



Chromosome walking with super-resolution imaging and modeling

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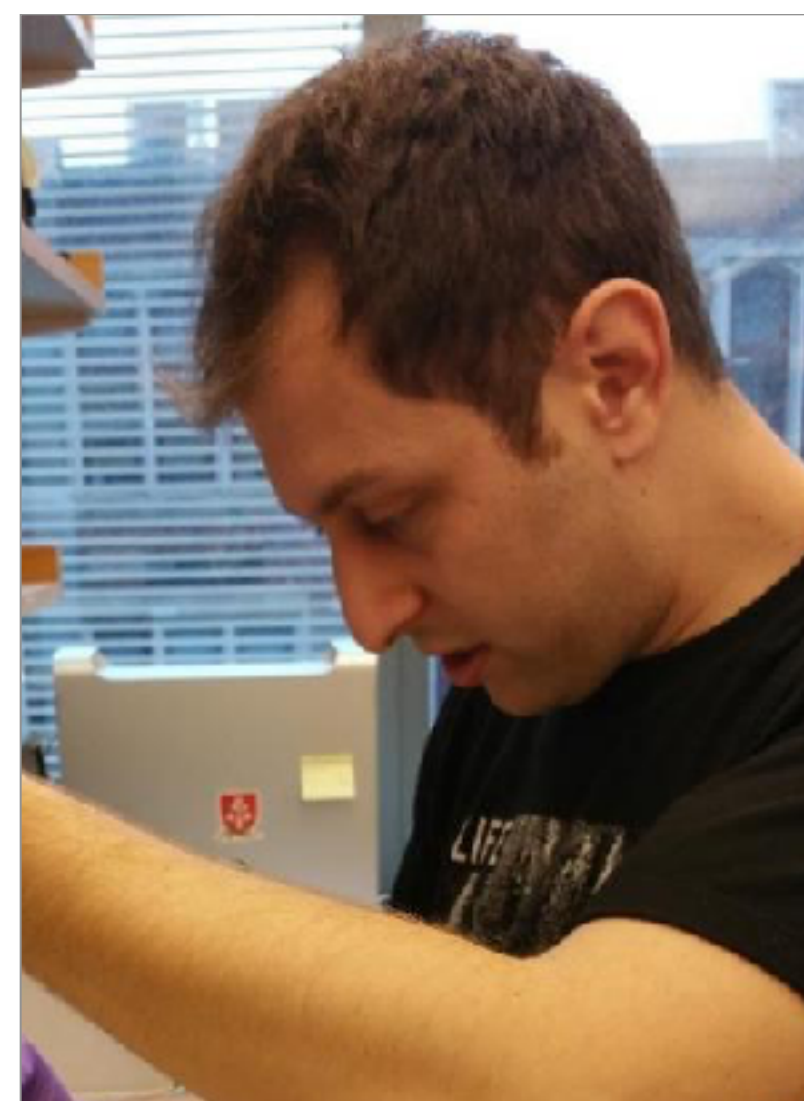
Integrating imaging and Hi-C maps with modeling.

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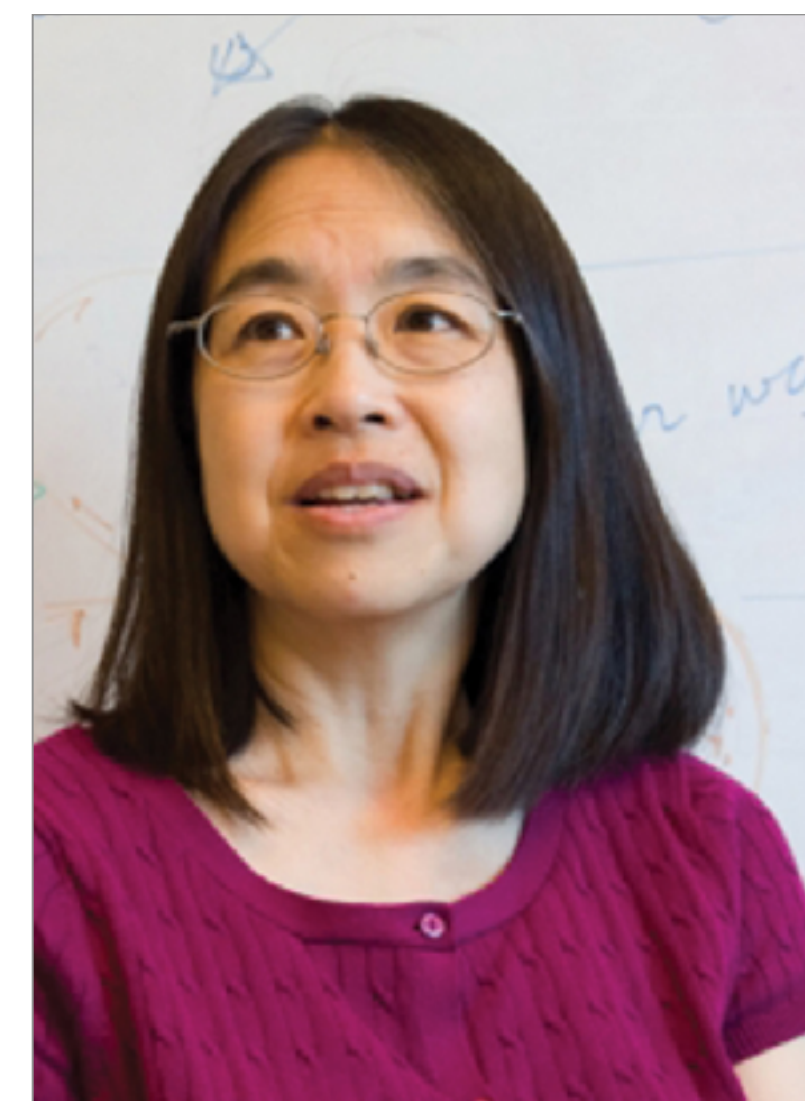
Oligopaint-based modeling of genomes



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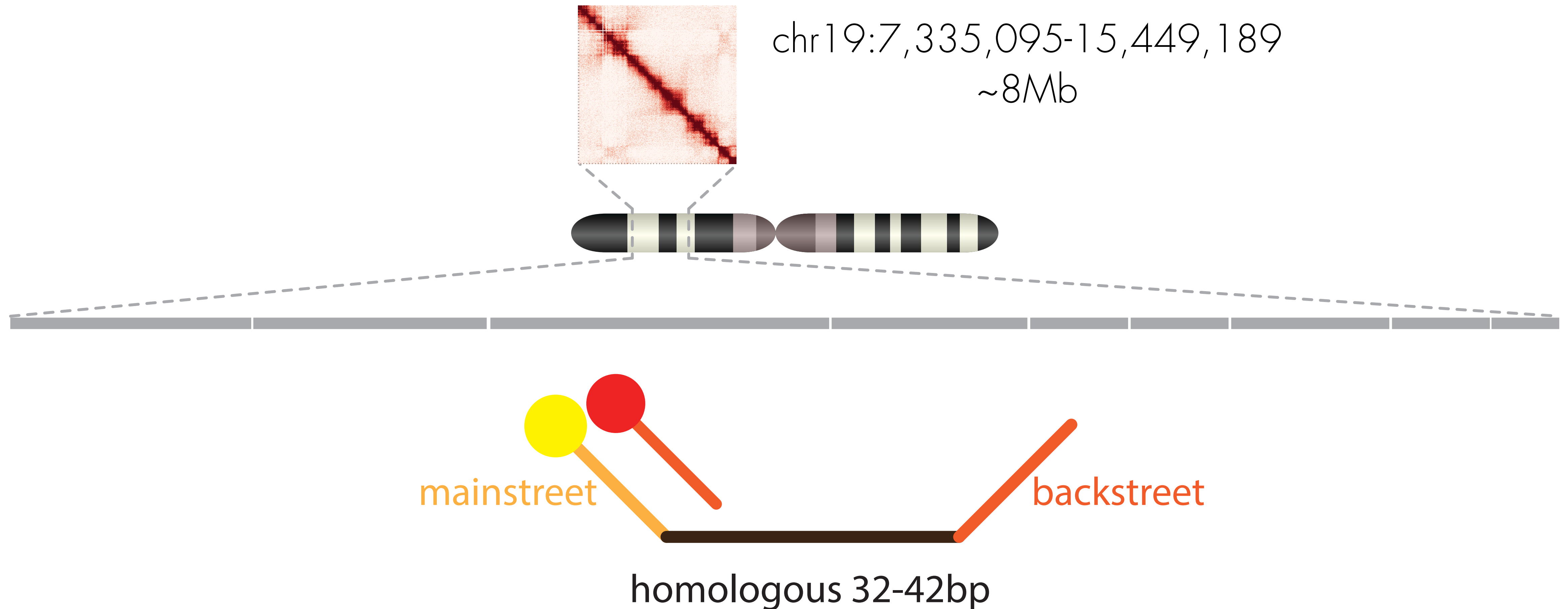
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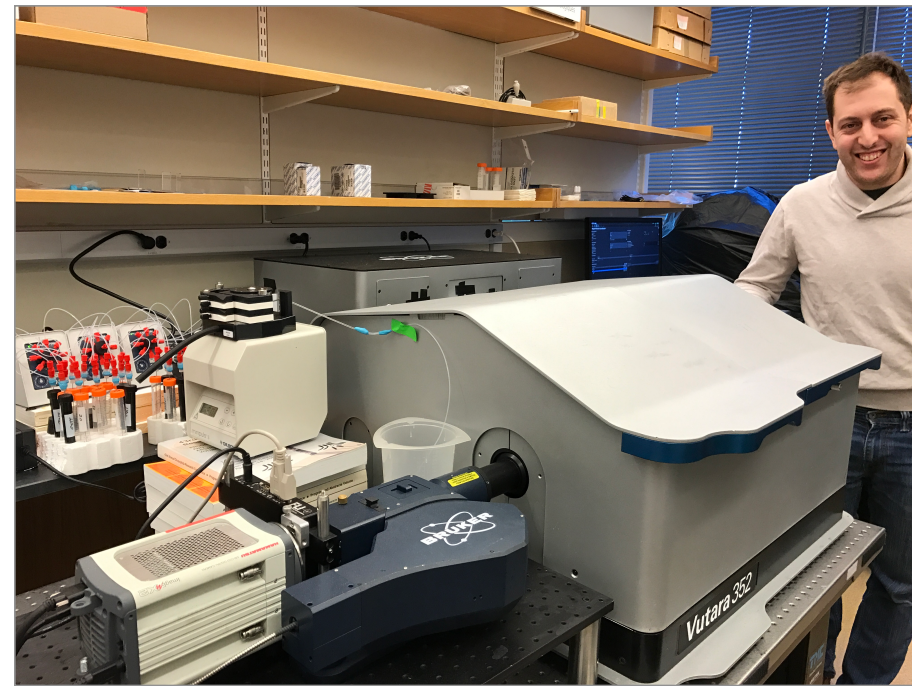
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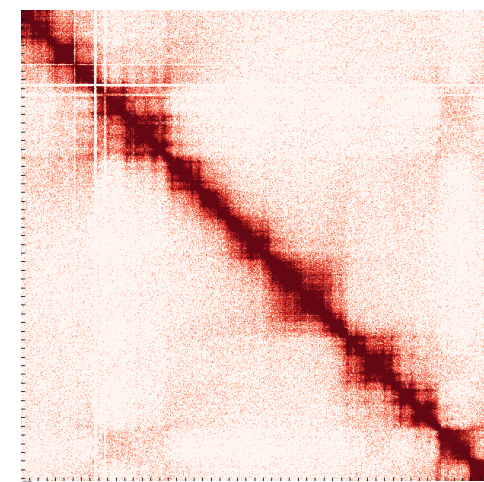
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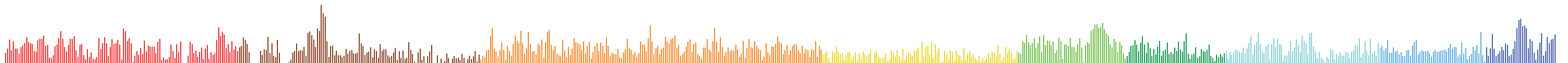
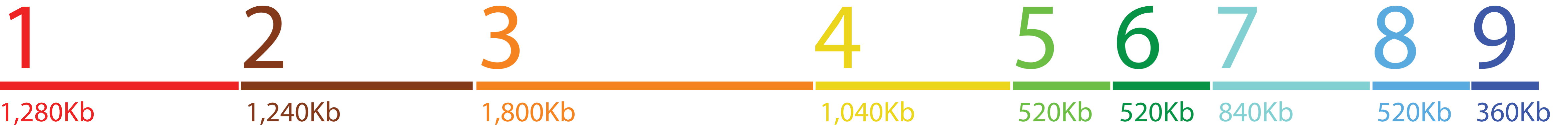
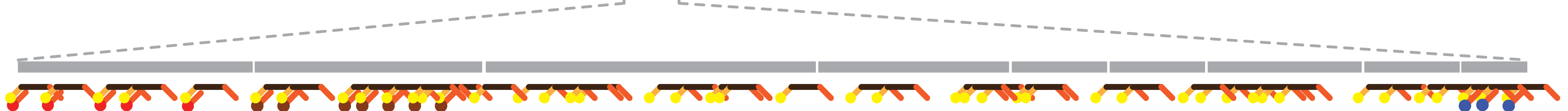
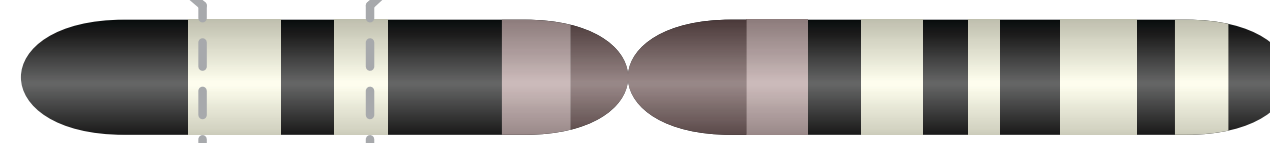
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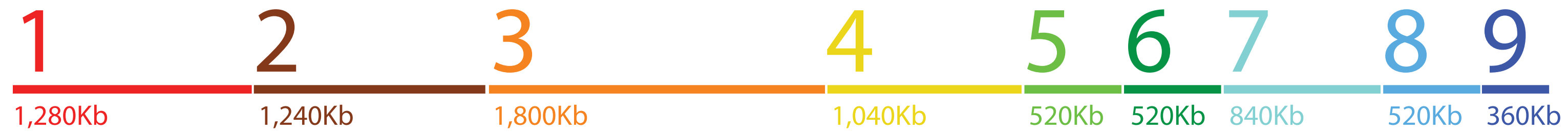


