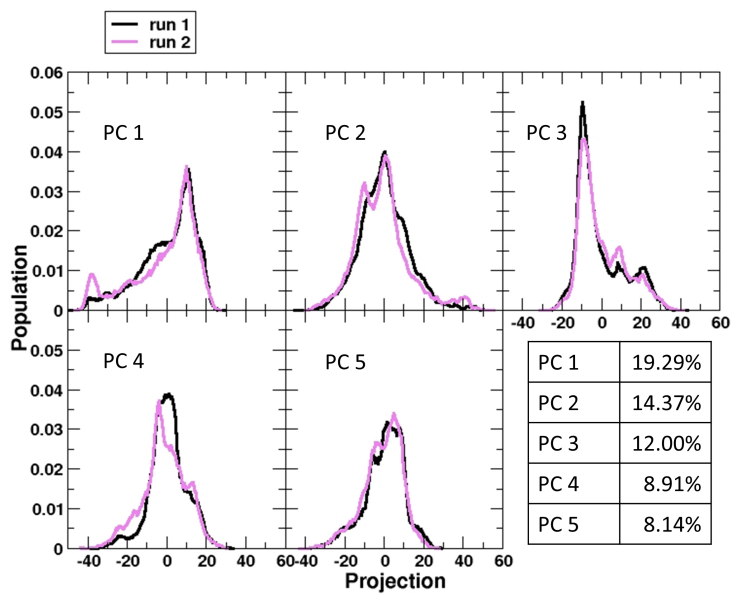


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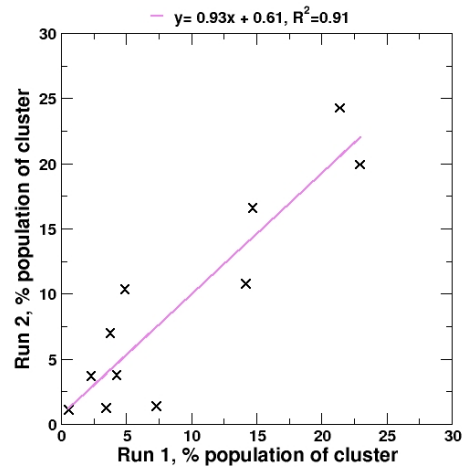
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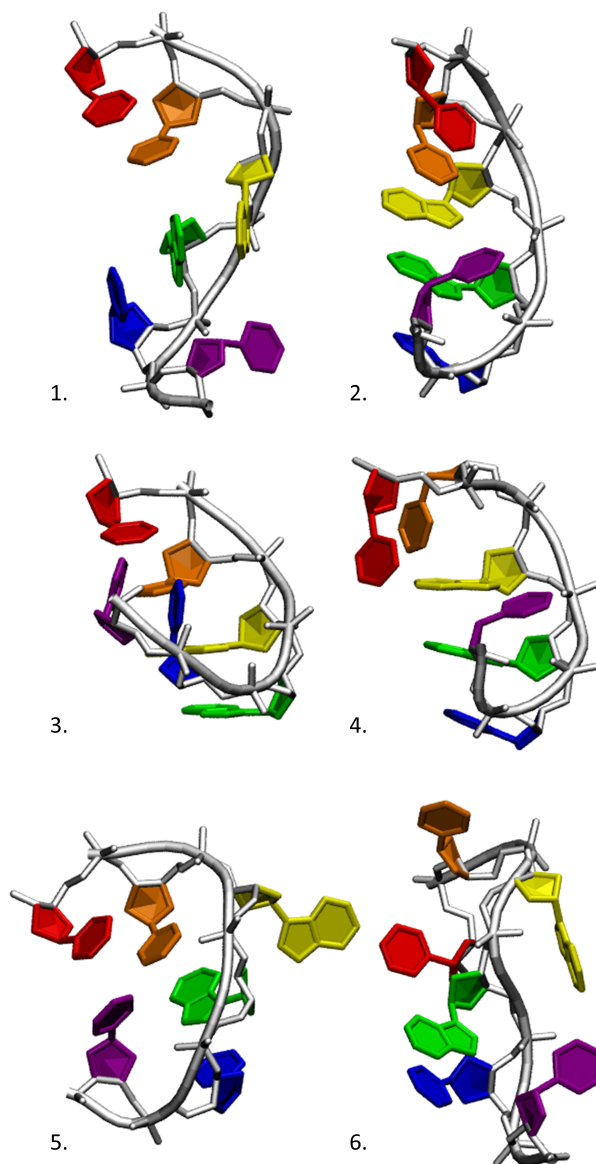
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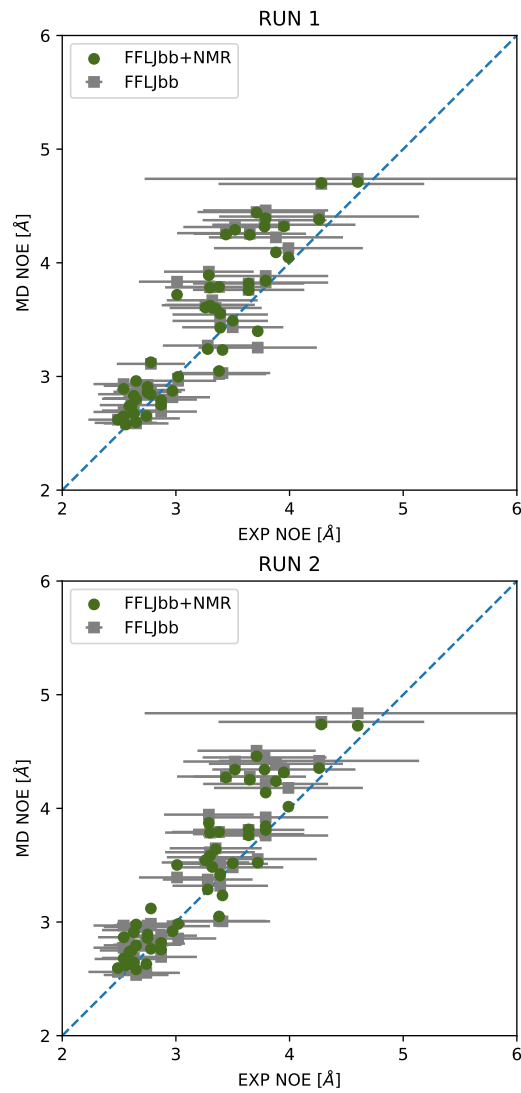
