

Surveying ligand- and target-based similarities within the Kinome

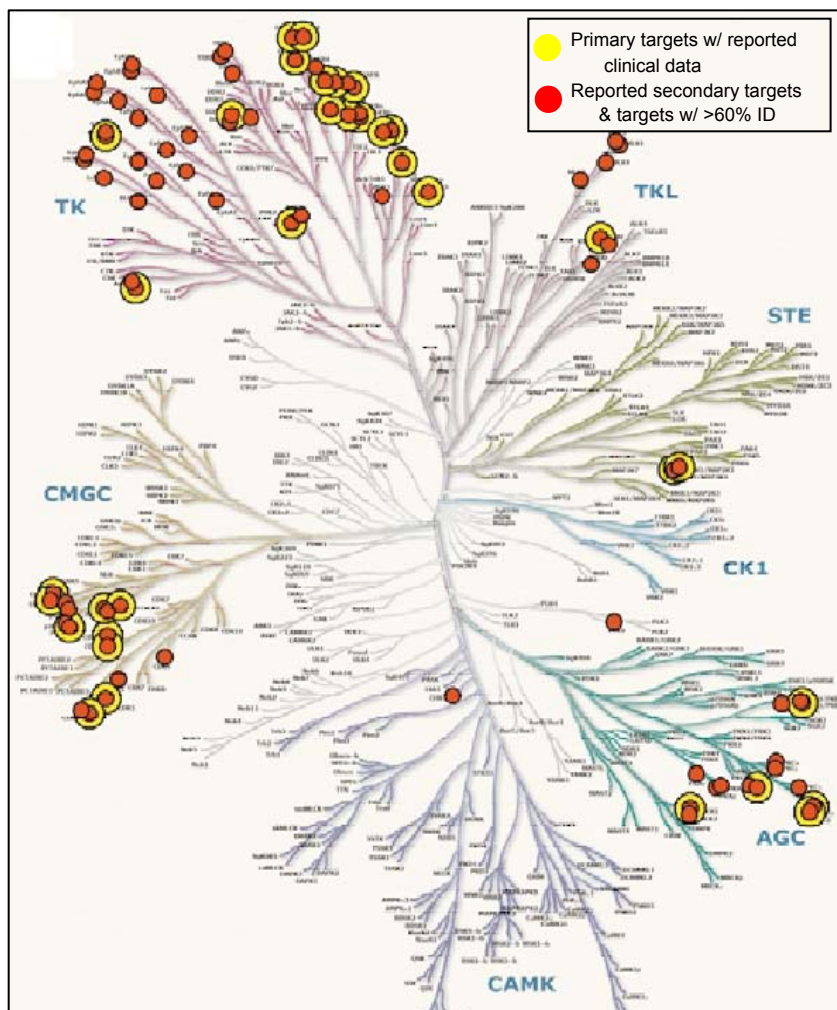
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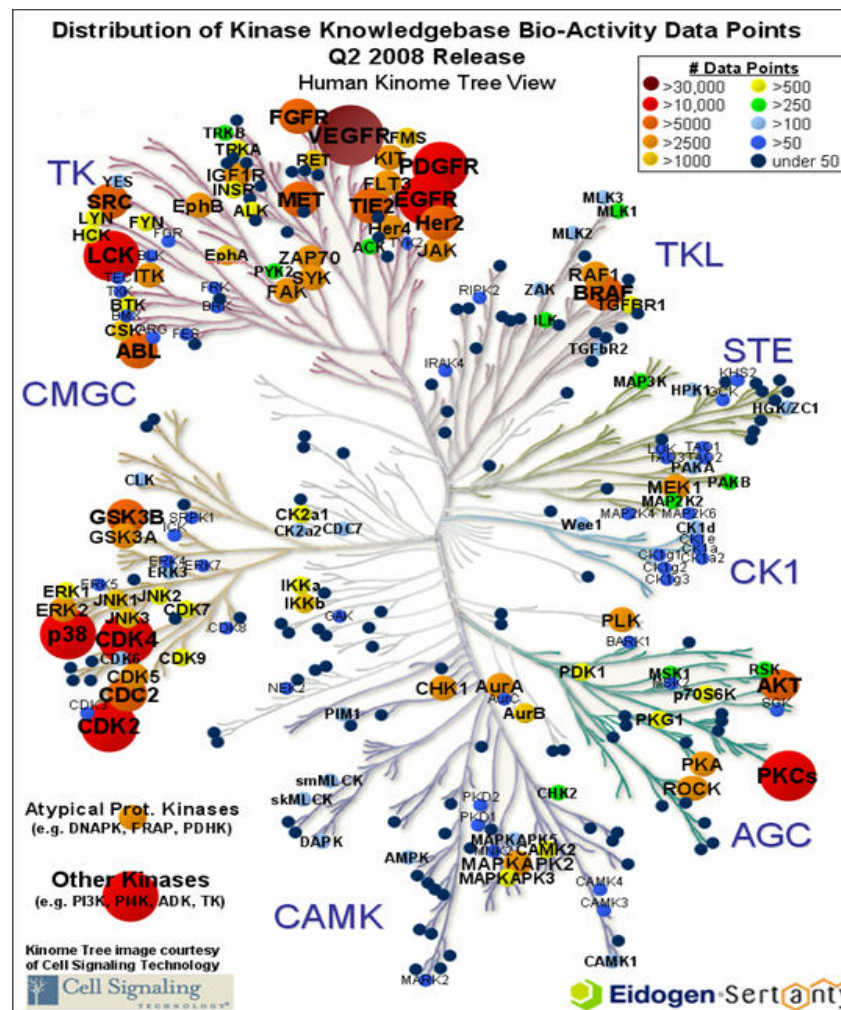
Kinase SAR Knowledgebase – Hot Targets

Kinase Targets of Clinical Interest

from Vieth *et al. Drug Disc. Today* 10, 839 (2005).



Eidogen-Sertanty KKB SAR Data Point Distribution



>362,000 SAR data points curated from
 >4,270 journal articles and patents
 >130 Bayesian QSAR Models

About Eidogen-Sertanty

- Knowledge-Driven Discovery Solutions Provider

- Formed in March 2005 when Sertanty (Libraria→Sertanty 2003) acquired Eidogen (Bionomix 2000)
- >\$20M Invested in Technology Development
- 12 FTE's
- Worldwide Customerbase
- Cash-Positive

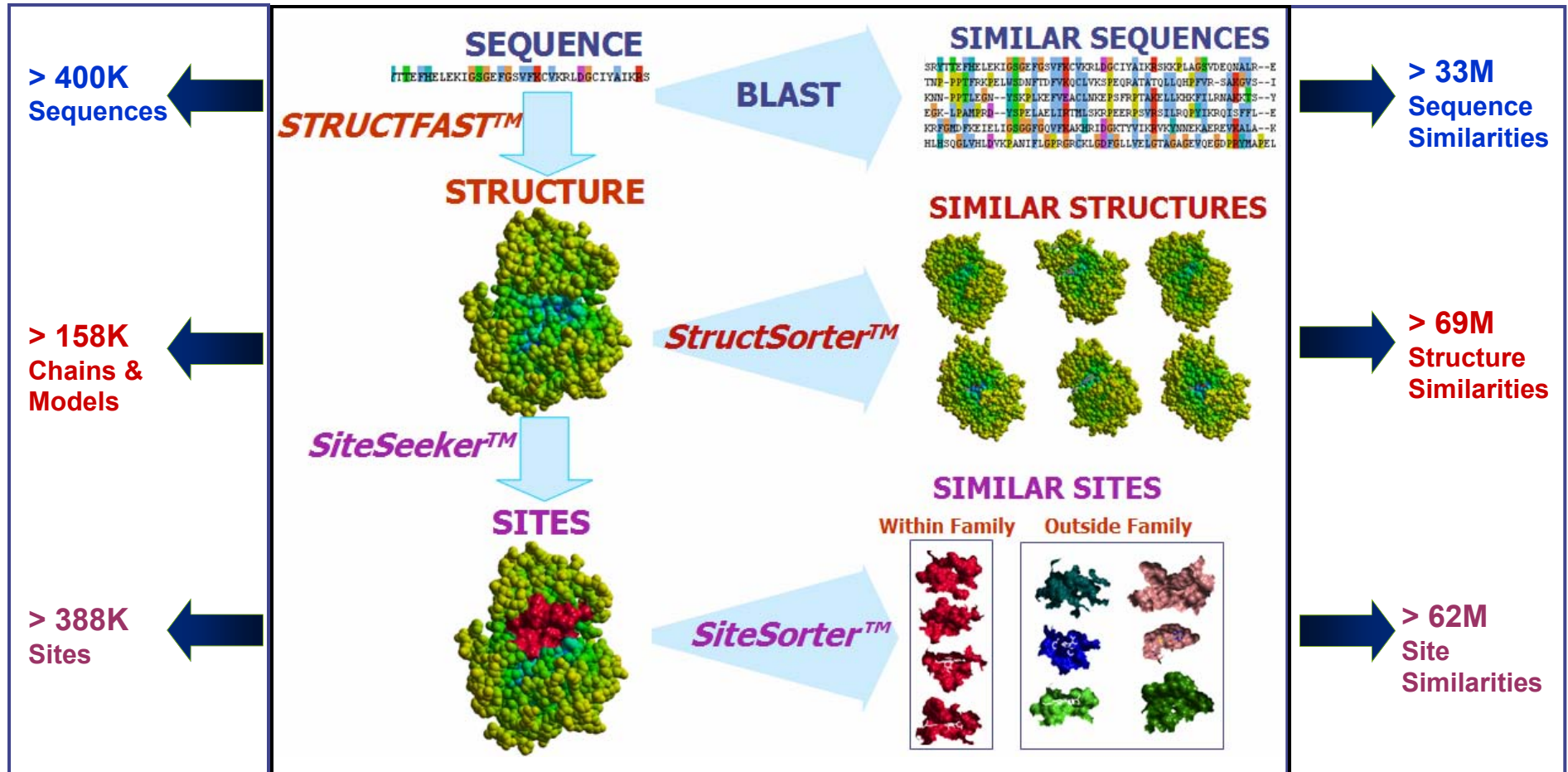
- Chemogenomic Databases & Analysis Software

