

Crystallography



Topics:

1. **Image Formation** (*what we see is not always accurate*)

Resolution / Wavelength (Amplitude, Phase) / Diffraction & Interference

Light Microscopy / EM / X-ray / (NMR)

2. **Protein Data Bank (PDB)**

Data mining and Protein Structure Analysis Tools

3. **IYCr 2014 - Celebrating 100 years of X-ray Crystallography**

4. **X-Ray Crystallography – practical aspects**

- a) Crystal Growth – Materials / Methods
- c) Crystal Lattices - Lattice Constants / Space Groups / Asymmetric Unit
- d) X-ray Sources – Sealed Tube / Rotation Anode / Synchrotron
- e) Data Collection – Methods / Detectors / Structure Factors / Computers
- f) Theory of Diffraction – Bragg's Law / Reciprocal Space
- g) Structure Solution – Phase Problem: MIR / MR / MAD
- h) Refinements and Models / Analysis and presentation of results

Crystal Systems

The 14 Bravais Lattices

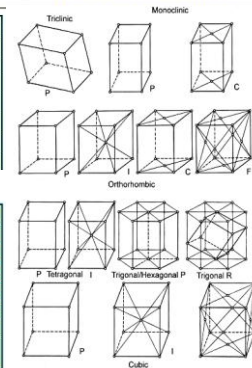
Crystal System	Bravais Type(s)	External Minimum Symmetry	Unit Cell Properties
Triclinic	P	None	a, b, c, α, β, γ
Monoclinic	P, C	One 2-fold axis, parallel b (b unique)	a, b, c, 90, β, 90
Orthorhombic	P, I, F	Three perpendicular 2-folds	a, b, c, 90, 90, 90
Tetragonal	P, I	One 4-fold axis, parallel c	a, a, c, 90, 90, 90
Trigonal	P, R	One 3-fold axis	a, a, c, 90, 90, 120
Hexagonal	P	One 6-fold axis	a, a, c, 90, 90, 120
Cubic	P, F, I	Four 3-folds along space diagonal	a, a, a, 90, 90, 90

Symmetry operations : 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, -1, -2, -3, -4, -6, m

Crystal System	Point groups	Lauze Class	Patterson Symmetry
Triclinic	1, -1	-1	P-1
Monoclinic	2, m, 2/m	2/m	P2/m, C2/m
Orthorhombic	222, mm2, mmm	mmm	Fmmn, Cmmn, Fmmn, Immm
Tetragonal	4, -4, 4/m, 422, 4mm, -42m, 4/mmm	4/m, 4/mmm	P4/m, I4/m, F4/mmm, I4/mmm
Trigonal	3, -3, 32, 3m, -3m	-3, -3m	P-3, R-3, P-3m1, P-31m, R-3m
Hexagonal	6, -6, 6/m, 622, 6mm, -62m, 6/mmm	6/m, 6/mmm	P6/m, P6/mmm
Cubic	23, m-3, 432, -O3m, m3m	m-3, m-3m	Pm-3, Im-3, F-3m, Pm-3m, Fm-3m, Im-3m

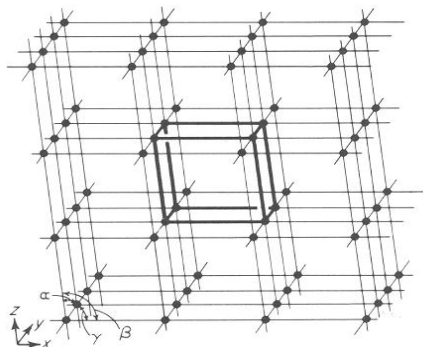
Note: Only 2-, 3-, 4-, and 6-fold rotations allowed

- Lauze class corresponds to symmetry of reciprocal space (diffraction pattern)
- Patterson symmetry is Lauze class plus allowed Bravais centering, i.e. centrosymmetric and asymmetric



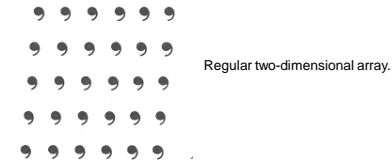
A **unit cell** is defined by its lattice constants:

a, b, c and **α, β, γ**

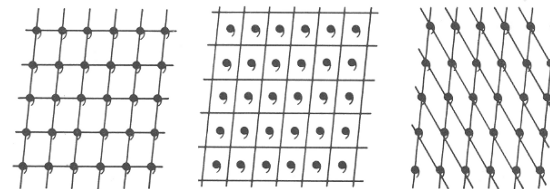


Three-dimensional lattice, showing unit cell (heavy lines).

How to identify “the” **unit cell** ?



Regular two-dimensional array.



Three different grid systems referred to the array same array.

How to identify "the" unit cell? Role of Symmetry



Rotation axes:

2-fold	3-fold	4-fold	6-fold
180°	120°	90°	60°
1/2	1/3	1/4	1/6

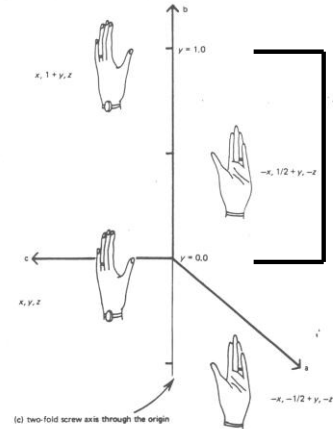
Translations:

Rot + Trans (Screw Axes) / Mirror / Inversion

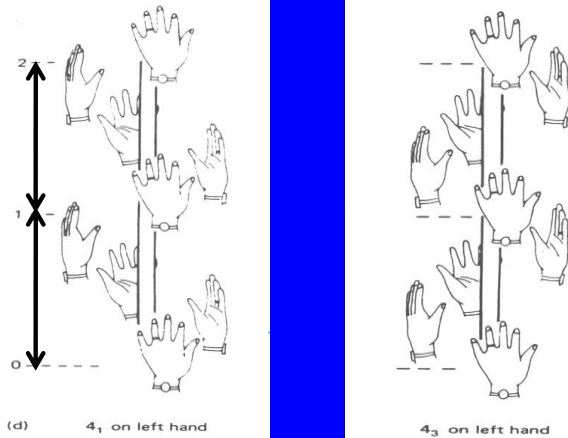
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Screw Axes (rotation + translation)

- 2-fold screw: 180° + 1/2
- 3-fold screw: 120° + 1/3
- 4-fold screw: 90° + 1/4
- 6-fold screw: 60° + 1/6