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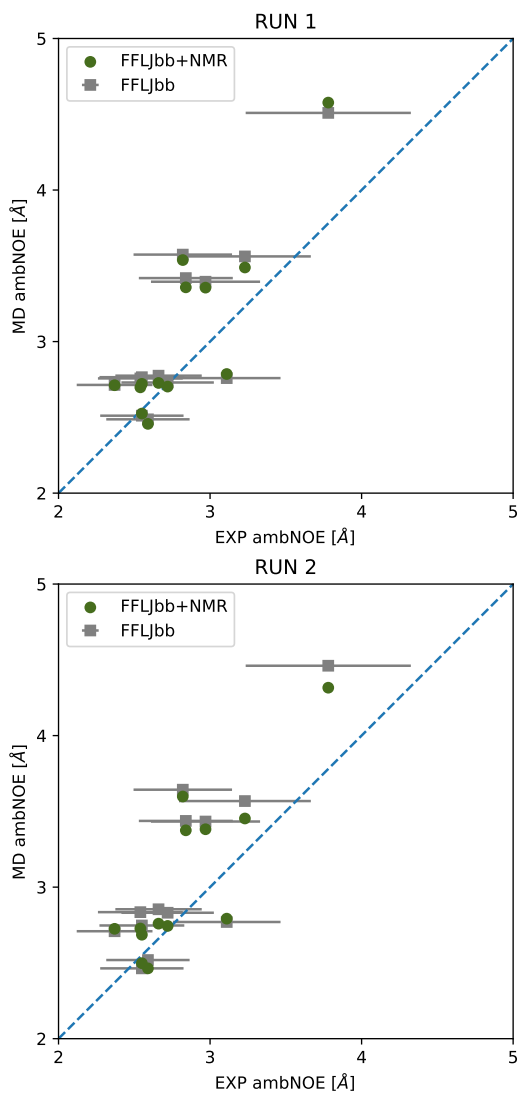
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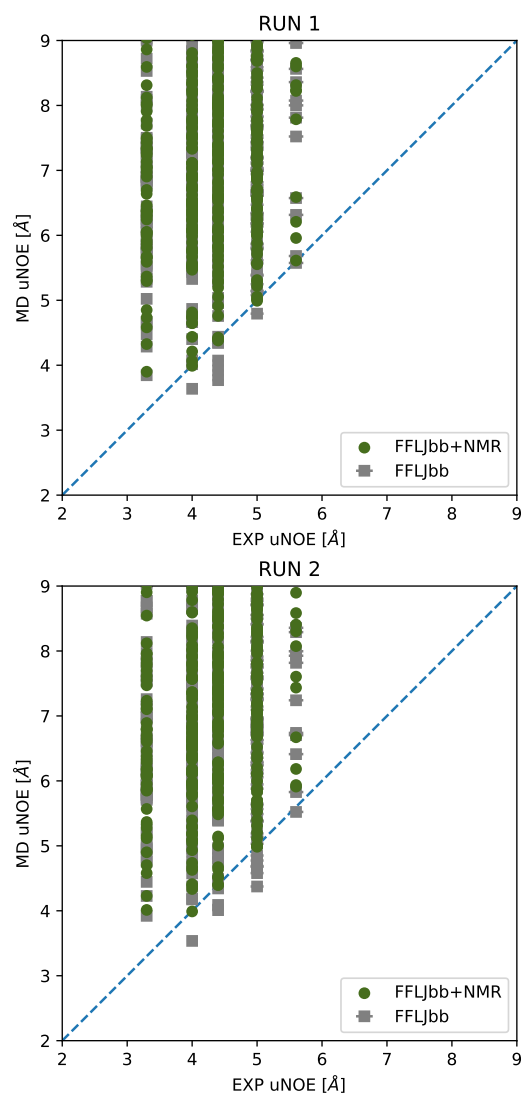
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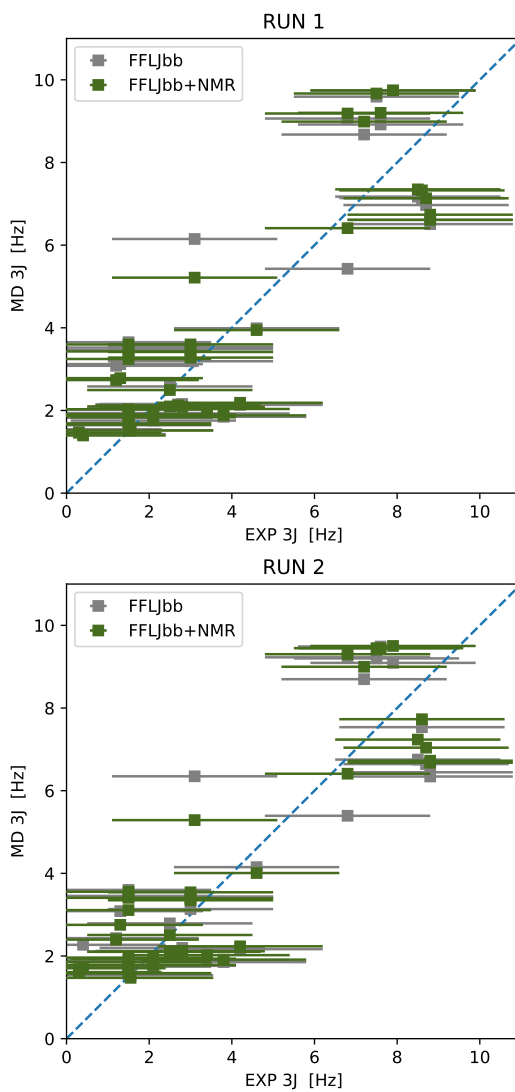
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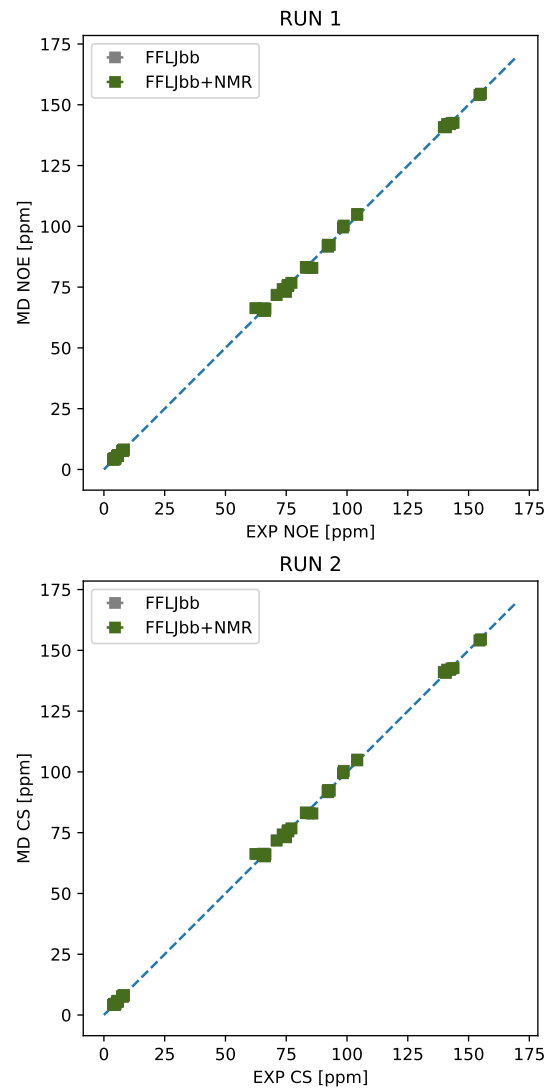
