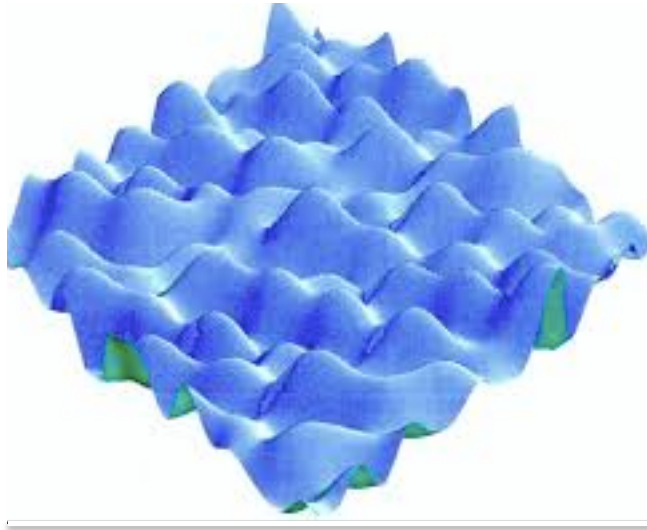


Topics in Enhanced Sampling

R-RESPA and FEP/REST



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WCA

Congratulations to W & C

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W



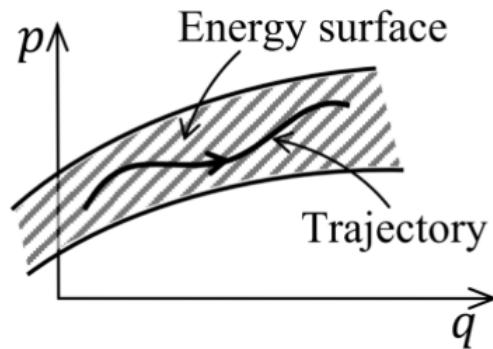
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Liouville Propagator

Instantaneous state $\Gamma = (q_1, q_2, \dots, q_f, p_1, p_2, \dots, p_f)$

The Liouvillian: $iL \equiv \{\dots, H\} = \dot{\Gamma} \cdot \nabla_{\Gamma}(\dots) = \nabla_{\Gamma} \cdot (\dot{\Gamma} \dots)$

Evolution of mechanical state: $\Gamma(t) = e^{iL(t-t_0)}\Gamma(t_0)$



Example: $iL = \dot{x}\partial/\partial x + F(x)\partial/\partial p$

Propagator: $e^{iLt} = e^{t(\dot{x}\partial/\partial x + F(x)\partial/\partial p)}$

Some Properties of Liouville Operator

$L = -i\{\dots, H\}$ is Hermitian

e^{iLt} is Unitary

Time Reversible

$$e^{-Lt}e^{iLt} = e^{iLt}e^{-iLt} = \hat{I}$$

Liouville Theorem

$$\frac{df(\mathbf{\Gamma}, t)}{dt} = \frac{\partial f(\mathbf{\Gamma}, t)}{\partial t} + iLf(\mathbf{\Gamma}, t) = 0$$

$$f(\mathbf{\Gamma}, t) = f(\mathbf{\Gamma}, 0)$$

$$\delta\mathbf{\Gamma}_t = \delta\mathbf{\Gamma}_0$$

Reversible and Symplectic Integrators

$$iL = \dot{x}\partial/\partial x + F(x)\partial/\partial p = iL_1 + iL_2$$

Trotter Factorization of Propagator:

$$e^{i(L_1+L_2)t} = (e^{iL_1t/2P} e^{iL_2t/P} e^{iL_1t/2P})^P + O(t^3/P^2)$$

Single Time Step Propagator Propagator: $\Delta t = t/P$

$$e^{i(L_1+L_2)\Delta t} = e^{iL_1\Delta t/2} e^{iL_2\Delta t} e^{iL_1\Delta t/2} + O(\Delta t^3)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(\Delta t) \\ p(\Delta t) \end{bmatrix} = e^{iL_1\Delta t/2} e^{iL_2\Delta t} e^{iL_1\Delta t/2} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ p(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

Time Reversibility:

$$e^{-iL_1\Delta t/2} e^{-iL_2\Delta t} e^{-iL_1\Delta t/2} \cdot e^{iL_1\Delta t/2} e^{iL_2\Delta t} e^{iL_1\Delta t/2} = \hat{I}$$

Preserves measure in phase space.

A Time Reversible MD Integrator

$$iL = \dot{x}\partial/\partial x + F(x)\partial/\partial p = iL_1 + iL_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(\Delta t) \\ p(\Delta t) \end{bmatrix} = e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} F \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} e^{\Delta t \dot{x} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} F \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ p(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e^{a\partial/\partial y} f(y) = f(y + a)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(\Delta t) \\ \dot{x}(\Delta t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x(0) + \Delta t \dot{x}(0) + \frac{\Delta t^2}{2m} F(x(0)) \\ \dot{x}(0) + \frac{\Delta t}{2m} [F(x(0)) + F(x(\Delta t))] \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} v \leftarrow v + F(x) \frac{\Delta t}{2m} \\ x \leftarrow x + v \Delta t \\ v \leftarrow v + F(x) \frac{\Delta t}{2m} \end{bmatrix}$$

This is the Velocity Verlet Integrator (Andersen)

Another Time Reversible MD Integrator

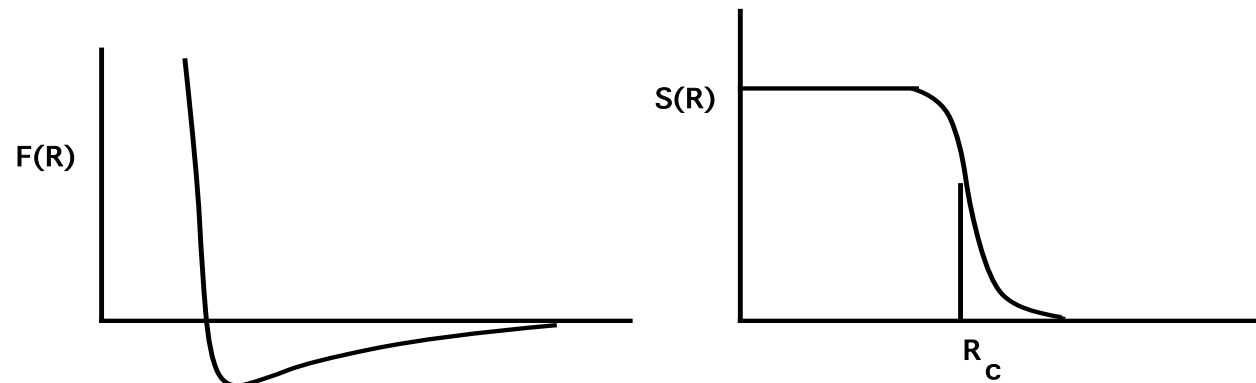
$$\begin{bmatrix} x(\Delta t) \\ p(\Delta t) \end{bmatrix} = e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} \dot{x} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x}} e^{\Delta t F \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} \dot{x} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x}} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ p(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(\Delta t) \\ \dot{x}(\Delta t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x(0) + \frac{\Delta t}{2} [\dot{x}(0) + \dot{x}(\Delta t)] \\ \dot{x}(0) + \frac{\Delta t}{m} F(x(0) + \frac{\Delta t}{2} \dot{x}(0)) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \leftarrow x + v \frac{\Delta t}{2} \\ v \leftarrow v + F \Delta t \\ x \leftarrow x + v \frac{\Delta t}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

We call this the position Verlet integrator (Berne et al 1992)

