

premin.in

initial minimisation to clean up bad contacts (restraints on protein so only water and counterions minimise)

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&cntrl
    imin=1,                perform an energy minimisation
    maxcyc=1000,           maximum number of cycles of minimization
    ncyc=100,              if ntmin=1 (default), switch from steepest descent to
                           conjugate gradient after ncyc cycles.
    cut=12.,               nonbonded cutoff, in Angstroms.
    ntb=1,                 constant volume (default when igb and ntp are both 0)
    ntr=1,                 flag for restraining atoms using a harmonic potential
    ntp=100                every ntp steps mdout and mdinfo are printed out
/
Hold protein fixed
10000.0
RES 1 461
END
END
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minimisation with no restraints on the whole system

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&cntrl
    imin=1,                perform an energy minimisation
    maxcyc=2500,           maximum number of cycles of minimization
    ncyc=1000,             if ntmin=1 (default), switch from steepest descent to
                           conjugate gradient after ncyc cycles.
    cut=12.,               nonbonded cutoff, in Angstroms.
    ntb=1,                 constant volume (default when igb and ntp are both 0)
    ntp=100                every ntp steps mdout and mdinfo are printed out
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02 Heat.in

NVE heating of the system from 0K to 100K with restraints on protein and solute (TNC, TNI, TNT, CAL) during 100 ps (50000 steps of MD simulation, timestep of 0.002 ps).

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&cntrl
    imin=0,                run MD with no minimisation
    ntx=1,                 only coordinates will be read from the inpcrd file
    irest=0,               do not restart the simulation (run as new simulation)
    ntc=2,                 flag for SHAKE to perform bond length constraints
                           (ntc=ntf=2 for TIP3P water --> bonds involving hydrogen are constrained)
    ntf=2,
    tol=0.0000001,        Relative geometrical tolerance for coordinate resetting in SHAKE
    ntr=1,                 flag for restraining atoms using a harmonic potential
    ig=-1,                 seed for the pseudo-random number generator is based on
                           current time and date, so each run is !=
    nstlim=50000,          number of MD steps to be performed
    ntt=3,                 switch for temperature scaling. Use langevin dynamics with collision
                           frequency set by gamma_ln
    gamma_ln=1.0,          collision frequency in ps-1 when ntt=3
    ntp=1000,              every ntp steps mdout and mdinfo are printed out
    ntwr=10000,            every ntwr steps the restrt file is written
    ntwx=1000,             every ntwx the coordinates are written to the mdcrd file
    dt=0.002,              time step in ps
    nmropt=1,              NMR restraints and weight changes will be read
    ntb=1,                 constant volume (default when igb and ntp are both 0)
    ntp=0,                 no pressure scaling
    cut=8.0,               nonbonded cutoff, in Angstroms.
    ioutfm=1,              write the coordinate and velocity files (mdcrd, mdvel and inptraj) as
                           binary NetCDF trajectory
/
&wt type='TEMP0',
    istep1=0,
    istep2=50000,
    value1=0.0,
    value2=100.0 /
&wt type='END' /
Hold TNC TNT
10.0
RES 1 248
END
Hold bits of TNI
10.0
RES 290 408
END
Hold bits of CAL's
10.0
RES 459 461
END
END
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03 Heat2.in

NPT heat up to 300K with weak restraints on protein and solute during 400 ps (200000 steps of MD simulation with 0.002 ps timestep)

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&cntrl
    imin=0,                run MD with no minimisation
    ntx=5,                 coordinates and velocities will be read
    irest=1,               restart the simulation (reading coordinates and velocities
                           from a previous saved restart file)
    ntc=2,                 flag for SHAKE to perform bond length constraints
                           (ntc=ntf=2 for TIP3P water --> bonds involving hydrogen are constrained)
    ntf=2,
    tol=0.0000001,        Relative geometrical tolerance for coordinate resetting in SHAKE
    ntr=1,                 flag for restraining atoms using a harmonic potential
    ig=-1,                 seed for the pseudo-random number generator is based on
                           current time and date, so each run is !=
    nstlim=200000,         number of MD steps to be performed
    ntt=3,                 switch for temperature scaling. Use langevin dynamics with collision
                           frequency set by gamma_ln
    gamma_ln=1.0,          collision frequency in ps-1 when ntt=3
    ntpr=1000,             every ntpr steps mdout and mdinfo are printed out
    ntwr=1000,             every ntwr steps the restrt file is written
    ntwx=1000,             every ntwx the coordinates are written to the mdcrd file
    dt=0.002,              time step in ps
    nmropt=1,              NMR restraints and weight changes will be read
    ntb=2,                 constant pressure (default when ntp>0)
    ntp=1,                 flag for constant pressure dynamics. =1 is MD with
                           isotropic position scaling
    taup=2.0,              pressure relaxation time in ps (should be between 1.0 and 5.0)
    cut=8.0,               nonbonded cutoff, in Angstroms.
    ioutfm=1,              write the coordinate and velocity files (mdcrd, mdvel and inptraj) as
                           binary NetCDF trajectory
    nt xo=2,               format of the final coordinates, velocities and box size (if constant P or
                           T run) written to file "restrt" is NetCDF
/
&wt type='TEMP0',
    istep1=0,
    istep2=100000,
    value1=0.0,
    value2=500.0 /
&wt type='END' /
Hold TNC TNT
10.0
RES 1 248
END
Hold bits of TNI
10.0
RES 290 408
END
Hold bits of CAL's
10.0
RES 459 461
END
END
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05 Prod.in

Production run, so you need to set the write frequency of the print, restart and trajectory to appropriate values.

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&cntrl
    imin=0,                run MD with no minimisation
    ntx=5,                 coordinates and velocities will be read
    irest=1,               restart the simulation (reading coordinates and
                           velocities from a previous saved restart file)
    ntc=2,                 flag for SHAKE to perform bond length constraints
                           (ntc=ntf=2 for TIP3P water --> bonds involving hydrogen are constrained)
    ntf=2,
    nstlim=20000000,       number of MD steps to be performed
    ntt=3,                 switch for temperature scaling. Use langevin dynamics with collision
                           frequency set by gamma_ln
    gamma_ln=1.0,          collision frequency in ps-1 when ntt=3
    temp0=300.0,           reference T at which the system is to be kept when ntt>0
    ntp=5000,              every ntp steps mdout and mdinfo are printed out
    ntwr=500000,           every ntwr steps the restrt file is written
    ntwx=5000,             every ntwx the coordinates are written to the mdcrd file
    dt=0.0025,             time step in ps
    ig=-1,                 seed for the pseudo-random number generator is based on
                           current time and date, so each run is !=
    ntb=2,                 constant pressure (default when ntp>0)
    ntp=1,                 flag for constant pressure dynamics. =1 is MD with
                           isotropic position scaling
    cut=8.0,               nonbonded cutoff, in Angstroms.
    barostat=2,             Monte Carlo barostat is used to control the pressure
    ioutfm=1,              write the coordinate and velocity files (mdcrd, mdvel and inptraj) as
                           binary NetCDF trajectory
    nt xo=2,               format of the final coordinates, velocities and box size (if constant P or
                           T run) written to file "restrt" is NetCDF
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