

Supplementary Information

Structure of the peroxisomal Pex1/Pex6 ATPase complex bound to a substrate

Maximilian Rüttermann^{1,2}, Michelle Koci³, Pascal Lill^{1,2,3}, Ermis Dionysios Geladas^{1,2}, Farnusch Kaschani⁴, Björn Udo Klink^{1,2}, Ralf Erdmann⁵, Christos Gatsogiannis^{1,2,3,*}

¹Institute for Medical Physics and Biophysics, University Münster, 48149 Münster, Germany.

²Center for Soft Nanoscience (SoN), University Münster, 48149 Münster, Germany.

³Department of Structural Biochemistry, Max Planck Institute of Molecular Physiology, 44227, Dortmund, Germany.

⁴Analytics Core Facility Essen, Center of Medical Biotechnology (ZMB), Faculty of Biology, University of Duisburg-Essen, Universitätsstr. 2, 45141 Essen, Germany

⁵Institute for Biochemistry and Pathobiochemistry, Department of Systems Biochemistry, Ruhr-University Bochum, 44780 Bochum, Germany

*To whom correspondence should be addressed.

E-mail: christos.gatsogiannis@uni-muenster.de

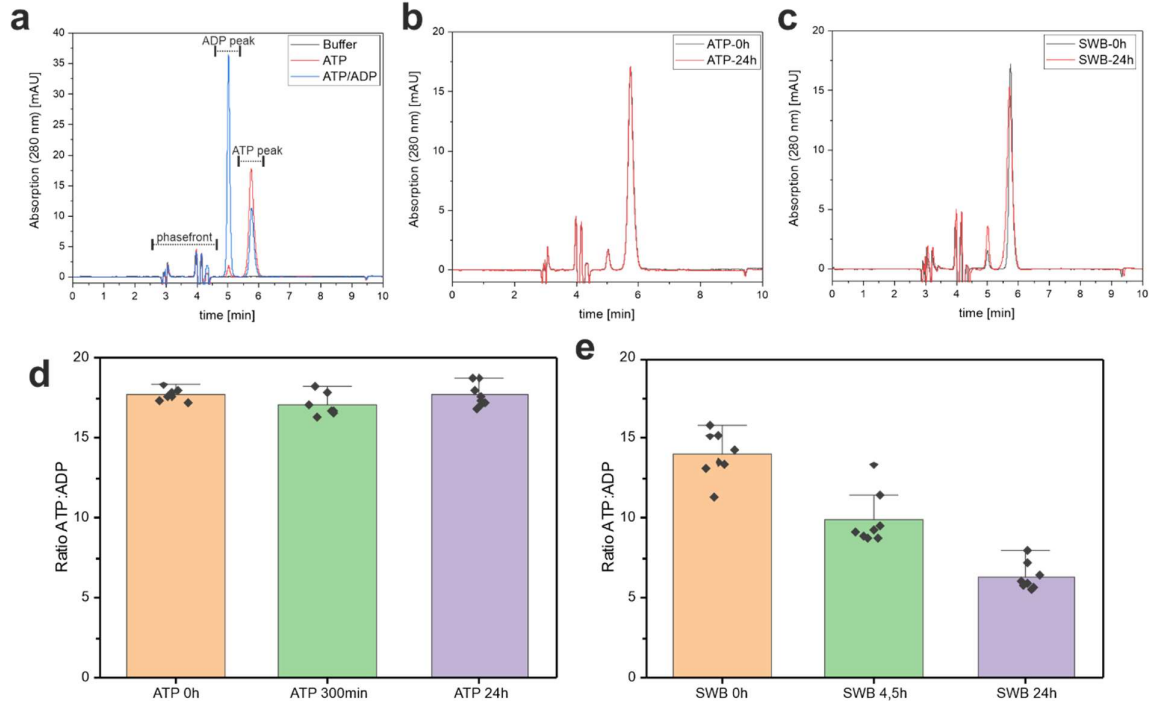
Supplementary Table 1: Phenix density modification command prompts.

	Class 3 Single-'seam' conformation	Class 4 Twin-'seam' conformation
Local anisotropic half-map sharpening	phenix.local_aniso_sharpen run_half1_class001_unfil.mrc run_half2_class001_unfil.mrc resolution=4.14 local_sharpen=True sharpened_map_file_1=.\Output_command\half1_local_sharp.ccp4 sharpened_map_file_2=.\Output_command\half2_local_sharp.ccp4 box_size_grid_units=384 sharpened_map_file=.\Output_command\full_local_sharp.ccp4	phenix.local_aniso_sharpen run_half1_class001_unfil.mrc run_half2_class001_unfil.mrc resolution=4.7 local_sharpen=True sharpened_map_file_1=.\Output_command\half1_local_sharp.ccp4 sharpened_map_file_2=.\Output_command\half2_local_sharp.ccp4 box_size_grid_units=384 sharpened_map_file=.\Output_command\full_local_sharp.ccp4
Density modification	phenix.resolve_cryo_em half1_local_sharp_aniso.ccp4 half2_local_sharp_aniso.ccp4 seq_file=.\Input\Pex1_Pex6_yeast.fasta resolution=4.14 blur_by_resolution=True blur_by_resolution_factor=20 box_cushion=15 b_iso=90 dm_resolution=3.6	phenix.resolve_cryo_em half1_local_sharp.ccp4 half2_local_sharp.ccp4 seq_file=.\Input\Pex1_Pex6_yeast.fasta resolution=4.14 blur_by_resolution=True blur_by_resolution_factor=20 box_cushion=15 b_iso=90 dm_resolution=3.8

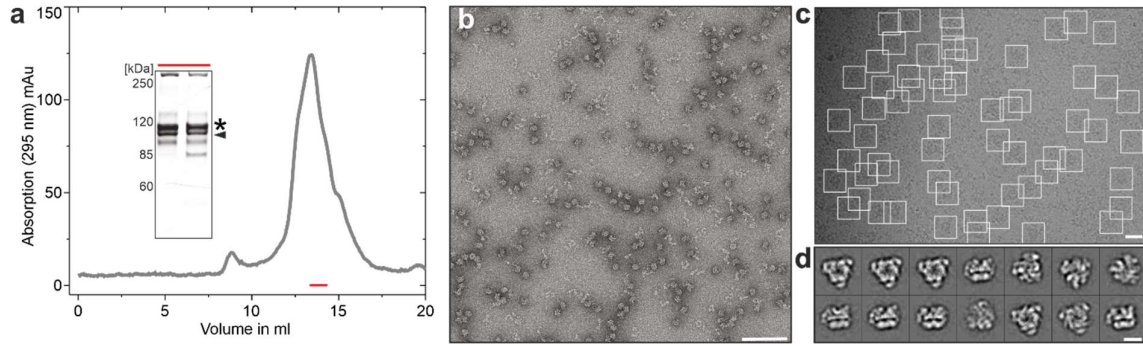
Supplementary Table 2: Cryo-EM data collection and refinement statistics

