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ABSTRACT

SPARC (SPARC Performs Automated Reasoning in Chemistry) is a computer program developed to mimic an expert chemist in estimating chemical reactivity parameters and physical properties. SPARC strictly uses structural information of molecules to calculate these properties for a broad range of organic compounds. SPARC currently calculates the following chemical reactivity parameters for organic compounds: ionization pKa, molecular speciation in gaseous, aqueous and non-aqueous medium, hydration constants, hydrolysis constants, and tautomeric equilibrium constants.

A temperature dependence of pKa model was implemented to enhance the existing pKa model. The temperature dependence of pKa is modeled using Van't Hoff's equation. The Van't Hoff's coefficients for the different reaction centers are determined by plotting observed pKa versus the inverse of temperature. The slope of the line is the enthalpic coefficient and the intercept is the entropic coefficient. The temperature dependence was determined and modeled for most of SPARC's pKa reaction centers. However for reaction centers like amine acting as an acid, the temperature dependence was not modeled due to lack of sufficient experimental temperature dependence data.

In the natural environment there are many chemical processes acting on a molecule. In order to model the fate of compounds in nature, the chemical process models in SPARC were integrated. The integrated chemical process model includes hydration, tautomer network and molecular speciation models. This integration was challenging because of the enormous increase in the number of calculations that needed to be performed and the amount of data generated. Intelligent filters, based on the reliability of the calculations performed and identification of unproductive paths, were designed and implemented.

In the process of implementing cis-trans isomer and chirality information decoders for SMILES string handling in SPARC, the weakness and incompleteness of the SMILES encoding / decoding rules were discovered. A set of rules for encoding / decoding such information in SMILES was developed and implemented in SPARC. These new rules will be published and a request to collaboratively develop a complete standard for the encoding / decoding SMILES will be made.

INDEX WORDS: SPARC, Temperature Dependence, pKa, Tautomer, Chemical Fate, SMILES

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Chapter 1

Introduction

1.1 Introduction

In these modern industrial times the use of chemicals has increased by leaps and bounds. In this context it has become very important to regulate and monitor the usage of these chemicals, and to study the impact of these chemicals on the environment. Most industrial countries have monitoring and control agencies which are responsible for regulating the use of these chemicals. As the number of potentially hazardous substances increases, maximizing the efficiency for assessment of these chemicals becomes important.

The major differences between behavior profiles of organic molecules in the environment are attributable to their physicochemical properties. Although considerable progress has been made in process elucidation and modeling for chemical and physical processes, determination of the values for the fundamental thermodynamic and physicochemical properties (i.e., rate/equilibrium constants, Henry's constant, solubility, etc.) have been achieved for only a small number of molecular structures. For most chemicals only fragmentary knowledge exists about those properties which determine their fate in the environment. The physical and chemical properties have actually been measured for only about one percent of the chemicals in the Office of Toxic Substances (OTS) inventory. These properties, in most instances, must be obtained from measurements or from the judgment of expert chemists. The cost of measuring the required properties of these chemicals is very high and time consuming. In any case, trained personnel and adequate facilities are not available for measurement efforts involving the tens of thousands of chemicals introduced each year.

After 1990 the philosophy of pollution control changed. The philosophy dictated that the pollution should be controlled at the source. This meant that the manufactures and users of these chemicals have to switch over to less toxic and less polluting chemicals. New chemicals have to be developed to replace the existing ones and there will be a large development and screening process to find these replacements. In the process, many of the physical and chemical properties of these chemicals have to be determined costing a lot of money for the manufacturers. Property estimation can play a pivotal role in this process. It will make the process of screening faster and much cheaper.

For these reasons, during the past four decades, considerable effort has been made to develop empirical and non-empirical methods that will enable us to accurately and rapidly estimate physicochemical properties for organic molecules. Most of the property estimation methods developed during this period are based on empirical structure-activity relationship (SAR) models. The disadvantage of SAR models are that the relationships hold only for a limited family of chemical and are specific to a particular property query. They fail miserably when faced with novel compounds.

1.2 History of property prediction

Since the early 20th century it has been known that the property of a compound is determined by its chemical structure and the structure of the system with which it is interacting. It has been noted that a change in the substituent property (the electronegativity for example) in a compound brings about a change in the compound's property itself. It has been established by the work of Hammett that the effect a substituent has on a reaction, reaction1, will also be seen in

another reaction, reaction2, where the same substituent is present, except the magnitude may be different depending on the different substrates¹.

These observations led Hammett to propose a general quantitative relation between the nature of the substituent, S, and the reactivity of the side chain, C. This relation has become known as the Hammett equation, and is widely applied in this form

$$\log \frac{K_s}{K} = \sigma_s \rho_R \qquad 1.1$$

Where σ_s is a substituent constant which depends solely on the nature and the position of the substituent and is independent of the reaction. It is sum of the total electrical field (resonance and electrostatic) effects. ρ_R is the susceptibility of the reaction to electrical fields, determined by the reaction and its conditions (e.g., solvent, temperature, etc.) and is independent of substituent. K_s denotes the ionization equilibrium constants for the substituted compound, K denotes a statistical quantity corresponding approximately to the equilibrium constants of the unsubstituted compound. Hammett developed the equations specifically for benzoic acid and ρ_R for benzoic acid was set as 1. Others have modified the parameters and used the relationship for other compounds.

The expression on the left-hand side of equation 1 is proportional to the differences in the free energies of substituted and unsubstituted compounds as indicated in the next equation. For this reason equation 1.1 is often referred to as a "linear free-energy relationship" (LFER)². Redefining equation 1.1 in terms of free energy change, it can be rewritten as equation 1.2.

$$\Delta G^{0} - \Delta G^{0}_{o} = \rho \left(\Delta G^{'}_{o} - \Delta G^{'0}_{o} \right)$$
 1.2

Where ΔG^0 and ΔG_o^0 are the free energy changes for dissociation for a substituted and unsubstituted compound. In the case of benzoic acid, $\Delta G'^0$ and $\Delta G_o'^0$ are the free energy of dissociation for substituted and un-substituted benzoic acid; $\Delta G'^0 - \Delta G_o'^0$ gives the value of σ_s , the substituent constant.

Scientists were very successful in applying Hammett's approach to meta and para substituted compounds. But when it was applied to ortho substituted compounds the approach failed². Ortho substituted compounds have more complicated interactions and effects. Interactions like hydrogen bonding and the orientation of dipoles have a very pronounced effect on the rates.

Later, using LFER, Taft and co-workers developed parameters based on the separation of substituent effects depending on the type of effects like electronegativity, field, polarizablity and resonance². These parameters were successful in corelating a number of physicochemical properties involving solute/solvent interactions. LFER also led to the development of QSAR (Qualitative Structure Activity Relationships) an empirically determined correlation between structure and the compound's activity.

QSAR is widely used to estimate properties of compounds based on their structure. QSAR based predections perform adequately when the compound is analogous to the compounds that were used to determine the QSAR parameters. Most often when a new compound is seen by the system it does a poor job of estimating its property. Unfortunately, most of these calculational methods are based on the Hammett relation or LFER. They are purely empirical in nature and are usually only good with a particular class of compounds¹.

Dewar and his coworkers proposed a general treatment of substituent effects, based on the assumption that a substituent can affect a distant reaction center either by direct electrostatic

interactions across space (the direct field effect) or by polarization of intervening π electrons (mesomeric and π -inductive). Using a point charge model to calculate the field effect, and a simple Hückel Molecular Orbital (HMO) treatment of π polarization, a general treatment of substituent effects (direct field-indirect field effects) was developed². This allowed for the calculation of many kinds of conjugated molecules in terms of just two parameters per substituent and one ρ constant for each type of reaction center.

The disadvantage of most of these estimation techniques was that they were based heavily on pattern matching and correlational inferencing in predictive strategy. They fell short of implementing actual scientific theory. SPARC has been developed to address this problem. It is an expert system that embeds theoretical knowledge as well as calculation algorithms. It implements scientific theory when calculating interactions.

1.3 SPARC

Chemical properties describe molecules in transition, that is, the conversion of a reactant molecule to a different state or structure. For a given chemical property, the transition of interest may involve electron redistribution within a single molecule or bimolecular union to form a transition state or distinct product. The behavior of chemicals depends on the differences in electronic properties of the initial state of the system and the final state of interest. For example, in chemical equilibrium, ionization chemical equilibrium constants depend on the energy differences between the protonated state and unprotonated state of the molecule. Reaction rates, on the other hand, may depend on the energies of a transition state relative to either reactants or products.

In every case, these differences are usually small compared to the overall energy of the molecule. *Ab initio* methods calculating absolute energies have a difficult time in predicting the

small energy differences between the chemical states of interest. Approaches based on LFER and QSAR methods have proven to offer good prediction within a limited number of molecules and within a particular class of molecules, but failed to predict either chemical or physical properties for a large number of molecules. In most cases the number of data does not exceed the number of parameters by as large an amount as would be desired.

Perturbation methods, however, can be used to compute differences in reactivity. These methods treat the final state as a perturbed initial state and the energy differences then are determined by quantifying the perturbation. These perturbation methods are ideally suited for expert system application due to their extreme flexibility and computational simplicity. The requisite conditions for applicability, as well as the selection of appropriate reference structures or reactions, can be easily built into the computation control portion of the expert system.

The SPARC program is a prototype computer system and it uses computational algorithms based on fundamental chemical structure theory to estimate chemical reactivity parameters and physical properties strictly from molecular structure for a broad range of organic molecules. SPARC stands for Sparc Performs Automated Reasoning in Chemistry.

The ultimate goal for SPARC is to develop mechanistic models to predict physicochemical properties for the universe of organic molecules strictly from molecular structure. Hence, SPARC mechanistic models are designed and parameterized so as to be portable, in principle, to any type of physical/chemical property or molecular structure.

1.4 Current SPARC Capabilities

SPARC as a result of its multiuse mechanistic toolbox design is quite capable of calculating many of the physical and chemical reactivity properties of molecules. Following is a list of SPARC capabilities:

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I. Chemical Reaction Properties

- A. Ionization pKa
 - 1. Gas phase, aqueous and non-aqueous pKa
 - 2. Temperature dependent pKa
 - 3. Full molecular speciation as a function of pH
 - 4. Full abundance calculation at given pH
 - 5. Calculate iso-electric point for a molecule
 - 6. Macroscopic and microscopic pKa

B. Tautomerization

- 1. Intelligent algorithm to determine all favorable tautomers
- 2. Calculate the tautomeric equilibrium constants for all possible tautomers
- C. Hydrolysis
 - 1. Acid, Base and Neutral catalyzed ester hydrolysis rate constants
- D. Hydration
- E. Integrated chemical process models

II. Physical Properties

- A. Condensed phase properties
 - 1. Solvent properties for mixed and user defined solvents
 - 2. Solubility, concentration dependent activity, Henry's constant, distribution coefficients and GC/LC retention time (all as function of T or P)
- B. Gas phase properties
 - 1. Vapor pressure, boiling point, heat of vaporization, heats of formation and diffusion coefficient (all as function of T or P)

 Molecular descriptors: Density, polarizablity, index of refractions and hydrogen bonding

1.5 SPARC Computational Procedure

SPARC does not do "first principles" computation. SPARC computes physical and chemical reactivity properties solely based on chemical structure. It does rigorous structural analysis of the compound based on the type of query from the user. SPARC tries to analyze the compound like an expert chemist. The intermolecular interactions are computed based on structure and are expressed by a set of molecular descriptors (density-based volume, molecular polarizability, molecular dipole and H-bonding parameters). For chemical reactivity the molecule is separated into the reaction center (the smallest molecule that can take part in a similar reaction) and the perturber (rest of the molecule). The perturbation of the reaction center with an intrinsic reactivity is calculated. The impact on reactivity of the reaction center due to the appended molecular structure (perturber) is quantified using mechanistic perturbation models³. For physical properties, intermolecular interactions are expressed as a summation over all the interaction forces between molecules (i.e., dispersion, induction, dipole and H-bonding). Each of these interaction forces are expressed in terms of a set of molecular descriptors (density based volume, molecular polarizability, molecular dipole, and H-bonding parameters). SPARC calculates molecular descriptors for the molecule and uses them in interaction models to calculate a physical property of interest.

A "toolbox" of mechanistic perturbation models has been developed that can be implemented where needed for a specific reactivity query. Resonance models were developed and calibrated on light absorption spectra whereas electrostatic models were developed on ionization equilibrium constants. Solvation models (i.e. dispersion, induction, H-bonding, dipole, etc.) have been developed on physical properties (i.e. vapor pressure, solubilities, distribution coefficient, gas chromatographic retention times, etc.).

SPARC is a combination of LFER, SAR and Perturbed Molecular Orbital (PMO) methods. It uses LFER to calculate thermodynamic properties and PMO to calculate quantum effects such as resonance and polarization of π electrons. In reality, all chemical properties involve both quantum and thermodynamic contributions and require the use of both perturbation methods for prediction.

1.6 SPARC pKa calculation models

As described earlier, in the SPARC calculator molecular structures are broken into two functional units called the reaction center and the perturber. The reaction center is the smallest unit of the molecule that can undergo the ionization. The rest of the molecule forms the perturber. The reference pKa of the reaction center is a standard value for that reaction center and is inferred from measured values. The reference pKa of the reaction center (pKa)_c is adjusted based on the differential perturbation effects of the substituents $\delta_p(pKa)_c$. The pKa can be calculated using equation 1.3.

$$pKa = (pKa)_c + \delta_p (pKa)_c$$
 1.3

 $\delta_p(pKa)c$ is the differential perturbation effect. The two differential states are the ionized and unionized reaction center. The perturbations are calculated as the difference in the interaction of the perturber with the ionized and unionized state of the reaction center. $\delta_p(pKa)c$ can be broken down into individual contributions as:

$$\delta_{\rm p}({\rm pK}_{\rm a})_{\rm c} = \delta_{\rm ele} \, {\rm pK}_{\rm a} + \delta_{\rm res} \, {\rm pK}_{\rm a} + \delta_{\rm sol} \, {\rm pK}_{\rm a} + \dots \qquad 1.4$$

where $\delta_{ele} pK_a$, $\delta_{res} pK_a$, $\delta_{sol} pK_a$ describe the differential electrostatic, resonance and solvation effects of the perturber with the initial and final states of the reaction center. Additional effects other than those listed include hydrogen bonding to the reaction center from the rest of the molecule.

The SPARC approach to pKa modeling is based on perturbation models. Any compound can be represented in the following format S—iRj—C, where S-iRj is the perturber structure attached to the reaction center, C. S is the substituent group that perturbs the reaction center³. The perturbation could be in the form of electric effects and/or resonance effects. R is the conductor network that conducts the perturbation. i and j denote the connection positions for S and C to the R network, respectively.

SPARC has a database of parameters describing the characteristics of all reaction centers and substituents. The term substituents are applied to all non-carbon atoms and aliphatic carbon atoms that are contiguous to the reaction center or a π -unit. There are some groups like (-NO₂, -C=N, -C=O, -CO₂H, -NCO) which are treated as one whole unit. These groups are self contained structurally and electronically. Their properties, with respect to the rest of the structure of the molecule and their interactions, are also defined by SPARC after inferring them from observed data.

All perturbations in SPARC pKa models can be factored into three independent components.

- 1. Substituent strength, which describes the potential of a particular substituent to exert an effect.
- 2. Molecular network conduction, which describes the conduction properties of the molecular network, R, connecting S and C for a particular effect.

3. Reaction center susceptibility, which described the extent to which a reaction center is affected by a particular interaction.

Each of the above mentioned components are independent of each other. The potential of a substituent is gauged independent of the reaction center and the molecular network it is attached to. This is done by studying the effect of a particular substituent's effect on different reaction centers. Similarly, the parameters for the molecular network are determined by varying the substituents and reaction centers. Reaction center susceptibility is a differential value, which quantifies the differential response of the initial and final state for a particular effect.

1.6.1 Field Effects Model

The direct field effect for charged and dipolar substituents interacting with the reaction center is expressed as a multipole expansion, equation 1.5.

$$\delta(\Delta E)_{field} = \frac{\delta q_c q_s}{r_{cs}^{'} D_e} + \frac{\delta q_c \mu_s \cos \Theta_{cs}}{r_{cs}^2 D_e} + \frac{\delta \mu_c q_s \cos \Theta_{cs}}{r_{cs}^{'2} D_e} + \frac{\delta \mu_c \mu_s \cos \Theta_{cs'} \cos \Theta_{cs'}}{r_{cs}^3 D_e} - 1.5$$

Where q_s is the charge on the substituent, approximated as a charge located at point *s*'; μ_s is the substituent dipole located at point *s*; $\delta q_c (\delta \mu_c)$ is the charge (dipole moment) change at the reaction center accompanying the reaction, both are assumed to be located at point *c*; Θ_{cs} is the angle the dipole subtends to the reaction center; D_e is the effective dielectric constant for the medium through which the effect is propagated; and $r_{cs} (r_{cs})$ is the distance from the substituent dipole (charge) center to the reaction center.

1.6.2 Resonance Effects Model

Resonance involves the de-localization of charge between the reaction center and the π system, and between the substituent and the π system. The direction of charge movement is determined by the type of reaction center and substituent. Resonance in SPARC pKa model is a

differential effect. The difference in the delocalization in the initial and the final state gives the final perturbation to the pKa. If the initial state is more delocalized than the final then the pKa is increased, and visa versa.

SPARC uses PMO theory to determine the distribution of charge in a π system. To model this distribution, SPARC moves charge out of the reaction center after replacing it with a CH₂⁻ ion. All reaction center susceptibilities are expressed as a differential quantity compared to the CH₂⁻ ion. The resonance perturbation of the initial versus the final state for a reaction center is given by: equation 1.6.

$$\delta_{res}(pKa)_c = \rho_{res}(\Delta q)_c \qquad 1.6$$

Where $(\Delta q)_c$ is the fraction of NBMO charge lost from the surrogate reaction center (CH₂⁻). ρ_{res} is the susceptibility of a given reaction center to resonance interactions. It quantifies the differential donor capability of the two states of the reaction center relative to the reference donor. Resonance strength (ability to receive or donate) is defined for all substituents; resonance susceptibility for all reaction centers is also defined in SPARC. Figure 1.1 shows a plot of SPARC's pKa performance. The test consists of about 4000 pKas. A R² value of 0.9876 is observed for the whole set.



Figure 1.1 SPARC pKa performance plot of 4076 pKa calculations in water

1.7 Structural Input in SPARC

SPARC uses SMILES (Simplified Molecular Line Entry System) as the final form of input. SMILES was developed by David Weininger for EPA as a simple form of molecular structure input. It is a linear representation of a molecular structure using atomic symbols and special characters (=,-,#) to represent a molecular structure. SMILES is fully capable of specifying molecular structures. SMILES encoding grammar is very simple; hence it is easy for any chemist to encode it without using computer software.

SMILES has its own disadvantages, one of which is that there is no published and accepted standard which governs the rules for encoding it. Another problem is that SMILES does not provide absolute 3-D structural information i.e. it does not provide ways to specify 3-D coordinates. It does provide rules to encode structural isomer information (cis-trans, tetrahedral chirality).

An excellent tutorial on the rules of SMILES encoding is available at http://www.daylight.com/smiles/

Chapter 2

Temperature dependence of pKa

2.1 Introduction

The effect of temperature on the equilibrium of chemical systems is well known. SPARC pKa models are used to predict the ionization states of chemicals in the environment. The temperature in the earth's environment varies from about 0° C to 30° C, hence a model to calculate temperature dependent pKa is very important. In chemical processes, ionization plays a very important role. In coupled processes, a small change in the equilibrium rate constant could bring about an enormous change in the products. In chemical industries, reactions are performed in large scale using large quantities of energy to heat to cool the reaction chambers. To run such systems efficiently a chemical process engineer would want to study the effects of temperature on the reactions. For reactions involving ionizations, this SPARC model would be an invaluable tool in the hands of a chemical process engineer.

Temperature dependence models for pKa are very useful for drug designers. Modern drug technologies utilize the concept of controlled release. An active drug compound is released in a controlled manner by attaching long chained molecules with multiple ionization sites to control the overall pKa of the structure to maintain a thermodynamic equilibrium at a specific pH. By varying the pKa they can control the abundance of the active molecule in the blood stream. The disadvantage of this technique is the precipitation of the molecule out of the solution before injection into the body. There is a quite a difference between the storage temperature of the drug and the body temperature. The designers of these drugs have to make sure that their drugs can

stay in the proper form over this temperature range. Since pKa plays an important part in keeping the molecule soluble, it is important to know the temperature effect on the pKa for these molecules. In the preliminary phase of drug research SPARC models can be used to determine such relationships to aid in refining the wide selection of drugs.

2.2 Theory

For any thermodynamic equilibrium process the rate of change of free energy change with respect to temperature is represented by Van't Hoff's equation² (Eqn 2.1).

$$\frac{d\ln K}{d(1/T)} = -\frac{\Delta H}{R}$$
 2.1

Integrating the above equation we get equation 2.2.

$$pKa = \frac{\Delta H}{2.303RT} + C \tag{2.2}$$

Rewriting as a linear function of 1/T w get it of the form

$$pKa = \frac{M}{T} + C$$
Here $M = \frac{\Delta H}{2.303R}$ is called the enthalpic coefficient 2.3
and C is known as the Entropic Contribution (Consant)

By plotting equation 2.3 as pKa vs 1/T we can get the slope (M) and the intercept (C) and develop the relationship for a compound.

SPARC's approach to modeling temperature dependence of pKa is to model the reaction center temperature dependence and the perturbation effects separately. In SPARC, for most reaction centers, the perturbations effects are assumed to be enthalpic and that the reaction center encapsulates the entropic contributions. However, for reaction centers which have a large susceptibility to perturbation effects, the perturbations are split into enthalpic and entropic contributions. Equations 2.4 is a combination of the temperature effect model for reaction center and perturbations, to give the pKa of the compound.

$$pKa = A_c + \delta_s (\Delta E)_c + \frac{B_c + \delta_h (\Delta E)_c}{T}$$
Where A_c and B_c are the entropic and enthalpic
Van't Hoff coefficients for the reaction center Eq 2.4
 δ_s and δ_h are entropic and enthalpic
pertubation contributions

The Van't Hoff coefficients can be determined from temperature dependent pKa data for reaction center or inferred from a simple structure with minimal perturbations. The temperature dependence of enthalpic contribution of perturbations are calculated by an equation of the form y=mx + c assuming 'c' the entropic contribution to be zero. This assumption works well for almost all reaction centers. But in molecules where the reference pKa and the perturbations are high, for example the reaction center methyl acid has a reference pKa of 48 for the reference molecule methyl. In compounds where the methyl acid pKa are measurable like 2,4 pentadione (pKa 8.9) the perturbations have to about 39 pKa units. From temperature dependence data for methyl acids we can infer that all of the perturbation cannot be enthalpic. A factor to split the perturbations into enthalpic and entropic parts is introduced for methyl acid. For the rest of the reaction centers, the factor does not do much and perturbations are assumed to be purely enthalpic.

After splitting methyl acid perturbations into enthalpic and entropic parts to match the slope from the observed data, the enthalpic part was found to be 1% of the total perturbation. 99% of the perturbation cannot be entropic contributions. It is known that methyl acids are very slow in reaching equilibrium. Therefore the observed data could actually be measuring the abundances before the system reached equilibrium.

2.3 Procedure

To determine the Van't Hoff's coefficients, a large set of temperature dependent pKa data for each of the SPARC defined reaction centers were gathered and plotted Vs 1/T. The slope of the relation is calculated from the best-fit line. This slope and a first guess of B_c , A_c is used to train the SPARC model parameters to apply temperature correction on the reference value for that particular reaction center. The entropic contributions are assumed to be captured by the reaction center, A_c , and the perturbations are assumed to be all enthalpic (δ_H) with negligible entropic contribution (δ_S =0). This is the model we use to estimate the temperature correction for the perturbation contributions. Figure 2.1 and 2.2 show plot of pKa Vs 1/T for methyl amine and sulphuric acid.

A list of Van't Hoff's coefficients for a number of SPARC pKa reaction centers is given in Table 2.1. The amount of perturbation on the reaction center determines the temperature dependence of a compound. For example, the compound 2-nitro-aniline has a smaller slope compared to the slope of its reaction center (amine). This change in slope can go either way, perturbation can increase the slope or decrease the slope. Table 2.2 lists the 'B' Van't Hoff's coefficient of interesting molecules and their corresponding reaction centers.