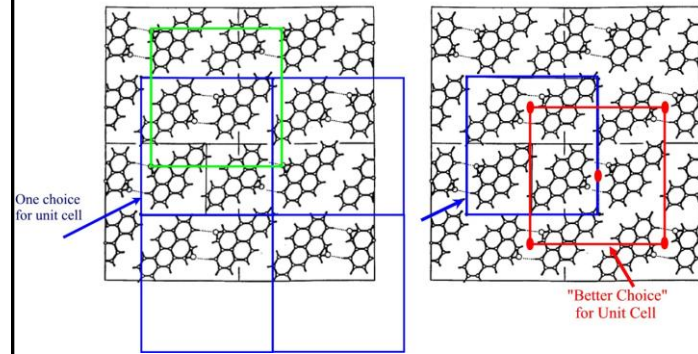


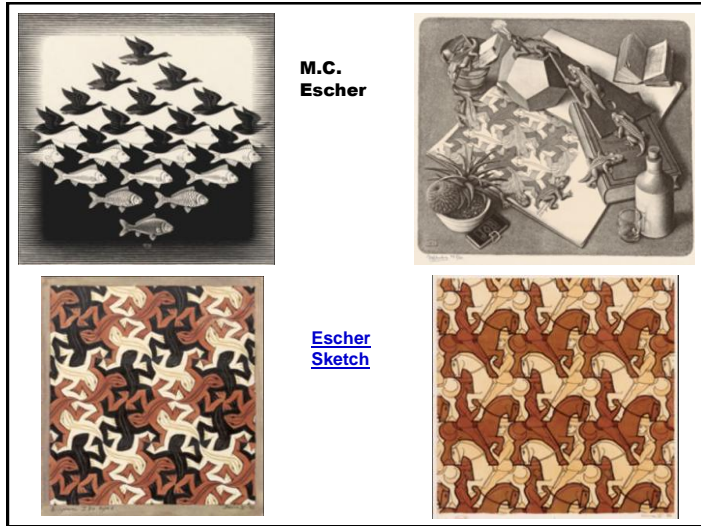
4₁ and 4₃ Screw Axis



We will only look at examples having only 2-fold (2) or 2-fold screw (2₁) axes.

Unit Cell Selection is Based on Symmetry





The crystal structure of silver chromate

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Ag_2CrO_4

Space group: $Pnma$ $a = 10.06, b = 7.03, c = 5.54; V = 392 \text{ \AA}^3$
 "325 observed reflections used in the analysis"

$\sim 10,000 \times$

JMB

Crystallographic Structure of a PLP-Dependent Ornithine Decarboxylase from *Lactobacillus* 30a to 3.0 Å Resolution

Cory Momany, Stephen Ernst, Ratna Ghosh, Ning-Leh Chang and Marvin L. Hackert*

OrnDC from L30a (dodecamer 8760 aa)
 $P6$ $a = 195.6, c = 97.6; V = 3,230,000 \text{ \AA}^3$

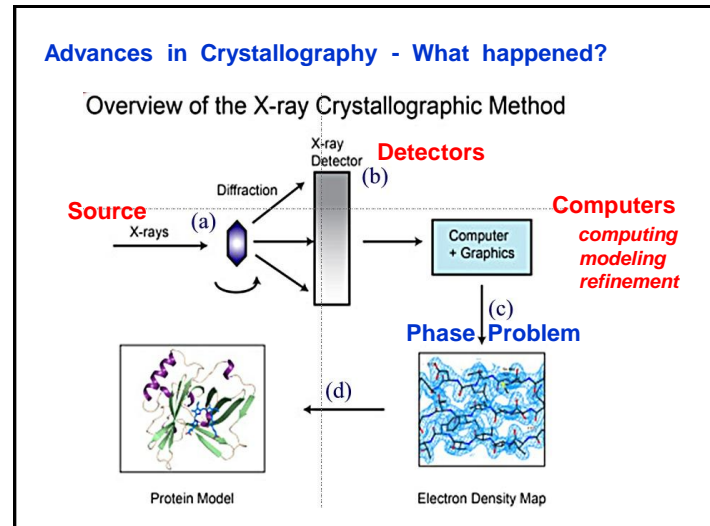
A Half Century of Advances in Small Molecule Crystallography

Decade	1950's	1960's	1970's	1980's	1990's	2000's
Size	30 atoms	<100 non-H atoms	<200 non-H atoms	<400 non-H atoms	<600 non-H atoms	<1000 non-H atoms
Time / Structure	~1 year	3-6 months	1 month	1 week	Few days	Few hours
# Structures	<500	~8300	32,000	95,000	229,000	528,000

Structures in the Protein Data Bank April 2011

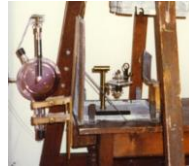
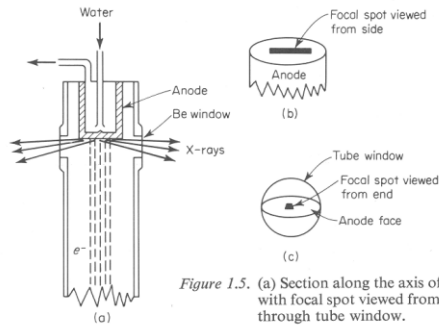
Legend: newly (orange), total (blue)

0% electron microscopy
 12.4% nuclear magnetic resonance
 87.6% X-ray crystallography



X-ray Sources:

X-ray tubes: the "sealed" tube




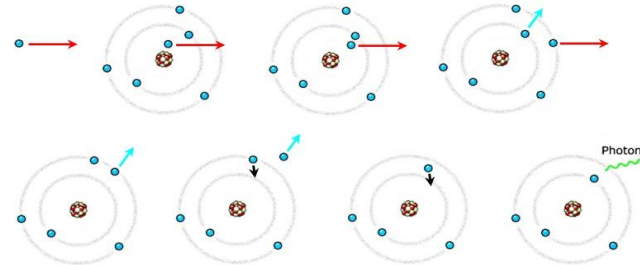
Origin of characteristic X-rays

Characteristic X-ray Lines

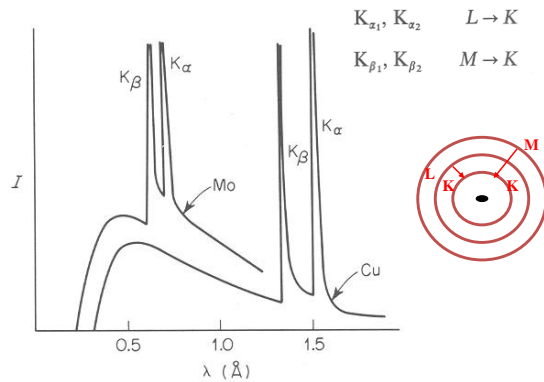
The high energy electron can also cause an electron close to the nucleus in a metal atom to be knocked out from its place. This vacancy is filled by an electron further out from the nucleus. The well defined difference in binding energy, characteristic of the material, is emitted as a monoenergetic photon. When detected this X-ray photon gives rise to a characteristic X-ray line in the energy spectrum. C. Barkla observed these lines in 1908-09 and was given the 1917 Nobel Prize for this discovery. He also made the first experiments suggesting that the X-rays are electromagnetic waves.

