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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

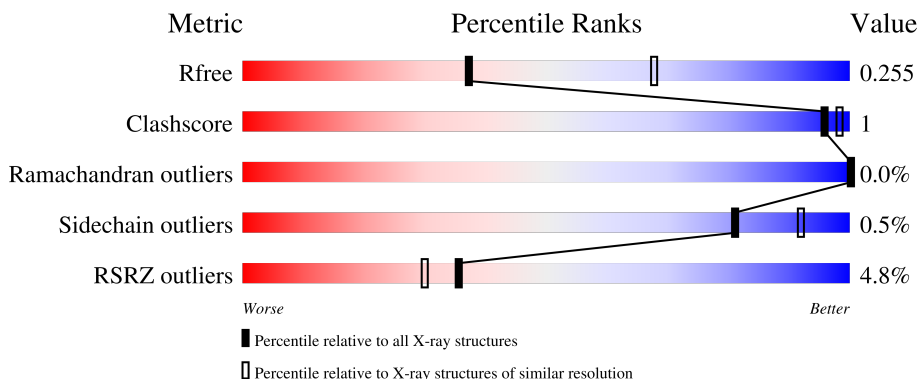
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 2.60 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	4008 (2.60-2.60)
Clashscore	190562	4347 (2.60-2.60)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	4277 (2.60-2.60)
Sidechain outliers	187428	4277 (2.60-2.60)
RSRZ outliers	180081	4008 (2.60-2.60)

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	1335	4% 94% • •
1	B	1335	6% 94% • •
2	C	5	20% 80%
2	D	5	40% 60%

2 Entry composition

There are 5 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 21439 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 Tetanus toxin.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	1293	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			10444	6696	1704	2009	35			
1	B	1286	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			10398	6664	1697	2002	35			

There are 44 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

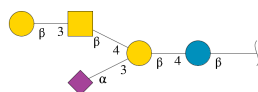
Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	-19	MET	-	initiating methionine	UNP P04958
A	-18	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-17	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-16	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-15	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-14	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-13	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-12	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-11	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-10	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-9	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-8	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-7	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-6	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-5	VAL	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-4	PRO	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-3	ARG	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-2	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	-1	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	0	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
A	372	ALA	ARG	engineered mutation	UNP P04958
A	375	PHE	TYR	engineered mutation	UNP P04958
B	-19	MET	-	initiating methionine	UNP P04958
B	-18	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-17	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958

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Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
B	-16	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-15	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-14	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-13	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-12	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-11	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-10	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-9	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-8	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-7	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-6	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-5	VAL	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-4	PRO	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-3	ARG	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-2	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	-1	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	0	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P04958
B	372	ALA	ARG	engineered mutation	UNP P04958
B	375	PHE	TYR	engineered mutation	UNP P04958

- Molecule 2 is an oligosaccharide called beta-D-galactopyranose-(1-3)-2-acetamido-2-deoxy-beta-D-galactopyranose-(1-4)-[N-acetyl-alpha-neuraminic acid-(2-3)]beta-D-galactopyranose-(1-4)-beta-D-glucopyranose.

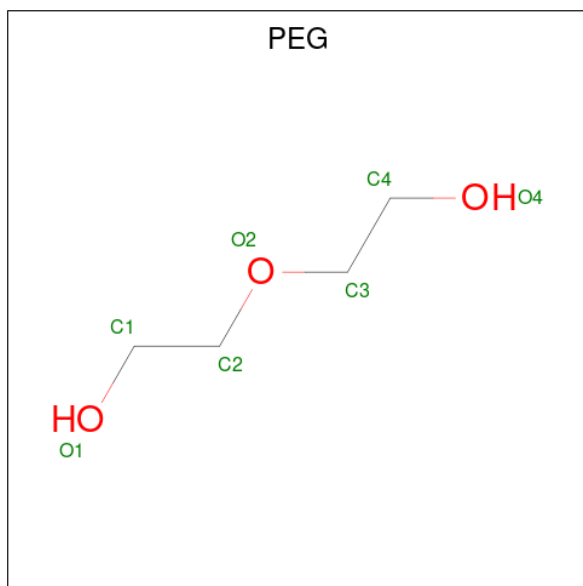


Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms				ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
2	C	5	Total	C	N	O	0	0	0
			68	37	2	29			
2	D	5	Total	C	N	O	0	0	0
			68	37	2	29			

- Molecule 3 is ZINC ION (CCD ID: ZN) (formula: Zn).

