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# Docking de Proteínas

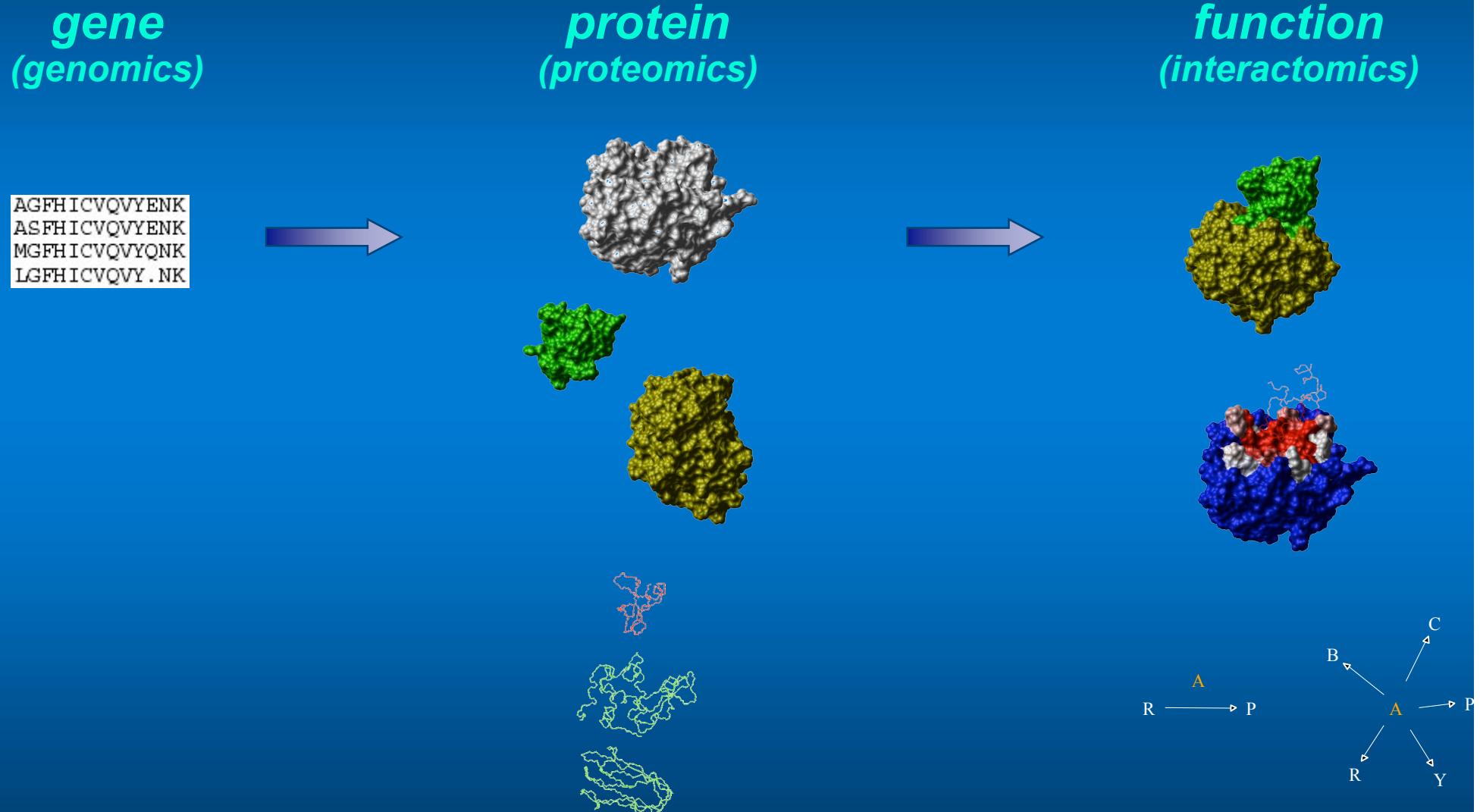
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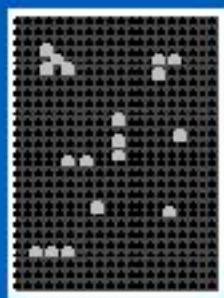
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# Protein-Protein Interactions: Importance



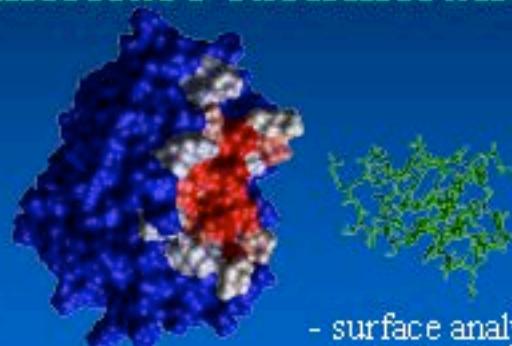
# Protein-Protein Interactions: Analysis

## Protein Interaction Detection



- two-hybrid test
- affinity column, gel assays...
- BIACore
- mass-spectrometry
- electron microscopy
- cross-linking
- co-immunoprecipitation
- immunofluorescence
- knock-out
- phylogenetic profiles, gene fusion events...
- ...

## Interface Identification



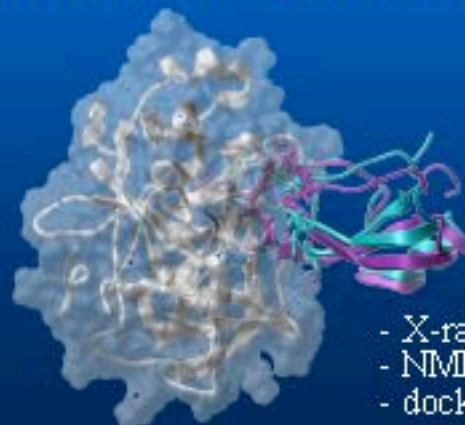
- surface analysis
- gene analysis
- NMR
- mutants

## Applications



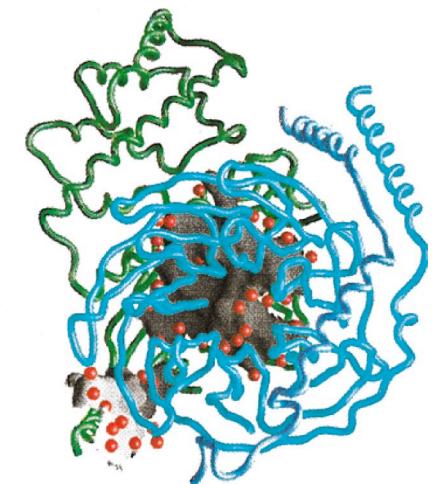
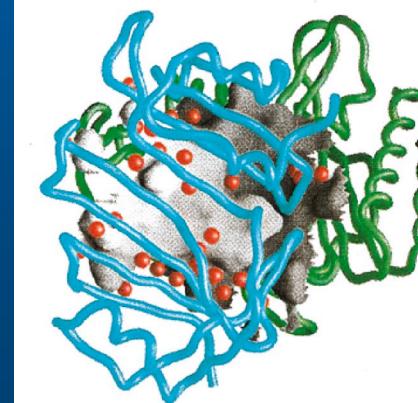
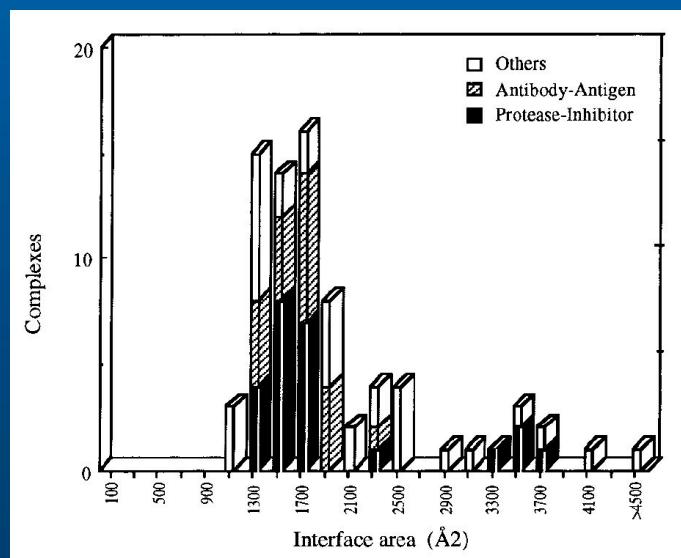
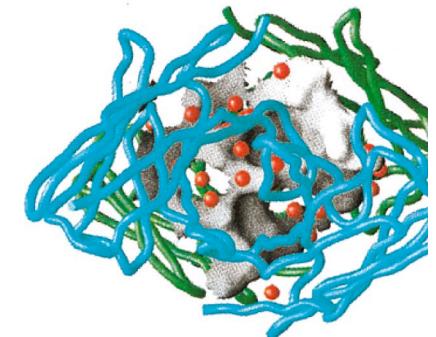
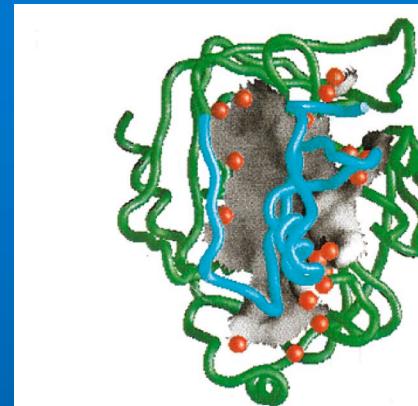
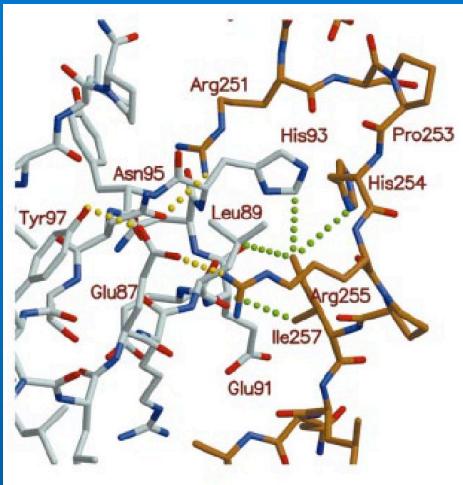
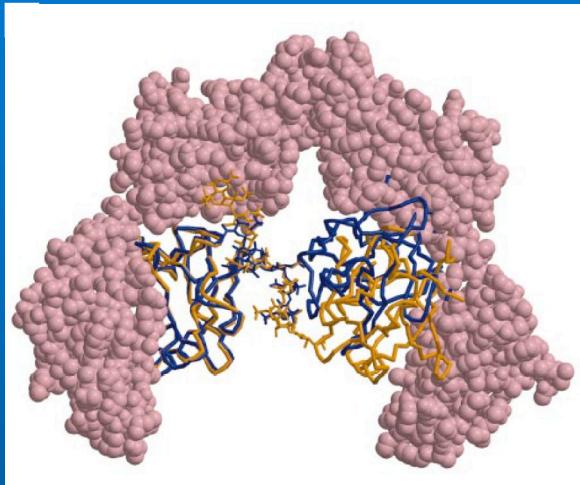
- protein design
- drug discovery
- mechanism of association

## Structural Characterization



- X-ray
- NMR
- docking simulations

# Structural Analysis at Atomic Resolution: NMR and X-ray



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**TABLE II. Amino Acid Composition of Protein-Protein Interfaces**

Residue	Number (a)			Area (b)			Propensities (c)		Lo Conte et al. (d)	Jones and Thornton (e)
	Interface	Core	Rim	Interface	Core	Rim	Core	Rim		
All	100.0	100.0	99.9	99.9	100.0	100.0				
Ala	3.9	4.0	3.8	2.8	2.7	3.1	-0.40	-0.26	-0.43	-0.17
Arg	6.4	5.9	7.0	10.1	10.1	9.9	0.13	0.11	0.13	0.27
Asn	5.9	5.4	6.4	5.7	5.4	6.4	-0.14	0.03	-0.12	0.12
Asp	6.6	5.4	8.0	5.1	4.5	6.6	-0.46	-0.07	-0.31	-0.38
Cys	3.5	4.7	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.3	1.00	0.62	0.76	0.43
Gln	3.7	3.7	3.8	4.3	4.3	4.2	-0.34	-0.36	-0.36	-0.11
Glu	6.5	4.6	8.6	6.0	4.4	10.0	-0.80	0.02	-0.47	-0.13
Gly	8.1	7.5	8.7	4.8	4.2	6.4	-0.08	0.35	0.02	-0.07
His	3.4	4.4	2.3	3.8	4.4	2.4	0.84	0.23	0.64	0.41
Ile	3.6	4.1	3.1	4.6	4.9	3.5	0.71	0.38	0.56	0.44
Leu	5.0	5.5	4.5	5.7	5.8	5.3	0.34	0.25	0.29	0.40
Lys	5.7	3.7	8.0	6.5	5.2	9.7	-0.82	-0.20	-0.57	-0.36
Met	2.0	2.6	1.4	3.2	3.7	2.0	1.13	0.51	0.98	0.66
Phe	3.5	5.1	1.7	4.1	5.5	1.1	1.01	-0.60	0.79	0.82
Pro	3.8	3.4	4.2	3.6	3.5	4.1	-0.38	-0.22	-0.25	-0.25
Ser	7.9	7.8	8.1	5.4	4.8	7.3	-0.56	-0.14	-0.42	-0.33
Thr	6.2	5.7	6.8	5.0	4.7	5.9	-0.44	-0.21	-0.35	-0.18
Trp	2.8	4.1	1.3	4.2	5.3	1.6	1.41	0.21	1.25	0.83
Tyr	6.8	8.1	5.4	9.4	10.9	5.3	1.22	0.50	1.04	0.66
Val	4.5	4.3	4.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	0.08	0.11	0.09	0.27

# Database of Protein-Protein Complexes

<http://pqs.ebi.ac.uk>

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**Macromolecular Structure Database**

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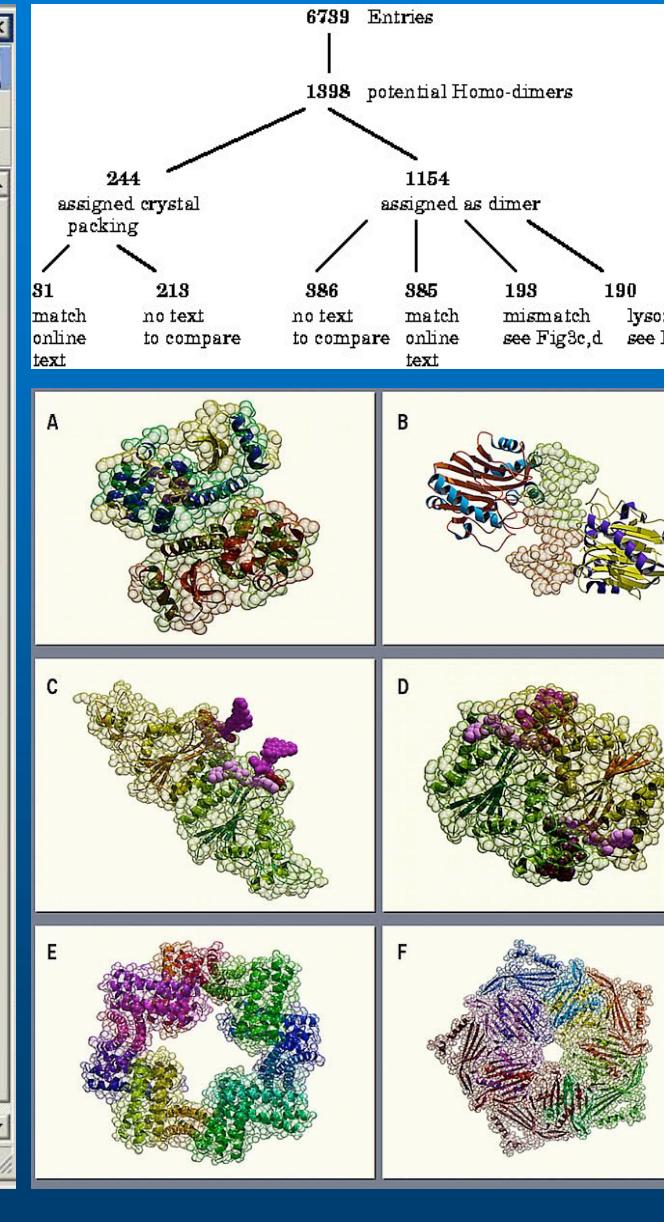
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A table is available [from Sue Jones at UCL](#) to enable you to compare the oligomers generated here with known oligomers analysed by the UCL Protein-Protein Interaction Server.

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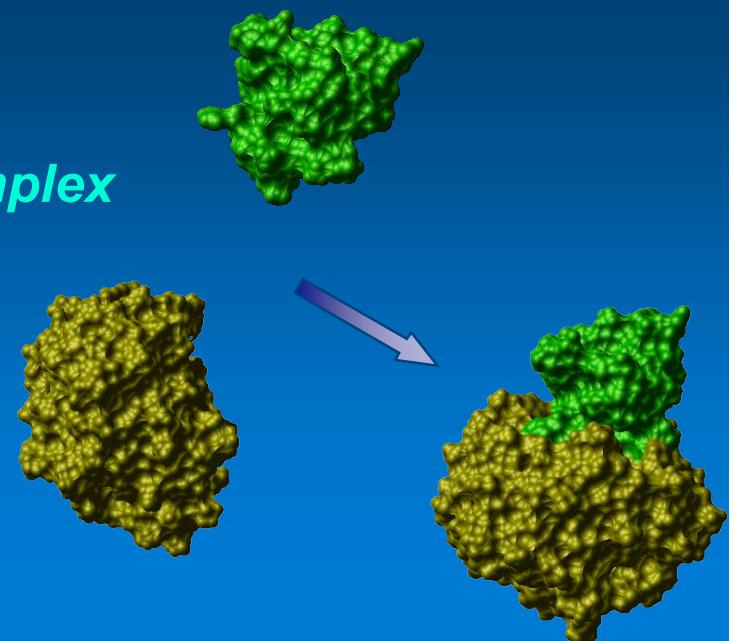
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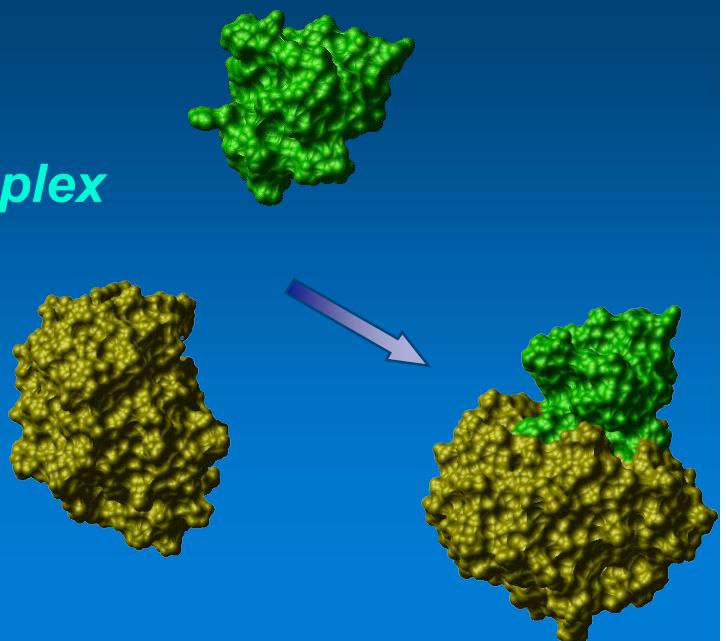
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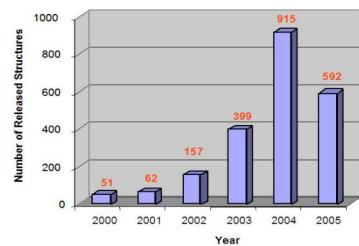


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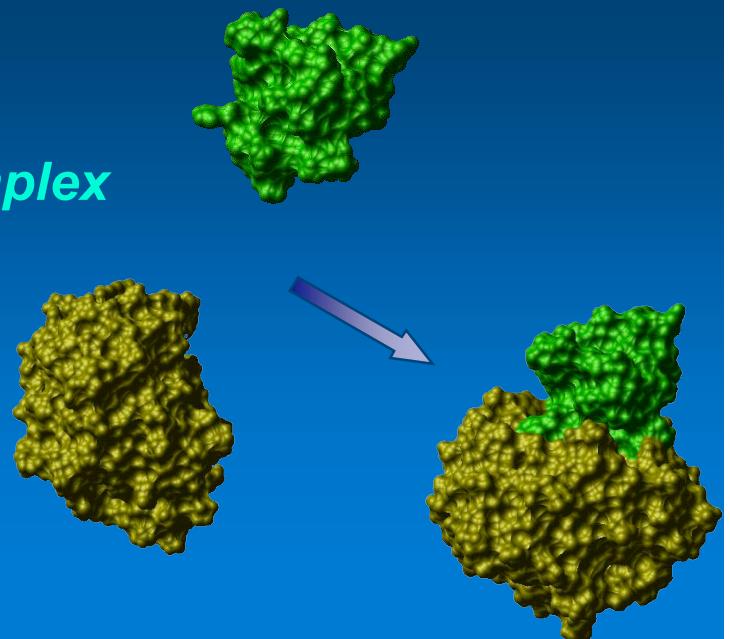
1% protein complexes (!?)  
*JMB 348, 1235-60 (2005)*

