

## Supplementary File 2

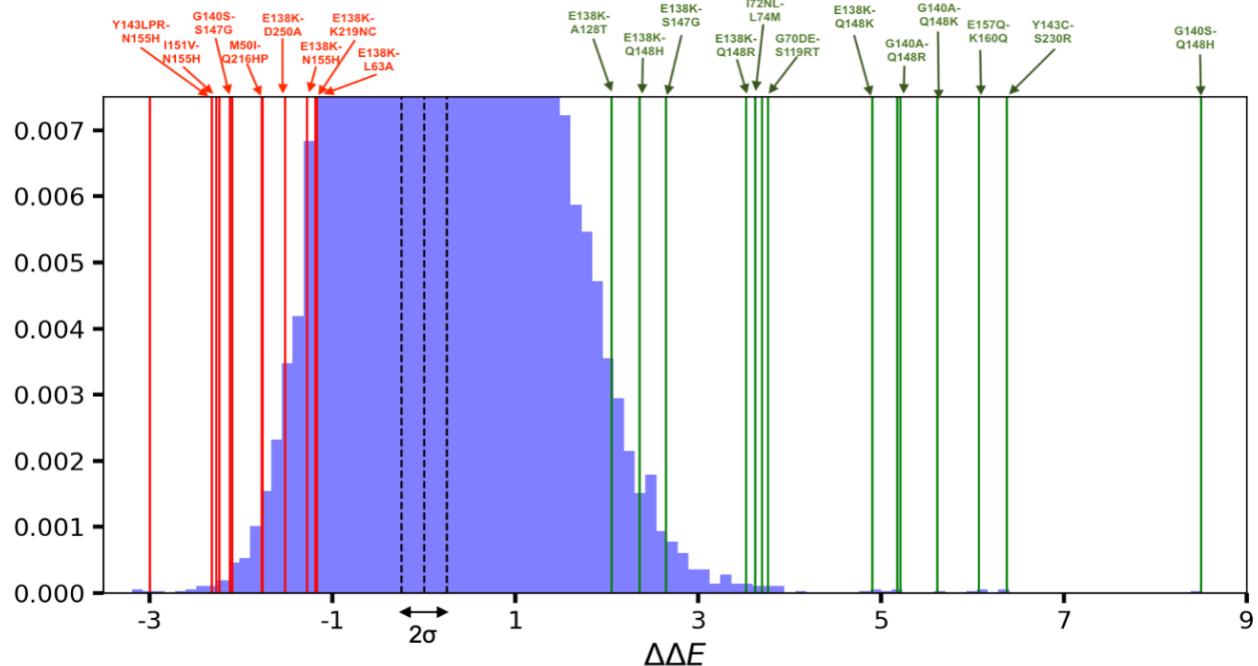
### Limits to detecting epistasis in the fitness landscape of HIV

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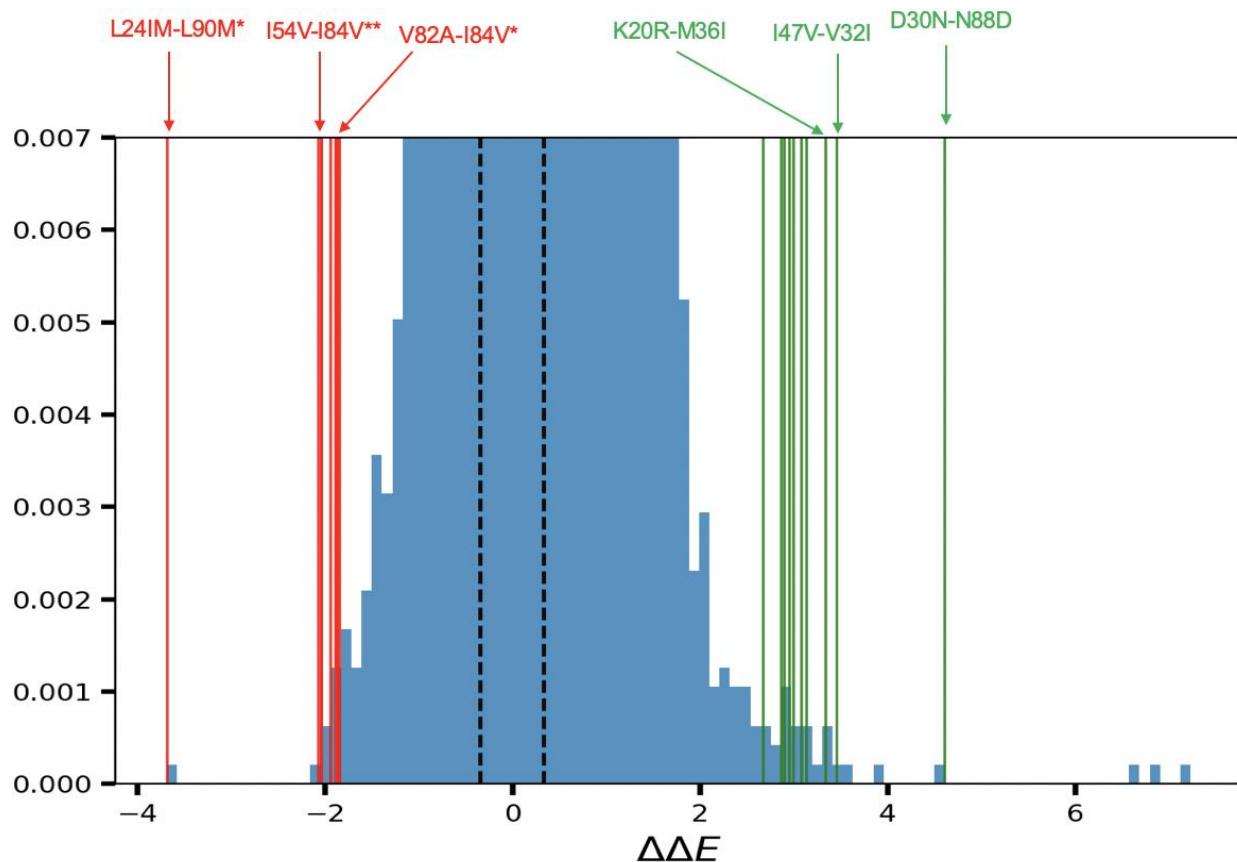


