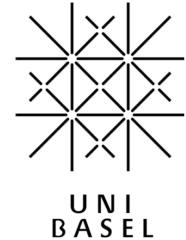


More efficient representations of compounds for machine learning models

Bing Huang and Anatole von Lilienfeld

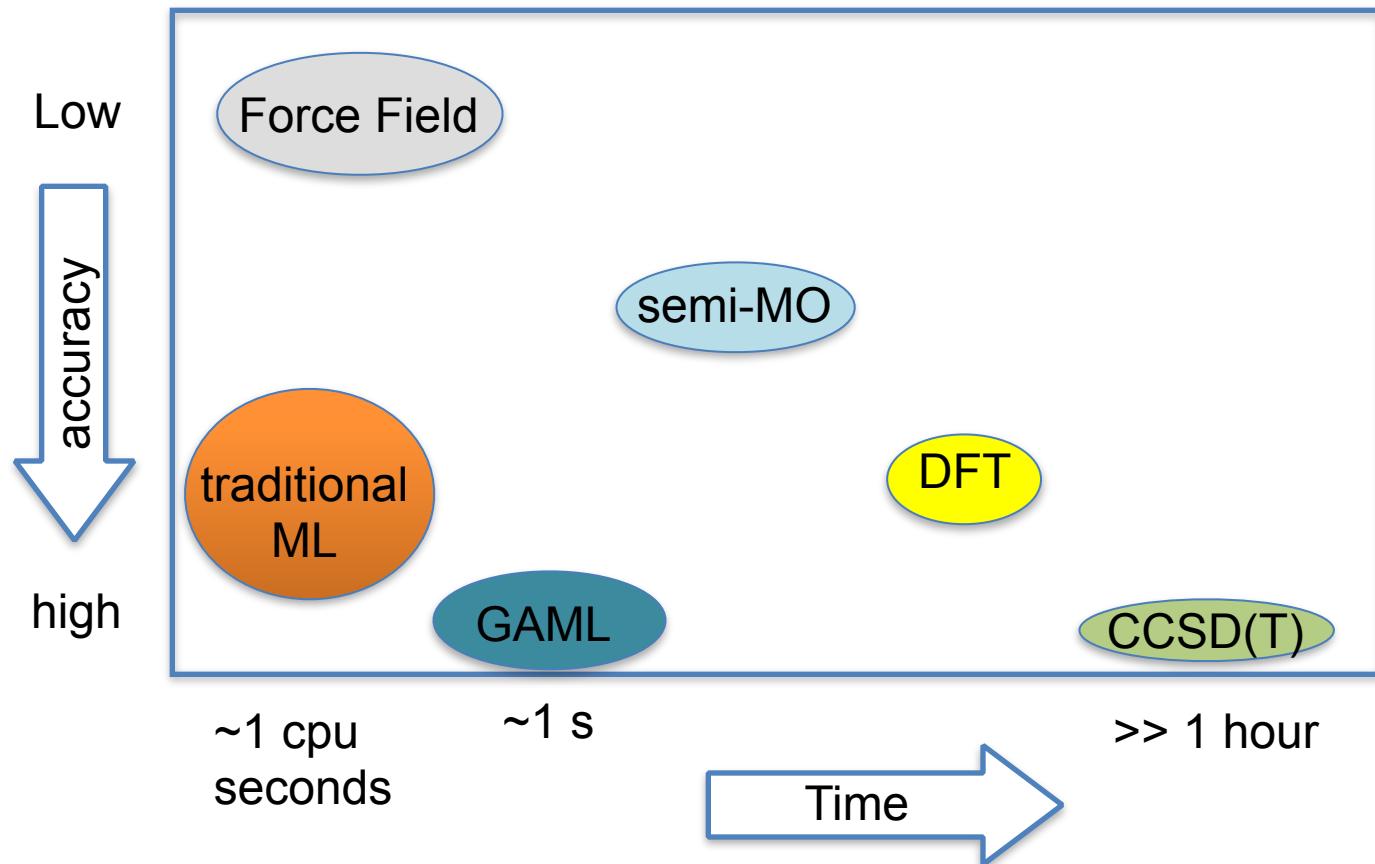
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Breaking the hex!

$$\hat{H}\Psi = E\Psi$$



Machine Learning - basics

- feature abstraction**

 - Given data set $\{\mathbf{X}_0; \mathbf{Y}\}$, learn $f: \mathbf{X} \rightarrow \mathbf{Y}$ and then infer for new \mathbf{X}_0'
 - training**: $\{\mathbf{X}_0; \mathbf{Y}\}$
 - test**: \mathbf{X}_0'
 - for molecules, $\mathbf{X}_0: \{Z, R\}$, $\mathbf{Y}: E$

Kernel ridge regression

$$Y_i^{\text{est}}(\mathbf{X}_i) = \sum_j \alpha_j \exp\left(-\frac{d(\mathbf{X}_j, \mathbf{X}_i)}{\sigma}\right) + b$$
 - $k(\mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{X}_j)$ covariance
 - σ length-scale of the data set
$$\min_{\alpha} \sum_i (Y_i^{\text{est}}(\mathbf{X}_i) - Y_i)^2 + \lambda \sum_i \alpha_i^2$$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = (\mathbf{K} + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1}$ noise-level

N parameters to be regressed for N molecules
+ 2 global parameters

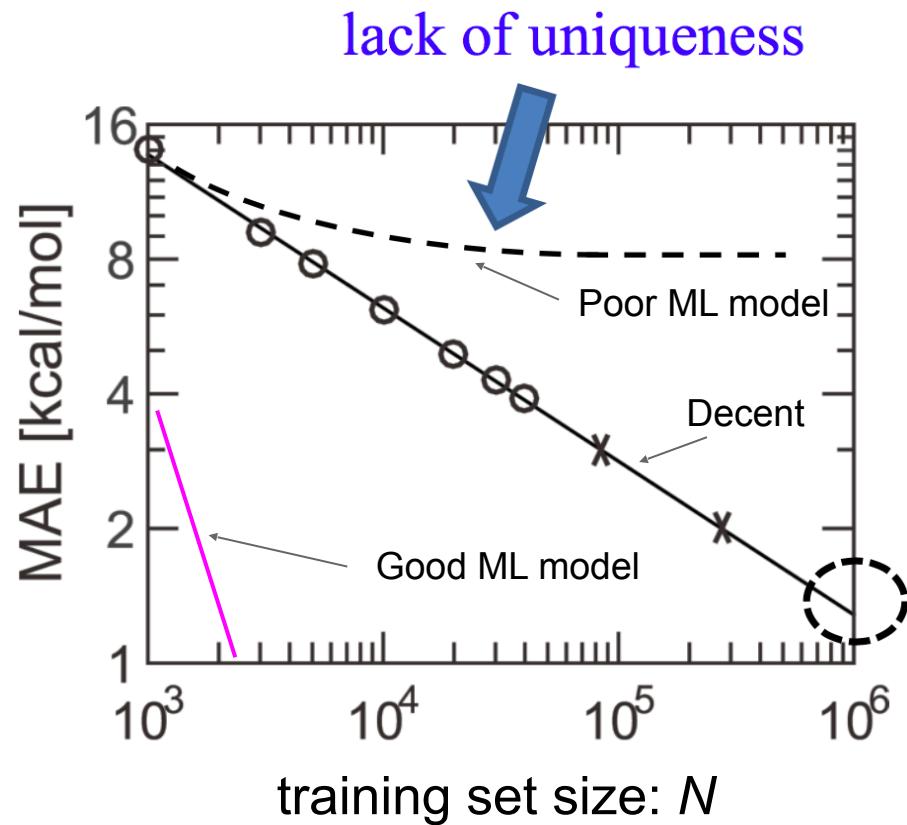
Machine Learning - basics

- ❑ More training data, better results for proper **X** (refer to **M** hereafter)

at large N

$$\log(\text{Error}) = a - b \log(N)$$

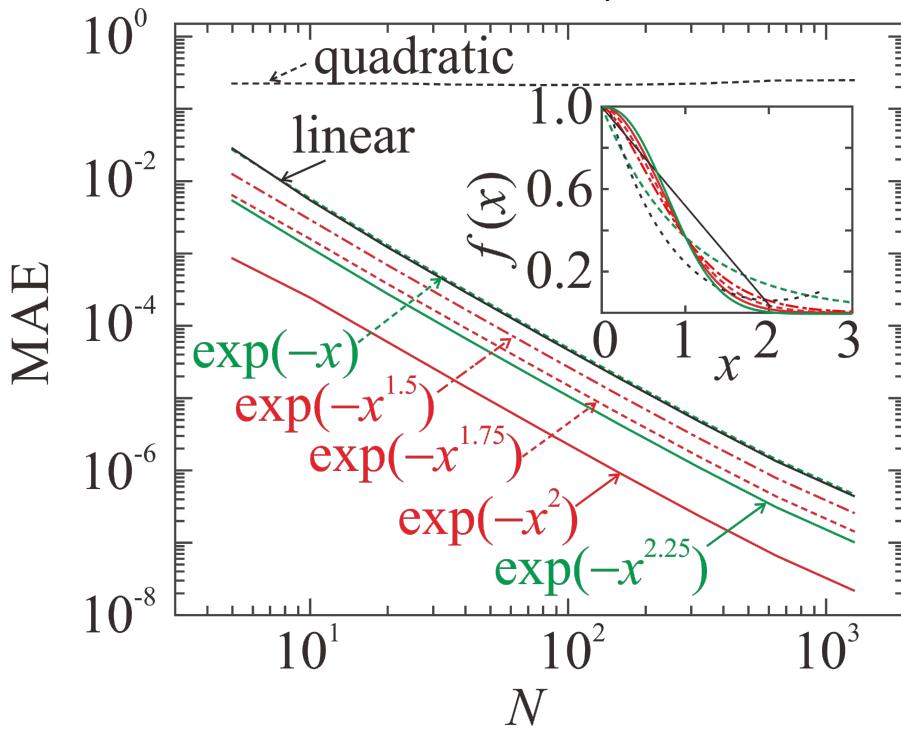
- ❑ representation (**M**) central to ML



Learning a simple 1-D function

$$f(x) = \exp(-x^2)$$

$$f^{\text{est}}(x) = \sum \alpha_i k(\underbrace{ax_i + b}_{M_i}, \underbrace{ax + b}_M)$$



For KRR, f & $a^*f + b$
as rpsts are identical

$$\log(\text{Error}) = a - b \log(N)$$

target similarity

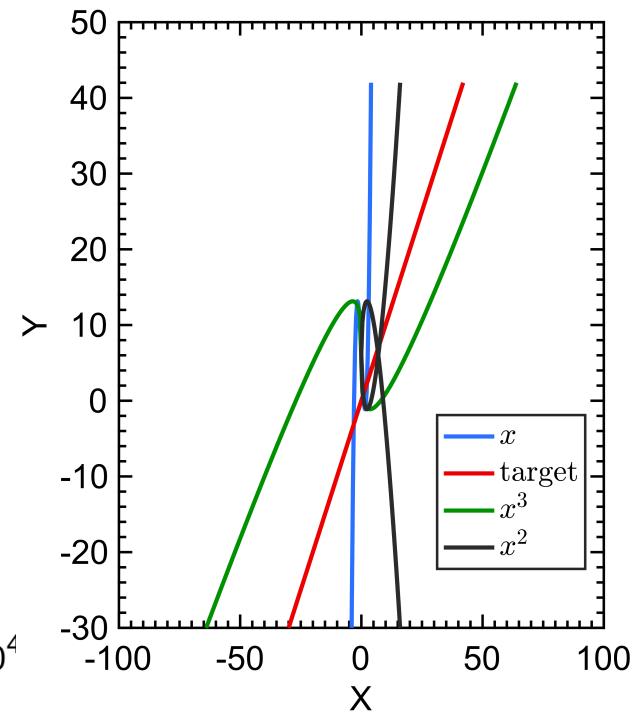
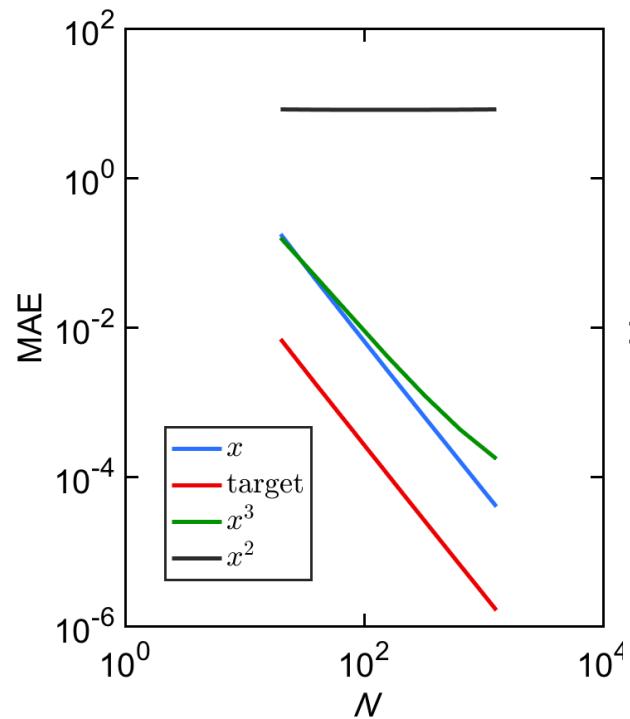
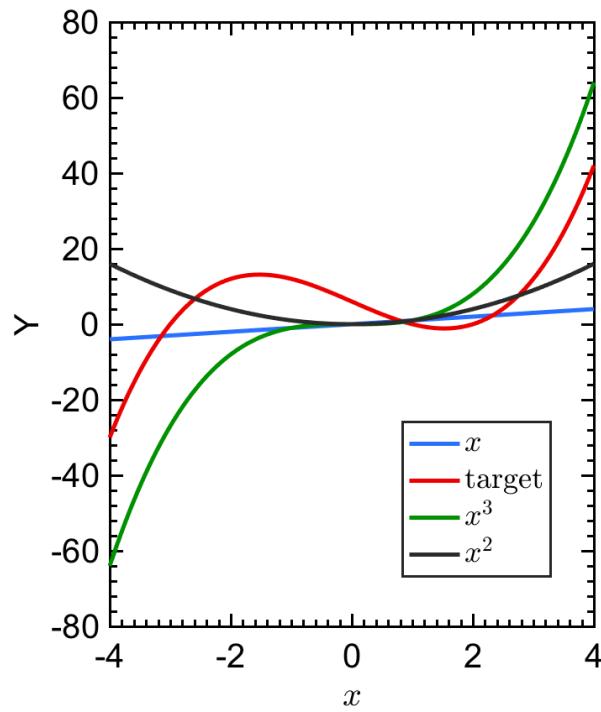
uniqueness

lack of uniqueness
 → absurd results
 → noise in training

OAvL *et al.*, IJQC (2013)

