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ABSTRACT

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Reconstruction of complex structures is an inverse problem arising in virtually all areas of science and technology, from protein structure determination to bulk heterostructure solar cells and the structure of nanoparticles. This problem is cast as a complex network problem where the edges in a network have weights equal to the Euclidean distance between their endpoints. A method, called Tribond, for the reconstruction of the locations of the nodes of the network given only the edge weights of the Euclidean network is presented. The timing results indicate that the algorithm is a low order polynomial in the number of nodes in the network in two dimensions. Reconstruction of Euclidean networks in two dimensions of about one thousand nodes in approximately twenty four hours on a desktop computer using this implementation is done. In three dimensions, the computational cost for the reconstruction is a higher order polynomial in the number of nodes and reconstruction of small Euclidean networks in three dimensions is shown. If a starting network of size five is assumed to be given, then for a network of size 100, the remaining reconstruction can be done in about two hours on a desktop computer. In situations when we have less precise data, modifications of the method may be necessary and are discussed.

A related problem in one dimension known as the Optimal Golomb ruler (OGR) is also studied. A statistical physics Hamiltonian to describe the OGR problem is introduced and the first order phase transition from a symmetric low constraint phase to a complex symmetry broken phase at high constraint is studied. Despite the fact that the Hamiltonian is not

disordered, the asymmetric phase is highly irregular with geometric frustration. The phase diagram is obtained and it is seen that even at a very low temperature T there is a phase transition at finite and non-zero value of the constraint parameter γ/μ . Analytic calculations for the scaling of the density and free energy of the ruler are done and they are compared with those from the mean field approach. A scaling law is also derived for the length of OGR, which is consistent with Erdős conjecture and with numerical results.

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Chapter 1

Introduction

Reconstruction of heterogeneous and complex systems using pair correlation functions or pair distance information, is a problem that arises in many branches of materials physics [1, 2], in biology [3, 4] and also in a variety of engineering applications [5]. We distinguish between two problems (i) where the objective is to find a statistical characterization of a heterogeneous system that is consistent with experimental information. In these cases the reconstruction is not unique, but instead generates an ensemble of structures that are on average consistent with the data. Reverse Monte Carlo methods [6] for the atomic structure of glasses and simulated annealing methods for a range of heterogeneous materials are in this class. Large samples are often used and the system is highly underconstrained as there are many more degrees of freedom in the model for the atom locations than there is information in the data. (ii) A related but significantly different problem is where we seek to reconstruct a specific, unique, network or structure. The amount of information in the data must suffice to constrain the degrees of freedom in the structure. This problem can be hard for structures with only ten to hundreds of atoms or components. Uniqueness is lost when the model has too many degrees of freedom as compared to the available data. This unique structure problem is the focus of our study. Surprisingly, we find that it is possible to efficiently reconstruct large complex structures in two dimensions, given only Euclidean distance information.

Crystallography represents the gold standard for structure determination and provided methods to overcome the phase problem are implemented and if there are no homometric

variants [7], provides a unique crystal structure. When crystals are not available, but a unique structure is still the objective, new methods are required. One successful approach is the determination of protein structure in solution that may be found by using pair distance information extracted from NOESY NMR data [3, 4, 8, 9, 10]. Two other approaches are emerging. The first is determination of the structure of individual nanoparticles using lensless imaging algorithms [11, 12, 13, 14]. The second approach is to extract a list of interatomic distances from scattering data and to solve a new inverse problem to find the atom locations. Here we present a highly efficient method to solve the latter inverse problem for the case of complex or random point sets in two dimensions.

As discussed recently in [15, 16, 17] by Torquato and collaborators, reconstruction of heterogeneous systems in general requires multipoint correlation functions. However pair correlations are by far the most readily available structural data for heterogeneous materials as they are found by a Fourier transform of elastic electron, x-ray or neutron scattering data collected, for example, at national facilities. There is thus a strong motivation to find methods to determine the extent to which we can reconstruct heterogeneous systems using pair information only. The most fundamental pair information is the list of distances between points or atoms in a structure, reducing the problem to an inverse problem, namely: Given a set of interatomic distances find the location of the atoms, up to global rotations and translations of the structure. This pair distance inverse problem (PD-IP) may be interpreted as a complex network reconstruction problem where the edge weights are equal to the Euclidean distances between nodes in the network. Moreover, it has been recently shown that a list of pair distances may be extracted from scattering data using the pair distribution function (PDF) method [18].

The PD-IP is central to determining protein structure from NMR data, however there

are vital differences between the problem we study and the NMR PD-IP problem. The most important difference is that the list of residues or sequence of a protein is known enabling mutation and other experiments to be carried out to specify the points between which each distance lies. This leads to the *assigned* pair distance inverse problem (APD). In contrast, the problems concerning materials and most heterogeneous media, the pair distances are not assigned making the inverse problem significantly harder as there is less information in the data. This is the unassigned pair distance inverse problem (UPD). In fact, APD algorithms for reconstruction of atom locations from precise distances is known to be easy, being of order the number of atoms in the structure (N). However the NMR problem is plagued by uncertainties in the experimentally determined interatomic distances with experimental imprecisions typically of order 25% or higher [19]. The problem of finding protein structure from NMR data is then best treated using loose restraints rather than hard distance constraints. The energy landscape of the APD with loose constraints has many of the features of spin glass problems leading to the belief that NMR structure determination using loose assigned distances (loose APD) is computationally hard [20, 1, 21].

In almost all other Euclidean network reconstruction problems the distances are not assigned, as we do not know which nodes lie at the end of each distance. For example, the pair distribution function method is used for the analysis of the local structure of nanoparticles and complex materials. In many complex materials, such as high performance thermoelectric materials [22], high temperature superconductors [23] and manganites [24], crystalline order and heterogeneous local distortions co-exist so that crystallographic and PDF methods are complementary. Crystallography finds the average structure and the PDF the local structure [25, 26]. The pair distribution function gives a direct measure of the list of interatomic distances arising in the local structure, however the endpoints of the distances are not known

so we face a computationally challenging UPD problem [27].

Recently, in collaboration with Professor Billinge’s group, we developed efficient algorithms for the UPD problem for cases where there is significant symmetry in the structure, including C_{60} and a range of crystal structures. In those cases we found two types of algorithm worked well, genetic algorithms and a novel algorithm called Liga [28, 29, 30].

Liga works well while reconstructing structures having high symmetry. But for solving structures with hundreds of points, Liga fails miserably for low symmetry problems such as random point sets, due to the fact that there are a large number of unique pair distances in random structures. They thus fail for the general problem of complex Euclidean networks. Here we present an algorithm that is specifically designed for reconstructing complex Euclidean networks where there are a large number of unique distances.

A formal statement of the UPD problem is as follows. We are given a list of distances $\{d_l\}$, $l = 1 \dots M$, between points in a D -dimensional Euclidean space. Our task is to find the co-ordinates of the points $\{\vec{r}_i\}$, $i = 1, \dots, N$ such that the distance between every pair of points $|\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j| = r_{ij}$ is a member of the distance list $\{d_l\}$. Moreover we require that every distance in the list $\{d_l\}$ occurs for some pair of points (i, j) in the structure.

The only inputs to the Euclidean network reconstruction algorithm described below are the number of points in the network N and a list of $N(N - 1)/2$ Euclidean distances. Physically, it is useful to think of the Euclidean distances as natural lengths of Hookian springs, l_{ij}^0 so that we may define an energy function,

$$E(\{l_{ij}^0\}) = \sum_{ij} k_{ij} (l_{ij} - l_{ij}^0)^2 \quad (1.1)$$

In the ideal UPD problem the distance list is known precisely, but we don’t know the

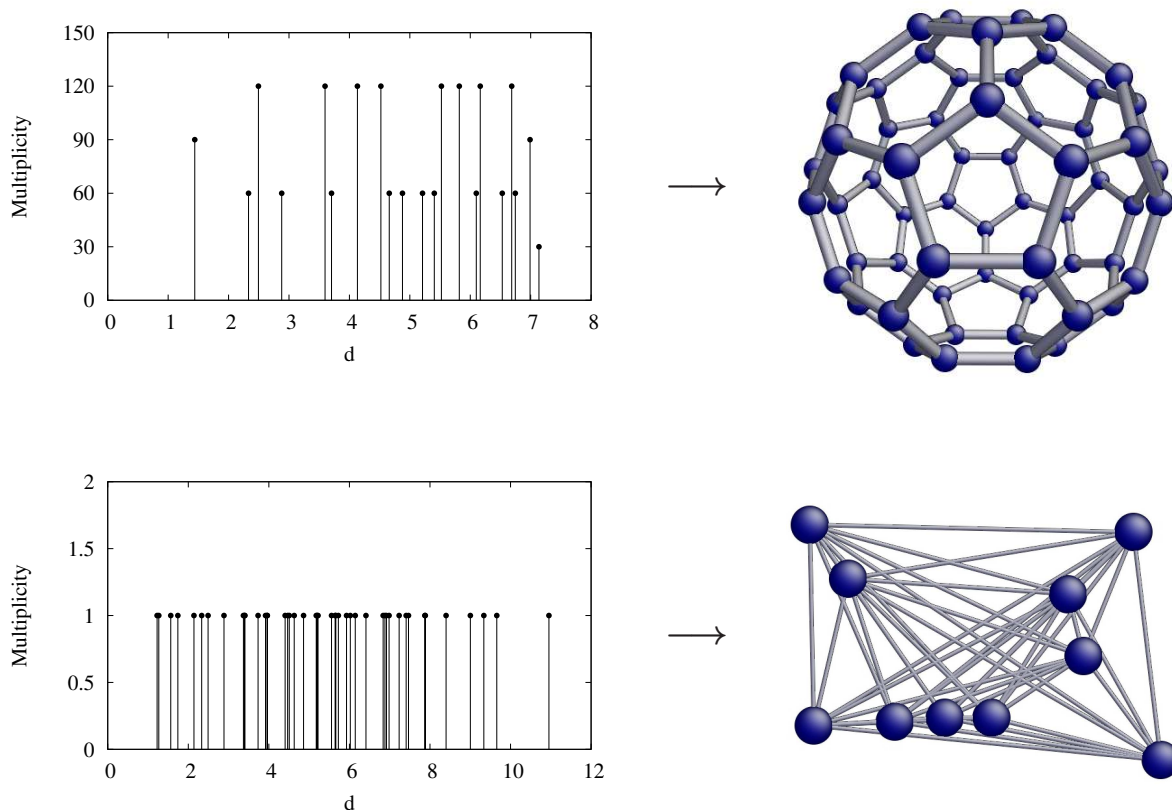


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mapping or assignment $d_l \rightarrow l_{ij}^0$. This is the precise UPD. In the precise UPD the key computational difficulty is to find this mapping or assignment of d_l to l_{ij} . If the correct assignment is found the energy (1) is zero, while wrong assignments lead to stretched or compressed springs and a finite energy. Strategies to treat the loose UPD problem are discussed in Section IV.

In the assigned pair distance inverse problem (APD), when the inter point distances are known precisely, the problem can be solved in polynomial time. A problem can be solved in polynomial time (P) if the computational cost for an input of size N is $\mathcal{O}(N^k)$, where k is a non negative integer. When there are uncertainties in the experimentally determined inter atomic distances, the problem is computationally hard and is NP [31, 32]. NP stands for non-deterministic polynomial. For problems in NP, the solution can be verified in polynomial time. Please note that problems in P are also in NP.

For the APD problem, the method for solving the precise case was the foundation for solving the problem with imprecise distances. Here, we present an algorithm that solves the unassigned problem (UPD) in the precise case and we hope that it will offer insights that lead to techniques for solving the imprecise case.

Two examples of this problem are presented in Fig. 1.1. Fig. 1.1a (top) presents an example of a degenerate distance list, typical of structures which have high symmetry, while Fig. 1.1b (bottom) is an example of a random point set where all distances are, with high probability, unique. Since the number of Euclidean distances is $M = N(N - 1)/2$, a search over all permutations of the distances to find the correct assignment of d_l to l_{ij} requires a computational time proportional to the factorial of M , so that $\tau \sim M!$. This is worse than exponential time complexity and is also a very poor way to proceed. The Tribond algorithm is presented in this work and is shown to have a polynomial complexity.

A related problem in one dimension is the optimal Golomb ruler. Common rulers have

marks which are equally spaced so that you can measure any distance between 1 and the length of the ruler by placing an object between any two marks with the desired distance. With a common ruler (Fig. 1.2) one can measure the distance 4 in multiple ways, say by placing the object between the marks 0 and 4 or between marks 1 and 5. Golomb rulers can be thought of as a special kind of rulers in which every distance between two marks is different from all others. For example if there is a mark at position 1 and 5, then no other pair of marks must be separated by a distance of 4. From this definition, we can see that a common ruler with more than 2 marks is not Golomb. Using a ruler with the following marks 0, 1, 4, 9, 11 (Fig. 1.3) we can measure the distances $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11\}$ by using only one pair of marks, therefore the Golomb property is satisfied. Rulers which have the smallest possible length for a given number of marks are called optimal Golomb rulers (OGR).

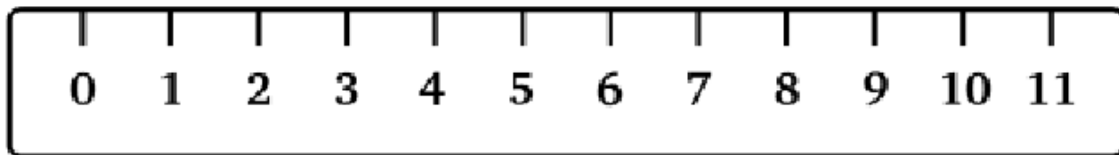


Figure 1.2: A common ruler

Maximizing irregularity and constructing optimal Golomb rulers are closely related [33]. Because of this property, Golomb rulers have applications in a wide variety of fields. Some of the real world applications include x-ray crystallography [34, 35, 36, 7], radio systems [37], radio astronomy [38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45] and missile guidance [46].

Stated mathematically, a Golomb ruler is a set of non-negative integers with the property



Figure 1.3: A Golomb ruler

that the differences between the integers are all distinct. To be concrete, consider a set of n integer markers $m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n$, and their associated distances $d_{ij} = |m_i - m_j|$. By convention, the first mark is set at position zero ($m_1 = 0$) so the length of ruler is equal to m_n . A Golomb ruler is a set $\{m_i\}$ satisfying the constraint that all distances $d_{i < j}$ are distinct. An optimal Golomb ruler is the shortest marker set (i.e. smallest m_n) satisfying the Golomb ruler constraints.

Dimitromanolakis [47] showed that Golomb rulers are equivalent to an old problem of Sidon sets [48, 49, 50]. A Sidon set is a subset of the set $A = 1, \dots, N$ of positive integers such that for every two elements a_i, a_j ($a_i \leq a_j$) of the set, the sum $a_i + a_j$ is different from all other sums. Sidon sets and Golomb rulers are equivalent as a set having distinct differences between any two elements will also have distinct sums and vice versa. Finding an optimal Golomb ruler is equivalent to finding a Sidon set with the maximum number of elements. This also gives us a tight upper bound on the length of a optimal Golomb ruler m_n at large n , $m_n \leq n(n+1)$. Golomb rulers can undergo simple similarity transformations, translation and multiplication that lead to new rulers which also have the Golomb property. Golomb rulers have a two fold degeneracy, with the two degenerate states transforming into each other by spatial reflection, i.e. $m_i \rightarrow m_n - m_i$. However, a Golomb ruler cannot have

reflection symmetry as it would lead to repeat distances.

There does not exist a closed form formula to generate optimal Golomb rulers. Algebraic constructions like the Bose-Chowla construction [51] and the Ruzsa construction [52, 53] are used to generate rulers, most of these rulers turned out to be optimal. Hence the rulers generated by these methods are called near-optimal rulers. The optimality proofs of such constructions can only be made with exhaustive search methods.

Finding an optimal Golomb ruler consists of two parts. First we must verify that the proposed ruler is Golomb (polynomial complexity) and then check that it has the shortest possible length. Although it has not been proved to be NP-hard, it is believed that no polynomial time algorithm exists for this problem [54]. Problems are said to be NP-Hard when the solution cannot even be verified in polynomial time, let alone coming up with a solution in polynomial time. The largest OGR found as of July 2014, has $n = 26$ with $m_n = 492$. Small rulers with marks upto $n = 18$ were relatively easy to obtain [55, 56]. After that exhaustive search is being used in addition to some heuristics and some clever ways of eliminating bad candidates [57, 58] to solve this problem. The 19 mark ruler was obtained using a computer search using 36,000 CPU hours [57]. The search for larger rulers is now being carried out using a distributed computer network consisting of thousands of computers and takes years to complete [59].

In the past decade statistical physics approaches to combinatorial optimization problems have provided new theoretical insights and improved algorithms, particularly near the phase transitions [60, 61, 62, 63]. Examples include random K-SAT [64], coloring and maximum independent set on random graphs or vertex cover [65, 66]. All NP-complete problems [67] can be mapped using lattice gas approach. Problems are said to be NP-Complete when the solution can be verified in polynomial time, but it is not possible to come up with a solution

in polynomial time. The problem of finding the optimal Golomb ruler (OGR) is to find the shortest ruler (with length L) which has a given number of marks (m). Also, all the interpoint distances in the ruler should be unique. In this study a lattice gas model is introduced for the OGR problem and its phase behaviour is studied. The OGR problem is different than most models studied so far as it's associated statistical physics model is not disordered, being defined on regular lattices. Nevertheless the OGR solutions are highly irregular with frustration of distance geometry constraints being the physical origin of complex aperiodic ground states and glass like behavior, as is familiar in geometrically frustrated problems [68, 69] arising in other contexts. The OGR problem is also an example of geometrical frustration. If we are trying to solve for a density which is higher than the OGR density then there is geometrical frustration. There is no solution for which there exists a zero energy ground state. (L,m) pairs for the optimal Golomb ruler have the lowest energy and the solution is degenerate due to reflection symmetry. From numerical calculations it is seen that the Golomb lattice gas exhibits spontaneous symmetry breaking from a low constraint reflection symmetric phase to a high constraint phase that does not have reflection symmetry. Asymptotic calculations are also done and the results for the scaling behavior and phase boundary are compared with those from numerical calculations.

The layout of this thesis is as follows. Chapter 2 is about the Liga algorithm and the extension of the algorithm in order to solve crystal structures. The work on the Liga algorithm is prior work by my colleague Pavol Juhas. The work on the extended algorithm was published in the Journal of Applied Crystallography and I was a co-author. Chapter 3 describes the Tribond algorithm in two dimensions and the corresponding paper is ready for submission to Physics Review E. Chapter 4 deals with the algorithm in three dimensions and the corresponding paper is in preparation for Physics Review E. In chapter 5, the work on

the optimal Golomb ruler (OGR) is presented, which will be resubmitted to Physics Review Letters. In chapter 6, the concluding remarks are made. I will also be writing a review paper, which will cover Liga and Tribond algorithms, that will be submitted to Discrete Applied Math journal. In the appendix, all the code for the Tribond 2D and 3D algorithm is given.

Chapter 2

The Liga algorithm

2.1 Algorithm details

Inspired by the Spanish soccer league (La Liga), Liga uses a combination of ideas from dynamic programming with backtracking and tournaments. Reconstruction is done by building up small divisions of feasible substructures. Each division or level has substructures with the same number of atoms and is labeled by the the number of atoms in the substructures. The algorithm has tournaments where substructures in a division compete with each other to gain atoms and move to a higher division (promotion). The structures that lose have some their atoms removed and they fall to a lower division (relegation). Fig. 2.1 gives a depiction of this algorithm. The cost function for the algorithm is based on the closeness of the target and model distance lists. Each atom has an individual cost that is based on its contribution to the total cost for the substructure.

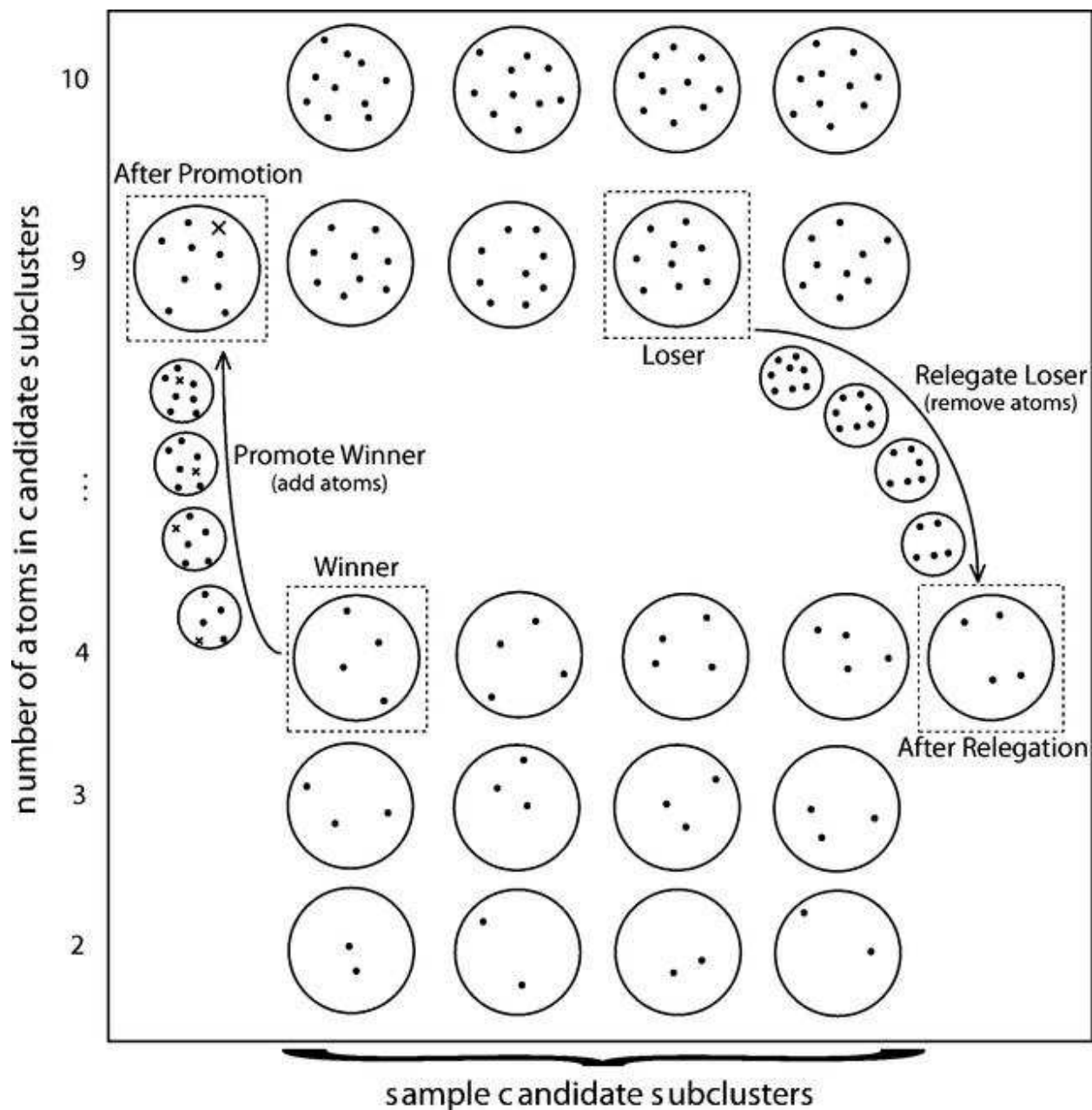


Figure 2.1: An example of promotion and relegation in Liga for $N=10$ and four structures at each level. The algorithm is at level 4, where a winner structure is randomly selected with probability equal to the reciprocal of its cost. The winner attempts to add as many candidate points (denoted by 'x') with a low cost as possible. In this example, the winner can add five points and gets promoted to the 9th level. A loser structure is randomly selected from the 9th level, it loses five of its atoms and is relegated to the 4th level. The choice of the losing structure and the points that are removed in relegation are done randomly with a probability equal to the cost.

In a tournament, a “winner” is randomly chosen from the candidates with probability

equal to the reciprocal of its cost. A “loser” is randomly chosen with probability equal to its cost. This operation is carried out for both points and substructures. Whenever atoms are added or removed from a structure, the target distance list is updated so that the new distances are no longer available.

In order to add an atom to an existing substructure, a pool of candidate points is generated. Three methods are used to find candidate points: line trials, triangle trials and pyramid trials. In line trials, two winner atoms are chosen along with a distance from the target list. The first atom is chosen as the anchor, while the second one is used for the direction and this type of trial leads to two candidate points. In planar trials, three winner atoms are chosen. The first two form the base of the triangle, while the third defines the plane of the triangle. Two distances are selected from the target list and they are used to construct a triangle vertex. After reflecting this vertex along the X and the Y axis, four candidate points are generated. In pyramid trials, three winner atoms are chosen and they form the base for the pyramid. The apex point for the pyramid is generated by using 3 randomly chosen lengths from the target list. There are 12 candidate points generated at the end of this trial, as there are $3!$ ways of assigning 3 distances to 3 atoms and also the 2 possible choices (positive and negative) for the Z coordinate. The above trials are carried out for a specified number of times to generate a pool of candidate points that can be added to the substructure. With each point is associated a cost of addition to the substructure. A winner atom is chosen from the pool and added. The cost for the remaining points in the pool is recalculated with respect to the new structure and if there are any candidates whose cost is low, a new winner is selected and added to the structure. This can speed up the reconstruction significantly.

Once the promotion and relegation has been carried out at a division, the algorithm moves to the next division and repeats the process. The Liga algorithm starts at level 0 and

systematically goes through the N levels and populates them with candidates. A traversal through all the levels is called a season. After the algorithm reaches the N th division, and if there is a candidate whose cost is below a user defined threshold, that candidate is declared as the solution. Else, the algorithm starts a new season from the lowest division and continues the search.

Liga succeeds in reconstructing a lot of structures like platonic solids (Fig. 2.2), lattice structures (Fig. 2.3), Lennard Jones clusters (Fig. 2.4) and C_{60} buckyball (Fig. 2.5).

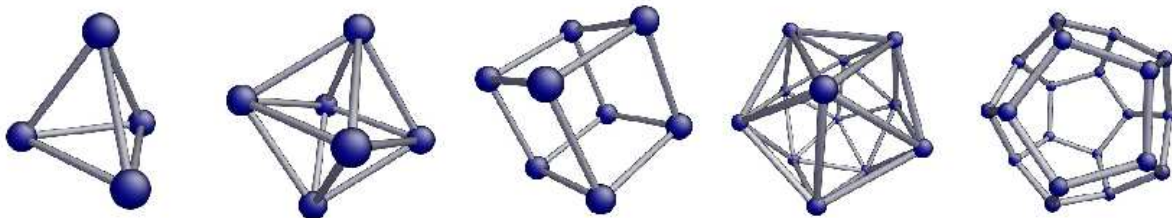


Figure 2.2: Reconstruction of various platonic solids using Liga.

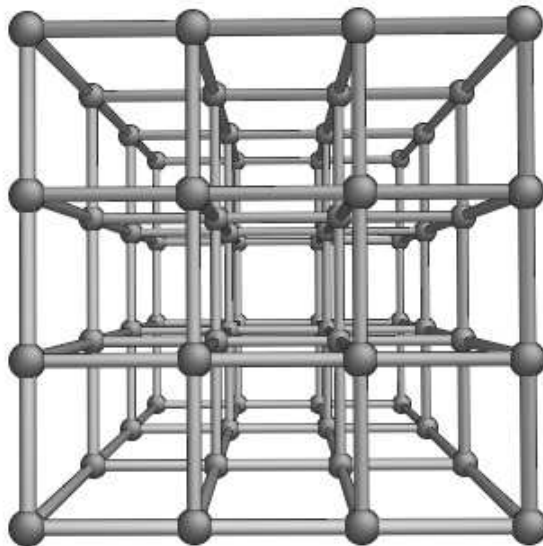


Figure 2.3: Reconstruction of a cubic grid with side equal to 4 and $N=64$ using Liga.

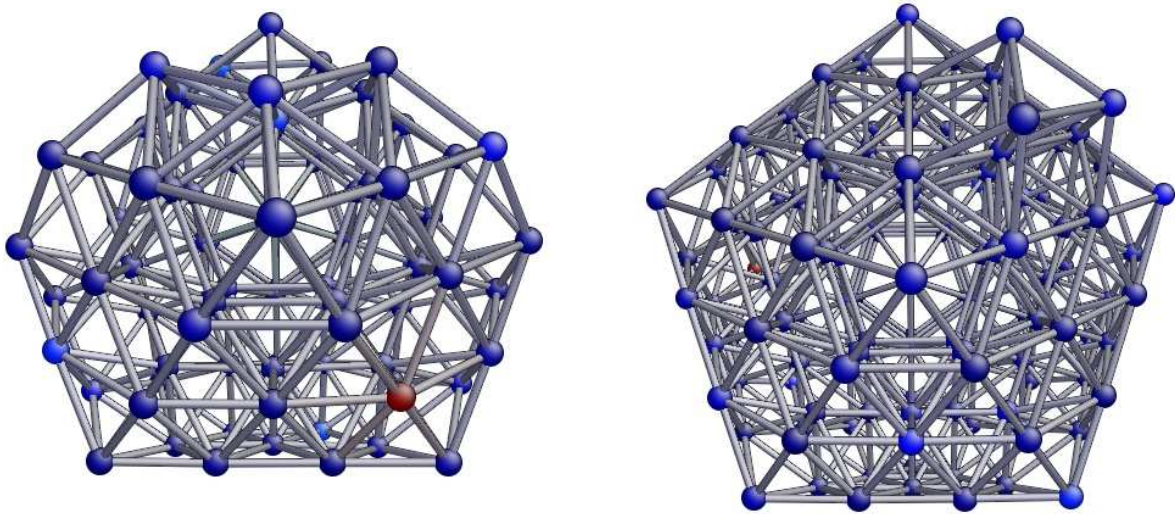


Figure 2.4: Reconstruction of Lennard Jones clusters using Liga. On the left is solution for $N=88$ and on the right is $N=150$. The solutions have a low error and are topologically identical to the LJ-88 and LJ-150 clusters. The atoms in blue have a low error, while those in red have high error.

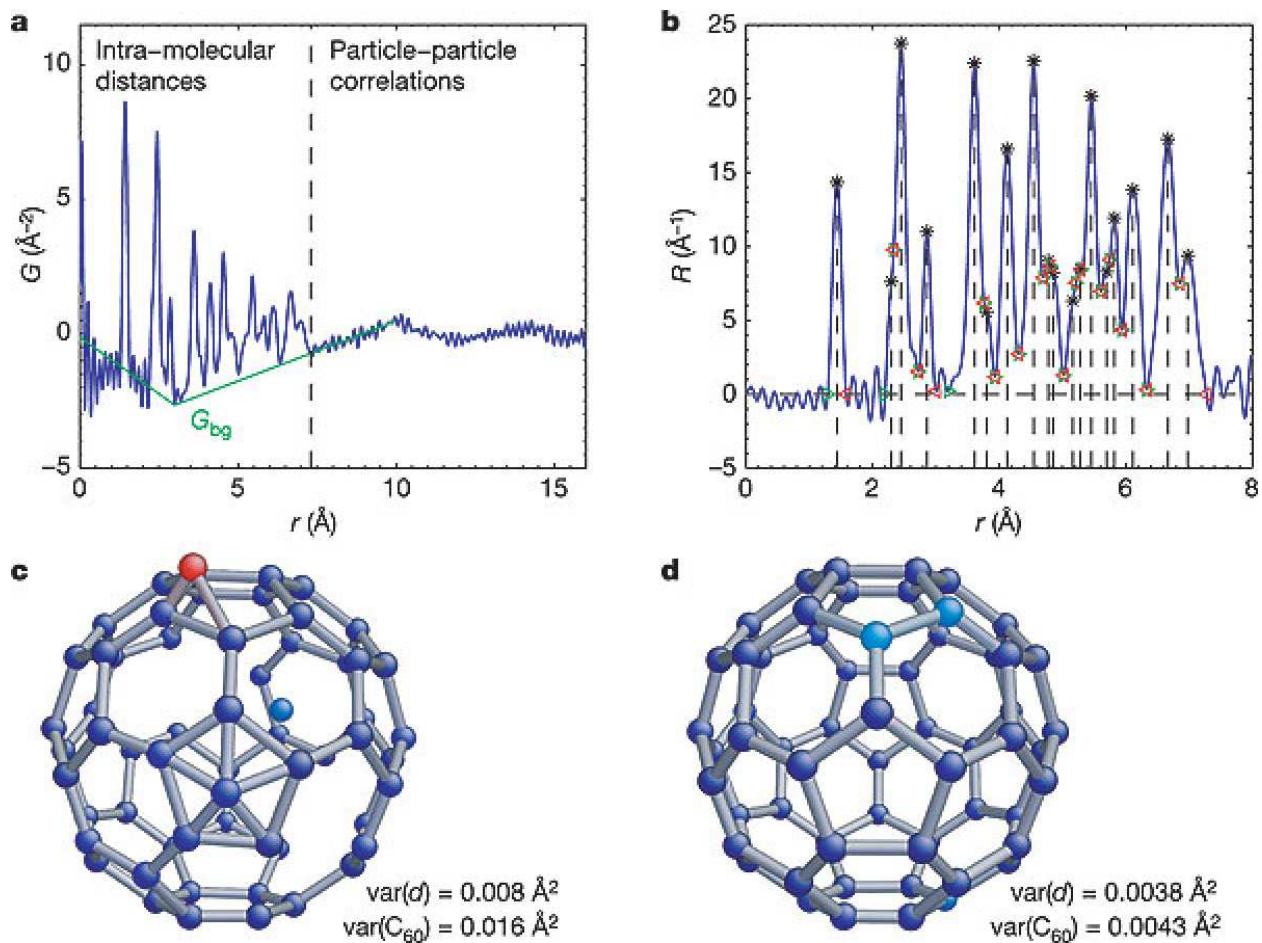


Figure 2.5: Reconstruction of C_{60} from experimental PDF data. a) Experimental pair distribution function (G) as a function of distance (r). The background (G_{bg}) arising from interparticle correlations is shown in green. b) The radial distribution function (R) as a function of the distance (r). It is obtained after subtracting the background from the PDF data. The interatomic distances are obtained by using the peak maxima and the multiplicities are set equal to the peak areas. c) The solution structure obtained using the exact distance list obtained in the previous step. d) The solution obtained after the multiplicities in the distances are relaxed by 10%. The atoms in blue have a low error, while those in red have high error.

2.2 Limitations

Liga fails with structures with a low symmetry and a large number of unique distances (Fig. 2.6). It is unable to reconstruct random point sets of size ten. Random point sets have

$N(N - 1)/2$ interpoint distances, which with high probability are all unique. The reason for the difficulty in reconstruction arises from a large number of low cost candidate points and substructures that are not part of the target structure. It is not able to make progress while searching the phase space as it gets stuck in these rather large number of local minima.

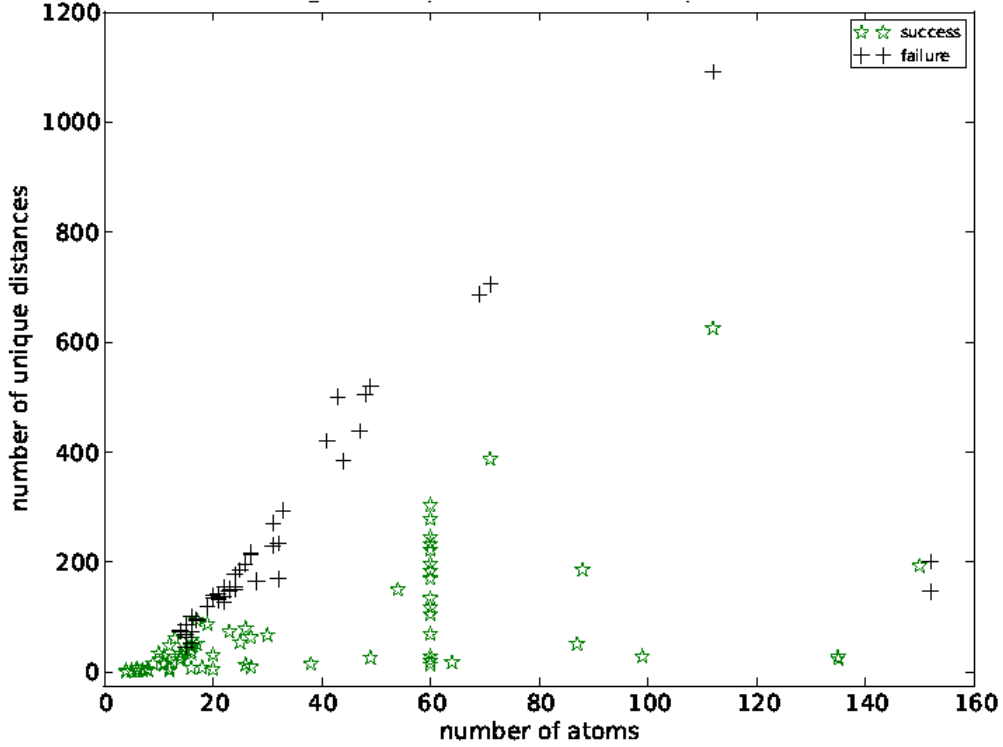


Figure 2.6: Liga’s success and failures in reconstructing structures with different amounts of symmetry. Low symmetry structures have a large number of unique interpoint distances, while those with high symmetry have a small number of unique interpoint distances. Failure is represented by the plus symbol while success is denoted by the star symbol. Success mostly occurs in the region closer to the X axis, which is representative of the structures having high symmetry while failure mostly occurs mostly for structures having a large number of unique distances.

2.3 Extension of the Liga algorithm

The algorithm was extended to solve for the structure of periodic crystal structures from experimental PDF data (Fig. 2.7). It is a three step process, where the first step is the extraction of interatomic distances from experimental PDF data. In the second step, Liga is used to find the coordinates of the atoms in the unit cell. In the third step, the assignment of atom type to each site is carried out.

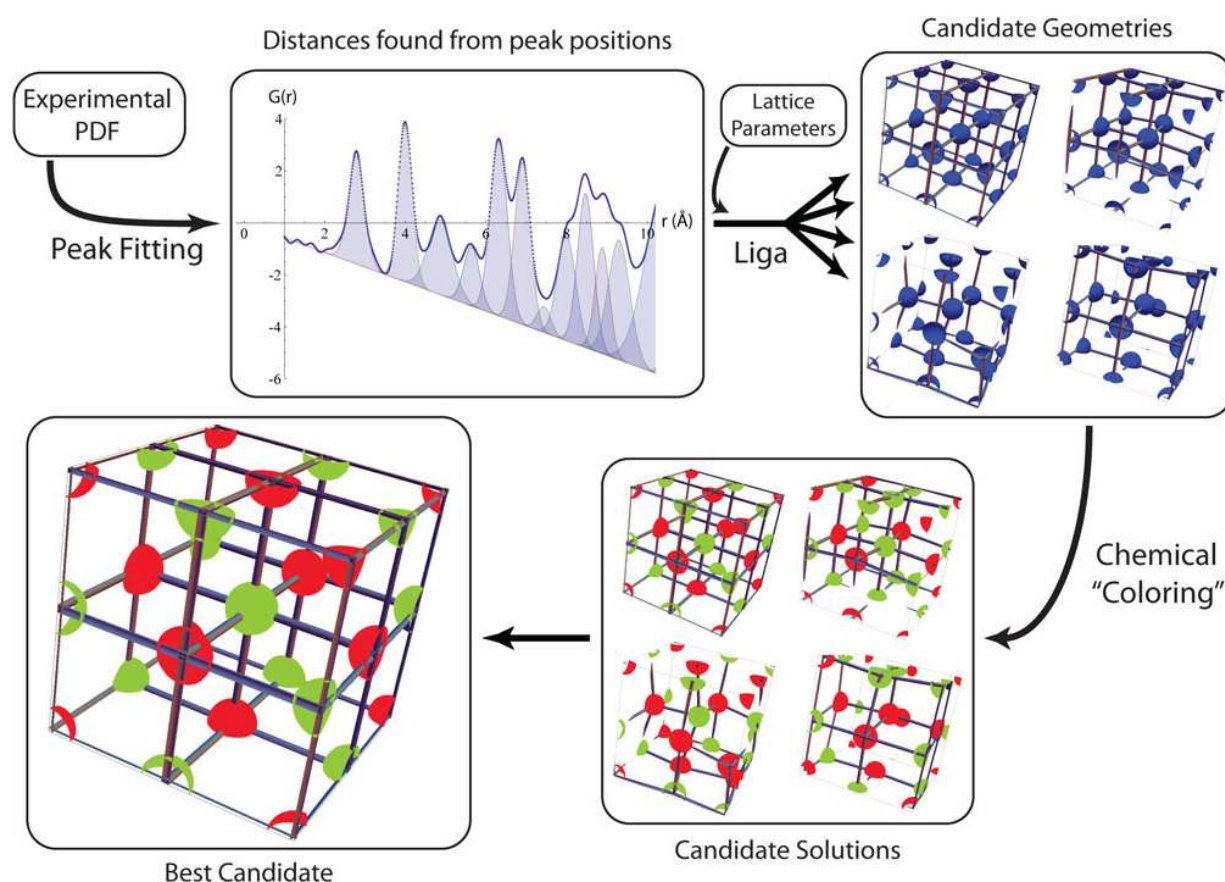


Figure 2.7: Steps involved in the crystal structure determination using experimental PDF. An automated peak extraction routine is used to obtain the distances and their multiplicities. This information along with the lattice parameters for the crystal structure is given as input to Liga. It gives as output a number of candidate solutions that are consistent with the input data. The next step is coloring, which assigns the atom species to each site by minimizing the atom radii overlap and the structure with the lowest cost is declared as the solution.