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

- Molecule 4 is DI(HYDROXYETHYL)ETHER (CCD ID: PEG) (formula: $C_4H_{10}O_3$).

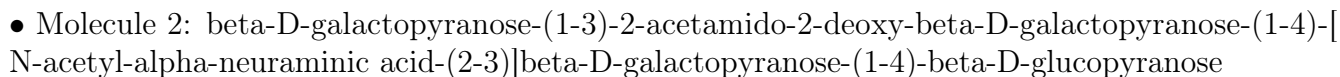
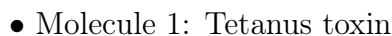


Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms			ZeroOcc	AltConf
4	A	1	Total	C	O	0	0
			7	4	3		

- Molecule 5 is water.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
5	A	242	Total	O	0	0
			242	242		
5	B	210	Total	O	0	0
			210	210		

- Molecule 1: Tetanus toxin



Chain C:  20% 80%

BGC1
GAL2
NGA3
GAL4
SIA5

- Molecule 2: beta-D-galactopyranose-(1-3)-2-acetamido-2-deoxy-beta-D-galactopyranose-(1-4)-[N-acetyl-alpha-neuraminic acid-(2-3)]beta-D-galactopyranose-(1-4)-beta-D-glucopyranose

Chain D:  40% 60%

BGC1
GAL2
NGA3
GAL4
SIA5

4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 1 21 1	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	92.23Å 137.45Å 152.40Å 90.00° 90.12° 90.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	68.50 – 2.60 68.50 – 2.60	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	99.8 (68.50-2.60) 99.8 (68.50-2.60)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	0.13	Depositor
R_{sym}	(Not available)	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	1.98 (at 2.62Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	REFMAC 5.8.0158	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.221 , 0.253 0.224 , 0.255	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	5742 reflections (4.92%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	36.6	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.098	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.28 , 35.0	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.47$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.29$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	0.031 for h,-k,-l	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.93	EDS
Total number of atoms	21439	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	49.0	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 34.92 % 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 6.3269e-04. The detected translational NCS is most likely also responsible for the elevated intensity ratio.*

¹ Intensities estimated from amplitudes.

² Theoretical 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

Bond lengths and bond angles in the following residue types are not validated in this section: ZN, PEG, SIA, GAL, BGC, NGA

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	0.58	0/10667	0.77	0/14454
1	B	0.58	0/10619	0.77	0/14387
All	All	0.58	0/21286	0.77	0/28841

There are no bond length outliers.

There are no bond angle outliers.

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	10444	0	10375	28	0
1	B	10398	0	10322	19	0
2	C	68	0	58	0	0
2	D	68	0	58	0	0
3	A	1	0	0	0	0
3	B	1	0	0	0	0
4	A	7	0	10	0	0
5	A	242	0	0	0	0
5	B	210	0	0	0	0
All	All	21439	0	20823	47	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 1.

The worst 5 of 47 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:210:ILE:HD11	1:B:739:TYR:CE2	2.35	0.62
1:A:737:ARG:HB2	1:A:797:MET:HE2	1.82	0.62
1:A:737:ARG:CB	1:A:797:MET:HE2	2.33	0.59
1:B:726:TRP:HD1	1:B:809:MET:HE1	1.70	0.57
1:A:649:ALA:CB	1:A:741:MET:HE1	2.39	0.53

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	1287/1335 (96%)	1242 (96%)	45 (4%)	0	100	100
1	B	1280/1335 (96%)	1232 (96%)	47 (4%)	1 (0%)	48	70
All	All	2567/2670 (96%)	2474 (96%)	92 (4%)	1 (0%)	100	100

All (1) Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	605	GLN

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	1178/1216 (97%)	1173 (100%)	5 (0%)	84	93
1	B	1173/1216 (96%)	1167 (100%)	6 (0%)	81	92
All	All	2351/2432 (97%)	2340 (100%)	11 (0%)	81	92

