

# Class09

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## PDB Statistics

The PDB is the main database for structural information on biomolecules let's see what it contains:

```
db <- read.csv("Data Export Summary.csv")
db
```

	Molecular.Type	X.ray	EM	NMR	Multiple.methods	Neutron	Other
1	Protein (only)	154,766	10,155	12,187	191	72	32
2	Protein/Oligosaccharide	9,083	1,802	32	7	1	0
3	Protein/NA	8,110	3,176	283	6	0	0
4	Nucleic acid (only)	2,664	94	1,450	12	2	1
5	Other	163	9	32	0	0	0
6	Oligosaccharide (only)	11	0	6	1	0	4
	Total						
1		177,403					
2		10,925					
3		11,575					
4		4,223					
5		204					
6		22					

Q1. What percentage of structures in the PDB are solved by X-Ray and Electron Microscopy.

```
db$X.ray
```

```
[1] "154,766" "9,083" "8,110" "2,664" "163" "11"
```

Remove the commas!

```
db$X.ray <- gsub(",", "", db$X.ray)
```

```
write.csv(db)
```

```
"", "Molecular.Type", "X.ray", "EM", "NMR", "Multiple.methods", "Neutron", "Other", "Total"
"1", "Protein (only)", "154766", "10,155", "12,187", "191,72,32", "177,403"
"2", "Protein/Oligosaccharide", "9083", "1,802", "32", "7,1,0", "10,925"
"3", "Protein/NA", "8110", "3,176", "283", "6,0,0", "11,575"
"4", "Nucleic acid (only)", "2664", "94", "1,450", "12,2,1", "4,223"
"5", "Other", "163", "9", "32", "0,0,0", "204"
"6", "Oligosaccharide (only)", "11", "0", "6", "1,0,4", "22"
```

```
xray.total<- sum(as.numeric(gsub(",", "", db$X.ray)))
```

```
db$EM <- gsub(",", "", db$EM)
```

```
em.total <-sum(as.numeric(gsub(",", "", db$EM)))
```

Now we have to write a function:

```
# I will work with `x` as input

sum_comma <- function(x) {
  # Substitute the comma and convert to numeric
  sum(as.numeric(gsub(",", "", x)))
}
```

```
sum_comma(db$X.ray)
```

```
[1] 174797
```

```
sum_comma(db$Total)
```

```
[1] 204352
```

For X.ray

```
sum_comma(db$X.ray) / sum_comma(db$Total)
```

```
[1] 0.8553721
```

For EM:

```
sum_comma(db$EM)
```

```
[1] 15236
```

```
sum_comma(db$EM) / sum_comma(db$Total)
```

```
[1] 0.07455763
```

Q2. What proportion of structures in the PDB are protein?

```
round (sum_comma(db$Total[1]) / sum_comma(db$Total),2)
```

```
[1] 0.87
```

Q3: Type HIV in the PDB website search box on the home page and determine how many HIV-1 protease structures are in the current PDB?

skipped!

## Visualizing the HIV-1 protease structure

Q4. Water molecules normally have 3 atoms. Why do we see just one atom per water molecule in this structure?

We are not able to see the hydrogen atoms because it is too small for it to be visualized in the technology that we have today, since it is smaller than 2 angstroms

Q5. There is a critical “conserved” water molecule in the binding site. Can you identify this water molecule? What residue number does this water molecule have

HOH308



Figure 1: HIV-PR structure from MERK with a bound drug

## Working with Structure in R

We can use the `bio3d` package to read and perform bioinformatics calculations on PDB structures.

```
library(bio3d)

pdb <- read.pdb("1hsg")
```

Note: Accessing on-line PDB file

```
pdb
```

```
Call: read.pdb(file = "1hsg")
```

```
Total Models#: 1
  Total Atoms#: 1686,  XYZs#: 5058  Chains#: 2  (values: A B)

Protein Atoms#: 1514  (residues/Calpha atoms#: 198)
Nucleic acid Atoms#: 0  (residues/phosphate atoms#: 0)

Non-protein/nucleic Atoms#: 172  (residues: 128)
Non-protein/nucleic resid values: [ HOH (127), MK1 (1) ]
```

```
Protein sequence:
```

```
PQITLWQRPLVTIKIGGQLKEALLDTGADDTVLEEMSLPGRWKPKMIGGIGGFIKVRQYD
QILIEICGHKAIGTVLVGPTPVNIIGRNLLTQIGCTLNFPQITLWQRPLVTIKIGGQLKE
ALLDTGADDTVLEEMSLPGRWKPKMIGGIGGFIKVRQYDQILIEICGHKAIGTVLVGPTP
VNIIGRNLLTQIGCTLNF
```

```
+ attr: atom, xyz, seqres, helix, sheet,
      calpha, remark, call
```

```
attributes(pdb)
```

```
$names
```

```
[1] "atom"  "xyz"   "seqres" "helix" "sheet" "calpha" "remark" "call"
```

```
$class
[1] "pdb" "sse"
```

```
head (pdb$atom)
```

