



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

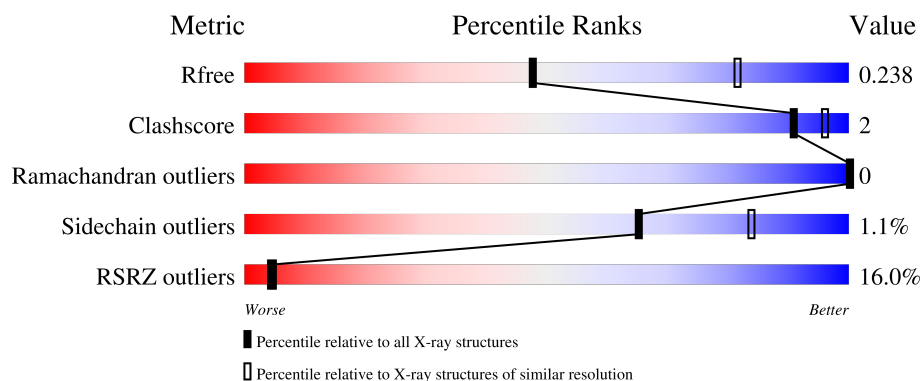
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 2.71 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	4348 (2.74-2.70)
Clashscore	190562	4665 (2.74-2.70)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	4584 (2.74-2.70)
Sidechain outliers	187428	4585 (2.74-2.70)
RSRZ outliers	180081	4348 (2.74-2.70)

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	291	25% 83% 6% 10%
1	B	291	3% 89% 8%

2 Entry composition

There is only 1 type of molecule in this entry. The entry contains 4226 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 Protein of unknown function with a Fic domain.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms						ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	262	Total	C	N	O	S	Se	0	1	0
			2077	1333	347	389	2	6			
1	B	268	Total	C	N	O	S	Se	0	0	0
			2149	1372	359	411	2	5			

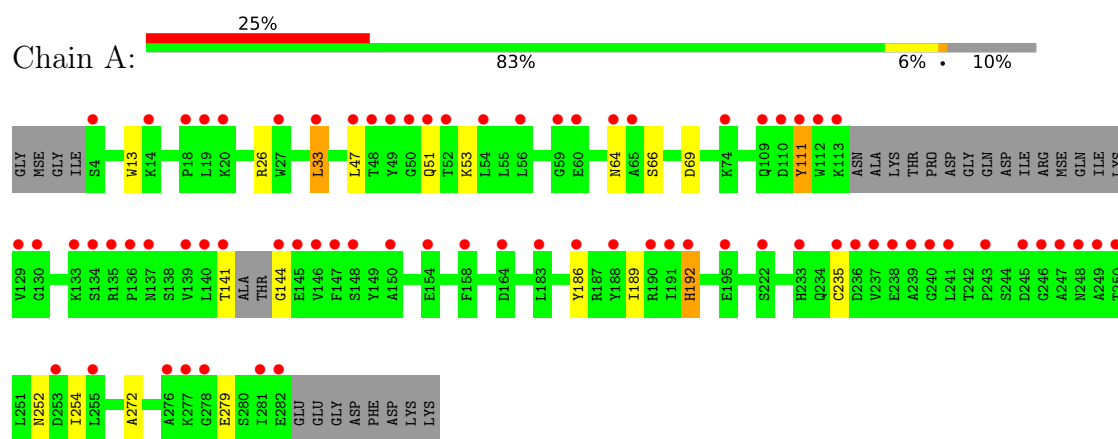
There are 2 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	0	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP Q8A4T4
B	0	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP Q8A4T4

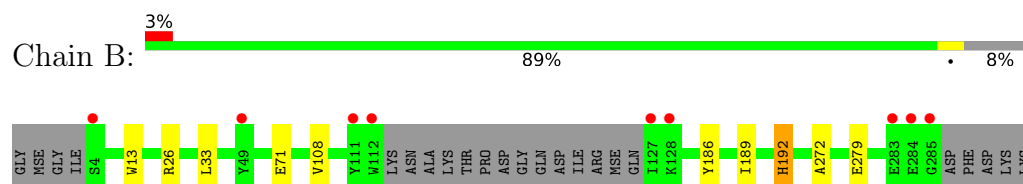
3 Residue-property plots [i](#)

