## Overview of NMR-STAR Objects

## **Entry**

#### Data:

- BMRB ID : 15000
- Saveframes: [<bmrb.saveframe 'entry\_information'>, <bmrb.saveframe 'citation\_1'>, ...]

#### Methods:

- Construct:
  - From scratch, from a file, from a string, from the public database of entries
- Add and remove saveframes
- Search for saveframes by name or by category
- Generate a string of the entry in NMR-STAR format
- Validate and compare to other entries
- · Print structure of entry as tree

### Saveframe

#### Data:

- Name : 'entry\_information'
- Tag prefix: 'Entry'
- Tags: {'Sf category':'entry information', 'Sf framecode':'entry information', ...}
- Loops: [<bmrb.loop ' Entry author'>, <bmrb.loop ' SG project'>, ...]

#### Methods:

- · Construct:
  - From scratch, from a file, from a string
- Add and remove tags
- Add and remove loops
- Search for loops by category
- · Generate a string of the saveframe in NMR-STAR format
- · Generate a CSV containing the data in the tags
- Validate and compare to other saveframes
- Print tree structure of saveframe

## Loop

#### Data:

- Category: 'Entry author'
- Columns:
  - ['Ordinal', 'Given name', 'Family name', 'First initial', 'Middle initials', 'Entry ID1']
- Data
  - [['1', 'Claudia', 'Cornilescu', '.', 'C.', '15000'], ['2', 'Gabriel', 'Cornilescu', '.', '.', '15000'],...]

#### Methods:

- Construct:
  - From scratch, from a file, from a string
- Add columns
- Add, remove, and renumber data
- Fetch data by column and/or fetch row matching certain data
- Generate a string of the loop in NMR-STAR format
- Generate a CSV containing the data
- Validate and compare to other loops

## An example entry

## <bmrb.entry '15000'>

### BMRB ID and saveframe list:

# <br/> 'entry\_information'>

Tag dictionary, saveframe name, tag prefix, and loop list:

<bmrb.loop '\_Entry\_author'>

<bmrb.loop '\_SG\_project'>

. . .

## <bmrb.saveframe 'citation 1'>

Tag dictionary, saveframe name, tag prefix, and loop list:

<bmrb.loop '\_Citation\_author'>

# <bmrb.saveframe 'assembly'>

Tag dictionary, saveframe name, tag prefix, and loop list:

<bmrb.loop '\_Entity\_assembly'>

# <bmrb.saveframe 'F5-Phe-cVHP'>

Tag dictionary, saveframe name, tag prefix, and loop list:

<bmrb.loop '\_Entity\_db\_link'>

<bmrb.loop '\_Entity\_comp\_index'>

<bmrb.loop '\_Entity\_poly\_seq'>

. . .

## More detailed example of a saveframe:

### <bmrb.saveframe 'assigned chem shift list 1'>

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Tag prefix: ' Assigned chem shift list'
Tags: {'Sf_category':'assigned_chemical_shifts',
'Sf framecode': 'assigned chem shift list 1', 'Entry ID': '15000', 'ID': '1'), ...}
Loops: [<bmrb.loop ' Chem shift experiment'>, <bmrb.loop
' Atom chem shift'>]
                    <bmrb.loop ' Chem shift experiment'>
 Category: '_Chem shift'
 Columns: ['Experiment ID', 'Experiment name',...]
 Data: 2x2 array of data
 In NMR-STAR format:
 loop_
         Chem shift experiment. Experiment ID
         Chem shift experiment. Experiment name
        _Chem_shift_experiment.Sample_ID
         Chem_shift_experiment.Sample_label
        _Chem_shift_experiment.Sample_state
        _Chem_shift_experiment.Entry_ID
        _Chem_shift_experiment.Assigned_chem_shift_list_ID
           '2D 1H-15N HSQC' 1 $unlabeled_sample
                                                                isotropic
                                                                             15000
           '2D TOCSY'

'3 Sunlabeled_sample

'4 Sunlabeled_sample
                                                            isotropic 15000
isotropic 15000
                                                                isotropic 15000
                                                                                        1
```

```
<bmrb.loop ' Atom chem shift'>
```

stop

isotropic 15000

## Some sample code:

