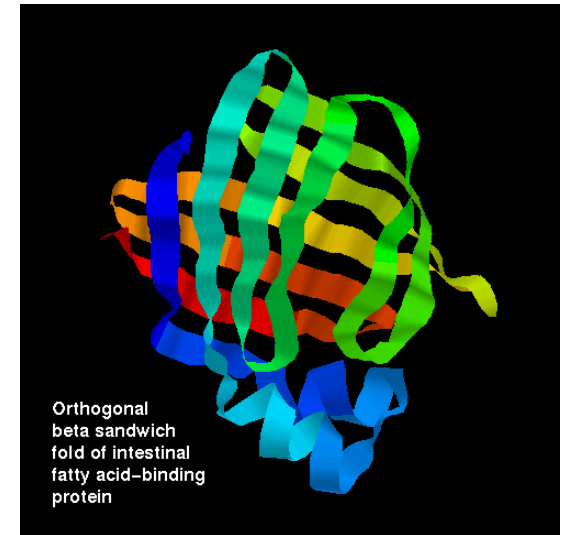
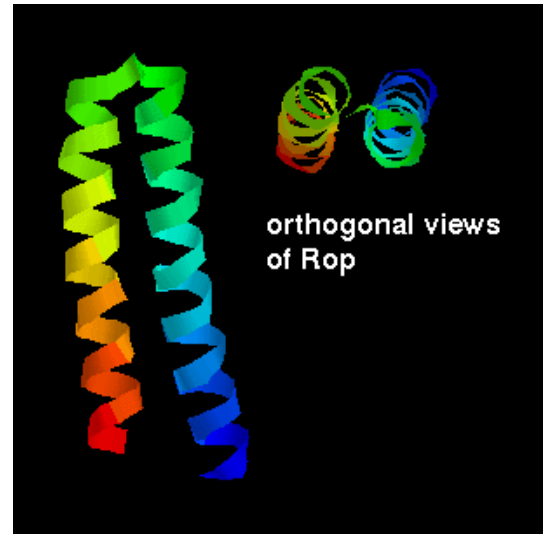


3D Structure *Determination & Data*



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Outline for Next 3 Weeks

- **Introduction to protein structure**
- **Methods for visualizing structure**
- **Homology modeling**
- **Protein structure prediction**
- **Proteomics – part 1**
- **Proteomics – part 2**

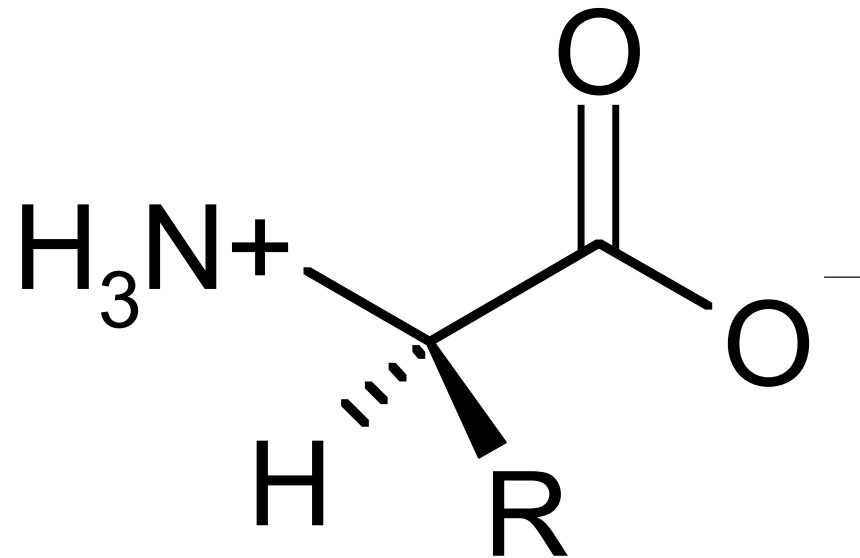
Objectives*

- **Review of amino acid and polypeptide structure**
- **Gain and understanding of protein structure determination methods (NMR and X-ray)**
- **Learn about the Protein Data Bank**
- **Learn some of the approaches to Rendering, Modelling and Viewing 3D Structures**

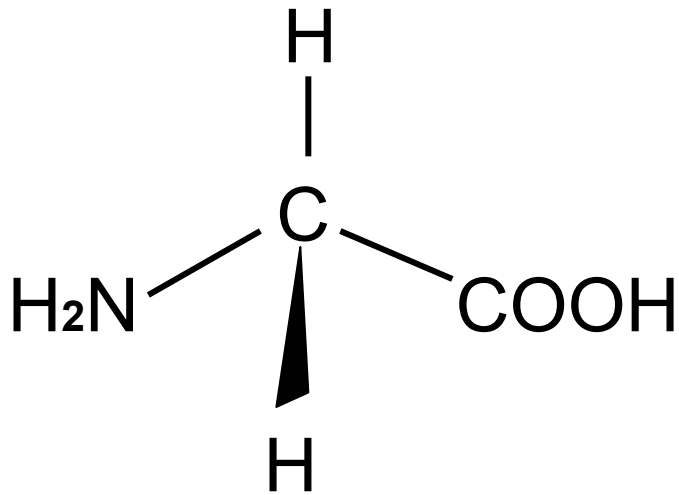
Much Ado About Structure*

- **Structure**  **Function**
- **Structure**  **Mechanism**
- **Structure**  **Origins/Evolution**
- **Structure-based Drug Design**
- **Solving the Protein Folding Problem**

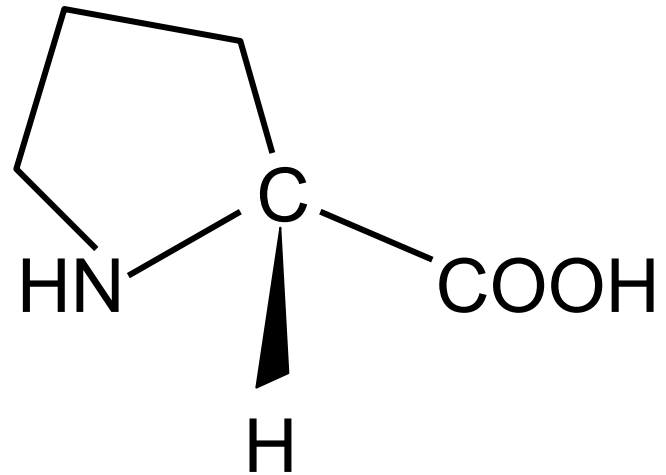
Amino Acids



Glycine and Proline*

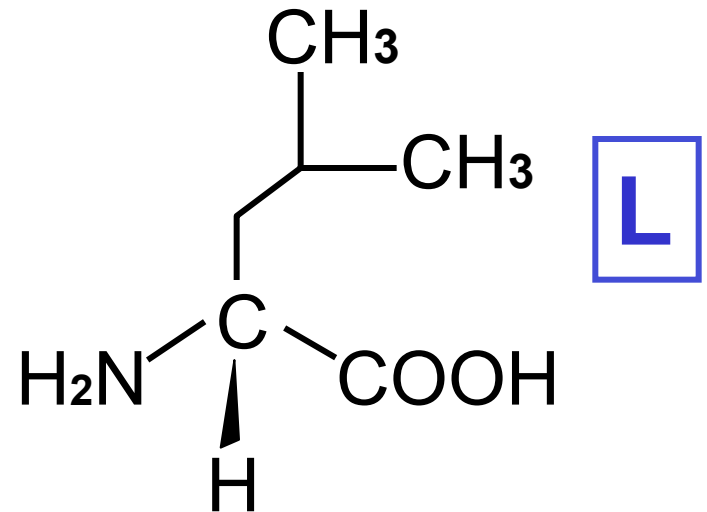
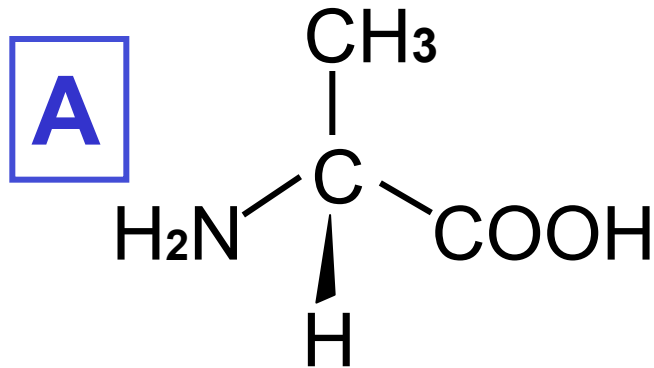
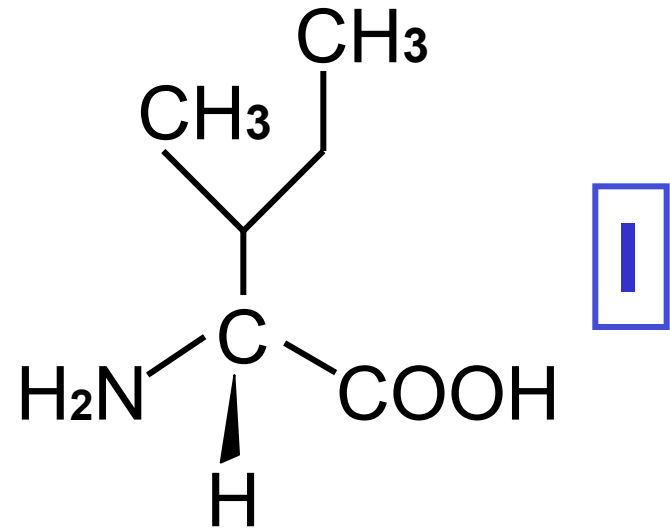
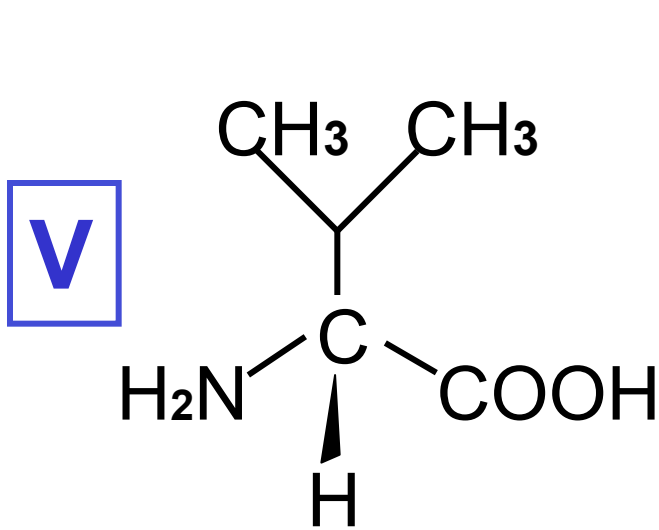


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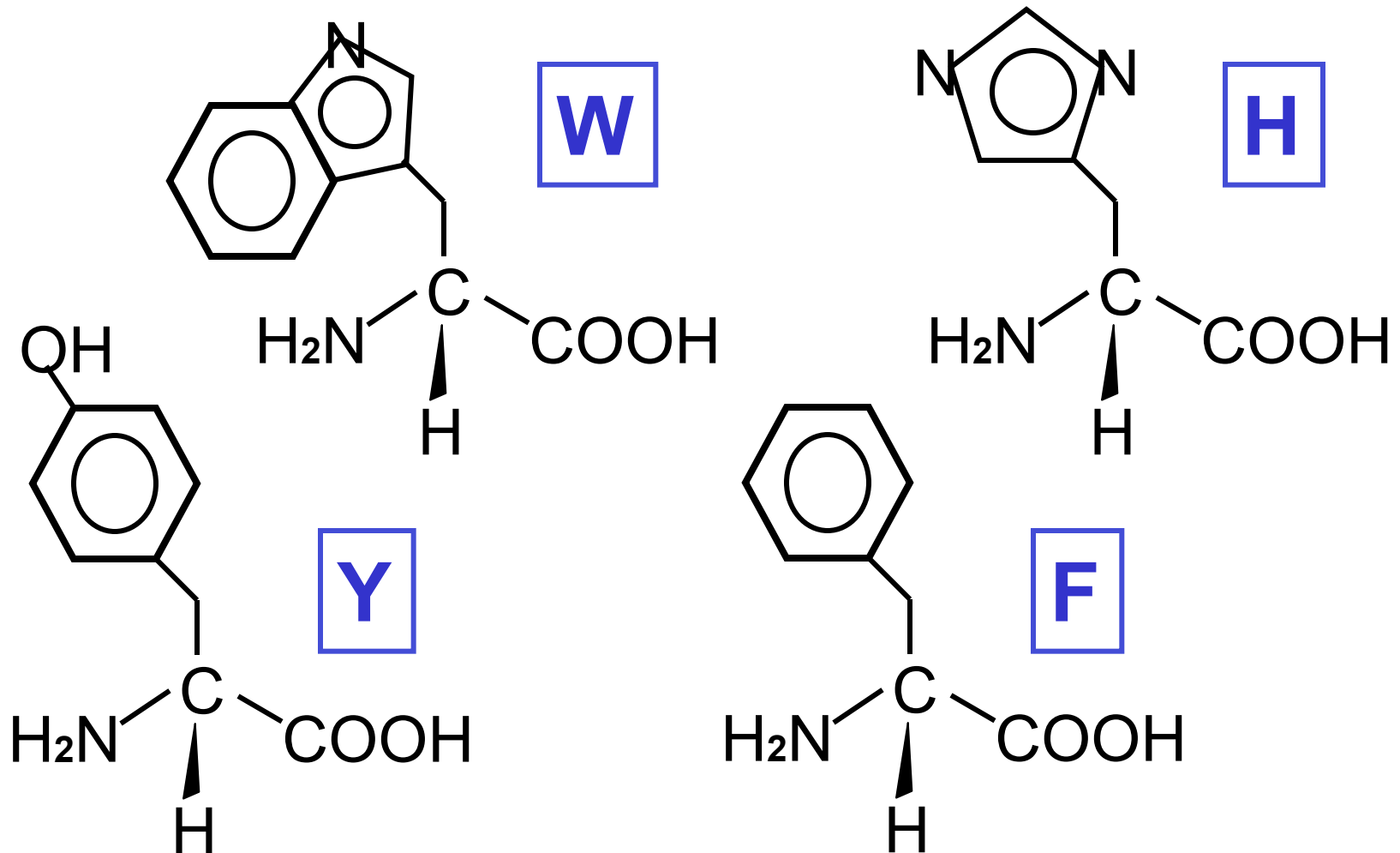


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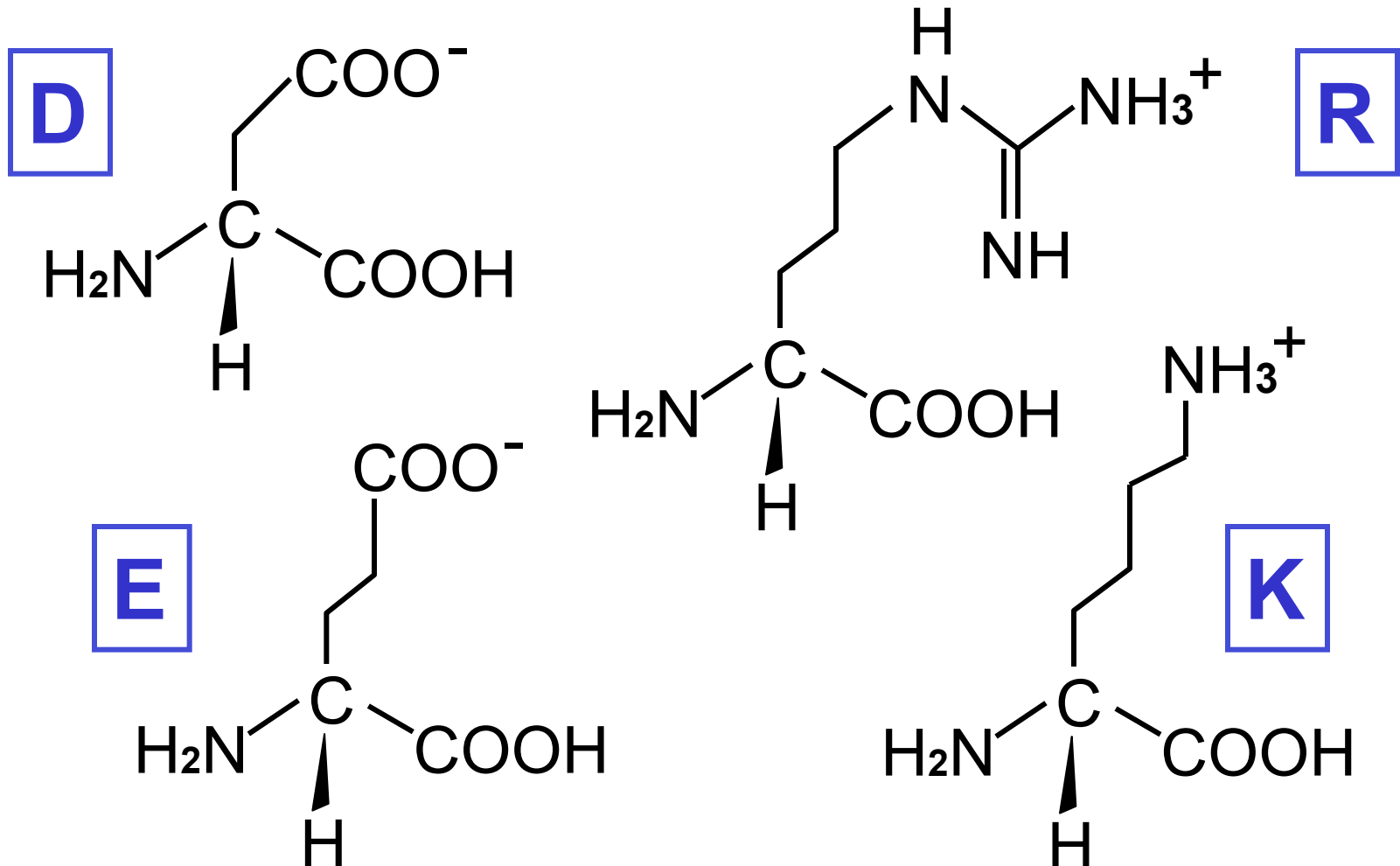
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Aromatic Amino Acids*

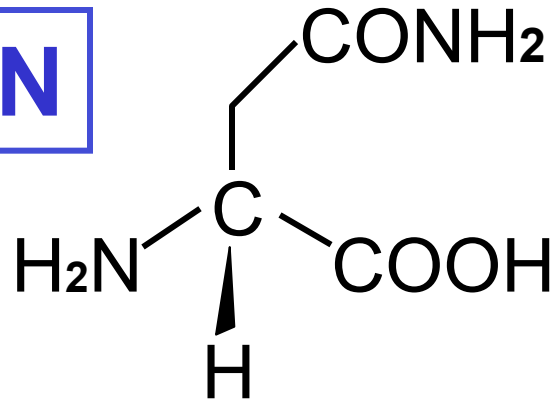


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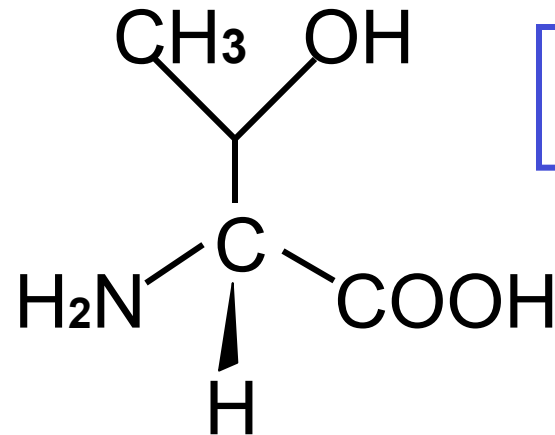


