



wwPDB X-ray Structure Validation Summary 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

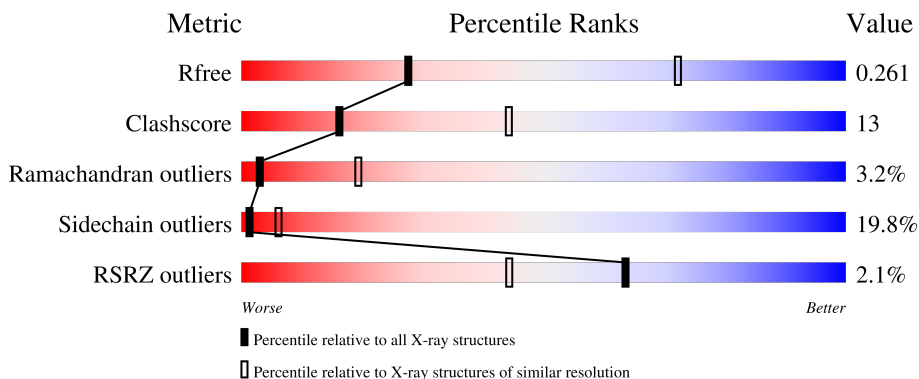
1 Overall quality at a glance

The following experimental techniques were used to determine the structure:

X-RAY DIFFRACTION

The reported resolution of this entry is 3.30 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	1169 (3.32-3.28)
Clashscore	190562	1209 (3.32-3.28)
Ramachandran outliers	187476	1188 (3.32-3.28)
Sidechain outliers	187428	1187 (3.32-3.28)
RSRZ outliers	180081	1169 (3.32-3.28)

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	436	2% 46% 31% 9% 13%
2	D	163	27% 20% 50%
3	E	61	2% 67% 26% 5%

2 Entry composition

There are 4 unique types of molecules in this entry. The entry contains 4187 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 DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit b, DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit a', DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit A'.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
1	A	381	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			3067	1947	542	559	19			

There are 19 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
A	1	MET	-	initiating methionine	UNP Q8U0M3
A	65	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M3
A	66	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M3
A	391	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	392	ALA	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	393	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	394	SER	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	395	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	396	ALA	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	397	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	398	SER	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	399	GLY	-	linker	UNP Q8U0M4
A	438	LYS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5
A	439	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5
A	440	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5
A	441	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5
A	442	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5
A	443	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5
A	444	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8U0M5

- Molecule 2 is a protein called Transcription antitermination protein nusG.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms				ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
2	D	82	Total	C	N	O	0	0	0
			657	427	115	115			

There are 11 discrepancies between the modelled and reference sequences:

Chain	Residue	Modelled	Actual	Comment	Reference
D	153	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	154	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	155	ALA	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	156	LEU	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	157	GLU	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	158	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	159	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	160	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	161	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	162	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1
D	163	HIS	-	expression tag	UNP Q8TZK1

- Molecule 3 is a protein called DNA-directed RNA polymerase, subunit e”.

Mol	Chain	Residues	Atoms					ZeroOcc	AltConf	Trace
3	E	58	Total	C	N	O	S	0	0	0
			459	288	81	86	4			

- Molecule 4 is ZINC ION (CCD ID: ZN) (formula: Zn).

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



4 Data and refinement statistics

Property	Value	Source
Space group	C 1 2 1	Depositor
Cell constants a, b, c, α , β , γ	168.57Å 107.04Å 51.09Å 90.00° 97.10° 90.00°	Depositor
Resolution (Å)	50.70 – 3.30 50.70 – 3.30	Depositor EDS
% Data completeness (in resolution range)	99.8 (50.70-3.30) 99.7 (50.70-3.30)	Depositor EDS
R_{merge}	(Not available)	Depositor
R_{sym}	0.14	Depositor
$\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ¹	2.09 (at 3.33Å)	Xtriage
Refinement program	BUSTER 2.9.2	Depositor
R, R_{free}	0.193 , 0.247 0.210 , 0.261	Depositor DCC
R_{free} test set	674 reflections (4.96%)	wwPDB-VP
Wilson B-factor (Å ²)	106.3	Xtriage
Anisotropy	0.305	Xtriage
Bulk solvent k_{sol} (e/Å ³), B_{sol} (Å ²)	0.31 , 120.8	EDS
L-test for twinning ²	$\langle L \rangle = 0.43$, $\langle L^2 \rangle = 0.25$	Xtriage
Estimated twinning fraction	No twinning to report.	Xtriage
F_o, F_c correlation	0.93	EDS
Total number of atoms	4187	wwPDB-VP
Average B, all atoms (Å ²)	131.0	wwPDB-VP

