## Supplementary Information for

# *Vibrio cholerae* biofilms use modular adhesins with glycan-targeting and nonspecific surface binding domains for colonization

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| Bap1 constructs                  | _         | RbmC constructs                   | 1100          |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Dand                             | - <b></b> | RbmC                              |               |
| Варт                             |           |                                   | 44 <b>2</b> 8 |
| Bap1 <sub>Δ57aa</sub>            |           | RbmC <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> c1       | 442           |
|                                  | 889       | RbmC <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> c2       |               |
| Bap1 <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> B       |           | BbmCross and                      | ববঞ্জ         |
| Rap1                             | -         | *D539A                            | 44 <u>22</u>  |
| Dap I <sub>Δβ</sub> -prismB+57aa |           | RbmC <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> c2 D539A | ×             |
| Bap1 <sub>∆Velcro</sub>          |           | RbmC <sub>AM1M2</sub>             |               |

Supplementary Figure 1| Schematic of domains and corresponding cartoon representations of Bap1 (*Left*) and RbmC (*Right*) mutants used in this study.



Supplementary Figure 2|  $\beta$ -propeller anchors Bap1 and RbmC to VPS. a, Cross-sectional images of *bap1*<sub> $\Delta\beta$ -prismB</sub> at  $z = 6 \mu m$ . Cells constitutively express mNeonGreen; Bap1 was stained with an anti-FLAG antibody conjugated to Cy3. Bap1<sub> $\Delta\beta$ -prismB</sub> retains peripheral staining around biofilm clusters, suggesting that VPS binding only requires the  $\beta$ -propeller. b, Western blot analysis of the production and secretion of constructs missing the  $\beta$ -propeller in the VPS<sup>-</sup> ( $\Delta vpsL$ ) background. A significant fraction of the proteins is found in the cell pellet, indicating a defect in

secretion. Therefore, these mutants were excluded from further analysis. c, Western blot of V. cholerae strains expressing 3×FLAG-tagged WT or Bap1<sub>∆Velcro</sub> protein (\* denotes strain lacking hapA and ivaP). In the WT background, Bap1 $\Delta$ Velcro experiences degradation leading to lower signal intensity. Deleting hapA and ivaP, the two major extracellular proteases<sup>1</sup>, resolves the degradation problem. d-e, Cross-sectional images of  $bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$  (d) and  $\Delta hapA\Delta ivaP$   $bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$ (e) in the biofilm bulk ( $z = 6 \mu m$ ). Cells constitutively express mNeonGreen; Bap1 was stained with an anti-FLAG antibody conjugated to Cy3. Note that a functional copy of RbmC is present in these strains. Deletion of *hapA* and *ivaP* does not change the localization or aggregation of the mutant protein. **f**, Biofilm adhesion assay with  $bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$ , together with positive ( $\Delta rbmC$ ) and negative ( $\Delta rbmC\Delta bapl$ ) controls. Data are shown as the mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 3 biologically independent samples). Statistics were performed using an unpaired, two-tailed t-test with a Welch's correction. ns represents not significant ( $\Delta rbmC \ bapl_{\Delta Velcro}$  v.s.  $\Delta rbmC \Delta bapl: p =$ 0.1144); \*\*\* p < 0.001 ( $\Delta rbmC$  v.s.  $\Delta rbmC$  bap $1_{\Delta Velcro}$ : p = 0.0009). g, 3D-rendering of confocal images of a biofilm from Bap1<sub>Avelcro</sub>-3×FLAG cells expressing mNeonGreen with in situ immunostaining. h, Distribution of puncta size in  $bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$  biofilms (N = 200 technical replicates). i, EMSA of RbmA (Left) binding to VPS, RbmC's β-propeller binding to VPS (Middle), and Bap1\*(= Bap1 $\Delta$ 57aa, *Right*) binding to selected polysaccharides. RbmA was used as a positive control in the EMSA as it is known to bind to  $VPS^2$ . The protein amount per lane is 5 µg when present. The VPS amount is 0, 0.0625, 0.125, 0.25, 0.50, 1, 5, 5, 5 µg in each lane from left to right. For other polysaccharides, 5 µg is used in each lane whenever present. Red arrows = proteinsubstrate complex, black arrows = unbound protein, green arrows = free GFP. Under the concentrations tested, we did not observe the same tight binding of Bap1 to the selected polysaccharides as seen with VPS.



**Supplementary Figure 3**| **Bap1 is the major biofilm adhesin on abiotic surfaces. a,** Absorbance at 550 nm in crystal violet assays for the indicated strains. Data are shown as the mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 3 for rugose and  $\Delta rbmC$ , n = 4 for  $\Delta bap1\Delta rbmC$ , n = 9 for  $\Delta rbmC$ , all biologically independent samples). Statistics were performed using an unpaired, two-tailed *t*-test with a Welch's correction. ns represents not significant (Rg v.s.  $\Delta rbmC$ : p = 0.0751); \*\* p < 0.01 (Rg v.s.  $\Delta bap1$ : p = 0.0026); \*\*\*\* p < 0.0001. **b**, Biofilm adhesion assays performed on polystyrene, untreated glass, or NaOH-treated glass (following an increasing order of hydrophilicity), for various mutants with a single or double deletion of *bap1* and/or *rbmC*. Data are shown as the mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 3 biologically independent samples). On NaOH-treated glass that is more hydrophilic and negatively charged<sup>3</sup>, a single deletion of *bap1*, but not *rbmC*, is sufficient to lead to an adhesion defect. **c**, Representative cross-sectional views of the bottom layer and side views of different mutant biofilms. The two defective mutants  $\Delta bap1\Delta rbmC$  and  $\Delta rbmC bap1_{\Delta\beta-prismB}$  form floating clusters not attached to the surface. The  $\Delta rbmC \ bap1_{\Delta57aa}$  displays a hole at biofilm core (yellow arrow), indicating a slight adhesion defect. **d**, Biofilm adhesion assays performed on polystyrene, untreated glass, or NaOH-treated glass, for various *bap1* mutants in the presence of 1 mg/mL BSA. Data are shown as the

mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 3 biologically independent samples). The Bap1<sub>Δβ-prismB+57aa</sub> construct, although functional on bare glass, does not adhere to NaOH-treated glass, suggesting that β-prismB still contributes to abiotic surface adhesion to some extent. **e**, Negative control for the microbead adsorption assay. *Top*: a representative image of 5 µm silica bead (*Left*, bright field) and FITC adsorbed on the bead (*Right*). *Bottom*: a representative image of 5 µm silica beads coated with lipids, labeled with RhPE (*Left*) for lipids and the FITC adsorbed on lipid layer (*Right*). [FITC] = 1.5 µM. FITC molecules adsorb minimally to these two types of surfaces. See main Figure 3f for quantification. **f**, A representative image of 5 µm silica beads incubated with RhPE. RhPE does not adsorb onto silica surfaces unless coated with lipids. The intensity scale in e and f is the same as that in main Figure 3e.