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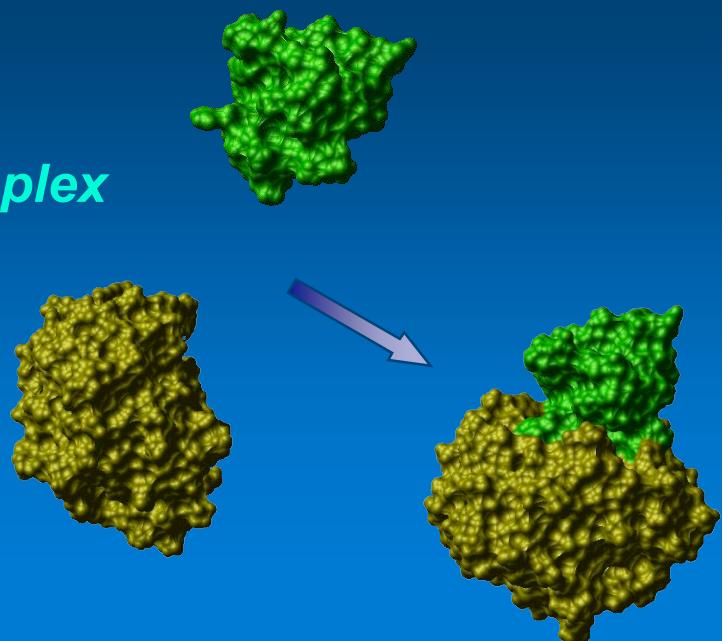
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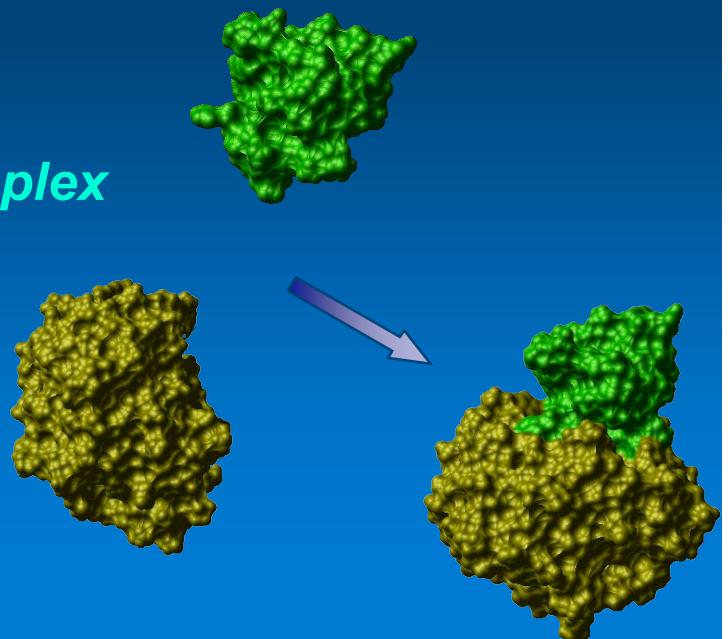
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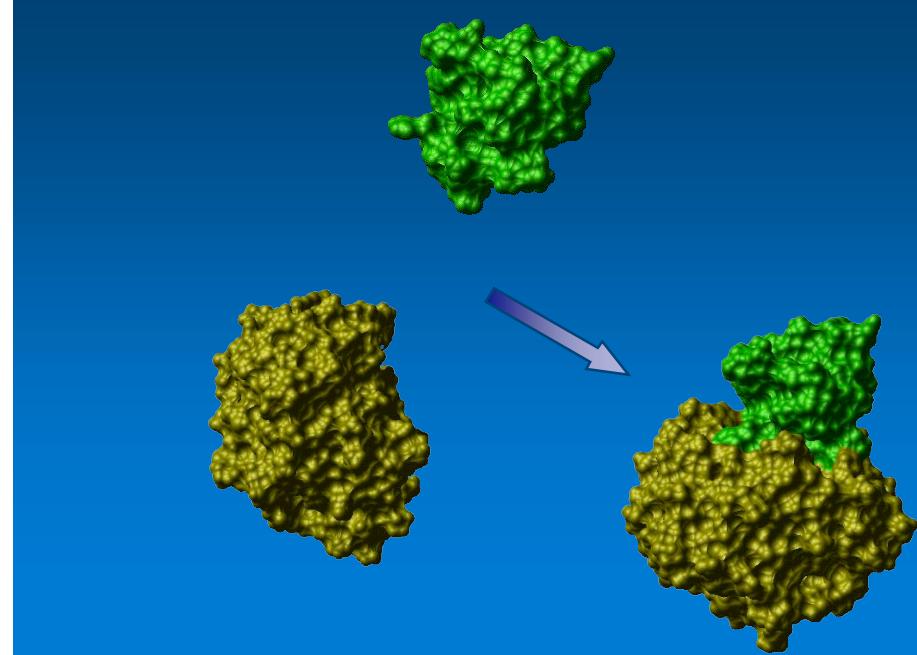
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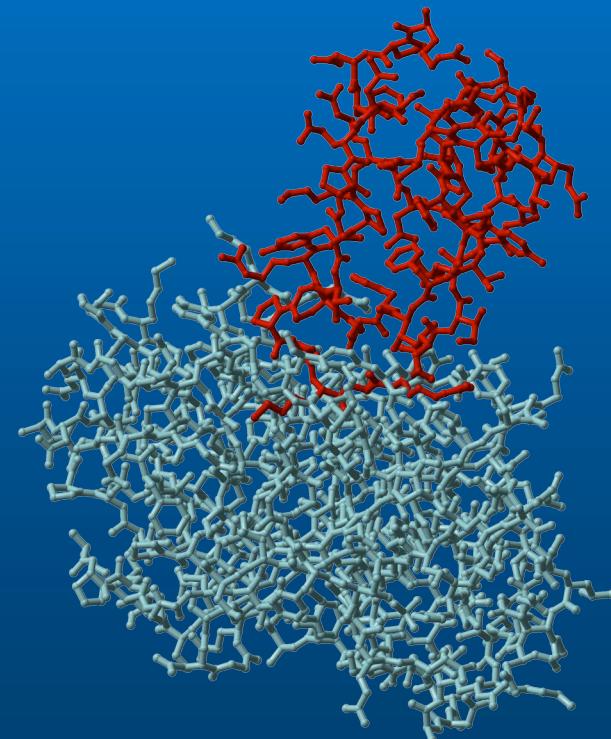
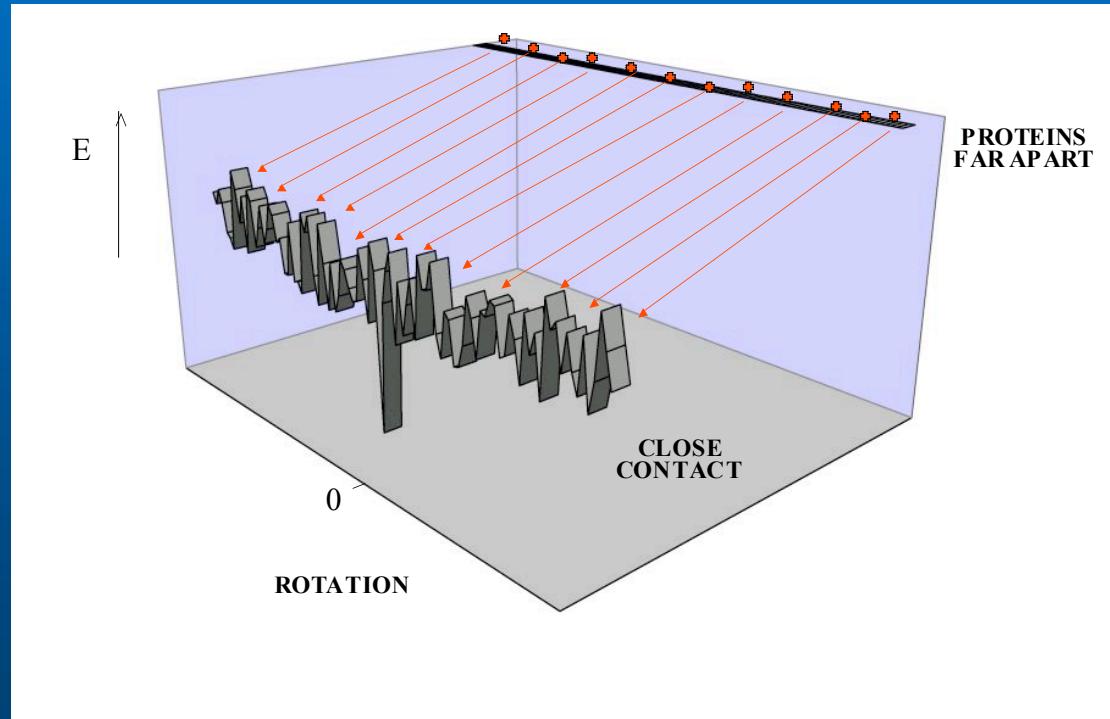
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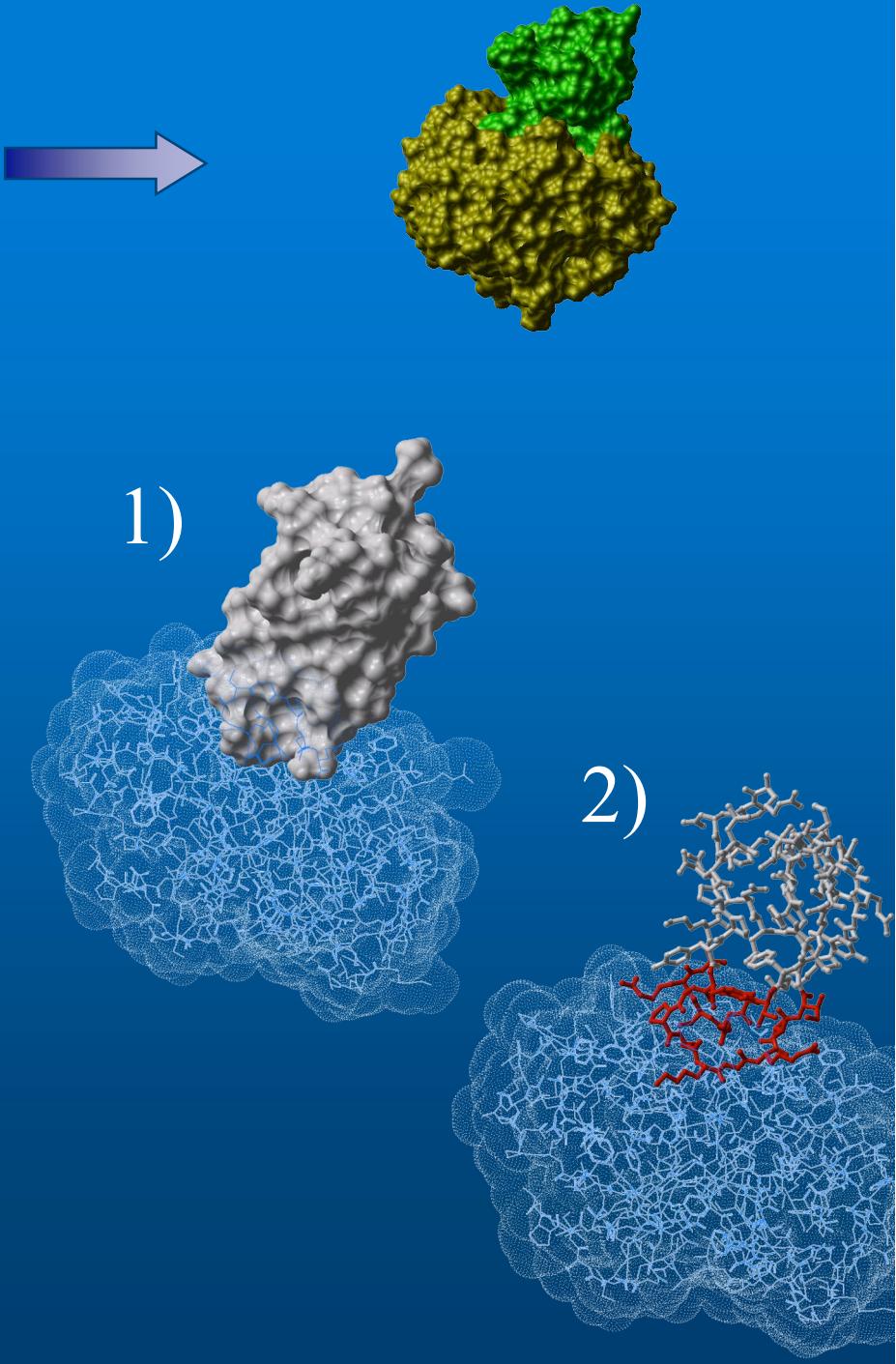
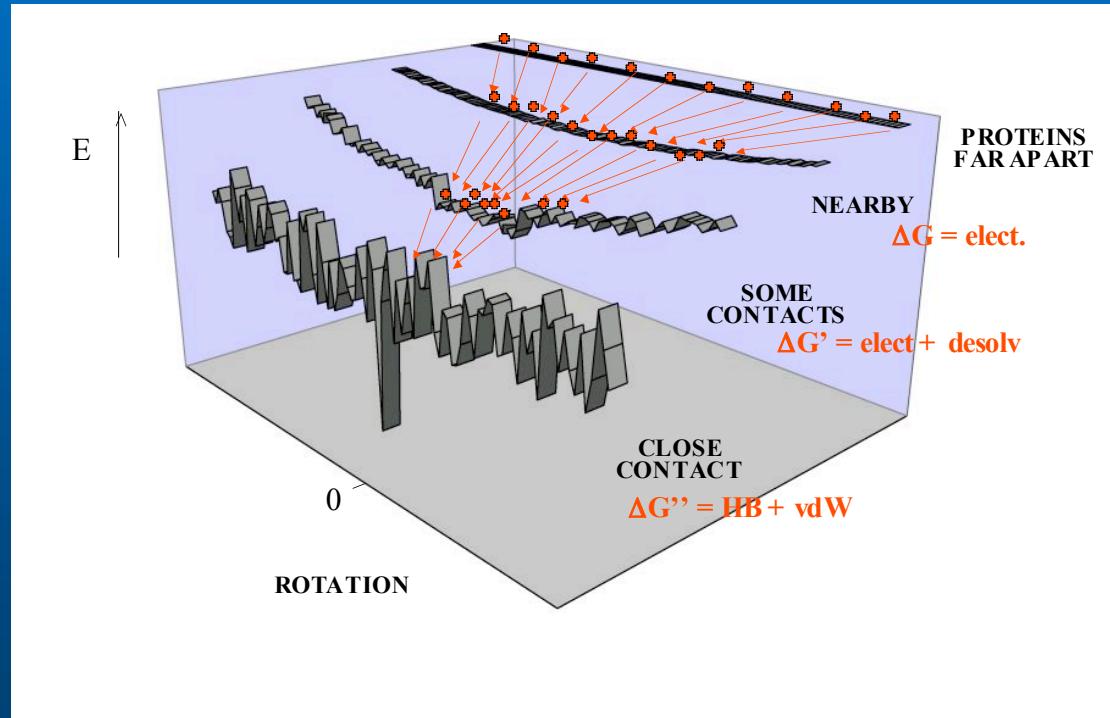


## Why Is Docking A Hard Problem?

- Large Search Space → “Hard”
- “The Curse of Dimensionality”
- Sequence Alignment: 1D - Easy!
- Structure Alignment: 3-6D - Hard
- Rigid Body Docking: 6D - Hard!
- Flexible Docking:  $3N$  - “Impossible!”
- Sequence Space: Discrete
- Structure Space: Continuous

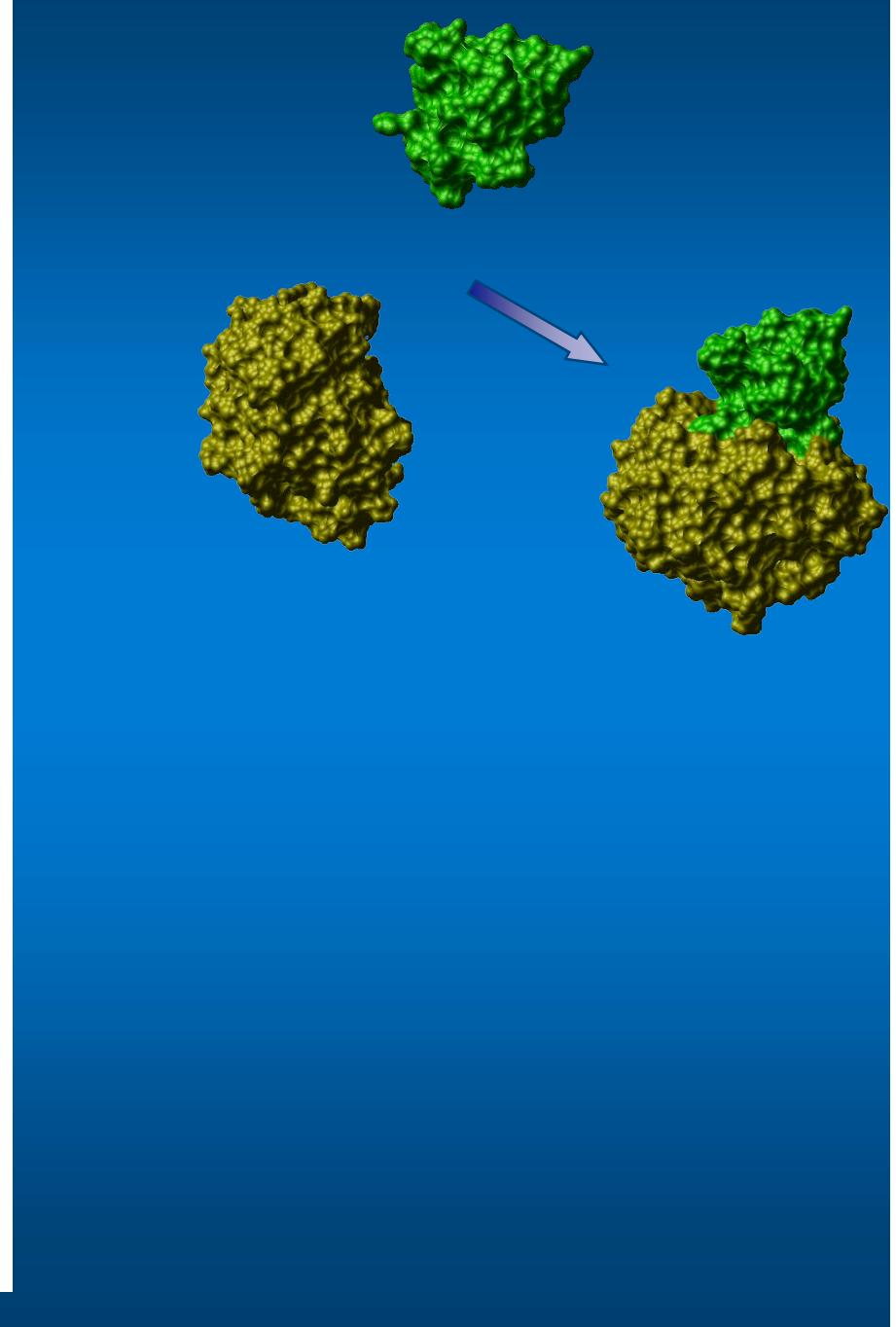






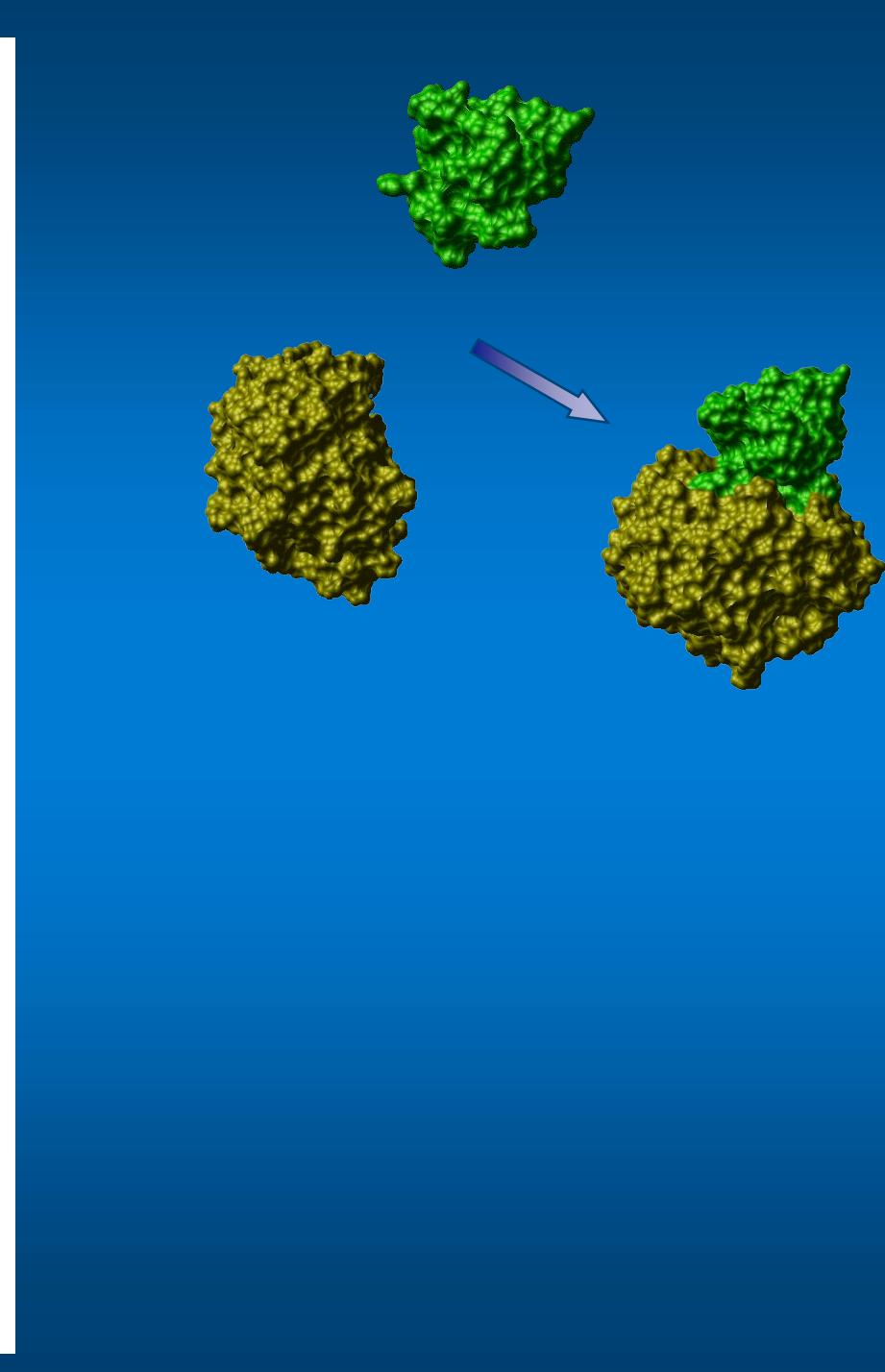
## Docking Search Strategies

- Pseudo Random
  - Simulated Annealing / Monte Carlo
  - Genetic Algorithms
- Directed Search
  - Geometric Hashing
  - Spherical Harmonic Surface Triangles
- Brute-Force Search
  - Explicit Grid Correlations
  - Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) Correlations
  - Spherical Polar Fourier Correlations
- Refinement Phase
  - Classical or Soft Potentials (+/- Electrostatics)
  - Desolvation, Solvent Dipoles...
  - Visual Inspection!!



