

# Fragment-based approaches to the development of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* CYP121 inhibitors

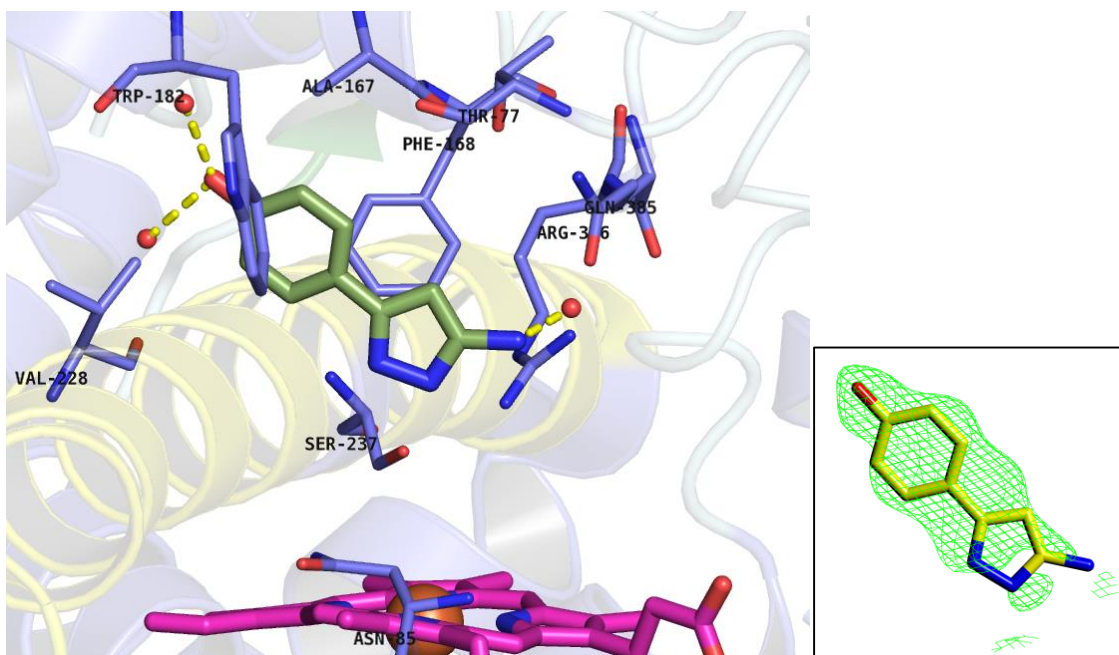
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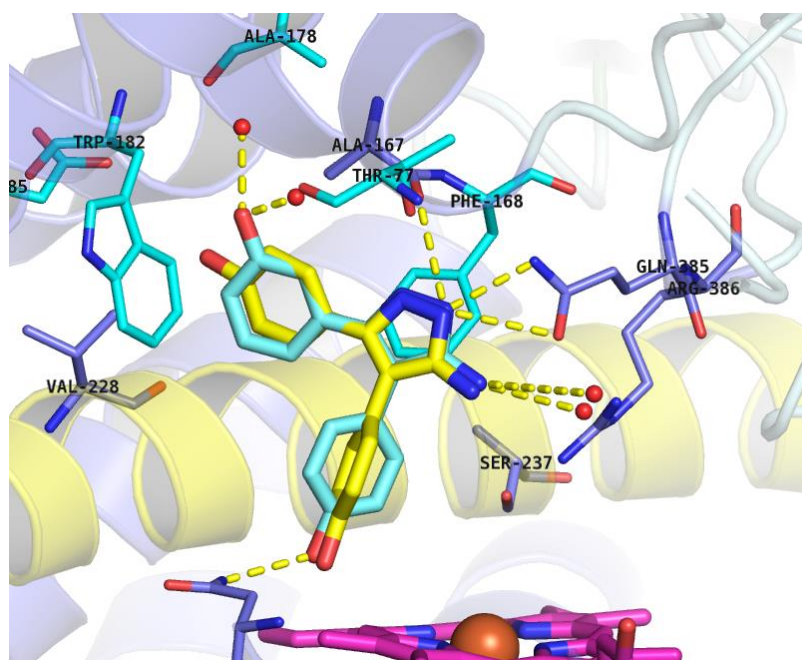
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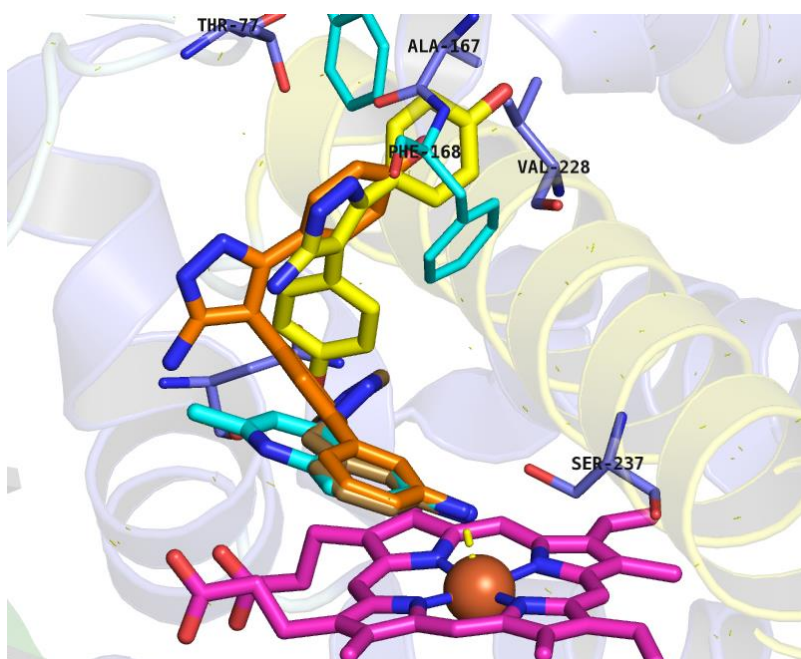
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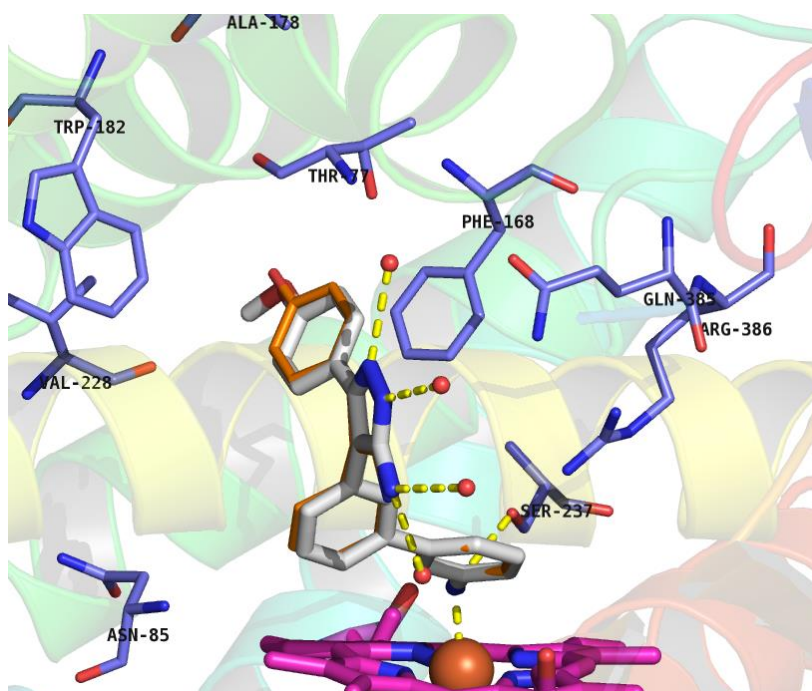
**Figure S1.** X-ray crystal structure of retrofragment **3** (olive) in complex with CYP121. Inset: Omit  $F_o-F_c$  electron density map of **3** (yellow) contoured to  $3\sigma$ . Active site residues (blue lines), heme cofactor (magenta sticks) and potential hydrogen bonds (yellow dashes) to active site water molecules have been indicated. Figures prepared using PyMOL v1.7.4 (Schrödinger, LLC).



