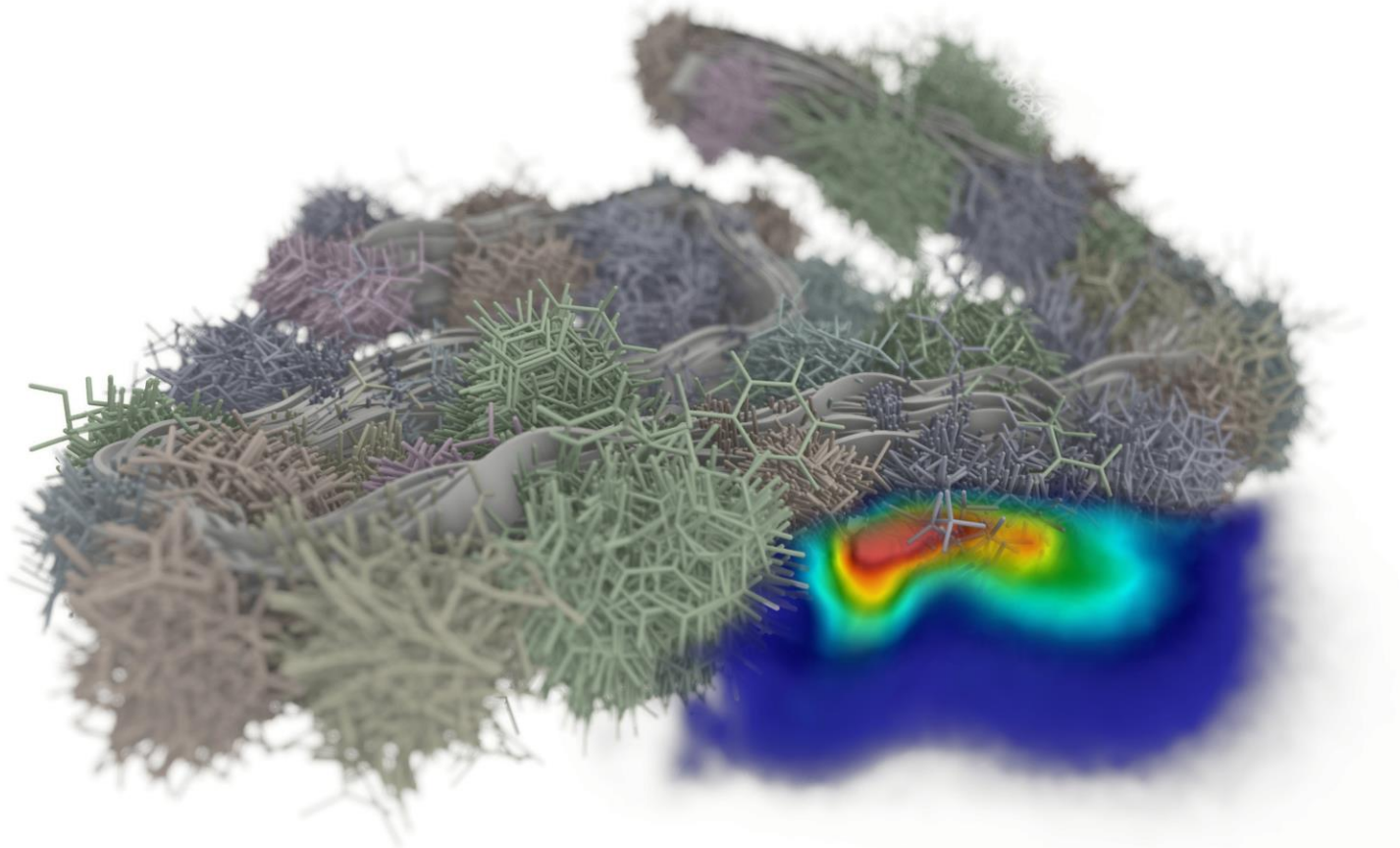


Visual Interactive Analysis of Molecular Dynamics



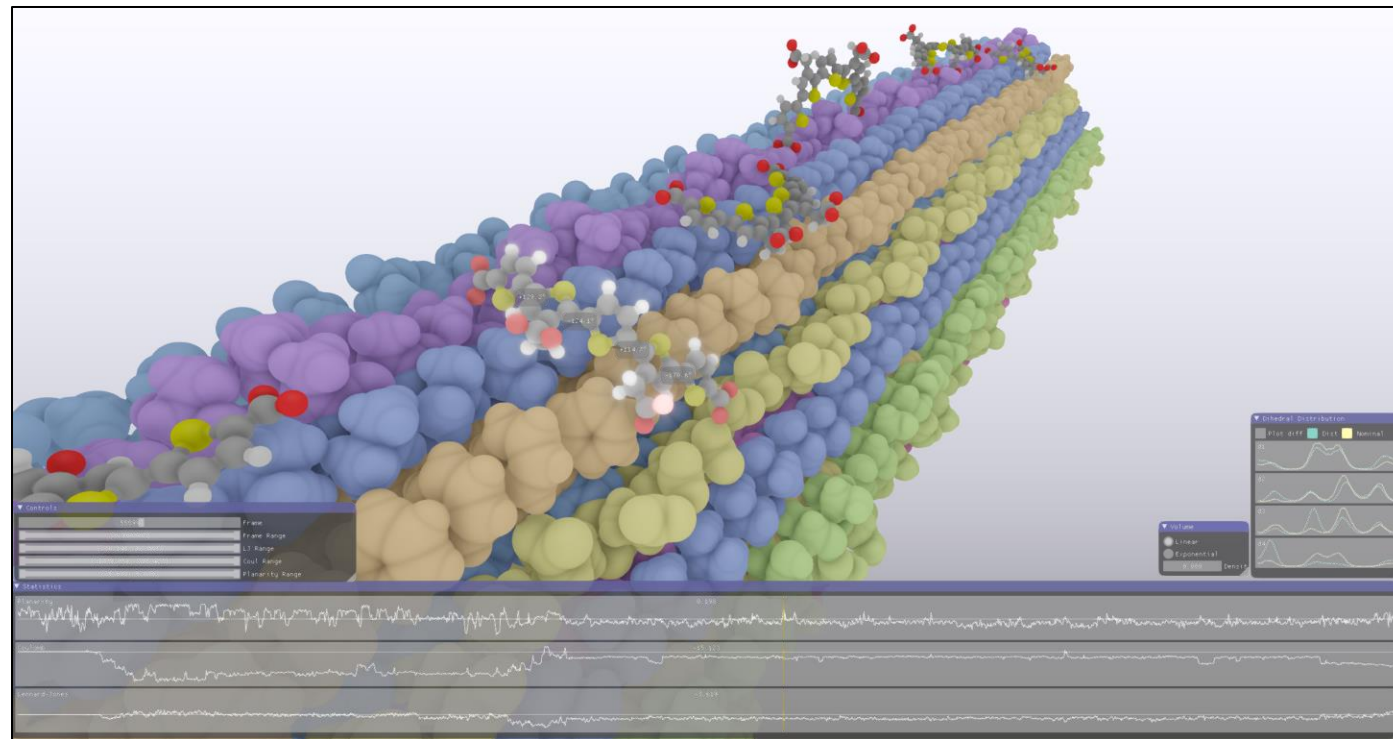
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History of VIAMD (Prototype 2018)^[1]

- Collaboration
 - KTH Theor. Chem. Bio. Group
 - LiU Scivis Group
- Specific Molecular System
 - Stacked amyloid fibrils
 - Fluorescent ligands
- Research Questions
 - Where do ligands bind
 - Favored conformation
 - Absorption spectra
- Implementation in Inviwo^[2]



[1]: DOI: [10.2312/molva.20181102](https://doi.org/10.2312/molva.20181102)

[2]: <https://inviwo.org/> (DOI: [10.1109/TVCG.2019.2920639](https://doi.org/10.1109/TVCG.2019.2920639))

Lessons Learned

- Generalize Core Principles
- Integrated Interactive Analysis
 - Visualize
 - Analyze / formulate hypothesis
 - Compute properties
- Expose in same Application
 - Minimize iteration time and friction
 - Exploit synergies between components