- *TIP™* - Structural Informatics Platform
- *KKB™* - Kinase SAR and Chemistry Knowledgebase
- *CHIP™* - Chemical Intelligence Platform

- DirectDesign™ Discovery Collaborations

- In Silico Target Screening (“Target Fishing” and Repurposing)
- Target and compound prioritization services
- Fast Follower Design: Novel, Patentable Leads

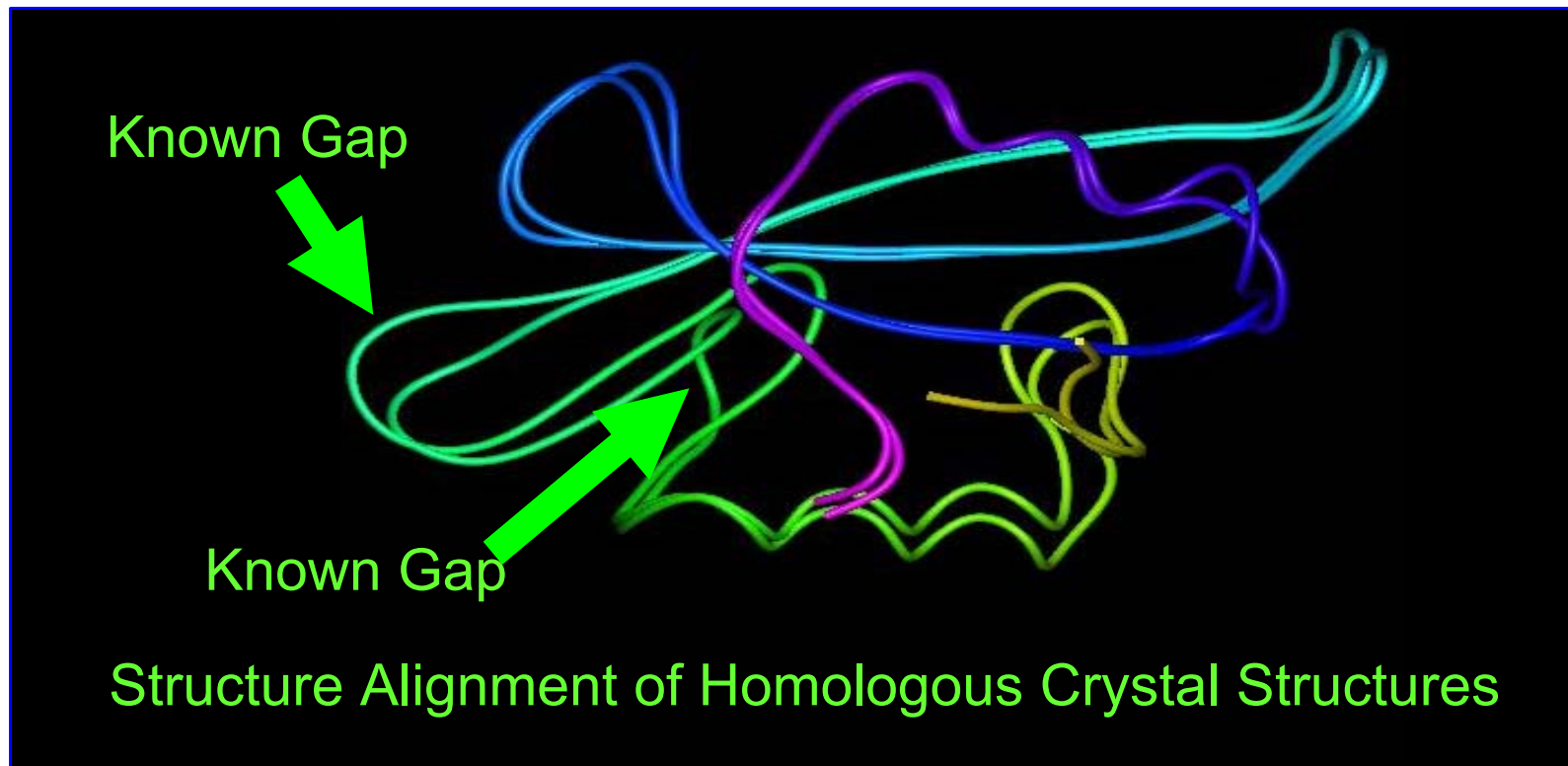
TIP Algorithm Engine



STRUCTFAST™

STructure Realization Utilizing Cogent Tips From Aligned SStructural Templates

Basic Principle: Gaps known to exist should not be strongly penalized.



Leverages experimental structure and structural alignment data to create better alignments

1) Convergent Island Statistics: A fast method for determining local alignment score significance. *Bioinformatics*, 2005, 21, 2827-2831

2) STRUCTFAST: Protein Sequence Remote Homology Detection and Alignment Using Novel Dynamic Programming and Profile-Profile Scoring Proteins. 2006 64:960-967

SiteSeekerTM

Geometric Site-Finding Algorithms Find Many Pockets

But they don't know which pockets are important!

Evolutionary Trace Approach

Can't clearly define site boundary

Not all conserved residues are functionally relevant

SiteSeeker combines *both* methods

Reliability & Confidence

We use proteins with apo- & co-crystal structures in the PDB to test the accuracy & reliability of method

