



Full wwPDB X-ray Structure Validation Report ⓘ

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The following versions of software and data (see [references ⓘ](#)) were used in the production of this report:

MolProbity	:	4-5-2 with Phenix2.0
Mogul	:	2022.3.0, CSD as543be (2022)
Xtriage (Phenix)	:	2.0
EDS	:	3.0
Percentile statistics	:	20250101.v01 (using entries in the PDB archive January 1st 2025)
CCP4	:	9.0.010 (Gargrove)
Density-Fitness	:	1.0.12
Ideal geometry (proteins)	:	Engh & Huber (2001)
Ideal geometry (DNA, RNA)	:	Parkinson et al. (1996)
Validation Pipeline (wwPDB-VP)	:	2.49

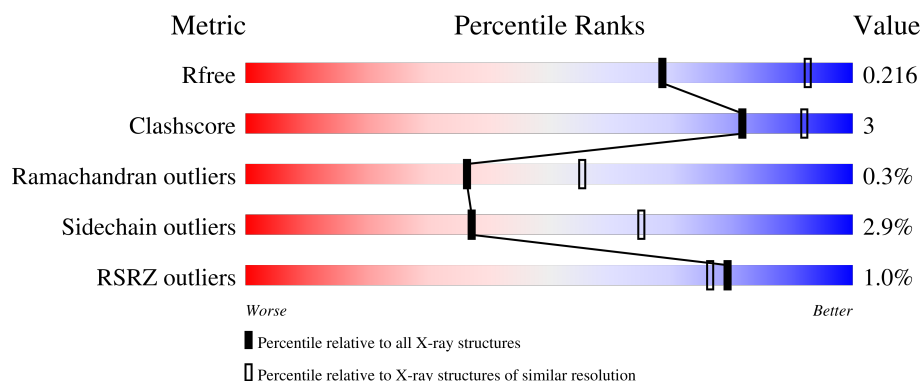
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 2.50 Å.

Percentile scores (ranging between 0-100) for global validation metrics of the entry are shown in the following graphic. The table shows the number of entries on which the scores are based.



Metric	Whole archive (#Entries)	Similar resolution (#Entries, resolution range(Å))
R_{free}	180053	5829 (2.50-2.50)
Clashscore	190562	6492 (2.50-2.50)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	6378 (2.50-2.50)
Sidechain outliers	187428	6380 (2.50-2.50)
RSRZ outliers	180081	5833 (2.50-2.50)

The table below summarises the geometric issues observed across the polymeric chains and their fit to the electron density. The red, orange, yellow and green segments of the lower bar indicate the fraction of residues that contain outliers for ≥ 3 , 2, 1 and 0 types of geometric quality criteria respectively. A grey segment represents the fraction of residues that are not modelled. The numeric value for each fraction is indicated below the corresponding segment, with a dot representing fractions $\leq 5\%$. The upper red bar (where present) indicates the fraction of residues that have poor fit to the electron density. The numeric value is given above the bar.

Mol	Chain	Length	Quality of chain
1	A	355	% 87% 9% .
1	B	355	% 86% 9% .

2 Entry composition

There are 7 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 5730 atoms, of which 0 are hydrogens and 0 are deuteriums.

In the tables below, the ZeroOcc column contains the number of atoms modelled with zero occupancy, the AltConf column contains the number of residues with at least one atom in alternate conformation and the Trace column contains the number of residues modelled with at most 2 atoms.

- Molecule 1 is a protein called PUTRESCINE CARBAMOYLTRANSFERASE.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	341	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	1
			2690	1690	447	531	22			
1	B	341	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	1
			2690	1690	447	531	22			

There are 32 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

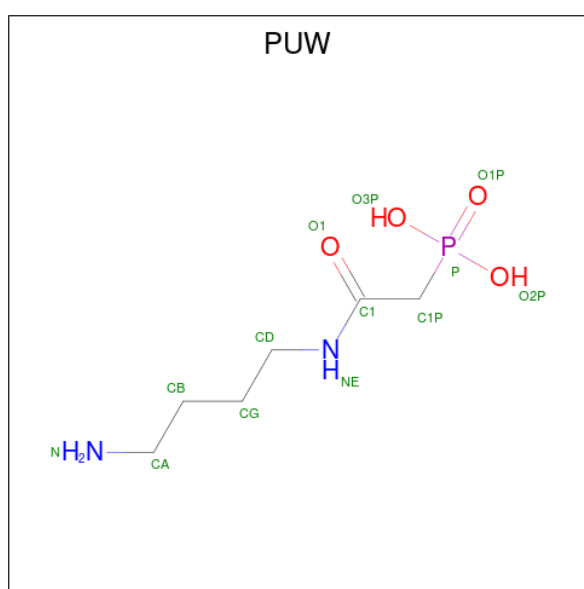
Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	340	SER	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	341	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	342	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	343	LYS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	344	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	345	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	346	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	347	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	348	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	349	GLU	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	350	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	351	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	352	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	353	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	354	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
A	355	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	340	SER	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	341	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	342	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	343	LYS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	344	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	345	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	346	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	347	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	348	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7

