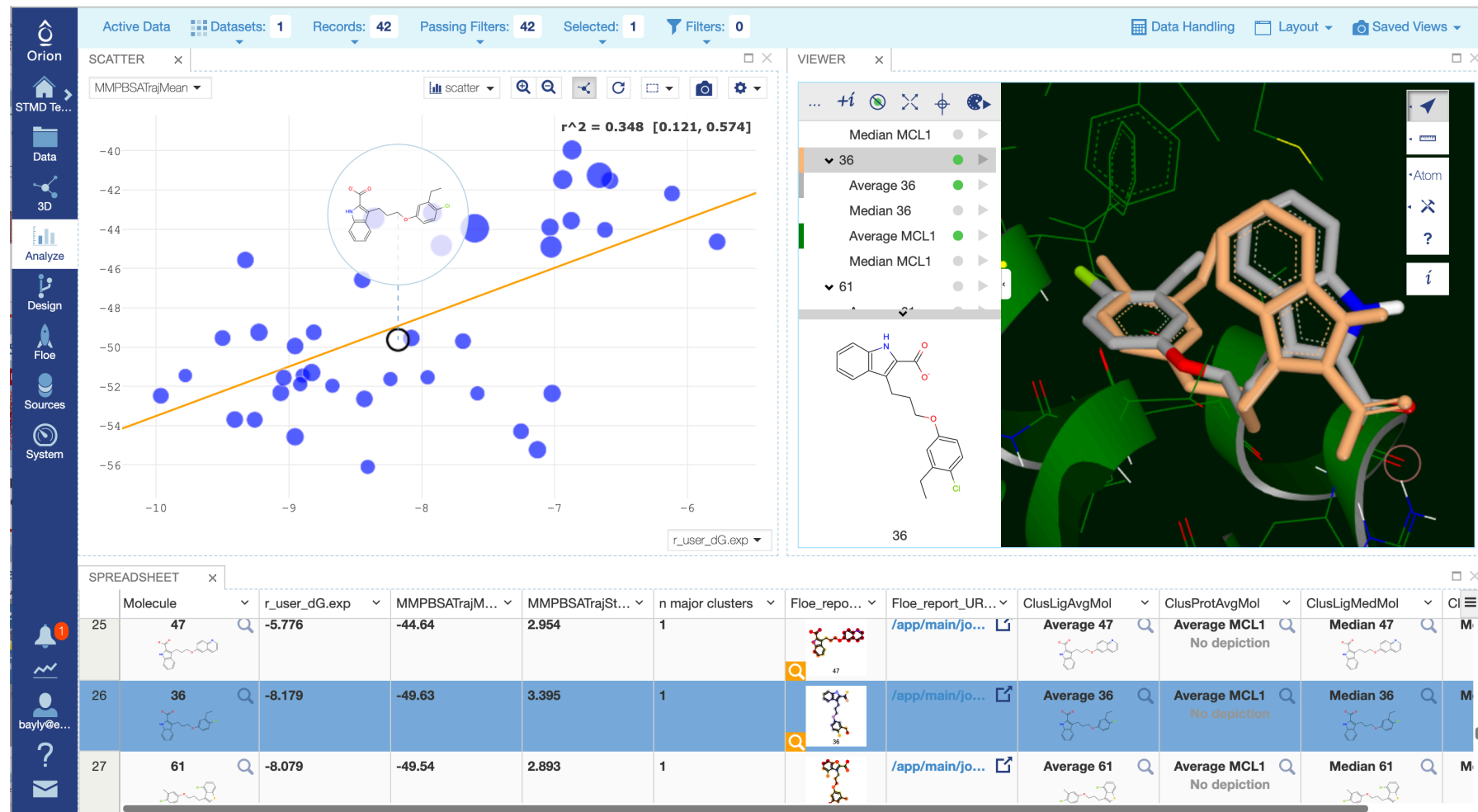
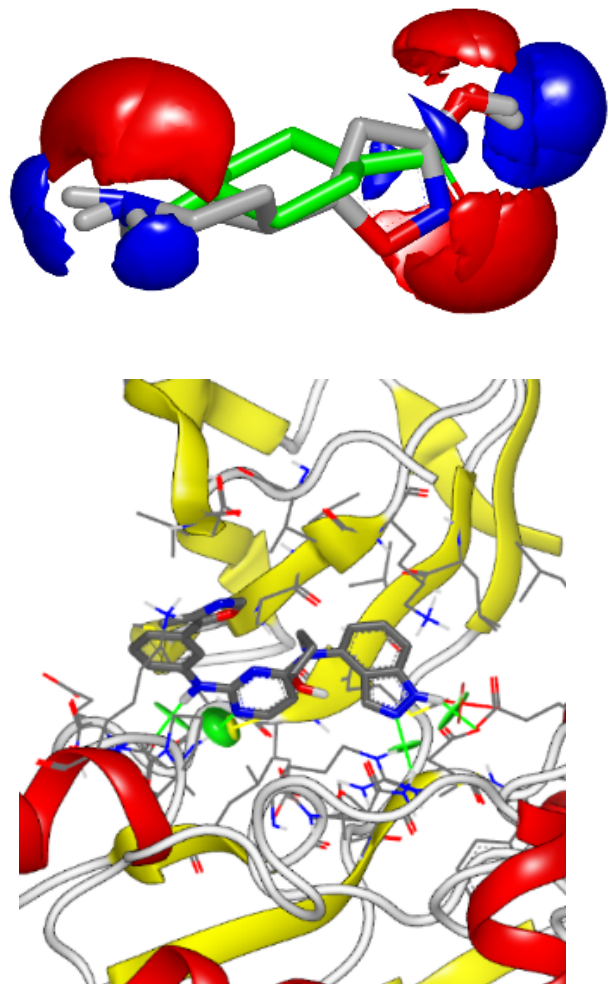
How To Enable Subject Matter Experts To Evaluate 10^{50} Molecules Using $>10^7$ CPUs?

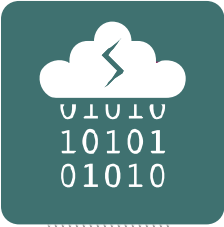


- Automatic scale-up
- Automatic parallelism
- Automatic fault tolerance
- Automatic storage and backup of results
- Automatic scale down when calculations are finished
- Automatic reproducibility of methods at a future time



