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# Introduction

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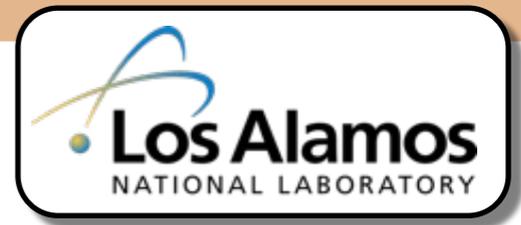
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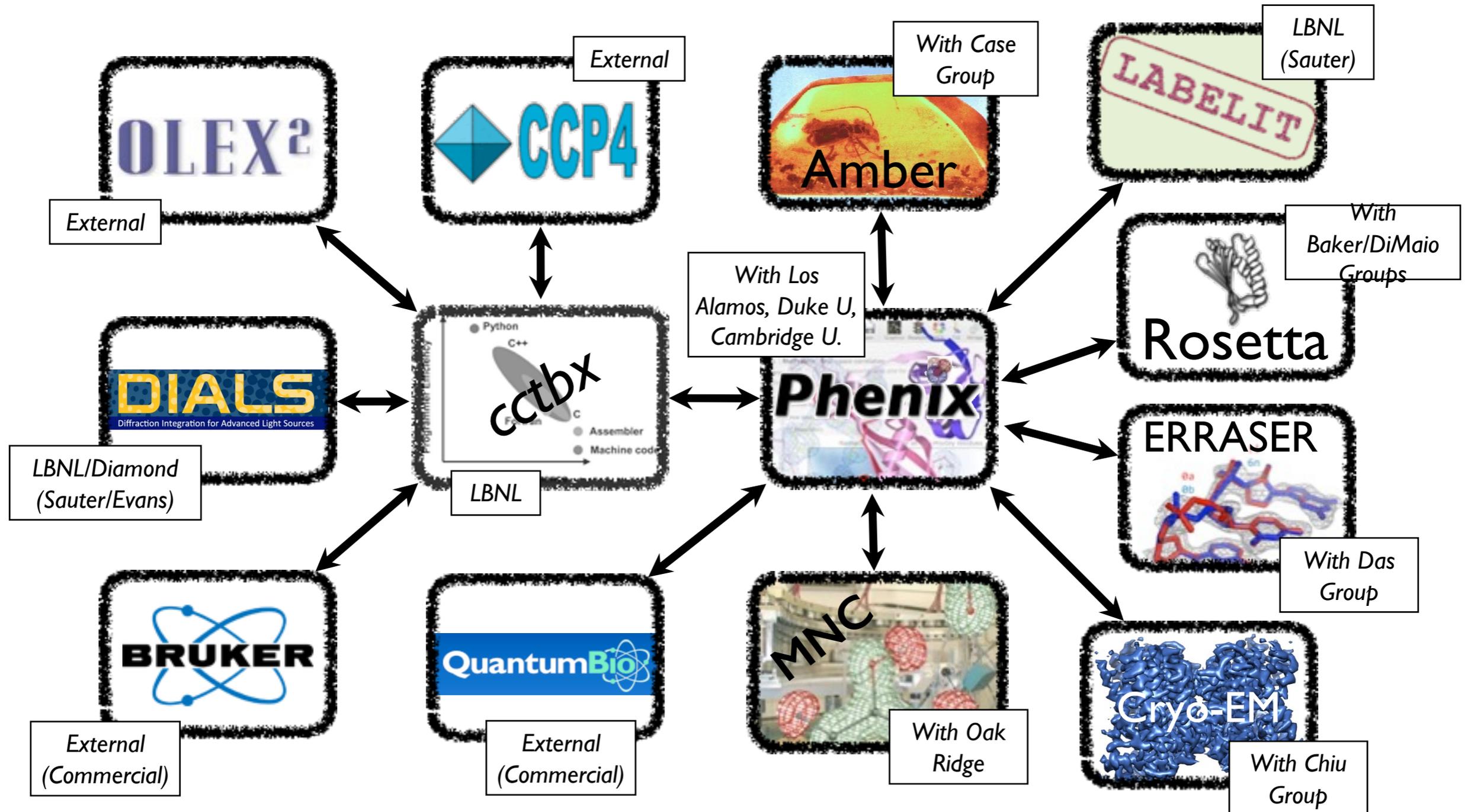


