



Modeling of hepatitis D virus delta antigen protein and hepatitis E virus polyprotein

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Abstract

Modeling of human hepatitis D virus delta antigen protein and hepatitis E virus polyprotein was done and valuable structural details could be obtained.

Key words: Modeling, hepatitis D virus, delta antigen protein, hepatitis E virus polyprotein

Introduction

Human hepatitis D and E are of much interest because less information is available about them. A study of their structural details would help in understanding their functions and role in infections.

Materials and Methods

Protein

Hepatitis D virus delta antigen (HDAG) mRNA, complete cds GenBank: M55042.1 HPDAG 1679 bp ss-RNA linear was downloaded and amino acid sequence was used for modeling.

Hepatitis E virus, complete genome NCBI Reference Sequence: NC_001434.1 linear 7176 bp ss-RNA was downloaded and amino acid sequence was used for modelling.

Modeling software

<https://swissmodel.expasy.org> was reached to model the protein.

Results and Discussion

Hepatitis D virus delta antigen (HDAG) protein

Project Summary

MSRSES RKNRGGREEILEQWVAGRKKLEELERDLRKT KKKLKKI EDENPWLGNIKGILGKKDKDGEGAPP AKRARTDQMEVDSGPRKR 12
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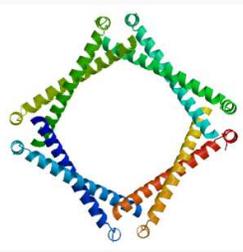
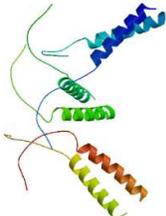
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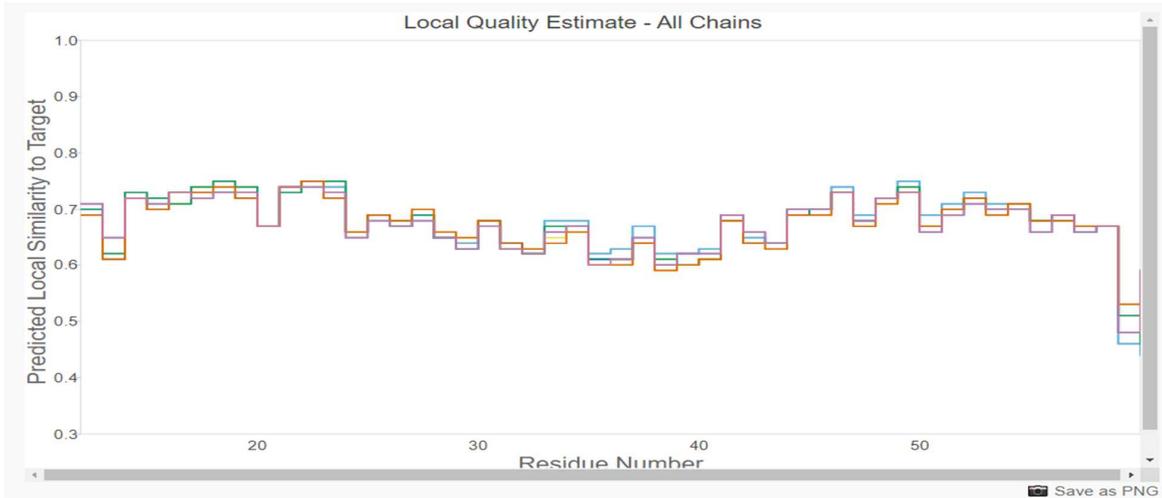
Template Results

A total of 43 templates were found to match the target sequence. This list was filtered by a heuristic down to 22. The top templates are:

Template	Sequence Identity	Biounit Oligo State	Description
1a92.1	83.67	homo-octamer	DELTA ANTIGEN OLIGOMERIZATION DOMAIN OF HEPATITIS DELTA ANTIGEN
1a92.1	83.67	homo-octamer	DELTA ANTIGEN OLIGOMERIZATION DOMAIN OF HEPATITIS DELTA ANTIGEN
1a92.1	83.67	homo-octamer	DELTA ANTIGEN OLIGOMERIZATION DOMAIN OF HEPATITIS DELTA ANTIGEN
1cos.1	42.86	homo-trimer	COILED SERINE CRYSTAL STRUCTURE OF A SYNTHETIC TRIPLE-STRANDED ALPHA-HELICAL BUNDLE
1cos.1	42.86	homo-trimer	COILED SERINE CRYSTAL STRUCTURE OF A SYNTHETIC TRIPLE-STRANDED ALPHA-HELICAL BUNDLE

Model Results

	Id	Template	GMQE	QMEANDisCo	Global	Oligo State	Ligands
	01	1a92.1.C	0.13	0.67 ± 0.05		homo-octamer	-
	02	2wg6.1.A	0.04	± 0.06		homo-hexamer	-



Hepatitis E virus polyprotein

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MEAHQF IKAPGITTAIEQAALAAANSALANAVVVRPFLSHQQIEILINLMQPRQLVFRPEVFWNHPIQRVIHNELELYCRARSGRCLE IGAHPRSINDNPNVVRHRCFLRPAGRVDVQRWYT	12 0
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RTTKVTGDHPLVIERVRAIGCHFVLLLTAAPEPSPTPYVYPYRSTEVYVRSIFGPGGTPSLFPSTSCSTKSTFHAVPAHIWDRMLMFGA TLDDQAFCCSRLMTYLRGISYKVTVGTLVANE	36 0
GWNASEVALTAVITAAAYLTICHQRYLRTQAI SKGMRLEREHAQKFITRLYSWLFEKSGRDYIPGRQLEFYAQCRRWLSAGFHLDPRV LVFDESAPCHCRTAIRKAVSKFCCFMKWLQGE	48 0
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CRVTPGVVQYQFTAGVPGSGKRSITQADVDVVVPTRELNRNARRRGFAAF TPHTAARVTQGRRVVIDEAPSLPPHLLLLHMQRRAAT VHLLGDPNQIPAIDFEHAGLVP AIRPDLAPTS	10 80
WWHVTHRCPADVCELIRGAYPMIQTTSRVLRSFLWGEPAVGQKLVFTQA AKAANPGSVTVHEAQGATY TETI IATADARGLIQSSRA HAIVALTRHTEKCVIIDAPGLLEVGISDAIV	12 00
NNFFLAGGEIGHQRPSVIPRGNPDANVDTLAAFPSCQISAFHQ LAEELGHRPAPVA AVLPPCPELEQGLLYLPQELTTCDSVVTFEL TDIVHCRMAAPSQRKAVLSTLVGHYGRRTKLY	13 20
NASHSDVRDSLARFIPAIGHVQVTTCELYELVEAMVEKGQDGSAVLELDLCNRDVSRI TFFQKDCNKFTTGETIAHGKVGQGISAWSK	14

TFCALFGPWFRAIEKAILALLPQGVFYGDADF	40
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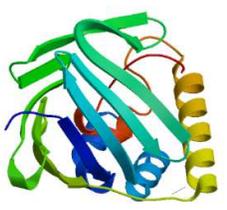
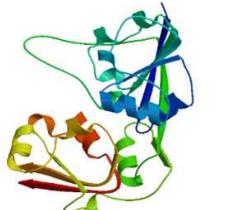
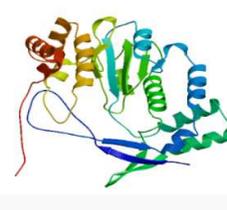
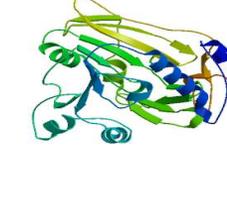
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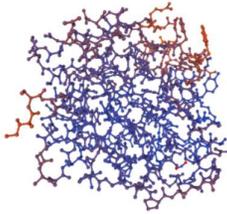
A total of 7202 templates were found to match the target sequence. This list was filtered by a heuristic down to 50. The top templates are:

Template	Sequence Identity	Biounit Oligo State	Description
7y38.1	19.87	hetero-14-mer	RNA-directed RNA polymerase nsP4 Molecular architecture of the chikungunya virus replication complex
7vw5.2	18.85	monomer	RNA-directed RNA polymerase nsP4 Crystal structures of alphavirus nonstructural protein 4 (nsP4) reveal an intrinsically dynamic RNA-dependent RNA polymerase fold
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7vb4.1	18.85	homo-dimer	RNA-directed RNA polymerase nsP4 A crystal structure of alphavirus nonstructural protein 4 (nsP4) reveals an intrinsically dynamic RNA-dependent RNA polymerase
6nu9.1	100.00	monomer	Zinc-Binding Non-Structural Protein Crystal Structure of a Zinc-Binding Non-Structural Protein from the Hepatitis E Virus

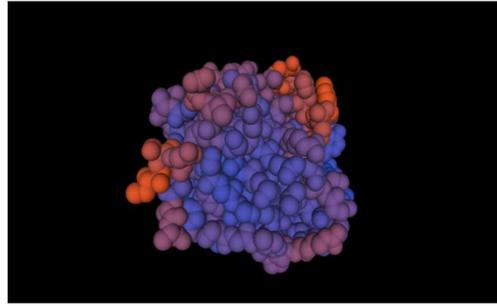
Model Results

Id Template GMQE QMEANDisCo loba1 Oligo State Ligands

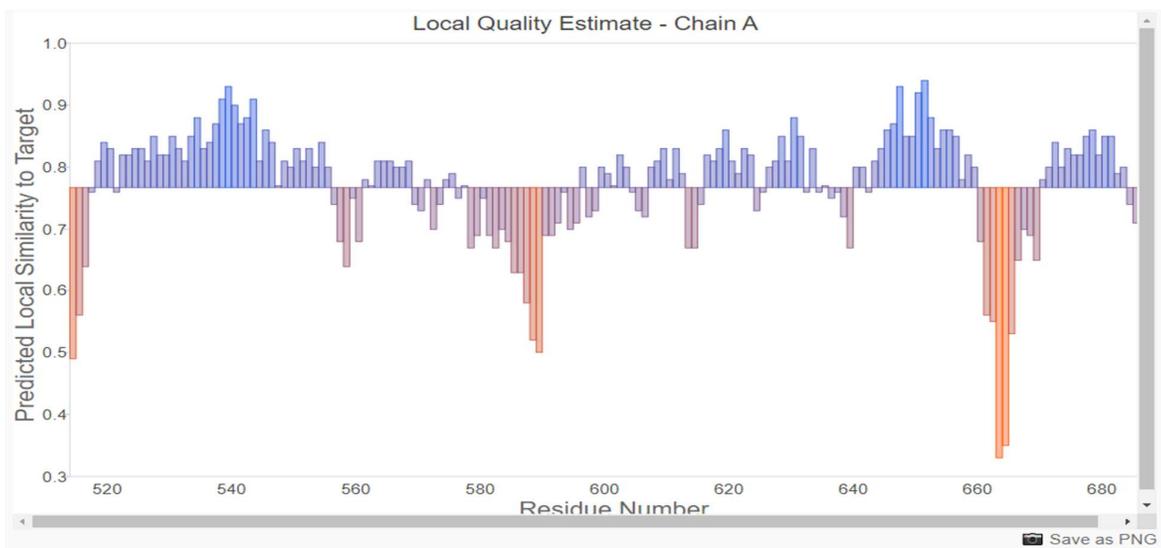
Id	Template	GMQE	QMEANDisCo	Iobal	Oligo State	Ligands
	02	6nu9.1.A	0.11		0.77 ± 0.07	monomer 1 x NO2
	04	3vkw.1.A	0.08		± 0.06	monomer -
	01	7y38.1.M	0.07		0.43 ± 0.05	monomer -
	03	7fji.1.A	0.06		± 0.05	monomer -
	05	6jdr.1.A	0.05		0.44 ± 0.06	monomer -



Hyperball



Spacefill



It is evident that detailed valuable structural parameters could be found.

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