The process of extracting interatomic distances from experimental PDF was done using

an automated peak extraction algorithm developed by my colleague, Luke Granlund. The cost function is such that it guides the algorithm to generate peaks that fit well to the given data and also makes sure that it uses as few peaks as possible in order to avoid over-fitting. In the next step, Liga is used for reconstructing the position of atoms in the unit cell so that they are in good agreement with the distance list obtained in the previous step. This step is repeated with multiple starting random seeds to confirm the correctness and uniqueness of the solution. In most cases there was a unique solution but for some, there were multiple geometries that were a good match to the input distances. In such cases the correct structure was identified after the coloring step.

The next step is the assignment of atom type to the sites in the unit cell and this step is also known as “coloring”. For a structure with size N , which is made up of k different atom species, then the number of ways of assigning the atom types to sites is given by $N!/(n_1!n_2!n_3!\dots n_k!)$. For a binary system with equal number of atoms of each type, having a chemical formula A_kB_k , the number of possible assignments grows exponentially as 2^N for large N . This growth makes exhaustive search impossible and a bad approach. The coloring cost can potentially be measured in two different ways. The first one is based on how well the model PDF matches with the experimental PDF. The second one is the average error in all the differences in the interatomic distances and the corresponding sum of radii of every atom pair in the structure. The cost defined in the second way is computationally less expensive and was chosen for this step. A simple downhill search was employed, where it starts with a random assignment. The coloring cost of the initial random assignment is calculated along with those from all possible 2 atom swaps. The swap that leads to largest decrease in the cost is accepted and the process is repeated until a minimum is found. This simple downhill search was able to find the correct assignment in all the samples that were tested.

The solutions obtained were compared with the structure known from literature to check if they had the same nearest neighbor coordination and also by calculating an overlay error. The extended algorithm successfully able to reconstruct 14 out of 16 crystal structures that were attempted. Ag, BaTiO₃, C graphite, CdSe, NaCl, Ni, PbS, PbTe, Si, SrTiO₃, Zn, ZnS sphalerite and ZnS wurtzite were solved successfully, while it failed for CaTiO₃ and TiO₂ rutile.

2.4 Summary

In this chapter, the concepts and steps behind the Liga algorithm are presented. Liga is successful in reconstructing structures which have a high symmetry like the C_{60} buckyball using only their unassigned interpoint distances. The Liga algorithm was extended in order to solve periodic crystal structures from experimental PDF data. It is successful in reconstructing structures of 14 well known inorganic crystalline materials that were studied.

Chapter 3

The Tribond 2D algorithm

In this chapter the problem of complex structure reconstruction in two dimensions is studied. The chapter is organized as follows. Section 3.1 summarizes the theoretical concepts upon which the UPD reconstruction algorithm is based. The key concepts are based on constraint counting and generic graph rigidity that have a long history in the physics and mathematics literature. Section 3.2 discusses implementation of the procedure, which broadly consists of two phases: identification of a rigid core and buildup from a rigid core. A naive implementation is quite inefficient, however a simple optimization where cores are found using a selected subset of the distance list provides a much more efficient implementation. A loose polynomial upper bound on the computational efficiency of the algorithm is also developed and compared with the actual data. Large random point sets may yield distance lists that are close to degenerate, leading to problems with reconstruction. Section 3.3 discusses the algorithm in the context of the broader problem of reconstructing non-crystalline and heterogeneous materials. Finally in Section 3.4 is the summary.

3.1 Rigidity theory of unassigned PD-IP

Graph rigidity theory addresses the issue of how many independent constraints are required to ensure that a graph is rigid [70, 71, 72, 73]. This subject was initiated by James Clerk Maxwell leading to the development of mathematical theories of graph rigidity and physical

approximations to the rigidity of glasses [74]. In D dimensions a point has D translational degrees of freedom, so a structure with N nodes has DN degrees of freedom. The number of internal degrees of freedom is $DN - D(D + 1)/2$ as there are $D(D + 1)/2 = D + D(D - 1)/2$ degrees of freedom due to global translations (D) and rotations ($D(D - 1)/2$). An object is rigid when its internal degrees of freedom are constrained leaving only its global rotations and translations.

A constraint such as an interpoint distance contributes to the rigidity of a structure only if it is linearly independent with respect to the other constraints in the structure, so that identification of degenerate constraints is key to accurate constraint counting. Several mechanisms for the degeneracy or linear dependence of constraints in small structures are illustrated in [20]. In a classic paper, Laman [75] presented a combinatorial characterization of the rigidity of graphs in the plane and Hendrickson [20] provided the basis for efficient algorithms that have been widely applied in physics, applied mathematics and in biology. Note that if a graph is rigid it can support an applied stress. Addition of further bonds or edges to a rigid graph does not increase its rigidity, though of course the elastic moduli continue to increase as further bonds are added. These additional bonds are called redundant bonds as they do not contribute to the graph rigidity. An important feature of redundant bonds in graphs is that, except in special cases, each redundant bond leads to overconstraint that in most physical situations leads to an internal stress.

Now the question as to whether there is enough information or constraint to solve the UPD problem is addressed. If there are B independent distances between the nodes of a Euclidean network, the critical number of independent constraints, B_c , required to make the network rigid is,

$$B_c = DN - D(D + 1)/2. \quad (3.1)$$

In an ideal NMR or PDF experiment all interparticle distances would be extracted so that the number of interparticle constraints would be $N(N - 1)/2$ which appears to be more than enough to constrain the structure. However, it is not clear that this is the case as is evident by considering the C_{60} molecule as illustrated in Fig. 1.1, where there are only 21 different interatomic distances. Since for a buckyball, $B_c = 3 \times 60 - 6 = 174 \gg 21$, it appears that there are far fewer distance constraints than is required to find the correct structure using the distance list alone. However, the distances with the same length are not necessarily degenerate as they may have different directions in the structure. Mathematical analysis of this issue is currently absent and is an important challenge. In contrast for generic random point sets that are of interest here, all of the distances are unique so that for a random Euclidean network with $N = 60$ nodes, there are 1770 different distance constraints, which is far more than is required to specify the Euclidean network in three dimensions.

The above discussion indicates that there are more than enough pair constraints in complex Euclidean networks to specify the network structure. As described in the next section, these rigidity concepts may be used to develop an efficient reconstruction algorithm. However it is important to keep in mind the limitations of this approach, including the issues of degeneracy and the fact that Laman’s theorem [75] only strictly applies to planar graphs.

The theoretical foundation of efficient algorithms for the UPD problem rests on rigidity theory discussed above that states that an isostatic structure in two dimensions (from Eq. 3.1) has $B_c = 2N - 3$ independent distance constraints. However, the key test of whether the assignment of distances to natural lengths is correct is to place at least one additional, overconstrained Euclidean distance into the structure. A distance incompatible with the isostatic structure leads to a finite strain energy cost in Eq. 1.1, due to stretched or compressed springs, while a distance compatible with the isostatic structure has zero energy cost. Note

that many isostatic structures that are *inconsistent* with the final structure can be made, but with high probability, no overconstrained zero cost structures can be made that are inconsistent with the final reconstruction.

3.2 Tribond 2D algorithm

In two dimensions the smallest structure with at least one overconstrained bond is $N = 4$ where the total number of bonds is $\binom{4}{2} = 4 \times 3/2 = 6$, while the number required for isostaticity is (from Eq. 3.1) $2N - 3 = 5$. The key observation is that if six Euclidean distances are found that form a point set structure, and the cost function for this structure and these distances is zero, then a unique substructure has been found. A zero cost, correct, substructure with six distances and four sites is called a *core*. Once a core is found, and if there is no degeneracy, then this core is a correct substructure of the complete reconstruction. One may then build up from the core iteratively to find the complete structure. At each step there is an existing, correct substructure. Then add one site and search for three edges that are compatible with the new node and with three nodes that are in the existing structure. The addition of one site and two edges is an isostatic addition, while the addition of one site and three edges is overconstrained. If three edges that are compatible with one additional site and three sites in the existing structure are found, with high probability, this site is part of the correct reconstruction.

In practice, to construct a core we choose the smallest bond as the base for all our triangles and loop over all triangle pairs which are feasible according to the triangle inequality. For every triangle pair we calculate the length of the bond that connects the two apex points which we call the bridge bond. The length of the bridge in the candidate core is tested

against the lengths in the distance list. If the candidate bridge length is equal to an unused distance in the distance list, we have found a core (Fig. 3.1 and Fig. 3.2).

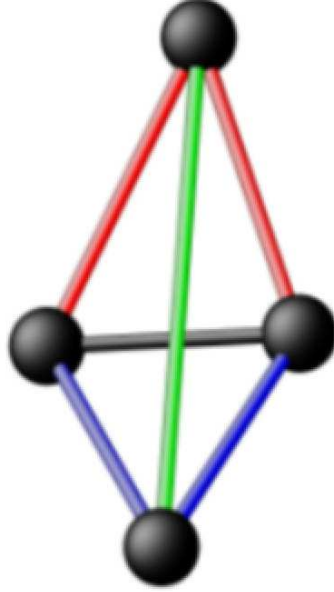


Figure 3.1: (color online) An example of a core. In 2D, it consists of 4 points. The horizontal bond is the base (in black), the bonds below it (in blue) make up the base triangle while those above it (in red) make up the top triangle. The vertical bond is the bridge (in green).

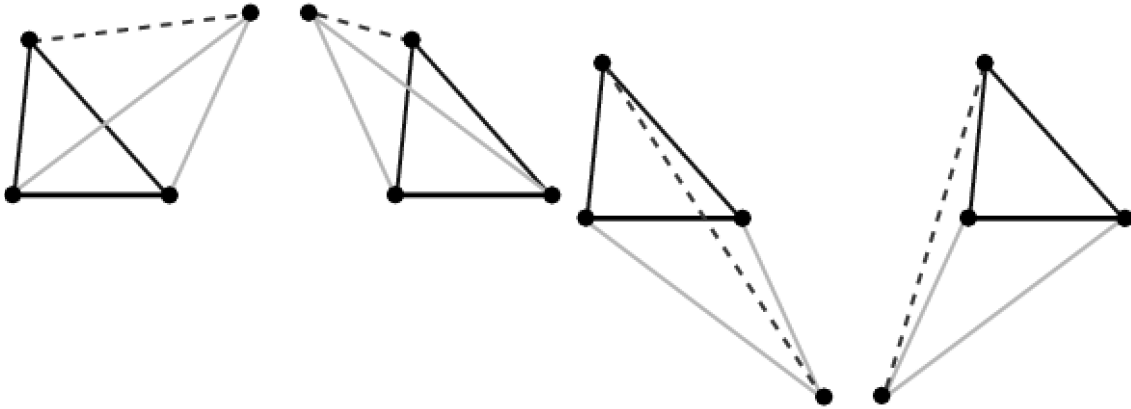


Figure 3.2: Four possible positions for the top triangle are shown. The corresponding bridge bonds are shown using a dashed line.

The build up procedure consists of choosing a triangle as the base triangle in the existing structure, followed by an attempt to add a site to it. The addition of a site consists of

choosing an edge in the base triangle as the base bond and generating test triangles with that base bond and using two distances from the distance list. After we place this site, we carry out bridge testing to determine whether the structure has zero strain energy.

Our Tribond implementation of the above procedure for the unassigned PD-IP algorithm may be summarized as follows:

We are given the sorted distance list $\{d_l\}$ with the number of nodes in the network N . We start with an empty set, then

A. Core finding procedure

1. Choose the shortest bond as the base bond and a window (subset) of $W = 6$ entries in the distance list for the core finding search.
2. Iterate over all triangles constructed with the triangle inequality that have the same base bond using distances in the window W .
3. Recursively search over all the pairs of the feasible triangles generated above and over all lengths in the Euclidean distance list to find a bridge. If a compatible core is found, remove the edges used from the distance list and exit.
4. Increment W and return to (1), making sure not to retest bond combinations.

B. Buildup procedure.

1. Choose a base triangle to be the reference for our buildup.

2. Search over all sets of two edges from the distance list to find a set compatible with the base triangle in the existing structure. Search over the distance list to find a bridge bond.
3. If successful, remove from the distance list the edges that are used in connecting the newly added node. If size of reconstructed structure is $< N$ return to step 1 of the Buildup procedure.

A coarse upper bound on the computational time for this procedure consists of two parts: (i) the time to find the core; (ii) the time to carry out the buildup procedure. The number of unique cores in the point set is $\binom{N}{4}$, the number of ways of choosing 4 sites from N total sites. The number of ways of choosing six distances from the set of $M = N(N-1)/2$ distances is $\binom{M}{6}$. A brute force search then finds a core in computational time $\tau_{core} \sim \binom{M}{6} / \binom{N}{4} \sim N^8/1920$. Using similar reasoning, a brute force buildup algorithm takes a computational time that scales as $\tau_{buildup} \sim \binom{M}{3} \sim N^6/48$. This clearly shows that the method is polynomial though the power of the polynomial is too high for this to be practical.

The simple methods we have developed reduce the computational time very significantly from the coarse upper bounds of the last paragraph. The key observation is that many of the distances in the distance list violate the triangle inequality $d_1 + d_2 \geq d_3$, so they clearly cannot form a triangle together. A large fraction of the computational time in a brute force search is spent exploring these trivially inconsistent distance combinations. If we fix the base bond and the bridge bond is found using binary search, using simple combinatorial arguments we get $\tau_{core} \sim \binom{M}{4} \ln(N) / \binom{N}{2} \sim N^6 \ln(N)$. For a triangle with base bond a and second side b , the range of values for third side c is $(b-a, b+a)$. So for a larger base bond a , there is a much bigger range of feasible values for the the third side and hence the number of feasible

triangles goes up. But the actual number of triangles in the target structure is the same for any choice of base bond. This is seen in Fig. 3.3, where the number of feasible triangles goes up with the fractional position of the base bond in the distance list. Hence statistically, we can find a core in the least time if we choose the shortest bond in the distance list as our base.

Distances are also more likely to satisfy the triangle inequality if they are drawn from a list of comparable, rather than disparate, lengths. Since the base bond is short, a core is more likely to be found quickly by searching over other short distances first (the small-core hypothesis, Fig. 3.4), and including longer distances only as necessary. This is implemented as a window of the W shortest distances in the distance list, which increases periodically as core finding proceeds. Of the six bonds in the core, the base is fixed, four are drawn from the window, and the bridge bond may appear anywhere in the distance list. We observe that a window of size $W \sim N$ is usually sufficient to find a core. Therefore, typical computation time is $\tau_{core} \sim \binom{N}{4} \ln(N) \sim N^4 \ln(N)$.

From Fig. 3.3 and Fig. 3.4, we can guess that when we use the smallest bond as the base it will lead to the core finding and reconstruction in the shortest possible time. This is confirmed from our runs and can be seen in Fig. 3.5 where we used base bonds that were picked from 10 different places uniformly spread along the sorted distance list. If the smallest bond is chosen as the base, it took significantly less time for the entire construction.

Attempting to find the core for large point sets ($N > 200$) frequently leads to bad cores. Bad cores are over constrained clusters whose distances are part of the given distance list, within our tolerance, but the substructure is not present in the target structure. This occurs due to the fact that we are using finite tolerance when checking for the bridge bond and we also have finite precision when we are doing the triangulation while placing the points.

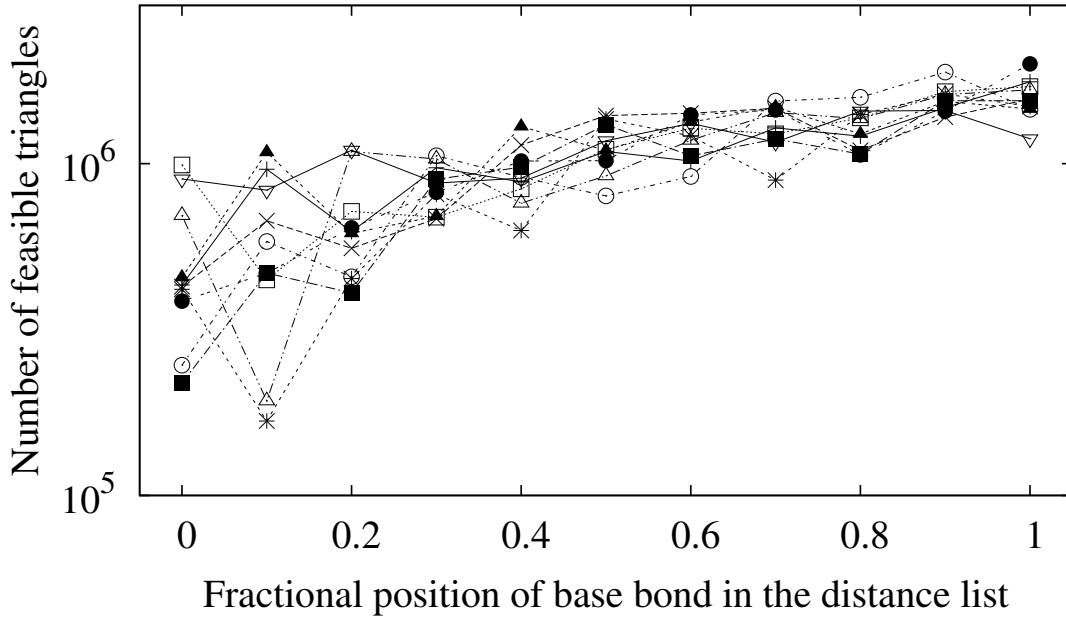


Figure 3.3: Number of feasible triangles using the bonds from a given distance list go up when we choose a larger bond as base for the triangle. Statistically, using the shortest bond in the distance list as the base leads us to the core in the shortest time. This plot shows data from runs using 10 different structures with $N = 128$.

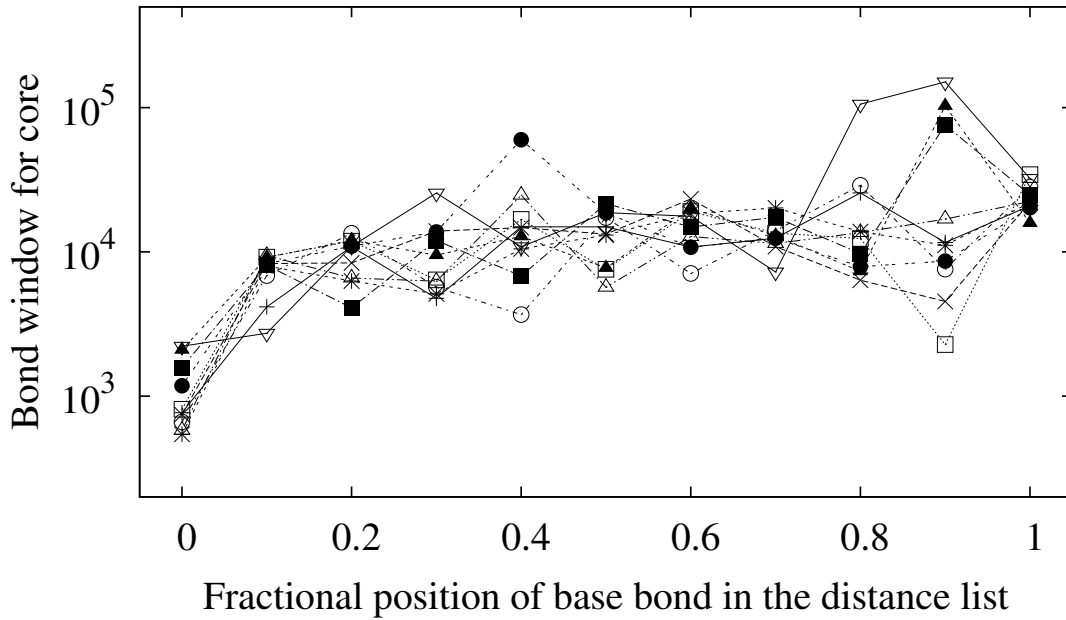


Figure 3.4: Small core hypothesis: ($N = 1024$) We see that when we have the smallest bond in the distance list as the base, the first core is in a distance window an order of magnitude smaller than other choices for the base bond. Hence, statistically, using the first bond as base is our best bet when searching for the core.

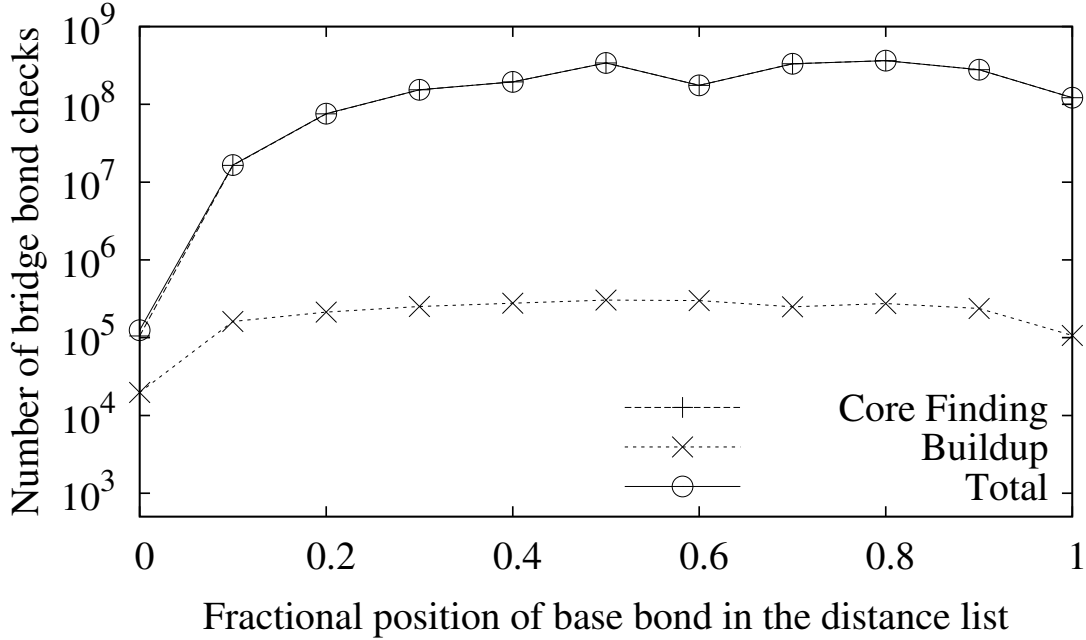


Figure 3.5: Plot illustrating the role of the base bond. For $N = 32$, the Tribond algorithm ran using base bonds that were picked from 10 different places spread along the sorted distance list. If the smallest bond is chosen as the base, we see that it takes 3 orders of magnitude less time for the core finding stage and an order of magnitude less time for the buildup stage.

We also see a loss in precision when placing points by doing triangulation while using the smallest length in the distance list as the base bond. So, we try to use all 6 bonds (in the core) as the base bond and check if the corresponding bridge bond is valid or not. We only take cores for which the bridge bond is valid in all of the 6 cases. This stringent check is very good at identifying bad cores. A confirmatory test is to use a structure comparison routine that flags the core as bad.

We have developed a structure comparison routine that overlays the points in the reconstructed structure ($\vec{r}$) with the points in the target structure ($\vec{R}$) and calculate an overlay error (Eq. 3.2) which can tell us how good the fit is. This routine can also tell us if a given substructure is part of the target structure or not. This is useful for testing purposes and not for the practical application, where we do not know the answer (target structure) ahead

of time.

$$\epsilon_{overlay} = \sum_i |\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}_i|^2. \quad (3.2)$$

When we find a core, we attempt buildup and add more points to the substructure. If after looping over a certain number of bonds from the distance list, it is unable to add any points, then we call it a bad core and get back to the core finding stage and find the next one. This is a heuristic method that helps us identify bad cores in a short amount of time. We have observed that the core is bad because even when given a large amount of time, it fails to add a significant number of points while doing the buildup.

It is important to choose the appropriate amount of tolerance when checking if the bridge bond is part of the given distance list. Using a very loose tolerance leads to a large number of bad cores. On the other hand, if we use a very tight tolerance we miss out on good cores, because we have finite precision when carrying out the triangulation to place the points in our substructure. We use floating point numbers for the input distances which has an accuracy of 18 digits. We found that using a relative tolerance of 10^{-12} is optimal to make sure that we get the good cores and filter out the bad ones. We observe a loss of precision when trying to place points that are collinear to the points that form the base bond. In such situations we relax the tolerance when checking for the correctness of the bridge bond.

To check the validity of a new point while doing buildup, in addition to the bridge bond check, we check 10 additional distances that it creates with the points already in the substructure. Only if these are part of the distance list do we add this new point to the structure. Whenever a new point is added to the substructure, we note the 3 bond lengths (two from the new triangle created and the third is the bridge) that were used and make

them unavailable during further reconstruction. This reduces the list of available distances by 3. When placing the n^{th} point if we update all $n - 1$ distances created between the new point and the points already in the substructure this reduces the number of available distances substantially but we found that it does not lead to any significant speedup in the buildup routine.

If after doing the buildup we still don't have the desired number of points (N), we relax the tolerance for the bridge bond checks and rerun the buildup procedure. If we are still short, we choose a different bond as the base and attempt to do the buildup using that bond. Once we have a full reconstruction, we calculate the distance error, which is based on the agreement between the given distance list and the distances derived from the reconstructed structure. We also calculate the overlay error (Eq. 4.1) using the structure comparison routine which is useful for testing purposes.

The Tribond algorithm was run for $N = 8, 16, \dots, 512$ and the computational cost for the core finding and buildup stages was recorded. The cost is the number of bridge bonds that were checked when placing a point in the structure. It is useful as it is a system independent measure of the cost. The timing runs are given in Fig. 3.6. We can see that the time required for doing the buildup is about an order of magnitude less than that for the core finding stage. The scaling is $\tau_{total} \sim N^{3.32}$, which shows that our algorithm has a polynomial run time albeit a higher order one. This scaling proves to be better than our estimate obtained earlier using simple combinatorial arguments as we had not accounted for the speedup obtained by using the triangle inequality.

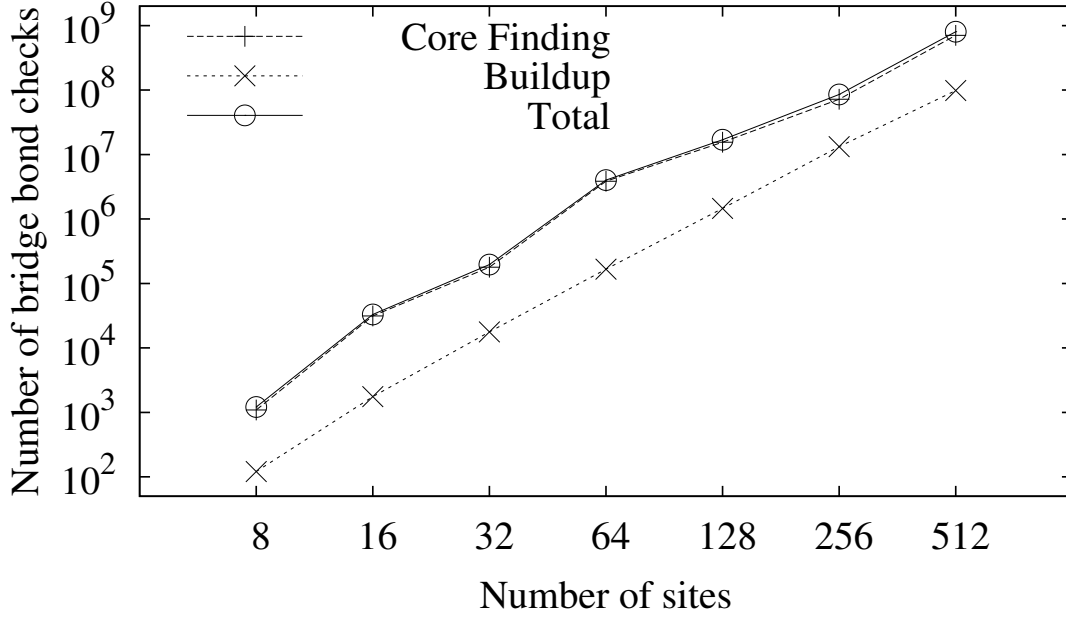


Figure 3.6: Experimental results for a series of reconstructions from distances lists generated from random point sets in two dimensions. The time for finding the core, the time for doing the buildup starting with the core and the total time are presented as a function of the number of bridge bond checks that were performed. Bridge bond checking is a fundamental process in Tribond and provides a system-independent measure of computational time. Each point on the plots is an average over 25 different instances of random point sets. We find that the total time scales as $\tau_{total} \sim N^{3.32}$.

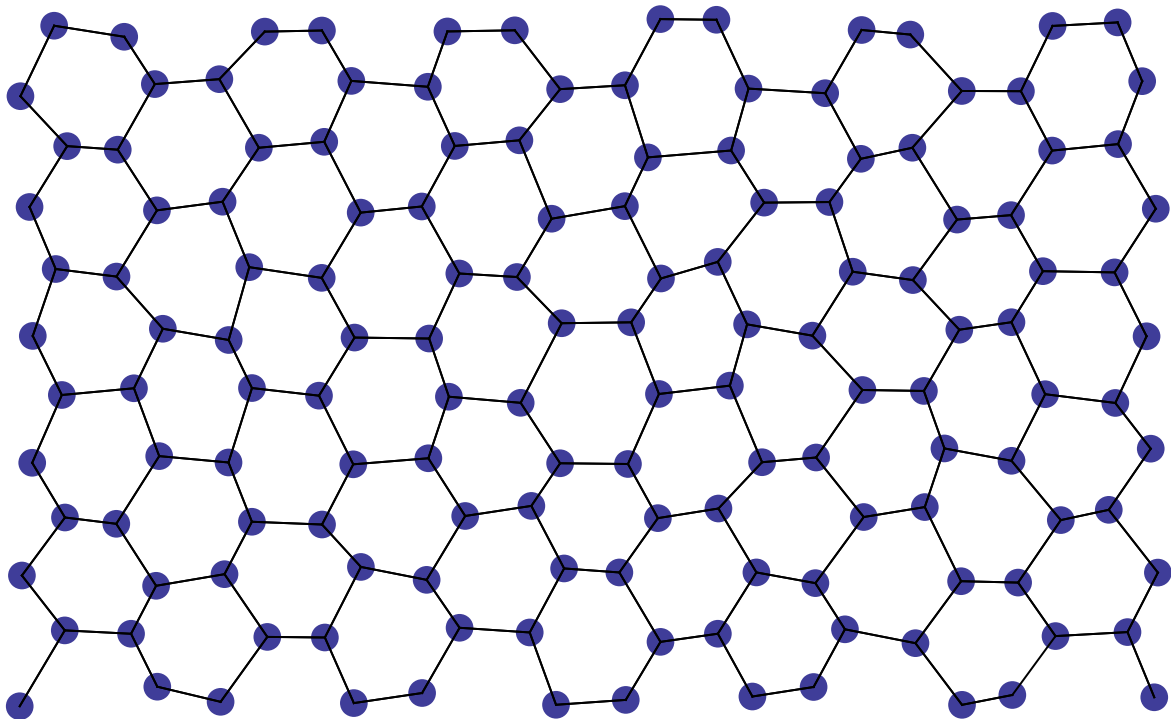


Figure 3.7: A perturbed graphene cut out made from 144 atoms. The Tribond algorithm successfully reconstructed a similar structure in a few minutes.

3.3 Applications

In the previous section we showed that Tribond is successfully able to reconstruct random point sets. We now try to solve some structures which occur in the real world. Structures occurring in nature are usually symmetric but because of finite size effects they have defects which cause small deviations in their “ideal” locations. Fig 3.7 shows a graphene nanoparticle with 144 atoms. The location of each point differs from their “ideal” ones via a small noise added to simulate natural imperfections. Tribond reconstructed this graphene sheet in a few minutes.

Tribond can also solve 2D polymers modeled by self avoiding random walk (Fig. 3.8). If the polymer is modeled as a random walk in the continuum, then it is just like a random point set. Since we have all the pairwise distances for the structure, it forms a complete graph.

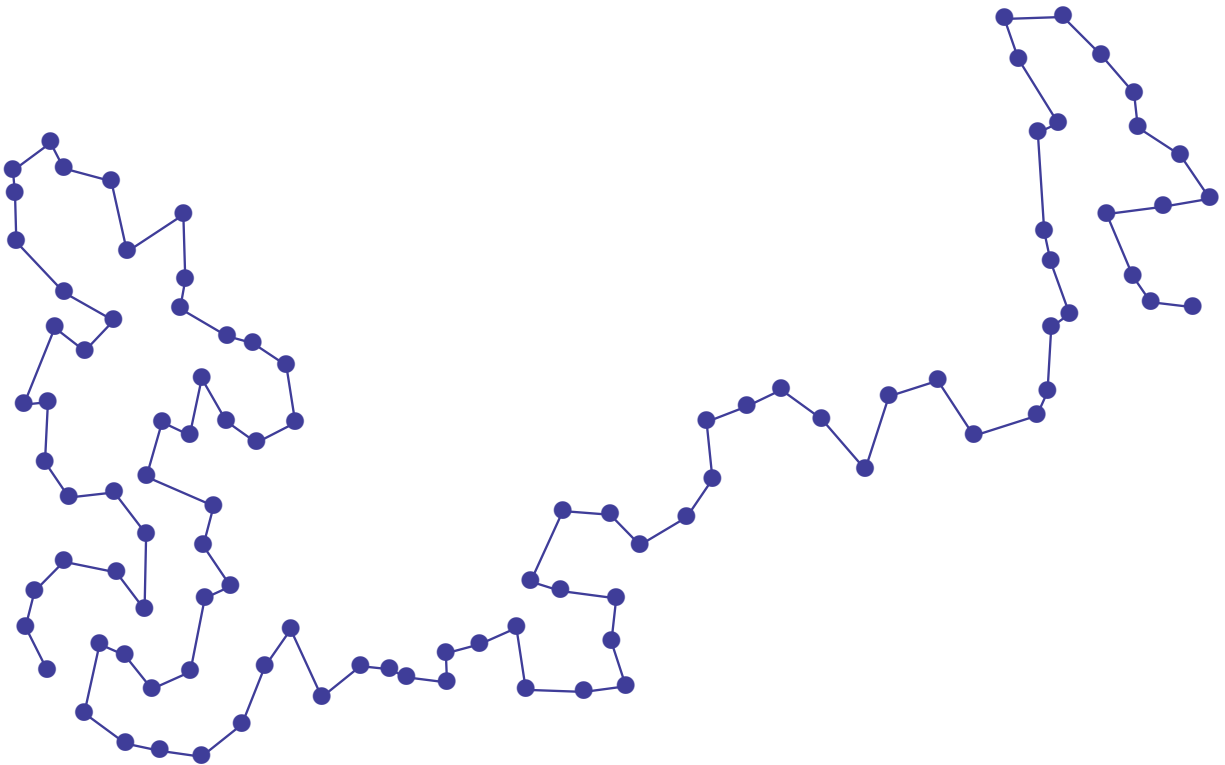


Figure 3.8: Self-avoiding walk is a sequence of moves that does not visit the same point more than once and is used to model polymers. Tribond was able to successfully reconstruct the above structure ($N = 100$) in a few minutes.

From graph theory we know that every complete graph is Hamiltonian, i.e. there is a path that visits every point exactly once. Hence polymers modeled as a self avoiding walk equate to a random point set for reconstruction purposes. We are able to reconstruct polymers (like in Fig. 3.8) knowing only their unassigned distances using the Tribond algorithm.

We also reconstructed a 100 site point set on a square grid as shown in Fig. 3.9, that was gently perturbed, in a few minutes by our algorithm.

3.3.1 Tribond for structures with high symmetry

We refined the idea behind Tribond to make a modified algorithm that can deal with structures having symmetry which have a highly degenerate distance list. We use only one instance

of each distance from the given distance list and find a core. During the buildup, at each step of the reconstruction we use only one instance of each distance and keep track of its multiplicities. So, at any given time, the distances that are available to the algorithm are all unique. This cuts down on the number of bad cores and points and helps guide our search. Using this modified approach we have been able to solve square grids with up to $N=1024$ (32×32) points in under 10 minutes on a desktop computer (but there is some trouble for $N=400, 676, 900$ as the algorithm tries to grow into a bigger lattice instead of completing the grid).

3.3.2 Reconstruction from an imprecise distance list

So far, we always started with a distance list which had entries that were known to a very high precision of 18 digits. Imprecise distance lists have less information in them and that makes it more difficult to solve our inverse problem. So we modified our original algorithm to deal with this situation as follows.

1. Start with a core (or substructure) and an empty pool which can save the coordinates and their associated cost for up to a maximum of 20 candidate points.
2. We randomly choose a bond in the substructure as the base for our buildup. Then we search over all sets of two edges from the distance list to make a test triangle and the new vertex is our test point. Evaluate the complete cost of the new substructure if this test point were to be added. If this cost is low and is less than that of the worst point in the pool, then add this point to the pool in the correct place based on its cost. Remove the worst point from the pool so that its size never exceeds the maximum.
3. Now choose another base bond randomly in the current substructure and repeat the

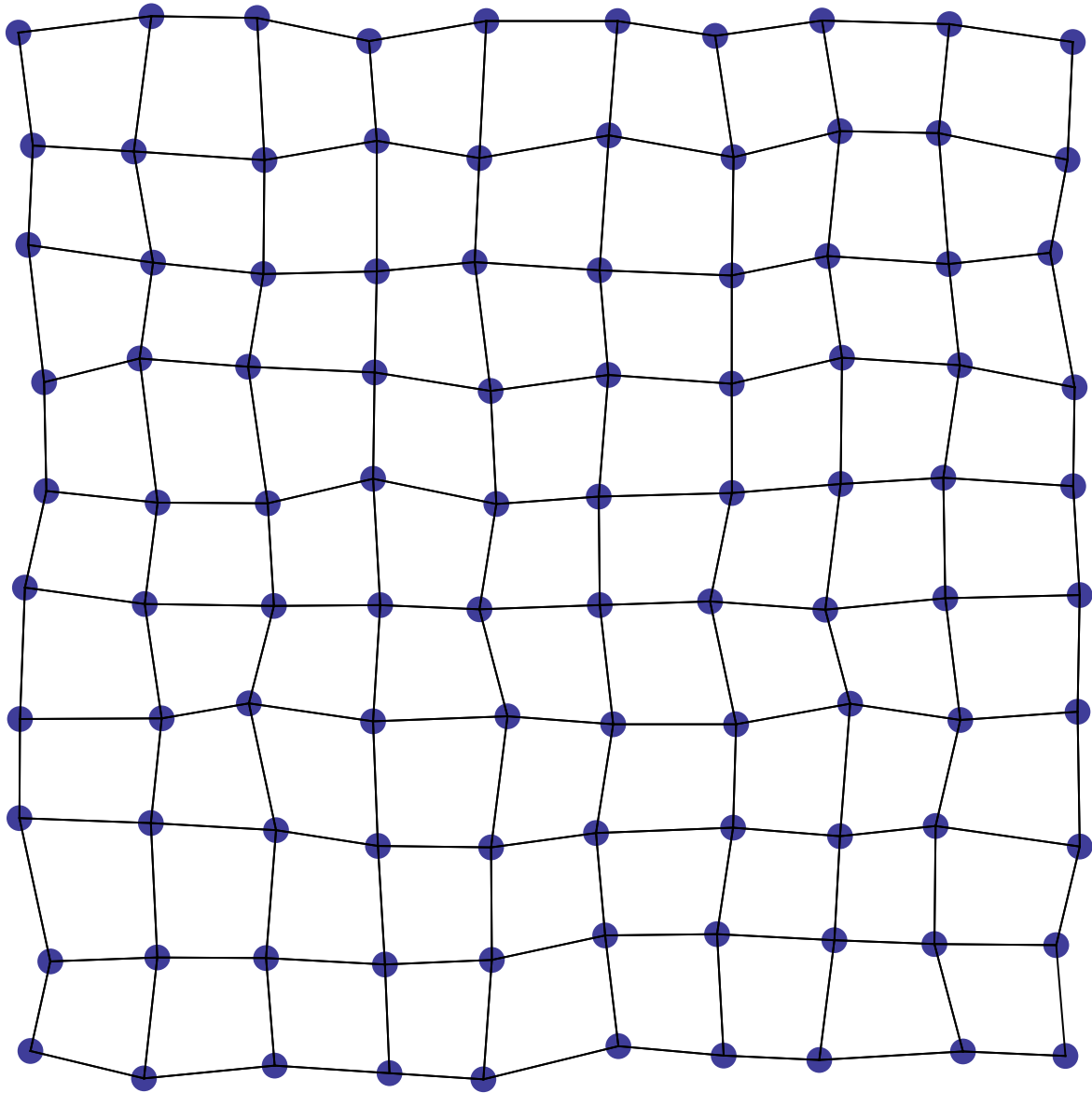


Figure 3.9: Gently perturbed square grid made of 100 sites. Our algorithm was successfully able to solve such a structure in a few minutes.

previous step. Combine the two pools obtained so far based on the cost such that we have up to 20 candidate points.

