

1 **Systems analysis in *Cellvibrio japonicus* resolves predicted redundancy of β -**
2 **glucosidases and determines essential physiological functions**

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40 **Table S1. Growth statistics of *C. japonicus* GH3 mutants grown in a defined**
41 **cellobiose medium^a**
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Strain	Growth Rate (gen hr ⁻¹)	Lag Time (hrs)	Max OD ₆₀₀
Wild Type ^b	0.24±0.03	3	1.08±0.039
$\Delta cel3A^c$	0.27±0.01	3	1.06±0.016
$\Delta cel3B^d$	0.15±0.01	4	0.99±0.002
$\Delta cel3C^b$	0.21±0.02	3	1.07±0.023
$\Delta cel3D^b$	0.23±0.02	3	1.06±0.011
Wild Type ^e	0.35±0.01	5	1.02±0.015
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3B^f$	0.09±0.01	10	0.82±0.005
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3C^g$	0.30±0.01	5	0.99±0.005
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3D^g$	0.29±0.01	5	0.98±0.019
$\Delta cel3B \Delta cel3C^h$	0.22±0.01	7	1.05±0.005
$\Delta cel3B \Delta cel3D^h$	0.17±0.02	7	1.05±0.024
$\Delta cel3C \Delta cel3D^g$	0.28±0.03	5	1.05±0.012
Wild Type ⁱ	0.36±0.01	2	1.05±0.002
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3B \Delta cel3C^j$	0.24±0.03	13	0.55±0.050
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3B \Delta cel3D^k$	0.19±0.03	10	0.85±0.036
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3C \Delta cel3D^l$	0.22±0.01	2	1.03±0.020
$\Delta cel3B \Delta cel3C \Delta cel3D^m$	0.16±0.02	5	0.97±0.005
$\Delta 4\beta G^n$	0.22±0.01	13	0.52±0.028

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44 ^a Experiments were performed in biological triplicate; average and standard deviation
45 reported in Table

46 ^b Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=4 and T_f=12

47 ^c Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=4 and T_f=8

48 ^d Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=10 and T_f=14

49 ^e Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=6 and T_f=9

50 ^f Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=12 and T_f=19

51 ^g Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=6 and T_f=9

52 ^h Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=7 and T_f=11

53 ⁱ Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=5 and T_f=9

54 ^j Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=18 and T_f=22

55 ^k Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=15 and T_f=20

56 ^l Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=5 and T_f=9

57 ^m Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=8 and T_f=15

58 ⁿ Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=18 and T_f=23

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60 **Table S2. Growth statistics of *C. japonicus* GH3 mutants grown in a defined**
61 **insoluble cellulose medium^a**
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Strain	Growth Rate (gen hr ⁻¹)	Lag Time (hrs)	Max OD ₆₀₀
Wild Type ^b	0.16±0.01	24	0.50±0.070
$\Delta cel3A^c$	0.17±0.02	26	0.51±0.042
$\Delta cel3B^d$	0.08±0.02	38	0.23±0.026
$\Delta cel3C^e$	0.16±0.02	26	0.49±0.040
$\Delta cel3D^d$	0.16±0.02	26	0.48±0.024
Wild Type ^f	0.18±0.001	20	0.52±0.059
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3B^g$	0.16±0.04	52	0.52±0.039
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3C^f$	0.16±0.02	20	0.50±0.073
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3D^f$	0.18±0.18	20	0.50±0.073
$\Delta cel3B \Delta cel3C^h$	0.06±0.004	48	0.22±0.036
$\Delta cel3B \Delta cel3D^h$	0.05±0.007	48	0.20±0.007
$\Delta cel3C \Delta cel3D^f$	0.22±0.03	20	0.48±0.019
Wild Type ^b	0.17±0.01	24	0.49±0.057
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3B \Delta cel3C^i$	0.05±0.01	52	0.12±0.025
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3B \Delta cel3D^j$	0.04±0.002	52	0.13±0.010
$\Delta cel3A \Delta cel3C \Delta cel3D^k$	0.15±0.05	28	0.48±0.020
$\Delta cel3B \Delta cel3C \Delta cel3D^l$	0.09±0.01	32	0.19±0.027
$\Delta 4\beta G^m$	0.06±0.01	52	0.14±0.034

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64 ^a Experiments were performed in biological triplicate; average and standard deviation
65 reported in Table