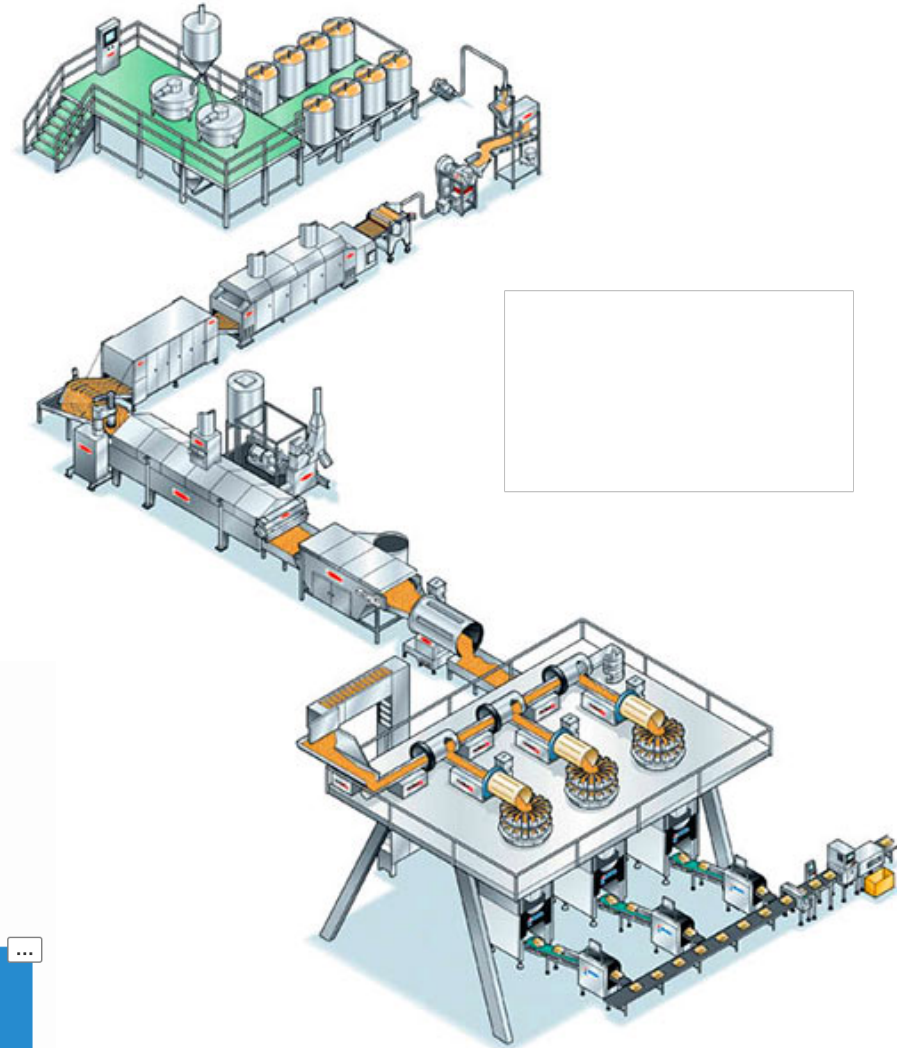
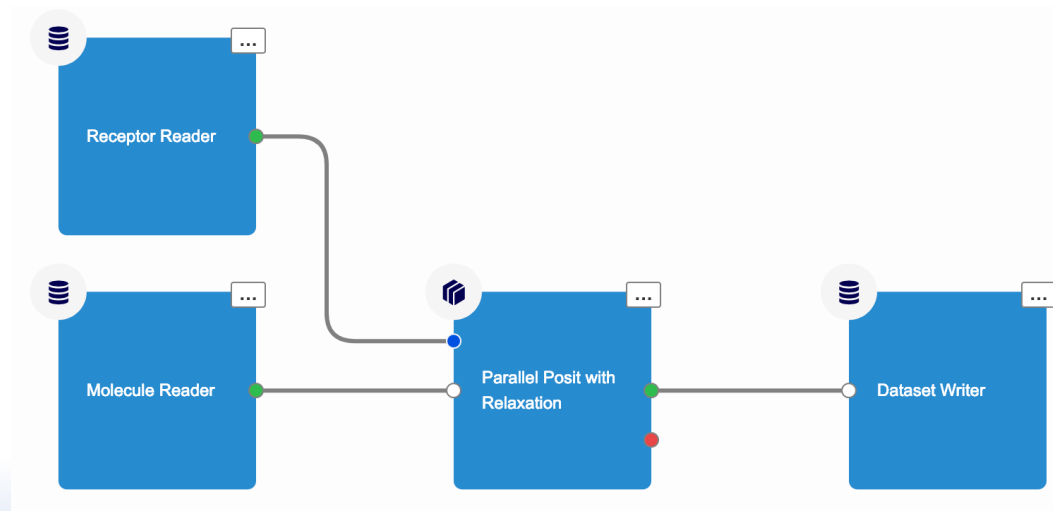
Computer Aided Drug Design With Orion





Flow-Based Programming

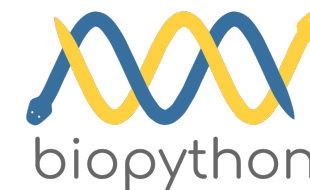
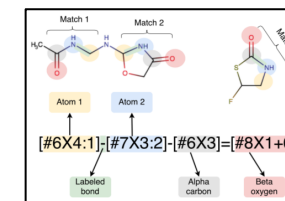
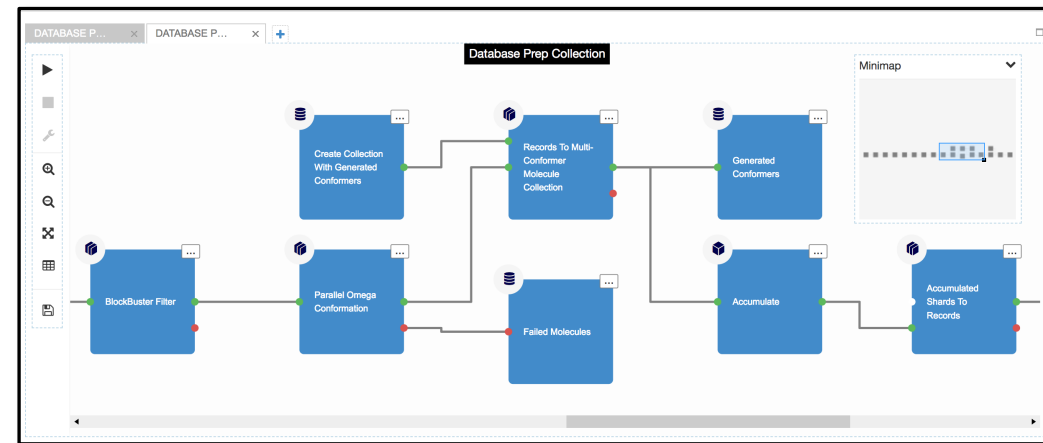
- Independent workers (Cube)
- Directed graph of workers (Floe)
- Good fit for the cloud
 - Inherent parallelism
 - Independent, reusable components
 - Easy to program





Open Programming Platform

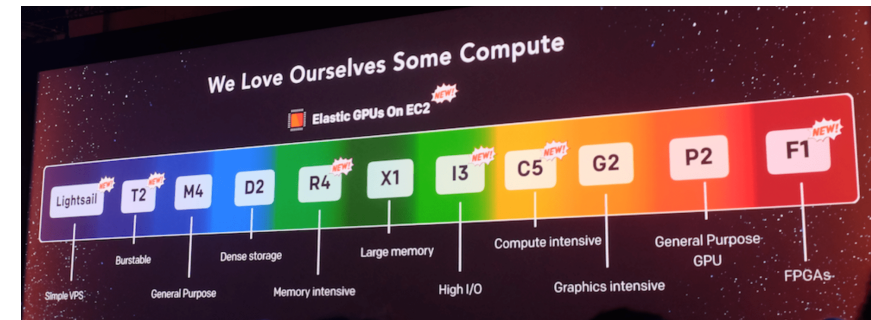
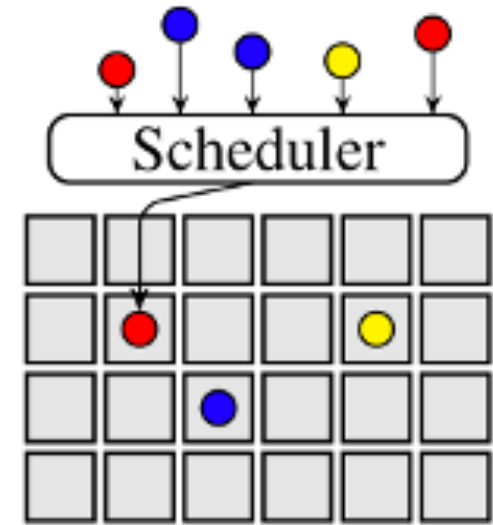
- Cubes are Python
- Floes assembled in Python or UI
- Wrapped binaries
- Third-party code
 - PSI4, OpenMM, GROMACS, etc.
 - Scientific Python ecosystem
 - Commercial Code*





Orion Scheduler

- Decides when/where everything in Orion runs
 - Manages pools of instance types
 - Fairness determined by task slowdown due to sharing
 - Dominant Resource Factor instance partitioning
- Per-Cube
 - Hardware requirements
 - Scaling parameters
 - Spot Preference
- Cyclic workflows
- Mixed software environments





Running Floes in Orion

The screenshot displays the OpenEye Orion web interface for a running job. The interface is divided into several sections:

