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High Value from High Throughput: Harness the Power of LAMMPS with MedeA[®]

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MedeA[®] Software Environment





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▶ Engines

- VASP, GIBBS, LAMMPS, GAUSSIAN, MOPAC

▶ Databases

- ICSD, Pauling, Pearson's, NIST, COD, InfoMaticA Query Engine, MPDS

▶ Builders

- Crystals, nanoparticles, amorphous materials, interfaces, molecules, polymers, conformers, thermosets, docking

▶ Force Fields (potentials)

- Forcefields bundle, Forcefield Optimizer

▶ Property Modules

- MT, TSS, Phonon, Electronics, UNCLE, LAMMPS (Diffusion, Thermal Conductivity, Viscosity, CED, Surface Tension), P3C,

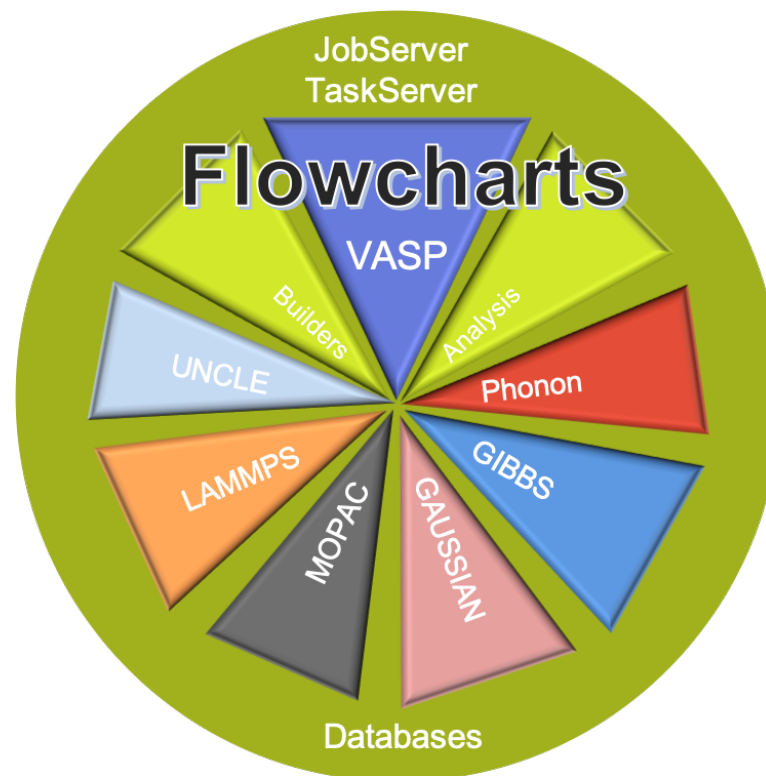
▶ High Throughput

- HT-Launchpad, HT-Descriptors, HT-Correlation

▶ Analysis

- Broad range of analysis tools

▶ JobServer & TaskServer





Potentials in MedeA

▶ Metallic forcefields:

- EAM
 - All LAMMPS eam, eam/fs, and eam/alloy variants
- MEAM

▶ Inorganic forcefields:

- Buckingham
- BKS
- Clay-FF
- CVFF_aug

▶ Semiconductor forcefields:

- Tersoff
- Stillinger-Weber
- REBO

▶ Organic (valence) forcefields:

- PCFF/PCFF+*
- Compass/Compass+
- OPLS-AA/OPLS-AA+*
- AUA/AUA+*
- Trappe+*

▶ Variable charge forcefields

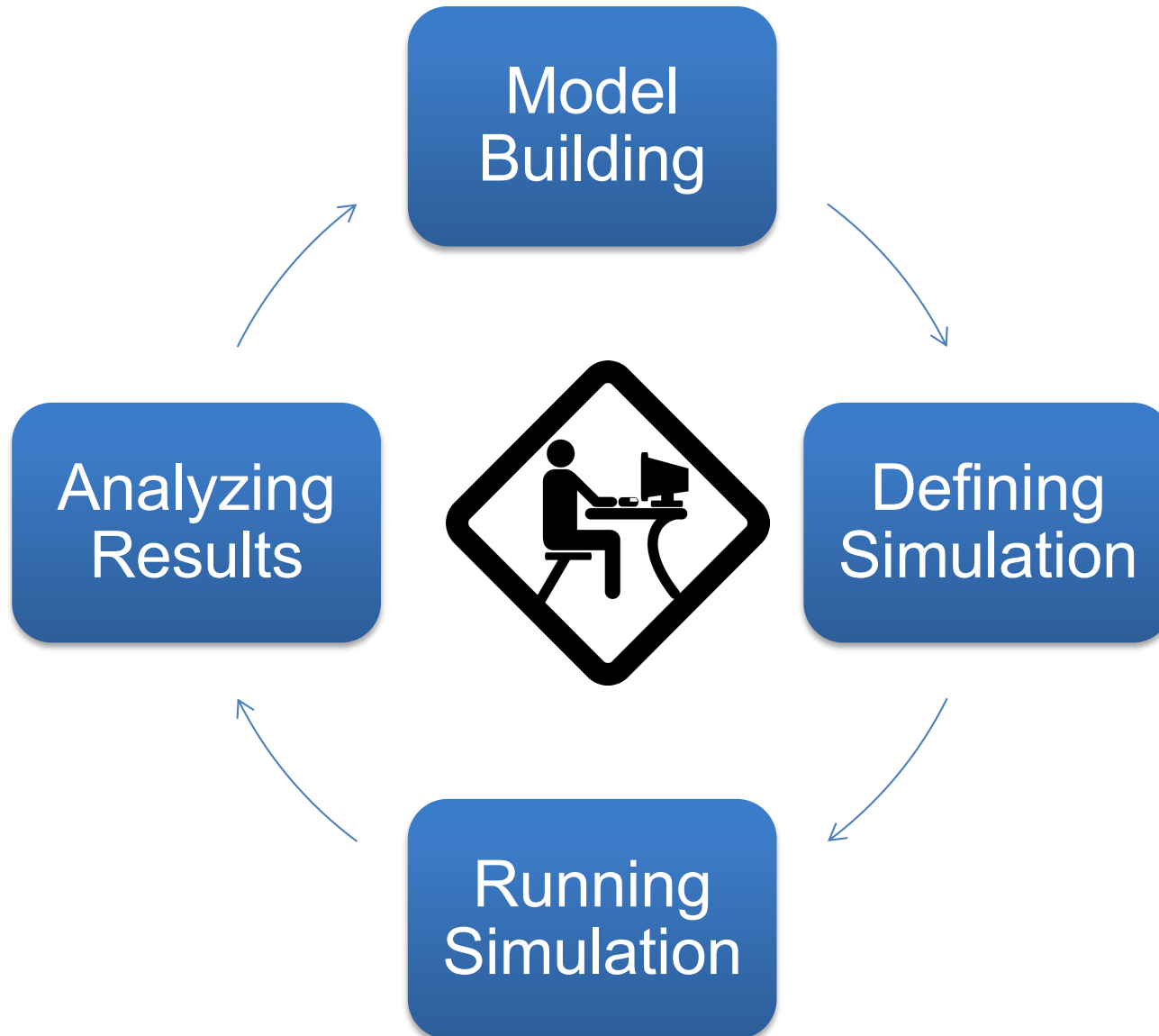
- Streitz-Mintmire
- COMB3
- ReaxFF

▶ All other potentials in LAMMPS can be invoked via some additional lines of LAMMPS commands

* Also available in MedeA®-GIBBS

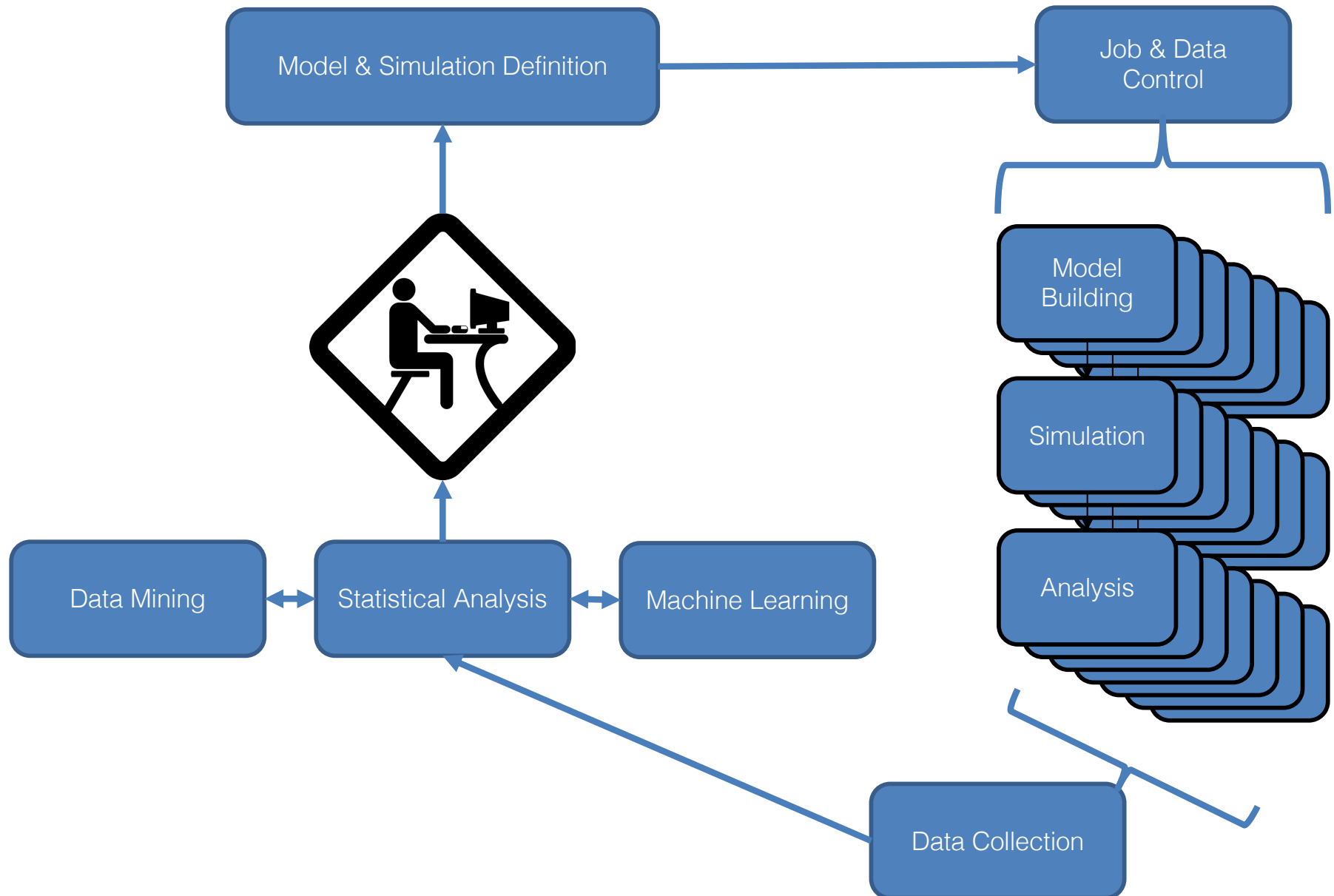


Current Approach...





