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# 1 Descriptors of Chemicals

A small or drug molecule could be represented by its chemical structure. In the PyBioMed, we calculate ten types of molecular descriptors to represent small molecules, including constitutional descriptors, topological descriptors, connectivity indices, E-state indices, autocorrelation descriptors, charge descriptors, molecular properties, kappa shape indices, MOE-type descriptors, and molecular fingerprints. These descriptors capture and magnify distinct aspects of chemical structures.

## 1.1 Molecular constitutional descriptors

1. Molecular weight (*Weight*)
2. Count of hydrogen atoms (*nhyd*)
3. Count of halogen atoms (*nhal*)
4. Count of hetero atoms (*nhet*)
5. Count of heavy atoms (*nhev*)
6. Count of F atoms (*ncof*)
7. Count of Cl atoms (*ncocl*)
8. Count of Br atoms (*ncobr*)
9. Count of I atoms (*ncoi*)
10. Count of C atoms (*ncarb*)
11. Count of P atoms (*nphos*)
12. Count of S atoms (*nsulph*)
13. Count of O atoms (*noxy*)
14. Count of N atoms (*nmitro*)
15. Number of rings (*nring*)
16. Number of rotatable bonds (*nrot*)
17. Number of H-bond donors (*ndonr*)
18. Number of H-bond acceptors (*naccr*)
19. Number of single bonds (*nsb*)
20. Number of double bonds (*ndb*)
21. Number of triple bonds (*ntb*)
22. Number of aromatic bonds (*naro*)

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23. Number of all atoms (*nta*)
  24. Average molecular weight (*AWeight*)
  25. Molecular path counts of length 1 (*PC1*)
  26. Molecular path counts of length 2 (*PC2*)
  27. Molecular path counts of length 3 (*PC3*)
  28. Molecular path counts of length 4 (*PC4*)
  29. Molecular path counts of length 5 (*PC5*)
  30. Molecular path counts of length 6 (*PC6*)

### Introduction:

- (1) The molecular weight (MW) is the sum of molecular weights of the individual atoms, defined as:

$$MW = \sum_{i=1}^A MW_i$$

And the average molecular weight (*AWeight*) is given as follows:

$$AWeight = MW/nAT$$

where *nAT* is the number of atoms

- (2) The number of hydrogen (*nhyd*), carbon (*ncarb*), nitrogen (*nnitro*), oxygen (*noxy*), phosphorus (*nphos*), sulfur (*nsulph*), fluorine (*ncof*), chlorine (*ncocl*), bromine (*ncobr*), and iodine (*ncoi*) atoms are simply the total number of each of these types of atoms in the molecule. The number of halogen atoms (*nhal*) is simply the sum of the counts of the halogen atoms; the number of heavy atoms (*nhev*) and hetero atoms (*nhet*) are defined the similar way.
- (3) From descriptor 15 to 22, they are simply the number of ring, single bond, double bond, aromatic bond and H-acceptor, etc, in the molecule.
- (4) From descriptor 25 to 30, they represent the number of path of length 1-6. The path of length *n* indicates the shortest distance equal *n* between two atoms in a topological molecular graph.

## 1.2 Topological descriptors

1. Wiener index (*W*)

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2. Average Wiener index (*AW*)
  3. Balaban's J index (*J*)
  4. Harary number (*T<sub>hara</sub>*)
  5. Schiultz index (*T<sub>sch</sub>*)
  6. Graph distance index (*Tigdi*)
  7. Platt number (*Platt*)
  8. Xu index (*Xu*)
  9. Polarity number (*Pol*)
  10. Pogliani index (*Dz*)
  11. Ipc index (*Ipc*)
  12. BertzCT (*BertzCT*)
  13. Gutman molecular topological index based on simple vertex degree (*GMTI*)
  14. Zagreb index with order 1 (*ZM1*)
  15. Zagreb index with order 2 (*ZM2*)
  16. Modified Zagreb index with order 1 (*MZM1*)
  17. Modified Zagreb index with order 2 (*MZM2*)
  18. Quadratic index (*Qindex*)
  19. Largest value in the distance matrix (*diameter<sub>t</sub>*)
  20. Radius based on topology (*radiust*)
  21. Petitjean based on topology (*petitjeant*)
  22. The logarithm of the simple topological index by Narumi (*Sito*)
  23. Harmonic topological index proposed by Narumi (*Hato*)
  24. Geometric topological index by Narumi (*Geto*)
  25. Arithmetic topological index by Narumi (*Arto*)

**Introduction:**

- (1) Wiener index (*W*)

$$W = (\sum d_{ij}) / 2$$

$d_{ij}$  is the entries of distance matrix D from H-depleted molecular graph.

- (2) Average Wiener index (*AW*)

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The average Wiener index is given by

$$WA = \frac{2W}{A(A-1)}$$

where A is the total number of atoms in the molecule, W and AW are described in more detail on pa 497 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors

- (3) Balaban's J index ( $J$ )

$$J = \frac{B}{C+1} \sum_b (\sigma_i \sigma_j)_b^{-1/2}$$

where  $\sigma_i$  and  $\sigma_j$  are the vertex distance degree of adjacent atoms, and the sum run over all the molecular bond b, B is the number of bonds in the molecular graph and C is the number of rings.  $J$  are described in more detail on pa 21 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors

- (4) Harary number ( $T_{hara}$ )

$$H = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i \sum_j d_{ij}^{-1}$$

The Harary index is a molecular topological index derived from the reciprocal distance matrix  $D^{-1}$

- (5) Schiultz index ( $T_{sch}$ )

$$MTI = \sum_{i=1}^A [(A+D)v]_i$$

It is a topological index derived from the adjacency matrix A, the distance matrix D and the A dimensional column vector v constituted by the vertex degree of the A atoms.

- (6) Graph distance index ( $T_{igdi}$ )

The graph distance index is defined as the squared sum of all graph distance counts:

$$GDI = \sum_{k=1}^D ({}^k f)^2$$

where D is the topological diameter,  ${}^k f$  is the total number of distances in the graph equal to k.

- (7) Platt number ( $Platt$ )

Platt number is also known as the total edge adjacency index  $A_E$ , it is the sum over all entries of the edge adjacency matrix:

$$A_E = \sum_{i=1}^B \sum_{j=1}^B E_{ij}$$

where B is the number of edges in molecular graph

(8) Xu index ( $Xu$ )

It is a topological molecular descriptor based on the adjacency matrix and distance matrix; it is defined as:

$$Xu = \sqrt{A} \log \frac{\sum_{i=1}^A \delta_i \sigma_i^2}{\sum_{i=1}^A \delta_i \sigma_i}$$

where A is the number of atoms,  $\delta$  is vertex degree and  $\sigma$  is distance degree of all the atoms.

(9) Polarity number ( $Pol$ )

It is usually assumed that the polarity number accounts for the flexibility of acyclic structure; it is usually calculated on the distance matrix as the number of pairs of vertices at a topological distance equal to three. Some other polarity number also been defined based on different rules.

