
Chainer Chemistry Documentation

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Chainer Chemistry is a collection of tools to train and run neural networks for tasks in biology and chemistry using Chainer .

- State-of-the-art deep learning neural network models (especially graph convolutions) for chemical molecules (NFP, GGNN, Weave, SchNet etc.)
- Preprocessors of molecules tailored for these models
- Parsers for several standard file formats (CSV, SDF etc.)
- Loaders for several well-known datasets (QM9, Tox21 etc.)

1.1 Installation

1.1.1 Dependency

Following packages are required to install Chainer Chemistry and are automatically installed when you install the library by *pip* command.

- `chainer`
- `pandas`
- `tqdm`

Also, it uses following library, which you need to manually install.

- `rdkit`

See the [official document](#) for installation. If you have setup `anaconda`, you may install `rdkit` by following command:

```
$ conda install -c rdkit rdkit
```

1.1.2 Install via pip

It can be installed by pip command:

```
$ pip install chainer-chemistry
```

1.1.3 Install from source

The tarball of the source tree is available via `pip download chainer-chemistry`. You can use `setup.py` to install Chainer Chemistry from the tarball:

```
$ tar xzf chainer-chemistry-x.x.x.tar.gz
$ cd chainer-chemistry-x.x.x
$ python setup.py install
```

Install from the latest source from the master branch:

```
$ git clone https://github.com/pfnet-research/chainer-chemistry.git
$ pip install -e chainer-chemistry
```

1.1.4 Run example training code

The [official repository](#) provides examples of training several graph convolution networks. The code can be obtained by cloning the repository:

```
$ git clone https://github.com/pfnet-research/chainer-chemistry.git
```

The following code is how to train Neural Fingerprint (NFP) with the Tox21 dataset on CPU:

```
$ cd chainer-chemistry/examples/tox21
$ python train_tox21.py --method=nfp --gpu=-1 # set --gpu=0 if you have GPU
```

1.2 Tutorial

1.2.1 Abstract

In this tutorial, we predict Highest Occupied Molecular Orbital (HOMO) level of the molecules in [QM9 dataset](#) [1][2] by [Neural Finger Print \(NFP\)](#) [3][4]. We concentrate on explaining library usage briefly and do not look over the detail of NFP implementation.

1.2.2 Tested Environment

- this library \geq 0.0.1 (See *Installation*)
- Chainer \geq 2.0.2
- CUDA == 8.0, CuPy \geq 1.0.3 (Required only when using GPU)
 - For CUDA 9.0, CuPy \geq 2.0.0 is required
- sklearn \geq 0.17.1 (Only for preprocessing)

1.2.3 QM9 Dataset

QM9 is a publicly available dataset of small organic molecule structures and their simulated properties for data driven researches of material property prediction and chemical space exploration. It contains 133,885 stable small organic molecules made up of CHONF. The available properties are geometric, energetic, electronic, and thermodynamic ones.

In this tutorial, we predict HOMO level in the properties. Physically, we need quantum chemical calculations to compute HOMO level. From mathematical viewpoint it requires a solution of an internal eigenvalue problem for a Hamiltonian matrix. It is a big challenge to predict HOMO level accurately by a neural network, because the network should approximate both calculating the Hamiltonian matrix and solving the internal eigenvalue problem.

1.2.4 HOMO prediction by NFP

At first you should clone the library repository from [GitHub](#). There is a Python script `examples/qm9/train_qm9.py` in the repository. It executes a whole training procedure, that is, downloads QM9 dataset, preprocess it, define an NFP model and run training on them.

Execute the following commands on a machine satisfying the tested environment in environment.

```
~$ git clone git@github.com:pfnet-research/chainer-chemistry.git
~$ cd chainer-chemistry/examples/qm9/
```

Hereafter all shell commands should be executed in this directory.

If you are a beginner for Chainer, [Chainer hands-on](#) will greatly help you. Especially the explanation of inclusion relationship of Chainer classes in Sec. 4 in [Chap. 2](#) is helpful when you read the sample script.

Next the dataset preparation part and the model definition part in `train_qm9.py` are explained. If you are not interested in them, skip [Dataset Preparation](#) and [Model Definition](#), and jump to [Run](#).

Dataset Preparation

This library accepts the same dataset type with Chainer, such as `chainer.datasets.SubDataset`. In this section we learn how to download QM9 dataset and use it as a Chainer dataset.

The following Python script downloads and saves the dataset in `.npz` format.

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
from chainer_chemistry import datasets as D
from chainer_chemistry.dataset.preprocessors import preprocess_method_dict
from chainer_chemistry.datasets import NumpyTupleDataset

preprocessor = preprocess_method_dict['nfp']()
dataset = D.get_qm9(preprocessor, labels='homo')
cache_dir = 'input/nfp_homo/'
os.makedirs(cache_dir)
NumpyTupleDataset.save(cache_dir + 'data.npz', dataset)
```

The last two lines save the dataset to `input/nfp_homo/data.npz` and we need not to download the dataset next time.

The following Python script read the dataset from the saved `.npz` file and split the data points into training and validation sets.

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
from chainer.datasets import split_dataset_random
from chainer_chemistry import datasets as D
```

```
from chainer_chemistry.dataset.preprocessors import preprocess_method_dict
from chainer_chemistry.datasets import NumpyTupleDataset

cache_dir = 'input/nfp_homo/'
dataset = NumpyTupleDataset.load(cache_dir + 'data.npz')
train_data_ratio = 0.7
train_data_size = int(len(dataset) * train_data_ratio)
train, val = split_dataset_random(dataset, train_data_size, 777)
print('train dataset size:', len(train))
print('validation dataset size:', len(val))
```

The function `split_dataset_random()` returns a tuple of two `chainer.datasets.SubDataset` objects (training and validation set). Now you have prepared training and validation data points and you can construct `chainer.iterator.Iterator` objects, needed for updaters in Chainer.

