



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

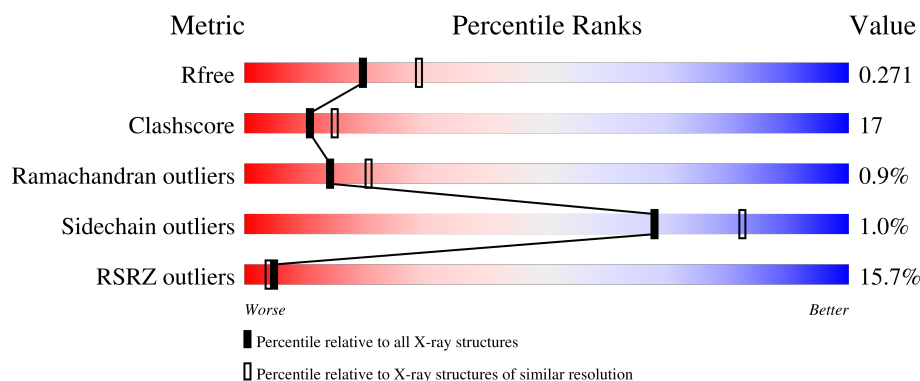
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 2.42 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	6062 (2.44-2.40)
Clashscore	190562	6562 (2.44-2.40)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	6481 (2.44-2.40)
Sidechain outliers	187428	6482 (2.44-2.40)
RSRZ outliers	180081	6066 (2.44-2.40)

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	143	15% 64% 16% • 19%
2	C	26	8% 54% 38% 8%
3	B	26	8% 58% 42%

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
2	BRU	C	5	-	-	X	-

2 Entry composition

There are 4 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 3612 atoms, of which 1559 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 Virulence regulon transcriptional activator virB.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms						ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
			Total	C	H	N	O	S			
1	A	116	1904	601	973	153	176	1	0	0	0

There are 21 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	108	MET	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	109	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	110	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	111	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	112	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	113	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	114	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	115	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	116	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	117	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	118	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	119	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	120	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	121	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	122	VAL	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	123	PRO	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	124	ARG	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	125	GLY	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	126	SER	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	127	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247
A	128	MET	-	expression tag	UNP P0A247

- Molecule 2 is a DNA chain called DNA (26-MER).

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms							ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
2	C	26	Total	Br	C	H	N	O	P	0	0	0
			811	2	250	289	93	152	25			

- Molecule 3 is a DNA chain called DNA (26-MER).

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms						ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
3	B	26	Total	C	H	N	O	P	0	0	0
			835	258	297	99	156	25			

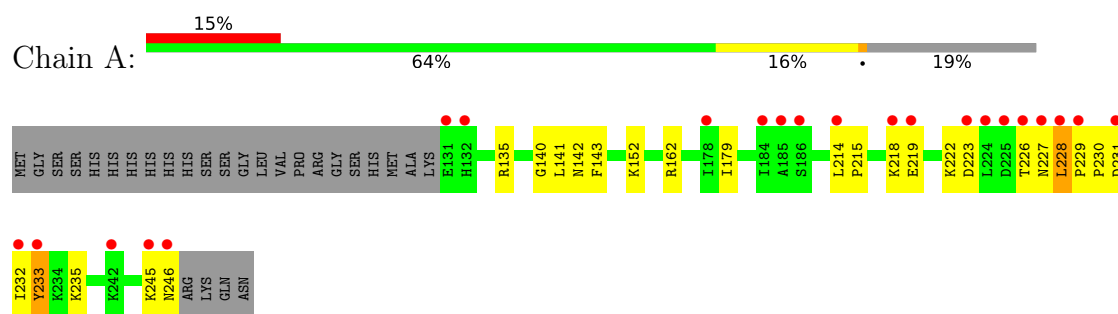
- Molecule 4 is water.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms		ZeroOcc	AltConf
4	A	34	Total	O	0	0
			34	34		
4	C	15	Total	O	0	0
			15	15		
4	B	13	Total	O	0	0
			13	13		

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.