Figure 2.1 Plot of pKa Vs 1/T for methyl amine



Figure 2.2 Plot of pKa Vs 1/T for sulphuric acid

Reaction Center	Bc	Ac
Amines (nr2)	2682.06	0.8345
Hydroxy (oh)	2775.91	4.987
Carboxlic Acid (co2h)	108.62	3.386
Thio (sh)	804.502	4.64
Carbon Acid (methyl_a)	783.452	45.55
Sulphonic (so3h)	-1729.26	5.708
Aromatic Nitrogen (n)	489.48	1.07

 Table 2.1 List of Van't Hoff's coefficients for various SPARC pKa reaction centers

Table 2.2 Comparison of Van't Hoff's Co-efficient B of some select compounds and their reaction centers

Molecule	SMILES	В	Bc
2-nitro aniline	Nc1c(N(=O)(=O))cccc1	366.76	2682.06
2-chloro Phenol	c1(O)c(Cl)cccc1	900.02	2775.91
4-Amino Pyridine	n1ccc(N)cc1	2457.6	489.48

2.4 Discussion

Using the temperature dependent pKa data of selected molecules the Van't Hoff coefficients were determined for seven of SPARC's pKa reaction centers. This enables SPARC to calculate pKa's at any temperature for these reaction centers. There are other reaction centers in SPARC for which the temperature dependence could not be calculated, the reason being that sufficient temperature dependent pKa data are not available for those reaction centers. These include neth (C=N), nethR (neth as part of a ring), nr2_a (amine acting as acid) to list a few.

The factor to split the perturbations into enthalpic and entropic contributions was determined for methyl acting as an acid. The SPARC determined enthalpic factor for the methyl acid reaction center is 0.0108 and is set to 1 for the rest of the reaction centers. Figure 2.3 plots the performance of SPARC's temperature dependence model for pKa. The calculated values used for plotting have been corrected for the deviation of pKa values calculated by the pKa model. This correction projects only the performance of the temperature dependence model and takes the error from the base pKa models out of it.

2.5 Conclusion

A model for calculating temperature dependence of pKa was developed and implemented into SPARC. The model was not implemented for some reaction centers, nr2_a (amine acting as acid) for example, as there are no temperature dependent pKa data for such ionizations. Moreover these molecules are difficult to measure like methyl acids and are some times very unreliable.

Future work in this area would be to find measured enthalpy of ionizations for molecules which have not been addressed in this model. This enthalpy can be used to model the temperature dependence of pKa.

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Figure 2.3 Plot of Observed vs Calculated pKa's at different temperature to show the performance of SPARC temperature models.

Chapter 3

SPARC Chemical Process Integration

3.1 Introduction

All chemical processes occurring in natural environments are a complex mixture of multiple processes involving the compound of interest. For predicting the fate of compounds in the environment, it is essential to take into account all the processes affecting the fate of the compound. For chemicals that speciate or exist in multiple forms (ions, zwitterions, tautomers, hydrates), observed chemical behavior may reflect integration over discrete chemical species or processes.

It is convenient to designate as 'macro', the observed equilibrium or kinetic constants, and designate as 'micro', a constant for a single chemical event (which may or may not be resolved experimentally). As an example, for ionization, a micro constant describes the loss or gain of a proton at a site whereas a macro constant may involve poly-protonic events relating to (1) loss or gain of protons from different sites on separate molecules that are integrated in the measurement, or (2) synchronous loss/gain of protons from different sites on the same molecule resulting in one unit change in total charge (e.g., gain of one and loss of two protons)⁴.

SPARC currently has the molecular speciation, tautomer and hydration processes modeled. The speciation model determines the single and multiple ionization events occurring in a compound. It computes the abundance of each species at equilibrium as a function of pH, from which the macro constants, which are observed by experiments, can be determined. The tautomer model determines intelligently all possible tautomers of a compound and then computes the tautomeric equilibrium constant for each tautomer. The tautomer model is a combination of the SPARC's chemical and physical process models.

The combination of these models will form the chemical fate prediction model in SPARC. Here I present the results of integration of the speciation, tautomer and hydration models. Further progress would be to incorporate the solid partition model, Henry's constant model, vapor pressure and solubility model to have a complete fate prediction model.

3.2 Molecular Speciation

Compounds with multiple ionization sites exist in various charged states in the environment. The charges on a molecule are dependent on the nature of the ionization sites and the environment in which the molecule exists. In a molecule with multiple ionization sites, the state of ionization of a site, affects the pKa of other ionizable sites. Hence it is important to know the state of all reaction sites in such molecules. In order to fully understand the molecular speciation in a given system, a complete calculation of all microscopic equilibrium constants has to be performed. The SPARC speciation model can intelligently determine all possible ionization species for a compound and determine the equilibrium constants for the individual reactions.

The reaction equilibrium constants for these individual reactions are known as micro constants. In molecules with a complex mix of such micro constants, simple experiments might not be able to measure or see these constants since there might be other dominating reactions. The name macro constants are assigned to measurable equilibrium constants. These macro constants may be a combination of one or more micro constants or micro steps. In the end, depending on the application, the user may want micro or macro constants.

For example, let's consider the compound N-Phenyl-Glycine (c1ccccc1NCC(=O)O), the experimentally observed pKas for the molecule are 2.1 and 4.4. Logically we would assume that

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the pKa at 2.1 is due to the OH group in the carboxlic acid ionizing, and that the pKa at 4.4 is the basic pKa of the amine, both reactions taking place on the neutral molecule. But in reality there are four distinct ionization events taking place. They are, the neutral molecule ionizing at the carboxlic acid to form the negatively charged ion, the protonated amine carrying a positive charge, loosing the proton to form the neutral molecule and the same positively charged molecule ionizing at the carboxlic acid to form the reutral molecule and the same positively charged molecule) and lastly the protonated amine in the zwitter ion (having zero total charge on the negatively charged molecule. Each of these individual reactions is represented by a micro constant. For N-Phenyl Glycine the individual reactions and their micro constants are listed in Table 3.1. The observed macro constants are a combination of the two or more micro constants, grouped by similar change in charge. SPARC also calculates the species fraction as a function of pH. Figure 3.1 plots the species fraction as a function of pH for all species possible from N-Phenyl-Glycine. The micro constants can be inferred from the intersection of the reactant and product species curves⁵.

For any molecule with N ionization sites there will be 2^{N} species possible and N macro constants (Macro pKas). The number of individual pKa calculations needed to generate all the micro constants is N*(2)^{N-1} calculations. SPARC calculates the macro pKa by summing the individual species curves of similar charge, and the intersection points of these summed curves determines the macro pKas⁴.
Rxn	Reactant	Product	рКа	рКа
				Туре
1	c1ccccc1NCC(=O)O	c1ccccc1NCC(=O)[O-1]	3.953	micro
2	c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)[O-1]	c1ccccc1NCC(=O)[O-1]	4.158	micro
3	c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)O	c1ccccc1NCC(=O)O	2.555	micro
4	c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)O	c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)[O-1]	2.364	micro
5	c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)O	clcccclNCC(=O)O	2.051	macro
		c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)[O-1]		
6	clcccclNCC(=O)O	c1ccccc1NCC(=O)[O-1]	4.381	macro
	c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)[O-1]			

Table 3.1 Table listing the micro and macro constants for N-Phenyl Glycine

To obtain the fraction of each species as a function of pH from the calculated micro constants, the system needs to calculate the total abundance of all species at that pH. SPARC assumes that the neutral molecule has an abundance of 1 at equilibrium. Given all micro constants for all species and the pH, SPARC uses equation 3.1 to determine the total abundance of all species at that pH. Each individual term in the equation represents the abundance of a species and can be used to calculate it, and finally calculate the species fraction.

$$D = \frac{1}{0!} + \frac{\sum_{i} k_{i} [H]^{L_{i}}}{1!} + \frac{\sum_{i} \sum_{j \neq i} k_{i} k_{ij} [H]^{L_{ij}}}{2!} + \dots + \frac{\sum_{i} \sum_{j \neq i} \dots \sum_{k \neq ij\dots} k_{i} k_{ij} \dots k_{ij\dots k} [H]^{L_{ij\dots k}}}{N!} \quad \text{Eq 3.1}$$

D is the total abundance of all species in solution at a pH. K_{ij} is the equilibrium constant of species of state ij. L_{ij} is the total charge on the molecule at state ij. [H] hydrogen ion concentration is determined by the pH of the solution. The factorial is number of different pathways that lead to that particular state⁴.

SPARC Speciation Plot 1.00 1.00.8 0.80 Species Fraction 0.6 0.60 0.4 0.40 0.20 0.2 0.00 -1 0 3 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 1 2 4 pН c1ccccc1NCC(=O)O clccccclNCC(=O)[O-1] c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)[O-1] c1ccccc1[N+1]CC(=O)O

Figure 3.1 Plot of species fraction as a function of pH for N-Phenyl Glycine

3.3 Tautomer Equilibrium Constants

Tautomers are rapidly converting isomers of a structure. Tautomerism is a chemical process in which the double bonds in a molecule are rearranged with synchronized hydrogen atom shift to form an isomer. The most common form of tautomerism is the keto-enol tautomers. Tautomers play a very important role in terms of a compounds ability to exhibit a particular chemical reactivity⁶. It is important in the study of biological activity of chemicals and

researchers have been studying tautomerism in nucleic acids as for an explanation for self mutation in RNA.

Tautomerism is a two step process; first the molecule is attacked by an acid or base for the gain or loss of a proton respectively and a double bond rearrangement. Second step is the loss or the gain of the proton from the first step⁶. Hence it is catalyzed by acid or base. This makes the process dependent on the solvent properties.

To model the tautomeric equilibrium constant (K_T), the energy difference between the two isomeric structures, the ketone forms and the enol form has to be modeled. SPARC operates as a perturbation calculator to a reference structure, hence cannot directly model the tautomer equilibrium constant. Rather SPARC uses an indirect thermodynamic loop to calculate K_T .

3.3.1 SPARC Tautomer Models

SPARC does not calculate absolute energies of molecular structures. To calculate tautomeric equilibrium constants, SPARC uses its pKa and Henry's constant models to calculate K_T using a thermodynamic loop. The model is illustrated in figure 3.2, where the tautomeric equilibrium is calculated for 2-amino-1H-Indole.

The process flow in modeling tautomer equilibrium constants can be expressed as follows⁷:

- 1) Analyze the molecule and determine possible tautomers
- 2) Generate all the necessary structural information for representing all the tautomers of the starting molecule
- 3) Select a tautomer product and determine the atom to be ionized in the reactant to get the ionized structure. Apply similar logic to determine the atom to be ionized in the product
- 4) Calculate the pKa of both the ionizations

- 5) Calculate the energy required to move the ions into vacuum (Using Henry's Constant model)
- 6) Rearrange the reactant ion to form the product ion (zero energy)
- 7) Sum all the energies to determine the pK_T

In the process of modeling tautomer equilibrium constants using experimentally observed data, it was realized that the solvation energy difference between the two ionic forms is negligible and is within the noise range of the system. So under normal operation circumstances the differential Henry's energy term would be ignored. Tautomeric equilibrium models can also calculate the equilibrium constants in various arbitrary solvents. This is also done using the Henry's constant calculator to calculate the difference in the solvation of the reactant and the product.

One effect of integrating multiple process models is the dramatic increase in the number of calculations performed and the large quantities of data generated. To make sense of the data and to reduce the use of computational power, the output information needs to be filtered. In the grand scheme of things, a filter for the tautomer calculations was designed and implemented. The filter is designed to filter unproductive tautomeric pathways and to ignore un-reliable pK_T calculations. In order to decide un-reliable calculations a scoring system was developed and implemented. Every pKa calculation was given a reliability score based on the type of the reaction center. Currently the reliability for a carbon acid calculation is set as 0.5 and for the rest it is set to 1, the reason being the RMS value of the SPARC carbon acid model (1.1 pKa Units) is high compared to other reaction centers. The reliability of a tautomer equilibrium calculation is the product of the reliabilities of the two pKa calculations involved in its calculation. The filter,

filters the tautomeric equilibrium calculations with reliability less than 0.15 from being included when averaging the equilibrium constants for a tautomer states, this filter is only applied to tautomer states with more than one pathway.



Figure 3.2 SPARC thermodynamic loop to calculate the tautomeric equilibrium constant

A list of SPARC calculated tautomeric equilibrium constants and the observed values are listed in Table $3.2^{7,8}$. A plot of the observed and calculated pK_T values is given in the form of Figure 3.3. Based on the very small number of published experimental investigations of the tautomeric properties of chemicals, the R² value for the plot at 0.895 is not bad. The effect of other processes involving the compounds of interest bring about a large margin of error in the observed data available in literature. When such coupled processes are involved simple experiments fail to measure these equilibrium constants accurately.

Reactant	Product	Observed	Calculated
CC=O	C=CO	4.66	3.57839607
CCC=O	CC=CO	3.9	2.74232143
0=2222	CCC=CO	5.2	3.09963287
O=D(C)DD	CC(C)=CO	2.8	2.86012091
CC(=O)C	C=C(O)C	8.22	8.2798407
DD(0=)000	CC=C(O)CC	7.44	7.32422166
O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)O(2)	D(O) = D(O) = C(O) =	7.52	7.39685563
DD(0=)00	C=C(O)CC	8.76	8.2823295
CC(=O)CC	CC(O)=CC	7.51	7.32239305
CC(=O)C(C)C	C=C(O)C(C)C	8.61	8.2823295
CC(=O)C(C)C	CC(O)=C(C)C	7.33	7.39469495
CC(=O)C(C)(C)C	C=C(O)C(C)(C)C	8.76	8.2823295
c1cc(OC)ccc1C(=O)C	c1cc(OC)ccc1C(O)=C	7.31	6.77728353
c1cc(C)ccc1C(=O)C	c1cc(C)ccc1C(O)=C	6.95	6.74714697
c1ccccc1C(=O)C	c1ccccc1C(O)=C	6.63	6.84466396
c1cc(Cl)ccc1C(=O)C	c1cc(Cl)ccc1C(O)=C	7.77	7.01818139
c1ccc(Cl)cc1C(=O)C	c1ccc(Cl)cc1C(O)=C	7.57	7.01322827
c1ccc(C(F)(F)F)cc1C(=O)C	c1ccc(C(F)(F)F)cc1C(O)=C	7.55	7.24412514
c1ccc(N(=O)=O)cc1C(=O)C	c1ccc(N(=O)=O)cc1C(O)=C	7.13	7.23358715
c1cc(N(=O)=O)ccc1C(=O)C	c1cc(N(=O)=O)ccc1C(O)=C	6.95	7.3205721
c1(C)cc(C)cc(C)c1C(=O)C	c1(C)cc(C)cc(C)c1C(O)=C	6.92	6.66554625
c1ccccc1C(=O)C(C)C	c1ccccc1C(O)=C(C)C	6.48	6.1408617

Table 3.2 A list of Observed and SPARC Calculated tautomeric equilibrium constants (pK_T)



Figure 3.3 Plot of Observed vs SPARC Calculated tautomeric equilibrium values

3.4 Hydration

Hydration is the process of adding a water molecule across a pi-electron functional group. The two structural units where this is known to occur are the carbonyl and imine functional groups. Hydration follows the Markovnikov's rule of addition. In each case, a hydroxyl group attaches to the base carbon and a hydrogen atom to the heteroatom⁶.

As described previously, in the SPARC modeling approach these functional groups will be reaction centers and any molecular structure(s) appended thereto designated perturber structure.

$$P-C_i \rightarrow P-C_f$$

In the case of hydration, differential solvation of the two species will play a major role. In this case we will start with the following thermodynamic cycles to model the reaction.

$P-C=O(g) \rightarrow P-C(OH)_2(g)$	$\Delta G_{hydration}(g)$
$P-C(OH)_2 (g) \rightarrow P-C(OH)_2 (l)$	$\Delta G_{transfer}(O)$
$P-C=O(l) \rightarrow P-C=O(g)$	$-\Delta G_{transfer}(=O)$

P-C=O (l) → P-C(OH)₂ (l)
$$\Delta G_{hydration}(l)$$

The top reaction will be modeled using the usual SPARC perturbation approach.

$$\Delta G_{hydration} = (\Delta G_{hydration})_c + \delta_p (\Delta G_{hydration})_c \qquad \text{Eq. 3.2}$$

where the reaction center ΔG (in this case formaldehyde) is perturbed by appended molecular structure. This perturbation is further factored into mechanistic components such as:

$$\delta_{p} (\Delta G_{hydration})_{c} = \delta_{ele} \Delta G_{hydration} + \delta_{res} \Delta G_{hydration} + \delta_{steric} \Delta G_{hydration} + \dots \qquad \text{Eq. 3.3}$$

From structure theory of organic chemistry, it is known that nucleophilic addition reactions across pi bonds are sensitive to inductive and steric effects from atoms contiguous to the pi group. Also, it is known that functional groups containing non-bonded electrons (-oh, -or, -nr₂) attached to the base carbon will prohibit hydration (via induction and resonance). This model can confirm the failure of esters, amides, ureas, and carboxylic acids to hydrate and can project other structures to be readily hydrated. The biggest perturbations are the direct field effect (increase), sigma induction (decrease), resonance (decrease) and steric (decrease)⁹. SPARC hydration models now calculate the hydration of ketones, aldehydes and quinazolines. A performance plot of observed vs calculated for SPARC hydration models is shown in figure 3.4.



Figure 3.4 Plot of Observed vs SPARC Calculated hydration constants

3.5 SPARC Process Integration

The above sections explained the implementation of the various chemical process models modeled in SPARC. One of the main problems associated with the integration of these individual processes is the number of computations needed to determine all the various combinations of pathways. Another by-product of all these calculations is the amount of data that is generated by the calculators. To bring some sort of meaning and control to the whole system a set of filters were implemented. The filters are based on the cumulative reliability of the calculations along the path and the cumulative equilibrium constant at that point. The first step in reducing the amount of information generated is to reduce the number of unwanted / unproductive reaction pathways from the network. The logic behind deciding unproductive / unwanted reaction pathways is the cumulative equilibrium constant, it provides a way of deciding whether a particular node in the network would be present in sufficient quantity to warrant a progression along that direction. This decision cannot be taken based on the cumulative equilibrium constant after just one step. SPARC only applies this rule after two or more steps have been taken from the initial state.

The reliability of calculations in a pathway is very important, as, the equilibrium constants are averaged for each tautomer form. As discussed before, a reliability value is assigned to all tautomeric equilibrium calculation. In the case of a pK_T calculation with low reliability the pathway is not included in the equilibrium constant averaging for that node.

The first step in building an integrated process model is to use the hydration model to determine the hydration constant and the hydrated product. The next step would be to find all possible tautomers of the starting compound and its hydrated product, if any, and determine the combined equilibrium constant for all the different products. After all the tautomeric forms and equilibrium constants of the initial compound and its hydrated product are determined, the pKa ionization / speciation model is used to determine their speciation products and the combined equilibrium constants. The speciation model calculates the species fractions as a function of pH, determines the macro constants and the coupled micro constants for all the species.

3.5.1 Building Tautomer Network

The SPARC tautomer model is used to recursively determine all possible tautomers from the starting compound and tautomers of the tautomers themselves, thereby creating a tautomer

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network map with the different tautomer forms forming nodes and the equilibrium constants between these nodes are computed. A doubly recursive algorithm is used to perform these calculations and the progression down the network is of the depth first search type. This algorithm enables SPARC to identify all tautomer forms and their equilibrium constants irrespective of the starting compound. Once again filters are applied based on reliabilities and cumulative equilibrium constants for nodes more than two steps away from the start. The current threshold reliability value for tautomer equilibrium constant for inclusion into averaging is 0.15. The logic based filter evaluates the aggregate K_T for reaction pathways two or more steps long. Filtering decisions are based on a threshold value, anything below threshold is filtered as an unproductive pathway. This threshold is set at 2E-06 for the tautomer network model. This helps in the reduction of the number of calculations by removing unproductive reaction pathways.

Figure 3.5 is a flow diagram illustrating the logic behind determining tautomer network maps. This model has been tested using complex compounds capable of producing multiple tautomers. The accuracy of the calculated tautomer equilibrium would go down as the network grows, but the numbers give a very good idea about the feasibility of that tautomer forms existing. Sample output of the tautomer network model for acetyl acetone is provided in the form of table 3.3 and is illustrated as a mapped network in figure 3.6. The table lists the different tautomeric forms and their fraction at equilibrium assuming, acetyl acetone (CC(=O)CC(=O)C') the starting point has a concentration of 1. In the column for individual equilibrium constants, the equilibrium constant for each tautomeric step taken to reach the current node is listed as a dashed pair with its reliability value. Let's consider the tautomer no 4 (CC(O)=CC(=O)C), the list of individual equilibriums for this form are

- 1) [0.1348436469935751-0.5,1-1]
- 2) [11303823096407.127-0.25,3.1711564854704756E-08-0.5,1-1]

The 1st path consists of one step with a K_T value of 0.134 and a reliability of 0.5, 1-1 is the entry for the initial starting point and does not count as a step. The 2nd path has two steps with K_T for the first step 3.17E-08 with a reliability of 0.5 and 1.13E+13 with reliability of 0.25 for the second step. The combined reliability for the 2nd path is the product of the reliabilities of the individual steps and is listed as path reliability. The total path reliability for the second path is 0.125. The observed tautomer equilibrium constant for tautomer 4 is 0.16 An example for filtering based on aggregated K_T is the termination of reaction progression from compound IV (aggregate K_T = 1.13E-16 very lower than threshold of 2E-06) in the example illustrated in figure 3.6.



Figure 3.5 Flow Diagram for Determining Tautomer Networks

No.	Compound	Species Fraction	Individual Equlibrium Constants and Reliabilities	Path Reliability
1	C=C(O)CC(O)=C	1.1391 E-16	[6.091130108395312E-08-0.5, 3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1]	0.25
2	[0.001272564344873305-0.5, 3.1711 E-08-0.5, 1-1]		[0.001272564344873305-0.5, 3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1]	0.25
	0,	1.9505 E-06	[6.107683459346353E-08-0.5, 0.13484364-0.5,1-1]	0.25
3	C=C(O)CC(=O)C	3.1711 E-08	[3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1]	0.5
4		0 1248426	6 [6.091130108395312E-08-0.5, 3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1] 8 [0.001272564344873305-0.5, 3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1] 8 [6.107683459346353E-08-0.5, 0.13484364-0.5,1-1] 8 [3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1] 8 [3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1] 9 [1.13E+13-0.25, 3.1711 E-08-0.5,1-1] [0.1348436-0.5,1-1] [0.1348436-0.5,1-1] [1.1] [1.1]	0.125
	00(0)=00(=0)0	0.1346430		0.5
5	D(O=))D(O=)	1	[[1-1]	1

Table 3.3 Output from SPARC Tautomer Network Model



Figure 3.6 SPARC generated tautomer map for acetyl acetone. The equilibrium constants are indicated next to the arrows with the reliability of the calculation

3.5.2 Integration of Hydration and Tautomerization

The hydration model is used to generate all the hydrated forms of the starting molecule and determine their hydration constants. These molecules and their respective equilibrium constants are combined and fed into the tautomer network model to determine the possible tautomer and their integrated constants.

Let us use the model to determine the reaction pathways of 2-Aceto-Cyclohexanone. To illustrate the effect of coupling hydration to Tautomerization, two different calculations, one without hydration and one with hydration, is reported. Table 3.4 lists the output of the model without hydration. Table 3.5 lists the output of the model with hydration turned on. Both calculations are performed in water as solvent.

No	Tautomer	Relative Abundance	Molecule
1	C1(O)=CCCCC1C=O	7.35E-07	HO
2	C1(O)=CCCCC1=CO	2.00E-03	но
3	C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O	1.00E+00	\swarrow

Table 3.4 Results of integrated tautomer network model without hydration

4	C1(O)=C(C=O)CCCC1	4.25E+00	OH
5	C1(C(=CO)CCCC1)=O	4.66E+01	

From the results, the conjugated enol-keto forms are found to be the most stable tautomeric form in water. This is justified as the double bond conjugation stabilizes the molecules better than the di-carbonyl form.

No	Tautomer	Relative Abundance	Molecule
1	C1(O)=CCCCC1C=O	7.35E-07	HO
2	C1(O)=CCCCC1C(O)O	5.85E-06	
3	C1(O)=C(C(O)O)CCCC1	9.57E-05	ОН ОН ОН

 Table 3.5 Results of the integrated tautomer network model with hydration

4	C1(O)=CCCCC1=CO	2.00E-03	HO
5	C1(O)(C(=CO)CCCC1)O	3.53E-03	OH OH OH
6	C1(CCCCC1C=0)=0	1.00E+00	\sim
7	C1(O)=C(C=O)CCCC1	4.25E+00	
8	C1(O)(CCCCC1C=O)O	9.94E+00	ОН
9	C1(CCCCC1C(0)0)=0	2.44E+01	HO HO
10	C1(C(=CO)CCCC1)=O	4.66E+01	

Compared to the results without hydration we see more species present in significant quantities. The relative stabilities of two hydrated forms 8, 9 are explained by the ease of hydration of the aldehyde versus that of the ketone. These species are present in significant quantities to affect chemical behavior.

3.5.3 Integration of Speciation, Hydration and Tautomer Network

Using the hydration coupled tautomer network model the equilibrium constants for the neutral species has been developed. The next step is to determine all the different ionization process as applied to these molecules and determine their pKas.