4. Iterate over all possible 2 point combinations (in 20 choose 2 ways) from the pool and find the pair which will have the minimum cost if added to the substructure.
5. Add the 2 points found in the above step to get a bigger substructure. If its size is $< N$, then go to step 1.

As compared to our buildup procedure (when we have precise data), we now do the buildup in multiple stages, first generating a pool of candidate points which have a low error with respect to the current substructure (based on single point addition). Then 2 points are added to the substructure from the pool which have the lowest error. We do this iteratively until we have the complete structure. As we gradually grow the structure and generate the pool of candidate points multiple times, we avoid all the bad points (low cost but wrong) and correctly guide the search.

Our results can be seen in Fig. 3.10, which shows the minimum core size needed to reconstruct a structure of size $N = 26, 50, 76, 100$ for different values of the precision (P) of the input distance list. The units for the precision of the distances is the number of digits. Our criteria for success was that the algorithm should be able to successfully reconstruct at least 5 out of 10 different random point set structures. We can see that as the distances become less precise, a core of a larger size is needed for successful reconstruction. The typical run time for $N = 26, 50, 76, 100$ was about 1 minute, 10 minutes, 4 hours and 20 hours respectively, on a node in our high performance computing center. When the input data has a higher precision ($P > 8$) than what is shown in the plot, we found that a core size of 4 was sufficient to reconstruct the structure.

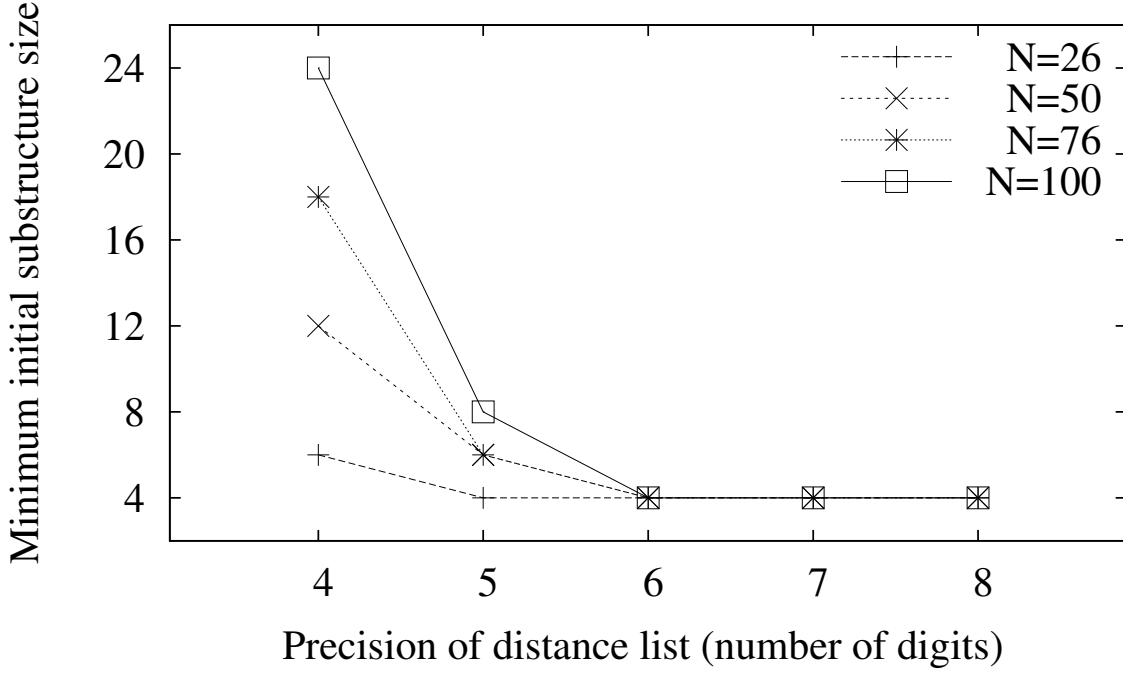


Figure 3.10: Plot of minimum core size vs precision of the input distance list for $N = 26, 50, 76$ and 100. We can see that a bigger core is needed for a less precise distance list.

3.4 Summary

In this chapter, the details of the Tribond 2D algorithm for the reconstruction of low symmetry structures represented by random point sets were presented. The Tribond 2D algorithm consists of two steps: core finding and buildup. The core is the smallest substructure with at least one over-constrained bond and is of size 4 in two dimensions. Choosing the smallest bond as the base bond for reconstruction had a dramatic improvement in performance. Computational cost of core finding was orders of magnitude more than buildup. Tribond 2D was able to reconstruct random point sets in 2 dimensions of size ~ 1000 in about 24 hours on a desktop computer when given precise distances.

A modified approach was presented for the buildup step with less precise data and given a known substructure. As precision decreases, it is clear that we need a substructure of larger size, underscoring the importance of the core finding step. We successfully reconstructed

random point sets of size 100, with the distances having 4 digits of precision, given a known substructure of size 24.

Chapter 4

The Tribond 3D algorithm

The extension of Tribond algorithm to three dimensions is discussed in this chapter.

4.1 Tribond 3D algorithm

In three dimensions the smallest structure with at least one overconstrained bond is $N = 5$, where the total number of bonds is $\binom{5}{2} = 5 \times 4/2 = 10$, while the number required for isostaticity is (from Eq. 3.1) $3N - 6 = 9$. The key observation is that if we find ten Euclidean distances that form a point set structure, and the cost function for this structure and these distances is zero, then we have found a unique substructure. We call a zero cost correct substructure with ten distances and five sites a *core*. If the distance list was non-degenerate, then with high probability, this core is a correct substructure of the target structure. We may then build up from the core iteratively to find the complete structure. At each step we have an existing, correct substructure. We then add one site and search for four edges that are compatible with the new node and with four nodes that are in the existing structure. The addition of one site and three edges is an isostatic addition, while the addition of one site and four edges is overconstrained. If we find four edges compatible with one additional site then, with high probability, this site is part of the target structure.

In practice, to construct a core (Fig. 4.1) we choose the smallest bond as the “base bond”. We then test all the bond combinations using the triangle inequality to generate

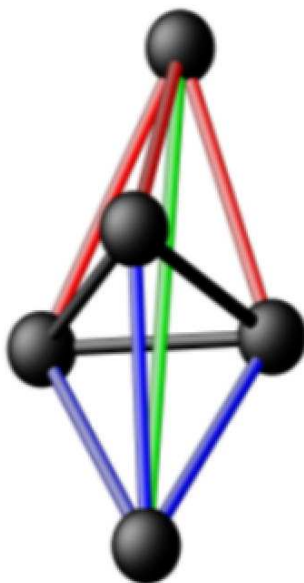


Figure 4.1: (color online) An example of a core. In 3D, it consists of 5 points. The points at the top and at the bottom are the apex points. The three points in the middle form the base triangle (in black). The base triangle along with the apex point at the bottom forms the base tetrahedron (in blue), while the base triangle along with the apex point at the top forms the top tetrahedron (in red). The vertical bond connecting the two apex points is the bridge (in green).

feasible tetrahedron pairs. This is performed in two steps, first we fix a tetrahedron as the “base tetrahedron” and then search through all other candidate (“top”) tetrahedra that share the same base triangle. After all the top tetrahedra have been exhausted then a new base tetrahedron is selected and the process continues. For every tetrahedron pair we calculate the length of the bond that connects the two apex points, which we call the bridge bond. The length of the bridge in the candidate core is tested against the lengths in the distance list. If the candidate bridge length matches an unused distance in the distance list, we have found a core.

In the buildup procedure, we try to add more sites to the core. The addition of a site consists of generating candidate top tetrahedra using the base triangle and three distances from the distance list. After we place this site, we carry out bridge testing to determine

whether the structure has zero strain energy. While core finding requires a search over all possible base and top tetrahedra, buildup requires only a search through top tetrahedra as the base tetrahedron is a known part of the structure. Consequently, buildup requires significantly fewer computations than core finding.

Our Tribond implementation of the above procedure for the unassigned PD-IP algorithm may be summarized as follows:

We are given the sorted distance list $\{d_l\}$ with the number of nodes in the network N . (The target network is generated by randomly placing N points in a cubic box with side of length N .) We start with an empty set, then

A. Core finding procedure

1. Choose the shortest bond as the base bond and a window (subset) of $W = 10$ smallest entries in the distance list for the core finding search.
2. Iterate over all triangles constructed with the triangle inequality that have the same base bond using distances in the window W and generate tetrahedra.
3. Search over all pairs of the feasible tetrahedra generated above and calculate the bridge bond. Using a binary search, test if there is an unused distance that matches the bridge bond. If such a value is found, we have a core. Remove the edges used from the distance list and exit.
4. Increment W by 10 and return to (1), making sure not to retest bond combinations.

B. Buildup procedure

1. Search over all sets of three edges from the distance list to find a set compatible with the base tetrahedron in the existing structure. Search over the distance list to test the bridge bond.
2. If successful, remove from the distance list the edges that are used in connecting the newly added node. If size of reconstructed structure is $< N$, return to previous step and resume the search.

A coarse upper bound on the computational time for this procedure consists of two parts: (i) the time to find the core; (ii) the time to carry out the buildup procedure. The number of unique cores in the point set is $\binom{N}{5}$, the number of ways of choosing 5 sites from N total sites. The number of ways of choosing ten distances from the set of $M = N(N - 1)/2$ distances is $\binom{M}{10}$. If we had done a brute force search then we would find a core in computational time $\tau_{core} \sim \binom{M}{10} / \binom{N}{5} \sim N^{15}$. Similarly, using brute force for the buildup would take a computational time that scales as $\tau_{buildup} \sim \binom{M}{4} \sim N^8$. This clearly shows that the brute force approach is polynomial, although a high order one.

The simple methods we have developed reduce the computational time significantly from the coarse upper bounds of the last paragraph. The key observation is that many of the distances in the distance list violate the triangle inequality $d_1 + d_2 \geq d_3$. A large fraction of the computational time in a brute force search is spent exploring these trivially inconsistent distance combinations. If we fix the base bond and the bridge bond is found using binary search, using simple combinatorial arguments $\tau_{core} \sim \binom{M}{8} \ln(N) / \binom{N}{3} \sim N^{13} \ln(N)$. For a triangle with base bond a and second side b , the range of values for third side c is $(b - a, b + a)$. So a larger base bond requires a much larger range of feasible values for the third side and,

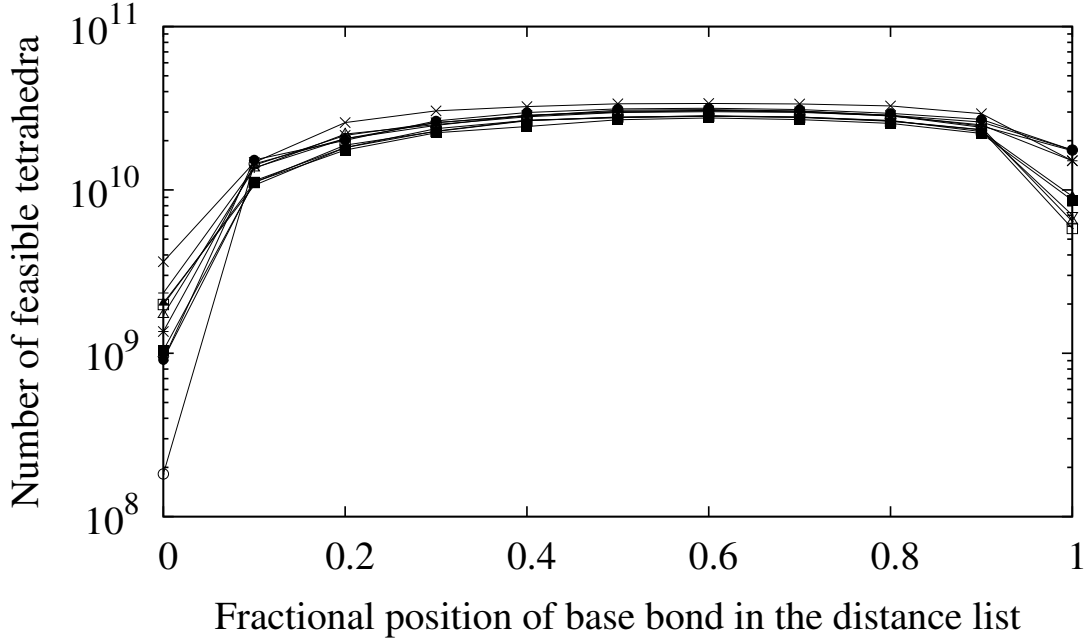


Figure 4.2: Number of feasible tetrahedra using the bonds from a given distance list go up when we choose a larger bond as base for the base triangle. Statistically, using the shortest bond in the distance list as the base bond leads us to the core in the shortest time. This plot shows data from runs using 10 different structures with $N = 20$.

hence, the number of feasible triangles and tetrahedra increases. But the actual number of triangles and tetrahedra in the target structure is the same for any choice of base bond. This is seen in Fig. 4.2, where the number of feasible tetrahedra increases with fractional position of the base bond in the distance list. Hence, statistically, we find a core in the least time if we choose the shortest bond as our base.

Distances are also more likely to satisfy the triangle inequality if they are drawn from a list of comparable, rather than disparate, lengths. Since the base bond is short, a core is more likely to be found quickly by searching over other short distances first (the small-core hypothesis, Fig. 4.3), and including longer distances only as necessary. This is implemented as a window of the W shortest distances in the distance list, and increased periodically as core finding proceeds. Of the ten bonds in the core, the base is fixed, eight are drawn from

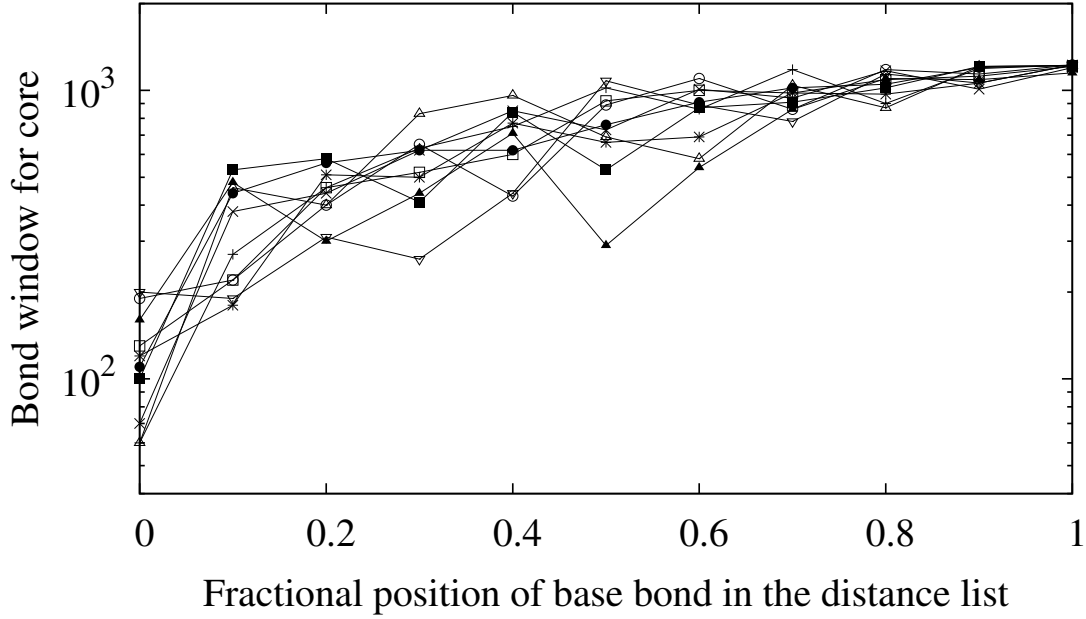


Figure 4.3: Empirical example of the small-core hypothesis. The hypothesis states that there exists a core where at least 9 of the 10 total bonds are drawn from a relatively small window of the shortest bonds in the structure. Varying the base bond’s fractional position in the distance list for ten different $N = 50$ structures, core finding shows that using the smallest distance as the base bond reduces the typical size of the window required to find a core by an order of magnitude.

the window and the bridge bond need not be in the window. It is observed that for small structures, a window of size $W \sim N$ is usually sufficient to find a core. Therefore, typical computation time is $\tau_{core} \sim \binom{N}{8} \ln(N) \sim N^8 \ln(N)$.

From these arguments, supported by Fig. 4.2 and Fig. 4.3, we expect that using the smallest bond as the base will lead to the core finding and buildup in a much shorter time. Fig. 4.4 shows the improvement is about 2 orders of magnitude.

Attempting to find the core for large point sets ($N > 10$) frequently leads to bad cores. Bad cores are overconstrained substructures whose distances are part of the given distance list within a given numerical tolerance, but the substructure is not present in the target structure. This occurs due to finite tolerance when checking for the bridge bond and also finite precision

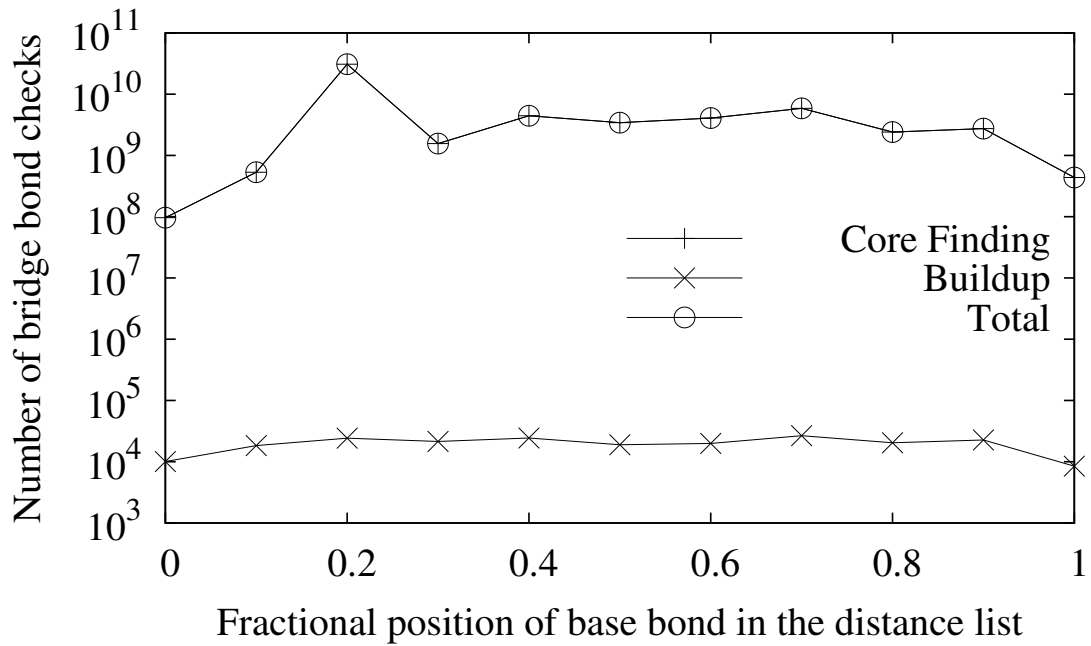


Figure 4.4: Figure illustrating the effect of base bond size on the computational cost (bridge bond checks) of reconstruction for $N = 10$. The plots for the total and core finding steps are nearly indistinguishable because the core finding is orders of magnitude more expensive than buildup. If the smallest bond is chosen as the base, the total computational cost of reconstruction is nearly 2 orders of magnitude lower than larger bonds.

while placing the points using triangulation. Triangles with both small and large distances are likely to have small angles, resulting in a greater loss of numerical precision. A base bond of intermediate length would limit this loss, but is not sufficient to forsake the performance benefits of a small base bond previously outlined. Instead, we try to use all 10 bonds (in the core) as the base bond and check if the corresponding bridge bond is valid or not. We only take cores for which the bridge bond is valid in all of the 10 cases. This check is very good at identifying bad cores.

A structure comparison routine provides another test for bad cores by overlaying the points in the reconstructed structure ($\vec{r}$) with the points in the target structure ($\vec{R}$) and calculates an overlay error,

$$\epsilon_{overlay} = \sum_i |\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}_i|^2. \quad (4.1)$$

This error tells us if a given (sub)structure is part of the target structure. This proves useful for testing purposes only, as in principle the latter remains unknown. It is also used to verify the correctness of the final structure.

If the buildup step fails to add any points after looping over a certain number of bonds from the distance list, likely due to a bad core, then we discard the substructure. We resume the core finding step and attempt another buildup from a new core. This heuristic helps identify probable bad cores efficiently.

It is important to choose an appropriate tolerance when checking if the bridge bond is part of the distance list. Using a very loose tolerance leads to a large number of bad cores. On the other hand, using a very tight tolerance excludes good cores, due to finite precision when carrying out the triangulation to place the points in our substructure. We use floating point numbers for the input distances which have an accuracy of 18 digits. We found that a relative

tolerance of 10^{-12} is optimal to retain good cores and filter out bad ones. When trying to place points which are nearly collinear to the base bond a loss of precision is observed due to small angles, as discussed earlier. In such situations we relax the tolerance when checking for the bridge bond.

To check the validity of a new point while doing buildup, in addition to the bridge bond check, we check 10 additional distances that it creates with the points already in the substructure. Only if these are part of the distance list does the new point get added to the structure. The 4 bond lengths (three from the new tetrahedron created and the fourth is the bridge) that were used are removed from further reconstruction. This reduces the list of available distances by 4. After placing the n^{th} point, updating all $(n - 1)$ distances created between the new point and the points already in the substructure reduces the number of available distances substantially. However, due to the computational cost of this update procedure, we see only a small speedup in the buildup routine.

If after buildup, the structure has fewer than the desired number of points (N), we relax the tolerance for the bridge bond checks and rerun the procedure. If the structure remains incomplete, we choose a different bond as the base bond and attempt another buildup. After reconstruction, we calculate the distance error, which is based on the agreement between the given distance list and the distances derived from the final structure.

The Tribond algorithm ran for $N = 6, 7, 8, \dots, 12$ and the computational cost was measured in a system-independent manner by counting the number of bridge bond checks while placing a point in both the core finding and buildup steps (Fig. 4.5). The time required for buildup is several orders of magnitude less than that for core finding. As core finding is computationally very expensive, complete reconstruction was attempted only for small structures. Assuming that the core is given, buildup was attempted for larger structures

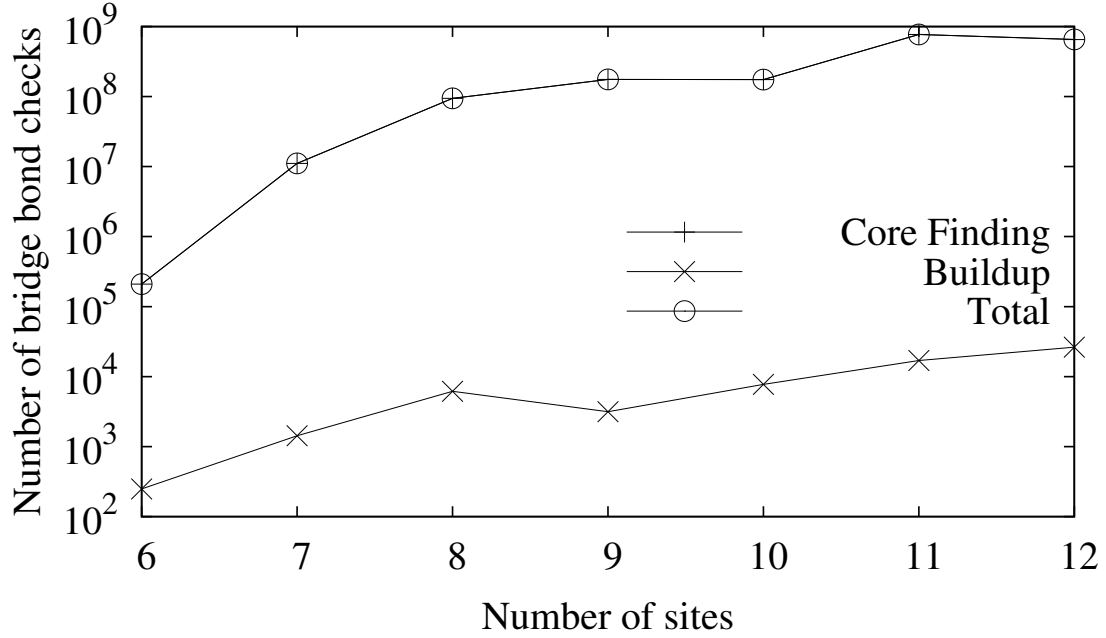


Figure 4.5: Experimental results for a series of reconstructions from distances lists generated from random point sets in three dimensions. The computational cost (bridge bond checks) for finding the core, performing buildup and their total is presented as a function of the number of points. The plots for the total and core finding steps are nearly indistinguishable because core finding takes orders of magnitude more time than buildup. Each point on the plots is the median value from 10 different instances of random point sets.

having size $N = 25, 50, 75, 100$. The timing results are shown in Fig. 4.6.

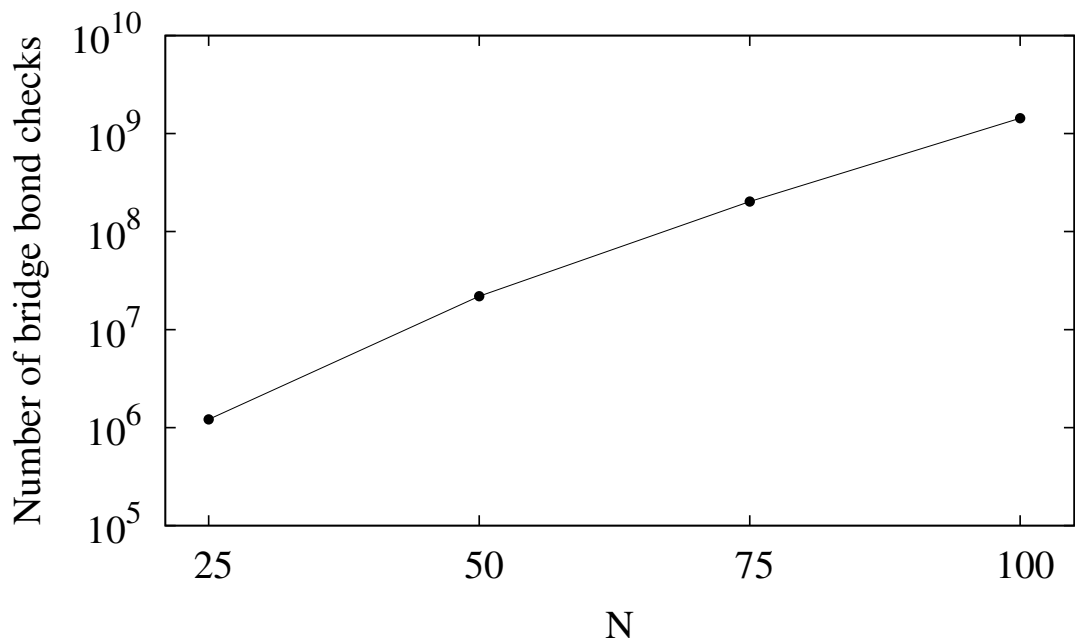


Figure 4.6: Experimental results for a series of reconstructions from distances lists generated from random point sets in three dimensions. The computational cost (bridge bond checks) for performing buildup is presented as a function of the number of points. Each point on the plots is the average over 10 different instances of random point sets. We find that the buildup time scales as $\tau_{buildup} \sim N^{4.98}$.

4.2 Applications

Tribond 3D was used to solve the structure of some well known organic molecules and the results were compared with those from the Liga algorithm. While Liga was able to do the complete reconstruction for 19 structures, Tribond was able to do so for 14 of them. If a starting 5 atom structure is given, then Tribond is successful in reconstructing 56 structures, while Liga can only reconstruct only 21. These organic molecules have a large number of unique distances and are of intermediate symmetry. Hence, Tribond is more successful in doing the buildup as compared to Liga.

Tribond first attempted core finding and buildup for 48 hours. If the core finding step

did not succeed, then only the buildup was attempted for 2 hours.

Table 4.1: The following table lists the results, where success is denoted by 1 and failure by 0. CF stands for core finding and BU for buildup.

structure	N	Liga-BU	Liga	Tribond-CF	Tribond-BU	Tribond
2me-3ane	14	1	1	1	1	1
adrenln	24	0	0	0	1	0
alanine	13	1	1	0	0	0
arginine	27	0	0	0	1	0
asa	21	0	0	0	1	0
asparagine	17	0	0	0	1	0
aspartate	15	0	0	0	1	0
aspirin	21	0	0	0	1	0
b-10ane	47	0	0	0	1	0
b-11ane	71	0	0	0	1	0
borane01	44	0	0	0	1	0
butane-a	14	1	1	1	1	1
butane-e	14	1	1	1	1	1
butane-g	14	1	1	1	1	1
caffeine	24	0	0	0	1	0
carboplatin	23	0	0	0	1	0
cdecalin	28	0	0	0	1	0
cholicac	69	0	0	0	1	0
cisplatin	11	1	1	1	1	1
cubane	16	1	1	0	1	0
cy-5ane	15	0	0	1	1	1
cystine	14	1	0	0	1	0
d-7ane	32	0	0	0	1	0
ethane	8	1	1	1	1	1
ethanol	9	1	1	1	1	1
glutamate	19	0	0	0	1	0
glutamine	20	0	0	0	0	0
glycine	10	1	1	1	1	1
heptane	23	1	1	0	1	0
histidine	20	0	0	0	1	0
i-cy5ane	21	0	0	0	1	0
isoleucine	22	0	0	0	0	0
leucine	22	0	0	0	1	0
lsd	49	0	0	0	1	0
lysine	25	0	0	0	1	0
menthol	31	0	0	0	1	0
methane	5	1	1	1	1	1

Table 4.1 (cont'd).

structure	N	Liga-BU	Liga	Tribond-CF	Tribond-BU	Tribond
methanol	6	1	1	1	1	1
methionine	20	0	0	0	0	0
mustardgas	15	1	1	0	1	0
nicotine	26	0	0	0	1	0
octane	26	1	1	0	1	0
pbpc	41	0	0	0	1	0
pentane	17	1	1	1	1	1
phenylalanine	23	0	0	0	0	0
piperine	43	0	0	0	1	0
proline	17	0	0	0	1	0
propane	11	1	1	1	1	1
qcyclene	15	0	0	0	1	0
quinine	48	0	0	0	1	0
r2bu-ts	31	0	0	0	1	0
rr-tacid	16	0	0	0	1	0
rs-tacid	16	0	0	0	1	0
s34ane	22	0	0	0	1	0
serine	14	1	0	0	1	0
srdimecp	15	0	0	0	1	0
ssdimecp	15	0	0	1	1	1
threonine	17	0	0	0	1	0
tnt	21	0	0	0	1	0
transplatin-hack	11	1	1	0	1	0
tryptophan	27	0	0	0	1	0
tyrosine	24	0	0	0	1	0
valine	19	0	0	0	0	0
valium	33	0	0	0	1	0
vanillin	19	1	1	0	0	0
total		21	19	14	56	14

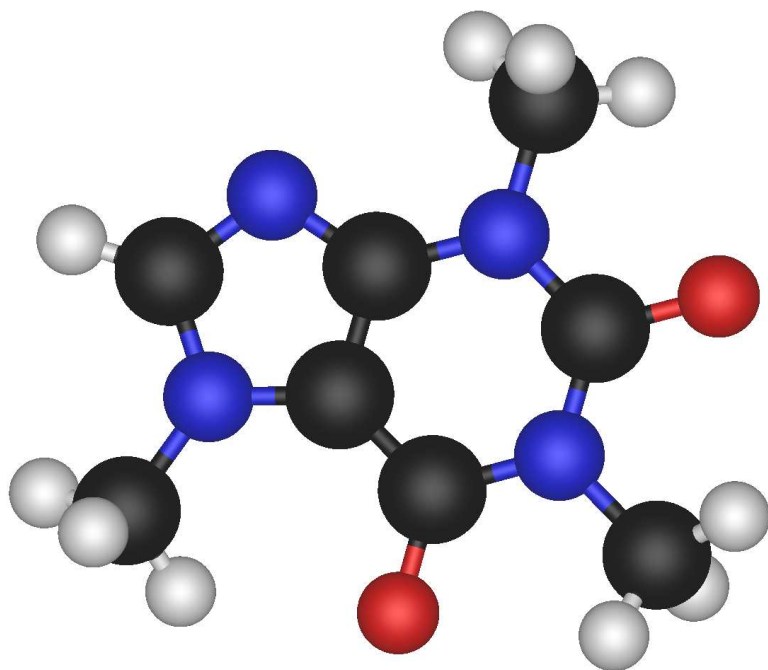
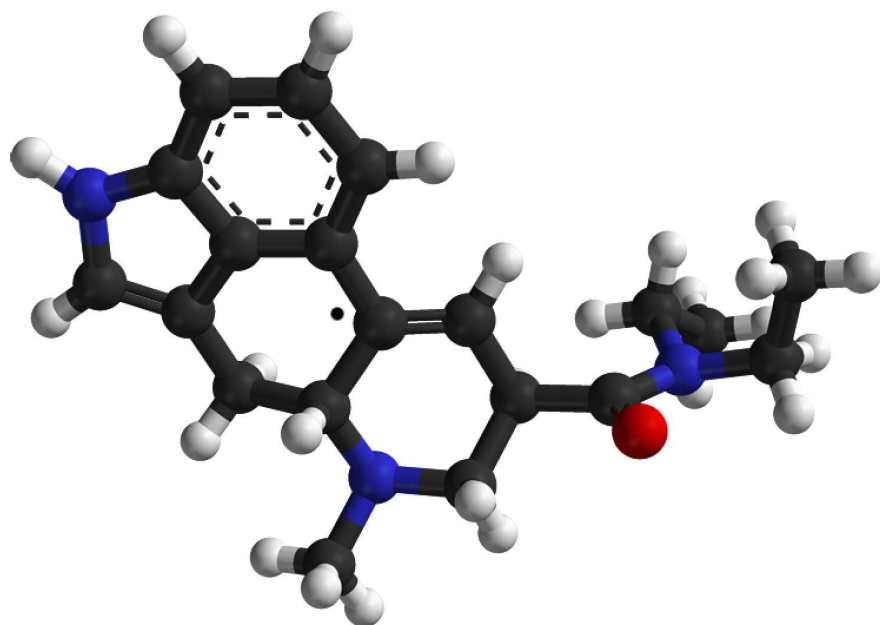


Figure 4.7: Buildup for LSD (top) and Caffeine (bottom) molecules was done in 48.9 seconds and 2.1 seconds respectively.

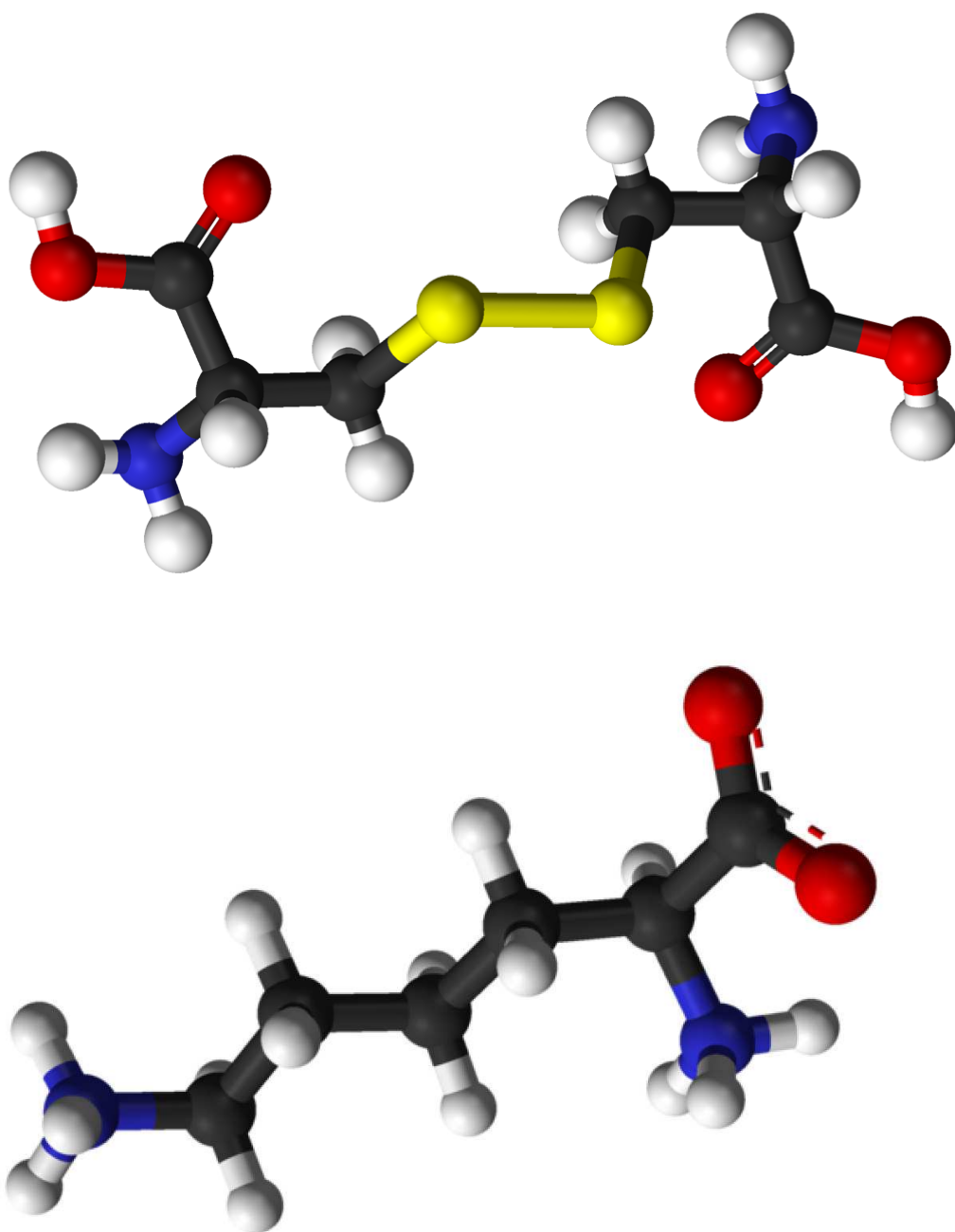


Figure 4.8: Buildup for Cystine (top) and Lysine (bottom) molecules was done in 0.24 seconds and 2.8 seconds respectively.

