

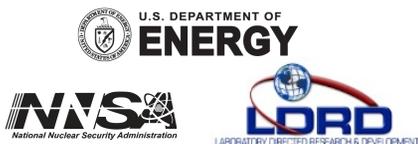
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Basic Output Post-Processing

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Post-Processing Requirements

- Lightweight → No fancy post-processing packages
- Extensible/Reusable → No obscure one-line commands
- General → No specialized LAMMPS commands
- Organized Workflow → Generate named files along the way

Possible Solutions

Microsoft Excel

- Widely used for other purposes
- Fast learning curve
- Easy things are easy
- Not easy to automate or extend
- Plotting included

Python

- Requires some programming knowledge
- LAMMPS provides some good support via Pizza.py
- Not as easy as Excel
- Easy to automate/extend
- Plotting not included

Pizza.py

Powerful, but not easy

Weird Shell Miniscripts

```
awk /Step/,/step/ log.lammps | grep -vi step | xmgrace -block -bxy 1:3
```

Example Problem: Lennard-Jones Melt

```
# 3d Lennard-Jones melt
variable          t index 0.0
variable          d index 0.8442
log              melt_t$t.log

units            lj
atom_style       atomic

lattice          fcc $d
region           box block 0 10 0 10 0 10
create_box       1 box
create_atoms     1 box
mass             1 1.0
velocity         all create $t 87287

pair_style       lj/cut 2.5
pair_coeff       1 1 1.0 1.0 2.5
neighbor        0.3 bin
neigh_modify     every 20 delay 0 check no

fix             1 all nve
thermo          10
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Example Problem: Lennard-Jones Melt

```
[athomps@s974522 melt]$ $LAMMPS/src/imp_mac_mpi -in in.melt -var t 3.0
```

```
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```

```
Memory usage per processor = 2.19271 Mbytes
```

Step	Temp	E_pair	E_mol	TotEng	Press
0	3	-6.7733681	0	-2.2744931	-3.7033504
10	2.1031859	-5.4317227	0	-2.2777326	2.4556252
20	1.6681241	-4.7867954	0	-2.2852348	5.6910177
30	1.6750435	-4.7955971	0	-2.2836601	5.6241836

```
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```

990	1.6444585	-4.7526932	0	-2.2866221	5.8339173
1000	1.6547203	-4.7681016	0	-2.2866417	5.7734588

```
Loop time of 2.36568 on 1 procs for 1000 steps with 4000 atoms
```

```
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```

Example Problem: Lennard-Jones Melt

```
[athomps@s97 melt]$ Imp_mac_mpi -in in.melt -var t 0.5 -screen none
[athomps@s97 melt]$ Imp_mac_mpi -in in.melt -var t 1.0 -screen none
[athomps@s97 melt]$ Imp_mac_mpi -in in.melt -var t 2.0 -screen none
[athomps@s97 melt]$ Imp_mac_mpi -in in.melt -var t 3.0 -screen none
[athomps@s97 melt]$ ls -l *.log
melt_t0.5.log
melt_t1.0.log
melt_t2.0.log
melt_t3.0.log
```

Objectives

1. Check that simulation is equilibrated
2. Estimate equilibrium temperature and potential energy
3. Estimate uncertainty in these estimates
4. Create nice graph of E_{pot} versus Temp, with error bars

Microsoft Excel Spreadsheet

- Each log file can be opened using “File/Open” or “Command-O”
- In Import Wizard, select Delimited, Tab and Space Delimiters
- Drag the sheet tab to the current workbook
- Sheet will have same name as log file

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel window titled 'melt.xlsx'. The spreadsheet contains data from multiple log files, with columns labeled B through G. The data is organized into rows, with the first row (32) acting as a header for the subsequent rows. The 'melt_t3.0.log' sheet tab is highlighted with a red circle.