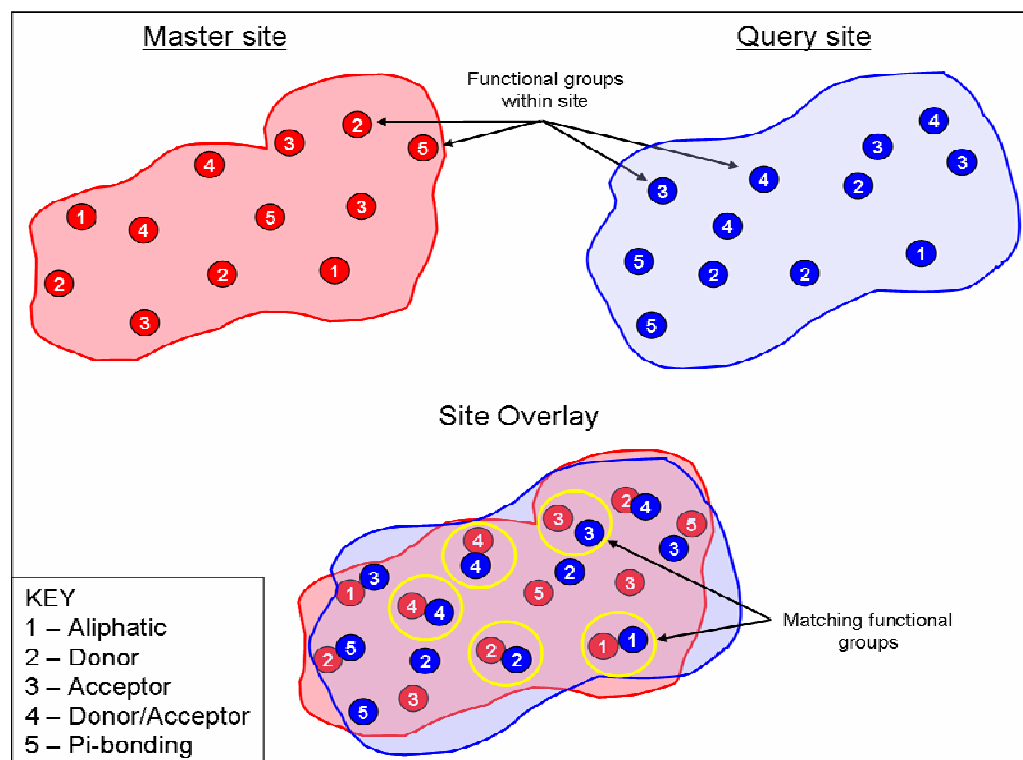
Allows us to map *SiteSeeker* score to predict confidence!

(e.g. At this *SiteSeeker* score, 80% are “real” co-crystal sites)

→ Sites with <60% confidence are not stored in TIP

Weighted Clique Detection Algorithm

Importance of Points Related To Conservation In Multiple Sequence Alignment



Surface Atoms Assigned One of 5 Different Chemical Characters
Matching points increase the *SiteSorter* similarity score

TIP Content

>75,000 Human Sequences

>116,000 Total PDB chains (~50K PDBs)

>42,000 Homology Models

>194,000 PDB co-crystal sites

>190,000 Predicted Sites (on PDBs & Models)

>33M Sequence Similarities

>69M Structural Similarities

>62M Site Similarities

Updated monthly with
new PDBs and models:

e.g. March 2006:

→ 661 new PDBs added

→ 447 new models built

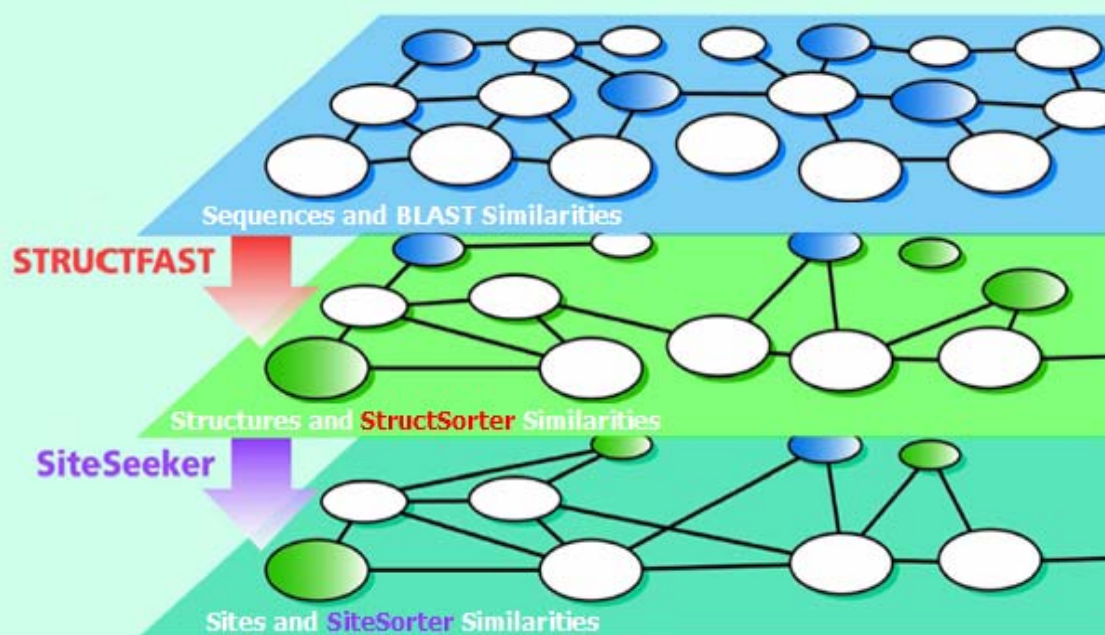
- 153 had no previous structure in TIP

- 294 had “better” models built

e.g. July 2008:

→ 576 new PDBs added

→ 1045 new models built



Automatically updated with new models as the PDB grows

Kinase Knowledgebase (KKB)

Kinase inhibitor structures and SAR data mined from

> 4278 journal articles/patents

▪ KKB Content Summary (Q2-2008):

of kinase targets: **>390**

of SAR Data points: **> 362,000**

of **unique** kinase molecules with SAR data: **>120,000**

of annotated assay protocols: **>16,000**

of annotated chemical reactions: **>2,300**

of unique kinase inhibitors: **>465,000** (~340K enumerated from patent chemistries)

▪ KKB Growth Rate:

- Average **15-20K** SAR data points added per quarter
- Average **20-30K** unique structures added per quarter

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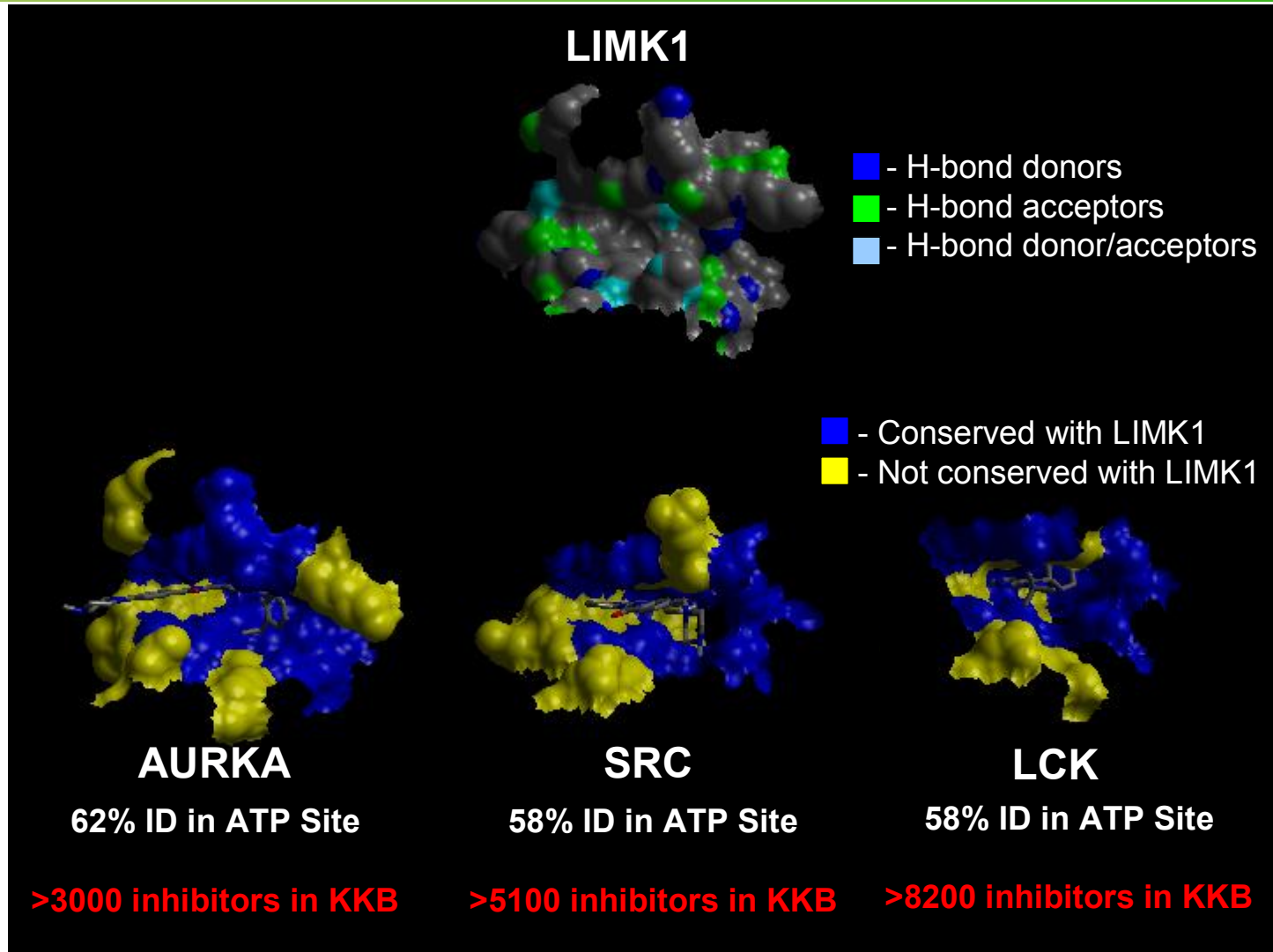
Kinase Validation Set