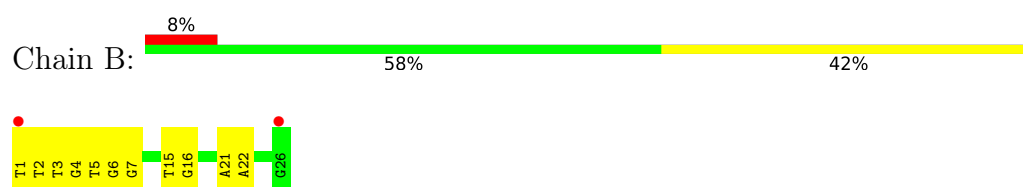
- Molecule 1: Virulence regulon transcriptional activator virB



- Molecule 2: DNA (26-MER)



- Molecule 3: DNA (26-MER)



4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	P 21 21 2	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	57.32Å 163.05Å 39.57Å 90.00° 90.00° 90.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	46.89 – 2.42 46.89 – 2.42	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	99.6 (46.89-2.42) 99.8 (46.89-2.42)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	0.07	Depositor
R_{sym}	(Not available)	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	3.11 (at 2.42Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	PHENIX (phenix.refine: 1.7.3_928)	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.235 , 0.271 0.244 , 0.271	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	745 reflections (5.00%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	47.4	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.527	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.36 , 56.8	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.48$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.31$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	No twinning to report.	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.91	EDS
Total number of atoms	3612	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	68.0	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 19.89 % 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 9.8008e-03. 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

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

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	0.40	0/946	0.72	0/1271
2	C	0.17	0/538	0.67	0/821
3	B	0.15	0/604	0.78	0/933
All	All	0.30	0/2088	0.73	0/3025

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	931	973	971	23	0
2	C	522	289	289	23	0
3	B	538	297	297	13	0
4	A	34	0	0	2	0
4	B	13	0	0	1	0
4	C	15	0	0	1	0
All	All	2053	1559	1557	59	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 17.

All (59) 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)
2:C:5:BRU:C2'	2:C:6:DC:H5''	1.66	1.23
2:C:5:BRU:C3'	2:C:6:DC:H5''	1.91	0.99
2:C:5:BRU:H2''	2:C:6:DC:H5''	1.49	0.93
2:C:21:BRU:H2''	2:C:22:DC:O5'	1.69	0.90
1:A:222:LYS:NZ	1:A:223:ASP:OD1	2.07	0.87
1:A:218:LYS:O	4:A:318:HOH:O	1.97	0.83
1:A:245:LYS:O	1:A:246:ASN:C	2.34	0.70
2:C:5:BRU:H2'	2:C:6:DC:H5''	1.72	0.68
1:A:228:LEU:N	1:A:228:LEU:HD23	2.09	0.66
1:A:231:ASP:C	1:A:233:TYR:HB3	2.21	0.66
2:C:5:BRU:C3'	2:C:6:DC:C5'	2.70	0.66
1:A:152:LYS:HD2	1:A:162:ARG:NH2	2.12	0.64
2:C:5:BRU:H2''	2:C:6:DC:C5'	2.26	0.62
2:C:6:DC:H2''	2:C:7:DG:C8	2.35	0.61
3:B:3:DT:H1'	3:B:4:DG:H5''	1.85	0.58
1:A:162:ARG:HD3	4:B:102:HOH:O	2.03	0.58
3:B:5:DT:H2''	3:B:6:DG:C8	2.39	0.57
2:C:5:BRU:H2''	2:C:6:DC:O4'	2.04	0.57
2:C:5:BRU:H3'	2:C:6:DC:H5''	1.86	0.54
2:C:6:DC:C4'	2:C:7:DG:OP1	2.57	0.52
3:B:1:DT:H2''	3:B:2:DT:H71	1.91	0.52
1:A:140:GLY:O	1:A:143:PHE:CD2	2.62	0.52
1:A:232:ILE:N	1:A:233:TYR:CB	2.73	0.51
2:C:8:DT:H2''	2:C:9:DT:O5'	2.10	0.51
1:A:228:LEU:HD23	1:A:228:LEU:H	1.75	0.50
1:A:214:LEU:N	1:A:215:PRO:CD	2.74	0.50
2:C:15:DA:H2''	2:C:16:DT:H5'	1.95	0.49
3:B:3:DT:C4'	3:B:4:DG:OP1	2.60	0.49
1:A:232:ILE:HD13	1:A:235:LYS:NZ	2.27	0.49
3:B:15:DT:H2''	3:B:16:DG:C8	2.47	0.49
1:A:232:ILE:N	1:A:233:TYR:HB3	2.28	0.48
2:C:21:BRU:C2'	2:C:22:DC:O5'	2.50	0.46
2:C:5:BRU:H3'	2:C:6:DC:C5'	2.44	0.46
3:B:6:DG:C6	3:B:7:DG:C6	3.04	0.46
2:C:4:DC:C2'	2:C:5:BRU:O5'	2.65	0.45
3:B:4:DG:H2''	3:B:5:DT:H5''	1.98	0.45
2:C:20:DA:N7	4:C:104:HOH:O	2.36	0.45
1:A:232:ILE:HD13	1:A:235:LYS:HZ2	1.80	0.45
2:C:5:BRU:C4	2:C:6:DC:N4	2.80	0.44
1:A:140:GLY:O	1:A:143:PHE:HD2	2.00	0.43

