

Class 6: HW R Functions

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Section 1: Improving analysis code by writing functions

Part A: Can you improve this analysis code?

```
df <- data.frame(a=1:10, b=seq(200,400,length=10),c=11:20,d=NA)
df
```

	a	b	c	d
1	1	200.0000	11	NA
2	2	222.2222	12	NA
3	3	244.4444	13	NA
4	4	266.6667	14	NA
5	5	288.8889	15	NA
6	6	311.1111	16	NA
7	7	333.3333	17	NA
8	8	355.5556	18	NA
9	9	377.7778	19	NA
10	10	400.0000	20	NA

```
df$a <- (df$a - min(df$a)) / (max(df$a) - min(df$a))
df$b <- (df$b - min(df$a)) / (max(df$b) - min(df$b))
df$c <- (df$c - min(df$c)) / (max(df$c) - min(df$c))
df$d <- (df$d - min(df$d)) / (max(df$a) - min(df$d))
df
```

	a	b	c	d
1	0.0000000	1.000000	0.0000000	NA
2	0.1111111	1.111111	0.1111111	NA
3	0.2222222	1.222222	0.2222222	NA

```

4  0.3333333 1.333333 0.3333333 NA
5  0.4444444 1.444444 0.4444444 NA
6  0.5555556 1.555556 0.5555556 NA
7  0.6666667 1.666667 0.6666667 NA
8  0.7777778 1.777778 0.7777778 NA
9  0.8888889 1.888889 0.8888889 NA
10 1.0000000 2.000000 1.0000000 NA

```

Seeing 'df' before and after the script shows that 'df' is transformed with the equations because it shows different numbers than the input data.frame. Next I will remove the common elements to simplify.

```

df <- data.frame(a=1:10, b=seq(200,400,length=10),c=11:20,d=NA)
df$a <- (df$a - min(df$a)) / (max(df$a) - min(df$a))

```

I will then insert it into a function.

```

df <- data.frame(a=1:10, b=seq(200,400,length=10),c=11:20,d=NA)
parta <- function(x) {
  x <- (x - min(x)) / (max(x) - min(x))
  return(x)
}
parta(df)

```

```

      a  b  c  d
1  NA NA NA NA
2  NA NA NA NA
3  NA NA NA NA
4  NA NA NA NA
5  NA NA NA NA
6  NA NA NA NA
7  NA NA NA NA
8  NA NA NA NA
9  NA NA NA NA
10 NA NA NA NA

```

The above function doesn't work because it takes the min and max of the whole matrix and not each column. So I will insert a for loop to work on each column.

```

df <- data.frame(a=1:10, b=seq(200,400,length=10),c=11:20,d=NA)
parta <- function(x) {

```

```

    for(i in 1:ncol(x)) {
      x[,i] <- (x[,i] - min(x[,i])) / (max(x[,i]) - min(x[,i]))
    }
    return(x)
  }
  parta(df)

```

	a	b	c	d
1	0.0000000	0.0000000	0.0000000	NA
2	0.1111111	0.1111111	0.1111111	NA
3	0.2222222	0.2222222	0.2222222	NA
4	0.3333333	0.3333333	0.3333333	NA
5	0.4444444	0.4444444	0.4444444	NA
6	0.5555556	0.5555556	0.5555556	NA
7	0.6666667	0.6666667	0.6666667	NA
8	0.7777778	0.7777778	0.7777778	NA
9	0.8888889	0.8888889	0.8888889	NA
10	1.0000000	1.0000000	1.0000000	NA

It worked! :)

Part B: Can you improve this analysis code?

```

library(bio3d)
s1 <- read.pdb("4AKE") # kinase with drug

