



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
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

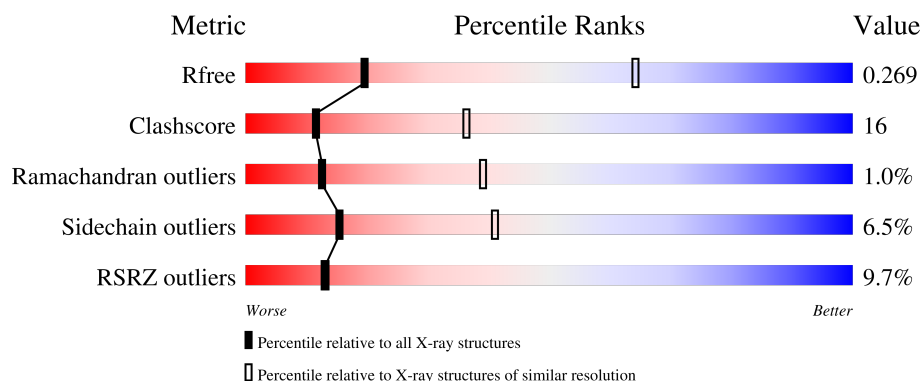
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 3.41 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	1210 (3.48-3.36)
Clashscore	190562	1234 (3.48-3.36)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	1222 (3.48-3.36)
Sidechain outliers	187428	1222 (3.48-3.36)
RSRZ outliers	180081	1210 (3.48-3.36)

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	340	9% 56% 34% • 9%

2 Entry composition

There are 2 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 2372 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 G protein-activated inward rectifier potassium channel 2.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	310	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			2366	1530	388	436	12			

There are 15 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	50	MET	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	51	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	228	ASN	ASP	engineered mutation	UNP P48542
A	260	THR	SER	SEE REMARK 999	UNP P48542
A	313	MET	ILE	SEE REMARK 999	UNP P48542
A	344	LEU	MET	SEE REMARK 999	UNP P48542
A	381	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	382	ASN	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	383	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	384	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	385	GLU	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	386	VAL	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	387	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	388	PHE	-	expression tag	UNP P48542
A	389	GLN	-	expression tag	UNP P48542

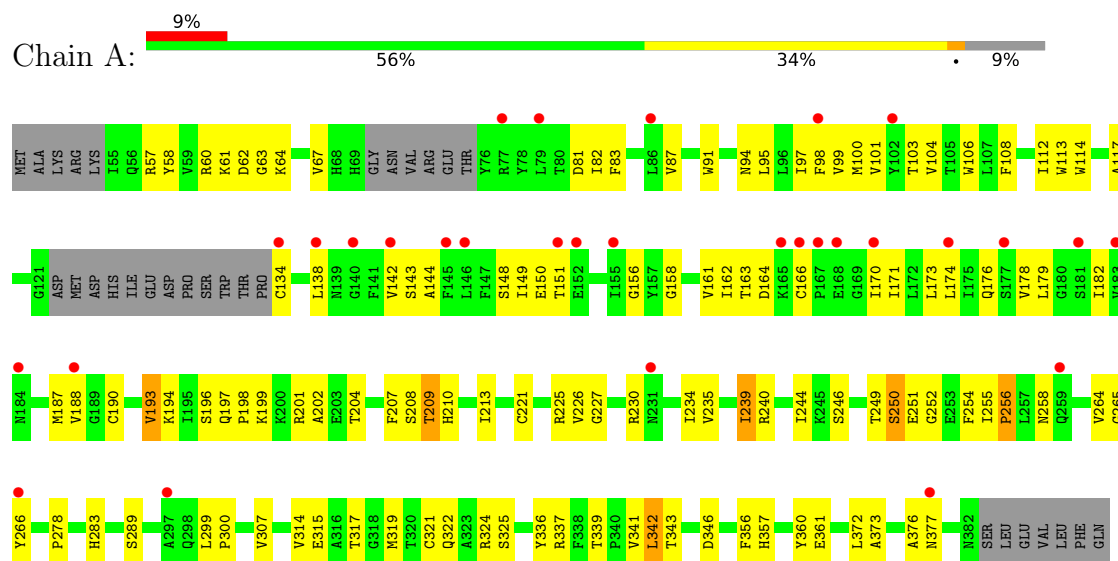
- Molecule 2 is POTASSIUM ION (CCD ID: K) (formula: K).

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
2	A	6	Total	K	0	0
			6	6		

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: G protein-activated inward rectifier potassium channel 2



4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 4 21 2	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	86.49Å 86.49Å 179.63Å 90.00° 90.00° 90.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	42.04 – 3.41 42.04 – 3.41	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	99.2 (42.04-3.41) 99.3 (42.04-3.41)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	0.09	Depositor
R_{sym}	(Not available)	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	1.98 (at 3.40Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	REFMAC 5.5.0109	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.251 , 0.271 0.245 , 0.269	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	684 reflections (6.94%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	123.4	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.028	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.26 , 93.2	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.49$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.33$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	No twinning to report.	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.91	EDS
Total number of atoms	2372	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	173.0	wwPDB-VP

Xtriage's analysis on translational NCS is as follows: *The largest off-origin peak in the Patterson function is 4.58% 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

Bond lengths and bond angles in the following residue types are not validated in this section:
K

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	0.77	0/2416	1.07	8/3293 (0.2%)

There are no bond length outliers.

