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# What's Up

## Customer Update Webinar

23<sup>rd</sup> July 2020

# Today's presenters



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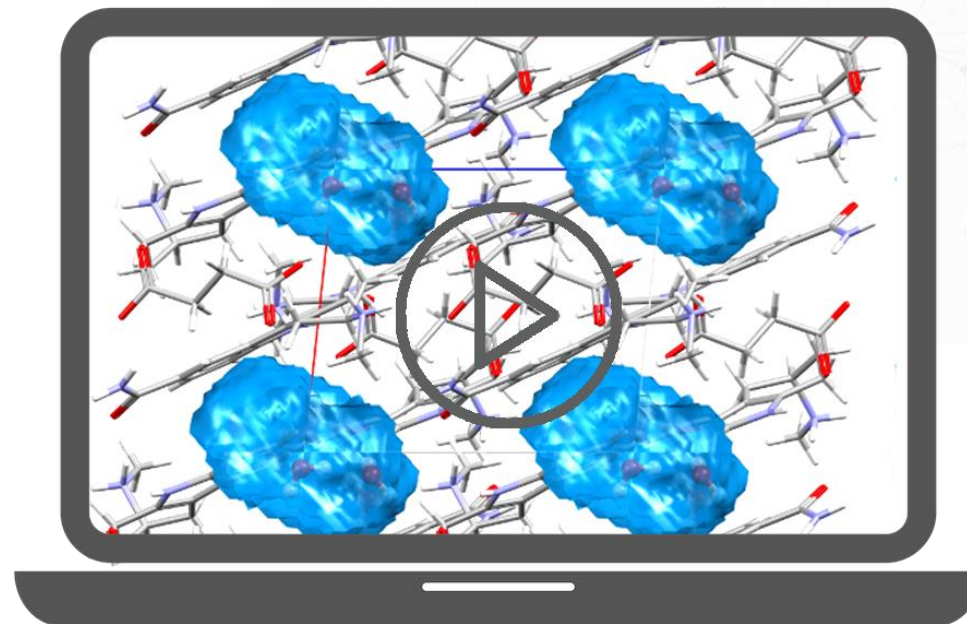


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# Overview

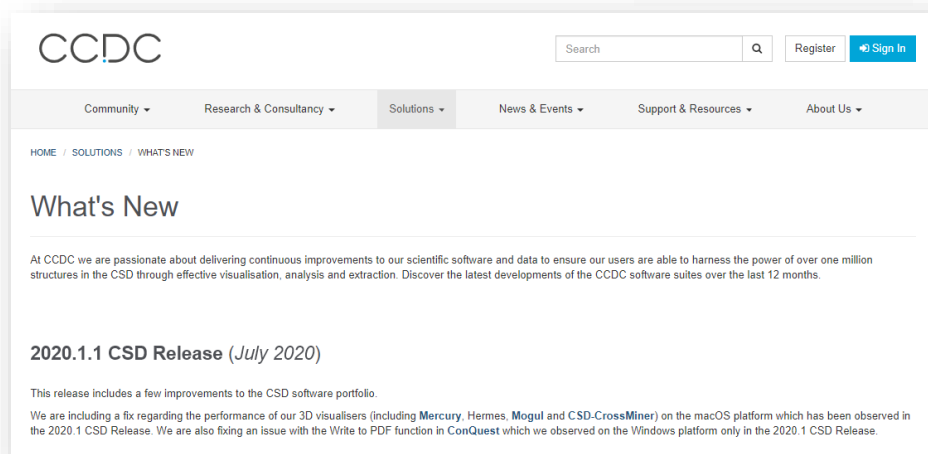
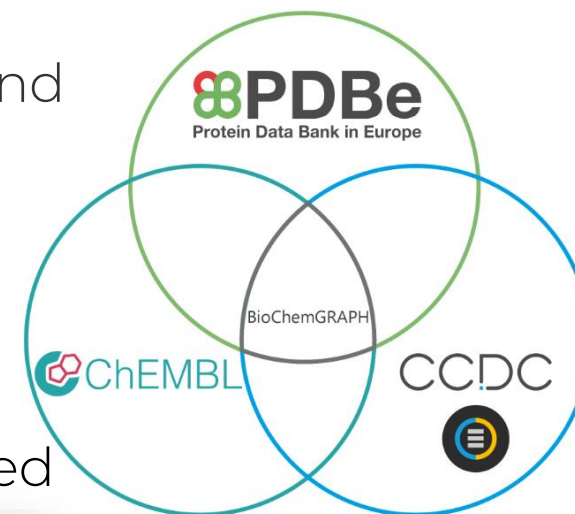
In this webinar we will discuss:

- Latest updates and news
- Behind the scenes of CSD data releases
- CSD Pipeline Pilot component collection
- Q&A: the floor is yours



# Latest updates and news from CCDC

- BioChemGRAPH collaboration between PDBe, ChEMBL and CCDC
- 2020.1.1 CSD Release is available
- CSD Licence academic renewals – contact [admin@ccdc.cam.ac.uk](mailto:admin@ccdc.cam.ac.uk) by 30<sup>th</sup> September for a discounted renewal.





# Latest updates and news from CCDC

## >Events

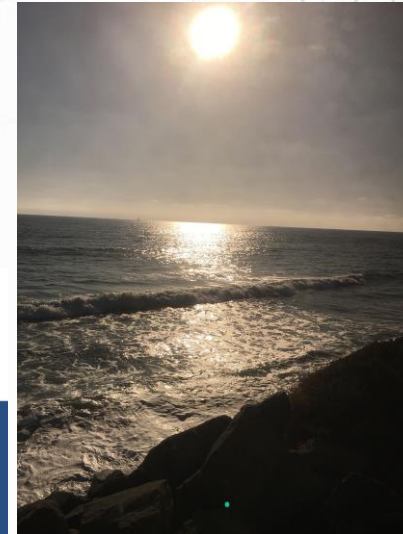
- [American Crystallographic Association](#) – 2-7<sup>th</sup> August
  - 7<sup>th</sup> Aug 12:20 PM
  - Yinka Olatunji-Ojo: Translating hands-on activities to virtual resources for broader scientific engagement
- [Fall ACS Meeting](#) – 16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> August
  - On demand - CINF - Moving Chemistry from the Lab into the Open
  - Ian Bruno: Publishing crystal structure data – keeping up with the times
- [E-Workshop: MX raw image data formats, metadata and validation](#) – 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2020
  - Natalie Johnson: The Gold Standard for SCD - what's needed in addition to what we have
- [Advancing the CCDC/FIZ Karlsruhe collaboration](#)
  - Joint survey – launching soon
  - Joint webinar planned for 27<sup>th</sup> August



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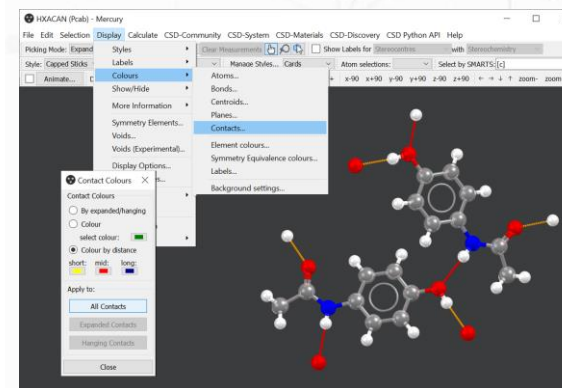
- Virtual West Coast UGM – 13<sup>th</sup> August
  - Registration is open!  
<https://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/News/Events>
  - Download the event app



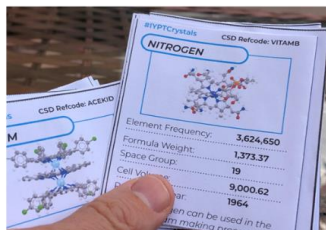
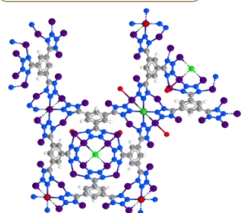
# Latest updates and news from CCDC

## >Home learning

- New [CCDC Home Learning Collection](#)
  - IYPT in Crystals Battlecards
  - Lego, chocolate, polymorphs
  - Identikit of common substances
- Follow our new [#TopTipTuesday](#)
- Watch our new [How To videos](#)

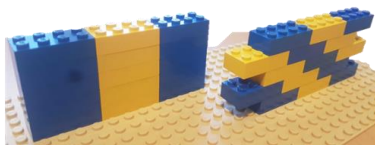


CSD Entry AQOLAV,  
celebrating cobalt



The IYPTCrystals Battlecards

Learning about  
polymorphs!



