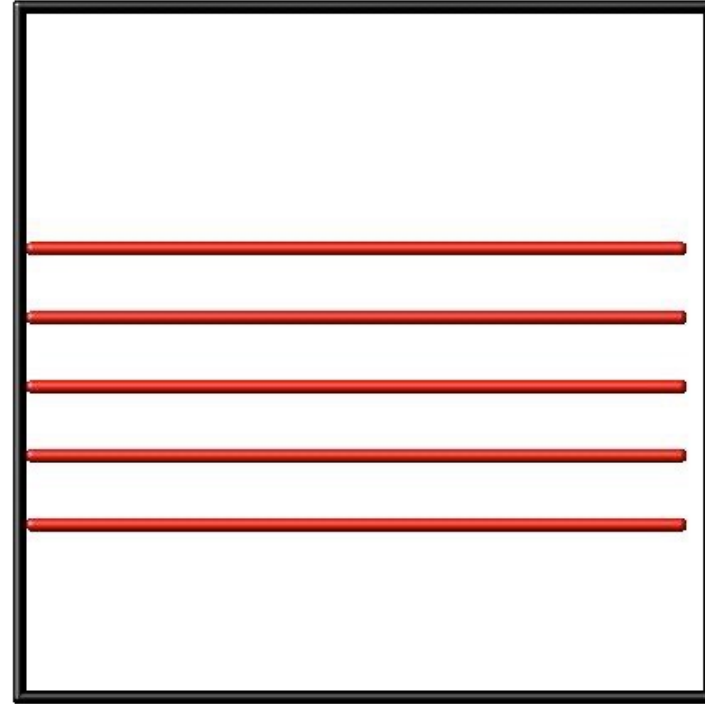
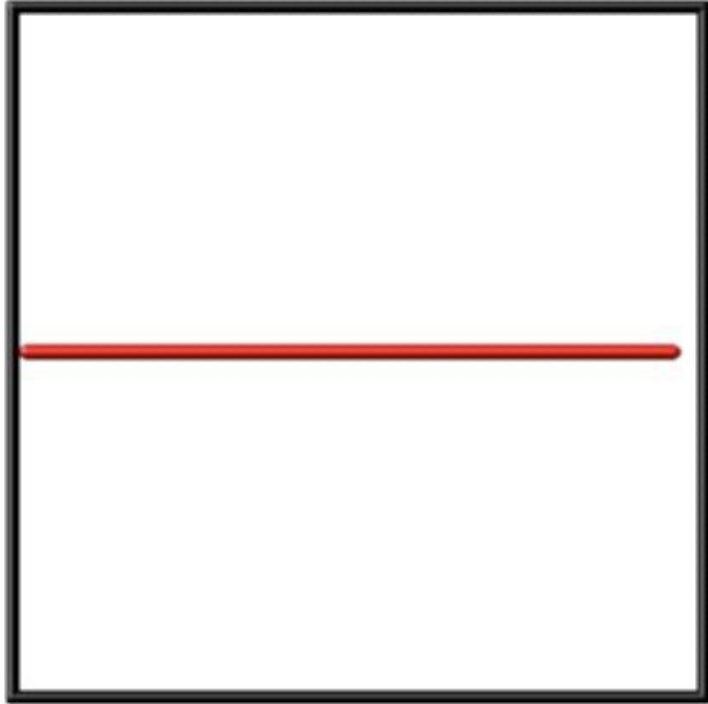
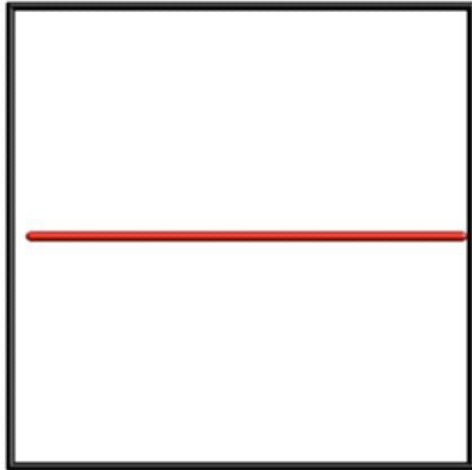