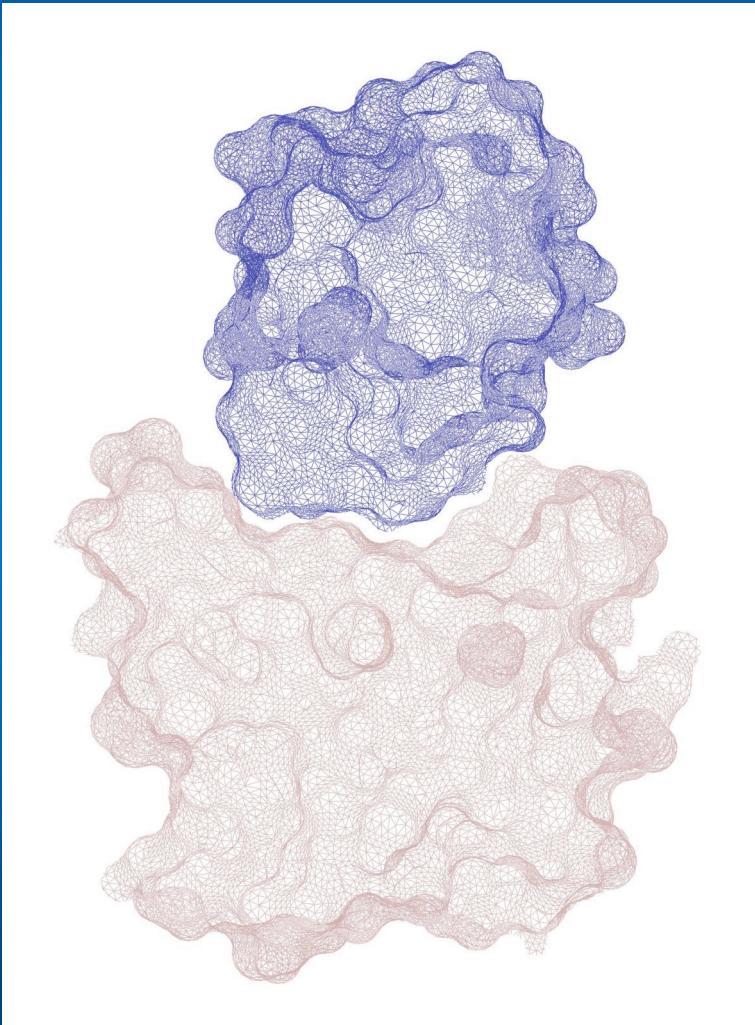
## Criteria for Good Docking Orientations

- Low Free Energy (Difficult!)
- Low Pseudo-Energy (Easy) Based On...
- Large Surface Burial:  $\sim 1600 \pm 400 \text{ \AA}^2$
- Small van der Waals Overlaps
- No Large Cavities in Interface
- Good H-Bonding:  $\sim 1 \text{ HB}/100 \text{ \AA}^2$
- Good Charge Complementarity
- Polar/Polar Contacts Favoured
- Polar/Non-Polar Contacts Disfavoured

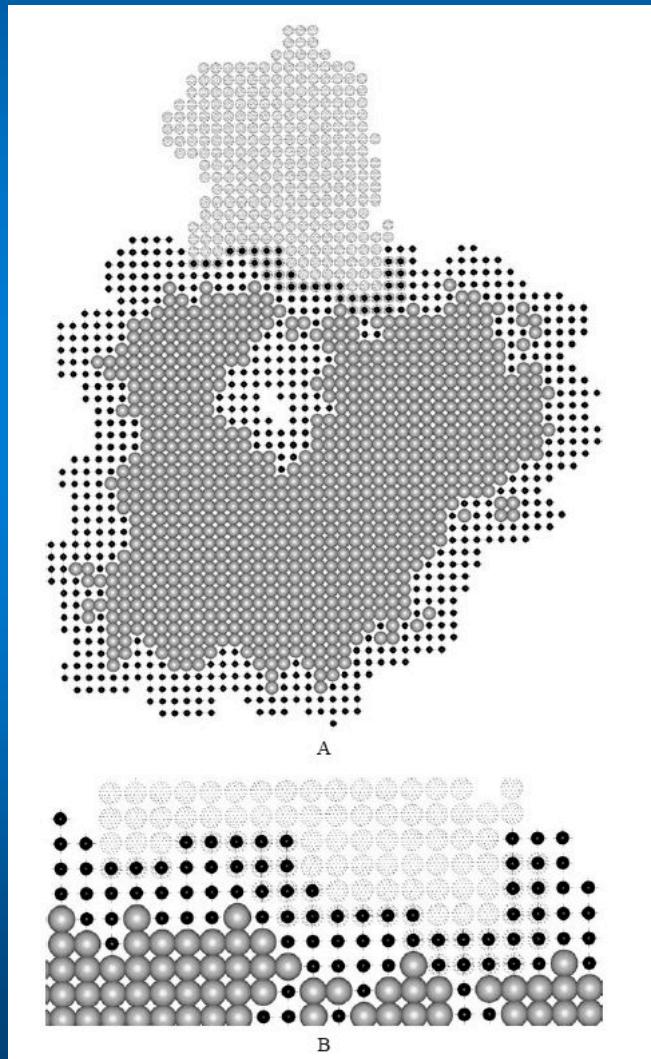
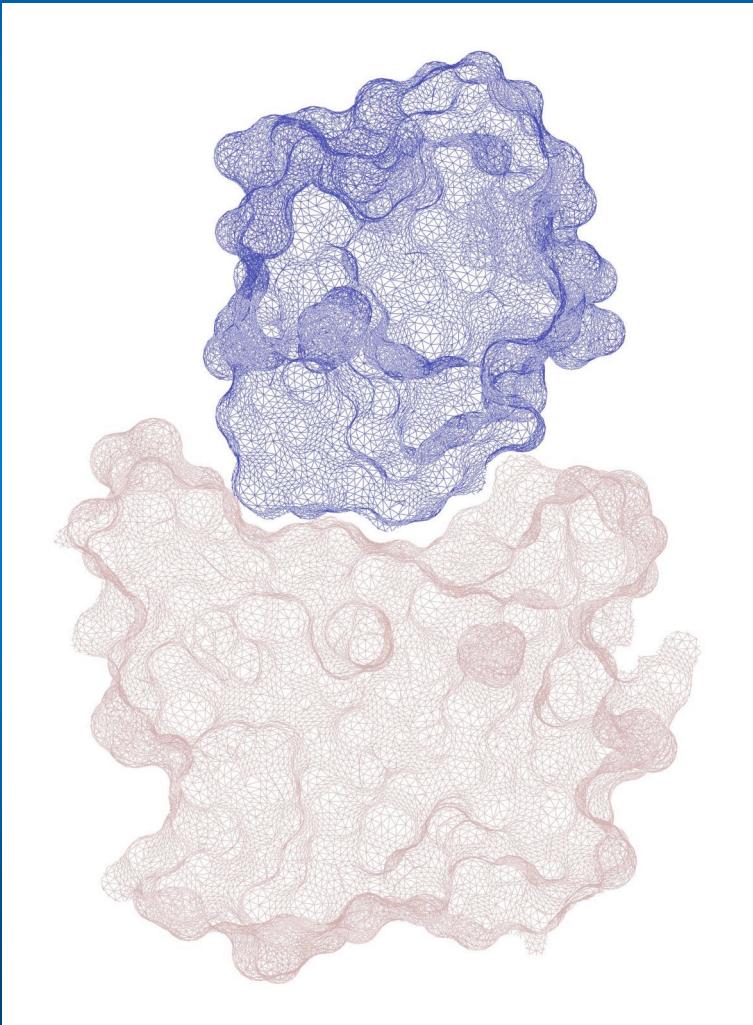


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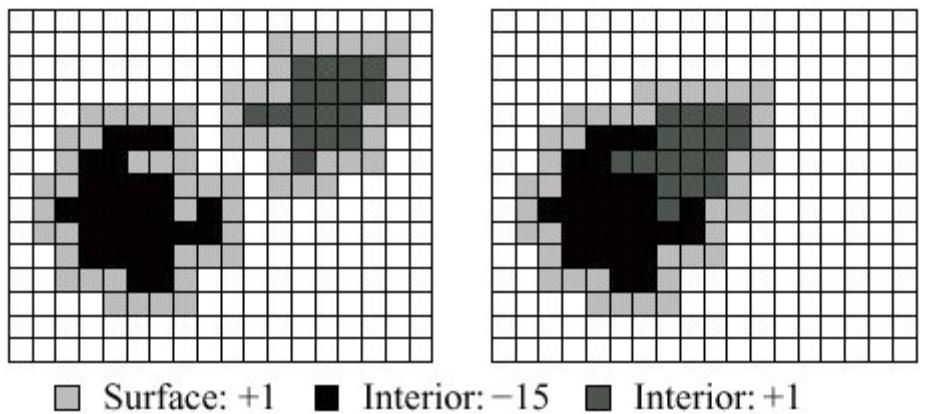
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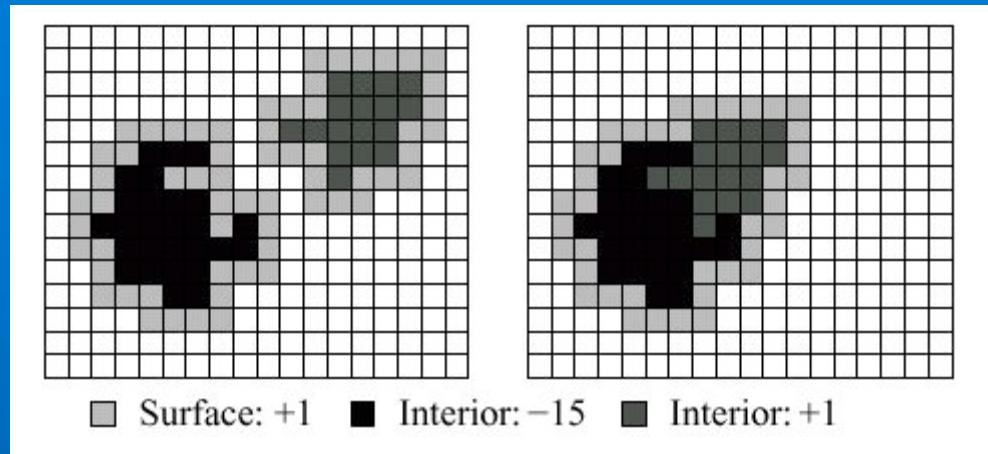
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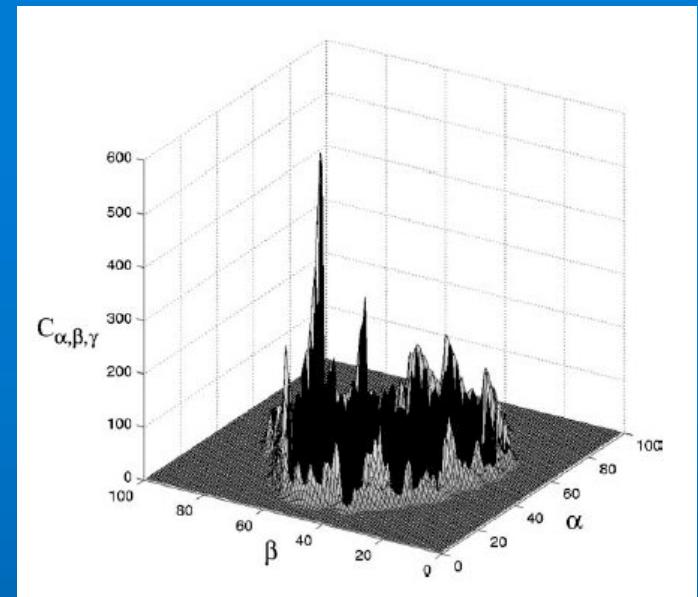


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# Fourier Transform

*It re-express a function in terms of sinusoidal basis functions*

Fourier transform equations:

$$f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(k) e^{2\pi i k x} dk$$

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$$F(k) = \text{FT}(f(x))$$

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Correlation function:

$$c(t) = \text{Corr}(g, h) \equiv \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(\tau + t) h(\tau) d\tau$$

“Correlation Theorem”:

$$C(f) = G(f) H(-f)$$

If  $h(t)$  is real then  $H(-f) = [H(f)]^*$

$$C(f) = G(f) [H(f)]^*$$

$$c(t) = \text{IFT}(\text{FT}(g(\tau)) [\text{FT}(h(\tau))]^*)$$

# FFT (Fast Fourier Transform)

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Algorithms for efficient calculation of FT and IFT

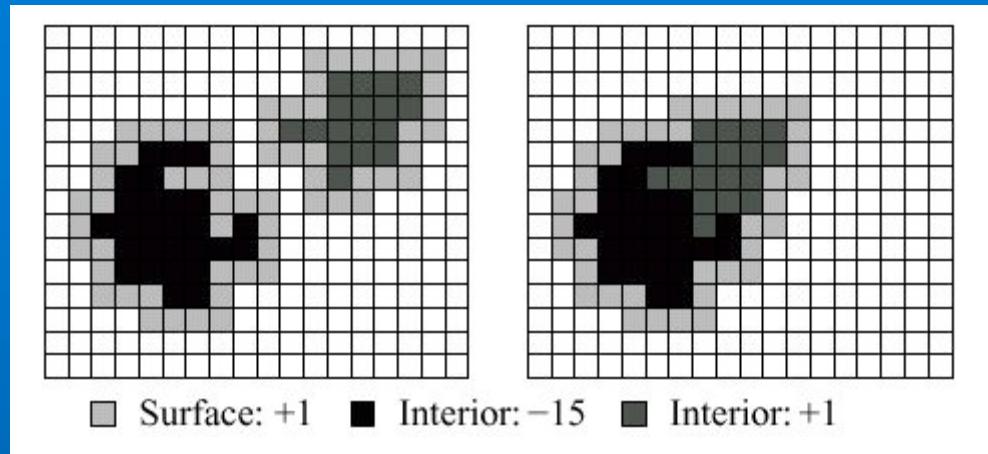
- Most common: Cooley-Tukey FFT (divide and conquer)
- Other: Prime-factor, Bruun's, Rader's, Bluestein's

Fourier transform timing:  $N^2$       (if  $N=10^6$  1MHz CPU time ~2 weeks)

Fast Fourier transform:  $N \log_2 N$     (if  $N=10^6$  1MHz CPU time ~ 30 sec)

<http://www.fftw.org/>

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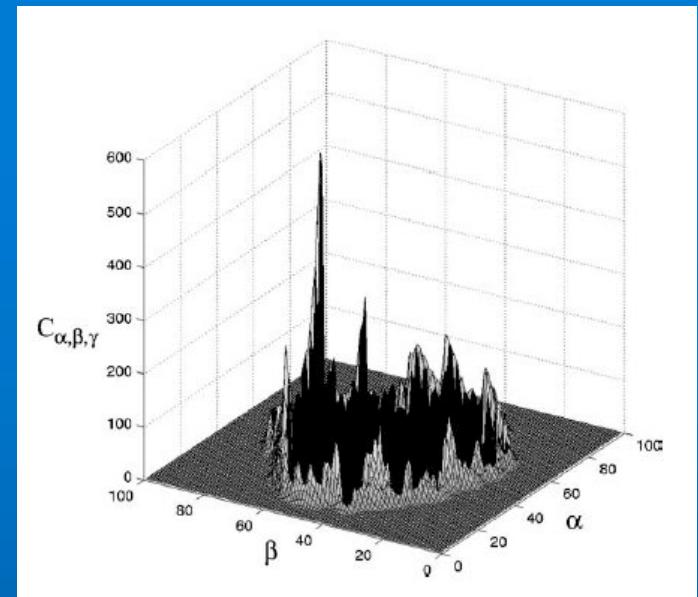


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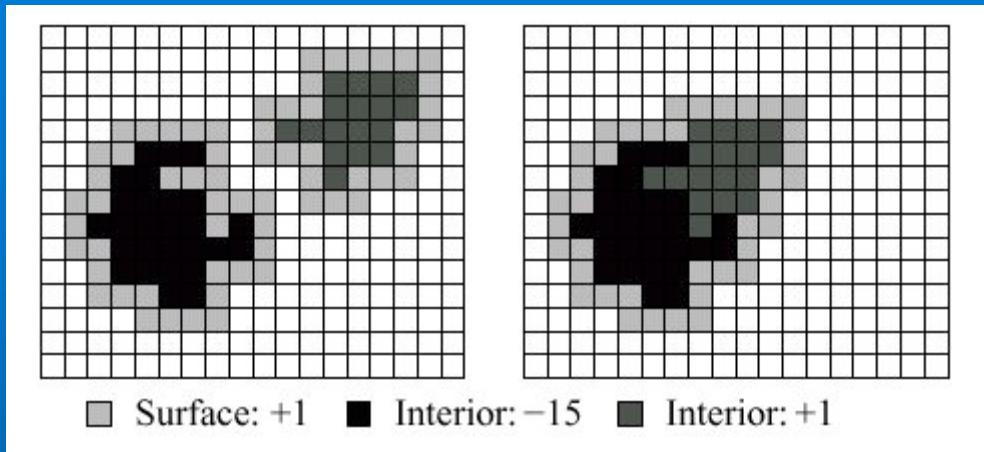
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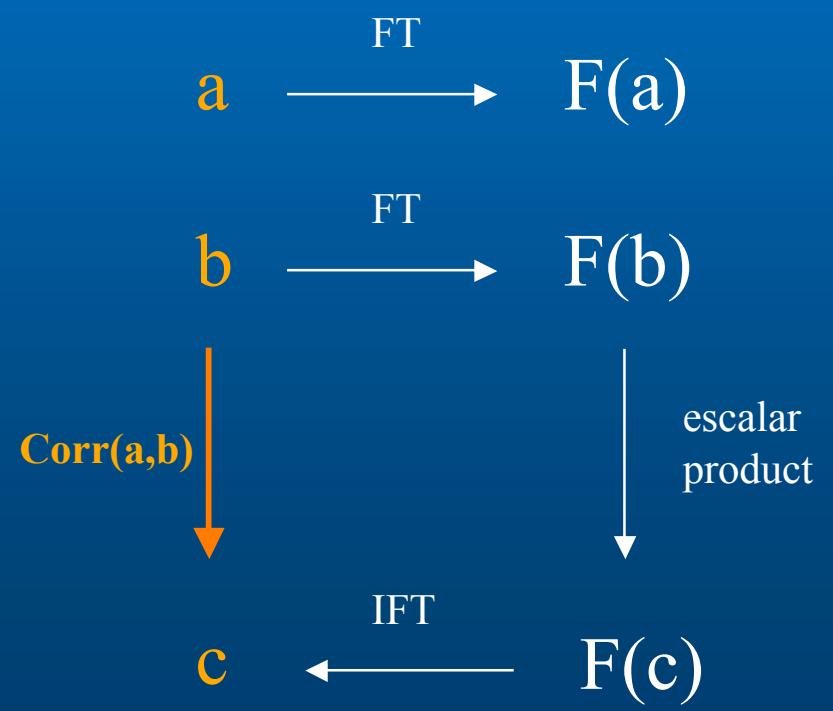
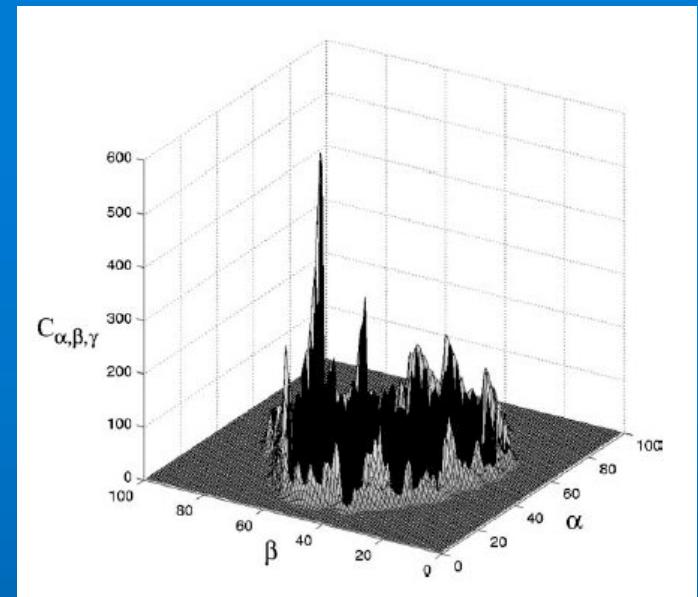