66 ^b Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=24 and T_f=38

67 ^c Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=26 and T_f=34

68 ^d Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=38 and T_f=48

69 ^e Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=26 and T_f=36

70 ^f Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=20 and T_f=32

71 ^g Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=52 and T_f=64

72 ^h Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=48 and T_f=72

73 ⁱ Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=58 and T_f=88

74 ^j Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=64 and T_f=78

75 ^k Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=30 and T_f=38

76 ^l Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=38 and T_f=56

77 ^m Time points used to calculate growth rate were T_i=50 and T_f=80

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79 **Table S3. Genes up-regulated during exponential growth on cellobiose (compared**
80 **to glucose) and growth statistics of the corresponding mutants when grown in a**
81 **defined cellobiose medium^a**
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Gene	Predicted Function ^b	Fold Change ^c	Growth Rate (gen hr ⁻¹) ^d	Maximum OD ₆₀₀ ^e
<i>adg97B</i>	α-glucosidase	1.5	0.23±0.01 ^k	1.05±0.016
<i>aga27A</i>	α-glucosidase ^f	2.5	0.24±0.01 ^k	1.07±0.019
<i>amy13D</i>	α-amylase	1.2	0.24±0.004 ^l	1.07±0.012
<i>axe2A</i>	acetyl xylan esterase	3.3	0.21±0.019 ^k	1.09±0.004
<i>bgl35A</i>	β-galactosidase ^g	2.0	0.20±0.003 ^k	1.06±0.004
<i>cel3A</i>	β-glucosidase ⁿ	1.5	0.27±0.01 ^m	1.04±0.007
<i>cel5C</i>	cellulase	2.3	0.21±0.02 ⁿ	1.08±0.013
<i>cel9B</i>	cellulase	1.3	0.25±0.01 ^l	1.08±0.010
<i>man26C</i>	endo-1, 4-β mannanase ⁱ	1.3	0.23±0.02 ^o	1.07±0.025
<i>xy131A</i>	α-xylosidase ^j	2.3	0.23±0.003 ^k	1.08±0.010

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84 ^a RNAseq sampling experiments were performed in biological triplicate. Growth
85 experiments were also performed in biological triplicate; average and standard deviation
86 reported in Table

87 ^b predicted by DeBoy *et al.* (DeBoy *et al.*, 2008)

88 ^c log₂ scale in comparison to gene expression when grown in glucose

89 ^d compare to the growth rate of wild type of 0.203 calculated from T_i=4 and T_f=12

90 ^e compare to the maximum OD₆₀₀ of 1.06 for wild type

91 ^f confirmed by Halsted *et al.* (Halstead *et al.*, 2000)

92 ^g confirmed by Larsbrink *et al.* (Larsbrink *et al.*, 2014)

93 ^h confirmed by Rixon *et al.* 1992

94 ⁱ confirmed by Cartmel *et al.* (Cartmell *et al.*, 2008)

95 ^j confirmed by Larsbrink *et al.* (Larsbrink *et al.*, 2011)

96 ^k calculated from T_i=4 and T_f=12

97 ^l calculated from T_i=4 and T_f=11

98 ^m calculated from T_i=4 and T_f=8

99 ⁿ calculated from T_i=4 and T_f=13

100 ^o calculated from T_i=4 and T_f=10

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Table S4. Strains, plasmids, and primers used in this study