	type	eleno	elety	alt	resid	chain	resno	insert	x	y	z	o	b
1	ATOM	1	N	<NA>	PRO	A	1	<NA>	29.361	39.686	5.862	1	38.10
2	ATOM	2	CA	<NA>	PRO	A	1	<NA>	30.307	38.663	5.319	1	40.62
3	ATOM	3	C	<NA>	PRO	A	1	<NA>	29.760	38.071	4.022	1	42.64
4	ATOM	4	O	<NA>	PRO	A	1	<NA>	28.600	38.302	3.676	1	43.40
5	ATOM	5	CB	<NA>	PRO	A	1	<NA>	30.508	37.541	6.342	1	37.87
6	ATOM	6	CG	<NA>	PRO	A	1	<NA>	29.296	37.591	7.162	1	38.40

	segid	elesy	charge
1	<NA>	N	<NA>
2	<NA>	C	<NA>
3	<NA>	C	<NA>
4	<NA>	O	<NA>
5	<NA>	C	<NA>
6	<NA>	C	<NA>

Read an ADK structure

```
adk <- read.pdb("6s36")
```

Note: Accessing on-line PDB file  
PDB has ALT records, taking A only, rm.alt=TRUE

```
adk
```

Call: read.pdb(file = "6s36")

```
Total Models#: 1
Total Atoms#: 1898, XYZs#: 5694 Chains#: 1 (values: A)

Protein Atoms#: 1654 (residues/Calpha atoms#: 214)
Nucleic acid Atoms#: 0 (residues/phosphate atoms#: 0)
```

Non-protein/nucleic Atoms#: 244 (residues: 244)  
Non-protein/nucleic resid values: [ CL (3), HOH (238), MG (2), NA (1) ]

Protein sequence:

MRIILLGAPGAGKGTQAQFIMEKYGIPQISTGDMRLRAAVKSGSELGKQAKDIMDAGKLVT  
DELVIALVKERIAQEDCRNGFLLDGFPRTIPQADAMKEAGINVDYVLEFDVPDELIVDKI  
VGRRVHAPSGRVYHVKFNPVKVEGKDDVTGEELTTRKDDQEETVRKRLVEYHQMTAPLIG  
YYSKEAEAGNTKYAKVDGTPVAEVRADLEKILG

+ attr: atom, xyz, seqres, helix, sheet,  
calpha, remark, call

Perform a prediction of flexibility with a technique called NMA (Normal Mode Analysis)

```
# perform flexibility prediction  
m<- nma(adk)
```

Building Hessian... Done in 0.039 seconds.  
Diagonalizing Hessian... Done in 0.412 seconds.

```
m
```

Call:

```
nma.pdb(pdb = adk)
```

Class:

```
VibrationalModes (nma)
```

Number of modes:

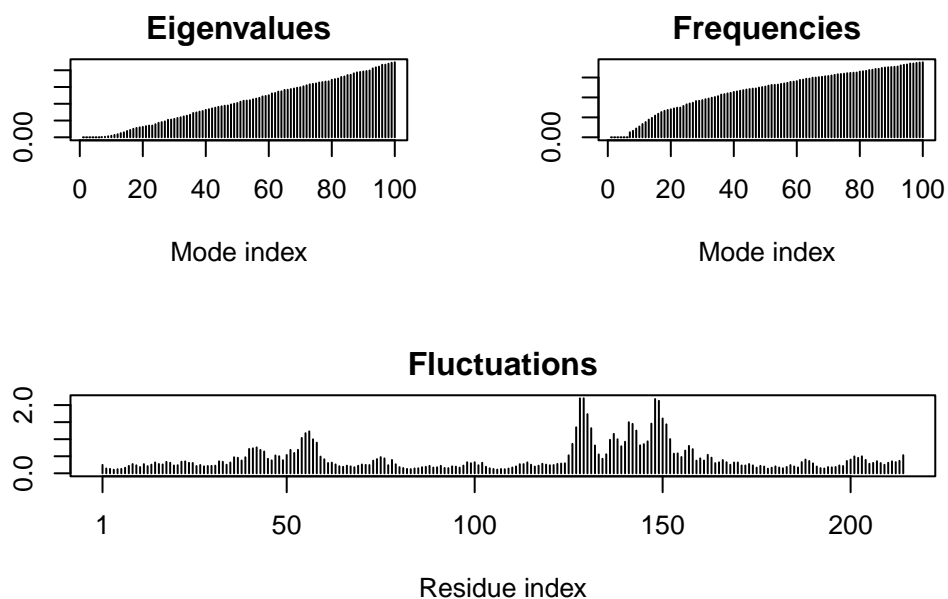
```
642 (6 trivial)
```

Frequencies:

```
Mode 7: 0.005  
Mode 8: 0.007  
Mode 9: 0.009  
Mode 10: 0.011  
Mode 11: 0.013  
Mode 12: 0.015
```

+ attr: modes, frequencies, force.constants, fluctuations,  
U, L, xyz, mass, temp, triv.modes, natoms, call

```
plot(m)
```



Write out a “movie” (aka trajectory) of the motion for viewing in MOLstar

```
mktrj(m, file= "adk_m7.pdb")
```

The created file can be read in MOLstar

Q7. How many amino acid residues are there in this pdb object?

198

Q8. Name one of the two non-protein residues?

HOH

Q9. How many protein chains are in this structure?

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