Animation

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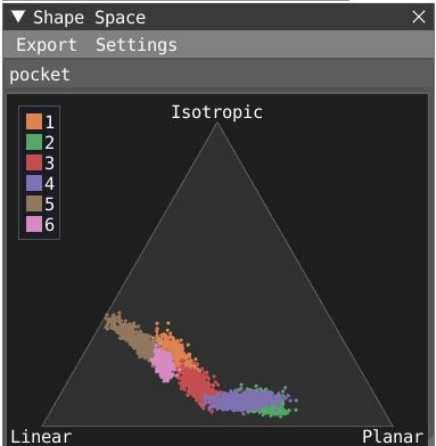
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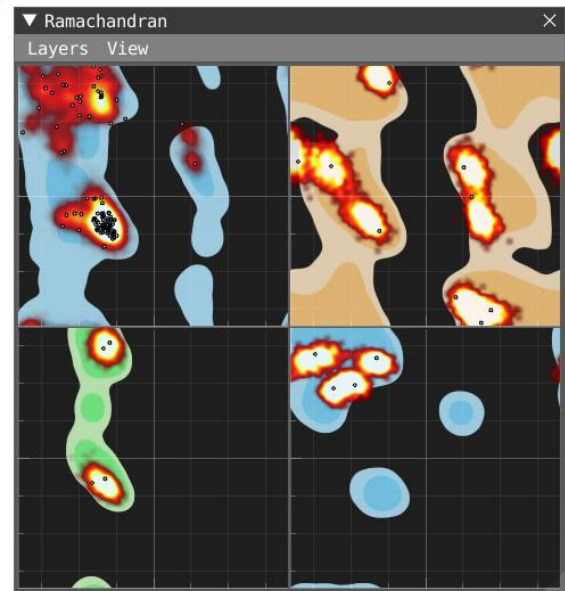
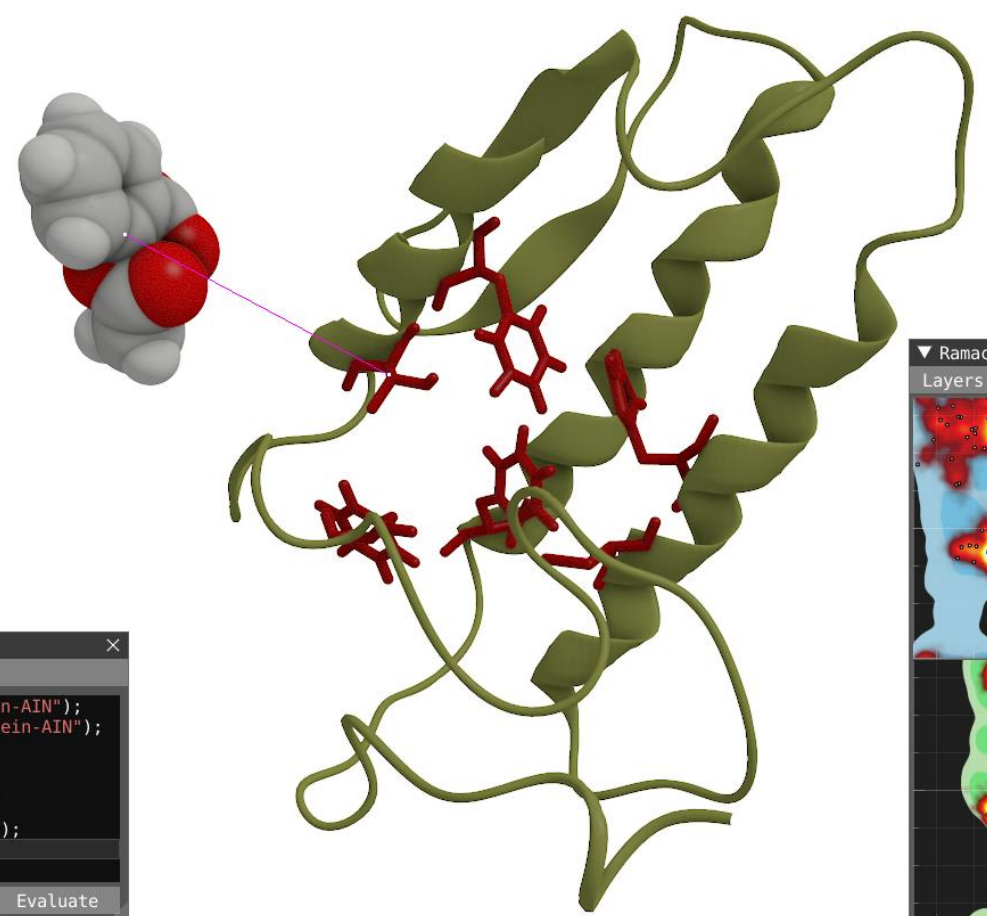
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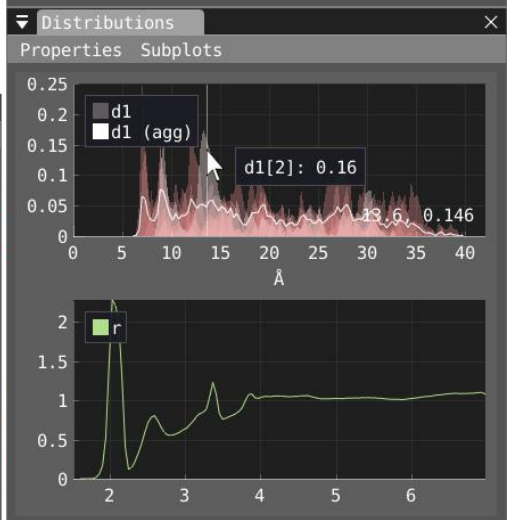
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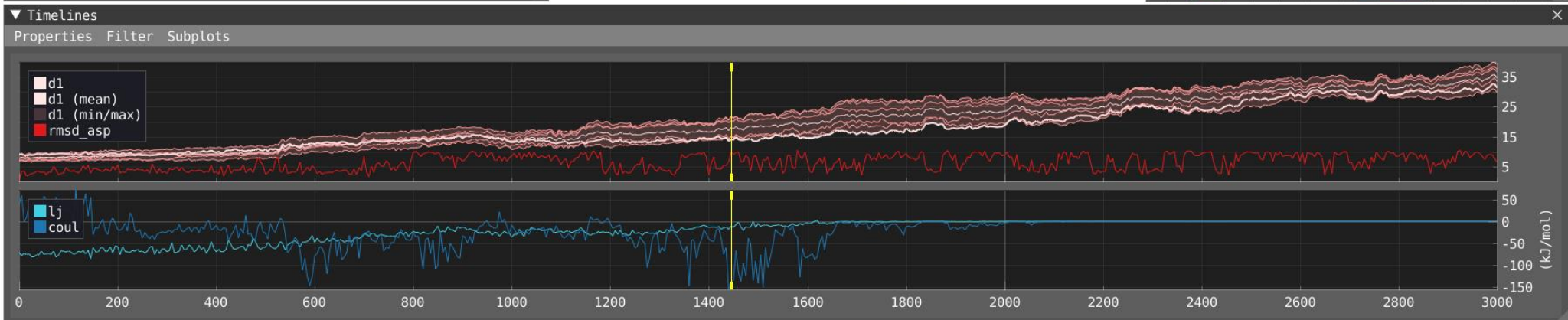
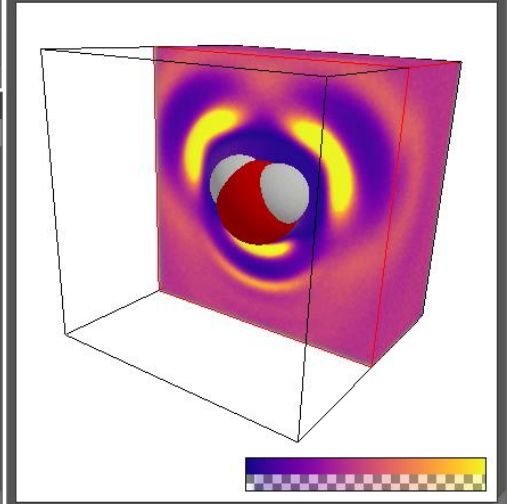
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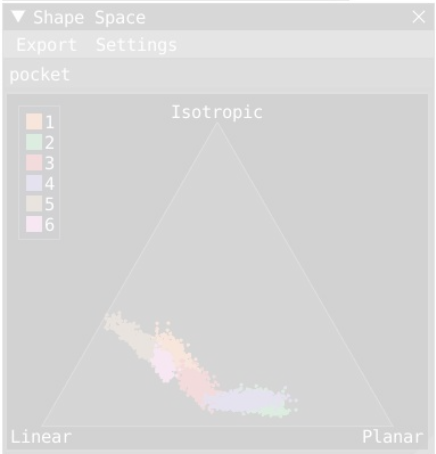
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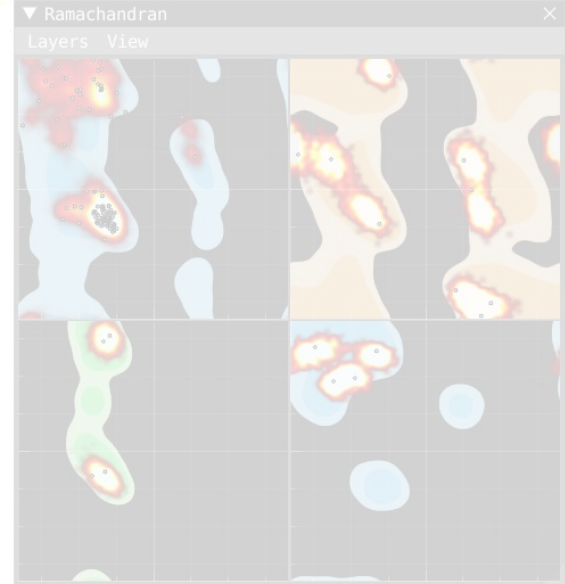
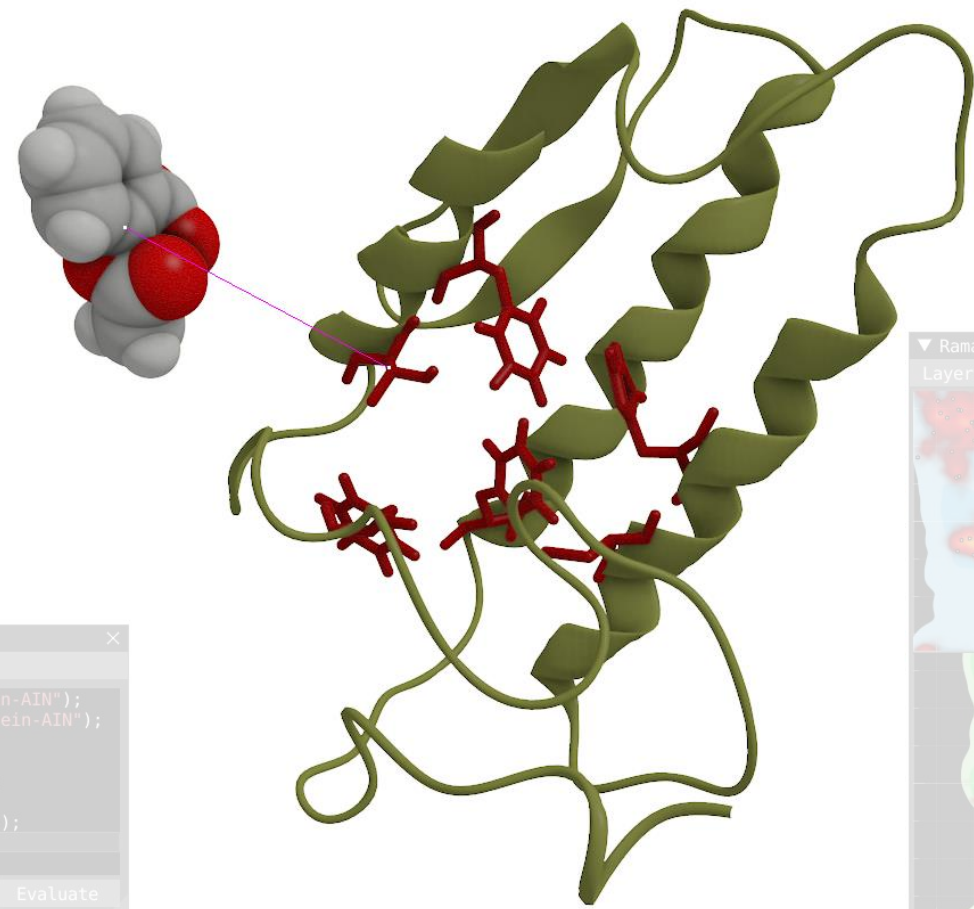
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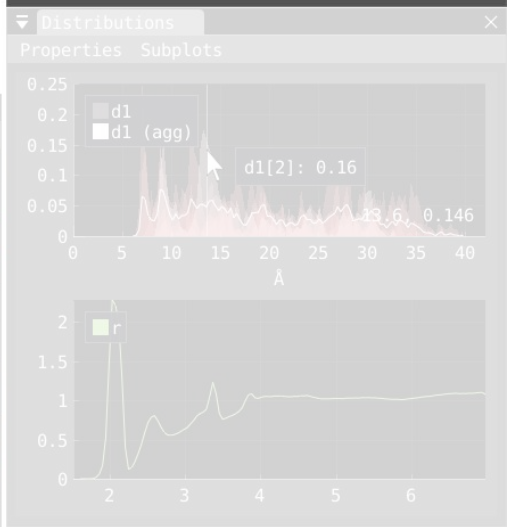
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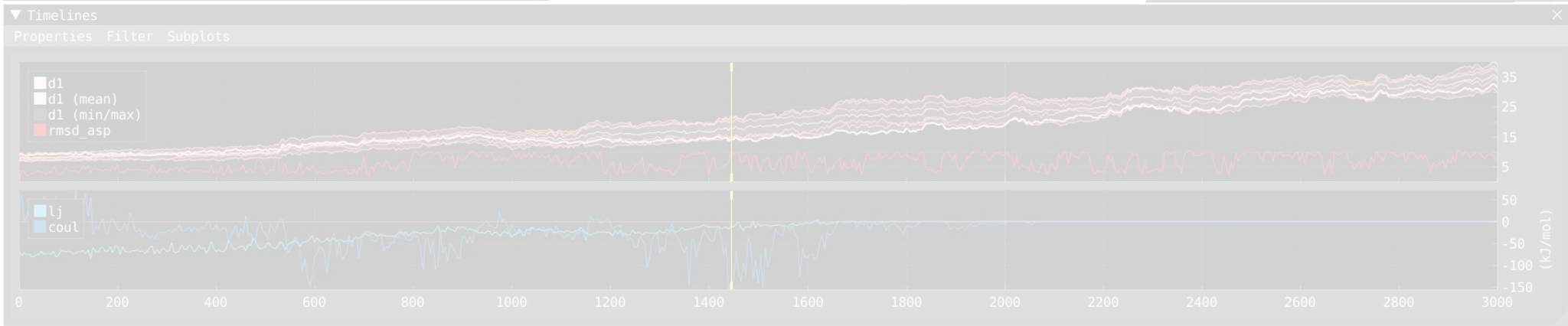
