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Diverse application platform for hard X-ray diffraction in SACLA (DAPHNIS): Application to serial protein crystallography using X-ray free electron laser

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S1. Liquid-jet diameters of the gas-focusing nozzle

A liquid-jet diameter is varied in the range of 4–40 μ m with a flow rate of liquid and a stagnation pressure of helium gas. Table S1 shows water-beam diameters at flow rates between 0.06 and 0.32 ml min⁻¹ and helium gauge pressures of 0.06, 0.10, and 0.16 MPa.

Table S1 Diameter of a water beam from a capillary with a 50-μm inner diameter.

| Water flow rate | Liquid-beam diameter (μm) | | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (ml min ⁻¹) | He 0.06 MPa [†] | He 0.10 MPa [†] | He 0.16 MPa [†] |
| 0.06 | unstable | unstable | 8 |
| 0.08 | unstable | unstable | 10 |
| 0.10 | unstable | unstable | 11 |
| 0.12 | unstable | 20 | 13 |
| 0.16 | 32 | 24 | 16 |
| 0.20 | 34 | 28 | 22 |
| 0.24 | 36 | 28 | 22 |
| 0.28 | 38 | 31 | 21 |
| 0.32 | 40 | 32 | 23 |

[†]Gauge pressure.

S2. Microscope image of 1-µm lysozyme crystals

In the diffraction measurement with the gas-focusing liquid-jet injector, the crystals were dispersed in an aqueous solution; 10% (w/v) sodium chloride and 1.0 M sodium acetate (pH 3.0). Figure S1 shows lysozyme crystals in the suspension.

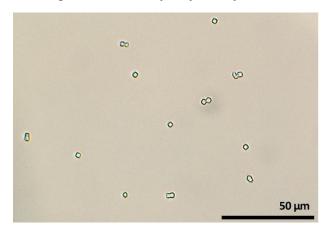


Figure S1 Microscopy image of lysozyme crystals, most of which have long sides of about 1 μm.

S3. Structure model of lysozyme

We obtained 3226 indexed diffraction images of the 1- μ m lysozyme crystals which were delivered with the gas-focusing nozzle. The structure model was refined at resolution limits of 30.0–2.40 Å. Figure S2 shows an electron density map at a resolution of 2.4 Å.

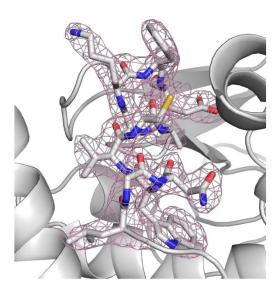


Figure S2 A close-up view of the lysozyme structure with a $(2F_o-F_c)$ electron-density map contoured at the 1.0σ level. This figure was drawn with the PyMol program (http://www.pymol.org).