```

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```

s2 <- read.pdb("1AKE") # kinase no drug

```

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```

s3 <- read.pdb("1E4Y") # kinase with drug

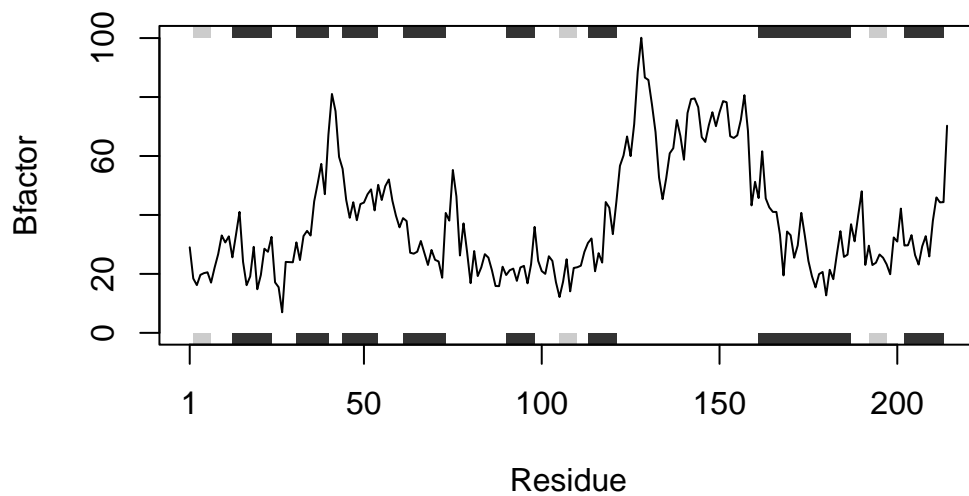
```

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```

s1.chainA <- trim.pdb(s1, chain="A", elety="CA")
s2.chainA <- trim.pdb(s2, chain="A", elety="CA")
s3.chainA <- trim.pdb(s3, chain="A", elety="CA")
s1.b <- s1.chainA$atom$b
s2.b <- s2.chainA$atom$b
s3.b <- s3.chainA$atom$b
plotb3(s1.b, sse=s1.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")

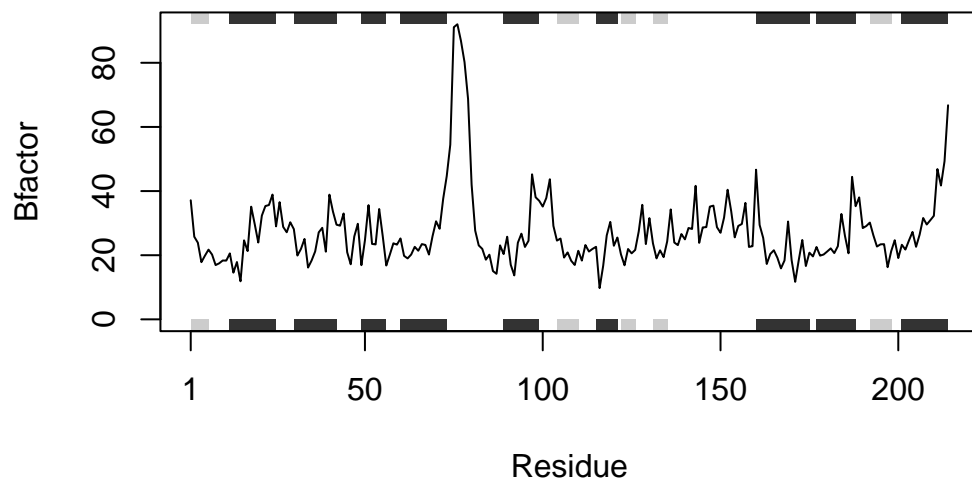
```



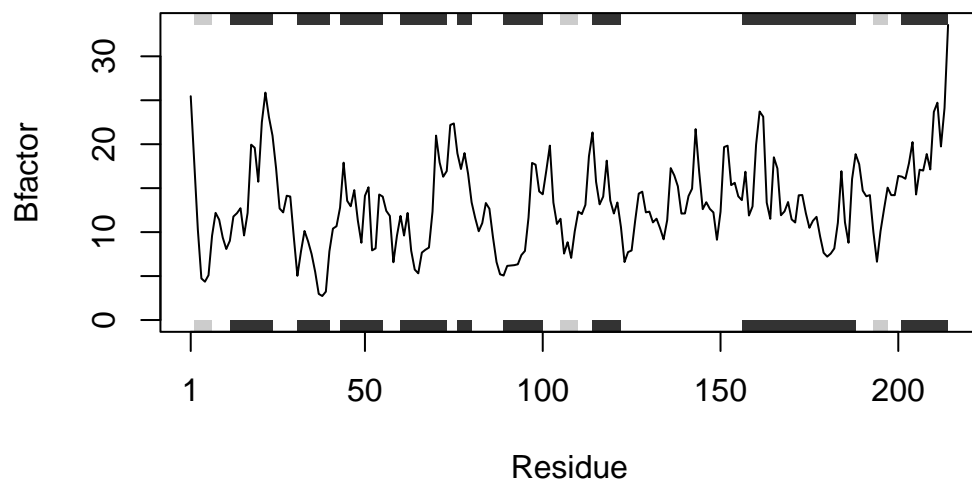
```

