



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

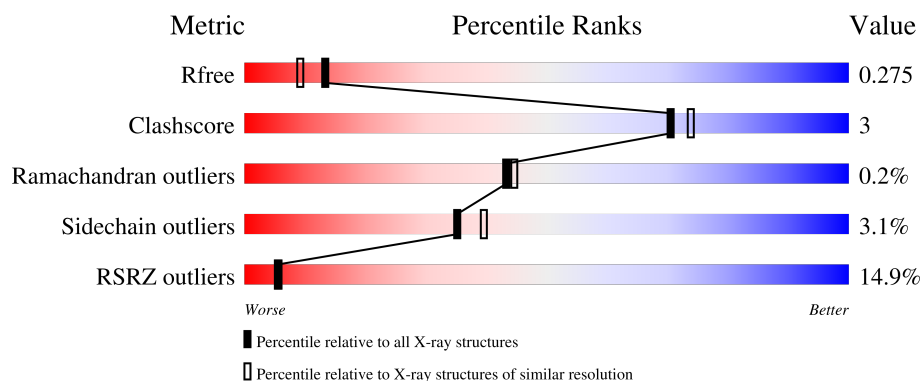
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 2.09 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	6658 (2.10-2.10)
Clashscore	190562	7164 (2.10-2.10)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	7099 (2.10-2.10)
Sidechain outliers	187428	7100 (2.10-2.10)
RSRZ outliers	180081	6662 (2.10-2.10)

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	361	11% 83% 9% 8%
1	B	361	16% 81% 10% 7%

2 Entry composition

There are 2 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 5502 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 Pesticin.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	333	Total	C	N	O	Se	0	1	0
			2636	1660	454	516	6			
1	B	335	Total	C	N	O	Se	0	2	0
			2655	1667	459	523	6			

There are 8 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	-3	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
A	-2	MSE	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
A	-1	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
A	0	GLU	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
B	-3	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
B	-2	MSE	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
B	-1	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159
B	0	GLU	-	expression tag	UNP Q57159

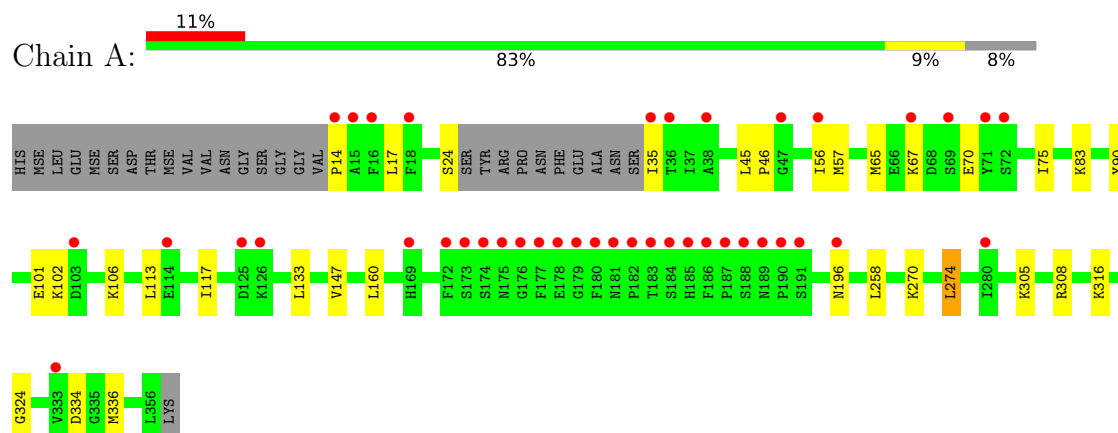
- Molecule 2 is water.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
2	A	116	Total	O	0	0
			116	116		
2	B	95	Total	O	0	0
			95	95		

