

Predictions of the SARS-CoV-2 Omicron Variant (B.1.1.529) Spike Protein Receptor-Binding Domain Structure and Neutralizing Antibody Interactions: HADDOCK results

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Preamble

```
# Load libraries:
library(ggplot2) # For the plots
library(ggsignif) # To perform Wilcoxon/Mann-Whitney tests on vectors of data
library(ggpubr) # For the Kruskal-Wallis test
library(gridExtra) # Miscellaneous Functions for ``Grid'' Graphics

# Load data:
df <- read.csv("haddock_stacks.csv")

# Filter out Beta and Delta:
df <- df[df$variant != "Beta", ]
df <- df[df$variant != "Delta", ]

# Change levels in the vectors (affects ordering):
df$analysis <- factor(df$analysis,
  levels = c("Reference", "AlphaFold2", "RoseTTAFold"))
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df$variant <- factor(df$variant,
  levels = c("Alpha", "Omicron (AlphaFold2)", "Omicron (RoseTTAFold)"))
```

Functions

```
# Significance fucntion for the boxplots:
sigFunc = function(x){
  if(x < 0.001){ "***" }
  else if(x < 0.01){ "**" }
  else if(x < 0.05){ "*" }
  else{ NA }
}

# Kruskal-Wallis test:
kTest = function(DATA){
  kruskal.test(value ~ variant, data = DATA)
}

# Color pallete:

my_colors = c("#23a455", "#2459A3", "#8425A1")

# Boxplots:
boxes = function(DATA, NAME){
  ggplot(data=DATA, aes(x=variant, y=value, fill=analysis)) +
    geom_boxplot(alpha = 0.5) +
    geom_signif(test="wilcox.test",
                comparisons = combn(levels(DATA$variant),
                                   2,
                                   simplify = F),
                step_increase = 0.15,
                vjust = 0.5,
                map_signif_level = sigFunc,
                textsize = 6) +
    scale_fill_manual(values = my_colors) +
    geom_jitter(alpha = 0.5, width = 0.25) +
    stat_compare_means(test = "kruskal.test", size = 2.5, vjust = 32) +
    scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0.2, 0.2)) +
    labs(y = NAME) +
    theme_classic() +
    theme(axis.title.x=element_blank(),
          legend.title = element_blank(),
          axis.text.x=element_text(size=7.5),
          axis.text.y=element_text(size=7.5),
          legend.position = "none")
}

boxes2 = function(DATA, NAME){
  ggplot(data=DATA, aes(x=variant, y=value, fill=analysis)) +
    geom_boxplot(alpha = 0.5) +
    geom_signif(test="wilcox.test",
                comparisons = combn(levels(DATA$variant),
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                2,
                simplify = F),
  step_increase = 0.2,
  map_signif_level = function(p) sprintf("p = %.2g", p),
  textsize = 3) +
  stat_compare_means(test="kruskal.test",
                    textsize = 3,
                    vjust = 16,
                    hjust = 0.5) +
  scale_fill_manual(values = my_colors) +
  geom_jitter(alpha = 0.5, width = 0.25) +
  scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0.2,0.2)) +
  labs(y = NAME) +
  theme_classic() +
  theme(axis.title.x=element_blank(),
        legend.title = element_blank(),
        legend.position = "bottom")
}

get_legend<-function(PLOT){
  tmp <- ggplot_gtable(ggplot_build(PLOT))
  leg <- which(sapply(tmp$grobs, function(x) x$name) == "guide-box")
  legend <- tmp$grobs[[leg]]
  return(legend)
}

```

HADDOCK values

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# Filter:
subset <- df[df$variable == "haddock", ]

