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Arne

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Dear cisTEM team.

I ran a multimodel refinement and now want to create separate stacks for each volume. I am using the option in the create refinement package for this. However, I do get very different percentages of particles - for example after the multimodel refinement the first map is supposed to contain 20% of the data - but the number of particles is only 10% after creating the stack.

I guess this is related to the maximum likelihood approach?

many thanks for your help in advance

timgrant

Hi Arne,

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In theory the numbers do not have to be the same. Each particle is put into every class weighted by its "occupancy". These occupancies will add up to 100% over all classes, but need not be 100% for one class and 0% for the rest. When you extract particles, it takes all particles where the occupancy for that class is highest, e.g. if you have 5 classes where the occupancies for a particle are 21%, 20%, 20%, 20% and 19% - this particle will be assigned to class 1.

However, in my experience the two numbers do not generally vary by that much (1 or 2 % at most), so the example you give is a little strange. If you could send me the par files, I can take a more detailed look for you if you would like?

Cheers,

Tim

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