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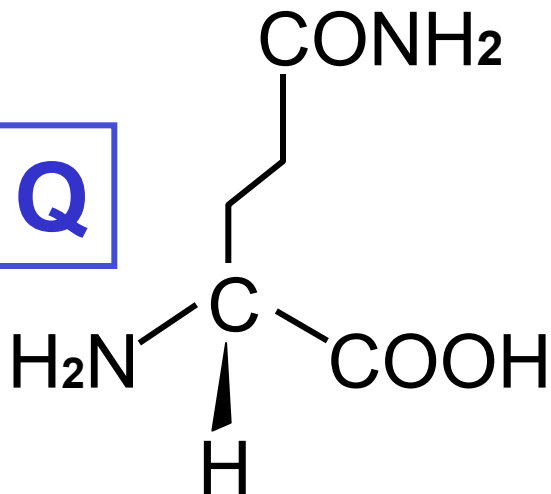
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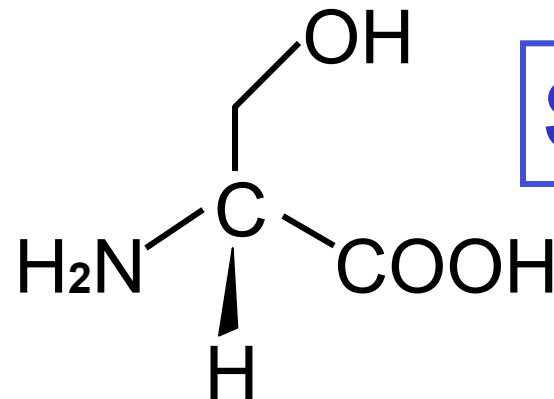
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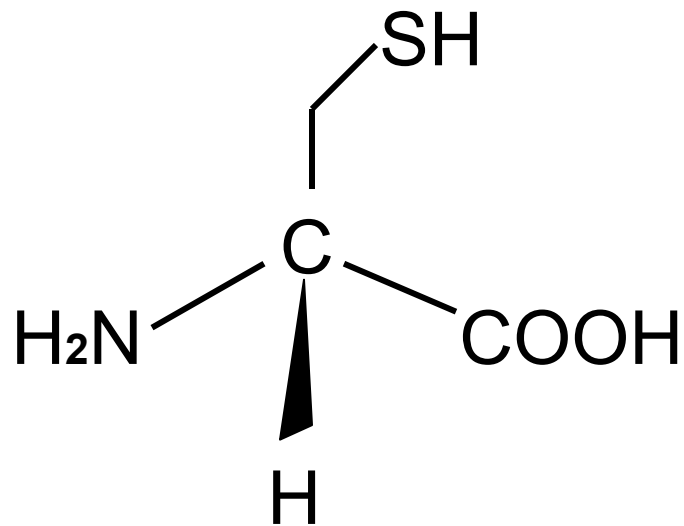
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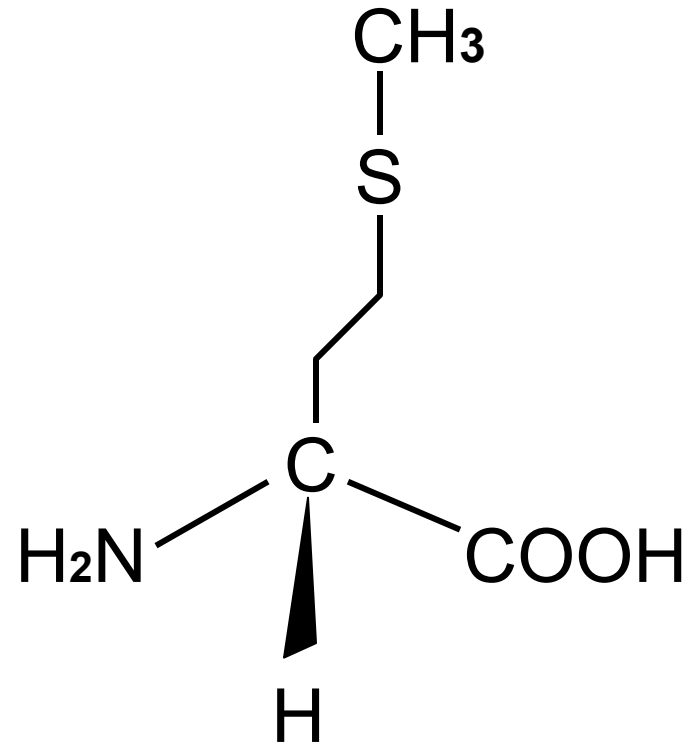
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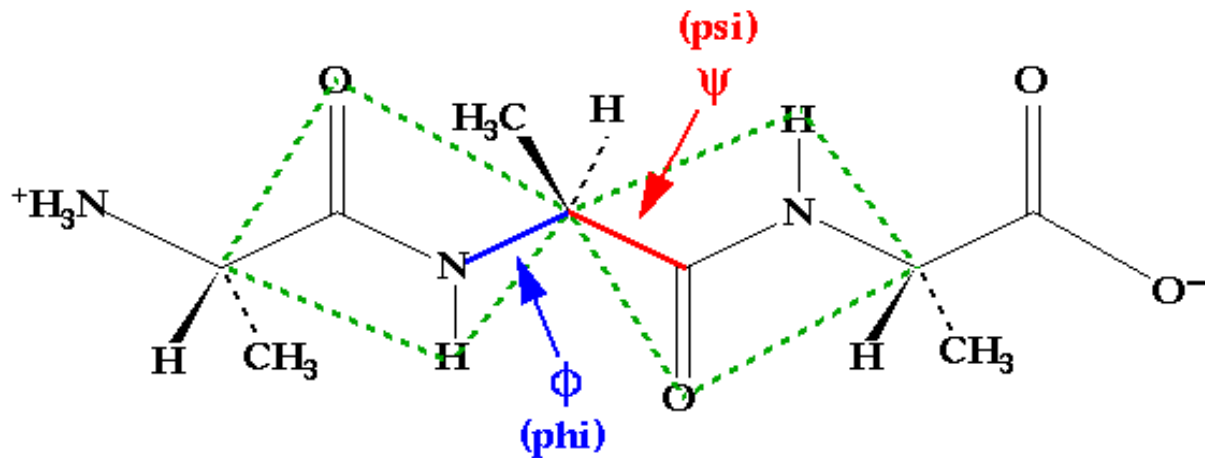
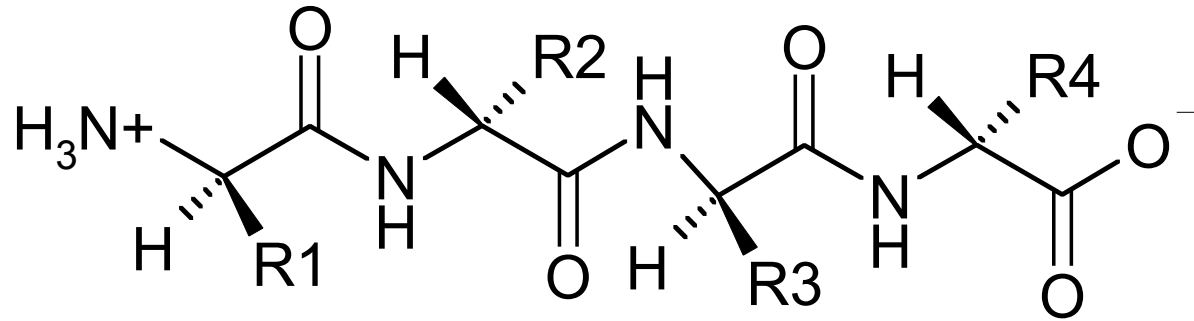


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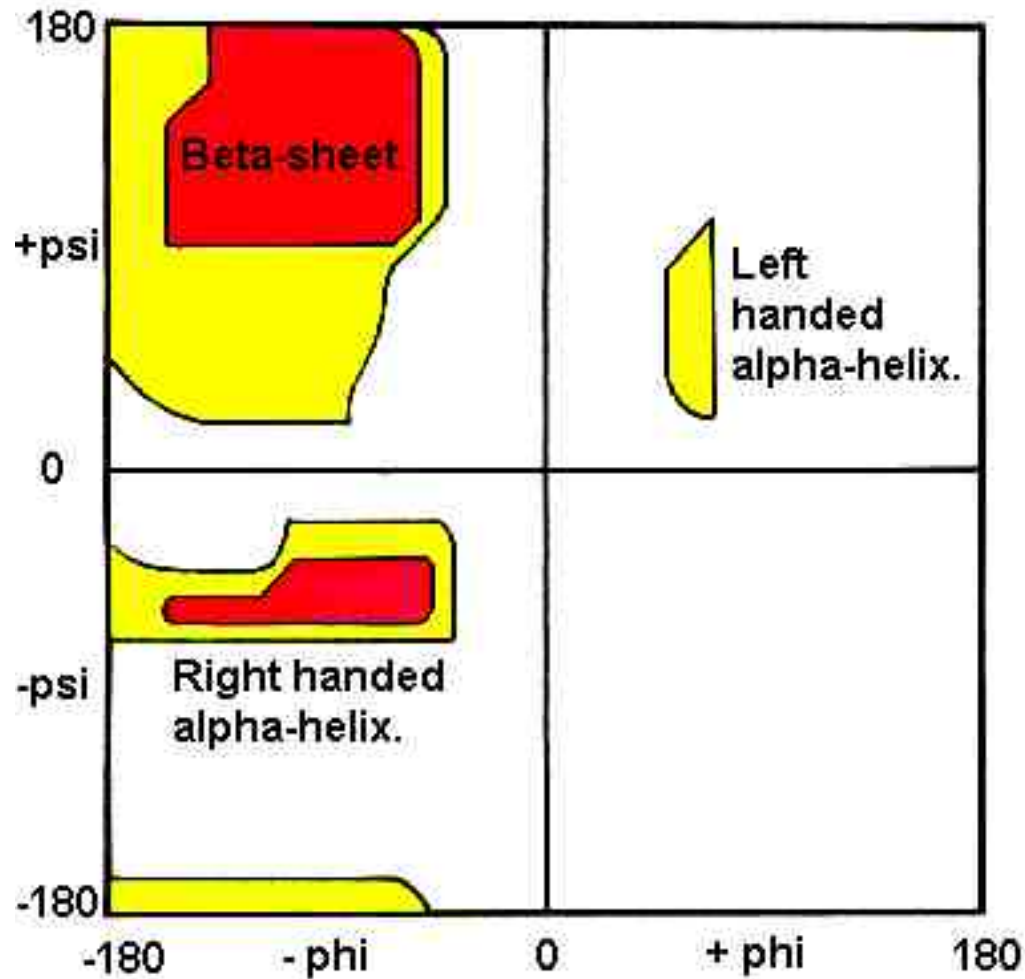
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Polypeptides



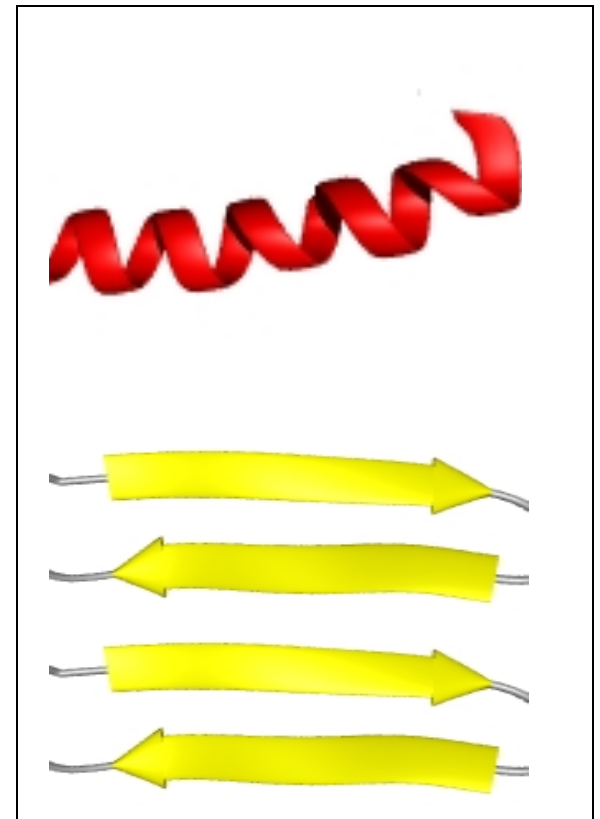
Ramachandran Plot*

The Ramachandran Plot.



Secondary Structure*

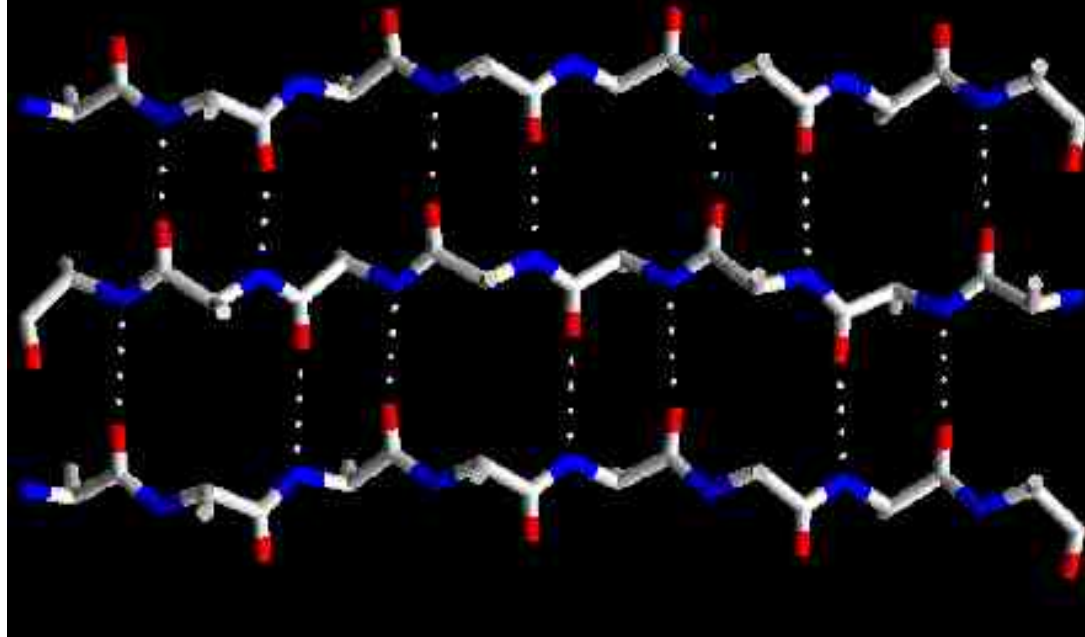
Phi & Psi angles for Regular Secondary Structure Conformations		
Structure	Phi (Φ)	Psi (Ψ)
Antiparallel β -sheet	-139	+135
Parallel β -Sheet	-119	+113
Right-handed α -helix	- 64	- 40
3_{10} helix	-49	-26
π helix	-57	-70
Polyproline I	-83	+158
Polyproline II	-78	+149
Polyglycine II	-80	+150



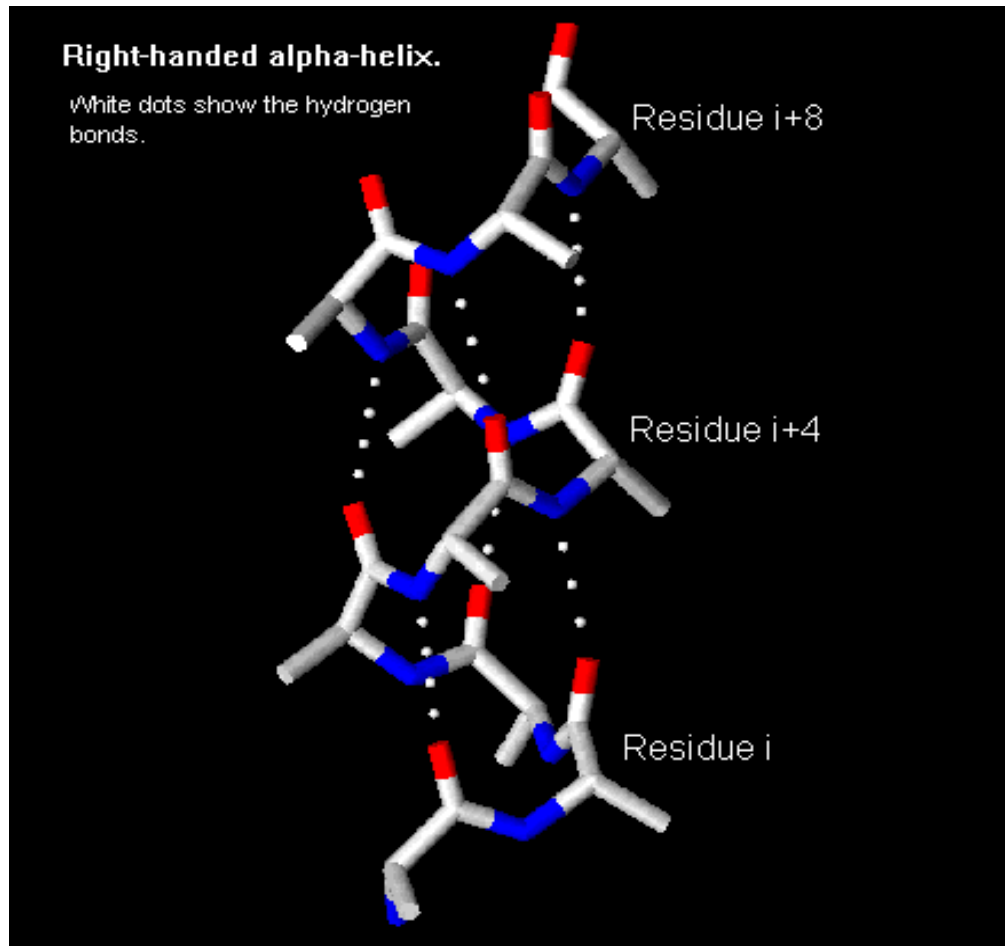
Beta Sheet

Antiparallel Beta-Sheet

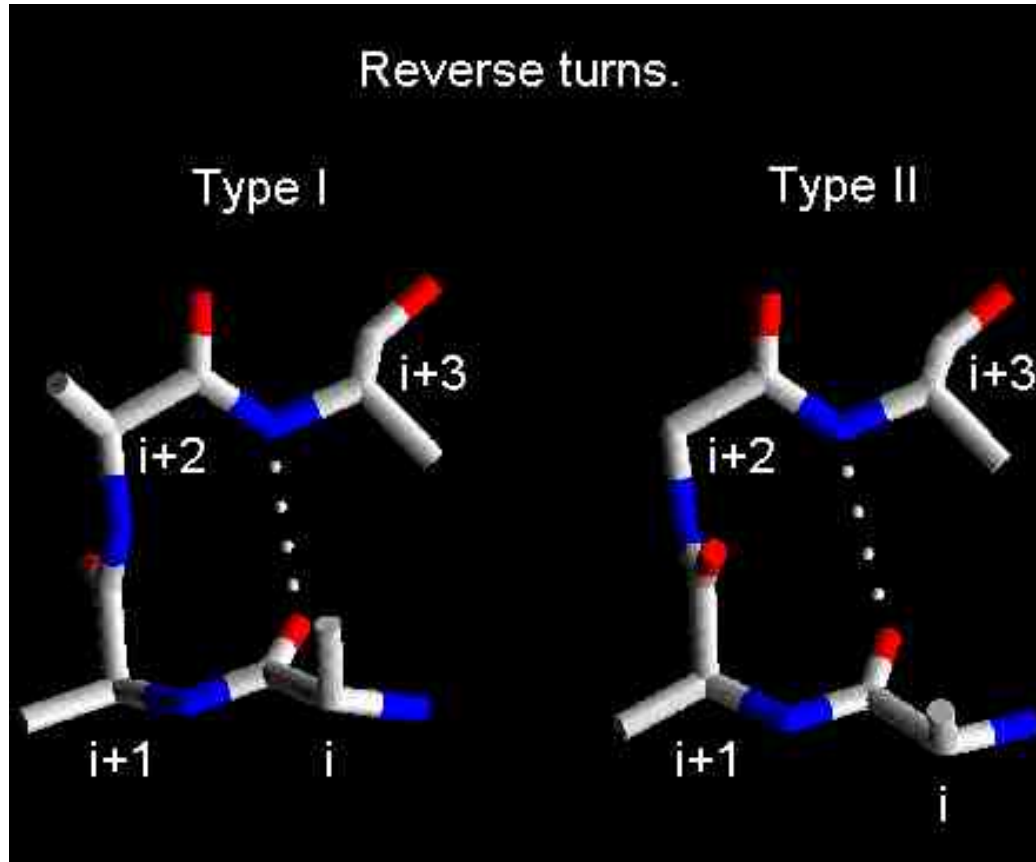
(White dots indicate hydrogen bonds)