Supplementary Figure 4 Analysis of protein stability and secretion of Bap1 and RbmC constructs. a, Western blot analysis of the production and secretion of RbmC protein constructs in VPS<sup>-</sup> *V. cholerae* strains. All constructs are secreted into the supernatant at a level comparable to WT. b, Western blot analysis of the production and secretion of Bap1 protein constructs in VPS<sup>+</sup> (*Left*) and VPS<sup>-</sup> (*Right*) *V. cholerae* strains. Among the defective mutants, Bap1<sub> $\Delta\beta$ -prismB</sub> shows reduced intensity due to degradation and potentially also secretion. To verify that the defective phenotype seen with Bap1<sub> $\Delta\beta$ -prismB</sub> is not due to these confounding factors, we overexpressed *bap1<sub>\Delta\beta-prismB</sub>* from an arabinose-inducible plasmid. c, Western blot analysis of induction,

production, and secretion of  $bap1_{\Delta\beta-prismB}$ -3×FLAG from a plasmid in the VPS<sup>+</sup> (*Left*) and VPS<sup>-</sup> (*Right*) background, with and without 0.2% arabinose. In the presence of arabinose, the level of secreted proteins is restored to a level higher to that of WT Bap1. **d**, Adhesion assay of the strain overexpressing  $bap1_{\Delta\beta-prismB}$  in the presence of 1 mg/mL BSA. Data are shown as the mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 3 biologically independent samples). Even in the presence of arabinose that leads to elevated levels of the secreted protein is inherently defective. **e**, Adhesion defective mutants can be complemented. Shown are results from adhesion assay (from left to right) of  $\Delta rbmC\Delta bap1$ ,  $\Delta rbmC bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$ ,  $\Delta rbmC bap1_{\Delta 57aa}$ , and  $\Delta rbmC bap1_{\Delta\beta-prismB}$  mutants with a plasmid containing PBAD-bap1 induced with 0.2% arabinose in the presence of 1 mg/mL BSA. Data are shown as the mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 3 biologically independent samples). The complementation assay validates that the defective phenotype of these strains is due to the specific mutations in Bap1.



Supplementary Figure 5| Purified functional RbmC constructs but not Bap1 constructs bind to glycans prevalent on host surfaces. a, Merged z-stack of confocal images of DAPI-stained Caco-2 cells incubated with 1  $\mu$ M purified and GFP-tagged Bap1 domains. The total size of each image is 80×80×32.5  $\mu$ m. The intensity scale is the same as that in Figure 4a. None of the Bap1 domain(s) shows positive staining with Caco-2 cells. b, Confocal images of jejunum tissue slices stained with DAPI, FM 4-64, and 1  $\mu$ M purified and GFP-tagged  $\beta$ -prismC1 (*Left*),  $\beta$ -prismC2 (*Middle*), and  $\beta$ -prismB (*Right*). c, EMSA of RbmC<sub>M1M2</sub> (*Left*), RbmC<sub>M2</sub> (*Middle*), or StcE<sub>C-term</sub> (*Right*) binding to bovine submaxillary mucin (BSM). The protein amount per lane is 5  $\mu$ g when present. The BSM amount is 0, 0.5, 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 10, 10  $\mu$ g in each lane from left to right. Red arrows = protein-substrate complex, black arrows = unbound protein, green arrows = free GFP.



Supplementary Figure 6| Role of β-prism domains in adhering *V. cholerae* biofilms and directing adhesins to bare and functionalized glass surfaces. **a**, Distribution quantification for Bap1 and RbmC in the presence of BSA or asialofetuin. Shown are the ratios between the signals of  $3 \times FLAG$ -tagged proteins at the biofilm-glass interface and the total signal integrated over the entire biofilm cluster, for each indicated strain. The relative order of the two proteins localized to the biofilm-glass interface is opposite in the two cases, showing different preferences of the two adhesins for different types of surfaces. **b-c**, Asialofetuin binding requires a functional β-prism. **b**, Cross-sectional image of a biofilm from  $\Delta bap1 \ rbmC_{\Delta\beta-prismC2} \ D539A$ , in which N-glycan binding was abolished due to a point mutation in a key aspartate residue in the binding pocket<sup>4</sup> (schematically shown on the right). The surface localization of RbmC signal is lost due to the loss of N-glycan binding, as quantified in panel **c**. For **a** and **c**, individual points are from different biofilms in one sample (technical replicates), and no statistics were derived.



Supplementary Figure 7 Validation of enteroid monolayers. Shown are maximum projection images of a representative monolayer with nuclei stained with DAPI (cyan), crypt domains stained with CD44v6 antibody (yellow), goblet cells stained with MUC2 antibody (magenta) in **a** and enterocytes stained with Villin (magenta) in **b**. Scale bars: 20  $\mu$ m. **c**, Representative maximum projection images of enteroid monolayers stained with nuclei stained with DAPI (blue), an F-actin probe conjugated to Alexa Fluor<sup>TM</sup> 647 dye (magenta), and 1  $\mu$ M labeled proteins. All proteins are labeled with GFPuv, and the 57aa peptide is labeled with FITC. The bottom right panel shows a control without any protein/peptide staining. Shown on the left column are the overlay images of all three fluorescent channels and on the right column are the signals in the 488 nm channel.



