



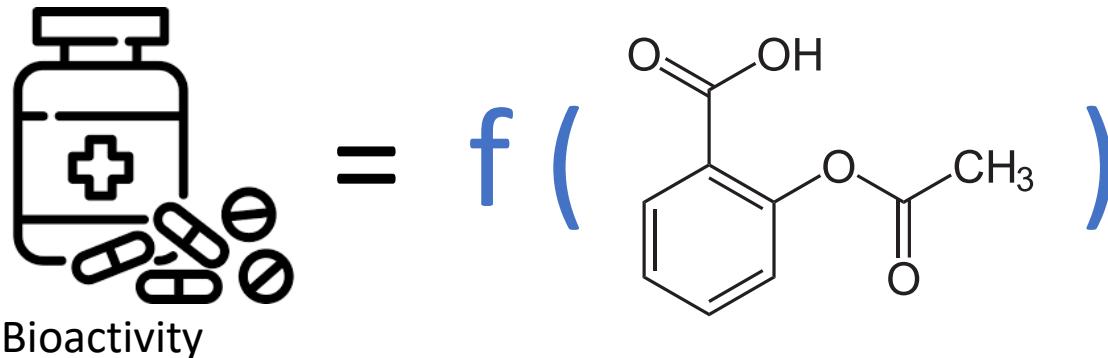
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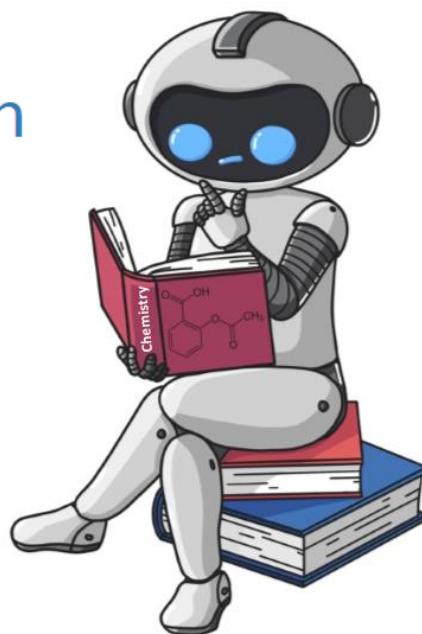
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 Chembench

 Online chemical database  
with modeling environment



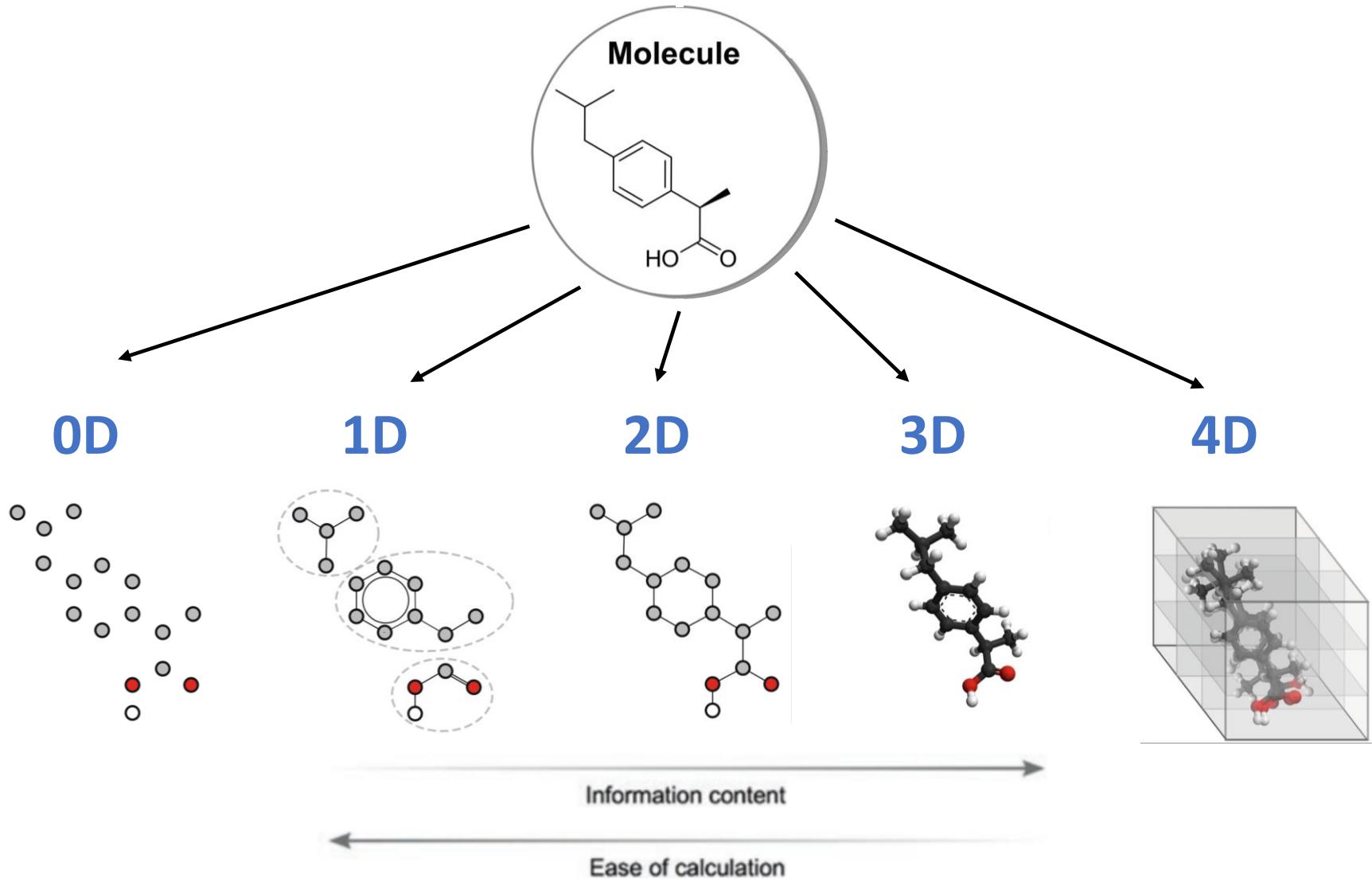
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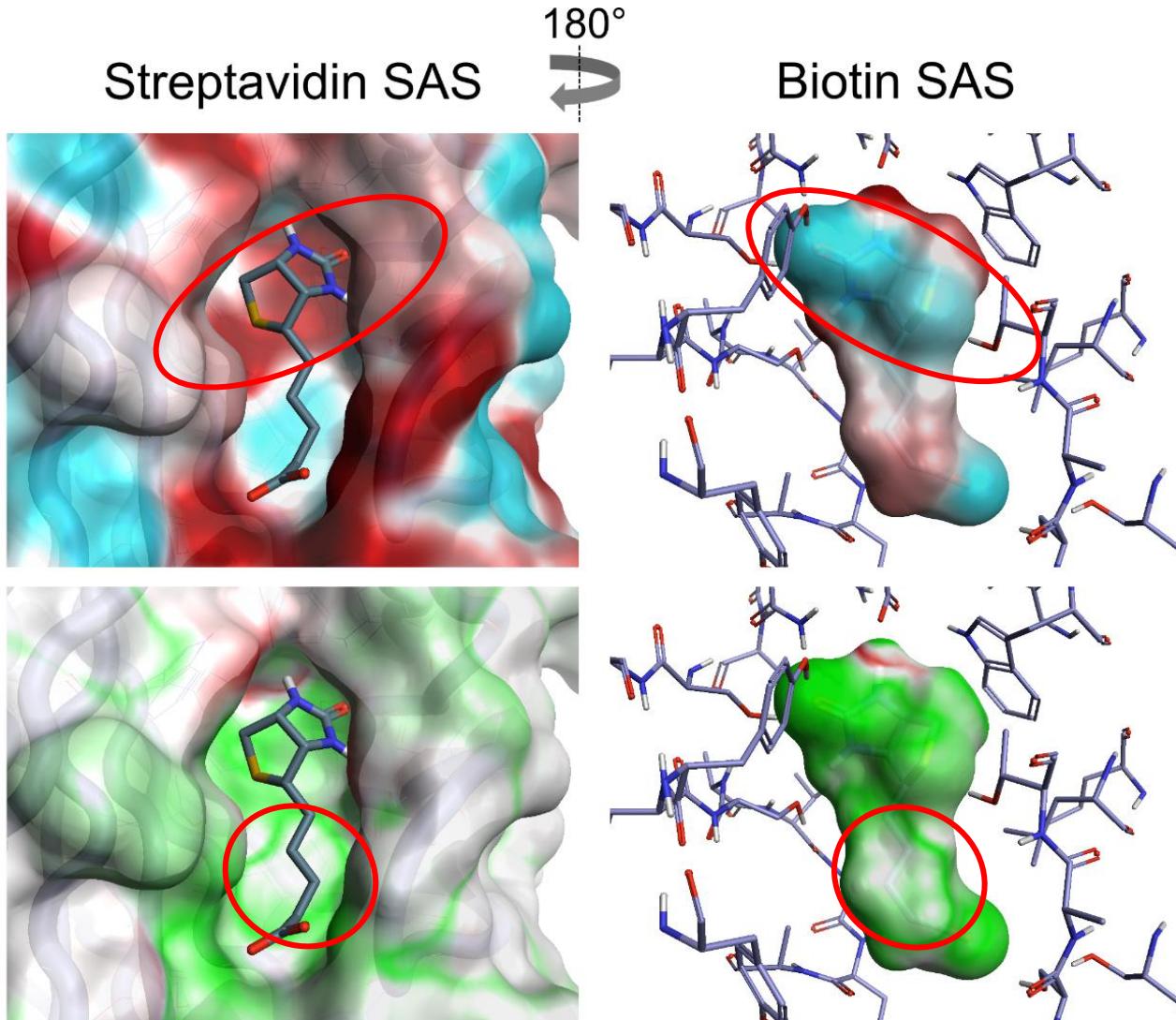

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molecular modeling lab.