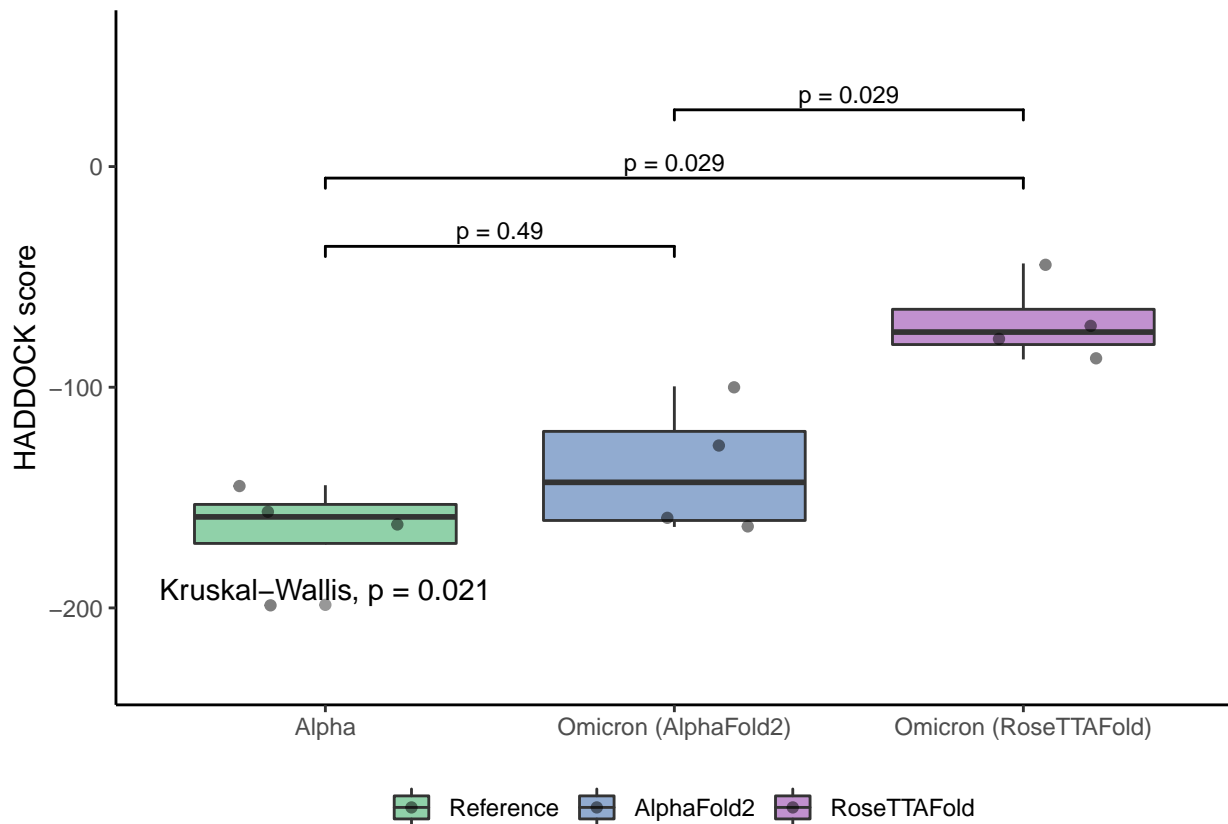
# Kruskal-Wallis test:
had_kw <- kTest(subset)
print(had_kw)

##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: value by variant
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 7.7308, df = 2, p-value = 0.02095

# Boxplots:
had_plot <- boxes2(subset, "HADDOCK score")

## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize
print(had_plot)

```



Van der Waals energy

```
# Filter:
subset <- df[df$variable == "Van_der_Waals", ]