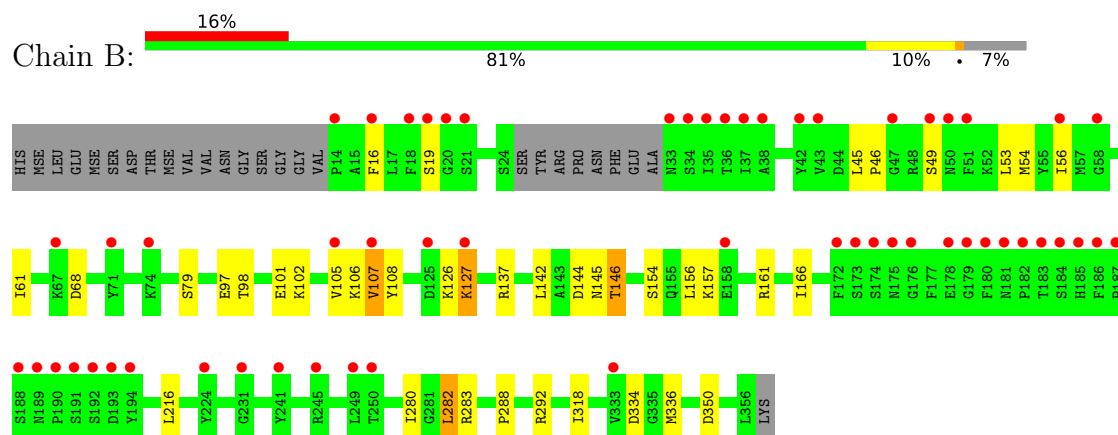
3 Residue-property plots [i](#)

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: Pesticin



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4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 1 21 1	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	36.50Å 86.90Å 122.23Å 90.00° 96.20° 90.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	36.76 – 2.09 36.76 – 2.09	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	100.0 (36.76-2.09) 95.9 (36.76-2.09)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	(Not available)	Depositor
R_{sym}	0.05	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	10.82 (at 2.10Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	REFMAC 5.2.0019	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.206 , 0.247 (Not available) , 0.275	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	2000 reflections (4.65%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	31.9	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.038	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.34 , 45.1	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.52$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.35$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	0.009 for h,-k,-h-l	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.94	EDS
Total number of atoms	5502	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	53.0	wwPDB-VP

Xtriage's analysis on translational NCS is as follows: *The analyses of the Patterson function reveals a significant off-origin peak that is 32.37 % of the origin peak, indicating pseudo-translational symmetry. The chance of finding a peak of this or larger height randomly in a structure without pseudo-translational symmetry is equal to 9.5091e-04. The detected translational NCS is most likely also responsible for the elevated intensity ratio.*

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	0.66	0/2678	0.84	0/3608
1	B	0.66	1/2697 (0.0%)	0.86	1/3636 (0.0%)
All	All	0.66	1/5375 (0.0%)	0.85	1/7244 (0.0%)

Chiral center outliers are detected by calculating the chiral volume of a chiral center and verifying if the center is modelled as a planar moiety or with the opposite hand. A planarity outlier is detected by checking planarity of atoms in a peptide group, atoms in a mainchain group or atoms of a sidechain that are expected to be planar.

Mol	Chain	#Chirality outliers	#Planarity outliers
1	B	0	1

All (1) bond length outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(Å)	Ideal(Å)
1	B	127	LYS	C-N	5.04	1.40	1.33

All (1) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
1	B	126	LYS	N-CA-C	5.28	117.68	110.24

There are no chirality outliers.

All (1) planarity outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Group
1	B	127	LYS	Mainchain