chr19:7,335,095-15,449,189
~8Mb



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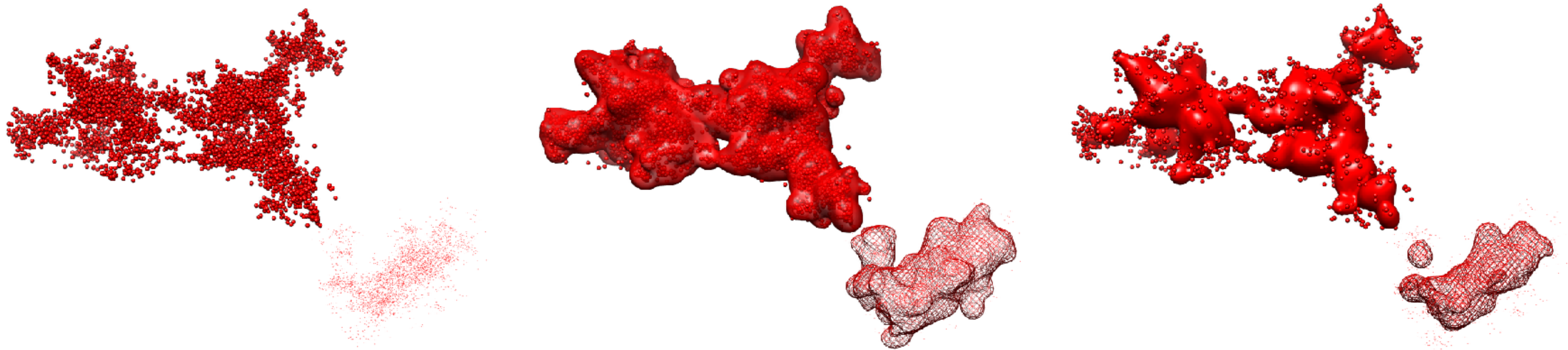
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High-resolution imaging

XYZ points convolution into a density map

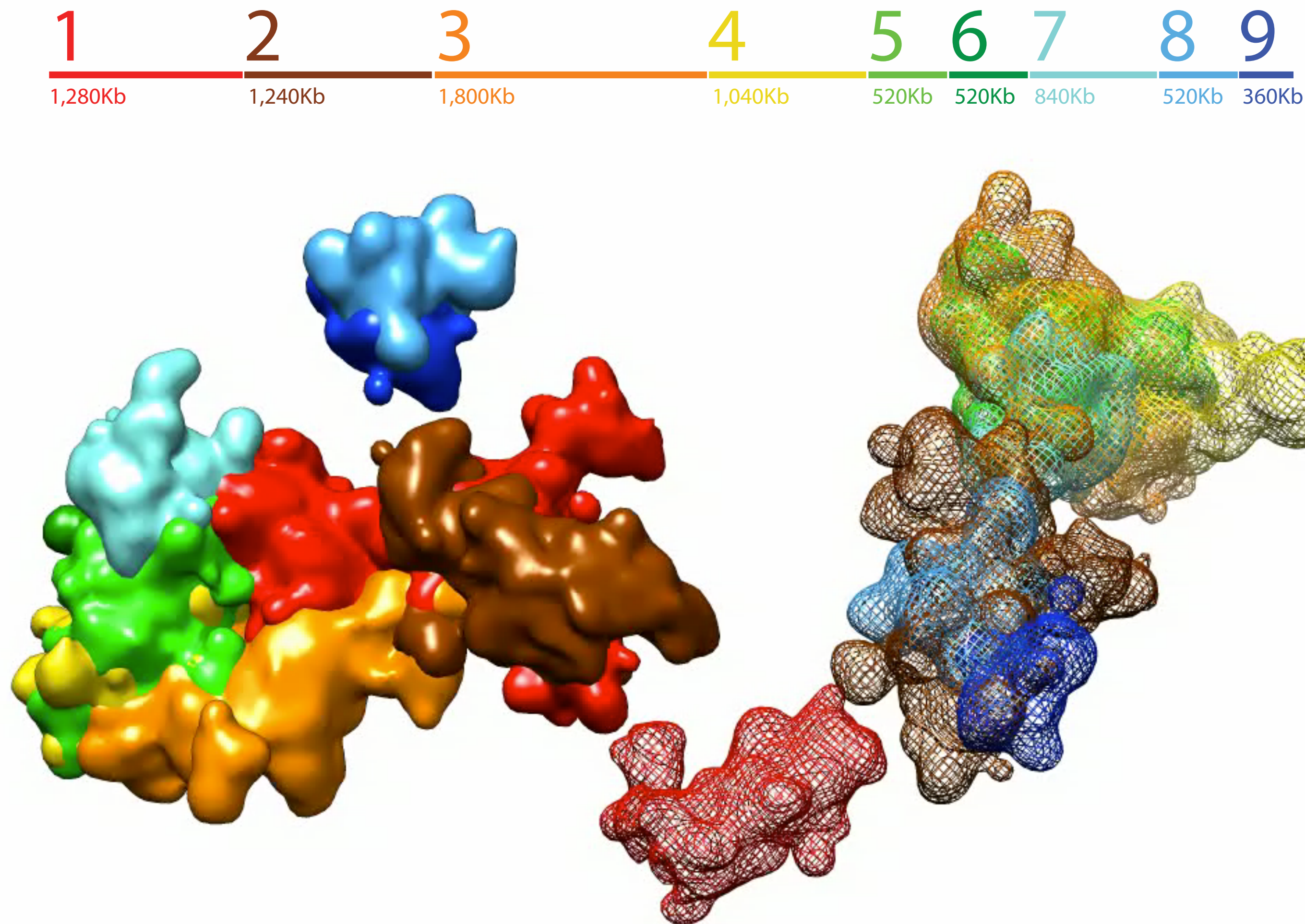
$$\rho(x, y, z) = \sum_N \frac{Z_N}{(\sigma\sqrt{2\pi})^3} e^{-\frac{(x-x_n)^2 + (y-y_n)^2 + (z-z_n)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$



