

Open source Jmol taking over the world

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An example article in this Nature publication is Crystal structure of the essential N-terminal domain of telomerase reverse transcriptase by Jacobs et al. (DOI:[10.1038/nsmb1054](#)) about the structure of a part of the telomerase reverse transcriptase (FirstGlance: [2B2A](#)). You can easily [google](#) for more articles as they get indexed.

Note that FirstGlance is certainly not the only webinterface using Jmol! An overview of [websites using Jmol](#) is found in the [Jmol wiki](#). Those who are not convinced yet, please check out [PubMed](#) and search for Jmol there.

And, yes, this makes me a proud Jmol developer!