**Figure S2.** Docking results for Ar1 analogue **14b** overlaid with the X-ray crystal structure of retrofragment **5** (yellow) in complex with CYP121 (PDB 4KTF).<sup>1</sup> Predicted hydrogen bonding interactions (yellow dashes) between **14b** and active site residues (blue lines) and water molecules (red spheres) have been illustrated. Amino acid Asn85 appears in the lower left corner of the figure. Docking was performed using GLIDE v6.5 (Schrödinger, LLC, New York, NY). Figure prepared using PyMOL v1.7.4 (Schrödinger, LLC).



**Figure S3.** X-ray crystal structures of CYP121 in complex with **25a** (orange) (PDB 5IBE) overlaid with the X-ray crystal structures of CYP121 in complex with aniline fragments **8** (copper) (PDB 4G44) and **9** (cyan) (PDB 4G45).<sup>2</sup> Retrofragment **5** (yellow) (PDB 4KTF)<sup>1</sup> has also been included to illustrate the shift in the position of the 5-aminopyrazole ring that occurred as a result of removing the 4-hydroxy substituent from Ar2 to optimise heme-binding interactions.



**Figure S4.** X-ray crystal structures of CYP121 in complex with analogue **24a** (grey sticks) (PDB 5IBD) overlaid with **25a** (orange lines) (PDB 5IBE). The identical binding position of the two analogues illustrates tolerance of the Ar1 site to the 4-methyl protecting group retained in analogue **24a**.

**Table S1.** CYP121-ligand binding stoichiometry determined by native mass spectrometry. Native mass spectra were collected for CYP121 (5-8.7  $\mu\text{M}$ ) in the presence of ligands at 3 different protein-to-ligand ratios (2.5-125  $\mu\text{M}$  ligand). Ligand binding stoichiometry was calculated from the difference in mass of ligand-bound and unbound protein peaks divided by the molecular weight of ligands. All spectra were collected in the presence of 2.18-5% v/v  $d_6$ -DMSO. Binding affinities ( $K_D$  values) were determined by UV-Vis optical titration for Ar2 heme-binding analogues. Isothermal titration calorimetry (ITC) was also used to determine the  $K_D$  values of all analogues, except **24a** which had low solubility.

Ligand	CYP121	Protein-Ligand Ratio			$K_D$ ( $\mu\text{M}$ )	
		1:0.5	1:1	1:25	UV-Vis	ITC
<b>25a</b>	Dimer	1	2	2	0.015	0.74
	Monomer	1	1	1		
<b>24a</b>	Dimer	1	1	2	0.033	-
	Monomer	0	1	1		
<b>25b</b>	Dimer	0	2	2	0.292	4.5
	Monomer	0	1	1		
<b>26a</b>	Dimer	1	1	2	-	6.3
	Monomer	0	0	1		
<b>19a</b>	Dimer	0	0	2	14	140
	Monomer	0	0	1		
<b>6</b>	Dimer	0	0	1	-	10.6
	Monomer	0	0	1		

**Table S2.** Effect of ligand binding on CYP121 oligomerisation. Native mass spectra were collected for CYP121 (5-8.7  $\mu\text{M}$ ) in the presence of ligands at 3 different protein-to-ligand ratios (2.5-125  $\mu\text{M}$  ligand) in the presence of 2.2-5% v/v  $d_6$ -DMSO. The percentage of monomeric CYP121 was calculated from the sum of the intensities of peaks corresponding to monomeric CYP121 ( $m/z$  3500-4750) divided by the sum of peaks corresponding to both monomeric and dimeric CYP121 ( $m/z$  5250-6750).

