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Genome-Scale Metabolic Network (GSMN)

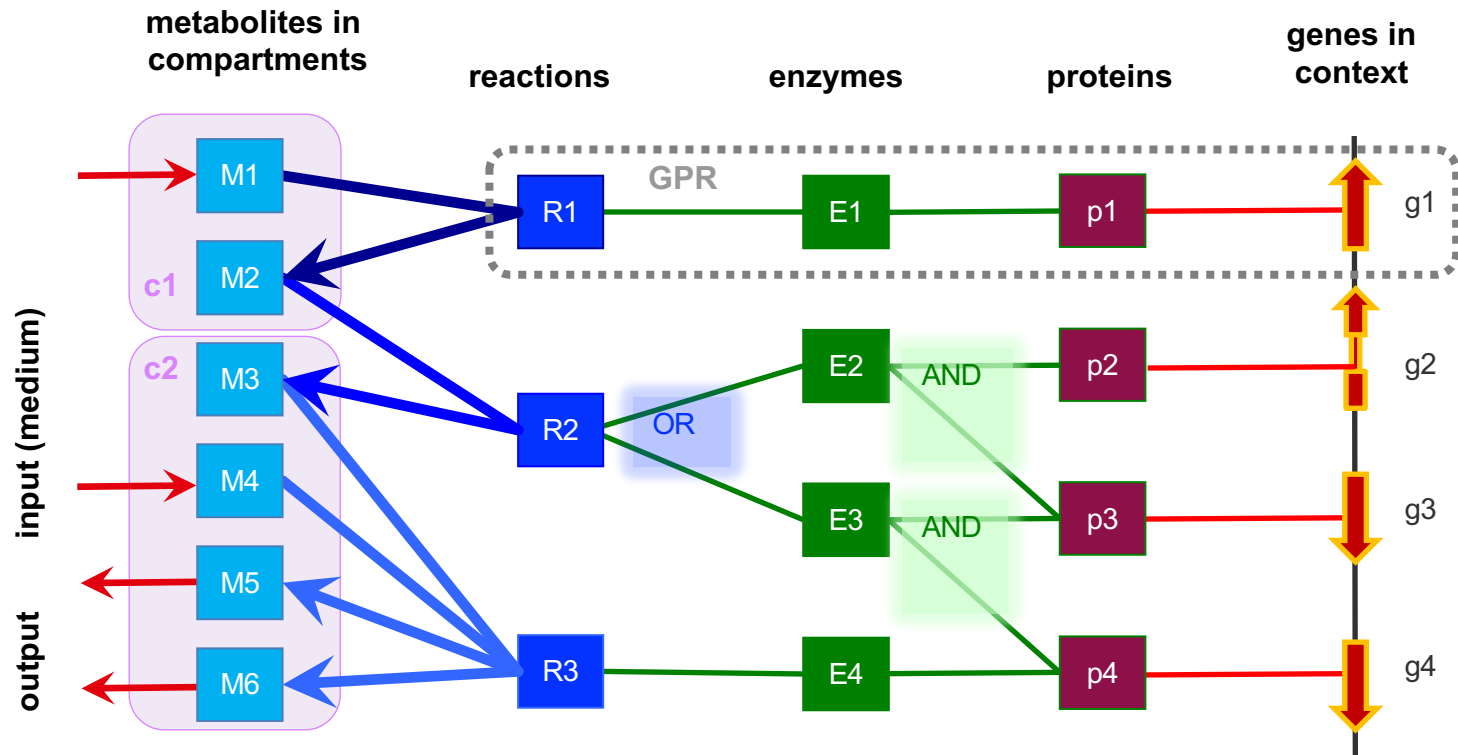
A genome-scale metabolic network (GSMN) is an *in silico* reconstruction of an organism metabolism.

GSMN has a dual nature:

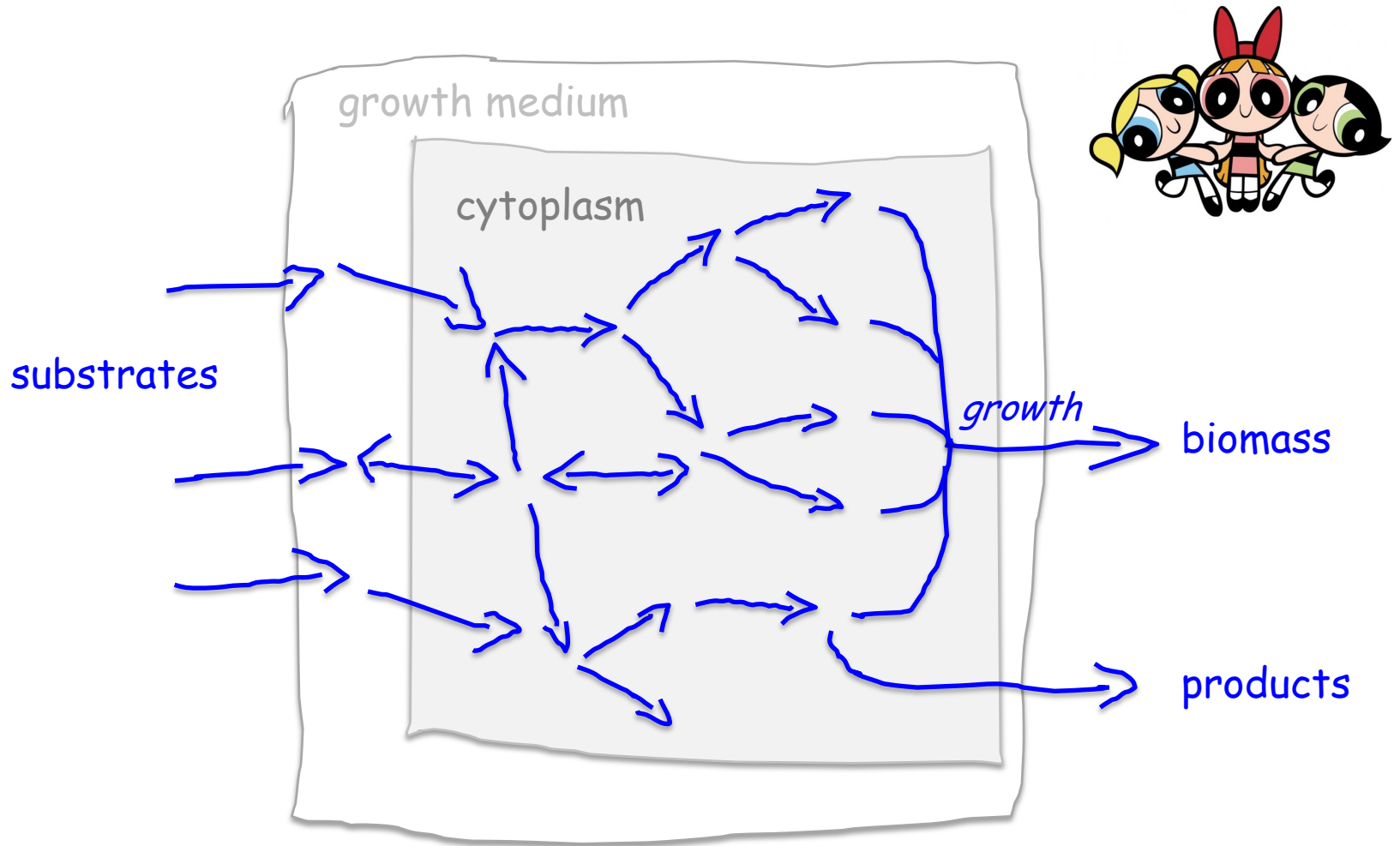
- it is a **repository of knowledge** about an organism metabolism
- it is a **numerical model** that can be simulated, to generate predictions that can be tested experimentally

- Applications: metabolic engineering, synthetic biology

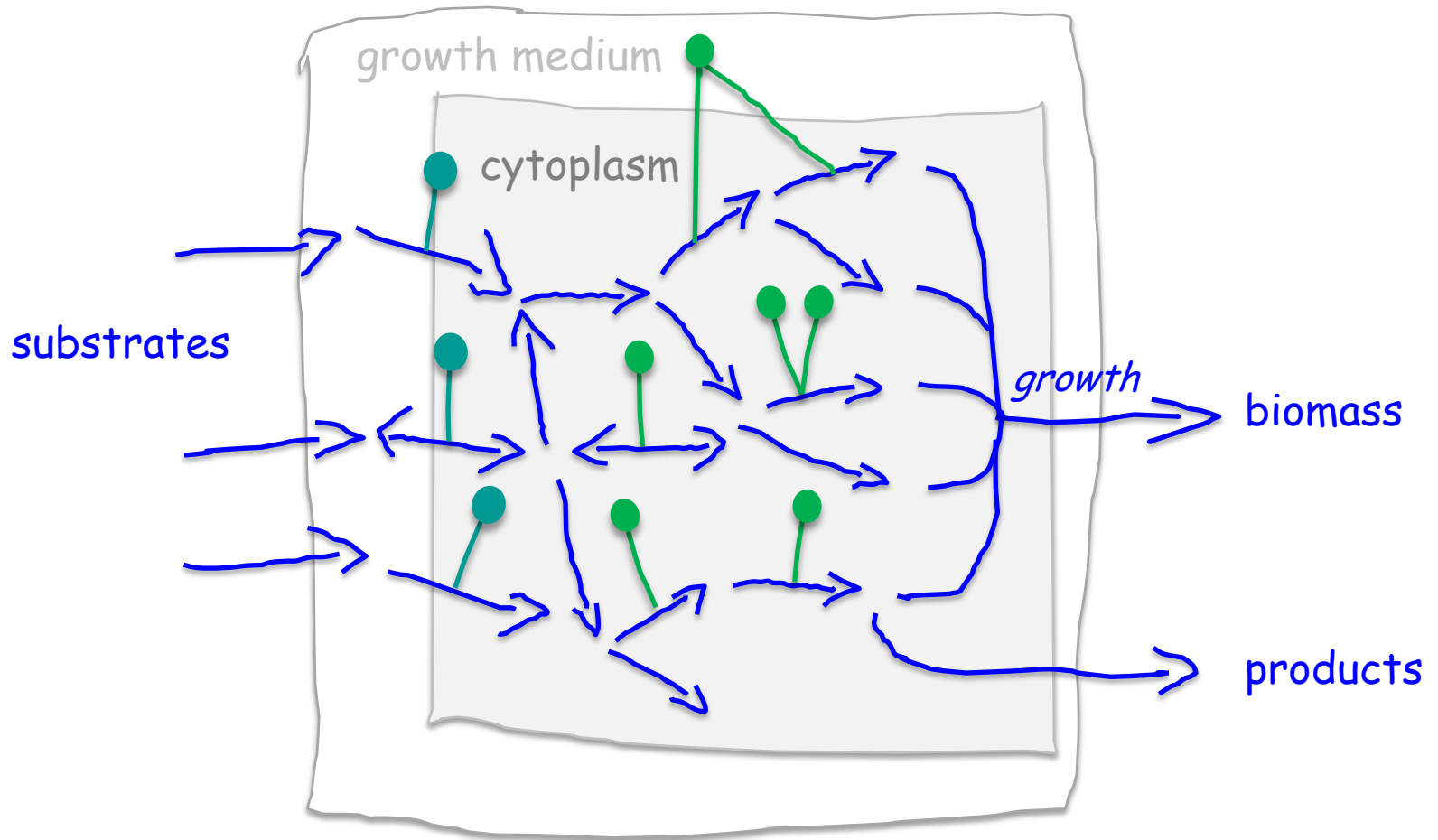
Genome Scale Metabolic Network (GSMN)





The cartoon network view of a GSMN



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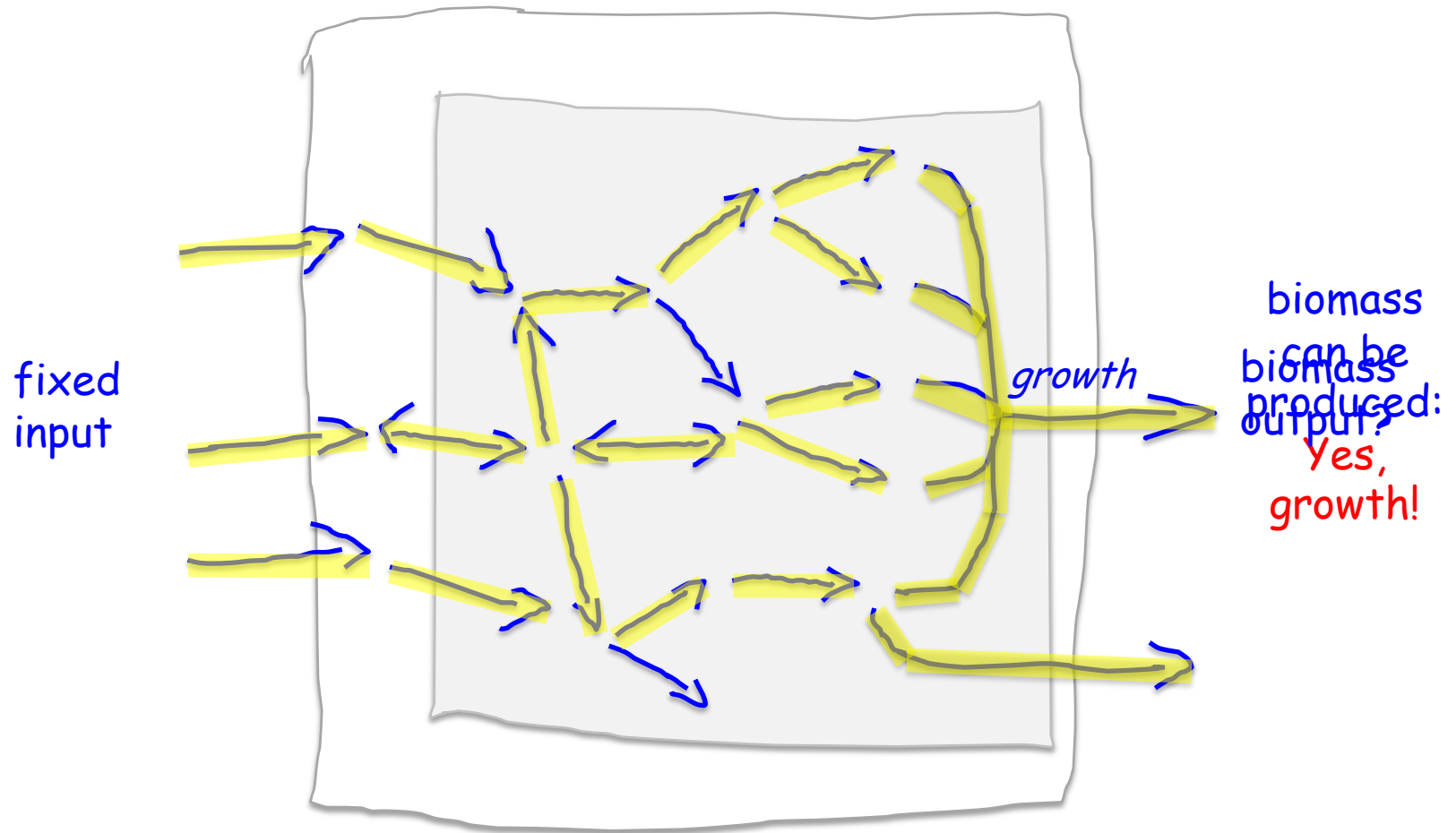