Supplementary Figure 8| Validation of the role of the biofilm adhesins in the wild-type background. a, WT *V. cholerae* biofilms with different constructs grown in microfluidic chambers under a flow rate of 0.6  $\mu$ L/min. Shown are both cross-sectional views of biofilms at *z* = 6  $\mu$ m, both in the absence (*Top*) and presence (*Bottom*) of 0.4 mg/mL BSA. b, Quantification of biomass for different WT biofilms (mean ± SD, *n* (biologically independent samples) = 4 for  $\Delta rbmC$  and *n* = 3 for all other mutants, two-tailed *t*-test with Welch's correction. \**p* < 0.05, \*\**p* < 0.01, ns = not significant). *p* values from left to right (in the absence of BSA): 0.8139, 0.5010, 0.0232, 0.0284, 0.0253. *p* values from left to right (in the analysis; WT *V. cholerae* cells can attach to glass surfaces via pili and form a monolayer independent of their ability to form biofilms<sup>5</sup>.



**Supplementary Figure 9** Phylogenetic analysis of RbmC and Bap1 among Vibrio species. a, Phylogenetic tree of 20 Vibrio species adapted from Ref.6, showing the distribution of RbmC/Bap1 homologues. The branch lengths are approximate. Filled circles indicate where a RbmC gene was recovered. Open circles indicate where a potential RbmC gene with low conservation was recovered. Stars indicate where Bap1 was recovered. Scale bar: the number of substitutions per site. **b**, Phylogenetic analysis of Bap1 and RbmC homologs in Vibrio species. Scale bar: number of amino acid substitutions per site.

| Strain Name in<br>Manuscript                | Genotype and Antibiotic<br>Resistance   | Description  | Strain#<br>&<br>Reference |
|---|---|--|---------------------------|
| WT background                               | C6706, Sm <sup>R</sup>  | A streptomycin-resistant variant of<br>the WT O1 El Tor biotype C6706str2.<br>Serves as the background for all<br>strains reported in this manuscript  | JY016 <sup>7</sup>        |
| Rg background                               | <i>vpvC</i> <sup>W240R</sup> , Sm <sup>R</sup>  | Missense mutation in the <i>Vibrio</i><br><i>cholerae</i> O1 El tor strain that elevates<br>the level of cyclic-di-GMP. Rugose<br>phenotype. Serves as the parental<br>strain for most of the mutants in this<br>manuscript    | JY028 <sup>8</sup>        |
|   | Strains Used for Biofilm M  | orphology and Adhesion Assays  |                           |
| Rg  | <i>vpvC</i> <sup>W240R</sup> , Δ <i>VC1807</i> :: <i>P</i> <sub>tac</sub> -<br><i>mNeonGreen</i> , Spec <sup>R</sup>                          | Rugose strain with mNeonGreen<br>fluorescent protein inserted at a non-<br>essential site in the genome<br>(VC1807)  | JY451 <sup>9</sup>        |
| ∆bap1                                       | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , Δbap1,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | Clean deletion of $bap1$ by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | ZJ053, This<br>Study      |
| $\Delta rbmC$                               | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔrbmC,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | Clean deletion of $rbmC$ by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | STN0011,<br>This Study    |
| ΔvpsL                                       | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔvpsL,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | Clean deletion of <i>vpsL</i> by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | JY466, This<br>Study      |
| ∆bap1 ∆rbmC                                 | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , Δbap1, ΔrbmC,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Clean deletion of $rbmC$ by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking bap1<br>(JY074)  | STN0009 <sup>10</sup>     |
| ΔrbmC bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br>prism <b>B</b> | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔrbmC, bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br><sub>prism<b>B</b></sub> , ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup> | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the $\beta$ -prism domain<br>by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking rbmC<br>(JY071) | ZJ074, This<br>Study      |

### Supplementary Table 1- Strains used in this study

| ∆rbmC bap1∆57aa  | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔrbmC,<br>bap1 <sub>Δ57aa</sub> , ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the 57aa by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking rbmC<br>(JY071)                          | ZJ032, This<br>Study   |
|--|--|--|------------------------|
| ΔrbmC bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa                    | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta rbmC$ , $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa, $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the prism but with<br>remaining 57aa by cotransformation<br>with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen,<br>Spec <sup>R</sup> into a rugose strain lacking<br>rbmC (JY071) | ZJ087, This<br>Study   |
| ∆rbmC<br>bap1 <sub>∆Velcro</sub>                                     | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta rbmC$ ,<br>$bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$ , $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-$<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the Velcro by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking rbmC<br>(JY071)                        | XH031,<br>This Study   |
| $\Delta rbmC \ bap \ l_{\Delta eta}$ propeller <b>B</b>              | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔrbmC, bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br><sub>propeller</sub> B, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the $\beta$ -propeller<br>domain by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking rbmC<br>(JY071)     | XH001,<br>This Study   |
| $\Delta rbmC \Delta bap1 + P_{BAD}-bap1_{\Delta eta}$ prism <b>B</b> | pEVS(P <sub>BAD</sub> bap1 <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> <b>B</b> ,<br>Kan <sup>R</sup> ), vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔrbmC,<br>Δbap1, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup> | $pEVS$ containing $bap1_{\Delta\beta\text{-prism}B}$ with an arabinose inducible promoter was mated into the indicated strain for overexpression   | XH088,<br>This Study   |
| $\Delta bapl rbmC_{\Delta eta}$                                      | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta bap1$ , $rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>$prismC1$ , $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Replacement of $rbmC^{WT}$ with a $rbmC$<br>construct lacking the first $\beta$ -prism<br>domain by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking bap1<br>(JY074)   | STN0014,<br>This Study |
|  |  |  |                        |
| $\Delta bap1 \ rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$                                   | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta bap1$ , $rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>$prismc2$ , $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Replacement of $rbmC'''$ with a $rbmC$<br>construct lacking the second $\beta$ -prism<br>domain by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking bap1<br>(JY074)    | STN0015,<br>This Study |