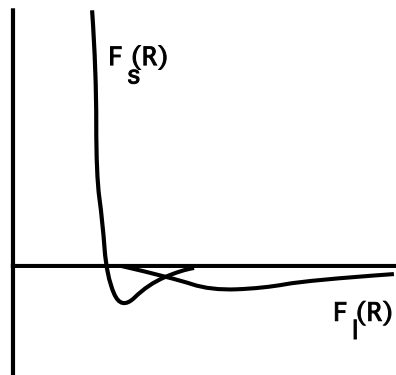
Long and Short Range Forces



$$F(R) = S(R)F(R) + [1 - S(R)]F(R)$$

$$F_s(R) = S(R)F(R)$$

$$F_l(R) = [1 - S(R)]F(R)$$



Reversible RESPA with long range force

Subdivision of Forces

$$F(x) = F_s(x) + F_l(x)$$

Subdivision of Liouvillian

$$iL = \dot{x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p} + F_l \frac{\partial}{\partial p} = iL_s + F_l \frac{\partial}{\partial p}$$

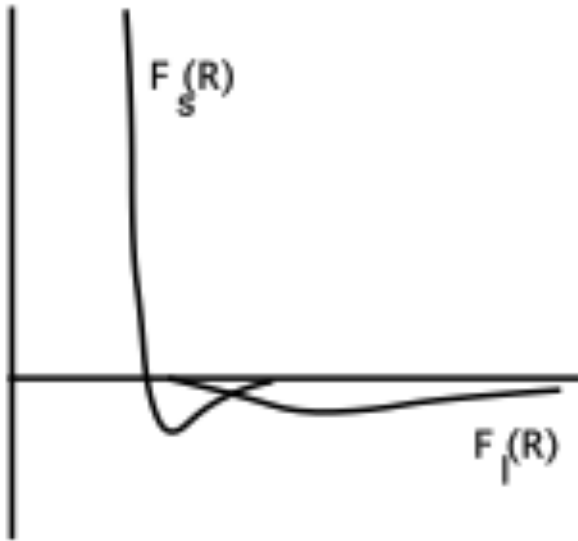
$$G_{sls}(\Delta t) = e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} F_l \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} e^{\Delta t L_s} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} F_l \frac{\partial}{\partial p}}$$

where $\Delta t = n\delta t$

$$e^{iL_s \Delta t} = \left(e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} e^{\delta t \dot{x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}} e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} \right)^n$$

Propagator

$$G_{sls}(\Delta t) = e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} F_l \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} \left(e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} e^{\delta t \dot{x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}} e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p}} \right)^n e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} F_l \frac{\partial}{\partial p}}$$



Short and Long Range Force Breakup

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$$v \leftarrow v + F^{(l)} \frac{\Delta t}{2m}$$

$$\text{do } i = 1, n$$

$$v \leftarrow v + F^{(s)} \frac{\delta t}{2m}$$

$$x \leftarrow x + v \delta t$$

$$v \leftarrow v + F^{(s)} \frac{\delta t}{2m}$$

$$\text{end do}$$

$$v \leftarrow v + F^{(l)} \frac{\Delta t}{2m}.$$

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Ewald with RESPA

Separate the real-space and k -space parts ,

$$V_{ij}^{\text{el}} = V_{ij}^{\text{rs}} + V_{ij}^{\text{ks}} ,$$

$$V_{ij}^{\text{rs}} = (1 - \delta_{ij}) q_i q_j \frac{\text{erfc}(\kappa r_{ij})}{r_{ij}}$$

$$V_{ij}^{\text{ks}} = q_i q_j \left[\frac{1}{\pi L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{0}} \frac{4\pi^2}{k^2} e^{-k^2/4\kappa^2} \cos \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{ij} - \delta_{ij} \frac{2\kappa}{\sqrt{\pi}} \right] .$$

Use rRESPA split:

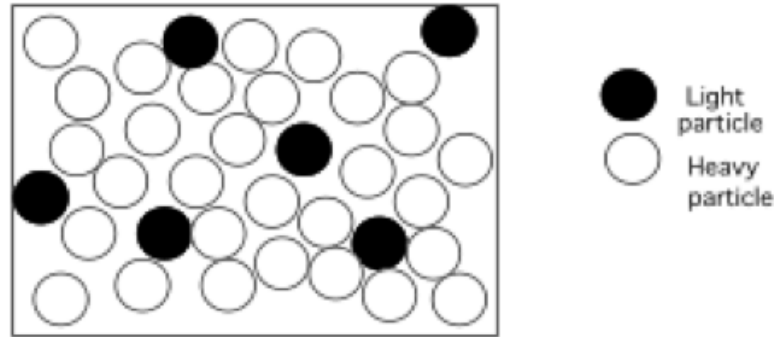
$$\mathbf{F}_{ij}^{(f)} = -\nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{ij}} V_{ij}^{\text{rs}}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{ij}^{(s)} = -\nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{ij}} V_{ij}^{\text{ks}} ,$$

This is reasonable but not best split.

Disparate Mass System

Systems consisting of high frequency oscillators coupled to low frequency oscillators or slow baths,' and systems consisting of massive (slow moving) particles interacting with light (fast moving) particles.



System is subdivided into fast and slow degrees of freedom labeled x and y , respectively.

$$iL = iL_x + iL_y$$

$$iL_x = \dot{\mathbf{x}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} + \mathbf{F}_x(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{p}_x}$$

$$iL_y = \dot{\mathbf{y}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{y}} + \mathbf{F}_y(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{p}_y}$$

$$\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{xyx}}(\Delta t) = e^{iL_x(\Delta t/2)} e^{iL_y \Delta t} e^{iL_x(\Delta t/2)}$$

Systems with fast and slow degrees of freedom

Subdivision of Liouvillian $\mathbf{iL} = \mathbf{iL}_f + \mathbf{iL}_s$

$$G_{sf s}(\Delta t) = e^{iL_s \frac{\Delta t}{2}} e^{iL_f \Delta t} e^{iL_s \frac{\Delta t}{2}}$$

$$e^{iL_f \Delta t} = \left(e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_f \frac{\partial}{\partial p_f}} e^{\delta t \dot{x}_f \frac{\partial}{\partial x_f}} e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_f \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial p_f} \right)} \right)^n$$

$$e^{iL_s \Delta t/2} = e^{\frac{\Delta t}{4} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p_s}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} \dot{x}_s \frac{\partial}{\partial x_s}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{4} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p_s}} \quad \text{where } \Delta t = n\delta t$$

Propagator

$$\begin{aligned} G_{sf s}(\Delta t) &= \left(e^{\frac{\Delta t}{4} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p_s}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} \dot{x}_s \frac{\partial}{\partial x_s}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{4} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p_s}} \right) \\ &\quad \times \left(e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_f \frac{\partial}{\partial p_f}} e^{\delta t \dot{x}_f \frac{\partial}{\partial x_f}} e^{\frac{\delta t}{2} F_f \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial p_f} \right)} \right)^n \\ &\quad \times \left(e^{\frac{\Delta t}{4} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p_s}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{2} \dot{x}_s \frac{\partial}{\partial x_s}} e^{\frac{\Delta t}{4} F_s \frac{\partial}{\partial p_s}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Disparate Mass System

	$v_h \leftarrow v_h + F_h \frac{\Delta t}{4m}$
h=heavy or slow	$x_h \leftarrow x_h + v_h \frac{\Delta t}{2}$
	$v_h \leftarrow v_h + F_h \frac{\Delta t}{4m}$
	do $i = 1, n$
	$v_l \leftarrow v_l + F_l \frac{\delta t}{2m}$
l=light or fast or slow	$x_l \leftarrow x_l + v_l \delta t$
	$v_l \leftarrow v_l + F_l \frac{\delta t}{2m}$
	end do
	$v_h \leftarrow v_h + F_h \frac{\Delta t}{4m}$
	$x_h \leftarrow x_h + v_h \frac{\Delta t}{2}$
h=heavy or slow	$v_h \leftarrow v_h + F_h \frac{\Delta t}{4m}$