Cartoon network vs iMK735 vs iMM1415

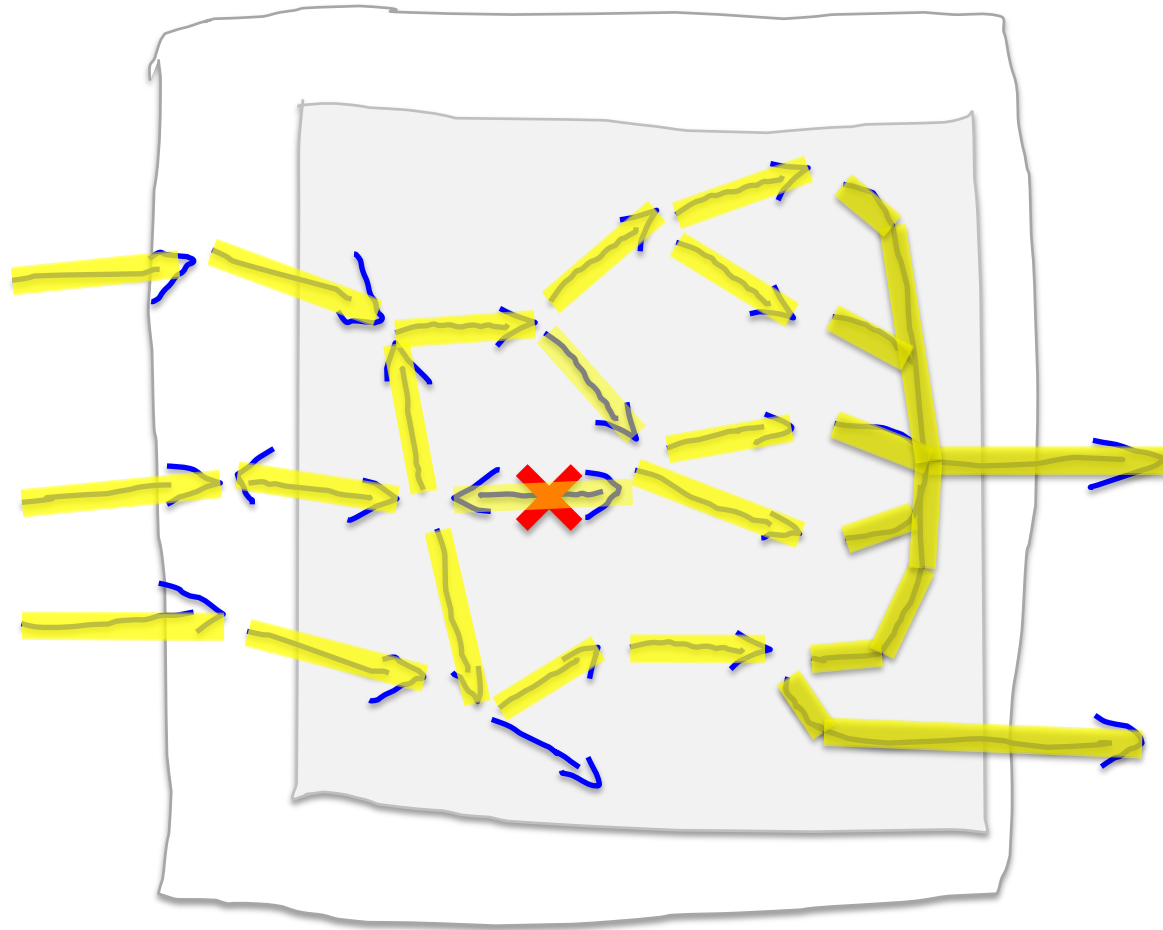
	cartoon network	iMK735  <i>Yarrowia lipolytica</i>	iMM1415*  Mouse
Compartments	2	9	9
Chemical compounds	12	678	1493
Species (chemical@compartment)	15	1224	3203
Enzymatic reactions (one compartment)	14	883	2040
Transport reactions (two compartments)	3	318	1188
Boundary reactions (source or sink)	4	121	450
Genes	8	709	1376
Substrates in growth reaction	5	43	63
number of reactions for the most connected metabolites	4	618 (H ⁺)	1271 (H ⁺)
	3	348 (H ₂ O)	907 (H ₂ O)
	3	207 (ATP)	319 (ATP)

*: with a modified growth equation

Linear-programming based simulations, e.g. FBA



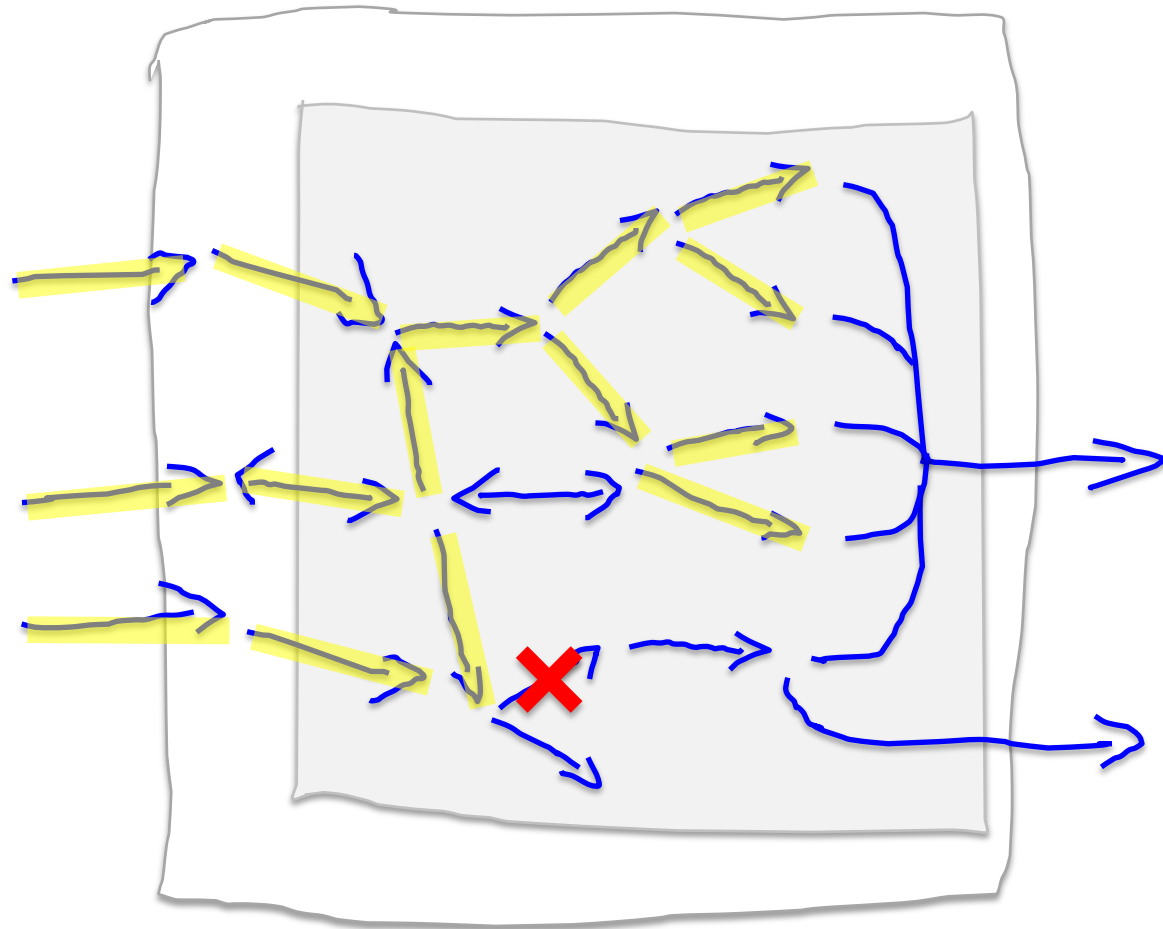
Reaction knockout simulation



biomass is produced?
Yes

=> this reaction is not essential

Growth recovery and blocked reactions



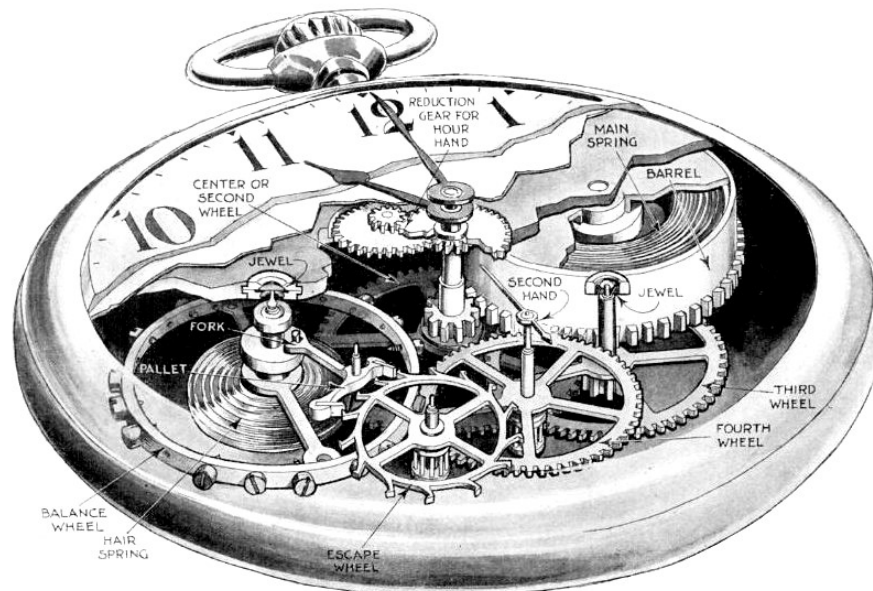
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produced?

No

=> this
reaction is
essential

GSMNs are like mechanical Swiss watches

- They are unique and worth collecting ;-)
- But they are fragile: Typically, between 10 and 20 % of reactions are essential: The removal of any one of them kill the model!
- Great care must be taken while manipulating/modifying a model, for example during metabolite reconciliations, which is the main purpose of MetaNetX.



Mycobacterium tuberculosis GSMNs

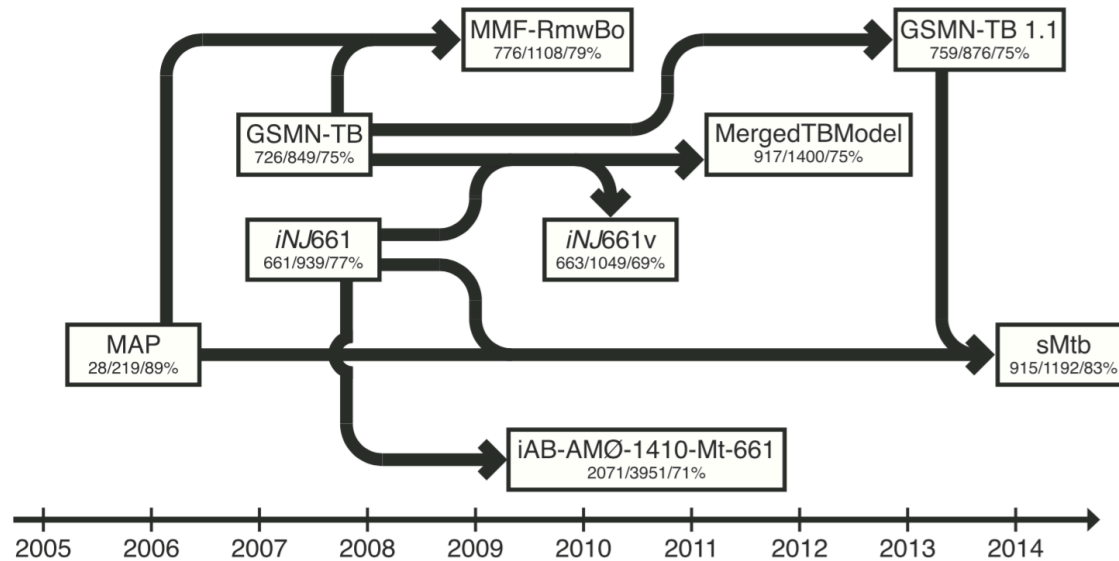
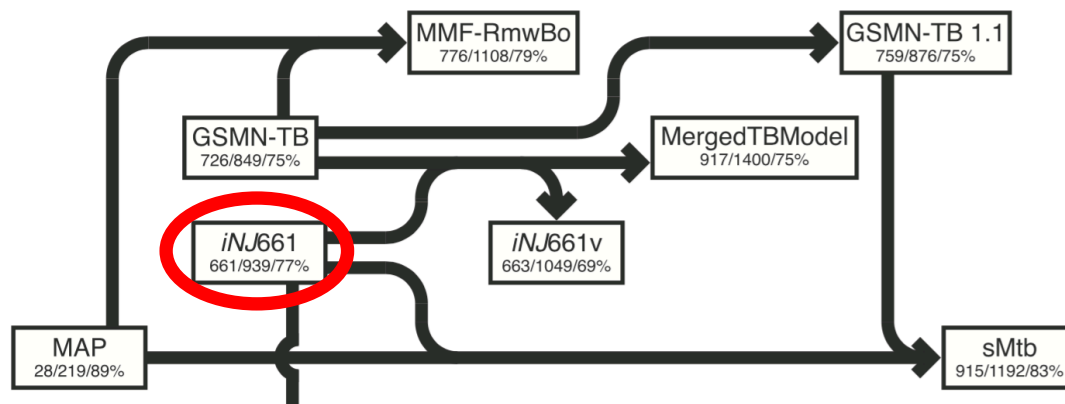


Fig. 2. Time line of CB metabolic models of Mtb. The numbers below every model name denote the number of genes, the number of reactions and the percentage of gene-associated reactions in the model. MAP: mycolic acid pathway [14], GSMN-TB: genome-scale metabolic network of *M. tuberculosis* [30], iNJ661: *in silico* Neema Jamshidi 661 genes [23], MMF-RmwBo: merged McFadden-Ramam with biomass objective [32], iNJ661v: *in vivo* compatible model based on iNJ661 [33], iAB-AMØ-1410Mt-661: *in silico* Aarash Bordbar alveolar macrophage 1410 genes *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* 661 genes [7], MergedTBModel: merged *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* model [35], GSMN-TB 1.1: a curated and extended version of GSMN-TB [24], sMtb: *in silico* *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*.

iNJ661



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Investigating the metabolic capabilities of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* H37Rv using the *in silico* strain iNJ661 and proposing alternative drug targets

