

Class 11: Protein Structure Prediction with AlphaFold

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Here we read the results from AlphaFold and try to interpret all the models and quality score metrics:

```
library(bio3d)

pth <- "hivdimer_23119/"
pdb.files <- list.files(path = pth, full.names = TRUE, pattern = ".pdb")
```

Align and superpose all these models

```
file.exists(pdb.files)
```

```
[1] TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
```

```
pdbbs <- pdbaln(pdb.files, fit = TRUE, exefile="msa")
```

Reading PDB files:

```
hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_001_alphafold2_multimer_v3_model_2_seed_000.pdb
hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_002_alphafold2_multimer_v3_model_5_seed_000.pdb
hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_003_alphafold2_multimer_v3_model_4_seed_000.pdb
hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_004_alphafold2_multimer_v3_model_1_seed_000.pdb
hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_005_alphafold2_multimer_v3_model_3_seed_000.pdb
.....
```

Extracting sequences

```
pdb/seq: 1   name: hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_001_alphafold2_multimer_v3_r
pdb/seq: 2   name: hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_002_alphafold2_multimer_v3_r
```

```

pdb/seq: 3    name: hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_003_alphafold2_multimer_v3_r
pdb/seq: 4    name: hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_004_alphafold2_multimer_v3_r
pdb/seq: 5    name: hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119_unrelaxed_rank_005_alphafold2_multimer_v3_r

```

```

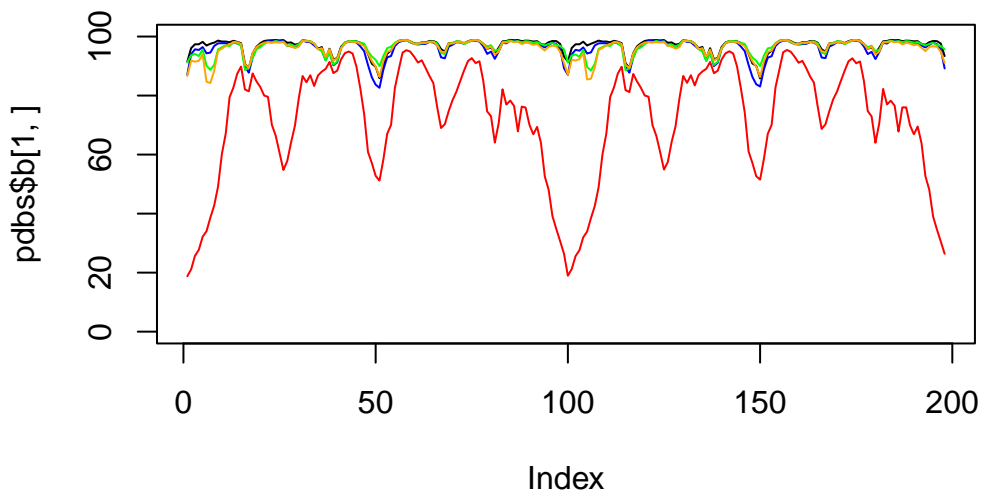
library(bio3dview)
#view.pdbs(pdbs)

```

```

plot(pdbs$b[1,], typ="l", ylim=c(0,100))
lines(pdbs$b[2,], typ="l", col="blue")
lines(pdbs$b[3,], typ="l", col="green")
lines(pdbs$b[4,], typ="l", col="orange")
lines(pdbs$b[5,], typ="l", col="red")

```



Predicted Alignment Error for domains

```

library(jsonlite)

# Listing of all PAE JSON files
pae_files <- list.files(path=pth,

```

```
pattern=".*model.*\\.json",  
full.names = TRUE)
```

```
pae1 <- read_json(pae_files[1],simplifyVector = TRUE)  
pae5 <- read_json(pae_files[5],simplifyVector = TRUE)  
  
attributes(pae1)
```

```
$names  
[1] "plddt" "max_pae" "pae" "ptm" "iptm"
```

```
# Per-residue pLDDT scores  
# same as B-factor of PDB..  
head(pae1$plddt)
```

```
[1] 91.44 96.06 97.38 97.38 98.19 96.94
```