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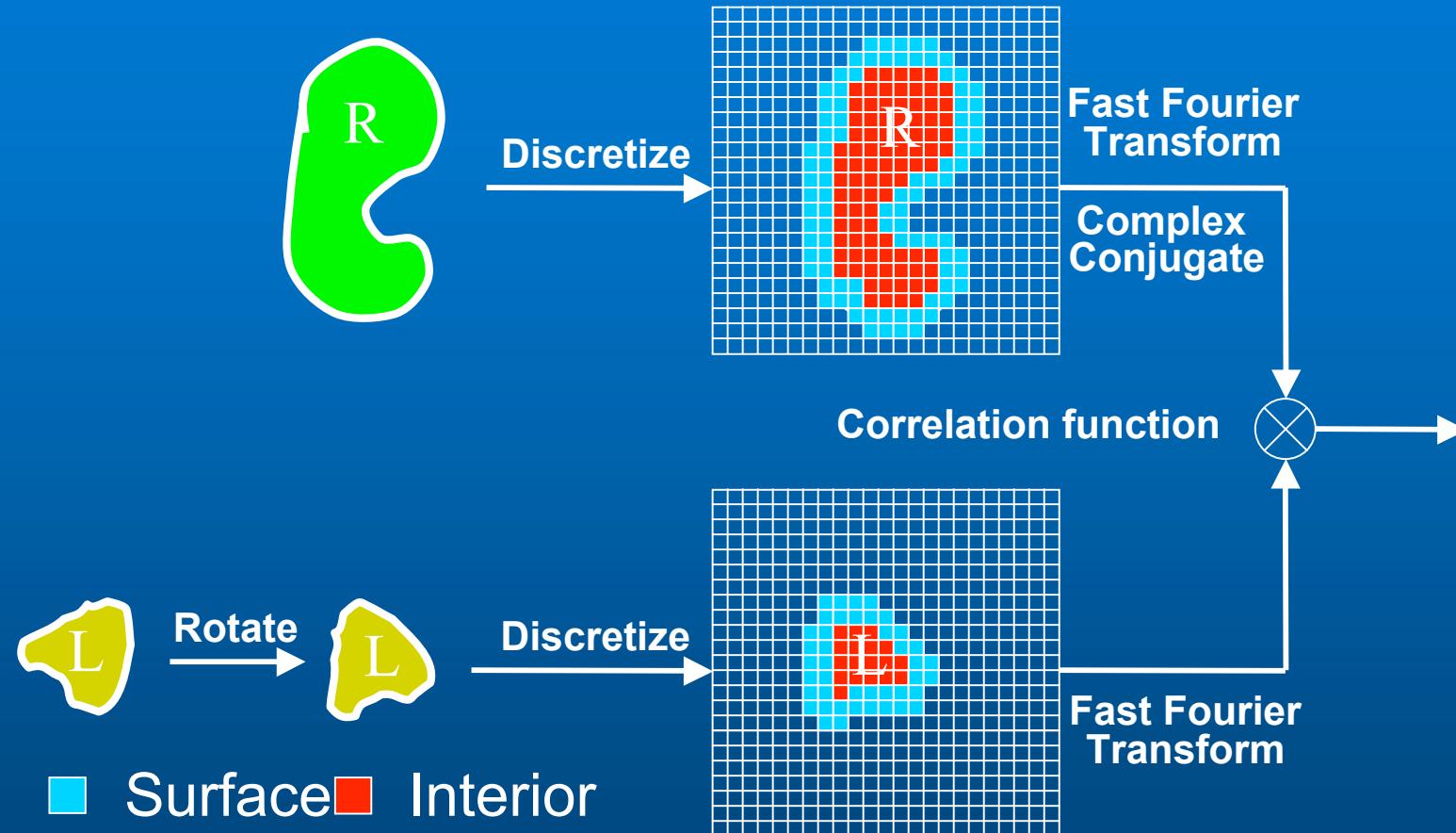
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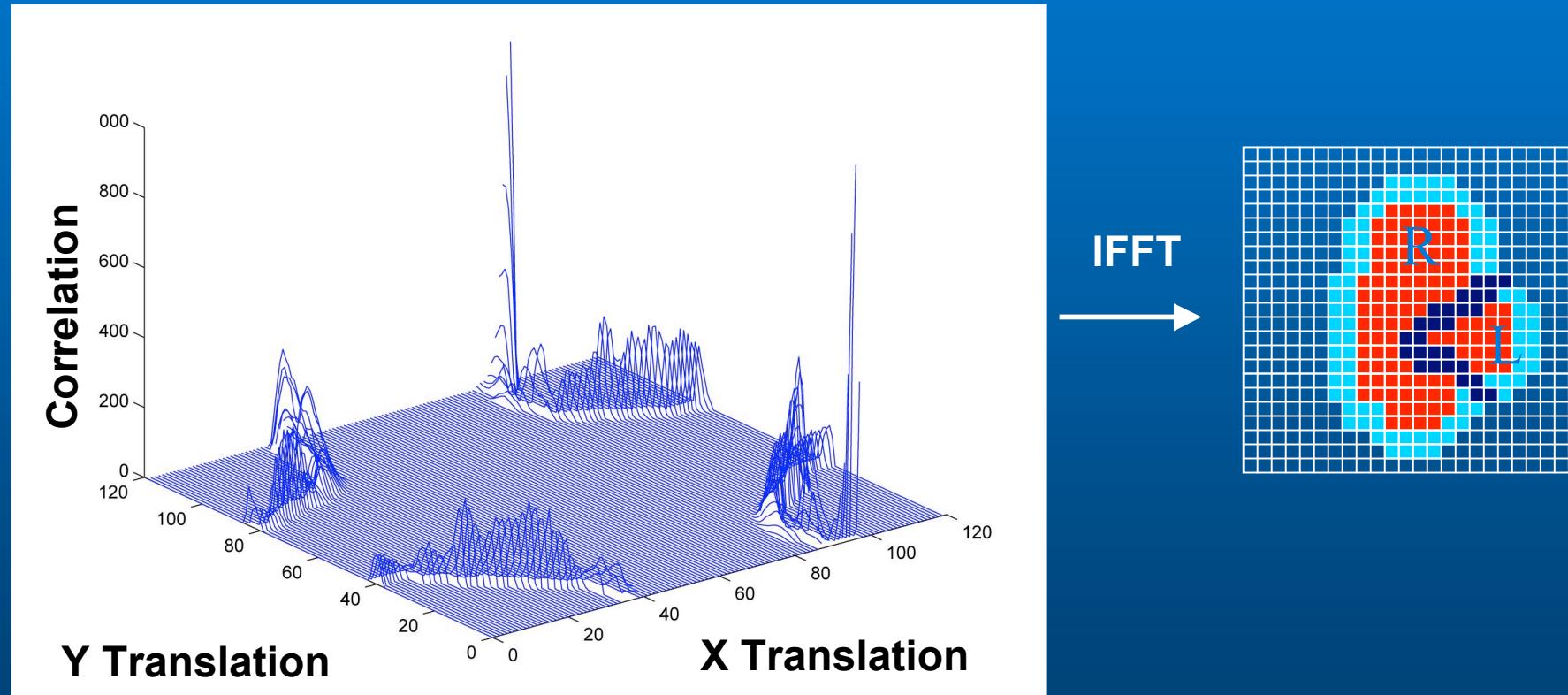
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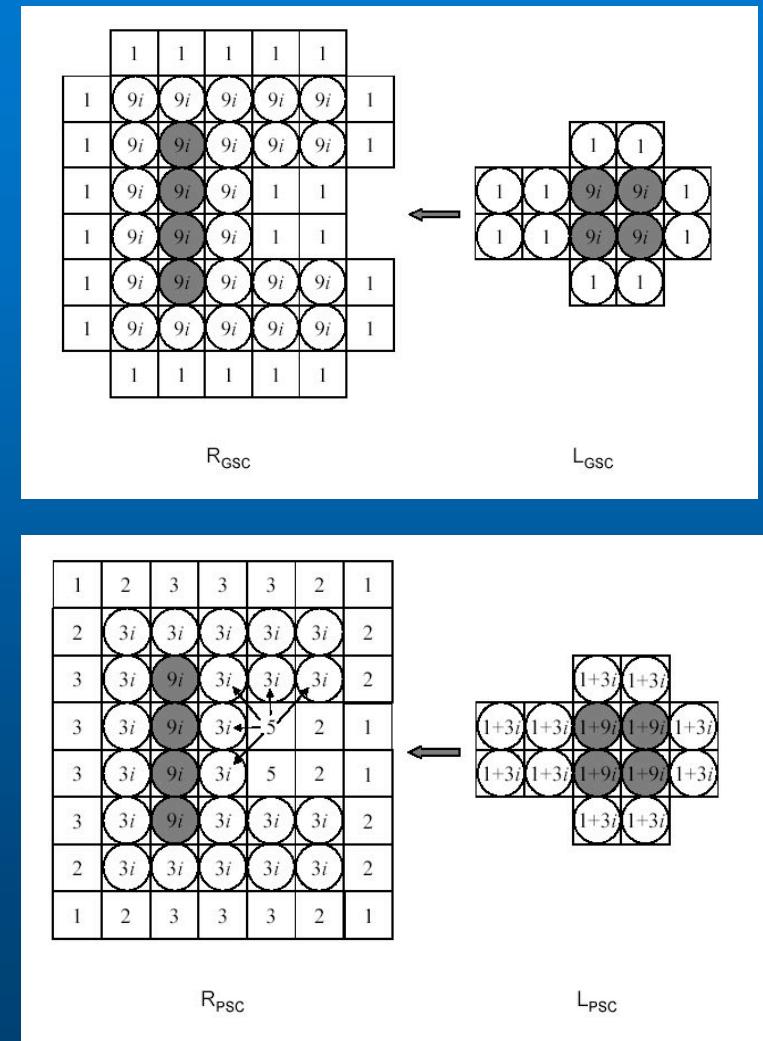
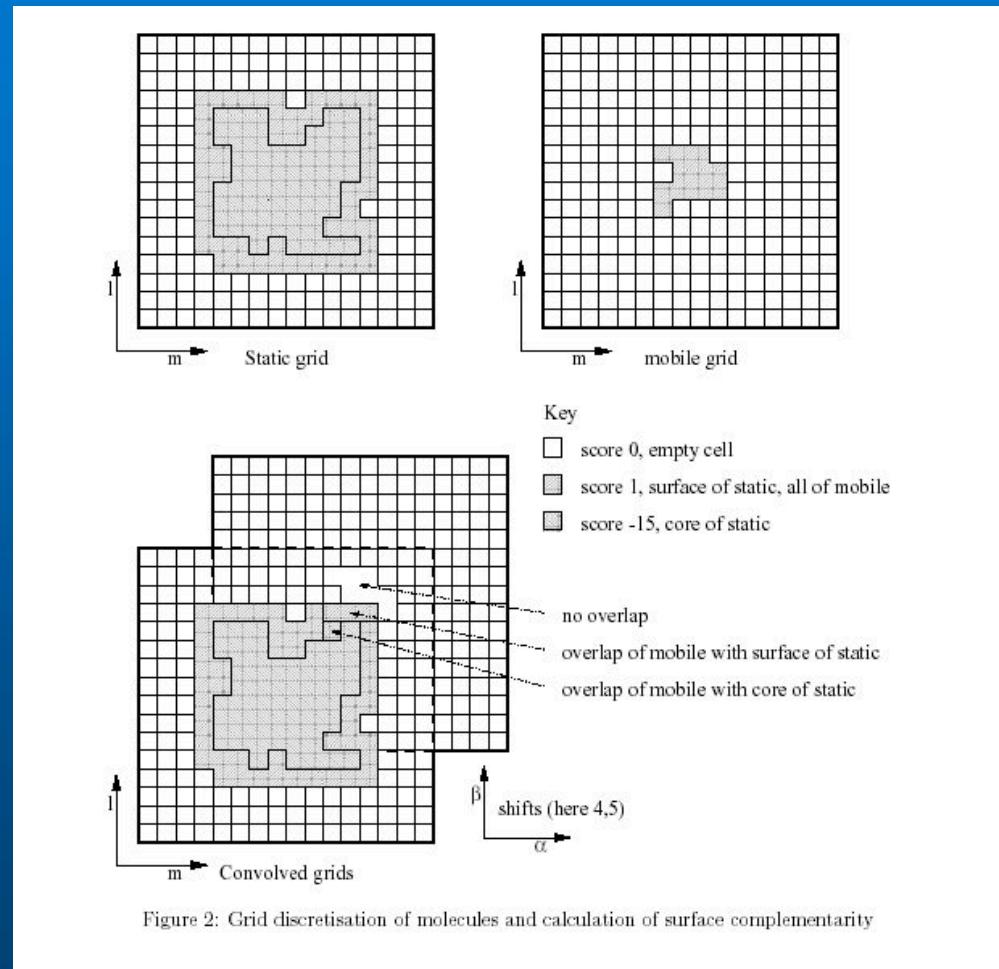
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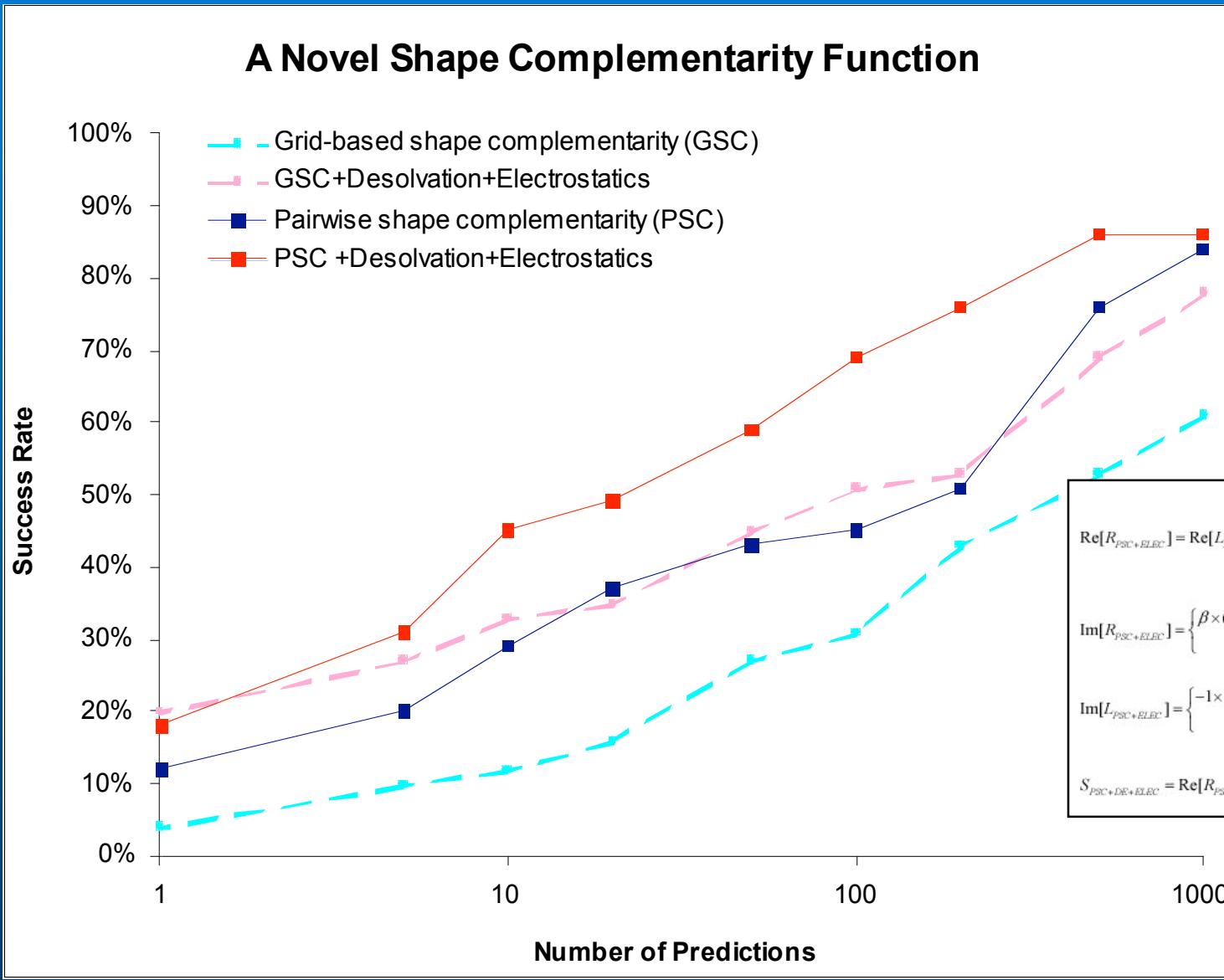


# FTDOCK

# ZDOCK



# ZDOCK performance



$$\operatorname{Re}[R_{PSC+ELEC}] = \operatorname{Re}[L_{PSC+ELEC}] = \begin{cases} 3.5 & \text{solvent excluding surface layer of the protein} \\ 3.5^2 & \text{protein core} \\ 0 & \text{open space} \end{cases}$$

$$\operatorname{Im}[R_{PSC+ELEC}] = \begin{cases} \beta \times (\text{electric potential of all receptor atoms}) & \text{open space} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

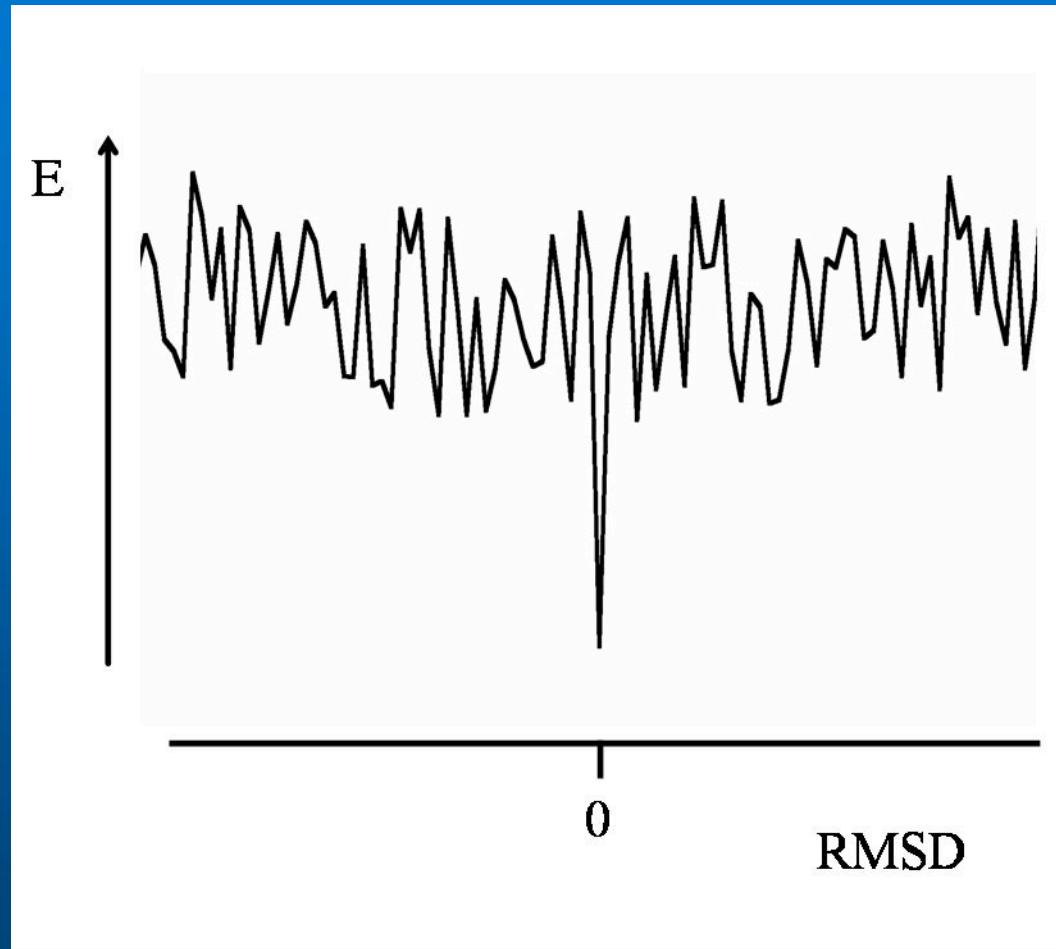
$$\operatorname{Im}[L_{PSC+ELEC}] = \begin{cases} -1 \times (\text{atom charge}) & \text{if this grid point is the nearest grid point of a ligand atom} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$S_{PSC+DE+ELEC} = \operatorname{Re}[R_{PSC+ELEC} \cdot L_{PSC+ELEC}] + \frac{1}{2} \times \operatorname{Im}[R_{DE} \cdot L_{DE}]$$

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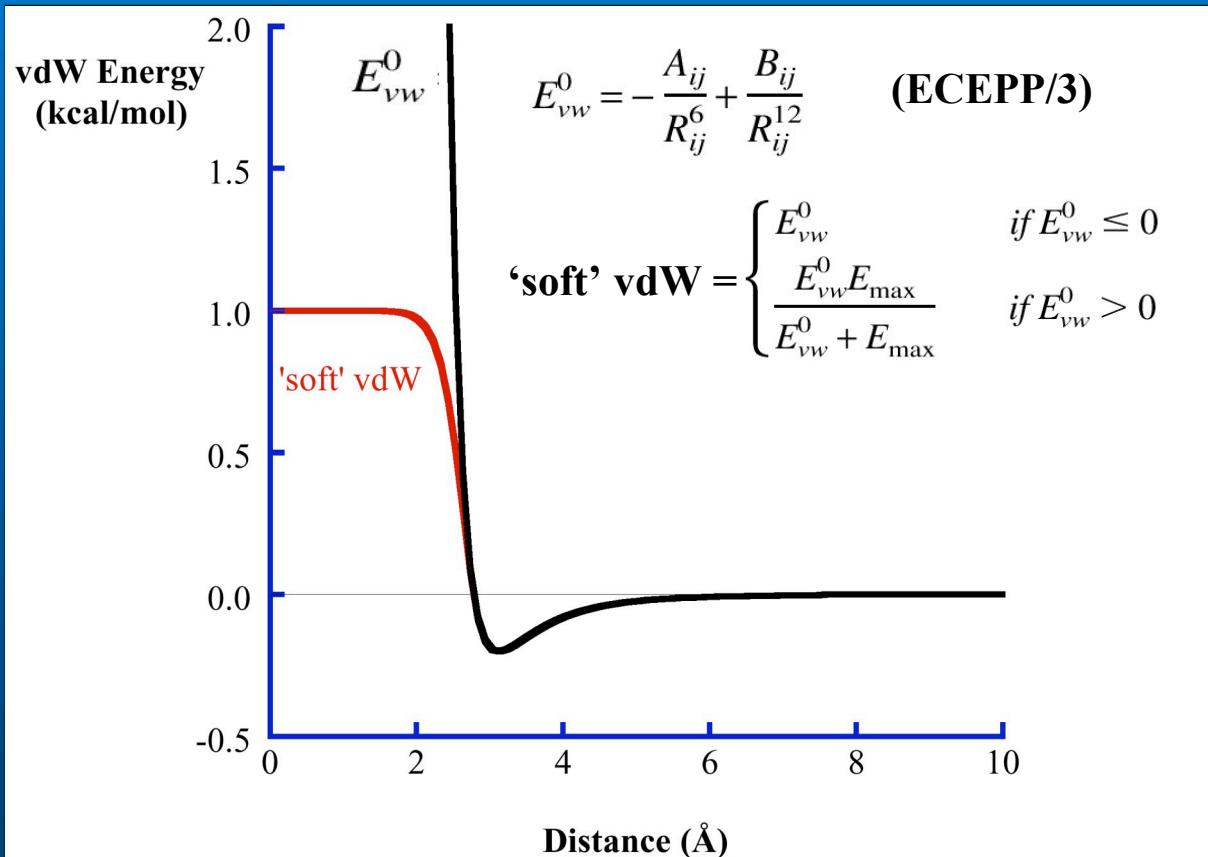
# Protein-Protein Docking Energy