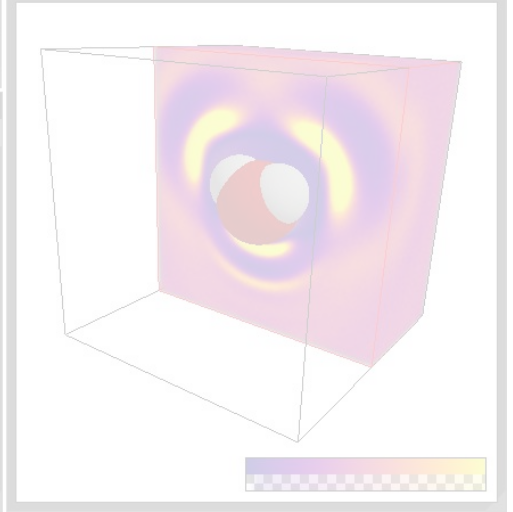
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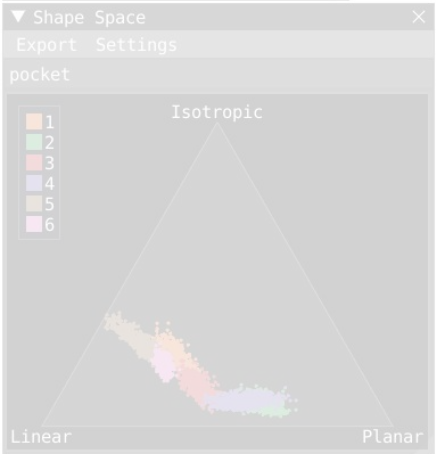
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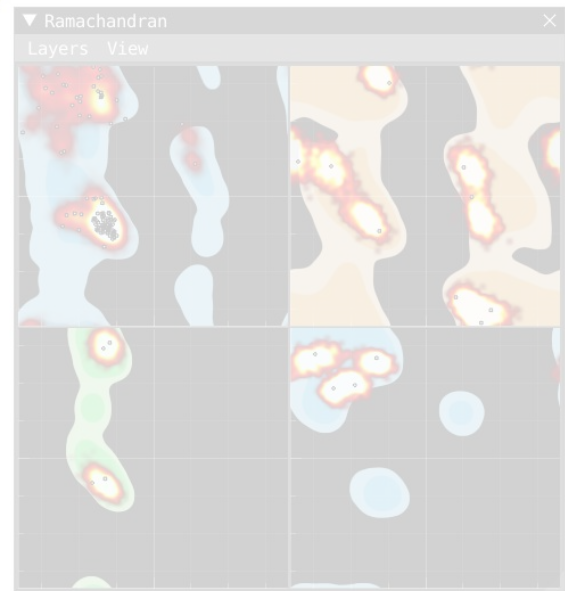
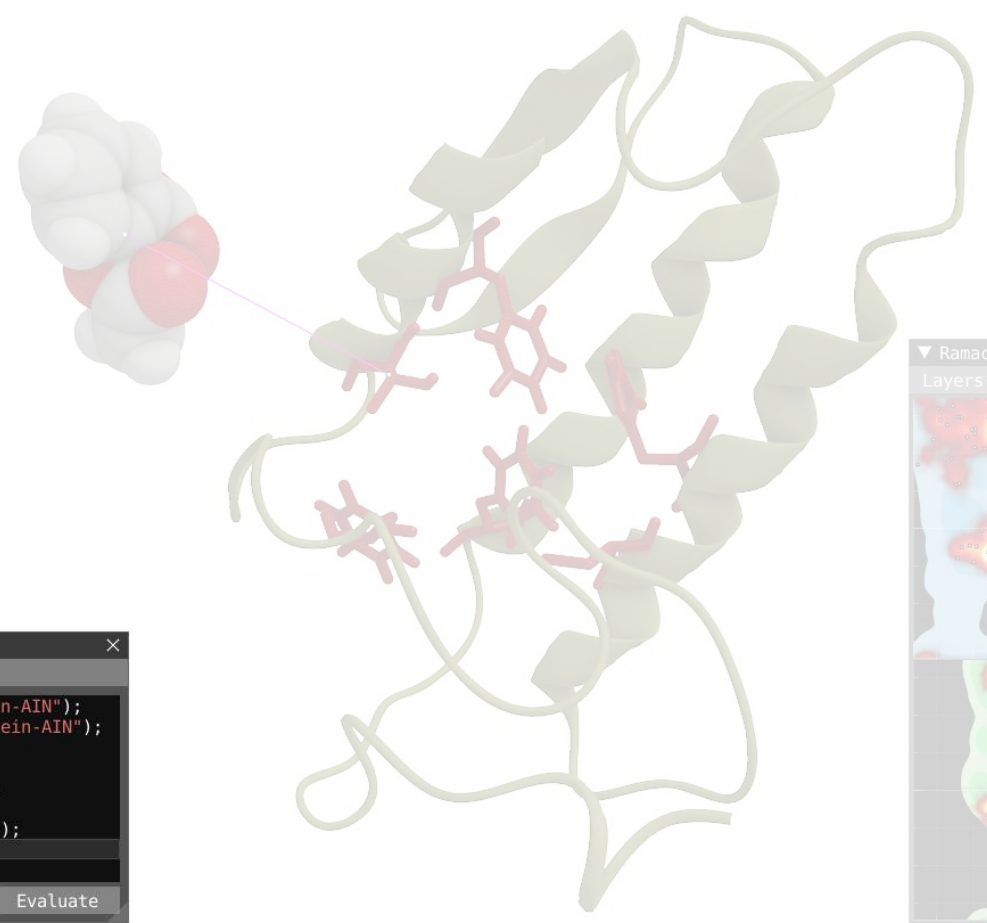
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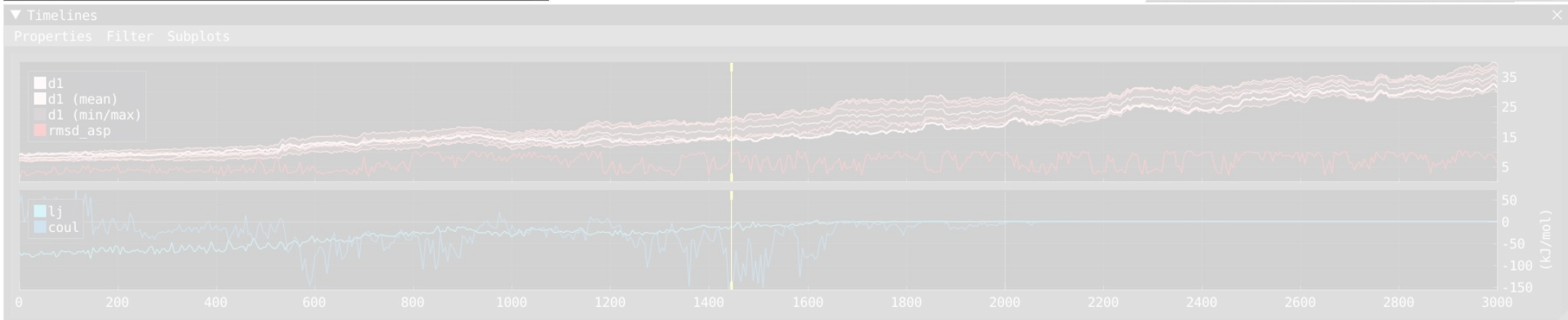
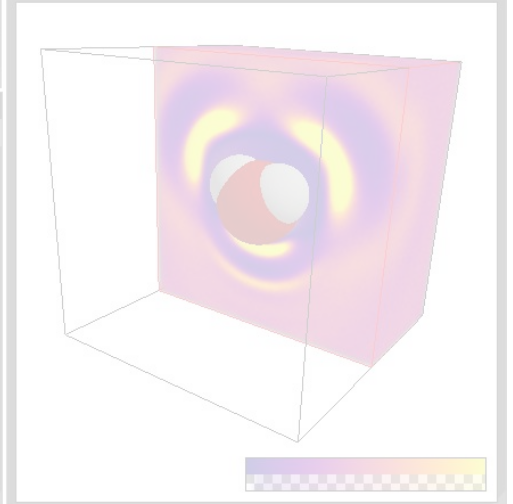
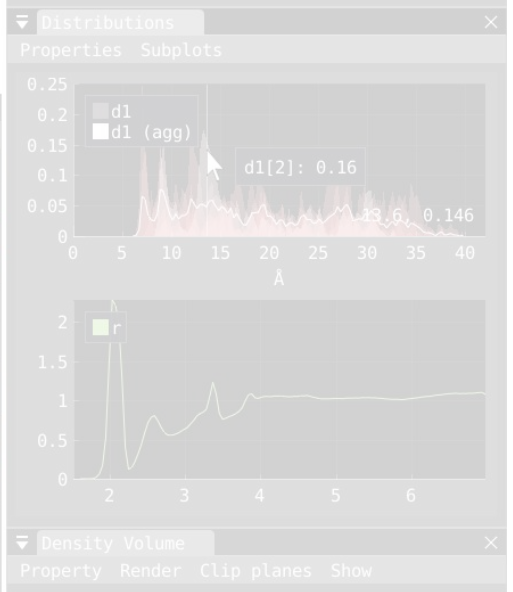
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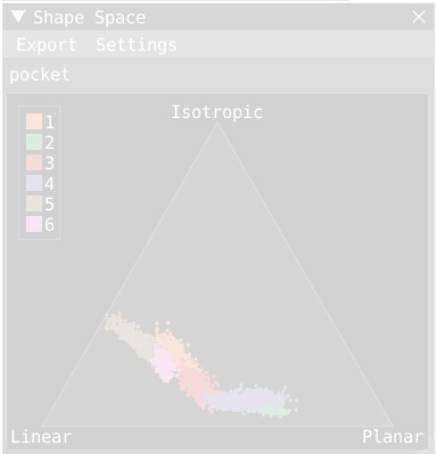
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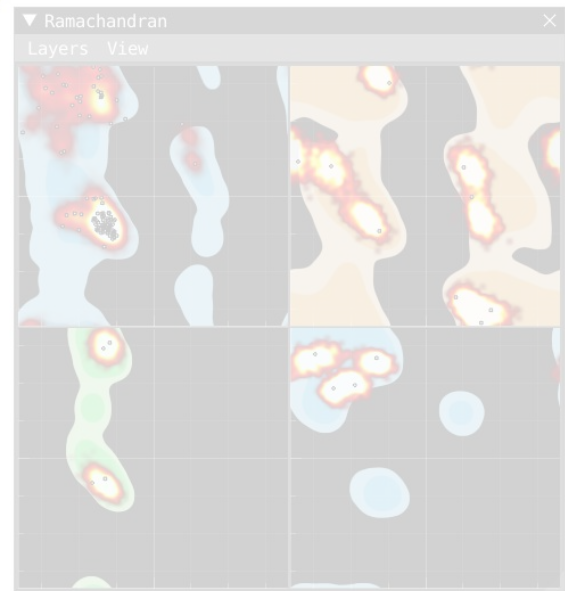
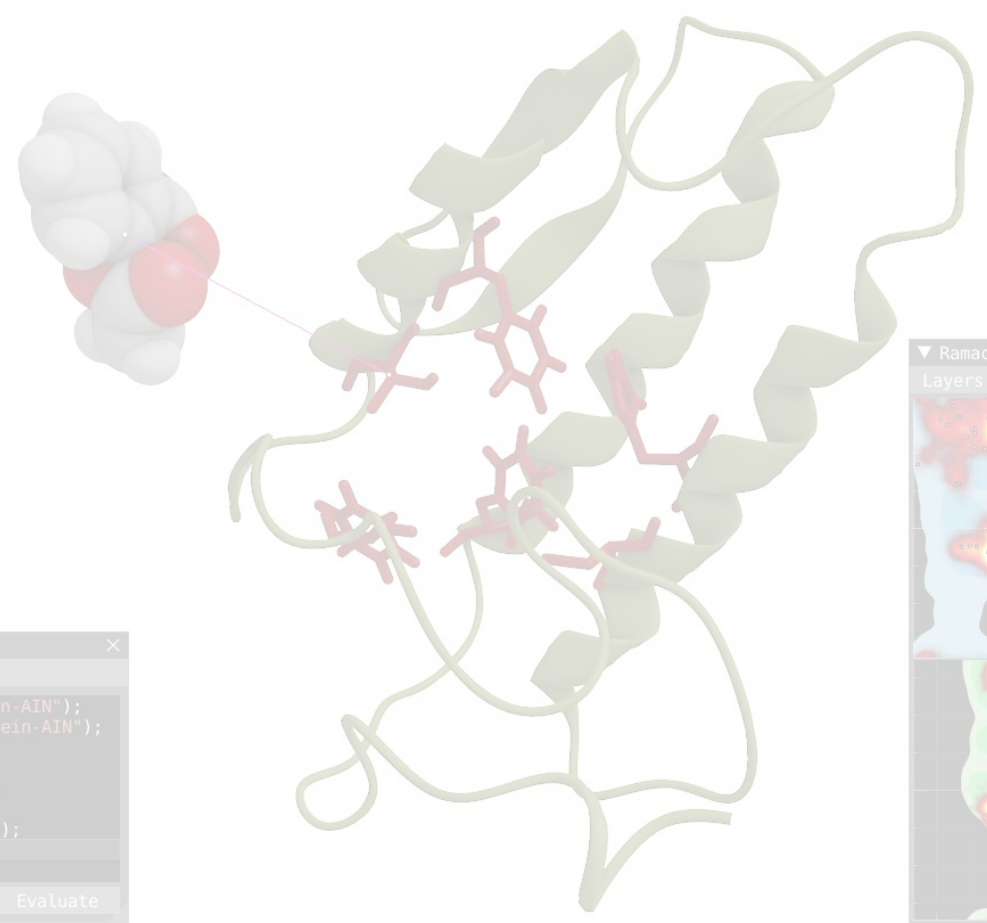
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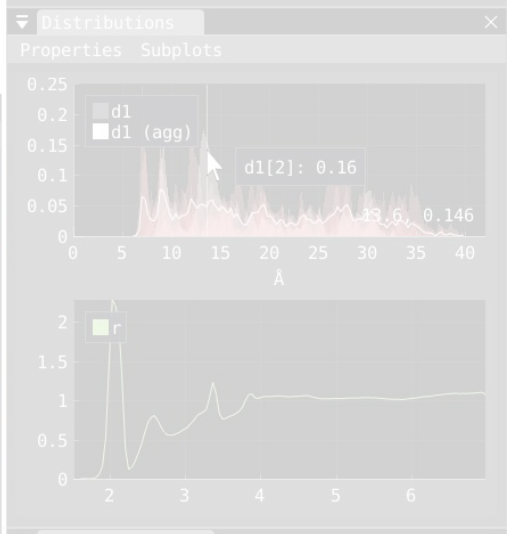
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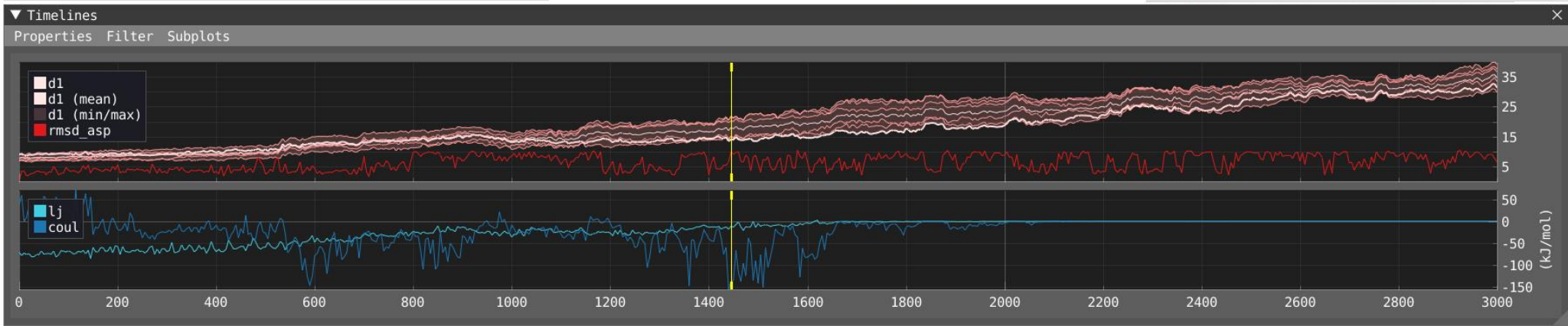