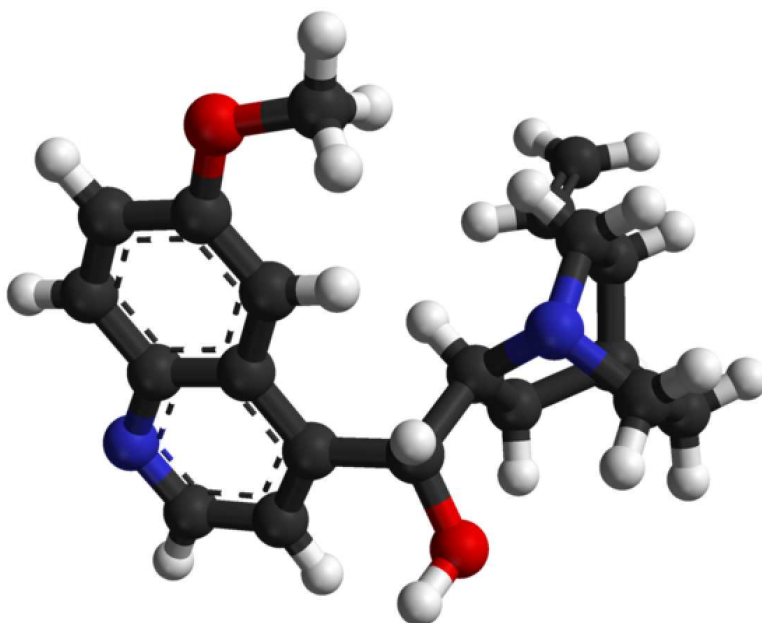


Figure 4.9: Buildup for Quinine molecule was done in 84.4 seconds.

4.2.1 Reconstruction from an imprecise distance list

Thus far distances have been known to a precision of about 18 digits, such that in our trials substructures are indistinguishable (to within a very small tolerance) to those consistent with a theoretical distance list of infinite precision. When we have an imprecise distance list, many small sub structures may be consistent with the distance list, though they may not be part of the target structure. The inverse problem under these conditions is significantly more challenging, both theoretically and practically. We have attempted to address structure buildup from a known core with an imprecise distance list in the case of random point sets. The modification of the original buildup algorithm described in Section 4.1 is as follows.

Assume a known substructure that serves as the core (seed) for reconstruction. The modified buildup step (adding a point) now has multiple stages; it uses a pool of candidate points which have low error with respect to the current substructure, and adds the two candidates

which jointly lead to the lowest cost substructure. Because the pool examines many possible ways to grow the substructure, the likelihood of adding bad points is reduced. Adding two points at once is justified empirically, as this appeared to make the most acceptable trade off between success and run-time. The detailed steps follow.

1. Define an empty pool that saves the coordinates of $k_1 \leq 20$ candidate points to add to the current substructure. Associated with each candidate is the cost of the new substructure if that point were added. Populate the pool with candidate points. First, randomly choose a triangle in the current substructure. Generate all tetrahedra using distances from the distance list which share the chosen triangle. Calculate the cost for each candidate point (the new vertices). If this cost is below a user-defined threshold add it to the pool, and if the pool exceeds its maximum size remove the worst candidate. The threshold significantly improves runtime without affecting the final structure.
2. Randomly choose another triangle in the current substructure and generate a new pool of size $k_2 \leq 20$ as described above.
3. Select the best candidates from either pool to make a combined pool with $k \leq 20$ points.
4. Calculate the pair cost for adding 2 candidates to the current substructure for each of the $\binom{k}{2}$ possible pairs.
5. Add the 2 candidates with least pair cost to the substructure. If its size is less than target size then go to step 1.

The results can be seen in Fig. 4.10, which shows the minimum core size needed to reconstruct structures of size $N = 9, 17$ and 25 for different values of the precision (P) of the

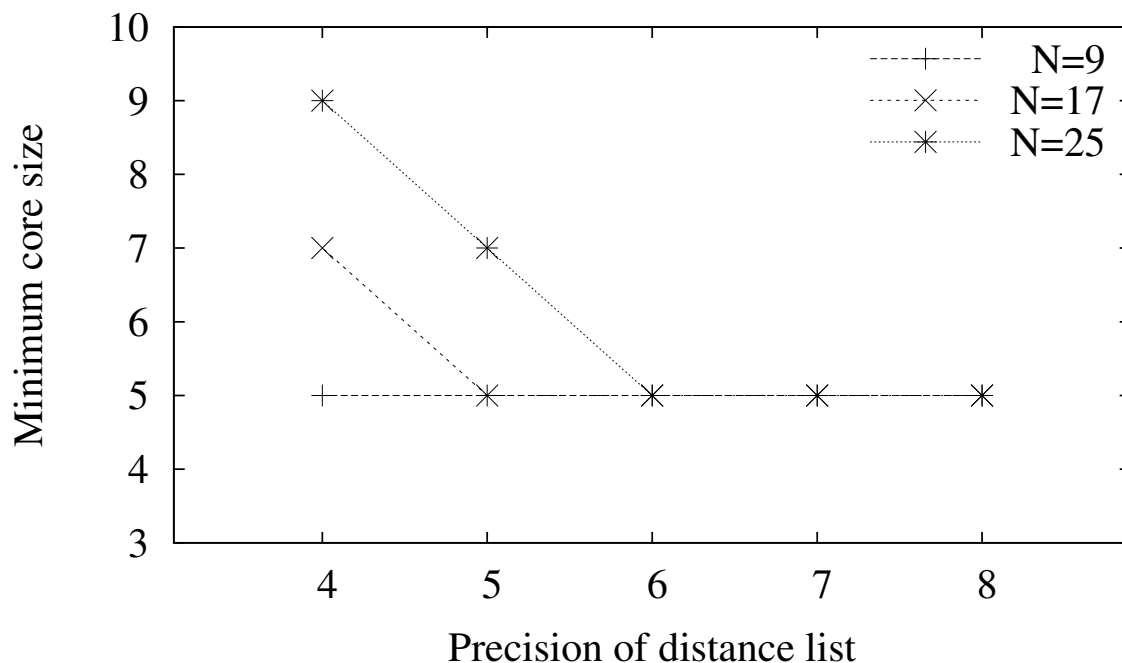


Figure 4.10: Plot of minimum core size vs precision of the input distance list for $N = 9, 17$ and 25 . We can see that a bigger core is needed for a less precise distance list. The typical run time for $N = 9, 17, 25$ was about 1 second, 20 minutes and 15 hours respectively, on a computer with a 2.2 GHz processor and 2 GB of memory.

input distance list. The criterion for success was that the algorithm successfully reconstructs at least 5 of 10 different random point sets. It can be seen that as the distances become less precise, a core of a larger size is needed for successful reconstruction.

A notable case with imprecise distances is the PDF of nanostructured materials, which can give distance lists with uncertainties of order $0.01\text{\AA}$. For a typical nanoparticle of size $\sim 15\text{\AA}$, this means the input distances from experimental data will have 3-4 digits of precision and the algorithm is a promising approach. Future work will involve working on an algorithm that can better deal with missing, incorrect or less precise distances. Chemical information like the presence of functional groups (aromatic rings, etc) can serve as a core and also help construct the larger core necessary for buildup in the case of less precise distances. Some approaches to these issues are discussed in the context of reconstructing high symmetry

nanostructures from experimental PDF data using the Liga algorithm [28, 29, 30]. A hybrid approach using Tribond (low symmetry) and Liga (high symmetry) could potentially solve structures of intermediate symmetry.

4.3 Summary

In this chapter, the details of the Tribond 3D algorithm for the reconstruction of low symmetry structures represented by random point sets were presented. The Tribond 3D algorithm consists of two steps: core finding and buildup. The core is the smallest substructure with at least one over-constrained bond and is of size 5 in three dimensions. Choosing the smallest bond as the base bond for reconstruction had a dramatic improvement in performance. Computational cost of core finding was orders of magnitude more than buildup. Tribond 3D was able to reconstruct random point sets in 3 dimensions of size about ten in a short amount of time and if the core is assumed to be given it is able to complete the reconstruction for structures with size $N = 100$ in about 2 hours on a desktop computer. A modified approach was presented for the buildup step with less precise data and given a known substructure. As precision decreases, it is clear that we need a substructure of larger size, underscoring the importance of the core finding step.

Chapter 5

Statistical physics of the optimal Golomb ruler

In this chapter, a statistical physics approach to the combinatorial optimization problem of the optimal Golomb ruler (OGR) is taken and the resulting phase transition is studied.

5.1 Statistical mechanics formulation

We define the Golomb lattice gas on a chain of length L , where each site $i = 1, 2, \dots, L$ of the chain has a lattice gas variable y_i that may take the values zero or one. If $y_i = 1$ the site i is occupied while if $y_i = 0$ it is unoccupied. For example one of the two degenerate $n = 4$ OGR states has marker set $\{m\} = \{0, 1, 4, 6\}$. The lattice gas representation of this OGR is a chain of length $L = 7$, with site occupancies $\{y_i\} = \{1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1\}$. We introduce the Golomb lattice gas Hamiltonian which consists of a chemical potential term and an energy term associated with the Golomb ruler constraints.

$$H_1 = -\mu \sum_i^L y_i + \gamma \sum_{j \neq i, l \neq k}^l y_i y_j y_k y_l \delta(|j - i| - |l - k|). \quad (5.1)$$

The chemical potential (μ) is the amount by which the energy of the system would change if an additional site were occupied. The first term tries to maximize the density of our lattice

gas. The prime on the second sum indicates that degenerate cases where both $j = l$ and $i = k$ are omitted. The second term imposes the Golomb ruler constraints that the distances between occupied sites should be non-degenerate. The parameter γ tunes the constraint energy and in the limit $\gamma/\mu \rightarrow \infty$, and at low temperature, OGR states are the ground states of this Hamiltonian. This is due to the fact that OGR states make no contribution to the constraint energy, while the lowest energy state has the highest density, ensuring the optimal energy from the chemical potential term.

An alternative formulation is to define a distance degeneracy function, $D(d)$, in terms of the occupancy variables y_i through,

$$D(d) = \sum_i y_i y_{i+d}$$

that gives the number of times a distance, d , appears in a marker set $\{m\}$. It is clear that we have the property $\sum_d D(d) = n(n+1)/2$. Moreover we also have,

$$\sum_d [D(d)]^2 \geq n(n+1)/2$$

where equality holds *iff* the distances satisfy the uniqueness condition. The uniqueness condition is then imposed by the equation,

$$\sum_d [D(d)]^2 = n(n+1)/2 = \sum_d D(d)$$

This motivates introduction of an alternative energy function,

$$E_2 = \sum_d \left[(D(d))^2 - D(d) \right]$$

This energy or cost function is always a positive integer or zero, with zero being correct for OGR marker sets. This leads to the lattice gas Hamiltonian,

$$H_2 = -\mu \sum_{i=1}^L y_i + \gamma_2 \sum_{d=1}^{L-1} \left[(D(d))^2 - D(d) \right]$$

which in lattice gas variables is,

$$H_2 = -\mu \sum_{i=1}^L y_i + \gamma_2 \sum_{d=1}^{L-1} \left(\sum_i y_i y_{i+d} \right) \left(\sum_i y_i y_{i+d} - 1 \right) \quad (5.2)$$

It is easy to show that the Hamiltonians obtained in two different ways are indeed equivalent. In Eq. 5.1 the second summand can be broken into 2 parts: one exhaustive counting over all possible index combinations and the other part which subtracts off the binary terms.

$$\sum'_{j \neq i, l \neq k} = \sum_{i, j, k, l} - \sum_{j=i, l=k}$$

The term with the binaries leads to the factor of -1 in Eq. 5.2. In Eq. 5.2 let $j = i + d$, and $k = i$, $l = k + d$, thus we have $l = k + j - i$. The -1 term is for the binaries which has to be subtracted off because they are the cases where $(i, j) = (k, l)$. The difference of the summands will give us the second summand in Eq. 5.1.

In the low temperature limit and with $\gamma \rightarrow 0$ the chemical potential is the only term and the sites are all occupied so the density $\rho = \sum_i \langle y_i \rangle / L = 1$. At high temperatures, entropy is maximized as empty and occupied sites occur with equal probability so that $\rho = 1/2$. Three limiting states of the Golomb lattice gas are then: (i) The dense phase $\rho = 1$, (ii) the high temperature phase $\rho = 1/2$ and (iii) the OGR state occurring at low temperatures and as $\gamma/\mu \rightarrow \infty$. The mean field analysis also confirms these three limiting

states. In the OGR phase, the density approaches zero in the large lattice limit. The way in which it approaches zero can be estimated based on probabilistic reasoning as follows. Define the probability that both sites i and j are occupied to be D_{ij} . This probability can be related to the probability that any other pair of sites (k, l) share the same distance through,

$$D_{ij} = \prod_k (1 - D_{k, j+k-i})$$

Within a uniform approximation, this reduces to $D = (1 - D)^L$, or $D^{1/L} = e^{\ln D/L} = 1 - D$. Solving to leading order gives, $D \sim 1/L$. Since average density is $\rho = n/L$ and $D \sim \rho^2$, we have $(n/L)^2 \sim 1/L$, so that $n \sim L^{1/2}$, which is consistent with rigorous bounds derived from analysis of Sidon sets [47]. A rigorous upper bound on the length of optimal Golomb rulers, $m_n \leq n(n+1)$, indicates that the density of the high constraint ground state goes to zero at large L as $\rho_{OGR} \propto a/L^{1/2}$. Now we explore the statistical physics of the Hamiltonian using an effective medium approach that contains the exact OGR state as a limiting solution.

5.2 Mean field approach

The Golomb lattice gas mean field theory is developed in the usual way, by writing $y_i = \rho_i + \delta y_i$, where $\delta y_i = y_i - \rho_i$ is the fluctuation and $\rho_i = \langle y_i \rangle$ is the average density at site i . Substitute this into Eq. 5.1.

$$H_{MF} = -\mu \sum_i (\rho_i + \delta y_i) + \gamma \sum_{j \neq i, l \neq k}^l (\rho_i + \delta y_i)(\rho_j + \delta y_j)(\rho_k + \delta y_k)(\rho_l + \delta y_l) \delta(|j-i| - |l-k|)$$

Now, keep terms having δy_i and ignore higher order terms.

$$H_{MF} = -\mu \sum_i (\rho_i + \delta y_i) + \gamma \sum_{j \neq i, l \neq k}^I (\rho_i \rho_j \rho_k \rho_l + \rho_j \rho_k \rho_l \delta y_i + \rho_i \rho_k \rho_l \delta y_j + \rho_i \rho_j \rho_l \delta y_k + \rho_i \rho_j \rho_k \delta y_l) \delta(|j-i| - |l-k|)$$

Then substitute $\delta y_i = y_i - \rho_i$ to get an equation which only has terms in y_i and ρ_i .

$$H_{MF} = -\mu \sum_i y_i + \gamma \sum_{j \neq i, l \neq k}^I (-3\rho_i \rho_j \rho_k \rho_l + y_i \rho_j \rho_k \rho_l + y_j \rho_i \rho_k \rho_l + y_k \rho_i \rho_j \rho_l + y_l \rho_i \rho_j \rho_k) \delta(|j-i| - |l-k|)$$

Using the symmetry of the variables, we get the following equation.

$$H_{MF} = -\mu \sum_i y_i + \gamma \sum_i (4y_i - 3\rho_i) \alpha_i \quad (5.3)$$

where

$$\alpha_i = \sum_{j \neq i, l \neq k}^I \rho_j \rho_k \rho_{j+k-i}. \quad (5.4)$$

Alternatively

$$H_{MF} = \sum_i H_i, \quad (5.5)$$

where

$$H_i = -\mu y_i + \gamma (4y_i - 3\rho_i) \alpha_i. \quad (5.6)$$

The density at a site may then be found using

$$\rho_i = \langle y_i \rangle = \frac{\sum_{y_i} y_i e^{-\beta H_{MF}}}{\sum_{y_i} e^{-\beta H_{MF}}} \quad (5.7)$$

$$\rho_i = \frac{0 + e^{-\beta[-\mu + \gamma(4-3\rho_i)\alpha_i]}}{e^{-\beta[\gamma(-3\rho_i)\alpha_i]} + e^{-\beta[-\mu + \gamma(4-3\rho_i)\alpha_i]}} \quad (5.8)$$

yielding the Golomb lattice gas mean field equations,

$$\rho_i = \frac{e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma\alpha_i}}{1 + e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma\alpha_i}} \quad (5.9)$$

The partition function for a lattice site is given by

$$Z_i = \sum_{y_i=0,1} e^{-\beta H_i} = e^{-\beta[\gamma(-3\rho_i)\alpha_i]} + e^{-\beta[-\mu + \gamma(4-3\rho_i)\alpha_i]} \quad (5.10)$$

Please note that this is also the denominator in Eq. 5.8.

$$Z_i = e^{3\beta\gamma\rho_i\alpha_i} (1 + e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma\alpha_i}) \quad (5.11)$$

The Golomb lattice gas mean field free energy is given by

$$F = -kT \ln(Z) = -kT \ln\left(\prod_i Z_i\right) = -kT \sum_i \ln(Z_i) \quad (5.12)$$

$$F = -kT \sum_i \ln[e^{3\beta\gamma\rho_i\alpha_i} (1 + e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma\alpha_i})] \quad (5.13)$$

Hence, we get

$$F = -3\gamma \sum_i \rho_i \alpha_i - kT \sum_i \ln[1 + e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma\alpha_i}] \quad (5.14)$$

The mean field equations Eq. 5.4 and Eq. 5.9 are a coupled set of non-linear equations that have many metastable solutions at large γ/μ and at low temperatures. In this regime, the optimal or equilibrium state of the system is the lowest free energy solution to these equations. The fact that the exact ground state in the OGR regime is known, for $n \leq 26$, it enables a systematic study of the phase diagram and behavior of the MFT equations over the whole phase space.

Mean field theory may also be developed from Eq. 5.2, where a similar analysis leads to,

$$\rho_i = \frac{e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma_2\alpha'_i}}{1 + e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma_2\alpha'_i}}$$

or equivalently,

$$\rho_i = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-(\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma_2\alpha'_i)}} \quad (5.15)$$

where

$$\alpha'_i = \sum_d \left[2 \left(\sum_j \rho_j \rho_{j+d} \right) - 1 \right] (\rho_{i+d} + \rho_{i-d}) \quad (5.16)$$

with the constraints $i + d \leq L$, $i - d \geq 1$ on the quantities ρ_{i+d} and ρ_{i-d} respectively. We use Eq. 5.15 for ρ_i as it needs evaluating only one exponent. It is also more robust as the exponent will not overflow at low temperatures (when β becomes very large). If we look closely at Eq. 5.16, one can see that there are two nested summations to be carried out and α'_i (and hence ρ_i) computation has a $O(L^2)$ complexity. The innermost summation over j for a given value of d , $\left(\sum_j \rho_j \rho_{j+d} \right)$, only 3 terms change when doing the site updates. Hence we store the values for $\left(\sum_j \rho_j \rho_{j+d} \right)$ and use an intelligent update procedure instead of evaluating the entire sum every time. Trading memory for computational time we have an implementation that has a $O(L)$ complexity for α'_i calculation and $O(L^2)$ complexity for

one sweep of ρ_i .

We now try to solve Eq. 5.16 and Eq. 5.15 iteratively. If we do a sequential site update we find that it leads to a trivial oscillation between a fully occupied state with $n_i = 1$ and an unoccupied state with $n_i = 0$. Random site updates prevent this state from occurring. The Golomb lattice gas mean field free energy is given by

$$F = -k_b T \sum_i \ln \left[1 + e^{\beta\mu - 4\beta\gamma\alpha'_i} \right] - 3\gamma \sum_i \rho_i \alpha'_i. \quad (5.17)$$

Using the random site update procedure we obtain the results presented in Fig. 5.1. It exhibits a transition from a smooth dependence on γ/μ at low values of $\gamma/\mu < (\gamma/\mu)_c$ to an irregular behavior at higher values of $\gamma/\mu > (\gamma/\mu)_c$. Nevertheless, in both cases the steady solution we find ρ_i at long times is highly dependent on i so in all cases translational symmetry is broken. Moreover for $\gamma/\mu > (\gamma/\mu)_c$, the spatial variation in ρ_i is more extreme and consists of a large number of sites with $\rho_i = 0$, while for $\gamma/\mu < (\gamma/\mu)_c$ sites with $\rho_i = 0$ rarely occur. The trajectories of all sites for $\gamma/\mu > (\gamma/\mu)_c$ are asymmetrical as illustrated by a typical trace as shown in Fig. 5.2. We use the crossing points of the free energy curves and get the phase diagram as shown in Fig. 5.5. Fig. 5.3 gives the scaling behavior of the density in the symmetric phase. In the next section we do an scaling calculations and see that it is close to what is observed in our simulations.

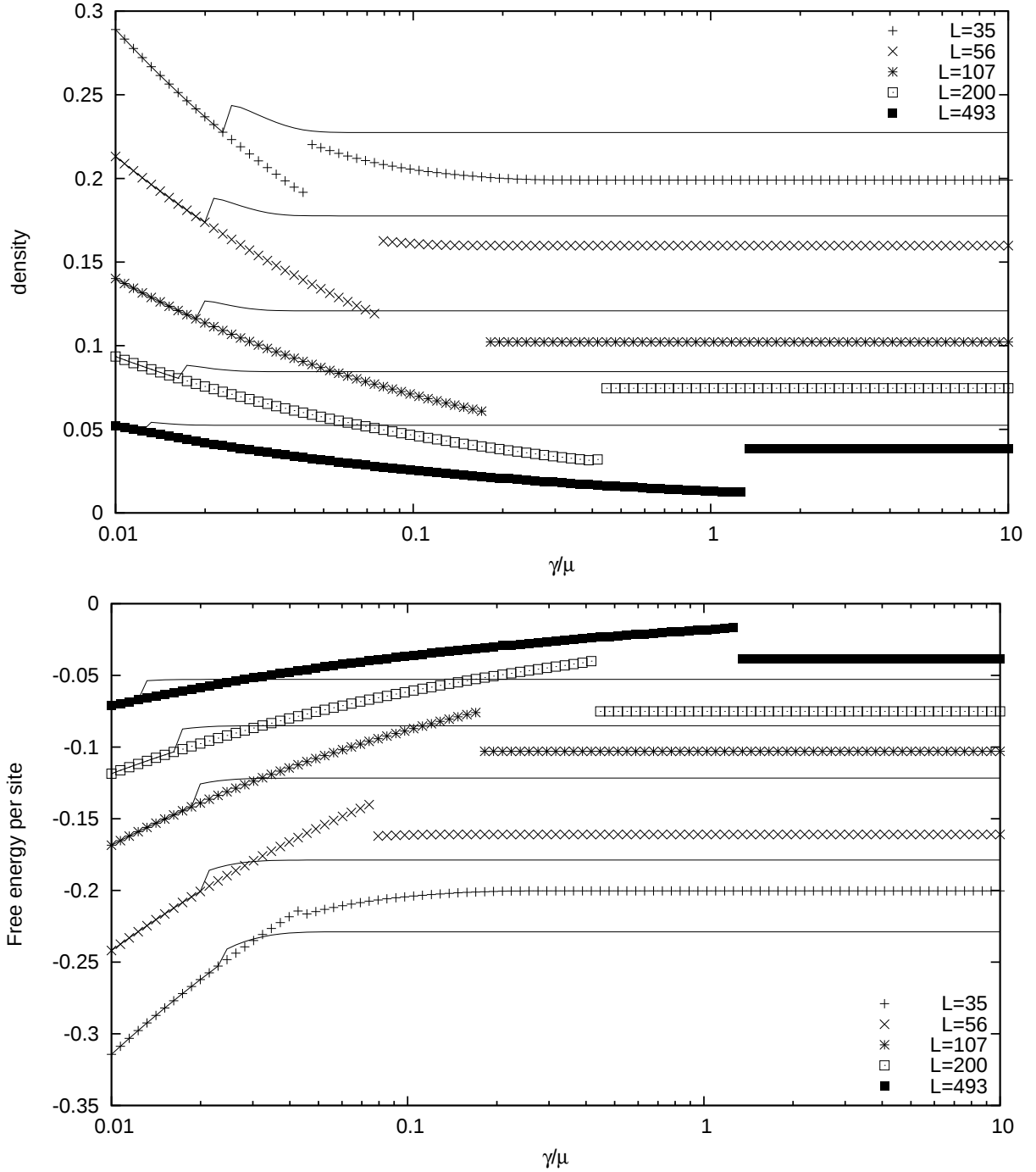


Figure 5.1: Density (top figure) and free energy per site (bottom figure) as a function of γ/μ for $T = 0.2$ and $L = 35, 56, 107, 200, 493$. For each chain length two calculations obtained by iterating through the Golomb lattice gas mean field equations are presented. One trace represented by the symbols is obtained by starting at $\gamma/\mu = 0.01$, choosing a uniform initial condition and then gradually increasing γ/μ . The solid lines are obtained by starting at $\gamma/\mu = 10$, choosing an exact OGR state as the initial condition and then gradually decreasing γ/μ . The mean field solutions are clearly strongly metastable. Though the spinodal lines are strongly size dependent the equilibrium transition is relatively size independent.

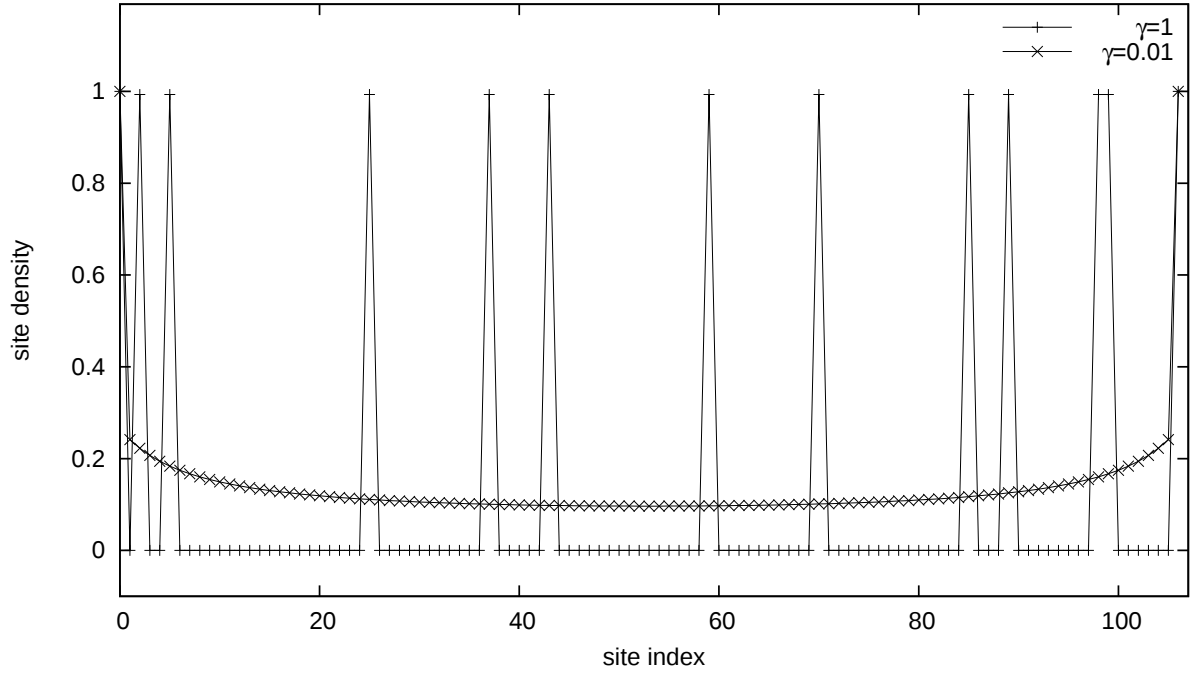


Figure 5.2: The symmetric (crosses) and symmetry broken (plusses) states of the mean field theory for $L = 107$, $T = 0.2$, $\gamma/\mu = 0.01$ and $\gamma/\mu = 1$.

5.3 Asymptotic analysis

5.3.1 Scaling

In the symmetric phase we can use a uniform approximation $\rho_i = \rho_s$ that is justified by Fig. 5.2 to give us an estimate for the free energy per site,

$$f_s \approx -\mu\rho_s + a\gamma L^2 \rho_s^4 + T[\rho_s \ln(\rho_s) + (1 - \rho_s) \ln(1 - \rho_s)]. \quad (5.18)$$

The optimal density is found from $\delta f / \delta \rho_s$, which gives,

$$-\mu + 4a\gamma L^2 \rho_s^3 + T[\ln(\rho_s) - \ln(1 - \rho_s)] = 0. \quad (5.19)$$

so that, when ρ_s is small we can ignore the $T\ln(1 - \rho_s)$ term to obtain,

$$\rho_s \approx \left(\frac{\mu - T\ln(\rho_s)}{4a\gamma L^2} \right)^{1/3}$$

As ρ is small but finite, when we are at sufficiently low temperatures we can also ignore the $T\ln(\rho_s)$ term. The value of a can be found by considering the sums in Eq. 5.1 and our estimate is $a = 1/3$. This gives us,

$$\rho_s = \left(\frac{3\mu}{4\gamma L^2} \right)^{1/3} \quad (5.20)$$

The density in the symmetric phase is then predicted to scale as $L^{-2/3}$ and is verified by numerical solutions of the mean field equations Eq. 5.15 and Eq. 5.16 at small values of γ/μ (please refer Fig. 5.3). If we use the above equation and substitute $\rho_s \sim L^{-2/3}$ into Eq. 5.18, we see that at low temperature free energy also has the same scaling behavior ($f_s \sim L^{-2/3}$). We rescale the free energy and it is plotted in bottom part of Fig. 5.4 where we can see that the curves overlap and they follow the same scaling behavior. At low γ/μ there is some deviation for the small rulers which is due to finite size effect and we can see that it matters less and less for large L .

5.3.2 Phase boundary

5.3.2.1 Low temperature

To find the phase boundary, we equate the free energy in the symmetric phase to the free energy of the asymmetric phase ($f_s = f_a$). To get f_s we substitute ρ_s from Eq. 5.20 into the low temperature free energy expression given in Eq. 5.18. In the asymmetric phase the

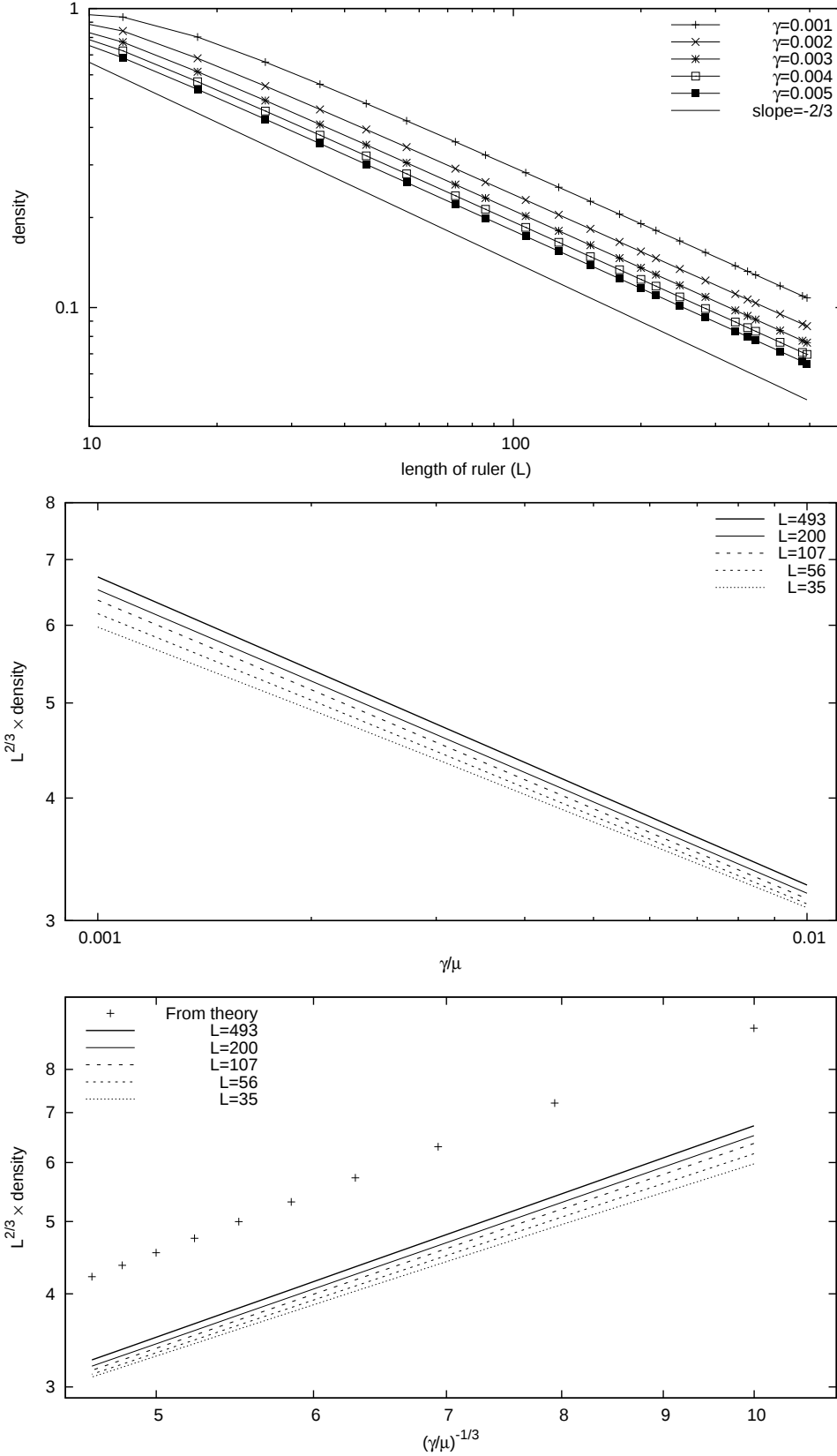


Figure 5.3: Finite size scaling behavior of the density in the symmetric phase for $T = 0.2$ and for different values of γ/μ . The line with slope $-2/3$ is the prediction from scaling theory given by Eq. 5.20.

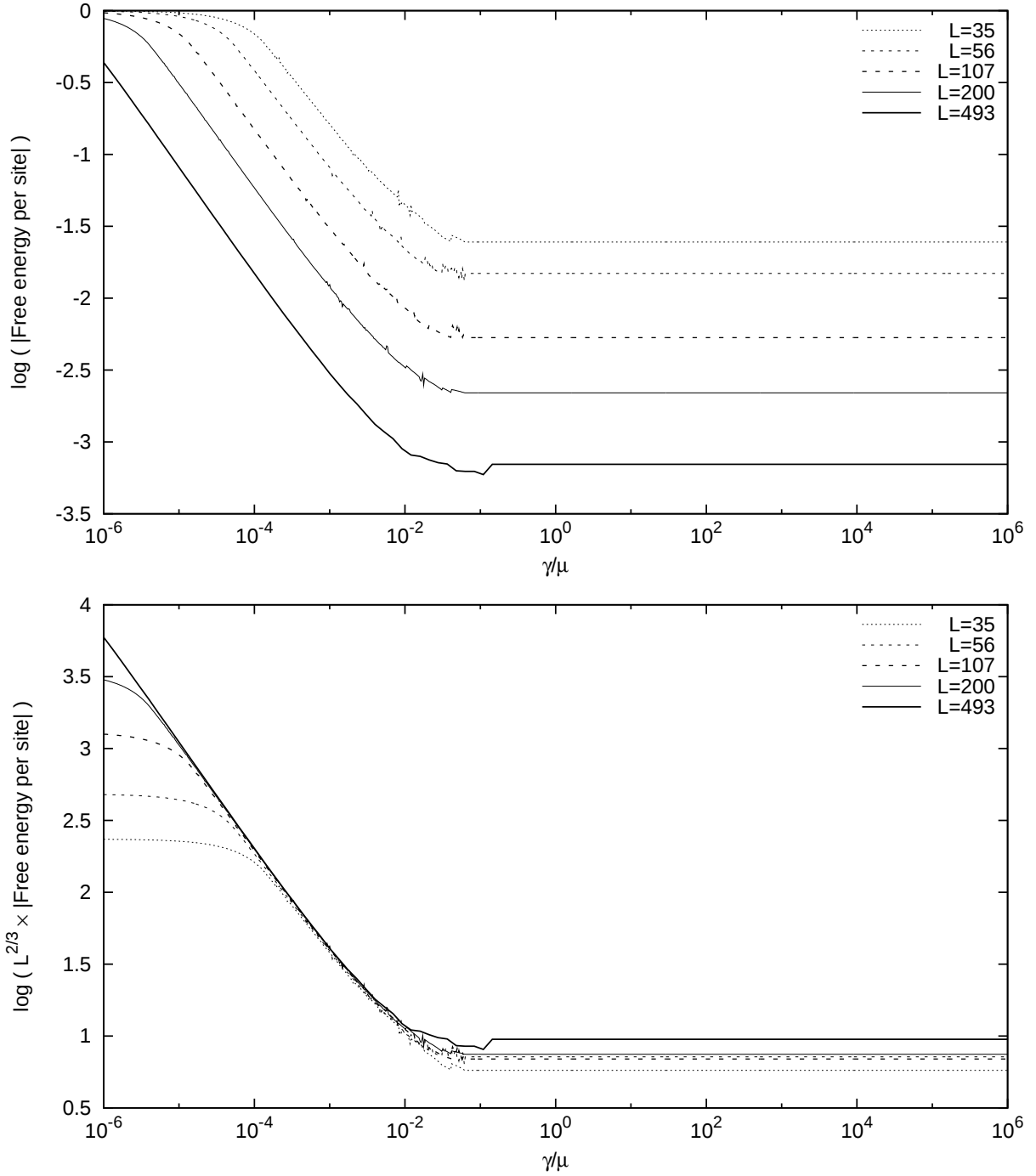


Figure 5.4: Rescaled free energy per site vs γ/μ for $T = 2 \times 10^{-6}$. At low γ/μ and large L , we can see that it follows a $L^{2/3}$ scaling.

ground state is the OGR state. From Eq. 5.1 we can see that the constraint energy is zero and we have $f_a = f_{OGR} = -\mu n_{OGR}/L$. At low temperatures we can ignore the contribution due to entropy and using $n_{OGR} \sim L^{1/2}$, we can get an estimate of the zero temperature phase boundary,

$$\left(\frac{\gamma}{\mu}\right)_c = \frac{81}{256} \frac{1}{L^{1/2}} \quad (5.21)$$

For $L = 493$ we get $(\gamma/\mu)_c = 0.014$ which is close to the intercept plotted in our phase diagram on a log log scale. If we make a plot of $(\gamma/\mu)_c$ vs $1/L$ (Fig. 5.7) and calculate the y- intercept for $T = 2 \times 10^{-6}$ we get $(\gamma/\mu)_c = 0.005$ which is close order of magnitude to what we have seen earlier.