Related Laureate

The Nobel Prize in Physics 1917 - Charles Glover Barkla »

Characteristic X-rays arise from electronic transitions



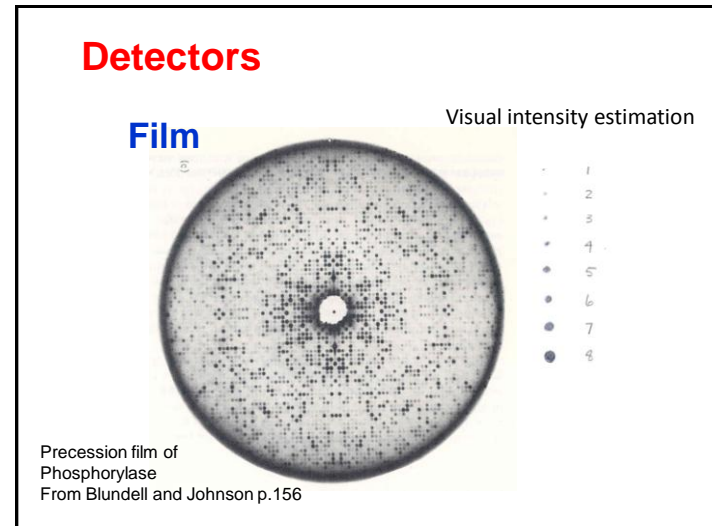
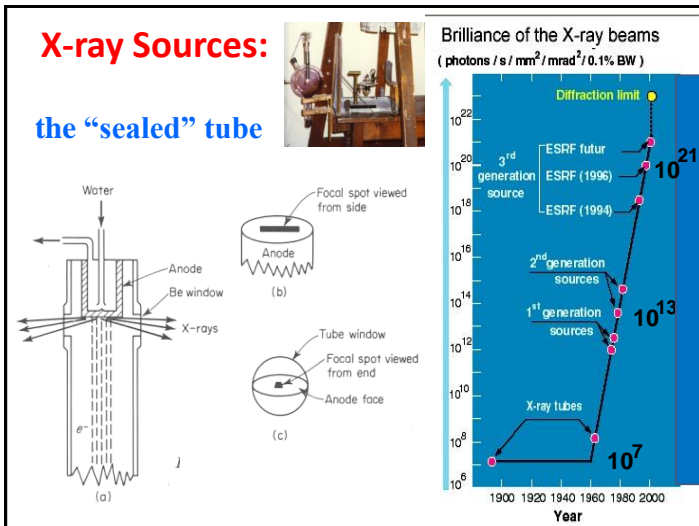
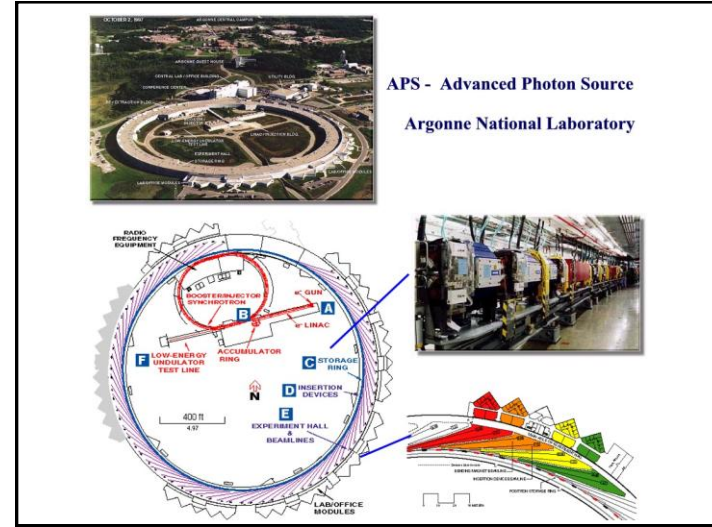
Characteristic X-rays have defined λ

Table 1.1. Target Materials and Associated Constants

	Cr	Fe	Cu	Mo
Z	24	26	29	42
$\alpha_1, \text{\AA}$	2.2896	1.9360	1.5405	0.70926
$\alpha_2, \text{\AA}$	2.2935	1.9399	1.5443	0.71354
$\bar{\alpha}, \text{\AA}$	2.2909	1.9373	1.5418	0.71069
$\beta_1, \text{\AA}$	2.0848	1.7565	1.3922	0.63225
$\beta, \text{filt.}$	V, 0.4 mil†	Mn, 0.4 mil	Ni, 0.6 mil	Nb, 3 mils
$\alpha, \text{filt.}$	Ti	Cr	Co	Y
Resolution, \AA	1.15	0.95	0.75	0.35
Critical potential, kV	5.99	7.11	8.98	20.0
Operating conditions, kV:	30-40	35-45	35-45	50-55
half- or full-wave-	10	10	20	20
rectified, mA				
constant potential, mA	7	7	14	14

* $\bar{\alpha}$ is the intensity-weighted average of α_1 and α_2 and is the figure usually used for the wavelength when the two lines are not resolved.

† 1 mil = 0.001 inch = 0.025 mm.



Diffractometer: automatic but measured only **one hkl reflection at a time**

The image contains four parts: a large diffraction pattern with a red arrow pointing to a specific spot; a schematic diagram of a diffractometer with labels for 'Source', 'Sample', 'Detector', and '2θ'; a histogram titled 'X-ray counts' showing a peak with labels for 'background', 'background + noise', and 'Scanning Angle Omega'; and a photograph of a diffractometer in a laboratory setting.

Robert Sweet, Methods in Enzymology 1985

Area Detectors: Typical coverage of diffraction pattern by a pair of ADSC multiwire detectors

The image contains three parts: a large diffraction pattern with two red rectangles highlighting the coverage of ADSC multiwire detectors; a portrait of Xuong Nguyen-huu; and a photograph of Ron Hamlin working in a laboratory.

Xuong Nguyen-huu
Ron Hamlin – Supper Award talk
Ron Hamlin

Image Plate Detectors
brute force solid angle coverage

The image shows a large circular diffraction pattern with a red circle drawn around it, indicating the full coverage of an image plate detector.