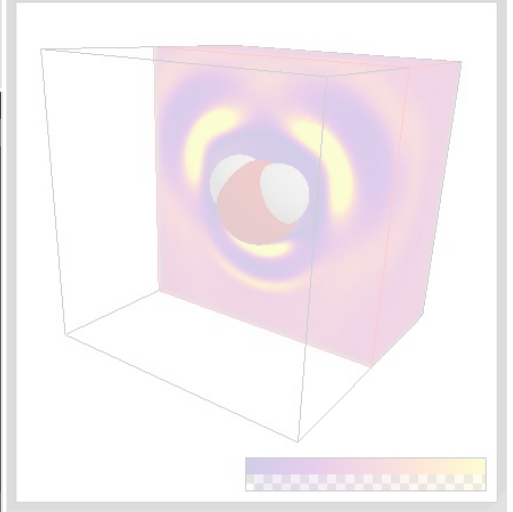
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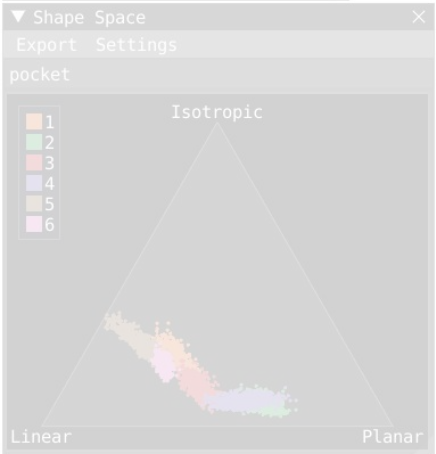
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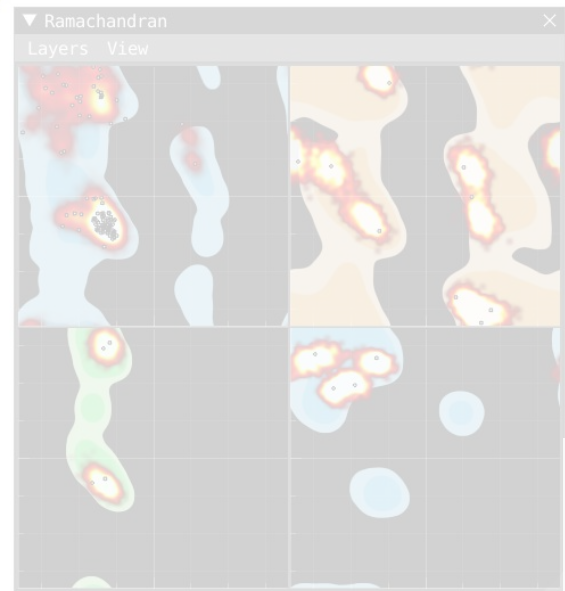
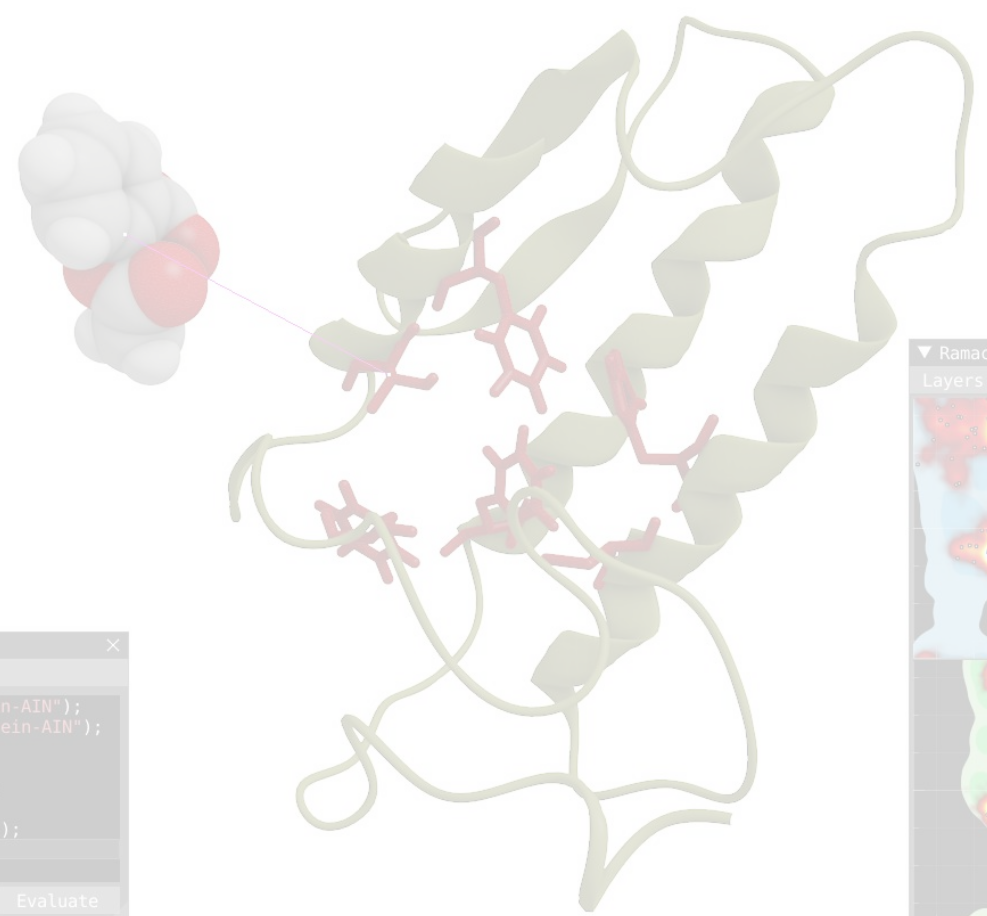
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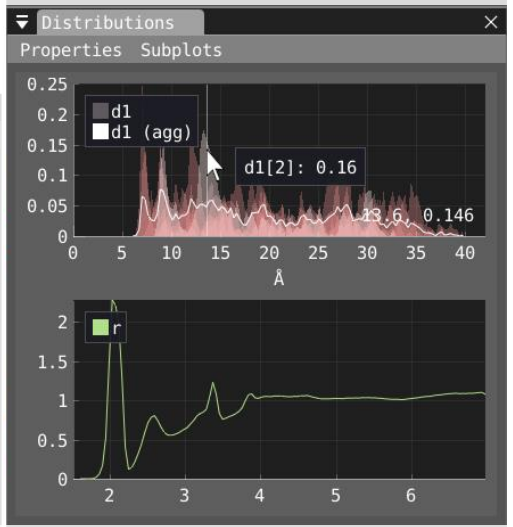
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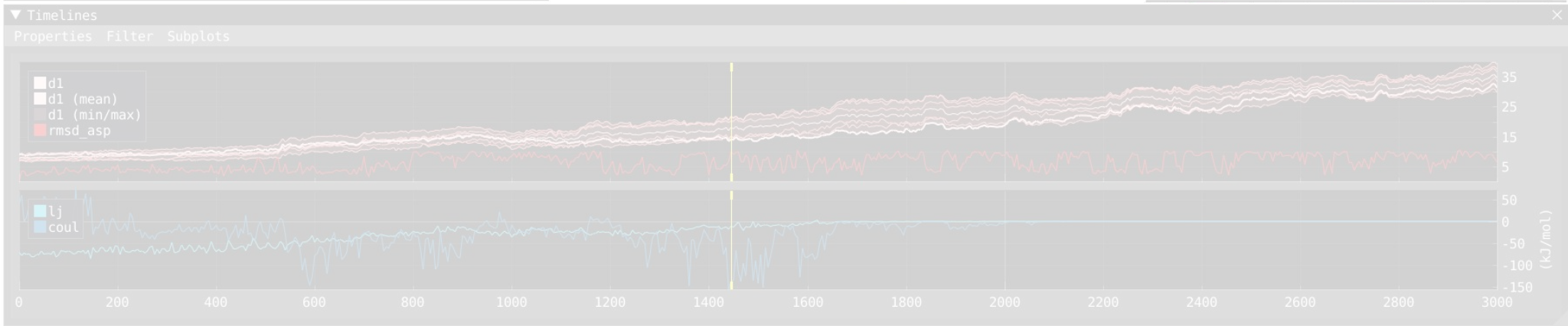
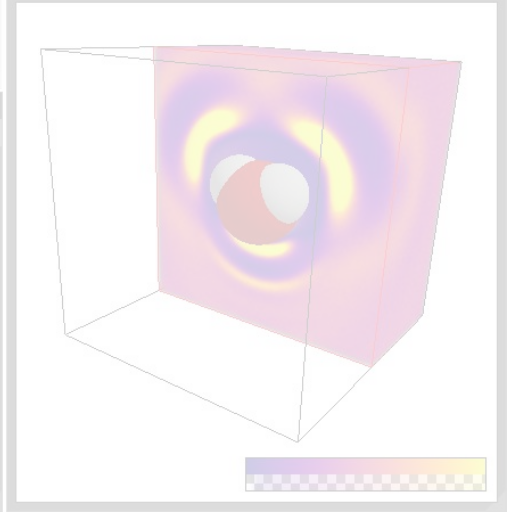
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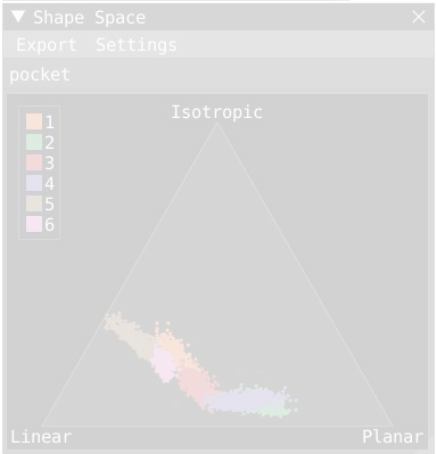
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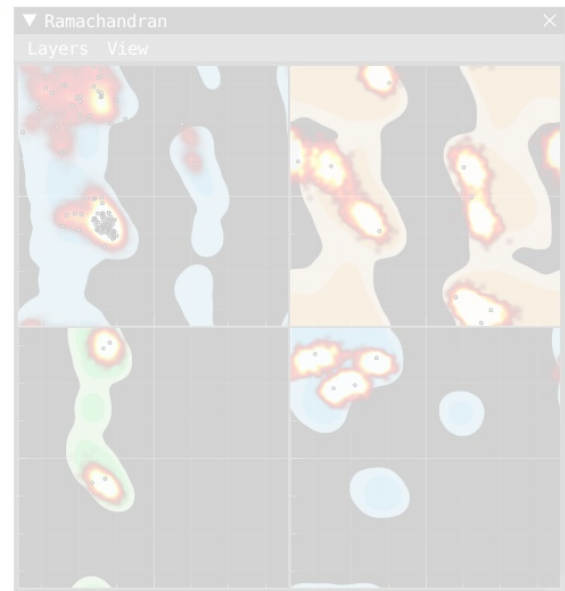
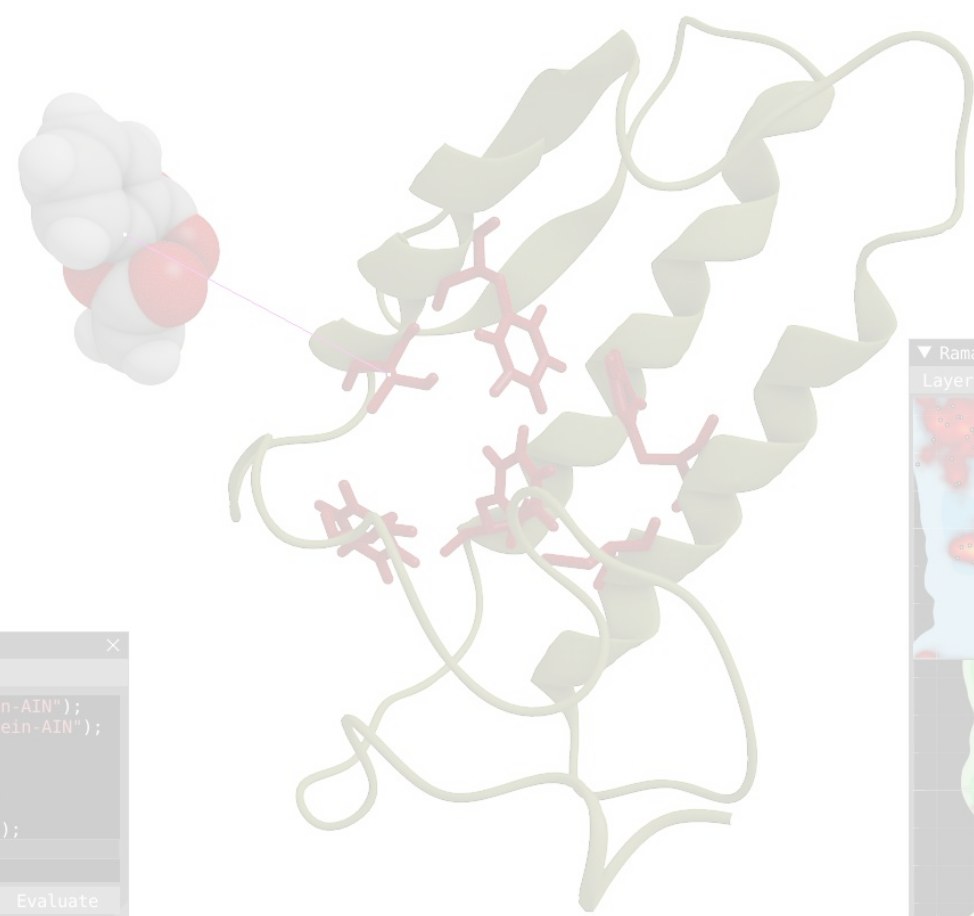
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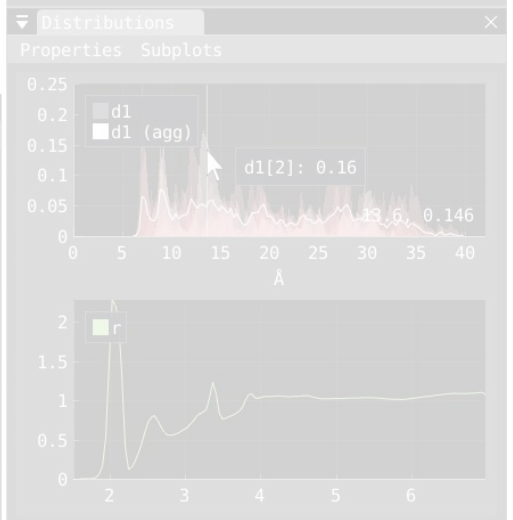