5.3.2.2 High temperature

We start with Eq. 5.18 for the free energy per site in the symmetric phase. Eq. 5.19 gives us the optimal density,

$$-\mu + 4a\gamma L^2 \rho_s^3 + T \ln \left(\frac{\rho_s}{1 - \rho_s} \right) = 0.$$

At large T as ρ_s is small, we can use $\frac{\rho_s}{1 - \rho_s} \approx \rho_s$ and in the symmetric phase $\rho_s \sim \frac{1/2}{L^{2/3}}$, we get

$$-\mu + 4a\gamma L^2 \rho_s^3 - T \ln(2L^{2/3}) = 0$$

As $\mu = 1$, the first term is small compared to the other terms and we can ignore it to get

$$\rho_s^3 = \frac{T}{\gamma/\mu} \frac{\ln(2L^{2/3})}{4aL^2} \quad (5.22)$$

Now expanding the expression for the free energy per site Eq. 5.18 we get

$$f_s \approx -\mu\rho_s + a\gamma L^2 \rho_s^4 + T[\rho_s \ln(\rho_s) + \ln(1 - \rho_s) - \rho_s \ln(1 - \rho_s)]$$

$$f_s \approx -\mu\rho_s + a\gamma L^2 \rho_s^4 + T \left[\rho_s \ln \left(\frac{\rho_s}{1 - \rho_s} \right) + \ln(1 - \rho_s) \right]$$

Using $\frac{\rho_s}{1 - \rho_s} \approx \rho_s$ and $\rho_s \sim \frac{1/2}{L^{2/3}}$ as we did earlier,

$$f_s \approx -\mu\rho_s + a\gamma L^2 \rho_s \frac{1}{8L^2} + T \left[-\rho_s \ln(2L^{2/3}) + \ln(1 - \rho_s) \right] \quad (5.23)$$

When we start at high γ/μ and initialize the ruler with the OGR state then the number of possible states W for the ruler is given by $2^{n_{OGR}}$, where n_{OGR} is the number of marks in the optimal Golomb ruler for length L . At high temperature the individual density for occupied sites will be 0.5 and the entropy per site will be given by

$$s = \frac{1}{N} \ln(W) = \frac{1}{N} \ln(2^{n_{OGR}}) = \frac{n_{OGR}}{N} \ln(2) = 2\rho_a \ln(2) \quad (5.24)$$

Now the free energy per site in the asymmetric phase at large T when starting with the OGR state is given by

$$f_a = -\mu\rho_a - 2T\rho_a \ln(2) \quad (5.25)$$

Now equating f_s and f_a from Eq.5.23 and Eq.5.25 we get the phase boundary

$$\gamma = \left(\frac{8}{a\rho_s} \right) \times \left[\mu(\rho_s - \rho_a) + T((\rho_s \ln(2L^{2/3}) - \ln(1 - \rho_s) - 2\rho_a \ln(2))) \right] \quad (5.26)$$

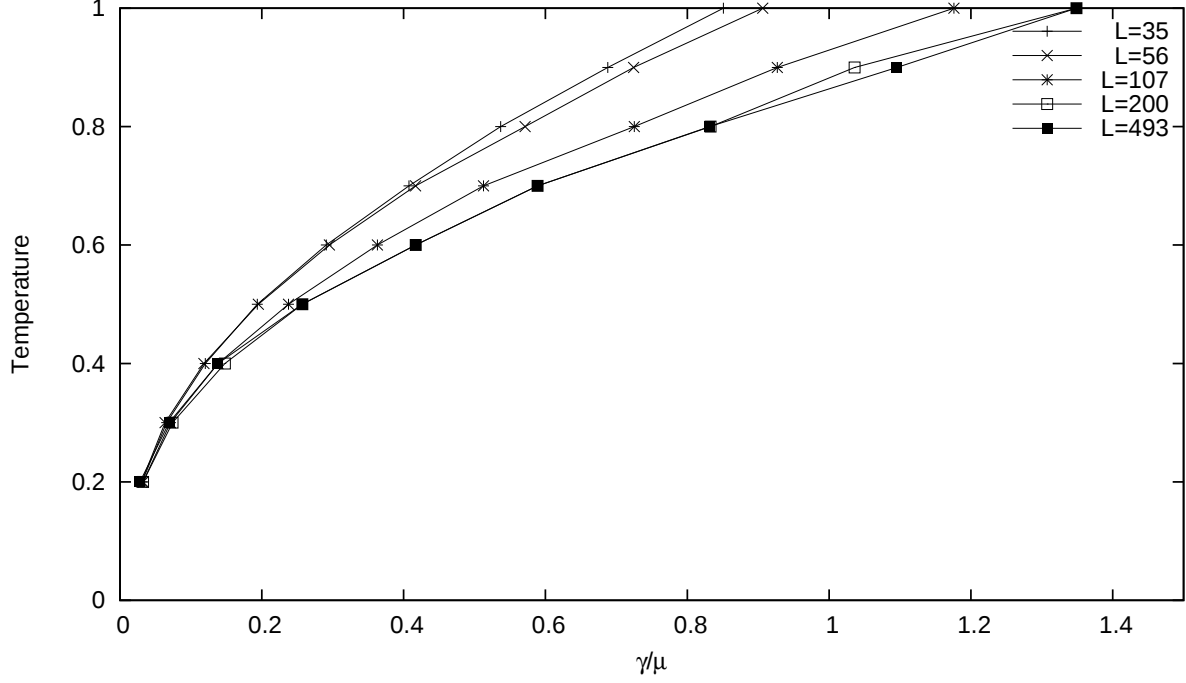


Figure 5.5: The equilibrium phase diagram determined from the crossing points of the free energy curves, such as those shown in the lower half of Fig. 5.1.

As ρ and ρ_{OGR} are small and $\mu = 1$, we can ignore the first term in the above equation.

Using $a = \frac{1}{3}$, we get

$$\left(\frac{\gamma}{\mu}\right)_c = 24T \left(\ln(2L^{2/3}) - \frac{\ln(1 - \rho_s)}{\rho_s} - 2\frac{\rho_a}{\rho_s} \ln(2) \right) \quad (5.27)$$

This result is qualitatively correct as we see from the mean field runs in Fig. 5.6 that $(\gamma/\mu)_c$ increases with L and $(\gamma/\mu)_c$ also increases linearly with T . From the figure we see that $(\gamma/\mu)_c \approx 5T$ at large temperatures. For $L = 493$ and $T = 200$ our analytic expression gives $(\gamma/\mu)_c \approx 44T$.

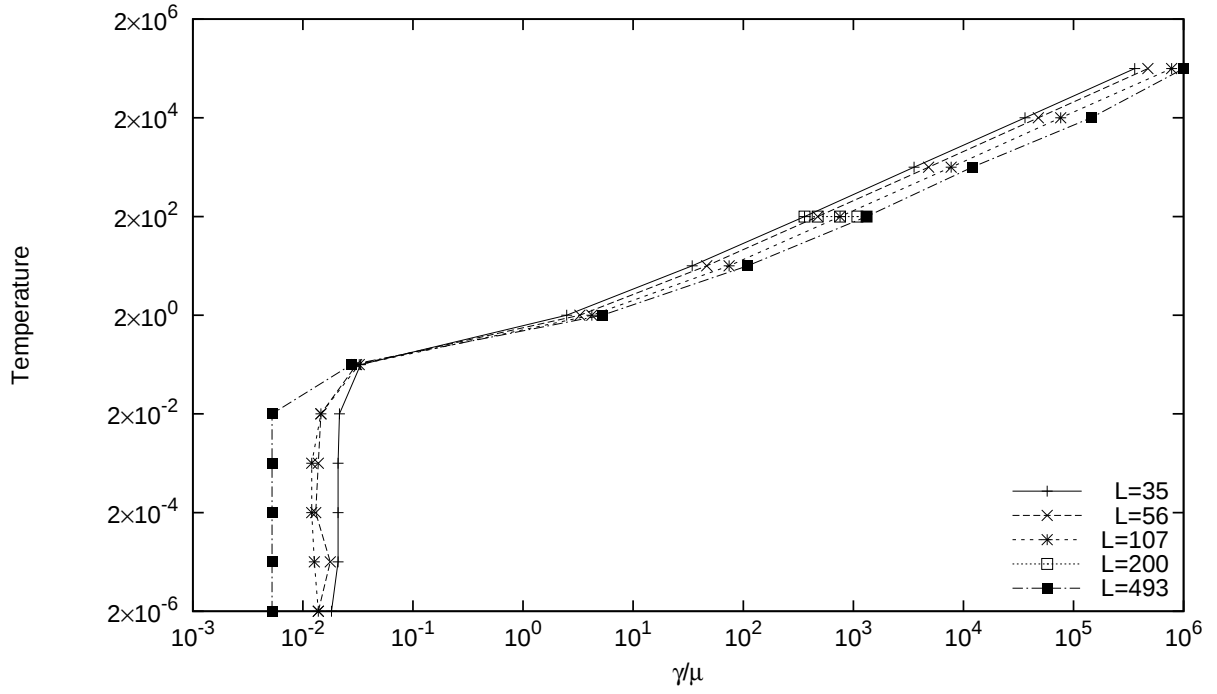


Figure 5.6: In this log-log plot for the equilibrium phase diagram we see that it has a finite non-zero value for the intercept.

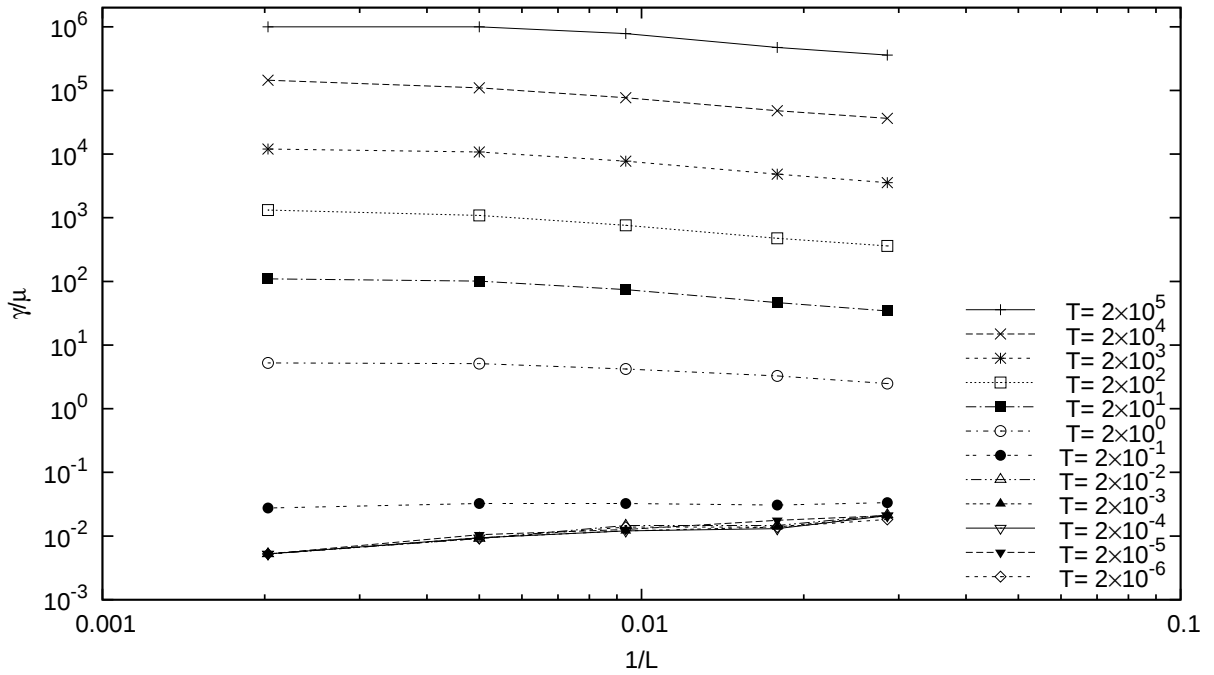


Figure 5.7: Plot showing the dependence of the critical γ/μ on T . At low T , the Y-intercept is $\gamma/\mu = 0.005$ which is the phase boundary for rulers in the large L limit.

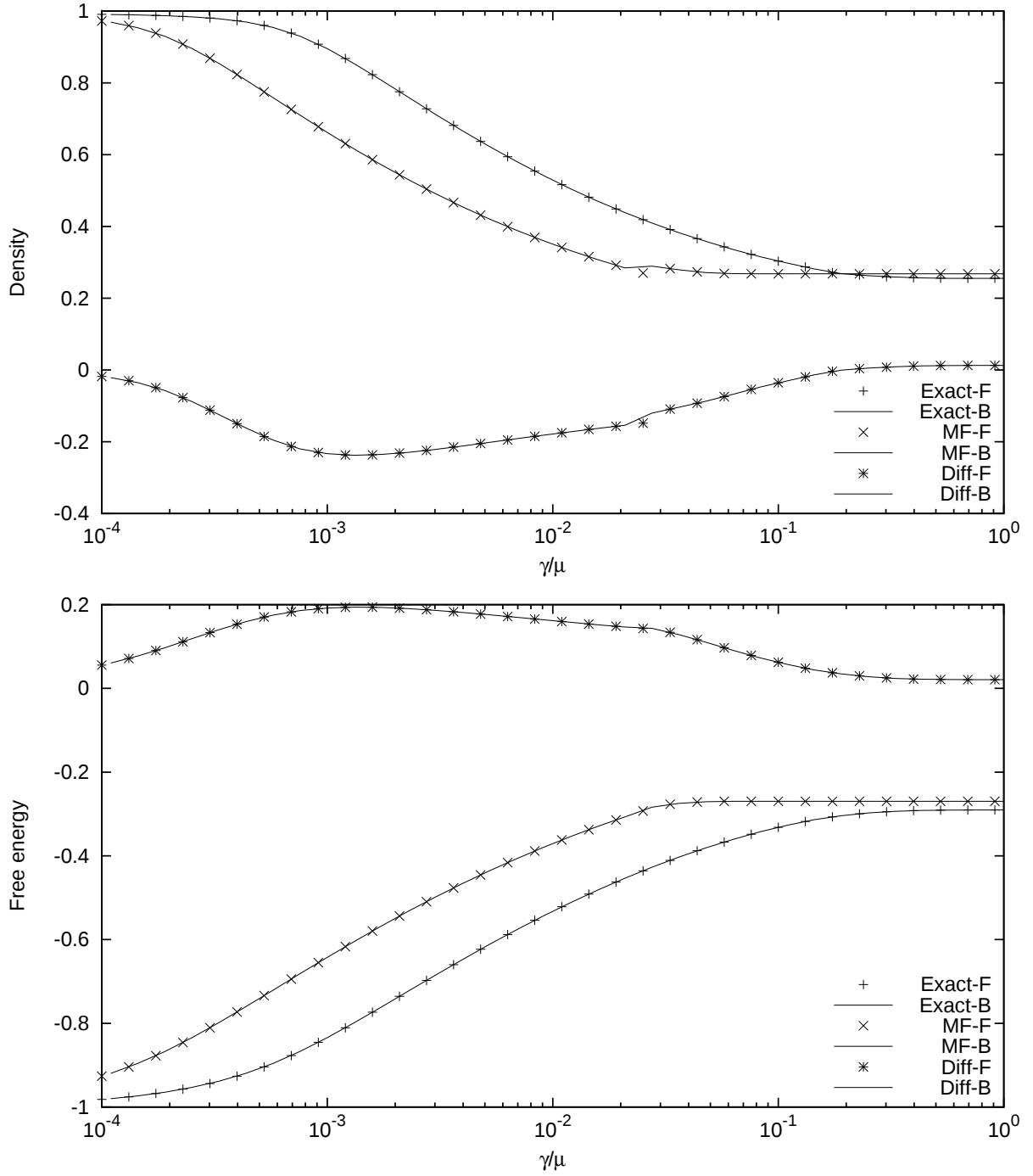


Figure 5.8: Density and Free energy calculations done exactly and using mean field theory for $L=26$ at $T=0.2$.

5.4 Exact calculations

We did exact and mean field calculation for $L = 26$ at $T=0.2$, to get the density and free energy. Fig. 5.8 shows the density and free energy as well as the difference in the mean field and the exact calculations. The end points of the ruler are always set to 1. So for $L = 26$ there are 2^{24} possible states. For the exact calculation we iterate over all these possible states and evaluate the density and free energy. We see that there is a lag in the lines obtained by exact and mean calculations and it is because of the hysteresis.

5.5 Search for OGR

Homotopy methods [76] have been used in statistical physics to obtain the global minimum. We tried to use a similar approach to find the optimal Golomb ruler. We start with a value of γ/μ very close to the phase boundary such that the ruler is in the symmetric phase and then we gradually increase γ/μ so that there is a phase transition and it goes into the asymmetric phase. As the optimal Golomb ruler state is the global minimum, we were expecting that the asymmetric phase would be this global minima, but because of metastability this approach was only successful only for small rulers.

5.6 Symmetric theory

The lattice gas formulation of OGR starts with defining variables $n_i = 0, 1$ on a one dimensional chain where $i = 0, 1, 2 \dots L$. Setting $n_i = 1$ for values of i are in an OGR marker set, with the other values of i having $n_i = 0$ maps an OGR solution to a lattice gas configuration. To construct the OGR lattice gas Hamiltonian, we need to ensure that the repeated

distances between the lattice gas particles are unfavorable. We define l to label a distance, so that $1 \leq l \leq L$ and we define the *degeneracy* of the distance l , to be D_l . A valid Golomb ruler must have degeneracy $D_l = 0, 1$. If a higher degeneracy were to occur, the distances would not be unique and the marker set would not be a maximally irregular set. A little thought reveals that the degeneracies D_l are related to the lattice gas variables n_i through the relation,

$$D_l = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} n_i n_{i+l}. \quad (5.28)$$

When the degeneracies D_l are summed over all l , we must have the total number of distances, so that for any configuration $\{n_i\}$, we have the constraint,

$$\sum_{l=1}^L D_l = \frac{1}{2}m(m-1). \quad (5.29)$$

Now we define the lattice gas Hamiltonian in terms of the variables n_i and D_l , by noting that for an OGR system of length L , we want to maximize the lattice gas density which is given by $\sum_i n_i$, minimizing $\sum_l D_l(D_l - 1)$, where the latter sum is zero when the degeneracies D_l are zero or one as required for a Golomb ruler state. The OGR lattice-gas Hamiltonian is then,

$$H_{OGR} = -\mu \sum_{i=0}^L n_i + \gamma \sum_{l=1}^L D_l(D_l - 1) \quad (5.30)$$

This Hamiltonian may be written in terms of the variables n_i by using Eq. 5.28, which leads to a frustrated lattice Hamiltonian with long-range four-particle interactions. Provided the parameters μ and γ are positive, the first term in H_{OGR} maximizes the density of the lattice gas, while the second term minimizes the number of times an interparticle distance is repeated.

To find the scaling behavior of the optimal solutions to H_{OGR} , $L(m)$, we consider the partition function of OGR,

$$Z = \sum_{k=0}^{2^L-1} e^{-\beta H_k} \quad (5.31)$$

$$Z = \sum_{k=0}^{2^L-1} e^{-\beta \left(-\mu \sum_{i=0}^L n_i + \gamma \sum_{l=1}^L D_l (D_l - 1) \right)} \quad (5.32)$$

$$Z = \sum_{k=0}^{2^L-1} e^{-\beta \left(-\mu m + \gamma \sum_{l=1}^L D_l^2 - \gamma \sum_{l=1}^L D_l \right)} \quad (5.33)$$

$$Z = \sum_{k=0}^{2^L-1} e^{\beta \mu \sum_{i=0}^L n_i - \beta \gamma \left(\sum_{l=1}^L D_l^2 - m(m-1)/2 \right)} \quad (5.34)$$

where we used the identity Eq. 5.29. To reduce the D_l^2 term to linear form we introduce Gaussian integrals,

$$e^{D^2} = A \int e^{(-X^2 + 2XD)} dx \quad (5.35)$$

so that,

$$Z = A_G \sum_{k=0}^{2^L-1} e^{\beta \mu m + \beta \gamma m(m-1)/2} \int \dots \int \left(\prod_l dx_l \right) e^{-\sum_l x_l^2 + 2i\sqrt{\beta\gamma} \sum_l x_l D_l} \quad (5.36)$$

where A_G normalizes the Gaussian integrals. This remains intractable, but becomes tractable when we make the symmetric assumption $x_l = x$,

$$\int \dots \int \left(\prod_l dx_l \right) e^{-\sum_l x_l^2 + 2i\sqrt{\beta\gamma} \sum_l x_l D_l} = \left(\int dx e^{-x^2 + 2i\sqrt{\beta\gamma}(x/L) \sum_l D_l} \right)^L \quad (5.37)$$

Then we use the identity Eq. 5.29 again to get,

$$\int \dots \int \left(\prod_l dx_l \right) e^{-\sum_l x_l^2 + 2i\sqrt{\beta\gamma} \sum_l x_l D_l} = \left(\int dx e^{-x^2 + 2i\sqrt{\beta\gamma}(x/L)(m/2)(m-1)} \right)^L \quad (5.38)$$

We convert the integral to an exponent using the Gaussian integral used earlier to get,

$$\int \dots \int \left(\prod_l dx_l \right) e^{-\sum_l x_l^2 + 2i\sqrt{\beta\gamma} \sum_l x_l D_l} = e^{-(\beta\gamma/L)[(m/2)(m-1)]^2 L}. \quad (5.39)$$

Thus,

$$Z = B_G \sum_{k=0}^{2L-1} e^{\beta\mu m + \frac{\beta\gamma}{2}m(m-1) - \frac{\beta\gamma}{4L}[m(m-1)]^2} \quad (5.40)$$

$$Z = B_G \times \sum_m \binom{L}{m} e^{\beta\mu m + \frac{\beta\gamma}{2}m(m-1) - \frac{\beta\gamma}{4L}[m(m-1)]^2} \quad (5.41)$$

where B_G is a constant. To find the scaling behavior of Optimal Golomb rulers we consider the strong interaction limit $\gamma \rightarrow \infty$ where the OGR constraints dominate, and solving yields the scaling law,

$$L(m) = m^2 - m \quad (5.42)$$

This is consistent with the known lower bound $L(m) > m^2 - 2m^{3/2} - m$ and with the Erdős conjecture $L(m) < m^2$ [47], as well as with large scale simulations (see Fig. 5.9).

5.7 Summary

In this work, a new connection between statistical physics and the combinatorial optimization problem of the optimal Golomb ruler is made. The statistical physics of the Golomb ruler problem is studied using the mean field approach and the phase diagram is obtained. It is

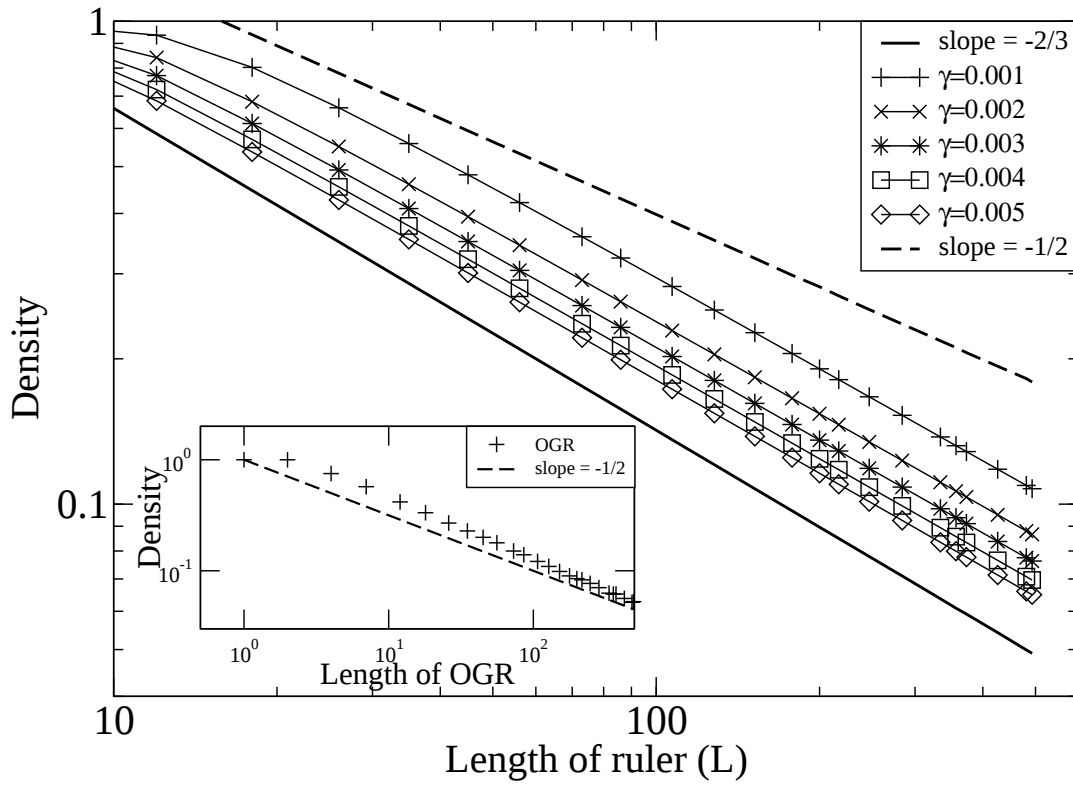


Figure 5.9: Comparison of numerical results (++++) for the length of optimal Golomb ruler with the best lower bound (solid line), and with the statistical physics scaling law (dotted line) that provides a useful upper bound on all best OGRs. The main figure is for exact OGR states, while the inset is for approximate OGR states of large size.

seen that even at a very low temperature it shows a first order phase transition at a finite non-zero value of the constraint parameter γ/μ . Analytic and exact calculations were done for the scaling of the density and free energy of the ruler and they were compared with those from the mean field. A new scaling law for the length of the OGR is derived, which is consistent with Erdős conjecture.

Chapter 6

Conclusion

In this work, efficient methods of reconstructing complex Euclidean networks in two and three dimensions, given only their unassigned Euclidean distance lists were presented. The unassigned problem is complicated due to the combinatorial explosion of ways that atoms may be assigned to the endpoints of each distance in the distance list, leading to interesting theoretical and algorithmic problems as elucidated.

It was found that there is enough information to uniquely reconstruct co-ordinates from distance lists that have no vector information in them and also found that this reconstruction is unique. Using the Tribond algorithm random point sets in 2 dimensions of size about one thousand were successfully reconstructed.

In 3 dimensions, the core finding step has a high computational cost and the algorithm was successfully able to do core finding for random point sets of size about ten in a small amount of time. If the core is assumed to be given, it was able to successfully do the buildup for random point sets for size about 100. The algorithm was also used to solve for the structures of various organic molecules and the results were compared with those from using the Liga algorithm.

While the Liga algorithm is successful in reconstructing structures which have a high symmetry (and a highly degenerate distance list), the Tribond algorithm is successful with random point sets which have a non-degenerate distance list. A hybrid algorithm should solve structures which fall between those having a high symmetry and a low symmetry.

Practical applications of the distance list method must overcome errors in the data including missing distances, shifted distances and errors in the multiplicity of peaks in degenerate cases. These issues are discussed in recent studies that attempt to reconstruct nanostructure from experimental PDF data [28, 29, 30]. The focus of this work was the broader theoretical and algorithmic issues related to the underlying inverse problem of finding structure from precise Euclidean distances.

A statistical physics approach to the combinatorial optimization problem of optimal Golomb ruler is also presented. The phase diagram is studied and scaling calculations for the density, free energy and phase boundary were done. An analytic calculation using a continuum field theory gives the scaling for the length of the OGR that is consistent with Erdős conjecture and also with the proposed optimal rulers of large lengths.

APPENDIX

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1  // Tribond.h: The header file for all the Tribond 2D & 3D  $\leftrightarrow$ 
    $\leftrightarrow$  functions.
2  //
3  #ifndef Tribond_h
4  #define Tribond_h
5
6  #include <iostream>
7  #include <cmath>
8  #include <cstdlib>
9  #include <cassert>
10 #include <vector>
11 #include <string>
12 #include <algorithm>
13 #include <iomanip>
14 using std::vector;
15 using std::string;
16 using std::cout;
17 using std::endl;
18 using std::setprecision;
19 using std::ios;
20 using std::setw;
21
22 ///// Point Class /////
23 class Point
24 {
25     public:
26         long double x, y, z; // Coordinates
27         long double cost;
28         Point()
29         {
30             x = y = z = 0.0;
31             cost = -1;
32         }
33
34         friend bool compareCost( const Point& pt1, const Point& pt2 );
35     };
36
37
38 // Overloading "less than" operator so that points can be sorted.
39 bool operator<( const Point& pt1, const Point& pt2 );
40
41
42 // Overloading output operator for Point class.
43 std::ostream& operator<<( std::ostream& os, const Point& pt );
44

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45
46 int print2structures( vector<Point>& stru1 , vector<Point>& ↵
    ↵ stru2 );
47 long double getAngle( Point pt1, Point pt2 );
48 Point getAxis( Point pt1, Point pt2 );
49
50
51 // Calculate the Euclidian distance between 2 points.
52 inline long double getDistance( const Point& pt1, const Point& ↵
    ↵ pt2 )
53 {
54     // return sqrt( ( pt1.x - pt2.x ) * ( pt1.x - pt2.x ) +
55     //                ( pt1.y - pt2.y ) * ( pt1.y - pt2.y ) +
56     //                ( pt1.z - pt2.z ) * ( pt1.z - pt2.z ) );
57     return sqrt( pow( pt1.x - pt2.x, 2.0L) +
58                  pow( pt1.y - pt2.y, 2.0L) +
59                  pow( pt1.z - pt2.z, 2.0L) );
60 }
61
62
63 ///// Structure Class /////
64 class Structure
65 {
66     public:
67         // Relative tolerance to check if 2 distances are the close ↵
        ↵ enough.
68         static long double toler;
69         static const int maxPoolSize;
70         vector<Point> atoms;
71         vector<Point> pool;
72         vector<long double> targetDL, currDL, freeDL;
73         vector<bool> usedDist;
74         long double cost;
75         int dim, targetSize, currSize;
76
77         Structure( int DIM, int N, string dlistFile )
78         {
79             targetSize = N;
80             dim = DIM;
81             atoms.resize( N );
82
83             int sizeDL = N * ( N - 1 ) / 2;
84             usedDist.resize( sizeDL, false );
85             cost = 0;
86

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87     getDLfromFile( dlistFile );
88 }
89
90 Structure( int& N, string xyzFile )
91 {
92     getStruFromFile( xyzFile );
93
94     if( atoms.size() != N )
95     {
96         N = atoms.size();
97         cout << "Updating structure size to" << atoms.size() <<
          << endl;
98     }
99     targetSize = N;
100    dim = 3;
101    // atoms.resize( N );
102
103    int sizeDL = N* ( N - 1 )/ 2;
104    usedDist.resize( sizeDL, false );
105    cost = 0;
106
107 }
108
109 Structure( int DIM, int N, vector<long double> inputDL )
110 {
111     currSize = 0;
112     targetSize = N;
113     dim = DIM;
114     int sizeDL = N* ( N - 1 )/ 2;
115     usedDist.resize( sizeDL, false );
116
117     targetDL = inputDL;
118 }
119
120 int updateCurrDL()
121 {
122     currDL.clear();
123     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
124     {
125         for( int j = i + 1; j < atoms.size(); ++j )
126         {
127             currDL.push_back( getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ j ] <<
          << ) );
128         }
129     }

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130     sort( currDL.begin(), currDL.end() );
131     // cout << "Size of current DL: " << currDL.size() << endl;
132     return 0;
133 }
134
135 int print()
136 {
137     int Precision = 8;
138     int Width = 12;
139     int Width2 = 6;
140
141     cout.precision( Precision );
142     cout.setf( ios::fixed, ios::floatfield );
143
144     for ( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
145     {
146         cout << setw( Width ) << atoms[ i ].x << '\t'
147             << setw( Width ) << atoms[ i ].y << '\t'
148             << setw( Width2 ) << atoms[ i ].z << '\t'
149             << atoms[ i ].cost << endl;
150     }
151     // for ( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
152     // {
153     //     cout << i << '\t' << setprecision( 10 ) << atoms[ i ] ↔
154     //         << ".x" << '\t'
155     //         << setprecision( 10 ) << atoms[ i ].y << '\t' ↔
156     //         << setprecision( 10 ) << atoms[ i ].z << endl;
157     // }
158     //
159     cout << "****" << endl;
160     return 0;
161 }
162
163 bool findCore();
164 bool findCore3D();
165 bool findCore3D( int baseIdx );
166 bool doBuildup();
167 bool doBuildup3D( vector<int> idxArr );
168 // bool doBuildup3D( int newBase );
169 bool doBuildup3Dv2( int basePt1, int basePt2, int basePt3 );
170 bool doBuildup2( int newBase );
171 bool doBuildup3( int newBase );
172 bool reconstruct();
173 bool reconstruct2();
174 bool reconstruct3( int baseIdx );

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```

173     long double feasibleTetra( int baseIdx );
174
175     long double distListError();
176     long double distListError( vector<long double> dlist );
177     long double distListError( vector<long double> dlist1,
178                                vector<long double> dlist2 );
179     long double checkMoreBridges( int numChecks, Point testPt );
180
181     bool home();
182     bool home3D( int distIdx );
183     bool reflect( string axis );
184     bool rotate( long double angle );
185     bool rotate( long double angle, long double axisX,
186                 long double axisY, long double axisZ );
187
188     bool translate( long double distX, long double distY, long ⇐
189                    ⇐ double distZ );
190
191     bool testCore( vector<int> idxArr, int idxM, int idxN );
192     int getDLfromFile( string fileName );
193     int getStruFromFile( string fileName );
194     int printDLtoFile( string fileName="" );
195
196     int reduceDLprecision( int precision );
197     vector<Point> getCore( int coreSize );
198     int updateUsedDists();
199     int updateFreeDL();
200     long double getPtCost( Point pt );
201     long double getPtsCost( Point pt1, Point pt2 );
202
203     bool updatePool( Point pt );
204     int insertPoint( Point pt );
205     bool growStru();
206     int printPool();
207     int getPools();
208     int getPools2();
209     bool findCoreMPI( int windowStart );
210 };
211
212 inline long double compareStru( Structure testStru, Structure ⇐
213                                ⇐ targetStru )
214 {
215     testStru.updateCurrDL();
216     long double overlapError = 0;

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216     sort( testStru.atoms.begin(), testStru.atoms.end() );
217
218     for( int i = 0; i < testStru.targetSize; ++i )
219     {
220         overlapError += pow( getDistance( testStru.atoms[ i ],
221                                         targetStru.atoms[ i ] ) ,  $\hookrightarrow$ 
222                                      $\hookleftarrow$  2.0 );
223     }
224
225     cout << "Overlap_Error:" << overlapError << endl;
226     cout << "Distance_Error:" << testStru.distListError() << endl;
227     return 0;
228 }
229
230
231 #endif

```



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1  // Tribond.cpp: The implementation file for of all the 2D & 3D  $\hookrightarrow$ 
   //  $\hookleftarrow$  functions.
2  //
3  #include "Tribond.h"
4  #include <algorithm>
5  #include <iostream>
6  #include <fstream>
7  #include <iomanip>
8  #include <sstream>
9  #include <cassert>
10 using namespace std;
11
12 long double Structure::toler = 1e-12L;
13 const int Structure::maxPoolSize = 20;
14
15
16 bool operator<( const Point& pt1, const Point& pt2 )
17 {
18     // Overloading the "less than" operator for the Point class.  $\hookrightarrow$ 
19     // Useful when
20     // sorting points in the structure so that their ordering is  $\hookrightarrow$ 
21     // unique.
22
23     Point zero;
24     return getDistance( pt1, zero ) < getDistance( pt2, zero );
25 }

```

```

25
26 std::ostream& operator<<( std::ostream& os, const Point& pt )
27 {
28     // Overloading output operator for Point class.
29
30     int outputPrecision = 8;
31     int colWidth = 12;
32
33     os.precision( outputPrecision );
34     os.setf(ios::fixed, ios::floatfield);
35
36     os << setw( colWidth ) << pt.x
37         << setw( colWidth ) << pt.y
38         << setw( colWidth ) << pt.z;
39     return os;
40 }
41
42
43 void placeApex( Point& apexPt, int idxA, int idxB, int idxC,
44               vector<long double> dlist )
45 {
46     // Place the top point of the triangle by solving the loci  $\hookrightarrow$ 
47      $\hookleftarrow$  equations.
48     // For skinny triangles, the y-coordinate may turn out to be  $\hookrightarrow$ 
49      $\hookleftarrow$  negative.
50     // In those cases, I am setting it to zero.
51
52     apexPt.x = dlist[ idxA ]/ 2 - ( ( dlist[ idxC ] - dlist[ idxB  $\hookrightarrow$ 
53          $\hookleftarrow$  ] ) *
54         ( dlist[ idxC ] + dlist[ idxB ] ) /
55         ( 2* dlist[ idxA ] ) );
56
57     apexPt.y = sqrt( ( dlist[ idxC ] + apexPt.x - dlist[ idxA ] ) *
58         ( dlist[ idxC ] - apexPt.x + dlist[ idxA ] ) );
59
60     apexPt.z = 0;
61
62     if( apexPt.y != apexPt.y )
63     {
64         apexPt.y = 0;
65     }
66
67     return;
68 }
69

```

```

67
68 void placeTop( Point basePt1, Point basePt2, Point basePt3, ⇐
        ⇐ Point& apexPt,
69                vector<int> idxArr, vector<long double> dlist )
70 {
71     /* Place Apex in space.
72     *
73     * Relating bonds to points:
74     * a ⇐⇒ p1-p2          f ⇐⇒ p3-p4
75     * b ⇐⇒ p1-p3          e ⇐⇒ p2-p4
76     * c ⇐⇒ p2-p3          d ⇐⇒ p1-p4
77     *
78     * p1 is placed at the origin.
79     * p2 is placed at (dlist[a], 0, 0).
80     * p3 is defined to have positive y-value.
81     * p4 is defined to have positive z-value.
82     */
83
84     long double d12, d13, d14, d23, d24, d34;
85     d12 = dlist[ idxArr[ 0 ] ]; d34 = dlist[ idxArr[ 5 ] ];
86     d13 = dlist[ idxArr[ 1 ] ]; d24 = dlist[ idxArr[ 4 ] ];
87     d23 = dlist[ idxArr[ 2 ] ]; d14 = dlist[ idxArr[ 3 ] ];
88
89     // placement of apex by solving simple loci equations
90     // faster than evaluating trig expressions
91     apexPt.x = ( d14* d14 - d24* d24 + d12* d12 )/ ( 2.0L* d12 );
92     apexPt.y = ( ( d14* d14 - d34* d34 + basePt3.x* basePt3.x +
93                 basePt3.y* basePt3.y )/ ( 2.0L* basePt3.y ) ⇐
94                 ⇐ ) -
95                 ( basePt3.x/ basePt3.y )* apexPt.x;
96
97     if( ( d14* d14 - apexPt.x* apexPt.x - apexPt.y* apexPt.y ) ⇐
98         ⇐ < 0.0L )
99     {
100         // cout << "img dist!" << endl;
101         // apexPt.z = 0;
102         // cout << "pars: " << idxArr[ 0 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 1 ] ⇐
103         ⇐ << ', '
104         // << idxArr[ 2 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 3 ] ⇐
105         ⇐ << ', '
106         // << idxArr[ 4 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 5 ] ⇐
107         ⇐ << endl;
108         // cout << "pts: " << endl;
109         // cout << basePt1 << endl;
110         // cout << basePt2 << endl;

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106         // cout << basePt3 << endl;
107         // cout << apexPt << endl;
108         // getchar();
109         apexPt.z = 0; //sqrt( d14* d14 - apexPt.x* apexPt.x - ↪
            ↪ apexPt.y* apexPt.y );
110     }
111     else
112     {
113         apexPt.z = sqrt( d14* d14 - apexPt.x* apexPt.x - ↪
            ↪ apexPt.y* apexPt.y );
114     }
115 }
116
117
118 int closestDist( const long double& value, const vector<long ↪
    ↪ double>& dlist )
119 {
120     // Function to find the index of the distance in the given list
121     // which is closest to the given value.
122
123     vector<long double>::const_iterator const it
124         = lower_bound( dlist.begin(), dlist.end(), value );
125
126     int bestIdx = distance( dlist.begin(), it );
127
128     if ( bestIdx == dlist.size() )
129     {
130         bestIdx -= 1;
131     }
132     else if ( bestIdx > 0 and
133     ( fabs( dlist[ bestIdx - 1 ] - value ) < fabs( dlist[ bestIdx ↪
        ↪ ] - value ) ) )
134     {
135         bestIdx -= 1;
136     }
137
138     // cout << "value, bestIdx, bestDist: " << setprecision( 11 ) ↪
        ↪ << value << ", " << bestIdx << ", "
139     // << setprecision( 11 ) << dlist[ bestIdx ] << '\t';
140     // cout << "( " << dlist[ bestIdx - 1 ] << ", " << dlist[ ↪
        ↪ bestIdx + 1 ] << " )" << endl;
141     return bestIdx;
142 }
143
144 bool Structure::findCore()

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```

145 {
146     // Find a core made of 4 points by iterating over all triangle
147     // combinations. Also, the function to do the buildup is  $\hookrightarrow$ 
148     //  $\leftarrow$  called after
149     // we find a core because it is more convenient this way.
150     int idxA = 0, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, idxF; // indices for  $\hookrightarrow$ 
151     //  $\leftarrow$  the bonds
152     int idxM, idxN; // indices for the orientation of the triangle
153     vector<int> idxArr( 6, -1 );
154     int inc = 6; // width of the bond window
155     int winStart = 0, winStop = inc; // indices for the window
156     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
157
158     long double bridgeDist = 0.0;
159     int bridgeIdx = 0;
160     int bridgeCount = 0; // count the number of bridge bond checks
161     long double fracError = 1e6;
162
163     Point basePt1, basePt2,
164           apexPt1, apexPt2;
165     basePt1.x = 0; basePt1.y = 0;
166     basePt2.x = dlist[ idxA ]; basePt2.y = 0;
167     cout << "basePt1:_" << basePt1.x << "_" << basePt1.y << endl;
168     cout << "basePt2:_" << basePt2.x << "_" << basePt2.y << endl;
169     cout << "Bond_window:_" << endl;
170
171     while( true )
172     {
173         cerr << "_->_" << winStop;
174
175         for( idxB = idxA + 1; idxB < winStop; ++idxB )
176         {
177             for( idxC = idxB + 1; idxC < winStop; ++idxC )
178             {
179                 if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxB ] + toler < dlist[ idxC  $\hookrightarrow$ 
180                      $\leftarrow$  ] )
181                 {
182                     break;
183                 }
184                 placeApex( apexPt1, idxA, idxB, idxC, dlist );
185
186                 for( idxD = idxA + 1; idxD < winStop; ++idxD )
187                 {
188                     if ( idxD == idxB or idxD == idxC )

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```

187 {
188     continue;
189 }
190 for( idxE = idxD + 1; idxE < winStop; ++idxE )
191 {
192     if( idxB < winStart and idxC < winStart and
193         idxD < winStart and idxE < winStart )
194     {
195         continue;
196     }
197
198     if( ( idxD < idxB and idxE < idxC ) or
199         ( idxE > idxC and idxD < idxB ) )
200     {
201         continue;
202     }
203
204     if( idxE == idxB or idxE == idxC )
205     {
206         continue;
207     }
208
209     if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[  $\leftrightarrow$ 
210          $\leftrightarrow$  idxE ] )
211     {
212         break;
213     }
214
215     placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
216
217     for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
218     {
219         // cout << "idxM: " << idxM << endl;
220         if( idxM == 1 )
221         {
222             apexPt2.x = dlist[ idxA ] - apexPt2.x;
223         }
224
225         for( idxN = 0; idxN < 2; ++idxN )
226         {
227             // cout << "idxN: " << idxN << endl;
228             if( idxN == 1 )
229             {
230                 apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;

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```

231
232 bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt1, apexPt2 );
233 bridgeCount += 1; // count number of bridge checks
234
235 bridgeIdx = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
236 if( bridgeIdx == idxA or bridgeIdx == idxB or
237     bridgeIdx == idxC or bridgeIdx == idxD or
238     bridgeIdx == idxE )
239 {
240     // Make sure that the bridge bond is not the ↪
241     ↪ same as any of
242     // the distances in use.
243     continue;
244 }
245
246 fracError = fabs( dlist[ bridgeIdx ] - ↪
247     ↪ bridgeDist )/ bridgeDist;
248 // cout << "fracError: " << fracError << endl;
249
250 if( fabs( apexPt2.y ) < 0.5 )
251 {
252     // Skinny triangles have been found to have a ↪
253     ↪ large error,
254     // hence reducing their error "by hand" so ↪
255     ↪ that we don't
256     // miss out on them.
257     fracError /= 1000;
258 }
259
260 if( fracError < toler )
261 {
262     idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB;
263     idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxD;
264     idxArr[ 4 ] = idxE; idxArr[ 5 ] = bridgeIdx;
265
266     cout << endl;
267     if( testCore( idxArr, idxM, idxN ) )
268     {
269         atoms.push_back( basePt1 );
270         atoms.push_back( basePt2 );
271         atoms.push_back( apexPt1 );
272         atoms.push_back( apexPt2 );
273
274         for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
275         {

