SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Kinetics of the secoisolariciresinol glucosyltransferase LuUGT74S1 and its mutants

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Table S1. Forward and Reverse Primers used for site-directed mutagenesis of *LuUGT74S1*.

	Primer ID	Direction	Primer sequence (5'-3')
1	Y144F	F	GCGGTGAACGCGATTTTTTATCATCTGCGCGAAGGC
		R	GCCTTCGCGCAGATGATAAAAAATCGCGTTCACCGC
2	S115A	F	TTATTTATGATGCGGCCATGCCGTGGTTTCTGGATG
		R	CATCCAGAAACCACGGCATGGCCGCATCATAAATAA
3	S115F	F	TTATTTATGATGCGTTTATGCCGTGGTTTCTGGATG
		R	CATCCAGAAACCACGGCATAAACGCATCATAAATAA
4	Q136E	F	CGCGGCGTTTCTGACGGAGAGCTGCGCGGTGAACG
		R	CGTTCACCGCGCAGCTCTCCGTCAGAAACGCCGCG
5	H194S	F	AATTTCTGGCGGCGTCTCTGCGTCAGTTTAGCAACG
		R	CGTTGCTAAACTGACGCAGAGACGCCGCCAGAAATT
6	Q136F	F	GCGCGGCGTTTCTGACGTTTAGCTGCGCGGTGAACG
		R	CGTTCACCGCGCAGCTAAACGTCAGAAACGCCGCGC
	A17S	F	CCTGGTGGTGCCGGCGAGCGCGCAAGGCCATTTTAC
7		R	GTAAAATGGCCTTGCGCGCTCGCCGGCACCACCAGG
8	Q136S	F	GCGGCGTTTCTGACGTCAAGCTGCGCGGTGAACGCG
		R	CGCGTTCACCGCGCAGCTTGACGTCAGAAACGCCGC
9	S82F	F	AAGATCCGGAACATTATTTTCAGACCTTTCGCCGCG
		R	CGCGGCGAAAGGTCTGAAAATAATGTTCCGGATCTT
10	E189L	F	GATGATCTGCATACCTTATTTCTGGCGGCGCATCTG
		R	CAGATGCGCCGCCAGAAATAAGGTATGCAGATCATC

Gene specific primers, 100% complementary, No overhangs

used for Lo-MS detection. M - molecule, m - proton, modo - formate, or - chloride.						
М	[M-H]⁻	[M+CHOO] [_]	[M+Cl] ⁻			
[g/mol]	[<i>m/z</i>]	[<i>m/z</i>]	[<i>m/z</i>]			
362	361	407	397			
524	523	569	559			
686	685	731	721			
	[g/mol] 362 524 686	M [M-H]- [g/mol] [m/z] 362 361 524 523 686 685	M [M-H] ⁻ [M+CHOO] ⁻ [g/mol] [m/z] [m/z] 362 361 407 524 523 569 686 685 731			

Table S2. The mass to charge ratios m/z of the substrate and the glucoside products used for LC-MS detection. M = molecule; H = proton; HCOO⁻ = formate, Cl⁻ = chloride.

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optimized LuUGT74S1 LuUGT74S1 JX011632.1 optimized LuUGT74S1 LuUGT74S1_JX011632.1 optimized LuUGT74S1 LuUGT74S1 JX011632.1