(10) Pogliani index ( $Dz$ )

$$D^Z = \sum_{i=1}^A \frac{Z_i^v}{L_i}$$

where A is the number of atoms, Z is the number of valence electrons and L the principal quantum number.

(11) Ipc index ( $Ipc$ )

Ipc index is the information for polynomial coefficients based information theory.

(12) BertzCT ( $BertzCT$ )

It is the most popular complexity index, taking into account both the variety of kinds of bond connectivities and atom types. It is defined as:

$$I_{CPX} = I_{CPB} + I_{CPA}$$

where  $I_{CPB}$  and  $I_{CPA}$  are the information contents related to the bond connectivity and atom type

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- (13) Gutman molecular topological index based on simple vertex degree (*GMTI*)

$$S_G = \sum_{i=1}^A \sum_{j=1}^A \delta_i \delta_j d_{ij}$$

where  $\delta_i \delta_j d_{ij}$  is the topological distance between vertex  $i$  and vertex  $j$  weighted by the product of the endpoint vertex degrees.

- (14) Zagreb index with order 1 (*ZM1*)

The first Zagreb index (Weighted by vertex degrees) is given by

$$M1 = \sum_a \delta_a^2$$

where  $a$  runs over the  $A$  atoms of the molecule and  $\delta$  is the vertex degree.

- (15) Zagreb index with order 2 (*ZM2*)

$$M2 = \sum_b (\delta_i \delta_j)_b$$

where  $b$  runs over all the bonds in the molecule

The Zagreb indices are described on pg 509 of Handbook of Molecular Descriptors

- (16) Modified Zagreb index with order 1 (*MZM1*)

- (17) Modified Zagreb index with order 2 (*MZM2*)

- (18) Quadratic index (*Qindex*)

$$Q = \frac{\sum_g (g^2 - 2g)^g F + 2}{2}$$

Quadratic index also called normalized quadratic index, where  $g$  are the different vertex degree values and  ${}^g F$  is the vertex degree count.

- (19) Largest value in the distance matrix (*diameter*)

$$D = \max_i (\eta_i)$$



$$\eta_i = \max_j (d_{ij})$$

$\eta_i$  called atom eccentricity is the maximum distance from the  $i$ th vertex to the other vertices.

(20) Radius based on topology (*radiust*)

$$R = \min_i (\eta_i)$$

(21) Petitjean based on topology (*petitjeant*)

$$I_2 = \frac{D - R}{R}$$

(22) The logarithm of the simple topological index by Narumi (*Sito*)

$$S = \prod_{i=1}^A \delta_i$$

where A is the number of atoms, *Sito* is a molecular descriptor related to molecular branching proposed as the product of the vertex degrees.

(23) Harmonic topological index proposed by Narumi (*Hato*)

$$H = \frac{A}{\sum_{i=1}^A 1/\delta_i}$$

(24) Geometric topological index by Narumi (*Geto*)

$$G = \left( \prod_{i=1}^A \delta_i \right)^{1/A}$$

(25) Arithmetic topological index by Narumi (*Arto*)

$$A = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^A \delta_i}{A}$$

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### 1.3 Molecular connectivity indices

1. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 0 ( ${}^0\chi^v$ )
2. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 1 ( ${}^1\chi^v$ )
3. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 2 ( ${}^2\chi^v$ )
4. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 3 ( ${}^3\chi^v$ )
5. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 4 ( ${}^4\chi^v$ )
6. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 5 ( ${}^5\chi^v$ )
7. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 6 ( ${}^6\chi^v$ )
8. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 7 ( ${}^7\chi^v$ )
9. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 8 ( ${}^8\chi^v$ )
10. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 9 ( ${}^9\chi^v$ )
11. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 10 ( ${}^{10}\chi^v$ )
12. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for three cluster ( ${}^3\chi^v_c$ )
13. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for four cluster ( ${}^4\chi^v_c$ )
14. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path/cluster ( ${}^4\chi^v_{pc}$ )
15. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for cycles of 3 ( ${}^3\chi^v_{CH}$ )
16. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for cycles of 4 ( ${}^4\chi^v_{CH}$ )
17. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for cycles of 5 ( ${}^5\chi^v_{CH}$ )
18. Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for cycles of 6 ( ${}^6\chi^v_{CH}$ )
19. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 0 ( ${}^0\chi$ )
20. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 1 ( ${}^1\chi$ )
21. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 2 ( ${}^2\chi$ )
22. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 3 ( ${}^3\chi_p$ )
23. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 4 ( ${}^4\chi_p$ )
24. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 5 ( ${}^5\chi_p$ )
25. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 6 ( ${}^6\chi_p$ )
26. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 7 ( ${}^7\chi_p$ )
27. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 8 ( ${}^8\chi_p$ )
28. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 9 ( ${}^9\chi_p$ )
29. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 10 ( ${}^{10}\chi_p$ )

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30. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for three cluster ( ${}^3\chi_c$ )
  31. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for four cluster ( ${}^4\chi_c$ )
  32. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path/cluster ( ${}^4\chi_{pc}$ )
  33. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for cycles of 3 ( ${}^3\chi_{CH}$ )
  34. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for cycles of 4 ( ${}^4\chi_{CH}$ )
  35. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for cycles of 5 ( ${}^5\chi_{CH}$ )
  36. Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for cycles of 6 ( ${}^6\chi_{CH}$ )
  37. mean chi1 (Randic) connectivity index ( $mChi1$ )
  38. the difference between chi3c and chi4pc ( $knotp$ )
  39. the difference between chi0v and chi0 ( $dchi0$ )
  40. the difference between chi1v and chi1 ( $dchi1$ )
  41. the difference between chi2v and chi2 ( $dchi0$ )
  42. the difference between chi3v and chi3 ( $dchi3$ )
  43. the difference between chi4v and chi4 ( $dchi4$ )
  44. the difference between chiv3c and chiv4pc ( $knotpv$ )

### Introduction:

1. Simple molecular connectivity index (No.19~36)

The general formula for the molecular connectivity indices ( ${}^m\chi_t$ ) is as follows:

$${}^m\chi_q = \sum_{k=1}^k \left( \prod_{a=1}^n \delta_a \right)_k^{-1/2}$$

where  $k$  runs over all of the  $m$ th order sub-graphs constituted by  $n$  atoms;  $K$  is the total number of  $m$ th order sub-graphs present in the molecular graph and in the case of the path sub-graphs equals the  $m$ th order path count  ${}^mP$ . The product is over the simple vertex degrees of all the vertices involved in each sub-graph. The subscript “ $q$ ” for the connectivity indices refers to the type of molecular sub-graph and  $ch$  for chain or ring,  $pc$  for path-cluster,  $c$  for cluster, and  $p$  for path. For the first three path indices ( ${}^0\chi, {}^1\chi, {}^2\chi$ ), the calculation type,  $p$ , is often omitted from the variable name in the software.

2. Valence molecular connectivity indices (No.1~18)

The valence connectivity indices ( ${}^m\chi^v_t$ ) are calculated in the same fashion as the simple

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connectivity indices except that the vertex degree are replaced by the valence vertex degree, and the valence degree is given by:  $\delta^v = Z^v - h = \sigma + \pi + n - h$ . Where  $Z^v$  is the number of valence electrons,  $\pi$  is the number of electrons in  $pi$  orbital and  $n$  is the number of electrons in lone-pair orbitals.