Single and multiple polymer simulations



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```
pair_style      lj/cut 1.12246204830937
pair_coeff      * * 1.0 1.0 1.12246204830937
```

$$E = 4\epsilon \left[\left(\frac{\sigma}{r} \right)^{12} - \left(\frac{\sigma}{r} \right)^6 \right] \quad r < r_c$$

ϵ (energy units)

σ (distance units)

r_c cutoff (distance units)

#FENE type bond = to define a finite extensible nonlinear elastic (FENE) potential, used for bead-spring polymer models

```
bond_style      fene
bond_coeff      1 30.0 1.5 1.0 1.0
special_bonds   fene
```

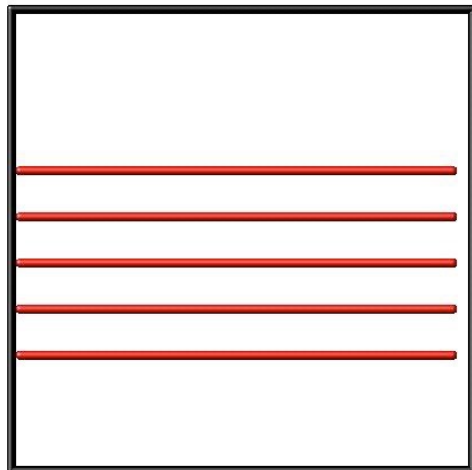
K (energy/distance²)

R_0 (distance)

ϵ (energy)

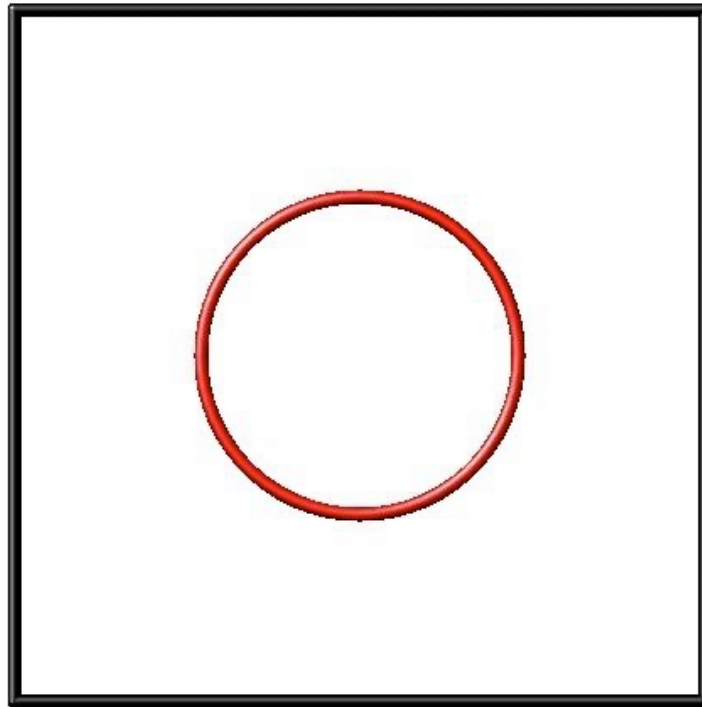
σ (distance)

$$E = -0.5KR_0^2 \ln \left[1 - \left(\frac{r}{R_0} \right)^2 \right] + 4\epsilon \left[\left(\frac{\sigma}{r} \right)^{12} - \left(\frac{\sigma}{r} \right)^6 \right] + \epsilon$$

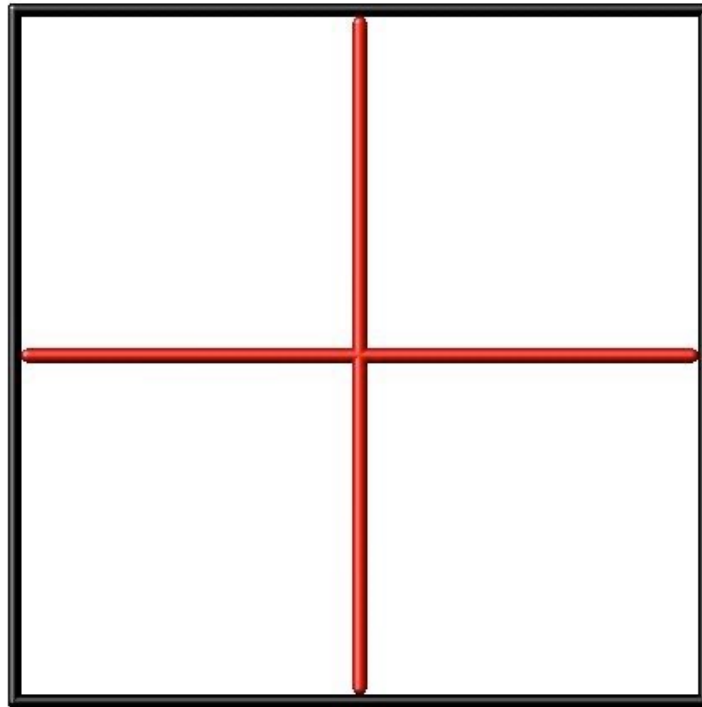