plotb3(s2.b, sse=s2.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")

```



```
plotb3(s3.b, sse=s3.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")
```

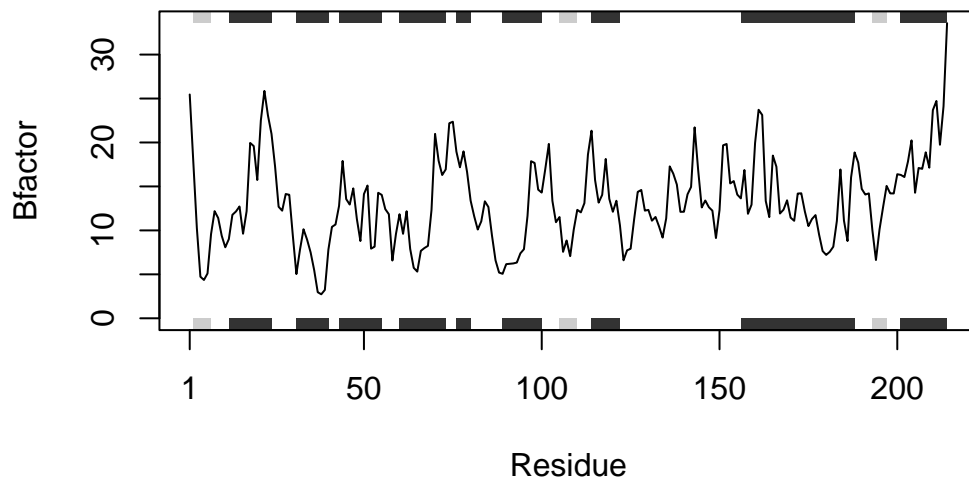


After fixing the errors, the code will be simplified. And insert into a function.

```
partb <- function(protein) {  
  seq <- read.pdb(protein)  
  
  seq.chainA <- trim.pdb(seq, chain="A", elety="CA")  
  
  seq.b <- seq.chainA$atom$b  
  
  plotb3(seq.b, sse=seq.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")  
}  
  
partb("1E4Y")
```

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I will add a loop to graph each protein.

```

proteins <- c("4AKE", "1AKE", "1E4Y")
partb <- function(proteins) {
  for(i in 1:length(proteins)) {
    seq <- read.pdb(proteins[i])

    seq.chainA <- trim.pdb(seq, chain="A", elety="CA")

    seq.b <- seq.chainA$atom$b

    plotb3(seq.b, sse=seq.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")
  }
}

partb(proteins)