Data collection		
Microscope	Titan Krios with Cs-corrector and XFEG electron source	
Voltage (kV)	300	
Nominal magnification	105,000 x	
Electron Dose (e ⁻ / Å ²)	60	
Number of frames	60	
Detector	Gatan K3	
Pixel size (Å)	0.34 (super resolution mode)	
Defocus range (µm)	-0.6 to -2.4	
Micrographs	16,763	
Reconstruction		
Software	SPHIRE 1.4, RELION 3.1.4, Phenix 1.20, Cryosparc 4	
Total extracted particles	1,259,079	
Structure Pex1/Pex6E832Q	Class 3 Single-'seam' conformation	Class 4 Twin-'seam' conformation
Particles	164,610	128,983
Symmetry	C1	C1
Final average resolution, gold standard FSC=0.143	4.1 Å	4.7 Å
Final average resolution after density modification FSC=0.5	3.9 Å	4.3 Å
Model refinement		
Peptide chains	7	7
Residues	5564	5564
Ligands	ATP: 10, ADP: 2, Mg ²⁺ : 10	ATP: 10, ADP: 2, Mg ²⁺ : 10
RMSD Bond length (Å)	0.003	0.004
RMSD Bond angles (°)	0.751	0.881
Ramachandran outliers (%)	0.04	0.00
Ramachandran allowed (%)	7.26	9.8
Ramachandran favored (%)	92.68	90.2
Rotamer outliers (%)	0.06	0.00
MolProbity score	1.81	1.89
Clash score	6.27	6.28
EMRinger score	1.53	0.99
B-factors mean (Protein)	132.26	131.73
B-factors mean (Ligand)	92.38	89.13

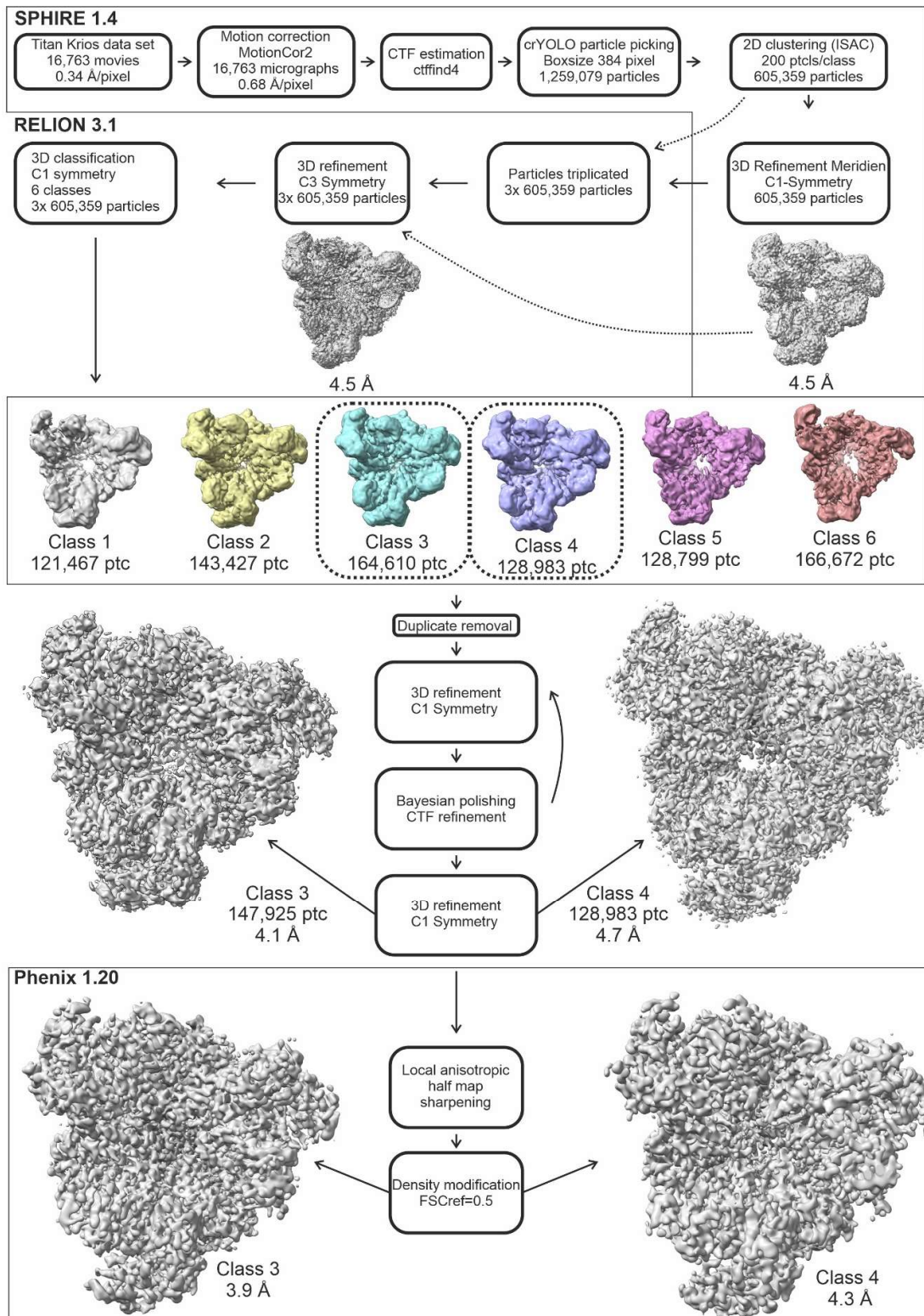
Supplementary Figures



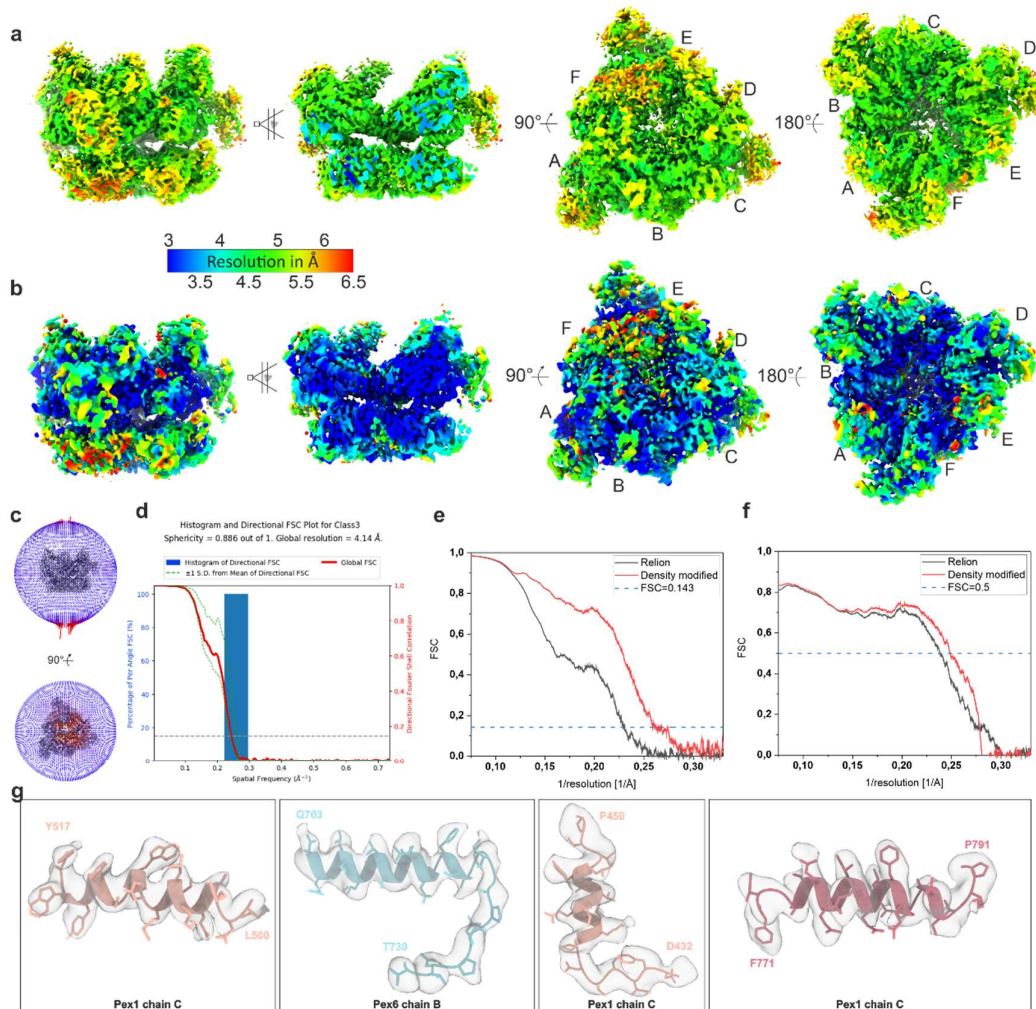
Supplementary Figure 1: Time-dependent decrease in ATP/ADP ratio analyzed by HPLC. Representative chromatograms are shown (a-c). Control experiments were performed with ATP alone. The ATP/ADP ratios in the presence of Pex1/Pex6_{WB} were obtained by quantification of the results from HPLC analyses at different timepoints upon addition of ATP to the protein sample (d-e). Source data are provided as a Source Data file.