Identikit of Common Substances.



How GOLD works on the cloud

1:27

Setting up GOLD on cloud resources

4:19

How to use Aromatics Analyser in Mercury CSD-...



# Latest updates and news from CCDC

## >CSD

- Do you have unpublished data in:
  - a thesis
  - and/or non electronic format?
- We can help you share it!
- Last year Jake Bowden helped share >500 structures in this way
- This year our summer student, Cameron Wilson, is working to help add and convert your data
- Check out our FAQ or email [deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk](mailto:deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk)

### How can I publish structures from my thesis?

#### Solution

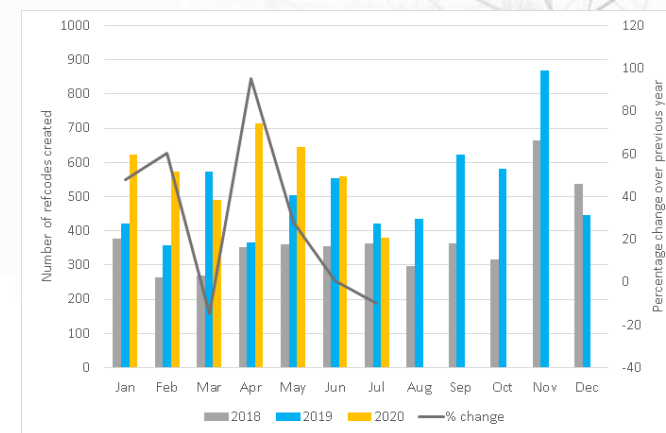
If you would like to publish structures which feature in your PhD thesis, you can make your data publicly available through the CSD. To do this, simply deposit your data through [Deposit Structures](#). When completing the publication information for your structure, add the journal name as "Thesis", the year of your thesis and the list of authors. To see an example of structures published in a thesis, please see the CSD entries for [WOMXEE](#) and [WOMXII](#), published by CCDC's very own [Jürgen Harter](#) in his PhD thesis.

In case you no longer have the thesis structures in CIF format, we are still able to add your data to the CSD. For us to do so, please email [deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk](mailto:deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk) and attach any files you have. These may include .res or .ins files, and/or the crystallographic tables in your thesis, including the table of coordinates and basic crystallographic information.

If you no longer have the crystallographic tables in electronic format, then please either scan your data to PDF, take a photo or type up the data into a text file, and send it to [deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk](mailto:deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk). For cases where a CIF file is not available, you will also need to provide additional details about your thesis, including thesis title, PhD supervisor name, institution and the name of the crystallographer (if this was someone else). These details will be used to verify the information provided.

### Thesis data summer project

We've been running a summer initiative this year to help you get your thesis data shared and acknowledged. Here's our summer student Jake Bowden helping CEO Jürgen Harter add structures from his PhD thesis. Discover how to publish structures from your thesis [here](#).



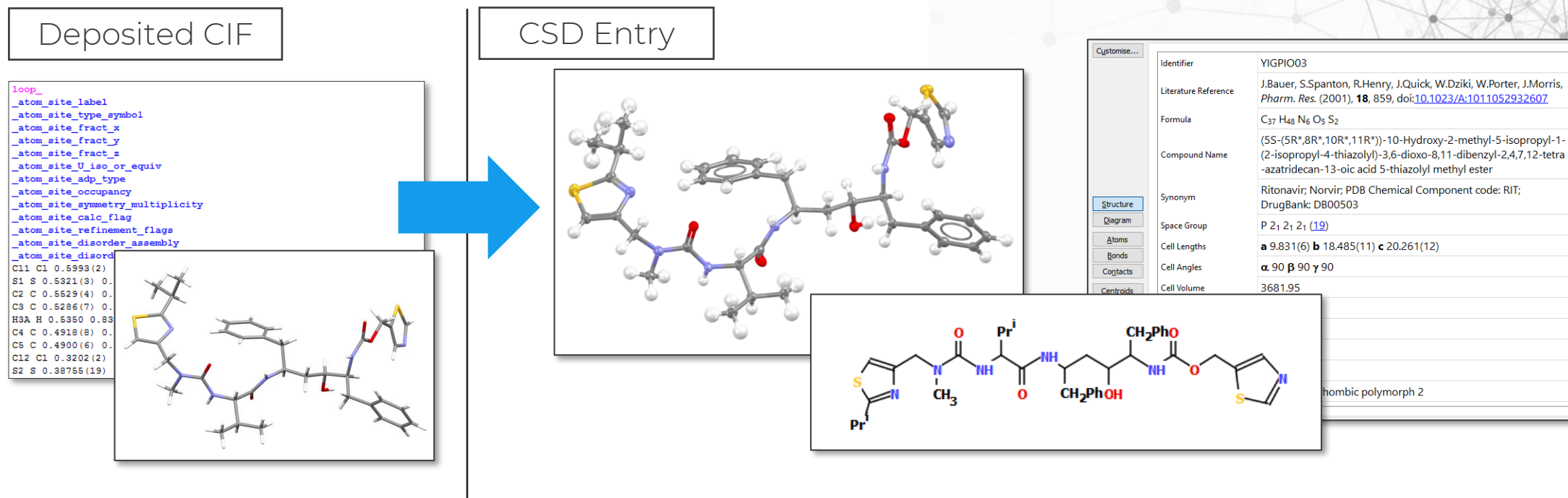
# CSD Data Releases

Behind the scenes



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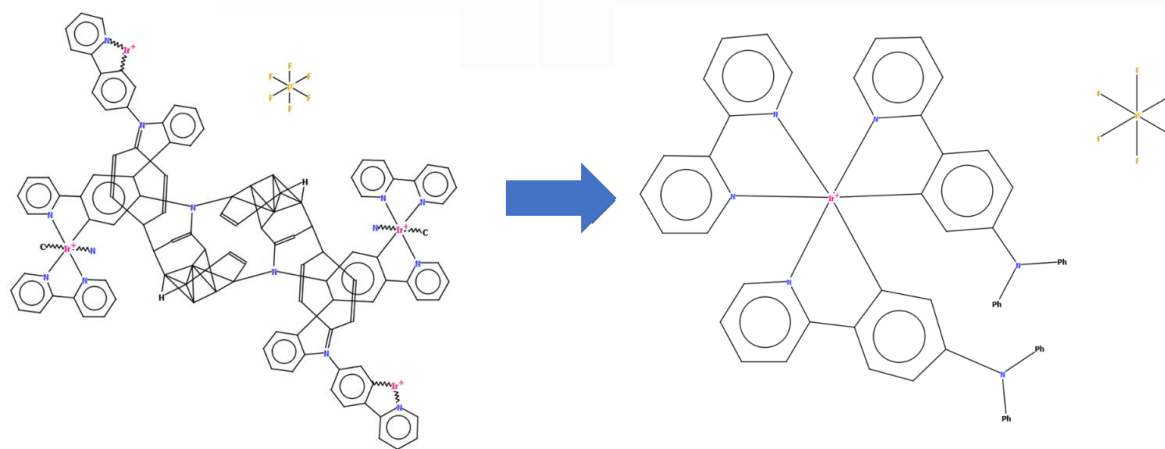
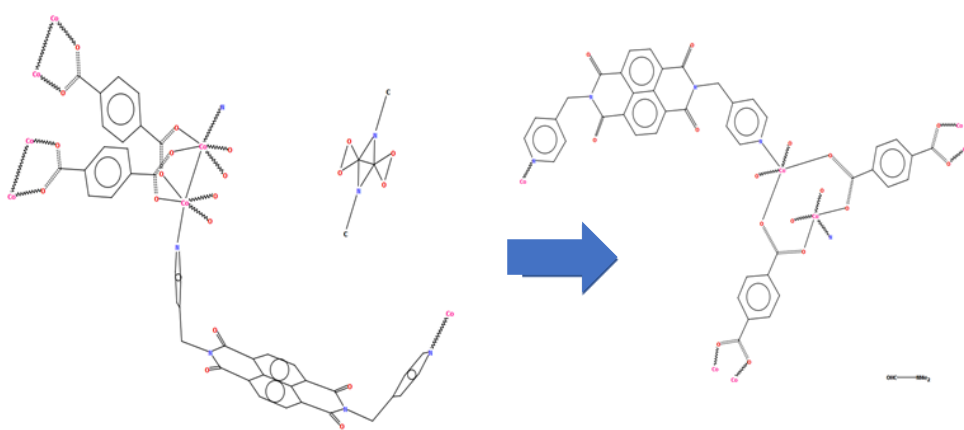
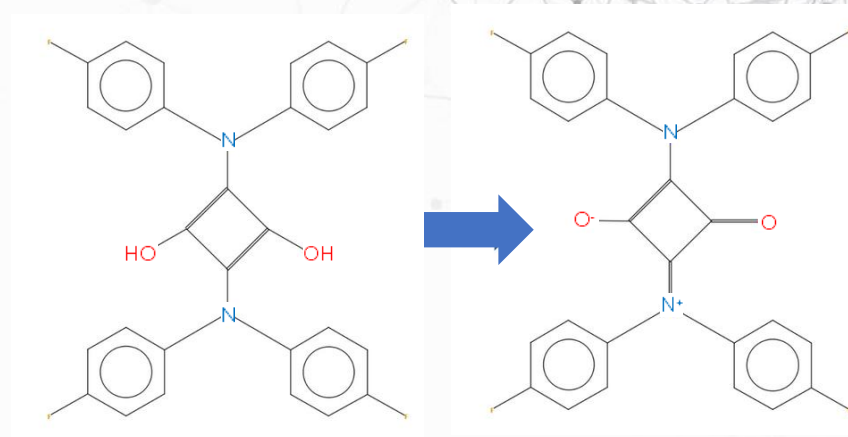
# How do we curate the CSD?