	B	C	D	E	F	G
32	master	list	distance	cutoff	=	2.8
33	ghost	atom	cutoff	=	2.8	
34	usage	per	processor	=	2.19271	Mbytes
35	Step	Temp	E_pair	E_mol	TotEng	Press
36	0	3	-6.7733681		0	-2.2744931 -3.7033504
37	10	2.1031859	-5.4317227		0	-2.2777326 2.4556252
38	20	1.6681241	-4.7867954		0	-2.2852348 5.6910177
39	30	1.6757435	-4.7955771		0	-2.2836601 5.6241836

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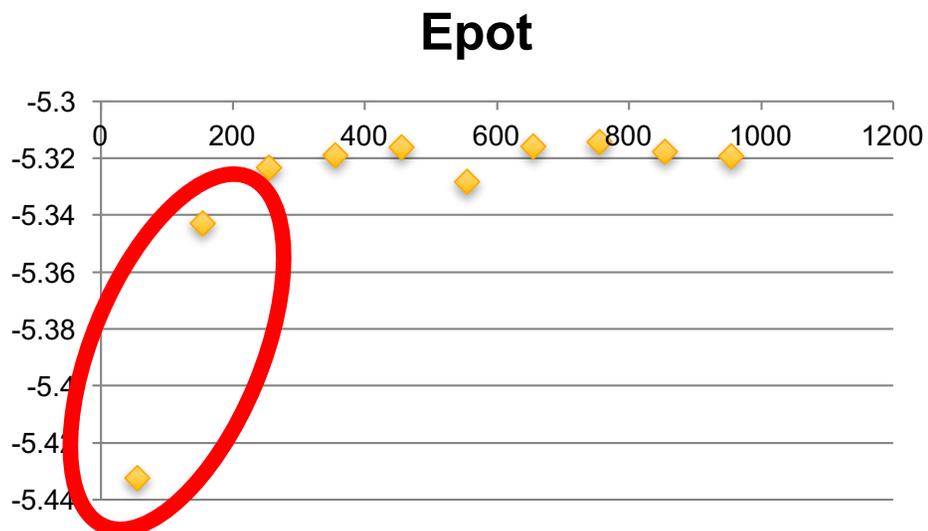
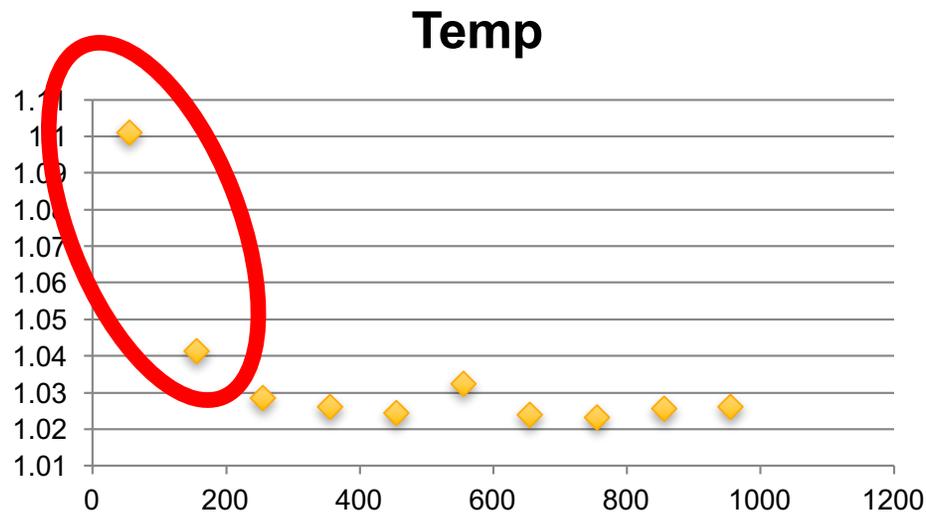
- Fairly easy to add formulas for block averages

The screenshot shows an Excel spreadsheet with a formula bar containing `=AVERAGE(C37:C46)`, which is circled in red. The spreadsheet contains a data table with the following columns: Step, Temp, E_pair, E_mol, TotEng, Press, and Block Averages (Step, Temp, Epot). The data is as follows:

Step	Temp	E_pair	E_mol	TotEng	Press	Block Averages Step	Block Averages Temp	Block Averages Epot
0	3	-6.7733681	0	-2.2744931	-3.7033504			
10	2.1031859	-5.4317227	0	-2.2777326	2.4556252			
20	1.6681241	-4.7867954	0	-2.2852348	5.6910177			
30	1.6750435	-4.7955971	0	-2.2836601	5.6241836			
40	1.6688388	-4.7857441	0	-2.2831117	5.6762672			
50	1.6758903	-4.7955425	0	-2.2823355	5.670064			
60	1.6739169	-4.7923637	0	-2.282116	5.6758801			
70	1.6595381	-4.770298	0	-2.2816131	5.7542705			
80	1.6573416	-4.7665176	0	-2.2811267	5.7779005			
90	1.6489282	-4.7533658	0	-2.2805918	5.8271947			
100	1.6458363	-4.7492704	0	-2.2811332	5.8691042	55	1.70766437	-4.8427217
110	1.6494282	-4.7548249	0	-2.281301	5.8521418			
120	1.6426119	-4.7448371	0	-2.2815353	5.8880227			
130	1.650265	-4.7558559	0	-2.2810772	5.8559175			
140	1.6385255	-4.7379068	0	-2.2807331	5.9352185			
150	1.6324555	-4.7286791	0	-2.280608	5.9589514			
160	1.62148	-4.7121888	0	-2.2805768	6.0065259			
170	1.6493867	-4.7541473	0	-2.2806858	5.8495206			
180	1.6468032	-4.7501978	0	-2.2806105	5.851225			
190	1.6466982	-4.750453	0	-2.2810233	5.8260387			
200	1.6630725	-4.7750988	0	-2.2811136	5.7364886	155	1.64407267	-4.746419
210	1.6534463	-4.7606776	0	-2.2811282	5.8177223			
220	1.6539824	-4.762297	0	-2.2819436	5.8254048			
230	1.6547093	-4.7634485	0	-2.2820051	5.8192995			

Microsoft Excel Spreadsheet

- Plot the block averages
- Decide how many blocks to throw away (2)