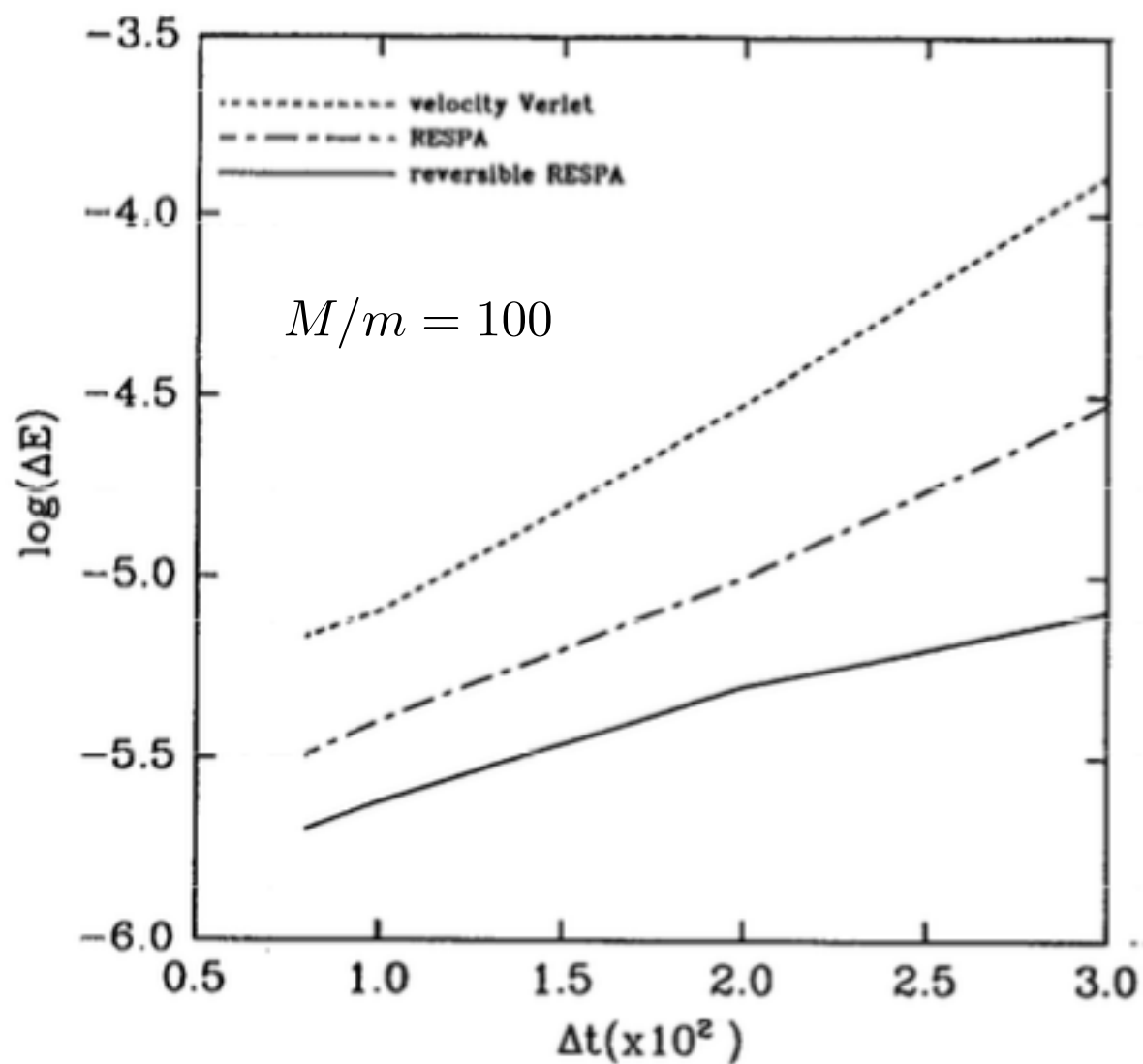
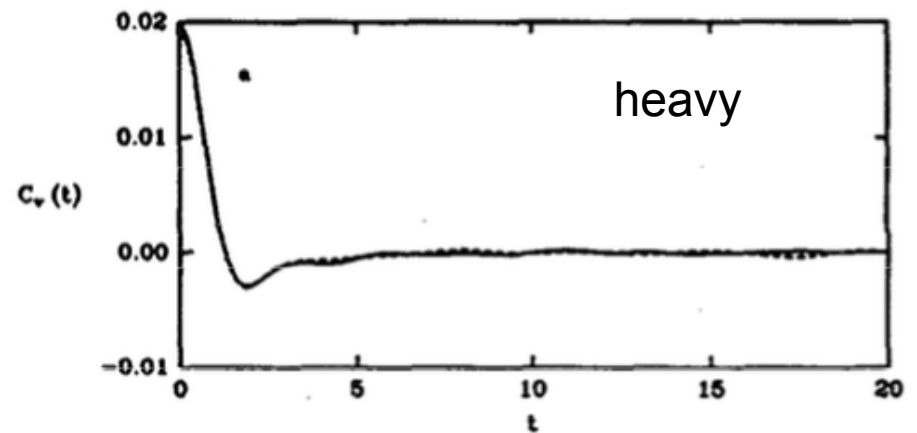
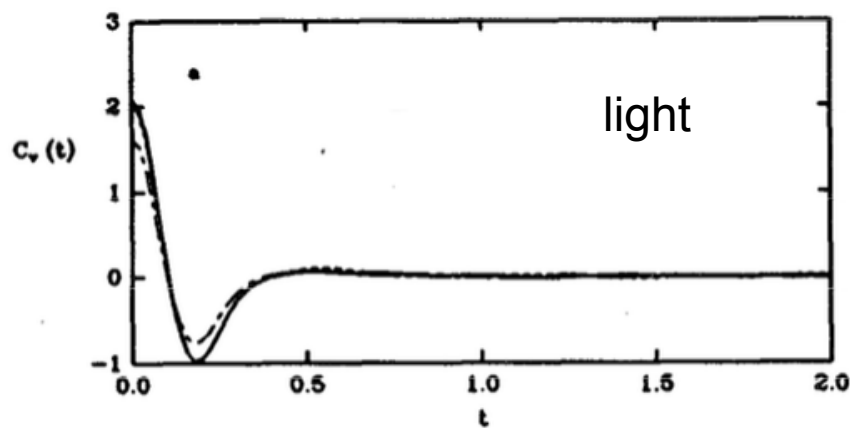


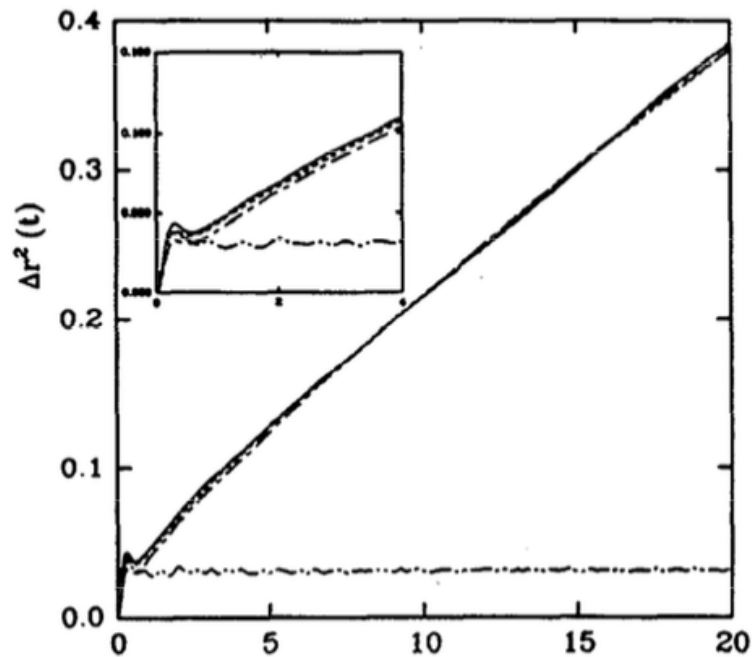
FIG. 3. Comparison of the energy conservation dependence on time step as given by Eq. (2.1) for straightforward velocity Verlet (double dashed line), nonreversible RESPA (dashed line), and the disparate mass breakup of Eq. (4.4) (bold line).

simulation of a mixture of Lennard-Jones spheres consisting of 824 heavy spheres of mass $M = 100$ and 40 light spheres of mass $m = 1$. the two time scales are $\Delta t_f = \sqrt{m_1 \sigma_1^2 / \epsilon_1}$ and $\Delta t_s = \sqrt{m_2 \sigma_1^2 / \epsilon_2}$