```

```

272         cout << "Point:_" << i + 1 << '\t' << "\n" << endl;
273     }
274
275     usedDist[ idxA ] = usedDist[ idxB ] = true;
276     usedDist[ idxC ] = usedDist[ idxD ] = true;
277     usedDist[ idxE ] = usedDist[ bridgeIdx ] = true;
278
279     updateCurrDL();
280     // return true;
281
282     // Attempt buildup to get the remaining points.
283     doBuildup();
284
285     if( atoms.size() >= min( 8, targetSize ) )
286     {
287         // If buildup was able to add 4 more points then with
288         // high probability, we have the right structure.
289         return true;
290     }
291     else
292     {
293         // If buildup could not even 4 points then with a very
294         // high probability, we have the wrong structure. Start
295         // over and find the next core.
296         cout << "No buildup, bad core.\n"
297              << "Finding the next core...\n" << endl;
298         atoms.clear();
299         updateCurrDL();
300         cout << "Bond window: ";
301     }
302 }
303
304
305     } // n loop
306 } // m loop
307 } // idxE loop
308 } // idxD loop

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309     } // idxC loop
310 } // idxB loop
311
312 // When idxB hits the window edge increment it.
313 if ( idxB == winStop )
314 {
315     winStart = winStop;
316     winStop += inc;
317
318     if( winStart == dlist.size() )
319     {
320         cout << endl;
321         break;
322     }
323
324     if( winStop > dlist.size() )
325     {
326         winStop = dlist.size();
327     }
328 }
329
330 } // while( true ) loop
331
332 return false;
333 }
334
335
336 bool Structure::doBuildup()
337 {
338     // Starting with a core of size 4, find the remaining points.
339     // Partial update of the new distances created used while  $\hookrightarrow$ 
340          $\hookleftarrow$  adding a point.
341
342     bool successFlag = false;
343     int idxA = 0, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, idxF; // indices for  $\hookrightarrow$ 
344          $\hookleftarrow$  the bonds
345     int idxM, idxN;
346
347     long double bridgeDist = 0.0;
348     int bridgeIdx = 0;
349     int bridgeCount = 0; // count the number of triangles
350     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
351     long double fracError = 1e6, fracError2 = 1e6;
352
353     assert( ( "In buildup, core present?", atoms.size() > 0 ) );

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352 Point basePt1 = atoms[ 0 ], basePt2 = atoms[ 1 ],
353       apexPt = atoms[ 2 ], testPt;
354
355 for( idxD = 1; idxD < dlist.size(); ++idxD )
356 {
357     if ( usedDist[ idxD ] )
358     {
359         continue;
360     }
361
362     for( idxE = idxD + 1; idxE < dlist.size(); ++idxE )
363     {
364         if ( usedDist[ idxE ] )
365         {
366             continue;
367         }
368
369         if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[ idxE ] )
370         {
371             break;
372         }
373
374         placeApex( testPt, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
375
376         for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
377         {
378             if( idxM == 1 )
379             {
380                 testPt.x = dlist[ idxA ] - testPt.x;
381             }
382
383             for( idxN = 0; idxN < 2; ++idxN )
384             {
385                 if( idxN == 1 )
386                 {
387                     testPt.y = - testPt.y;
388                 }
389
390                 bridgeCount += 1; // count number of bridge checks
391                 bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt, testPt );
392                 if( bridgeDist < dlist[ 0 ] )
393                 {
394                     // Make sure the test point is not too close to any ↔
395                     ↔ point.
396                     continue;

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396     }
397
398     bridgeIdx = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
399     if( bridgeIdx == idxD or bridgeIdx == idxE or
400         usedDist[ bridgeIdx ] )
401     {
402         // Make sure the bridge bond is not the same as a  $\hookrightarrow$ 
403         //  $\hookleftarrow$  used distance.
404         continue;
405     }
406
407     fracError = fabs( dlist[ bridgeIdx ] - bridgeDist ) /  $\hookrightarrow$ 
408          $\hookleftarrow$  bridgeDist;
409
410     if( fabs( testPt.y ) < 0.5 )
411     {
412         // Found skinny triangles to have a high error.  $\hookrightarrow$ 
413         // Hence, reducing
414         // the error "by hand" so that we don't miss out on  $\hookrightarrow$ 
415         // them.
416         fracError /= 1000;
417     }
418
419     if ( fracError > toler )
420     {
421         continue;
422     }
423     else
424     {
425         fracError2 = checkMoreBridges( 10, testPt );
426         if( fracError2 > sqrt( toler ) )
427         {
428             continue;
429         }
430         else
431         {
432             usedDist[ idxD ] = true;
433             usedDist[ idxE ] = true;
434             usedDist[ bridgeIdx ] = true;
435
436             atoms.push_back( testPt );
437             cout << "Point:␣" << atoms.size() << '\t'
438                 << testPt << endl;
439         }
440     }
441 }

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437
438         } // n loop
439     } // m loop
440 } // idxE loop
441 } // idxD loop
442
443     currSize = atoms.size();
444     updateCurrDL();
445
446     if( atoms.size() == targetSize )
447     {
448         successFlag = true;
449     }
450
451     return successFlag;
452 }
453
454
455 long double Structure::distListError()
456 {
457     // Calculate the error based on the closeness of the current  $\leftrightarrow$ 
458     // and the target  $\leftrightarrow$ 
459     // distance lists.
460
461     assert( currDL.size() == targetDL.size() );
462     long double error = 0;
463
464     for( int i = 0; i < currDL.size(); ++i )
465     {
466         error += pow( currDL[ i ] - targetDL[ i ] , 2.0 );
467     }
468
469     return sqrt( error/ currDL.size() );
470 }
471
472 long double Structure::distListError( vector<long double> dlist1 ,
473                                     vector<long double>  $\leftrightarrow$ 
474                                      $\leftrightarrow$  dlist2 )
475 {
476     // Calculate the error based on the closeness of 2 distance  $\leftrightarrow$ 
477     // lists.
478
479     if( dlist1.size() != dlist2.size() )
480     {

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479     return 1e6;
480 }
481 sort( dlist1.begin(), dlist1.end() );
482 sort( dlist2.begin(), dlist2.end() );
483 long double error = 0;
484
485 for( int i = 0; i < dlist1.size(); ++i )
486 {
487     error += pow( dlist1[ i ] - dlist2[ i ] , 2.0 );
488 }
489
490 return sqrt( error/ dlist1.size() );
491 }
492
493
494 long double Structure::distListError( vector<long double> dlist )
495 {
496     // Function to calculate the error based on how close the 2 ⇔
497     ⇔ dlists are.
498
499     long double dError = 0;
500     long double totalError = 0;
501     size_t bIdx = 0;
502
503     vector<int> countB( targetDL.size(), 0 );
504     int repeat = 0;
505     updateUsedDists();
506     vector<long double> freeDL;
507
508     for( int i = 0; i < targetDL.size(); ++i )
509     {
510         if( usedDist[ i ] == false )
511         {
512             freeDL.push_back( targetDL[ i ] );
513         }
514     }
515
516     for( int i = 0; i < dlist.size(); i++ )
517     {
518         // bIdx = closestDist( dlist[i], targetDL );
519         // dError = dlist[i] - targetDL[ bIdx ];
520         bIdx = closestDist( dlist[i], freeDL );
521         dError = dlist[i] - freeDL[ bIdx ];
522         totalError += dError* dError;

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523     countB[ bIdx ] += 1;
524     if ( countB[ bIdx ] >= 2 )
525     {
526         ++repeat;
527     }
528     // FIXME: Commenting out case when there is a large error.
529     if ( dError > 0.5 )
530     {
531         // return 1.0;
532     }
533 }
534
535 dError += 0.01* repeat;
536 // cout << "pt cost: " << setprecision( 8 ) << sqrt( ↵
537     ↵ totalError/ dlist.size() ) << endl;
538 // getchar();
539 return sqrt( totalError/ dlist.size() );
540 }
541
542 long double Structure::checkMoreBridges( int numChecks, Point ↵
543     ↵ testPt )
544 {
545     // Check more bridge bonds for the testPt to make sure that ↵
546     ↵ it is
547     // indeed part of the actual structure.
548
549     long double fracError = 0;
550     long double bridgeDist = 0;
551     int bridgeIdx = 0;
552     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
553
554     for( int i = 0; i < numChecks; ++i )
555     {
556         if( i >= atoms.size() ) break;
557         bridgeDist = getDistance( testPt, atoms[ i ] );
558         if( bridgeDist < dlist[ 0 ] )
559         {
560             fracError += 0.1;
561             continue;
562         }
563
564         bridgeIdx = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
565         fracError += fabs( dlist[ bridgeIdx ] - bridgeDist )/ ↵
566             ↵ bridgeDist;

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564     }
565
566     return fracError/numChecks;
567 }
568
569
570 bool Structure::reconstruct()
571 {
572     // Reconstruct the structure by first finding the core and  $\hookrightarrow$ 
573      $\hookleftarrow$  then doing
574     // buildup(if needed).
575
576     // Need to find the core first.
577     if( atoms.size() == 0 )
578     {
579         if( dim == 2 )
580         {
581             bool findCoreFlag = findCore();
582             cout << "Core_found?_" << boolalpha << findCoreFlag << endl;
583         }
584         else if( dim == 3 )
585         {
586             // cout << "findCore3D(2)" << endl;
587             findCore3D();
588         }
589     }
590
591     // Core is already there, just do the buildup.
592     if( dim == 3 and atoms.size() >= 4 )
593     {
594         vector<int> idxArr( 6, 0 );
595         idxArr[ 0 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[  $\hookrightarrow$ 
596              $\hookleftarrow$  1 ] ),
597                                     targetDL );
598         idxArr[ 1 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[  $\hookrightarrow$ 
599              $\hookleftarrow$  2 ] ),
600                                     targetDL );
601         idxArr[ 2 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 1 ], atoms[  $\hookrightarrow$ 
602              $\hookleftarrow$  2 ] ),
603                                     targetDL );
604         idxArr[ 3 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[  $\hookrightarrow$ 
605              $\hookleftarrow$  3 ] ),
606                                     targetDL );
607         idxArr[ 4 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 1 ], atoms[  $\hookrightarrow$ 
608              $\hookleftarrow$  3 ] ),
609                                     targetDL );
610     }

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603                                     targetDL );
604     idxArr[ 5 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 2 ], atoms[ ↵
        ↵ 3 ] ),
605                                     targetDL );
606     cout << "idxArr:␣" << idxArr[ 0 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 1 ] << ', '
607                                     << idxArr[ 2 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 3 ] << ', '
608                                     << idxArr[ 4 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 5 ] << ↵
        ↵ endl;
609     print();
610
611     int idxG, idxH, idxI, idxJ;
612
613     idxG = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[ 4 ] ), ↵
        ↵ targetDL );
614     idxH = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 1 ], atoms[ 4 ] ), ↵
        ↵ targetDL );
615     idxI = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 2 ], atoms[ 4 ] ), ↵
        ↵ targetDL );
616     idxJ = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 3 ], atoms[ 4 ] ), ↵
        ↵ targetDL );
617     cout << "idx:␣" << idxG << ', ' << idxH << ', '
618                                     << idxI << ', ' << idxJ << endl;
619     usedDist[ idxG ] = usedDist[ idxH ] = usedDist[ idxI ]
620                                     = usedDist[ idxJ ] = true;
621
622     doBuildup3D( idxArr );
623
624     // attempt buildup again if short of a few points
625     int attempts = 0;
626     long double oldToler = toler;
627     while( attempts < 5 and atoms.size() < targetSize )
628     {
629         toler *= 10;
630         doBuildup3D( idxArr );
631         ++attempts;
632         cout << "attempt:␣" << attempts << endl;
633     }
634     toler = oldToler;
635 }
636
637 if( atoms.size() == targetSize )
638 {
639     return true;
640 }
641

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642     bool successFlag = doBuildup();
643     if( successFlag )
644     {
645         cout << "Finished_reconstruction" << endl;
646     }
647     return successFlag;
648 }
649
650
651 bool Structure::reflect( string axis )
652 {
653     // Reflect the structure about the X or the Y axis, used by  $\hookrightarrow$ 
654     //  $\leftarrow$  the overlap
655     // function.
656
657     if( axis == "X" )
658     {
659         for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
660         {
661             atoms[ i ].y = - atoms[ i ].y;
662         }
663     }
664     else if( axis == "Y" )
665     {
666         for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
667         {
668             atoms[ i ].x = - atoms[ i ].x;
669         }
670     }
671     else if( axis == "Z" )
672     {
673         for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
674         {
675             atoms[ i ].z = - atoms[ i ].z;
676         }
677     }
678
679     return true;
680 }
681
682 bool Structure::home()
683 {
684     // Orient the structure in a unique manner so that it becomes  $\hookrightarrow$ 
685     //  $\leftarrow$  easy to check

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685 // if two or more structure are identical to one another or not.
686
687 long double minDist = 1e6;
688 int idx1 = -1, idx2 = -1;
689 long double dist = 1e6;
690
691 // Find the smallest bond in the structure
692 for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
693 {
694     for( int j = i + 1; j < atoms.size(); ++j )
695     {
696         dist = getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ j ] );
697         if( dist < minDist )
698         {
699             minDist = dist;
700             idx1 = i;
701             idx2 = j;
702         }
703     }
704 }
705 // cout << "idx1, idx2: " << idx1 << '\t' << idx2 << endl;
706
707 // Locate the apex point of the base triangle
708 long double minDist1 = 1e6, minDist2 = 1e6;
709 long double dist1, dist2;
710 int minIdx1, minIdx2;
711
712 for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
713 {
714     if( i == idx1 or i == idx2 ) continue;
715
716     dist1 = getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ idx1 ] );
717     if( dist1 < minDist1 )
718     {
719         minDist1 = dist1;
720         minIdx1 = i;
721     }
722
723     dist2 = getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ idx2 ] );
724     if( dist2 < minDist2 )
725     {
726         minDist2 = dist2;
727         minIdx2 = i;
728     }
729 }

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730
731 int idx3 = minIdx1;
732 if( minDist1 > minDist2 )
733 {
734     idx3 = minIdx2;
735     swap( idx1 , idx2 );
736 }
737
738 // Correctly place the base triangle
739 translate( -atoms[ idx1 ].x, -atoms[ idx1 ].y, -atoms[ idx1 ↵
    ↵ ].z );
740 // find angle and rotate
741 long double angle = atan2( atoms[ idx2 ].y, atoms[ idx2 ].x );
742 rotate( angle );
743
744 if( atoms[ idx3 ].y < 0 )
745 {
746     reflect( "X" );
747 }
748
749 // Sort the points so that there is some unique order
750 sort( atoms.begin() , atoms.end() );
751
752 return true;
753 }
754
755
756 bool Structure::testCore( vector<int> idxArr, int idxM, int ↵
    ↵ idxN )
757 {
758     // Check to make sure that the core is correct by using all ↵
        ↵ possible bonds
759     // as the base and checking if the resulting bridge bonds are ↵
        ↵ part of the
760     // target distance list.
761
762     Point basePt1, basePt2,
763           apexPt1, apexPt2;
764     basePt1.x = 0; basePt1.y = 0;
765
766     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
767     long double bridgeDist, fracError;
768     int idxA, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, givenBridgeIdx;
769
770     int bondA = idxArr[ 0 ], bondB = idxArr[ 1 ], bondC = idxArr[ ↵

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771      $\leftrightarrow$  2 ],
        bondBP = idxArr[ 3 ], bondCP = idxArr[ 4 ], bondBridge =  $\leftrightarrow$ 
         $\leftrightarrow$  idxArr[ 5 ];
772
773     if( idxM == 1 )
774     {
775         swap( bondB, bondC );
776     }
777
778     vector<vector<int> > idxCombin( 6, idxArr );
779     idxCombin[ 0 ][ 0 ] = bondA; idxCombin[ 0 ][ 1 ] = bondB;
780     idxCombin[ 0 ][ 2 ] = bondC; idxCombin[ 0 ][ 3 ] = bondBP;
781     idxCombin[ 0 ][ 4 ] = bondCP; idxCombin[ 0 ][ 5 ] = bondBridge;
782
783     idxCombin[ 1 ][ 0 ] = bondB; idxCombin[ 1 ][ 1 ] = bondC;
784     idxCombin[ 1 ][ 2 ] = bondA; idxCombin[ 1 ][ 3 ] = bondBridge;
785     idxCombin[ 1 ][ 4 ] = bondBP; idxCombin[ 1 ][ 5 ] = bondCP;
786
787     idxCombin[ 2 ][ 0 ] = bondC; idxCombin[ 2 ][ 1 ] = bondB;
788     idxCombin[ 2 ][ 2 ] = bondA; idxCombin[ 2 ][ 3 ] = bondBridge;
789     idxCombin[ 2 ][ 4 ] = bondCP; idxCombin[ 2 ][ 5 ] = bondBP;
790
791     idxCombin[ 3 ][ 0 ] = bondBP; idxCombin[ 3 ][ 1 ] = bondB;
792     idxCombin[ 3 ][ 2 ] = bondBridge; idxCombin[ 3 ][ 3 ] = bondA;
793     idxCombin[ 3 ][ 4 ] = bondCP; idxCombin[ 3 ][ 5 ] = bondC;
794
795     idxCombin[ 4 ][ 0 ] = bondCP; idxCombin[ 4 ][ 1 ] = bondBP;
796     idxCombin[ 4 ][ 2 ] = bondA; idxCombin[ 4 ][ 3 ] = bondBridge;
797     idxCombin[ 4 ][ 4 ] = bondC; idxCombin[ 4 ][ 5 ] = bondB;
798
799     idxCombin[ 5 ][ 0 ] = bondBridge; idxCombin[ 5 ][ 1 ] = bondBP;
800     idxCombin[ 5 ][ 2 ] = bondB; idxCombin[ 5 ][ 3 ] = bondCP;
801     idxCombin[ 5 ][ 4 ] = bondC; idxCombin[ 5 ][ 5 ] = bondA;
802
803
804     bool success = true, localSuccess = false;
805     for( int i = 0; i < idxCombin.size(); ++i )
806     {
807         idxA = idxCombin[ i ][ 0 ]; idxB = idxCombin[ i ][ 1 ];
808         idxC = idxCombin[ i ][ 2 ]; idxD = idxCombin[ i ][ 3 ];
809         idxE = idxCombin[ i ][ 4 ]; givenBridgeIdx = idxCombin[ i ][  $\leftrightarrow$ 
             $\leftrightarrow$  ][ 5 ];
810         basePt2.x = dlist[ idxA ]; basePt2.y = 0;
811
812         placeApex( apexPt1, idxA, idxB, idxC, dlist );

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813     placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
814
815     for( int idxY = 0; idxY < 2; ++idxY )
816     {
817         if( idxY == 1 )
818         {
819             apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;
820         }
821
822         bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt1, apexPt2 );
823         fracError = fabs( dlist[ givenBridgeIdx ] - bridgeDist )/
824                        dlist[ givenBridgeIdx ];
825
826         if( fabs( apexPt2.y ) < 0.5 )
827         {
828             fracError /= 1000;
829         }
830
831         if( fracError < toler )
832         {
833             // cout << "fracError: " << fracError << endl;
834             localSuccess = true;
835             break;
836         }
837     }
838
839     if( localSuccess == false )
840     {
841         success = false;
842     }
843 }
844
845 cout << "Test_core..Good?" << boolalpha << success << endl;
846 return success;
847 }
848
849
850 int Structure::getDLfromFile( string dlistFile )
851 {
852     // Read file to get the list of distances for the ⇔
853     // ⇐ reconstruction.
854     // If filename is "rand2", then generate a random point set.
855
856     long double inputDist;
857     assert( ( "Target_distance_list_must_be_empty", ⇔

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856      $\leftrightarrow$  targetDL.size() == 0 ) );
857 ifstream inputFile;
858
859 if( dlistFile == "rand2" or dlistFile == "rand3" )
860 {
861     int N = targetSize;
862     for ( int i = 0; i < N; ++i )
863     {
864         atoms[ i ].x = N* float( rand() )/ RAND_MAX;
865         atoms[ i ].y = N* float( rand() )/ RAND_MAX;
866
867         if( dlistFile == "rand3" )
868         {
869             atoms[ i ].z = N* float( rand() )/ RAND_MAX;
870         }
871         atoms[ i ].cost = 0;
872     }
873
874     currSize = N;
875     updateCurrDL();
876     targetDL = currDL;
877 }
878 else
879 {
880     inputFile.open( dlistFile.data() );
881     assert( ("TroubleOpeningDistanceListFile", inputFile) );
882
883     while( inputFile >> inputDist )
884     {
885         targetDL.push_back( inputDist );
886     }
887     inputFile.close();
888
889     sort( targetDL.begin(), targetDL.end() );
890 }
891 return 0;
892 }
893
894
895 int Structure::printDLToFile( string fileName )
896 {
897     // Save the list of distances to the given file.
898
899     ofstream outFile( fileName.data() );
900     outFile.precision( 20 );

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901
902     cout << "currDL.size:_" << currDL.size() << endl;
903     if( outFile.is_open() )
904     {
905         for( int i = 0; i < currDL.size(); ++i )
906         {
907             outFile << currDL[i] << endl;
908         }
909         outFile.close();
910     }
911     else
912     {
913         cout << "unable_to_open_file" << endl;
914     }
915
916     return 0;
917 }
918
919
920 int Structure::getStruFromFile( string fileName )
921 {
922     // Read the structure from the given file so that it can used ↪
923     ↪ as a core.
924     assert( ( "List_of_atoms_should_be_empty", atoms.size() == 0 ↪
925             ↪ ) );
926
927     ifstream inputFile;
928     Point inputPt;
929     inputPt.cost = 0;
930
931     inputFile.open( fileName.data() );
932
933     while( inputFile >> inputPt.x
934            >> inputPt.y
935            >> inputPt.z )
936     {
937         atoms.push_back( inputPt );
938         cout << "Pt:_" << inputPt << endl;
939     }
940
941     inputFile.close();
942
943     currSize = atoms.size();
944     updateCurrDL();
945     targetDL = currDL;

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944     sort( atoms.begin(), atoms.end() );
945
946     return 0;
947 }
948
949
950 bool Structure::translate( long double distX, long double distY,
951                           long double distZ )
952 {
953     // Shift all the points in the structure by the given amounts ↪
954     ↪ in X, Y and Z
955     // directions.
956
957     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
958     {
959         atoms[ i ].x += distX;
960         atoms[ i ].y += distY;
961         atoms[ i ].z += distZ;
962     }
963
964     return true;
965 }
966
967 long double getAngle( Point pt1, Point pt2 )
968 {
969     // Assume that pt2 is along the x-axis
970     long double norm = sqrt( pt1.x*pt1.x + pt1.y*pt1.y + ↪
971                             ↪ pt1.z*pt1.z );
972     return acos( pt1.x/ norm );
973     // return atan2( sqrt( pt1.y* pt1.y + pt1.z* pt1.z ), pt1.x );
974 }
975
976 Point getAxis( Point pt1, Point pt2 )
977 {
978     // Assume pt2 is along the x-axis
979     // long double norm = sqrt( pt1.x*pt1.x + pt1.y*pt1.y + ↪
980     ↪ pt1.z*pt1.z );
981     long double norm = sqrt( pt1.y*pt1.y + pt1.z*pt1.z );
982     // cout << "pt1 in getAxis: " << pt1 << endl;
983     // cout << "norm in getAxis: " << norm << endl;
984     Point axis;
985     axis.x = 0;

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986     axis.y = pt1.z/ norm;
987     axis.z = -pt1.y/ norm;
988
989     return axis;
990 }
991
992
993 bool Structure::rotate( long double angle )
994 {
995     // Turn the structure about the Z axis by the given angle (in  $\hookrightarrow$ 
996          $\leftarrow$  radians).
997
998     long double cosT = cos( angle );
999     long double sinT = sin( angle );
1000     long double oldX, oldY;
1001
1002     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
1003     {
1004         oldX = atoms[i].x;
1005         oldY = atoms[i].y;
1006         atoms[i].x = oldX*cosT + oldY*sinT;
1007         atoms[i].y = -oldX*sinT + oldY*cosT;
1008     }
1009
1010     return true;
1011 }
1012
1013 bool Structure::rotate( long double angle, long double axisX,
1014                         long double axisY, long double axisZ )
1015 {
1016     // Make sure the axis components are normalized
1017
1018     // If angle is really small, don't bother with anything
1019     if( fabs( angle ) < 1e-6 )
1020     {
1021         // cout << "small angle: " << angle << endl;
1022         return true;
1023     }
1024
1025     // http://inside.mines.edu/~gmurray/ArbitraryAxisRotation/
1026     long double cosT = cos( angle );
1027     long double sinT = sin( angle );
1028     long double oldX, oldY, oldZ;
1029

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1030     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
1031     {
1032         oldX = atoms[i].x;
1033         oldY = atoms[i].y;
1034         oldZ = atoms[i].z;
1035         atoms[i].x = axisX* ( axisX*oldX + axisY*oldY + axisZ*oldZ ↯
1036                               ↯ )* ( 1 - cosT ) + oldX*cosT
1037                               + ( -axisZ*oldY + axisY*oldZ)* sinT;
1038         atoms[i].y = axisY* ( axisX*oldX + axisY*oldY + axisZ*oldZ ↯
1039                               ↯ )* ( 1 - cosT ) + oldY*cosT
1040                               + ( axisZ*oldX - axisX*oldZ)* sinT;
1041         atoms[i].z = axisZ* ( axisX*oldX + axisY*oldY + axisZ*oldZ ↯
1042                               ↯ )* ( 1 - cosT ) + oldZ*cosT
1043                               + ( -axisY*oldX + axisX*oldY)* sinT;
1044     }
1045
1046     return true;
1047 }
1048
1049 int Structure::reduceDlprecision( int newPrecision )
1050 {
1051     vector<Point> oldAtoms = atoms;
1052
1053     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
1054     {
1055         // FIXME declaring variable inside loop as a quick fix to ↯
1056         // ↯ make it work
1057         stringstream lessPreciseX;
1058         lessPreciseX.precision( newPrecision );
1059         lessPreciseX << atoms[i].x;
1060         lessPreciseX >> atoms[i].x;
1061
1062         stringstream lessPreciseY;
1063         lessPreciseY.precision( newPrecision );
1064         lessPreciseY << atoms[i].y;
1065         lessPreciseY >> atoms[i].y;
1066
1067         stringstream lessPreciseZ;
1068         lessPreciseZ.precision( newPrecision );
1069         lessPreciseZ << atoms[i].z;
1070         lessPreciseZ >> atoms[i].z;
1071     }

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1071     updateCurrDL();
1072     targetDL = currDL;
1073     atoms = oldAtoms;
1074
1075     for( int i = 0; i < targetDL.size(); ++i )
1076     {
1077         stringstream lessPrecise;
1078         lessPrecise.precision( newPrecision );
1079
1080         lessPrecise << targetDL[i];
1081         lessPrecise >> targetDL[i];
1082     }
1083
1084     return 0;
1085 }
1086
1087
1088 vector<Point> Structure::getCore( int coreSize )
1089 {
1090     cout << "coreSize, atoms.size(): " << coreSize << ', ' << ↵
1091         ↵ atoms.size() << endl;
1092     assert( ("Core size ≤ Size of structure", coreSize ≤ ↵
1093         ↵ atoms.size() ) );
1094     vector<Point> corePoints;
1095     corePoints.insert( corePoints.end(), atoms.begin(), ↵
1096         ↵ atoms.begin() + coreSize );
1097
1098     return corePoints;
1099 }
1100
1101
1102 int Structure::updateUsedDists()
1103 {
1104     int numUsed = 0;
1105     int usedNum = 0;
1106     // return 0; // FIX ME debug mode
1107     int idx;
1108     long double err1, err2;
1109     updateCurrDL();
1110
1111     for( int i = 0; i < currDL.size(); ++i )
1112     {
1113         idx = closestDist( currDL[i], targetDL );
1114         // cout << "idx, currD, tarD, flag: " << idx << ', ' << ↵
1115             ↵ currDL[ i ] << ', '

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1112 //      << targetDL[ idx ] << ', ' << usedDist[idx] << endl;
1113
1114
1115 // If idx is already excluded; then exclude the neighbour
1116 // FIX ME
1117 if ( usedDist[ idx ] )
1118 {
1119 // ++numUsed;
1120 }
1121
1122 // if ( usedDist[idx] and idx -1 >= 0 and idx + 1 < ⇐
1123 // ⇐ usedDist.size() -1 )
1124 if ( false )
1125 {
1126     err1 = fabs( targetDL[ idx + 1 ] - currDL[ i ] );
1127     err2 = fabs( targetDL[ idx - 1 ] - currDL[ i ] );
1128
1129     if ( err1 < err2 )
1130     {
1131         if ( err1 < 0.1 )
1132         {
1133             usedDist[ idx + 1 ] = true;
1134             ++numUsed;
1135         }
1136     }
1137     else
1138     {
1139         if ( err2 < 0.1 )
1140         {
1141             usedDist[ idx - 1 ] = true;
1142             ++numUsed;
1143         }
1144     }
1145 }
1146 else
1147 {
1148     usedDist[ idx ] = true;
1149     ++numUsed;
1150 }
1151 // cout << "excluding " << dlist[idx] << " for " << ⇐
1152 // ⇐ coreDlist[ i ] << endl;
1153 }
1154
1155 // cout << "Number of used distances: " << numUsed << endl;
1156 return 0;

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1155 }
1156
1157
1158 int Structure::updateFreeDL()
1159 {
1160     int idx;
1161     long double err1 , err2;
1162     vector<bool> exclude( targetDL.size() , false );
1163
1164     // updateCurrDL();
1165     for( int i = 0; i < currDL.size(); ++i )
1166     {
1167         idx = closestDist( currDL[i] , targetDL );
1168
1169         // If idx is already excluded; then exclude the neighbour
1170         // FIX ME
1171         if( exclude[idx] and idx -1 >= 0 and idx + 1 < ⇐
1172             ⇐ exclude.size() -1 )
1173         // if ( false )
1174         {
1175             err1 = fabs( targetDL[idx + 1] - currDL[i] );
1176             err2 = fabs( targetDL[idx - 1] - currDL[i] );
1177
1178             if( err1 < err2 )
1179             {
1180                 if( err1 < 0.1 )
1181                 {
1182                     exclude[idx + 1] = true;
1183                 }
1184             }
1185             else
1186             {
1187                 if( err2 < 0.1 )
1188                 {
1189                     exclude[idx - 1] = true;
1190                 }
1191             }
1192         }
1193         else
1194         {
1195             exclude[ idx ] = true;
1196         }
1197         // cout << "excluding " << targetDL[idx] << " for " << ⇐
1198         ⇐ currDL[ i ] << endl;
1199     }

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1198
1199 freeDL.clear();
1200 vector<long double> usedDlist;
1201 for( int i = 0; i < exclude.size(); ++i )
1202 {
1203     if( exclude[ i ] == false )
1204     {
1205         freeDL.push_back( targetDL[i] );
1206     }
1207     else
1208     {
1209         usedDlist.push_back( targetDL[i] );
1210     }
1211 }
1212
1213 cout << "targetDLerr_(usedDL,coreDL):_"
1214      << distListError( usedDlist, currDL ) << endl;
1215 // assert( freeDlist.size() + currDL.size() >= dlist.size() );
1216 cout << "Number_of_free_distances:_" << freeDL.size() << endl;
1217 cout << "Number_of_used_distances:_" << usedDlist.size() << ↵
1218      ↵ endl;
1219 return 0;
1220 }
1221
1222 long double Structure::getPtCost( Point pt )
1223 {
1224     // Function to calculate the cost of an individual point wrt ↵
1225     ↵ to the structure
1226     // and wrt to the target dlist
1227
1228     vector<long double> ptDlist( atoms.size(), 0 );
1229     // cout << "currSize: " << currSize << endl;
1230
1231     for( int i = 0; i < ptDlist.size(); ++i )
1232     {
1233         ptDlist[i] = getDistance( pt, atoms[i] );
1234         // cout << i << '\t' << ptDlist[i] << endl;
1235     }
1236
1237     // cout << endl;
1238     // getchar();
1239     // cout << "pt cost for " << pt << endl;
1240     return distListError( ptDlist );
1241 }

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1241
1242
1243 bool compareCost( const Point& pt1, const Point& pt2 )
1244 {
1245     return ( pt1.cost < pt2.cost );
1246 }
1247
1248
1249 bool Structure::updatePool( Point pt )
1250 {
1251     if( pool.size() == maxPoolSize and pt.cost > pool[  $\hookleftarrow$ 
1252          $\hookleftarrow$  pool.size()-1 ].cost )
1253     {
1254         return false;
1255     }
1256     // Make sure that the same point is not in the pool
1257     bool repeat = false;
1258     int orgIdx = -1;
1259
1260     for( int i = 0; i < pool.size(); ++i )
1261     {
1262         if( getDistance( pt, pool[i] ) < 0.2 )
1263         {
1264             if( pt.cost < pool[ i ].cost )
1265             {
1266                 pool.erase( pool.begin() + i );
1267             }
1268             else
1269             {
1270                 repeat = true;
1271                 orgIdx = i;
1272             }
1273         }
1274     }
1275
1276     if( repeat == false )
1277     {
1278         vector<Point>::const_iterator const it
1279             = lower_bound( pool.begin(), pool.end(), pt, compareCost );
1280         int idx = it - pool.begin();
1281         pool.insert( pool.begin() + idx, pt );
1282         cout << "adding pt: " << pt << ', ' << pt.cost << endl;
1283     }
1284

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1285     while( pool.size() > maxPoolSize )
1286     {
1287         pool.pop_back();
1288     }
1289
1290     return true;
1291 }
1292
1293
1294 bool Structure::doBuildup2( int newBase )
1295 {
1296     Point smPt;
1297     smPt.x = 2.42671232;
1298     smPt.y = 0.24021148;
1299     long double triToler = 0.1;
1300     Point zero;
1301     zero.x = zero.y = zero.z = 0;
1302     if( newBase == 0 )
1303     {
1304         newBase = 1;
1305     }
1306
1307     // FLXME quick hack as pt1 of base is already at origin
1308     long double distA = getDistance( zero, atoms[ newBase ] );
1309     long double distB = 0, distC = 0;
1310     long double error = 0.0L;
1311     Point testPt;
1312     int numTestPts = 0;
1313     cout << "distA: " << distA << endl;
1314
1315     for( int bIdx = 0; bIdx < targetDL.size(); bIdx++)
1316     {
1317         if( usedDist[ bIdx ] )
1318         {
1319             continue;
1320         }
1321
1322         distB = targetDL[ bIdx ];
1323         for( int cIdx = bIdx + 1; cIdx < targetDL.size(); cIdx++)
1324         {
1325             if( usedDist[ cIdx ] )
1326             {
1327                 continue;
1328             }
1329             distC = targetDL[ cIdx ];

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1330
1331     if( distA > distC )
1332     {
1333         if( ( distB + distC + triToler ) < distA )
1334         {
1335             continue;
1336         }
1337     }
1338     else
1339     {
1340         if( ( distA + distB + triToler ) < distC )
1341         {
1342             break;
1343         }
1344     }
1345
1346     // Place testPt
1347     // cout << "placing testPt" << endl;
1348     testPt.x = distA/2 - ( distC - distB ) * ( distC + distB ↪
1349         ↪ ) / ( 2 * distA );
1350     testPt.y = sqrt( ( distC + testPt.x - distA ) *
1351         ( distC - testPt.x + distA ) );
1352
1353     if( getDistance( testPt , smPt ) < 0.2 )
1354     {
1355         cout << "Missing point!" << endl;
1356         // getchar();
1357     }
1358     // In the case of nearly collinear points, to caculate ↪
1359     ↪ y, we maybe
1360     // taking the square root of a negative number. In such ↪
1361     ↪ cases, damp
1362     // it to zero.
1363     if( testPt.y != testPt.y )
1364     {
1365         testPt.y = 0;
1366     }
1367
1368     for( int m = 0; m < 2; m++ )
1369     {
1370         if( m == 1 )
1371         {
1372             testPt.x = distA - testPt.x;
1373         }
1374     }

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1372     for( int n = 0; n < 2; n++)
1373     {
1374         if( n == 1 )
1375         {
1376             testPt.y = - testPt.y;
1377         }
1378
1379         testPt.cost = error = getPtCost( testPt );
1380         if( ( testPt.cost - 0.00478091 ) < 0.001 )
1381         {
1382             cout << "testPt, error:" << testPt << ", " << ↵
1383                 ↵ error << endl;
1384             cout << "bIdx, cIdx, m, n:" << bIdx << ', ' << cIdx ↵
1385                 ↵ << ', '
1386                 << m << ', ' << n << endl;
1387             // getchar();
1388         }
1389         if( error < 0.2 )
1390         {
1391             updatePool( testPt );
1392             ++numTestPts;
1393         }
1394     } // n loop
1395 } // m loop
1396 } // c loop
1397 } // b loop
1398
1399 cout << "Number of points tested:" << numTestPts << endl;
1400 return 0;
1401 }
1402
1403 bool Structure::doBuildup3( int newBase )
1404 {
1405     Point smPt;
1406     smPt.x = 2.42671232;
1407     smPt.y = 0.24021148;
1408     long double triToler = 0.1;
1409     Point zero;
1410     zero.x = zero.y = zero.z = 0;
1411     if( newBase == 0 )
1412     {
1413         newBase = 1;
1414     }

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1415 // FIXME quick hack as pt1 of base is already at origin
1416 long double distA = getDistance( zero , atoms[ newBase ] );
1417 long double distB = 0, distC = 0;
1418 long double error = 0.0L;
1419 Point testPt;
1420 int numTestPts = 0;
1421 cout << "distA:␣" << distA << endl;
1422
1423 // updateFreeDL();
1424 // for( int bIdx = 0; bIdx < targetDL.size(); bIdx++)
1425 for( int bIdx = 0; bIdx < freeDL.size(); bIdx++)
1426 {
1427     // if( usedDist[ bIdx ] )
1428     // {
1429     //     continue;
1430     // }
1431
1432     distB = freeDL[ bIdx ];
1433     for( int cIdx = bIdx + 1; cIdx < freeDL.size(); cIdx++)
1434     {
1435         // if( usedDist[ cIdx ] )
1436         // {
1437         //     continue;
1438         // }
1439         distC = freeDL[ cIdx ];
1440
1441         if( distA > distC )
1442         {
1443             if( ( distB + distC + triToler ) < distA )
1444             {
1445                 continue;
1446             }
1447         }
1448         else
1449         {
1450             if( ( distA + distB + triToler ) < distC )
1451             {
1452                 break;
1453             }
1454         }
1455
1456         // cout << "bIdx, cIdx: " << bIdx << '\t' << cIdx << endl;
1457         // Place testPt
1458         // cout << "placing testPt" << endl;
1459         testPt.x = distA/2 - ( distC - distB ) * ( distC + distB ↯