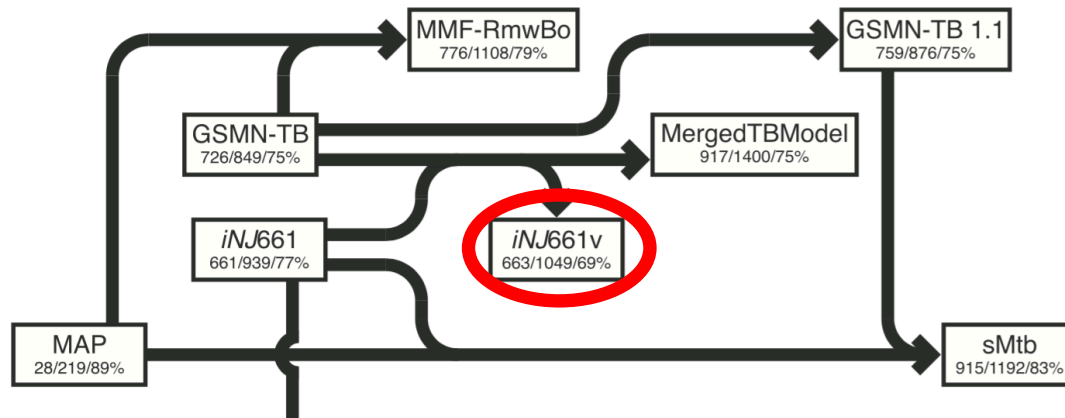
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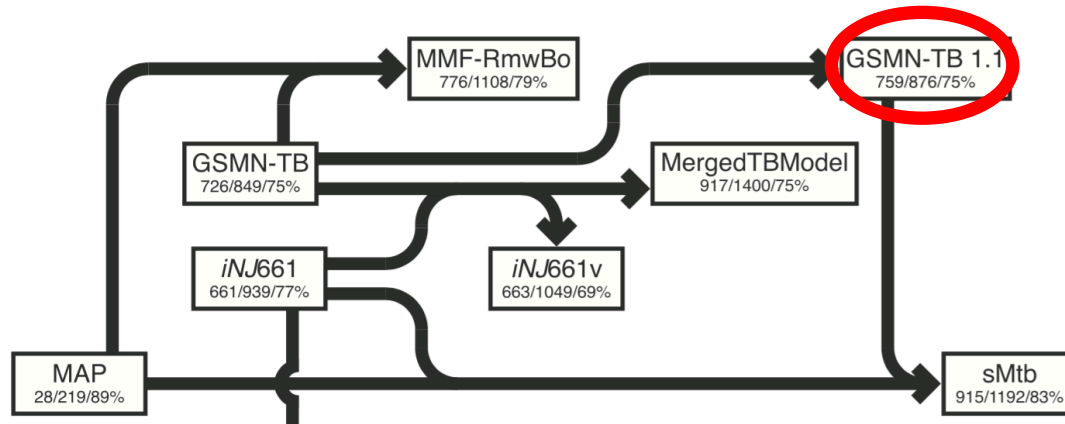
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Development and analysis of an *in vivo*-compatible metabolic network of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

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Abstract

GSMN-TB 1.1



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Systems-Based Approaches to Probing Metabolic Variation within the *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* Complex

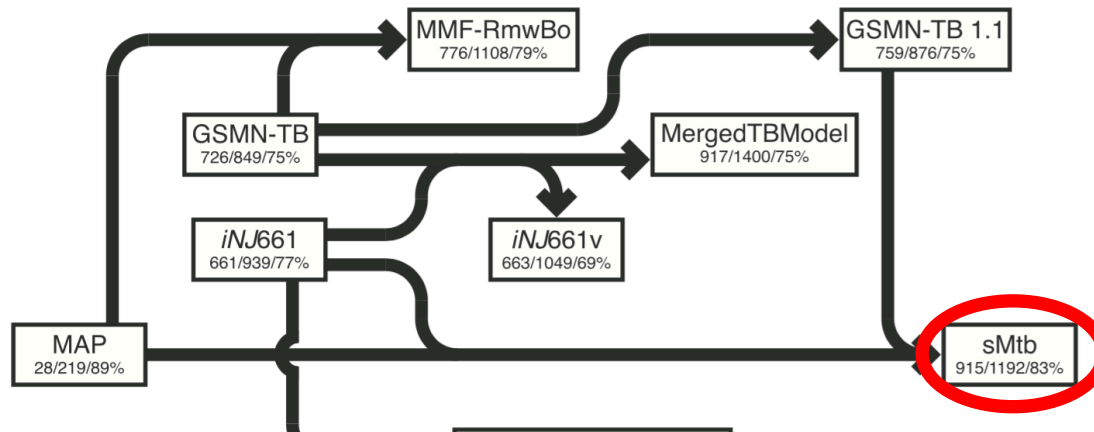
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Abstract

The *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* complex includes bovine and human strains of the tuberculosis bacillus, including *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*, *Mycobacterium bovis* and the *Mycobacterium bovis* BCG vaccine strain. *M. bovis* has evolved from a *M. tuberculosis*-like ancestor and is the ancestor of the BCG vaccine. The pathogens demonstrate

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Review

Systems-level modeling of mycobacterial metabolism for the identification of new (multi-)drug targets



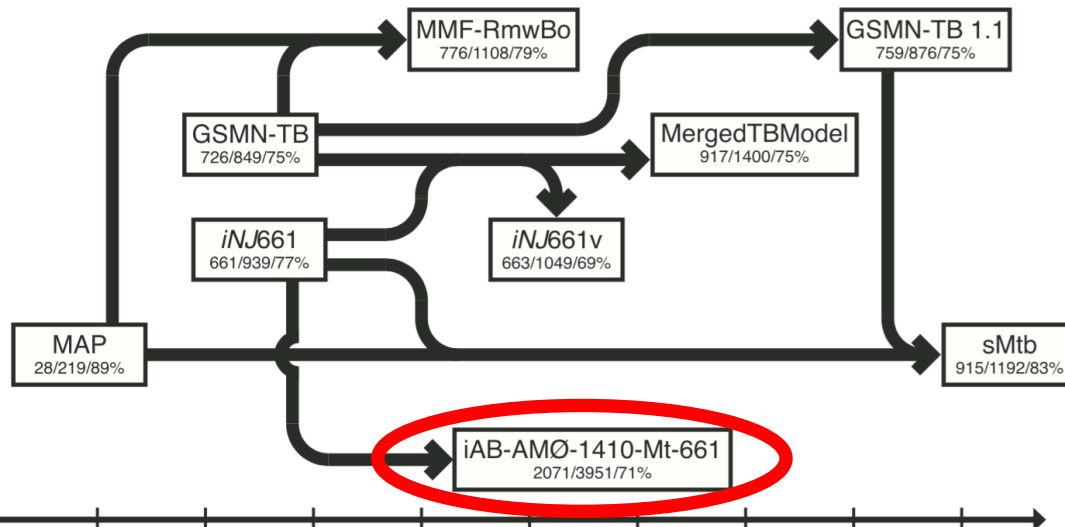
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Insight into human alveolar macrophage and *M. tuberculosis* interactions via metabolic reconstructions

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Review Article

Genome-driven cell engineering review: *in vivo* and *in silico* metabolic and genome engineering

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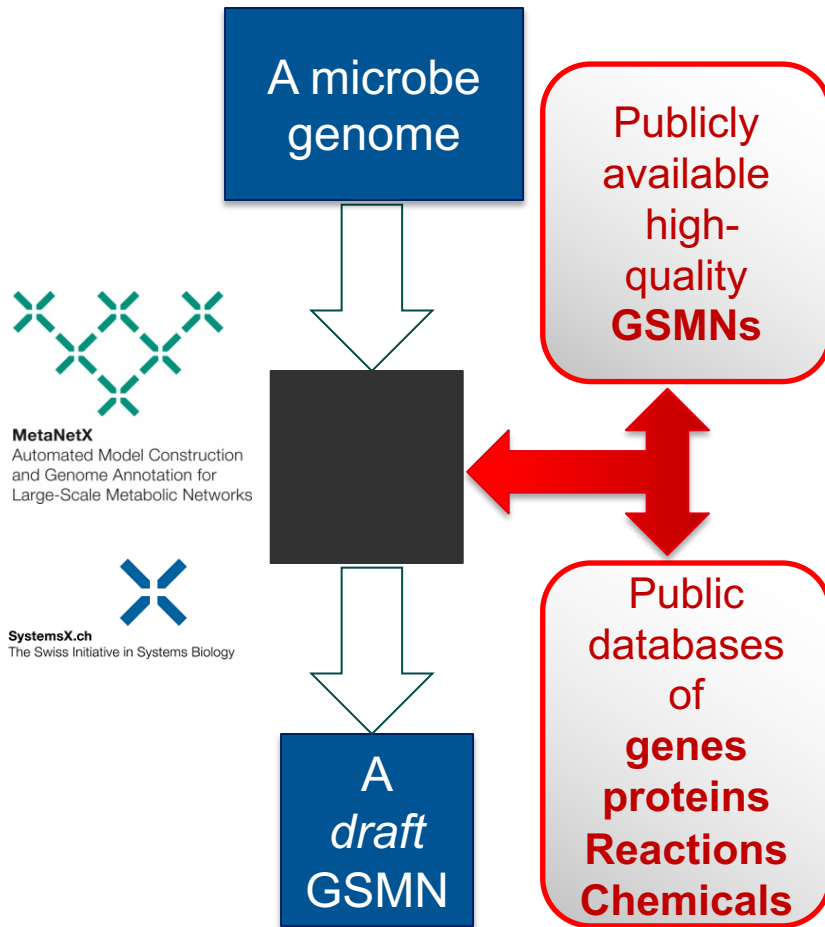
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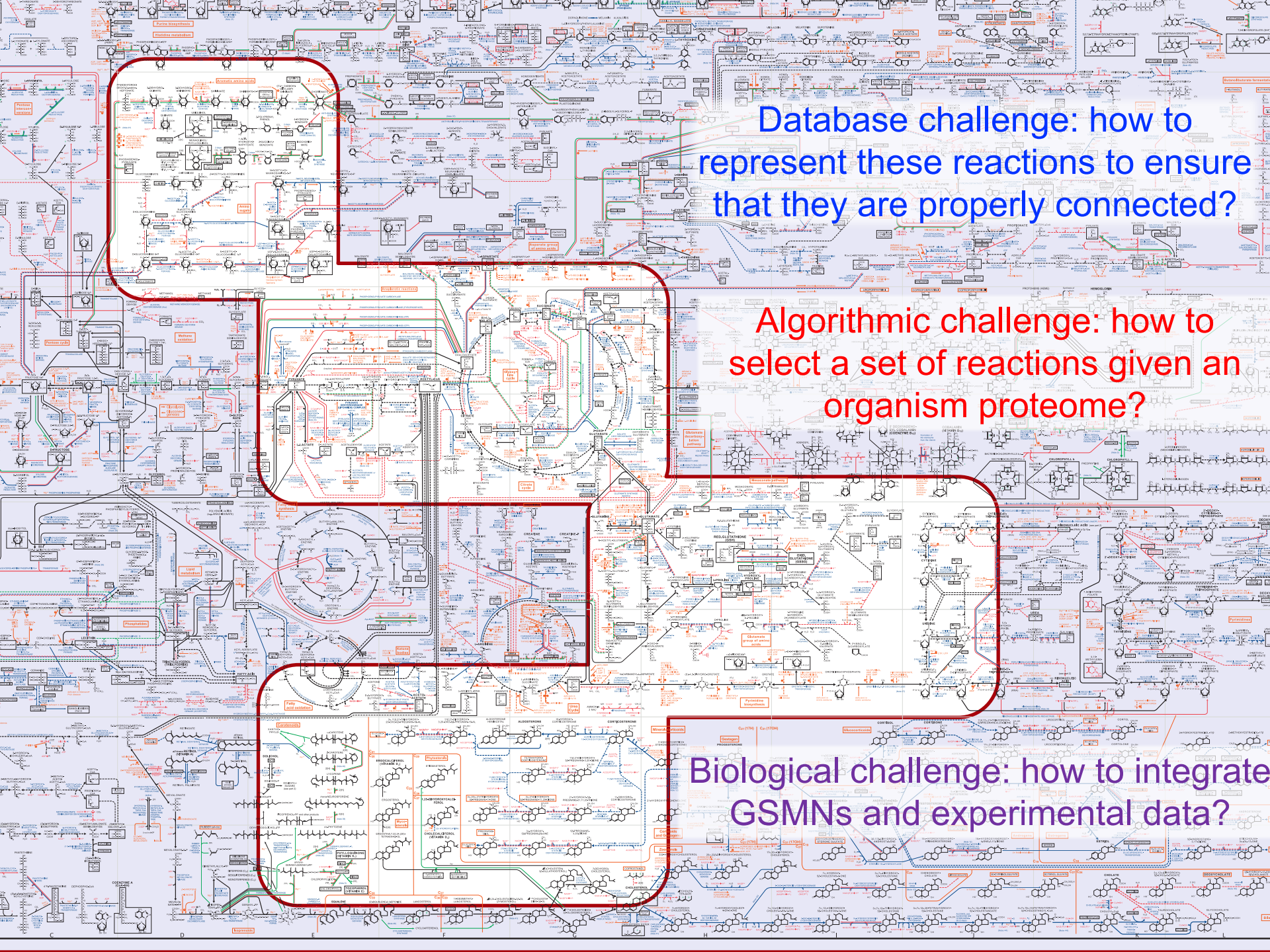


Producing ‘designer cells’ with specific functions is potentially feasible in the near future. Recent developments, including whole-cell models, genome design algorithms and gene editing tools, have advanced the possibility of combining biological research and mathematical modelling to further understand and better design cellular processes. In this review, we will explore computational and experimental approaches used for metabolic and genome design. We will highlight the relevance of modelling in this process, and challenges associated with the construction of quantitative models of cell behaviour, as well as the

The initially encountered difficulty (in 2010)



- About hundred high-quality GSMNs have been published by different groups, with specific nomenclature for metabolites and reactions and no information about molecular structure
- How can we compare the GSMNs published by different groups?
- How can we integrate them with public resources like KEGG, CHEBI, RHEA...?

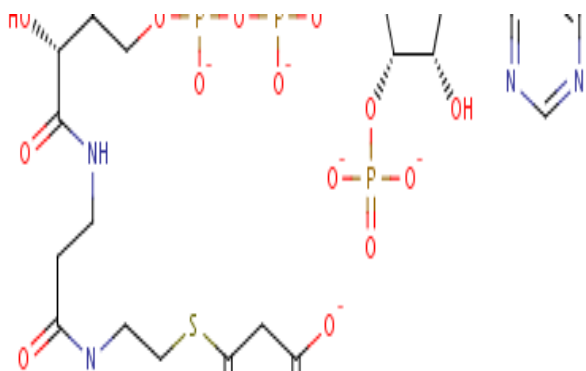


Database challenge: how to represent these reactions to ensure that they are properly connected?

Algorithmic challenge: how to select a set of reactions given an organism proteome?