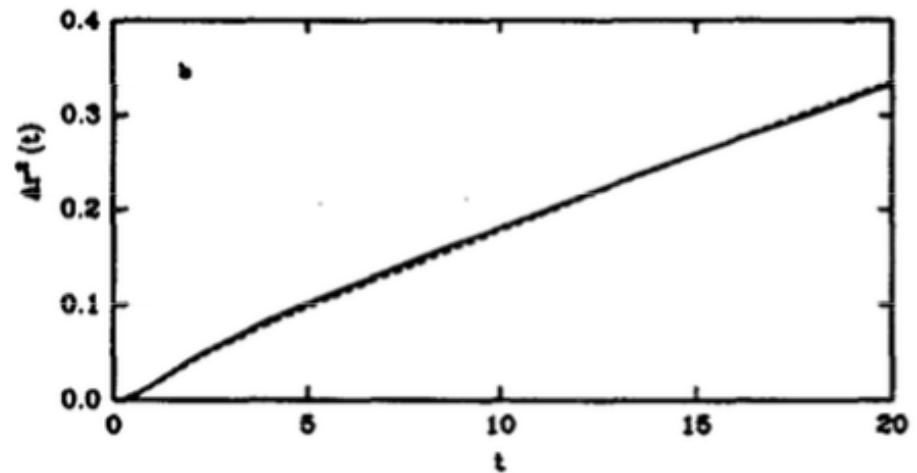


The unnormalized velocity correlation functions as a function of time for the light particles and for the heavy particles in the LennardJones mixture for RESPA (solid line), velocity Verlet (dashed line), and for TJMTS (dash-dot line).

Cannot tell difference between v-Verlet and RESPA!



The mean-square for the light for RESPA (solid line), velocity Verlet (dashed line), TJMTS (dash- dot line), and for motion of the light particles in a fixed heavy particle matrix

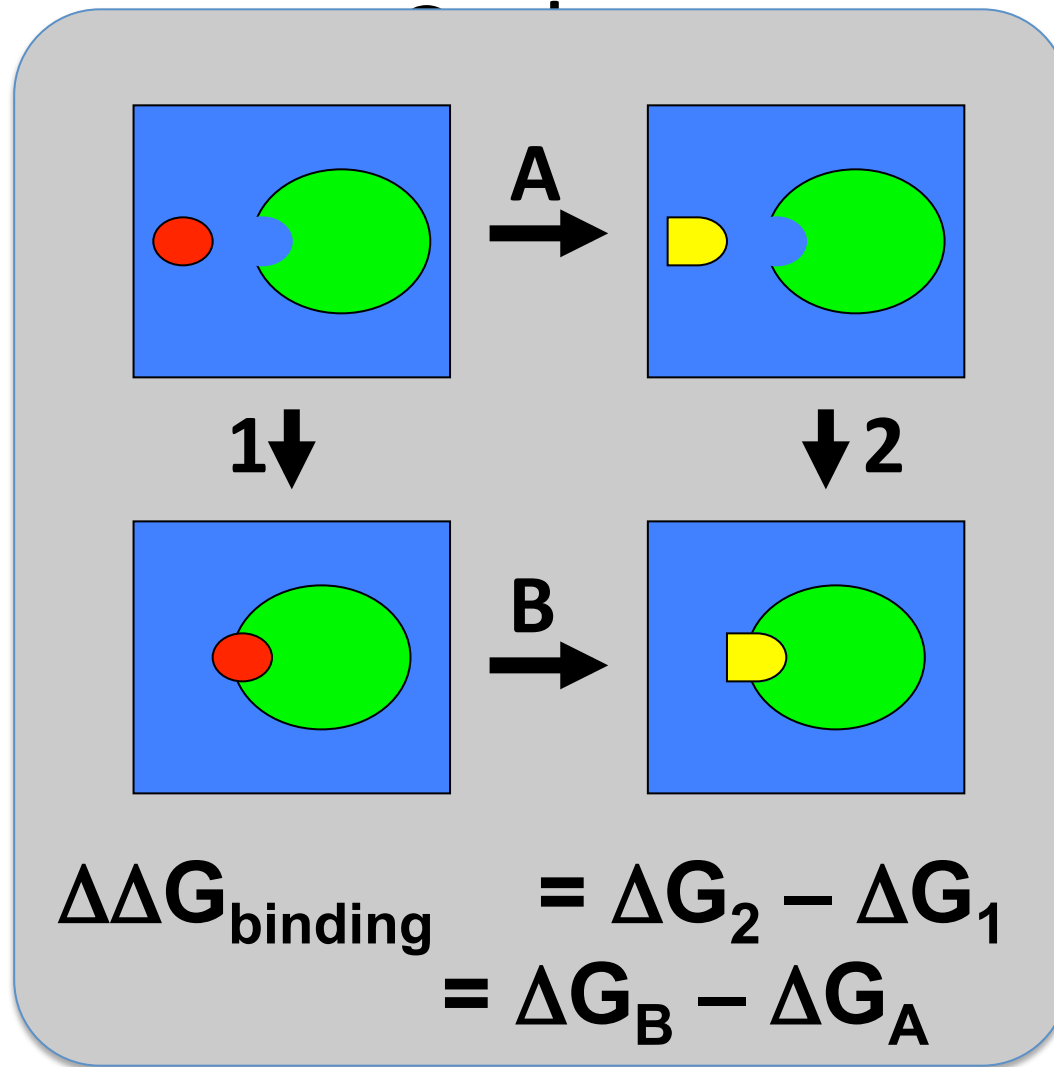


The mean square displacement for the heavy particles as computed by RESPA (solid line) and TJMTS (dashed line).

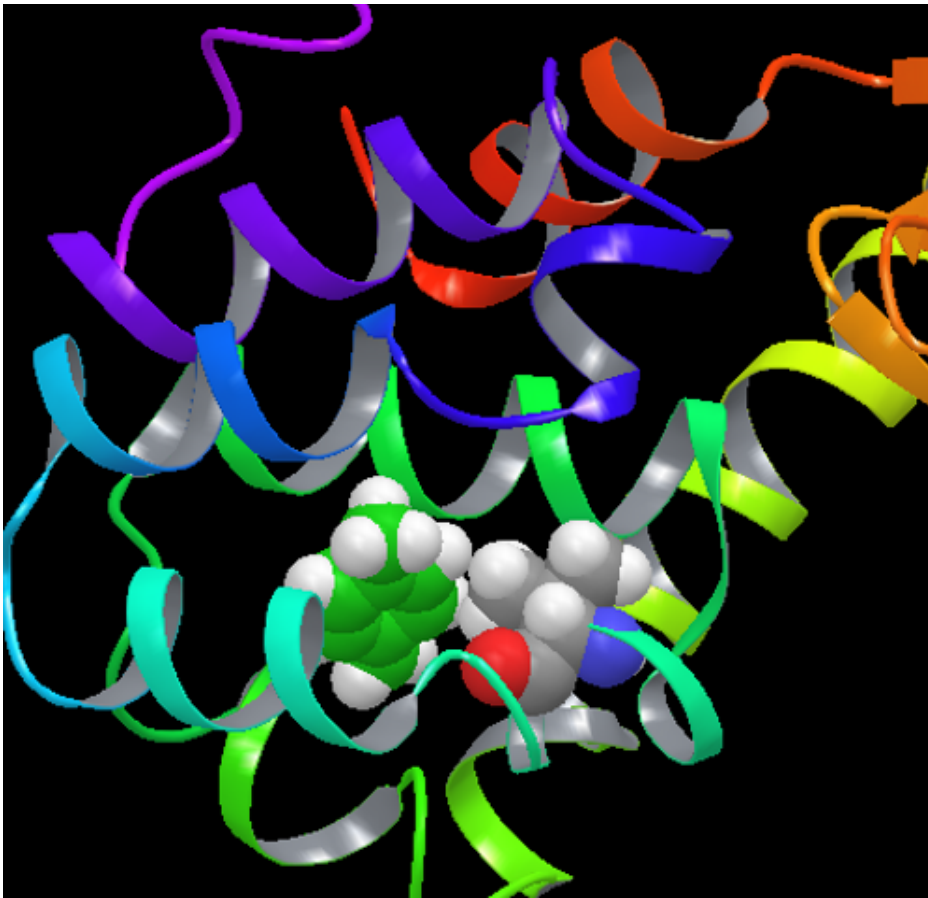
For light particles $D_{\text{Verlet}} = 2.00 \times 10^{-2}$, $D_{\text{RESPA}} = 2.00 \times 10^{-2}$

For heavy particles $D = 1.72 \times 10^{-2}$.