| <b>Δbap1 rbmC</b>                                 | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , Δbap1,<br>rbmC <sub>ΔM1M2</sub> , ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Kan <sup>R</sup> | Replacement of $rbmC^{WT}$ with a $rbmC$<br>construct lacking the M1M2 domain<br>by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain (JY028). Strain<br>was conjugated with a plasmid<br>containing a clean $bap1$ deletion<br>(pJY53). Due to weak fluorescence,<br>strain was transformed with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Kan <sup>R</sup> | SKH0058,<br>This Study |
|---|---|--|------------------------|
| WT ∆rbmC  | ΔrbmC, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Transformation with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup> into a WT strain<br>lacking rbmC (JY063)   | XH120,<br>This Study   |
| WT ∆rbmC<br>∆bap1                                 | ΔrbmC, Δbap1,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>   | Transformation with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup> into a WT strain<br>lacking bap1 and rbmC (JY067)  | XH121,<br>This Study   |
| WT ∆rbmC<br>bap1∆57aa                             | $\Delta rbmC, bap1_{\Delta 57aa}, \Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-mNeonGreen, Kan^R$   | Converting rugose strain to WT<br>background by cotransformation of<br>WT <i>vpvc</i> locus with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br><i>mNeonGreen</i> , Kan <sup>R</sup> into a rugose<br>strain lacking <i>57aa</i> (ZJ32)   | XH112,<br>This Study   |
| WT ΔrbmC<br>bapl <sub>Δβ-prism<b>B</b>+57aa</sub> | ΔrbmC, bap1 <sub>Δβ-prism<b>B</b>+57aa,<br/>ΔVC1807::P<sub>tac</sub>-<br/>mNeonGreen, Kan<sup>R</sup></sub>           | Converting rugose strain to WT<br>background by cotransformation of<br>WT <i>vpvc</i> locus with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-$<br><i>mNeonGreen,</i> Kan <sup>R</sup> into a rugose<br>strain lacking $\beta$ -prism <b>B</b> +57aa (ZJ87)   | XH113,<br>This Study   |
| WT ΔrbmC<br>bapl <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> B            | ΔrbmC, bap1 <sub>Δβ-prism<b>B</b>,<br/>ΔVC1807::P<sub>tac</sub>-<br/>mNeonGreen, Kan<sup>R</sup></sub>                | Converting rugose strain to WT<br>background by cotransformation of<br>WT <i>vpvc</i> locus with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br><i>mNeonGreen</i> , Kan <sup>R</sup> into a rugose<br>strain lacking $\beta$ -prism <b>B</b> (XH58)   | XH114,<br>This Study   |

| WT ∆rbmC<br>bap1 <sub>∆Velcro</sub>          | $\Delta rbmC, bap1_{\Delta Velcro,}$<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-$<br>mNeonGreen, Kan <sup>R</sup>                                  | Converting rugose strain to WT<br>background by cotransformation of<br>WT <i>vpvc</i> locus with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br><i>mNeonGreen</i> , Kan <sup>R</sup> into a rugose<br>strain lacking <i>Velcro</i> (XH31)   | XH115,<br>This Study |
|--|--|--|----------------------|
|  | Strains Used for <i>in situ</i>  | Staining and Western Blots   |                      |
| bap1-3XFLAG                                  | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , bap1-3XFLAG,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                               | 3XFLAG tagged Bap1   | JY488 <sup>9</sup>   |
| rbmC-3XFLAG                                  | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , rbmC-3XFLAG,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                               | 3XFLAG tagged RbmC   | JY489 <sup>9</sup>   |
| ∆rbmC bap1-<br>3XFLAG                        | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔrbmC, bap1-<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                       | 3XFLAG tagged Bap1 with <i>rbmC</i> deleted  | ZJ065, This<br>Study |
| ∆bap1 rbmC-<br>3XFLAG                        | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , Δbap1, rbmC-<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                       | 3XFLAG tagged RbmC with <i>bap1</i> deleted  | ZJ066, This<br>Study |
| bap1 <sub>∆β-prism<b>B-</b><br/>3XFLAG</sub> | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , bap1 <sub>Δβ-prism</sub> <b>B-</b><br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup> | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the $\beta$ -prism and<br>containing a C-terminal 3XFLAG tag<br>by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain (JY028)                    | ZJ091, This<br>Study |
| bap1 <sub>∆57aa</sub> -<br>3XFLAG            | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , bap1 <sub>Δ57aa</sub> -<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>            | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the 57aa and<br>containing a C-terminal 3XFLAG tag<br>by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain (JY028)                              | ZJ036, This<br>Study |
| bap1 <sub>∆β-prism</sub> B+57aa-<br>3XFLAG   | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prismB+57aa- $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>  | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the prism but with<br>remaining 57aa and containing a C-<br>terminal 3XFLAG tag by<br>cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain (JY028) | XH024,<br>This Study |

