# Bisected graph matching

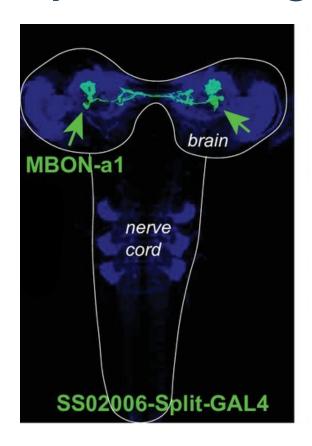
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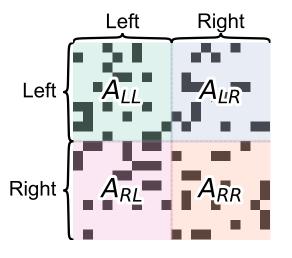
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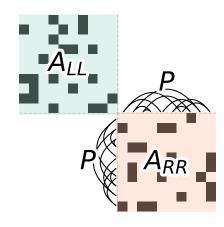
## Graph matching (GM) for connectomics



Example bilateral neuron pair Eschbach et al. 2021 Adjacency matrix



Ipsilateral  $\rightarrow A_{LL}, A_{RR}$ Contralateral  $\rightarrow A_{LR}, A_{RL}$  Graph matching (GM)

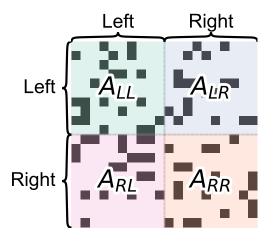


 $\min_{P} ||A_{LL} - P A_{RR} P^T||_F^2$ 

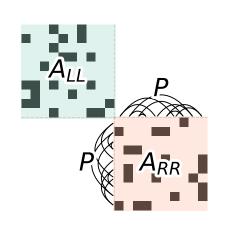
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### Bisected graph matching (BGM)

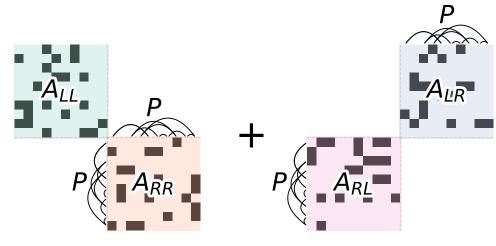
Adjacency matrix



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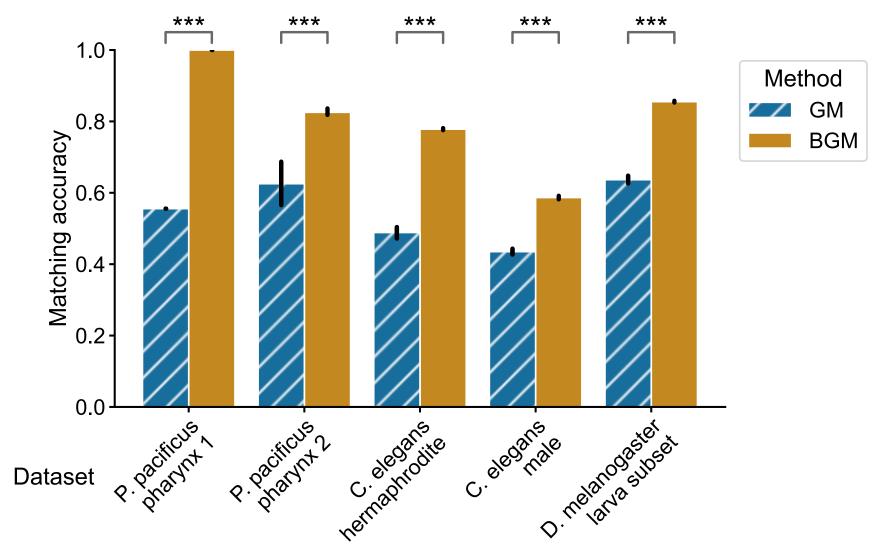


 $\min_{P} ||A_{LL} - P A_{RR} P^{T}||_{F}^{2} \qquad \min_{P} ||A_{LL} - P A_{RR} P^{T}||_{F}^{2} + ||A_{LR} P^{T} - P A_{RL}||_{F}^{2}$ 

We adapt the FAQ algorithm (Vogelstein et al. 2015) to solve BGM

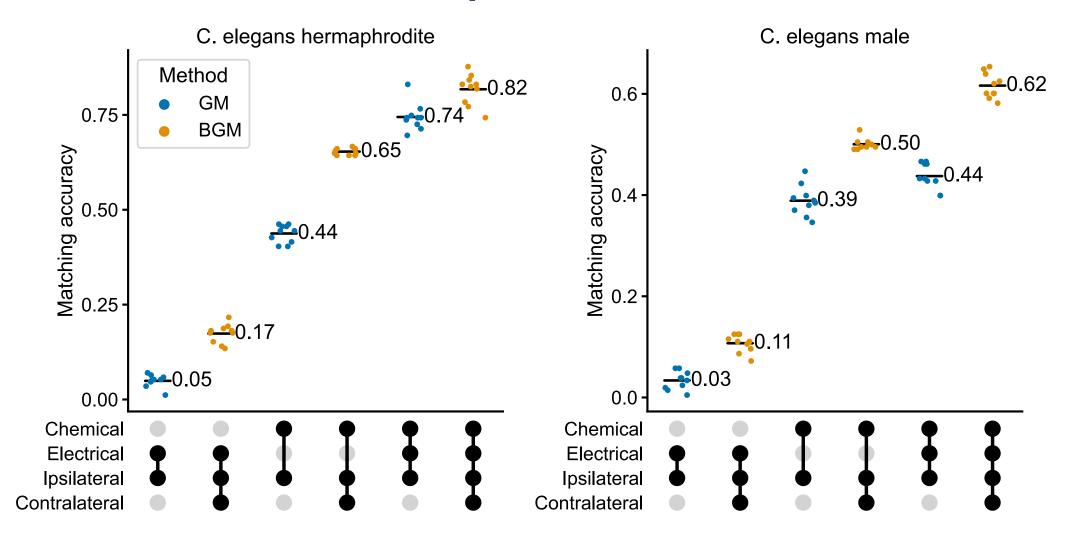
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# **BGM** increases matching accuracy



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#### **Extensions to BGM: multiplex networks**



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#### **Summary**

- Matching approaches can help find paired neurons between connectomes
- BGM uses more of the data to improve matching between hemispheres
- Manuscript on bioRxiv: tinyurl.com/neuromatch-bgm
- Code for all experiments: github.com/neurodata/bgm
- Matching algorithm: github.com/microsoft/graspologic
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