```
# Start the python interpreter and load the module
$: python
>>> import bmrb
>>> ent15000 = bmrb.entry.fromDatabase(15000)
>>> ent15000.printTree()
<bmrb.entry '15000'>
     [0] <bmrb.saveframe 'citation_1'>
          [0] <bmrb.loop ' Citation author'>
     [1] <bmrb.saveframe 'assembly'>
          [0] <bmrb.loop ' Entity assembly'>
     [2] <bmrb.saveframe 'F5-Phe-cVHP'>
          [0] <bmrb.loop ' Entity db link'>
          [1] <bmrb.loop '_Entity_comp_index'>
          [2] <bmrb.loop '_Entity_poly_seq'>
     [3] <bmrb.saveframe 'natural source'>
          [0] <bmrb.loop '_Entity_natural_src'>
     [4] <bmrb.saveframe 'experimental source'>
         [0] <bmrb.loop ' Entity experimental src'>
     [5] ....
# There is a shorthand way to access saveframes by name and loops by
category.
>>> ent15000['entry information']
<bmrb.saveframe 'entry information'>
>>> ent15000['entry information'][' Entry author']
<bmrb.loop ' Entry author'>
>>> ent15000 2 = bmrb.entry.fromDatabase(15000)
>>> del ent15000 2['entry information']
>>> bmrb.diff(ent15000,ent15000 2)
The number of saveframes in the entries are not equal: 25 vs 24
No saveframe with name 'entry information' in other entry.
# Let's look at a loop's column headers and its data
>>> ent15000['entry information'][' Entry author'].columns
['Ordinal', 'Given_name', 'Family_name', 'First_initial',
'Middle_initials', 'Family_title', 'Entry_ID']
>>> ent15000['entry information']
[' Entry author'].getDataByTag('Given name')
[['Claudia'], ['Gabriel'], ['Erik'], ['Samuel'], ['John']]
# Write the entry to disk in NMR-STAR format
>>> with open('/tmp/entry','w') as tmp file:
        tmp file.write(str(ent15000))
# Get a list of validation errors
>>> ent15000.validate()
["Tag '_Entry.Type' not found in schema. Line 4.", "Value cannot be NULL
but is: ' Chem comp.Provenance':'.' on line 4.", ...]
```

```
# Here is how to create a loop from scratch
>>> new loop = bmrb.loop.fromScratch()
>>> new loop.addColumn(" Example.day")
>>> new loop.addColumn("month")
>>> new loop.addColumn("year")
>>> new loop.addColumn("event")
# You could replace above with:
>>new_loop.addColumn(["_Example.day","month","year","event"])
# Add data to the loop
>>> new loop.addData([25,11,13,"Nothing exciting happened."])
# Notice that data is automatically encapsulated as necessary to meet STAR
format (quotes around the data containing a space). You never have to worry
about encapsulating data you insert.
>>> print new loop
   loop
       Example.dav
       Example.month
      _Example.year
      Example.event
                      'Nothing exciting happened.'
     25
           11
                13
   stop
# Add the loop to the entry information saveframe
>>> ent15000['entry information'].addLoop(new loop)
>>> ent15000['entry information'].printTree()
<bmrb.saveframe 'entry information'>
     [0] <bmrb.loop '_Entry_author'>
[1] <bmrb.loop '_SG_project'>
     [2] <bmrb.loop 'Struct keywords'>
     [3] <bmrb.loop 'Data set'>
     [4] <bmrb.loop ' Datum'>
     [5] <bmrb.loop '_Release'>
     [6] <bmrb.loop ' Related entries'>
     [7] <bmrb.loop ' Example'>
>>> print ent15000['assembly'].tags
OrderedDict([('Sf_category', 'assembly'), ('Sf_framecode', 'assembly'), ('Entry_ID', '15000'), ('ID', '1'), ('Name', 'F5-Phe-cVHP'), ('BMRB_code', '.'), ('Number_of_components', '1'), ...])
>>> ent15000['assembly'].getTag('ID')
>>> ent15000['assembly'].printTree()
<bmrb.saveframe 'assembly'>
     [0] <bmrb.loop ' Entity assembly'>
```

#### # Get a saveframe in NMR-STAR format