Learning a "complicated 1-D function"

target: $Y = (x-1)(x-2)(x+3)$



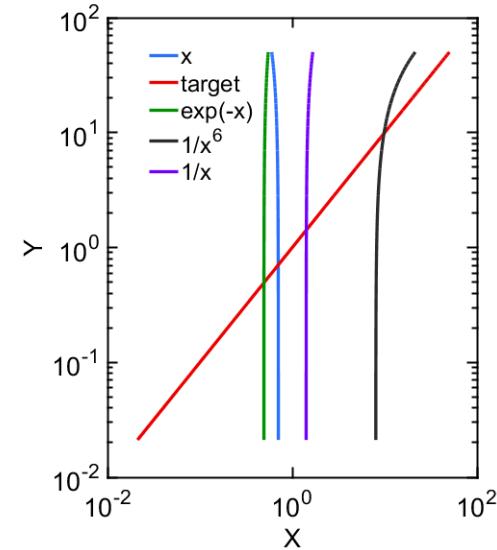
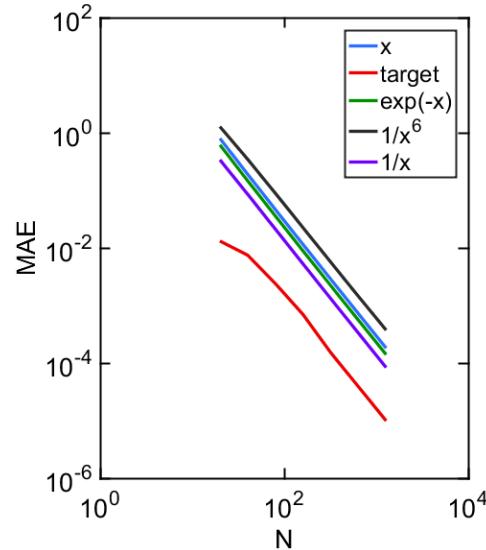
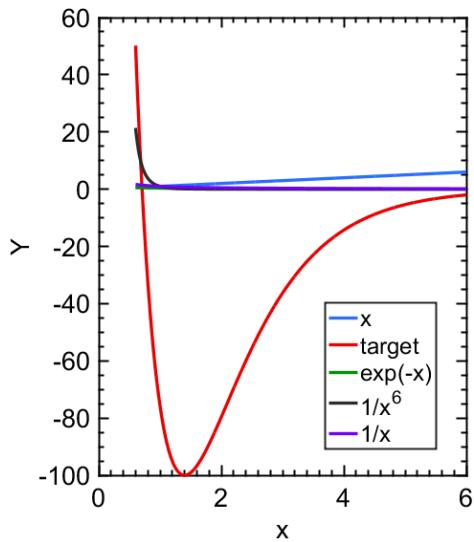
General guidelines for designing M

- in case you know f well (exact form unknown)
use it as M
- otherwise you'd better know how f behaves
use one monotonic part of f , refer it as g

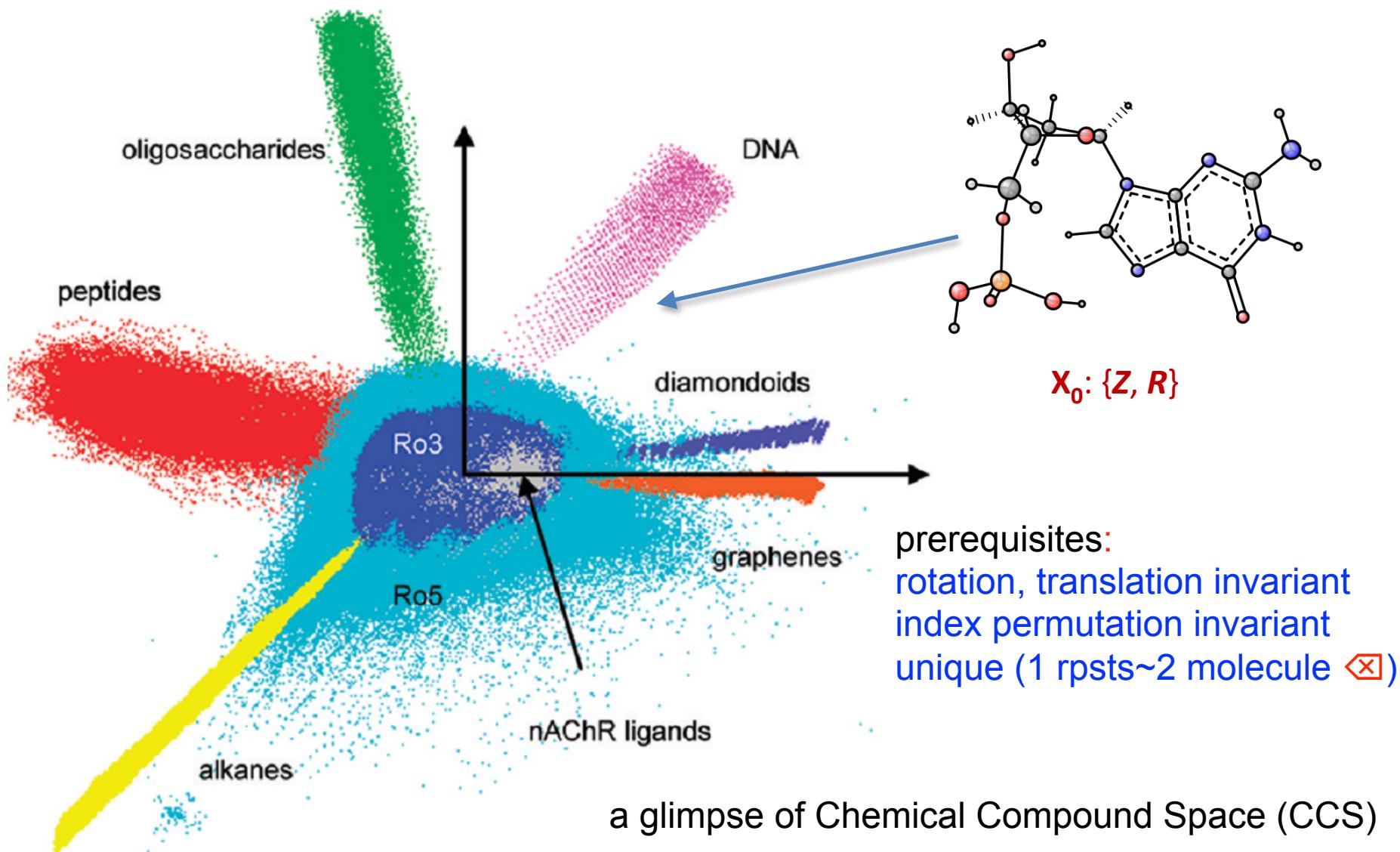
best g minimizes $\|g - f\|_2$



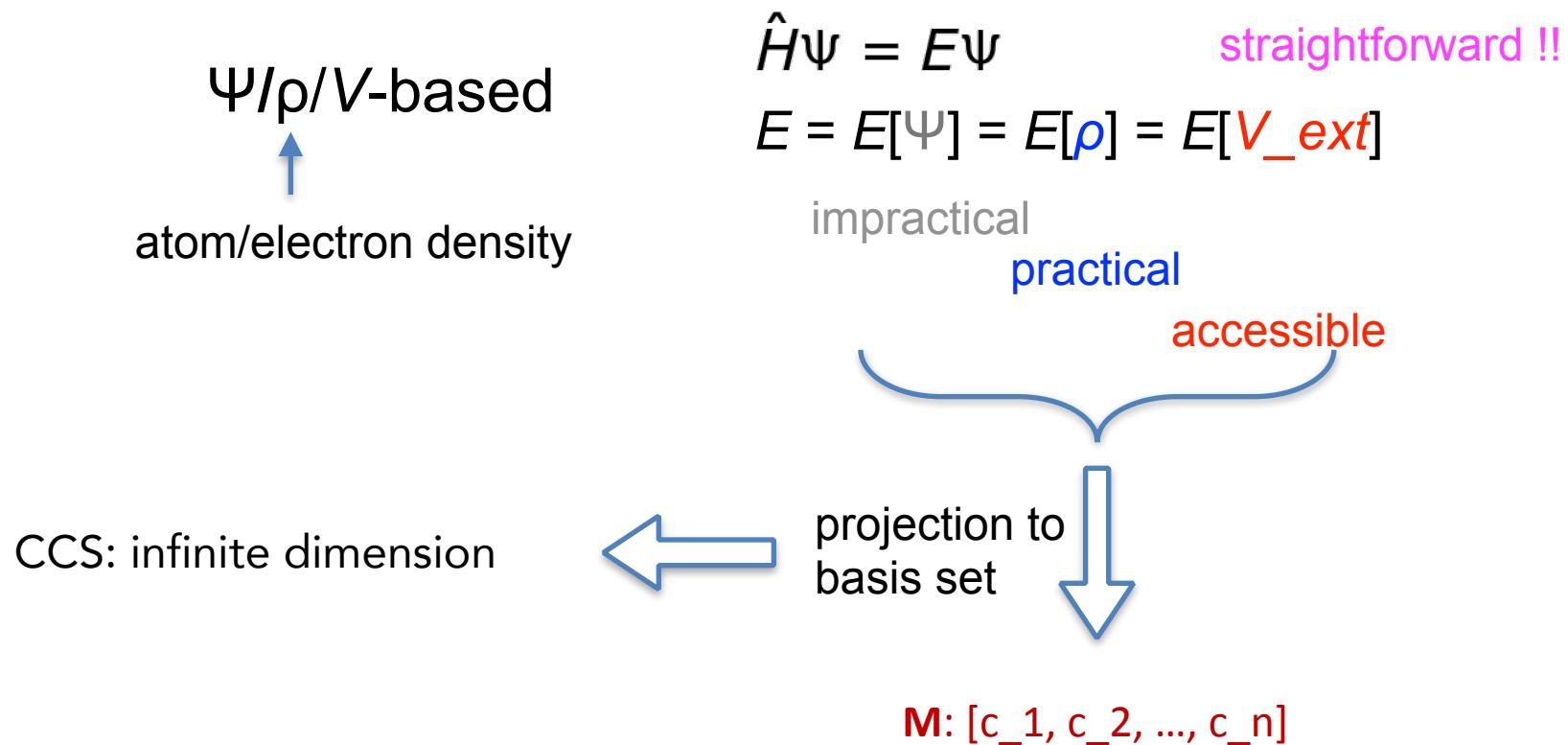
e.g., Morse potential $V(x) = -100*(2*\exp(-(x-1.4)) - \exp(-2(x-1.4)))$
Performance $V(x) > 1/x > \exp(-(x-1.4)) > x > 1/x^6 >> -(x-1.4)^2$



