Resource Summary Report

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Adaptive Poisson-Boltzmann Solver

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Resource Information

URL: http://www.poissonboltzmann.org/apbs/

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Description: APBS is a software package for modeling biomolecular solvation through solution of the Poisson-Boltzmann equation (PBE), one of the most popular continuum models for describing electrostatic interactions between molecular solutes in salty, aqueous media. APBS was designed to efficiently evaluate electrostatic properties for such simulations for a wide range of length scales to enable the investigation of molecules with tens to millions of atoms. It also provides implicit solvent models of nonpolar solvation which accurately account for both repulsive and attractive solute-solvent interactions. APBS uses FEtk (the Finite Element ToolKit) to solve the Poisson-Boltzmann equation numerically. FEtk is a portable collection of finite element modeling class libraries written in an object-oriented version of C. It is designed to solve general coupled systems of nonlinear partial differential equations using adaptive finite element methods, inexact Newton methods, and algebraic multilevel methods.

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Adaptive Poisson-Boltzmann Solver.

No alerts have been found for Adaptive Poisson-Boltzmann Solver.

Data and Source Information

Source: SciCrunch Registry

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 51 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at ASWG .

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