Alpha Helix

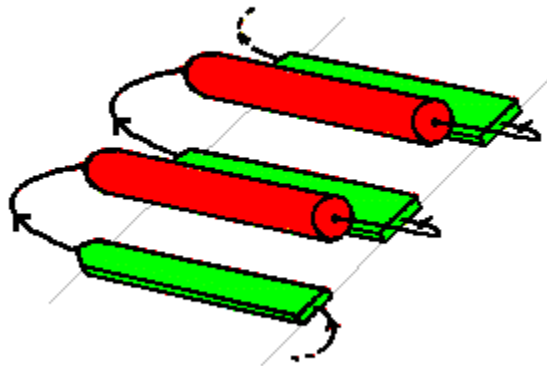


Reverse Turn

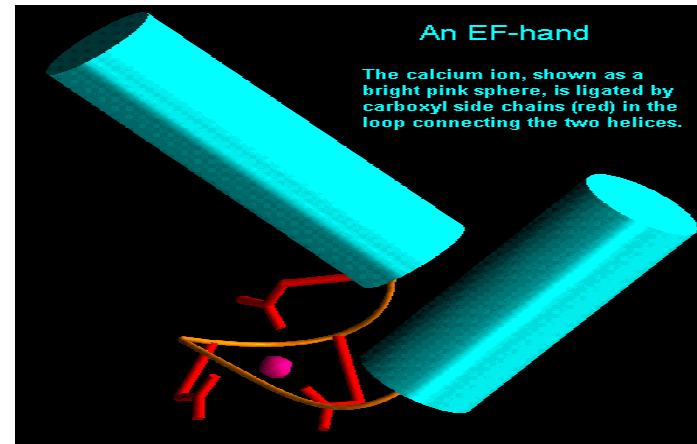
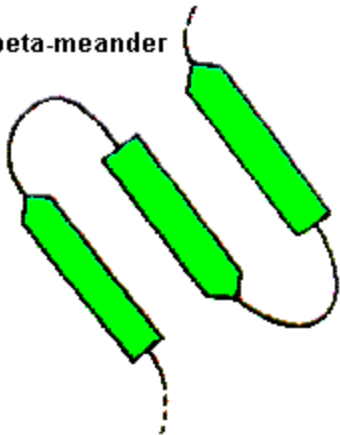


Supersecondary Structure*

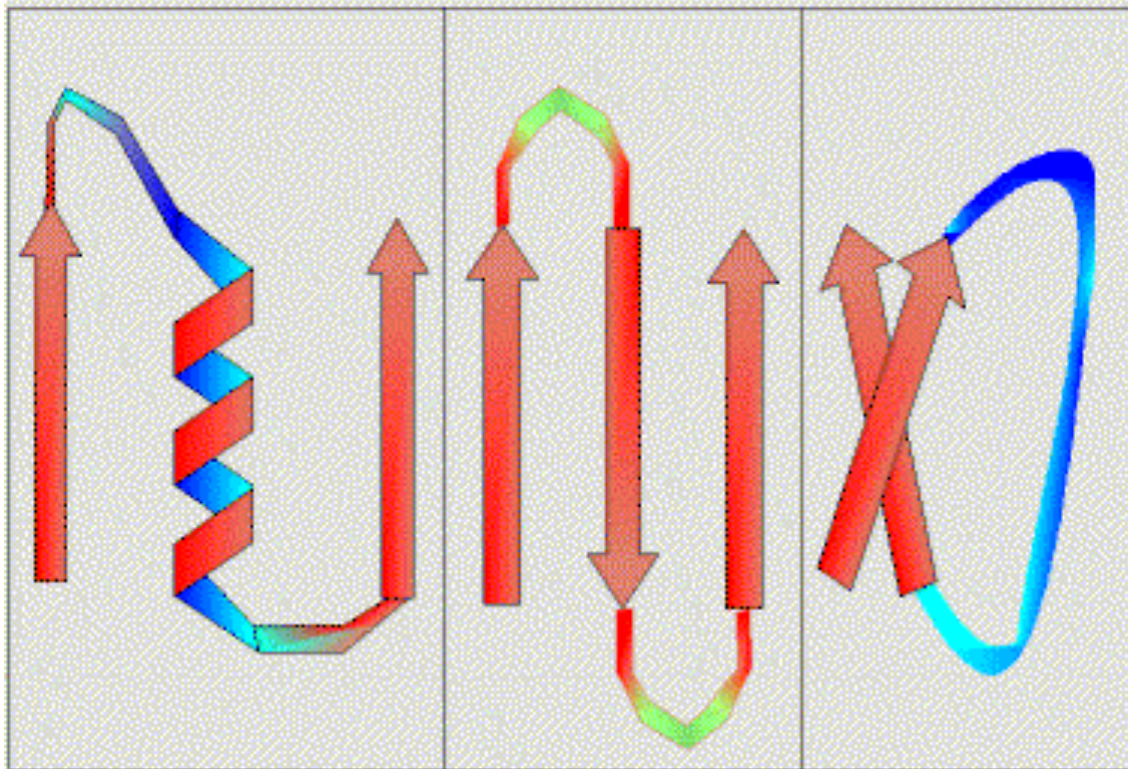
The Rossman fold



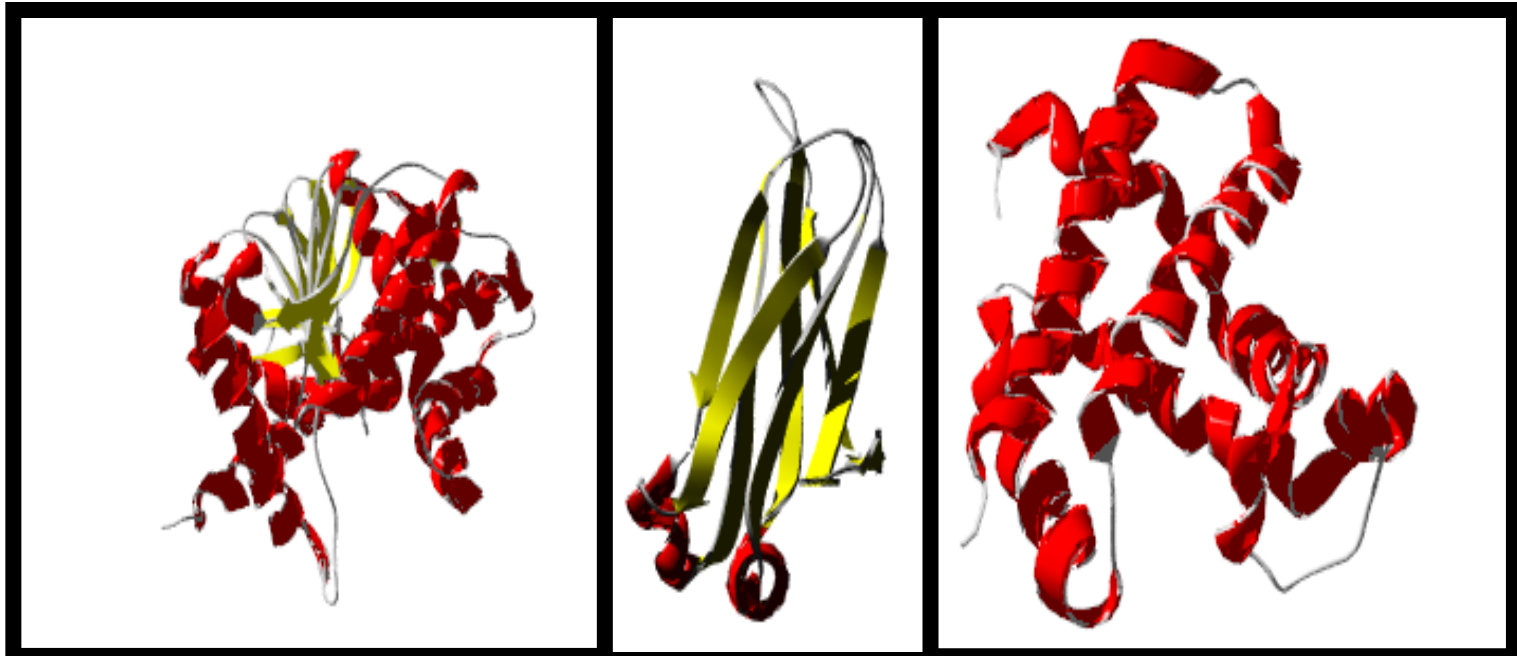
A beta-meander



Supersecondary Structure



Tertiary Structure*



Lactate
Dehydrogenase:
Mixed α / β

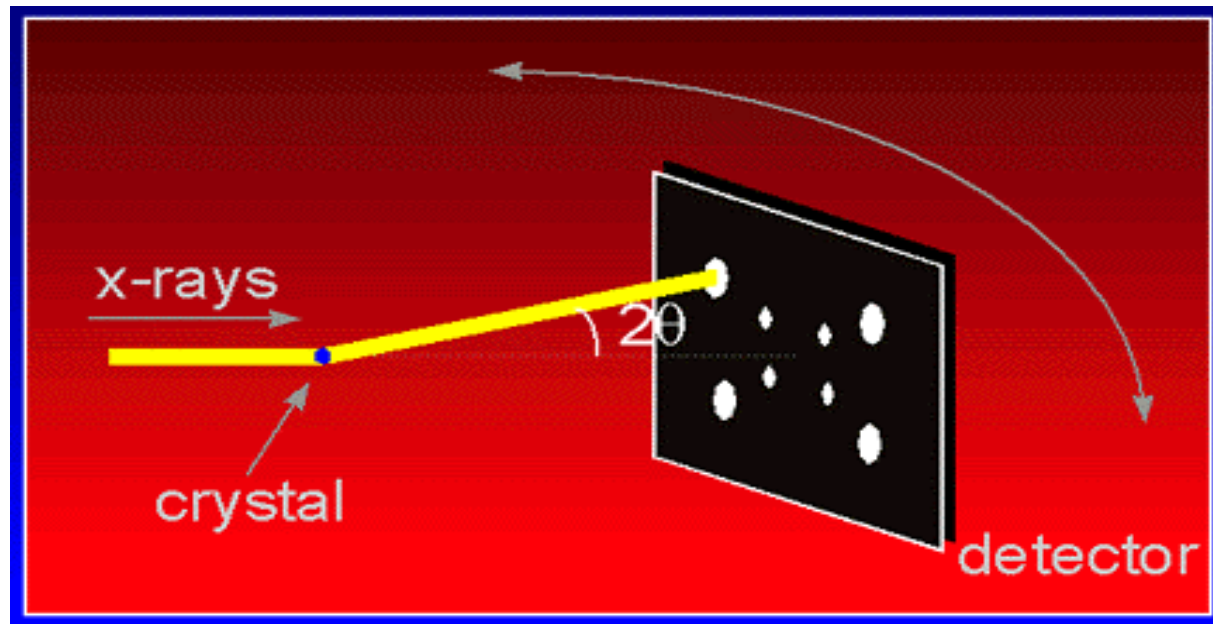
Immunoglobulin
Fold: β

Hemoglobin B
Chain: α

Solving Protein Structures*

- **Only 2 kinds of techniques allow one to get atomic resolution pictures of macromolecules**
- **X-ray Crystallography (first applied in 1961 - Kendrew & Perutz)**
- **NMR Spectroscopy (first applied in 1983 - Ernst & Wuthrich)**

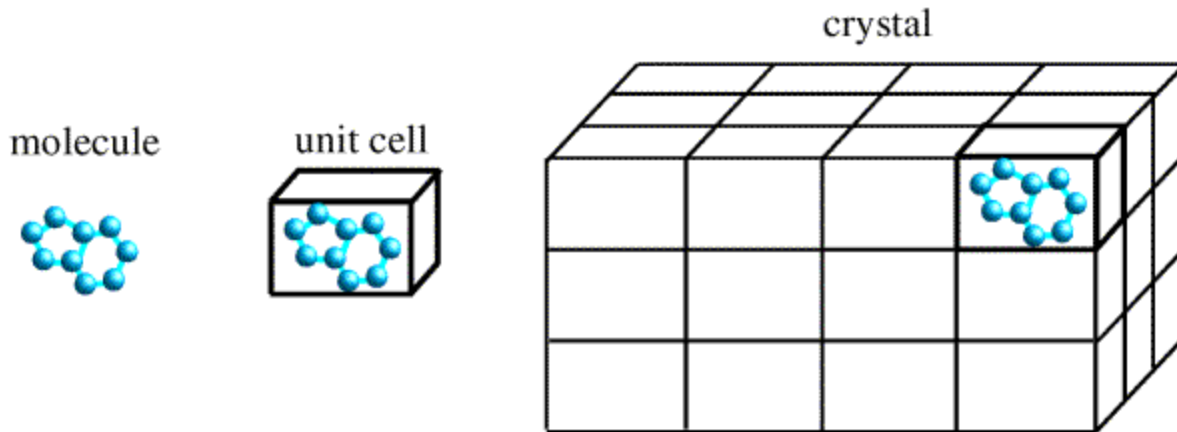
X-ray Crystallography



X-ray Crystallography*

- **Crystallization**
- **Diffraction Apparatus**
- **Diffraction Principles**
- **Conversion of Diffraction Data to Electron Density**
- **Resolution**
- **Chain Tracing**

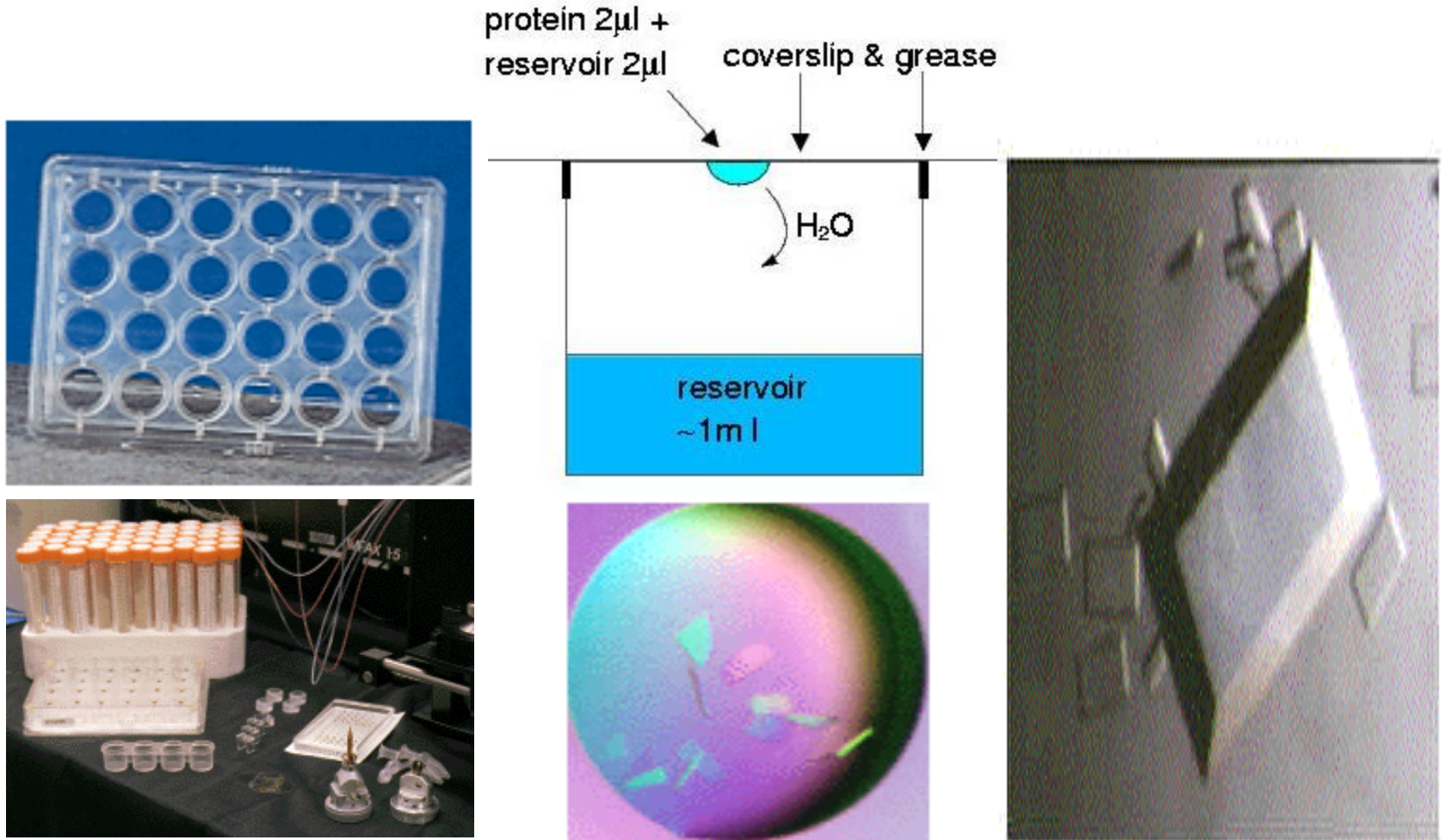
Crystallization



Protein Crystal

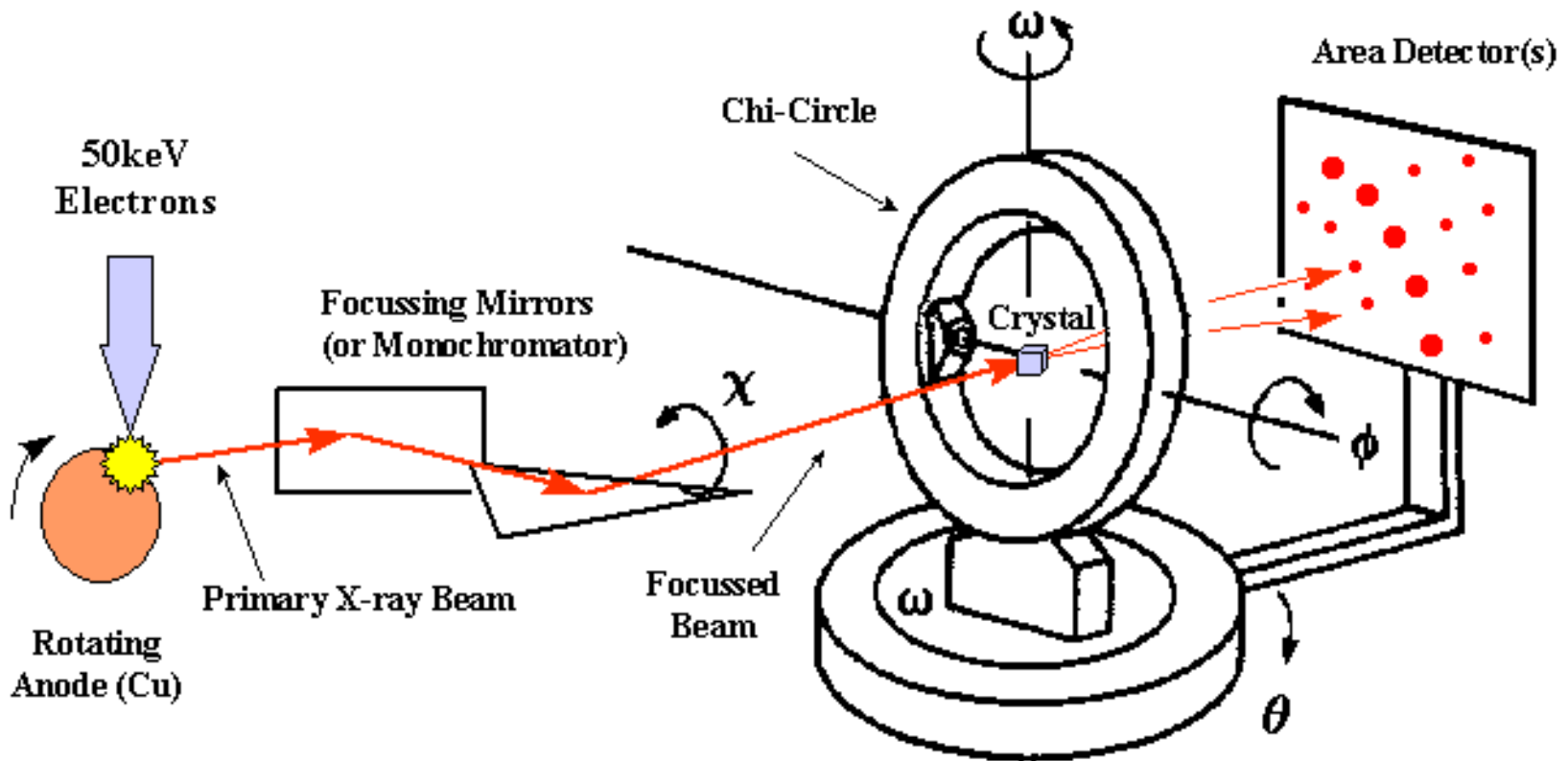
Protein crystallization proceeds in two steps. The first step screens precipitants and conditions that lead to protein precipitation. The second step tries to refine the precipitation steps so that the protein crystallizes instead of precipitating