Cell-02 · Segment 1

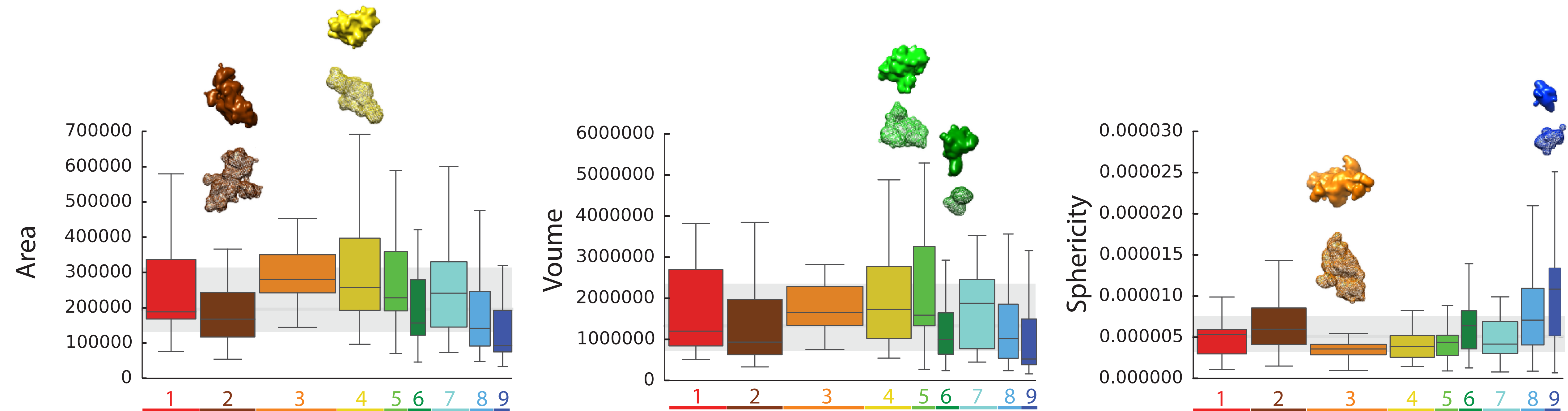
Density maps

Cell-02 · Density map @ 50nm



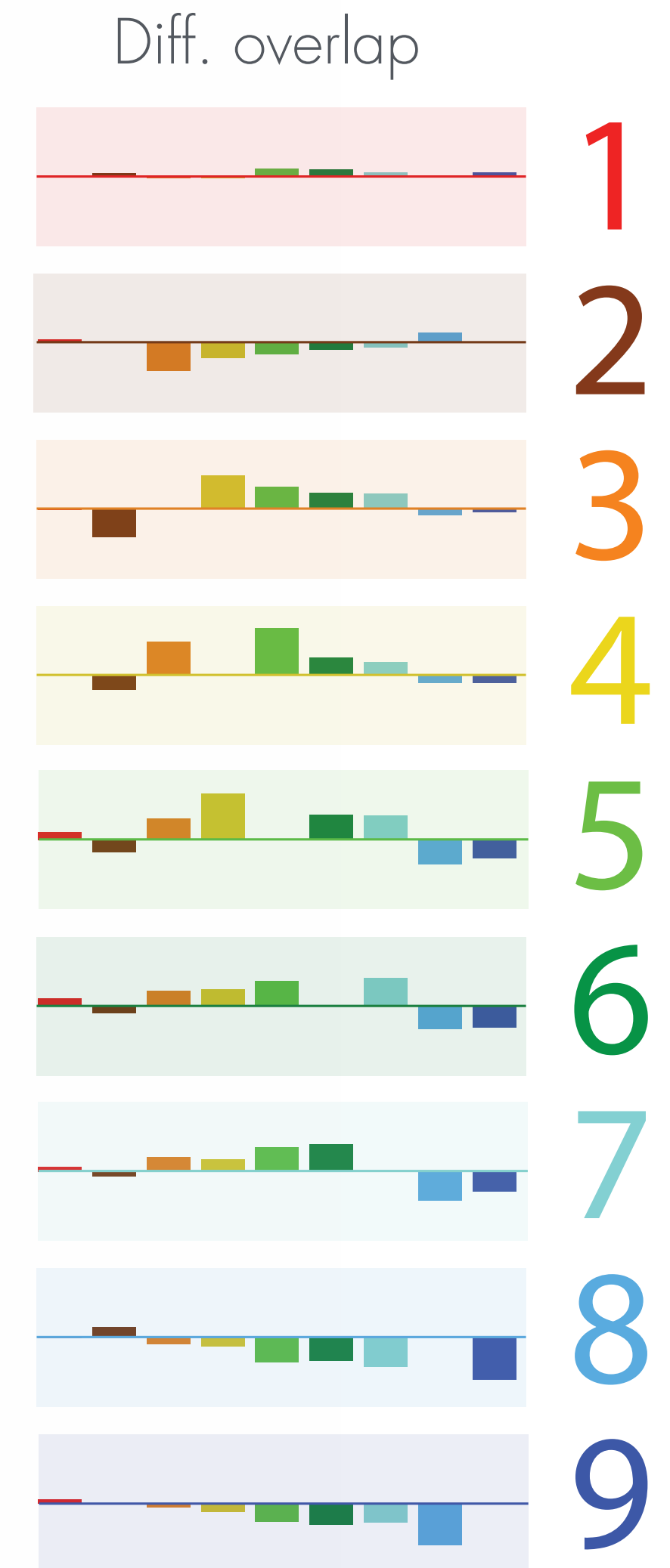
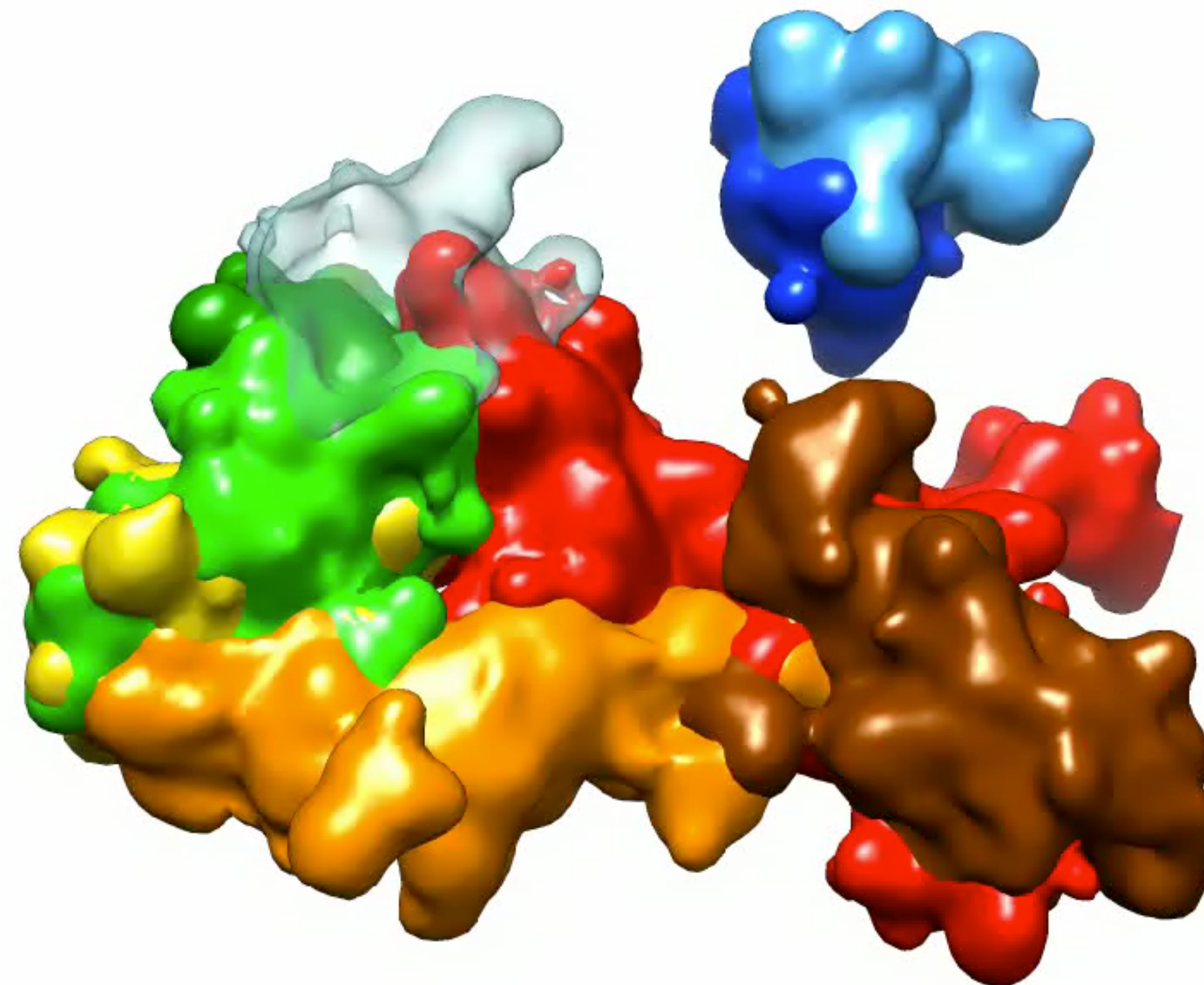
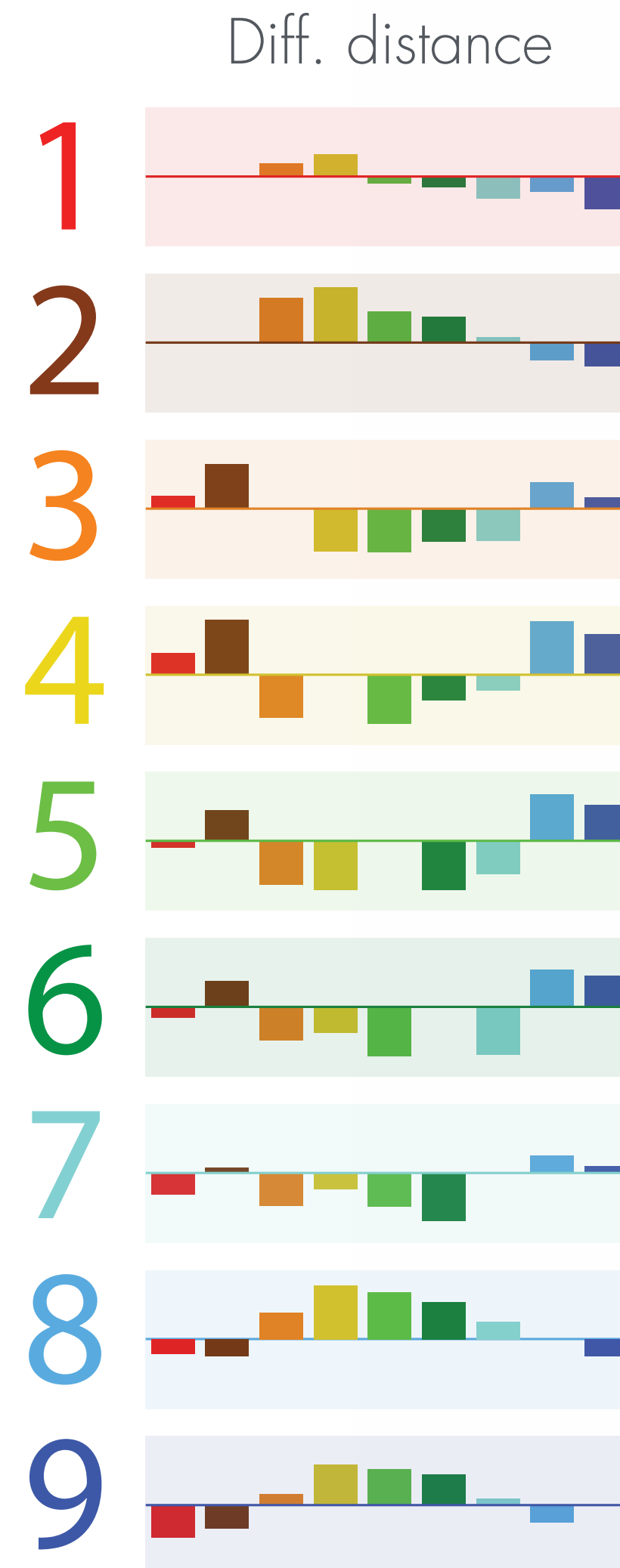
Structural features

Area, Volume and Sphericity of 19 cells each with 2 homologous resolved



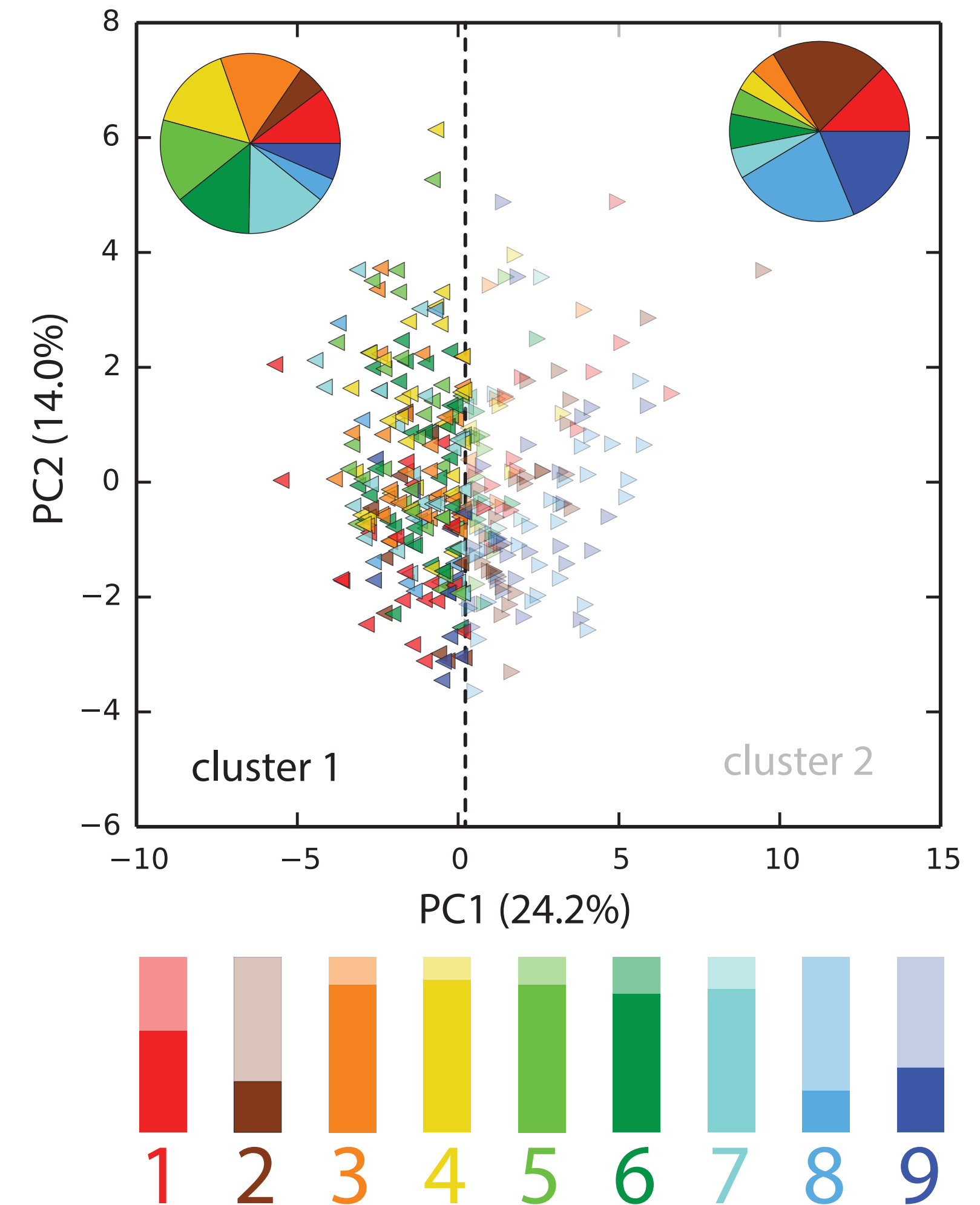
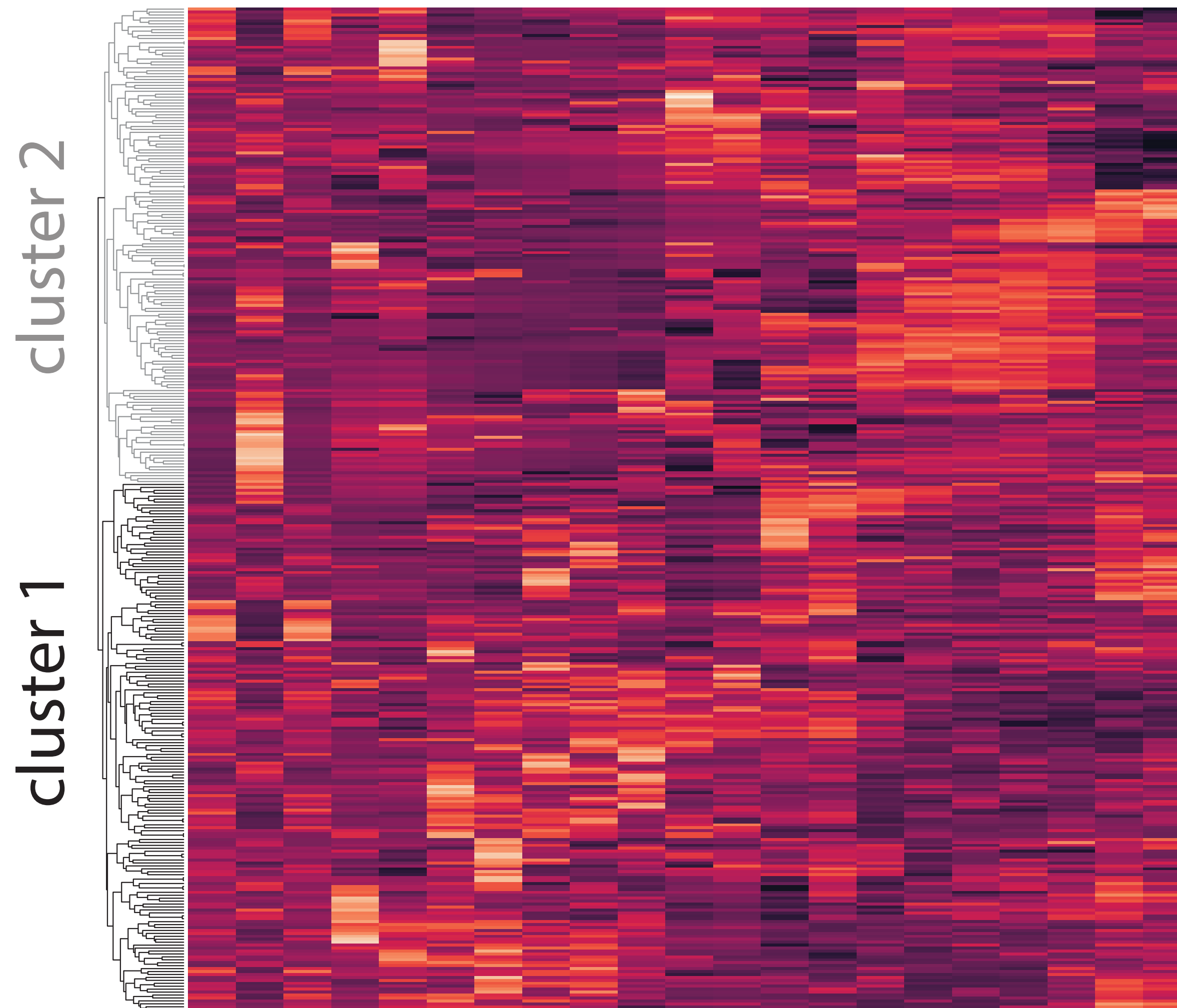
Spatial arrangement

