

Algorithms and Tools in Bioinformatics

Data, Tools and Technologies in Bioinformatics

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Course Content

- (1) Overview
- (2) Standard Datasets/Modern File Formats
- (3) Databases/Platforms
- (4) Data (Pre-) Processing**
- (5) Tools
- (6) Machine Learning

(4) Data (Pre-) Processing

“Real-Life” Examples:

~~Population Genetics~~

~~NGS Data~~

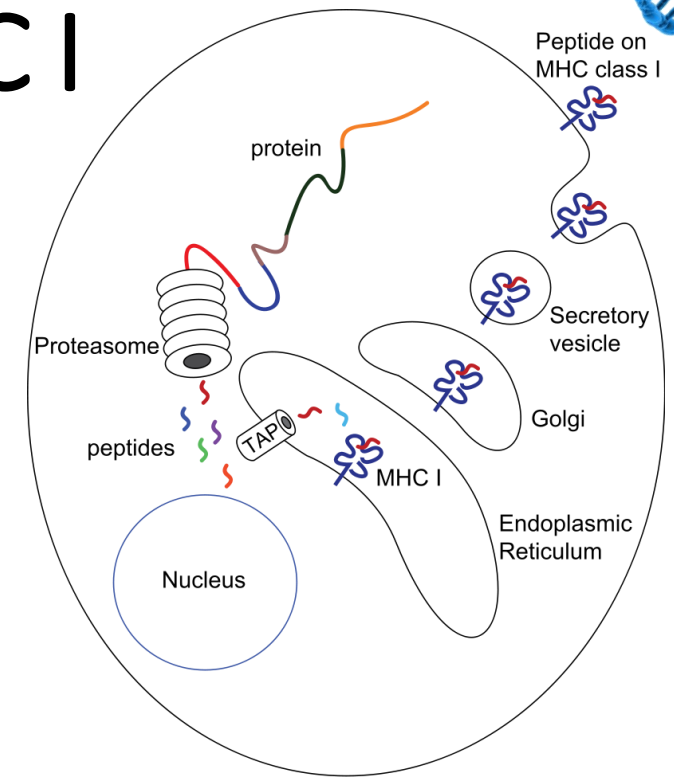
~~Genome Data~~

Protein Data

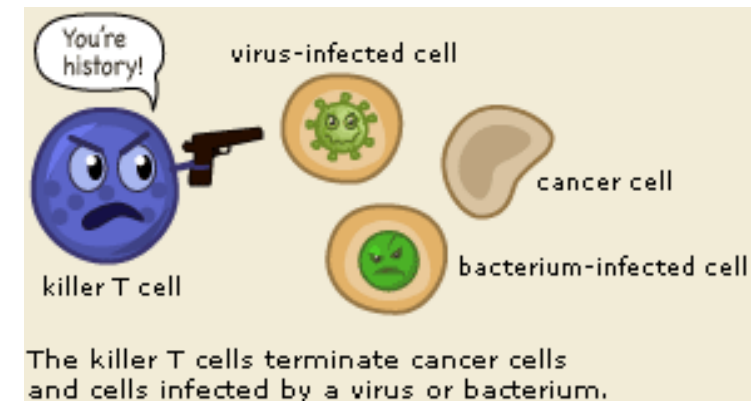


Example: Natural Killer Cells & MHC I