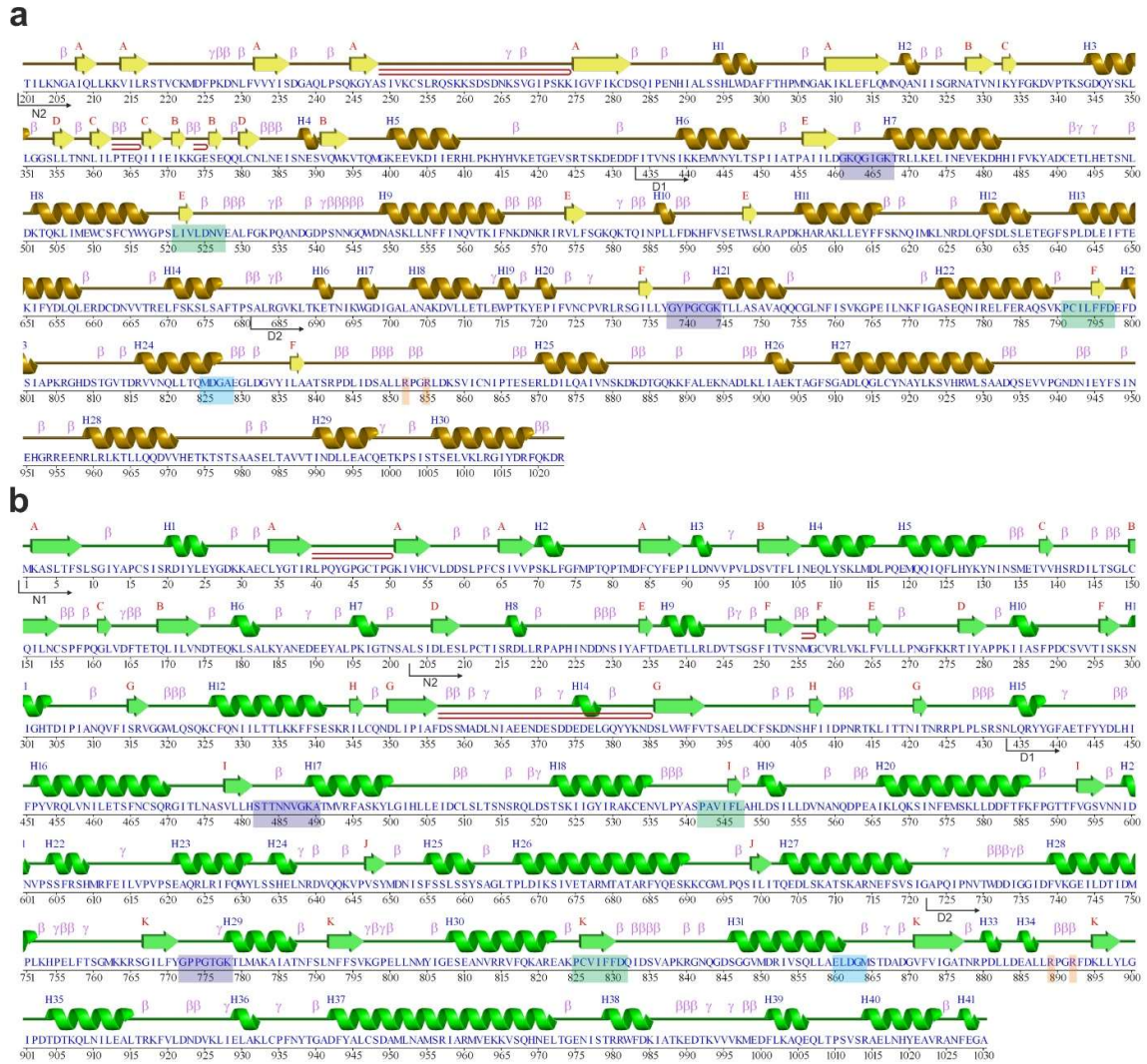
Supplementary Figure 2: Expression and purification of recombinant Pex1/Pex6_WB. **a)** Size exclusion chromatogram (SEC), showing one major peak corresponding to a complex of Pex1 (star) and Pex6_WB (arrow), as confirmed by SDS-PAGE (inset). The red bar indicates fractions, which were pooled for subsequent cryo-EM studies. **b)** Representative micrograph of negatively stained Pex1/Pex6_WB complex after SEC. Scalebar 100 nm. **c)** Representative cryo-EM micrograph of Pex1/Pex6_WB low-pass filtered to 5 Å. Scale bar 20 nm. Boxes represent particles identified by crYOLO. **d)** Representative reference-free 2D class averages of Pex1/Pex6_Pex6_WB complex. Scale bar 10nm.



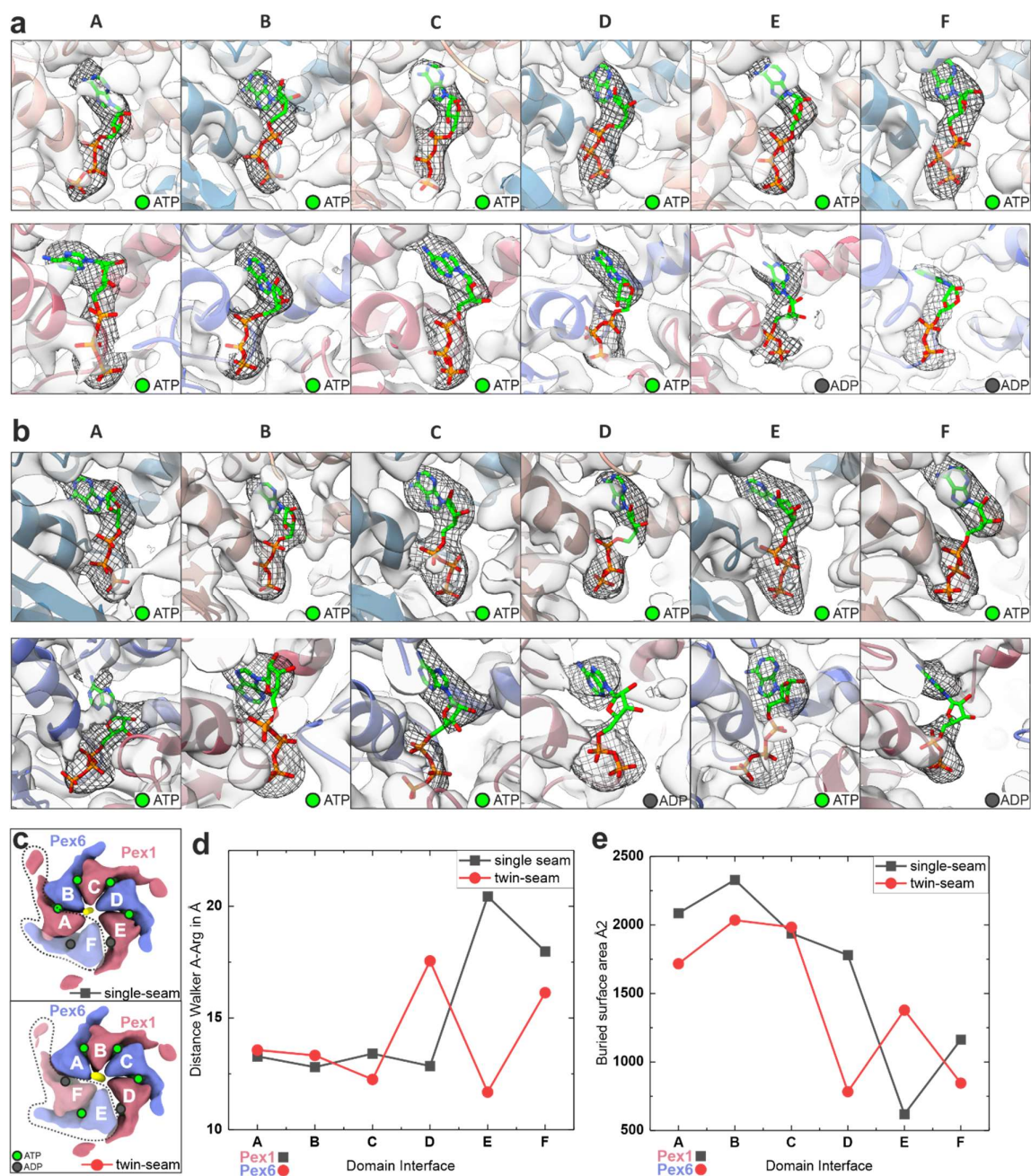
Supplementary Figure 3: Single-particle cryo-EM processing workflow. The final maps of class 3 and class 4 from RELION and Phenix have been used for model building. Electron density maps are shown at (class3, single-seam state) 4.42 sigma (2.26 sigma for density-modified) and at (class4, twin-seam state) 4.72 sigma (2.11 sigma for density-modified), respectively.