Crystallization*



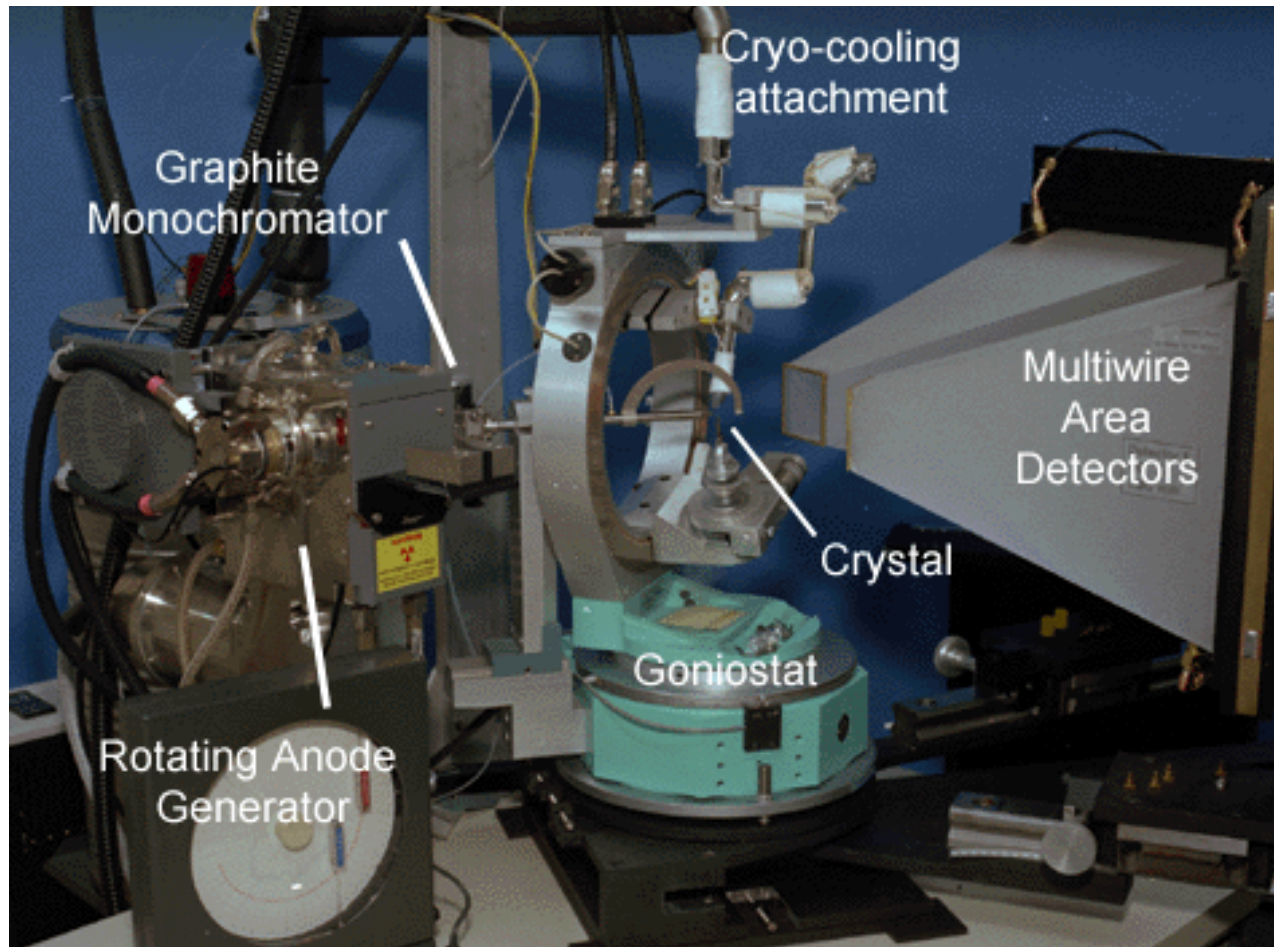
Hanging Drop Experiment for Crystallization

Diffraction Apparatus*

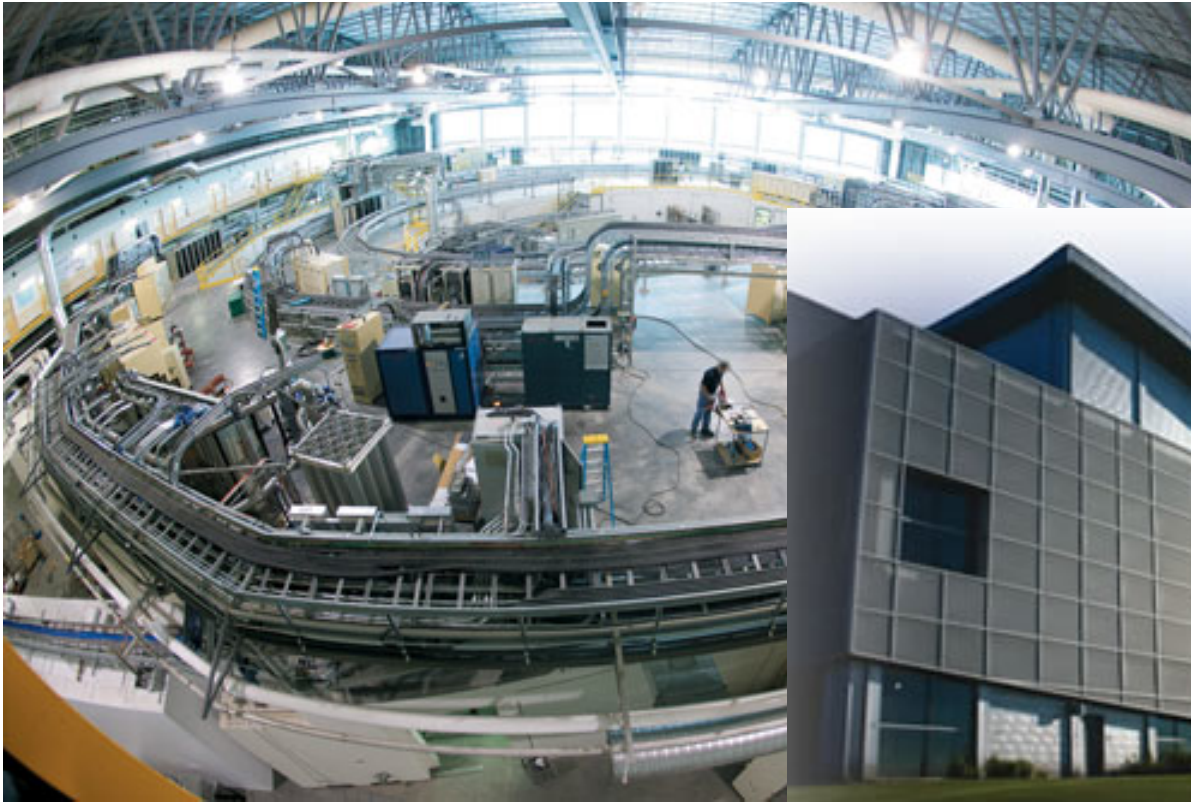


4-Circle Goniometer (Eulerian or Kappa Geometry)

Diffraction Apparatus

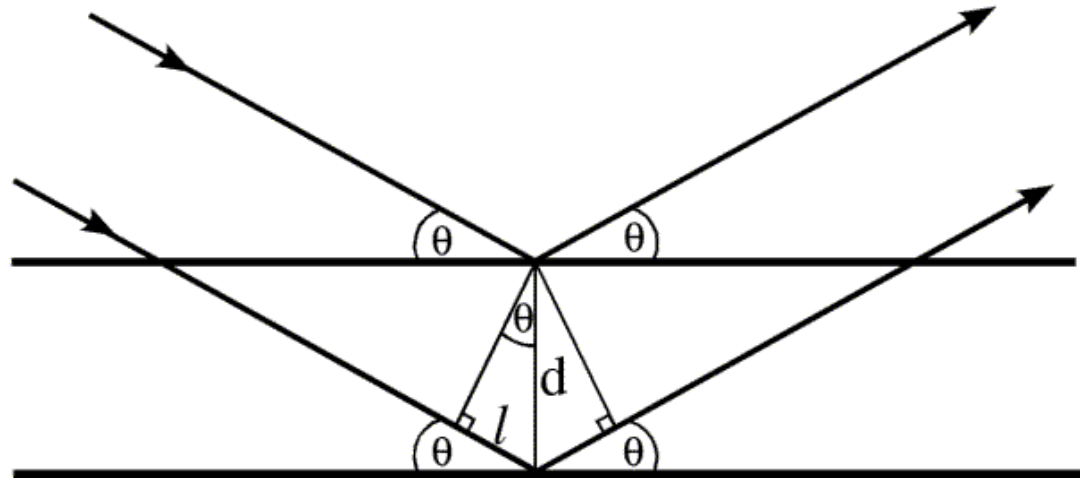
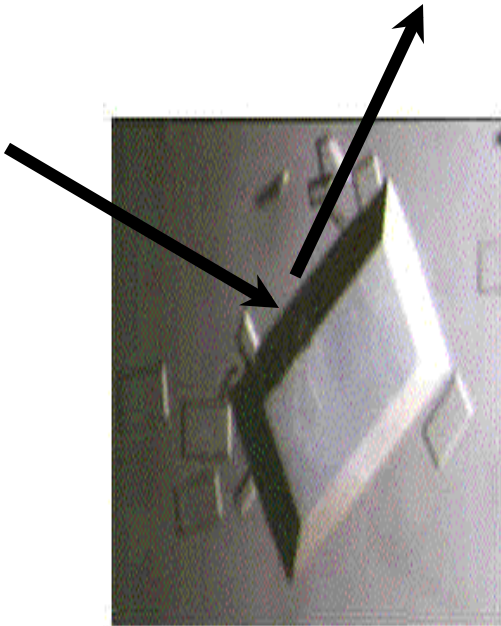


A Bigger Diffraction Apparatus



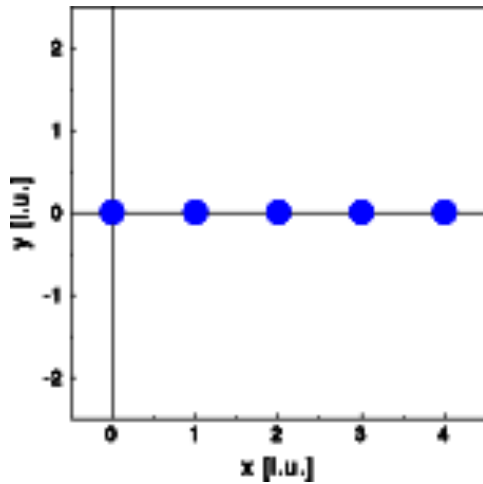
Synchrotron Light Source

Diffraction Principles*

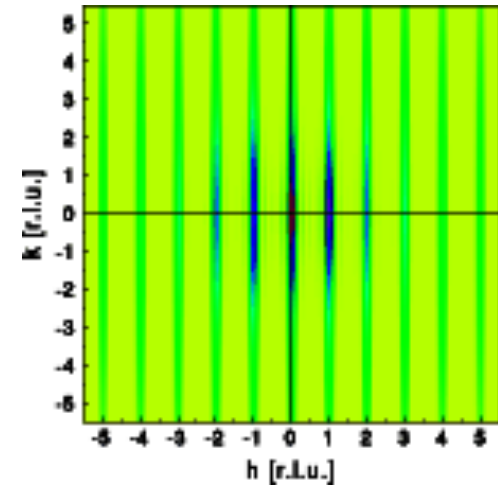
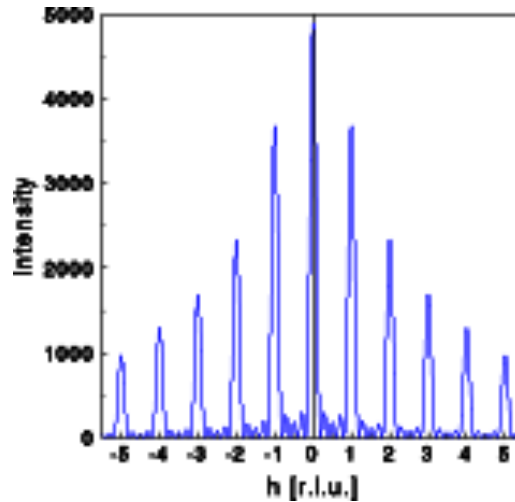


$$n\lambda = 2d\sin\theta$$

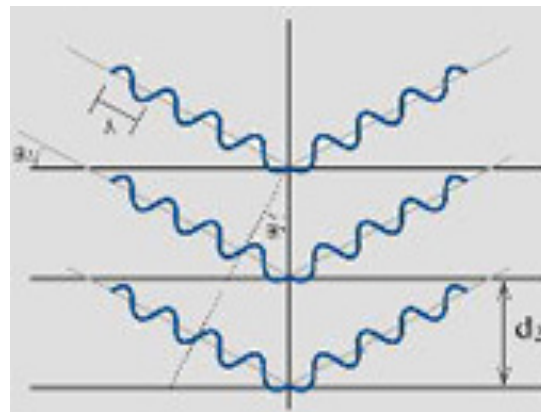
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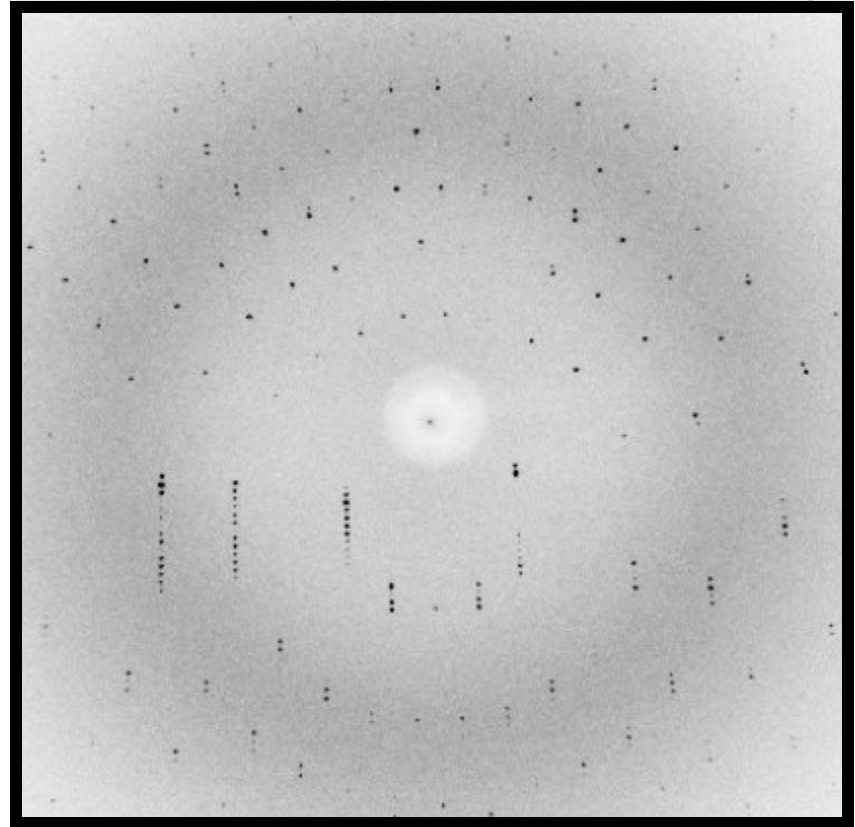
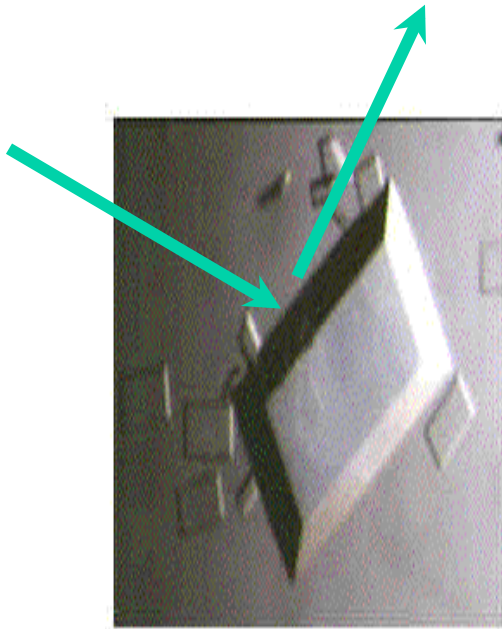
A string of atoms