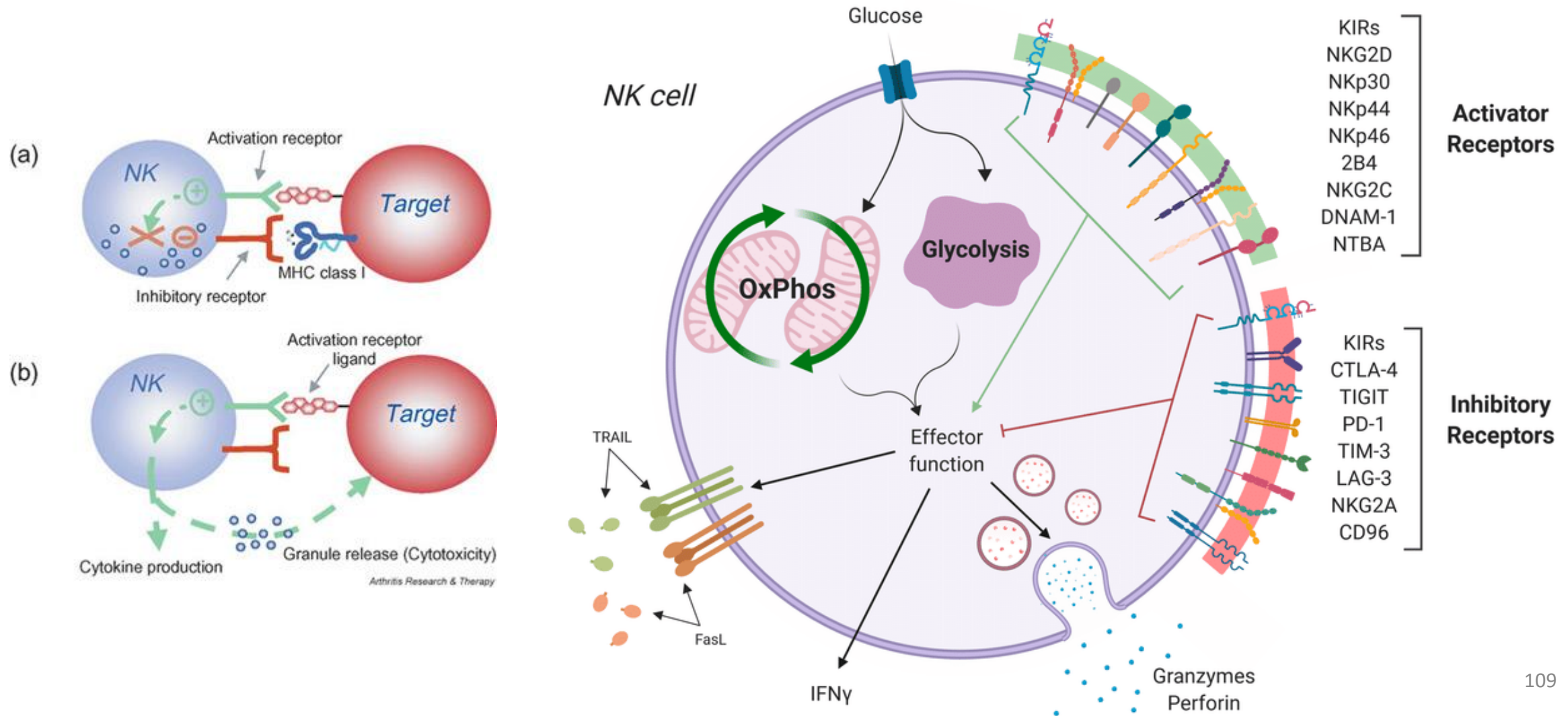
- MHC Class I:
 - = major histocompatibility complex molecule
 - On cell surface of all nucleated cells (in vertebrates) (also on platelets, but not on red blood cells)
 - Present peptides from cytosolic proteins
 - In humans known as **HLA system** (HLA-A, HLA-B, HLA-C are linked to MHC I)
 - (Associate with β 2-microglobulin)
- Natural Killer Cells:
 - Belong to the lymphocytes
 - Recognize abnormal cells (tumor or virus infected cells)
 - Innate immune system
 - Detect MHC I
- PDB-ID: 7DUU