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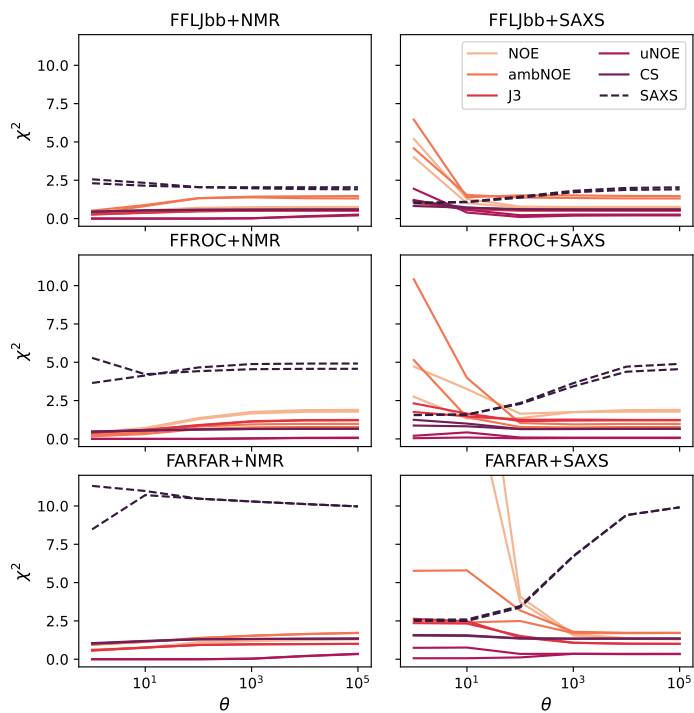
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SI7 Experimental versus calculated 3J scalar couplings from FFLJbb ensemble. Values from run 1 and run 2 are reported. The dashed line indicates the diagonal.



S18 Experimental versus calculated chemical shifts from FFLJbb ensemble. Values from run 1 and run 2 are reported. The dashed line indicates the diagonal.



SI9 χ^2 values as a function of the regularization parameter θ . In the left column, only NMR data are used for reweighting, but not SAXS. In the right column, SAXS data is used for reweighting, but not NMR data. The behavior for all three methods and for both replicates is reported.