| bap1 <sub>∆Velcro</sub> -<br>3XFLAG                              | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , bap1 <sub>ΔVelcro</sub> -<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                     | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the Velcro and<br>containing a C-terminal 3XFLAG tag<br>by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain (JY028)                                 | XH041,<br>This Study |
|--|---|---|----------------------|
| bap1 <sub>Δβ-propeller</sub> <b>b-</b><br>3XFLAG                 | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , bap1 <sub>Δβ-propeller</sub> <b>B-</b><br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>        | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the $\beta$ -propeller<br>domain and containing a C-terminal<br>3XFLAG tag by cotransformation<br>with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen,<br>Spec <sup>R</sup> into a rugose strain (JY028)              | XH003,<br>This Study |
| ∆hapA ∆ivaP<br>bap1 <sub>∆Velcro</sub> -<br>3XFLAG               | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , ΔhapA, ΔivaP,<br>bap1 <sub>ΔVelcro</sub> -3XFLAG,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>            | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the Velcro and<br>containing a C-terminal 3XFLAG tag<br>by cotransformation with<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup><br>into a rugose strain lacking hapA and<br><i>ivaP</i> (JY231) | XH057,<br>This Study |
| $\Delta vpsL \ bap1-$<br>3XFLAG                                  | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔvpsL, bap1-<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                                  | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | ZJ063, This<br>Study |
| $\Delta vpsL bap1_{\Delta eta}$<br>propeller-3XFLAG              | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ , $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>propeller- $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ - $mRuby$ ,<br>Kan <sup>R</sup>  | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH010,<br>This Study |
| $\Delta vpsL bap1_{\Delta 57aa}$ -<br>3XFLAG                     | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ ,<br>$bap1_{\Delta 57aa}$ - $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ - $mRuby$ ,<br>Kan <sup>R</sup>             | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH014,<br>This Study |
| $\Delta vpsL bapl_{\Delta eta}.$<br>prism $B+57aa^{-}$<br>3XFLAG | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ , $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prismB+57aa- $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mRuby,<br>Kan <sup>R</sup>    | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH027,<br>This Study |
| $\Delta vpsL \ bap1_{\Delta eta}$<br>prism <b>B-3</b> XFLAG      | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ , $bap1_{\Delta eta}$ -<br>prism <b>B</b> - $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mRuby,<br>Kan <sup>R</sup> | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH052,<br>This Study |
| ∆vpsL<br>bap1 <sub>∆Velcro</sub> -<br>3XFLAG                     | $vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta vpsL,$<br>$bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$ -3XFLAG,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mRuby,<br>Kan <sup>R</sup>                       | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH046,<br>This Study |
| ΔvpsL ΔhapA<br>ΔivaP bap1 <sub>ΔVelcro</sub> -<br>3XFLAG         | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔhapA, ΔivaP,<br>ΔvpsL, bap1 <sub>ΔVelcro</sub> -<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mRuby, Kan <sup>R</sup>   | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH061,<br>This Study |

| ΔhapA ΔivaP<br>bap1 <sub>ΔVelcroΔ57aa</sub> -<br>3XFLAG                                  | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔhapA, ΔivaP,<br>bap1 <sub>ΔVelcroΔ57aa</sub> -3XFLAG,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>               | Replacement of $bap1^{WT}$ with a $bap1$<br>construct lacking the Velcro and the<br>57aa and containing a C-terminal<br>3XFLAG tag by cotransformation<br>with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen,<br>Spec <sup>R</sup> into a rugose strain lacking<br>hapA and ivaP (JY231) | STN0060,<br>This Study |
|--|--|---|------------------------|
| $\Delta bap1+P_{BAD}-$<br>$bap1_{\Deltaeta-prism B}-$<br>3XFLAG                          | $pEVS(P_{BAD}bap1_{\Delta\beta-prismB}-3XFLAG, Kan^{R}),$<br>$vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta bap1,$<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-mNeonGreen, Spec^{R}$                   | <i>pEVS</i> containing $bap1_{\Delta\beta\text{-prism}B^-}$<br>3XFLAG with an arabinose inducible<br>promoter was mated into the<br>indicated strain for overexpression   | XH081,<br>This Study   |
| ΔvpsL Δbap1<br>+P <sub>BAD</sub> -bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br><sub>prism<b>B-3</b>XFLAG</sub> | $pEVS(P_{BAD}bap1_{\Delta\beta-prismB}-3XFLAG, Kan^{R}),$<br>$vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta vpsL, \Delta bap1,$<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-mNeonGreen, Spec^{R}$      | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | XH082,<br>This Study   |
| Δbap1 rbmC <sub>Δβ</sub> .<br><sub>prismC1</sub> -3XFLAG                                 | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta bap1$ , $rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prismCI-3XFLAG,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>$mNeonGreen$ , $Spec^{R}$                        | Replacement of $rbmC^{WT}$ with a $rbmC$<br>construct lacking the first $\beta$ -prism<br>domain and containing a C-terminal<br>3XFLAG tag by cotransformation<br>with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen,<br>Spec <sup>R</sup> into a rugose strain lacking<br>bap1 (JY074)  | STN0049,<br>This Study |
| Δbap1 rbmC <sub>Δβ-</sub><br><sub>prism<b>C2</b>3XFLAG</sub>                             | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta bap1$ , $rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prismC2- $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>$mNeonGreen$ , $Spec^{R}$                    | Replacement of $rbmC^{WT}$ with a $rbmC$<br>construct lacking the second $\beta$ -prism<br>domain and containing a C-terminal<br>3XFLAG tag by cotransformation<br>with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen,<br>Spec <sup>R</sup> into a rugose strain lacking<br>bap1 (JY074) | STN0050,<br>This Study |
| Δbap1 rbmC <sub>Δβ-</sub><br>prismC1C2-3XFLAG  | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta bap1$ , $rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prismC1C2- $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>$mNeonGreen$ , $Spec^{R}$                  | Replacement of $rbmC^{WT}$ with a $rbmC$<br>construct lacking both $\beta$ -prism<br>domains and containing a C-terminal<br>3XFLAG tag by cotransformation<br>with $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -mNeonGreen,<br>Spec <sup>R</sup> into the wildtype rugose strain<br>(JY28)         | STN0037,<br>This Study |
| ∆vpsL rbmC-<br>3XFLAG  | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔvpsL, rbmC-<br>3XFLAG, ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mTFP  | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | JY167 <sup>8</sup>     |
| $\Delta vpsL rbmC_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prismC1-3XFLAG                                     | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ , $\Delta bap1$ ,<br>$rbmC_{\Delta\beta-prismC1}$ - $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup> | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | STN0019,<br>This Study |