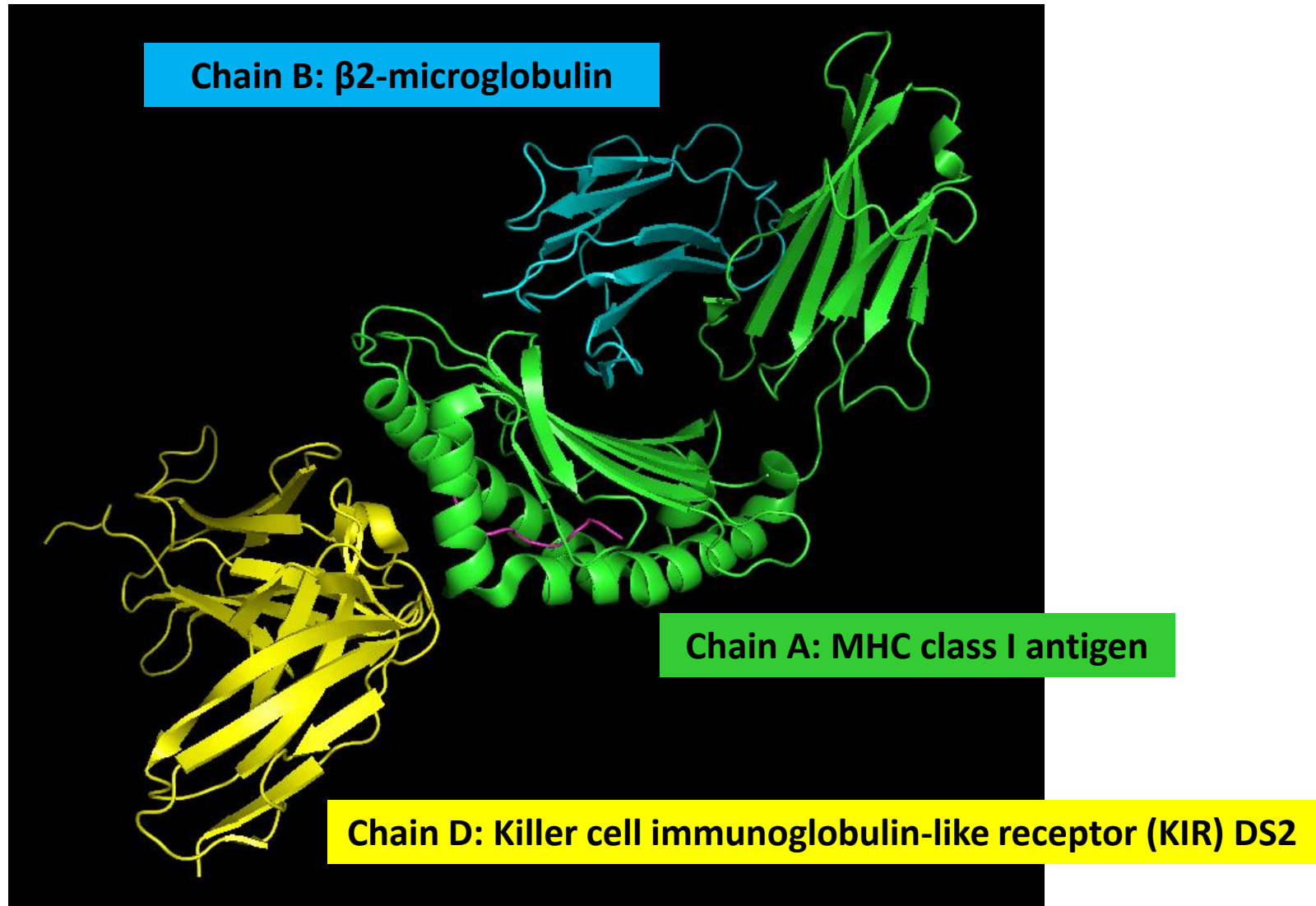
Source: Wikipedia



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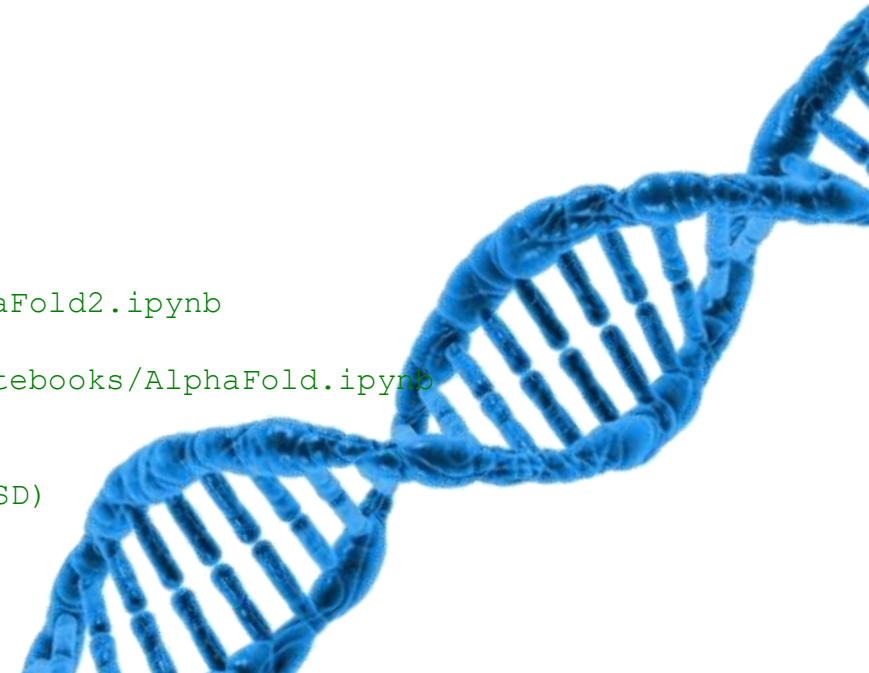
7DUU: Crystal structure of HLA molecule with an KIR receptor



Hands-on...

Colab: ATBI_3

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# 1. load file
# 2. color chains
# 3. remove solvents
# 4. save structure
# 5. show image
# 6. get FASTA sequences
# 7. use AlphaFold2 for structure prediction
    here: https://colab.research.google.com/github/sokrypton/ColabFold/blob/main/AlphaFold2.ipynb
    (one sequence)
    or here: https://colab.research.google.com/github/deepmind/alphafold/blob/main/notebooks/AlphaFold.ipynb
    (multiple sequences)
# 8. load one predicted structure
# 9. align predicted and "true" structure and calculate root-mean-square deviation (RMSD)
    of atomic positions
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(5) Tools