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# Phenix - a Structural Biology Hub

We have nucleated the development of new computational methods for structural biology



# What is *Phenix*?

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- Package for **automated structure solution**
- Modern programming concepts and new algorithm development
- Designed to be used by **both novices and experienced users**
- Long-term development and **support**
- Why is it called *Phenix*?

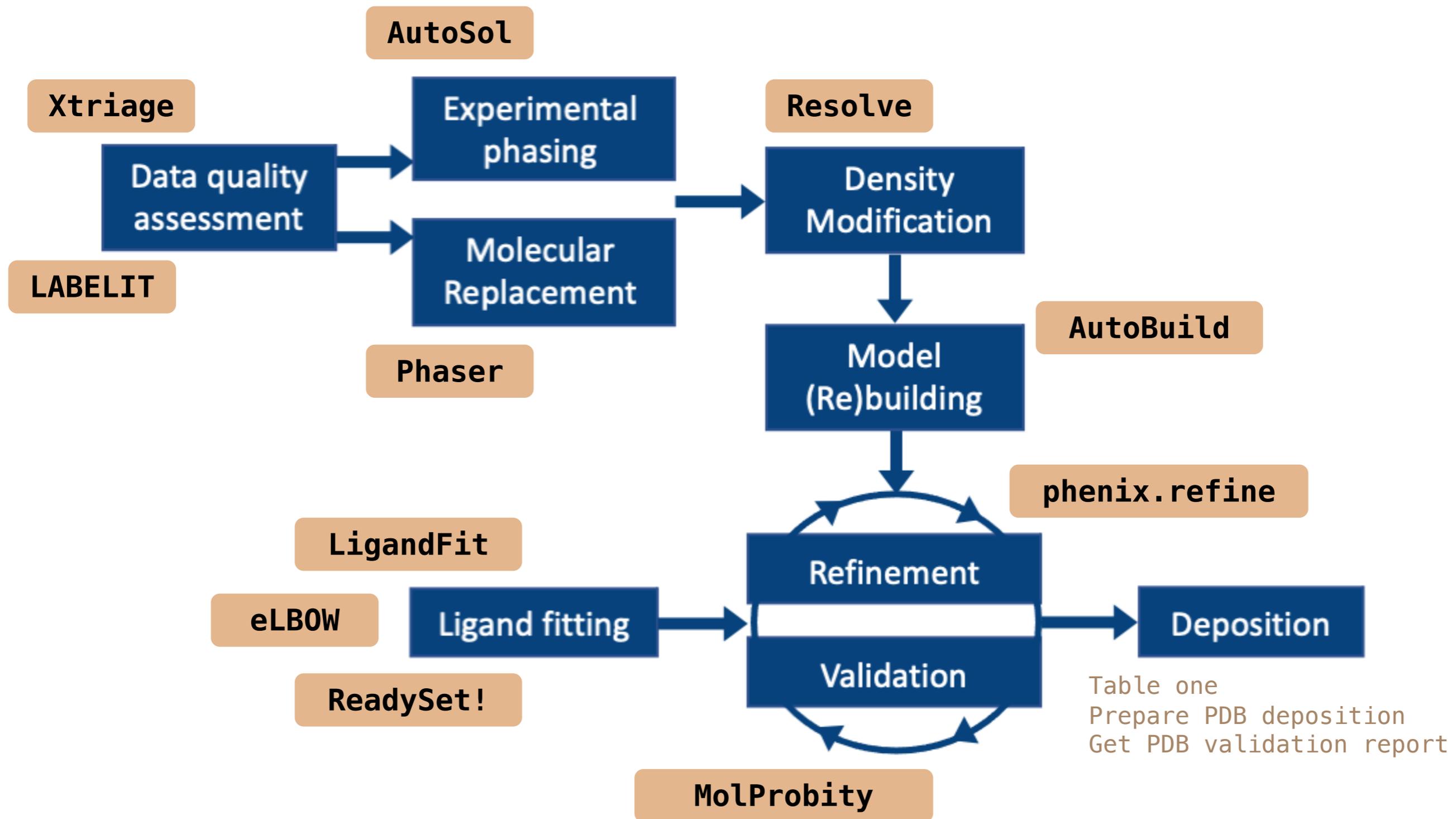
Python **H**ierarchical **E**Nvironment for **I**ntegrated **X**tallography