... Going to High-Throughput



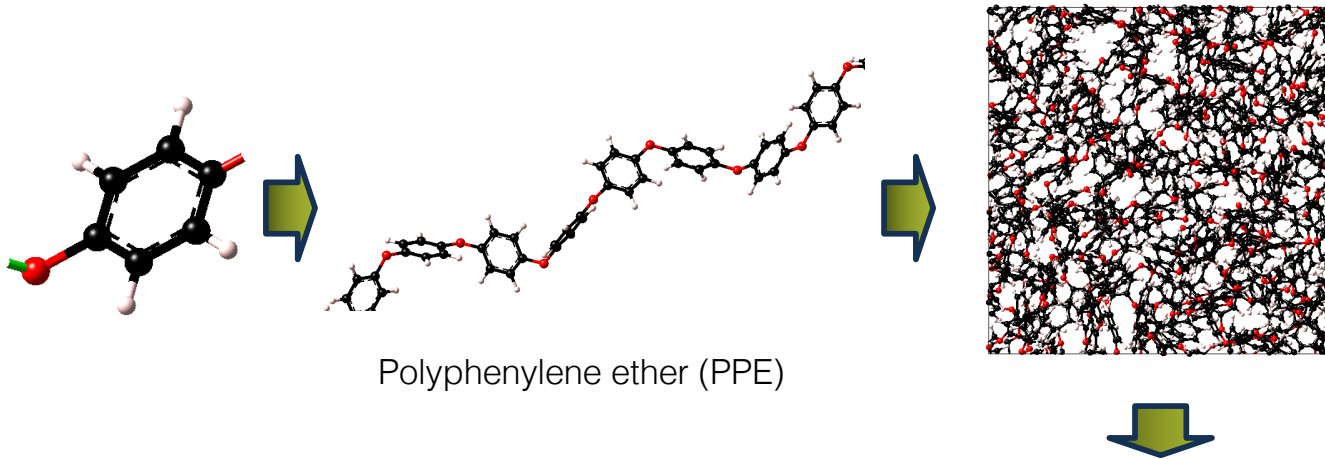


Warmup:
 T_g of PPE



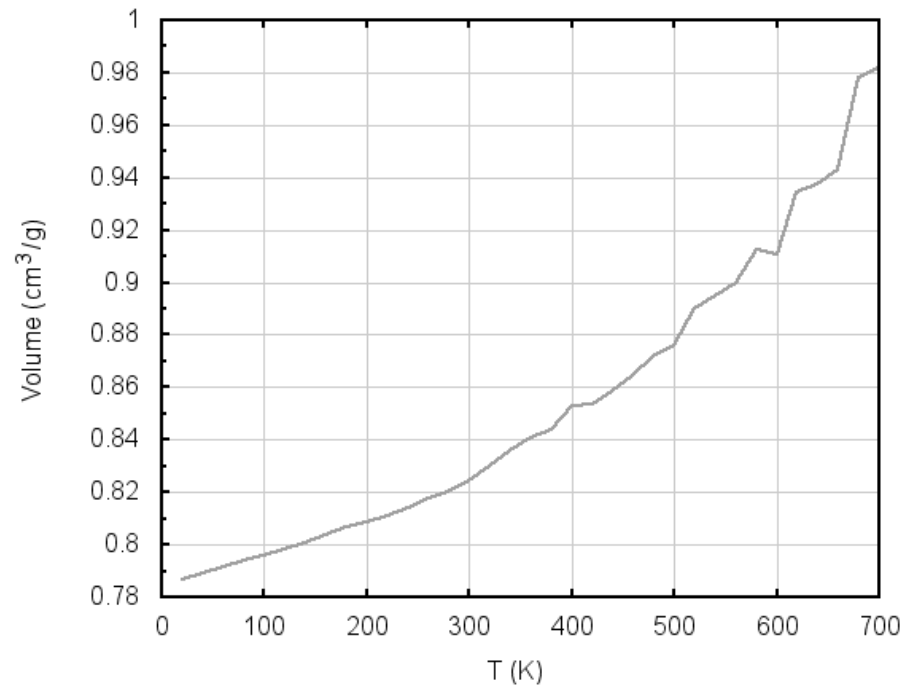


Glass Transition T_g of a Polymer



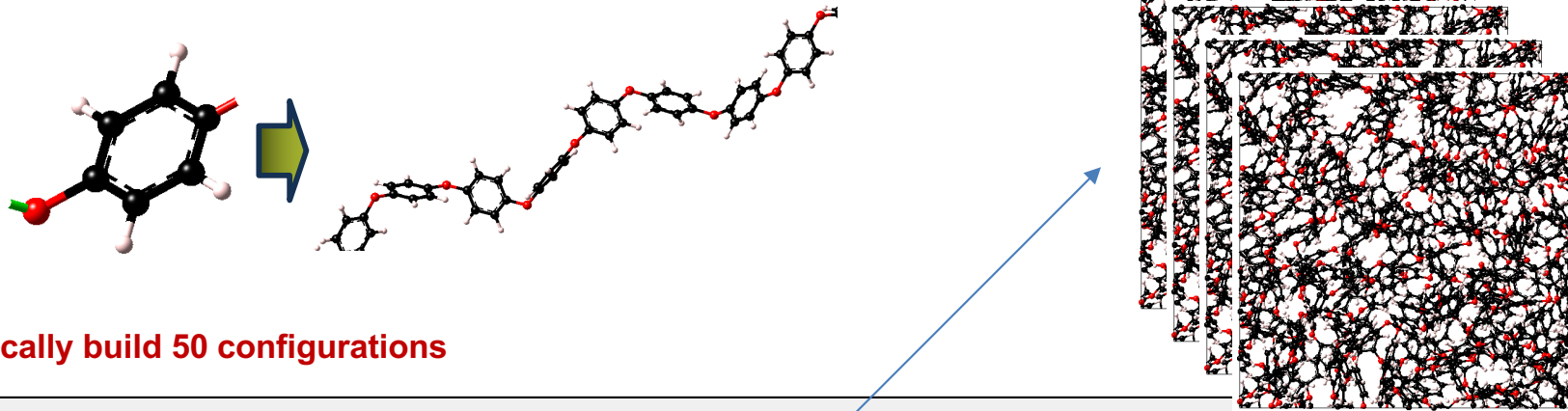
Polyphenylene ether (PPE)

Volume vs Temperature Analysis

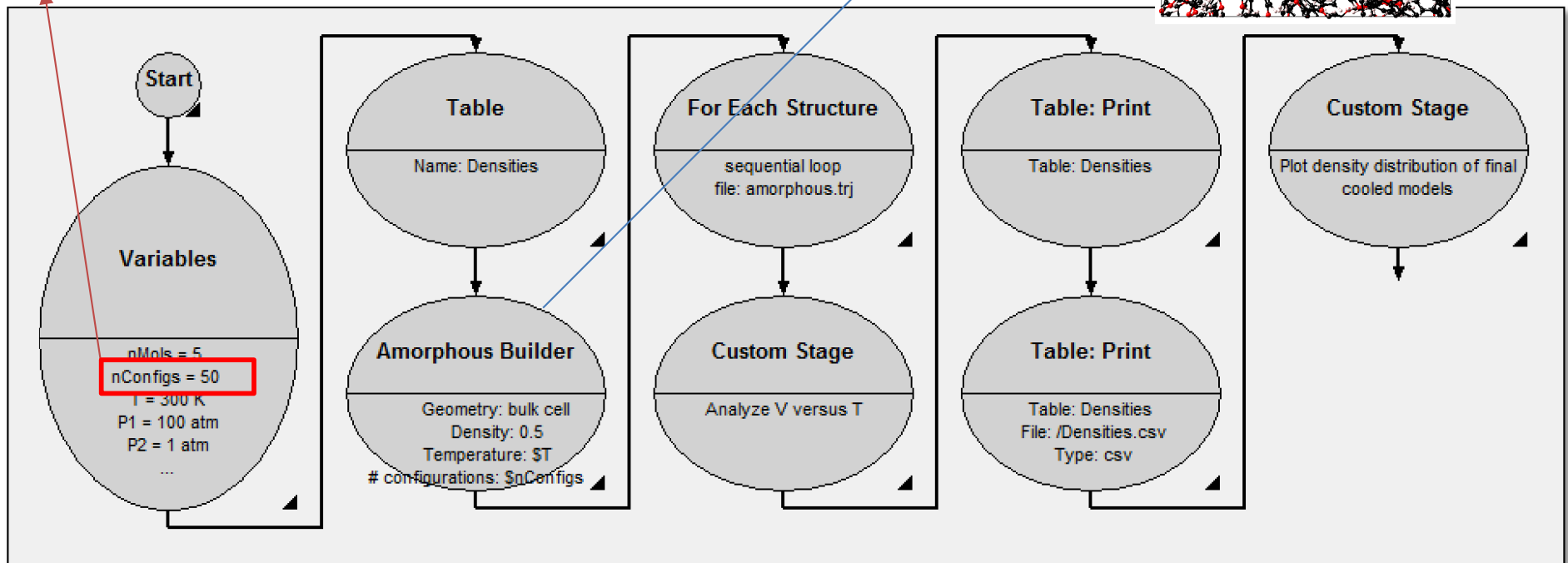


Where is the T_g ?

Amorphous System V vs T

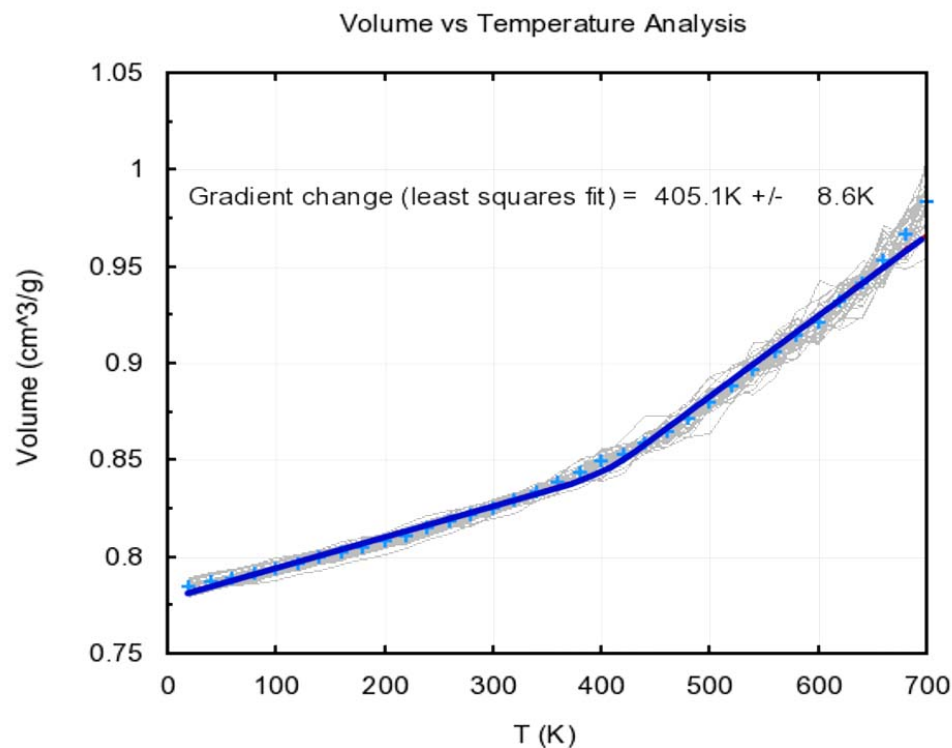


Automatically build 50 configurations



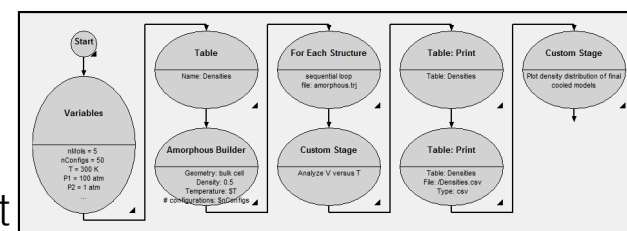



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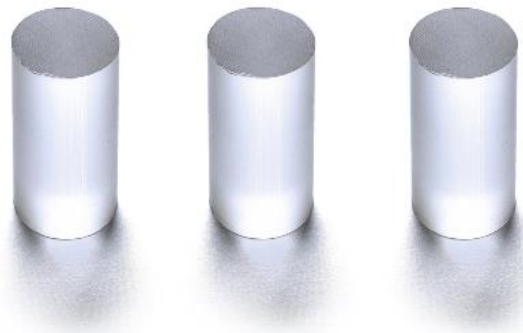
Value of high throughput calculations:
► Clear signal from noisy simulation data