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# Protein-Protein Docking Energy

$$E = E_{vw} + E_{el} + E_{hb} + E_{hp}$$



$$E_{el} = 332.0 \frac{q_i^s q_j}{4d_{ij}^2}$$

Max  $E_{el} = 20$  kcal/mole  
Min  $E_{el} = -20$  kcal/mole

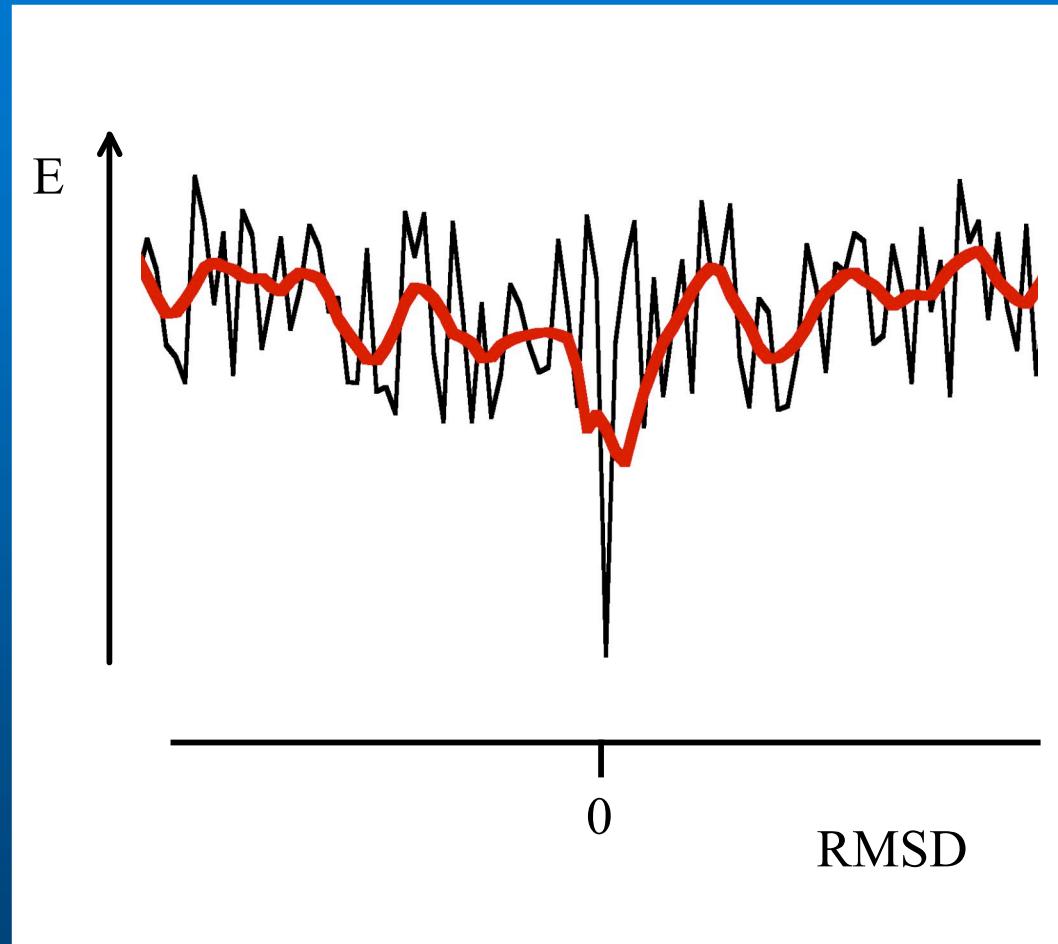
$$E_{hb} = E_{hb}^0 e^{-[(r - r_{ep})^2 / d_{hb}^2]}$$

$E_{hb}^0 = 2.5$  kcal/mole  
 $d_{hb} = 1.4$  Å

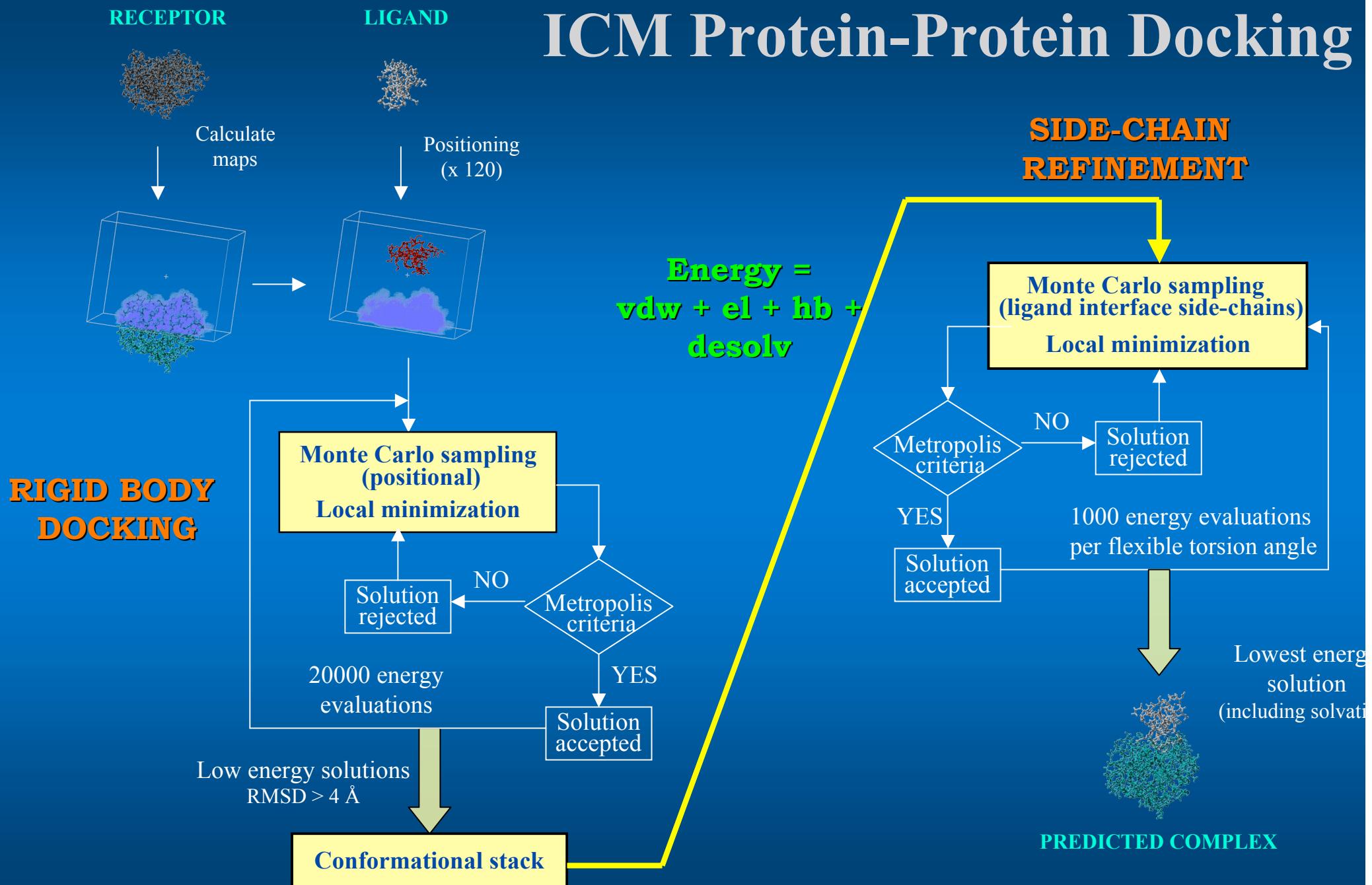
$$E_{hp} = 0.03 \text{ kcal/mole} * \text{ASA(apolar)}$$

# Protein-Protein Docking Energy

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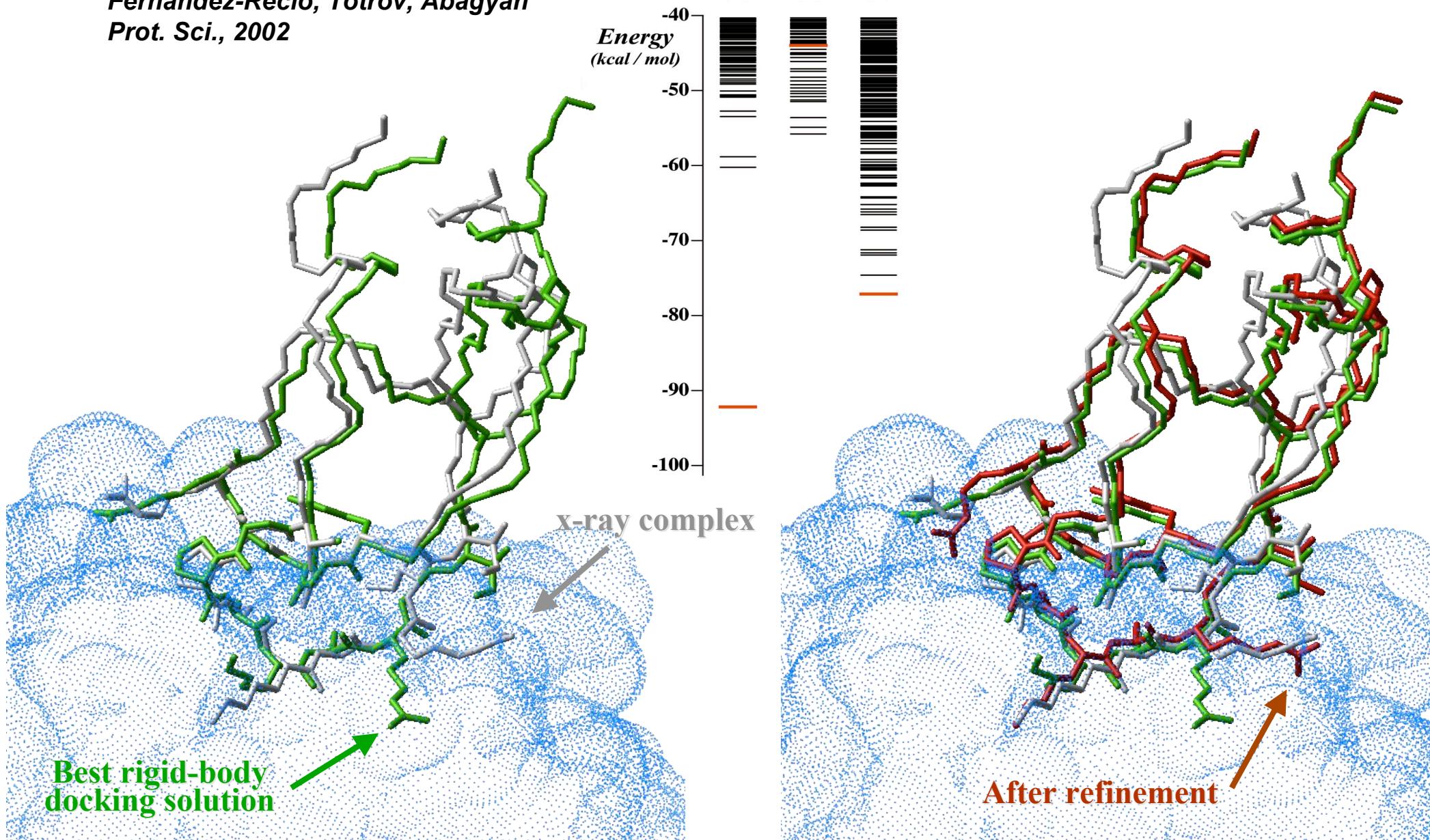


# ICM Protein-Protein Docking



# Interface Refinement - *unbound trypsin/BPTI*

Fernandez-Recio, Totrov, Abagyan  
Prot. Sci., 2002



# pyDock: scoring of rigid-body docking orientations by electrostatics + desolvation

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$$E = E_{\text{el}} + E_{\text{solv}}$$

$$E_{\text{el}} = 332.0 \frac{q_i^s q_j}{4d_{ij}^2}$$

Max  $E_{\text{el}} = +1$  kcal/mole

Min  $E_{\text{el}} = -1$  kcal/mole

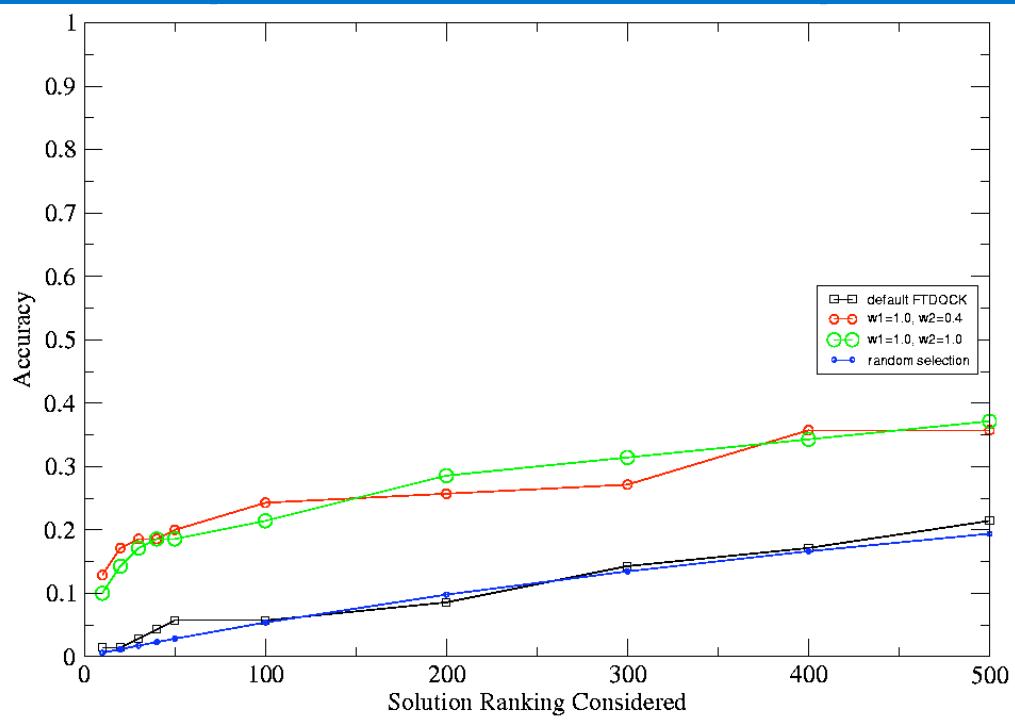
$$\Delta G_{\text{sol}} = \sum_{k=1}^N \sigma_k A_k$$

water/interface

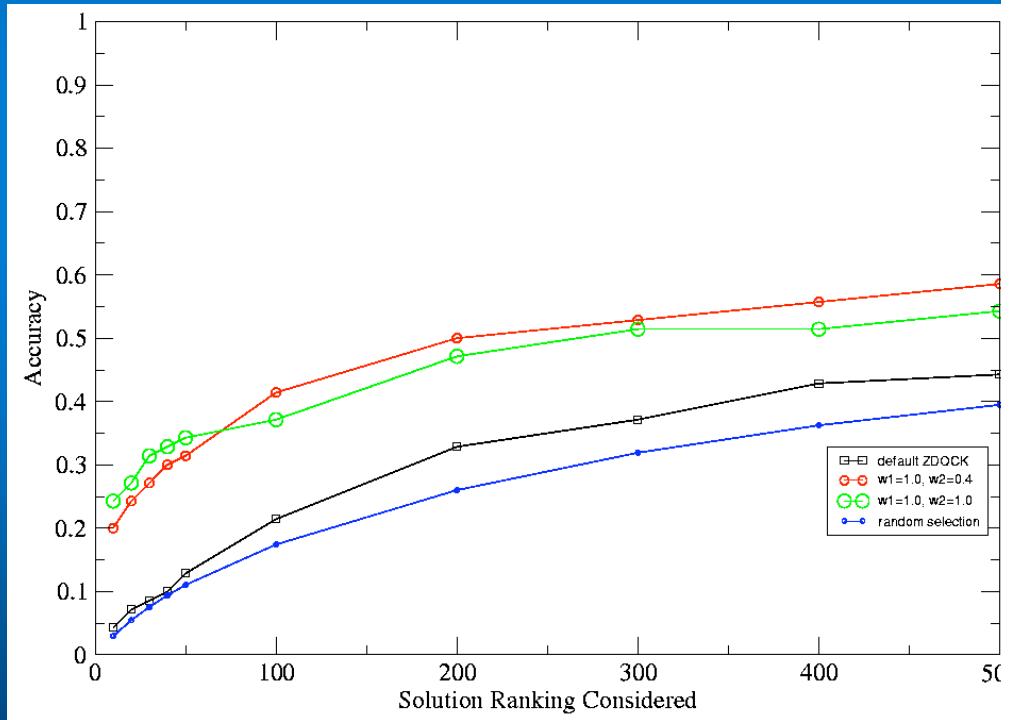
(C<sub>ali</sub>, C<sub>aro</sub>, N, N<sup>+</sup><sub>lys</sub>, N<sup>+</sup><sub>arg</sub>, O<sub>-oh</sub>, O<sub>-co</sub>, O<sup>-</sup>, S<sub>-sh</sub>, S<sub>-s-</sub>)

# pyDock: scoring of rigid-body docking orientations by electrostatics + desolvation

*FTDOCK's docking sets:*  
(70 unbound cases)



*ZDOCK's docking sets:*  
(70 unbound cases)



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# Docking software (I)

program	algorithm	laboratory	details
3D-Dock (alternative site)	global:fft ; rescore:residue potentials ; flexible refinement:mean-field sidechain (Sternberg) multicopy	Imperial College	free to academic; mostly source (C) distribution ; refinement sgi/linux executables
HEX	global: fourier correlation of spherical harmonics	Aberdeen University (Richie)	free to academic; sgi/sun/linux executables
DOT	global: fft for shape complementarity and poission-boltzmann electrostatics	UCSD (Ten Eyck)	free to academic; parallelized under MPI; source (C/fortran) and sun/sgi/dec/ibm executables; site also has molec shape programs fade/padre
ICM and input scripts for docking	global: rigid-body pseudo-Brownian MC with grid-based energy function ; refinement: Biased MC Minimization using ICM (internal coordinate mechanics)	Scripps (Abagyan)	academic licence for ICM with ICM-Dock and chemistry modules about \$2000; sgi, compaq(dec alpha), sun, linux/intel, linux/ppc, winNT executables
GRAMM	global:fft ; clustering and rescoring decoys also available	SUNY/MUSC (Vakser)	free to academic ; sgi/sun/ibm/dec/linux/win32 executables
PPD	global:geometric hashing rescore:multiple	Columbia (Honig)	free to academic; sgi executables
BIGGER (Chemera) (Download from biotecnol.com)	global:bit mapping; rescore: multiple filters	Universidade Nova de Lisboa (Palma/Moura)	free to academic; win32 executables
Vajda/Camacho refinement	refinement protocol only; constrained minimization; desolvation calculations ; modified CharMM forcefield	University of Boston(MERL)	free; charmm input scripts, source code (f77)

# Docking software (II)

program	algorithm	laboratory	details
*DOCK 4.0	grid based energy function (LJ+ES) flexible docking - random search plus incremental construction	UCSF (Kuntz group)	free to academic; sgi executables
*Autodock	grid based empirical potential flexible docking via MC search and incremental construction	Scripps inst (Olson).	free to academic; source code and executables for sgi/dec/sun
*FlexX	fragment assembly energy function: (Boehm potential)	GMD-SCAI (Lengauer), BioSolveIT GmbH.	licence required; commercial licence from Tripos.com; academic licence from BioSolveIT GmbH. Linux/SGI/Sun/HP Risc/HP Itanium executables.
DARWIN	GA	University of Pennsylvania	contact Roger Burnett, burnett@wistar.upenn.edu
ZDOCK/RDOCK	fft for global search (ZDOCK), and reranking/refinement (RDOCK). Decoys also available.	University of Boston (Weng)	free to academic; IBM/SGI/Linux executables; source code available for atomic contact energy (ACE) part
RosettaDock (see also Rosetta and Robetta)	fragment assembly; sidechain and rigid-body refinement with statistical h-bonding potential; computational ala scanning with Robetta	Washington Univ (Baker)/Johns Hopkins Univ (Gray)	use with academic licence agreement
Haddock	Multiple-stage real-space docking with NMR/mutagenesis restraint information; later stages fully flexible	University of Utrecht (Bonvin)	free to academic; python/CNS and other scripts

see also servers from Camacho, Wolfson and Zhou groups

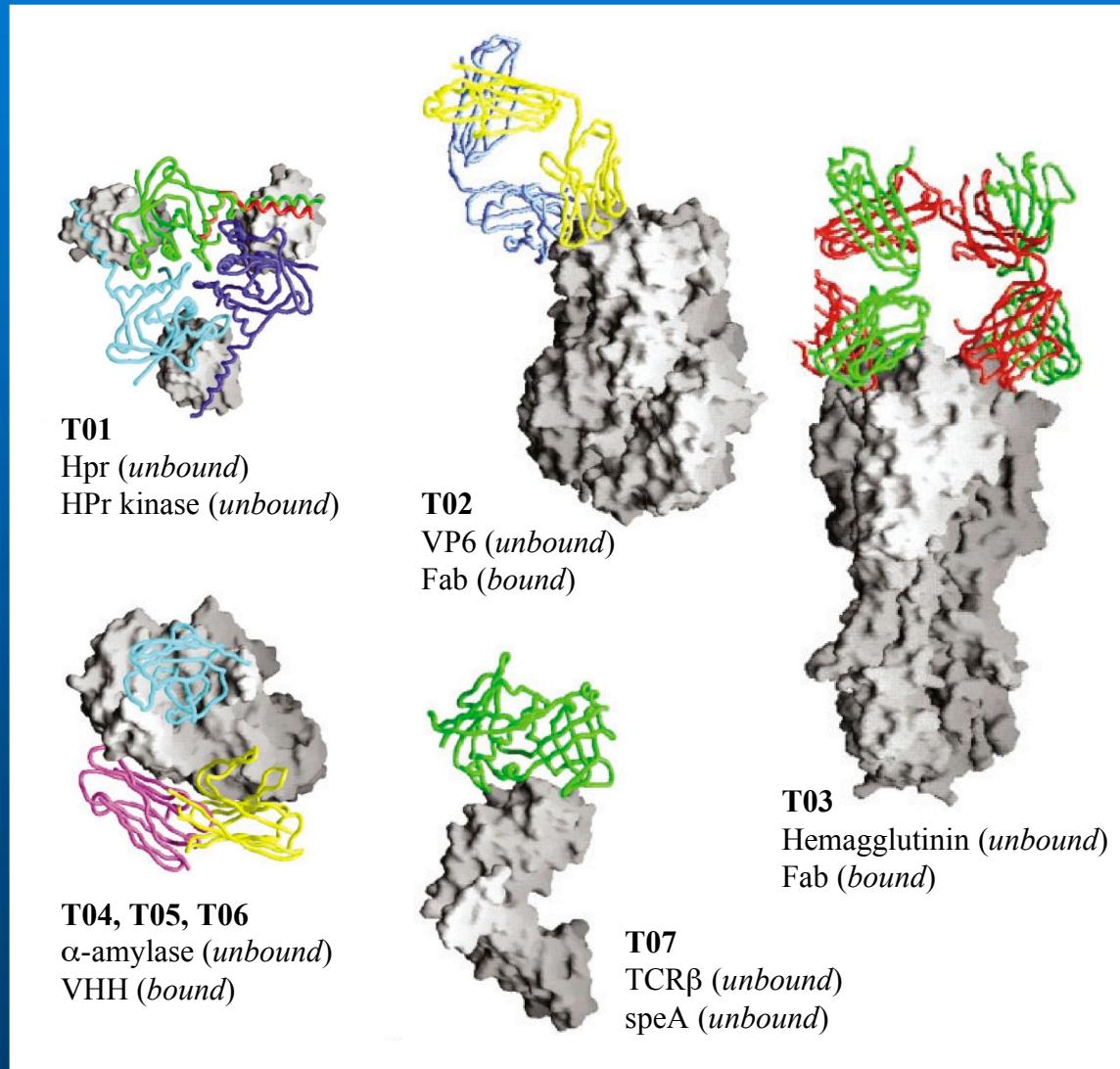
# Docking Servers

## Servers (True Docking Servers)

ClusPro Server (beta-test)	Boston University, C. Camacho/S. Vajda et al.	Carries out protein-protein docking from molecules that the user may upload, using either ZDOCK or DOT. The user may then re-rank using filtering, energy scoring and spatial and angular clustering.	For licensing contact C. Camacho	Bioinformatics 20 (1): 45-50 Jan 2004
PatchDock Server (beta-test)	Tel Aviv University, H. Wolfson et al	Carries out protein-protein docking from molecules that the user may upload, using geometric hashing methods and clustering.	no	Proteins. 2003 Jul 1; 52(1): 107-12 & notes from web site
Dcomplex Server	Buffalo University, Y. Zhou, C. Zhang et al	Scores complexes from pdbs that the user may upload, using statistically derived DFIRE potential	no	Protein Science (2004), 13:400-411 etc