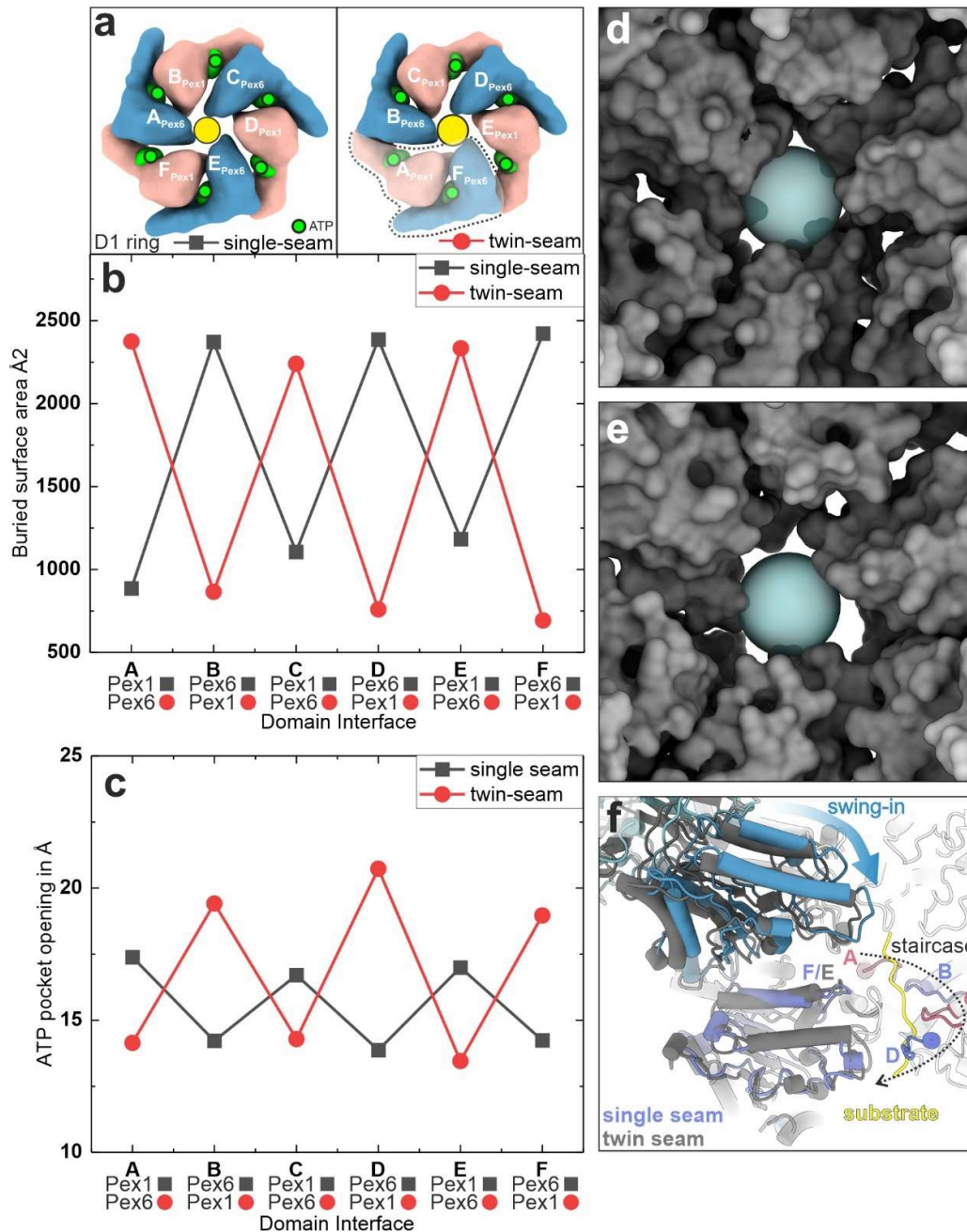
Supplementary Figure 4: Cryo-EM structure of the single 'seam' state (class 3). **a-b**) Different surface views and cross-section of the cryo-EM density map colored according to the local resolution, upon post-processing in RELION at 4.42 sigma (a) and after local anisotropic half map sharpening and density modification using Phenix at 2.26 sigma (b). **c**) Angular distribution for the final round of the refinement. **d**) 3D FSC curve. **e**) Half-map FSC curves and **f**) model-map FSC curves before (gray) and after (red) density modification using phenix. **g**) Representative areas of the density map superimposed with the molecular model. Density-modified map is shown at 2.26 sigma.