# Molecule Representations



# Binding

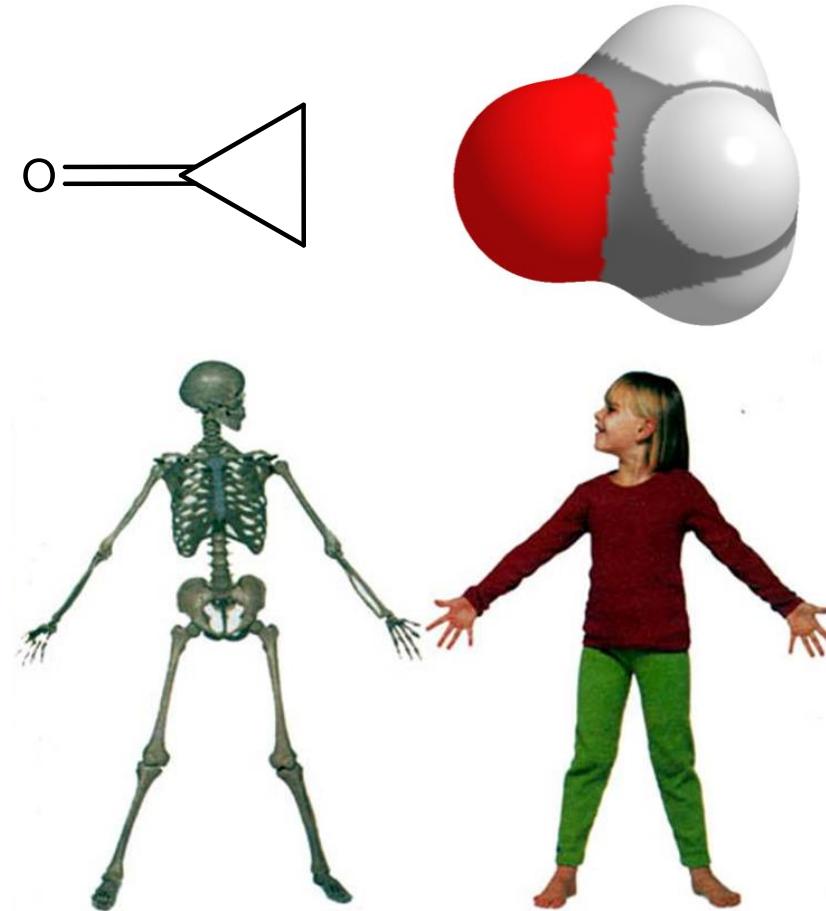
Electrostatic potential  
Electrostatic complementarity



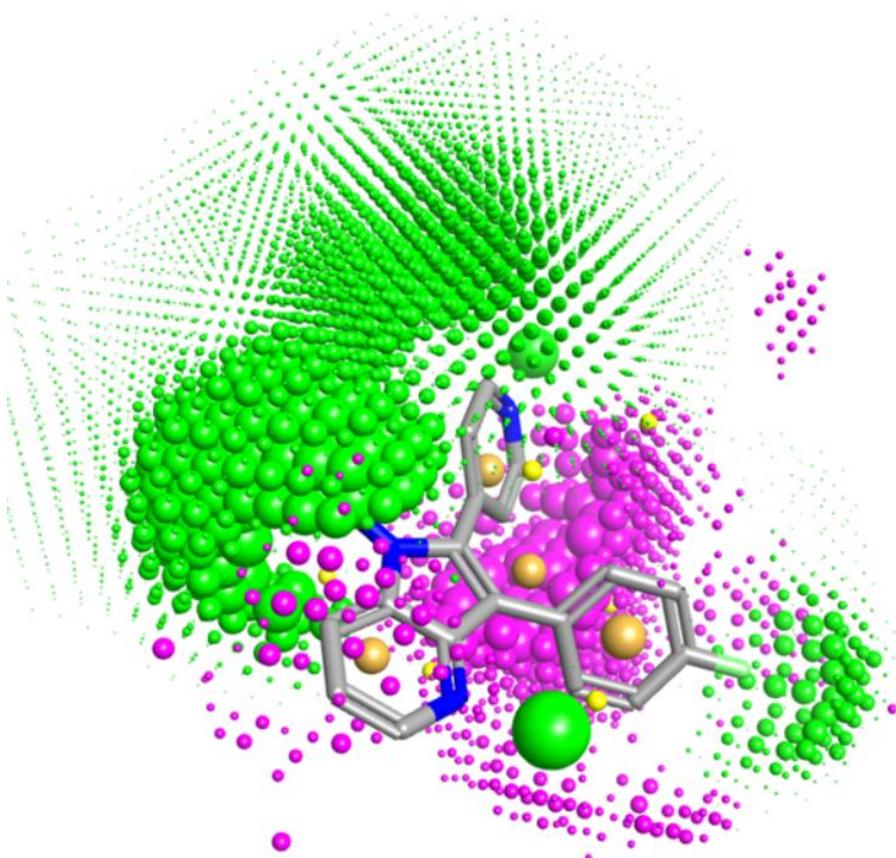
# Graph is not enough

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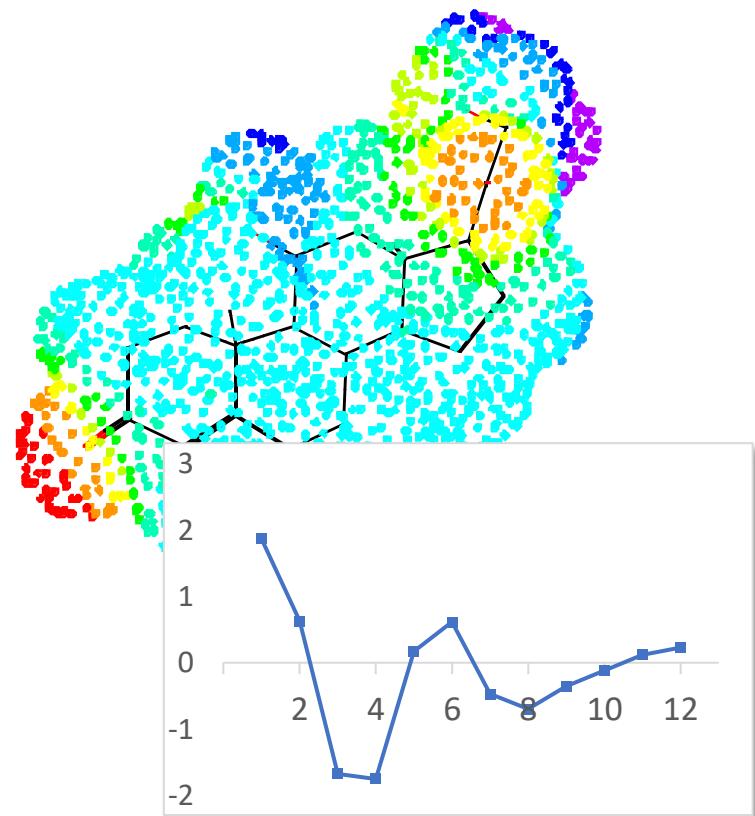
Molecular graph reflects only skeleton of the molecule  
But real interactions between molecules go through their surface!



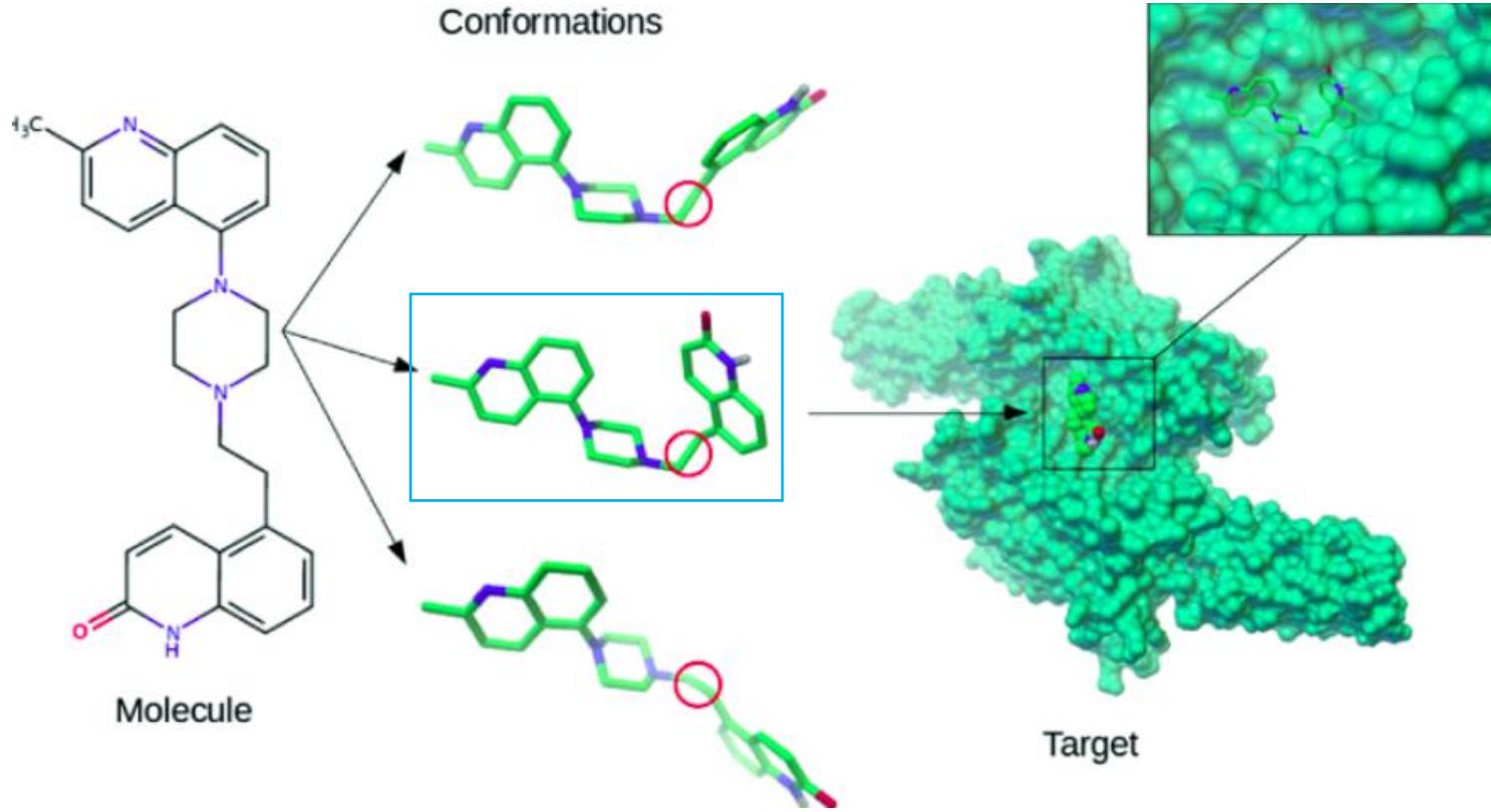
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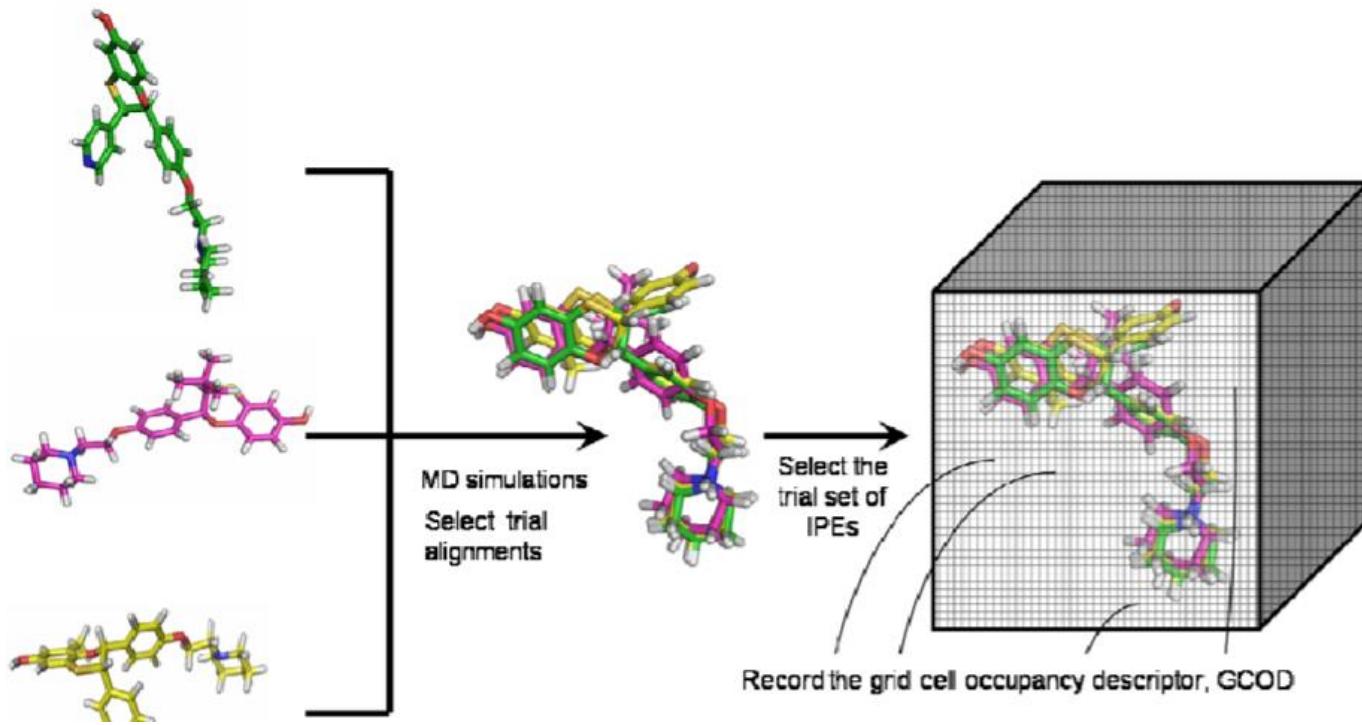