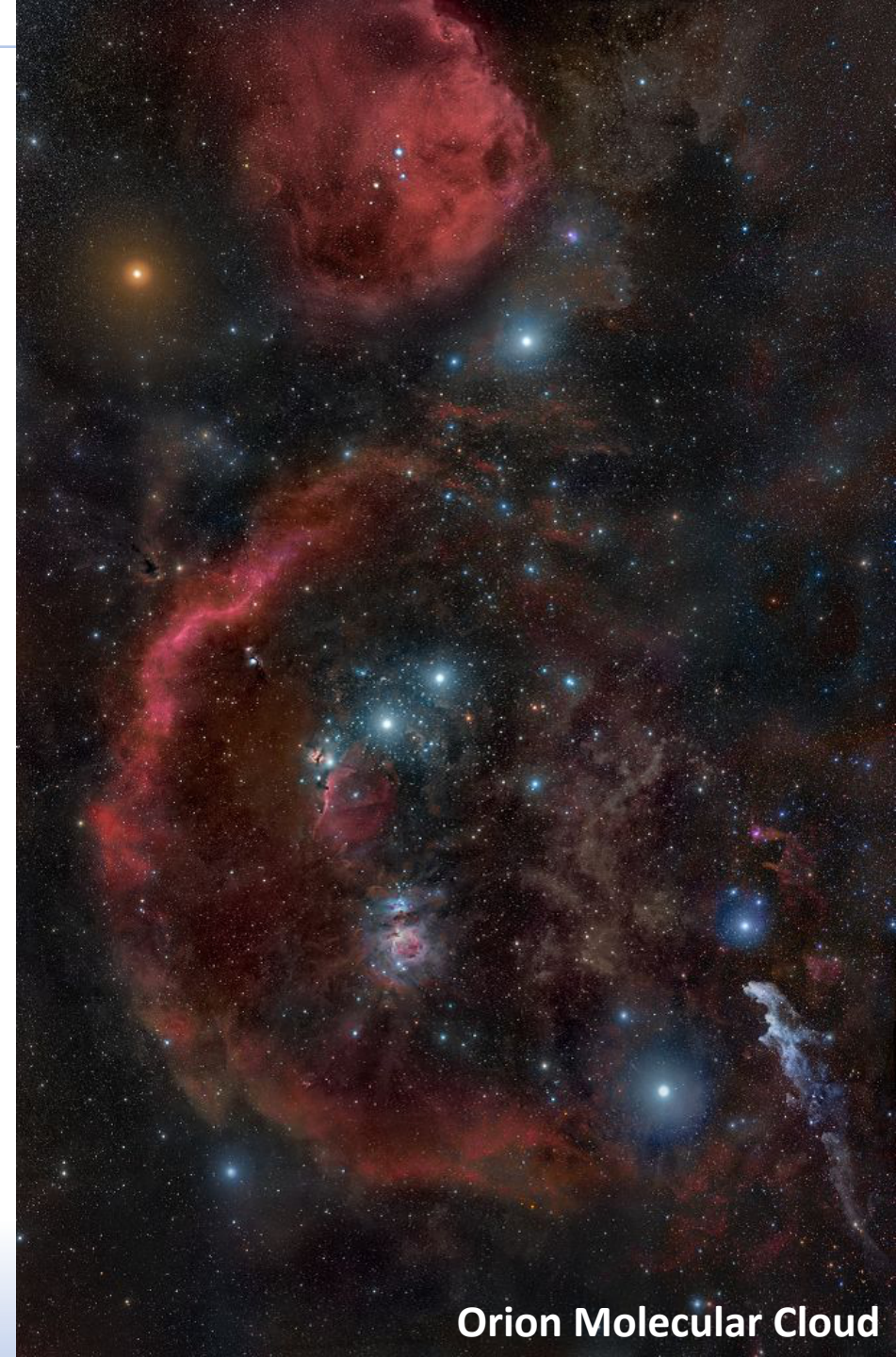
- Left Sidebar:** Contains navigation icons for Orion, Demo, Data, 3D, Analyze, Design, Floe, and Sources.
- Job Parameters Panel:**
 - Results:** No results yet.
 - Job Details:** Name: Multi-Query Ligand-Based Virtual Screening with FastROCS and SubROCS - Apr 15, 08:30 PM. Status: Running. Created: Apr 15, 2020 8:30:57 PM. Source Floe: Multi-Query Ligand-Based Virtual Screening with FastROCS and SubROCS. Source Floe Version: 0.1.6. Tags: Job ID: 169412. Cost: \$0.74 (USD). Duration: 1 minute. Log Stream: Download | View. Re-run this job: Job parameters will be reused. You can edit them before starting the job.
- Workflow Diagram (FLOE):** A complex flowchart showing the job's execution steps, including Query Reader, Clean Query Data, Assign Query ID, ROCS DB Prep, Shared Reader, Parallel FastROCS Search, Parallel SubROCS In-Round, Multi-Class Hit List, Parallel SubROCS Hit Filter, Performance Switch, Parallel Matrix Framework SMILES, Add Temporary Score, Parallel Rank Score, Parallel Rank Score, and Save Callout.
- Hardware Specifications:** CPU: 824, Disk Space: 5.0 TB, GPU: 50, Memory: 5.9 TB.
- Minimap:** A small visualization of the workflow.

Live Costs

Elastic Hardware

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Orion Molecular Cloud



Launch Partner projects

Pfizer

1. QM torsion scan
2. Corporate collection
3. 184K CPUs at peak, 2 months to complete
4. ML force-field

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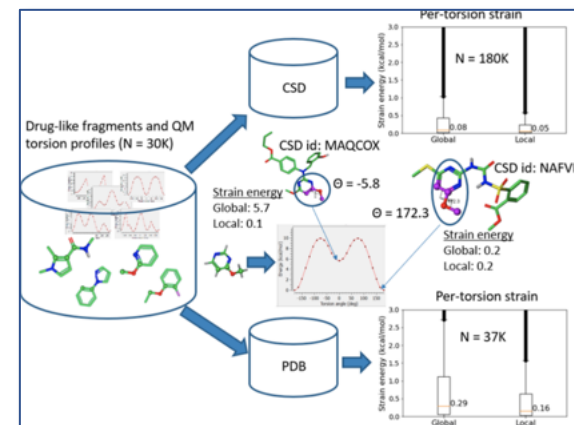
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Comprehensive Assessment of Torsional Strain in Crystal Structures of Small Molecules and Protein–Ligand Complexes using *ab Initio* Calculations

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Virtual Screening in the Cloud: How Big Is Big Enough?

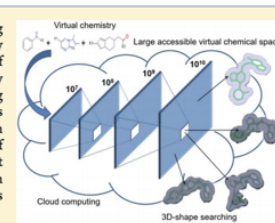
Christoph Grebner,^{†,||} Erik Malmerberg,[†] Andrew Shewmaker,[‡] Jose Batista,[‡] Anthony Nicholls,[‡] and Jens Sadowski^{*,†}

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Supporting Information

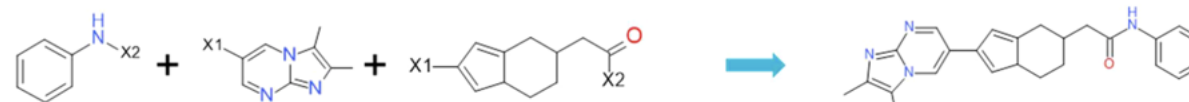
ABSTRACT: Virtual screening is a standard tool in Computer-Assisted Drug Design (CADD). Early in a project, it is typical to use ligand-based similarity search methods to find suitable hit molecules. However, the number of compounds which can be screened and the time required are usually limited by computational resources. We describe here a high-throughput virtual screening project using 3D similarity (FastROCS) and automated evaluation workflows on Orion, a cloud computing platform. Cloud resources make this approach fully scalable and flexible, allowing the generation and search of billions of virtual molecules, and give access to an explicit 3D virtual chemistry space not available before. We discuss the impact of the size of the search space with respect to finding novel chemical hits and the size of the required hit list, as well as computational and economical aspects of resource scaling.



AstraZeneca

1. 12.7 Billion compounds
2. 3D FastROCS on GPUs in Orion
3. Impact on multiple projects