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1460     ↵ )/ ( 2* distA );
1461 testPt.y = sqrt( ( distC + testPt.x - distA )*
1462                 ( distC - testPt.x + distA ) );
1463
1464 if( getDistance( testPt , smPt ) < 0.2 )
1465 {
1466     cout << "Missing point!" << endl;
1467     // getchar();
1468 }
1469 // In the case of nearly collinear points, to caculate ↵
1470     ↵ y, we maybe
1471 // taking the square root of a negative number. In such ↵
1472     ↵ cases, damp
1473 // it to zero.
1474 if( testPt.y != testPt.y )
1475 {
1476     testPt.y = 0;
1477 }
1478
1479 for( int m = 0; m < 2; m++ )
1480 {
1481     if( m == 1 )
1482     {
1483         testPt.x = distA - testPt.x;
1484     }
1485
1486     for( int n = 0; n < 2; n++ )
1487     {
1488         if( n == 1 )
1489         {
1490             testPt.y = - testPt.y;
1491         }
1492
1493         testPt.cost = error = getPtCost( testPt );
1494         // if( ( testPt.cost - 0.00478091 ) < 0.001 )
1495         // {
1496         //     cout << "testPt, error: " << testPt << ", " << ↵
1497             ↵ error << endl;
1498         //     cout << "bIdx, cIdx, m, n: " << bIdx << ', ' << ↵
1499             ↵ cIdx << ', '
1500         //         << m << ', ' << n << endl;
1501         //     // getchar();
1502         // }
1503         // cout << "testPt, cost: " << testPt << ', ' << error ↵
1504             ↵ << endl;

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1499
1500         if( error < 0.2 )
1501         {
1502             updatePool( testPt );
1503             ++numTestPts;
1504         }
1505     } // n loop
1506 } // m loop
1507 } // c loop
1508 } // b loop
1509
1510 cout << "Number_of_points_tested:_" << numTestPts << endl;
1511 return 0;
1512 }
1513
1514
1515 long double Structure::getPtsCost( Point pt1, Point pt2 )
1516 {
1517     // Replacing brute force implementation with the one based on
1518     // reusing the cost of p1, p2 calculated earlier.
1519
1520     vector<long double> ptsDlist;
1521     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
1522     {
1523         ptsDlist.push_back( getDistance( pt1, atoms[i] ) );
1524         ptsDlist.push_back( getDistance( pt2, atoms[i] ) );
1525     }
1526
1527     ptsDlist.push_back( getDistance( pt1, pt2 ) );
1528     sort( ptsDlist.begin(), ptsDlist.end() );
1529
1530     // cout << "pt1, pt2" << endl;
1531     // cout << pt1 << endl;
1532     // cout << pt2 << endl;
1533     // for( int i = 0; i < ptsDlist.size(); ++i )
1534     // {
1535     //     cout << "Dlist: " << i << '\t' << ptsDlist[ i ] << endl;
1536     // }
1537
1538     if ( ptsDlist[0] < 0.33* targetDL[ 0 ] )
1539     {
1540         // cout << "overlap " << endl;
1541         // getchar();
1542         return 1.0;
1543     }

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1544
1545     return distListError( ptsDlist );
1546 }
1547
1548
1549 int Structure::insertPoint( Point pt )
1550 {
1551     // FIXME faster to use binary search
1552     Point zero;
1553
1554     for( int idx = 0; idx < atoms.size(); ++idx )
1555     {
1556         if( getDistance( pt, zero ) < getDistance( atoms[ idx ],  $\leftrightarrow$ 
1557              $\leftrightarrow$  zero ) )
1558         {
1559             atoms.insert( atoms.begin() + idx, pt );
1560             return 0;
1561         }
1562     }
1563     atoms.push_back( pt );
1564     return 0;
1565 }
1566
1567
1568 bool Structure::growStru()
1569 {
1570     printPool();
1571
1572     bool growthFlag = false;
1573     if( pool.size() < 2 )
1574     {
1575         cout << "Small pool" << endl;
1576         return false;
1577     }
1578
1579     long double cost2pts = 0;
1580     long double minCost = 1e6;
1581     size_t idx1best = 0, idx2best = 0;
1582
1583     for( int idx1 = 0; idx1 < pool.size(); ++idx1 )
1584     {
1585         for( int idx2 = idx1 + 1; idx2 < pool.size(); ++idx2 )
1586         {
1587             cost2pts = getPtsCost( pool[ idx1 ], pool[ idx2 ] );

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1588         // cout << "idx1, idx2, cost: " << idx1 << ", " << idx2 <<
           << << ", "
1589         // << setprecision( 8 ) << cost2pts << endl;
1590         if( cost2pts < minCost )
1591         {
1592             idx1best = idx1;
1593             idx2best = idx2;
1594             minCost = cost2pts;
1595         }
1596     } // idx2 loop
1597 } // idx1 loop
1598
1599 if( minCost < 1 )
1600 {
1601     // cout << "best idx: " << idx1best << ', ' << idx2best << '; '
1602     // << " potential cost: " << setprecision( 8 ) << <<
           << minCost << endl;
1603
1604     insertPoint( pool[ idx1best ] );
1605     insertPoint( pool[ idx2best ] );
1606     growthFlag = true;
1607     updateCurrDL();
1608     cout << "adding pts with idx: " << idx1best << ", " << <<
           << idx2best << endl;
1609     cout << "*** " << pool[ idx1best ] << endl;
1610     cout << "*** " << pool[ idx2best ] << endl;
1611 }
1612
1613 // getch();
1614 return growthFlag;
1615 }
1616
1617
1618 int Structure::printPool()
1619 {
1620     cout << "**** " << "Points in the pool and their cost" << " " <<
           << "****" << endl;
1621
1622     for( int i = 0; i < pool.size(); ++i )
1623     {
1624         // cout << i << '\t' << pool[i] << '\t' << setprecision( 8 ) <<
           << ) << pool[i].cost
1625         // << endl;
1626         long double ptCost = getPtCost( pool[ i ] );
1627         cout << i << '\t' << pool[i] << '\t' << setprecision( 8 ) <<

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1628         ↔ << ptCost
1629         << endl;
1630     }
1631     cout << endl;
1632     // getchar();
1633     return 0;
1634 }
1635
1636
1637 int Structure::getPools()
1638 {
1639     // func that gets and combines the pools from the 3 bonds in ↔
1640     // ↔ the base triangle
1641     // and then is ready for doing buildup
1642     // FIXME quick hack to fix some failed reconstructions
1643     // srand( time( NULL ) );
1644
1645     int numPools = 1;
1646     int basePt1 = 0, basePt2 = 1;
1647     int oldBasePt1 = basePt1, oldBasePt2 = basePt2;
1648     vector<Point> oldAtoms = atoms, newPool;
1649     long double newOx, newOy, newOz, angle;
1650
1651     for( int i = 1; i <= numPools; ++i )
1652     {
1653         do
1654         {
1655             basePt1 = rand() % atoms.size();
1656             basePt2 = rand() % atoms.size();
1657             if( basePt1 > basePt2 )
1658             {
1659                 swap( basePt1, basePt2 );
1660             }
1661         } while( basePt2 == basePt1
1662                 or basePt1 == oldBasePt1
1663                 or basePt2 == oldBasePt2
1664                 or basePt1 == oldBasePt2
1665                 or basePt2 == oldBasePt1 );
1666
1667         oldBasePt1 = basePt1;
1668         oldBasePt2 = basePt2;
1669         cout << "newBase:␣" << basePt1 << '\t' << basePt2 << endl;
1670

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1671 newOx = atoms[ basePt1 ].x;
1672 newOy = atoms[ basePt1 ].y;
1673 newOz = atoms[ basePt1 ].z;
1674
1675 // angle = atan2( atoms[ basePt2 ].y - atoms[ basePt1 ].y,
1676 //               atoms[ basePt2 ].x - atoms[ basePt1 ].x );
1677 // translate( -newOx, -newOy, -newOz );
1678 // rotate( angle );
1679
1680 // cout << "before buildup" << endl;
1681 // print();
1682 // doBuildup2( basePt2 );
1683
1684 // doBuildup3( basePt2 );
1685
1686 // translate( -newOx, -newOy, -newOz );
1687 // Point pt2;
1688 // pt2.x = 1; pt2.y = 0; pt2.z = 0;
1689 // long double angle = getAngle( atoms[ basePt2 ], pt2 );
1690 // Point axis = getAxis( atoms[ basePt2 ], pt2 );
1691 // rotate( angle, axis.x, axis.y, axis.z );
1692
1693 doBuildup3Dv2( 0, 1, 2 );
1694 atoms.insert( atoms.end(), pool.begin(), pool.end() );
1695
1696 // rotate( -angle, axis.x, axis.y, axis.z );
1697 // translate( newOx, newOy, newOz );
1698
1699 // rotate( -angle );
1700 // translate( newOx, newOy, newOz );
1701
1702 // cout << "after buildup" << endl;
1703 // print();
1704
1705 newPool.insert( newPool.end(), atoms.begin() + ↵
1706               ↵ oldAtoms.size(),
1707               atoms.end() );
1708 pool.clear();
1709 atoms = oldAtoms;
1710 }
1711 for( int j = 0; j < newPool.size(); ++j )
1712 {
1713     updatePool( newPool[ j ] );
1714 }

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1715
1716     return 0;
1717 }
1718
1719
1720 int Structure::getPools2()
1721 {
1722     // func that gets and combines the pools from the 3 bonds in  $\hookrightarrow$ 
1723      $\hookleftarrow$  the base triangle
1724     // and then is ready for doing buildup
1725
1726     // FIXME quick hack to fix some failed reconstructions
1727     // srand( time( NULL ) );
1728
1729     int numPools = 2;
1730     int basePt1 = 0, basePt2 = 1, basePt3 = 2;
1731     int oldBasePt1 = basePt1, oldBasePt2 = basePt2, oldBasePt3 =  $\hookrightarrow$ 
1732      $\hookleftarrow$  basePt3;
1733     vector<Point> oldAtoms = atoms, newPool;
1734     long double newOx, newOy, newOz, angle;
1735
1736     for( int i = 1; i <= numPools; ++i )
1737     {
1738         do
1739         {
1740             basePt1 = rand() % atoms.size();
1741             basePt2 = rand() % atoms.size();
1742             basePt3 = rand() % atoms.size();
1743             // } while( basePt3 == oldBasePt3
1744             //           or basePt3 == basePt1
1745             //           or basePt3 == basePt2 );
1746             while( basePt2 == basePt1
1747                 or basePt3 == basePt2
1748                 or basePt3 == basePt1
1749                 or basePt1 == oldBasePt1
1750                 or basePt2 == oldBasePt2
1751                 or basePt1 == oldBasePt3
1752                 or basePt1 == oldBasePt2
1753                 or basePt2 == oldBasePt1
1754                 or basePt3 == oldBasePt3
1755                 or basePt3 == oldBasePt1
1756                 or basePt3 == oldBasePt2 );
1757
1758     cout << "newBase:_" << basePt1 << '\t' << basePt2 << '\t'
1759     << basePt3 << endl;

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1758
1759     oldBasePt1 = basePt1;
1760     oldBasePt2 = basePt2;
1761     oldBasePt3 = basePt3;
1762
1763     int sum = basePt1 + basePt2 + basePt3;
1764     basePt1 = min( min( oldBasePt1, oldBasePt2 ), oldBasePt3 );
1765     basePt3 = max( max( oldBasePt1, oldBasePt2 ), oldBasePt3 );
1766     basePt2 = sum - basePt1 - basePt3;
1767
1768     oldBasePt1 = basePt1;
1769     oldBasePt2 = basePt2;
1770     oldBasePt3 = basePt3;
1771     cout << "newBase:␣" << basePt1 << '\t' << basePt2 << '\t'
1772           << basePt3 << endl;
1773
1774     // basePt1 = 0; basePt2 = 1; basePt3 = atoms.size() - 1;
1775     // basePt1 = 1; basePt2 = 2; basePt3 = 3;
1776     newOx = atoms[ basePt1 ].x;
1777     newOy = atoms[ basePt1 ].y;
1778     newOz = atoms[ basePt1 ].z;
1779
1780     translate( -newOx, -newOy, -newOz );
1781     // cout << "Translate to new origin" << endl;
1782     // print();
1783     // getchar();
1784
1785     Point pt2;
1786     pt2.x = 1; pt2.y = 0; pt2.z = 0;
1787     long double angle = getAngle( atoms[ basePt2 ], pt2 );
1788     Point axis = getAxis( atoms[ basePt2 ], pt2 );
1789
1790     // cout << atoms[ basePt2 ] << endl;
1791     // cout << "angle, axis: " << angle << ', ' << axis.x << ', '
1792     //                               << axis.y << ', ' << axis.z << endl;
1793     rotate( angle, axis.x, axis.y, axis.z );
1794
1795     // long double angle2 = getAngle( atoms[ basePt2 ], pt2 );
1796     // Point axis2 = getAxis( atoms[ basePt2 ], pt2 );
1797     //
1798     // cout << atoms[ basePt2 ] << endl;
1799     // cout << "angle, axis: " << angle2 << ', ' << axis2.x << ', '
1800     //                               << axis2.y << ', ' << axis2.z << ⇐
1801     ⇐ endl;
1801     // rotate( angle2, axis2.x, axis2.y, axis2.z );

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1802
1803 // cout << "Rotate to make new base bond along the X axis" <<
        << endl;
1804 // print();
1805 // getchar();
1806 long double angle3 = atan2( atoms[ basePt3 ].z, atoms[
        << basePt3 ].y );
1807 cout << "-angle3, axis:" << -angle3 << ', ' << "1" << ', '
        << "0" << ', ' << "0" << endl;
1808
1809 rotate( -angle3, 1, 0, 0 );
1810 // print();
1811 // cout << "angle3, axis: " << angle3 << ', ' << "1" << ', '
        << "0" << ', ' << "0" << endl;
1812 //
1813 // rotate( angle3, 1, 0, 0 );
1814 // print();
1815 // getchar();
1816 // return 1;
1817
1818 doBuildup3Dv2( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3 );
1819 atoms.insert( atoms.end(), pool.begin(), pool.end() );
1820 rotate( angle3, 1, 0, 0 );
1821 // print();
1822 rotate( -angle, axis.x, axis.y, axis.z );
1823 // print();
1824 translate( newOx, newOy, newOz );
1825 // print();
1826 // getchar();
1827
1828 cout << "Size of newPool:" << newPool.size() << endl;
1829 newPool.insert( newPool.end(), atoms.begin() +
        << oldAtoms.size(),
        atoms.end() );
1830
1831 cout << "Size of newPool:" << newPool.size() << endl;
1832 pool.clear();
1833
1834 atoms.clear();
1835 atoms = oldAtoms;
1836 }
1837
1838 for( int j = 0; j < newPool.size(); ++j )
1839 {
1840     cout << "update, ";
1841     updatePool( newPool[ j ] );
1842     // getchar();
1843 }

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1844
1845     return 0;
1846 }
1847
1848
1849 int print2structures( vector<Point>& stru1 , vector<Point>& ↵
    ↵ stru2 )
1850 {
1851     // For convenience print stru1, stru2 format
1852     assert( stru1.size() >= stru2.size() );
1853     cout << "****↵" << "Printing↵2↵structures" << "↵****" << endl;
1854     Point zero;
1855     long double r1, r2, diff;
1856     int i = 0, j = 0;
1857     long double distToler = 0.5;
1858
1859     while( i < stru1.size() and j < stru2.size() )
1860     {
1861         r1 = getDistance( stru1[i], zero );
1862         r2 = getDistance( stru2[j], zero );
1863         diff = getDistance( stru1[i], stru2[j] );
1864
1865         if( fabs( r1 - r2 ) < distToler and diff < distToler )
1866         {
1867             cout << i << '\t' << "(↵" << stru1[i] << "↵)"
1868                 << '\t' << "(↵" << stru2[j] << "↵)"
1869                 << '\t' << getDistance( stru1[i], stru2[j] );
1870             ++i;
1871             ++j;
1872         }
1873         else if( r1 < r2 )
1874         {
1875             cout << i << '\t' << "(↵" << stru1[i] << "↵)"
1876                 << '\t' << "(↵" << zero << "↵)"
1877                 << '\t' << getDistance( stru1[i], zero );
1878             ++i;
1879         }
1880         else
1881         {
1882             cout << "-1" << '\t' << "(↵" << zero << "↵)"
1883                 << '\t' << "(↵" << stru2[j] << "↵)"
1884                 << '\t' << getDistance( zero, stru2[j] );
1885             ++j;
1886         }
1887

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1888     cout << endl;
1889 }
1890
1891 while( i != stru1.size() )
1892 {
1893     cout << i << '\t' << "( " << stru1[i] << " )" << endl;
1894     ++i;
1895 }
1896
1897 while( j != stru2.size() )
1898 {
1899     cout << "-1" << '\t' << "( " << zero << " )"
1900         << '\t' << "( " << stru2[j] << " )"
1901         << '\t' << getDistance( zero, stru2[j] ) << endl;
1902     ++j;
1903 }
1904 cout << endl;
1905
1906 // cout << "i, j: " << i << ', ' << j << endl;
1907 return 0;
1908 }
1909
1910
1911 bool Structure::reconstruct2()
1912 {
1913     bool growth = false;
1914     int resetNum = 0;
1915     vector<Point> givenCore = atoms;
1916     updateCurrDL();
1917     cout << "size of given core: " << givenCore.size() << endl;
1918
1919     while( atoms.size() < targetSize )
1920     {
1921         // updateUsedDists();
1922         // updateCurrDL();
1923         updateFreeDL();
1924         cout << "size of freeDL: " << freeDL.size() << endl;
1925
1926         if( false and growth and atoms.size() >= 20 and
1927             targetSize > 20 and ( atoms.size()/ 2 ) % 2 == 0 )
1928         {
1929         }
1930     else
1931     {
1932         pool.clear();

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1933     // getPools();
1934     getPools2();
1935 }
1936 cout << "pool.size:_" << pool.size() << endl;
1937 cout << "Pool_pt0, _cost:_" << pool[0] << ', ' << getPtCost( ↵
    ↵ pool[0] ) << endl;

1938
1939     growth = growStru();
1940     sort( atoms.begin(), atoms.end() );
1941     // cout << "solution size: " << atoms.size() << endl;
1942     if( resetNum >= 2 )
1943     {
1944         break;
1945     }
1946     if( growth == false )
1947     {
1948         print();
1949         atoms = givenCore;
1950         updateCurrDL();
1951         ++resetNum;
1952     }
1953     // getchar();
1954 }
1955
1956     return ( atoms.size() == targetSize );
1957     // return growth;
1958 }
1959
1960
1961 bool Structure::findCore3D()
1962 {
1963     bool successFlag = false;
1964
1965     // 10 bonds in the tetrahedron
1966     int idxA = 0, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, idxF, idxG, idxH, idxI, ↵
    ↵ idxJ, idxM;
1967     int bridgeIdx;
1968     long double counter = 0; // number of tetrahedra
1969     long double bridgeDist = 0;
1970     long double fmin, fmax, imin, imax, fracError;
1971
1972     int invC = 0; // # invalid cores
1973     // bond window
1974     int winStart = 0, inc = 10, winStop = winStart + inc; // ↵
    ↵ windowing on

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1975 vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
1976 cout << "targetDL_size:_" << targetDL.size() << endl;
1977
1978 Point basePt1, basePt2, basePt3,
1979       apexPt1, apexPt2;
1980 basePt1.x = 0; basePt1.y = 0; basePt1.z = 0;
1981 basePt2.x = dlist[ idxA ]; basePt2.y = 0; basePt2.z = 0;
1982 cout << "basePt1:_" << basePt1.x << "_" << basePt1.y << "_" <<
    << basePt1.z
1983     << endl;
1984 cout << "basePt2:_" << basePt2.x << "_" << basePt2.y << "_" <<
    << basePt2.z
1985     << endl;
1986 cout << "Bond_window:_" ;
1987
1988 int countC = 0; // count number of cores
1989 vector<int> idxArr( 6, 0 );
1990 while( true ) // window loop
1991 {
1992     cerr << "->" << winStop;
1993
1994     // base triangle
1995     for( idxB = 1; idxB < winStop; ++idxB )
1996     {
1997         // cout << endl << "idxB:" << idxB << ", "; // endl;
1998         // cout << "idxC: ";
1999         for( idxC = idxB + 1; idxC < winStop; ++idxC )
2000         {
2001             // cout << "_" << idxC << "_"; // << endl;
2002             // NOTE: c>b so we have to check only 1 triangle <<
    << inequality
2003             if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxB ] + toler < dlist[ idxC <<
    << ] ) break;
2004
2005             placeApex( basePt3, idxA, idxB, idxC, dlist );
2006
2007             for( idxD = 1; idxD < winStop; ++idxD )
2008             {
2009                 if( idxD == idxB or idxD == idxC ) continue;
2010                 if( idxD < idxB ) continue;
2011                 for( idxE = 1; idxE < winStop; ++idxE )
2012                 {
2013                     if( idxE < idxB ) continue;
2014                     if( idxE == idxB or idxE == idxC or idxE == idxD ) <<
    << continue;

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2015 // triangle inequalities
2016 if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxE ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
      ⇐ idxD ] ) continue;
2017 if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
      ⇐ idxE ] ) break;

2018
2019 placeApex( apexPt1, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
2020
2021 fmin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt1 );
2022 apexPt1.y = - apexPt1.y;
2023 fmax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt1 );
2024
2025 for( idxF = 1; idxF < dlist.size(); ++idxF )
2026 {
2027     if( dlist[idxF] < ( fmin - toler ) ) continue;
2028     if( dlist[idxF] > ( fmax + toler ) ) break;
2029     if( idxF == idxB or idxF == idxC or idxF == idxD ⇐
      ⇐ or idxF == idxE ) continue;

2030
2031     idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 5 ] = idxF;
2032     idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB; idxArr[ 4 ] = idxE;
2033     idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxD;
2034     placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, apexPt1, ⇐
      ⇐ idxArr, dlist );

2035
2036     for( idxG = 1; idxG < winStop; ++idxG )
2037     {
2038         if( idxG < idxB ) continue;
2039         if( idxG == idxB or idxG == idxC or idxG == ⇐
      ⇐ idxD or
2040             idxG == idxE or idxG == idxF ) continue;
2041         if( idxG < idxD ) continue;
2042         for( idxH = 1; idxH < winStop; ++idxH )
2043         {
2044             if( idxH < idxB ) continue;
2045             if( idxH == idxB or idxH == idxC or idxH == ⇐
      ⇐ idxD or
2046                 idxH == idxE or idxH == idxF or idxH == ⇐
      ⇐ idxG ) continue;
2047             if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxH ] + toler < ⇐
      ⇐ dlist[ idxG ] ) continue; // triangle ⇐
      ⇐ inequality
2048             if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxG ] + toler < ⇐
      ⇐ dlist[ idxH ] ) break; // triangle ⇐
      ⇐ inequality

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2049
2050 placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxG, idxH, dlist );
2051
2052 imin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2053 apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;
2054 imax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2055 // cout << "bp3, ap2: " << basePt3 << ', ' << ↵
    ↵ apexPt2 << endl;
2056
2057 for( idxI = 1; idxI < dlist.size(); ++idxI )
2058 {
2059     if( idxI == idxB or idxI == idxC or idxI == ↵
        ↵ idxD or
2060         idxI == idxE or idxI == idxF or idxI == ↵
            ↵ idxG or
2061             idxI == idxH ) continue;
2062 // correct windowing
2063 if( idxH < winStart and idxG < winStart and
2064     idxE < winStart and idxD < winStart and
2065     idxC < winStart and idxB < winStart) ↵
        ↵ continue;
2066
2067 if( dlist[ idxI ] < ( imin - toler ) ) ↵
    ↵ continue;
2068 if( dlist[ idxI ] > ( imax + toler ) ) break;
2069
2070 // cout << "abcdefghi: " << idxA << ', ' << ↵
    ↵ idxB << ', '
2071 //                                << idxC << ', ' << ↵
    ↵ idxD << ', '
2072 //                                << idxE << ', ' << ↵
    ↵ idxF << ', '
2073 //                                << idxG << ', ' << ↵
    ↵ idxH << ', '
2074 //                                << idxI << endl;
2075 // cout << "dlist-I, imin, imax: " << ↵
    ↵ dlist[ idxI ] << ', ' << imin << ', ' << ↵
    ↵ imax << endl << endl;
2076
2077 idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 5 ] = idxI;
2078 idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB; idxArr[ 4 ] = idxH;
2079 idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxG;
2080 placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, ↵
    ↵ apexPt2, idxArr, dlist );
2081

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2082     for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
2083     {
2084         apexPt2.z = pow( -1.0L, idxM ) * ↵
                ↵ apexPt2.z; // reflect about XY plane
2085
2086         bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt1, ↵
                ↵ apexPt2 );
2087         counter += 1;
2088
2089         if( bridgeDist != bridgeDist ) getchar(); ↵
                ↵ // cout << p4 << '\t' << p5 << endl;
2090         if( ( bridgeDist < ( dlist[ 0 ] - ↵
                ↵ bridgeDist* toler ) ) or
2091             ( bridgeDist > ( dlist[ dlist.size() ↵
                ↵ - 1 ] + bridgeDist* toler ) ) ) ↵
                ↵ continue;
2092         idxJ = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
2093
2094         if( idxJ == idxA and idxJ == idxB and ↵
                ↵ idxJ == idxC and
2095             idxJ == idxD and idxJ == idxE and ↵
                ↵ idxJ == idxF and
2096             idxJ == idxG and idxJ == idxH and ↵
                ↵ idxJ == idxI )
2097         {
2098             continue;
2099         }
2100
2101         fracError = fabs( dlist[ idxJ ] - ↵
                ↵ bridgeDist ) / bridgeDist;
2102         if( fracError < toler )
2103         {
2104             atoms.push_back( basePt1 );
2105             atoms.push_back( basePt2 );
2106             atoms.push_back( basePt3 );
2107
2108             atoms.push_back( apexPt1 );
2109             atoms.push_back( apexPt2 );
2110
2111             cout << endl << "3D_core_found!!!" << ↵
                ↵ endl;
2112             cout << bridgeDist << '\t' << dlist[ ↵
                ↵ idxJ ] << '\t'
2113                 << fabs( bridgeDist - dlist[ idxJ ↵
                ↵ ] ) << endl;

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2114     cout << "bridgeDist:_" << bridgeDist << "\n" << endl;
2115     cout << "core_finder_counter:_" << counter << endl;
2116
2117     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
2118     {
2119         cout << "Point:_" << i + 1 << '\t' << atoms[ i ] << endl;
2120     }
2121
2122     // Adding the buildup inside core finder to deal
2123     // with bad cores
2124     doBuildup3D( idxArr );
2125     if( atoms.size() >= min( 8, targetSize ) )
2126     {
2127         // If buildup was able to add 4 more points then with
2128         // high probability, we have the right structure.
2129         cout << "_atoms_size:_" << atoms.size() << endl;
2130         return true;
2131     }
2132     else
2133     {
2134         // If buildup could not even 4 points then with a very
2135         // high probability, we have the wrong structure. Start
2136         // over and find the next core.
2137         cout << "No_buildup, _bad_core_" << "Finding_the_next_core..." << endl;
2138         atoms.clear();
2139         updateCurrDL();
2140         // cout << "Bond window: ";
2141     }
2142     // return true;
2143 }
2144 } // m loop
2145 } // i loop
2146 } // h loop
2147

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2148         } // g loop
2149     } // f loop
2150 } // e loop
2151 } // d loop
2152 } // c loop
2153 } // b loop
2154
2155     cout << "counter:_"<< counter << endl;
2156     winStart = winStop; winStop += inc;
2157     if( winStart == dlist.size() ) break;
2158
2159     if( winStop > dlist.size() )
2160     {
2161         winStop = dlist.size();
2162     }
2163
2164     cout << "searching _in _a_"<< winStop << "_bond _window" << endl;
2165 } // window while loop
2166
2167 return successFlag;
2168 }
2169
2170
2171 bool Structure::doBuildup3D( vector<int> idxArr )
2172 {
2173     bool successFlag = false;
2174
2175     // 10 bonds in the tetrahedron
2176     int idxA = idxArr[ 0 ], idxB = idxArr[ 1 ], idxC = idxArr[ 2 ],
2177         idxD = idxArr[ 3 ], idxE = idxArr[ 4 ], idxF = idxArr[ 5 ],
2178         idxG, idxH, idxI, idxJ, idxM;
2179
2180     int bridgeIdx;
2181     long double counter = 0; // number of tetrahedra
2182     long double bridgeDist = 0;
2183     long double fmin, fmax, imin, imax, fracError;
2184
2185     int invC = 0; // # invalid cores
2186     // bond window
2187     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
2188     int winStart = 0, winStop = dlist.size(); // windowing off
2189
2190     Point basePt1 = atoms[ 0 ], basePt2 = atoms[ 1 ], basePt3 = ⇐
        ⇐ atoms[ 2 ],
2191         apexPt1 = atoms[ 3 ], apexPt2;

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2192
2193 int countC = 0; // count number of cores
2194
2195 for( idxG = 0; idxG < winStop; ++idxG )
2196 {
2197     if( idxG == idxB or idxG == idxC or idxG == idxD or
2198         idxG == idxE or idxG == idxF ) continue;
2199     if( usedDist[ idxG ] ) continue;
2200
2201     for( idxH = 0; idxH < winStop; ++idxH )
2202     {
2203         if( idxH == idxB or idxH == idxC or idxH == idxD or
2204             idxH == idxE or idxH == idxF or idxH == idxG ) continue;
2205         if( usedDist[ idxH ] ) continue;
2206
2207         if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxH ] + toler < dlist[ idxG ] ⇔
2208             ⇐ ) continue; // triangle inequality
2209         if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxG ] + toler < dlist[ idxH ] ⇔
2210             ⇐ ) break; // triangle inequality
2211         if( dlist[ idxH ] + dlist[ idxG ] + toler < dlist[ idxA ] ⇔
2212             ⇐ ) continue; // triangle inequality
2213
2214         placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxG, idxH, dlist );
2215
2216         imin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2217         apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;
2218         imax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2219         // cout << "bp3, ap2: " << basePt3 << ', ' << apexPt2 << ⇔
2220             ⇐ endl;
2221
2222         for( idxI = 0; idxI < dlist.size(); ++idxI )
2223         {
2224             if( idxI == idxB or idxI == idxC or idxI == idxD or
2225                 idxI == idxE or idxI == idxF or idxI == idxG or
2226                 idxI == idxH ) continue;
2227             if( usedDist[ idxI ] ) continue;
2228
2229             if( dlist[ idxI ] < ( imin - toler ) ) continue;
2230             if( dlist[ idxI ] > ( imax + toler ) ) break;
2231
2232             idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 5 ] = idxI;
2233             idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB; idxArr[ 4 ] = idxH;
2234             idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxG;
2235             placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, apexPt2, idxArr, ⇔
2236                 ⇐ dlist );

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2232
2233 for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
2234 {
2235     apexPt2.z = pow( -1.0L, idxM )* apexPt2.z; // reflect ⇔
                ⇔ about XY plane
2236     counter += 1;
2237
2238     bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt1, apexPt2 );
2239     if( bridgeDist != bridgeDist ) getchar(); // cout << ⇔
                ⇔ p4 << '\t' << p5 << endl;
2240     if( ( bridgeDist < ( dlist[ 0 ] - bridgeDist* toler ) ⇔
                ⇔ ) or
2241         ( bridgeDist > ( dlist[ dlist.size() - 1 ] + ⇔
                ⇔ bridgeDist* toler ) ) ) continue;
2242     idxJ = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
2243
2244     if( idxJ == idxA and idxJ == idxB and idxJ == idxC and
2245         idxJ == idxD and idxJ == idxE and idxJ == idxF and
2246         idxJ == idxG and idxJ == idxH and idxJ == idxI )
2247     {
2248         continue;
2249     }
2250     if( usedDist[ idxJ ] ) continue;
2251
2252     fracError = fabs( dlist[ idxJ ] - bridgeDist )/ ⇔
                ⇔ bridgeDist;
2253     if( fracError < toler )
2254     {
2255         atoms.push_back( apexPt2 );
2256
2257         cout << endl << "Point found!!!" << endl;
2258         cout << bridgeDist << '\t' << dlist[ idxJ ] << '\t'
2259             << fabs( bridgeDist - dlist[ idxJ ] ) << endl;
2260         cout << "bridgeDist:␣" << bridgeDist << endl;
2261         cout << "counter:␣" << counter << endl;
2262
2263         cout << "Point:␣" << atoms.size() << '\t'
2264             << atoms[ atoms.size() - 1 ] << endl;
2265
2266         usedDist[ idxG ] = usedDist[ idxH ] = usedDist[ ⇔
                ⇔ idxI ]
2267             = usedDist[ idxJ ] = true;
2268         if( atoms.size() == targetSize )
2269         {
2270             cout << "buildup␣counter:␣" << counter << endl;

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2271         return true;
2272     }
2273
2274     }
2275     } // m loop
2276     } // i loop
2277     } // h loop
2278 } // g loop
2279
2280 cout << "counter: " << counter << endl;
2281 return false;
2282 }
2283
2284
2285 bool Structure::home3D( int distIdx )
2286 {
2287     // Orient the structure in a unique manner so that it becomes ↗
2288     ↖ easy to check
2289     // if two or more structure are identical to one another or not.
2290
2291     long double minDist = 1e6;
2292     int idx1 = 0, idx2 = 1;
2293     long double dist = 1e6, err, minErr;
2294     minErr = fabs( targetDL[ distIdx ] - getDistance( atoms[ idx1 ↗
2295     ↖ ], atoms[ idx2 ] ) );
2296
2297     // Find the correct bond in the structure
2298     for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
2299     {
2300         for( int j = i + 1; j < atoms.size(); ++j )
2301         {
2302             dist = getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ j ] );
2303             err = fabs( targetDL[ distIdx ] - dist );
2304             if( err < minErr )
2305             {
2306                 minErr = err;
2307                 idx1 = i;
2308                 idx2 = j;
2309             }
2310         }
2311     }
2312     // cout << "idx1, idx2: " << idx1 << '\t' << idx2 << endl;
2313
2314     // Locate the apex point of the base triangle
2315     long double minDist1 = 1e6, minDist2 = 1e6;

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2314 long double dist1 , dist2;
2315 int minIdx1 , minIdx2;
2316
2317 for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
2318 {
2319     if( i == idx1 or i == idx2 ) continue;
2320
2321     dist1 = getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ idx1 ] );
2322     if( dist1 < minDist1 )
2323     {
2324         minDist1 = dist1;
2325         minIdx1 = i;
2326     }
2327
2328     dist2 = getDistance( atoms[ i ], atoms[ idx2 ] );
2329     if( dist2 < minDist2 )
2330     {
2331         minDist2 = dist2;
2332         minIdx2 = i;
2333     }
2334 }
2335
2336 int idx3 = minIdx1;
2337 if( minDist1 > minDist2 )
2338 {
2339     idx3 = minIdx2;
2340     swap( idx1 , idx2 );
2341 }
2342
2343 // Correctly place the base triangle
2344 translate( -atoms[ idx1 ].x, -atoms[ idx1 ].y, -atoms[ idx1 ↵
2345             ↵ ].z );
2346 // find angle and rotate
2347 Point pt2;
2348 pt2.x = 1; pt2.y = 0; pt2.z = 0;
2349 long double angle = getAngle( atoms[ idx2 ], pt2 );
2350 Point axis = getAxis( atoms[ idx2 ], pt2 );
2351 // cout << "angle, axis: " << angle << ', ' << axis.x << ', ' ↵
2352             << axis.y << ', '
2353 //             << axis.z << endl;
2354 rotate( angle , axis.x, axis.y, axis.z );
2355
2356 if( atoms[ idx3 ].y < 0 )
2357 {
2358     reflect( "X" );

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2357 }
2358
2359 // Sort the points so that there is some unique order
2360 sort( atoms.begin(), atoms.end() );
2361
2362 int idxApex = 2;
2363 long double angle3 = atan2( atoms[ idxApex ].z, atoms[ ↵
    ↵ idxApex ].y );
2364 // cout << "-angle3, axis: " << -angle3 << ', ' << "1" << ', '
2365 //                               << "0" << ', ' << "0" << endl;
2366 rotate( -angle3, 1, 0, 0 );
2367
2368 if( atoms[ 3 ].z < 0 )
2369 {
2370     reflect( "Z" );
2371 }
2372
2373 return true;
2374 }
2375
2376
2377 bool Structure::doBuildup3Dv2( int pt1, int pt2, int pt3 )
2378 {
2379     bool successFlag = false;
2380     freeDL = targetDL;
2381     // updateUsedDists();
2382     // vector<long double> freeDL;
2383
2384     // for( int i = 0; i < targetDL.size(); ++i )
2385     // {
2386     //     if( usedDist[ i ] == false )
2387     //     {
2388     //         freeDL.push_back( targetDL[ i ] );
2389     //     }
2390     // }
2391
2392     vector<int> idxArr( 6, 0 );
2393     idxArr[ 0 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ pt1 ], atoms[ ↵
        ↵ pt2 ] ),
2394                               targetDL );
2395     idxArr[ 1 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ pt1 ], atoms[ ↵
        ↵ pt3 ] ),
2396                               targetDL );
2397     idxArr[ 2 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ pt2 ], atoms[ ↵
        ↵ pt3 ] ),

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2398                                     targetDL );
2399 // idxArr[ 0 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[ ↵
    ↵ 1 ] ),
2400 //                                     freeDL );
2401 // idxArr[ 1 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[ ↵
    ↵ 2 ] ),
2402 //                                     freeDL );
2403 // idxArr[ 2 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 1 ], atoms[ ↵
    ↵ 2 ] ),
2404 //                                     freeDL );
2405 // idxArr[ 3 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 0 ], atoms[ ↵
    ↵ 3 ] ),
2406 //                                     freeDL );
2407 // idxArr[ 4 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 1 ], atoms[ ↵
    ↵ 3 ] ),
2408 //                                     freeDL );
2409 // idxArr[ 5 ] = closestDist( getDistance( atoms[ 2 ], atoms[ ↵
    ↵ 3 ] ),
2410 //                                     freeDL );
2411 cout << "idxArr:␣" << idxArr[ 0 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 1 ] << ', '
2412                                     << idxArr[ 2 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 3 ] << ', '
2413                                     << idxArr[ 4 ] << ', ' << idxArr[ 5 ] << endl;
2414
2415 // 10 bonds in the tetrahedron
2416 int idxA = idxArr[ 0 ], idxB = idxArr[ 1 ], idxC = idxArr[ 2 ],
2417     idxD = idxArr[ 3 ], idxE = idxArr[ 4 ], idxF = idxArr[ 5 ],
2418     idxG, idxH, idxI, idxJ, idxM;
2419 int numTestPts = 0; // number of tetrahedra
2420
2421 // Point basePt1 = atoms[ 0 ], basePt2 = atoms[ 1 ], basePt3 ↵
    ↵ = atoms[ 2 ],
2422 //     apexPt1 = atoms[ 3 ], apexPt2;
2423 Point basePt1 = atoms[ pt1 ], basePt2 = atoms[ pt2 ], basePt3 ↵
    ↵ = atoms[ pt3 ],
2424     apexPt1, apexPt2;
2425
2426 long double imin, imax;
2427 long double triToler = 0.1;
2428 long double distA = getDistance( basePt1, basePt2 ),
2429     distG, distH, distI, error;
2430
2431 for( idxG = 0; idxG < freeDL.size(); ++idxG )
2432 {
2433     distG = freeDL[ idxG ];
2434

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2435   for( idxH = 0; idxH < freeDL.size(); ++idxH )
2436   {
2437       distH = freeDL[ idxH ];
2438       if( distA + distH + triToler < distG ) continue; // ⇐
                ⇐ triangle inequality
2439       if( distA + distG + triToler < distH ) break; // triangle ⇐
                ⇐ inequality

2440
2441       placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxG, idxH, freeDL );
2442
2443       imin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2444       apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;
2445       imax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2446       // cout << "bp3, ap2: " << basePt3 << ', ' << apexPt2 << ⇐
                ⇐ endl;

2447
2448       for( idxI = 0; idxI < freeDL.size(); ++idxI )
2449       {
2450           distI = freeDL[ idxI ];
2451           if( distI < ( imin - triToler ) ) continue;
2452           if( distI > ( imax + triToler ) ) break;