# Kruskal-Wallis test:
vdw_kw <- kTest(subset)
print(vdw_kw)

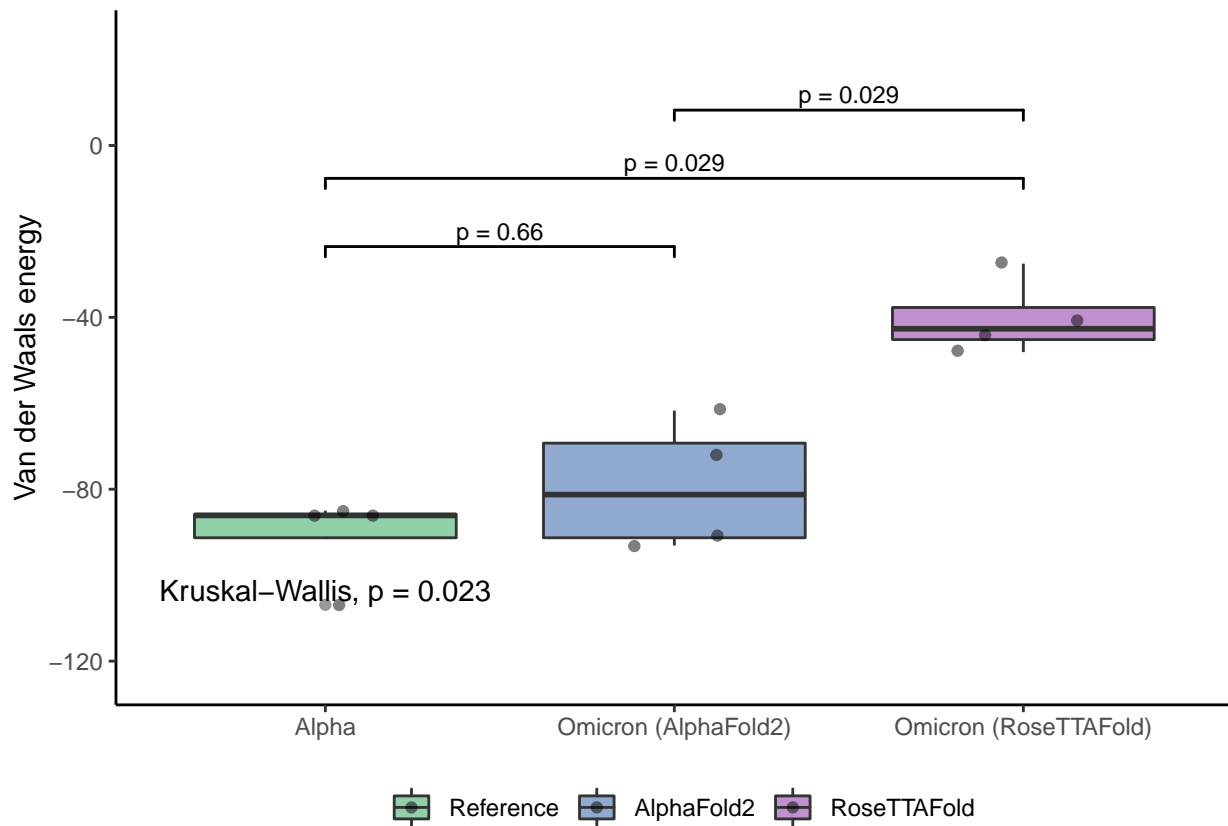
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: value by variant
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 7.5649, df = 2, p-value = 0.02277

# Boxplots:
vdw_plot <- boxes2(subset, "Van der Waals energy")

## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize
print(vdw_plot)

## Warning in wilcox.test.default(c(-106.9, -86.1, -86.1, -85), c(-90.7, -93.1, :
## cannot compute exact p-value with ties