The valence connectivity indices are described on page 86 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors. The connectivity indices are described in detail in the literature.

3. The remains connectivity indices are simple combination of the above simple connectivity indices and valence connectivity indices.

## 1.4 Kappa shape descriptors

1. Kappa alpha index for 1 bonded fragment ( ${}^1\kappa_\alpha$ )
2. Kappa alpha index for 2 bonded fragment ( ${}^2\kappa_\alpha$ )
3. Kappa alpha index for 3 bonded fragment ( ${}^3\kappa_\alpha$ )
4. Kier molecular flexibility index ( $phi$ )
5. Molecular shape Kappa index for 1 bonded fragment ( ${}^1\kappa$ )
6. Molecular shape Kappa index for 2 bonded fragment ( ${}^2\kappa$ )
7. Molecular shape Kappa index for 3 bonded fragment ( ${}^3\kappa$ )

### Introduction:

- (1) Kappa alpha index

The first order kappa shape index ( ${}^1\kappa$ ) is given by

$${}^1k = 2 {}^1P_{\max} {}^1P_{\min} / ({}^1P_i)^2 = A(A-1)^2 / ({}^1P_i)^2$$

where  $P_i = \#$  of paths of bond length  $i$  in the hydrogen suppressed molecule and  $A$  is the number of non hydrogen atoms in the molecule.

The second order kappa shape index ( ${}^2\kappa$ ) is given by

$${}^2k = 2 {}^2P_{\max} {}^2P_{\min} / ({}^2P_i)^2 = (A-1)(A-2)^2 / ({}^2P_i)^2$$

The kappa shape indices are described on pg 248 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors.

The first order kappa alpha shape index ( ${}^1\kappa_\alpha$ ) is given by

$${}^1k_a = \frac{(A+a)(A+a-1)^2}{({}^1P+a)^2}$$

where

$$a = 1 - \frac{r_x}{r_{x(sp^3)}}$$

where  $r_x$  is the covalent radius of the atom being evaluated and  $r_{x(sp^3)}$  is the covalent radius of a carbon  $sp^3$  atom (0.77Å).

The second order kappa alpha shape index ( ${}^2\kappa_a$ ) is given by

$${}^2k_a = \frac{(A+a-1)(A+a-2)^2}{({}^2P+a)^2}$$

The third order kappa alpha shape index ( ${}^3\kappa_a$ ) is given by

$${}^3k_a = \frac{(A+a-1)(A+a-3)^2}{({}^3P+a)^2} \quad \text{if } A \text{ is odd}$$

$${}^3k_a = \frac{(A+a-3)(A+a-2)^2}{({}^3P+a)^2} \quad \text{if } A \text{ is even}$$

The kappa shape indices are described on page 250 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors.

The kappa flexibility index ( $\phi$ ) is given by

$$\phi = \frac{{}^1k_a {}^2k_a}{A}$$

The kappa flexibility index is described on page 178 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors.

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## 1.5 Electrotopological State Indices

1. Sum of E-State of atom type: sLi (*S1*)
2. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssBe (*S2*)
3. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssBe (*S3*)
4. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssBH (*S4*)
5. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssB (*S5*)
6. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssB (*S6*)
7. Sum of E-State of atom type: sCH3 (*S7*)
8. Sum of E-State of atom type: dCH2 (*S8*)
9. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssCH2 (*S9*)
10. Sum of E-State of atom type: tCH (*S10*)
11. Sum of E-State of atom type: dsCH (*S11*)
12. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaCH (*S12*)
13. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssCH (*S13*)
14. Sum of E-State of atom type: ddC (*S14*)
15. Sum of E-State of atom type: tsC (*S15*)
16. Sum of E-State of atom type: dssC (*S16*)
17. Sum of E-State of atom type: aasC (*S17*)
18. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaaC (*S18*)
19. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssC (*S19*)
20. Sum of E-State of atom type: sNH3 (*S20*)
21. Sum of E-State of atom type: sNH2 (*S21*)
22. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssNH2 (*S22*)
23. Sum of E-State of atom type: dNH (*S23*)
24. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssNH (*S24*)
25. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaNH (*S25*)
26. Sum of E-State of atom type: tN (*S26*)
27. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssNH (*S27*)
28. Sum of E-State of atom type: dsN (*S28*)
29. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaN (*S29*)

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30. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssN (*S30*)
  31. Sum of E-State of atom type: ddsN (*S31*)
  32. Sum of E-State of atom type: aasN (*S32*)
  33. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssN (*S33*)
  34. Sum of E-State of atom type: sOH (*S34*)
  35. Sum of E-State of atom type: dO (*S35*)
  36. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssO (*S36*)
  37. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaO (*S37*)
  38. Sum of E-State of atom type: sF (*S38*)
  39. Sum of E-State of atom type: sSiH3 (*S39*)
  40. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssSiH2 (*S40*)
  41. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssSiH (*S41*)
  42. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssSi (*S42*)
  43. Sum of E-State of atom type: sPH2 (*S43*)
  44. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssPH (*S44*)
  45. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssP (*S45*)
  46. Sum of E-State of atom type: dsssP (*S46*)
  47. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssssP (*S47*)
  48. Sum of E-State of atom type: sSH (*S48*)
  49. Sum of E-State of atom type: dS (*S49*)
  50. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssS (*S50*)
  51. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaS (*S51*)
  52. Sum of E-State of atom type: dssS (*S52*)
  53. Sum of E-State of atom type: ddssS (*S53*)
  54. Sum of E-State of atom type: sCl (*S54*)
  55. Sum of E-State of atom type: sGeH3 (*S55*)
  56. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssGeH2 (*S56*)
  57. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssGeH (*S57*)
  58. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssGe (*S58*)
  59. Sum of E-State of atom type: sAsH2 (*S59*)
  60. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssAsH (*S60*)

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61. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssAs (*S61*)
  62. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssdAs (*S62*)
  63. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssssAs (*S63*)
  64. Sum of E-State of atom type: sSeH (*S64*)
  65. Sum of E-State of atom type: dSe (*S65*)
  66. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssSe (*S66*)
  67. Sum of E-State of atom type: aaSe (*S67*)
  68. Sum of E-State of atom type: dssSe (*S68*)
  69. Sum of E-State of atom type: ddssSe (*S69*)
  70. Sum of E-State of atom type: sBr (*S70*)
  71. Sum of E-State of atom type: sSnH3 (*S71*)
  72. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssSnH2 (*S72*)
  73. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssSnH (*S73*)
  74. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssSn (*S74*)
  75. Sum of E-State of atom type: sI (*S75*)
  76. Sum of E-State of atom type: sPbH3 (*S76*)
  77. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssPbH2 (*S77*)
  78. Sum of E-State of atom type: sssPbH (*S78*)
  79. Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssPb (*S79*)
  - 80-158. maximum of E-State value of specified atom type (*Smax1~Smax79*)
  - 159-237. minimum of E-State value of specified atom type (*Smin1~Smin79*)

### Introduction:

The E-State value for a given non hydrogen atom  $i$  in a molecule is given by its intrinsic state ( $I_i$ ) plus the sum of the perturbations on that atom from all the other atoms in the molecule:

$$S_k = I_k + \sum_{i=1}^A \Delta I_{ki}$$

where the intrinsic state ( $I_k$ ) is given by



$$I_k = \frac{(2/N)^2 \delta_k^v + 1}{\delta_k}$$

where  $N$ =principle quantum number (which is equal to the element's period or row in the element table).

