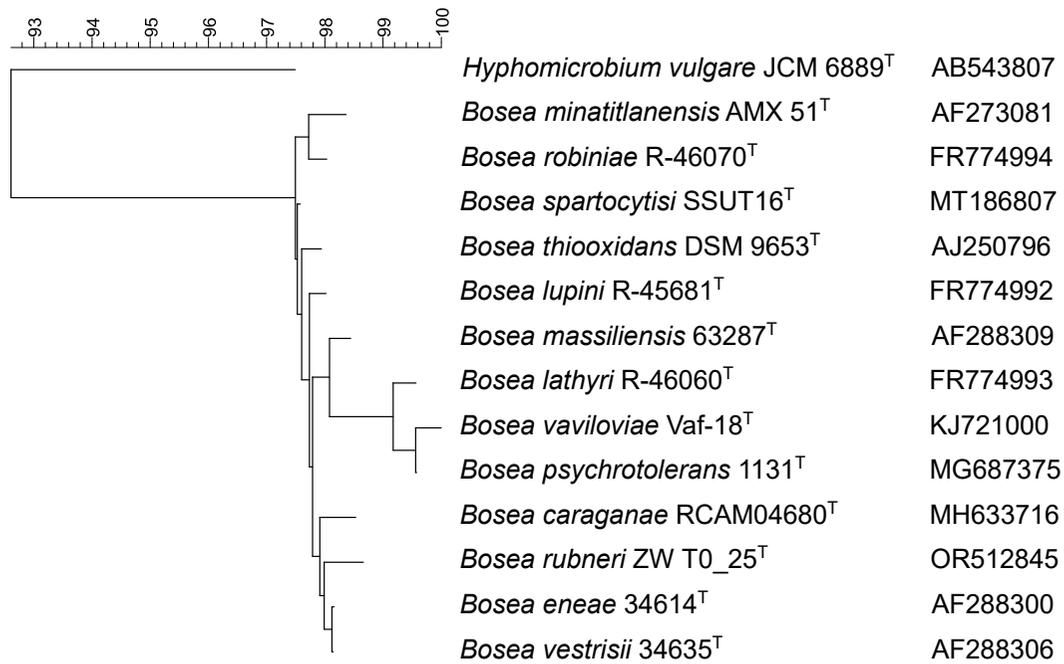
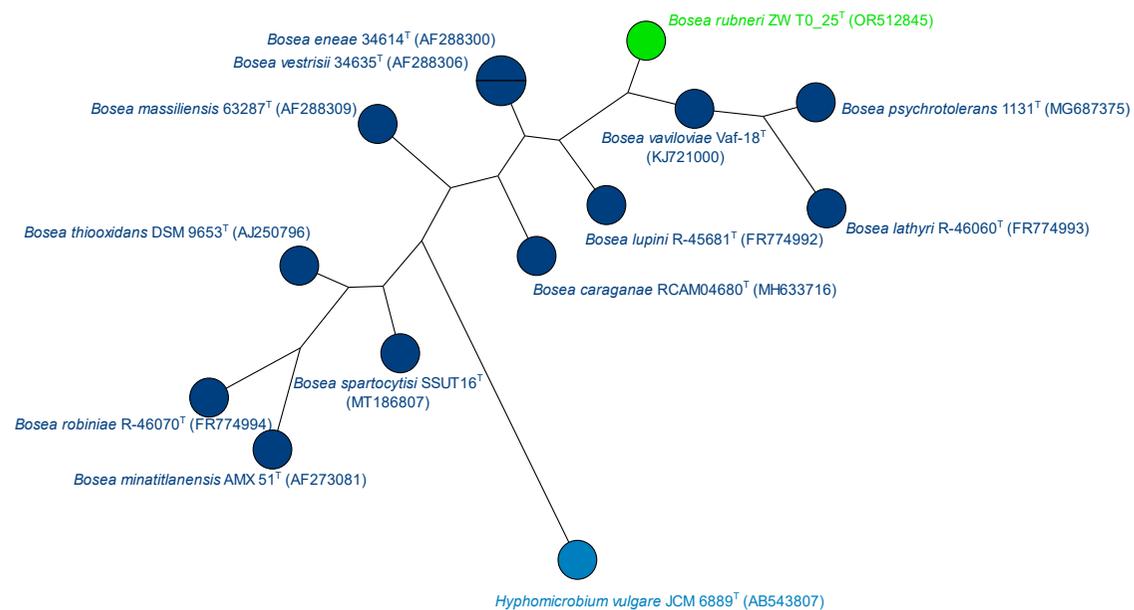


