

Supporting Information

The Mechanisms of Human Hotdog Fold Thioesterase 2 (hTHEM2) Substrate Recognition and Catalysis Illuminated by a Structure and Function Based Analysis[#]

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Table SI1. The steady state kinetic constants measured for hTHEM2 catalyzed hydrolysis of 3-hydroxyphenylacetyl-CoA in solutions containing 50 mM K⁺HEPES (pH 7.5 and 25 °C), 1 mM DTNB and varying concentrations of NaCl. The error limits shown reflect the fit to a data set and do not represent the standard deviation calculated from repetitive determination.

[NaCl] (mM)	k_{cat} (s ⁻¹)	K_m (μM)	k_{cat}/K_m (s ⁻¹ μM ⁻¹)
0	1.44 ± 0.07	30 ± 5	4.8 × 10 ⁴
1	1.48 ± 0.02	47 ± 2	3.1 × 10 ⁴
10	1.50 ± 0.10	40 ± 10	3.7 × 10 ⁴
50	1.43 ± 0.04	38 ± 3	3.7 × 10 ⁴
100	1.20 ± 0.06	30 ± 6	4.0 × 10 ⁴

Figure SI1: The existence of chloride ions as shown by the difference anomalous Fourier map constructed using anomalous difference signal and phases calculated from protein only. The densities of chloride ion (green) and the undecan-2-one-CoA sulfur atom (yellow) were observed in the map because these two atoms have similar anomalous signals at Cu K-alpha wavelength ($f''\text{-Cl}=0.7e$, $f''\text{-S}=0.6e$).

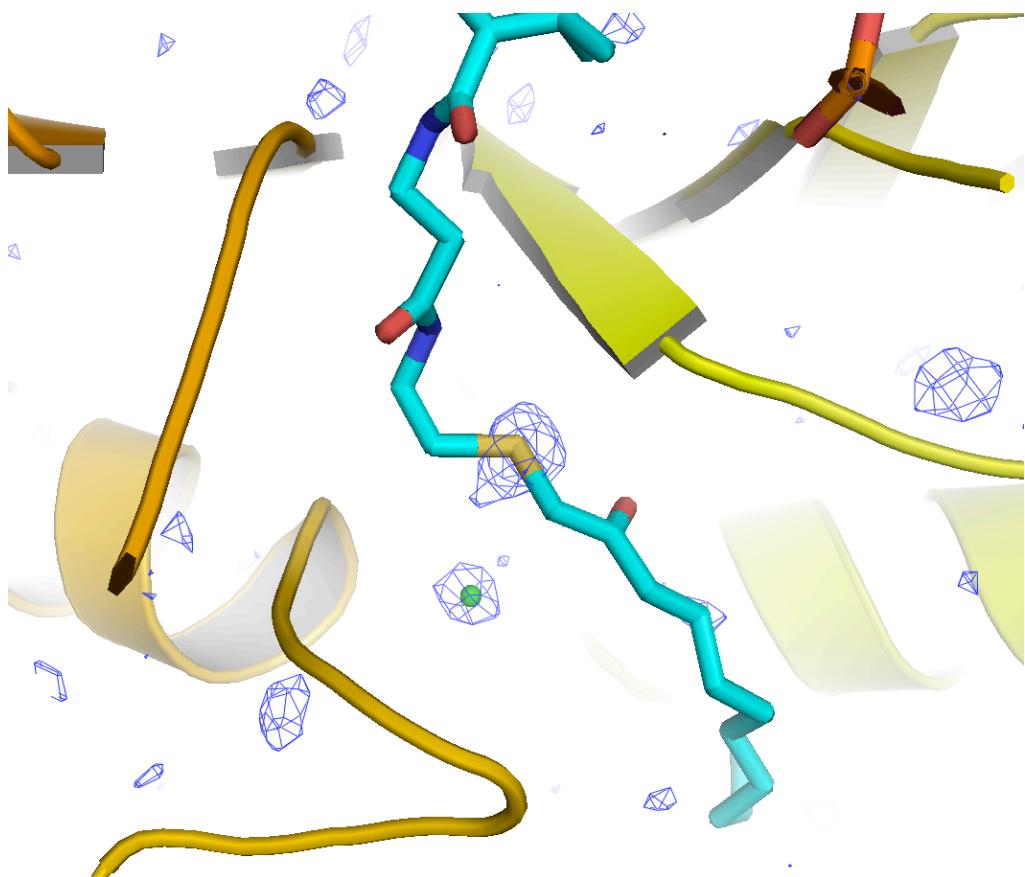


Figure SI2. Superposition of the main chain of the apo tetrameric hTHEM2 and the main chain of the undecan-2-one-CoA bound tetrameric hTHEM2

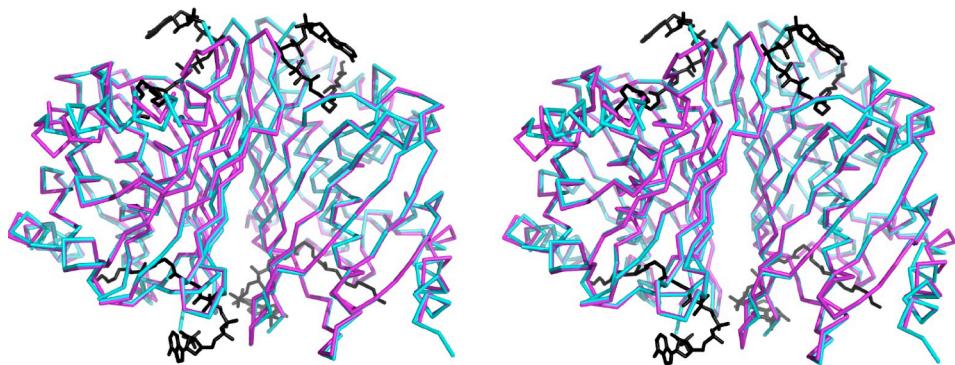


Figure SI3: The undecan-2-one-CoA (yellow) binding site formed by protomers I (cyan), II (green) and III (magenta).