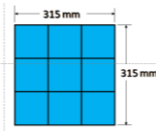
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Fiberoptic Tapers / CCD Detectors

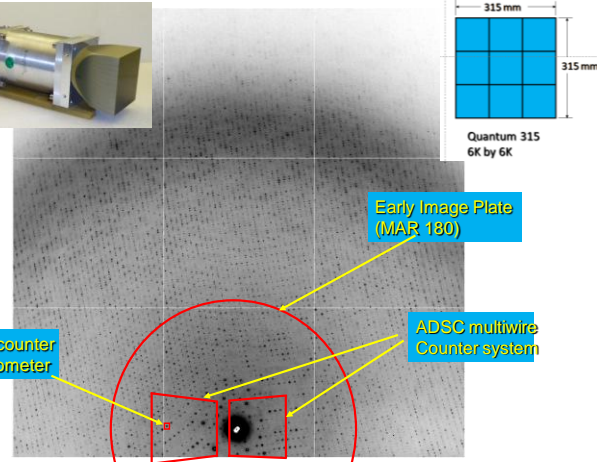
The image contains three parts: a schematic diagram of a fiberoptic taper showing an 'X-RAY PHOTON' hitting a 'PHOSPHOR' layer, which emits 'VISIBLE LIGHT PHOTONS' into a 'FIBEROPTIC TAPER' that leads to a 'CCD' detector, resulting in 'ELECTRONS IN CCD PIXEL'; a photograph of a detector assembly; and a photograph of US dollar bills.

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CCD Detectors: Diffraction pattern from a Quantum 315



Quantum 315
6K by 6K

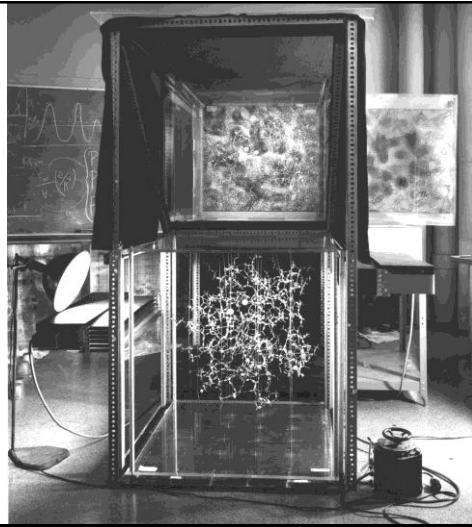


Single counter diffractometer

Early Image Plate (MAR 180)

ADSC multiwire Counter system

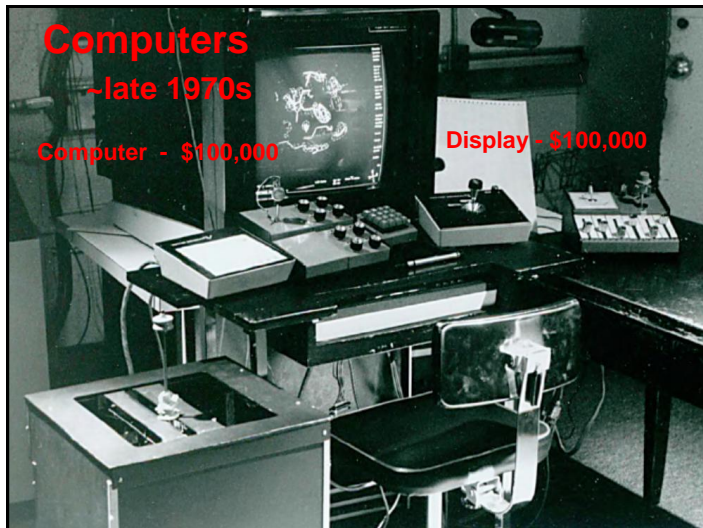
**Computers
~ 1960s**



**Computers
~ late 1970s**

Computer - \$100,000

Display - \$100,000




Computers

2014 - \$1000



Crystallography



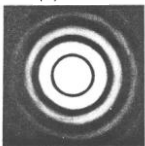
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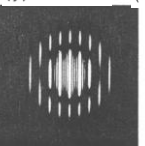
Wave Properties: Diffraction / Interference

Interference: 1D crystal - 5 identical "objects" with but different spacings (unit cell a)

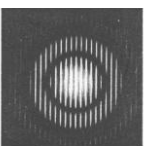
(a)



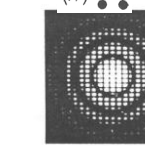
(j)



(l)

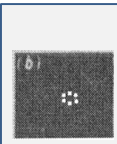


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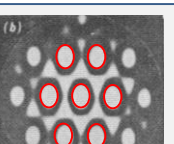


Diffraction + Interference: 2D Crystal

(b)

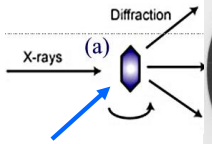


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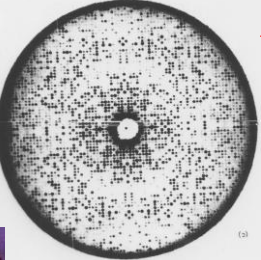


Object → Transform → Image

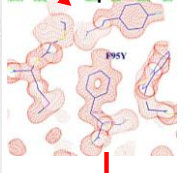
Object / Real Space




Transform / Reciprocal Space

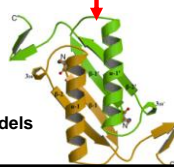


Electron Density Maps



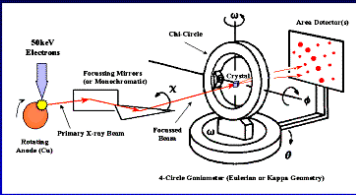


Models

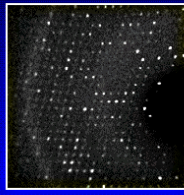


Advanced Methods in Modern Biomolecular Crystallography

The information we get from a single diffraction experiment.....



4-Circle Goniometer (Göbelian or Kappa Geometry)



The reflections are indexed (consistent assignment of reciprocal cell indices h, k, l) and all we get for the money is a long list of intensities from several ten thousand reflections.