## Alignment **i**ndependent 3D-QSAR



# Bioactive conformation selection





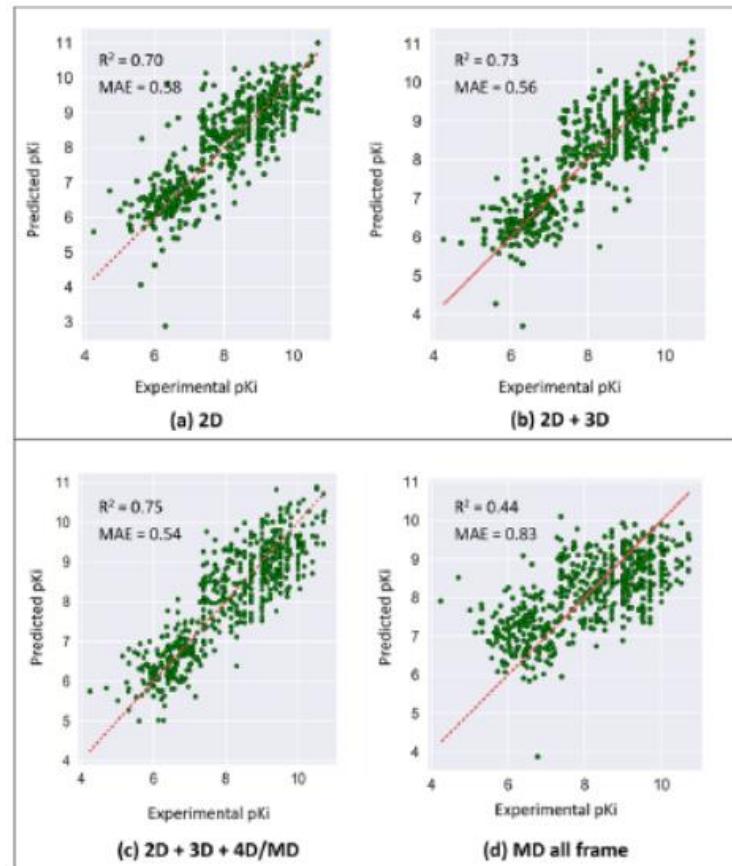
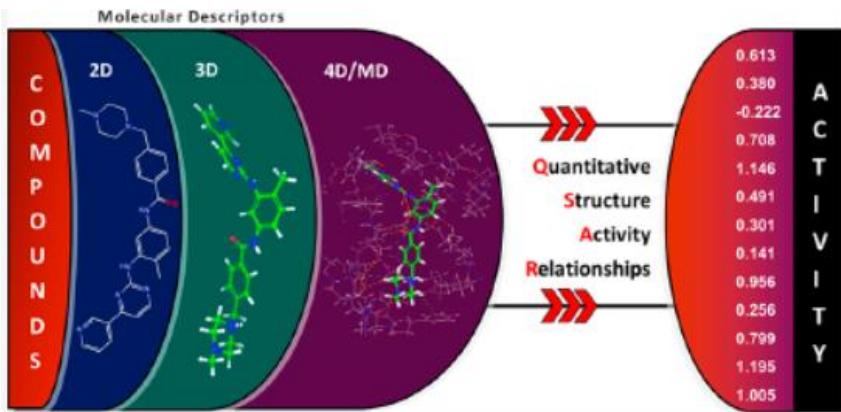
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# Molecule Representations

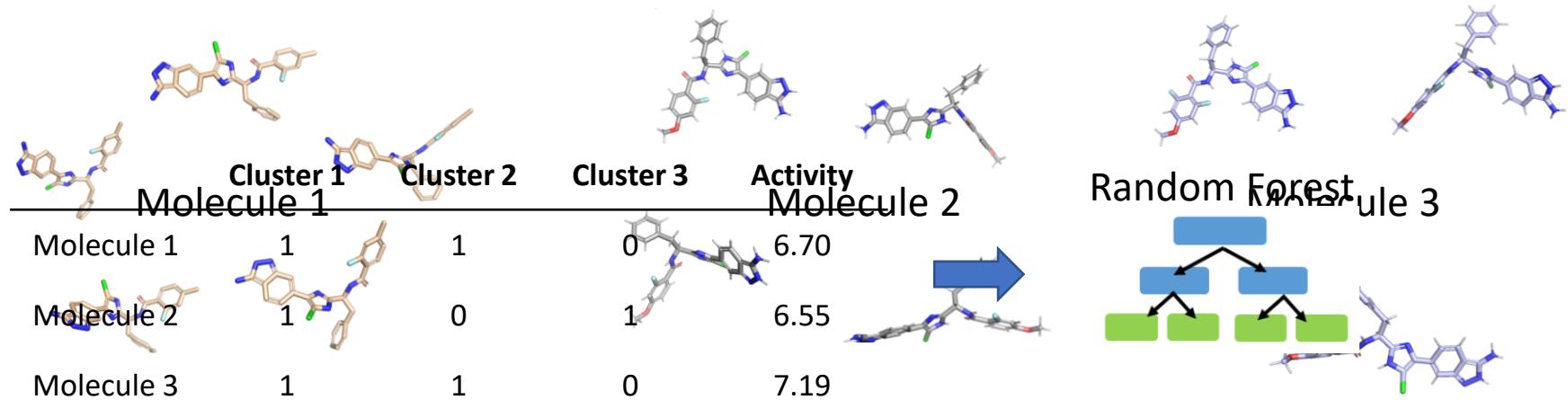
## Benchmarking 2D/3D/MD-QSAR Models for Imatinib Derivatives: How Far Can We Predict?

Phyo Phyo Kyaw Zin, Alexandre Borrel, and Denis Fourches\*



**Figure 15.** Native 10-fold cross-validation predictions of pKi-reported Imatinib analogues by DNN-based regression models using descriptors of (A) 2D, (B) 2D+3D, (C) 2D+3D+4D/MD, and (D) MD all frame. Red dotted line represents an ideal fit between experimental pKi and predicted pKi.

# Clustering to multi-conformation problem solution

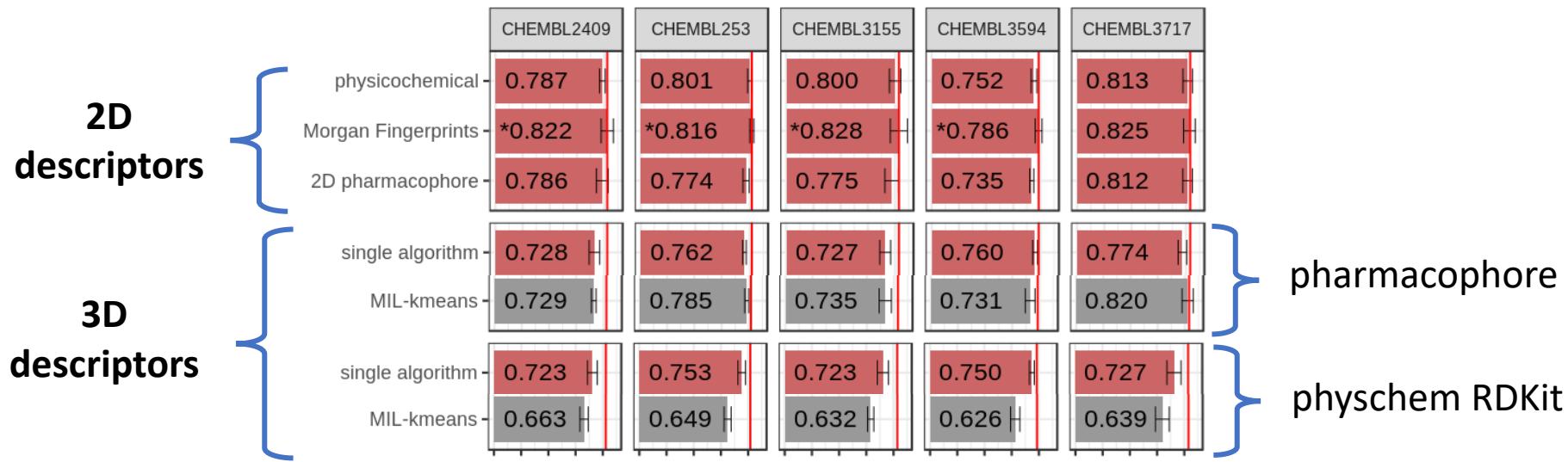


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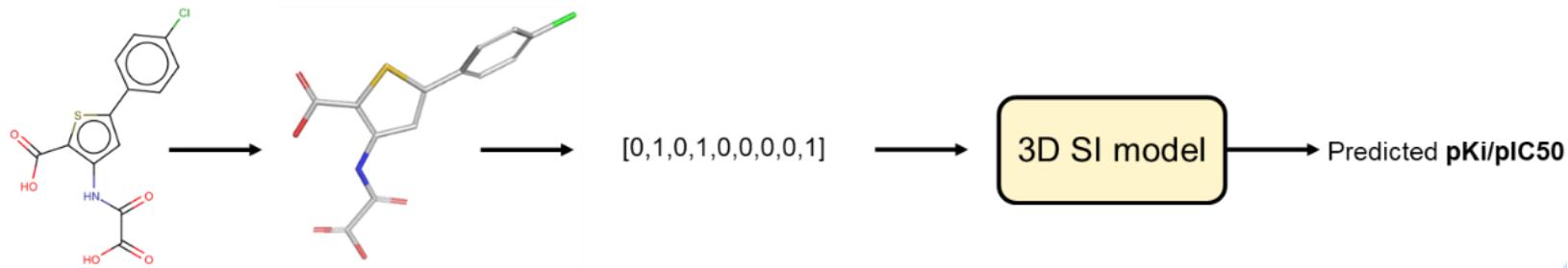
Cluster 2

