

# BIMM 143 HW 6

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## Writing a function

```
# Can you improve this analysis code?  
library(bio3d)  
s1 <- read.pdb("4AKE") # kinase with drug
```

Note: Accessing on-line PDB file

```
s2 <- read.pdb("1AKE") # kinase no drug
```

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PDB has ALT records, taking A only, rm.alt=TRUE

```
s3 <- read.pdb("1E4Y") # kinase with drug
```

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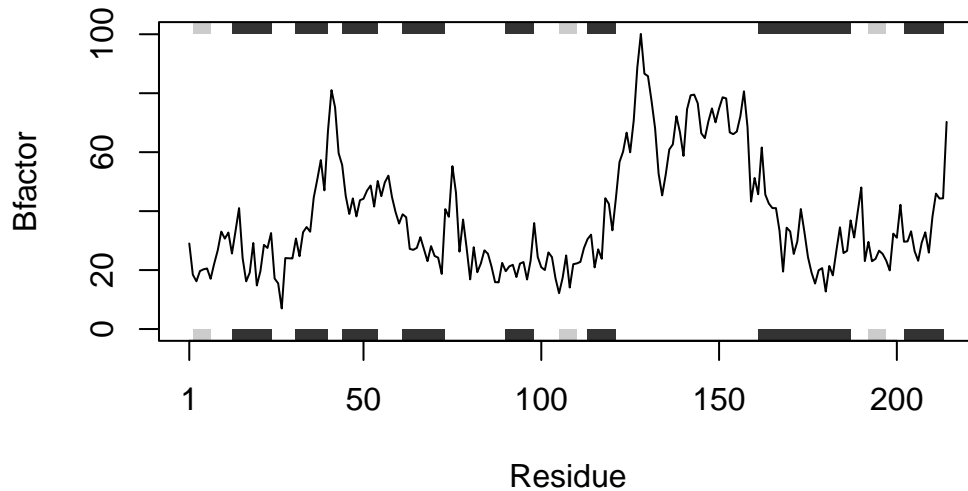
```
s1.chainA <- trim.pdb(s1, chain="A", elety="CA")  
s2.chainA <- trim.pdb(s2, chain="A", elety="CA")  
s3.chainA <- trim.pdb(s1, chain="A", elety="CA")  
s1.b <- s1.chainA$atom$b  
s2.b <- s2.chainA$atom$b  
s3.b <- s3.chainA$atom$b  
plotb3(s1.b, sse=s1.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")
```



```
plotb3(s2.b, sse=s2.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")
```



```
plotb3(s3.b, sse=s3.chainA, typ="l", ylab="Bfactor")
```



Q1. What type of object is returned from the `read.pdb()` function?

```
?read.pdb()
```

```
#returns a list of class "pdb", with the following different components: atom, helix, sheet,
```

Q2. What does the `trim.pdb()` function do?

```
?trim.pdb
```

```
#extracts a subset of atoms and produces a smaller PDB object
```

Q3. What input parameter would turn off the marginal black and grey rectangles in the plots and what do they represent in this case?

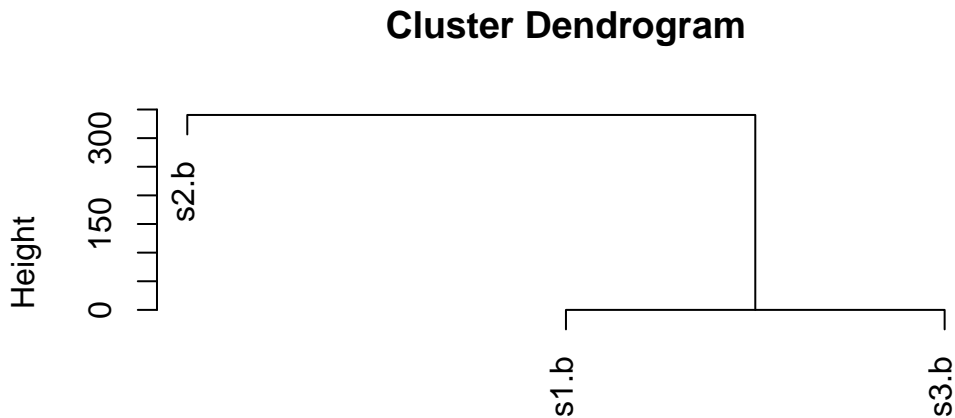
```
#setting SEE = FALSE
```

Q4. What would be a better plot to compare across the different proteins?

```
#maybe a line graph showing the B-factor for different residues across proteins
```

Q5. Which proteins are more similar to each other in their B-factor trends. How could you quantify this?

```
library(bio3d)
hc <- hclust( dist( rbind(s1.b, s2.b, s3.b) ) )
plot(hc)
```



#proteins 1 and 3, so both of the kinases with no drug, were more similar to each other as c

Q6. How would you generalize the original code above to work with any set of input protein structures?

```
# Function to analyze protein structures based on B-factors, it reads PDB files, extracts B
# input: PBD file
# output: B factor plots
library(bio3d)
ProtDrugInteraction <- function(pdb) {
  #loop over each PDB file
  for(p in pdb){
    #read each file
    pdb_data <- read.pdb(p)
    #get desired chain A and CA atoms
```

```

pdb_chain <- trim.pdb(pdb_data, chain="A", eley="CA")
#get B factors
b_factors <- pdb_chain$atom$b
# plot B factors
plotb3(b_factors, sse=pdb_chain, typ="l", ylab="B-factor")
}
}

