



## Figures and figure supplements

Modeling Hsp70/Hsp40 interaction by multi-scale molecular simulations and coevolutionary sequence analysis

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**Figure 1.** Binding modes of DnaK/DnaJ. (A) Probabilities of JD residues to be in contact with the DnaK (NBD(ATP) case). Helices I-IV of the JD are highlighted. See (*Figure 1—figure supplement 1*) for the NBD(ADP) and FL(ATP) cases. (B) Probabilities of DnaK residues to be in contact with the JD (NBD(ATP) case). Blue: low, Red: high, see scalebar. (C,E,G) Orientational free energy as a function of the spherical polar angles ( $\Phi_{com}$ ,  $\Omega_{com}$ ) of the JD center of mass for (A) NBD(ADP), (C) NBD(ATP), (E) FL(ATP). The origin and the reference axes are defined by NBD center of mass and inertia axes, respectively. (D,F,H) The free energy surface as a function of Euler angles ( $\Omega$ ,  $\Psi$ ) defining the relative orientation of J-domain w.r.t. the NBD for (B) NBD (ADP), (D) NBD(ATP), (F) FL(ATP). See Materials and methods and *Figure 1—figure supplement 4* for details on the angular definitions. Iso-lines are drawn at 1  $k_BT$  free-energy intervals. See (*Figure 1—figure supplement 2*) for the third Euler angle. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.002



Figure 1—figure supplement 1. Contact frequencies predicted by coarse-grained simulations. Probabilities of DnaK residues to be in contact with the JD for (A) NBD(ADP), (B) NBD(ATP), (C) FL(ATP). Probabilities of JD residues to be in contact with the DnaK for (D) NBD(ADP), (E) NBD(ATP), (F) FL (ATP).Blue: low probability, Red: high probability, see scale bar. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.003



**Figure 1—figure supplement 2.** Free energy surface of bound CG conformations, using the third Euler angle. Free energy surface as a function of Euler angles ( $\Theta$ ,  $\Psi$ ) defining the relative orientation of J-domain w.r.t. the DnaK NBD for (A) NBD(ADP), (B) NBD(ATP), (C) FL(ATP). The fixed and rotating coordinate systems are defined by the inertia axes of the NBD and JD, respectively. Iso-value lines are drawn at 1  $k_BT$  free-energy intervals. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.004



Figure 1—figure supplement 3. Ensemble of bound conformations predicted by coarse-grained simulations. The ensembles of bound JDs are reported for (A) NBD(ADP), (B) NBD(ATP) and (C) FL(ATP). For ease of visualization, one out of five bound conformations is displayed. The JD is in red, the NBD in green, and the SBD and linker in brown. All bound conformations have inter-protein distances of 8 Å or less and total binding energies below  $-2k_BT$ .



Figure 1—figure supplement 4. Inertia axes of the NBD and the JD and Euler angle definition. (A) Inertia axes of the JD. (B) Inertia axes of the DnaK NBD. (C) Vectorial representation of the Euler angles used for defining the free energy surfaces. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.006



**Figure 2.** Conformations of the DnaK:JD complex. Most representative HPD-OUT/IN conformations for the FL (ATP):JD system (HPD-OUT: (A) and (C), HPD-IN: (B) and (D)). The four lobes forming the sub-structures of the NBD are highlighted. The SBD is in brown. The docked inter-domain linker is in purple. The HPD tripeptide of the J-domain is depicted as magenta spheres. The JD is depicted in blue (HPD-OUT) or red (HPD-IN). See (*Figure 2—figure supplement 1*) for the NBD(ADP) and NBD(ATP) systems. For readability, the NBD in the rotated panels C) and D) is uniformly colored in green. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.007



**Figure 2—figure supplement 1.** HPD-IN/OUT conformations for NBD(ADP) and NBD(ATP). Most representative HPD-OUT/IN conformations. (A,B) HPD-OUT NBD(ADP), (C,D) HPD-IN NBD(ADP), (E,F) HPD-OUT NBD(ATP), (G,H) HPD-IN NBD(ATP). The four lobes forming the sub-structures of the NBD are highlighted. The HPD tripeptide of the J-domain is depicted as magenta spheres. The JD is depicted in blue (HPD-OUT) or red (HPD-IN). DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.008



Figure 3. Contacts from coevolutionary analysis. (A) Frequency of appearance of the coevolutionary inter-protein contacts (see Materials and methods). The three most frequent contacts are highlighted (N187-K23 magenta, D208-K26 orange and T189-R19 blue. Numbering refers to the *E. coli* DnaK-DnaJ (Uniprot IDs: DnaK P0A6Y8, DnaJ P08622)). (B–C) The same three contacts represented on the HPD-OUT (blue, panel B) and HPD-IN (red, panel C) conformations of the NBD(ATP):JD complex. Coevolving residues are depicted by spheres, following the color scheme of panel A. Gray spheres represent D35 of the 33HPD35 motif on JD and R167 of the NBD. (See Materials and methods and *Figure 7* for an extended DCA analysis and validation.)



Figure 3—figure supplement 1. Frequency of appearance of the coevolutionary inter-protein contacts (see Materials and methods) on separated bacterial and eukaryotic datasets. (A) Predictions on the bacterial dataset. The three most frequent contacts are the same as the three reported in the complete dataset and follow the same colorscheme (*Figure 3.*) (B) Predictions on the eukaryotic dataset. Inset: Zoom on the vertical axis between 0% and 5%.