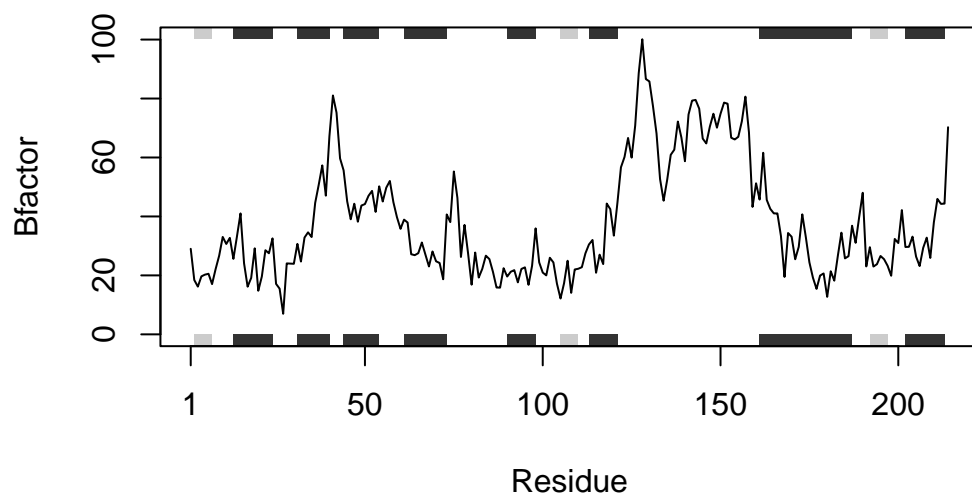
```

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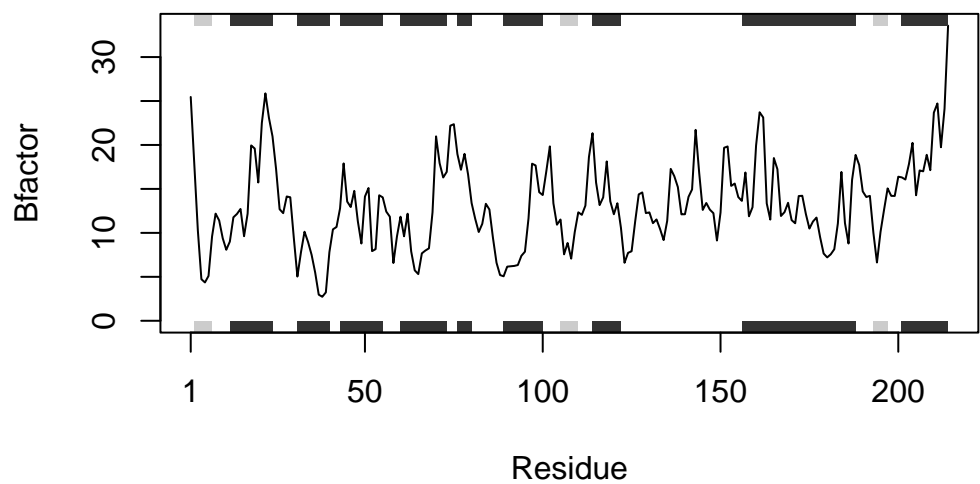
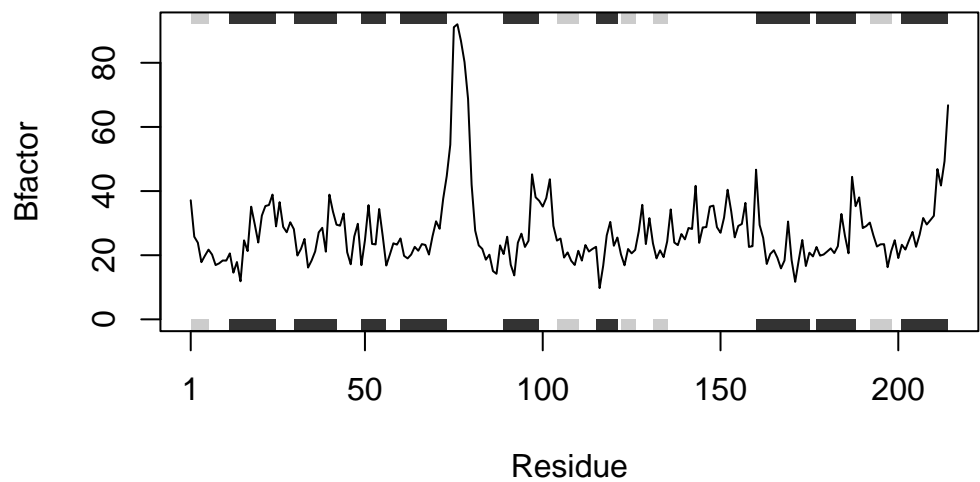
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Q1. What type of object is returned from the `read.pdb()` function?

