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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)	:	NOT EXECUTED
EDS	:	NOT EXECUTED
Percentile statistics	:	20250101.v01 (using entries in the PDB archive January 1st 2025)
Ideal geometry (proteins)	:	Engh & Huber (2001)
Ideal geometry (DNA, RNA)	:	Parkinson et al. (1996)
Validation Pipeline (wwPDB-VP)	:	2.49

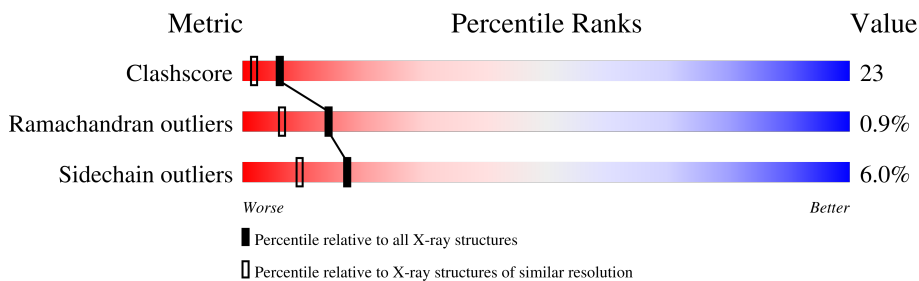
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 1.90 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))
Clashscore	190562	8410 (1.90-1.90)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	8333 (1.90-1.90)
Sidechain outliers	187428	8333 (1.90-1.90)

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 $\leq 5\%$.

Note EDS was not executed.

Mol	Chain	Length	Quality of chain
1	A	323	57% 36% 7%
1	B	323	48% 40% 12%

The following table lists non-polymeric compounds, carbohydrate monomers and non-standard residues in protein, DNA, RNA chains that are outliers for geometric or electron-density-fit criteria:

Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Chirality	Geometry	Clashes	Electron density
5	GOL	A	902	-	X	-	-

2 Entry composition

There are 6 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 5419 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 PORPHOBILINOGEN SYNTHASE.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	323	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			2463	1538	429	476	20			
1	B	323	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			2463	1538	429	476	20			

There are 2 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	133	CME	CYS	modified residue	UNP P0ACB2
B	133	CME	CYS	modified residue	UNP P0ACB2

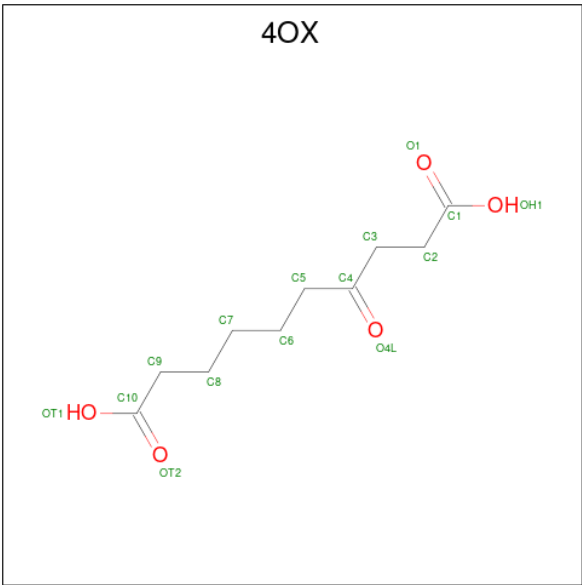
- Molecule 2 is ZINC ION (CCD ID: ZN) (formula: Zn).

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
2	A	1	Total	Zn	0	0
			1	1		
2	B	1	Total	Zn	0	0
			1	1		

- Molecule 3 is MAGNESIUM ION (CCD ID: MG) (formula: Mg).

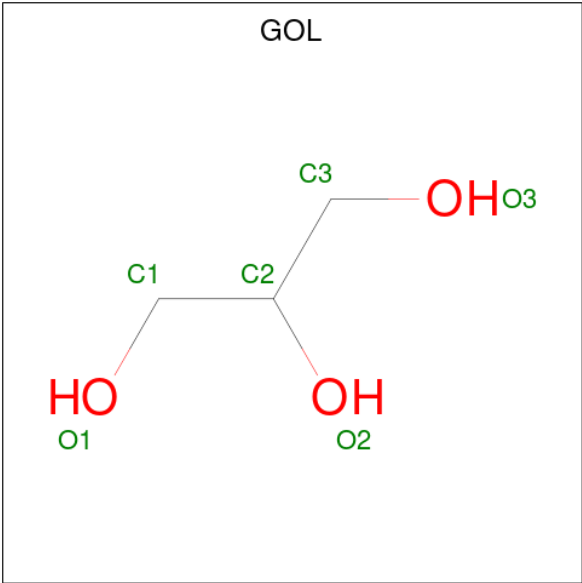
Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
3	A	1	Total	Mg	0	0
			1	1		
3	B	1	Total	Mg	0	0
			1	1		

- Molecule 4 is 4-OXODECANEDIOIC ACID (CCD ID: 4OX) (formula: C₁₀H₁₆O₅).



Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms			ZeroOcc	AltConf
4	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			14	10	4		
4	B	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			14	10	4		

- Molecule 5 is GLYCEROL (CCD ID: GOL) (formula: C₃H₈O₃).



Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms			ZeroOcc	AltConf
5	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			6	3	3		
5	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			6	3	3		

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Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms			ZeroOcc	AltConf
5	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			6	3	3		
5	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			6	3	3		
5	B	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			6	3	3		

- Molecule 6 is water.

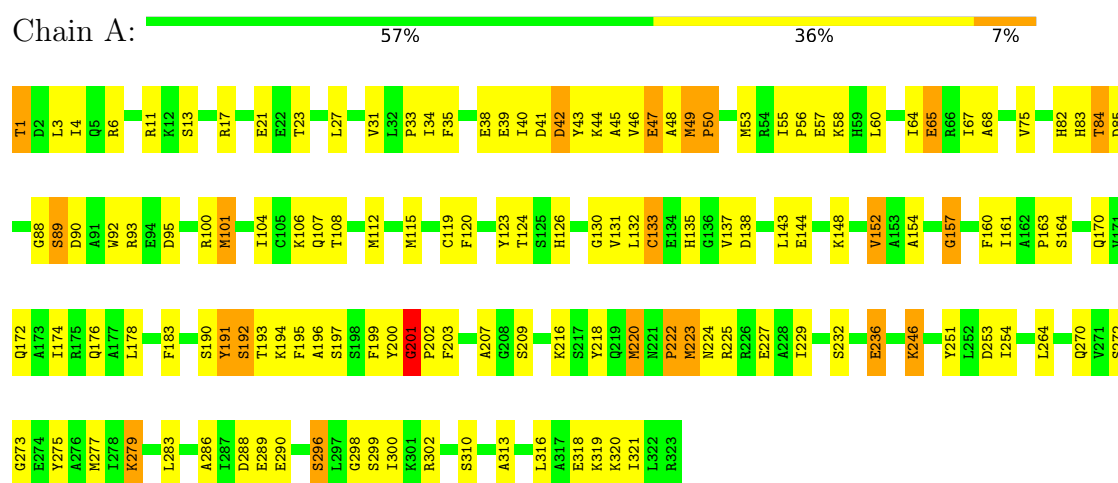
Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
6	A	216	Total	O	0	0
			216	216		
6	B	215	Total	O	0	0
			215	215		

3 Residue-property plots [i](#)

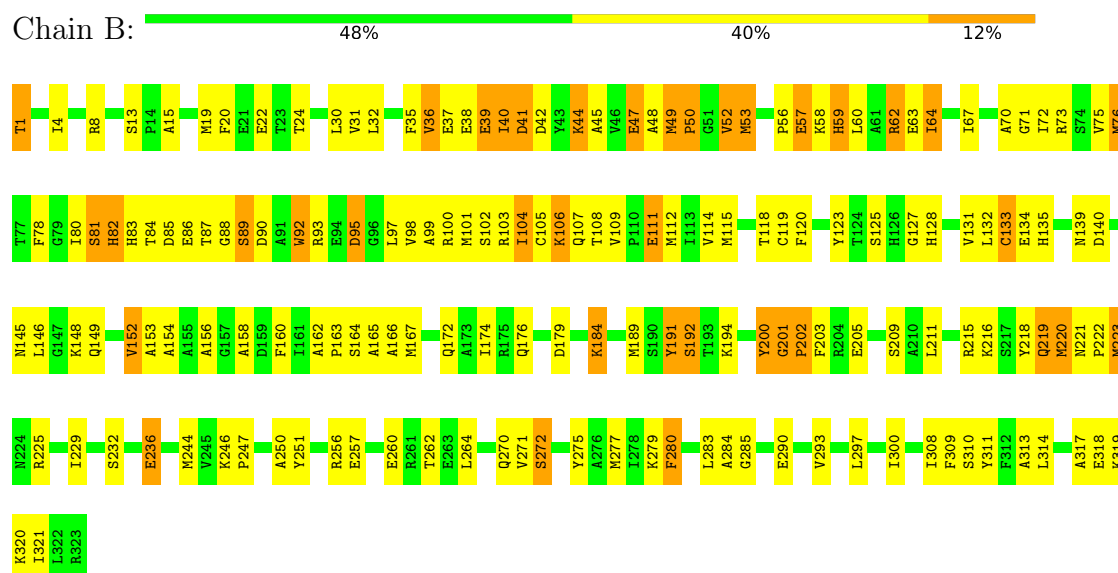
These plots are drawn for all protein, RNA, DNA and oligosaccharide chains in the entry. The first graphic for a chain summarises the proportions of the various outlier classes displayed in the second graphic. The second graphic shows the sequence view annotated by issues in geometry. Residues are color-coded 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. 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.

