Machine Learning in Structural Bioinformatics

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Outline

- How do molecules look and function?
- Protein structure and interactions prediction
- Protein-ligand interactions
- Cheminformatics
- Other applications

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Proteins





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Sequence string





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Shen, Sali. Statistical potential for assessment and prediction of protein structures, 2006



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Pagès, Charmettant, Grudinin. Protein model quality assessment using 3D oriented convolutional neural networks. Submitted



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Multiple sequence alignment (MSA)



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- fulfil the constraints of contacts!
- or use them as features
- or train to **predict** them...

Q5E940 BOVIN	M	PREDRATW	KSNYFLKIJ	QLLDDYP	KCFIVGAD	NVGSKQMQ	Q IRMS LRGK	-AVVLMGKNTMMRK	AIRGHLENNPALE	7
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Contacts prediction and residual neural networks



- diverse features (geometrical, sequence)
- very deep to find high-order correlations

Wang, Xu et al. Accurate De Novo Prediction of Protein Contact Map by Ultra-Deep Learning Model, 2017



Q 5E940_BOYINMPREDRATWKSNYFLKIIOLLDDYPKCFIYGADNYGSKDMOQIRMSLRGK-AVYLMGKNTMMRKAIRGHLENNPALE RLA0_HUMANMPREDRATWKSNYFLKIIOLLDDYPKCFIYGADNYGSKDMOQIRMSLRGK-AVYLMGKNTMMRKAIRGHLENNPALE RLA0_MOUSE	76 76 76 76 76 76
AlphaFold abstract and other abstracts: <u>http://predictioncenter.org/casp13/doc/CASP13_Abstracts.pdf</u> , 2018 earlier approach, similar to AlphaFold: Xu. Distance-based Protein Folding Powered by Deep Learning, 201 nice review: https://moalguraishi.wordpress.com/2018/12/09/alphafold-casp13-what-just-happened	} 8

AlphaFold (and not only)

- binary contact matrix \rightarrow contact distances
- additional scoring CNN
- AlphaFold uses the whole distribution of contact distances to compute likelihood
- this + NN-based scoring can be minimized



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What we get

- template-based methods
- scoring with statistical potentials
- learning on decoys how to score
- co-evolution-based methods

Proteins: protein-protein interactions

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What we want

- Interaction interface?
- Interaction energy?

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Proteins and ligands: data



 $\Delta G \sim -RT \ln K_b$

Features:

• extract them from 3D coordinates

Objectives:

- K_b (affinities) are known for regression
- easier "false" structures generation to do classification

Proteins and ligands: data and problems



pose prediction

find the best 3D coordinates for the known ligand



scoring

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virtual screening

which ligand binds a compound?

Proteins and ligands: molecular docking and scoring

- Markov chain Monte-Carlo
- genetic algorithms
- molecular dynamics





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Lower free binding energy - more affine ligands.

A scoring function

- predicts the binding free energy
- or scores the affinity
- can be a part of sampling

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Proteins and ligands: scoring functions

• Physics-based

Energy terms, often trained with use of force fields, robust and rather slow

• Empirical

A combination of energy terms trained on affinities data (regression)

• Knowledge-based

Radial and angular distributions of atoms \rightarrow statistical potentials

Descriptor-based

Various descriptors, sophisticated machine learning methods

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- surface descriptors
- score as descriptor ("meta" scoring function)



Convex-PL

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Convex-PL: knowledge-based potential



Convex-PL \neq statistical potentials

- radial distribution functions as descriptors
- w is an unknown vector of interactions

no reference states \rightarrow solve classification problem instead

train w to separate natives and decoys

$$egin{aligned} \min&:rac{1}{2}\mathbf{w}\cdot\mathbf{w}+\sum_{ij}C_{ij}\xi_{ij}\ ext{s.t.}:y_{ij}\left[\mathbf{w}\cdot\mathbf{x}_{ij}+b_i
ight]-1+\xi_{ij}\geq0, \xi_{ij}\geq0 \end{aligned}$$

- perfect for pose prediction
- average at affinities prediction

Kadukova, Grudinin, J. Comput. Aided. Mol. Des., 2017 41

Convex-PL: knowledge-based potential





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mean ligand area, $Å^2$

Convex-PL: more descriptors



knowledge-based distance-dependent potential



approximated with a regression model

- solvent descriptors
- conformational entropy descriptors

st empirical scoring functions-style st

Convex-PL: more descriptors $\Delta G = \Delta H^{PL} + \Delta H^{solvent} - T(\Delta S^{solvent} + \Delta S^{conf} + \dots)$ ligand ~ volume ~ solvent accessible flexibility H₂N/// surface area OH $w_i=3$ CH # bonds $w_i=3$ $\Delta S^L_{conf} = \log({\ \prod \ }$ $w_i)$ CH. HN $\overrightarrow{k} w_i = 0$ • 3D grid representation • continuous • discrete • better hydrophobic effects representation

Convex-PL: regression-based model



Convex-PL: regression-based model



CASF Benchmark 2013



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× receptor flexibility

- × temperature, solvent, entropy
- × ligand coordinates are **less accurate** than amino acid ones





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Cheminformatics: studying small molecules

What we have



- millions of compounds
- partially labeled

What we want

- virtual screening
- chemical properties mapping
- regression towards binding energy, toxicity, etc
- generate new molecules
- generate synthesis pathways

Cheminformatics: descriptors in 2D

What we have



string representation (SMILES)

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graph representation

fingerprints

- presence of particular fragments
- local environment of each atom in the graph

Cheminformatics: descriptors



Sanchez-Lengeling, Aspuru-Guzik. Inverse molecular design using machine learning: Generative models for matter engineering. 2018

Cheminformatics: better generalization

RNNs on strings

• grammatical validity?

graph nets

- features are associated with weighted nodes
- several ways to define convolution operation
- recurrent architectures



More applications

• these steps can be enhanced



• simulations (molecular dynamics, quantum chemistry) can be either "learned", or analyzed

Thank you for the attention!

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