Distance and overlap of 19 cells each with 2 homologous resolved



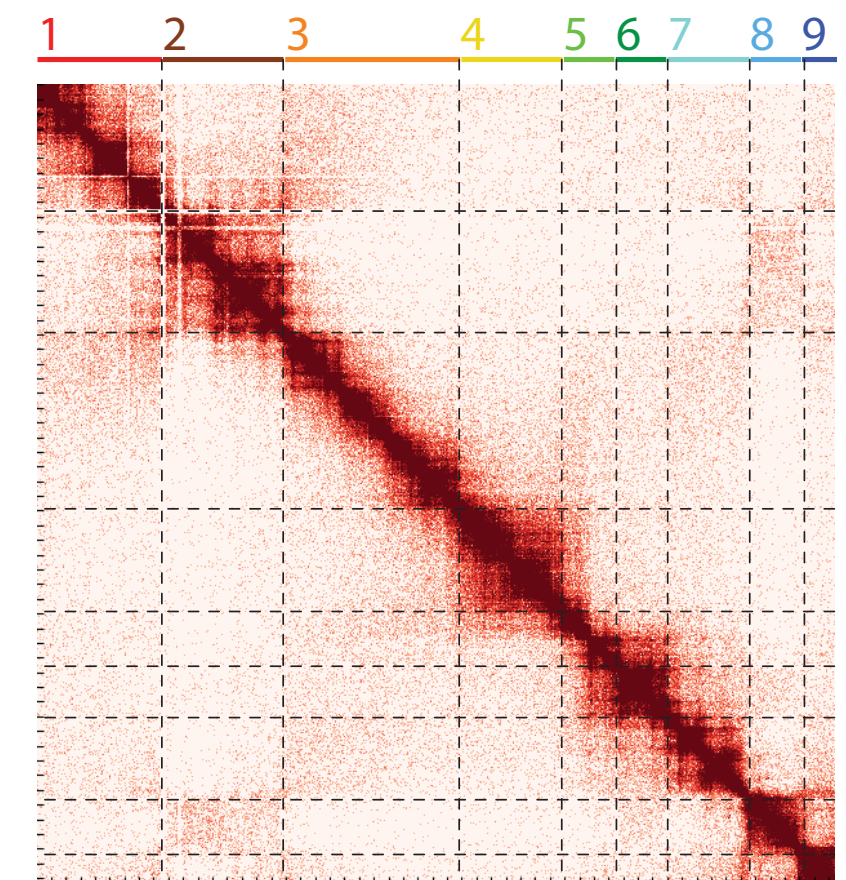
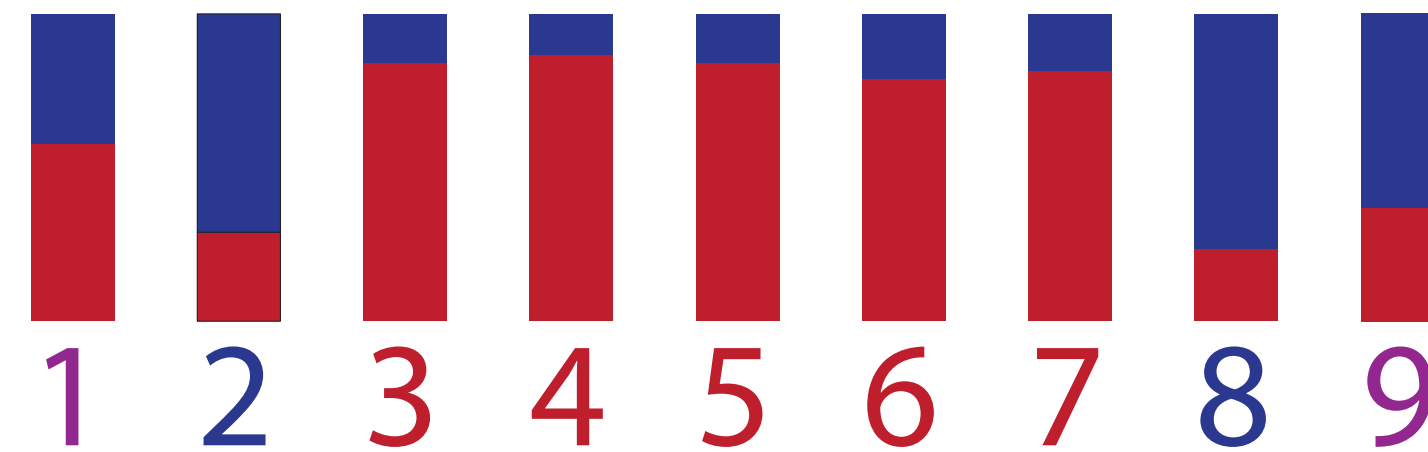
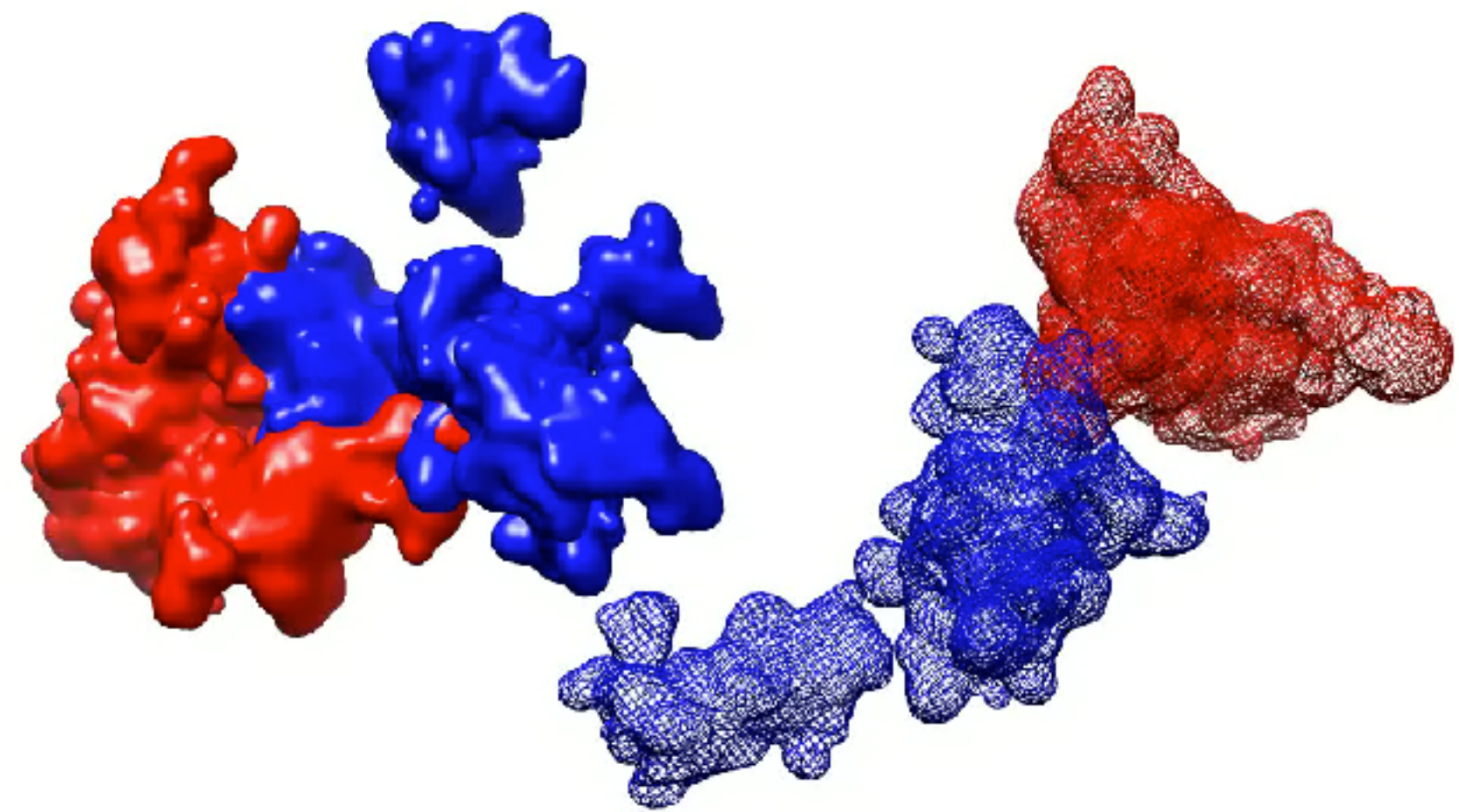
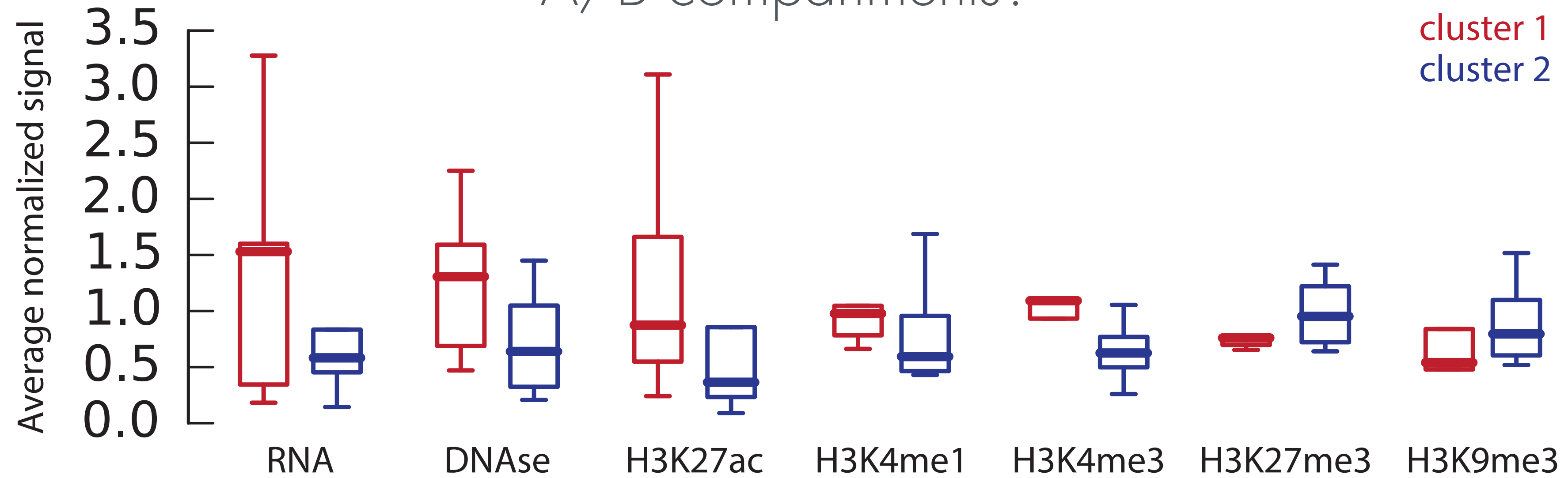
Structural clustering