A full speciation calculation is performed on the different species from the tautomer network model. The respective equilibrium constants of the tautomer forms are integrated used to determine the final species fraction as a function of pH. The molecular speciation model is the same model used for pKa speciation; hence it provides a wealth of information to the user. It calculates the macro constant and micro constants for all the involved chemical process and determines species fraction as a function of pH.

Let us analyze the results of the fully integrated chemical process model using the same compound. The plot of the species fraction as a function pH if shown in figure 3.7. From the plot we see that below pH 9 the dominant species are the exo-enol form (species 3) and the di-hydro form (species 2) with a little bit of the other di-hydro form (species 1). At about pH 9 these three species disappear and the ionized form of the di-carbonyl form, and the two keto-enol forms dominate (species 6,7,8). The species number is the order in which they are listed in the figure.

As the pH increases the concentration of the di-hydro form is reduced, the force that drives this reduction is the ionization of the tautomer of the un-hydrated form which in turn drives equilibrium of hydration in favor of the reactant, thus decreasing the concentration of the hydrated forms. This compound is a very good test for coupled reaction models and is performing very well. A list of the reactions together with the micro constants is listed below. A total of 59 micro constants and one macro constant were determined by the speciation calculator.



Figure 3.7 Plot of species fraction as a function of pH for 2-Aceto-Cyclohexanone

3.5.4 Thermodynamic Loops

A solution to fix the low reliability problem in the tautomeric equilibrium calculations is to use thermodynamic loops to infer the actual equilibrium constants for those calculations with low reliability. When there is more than one path to a species / tautomer form the change in free energy being independent of path taken should be the same for both pathways, such loops are known as thermodynamic loops. In order to infer these constants and use them to train SPARC parameters the rest of the calculations involved in the loop has to be reliable.

For example, in the calculation of the tautomer network for acetyl acetone we saw that certain pathways were rejected due to poor reliability of 0.125 (i.e. path with K_T [11303823096407.127-0.25, 3.1711564854704756E-08-0.5, 1-1]). This is due to the K_T for the tautomerization of compound II 'C=C(O)CC(=O)C' to compound III 'CC(O)=CC(=O)C' being unreliable. Using thermodynamic loops and assuming that the first step is reliable we can determine that the K_T for the second step should be 5E+06 rather than 1.13E+13. This value will be used to infer the involved, un-observer pKas taking part in the calculation for that tautomer equilibrium constant.

3.5.5 Microscopic Reactions

Listed below is a list of microscopic reactions and their equilibrium constants:

Micro reactions and constants: C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(O)(C(=CO)CCCC1)O Kt is 0.0035310905141420637

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(O)(CCCCC1C=O)O Kt is 9.941725439243926

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(O)=C(C(O)O)CCCC1 Kt is 9.569754217721239E-05

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(CCCCC1C(O)O)=O Kt is 24.37683088627839 C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(O)=CCCCC1=CO Kt is 0.0020005816586784316

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(C(=CO)CCCC1)=O Kt is 46.62888703024625

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(O)=C(C=O)CCCC1 Kt is 4.247989918782148

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O Kt is 1.0

C1(O)(C(=CO)CCCC1)O -> C1(O)(C(=C[O-1])CCCC1)O pKa is 11.290990995289015

C1(O)(C(=CO)CCCC1)[O-1] -> C1(O)(C(=C[O-1])CCCC1)[O-1] pKa is 13.02423611669241

C1(O)=C(C(O)O)CCCC1 -> C1([O-1])=C(C(O)O)CCCC1 pKa is 12.223746259259778

C1(O)=C(C([O-1])O)CCCC1 -> C1([O-1])=C(C([O-1])O)CCCC1 pKa is 13.974357570407976

C1(O)=C(C(O)[O-1])CCCC1 -> C1([O-1])=C(C(O)[O-1])CCCC1 pKa is 13.974357570407976

C1(O)=CCCCC1C(O)O -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1C(O)O pKa is 10.92533207205689

C1(O)=CCCCC1C([O-1])O -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1C([O-1])O pKa is 13.055136185567525

C1(O)=CCCCC1C([O-1])[O-1] -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1C([O-1])[O-1] pKa is 14.73343604534849

C1(O)=CCCCC1C(O)[O-1] -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1C(O)[O-1] pKa is 13.055136185567525

C1(O)=CCCCC1=CO -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1=CO pKa is 11.402019238648172

C1([O-1])=CCCCC1=CO -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1=C[O-1] pKa is 12.934205115884826

C1(O)=CCCCC1=CO -> C1(O)=CCCCC1=C[O-1] pKa is 11.164266323173813

C1(O)=CCCCC1=C[O-1] -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1=C[O-1] pKa is 12.948329205548161

C1(C(=CO)CCCC1)=O -> C1(C(=C[O-1])CCCC1)=O pKa is 9.179621017995222

C1(O)=C(C=O)CCCC1 -> C1([O-1])=C(C=O)CCCC1 pKa is 8.1391494458693

C1(O)=CCCCC1C=O -> C1(O)=CCCC[C-1]1C=O pKa is 11.807832985774404

C1(O)=CCCC[C-1]1C=O -> C1([O-1])=CCCC[C-1]1C=O pKa is 12.815532631320009

C1(O)=CCCCC1C=O -> C1([O-1])=CCCCC1C=O pKa is 10.780590232640959

C1([O-1])=CCCCC1C=O -> C1([O-1])=CCCC[C-1]1C=O pKa is 12.980583901142545

C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O -> C1(CCCC[C-1]1C=O)=O pKa is 7.510965968450897

Macro pKa:

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C1(C(=CO)CCCC1)=O, C1(O)=C(C=O)CCCC1, C1(O)(CCCCC1C=O)O, C1(CCCCC1C(O)O)=O,
C1(CCCCC1C=O)=O ----> C1(CCCC[C-1]1C=O)=O, C1([O-1])=C(C=O)CCCC1, C1(C(=C[O-1])CCCC1)=O
Macro Pka = 8.969012
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3.6 Conclusion

The three chemical process models, hydration, tautomerization and speciation models were integrated. Filters were designed and implemented to reduce the complexity of the calculations, the filters are based on threshold values deciding productive paths based on aggregated equilibrium constants. The reliability of the calculations are computed and unreliable calculations are ignored.

The lack of through quantitative analysis of complex coupled process is a major stumbling block to modeling such systems. SPARC's models do a very good job at qualitative analysis of these systems. For modeling tautomers one of the important pKas is the carbon acid pKa. Due to the magnitude of the perturbations the RMS of the model is high compared to other pKa reaction models. Another way to test these models is to let the researcher use the system and report any error they find. A web based interface for the integrated process models has also been implemented and will be available for public use in December of 2004.

The speciation models in SPARC are very well tuned and are getting even better. Recently Pfizer Chemical have started using the more current version of SPARC, in doing so they have started to compare and benchmark SPARC models with the large collection of pKa data they have accumulated. They are collaborating with us to improve SPARC; one of the recent changes in SPARC pKa models has been the complete rewrite of the nitrogen models. This was done after feedback from Pfizer researchers, who provided us with information, which convinced us to handle nitrogen in rings in a different manner.

The next phase of this research would be to integrate more physical process models like Henry's constant, solubility and vapor pressure models into this existing coupled process. Models for auto tautomerization (tautomerization in itself) have to be developed and tested.

Chapter 4

Interpretation of Cis-trans isomer information in SMILES representation

4.1 Introduction

SMILES (Simplified Molecular Input Line Entry System) was developed by David Weininger as a method to encode chemical molecules based on simple grammar and is capable of specifying complete structural information^{10, 11, 12}. This representation is based on expressing the molecule by atomic symbols and other symbols to represent bonds and other features in a linear fashion¹¹. As a result of its simple grammar, it proved to be easy to encode by hand as well as easy for computer programs to interpret. This led to its usage in a number of computer programs and also as a way to store chemical structures in computer databases.

The SMILES encoding rules do not place any restriction on the starting point in a molecule when encoding it. This leads to multiple ways of encoding a molecule in SMILES. This poses a problem when SMILES notation is used to identify the molecule by a simple string comparison. The solution is to generate a unique SMILES notation¹⁰. A unique SMILES is a unique way of encoding a molecule in SMILES. The uniqueness is due to the weighting of the atoms in the molecule based on their connectivity and nature of the atoms themselves. This process is known as the generation of a unique SMILES for that molecule. The simplicity of SMILES specification rules led to its adaptation as a form of molecular input/output for chemistry software. One of the side effects of this adaptation is the development of incompatible specification rules for interpretation of cis-trans isomer information. The atom weighting system for the molecules to

generate unique SMILES is also not standardized. This leads to the generation of different unique SMILES depending on the software and weighting system used^{13, 14, 15}.

In SPARC models SMILES notation is used to represent the molecule internally. Hence we have to convert all other form of molecular representation into SMILES notation. In the initial form SPARC did not use structural isomerism information to model physical and chemical property. But when the heat of formation calculator was added to SPARC the specification of double bond isomerism and tetrahedral chirality became very important. In the process of incorporating structural isomer models we discovered several problems with SMILES notation and set out to fix them.

The SMILES grammar in its published state was sufficient in defining simple cis-trans and tetrahedral chirality. However when applied to complex ring systems with multiple conjugations of double bonds such as (18-Annulene), this grammar fails to represent all structural information. Specification of cis-trans across a ring break also was not addressed in the originally published grammar. We have attempted to work out the rules to specify complete structural information using SMILES while adhering to the original symbols.

In table 4.1 a few SMILES and their interpretation by different chemistry software are given. The table illustrates that all the software follow the basic cis-trans interpretation rules as specified by the daylight specification. This is illustrated by the molecules trans-2-butene and cis-2-butene. The SMILES representation of the other four molecules involves the specification of cis-trans isomer information through a ring break. In the case of these molecules, it is possible to write a SMILES representation without passing through a ring break, but to illustrate the issues with interpretation rules we have written them as such. For the four ring compounds ChemDraw, ACD/ChemSketch and depict seem to ignore the cis-trans specification. The

interpretation rules of Marvin and SPARC interpret in some case, opposite of each other and the

same for the other.

Molecule	SMILES	MARVIN	ACD/ChemSketch	ChemDraw	SPARC	Depict
trans-2- butene	C\C=C\C	Trans	Trans	Trans	Trans	Trans
trans-2- butene	C(/C)=C\C	Trans	Trans	Trans	Trans	Trans
cis-2- butene	C\C=C/C	Cis	Cis	Cis	Cis	Cis
cis-2- butene	C(\C)=C\C	Cis	Cis	Cis	Cis	Cis
Trans-1- methyl- octene	C\C1CCCCCC/C=1	Cis	Trans	Trans	Trans	Trans
cis-1- methyl- octene	C/C1CCCCCC/C=1	Trans	Trans	Trans	Cis	Trans
trans octene	C1=C\CCCCCC\1	Cis	Cis	Cis	Cis	Cis
cis octene	C1=C\CCCCCC/1	Trans	Cis	Cis	Trans	Cis

 Table 4.1 SMILES strings and its interpretation by different software

The above example clearly illustrates the need for a more compressive and standard cistrans interpretation rules for SMILES. The interpretation rules developed for SPARC have been tested for over a 1000 compounds containing cis-trans information. All these compounds were downloaded from NIST Webook¹⁶ as MDL mol files and SMILES strings were encoded for them. These SMILES strings were then interpreted according to the same rules and were verified to be self consistent. A standard weighting scheme for the generation of unique SMILES also need to be developed. The algorithm used by SPARC is based on the original algorithm published by David Weininger. This algorithm is by no means efficient. A standard algorithm will help the developers of software use a more portable chemical information database. In the generation of unique SMILES for molecules with cis-trans and tetrahedral chirality we had to impose some restriction on the use of symbols. Specifically the restriction determines the sense of the first slash used in specifying an isomer. When developing a standard this area also has to be addressed. In the following pages we attempt to propose a set of standard rules which needs to be examined and tested and worked into an acceptable standard.

4.2 SMILES Grammar Review

Let us review some SMILES grammars that are important for understanding the problems in specification of cis-trans isomerism for complex rings. A simple compound like 2-butene is represented in SMILES by 'CC=CC'. No information about the orientation of the molecule (cis or trans) is specified here. The orientation of atoms around a double bond is specified in SMILES using the characters '/' or '\'. The slashes represent directional single bonds connecting the *anchor atoms*. In this paper we will be using the terms "*anchor atoms*" and "*other atoms*". *Anchor atoms* are the atoms that form the double bonds and *other atoms* are the atoms which specify the configuration and are connected to their respective *anchor atoms*. For example cis-2butene will be represented by 'C\C=C/C' and trans-2-butene by 'C\C=C\C'. For the cis conformation the two slashes are pointing up from the anchor atoms. Likewise, for the trans conformation, one single bonds is pointing up, one is pointing down.

Since SMILES encodes molecules as a linear string of characters, rings have to be broken into linear representations. This is achieved by breaking the ring and tagging the ring-breakatoms with numbers (ring-tags) and writing them in linear fashion. For example cyclohexane is represented by 'C1CCCCC1'. When decoding this SMILES string we have to join the atoms with the same ring tags to get the actual representation. When generating unique SMILES for rings, the occurrence of ring breaks cannot be predetermined. The ring break is determined by the order of atoms in the string. The order is determined by the weights calculated for individual atoms in the process of generating a unique SMILES string.

In Figure 4.1 the unique SMILES notation are given for cyclohexane, cyclohexene and 4chlorocyclohexene. All three compounds are ring compounds and the ring-break atoms are labeled by number 1 in the notation. This example illustrates the change in the ring break atoms in the molecules with the addition of a substituent. As already stated, the change in ring-break position is due to the change in the calculated weights of the atoms. Since the same algorithm must be applied to all molecules in the generation of unique SMILES strings, the ring-break selection is independent of user control.



Figure 4.1 Representing rings in SMILES string

4.3 Conjugated ring systems

When specifying isolated cis-trans isomers in a molecule the sense of slashes are independent from the influence of other slashes that might be used to specify other isomers. In

the case of conjugated ring systems once the sense of the first slash is set, the sense of all other slashes involved in that conjugated system is also fixed. This can be observed in figure 4.2. 18anulene is shown with its SMILES notation. In the notation you can observer that every slash is responsible for defining two isomer specifications. This type of slash usage is common and by itself is not a problem; but in case of conjugated rings it could cause a conflict, where the specification of the last double bond in the conjugated system cannot be specified correctly. The reason is that the senses of the two slashes for that double bond are already fixed and cannot be changed with out disturbing all the other specifications. This conflict cannot be resolved based on the current rules. After processing a large number of molecules listed in the NIST Webbook and building 3D models⁶, we did not find an example of trans double bond configuration in a ring smaller than eight atoms. From our own 3D models it appears molecules do not have the bond angles necessary to form trans double bonds in rings smaller than eight atoms. Hence we assume the default configuration for all double bonds in a ring smaller than eight atoms to be "cis". New rules have been developed for the interpretation of cis-trans information for conjugated ring systems. In combination with our weighting system for the atoms we can write self-consistent SMILES representations for conjugated ring systems.



Figure 4.2 18-Annulene. A completely conjugated molecule with a mix of cis and trans isomers. "C(=C|C=C|C=C|C=1)|C=C|C=C|C=C|C=C|C=1" is the SMILES representation of this molecule.

4.4 Approach to solve cis-trans specification across ring breaks

Our goal was the development of a rule set which will enable self consistent encoding / decoding of cis-trans isomer information across ring breaks. In order to represent the information in a computationally facile way, we have defined some terms to identify the participants. The two anchor atoms forming the double bond are identified *anchor1* and *anchor2*. The atoms attached to the anchor atoms and which define conformation, are identified as *other1* and *other2*. An example is given in Figure 4.3.



Figure 4.3 Trans 2-butene. Illustrating the cis-trans nomenclature.

The rules are based on the projection of the smiles in 3-D space before interpreting the conformation. Let us consider a simple molecule, trans-2-butene. The simple way to write the SMILES representation is to start from one end of the molecule and proceed to the other end. The SMILES is 'C\C=C\C'. We start from the *other1* atom (Methyl) and use a back slash to represent the direction of the single bond to the *anchor1* atom. The forward slash after the *anchor2* atom is representing the direction of the single bond, which in this case is pointing away from the *other1* atom and hence representing the trans conformation. As a general rule, when

both slashes are of the same "sense", they represent a trans conformation and when they are different, they represent cis conformation.

The example that we saw above was written in a simple straightforward way. Whenever the molecule is encoded with branching and or ring breaks the user has to take into account that the molecule is basically turning at the branch point or ring break as the case may be. This complicates the cis-trans specification through the branch or ring break in such molecules. The complication is due to the change in progression of the atoms involved in the specification. This leads to two different interpretations of the isomer configuration, the apparent sense that we get from interpreting the conformation just from the sense of the slashes and the real (actual) sense that we interpret taking into account the direction of progression of the molecule. After considering all possible ways of writing a SMILES representation of a double bond we have two cases where the real sense is an inverse of the apparent sense.

There are two cases where the apparent conformation has to be inversed to get the actual conformation. The reason behind this reversal is the relative position of the other atom with anchor When regular respect to its atom they are not in the order (Other1/Anchor1=Anchor2\Other2) the sense of the slash (single bond) might have to be reversed to get the actual orientation. For example let us consider trans-2-butene now written with the relative position of anchor1 and other1 atoms reversed. The SMILES string would be "C(C)=C/C". When decoding the SMILES string to get the right conformation, the sense of the first slash has to be reversed before interpreting the conformation. This is because the position of other1 atom is after anchor1 atom, which when projected in 3D will show the other1 atom away from the other2 atom.

The rules for reversing the apparent sense of slashes are given below with examples illustrating the situations.

- When the *other1* atom and *anchor1* atom positions are reversed, the apparent sense should be reversed. For example trans-2-butene written as "C(\C)=C/C"
- 2) When there is a ring break between *anchor1* and *anchor2* atoms and the *other2* atom comes before the *anchor2* atom in the SMILES string, the apparent sense has to be reversed. For example trans-1-methyl-cyclooctene can be written as "C\C1CCCCCC/C=1"

For all cases other than the two described above, the real sense is the same as the apparent sense. The above rules have been tested on a large set of SMILES representations and can handle all possible ways of writing a cis-trans specification across a ring break except in the case of completely conjugated rings. The reason, as described above, is the conjugation which "locks down" the sense of the slashes in the string once one of the double bond in the conjugation is specified. This could pose a problem where the user might not be able to specify the correct isomer for the last double bond in the conjugated system. One way to resolve this deadlock is to prevent a ring-break from occurring across a double bond in the conjugated system and use two slashes to specify the isomer for both double bonds. These two slashes will be the leading and trailing slashes of the single bond. The example below will give a clearer picture of this idea.

Let us consider Cycloocta-1,3,5,7-tetraene's two isomers for encoding into SMILES. The first isomer is the one with two trans double bonds and the other is the all cis isomer.



Figure 4.4 The two isomers of cycloocta-1, 3, 5, 7-tetraene.

The SMILES strings for the two isomers are given under each picture. In the first molecule there are two trans and two cis isomers. The conformation of the second double bond and the fourth is specified through a ring break and since this is a fully conjugated system a leading and trailing slash is used to separate the specification of the two double bonds. The leading and trailing slashes are both associated with the ring break. For this system to work, the ring break should not be a double bond. When unique SMILES are generated for this kind of systems, the algorithm to generate them has to take this rule into account.

4.5 Influence of Cis-trans on Unique SMILES string generation

In the original algorithm for the generation of unique SMILES strings, neither cis-trans isomers nor tetrahedral chirality was taken into account when weighting the atoms in the molecule. After working with many molecules we decided that change in the weights of the atoms due to cis-trans or other structural specification was not the best way to generate unique SMILES. We feel that the molecules should be similarly ordered (similarly weighted) irrespective of their structural conformations, as this will help the user in identifying similar molecules.

But the question of generating unique SMILES with structural information still remains. To generate unique SMILES with structural information, a standard for the use of symbols has to be developed. In the case of cis-trans a standard encoding procedure would define selection rules to choose atoms to use in the definition of the isomer. It also defines a standard sense of the slash to be used when writing the very first conformation. We use two rules to determine the atoms participating in the isomer specification.

- If there is a choice for the selection of the *other atom* the higher weighted of the two should be selected as the *other atom*.
- 2) If possible cis-trans specification through ring breaks should be avoided

4.6 Summary

The rules for complete structural specification in SMILES string were not defined very well in the original SMILES specification. This has led to the development of various implementations of the SMILES parser, each with its own set of rules. In the case of specifying cis-trans information, interpretation rules have been modified to allow proper and consistent interpretation. The problem with conjugated rings has also been addressed and rules developed to properly specify conformation for all double bonds involved in the conjugated system. Ideas for the development of an algorithm to generate unique SMILES involving cis-trans and chirality were also stated. Hopefully this improvement to SMILES will bring about an increase in its adoption as a standard molecular representation method.

Chapter 5

Development of Tools for SPARC

5.1 Introduction

One of the goals of the SPARC group is to provide free access to the research community to perform calculations using SPARC. It is not feasible to distribute a SPARC calculator to every person who wants to use it. Hence, a client, acting as a bridge to the actual SPARC server was designed and built. SPARC clients were built for the Sun Solaris and Windows operating systems. These clients are distributed to researchers wanting to use SPARC. Because of the chore of maintaining client releases for different versions of operating systems and for unifying access to SPARC, a web client application for SPARC was developed. Communication to SAPRC servers was handled by a custom protocol riding over the TCP/IP communication protocol. A Windows COM object was designed as a bridge to interface the web application server and SPARC server. This COM object was written in Visual Basic. As new calculators are added to SPARC, the communication protocol has to be expanded to add support for these new applications. This new protocol has to then be implemented in the COM object. Figure 5.1 is a visual illustration of the integration of the SPARC web application.

5.2 SPARC Server Manager

The SPARC website is capable of handling multiple users at one time. Although SPARC server are "blocking" when doing a calculation (does not respond to other requests) a mechanism to handle multiple users at the same time was designed and implemented inside the web

application server. This method was not very portable and could not be expanded to provide this management capability to other web servers. A Server Manager was designed and implemented to handle the assignment of calculations to a free server and in a way "load balance" the calculation requests.



Figure 5.1 SPARC Web Application Integration Diagram

When designing the server manager, it was decided to make the system an "active". It is known as "active" because it probes its list of SPARC servers to determine the state of each
process and notifies the administrator in case of server failure. An authentication mechanism for access to the server manager was implemented based on the client addresses. The server was also responsible for furnishing login information for the clients. The server continuously maintains a list of all active connections to its servers and the clients who are using it. A special protocol was developed to communicate and negotiate a server request for all clients. A mechanism was also included to enquire about the status of the servers and to force an emergency rescan the status of all the SPARC servers.

5.2.1 Implementation

The server manager was designed to run as a Windows service so it can be started without user intervention. A Microsoft supplied ActiveX Control (NTSVC.OCX) was used to implement it as a service. All communication is done using TCP/IP protocol and the queries and replies are all in plain English.

The internal representation of the server information is handled by a custom data structure called "resource". When the service is started, the server and client information is read from an initialization file (.ini file) and an array of the "resource" data structure is filled. A submodule is then called with the list of resources to determine the status of the SPARC servers by performing a login operation. The result of the login operation is then stored back in the resource structure. When a client logs on to the server manager and requests a connection by asking for a "password", which is the protocol for requesting a server to perform calculations, the task is assigned to another submodule to perform. This looks at the list of resources and finds a free server, it then tests the connection by performing a test login operation using the correct username. If it is successful, it then sends the client the information for connecting to the free server and adds an entry in the resources structure that a server has been assigned to that

particular client. After the client is done using the services of the SPARC server, a call is made to the server manager and requests the release of the server resource that was assigned to it. The server manager then marks the SPARC server as a free resource.

The requests from clients are queued in a ring buffer until the worker process is ready to process them. The worker was designed to be a single threaded application to avoid race conditions when handling the resource data.

A complete listing of code for this program and its client code piece is listed in Appendix A.

5.2.2 Data Structures and Communication Protocol

Definition of resources structure:

Public Type resources Machine As String * 16 Status As Boolean Operational As Boolean Port As Integer User As String * 16 Client As String * 16 Tries As Integer Type As String start_time As String End Type

Client Communication Protocol:

• Request for status of all server:

Client sends "status"

Server sends back a formatted list of data in resource data structure

• Request for a free resource (SPARC Server)

Client first sends the type of SPARC server it needs ("new" or "old")

Client sends "password"

Server sends back "**password" and a comma delimited string with a unique connection id, IP address of the server, port number and user name

• Request for releasing a resource

Client sends "release," followed by a comma separated list of connection ids it wants released

5.2.3 Scope for Future Improvements

SPARC has always been of interest to pharmaceutical companies and other commercial ventures. These industries are very particular about privately maintaining their research information. Therefore, they do not want to use the SPARC Web Interface over the internet. Currently Pfizer is using the latest version of SPARC for calculating pKas, and would like to use it on their internal network to provide access to all Pfizer personnel. In these cases the SPARC server has to communicate with their web server. It is impossible for them to implement the whole SPARC communication protocol; the ideal situation would be to provide them an interface like the COM object which is currently used in SPARC web interface, implemented in a universal and platform independent language like Java. This would also require that the server manager be rewritten in Java.