- Assignment of a chemically meaningful representation is determined using data in the CSD and manual curation.
- Important for data discovery, re-use, mining, analysis and interoperability

# A look at what editors do

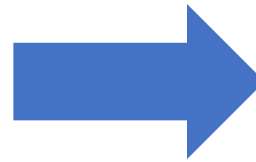
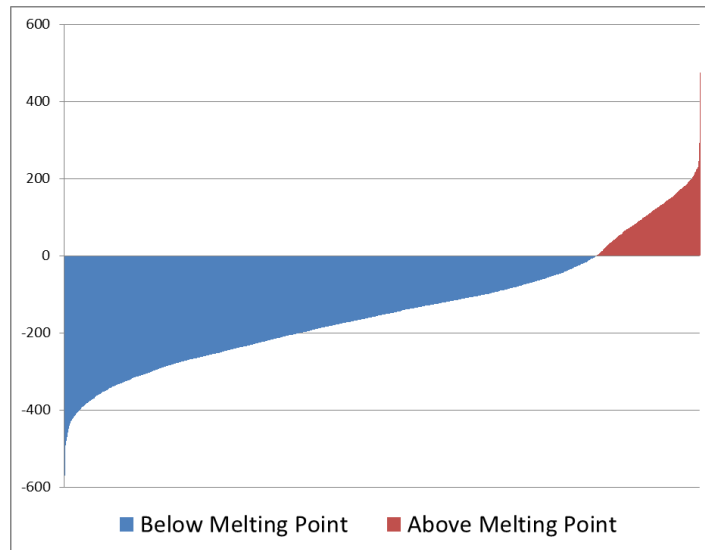
- Each entry looked at by expert Scientific Editors
- Automation focuses editorial efforts
- Manual validation of automated chemical interpretations improves automated methods



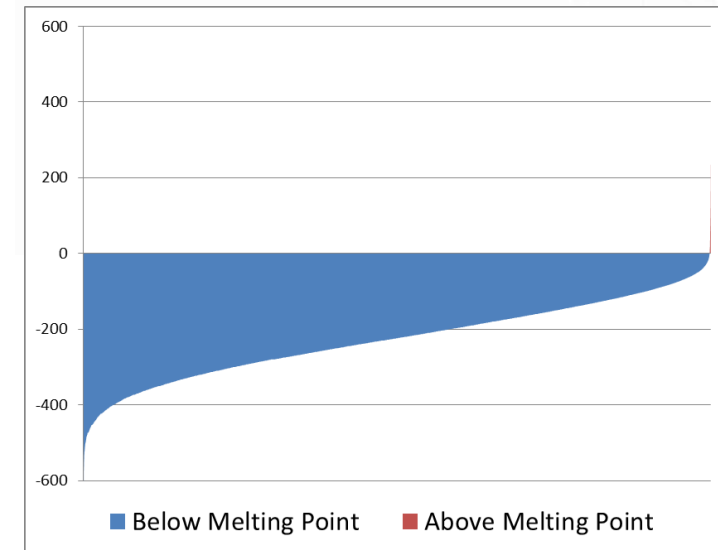
# What checks are done before an update?

>170,000 Melting Points

Study Temperature relative to Melting Point  
*Before additional CCDC validation*



Study Temperature relative to Melting Point  
*After additional CCDC validation*





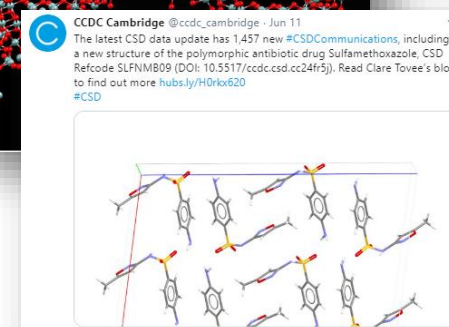
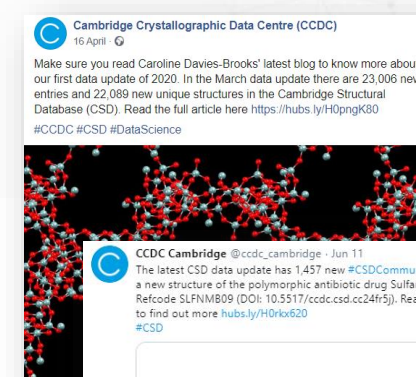
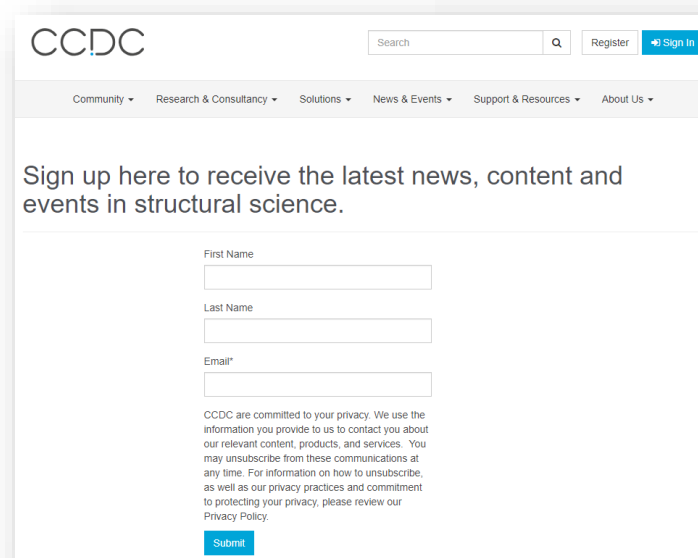
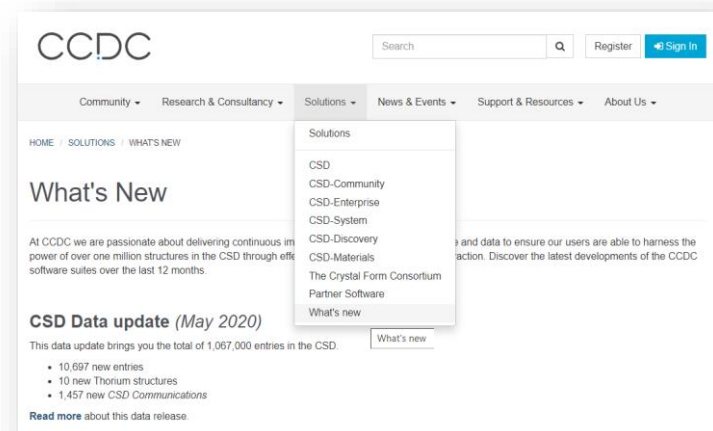
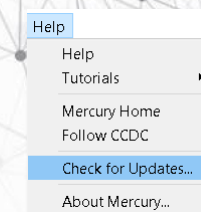
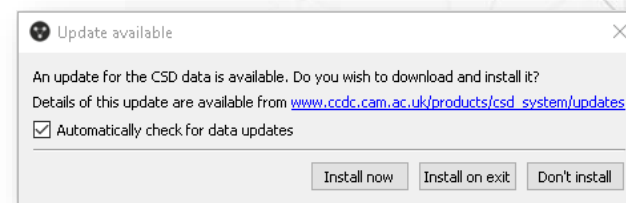
# How often are the CSD data updates?