2	10	1	326	58
3	10	1	1644	72
4	10	1	3228	45
5	10	1	1279	83
6	10	1	320	48
7	10	1	775	63
8	10	1	1344	55
9	10	1	431	73
10	10	1	1760	14
11	10	1	709	18
12	10	1	20	37
13	10	1	408	72
14	10	1	51	36
15	10	1	114	72
16	10	1	776	26
17	10	1	87	57
18	10	1	30	93
0	11	1	89	30
1	11	1	2258	68
2	11	1	770	18

Waves (Amplitudes & Phases)

Adding waves / phase effect

In phase:

Out of phase:

(a) $y = \sin x$

(b) $y = \cos x$

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

Target

f_0

$f_0 + f_1$

f_0 thru f_2

f_0 thru f_3

f_0 thru f_6

Joseph Fourier / Fourier Series -1808

Fourier series are named in honor of Joseph Fourier (1768-1830), who made important contributions to the study of trigonometric series, after preliminary investigations by Euler, d'Alembert, and Bernoulli. He applied this technique to find the solution of the heat equation, publishing his initial results in 1807, and publishing his *Théorie analytique de la chaleur* in 1822

$$f(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L}$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) dt$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt \quad b_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt$$

where $n = 1, 2, 3 \dots$

Fourier Series Example - Square Wave

previous result + $\frac{10}{11\pi} \sin \frac{11\pi t}{4}$

previous result + $\frac{10}{13\pi} \sin \frac{13\pi t}{4}$

previous result + $\frac{10}{15\pi} \sin \frac{15\pi t}{4}$

previous result + $\frac{10}{17\pi} \sin \frac{17\pi t}{4}$

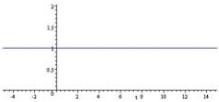
previous result + $\frac{10}{19\pi} \sin \frac{19\pi t}{4}$

If we graph many terms, we see that our **series** is producing the required function. We graph the first 20 terms:

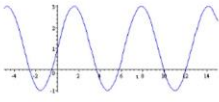
$$2.5 + \frac{10}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{20} \frac{1}{(2n-1)} \sin \frac{(2n-1)\pi t}{4}$$

Example - Saw Tooth Function $f(t) = 1 + 2 \sin t - \sin 2t + \frac{2}{3} \sin 3t$

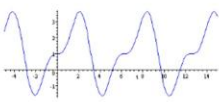
$f(t) = 1$ (first term of the series):



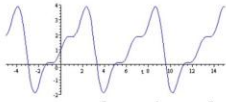
$f(t) = 1 + 2 \sin t$ (first 2 terms of the series):



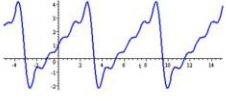
$f(t) = 1 + 2 \sin t - \sin 2t$ (first 3 terms of the series):



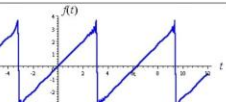
$f(t) = 1 + 2 \sin t - \sin 2t + \frac{2}{3} \sin 3t$



$f(x) = 1 + 2 \sin t - \sin 2t + \frac{2}{3} \sin 3t - \frac{1}{5} \sin 4t + \frac{2}{7} \sin 5t + \dots$



The graph of the first 40 terms is:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{40} \left(\frac{2}{n}\right)^{n+1} \sin nt$$


[Fourier Series Applet](http://www.falstad.com/fourier/) <http://www.falstad.com/fourier/>

Sines / Cosines / and Exponentials

$$\exp(x) \equiv e^x \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \frac{x^5}{120} + \dots$$

If we let x be *imaginary*, $x = i\theta$ (where θ is real), then this can be written

$$e^{i\theta} = 1 + i\theta - \frac{\theta^2}{2} - i\frac{\theta^3}{6} + \frac{\theta^4}{24} + i\frac{\theta^5}{120} - \dots$$

recall

$$\cos \theta = 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2} + \frac{\theta^4}{24} - \dots$$

$$\sin \theta = \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{6} + \frac{\theta^5}{120} - \dots$$

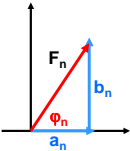
thus

$$e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$

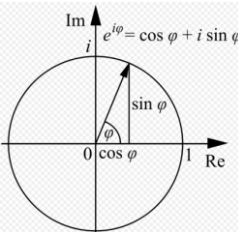
Euler's Equation

Euler's formula (Leonhard Euler, 1707-1783) gives the relationship between the complex exponential function and common trig terms. For any real number " ϕ "

Replace list of a_n / b_n with $|F_n|$ and ϕ_n



n	a	b	F	ϕ
1	7	0	7	0
2	0	8	8	90
3	5	5	7.1	??
4	8	6	??	36.9



Fourier Series / Fourier Transforms

$$f(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L}$$

or

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) dt$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt \quad b_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(t) \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt$$

Now consider **electron density** (as a function or a set of coefficients)

$$\rho(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_{\mathbf{h}} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{h}) \exp(-2\pi i \mathbf{h} \cdot \mathbf{x}) \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{h}) = \int \rho(\mathbf{x}) \exp(2\pi i \mathbf{h} \cdot \mathbf{x}) dV$$

Real Space Reciprocal Space cell

AND - $F_{\mathbf{hkl}}$ can also be calculated as the resultant scattering or the **sum of the individual scattering atoms!!**

$$\mathbf{F}(hkl) = F(hkl) e^{i\alpha(hkl)} = \sum_{j=1}^{N'} \mathbf{f}_j(hkl) = \sum_{j=1}^{N'} f_j(hkl) e^{i\phi_j(hkl)}$$

Diffraction: Scattering from (two) "atoms"

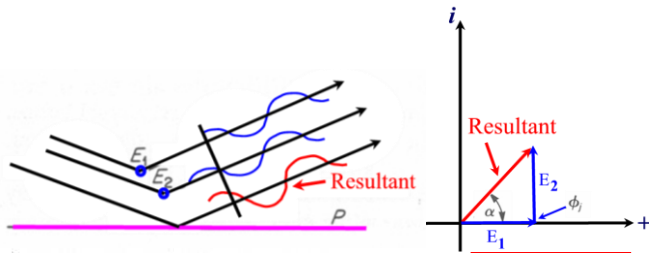


Figure 2.10. Diffraction from E_1 and E_2 as if reflected from plane P .

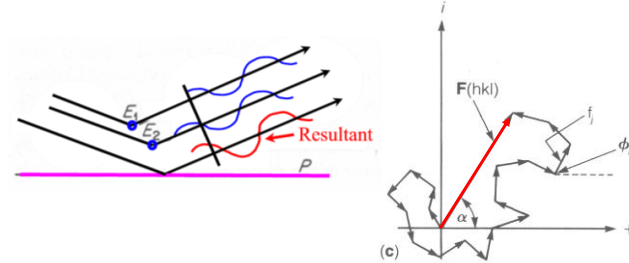
Represent a wave as an amplitude + phase.

Scattering from "many atoms"

$$F(hkl) = F(hkl)e^{i\alpha(hkl)} = \sum_{j=1}^{N'} f_j(hkl) = \sum_{j=1}^{N'} f_j(hkl)e^{i\phi_j(hkl)}$$

← Calculated
← Experimental

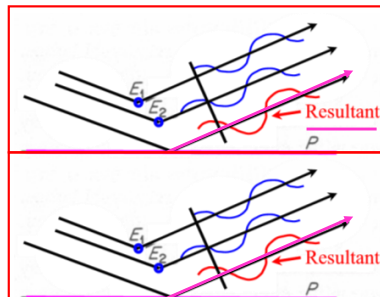
$$F(hkl) = \text{SQRT}[c_l(hkl)]$$



The structure factor for a reflection may be thought of as the vector sum of the x-ray scattering contributions from many atoms.