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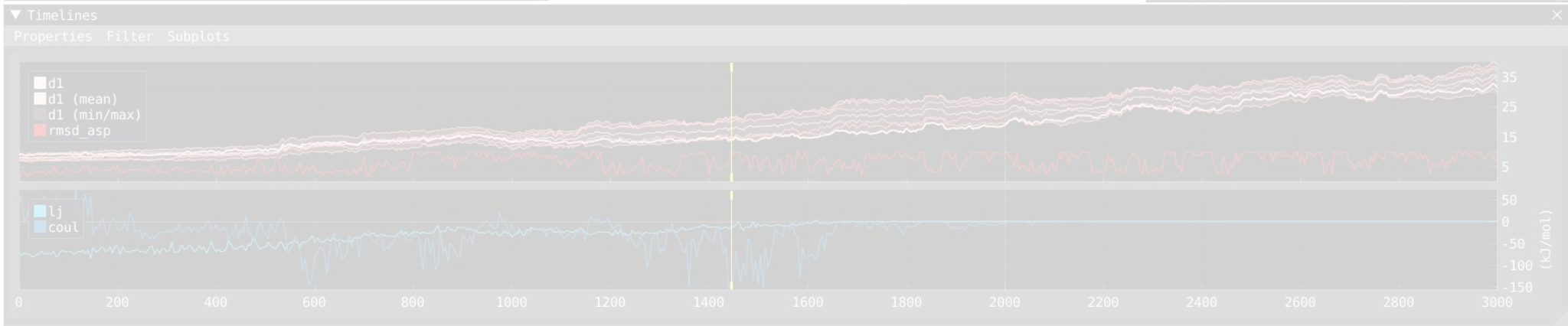
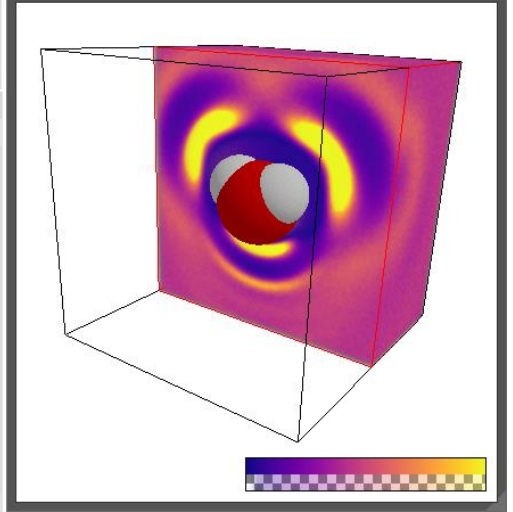
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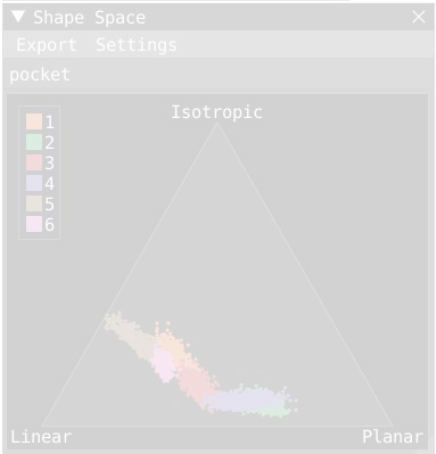
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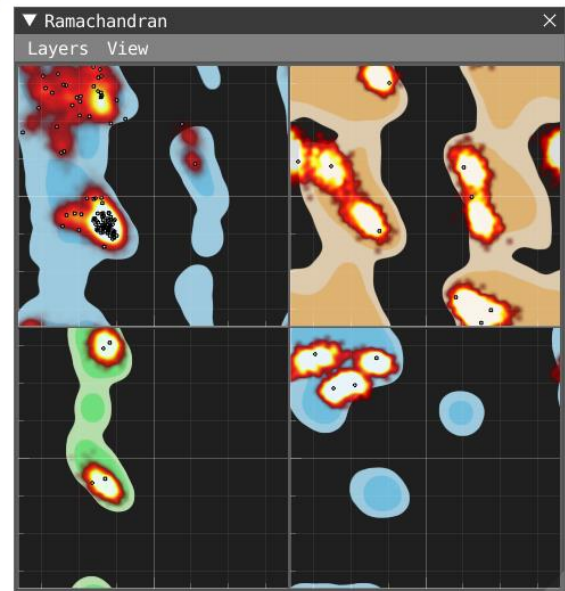
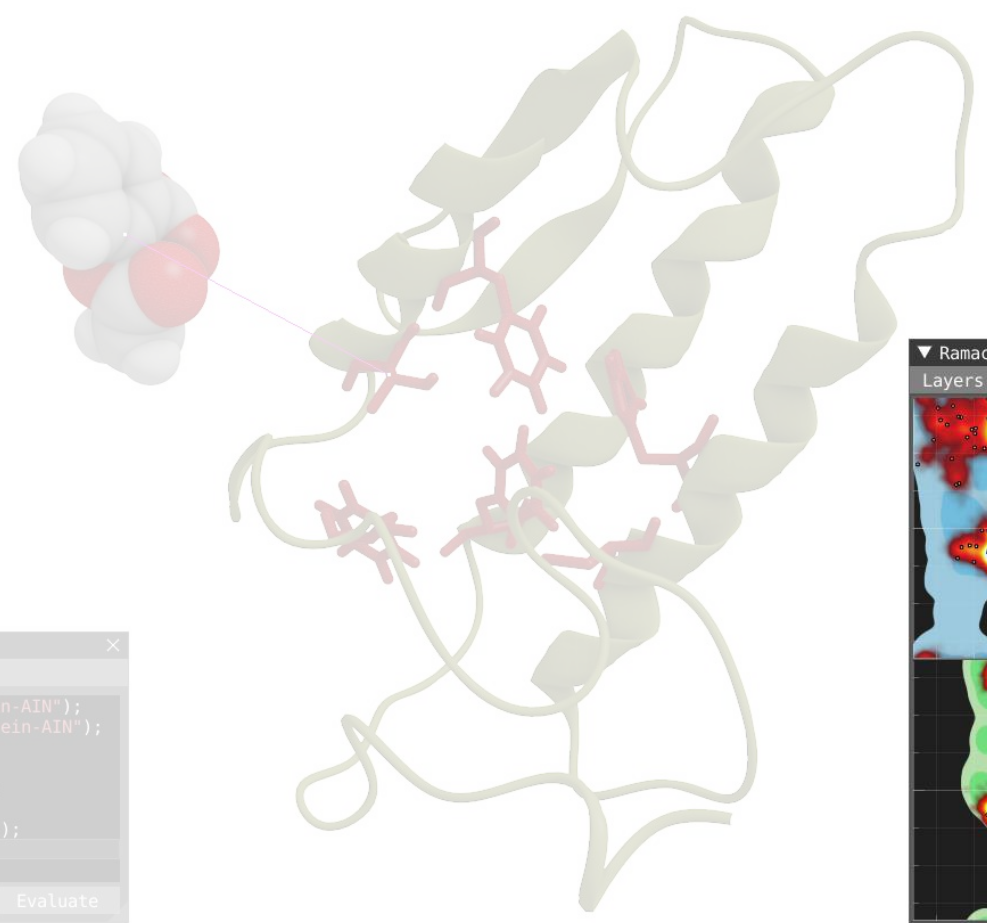
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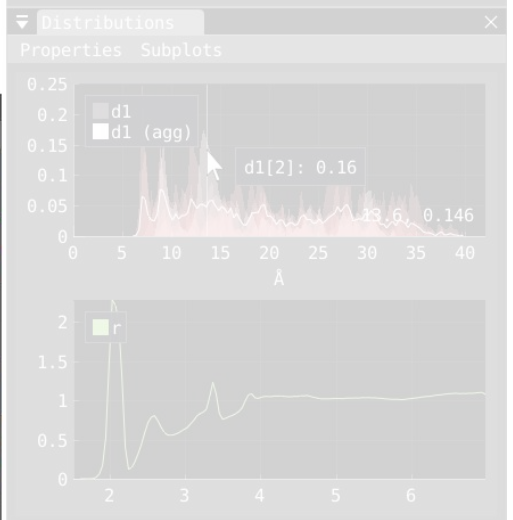
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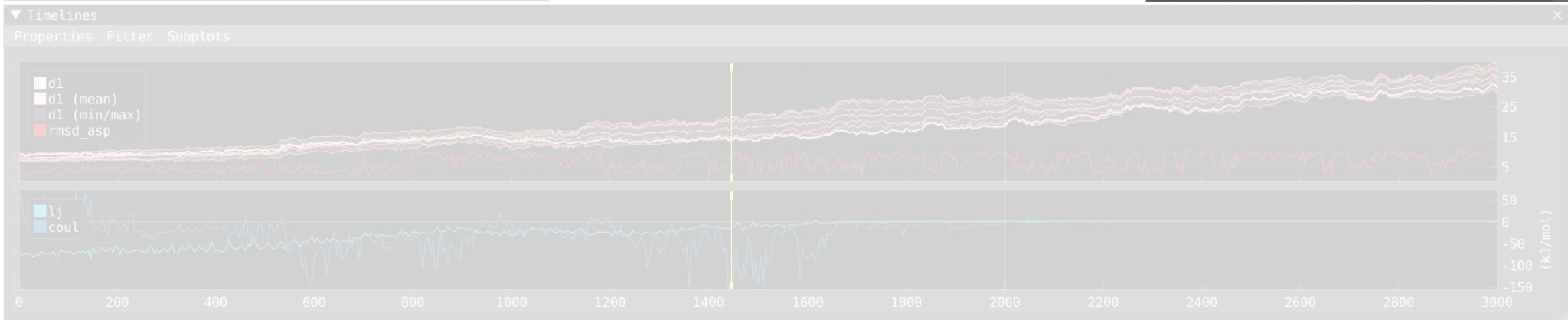
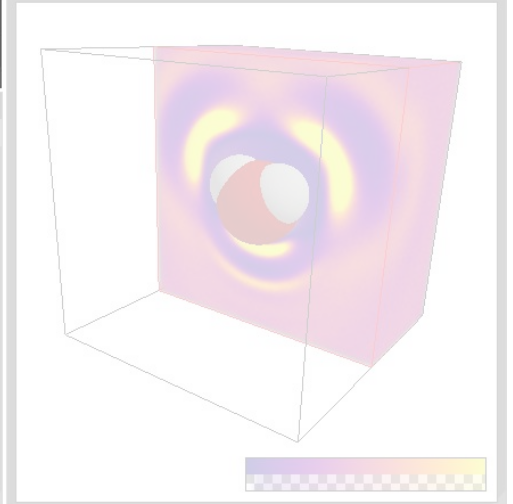
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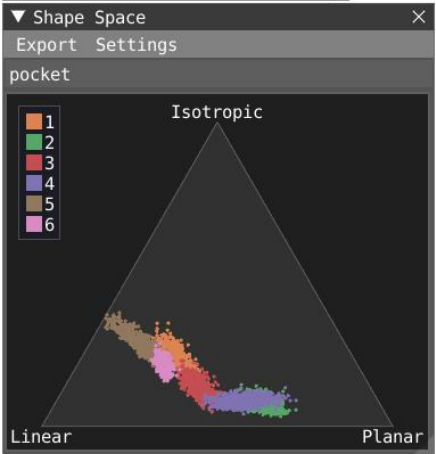
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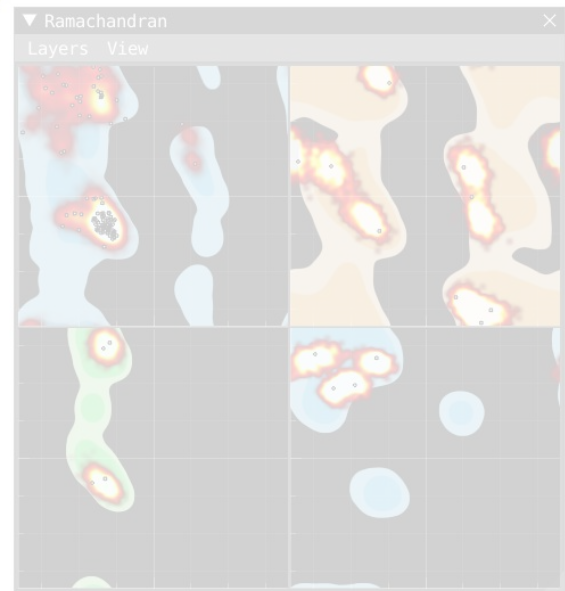
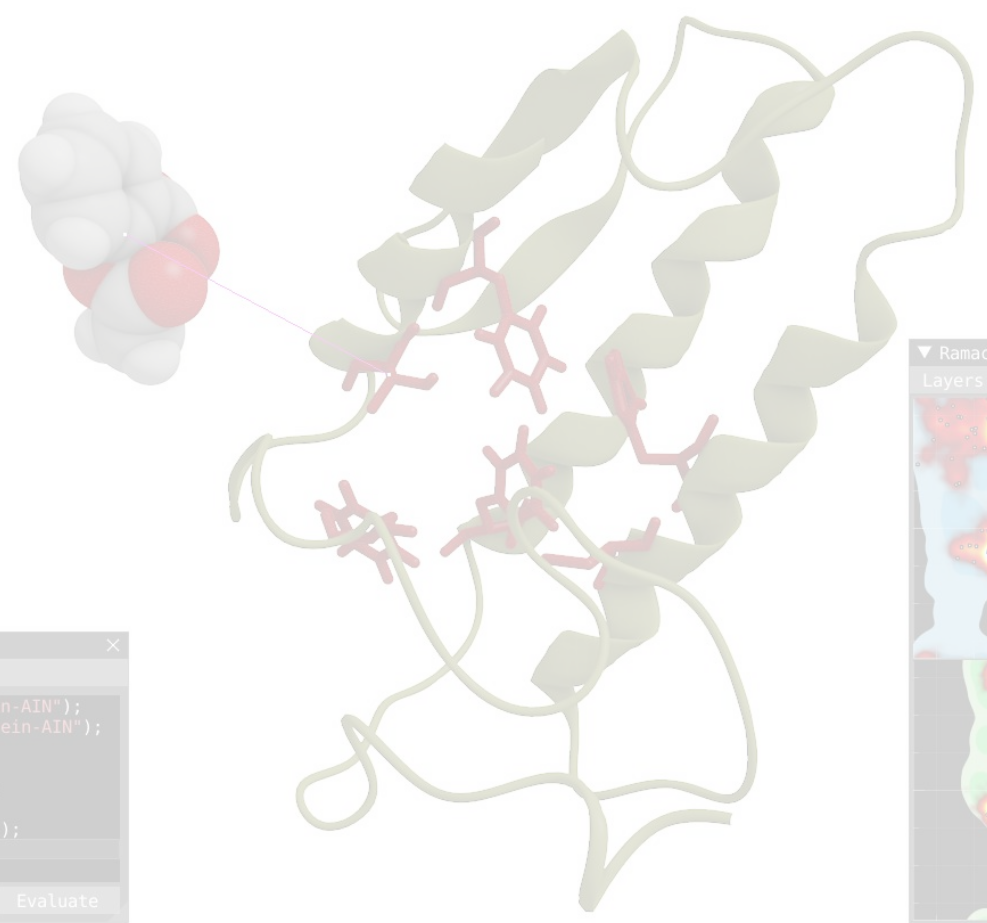