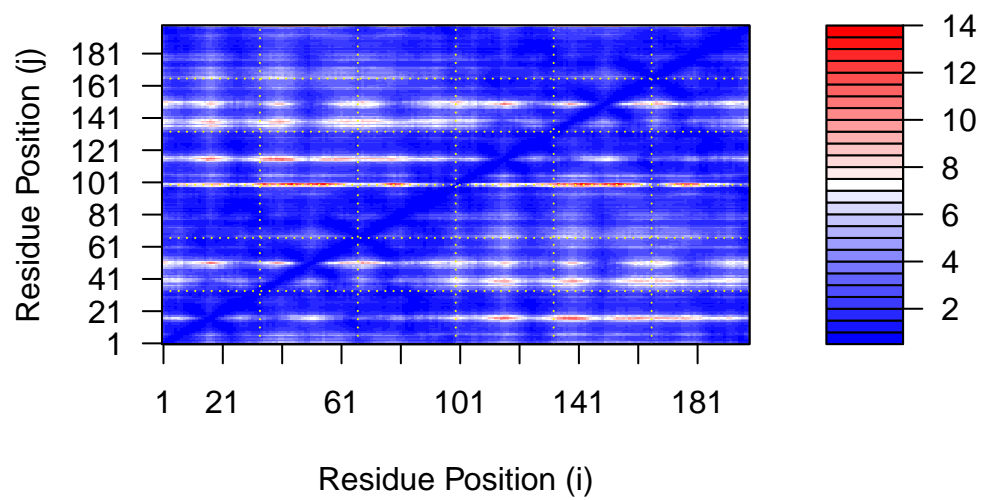
```
pae1$max_pae
```

```
[1] 13.57812
```

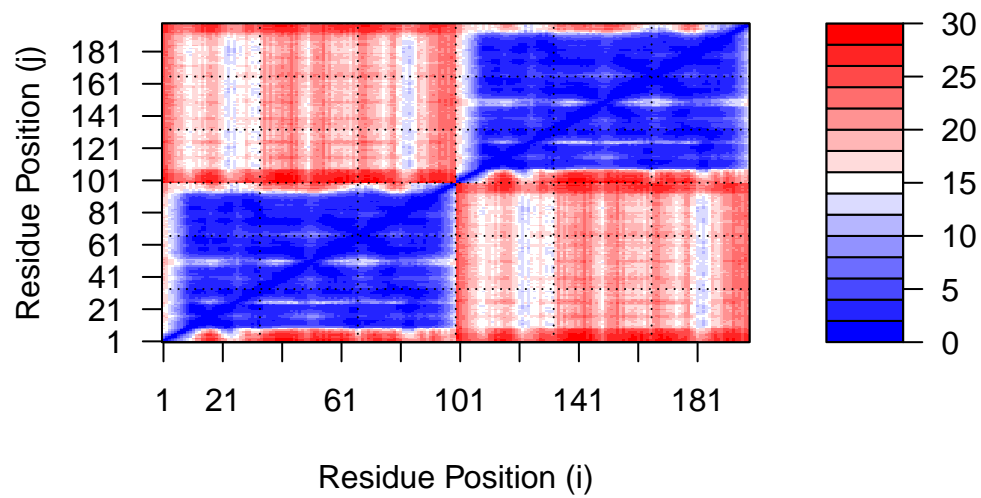
```
pae5$max_pae
```

```
[1] 29.85938
```

```
plot.dmat(pae1$pae,  
          xlab="Residue Position (i)",  
          ylab="Residue Position (j)")
```