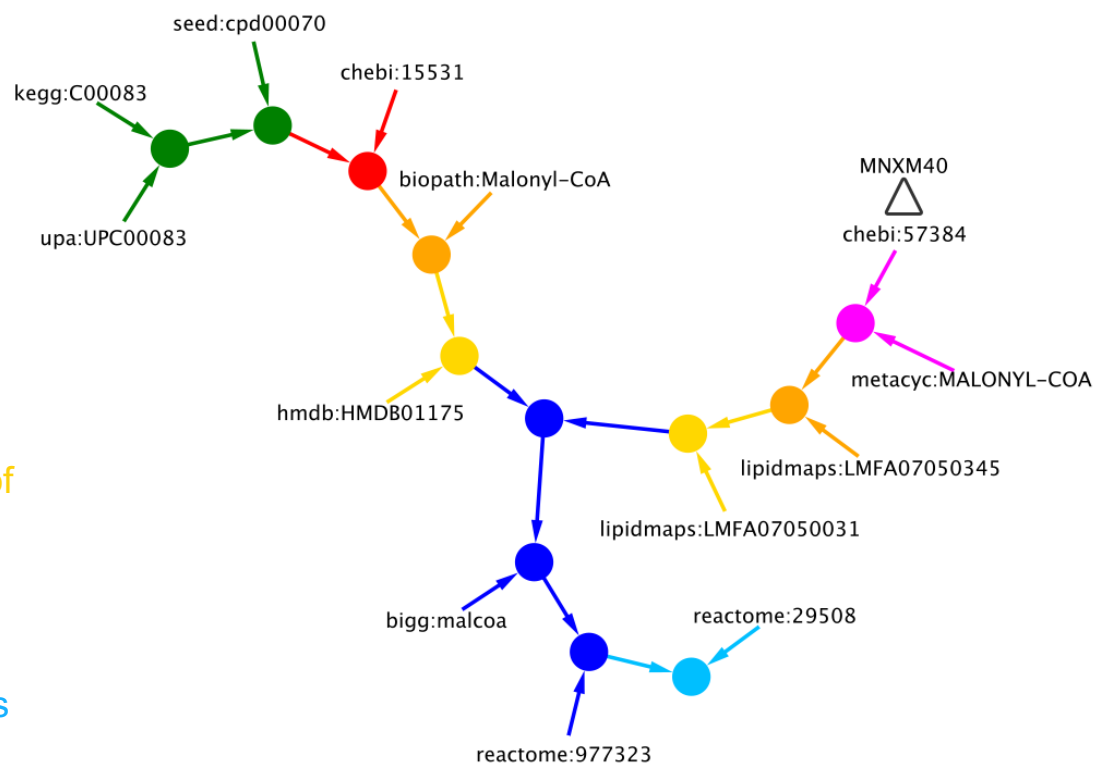
Biological challenge: how to integrate GSMNs and experimental data?

Automated reconciliation of malonyl-CoA



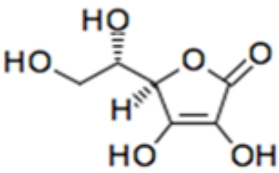
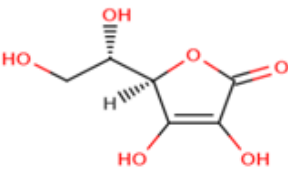
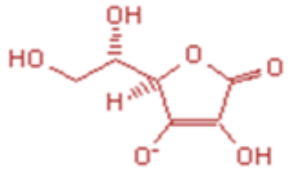
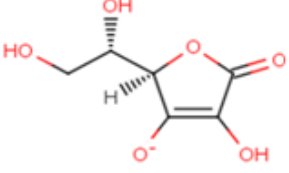
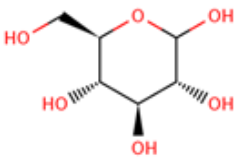
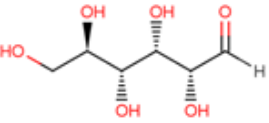
Evidences used in reconciliation:

- structure as supplied by the source databases
- recomputed structure
- recomputed structure protonated at pH 7.3
- recomputed structure protonated at pH 7.3 but ignoring the stereo layer of the InChI representation
- using the cross-references supplied by the source databases
- based on compound primary names
- based on compound synonym names

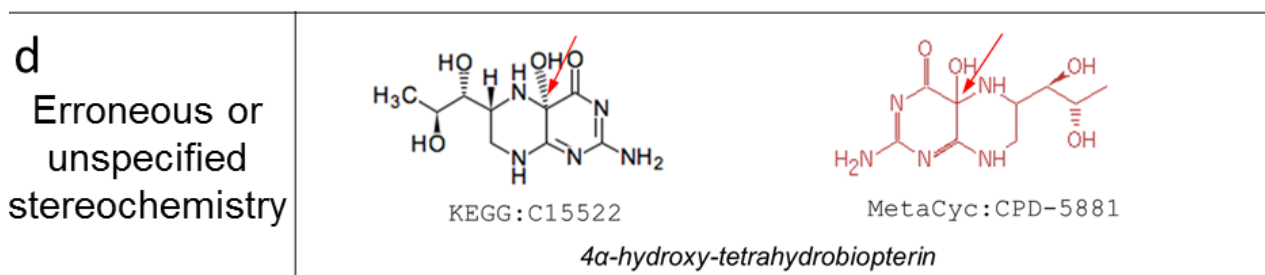


Triangle: in a post-processing step, chebi:57384 was chosen to best represent MNXM40

Different representation of a metabolite

<p>a</p> <p>Different protonation states</p>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>KEGG: C00072 <i>ascorbate</i></p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>CHEBI: 29073 <i>L-ascorbic acid</i></p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>MetaCyc: ASCORBATE <i>L-ascorbate</i></p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>CHEBI: 38290 <i>L-ascorbate</i></p> </div> </div>
<p>b</p> <p>Different representations of the same metabolite</p>	<div style="text-align: center; background-color: red; color: white; padding: 20px;"> <p>Automated solution: using molecular structure (SMILES, InChI) ...and fix manually wrong molecular information</p> </div>
<p>c</p> <p>Circular / linear forms of carbohydrates</p>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>CHEBI: 4167 <i>D-glucopyranose</i></p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>CHEBI: 42758 <i>aldehydo-D-glucose</i></p> </div> </div>

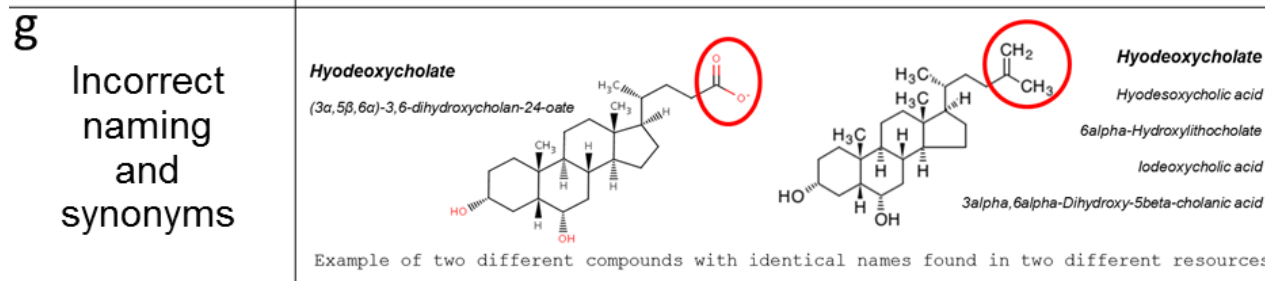
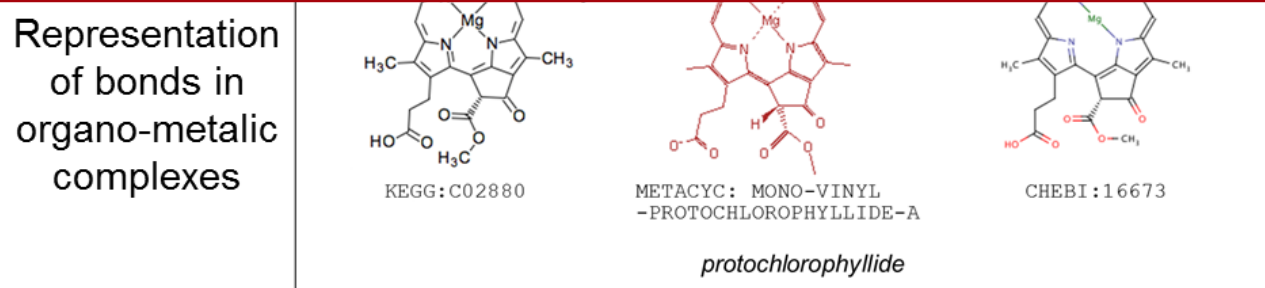
Mistakes, errors, imprecision...



Solution:

Trust some resources more than others

Consider the context given by the reactions...



Reconciliation of reactions

rhea:26434 rhea:26435 rhea:26436 rhea:26437	<chem>chebi:16881 + 1 chebi:33384 = 1 chebi:15377 + 1 chebi:57912</chem>
kegg:R00674	<chem>C00065 + C00463 = C00078 + C00001</chem>
bigg:TRPS2	<chem>1 h2o@c + 1 trp_L@c = 1 indole@c + 1 ser_L@c</chem>
bigg:TRPS2h	<chem>1 h2o@h + 1 trp_L@h = 1 indole@h + 1 ser_L@h</chem>
metacyc:RXN0-2382	<chem>1 metacyc:SER + 1 metacyc:INDOLE = 1 metacyc:TRP + 1 metacyc:WATER</chem>
seed:rxn00474	<chem>1 cpd00054@c + 1 cpd00359@c = 1 cpd00001@c + 1 cpd00065@c</chem>

MNXR104946

1 MNXM2@MNXD1 + 1 MNXM94@MNXD1 = 1 MNXM377@MNXD1 + 1 MNXM53@MNXD1



H2O



L-tryptophan



indole



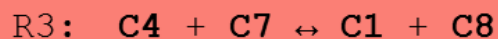
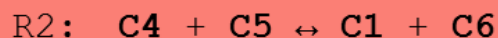
L-serine

placeholder (generic) compartment



Metabolite reconciliation through reactions

Reactions of resource 1



Structurally reconciled compounds:



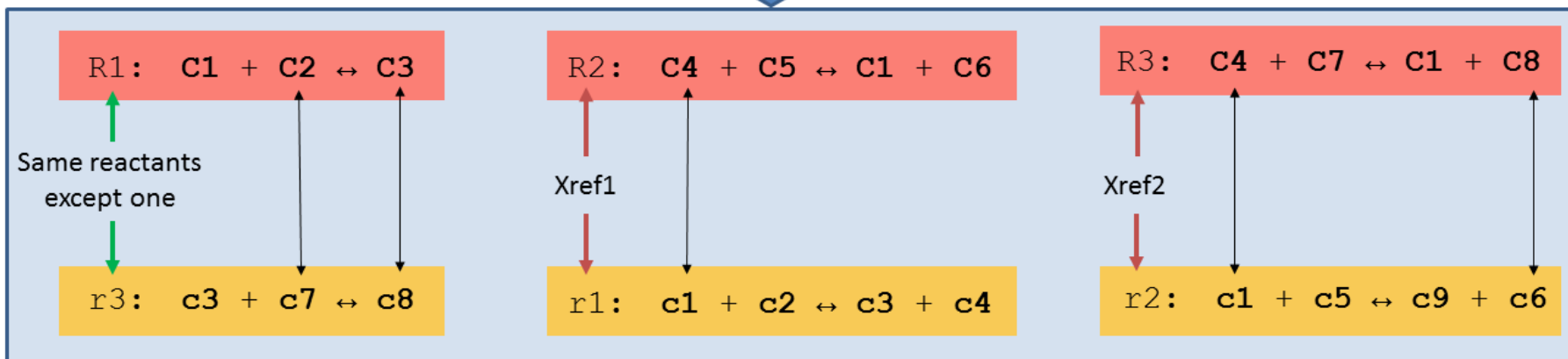
Cross-references between reactions:

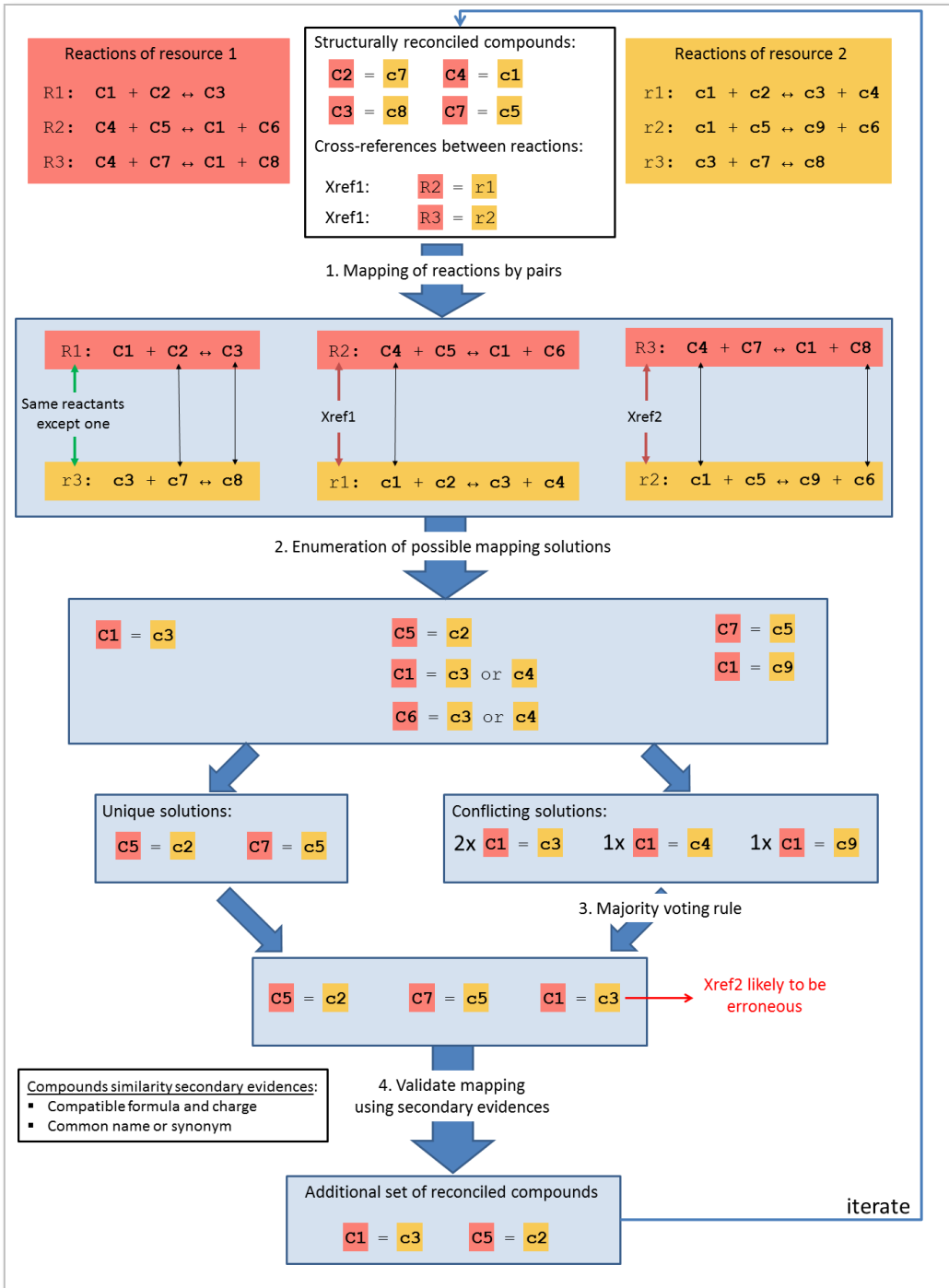


Reactions of resource 2



1. Mapping of reactions by pairs





Reconciliation of metabolites and biochemical reactions for metabolic networks

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Abstract

Genome-scale metabolic network reconstructions are now routinely used in the study of metabolic pathways, their evolution and design. The development of such reconstructions involves the integration of information on reactions and metabolites from the scientific literature as well as public databases and existing genome-scale metabolic models. The reconciliation of discrepancies between data from these sources generally requires significant manual curation, which constitutes a major obstacle in efforts to develop and apply genome-scale metabolic network reconstructions. In this work, we discuss some of the major difficulties encountered in the mapping and reconciliation of metabolic resources and review three recent initiatives that aim to accelerate this process, namely BKM-react, MetRxn and MNXref (presented in this article). Each of these resources provides a pre-compiled reconciliation of