**Corresponding
Diffraction Pattern**

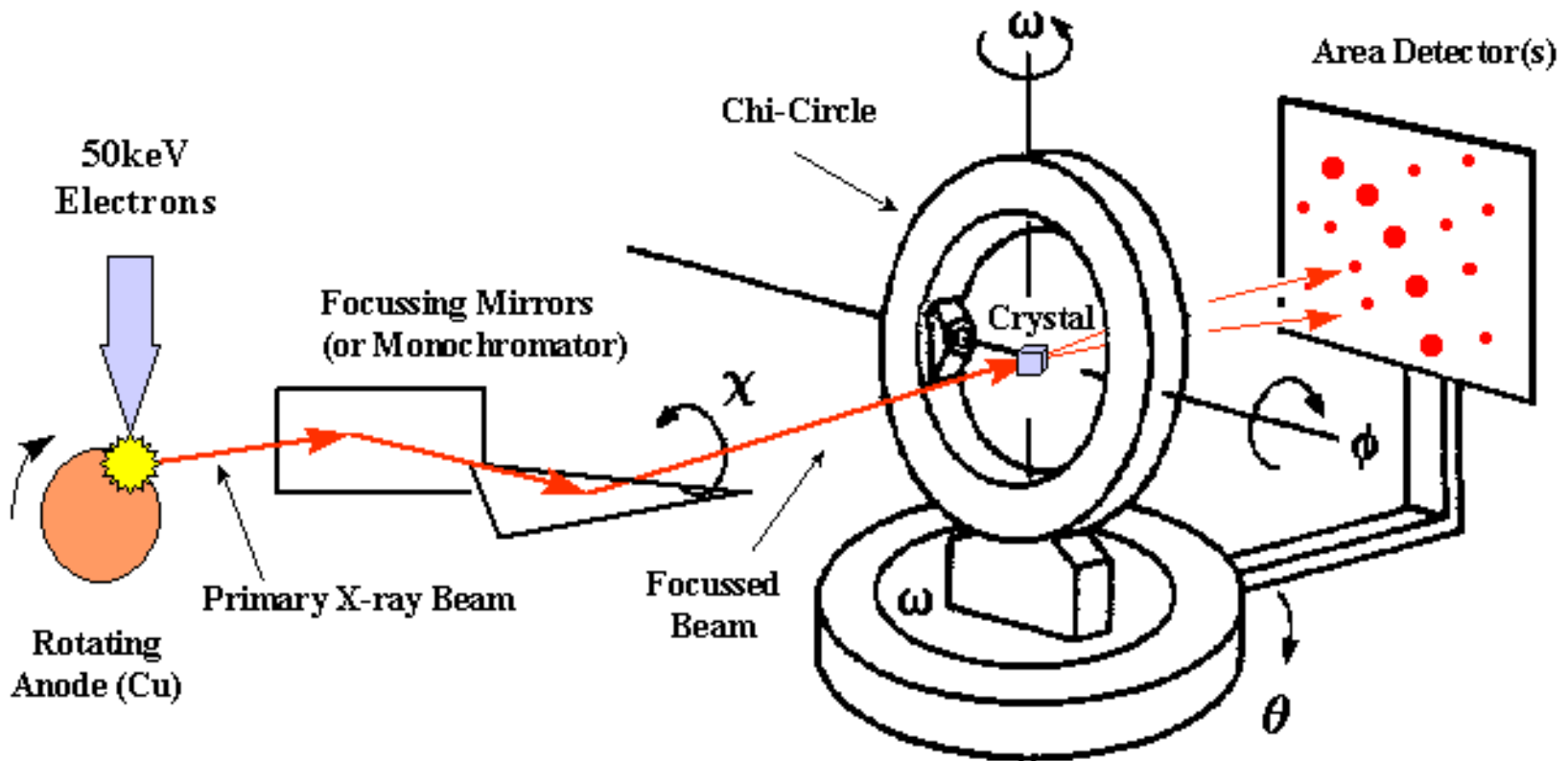


Protein Crystal Diffraction



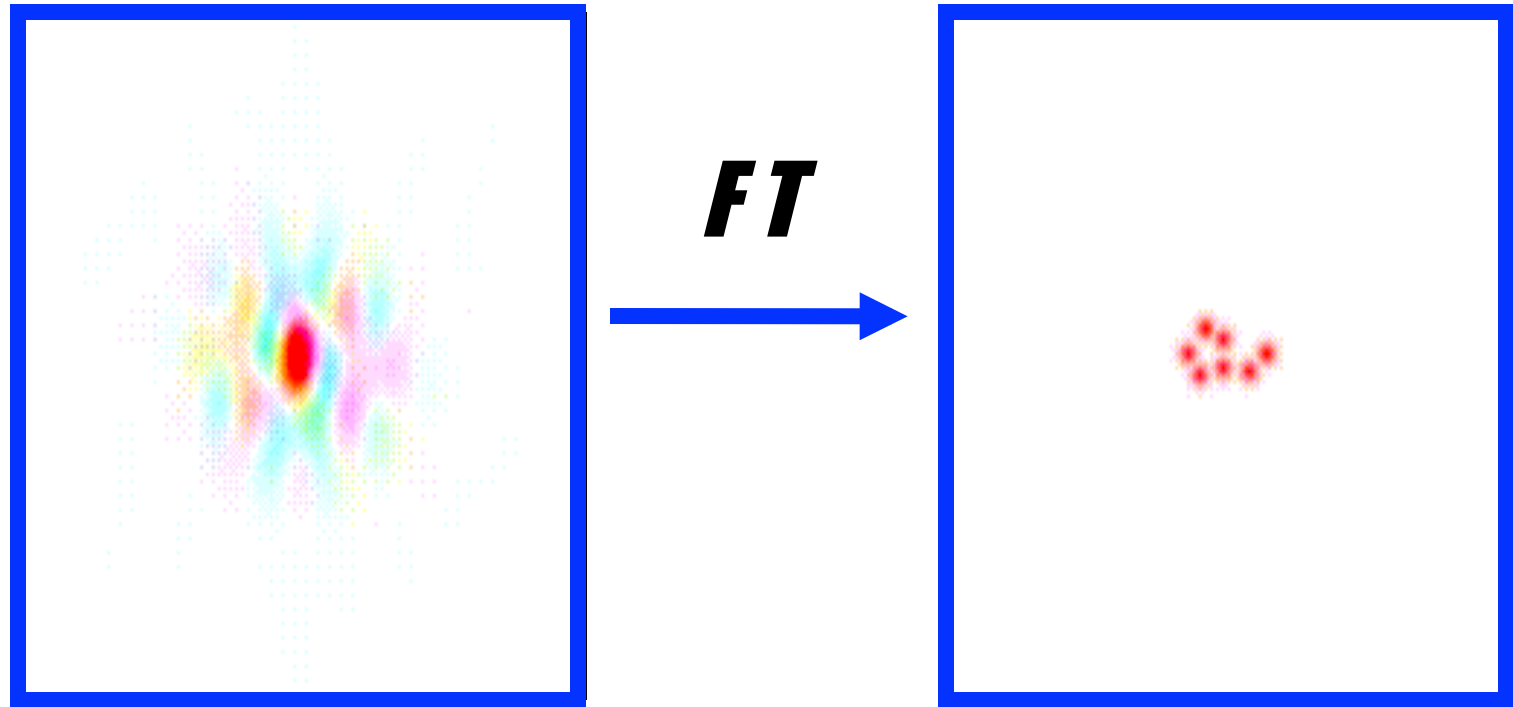
Diffraction Pattern

Diffraction Apparatus

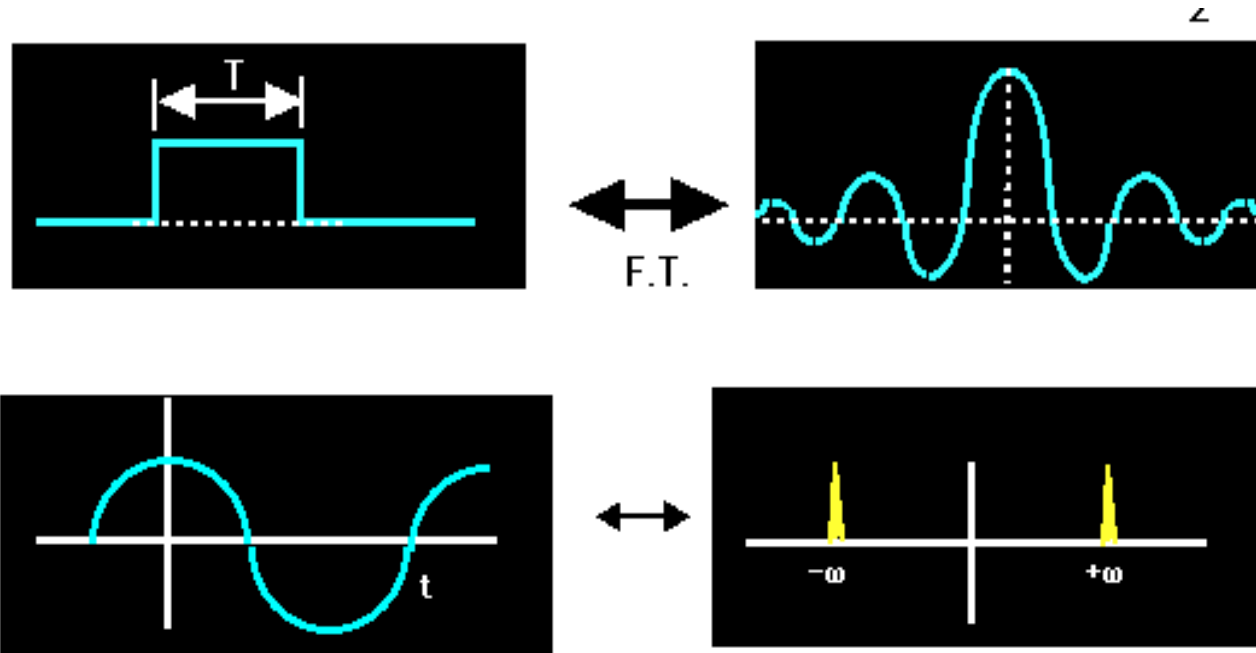


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Converting Diffraction Data to Electron Density



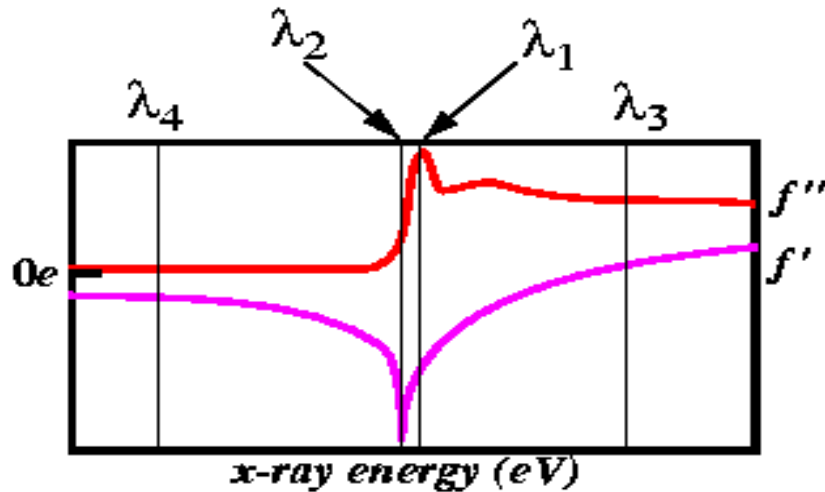
Fourier Transformation*



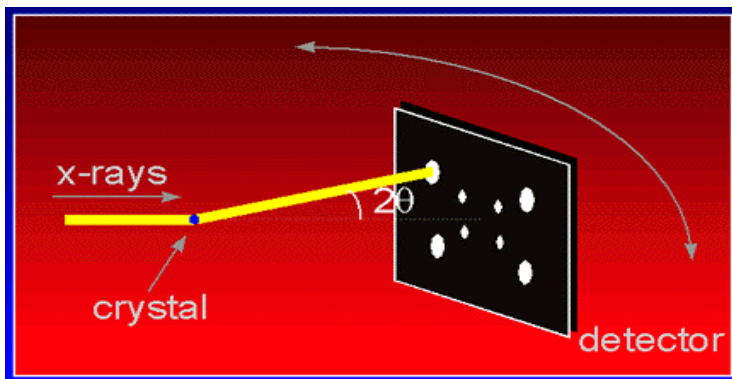
$$F(x,y,z) = \int f(hkl) e^{i(xyz)(hkl)} d(hkl)$$

Converts from units of inverse space to cartesian coordinates

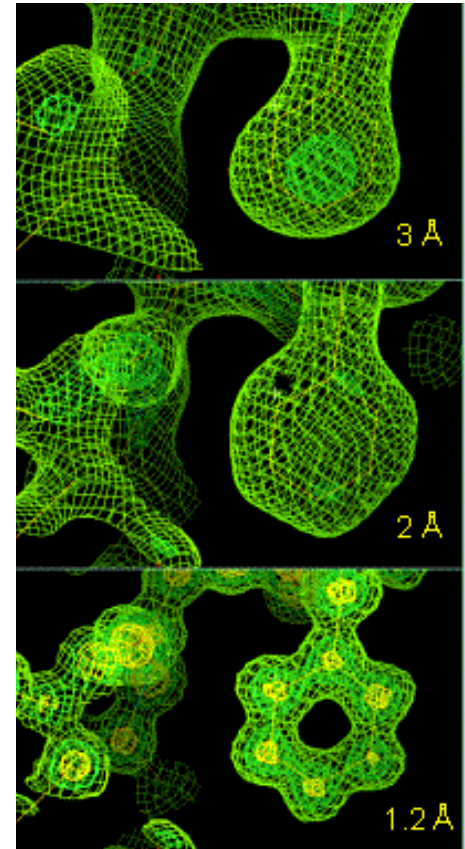
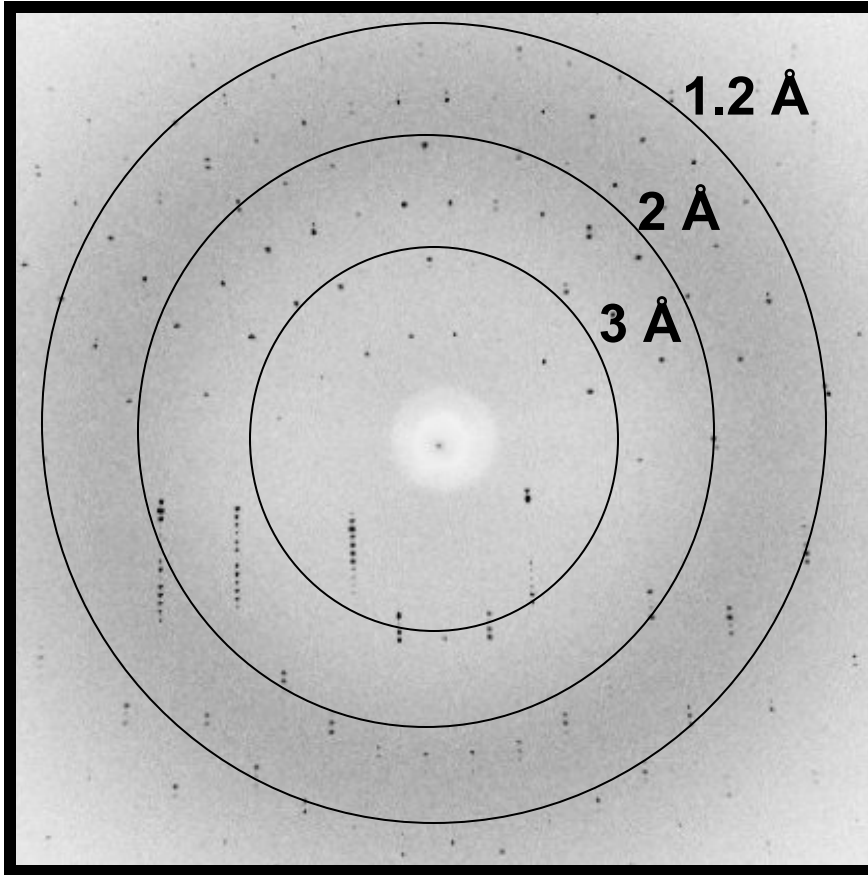
MAD & X-ray Crystallography*



- MAD (Multiwavelength Anomalous Dispersion)
- Requires synchrotron beam lines
- Requires protein with multiple scattering centres (selenomethionine labeled)
- Allows rapid phasing
- Proteins can now be “solved” in just 1-2 days

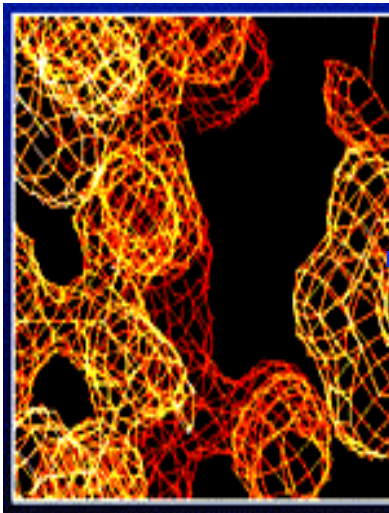


Resolution*

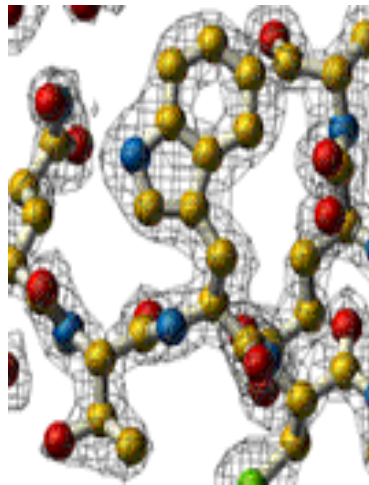


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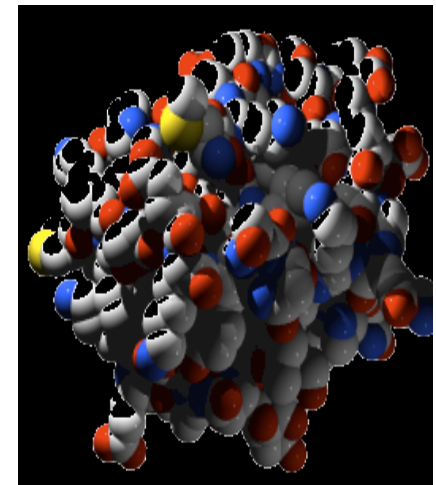
Chain Tracing



**Electron
Density**



**Chain
Trace**



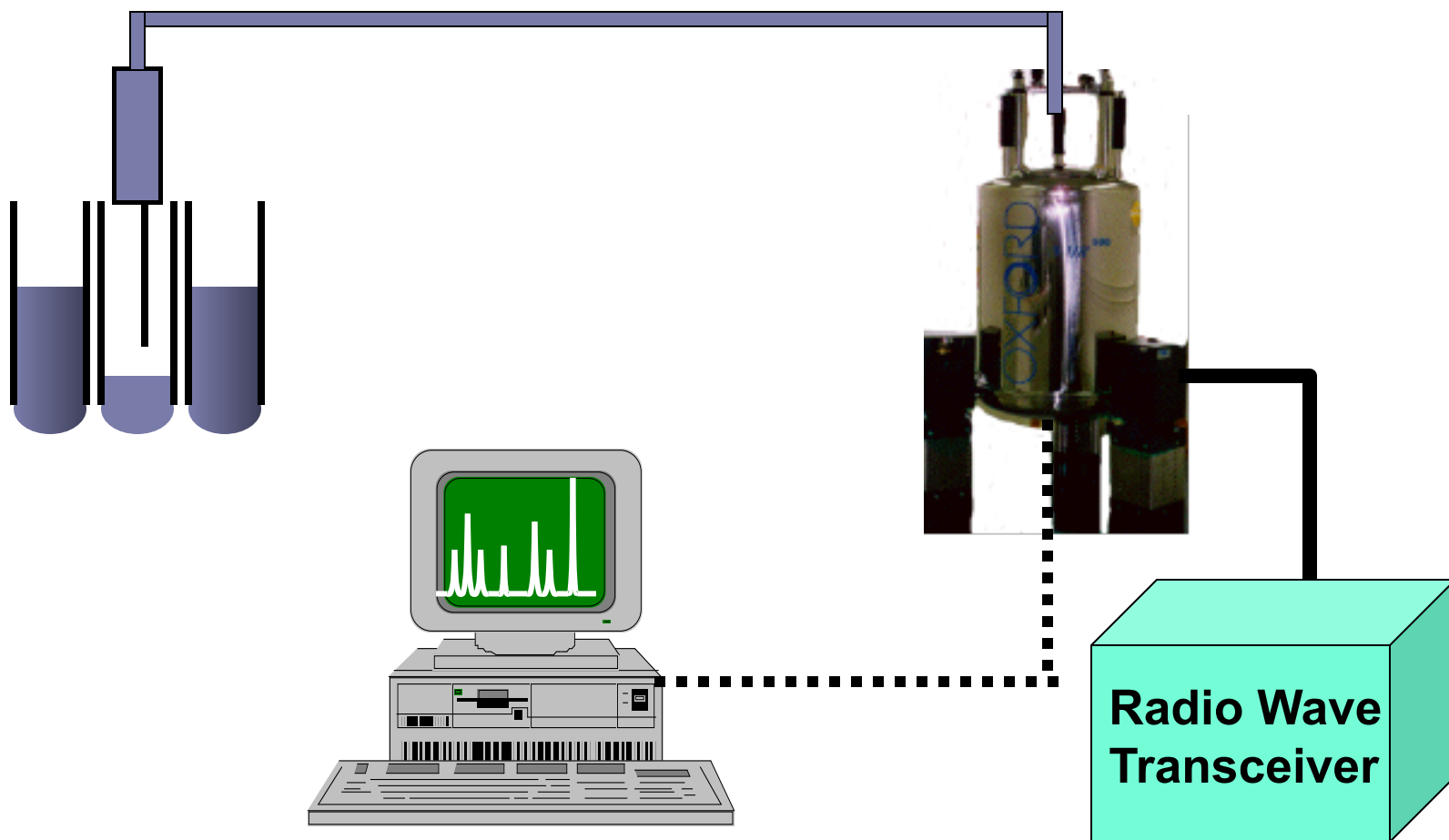
**Final
Model**

The Final Result

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ATOM	8	CA	ASP	A	2	19.395	26.125	-0.949	1.00	21.57	2TRX	159
ATOM	9	C	ASP	A	2	20.264	26.214	0.297	1.00	20.89	2TRX	160
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<http://www.ruppweb.org/Xray/101index.html>

