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Abstract

Heterogeneous and ever-expanding biological data requires proportional growth in both computing power, as well as data storage, to collate, manage, analyze, and predict its function. Computational researchers have created various databases and software, or web servers that can be used to predict functional relationships among proteins and/or enzymes, which is especially relevant in the field of metabolic engineering. Bioinformatics techniques are being used in the field of metagenomics to find novel enzyme molecules. Structures of enzymes are predicted by homology-based or ab initio methods. Furthermore, selectivity and stability of engineered enzymes are monitored, improved, and verified by molecular simulations techniques. Here, we describe varied approaches and methodologies that are being employed for predicting the structure-function relationship of enzymes that can save time and costs in wet lab experiments

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