16S



**Fig. S1.** Analysis of 16S rRNA gene sequences of strain ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup> and all 12 type strains of *Bosea*. *Hyphomicrobium vulgare* JCM 6889<sup>T</sup> was used as an outgroup. Clustering was performed using fast algorithm and neighbour joining (BioNumerics, version 8.1; Applied Maths).



**Fig. S2.** Analysis of 16S rRNA gene sequences (length ca. 1500 bp) of strain ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup> and all 12 type strains of *Bosea*. *Hyphomicrobium vulgare* JCM 6889<sup>T</sup> was used as an outgroup. The tree was built using maximum parsimony (BioNumerics, version 8.1; Applied Maths). Square root scaling was used to display branch length.

**Table S1. Pairwise nucleotide similarities of the 16S rRNA gene sequences of ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup> versus type strains of the genus *Bosea*\***

Strain: 1, *B. rubneri* sp. nov. ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup> (OR512845); 2, *B. caraganae* RCAM04680<sup>T</sup> (MH633716); 3, *B. eneeae* 34614<sup>T</sup> (AF288300); 4, *B. lathyri* R-46060<sup>T</sup> (FR774993); 5, *B. lupini* R-45681<sup>T</sup> (FR774992); 6, *B. massiliensis* 63287<sup>T</sup> (AF288309); 7, *B. minatitlanensis* AMX51<sup>T</sup> (AF273081); 8, *B. psychrotolerans* 1131<sup>T</sup> (MG687375); 9, *B. robiniae* R-46070<sup>T</sup> (FR774994); 10, *B. spartocytisi* SSUT16<sup>T</sup> (MT186807); 11, *B. thiooxidans* DSM 9653<sup>T</sup> (AJ250796); 12, *B. vaviloviae* Vaf-18<sup>T</sup> (KJ721000); 13, *B. vestrisii* 34635<sup>T</sup> (AF288306)

Pairwise Nucleotide Similarity [%]*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1	100	98.68	99.15	98.77	99.05	98.49	97.45	99.34	98.02	98.75	98.58	99.62	99.15
2	-	100	99.07	98.93	98.86	98.85	98.07	98.74	98.21	98.76	98.43	98.64	99.07
3	-	-	100	98.25	99.58	98.88	97.99	98.39	98.81	99.20	99.03	98.43	99.93
4	-	-	-	100	98.12	98.23	97.57	99.12	97.71	97.96	97.78	98.86	98.18
5	-	-	-	-	100	99.01	98.54	98.32	99.03	99.56	99.45	98.36	99.58
6	-	-	-	-	-	100	98.32	98.32	98.44	98.90	98.67	98.35	98.88
7	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	97.51	99.03	98.98	98.84	97.43	98.07
8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	97.80	98.18	97.95	99.56	98.39
9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	99.42	98.96	97.72	98.81
10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	99.49	98.47	99.27
11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	97.93	99.03
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	98.43
13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100

Values were obtained using EZBioCloud [27].

\*Pairwise nucleotide similarities above the threshold value of 98.7% [39] are coloured in grey.