# DOCKING VALIDATION

## CAPRI: A Critical Assessment of PRdicted Interactions



<http://capri.ebi.ac.uk>

1st CAPRI – Sep02 La Londe (France)  
Special issue, in:  
*PROTEINS: Structure, Function, and Genetics* 52 (July 2003)

2nd CAPRI – Dec04 Gaeta (Italy)  
Special issue, in:  
*PROTEINS: Structure, Function, and Bioinformatics* 60 (July 2005)

3rd CAPRI – Apr07 Toronto (Canada)  
Special issue, in progress

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### CAPRI Participants & Algorithms

Predictor	Affiliation	Software	Algorithm
Abagyan	Scripps	ICM	Force Field
Camacho/Vajda	Boston	CHARMM	Force Field Refinement
Gardiner	Sheffield	GAPDOCK	Shape + Area GA
Sternberg/Smith	Imperial	FTDOCK	FFT
Bates/Fitzjohn	ICRF	Guided Docking	Force Field
Ten Eyck/Mitchell	SDSC	DOT	FFT
Vakser/Tovchigrechko	SUNY/MUSC	GRAMM	FFT
Olson	Scripps	Harmony	Spherical Harmonics ?
Weng/Chen	Boston	ZDOCK	FFT
Eisenstein	Weizmann	MolFit	FFT
Wolfson/Nussinov	?	BUDDA/PPD	Geometric Hashing
Iwadate	Kitasato	TSCF	Force Field + Solvent
Ritchie/Mustard	Aberdeen	Hex	Spherical Polar Fourier
Palma	Lisbon	BIGGER	Geometric + Electrostatic
Gray/Baker	Washington	?	Monte Carlo + Flexibility

Several other participants (not shown) attempted a small no. of targets

# 1st CAPRI - Predictions

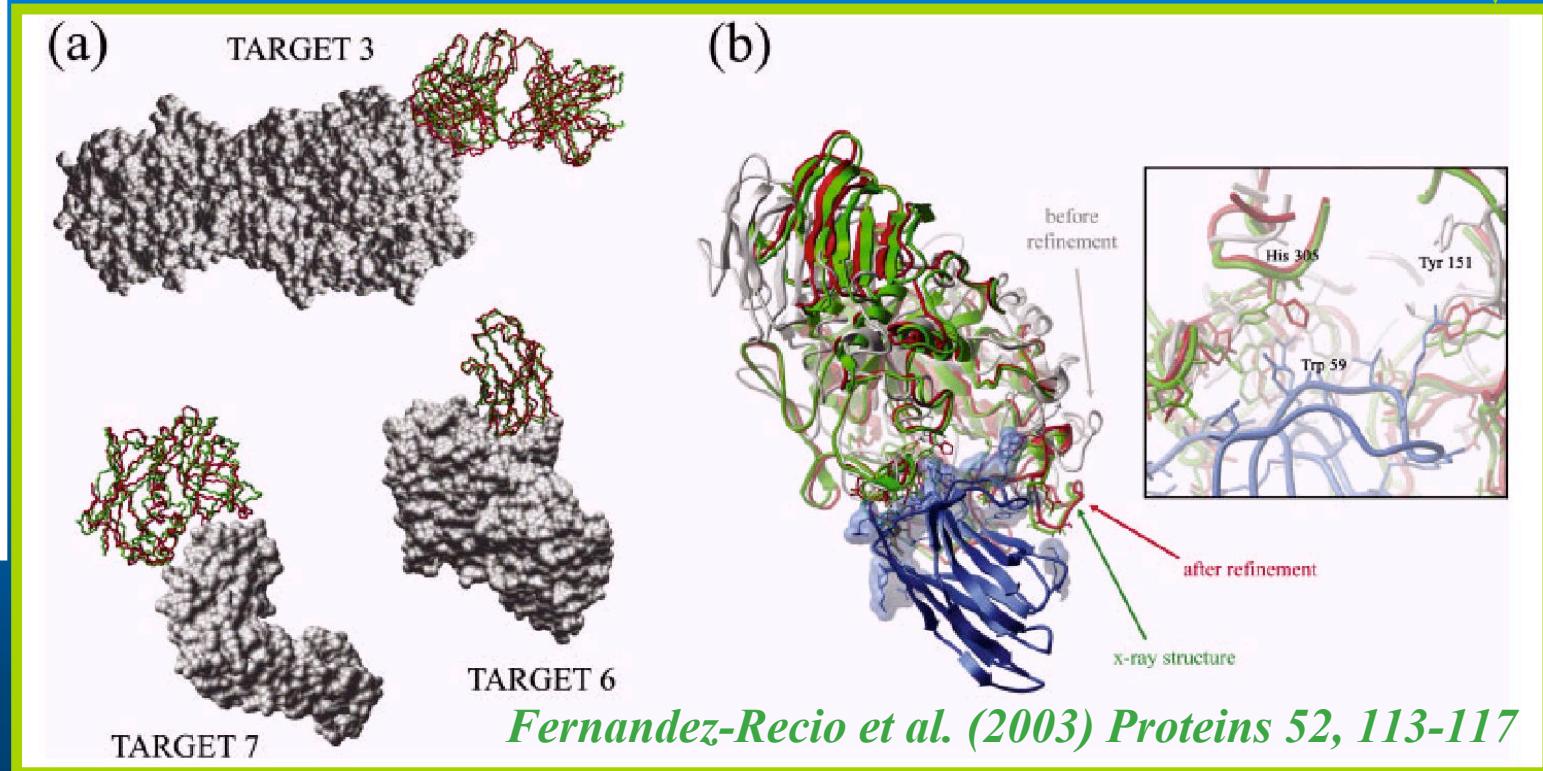
Predictor group	T1	T02	T03	T04	T05	T06	T07	Predictor summary
Scripps US <i>(Aba&amp;van)</i>	0	0	**	0	0	***	**	3/2**/1***
Boston U. US <i>(Camacho)</i>	*	0	0	0	0	***	***	3/2***
Weizmann Inst. IL <i>(Eisenstein)</i>	*	*	0	0	0	0	***	3/1***
Imperial Coll. UK <i>(Sternberg)</i>	0	*	0	0	0	***	*	3/1***
UCSD, US <i>(Ten-Eyck)</i>	*	*	0	0	0	**	0	3/1**

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6 groups:  
2 acceptable models

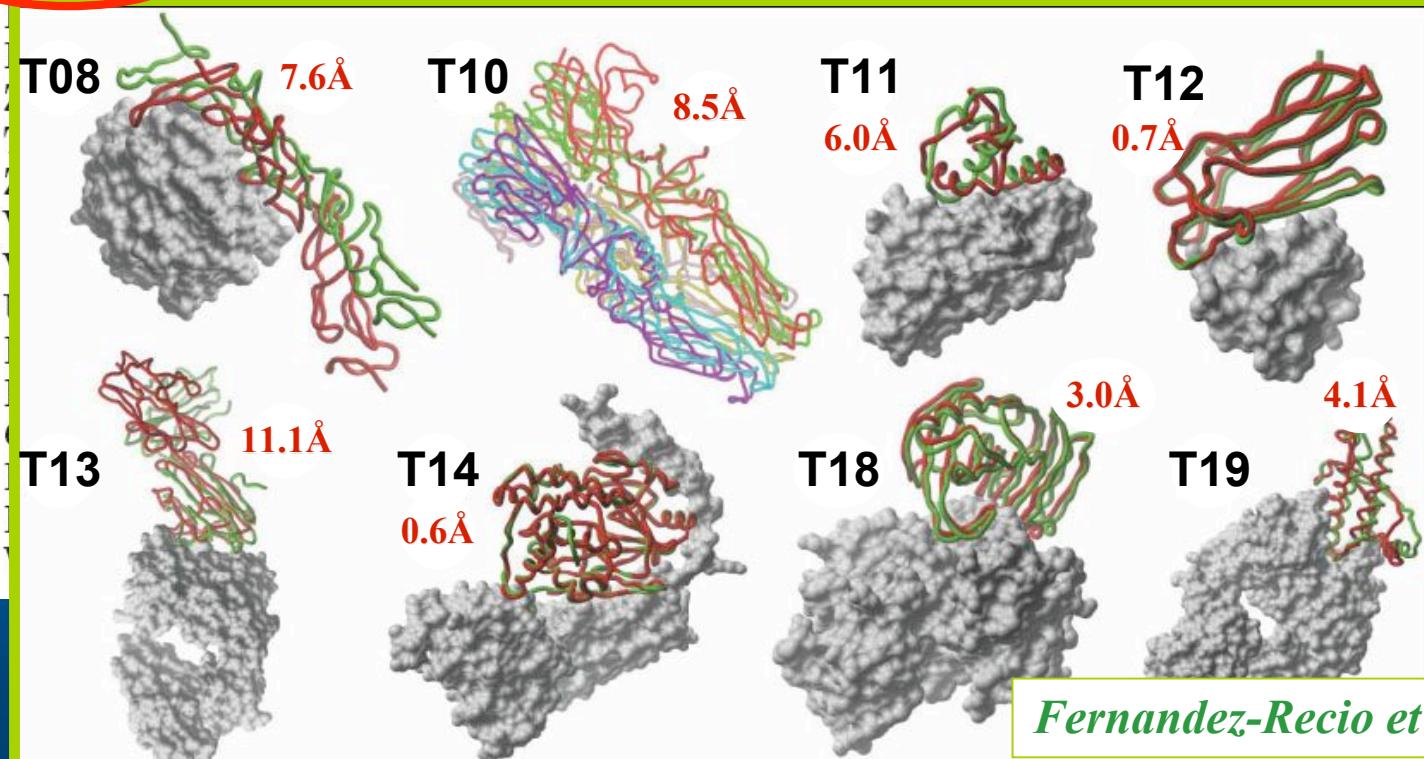
3 groups:  
1 acceptable models

5 groups:  
no acceptable models



# 2nd CAPRI - Predictions

Predictor group	T08	T09	T10	T11	T12	T13	T14	T18	T19	Predictor sumnr
Abagyan	**	0	*	**	***	*	***	**	**	8/4***/2***
Wolfson	**	*	*	*	*	0	**	**	*	8/3**
Weng	**	0	0	*	***	***	***	**	**	7/3***/3***
Bates	*	0	*	**	*	0	**	**	*	7/3**
Parker	—	0	0	**	***	**	***	0	***	6/2***/4***
Camacho	**	0	0	0	***	***	**	**	*	6/3***/2***
Grav	***	—	—	**	***	0	0	0	**	5/2***/3***
Bonvin	—	—	**	**	0	***	***	0	0	5/3***/2***
CmsPro	**	0	0	0	***	*	0	0	*	5/2***/1***
Sternberg	**	0	0	*	*	0	**	0	*	5/2**



Fernandez-Recio et al. (2005) Proteins 60, 308-315

# 1st CAPRI – Target 3

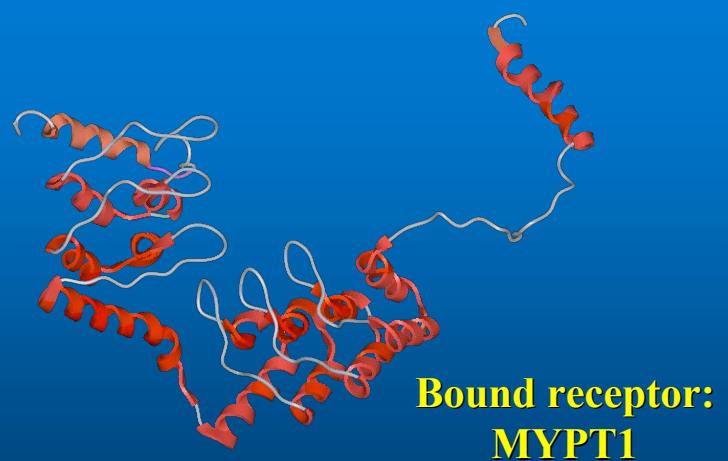
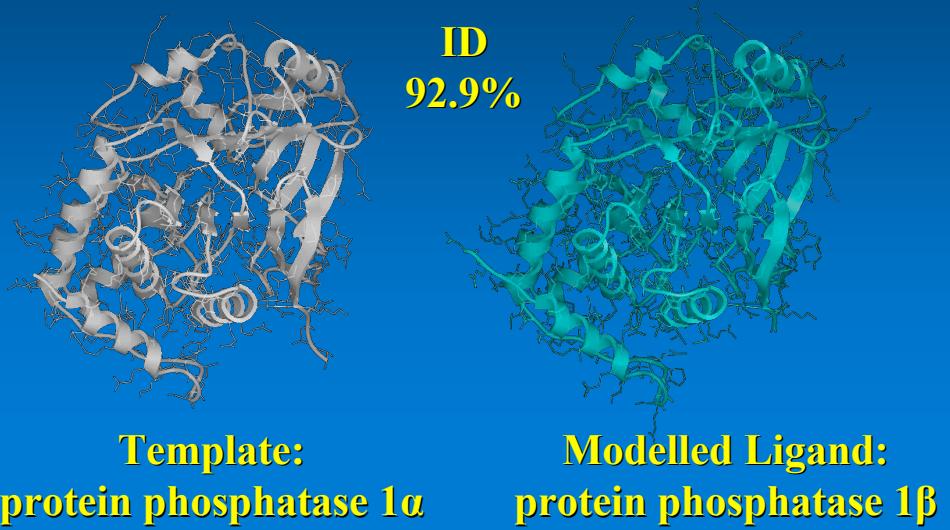
## ***PROTEIN-PROTEIN DOCKING***

***predicting hemagglutinin/Fab  
complex for the CAPRI  
competition 2002***

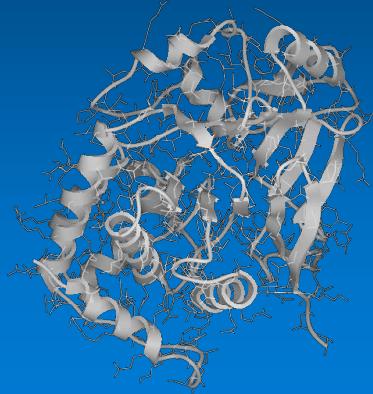
*Juan Fernandez-Recio, Max Totrov & Ruben Abagyan*

*Fernandez-Recio et al. (2003) Proteins 52, 113-117*

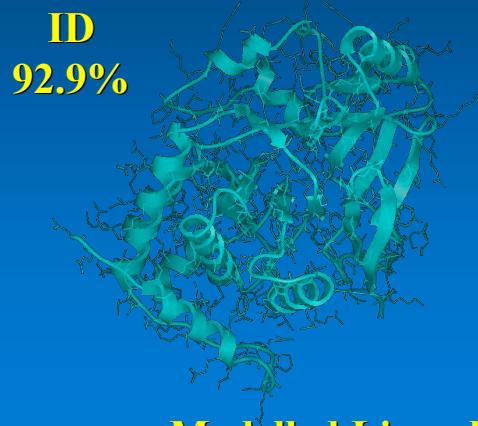
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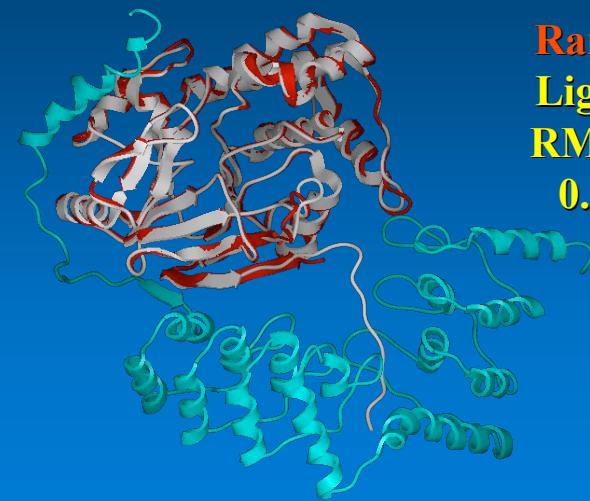
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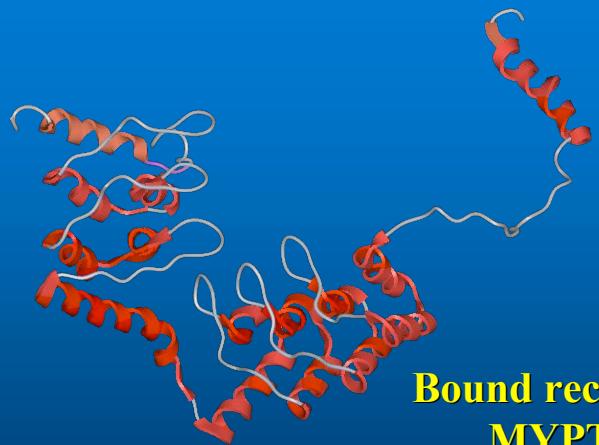
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Modelled Ligand:  
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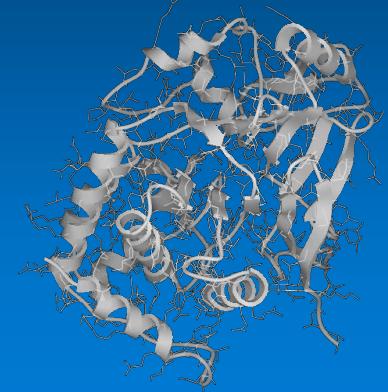


Docking

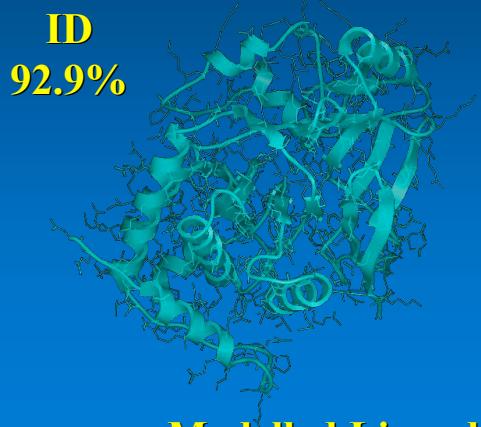


Bound receptor:  
MYPT1

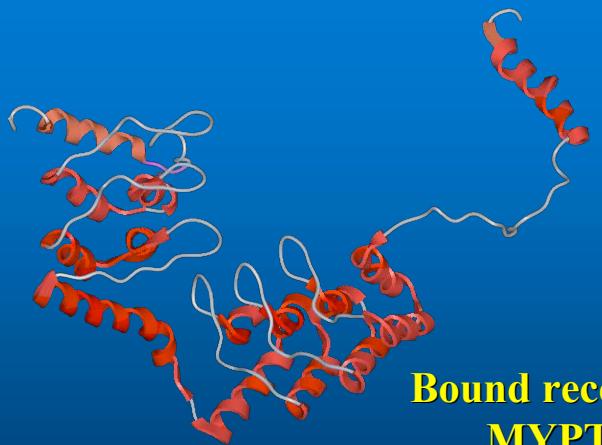
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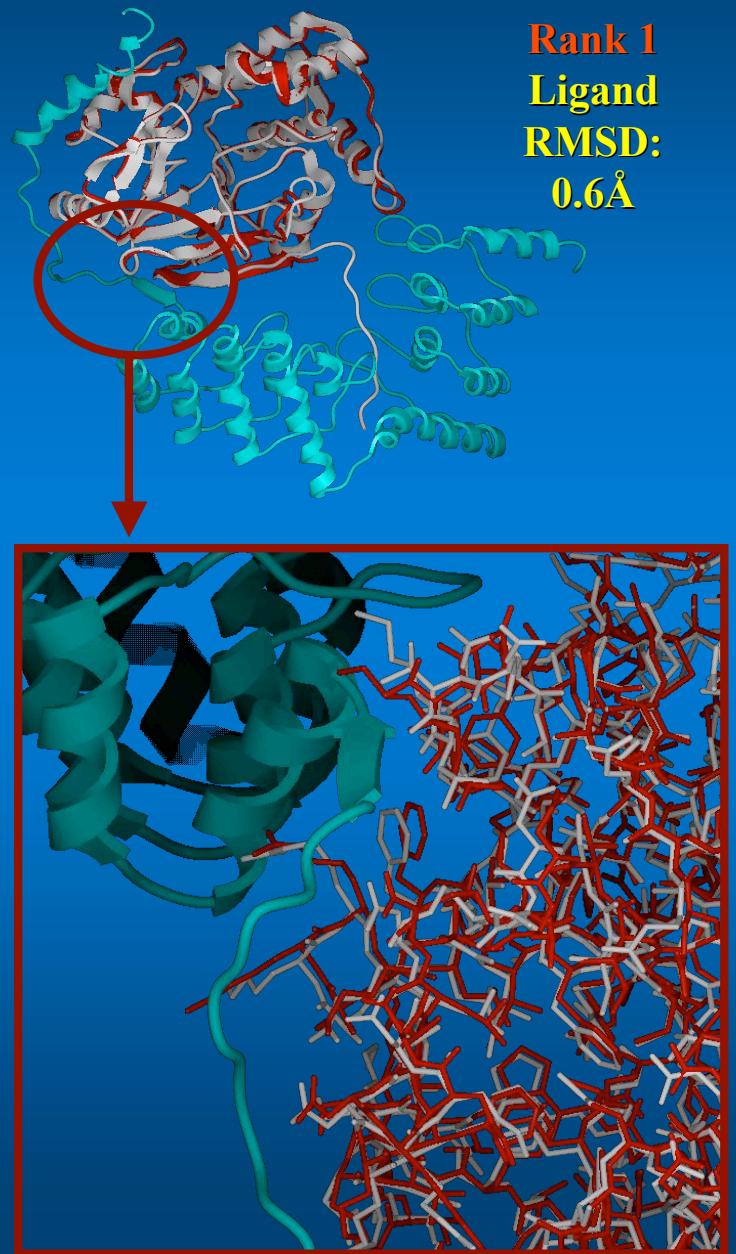