Cluster 3

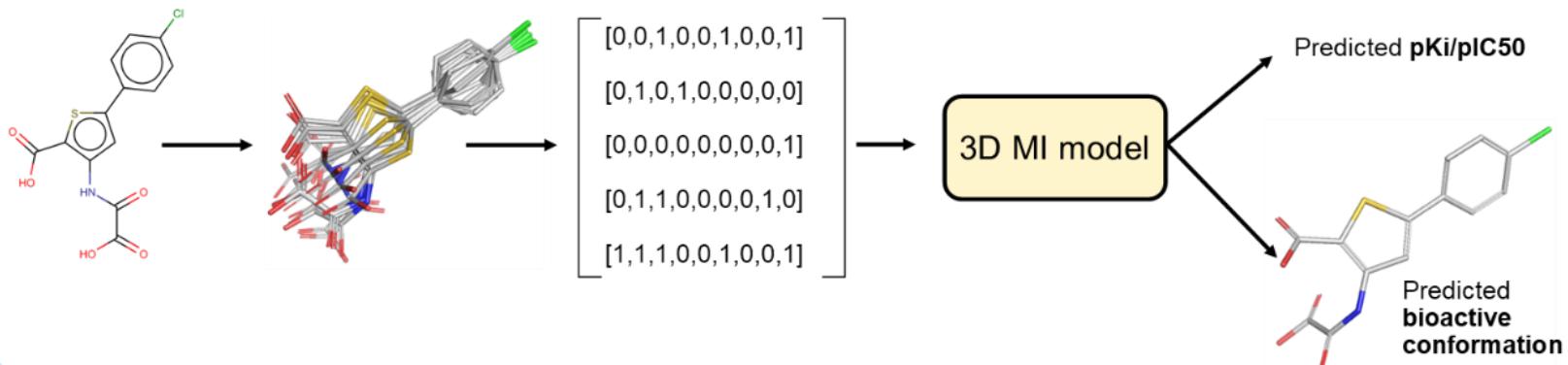
# Clustering has contradictory results



## Single-Instance QSAR

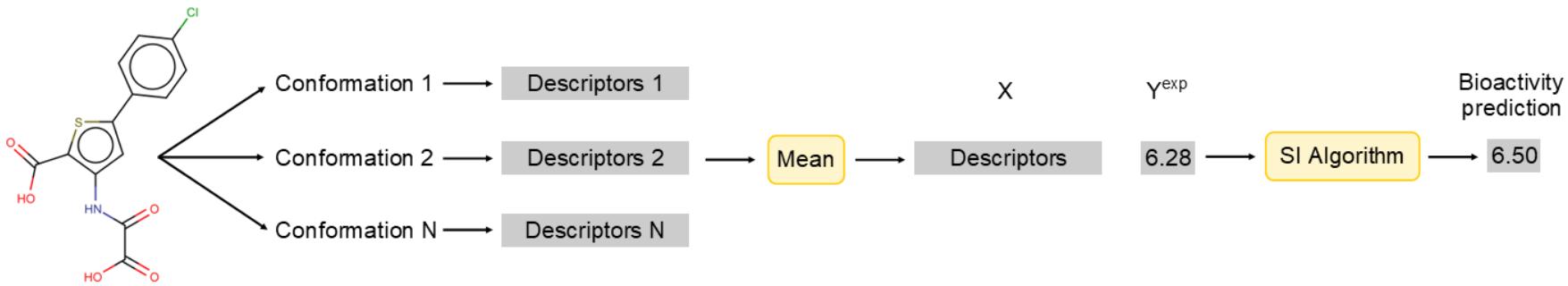


## Multi-Instance QSAR

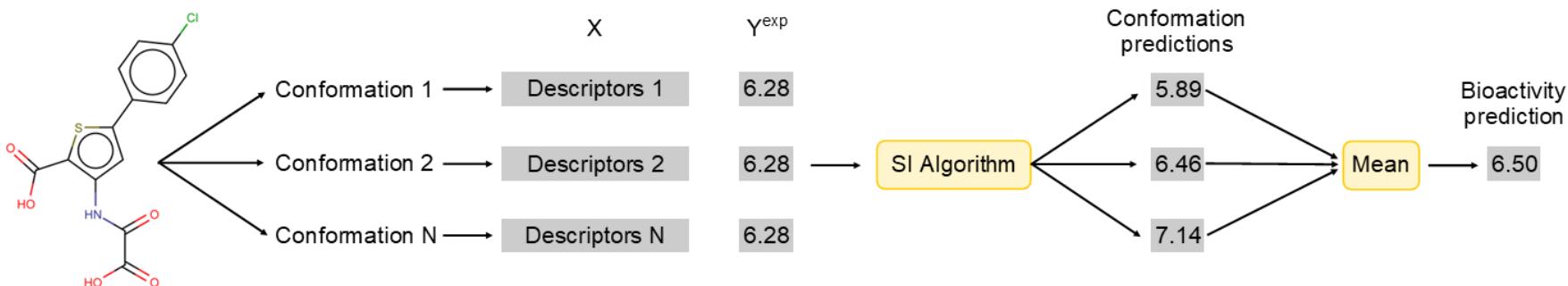


# Multi-Instance Algorithms: Intuitive approaches

**Bag-Wrapper** = Averaging conformation **descriptors**

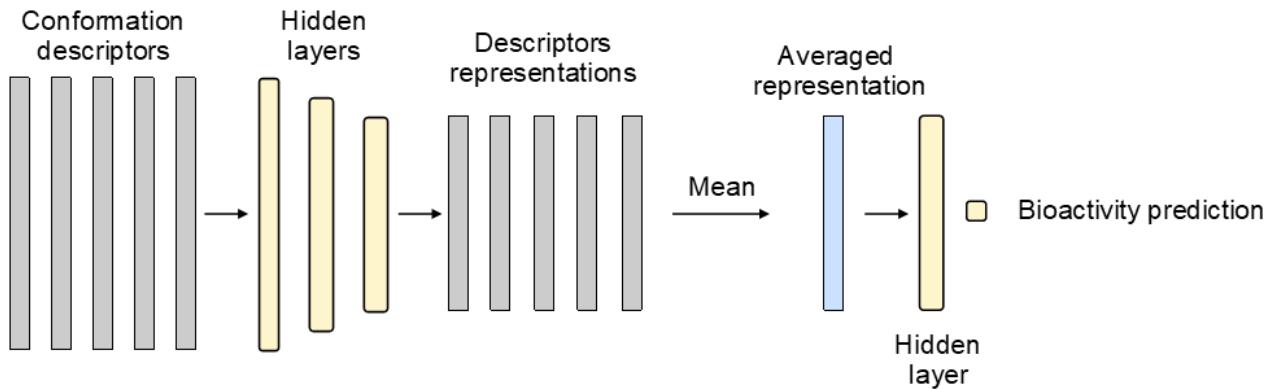


**Instance-Wrapper** = Averaging conformation **predictions**

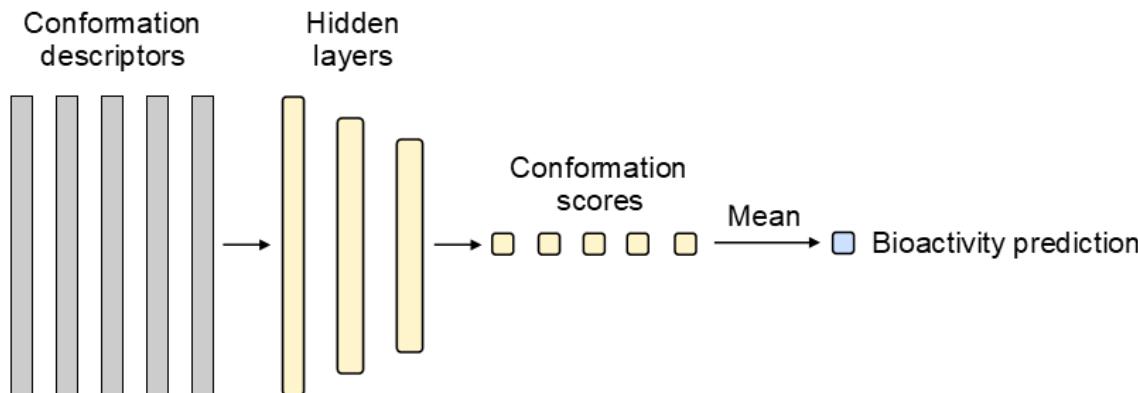


