## **ADDITIONAL FILE 1**

Deletion <sup>a</sup>	Gene or gene cluster	Number of genes targeted	Coordinates deleted (bp)		Extension of the
			Start	End	deletion (bp)
1	Prophage 1	72	4,372,649	4,427,414	54,766
2	Prophage 4	41	1,738,082	1,778,140	40,059
3	Prophage 3	32	2,586,633	2,625,819	39,187
4	Prophage 2	55	3,412,988	3,448,599	35,612
5	Tn7 transposase	4	6,161,914	6,168,509	6,596
6	endA-1	1	2,798,042	2,798,734	693
7	endA-2	1	3,819,907	3,820,872	966
8	hsdRMS	3	5,393,057	5,398,717	5,661
9	Flagellum	69	4,919,154	4,988,328	69,175
10	Tn4652	21	3,366,692	3,382,468	15,777
11	recA	1	1,827,143	1,828,210	1,068

**Table S1.** Genomic coordinates of the eleven deletions introduced in *Pseudomonas putida* KT2440 to construct the streamlined strain EM383.

<sup>a</sup> The deletion number identifies the order in which the specific gene or gene cluster was deleted. The information regarding genomic coordinates of each locus was derived from the reported sequence of *P*. *putida* KT2440 [1].

 Table S2. Oligonucleotides used in this study.

Name	Sequence (5' $ ightarrow$ 3') <sup>a</sup>	Use
TS1(endA1)Xmal-F	TCCCCCCGGGGCTTGTGTCAGGCGCCGTTC	Deletion of endA-1
TS1(endA1)-R	CCGAAGGAAGATTGACTGCGCTCCTCAGGCCA GCGTTTGTAAG	Deletion of endA-1
TS2(endA1)-F	GCGCAGTCAATCTTCCTTCGG	Deletion of endA-1
TS2(endA1)BamHI-R	CG <b>GGATC</b> CAGCAAAGAGCTGCAGCGGATC TTC	Deletion of endA-1
TS1(endA2)EcoRI-F	CG <b>GAATTC</b> CGGGGGTTGAGCATTACCCGCTT	Deletion of endA-2
TS1(endA2)-R	GGCCGCGCAGCCTTTGAAACGGGGGGGAAAAC ATATTTCAGGTTG	Deletion of endA-2
TS2(endA2)-F	CCGTTTCAAAGGCTGCGCGGCC	Deletion of endA-2
TS2(endA2)BamHI-R	CG <b>GGATCC</b> GCATGCGCGTGCTGTATCACAGC	Deletion of endA-2
TS1(hsdRMS)EcoRI-F	GC <b>GAATTC</b> GTTCGTCGACTGGATGGAGC	Deletion of hsdRMS
TS1(hsdRMS)-R	TCAGGCGCATAACGAATTTCTGCTGGCTATGT CCCTATGG	Deletion of <i>hsdRMS</i>
TS2(hsdRMS)-F	GAAATTCGTTATGCGCCTGA	Deletion of hsdRMS
TS2(hsdRMS)BamHI-R	CG <b>GGATCC</b> TTGTCTGGCTTTTGCATCAG	Deletion of hsdRMS
TS1(Tn4652)Xmal-F	TCCC <b>CCCGGG</b> CCGTTCTGGCCAATGCC GGGCA	Deletion of Tn4652
TS1(Tn4652)-R	GTCCATTTTGCCGTGCCCTGCTGCCCCCAAGC GAGGCAAAAGC	Deletion of Tn4652
TS2(Tn4652)-F	CAGCAGGGCACGGCAAAATGGAC	Deletion of Tn4652
TS2(Tn4652)BamHI-R	CG <b>GGATCC</b> ATGAAGGAATTCGTTTGGTGCAAG	Deletion of Tn4652
TS1(Tn7)EcoRI-F	CG <b>GAATTC</b> CCAGAACGGGTGCTAGCTGC	Deletion of Tn7
TS1(Tn7)-R	GTCCAGCTTGGCTTTCAAATCAG	Deletion of Tn7
TS2(Tn7)-F	CTGATTTGAAAGCCAAGCTGGACATTTTTAACG ATTGACTGTTAC	Deletion of Tn7
TS2(Tn7)-Xmal-R	TCCC <b>CCCGGG</b> CTCCGAGACCGCCGACCAAGA	Deletion of Tn7
3864F	ACTTGTACACCCGTGGTTCG	Diagnose deletion of prophage 1 <sup>b</sup>
3864R	TGAACCAGCGTTCGATACTG	Diagnose deletion of prophage 1 <sup>b</sup>
3065F	GTCGACGAGGTGGAATTGAG	Diagnose deletion of prophage 2 <sup>b</sup>
3065R	GCAGAGGTTTTGTTGGGGGTA	Diagnose deletion of prophage 2 <sup>b</sup>
2277F	GCAGATCGAGGACTTCAAGC	Diagnose deletion of prophage 3 <sup>b</sup>
2277R	GCACTCCATAGCACCCTAGC	Diagnose deletion of prophage 3 <sup>b</sup>
1565F	CTGACCGAGGATCAGATGGT	Diagnose deletion of prophage 4 <sup>b</sup>
1565R	CCGGGTTGAACTTCACGTAG	Diagnose deletion of prophage 4 <sup>b</sup>
5406F	CATCTCCTTTCCAACCCAGA	Diagnose deletion of
5406R	CGTGCATACCAAACAACAGG	Diagnose deletion of