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Atom-1	Atom-2	Interatomic distance (Å)	Clash overlap (Å)
3:B:2:DT:H2''	3:B:3:DT:H5'	2.00	0.43
2:C:3:DA:H2''	2:C:4:DC:H5''	2.01	0.43
1:A:226:THR:HG23	1:A:227:ASN:OD1	2.19	0.43
3:B:3:DT:H2''	3:B:4:DG:C5'	2.49	0.43
1:A:141:LEU:N	1:A:141:LEU:CD1	2.81	0.43
1:A:219:GLU:O	1:A:222:LYS:HG3	2.18	0.43
1:A:230:PRO:C	1:A:231:ASP:OD2	2.62	0.42
3:B:2:DT:C6	3:B:3:DT:H72	2.54	0.42
3:B:3:DT:H4'	3:B:4:DG:OP1	2.19	0.42
3:B:21:DA:H2''	3:B:22:DA:C8	2.54	0.42
1:A:135:ARG:NE	1:A:179:ILE:HD11	2.33	0.42
1:A:142:ASN:ND2	4:A:319:HOH:O	2.52	0.42
1:A:228:LEU:N	1:A:229:PRO:CD	2.83	0.42
1:A:214:LEU:N	1:A:215:PRO:HD2	2.35	0.41
2:C:5:BRU:H2''	2:C:6:DC:C4'	2.50	0.41
3:B:2:DT:C4	3:B:3:DT:C4	3.08	0.41
2:C:4:DC:H2''	2:C:5:BRU:OP2	2.20	0.40
2:C:5:BRU:O4	2:C:6:DC:N4	2.55	0.40
2:C:8:DT:C2'	2:C:9:DT:O5'	2.70	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	114/143 (80%)	110 (96%)	3 (3%)	1 (1%)	14 20

All (1) Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	233	TYR

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	105/128 (82%)	104 (99%)	1 (1%)	68 82

All (1) residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	228	LEU

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. There are no such sidechains identified.

5.3.3 RNA [i](#)

There are no RNA molecules in this entry.