# Multi-Instance Algorithms: Neural net approaches

**Bag-Net** = Averaging conformation **embeddings**

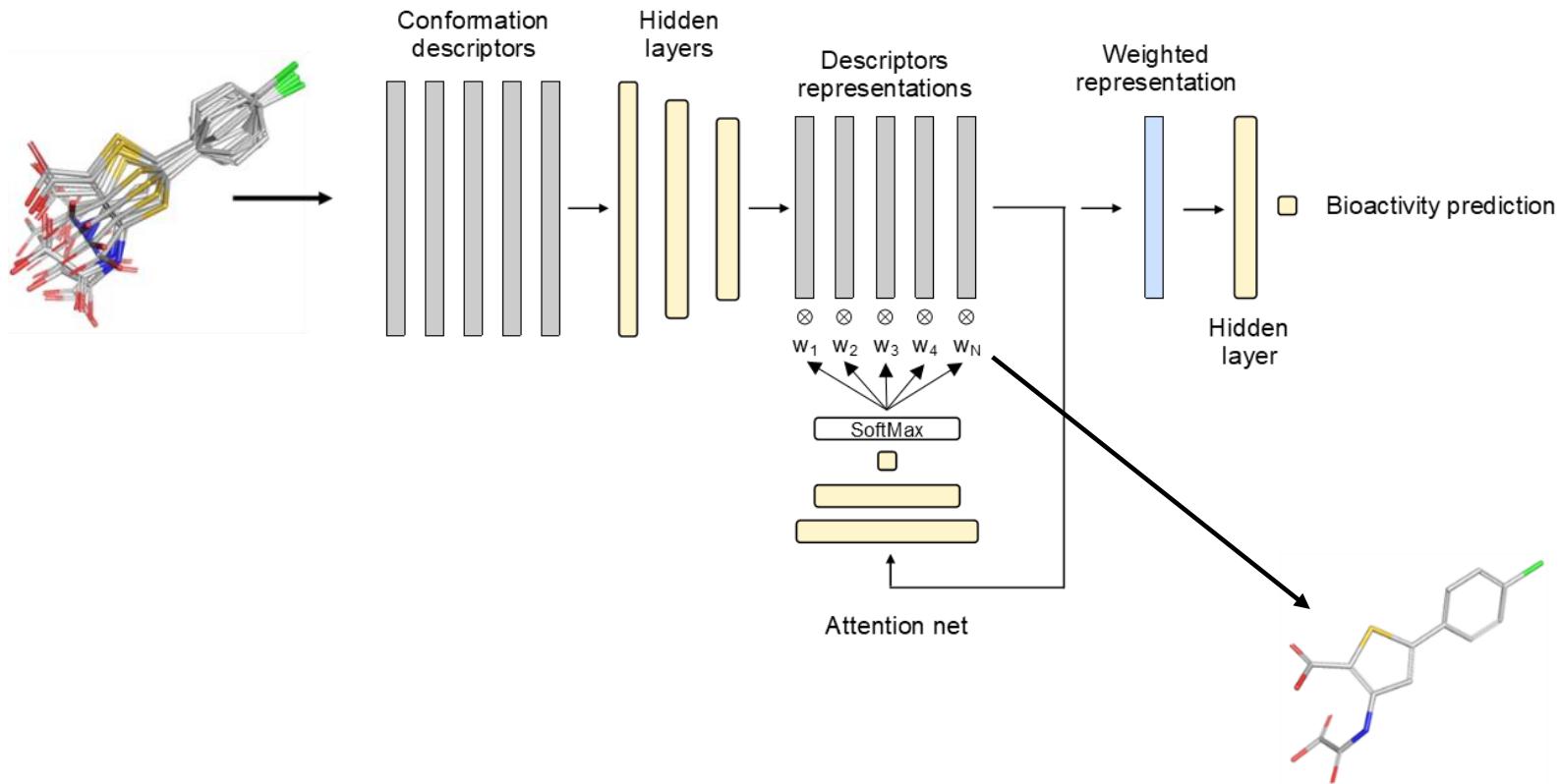


**Instance-net** = Averaging conformation **scores**



# Multi-Instance Algorithms: Kill two birds with one stone

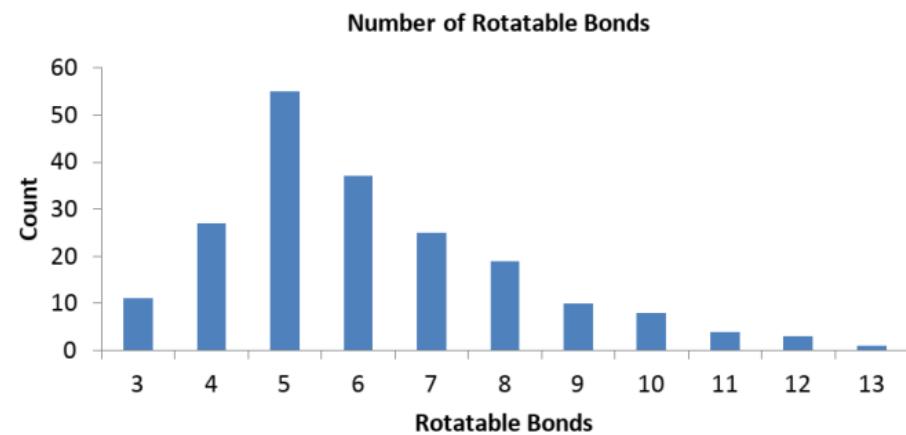
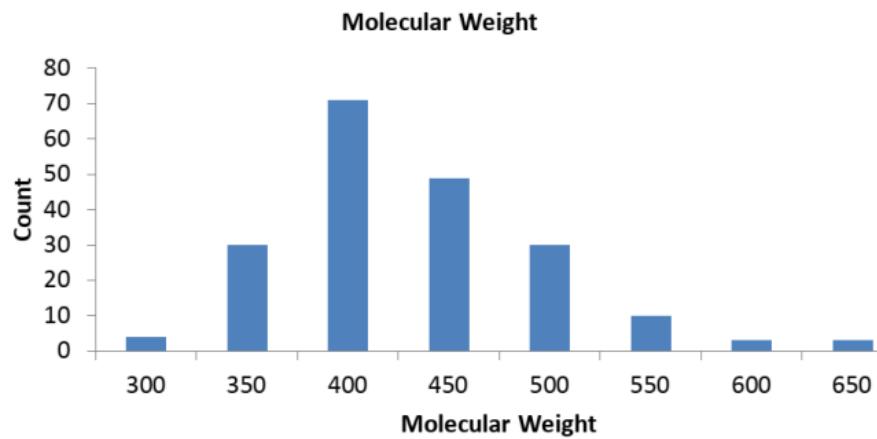
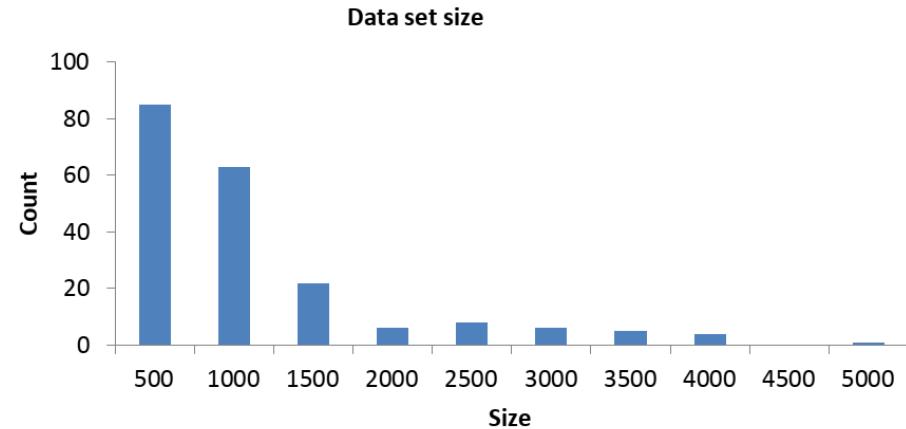
**Bag-Attention Net = Weighted averaging conformation **embeddings****