**Figure 4.** All-atom 1µs simulations of FL-ATP. (A) 10 snapshots of the three long atomistic MD simulations of FL-ATP DnaK bound to the DnaJ JD. Green: NBD, magenta: linker, brown SBD, red/cyan/purple: JD for the three trajectories. For ease of visualization, only helices II and III of the JD are depicted. (B) Distributions of the distances of the three coevolving contacts and the D35-R167 contact. The distance distributions for the three cases follow the color scheme of panel A (red/cyan/purple). Shaded areas are the sum of the distributions for each case. See (*Figure 4—figure supplement 4*) for traces of the trajectories.



**Figure 4—figure supplement 1.** Atomistic stability analysis. Final frames of the 10 all-atom MD trajectories. (A) HPD-OUT/NBD(ADP), (B) HPD-IN/NBD(ADP), (C) HPD-OUT/NBD(ATP), (D) HPD-IN/NBD(ATP), (E) HPD-OUT/FL (ATP), (F) HPD-IN/FL(ATP). For ease of readability, only helices II and III of the JD are depicted. Rainbow coloring (white to blue for HPD-OUT, white to red for HPD-IN) is used to better differentiate the 10 frames. The DnaK NBD is colored in yellow for NBD(ADP) and in green for NBD(ATP) and FL(ATP). The docked inter-domain linker is colored in magenta in FL(ATP). The SBD is colored brown in FL(ATP). DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.013



Figure 4—figure supplement 2. dRMS of atomistic MD trajectories. The 10 time series of the dRMS of the JD with respect to the initial JD configuration of each MD trajectory for (A) HPD-OUT NBD(ADP), (B) HPD-IN NBD(ADP), (C) HPD-OUT NBD(ATP), (D) HPD-IN NBD(ATP), (E) HPD-OUT FL(ATP), (F) HPD-IN FL(ATP). DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.014



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**Figure 4—figure supplement 3.** Angular deviation of atomistic MD trajectories w.r.t. the central HPD-IN/OUT CG conformations. The 10 time series of the angle between the principal axis of the JD in the MD trajectories with respect to the principal axis of the most representative JD configuration in *Figure 4—figure supplement 3 continued on next page* 



## Figure 4—figure supplement 3 continued

the CG ensemble for (A) HPD-OUT NBD(ADP), (B) HPD-IN NBD(ADP), (C) HPD-OUT NBD(ATP), (D) HPD-IN NBD(ATP), (E) HPD-OUT FL(ATP), (F) HPD-IN FL(ATP). IN FL(ATP). DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.015

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Figure 4—figure supplement 4. dRMS and angular deviations of the μs atomistic simulations. (A–B), (C–D) and (E–F) are the dRMS (resp. Θ) traces of the three 1  $\mu$ s atomistic simulations.



**Figure 5.** J-domain - SBD interactions. (A) DnaK per-residue contribution to the binding energy with the J-domain. The NBD, linker, and SBD regions are highlighted in green, pink, and ochre, respectively. The dashed line denotes the threshold for which residues are depicted in panel B (-1kcal/mol). (B) Structural view of the residues most contributing to the binding energy with the J-domain. The subdomains of DnaK (NBD, linker, and SBD) follow the same color scheme as in panel A. Residues significantly contributing to the binding energy ( $\Delta E < -1$  kcal/mol) are depicted in blue surface representation. (C) Coevolutionary contacts predicted on the full-length Hsp70 sequences. The three blue contacts are the same as those reported in Figure 3. The two contacts involving the SBD of Hsp70 are shown in yellow. The dotted circle represents residue E75 of the J-domain, absent from the structures used in the simulations (see Materials and methods). The depicted conformation is the final frame of one of the three  $1 - \mu s$  HPD-IN FL-ATP simulations.



**Figure 5—figure supplement 1.** J-domain per-residue contribution to the binding energy with DnaK. (A) Helices I to IV are highlighted in gray, orange, green, and cyan, respectively. The loop connecting helices II and III is depicted in magenta . The dashed line denotes the threshold for which residues are depicted in panel B (-1kcal/mol). (B) Structural view of the residues most contributing to the binding energy with DnaK. The subdomains of the J-domain (helices I to IV and loop) follow the same color scheme as in panel A. Residues significantly contributing to the binding energy ( $\Delta E < -1$  kcal/mol) are depicted in blue surface representation. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.018



**Figure 5—figure supplement 2.** Frequency of appearance of the coevolutionary inter-protein contacts (see Materials and methods), for the dataset containing full-length Hsp70s. The six most frequent contacts are highlighted (blue: contacts with NBD, yellow: contacts with SBD). The buried predicted contact with the NBD and the contact not present in the J-domain structure are represented by hollow circles. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.019



**Figure 6.** Distribution of number of paralogs per organism, for Hsp40 and Hsp70. DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.021



**Figure 7.** Extended analysis of coevolutionary predictions and threshold validation. DCA predicted contacts with threshold selection threshold above 0.2. (A) Frequency of appearance of the coevolutionary inter-protein contacts (see Materials and methods). All nine predicted contacts which appear in more than 20% (dashed red line) of the random matchings are reported. Contacts are colored by their selection frequency (blue: most frequent, white: less frequent). The two contacts containing a buried residue are underlined. (B–C) The seven surface exposed residues among the nine selected, reported on the DnaK NBD. (D–E) The seven surface exposed residues among the nine selected on the JD. Panels B-E follow the same color scheme as panel (A). DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.022



Figure 7—figure supplement 1. Comparison of the five strongest DCA predictions between different methods. For IPA and PPM, the cases marked Bacteria and Eukaryota denote results obtained on the two restricted subsets. The cases denoted Full were obtained using the complete dataset. Random Matching: Five most frequently selected inter-protein contacts. IPA and PPM: Top five ranked inter-protein. In all cases, the scale goes from blue to red (blue: strongest/most frequent contact, red: weaker/less frequent contact). DOI: 10.7554/eLife.23471.023