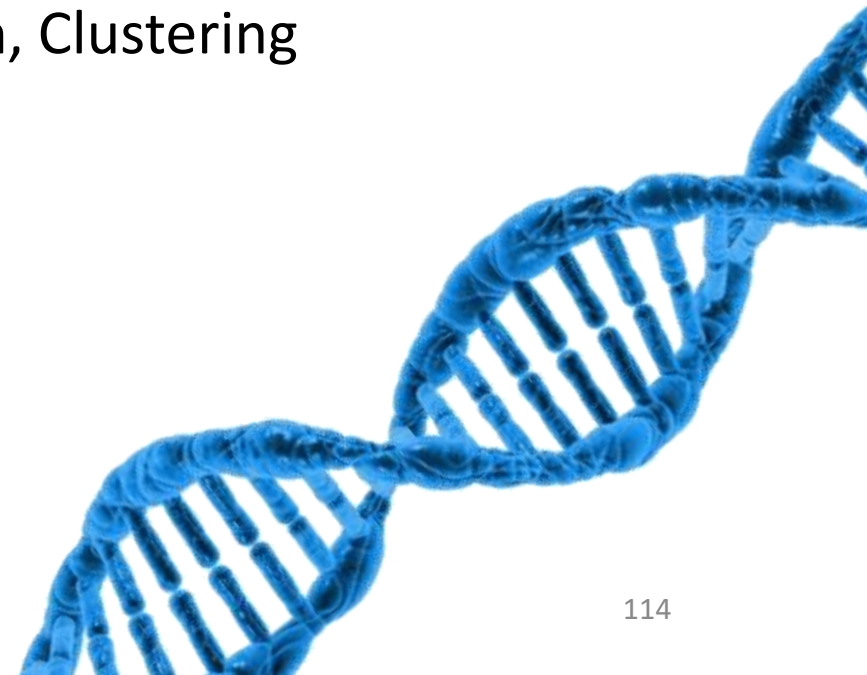
Tools

- .NET Bio
- AMPHORA
- Anduril
- Ascalaph Designer
- AutoDock
- Avogadro
- BEDtools
- Bioclipse
- Bioconductor
- BioJava
- BioJS
- BioMOBY
- BioPerl
- BioPHP
- Biopython
- BioRuby
- BLAST
- Bowtie2
- BWA
- Clustal Omega
- CP2K
- EMBOSS
- Ensembl
- FastQC
- Galaxy
- GATK
- GenePattern
- Geworkbench
- GMOD
- GenGIS
- Genomespace
- GENTle
- GROMACS
- IGV
- InterMine
- LabKey Server
- LAMMPS
- Mothur
- Orange
- ORFfinder
- PathVisio
- Picard
- pyMOL
- SAMtools
- SOAP Suite
- Staden Package
- Taverna workbench
- UGENE
- Unipept
- VOTCA
- Wordom

Adapted from https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_open-source_bioinformatics_software

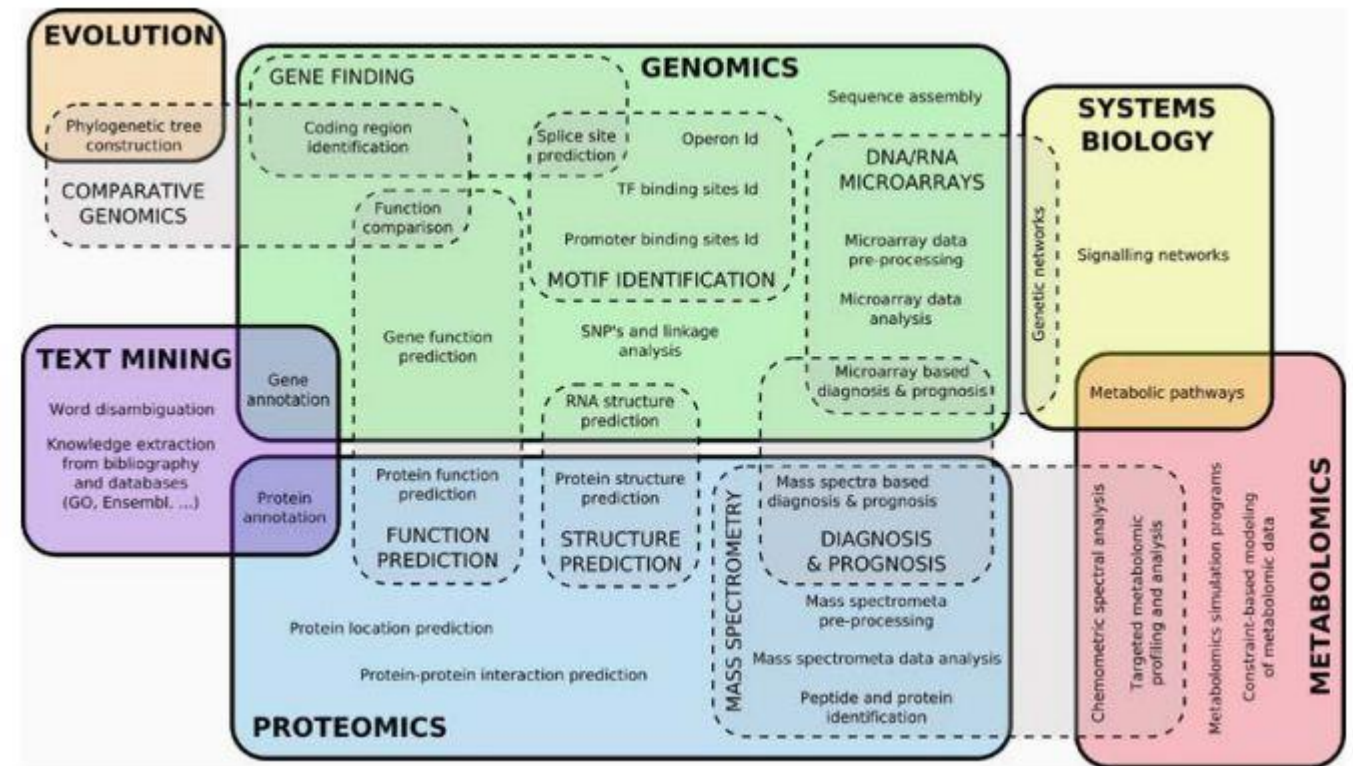
(6) Machine Learning

Feature Selection, Classification, Regression, Clustering



Why Machine Learning in Bioinformatics?