- Variability in individual V vs. T curves (gray lines)
- Fit yields properties for the simulated system
- Automatic procedure: single high throughput flowchart





High-throughput Sampling: Mechanical properties of a high performance thermoset resin





Building a Monomer

- Use the SMILES string

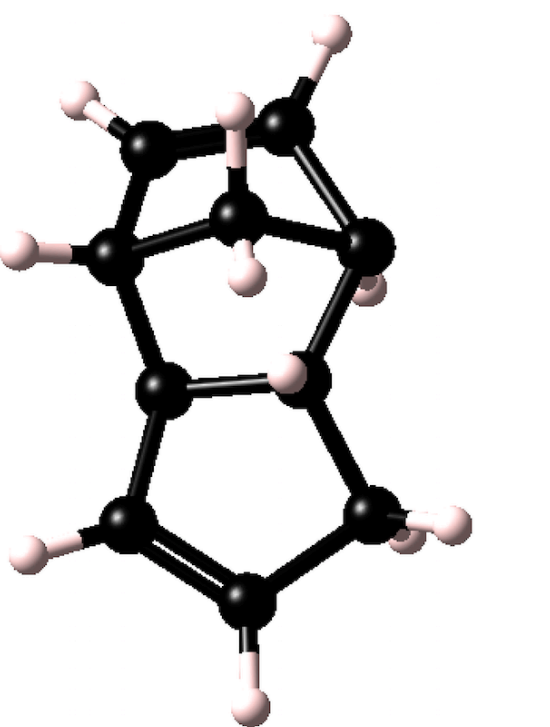
MedeA: provide a SMILES

Create a new molecule provided its SMILES string (Simplified Molecular Input Line Entry Specification)

Title:

SMILES:

OK Cancel



Insertion | References | Cell | Charge/Spin | P3C | QSPR

H																	He
Li	Be											B	C	N	O	F	Ne
Na	Mg											Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Cd	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr
Rb	Sr	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xe
Cs	Ba	La	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn
Fr	Ra	Ac	Rf	Db	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt									
Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu				
Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr				

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5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

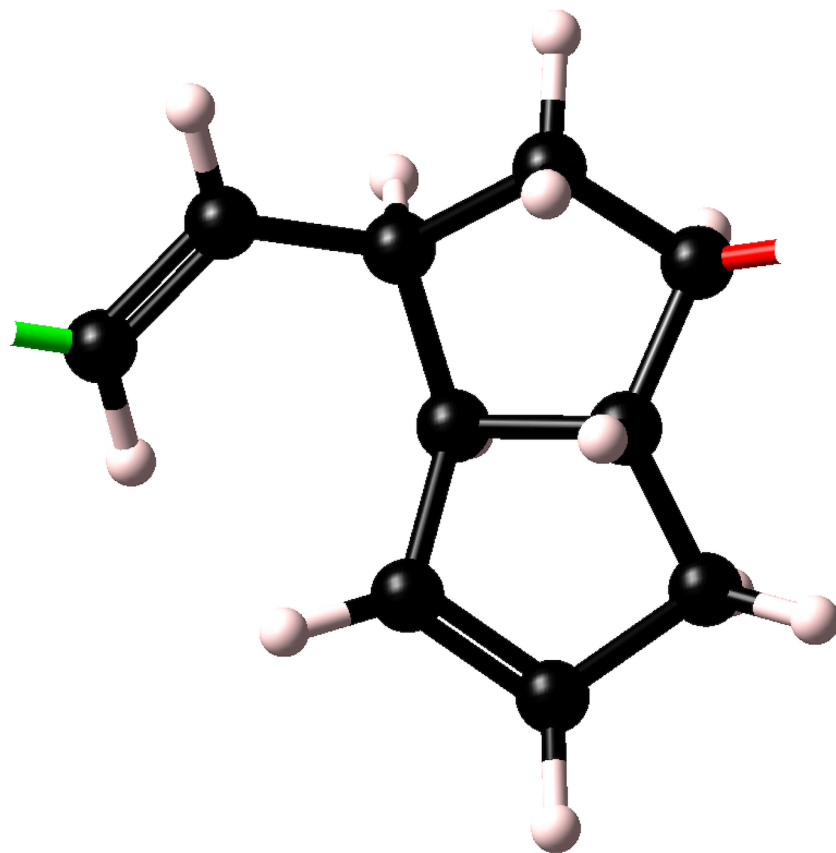
Fragments User fragments Hydrogenate Passivate

Clean Clean selection



Modifying into a Repeat Unit

- ▶ Edit into a repeat unit with the **Molecular Builder**
 - Break bond, delete H atoms, then define a repeat unit

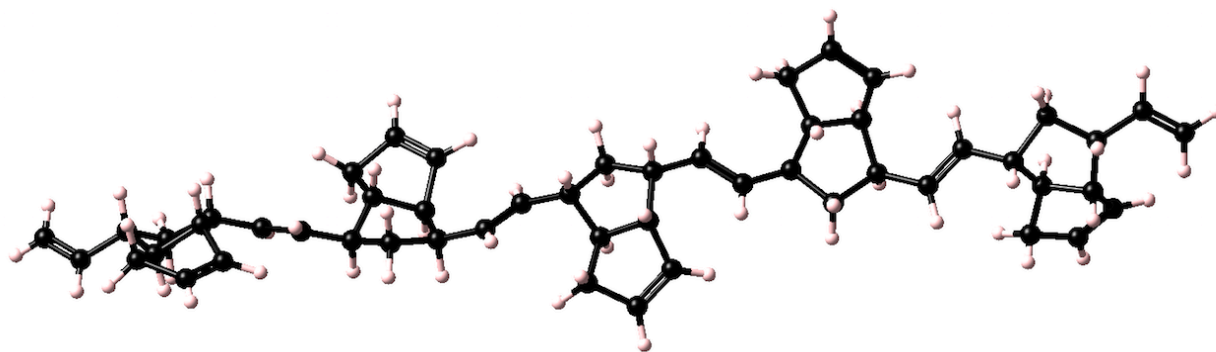
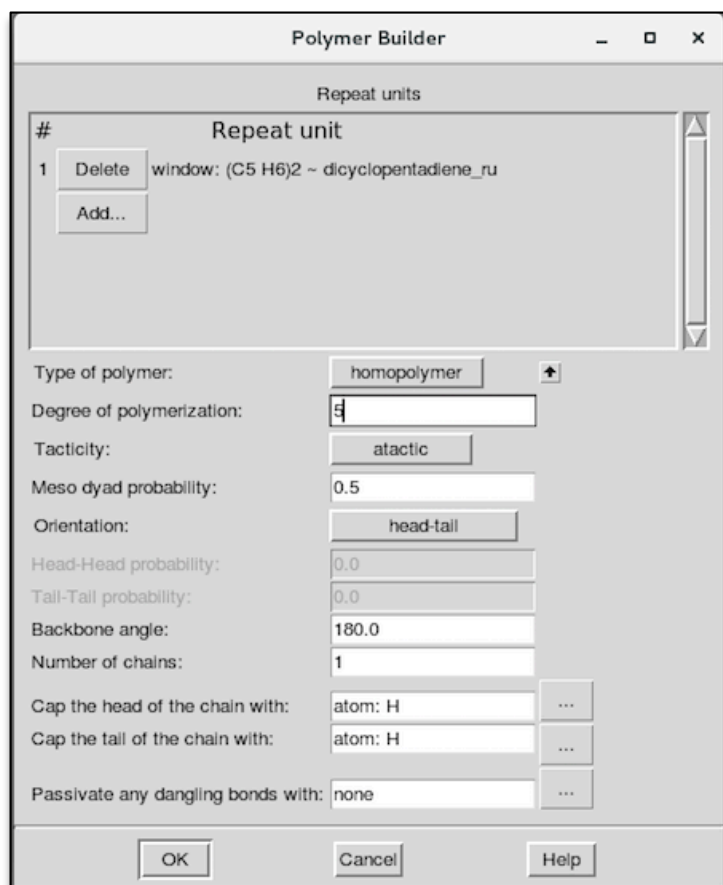




Turning into a Polymer

► Build with Medea **Polymer Builder**

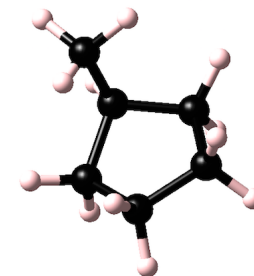
- DP = 5 in this example





Building Initial Amorphous Material

- ▶ Use MedeA **Amorphous Materials** Builder
 - Combine poly(dicyclopentadiene) with cross-linkers



Amorphous Builder

Components

#	Component	Type	Nmols	Relax
1	Delete window: * (C H2)6 (P1) - methylcyclopentane_XLINK4	Automatic	10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	Delete window: (C23 H28)4 - poly(dicyclopentadiene_ru)	Automatic	20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Add...