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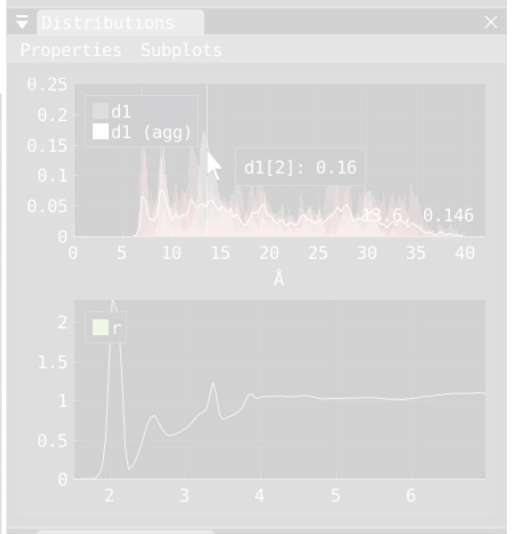
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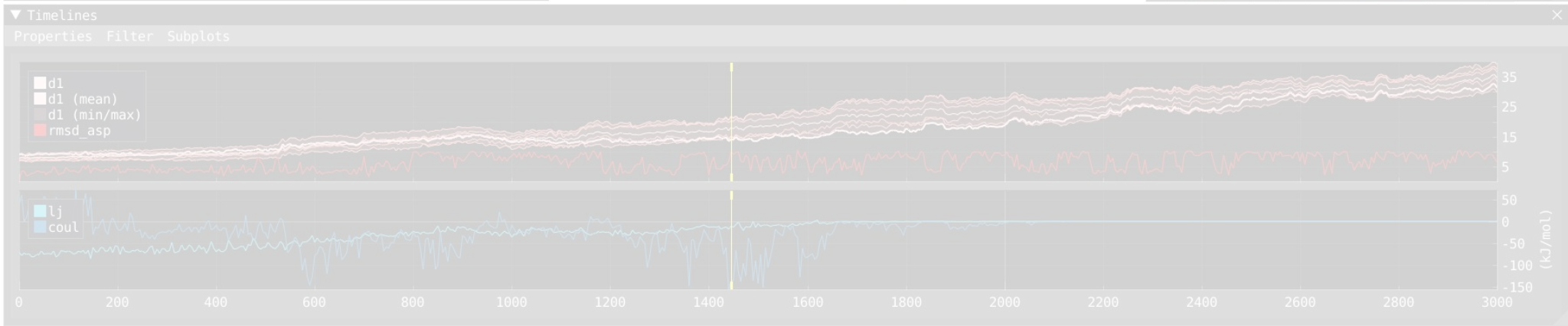
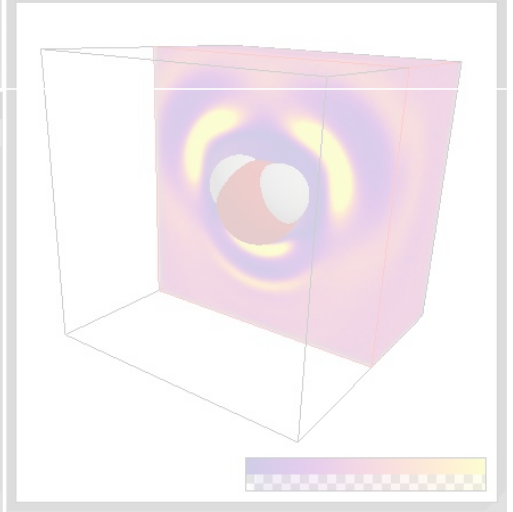
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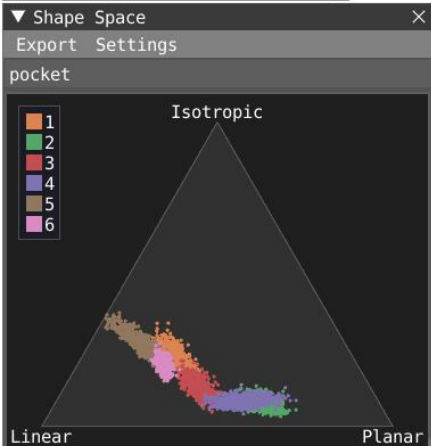
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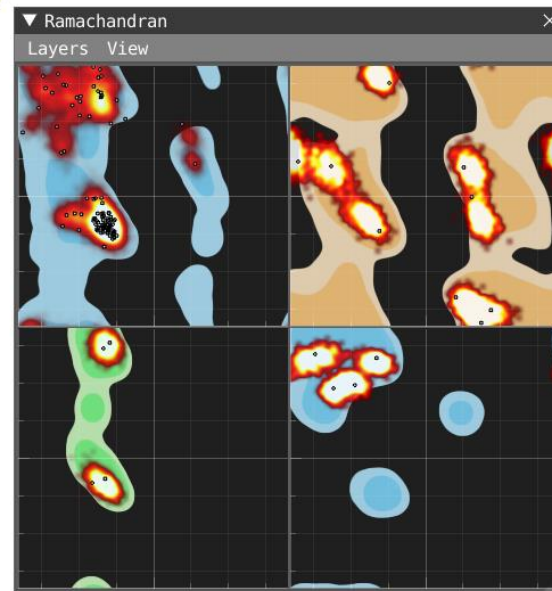
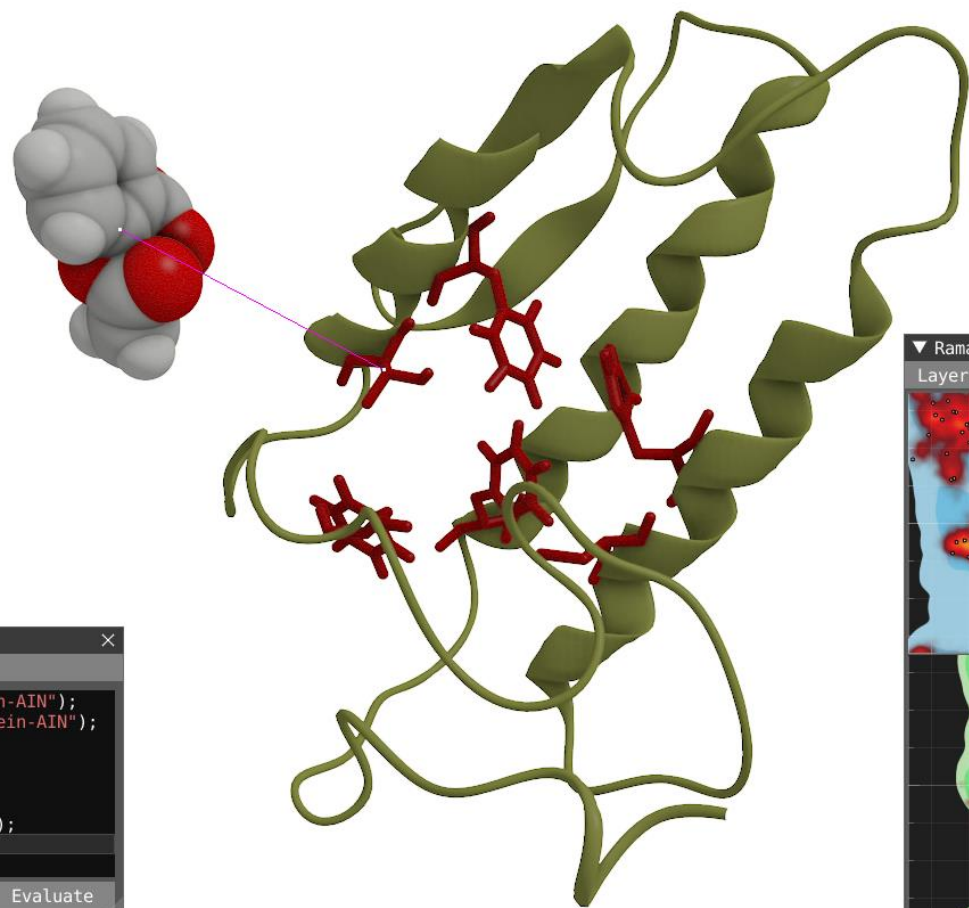
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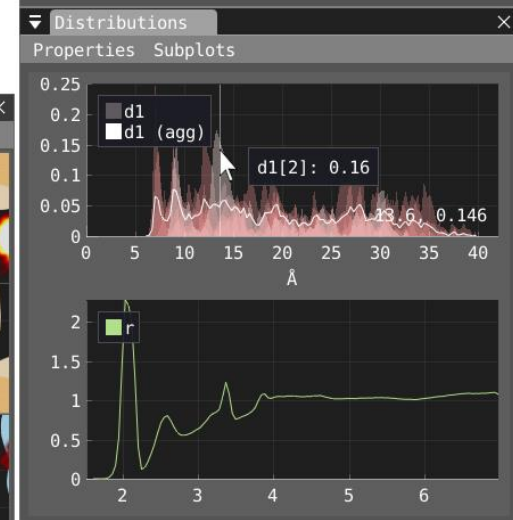
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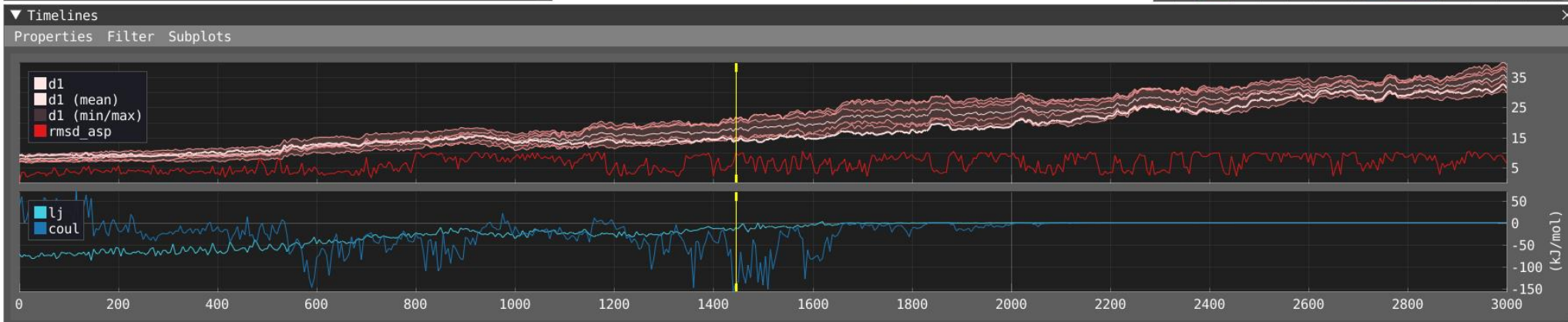
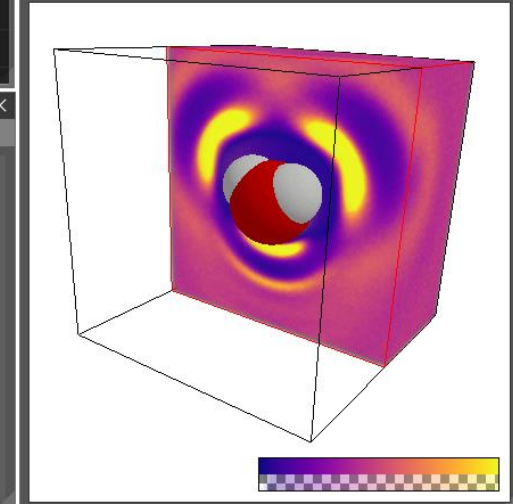
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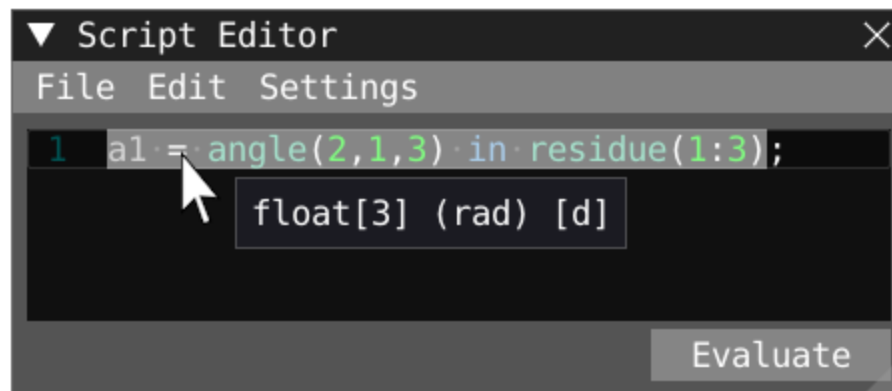
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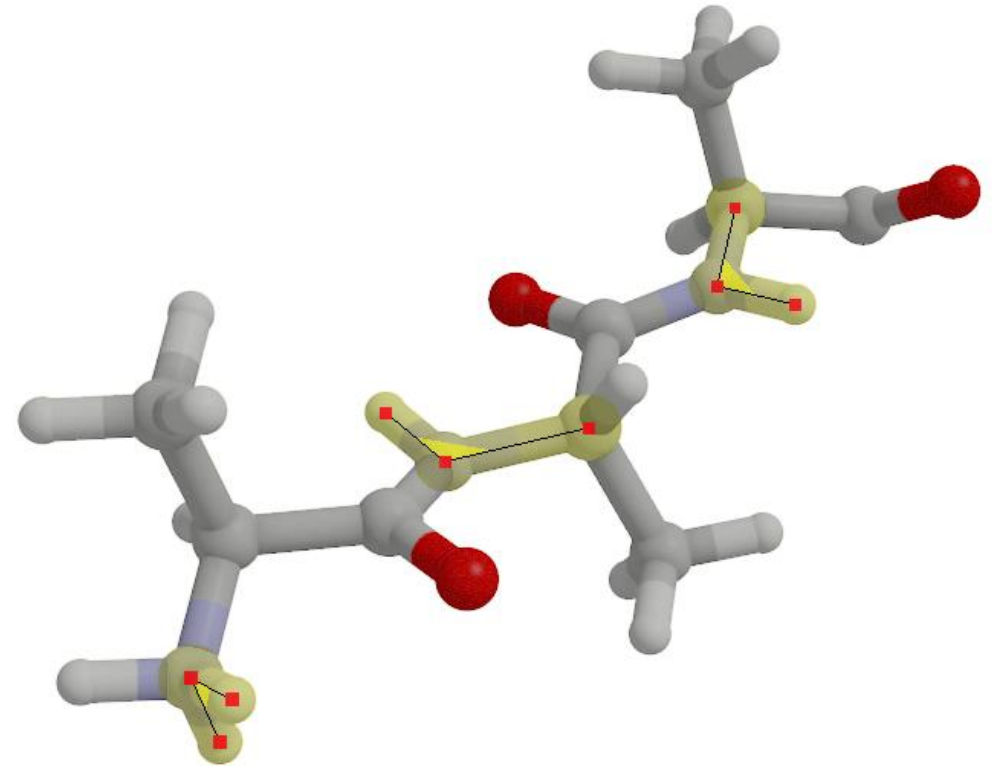