```
atom_style      molecular
```

Circular polymer

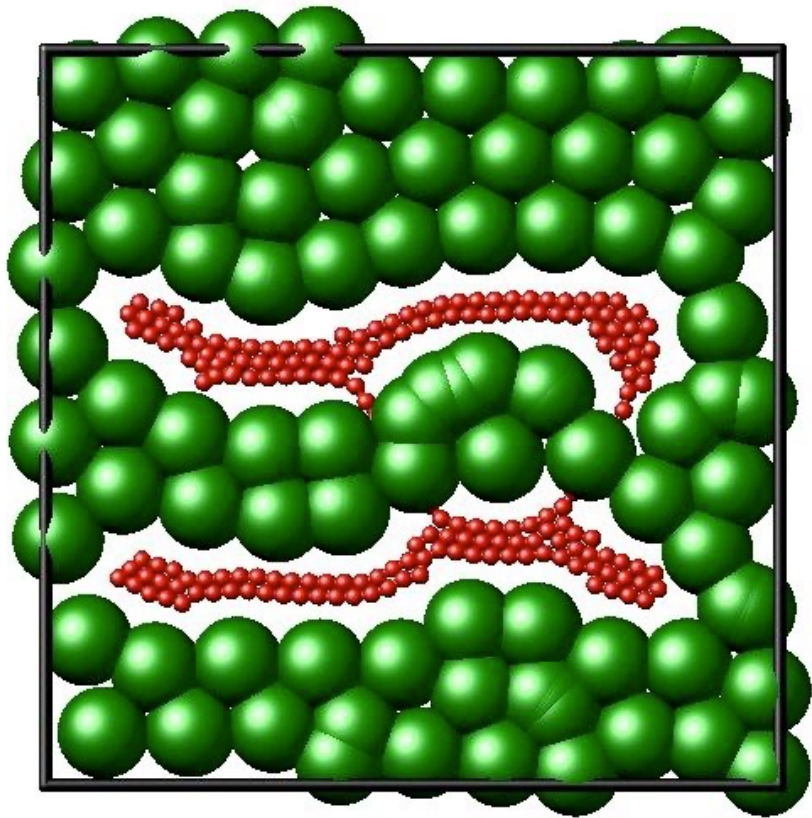


Cross-shaped polymer

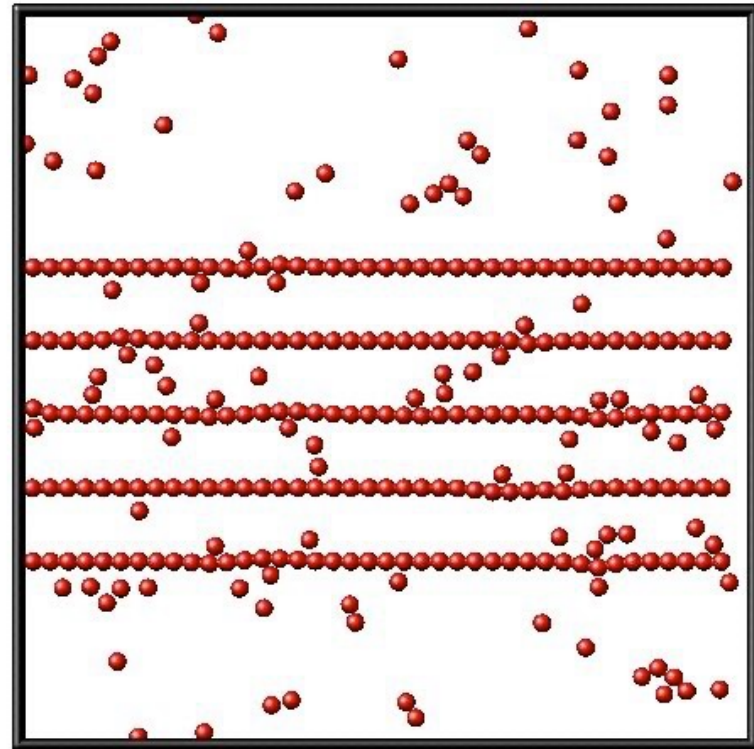


Putting it all together

Polymers with solvent

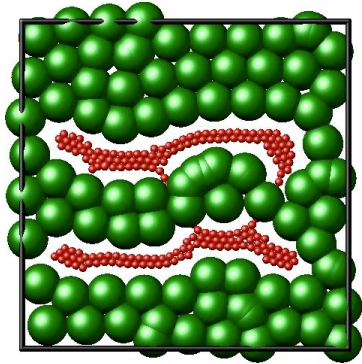


400 particles
Type 2

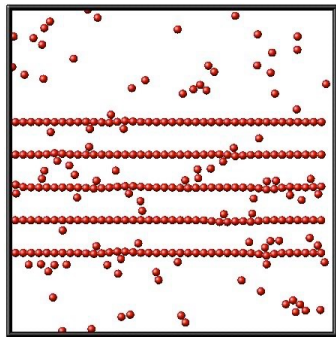


100 particles
Type 2