In future versions, dynamically scalable SPARC servers will be very desirable. This would enable the server manager to dynamically spawn new SPARC servers on remote Unix machines based on the user load. Currently the SPARC sever resource is limited and is a fixed number and in the case of a heavy load it would be unable to handle it.

5.3 Multiple Remote Training Utility

SPARC's mechanistic toolbox models are based on parameters that define the properties of reaction groups, substituents and reactophores. These parameters are calculated based on observed functions using a process known as *training*. In *training* these parameters are fitted using a least-squares method to fit the observed data. The training sets are designed to optimize a batch of parameters using molecules that are affected by these parameters. The number of calculation increase proportionally to the product of the number of parameters and the number of molecules in a training set. In training large sets of parameters, the number of calculations is very large and in order to speed up the training a split training process was designed. In this split training process the training set is divided into smaller sets with a part of the parameters and all of the molecules. The smaller training sets are then sent to different machines and the co-variant matrices are calculated at the same time, this reduces training time. The training data, i.e. the results of the training, are then combined and a least squares fit is done.

The multiple split training was first done manually and was a tedious process. Hence it was decided to automate it. Based on a previous program that split the training files we, set out to write a fully automated version. The design goal was to provide a fully Windows based tool to perform fully automated split training. Since the SPARC servers are based on a Unix machine a program was written that would in collaboration with the Windows client will perform the necessary operations on the Unix side.

The information about the servers that are part of this training cluster is stored in a .ini file. This file also contains all the user information the program need to login and perform file transfers. Other information about the current training is collected from the user. This information contains the type of training to be performed, i.e. pKa, property, hydrolysis, Heats of Formation training, the multipliers, if any, used to scale training data, and other options which switch on/off particular pieces of code. The SPARC training module has mechanisms to store training data and output into separate directories in the user area for each training cycle. This enables users to train multiple passes without intervention and later look at the change in each parameter for each cycle. The multiple training client was also designed to take advantage of this functionality. After each pass the system combines the data from all servers in the cluster and after performing the least-squares fit stores the data in a subfolder on each machine in the cluster. In doing so, the system can perform another training cycle based on the parameters optimized in the first cycle.

The next phase of development in a remote training utility is to design an interface to store all the trainable parameters in chronological order in a MySQL Database. This would let the SPARC developers to go back and take a look at the parameters as a function of time. A side effect of this database based storage of parameter is a chance to use this data to write analysis tools to look at the behavior of parameters, etc. Developers could also write parameter constraints so when a parameter exceeds set boundaries, the system can monitor this and notify the developers.

5.4 Conclusion

Multiple tools and miscellaneous code snippets were written to enhance research methods and provide access to the SPARC severs. A new version of a standalone pKa client is being developed for industries interested in using SPARC to calculate the properties for chemicals used in their research. A new Java version of the client will soon be developed to facilitate the client to be platform independent.

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Appendix A

Code Listing for SPARC Server Manager

" File SSM.vbp Type=Exe Reference=*\G{00020430-0000-0000-C000-00000000046}#2.0#0#C:\WINNT\System32\Stdole2.tlb#OLE Automation Object={33335123-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0; IPDAEM35.Ocx Object={33335113-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0; IPPORT35.Ocx Object={33335233-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0; SMTP35.Ocx Object={E7BC34A0-BA86-11CF-84B1-CBC2DA68BF6C}#1.0#0; ntsvc.ocx Form=Main frm.frm Module=INISET; Iniset.bas Module=Worker; Worker.bas IconForm="Main frm" Startup="Main frm" HelpFile="" Title="Server Manager" ExeName32="SSM.exe" Command32="-debug" Name="SSM" HelpContextID="0" CompatibleMode="0" CompatibleEXE32="SSM.dll" MajorVer=3 MinorVer=0 RevisionVer=16 AutoIncrementVer=1 ServerSupportFiles=0 VersionCompanyName="UGA" CompilationType=0 OptimizationType=2 FavorPentiumPro(tm)=0 CodeViewDebugInfo=0 NoAliasing=0 BoundsCheck=0 OverflowCheck=0 FlPointCheck=0 FDIVCheck=0 UnroundedFP=0 StartMode=0 Unattended=0 Retained=0

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ThreadPerObject=0
MaxNumberOfThreads=1
[MS Transaction Server]
AutoRefresh=1
"File main frm.frm
VERSION 5.00
Object = "{33335123-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0"; "IPDAEM35.Ocx"
Object = "{33335113-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0"; "IPPORT35.Ocx"
Object = "{33335233-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0"; "SMTP35.Ocx"
Object = "{E7BC34A0-BA86-11CF-84B1-CBC2DA68BF6C}#1.0#0"; "ntsvc.ocx"
Begin VB.Form Main frm
            = "Server Manager"
 Caption
 ClientHeight = 4050
            = 3465
 ClientLeft
 ClientTop
             = 3765
 ClientWidth = 6225
 LinkTopic
             = "Form1"
 ScaleHeight = 4050
 ScaleWidth
             = 6225
 Begin VB.Timer res timer
              = 0 'False
   Enabled
   Interval
             = 60000
  Left
            = 3480
            = 2880
   Top
 End
 Begin VB.Timer Timer
   Enabled
             = 0 'False
  Left
            = 2520
   Top
            = 1800
 End
 Begin NTService.NTService NTService1
   Left
            = 840
   Тор
             = 600
   Version
              = 65536
   _ExtentX
              = 741
               = 741
   ExtentY
    StockProps = 0
   DisplayName = "Sparc Server Manager"
   ServiceName = "SparcSSM"
   StartMode
               = 3
 End
 Begin VB.Timer rescan timer
              = 0 'False
   Enabled
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Left = 1320Тор = 3000End Begin VB.Timer Timer1 Left = 5400 Тор = 1320 End Begin SMTPLib.SMTP SMTP1 Left = 2520 Тор = 3120ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 MailServer ,,,,, = = "" From = "" То Cc = BCc = ReplyTo = Date = ** ** Subject = = "" MessageText End Begin IPPortLib.IPPort IPPort1 Left = 5400 Тор = 1920ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 = "" RemoteHost Linger = -1 'True = "" EOL End Begin IPDaemonLib.IPDaemon IPDaemon1 Left = 5400 Top = 600 _ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 Linger = -1 'True End End Attribute VB_Name = "Main_frm" Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False Attribute VB Creatable = False Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True Attribute VB Exposed = False

Private Sub Form_Load()

On Error GoTo Err Load Me.Hide Dim a\$ a\$ = App.Path & "\server.log" Open a\$ For Append As #1 Print #1. Date\$ 'Close #1 Dim strDisplayName As String Dim bStarted As Boolean strDisplayName = NTService1.DisplayName If Command = "-install" Then ' enable interaction with desktop NTService1.Interactive = False If NTService1.Install Then Call NTService1.SaveSetting("Parameters", "TimerInterval", "150") MsgBox strDisplayName & " installed successfully" Else MsgBox strDisplayName & " failed to install" End If End ElseIf Command = "-uninstall" Then If NTService1.Uninstall Then MsgBox strDisplayName & " uninstalled successfully" Else MsgBox strDisplayName & " failed to uninstall" End If End ElseIf Command = "-debug" Then NTService1.Debug = True ElseIf Command <> "" Then MsgBox "Invalid command option" End End If Dim parmInterval As String parmInterval = NTService1.GetSetting("Parameters", "TimerInterval", "150") Timer.Interval = CInt(parmInterval) ' enable Pause/Continue. Must be set before StartService ' is called or in design mode

NTService1.ControlsAccepted = svcCtrlPauseContinue

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' connect service to Windows NT services controller
  NTService1 StartService
  Exit Sub
Err Load:
  If NTService1.Interactive Then
    MsgBox "[" & Err.Number & "] " & Err.Description
    End
  Else
    Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "[" & Err.Number & "] " &
Err.Description)
  End If
End Sub
Private Sub IPDaemon1 Connected(ConnectionID As Integer, StatusCode As Integer,
Description As String)
'Accept / Reject connection from clients based on valid IP address
  a$ = IPDaemon1.RemoteHost(ConnectionID)
  For i = 1 To numClients
    If Trim(Clients(i)) = Trim(a$) Then
       IPDaemon1.EOL(ConnectionID) = Chr$(10)
       Exit Sub
    End If
  Next i
  IPDaemon1.Connected(ConnectionID) = False
End Sub
Private Sub IPDaemon1 DataIn(ConnectionID As Integer, Text As String, EOL As Integer)
On Error GoTo err data in
If InStr(Trim(Text), "release") Then 'This is a request for release of resources
  j = InStr(Trim(Text), ",")
                              'Filter all resource index and put it in Value$
  Value = Mid$(Trim(Text), j + 1)
  Text = "release"
End If
Select Case Trim(Text)
  Case "status" 'Client is asking for status of resources
    ActionO(ActionPointer) = "status!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID))
    IncActionPointer
  Case "emergency reset" 'Client is asking for a reset of resources
    ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "emergency reset!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID))
    IncActionPointer
  Case "rescan" 'Client has requested for a rescan of all resource and validation
    ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "rescan!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID))
    IncActionPointer
  Case "old" 'Client has requested for a old server
    ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "old!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID))
    IncActionPointer
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Case "new" 'Client has requested for a new server
    ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "new!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID))
    IncActionPointer
  Case "password" 'Client has requested for a valid resource
    ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "password!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID))
    IncActionPointer
  Case "release" 'Client has requested a release of the resource it had used
    ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "release!" & Trim(Str(ConnectionID)) & "!" & Value$
    IncActionPointer
  Case "logoff" 'Client is disconnecting
    IPDaemon1.Connected(ConnectionID) = False
  Case Else
    a$ = "Unknown request from client: " & Trim(Text)
    'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, a$)
    logMsg (a$)
End Select
Exit Sub
err data in:
    a$ = "General Failure in Data in " & Err.Number & " " & Err.Description
    'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, a$)
    logMsg (a$)
End Sub
```

Private Sub IPDaemon1_Disconnected(ConnectionID As Integer, StatusCode As Integer, Description As String)

'Dim x As Long

- 'Client pulled the plug
- ' Timer1.Enabled = False
- ' a\$ = Str\$(ConnectionID)
- ' For i% = 0 To ConnectionList.ListCount 1
- ' If ConnectionList.List(i%) = a\$ Then
- ConnectionList.RemoveItem i%
- ' Exit For
- ' End If
- ' Next
- ' DoEvents
- ' DoEvents
- ' If ConnectionList.ListCount < 1 Then
- ' Debug.Print "Disconnect from ipdaemon"
- ' x = Disconnect
- ' End If
- ' Timer1.Enabled = True

End Sub

Private Sub IPPort1_Connected(StatusCode As Integer, Description As String)

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If StatusCode = 0 Then
 'made a connection
 'testlogin and completed login Flags are set in ReadyToSend event
 Else
 'connection failed
  testLogin = False
  completedLogin = False
  a$ = "Login from ipport1 failed"
  'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, a$)
 End If
End Sub
Private Sub IPPort1 DataIn(Text As String, EOL As Integer)
  Static in proc$, c$, flag%
'This piece of code filters the header for the lines sent and
'sends it as a seperate variable to a sub calles parse sock
'it also sets lags for the line number that it is reading.
  If EOL = False Then
    c = c + Text
    flag\% = True
    Exit Sub
  End If
  If EOL And flag% Then
     a = c + Text
    c$ = ""
     flag\% = False
  Else
     a = Text
  End If
'Debug.Print a$
  ' for nt
  If a > "" Then
  If Asc(Right(a, 1)) = 13 Then
   a = Mid$(a$, 1, Len(a$) - 1)
  End If
  End If
  'check this out for traps
  'If Left$(a$, 2) = "**" Then
  ' If Mid(a, 3, 2) \Leftrightarrow "SS" And Mid(a, 3, 2) \Leftrightarrow "tw" And in sock read Then
  ' in sock read = 0
  ' read level = 0
  'End If
  'End If
```

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' Debug.Print A$
  safe$ = in proc$
  If in sock read Then
    Call parse sock(safe$, a$)
  Else
    in proc$ = LTrim$(RTrim$(a$))
    in sock read = True
    read level = 0
  End If
End Sub
Private Sub IPPort1 Disconnected(StatusCode As Integer, Description As String)
'socket disconnected by choice or error
'Text1.Text = "Not Connected to Server but" & vbCrLf &
        "Status will still work!"
 not first time = False
 HostConnected = False
' Set cSysTray1.TrayIcon = Image1(2).Picture
End Sub
Private Sub IPPort1 ReadyToSend()
 'first time connect and process a request
 If Not testLogin Then
  Exit Sub
 Else
  testLogin = False 'set flag to break out of loop
  completedLogin = True 'set flag that says that the connect was successfull
 End If
End Sub
```

Private Sub NTService1_Continue(Success As Boolean) On Error GoTo Err_Continue

Timer.Enabled = True Success = True Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, "Service continued") Exit Sub

Err_Continue:

Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "[" & Err.Number & "] " & Err.Description)

End Sub

Private Sub NTService1_Pause(Success As Boolean) On Error GoTo Err_Pause

Timer.Enabled = False Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventError, svcMessageError, "Service paused") Success = True Exit Sub

Err_Pause:

Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "[" & Err.Number & "] " & Err.Description)

End Sub

Private Sub NTService1_Start(Success As Boolean) On Error GoTo Err_Start Call getReady Timer.Enabled = True Success = True res_timer.Enabled = True Exit Sub

Err_Start:

Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "[" & Err.Number & "] " & Err.Description)

End Sub

Private Sub NTService1_Stop() On Error GoTo Err_Stop Close #1 Unload Me

Err_Stop:

Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "[" & Err.Number & "] " & Err.Description)

End Sub

Private Sub res_timer_Timer() For i = 0 To Total_Resource

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If Res(i).Operational And Res(i).Status And (Trim(Res(i).start time) <> "") Then
       If (DateDiff("s", Trim(Res(i).start_time), Now) > 600) Then
         'Debug.Print DateDiff("s", Res(i).start time, Now)
         Res(i).Client = ""
         Res(i).Status = False
         Res(i).Operational = False
         Res(i).start time = ""
         Res(i). Tries = Res(i). Tries + 1
         'ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "verify!" & Trim(Str(i))
         'IncActionPointer
       End If
    End If
  Next i
End Sub
Private Sub rescan timer Timer()
Dim i As Integer
  For i = 0 To Total Resource
    If Not Res(i).Operational Then
       ActionQ(ActionPointer) = "verify!" & Trim(Str(i))
       IncActionPointer
    End If
  Next i
End Sub
Private Sub SMTP1 EndTransfer()
'SMTP1.Action = 2
End Sub
Private Sub Timer Timer()
Dim MyArray() As String
Dim i As Integer
Dim err msg As String
  Timer.Enabled = False
  On Error GoTo timer error
  If CurrentPointer <> ActionPointer Then
    i = ParseString(ActionQ(CurrentPointer), "!", MyArray)
    Select Case MyArray(1)
       Case "status"
         'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, "status")
         err msg = "status"
         Call ProcessStatus(Val(MyArray(2)))
       Case "rescan"
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'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, "rescan")
         err msg = "rescan"
         Call setup
         Call ProcessStatus(Val(MyArray(2)))
       Case "emergency reset"
         For i = 0 To Total Resource
           Res(i).Status = False
           Res(i).Client = ""
         Next
         err msg = "emergency reset"
                       NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation,
                                                                           svcMessageInfo,
         'Call
"emergency reset")
         Call setup
         Call ProcessStatus(Val(MyArray(2)))
       Case "password"
         err msg = "password"
         'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, "password")
         Call get password(Val(MyArray(2)))
       Case "old"
         err msg = "set type"
         Call set type("old", Val(MyArray(2)))
       Case "new"
         err msg = "set type"
         Call set type("new", Val(MyArray(2)))
       Case "release"
         err msg = "release"
         'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, "release")
         Call ReleaseRes(MyArray(3))
       Case "verify"
         err msg = "verify"
         'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcEventInformation, svcMessageInfo, "verify")
         Call Verify(Val(MvArrav(2)))
       'Case "releaseall"
      ' Call ReleaseAll(Val)
    End Select
    'Debug.Print MyArray(1)
    IncCurrentPointer
  End If
Timer.Enabled = True
Exit Sub
timer error:
  err msg = err msg & ": Timer Error " & Err.Number & " " & Err.Description
  'Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, err msg)
  logMsg (err msg)
  'Debug.Print "General Timer Error"
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Timer. Enabled = True
End Sub
Private Sub Timer1 Timer()
  Timer1.Enabled = False
  completedLogin = False
  testLogin = False
End Sub
" File Worker.bas
Attribute VB Name = "Worker"
Public Sub getReady()
  'load the port number to listen to from the monitor.ini file
  in sock read = False
  read level = 0
  Busy = False
  MustStop = False
  ActionPoiner = 0
  CurrentPointer = 0
  a$ = App.Path & "\monitor.ini"
  priviniregister "machine", a$
  B$ = "not found ini"
  LPort$ = PrivGetString("port", B$) 'Get port number to listen on
  'see if ini file exists
  If LPort = B$ Then
   If Main frm.NTService1.Interactive Then
    MsgBox "The file monitor.ini was not found.", vbOKOnly + vbCritical + vbDefaultButton1
+_
     vbApplicationModal, "No monitor.ini"
    Main frm.NTService1.StopService
    Exit Sub
   Else
     Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "Monitor.ini not found")
    Main frm.NTService1.StopService
    Exit Sub
   End If
  End If
  priviniregister "general", a$
  numClients = PrivGetString("numclients", B$) 'Get # clients
  numServers = PrivGetString("numservers", B$) 'Get # servers
  numPorts = PrivGetString("numports", B$) 'Get # ports
  numUsers = PrivGetString("numusers", B$) 'Get # users
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priviniregister "mail", a$
  MailServer = PrivGetString("server", B$) 'Get # mail Server
  MailTo = PrivGetString("mailto", B$) 'Get # mail to address
Main frm.SMTP1.WinsockLoaded = True
Main frm.SMTP1.MailServer = MailServer
Main frm.SMTP1.To = MailTo
Main frm.SMTP1.From = MailTo
Main_frm.SMTP1.Subject = "Server Failure notice"
  priviniregister "clients", a$
  For i = 1 To numClients
       Clients(i) = PrivGetString(Trim(Str(i)), B$) 'Get valid clients
  Next i
  Main frm.Timer1.Enabled = False
  1 = -1
  'Loop and fill resource array
  For i = 1 To numUsers
    priviniregister "usernames", a$
     uname = PrivGetString(Trim(Str(i)), B$)
     For j = 1 To numPorts
       priviniregister "ports", a$
       Port = PrivGetString(Trim(Str(j)), B$)
       For k = 1 To numServers
         priviniregister "servers", a$
         server = PrivGetString(Trim(Str(k)), B$)
         priviniregister "server type", a$
         server typ = PrivGetString(Trim(Str(k)), B$)
         1 = 1 + 1
         Res(1).Machine = server
         Res(1).Status = False
         Res(1).Operational = False
         Res(1).Port = Port
         Res(1).User = uname
         Res(1).Client = ""
         Res(1). Tries = 0
         Res(1). Type = server typ
       Next k
    Next j
  Next i
  Total Resource = 1
  HostConnected = False
  'Call setup subroutine to validate all servers
  Call setup
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Main_frm.rescan_timer.Interval = 30000 ""RESET TIMER INTEREVAL TO 60000 Main_frm.rescan_timer.Enabled = True B\$ = ""

On Error GoTo no_connect 'start the monitor listening to the selected port Main_frm.IPDaemon1.WinsockLoaded = True Main_frm.IPDaemon1.KeepAlive = True Main_frm.IPDaemon1.Linger = True Main_frm.IPDaemon1.LocalPort = Val(LPort\$) Main_frm.IPDaemon1.Listening = True 'Timer1.Interval = 2000 'Timer1.Enabled = True Exit Sub

no_connect:

```
If Main_frm.NTService1.Interactive Then

MsgBox "Error establishing a port to listen." + Chr$(10) + _

"Cannot connect to port " & LPort$, vbOKOnly + vbCritical + _

vbDefaultButton1 + vbApplicationModal, "Fatal Connection Error"

Main_frm.NTService1.StopService

Exit Sub

Else

Call NTService1.LogEvent(svcMessageError, svcEventError, "Fatal Connection Error")

Main_frm.NTService1.StopService

Exit Sub

End If

End Sub

Public Sub Verify(i As Integer)
```

```
'Subroutine to validate all resources
testLogin = True 'Connect wait loop breakup flag
completedLogin = False 'Success Flag
'wait until the connection is achieved
'(timeout in 10 seconds)
'If Res(i).Tries > 3 Then
' Exit Sub
'End If
'Main_frm.rescan_timer.Enabled = False
'Debug.Print "Doing Verification"
Main_frm.Timer1.Interval = 2500 'Time out interval
testLogin = True
Main_frm.IPPort1.WinsockLoaded = True
```

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Main frm.IPPort1.EOL = Chr(10)
  Main frm.IPPort1.RemotePort = Res(i).Port
  Main frm.IPPort1.RemoteHost = Res(i).Machine
  ' IPPort1.RemoteHost = "127.0.0.1"
  Main frm.IPPort1.Linger = True
  Main frm.IPPort1.KeepAlive = True
  Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = True
  Main frm.Timer1.Enabled = True
  Do While testLogin 'Wait for connect or time out
    DoEvents
  Loop
  If completedLogin Then 'If successfull connect
   completedLogin = False
   Res(i).Operational = Login(i) 'Check for login success
  Else
   Res(i).Operational = False
  End If
  Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = False 'disconnect
  Do While Main frm.IPPort1.Connected
   DoEvents
  Loop
  If Res(i).Operational Then
    Res(i).Operational = True
    Res(i). Tries = 0
  Else
    Res(i). Tries = Res(i). Tries + 1
    If Res(i). Tries = 4 Then
       MailMe i
    End If
    If Res(i). Tries > 32000 Then
       Res(i). Tries = 1
    End If
  End If
'Main frm.rescan timer.Enabled = True
End Sub
Public Sub IncActionPointer()
'Increment Action pointer (Filling pointer) Taken care to reset back to 0 if it reaches
'255
ActionPointer = ActionPointer + 1
If ActionPointer = 256 Then
  ActionPointer = 0
End If
End Sub
```

Public Sub IncCurrentPointer() 'Increment current pointer (processor reading pointer) Taken care to reset back to '0 if it reaches 255 CurrentPointer = CurrentPointer + 1If CurrentPointer = 256 Then CurrentPointer = 0End If End Sub 'ParseString 'ParseString will take a string and divide it into sections using a 'delimiter you specify. The sections will be returned in an array you 'provide. ParseString will also return the number of sections within the 'string. 'Pass it the string you want to parse, the delimiter separating the 'sections, and a string array in which the string sections will be 'returned. Public Function ParseString(strSource As String, strDelim As String, strArray() As String) Dim intElementCnt As Integer Dim intCurPos As Integer Dim intStrLen As Integer intElementCnt = 1intCurPos = 1intStrLen = Len(strSource) Do ReDim Preserve strArray(1 To intElementCnt) intStrLen = (InStr(intCurPos, strSource, strDelim) - intCurPos) If intStrLen < 0 Then strArray(intElementCnt) = Right\$(strSource, (Len(strSource) - (intCurPos - 1))) Else strArray(intElementCnt) = Mid\$(strSource, intCurPos, intStrLen) intCurPos = intCurPos + (Len(strArray(intElementCnt)) + Len(strDelim)) intElementCnt = intElementCnt + 1End If Loop Until intStrLen < 0 ParseString = UBound(strArray) End Function Public Sub ProcessStatus(ConnectionID As Integer) 'Sends back the status of resources to the client specified by the connection ID Dim a\$ send2Client "**status", ConnectionID 'a\$ = "ID" & vbTab & "Machine Status Operational Port User Client Tries" 'send2Client a\$. ConnectionId

