

**Table S3. List of genes controlled by  $\sigma$ G in transcriptome**

Gene	Function	Expression ratio in transcriptome sigG/630 $\Delta$ erm
<b>Sporulation</b>		
CD2642	<i>sigG</i> RNA polymerase sigma-G factor	0.23
CD0773	<i>spoVAC</i> Stage V sporulation protein AC	0.26
CD0774	<i>spoVAD</i> Stage V sporulation protein AD	0.30
CD0775	<i>spoVAE</i> Stage V sporulation protein AE	0.28
CD1213	<i>spoIVB</i> Stage IV sporulation protein B, peptidase S55 family	0.60
CD3499	<i>spoVT</i> Stage V sporulation protein T	0.22
CD3249	<i>sspB</i> Small, acid-soluble spore protein alpha	0.07
CD2688	<i>sspA</i> Small, acid-soluble spore protein alpha	0.02
CD1290	Putative small acid-soluble spore protein SASP	0.52
CD3220.1	Small acid-soluble spore protein	0.66
<b>Stress</b>		
CD2845	<i>rbr</i> Rubrerythrin	0.27
CD1631	<i>sodA</i> Superoxide dismutase (Mn)	0.32
CD1567	putative manganese catalase	0.27
<b>Enveloppes</b>		
CD0784	Putative N-acetylmuramoyl-L-alanine amidase	0.41
CD1291	<i>dacF</i> D-alanyl-D-alanine carboxypeptidase	0.31
CD2762	<i>uppS</i> Putative undecaprenyl pyrophosphate synthetase	0.62
CD1430	Putative $\delta$ -lactam-biosynthetic de-N-acteylase	0.21
CD0792	Putative membrane protein, DUF81 family	0.43
CD0793	Putative membrane protein, DUF81 family	0.33
CD1788	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.43
CD1789	Putative membrane protein, DUF421 family	0.61
CD2051	Putative membrane protein	0.52
CD2315	Putative exported protein	0.38
CD2634	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.65
CD2635	Putative membrane protein	0.50
CD2636	Putative membrane protein	0.34
CD3551.1	Putative membrane protein	0.18
CD2465	Putative amino acid/polyamine transporter	0.52
<b>Metabolism</b>		
CD0684	Putative ATP-dependent peptidase, M41 family	0.46
CD3489	Putative oligoendopeptidase F, peptidase M3B family	0.62
CD2431	Putative nitrite/sulphite reductase	0.54
CD1676	<i>pcp</i> Pyrrolidone-carboxylate peptidase	0.66
CD1677	Putative membrane protein	0.51
CD2841	Putative amidohydrolase	0.57
CD1543	putative FMN-dependent NADH-azoreductase	0.43
CD1707	Putative C4-dicarboxylate anaerobic carrier, DcuC family	0.53
<b>Translation</b>		
CD1486	Putative ribosome recycling factor	0.17
<b>Proteins of unknown function</b>		
CD0543	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.57
CD1297	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.66
CD1298	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.55
CD1301.1	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.45
CD1354	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.48
CD1463	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.22
CD1568	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.60
CD1880	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.25
CD2112	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.26
CD2245.1	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.30
CD2375	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.24
CD2808	Conserved hypothetical protein	0.64

CD2809	Conserved hypotheticalprotein, DUF1540 family	<b>0.45</b>
CD3610	Conserved hypothetical protein	<b>0.66</b>

A gene is considered differentially expressed between the 630 $\Delta$ erm strain and the *sigG* mutant when the P value is <0.05 using the statistical analysis described in Materials and Methods.