These plots are drawn for all protein, RNA, DNA and oligosaccharide chains in the entry. The first graphic for a chain summarises the proportions of the various outlier classes displayed in the second graphic. The second graphic shows the sequence view annotated by issues in geometry and electron density. Residues are color-coded according to the number of geometric quality criteria for which they contain at least one outlier: green = 0, yellow = 1, orange = 2 and red = 3 or more. A red dot above a residue indicates a poor fit to the electron density ($RSRZ > 2$). Stretches of 2 or more consecutive residues without any outlier are shown as a green connector. Residues present in the sample, but not in the model, are shown in grey.

- Molecule 1: Protein of unknown function with a Fic domain



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4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 31 2 1	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	138.72Å 138.72Å 120.72Å 90.00° 90.00° 120.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	29.27 – 2.71 29.27 – 2.71	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	99.9 (29.27-2.71) 99.9 (29.27-2.71)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	0.15	Depositor
R_{sym}	0.15	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	2.09 (at 2.72Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	REFMAC 5.2.0019, PHENIX	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.222 , 0.248 (Not available) , 0.238	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	1840 reflections (5.00%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	49.6	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.242	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.30 , 42.4	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.48$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.31$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	0.035 for -h,-k,l	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.91	EDS
Total number of atoms	4226	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	51.0	wwPDB-VP

Xtriage's analysis on translational NCS is as follows: *The largest off-origin peak in the Patterson function is 4.14% 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

5.1 Standard geometry

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	0.54	0/2120	0.76	3/2866 (0.1%)
1	B	0.57	0/2191	0.74	2/2960 (0.1%)
All	All	0.56	0/4311	0.75	5/5826 (0.1%)

There are no bond length outliers.

All (5) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
1	B	192	HIS	CA-C-N	5.69	125.05	118.85
1	B	192	HIS	C-N-CA	5.69	125.05	118.85
1	A	111	TYR	N-CA-C	5.40	116.49	108.60
1	A	192	HIS	CA-C-N	5.05	124.35	118.85
1	A	192	HIS	C-N-CA	5.05	124.35	118.85

There are no chirality outliers.

There are no planarity outliers.

5.2 Too-close contacts

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	2077	0	2022	10	0
1	B	2149	0	2107	4	0
All	All	4226	0	4129	14	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 2.

All (14) 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:A:141:THR:O	1:A:144:GLY:N	2.26	0.68
1:A:51:GLN:NE2	1:A:64:ASN:O	2.31	0.56
1:B:26:ARG:NH2	1:B:279:GLU:O	2.43	0.51
1:A:26:ARG:NH2	1:A:279:GLU:O	2.43	0.51
1:A:66:SER:OG	1:A:69:ASP:OD2	2.25	0.51
1:A:13:TRP:CZ3	1:A:272:ALA:HB1	2.46	0.50
1:B:13:TRP:CZ3	1:B:272:ALA:HB1	2.46	0.50
1:A:186:TYR:O	1:A:189:ILE:HG22	2.11	0.49
1:A:47:LEU:HG	1:A:69:ASP:HB3	1.94	0.48
1:B:71:GLU:HB3	1:B:108:VAL:HG21	1.97	0.46
1:A:235:CYS:SG	1:A:254:ILE:HA	2.57	0.45
1:B:186:TYR:O	1:B:189:ILE:HG22	2.17	0.44
1:A:252:ASN:HD22	1:A:252:ASN:N	2.16	0.44
1:A:33:LEU:HD21	1:A:53:LYS:HA	2.02	0.41

There are no symmetry-related clashes.

5.3 Torsion angles

5.3.1 Protein backbone

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	257/291 (88%)	256 (100%)	1 (0%)	0	100	100
1	B	256/291 (88%)	255 (100%)	1 (0%)	0	100	100
All	All	513/582 (88%)	511 (100%)	2 (0%)	0	100	100

There are no Ramachandran outliers to report.