System geometry:

Specify cell:

Density:

Cell details:

Density: 0.3000 a: 51.8614 b: 51.8614 c: 51.8614

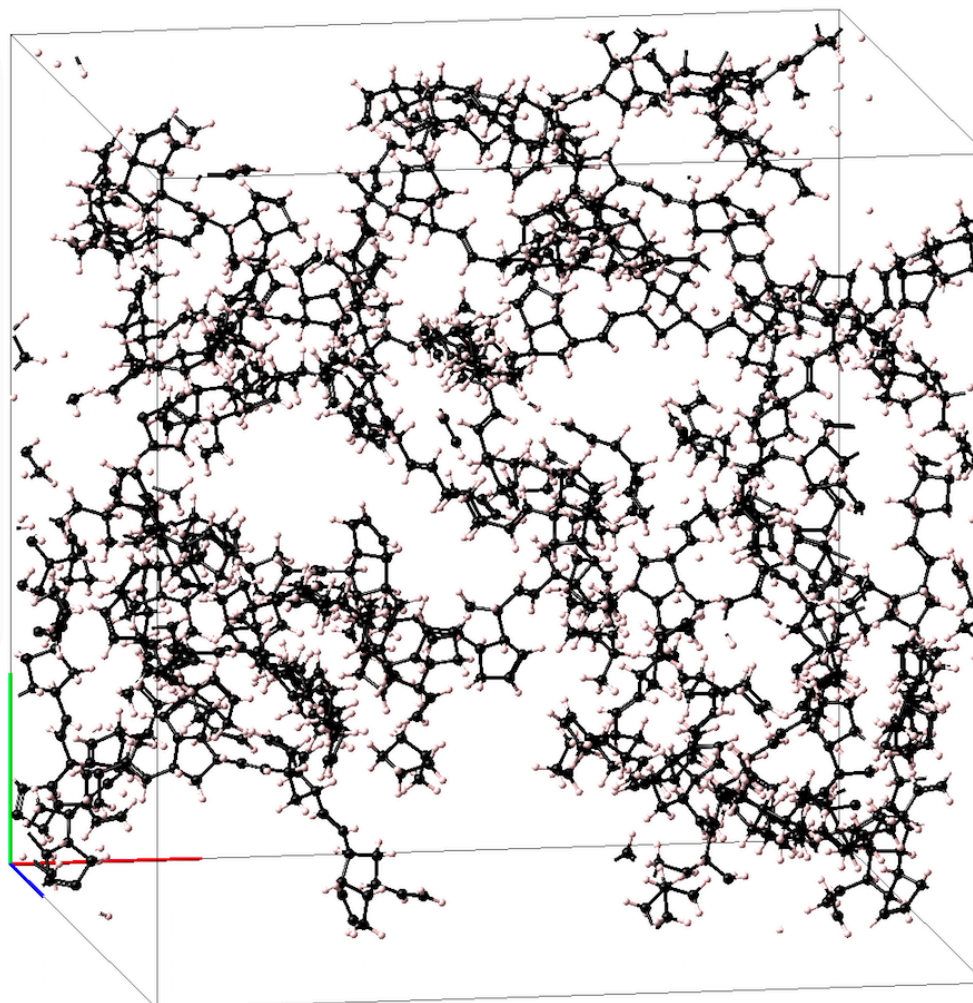
Temperature:

Coordinate bias:

Orientation bias:

Action:

Number of configurations:

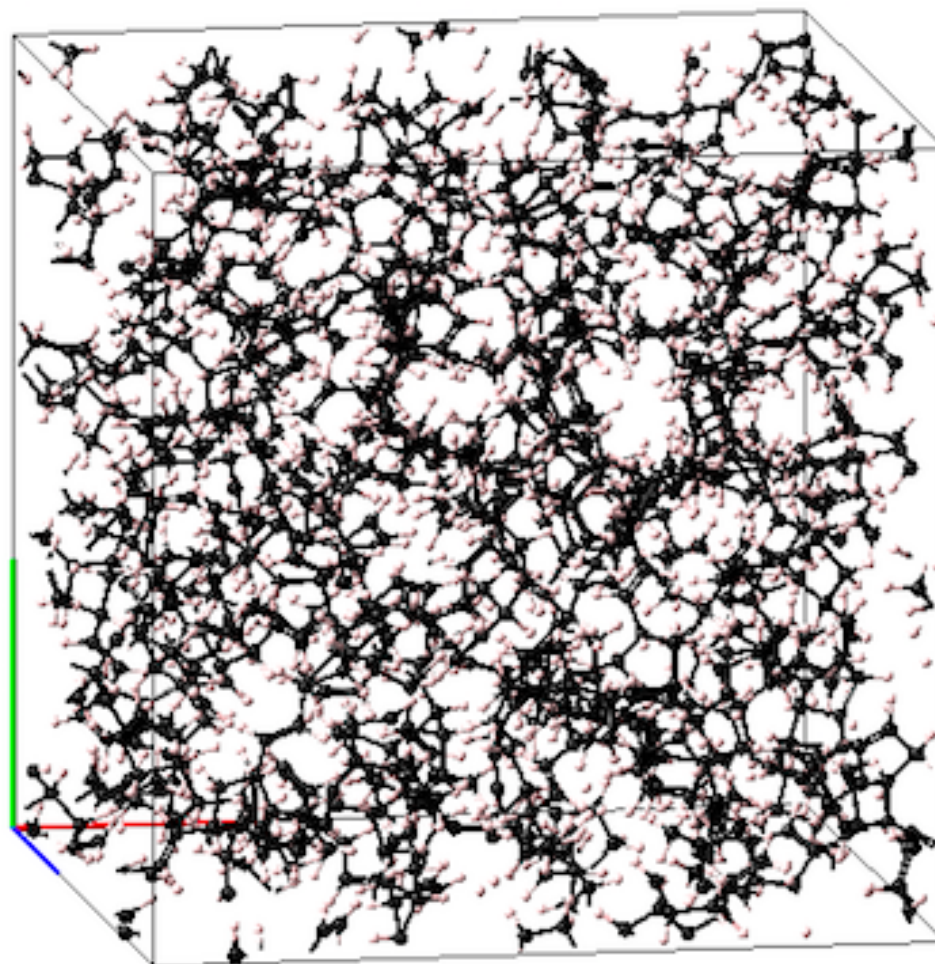
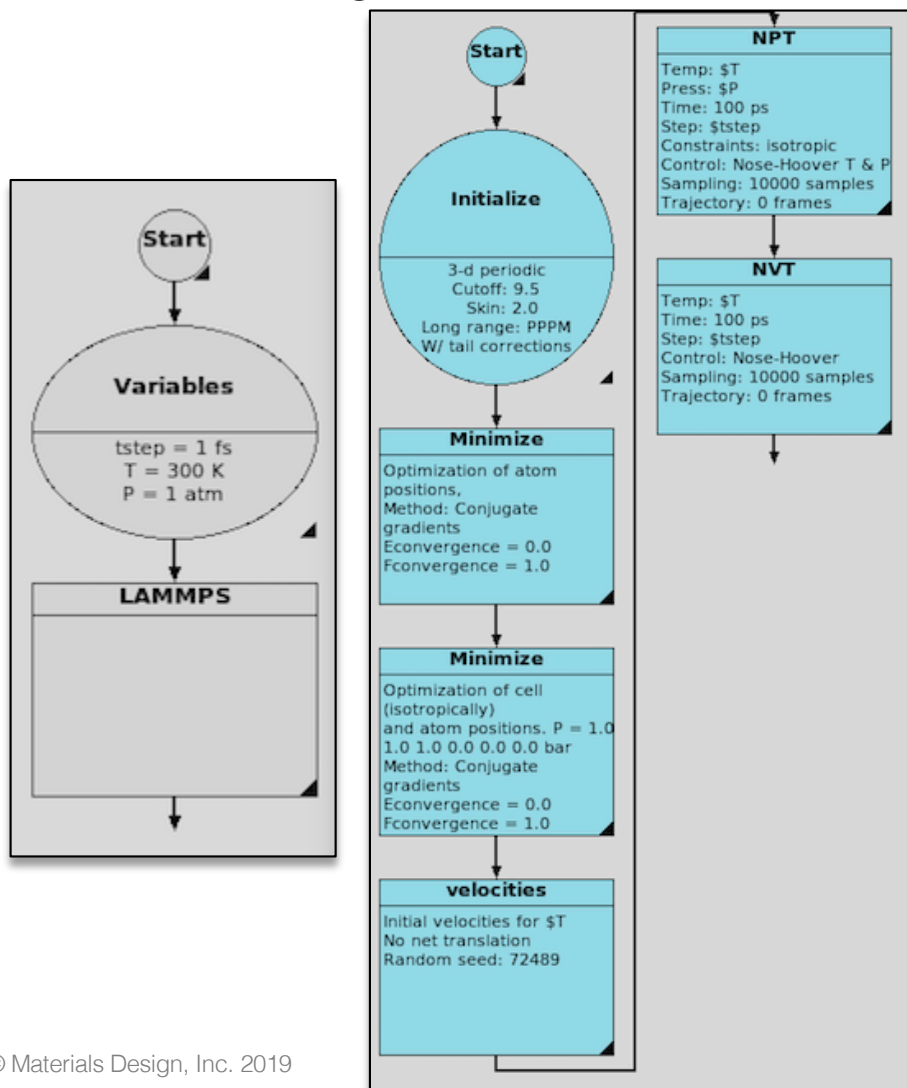


Initial density: 0.3 g/cc



Equilibrating the Amorphous Material

- ▶ With MedeA LAMMPS using **PCFF+** forcefield
 - Design simulation workflow with Flowchart

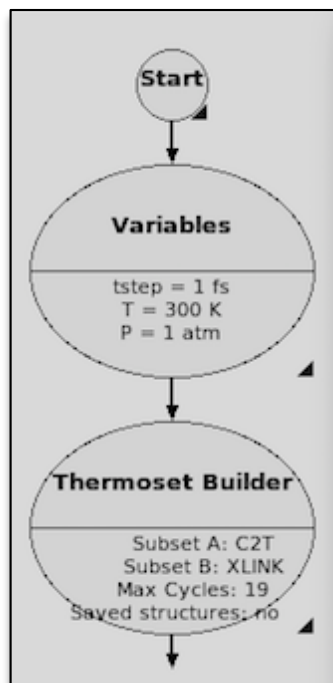


Equilibrium density at 300K: 0.963 g/cc



Creating Cross-links

► With Medea **Thermoset Builder**



Edit Thermoset Builder stage 1

Number of crosslink site types: 2

Site A subset: C2T

Site A max reactions: 1

Site B subset: XLINK

Site B max reactions: 2

Site B substitution effect prob: 1.0

Allowed reactions:

- siteA-siteB
- siteA-siteA
- siteB-siteB

Fixed atoms: None

Beginning capture radius: 6.0

Capture radius increment: 0.5

Relaxation conditions: NVT

Relaxation iterations (per cycle): 3

Maximum extent of reaction: 1.0

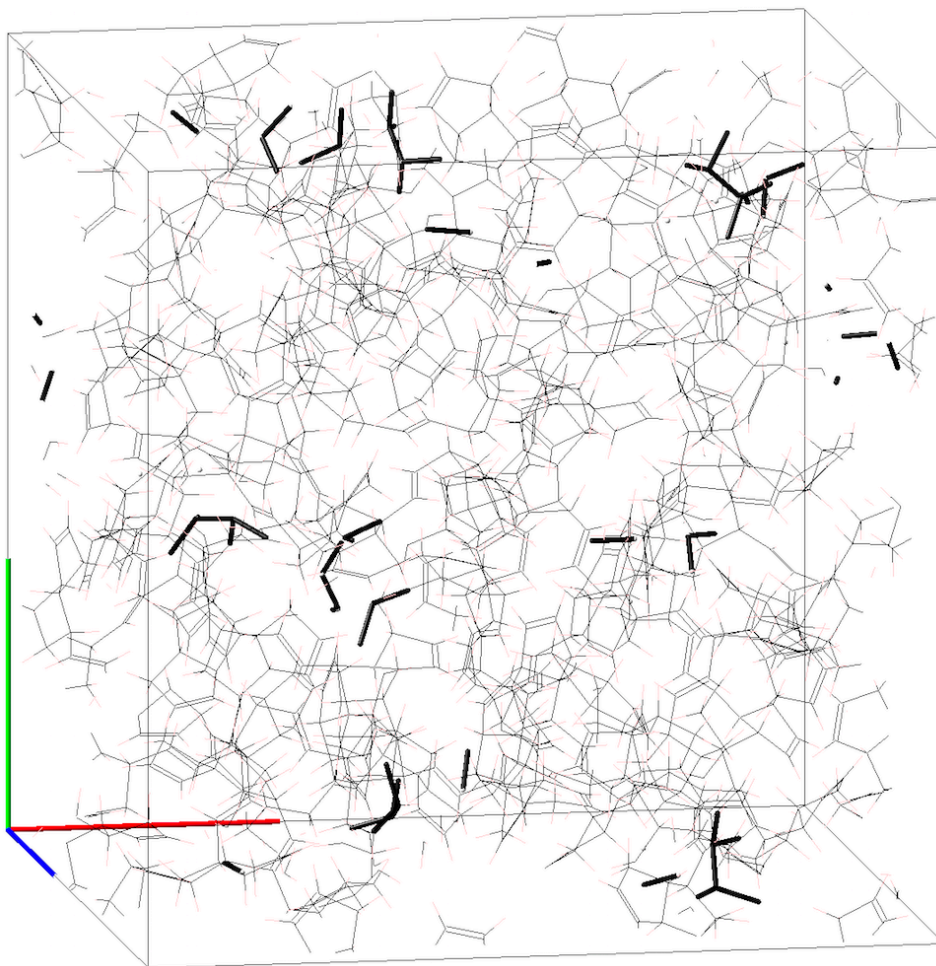
Maximum capture radius: 40.0

Maximum acceptable bond strain: 0.15

Maximum crosslinking cycles: 19

- Stop at gelation
- Reset FF atom types
- Write structure after each cycle
- Control intramolecular ring formation

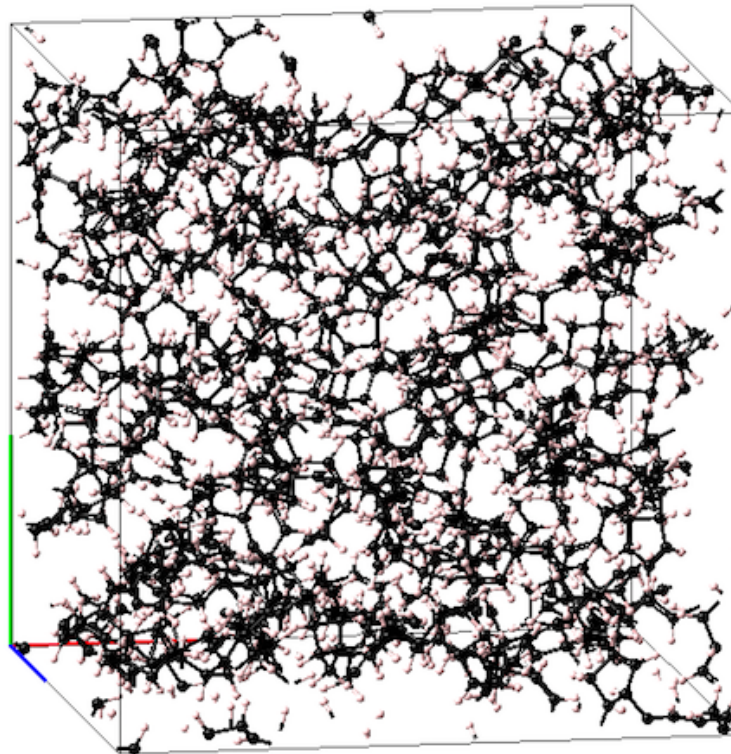
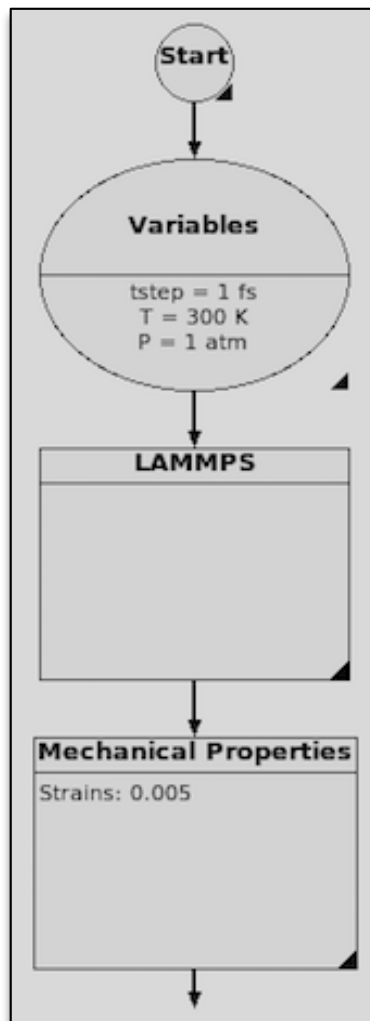
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Predicting Mechanical Properties

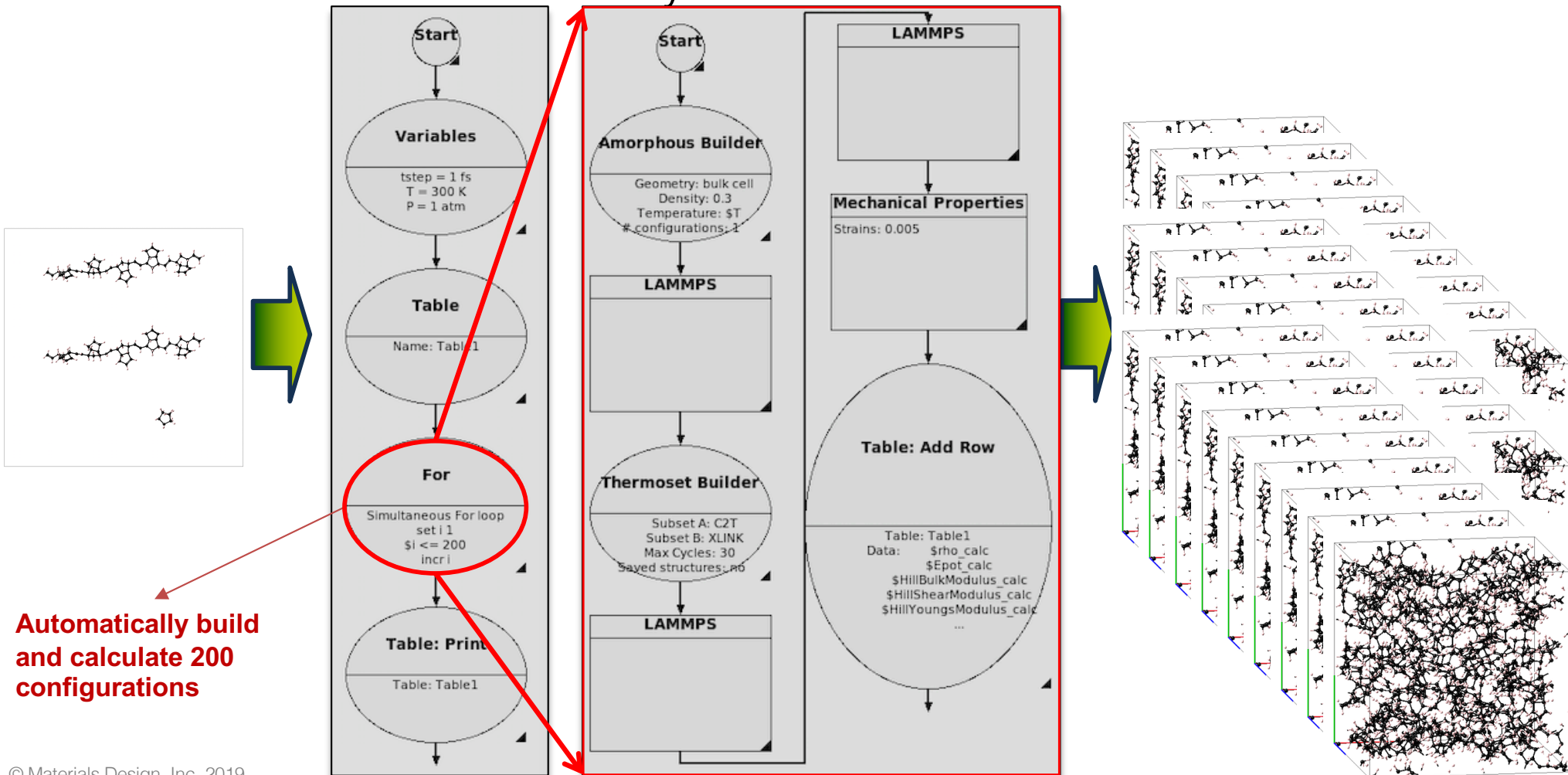
- ▶ Final equilibration and calculate mechanical properties
 - Includes elastic constants, modulus, and thermodynamic functions



	Modulus	Voigt	Reuss	Hill
Bulk		2.13	1.99	2.06 GPa
Shear		1.20	1.02	1.11 GPa
Young's		3.03	2.61	2.82 GPa
Longitudinal		3.73	3.35	3.54 GPa

High-Throughput Sampling

- ▶ Use Medea **High-Throughput Flowchart** to turn 1 initial configuration to hundreds of samples and perform property calculations automatically