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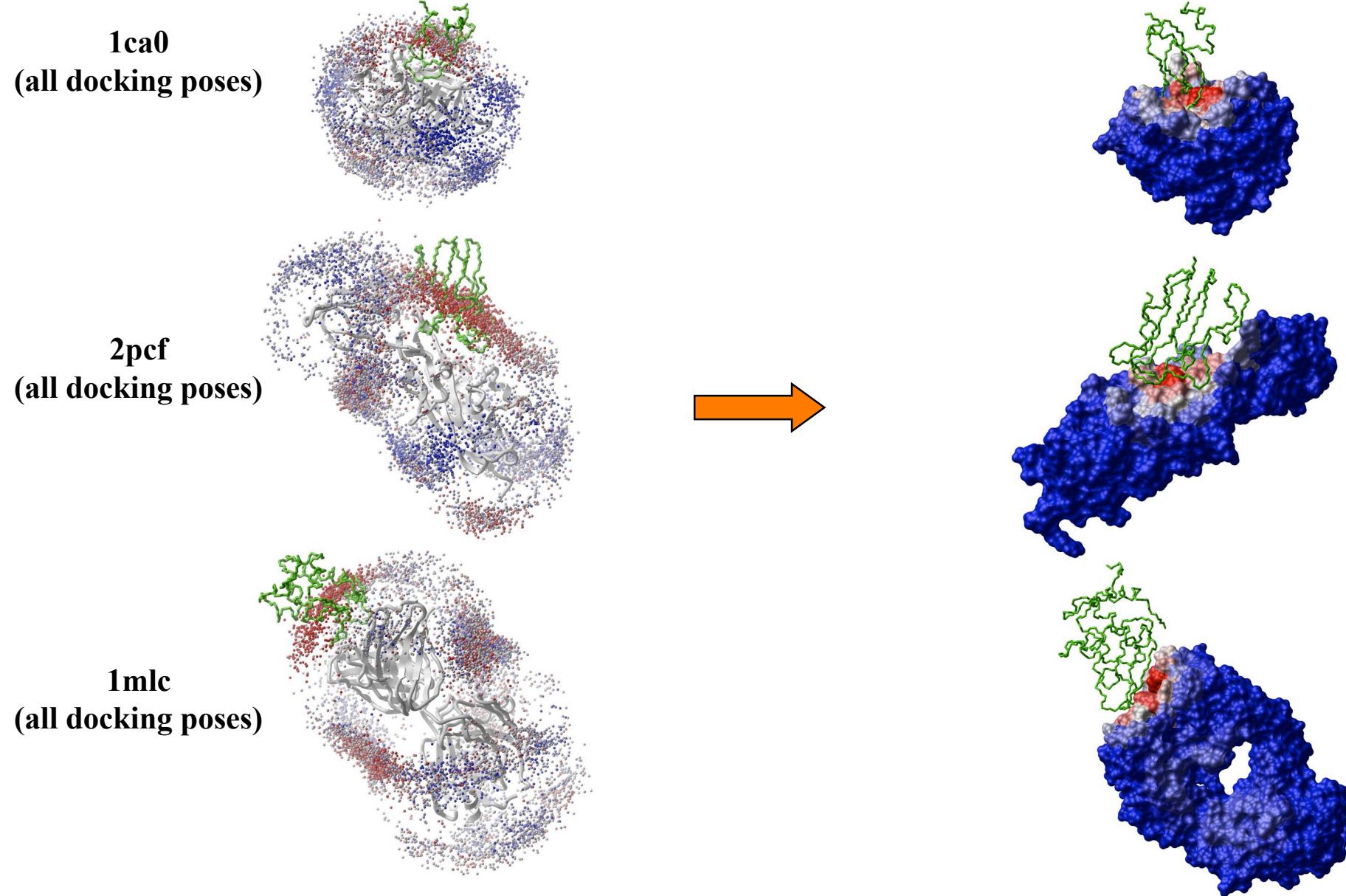
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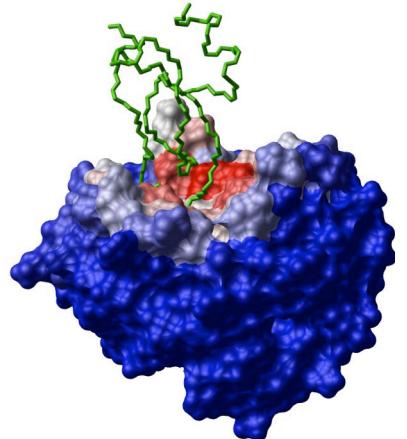
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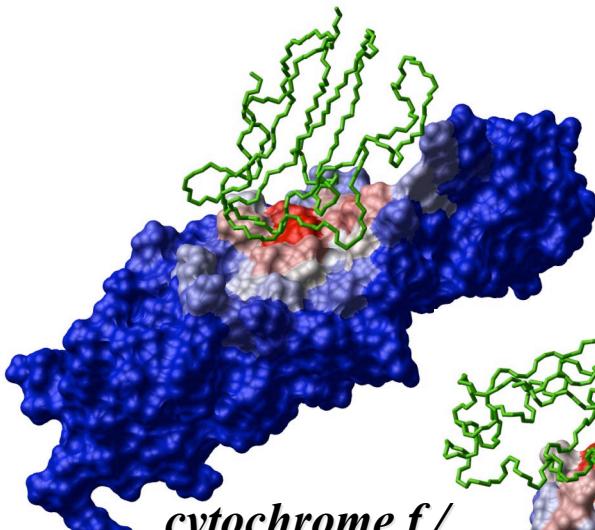
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# Interface propensity maps from docking landscape

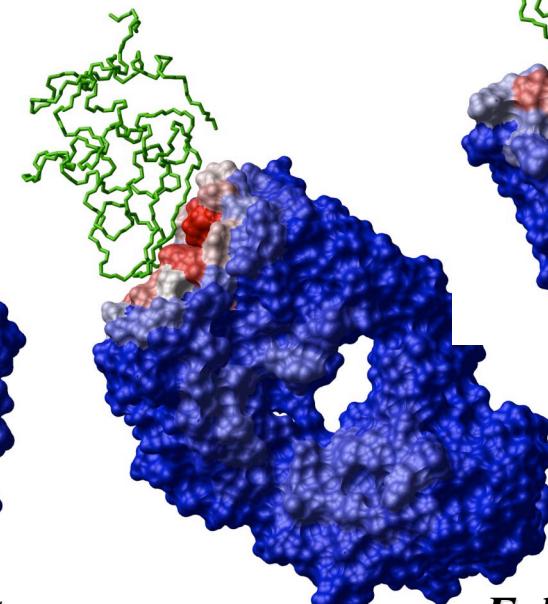




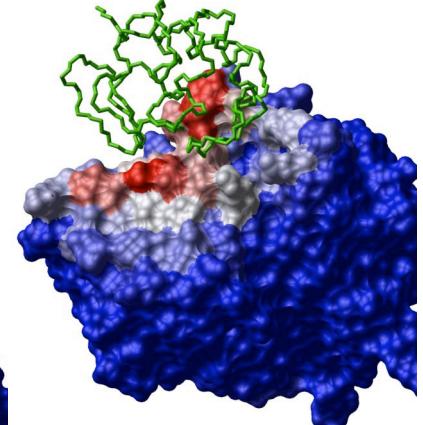
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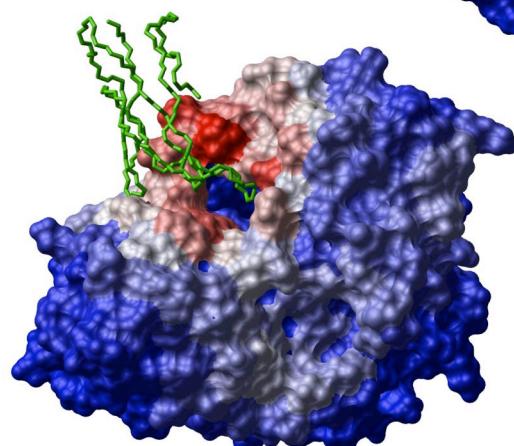
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plastocyanin*



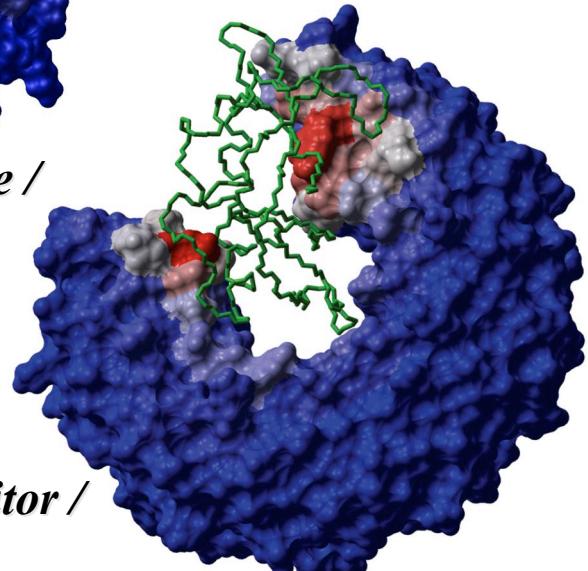
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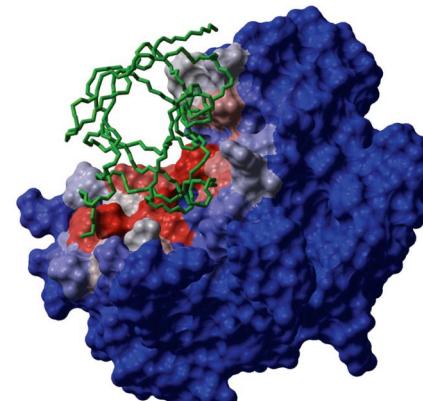
*ccp /  
cytochrome c*



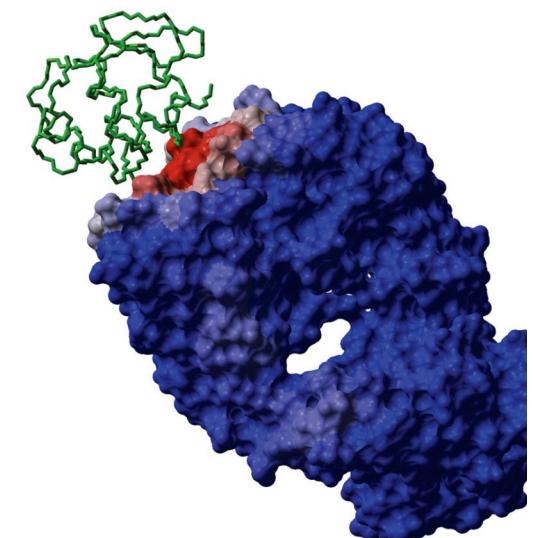
*acetylcholinesterase /  
fasciculin II*



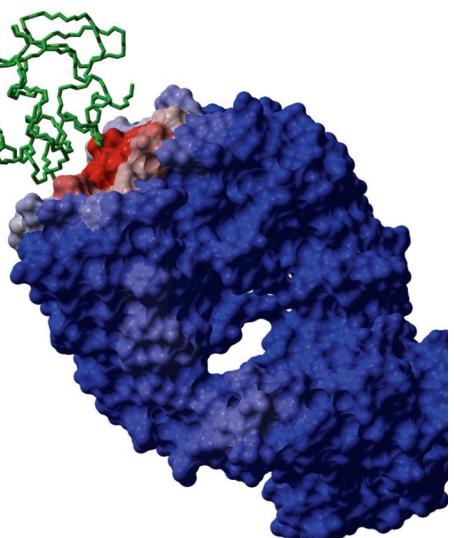
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*FNR / ferredoxin*

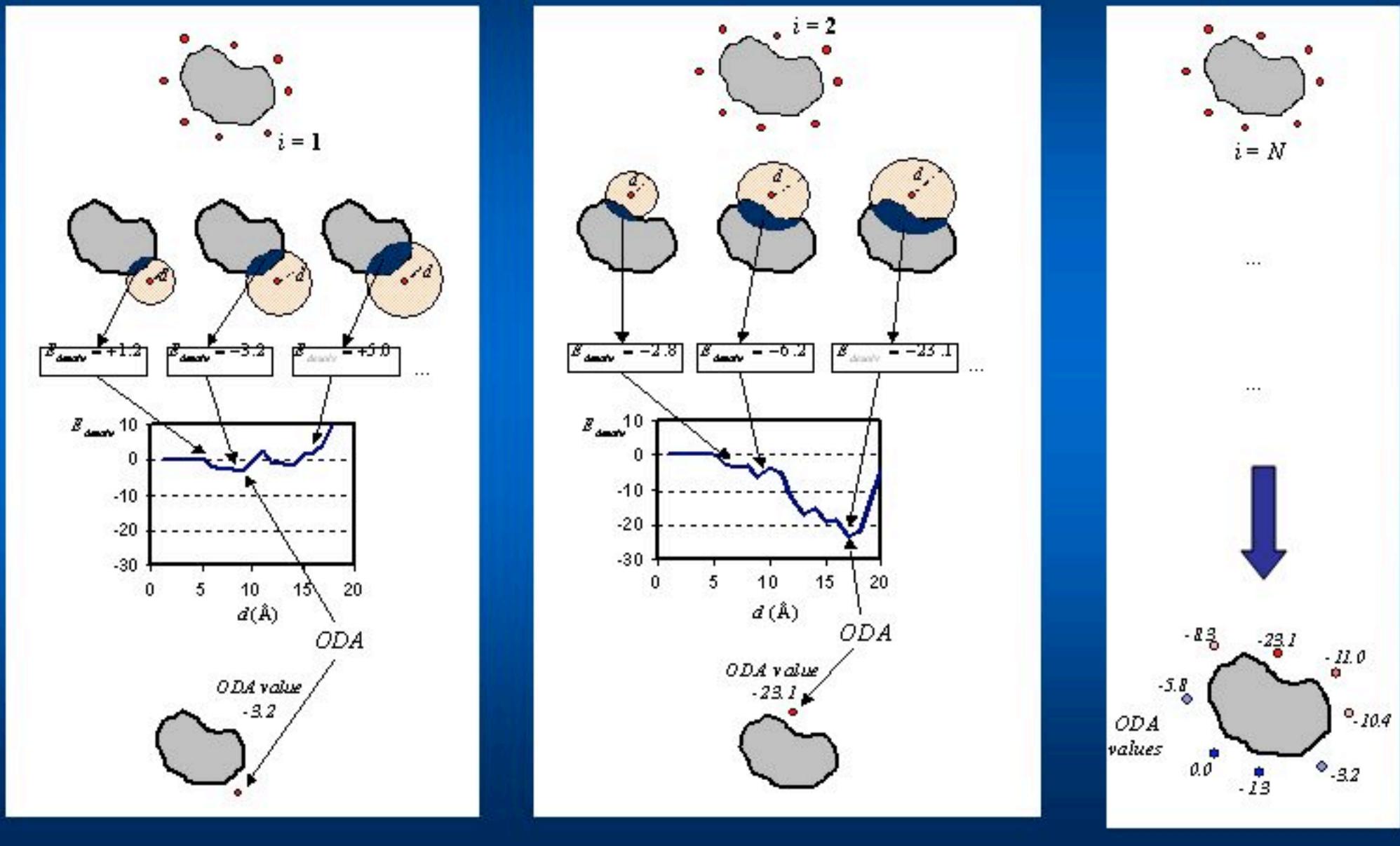


*Fab / lysozyme*

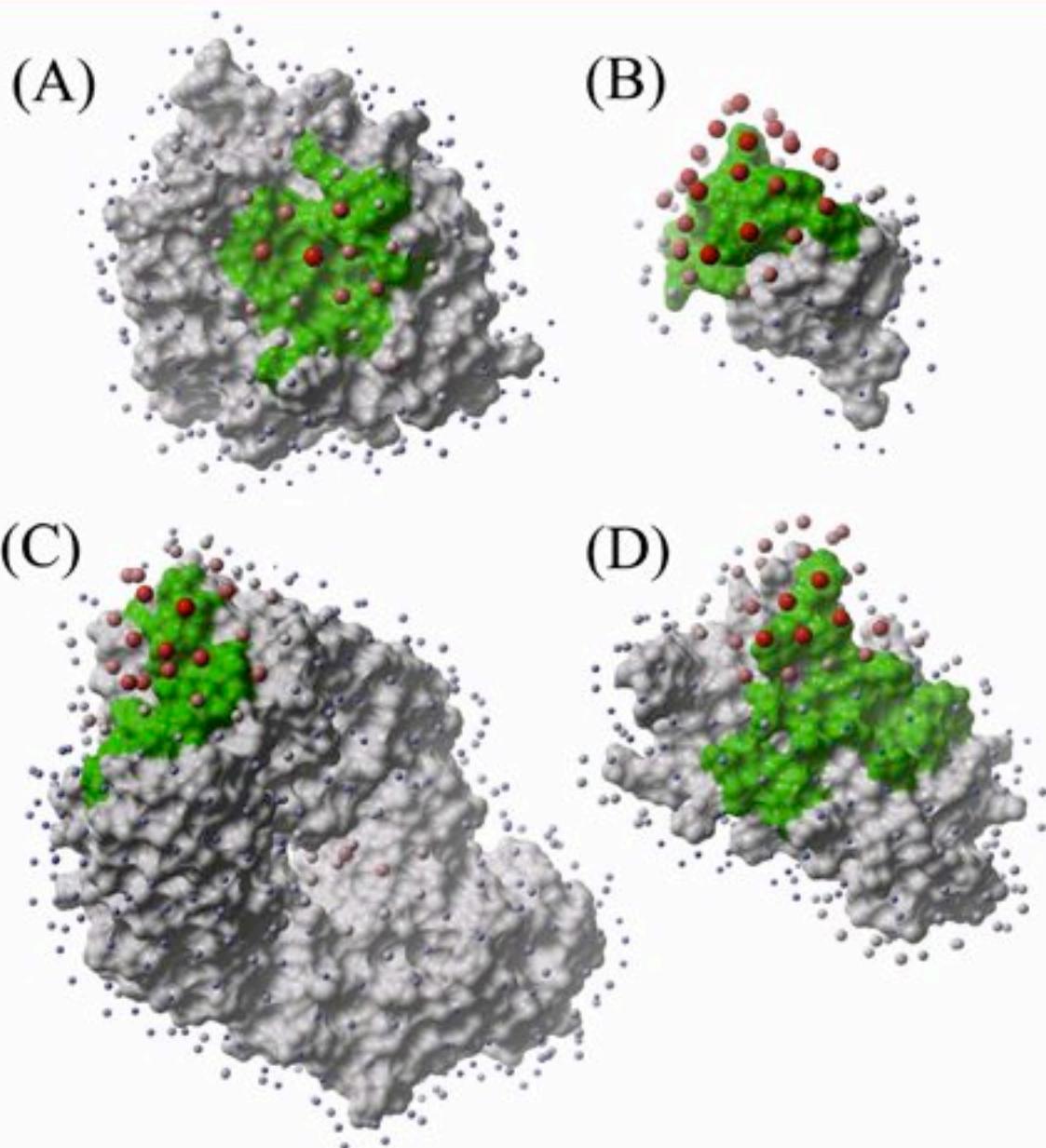


*Fab / cytochrome c*

# Optimal Docking Areas



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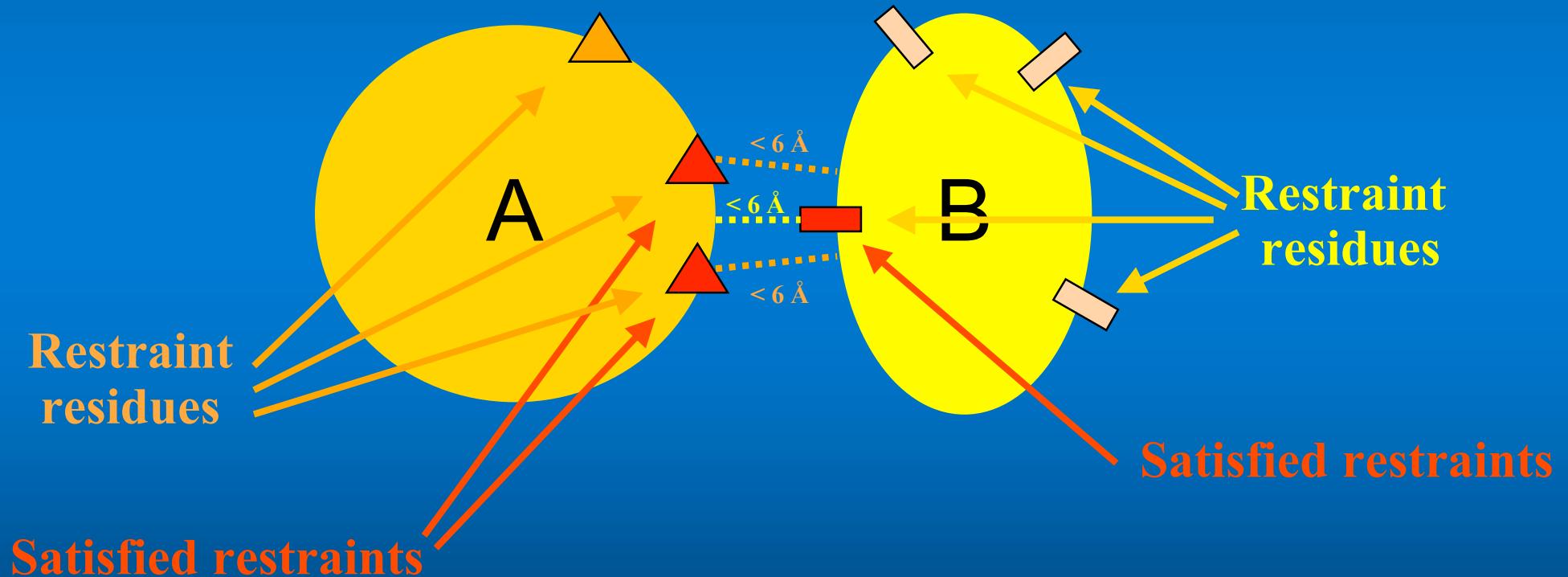
**Benchmark: 66 unbound cases**