Each of the j contributions may be represented as a vector in the complex plane, with amplitude f_j and phase ϕ_j .

Scattering from "atoms in two unit cells"



The Nobel Prize in Physics 1915
William Bragg, Lawrence Bragg



The Nobel Prize in Physics 1915



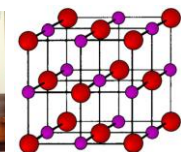
Sir William Henry Bragg



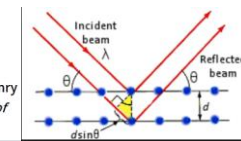
William Lawrence Bragg



X-ray apparatus



Sodium Chloride (NaCl)



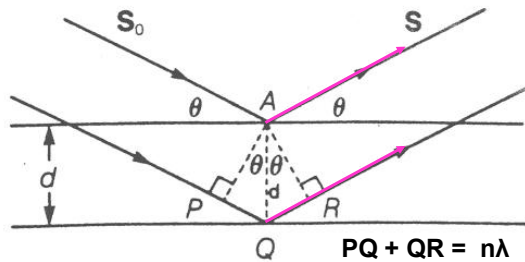
Bragg's Law ($n\lambda = 2d \sin\theta$)

The Nobel Prize in Physics 1915 was awarded jointly to Sir William Henry Bragg and William Lawrence Bragg "for their services in the analysis of crystal structure by means of X-rays"

Crystals: Scattering from "planes"

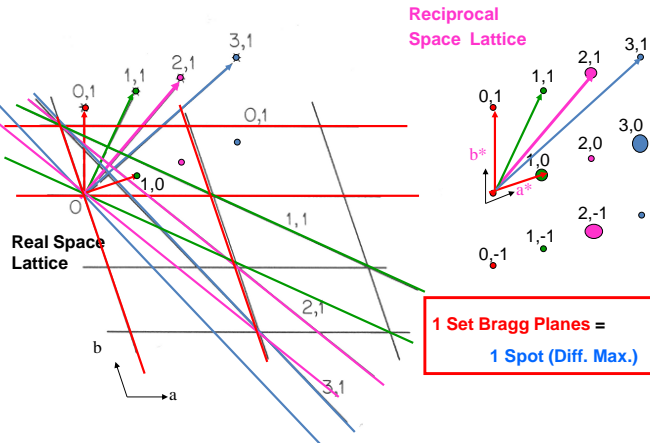
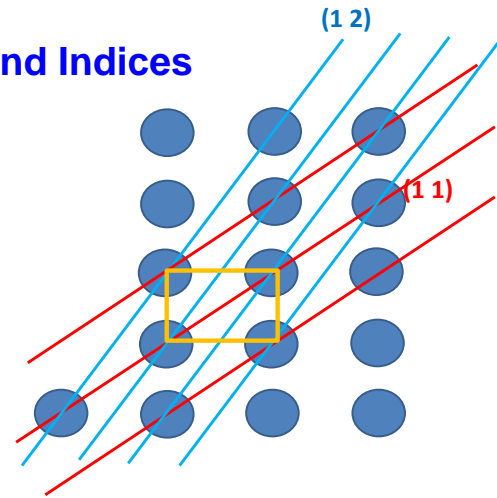
Resultant scattering of resultant scattering!

Bragg Equation $n\lambda = 2 d \sin(\theta)$



→ Scattering will only be "observed" at discrete **Bragg angles**(θ)
 The spacings of the Bragg reflections → Lattice Constants

Planes and Indices

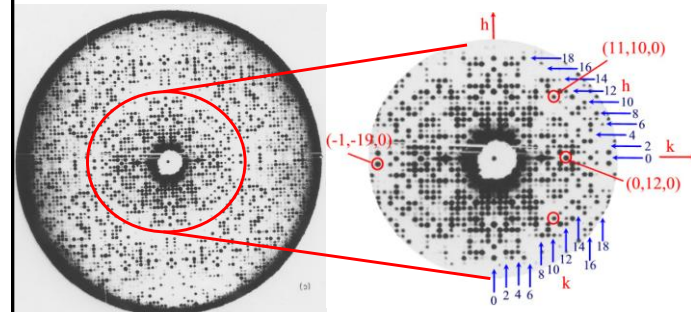


1 Set Bragg Planes = 1 Spot (Diff. Max.)

Planes in direct space represented by points in reciprocal space.

Electron Density Function

$$\rho(X, Y, Z) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l F(hkl) \exp[i\alpha(hkl)] \exp[-2\pi i(hX + kY + lZ)]$$



Measure thousands of **Amplitudes** - $[F(hkl)]$'s - ?? How do we obtain **Phases** $\alpha(hkl)$??
 → **Phase Problem**

Effect of Resolution

Reduced Disorder at Lower Temperatures

Dramatic improvements in the overall structure are likely to result from better definition of disordered regions regardless of resolution

Crystallography

Topics:

1. **Image Formation** (*what we see is not always accurate*)
 - Resolution / Wavelength (Amplitude, Phase) / Diffraction & Interference
 - Light Microscopy / EM / X-ray / (NMR)
2. **Protein Data Bank (PDB)**
 - Data mining and Protein Structure Analysis Tools
3. **IYCr 2014 - Celebrating 100 years of X-ray Crystallography**
4. **X-Ray Crystallography – practical aspects**
 - a) Crystal Growth – Materials / Methods
 - c) Crystal Lattices - Lattice Constants / Space Groups / Asymmetric Unit
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Solving the Phase Problem

Early Days:

Centric structures (all phases 0° or 180°) Heavy atom / Patterson method

Macromolecular Crystallography

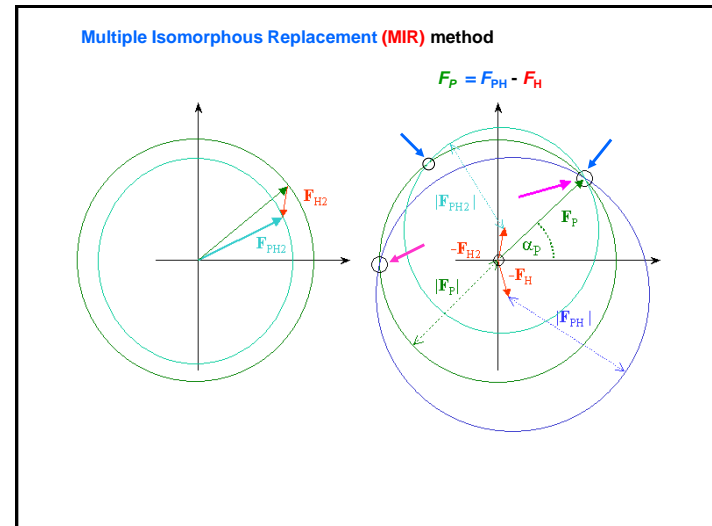
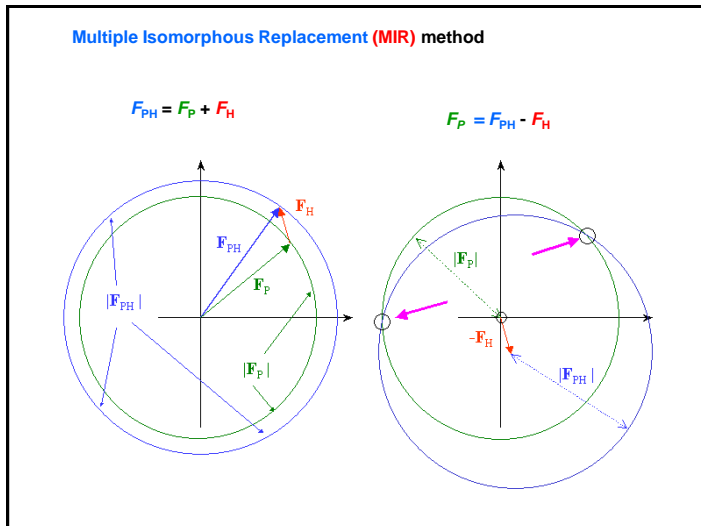
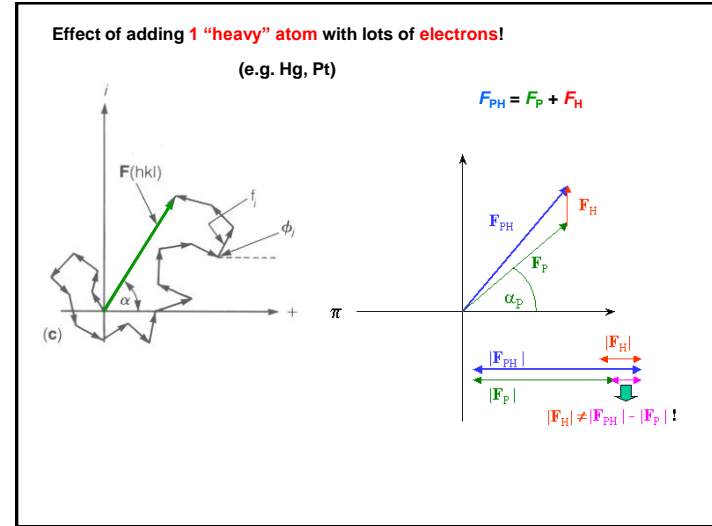
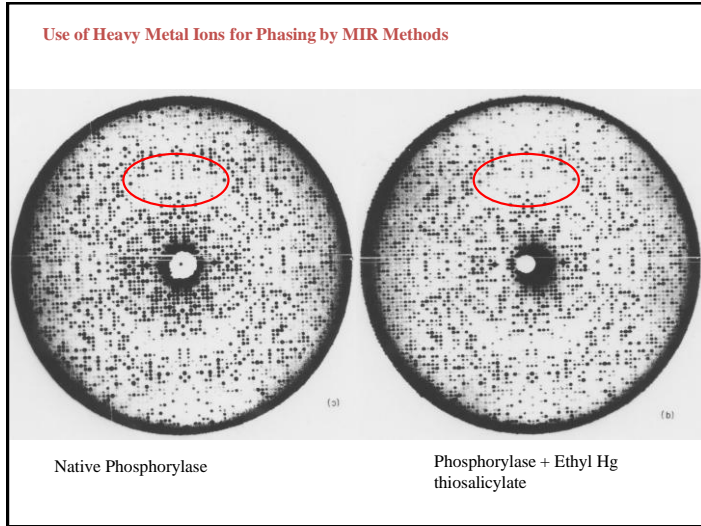
1. **MIR:** Multiple Isomorphous Replacement (Heavy Atom)
2. **MR:** Molecular Replacement
3. **MAD:** Multiwavelength anomalous dispersion

- **Molecular Modeling** (predicting starting structure from sequence alone)

Max
circa 1959

Hemoglobin Molecule

The first protein structures were of myoglobin and hemoglobin ~ 1960.



Solving the phase problem by **"Molecular Replacement"**.

If an approximate model of the protein structure is known in advance, approximate phases can be guessed, and the unknown parts of the structure can be calculated in an iterative procedure.

No heavy atom derivative required.

BUT – need starting model and orientation (rotation and translation)

For example, molecular replacement can be used to determine the structure of an **complex with inhibitor** bound to an enzyme active site, if the structure of the enzyme itself is already known. Also, MR is often used to solve the structures of **closely related proteins** in a superfamily.

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Kevin Cowtan's Book of Fourier

This is a book of pictorial 2-d Fourier Transforms. These are particularly relevant to my own field of *X-ray crystallography*, but should be of interest to anyone involved in signal processing or frequency domain calculations.

Contents: <http://www.ysbl.york.ac.uk/~cowtan/fourier/fourier.html>

- [Introduction](#)
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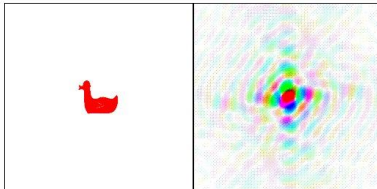
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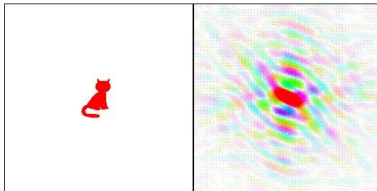
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Here is our old friend, the Fourier Duck, and his Fourier transform.