- Access Structures and WebCSD
  - Up to the minute updates available
- Desktop software and our API
  - Currently quarterly
  - Why quarterly?
    - Frequency enables you to stay up to date without continual messages about new updates!
    - Where possible/appropriate we align software releases with data releases



# How will you know there is a new update?

- Through our software suites
- On our website – Solutions > What's new
- Sign up to our newsletters
- Follow us on social media

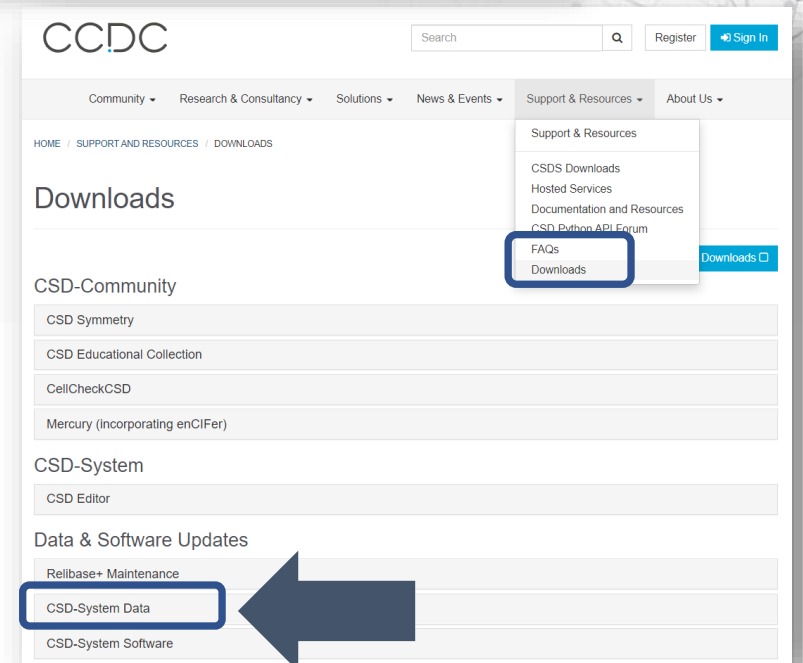
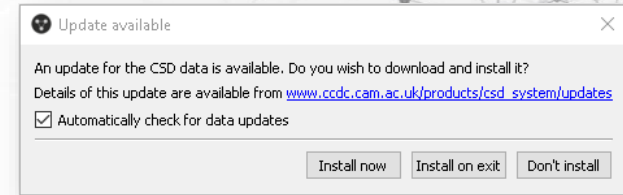
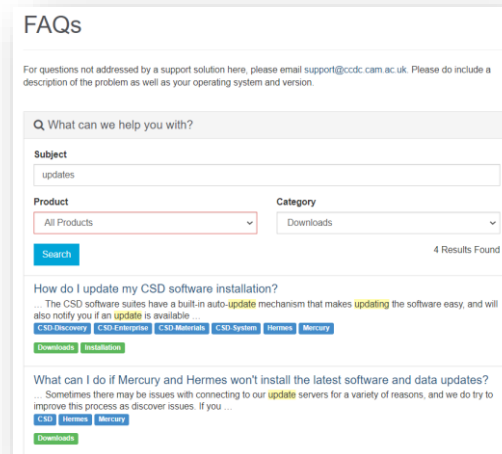
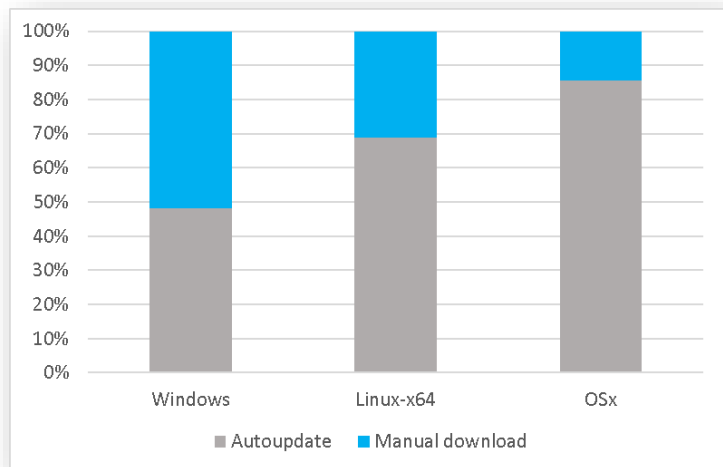


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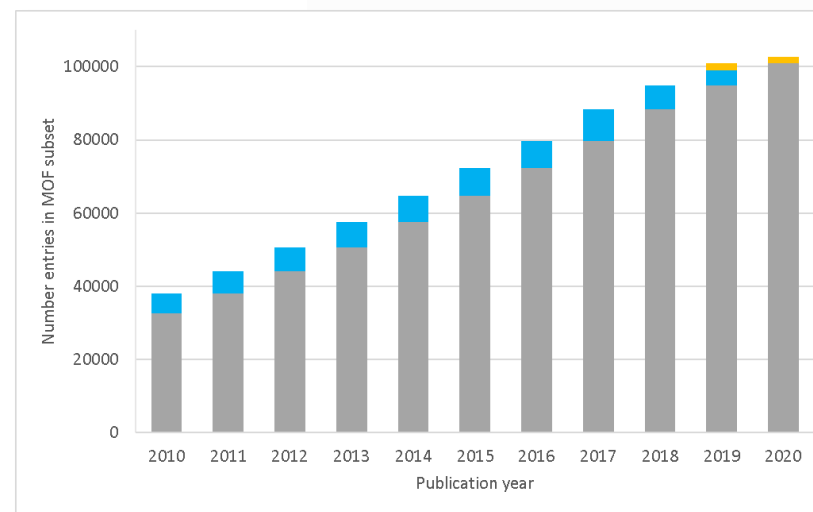
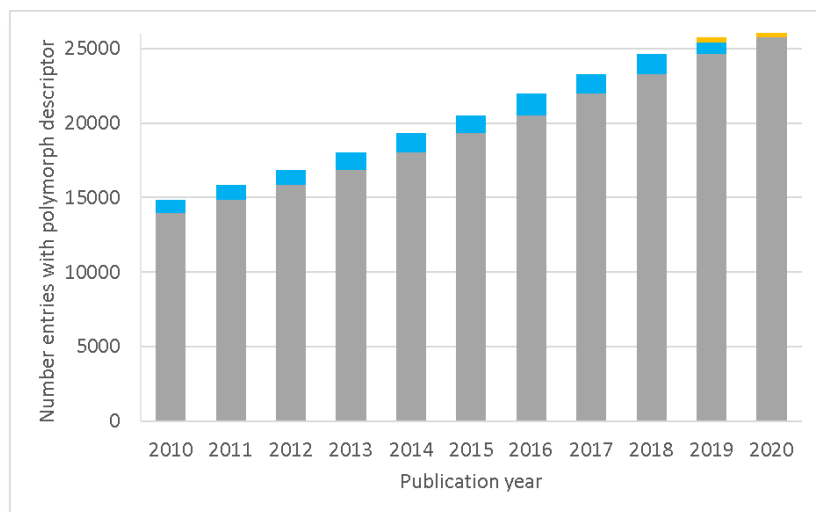
# How do you get the new updates?

- Auto-update mechanism built into CSD software
  - Simplifies data and software updates
  - Notifies you when there are new updates available
- Manually from our downloads page
- Our FAQs provide more details and options