The perturbation of atom  $k$  due to atom  $i$  is given by

$$\Delta I_{ki} = \frac{(I_i - I_k)}{r_{ki}^2}$$

where

$$r_{ki} = d_{ki} + 1$$

$d_{ki}$  is the number of bonds that separate atom  $k$  from atom  $i$ .

The atom type non hydrogen indices (SX) are obtained by summing the E-State values for all the atoms of a given type  $t$  that are present in the molecule.

$$SX = \sum S(t)$$

In addition, the symbol present in molecular descriptors,  $s$ ,  $d$ ,  $t$  and  $a$  indicate single bond, double bond, triple bond and aromatic bond, respectively.

## 1.6 Autocorrelation descriptors

The Broto-Moreau autocorrelation descriptors (ATS $d_w$ ) are given by

$$ATSd_w = \sum_{i=1}^A \sum_{j=1}^A \delta_{ij} \omega_i \omega_j$$

where  $d$  is the considered topological distance (i.e. the lag in the autocorrelation terms),  $\delta_{ij}$  is the Kronecker delta function ( $\delta_{ij}=1$  if  $d_{ij}=d$ , zero otherwise), and  $w_i$  and  $w_j$  are the weights (normalized atomic properties) for atoms  $i$  and  $j$  respectively. The normalized atomic mass, van der Waals volume, electronegativity, or polarizability can be used for the weights. To match Dragon, the Broto-Moreau autocorrelation descriptors are calculated in the Software as follows:

$$ATSd_w = \ln \left( 1 + \sum_{i=1}^A \sum_{j=1}^A \delta_{ij} \cdot w_i \cdot w_j \right)$$

The Moran autocorrelation descriptors (MATSD<sub>w</sub>) are given by

$$MATSD_w = \frac{\frac{1}{\Delta} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^A \sum_{j=1}^A \delta_{ij} \cdot (w_i - \bar{w})(w_j - \bar{w})}{\frac{1}{A} \sum_{i=1}^A (w_i - \bar{w})^2}$$

where  $\bar{w}$  is the average value of the property for the molecule and  $\Delta$  is the number of vertex pairs at distance equal to  $d$ .

The Geary autocorrelation descriptors are given by

$$GATSd_w = \frac{\frac{1}{2\Delta} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^A \sum_{j=1}^A \delta_{ij} \cdot (w_i - w_j)^2}{\frac{1}{A-1} \sum_{i=1}^A (w_i - \bar{w})^2}$$

The 2D autocorrelation descriptors are described on page 17-19 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors.

### 1.6.1 Moreau-Broto autocorrelation descriptors

1. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag1/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm1*)
2. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag2/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm2*)
3. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag3/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm3*)
4. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag4/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm4*)
5. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag5/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm5*)
6. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag6/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm6*)
7. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag7/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm7*)
8. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag8/weighted by atomic masses (*ATSm8*)

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9. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag1/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV1*)
  10. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag2/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV2*)
  11. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag3/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV3*)
  12. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag4/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV4*)
  13. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag5/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV5*)
  14. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag6/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV6*)
  15. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag7/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV7*)
  16. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag8/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*ATSV8*)
  17. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag1/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe1*)
  18. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag2/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe2*)
  19. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag3/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe3*)
  20. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag4/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe4*)
  21. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag5/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe5*)
  22. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag6/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe6*)
  23. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag7/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe7*)

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24. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag8/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*ATSe8*)
  25. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag1/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp1*)
  26. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag2/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp2*)
  27. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag3/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp3*)
  28. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag4/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp4*)
  29. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag5/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp5*)
  30. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag6/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp6*)
  31. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag7/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp7*)
  32. Broto-Moreau autocorrelation of a topological structure-lag8/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*ATSp8*)

### **1.6.2 Moran autocorrelation descriptors**

33. Moran autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm1*)
34. Moran autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm2*)
35. Moran autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm3*)
36. Moran autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm4*)
37. Moran autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm5*)
38. Moran autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm6*)
39. Moran autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm7*)
40. Moran autocorrelation-lag 8/weighted by atomic masses (*MATSm8*)
41. Moran autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV1*)
42. Moran autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV2*)

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43. Moran autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV3*)
  44. Moran autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV4*)
  45. Moran autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV5*)
  46. Moran autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV6*)
  47. Moran autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV7*)
  48. Moran autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*MATSV8*)
  49. Moran autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe1*)
  50. Moran autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe2*)
  51. Moran autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe3*)
  52. Moran autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe4*)
  53. Moran autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe5*)
  54. Moran autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe6*)
  55. Moran autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe7*)
  56. Moran autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*MATSe8*)
  57. Moran autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp1*)
  58. Moran autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp2*)
  59. Moran autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp3*)
  60. Moran autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp4*)
  61. Moran autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp5*)
  62. Moran autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp6*)
  63. Moran autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp7*)
  64. Moran autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*MATSp8*)

### **1.6.3 Geary autocorrelation descriptors**

65. Geary autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm1*)
66. Geary autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm2*)
67. Geary autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm3*)
68. Geary autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm4*)
69. Geary autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm5*)
70. Geary autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm6*)
71. Geary autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm7*)

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72. Geary autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic masses (*GATSm8*)
  73. Geary autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv1*)
  74. Geary autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv2*)
  75. Geary autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv3*)
  76. Geary autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv4*)
  77. Geary autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv5*)
  78. Geary autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv6*)
  79. Geary autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv7*)
  80. Geary autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic van der Waals volumes (*GATsv8*)
  81. Geary autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe1*)
  82. Geary autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe2*)
  83. Geary autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe3*)
  84. Geary autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe4*)
  85. Geary autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe5*)
  86. Geary autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe6*)
  87. Geary autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe7*)
  88. Geary autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities (*GATSe8*)
  89. Geary autocorrelation-lag1/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp1*)
  90. Geary autocorrelation-lag2/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp2*)
  91. Geary autocorrelation-lag3/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp3*)
  92. Geary autocorrelation-lag4/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp4*)
  93. Geary autocorrelation-lag5/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp5*)
  94. Geary autocorrelation-lag6/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp6*)
  95. Geary autocorrelation-lag7/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp7*)
  96. Geary autocorrelation-lag8/weighted by atomic polarizabilities (*GATSp8*)