All (8) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
1	A	188	VAL	N-CA-C	-10.49	102.79	111.81
1	A	57	ARG	N-CA-C	7.66	120.19	110.24
1	A	256	PRO	CA-C-N	-7.08	113.42	123.20
1	A	256	PRO	C-N-CA	-7.08	113.42	123.20
1	A	227	GLY	N-CA-C	6.10	120.05	110.96
1	A	164	ASP	N-CA-C	5.67	118.66	111.69
1	A	197	GLN	CA-C-N	5.22	124.40	118.97
1	A	197	GLN	C-N-CA	5.22	124.40	118.97

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	2366	0	2268	74	0
2	A	6	0	0	0	0
All	All	2372	0	2268	74	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 16.

All (74) 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:322:GLN:HE21	1:A:324:ARG:HH11	1.15	0.91
1:A:95:LEU:O	1:A:99:VAL:HG23	1.79	0.82
1:A:322:GLN:NE2	1:A:324:ARG:HH11	1.79	0.80
1:A:187:MET:HA	1:A:190:CYS:SG	2.33	0.68
1:A:208:SER:HB3	1:A:225:ARG:HB3	1.75	0.68
1:A:60:ARG:NH2	1:A:64:LYS:HE3	2.10	0.67
1:A:98:PHE:CE1	1:A:187:MET:HB3	2.31	0.65
1:A:113:TRP:HE1	1:A:176:GLN:NE2	1.96	0.64
1:A:91:TRP:O	1:A:95:LEU:HG	1.98	0.64
1:A:150:GLU:HB3	1:A:156:GLY:HA2	1.80	0.64
1:A:255:ILE:HG22	1:A:258:ASN:HB2	1.80	0.62
1:A:225:ARG:NH2	1:A:339:THR:O	2.23	0.61
1:A:62:ASP:OD2	1:A:62:ASP:C	2.43	0.60
1:A:134:CYS:N	1:A:163:THR:HG1	1.99	0.60
1:A:97:ILE:HA	1:A:100:MET:HB2	1.83	0.60
1:A:209:THR:HB	1:A:357:HIS:ND1	2.17	0.60
1:A:336:TYR:HA	1:A:361:GLU:HA	1.83	0.59
1:A:113:TRP:HE1	1:A:176:GLN:HE22	1.48	0.59
1:A:278:PRO:HG2	1:A:341:VAL:HG21	1.84	0.59
1:A:58:TYR:CD2	1:A:244:ILE:HD13	2.38	0.58
1:A:98:PHE:HE1	1:A:187:MET:HB3	1.66	0.58
1:A:198:PRO:HB3	1:A:319:MET:HB3	1.87	0.57
1:A:138:LEU:HD22	1:A:143:SER:HB2	1.86	0.57
1:A:249:THR:O	1:A:250:SER:C	2.45	0.57
1:A:322:GLN:HE21	1:A:324:ARG:NH1	1.96	0.56
1:A:213:ILE:HA	1:A:221:CYS:O	2.05	0.56
1:A:81:ASP:C	1:A:83:PHE:H	2.14	0.56
1:A:201:ARG:O	1:A:201:ARG:HG3	2.04	0.56
1:A:58:TYR:HD2	1:A:244:ILE:HD13	1.71	0.55
1:A:204:THR:HG21	1:A:230:ARG:NH2	2.21	0.55
1:A:87:VAL:O	1:A:194:LYS:HE3	2.05	0.55
1:A:342:LEU:O	1:A:343:THR:HG23	2.07	0.55
1:A:114:TRP:HA	1:A:117:ALA:HB3	1.88	0.55
1:A:101:VAL:HA	1:A:104:VAL:HG22	1.90	0.54
1:A:239:ILE:HG13	1:A:240:ARG:N	2.24	0.53
1:A:249:THR:O	1:A:252:GLY:N	2.39	0.53
1:A:337:ARG:HD2	1:A:360:TYR:OH	2.08	0.53