19 cells each with 2 homologous and 9 segments each (342)



Cluster properties

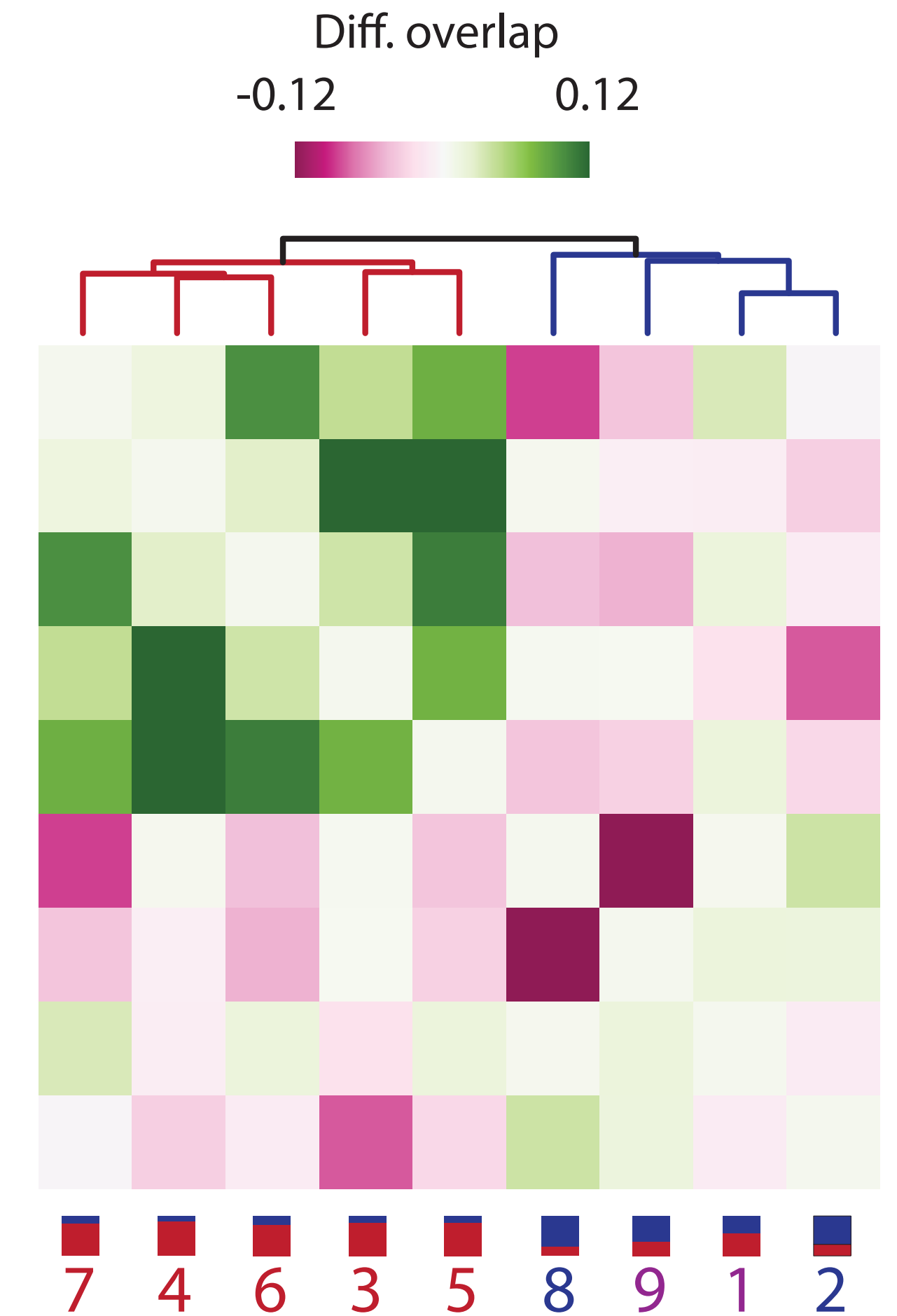
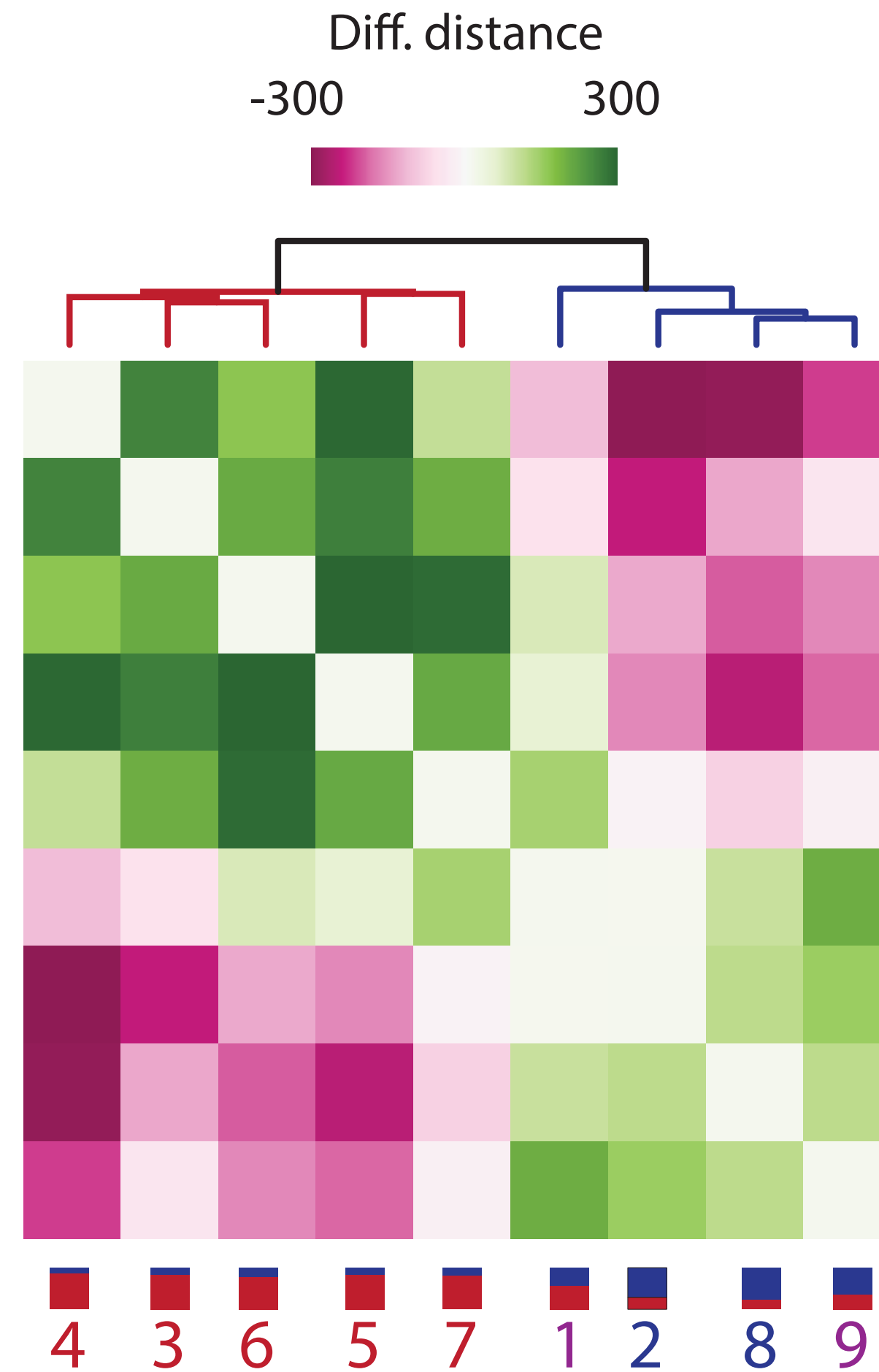
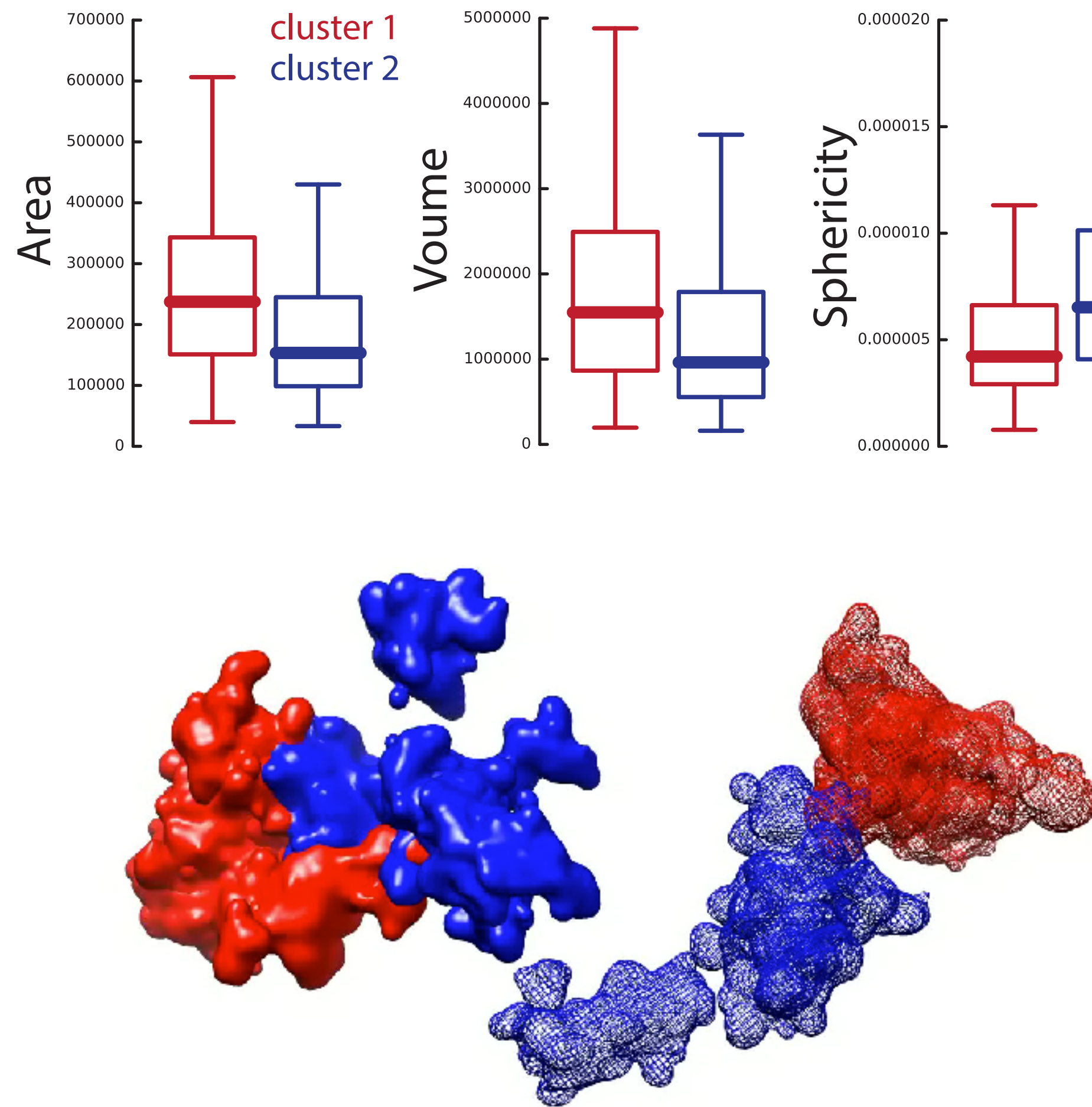
A/B compartments?