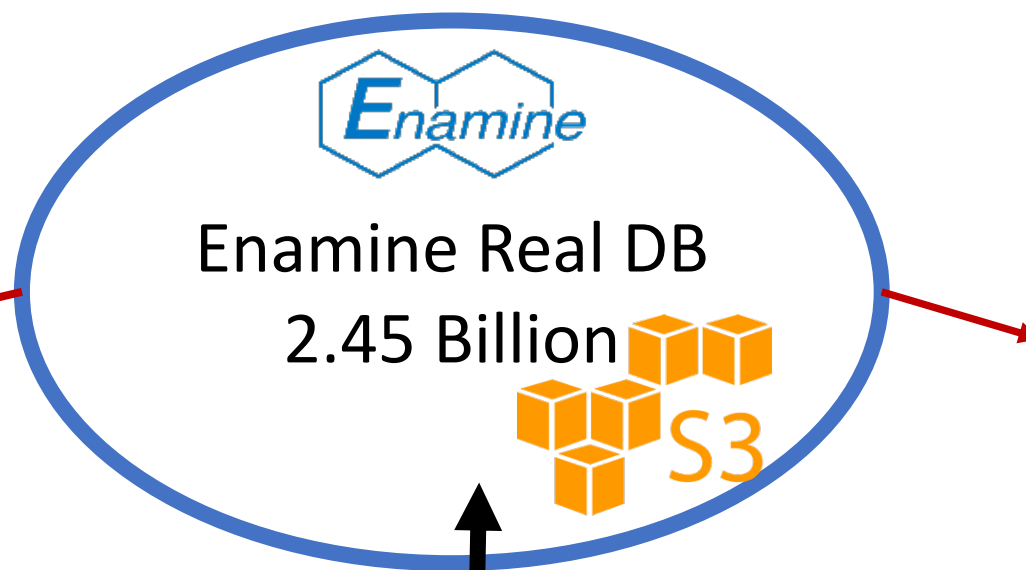
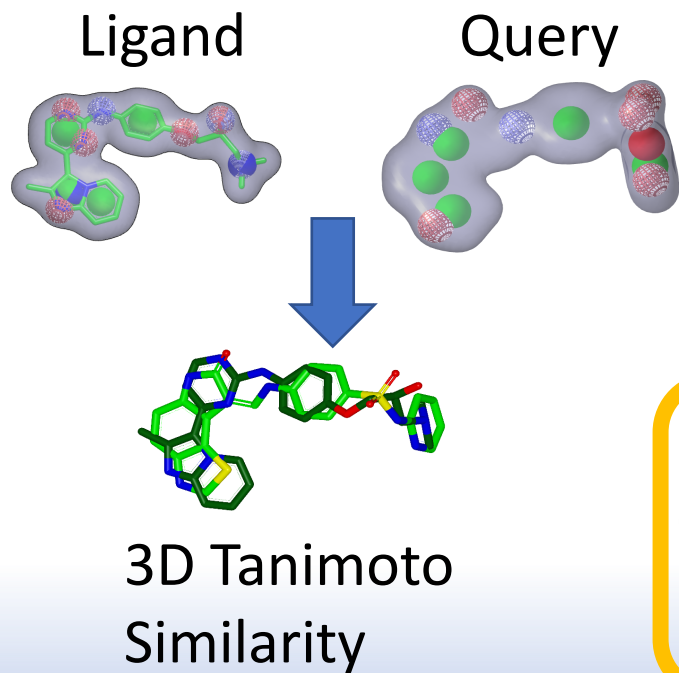
Scheme 1. Scheme for Enumerating Virtual Molecules



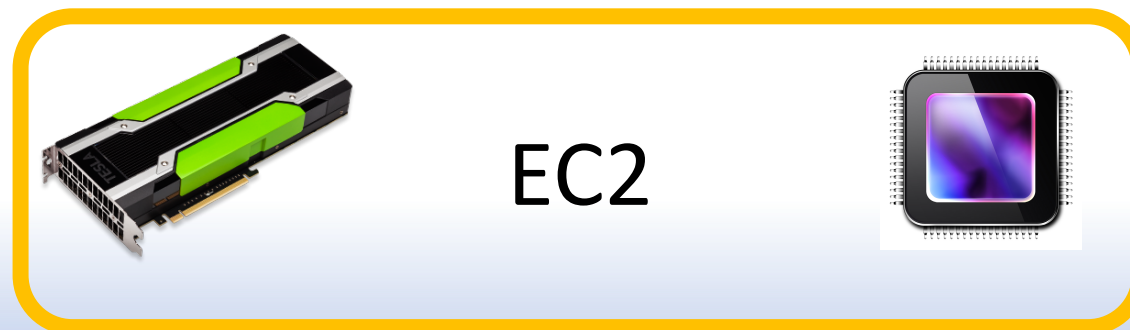
2.45 Billion Molecule Virtual Screens

FastROCS

- 3D Ligand Based
- Runtime ~ 30min
- Cost: **\$50-\$200**

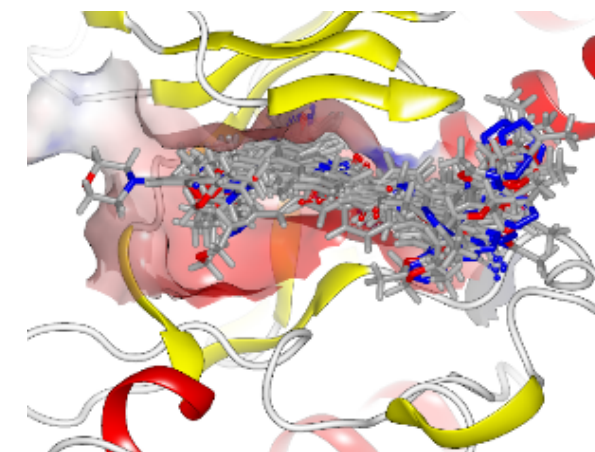


Other Commercial or Internal DBs



Docking

- Structure Based
- Runtime ~24 Hours
- Cost : **\$10k – \$50k**



Enamine REAL Space: 13.3 Billion SMILES

Reaction Components
(124 SMIRKS)

Process Reagents

A

B

C

D

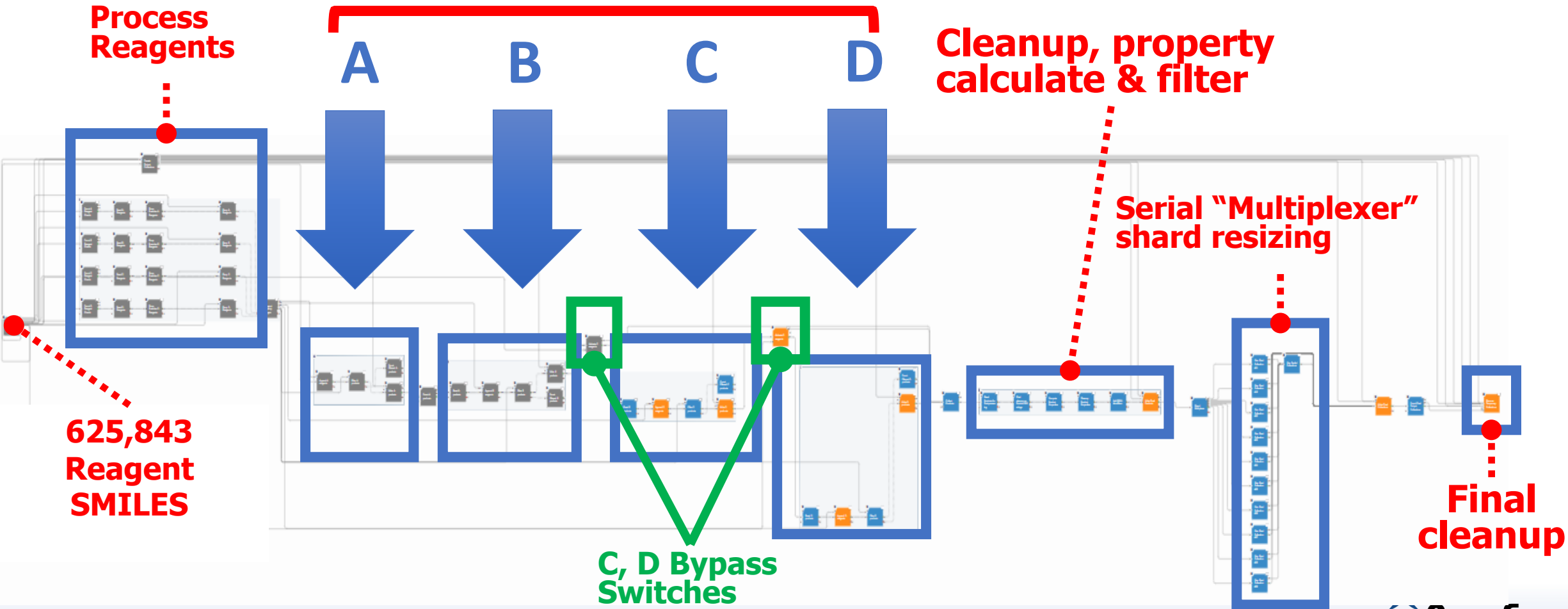
Cleanup, property calculate & filter

Serial "Multiplexer" shard resizing

625,843 Reagent SMILES

Final cleanup

C, D Bypass Switches



Short Trajectory Molecular Dynamics Flow

Spruce



Protein Reader

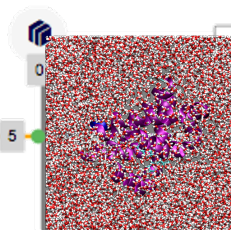
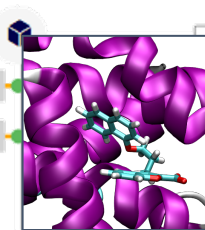
Protein Setting