High-Throughput Sampling

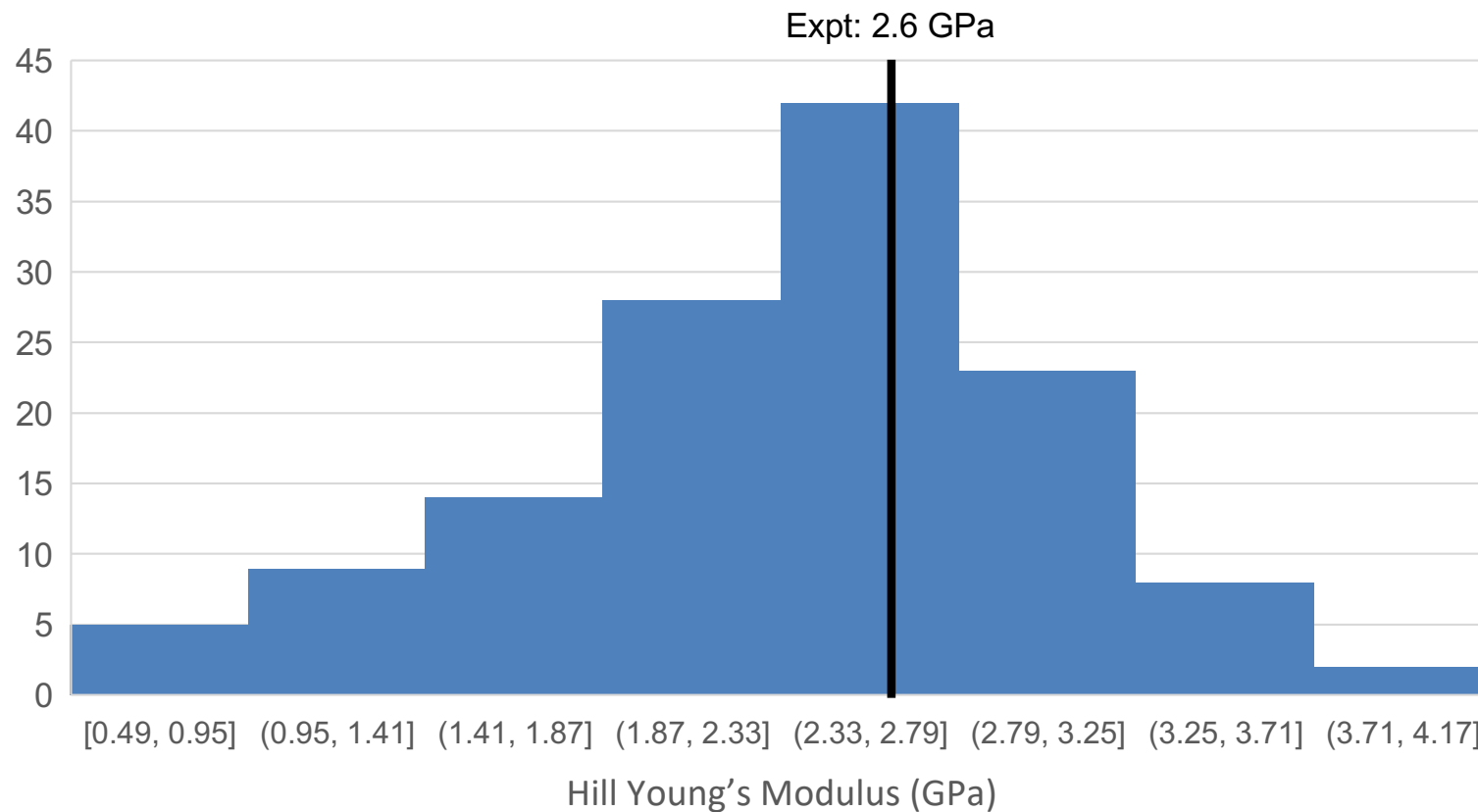
► Results written in a table

Density g/cm ³	Energy kcal/mol	Hill Bulk Modulus GPa	Hill Shear Modulus GPa	Hill Young's Modulus GPa	Stability
0.913854	188.919249	2.51	1.63	4.02	1
0.911153	188.698989	0.52	0.50	1.23	0
0.977401	3809.325976	2.23	1.05	2.71	1
0.915711	191.200429	1.78	0.88	2.26	1
0.971271	3762.628469	2.76	1.41	3.62	1
0.971267	187.605648	2.49	1.86	4.47	1
0.979720	3515.846232	2.86	1.40	3.61	1
0.950648	3793.735874	2.62	1.24	3.21	1
0.907735	189.696099	2.60	1.46	3.68	1
0.905413	189.871619	-0.03	0.26	0.63	0
0.968701	3814.131277	2.49	1.41	3.55	1
0.968728	3817.210077	2.77	1.43	3.66	1
0.867437	194.550819	2.08	1.45	3.53	1
0.894680	192.374389	1.72	0.73	1.89	1
0.917270	188.726099	2.07	1.02	2.61	1
0.904528	190.810389	2.10	1.53	3.68	1
0.972136	3729.916964	2.79	1.46	3.73	1
0.958045	3768.324270	2.57	1.24	3.21	1
0.812593	189.164879	0.90	0.66	1.60	0
0.988430	3409.544716	2.71	1.37	3.51	1
0.964406	3754.486168	2.63	1.34	3.44	1
0.942615	188.046028	2.58	1.66	3.94	0
0.936354	188.777859	2.69	0.90	2.43	0
0.929796	187.961358	3.34	2.48	5.96	1
0.905169	189.972279	0.86	0.47	1.18	0
0.994661	190.813619	2.05	1.06	2.71	1
0.957068	3800.599375	1.80	1.05	2.63	1
0.973829	3854.690683	2.98	1.49	3.83	1
0.853735	194.565579	0.49	0.64	1.30	1
0.924945	193.050349	0.90	0.53	1.39	0
0.907131	191.455639	2.71	1.58	3.96	1
0.968984	3837.896280	3.07	1.55	3.99	1
0.851309	197.483850	0.75	0.34	0.82	0
0.932742	194.088279	8.12	3.00	7.89	0
0.948090	188.577459	2.19	1.07	2.61	0
0.862262	194.912639	0.42	0.13	0.39	0
0.971970	3854.994083	2.70	1.20	3.13	1
0.982627	3728.734764	2.68	1.04	2.75	1
0.903234	196.945560	2.64	1.12	2.88	0
0.959122	3849.152382	2.09	1.09	2.79	1
1.023171	185.480268	3.99	2.00	5.09	1
0.904138	189.875109	2.24	1.89	4.42	1
0.965173	3804.817875	2.60	1.42	3.61	1
0.960062	3849.761882	2.32	1.23	3.13	1
0.953017	3804.271575	2.41	1.26	3.22	1
0.889294	193.013059	2.11	-1.32	-14.32	0
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮



High-Throughput Sampling

- ▶ Sampling over 200 configurations
 - 65.5% of the 200 samples were mechanically stable
 - \bar{Y} in good agreement with experimental results of ~ 2.6 GPa





Summary

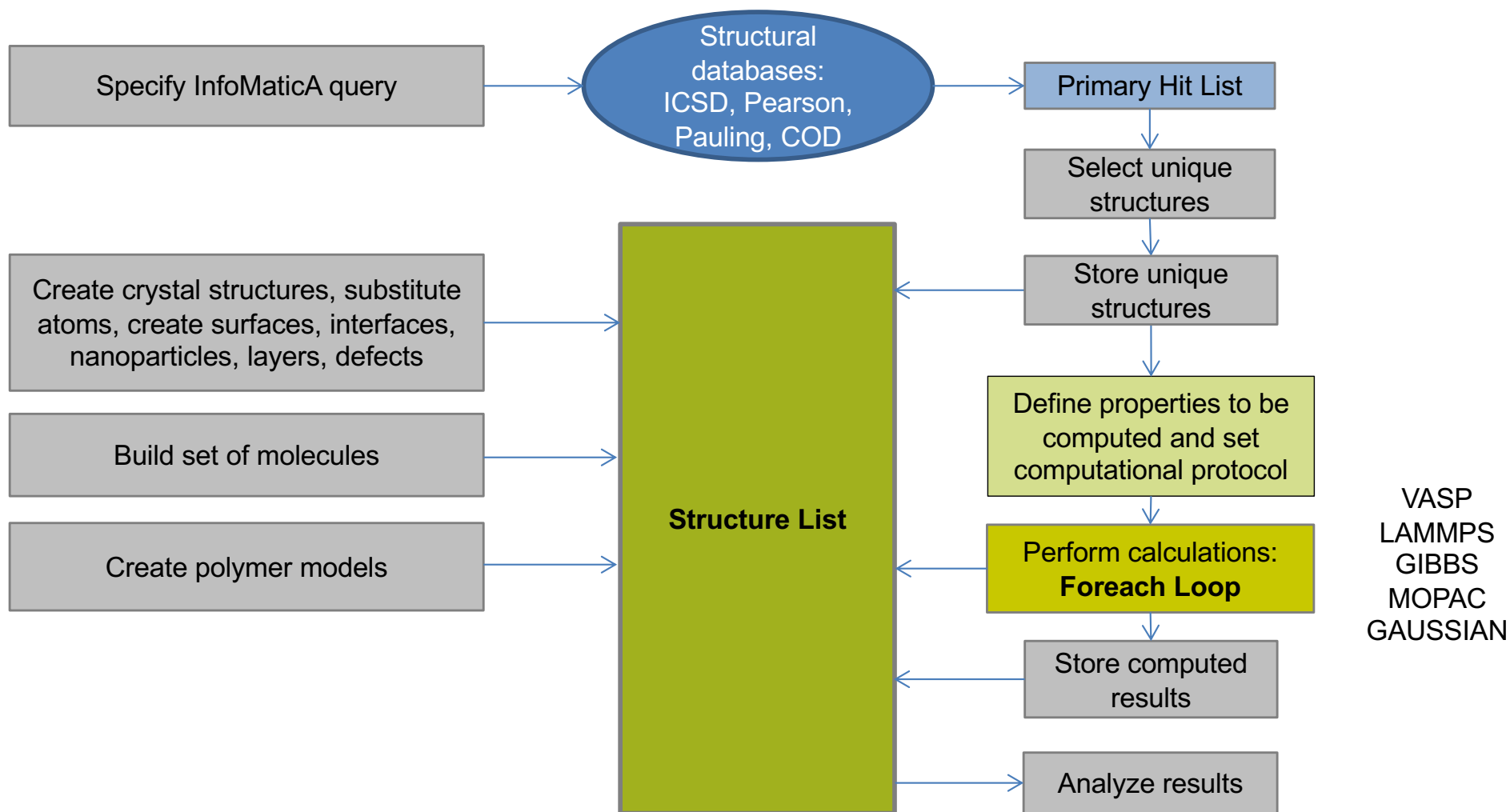
- ▶ Sampled through 200 cross-linked thermoset resins for their mechanical stability and elastic moduli
 - Generated 200 resin samples from 1 set of molecules and cross-linker
 - From molecules to amorphous materials to thermoset
 - Distribution of Young's modulus in excellent agreement with experiment