Microsoft Excel Spreadsheet

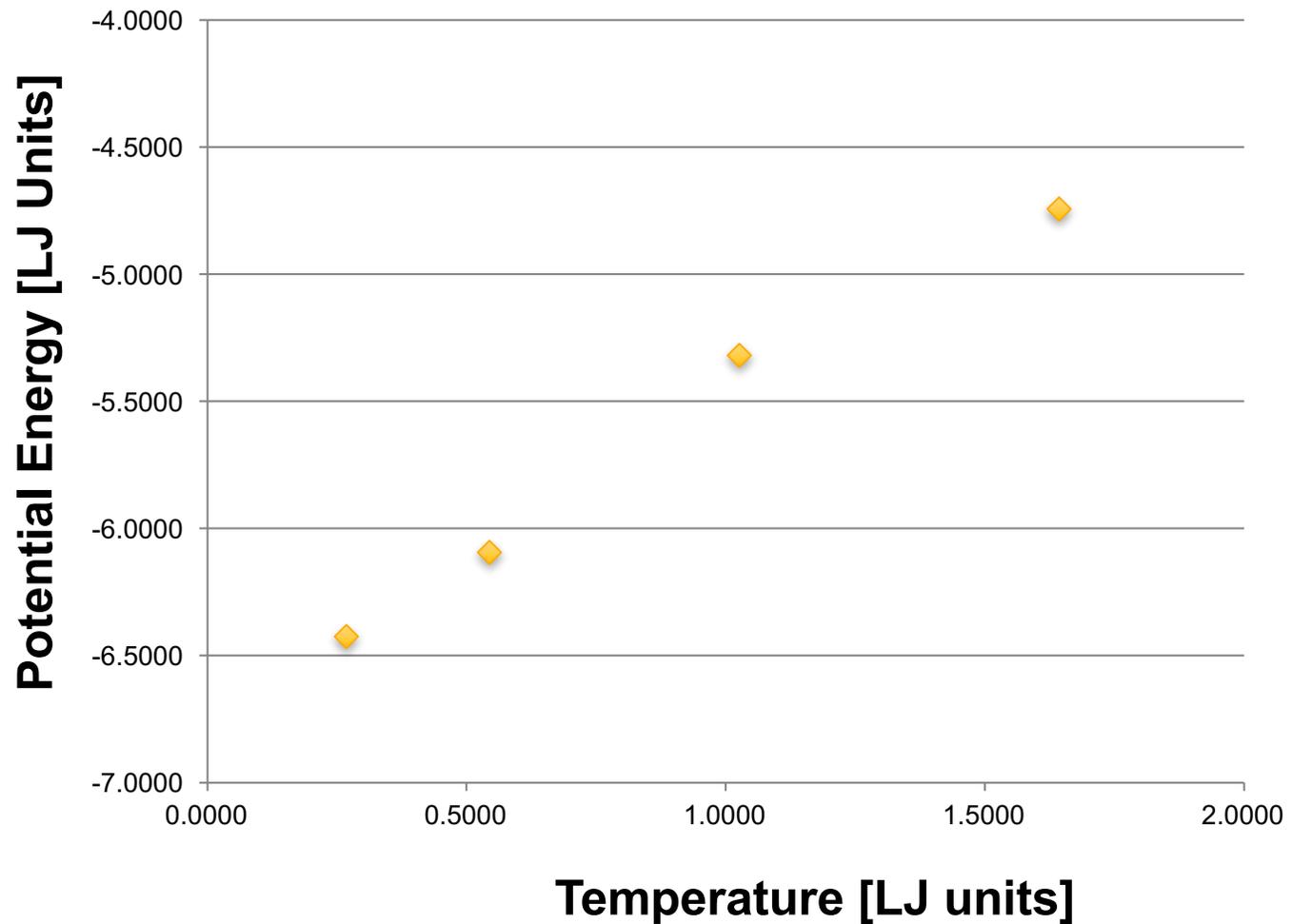
- Calculate average over equilibrated blocks
- Calculate standard error = $\text{StDev}/\text{Sqrt}(N)$

The screenshot shows an Excel spreadsheet with the following data and summary statistics:

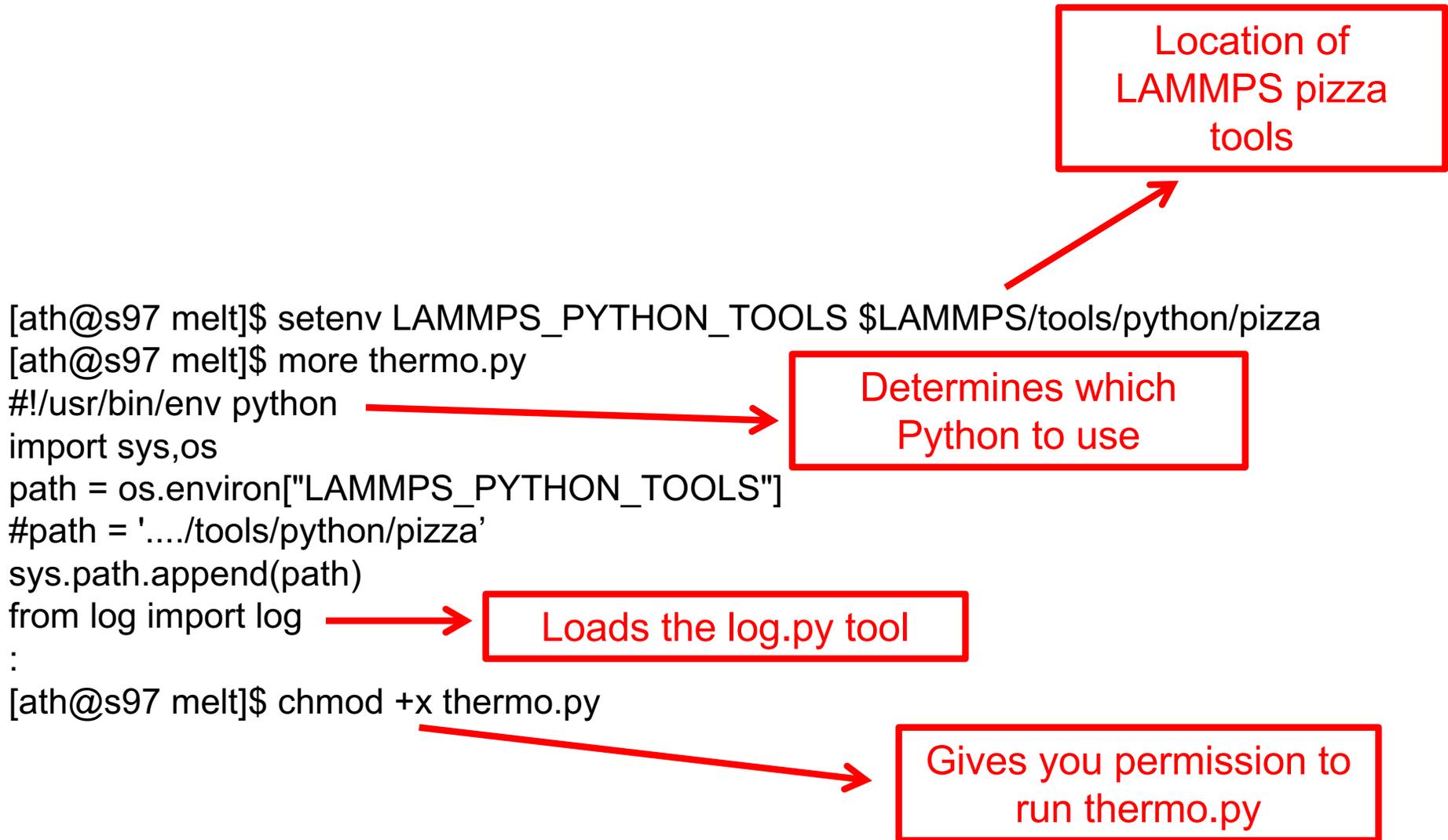
	F	G	H	I	J	K
118	-3.7798813	2.6940485				
119	-3.7798832	2.6959339				
120	-3.7795793	2.7689679				
121	-3.7797644	2.8795737				
122	-3.7800075	2.6467427				
123	-3.7801971	2.6902863				
124	-3.7798871	2.7498992				
125	-3.7803988	2.6238342				
126	-3.7800765	2.788273	855	1.02552411	-5.317833	
127	-3.7801714	2.6905539				
128	-3.7802809	2.6631628				
129	-3.7803566	2.7434845				
130	-3.7809435	2.7163056				
131	-3.7808264	2.7061833				
132	-3.7809217	2.6585106				
133	-3.7806033	2.6647283				
134	-3.7812662	2.5865285				
135	-3.7809801	2.6677422				
136	-3.7806178	2.7643187	955	1.02604573	-5.3193807	
137	1 procs					
138			Equilibrated Averages			
139	-84.705			Temp	Epot	
140	-12.1021		Average	1.0262	-5.3193	
141	-1.32308		StDev	0.0030	0.0046	
142	-0.0974444		Count	8.0000	8.0000	
143	-1.77231		StdErr	0.0011	0.0016	
144						

Microsoft Excel Spreadsheet

- Plot T vs. E



Python Scripting



Python Scripting

```
[ath@s97 melt]$ more thermo.py
#!/usr/bin/env python
from log import log
from glob import glob
from math import sqrt

def onelog(filename):
    l = log(filename)
    print filename
    list = l.get("E_pair")
    nequil = 2
    nblock = 10

    sumav = 0.0
    sumavsq = 0.0
    nsumav = 0
    n = 0
    sum = 0.0
```

```
for val in list:
    sum += val
    n += 1
    if (n % nblock == 0):
        av = sum/nblock
        if (n > nequil):
            sumav += av
            sumavsq += av*av
            nsumav += 1
        print n,av
        sum = 0.0

    av = sumav/nsumav
    var = sumavsq/nsumav - av*av
    stdev = sqrt(var/nsumav)
    print "Average potential energy " \
          "(LJ Units) = %g +/- %g from " \
          "last %d blocks" \
          % (av,stdev,nsumav)
```

```
files = glob('melt_t*.log')
for file in files:
    onelog(file)
```