Cost: ~\$2/molecule
Time: 1 hour

Ligand Reader

Ligand Charge

Ligand Setting



System Parametrization

System Minimization

System Warm Up

System Equilibration I

System Equilibration II

System Equilibration III

Production

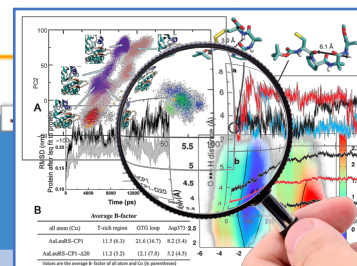
Traj to OEMol Cube

Extract relevant outputs of MD Traj Cluster Analysis



GROMACS

2 ns



Short Trajectory Molecular Dynamics Report

OpenEye Orion

https://orion-qa.eyesopen.us/app/main/workfloe/jobs/169364

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Results Show non-dataset files

Thrombin MD output 11 records [Show in Project Data](#)

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Name Short Trajectory MD with Analysis - Apr 15, 12:39 PM

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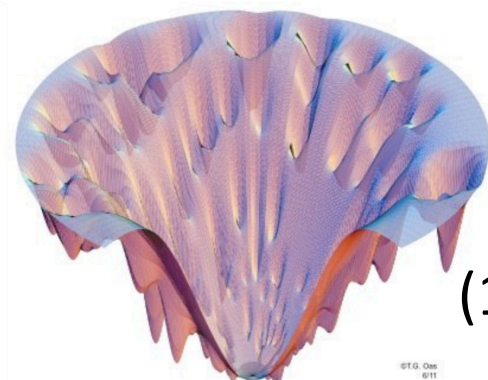
Cluster	# clusters	MMPBSA score
1b	1	-52.1 ± 0.2 kcal/mol
1d	1	-52.6 ± 0.3 kcal/mol
3b	1	-52.3 ± 0.2 kcal/mol
1a	1	-45.6 ± 0.3 kcal/mol
6a	1	-55.2 ± 0.2 kcal/mol
7a	2	-49.0 ± 0.2 kcal/mol
3a	2	-47.6 ± 0.3 kcal/mol
5	1	-44.7 ± 0.2 kcal/mol
6b	1	-54.5 ± 0.1 kcal/mol
6e	1	-51.3 ± 0.2 kcal/mol
1c	1	-52.2 ± 0.2 kcal/mol

Small-molecule Crystal Structure Prediction



- Experimental crystal structures are obtained at the formulation stage
- Much effort and money would have been spent on optimizing the compound
- Not all polymorphs are realized in experiments
- Discovery of a new polymorph after formulation and marketing can result in recall and significant losses

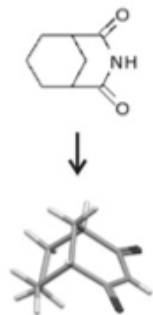
Typical physics-based modeling workflow of CSP



(10-100)

(10^5 - 10^6)

(100)



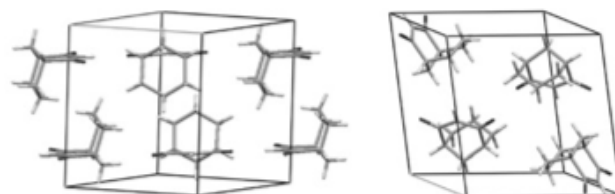
Molecular diagram

Start with 2D structure



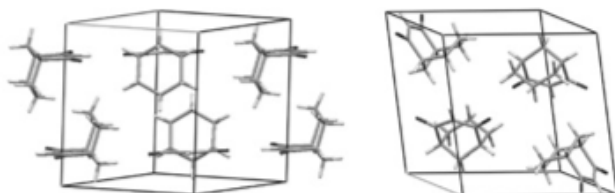
Three-dimensional molecular structure

Conformer generation



Many possible close-packed, low-energy crystal structures

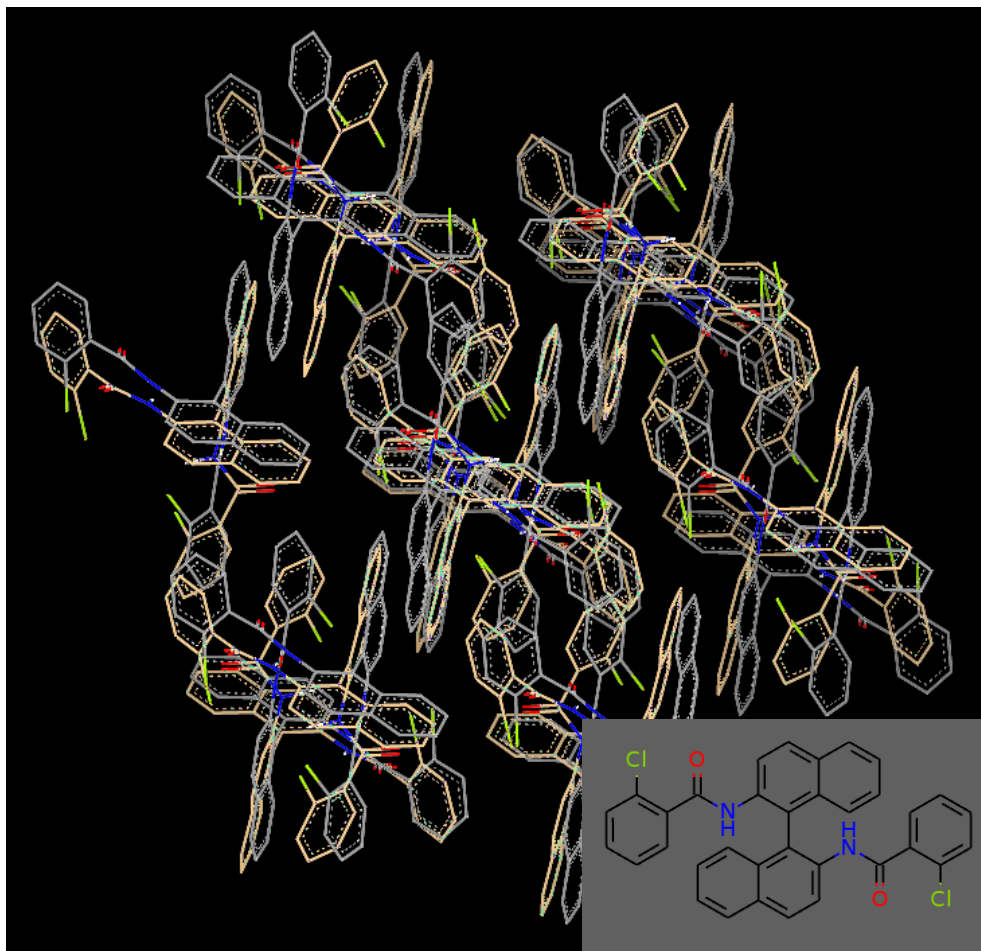
Rigid packing -> FF minimization -> FF ranking



Many possible close-packed, low-energy crystal structures

Re-rank top FF packings using Quantum Mechanics

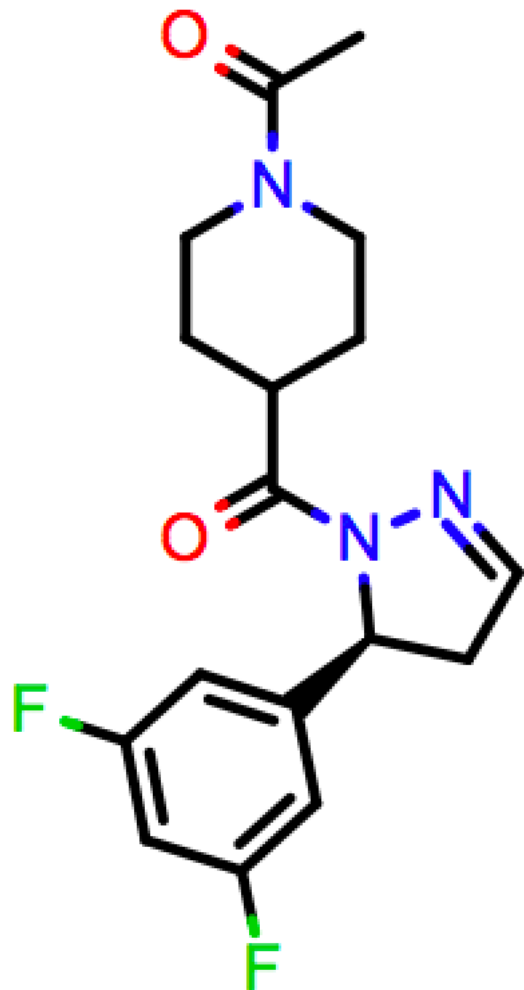
Example: CSP6 XXVI



Performance Summary

Wall Time, hours	Total CPU hours	Peak CPUs	Peak RAM
14	~6500	4000	27.5 TB

OE-Collaborator Blind Prediction Challenge



200

800,000

IEFF optimization

Rank = 21, RMS₂₀ = 1.1 Å

Top 100 IEFF packings
IEFF@LR + DFT@SR

Rank = 1, RMS₂₀ = 0.18 Å

290K CPU hours
24 hours wall time
~12000x speed-up

Cost: \$5k-\$50k

Time: 1 day



Making Large Calculations In The Cloud Accessible Is Difficult, But Worth It

- Orion is an ambitious project to create a complete cloud-native platform for Computer Aided Drug Design
- Orion is driving new science at OpenEye and our partners
- Scalable calculations are stable, automated, and reproducible
 - Large-scale calculations become routine
- Open development environment
 - Opportunities to integrate your code, 3rd party code, on-prem services

Thank you

Questions?