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For i = 0 To Total Resource
  a$ = Trim(Str(i + 1)) & "," & Trim(Res(i).Machine) & "," & Trim(Res(i).Status) & "," &
  Trim(Res(i).Operational) & "," & Trim(Res(i).Port) & "," & Trim(Res(i).User) & "," &
  Trim(Res(i).Client) & "," & Trim(Res(i).Tries)
  send2Client a$, ConnectionID
Next i
send2Client "@@done", ConnectionID
End Sub
Public Sub logMsg(Msg As String)
  Print #1, Msg & vbCrLf
End Sub
Public Sub set type(typ As String, ConnectionID As Integer)
Server Type(ConnectionID) = Trim(typ)
End Sub
Public Sub get password(ConnectionID As Integer)
'Look for the next avaliable free resource and send it to the client ID'd by Connection ID
'But got to test for the validity of the resource b4 sending it.
'Then mark the resource ststus as used
'IF no more resource is free it sends "**error"
Dim i As Integer
  For i = 0 To Total Resource
    If Server Type(ConnectionID) = "old" Then
       If Res(i).Operational And Not Res(i).Status And Res(i).Type = "old" Then
          Main frm.Timer1.Interval = 10000
          testLogin = True
          Main frm.IPPort1.WinsockLoaded = True
          Main frm.IPPort1.EOL = Chr(10)
          Main frm.IPPort1.RemotePort = Res(i).Port
          Main frm.IPPort1.RemoteHost = Res(i).Machine
         'IPPort1.RemoteHost = "127.0.0.1"
          Main frm.IPPort1.Linger = True
          Main frm.IPPort1.KeepAlive = True
          Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = True
          Main frm.Timer1.Enabled = True
          Do While testLogin
           DoEvents
          Loop
          If completedLogin Then
           completedLogin = False
           If Login(i) Then
              Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = False
              Do While Main frm.IPPort1.Connected
                DoEvents
              Loop
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&""&	a\$ = Trim(Str\$(i)) & "," & Trim(Res(i).Machine) & "," & Trim(Str\$(Res(i).Port))
α,α_	Trim(Res(i) User)
	send2Client "**nassword" ConnectionID
	send2Client a\$ ConnectionID
	Res(i) Status = True
	Res(i).Client = Main frm.IPDaemon1.RemoteHost(ConnectionID)
	Res(i).start time = Now
	Exit Sub
E	llse
	Res(i).Operational = False
	$\operatorname{Res}(i)$. Tries = 1
E	End If
Else	
R	Res(i).Operational = False
R	Res(i). Tries = 1
End	l If
Mai	in_frm.IPPort1.Connected = False
Do	While Main_frm.IPPort1.Connected
Ľ	DoEvents
Loo	pp
End If	
Else	
If Res	(i).Operational And Not Res(i).Status And Res(i).Type = "new" Then
Mai	in_frm.Timer1.Interval = 10000
test	tLogin = True
Ma	in_frm.IPPort1.WinsockLoaded = True
Ma	$\lim_{n \to \infty} \operatorname{frm}.\operatorname{IPPortI}.\operatorname{EOL} = \operatorname{Chr}(10)$
Ma	$\lim_{t \to \infty} \operatorname{trm.IPPortI.RemotePort} = \operatorname{Res}(1).\operatorname{Port}$
Ma	$\lim_{t \to \infty} \operatorname{trm.IPPortI.RemoteHost} = \operatorname{Res}(1).$ Machine
	Port1.KemoteHost = $12/.0.01$
Ma	in_irm.iPPort1.Linger = Irue
Ma	in_irm.iPPort1.KeepAlive - True
Ma	in_frm Timer1 Enabled = True
Do	While testLogin
00 ת	o Events
D Lo	
	op completedLogin Then
	ompletedLogin = False
Ut It	f Login(i) Then
1	Main frm IPPort1 Connected = False
	Do While Main frm IPPort1 Connected
	DoEvents
	Loop
	1

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a$ = Trim(Str$(i)) & "," & Trim(Res(i).Machine) & "," & Trim(Str$(Res(i).Port))
& "," & _
              Trim(Res(i).User)
              send2Client "**password", ConnectionID
              send2Client a$, ConnectionID
              Res(i).Status = True
              Res(i).Client = Main frm.IPDaemon1.RemoteHost(ConnectionID)
              Res(i).start time = Now
              Exit Sub
           Else
              Res(i).Operational = False
              Res(i). Tries = 1
           End If
         Else
            Res(i).Operational = False
           Res(i). Tries = 1
         End If
         Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = False
         Do While Main frm.IPPort1.Connected
           DoEvents
         Loop
       End If
    End If
  Next i
a$ = "**error"
send2Client "**password", ConnectionID
send2Client a$, ConnectionID
End Sub
Public Sub ReleaseRes(a$)
'releases resources identified by the comma seperated string varaible
Dim MyArray() As String
i = ParseString(a$, ",", MyArray())
For j = 1 To i
  If Val(MyArray(j)) > -1 Then
    Res(Val(MyArray(j))).Status = False
    Res(Val(MyArray(j))).Client = ""
    Res(Val(MyArray(j))).start time = ""
  End If
Next j
End Sub
Public Sub setup()
'Subroutine to validate all resources
testLogin = True 'Connect wait loop breakup flag
completedLogin = False 'Success Flag
Dim i As Integer
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For i = 0 To Total_Resource 'wait until the connection is achieved '(timeout in 10 seconds)

Main_frm.Timer1.Interval = 10000 'Time out interval

testLogin = True Main frm.IPPort1.WinsockLoaded = True Main frm.IPPort1.EOL = Chr(10)Main frm.IPPort1.RemotePort = Res(i).Port Main frm.IPPort1.RemoteHost = Res(i).Machine 'IPPort1.RemoteHost = "127.0.0.1" Main frm.IPPort1.Linger = True Main frm.IPPort1.KeepAlive = True Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = True Main frm.Timer1.Enabled = True 'Start Connection time out timer Do While testLogin 'Wait for connect or time out **DoEvents** Loop If completedLogin Then 'If successfull connect completedLogin = False Res(i).Operational = Login(i) 'Check for login success Else Res(i).Operational = FalseEnd If Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = False 'disconnect Do While Main frm.IPPort1.Connected **DoEvents**

Loop Next i

End Sub

Public Function Login(i As Integer) As Boolean 'tests resource i (res(i)) with a valid user id. And returns a boolean for success / Failure completedLogin = False testLogin = True 'request to log on to server Call send2wsk("logon.") a\$ = Trim(Res(i).User) + "." Call send2wsk(a\$) Main_frm.Timer1.Interval = 10000 Main_frm.Timer1.Enabled = True Do While testLogin DoEvents Loop

Login = completedLogin **End Function** Public Sub send2wsk(a\$) 'send a line to socket On Error GoTo snd error a = a + Main frm.IPPort1.EOL Main frm.IPPort1.DataToSend = a\$ Exit Sub snd error: If Err = 25036 Then 'would block BytesSent = Main frm.IPPort1.BytesSent If BytesSent > 0 Then 'was any sent? a = Mid(a, BytesSent + 1) 'send rest End If **DoEvents** 'wait a little while - important! 'go back and try again! Resume 'handle other errors here (this has not been tested) Else Main frm.IPPort1.Connected = False On Error GoTo 0 Exit Sub End If End Sub Public Sub send2Client(a\$, ConnectionID As Integer) 'send a line to socket On Error GoTo snd error a = a + Main frm.IPDaemon1.EOL(ConnectionID) Main frm.IPDaemon1.DataToSend(ConnectionID) = a\$ Exit Sub snd error: If Err = 25036 Then 'would block BytesSent = Main frm.IPDaemon1.BytesSent(ConnectionID) If BytesSent > 0 Then 'was any sent? a = Mid(a, BytesSent + 1) 'send rest End If DoEvents 'wait a little while - important! Resume 'go back and try again! 'handle other errors here (this has not been tested) Else Main frm.IPDaemon1.Connected(ConnectionID) = False On Error GoTo 0 Exit Sub End If End Sub Public Sub parse sock(a\$, Msg\$) 'here we just started to receive a

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'message from the host The first line
  'is always **FUNCTION
  Static B$, nowlen%
  'Debug.Print a$ & " " & Msg$
  Select Case a$
    'logon to host request
    Case "**logon"
    'get hosts response
    in sock read = False
    'check hosts response
    If Msg$ = "true" Then
      completedLogin = True
       testLogin = False
    Else
       completedLogin = False
       testLogin = False
    End If
    read level = 0
    in sock read = False
    Case "**getoff"
    'get hosts response
    in sock read = False
    'check hosts response
    completedLogin = False
    testLogin = False
    read level = 0
    in sock read = False
  End Select
End Sub
Sub MailMe(i As Integer)
  a$ = Res(i).Machine & "," & Res(i).Port & "," & Res(i).User & vbCrLf
  Main frm.SMTP1.MessageText = a$
  Main frm.SMTP1.Action = 3
End Sub
" File iniset.bas
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Attribute VB_Name = "INISET" Global Total Resource As Integer 'Total number of resources

Public Type resources 'type structure used for storing resource information Machine As String * 16 Status As Boolean **Operational As Boolean** Port As Integer User As String * 16 Client As String * 16 Tries As Integer Type As String start time As String End Type Global Clients(10) As String 'Holding valid client names read from ini file Global Res(25) As resources 'Resource array Global numClients As Integer ' Total # clients Global numServers As Integer ' Total # servers Global numPorts As Integer 'Total # ports Global numUsers As Integer 'Total # users Global testLogin As Boolean 'Flag for breaking out of waiting loop for connecting Global completedLogin As Boolean ' Flag indicating that a succesfull login was done Global in sock read As Boolean 'Falg for indicating that a sock read in in progress Global read level As Integer 'Variable for holding the line # for the lines read from sock read Global Busy As Boolean 'Resource array locking variable Global ActionQ(256) As String Global ActionPointer As Integer Global CurrentPointer As Integer Global MailServer As String Global MailTo As String Global MustStop As Boolean Global Server Type(256) As String '** Windows API calls '(NOTE: Profile calls *altered* from those found in WIN30API.TXT!) Declare Function kpGetPrivateProfileString Lib "kernel32" Alias "GetPrivateProfileStringA" (ByVal lpApplicationName As String, ByVal lpKeyName As Any, ByVal lpDefault As String, ByVal lpReturnedString As String, ByVal nSize As Long, ByVal lpFileName As String) As Long kpWritePrivateProfileString Declare "kernel32" Alias Function Lib "WritePrivateProfileStringA" (ByVal lpApplicationName As String, ByVal lpKeyName As Any,

ByVal lpString As Any, ByVal lpFileName As String) As Long

Public Declare Sub Sleep Lib "kernel32" (ByVal dwMilliseconds As Long)

'** Module-level variables for [Section] and Ini file names

Dim smSectionName As String 'Current section in private Ini file

Dim smIniFileName As String 'Fully qualified path/name of current private Ini file

Dim nmPrivInit As Integer 'Flag to indicate that Private.Ini is initialized

'** Constants used to size buffers

Const Max_SectionBuffer = 4096 Const Max_EntryBuffer = 255

Public Sub privdeleteentry(sEntryName As String)

'Bail if not initialized If Not nmPrivInit Then PrivIniNotReg Exit Sub End If

'Deletes a specific entry in Private.Ini Dim nRetVal nRetVal = kpWritePrivateProfileString(smSectionName, sEntryName, 0&, smIniFileName)

End Sub

Public Sub PrivDeleteSection()

'Bail if not initialized If Not nmPrivInit Then PrivIniNotReg Exit Sub End If

'Deletes an *entire* [Section] and all its Entries in Private.Ini Dim nRetVal nRetVal = kpWritePrivateProfileString(smSectionName, 0&, 0&, smIniFileName)

'Now Private.Ini needs to be reinitialized smSectionName = "" nmPrivInit = False

End Sub

Public Function PrivGetSectEntries() As String

'Bail if not initialized If Not nmPrivInit Then PrivIniNotReg Exit Function End If

'Retrieves all Entries in a [Section] of Private.Ini 'Entries nul terminated; last entry double-terminated

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Dim sTemp As String * Max_SectionBuffer
Dim nRetVal
nRetVal = kpGetPrivateProfileString(smSectionName, 0&, "", sTemp, Len(sTemp),
smIniFileName)
PrivGetSectEntries$ = Left$(sTemp, nRetVal + 1)
```

End Function

Public Function PrivGetString(sEntryName As String, ByVal sDefaultValue As String) As String

'Bail if not initialized If Not nmPrivInit Then PrivIniNotReg Exit Function End If

```
'Retrieves Specific Entry from Private.Ini
Dim sTemp As String * Max_EntryBuffer
Dim nRetVal
nRetVal = kpGetPrivateProfileString(smSectionName, sEntryName, sDefaultValue, sTemp,
Len(sTemp), smIniFileName)
If nRetVal Then
PrivGetString = Left$(sTemp, nRetVal)
End If
```

End Function

```
Private Sub PrivIniNotReg()
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'Warn that there's a logic error! MsgBox "[Section] and FileName Not Registered in Private.Ini!", 16, "IniFile Logic Error"

End Sub

Public Sub priviniregister(sSectionName As String, sIniFileName As String)

```
'Store module-level values for future reference
smSectionName = Trim$(sSectionName)
smIniFileName = Trim$(sIniFileName)
nmPrivInit = True
```

End Sub

Public Function privputstring(sEntryName As String, ByVal sValue As String) As Integer

'Bail if not initialized If Not nmPrivInit Then **PrivIniNotReg Exit Function** End If Dim temp 'Write a string to Private.Ini temp = kpWritePrivateProfileString(smSectionName, sEntryName, sValue, smIniFileName) privputstring = temp End Function "Client code " File Client.vbp Type=Exe Form=Form1.frm Reference=*\G{00020430-0000-0000-C000-00000000046}#2.0#0#C:\WINNT\System32\stdole2.tlb#OLE Automation Object={33335113-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0; IPPORT35.Ocx IconForm="Form1" Startup="Form1" ExeName32="Client.exe" Command32="" Name="Client" HelpContextID="0" CompatibleMode="0" MajorVer=1 MinorVer=0 RevisionVer=0 AutoIncrementVer=0 ServerSupportFiles=0 VersionCompanyName="UGA" CompilationType=0 OptimizationType=0 FavorPentiumPro(tm)=0 CodeViewDebugInfo=0 NoAliasing=0 BoundsCheck=0 OverflowCheck=0 FlPointCheck=0 FDIVCheck=0 UnroundedFP=0 StartMode=0 Unattended=0 Retained=0 ThreadPerObject=0 MaxNumberOfThreads=1

```
[MS Transaction Server]
AutoRefresh=1
" File Form1.frm
VERSION 5.00
Object = "{33335113-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0"; "IPPORT35.Ocx"
Begin VB.Form Form1
            = "Client for Server Manager"
 Caption
 ClientHeight = 6600
 ClientLeft = 60
 ClientTop
           = 345
 ClientWidth = 7575
 Icon
          = "Form1.frx":0000
             = "Form1"
 LinkTopic
 ScaleHeight = 6600
             = 7575
 ScaleWidth
 StartUpPosition = 3 'Windows Default
 Begin VB.TextBox Text3
   Height
             = 375
   Left
            = 4680
   TabIndex = 13
            = "Text3"
   Text
   Тор
            = 5160
   Width
             = 2295
 End
 Begin VB.TextBox txtMinTime
   Height
            = 495
   Left
            = 4680
   TabIndex = 12
            = "100"
   Text
            = 5760
   Тор
   Width
             = 2295
 End
 Begin VB.Timer BangTimer
              = 0 'False
   Enabled
   Interval
             = 1500
   Left
            = 6000
            = 4200
   Тор
 End
 Begin VB.CommandButton cmdBang
             = "Ping Server Manager"
   Caption
             = 855
   Height
   Left
            = 5400
            = 11
   TabIndex
   Тор
            = 3240
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Width = 2055 End Begin VB.TextBox Text2 Height = 285 = 1440 Left = 9 TabIndex = "ibmlc5" Text Top = 6120 Width = 1935 End Begin VB.CheckBox Check1 Caption = "OLD" Height = 375 Left = 2040 TabIndex = 8 Тор = 5520 Width = 1815 End Begin VB.Timer Timer1 = 5040 Left = 4200 Тор End Begin VB.CommandButton cmdRelease = "Release" Caption Height = 495 Left = 1920 TabIndex = 6 Тор = 4800 Width = 2415 End Begin VB.CommandButton cmdLogOff = "LogOff" Caption Height = 855 Left = 360 TabIndex = 5 = 5040 Top Width = 1095 End Begin VB.CommandButton cmdPassword Caption = "Password" Height = 855 Left = 360 TabIndex = 4 Top = 4080Width = 1095 End

Begin VB.CommandButton Command3 = "Rescan" Caption Height = 495 Left = 1920 TabIndex = 3 Top = 4080 Width = 2415 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command2 Caption = "Login" Height = 855 Left = 360 TabIndex = 2 Тор = 3120Width = 1095 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 **BeginProperty Font** Name = "Courier New" = 9 Size Charset = 0Weight = 400 Underline = 0 'False Italic = 0 'False Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 2295 Left = 120 MultiLine = -1 'True TabIndex = 1 Top = 600 Width = 7335 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command1 Caption = "Status" Height = 495 = 1920Left TabIndex = 0 = 3240 Top Width = 2415 End Begin VB.Label Label2 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "Use Server:" Height = 195 Left = 480
= 10TabIndex Тор = 6120 Width = 840 End Begin VB.Label Label1 Caption = "Just started. Not logged on." Height = 495 Left = 360 TabIndex = 7 Тор = 0Width = 5175 End Begin IPPortLib.IPPort IPPort1 Left = 4680 Top = 3360ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 = "" RemoteHost Linger = -1 'True = "" EOL End End Attribute VB Name = "Form1" Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False Attribute VB Creatable = False Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True Attribute VB Exposed = False Dim in sock read As Boolean Dim read level As Integer Dim timer wait As Boolean Dim connections(25) As Integer Dim ConnectionNum As Integer 'Const RemoteMachine = "ibmlc5.chem.uga.edu" Dim im logged in As Boolean Dim gotPassword As Boolean Dim minTime As Integer

Private Sub BangTimer_Timer()

If Not gotPassword Then BangTimer.Enabled = False Call cmdPassword_Click gotPassword = True BangTimer.Enabled = True

Else BangTimer.Enabled = False Call resettimer Call cmdRelease Click gotPassword = FalseBangTimer.Enabled = True End If End Sub Sub resettimer() BangTimer.Interval = Int((3500 - minTime + 1) * Rnd + minTime) Text3.Text = Str(BangTimer.Interval) End Sub Private Sub cmdBang Click() BangTimer.Enabled = Not BangTimer.Enabled End Sub Private Sub cmdLogOff Click() Text1.Text = "" If im logged in Then Call send2wsk("logoff") End If IPPort1.Connected = False im logged in = False Beep End Sub Private Sub cmdPassword Click() Text1.Text = "" If im logged in Then If Check1.Value Then Call send2wsk("old") Else Call send2wsk("new") End If Call send2wsk("password") Else Beep MsgBox "You are not logged in." End If End Sub Private Sub cmdRelease Click() Dim i As Integer Text1.Text = "" If im logged in Then a\$ = "release,"

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If ConnectionNum < 1 Then
    Text1.Text = "No resources to release"
    Exit Sub
  End If
  For i = 1 To ConnectionNum
    a$ = a$ & Str$(connections(i))
    If i <> ConnectionNum Then
      a$ = a$ & ","
    End If
  Next i
  ConnectionNum = 0
  Call send2wsk(a$)
  Text1.Text = "Resources released"
Else
  Beep
  MsgBox "You are not logged in."
End If
```

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End Sub
```

```
Private Sub Command1_Click()
Text1.Text = ""
If im_logged_in Then
Call send2wsk("status")
Else
Beep
MsgBox "You are not logged in."
End If
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End Sub
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```
Private Sub Command2_Click()
Text1.Text = ""
'Login call
If im_logged_in Then
MsgBox "You are already logged in."
Exit Sub
End If
RemoteMachine = Trim(Text2.Text)
Timer1.Interval = 5000
Timer1.Enabled = True
timer_wait = True
IPPort1.WinsockLoaded = True
IPPort1.EOL = Chr(10)
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IPPort1.RemoteHost = RemoteMachine
  IPPort1.RemotePort = 1250
  IPPort1.Linger = True
  IPPort1.KeepAlive = True
  IPPort1.Connected = True
  Do While timer wait
    DoEvents
  Loop
  If IPPort1.Connected Then
    im logged in = True
    Label1.Caption = "Logged into Server Manager at " & RemoteMachine
  Else
    im logged in = False
    Label1.Caption = "Failed to log into Server Manager at " & RemoteMachine
  End If
  Beep
End Sub
Private Sub Command3 Click()
  Text1.Text = ""
  If im logged in Then
    Call send2wsk("rescan")
  Else
    Beep
    MsgBox "You are not logged in."
  End If
End Sub
Private Sub Form Load()
  im logged in = False
  gotPassword = False
  minTime = Val(txtMinTime.Text)
End Sub
Private Sub IPPort1 Connected(StatusCode As Integer, Description As String)
If StatusCode = 0 Then
  timer wait = False
End If
End Sub
Private Sub IPPort1 DataIn(Text As String, EOL As Integer)
 Static in proc$, c$, flag%
  If EOL = False Then
   c\$ = c\$ + Text
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flag% = True Exit Sub End If If EOL And flag% Then a\$ = c\$ + Textc\$ = "" flag% = False Else a = Text End If If a > "" Then If Asc(Right(a, 1)) = 13 Then a\$ = Mid\$(a\$, 1, Len(a\$) - 1)End If End If safe\$ = in proc\$ If in sock read Then Call parse sock(safe\$, a\$) Else in proc\$ = LTrim\$(RTrim\$(a\$)) in sock read = True read level = 0End If End Sub Sub send2wsk(a\$) 'send a line to socket On Error GoTo snd error a = a + IPPort1.EOL IPPort1.DataToSend = a\$ Exit Sub snd error: If Err = 25036 Then 'would block BytesSent = IPPort1.BytesSent If BytesSent > 0 Then 'was any sent? a = Mid(a, BytesSent + 1) 'send rest End If DoEvents 'wait a little while - important! Resume 'go back and try again! 'handle other errors here (this has not been tested) Else IPPort1.Connected = False

On Error GoTo 0 Exit Sub End If End Sub Sub parse sock(a\$, msg\$) 'here we just started to receive a 'message from the host The first line 'is always **FUNCTION Dim MyArray() As String Static B\$, nowlen% Select Case a\$ 'logon to host request Case "**status" 'get hosts response ۲ in sock read = False 'check hosts response ۲ Debug.Print Msg\$ If InStr(msg\$, "@@done") Then read level = 0in sock read = False Text1.Text = B\$ Exit Sub End If If read level = 0 Then B\$ = "ID " & "CalcServer " & "Used " & " Avail" & " Port " & "User " & "SrvManager " & " Try" '1 128.192.5.71 False True 1203 browser1 ResServer Try B = B & process msg(msg\$) read level = 1Else B = B & process msg(msg\$) End If 'request for password Case "**password" If UCase\$(msg\$) = "**ERROR" Then Text1.Text = "Error. Resources exhausted" read level = 0in sock read = False Else numL = ParseString(msg\$, ",", MyArray()) a\$ = "ConnectionID = " & MyArray(1) & vbCrLf a\$ = a\$ & "Resource = " & MyArray(2) & vbCrLf a\$ = a\$ & "Port = " & MyArray(3) & vbCrLf

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a$ = a$ & "User = " & MyArray(4)

Text1.Text = a$

ConnectionNum = ConnectionNum + 1

connections(ConnectionNum) = Val(MyArray(1))

read_level = 0

in_sock_read = False

End If

End Select
```

End Sub

```
Private Sub IPPort1_Disconnected(StatusCode As Integer, Description As String)
Label1.Caption = "Logged off from Server Manager " & RemoteMachine
End Sub
```

```
Private Sub Timer1_Timer()
timer_wait = False
End Sub
```

'ParseString

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'ParseString will take a string and divide it into sections using a
'delimiter you specify. The sections will be returned in an array you
'provide. ParseString will also return the number of sections within the
'string.
'Pass it the string you want to parse, the delimiter separating the
'sections, and a string array in which the string sections will be
'returned.
```

Function ParseString(strSource As String, strDelim As String, strArray() As String) Dim intElementCnt As Integer Dim intCurPos As Integer Dim intStrLen As Integer

intElementCnt = 1
intCurPos = 1
intStrLen = Len(strSource)

Do

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ReDim Preserve strArray(1 To intElementCnt)

intStrLen = (InStr(intCurPos, strSource, strDelim) - intCurPos)

If intStrLen < 0 Then

strArray(intElementCnt) = Right$(strSource, (Len(strSource) - (intCurPos - 1)))