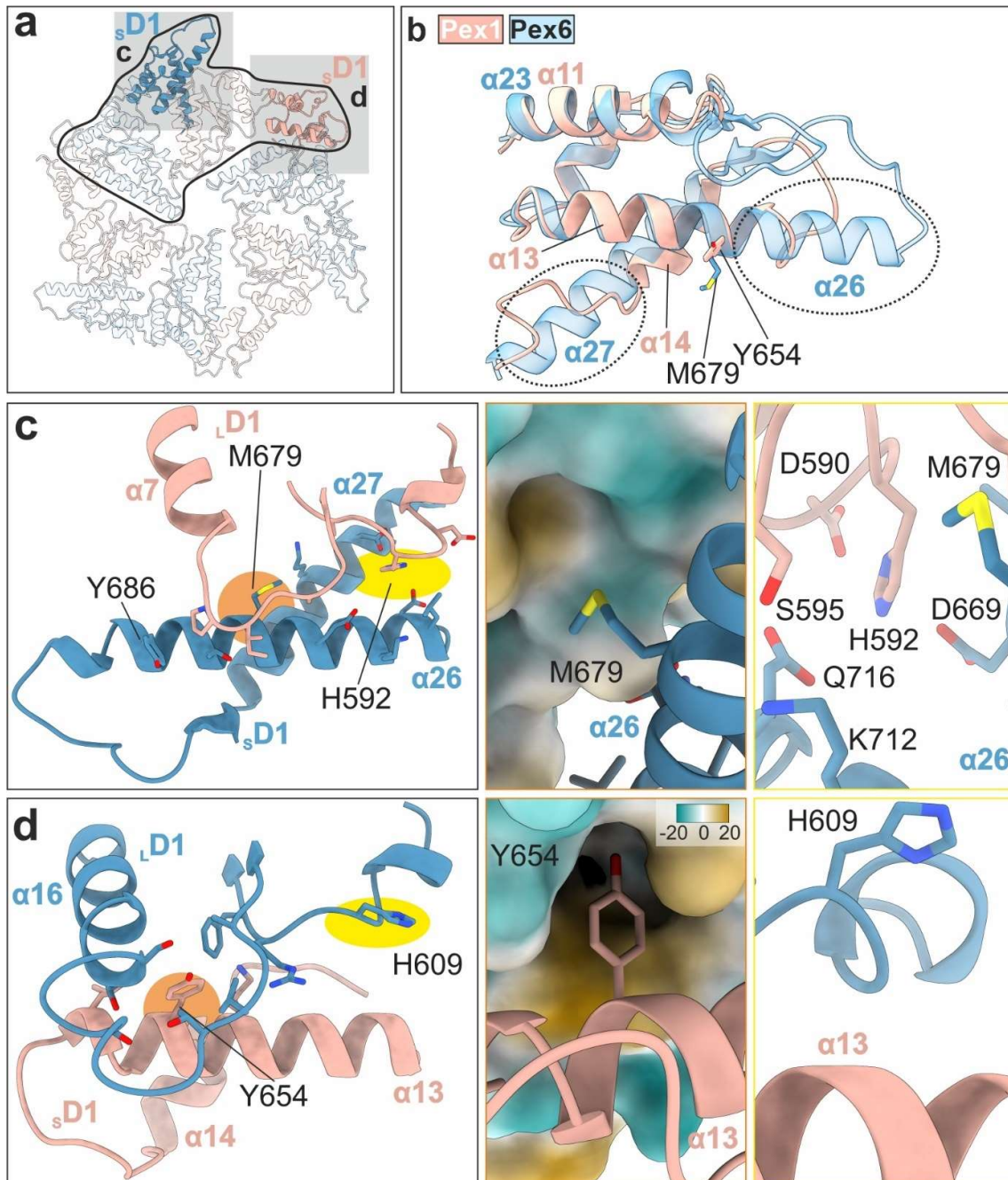
Supplementary Figure 5. Secondary structure of Pex1(chain c) (a) and Pex6(chain d) (b) computed with PDBsum (<http://www.ebi.ac.uk/pdbsum/>)¹. α -helices are labeled H1, H2, ..., H41 and β -strands by their sheets as A, B, ..., K. Structural motifs β -turns, γ -turns, and β -hairpins are marked as β , γ , and \triangleright , respectively. Important conserved motifs are indicated: Walker A (dark purple), Walker B (green), ISS (cyan), pore loops (red loop) and arginine fingers (orange).



Supplementary Figure 6: Analysis of the nucleotide binding pockets a-b) Nucleotide models and corresponding cryo-EM density of the D1 (upper panels) and D2 (lower panels) ring of the single-seam (**a**) and twin-seam (**b**) state. Density-modified map is shown at 2.26 sigma (class3) and 2.11 sigma (class4). A-F indicate Pex subunits. **c)** Position of nucleotide binding pockets and D2-interfaces respective to the disengaged seam (F) domain for the single-seam (upper-inset) and twin-seam state (lower-inset). Letters (from A-F) define the individual subunit position within the stair-case. Domain A occupies the highest position of the spiral. **d)** Measurements of the opening of the nucleotide binding pocket for the single- (gray) and twin-seam (red) state. Shown are the distances between the C α of Walker A Thr and the C α of the Arg-finger of the neighboring subunit (Pex1-Pex6 interface: Pex1(T745)-Pex6 (R892); Pex6-Pex1 interface: Pex6(T779)-Pex1(R855)). **e)** Contact area between the large and small AAA+ domains of neighboring D2 domains. The buried surface area was measured between the D2 domains of Pex1 (residues 681-1020) and Pex6 (residues 723-1030).

