# SchNet – An interpretable atomistic neural network

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The challenges in a nutshell

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Property-specific output layers

Total energy 
$$U_0$$
 Dipole moment  $||\mu||$ 

SchNet output layer

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$$E = \sum_{i} E(\mathbf{x}_{i})$$
  $\mu = \sum_{i} q(\mathbf{x}_{i})(\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{0})$ 

QM9 - 110k ref. calculations - mean abs. errors

SchNet (T=6, SGDR)	9.5 meV	0.017 Debye
HIP-NN <sup>[1]</sup>	11.1 meV	_
Message-passing NN <sup>[2]</sup>	19.5 meV	0.030 Debye

 N. Lubbers, J.S. Smith, K. Barros (2018). Hierarchical modeling of molecular energies using a deep neural network. The Journal of Chemical Physics, 148(24), 241715.
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# SchNet accelerates quantum simulations

Predictions of organic molecules at *chemical accuracy* 

1.25ns PIMD trajectory of the fullerene C\_{20} 7 years  $\Rightarrow$  7 hours

ANI-1 data, 10.1M: 23.9 meV

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# Learning the periodic table of elements



Trained on 60k bulk crystals from the Materials Project.

Can we obtain all properties at once?





# Rotational equivarience of molecular orbitals



## SchNOrb – SchNet for Orbitals



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# SchNOrb - Predicting derived properties



Energy component	MAE [meV]	MAE [%]
HF	21.4	0.01
MP2 correlation	83.1	17.19
HF + MP2	92.6	0.06



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Challenges

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Symmetry-adapted generation for the target discovery of molecules

Goal: Draw from distribution of molecules in equilibirum  $p(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{Z})$ .

$$p(\mathbf{R}_{\leq n}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq n}) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} p(\mathbf{r}_{i}, Z_{i} | \mathbf{R}_{\leq i-1}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq i-1})$$

$$p(\mathbf{r}_{n+1}, Z_{n+1} | \mathbf{R}_{\leq n}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq n}) = p(\mathbf{r}_{n+1} | Z_{n+1}, \mathbf{R}_{\leq n}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq n}) p(Z_{n+1} | \mathbf{R}_{\leq n}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq n})$$

$$\approx \left[ \frac{1}{\alpha} \prod_{i=0}^{n} p(d_{n+1,i} | Z_{n+1}, \mathbf{R}_{\leq n}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq n}) \right] p(Z_{n+1} | \mathbf{R}_{\leq n}, \mathbf{Z}_{\leq n})$$





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# Matching the distribution of QM9



## Generation of equilibrium geometries



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# Targeted generation of molecules



Generated molecules available: http://www.quantum-machine.org/datasets/

#### SchNetPack: A Deep Learning Toolbox For Atomistic Systems





#### www.quantum-machine.org/schnetpack

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