- Gene finding
- Motif identification
- Microarray data analysis/diagnosis/prognosis
- RNA structure prediction
- Protein structure prediction
- Protein function prediction
- Protein-protein interaction prediction
- Knowledge extraction



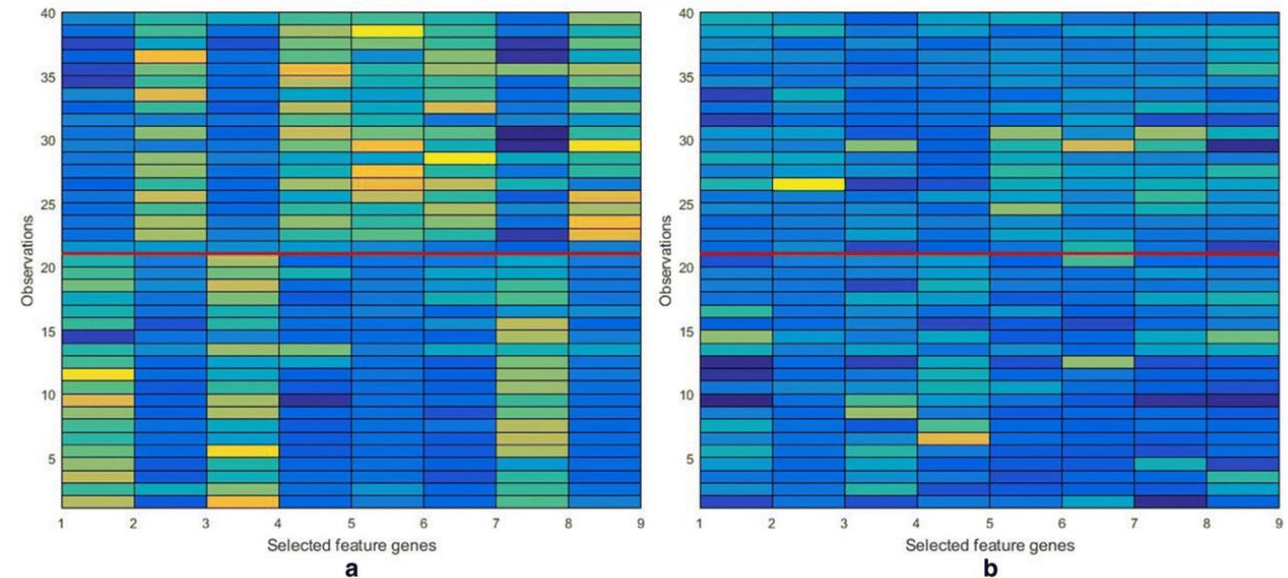
<https://omicstutorials.com/introduction-to-machine-learning-bioinformatics/>

Feature Selection

- = process of removing features from the data set that are irrelevant with respect to the task
- Techniques:
 - Filter-based
 - Selection of optimum feature subset by using statistical metrics
 - e.g., t-test feature selection, correlation-based feature selection
 - Wrappers
 - Building classification models to determine feature importances
 - e.g., genetic algorithms (GA)
 - Embedded
 - Are found within the learners themselves
 - e.g., SVM method of recursive feature elimination (RFE), Random Forest (RF)

Fig. 6

From: [Feature selection of gene expression data for Cancer classification using double RBF-kernels](#)



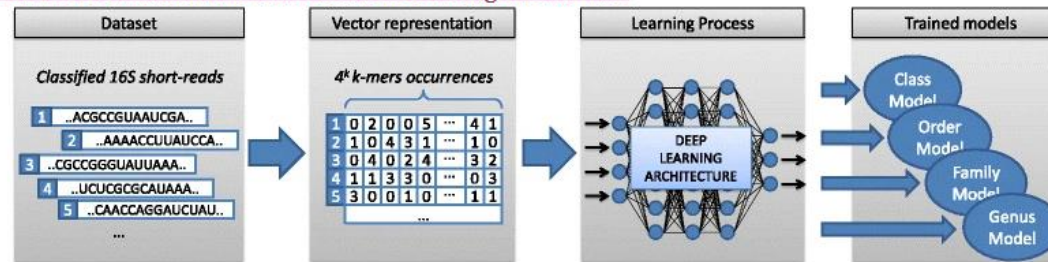
The colormap of the expression profiles for nine most significant genes selected by DKBCGS (a) and for 9 randomly chosen genes (b). The red line distinguishes between cancer samples and normal samples