Three sizable datasets freely available to the research community

<http://www.eidogen-sertanty.com/kinasednld.php>

Average 20-30K unique structures added per quarter

LIMK1 – ATP binding site comparison

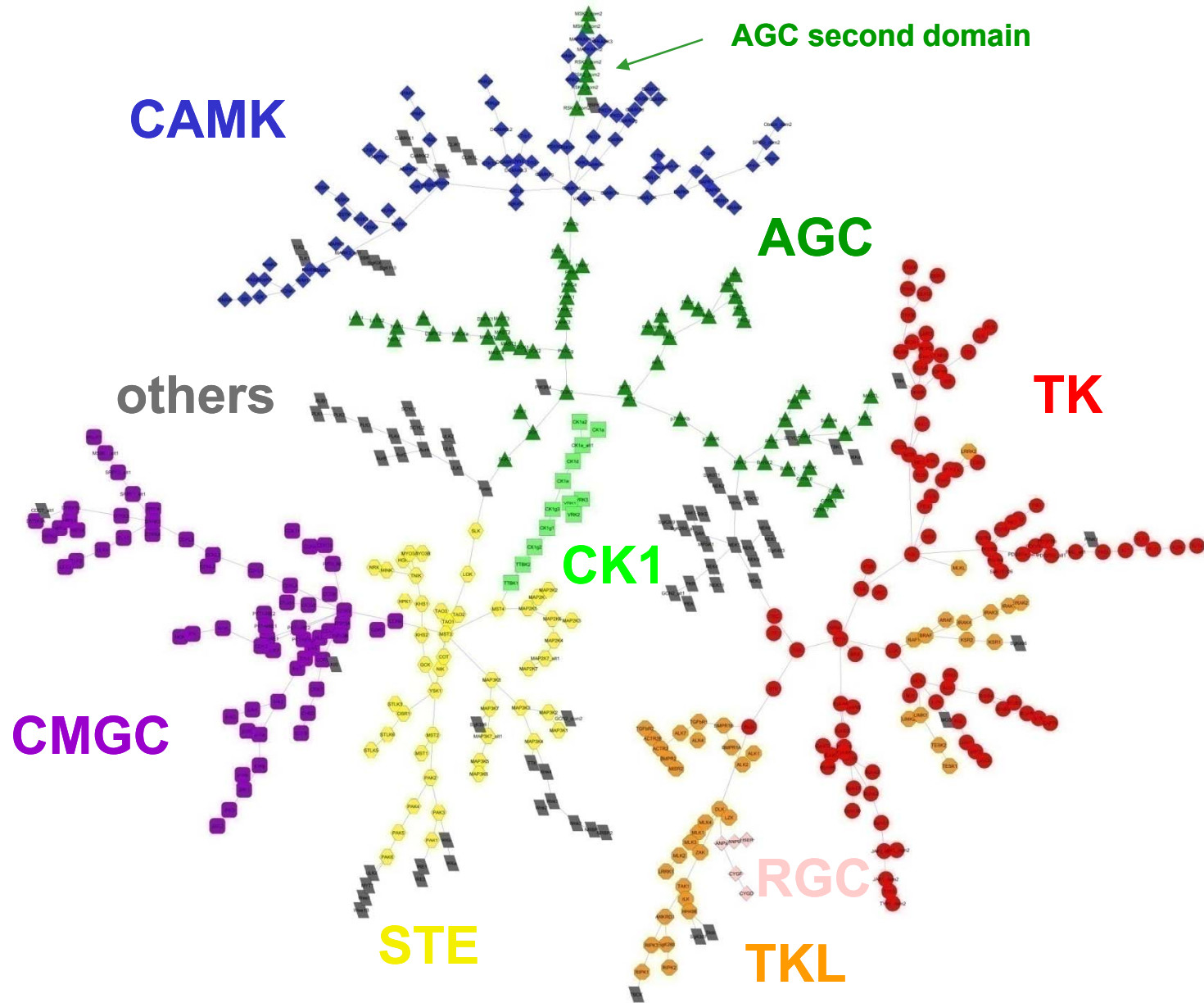


The ATP site of LIMK1 shares a high level of homology with several well-studied kinases