MNXref reconciliation of metabolites and biochemical reactions

MNXref release	1.0 / 1.1	2.0	3.0
BioPath	2010/05/03	2010/05/03	
BiGG	2013/06/04	2015/09/02	2016/11/04
BKM/BRENDA	2013/04/12		
ChEBI	102	131	145
GO	2012/06/09	2015/09/02	2016/09/21
HMDB	3.0	3.6	3.6
KEGG	2013/04/12	75.1	79.0
LipidMaps	2013/04/12	2015/06/28	2016/09/21
MetaCyc	17.0	19.1	20.5
Reactome	2013/05/24	53	57
Rhea	39	64	75
SABIO-RK			2016/05/27
SwissLipids			2016/10/18
TheSEED	2013/04/12	2013/06/19	2016/12/16
UMBBD-EAWAG → enviPath		2014/06/30	2016/10/11
UniPathway	2012/04	2015/03	

MNXref reconciliation of metabolites and biochemical reactions

MNXref reconciliation:

$691 \cdot 10^3$ metabolites

$42 \cdot 10^3$ reactions (with generic compartment)

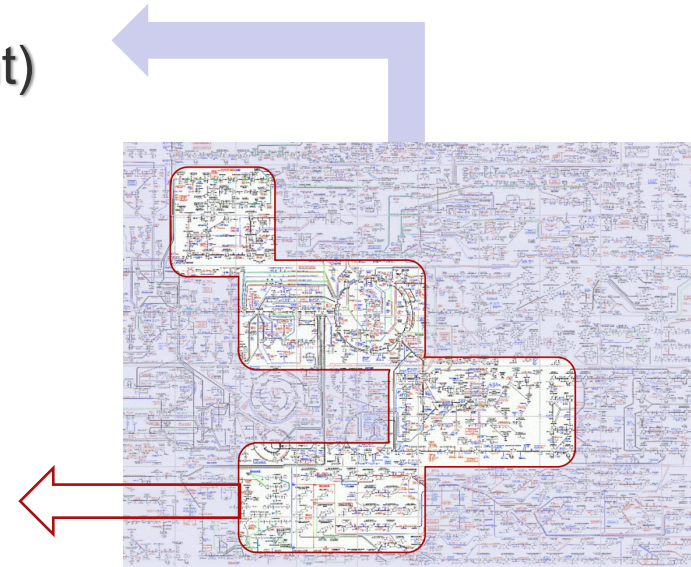
MetaNetX repository:

134 GSMNs and the like

$55 \cdot 10^3$ reactions (in specific compartments)

$11 \cdot 10^3$ metabolites

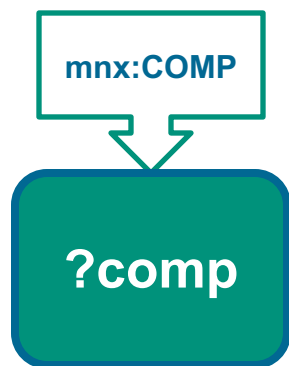
$63 \cdot 10^3$ genes or proteins



RDF: $\sim 13.5 \cdot 10^6$ triples

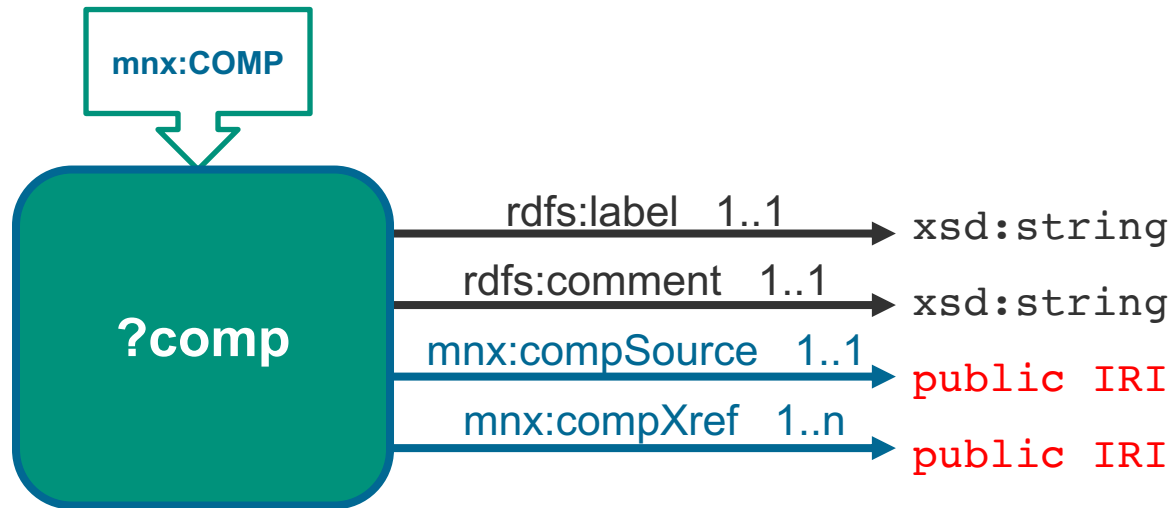
Notation

- IRI and blank nodes are systematically typed in MetaNetX RDF
- Graphical representation:



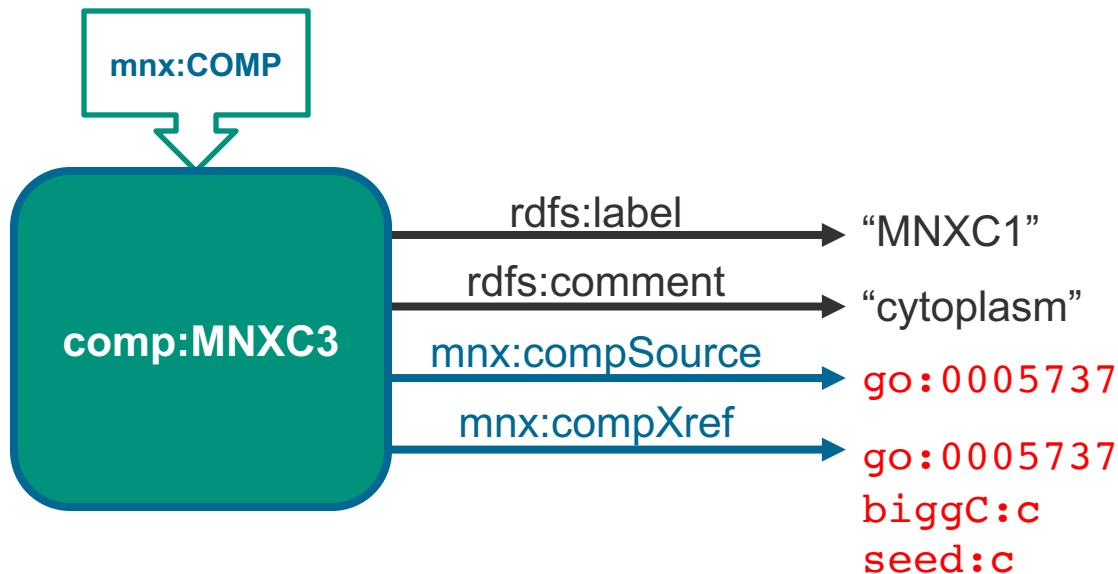
means `?comp rdf:type mnx:COMP`

mnx:COMP - sub-cellular compartment

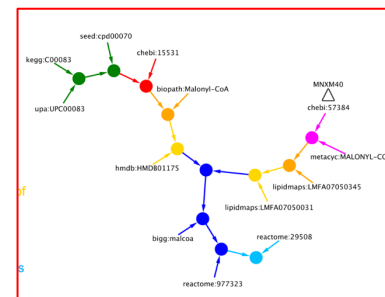
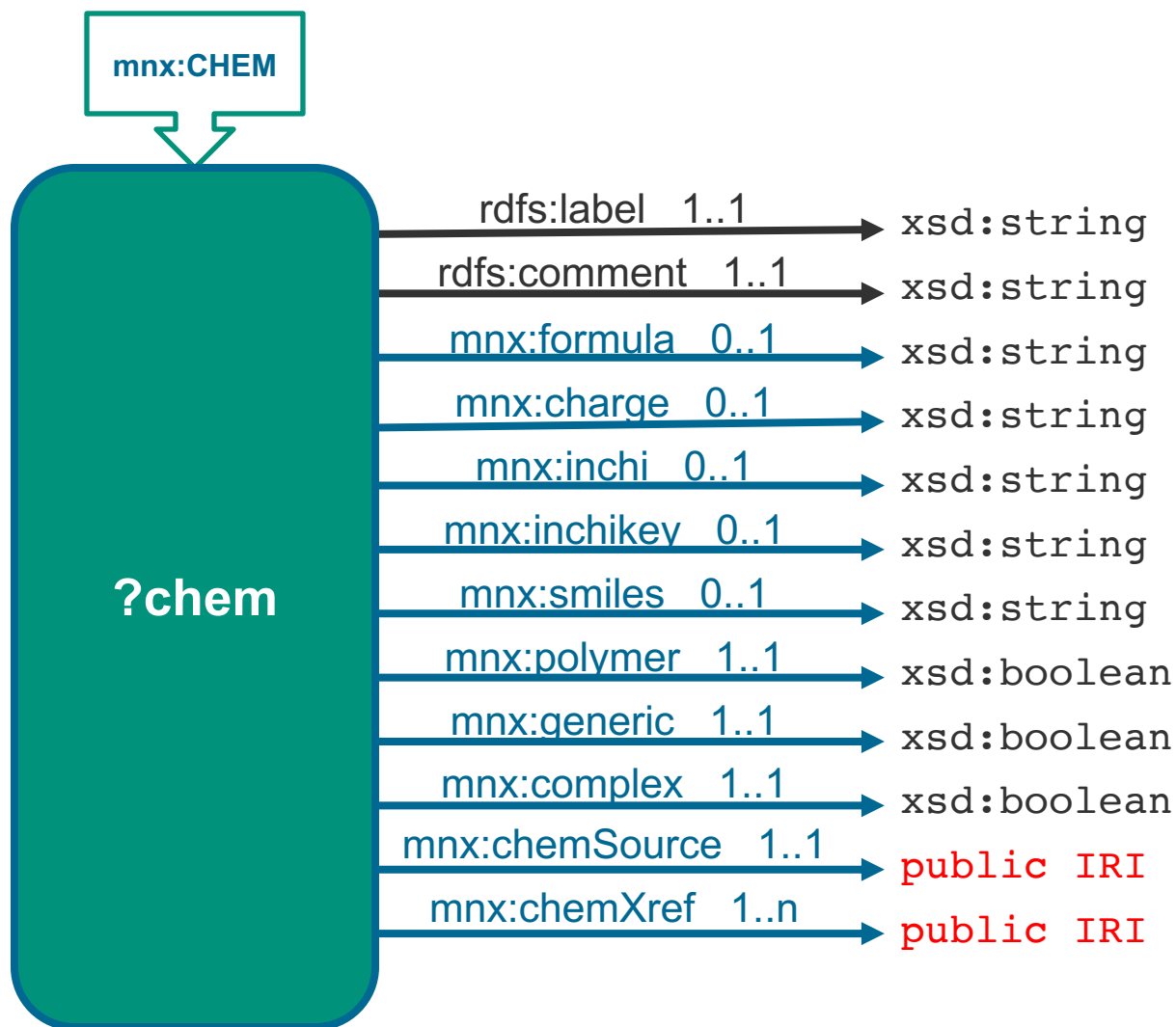


Example of a compartment instance: Cytoplasm

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@PREFIX comp: <https://rdf.metanetx.org/comp/>
@PREFIX go: <http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/GO_>
@PREFIX biggC: <https://identifiers.org/bigg.compartment/>
comp:MNXC3 a mxn:COMP ;
  rdfs:label 'MNXC1' ;
  rdfs:comment 'cytoplasm' ;
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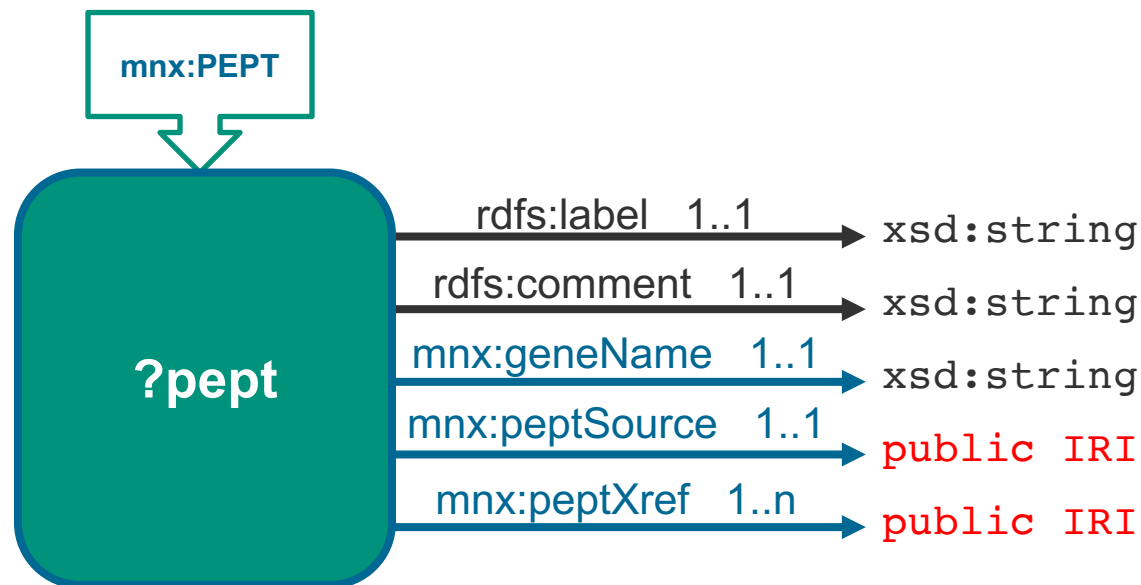