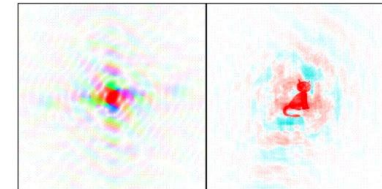
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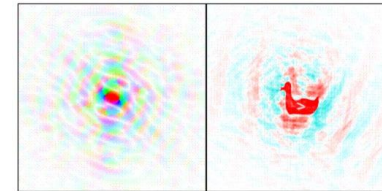
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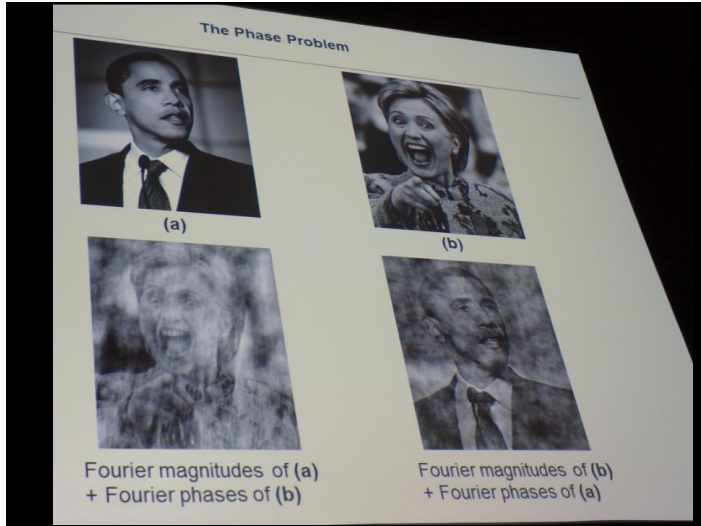
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Duck Transform Amplitudes + Cat Phases



Cat Transform Amplitudes + Duck Phases





X-Ray Crystallography

"If a picture is worth a thousand words, then a macromolecular structure is priceless to a physical biochemist." – van Holde

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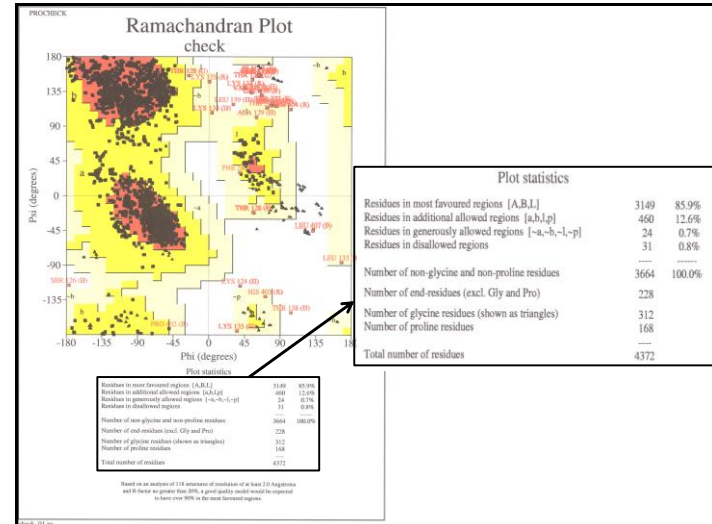
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Energy Refinement

(Simulated Annealing)

$$E_{TOTAL} = E_{EMPIRICAL} + E_{EFFECTIVE}$$

$$E_{EFFECTIVE} = E_{XREF} + E_{NOE} + E_{HARM} + E_{CDIH} + E_{NCS} + E_{DG} + E_{RELA} + E_{PLAN}$$

$$E_{EMPIRICAL} = \sum_{psi} [W_{BOND}^psi E_{BOND} + W_{ANGL}^psi E_{ANGL} + W_{DIHE}^psi E_{DIHE} + W_{IMPR}^psi E_{IMPR} + W_{VDW}^psi E_{VDW} + W_{ELEC}^psi E_{ELEC} + W_{PVDW}^psi E_{PVDW} + W_{PELE}^psi E_{PELE} + W_{HBON}^psi E_{HBON}]$$


wwPDB Structure Validation Report

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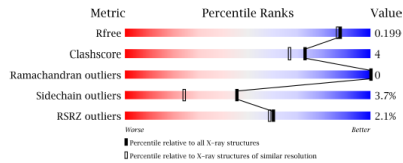
Full wwPDB X-ray Structure Validation Report

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1 Overall quality at a glance

The reported resolution of this entry is 1.85 Å.

Percentile scores (ranging between 0-100) for global validation metrics of the entry are shown in the following graphic. The table shows the number of entries on which the scores are based.



Metric	Whole archive (#Entries)	Similar resolution (#Entries, resolution range(Å))
R _{free}	66092	1269 (1.86-1.86)
Clashscore	79885	1470 (1.86-1.86)
Ramachandran outliers	78287	1451 (1.86-1.86)
Sidechain outliers	78261	1451 (1.86-1.86)
RSRZ outliers	66119	1269 (1.86-1.86)

Crystal Structure of *M. tuberculosis* Alanine Racemase

Table 1: Data Collection and Processing Statistics for the MAD and Native Data Sets of Alr₆₀₆

	MAD 1	MAD 2	MAD 3	MAD 4	native
λ (Å)	0.9788	0.9790	0.9562	0.9809	0.9160
resolution (Å)		2.20			1.80
mosaicity		0.50			0.65
no. of reflections observed > 1σ	432376	446744	431524	336135	779600
no. of unique reflections > 1σ	35817	37506	36020	36242	67592
R _{merge} ^a (%)	6.9	6.4	5.1	3.7	6.0 (67.2)
completeness (%)	91.8	95.8	92.1	92.1	99.3 (95.6)
(I/σ)	30.3	34.3	41.6	50.9	34.5 (2.6)

$$^a R_{\text{merge}} = \frac{\sum |I_{\text{obs}} - I_{\text{avg}}|}{\sum I_{\text{avg}}}$$

Table 2: Final Refinement Statistics for Alr₆₀₆ at 1.9 Å Resolution

	R factor ^a (%)	20.4
	R _{free} (%) (for 1747 reflections)	25.4
	average B factor (Å ²) ^b	1471
	main chain	25.5
	side chain	31.5
	PLP	21.9
	waters	32.4
	rms deviations	
	bond lengths (Å)	0.006
	bond angles (deg)	1.9
	no. of reflections > 2σ	55001
	no. of residues	722
	no. of protein atoms	5360
	no. of PLP atoms	30
	no. of water molecules	350

^a R-factor = $\frac{\sum |F_{\text{obs}} - F_{\text{calc}}|}{\sum |F_{\text{obs}}|}$. ^b All isotropic model.

Difference Fourier

$$\text{Obs. } \rho_o(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l F_{o,hkl} e^{-2\pi i(hx+ky+lz)} + R$$

$$\text{Calc. } \rho_c(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l F_{c,hkl} e^{-2\pi i(hx+ky+lz)} + R'$$

$$\rho_o(x, y, z) - \rho_c(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l (F_o - F_c)_{hkl} e^{-2\pi i(hx+ky+lz)} + R - R'$$

$$\rho_o - \rho_c = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l \Delta F_{hkl} e^{-2\pi i(hx+ky+lz)}$$

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