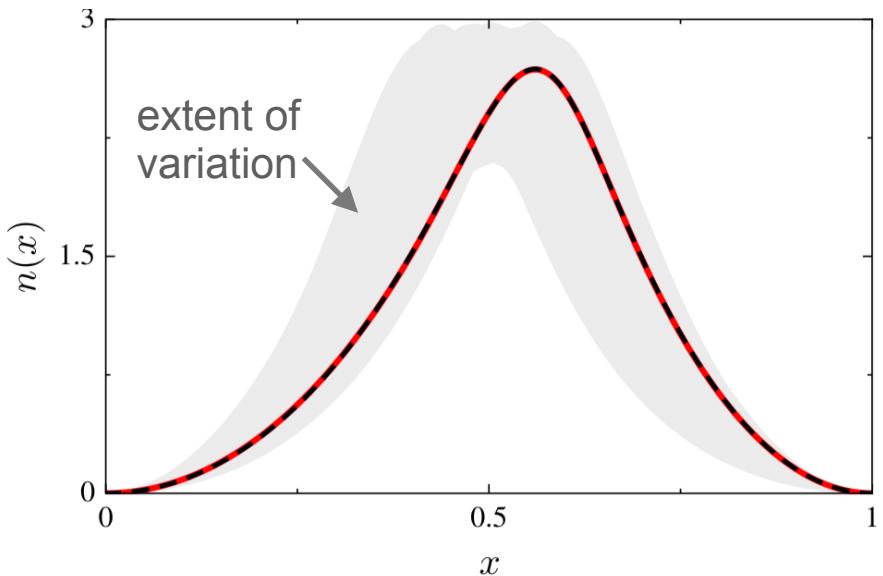
Representing molecules



Representing molecules



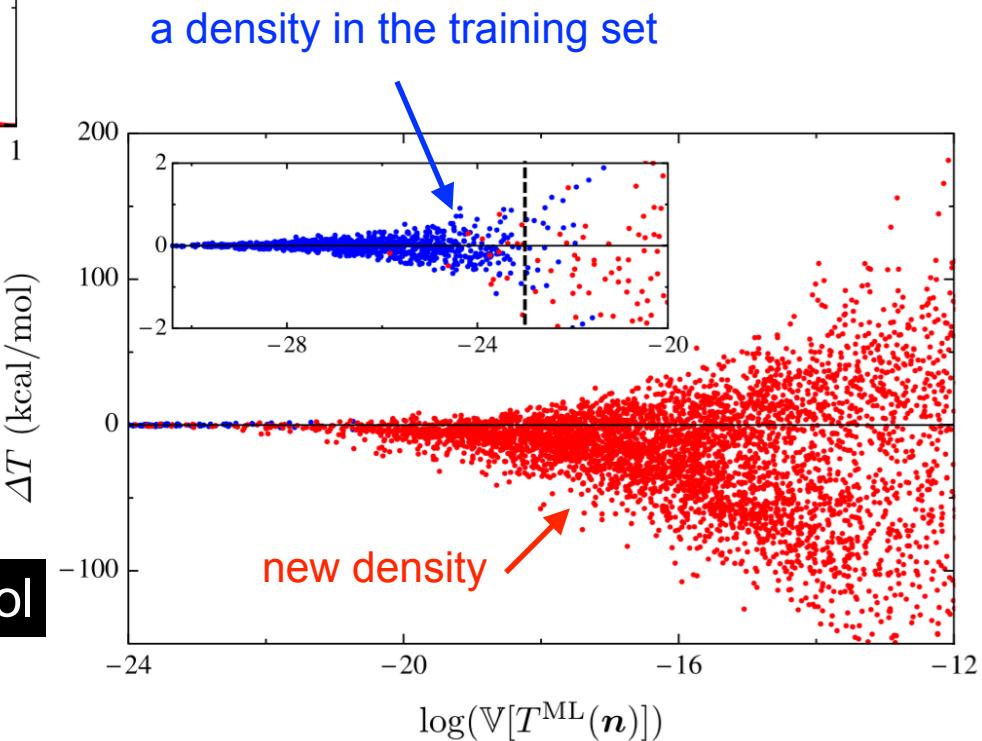
Learning an 1-D functional



noninteracting fermions in 1D
property: kinetic energy

MAE < 1.0 kcal/mol

$$v(x) = - \sum_{i=1}^3 a_i \exp[-(x - b_i)^2 / (2c_i^2)].$$



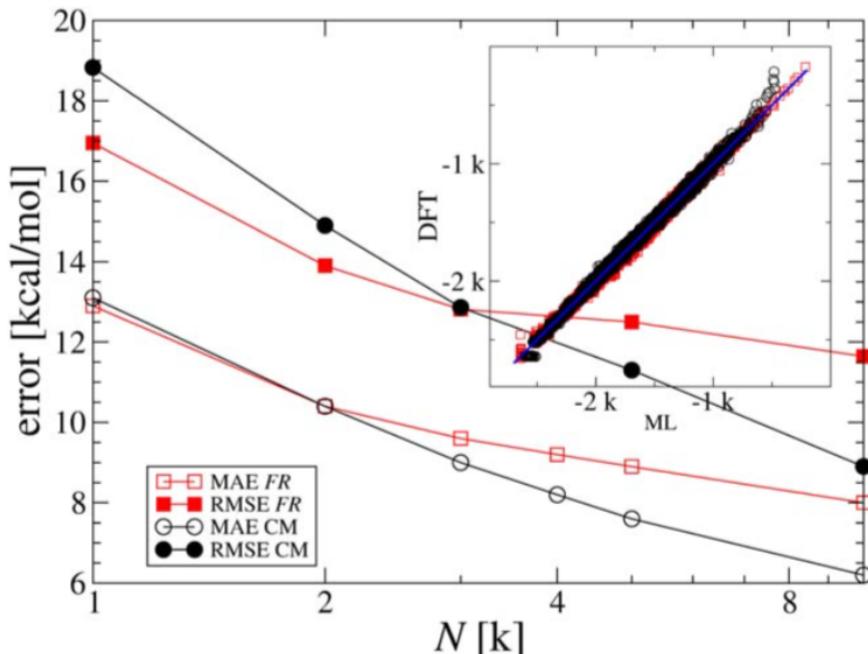
fingerprint representations

$$P(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_I Z_I e^{-a|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_I|^2}$$

remove rotation
dependence

projection to 1-D
frequency domain
& substitution

$$FR(r) = \sum_I Z_I^k \left(\cos \left[Z_I^m \sum_J Z_J^n e^{-b(r-r_{IJ})^2} \right] - 1 \right)$$



OAvL et al., IJQC (2015)

$$C(\eta) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i^N \sum_{j \neq i} e^{-\left(\frac{r_{ij}}{\eta}\right)^2}$$

projection to 1-D
 η -grid

1-D discrete array
works good for Al_n systems

GDB-9 dataset

V. Botu, et al., IJQC (2015)

Representing molecules

why are fingerprint rpsts bad for molecules, but good for Al_n like systems?

$\Psi/\rho/V$ -based

$\|g - f\|_2$ large for molecules, small for Al_n

Representing molecules

$\Psi/\rho/V$ -based

CCS: dimension is significantly reduced!!!

many body expansion (MBE) of total energy

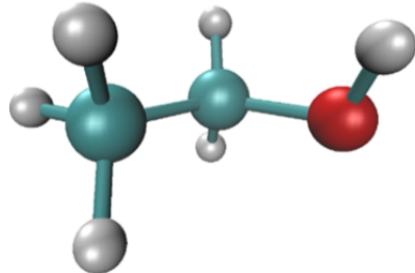
E -based

$$E(\{\mathbf{R}_I\}) = \sum_I^{[Z]} E^{(1)}(R_I) + \sum_{J>I}^{[Z]} E^{(2)}(R_{IJ}) \\ + \sum_{K>J>I}^{[Z]} E^{(3)}(R_{IJ}, R_{IK}, R_{JK}) + \dots$$

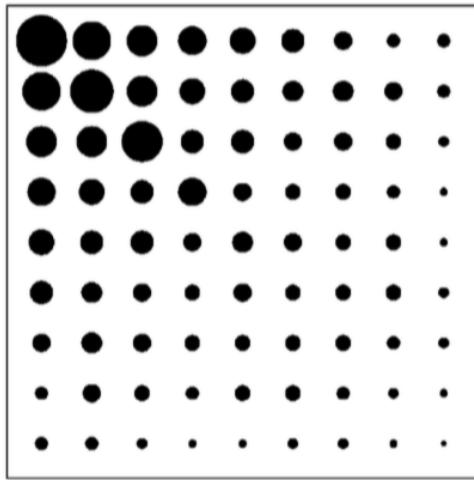


M: [$\{E(1)\}$, $\{E(12)\}$, $\{E(123)\}$, ...]

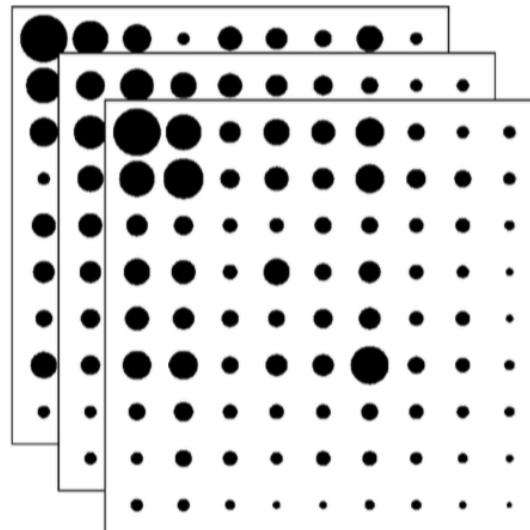
Coulomb matrix (CM)



$$C_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0.5 Z_i^{2.4} & \forall i = j \\ \frac{Z_i Z_j}{|\mathbf{R}_i - \mathbf{R}_j|} & \forall i \neq j. \end{cases}$$



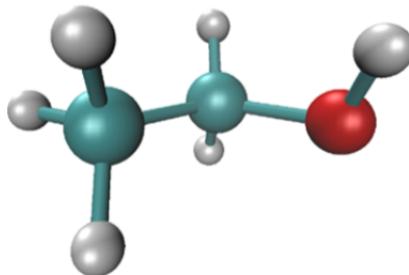
sorted CM



random CM

“CM”, M. Rupp, *et al.*, PRL, 2012

Bag of Bonds (BoB)

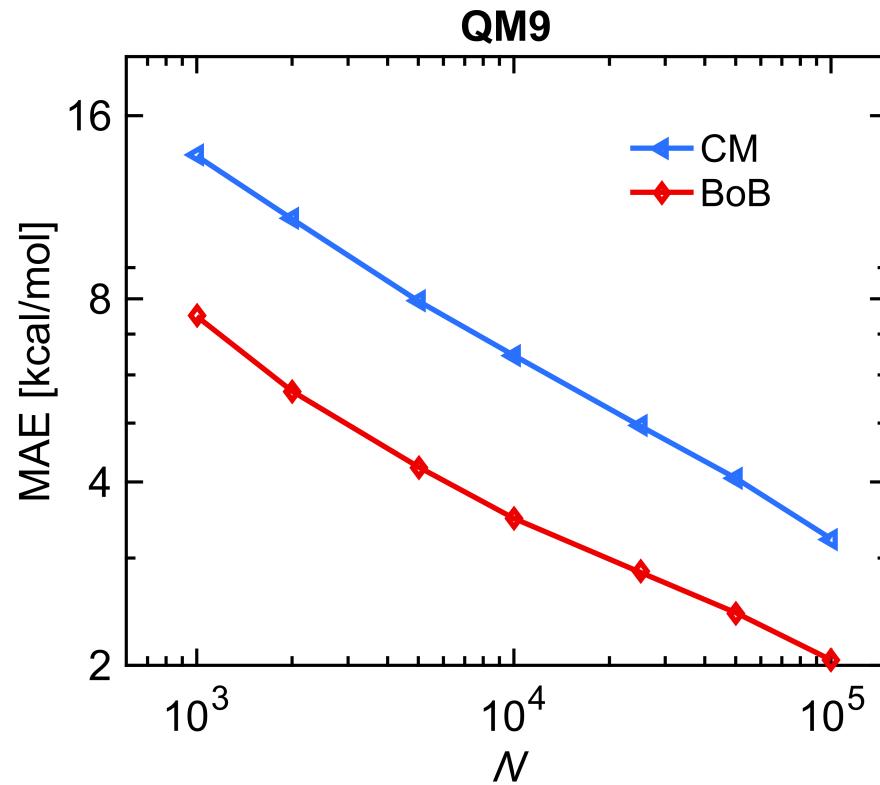


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O	O	OC	OC	OH	OH	OH	OH	OH
C	OC	C	CC	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH
C	OC	CC	C	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH
H	OH	CH	CH	H	HH	HH	HH	HH
H	OH	CH	CH	HH	H	HH	HH	HH
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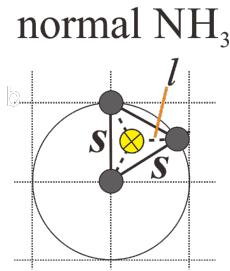
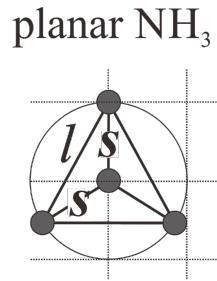
OC	CH	HH
CH	CH	HH
HH	HH	HH

⁰ O-bag
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much better than CM, why??

non-uniqueness issue

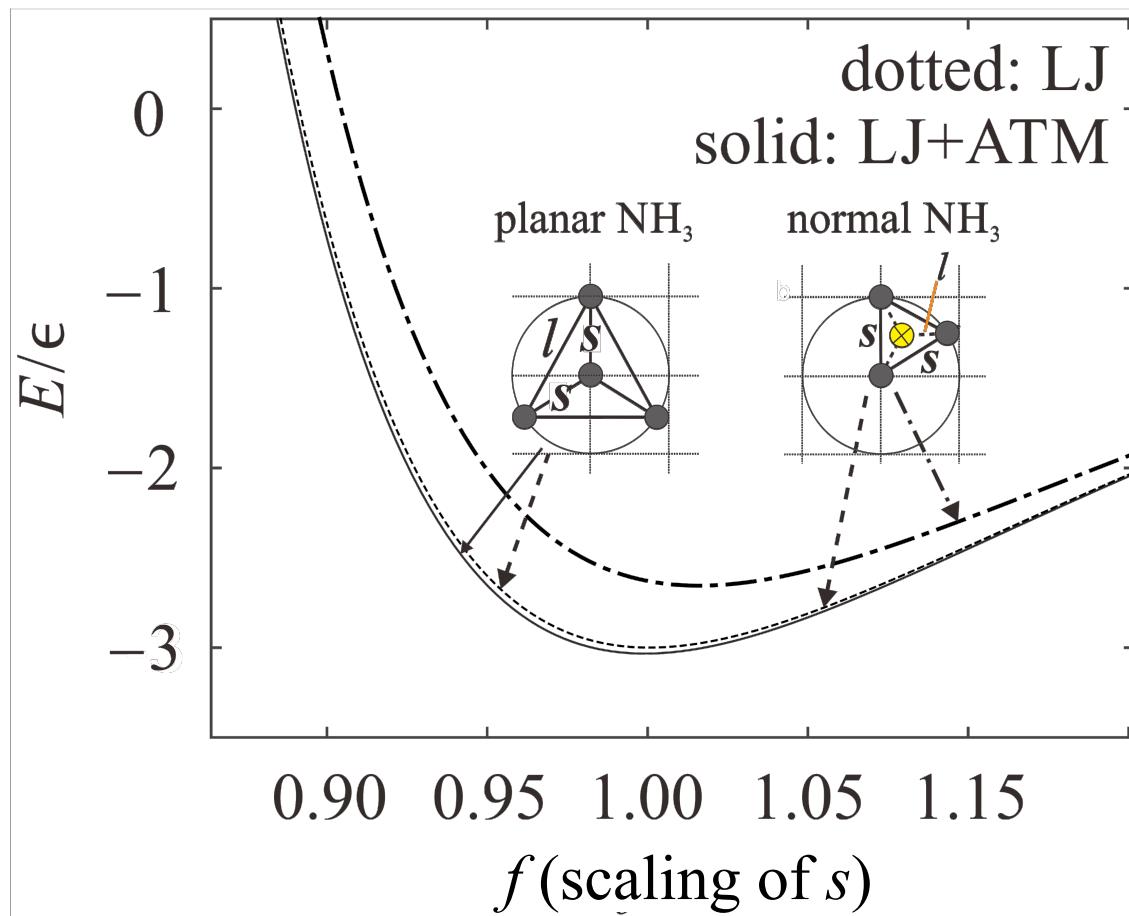


homometric molecules

same set of
interatomic
distance pairs

non-uniqueness issue

LJ: Lennard-Jones 2-body vdW potential
 ATM: Axilrod-Teller-Muto 3-body vdW potential