## Warning in wilcox.test.default(c(-106.9, -86.1, -86.1, -85), c(-27.5, -48.1, :
## cannot compute exact p-value with ties
```



Electrostatic energy

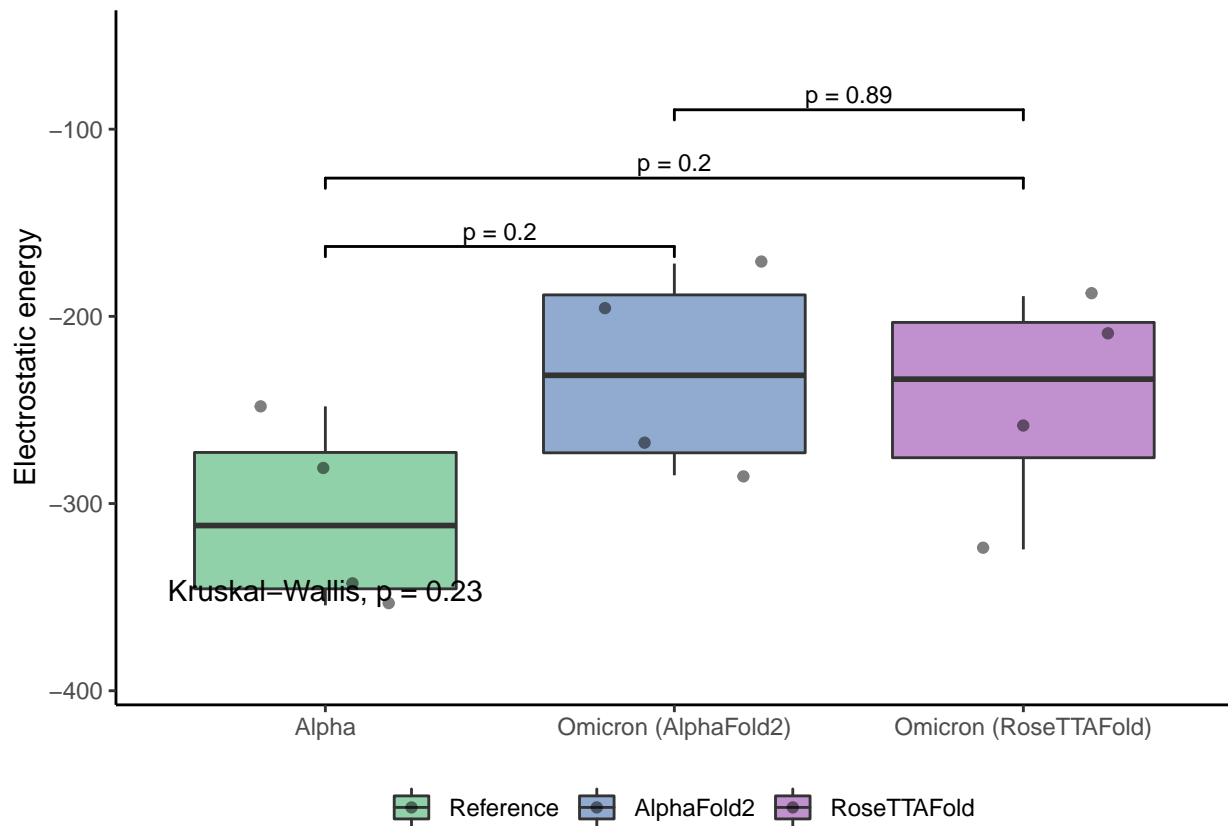
```
# Filter:
subset <- df[df$variable == "electrostatic", ]

# Kruskal-Wallis test:
elt_kw <- kTest(subset)
print(elt_kw)

##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: value by variant
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 2.9231, df = 2, p-value = 0.2319