Polymers with solvent



400 particles
Type 2



100 particles
Type 2

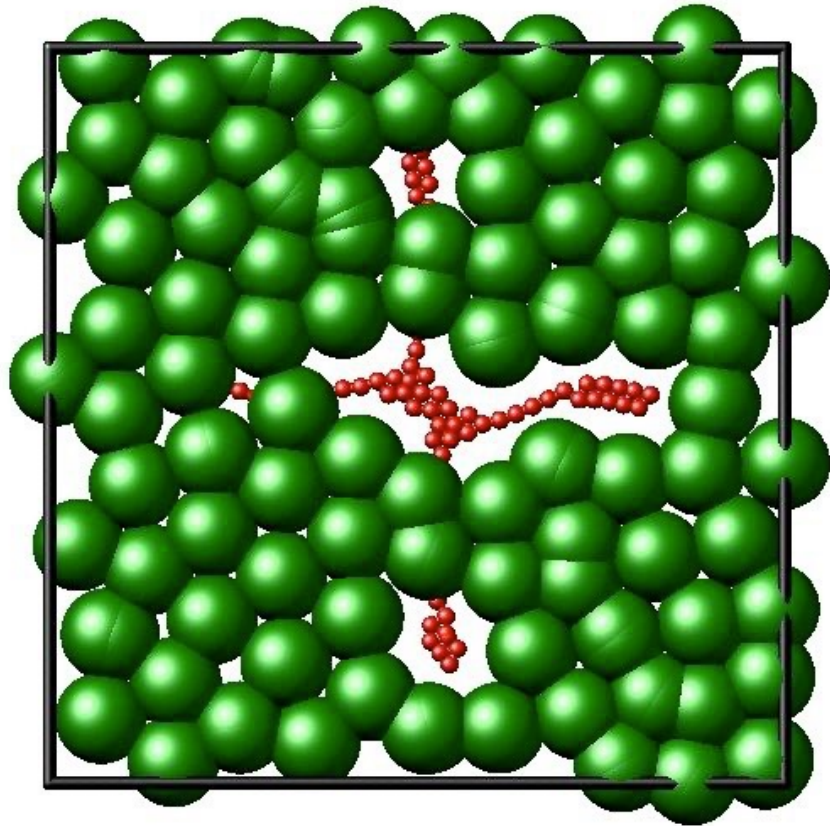
```
pair_style soft 1.0
pair_coeff 1 1 10.0 1.0
pair_coeff 1 2 10.0 5.0
pair_coeff 2 2 10.0 5.0
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$$E = A \left[1 + \cos \left(\frac{\pi r}{r_c} \right) \right] \quad r < r_c$$