Free Energies from Thermodynamic



Example 1: structural reorganization in protein upon ligand binding (induced fit effect)



Nonpolar binding pocket of T4L/L99A
Key residue Valine 111

Conformation of Val_111

Apo: **trans**

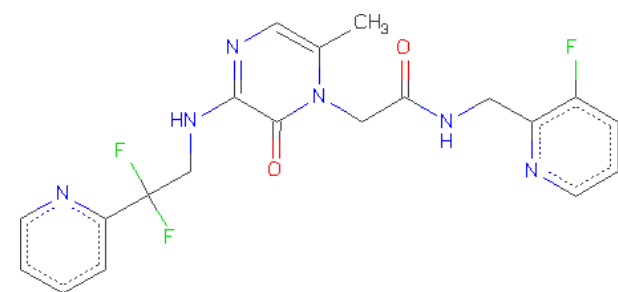
Binding complexes of small
ligands: **trans**

e.g.: Benzene, toluene

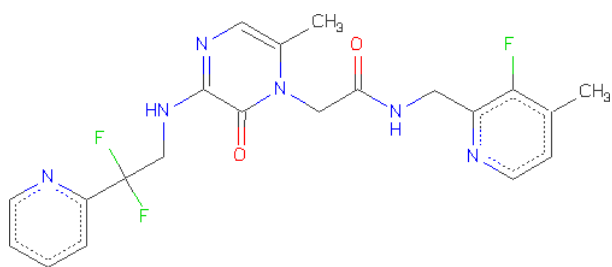
Binding complexes of larger
ligands: **gauche**

e.g.: p-xylene, o-xylene

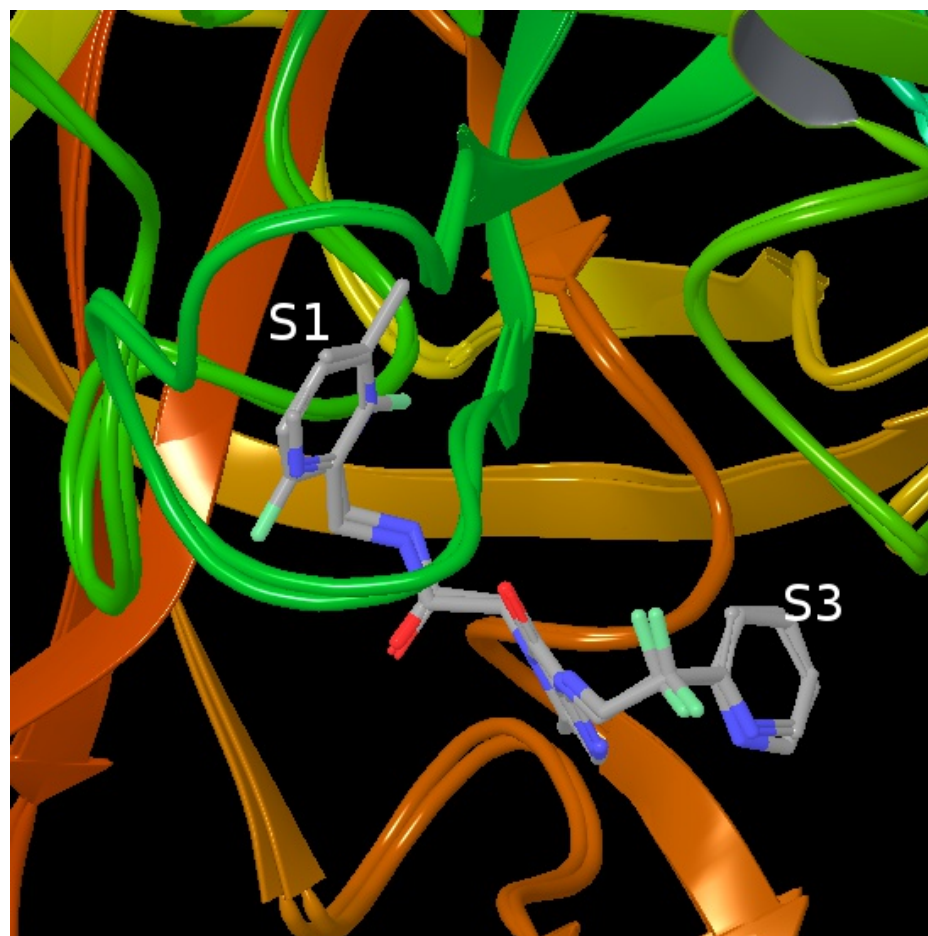
Example 2: structural reorganization in ligand upon alchemical transition



CDA



CDB



Thrombin

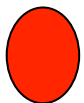
The pyridine ring flips with the addition of the methyl group.

CDA/complex: **F-out**

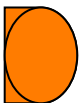
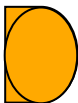
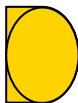
CDB/complex: **F-in**

Free Energy Perturbation: The Abstract λ -Coordinate

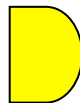
Real starting
state

V_0

 $\lambda = 0$
 G_0^0

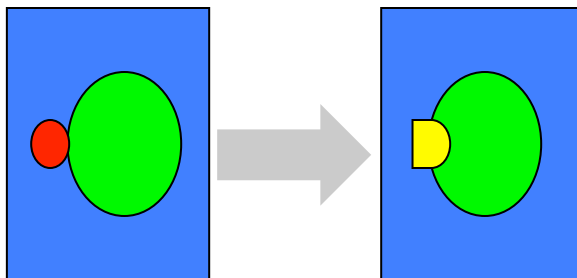
Alchemical
intermediates

$\leftarrow V(\lambda) \rightarrow$
  
 $\lambda = 0.5$

Real final state

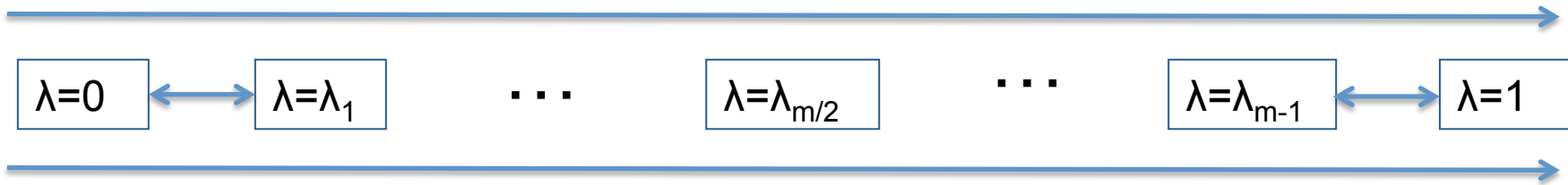
V_1

 $\lambda = 1$
 G_1^0

$$\Delta G^0 = G_1^0 - G_0^0 \approx -kT \ln \left\langle \exp \left(-\frac{\Delta E}{kT} \right) \right\rangle$$