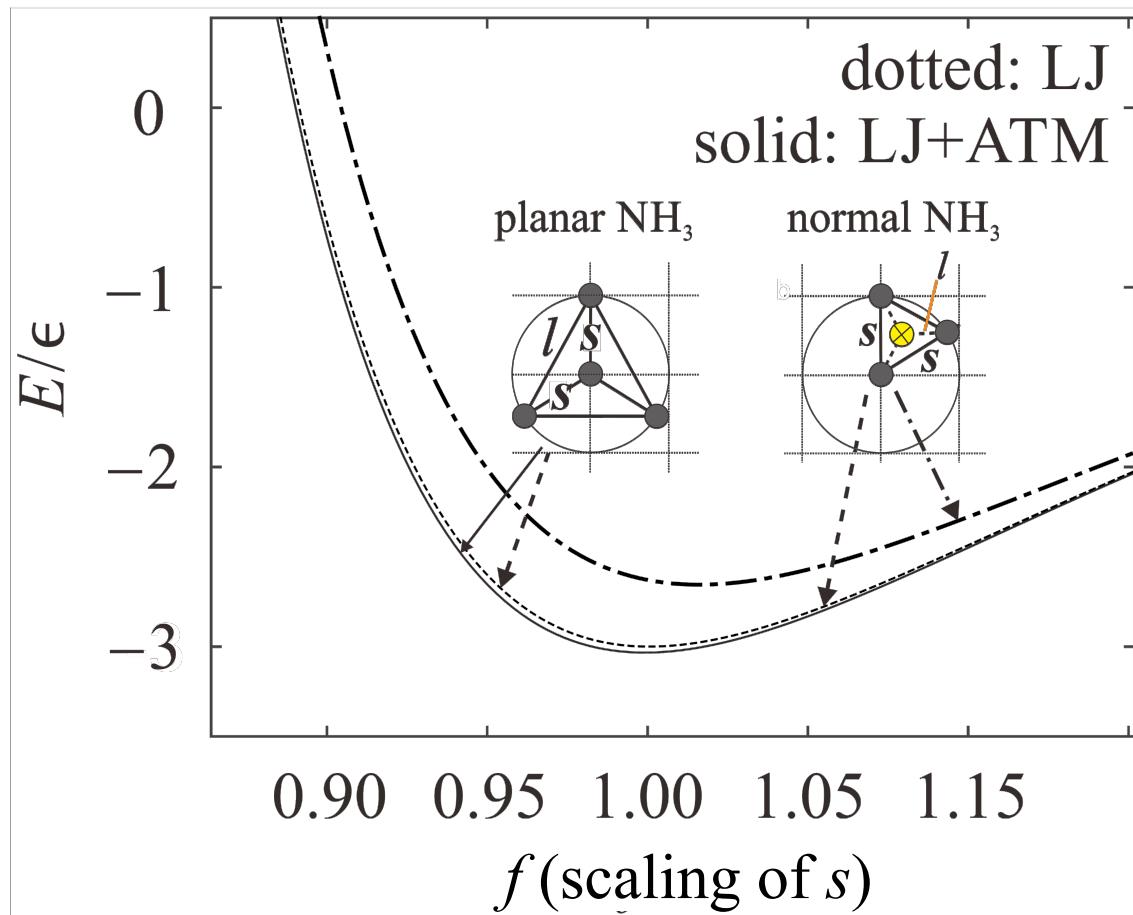


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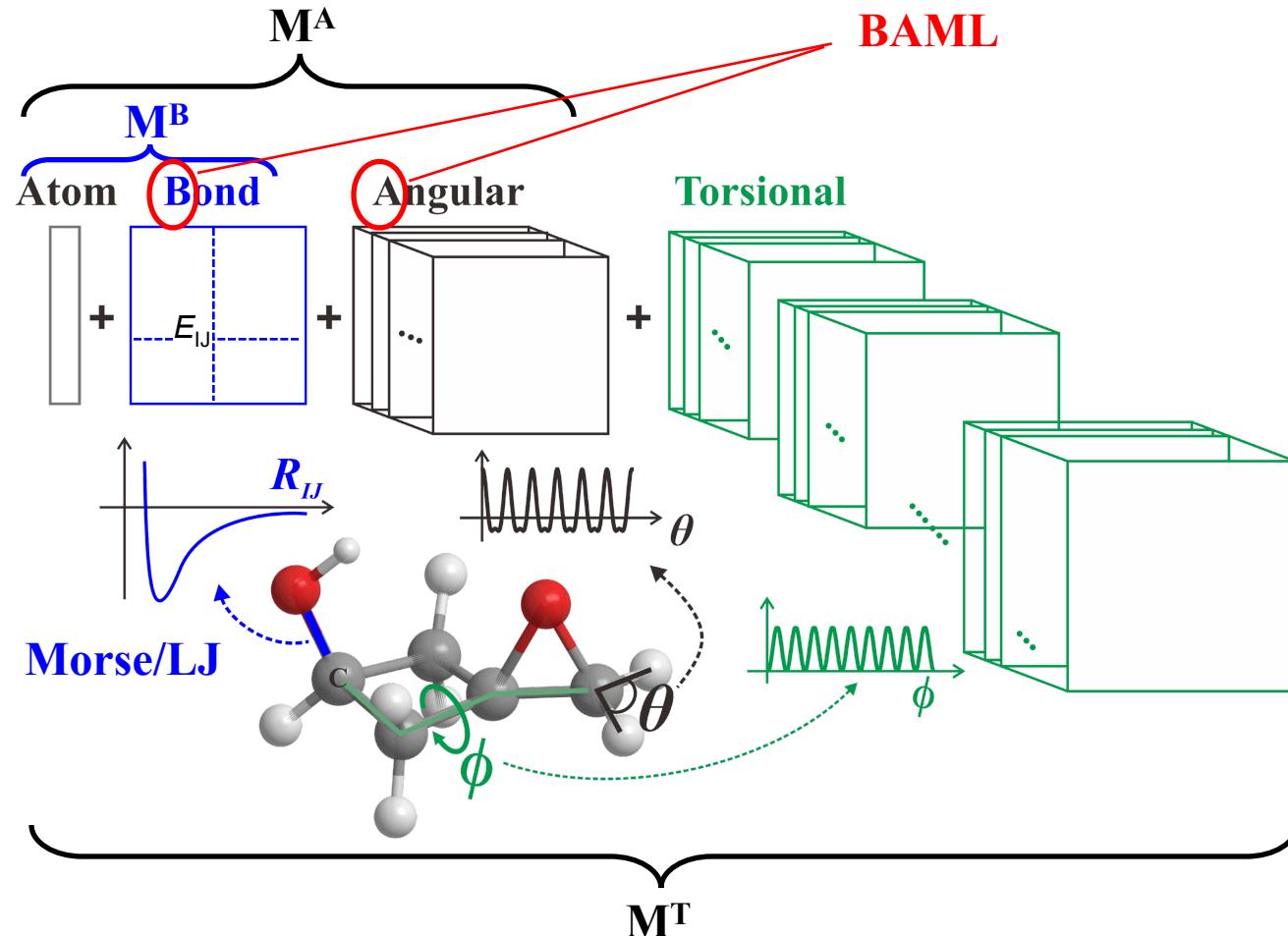
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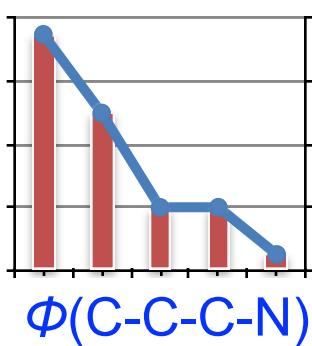
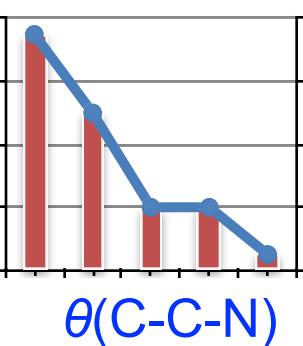
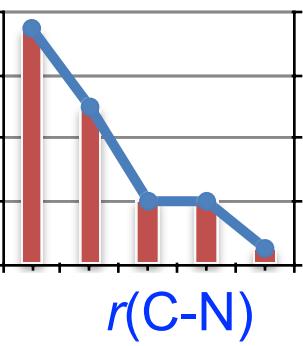
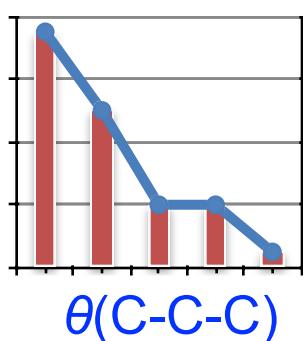
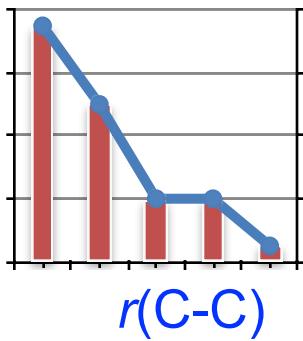
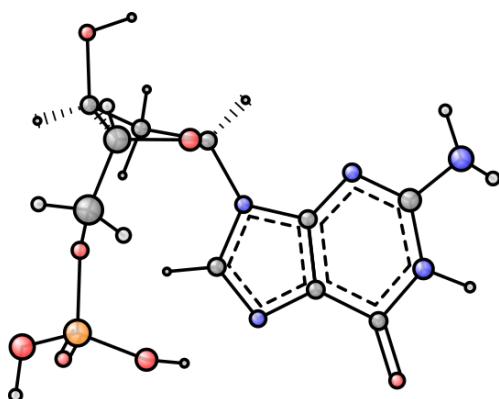
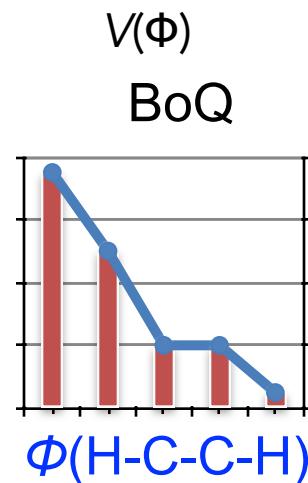
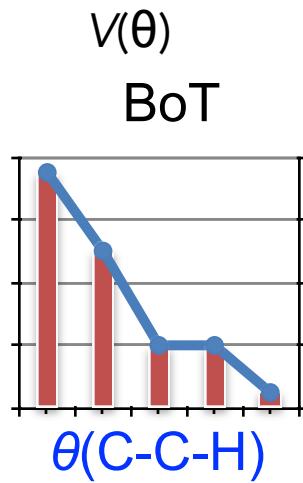
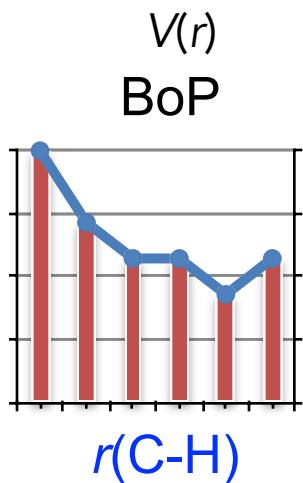
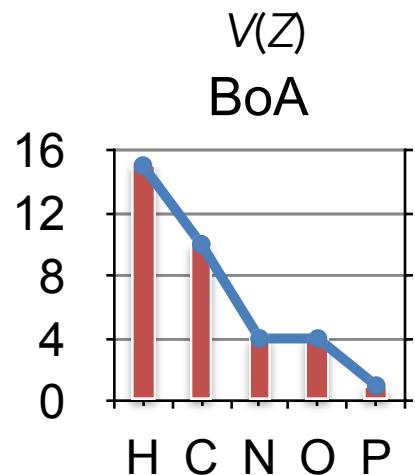
2-body interaction is not
enough!

BAML

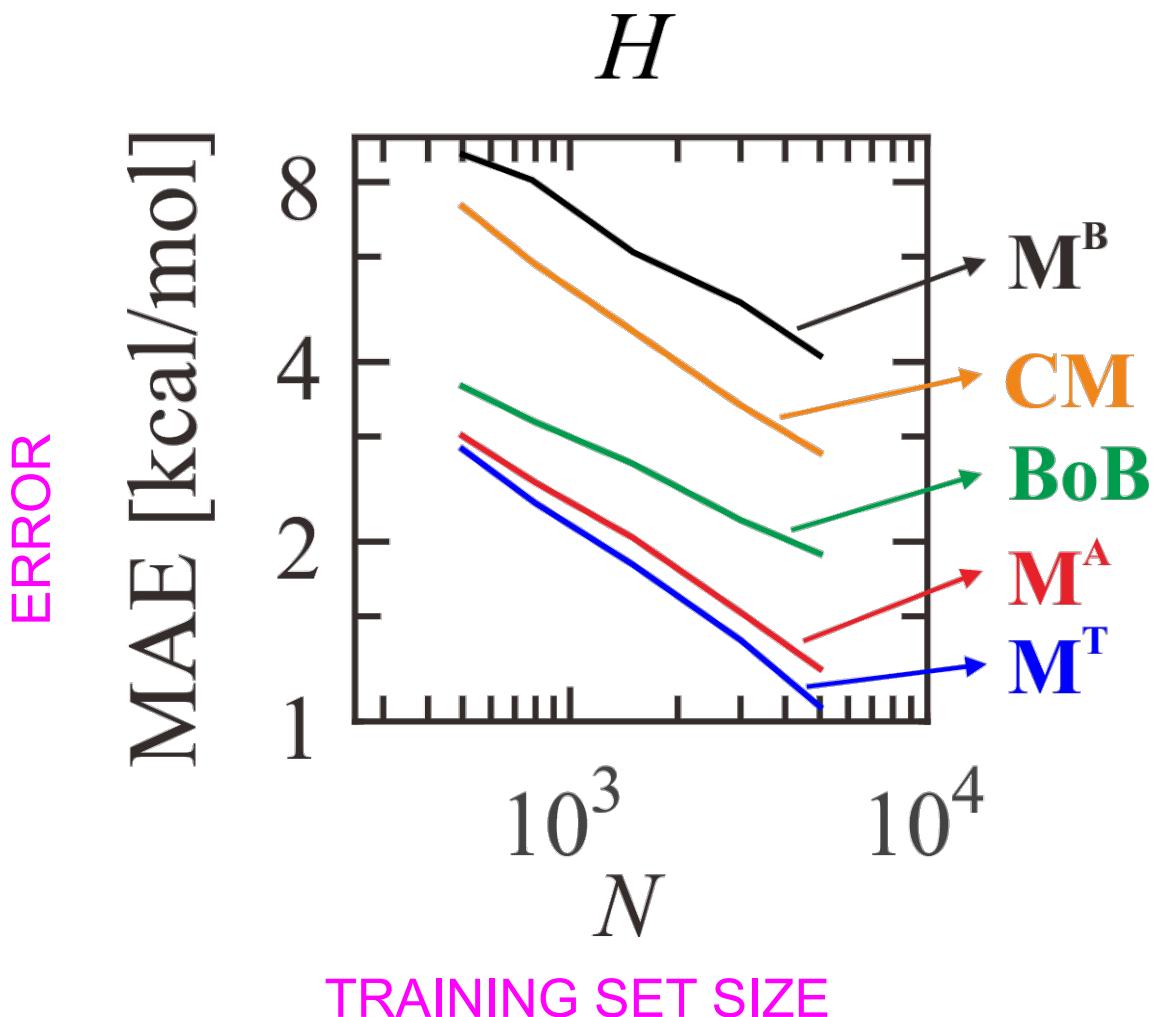
bags of Universal force field (UFF) contributions