5 of 11 residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	289	ASN
1	B	866	ASN
1	B	994	SER
1	B	874	GLU
1	A	1262	ASN

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. 5 of 42 such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	B	506	ASN
1	B	998	ASN
1	B	580	ASN
1	B	807	ASN
1	B	1068	ASN

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 ⓘ

10 monosaccharides 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	$\# Z > 2$
2	BGC	C	1	2	12,12,12	0.77	0	17,17,17	1.38	4 (23%)
2	GAL	C	2	2	11,11,12	0.52	0	15,15,17	1.22	2 (13%)
2	NGA	C	3	2	14,14,15	0.41	0	17,19,21	0.89	0
2	GAL	C	4	2	11,11,12	0.32	0	15,15,17	0.90	1 (6%)
2	SIA	C	5	2	20,20,21	0.70	0	21,28,31	1.40	4 (19%)
2	BGC	D	1	2	12,12,12	0.75	0	17,17,17	1.37	4 (23%)
2	GAL	D	2	2	11,11,12	0.48	0	15,15,17	1.11	2 (13%)
2	NGA	D	3	2	14,14,15	0.33	0	17,19,21	0.97	0
2	GAL	D	4	2	11,11,12	0.32	0	15,15,17	0.62	0
2	SIA	D	5	2	20,20,21	0.67	0	21,28,31	1.32	2 (9%)

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
2	BGC	C	1	2	-	0/2/22/22	0/1/1/1
2	GAL	C	2	2	-	2/2/19/22	0/1/1/1
2	NGA	C	3	2	-	1/6/23/26	0/1/1/1
2	GAL	C	4	2	-	2/2/19/22	0/1/1/1
2	SIA	C	5	2	-	4/18/34/38	0/1/1/1
2	BGC	D	1	2	-	0/2/22/22	0/1/1/1
2	GAL	D	2	2	-	2/2/19/22	0/1/1/1
2	NGA	D	3	2	-	2/6/23/26	0/1/1/1
2	GAL	D	4	2	-	2/2/19/22	0/1/1/1
2	SIA	D	5	2	-	5/18/34/38	0/1/1/1

There are no bond length outliers.

The worst 5 of 19 bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
2	C	5	SIA	C11-C10-N5	3.49	121.90	116.12
2	C	1	BGC	C1-O5-C5	3.41	120.24	113.65
2	D	1	BGC	C1-O5-C5	2.92	119.30	113.65
2	C	2	GAL	C1-O5-C5	2.83	115.98	112.19

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
2	D	5	SIA	O1B-C1-C2	2.82	120.05	112.71

There are no chirality outliers.