# Key Features

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- **Python**
  - Easy scripting of repetitive tasks
  - Enables rapid prototyping and development
- **Advanced algorithms**
  - Experimental phasing
  - Molecular replacement
  - Automated model building and rebuilding
  - Structure refinement and validation
  - Ligand coordinate and restraint generation
- **Rapid development and bug fixing**

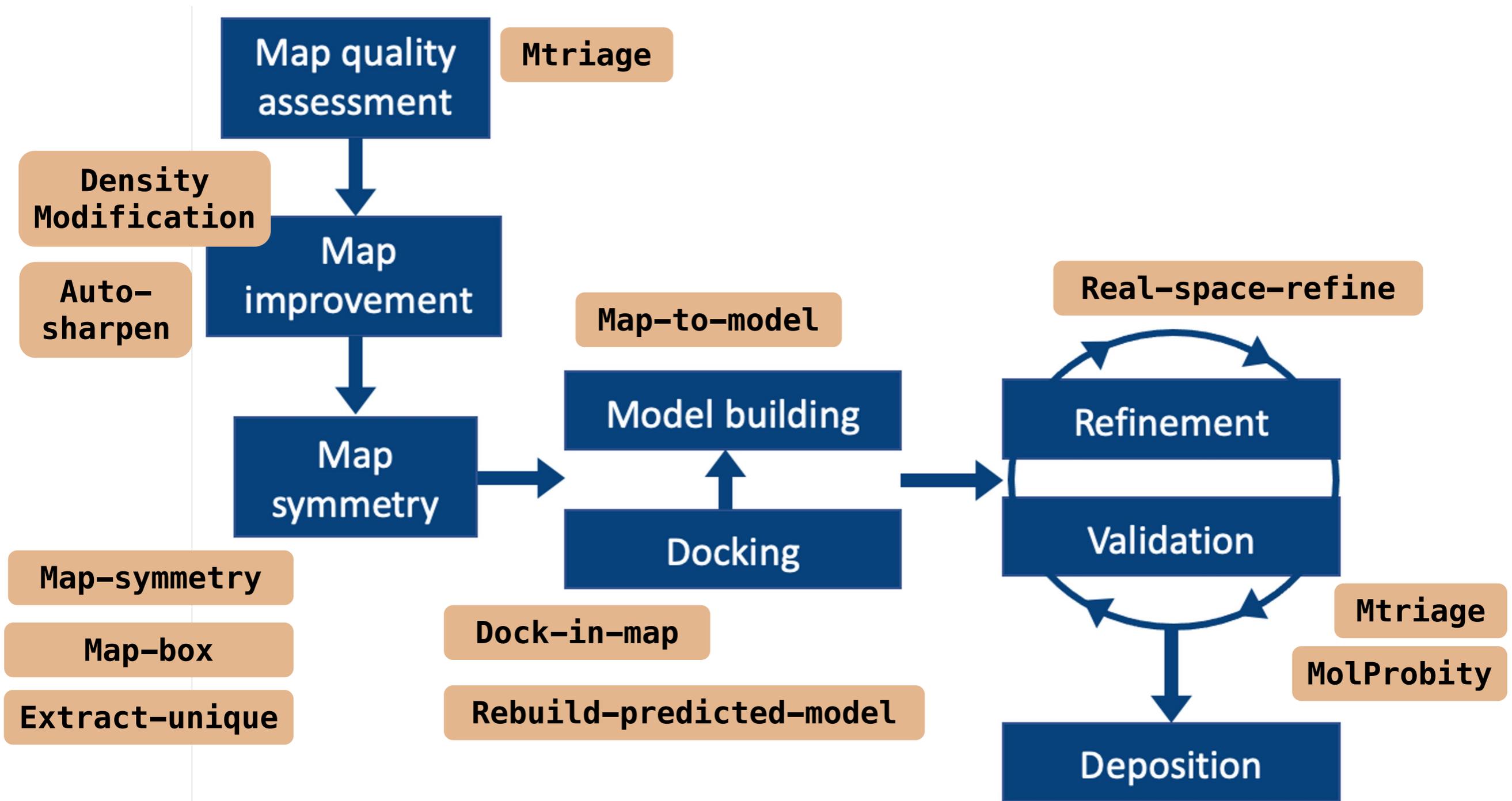
# Tools for Crystallography



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# Tools for Cryo-EM



# Phenix GUI

Central GUI to view job control and launch new jobs

The screenshot displays the Phenix GUI interface. At the top, there is a menu bar with icons for Quit, Preferences, Help, Citations, Reload last job, Coot, PyMOL, KiNG, Other tools, and Ask for help. Below the menu bar, there are tabs for 'Actions' and 'Job history'. The main area is divided into two panels. The left panel, titled 'Projects', contains a 'Show group' dropdown menu set to 'All groups' and a 'Manage...' button. Below this are buttons for 'Select', 'Delete', 'New project', and 'Settings'. A table lists the projects:

ID	Last modified	# of jobs	R-free
✓ test	Sep 14 2021 02:2...	529	0.0971

The right panel, titled 'Favorites', lists various tool categories:

- AlphaFold (predicted models)
- Crystals: Data analysis and manipulation, Validation and map-based comparisons, Experimental phasing, Molecular replacement, Maps (create, manipulate, compare), Enhanced maps (Polder, FEM, density-modified...), Model building, Refinement, Ligands
- Cryo-EM: Map analysis, symmetry, manipulation, Validation and map-based comparisons, Map improvement, Docking, model building and rebuilding, Refinement
- Models: Superpose, search, compare, analyze symmetry, Modification, minimization and dynamics
- PDB Deposition
- Program search

At the bottom, there is a 'Current directory' field showing '/Users/dcliebschner/Desktop/Projects/test' and a 'Browse...' button. The status bar at the very bottom indicates 'PHENIX version dev-svn-000' and 'Project: test'.

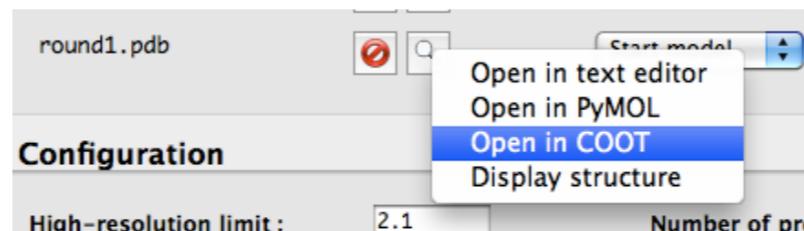
# Coot/PyMOL integration

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- Most results can be opened directly in graphics apps