# Boxplots:
elt_plot <- boxes2(subset, "Electrostatic energy")

## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize
print(elt_plot)
```



Desolvation energy

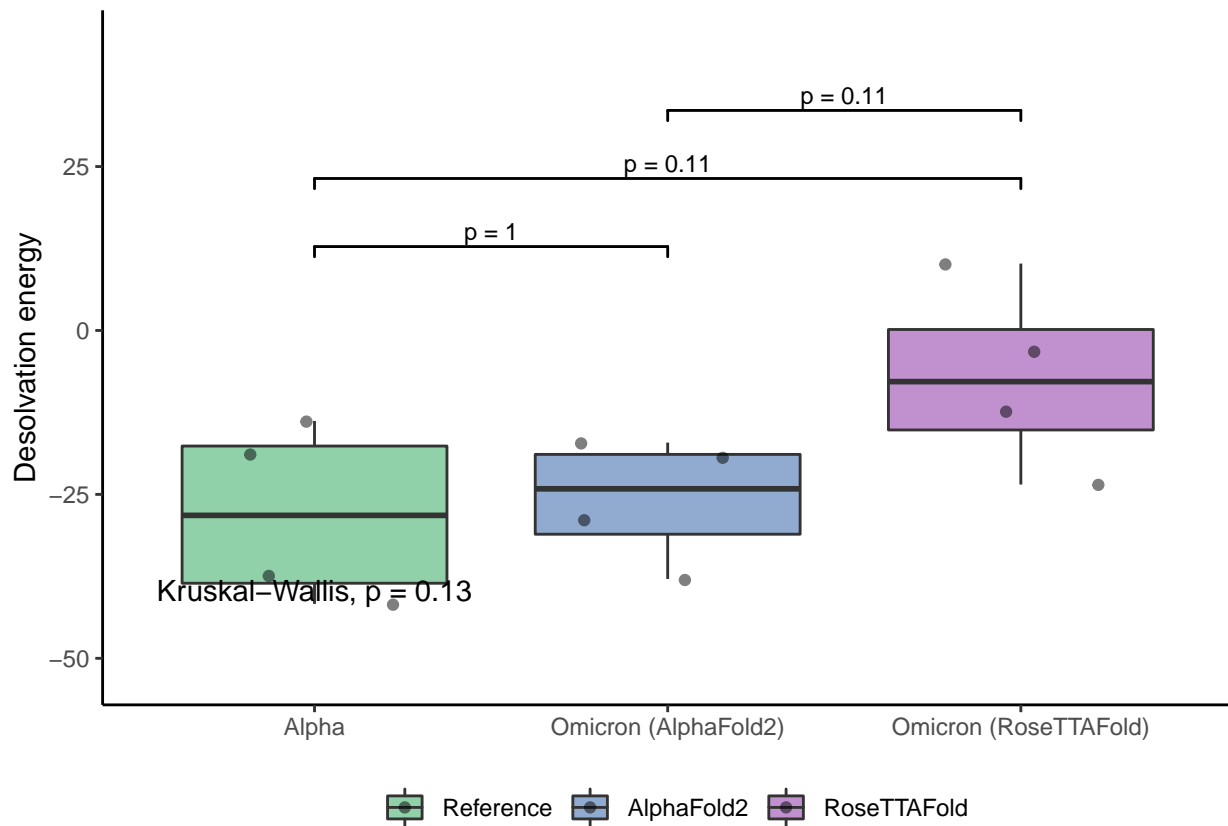
```
# Filter:
subset <- df[df$variable == "desolvation", ]

# Kruskal-Wallis test:
des_kw <- kTest(subset)
print(des_kw)

##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: value by variant
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 4.1538, df = 2, p-value = 0.1253