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Cube Example: Sequence alignment (BioPython)

Add Parameter

Add Ports

Setup

Process Input

```
class PairwiseAlignmentCube(RecordPortsMixin, ComputeCube):
```

```
    alignment_type = StringParameter(choices=["global", "local"], default="global")
    match = StringParameter(choices=["x", "m", "d"], default="x")
    gap_penalty = StringParameter(choices=["x", "s", "d"], default="x")
    reference = RecordInputPort(initializer=True)
    sequence_field = StringFieldParameter(default="sequence")
```

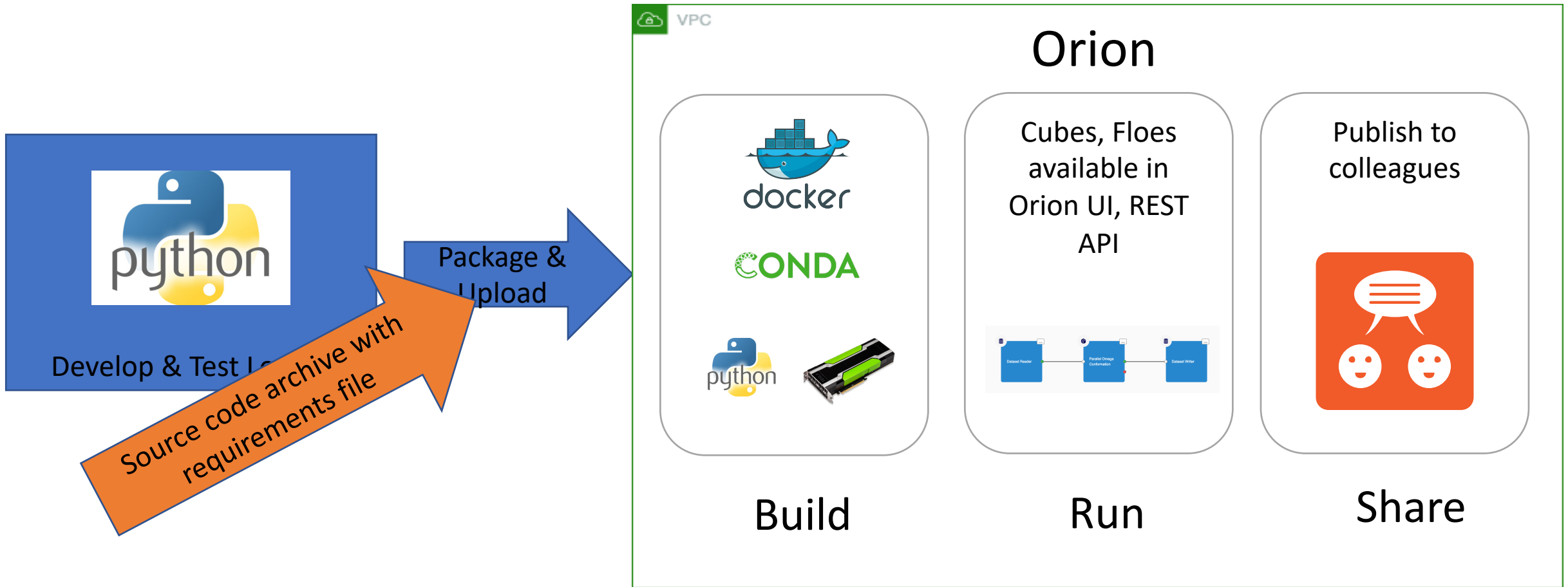
```
    def begin(self):
```

```
        self.alignment_field = OField("alignments", Types.String)
        self.score_field = OField("score", Types.Float)
        self.aligner = getattr(pairwise2.align, f"{self.args.alignment_type}{self.args.match}{self.args.gap_penalty}")
        self.ref_sequence = next(iter(self.reference)).get_value(self.args.sequence_field)
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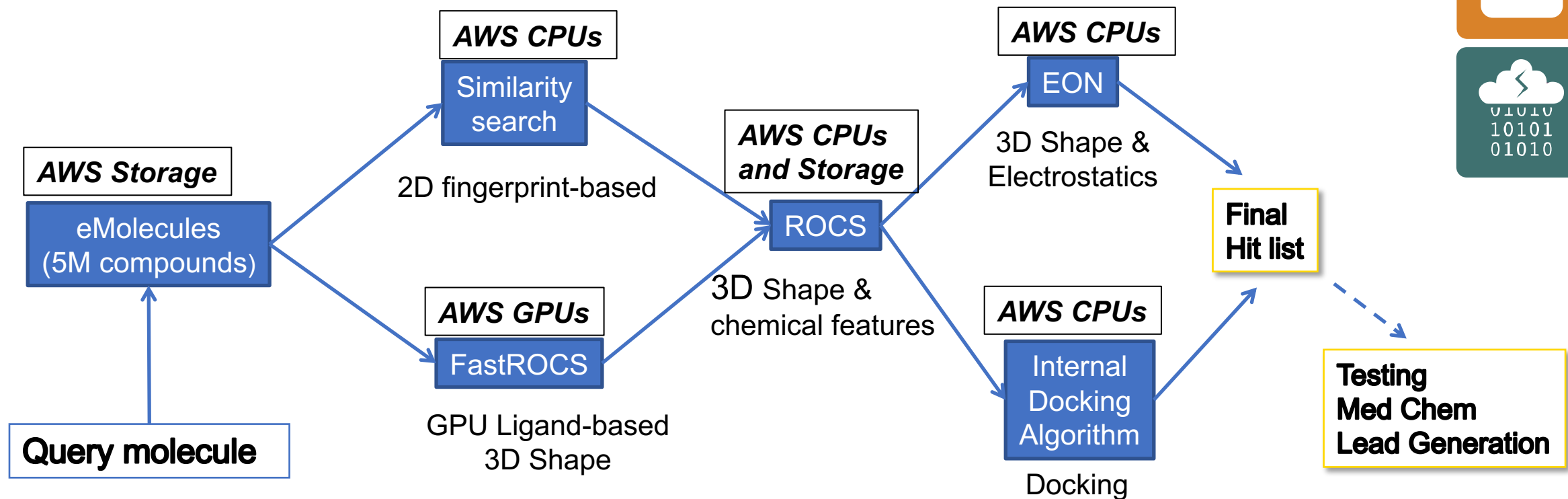
```
    def process(self, record, port):
```