High-Throughput Screening



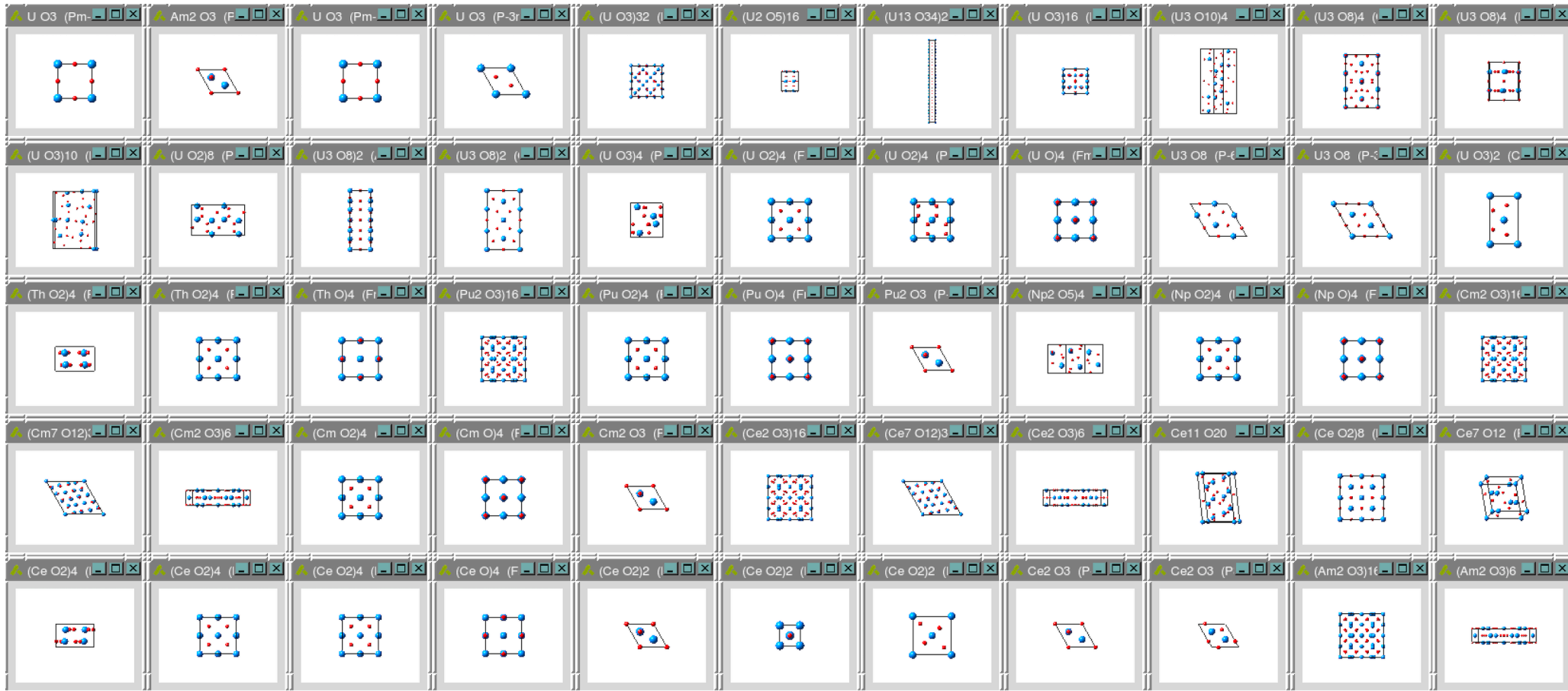
HT Implementation in MedeA





O Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

- ▶ Ce/O, Am/O, Cm/O, Np/O, Pu/O, Th/O, and U/O compounds





O Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

- ▶ Retrieve all Ce/O compounds
 - With **MedeA[®] InfoMaticA**

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Pearson.556985	Complete	Ia-3	Ce2O3	Ce2O3		8
ICSD.291915	Complete	FM3-M	Ce1 O1	Ce1 O1	Cerium oxide	8
Pauling.260469	Complete	R-3h	Ce7O12	Ce7O12		5
ICSD.88754	Complete	R3-R	Ce7 O12	Ce7 O12	Cerium oxide (7/12)	4
Pearson.1639026	Complete	Pnma	CeO2	CeO2		4
ICSD.88758	Complete	P1-	Ce11 O20	Ce11 O20	Cerium oxide (11/20)	3
ICSD.26865	Complete	P321	Ce2 O3	Ce2 O3	Dicermium trioxide - alpha	2
ICSD.160221	Complete	C12/M1	Ce2 O3	Ce2 O3	Cerium oxide - B	1
ICSD.169031	Complete	P42/MNM	Ce1 O2	Ce1 O2	Cerium dioxide - rutile-type, unstable	1
ICSD.189288	Complete	I4/MMM	Ce1 O2	Ce1 O2	Cerium dioxide	1
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COD.7217887	Complete	P1	Ce O2	Ce O2	Cerium(IV)oxide	1
ICSD.164744	Complete	P1	Ce1 O2	Ce1 O2	Cerium(IV) oxide	1

Search Criteria Detailed Information Coordinates Geometry Coordination Pair Correlation Powder pattern

Require that formula contains any number of atoms of O

Require that formula contains any number of atoms of Ce

Require that number of elements is equal to 2

Require that --Add new criterion--

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○ Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

- ▶ Retrieve all Ce/O compounds
 - With **MedeA® InfoMaticA**

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Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

► Save in a structure list:

- 56 Ce/actinide oxide compounds in various space groups

MedeA: structure list editor

File Add structure(s) Display Properties QT: QSAR Toolbox

SQLite structure list file (72704 bytes): /home/rshan/MD/Structures/custom/actinide_oxides.sll
Containing 56 structure(s)

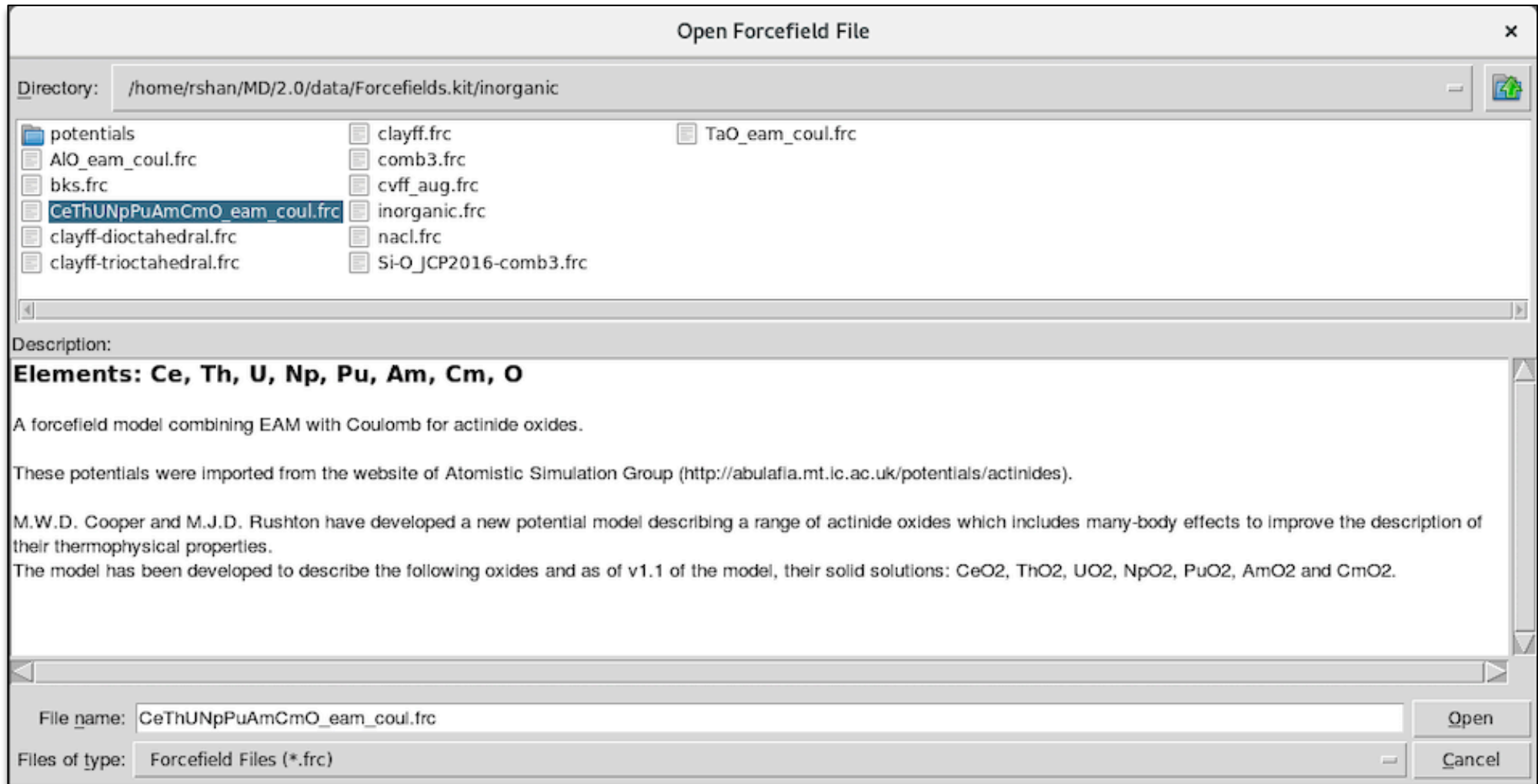
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Order	Name	Structural Formula	# atoms	# configurations	Symmetry	Cell parameters
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2	Pearson.535095	Am4O4	8	1	Fm-3m	5.045 5.045 5.045 90 90 90
3	ICSD.43810: Americium(IV) oxide	Am4O8	12	1	Fm-3m	5.378 5.378 5.378 90 90 90
4	Pearson.535091	Am12O18	30	1	C2/m	14.38 3.52 8.92 90 100.4 90
5	Pearson.1620183	Am32O48	80	1	la-3	11.03 11.03 11.03 90 90 90
6	Pearson.1711209	Ce2O3	5	1	P321	3.88 3.88 6.06 90 90 120
7	Pearson.260391	Ce2O3	5	1	P-3m1	3.891 3.891 6.059 90 90 120
8	ICSD.169031: Cerium dioxide - rutile-type, unstable	Ce2O4	6	1	P42/MNM	5.13 5.13 3.58 90 90 90
9	ICSD.189288: Cerium dioxide	Ce2O4	6	1	I4/mmm	2.321 2.321 5.754 90 90 90
10	ICSD.189287: Cerium dioxide	Ce2O4	6	1	P-3m1	3.214 3.214 4.025 90 90 120
11	Pearson.1301474	Ce4O4	8	1	Fm-3m	5.089 5.089 5.089 90 90 90
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13	Pearson.1946553	Ce4O8	12	1	Fm-3m	5.411 5.411 5.411 90 90 90
14	Pearson.1639026	Ce4O8	12	1	Pnma	5.641 3.481 6.647 90 90 90
15	ICSD.88754: Cerium oxide (7/12)	Ce7O12	19	1	R-3R	6.785 6.785 6.785 99.42 99.42 99.42
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17	COD.1521460: Ce11 O20	Ce11O20	31	1	P-1	6.757 10.26 6.732 90.04 99.8 96.22
18	ICSD.160221: Cerium oxide - B	Ce12O18	30	1	C12/M1	14.785 3.7946 9.231 90 100.066 90
19	Pearson.1805252	Ce21O36	57	1	R-3	10.339 10.339 9.628 90 90 120
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40	Pearson.530900	U4O4	8	1	Fm-3m	4.92 4.92 4.92 90 90 90
41	ICSD.160813: Uranium oxide - HP	U4O8	12	1	Pa-3	5.329 5.329 5.329 90 90 90
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44	Pearson.1250855	U6O16	22	1	C222	6.704 11.95 4.142 90 90 90
45	Pearson.1250961	U6O16	22	1	Amm2	4.147 11.96 6.716 90 90 90
46	ICSD.160815: Uranium oxide - HP	U8O16	24	1	Pbca	9.688 5.332 5.35 90 90 90
47	COD.2310373: U O3	U10O30	40	1	P1211	10.34 14.33 3.91 90 99.03 90
48	Pearson.1250856	U12O32	44	1	P2_1/m	6.72 8.29 11.93 90 91 90
49	Pearson.1250154	U12O32	44	1	Cmcm	7.069 11.445 8.303 90 90 90
50	COD.1529146: Li2 (U3 O10)	U12O40	52	1	P121/c1	6.821 18.91 7.3 90 121.56 90
51	Pearson.1250669	U16O48	64	1	I4_1/amd	6.9013 6.9013 19.9754 90 90 90

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○ Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