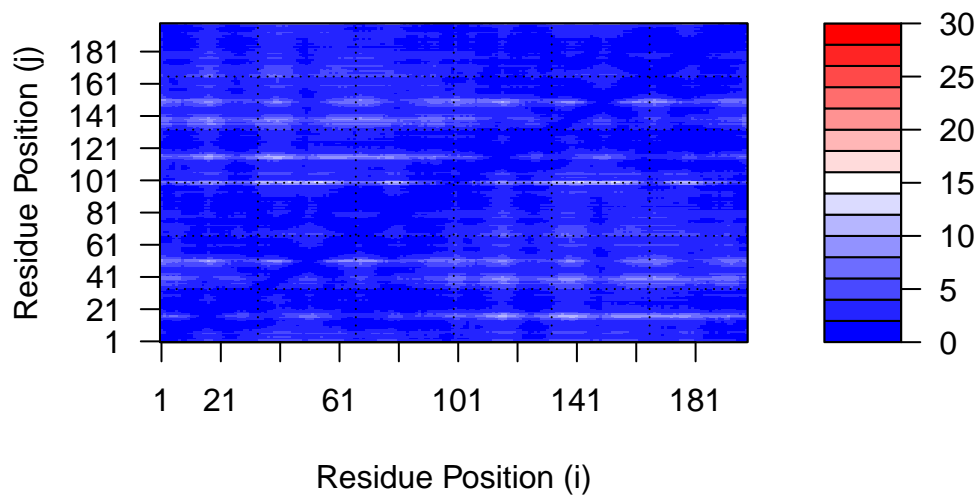


```
plot.dmat(pae5$pae,
  xlab="Residue Position (i)",
  ylab="Residue Position (j)",
  grid.col = "black",
  zlim=c(0,30))
```



We should really plot all of these using the same z range. Here is the model 1 plot again but this time using the same data range as the plot for model 5:

```
plot.dmat(pae1$paes,
  xlab="Residue Position (i)",
  ylab="Residue Position (j)",
  grid.col = "black",
  zlim=c(0,30))
```



Score Residue Conservation from alignment file

AlphaFold returns its large alignment file used for analysis Here we read this file and score conservation per position

```
aln_file <- list.files(path=pth,
                      pattern=".a3m$",
                      full.names = TRUE)
aln_file
```

```
[1] "hivdimer_23119//hivdimer_23119.a3m"
```

```
aln <- read.fasta(aln_file[1], to.upper = TRUE)
```

```
[1] " ** Duplicated sequence id's: 101 **"
[2] " ** Duplicated sequence id's: 101 **"
```

How many sequences are in this alignment

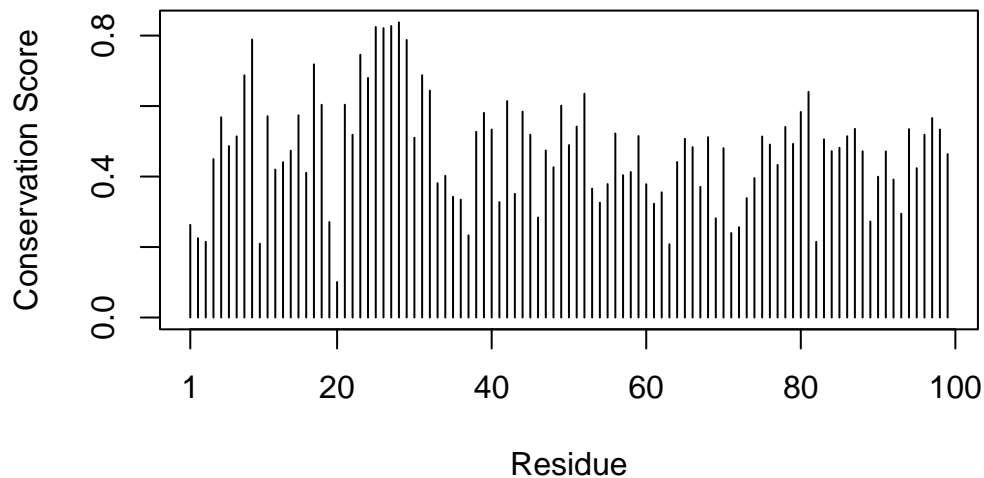
```
dim(aln$ali)
```

```
[1] 5378 132
```