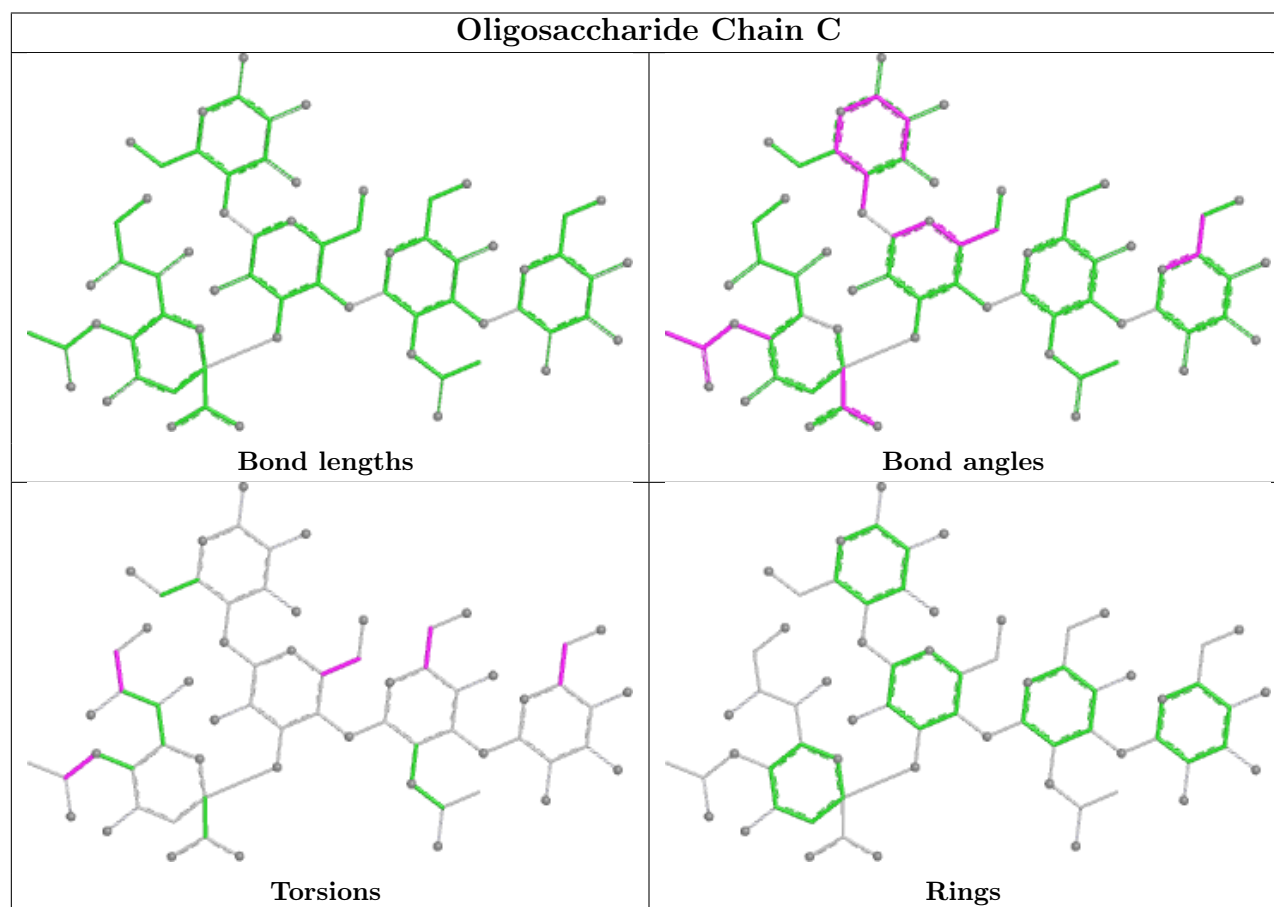
5 of 20 torsion outliers are listed below:

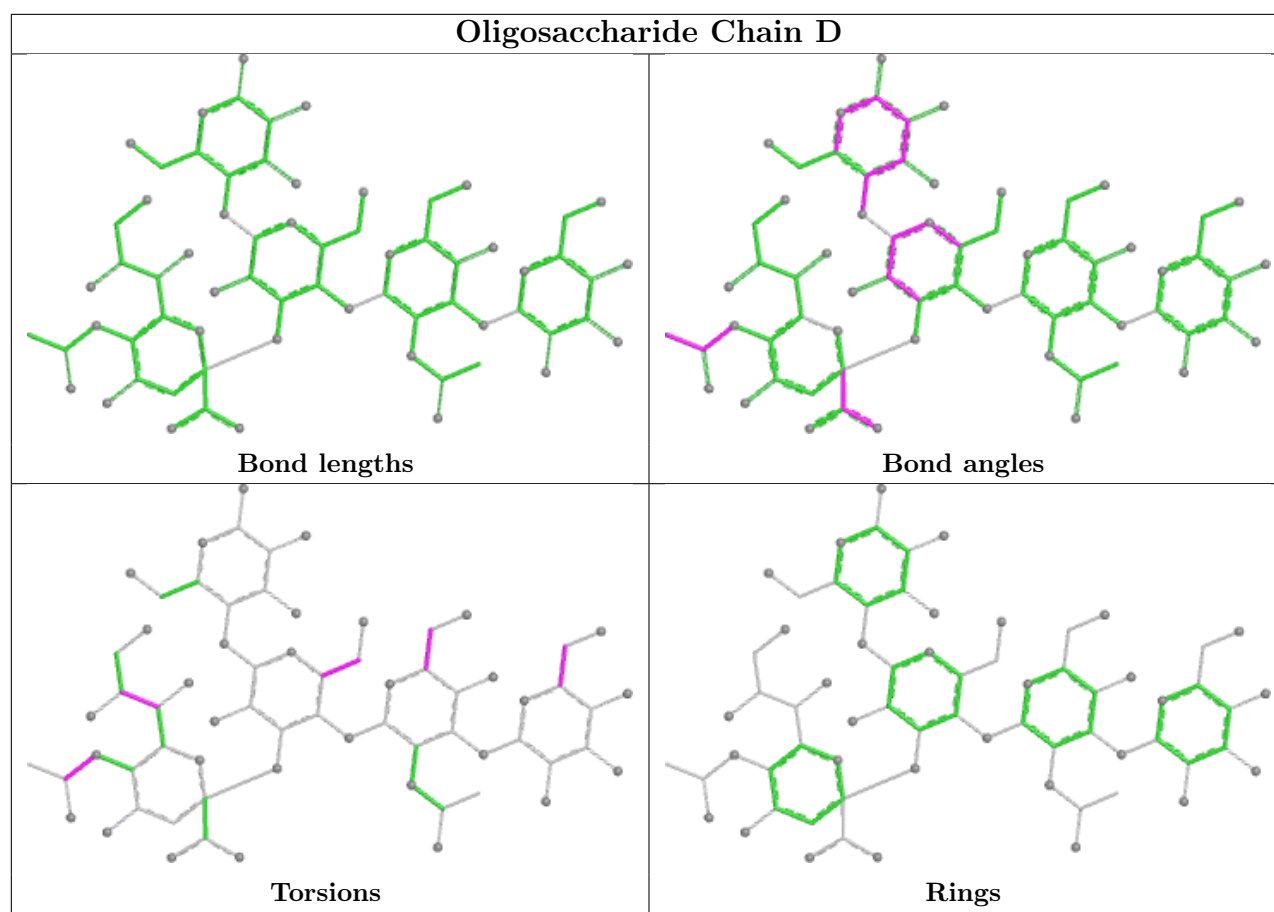
Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms
2	C	5	SIA	O8-C8-C9-O9
2	C	4	GAL	O5-C5-C6-O6
2	C	5	SIA	C7-C8-C9-O9
2	C	2	GAL	O5-C5-C6-O6
2	C	4	GAL	C4-C5-C6-O6

There are no ring outliers.

No monomer is involved in short contacts.

The following is a two-dimensional graphical depiction of Mogul quality analysis of bond lengths, bond angles, torsion angles, and ring geometry for oligosaccharide.





5.6 Ligand geometry [i](#)

Of 3 ligands modelled in this entry, 2 are monoatomic - leaving 1 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	$\# Z > 2$
4	PEG	A	1407	-	6,6,6	0.45	0	5,5,5	0.32	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
4	PEG	A	1407	-	-	0/4/4/4	-

There are no bond length outliers.

There are no bond angle outliers.

There are no chirality outliers.

There are no torsion outliers.

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	1293/1335 (96%)	0.13	50 (3%) 43 38	18, 41, 90, 138	0
1	B	1286/1335 (96%)	0.33	75 (5%) 29 23	16, 48, 103, 159	0
All	All	2579/2670 (96%)	0.23	125 (4%) 35 30	16, 44, 96, 159	0

The worst 5 of 125 RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	987	ILE	7.0
1	A	841	ILE	6.3
1	A	522	ILE	4.8
1	B	847	LEU	4.8
1	B	844	LEU	4.6

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](#)

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.