Else

strArray(intElementCnt) = Mid$(strSource, intCurPos, intStrLen)

intCurPos = intCurPos + (Len(strArray(intElementCnt)) + Len(strDelim))
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intElementCnt = intElementCnt + 1
  End If
Loop Until intStrLen < 0
ParseString = UBound(strArray)
End Function
Public Function process msg(msg As String) As String
  Dim myra() As String
  num = ParseString(msg, ",", myra())
  a$ = vbCrLf & Trim(myra(1)) & " " 'id
  B = Trim(myra(2))
  a\$ = a\$ \& B\$ 'calcserver
  1 = 16 - Len(B\$)
  If l > 0 Then
    a\$ = a\$ \& String(1, "")
  End If
  B = Trim(myra(3)) 'inuse
  a$ = a$ & B$ & " "
  l = 5 - Len(B\$)
  If l > 0 Then
    a\$ = a\$ \& String(1, "")
  End If
  B = Trim(myra(4)) 'avail
  a$ = a$ & B$ & " "
  l = 5 - Len(B\$)
  If l > 0 Then
    a\$ = a\$ \& String(1, "")
  End If
  B$ = Trim(myra(5)) 'port
  a$ = a$ & B$ & " "
  l = 4 - Len(B\$)
  If l > 0 Then
    a\$ = a\$ \& String(1, "")
  End If
  B = Trim(myra(6)) 'user
  a$ = a$ & B$ & " "
  1 = 8 - Len(B\$)
  If l > 0 Then
    a$ = a$ & String(1, " ")
  End If
  B = Trim(myra(7)) 'srvmanager
  a\$ = a\$ \& B\$
  l = 16 - Len(B\$)
  If l > 0 Then
    a$ = a$ & String(1, " ")
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End If B\$ = Trim(myra(8)) 'try a\$ = a\$ & B\$

process_msg = a\$ End Function

Private Sub txtMinTime_Change() minTime = Val(txtMinTime.Text) End Sub

Appendix B

Code Listing for SPARC Remote Training Program

"File RemoteTraining.vbp Type=Exe Module=GENERIC; GENERIC.BAS Reference=*\G{00020430-0000-0000-C000-00000000046}#2.0#0#C:\WINDOWS\System32\stdole2.tlb#Standard OLE Types Object={2037E3AD-18D6-101C-8158-221E4B551F8E}#5.0#0; vsocx32.ocx Form=multipletrain.frm Form=multiplesetup.frm Form=PasswdForm.frm Object={33335113-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0; IPPORT35.Ocx Object={33335173-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0; FTP35.Ocx Form=newparam.frm Form=ftpfrm.frm Object={F9043C88-F6F2-101A-A3C9-08002B2F49FB}#1.2#0; comdlg32.ocx Form=Multipliers.frm Startup="MultipleSetup" HelpFile="" ExeName32="remote_training.exe" Command32="" Name="RemoteTrainig" HelpContextID="0" CompatibleMode="0" MajorVer=1 MinorVer=0 RevisionVer=0 AutoIncrementVer=0 ServerSupportFiles=0 VersionCompanyName="UGA" CompilationType=0 OptimizationType=0 FavorPentiumPro(tm)=0 CodeViewDebugInfo=0 NoAliasing=0 BoundsCheck=0 OverflowCheck=0 FlPointCheck=0 FDIVCheck=0 UnroundedFP=0 StartMode=0 Unattended=0

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Retained=0
ThreadPerObject=0
MaxNumberOfThreads=1
[MS Transaction Server]
AutoRefresh=1
" File ftpfrm.frm
VERSION 5.00
Object = "{33335173-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0"; "FTP35.Ocx"
Begin VB.Form ftpfrm
 Caption
             = "FTPfrm"
 ClientHeight = 3135
 ClientLeft = 60
 ClientTop = 405
 ClientWidth = 4680
 LinkTopic = "Form1"
 ScaleHeight = 3135
 ScaleWidth
              = 4680
 StartUpPosition = 3 'Windows Default
 Begin FTPLib.FTP FTP1
   Left
             = 600
   Тор
             = 2160
   ExtentX
               = 741
   ExtentY
               = 741
                 = ""
   RemoteHost
             = ""
   User
               = ""
   Password
   RemotePath
                   ....
                =
               = ""
   LocalFile
                = ""
   RemoteFile
             = ""
   AltFile
 End
End
Attribute VB Name = "ftpfrm"
Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False
Attribute VB Creatable = False
Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True
Attribute VB Exposed = False
'This is a general form for performing FTP file transfers
Dim transfer done As Integer
Dim temp$
Dim the ftp_string As String
Dim finished ftp As Integer
```

'Main method

- ' UpLoad true for upload false for download
- ' localfile is full path to local file
- ' remote file is the remote file (can be but usually is not a path)
- ' port to connect to on machine
- ' user on remote machine
- ' password for user
- ' machine is the name of the remote machine
- ' was_error set if there is a problem
- ' errmsg is a description of what caused the error

Public Sub ftpFile(UpLoad As Boolean, Localfile As String,

Remotefile As String, Port As String, User As String, _ Password As String, Machine As String, _ was_error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String)

was_error = False

'Set up ocx params FTP1.WinsockLoaded = True FTP1.Remotefile = Remotefile FTP1.Localfile = Localfile FTP1.RemoteHost = Machine FTP1.RemotePort = Val(Port) FTP1.User = User FTP1.Password = Password FTP1.Passive = True FTP1.TransferMode = 1 'ASCII transfer used to handle line termination

'Try to logon to remote machine On Error GoTo logfail 'Logon FTP1.Action = 2

If UpLoad Then 'Uploading a file to the remote machine 'Check to see if local file exists If Not FileExists(Localfile) Then was_error = True ErrMsg = "Local file does not exist" Exit Sub End If

On Error GoTo E2 transfer_done = False FTP1.Action = 5 'upload 'Wait for completion of transfer Do While Not transfer done

DoEvents Loop Beep **DoEvents** On Error Resume Next FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents **DoEvents** DoEvents **DoEvents** Else 'downloading a file..... 'directory list short the ftp string = "" FTP1.Action = 8Do While the ftp string = "" DoEvents Loop a\$ = the_ftp_string On Error Resume Next 'See if the file was there to be downloaded If InStr(a\$, "No such") <> 0 Then was error = True ErrMsg = "File not found on remote machine" Exit Sub End If 'set local file name and kill it On Error Resume Next bb\$ = Localfile Kill bb\$ 'start download On Error GoTo E2 transfer done = False FTP1.Action = 4 'download 'wait for download to complete Do While Not transfer done

DoEvents
Loop
Beep
DoEvents
DoEvents
On Error Resume Next
FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff
DoEvents
End If
Exit Sub
logfail:
FTP1.Action = 3
was_error = True
ErrMsg = "Failed to logon with the supplied host/user/password"
Exit Sub
E2:
FTP1.Action = 3
ErrMsg = "The file could not be transferred"
was error = True
Exit Sub
End Sub
Private Sub FTP1_DirList(DirEntry As String)
temp\$ = DirEntry
End Sub
Private Sub FTP1_EndTransfer()
transfer_done = True
the_ftp_string = temp\$

End Sub

Private Sub FTP1_Error(ErrorCode As Integer, Description As String)

MsgBox "The file retrieve function experienced an error." & Chr\$(13) & Chr\$(10) & "The error number is " & Trim\$(str\$(ErrorCode)) & Chr\$(13) & Chr\$(10) & "The error message is:" & Chr\$(13) & Chr\$(10) & Description & Chr\$(13) & Chr\$(10) & "" & Chr\$(13) & Chr\$(10) & "Please report this error to your SPARC manager.", 16, "Retrieve File Error"

End Sub

'FileExists

'The FileExists function returns a value of TRUE if the specified file exists, or FALSE if it doesn't.

'Pass it a string containing the file name to check.

Private Function FileExists(strFileName As String) As Boolean Dim strReturn As String

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On Error Resume Next
strReturn = Dir$(strFileName)
If LTrim(strFileName) = "" Or strReturn = "" Then
FileExists = False
Else
FileExists = True
End If
End Function
```

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"File multiplesetup.frm
VERSION 5.00
Object = "{2037E3AD-18D6-101C-8158-221E4B551F8E}#5.0#0"; "Vsocx32.ocx"
Begin VB.Form MultipleSetup
            = "Multiple Setup"
 Caption
 ClientHeight = 8610
 ClientLeft = 2325
 ClientTop
           = 2010
 ClientWidth = 3255
          = "multiplesetup.frx":0000
 Icon
 LinkTopic = "Form1"
 PaletteMode = 1 'UseZOrder
 ScaleHeight = 8610
 ScaleWidth
             = 3255
 Begin VsOcxLib.VideoSoftElastic VideoSoftElastic1
  Height
            = 8610
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= 0Left TabIndex = 0 Тор = 0 Width = 3255 Version = 327680ExtentX = 5741 ExtentY = 15187StockProps = 70 ConvInfo = 1418783674Align = 5 = 0BevelOuter CaptionPos = 0Picture = "multiplesetup.frx":030A = "multiplesetup.frx":0326 MouseIcon Begin VB.CommandButton Command5 Caption = "Set Passwords" Height = 375 Left = 120 = 17 TabIndex Тор = 240 Width = 3015 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command2 Caption = "Quit" Height = 375 Left = 120 TabIndex = 16 Top = 7920 Width = 3015 End Begin VB.TextBox trafile BeginProperty Font = "MS Sans Serif" Name Size = 9.75Charset = 0 = 400 Weight Underline = 0 'False Italic = 0 'False Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 375 Left = 120 TabIndex = 14 Top = 5640 Width = 3015End

Begin VB.CommandButton Command4 Caption = "Send Small Training Files" Height = 375 Left = 120 TabIndex = 9 = 6840 Тор Width = 3015End Begin VB.CommandButton Command3 Caption = "Train on Multiple Machines" Height = 375 Left = 120 TabIndex = 8 = 7440Тор Width = 3015End Begin VB.CommandButton Command1 = "Retrieve Above Training File" Caption Height = 375 Left = 120 = 7 TabIndex = 6240 Top Width = 3015 End Begin VB.Frame Frame1 = "Training Machines" Caption Height = 4215 Left = 120 TabIndex = 1 = 720 Top Width = 3015 Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 Height = 315 = 7 Index Left = 360 = 2 'Dropdown List Style TabIndex = 13 = 3720 Top = 2295 Width End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 = 315 Height = 6 Index = 360 Left = 2 'Dropdown List Style TabIndex = 12

= 3240 Тор Width = 2295 End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 = 315 Height = 5 Index Left = 360 Style = 2 'Dropdown List = 11 TabIndex Тор = 2760Width = 2295 End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 Height = 315 Index = 4 Left = 360 = 2 'Dropdown List Style = 6 TabIndex = 2280Тор Width = 2295 End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 Height = 315 = 3 Index Left = 360 = 2 'Dropdown List Style = 5 TabIndex Тор = 1800= 2295 Width End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 = 315 Height Index = 2 = 360 Left Style = 2 'Dropdown List TabIndex = 4 = 1320Тор Width = 2295 End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 Height = 315 = 1 Index Left = 360 = 2 'Dropdown List Style = 3 TabIndex = 840Тор

Width = 2295End Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1 Height = 315 Index = 0 = "multiplesetup.frx":0342 ItemData Left = 360 List = "multiplesetup.frx":0344 = 2 'Dropdown List Style TabIndex = 2 = 360 Top Width = 2295 End End Begin VB.Label Label2 AutoSize = -1 'True = "MSG" Caption Height = 195 Left = 120TabIndex = 15 = 5160Top Width = 360 End Begin VB.Label Label1 Alignment = 2 'Center BackColor = &H00FFFFFF& BorderStyle = 1 'Fixed Single **BeginProperty Font** Name = "MS Sans Serif" Size = 12 = 0 Charset Weight = 400 Underline = 0 'False = 0 'False Italic Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 375 Left = 600 TabIndex = 10 = 5040 Top Width = 2535 End End End Attribute VB_Name = "MultipleSetup" Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False

Attribute VB_Creatable = False Attribute VB_PredeclaredId = True Attribute VB_Exposed = False 'Breaks train files to several machines using ssh port forwarding Dim transfer_done As Integer Dim temp\$ Dim lastone As Integer Dim combo_loaded As Boolean

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Sub get coded name(mach$, a$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
'decodes coded name to retrieve parts
For i\% = 1 To num machines
  'search for this machines name (e.g. wolf1(2)) and bring back info
  If mach\$ = dataRA(i%, 0) Then
     'OK found the entry now dehex and unencrypt the password
     passwd = Encrypt(dehex(dataRA(i, 1)), salt)
     'get the localhost port to connect to for port forwarding of ftp
    Port = dataRA(i, 3)
    Exit For
  End If
Next
i\% = InStr(Trim\$(mach\$), "")
a = Mid$(mach$, 1, i% - 1)
b = Mid$(mach$, i% + 2, 1)
'this is the coded name for file storage prefix e.g. wolf12, b$ will be 1 or 2
code = a$ & b$
'now get the username on the remote machine
If b = "1" Then
  usr\$ = userRA(1)
Else
  usr = userRA(2)
End If
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End Sub

'given the combo control it gets the trainin1.sam template as master_file.txt Private Function getfiles(cmb As Control) As Boolean Dim was_error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String

'get the machine name mach\$ = cmb.Text

'leave if none
If mach\$ = "None" Then

Exit Function End If

Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\master_file.txt"

'get all the info for this machine Call get coded name(mach\$, Mac\$, code\$, usr\$, passwd\$, Port\$)

'execute the ftp method Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile\$, _ trafile.Text, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg)

'check for errors If was_error Then MsgBox ErrMsg End If

getfiles = Not was_error

End Function

'this makes sure the user does not set duplicate calculator machines Private Sub Combo1_Click(index As Integer) If combo_loaded Then Call check_duplicates(index) End If

End Sub

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Private Sub Command1_Click()
Dim Denom
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'this retreives the training file template and breaks it up (locally) 'into machine speed weighted pieces to distribute the computations 'across several machines

If Combo1(0).Text = "None" Then MsgBox "You must choose at least one machine", 48, "No Machine Chosen" Exit Sub End If

Screen.MousePointer = 11Label1.Caption = "Retrieving file" 'getfiles just gets the template file from the top box If Not getfiles(Combo1(0)) Then Label1 = "Retrieve Failed" Screen.MousePointer = 0Exit Sub End If Screen.MousePointer = 0Label1 = "File Retrieved" Denom = 0#'clean out comments etc ... clean master 'save the bottom piece pre process 'get the relative weights (sum(1/wt)) For i = 0 To 7 If Combo1(i).ListIndex = 0 Then Else Denom = Denom + 1 / Val(dataRA(Combo1(i).ListIndex, 2)) End If Next 'Construct the trainin1.sam files for each machine as tra0,tra1 etc. $\mathbf{k} = \mathbf{0}$ starter = 1numdone = 0'find lastone (the number of machines for this calc) lastone = 0For i = 0 To 7 If Combo1(i).ListIndex <> 0 Then lastone = lastone + 1End If Next For i = 0 To 7 If Combo1(i).ListIndex = 0 Then Else 'construct a training file locally as tr0.txt,tr1.txt..... a = App.Path & "\tra" & Chr\$(48 + k) & ".txt" k = k + 1

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Open a$ For Output As #1
     'num molecules
     a = Trim$(str$(numpts)) & "."
    Print #1, a$
    Print #1, " "
     'begin the parameter list
     Print #1, "["
     'get the weighted number of params for this machine
     thisnum = Int(((numparam / Val(dataRA(Combo1(i).ListIndex, 2))) / Denom) + 0.5)
     'find as big as it can get
     maxpos = numparam - numdone
     'set it back if it is too big
     If thisnum > maxpos Then
       thisnum = maxpos
    End If
    'if we are on the last machine then it must absorb any mismatch
    If lastone = k Then
       thisnum = maxpos
    End If
     'set how many we have done
    numdone = numdone + thisnum
     'spit out the parameters for this training set
     For ii = starter To starter + thisnum - 1
       If ii = starter + thisnum - 1 Then
         'last one gets no comma
         a = RTrim$(paramRA(ii))
         Print #1, a$
       Else
         a = RTrim$(paramRA(ii)) & ","
         Print #1, a$
       End If
    Next
     'where to start next training set
    starter = starter + thisnum
     'close the list
     Print #1, "]."
     'all the bottoms (the observed data) are the same for each training set
    a$ = App.Path & "\bottom file.txt"
    Open a$ For Input As #2
    Do While Not EOF(2)
       Line Input #2, a$
       Print #1, a$
    Loop
    Close
  End If
Next
```

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Label1.Caption = "File retrieved"
Screen.MousePointer = 0
Beep
End Sub
Private Sub Command2 Click()
  'quit
  On Error Resume Next
  End
End Sub
Private Sub Command3 Click()
  'show the training window multipletrain.frm
  If Combo1(0).Text = "None" Then
    MsgBox "You must choose at least one machine", 48, "No Machine Chosen"
    Exit Sub
  End If
  MultipleTrain.Show
  Me.Hide
End Sub
Private Sub Command4 Click()
'send all the broken up training files (tra0, tra1 etc) back to the training machines
Dim was error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String
If Combo1(0).Text = "None" Then
  MsgBox "You must choose at least one machine", 48, "No Machine Chosen"
  Exit Sub
End If
Label1.Caption = "Sending files"
DoEvents
Screen.MousePointer = 11
For i = 0 To 7
  If Combo1(i).ListIndex = 0 Then
  Else
    'generate local file name
    localname = App.Path & "\tra" & Trim$(Chr$(48 + i)) & ".txt"
    mach\$ = Combo1(i).Text
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'get all the particulars for the machine to send to
    Call get coded name(mach$, Mac$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
    'remote name always trainin1.sam
    remotename$ = "trainin1.sam"
    L$ = "Sending " & Mac$ & " " & localname$
    Label1.Caption = L$
    'send the file
    Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, localname$, _
         remotename$, Port$, usr$,
         passwd$, "localhost",
         was error, ErrMsg)
    If was error Then
       MsgBox ErrMsg
      Label1 = "Transfer Error"
      Exit Sub
    End If
    Beep
    DoEvents
    DoEvents
    DoEvents
    DoEvents
    DoEvents
    DoEvents
    On Error Resume Next
    FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff
  End If
Next
Label1.Caption = "Files sent"
Screen.MousePointer = 0
'save the machine state for the next time we come back in
a$ = App.Path & "\last machine state.txt"
Open a$ For Output As #10
For i = 0 To 7
  Print #10, Combo1(i).ListIndex
Next
Print #10, Trim(trafile.Text)
Close #10
Exit Sub
E1:
FTP1.Action = 3
MsgBox "Unable to find the remote host", 16, "Remote Host Error"
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End E2· FTP1.Action = 3MsgBox "The file could not be transferred" & Chr\$(13) & Chr\$(10) & "", 16, "File Transfer Error" End End Sub Private Sub Command5 Click() 'show password form to enable user to change the encrypted passwords PasswdForm.Show End Sub Private Sub Form Load() 'to keep the combo change event quiet during loading combo loaded = False center Me Me.Show 'this retrieves all the allowed machine info get machines 'curently allows 8 training machines 'fill the drop down box For i% = 0 To 7 With Combo1(i%) .AddItem "None" For j% = 1 To num machines .AddItem dataRA(j%, 0) Next .ListIndex = 0End With Next 'see if old machine state exists and prefill a\$ = App.Path & "\last machine state.txt" If FileExists(a\$) Then Open a\$ For Input As #1 For i% = 0 To 7 Line Input #1, a\$ Combo1(i%).ListIndex = Val(a\$)Next

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On Error Resume Next
    Line Input #1, a$
    trafile.Text = Trim(a\$)
    Close #1
  End If
  'now turn on the checking for duplicates
  combo loaded = True
End Sub
Private Sub Form Unload(Cancel As Integer)
  On Error Resume Next
  Unload ftpfrm
  Unload MultipleTrain
  Unload newparam
  Unload PasswdForm
  Unload Me
End Sub
Public Sub check duplicates(index As Integer)
  'called from the combo change event
  'if the box was changed to none then has to be OK so just leave
  If Combo1(index).ListIndex = 0 Then
    Exit Sub
  End If
  'loop through all the machines that are not this machine
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    'only go in if it is another machine
    If i\% \Leftrightarrow index Then
       'is it the same as another machine?
       If Combo1(i%).ListIndex = Combo1(index).ListIndex Then
         'it was so display error
         If combo loaded Then
            MsgBox "This is a duplicate"
         End If
         'now set it back to none
         combo loaded = False
         Combo1(index).ListIndex = 0
         combo loaded = True
         Exit Sub
       End If
    End If
  Next
```

End Sub

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"File multipletrain.frm
VERSION 5.00
Object = "{2037E3AD-18D6-101C-8158-221E4B551F8E}#5.0#0"; "vsocx32.ocx"
Object = "{33335113-F789-11CE-86F8-0020AFD8C6DB}#2.0#0"; "IPPORT35.Ocx"
Begin VB.Form MultipleTrain
 Caption
            = "Multiple Train"
 ClientHeight = 7470
 ClientLeft
           = 2325
 ClientTop
             = 2010
 ClientWidth = 6675
 ControlBox
              = 0 'False
           = "multipletrain.frx":0000
 Icon
             = "Form1"
 LinkTopic
 PaletteMode = 1 'UseZOrder
 ScaleHeight = 7470
 ScaleWidth
              = 6675
 Begin VsOcxLib.VideoSoftElastic VideoSoftElastic1
   Height
             = 7470
            = 0
   Left
   TabIndex
             = 0
   Top
             = 0
   Width
             = 6675
   _Version
              = 327680
   ExtentX
               = 11774
   ExtentY
              = 13176
   StockProps = 70
   ConvInfo
               = 1418783674
             = 5
   Align
   BevelOuter
               = 0
   CaptionPos
               = 0
             = "multipletrain.frx":030A
   Picture
                = "multipletrain.frx":0326
   MouseIcon
   Begin VB.Frame Frame3
    Height
               = 975
              = 240
    Left
    TabIndex
                = 48
    Top
              = 6360
    Width
               = 2775
    Begin VB.TextBox Damp
      Alignment = 2 'Center
      Height
                = 285
      Left
               = 1320
               = 50
      TabIndex
                = "1"
      Text
```

= 240 Тор = 495 Width End Begin VB.OptionButton DoBounding = "Do Bounding" Caption = 255 Height Left = 240 TabIndex = 49 = 600 Top Width = 1575 End Begin VB.Label Label8 AutoSize = -1 'True = "Damping" Caption **BeginProperty Font** Name = "MS Sans Serif" Size = 9.75 = 0 Charset = 400 Weight Underline = 0 'False = 0 'False Italic Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 360 Left = 240 = 51 TabIndex = 240 Тор Width = 825 End End Begin VB.CommandButton Command9 = "Send RPFTD" Caption Height = 375 Left = 5040 TabIndex = 47Top = 6720 Width = 1335 End Begin VB.TextBox NumPass = 2 'Center Alignment **BeginProperty Font** = "MS Sans Serif" Name Size = 9.75 = 0 Charset = 400 Weight Underline = 0 'False

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= 0 'False
   Italic
   Strikethrough = 0 'False
 EndProperty
 Height
          = 375
 Left
           = 5520
 TabIndex
             = 46
           = "1"
 Text
 Тор
           = 120
 Width
           = 615
End
Begin VB.TextBox tlevel
 Alignment
           = 2 'Center
 BeginProperty Font
   Name
             = "MS Sans Serif"
   Size
            = 9.75
   Charset
             = 0
              = 400
   Weight
              = 0 'False
   Underline
            = 0 'False
   Italic
   Strikethrough = 0 'False
 EndProperty
 Height
           = 375
 Left
           = 5520
             = 45
 TabIndex
           = "0"
 Text
           = 600
 Тор
 Width
            = 615
End
Begin VB.CommandButton Command8
            = "Local Newparam"
 Caption
 Height
            = 375
 Left
           = 4920
 TabIndex
           = 43
           = 2760
 Top
 Width
            = 1455
End
Begin VB.CommandButton Command3
 Caption
            = "Retrieve Results"
 Height
            = 375
 Left
           = 3360
 TabIndex = 42
           = 2760
 Top
 Width
            = 1455
End
Begin VB.CommandButton Command7
 Caption
            = "Set Multipliers"
```

Height = 375 Left = 3360 TabIndex = 41 Top = 6720 Width = 1455 End Begin VB.OptionButton TrainType Caption = "Hydro" = 375 Height Index = 2 = 4920 Left TabIndex = 40 Top = 6000 Width = 1095 End Begin VB.Frame Frame2 = "Batch init.pro Settings" Caption Height = 1335 = 240Left TabIndex = 33 = 5040 Top Width = 2775 Begin VB.CheckBox check1 Caption = "methyl on" Height = 255 = 5 Index = 1320 Left = 39 TabIndex Тор = 960 Width = 1095 End Begin VB.CheckBox check1 = "calc g" Caption Height = 255 Index = 4 Left = 240 TabIndex = 38 Тор = 960 Width = 1095 End Begin VB.CheckBox check1 Caption = "calc vol" Height = 255 Index = 3 = 1320Left TabIndex = 37

= 600 Тор Width = 1095 End Begin VB.CheckBox check1 = "calc pole" Caption = 255 Height Index = 2 Left = 240 = 36 TabIndex Тор = 600 = 1095 Width End Begin VB.CheckBox check1 = "calc dipole" Caption Height = 255 Index = 1 Left = 1320 TabIndex = 35 = 240 Тор Width = 1335 End Begin VB.CheckBox check1 Caption = "calc ab" Height = 255 Index = 0 = 240 Left = 34 TabIndex Top = 240 = 1095 Width End End Begin VB.Timer Timer2 Enabled = 0 'False Left = 4920 Тор = 7320 End Begin VB.OptionButton TrainType Caption = "pKa" Height = 375 Index = 1 Left = 4920 = 32 TabIndex Тор = 5640 Width = 735 End Begin VB.OptionButton TrainType