Protein-Ligand Ratio	1:0.5	1:1	1:25
	Monomer (%)		
<b>25a</b>	14	13	0
<b>24a</b>	19	16	16
<b>25b</b>	14	14	10
<b>26a</b>	14	29	14
<b>19a</b>	23	28	33
<b>6</b>	11	26	12

**Table S3.** Inhibitory concentrations of known inhibitors of human drug-metabolising P450s. IC<sub>50</sub> values were calculated from a seven point dose-response curve in human liver microsomes. Turnover of human P450 substrates (CYP1A, ethoxyresorufin; CYP2C9, tolbutamide; CYP2C19, mephenytoin; CYP2D6, dextromethorphan; CYP3A4, midazolam) was detected by LC-MS/MS, or by fluorescence for CYP1A. Experiments were conducted by Cyprotex (Cheshire, UK).

<b>Isoform</b>	<b>Inhibitor</b>	<b>IC<sub>50</sub> (μM)</b>	<b>SE (μM)</b>	<b>Endpoint (μM)</b>
<b>CYP1A</b>	alpha-naphthoflavone	0.0597	0.00641	3
<b>CYP2C9</b>	sulfaphenazole	0.598	0.0588	10
<b>CYP2C19</b>	tranylcypromine	12.6	2.67	50
<b>CYP2D6</b>	quinidine	0.0592	0.00477	3
<b>CYP3A4</b>	ketoconazole	0.0458	0.00218	3

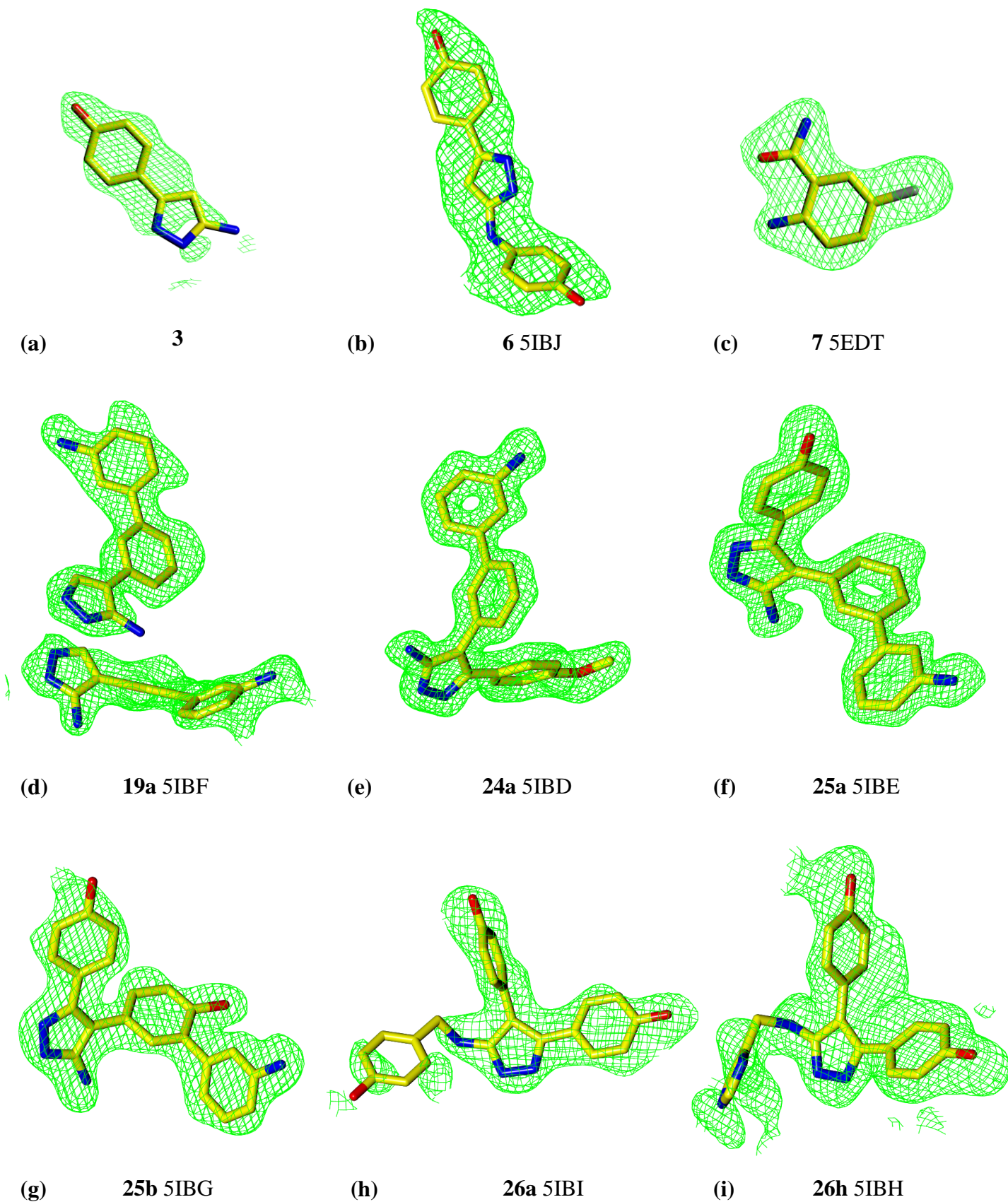
**Table S4.** Cellular activity of CYP121 ligands. The concentration of CYP121 ligands required to kill 90% of cells in *Mtb* H37Rv cultures relative to DMSO controls was determined in triplicate over a 6 point concentration range between 0-100 μM. Compounds **14c** and **29c** were included as negative controls because of their weak CYP121 binding affinity (see Table 2). Rifampicin was included as a positive control and was tested between 0-0.18 μM. “N” indicates that compounds did not produce any significant cell death within the tested concentration range.