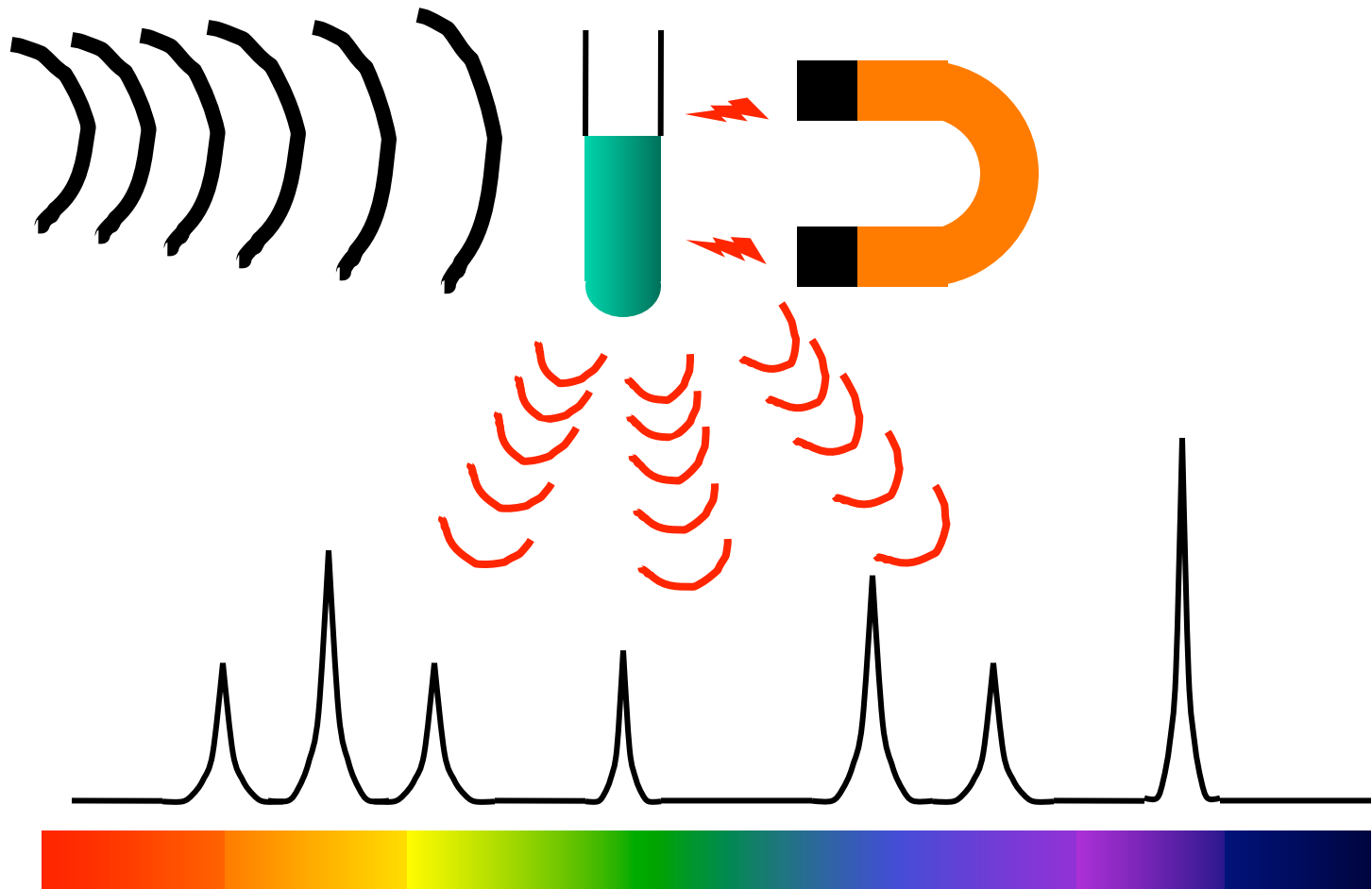
NMR Spectroscopy



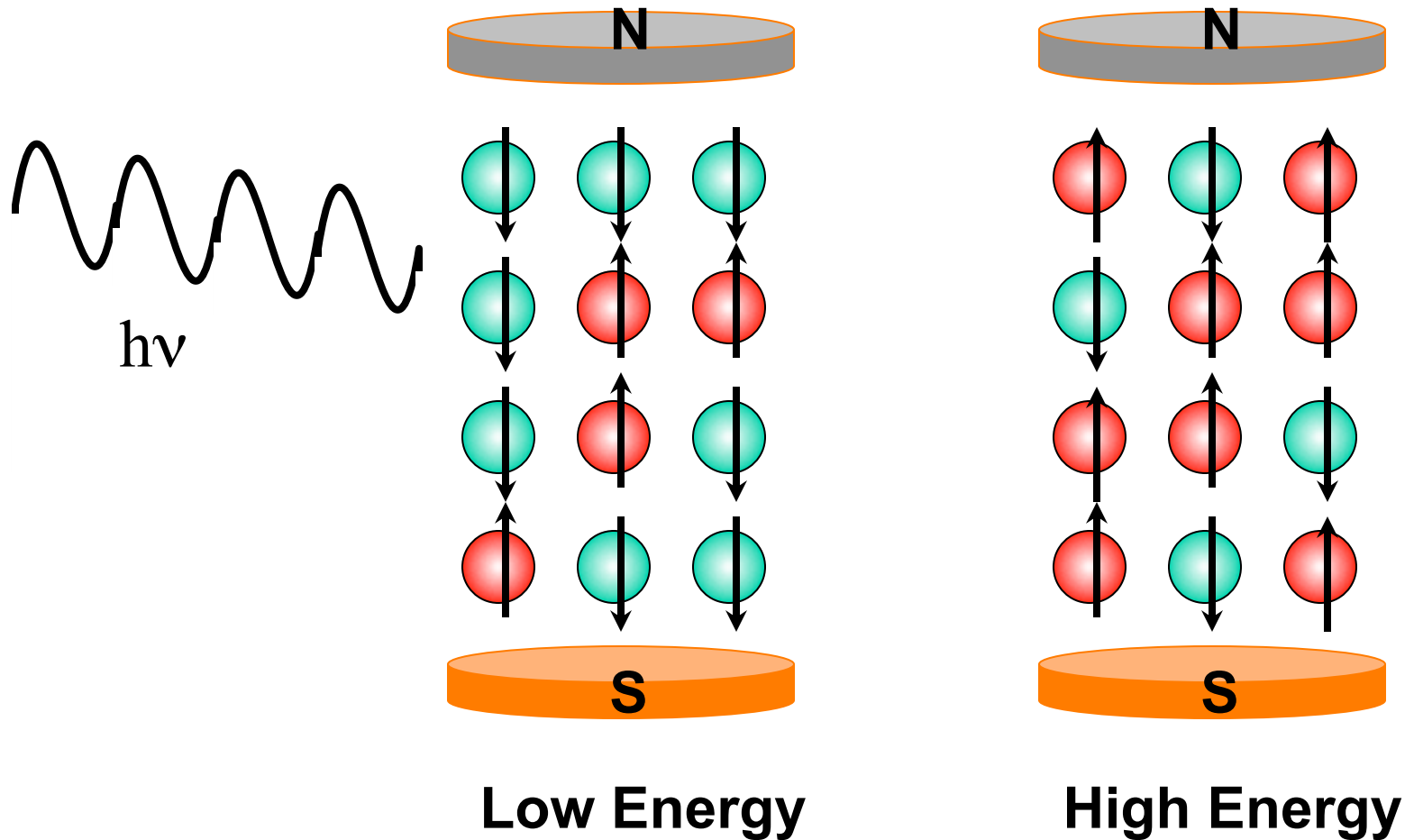
Principles of NMR*

- Measures **nuclear** magnetism or changes in nuclear magnetism in a molecule
- NMR spectroscopy measures the absorption of light (radio waves) due to changes in nuclear spin orientation
- NMR only occurs when a sample is in a strong magnetic field
- Different nuclei absorb at different energies (frequencies)

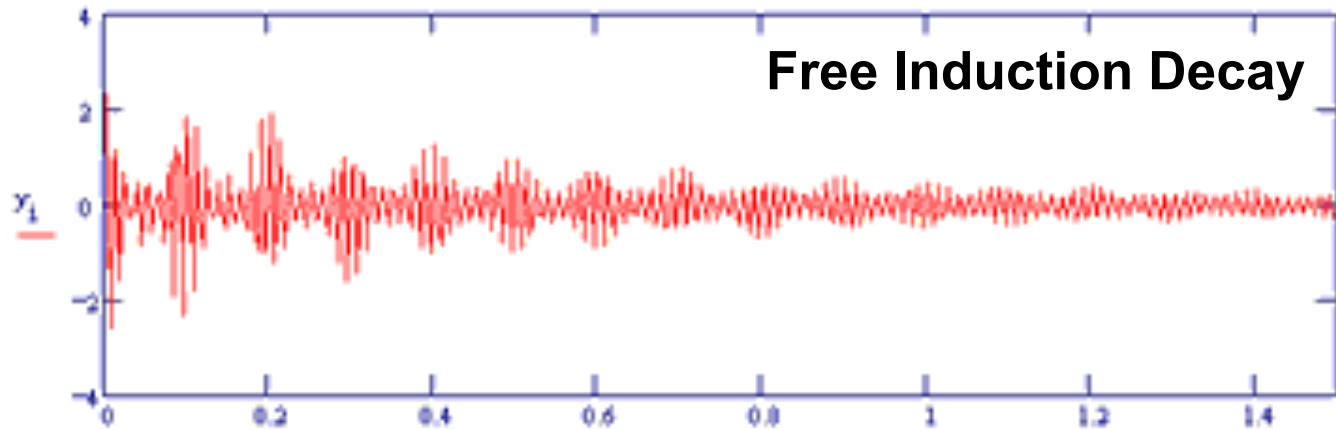
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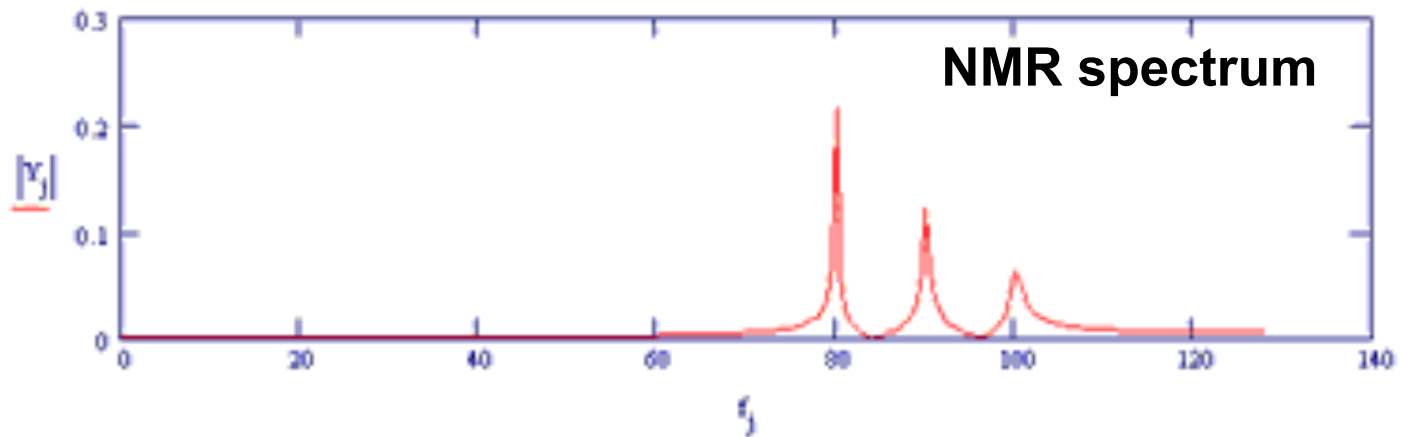
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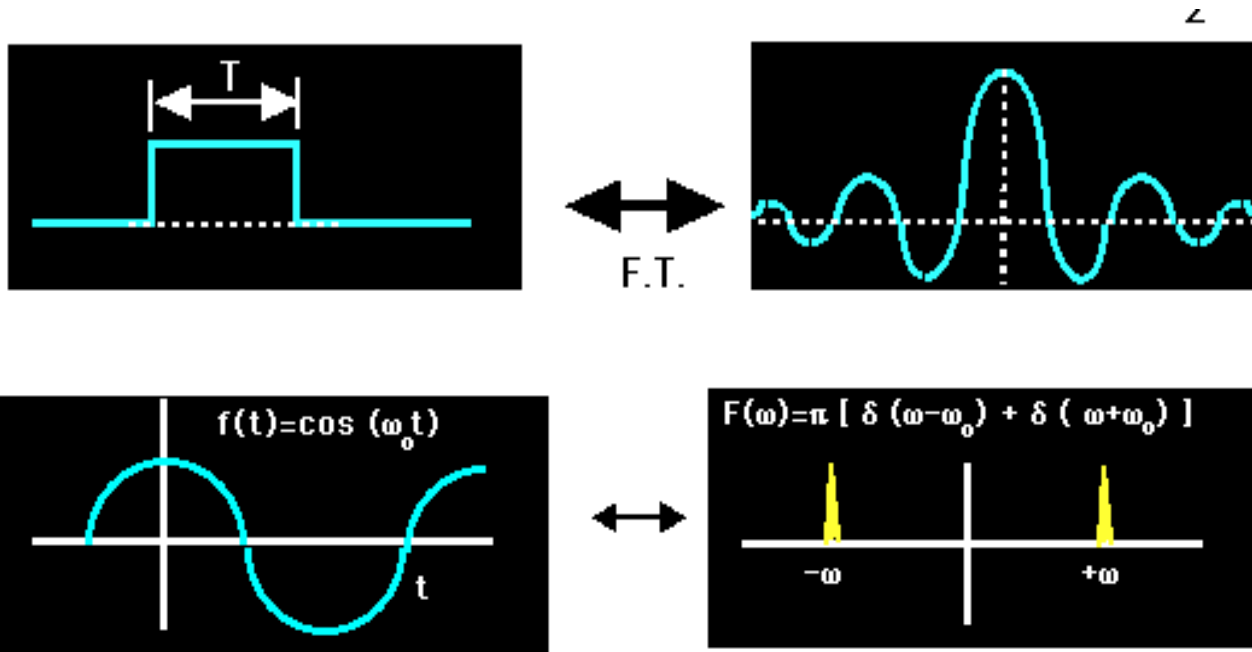
FT NMR



FT \downarrow



Fourier Transformation*

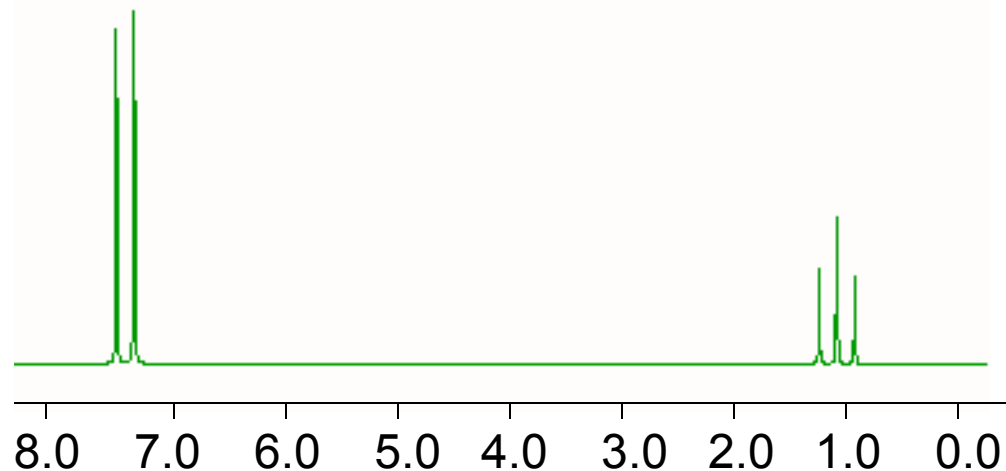


$$F(\omega) = \int f(t) e^{i\omega t} dt$$

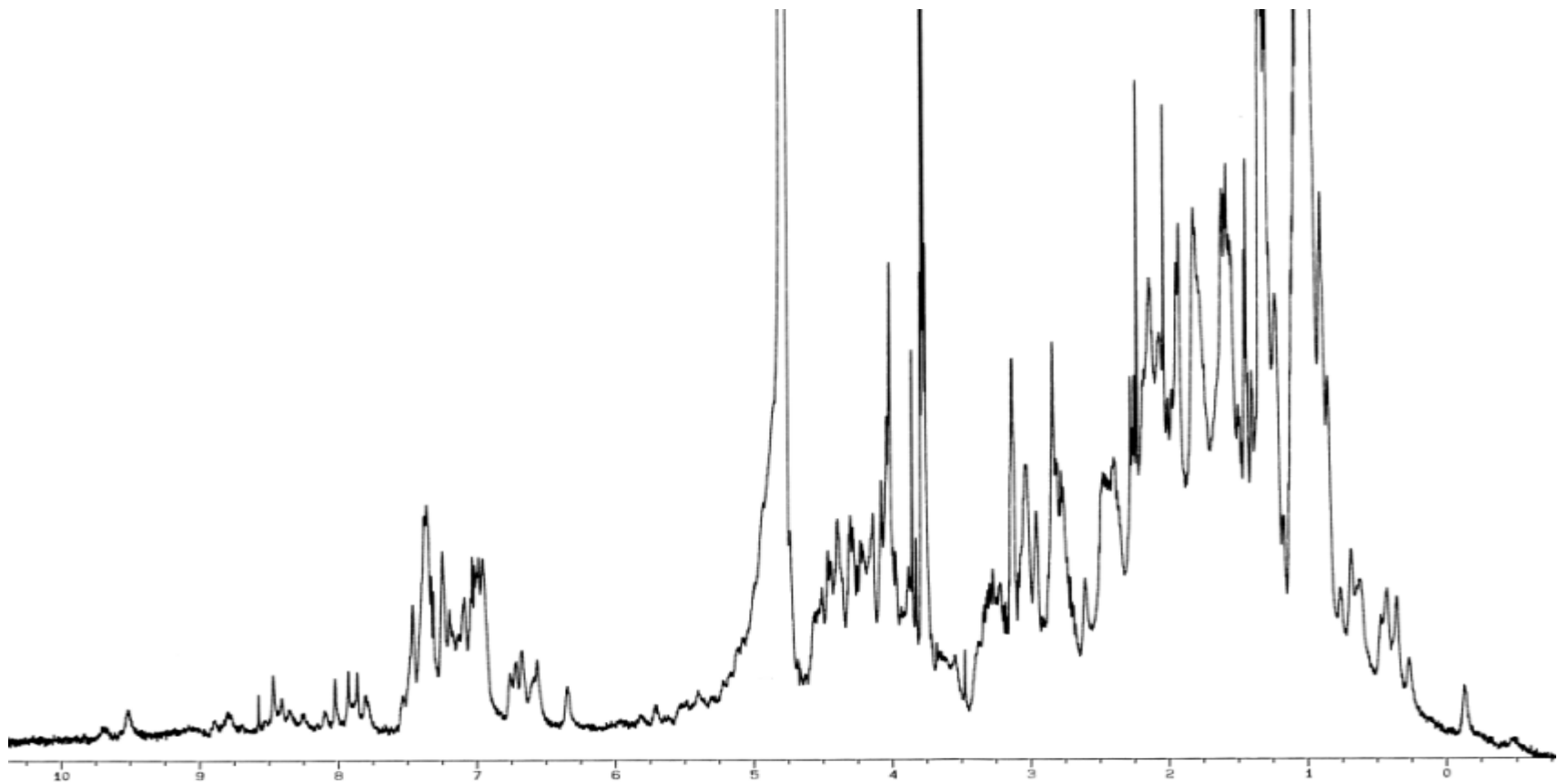
Converts from units of time to units of frequency