| ΔvpsL rbmC <sub>Δβ-</sub><br><sub>prism<b>c2-3</b>XFLAG</sub>                 | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ , $\Delta bap1$ ,<br>$rbmC_{\Delta\beta-prismC2}$ - $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>$mNeonGreen$ , $Spec^{R}$          | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | STN0023,<br>This Study |
|---|---|---|------------------------|
| ΔvpsL rbmC <sub>Δβ</sub> .<br>prism <b>c1c2-3</b> XFLAG                       | vpvC <sup>W240R</sup> , ΔvpsL, Δbap1,<br>rbmC <sub>Δβ-prismC1C2</sub> -3XFLAG,<br>ΔVC1807::P <sub>tac</sub> -<br>mNeonGreen, Spec <sup>R</sup>                    | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | STN0026,<br>This Study |
| $\Delta vpsL rbmC_{\Delta eta}$ .<br>propeller- $3XFLAG$                      | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta vpsL$ , $\Delta bap1$ ,<br>$rbmC_{\Delta\beta\text{-propeller}}$ - $3XFLAG$ ,<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>$mNeonGreen$ , $Spec^{R}$ | <i>vpsL</i> was deleted in the indicated strain for Western Blots   | STN0020,<br>This Study |
|   | Strains used for Co   | omplementation Assays   |                        |
| $\Delta rbmC \Delta bap1 + P_{BAD}$ -bap1                                     | $pEVS (P_{BAD}bap1, Kan^{R}),$<br>$vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta rbmC, \Delta bap1,$<br>$\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-$<br>$mNeonGreen, Spec^{R}$                                | <i>pEVS</i> containing <i>bap1</i> with an arabinose inducible promoter was mated into the indicated strain for complementation | JY583, This<br>Study   |
| $\Delta rbmC$<br>$bap1_{\Delta Velcro} + P_{BAD}-$<br>bap1                    | $pEVS (P_{BAD} bap1, Kan^{R}),$ $vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta rbmC,$ $bap1_{\Delta Velcro}, \Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-$ $mNeonGreen, Spec^{R}$                               | <i>pEVS</i> containing <i>bap1</i> with an arabinose inducible promoter was mated into the indicated strain for complementation | XH032,<br>This Study   |
| $\Delta rbmC \ bap1_{\Delta 57aa} + P_{BAD} - bap1$                           | $pEVS (P_{BAD} bap1, Kan^{R}),$<br>$vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta rbmC,$<br>$bap1_{\Delta 57aa}, \Delta VC1807::P_{tac}-$<br>$mNeonGreen, Spec^{R}$                        | <i>pEVS</i> containing <i>bap1</i> with an arabinose inducible promoter was mated into the indicated strain for complementation | ZJ067, This<br>Study   |
| $\Delta rbmC \ bap \ l_{\Delta\beta}.$ $prism \mathbf{B} + P_{BAD} - bap \ l$ | $pEVS (P_{BAD}_{bap1}, Kan^{R}),$<br>$vpvC^{W240R}, \Delta rbmC, bap1_{\Delta\beta}.$<br>$prismB, \Delta VC1807::P_{tac}.$<br>$mNeonGreen, Spec^{R}$              | <i>pEVS</i> containing <i>bap1</i> with an arabinose inducible promoter was mated into the indicated strain for complementation | XH080,<br>This Study   |

| Strains used for <i>E. Coli</i> Protein Purification (all in NEB T7-Express or T7-Shuffle) |                  |             |           |
|--|------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Name   | Construct/Vector | Description | Reference |

| Bap1∆57aa-GFP <sub>UV</sub>                               | Bap1 (VC_1888 residues<br>25-414, 473-691) in<br>pNGFP-BC (Kawate,<br>2006)   | Near full-length Bap1 missing 57aa<br>loop used for crystal structure - signal<br>peptide removed on all constructs  | 11                   |  |
|---|---|--|----------------------|--|
| β-propeller <b>B</b> -<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub>               | Bap1 β-propeller (25-316,<br>515-691) in pNGFP-BC                             | Bap1 β-propeller domain with β-<br>prism spliced out   | 11                   |  |
| β-prism <b>B</b> -GFP <sub>UV</sub>                       | Bap1 β-prism (316-414,<br>473-514) in pNGFP-BC                                | Bap1 β-prism missing 57aa loop   | 4                    |  |
| β-prismC1-<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub>                           | RbmC first β-prism<br>(VC_0930 residues 505-<br>640) in pNGFP-BC              | RbmC first β-prism domain  | 4                    |  |
| β-prism <b>C2</b> -<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub>                  | RbmC second β-prism<br>(823-957) in pNGFP-BC                                  | RbmC second β-prism domain   | 4                    |  |
| β-prism <b>C2</b> <sub>D853A</sub> -<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub> | Same with D853A point mutation  | RbmC second β-prism domain with<br>inactivating mutation in the glycan-<br>binding pocket                            | 4                    |  |
| RbmC <sub>M1M2</sub> -<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub>               | RbmC (23-220) in pNGFP-<br>BC   | RbmC M1M2 tandem βγ-crystallin<br>domains  | This Study           |  |
| RbmC <sub>M2</sub> -GFP <sub>UV</sub>                     | RbmC (113-220) in<br>pNGFP-BC   | RbmC M2 βγ-crystallin domain only  | This Study           |  |
| StcE-X409-<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub>                           | StcE (797-898) in pNGFP-<br>BC  | C-terminal βγ-crystallin domain of <i>E</i> .<br><i>coli</i> StcE  | This Study           |  |
| RbmC <sub>β-propeller</sub> -<br>GFP <sub>UV</sub>        | RbmC (218-504, 641-822,<br>with VGA linker) in<br>pNGFP-BC                    | RbmC β-propeller domain with first<br>β-prism spliced out  | This Study           |  |
| RbmA-GFP <sub>UV</sub>                                    | RbmA (31-271) in pNGFP-<br>BC   | RbmA fused to $GFP_{UV}$   | This Study           |  |
| GFP <sub>UV</sub>   | pNGFP-BC  | GFP <sub>UV</sub> alone  | 12                   |  |
|   | Strains used for Other Purposes   |  |                      |  |
| ΔrbmC Δbap1<br>ΔrbmA ΔpomA                                | $\Delta rbmC, \Delta bap1, \Delta rbmA, \Delta pomA, vpvC^{W240R}$            | <i>rbmC, bap1, rbmA</i> and <i>pomA</i> are all deleted. Used for VPS purification.                                  | JY286 <sup>13</sup>  |  |
| Rg  | $vpvC^{W240R}$ , $\Delta VC1807::P_{tac}$ -<br>mScarlett-I, Spec <sup>R</sup> | Rugose strain with mScarlett-I<br>fluorescent protein inserted at a non-<br>essential site in the genome<br>(VC1807) | JN132, This<br>Study |  |
| Caco-2 cells  |   | Human colonic epithelial Caco-2<br>cells   | ATCC<br>HTB-37       |  |