5.3.2 Protein sidechains ⓘ

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	220/249 (88%)	217 (99%)	3 (1%)	59	80
1	B	233/249 (94%)	231 (99%)	2 (1%)	70	86
All	All	453/498 (91%)	448 (99%)	5 (1%)	65	84

All (5) residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	33	LEU
1	A	111	TYR
1	A	192	HIS
1	B	33	LEU
1	B	192	HIS

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. All (6) such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	41	HIS
1	A	64	ASN
1	A	252	ASN
1	B	8	GLN
1	B	41	HIS
1	B	234	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 [i](#)

There are no oligosaccharides in this entry.

5.6 Ligand geometry [i](#)

There are no ligands in this entry.

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

6.1 Protein, DNA and RNA chains

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	257/291 (88%)	1.53	74 (28%) 1 1	17, 51, 66, 80	0
1	B	263/291 (90%)	0.20	9 (3%) 48 44	38, 51, 69, 106	0
All	All	520/582 (89%)	0.85	83 (15%) 5 4	17, 51, 67, 106	0

All (83) RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	B	285	GLY	7.4
1	A	282	GLU	7.4
1	A	137	ASN	6.3
1	A	4	SER	6.2
1	B	128	LYS	5.4
1	A	146	VAL	5.2
1	A	111	TYR	4.9
1	B	4	SER	4.6
1	A	113	LYS	4.4
1	A	136	PRO	4.4
1	A	135	ARG	4.1
1	A	144	GLY	3.8
1	A	51	GLN	3.8
1	A	145	GLU	3.8
1	A	147	PHE	3.7
1	A	148	SER	3.6
1	A	246	GLY	3.6
1	A	139	VAL	3.6
1	A	237	VAL	3.6
1	B	127	ILE	3.6
1	A	247	ALA	3.5
1	A	140	LEU	3.5
1	A	281	ILE	3.4
1	A	186	TYR	3.4

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	129	VAL	3.3
1	A	112	TRP	3.3
1	A	190	ARG	3.2
1	A	239	ALA	3.2
1	A	249	ALA	3.2
1	B	112	TRP	3.2
1	A	141	THR	3.1
1	A	49	TYR	3.1
1	A	253	ASP	3.1
1	A	236	ASP	3.0
1	A	48	THR	3.0
1	A	241	LEU	3.0
1	A	134	SER	3.0
1	A	52	THR	3.0
1	A	19	LEU	2.9
1	A	250	THR	2.9
1	A	74	LYS	2.9
1	B	284	GLU	2.8
1	A	64	ASN	2.8
1	A	65	ALA	2.8
1	A	14	LYS	2.8
1	A	47	LEU	2.8
1	A	191	ILE	2.8
1	A	248	ASN	2.8
1	B	49	TYR	2.8
1	A	18	PRO	2.7
1	A	20	LYS	2.7
1	A	245	ASP	2.6
1	A	130	GLY	2.6
1	A	240	GLY	2.6
1	A	222	SER	2.6
1	A	195	GLU	2.5
1	A	50	GLY	2.5
1	A	33	LEU	2.4
1	B	283	GLU	2.4
1	A	133	LYS	2.4
1	A	27	TRP	2.4
1	A	243	PRO	2.4
1	A	188	TYR	2.3
1	A	183	LEU	2.3
1	A	233	HIS	2.3
1	A	278	GLY	2.3

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	158	PHE	2.2
1	A	277	LYS	2.2
1	A	60	GLU	2.2
1	A	54	LEU	2.2
1	A	238	GLU	2.2
1	A	56	LEU	2.2
1	A	276	ALA	2.2
1	A	235	CYS	2.2
1	A	255	LEU	2.2
1	A	110	ASP	2.1
1	A	154	GLU	2.1
1	A	109	GLN	2.1
1	A	164	ASP	2.1
1	A	59	GLY	2.1
1	A	150	ALA	2.1
1	A	192	HIS	2.1
1	B	111	TYR	2.0

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