Model Definition

In Chainer, a neural network model is defined as a `chainer.Chain` object.

Graph convolutional networks such as NFP are generally connection of graph convolution layers and multi perceptron layers. Therefore it is convenient to define a class which inherits `chainer.Chain` and compose two `chainer.Chain` objects corresponding to the two kind of layers.

Execute the following Python script and check you can define such a class. NFP and MLP are already defined `chainer.Chain` classes.

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
import chainer
from chainer_chemistry.models import MLP, NFP

class GraphConvPredictor(chainer.Chain):

    def __init__(self, graph_conv, mlp):
        super(GraphConvPredictor, self).__init__()
        with self.init_scope():
            self.graph_conv = graph_conv
            self.mlp = mlp

    def __call__(self, atoms, adjs):
        x = self.graph_conv(atoms, adjs)
        x = self.mlp(x)
        return x

n_unit = 16
conv_layers = 4
model = GraphConvPredictor(NFP(n_unit, n_unit, conv_layers),
                           MLP(n_unit, 1))
```

Run

You have defined the dataset and the NFP model on Chainer. There are no other procedures specific to this library. Hereafter you should just follow the usual procedures in Chainer to execute training.

The sample script `examples/qm9/train_qm9.py` contains all the procedures and you can execute training just by invoking the script. The following command starts training for 20 epochs and reports loss and accuracy during training. They are reported for each of `main` (dataset for training) and `validation` (dataset for validation).

The `--gpu 0` option is to utilize a GPU with device id = 0. If you do not have a GPU, set `--gpu -1` or just drop `--gpu 0` to use CPU for all the calculation. In most cases, calculation with GPU is much faster than that only with CPU.

```
~/chainer-chemistry/examples/qm9$ python train_qm9.py --method nfp --label homo --gpu 0
↪ # If GPU is unavailable, set --gpu -1

Train NFP model...
epoch      main/loss   main/accuracy  validation/main/loss  validation/main/accuracy
↪ elapsed_time
1          0.746135   0.0336724     0.680088              0.0322597
↪ 58.4605
2          0.642823   0.0311715     0.622942              0.0307055
↪ 113.748
(...)
19         0.540646   0.0277585     0.532406              0.0276445
↪ 1052.41
20         0.537062   0.0276631     0.551695              0.0277499
↪ 1107.29
```

After finished, you will find log file in `result/` directory.

Evaluation

In the loss and accuracy report, we are mainly interested in `validation/main/accuracy`. Although it decreases during training, the `accuracy` field is actually mean absolute error. The unit is Hartree. Therefore the last line means validation mean absolute error is 0.0277499 Hartree. See `scaled_abs_error()` function in `train_qm9.py` for the detailed definition of mean absolute error.

You can also train other type models like GGNN, SchNet or WeaveNet, and other target values like LUMO, dipole moment and internal energy, just by changing `--model` and `--label` options, respectively. See output of `python train_qm9.py --help`.

1.2.5 Reference

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1.3 API Reference

1.3.1 Dataset

Converters

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.converters.  
concat_mols
```

Indexers

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.indexer.  
BaseIndexer
```

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.indexer.  
BaseFeatureIndexer
```

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.indexers.  
NumpyTupleDatasetFeatureIndexer
```

Parsers

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.parsers.  
BaseParser
```

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.parsers.  
CSVFileParser
```

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.parsers.  
SDFFileParser
```

Preprocessors

Base preprocessors

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preprocessors.BasePreprocessor
```

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.  
preprocessors.MolPreprocessor
```

Concrete preprocessors

```
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preprocessors.AtomicNumberPreprocessor
```

```
chainer_chemistry.dataset.  
preprocessors.ECFPPreprocessor
```

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preprocessors.GGNNPreprocessor
```

```
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```

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```

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```

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preprocessors.MolFeatureExtractionError
```

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chainer_chemistry.dataset.  
preprocessors.type_check_num_atoms
```

```
chainer_chemistry.  
dataset.preprocessors.  
construct_atomic_number_array
```

```
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```

1.3.2 Datasets

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chainer_chemistry.datasets.tox21.  
get_tox21
```

```
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```

1.3.3 Functions

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```

1.3.4 Links

Link implementations

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chainer_chemistry.links.EmbedAtomID
```

```
chainer_chemistry.links.GraphLinear
```

1.3.5 Models

Model implementations

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chainer_chemistry.models.NFP
```

```
chainer_chemistry.models.GGNN
```

```
chainer_chemistry.models.MLP
```

```
chainer_chemistry.models.SchNet
```

```
chainer_chemistry.models.WeaveNet
```

1.3.6 Utilities

CHAPTER 2

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