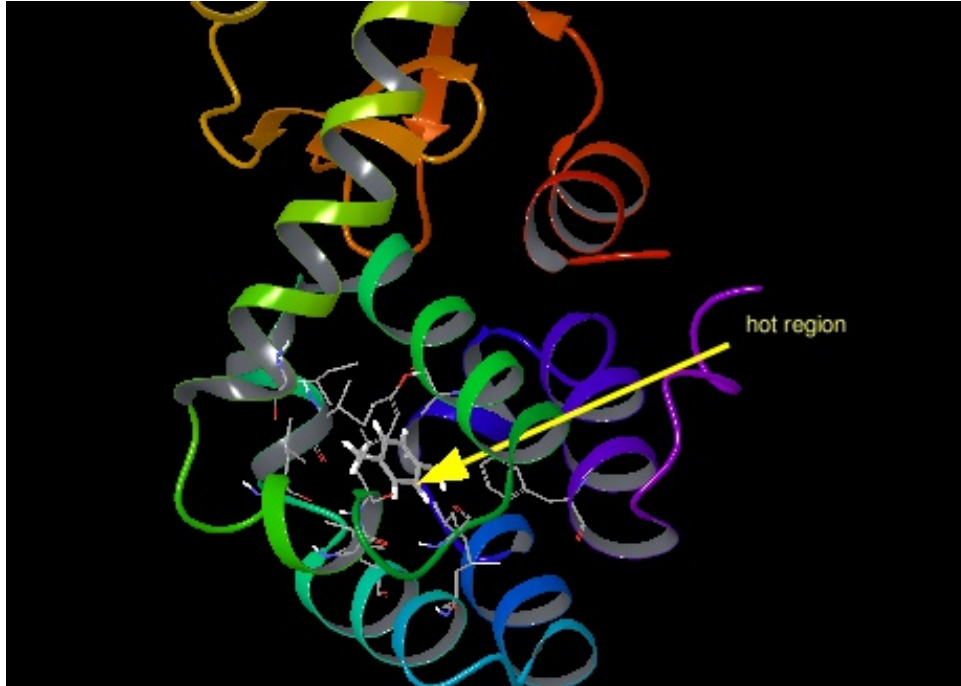


Free Energy Perturbation (FEP)

For example: $E(\lambda) = (1 - \lambda)E_A + \lambda E_B$



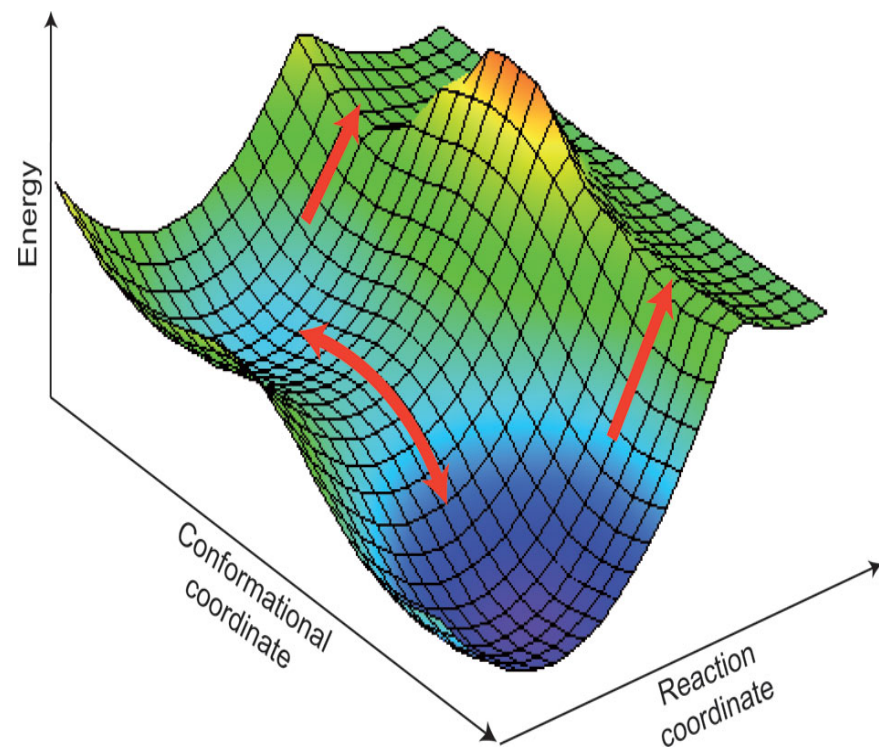
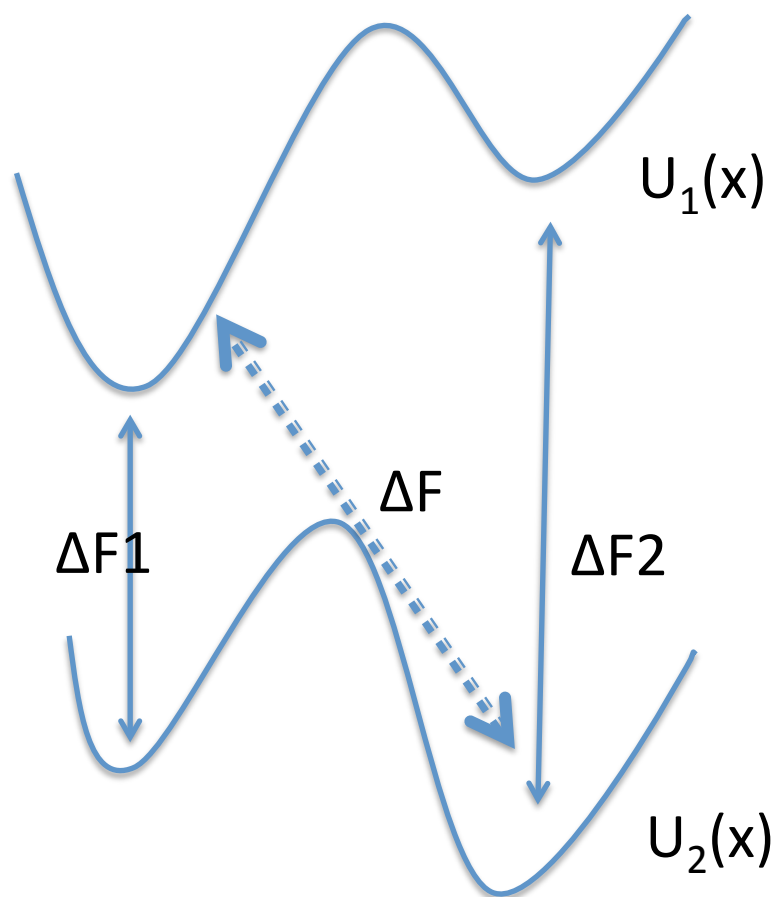
Thermodynamic axis, alchemical transition



The ligand and the protein residues surrounding the binding pocket

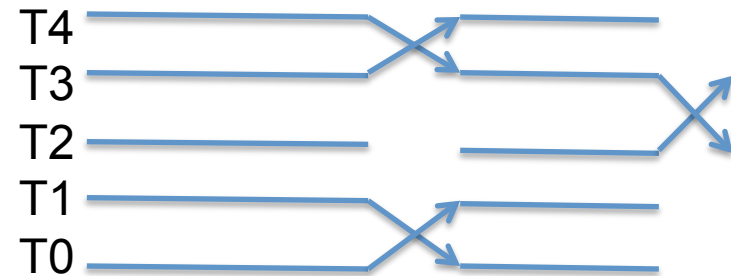
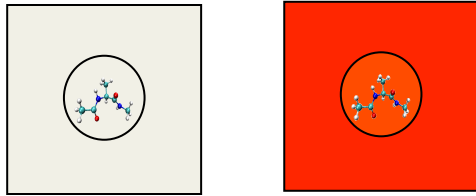
Quasi-nonergodicity problem in brute Force FEP

$$e^{-\beta(F_2-F_1)} = \langle e^{-\beta(U_2-U_1)} \rangle_1$$



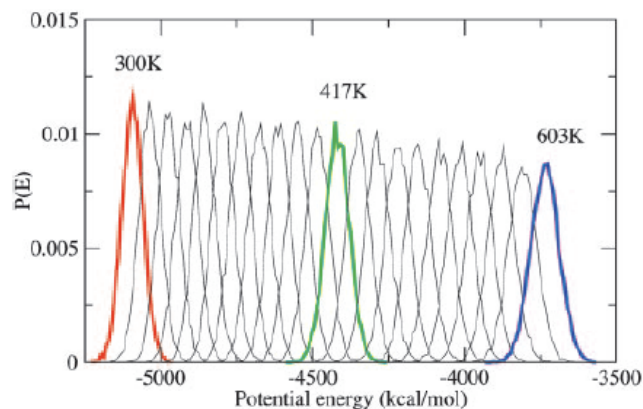
Temperature Replica exchange methods (TREM)

ordinary



$$E_0(X) = E_p(X) + E_{pw}(X) + E_{ww}(X)$$

$$P(X_m; \beta_m)P(X_n; \beta_n)T(m \rightarrow n) = P(X_n; \beta_m)P(X_m; \beta_n)T(n \rightarrow m)$$