Kinome by Sequence

Kinase domain sequence similarities - MST



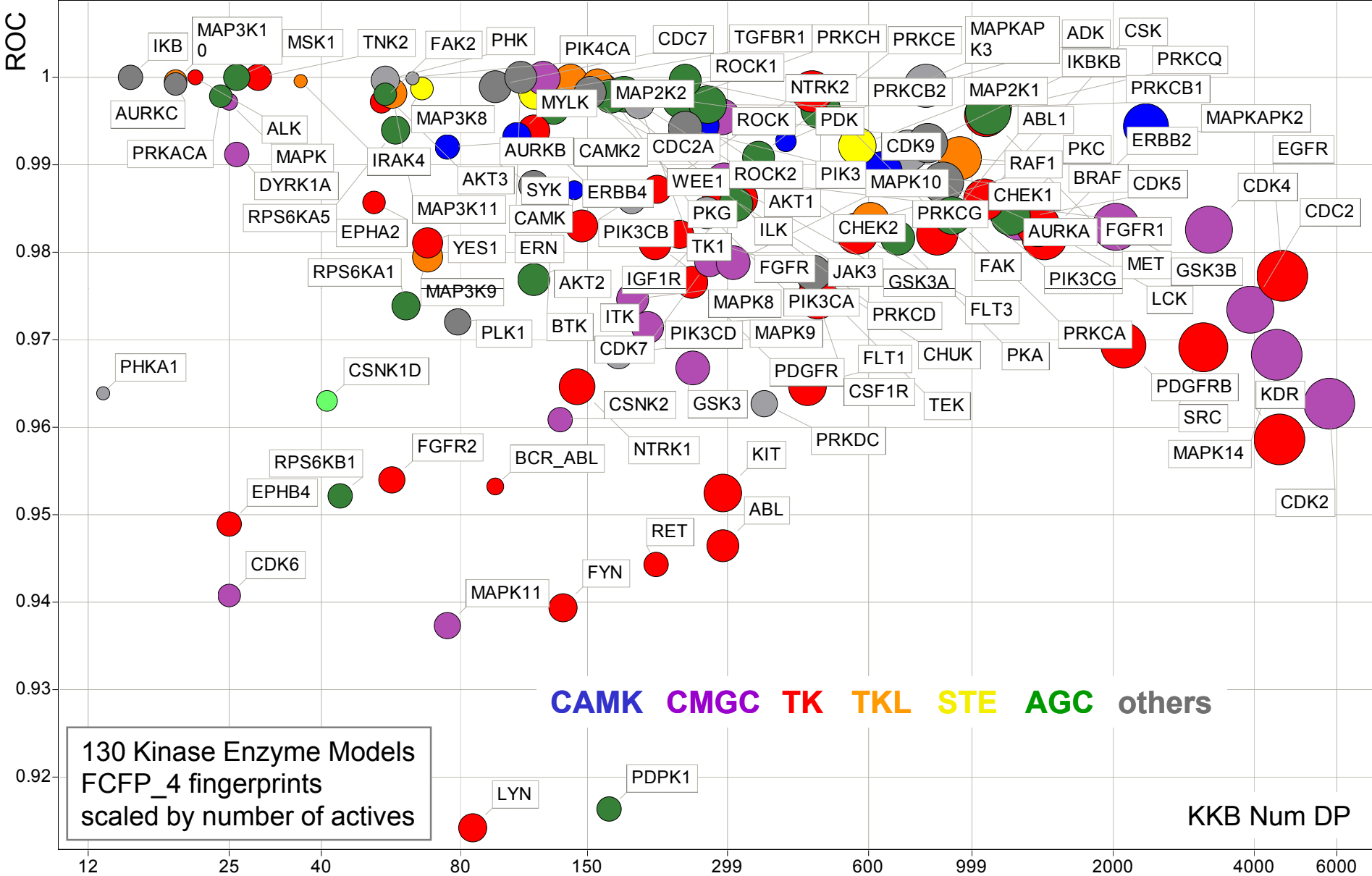


Kinome by SAR

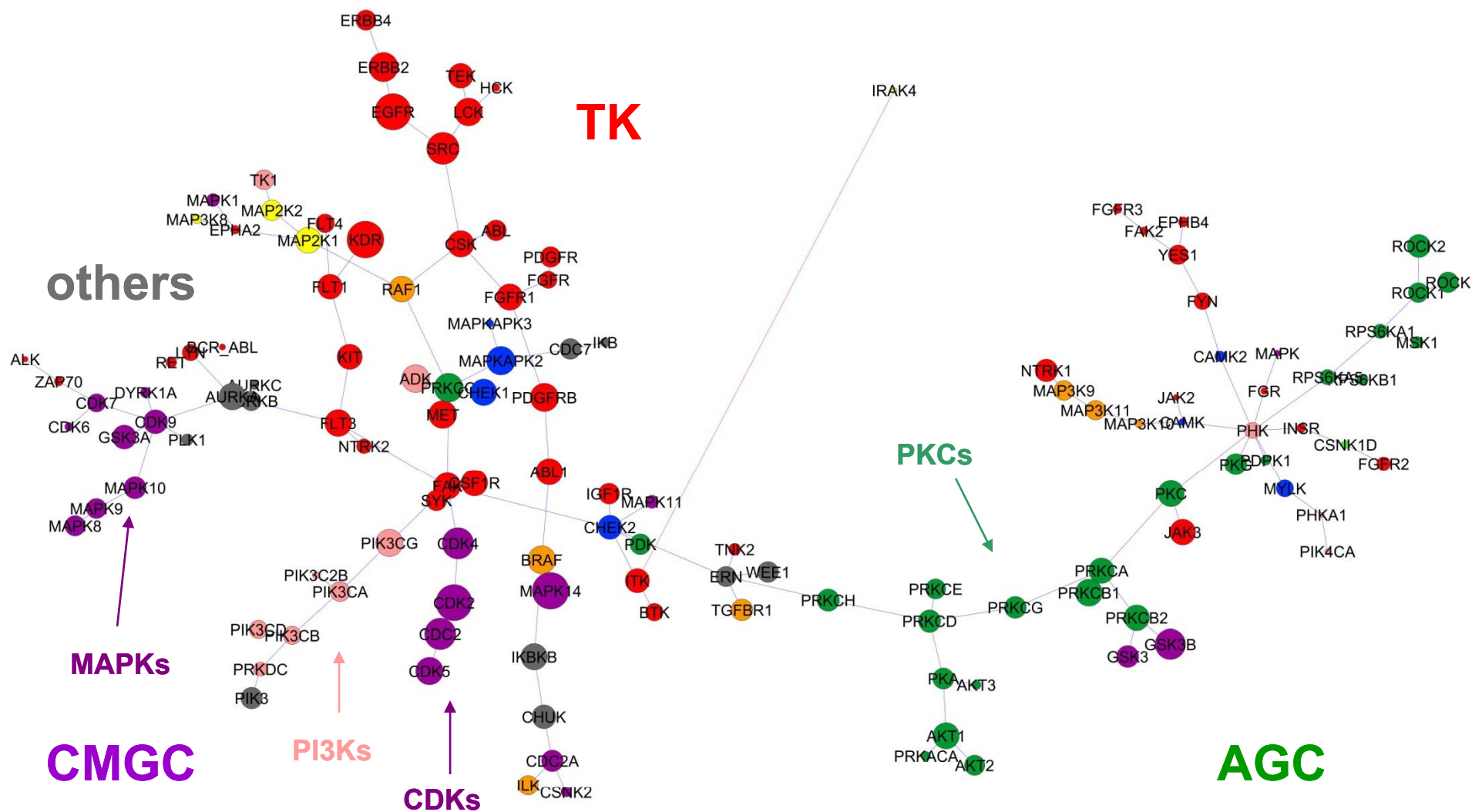
Relating kinase targets by SAR

- Relationships derived from Bayesian categorization models
 - Adopted from Schuffenhauer *Org Biomol Chem* **2004** 3256
- Bayesian categorization models built within PipelinePilot:
 - Kinase enzyme assay data, activity cutoff $pIC_{50} > 6.5$; all other compounds “negative”
 - Functional group connectivity fingerprints length 4
 - ROC > 0.7
- Bayesian feature weights ($\sim 10,000$ features) extracted for each model
- Correlation matrix determined between Bayesian vectors
- Visualization via minimum spanning trees (Kruskal algorithm)

Kinase SAR Bayesian models



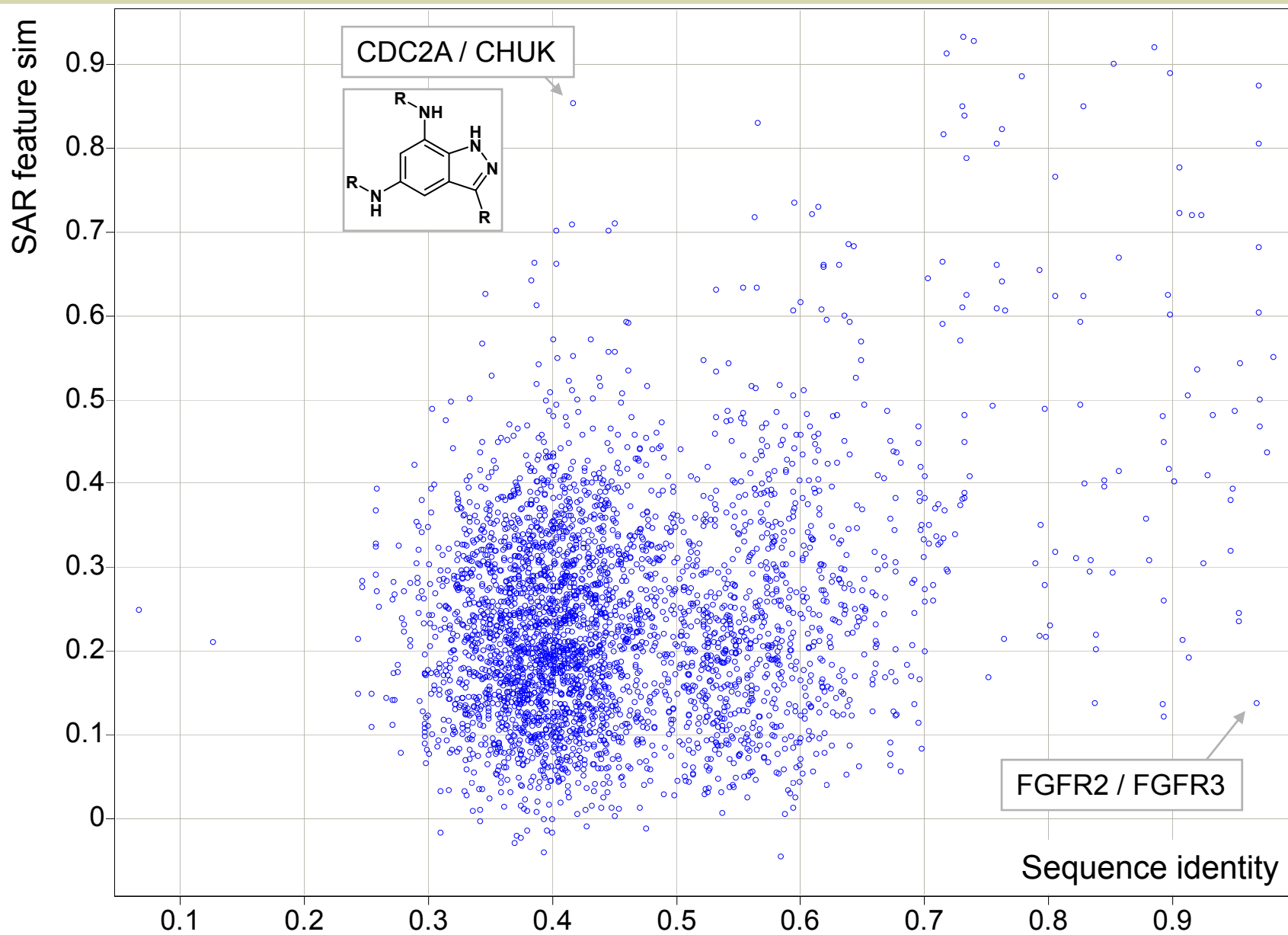
Kinase target relationships by SAR – MST