Note EDS was not executed.

• Molecule 1: PORPHOBILINOGEN SYNTHASE



• Molecule 1: PORPHOBILINOGEN SYNTHASE



4 Data and refinement statistics

Xtriage (Phenix) and EDS were not executed - this section is therefore incomplete.

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 4 21 2	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	129.00Å 129.00Å 142.80Å 90.00° 90.00° 90.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	40.00 – 1.90	Depositor
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	99.8 (40.00-1.90)	Depositor
R_{merge}	0.06	Depositor
R_{sym}	(Not available)	Depositor
Refinement program	CNS	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.206 , 0.263	Depositor
Estimated twinning fraction	No twinning to report.	Xtriage
Total number of atoms	5419	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	43.0	wwPDB-VP

5 Model quality

5.1 Standard geometry

Bond lengths and bond angles in the following residue types are not validated in this section: GOL, 4OX, CME, ZN, MG

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	1.12	4/2491 (0.2%)	1.44	34/3360 (1.0%)
1	B	1.12	5/2491 (0.2%)	1.38	36/3360 (1.1%)
All	All	1.12	9/4982 (0.2%)	1.41	70/6720 (1.0%)

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

The worst 5 of 9 bond length outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(Å)	Ideal(Å)
1	A	254	ILE	CA-CB	6.72	1.62	1.54
1	A	101	MET	SD-CE	6.13	1.94	1.79
1	B	49	MET	SD-CE	6.08	1.94	1.79
1	B	229	ILE	CA-CB	5.53	1.60	1.54
1	A	47	GLU	CA-C	-5.45	1.45	1.52

The worst 5 of 70 bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
1	A	201	GLY	CA-C-N	10.04	129.66	119.82
1	A	201	GLY	C-N-CA	10.04	129.66	119.82
1	B	90	ASP	N-CA-C	-9.92	100.44	112.54
1	B	62	ARG	N-CA-C	-9.34	101.05	111.14
1	B	313	ALA	N-CA-C	8.62	120.67	111.28

There are no chirality outliers.

All (1) planarity outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Group
1	B	200	TYR	Sidechain

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	2463	0	2418	99	1
1	B	2463	0	2418	128	2
2	A	1	0	0	0	0
2	B	1	0	0	0	0
3	A	1	0	0	0	0
3	B	1	0	0	0	0
4	A	14	0	14	0	0
4	B	14	0	14	4	0
5	A	24	0	32	0	0
5	B	6	0	8	1	0
6	A	216	0	0	9	1
6	B	215	0	0	12	0
All	All	5419	0	4904	223	4

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 23.

The worst 5 of 223 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:236:GLU:HG3	1:A:264:LEU:HD12	1.48	0.92
1:A:132:LEU:O	1:A:133:CME:HE3	1.75	0.84
1:A:236:GLU:HG3	1:A:264:LEU:CD1	2.08	0.84
1:B:172:GLN:O	1:B:176:GLN:HG3	1.84	0.78
1:B:103:ARG:HD3	6:B:629:HOH:O	1.83	0.77

All (4) symmetry-related close contacts are listed below. The label for Atom-2 includes the symmetry operator and encoded unit-cell translations to be applied.

Atom-1	Atom-2	Interatomic distance (Å)	Clash overlap (Å)
6:A:610:HOH:O	6:A:610:HOH:O[8_666]	1.48	0.72
1:B:39:GLU:OE2	1:B:39:GLU:OE2[8_665]	1.78	0.42
1:A:39:GLU:OE2	1:A:39:GLU:OE2[8_666]	1.94	0.26
1:B:83:HIS:NE2	1:B:83:HIS:NE2[8_665]	2.01	0.19

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	320/323 (99%)	297 (93%)	21 (7%)	2 (1%)	21	13
1	B	320/323 (99%)	299 (93%)	17 (5%)	4 (1%)	9	3
All	All	640/646 (99%)	596 (93%)	38 (6%)	6 (1%)	14	6

5 of 6 Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	57	GLU
1	A	50	PRO
1	B	134	GLU
1	A	201	GLY
1	B	50	PRO

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	251/257 (98%)	238 (95%)	13 (5%)	21	13

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Mol	Chain	Analysed	Rotameric	Outliers	Percentiles	
1	B	251/257 (98%)	234 (93%)	17 (7%)	14	7
All	All	502/514 (98%)	472 (94%)	30 (6%)	17	9

5 of 30 residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	24	THR
1	B	152	VAL
1	B	42	ASP
1	B	321	ILE
1	B	95	ASP

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. 5 of 10 such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	107	GLN
1	B	219	GLN
1	B	270	GLN
1	A	270	GLN
1	B	69	ASN

5.3.3 RNA ⓘ

There are no RNA molecules in this entry.