# What are the benefits of updating the CSD?

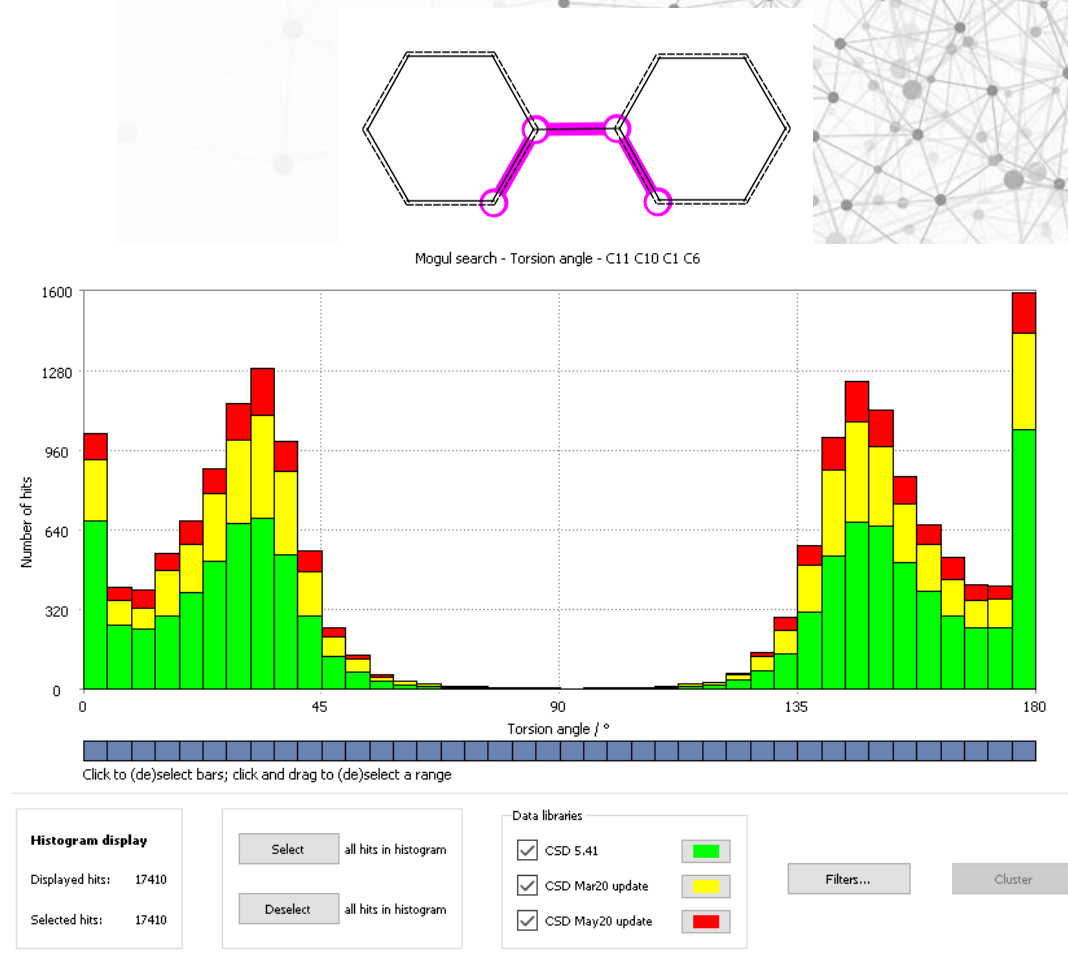
- Comprehensive look up
  - Access to the latest structures and associated literature
  - What is included in a data update?
    - All data that has been fully curated into the CSD since the last release



■ 2020 updates  
■ Added that year  
■ In previous annual release

# What are the benefits of updating the CSD?

- Ability to generate new insights from the data
  - Can see emerging trends or novel discoveries in the very latest data
  - Diversity and depth of data and structures increases
  - Software and analysis that utilises the data can improve
- Confidence in the data and insights and knowledge from the data can grow

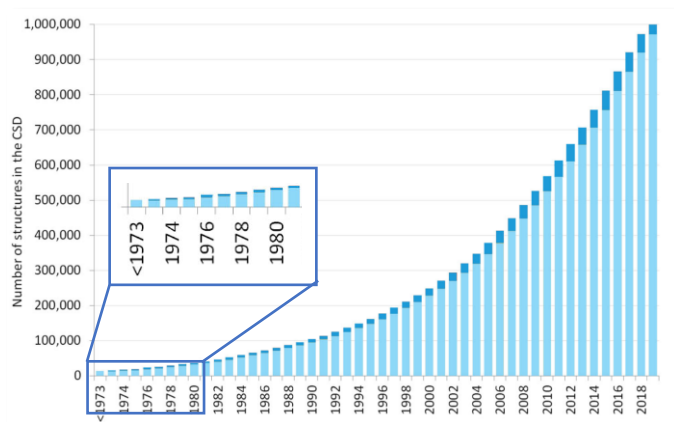




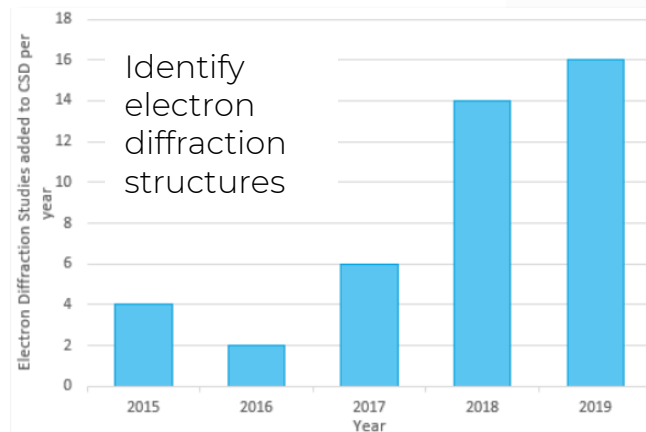
# What are the benefits of updating the CSD?

Annual targeted improvements and enhancements to existing entries for improved data integrity, consistency, discoverability and help CSD users to better select data fit for purpose

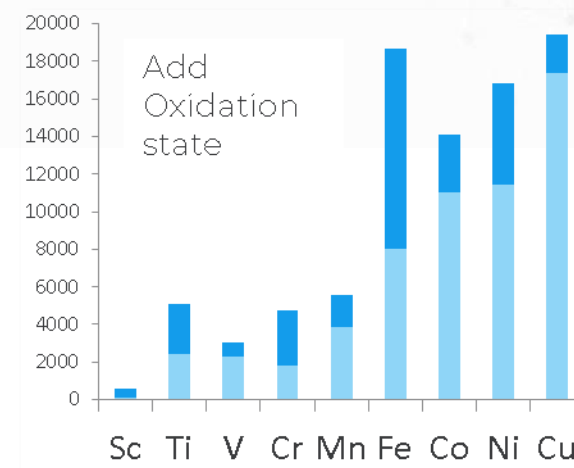
Improve standardisation of early CSD entries



Ensure completeness of experimental metadata

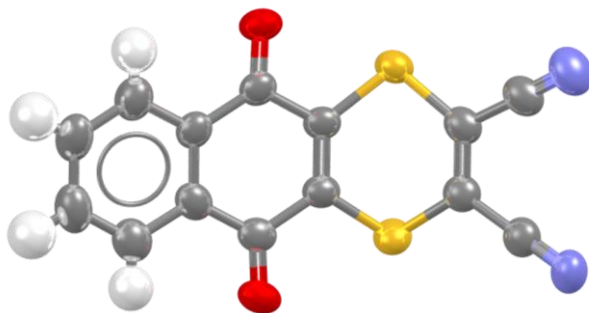


Enrichment of data



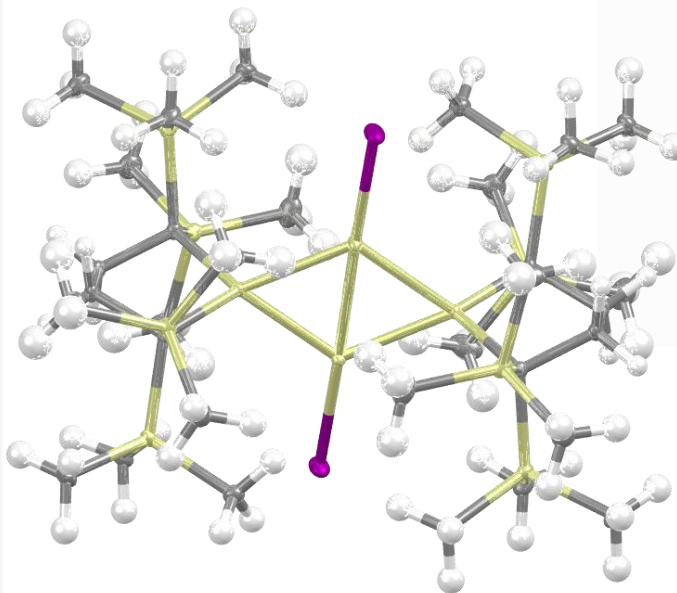
# What you get in the updates...