Liu et al. 2018

Classification

- Labeling genomic data – taxonomic classification

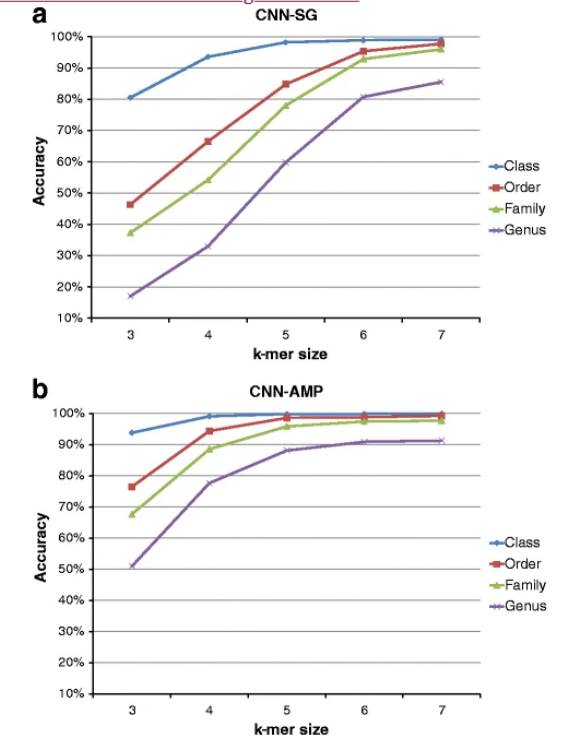
From: [Deep learning models for bacteria taxonomic classification of metagenomic data](#)



Proposed training process. Starting from 16S reads, we proposed a vector representation and a deep learning architecture to obtain trained models for taxonomic classification

- Classify biological sequences by learning sequences and structures
- Diseased vs. healthy
- etc.

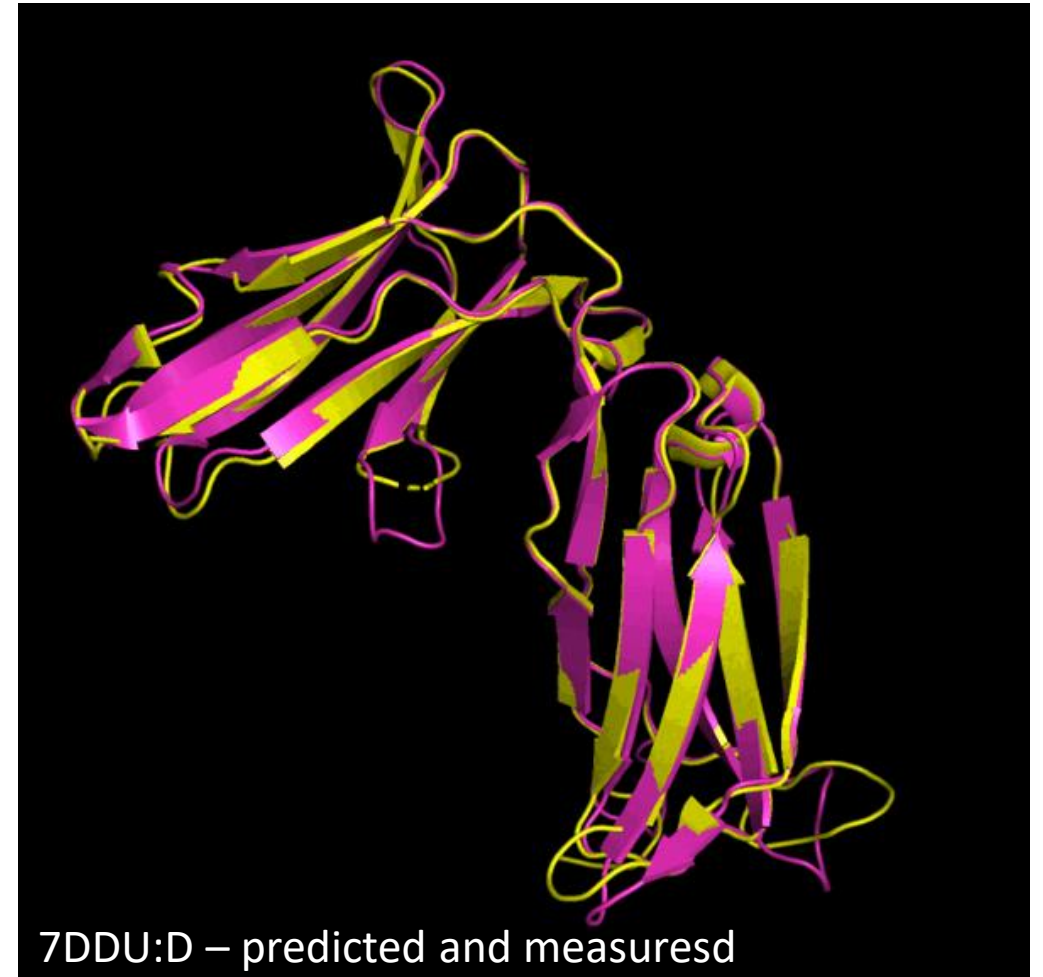
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Fiannaca et al., 2018