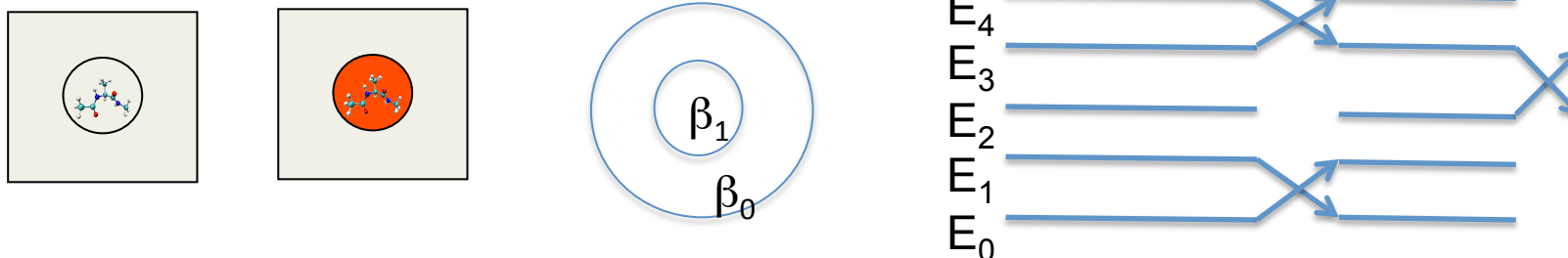
$$\frac{T(m \rightarrow n)}{T(n \rightarrow m)} = \frac{P(X_n; \beta_m)P(X_m; \beta_n)}{P(X_m; \beta_m)P(X_n; \beta_n)} = e^{-\Delta_{nm}}$$

$$\Delta_{nm} = (\beta_m - \beta_n)(E(X_n) - E(X_m)) = \Delta\beta\Delta E$$

$$n \propto \sqrt{f}$$

Replica Exchange with Solute Tempering (REST)

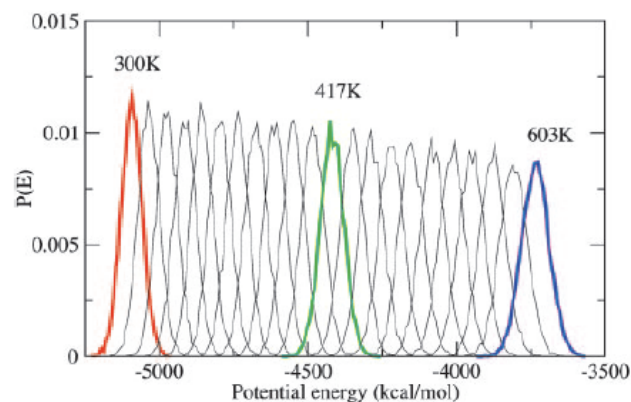
REST



$$E_m^{\text{REST2}}(X) = \frac{\beta_m}{\beta_0} E_{\text{pp}}(X) + \sqrt{\frac{\beta_m}{\beta_0}} E_{\text{pw}}(X) + E_{\text{ww}}(X) \xrightarrow{T_m \rightarrow \infty} E_{\text{ww}}$$

$$P(\mathbf{X}_m; \beta_m)P(\mathbf{X}_n; \beta_n)T(m \rightarrow n) = P(\mathbf{X}_n; \beta_m)P(\mathbf{X}_m; \beta_n)T(n \rightarrow m)$$

$$\frac{T(m \rightarrow n)}{T(n \rightarrow m)} = \frac{P(\mathbf{X}_n; \beta_m)P(\mathbf{X}_m; \beta_n)}{P(\mathbf{X}_m; \beta_m)P(\mathbf{X}_n; \beta_n)} = e^{-\Delta_{nm}}$$



$$\Delta_{mn}(\text{REST2}) = (\beta_m - \beta_n) \left[(E_{\text{pp}}(X_n) - E_{\text{pp}}(X_m)) + \frac{\sqrt{\beta_0}}{\sqrt{\beta_m} + \sqrt{\beta_n}} (E_{\text{pw}}(X_n) - E_{\text{pw}}(X_m)) \right]$$

Note: The w-w interaction doesn't appear

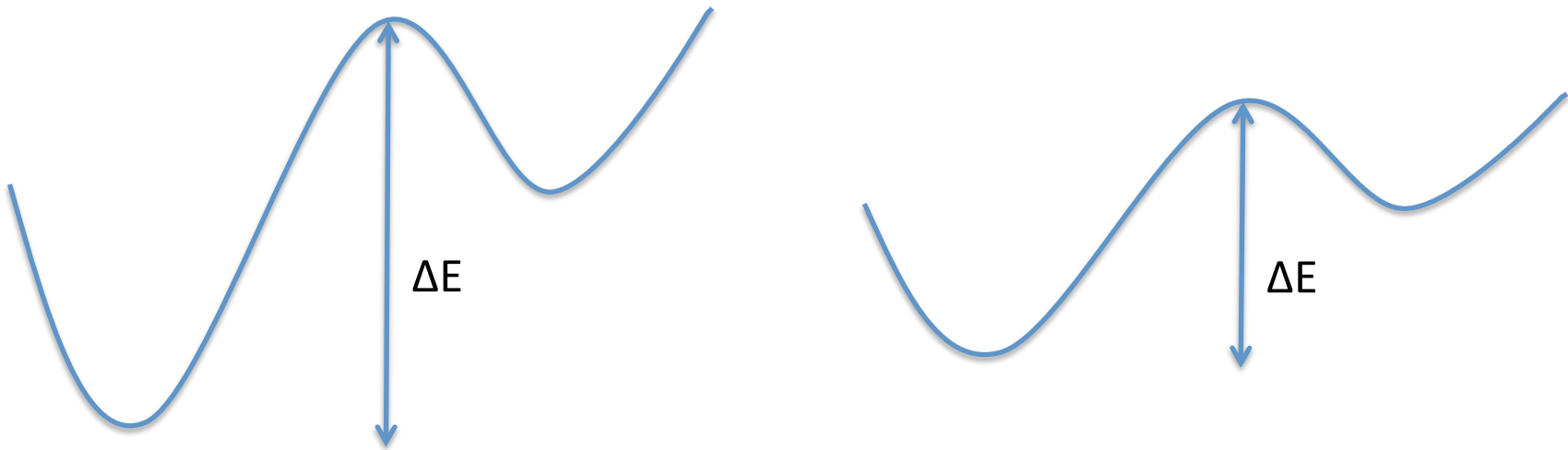
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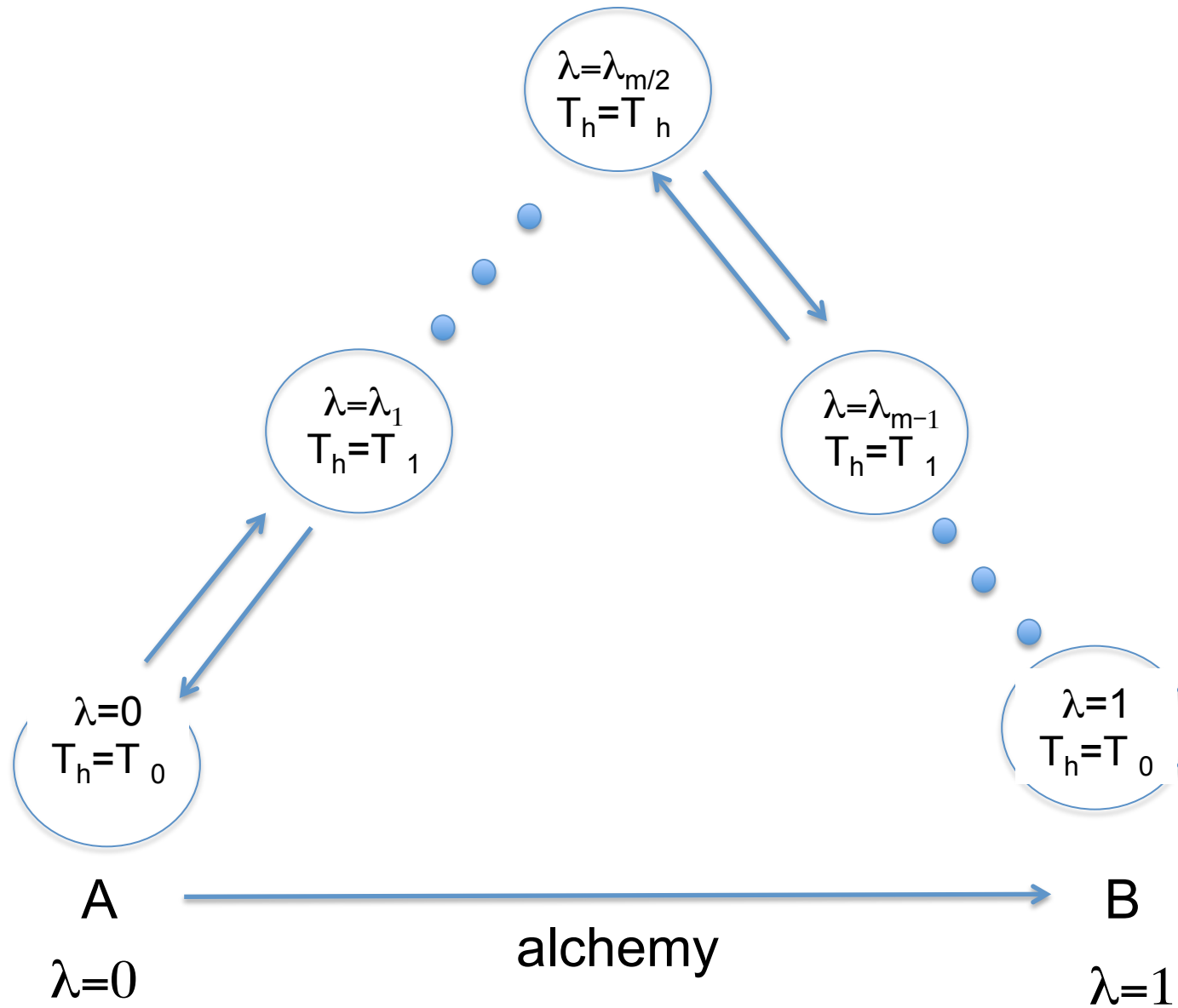
- (a) In TREM high T replicas are unfolded and low temp replicas remain folded, thus no exchange between high and low temp replicas.
- (b) In REST the high temperature replicas fold and unfold and there is very efficient replica exchange up and down the ladder.