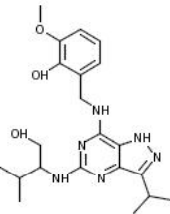
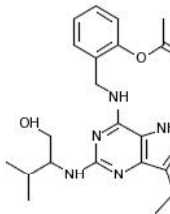
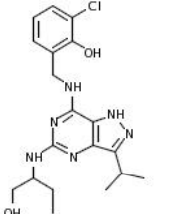
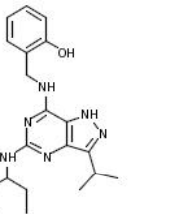
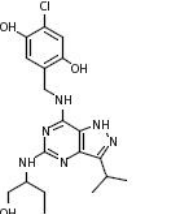
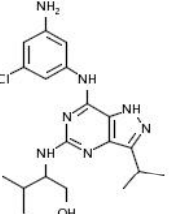
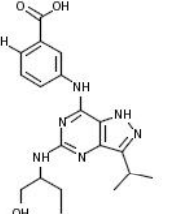
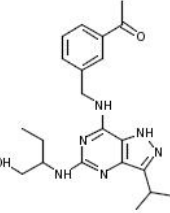
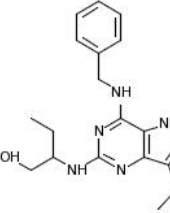
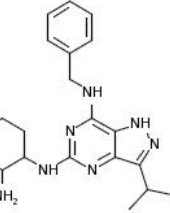
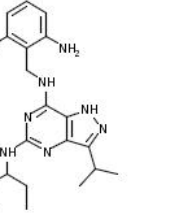
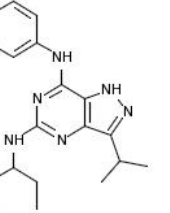
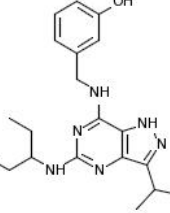
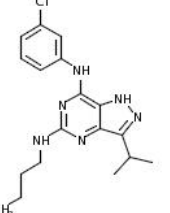
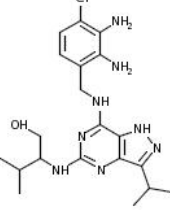
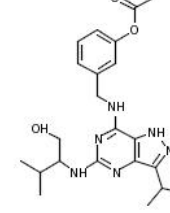
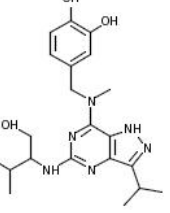
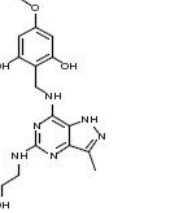
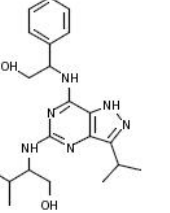
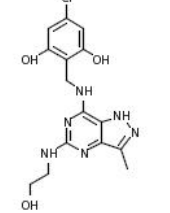
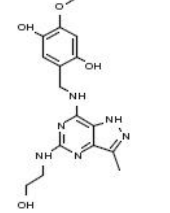
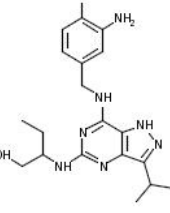
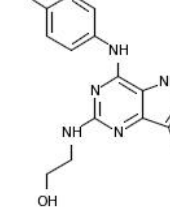
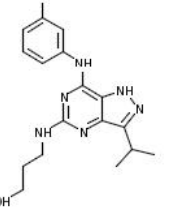
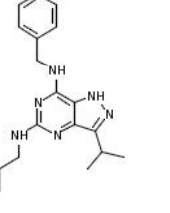
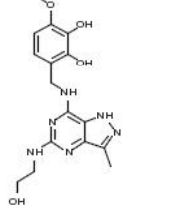
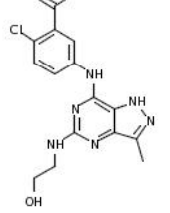
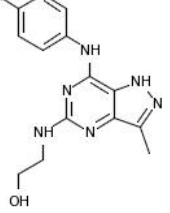
130 kinase models

MST – all “similarities” > 0.27

SAR-based similarity vs. Sequence identity

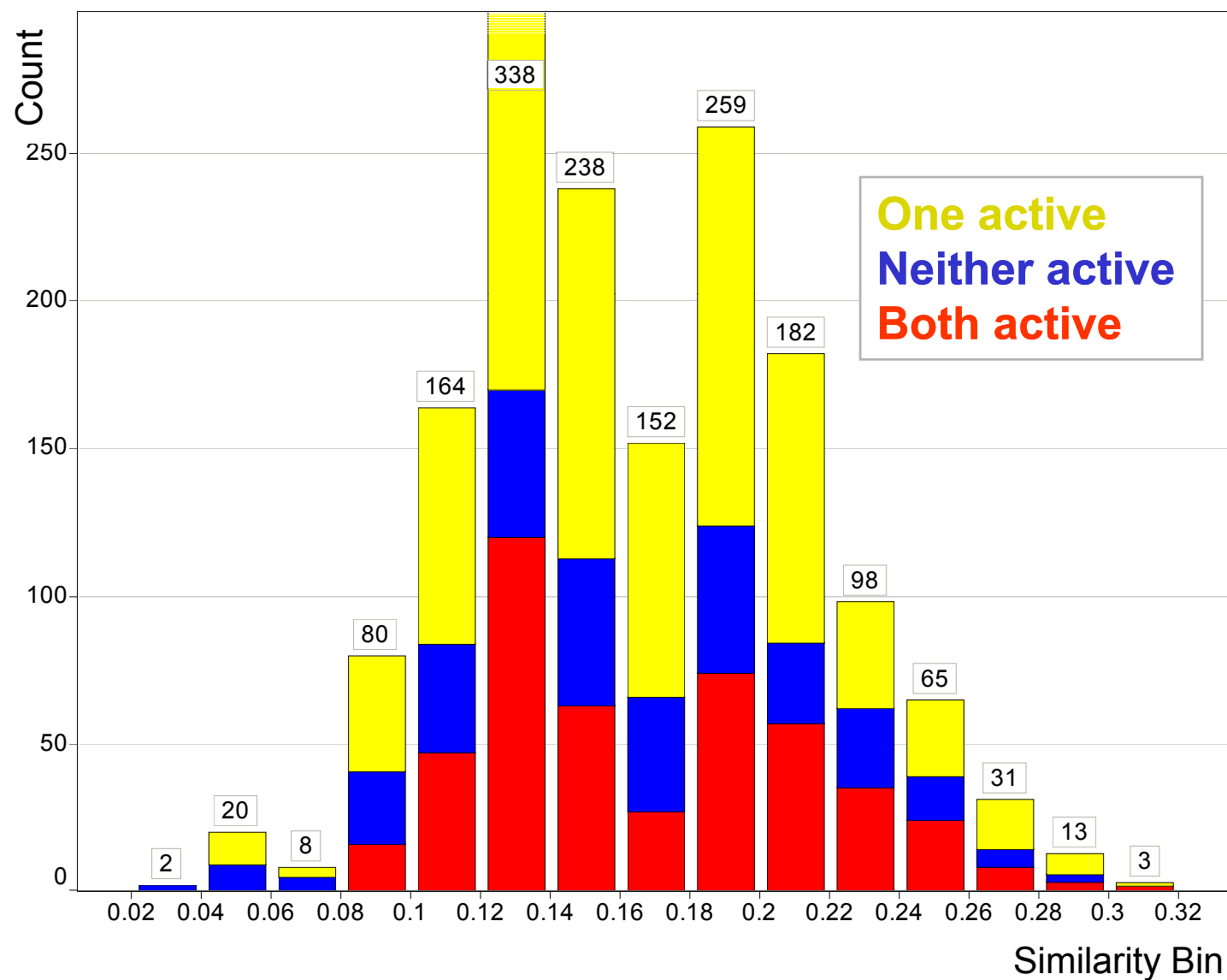


CDC2A and CHUK: > 90 ligands with activity against both targets

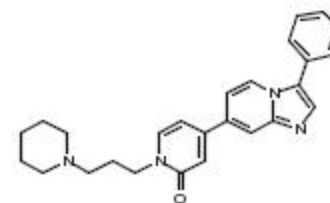
						
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FGFR2 / FGFR3: no similar ligands

