# Comvi - Comparative Visualization of Molecular Surfaces using Similarity-based Clustering

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**Abstract**— The goal of this paper is to show the reader the abstract methods and concrete applications that were used to extract and compare features and rank the similarity of the molecular protein maps. Further we present a new method of how the won data can be visualized on high resolution and large displays with a The paper describes the process and the approaches that were taken to solve this task.

Index Terms—Clustering, Similarity, feature extraction, Visualization, high-resolution display, Powerwall, MegaMol, VISUS

#### 1 Introduction

Over the span of 6 months we, the authors of this paper, have researched and implemented a comparative clustering of molecular maps. The task consisted of several challenges Over the cours of the next few pages you will learn how we tackled these challenges and how we solved them.

#### 2 RELATED WORK

TODO: cite kolesar for clustering

### 2.1 Initial Challenges and encountered problems

It is clear that the task required from us that we learn how to compare the images, measure the distances between the images, and cluster these images. The given task required that

We could chose to find similarities and cluster the proteins in the .pdb format or given as bitmap image generated by TODO: cite megamol protein image

### 2.2 Approaches to the Clustering-Problem

Right of the start we had several ideas of how we could approach this problem. With the recent trend in machine learning we had a couple of ideas of how we could determine a similarity metric between two images or classify an image into a more usable vector of data.

We ended up using a higher dimensional feature vector ... to determine the similarirty between two protein maps because we didnt manage to train a custom model in the given timeframe, due to

But our initial results with a pretrained Imagenet TODO: cite imagenet TODO: cite darknet publication model let us to believe that it shoud be definetly possible for this specified task to find a machine learning solution.

#### 2.3 Approaches to the Visualization-Task

Our aproaches to visualizing the given clusters were the following, the reader is reminded that we are not just visualizing the clusters on a "normal machine" but rather the POWERWALL, a projected display with effectively 6-24 times the resolution of a consumer grade display. Details on the POWERWALL can be found TODO: cite powerwall publication here if available.



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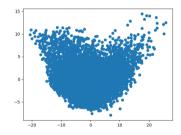


Figure 1: Early test with the Oxford flower dataset **TODO:** cite oxford flower dataset

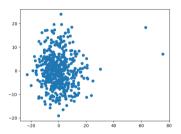


Figure 2: Early test with the bmw car dataset **TODO:** cite stanford car dataset

- 2.3.1 Approaches to the Interaction with the Powerwall TODO: cite correct pub and use correct name
- 2.4 Finding a feature vector to cluster the images
- 2.5 Finding the best performing similarity measure
- 2.6 Finding the best performing clustering algorithm
- 2.7 Testing the feature vector with other datasets

## 2.8 Finding the

# 2.9 Discussion of results

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Table 1: lorem ipsum tabulated

| dataset | full performance (fps) | half performance (ms) |
|---------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| balls   | 1,243                  | 0.1                   |
| buckets | 23                     | 23                    |
| bolts   | 23,312,134.3           | 22.1                  |

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