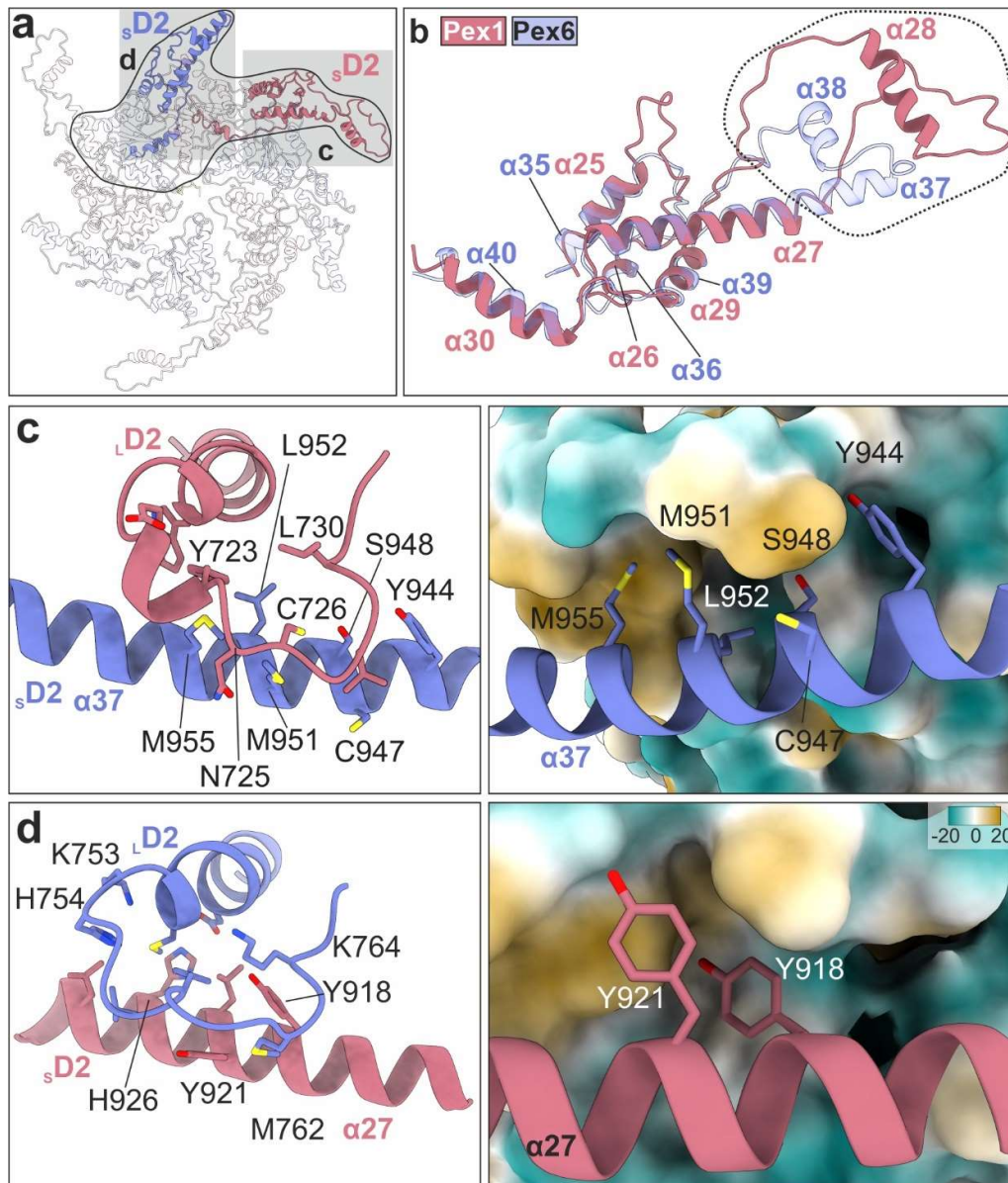


Supplementary Figure 7: Structural dynamics of the D1 Ring between single- and twin-seam state. **a)** Position of nucleotide binding pockets and D2-interfaces for the single-seam (left inset) and twin-seam state (right inset). **b-c)** Shown are measurements of the opening of the **b)** nucleotide binding pocket (Pex1 T468 to Pex6 D582 and Pex6 T491 to Pex1 K563) and the **c)** buried surface between adjacent subunits for the single- (gray) and twin-seam (red) state. The buried surface area was measured between the D2 domains of Pex1 (residues 201-680) and Pex6 (residues 201-722). **d-e)** D1 pore of **d)** single seam state and **e)** twin-seam state as surface representation. The blue transparent sphere has a diameter of 15 Å. Note the widening of the pore from single- to twin seam-state. **f)** Single-seam state (gray) superimposed on twin-seam state (colored) with chains D (except pore loop) removed to show the interior. Note that the twin-seam (left protomers, gray) swing in on the opposite side of the pore loops 1 staircase, during transition to single-seam (left protomer, colored).

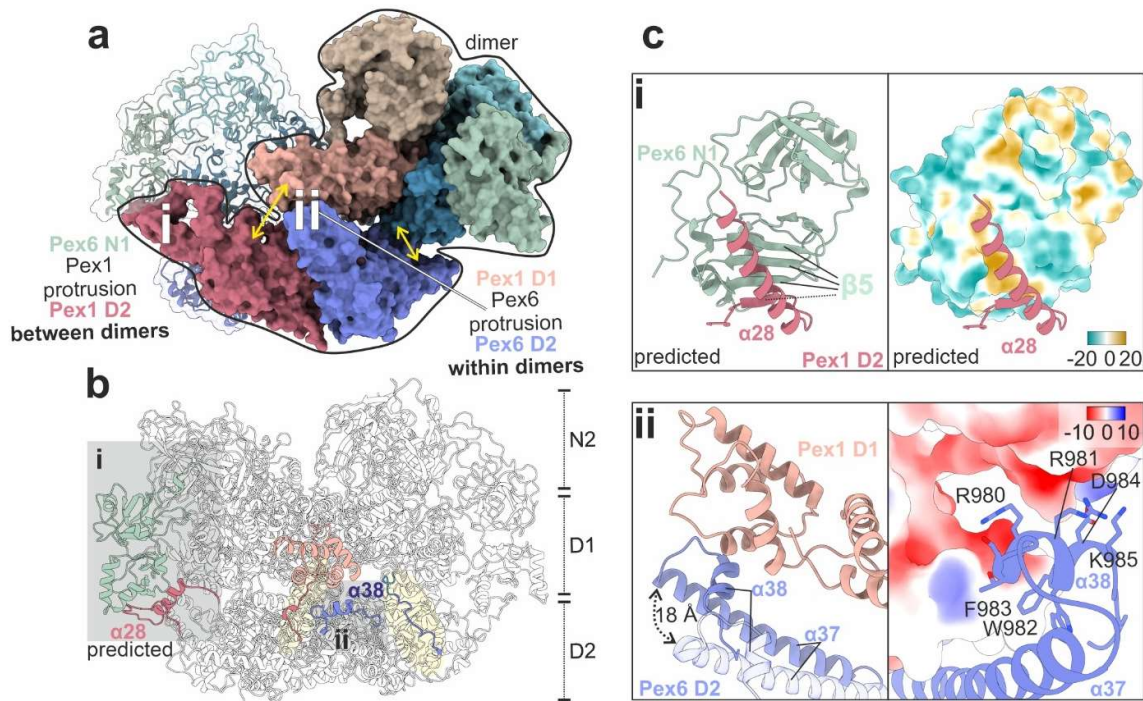


Supplementary Figure 8: Distinct features of the small D1-ATPase domains of Pex1 and Pex6 determine the “trimer-of-dimers” arrangement in the D1 ring. **a)** Top view of the Pex1/Pex6 D1 ring. The Pex6/Pex1 dimer indicated by a black line. The D1 small ATPase subdomains (sD1) of Pex1 (beige) and Pex6 (blue) are highlighted. **b)** Structural alignment of Pex1(sD1) (residues 605-685, beige) and Pex6(sD1) (residues 621-721, blue transparent). Note the deletion in helix $\alpha 13$ and $\alpha 14$ of Pex1(sD1). **c)** Contact site of Pex6(sD1) with Pex1(LD1) (compact Interface within the dimer). M679 of the prolonged $\alpha 26$ helix of Pex6(sD1) (orange highlight) binds to a hydrophobic pocket formed by helix $\alpha 7$, and the loop upstream (residues 447-456) of Pex1(LD1). The middle panel shows a close-up view of this interface, with the surface of the pocket colored by hydrophobicity. The conserved histidine H592 of Pex1(LD1) (yellow highlight) binds into a negatively charged pocket formed by the prolonged helices $\alpha 26$ and $\alpha 27$ of Pex6(sD1). A close-up view of this interface is shown in the right panel.

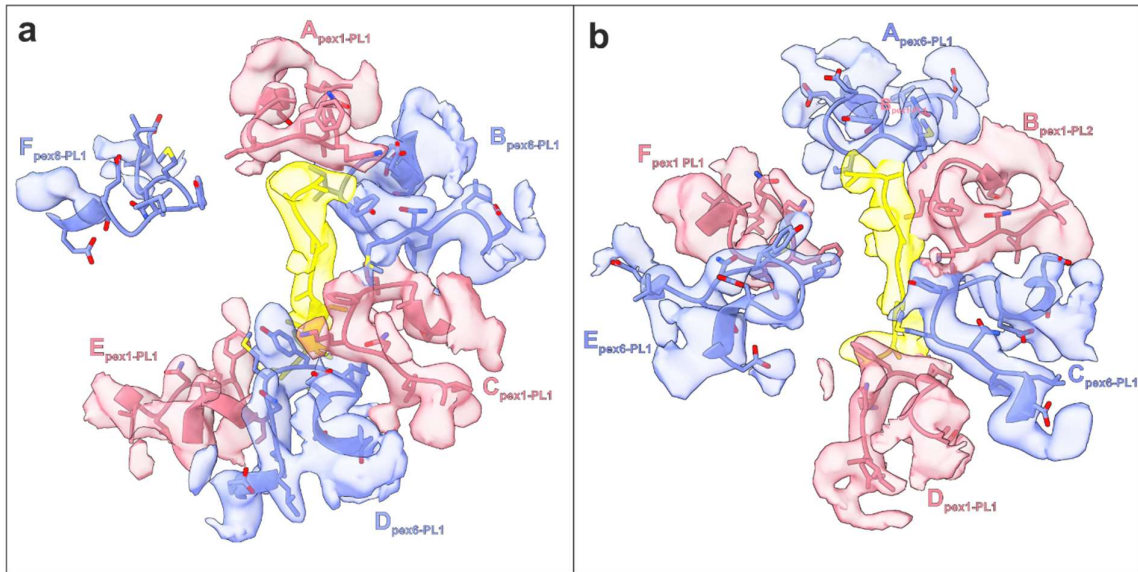
d) Contact site of Pex1_(sD1) with Pex6_(LD1) (less compact interface between dimers). Due to the deletion in helix α 13 of Pex1_(sD1), Y654 (orange highlight) binds to the hydrophobic pocket formed by helix α 16 and the loop upstream (residues 464-478) of Pex6_(LD1). The middle panel shows a close-up view of this interface, with the surface of the pocket colored by hydrophobicity. Interestingly, due to the deletion, the analogous conserved H609 of Pex6_(LD1) (yellow highlight, right panel) does not contact Pex1_(sD1).