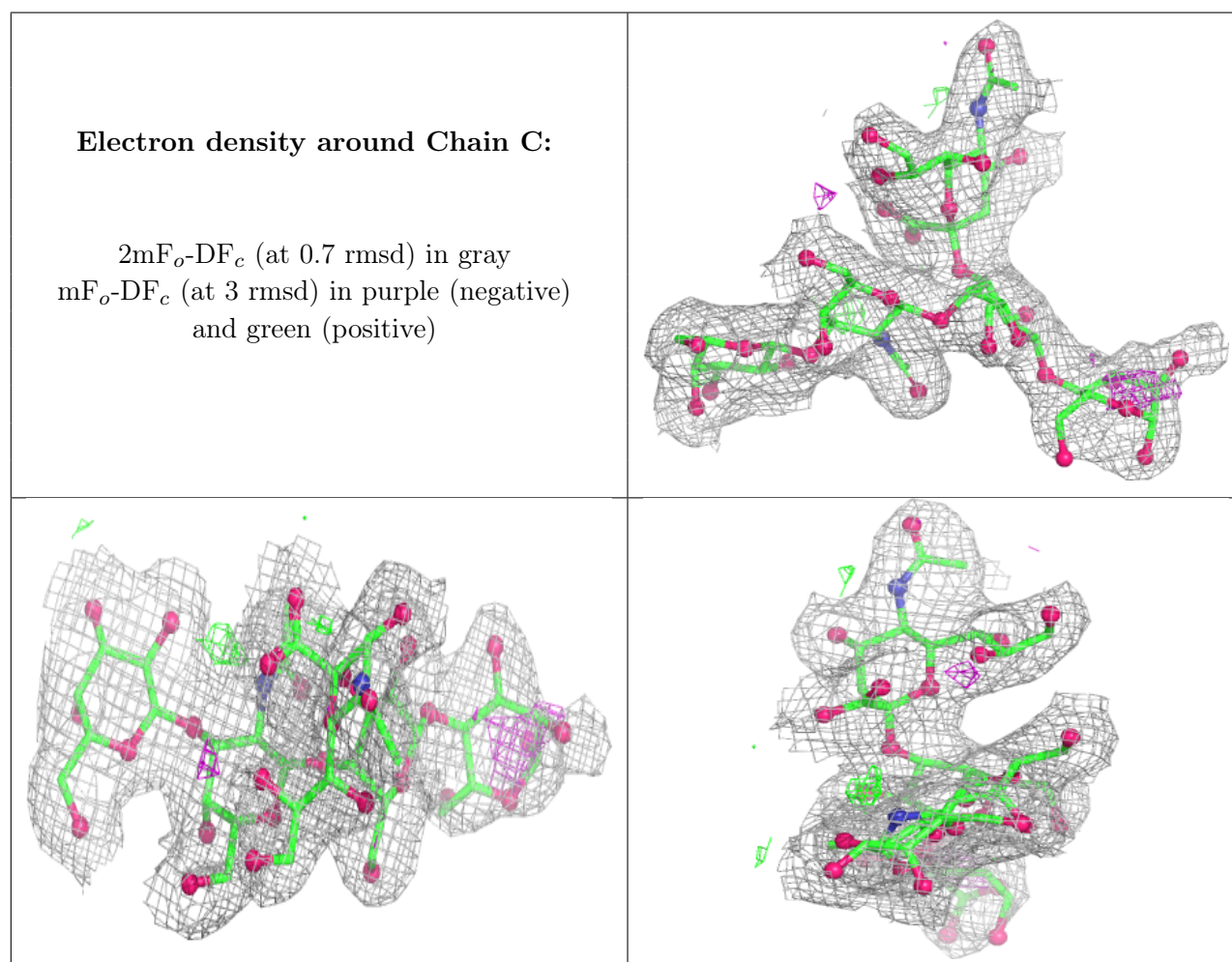
Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Atoms	RSCC	RSR	B-factors(Å ²)	Q<0.9
2	BGC	D	1	12/12	0.75	0.14	60,68,70,72	0
2	BGC	C	1	12/12	0.77	0.14	57,68,70,70	0
2	GAL	D	2	11/12	0.86	0.11	46,49,52,54	0
2	SIA	D	5	20/21	0.91	0.08	40,43,46,47	0
2	NGA	D	3	14/15	0.92	0.08	40,41,42,43	0