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Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
B	349	GLU	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	350	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	351	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	352	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	353	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	354	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7
B	355	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q837U7

- Molecule 2 is N-(PHOSPHONOACETYL)-PUTRESCINE (CCD ID: PUW) (formula: $C_6H_{15}N_2O_4P$).



Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf
2	A	1	Total	C	N	O	P	0	0
			13	6	2	4	1		
2	B	1	Total	C	N	O	P	0	0
			13	6	2	4	1		

- Molecule 3 is 2-AMINO-2-HYDROXYMETHYL-PROPANE-1,3-DIOL (CCD ID: TRS) (formula: $C_4H_{12}NO_3$).



Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms				ZeroOcc	AltConf
3	A	1	Total	C	N	O	0	0
			8	4	1	3		
3	B	1	Total	C	N	O	0	0
			8	4	1	3		

- Molecule 4 is SULFATE ION (CCD ID: SO₄) (formula: O₄S).



Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms			ZeroOcc	AltConf
4	A	1	Total	O	S	0	0
			5	4	1		
4	B	1	Total	O	S	0	0
			5	4	1		

- Molecule 5 is 1,2-ETHANEDIOL (CCD ID: EDO) (formula: $C_2H_6O_2$).



Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms			ZeroOcc	AltConf
5	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			4	2	2		
5	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			4	2	2		
5	B	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			4	2	2		

- Molecule 6 is NICKEL (II) ION (CCD ID: NI) (formula: Ni).

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
6	A	1	Total	Ni	0	0
			1	1		
6	B	1	Total	Ni	0	0
			1	1		

- Molecule 7 is water.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
7	A	164	Total	O	0	0
			164	164		
7	B	120	Total	O	0	0
			120	120		

- Molecule 1: PUTRESCINE CARBAMOYLTRANSFERASE



4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 63 2 2	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	117.20Å 117.20Å 225.34Å 90.00° 90.00° 120.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	29.00 – 2.50 29.00 – 2.50	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	100.0 (29.00-2.50) 99.8 (29.00-2.50)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	0.12	Depositor
R_{sym}	(Not available)	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	8.75 (at 2.51Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	REFMAC 5.5.0102	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.182 , 0.217 0.187 , 0.216	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	1637 reflections (5.05%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	23.3	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.106	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.33 , 21.2	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.50$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.34$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	No twinning to report.	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.94	EDS
Total number of atoms	5730	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	19.0	wwPDB-VP

Xtriage's analysis on translational NCS is as follows: *The largest off-origin peak in the Patterson function is 4.10% of the height of the origin peak. No significant pseudotranslation is detected.*

¹Intensities estimated from amplitudes.

²Theoretical values of $\langle |L| \rangle$, $\langle L^2 \rangle$ for acentric reflections are 0.5, 0.333 respectively for untwinned datasets, and 0.375, 0.2 for perfectly twinned datasets.

5 Model quality [i](#)

5.1 Standard geometry [i](#)

Bond lengths and bond angles in the following residue types are not validated in this section: TRS, PUW, NI, EDO, SO4

The Z score for a bond length (or angle) is the number of standard deviations the observed value is removed from the expected value. A bond length (or angle) with $|Z| > 5$ is considered an outlier worth inspection. RMSZ is the root-mean-square of all Z scores of the bond lengths (or angles).