Previously uncrystallisable single crystal structures using new techniques



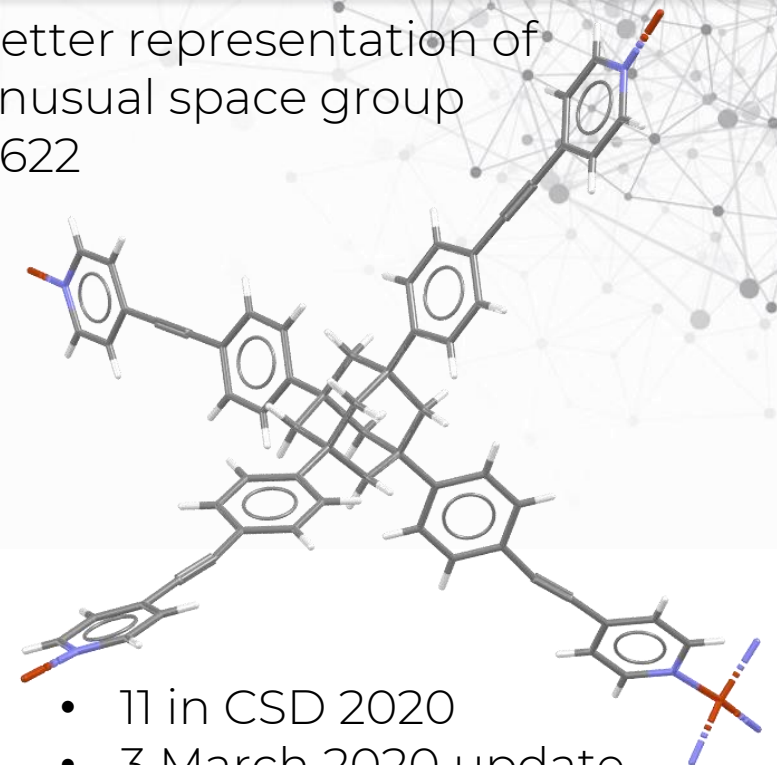
Structure of agricultural fungicide Dithianon CSD-[CURHOP](#)

Rare bonding example of Si-Si single  $\pi$ -bond without  $\sigma$ -bond



Structure of CSD-[DURTES](#)

Better representation of unusual space group P622

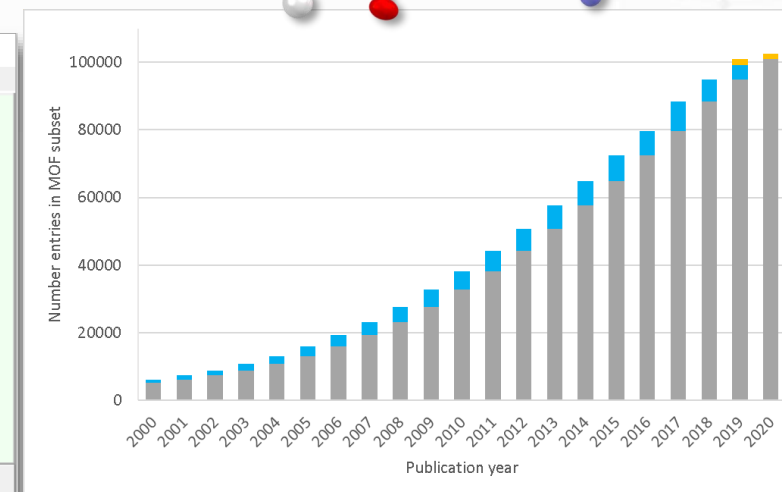
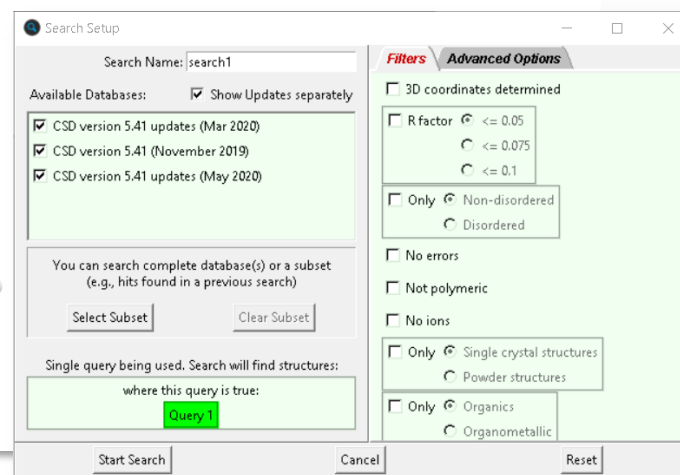
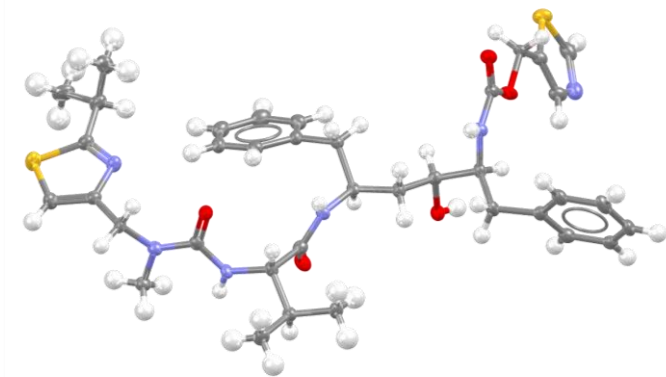
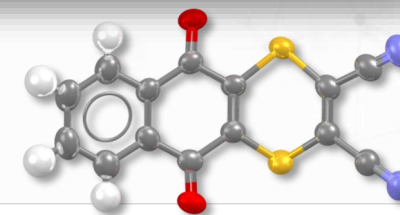
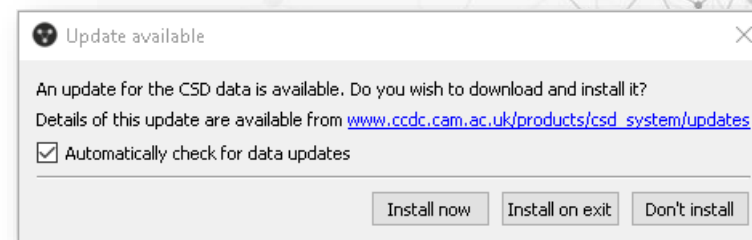


- 11 in CSD 2020
- 3 March 2020 update
- 10 in next update

Structure of CSD-[XUKMUO](#)

# Summary of CSD data releases

- How we create the CSD
- When and how you can get the update
- What the benefits are of updating



# CSD Pipeline Pilot component collection

Custom analysis without coding



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Senior Product Manager

# Overview

- The CSD Pipeline Pilot component collection was launched in the [2020.1 CSD Release](#) (April 2020) and allows you to build custom workflows for analysing CSD structural data without writing code.
- This allows research to be done faster and more efficiently, as well as making it much simpler for users to get to grips with the concept of building their own custom analyses.
- This component collection allows Pipeline Pilot users to access CSD Python API functionality without the need to write Python.



# What's in the collection?

- This collection includes components for core tasks such as:
  - CSD data access
  - Text and numeric searching
  - Substructure and similarity searching
  - Conformer generation
  - Virtual screening
  - Visualising structures and data (via Mercury and Hermes)
- There is also a suite of example protocols which you can use as a starting point and develop further as required, including via the CSD Python API.

# Case Study 1: Searching by structure

- Components available to search the on substructure or similarity.
- Standard CSD filters available in the search components.
- Connect up searches to bespoke analyses of the results.
- Customise what fields to include in the results.
- Visualise results through standard molecular table views, or CCDC's visualisers - Mercury and Hermes.

**Search CSD By substructures**

This protocol searches the CSD for the benzodiazepine core structure (included with the PP Chemistry collection).

Note that standard CSD search filters (max. R-factor, allowed disorder etc.) may be set using the search component.

Molecule	csd_refcode	formal_charge	formula	heavy_atoms	is_3d	is_organometallic	is_polymeric	largest_ring_size	molecular_weight	smiles
	ANXAX	0	C32 H24 N4 O2	42						
	AZEGIX	0	C17 H13 Br N2 O3	23		true				

**Mercury (Unknown) - Mercury**

File Edit Selection Display Calculate CSD-Community CSD-System CSD-Materials CSD-Discovery CSD Python API Help

Style: Wireframe Colour: By Element Manage Styles... Work Atom selection: Select by SMARTS

Structure Navigator

Crystal Structures

- ANXAX
- AZEGIX
- AZEGOU
- BATDOL
- BEDZPH10
- BIZSAE
- BOPDEF
- BUKLEK
- CICSEM
- CISPEC
- CLEDZAG01
- CLEDZPH
- CPHZNZP
- DCOAZP
- DZPHM10
- DZDZEX
- FEKZEX
- FIXTUB
- FLDAPZP
- GAHGOOL
- GIZRUF

Display Options

Display

- ☐ Packing
- ☐ Asymmetric Unit
- ☐ Auto centre
- ☐ Short Contact < (sum of vdW radii)
- ☐ H-Bond
- ☐ Contacts...
- ☐ More Info
- ☐ Powder...