```
        for alignment in self.aligner(self.ref_sequence, record.get_value(self.args.sequence_field)):
            if alignment[2] > 0:
                new_rec = OERecord()
                new_rec.set_value(self.alignment_field, alignment[0])
                print(pairwise2.format_alignment(*alignment))
                new_rec.set_value(self.score_field, alignment[2])
                self.success.emit(new_rec)
```


Orion Development Lifecycle

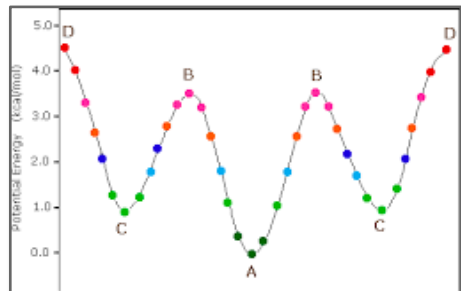
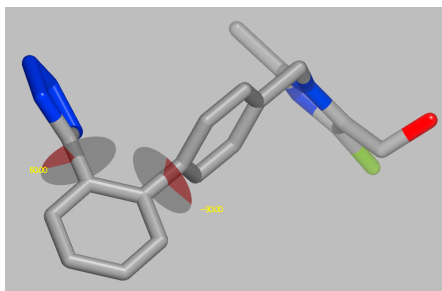


Conventional virtual screening deployed in Orion



- **Before Orion: 5-7 days**
 - Very manual and time consuming (both setup and calculation)
- **After Orion: 15 minutes- 1 hour**

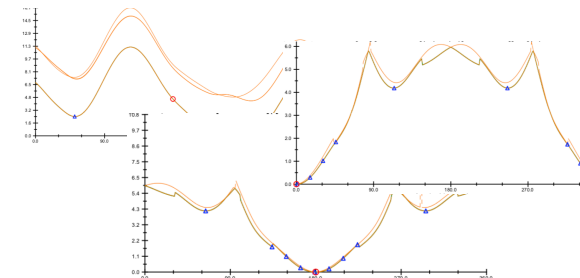
Improving torsion potentials of corporate collection



1.7M QM optimizations

Torsion Energy Profiles

DFT energies



100k Torsions

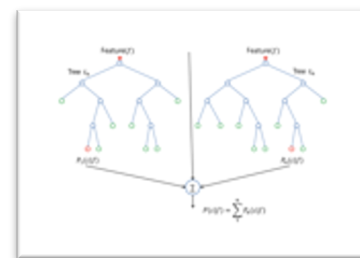
5.5M Torsion Library

Corporate Library

Generate fragments



Machine learning Torsion energy lookup



QM-level Molecular mechanics FF

aws Peak = 184,000 CPUs (spot market rates)



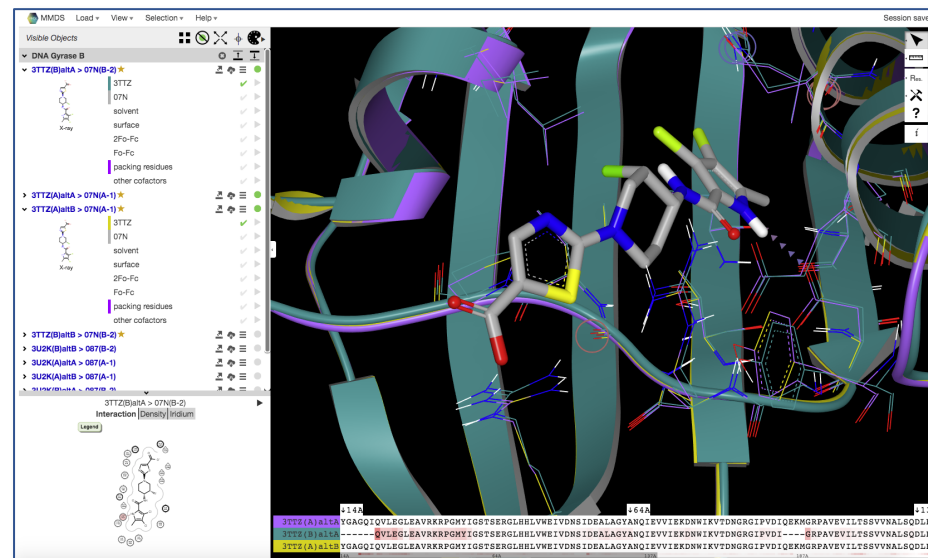
Pfizer take-home messages

- ML >75% of molecules MAE close to DFT
 - MMFF & OPLS < 50%
- CSD structures have very low median strain
 - 0.05 kCal/M/torsion → 0.25 kCal/M (4-6 rotatable bonds)
- PDB structures median strain
 - 0.3 kCal/M/torsion → 1.5 kCal/M
 - Better resolution structures have lower strain

Rai et al, CUP 2018

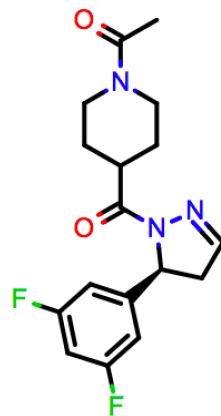
orion Partner projects 2

- Merck - MMDS
 - Protein-ligand structure database
 - Project-based
 - Evaluation of structure quality
 - Modeling-ready

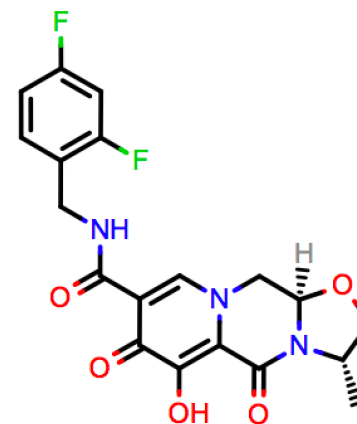


- GSK – CSP
 - Crystal from 2D
 - Crystal properties

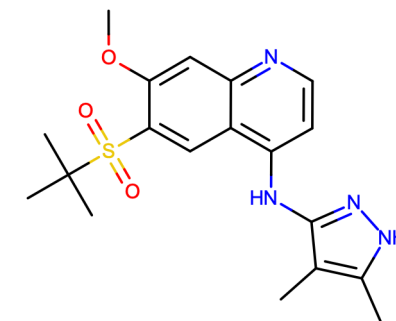
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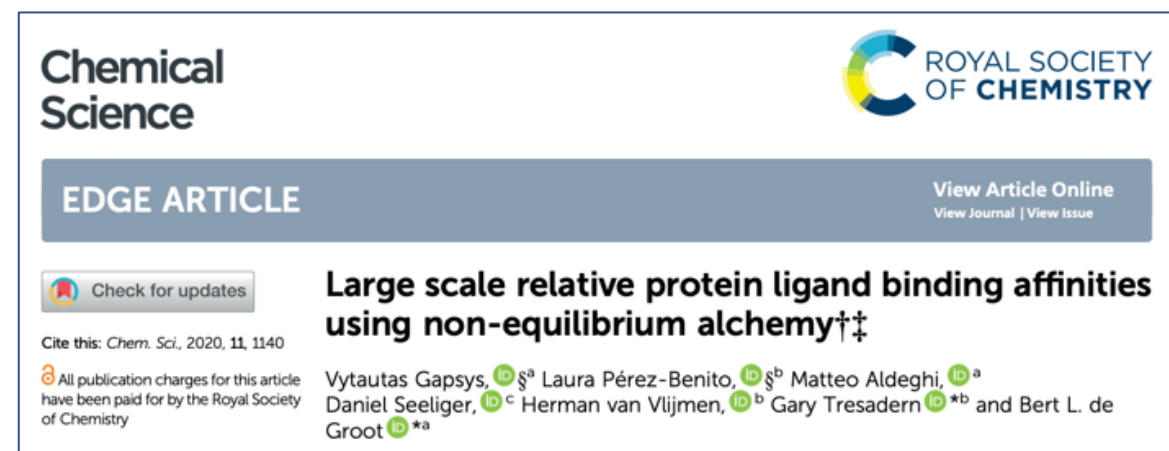