# Boxplots:
des_plot <- boxes2(subset, "Desolvation energy")

## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize
print(des_plot)
```



Restraints violation energy

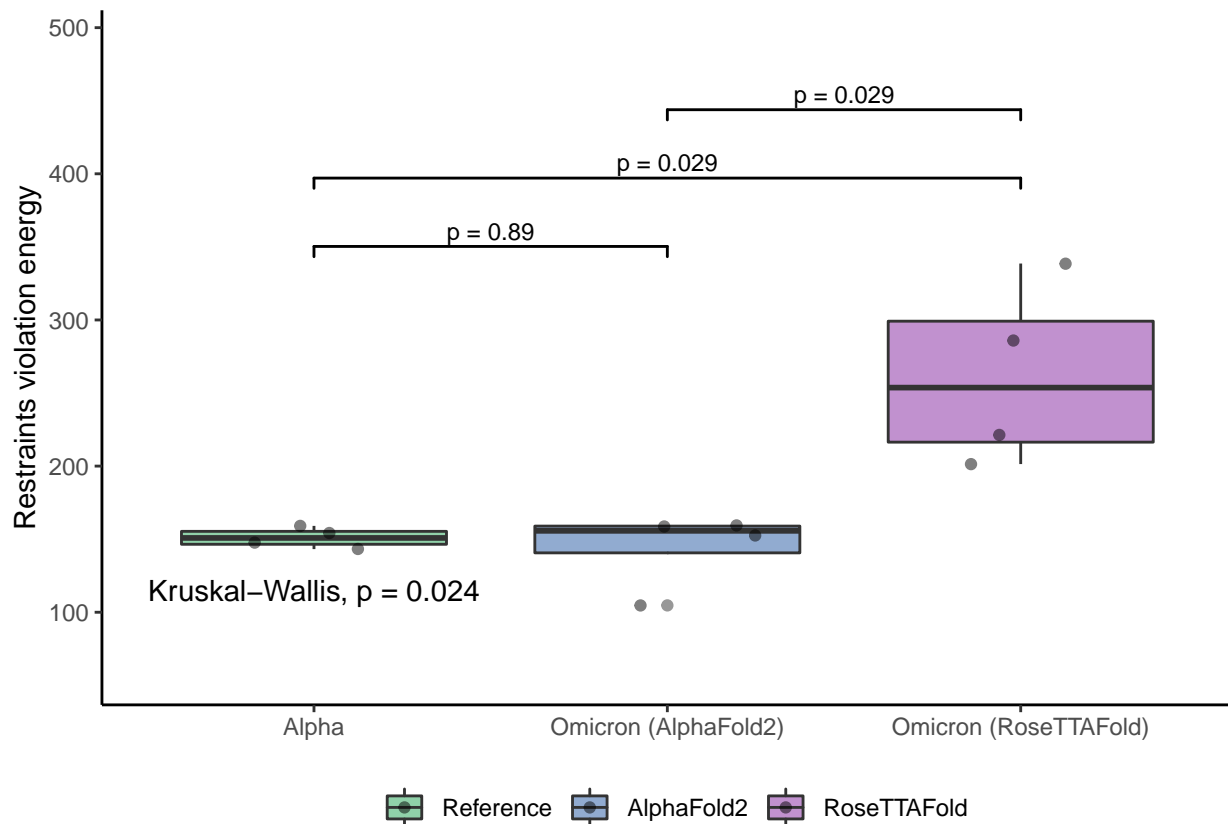
```
# Filter:
subset <- df[df$variable == "restraints", ]

# Kruskal-Wallis test:
res_kw <- kTest(subset)
print(res_kw)

##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: value by variant
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 7.4231, df = 2, p-value = 0.02444