Options

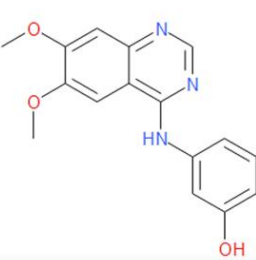
- ☒ Show hydrogens
- ☐ Show cell axes
- ☐ Label atoms
- ☐ Depth cue
- ☐ Z-Clipping
- ☐ Stereo

Press the left mouse button and move the mouse to rotate the structure

# Case Study 2: Conformer generation

The screenshot displays the Pipeline Pilot Professional Client interface. The main window shows a workflow titled "06 Generate Conformers for Molecule\*". The workflow includes components for "Read Example Molecule", "Mark-up depiction", "Perform Conformer", and "HTML Molecular Table Vi...". A yellow box highlights the "Generate Conformers for Molecule" component, stating: "Takes a molecule and generates up to 25 conformers for that molecule, using conformer generation in the CSD Python API. These conformers are superimposed on one another then viewed in Mercury."

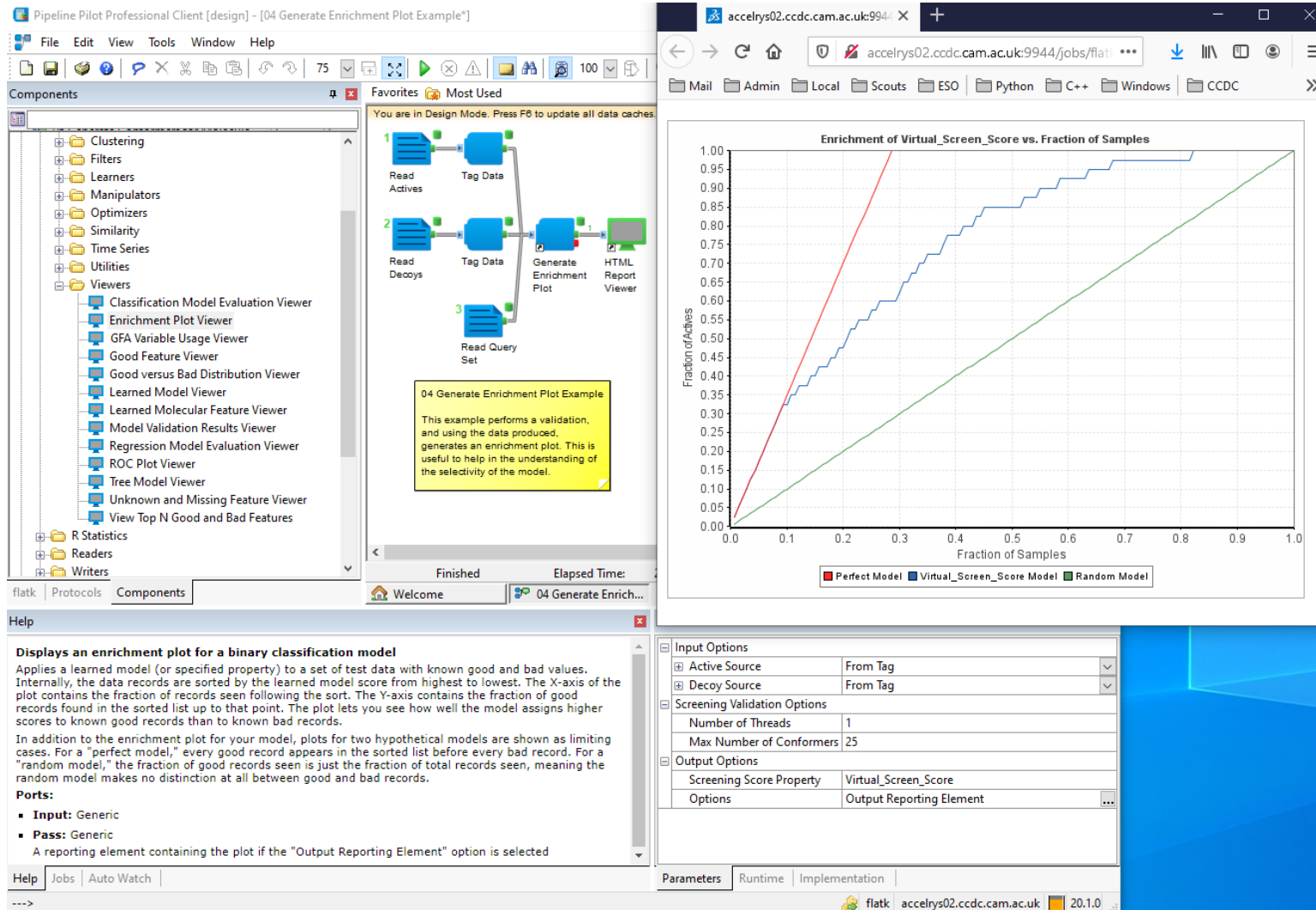
Below the workflow, a table lists the generated conformers:

Molecule	Name	s_m_entry_id	s_m_entry_name
	1di8_lig_DTQ	26	P24941.2

The bottom window shows the Mercury viewer displaying the conformers of 1di8\_lig\_DTQ. The viewer includes a menu bar (File, Edit, Selection, Display, Calculate, CSD-Community, CSD-System, CSD-Materials, CSD-Discovery, CSD Python API, Help) and a toolbar with various options like "Picking Mode", "Style", "Colours", "Manage Styles...", "Work", "Atom selections", and "Select by SMARTS". The main display area shows a 3D model of the molecule with its conformers superimposed. The Structure Navigator on the right lists the crystal structures and structures, including "1di8\_lig\_DTQ".

- Another key function that you may want to build into your protocols.
- This component allows you to harness the CCDC's effective knowledge-based conformer generation.
- You can plug this into any of your existing workflows.

# Case Study 3: Virtual screening

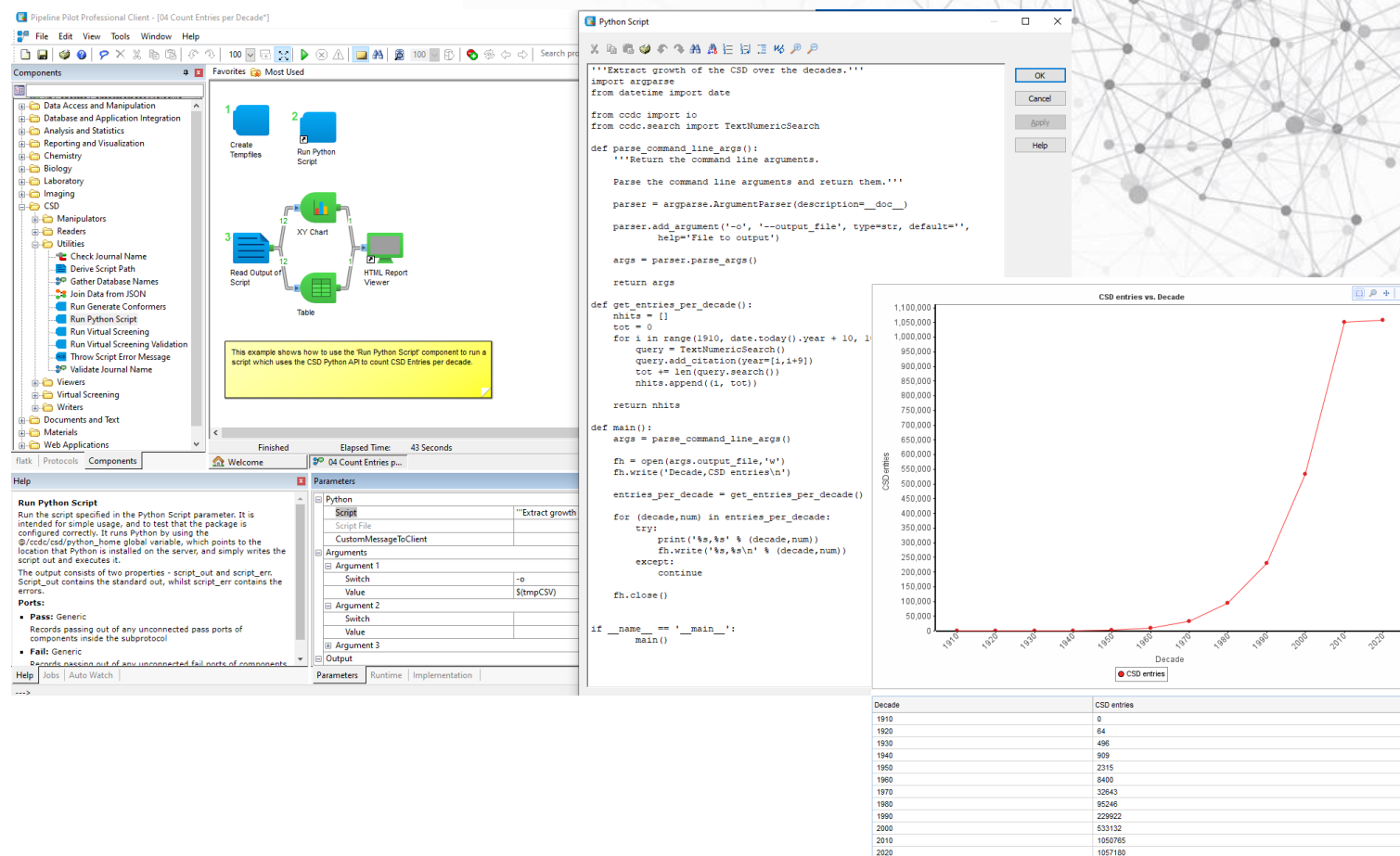


- We've put together a set of virtual screening components and example workflows.
- Here you can see visualisation of an enrichment curve.