mnx:CHEM: - metabolite



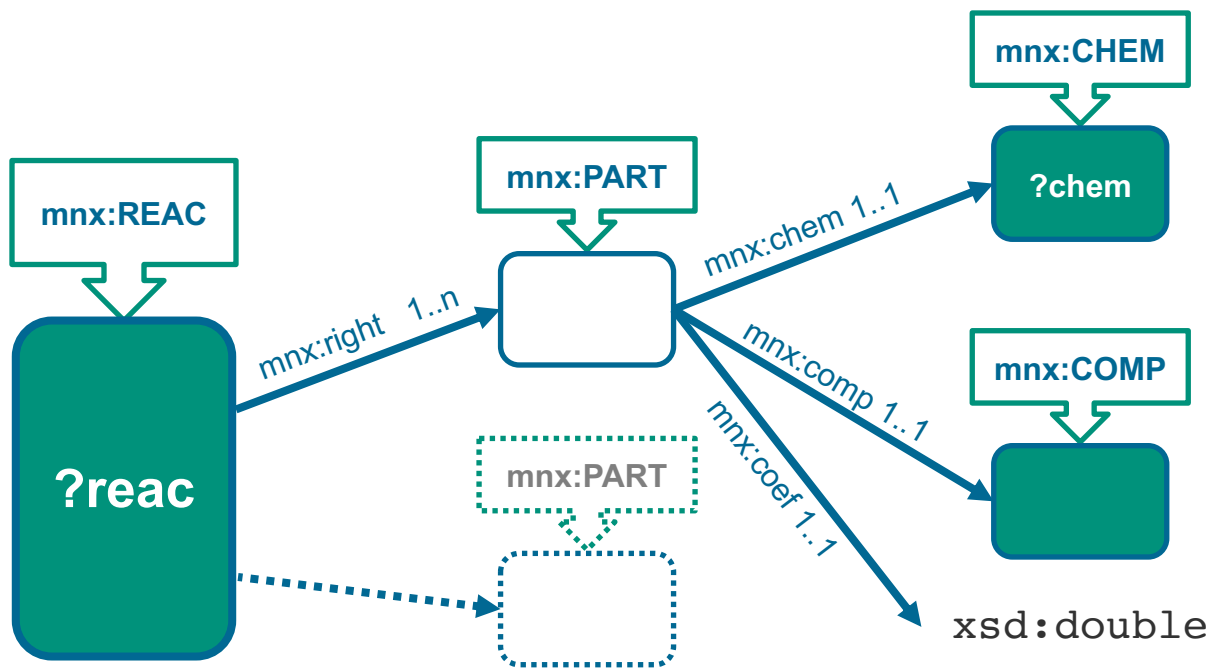
mnx:PEPT - gene or gene product (e.g. polypeptide)

- Most published GSMNs are using gene identifiers with organism-specific nomenclature
- The corresponding UniProt identifiers are recovered at MetaNetX, when possible

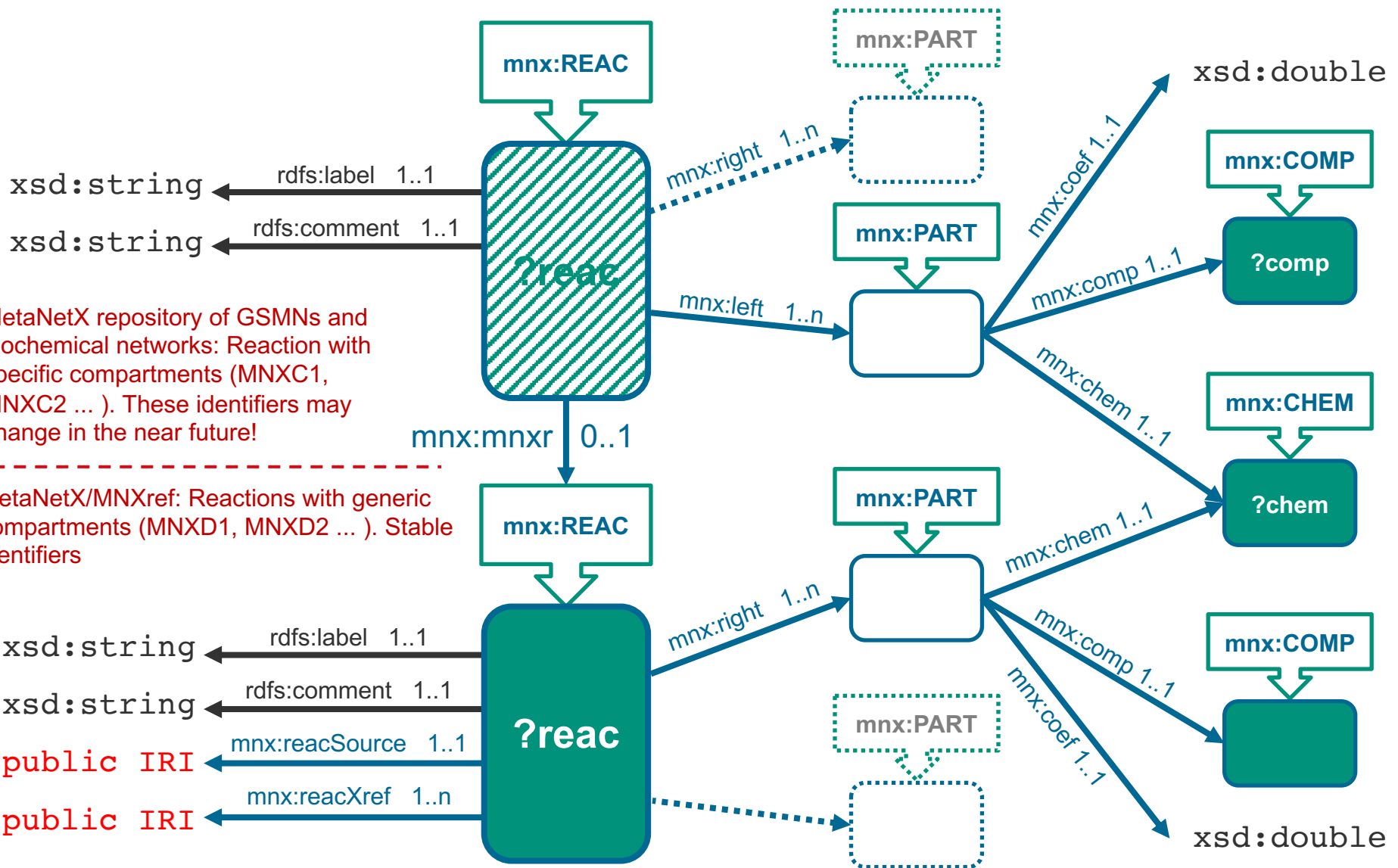


mnx:REAC - reactions

Example here



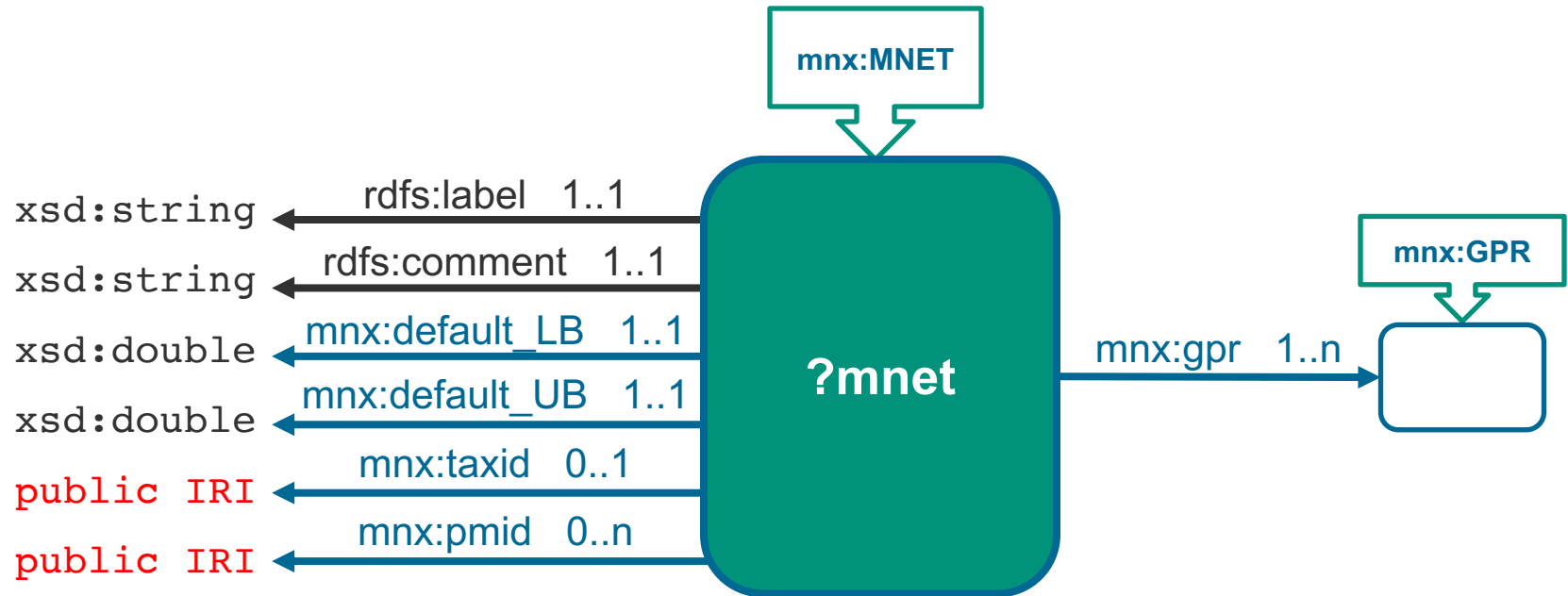
mnx:REAC - reactions, two flavours



MetaNetX repository of GSMNs and biochemical networks: Reaction with specific compartments (MNXC1, MNXC2 ...). These identifiers may change in the near future!

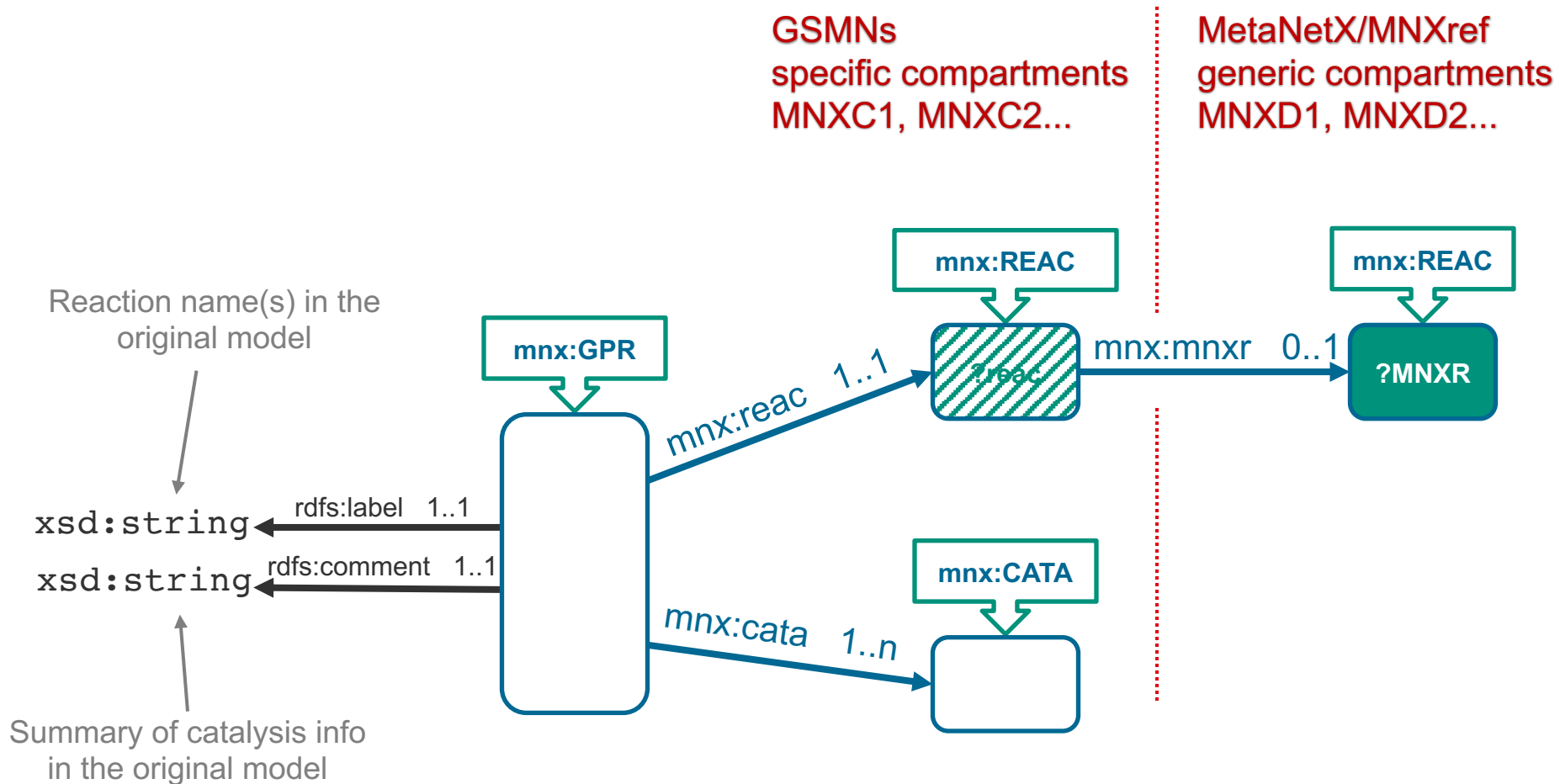
MetaNetX/MNXref: Reactions with generic compartments (MNXD1, MNXD2 ...). Stable identifiers