Mol	Chain	Bond lengths		Bond angles	
		RMSZ	$\# Z > 5$	RMSZ	$\# Z > 5$
1	A	0.60	1/2738 (0.0%)	0.74	3/3694 (0.1%)
1	B	0.59	1/2738 (0.0%)	0.73	3/3694 (0.1%)
All	All	0.59	2/5476 (0.0%)	0.74	6/7388 (0.1%)

All (2) bond length outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(Å)	Ideal(Å)
1	A	340	SER	C-N	-6.96	1.23	1.33
1	B	340	SER	C-N	-6.68	1.24	1.33

All (6) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
1	B	138	LEU	CD1-CG-CD2	-6.67	96.13	110.80
1	B	142	VAL	CG1-CB-CG2	-6.38	96.75	110.80
1	A	142	VAL	CG1-CB-CG2	-6.05	97.49	110.80
1	A	138	LEU	CD1-CG-CD2	-5.83	97.98	110.80
1	B	218	VAL	CG1-CB-CG2	-5.53	98.63	110.80
1	A	218	VAL	CG1-CB-CG2	-5.21	99.33	110.80

There are no chirality outliers.

There are no planarity outliers.

5.2 Too-close contacts [i](#)

In the following table, the Non-H and H(model) columns list the number of non-hydrogen atoms and hydrogen atoms in the chain respectively. The H(added) column lists the number of hydrogen atoms added and optimized by MolProbity. The Clashes column lists the number of clashes within the asymmetric unit, whereas Symm-Clashes lists symmetry-related clashes.

Mol	Chain	Non-H	H(model)	H(added)	Clashes	Symm-Clashes
1	A	2690	0	2625	12	0
1	B	2690	0	2625	15	0
2	A	13	0	13	0	0
2	B	13	0	13	0	0
3	A	8	0	12	0	0
3	B	8	0	12	0	0
4	A	5	0	0	0	0
4	B	5	0	0	0	0
5	A	8	0	12	0	0
5	B	4	0	6	0	0
6	A	1	0	0	0	0
6	B	1	0	0	0	0
7	A	164	0	0	0	0
7	B	120	0	0	0	0
All	All	5730	0	5318	27	0

The all-atom clashscore is defined as the number of clashes found per 1000 atoms (including hydrogen atoms). The all-atom clashscore for this structure is 3.

All (27) close contacts within the same asymmetric unit are listed below, sorted by their clash magnitude.

Atom-1	Atom-2	Interatomic distance (Å)	Clash overlap (Å)
1:B:74:ALA:HB1	1:B:75:PRO:HD2	1.64	0.80
1:A:74:ALA:HB1	1:A:75:PRO:HD2	1.69	0.73
1:B:87:GLU:HG2	1:B:116:CYS:SG	2.38	0.64
1:A:87:GLU:HG2	1:A:116:CYS:SG	2.39	0.63
1:A:65:GLN:HE22	1:A:302:ARG:HH11	1.53	0.56
1:A:157:VAL:HG22	1:A:181:VAL:HB	1.86	0.56
1:A:72:TYR:CE2	1:A:74:ALA:HB2	2.42	0.53
1:B:86:ILE:HD12	1:B:113:LEU:HD22	1.93	0.52
1:B:74:ALA:HB1	1:B:75:PRO:CD	2.38	0.51
1:B:72:TYR:CE2	1:B:74:ALA:HB2	2.46	0.51
1:A:74:ALA:HB1	1:A:75:PRO:CD	2.37	0.51
1:A:90:SER:HB2	1:A:113:LEU:HD23	1.93	0.49
1:B:27:LYS:NZ	1:B:296:ASN:HD21	2.11	0.49
1:B:157:VAL:HG22	1:B:181:VAL:HB	1.95	0.48
1:A:47:ILE:O	1:A:102:ALA:HA	2.14	0.47
1:B:47:ILE:O	1:B:102:ALA:HA	2.15	0.46
1:B:140:THR:HG22	1:B:289:ILE:HD12	1.97	0.45
1:A:332:VAL:O	1:A:336:THR:OG1	2.26	0.44
1:B:229:TRP:CZ2	1:B:277:GLU:HA	2.54	0.43
1:A:107:HIS:O	1:A:110:ILE:HG22	2.18	0.43

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Atom-1	Atom-2	Interatomic distance (Å)	Clash overlap (Å)
1:B:135:LEU:HD23	1:B:304:LEU:HD22	2.01	0.42
1:A:277:GLU:HG2	1:A:278:VAL:N	2.35	0.42
1:B:277:GLU:HG2	1:B:278:VAL:N	2.34	0.42
1:A:124:GLY:O	1:A:125:MET:CB	2.69	0.41
1:B:5:TYR:CE2	1:B:131:PRO:HB2	2.56	0.41
1:B:300:SER:O	1:B:304:LEU:HD22	2.20	0.40
1:B:86:ILE:HG23	1:B:113:LEU:HD13	2.03	0.40

There are no symmetry-related clashes.