ATGAACGC AAAAGCGC rg c**c** t<mark>g</mark> t c GCCGGCGG GCGCAAGO AGCAAACGCCTGA' TOCCOAAACGGATOCGG TGACCGT<mark>G</mark>Á CGCGCAGA CATICA AAC GCGAAAGC CGCAAAC CA CCGGAAAC ATGTGGCG ACGC CTĠGACGTCGCCAAG TC TGGTGA TGGCC TGAGC GTAATTGATG 580 570 TGGCGGC TGCAACAC CG TG TA **T**CTG CAA GCACCAT CCCG CGAACAAT AAT GACI ATCTTCAACC GGA TATGTGA CTAGCCA ACAGCAA CTGCCGAAAGAAGAATATCTGA AAAGGCC TGC C ACTOC GAGGAGTAC TGGCGAGGGGGAAAGTGG GCTGGAAC CTGCAAG CTGCT ACCCATTG TGGCAAG **G**GGAAGGTAGGGTG TACACATTGCGGATGGAAC TCGA TGACCAA GATGGTGG ACTCACCAA CA GGAAAACĊO CG TG CG C AAGATC GAAGCGO GGAGT 1.230 1 260 ACGCG AATTAT AG A AG C<mark>G</mark>G CAG TGGAAGGC **G**AAG TGGGG**A**AAG A TTA' AGAAG 1,360 GACGAGCOTOATTAACT TAAAAACA AAGATTT GGAAACC TCAG 1,360 1,350 TAAAAACAC G AGG ATTTTG CTACTAG CTTGA TG A ATTTGG GAAACUT TCCAATTTAGCTGCTGA

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MAGDEREKAHCLVVPAAAQGHFTPLLQFSKRLIPKRIRVTLALTRFIHSTMTVTAQSGIHIDTISDGFDHSGLILQDPEHYSQTFRR VGSETLTDLIRKQSESRHPVHCIIYDASMPWFLDVAKRFGIVGAAFLTQSCAVNAIYYHLREGTIKRPVVSDPAAGTLVIDGLPPLE VSDLPSFIWDDLHTEFLAAHLRQFSNDGADWVFCNTVYQLELEAVDWLTKQWLINFRTIGPTIPSFYLDKQIPDDKDYDISIFNPQ NQTCMNWLQSKPDGSVVYVSFGSLARLSPQQTEELYFGLKNSNHYFLWVVRESEVAKLPKEEYLSGEKGLVVSWCSQLQVLA SGKVGCFVTHCGWNSTLEALSLGVPMVAMPECGDQLTNAKFIKDVWKTGVRAEADDGKGIMWGMIKREVIERCIREVMEGEET RRNADKWGKIIKEAVVEGGSSDKNTEDFATSLINFAETFQFSC

Figure S1. The original and optimized (for *Escherichia coli***) gene sequence of** *LuUGT74S1* (from Flax seed) and the protein sequence. (A) Nucleotide sequence of the optimized and original *LuUGT74S1* gene sequence. The deviating nucleotides are highlighted by individual colors. (B) The amino acid sequence of LuUGT74S1 derived from both sequences.



Figure S2. Control of the size of the ligated PCR products of the mutated *LuUGT74S1* **genes by agrose gel electrophoresis**. Colony PCR of the ten *LuUGT74S1* mutants. The boxes confirm the sizes of the mutant genes isolated from different colonies. For comparison, a 1 kb DNA ladder is shown on the left.



Figure S3. SDS-PAGE analysis to separate and identify protein sizes of LuUGT74S1 wild type and mutations. The bands framed in red represent proteins with a size of about 73 kDa (LuUGT74S1 and its mutants with 47 kDa, bound to GST with 26 kDa), as shown by the protein ladder on the left. All bands with red frame have the same size.



Figure S4. LC/MS analysis of the reaction products of the wild-type enzyme and all mutant proteins. Note that S82F and E189L do not produce SMG or SDG. Ion trace *m/z* 361 (orange) shows SECO, *m/z* 523 (light blue) shows SMG, and *m/z* 731 (green) shows SDG.



Figure S5. Michaelis-Menten diagrams of mutant proteins. Plots of acceptor substrate concentration versus velocity. **(A)** wild type, **(B)** Y144F, **(C)** S115A, **(D)** S82F, **(E)** Q136E, **(F)** H194S, **(G)** Q136F, **(H)** A17S and **(I)** Q136S. Data represent mean ± SD of n = 3 technical replicates.