FCFP4 Tanimoto (all pairs)

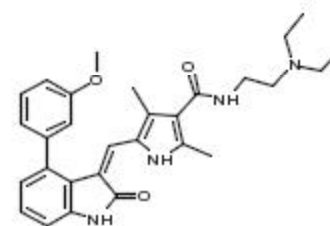


Top active FGFR2:



FGFR2 / 9.1

Top active FGFR3:



FGFR3 / 8.0

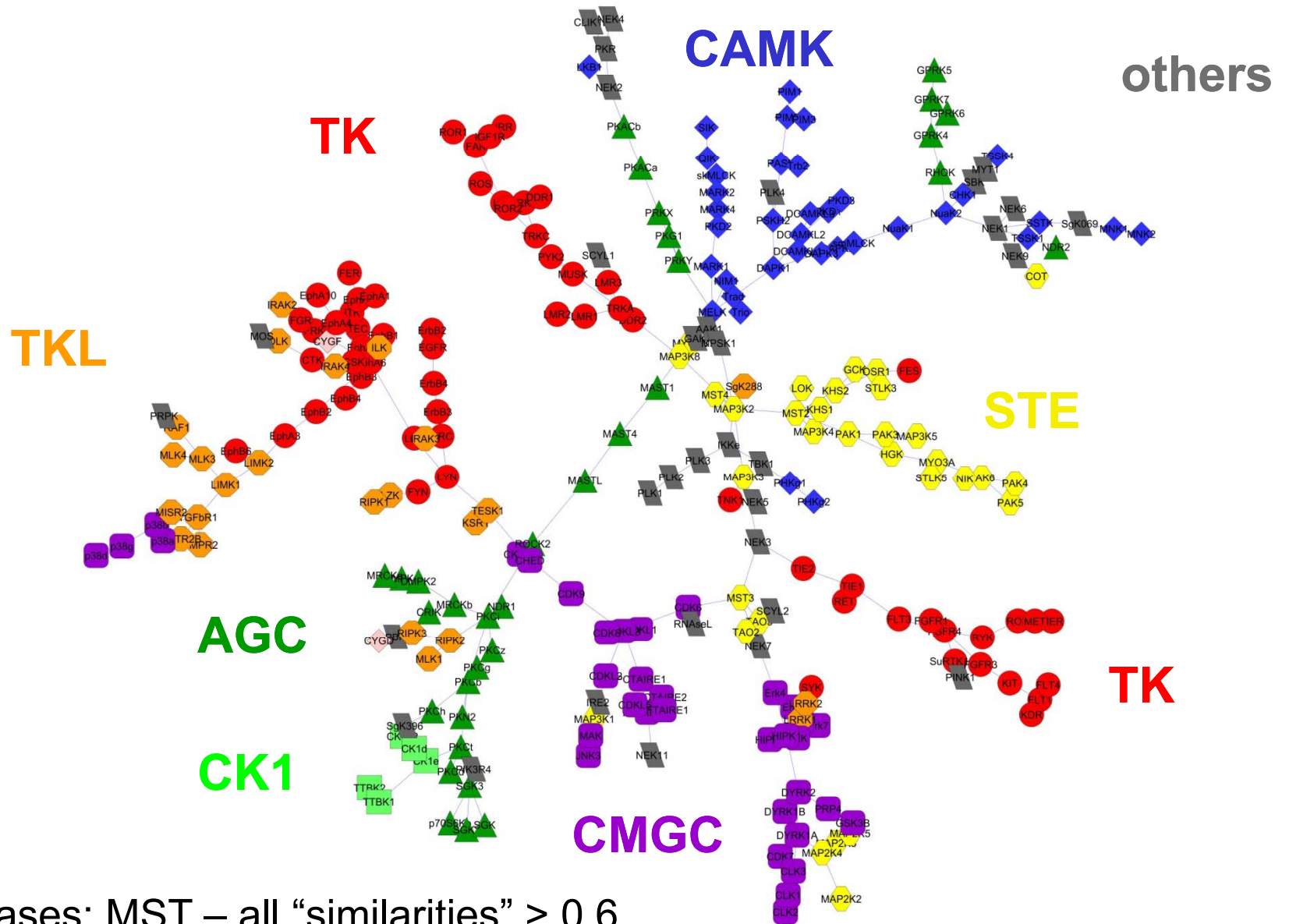


Kinome by structure binding site similarities

Relating kinases by ATP binding-site similarity

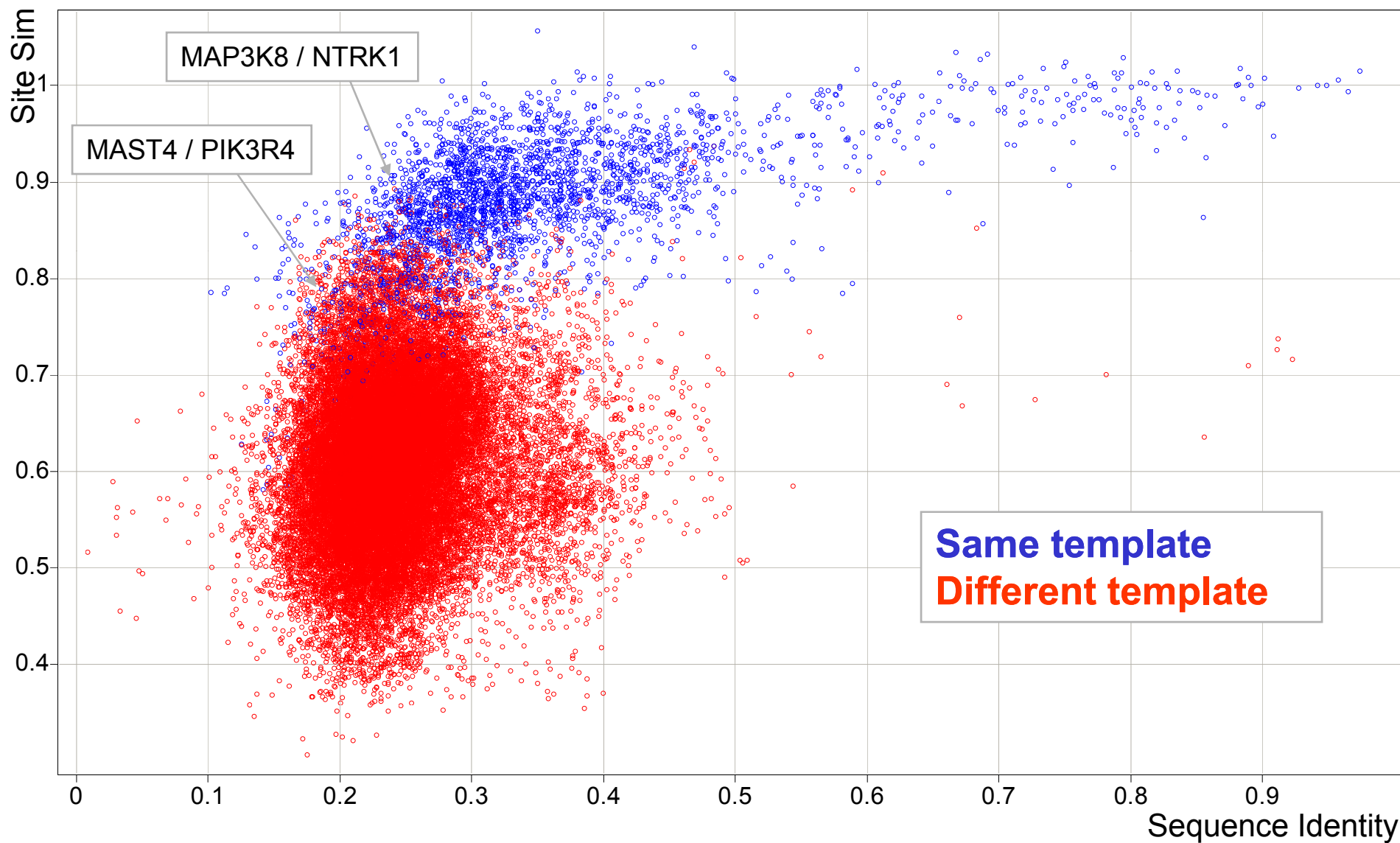
- Human Kinase domain sequences extracted (Sugen, Swissprot, PFAM)
- Human Kinome (500 sequences) modeled using STRUCTFAST
 - Multiple models per sequence (subset of 263 presented here)
- Binding sites for all models computed (SiteSeeker)
- Binding site similarity scores computed (SiteSorter)
- Similarity scores normalized: $AB_Norm := AB / (AA + BB - AB)$
 - AB – Site Similarity between sites A & B
 - AA / BB – “Self Site” Similarity Scores
- Analysis and visualization with MST