We can score residue conservation in the alignment with the `conserv()` function.

```
sim <- conserv(aln)
```

```
plotb3(sim[1:99],  
        ylab="Conservation Score")
```



Find the consensus sequence at a very high cut-off to find invariant residues

```
con <- consensus(aln, cutoff = 0.9)  
con$seq
```

```
[1] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"  
[19] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "D" "T" "G" "A" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"  
[37] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"  
[55] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"  
[73] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"
```

```
[91] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"
[109] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"
[127] "-" "-" "-" "-" "-" "-"
```

```
rd <- rmsd(pdbbs, fit=T)
```

Warning in rmsd(pdbbs, fit = T): No indices provided, using the 198 non NA positions

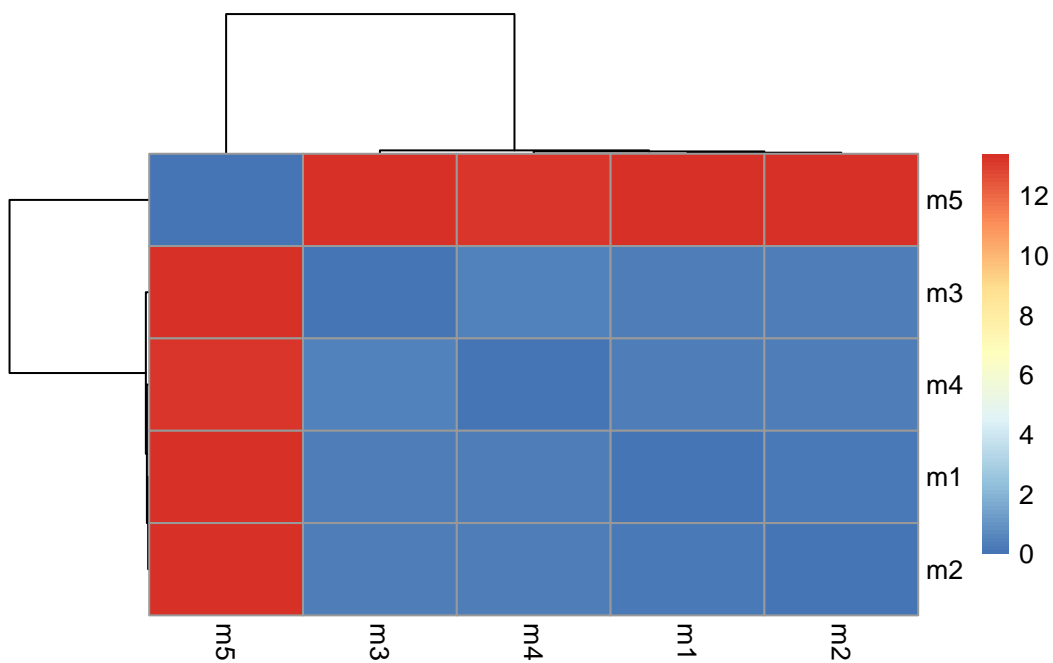
```
range(rd)
```

```
[1] 0.000 13.406
```

Draw a heatmap of these RMSD matrix values

```
library(pheatmap)

colnames(rd) <- paste0("m",1:5)
rownames(rd) <- paste0("m",1:5)
pheatmap(rd)
```



AlphaFold results for my project sequence

```
library(bio3d)

ptht <- "test_50fcd/"
pdbt.files <- list.files(path = ptht, full.names = TRUE, pattern = ".pdb")
```

Align and superpose all these models

```
file.exists(pdbt.files)
```

```
[1] TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
```

```
pdbst <- pdbaln(pdbt.files, fit = TRUE, exefile="msa")
```