```

Using the function

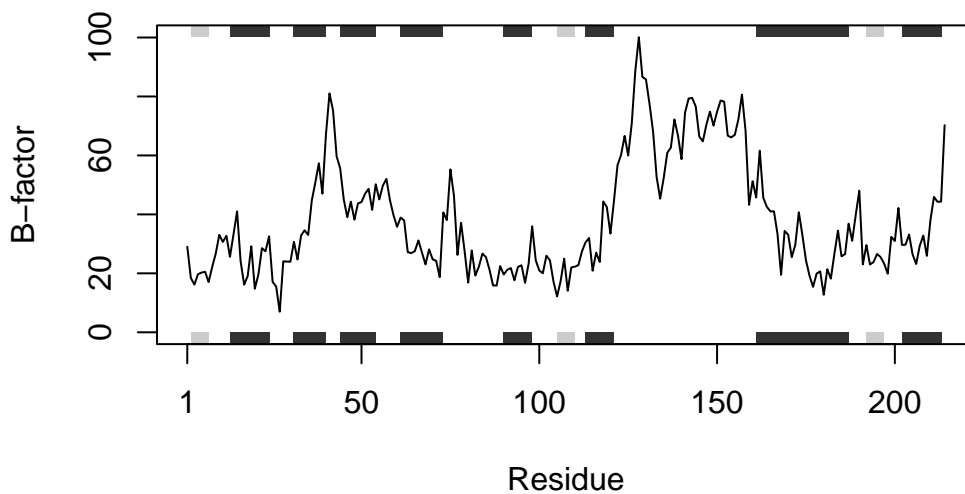
```

# Example PDB files
pdbFiles <- c("4AKE", "1AKE", "1E4Y")
ProtDrugInteraction(pdbFiles)

```

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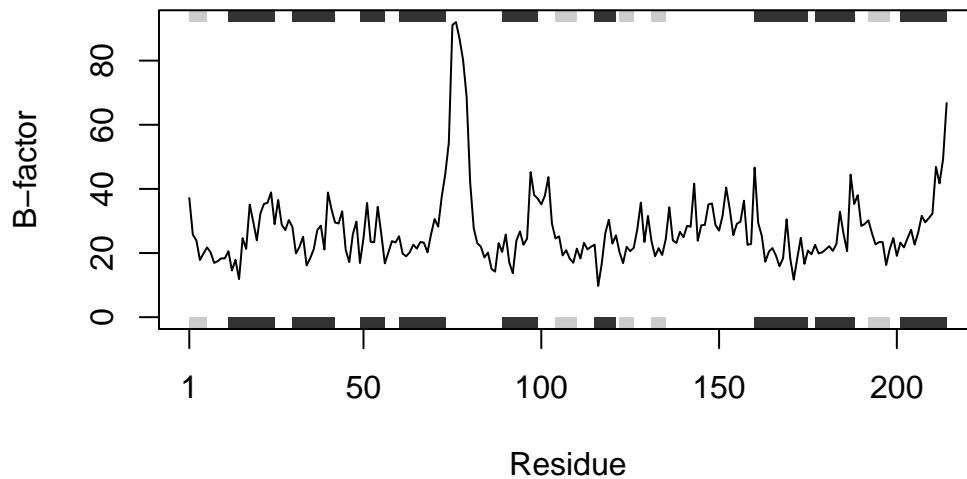
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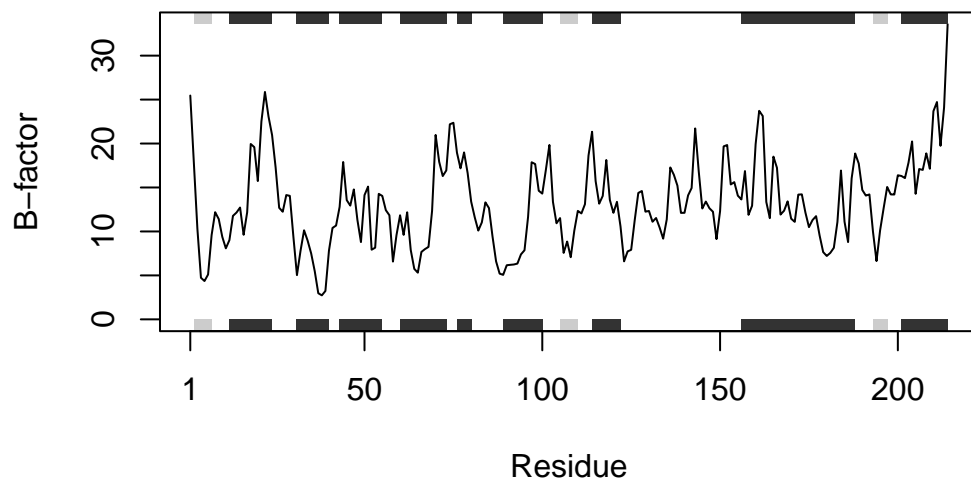
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