```
#read.pdb("4AKE")
```

“read.pdb()” results in the file of the inputted protein and provides all the data for the protein structure.

Q2. What does the trim.pdb() function do?

```
#s1.chainA <- trim.pdb(s1, chain="A", elety="CA")  
#s1.chainA
```

“trim.pdb()” cuts part of the protein to only look at a specific section.

Q3. What input parameter would turn off the marginal black and grey rectangles in the plots and what do they represent in this case?

```
#plotb3(s1.b, sse=s1.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")  
#plotb3(s1.b, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")  
#plotb3(s1.b, sse=s1.chainA, ylab="Bfactor")  
#help(plotb3)
```

The “sse” is responsible for the marginal black and grey rectangles. They represent the secondary structure of the protein.

Q4. What would be a better plot to compare across the different proteins?

I think a PCA would work better to compare the different proteins because we could compare the residues and the secondary structure. The secondary structure would be easier to compare since the rectangles do not reflect the secondary structure clearly in these plots.

Q5. Which proteins are more similar to each other in their B-factor trends. How could you quantify this?

The second and third protein “1AKE” and “1E4Y” have similar B-factor trends since they seem to have a relatively horizontal trend except for the peak in “1AKE”. Using the code below quantifies the data.

```
#hc <- hclust( dist( rbind(s1.b, s2.b, s3.b) ) )  
#plot(hc)
```

This code puts the elements together into a matrix using ‘rbind()’. Then it calculates the distance between the points using ‘dist()’. ‘hclust()’ uses hierarchical clustering to compare the distance by analyzing the dissimilarities and then puts it into a tree.

Q6. How would you generalize the original code above to work with any set of input protein structures?

```
partb <- function(...) {  
  # The (...) in the function will allow any amount of arguments(proteins)  
  
  proteins <- c(...)  
  # This will convert the input proteins into a vector  
  
  x <- vector("numeric", 0)  
  # This is an empty vector to store all the seq.b (atom values)  
  
  for(i in 1:length(proteins)) {  
    # The for loop with read each one of the elements in the vector and produce  
    #a graph  
  
    seq <- read.pdb(proteins[i])  
  
    seq.chainA <- trim.pdb(seq, chain="A", elety="CA")  
  
    seq.b <- seq.chainA$atom$b  
  
    plotb3(seq.b, sse=seq.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor", main= proteins[i])  
    # Here I added "main" to give each protein graph a title  
  
    #Next I needed to input and store the seq.b data for each protein into a matrix  
    #The "if" statement helps store the seq.b data for the first protein into  
    #the empty vector  
    #The "else" statement binds the sequential seq.b data for the remaining proteins  
    if (i == 1) {  
      x <- seq.b  
    } else {  
      x <- rbind(x, seq.b)  
    }  
  } #End of "for loop"  
  
  #Add the second line of code from Q5 to compare the proteins  
  # I added an if statement because the hc plot would not appear with two  
  #proteins and I dont know if it is possible to create an hc plot with  
  #only 2 proteins/branches???  
  if (length(proteins) >2) {
```

```

    rownames(x) <- proteins
    # I added the protein names because it's confusing without them

    hc <- hclust( dist(x))
    plot(hc)
  } else{}
}

```

Test out function with all three proteins and 2 proteins