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

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	$\# Z > 2$
2	BRU	C	5	3,2	18,21,22	1.44	5 (27%)	25,30,33	2.23	5 (20%)
2	BRU	C	21	3,2	18,21,22	1.51	4 (22%)	25,30,33	2.35	8 (32%)

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	BRU	C	5	3,2	-	2/7/21/22	0/2/2/2
2	BRU	C	21	3,2	-	2/7/21/22	0/2/2/2

All (9) bond length outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(Å)	Ideal(Å)
2	C	21	BRU	C6-C5	3.22	1.40	1.34
2	C	21	BRU	C4-N3	-2.91	1.33	1.38
2	C	5	BRU	C4-N3	-2.59	1.34	1.38
2	C	5	BRU	C6-C5	2.57	1.39	1.34
2	C	21	BRU	C2-N1	2.53	1.42	1.38
2	C	21	BRU	C2-N3	-2.26	1.34	1.38
2	C	5	BRU	C2-N1	2.10	1.41	1.38
2	C	5	BRU	C6-N1	-2.09	1.34	1.38
2	C	5	BRU	C2-N3	-2.08	1.34	1.38

All (13) bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
2	C	21	BRU	N3-C2-N1	5.66	122.26	114.89
2	C	21	BRU	C5-C4-N3	5.32	119.46	113.34
2	C	5	BRU	N3-C2-N1	5.23	121.69	114.89
2	C	5	BRU	C4-N3-C2	-5.23	120.49	127.34
2	C	5	BRU	C5-C4-N3	5.09	119.19	113.34
2	C	21	BRU	C4-N3-C2	-4.90	120.91	127.34
2	C	5	BRU	O4-C4-C5	-4.45	120.13	125.80
2	C	21	BRU	O4-C4-C5	-4.32	120.30	125.80
2	C	5	BRU	O2-C2-N1	-2.79	119.17	122.80
2	C	21	BRU	C6-C5-C4	-2.56	118.07	120.67
2	C	21	BRU	BR-C5-C6	2.55	124.22	120.64
2	C	21	BRU	O2-C2-N3	-2.22	117.39	121.49
2	C	21	BRU	C6-N1-C2	-2.09	119.23	121.30

There are no chirality outliers.

All (4) torsion outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms
2	C	21	BRU	O4'-C4'-C5'-O5'
2	C	5	BRU	C3'-C4'-C5'-O5'
2	C	5	BRU	O4'-C4'-C5'-O5'

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms
2	C	21	BRU	C3'-C4'-C5'-O5'

There are no ring outliers.

2 monomers are involved in 16 short contacts:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Clashes	Symm-Clashes
2	C	5	BRU	14	0
2	C	21	BRU	2	0

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	116/143 (81%)	1.15	22 (18%) 3 2	26, 46, 120, 156	0
2	C	24/26 (92%)	0.81	2 (8%) 17 14	38, 76, 125, 144	0
3	B	26/26 (100%)	0.66	2 (7%) 19 16	29, 79, 130, 144	0
All	All	166/195 (85%)	1.02	26 (15%) 5 4	26, 50, 127, 156	0

All (26) RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	228	LEU	9.0
1	A	131	GLU	6.1
1	A	132	HIS	5.9
1	A	231	ASP	4.5
1	A	232	ILE	4.3
1	A	225	ASP	4.1
1	A	246	ASN	3.6
1	A	226	THR	3.5
1	A	233	TYR	3.3
1	A	245	LYS	3.3
1	A	224	LEU	3.3
1	A	185	ALA	3.1
1	A	184	ILE	3.0
1	A	227	ASN	2.7
1	A	229	PRO	2.7
1	A	186	SER	2.6
1	A	214	LEU	2.5
1	A	218	LYS	2.5
1	A	219	GLU	2.4
2	C	6	DC	2.4
3	B	1	DT	2.3
1	A	242	LYS	2.2
3	B	26	DG	2.2

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Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	178	ILE	2.1
1	A	223	ASP	2.1
2	C	8	DT	2.1

6.2 Non-standard residues in protein, DNA, RNA chains [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	BRU	C	5	20/21	0.87	0.13	89,124,153,160	0
2	BRU	C	21	20/21	0.91	0.13	37,49,60,63	0

6.3 Carbohydrates [i](#)

There are no oligosaccharides in this entry.

6.4 Ligands [i](#)

There are no ligands in this entry.

6.5 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.