# Case Study 4: Custom components

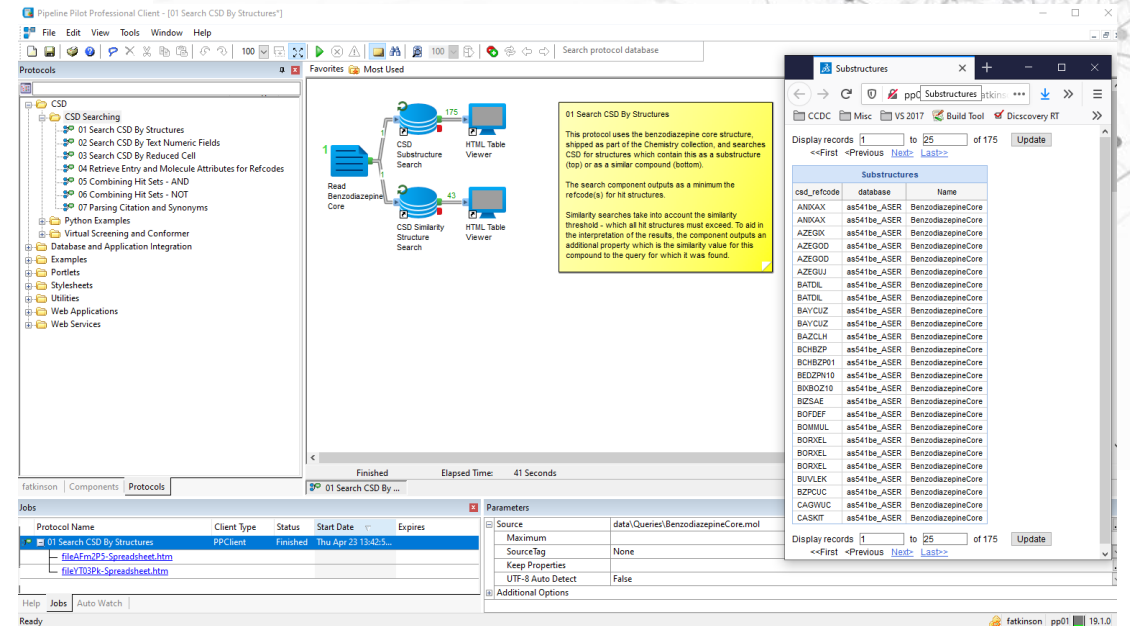
- There's plenty of opportunity to go further with this.
- Use the “Run Python Script” component for custom analyses.
- Access the CSD Python API directly, but in the context of Pipeline Pilot.





# Practicalities

- You will need a licensed version of the CSD Python API installed.
- You will need access to Pipeline Pilot itself to make use of the Component Collection.
- Once you have these, you can download the **CSD Pipeline Pilot component collection** from our website, install and get going!

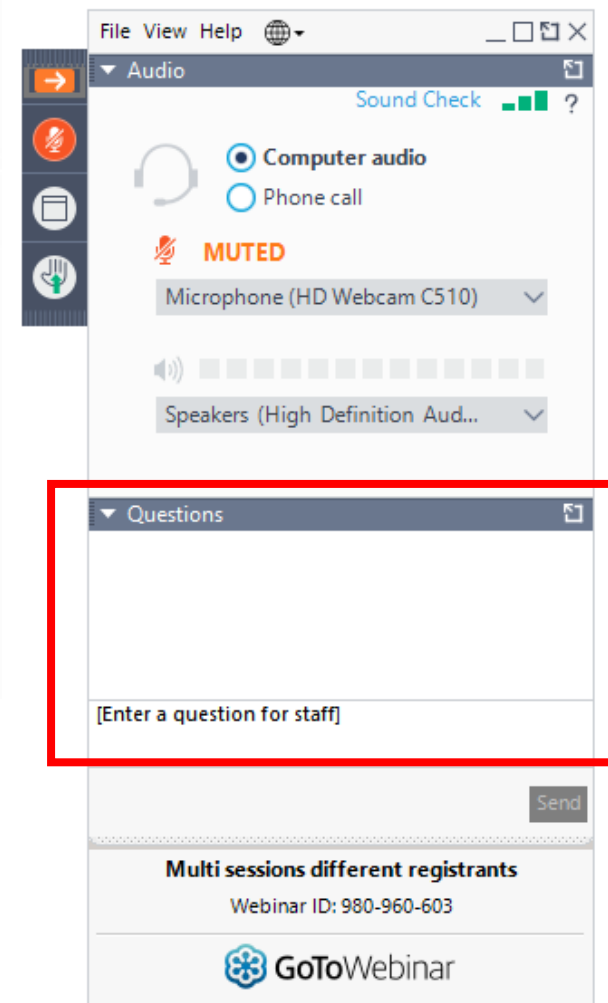


# Summary

- The [CSD Pipeline Pilot component collection](#) is available now for you to create custom workflows harnessing Biovia's Pipeline Pilot platform and CCDC's data & structural science software.
- We've highlighted a couple of case studies today, but the component collection enables many different structural analyses and processes.
- Please do let us know what you think of the [CSD Pipeline Pilot component collection](#) as well as any requests you have for components to include in the future via [support@ccdc.cam.ac.uk](mailto:support@ccdc.cam.ac.uk)

# Q&A

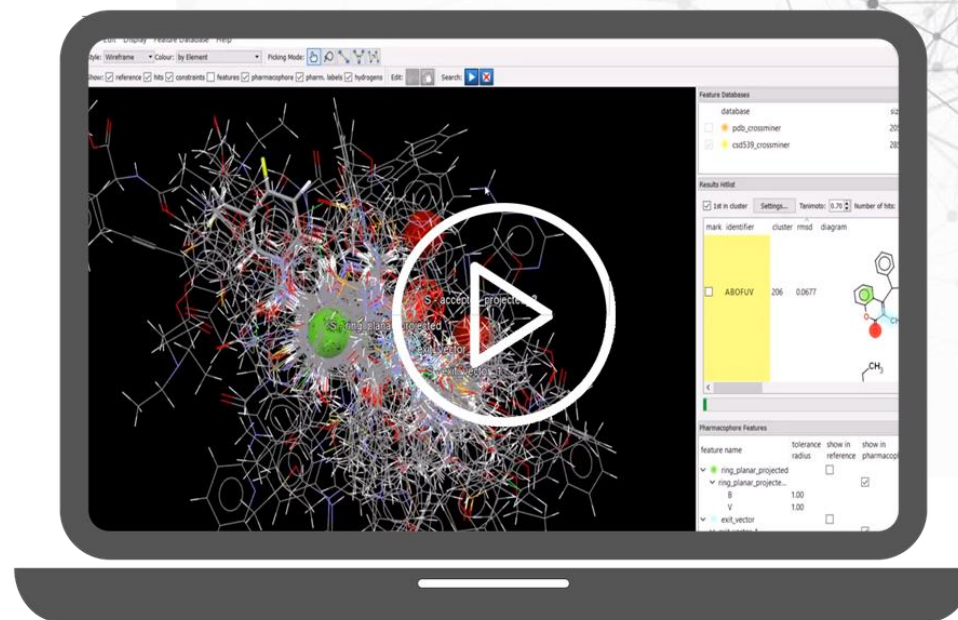
- Type your questions in the box as shown



# Next What's Up Webinar

- Next webinar: September 24<sup>th</sup>
- Send us your ideas and news

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