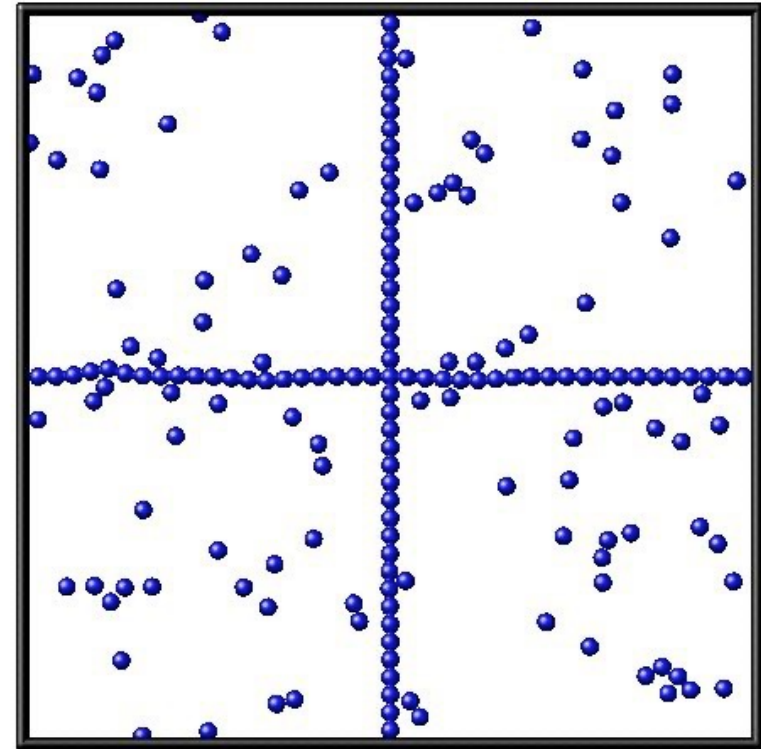
A (energy units)