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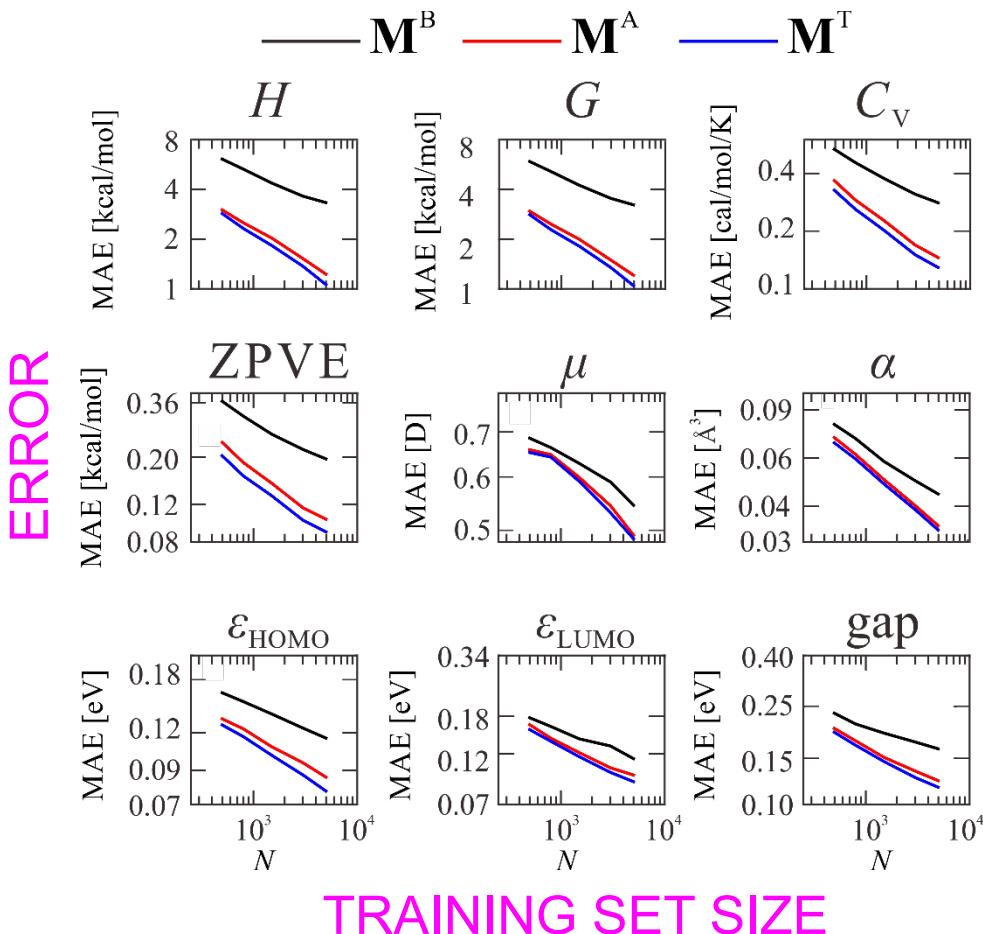
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database: 6k isomers
($C_7H_{10}O_2$)

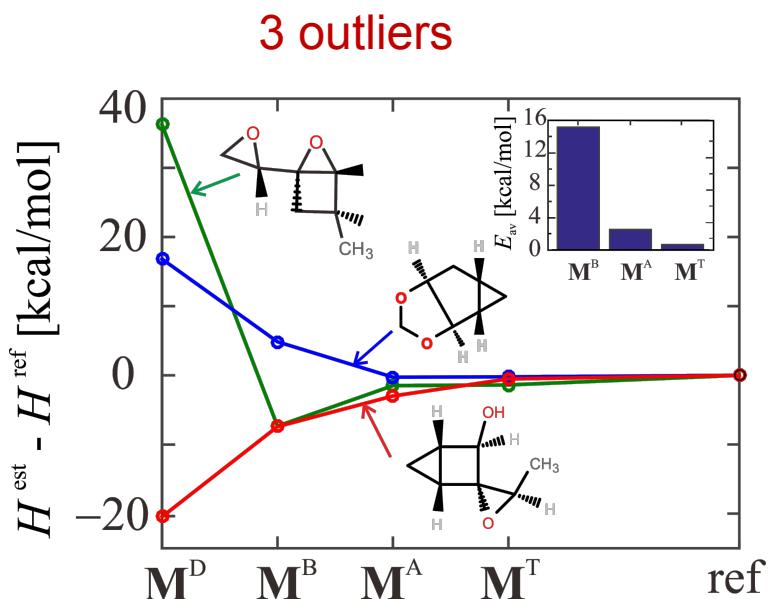
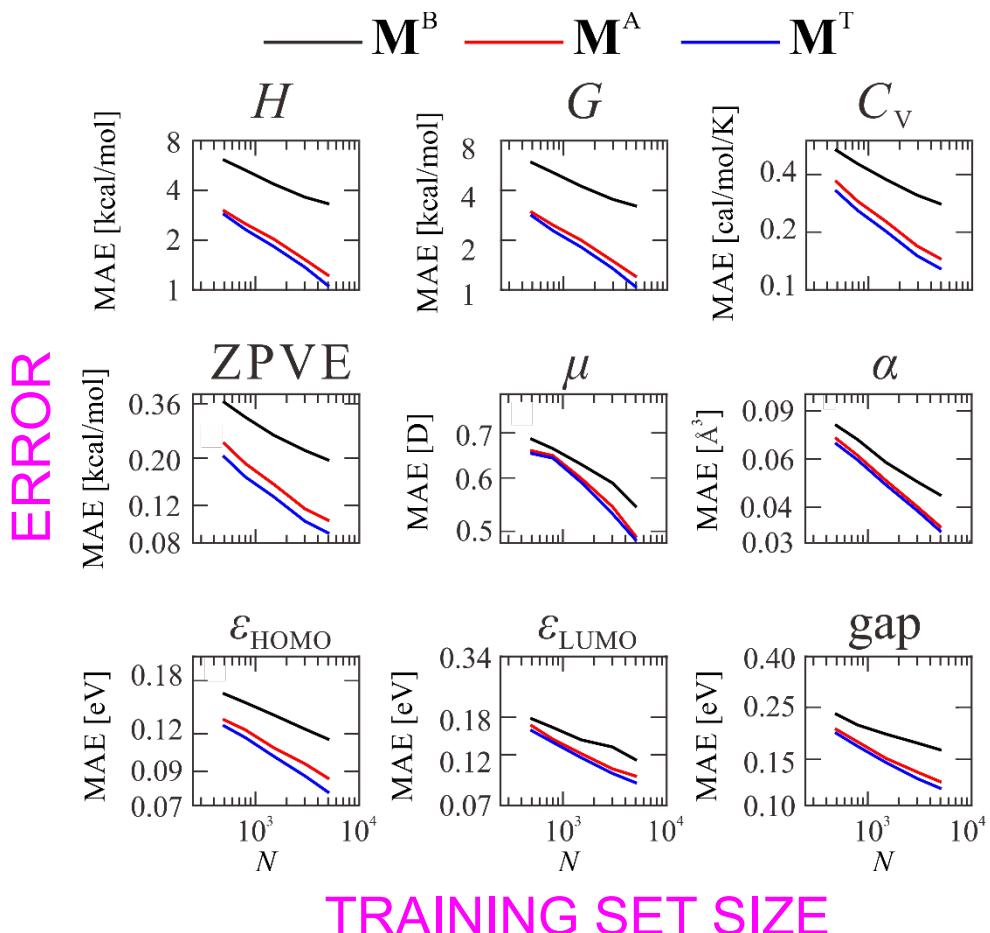
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6k isomers^a ($C_7H_{10}O_2$)



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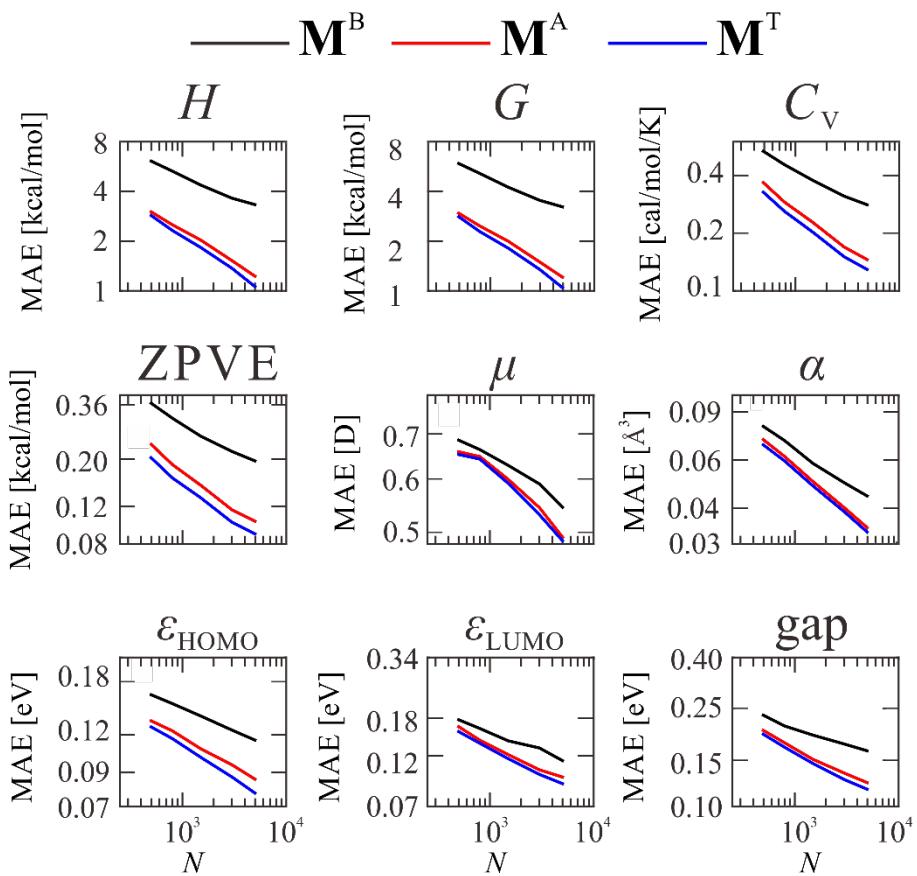
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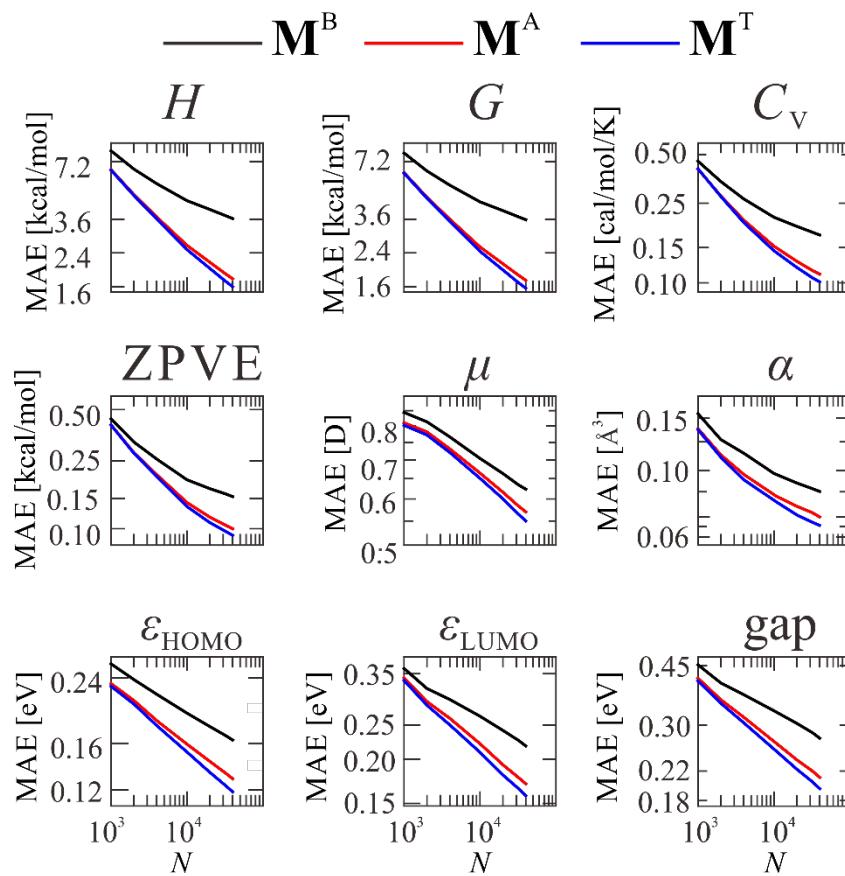
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ERROR



TRAINING SET SIZE

QM9^a (134k)



TRAINING SET SIZE

BAML

Comparison QM7b database (size: 7211)