^1H NMR Spectra Exhibit...*

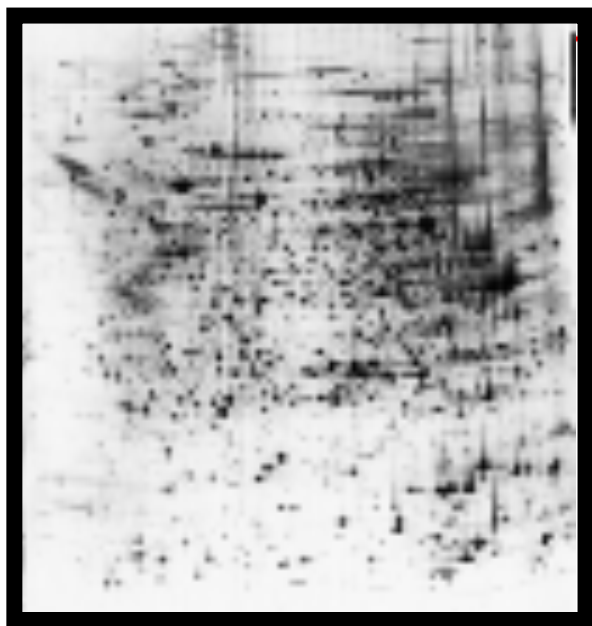
- **Chemical Shifts (peaks at different frequencies or ppm values)**
- **Splitting Patterns (from spin coupling)**
- **Different Peak Intensities (# ^1H)**



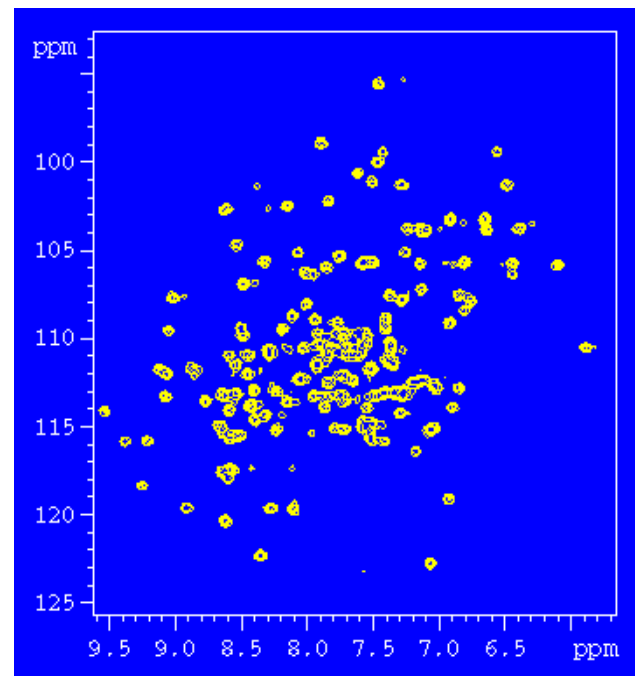
Protein NMR Spectrum



2D Gels & 2D NMR

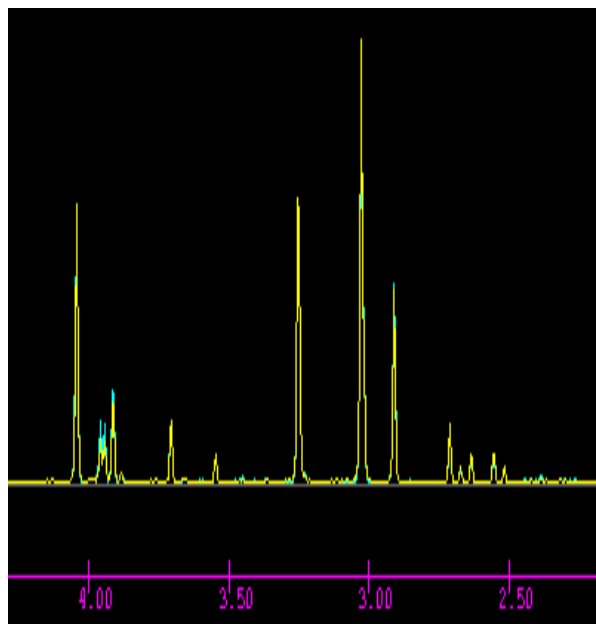


**SDS
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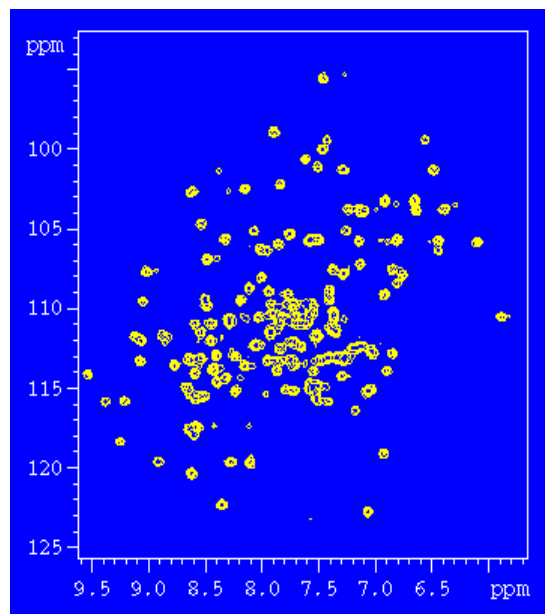
Multidimensional NMR*

1D



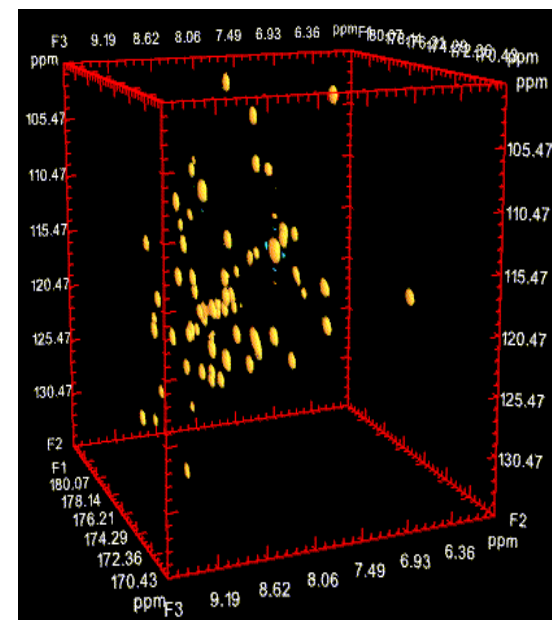
MW ~ 500

2D



MW ~ 10,000

3D



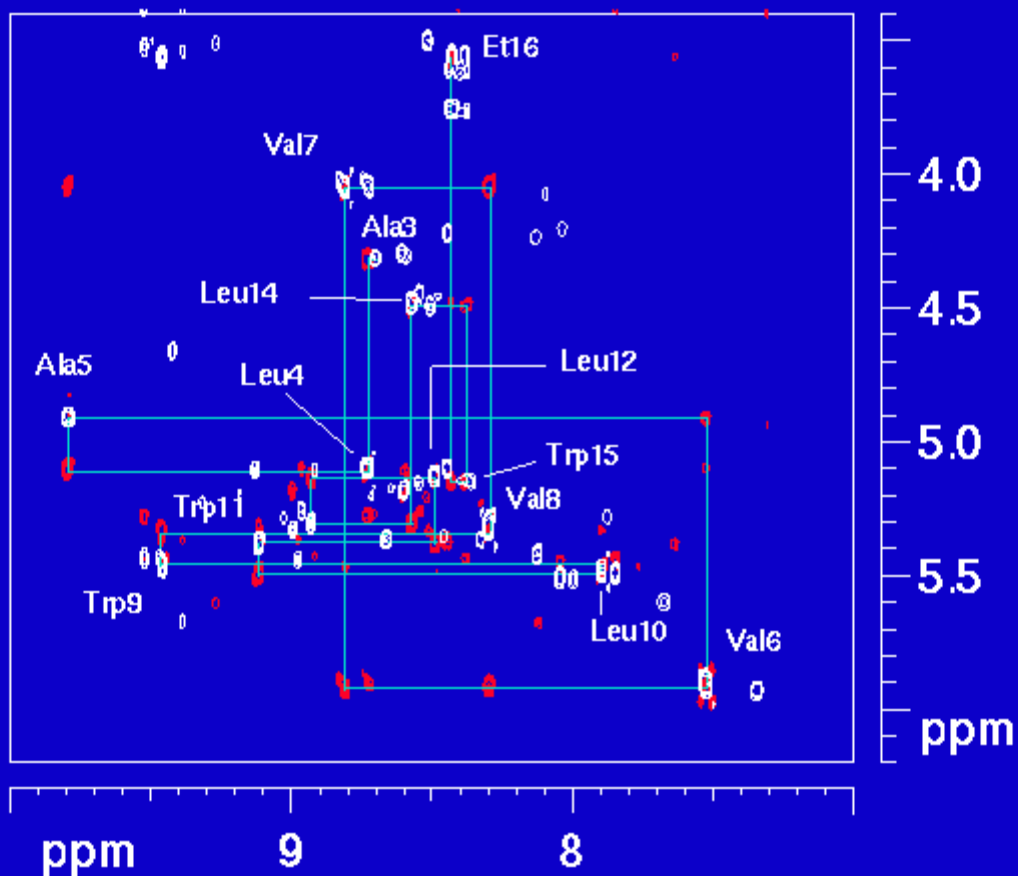
MW ~ 30,000

The NMR Process*

- **Obtain protein sequence**
- **Collect TOCSY & NOESY data**
- **Use chemical shift tables and known sequence to assign TOCSY spectrum**
- **Use TOCSY to assign NOESY spectrum**
- **Obtain inter and intra-residue distance information from NOESY data**
- **Feed data to computer to solve structure**

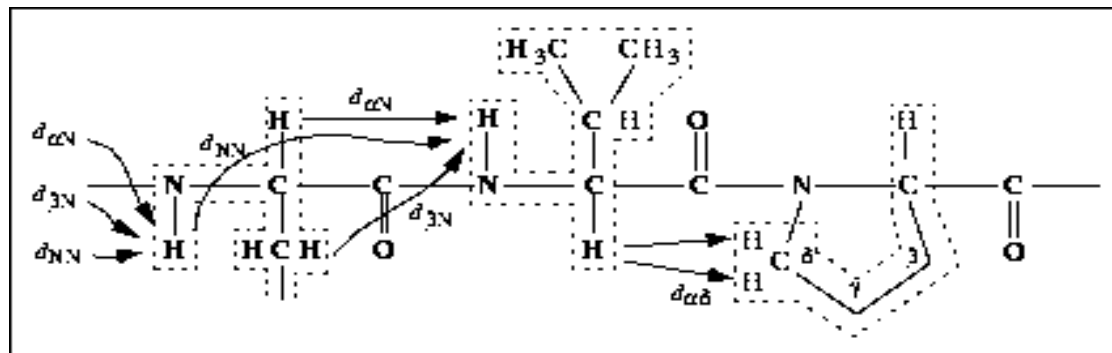
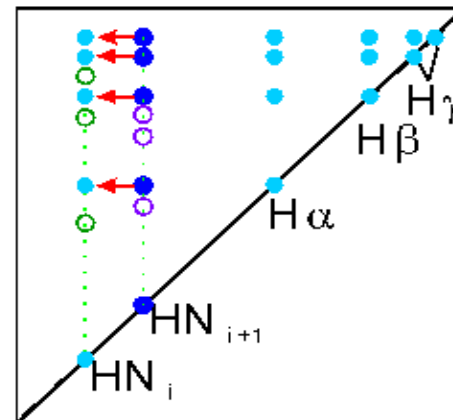
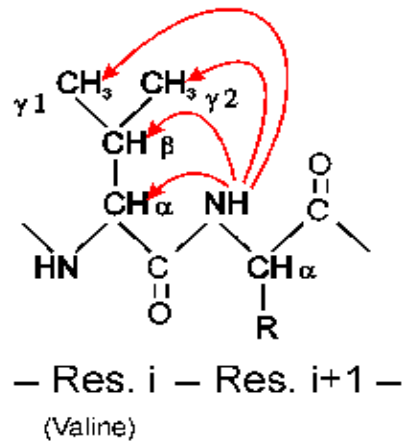
Assigning Chemical Shifts

Gramicidin-A sequential assignment
Through bond and **through space** spectra overlaid



Measuring NOEs*

Dipeptide Fragment

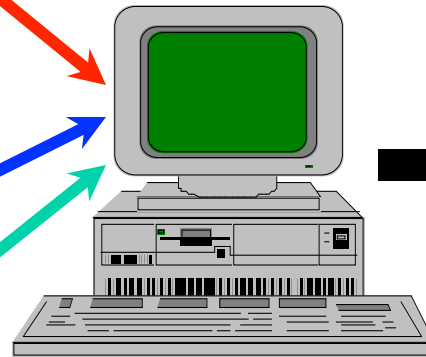


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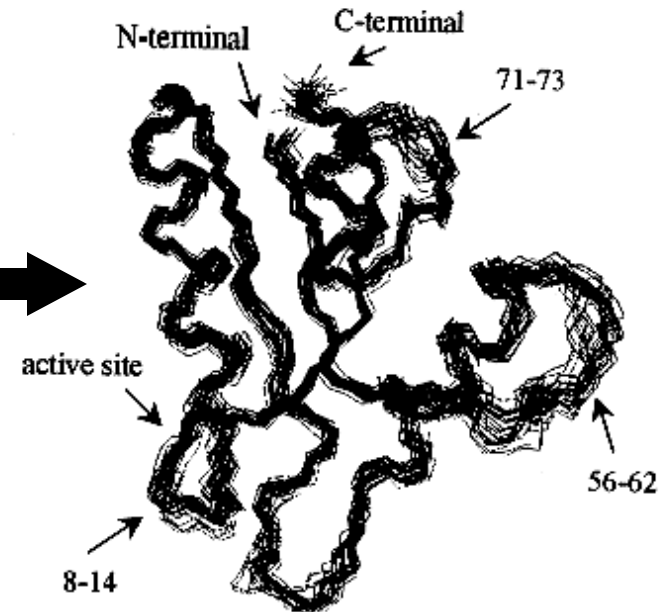
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NOE Intensities

J-Couplings



**Distance
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X-ray Versus NMR*

X-ray

- Producing enough protein for trials
- Crystallization time and effort
- Crystal quality, stability and size control
- Finding isomorphous derivatives
- Chain tracing & checking

NMR

- Producing enough labeled protein for collection
- Sample “conditioning”
- Size of protein
- Assignment process is slow and error prone
- Measuring NOE's is slow and error prone

The PDB*

- **PDB - Protein Data Bank**
- **Established in 1971 at Brookhaven National Lab (7 structures)**
- **Primary archive for macromolecular structures (proteins, nucleic acids, carbohydrates)**
- **Moved from BNL to RCSB (Research Collaboratory for Structural Bioinformatics) in 1998**

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Citric Acid Cycle

The citric acid cycle, also known as the Krebs cycle or the tricarboxylic acid cycle, is at the center of cellular metabolism, playing a starring role in both the process of energy production and biosynthesis. It finishes the sugar-breaking job started in glycolysis and fuels the production of ATP in the process. It is also a central hub in biosynthetic reactions, providing intermediates that are used to build amino acids and other molecules.

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Cytochrome Oxidase

Cytochrome oxidase is the foundation of aerobic respiration. Our cells rip apart molecules of food, using the favorable energetics of the process to produce ATP. At the end of the process, however, the pieces need to be discarded. In particular, the electron transport chain saps the energy out of the electrons that are extracted from food molecules, and the cell needs a way to

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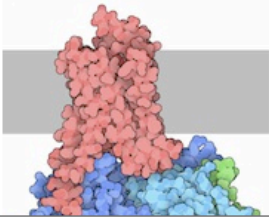
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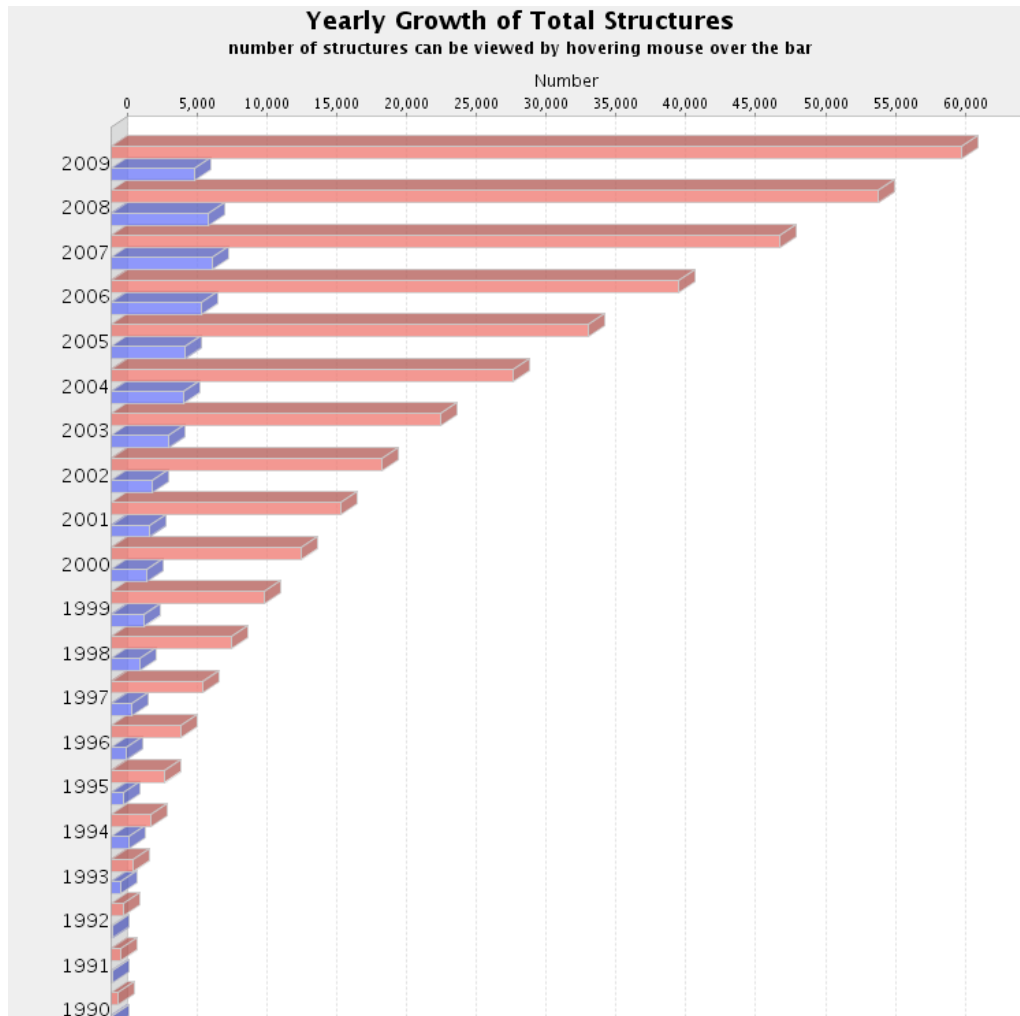