mnx:MNET - GSMN and other metabolic networks

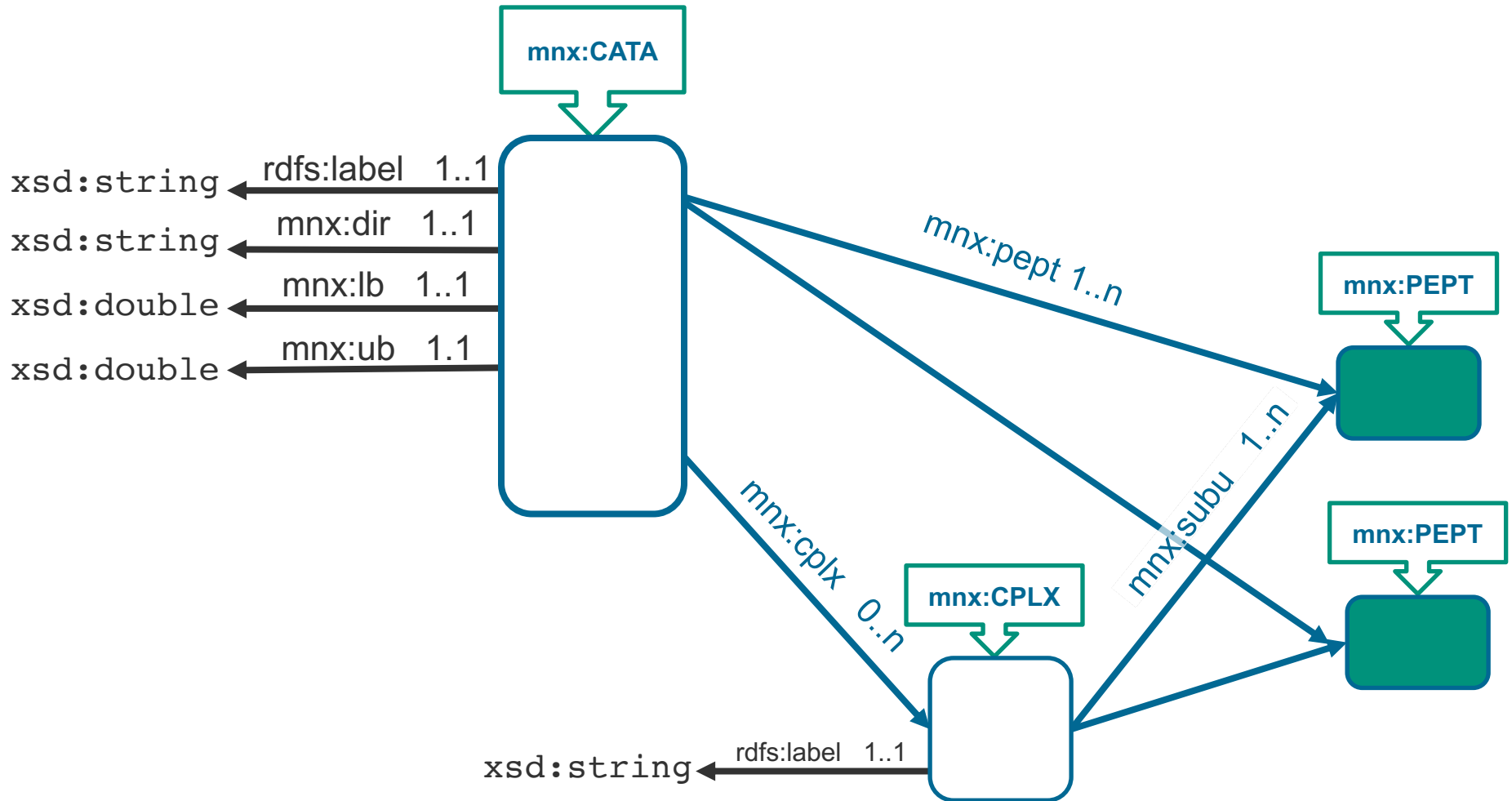


GPR stands for Gene-Protein-Reaction
Large GSMNs contain thousands of GPR

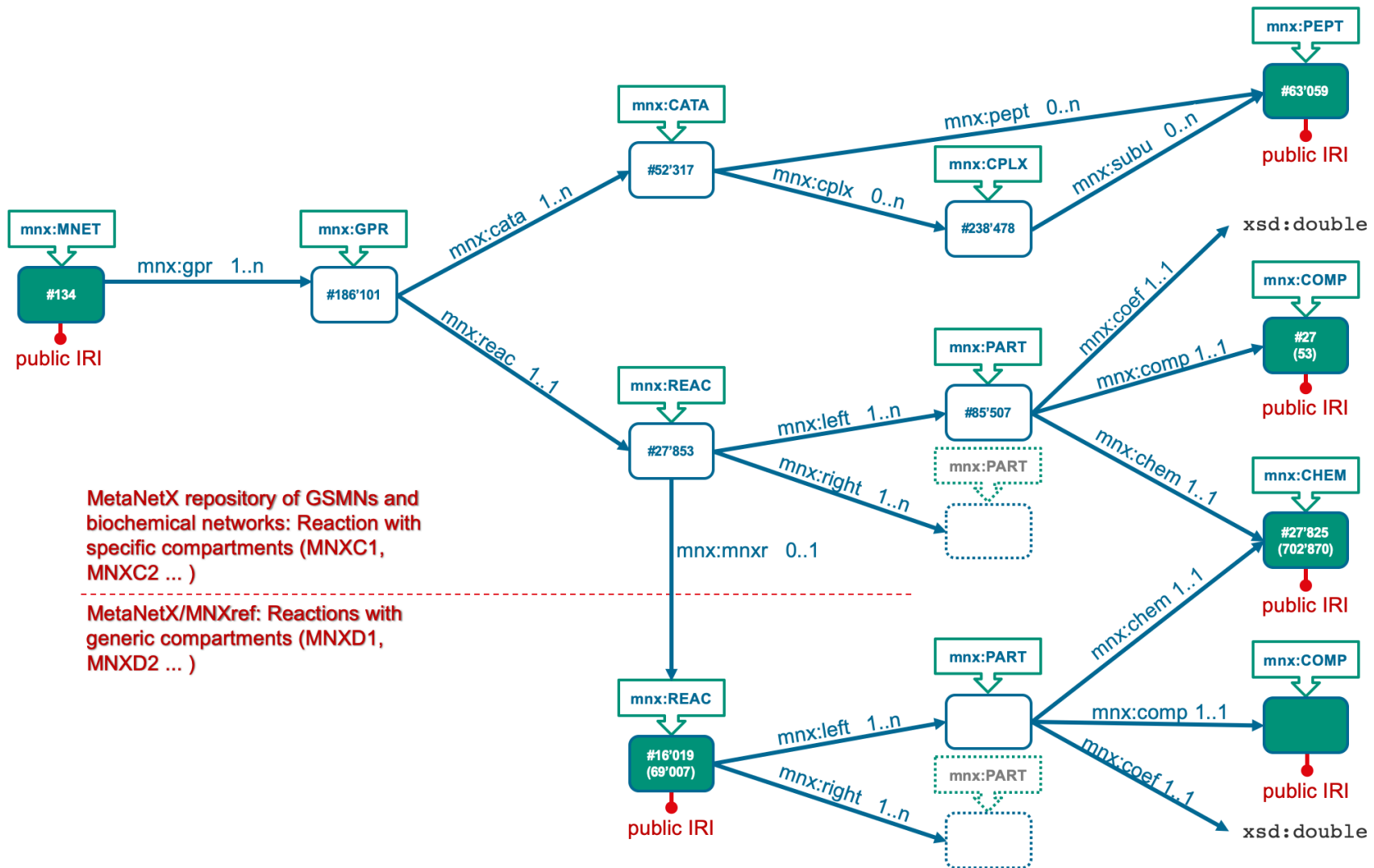
mnx:GPR – GPR are the building block of GSMN



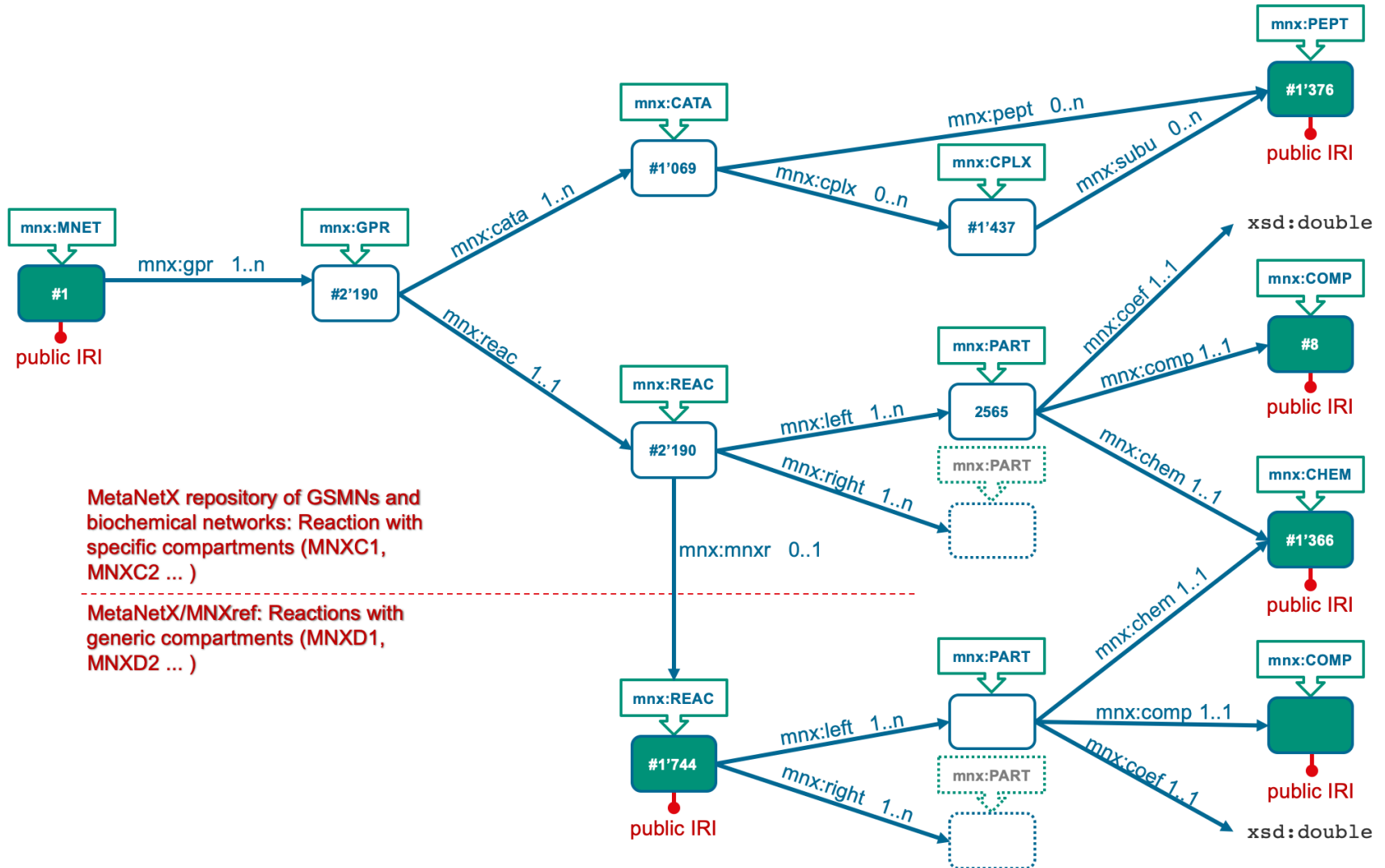
mnx:CATA – catalyst and complex description



All subunits are required to produce a functional protein complex



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The screenshot shows the MetaNetX website interface. At the top, there is a browser window with the URL `rdf.metanetx.org`. The page header includes the MetaNetX logo, the text "Automated Model Construction and Genome Annotation for Large-Scale Metabolic Networks", and a search bar for MNXref. A navigation menu on the left lists various actions under "My Selection", "Analyze", "Create / Modify", and "Utilities". The main content area is titled "SPARQL query editor" and features a large text input field for queries. Below the input field, there is an "Output format" dropdown set to "HTML" and two buttons: "Run Query" and "Clear". A section titled "Examples" provides a list of sample queries with "Show" buttons for each. The browser's address bar shows the URL `rdf.metanetx.org` and the page title is "MetaNetX: sparql query".

MetaNetX
Automated Model Construction and Genome Annotation for Large-Scale Metabolic Networks

Search MNXref

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Welcome **GUEST**

My Selection

- Summary
- Pick from repository
- Import model
- Upload reactions
- Delete models
- Upload genome [New](#)

Analyze

- Groups of coupled reactions (GCR)
- Flux balance (FBA)
- Flux variability (FVA)
- Reaction knockout (RKO)
- Gene/peptide knockout (PKO)

Create / Modify

- Combine logically
- Split and merge
- Predict directions (DIR)
- Gap filling (GAP)
- Growth recovery (GRE) [New](#)
- Build from a genome (BUILD) [New](#)

Utilities

SPARQL query editor

Output format:

A few diagrams to document the RDF schema
A *turtle* file is available on our [FTP](#)

Examples

- Retrieve the MNXref metabolite with name **N,N-dimethyl-beta-alanine**, together with molecular information.
- Retrieve the identifiers for **N,N-dimethyl-beta-alanine** in external databases. This crosslinking of external identifiers is the core of MNXref.
- For the KEGG compound **C01732**, retrieve the MNXref identifier, name and source.
- Retrieve the MNXref reaction identifier, that correspond to the KEGG reaction **R00703** (lactate dehydrogenase).
- List the external identifiers that correspond to the KEGG reaction **R00703** (lactate dehydrogenase). This crosslinking of external identifiers is the core of MNXref.

SBML



SBML is the *de facto* standard format to exchange GSMN

- XML based
- Internal non-standard formats are used by most research groups
- RDF is just another format, here
- Our RDF schema was designed to be compatible with SBML representation of a GSMN, *i.e.* no essential information should be lost.

Our complementary editorial policies...

	MetaNetx / MNXref	ChEBI / RHEA / SwissLipids
Evidences from scientific publications	Indirect	Primary goal
Metabolite compartmentalization; Balance vs Transported protons	Enforced (even arbitrarily)	Not systematic (often unknown)
Hypothetical reactions Artificial reactions	Many	None
Choice of metabolite representations	To ensure connectivity and preserve model predictions	To reflect scientific publication
Favored common identifiers	ChEBI + RHEA + UniProt	

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- RHEA at the core of the MetaNetX reconciliation as the most favoured resources for reactions
 - Importing the latest RHEA data from the SPARQL endpoint turned to be very convenient

Federated query with RHEA/UniProt

Given that

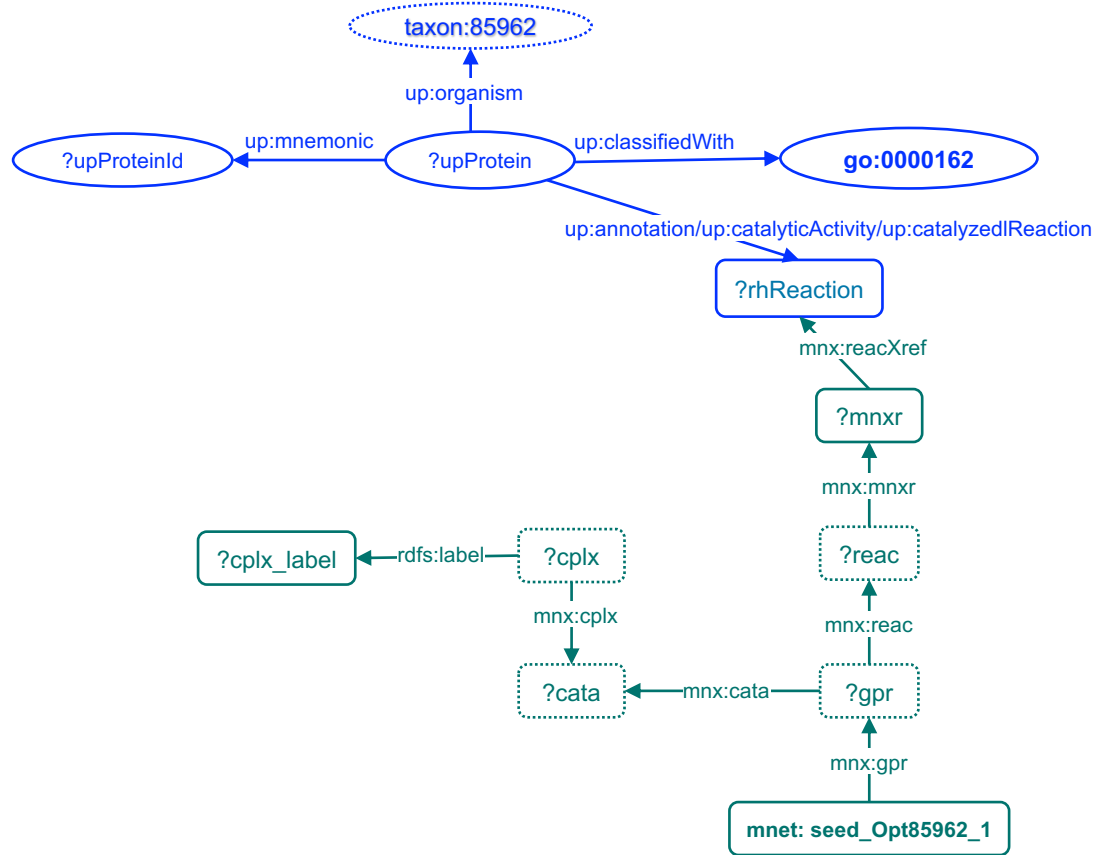
- <https://sparql.uniprot.org/sparql> provides links between biochemical pathways and RHEA entries
- <https://rdf.metanetx.org> contains the descriptions of some enzymatic complexes that are missing in UniProt

What is the complexes organisation for a given pathway?