PGP1 ChIP-seq and Hi-C data from ENCODE and Lieberman-Aiden Lab, respectively

Cluster properties

A/B compartment properties



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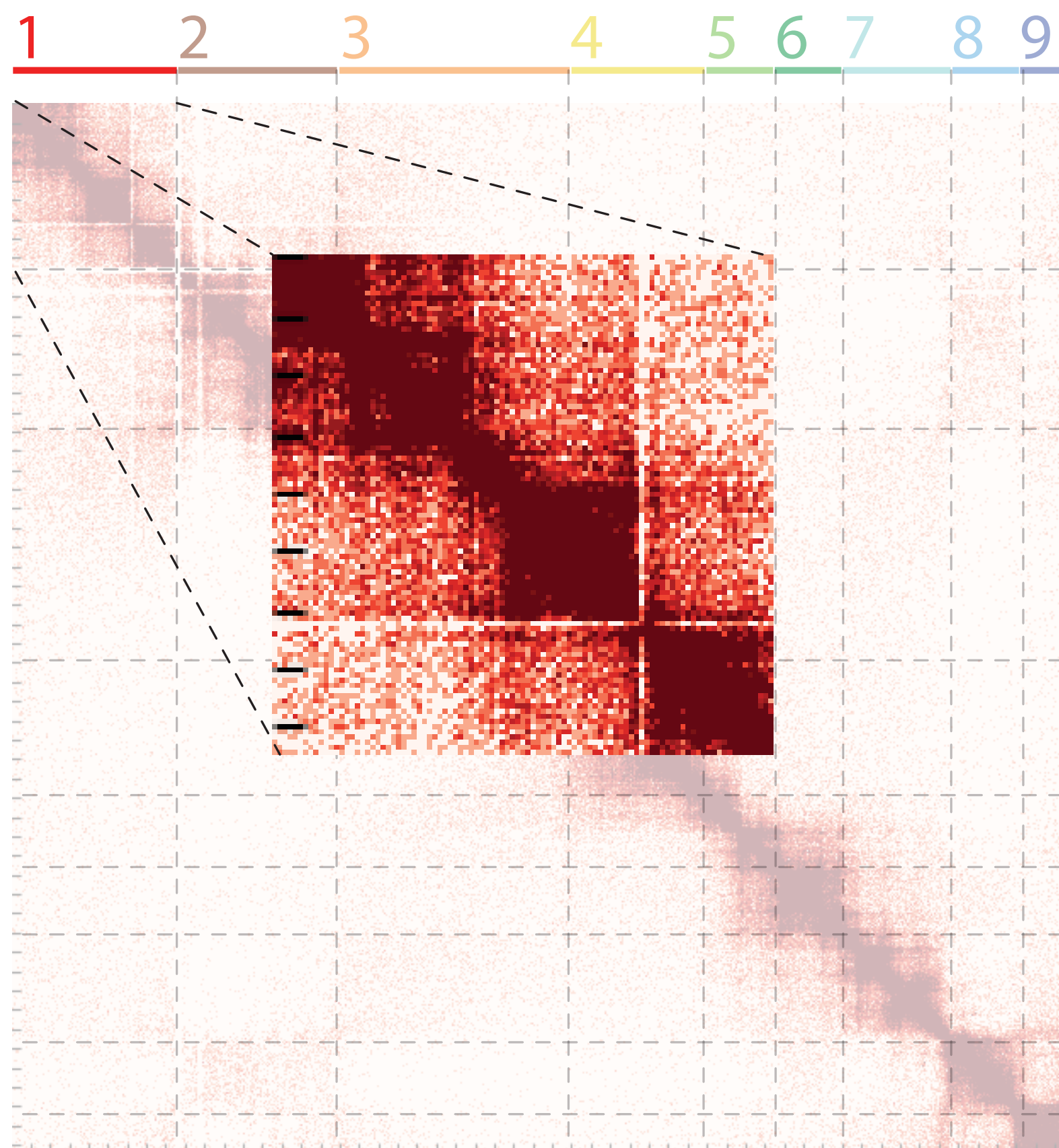
YES!

Can we increase the resolution of our data?

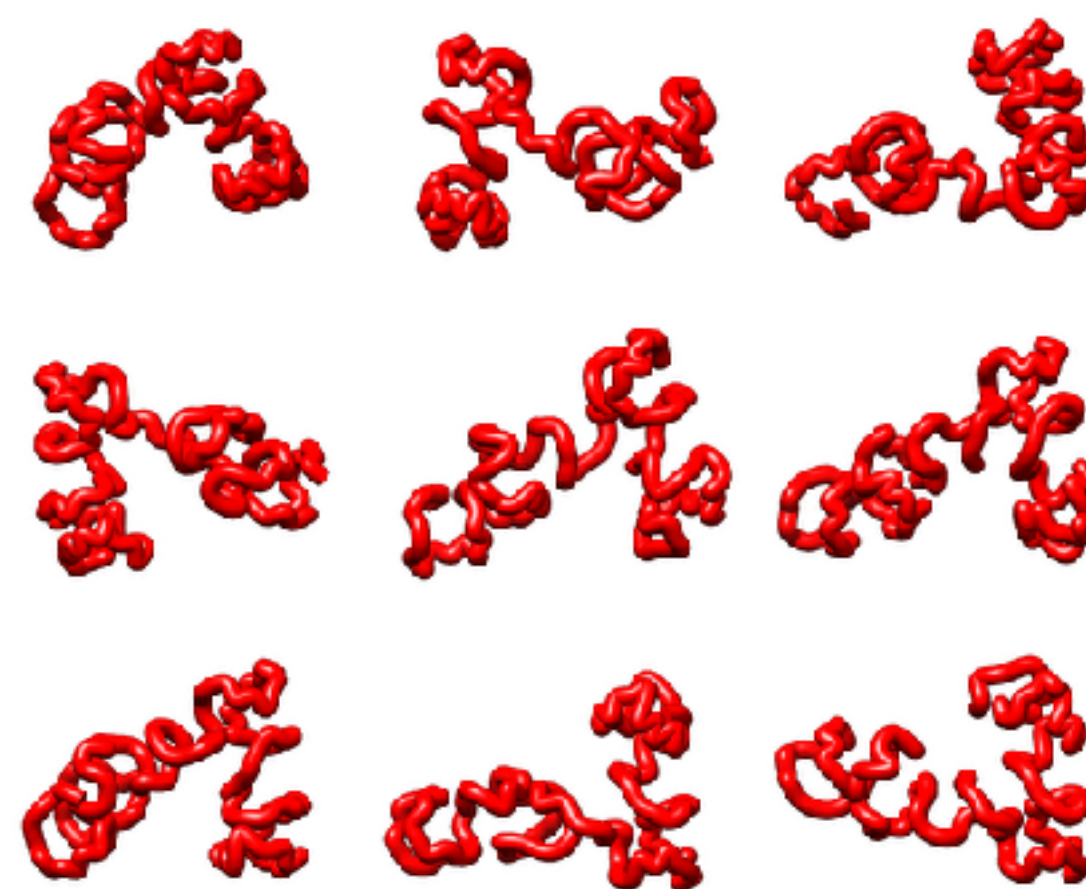
by fitting 3D models based on Hi-C interaction maps

Increasing resolution

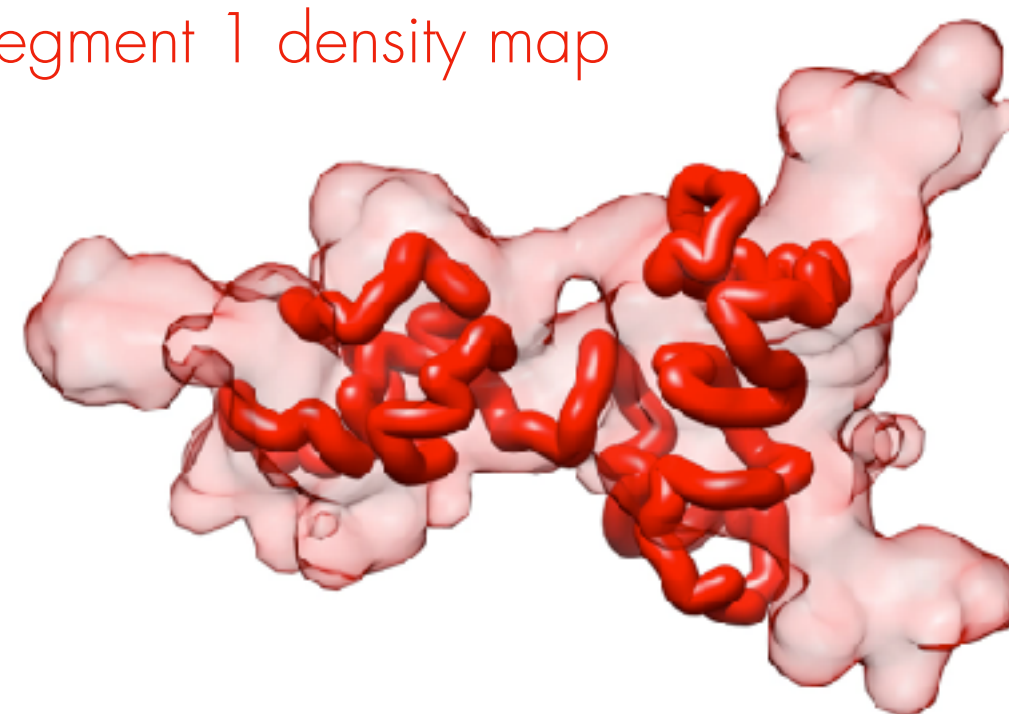
Rigid body fitting 3D structures based on Hi-C data



