



**Figure S1** **(A)** Schematic map *pXYLA*. The pYES2 plasmid containing the exogenous XI gene *XYL*A from *Piromyces SpE2*. **(B)** Schematic map of *pXYLA,XKS1*. The pYES2 plasmid containing the XI gene *XYL*A and an additional copy of the endogenous XK gene *XKS1* from *S. cerevisiae*.