$$\mathbf{E}_m \xrightarrow{T_m \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{E}_{ww}$$

- (c) In REST a much smaller number of replicas needed compared TREM.
- (d) REST is excellent for ligand binding especially when combined with FEP.

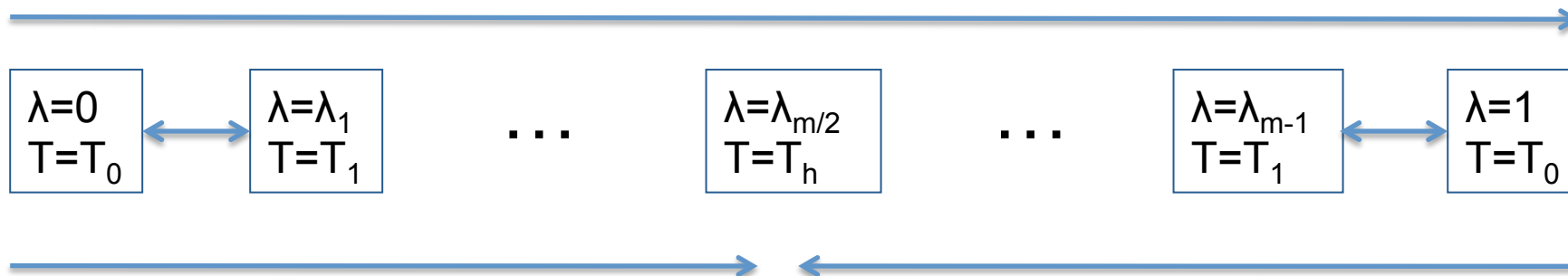


RESPA/REST

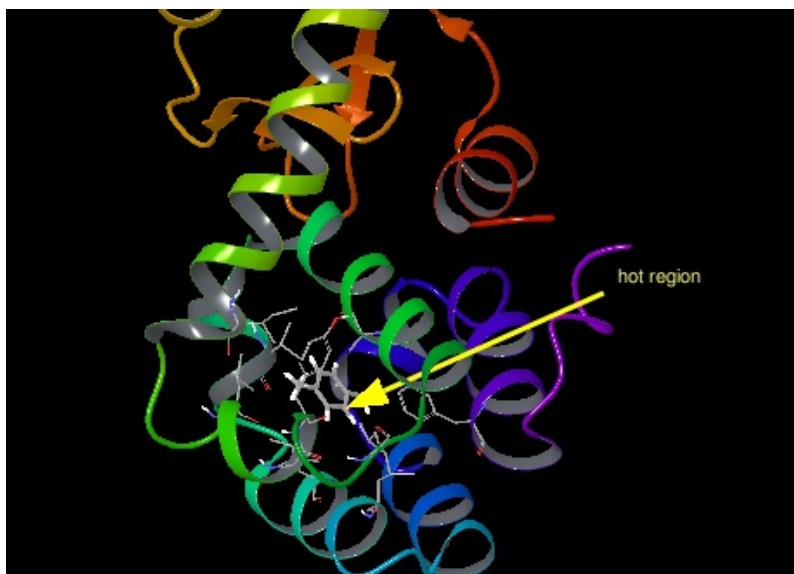


Combination of REST into FEP: FEP/REST

Thermodynamic axis, alchemical transition



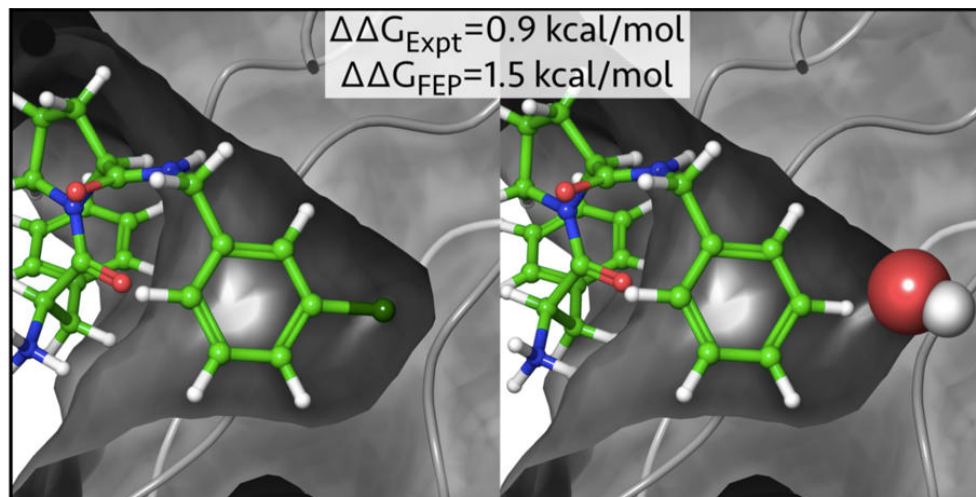
Increasing the “temperature” of the hot region



The ligand and the protein residues surrounding the binding pocket are in the hot region, the rest of the system stay cold.

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