Reading PDB files:

```
test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_001_alphafold2_ptm_model_4_seed_000.pdb
test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_002_alphafold2_ptm_model_2_seed_000.pdb
test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_003_alphafold2_ptm_model_1_seed_000.pdb
test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_004_alphafold2_ptm_model_5_seed_000.pdb
test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_005_alphafold2_ptm_model_3_seed_000.pdb
.....
```

Extracting sequences

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pdb/seq: 2   name: test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_002_alphafold2_ptm_model_2_seed_000
pdb/seq: 3   name: test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_003_alphafold2_ptm_model_1_seed_000
pdb/seq: 4   name: test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_004_alphafold2_ptm_model_5_seed_000
pdb/seq: 5   name: test_50fcd//test_50fcd_unrelaxed_rank_005_alphafold2_ptm_model_3_seed_000
```

```
library(bio3dview)
#view.pdbs(pdbst)
```

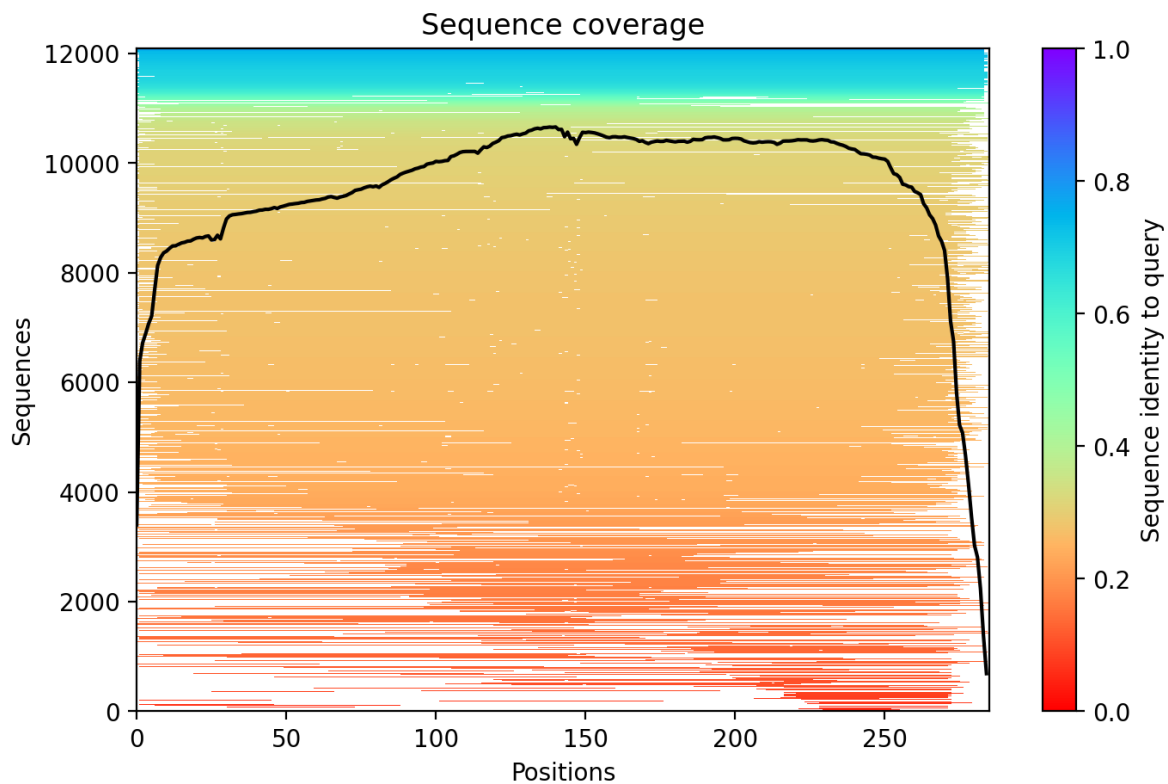


Figure 1: Coverage plot of my project sequence

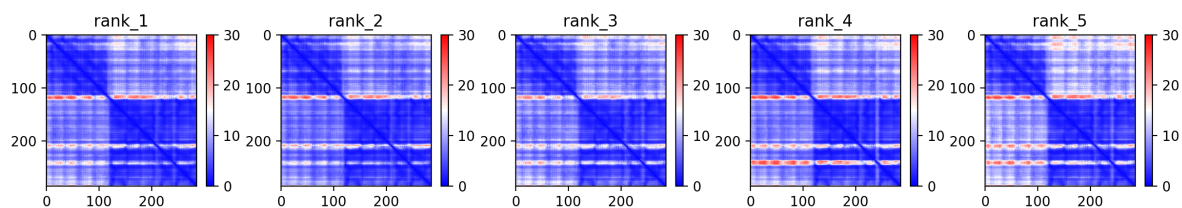


Figure 2: Predicted alignment error of my project sequence

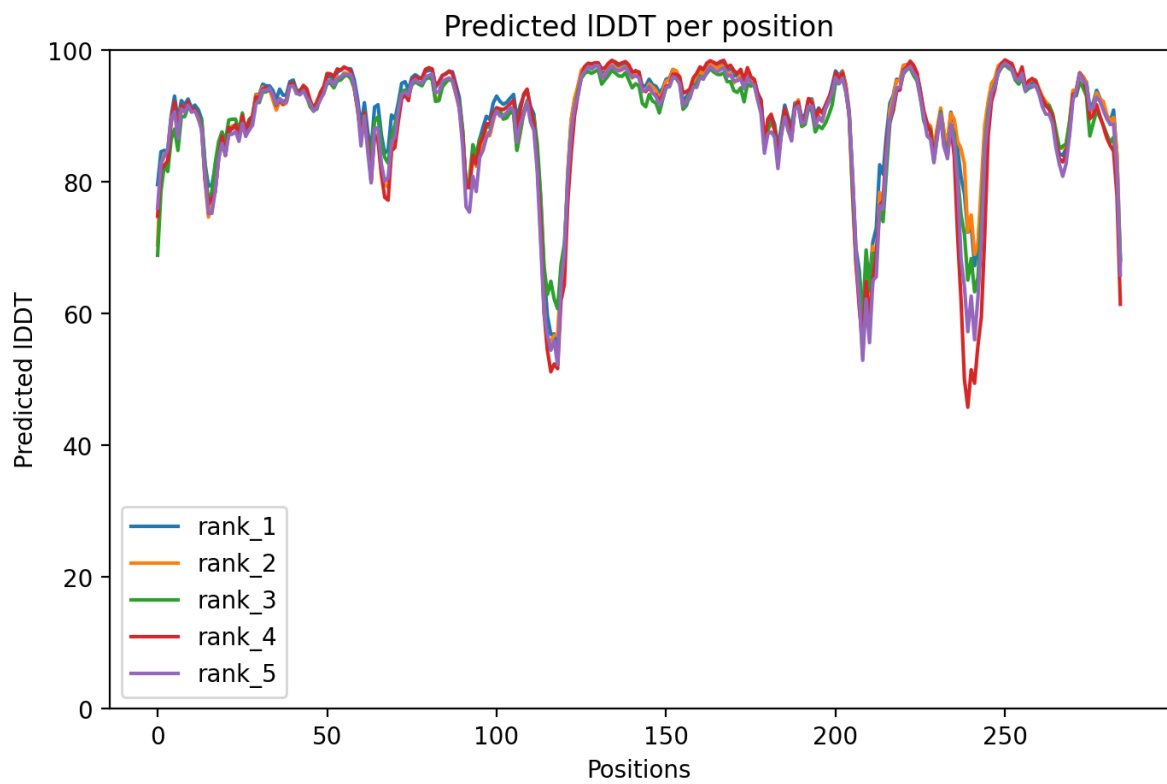


Figure 3: pLDDT of my project sequence