<b>Compound</b>	<b>MIC<sub>90</sub> (μM)</b>
<b>25a</b>	100
<b>24a</b>	50
<b>19a</b>	N
<b>26a</b>	N
<b>5</b>	N
<b>14c</b>	N
<b>29c</b>	N
<b>Rifampicin</b>	0.75

**Table S5.** X-ray crystallography data collection and refinement statistics

<b>PDB ID</b> <b>Compound</b>	<b>5IBJ</b> <b>6</b>	<b>5EDT</b> <b>7</b>	<b>5IBF</b> <b>19a</b>	<b>5IBD</b> <b>24a</b>
<b>Data collection</b>				
Space Group	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22
Cell dimensions a, b, c, (Å)	77.67, 77.67, 264.32	77.43, 77.43, 263.15	78.10, 78.10, 265.55	77.89, 77.89, 264.03
$\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ (°)	90.0, 90.0, 120.0	90.0, 90.0, 120.0	90.0, 90.0, 120.0	90.0, 90.0, 120.0
Resolution (Å)	29.66 - 2.5 (2.589 - 2.5)	67.06 - 2.45 (2.54 - 2.45)	47.38 - 1.7 (1.761 - 1.7)	44.01 - 1.77 (1.833 - 1.77)
No. reflections (total)	329806 (20886)	591452 (18020)	1395933 (83045)	1001051 (55437)
No. reflections (unique)	17231 (1674)	18202 (1802)	53597 (5074)	47127 (4412)
$R_{\text{merge}}$	0.2560 (0.9690)	0.1811 (0.6397)	0.08686 (0.9419)	0.1359 (0.6159)
$CC_{1/2}$	0.994 (0.739)	nd	1 (0.824)	0.997 (0.885)
$CC^*$	17231 (1674)	nd	1 (0.95)	0.999 (0.969)
$I/\sigma I$	15.6 (3.9)	16.8 (2.2)	30.1 (2.7)	16.33 (3.60)
Completeness (%)	99.7 (97.0)	100.0 (99.9)	99.59 (96.91)	99.55 (96.16)
Multiplicity	18.0 (16.3)	32.5 (10.0)	26.0 (16.4)	21.2 (12.6)
Wilson's B-factor	20.09	19.3	20.75	16.72
<b>Refinement</b>				
Resolution (Å)	2.5	2.45	1.7	1.77
No. reflections	1724 (168)	17218	5% Random	5% Random
$R_{\text{work}}$	0.1748 (0.2184)	0.187	0.1770 (0.2618)	0.1463 (0.1792)
$R_{\text{free}}$	0.2339 (0.2973)	0.243	0.2104 (0.3001)	0.1868 (0.2237)
R.m.s. deviations				
Bond lengths (Å)	0.003	0.015	0.011	0.01
Bond angles (°)	0.74	2.258	1.3	1.26
Average B-factor	18.49	17.14	24.8	19.5
Macromolecules	18.16	16.44	24.2	18.1
Ligands	21.63	19.25-	23.5	18.3
Solvent	21.68	16.01	30.2	28