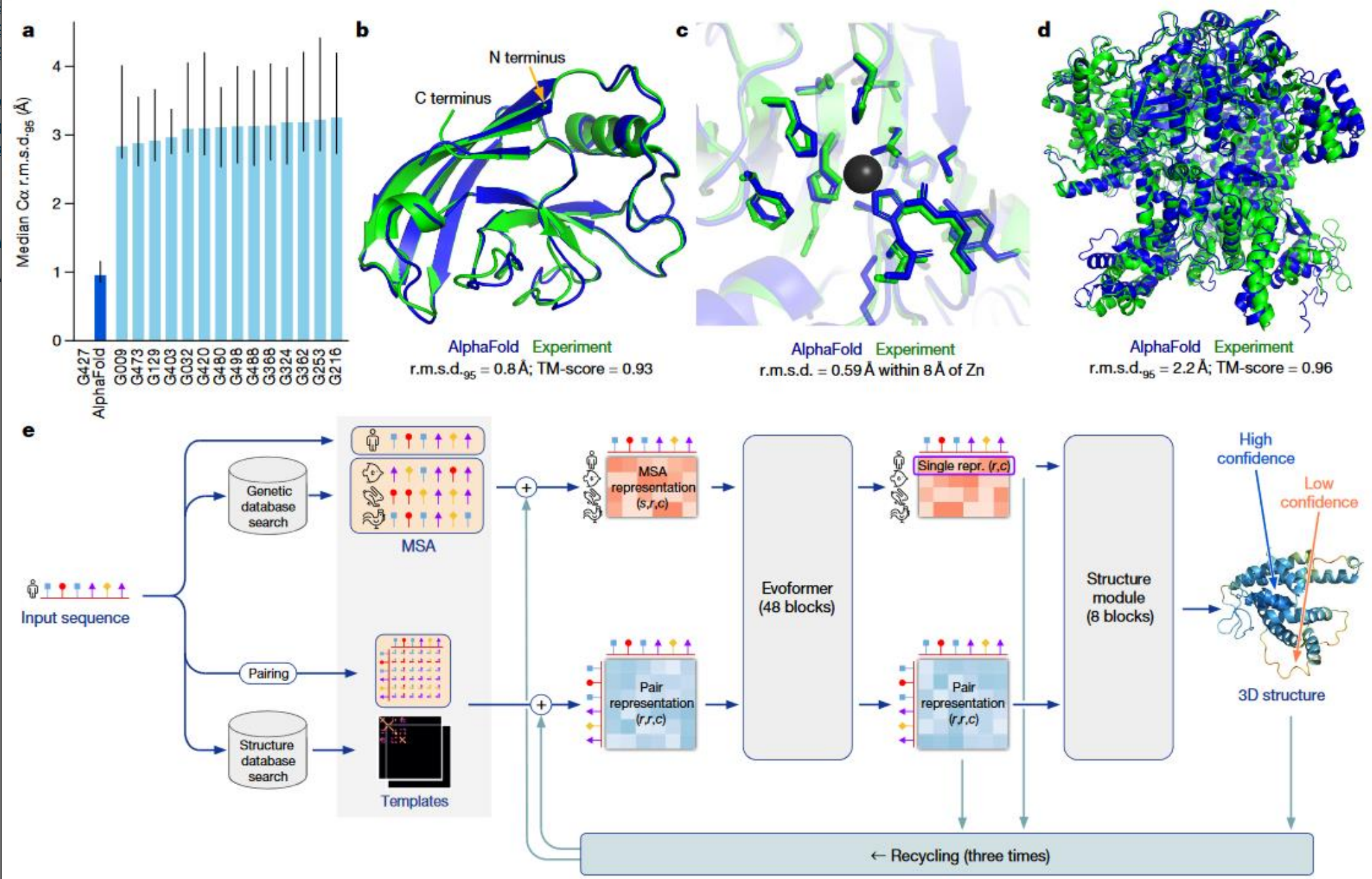
Regression (Predictions)

- Protein structure prediction
- Protein-Protein interactions prediction
- Protein-Ligand interaction prediction
- Microarray data prognosis
- Therapy outcome prediction