```
>>> print ent15000['assembly']
save assembly
   Assembly.Sf category
                                              assembly
   _Assembly.Sf framecode
                                              assembly
   _Assembly.Entry ID
                                              15000
   _Assembly.ID
   _Assembly.Name
                                              F5-Phe-cVHP
   _Assembly.BMRB code
   _Assembly.Number_of_components
                                              1
   Assembly.Organic ligands
   _Assembly.Metal ions
   _Assembly.Non standard bonds
   _Assembly.Ambiguous conformational states
   _Assembly.Ambiguous chem comp sites
   _Assembly.Molecules_in_chemical exchange
   Assembly.Paramagnetic
                                              no
   _Assembly.Thiol state
                                              'all free'
   _Assembly.Molecular_mass
   Assembly. Enzyme commission number
   _Assembly.Details
   Assembly.DB query date
   Assembly.DB query revised last date
   loop
       Entity_assembly.ID
      Entity assembly. Entity assembly name
      Entity assembly. Entity ID
      Entity assembly. Entity label
      Entity_assembly.Asym_ID
      Entity assembly.PDB chain ID
      Entity assembly. Experimental data reported
      Entity assembly. Physical state
      Entity assembly.Conformational isomer
      Entity assembly. Chemical exchange state
      Entity assembly. Magnetic equivalence group code
     _Entity_assembly.Role
      Entity assembly.Details
      Entity assembly. Entry ID
      _Entity_assembly.Assembly ID
                           $F5-Phe-cVHP K . yes native
       F5-Phe-cVHP
                       1
                                                                 no
                 15000
                         1
   stop
save
```

## Reading Spectral Peaks from a NMR-STAR file:

```
# First load the file and get a list of the peak list saveframes
>>> ent6577 = bmrb.entry.fromDatabase(6577)
>>> spectral peaks = ent6577.getSaveframesByCategory('spectral peak list')
# Lets look at how many spectral peak list saveframes we have
>>> spectral peaks
[<bmrb.saveframe 'peak list 1'>, <bmrb.saveframe 'peak list 2'>,
<bmrb.saveframe 'peak list 3'>]
# For this demo we'll just look at one individual peak list
>>> peak1 = spectral peaks[0]
# We can see what loops this peak list saveframe contains
>>> peak1.printTree()
<bmrb.saveframe 'peak list 1'>
     [0] <bmrb.loop '_Spectral_peak_software'>
[1] <bmrb.loop '_Peak_general_char'>
[2] <bmrb.loop '_Peak_char'>
     [3] <bmrb.loop 'Assigned peak chem shift'>
# Let's see what the Peak char loop looks like in NMR-STAR format
>>> print peak1[' Peak char']
loop_
       Peak char.Peak ID
      Peak char. Spectral dim ID
       Peak char. Chem shift val
       Peak char. Chem shift val err
       Peak char.Line width val
       Peak char.Line width val err
      Peak char. Phase val
       Peak char. Phase val err
      Peak char. Decay rate val
      Peak char. Decay rate val err
      Peak char Coupling pattern
       Peak char. Derivation method ID
      Peak char. Entry ID
      Peak char. Spectral peak list ID
                 9.857
     1
             1
                                                                6577
                                                                        1
     1
             2
                4.922
                                                                6577
                                                                        1
     2
             1
                 9.857
                                                                6577
                                                                        1
     2
            2
                 2.167
                                                                6577
                                                                        1
stop
```

### Reading Spectral Peaks from a NMR-STAR file (cont.):

```
# That is more information than we want right now. Lets get just the
columns we need (we'll get a list of lists, each inner list
corresponds to a row).
>>> our data = peak1[' Peak char'].getDataByTag(
                                     ['Peak ID','Chem shift val'])
>>> print our data
[['1', '9.857'],
['1', '4.922'],
['2', '9.857'],
 ['2', '2.167'],
['3', '9.855'],
 . . . ]
# Excellent! Now we can iterate through each spectral peak and
corresponding shift easily. The data is stored as a python list of
lists (2 dimensional array) and we can modify or access it any of the
normal ways python allows.
>>> for x in our data:
       print "Sprectral chemical shift value is: " + str(x[1])
Sprectral chemical shift value is: 9.857
Sprectral chemical shift value is: 4.922
Sprectral chemical shift value is: 9.857
# It is also easy to dump the table in a loop as a CSV
>>> print peak1[' Peak char'].getDataAsCSV()
Peak_ID,Spectral_dim_ID,Chem_shift_val,Chem_shift_val_err,Line_width_
val, Line width val err, Phase val, Phase val err, Decay rate val, Decay r
ate val err, Coupling pattern, Bounding box upper val, Bounding box lowe
r val, Bounding box range val, Details, Derivation method ID, Entry ID. Sp
ectral peak list ID
1,1,9.857,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,6577,1
1,2,4.922,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,6577,1
2,1,9.857,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,6577,1
2,2,2.167,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,6577,1
3,1,9.855,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,6577,1
3,2,1.994,.,.,6577,1
4,1,9.854,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,6577,1
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