Example: Tryptophan biosynthetic process (GO:0000162) in *Helicobacter pylori* (taxon:85962) as documented in a GSMN from TheSEED (mnet:seed_Opt85962_1)

Problem: there are more than one way to do it!

UNIPROT ↔ MetaNetX federated query



H. pylori enzyme
complexes for tryptophan
biosynthesis pathway from
GSMN seed_Opt85962_1

```

PREFIX rdfs:<http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#>
PREFIX up:<http://purl.uniprot.org/core/>
PREFIX rh:<http://rdf.rhea-db.org/>
PREFIX taxon:<http://purl.uniprot.org/taxonomy/>
PREFIX mnx:<https://rdf.metanetx.org/schema/>
PREFIX mnet:<https://rdf.metanetx.org/mnet/>
PREFIX GO:<http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/GO_>

```

**MOST mappings here
are not one-to-one**

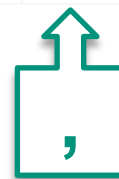


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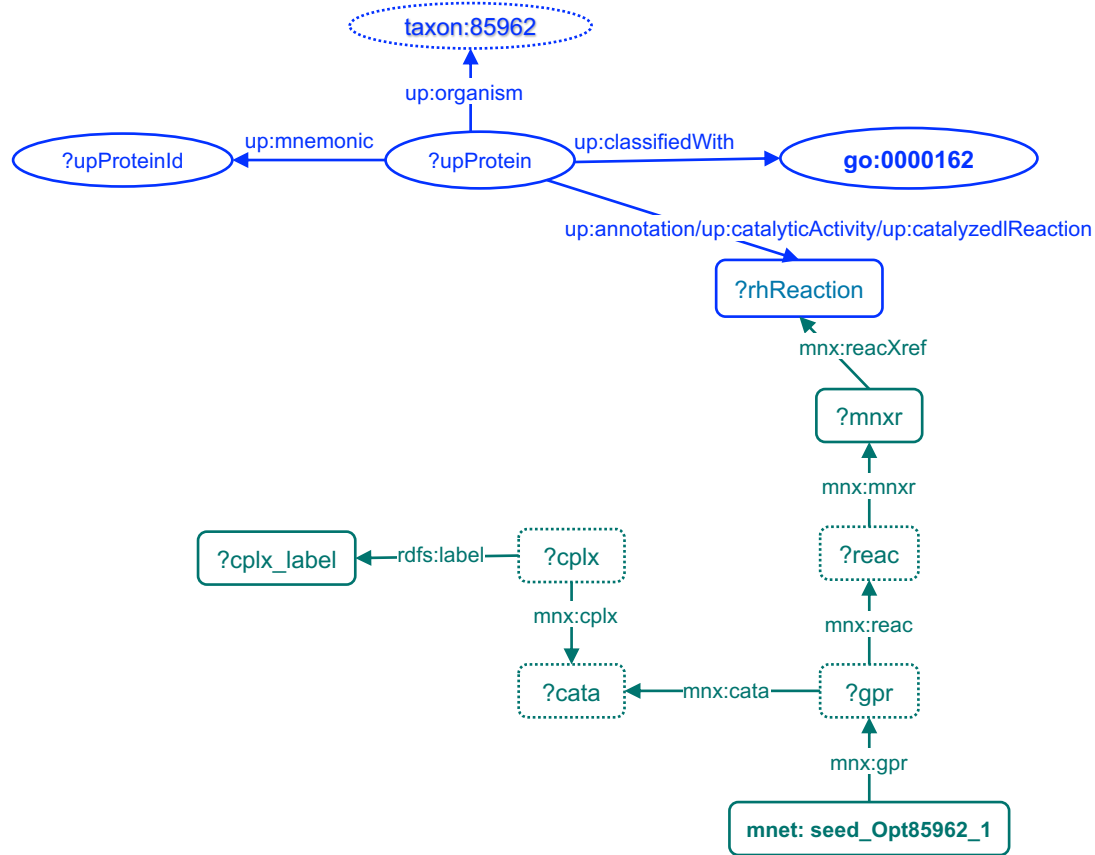
SELECT
  ( GROUP_CONCAT( DISTINCT ?rhReaction; separator=', ' ) AS ?rh_list )
  ( GROUP_CONCAT( DISTINCT ?upProteinId; separator=', ' ) AS ?id_list )
  ?mnxr
  ( GROUP_CONCAT( DISTINCT ?cplx_label; separator=', ' ) AS ?cplx_list )
  ?mnet
WHERE{
  ?upProtein up:reviewed true .
  ?upProtein up:mnemonic ?upProteinId .
  ?upProtein up:organism taxon:85962 .
  ?upProtein up:classifiedWith GO:0000162.
  ?upProtein up:annotation/up:catalyticActivity/up:catalyzedReaction ?rhReaction .
SERVICE <https://rdf.metanetx.org/sparql> {
  ?mnxr mnx:reactXref ?rhReaction .
  ?reac mnx:mnxr ?mnxr .
  ?gpr mnx:reac ?reac ;
  mnx:cata ?cata .
  ?cata mnx:cplx ?cplx .
  ?cplx rdfs:label ?cplx_label .
  ?mnet mnx:gpr ?gpr .
  VALUES ?mnet {mnet:seed_Opt85962_1}
}
GROUP BY ?mnxr ?mnet

```

rh_list	id_list	mnxr	cplx_list	mnet
"http://rdf.rhea-db.org/21540" xsd:string	"TRPC_HELPY" xsd:string	https://rdf.metanetx.org/reac/MNXR1031564	"bact:TRPC_HELPY" xsd:string	https://rdf.metanetx.org/mnet/seed_Opt85962_1
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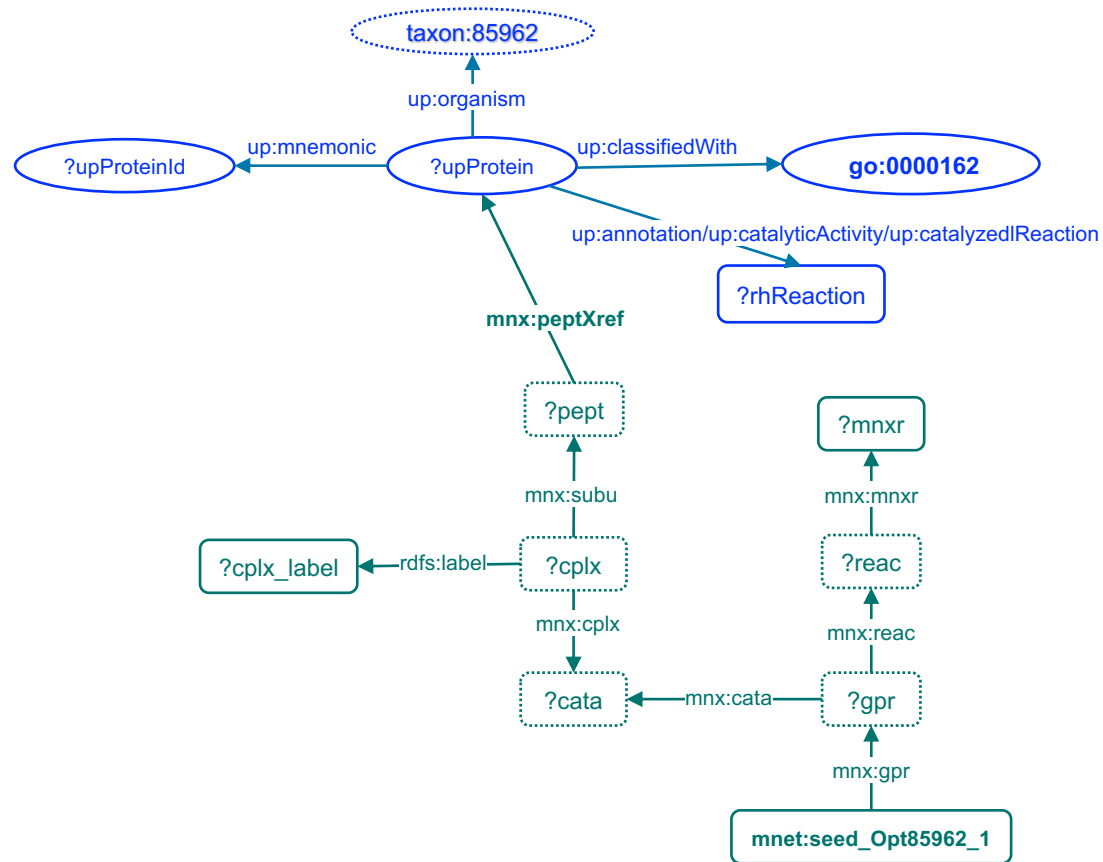


UNIPROT ↔ MetaNetX federated query



pylori enzyme
complexes for
tophan

UNIPROT ⇔ MetaNetX federated query



```

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SELECT
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( GROUP_CONCAT( DISTINCT ?rhReaction; separator=', ' ) AS ?rh_list )
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?mnet

```

```
WHERE{
```

```

?upProtein up:reviewed true .
?upProtein up:mnemonic ?upProteinId .
?upProtein up:organism taxon:85962 .
?upProtein up:classifiedWith GO:0000162.
?upProtein up:annotation/up:catalyticActivity/up:catalyzedReaction ?rhReaction .

```

```
SERVICE <https://rdf.metanetx.org/sparql> {
```

```

?reac mnx:mnxr ?mnxr .
?gpr mnx:reac ?reac ;
?cata mnx:cata ?cata .
?cplx mnx:cplx ?cplx .
?cplx rdfs:label ?cplx_label ;
?pept mnx:peptXref ?upProtein .
?mnet mnx:gpr ?gpr .
VALUES ?mnet {mnet:seed_Opt85962_1}

```

```
}
```

```
}
```

```
GROUP BY ?mnxr ?mnet
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rh_list	id_list	mnxr	cplx_list	mnet
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MetaNetX ↔ OMA

Idea: Produce a GSMN (or at least a set of GPRs) for a target organism, starting from the MetaNetX repository and utilizing orthology/paralogy relationships

Difficulty: with federated query: One way or another, a large number of rows (> 50'000) has to be exchanged between the two endpoints, causing serious performance issues.

Solutions:

1. Address the faulty/poor performances of endpoints
2. Download the relevant data at once, and work on the client side
3. LOOP with SPARQL queries involving few rows at a time

Summary

- MetaNetX is a domain-specific resource, the compiled dataset is tailored for particular applications
- A major release (v4.0) is in preparation with lots of bug fixes and improvements
- The RDF-SPARQL exercise helped us to clarify many concepts and provide us with a REST service with clean specifications (among others)
- Integration with other SIB resources, using RDF/SPARQL is ongoing. What will be the maintenance cost?



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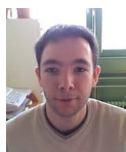


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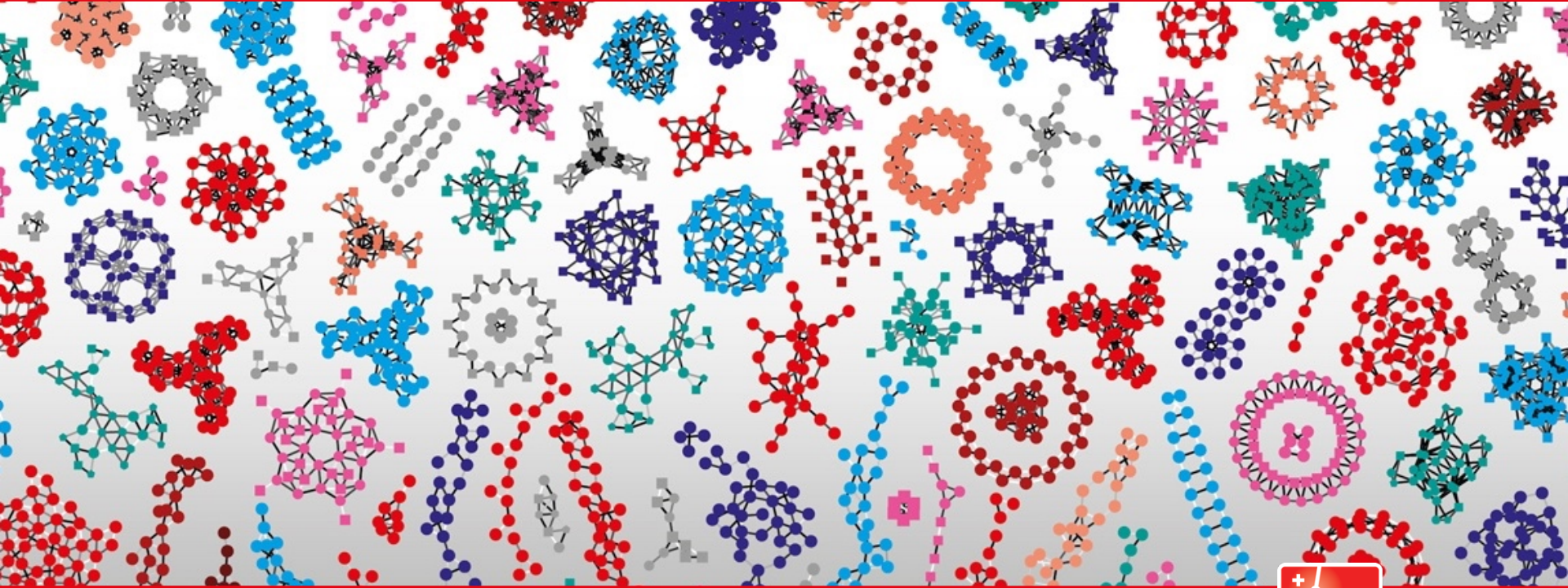


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