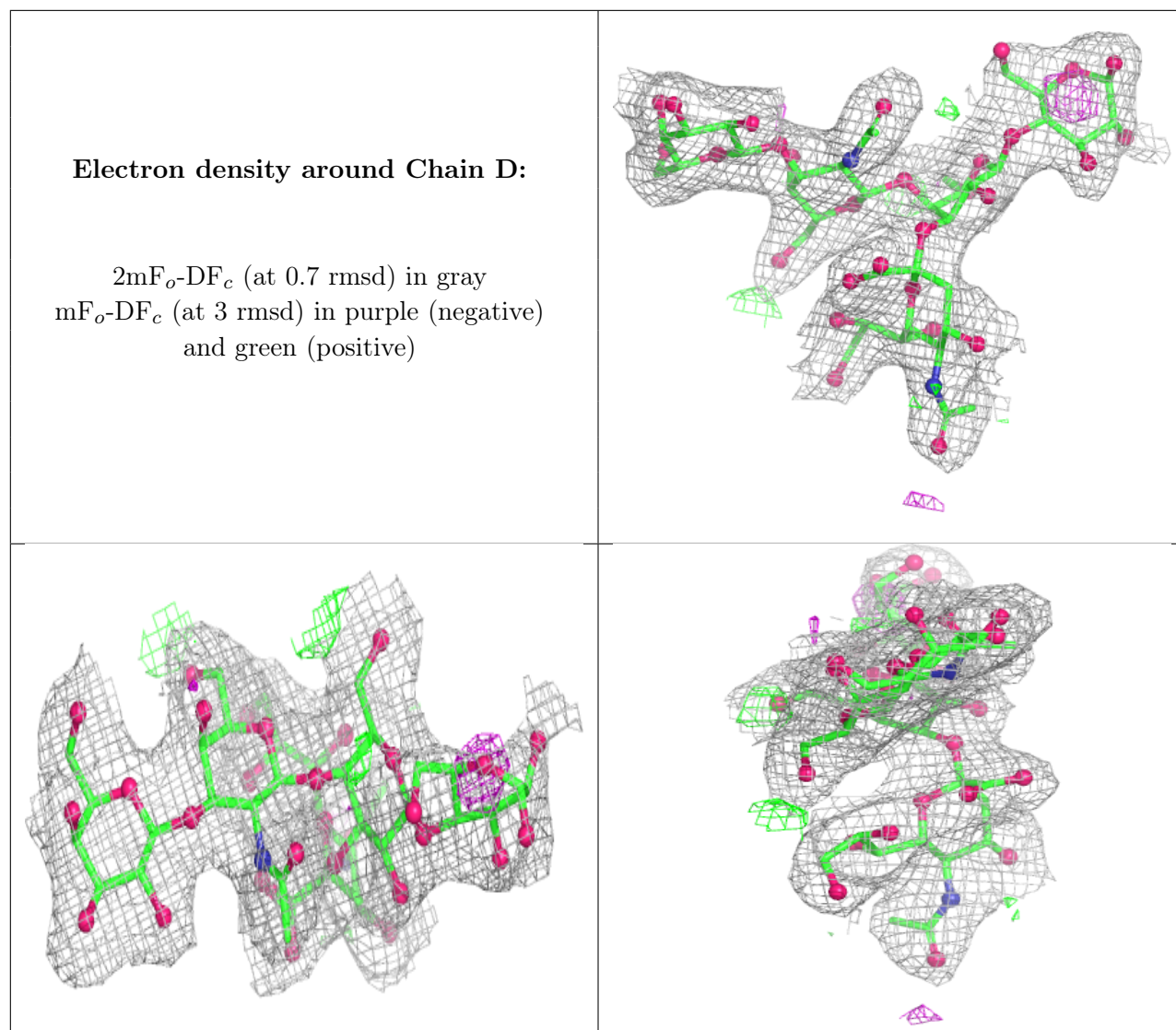
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Mol	Type	Chain	Res	Atoms	RSCC	RSR	B-factors($\text{\AA}^2$)	Q<0.9
2	SIA	C	5	20/21	0.92	0.09	41,43,44,44	0
2	GAL	C	2	11/12	0.93	0.07	40,44,47,49	0
2	NGA	C	3	14/15	0.94	0.07	32,35,36,37	0
2	GAL	D	4	11/12	0.96	0.05	37,38,38,39	0
2	GAL	C	4	11/12	0.96	0.08	32,32,32,33	0

The following is a graphical depiction of the model fit to experimental electron density for oligosaccharide. Each fit is shown from different orientation to approximate a three-dimensional view.





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(Å ²)	Q<0.9
4	PEG	A	1407	7/7	0.84	0.17	63,67,71,72	0
3	ZN	B	1406	1/1	0.99	0.02	52,52,52,52	0
3	ZN	A	1406	1/1	0.99	0.03	42,42,42,42	0

6.5 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.