MAE (5k out-of-sample)

	BAML	BoB	SOAP ^a	CM ^b	accuracy ^b
E (PBE0)/eV	0.05	0.08	0.04	0.16	0.15, 0.23, 0.09-0.22
α (PBE0)/ Å ³	0.07	0.09	0.05	0.11	0.05-0.27, 0.04-0.14
HOMO (GW)/eV	0.10	0.15	0.12	0.16	-
LUMO (GW)/eV	0.11	0.16	0.12	0.16	-
IP (ZINDO)/eV	0.15	0.20	0.19	0.17	0.20, 0.15
EA (ZINDO)/eV	0.07	0.17	0.13	0.11	0.16, 0.11
E _{1st} * (ZINDO)/eV	0.13	0.21	0.18	0.13	0.18, 0.21

^a S. De, *et al.*, *PCCP*, 2016

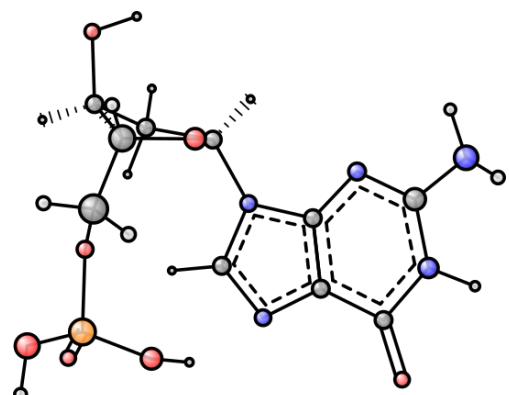
^b G. Montavon, *et al.*, *NJP*, 2013

BH, OAvL, *JCP comm.*, 2016

HDAD

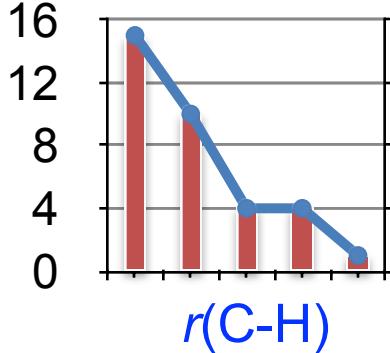
$$\begin{aligned} V(r) &= r \\ V(\theta) &= \theta \\ V(\Phi) &= \Phi \end{aligned}$$

*shortcoming:
force prediction*



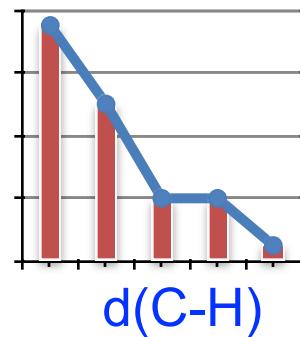
Histogram of Distance

BoP



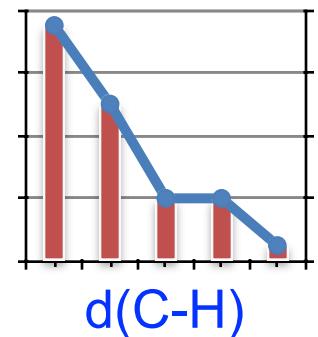
$r(\text{C-H})$

BoT



$d(\text{C-H})$

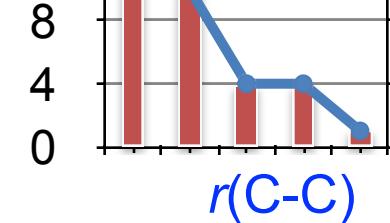
BoQ



$d(\text{C-H})$

Histogram of Angles

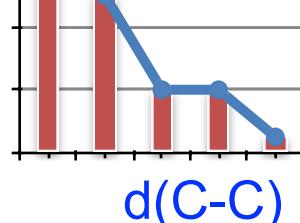
BoP



$r(\text{C-C})$

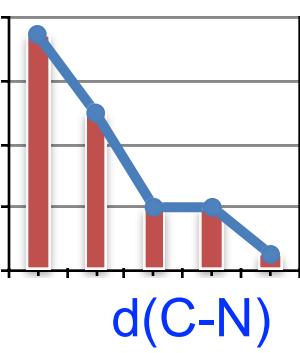
$d(\text{C-C})$

BoT



$d(\text{C-C})$

BoQ



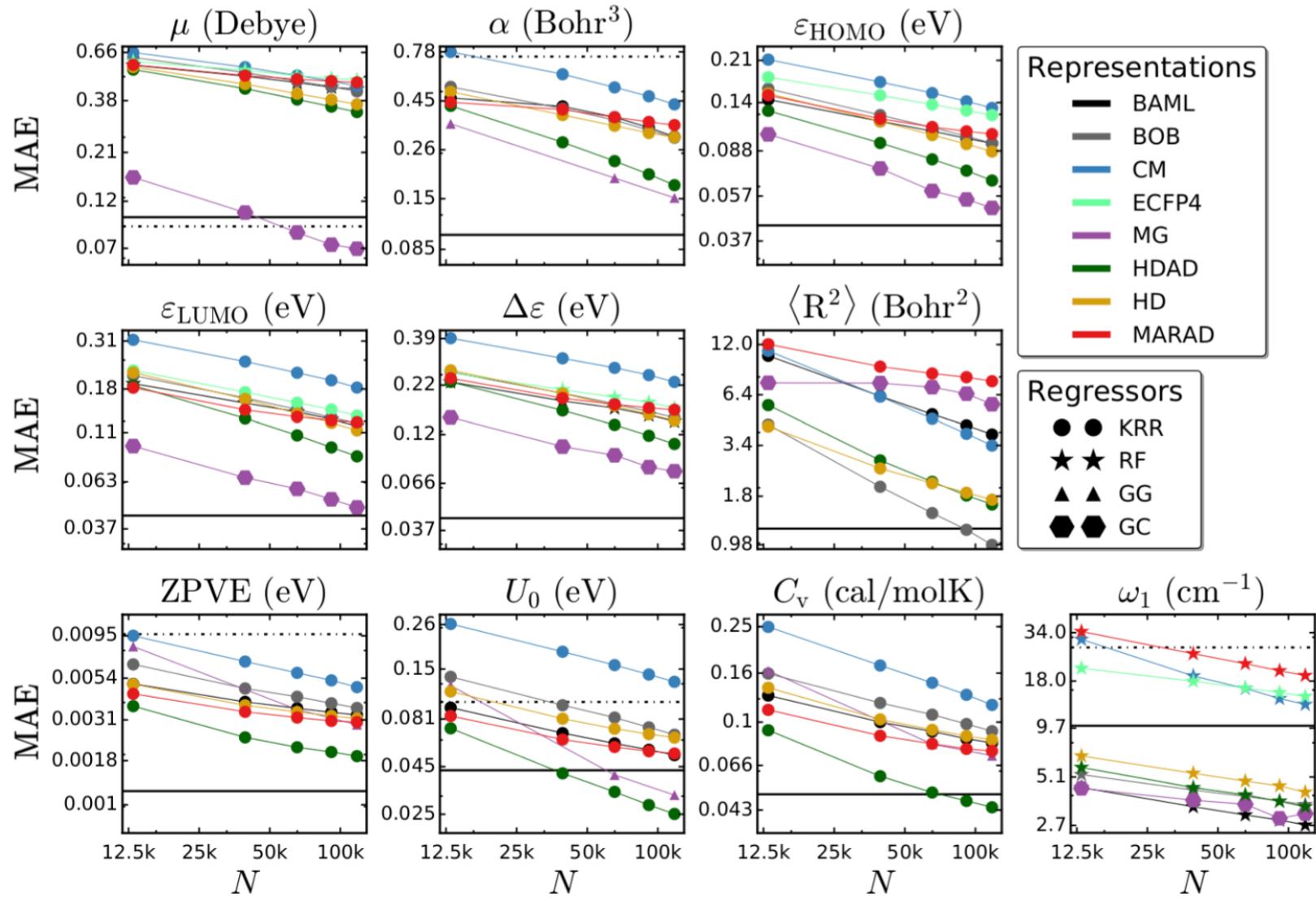
$d(\text{C-C})$

$r(\text{C-N})$

$d(\text{C-N})$

Histogram of Dihedral angles

HDAD



Why is BAML worse than HDAD?

- * empirical force field terms fails to describe reality in many cases
- * uniqueness might also be an issue
 - * e.g., a slightly deviated Morse potential may cause uniqueness issue

Bear in mind once again:

- * be cautious to use the target function as representations!

Improving the physics

QM7b dataset (size: 7211)
property: enthalpy (H)

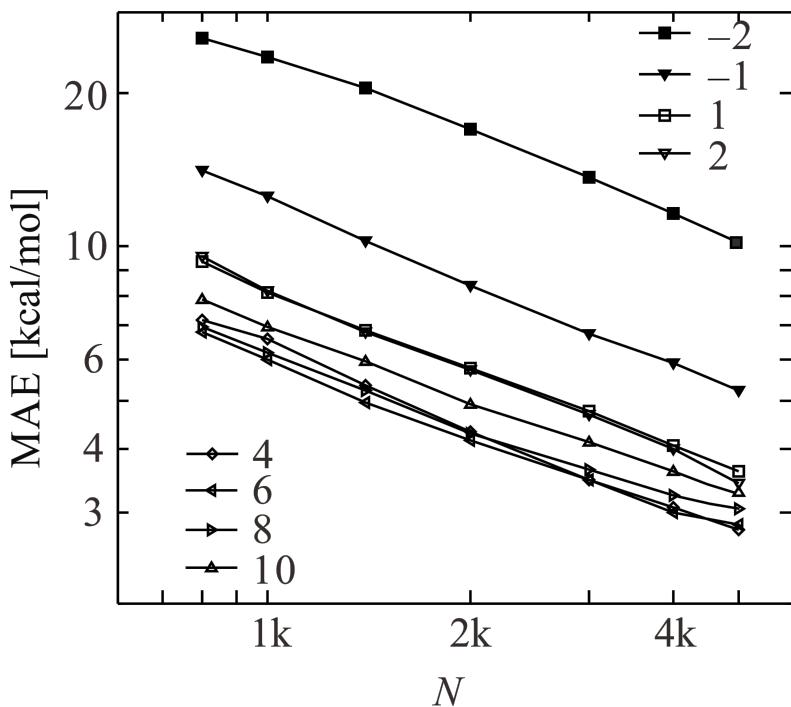
$$H^{\text{est}}(\text{CM}^{(n)}) = \sum \alpha_i k(\text{CM}^{(n)}, \text{CM}_i^{(n)})$$

$$E(2) = Z_i Z_j / R^n$$

Coulomb force: good as a post for bonding, bad for dispersion

London force: good for dispersion, decent for bond

as a comprise, London wins!!

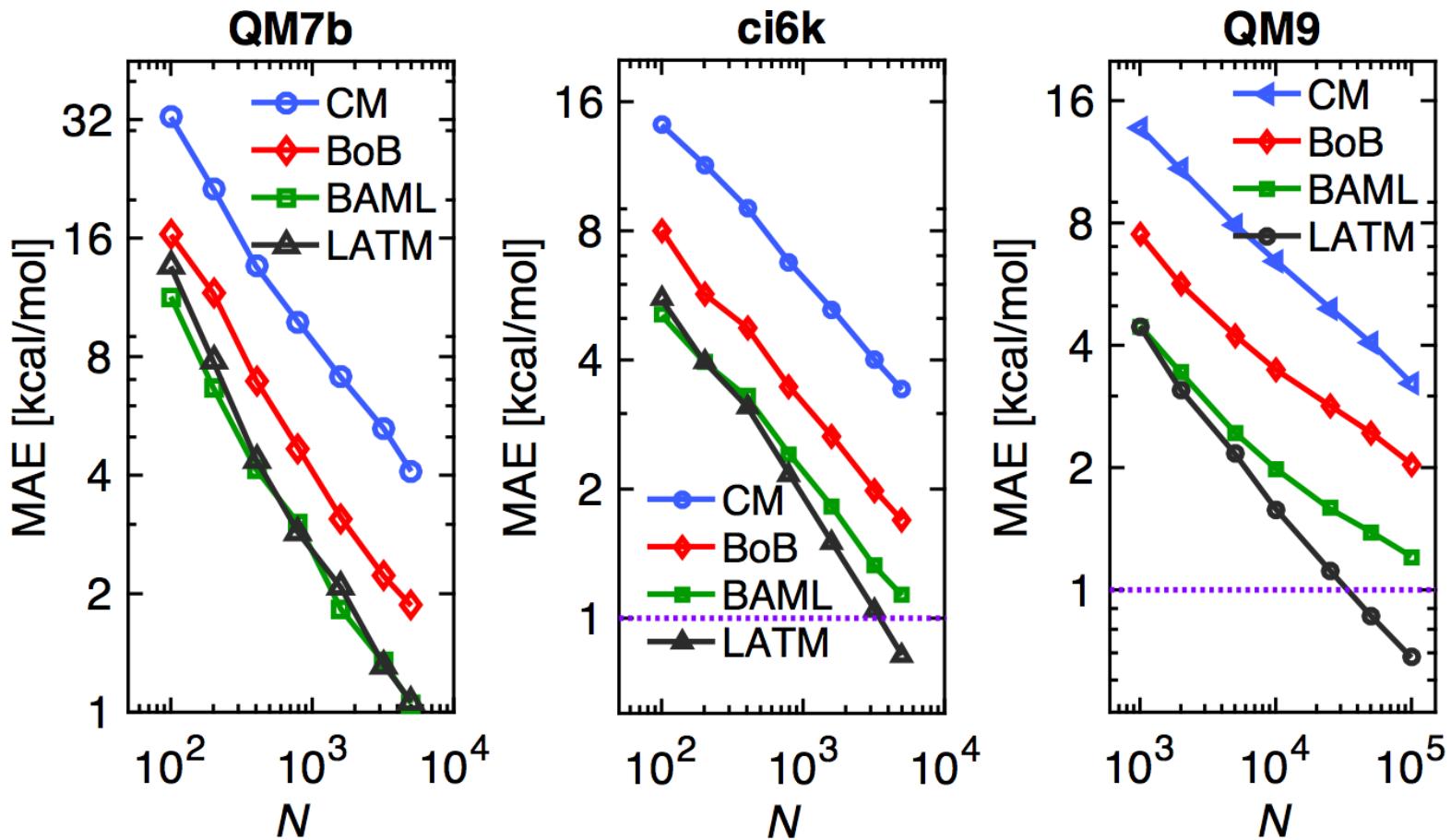


Improving the physics

Atoms + London + Axilrod-Teller-Muto (LATM)