= "Properties" Caption Height = 375 Index = 0 Left = 4920 TabIndex = 31 Тор = 5280 Value = -1 'True Width = 1095End Begin VB.Timer Timer1 Enabled = 0 'False Left = 5400 Тор = 7320 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command6 Caption = "Resume Status Query" Height = 375 Left = 3360 TabIndex = 29 Тор = 4200 Width = 3015 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command5 = "Previous Page" Caption Height = 375 Left = 3360 = 26 TabIndex Top = 4680 Width = 3015 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command2 Caption = "Store Results at Level 0" Height = 375 = 3360 Left TabIndex = 25= 3240Top Width = 3015End Begin VB.TextBox Text9 = 2 'Center Alignment **BeginProperty Font** = "MS Sans Serif" Name Size = 9.75 = 0 Charset = 400 Weight = 0 'False Underline

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= 0 'False
  Italic
  Strikethrough = 0 'False
 EndProperty
          = 405
 Height
 Left
          = 5520
          = 24
 TabIndex
          = "5"
 Text
 Тор
          = 1080
 Width
           = 615
End
Begin VB.CommandButton Command4
 Caption
           = "Abort Training"
 Height
           = 375
 Left
          = 3360
 TabIndex = 11
 Тор
          = 3720
 Width
           = 3015
End
Begin VB.CommandButton Command1
            = "Start Training at Level Shown Above"
 Caption
 Height
           = 375
 Left
          = 3360
 TabIndex = 10
           = 2280
 Top
 Width
           = 3015
End
Begin VB.Frame Frame1
         = "Machine/Molecule Number"
 Caption
 Height
           = 4695
 Left
          = 120
 TabIndex
            = 1
 Тор
           = 240
 Width
           = 3015
 Begin VB.TextBox Text10
  Alignment = 2 'Center
  Height
             = 375
            = 1440
  Left
  TabIndex = 27
            = "?"
  Text
            = 4200
  Top
  Width
            = 735
 End
 Begin VB.TextBox Text1
  Alignment = 2 'Center
  Height
             = 375
  Index
            = 3
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Left
          = 1440
          = 9
 TabIndex
          = "0"
 Text
 Top
          = 1800
 Width
          = 735
End
Begin VB.TextBox Text1
 Alignment = 2 'Center
           = 375
 Height
 Index
          = 2
          = 1440
 Left
 TabIndex = 8
          = "0"
 Text
 Тор
          = 1320
 Width
          = 735
End
Begin VB.TextBox Text1
 Alignment = 2 'Center
 Height
           = 375
 Index
          = 1
 Left
          = 1440
         = 7
 TabIndex
          = "0"
 Text
          = 840
 Top
 Width
         = 735
End
Begin VB.TextBox Text1
 Alignment = 2 'Center
 Height
           = 375
         = 7
 Index
          = 1440
 Left
 TabIndex = 6
          = "0"
 Text
          = 3720
 Тор
 Width
          = 735
End
Begin VB.TextBox Text1
 Alignment = 2 'Center
 Height
           = 375
 Index
          = 6
 Left
          = 1440
         = 5
 TabIndex
          = "0"
 Text
 Top
          = 3240
 Width
           = 735
End
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Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Alignment = 2 'Center Height = 375 Index = 5 Left = 1440= 4 TabIndex = "0" Text Тор = 2760 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Alignment = 2 'Center Height = 375 Index = 4 Left = 1440TabIndex = 3 = "0" Text = 2280 Top Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Alignment = 2 'Center Height = 375 = 0 Index Left = 1440TabIndex = 2 = "0" Text = 360 Тор Width = 735 End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 = &H000000C0& FillColor FillStyle = 0 'Solid Height = 135 Index = 7 Left = 2400 = 3840 Top Width = 255 End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 FillColor = &H000000C0& FillStyle = 0 'Solid Height = 135 Index = 6 = 2400Left Top = 3360
Width = 255 End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 FillColor = &H000000C0& = 0 'Solid FillStyle Height = 135 Index = 5 Left = 2400 = 2880Top Width = 255 End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 FillColor = &H000000C0& FillStyle = 0 'Solid = 135 Height Index = 4 Left = 2400= 2400Тор Width = 255 End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 FillColor = &H000000C0& FillStyle = 0 'Solid Height = 135 Index = 3 = 2400 Left = 1920Top Width = 255 End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 FillColor = &H000000C0&= 0 'Solid FillStyle Height = 135 = 2 Index Left = 2400 Top = 1440= 255 Width End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 FillColor = &H000000C0& FillStyle = 0 'Solid = 135 Height Index = 1 Left = 2400Тор = 960 Width = 255

End Begin VB.Shape Shape1 = &H000000C0& FillColor FillStyle = 0 'Solid Height = 135 = 0 Index Left = 2400Тор = 480 Width = 255 End Begin VB.Label Label6 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "Total Molecules" = 195 Height Left = 210 = 28 TabIndex = 4320 Тор Width = 1125End Begin VB.Label Label3 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify AutoSize = -1 'True = "Label4" Caption Height = 195 = 7 Index = 840 Left = 21 TabIndex Тор = 3840Width = 480 End Begin VB.Label Label3 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify = -1 'True AutoSize Caption = "Label5" Height = 195 = 6 Index Left = 840 = 20 TabIndex = 3360 Top Width = 480 End Begin VB.Label Label3 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify AutoSize = -1 'True = "Label4" Caption

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= 195
 Height
           = 5
 Index
 Left
           = 840
 TabIndex
           = 19
 Тор
           = 2880
 Width
            = 480
End
Begin VB.Label Label3
 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify
 AutoSize
             = -1 'True
            = "Label4"
 Caption
 Height
            = 195
 Index
           = 4
           = 840
 Left
 TabIndex
          = 18
 Тор
           = 2400
 Width
            = 480
End
Begin VB.Label Label3
 Alignment
           = 1 'Right Justify
 AutoSize
             = -1 'True
 Caption
            = "Label3"
 Height
            = 195
           = 3
 Index
 Left
           = 840
             = 17
 TabIndex
           = 1920
 Тор
 Width
            = 480
End
Begin VB.Label Label3
 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify
             = -1 'True
 AutoSize
            = "Label4"
 Caption
 Height
            = 195
 Index
           = 2
           = 840
 Left
 TabIndex
             = 16
 Тор
           = 1440
 Width
            = 480
End
Begin VB.Label Label3
 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify
 AutoSize
             = -1 'True
 Caption
            = "Label4"
 Height
            = 195
 Index
           = 1
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= 840 Left TabIndex = 15= 960 Top Width = 480 End Begin VB.Label Label3 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify AutoSize = -1 'True = "Label3" Caption Height = 195 = 0 Index Left = 840 TabIndex = 14 = 480 Тор Width = 480 End End Begin VB.Label Label9 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify = -1 'True AutoSize = "Number of Passes" Caption Height = 195 Left = 4110TabIndex = 44= 240 Top Width = 1290 End Begin VB.Label Label7 AutoSize = -1 'True = "I am training..." Caption **BeginProperty Font** = "MS Sans Serif" Name = 9.75 Size = 0 Charset Weight = 400 Underline = 0 'False = 0 'False Italic Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 240 Left = 3480= 30TabIndex = 5715 Тор Width = 1200End Begin IPPortLib.IPPort IPPort1

= 3 Index Left = 4320 Тор = 7320 _ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 = "" RemoteHost Linger = -1 'True = "" EOL End Begin IPPortLib.IPPort IPPort1 Index = 2 Left = 3840 Тор = 7320 ExtentX = 741 = 741 ExtentY = "" RemoteHost = -1 'True Linger = "" EOL End Begin IPPortLib.IPPort IPPort1 Index = 1 Left = 3360 Тор = 7320 ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 = "" RemoteHost = -1 'True Linger = "" EOL End Begin IPPortLib.IPPort IPPort1 Index = 0 Left = 2880Тор = 7320 ExtentX = 741 ExtentY = 741 = "" RemoteHost = -1 'True Linger = "" EOL End Begin VB.Label Label5 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify = -1 'True AutoSize = "Query Status Interval (sec)" Caption Height = 195 = 3540Left TabIndex = 23

= 1200Тор Width = 1875End Begin VB.Label Label4 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify = -1 'True AutoSize Caption = "Start at train level" Height = 195 = 4080Left TabIndex = 22 = 720 Top Width = 1350 End Begin VB.Label Label2 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "MSG" Height = 195 Left = 3360 = 13 TabIndex Тор = 1800Width = 360 End Begin VB.Label Label1 Alignment = 2 'Center BackColor = &H00FFFFFF& BorderStyle = 1 'Fixed Single **BeginProperty Font** Name = "MS Sans Serif" Size = 12 = 0 Charset = 400 Weight Underline = 0 'False = 0 'False Italic Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 375 = 3840Left TabIndex = 12 Top = 1680 Width = 2535End End End Attribute VB Name = "MultipleTrain" Attribute VB_GlobalNameSpace = False Attribute VB Creatable = False

Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True Attribute VB Exposed = False 'This module carries out the remote training by communicating 'through an ssh port forward with a listener on port 3000 on the 'training machines Dim transfer done As Integer Dim temp\$ Dim host connected(4) As Boolean Dim machine list(8) As String, user list(8) As String Dim pass list(8) As String Dim connecting(4) As Boolean Dim in sock read(4) As Integer, read level(4) As Integer Dim waiting to finish As Boolean, color wait As Boolean Dim FilesRetrieved As Boolean Dim inMultiplePass As Boolean Dim onPass As Integer

```
'same as in the setup module (see comments there)
Sub get coded name(mach$, a$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
For i\% = 1 To num machines
  If mach\$ = dataRA(i%, 0) Then
    passwd = Encrypt(dehex(dataRA(i, 1)), salt)
    Port = dataRA(i, 3)
    Exit For
  End If
Next
i\% = InStr(Trim\$(mach\$), "")
a = Mid$(mach$, 1, i% - 1)
b = Mid$(mach$, i% + 2, 1)
code = a$ & b$
If b = "1" Then
  usr = userRA(1)
Else
  usr\$ = userRA(2)
End If
End Sub
```

'this routine gets train.wk1 and train.dat from the machine identified 'through the combo control and stores it as a coded_name file Sub getfiles(cmb As Control)

Dim was_error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String

mach\$ = cmb.Text
If mach\$ = "None" Then

Exit Sub End If

'get all the info for the specified machine Call get_coded_name(mach\$, Mac\$, code\$, usr\$, passwd\$, Port\$)

'set local file name
On Error Resume Next
Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & code\$ & "train.wk1"

'remove any existing local copy Kill Localfile\$

'get the file Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile\$, _ "train.wk1", Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg) If was_error Then MsgBox ErrMsg Label1 = "Error train.wk1" Exit Sub End If

Beep DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents

'repeat procedure for the train.dat file

'set local file name On Error Resume Next Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & code\$ & "train.dat" Kill Localfile\$

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Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile$, _
"train.dat", Port$, usr$, _
passwd$, "localhost", _
was_error, ErrMsg)
If was_error Then
MsgBox ErrMsg
Label1 = "Error train.dat"
Exit Sub
End If
```

```
Beep
DoEvents
DoEvents
DoEvents
End Sub
'this communicates with the remote listener and starts the trainsparc session going
Private Sub Command1 Click()
If Not inMultiplePass Then
  onPass = 0
  If Val(NumPass.Text) > 1 Then
    inMultiplePass = True
  End If
Else
  If onPass >= Val(NumPass.Text) Then
    inMultiplePass = False
    MsgBox "Multiple pass (" & onPass & ") is complete."
    Command8.value = True
    Exit Sub
  End If
End If
  Label1 = "Starting sessions..."
  'check that everybody is still connected
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
      j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
       If Not host connected(j%) Then
         MsgBox MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text & "not connected. Aborting!"
         Exit Sub
      End If
    End If
  Next
  'create and send batch init.pro
  a = App.Path & "\bi.pro"
  Open a$ For Output As #1
  Print #1. " "
  'create the batch init entries
  Print #1, "dont save this level."
  For i\% = 0 To 5
    If check1(i%).value = 1 Then
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Select Case i%
         Case 0
            Print #1, "calc ab."
         Case 1
            Print #1, "calc dipole."
         Case 2
            Print #1, "calc pole."
         Case 3
            Print #1, "calc vol."
         Case 4
            Print #1, "calc g."
         Case 5
            Print #1, "methyl on."
       End Select
    End If
  Next
  Close #1
  'send the batch init file to each of the training machines
  Call send bi
  'send the multipliers.dat file to each of the training machines
  Call send mult
  For i\% = 0 To 7
     If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
       i\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
       g! = Val(Damp.Text)
       'fix the damping factor to be prolog readable
       Call fixit(g!, aaa$)
       If DoBounding.value Then
         bbb = "1"
       Else
         bbb = "0"
       End If
       'set up string to send to remote machine for starting the job
       If TrainType(0) Then
         a$ = "[startprop," & Trim(user list(i%)) & "," & Trim(str$(Val(tlevel))) & "," &
Trim(str(i%)) & "," & aaa$ & "," & bbb$ & "]."
       ElseIf TrainType(1) Then
         a$ = "[startpka," & Trim(user_list(i%)) & "," & Trim(str$(Val(tlevel))) & "," &
Trim(str(i%)) & "," & aaa$ & "," & bbb$ & "]."
       Else
         a$ = "[starthydro," & Trim(user list(i%)) & "," & Trim(str$(Val(tlevel))) & "," &
Trim(str(i%)) & "," & aaa$ & "," & bbb$ & "]."
       End If
       waiting to finish = True
```

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Call send2wsk(j%, a$)
       Do While waiting to finish
         DoEvents
       Loop
       'the remote machine has now started the job so start the next one
    End If
  Next
  'start query clock to monitor the job progress on each machine
  Timer1.Enabled = False
  Timer1.Interval = 1000 * Val(Text9.Text)
  Timer1. Enabled = True
  'save state of run so that it can prefill on next entry
  a$ = App.Path & "\last machine state2.txt"
  Open a$ For Output As #10
  If TrainType(1).value Then
    Print #10, "pka"
  ElseIf TrainType(0).value Then
    Print #10, "prop"
  Else
    Print #10, "hydro"
  End If
  For i\% = 0 To 5
    Print #10, check1(i%).value
  Next
  Print #10, Trim(Damp.Text)
  Close #10
End Sub
Private Sub Command2 Click()
  'store results of last pass by using a remote transfer to /lastX
  Label1 = "Tranfer files..."
  'make sure we are connected everywhere
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
       i\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
       If Not host connected(j%) Then
         MsgBox MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text & "not connected. Aborting!"
         Exit Sub
       End If
    End If
```

```
Next
```

```
'now give each machine the tranfer command
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
      j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
      a$ = "[transfer," & Trim(user list(i%)) & "," & Trim(str$(Val(tlevel) + 1)) & "]."
       waiting to finish = True
       Call send2wsk(j%, a$)
       Do While waiting to finish
         DoEvents
       Loop
    End If
  Next
  Label1 = "Done Transfer"
  Beep
  'change the train level to next higher
  tlevel.Text = str(Val(tlevel.Text) + 1)
End Sub
Private Sub Command3 Click()
Dim was error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String
If FilesRetrieved Then
  MsgBox "Can't do this again until another pass is made"
  Exit Sub
End If
If MultipleSetup.Combo1(0).Text = "None" Then
  MsgBox "You must choose at least on machine", 48, "No Machine Chosen"
  Exit Sub
End If
Screen.MousePointer = 11
Label1.Caption = "Retrieving files"
'get train.wk1 and train.dat from each machine and save as a coded name file
For i\% = 0 To 7
  Call getfiles(MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%))
Next
Label1.Caption = "Files retrieved"
Dim npar(8) As Integer
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Label1.Caption = "Processing files" DoEvents

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'now generate the combined final file for reparam input
a = App.Path & "\train.wk1"
Open a$ For Output As #2
For i\% = 0 To 7
  npar(i\%) = 0
  mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
  If mach$ <> "None" Then
    'for each machine open the coded name file
    Call get coded name(mach$, Mac$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
    a = App.Path & "\" & code & "train.wk1"
    'this has all the param names trained on this particular machine
    Open a$ For Input As #1
    Do While Not EOF(1)
     Line Input #1, a$
     npar(i\%) = npar(i\%) + 1
     Print #2, a$
    Loop
    Close #1
  End If
Next
Close #2
'now open (and leave open) a file handle for each coded name train.dat file
ntotal\% = 0
For i\% = 0 To 7
  ntotal\% = ntotal\% + npar(i\%)
  mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
  If mach$ <> "None" Then
    Call get coded name(mach$, Mac$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
    a = App.Path & "\" & code & "train.dat"
    i\% = i\% + 1
    'strip top 2 lines
    Open a$ For Input As #j%
    Line Input #j%, a$
    Line Input #j%, b$
  End If
Next
```

'now we have all the appropriate files open with the top 2 lines stripped 'we now combine into train.dat aa\$ = App.Path & "\train.dat" Open aa\$ For Output As #10 'from above same for all files so last is OK

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Print #10, a$
'print new total number of params
Print #10, ntotal%
For i\% = 0 To 7
  mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
  'see if it is used
  If mach$ <> "None" Then
     'file handle for this machine
    i\% = i\% + 1
    'read from little file and add to full train.dat
    For k\% = 1 To npar(i%)
       Line Input #j%, a$
       Print #10, a$
    Next
     'the next in line is the number of molecules
    Input #j%, nobs%
  End If
Next
'write this out
Print #10, nobs%
only one% = False
For i\% = 0 To 7
  mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
  If mach$ <> "None" Then
    'file handle for the machine
    i\% = i\% + 1
    'read from small and append to big
    For k\% = 1 To 2 * nobs%
       Line Input #j%, a$
       If Not only one% Then
         Print #10, a$
       End If
    Next
    only one% = True
  End If
Next
'repeat for next block
For i\% = 0 To 7
  mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
  If mach$ <> "None" Then
    'file handle for the machine
    i\% = i\% + 1
    Do While Not EOF(j%)
```

Line Input #j%, a\$ Print #10, a\$ Loop Close #j% End If Next Close #10 Label1.Caption = "Files Processed" DoEvents DoEvents

Label1.Caption = "Sending files" DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents

'at this point the combined train.wk1 and train.dat files are ready

'only the top machine will get them as this is the machine that will 'do the reparam to construct all the files needed for the next pass mach\$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(0).Text Call get coded name(mach\$, Mac\$, code\$, usr\$, passwd\$, Port\$)

Remotefile\$ = "train.wk1" Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\train.wk1"

L\$ = "Sending " & Mac\$ & " " & Remotefile\$ Label1.Caption = L\$

'put the file train.wk1 to the top machine Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg) If was_error Then

Label1 = "SndErr train.wk1" MsgBox ErrMsg Exit Sub End If Remotefile\$ = "train.dat" Localfile = App.Path & "\train.dat" L\$ = "Sending " & Mac\$ & " " & Remotefile\$ Label1.Caption = L\$ 'put the file train.dat to the top machine Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg) If was error Then Label1 = "SndErr train.dat" MsgBox ErrMsg Exit Sub End If **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents On Error Resume Next ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff Label1.Caption = "Files sent" DoEvents **DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents DoEvents **DoEvents**

'now we ask the remote top machine to perform a reparam $j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(0).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2$ $a\$ = "[reparam," & Trim(user_list(0)) & "]."$

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waiting to finish = True
Call send2wsk(j%, a$)
Do While waiting to finish
  DoEvents
Loop
If InStr(Label1.Caption, "OK") = 0 Then
  Screen.MousePointer = 0
  MsgBox "Failed to create newparam.sam" & vbCrLf & Label1.Caption & vbCrLf & "Go fix
it"
  Exit Sub
End If
'get the four base files from the top machine needed to do an r t on the other side
get base files
'put these same files into the root area of each training machine
put base files
'we are done! Whew!
FilesRetrieved = True
Screen.MousePointer = 0
If Not inMultiplePass Then
  newparam.Show
End If
Exit Sub
E1:
ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3
MsgBox "Unable to find the remote host", 16, "Remote Host Error"
End
E2:
ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3
MsgBox "The file could not be transferred" & Chr$(13) & Chr$(10) & "", 16, "File Transfer
Error"
End
End Sub
Private Sub Command4 Click()
  'this aborts a remote job
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Timer1.Enabled = False
Label1 = "Aborting sessions..."
```

```
'check that we are still connected to all the machines
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
       j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
       If Not host connected(j%) Then
         MsgBox MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text & "not connected!"
         Exit Sub
       End If
    End If
  Next
  'tell each reote machine to abort its job
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
       j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
       a$ = "[abort," & Trim(user list(i%)) & "," & Trim(str$(i%)) & "]."
       waiting to finish = True
       Call send2wsk(j%, a$)
       Do While waiting to finish
         DoEvents
       Loop
    End If
  Next
End Sub
Private Sub Command5 Click()
  'go back to the setup form
  If inMultiplePass Then
    i = MsgBox("You are running a multiple pass. If you exit now you will not be able to finish
all the passes." & vbCrLf & "Do you really want to leave?", vbYesNo, "Do you really want to do
it?")
    If i = vbYes Then
       MultipleSetup.Show
       inMultiplePass = False
       Unload Me
    End If
  Else
    MultipleSetup.Show
    Unload Me
  End If
```

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End Sub
```

Private Sub Command6_Click()

'when coming back in after remotely submitting a job this will restart the 'timer that looks for the molecules completed on the remote machines

'start query clock Timer1.Enabled = False Timer1.Interval = 1000 * Val(Text9.Text) Timer1.Enabled = True

End Sub

Private Sub Command7_Click() Multipliers.Show End Sub

Private Sub Command8_Click() newparam.Show End Sub

Private Sub Command9_Click() get_base_files

put_base_files

Command2.value = True End Sub

```
Private Sub Form_Activate()
'after form load or upon re-entry
FilesRetrieved = True
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Command2.Caption = "Store Results at Level " & Trim(str(Val(tlevel.Text) + 1))
For i% = 0 To 7
If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
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'get the machine number (8 processors but only 4 machines)
j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2
```

'fill the host_connected array If IPPort1(j%).Connected Then host_connected(j%) = True Else host_connected(j%) = False End If

```
'connect if not currently connected
    If Not host connected(j%) Then
       IPPort1(j%).WinsockLoaded = True
       IPPort1(i\%).EOL = Chr$(10)
       Port\$ = str(Val(dataRA(MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex, 3)) + 1000)
       IPPort1(j%).RemotePort = Val(Port$)
       'for port forwarding
       IPPort1(j%).RemoteHost = "127.0.0.1"
       connecting(j\%) = True
       IPPort1(j\%).Connected = True
       Do While connecting(j%)
         DoEvents
       Loop
    End If
    'show green(connected) red(disconnected) box
    If host connected(j%) Then
       Shape1(i%).FillColor = \&HC000\&
    Else
       Shape1(i%).FillColor = \&HC0\&
    End If
    'retrieve the number of molecules being trained from the top machine
    If i\% = 0 And host connected(j\%) Then
       a = "[get num molecules," & user list(0) & "]."
       Call send2wsk(j%, a$)
    End If
  End If
Next
'see if old machine state exists and prefill
a$ = App.Path & "\last machine state2.txt"
If FileExists(a$) Then
  Open a$ For Input As #1
  Line Input #1, a$
  If InStr(a\$, "pka") > 0 Then
    TrainType(1).value = True
  ElseIf InStr(a$, "prop") > 0 Then
    TrainType(0).value = True
  Else
    TrainType(2).value = True
  End If
  For i\% = 0 To 5
    Input #1, jj%
    check1(i\%).value = jj\%
```

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Next
    Input #1, d
    Damp.Text = Trim(str(d))
    Close #1
  End If
End Sub
Private Sub Form Load()
  center Me
  Me.Show
  'curently allows 4 training machines and 2 processors each
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    i\% = i\% \setminus 2
    'show the machine name
    Label3(i).Caption = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i).Text
    'fill the machine, password and user lists
    Call fill lists(i%)
    'first time in they are all disconnected
    host connected(j\%) = False
    IPPort1(j\%).Connected = False
    IPPort1(j%).WinsockLoaded = False
  Next
End Sub
Private Sub Form Unload(Cancel As Integer)
```

'show the setup form when this is hidden/unloaded MultipleSetup.Show End Sub

Private Sub IPPort1_Connected(index As Integer, StatusCode As Integer, Description As String) If Description > "OK" Then 'connection error if here a\$ = dataRA(2 * index + 1, 0)If StatusCode = 10061 Then MsgBox Description & CrLf & "Check your port number " & a\$

Else MsgBox Description & CrLf & "Check your port number?" & a\$ End If 'MsgBox "Connection error: " & Description IPPort1(index).Connected = False host connected(index) = False connecting(index) = False Beep Exit Sub End If 'host connected to us host connected(index) = True connecting(index) = False Beep End Sub Private Sub IPPort1 DataIn(index As Integer, Text As String, EOL As Integer) Static in $\operatorname{proc}(4)$, $\operatorname{c}(4)$, $\operatorname{flag}(4)$ If EOL = False Then c(index) = c(index) + Textflag%(index) = TrueExit Sub End If If EOL And flag%(index) Then a\$ = c\$(index) + Textc\$(index) = "" flag%(index) = FalseElse a = Text End If ' for nt If a\$ <> "" Then If Asc(Right(a, 1)) = 13 Then a = Mid\$(a\$, 1, Len(a\$) - 1) End If End If 'check this out for traps If Left(a, 2) = "**" Then If in sock read(index) Then in sock read(index) = 0