**Table S2. Phenotypes predicted by TraitAr (<https://galaxy.bifo.helmholtz-hzi.de/>) for strain ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup> and of other nine type strains of the genus *Bosea*, for which genome sequences were available. 0, no predictor positive; 1, one predictor positive and labelled in light blue; 2, two predictors positive and labelled in dark blue.**

Category	Phenotype	<i>Bosea rubneri</i> sp. nov. ZW T0_25 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. thiooxidans</i> DSM 9653 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. robiniae</i> DSM 26672 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. minatitlanensis</i> LMG 26207 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. lupini</i> DSM 26673 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. caraganae</i> RCAM04680 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. spartocytisi</i> SSUT 16 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. lathyri</i> DSM 26656 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. vaviloviae</i> VAF_18 <sup>T</sup>	<i>B. psychrotolerans</i> 1131 <sup>T</sup>
enzyme	Pyrrolidonyl–naphthylamide	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0
enzyme	Beta-hemolysis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
enzyme	Nitrite to gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
enzyme	Coagulase production	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
enzyme	Nitrate-to-nitrite conversion	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2
enzyme	Alkaline phosphatase	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
enzyme	Lipase	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2
growth	Growth at 42°C	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
growth	DNase	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
growth	Growth in 6.5% NaCl	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
growth	Mucate utilization	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
growth	Growth on MacConkey agar	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1
growth	Bile susceptible	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
growth	Growth in KCN	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
growth	Colistin-polymyxin susceptible	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
growth	Growth on ordinary blood agar	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
growth amino acid	Indole	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
growth amino acid	Ornithine decarboxylase	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
growth amino acid	Lysine decarboxylase	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
growth amino acid	Arginine dihydrolase	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
growth carboxylic acid	Citrate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
growth carboxylic acid	Tartrate utilization	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
growth carboxylic acid	acetate utilization	2	1	1	0	2	1	1	2	0	2



morphology	Coccus—pairs or chains predominate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
morphology	Bacillus or coccobacillus	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
morphology	Gram negative	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
morphology	Motile	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
oxygen	Anaerobe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
oxygen	Facultative	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
oxygen	Capnophilic	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
oxygen	aerobe	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2
oxygen enzyme	Oxidase	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	2
oxygen enzyme	Catalase	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
product	Hydrogen sulfide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
proteolysis	Gelatin hydrolysis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
proteolysis	Casein hydrolysis	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	2	2

## DSMZ Identification Services polar lipid report



PE = Phosphatidylethanolamine  
PG = Phosphatidylglycerol

APL = Aminophospholipid  
AL = Aminolipid  
GL = Glycolipid  
PL = Phospholipid

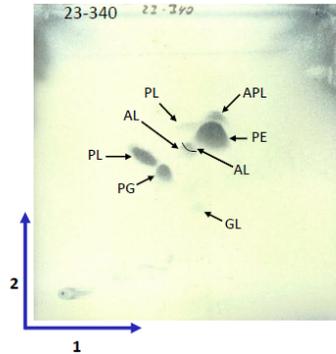


Fig. S3. Polar lipid report as provided by DSMZ Identification Services for strain ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup>.

**Table S3. Fatty acid composition of *B. rubneri* sp. nov. ZW T0\_25<sup>T</sup>.**

Fatty acids*	Percent
C <sub>14:0</sub>	0.2
C <sub>14:0</sub> DMA	0.1
C <sub>15:0</sub>	0.3
C <sub>16:0</sub>	7.1
C <sub>16:0</sub> 3OH	3.5
C <sub>16:1</sub> w5c	2.7
C <sub>16:1</sub> w7c	19.5
C <sub>17:0</sub>	0.4
C <sub>17:1</sub> w6c	0.2
C <sub>17:1</sub> w8c	0.6
C <sub>18:0</sub>	0.3
C <sub>18:1</sub> w7c	63.3
C <sub>18:1</sub> w7c 11-methyl	1.4
C <sub>18:1</sub> w9c	0.5

\* Analyses were carried out by the Identification Service of the DSMZ (German Collection of Microorganisms and Cell Cultures, Braunschweig, Germany).