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ATOM Modeling Pipeline (AMPL) for Drug Discovery

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Agenda

- Introduction to AMPL (ATOM Modeling Pipeline)
- Why AMPL?
- Goal for today



Data Sources

- ChEMBL: Manually curated repository of small molecules (EMBL/EBI) **ChEMBL**
 - ~1.9 M compounds; ~11K targets
 - https://www.ebi.ac.uk/chembl/
- ExCAPE-DB (EU program)
 - ~ 1M compounds/1.7K targets
 - https://solr.ideaconsult.net/search/excape/#
- Drug Target commons (Univ of Helsinki)
 - ~1.7M cpds; 13K targets
 - http://drugtargetcommons.fimm.fi/





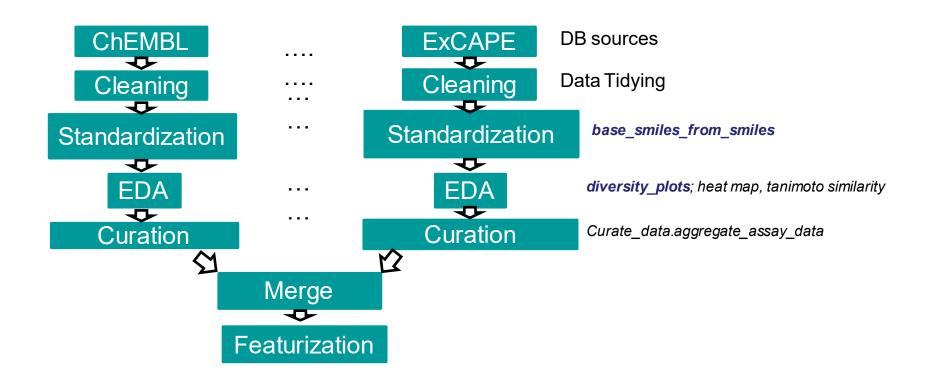


Why combine data?

 ATOM team's experience shows that the combined dataset (Union) models show robustness and performance than individual dataset









A sample dataset

Compound ID	Structure	MW	AlogP	Target	Active	IC50 (uM
CHEMBL2106227	CHEMBL2106227	300.79	4.23	Aurora kinase B	False	1.5
CHEMBL27289	CHEMBL27289	310.78	4.63	Aurora kinase B	False	3
CHEMBL2094620	CHEMBL2094620	317.36	3.05	Aurora kinase B	True	0.10
CHEMBL70633	CHEMBL70663	329.41	4.76	Aurora kinase B	False	> 100
CHEMBL1951415	38	337.40	4.23	Aurora kinase B	False	> 100



Featurizing a molecule: Fingerprints

- Fingerprints
 - Molecules

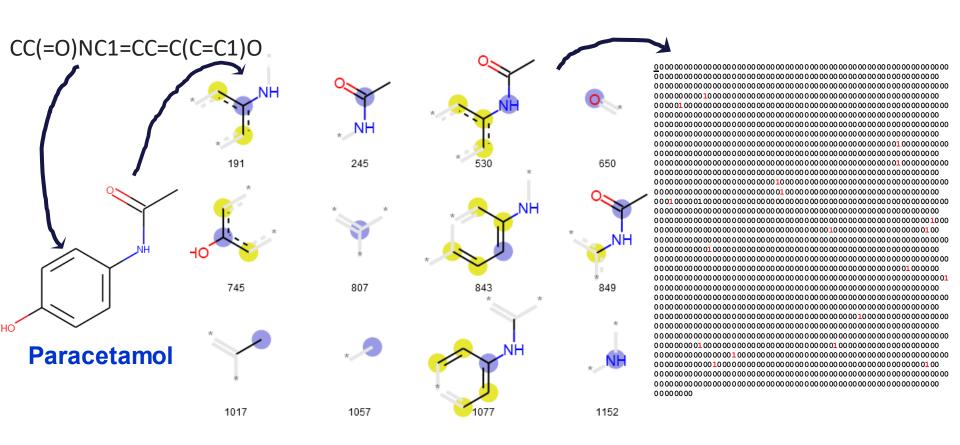
 fixed-length binary vectors (0s and 1s). indicating presence/absence of certain molecular features
 - One can compare fingerprints of two molecules and identify similarity

									Outcome	
_	ID	SMILES	Bit0	Bit1	Bit2	Bit3	Bit4	Bit5	Class	
	1	SMILES1	1	1	0	1	0	1	cns	
	2	SMILES2	0	0	0	1	1	0	cns	
	3	SMILES3	1	0	0	1	0	0	Cardiovascular	
	3	SMILES4	1	0	0	1	1	0	Antineoplastic	
	4	SMILES5	1	1	0	1	1	1	Dermatologic	
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Properties or Fingerprint

SMILES → Fingerprint





Featurizing a molecule: Molecular descriptors



- Physicochemical properties
 - Molecular weight, # of Hydrogen bond donors, log partition coefficient etc.
- Mordred
 - ~1800 descriptors
 - Open source software
 - Implemented in AMPL

	ABC	ABCGG	nAcid	nBase	SpAbs_A	SpMax_A	SpDiam_A	SpAD_A	SpMAD_A	LogEE_A	:	SRW10
0	29.198227	19.516970	0	2	49.161634	2.372244	4.744487	49.161634	1.328693	4.541483		10.415502
1	25.731643	19.151718	0	1	42.312870	2.394767	4.762938	42.312870	1.282208	4.422390		10.323283
2	23.132682	16.941805	0	0	38.063201	2.370962	4.741923	38.063201	1.268773	4.312334		10.143881
3	19.924959	16.140292	0	0	32.867760	2.498596	4.828813	32.867760	1.314710	4.170130		10.150621

https://mordred-descriptor.github.io/documentation/master/descriptors.html



Computing Environment

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COLAB	NIH HPC Biowulf				
Serverless	Can ask for resources				
Resources are !unlimited and !guaranteed	Resources are guaranteed				
Browser-based	Mostly command-line				
Good for short jobs; explaining AMPL capabilities	Long jobs (HPO)				
Audience: Interns, Workshopattendee (Educational)	Research				

Curation

- Data Curation
 - Organization and integration of data from multiple sources
- Potent Targets
 - Dose-response measurements (Kd, Ki, IC50 and activity) in biochemical assays
 - <= 100 nM
 - Dose response measurements (activity %, % inhibition etc)
 - Different cutoffs for biochemical and cell-based assays
 - Multiple assays (different studies or data resources)
 - Median bioactivity
- Mutation data

Modeling Steps

- Data cleaning, tidying
- Data curation
- Feature engineering
 - Outcome variable IC50 → pIC50
 - Numerical → categorical
- EDA
 - FP → Tonimoto → tSNE
- Aggregate assay
- Diversity plots
- Featurization



Bio-assay with a specific target protein

- Identifying drugs or compounds primary targets and off-targets is a critical task in drug discovery
 - Kinases
 - Target promiscuity -> polypharmacological effects
- Understanding this concept can help us with the drug repurposing efforts
- Many groups collect and curate Target-drug data
 - Diversity of experiments
 - Different bioassay, bioactivity endpoints etc. makes the problem challenging

Useful links



- https://github.com/ATOMconsortium/AMPL
- https://github.com/ravichas/AMPL-workshop-1
- https://github.com/ATOMconsortium/AMPL/tree/Tutorials/atom sci/ddm/examples/tutorials
- https://hpc.nih.gov/apps/ampl.html
- Workshop materials
- https://github.com/ravichas/AMPL-workshop-1