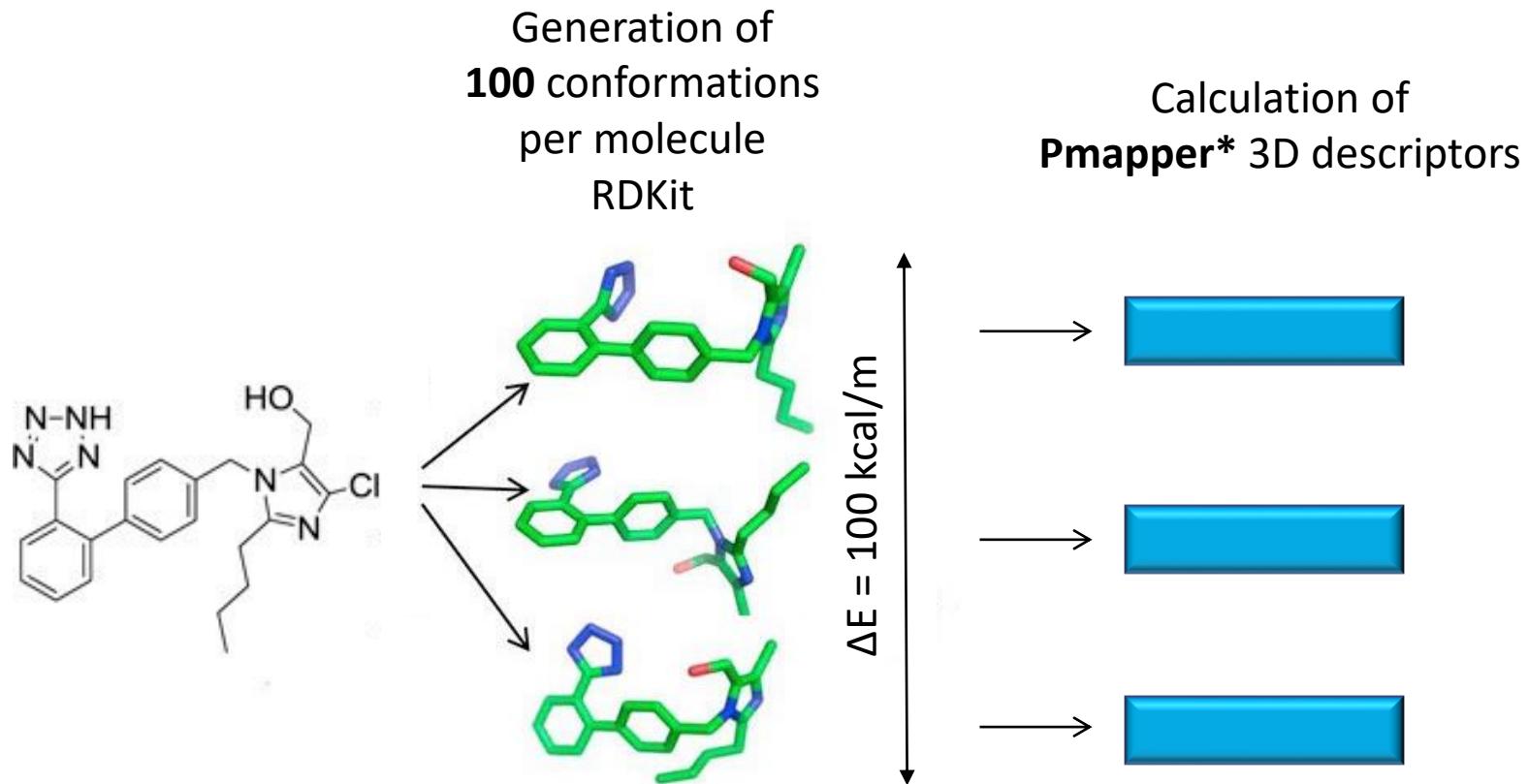
# Data Sets

We extracted **175** sets from the CHEMBL23 database

CHEMBL ID	SMILES	pKi
CHEMBL15789	C=CC[C@H](NC(=O)[C@@H]1CCCN1C(=O)[C@@H](NC(=O)...	8.40
CHEMBL82121	O=C(O)CC(c1ccccc1)c1cc(l)c(O)c(l)c1	4.00
CHEMBL83092	O=C(O)CCc1cc(l)c(O)c(l)c1	4.10
CHEMBL189314	CC(C)(C)OC(=O)c1cccc1C(=O)c1ccc(OCCCOC(=O)N[C...)	6.00
CHEMBL82941	O=C(N[C@@H](Cc1cc(l)c(O)c(l)c1)C(=O)O)OCCCCc1c...	6.10
...	...	...
CHEMBL3661086	COc1ccc2c(O[C@@H]3C[C@H]4C(=O)N[C@]5(C(=O)NS(=...)	10.00
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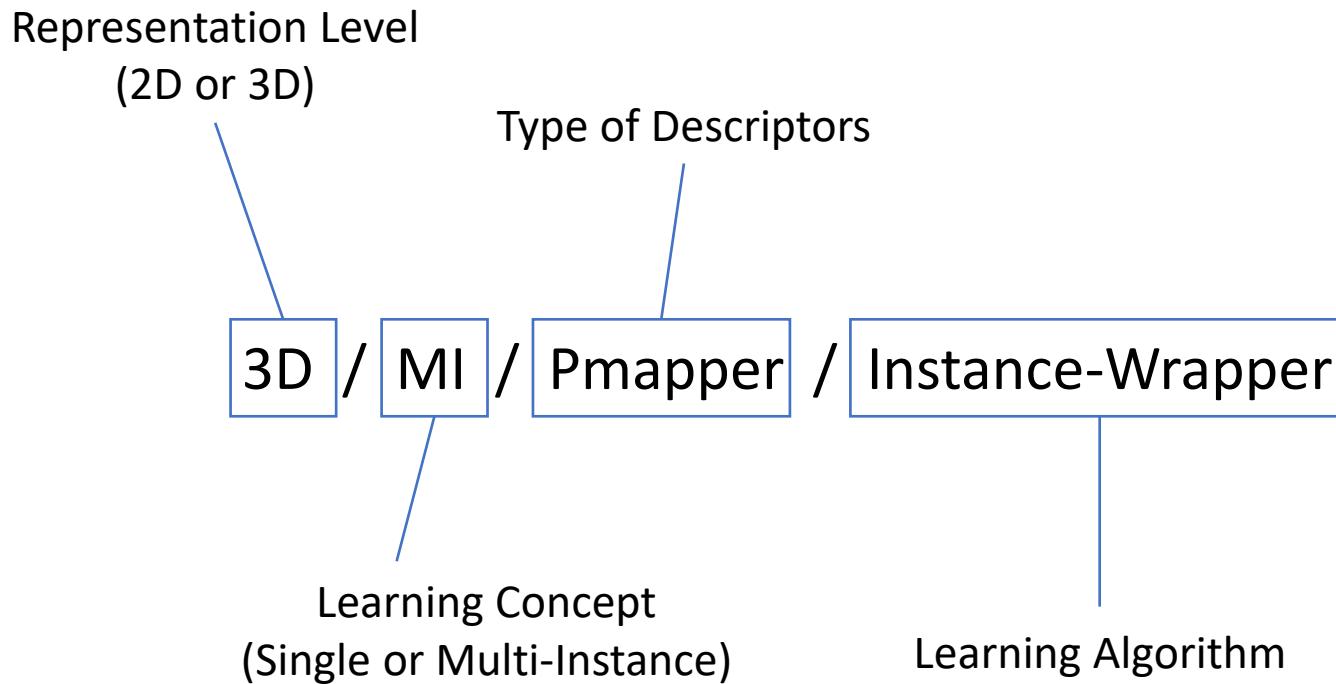
# Conformation Generation



\*Kutlushina, A., Khakimova, A., Madzhidov, T., & Polishchuk, P. (2018). Ligand-based pharmacophore modeling using novel 3D pharmacophore signatures. *Molecules*, 23(12), 3094.

# Nomenclature

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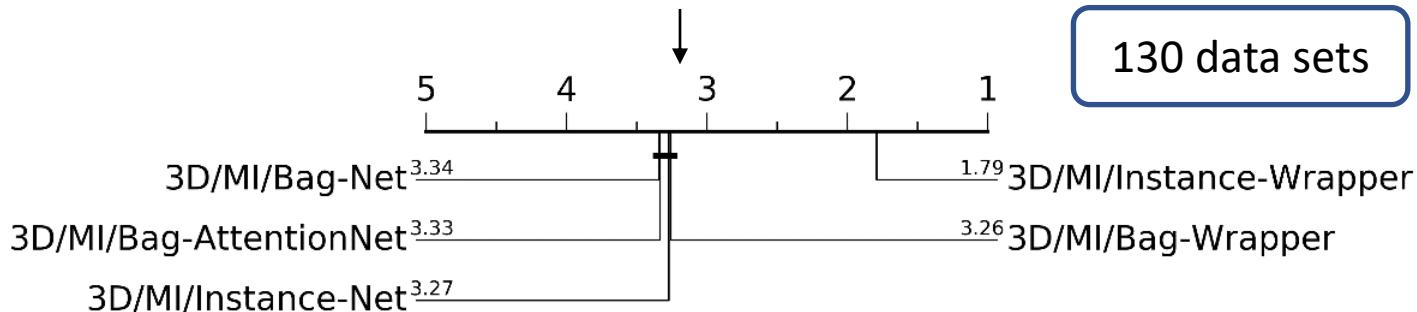


# Benchmarking Multi-Instance Algorithms

	3D/MI/Bag-AttentionNet	3D/MI/Instance-Wrapper	3D/MI/Bag-Wrapper	3D/MI/Bag-Net	3D/MI/Instance-Net
CHEMBL1055	0.248	0.272	0.322	0.261	0.267
CHEMBL2034	0.624	0.664	0.645	0.644	0.638
CHEMBL261	0.313	0.404	0.326	0.322	0.321
CHEMBL322	0.348	0.432	0.357	0.377	0.375
CHEMBL2094122	0.254	0.310	0.420	0.422	0.430

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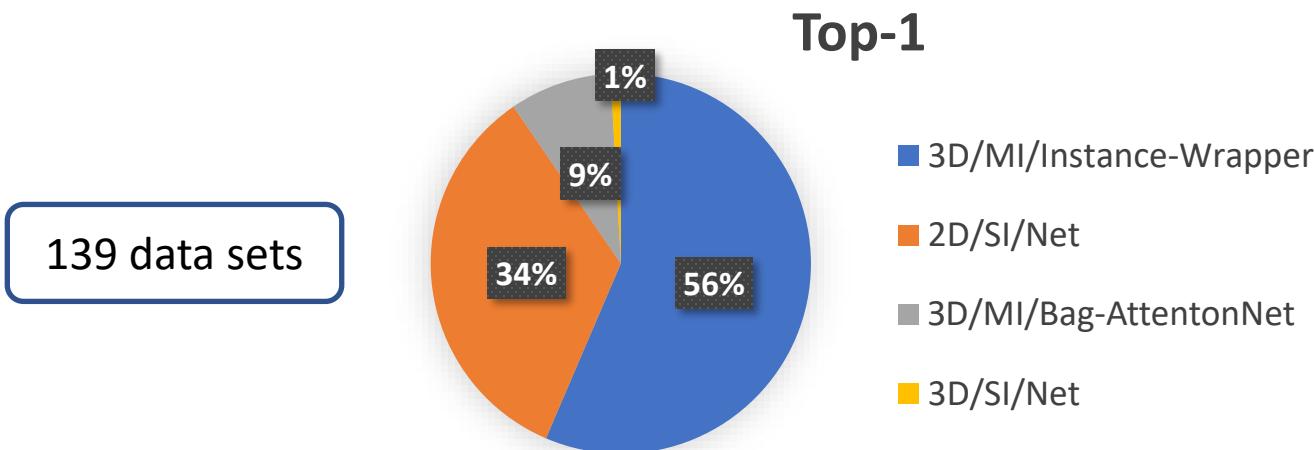
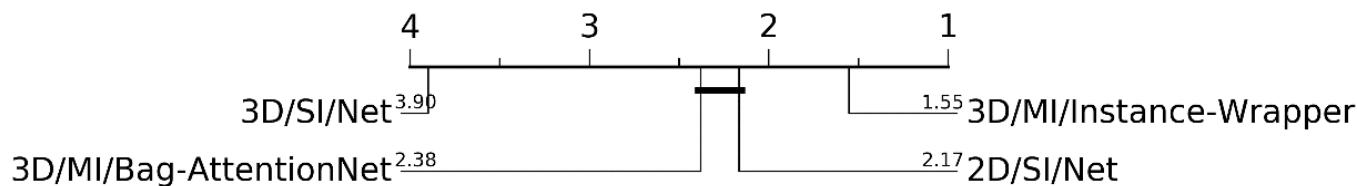
CHEMBL238	0.305	0.307	0.367	0.374	0.373
CHEMBL210	0.535	0.636	0.546	0.548	0.558
CHEMBL3571	0.357	0.420	0.359	0.383	0.379
CHEMBL222	0.418	0.437	0.391	0.400	0.395
CHEMBL1899	0.255	0.660	0.578	0.584	0.582



Groups of models that are not significantly different (at a confidence level of 0.05) are connected by the thick line