5.3 Torsion angles [i](#)

5.3.1 Protein backbone [i](#)

In the following table, the Percentiles column shows the percent Ramachandran outliers of the chain as a percentile score with respect to all X-ray entries followed by that with respect to entries of similar resolution.

The Analysed column shows the number of residues for which the backbone conformation was analysed, and the total number of residues.

Mol	Chain	Analysed	Favoured	Allowed	Outliers	Percentiles	
1	A	339/355 (96%)	332 (98%)	6 (2%)	1 (0%)	36	55
1	B	339/355 (96%)	331 (98%)	7 (2%)	1 (0%)	36	55
All	All	678/710 (96%)	663 (98%)	13 (2%)	2 (0%)	36	55

All (2) Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	125	MET
1	B	125	MET

5.3.2 Protein sidechains [i](#)

In the following table, the Percentiles column shows the percent sidechain outliers of the chain as a percentile score with respect to all X-ray entries followed by that with respect to entries of similar resolution.

The Analysed column shows the number of residues for which the sidechain conformation was analysed, and the total number of residues.

Mol	Chain	Analysed	Rotameric	Outliers	Percentiles	
1	A	297/307 (97%)	290 (98%)	7 (2%)	43	70
1	B	297/307 (97%)	287 (97%)	10 (3%)	32	60
All	All	594/614 (97%)	577 (97%)	17 (3%)	37	65

All (17) residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	1	MET
1	A	2	LYS
1	A	152	GLU
1	A	168	SER
1	A	224	LEU
1	A	253	ASN
1	A	337	GLN
1	B	2	LYS
1	B	113	LEU
1	B	152	GLU
1	B	168	SER
1	B	226	THR
1	B	286	LYS
1	B	304	LEU
1	B	337	GLN
1	B	338	SER
1	B	340	SER

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. All (20) such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	50	GLN
1	A	65	GLN
1	A	115	ASN
1	A	194	HIS
1	A	201	ASN
1	A	253	ASN
1	A	263	ASN
1	A	310	ASN
1	A	337	GLN
1	B	50	GLN
1	B	115	ASN
1	B	164	GLN
1	B	179	ASN

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	189	GLN
1	B	194	HIS
1	B	201	ASN
1	B	263	ASN
1	B	296	ASN
1	B	310	ASN
1	B	323	GLN

5.3.3 RNA ⓘ

There are no RNA molecules in this entry.

5.4 Non-standard residues in protein, DNA, RNA chains ⓘ

There are no non-standard protein/DNA/RNA residues in this entry.

5.5 Carbohydrates ⓘ

There are no oligosaccharides in this entry.

5.6 Ligand geometry ⓘ

Of 11 ligands modelled in this entry, 2 are monoatomic - leaving 9 for Mogul analysis.

In the following table, the Counts columns list the number of bonds (or angles) for which Mogul statistics could be retrieved, the number of bonds (or angles) that are observed in the model and the number of bonds (or angles) that are defined in the Chemical Component Dictionary. The Link column lists molecule types, if any, to which the group is linked. The Z score for a bond length (or angle) is the number of standard deviations the observed value is removed from the expected value. A bond length (or angle) with $|Z| > 2$ is considered an outlier worth inspection. RMSZ is the root-mean-square of all Z scores of the bond lengths (or angles).

Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Link	Bond lengths			Bond angles		
					Counts	RMSZ	$\# Z > 2$	Counts	RMSZ	$\# Z > 2$
3	TRS	B	1342	-	7,7,7	0.38	0	9,9,9	0.82	0
3	TRS	A	1342	-	7,7,7	0.43	0	9,9,9	0.60	0
5	EDO	B	1344	-	3,3,3	0.69	0	2,2,2	0.16	0
5	EDO	A	1344	-	3,3,3	0.61	0	2,2,2	0.33	0
2	PUW	B	1341	-	12,12,12	0.75	0	13,15,15	1.37	2 (15%)
4	SO4	B	1343	-	4,4,4	0.24	0	6,6,6	0.15	0
4	SO4	A	1343	-	4,4,4	0.27	0	6,6,6	0.17	0

Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Link	Bond lengths			Bond angles		
					Counts	RMSZ	# Z > 2	Counts	RMSZ	# Z > 2
5	EDO	A	1345	-	3,3,3	0.43	0	2,2,2	0.33	0
2	PUW	A	1341	-	12,12,12	0.78	0	13,15,15	1.25	1 (7%)

In the following table, the Chirals column lists the number of chiral outliers, the number of chiral centers analysed, the number of these observed in the model and the number defined in the Chemical Component Dictionary. Similar counts are reported in the Torsion and Rings columns. '-' means no outliers of that kind were identified.

Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Link	Chirals	Torsions	Rings
3	TRS	B	1342	-	-	0/9/9/9	-
3	TRS	A	1342	-	-	5/9/9/9	-
5	EDO	B	1344	-	-	1/1/1/1	-
5	EDO	A	1344	-	-	1/1/1/1	-
2	PUW	B	1341	-	-	0/11/11/11	-
5	EDO	A	1345	-	-	0/1/1/1	-
2	PUW	A	1341	-	-	0/11/11/11	-

There are no bond length outliers.

All (3) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
2	B	1341	PUW	O1P-P-C1P	-3.51	102.98	111.10
2	A	1341	PUW	O1P-P-C1P	-3.04	104.08	111.10
2	B	1341	PUW	CD-NE-C1	2.32	127.15	122.82

There are no chirality outliers.

All (7) torsion outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms
3	A	1342	TRS	N-C-C1-O1
3	A	1342	TRS	C2-C-C1-O1
5	A	1344	EDO	O1-C1-C2-O2
3	A	1342	TRS	C3-C-C1-O1
3	A	1342	TRS	C2-C-C3-O3
5	B	1344	EDO	O1-C1-C2-O2
3	A	1342	TRS	N-C-C3-O3

There are no ring outliers.

No monomer is involved in short contacts.

5.7 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.

5.8 Polymer linkage issues [i](#)

There are no chain breaks in this entry.

6 Fit of model and data [i](#)

6.1 Protein, DNA and RNA chains [i](#)

In the following table, the column labelled ‘#RSRZ> 2’ contains the number (and percentage) of RSRZ outliers, followed by percent RSRZ outliers for the chain as percentile scores relative to all X-ray entries and entries of similar resolution. The OWAB column contains the minimum, median, 95th percentile and maximum values of the occupancy-weighted average B-factor per residue. The column labelled ‘Q< 0.9’ lists the number of (and percentage) of residues with an average occupancy less than 0.9.

Mol	Chain	Analysed	<RSRZ>	#RSRZ>2	OWAB(Å ²)	Q<0.9
1	A	341/355 (96%)	-0.54	3 (0%) 81 78	9, 16, 28, 65	8 (2%)
1	B	341/355 (96%)	-0.42	4 (1%) 76 73	9, 19, 40, 74	3 (0%)
All	All	682/710 (96%)	-0.48	7 (1%) 79 76	9, 17, 37, 74	11 (1%)

All (7) RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	B	341	ALA	6.2
1	A	341	ALA	5.8
1	A	75	PRO	2.9
1	B	75	PRO	2.8
1	B	150	LYS	2.4
1	A	1	MET	2.3
1	B	1	MET	2.2

6.2 Non-standard residues in protein, DNA, RNA chains [i](#)

There are no non-standard protein/DNA/RNA residues in this entry.

6.3 Carbohydrates [i](#)

There are no oligosaccharides in this entry.

6.4 Ligands [i](#)

In the following table, the Atoms column lists the number of modelled atoms in the group and the number defined in the chemical component dictionary. The B-factors column lists the minimum, median, 95th percentile and maximum values of B factors of atoms in the group. The column labelled ‘Q< 0.9’ lists the number of atoms with occupancy less than 0.9.

Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Atoms	RSCC	RSR	B-factors($\text{\AA}^2$)	Q<0.9
3	TRS	B	1342	8/8	0.71	0.18	31,33,33,34	0
5	EDO	B	1344	4/4	0.77	0.16	25,25,26,26	0
3	TRS	A	1342	8/8	0.81	0.14	30,31,31,31	0
5	EDO	A	1344	4/4	0.87	0.10	17,18,18,19	0
4	SO4	A	1343	5/5	0.90	0.16	47,48,48,49	0
5	EDO	A	1345	4/4	0.92	0.08	18,18,19,19	0
4	SO4	B	1343	5/5	0.92	0.11	44,45,46,46	0
2	PUW	B	1341	13/13	0.98	0.06	10,11,12,13	0
2	PUW	A	1341	13/13	0.99	0.05	8,10,11,12	0
6	NI	A	1346	1/1	0.99	0.03	20,20,20,20	1
6	NI	B	1345	1/1	1.00	0.06	18,18,18,18	1

6.5 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.