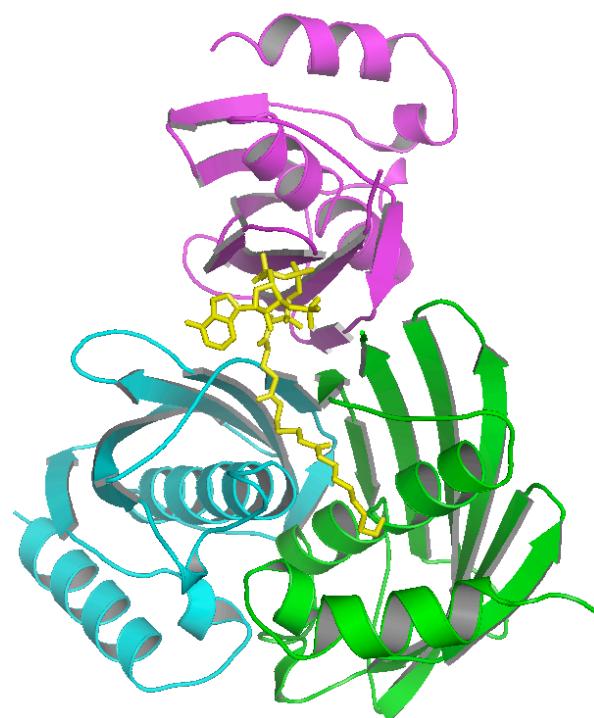


Figure SI4. A zoom in on the undecan-2-one-CoA ligand I O=C-CH₂S unit and the surrounding residues.

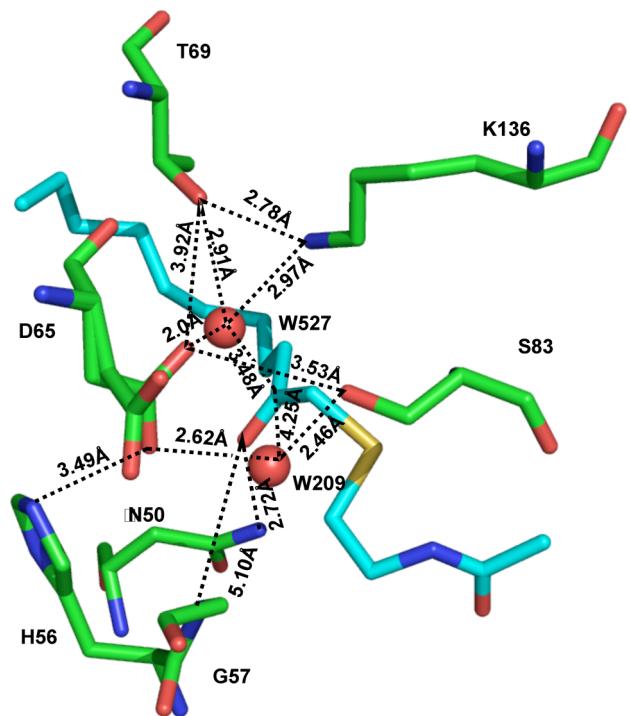


Figure SI5: Stereoview of the superposition of the hTHEM2 active site with undeca-2-one-CoA (cyan) bound and decanoyl-CoA (black) modeled.

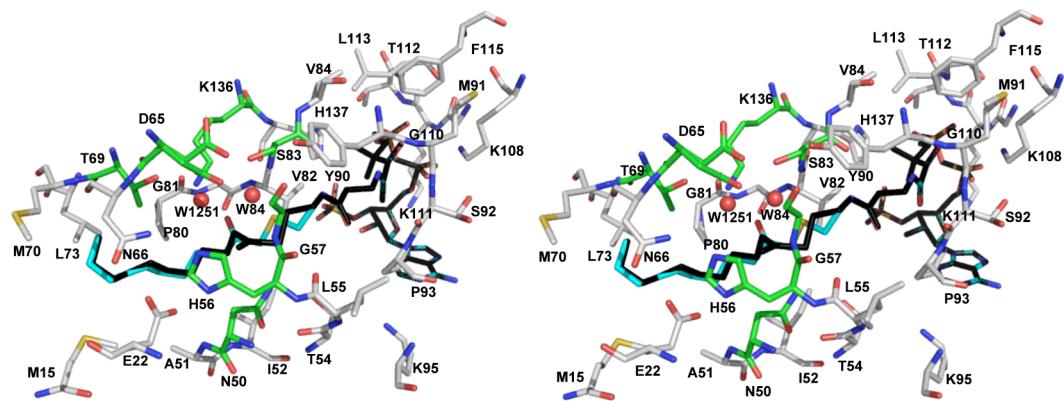


Figure SI6: Alignment of hTHEM2 eukaryotic homolog sequences having 42% or greater identity. Identical residues are highlighted in green color, similar residues are highlighted in yellow color, and the tetramerization residues are highlighted in magenta color.

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