## 1.7 Charge descriptors

1. Most positive charge on H atoms ( $Q_{Hmax}$ )
2. Most positive charge on C atoms ( $Q_{Cmax}$ )
3. Most positive charge on N atoms ( $Q_{Nmax}$ )
4. Most positive charge on O atoms ( $Q_{Omax}$ )

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5. Most negative charge on H atoms ( $Q_{Hmin}$ )
  6. Most negative charge on C atoms ( $Q_{Cmin}$ )
  7. Most negative charge on N atoms ( $Q_{Nmin}$ )
  8. Most negative charge on O atoms ( $Q_{Omin}$ )
  9. Most positive charge in a molecule ( $Q_{max}$ )
  10. Most negative charge in a molecule ( $Q_{min}$ )
  11. Sum of squares of charges on H atoms ( $Q_{HSS}$ )
  12. Sum of squares of charges on C atoms ( $Q_{CSS}$ )
  13. Sum of squares of charges on N atoms ( $Q_{NSS}$ )
  14. Sum of squares of charges on O atoms ( $Q_{OSS}$ )
  15. Sum of squares of charges on all atoms ( $Q_{aSS}$ )
  16. Mean of positive charges ( $Mpc$ )
  17. Total of positive charges ( $Tpc$ )
  18. Mean of negative charges ( $Mnc$ )
  19. Total of negative charges ( $Tnc$ )
  20. Mean of absolute charges ( $Mac$ )
  21. Total of absolute charges ( $Tac$ )
  22. Relative positive charge ( $Rpc$ )
  23. Relative negative charge ( $Rnc$ )
  24. Submolecular polarity parameter ( $SPP$ )
  25. Local dipole index ( $LDI$ )

**Introduction:**

These are electronic descriptors defined in terms of atomic charges and used to describe electronic aspects of the whole molecule and of particular regions, such as atoms, bonds and molecular fragments. Charge descriptors are calculated by computational chemistry and therefore can be considered among quantum chemical descriptors.

Electrical charges in the molecule are the driving force of electrostatic interactions, and it is well known the local electron density or charge plays a fundamental role in many chemical reactions and physic-chemical properties.

Some most used charge descriptors are displayed here as followed:

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- (1) Most positive charge in a molecule ( $Q_{max}$ )

The maximum positive charge of the atoms in a molecule:

$$Q_{max} = \max_a (q_a^+)$$

where  $q^+$  are net atom positive charges

- (2) Most negative charge in a molecule ( $Q_{min}$ )

The maximum negative charge of the atoms in a molecule:

$$Q_{min} = \max_a (q_a^-)$$

where  $q^-$  are net atom negative charges

- (3) Total of positive charges ( $Tpc$ )

The sum of all of the positive charges of the atoms in a molecule:

$$Tpc = \sum_a (q_a^+)$$

where  $q^+$  are net atom positive charges

- (4) Total of negative charges ( $Tnc$ )

The sum of all of the negative charges of the atoms in a molecule:

$$Tnc = \sum_a (q_a^-)$$

where  $q^-$  are net atom negative charges

## 1.8 molecular properties

1. Molar refractivity ( $MREF$ )
2. LogP value based on the Crippen method ( $logP$ )
3. Square of LogP value based on the Crippen method ( $logP^2$ )
4. Topological polarity surface area ( $TPSA$ )
5. Unsaturation index ( $UI$ )
6. Hydrophilic index ( $Hy$ )

### Introduction:

- (1) Molar refractivity ( $MREF$ )



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Molecular descriptor of a liquid which contains both information about molecular volume and polarizability, usually defined by the Lorenz-Lorentz equation:

$$MR = \frac{n^2 - 1}{n^2 + 2} \frac{MW}{\rho}$$

where MW is the molecular weight,  $\rho$  is the liquid density, and n the refractive index of the liquid.

(2) LogP value based on the Crippen method (*logP*)

The Ghose-Crippen contribution method is based on hydrophobic atomic constants  $a_k$  measuring the lipophilic contributions of atoms in the molecule, each described by its neighbouring atoms.

$$\text{Log}P = \sum_k a_k N_k$$

where  $N_k$  is the occurrence of the  $k$ th atom type

(3) Topological polarity surface area (*TPSA*)

It is the sum of solvent-accessible surface areas of atoms with absolute value of partial charges greater than or equal to 0.2.

$$\text{TPSA} = \sum_a SA_a$$
$$|q_a| \geq 0.2$$

(4) Unsaturation index (*UI*)

The unsaturation index (*UI*) is defined as

$$UI = \log_2(1 + nDB + nTB + nAB)$$

where nDB=the number of double bonds, nTB=the number of triple bonds and nAB=the number of aromatic bonds. The unsaturation index is described in the user manual for Dragon.

(5) Hydrophilic index (*Hy*)

The hydrophilic index is given by

$$Hy = \frac{(1 + N_{Hy}) \log_2(1 + N_{Hy}) + N_c \left( \frac{1}{A} \log_2 \frac{1}{A} \right) + \sqrt{\frac{N_{Hy}}{A^2}}}{\log_2(1 + A)}$$

where  $N_{Hy}$  is the number of hydrophilic groups (or the total number of hydrogen attached to oxygen, sulfur and nitrogen atoms),  $N_c$  is the number of carbon atoms, and  $A$  is the number of non hydrogen atoms. The hydrophilic index is described in more detail on page 225 of the Handbook of Molecular Descriptors (Todeschini and Consonni 2000).

## 1.9 MOE-type descriptors

1. topological polar surface area based on fragments (*TPSA*)
2. Labute's Approximate Surface Area (*LabuteASA*)
3. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA1*)
4. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA2*)
5. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA3*)
6. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA4*)
7. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA5*)
8. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA6*)
9. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA7*)
10. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA8*)
11. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA9*)
12. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA10*)
13. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA11*)
14. MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions (*SLOGPVSA12*)
15. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA1*)
16. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA2*)
17. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA3*)
18. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA4*)
19. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA5*)

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20. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA6*)
  21. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA7*)
  22. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA8*)
  23. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA9*)
  24. MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions (*SMRVSA10*)
  25. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA1*)
  26. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA2*)
  27. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA3*)
  28. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA4*)
  29. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA5*)
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  35. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA11*)
  36. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA12*)
  37. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA13*)
  38. MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area contributions (*PEOEVSA14*)
  39. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA1*)
  40. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA2*)
  41. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA3*)
  42. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA4*)
  43. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA5*)
  44. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA6*)
  45. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA7*)
  46. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA8*)
  47. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA9*)
  48. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA10*)
  49. MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions (*EstateVSA11*)
  50. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate1*)

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51. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate2*)
  52. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate3*)
  53. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate4*)
  54. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate5*)
  55. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate6*)
  56. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate7*)
  57. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate8*)
  58. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate9*)
  59. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate10*)
  60. MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices (*VSAEstate11*)

