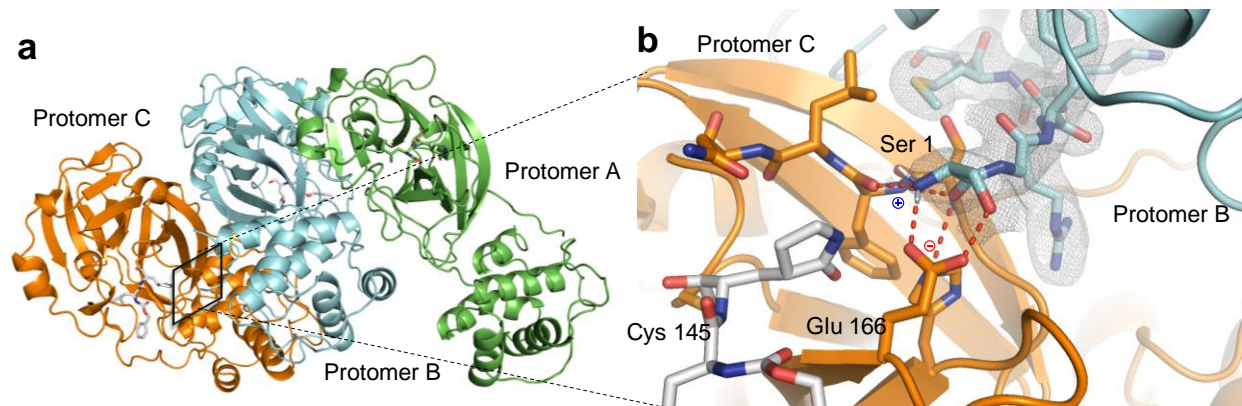


Supplementary information, Figure S3



Supplementary information Fig. 3: Overall structure of SARS-CoV-2 M^{pro}.

a The three protomers in the asymmetric unit. Protomers B and C form a biological dimer. Protomer A dimerizes with a protomer from an adjacent asymmetric unit (not depicted). **b** The N-finger, or the N-terminal eight residues, shown with the corresponding electron density (2Fo-Fc map contoured at 1 σ), interacts with Glu166 of the adjacent protomer, an important feature for catalytic activity.