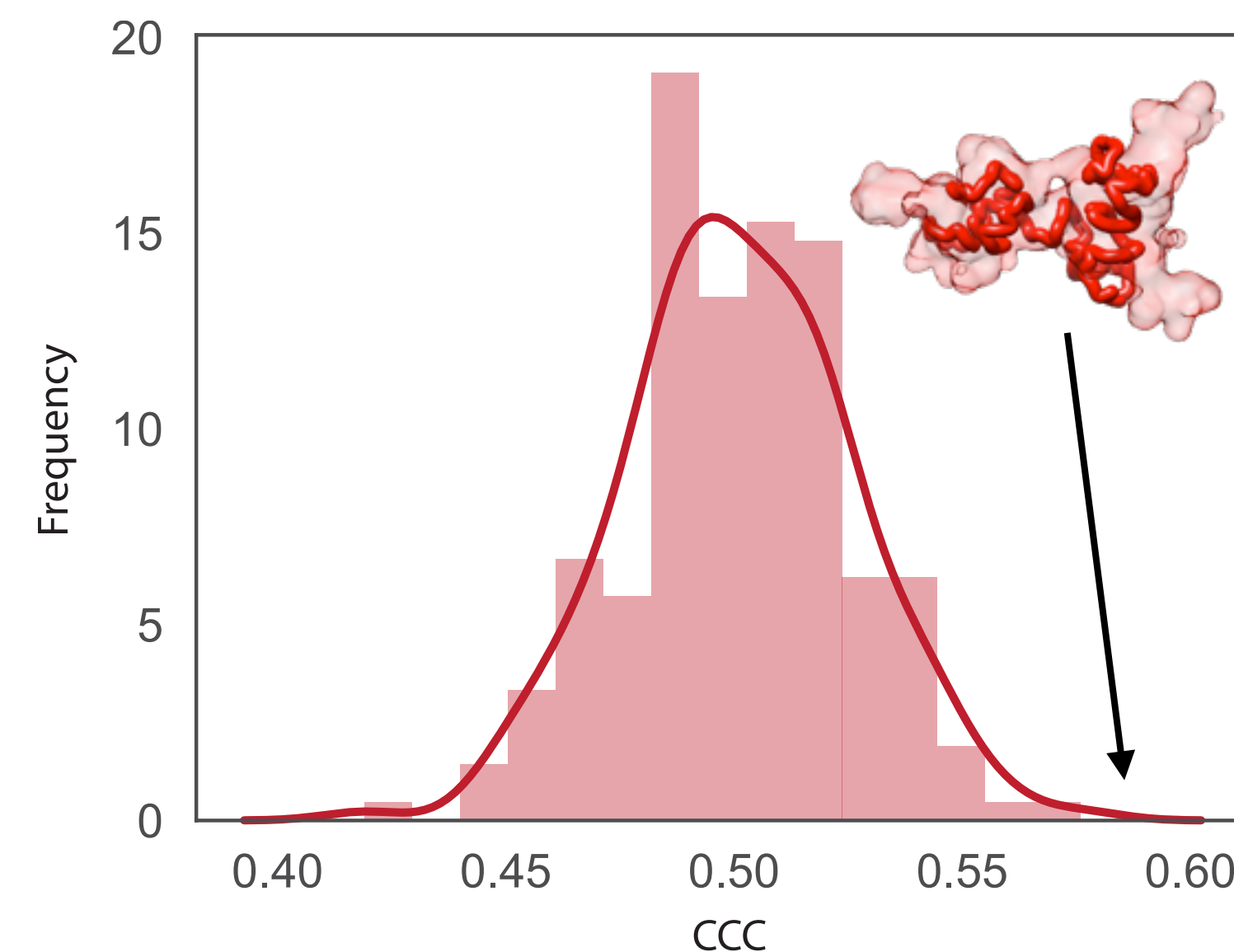
Segment 1 3D models



Segment 1 density map

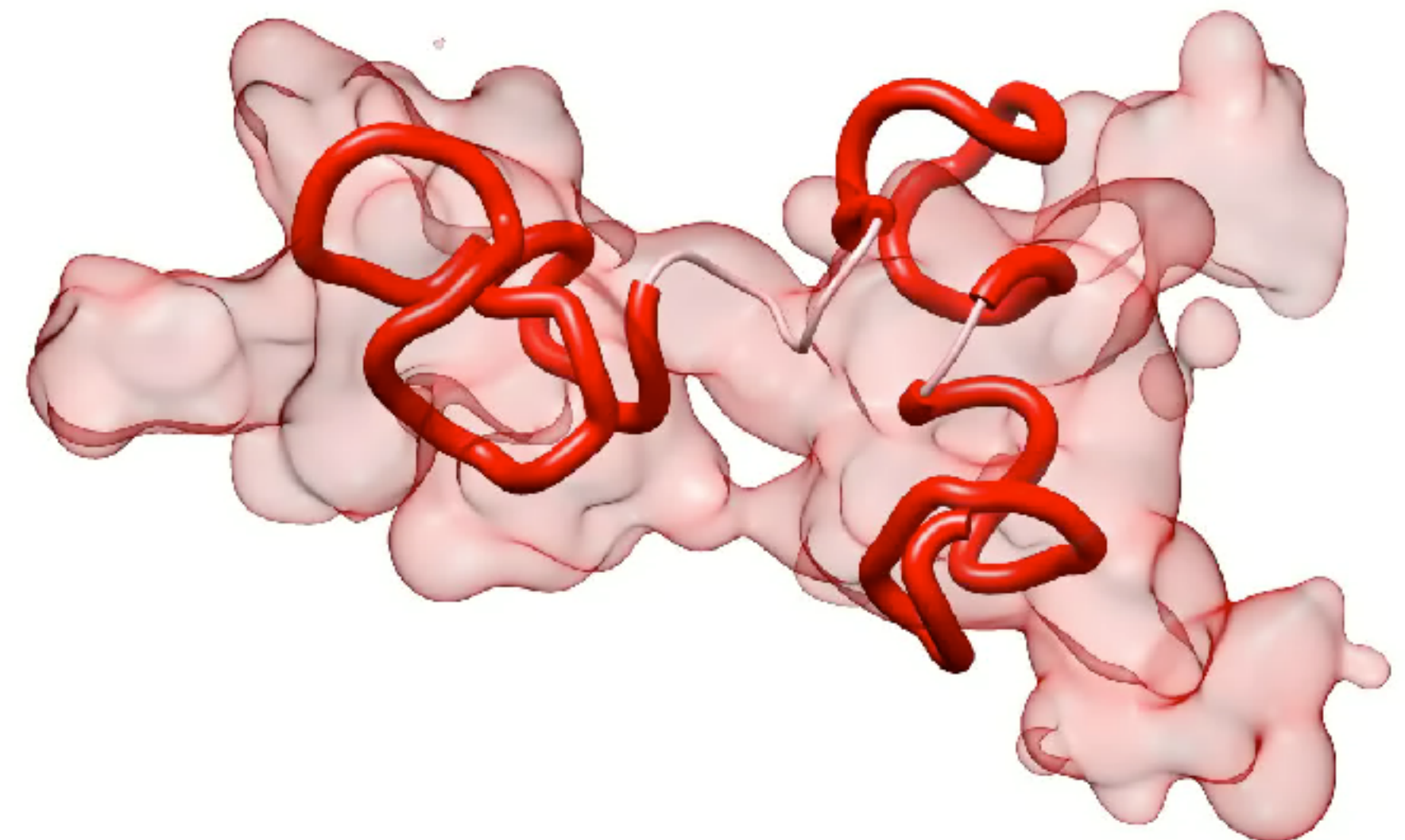
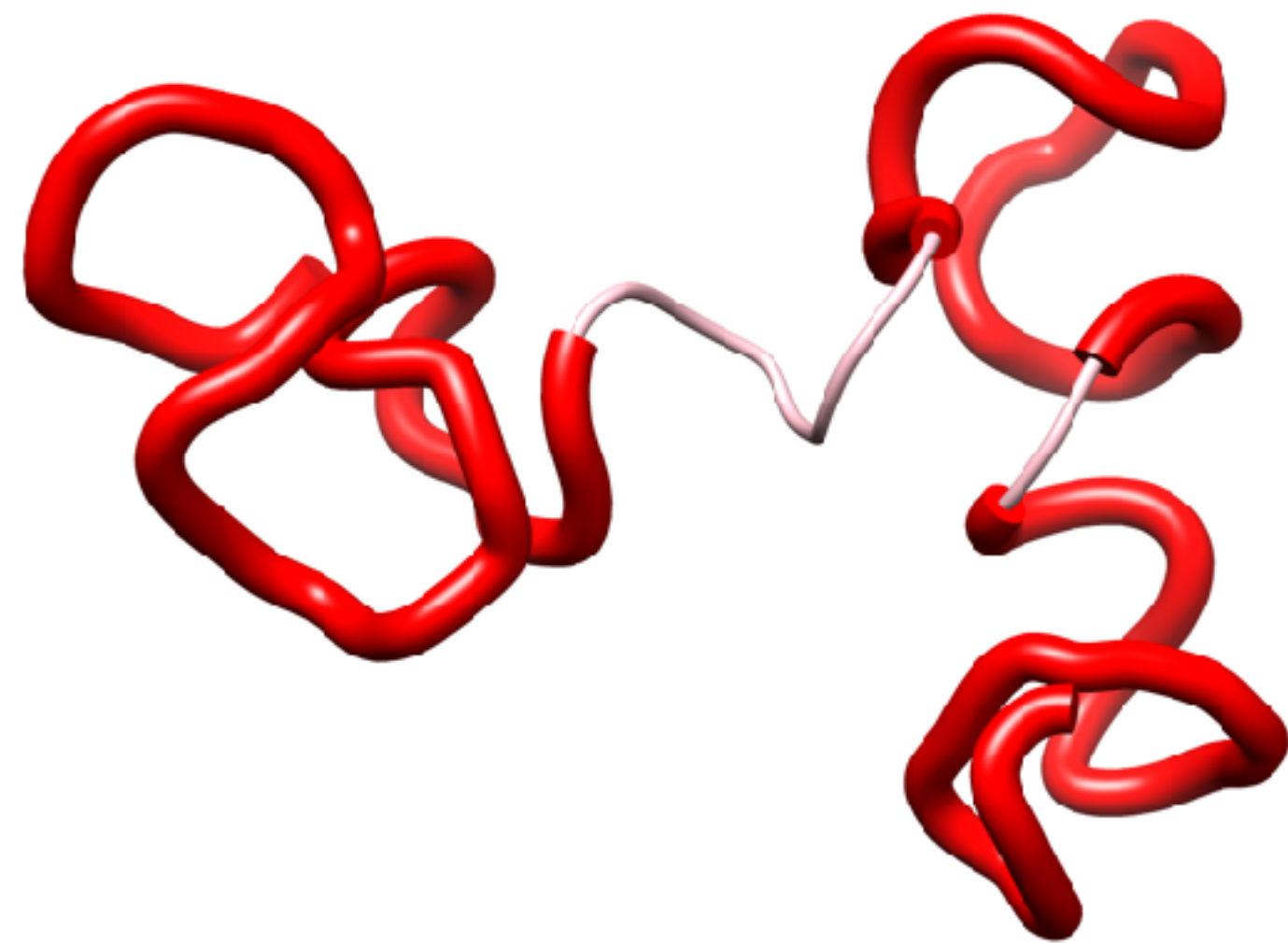
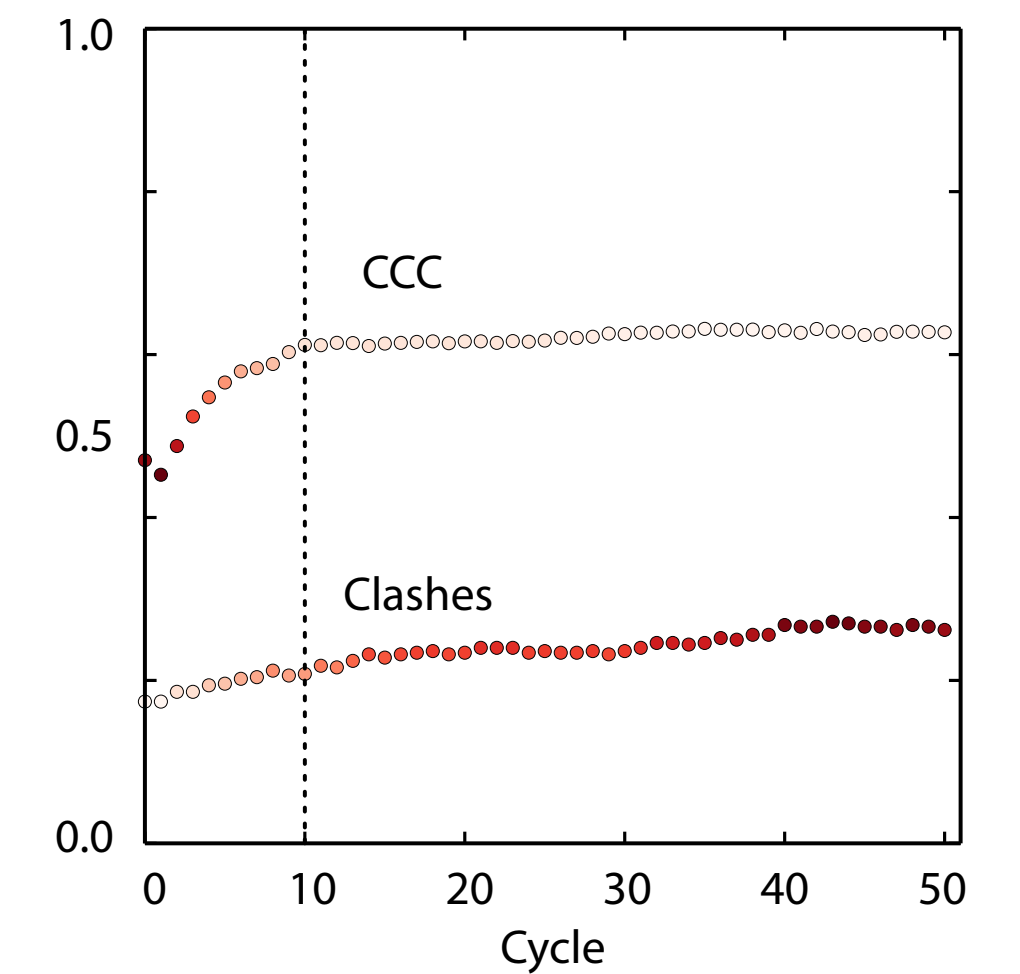
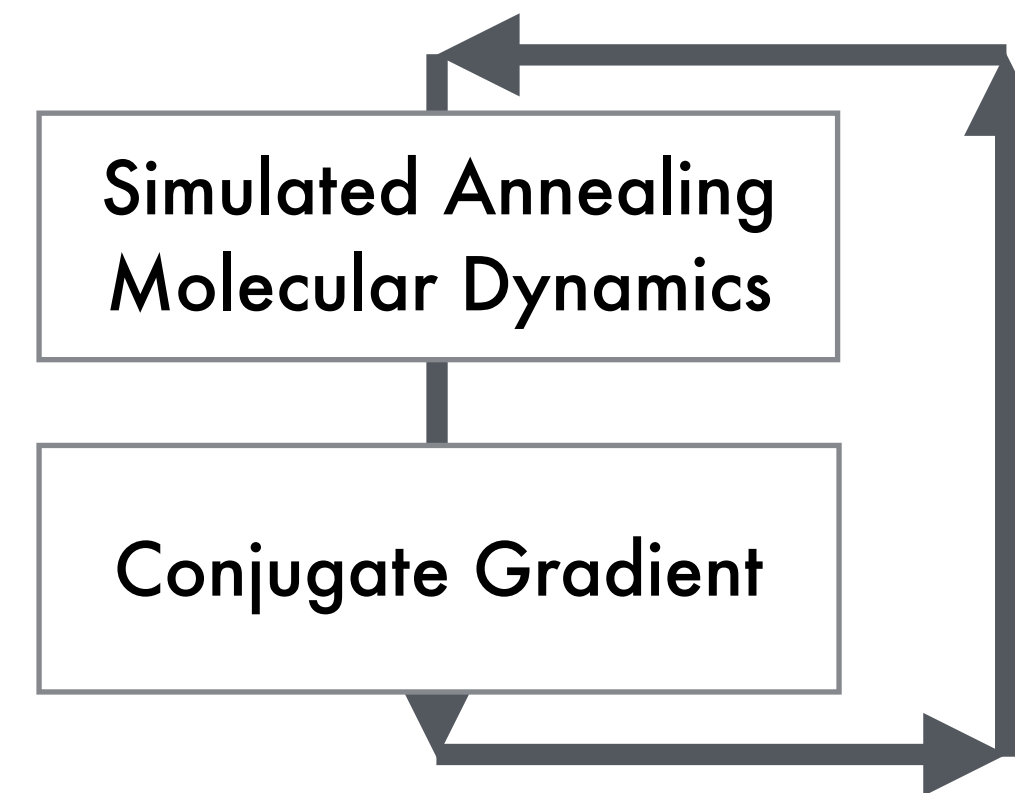
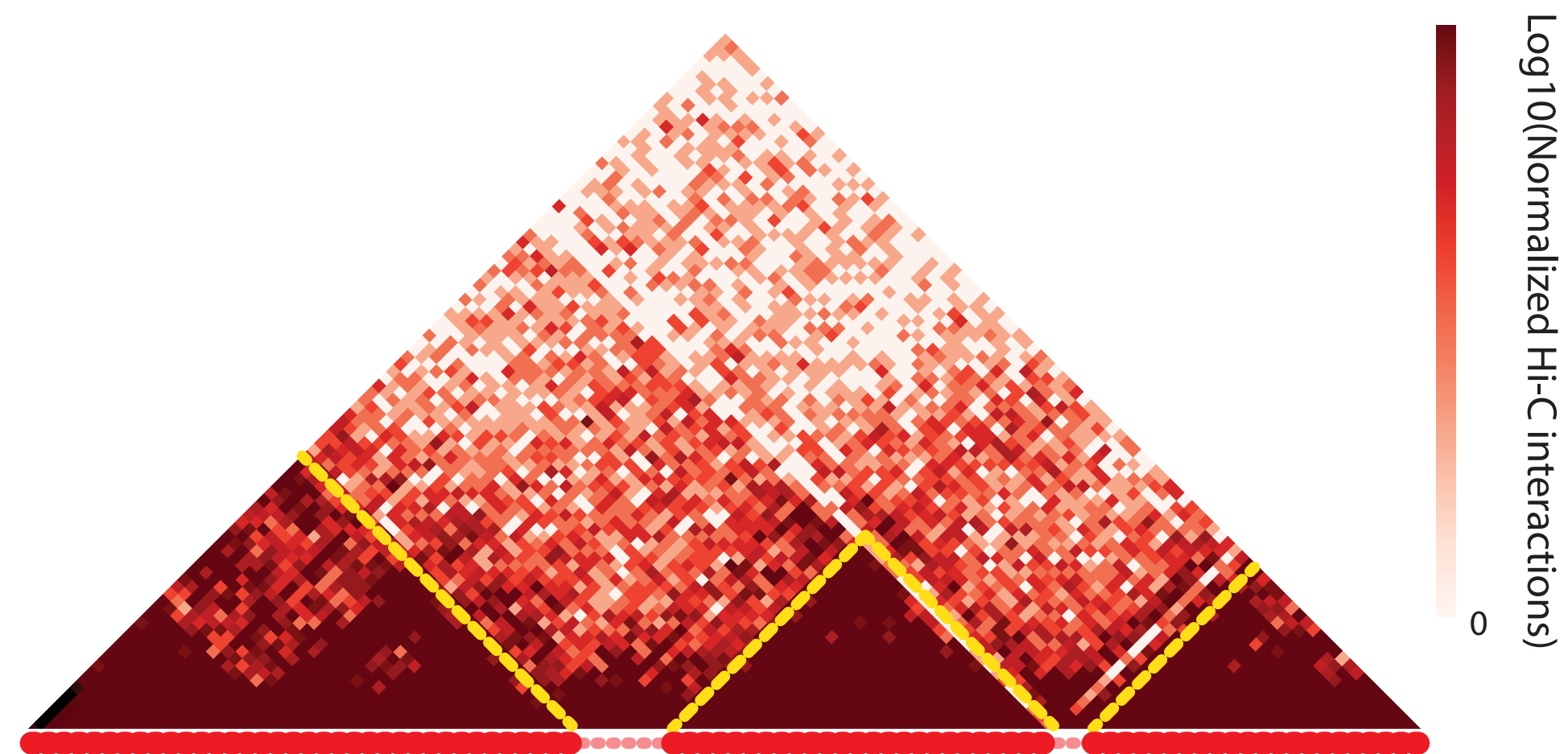