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

2 non-standard protein/DNA/RNA residues are modelled in this entry.

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	$\# Z > 2$
1	CME	B	133	1	8,9,10	0.78	0	6,9,11	1.24	1 (16%)

Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Link	Bond lengths			Bond angles		
					Counts	RMSZ	# Z > 2	Counts	RMSZ	# Z > 2
1	CME	A	133	1	8,9,10	0.85	0	6,9,11	1.30	1 (16%)

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
1	CME	B	133	1	-	1/5/8/10	-
1	CME	A	133	1	-	1/5/8/10	-

There are no bond length outliers.

All (2) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed($^{\circ}$)	Ideal($^{\circ}$)
1	B	133	CME	CB-SG-SD	2.75	110.97	103.86
1	A	133	CME	CB-CA-C	-2.28	104.61	110.80

There are no chirality outliers.

All (2) torsion outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms
1	A	133	CME	CZ-CE-SD-SG
1	B	133	CME	CZ-CE-SD-SG

There are no ring outliers.

2 monomers are involved in 5 short contacts:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Clashes	Symm-Clashes
1	B	133	CME	2	0
1	A	133	CME	3	0

5.5 Carbohydrates [i](#)

There are no oligosaccharides in this entry.

5.6 Ligand geometry [i](#)

Of 11 ligands modelled in this entry, 4 are monoatomic - leaving 7 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
5	GOL	A	901	-	5,5,5	2.24	2 (40%)	5,5,5	1.44	1 (20%)
5	GOL	A	902	-	5,5,5	1.65	2 (40%)	5,5,5	1.07	0
4	4OX	B	350	1	13,13,14	1.04	0	14,14,16	1.43	4 (28%)
5	GOL	A	905	-	5,5,5	1.97	2 (40%)	5,5,5	1.07	0
5	GOL	B	903	-	5,5,5	1.44	1 (20%)	5,5,5	0.86	0
4	4OX	A	350	1	13,13,14	1.41	1 (7%)	14,14,16	0.91	1 (7%)
5	GOL	A	904	-	5,5,5	1.85	2 (40%)	5,5,5	1.38	0

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
5	GOL	A	901	-	-	2/4/4/4	-
5	GOL	A	902	-	-	4/4/4/4	-
4	4OX	B	350	1	-	8/11/11/13	-
5	GOL	A	905	-	-	3/4/4/4	-
5	GOL	B	903	-	-	4/4/4/4	-
4	4OX	A	350	1	-	6/11/11/13	-
5	GOL	A	904	-	-	3/4/4/4	-

The worst 5 of 10 bond length outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(Å)	Ideal(Å)
4	A	350	4OX	C9-C10	3.54	1.58	1.50
5	A	901	GOL	C3-C2	3.26	1.64	1.51
5	A	901	GOL	C1-C2	2.99	1.63	1.51
5	A	905	GOL	C1-C2	2.63	1.61	1.51
5	A	904	GOL	C1-C2	2.55	1.61	1.51

The worst 5 of 6 bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
4	B	350	4OX	C8-C9-C10	-2.34	108.39	114.51
5	A	901	GOL	C3-C2-C1	2.27	120.12	111.80
4	B	350	4OX	C3-C2-C1	-2.23	108.68	114.51
4	B	350	4OX	OT2-C10-C9	-2.20	116.10	123.09
4	B	350	4OX	O1-C1-C2	-2.02	116.69	123.09

There are no chirality outliers.

5 of 30 torsion outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms
5	A	901	GOL	C1-C2-C3-O3
5	A	902	GOL	C1-C2-C3-O3
5	A	902	GOL	O2-C2-C3-O3
5	A	904	GOL	C1-C2-C3-O3
5	A	905	GOL	C1-C2-C3-O3

There are no ring outliers.

2 monomers are involved in 5 short contacts:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Clashes	Symm-Clashes
4	B	350	4OX	4	0
5	B	903	GOL	1	0

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](#)

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

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6.3 Carbohydrates [i](#)

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6.4 Ligands [i](#)

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