$$E^{(2)}(\mathbf{R}_I, \mathbf{R}_J) = -\frac{C_{6IJ}}{R_{IJ}^6}$$

$$E^{(3)}(\mathbf{R}_I, \mathbf{R}_J, \mathbf{R}_K) = C_{9_{IJK}} \frac{3 \cos[\phi_I] \cos[\phi_J] \cos[\phi_K] + 1}{R_{IJ}^3 R_{IK}^3 R_{JK}^3}$$



extending E -based approach

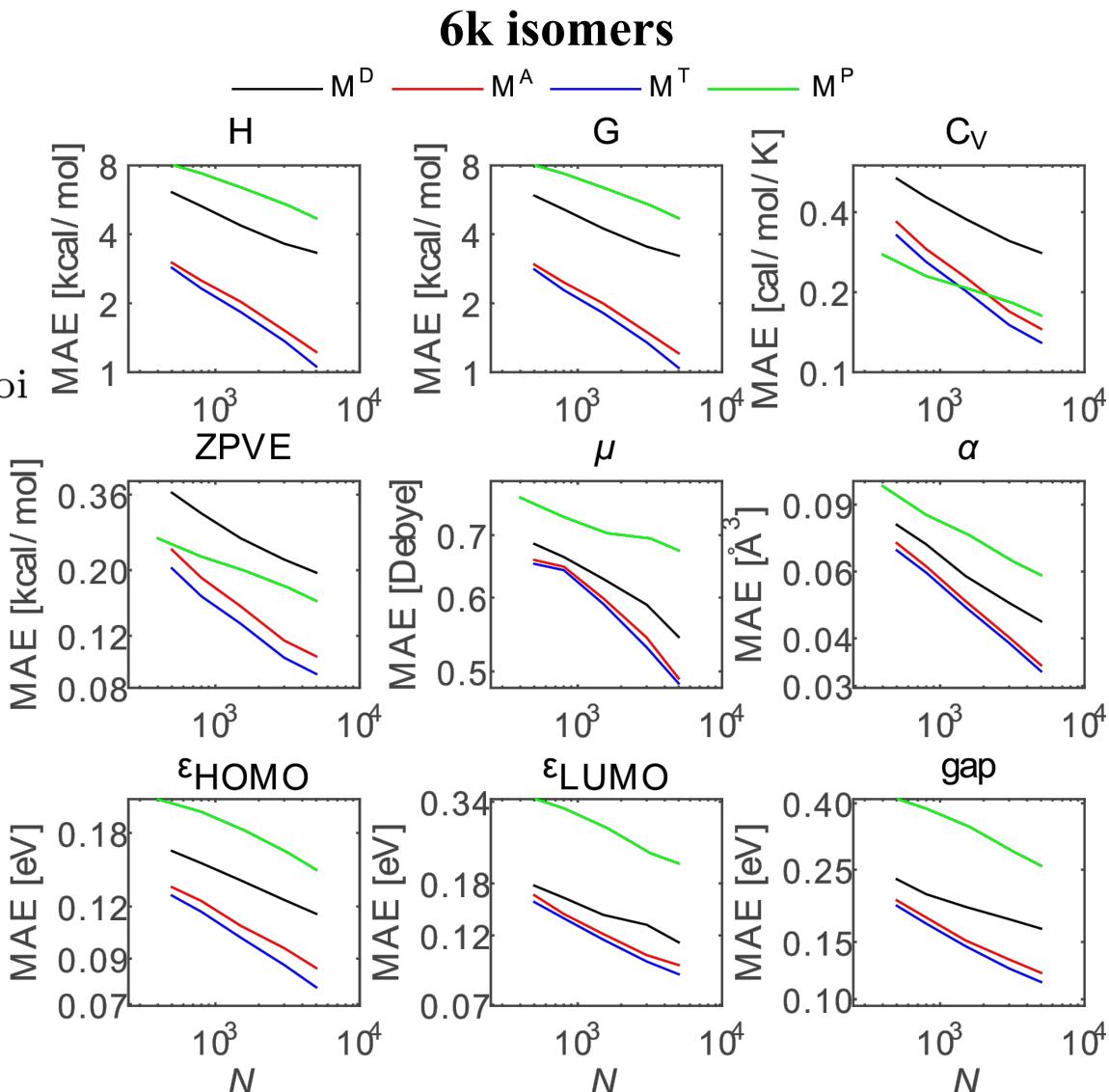
build rpst based on decomposition of any extensive property:

e.g., polarizability model

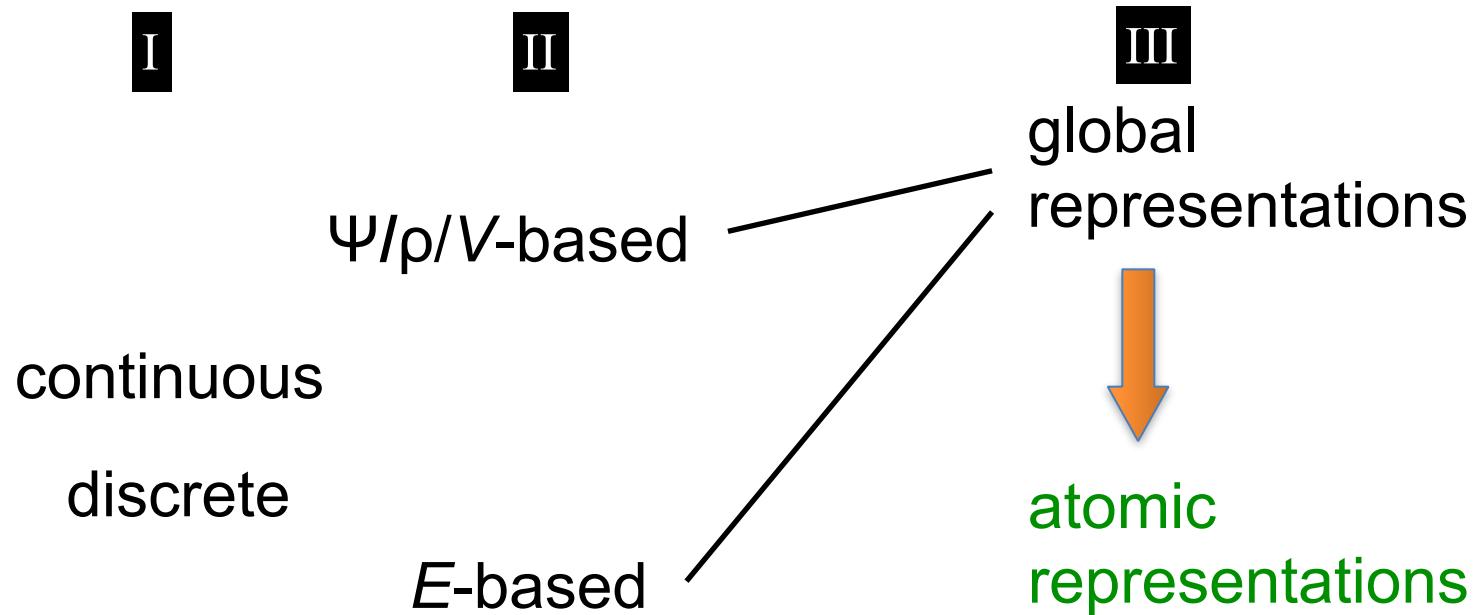
$$\alpha = \sum_I \alpha_I = \sum_I c_I V_I^{\text{voronoi}}$$

$$\mathbf{M}^P = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_3 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Only ONE-body!!



Categorizing M



Go Atomic

$$\varepsilon_i = \varepsilon(\mathbf{d}_i, \mathbf{w}) = \sum_h w_h \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i),$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \rangle &= \left\langle \sum_{hh'} w_h w_{h'} \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i) \phi_{h'}(\mathbf{d}_j) \right\rangle = \sum_{hh'} \langle w_h w_{h'} \rangle \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i) \phi_{h'}(\mathbf{d}_j) \\ &= \sigma_w^2 \sum_h \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i) \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_j) \end{aligned}$$

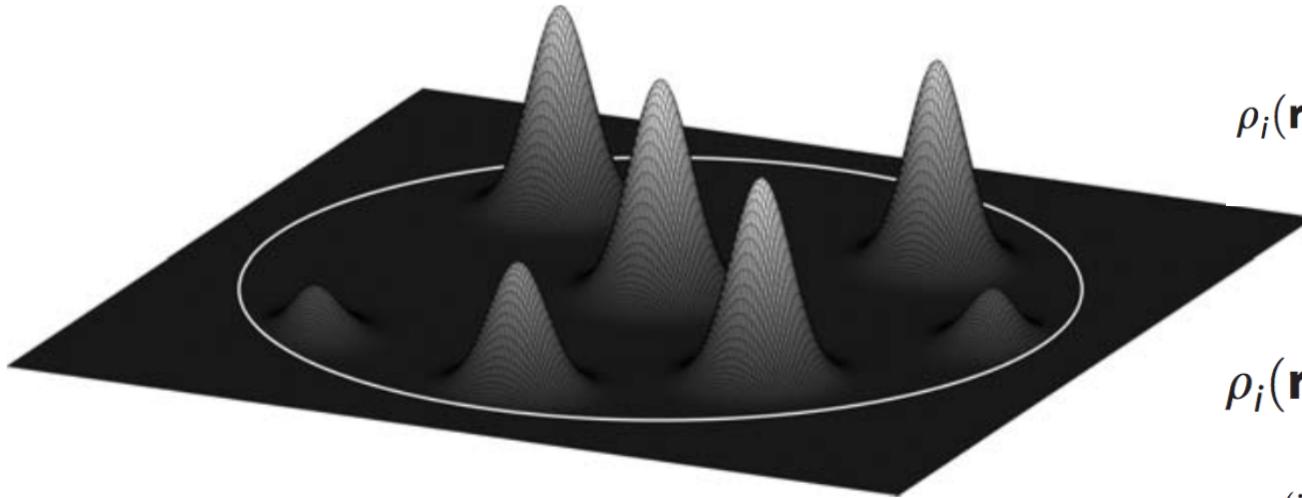
covariance

$$\begin{aligned} \langle E_N E_M \rangle &= \left\langle \sum_{i \in N} \varepsilon(\mathbf{d}_i) \sum_{j \in M} \varepsilon(\mathbf{d}_j) \right\rangle = \left\langle \sum_{i \in N} \sum_{j \in M} \sum_{hh'} w_h w_{h'} \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i) \phi_{h'}(\mathbf{d}_j) \right\rangle \\ &= \sum_{i \in N} \sum_{j \in M} \sum_{hh'} \langle w_h w_{h'} \rangle \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i) \phi_{h'}(\mathbf{d}_j) = \sigma_w^2 \sum_{i \in N} \sum_{j \in M} \sum_h \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_i) \phi_h(\mathbf{d}_j) \\ &= \sigma_w^2 \sum_{i \in N} \sum_{j \in M} C(\mathbf{d}_i, \mathbf{d}_j) \end{aligned}$$



$$Y_i^{\text{est}}(\mathbf{X}_i) = \sum_j \alpha_j \exp \left(-\frac{d(\mathbf{X}_j, \mathbf{X}_i)}{\sigma} \right) + b$$

Smooth Overlap of Atomic Positions (SOAP)



A serious problem of SOAP:
for large r_{cutoff} , how to distinguish
two very different atoms around centre?

application: simple crystals so far

Fix SOAP for molecules by RE-Match, glory lost as an atomic rpst
works best with a small r_{cutoff} !!

$$\rho_i(\mathbf{r}) \equiv \sum_j^{\text{neigh.}} \exp\left(-\frac{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_{ij}|^2}{2\sigma_{\text{atom}}^2}\right)$$

projection to
basis set

$$\rho_i(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{nlm} c_{nlm}^{(i)} g_n(r) Y_{lm}(\hat{\mathbf{r}})$$

$$p_{nn'l}^{(i)} \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2l+1}} \sum_m c_{nlm}^{(i)} (c_{n'l'm}^{(i)})^*$$

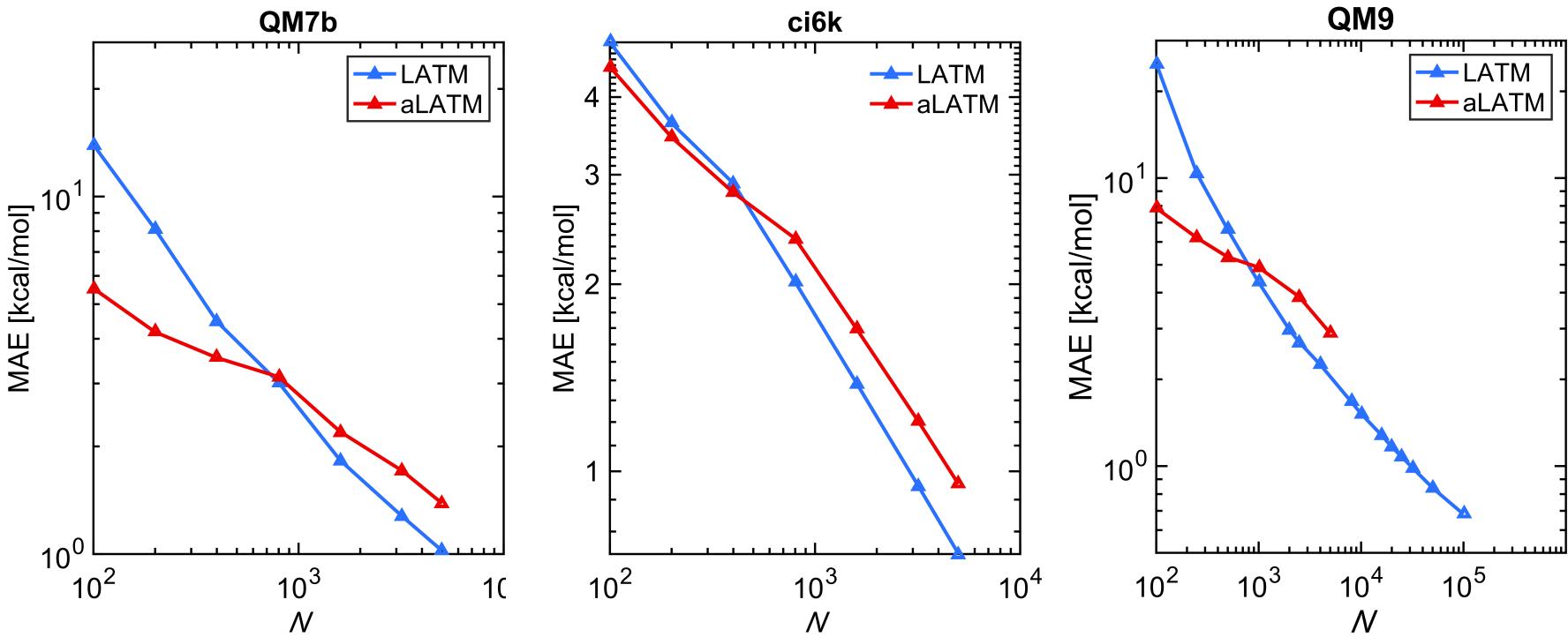
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$$C'(\rho_i, \rho_j) = \sum_{n,n',l} p_{nn'l}^{(i)} p_{nn'l}^{(j)}$$