**Figure S2A:** Figure shows the distribution of Potts model predicted double mutant cycles ( $\Delta\Delta E$ ) in HIV-1 Integrase (blue) with respect to the NL4-3 background.  $\Delta\Delta E$  values above zero (0) indicate positive epistasis while  $\Delta\Delta E$  values below zero (0) indicate negative epistasis. The location of zero (0) and the standard deviations of  $\Delta\Delta E$  are shown as black 'dashed' lines. Some of the strongly interacting double mutations which involve drug-resistance mutations are indicated and labelled by colored lines; and are studied in the literature. Many of the strongest double mutant cycles captured by the Potts model are for drug-resistance mutations.

**Supplementary Table S2A: Potts model predicted strongest, positive double mutant cycle effects involving mutations (at least one amongst the pair) at drug-resistance-associated sites with corresponding literature references in HIV-1 Integrase.**

| Mutation pair    | Potts<br>$\Delta\Delta E$ | Literature reference* |
|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| G140S-Q148H      | 8.50879                   | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5         |
| Y143C-S230R      | 6.37754                   | 6                     |
| E157Q-K160Q      | 6.0882                    | ---                   |
| G140A-Q148K      | 5.61299                   | 1, 2, 3, 4            |
| G140A-Q148R      | 5.2042                    | 1, 2, 3, 4            |
| G140A-Q148K      | 4.91495                   | 1, 2, 3, 4            |
| E138K-Q148K      | 4.90052                   | 5, 6, 7, 8            |
| G70DE-S119RT     | 3.76054                   | ----                  |
| Y143ASGH - S230R | 3.7007                    | 6                     |
| I72NL-L74M       | 3.62676                   | 9                     |
| E138K-Q148R      | 3.5258                    | 4, 6, 7, 8            |
| E138K-Q148H      | 2.3615                    | 4,6,7,8               |

\* Literature references are mentioned only for pairs where the coupled effect of the mutations is studied in literature.



**Figure S2B:** Figure shows the distribution of Potts model predicted double mutant cycles ( $\Delta\Delta E$ ) in HIV-1 Protease (blue).  $\Delta\Delta E$  values above zero (0) indicate positive epistasis while  $\Delta\Delta E$  values below zero (0) indicate negative epistasis. The location of zero (0) and the standard deviations of  $\Delta\Delta E$  are shown as black 'dashed' lines. Some of the strongly interacting double mutations which involve drug-resistance mutations are indicated and labelled by colored lines; and are studied in the literature. Many of the strongest double mutant cycles captured by the Potts model are for drug-resistance.

**Supplementary Table S2B: Potts model predicted strongest, positive double mutant cycle effects involving mutations (at least one amongst the pair) at drug-resistance-associated sites with corresponding literature references in HIV-1 Protease.**

| Mutation pair   | Potts<br>$\Delta\Delta E$ | Literature reference* |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| D30N-N88D       | 4.61                      | 10, 11, 13, 14        |
| I47V—V32I       | 3.45                      | 15, 16                |
| K20R-M36I       | 3.33                      | 17                    |
| G48VALMQ-I54ATS | 3.14                      | ---                   |
| D30N-K45Q       | 3.08                      | ----                  |
| G16E-P39S       | 2.99                      | ---                   |
| I54ATS-V82A     | 2.95                      | 12, 13, 18            |
| P39S-I62K       | 2.89                      | ----                  |
| I54V-V82A       | 2.86                      | 21                    |
| M46I-L76V       | 2.67                      | 14, 19, 20            |

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