- ODAs in 50% proteins
- 80% correctly located in binding sites
- pyDockODA (centered in residues);  
web server in INB

*Fernández-Recio et al. (2005)*  
*Proteins 58, 134-143*

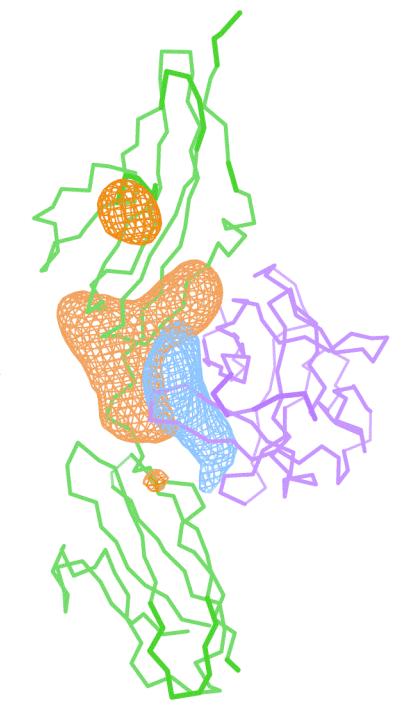
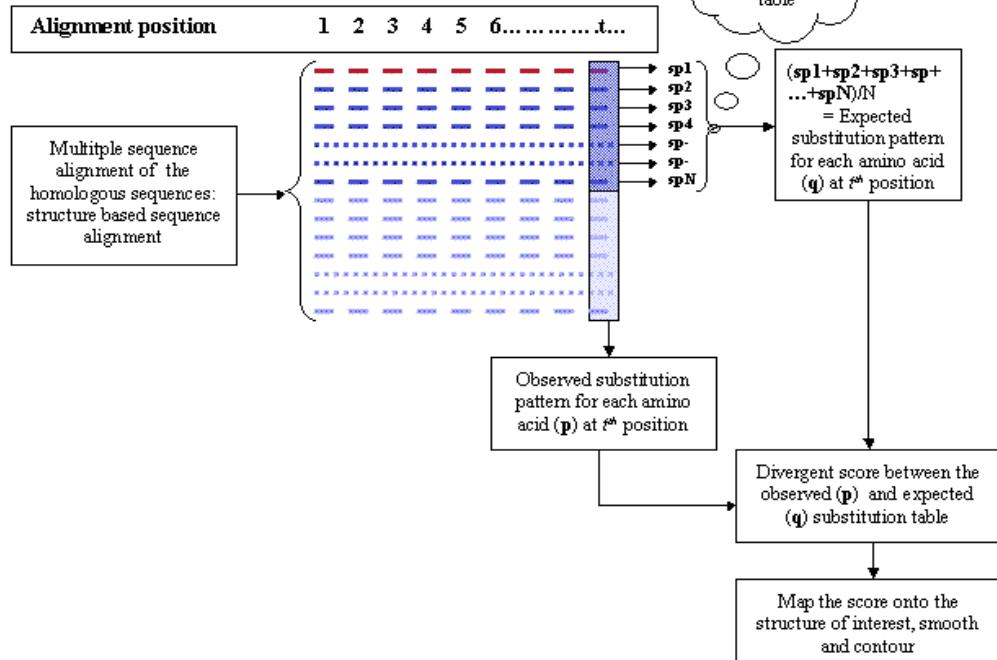
# pyDockRST: use of restraints to filter docking solutions

Docking solution *i*

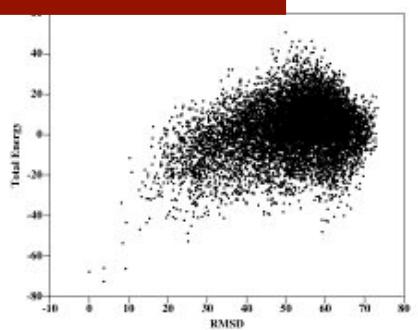
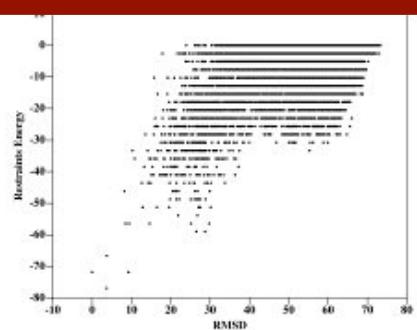
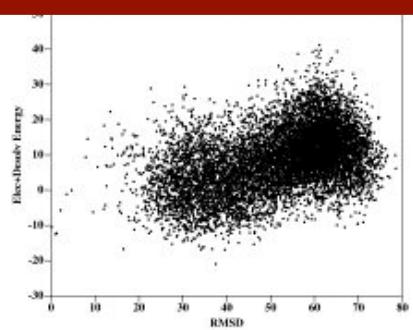


$$\text{Pseudo-Energy} = -100 * (\text{satisfied restraints} / \text{total restraint residues})$$

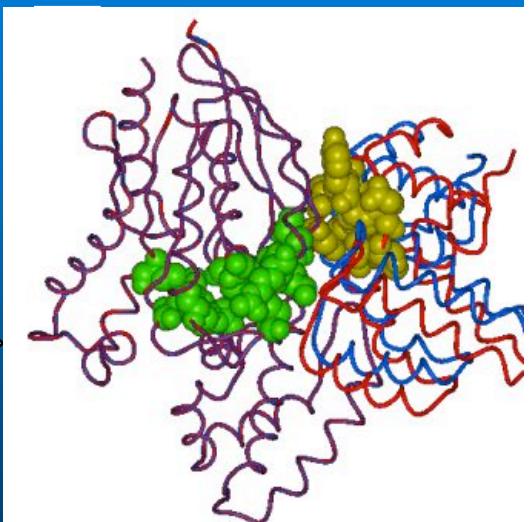
## CRESCENDO (*Chelliah, Blundell, Lovell*)



**Crescendo + pyDockRST**

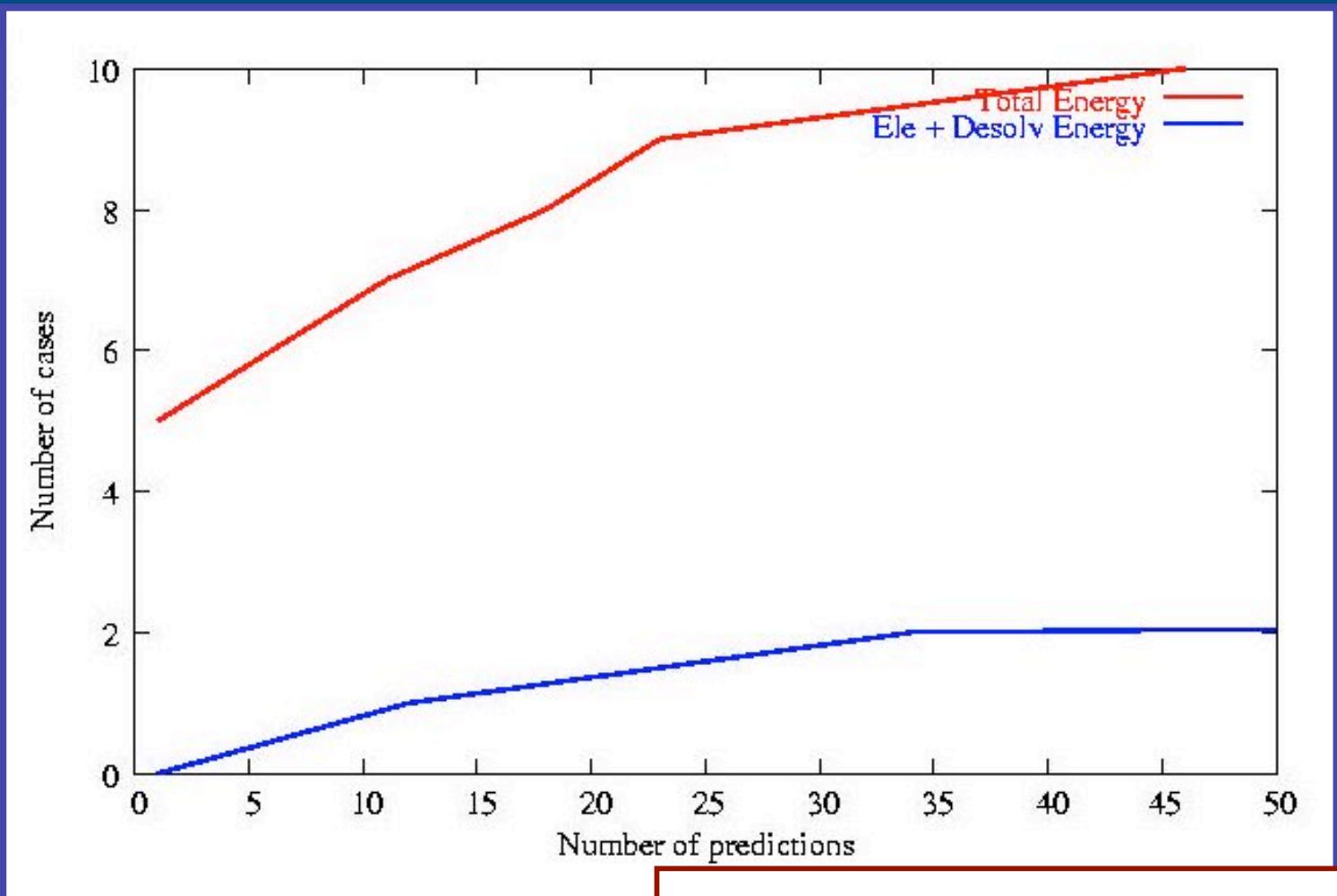


pyDockRST



*Chelliah et al. (2006) JMB 357, 1669-1682*

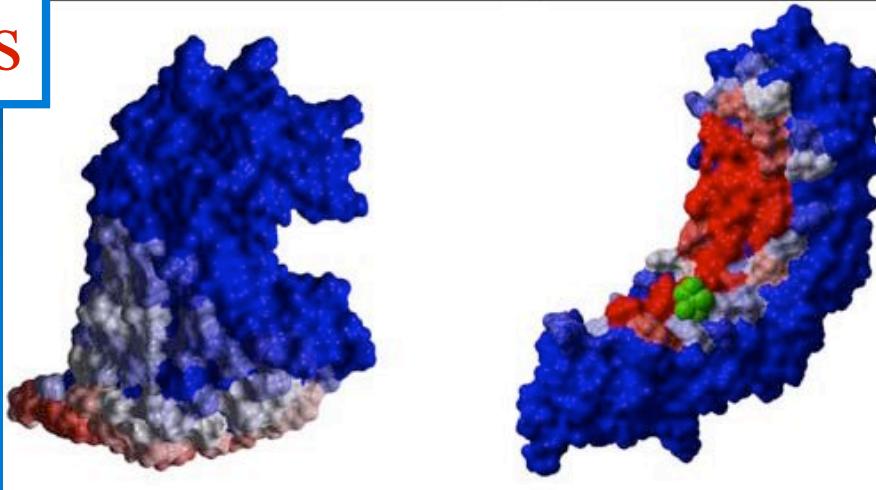
# Crescendo + pyDockRST



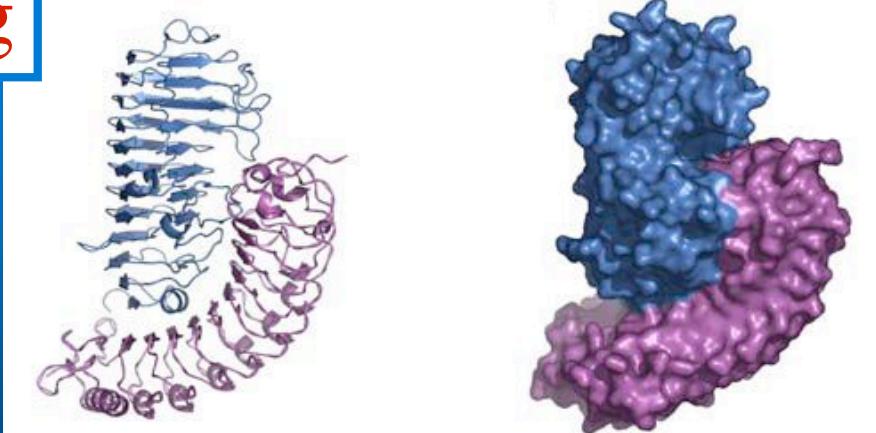
Introduction of evolutionary restraints  
dramatically improves the docking results

# One example of modelling by docking: PG / PGII

NIP surfaces

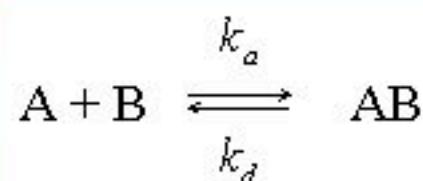
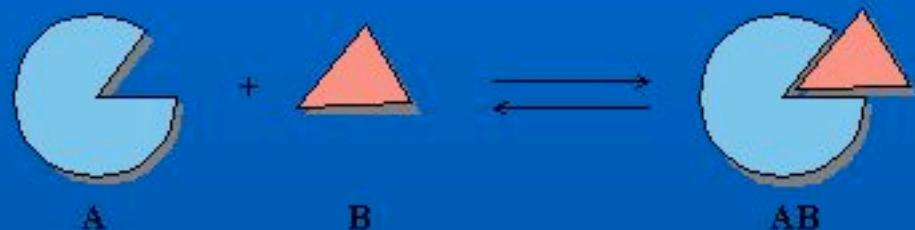


docking



*Sicilia et al. (2005) Plant Physiol. 139, 1380-1388*  
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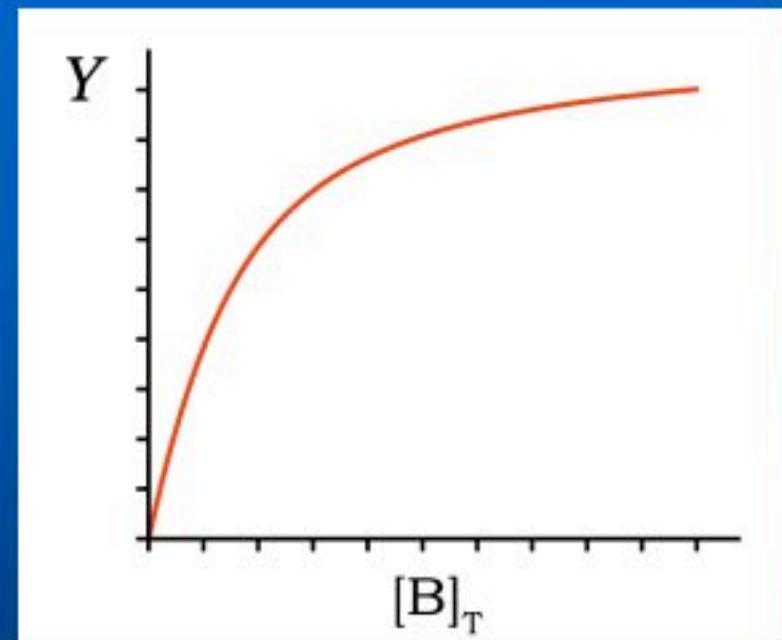
# Protein-Protein Interaction: Thermodynamics



$$K_a = \frac{1}{K_d} = \frac{k_a}{k_d}$$

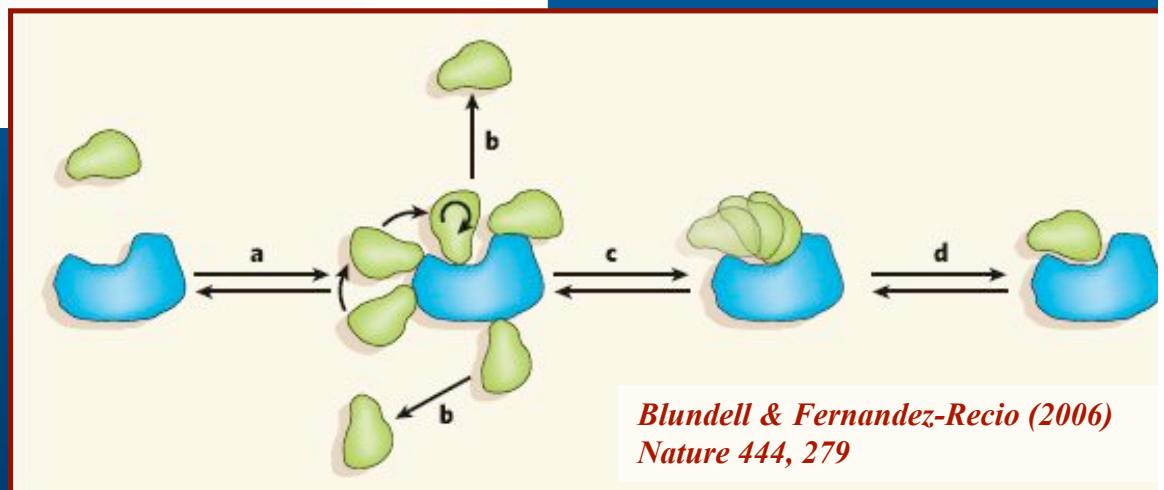
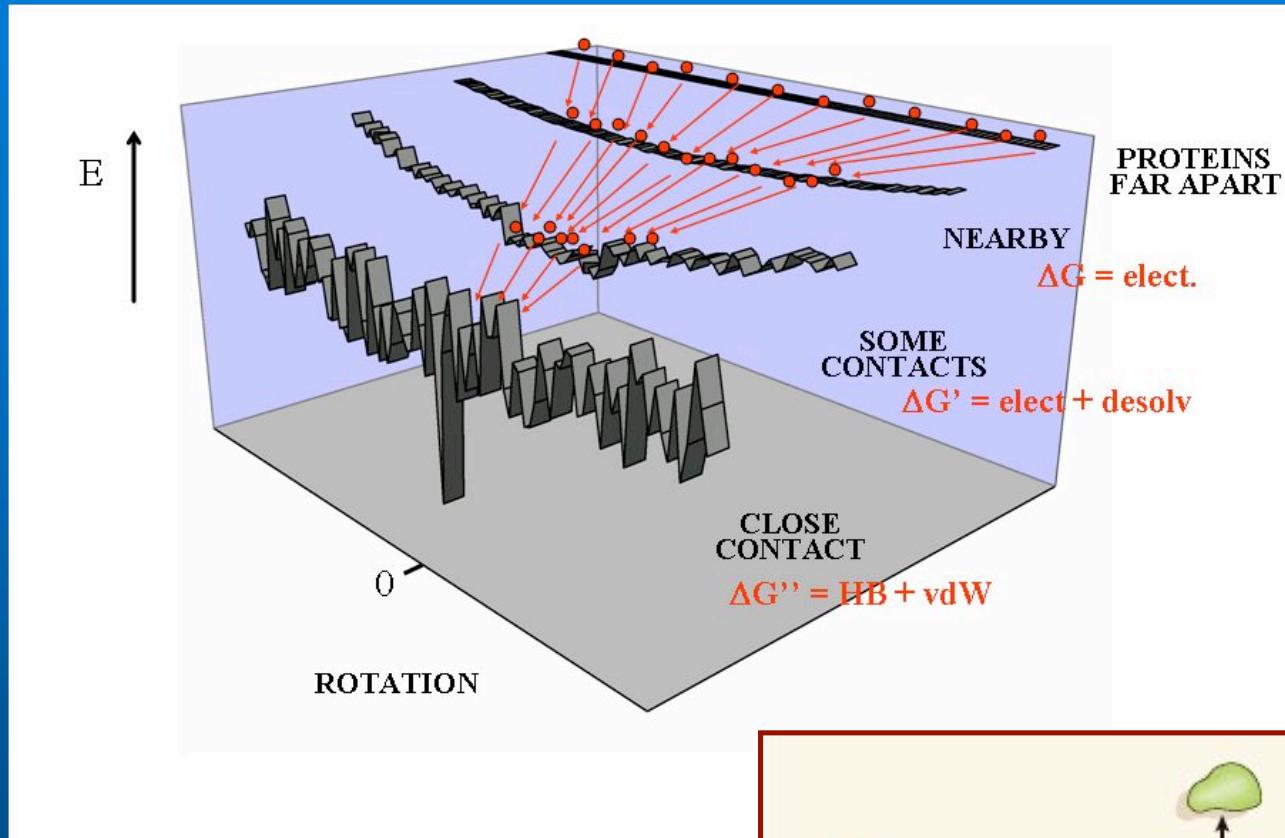
$$K_a = \frac{1}{K_d} = \frac{[AB]}{[A][B]}$$

$$\Delta G_a = -RT \ln K_a$$



	$10^{-6} - 10^{-3}$ M	<u>affinity</u>	<u>structure</u>
		transient	non-obligate 3-state
		permanent	non-obligate 3-state
		permanent	obligate 2-state

# Protein-Protein Docking Mechanism



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