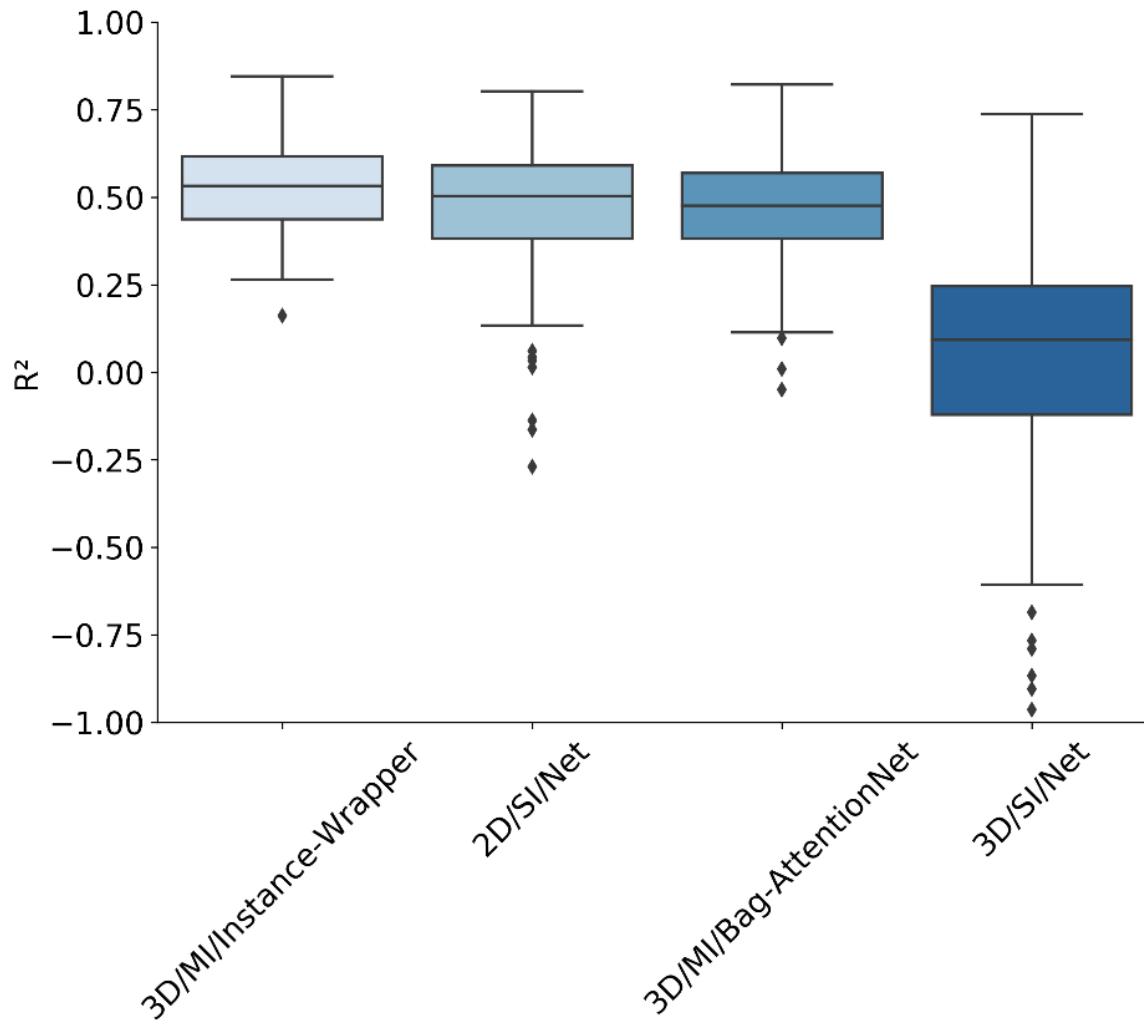
# Comparison of 2D and 3D models

Model	Mean	Median
3D/MI/Instance-Wrapper	$0.530 \pm 0.123$	0.532
2D/SI/Net	$0.474 \pm 0.189$	0.503
3D/MI/Bag-Attention Net	$0.474 \pm 0.157$	0.476
3D/SI/Net	$0.027 \pm 0.374$	0.092



# Comparison of 2D and 3D models

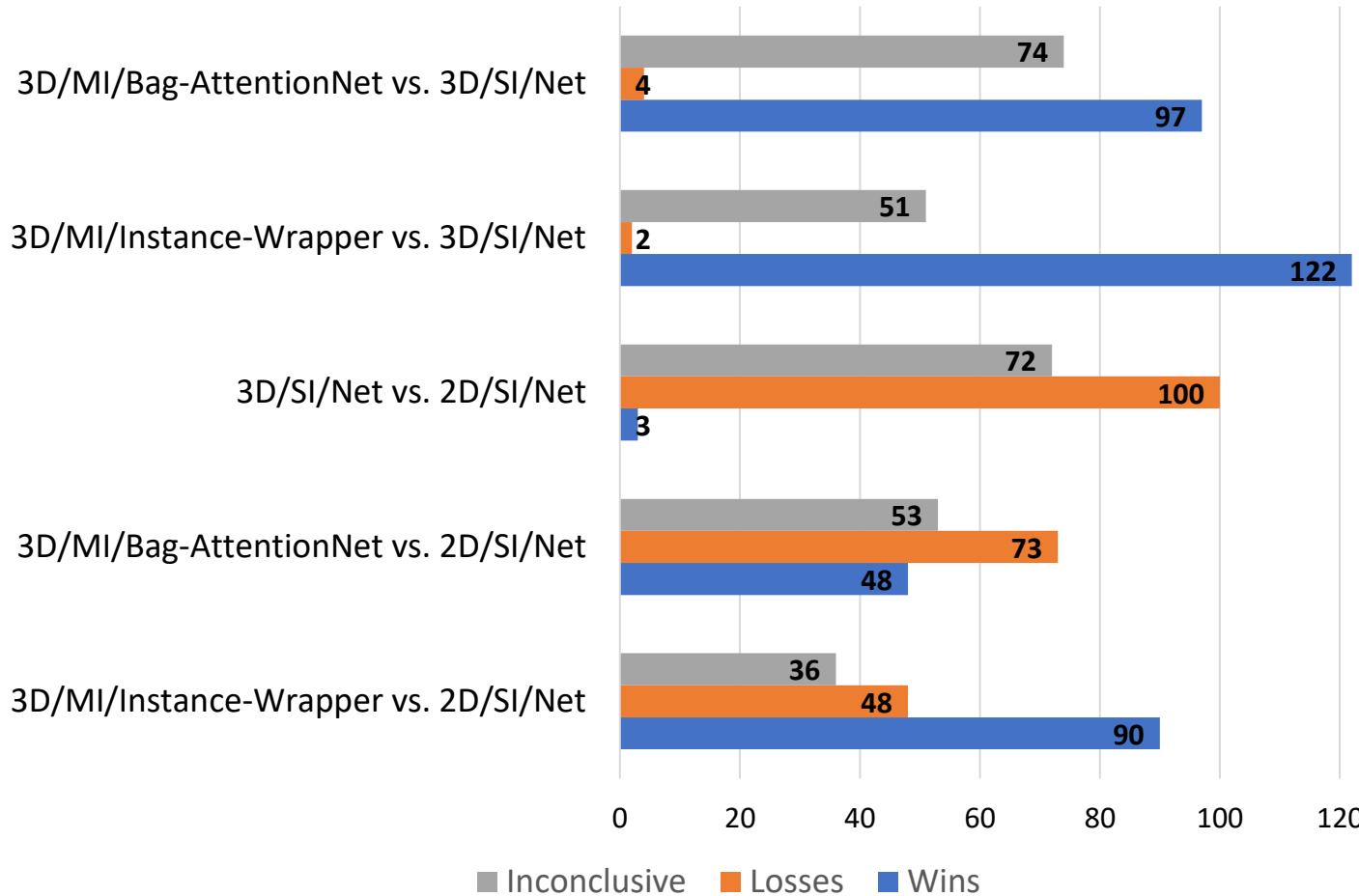
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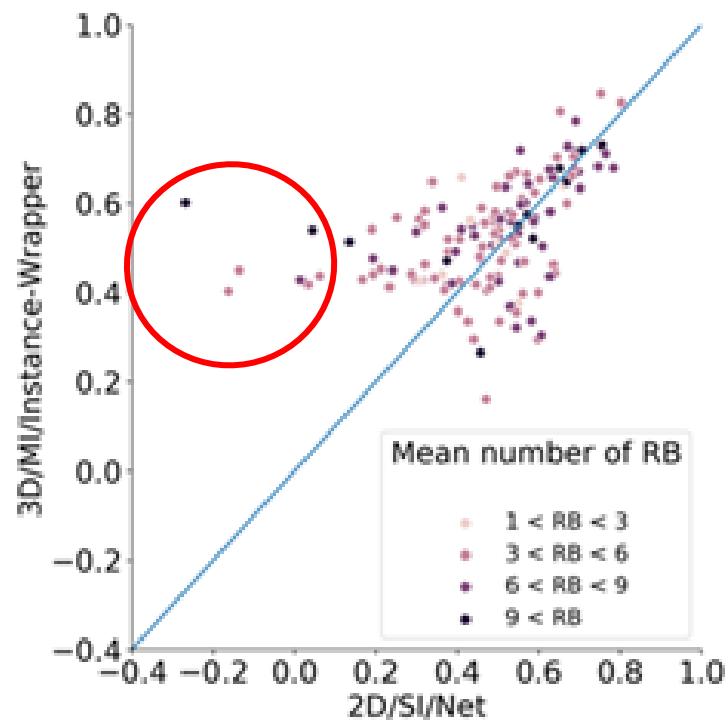
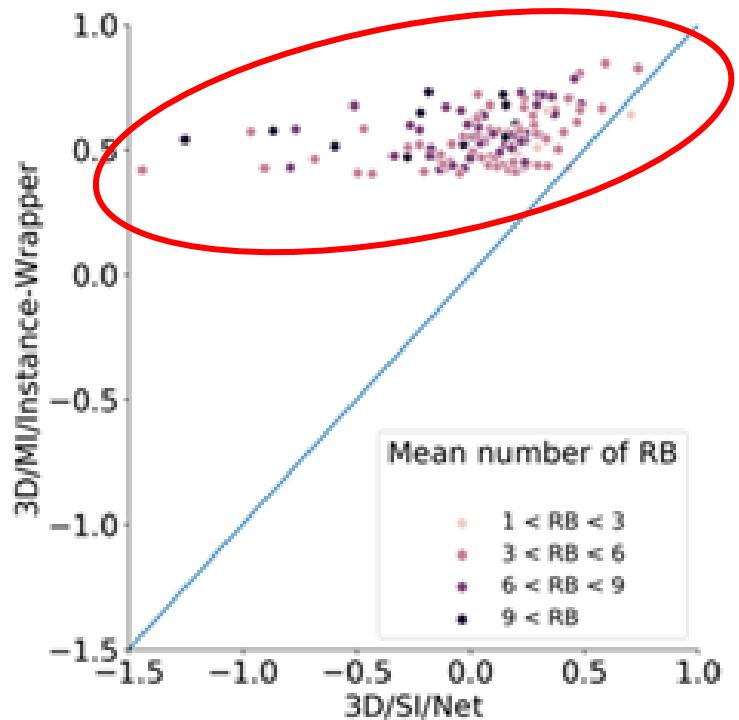
# Comparison of 2D and 3D models

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Pair-wise comparison of models



