## Additional file 6

The 2<sup>nd</sup> order multiple relationships of kinetic constants and amino acid composition. The 2<sup>nd</sup> order multiple regressions showing changes of the log-values of kinetic constants as dependent variables upon the frequences of occurrence for two amino acids in the yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* enzyme sequences, where  $k_{cat}$  is the catalytic constant (A),  $K_M$  is the Michaelis-Menten constant (C), and  $k_{cat}/K_M$  is the specificity constant  $k_{sp}$  (E). The observed versus predicted plots (B,D,F) for the values of dependent variables ( $k_{cat}$ ,  $K_M$ , and  $k_{cat}/K_M$ , respectively). The predicted values were calculated from the regression equations:  $log(k_{cat})= 2.292 + 2.644*W - 0.584*W^2 - 1.634*M*W$  ( $R^2_{adj}=92.36\%$ , p=0.0000);  $log(K_M)= -15.938 + 10.145*N - 1.035*N^2 - 0.311*D*N$  ( $R^2_{adj}=79.40\%$ , p=0.0001);  $log(k_{sp})=5.847 - 4.251*H + 0.247*A*H$  ( $R^2_{adj}=51.71\%$ , p=0.0035).