Script Language: Motivation

- Simple, Task Specific
- Good, specific feedback
 - Error messages
- Inspect Expressions
 - Type, Length
 - Provide Visualizations



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1 a1 = angle(2,1,3) in residue(1:3);
float[3] (rad) [d]
Evaluate
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Script Language: Syntax

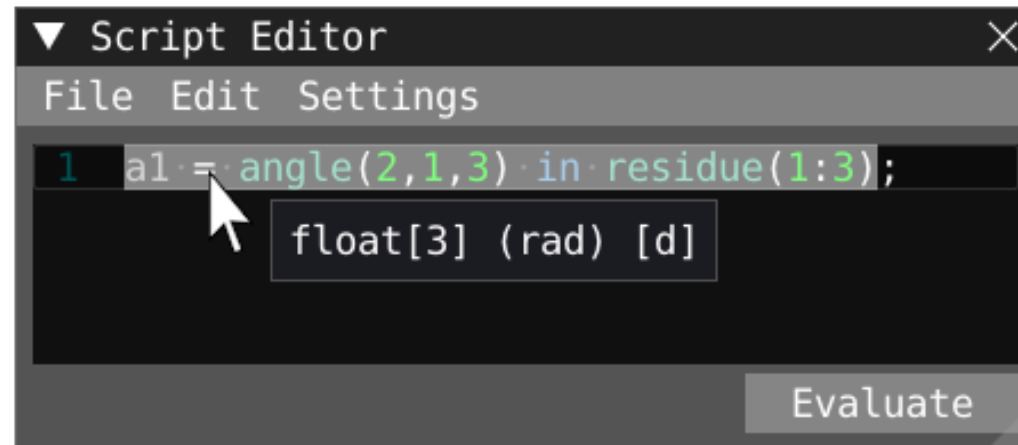
- Declarative Syntax
 - State what should be accomplished without specifying how (Imperative)
 - Control flow is implicit
 - Tie results of expressions into variables

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d1 = distance(10,30);  
a1 = angle(2,1,3) in rename("ALA");  
r = rdf(element('C'), element('H'), 10.0);  
v = sdf(s1, element('H'), 10.0);
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Script Language: Contextual Operations

- The keyword *in* declares the context(s) for operations
- LHS = Operation, RHS = Context(s)
- For N contexts, resulting type will have length N
- Replaces traditional for-loop



The screenshot shows a window titled "Script Editor" with a menu bar containing "File", "Edit", and "Settings". The main area contains a single line of code: `1 a1 = angle(2,1,3) in residue(1:3);`. A mouse cursor is positioned over the `in` keyword. A tooltip box is displayed below the cursor, containing the text `float[3] (rad) [d]`. At the bottom right of the window, there is an "Evaluate" button.