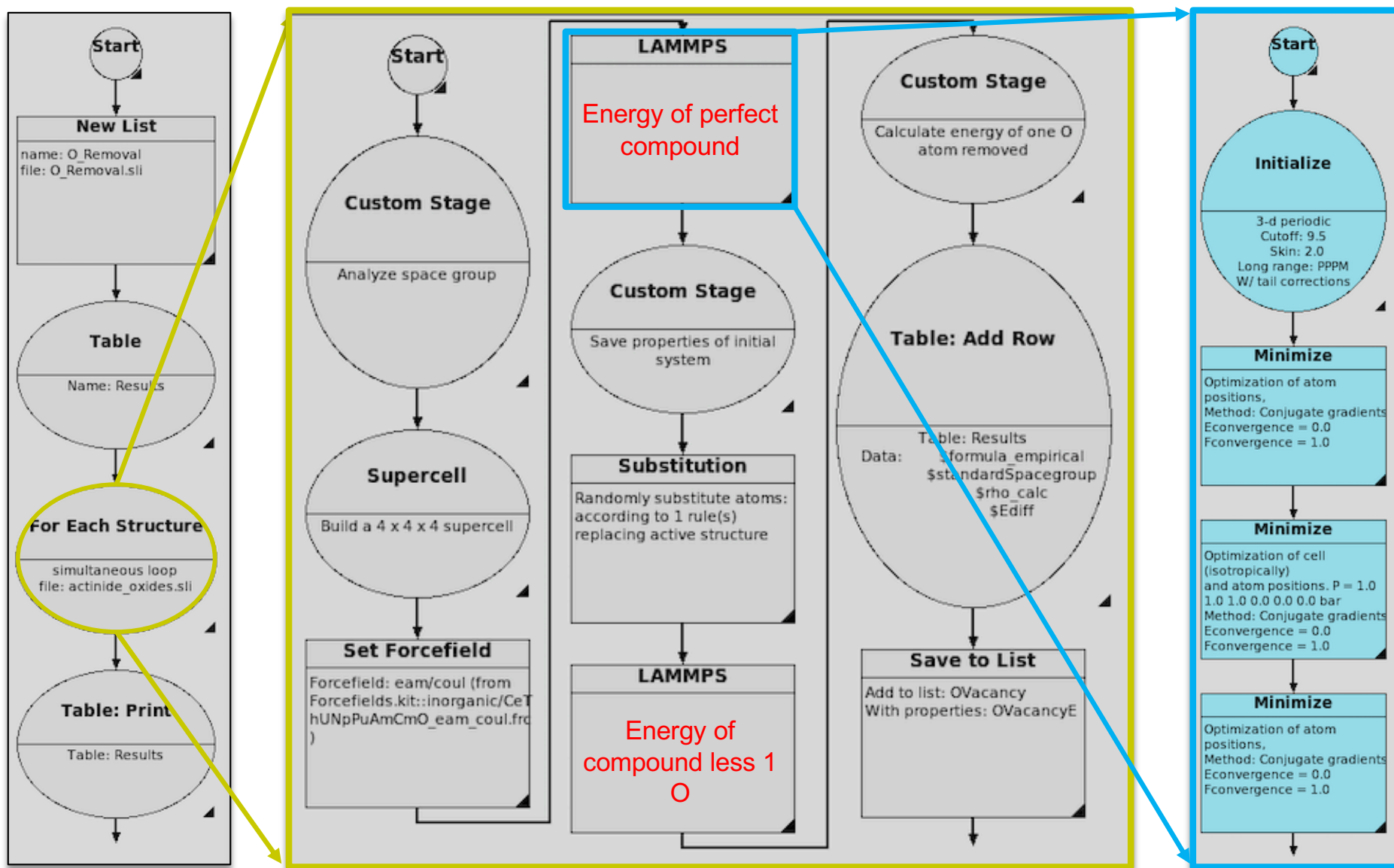
- ▶ Assign the Cooper force field for actinide oxides ¹



¹ <http://abulafia.mt.ic.ac.uk/potentials/actinides>

O Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

- Prepare a High-throughput flowchart



Run HT calculations in parallel or serial

- ▶ Value: Highly efficient screening of large number of compounds

Start

New List
name: O Removal
file: O Removal.sli

Table
Name: Results

For Each Structure
simultaneous loop
file: actinide_oxides.sli

Table: Print
Table: Results

Edit ForEach Structure stage 1

Structures | Flowchart

Local file From a previous stage

Structure list file: /home/rshan/MD/Structures/custom/actinide_oxides.sli ...

Warning: Preparing a flowchart with VASP requires an active window system. After setting up the VASP calculation parameters for this system, they are identically used for all structures in the list afterwards.

Advanced settings

This structures list contains 56 structure(s) and a total of 56 configurations. According to the stepping settings the loop will have 56 iteration(s)

Run the different loop iterations simultaneously Maximum number of jobs to submit simultaneously 20

Catch and ignore errors in the iterations

OK Cancel

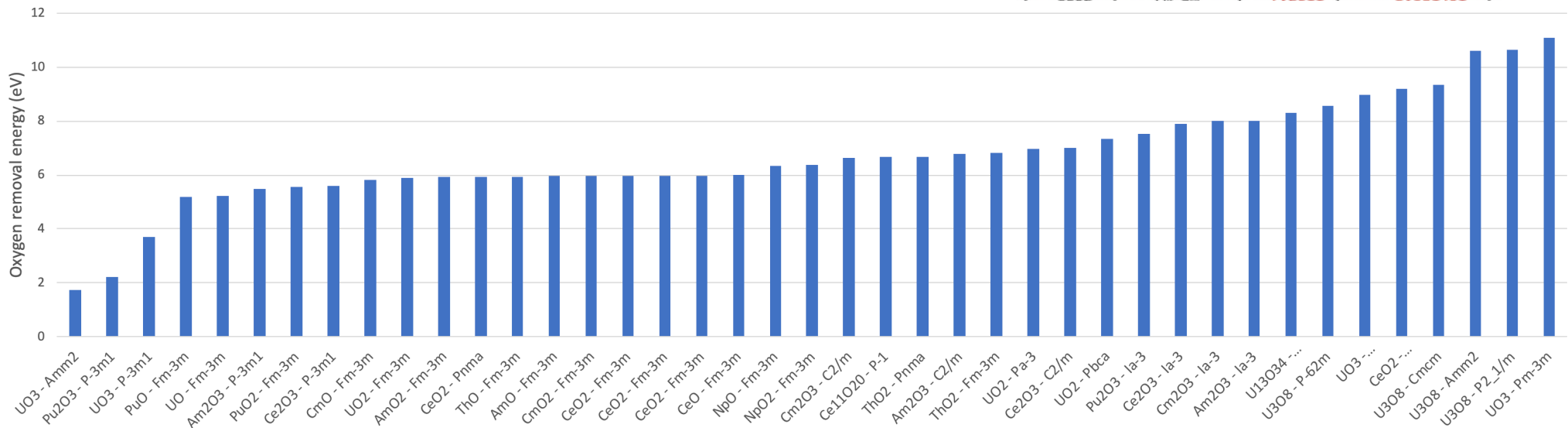
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O Removal Energy of Actinide Oxides

- ▶ View results from Job.out
 - 112 (56*2) calculations finished in 749 seconds on an 8-core Intel Linux box

Formula	Space Group	Density g/cm ³	OVacancyEnergy eV
Am2O3	P-3m1	13.5234	2.063400
AmO	Fm-3m	15.2106	5.953601
AmO2	Fm-3m	11.8527	5.917101
Am2O3	C2/m	13.3225	7.237001
Am2O3	Ia-3	12.2707	8.011002
Ce2O3	P321	4.4884	-732.879751
Ce2O3	P-3m1	8.1413	3.246101
CeO2	P4 ₂ /mnm	6.3383	9.205002
CeO2	I4/mmm	7.9265	-115.379024
CeO2	P-3m1	8.2788	-33.889407
CeO	Fm-3m	8.9324	5.996101
CeO2	Fm-3m	7.2611	5.981401



- Can further convert O removal energy to O vacancy formation energy by considering energy of O₂

U3O8	P-62m	7.3755	8.549902
UO	Fm-3m	14.6722	5.218701
UO2	Pa-3	10.4769	6.975001
UO2	Fm-3m	11.0449	5.903401
UO3	P2 ₁₂ _12_1	8.3340	8.101002
U3O8	Amm2	7.3810	10.619602
UO2	Pbca	10.9016	7.341002
UO3	P2 ₁	8.0113	-148.610031
U3O8	P2 ₁ /m	7.2044	7.213001
U3O8	Cmcm	7.1665	10.653002
UO3	I4 ₁ /amd	7.4985	-125.429026
U13O34	Amm2	7.2381	8.780002
UO3	P-3m1	7.6785	3.683401
UO3	Pm-3m	5.4056	11.080502



Summary

- ▶ Screened 56 Ce/O, Am/O, Cm/O, Np/O, Pu/O, Th/O, and U/O compounds for their oxygen removal energies
 - Directly imported structures from Medea[®] databases to structure list
 - Set up LAMMPS calculations with Cooper potential
 - Results written to a table and a csv text file
- ▶ Same flowchart and strategy can be applied to other materials properties using other potentials



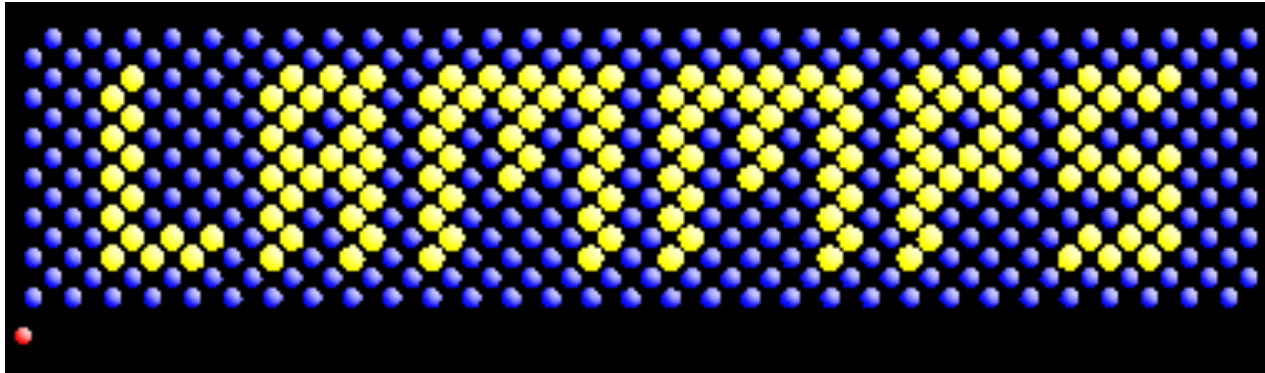
Conclusions

- ▶ The MedeA[®] environment hosts a variety of versatile tools required for creation of realistic models of materials
 - Molecules, amorphous liquids and solids
 - Bulk polymer, crosslinked resins
 - Interfacial systems and composites
- ▶ Integration of highly regarded simulation codes, including **LAMMPS**, VASP, GIBBS, MOPAC, and Gaussian enables multiple types of property calculation on materials of interest.
- ▶ MedeA[®] High Throughput Launchpad enables the automated, massive screening, exploring, and sampling of materials properties
 - Young's modulus of thermoset resins
 - Oxygen removal energy of actinide oxides



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