## 1.10 CATS2D descriptors

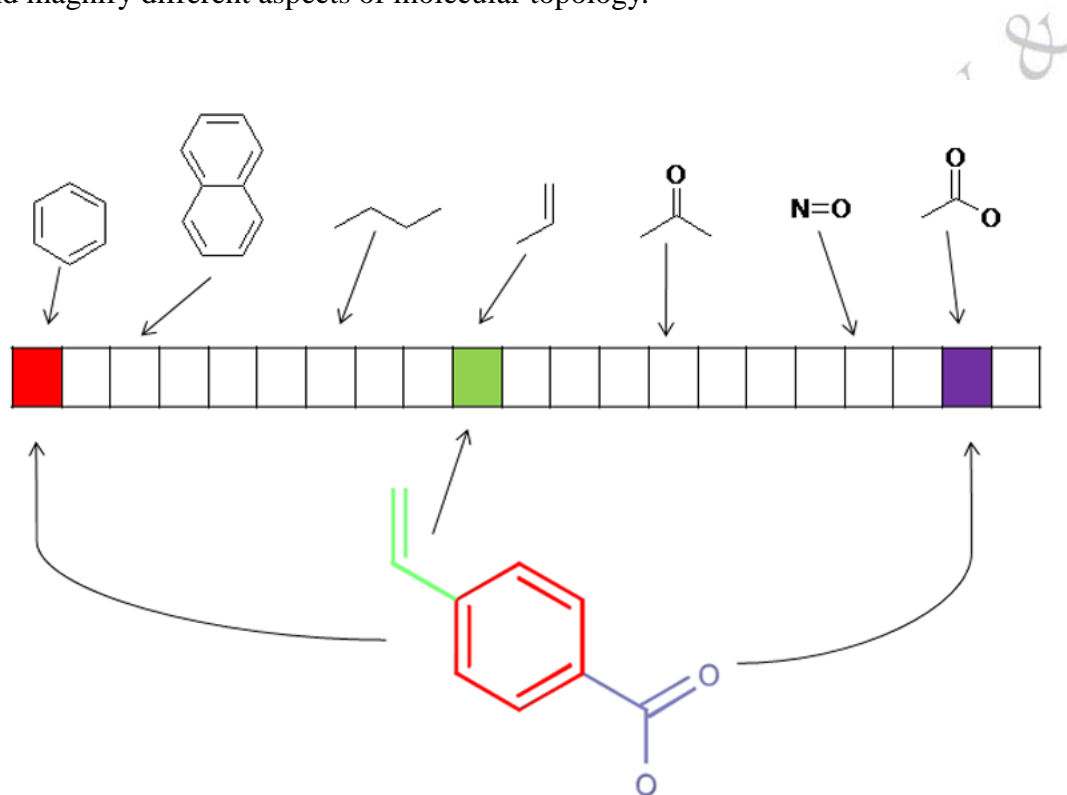
This part aims to calculate CATS vectors, based upon Schneider et al, *Angew Chemie*, 38, 2894-2896 with augmentation to included aromatic atom types based upon unpublished work by M.H Charlton, M.L. Brewer and P.N. Mortenson carried out at Evotec.

## 1.11 Molecular fingerprint

Molecular fingerprints are string representations of chemical structures designed to enhance the efficiency of chemical database searching and analysis. They can encode the 2D and/or 3D features of molecules as an array of binary values or counts. Therefore, molecular fingerprints consist of bins, each bin being a substructure descriptor associated with a specific molecular feature.

Molecular fingerprints directly encode molecular structure in a series of binary bits that represent the presence or absence of particular substructures in the molecule. Although it divides the whole molecule into a large number of fragments, it has the potential to keep overall complexity of drug molecules. Additionally, it does not need reasonable three-dimensional conformation of drug molecules and thereby does not lead to error accumulation from the description of molecular structures. Thus by means of such descriptors, each molecule can be described based on a set of fingerprints of structural keys, which is represented as a Boolean array. A SMARTS list of substructure patterns is first

determined as a predefined dictionary. There is a one-to-one correspondence between each SMARTS pattern and bit in the fingerprint. For each SMARTS pattern, if its corresponding substructure is present in the given molecule, the corresponding bit in the fingerprint is set to 1; conversely, it is set to 0 if the substructure is absent in the molecule (see Figure 1). Note that different molecular fingerprint systems abstract and magnify different aspects of molecular topology.



**Figure 1** Representation of a molecular substructure fingerprint with a substructure fingerprint dictionary of given substructure patterns. This molecule is represented in a series of binary bits that represent the presence or absence of particular substructures in the molecules.

### 1.11.1 Daylight-type fingerprint

The Daylight fingerprints (DFP) are hashed fingerprints encoding each atom type, all Augmented Atoms and all paths of length 2–7 atoms, giving a total string of 1024 bits [Daylight-James, Weininger et al., 1997].

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### 1.11.2 MACCS keys and FP4 fingerprint

The FP4 and MACCS fingerprints are used to construct the substructure dictionaries, respectively. The dictionary of FP4 fingerprint contains 307 mostly common substructure patterns. It is originally written in an attempt to represent the classification of organic compounds from the viewpoint of an organic chemist. The MACCS fingerprint uses a dictionary of MDL keys, which contains a set of 166 mostly common substructure features. These are referred to as the MDL public MACCS keys. Both the definitions of FP4 and MACCS fingerprints are available from OpenBabel (version 2.3.0, <http://openbabel.org/>, accessed October, 2010). All calculations for these substructure fingerprints are performed in PyBioMed, developed by our group.

### 1.11.3 E-state fingerprint

Electrotopological State (E-state) fingerprints represent the presence/absence of 79 E-state substructures defined Kier and Hall in a molecule. The definition of 79 atom types can be found in section 1.5.

### 1.11.4 Atom pairs and topological torsions fingerprints

#### Atom pairs fingerprint:

Atom pairs are substructure descriptors defined in terms of any pair of atoms and bond types connecting them. An atom pair is composed of two non-hydrogen atoms and an interatomic separation:

$$AP = \{[i\text{th atom description}][\text{separation}][j\text{th atom description}]\}$$

The two considered atoms need not be directly connected and the separation can be the topological distance between them [Carhart, Smith et al., 1985]; these descriptors are usually called topological atom pairs being based on the topological representation of the molecules. Atom type is defined by the element itself, the number of heavy-atom connections and number of p electron pairs on each atom.

Unlike topological torsions, atom pairs are sensitive to long-range correlations between the atoms in molecules and therefore to small changes in one part of even large molecules. Atom pair descriptors usually are Boolean variables encoding the presence or absence of a particular atom pair in each molecule.