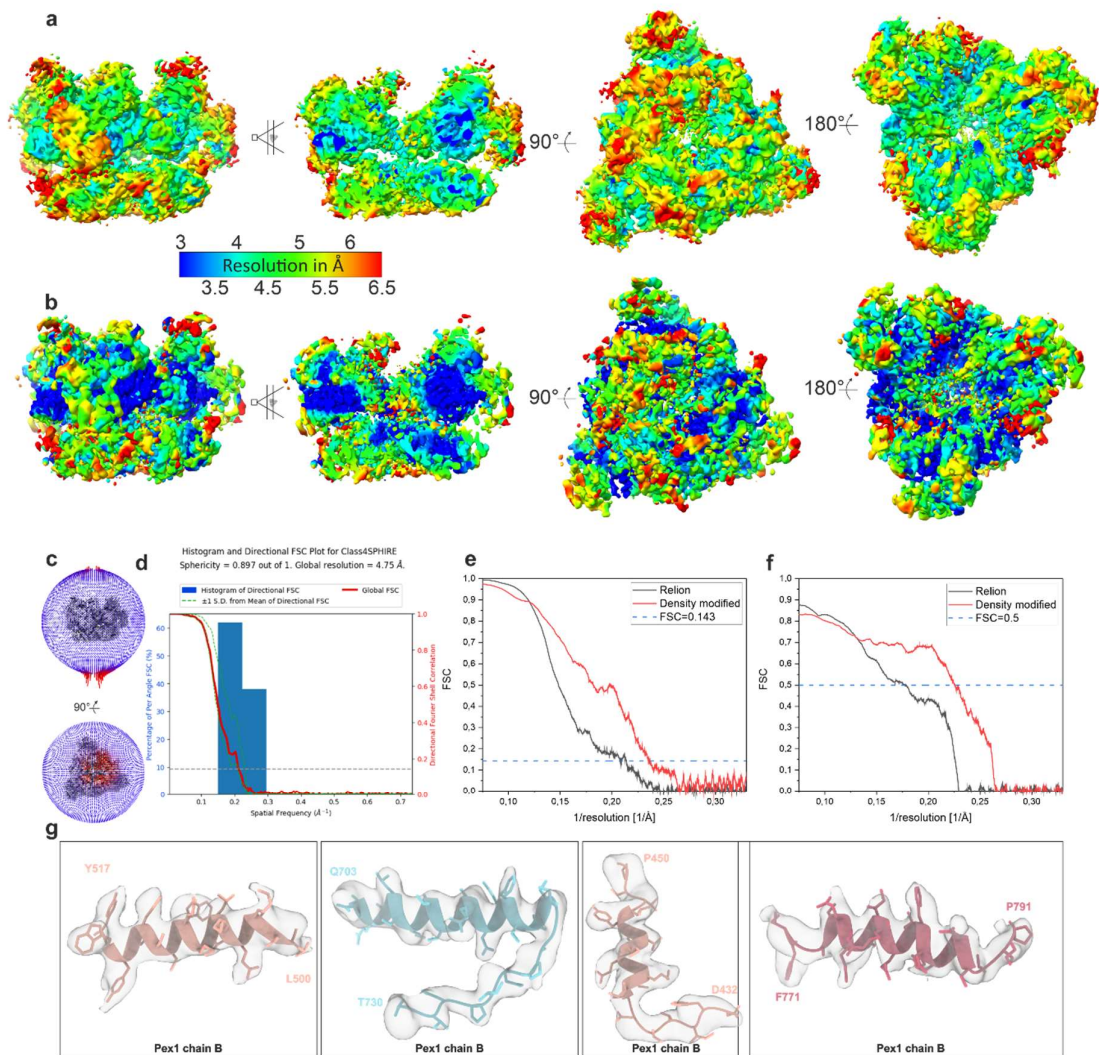


Supplementary Figure 9: Distinct features of the small D2-ATPase domains fine-tune trimer-of-dimer arrangement in the D2-ring. **a)** Top view of the Pex1/Pex6 D2 ring. The Pex6/Pex1 dimer is indicated by a black line. The D2 small ATPase subdomains (s D2) and large ATPase domains (L D2) of Pex1 (red) and Pex6 (blue) are highlighted. **b)** Structural alignment of Pex1(s D2) (residues 868-1021, beige) and Pex6(s D2) (residues 900-1030, blue transparent). Note the distinct Pex1($\alpha 28$) and Pex6($\alpha 38$) protrusion domains highlighted by the dashed line. **c)** Contact site of Pex6(s D2) with Pex1(L D2) (compact Interface within the dimer). Hydrophobic residues (M951, L952, M955 and Y944) mediate interactions within the dimer binding into a hydrophobic groove (right panel) formed by Pex1($\alpha 18$) and the loop upstream. **d)** Contact site of Pex1(s D2) with Pex6(L D2) (loose interface between dimers). Two hydrophobic residues (Y918 and Y921) on Pex1($\alpha 27$) mediate interactions between dimers via binding into a hydrophobic pocket (right panel) formed by Pex6($\alpha 28$) and the loop upstream.