<b>PDB ID</b>	<b>5IBE</b>	<b>5IBG</b>	<b>5IBI</b>	<b>5IBH</b>
<b>Compound</b>	<b>25a</b>	<b>25b</b>	<b>26a</b>	<b>26h</b>
<b>Data collection</b>				
Space Group	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22	P6 <sub>5</sub> 22
Cell dimensions a, b, c, (Å)	77.28, 77.28, 263.90	79.25, 79.25, 261.17	77.82, 77.82, 265.09	77.14, 77.14, 267.27
$\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ (°)	90.0, 90.0, 120.0	90.0, 90.0, 120.0	90.0, 90.0, 120.0	90.0, 90.0, 120.0
Resolution (Å)	46.98 - 1.624 (1.682 - 1.624)	39.62 - 2.1 (2.175 - 2.1)	47.25 - 2.2 (2.278 - 2.2)	35.4 - 2.02 (2.092 - 2.02)
No. reflections (total)	1035821 (55117)	542005 (56522)	305615 (31162)	612743 (60286)
No. reflections (unique)	59872 (5750)	29145 (2847)	25184 (2447)	32000 (3140)
$R_{\text{merge}}$	0.08826 (0.5886)	0.137 (0.664)	0.1615 (0.2824)	0.1144 (0.7698)
$CC_{1/2}$	0.999 (0.886)	0.999 (0.974)	0.991 (0.935)	0.999 (0.943)
$CC^*$	1 (0.969)	1 (0.993)	0.998 (0.983)	1 (0.985)
$I/\sigma I$	20.35 (2.55)	22.0 (5.5)	11.49 (7.30)	20.61 (5.36)
Completeness (%)	99.8 (97.7)	99.1 (99.9)	99.93 (99.35)	99.99 (99.97)
Multiplicity	17.3 (9.6)	18.6 (19.9)	12.1 (12.7)	19.1 (19.2)
Wilson's B-factor	18.88	25.55	12.3	27.5
<b>Refinement</b>				
Resolution (Å)	1.62	2.1	2.2	2.02
No. reflections	5% Random	5% Random	5% Random	5% Random
$R_{\text{work}}$	0.1598 (0.2596)	0.2034 (0.2304)	0.1940 (0.2209)	0.1767 (0.1927)
$R_{\text{free}}$	0.1822 (0.2852)	0.2393 (0.2875)	0.2326 (0.2928)	0.2035 (0.2493)
R.m.s. deviations				
Bond lengths (Å)	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.007
Bond angles (°)	1.03	0.73	1.04	1.21
Average B-factor	22.6	29.5	15.5	29.1
Macromolecules	21	28.9	14.6	28.4
Ligands	24.2	26.3	22.1	31.3
Solvent	31	34.9	20.6	35.6



**Figure S5 (a-i).** Omit  $F_o-F_c$  electron density maps (green mesh) contoured to  $3\sigma$  for ligands **3**, **6**, **7**, **19a**, **24a**, **25a**, **25b**, **26a** and **26h** (yellow sticks) respectively, from X-ray crystal structures of ligands in complex with CYP121.



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