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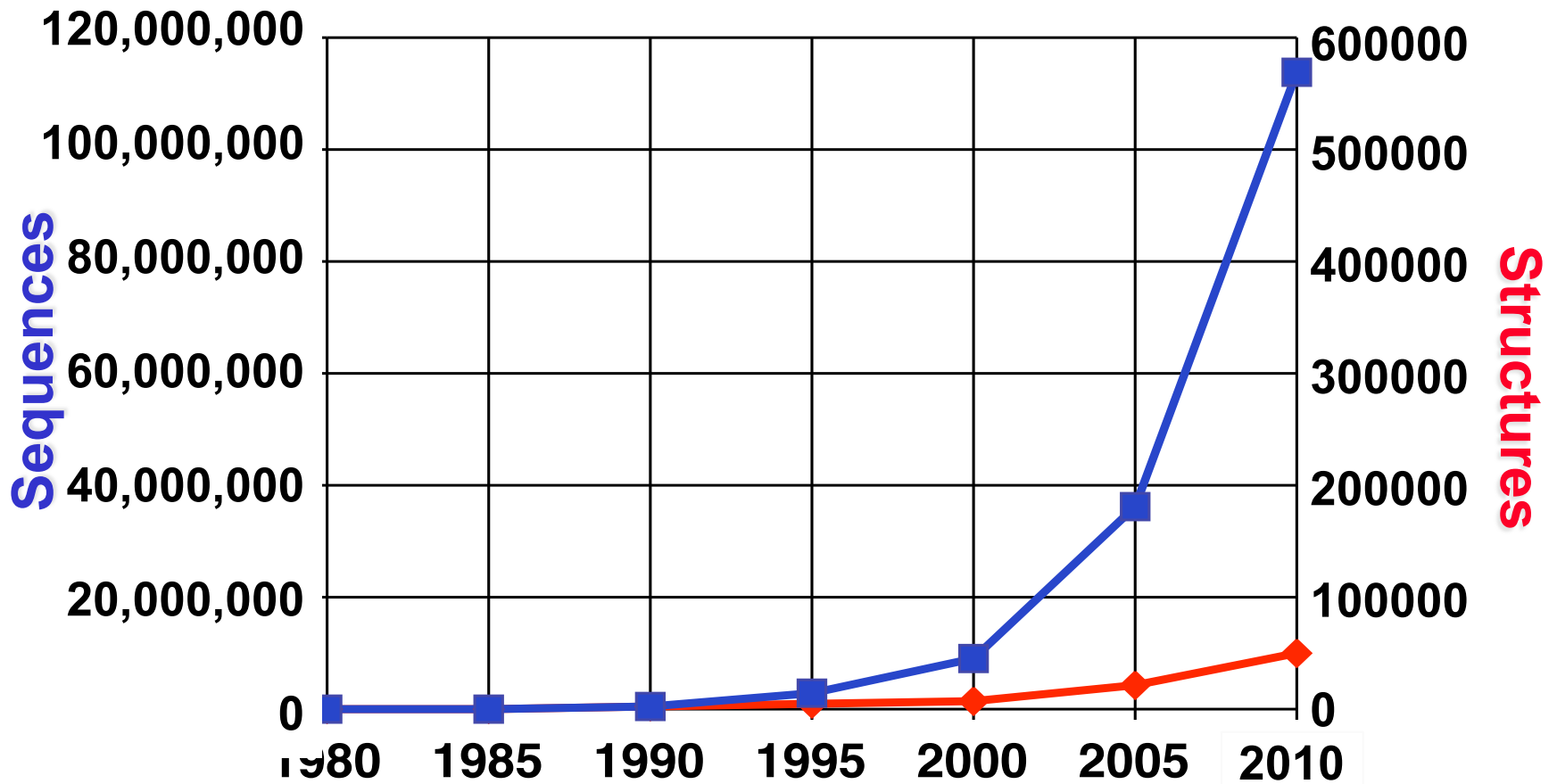
- **Contains coordinate data (primarily) from X-ray, NMR and modelling**
- **Contains files in 2 formats**
 - **PDB format**
 - **mmCIF (macromolecular Crystallographic Information File Format)**
- **Contains >80,000 entries**
- **Currently growing exponentially**

PDB Growth



- **Growth has been exponential for the past 10 years**
- **Approximately 8000 new structures being added each year**

Structural Proteomics: The Motivation



PDB Composition (2009)

	Proteins	Protein/DNA complexes	DNA/RNA
X-ray	51000 (85%)	1636 (88%)	1602 (67%)
NMR	7500 (14%)	182 (11%)	824 (32%)
Models	321 (1%)	24 (1%)	8 (1%)

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HEADER - PDB accession, date, function

COMPND - name of molecule or compound

SOURCE - origin or source of molecule (species)

REVDAT - revision dates

JRNL - primary reference (journal) describing structure

REMARK - a comment made by depositor

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REMARK - a comment made by depositor
SEQRES - sequence of protein in 3 letter code
HET - names of heteroatoms

PDB File Format*

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FORMUL - chemical formula of heteroatoms

HELIX - location of helices as identified by depositor

SHEET location of beta sheets as identified by depositor

SSBOND - location and existence of disulfide bond

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ORIGXn - scaling factors to transform from orthogonal coords.
SCALEn - scaling factors to transform to fractional cryst. Coords.
ATOM - atomic coordinates of molecule

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PDB File Format

- **Spacing is critical (Fortran compatible)**
- **Often inconsistent (40+ years old)**
- **Watch for unusual residues (ACE, SME)**
- **Some files have 1 structure (X-ray), others have 2 structures (chain A and B in unit cell), others have >20 (NMR)**
- **Some have missing atoms, others have hydrogens, others don't**

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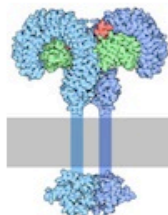
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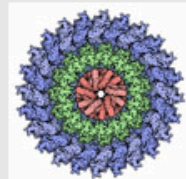
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Toll-like Receptors

The world is filled with bacteria and viruses, all eager to infect our cells. We have two lines of defense against this constant assault. Our first defense is the innate immune system, which stands guard against the most common attackers and mounts a quick defense when they are found. This innate system is found widely in animals, plants, and fungi, and for most, is the only line of defense.

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Solution Structure of Thioredoxin from Bacteroides Vulgatus

Authors:

Harris, R. , Foti, R. , Seidel, R.D. , Bonanno, J.B. , Freeman, J. , Bain, K.T. , Sauder, J.M. , Burley, S.K. , Girvin, M.E. , Almo, S.C. , New York SGX Research Center for Structural Genomics

Release Date: 2010-11-24

Classification: Transport Protein

Experiment: SOLUTION NMR

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Crystal Structure of Thioredoxin from Methanosarcina mazei

Authors:

Syed Ibrahim, B. , Burley, S.K. , Swaminathan, S. , New York SGX Research Center for Structural Genomics

Release Date: 2009-06-30

Classification: Oxidoreductase

Experiment: X-RAY DIFFRACTION with resolution of 2.30 Å

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Katti, S.K., LeMaster, D.M., Eklund, H.,

Journal: (1990) J.Mol.Biol. **212**: 167-184

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DOI: 10.1016/0022-2836(90)90313-B

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The crystal structure of thioredoxin from Escherichia coli has been refined by the stereochemically restrained least-squares procedure to a crystallographic R-factor of 0.165 at 1.68 Å resolution. In the final model, the root-mean-square deviation from ideality for bond distances is 0.015 Å and for angle distances 0.035 Å. The structure contains 1644 protein atoms from two independent molecules, two Cu²⁺, 140 water molecules and seven methylpentanediol molecules. Ten residues have been modeled in two alternative conformations. E. coli thioredoxin is a compact molecule with 90% of its residues in helices, beta-strands or reverse turns. The molecule consists of two conformational domains, beta alpha beta alpha beta and beta beta alpha, connected by a single-turn alpha-helix and a 3(10) helix. The beta-sheet forms the core of the molecule packed on either side by clusters of hydrophobic residues. Helices form the external surface. The active site disulfide bridge between Cys32 and Cys35 is located at

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Scientific Name: Escherichia coli Taxonomy

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Exp. Data: N/A

Resolution[Å]: 1.68

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R-Free: n/a

Space Group: C 2

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Polymer	Molecular Function	Biological Process	Cellular Component
THIOREDOXIN (2TRX:A,B)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> protein binding protein disulfide 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> transport electron transport chain 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> none



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RCSB PDB - 2TRX Sequence Report

Chain A : THIOREDOXIN

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Polymer 1

Length: 108 residues

Chain Type: polypeptide(L)

Reference: [UniProtKB P0AA25](#)

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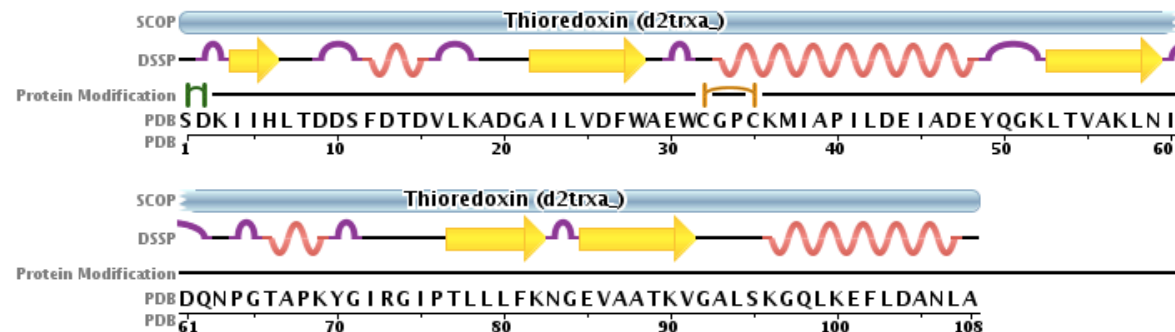
Domain Assignment: **SCOP**
[\[hide\]](#) [\[reference\]](#)[d2trxa](#) Thioredoxin: 108 residuesSecondary Structure: **DSSP**
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33% helical (4 helices; 36 residues)

27% beta sheet (5 strands; 30 residues)

Structural Feature: **Protein****332** copper (II) ion (Metal coordination, CU) [PDB:CU](#)

Modification

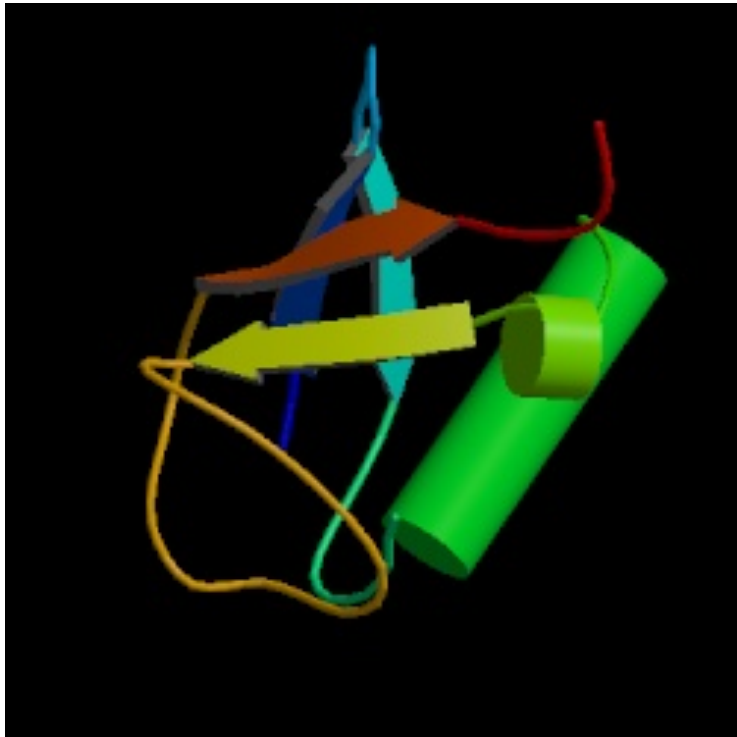
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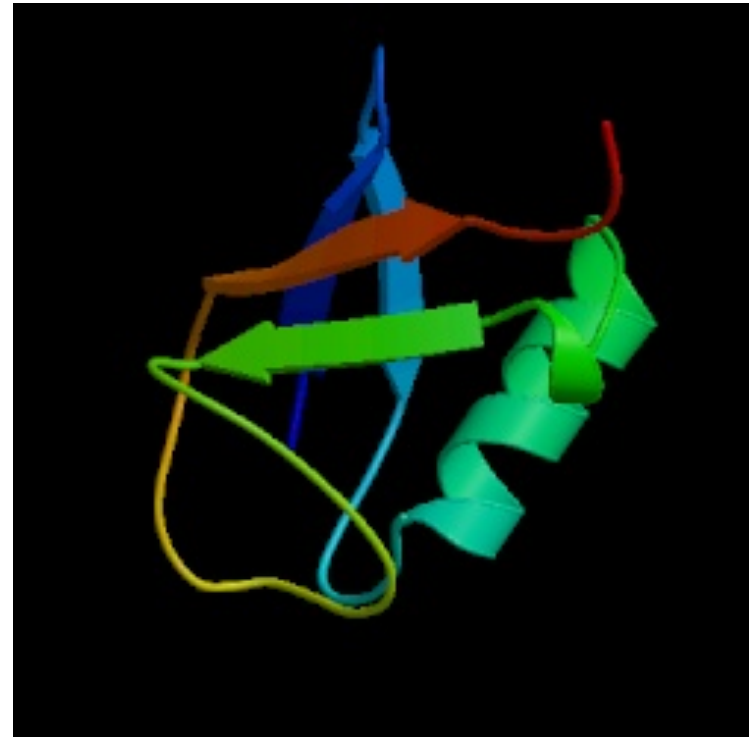
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copper (II) ion (Metal coordination, CU)

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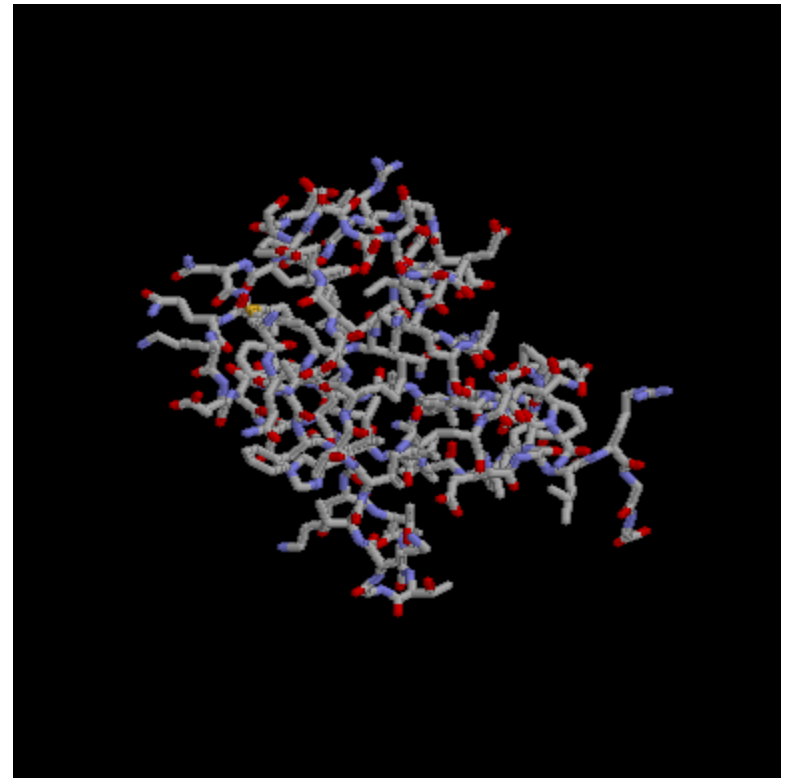


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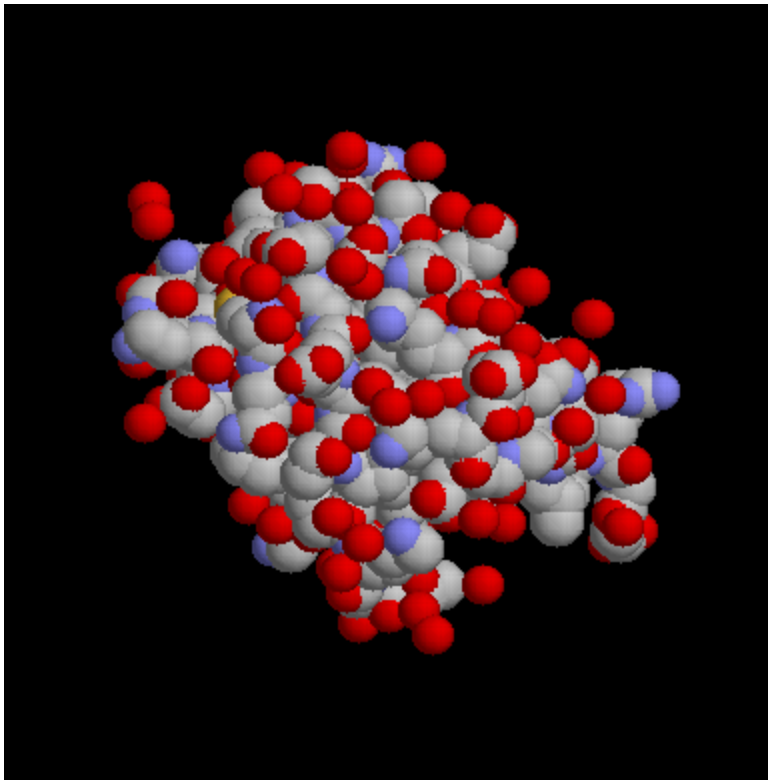


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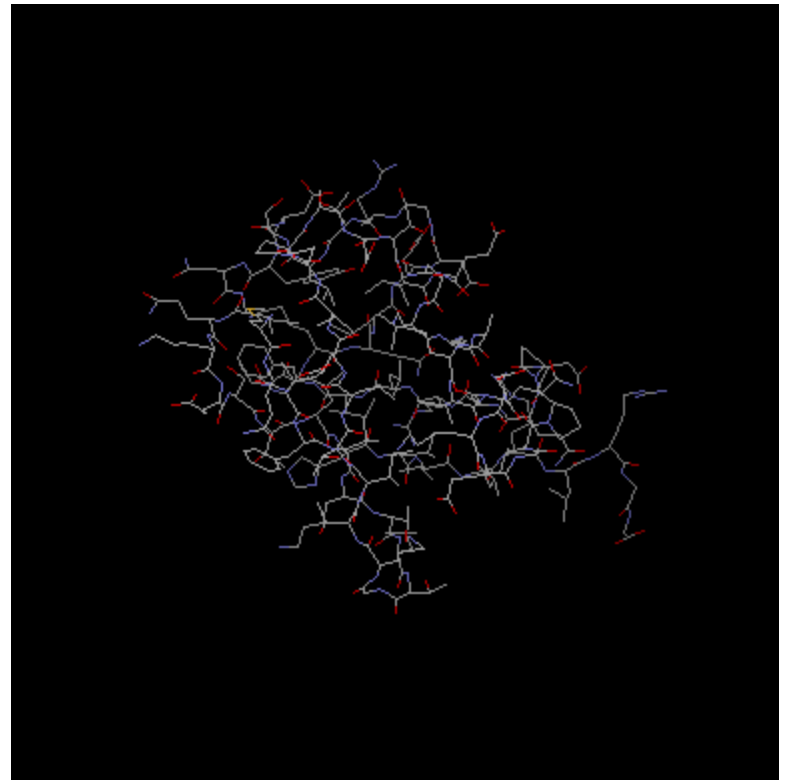


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Space Filling



Wire Frame (Vector)

Summary

- **3D structure of proteins is determined by side chains and sequence of constituent amino acids**
- **X-ray and NMR are the only methods that can yield high resolution 3D structures at atomic scale**
- **The PDB houses essentially all known atomic structures of proteins and DNA/RNA**
- ***Homework – spend 10-15 minutes browsing through the PDB and learn how to use it***