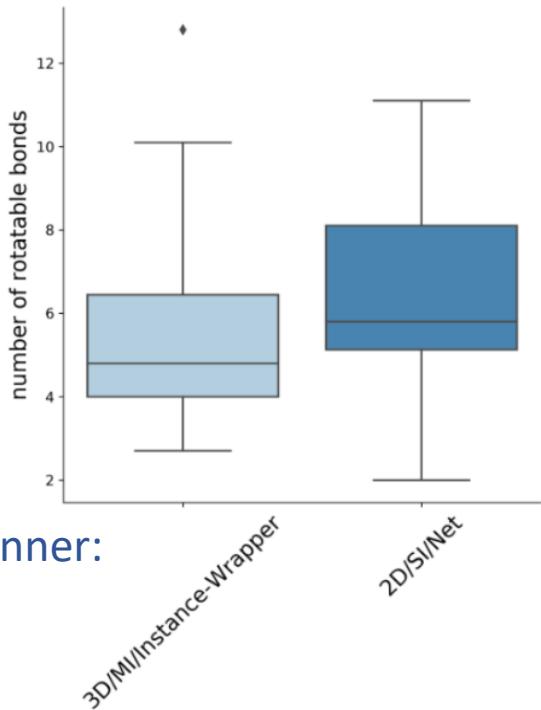
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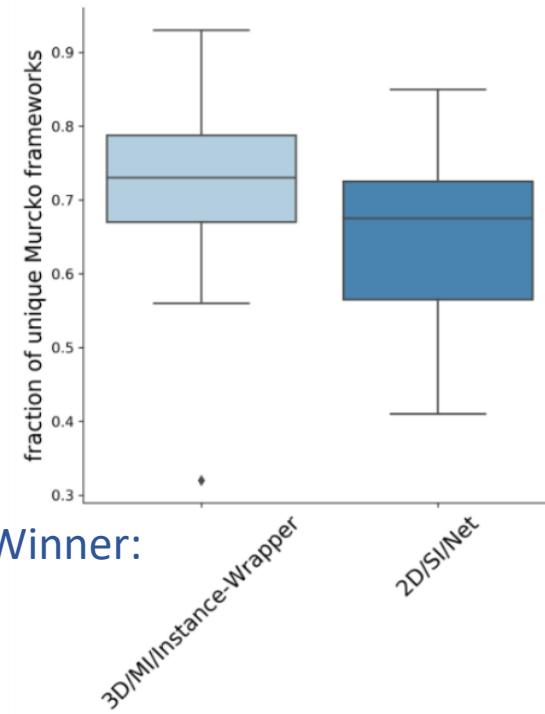
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Number of rotatable bonds



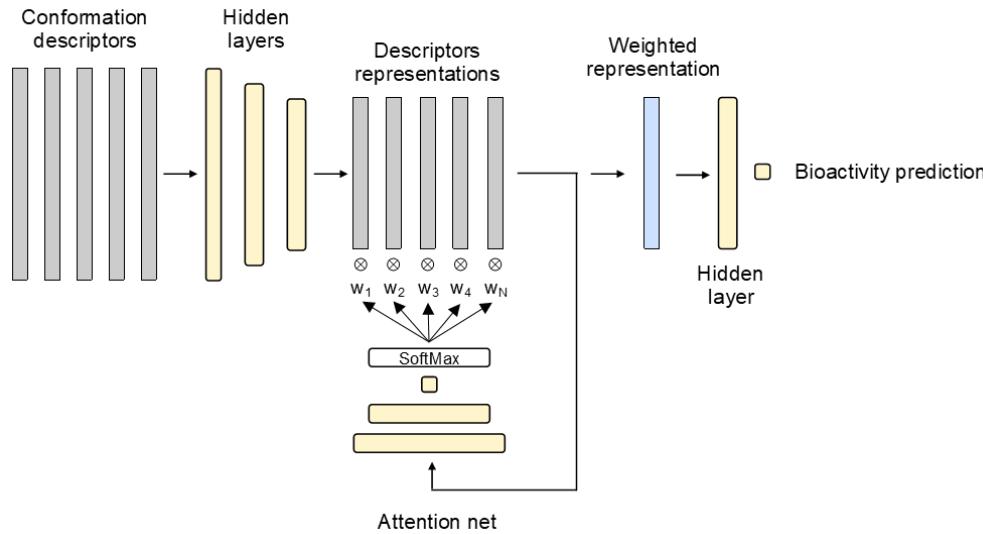
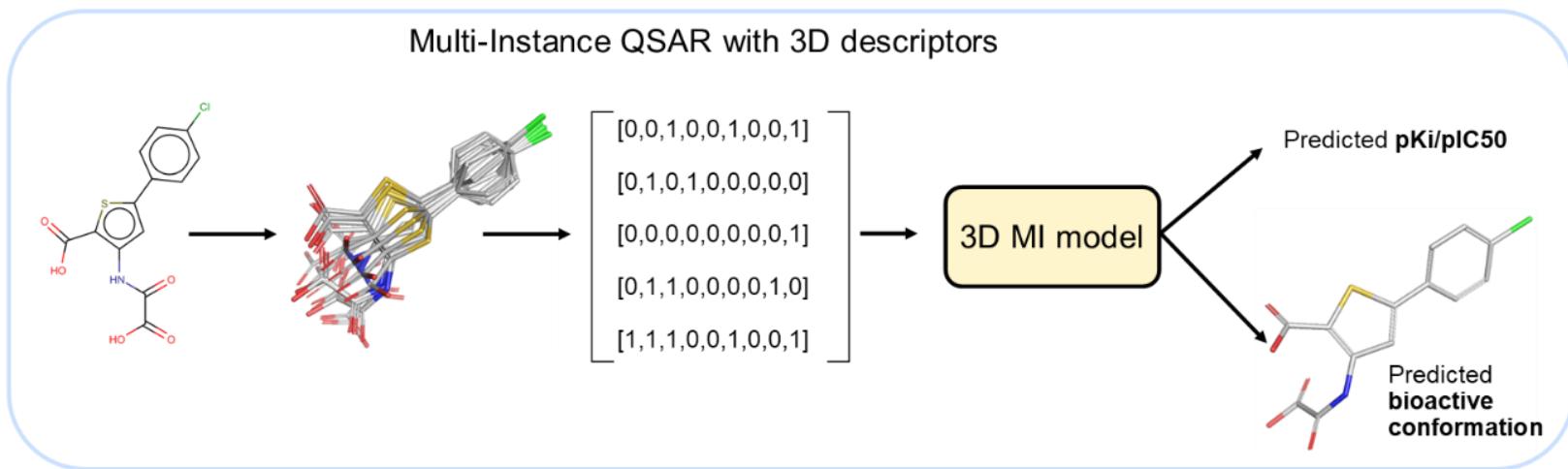
Winner:

Fraction of unique Bemis-Murcko scaffolds



Winner:

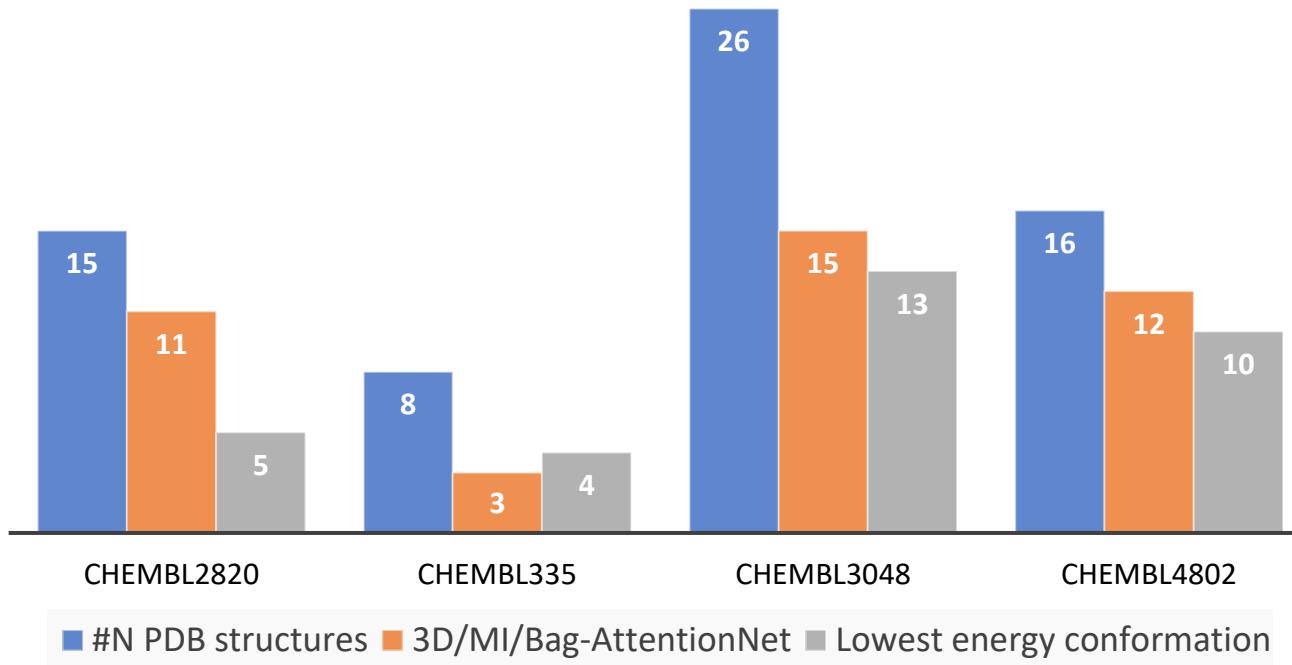
# Identification of Bioactive Conformation



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Number of correctly identified conformations



# Identification of Bioactive Conformation

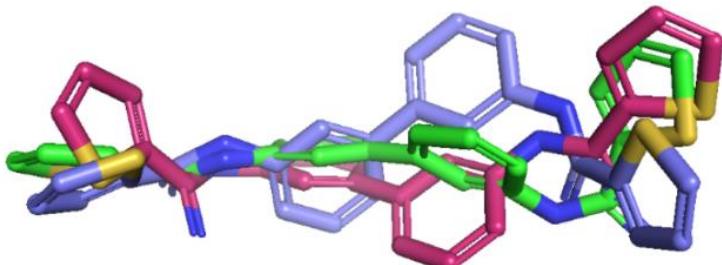
PDB conformation

Lowest-energy conformation

Conformation predicted by *3D/MI/Bag-AttentionNet* model

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Training set

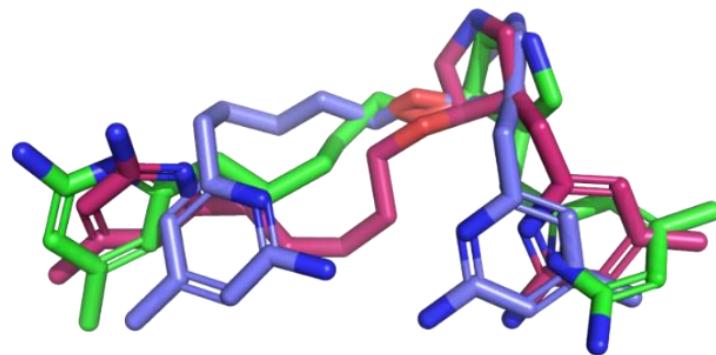


Experimental pKi: 6.10

3D/SI/Net pKi: 6.48, RMSD = 2.42 Å

3D/MI/Bag-AttentionNet pKi: 6.31, RMSD = 1.70 Å

Test set



Experimental pKi: 7.42

3D/SI/Net pKi: 7.86, RMSD = 2.78 Å

3D/MI/Bag-AttentionNet pKi: 7.41, RMSD = 1.55 Å

# Conclusions

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- 1) Multi-instance models outperform both single-instance 3D models and traditional QSAR models built on 2D descriptors in many cases
- 2) Multi-instance models is good alternative to 2D modeling if the latter fails
- 3) Multi-instance neural network with an attention mechanism can correctly identify a “bioactive” conformation close to the experimental structure of a ligand retrieved from PDB.

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All algorithms and data sets are freely available at  
**<https://github.com/cimm-kzn/3D-MIL-QSAR>**

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