2453
2454           idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 5 ] = idxI;
2455           idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB; idxArr[ 4 ] = idxH;
2456           idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxG;
2457           placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, apexPt2, idxArr, ⇐
                ⇐ freeDL );

2458
2459           for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
2460           {
2461               apexPt2.z = pow( -1.0L, idxM ) * apexPt2.z; // reflect ⇐
                ⇐ about XY plane

2462
2463               apexPt2.cost = error = getPtCost( apexPt2 );
2464
2465               if( error < 0.2 )
2466               {
2467                   // cout << "adding pt, cost: " << apexPt2 << ', ' << ⇐
                ⇐ error << endl;
2468                   updatePool( apexPt2 );
2469                   ++numTestPts;
2470                   // FIX ME
2471                   // return false;
2472               }
2473           } // m loop

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2474     } // i loop
2475     } // h loop
2476 } // g loop
2477
2478 cout << "pool.size:_" << pool.size() << endl;
2479 cout << "Number_of_points_tested:_" << numTestPts << endl;
2480 cout << "End_of_doBuildup3Dv2" << endl;
2481 return false;
2482 }
2483
2484
2485 bool Structure::findCoreMPI( int windowStart )
2486 {
2487     // Find a core made of 4 points by iterating over all triangle
2488     // combinations. Also, the function to do the buildup is ↪
2489     // ↪ called after
2490     // we find a core because it is more convenient this way.
2491
2492     int idxA = 0, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, idxF; // indices for ↪
2493     // ↪ the bonds
2494     int idxM, idxN; // indices for the orientation of the triangle
2495     vector<int> idxArr( 6, -1 );
2496     int inc = 6; // width of the bond window
2497     int winStart = windowStart, winStop = windowStart + inc; // ↪
2498     // ↪ indices for the window
2499     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
2500
2501     long double bridgeDist = 0.0;
2502     int bridgeIdx = 0;
2503     int bridgeCount = 0; // count the number of bridge bond checks
2504     long double fracError = 1e6;
2505
2506     Point basePt1, basePt2,
2507           apexPt1, apexPt2;
2508     basePt1.x = 0; basePt1.y = 0;
2509     basePt2.x = dlist[ idxA ]; basePt2.y = 0;
2510     cout << "basePt1:_" << basePt1.x << "_" << basePt1.y << endl;
2511     cout << "basePt2:_" << basePt2.x << "_" << basePt2.y << endl;
2512     cout << "Bond_window:_" ;
2513
2514     while( true )
2515     {
2516         cerr << "_->_" << winStop;
2517
2518         for( idxB = idxA + 1; idxB < winStop; ++idxB )

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2516 {
2517     for( idxC = idxB + 1; idxC < winStop; ++idxC )
2518     {
2519         if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxB ] + toler < dlist[ idxC ⇔
                ⇔ ] )
2520         {
2521             break;
2522         }
2523         placeApex( apexPt1, idxA, idxB, idxC, dlist );
2524
2525         for( idxD = idxA + 1; idxD < winStop; ++idxD )
2526         {
2527             if ( idxD == idxB or idxD == idxC )
2528             {
2529                 continue;
2530             }
2531             for( idxE = idxD + 1; idxE < winStop; ++idxE )
2532             {
2533                 if( idxB < winStart and idxC < winStart and
2534                     idxD < winStart and idxE < winStart )
2535                 {
2536                     continue;
2537                 }
2538
2539                 if( ( idxD < idxB and idxE < idxC ) or
2540                     ( idxE > idxC and idxD < idxB ) )
2541                 {
2542                     continue;
2543                 }
2544
2545                 if( idxE == idxB or idxE == idxC )
2546                 {
2547                     continue;
2548                 }
2549
2550                 if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[ ⇔
                        ⇔ idxE ] )
2551                 {
2552                     break;
2553                 }
2554
2555                 placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
2556
2557                 for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
2558                 {

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2559 // cout << "idxM: " << idxM << endl;
2560 if( idxM == 1 )
2561 {
2562     apexPt2.x = dlist[ idxA ] - apexPt2.x;
2563 }
2564
2565 for( idxN = 0; idxN < 2; ++idxN )
2566 {
2567     // cout << "idxN: " << idxN << endl;
2568     if( idxN == 1 )
2569     {
2570         apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;
2571     }
2572
2573     bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt1, apexPt2 );
2574     bridgeCount += 1; // count number of bridge checks
2575
2576     bridgeIdx = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
2577     if( bridgeIdx == idxA or bridgeIdx == idxB or
2578         bridgeIdx == idxC or bridgeIdx == idxD or
2579         bridgeIdx == idxE )
2580     {
2581         // Make sure that the bridge bond is not the  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2582          $\hookleftarrow$  same as any of
2583         // the distances in use.
2584         continue;
2585     }
2586
2587     fracError = fabs( dlist[ bridgeIdx ] -  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2588          $\hookleftarrow$  bridgeDist )/ bridgeDist;
2589     // cout << "fracError: " << fracError << endl;
2590
2591     if( fabs( apexPt2.y ) < 0.5 )
2592     {
2593         // Skinny triangles have been found to have a  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2594          $\hookleftarrow$  large error,
2595         // hence reducing their error "by hand" so  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2596          $\hookleftarrow$  that we don't
2597         // miss out on them.
2598         fracError /= 1000;
2599     }
2600
2601     if( fracError < toler )
2602     {
2603         idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB;

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2600     idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxD;
2601     idxArr[ 4 ] = idxE; idxArr[ 5 ] = bridgeIdx;
2602
2603     cout << endl;
2604     if( testCore( idxArr, idxM, idxN ) )
2605     {
2606         // atoms.push_back( basePt1 );
2607         // atoms.push_back( basePt2 );
2608         // atoms.push_back( apexPt1 );
2609         // atoms.push_back( apexPt2 );
2610
2611         cout << basePt1 << endl;
2612         cout << basePt2 << endl;
2613         cout << apexPt1 << endl;
2614         cout << apexPt2 << endl;
2615
2616         // for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
2617         // {
2618         //     cout << "Point: " << i + 1 << '\t' << ↵
2619         //         ↵ atoms[ i ] << endl;
2620         // }
2621
2622         // usedDist[ idxA ] = usedDist[ idxB ] = true;
2623         // usedDist[ idxC ] = usedDist[ idxD ] = true;
2624         // usedDist[ idxE ] = usedDist[ bridgeIdx ] ↵
2625         //         ↵ = true;
2626
2627         // updateCurrDL();
2628         // return true;
2629
2630         // Attempt buildup to get the remaining ↵
2631         //         ↵ points.
2632         // doBuildup();
2633
2634         // if( atoms.size() >= min( 8, targetSize ) )
2635         // {
2636         //     // If buildup was able to add 4 more ↵
2637         //         ↵ points then with
2638         //     // high probability, we have the right ↵
2639         //         ↵ structure.
2640         //     return true;
2641         // }
2642         // else
2643         // {
2644         //     // If buildup could not even 4 points ↵

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2640         ↵ then with a very
           // // high probability, we have the wrong ↵
           ↵ structure. Start
2641         // // over and find the next core.
2642         // cout << "No buildup, bad core. "
2643         // "Finding the next core ... " ↵
           ↵ << endl;
2644         // atoms.clear();
2645         // updateCurrDL();
2646         // cout << "Bond window: ";
2647         // }
2648     }
2649 }
2650
2651     } // n loop
2652     } // m loop
2653     } // idxE loop
2654     } // idxD loop
2655     } // idxC loop
2656 } // idxB loop
2657
2658 // When idxB hits the window edge increment it.
2659 // if ( idxB == winStop )
2660 // {
2661 //     winStart = winStop;
2662 //     winStop += inc;
2663 //
2664 //     if( winStart == dlist.size() )
2665 //     {
2666 //         cout << endl;
2667 //         break;
2668 //     }
2669 //
2670 //     if( winStop > dlist.size() )
2671 //     {
2672 //         winStop = dlist.size();
2673 //     }
2674 // }
2675
2676 } // while( true ) loop
2677
2678 return false;
2679 }
2680
2681

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2682 bool Structure::findCore3D( int baseIdx )
2683 {
2684     // Function to get timings runs for different choices of base  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2685      $\hookleftarrow$  bond
2686
2687     bool successFlag = false;
2688
2689     // 10 bonds in the tetrahedron
2690     int idxA = baseIdx, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, idxF, idxG, idxH,  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2691      $\hookleftarrow$  idxI, idxJ, idxM;
2692
2693     int invC = 0; // # invalid cores
2694     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;
2695     cout << "targetDL.size:_" << targetDL.size() << endl;
2696
2697     int inc = 10,
2698         winStart = max( baseIdx - inc/2, 0 ),
2699         winStop = min( winStart + inc/2, int( dlist.size() ) - 1  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2700          $\hookleftarrow$  ); // windowing on
2701
2702     int bridgeIdx;
2703     long double counter = 0; // number of tetrahedra
2704     long double bridgeDist = 0;
2705     long double fmin, fmax, imin, imax, fracError;
2706
2707     Point basePt1, basePt2, basePt3,
2708         apexPt1, apexPt2;
2709     basePt1.x = 0; basePt1.y = 0; basePt1.z = 0;
2710     basePt2.x = dlist[ idxA ]; basePt2.y = 0; basePt2.z = 0;
2711     cout << "basePt1:_" << basePt1.x << "_" << basePt1.y << "_"  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2712      $\hookleftarrow$  << basePt1.z
2713     << endl;
2714     cout << "basePt2:_" << basePt2.x << "_" << basePt2.y << "_"  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2715      $\hookleftarrow$  << basePt2.z
2716     << endl;
2717     cout << "Bond_window:_" ;
2718
2719     int countC = 0; // count number of cores
2720     vector<int> idxArr( 6, 0 );
2721     while( true ) // window loop
2722     {
2723         // Break after the entire distance list is exhausted
2724         if( winStart <= 0 and winStop >= dlist.size() - 1 )
2725         {
2726             break;
2727         }
2728     }

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```

2722     }
2723
2724     // Make sure to check if window edges are legit
2725     if( winStart < 0 )
2726     {
2727         winStop += -winStart;
2728         winStart = 0;
2729     }
2730
2731     if( winStop >= dlist.size() )
2732     {
2733         winStart -= winStop - dlist.size() + 1;
2734         winStop = dlist.size() - 1;
2735
2736         if( winStart < 0 )
2737         {
2738             winStop += -winStart;
2739             winStart = 0;
2740         }
2741     }
2742
2743     cerr << "->" << winStop;
2744
2745     // base triangle
2746     for( idxB = 0; idxB < winStop; ++idxB )
2747     {
2748         // cout << endl << "idxB:" << idxB << ", "; // endl;
2749         // cout << "idxC: ";
2750         for( idxC = idxB + 1; idxC < winStop; ++idxC )
2751         {
2752             // cout << "-" << idxC << "-"; // << endl;
2753             // NOTE: c>b so we have to check only 1 triangle ⇔
2754                 ⇔ inequality
2755             if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxB ] + toler < dlist[ idxC ⇔
2756                 ⇔ ] ) break;
2757             if( dlist[ idxC ] + dlist[ idxB ] + toler < dlist[ idxA ⇔
2758                 ⇔ ] ) continue;
2759
2760             placeApex( basePt3, idxA, idxB, idxC, dlist );
2761
2762             for( idxD = 0; idxD < winStop; ++idxD )
2763             {
2764                 if( idxD == idxB or idxD == idxC ) continue;
2765                 if( idxD < idxB ) continue;
2766                 for( idxE = 0; idxE < winStop; ++idxE )

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2764 {
2765     if( idxE < idxB ) continue;
2766     if( idxE == idxB or idxE == idxC or idxE == idxD ) ⇐
        ⇐ continue;
2767     // triangle inequalities
2768     if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxE ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
        ⇐ idxD ] ) continue;
2769     if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
        ⇐ idxE ] ) break;
2770     if( dlist[ idxE ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
        ⇐ idxA ] ) continue;
2771
2772     placeApex( apexPt1, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
2773
2774     fmin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt1 );
2775     apexPt1.y = - apexPt1.y;
2776     fmax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt1 );
2777
2778     for( idxF = 0; idxF < dlist.size(); ++idxF )
2779     {
2780         if( dlist[idxF] < ( fmin - toler ) ) continue;
2781         if( dlist[idxF] > ( fmax + toler ) ) break;
2782         if( idxF == idxB or idxF == idxC or idxF == idxD ⇐
            ⇐ or idxF == idxE ) continue;
2783
2784         idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 5 ] = idxF;
2785         idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB; idxArr[ 4 ] = idxE;
2786         idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxD;
2787         placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, apexPt1, ⇐
            ⇐ idxArr, dlist );
2788
2789         for( idxG = 0; idxG < winStop; ++idxG )
2790         {
2791             if( idxG < idxB ) continue;
2792             if( idxG == idxB or idxG == idxC or idxG == ⇐
                ⇐ idxD or
2793                 idxG == idxE or idxG == idxF ) continue;
2794             if( idxG < idxD ) continue;
2795             for( idxH = 0; idxH < winStop; ++idxH )
2796             {
2797                 if( idxH < idxB ) continue;
2798                 if( idxH == idxB or idxH == idxC or idxH == ⇐
                    ⇐ idxD or
2799                     idxH == idxE or idxH == idxF or idxH == ⇐
                        ⇐ idxG ) continue;

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2800     if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxH ] + toler < ⇐
        ⇐ dlist[ idxG ] ) continue; // triangle ⇐
        ⇐ inequality
2801     if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxG ] + toler < ⇐
        ⇐ dlist[ idxH ] ) break; // triangle ⇐
        ⇐ inequality
2802     if( dlist[ idxH ] + dlist[ idxG ] + toler < ⇐
        ⇐ dlist[ idxA ] ) continue; // triangle ⇐
        ⇐ inequality

2803
2804     placeApex( apexPt2, idxA, idxG, idxH, dlist );
2805
2806     imin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2807     apexPt2.y = - apexPt2.y;
2808     imax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt2 );
2809     // cout << "bp3, ap2: " << basePt3 << ', ' << ⇐
        ⇐ apexPt2 << endl;

2810
2811     for( idxI = 0; idxI < dlist.size(); ++idxI )
2812     {
2813         if( idxI == idxB or idxI == idxC or idxI == ⇐
            ⇐ idxD or
2814             idxI == idxE or idxI == idxF or idxI == ⇐
            ⇐ idxG or
2815             idxI == idxH ) continue;
2816         // correct windowing
2817         if( idxH < winStart and idxG < winStart and
2818             idxE < winStart and idxD < winStart and
2819             idxC < winStart and idxB < winStart ) ⇐
            ⇐ continue;

2820
2821         if( dlist[ idxI ] < ( imin - toler ) ) ⇐
            ⇐ continue;
2822         if( dlist[ idxI ] > ( imax + toler ) ) break;
2823
2824         // cout << "abcdefghi: " << idxA << ', ' << ⇐
            ⇐ idxB << ', '
2825         //                                     << idxC << ', ' << ⇐
            ⇐ idxD << ', '
2826         //                                     << idxE << ', ' << ⇐
            ⇐ idxF << ', '
2827         //                                     << idxG << ', ' << ⇐
            ⇐ idxH << ', '
2828         //                                     << idxI << endl;
2829         // cout << "dlist-I, imin, imax: " << ⇐

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↪ dlist[ idxI ] << ' ' << imin << ' ' << ↪
↪ imax << endl << endl;

2830
2831 idxArr[ 0 ] = idxA; idxArr[ 5 ] = idxI;
2832 idxArr[ 1 ] = idxB; idxArr[ 4 ] = idxH;
2833 idxArr[ 2 ] = idxC; idxArr[ 3 ] = idxG;
2834 placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, ↪
↪ apexPt2, idxArr, dlist );

2835
2836 for( idxM = 0; idxM < 2; ++idxM )
2837 {
2838     apexPt2.z = pow( -1.0L, idxM ) * ↪
↪ apexPt2.z; // reflect about XY plane

2839
2840     bridgeDist = getDistance( apexPt1, ↪
↪ apexPt2 );
2841     counter += 1;
2842
2843     if( bridgeDist != bridgeDist ) getchar(); ↪
↪ // cout << p4 << '\t' << p5 << endl;
2844     if( ( bridgeDist < ( dlist[ 0 ] - ↪
↪ bridgeDist* toler ) ) or
2845         ( bridgeDist > ( dlist[ dlist.size() ↪
↪ - 1 ] + bridgeDist* toler ) ) ) ↪
↪ continue;
2846     idxJ = closestDist( bridgeDist, dlist );
2847
2848     if( idxJ == idxA and idxJ == idxB and ↪
↪ idxJ == idxC and
2849         idxJ == idxD and idxJ == idxE and ↪
↪ idxJ == idxF and
2850         idxJ == idxG and idxJ == idxH and ↪
↪ idxJ == idxI )
2851     {
2852         continue;
2853     }
2854
2855     fracError = fabs( dlist[ idxJ ] - ↪
↪ bridgeDist ) / bridgeDist;
2856     if( fracError < toler )
2857     {
2858         atoms.push_back( basePt1 );
2859         atoms.push_back( basePt2 );
2860         atoms.push_back( basePt3 );
2861

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2862         atoms.push_back( apexPt1 );
2863         atoms.push_back( apexPt2 );
2864
2865         cout << endl << "3D_core_found!!!" << ↵
                ↵ endl;
2866         cout << bridgeDist << '\t' << dlist[ ↵
                ↵ idxJ ] << '\t'
2867                 << fabs( bridgeDist - dlist[ idxJ ↵
                ↵ ] ) << endl;
2868         cout << "bridgeDist:_" << bridgeDist << ↵
                ↵ endl;
2869         cout << "core_finder_counter:_" << ↵
                ↵ counter << endl;
2870
2871         for( int i = 0; i < atoms.size(); ++i )
2872         {
2873             cout << "Point:_" << i + 1 << '\t' << ↵
                    ↵ atoms[ i ] << endl;
2874         }
2875
2876         doBuildup3D( idxArr );
2877
2878         if( atoms.size() >= min( 8, targetSize ↵
                ↵ ) )
2879         {
2880             // If buildup was able to add 4 more ↵
                    ↵ points then with
2881             // high probability, we have the ↵
                    ↵ right structure.
2882             cout << "_atoms_size:_" << ↵
                    ↵ atoms.size() << endl;
2883             return true;
2884         }
2885         else
2886         {
2887             // If buildup could not even 4 points ↵
                    ↵ then with a very
2888             // high probability, we have the ↵
                    ↵ wrong structure. Start
2889             // over and find the next core.
2890             cout << "No_buildup, _bad_core_"
2891                     "Finding_the_next_core..." ↵
                    ↵ << endl;
2892             atoms.clear();
2893             updateCurrDL();

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2894         // cout << "Bond window: ";
2895     }
2896
2897         // return true;
2898     }
2899     } // m loop
2900     } // i loop
2901     } // h loop
2902     } // g loop
2903     } // f loop
2904     } // e loop
2905     } // d loop
2906     } // c loop
2907 } // b loop
2908
2909 cout << "counter:_"<< counter << endl;
2910 winStart = winStop; winStop += inc;
2911 if( winStart == dlist.size() ) break;
2912
2913 if( winStop > dlist.size() )
2914 {
2915     winStop = dlist.size();
2916 }
2917
2918 cout << "searching_in_a_"<< winStop << "_bond_window" << endl;
2919 } // window while loop
2920
2921 return successFlag;
2922 }
2923
2924
2925 long double Structure::feasibleTetra( int baseIdx )
2926 {
2927     // Function to get number of feasible tetrahedra's for a  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2928      $\hookleftarrow$  given base bond
2929     long double numTet = 0;
2930     long double numTri = 0;
2931     bool successFlag = false;
2932
2933     // 10 bonds in the tetrahedron
2934     int idxA = baseIdx, idxB, idxC, idxD, idxE, idxF, idxG, idxH,  $\hookrightarrow$ 
2935      $\hookleftarrow$  idxI, idxJ, idxM;
2936
2937     int invC = 0; // # invalid cores
2938     vector<long double> dlist = targetDL;

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2937     cout << "targetDL_ size:_" << targetDL.size() << endl;
2938
2939     int inc = 10,
2940         // winStart = max( baseIdx - inc/2, 0 ),
2941         // winStop = min( winStart + inc, int( dlist.size() ) - 1 ) ↪
2942         ↵ ); // windowing on
2943     winStart = 0,
2944     winStop = dlist.size() - 1 ; // windowing on
2945
2946     int bridgeIdx;
2947     int counter = 0; // number of tetrahedra
2948     long double bridgeDist = 0;
2949     long double fmin, fmax, imin, imax, fracError;
2950
2951     Point basePt1, basePt2, basePt3,
2952           apexPt1, apexPt2;
2953     basePt1.x = 0; basePt1.y = 0; basePt1.z = 0;
2954     basePt2.x = dlist[ idxA ]; basePt2.y = 0; basePt2.z = 0;
2955     cout << "basePt1:_" << basePt1.x << "_" << basePt1.y << "_" ↪
2956     ↵ << basePt1.z
2957     << endl;
2958     cout << "basePt2:_" << basePt2.x << "_" << basePt2.y << "_" ↪
2959     ↵ << basePt2.z
2960     << endl;
2961
2962     int countC = 0; // count number of cores
2963     vector<int> idxArr( 6, 0 );
2964     while( true ) // window loop
2965     {
2966         for( idxB = 0; idxB < winStop; ++idxB )
2967         {
2968             // cout << endl << "idxB:" << idxB << ", "; // endl;
2969             // cout << "idxC: ";
2970             for( idxC = idxB + 1; idxC < winStop; ++idxC )
2971             {
2972                 // cout << "_" << idxC << "_"; // << endl;
2973                 // NOTE: c>b so we have to check only 1 triangle ↪
2974                 ↵ inequality
2975                 if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxB ] + toler < dlist[ idxC ↪
2976                 ↵ ] ) break;
2977
2978                 placeApex( basePt3, idxA, idxB, idxC, dlist );
2979                 numTri += 1;
2980
2981                 for( idxD = 1; idxD < winStop; ++idxD )

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2977 {
2978     if( idxD == idxB   or idxD == idxC ) continue;
2979     if( idxD < idxB ) continue;
2980     for( idxE = 1; idxE < winStop; ++idxE )
2981     {
2982         if( idxE < idxB ) continue;
2983         if( idxE == idxB or idxE == idxC or idxE == idxD ) ⇐
            ⇐ continue;
2984         // triangle inequalities
2985         if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxE ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
            ⇐ idxD ] ) continue;
2986         if( dlist[ idxA ] + dlist[ idxD ] + toler < dlist[ ⇐
            ⇐ idxE ] ) break;
2987
2988         placeApex( apexPt1, idxA, idxD, idxE, dlist );
2989         numTri += 1;
2990
2991         fmin = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt1 );
2992         apexPt1.y = - apexPt1.y;
2993         fmax = getDistance( basePt3, apexPt1 );
2994
2995         for( idxF = 1; idxF < dlist.size(); ++idxF )
2996         {
2997             if( dlist[idxF] < ( fmin - toler ) ) continue;
2998             if( dlist[idxF] > ( fmax + toler ) ) break;
2999             if( idxF == idxB or idxF == idxC or idxF == idxD ⇐
                ⇐ or idxF == idxE ) continue;
3000
3001             // placeTop( basePt1, basePt2, basePt3, apexPt1, ⇐
                ⇐ idxArr, dlist );
3002
3003             numTet += 1;
3004             continue;
3005         } // f loop
3006     } // e loop
3007 } // d loop
3008 } // c loop
3009 } // b loop
3010
3011 cout << "numTri:_" << numTri << endl;
3012 return numTet;
3013 } // window while loop
3014 }
3015
3016

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3017 bool Structure::reconstruct3( int baseIdx )
3018 {
3019     // Reconstruct the structure by first finding the core and  $\hookrightarrow$ 
3020      $\hookleftarrow$  then doing
3021     // buildup(if needed).
3022     if( atoms.size() == 0 )
3023     {
3024         if( dim == 2 )
3025         {
3026             bool findCoreFlag = findCore();
3027             cout << "Core_ found?" << boolalpha << findCoreFlag << endl;
3028         }
3029         else if( dim == 3 )
3030         {
3031             cout << "findCore3D ,_" << baseIdx << endl;
3032             findCore3D( baseIdx );
3033         }
3034     }
3035     else if( dim == 3 )
3036     {
3037     }
3038 }
3039
3040 if( atoms.size() == targetSize )
3041 {
3042     return true;
3043 }
3044 else
3045 {
3046     return false;
3047 }
3048 }

1 // Test2D.cpp: File with all the test functions for Tribond 2D.
2 //
3 #include <ctime>
4 #include <string>
5 #include "Tribond.h"
6 using namespace std;
7
8
9 int processArgs( int argc, char** argv, int& N, string& file,  $\hookrightarrow$ 
10  $\hookleftarrow$  int& rngSeed )
11 {

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11 // Process input from user to get problem parameters.
12 if( argc == 4 )
13 {
14     N = atoi( argv[1] );
15     file = argv[2];
16     rngSeed = atoi( argv[3] );
17 }
18 else
19 {
20     cout << "Usage: " << "./Test2d_N(>4)_rand2_rngSeed" << endl;
21     cout << "  _N: number of sites in the random point set" << ↵
22         ↵ endl;
23     cout << "  _rand2: command to use a random 2D point set" << ↵
24         ↵ endl;
25     cout << "  _rngSeed: seed for the random number generator" ↵
26         ↵ << endl;
27     exit(0);
28 }
29
30 int test1( int DIM, int N, string file , int rngSeed )
31 {
32     // Initialize the random number generator.
33     if (rngSeed <= -1)
34     {
35         rngSeed = time( NULL );
36     }
37     srand( rngSeed );
38
39     // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
40     Structure targetStru( DIM, N, file );
41     Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.currDL );
42
43     testStru.reconstruct();
44
45     // Compare reconstructed structure with the target.
46     targetStru.home();
47     testStru.home();
48     compareStru( testStru , targetStru );
49     // testStru.printDLtoFile( "distanceList.txt" );
50
51     return 0;
52 }

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53
54 int main( int argc , char** argv )
55 {
56     int DIM = 2, N, rngSeed;
57     string file;
58     processArgs( argc , argv , N, file , rngSeed );
59
60     test1( DIM, N, file , rngSeed );
61     return 0;
62 }

1 // Test3D.cpp: File with all the test functions for Tribond 3D.
2 //
3 #include <ctime>
4 #include <string>
5 #include "Tribond.h"
6 using namespace std;
7
8
9 int processArgs( int argc , char** argv , int& N, string& file , ⇐
    ⇐ int& rngSeed )
10 {
11     // Process input from user to get problem parameters.
12     if( argc == 4 )
13     {
14         N = atoi( argv[1] );
15         file = argv[2];
16         rngSeed = atoi( argv[3] );
17     }
18     else
19     {
20         cout << "Usage: " << "./Test2d \N(>4) \rand2 \rngSeed" << endl;
21         cout << " \N: \number \of \sites \in \the \random \point \set" << ⇐
            ⇐ endl;
22         cout << " \rand2: \command \to \use \a \random \2D \point \set" << ⇐
            ⇐ endl;
23         cout << " \rngSeed: \seed \for \the \random \number \generator" ⇐
            ⇐ << endl;
24         exit(0);
25     }
26 }

27
28
29 int test1( int DIM, int N, string file , int rngSeed )
30 {

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31 // Initialize the random number generator.
32
33 // FLXME hard coding the rnd seed
34 int idx = rngSeed;
35 // rngSeed = 1;
36
37 if (rngSeed <= -1)
38 {
39     rngSeed = time( NULL );
40 }
41 srand( rngSeed );
42
43 for( int i = 0; i <= 0; ++i )
44 {
45     // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
46     // Structure targetStru( DIM, N, file );
47     Structure targetStru( N, file );
48     targetStru.home3D( 0 );
49     targetStru.print();
50
51     Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.currDL );
52     testStru.atoms = targetStru.getCore( 5 );
53
54     int baseIdx = idx* (testStru.targetDL.size() - 1)/ 10;
55     cout << "baseIdx:_" << baseIdx << endl;
56     // testStru.reconstruct3( baseIdx );
57     testStru.reconstruct();
58
59     // Compare reconstructed structure with the target.
60     testStru.home3D( 0 );
61     compareStru( testStru, targetStru );
62     print2structures( testStru.atoms, targetStru.atoms );
63     compareStru( testStru, targetStru );
64 }
65
66 // testStru.printDLtoFile( "distanceList.txt" );
67 return 0;
68 }
69
70
71 int test2( int DIM, int N, string file , int rngSeed )
72 {
73     // Initialize the random number generator.
74     if (rngSeed <= -1)
75     {

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76     rngSeed = time( NULL );
77 }
78 srand( rngSeed );
79
80 // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
81 Structure targetStru( DIM, N, file );
82 // Structure targetStru( N, file );
83 // targetStru.home3D();
84
85 Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.currDL );
86 // testStru.atoms = targetStru.getCore( 5 );
87 long double numTetra = 0;
88 for( int i = 0; i <= 10; ++i )
89 {
90     numTetra = testStru.feasibleTetra( i* ⇐
91         ⇐ (testStru.targetDL.size() - 1) /10 );
92     cout << "i:␣" << i << ",␣" << "numTetra:␣" << numTetra << ⇐
93         ⇐ endl;
94 }
95
96 return 0;
97 }
98
99 int main( int argc, char** argv )
100 {
101     int DIM = 3, N, rngSeed;
102     string file;
103     processArgs( argc, argv, N, file, rngSeed );
104
105     test1( DIM, N, file, rngSeed );
106     return 0;
107 }

1 // Test2D-v2.cpp: File with all the functions to test the
2 // imprecise version of the Tribond 2D algorithm.
3 //
4
5 #include <ctime>
6 #include <string>
7 #include "Tribond.h"
8 using namespace std;
9
10

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11 int iniRandGen( int rngSeed )
12 {
13     // Initialize the random number generator.
14     if (rngSeed <= -1)
15     {
16         rngSeed = time( NULL );
17     }
18     srand( rngSeed );
19
20     return 0;
21 }
22
23
24 int processArgs( int argc, char** argv, int& N, string& file, ↵
    ↵ int& rngSeed,
25                 int& precision, int& coreSize )
26 {
27     // Process input from user to get problem parameters.
28     if( argc == 6 )
29     {
30         N = atoi( argv[1] );
31         file = argv[2];
32         rngSeed = atoi( argv[3] );
33         precision = atoi( argv[4] );
34         coreSize = atoi( argv[5] );
35         cout << "N, \_file, \_rngSeed, \_precision, \_coreSize: \_" << N << ↵
            ↵ ", \_" << file
36             << ", \_" << rngSeed << ", \_" << precision << ", \_" << ↵
            ↵ coreSize << endl;
37     }
38     else
39     {
40         cout << "Usage: \_" << ". /test2d \_N(>4) \_" rand2 \_" \_rngSeed \_↵
            ↵ precision \_coreSize" << endl;
41         exit(0);
42     }
43
44     return 0;
45 }
46
47
48 int test1( int DIM, int N, string file, int rngSeed )
49 {
50     // // Initialize the random number generator.
51     // if (rngSeed <= -1)

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52 // {
53 //   rngSeed = time( NULL );
54 // }
55 // srand( rngSeed );
56 iniRandGen( rngSeed );
57
58 // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
59 Structure targetStru( DIM, N, file );
60 Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.currDL );
61 testStru.reconstruct();
62
63 // Compare reconstructed structure with the target.
64 targetStru.home();
65 testStru.home();
66 compareStru( testStru, targetStru );
67 // testStru.printDLtoFile( "distanceList.txt" );
68
69 return 0;
70 }
71
72
73 int test2( int DIM, int N, string file, int rngSeed, int ↵
    ↵ precision,
74           int coreSize )
75 {
76 // cout << "check pars: " << DIM << ", " << N << ", " << file ↵
    ↵ << ", "
77 //   << rngSeed << ", " << precision << ", " << coreSize ↵
    ↵ << endl;
78 iniRandGen( rngSeed );
79
80 // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
81 Structure targetStru( DIM, N, file );
82 targetStru.home();
83
84 vector<Point> core = targetStru.getCore( coreSize );
85 targetStru.reduceDLprecision( precision );
86 Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.targetDL );
87 testStru.atoms = core;
88
89 // testStru.atoms = targetStru.getCore( coreSize );
90 testStru.currSize = testStru.atoms.size();
91 cout << "core_size:_" << testStru.atoms.size() << endl;
92 testStru.print();
93

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94 // Point smPt;
95 // smPt.x = -2.04305609; smPt.y = 1.36504993; smPt.z = 0;
96 // cout << "Point, cost: " << smPt << '\t' << ↵
    ↵ testStru.getPtCost( smPt ) << endl;
97 // return 1;
98 // smPt.x = 1.17447201; smPt.y = -2.80072967; smPt.z = 0;
99 // cout << "Point, cost: " << smPt << '\t' << ↵
    ↵ testStru.getPtCost( smPt ) << endl;
100 // return 1;
101
102 bool successFlag = testStru.reconstruct2();
103 cout << "testStru.size:_" << testStru.atoms.size() << endl;
104 testStru.print();
105
106 print2structures( testStru.atoms, targetStru.atoms );
107 // Compare reconstructed structure with the target.
108 if( successFlag )
109 {
110     targetStru.home();
111     testStru.home();
112     compareStru( testStru, targetStru );
113 }
114 else
115 {
116     cout << "Reconstruction_failed!" << endl;
117 }
118
119 return 0;
120 }
121
122
123 int main( int argc, char** argv )
124 {
125     int DIM = 2, N, rngSeed, precision, coreSize;
126     string file;
127     processArgs( argc, argv, N, file, rngSeed, precision, ↵
        ↵ coreSize );
128
129     // test1( DIM, N, file, rngSeed );
130     test2( DIM, N, file, rngSeed, precision, coreSize );
131     return 0;
132 }

1 // Test3D-v2.cpp: File with all the functions to test the
2 // imprecise version of the Tribond 3D algorithm.

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3  //
4
5  #include <ctime>
6  #include <string>
7  #include "Tribond.h"
8  using namespace std;
9
10
11 int iniRandGen( int rngSeed )
12 {
13     // Initialize the random number generator.
14     if (rngSeed <= -1)
15     {
16         rngSeed = time( NULL );
17     }
18     srand( rngSeed );
19
20     return 0;
21 }
22
23
24 int processArgs( int argc, char** argv, int& N, string& file, ↵
    ↵ int& rngSeed,
25                 int& precision, int& coreSize )
26 {
27     // Process input from user to get problem parameters.
28     if( argc == 6 )
29     {
30         N = atoi( argv[1] );
31         file = argv[2];
32         rngSeed = atoi( argv[3] );
33         precision = atoi( argv[4] );
34         coreSize = atoi( argv[5] );
35         cout << "N, \_file, \_rngSeed, \_precision, \_coreSize: \_" << N << ↵
            ↵ ", \_" << file
36             << ", \_" << rngSeed << ", \_" << precision << ", \_" << ↵
            ↵ coreSize << endl;
37     }
38     else
39     {
40         cout << "Usage: \_" << ". / test2d \_N(>4) \_" rand2 \_" \_rngSeed \_↵
            ↵ precision \_coreSize" << endl;
41         exit(0);
42     }
43

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44     return 0;
45 }
46
47
48 int test1( int DIM, int N, string file , int rngSeed )
49 {
50     // // Initialize the random number generator.
51     // if (rngSeed <= -1)
52     // {
53     //     rngSeed = time( NULL );
54     // }
55     // srand( rngSeed );
56     iniRandGen( rngSeed );
57
58     // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
59     Structure targetStru( DIM, N, file );
60     Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.currDL );
61     testStru.reconstruct();
62
63     // Compare reconstructed structure with the target.
64     targetStru.home();
65     testStru.home();
66     compareStru( testStru , targetStru );
67     // testStru.printDLtoFile( "distanceList.txt" );
68
69     return 0;
70 }
71
72
73 int test2( int DIM, int N, string file , int rngSeed , int ↵
74     ↵ precision ,
75     int coreSize )
76 {
77     cout << "check_↵pars:↵" << DIM << ",↵" << N << ",↵" << file << ↵
78     ↵ ",↵"
79     << rngSeed << ",↵" << precision << ",↵" << coreSize << ↵
80     ↵ endl;
81     iniRandGen( rngSeed );
82
83     // Setup target structure and attempt reconstruction.
84     Structure targetStru( N, file );
85     // targetStru.home();
86
87     vector<Point> core = targetStru.getCore( coreSize );
88     targetStru.reduceDLprecision( precision );

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86  Structure testStru( DIM, N, targetStru.targetDL );
87  testStru.atoms = core;
88
89  // testStru.atoms = targetStru.getCore( coreSize );
90  testStru.currSize = testStru.atoms.size();
91  cout << "core_size:_ " << testStru.atoms.size() << endl;
92  testStru.print();
93
94  // Point smPt;
95  // smPt.x = -2.04305609; smPt.y = 1.36504993; smPt.z = 0;
96  // cout << "Point, cost: " << smPt << '\t' << ↵
    ↵ testStru.getPtCost( smPt ) << endl;
97  // return 1;
98  // smPt.x = 1.17447201; smPt.y = -2.80072967; smPt.z = 0;
99  // cout << "Point, cost: " << smPt << '\t' << ↵
    ↵ testStru.getPtCost( smPt ) << endl;
100 // return 1;
101
102 bool successFlag = testStru.reconstruct2();
103 cout << "testStru_size:_ " << testStru.atoms.size() << endl;
104 testStru.print();
105
106 print2structures( testStru.atoms, targetStru.atoms );
107 // Compare reconstructed structure with the target.
108 if( successFlag )
109 {
110     targetStru.home();
111     testStru.home();
112     compareStru( testStru, targetStru );
113 }
114 else
115 {
116     cout << "Reconstruction_failed!" << endl;
117 }
118
119 return 0;
120 }
121
122
123 int main( int argc, char** argv )
124 {
125     int DIM = 3, N, rngSeed, precision, coreSize;
126     string file;
127     processArgs( argc, argv, N, file, rngSeed, precision, ↵
        ↵ coreSize );

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128
129  // test1( DIM, N, file , rngSeed );
130  test2( DIM, N, file , rngSeed , precision , coreSize );
131  return 0;
132 }
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