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Research Summary

- We analyzed the dielectric property of water near a hydrophobic surface using the Stern-Feller formula, and compared with the result obtained by the Onsager-Kirkwood-Fröhlich formula.
- We studied the Solvent-Accessible-Surface-Area model to accurately calculate the hydrophobic interaction between biomolecules.
- By conducting large-scale MD simulations of molecular machines that perform force generation, energy conversion, electron-transfer regulation, and polymer synthesis, we investigated functioning mechanisms of those molecular machines.