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	2636	0	2579	15	0
1	B	2655	0	2580	22	0
2	A	116	0	0	1	0
2	B	95	0	0	1	0
All	All	5502	0	5159	36	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 (36) 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:142:LEU:HD12	1:B:146:THR:CG2	2.24	0.68
1:B:79:SER:HB2	1:B:146:THR:HG23	1.76	0.66
1:B:144:ASP:OD2	1:B:146:THR:HG22	2.00	0.62
1:B:101:GLU:HB2	1:B:106:LYS:HG2	1.85	0.59
1:B:16:PHE:HB3	1:B:19:SER:OG	2.01	0.59
1:A:35:ILE:HD12	1:B:107:VAL:HG12	1.87	0.56
1:B:142:LEU:HD12	1:B:146:THR:HG22	1.89	0.55
1:A:56:ILE:HG22	1:A:57:MSE:HG2	1.88	0.55
1:A:90:TYR:HA	1:A:117:ILE:HD12	1.90	0.53
1:B:282:LEU:HD12	1:B:283:ARG:O	2.10	0.51
1:B:56:ILE:HD12	1:B:61:ILE:HD13	1.93	0.51
1:B:157:LYS:O	1:B:161:ARG:HG3	2.11	0.51
1:B:146:THR:HG21	2:B:461:HOH:O	2.11	0.50
1:A:14:PRO:HG2	1:A:17:LEU:HD13	1.93	0.49
1:A:334:ASP:OD2	1:A:336:MSE:HE3	2.12	0.48
1:B:98:THR:HA	1:B:137:ARG:O	2.13	0.48
1:B:334:ASP:OD2	1:B:336:MSE:HE3	2.13	0.47
1:B:97:GLU:HB3	1:B:108:TYR:HB3	1.96	0.46
1:A:258:LEU:HD12	2:A:475:HOH:O	2.14	0.46
1:B:101:GLU:OE1	1:B:108:TYR:OH	2.20	0.46
1:A:102:LYS:O	1:A:102:LYS:HG3	2.17	0.44
1:B:45:LEU:HA	1:B:46:PRO:HD3	1.84	0.44
1:A:65:MSE:HE2	1:A:67:LYS:HB2	2.01	0.43

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Atom-1	Atom-2	Interatomic distance (Å)	Clash overlap (Å)
1:B:166:ILE:O	1:B:292:ARG:HD2	2.19	0.43
1:B:54:MSE:SE	1:B:56:ILE:HD11	2.69	0.43
1:B:156:LEU:O	1:B:156:LEU:HD23	2.19	0.43
1:A:316:LYS:HD2	1:A:324:GLY:HA3	2.01	0.42
1:B:280:ILE:HD11	1:B:318:ILE:HG22	2.01	0.42
1:A:274:LEU:HD21	1:A:305:LYS:HE2	2.01	0.42
1:B:288:PRO:HB2	1:B:350:ASP:OD2	2.20	0.42
1:A:45:LEU:HD12	1:A:46:PRO:HD2	2.02	0.41
1:A:75:ILE:HD12	1:A:106:LYS:HE3	2.02	0.41
1:A:101:GLU:HB2	1:A:106:LYS:HG2	2.03	0.41
1:A:45:LEU:HD22	1:A:113:LEU:HD11	2.03	0.41
1:B:49:SER:O	1:B:145:ASN:ND2	2.43	0.41
1:A:14:PRO:HB2	1:A:17:LEU:HD13	2.02	0.40

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	330/361 (91%)	323 (98%)	7 (2%)	0	100	100
1	B	333/361 (92%)	323 (97%)	9 (3%)	1 (0%)	36	36
All	All	663/722 (92%)	646 (97%)	16 (2%)	1 (0%)	43	44

All (1) Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	102	LYS

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	292/310 (94%)	282 (97%)	10 (3%)	32	35
1	B	294/310 (95%)	286 (97%)	8 (3%)	39	45
All	All	586/620 (94%)	568 (97%)	18 (3%)	35	39

All (18) residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	24	SER
1	A	70	GLU
1	A	83	LYS
1	A	133	LEU
1	A	147	VAL
1	A	160	LEU
1	A	196	ASN
1	A	270	LYS
1	A	274	LEU
1	A	308	ARG
1	B	53	LEU
1	B	68	ASP
1	B	105	VAL
1	B	107	VAL
1	B	146	THR
1	B	154	SER
1	B	216	LEU
1	B	282	LEU

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. All (8) such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	123	HIS
1	A	134	ASN
1	A	135	ASN
1	A	189	ASN

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	214	GLN
1	B	134	ASN
1	B	135	ASN
1	B	331	ASN

5.3.3 RNA [i](#)

There are no RNA molecules in this entry.