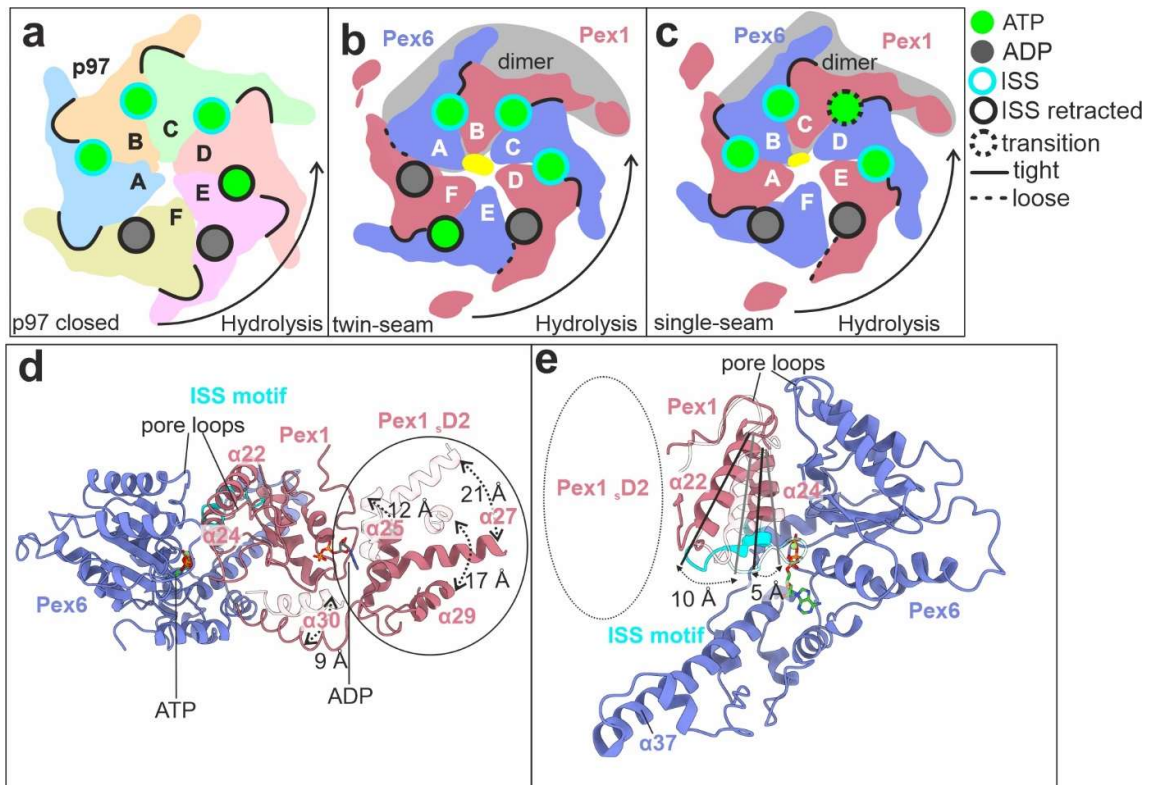


Supplementary Figure 10: Interactions between the D1 and D2 ring. **a**) Overview of the D1-D2 interactions via the protrusion domains of Pex1(i), Pex6(ii) and flexible linker peptides (yellow double-arrows). A Pex1/Pex6 subunit dimer is shown in surface representation. The clockwise (from top) adjacent Pex6 subunit is shown in ribbon representation. **b**) The structural elements involved in D1-D2 interactions are shown in ribbon representation and highlighted in color. In particular, the linker peptides (Pex1 (red, aa680-690); Pex6 (blue, residues 722-729)) covalently link the D1 and D2 ATPase cassettes. The protrusion domain of Pex1(D2) (amphipathic $\alpha 28$ helix) is flanked by long flexible loops and establishes an interface between neighboring dimers via anchoring at the adjacent Pex6(N1) domain (green) (i). The protrusion domain of Pex6(D2) (helix $\alpha 38$) mediates contact between the Pex6(D2) and the Pex1(_sD1) domains within a subunit dimer (ii). **c**) Close-up view of interface (i) (upper-insets) and ii (lower insets). Please note: The Pex1(D2) protrusion domain ($\alpha 28$) is not well resolved. To address this, the interface (i) (Pex1(D2) (residues 940-976, red) and Pex6(N1)(1-201, green) (left panel) was predicted using AlphaFold. Note that the Pex1 β -strand upstream of $\alpha 28$ enters the β -sheet 5 ($\beta 5$) of Pex6. Together they form a hydrophobic groove, to which $\alpha 28$ (red) docks (right panel). **ii** This intra-dimer interface is flexible and depends on the nucleotide binding state of Pex6(D2). The Pex6($\alpha 38$) protrusion helix at the tip of Pex6($\alpha 37$) undergoes large movements (indicated by a dashed arrow) during ATPase cycle (right panel). During the transition from twin- to single seam state, $\alpha 38$ of the Pex6(D2) domain reengages and binds into a charged groove of Pex1(D1). Scalebar kcal/(mol·e) at 298 K.





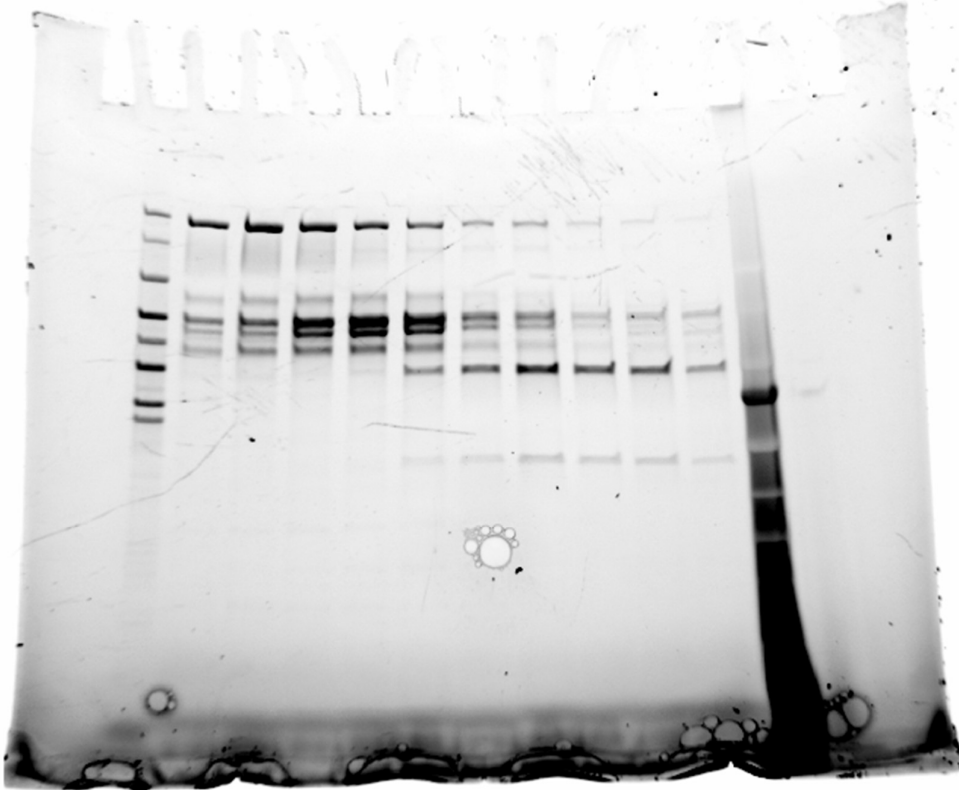
Supplementary Figure 12: Cryo-EM structure of the single 'twin-seam' state (class 4). **a-b)** Different surface views and cross-section of the cryo-EM density map colored according to the local resolution, upon post-processing in RELION at 4.42 sigma (a) and after local anisotropic half map sharpening and density modification using Phenix at 2.11 sigma (b). **c)** Angular distribution for the final round of the refinement. **d)** 3D FSC curve. **e)** Half-map FSC curves and **f)** model-map FSC curves before (gray) and after (red) density modification using phenix. **g)** Representative areas of the density map superimposed with the molecular model. Density-modified map is shown at 2.11 sigma.



Supplementary Figure 13: Inter-subunit signaling (ISS) motif controls ATP hydrolysis.

a) Illustration showing the arrangement of the D2 ring in p97 (closed conformation PDB: 7LN5)². Note that the ISS motif of subunit F (ADP) is retracted from the nucleotide site of the neighboring subunit E and primes this site for hydrolysis. **b-c)** Illustration showing the arrangement of the D2 ring in Pex1/Pex6 in “single-seam” (b) and “twin-seam” state (c). Note that the ISS at the tight dimeric interface (D/E) (“single-seam”, b) blocks hydrolysis. Upon release, the dimer (E/F) (“twin-seam”, c) is less compact, the ISS is retracted and the dimeric interface is primed for hydrolysis. **d)** Pex6/Pex1 “twin-seam dimer” (chain E/F, colored blue/red) superimposed with staircase engaged Pex6/Pex1 dimer from the single-seam state (chain D/E, chain D removed, chain E transparent red) aligned on the large ATPase subdomain of Pex6 to visualize conformational changes upon dimer-detachment from the staircase. Note large conformational changes of the Pex1_{(s)D2} subdomain upon detachment from the staircase. **e)** Same as in (d) but viewed from top. Pex1_{(L)D2} is removing the ISS motif from the nucleotide pocket to prime it for hydrolysis.

Source data



Source data 1: Uncropped gel corresponding to Supplementary Figure 2a.

Supplementary References

1. Laskowski, R. A. PDBsum: summaries and analyses of PDB structures. *Nucleic acids research* **29**, 221–222; 10.1093/nar/29.1.221 (2001).
2. Pan, M. *et al.* Mechanistic insight into substrate processing and allosteric inhibition of human p97. *Nature structural & molecular biology* **28**, 614–625; 10.1038/s41594-021-00617-2 (2021).