# Boxplots:
res_plot <- boxes2(subset, "Restraints violation energy")

## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize
print(res_plot)
```



Buried surface area

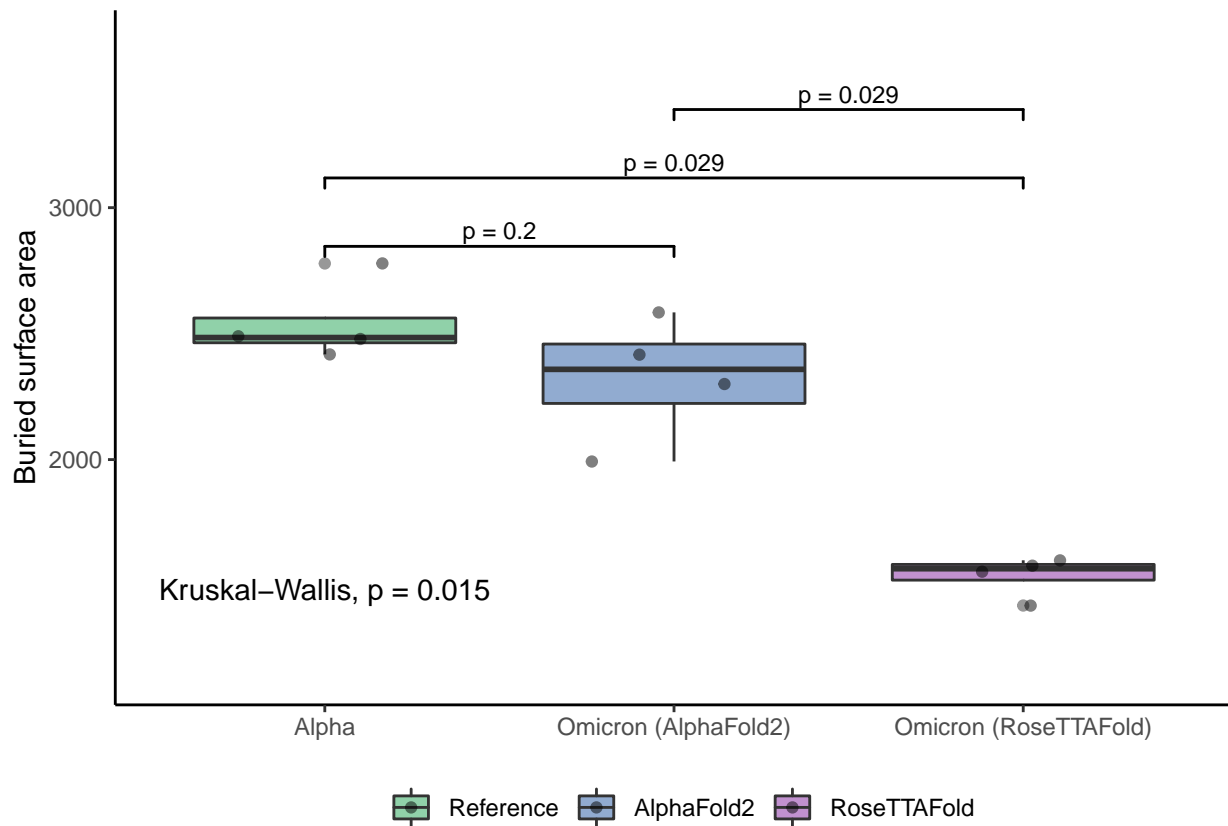
```
# Filter:
subset <- df[df$variable == "buried", ]

# Kruskal-Wallis test:
bur_kw <- kTest(subset)
print(bur_kw)

##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: value by variant
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 8.3462, df = 2, p-value = 0.0154

# Boxplots:
bur_plot <- boxes2(subset, "Buried surface area")

## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize
print(bur_plot)
```

Multi panel plot

```
# grid.arrange(had_plot, vdw_plot, elt_plot, des_plot, res_kw, bur_plot, ncol=2, top="HADDOCK results")
myGrid <- grid.arrange(
  boxes(df[df$variable == "haddock", ], "HADDOCK score"),
  boxes(df[df$variable == "Van_der_Waals", ], "Van der Waals energy"),
  boxes(df[df$variable == "electrostatic", ], "Electrostatic score"),
  boxes(df[df$variable == "desolvation", ], "Desolvation energy"),
  boxes(df[df$variable == "restraints", ], "Restraints violation energy"),
  boxes(df[df$variable == "buried", ], "Buried surface area"),
  get_legend(boxes2(df[df$variable == "haddock", ], "HADDOCK score")),
  layout_matrix=rbind(c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(1, 2),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(3, 4),
    c(5, 6),
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      c(5, 6),
      c(5, 6),
      c(5, 6),
      c(5, 6),
      c(5, 6),
      c(5, 6),
      c(7, 7)),
ncol=2, top="HADDOCK results")

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## Warning: Ignoring unknown parameters: test, textsize

## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing missing values (geom_signif).

## Warning in wilcox.test.default(c(-106.9, -86.1, -86.1, -85), c(-90.7, -93.1, :
## cannot compute exact p-value with ties

## Warning in wilcox.test.default(c(-106.9, -86.1, -86.1, -85), c(-27.5, -48.1, :
## cannot compute exact p-value with ties

## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing missing values (geom_signif).