| Primer<br>Name | Primer Sequence (5' to 3')*                          | Description  |  |  |  |
|----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
|                | Mutant constructs                                    |  |  |  |  |
| PTN0034        | ATGATCTATTCTTCCTTCCATTCACTC                          | <i>rbmC</i> 1.5 kb<br>arms F1                                    |  |  |  |
| PTN0035        | ATCTTTAAGTGGGTAAACTGCTATTTTG                         | <i>rbmC</i> 1.5 kb<br>arms R2                                    |  |  |  |
| PTN0014        | ACTCGTTTCAACGGCTTGAGC                                | <i>rbmC</i> ∆β-<br>prism <b>C1</b> R1                            |  |  |  |
| PTN0015        | gctcaagccgttgaaacgagtACCAATGATCTGGATGTAAAAGGG        | <i>rbmC</i> Δβ-<br>prism <b>C1</b> F2                            |  |  |  |
| PTN0016        | CTCACCACCGACTGCAGC                                   | <i>rbmC</i> ∆β-<br>prism <b>c</b> 2 R1                           |  |  |  |
| PTN0017        | gctgcagtgggtggtgagTAACGACTCATCGCTTTACTGAACTG         | <i>rbmC<sub>Δβ</sub>-</i><br>prismc2 F2                          |  |  |  |
| PTN0008        | CGAGCTGTCACCGTCATAAGG                                | <i>rbmC∆β-</i><br><sub>propeller</sub> R1 up                     |  |  |  |
| PTN0009        | ccttatgacggtgacagctcgCAAGCCGTTGAAACGAGTGAGTTC        | <i>rbmC<sub>∆β</sub>-</i><br><sub>propeller</sub> F2<br>middle   |  |  |  |
| PTN0010        | ATCATTGGTACCATTTTGCGTAGC                             | <i>rbmC</i> <sub>Δβ</sub> .<br><sub>propeller</sub> R2<br>middle |  |  |  |
| PTN0011        | gctacgcaaaatggtaccaatgatGGTGAGTCTCCAATTTTCGGTTACTC   | <i>rbmC</i> <sub>Δβ</sub> -<br><sub>propeller</sub> F3<br>down   |  |  |  |
| PTN0045        | CGGTTCGTTCAGGATTTGCGATTGcgGCGATTGGTGCTTCTGCTT<br>CG  | <i>rbmC<sub>β-prism</sub>c1</i><br><sub>D549A</sub> F            |  |  |  |
| PTN0046        | CGAAGCAGAAGCACCAATCGCcgCAATCGCAAATCCTGAACGA<br>ACCG  | <i>rbmC<sub>β-prism</sub>cı</i><br><sub>D549A</sub> R            |  |  |  |
| PTN0047        | CGGTTCGTTCAGGATTTGCGATTGcg                           | detect F   |  |  |  |
| PTN0057        | GCTGCAGTGGGTGGTGAGGACTACAAAGACCATGACGGTGATT<br>ATAAA | <i>rbmC</i> <sub>Δβ</sub> -<br>prismC2-<br>3XFLAG F2             |  |  |  |
| PTN0001        | TTCGGCTTCATTCGTTGTGGC                                | <i>rbmC</i><br>ΔM1M2 R1  |  |  |  |
| PTN0002        | gccacaacgaatgaagccgaaTATGACGGTGACAGCTCGGC            | <i>rbmC</i><br>ΔM1M2 F2  |  |  |  |

## Supplementary Table 2. Primers Used in this Study.

| PTN0003  | caaggtaaagggagtcttacaaATGACG                               | <i>rbmC</i><br>ΔM1M2<br>detect F                                     |
|----------|--|--|
| PTN0004  | CACTGCCTTGCCAAGACCAC                                       | <i>rbmC</i><br>ΔM1M2<br>detect R                                     |
| PTN0053  | CAATGCTCAGTCGTTTGGGTATAG                                   | Amplify<br>VC1807 F  |
| PTN0054  | TGTGAGACACCTATCCCAATCTAAG                                  | Amplify<br>VC1807 R  |
| PTN0063  | GAATTCgatccggtgattgattgagc                                 | Amplify<br>pBAD<br>vector F  |
| PTN0064  | TTTAGACCTCCTGCGGCCGC                                       | Amplify<br>pBAD<br>vector R  |
| PTN0066  | getcaatcaatcaceggatcgaattcTCActtgtcatcgtcatcettgtaatcg     | Flag tagged<br>construct<br>insert for<br>pBAD<br>vector R           |
| PTN0067  | gcggccgcaggaggtctaaaATGAAACAGACAAAAACGTTGACCG              | <i>bap1-</i><br><i>3XFLAG</i><br>insert for<br>pBAD<br>vector F      |
| XH-P-003 | CAATAACGCTTCACTGATCATGGTTGCCAATGACTACGAT                   | bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa−<br>3XFLAG F             |
| XH-P-004 | ATCGTAGTCATTGGCAACCATGATCAGTGAAGCGTTATTG                   | bap1 <sub>Δβ-</sub><br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa <sup>-</sup><br>3XFLAG R |
| XH-P-026 | GTGCAACCACTGTTGATGCTGCTGGTGTTGTGACTGCTGACCA<br>ATCACA      | bap1 <sub>∆β-prism</sub> <b>B</b><br>F                               |
| XH-P-027 | TGTGATTGGTCAGCAGTCACAACACCAGCAGCATCAACAGTGG<br>TTGCAC      | <i>bapl</i> ∆β-prism <b>B</b><br>R                                   |
| XH-P-008 | CTCAGGATGAAAAACGCTGGTAGACTGTATATCACTGCTGCTT<br>GACGC       | $bap1_{\Delta Velcro}$ F   |
| XH-P-011 | GCGTCAAGCAGCAGTGATATACAG                                   | $bap1_{\Delta Velcro} R$   |
| XH-P-034 | GCTCAATCAATCACCGGATCGAATTCTCACTTCAGCGGAACGC<br>GAATGGTCGCT | construct<br>insert for<br>pBAD<br>vector R                          |
| ZJ-P-005 | GGGGTCAAAAGATTCTGCGTTTACTTCGACCACAGTACGCTAT<br>GACA        | <i>bap1</i> ∆57aa F  |