- Any PDB file listed in GUI can also be opened



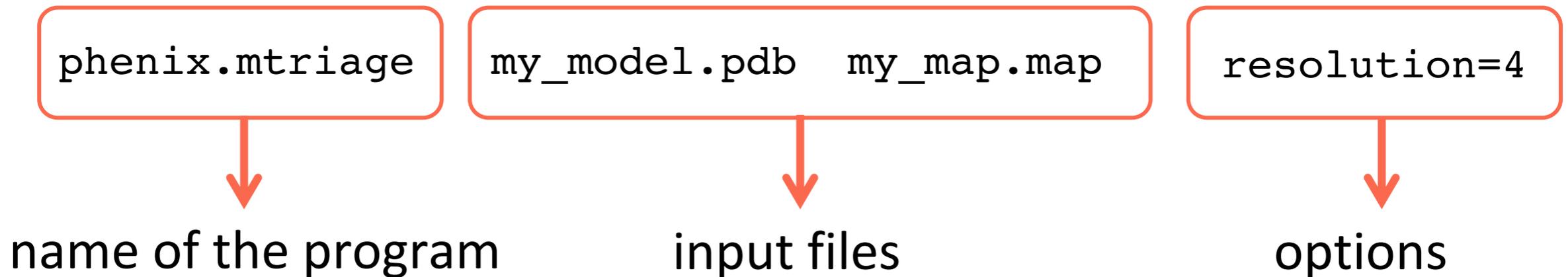
- AutoSol, AutoBuild, and phenix.refine will update Coot continuously while running
- Coot must have Python support (default on Mac)
- Specific paths to executables usually required on Linux

Preferences → Graphics → Full path to Coot [...PyMOL]