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Atom-1	Atom-2	Interatomic distance (Å)	Clash overlap (Å)
1:A:187:MET:SD	1:A:190:CYS:SG	3.02	0.53
1:A:337:ARG:HD2	1:A:360:TYR:CZ	2.44	0.52
1:A:94:ASN:CG	1:A:194:LYS:HZ3	2.18	0.50
1:A:149:ILE:C	1:A:151:THR:H	2.22	0.48
1:A:199:LYS:O	1:A:202:ALA:HB3	2.14	0.46
1:A:254:PHE:C	1:A:255:ILE:HG13	2.39	0.46
1:A:81:ASP:C	1:A:83:PHE:N	2.73	0.46
1:A:314:VAL:O	1:A:317:THR:O	2.34	0.46
1:A:158:GLY:HA2	1:A:161:VAL:HG22	1.99	0.45
1:A:246:SER:OG	1:A:256:PRO:O	2.24	0.45
1:A:108:PHE:O	1:A:112:ILE:HG12	2.17	0.45
1:A:170:ILE:O	1:A:174:LEU:HG	2.17	0.45
1:A:299:LEU:HB3	1:A:300:PRO:HD3	1.99	0.45
1:A:178:VAL:O	1:A:182:ILE:HG13	2.17	0.44
1:A:179:LEU:HA	1:A:182:ILE:HD12	1.99	0.44
1:A:103:THR:HA	1:A:106:TRP:CE3	2.52	0.44
1:A:100:MET:HA	1:A:100:MET:HE2	2.00	0.44
1:A:265:GLY:O	1:A:266:TYR:C	2.60	0.44
1:A:207:PHE:CD2	1:A:226:VAL:HG22	2.53	0.44
1:A:60:ARG:HH21	1:A:64:LYS:HE3	1.84	0.43
1:A:149:ILE:C	1:A:151:THR:N	2.77	0.43
1:A:283:HIS:HE2	1:A:289:SER:HG	1.65	0.43
1:A:225:ARG:NH1	1:A:356:PHE:O	2.41	0.42
1:A:161:VAL:HG12	1:A:162:ILE:N	2.34	0.42
1:A:207:PHE:CD1	1:A:325:SER:HB2	2.54	0.42
1:A:209:THR:HG23	1:A:210:HIS:ND1	2.35	0.42
1:A:62:ASP:OD2	1:A:63:GLY:N	2.53	0.42
1:A:314:VAL:O	1:A:315:GLU:C	2.61	0.42
1:A:113:TRP:NE1	1:A:176:GLN:HE22	2.16	0.41
1:A:193:VAL:HA	1:A:196:SER:OG	2.20	0.41
1:A:356:PHE:HD2	1:A:357:HIS:CD2	2.38	0.41
1:A:373:ALA:O	1:A:376:ALA:N	2.49	0.41
1:A:144:ALA:O	1:A:148:SER:HB2	2.20	0.41
1:A:244:ILE:HD12	1:A:307:VAL:CG2	2.51	0.41
1:A:100:MET:O	1:A:104:VAL:HG13	2.21	0.40
1:A:342:LEU:HD23	1:A:342:LEU:HA	1.88	0.40
1:A:249:THR:C	1:A:251:GLU:N	2.79	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	304/340 (89%)	277 (91%)	24 (8%)	3 (1%)	12	39

All (3) Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	61	LYS
1	A	346	ASP
1	A	82	ILE

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	245/306 (80%)	229 (94%)	16 (6%)	15	41

All (16) residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	67	VAL
1	A	142	VAL
1	A	166	CYS
1	A	171	ILE
1	A	173	LEU
1	A	193	VAL
1	A	209	THR
1	A	234	ILE

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	235	VAL
1	A	239	ILE
1	A	250	SER
1	A	264	VAL
1	A	321	CYS
1	A	342	LEU
1	A	372	LEU
1	A	377	ASN

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. All (3) such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	137	ASN
1	A	176	GLN
1	A	322	GLN

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](#)

Of 6 ligands modelled in this entry, 6 are monoatomic - leaving 0 for Mogul analysis.

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 ⓘ

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	310/340 (91%)	0.57	30 (9%) 13 13	77, 128, 391, 438	0

All (30) RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	134	CYS	5.6
1	A	166	CYS	5.4
1	A	151	THR	4.0
1	A	170	ILE	4.0
1	A	184	ASN	3.7
1	A	266	TYR	3.1
1	A	231	ASN	3.1
1	A	188	VAL	3.1
1	A	140	GLY	2.9
1	A	152	GLU	2.9
1	A	138	LEU	2.9
1	A	177	SER	2.8
1	A	79	LEU	2.8
1	A	377	ASN	2.7
1	A	142	VAL	2.6
1	A	102	TYR	2.5
1	A	98	PHE	2.4
1	A	181	SER	2.4
1	A	165	LYS	2.3
1	A	167	PRO	2.3
1	A	155	ILE	2.3
1	A	183	VAL	2.3
1	A	297	ALA	2.2
1	A	259	GLN	2.2
1	A	174	LEU	2.2
1	A	77	ARG	2.2
1	A	146	LEU	2.1

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	86	LEU	2.0
1	A	145	PHE	2.0
1	A	168	GLU	2.0

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(Å ²)	Q<0.9
2	K	A	501	1/1	0.90	0.13	174,174,174,174	1
2	K	A	505	1/1	0.91	0.15	153,153,153,153	1
2	K	A	502	1/1	0.94	0.14	299,299,299,299	1
2	K	A	503	1/1	0.96	0.18	172,172,172,172	1
2	K	A	506	1/1	0.96	0.13	148,148,148,148	0
2	K	A	504	1/1	0.99	0.15	159,159,159,159	1

6.5 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.