```
partb("1AKE", "1E4Y", "4AKE")
```

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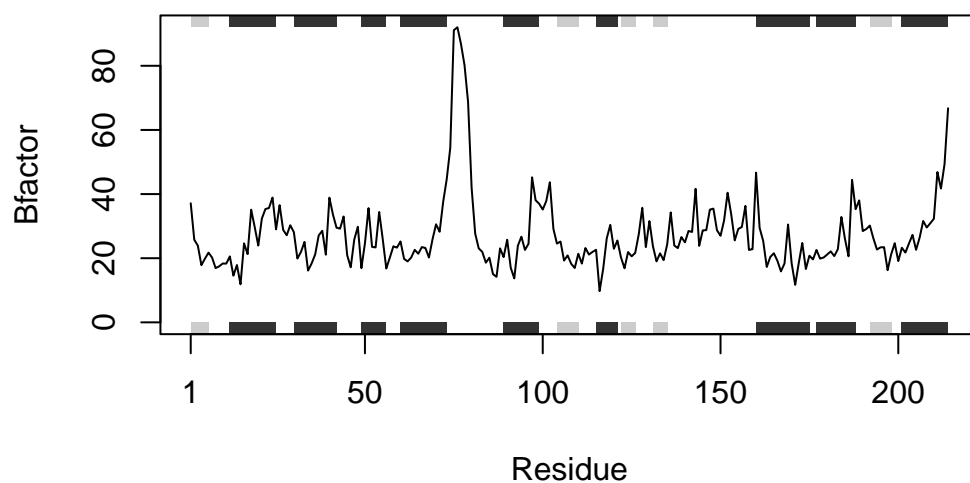
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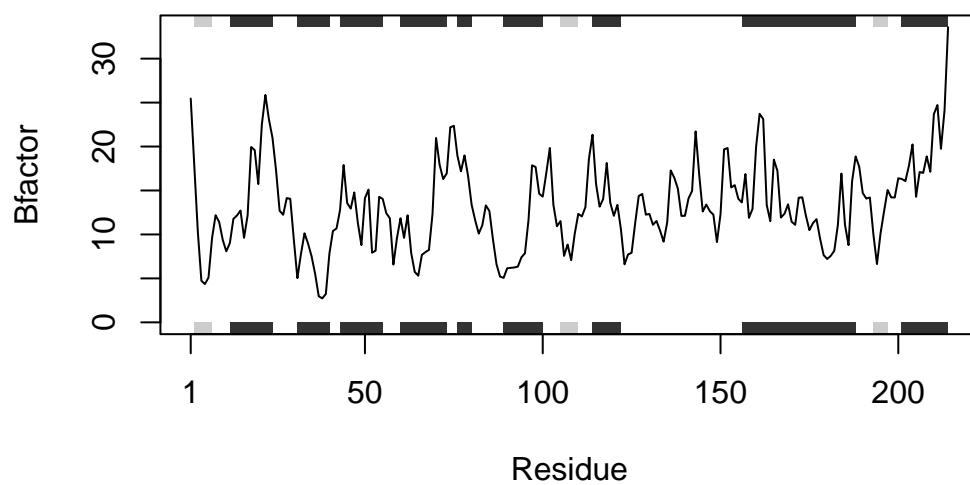
1AKE



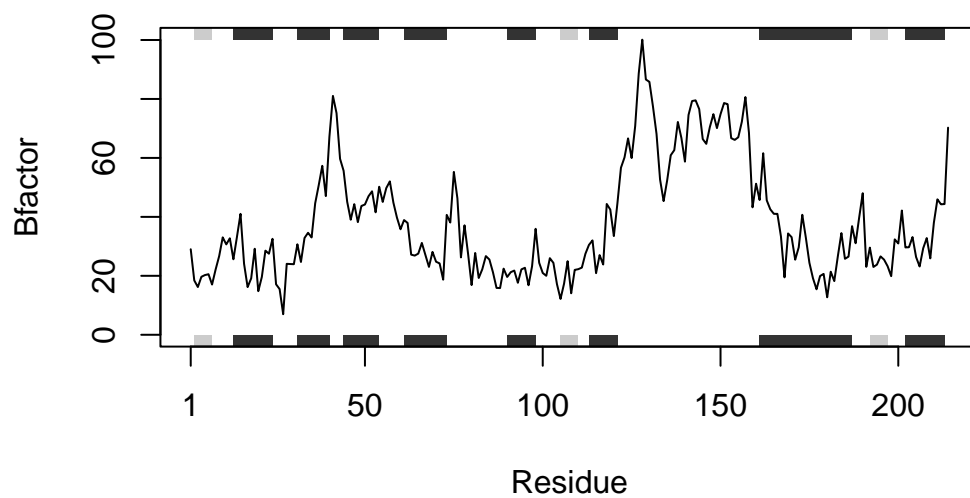
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1E4Y



4AKE



Cluster Dendrogram



dist(x)
hclust (*, "complete")