Article

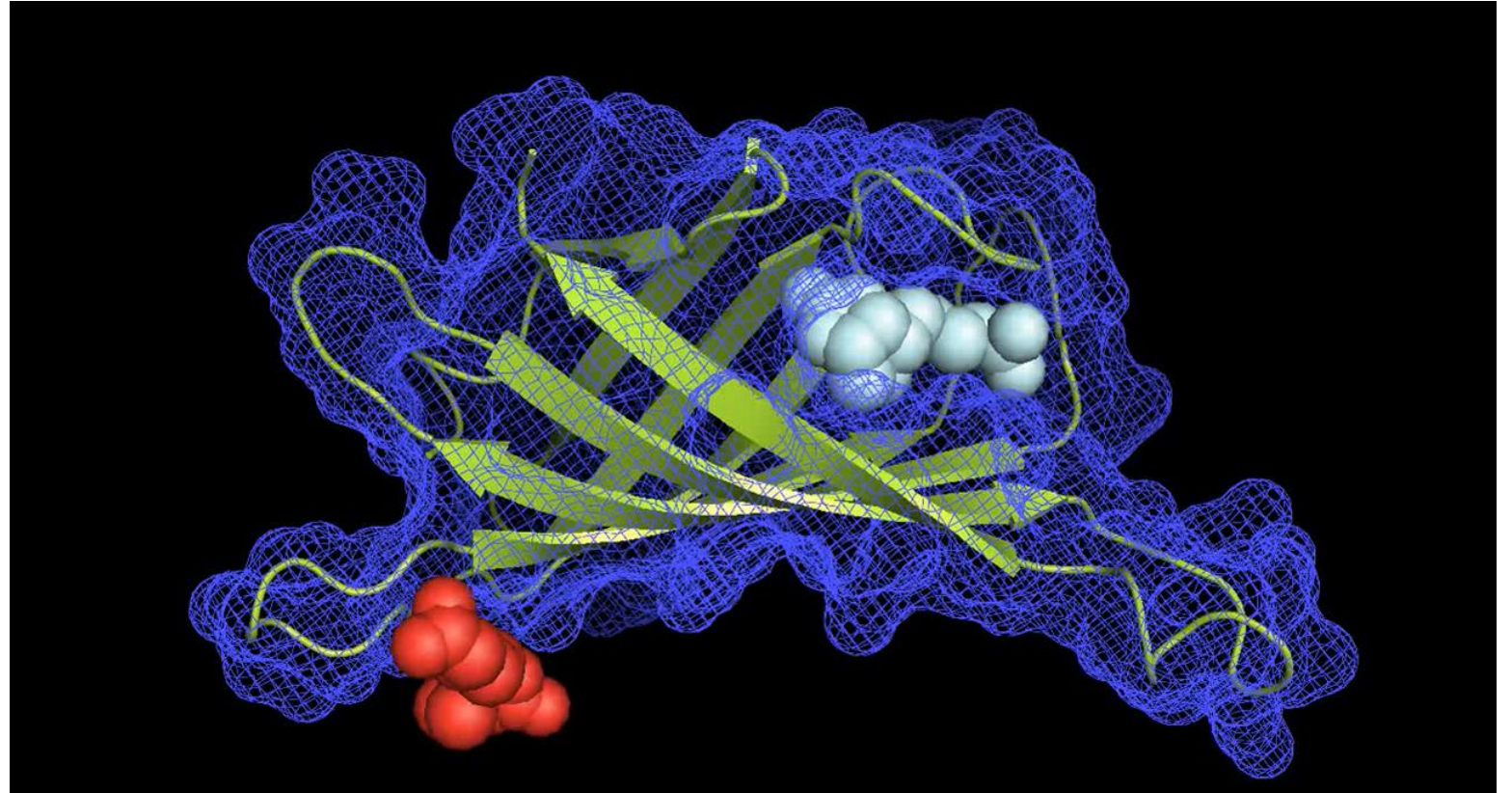
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2	3	4
3	4	5
4	5	7
5	7	8
6	8	

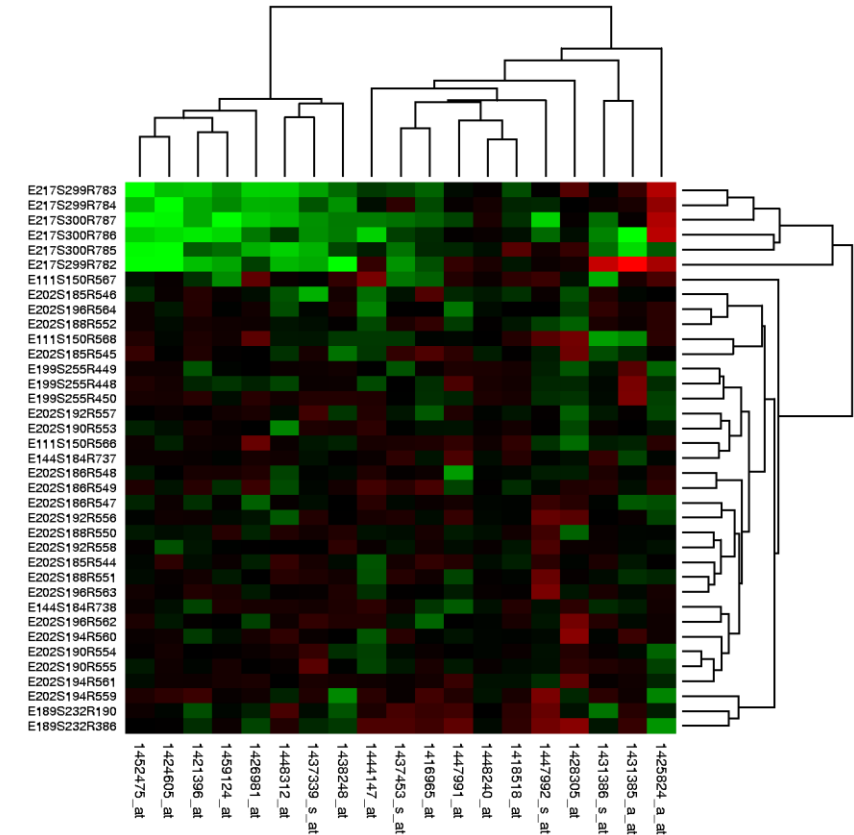
Protein/Ligand Docking

- Rosetta docking
- AutoDock
- ClusPro
- HADDOCK
- ZDOCK
- etc.



Clustering

- Identify patient subtypes
- Phylogenetic analysis
- Sequence clustering
- Quality check – do replicates cluster together
- Cluster genes/proteins to identify functions
- Multiple sequence alignment



<https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/4/48/Heatmap.png>