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### Topological torsion fingerprint:

The topological torsion descriptor (TT) is related to the 4-atom linear subfragment descriptor of Klopman because it is defined as a Boolean variable for the presence/absence of a linear sequence of four consecutively bonded non-hydrogen atoms  $k-i-j-l$ , each described by its atom type (TYPE), the number of  $p$  electrons (NPI) on each atom, and the number of non-hydrogen atoms (NBR) bonded to it [Nilakantan, Bauman et al., 1987]. Usually NBR does not include  $k-i-j-l$  atoms that go to make the torsion itself; therefore, it is -1 for  $k$  and  $l$  atoms and -2 for the two central atoms  $i$  and  $j$ . The torsion around the  $i-j$  bond and defined by the four indices  $k-i-j-l$  is represented by the following TT descriptor:

$$TT = \{[NPI-TYPE-NBR]_k[NPI-TYPE-NBR]_i[NPI-TYPE-NBR]_j[NPI-TYPE-NBR]_l\}$$

The TT descriptor is a topological analogue of the 3D torsion angle, defined by four consecutively bonded atoms. The topological torsion is a short-range descriptor, that is, it is sensitive only to local changes in the molecule and is independent of the total number of atoms in the molecule.

The use of atom-centered fragments and related descriptors greatly increases the specific chemical information concerning different functional groups, but cannot discriminate between different arrangements of functional groups within a molecule.

### 1.11.5 Morgan fingerprint

This family of fingerprints, better known as circular fingerprints, is built by applying the Morgan algorithm to a set of user-supplied atom invariants. When generating Morgan fingerprints, the radius of the fingerprint need be provided. For detailed information about Morgan fingerprint, please refer to Ref. Note The default atom invariants use connectivity information similar to those used for the well known ECFP family of fingerprints. When comparing the ECFP/FCFP fingerprints and the Morgan fingerprints, remember that the 4 in ECFP4 corresponds to the diameter of the atom environments considered, while the Morgan fingerprints take a radius parameter. So the examples above, with radius=2, are roughly equivalent to ECFP4 and FCFP4.

### 1.11.6 2D Pharmacophore(Pharm2D2point, Pharm2D3point) Fingerprints

Combining a set of chemical features with the 2D (topological) distances between them gives a 2D pharmacophore. When the distances are binned, unique integer ids can be assigned to each of these

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pharmacophores and they can be stored in a fingerprint. Details of the encoding are in the The RDKit projects.

### 1.11.7 GhoseCrippen fingerprint

This part calculates GhoseCrippen fingerprint by matching the SMARTS that represent atomic contributions to the LogP and MR values. More details about his approach please refer S. A. Wildman and G. M. Crippen \*JCICS\* \_39\_ 868-873 (1999).

### 1.11.8 Pubchem fingerprint

The PubChem System generates a binary substructure fingerprint for chemical structures. These fingerprints are used by PubChem for similarity neighboring and similarity searching. A substructure is a fragment of a chemical structure. A fingerprint is an ordered list of binary (1/0) bits. Each bit represents a Boolean determination of, or test for, the presence of, for example, an element count, a type of ring system, atom pairing, atom environment (nearest neighbors), etc., in a chemical structure. The native format of the PubChem Substructure Fingerprint property is binary data with a four byte integer prefix, where this integer prefix indicates the length of the bit list. For the ASN.1 and XML formatted data, this property is stored in a PC-InfoData container, as described by the PCSubstance ASN.1 definition or XML schema: <ftp://ftp.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubchem/specifications/>.

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## 1.11 Descriptors list

**Table S2** List of PyBiomMed computed descriptors for chemicals

<b>Molecular descriptors</b>		
	<b>Constitutional descriptors</b>	
1	Weight	Molecular weight
2	nhyd	Count of hydrogen atoms
3	nhal	Count of halogen atoms
4	nhet	Count of hetero atoms
5	nhev	Count of heavy atoms
6	ncof	Count of F atoms
7	ncocl	Count of Cl atoms
8	ncobr	Count of Br atoms
9	ncoi	Count of I atoms
10	ncarb	Count of C atoms
11	nphos	Count of P atoms
12	nsulph	Count of S atoms
13	noxy	Count of O atoms
14	nnitro	Count of N atoms
15	nring	Number of rings
16	nrot	Number of rotatable bonds

17	ndonr	Number of H-bond donors
18	naccr	Number of H-bond acceptors
19	nsb	Number of single bonds
20	ndb	Number of double bonds
21	ntb	Number of triple bonds
22	naro	Number of aromatic bonds
23	nta	Number of all atoms
24	AWeight	Average molecular weight
25-30	PC1 PC2 PC3 PC4 PC5 PC6	Molecular path counts of length 1-6
<b>Topological descriptors</b>		
1	W	Weiner index
2	AW	Average Wiener index
3	J	Balaban's J index
4	T <sub>hara</sub>	Harary number
5	T <sub>sch</sub>	Schiultz index
6	Tigdi	Graph distance index
7	Platt	Platt number
8	Xu	Xu index

9	Pol	Polarity number
10	Dz	Pogliani index
11	Ipc	Ipc index
12	BertzCT	BertzCT
13	GMTI	Gutman molecular topological index based on simple vertex degree
14-15	ZM1 ZM2	Zagreb index with order 1-2
16-17	MZM1 MZM2	Modified Zagreb index with order 1-2
18	Qindex	Quadratic index
19	diametert	Largest value in the distance matrix
20	radiust	radius based on topology
21	petitjeant	Petitjean based on topology
22	Sito	the logarithm of the simple topological index by Narumi
23	Hato	harmonic topological index proposed by Narumi
24	Geto	Geometric topological index by Narumi
25	Arto	Arithmetic topological index by Narumi
<b>Connectivity descriptors</b>		
1-11	$\chi^v$ $\chi^1$ $\chi^2$ $\chi_p^3$ $\chi_p^4$	Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path order 0-10

	$\chi_p^v$ $\chi_p^v$ $\chi_p^v$ $\chi_p^v$ $\chi_p^v$ $\chi_p^v$	
12	$\chi_c^v$	Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for three cluster
13	$\chi_c^v$	Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for four cluster
14	$\chi_{pc}^v$	Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for path/cluster
15-18	$\chi_{CH}^v$ $\chi_{CH}^v$ $\chi_{CH}^v$ $\chi_{CH}^v$	Valence molecular connectivity Chi index for cycles of 3-6
19-29	$\chi^0$ $\chi^1$ $\chi^2$ $\chi_p^3$ $\chi_p^4$ $\chi_p^5$ $\chi_p^6$ $\chi_p^7$ $\chi_p^8$ $\chi_p^9$ $\chi_p^{10}$	Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path order 0-10
30	$\chi_c^3$	Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for three cluster
31	$\chi_c^4$	Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for four cluster
32	$\chi_{pc}^4$	Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for path/cluster

33-36	${}^3\chi_{CH}$ ${}^4\chi_{CH}$ ${}^5\chi_{CH}$ ${}^6\chi_{CH}$	Simple molecular connectivity Chi indices for cycles of 3-6
37	mChi1	mean chi 1 (Randic) connectivity index
38	knotp	the difference between chi3c and chi4pc
39	dchi0	the difference between chi0v and chi0
40	dchi1	the difference between chi1v and chi1
41	dchi2	the difference between chi2v and chi2
42	dchi3	the difference between chi3v and chi3
43	dchi4	the difference between chi4v and chi4
44	knotpv	the difference between chiv3c and chiv4pc
<b>Kappa descriptors</b>		
1	${}^1\kappa_\alpha$	Kappa alpha index for 1 bonded fragment
2	${}^2\kappa_\alpha$	Kappa alpha index for 2 bonded fragment
3	${}^3\kappa_\alpha$	Kappa alpha index for 3 bonded fragment
4	phi	Kier molecular flexibility index
5	${}^1\kappa$	Molecular shape Kappa index for 1 bonded fragment
6	${}^2\kappa$	Molecular shape Kappa index for 2 bonded fragment
7	${}^3\kappa$	Molecular shape Kappa index for 3 bonded fragment
<b>E-state descriptors</b>		
1	S(1)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sLi
2	S(2)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssBe

3	S(3)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssBe
4	S(4)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssBH
5	S(5)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssB
6	S(6)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssB
7	S(7)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sCH3
8	S(8)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dCH2
9	S(9)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssCH2
10	S(10)	Sum of E-State of atom type: tCH
11	S(11)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dsCH
12	S(12)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaCH
13	S(13)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssCH
14	S(14)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ddC
15	S(15)	Sum of E-State of atom type: tsC
16	S(16)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dssC
17	S(17)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aasC
18	S(18)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaaC
19	S(19)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssC
20	S(20)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sNH3
21	S(21)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sNH2
22	S(22)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssNH2
23	S(23)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dNH
24	S(24)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssNH



25	S(25)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaNH
26	S(26)	Sum of E-State of atom type: tN
27	S(27)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssNH
28	S(28)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dsN
29	S(29)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaN
30	S(30)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssN
31	S(31)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ddsN
32	S(32)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aasN
33	S(33)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssN
34	S(34)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sOH
35	S(35)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dO
36	S(36)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssO
37	S(37)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaO
38	S(38)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sF
39	S(39)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sSiH3
40	S(40)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssSiH2
41	S(41)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssSiH
42	S(42)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssSi
43	S(43)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sPH2
44	S(44)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssPH
45	S(45)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssP
46	S(46)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dsssP

47	S(47)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssssP
48	S(48)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sSH
49	S(49)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dS
50	S(50)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssS
51	S(51)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaS
52	S(52)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dssS
53	S(53)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ddssS
54	S(54)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sCl
55	S(55)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sGeH3
56	S(56)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssGeH2
57	S(57)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssGeH
58	S(58)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssGe
59	S(59)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sAsH2
60	S(60)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssAsH
61	S(61)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssAs
62	S(62)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssdAs
63	S(63)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssssAs
64	S(64)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sSeH
65	S(65)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dSe
66	S(66)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssSe
67	S(67)	Sum of E-State of atom type: aaSe
68	S(68)	Sum of E-State of atom type: dssSe

69	S(69)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ddssSe
70	S(70)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sBr
71	S(71)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sSnH3
72	S(72)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssSnH2
73	S(73)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssSnH
74	S(74)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssSn
75	S(75)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sI
76	S(76)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sPbH3
77	S(77)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssPbH2
78	S(78)	Sum of E-State of atom type: sssPbH
79	S(79)	Sum of E-State of atom type: ssssPb
80-158	Smax1-Smax79	maximum of E-State value of specified atom type
159-237	Smin1-Smin79	minimum of E-State value of specified atom type
<b>Autocorrelation descriptors</b>		
1-8	ATSm1-ATSm8	Moreau-Broto autocorrelation descriptors based on atom mass
9-16	ATSV1-ATSV8	Moreau-Broto autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic van der Waals volume
17-24	ATSe1-ATSe8	Moreau-Broto autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic Sanderson electronegativity
25-32	ATSp1-ATSp8	Moreau-Broto autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic polarizability
33-40	MATSm1-MATSm8	Moran autocorrelation descriptors based on atom mass
41-48	MATSV1-MATSV8	Moran autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic van der Waals volume

49-56	MATSe1-MATSe8	Moran autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic Sanderson electronegativity
57-64	MATSp1-MATSp8	Moran autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic polarizability
65-72	GATSm1-GATSm8	Geary autocorrelation descriptors based on atom mass
73-80	GATSp1-GATSp8	Geary autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic van der Waals volume
81-88	GATSe1-GATSe8	Geary autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic Sanderson electronegativity
89-96	GATSp1-GATSp8	Geary autocorrelation descriptors based on atomic polarizability
<b>Charge descriptors</b>		
1-4	$Q_{Hmax}$ $Q_{Cmax}$ $Q_{Nmax}$ $Q_{Omax}$	Most positive charge on H,C,N,O atoms
5-8	$Q_{Hmin}$ $Q_{Cmin}$ $Q_{Nmin}$ $Q_{Omin}$	Most negative charge on H,C,N,O atoms
9-10	$Q_{max}$ $Q_{min}$	Most positive and negative charge in a molecule
11-15	$Q_{HSS}$ $Q_{CSS}$ $Q_{NSS}$ $Q_{OSS}$ $Q_{ASS}$	Sum of squares of charges on H,C,N,O and all toms
16-17	$M_{pc}$ $T_{pc}$	Mean and total of positive charges

18-19	Mnc Tnc	Mean and total of negative charges
20-21	Mac Tac	Mean and total of absolute charges
22	Rpc	Relative positive charge
23	Rnc	Relative negative charge
24	SPP	Submolecular polarity parameter
25	LDI	Local dipole index
<b>Molecular property descriptors</b>		
1	MREF	Molar refractivity
2	logP	LogP value based on the Crippen method
3	logP2	Square of LogP value based on the Crippen method
4	TPSA	Topological polarity surface area
5	UI	Unsaturation index
6	Hy	Hydrophilic index
<b>MOE-type descriptors</b>		
1	TPSA	topological polar surface area based on fragments
2	LabuteASA	Labute's Approximate Surface Area
3-14	SLOGPVSA	MOE-type descriptors using SLogP contributions and surface area contributions
15-24	SMRVSA	MOE-type descriptors using MR contributions and surface area contributions
25-38	PEOEVSA	MOE-type descriptors using partial charges and surface area

		contributions
39-49	EstateVSA	MOE-type descriptors using Estate indices and surface area contributions
50-60	VSAEstate	MOE-type descriptors using surface area contributions and Estate indices
<b>CATS2D descriptors</b>		
1-150	CATS_**	CATS2D descriptors
<b>Fragment/Fingerprint-based descriptors</b>		
1	FP2	(Topological fingerprint) A Daylight-like fingerprint based on hashing molecular subgraphs
2	MACCS	(MACCS keys)Using the 166 public keys implemented as SMARTS
3	E-state	79 E-state fingerprints or fragments
4	FP4	307 FP4 fingerprints
5	Atom Paris	Atom Paris fingerprints
6	Torsions	Topological torsion fingerprints
7	Morgan/Circular	Fingerprints based on the Morgan algorithm
8	Ghosecrippen	Ghosecrippen fingerprints
9	Pharm2D2point	2D Pharmacophore Fingerprints
10	Pharm2D3point	2D Pharmacophore Fingerprints
11	PubChem	PubChem Fingerprints