```
partb("4AKE", "1AKE")
```

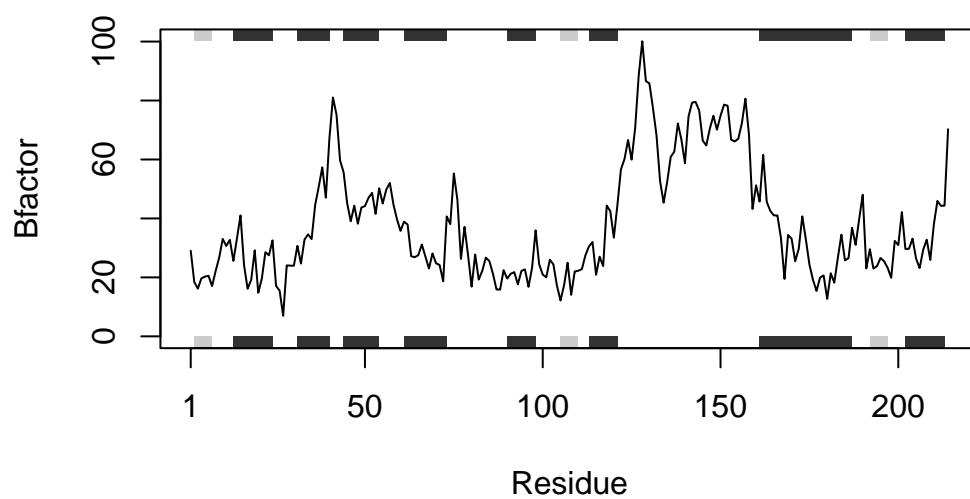
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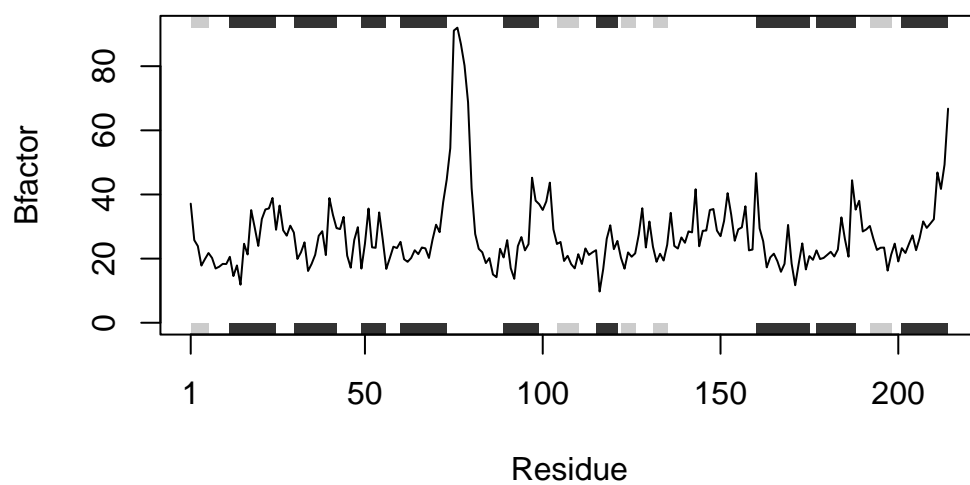
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4AKE



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1AKE



NULL