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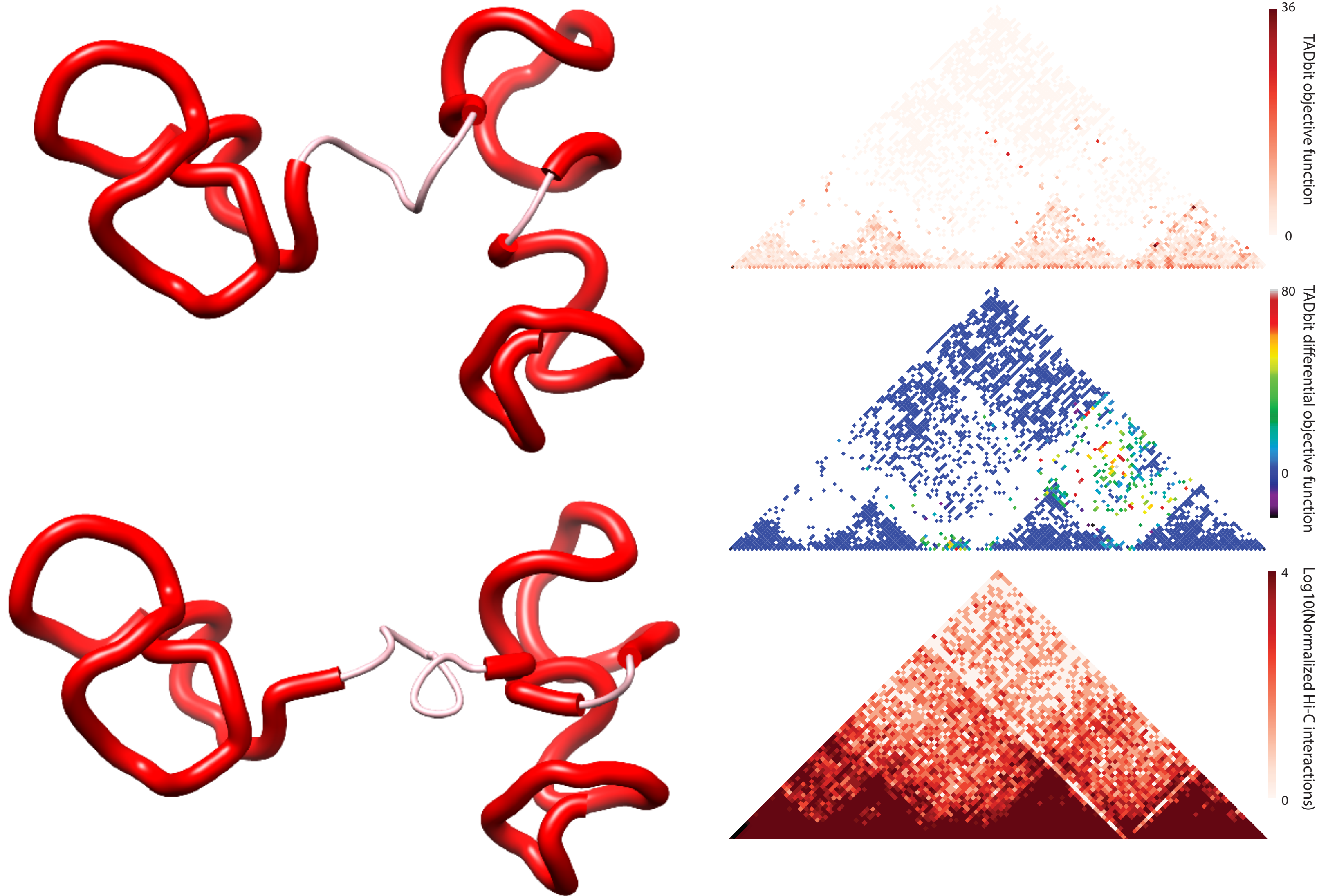
Increasing resolution

Flexible fitting 3D structures based on Hi-C data

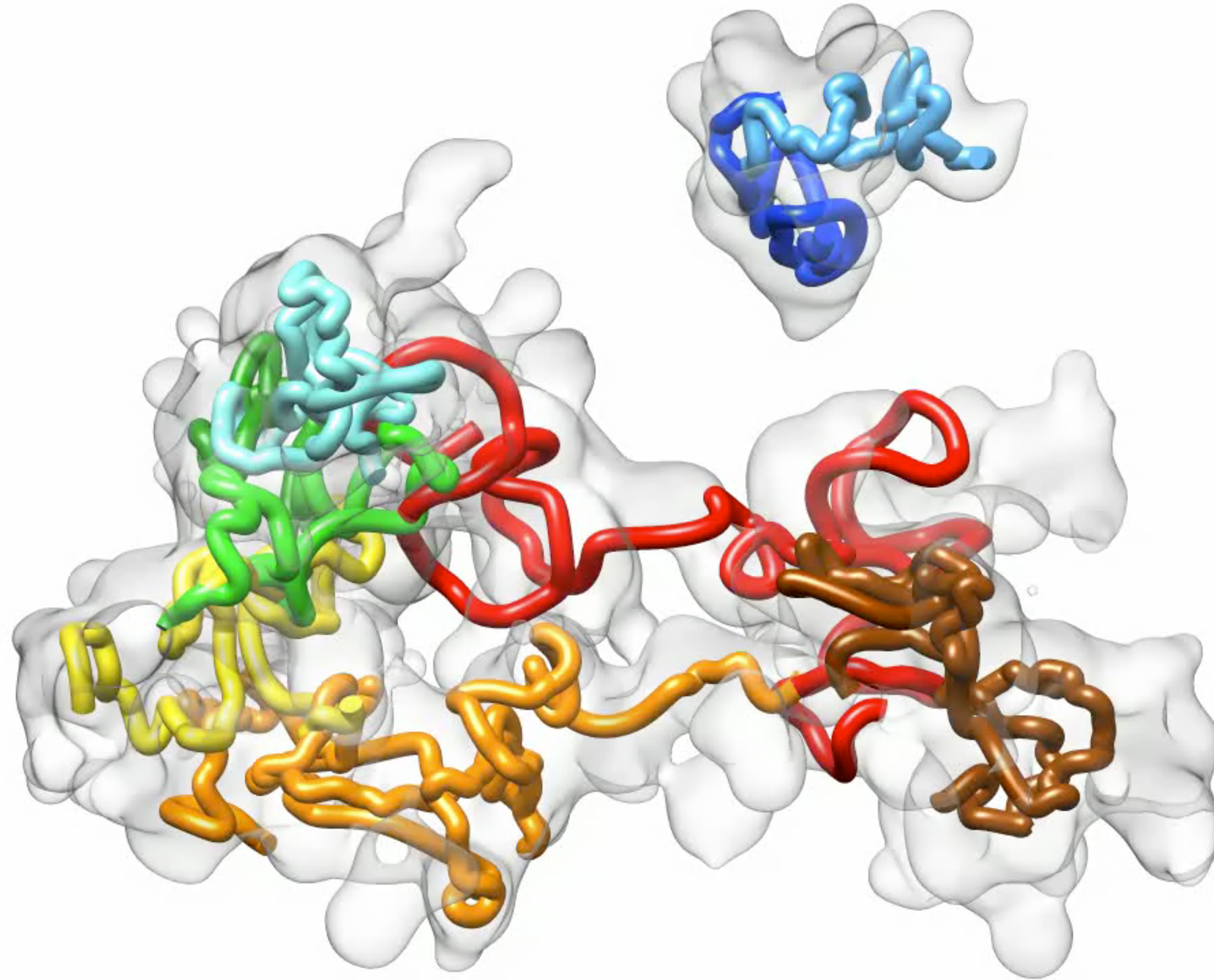


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Chromosome walking path @10Kb resolution



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