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

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	327/361 (90%)	0.86	41 (12%) 8 8	27, 46, 87, 146	1 (0%)
1	B	329/361 (91%)	1.06	57 (17%) 4 4	18, 50, 104, 152	2 (0%)
All	All	656/722 (90%)	0.96	98 (14%) 5 5	18, 48, 100, 152	3 (0%)

All (98) RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	183	THR	9.1
1	A	184	SER	8.9
1	B	186	PHE	7.6
1	B	184	SER	7.4
1	A	187	PRO	7.0
1	A	186	PHE	7.0
1	B	185	HIS	7.0
1	B	183	THR	6.8
1	B	187	PRO	6.8
1	A	185	HIS	6.8
1	A	182	PRO	6.7
1	A	181	ASN	6.7
1	B	188	SER	6.6
1	B	182	PRO	6.5
1	A	190	PRO	6.3
1	B	181	ASN	6.2
1	B	190	PRO	6.0
1	B	34	SER	5.5
1	A	188	SER	5.5
1	B	189	ASN	5.3
1	A	71	TYR	5.2
1	B	33	ASN	5.2
1	A	172	PHE	5.2
1	A	180	PHE	5.2

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	189	ASN	5.1
1	B	19	SER	5.1
1	A	179	GLY	5.0
1	B	35	ILE	5.0
1	B	180	PHE	5.0
1	B	36	THR	5.0
1	B	16	PHE	4.6
1	A	333	VAL	4.5
1	A	191	SER	4.5
1	B	71	TYR	4.2
1	A	125	ASP	4.2
1	B	179	GLY	4.1
1	A	175	ASN	3.9
1	A	173	SER	3.8
1	B	191	SER	3.8
1	A	178	GLU	3.6
1	B	14	PRO	3.5
1	B	37	ILE	3.4
1	B	67	LYS	3.3
1	A	35	ILE	3.3
1	B	58	GLY	3.2
1	B	175	ASN	3.2
1	A	177	PHE	3.1
1	A	56	ILE	3.1
1	A	174	SER	3.0
1	B	43	VAL	3.0
1	B	192	SER	3.0
1	B	51	PHE	2.9
1	B	173	SER	2.9
1	A	14	PRO	2.9
1	B	42	TYR	2.9
1	B	333	VAL	2.8
1	B	127	LYS	2.8
1	B	178	GLU	2.8
1	B	172	PHE	2.8
1	B	38	ALA	2.8
1	B	224	TYR	2.8
1	A	38	ALA	2.7
1	B	241	TYR	2.7
1	A	15	ALA	2.7
1	B	194	TYR	2.6
1	A	280	ILE	2.6

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	196	ASN	2.6
1	A	36	THR	2.5
1	B	250	THR	2.5
1	A	16	PHE	2.5
1	B	249	LEU	2.4
1	A	47	GLY	2.4
1	A	67	LYS	2.4
1	B	18	PHE	2.4
1	B	176	GLY	2.3
1	B	21	SER	2.3
1	B	49	SER	2.3
1	A	169	HIS	2.3
1	B	56	ILE	2.3
1	B	158	GLU	2.3
1	B	245	ARG	2.3
1	B	193	ASP	2.3
1	A	69	SER	2.2
1	A	18	PHE	2.2
1	B	174	SER	2.2
1	B	105	VAL	2.2
1	A	72	SER	2.2
1	B	107	VAL	2.1
1	A	103	ASP	2.1
1	A	176	GLY	2.1
1	B	20	GLY	2.1
1	A	126	LYS	2.1
1	B	231	GLY	2.1
1	B	74	LYS	2.1
1	B	50	ASN	2.0
1	B	125	ASP	2.0
1	B	47	GLY	2.0
1	A	114	GLU	2.0

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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](#)

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6.5 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.