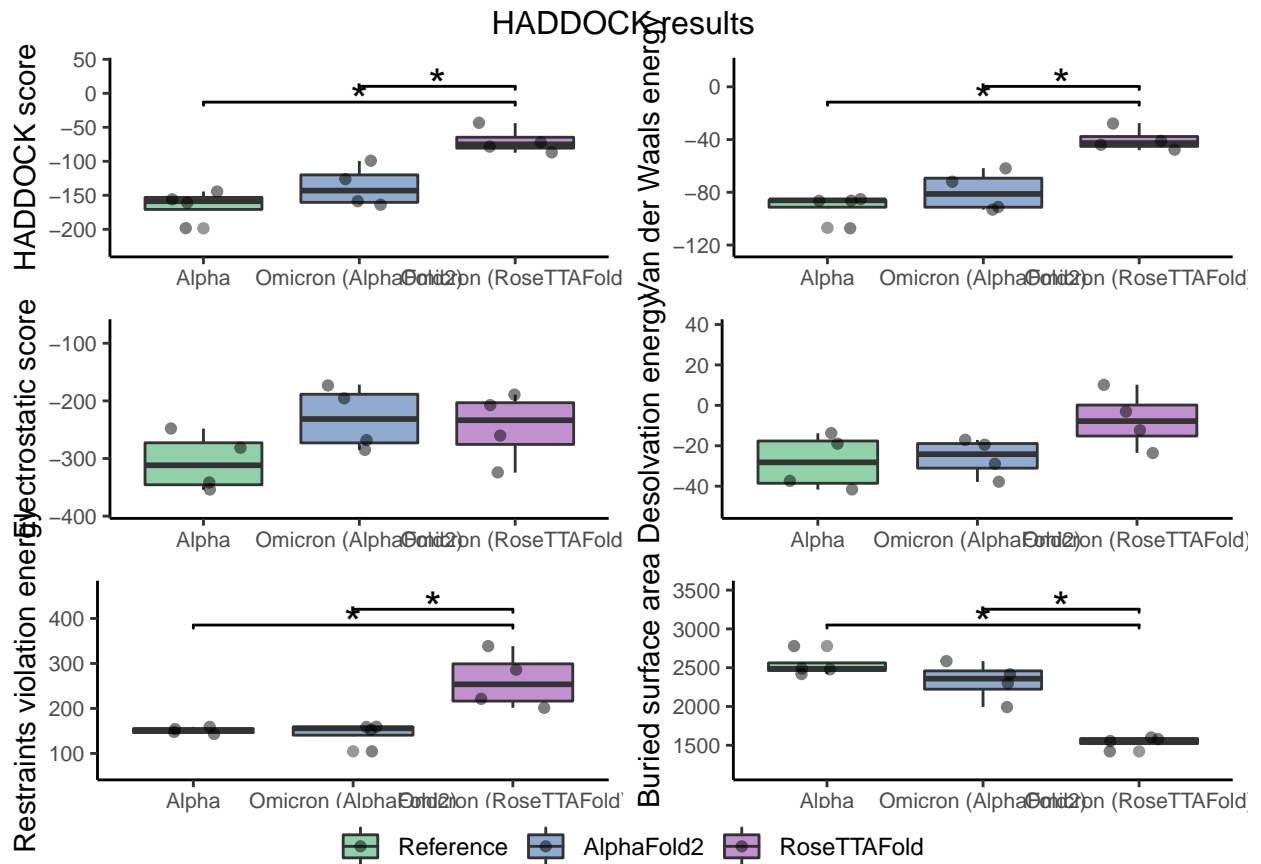
## Warning: Removed 9 rows containing missing values (geom_signif).

## Warning: Removed 9 rows containing missing values (geom_signif).

## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing missing values (geom_signif).

## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing missing values (geom_signif).

```



```
ggsave(filename="haddock_grid.pdf", plot=myGrid, width=6, height=12, units="in")
```