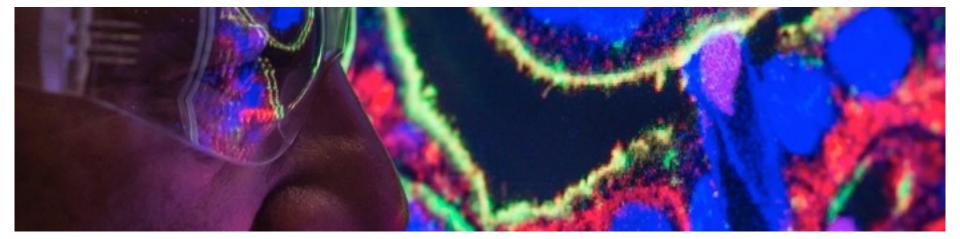


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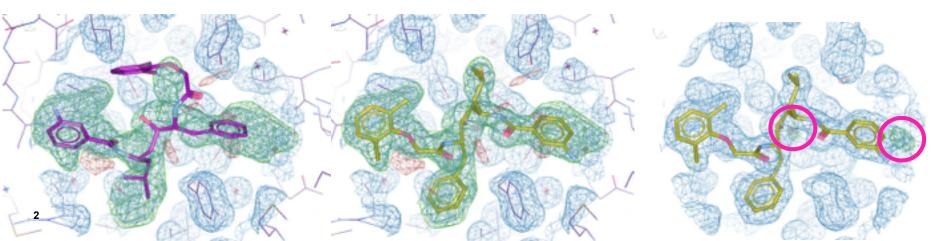
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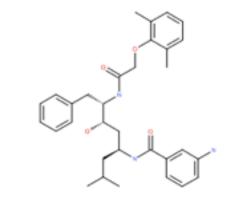
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Problem 1.

- mixed ligand population issue workflow
- smi → pdb, cif with grade, acedrg and pyrogen
 - acedrg fell over on the smi file if it contained description does the newer version fix this?)
- basic ligand fitting in coot
 - coot misplaced the ligand not enough conformers tested?
 - ligand expert is now default good!
 - manual intervention: fix chirality not sure where it went wrong!
- extra density which can't be water due to close proximity probably missing atom...

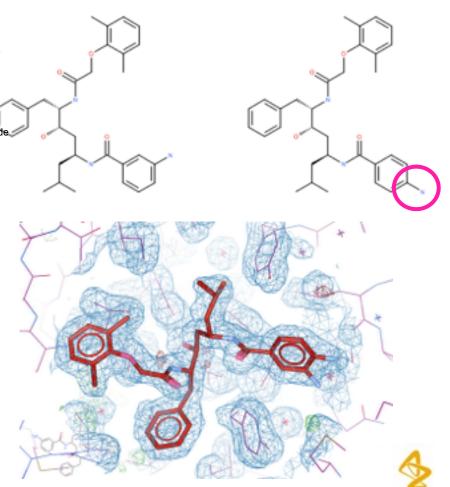




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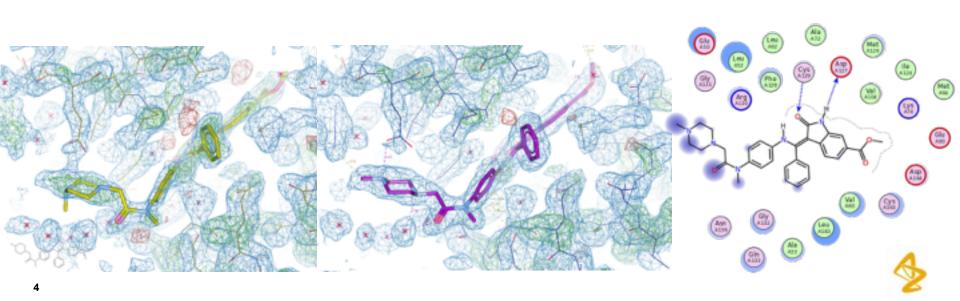
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- · useful to know what's in the tube
- 2 similar ligands R36 and R37 probably have a mixture of both in 1LEE.
- model this as two different ligands at occ=0.5
- generate cif dictionary for second form (did this by modifying the smi file and re-running pyrogen/acedrg), different (non-default) three letter code
- need to merge two cif files for refmac to run (buster accepts two cif files separately which is easier for the user)
- · Lidia falls over!



Problem 2.

- high resolution, straight-forward ligand fitting
- smi → pdb, cif with grade, acedrg and pyrogen
- ligand fitting in coot worked well except Me-piperazine wrong conformation here, needed manual intervention.
- piperazine is also probably protonated close proximity to acid side chain, but this is missed in Lidia even though we do have a 2.9Å contact. It is also quite easy to fit this group the wrong way round.



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