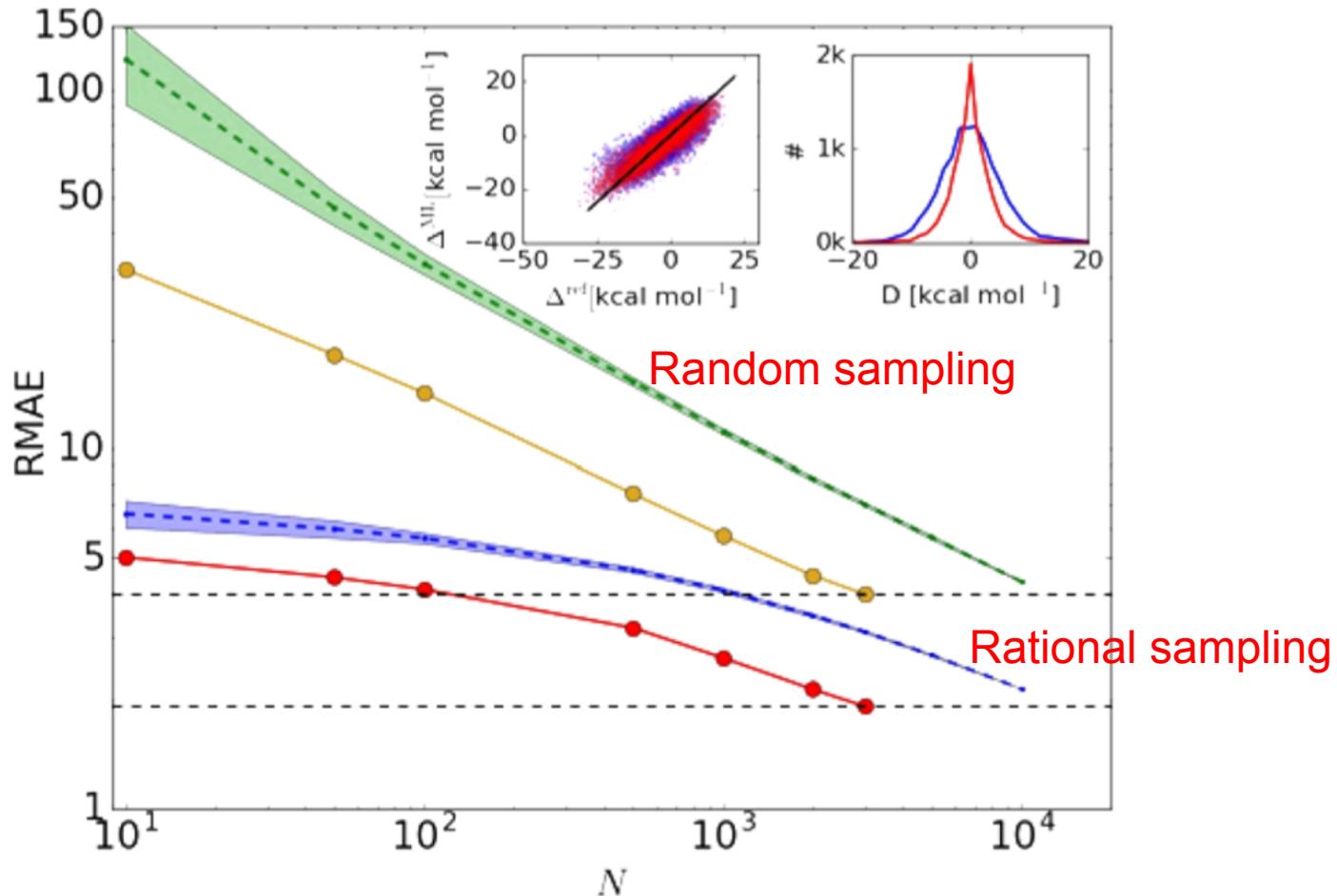
aLATM

MBE-based approach: more natural to define atomic rpst

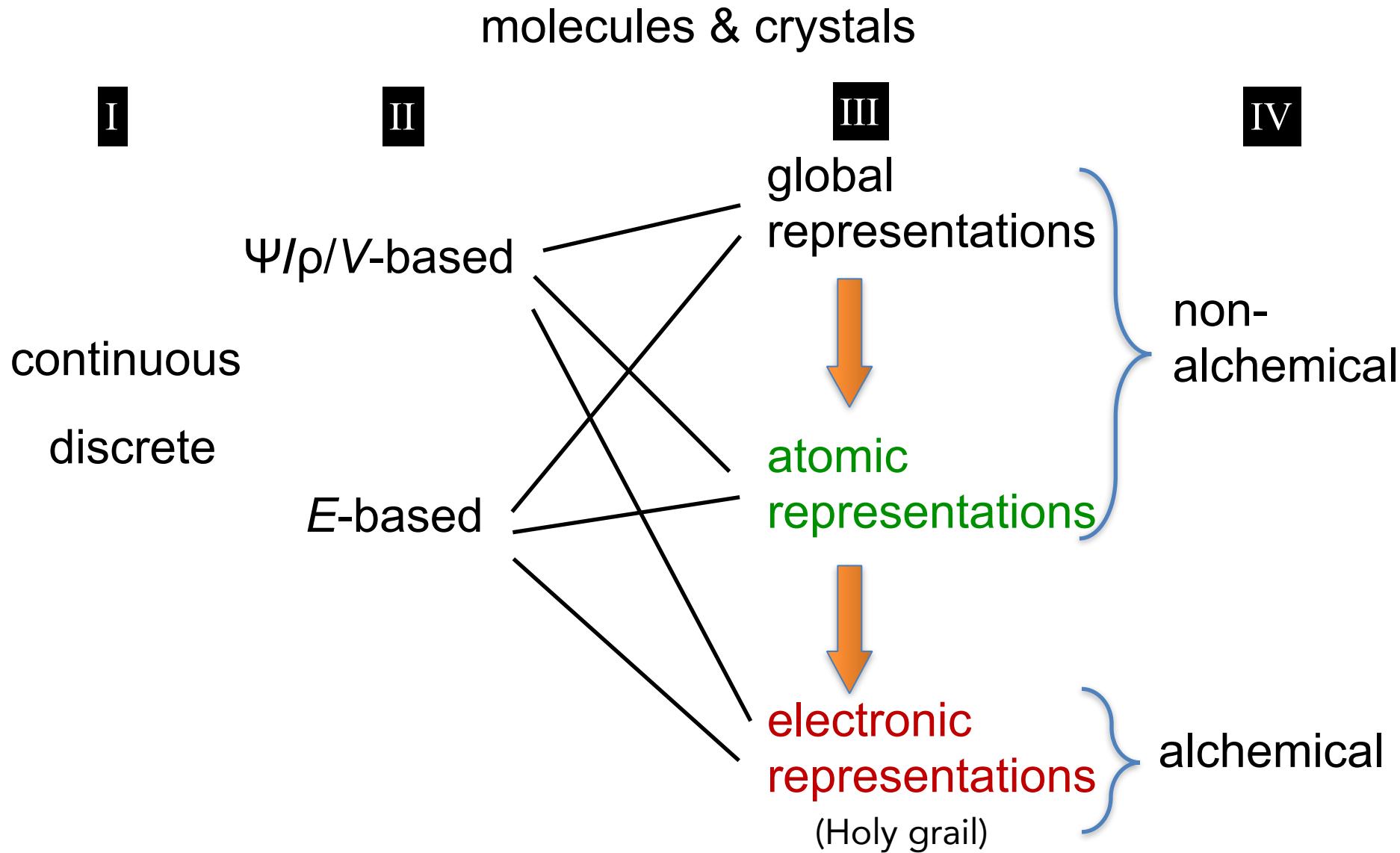
1. includes 2-, 3-body interactions
2. both decay with r



why aLATM is bad at larger N ?

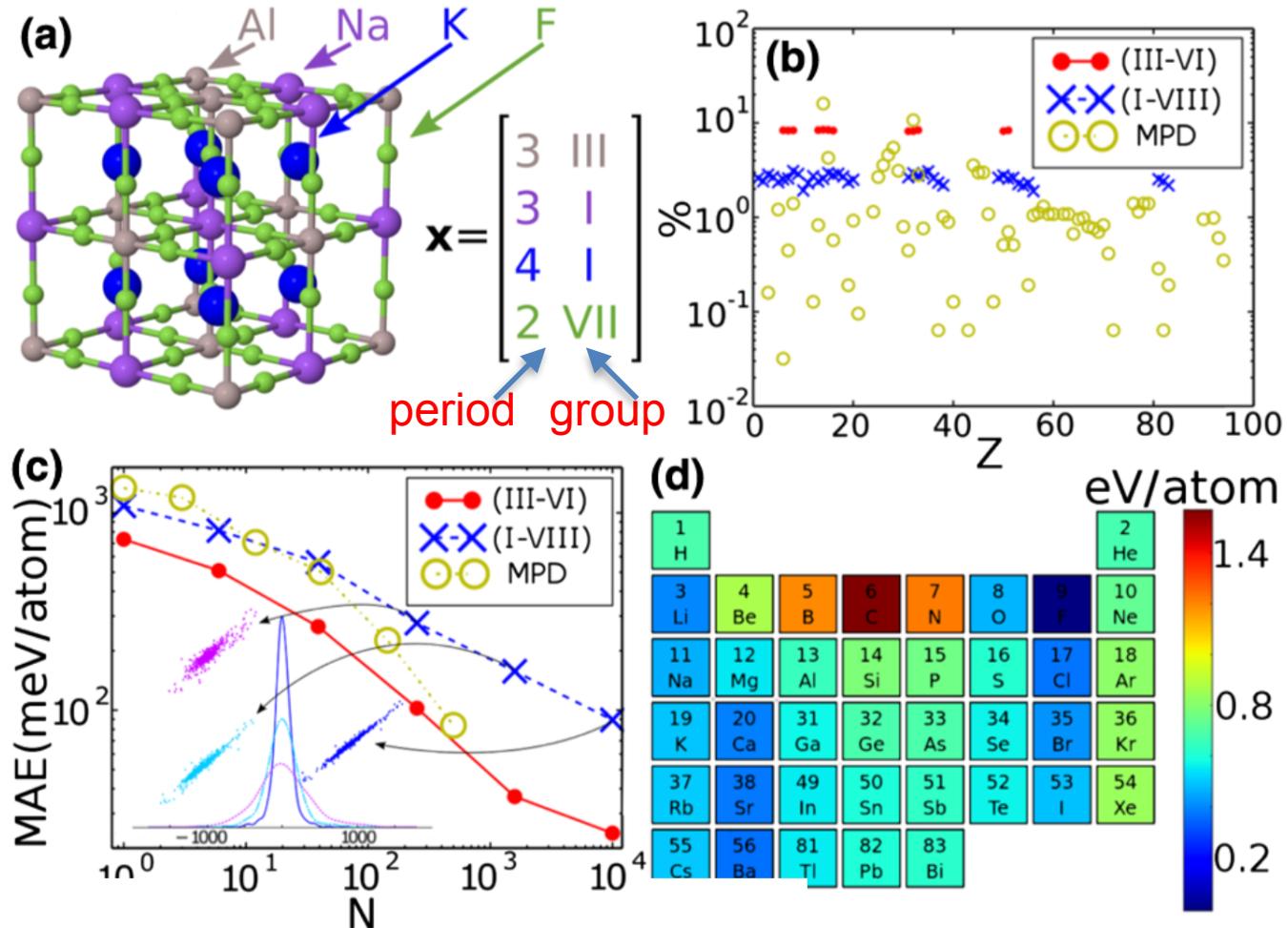


Categorizing M



Go Electronic

overall $2M$ Elpasolite ABC_2D_6 Crystals



Conclusions and Outlook

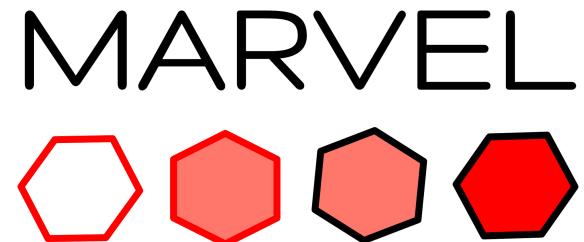
1. Almost all rpsts in literature were categorised
2. Two general approaches for rational design of rpst
 - a. Schrödinger equation: $\rho/\Psi/V_{\text{ext}}$
 - b. many-body expansion
3. Two general principles for rational design of rpst
 - a. uniqueness (necessary for convergence)
 - b. similarity to target reduces off-set of LC
4. MBE based rpst (e.g., BAML, LATM, HDAD) offer
 - a. Meaning
 - b. Simplicity
 - c. Accuracy
5. and is generally better than $\rho/\Psi/V_{\text{ext}}$ based approach
6. There is great potential for electronic rpst to beat everything else

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