Xtriage's analysis on translational NCS is as follows: *The largest off-origin peak in the Patterson function is 5.45% 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: ZN

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	0.92	1/3122 (0.0%)	1.57	39/4206 (0.9%)
2	D	0.86	0/672	1.52	8/909 (0.9%)
3	E	0.85	0/467	1.28	1/629 (0.2%)
All	All	0.90	1/4261 (0.0%)	1.53	48/5744 (0.8%)

All (1) bond length outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(Å)	Ideal(Å)
1	A	221	GLU	CA-C	8.13	1.63	1.52

The worst 5 of 48 bond angle outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	Atoms	Z	Observed(°)	Ideal(°)
1	A	264	LEU	N-CA-C	8.74	122.24	110.35
1	A	435	ILE	N-CA-C	8.00	120.44	109.80
1	A	74	PHE	CA-CB-CG	-7.98	105.82	113.80
1	A	221	GLU	N-CA-C	7.42	126.61	110.80
1	A	222	LYS	N-CA-C	7.42	126.21	109.81

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	3067	0	3133	96	0
2	D	657	0	676	13	0
3	E	459	0	453	7	0
4	A	3	0	0	0	0
4	E	1	0	0	0	0
All	All	4187	0	4262	111	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 13.

The worst 5 of 111 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:D:34:TYR:HB2	2:D:49:GLU:HG3	1.38	1.00
1:A:147:VAL:HG21	1:A:341:THR:HA	1.59	0.82
1:A:54:MET:HG3	1:A:369:LEU:HD21	1.64	0.78
1:A:156:ILE:O	1:A:160:THR:HG22	1.85	0.76
1:A:323:GLY:HA3	2:D:82:PHE:CZ	2.22	0.75

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	367/436 (84%)	319 (87%)	36 (10%)	12 (3%)	3	19
2	D	80/163 (49%)	69 (86%)	8 (10%)	3 (4%)	2	16
3	E	56/61 (92%)	48 (86%)	7 (12%)	1 (2%)	6	29
All	All	503/660 (76%)	436 (87%)	51 (10%)	16 (3%)	3	19

5 of 16 Ramachandran outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	109	ASP
1	A	123	THR
1	A	357	LYS
1	A	358	SER
2	D	26	VAL

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	340/375 (91%)	269 (79%)	71 (21%)	1	5
2	D	69/136 (51%)	53 (77%)	16 (23%)	1	4
3	E	51/54 (94%)	47 (92%)	4 (8%)	11	36
All	All	460/565 (81%)	369 (80%)	91 (20%)	1	6

5 of 91 residues with a non-rotameric sidechain are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	330	GLU
2	D	5	ILE
1	A	362	LEU
1	A	422	GLU
2	D	28	THR

Sometimes sidechains can be flipped to improve hydrogen bonding and reduce clashes. 5 of 11 such sidechains are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type
1	A	367	GLN
1	A	432	ASN
3	E	41	ASN
2	D	14	GLN
1	A	313	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](#)

Of 4 ligands modelled in this entry, 4 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 [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	381/436 (87%)	-0.12	10 (2%) 57 38	68, 108, 175, 203	0
2	D	82/163 (50%)	-0.11	0 100 100	110, 157, 210, 227	0
3	E	58/61 (95%)	-0.00	1 (1%) 69 50	135, 190, 219, 224	1 (1%)
All	All	521/660 (78%)	-0.10	11 (2%) 63 44	68, 121, 201, 227	1 (0%)

The worst 5 of 11 RSRZ outliers are listed below:

Mol	Chain	Res	Type	RSRZ
1	A	49	ASP	6.0
1	A	433	VAL	3.7
1	A	407	PHE	3.5
1	A	43	ALA	2.8
1	A	232	ASP	2.8

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($\text{\AA}^2$)	Q<0.9
4	ZN	A	2000	1/1	0.94	0.11	180,180,180,180	0
4	ZN	E	100	1/1	0.96	0.05	261,261,261,261	0
4	ZN	A	2001	1/1	0.99	0.06	131,131,131,131	0
4	ZN	A	2002	1/1	1.00	0.04	124,124,124,124	0

6.5 Other polymers [i](#)

There are no such residues in this entry.