Kinase Site Similarity Relationships – MST



263 kinases; MST – all “similarities” > 0.6

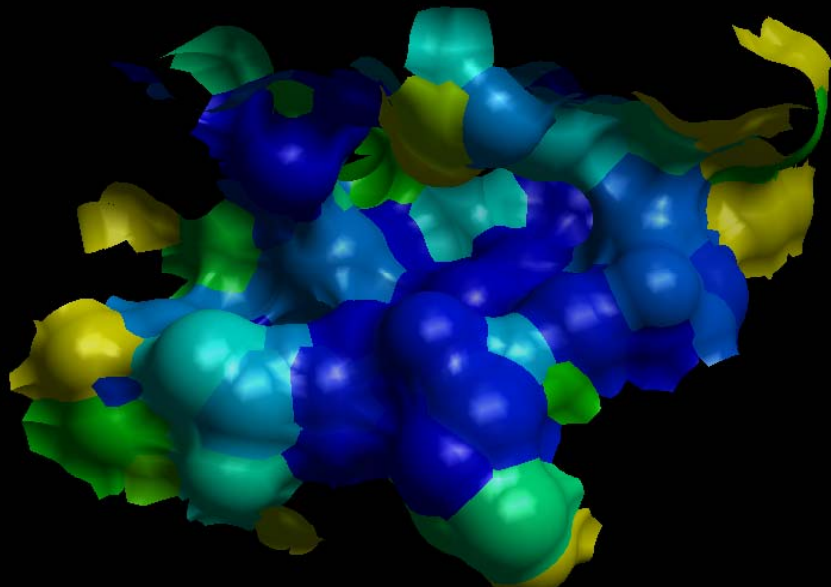
Sequence vs. Site Similarity



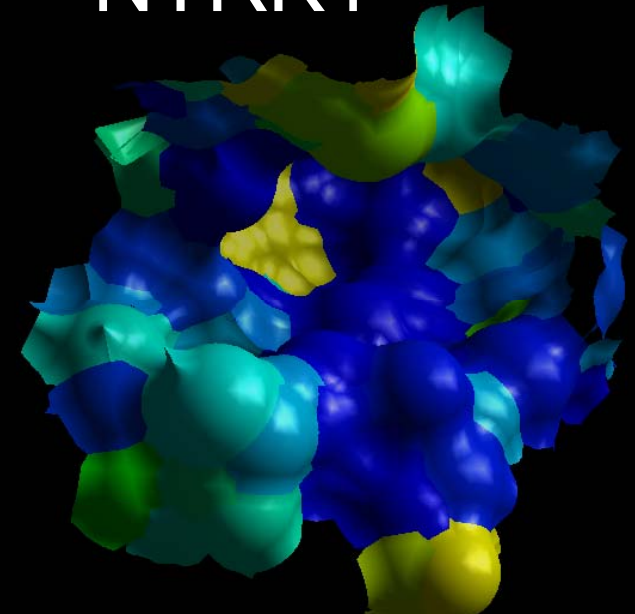
Similar sites – different sequences

- STE_STE11_MAP3K8: template 1u5rA
- TK_Trk_TRKA (NTRK1): template 1ir3A

MAP3K8



NTRK1

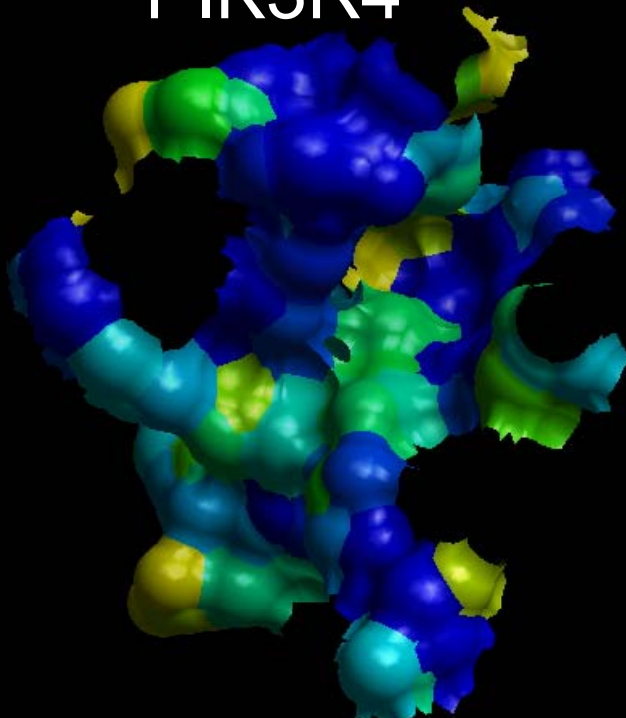


MAP3K8	LGKGYA.V.A.K.V.E.V.MEFV.GGS.S.D.NN.M.D
NTRK1	LGEGAF V A K - E V FE-M -GD - D -N L D

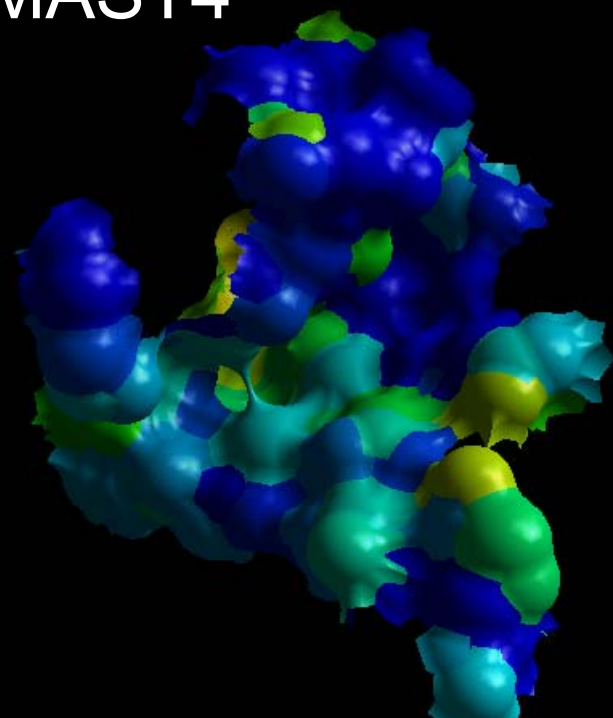
Similar sites – different site AA composition

- AGC_MAST_MAST4: template 1z5mA
- Other_VPS15_PIK3R4: template 1z5mA
- Site sequence similarity: 0.2
- Normalized (physicochemical) site similarity: 0.78

PIK3R4



MAST4



MAST4
PIK3R4

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What did we learn?

- Expected global trend: Similar sequence results in physicochemical- and fold-similar binding sites
- Dissimilar sequences do not always result in different binding sites
- Binding site similarities group in “patches” by domain sequence similarity
 - Subtle differences in site relationships among groups and sub-types
- Modeling templates influence results:
 - For many kinases no experimental structures exist, but can be modeled
 - Growing body of structural information will optimize the picture
- Body of selective Kinase compounds continues to grow
- In principle, small molecules can be optimized to differentiate between very similar (sequence) kinases

Conclusions and Next steps

- Quantifying similarity relationships within the Kinome can provide insight in early Kinase drug development
- Similarity within the Kinome should consider SAR-based and structure-based binding site similarity (v. domain sequence-based similarity)
- Next steps include
 - Analyze trends with respect to DFG-In/DFG-out
 - Quantify template effects
 - Investigate effects of site size and predicted vs. templated sites

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