cutoff (distance units)

Star polymer with particles

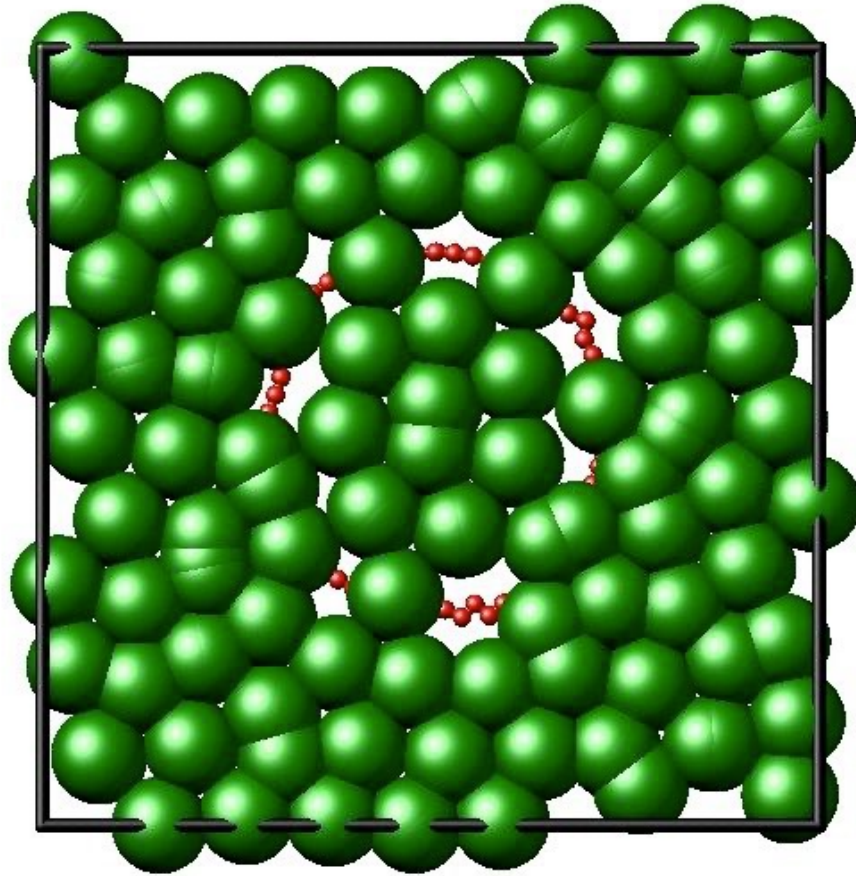


400 particles
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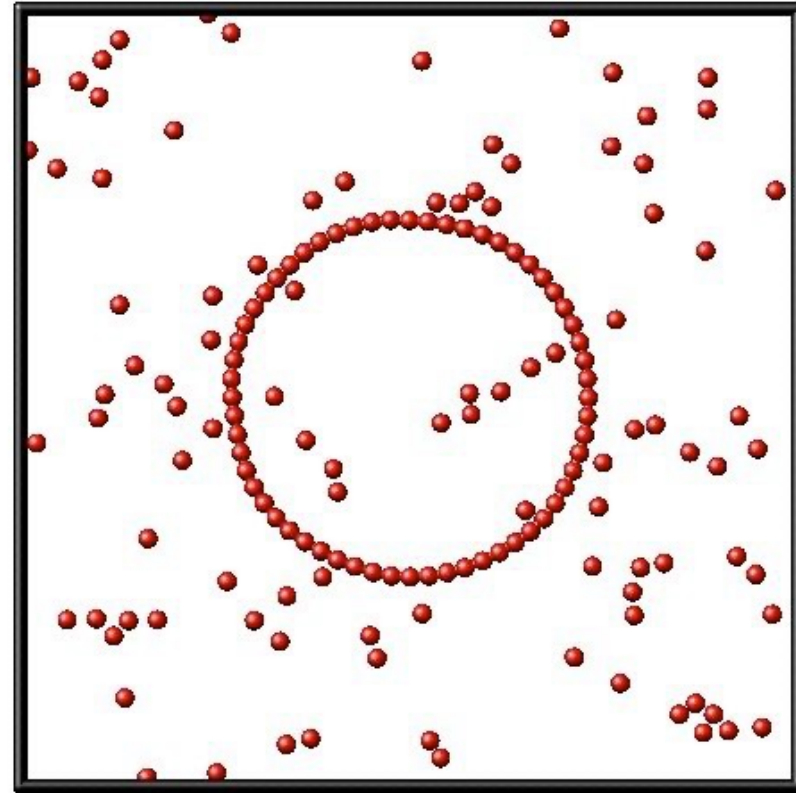


100 particles
Type 2

Circular polymer with particles



400 particles
Type 2



100 particles
Type 2

Future Plans

- Incorporate Martini Model
- Establish a bilayer membrane
- Insert membrane protein from RCSB Protein data bank
- Study Radius of gyration in response to changes in environment or biological structures such as membrane
 - pH and charge differences