| ZJ-P-006 | TGTCATAGCGTACTGTGGTCGAAGTAAACGCAGAATCTTTTGA<br>CCCC     | $bapl_{\Delta 57aa}\mathrm{R}$                                 |
|----------|---|--|
| ZJ-P-019 | CTTGTCATCGTCATCCTTGTAATCGATA                            | Universal<br>sequencer<br>for 3xFLAG                           |
| ZJ-P-026 | AGCAGCATTTTGAAAACTTCCGC                                 | 2.7kb<br>upstream of<br><i>bap1</i>                            |
| ZJ-P-027 | ATGAAATTCACGATAACCAGAAAACCG                             | 2.7kb<br>downstream<br>of <i>bap1</i>                          |
| ZJ-P-052 | GTGCAACCACTGTTGATGCTTATCTAGGATTAGAGTGGAAAAC<br>TAAAACGG | $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa<br>Front F      |
| ZJ-P-053 | CCGTTTTAGTTTTCCACTCTAATCCTAGATAAGCATCAACAGTG<br>GTTGCAC | $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa<br>Front R      |
| ZJ-P-054 | GTTCCTGTGACACTGTCGAAAGTGACTGCTGACCAATCACACA             | $bap1_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa<br>Back F       |
| ZJ-P-055 | TGTGTGATTGGTCAGCAGTCACTTTCGACAGTGTCACAGGAAC             | $bap l_{\Delta\beta}$ -<br>prism <b>B</b> +57aa<br>Back R      |
| ZJ-P-046 | CATTTAATGACTCAAAGCACCGCACAGTCTGCCGTTTATGGCT<br>ACA      | <i>bap1<sub>∆β-</sub><br/><sub>propeller</sub> Front<br/>F</i> |
| ZJ-P-047 | TGTAGCCATAAACGGCAGACTGTGCGGTGCTTTGAGTCATTAA<br>ATG      | <i>bap1<sub>Δβ-</sub><br/><sub>propeller</sub></i> Front<br>R  |
| ZJ-P-062 | CGGTGCAGTTCCTAGTTGGTAAATAAAGATACTTCTGCCAGCC<br>GC       | <i>bap1<sub>Δβ-</sub><br/><sub>propeller</sub> Back<br/>F</i>  |
| ZJ-P-063 | GCGGCTGGCAGAAGTATCTTTATTTACCAACTAGGAACTGCAC<br>CG       | <i>bap1<sub>Δβ-</sub><br/><sub>propeller</sub> Back<br/>R</i>  |
| ZJ-P-060 | GATGCGGAAAAAGTGAGTGAGTCT                                | 1kb<br>upstream of<br><i>bap1</i>                              |
| ZJ-P-061 | CGCTGCACGGCATGATTAAAAC                                  | 1kb<br>downstream<br>of <i>bap1</i>                            |
| PJY140   | AATCAAACCGGGCTTTAAATTTCATCTCGAC                         | 3kb<br>upstream of<br><i>bap1</i>                              |
| PJY141   | CATGATATGCAACATCTACTGAAAGAGGTGCA                        | 3kb<br>downstream<br>of <i>bap1</i>                            |

| PJY131   | GTCACCTCTGGCCTTTATAACTGG                            | 3kb<br>upstream of<br><i>vpsL</i>              |  |
|--|---|--|--|
| PJY132   | GCTTGCAGCTCGTTATTGATACCATT                          | 3kb<br>downstream<br>of <i>vpsL</i>            |  |
| PJY129   | ATATCCCGATCCAGTGCATGCAGC                            | 3kb<br>upstream of<br><i>vpvc</i>              |  |
| PJY130   | CCGGCTGATGCTTTGTGTCTAACGTG                          | 3kb<br>downstream<br>of <i>vpvc</i>            |  |
| <i>E. coli</i> expression construct primers (all to clone into pNGFP-BC) |   |  |  |
| RAO.0418   | GCCGCGCCATGGGAACAACGAATGAAGCCGAAGGGTG               | RbmC <sub>M1M2</sub><br>F                      |  |
| RAO.0549   | CGCGCGCTCGAGTTAGTCACCGTCATAAGGGACAAC                | RbmC <sub>M1M2</sub><br>R                      |  |
| RAO.0558   | CGCGCGCATATGCGTTCAATGCGAGTACTGGCTTCTG               | RbmC <sub>M2</sub> F<br>(use with<br>RAO.0549) |  |
| RAO.0649   | CGCGCGCCATGGGGCAGGCACTTCCAGCAAAAG                   | StcE <sub>C_term</sub> F                       |  |
| RAO.0652   | GCGCGCCTCGAGTTATTTATATACAACCCTCATTGACC              | $StcE_{C_{term}} R$                            |  |
| RAO.0630   | CGCGCGCCATGGCAGACGGTGACAGCTCGGCACTC                 | RbmC <sub>β-</sub><br><sub>propeller</sub> F1  |  |
| RAO.0637   | GCTCAAGCCGTTGAAACGGTTGGGGGCTCAAAATGGTACCAATG<br>ATC | RbmC <sub>β-</sub><br><sub>propeller</sub> F2  |  |
| RAO.0638   | GATCATTGGTACCATTTTGAGCCCCAACCGTTTCAACGGCTTGA<br>GC  | RbmC <sub>β-</sub><br><sub>propeller</sub> R1  |  |
| RAO.0453   | CCGCGGCTCGAGCTCACCACCACTGCAGCGCGTAATG               | RbmC <sub>β-</sub><br><sub>propeller</sub> R2  |  |
| RAO.0648   | CGCGCGCCATGGAAGTGGATTGTGAGTTACAGCCAGTG              | RbmA F1  |  |
| RAO.0580   | CGCGCGCTCGAGTTATTTTTTTACCACTGTCATTGACTG             | RbmA R1  |  |

\*lowercase nucleotides indicate overlapping sequence for SOE or nucleotide change for aa mutations

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