# Command Line Tools

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## Run on the terminal



## Run in a python script

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try:  
    easy_run.call("phenix.mtriage my_model.pdb my_map.map")  
except Exception as e:  
    msg = traceback.format_exc()  
    print(msg)
```

# Phenix Availability

phenix-online.org

Supported on:

- Linux (RedHat, Fedora)
- Mac OSX
- Windows

Extensive documentation  
(online and via GUI)

Nightly builds

Phenix

Menu ☰

A comprehensive software package for macromolecular structure determination using crystallographic (X-ray, neutron and electron) and electron cryo-microscopy data.

**NEW: Phenix with AlphaFold models**

- Trim, weight, create domains and use for molecular replacement
- Trim, dock into cryo-EM maps and fill in gaps
- Reference models for refinement

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Cryo-EM map and superposed, refined AlphaFold model

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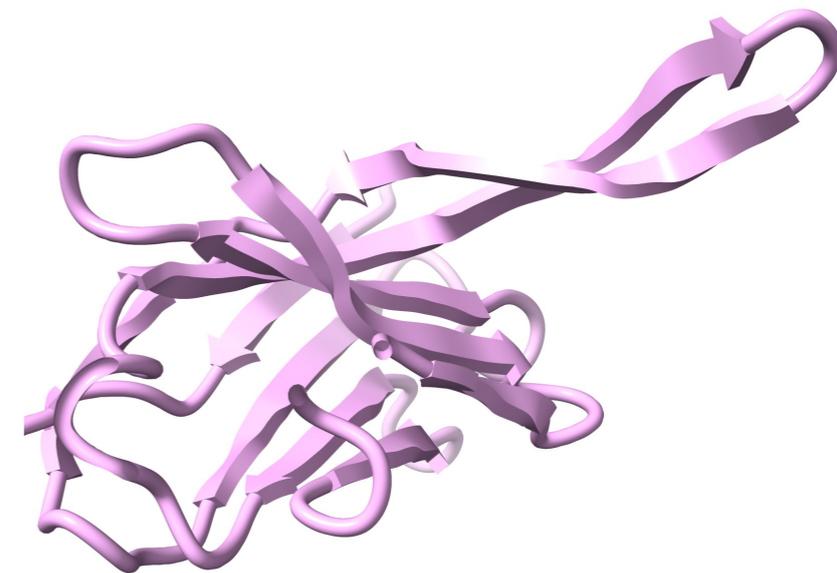
# Accurate predicted models



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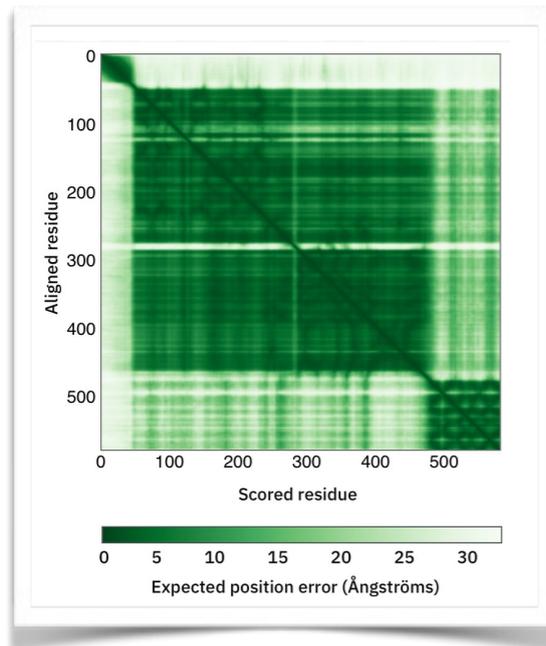
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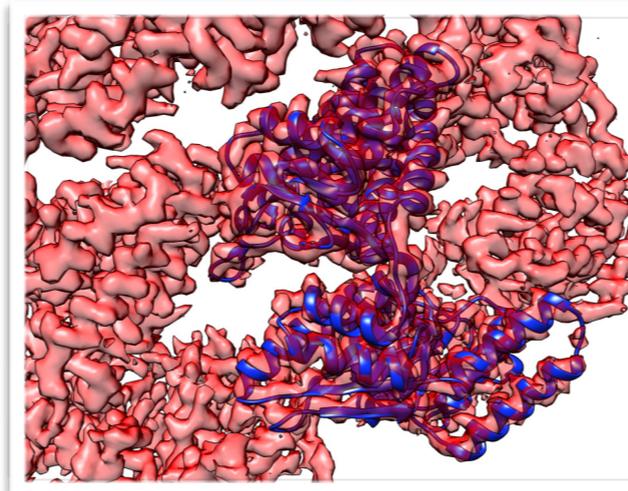


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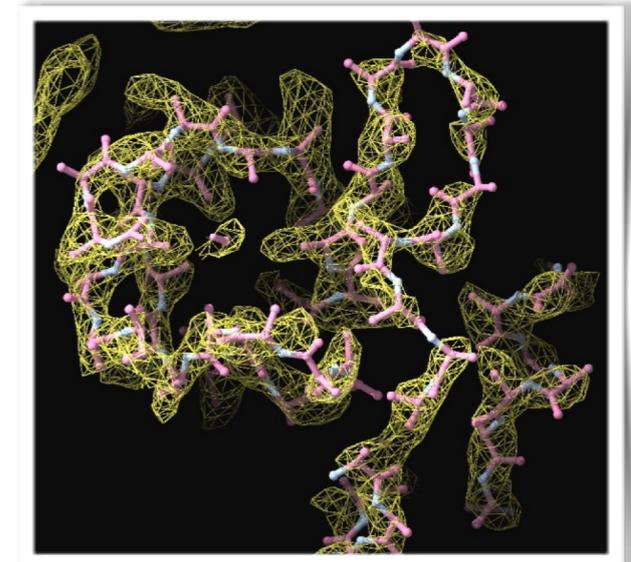
# New tools for predicted models in Phenix



Process predicted model



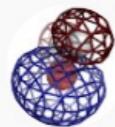
Dock\_predicted\_model



Rebuild predicted model



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Tom Terwilliger: AlphaFold changes everything

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