

ColabFold

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ColabFold Bax Prediction (~20 minutes)

- Copy the ColabFold to your Google Drive

<https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1KlbP18w3HLg7bTgwrtJXGZIBjiEF8bl4?usp=sharing>

- The example prepared is Bax protein, but the areas you need to modify before running:
 - Input Sequence (Query Sequence, Job Name, Minimization, and Templates)
 - MSA Options (MSA Mode and Pair Mode)
 - Advanced Settings (Model Type, Save to Drive, and Figure Quality)
- After all changes are made, click Runtime > Run All

MMseqs2

- **Goal:** Fast MSA search, Diverse MSA, and Small MSA for limited resources
- Fast MSA search
 - Prefilter with MMseqs2 server
- Diverse MSA
 - New workflow with increased sensitivity
- Small MSA for limited resources (Max of 3000)
 - New filter for sampling sequence space evenly

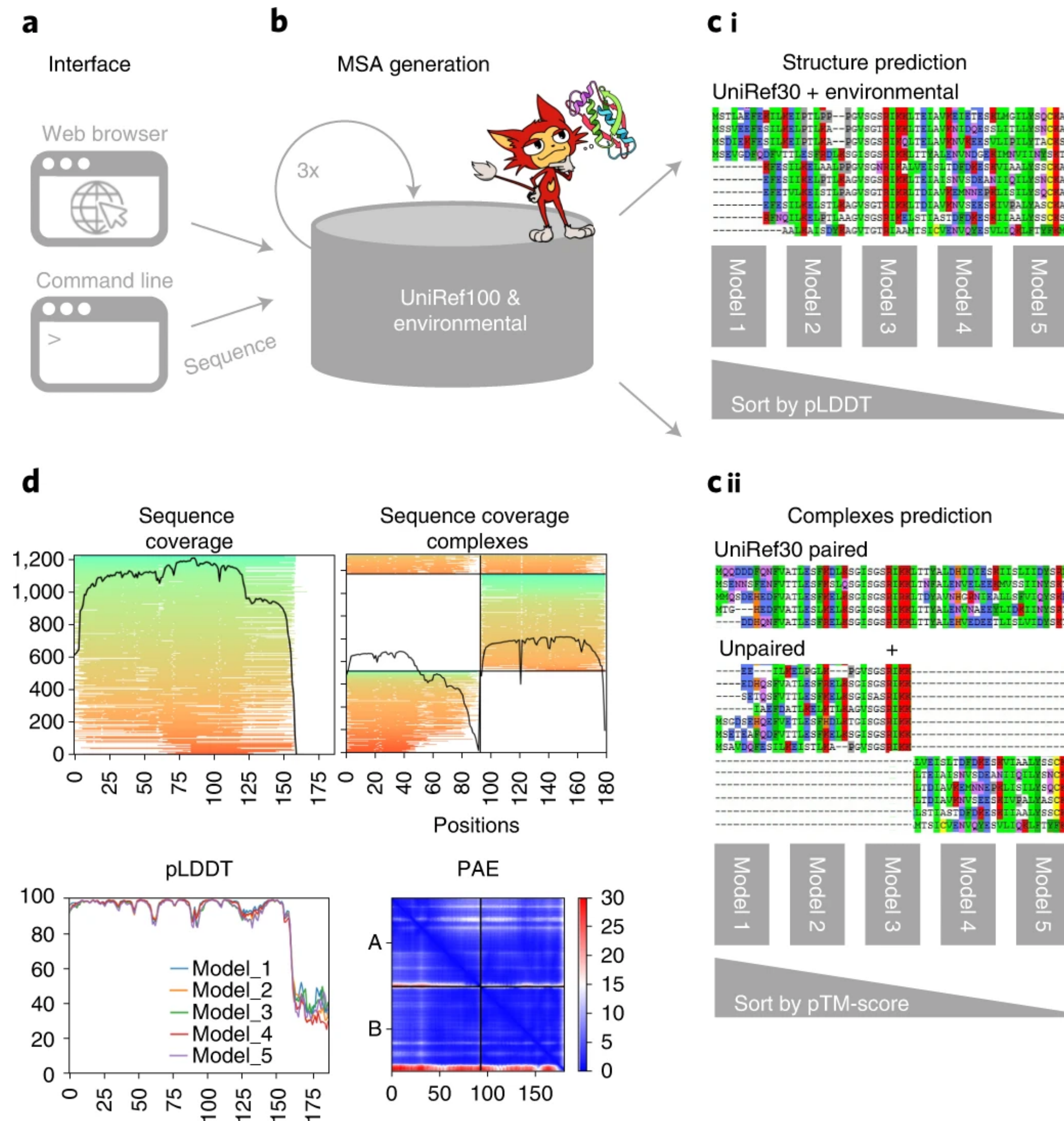
MMseqs2

- Query sequence is sent to MMseqs2 server and searches UniRef30 (*increases sensitivity*)
- Each hit with E-value < 0.1 are searched against UniRef100
- Filtering (HHfilter)
 - Each UniRef30 cluster pair have no higher similarity than 95%
 - Minimum column score is 80% regardless of sequence similarity if at least 100 sequences are found
 - Further filtering is done before MSA generation to not allow removal of redundant sequences by sequence identity “bucket” ([0.0–0.2], (0.2–0.4], (0.4–0.6], (0.6–0.8] and (0.8–1.0]; *increases diversity*)
- Pre-computed index of sequences and alignments with vmtouch (*small and fast MSA*)

Reduced BFD/MGnify

- BFD contains ~2.2 billion proteins in 64 million clusters
- MGnify contains ~300 million proteins
- To reduce the database:
 - MMseqs2 filtered MGnify against BFD
 - Sequence identity >30% and coverage of at least 90% of a MGnify sequence is added to BFD Cluster
 - 182 million clusters
 - New BFD is filtered, keeping only 10 most diverse sequences
 - Final number of sequences is ~513 million (84 Gb)

ColabFold Schematic



ColabFold Comparison