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read level(index) = 0
   MsgBox "ipport error"
  End If
  End If
۲
  Debug.Print A$
  safe = in proc$(index)
  If in sock read(index) Then
     'process the data returned
    Call parse sock(index, safe$, a$)
  Else
     'just got back echo of procedure so save proc name and get
     'ready for the next set of returned data
     in proc\$(index) = Trim\$(a\$)
     in_sock_read(index) = True
    read level(index) = 0
  End If
End Sub
Private Sub IPPort1 Disconnected(index As Integer, StatusCode As Integer, Description As
String)
```

```
'clean up on disconnect
IPPort1(index).Connected = False
Shape1(2 * index + 1).FillColor = &HC0&
host_connected(index) = False
```

End Sub

```
Private Sub Timer1_Timer()

Timer1.Enabled = False

'each tick of the clock requests each machine to send the number

'of molecules done so far

For i% = 0 To 7

If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then

    j% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex - 1) \ 2

    a$ = "[num_done," & Trim(user_list(i%)) & "," & Trim(str$(i%)) & "]."

    waiting_to_finish = True

    Call send2wsk(j%, a$)

    Do While waiting_to_finish

    DoEvents

    Loop

    'the parse routine fills the text box with the number done so far

End If
```

Next

```
total = 0
  total = 0
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
       total = total + 1
       If Val(Text1(i%).Text) = Val(Text10.Text) Then
         'number done is total # molecules so paint box green
         Shape1(i%).FillColor = &HC000&
         total2 = total2 + 1
       End If
    End If
  Next
  If total = total2 Then
    'all boxes are at final number so the run is done
    Timer1.Enabled = False
    Beep
    FilesRetrieved = False
    If inMultiplePass Then
       onPass = onPass + 1
       Command3.value = True
       Command2.value = True
       Command1.value = True
    Else
       MsgBox "Your run is finished"
    End If
  Else
    'not all done so restart time to keep asking
    Timer1.Enabled = True
  End If
End Sub
Private Sub Timer2 Timer()
  'had to put this in so yellow was on long enough to see
  Timer2.Enabled = False
  color wait = False
End Sub
Private Sub tlevel Change()
  'when tlevel changes this changes caption on the button
  Command2.Caption = "Store Results at Level " & Trim(str(Val(tlevel.Text) + 1))
End Sub
```

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Public Sub fill lists(num As Integer)
  'fill the machine, password and user lists
  salt = "asaltstringforencryptingpasswords"
  If MultipleSetup.Combo1(num).ListIndex > 0 Then
    machine list(num) = MultipleSetup.Combo1(num).ListIndex \ 2
    If (MultipleSetup.Combo1(num).ListIndex Mod 2) = 1 Then
       user list(num) = userRA(1)
    Else
       user list(num) = userRA(2)
    End If
    a$ = Encrypt(dehex(dataRA(MultipleSetup.Combo1(num).ListIndex, 1)), salt)
    pass list(num) = Trim(a$)
  Else
    machine list(num) = "none"
    user list(num) = "none"
    pass list(num) = "none"
  End If
End Sub
Sub send2wsk(index As Integer, a$)
  'send a line to tcp/ip socket
  On Error GoTo snd error
  a\$ = a\$ + Chr\$(10)
  IPPort1(index).DataToSend = a$
  Exit Sub
snd error:
    If Err = 25036 Then
                                 'would block
    BytesSent = IPPort1(index).BytesSent
                               'was any sent?
    If BytesSent > 0 Then
      a = Mid(a, BytesSent + 1) 'send rest
    End If
    DoEvents
                 'wait a little while - important!
    Resume
                 'go back and try again!
                 'handle other errors here (this has not been tested)
 Else
    MsgBox "An error has occurred in" & Chr$(13) & Chr$(10) & "sending data to the host.",
48, "TCP/IP Send Error"
    IPPort1(index).Connected = False
    On Error GoTo 0
    Exit Sub
 End If
End Sub
```

Public Sub get_base_files()

Dim was_error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String

'this gets the 4 base files from the top machine after a reparam

Call get coded name(MultipleSetup.Combo1(0).Text, Mac\$, code\$, usr\$, passwd\$, Port\$)

L\$ = "Getting " & Mac\$ & " newparam.sam" Label1.Caption = L\$

'set remotefile\$
Remotefile\$ = "newparam.sam"
'set local file name
On Error Resume Next
Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & "newparam.sam"
Kill Localfile\$

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error getting newparam.sam" Exit Sub End If

On Error Resume Next ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff DoEvents DoEvents

L\$ = "Getting " & Mac\$ & " train.dat" Label1.Caption = L\$

'set remotefile\$ Remotefile\$ = "train.dat" 'set local file name On Error Resume Next Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & "train.dat" Kill Localfile\$ Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, passwd\$, "localhost", _ was error, ErrMsg) If was error Then MsgBox "Error getting train.dat" Exit Sub End If **DoEvents DoEvents** On Error Resume Next ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff **DoEvents** DoEvents **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents **DoEvents** DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents L\$ = "Getting " & Mac\$ & " train.out" Label1.Caption = L\$ 'set remotefile\$ Remotefile\$ = "train.out" 'set local file name On Error Resume Next Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & "train.out" Kill Localfile\$

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was error, ErrMsg) If was error Then MsgBox "Error getting train.out" Exit Sub End If **DoEvents** DoEvents On Error Resume Next ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents DoEvents **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** L\$ = "Getting " & Mac\$ & " train.wk1" Label1.Caption = L\$ 'set remotefile\$ Remotefile\$ = "train.wk1" 'set local file name On Error Resume Next Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & "train.wk1" Kill Localfile\$ Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(False, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error getting train.wk1"

Exit Sub End If **DoEvents DoEvents** On Error Resume Next ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** DoEvents DoEvents **DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents** End Sub Public Sub put base files() Dim was error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String 'this puts the 4 files from a reparam to each training machine 'check they are all connected For i% = 0 To 7 If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then $j\% = (MultipleSetup.Combo1(i\%).ListIndex - 1) \setminus 2$ If Not host connected(j%) Then MsgBox MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text & "not connected. Aborting!" Exit Sub End If End If Next Label1.Caption = "Sending files" DoEvents For i% = 0 To 7 If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then mach\$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text

Call get_coded_name(mach\$, Mac\$, code\$, usr\$, passwd\$, Port\$)

Remotefile\$ = "train.wk1" Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & Remotefile\$ L\$ = "Sending " & Mac\$ & " " & Remotefile\$ Label1.Caption = L\$

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error putting " & Remotefile\$ Exit Sub End If

Remotefile\$ = "train.dat" Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & Remotefile\$ L\$ = "Sending " & Mac\$ & " " & Remotefile\$ Label1.Caption = L\$

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error putting " & Remotefile\$ Exit Sub End If

Remotefile\$ = "train.out" Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & Remotefile\$ L\$ = "Sending " & Mac\$ & " " & Remotefile\$ Label1.Caption = L\$

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error putting " & Remotefile\$ Exit Sub End If

Remotefile\$ = "newparam.sam" Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\" & Remotefile\$ L\$ = "Sending " & Mac\$ & " " & Remotefile\$ Label1.Caption = L\$

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was_error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error putting " & Remotefile\$ Exit Sub End If

On Error Resume Next ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents End If Next

Label1.Caption = "Files sent"

End Sub

```
Private Sub fixit(g!, a$)

'makes sure the number is in a prolog readable format

a$ = LTrim$(RTrim$(str$(g!)))

If Left$(a$, 1) = "." Then

a$ = "0" + a$

End If

If Left$(a$, 1) = "-" Then

If Mid$(a$, 2, 1) = "." Then

a$ = "-0" + Mid$(a$, 2)

End If
```

End If End Sub

```
Private Sub parse_sock(index As Integer, safe$, a$)
```

'this processes all the return data from the remote machines

Select Case safe\$

```
Case "get num molecules"
  Label1 = "# Molecules Received"
  Text10.Text = Trim(a\$)
  in sock read(index) = False
  read level(index) = 0
Case "start"
  Label1 = a
 j = InStr(a\$, ",")
  k = Val(Mid\$(a\$, j + 1))
  in sock read(index) = False
  read level(index) = 0
  Shape1(k).FillColor = \&HC00000
  Beep
  waiting to_finish = False
Case "abort"
  Label1 = a
  j = InStr(a\$, ",")
  k = Val(Mid\$(a\$, j + 1))
  in sock read(index) = False
  read level(index) = 0
  Shape1(k).FillColor = \&HC000\&
  Text1(k). Text = "0"
  Beep
  waiting to finish = False
Case "num done"
  Label1 = "getting num..."
  j = InStr(a\$, ",")
  Click = Mid (a$, 1, j - 1)
  k = Val(Mid\$(a\$, j + 1))
  Shape1(k).FillColor = &HFFFF&
  Timer2.Interval = 500
  Timer2.Enabled = True
  color wait = True
  in sock read(index) = False
  read level(index) = 0
  Text1(k).Text = Click$
  Do While color wait
```

```
DoEvents
Loop
waiting_to_finish = False
Shape1(k).FillColor = &HF00000
Case "reparam"
in_sock_read(index) = False
read_level(index) = 0
Label1 = a$
waiting_to_finish = False
Case "transfer"
in_sock_read(index) = False
read_level(index) = 0
waiting_to_finish = False
End Select
End Sub
```

Public Sub send_bi()

'this just sends the local bi.pro file to each of the training 'machines as batch_init.pro to set calc props

Dim was_error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String

Label1.Caption = "Send batch_init" DoEvents

For i% = 0 To 7

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If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
Call get_coded_name(mach$, Mac$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
```

Remotefile\$ = "batch_init.pro" Localfile\$ = App.Path & "\bi.pro"

Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile\$, _ Remotefile\$, Port\$, usr\$, _ passwd\$, "localhost", _ was error, ErrMsg)

If was_error Then MsgBox "Error putting " & Remotefile\$ Exit Sub End If

On Error Resume Next

```
ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
    End If
  Next
Label1.Caption = "Files sent"
End Sub
Public Sub send mult()
'this just sends the local multipliers.dat file to each of the training
'machines as multipliers.dat to set multipliers
  Dim was error As Boolean, ErrMsg As String
  Label1.Caption = "Send Multipliers"
  DoEvents
  For i\% = 0 To 7
    If MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).ListIndex <> 0 Then
       mach$ = MultipleSetup.Combo1(i%).Text
       Call get coded name(mach$, Mac$, code$, usr$, passwd$, Port$)
       Remotefile$ = "multipliers.dat"
       Localfile$ = App.Path & "\multipliers.dat"
       Call ftpfrm.ftpFile(True, Localfile$,
                Remotefile$, Port$, usr$, _
                passwd$, "localhost", _
                was_error, ErrMsg)
       If was error Then
         MsgBox "Error putting " & Remotefile$
         Exit Sub
       End If
       On Error Resume Next
       ftpfrm.FTP1.Action = 3 ' logoff
       DoEvents
       DoEvents
```

DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents DoEvents End If Next Label1.Caption = "Files sent" End Sub "File multipliers.frm VERSION 5.00 **Begin VB.Form Multipliers** = "Set Multipliers" Caption ClientHeight = 4605ClientLeft = 60 ClientTop = 345 ClientWidth = 5895 LinkTopic = "Form1" ScaleHeight = 4605= 5895 ScaleWidth StartUpPosition = 3 'Windows Default Begin VB.CommandButton Command3 = "Cancel" Caption Height = 375 Left = 4080 TabIndex = 42 Top = 4080 Width = 1575 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command2 Caption = "Set It" Height = 375 = 2160Left TabIndex = 41 = 4080Top Width = 1575End Begin VB.CommandButton Command1 Caption = "Reset to defaults" Height = 375 Left = 240 = 40TabIndex

Тор	= 4080
Width	= 1575
End	
Begin VB.Te	xtBox Text1
Height	= 285
Index	= 19
Left	= 4080
TabIndex	= 39
Text	= "Text1"
Ton	= 3480
Width	= 735
Fnd	155
Begin VB TextBox Text1	
Height	= 285
Index	- 18
Laft	- 1080
TohIndov	- 4080
Taumuex	- 30 - "Toxt1"
Text	= 1000
TOP	- 5120
Width	- /33
Begin VB. Ie	
Height	= 285
Index	= 17
Left	= 4080
TabIndex	= 3/
Text	= "Text1"
Тор	= 2760
Width	= 735
End	
Begin VB.Te	xtBox Text1
Height	= 285
Index	= 16
Left	= 4080
TabIndex	= 36
Text	= "Text1"
Тор	= 2400
Width	= 735
End	
Begin VB.Te	xtBox Text1
Height	= 285
Index	= 15
Left	= 4080
TabIndex	= 35
Text	= "Text1"
Тор	= 2040
Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 14 Left = 4080 TabIndex = 34 = "Text1" Text Тор = 1680 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 13 Left = 4080 TabIndex = 33 = "Text1" Text Тор = 1320 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 12 Left = 4080 TabIndex = 32 = "Text1" Text = 960 Top Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 11 Left = 4080 TabIndex = 31 Text = "Text1" Top = 600 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 10 Left = 4080TabIndex = 30 Text = "Text1" = 240 Top Width = 735

End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 9 Left = 1320 = 29 TabIndex Text = "Text1" Тор = 3480 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 8 Left = 1320 TabIndex = 28Text = "Text1" Тор = 3120 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 = 285 Height Index = 7 = 1320 Left = 27 TabIndex = "Text1" Text Top = 2760 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 6 Left = 1320 TabIndex = 26 = "Text1" Text Top = 2400 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 5 = 1320 Left = 25 TabIndex = "Text1" Text Top = 2040Width = 735 End

Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 4 Left = 1320 = 24 TabIndex = "Text1" Text Тор = 1680 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 3 Left = 1320 TabIndex = 23 = "Text1" Text Top = 1320 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 = 2 Index Left = 1320 TabIndex = 22 = "Text1" Text Тор = 960 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 1 Left = 1320TabIndex = 21 = "Text1" Text Тор = 600 Width = 735 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 Height = 285 Index = 0 = 1320Left TabIndex = 20= "Text1" Text Тор = 240 Width = 735 End Begin VB.Label Label1

AutoSize = -1 'True = "otherdrugsol" Caption Height = 195 Index = 19 Left = 2880= 19 TabIndex Top = 3480Width = 870 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "otheract" Height = 195 Index = 18 Left = 2880TabIndex = 18 = 3120 Top Width = 585 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "othersol" Height = 195 Index = 17 Left = 2880 = 17 TabIndex = 2760 Top Width = 555 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "othervp" Caption Height = 195 Index = 16 Left = 2880TabIndex = 16 = 2400Тор Width = 540 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "othersvp" Height = 195 Index = 15 = 2880 Left TabIndex = 15

= 2040 Top Width = 615 End Begin VB.Label Label1 = -1 'True AutoSize = "vol" Caption Height = 195 Index = 14 Left = 2880TabIndex = 14 Тор = 1680 Width = 210 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "beta" Height = 195 Index = 13 Left = 2880 TabIndex = 13 Тор = 1320 Width = 315 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "alpha" Caption Height = 195 Index = 12 Left = 2880TabIndex = 12 = 960 Тор Width = 390 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "diff" Caption = 195 Height Index = 11 = 2880 Left TabIndex = 11 Тор = 600 = 210Width End Begin VB.Label Label1 = -1 'True AutoSize Caption = "hv"

Height = 195 = 10 Index Left = 2880TabIndex = 10 = 240 Тор = 180 Width End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "ret" Caption = 195 Height Index = 9 Left = 120 TabIndex = 9 Тор = 3480Width = 180 End Begin VB.Label Label1 = -1 'True AutoSize = "bp" Caption = 195 Height Index = 8 = 120 Left TabIndex = 8 Тор = 3120 Width = 180 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "hen1" Caption = 195 Height Index = 7 = 120 Left TabIndex = 7 Тор = 2760 Width = 360 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "hen" Caption Height = 195 Index = 6 Left = 120 TabIndex = 6 = 2400 Top Width = 270

End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "svp" = 195 Height Index = 5 Left = 120 TabIndex = 5 = 2040Тор Width = 255 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "vp" Caption = 195 Height Index = 4 Left = 120 TabIndex = 4 = 1680Top Width = 180 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "dist" Caption Height = 195 Index = 3 Left = 120 = 3 TabIndex Тор = 1320 Width = 240 End Begin VB.Label Label1 = -1 'True AutoSize Caption = "newdrugsol" Height = 195 Index = 2 = 120Left TabIndex = 2 = 960 Top Width = 810 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True Caption = "act" Height = 195 Index = 1

Left = 120TabIndex = 1= 600 Top Width = 225 End Begin VB.Label Label1 AutoSize = -1 'True = "sol" Caption Height = 195 Index = 0 Left = 120TabIndex = 0= 240 Top Width = 195 End End Attribute VB Name = "Multipliers" Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False Attribute VB Creatable = False Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True Attribute VB Exposed = False Private Sub Command1 Click() 'Default Button a\$ = App.Path & "\default mult.txt" Open a\$ For Input As #1 For i = 1 To 20 Line Input #1, a\$ Text1(i - 1) = Trim(a\$)Next Close #1 End Sub Private Sub Command2 Click() a\$ = App.Path & "\multipliers.dat" b\$ = "multiply property(" aa\$ = App.Path & "\last multipliers.txt" Open a\$ For Output As #1 Open aa\$ For Output As #2 For i = 1 To 20 If Trim(Text1(i - 1).Text) = "" Then Close MsgBox "Multipliers cannot be empty." Exit Sub End If c\$ = b\$ & Trim(Label1(i - 1).Caption) & "," & Trim(Text1(i - 1).Text) & ")."

Print #1, c\$ Print #2, Trim(Text1(i - 1).Text) Next Close #1 Close #2 Me.Hide End Sub Private Sub Command3 Click() Me.Hide End Sub Private Sub Form Load() a\$ = App.Path & "\last multipliers.txt" Open a\$ For Input As #1 For i = 1 To 20 Line Input #1, a\$ Text1(i - 1) = Trim(a\$)Next Close #1 End Sub " File newparam.frm **VERSION 5.00** Object = "{F9043C88-F6F2-101A-A3C9-08002B2F49FB}#1.2#0"; "COMDLG32.OCX" Begin VB.Form newparam = "View Newparam" Caption ClientHeight = 7680ClientLeft = 60ClientTop = 405 ClientWidth = 10035= "Form1" LinkTopic ScaleHeight = 7680 ScaleWidth = 10035StartUpPosition = 3 'Windows Default Begin VB.CommandButton Command3 Caption = "View in Notepad" Height = 375 = 5760 Left TabIndex = 3 Top = 7080Width = 1695 End Begin MSComDlg.CommonDialog CommonDialog1 = 7800Left Тор = 7200

ExtentX = 847 ExtentY = 847 Version = 393216 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command2 Caption = "Print" Height = 375 Left = 3240 = 2 TabIndex Тор = 7080Width = 1935 End Begin VB.CommandButton Command1 Caption = "Close" Height = 375 Left = 1080TabIndex = 1 Тор = 7080Width = 1455 End Begin VB.TextBox Text1 **BeginProperty Font** = "MS Sans Serif" Name Size = 12 = 0 Charset = 400 Weight Underline = 0 'False Italic = 0 'False Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty Height = 6855 Left = 240 = -1 'True MultiLine ScrollBars = 3 'Both TabIndex = 0 Text = "newparam.frx":0000 Тор = 120 Width = 9495 End End Attribute VB Name = "newparam" Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False Attribute VB Creatable = False Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True Attribute VB Exposed = False 'This form just displays the newparam.sam file after reparam Private Sub Command1 Click() Unload Me End Sub Private Sub Command2 Click() Dim BeginPage, EndPage, NumCopies, Orientation, i ' Set Cancel to True. CommonDialog1.CancelError = True On Error GoTo ErrHandler ' Display the Print dialog box. CommonDialog1.ShowPrinter ' Get user-selected values from the dialog box. BeginPage = CommonDialog1.FromPage EndPage = CommonDialog1.ToPage NumCopies = CommonDialog1.Copies Orientation = CommonDialog1.Orientation For i = 1 To NumCopies Printer.Print " " Printer.Print " " Printer.FontSize = 14Printer.Print "Newparam Output " & " " & Date & " " & Time Printer.Print " " Printer.FontSize = 10Printer.Print Text1.Text Next Printer.EndDoc Exit Sub ErrHandler: 'User pressed Cancel button. Exit Sub

End Sub

Private Sub Command3_Click() a\$ = "notepad.exe " & App.Path & "\newparam.sam" Shell a\$, vbNormalFocus

End Sub

```
Private Sub Form_Load()
center Me
'open the file and read it in one big bite
a$ = App.Path & "\newparam.sam"
Open a$ For Input As #11
Text1.Text = Input(LOF(11), 11)
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Close (11)

End Sub

```
" File PasswordForm.frm
VERSION 5.00
Begin VB.Form PasswdForm
            = "Set Passwords"
 Caption
 ClientHeight = 2985
 ClientLeft = 60
 ClientTop
           = 345
 ClientWidth = 4110
 LinkTopic
             = "Form1"
 ScaleHeight = 2985
 ScaleWidth
             = 4110
 StartUpPosition = 3 'Windows Default
 Begin VB.CommandButton Command1
             = "Set Password"
   Caption
   Height
             = 375
   Left
            = 1320
   TabIndex
            = 7
   Тор
            = 2400
   Width
             = 2295
 End
 Begin VB.TextBox Text2
   Height
             = 285
   IMEMode
               = 3 'DISABLE
   Left
            = 1320
  PasswordChar = "*"
   TabIndex
            = 6
   Тор
            = 1920
   Width
             = 2295
 End
 Begin VB.TextBox Text1
   Height
             = 285
   IMEMode
               = 3 'DISABLE
   Left
            = 1320
   PasswordChar = "*"
   TabIndex
              = 5
   Top
            = 1560
   Width
             = 2295
 End
 Begin VB.ComboBox Combo1
   Height
             = 315
              = "PasswdForm.frx":0000
   ItemData
```

Left = 1320= "PasswdForm.frx":0002 List = 1 TabIndex Text = "Combo1" = 1080Тор Width = 2295 End Begin VB.Label Label4 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify Caption = "Verify Pass" Height = 255 Left = 240 TabIndex = 4 Тор = 1934Width = 855 End Begin VB.Label Label3 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify = "New Pass" Caption Height = 255 = 240 Left TabIndex = 3 Тор = 1574Width = 855 End Begin VB.Label Label2 Alignment = 1 'Right Justify = "Machine" Caption Height = 255 Left = 240 TabIndex = 2 Тор = 1110Width = 855 End Begin VB.Label Label1 Alignment = 2 'Center = "Change Password" Caption BeginProperty Font Name = "MS Sans Serif" Size = 13.5= 0 Charset = 400 Weight Underline = 0 'False = 0 'False Italic Strikethrough = 0 'False EndProperty

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Left
              = 488
   TabIndex
               = 0
   Top
              = 240
   Width
               = 3135
 End
End
Attribute VB Name = "PasswdForm"
Attribute VB GlobalNameSpace = False
Attribute VB Creatable = False
Attribute VB PredeclaredId = True
Attribute VB Exposed = False
'This form is used to set encrypted passwords for the various machines
Private Sub Command1 Click()
  Dim i, a$
  'ensure the newpasswd and its verify are the same
  If Text1.Text = Text2.Text Then
    a = App.Path & "\" & "machines.txt"
    Open a$ For Output As #1
    Print #1, "*** DO NOT EDIT THIS FILE ****"
    Print #1, userRA(1)
    Print #1, userRA(2)
    Print #1, Mid$(domain, 2)
    For i = 1 To num machines
       If Combo1.Text = dataRA(i, 0) Then
         'first encrypt the password
         a$ = Encrypt(Text1.Text, salt)
         'write the data
         Print #1, dataRA(i, 0)
         'this is the hexified encrypted password
         printhex (a$)
         Print #1, dataRA(i, 2)
         Print #1, dataRA(i, 3)
         a = Encrypt(a, salt) 'for debug purposes
       Else
         Print \#1, dataRA(i, 0)
         Print #1, dataRA(i, 1)
         Print \#1, dataRA(i, 2)
         Print #1, dataRA(i, 3)
       End If
    Next
    Close
    'now refill everything for immediate use
    get machines
    Beep
```

Height

= 375

```
Resp% = MsgBox("Password Set", vbExclamation, "Password Set")
Else
Beep
Resp% = MsgBox("Password entry error", vbExclamation, "Password Mismatch")
End If
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End Sub

Private Sub Form_Load() Dim i center Me Me.Show 'fill all the data in case it is not yet done get_machines Combo1.Clear 'fill the drop down box For i = 1 To num_machines Combo1.AddItem dataRA(i, 0) Next End Sub