Rank = 1, RMS_20 = 0.18 Å
RMS_50 = 0.26 Å



Rank = 1, RMS_20 = 0.16 Å

orion Partner projects 3

- D. Mobley, J. Chodera, B. de Groot
 1. Relative FEP
 - Non-equilibrium switching (NES)
 2. Molecular Dynamics
 - Basic dynamics with Analysis



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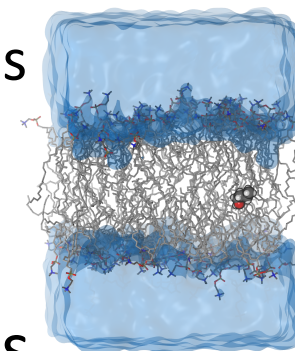
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• Weighted-Ensemble Methods

- WESTPA, Lillian Chong, U. Pitt.
- Path sampling approach



- Multiple trajectory walkers in parallel
 - Replicate walkers with forward progress
- Yields *unbiased* pathways
- Rigorous weighting of trajectories enables calculations of rate constants



Binding Free-Energy

- Competitive method
 - Relative vs Absolute
 - Free-energy perturbation, Thermodynamic Integration
- Non-equilibrium switching
 - Fundamentally new BFE method
 - Many small calculations

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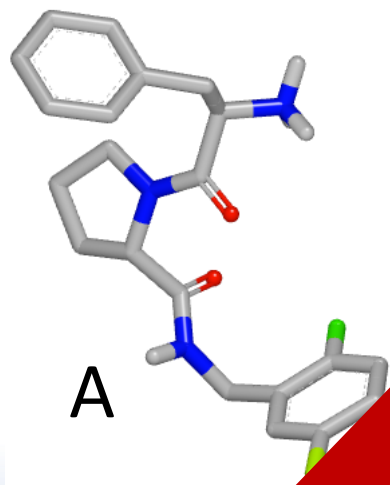
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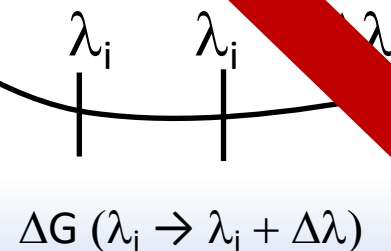
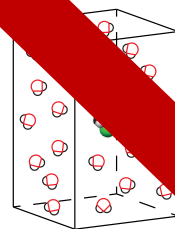
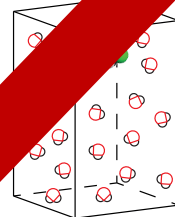
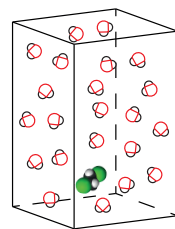
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Relative Binding Free Energy Methods

Long simulation
1 GPU
Equilibrium Sampling

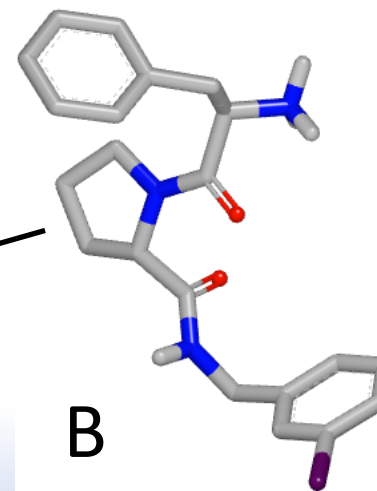


Equilibrium



~~Free
Energy
Perturbation~~

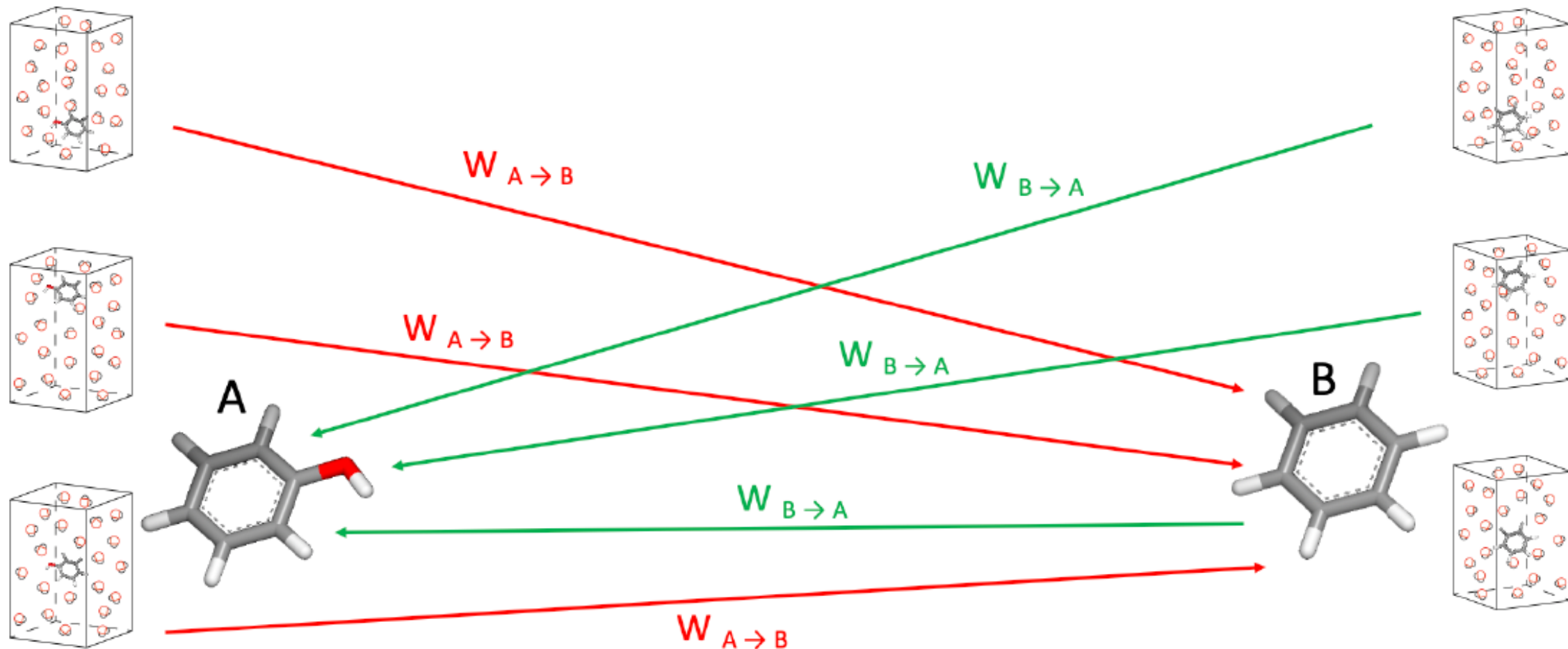
- $\Delta G(\lambda_i \rightarrow \lambda_i + \Delta\lambda)$ are computed evaluating **flask potential energy differences** (must overlap)
- $\Delta G(A \rightarrow B)$ is computed



NES: Widely Parallelizable

Equilibrium

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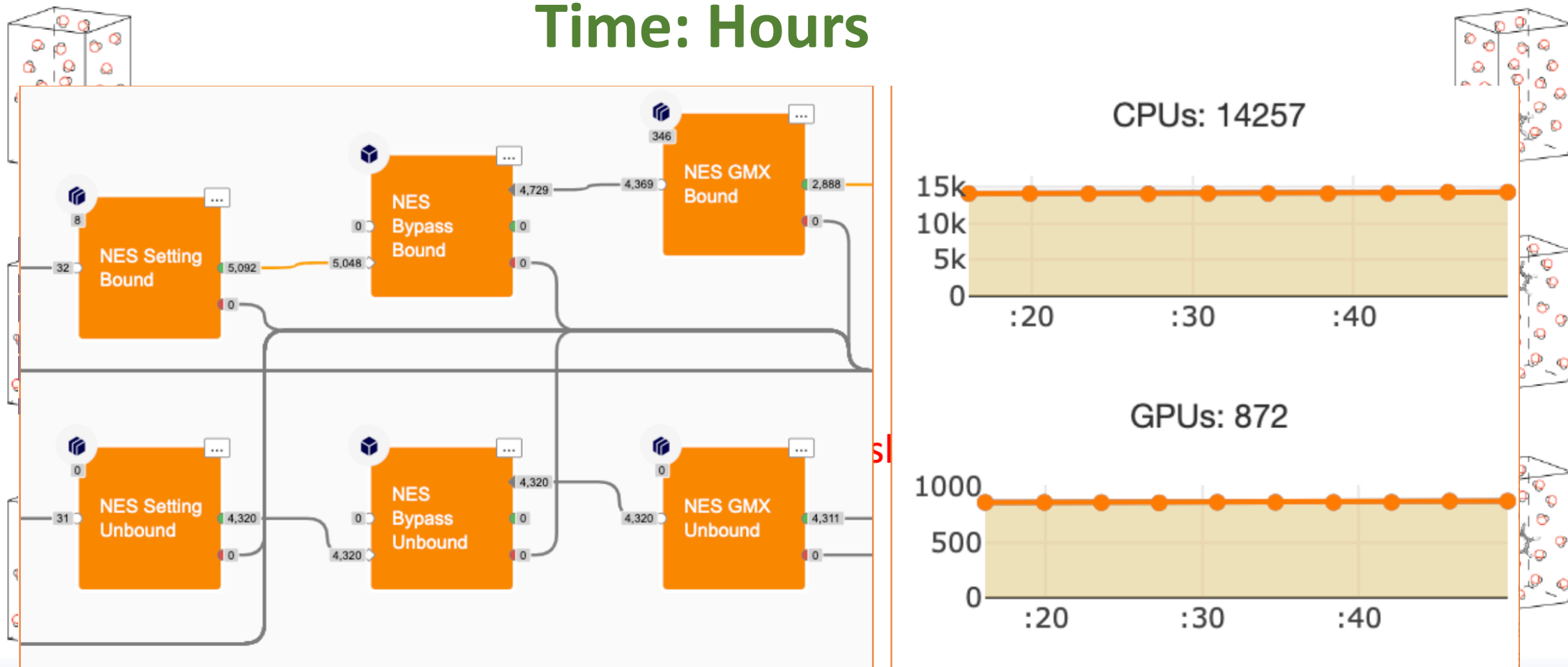
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Cost: ~\$200/comparison

Equilibrium

Time: Hours



11 ligands, 16 edges