Python Script

```
[ath@s97 melt]$ thermo.py
```

```
1000
```

```
read 101 log entries
```

```
melt_t0.5.log
```

```
10 -6.44181068
```

```
20 -6.42596615
```

```
:
```

```
1000
```

```
read 101 log entries
```

```
melt_t3.0.log
```

```
10 -5.0451315
```

```
20 -4.74383611
```

```
30 -4.75156147
```

```
40 -4.74670976
```

```
50 -4.74370168
```

```
60 -4.74488213
```

```
70 -4.74370246
```

```
80 -4.74835012
```

```
90 -4.74458378
```

```
100 -4.73887062
```

```
Average potential energy (LJ Units) = -4.7453 +/- 0.00123508 from last 8 blocks
```

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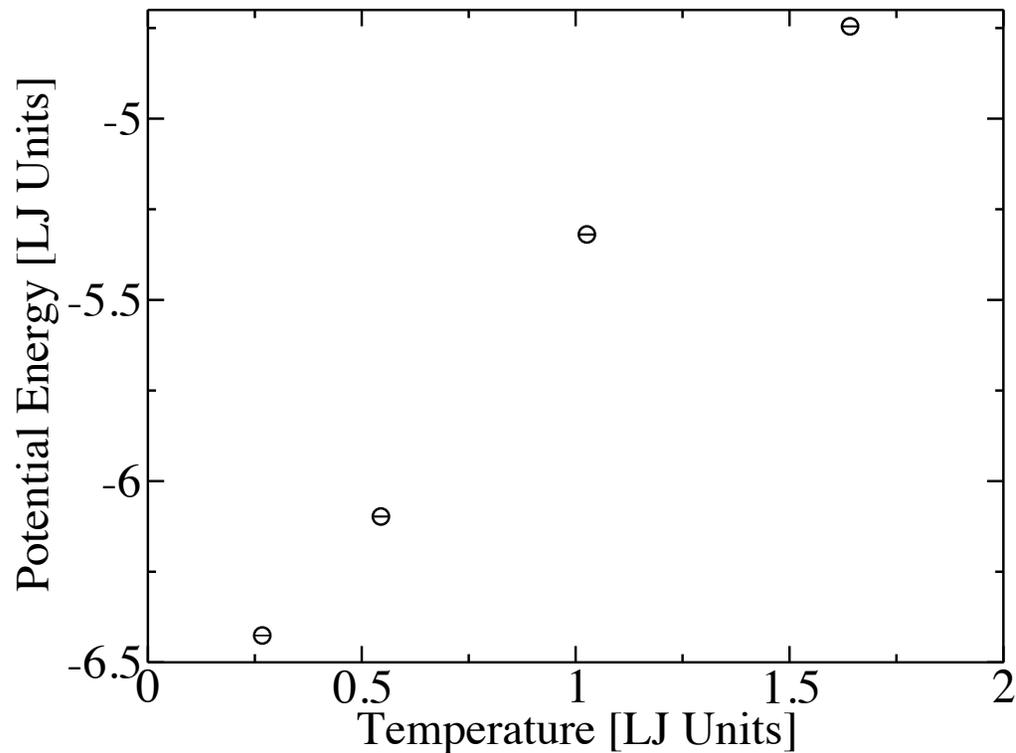
```
[athomps@s974522 melt]$ thermo.py | grep Average
```

```
Average potential energy (LJ Units) = -6.4259 +/- 0.000220776 from last 8 blocks
```

```
Average potential energy (LJ Units) = -6.09779 +/- 0.00118196 from last 8 blocks
```

```
Average potential energy (LJ Units) = -5.31951 +/- 0.00146715 from last 8 blocks
```

```
Average potential energy (LJ Units) = -4.7453 +/- 0.00123508 from last 8 block
```



Comparison of Final Results