Script Evaluation: Three Scenarios

1. Static Validation

- Occurs during compilation
- Validates the script against topology

2. Data Evaluation

- Computes and outputs a value

3. Visualization

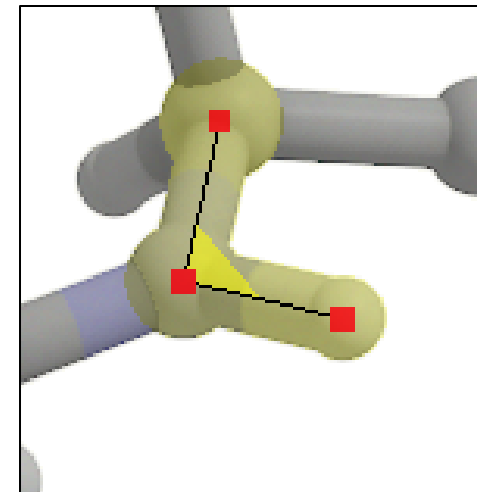
- When user hovers expression
- Can output Rendering primitives
 - Points / Lines / Spheres / Triangles
 - Sets of Atoms to highlight

• Implemented Procedures

- Must support 2
- Optionally support 1,3

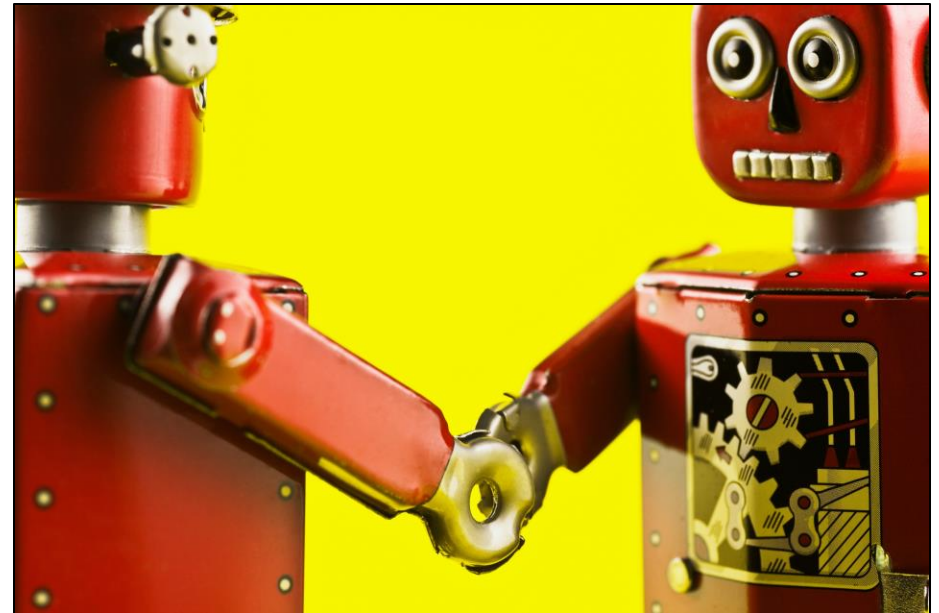
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Script Editor
File Edit Settings
1 s1 = resname("ALA")[2:8];
2 d1 = distance(10,30);
3 a1 = angle(2,1,3) in resname("ALA");
4 r = rdf(element('C'), element('H'), 10.0);
5 v = sdf(s1, element('H'), 10.0);
```

Evaluate

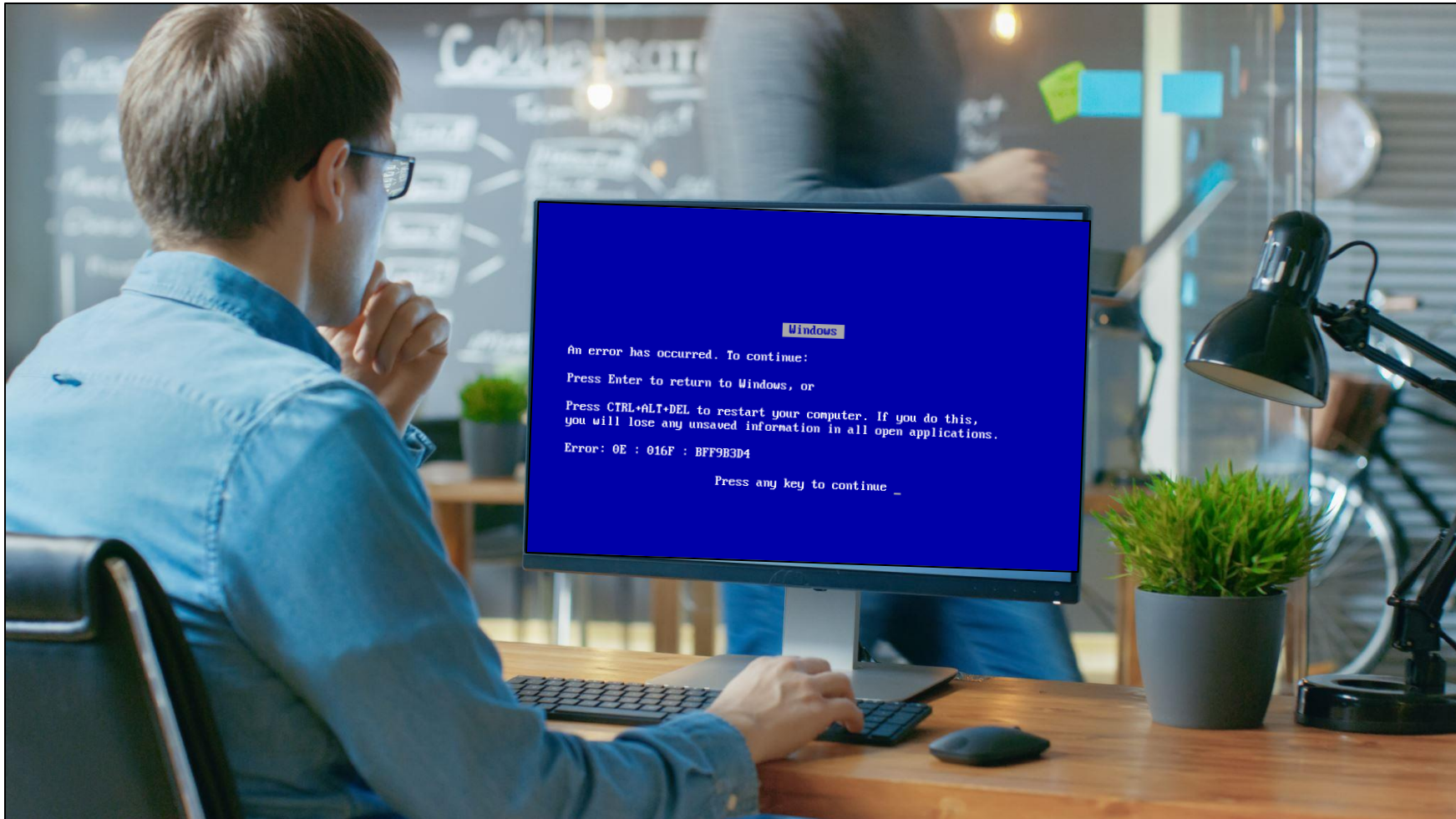


Script Evaluation: Properties

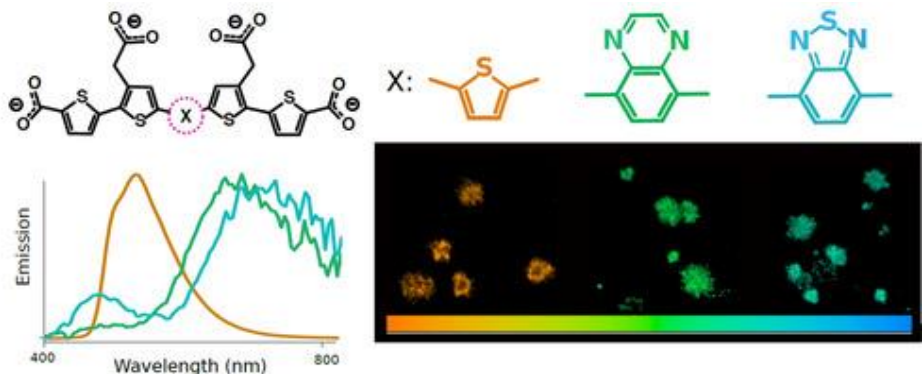
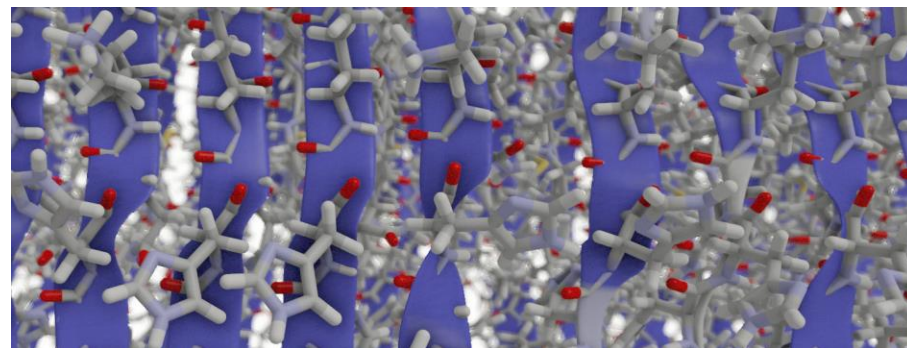
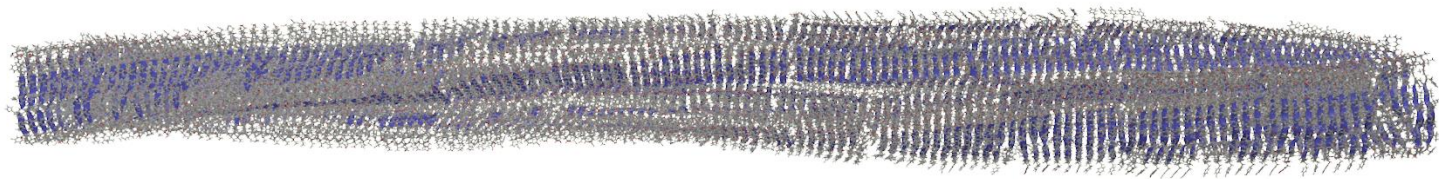
- Variables of particular types are promoted into *properties*
 - Dynamic (Value changes over frames)
 - Floats [1:N]
 - Distributions (Float[M])
 - Volumes (Float[L][L][L])
- Properties are exposed
 - Timeline Window
 - Distribution Window
 - Volume Window
 - ...



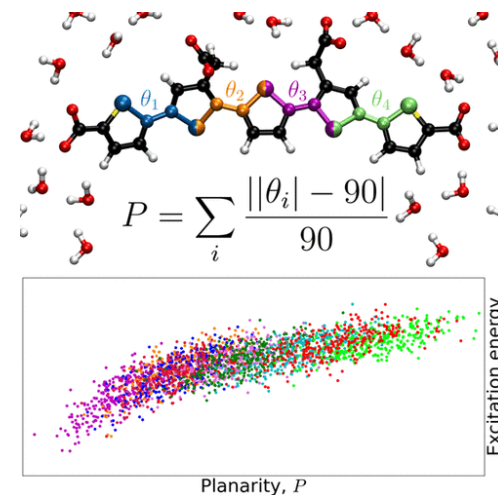
Demo Time



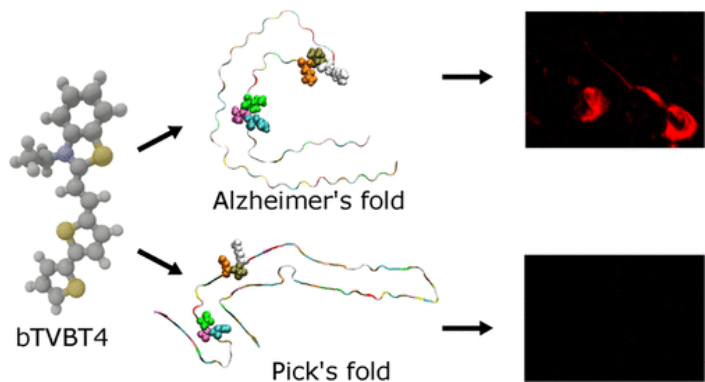
Amyloid Fibril detection



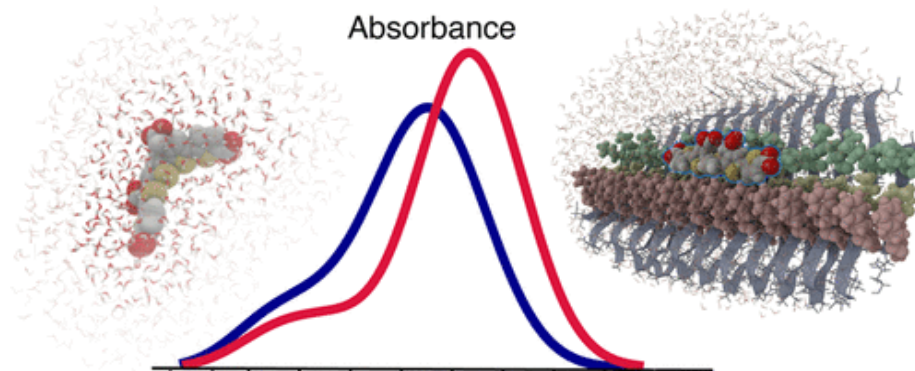
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Future of VIAMD

- Support analysis of multiple systems
 - Compare properties from multiple trajectories
- Transition to next gen. Graphics APIs
- Support more Script Operations
- Support more file formats
 - Gromacs (tpr)
 - Amber
 - NAMD



Resources



<https://github.com/scanberg/viamd>

Wiki and Tutorials

Issues

Discussions



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**We encourage the users to publish their VIAMD script in ESI
(together with the trajectory on Zenodo)**



<https://bit.ly/4aRsPrh>



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