# Advancing Quantum Simulations with Machine Learning and Graph Theory

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#### ML to Replace QM The ANI-type Neural Network potential



## **ML to Replace QM: Large Scale Simulations**

#### Simple models can simulate complex processes when provided with high-quality data.

ML potential trained to ANI-1xnr dataset:

Active Learning via high-T non-equilibrium condensed phase MD snapshots. 26K datapoints (Boxes of up to 150

Applications

atoms) Nanoreactor: MLIP-driven simulations of extreme dynamics



Zhang, S. et al. Nat. Chem. 16, 727–734 (2024)

#### **Carbon solid-phase nucleation simulation**



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#### Methane combustion

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200



---  $H_2O_2$ 

-× CH₄

0.20

CO CO<sub>2</sub>

- Initial conditions: 100 CH<sub>4</sub> and 200 O<sub>2</sub> molecules, 0.1fs timestep
- ANI-1xnr potential correctly produces major products and species profiles
- Reaction rates depend on the reference DFT level of theory



## **Miller Experiment (Life Formation)**

- Initial conditions:16  $H_2$ , 14  $H_2O$ , 14 CO, 14  $NH_3$  and 14  $CH_4$
- 0.25 fs timestep
- Glycine is formed!



#### ML potentials limitations: no electronic structure information



## **ML potentials limitations: locality**





- B<sub>36</sub> has fully delocalized chemical bonds
- Aromatic (like benzene)  $\rightarrow$  planar

Non-local electronic effects often dictate structural stability

Wang, et al. Nat Commun 5, 3113 (2014).

### ML to Assist QM Semiempirical Quantum Mechanics (SEQM)

#### **Neglect of Diatomic Differential Overlap (NDDO):**

- Based on Hartree-Fock formalism
- Overlap matrix is neglected
- 3c- and 4c-2e integrals are neglected
- 2c-2e integrals are approximated by multipoles
- Valence shell electrons only, minimal basis set
- 1c-1e and 1c-2e integrals are replaced by <u>static fitted</u> parameters



- The accuracy is compromised
- ✤ The scaling is reduced from quartic  $O(N^4)$  to cubic  $O(N^3)$ , lower prefactor
- Electronic structure formalism is retained (charges, multiplicity, non-local effects)

## **SEQM Limitation: Accuracy**

Static parameters in Hamiltonian compromise accuracy

## Improving accuracy of SEQM: ML + SEQM

Replacement of static parameters in semi-empirical Hamiltonian with dynamically responsive
ML model generates parameter values based on spatial descriptors





#### **ML to Assist QM** Semiempirical Quantum Mechanics (SEQM)

#### **PySEQM: PyTorch-Based Semi-Empirical Quantum Mechanics**

#### **Capabilities:**

- Neglect of Diatomic Differential Overlap models (PM6, PM3, AM1, MNDO)
- Built-in interfaces for ML re-parametrization
- GPU-accelerated simulations
- Multiple parallel simulations via a batch mode
- Forces and errors calculation via PyTorch backpropagation

#### https://github.com/lanl/PYSEQM.git

G. Zhou, et. al. *PNAS*, 2022, 119, e2120333119 M. Kulichenko et al.J. Chem. Theory Comput. 2023, 19, 11, 3209–3222

#### ML to Assist QM: Training SEQM to Non-Equilibrium Data Data

#### ANI-1x training set



- ML+SEQM achieves higher accuracy than pure ML and SEQM
- ML+SEQM needs less training data than pure ML
- In fact, ML+SEQM can't have too much data
  - Training is expensive because of error backpropagation through SCF loop.

N. Lubbers, et. al. *J. Chem. Phys.* 148, 241715 (2018) G. Zhou, et. al. *PNAS*, 119, e2120333119 (2022)

#### **ML to Assist QM: Training SEQM to Reactive Data**

Robert Stanton et al. Unpublished

Training data: 140k broken-symmetry open shell singlets and doublets

- 60% Transition1x<sup>1</sup> reaction pathways
- 10% BSE49<sup>2</sup> bond dissociation paths
- 30% ANI-1x<sup>3</sup> non-equilibrium geometries

M. Schreiner et al., Sci Data 2022, 9, 779
V.K. Prasad et al., Sci Data 2021, 8, 300
J.S. Smith et al., Sci Data 2020, 7, 134

#### **ML to Assist QM: Training SEQM to Reactive Data**



#### **Graph-based Electronic Structure Theory**

Non-overlapping cores Overlapping halos



### **Graph-based Electronic Structure Theory**

- Graph partitioning is adaptive: a new graph is constructed at each MD step or DM optimization step
- Overlap matrix or distances for initialization



Subgraphs are not isolated!

A full (non-local) Coulomb summation is performed when constructing Fock SubMatrices. Subgraphs "feel" each other.

But the eigenvalue problem is solved for a subgraph only.

## **Linear Scaling Electronic Structure Theory**



AMNN et al. *"Graph-based linear scaling electronic structure theory"*, J. Chem. Phys. 144, 234101 (2016)

## Density Matrix Optimization of Solvated Gramicidin S

Gramicidin S solvated in water 3605 atoms



(Built via PACKMOL)



CORE: 556 HALO: 218

7 subgraphs

**CORE: 443** 





CORE: 180 HALO: 46



CORE: 639 HALO: 188



CORE: 624 HALO: 178



#### CORE: 527 HALO: 203



## Density Matrix Optimization of solvated Gramicidin S



Intel(R) Xeon(R) Gold 5218R CPU @ 2.10GHz



3605 atoms



## - 10<sup>-1</sup> Matrix Element Value

10-3

- 10-5

- 10-11

- 10-9





## **Oxygen Reduction Reaction**



Fundamental cathode reaction in fuel cells/electrochemistry

Rae C. Grove et al. Unpublished



















#### **Graph-Based QMD: Oxygen Reduction Reaction** Non-locality is properly described in graph-based QMD



64K atoms Trp-cage + ammonium bicarbonate solution Partitioned in 2,048 subgraphs running on 32 CPU nodes



#### Distributed graph-based shadow QMD for reactive & charge sensitive systems (SCC-DFTB, dt = 0.5 fs)



**Negre, Wall, Niklasson**, J. Chem. Phys. 158, 074108 (2023), "Graph-based Quantum-response Theory and Shadow Born-Oppenheimer Molecular Dynamics"

## Summary

#### ✤ ML-based interatomic potentials:

- + Fast
- + Accurate (in the domain of training data chemical space)
- Ignore (usually) electronic structure (charge, multiplicity, non-local effects)
- Require a lot of training data

#### SEQM methods:

- + Retain electronic structure formalism (charge, multiplicity, non-local effects)
- ± Faster than *ab initio* but slower than ML
- Compromised accuracy

#### ✤ ML+SEQM:

- + Higher accuracy than just ML or SEQM
- + Require less training data than ML
- Training is more challenging than for pure ML (backpropagation through SCF loop)
  - Special data preparation techniques are needed, e.g. Active Learning

#### Graph-based QMD

+ Improves scalability of quantum methods

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