		Tn7
4335F	TACCGAGGAACACGAAAACC	Diagnose deletion of the flagellum <sup>c</sup>
4335R	TTGGCAGGTTGTCAGTGAAG	Diagnose deletion of the flagellum <sup>c</sup>
4741F	CTCGACCAGTCACCGAATTT	Diagnose deletion of hsdRMS
4741R	ACGATGGTGTGCAGGTTACA	Diagnose deletion of hsdRMS
2968F	GTGCTCCGATAGCGGCGGCAGCA	Diagnose deletion of Tn4652
2968R	GGGCGCATCGAACTGTCGATCTTC	Diagnose deletion of Tn4652
endA1-F	CGCTTTTCGCAGCAGCCTGCCTG	Diagnose deletion of endA-1
endA1-R	GAAGTAGGTGCGGGCGATCATGCC	Diagnose deletion of endA-1
endA2-F	CAATGCCGGCGAATACGGCCAAT	Diagnose deletion of endA-2
endA2-R	CAGGCCATCAGCAGCTGTTGCTG	Diagnose deletion of endA-2
recA-F	CTACGGCCCGGAATCGTCGGGTA	Diagnose deletion of recA
recA-R	GACCGCGCCGGTACGGCGGATGT	Diagnose deletion of recA
TS1(recA)EcoRI-F	CG <b>GAATTC</b> CGGTGGTGGCATTGCCGAAGC	Diagnose deletion of recA (TS1-TS2) <sup>b</sup>
TS2(recA)BamHI-R	CG <b>GGATCC</b> TTCGAGCTTCAATAATCGTCG	Diagnose deletion of recA (TS1-TS2) <sup>b</sup>
endA-1-junction-F	CGTGAAGAAGCGCAGGCGCGC	Sequence boundaries of <i>endA-1</i> deletion
endA-1-junction-R	GTAATGCCGAACAGCCGGATGA	Sequence boundaries of <i>endA-1</i> deletion
endA-2-junction-F	CCGCTGAGTTTCAGCCTGGC	Sequence boundaries of <i>endA</i> -2 deletion
endA-2-junction-R	GGCAGGCCAACCTGGGGCCGGCG	Sequence boundaries of <i>endA</i> -2 deletion
Tn4652-junction-F	GTCTCGCGCCTTTATCCTTCA	Sequence boundaries of Tn4652 deletion
Tn4652-junction-R	GTGACCGGCGCCACATAGAGGC	Sequence boundaries of Tn4652 deletion
hsdRMS-junction-F	AATACTATAGGTTCAGTTCCC	Sequence boundaries of <i>hsdRMS</i> deletion
hsdRMS-junction-R	CTTAAGTTCAAGTTTTACAACG	Sequence boundaries
Tn7-junction-F	CCGACCTGGGAAGGTCGACTTT	Sequence boundaries of Tn7 deletion
Tn7-junction-R	GATGACTTCCTAGGCCATTACTTA	Sequence boundaries of Tn7 deletion

recA-junction-F	CTCAAGGAGCACCCACATGG	Sequence boundaries
		of recA deletion
recA-junction-R	GCTACCGCATTCGCGGGTGA	Sequence boundaries
		of recA deletion
Junction-Flagella-F	CGCCAAGCCTCGCTACCCGGCCTGCT	Sequence boundaries
		of flagellum deletion <sup>c</sup>
Junction-Flagella-R	CAGTTGATTCTGGTGGTGCACCCG	Sequence boundaries
		of flagellum deletion <sup>c</sup>
pEMG-F1	CCATTCAGGCTGCGCAACTGTTG	Sequence TS1-TS2 in
		pEMG <sup>d</sup>
pEMG-R1	CTTTACACTTTATGCTTCCGGC	Sequence TS1-TS2 in
		pEMG <sup>d</sup>
pSW-F	GGACGCTTCGCTGAAAACTA	Diagnose curation of
		the plasmid pSW-I <sup>d</sup>
pSW-R	AACGTCGTGACTGGGAAAAC	Diagnose curation of
		the plasmid pSW-I <sup>d</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Recognition site for the restriction enzymes specified are indicated in boldface in the DNA sequence, and complementary sequences used in splicing by overlap extension (SOEing) PCR amplifications are shown in italics.

<sup>b</sup> Taken from Martínez-García et al. [2].

<sup>c</sup> Taken from Martínez-García *et al.* [3].

<sup>d</sup> Taken from Martínez-García and de Lorenzo [4].



Figure S1. Evaluation of the streamlined strain as a host for heterologous plasmid DNA. Top panel: Gel electrophoresis analysis of six independent plasmid DNA purifications from saturated LB cultures of either the wild-type P. putida strain KT2440 (lanes 1 to 6) or P. putida strain EM383 (lanes 7 to 12) run on an 1% (w/v) agarose gel and visualized under ultraviolet light after staining with ethidium bromide. Bottom panel: Gel electrophoresis analysis of the PshAl-digested plasmids obtained from the wild-type strain KT2440 (lanes 1 to 6) or strain EM383 (lanes 7 to 12) as explained above, and run on an 1% (w/v) agarose gel. Flanking lanes in both gels correspond to different DNA size markers [M1, 500-bp Molecular Ruler EZ Load<sup>™</sup> (Bio-Rad, Berkeley, CA, USA); M2,  $\lambda$  DNA digested with *BstEll*; and M3,  $\lambda$  DNA digested with HindIII]. Plasmid DNA purification and analysis was conducted following routinelv procedures as described elsewhere [5].

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