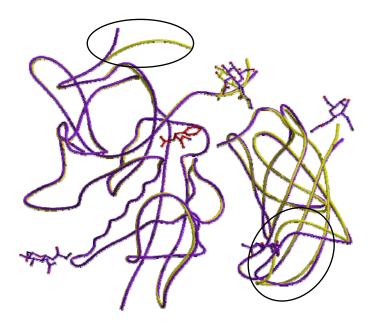
Supplementary material





Top: Superposition of the hDPPI-Gly-Phe-CHN₂ complex (purple) and 1k3b (yellow). The C-terminal of the B-chain and the A21-A29 loop are circled. Bottom: Superposition of the hDPPI-Gly-Phe-CHN₂ complex (purple) and the redetermined native structure (yellow). In both figures, the inhibitor is shown in red sticks and the N-linked carbohydrate is shown in purple and yellow sticks.

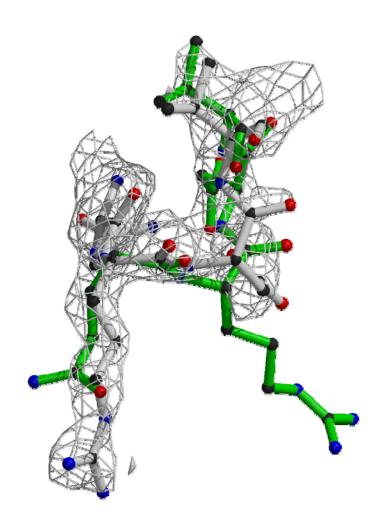
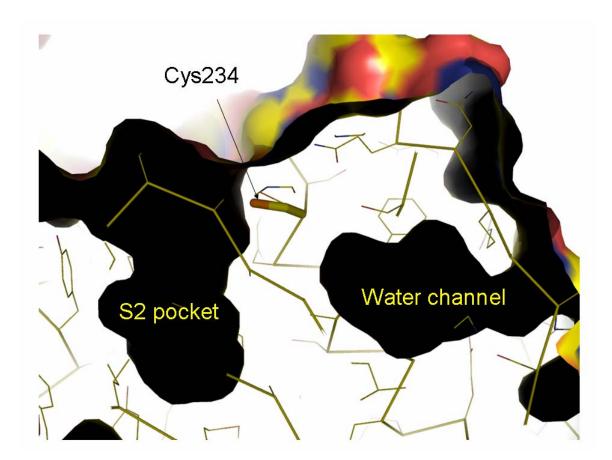


Fig. 2

Fo-Fc electron density map of the A21-A29 loop with the hDPPI-Gly-Phe-CHN₂ structure in gray and the native structure (1k3b) in green.





The native structure of hDPPI near the active site. The surface representation shows the two water filled pockets, which extend into the interior part of the protein structure: the S2 binding pocket and the water channel, which is found behind the catalytic Cys234.