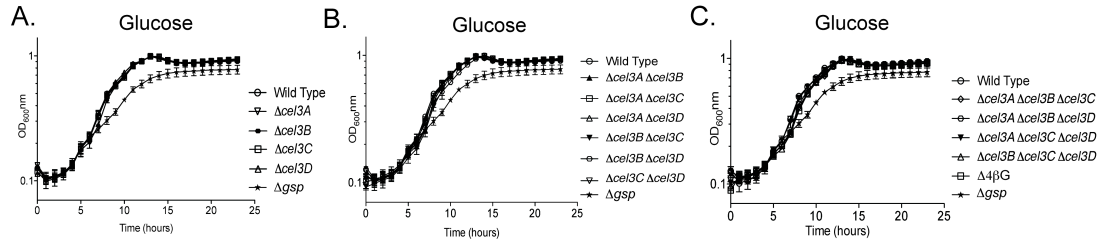
Strain, plasmid, or primer	Genotype	Source or Reference
Strains		
<i>E. coli</i> DH5 α	λ Φ80d <i>lacZ</i> ΔM15 Δ(<i>lacZYA-argF</i>)U169 <i>recA1 endA1 hsdR17</i> (r _k ⁻ m _k ⁻) <i>supE44 thi-1</i> <i>gyrA relA1</i>	Laboratory collection
<i>E. coli</i> S17 λ_{pir}	Tpr Smr <i>recA thi pro hsdR hsdM</i> ⁺ RP4-2- TC::Mu::Km Tn7 λ_{pri}	Laboratory collection
<i>E. coli</i> K12		Laboratory collection
<i>E. coli</i> strain BL21(DE3)	F ⁻ <i>ompT gal dcm lon hsdS_B</i> (r _B ⁻ m _B ⁻) λ (DE3 [<i>lacI lacUV5-T7p07 ind1 sam7 nin5</i>]) [<i>malB</i> ⁺] _{K-12} (λ^S)	Merck
<i>E. coli</i> K12 pBBRMCS-5	Gm ^r	This study
<i>E. coli</i> K12 pBBRMCS-5/ <i>cel3A</i>	<i>cel3A</i> ⁺ ;Gm ^r	This study
<i>E. coli</i> K12 pBBRMCS-5/ <i>cel3B</i>	<i>cel3B</i> ⁺ ;Gm ^r	This study
<i>E. coli</i> K12 pBBRMCS-5/ <i>cel3C</i>	<i>cel3C</i> ⁺ ;Gm ^r	This study
<i>E. coli</i> K12 pBBRMCS-5/ <i>cel3D</i>	<i>cel3D</i> ⁺ ;Gm ^r	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Ueda 107	Wild Type	Laboratory collection
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>gsp</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>gsp</i>	(Gardner & Keating, 2010)
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> ^a	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3B</i> ^b	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3C</i> ^c	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3D</i> ^d	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ4βG	Ueda 107 Δ <i>cel3A</i> Δ <i>cel3B</i> Δ <i>cel3C</i> Δ <i>cel3D</i>	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>adg97B</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>adg97B</i> ^e	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> <i>aga27A</i> ::pK18 <i>aga27AKO</i>	Ueda 107 <i>aga27A</i> ::pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ^f	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>amy13D</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>amy13D</i> ^g	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> <i>axe2A</i> ::pk18 <i>axe2AKO</i>	Ueda 107 <i>axe2A</i> ::pk18 <i>mobsacB</i> ^h	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>bgI35A</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>bgI35A</i> ⁱ	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> <i>cel5C</i> ::pk18 <i>cel5CKO</i>	Ueda 107 <i>cel5C</i> ::pk18 <i>mobsacB</i> ^j	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> <i>cel9B</i> ::pk18 <i>cel9BKO</i>	Ueda 107 <i>cel9B</i> ::pk18 <i>mobsacB</i> ^k	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>man26C</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>man26C</i> ^l	This study
<i>C. japonicus</i> Δ <i>xyI31A</i>	Ueda 107 Δ <i>xyI31A</i> ^m	This study

Plasmids		
pRk2013	ColE1 RK2-Mob ⁺ RK2-Tra ⁺ ; Km ^r	(Figurski & Helinski, 1979)
pK18 <i>mobsacB</i>	pMB1 <i>ori mob⁺ sacB⁺</i> ; Km ^r	(Schafer <i>et al.</i> , 1994)
pET28b	ColE1 T7promoter: <i>lacO</i> -MCS-T7terminator; Km ^r	Merck
pK18/ Δ <i>cel3A</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>cel3A</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>cel3B</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>cel3B</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>cel3C</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>cel3C</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>cel3D</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>cel3D</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>adg97B</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>adg97B</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ <i>aga27AKO</i>	Contains 500bp internal <i>aga27A</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18 Δ <i>amy13D</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>amy13D</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pk18/ <i>axe2AKO</i>	Contains 500bp internal <i>axe2A</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>bgl35A</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>bgl35A</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pk18/ <i>cel5CKO</i>	Contains 500bp internal <i>cel5C</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pk18/ <i>cel9BKO</i>	Contains 500bp internal <i>cel9B</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>man26C</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>man26C</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pK18/ Δ <i>xy131A</i>	Contains 500bp upstream and downstream of <i>xy131A</i> cloned into pK18 <i>mobsacB</i> ; Km ^r	This study
pBBRMCS-5	Gm ^r	(Elzer <i>et al.</i> , 1994)
<i>pcel3A</i>	Contains <i>cel3A</i> cloned into pBBRMCS-5; Gm ^r	This study
<i>pcel3B</i>	Contains <i>cel3B</i> cloned into pBBRMCS-5; Gm ^r	This study
<i>pcel3C</i>	Contains <i>cel3C</i> cloned into pBBRMCS-5; Gm ^r	This study
<i>pcel3D</i>	Contains <i>cel3D</i> cloned into pBBRMCS-5; Gm ^r	This study
pET28b: <i>cel3A</i>	Contains <i>cel3A</i> cloned into pET28b; Kan ^r	This study
pET28b: <i>cel3B</i>	Contains <i>cel3B</i> cloned into pET28b; Kan ^r	This study
Primers		
Δ <i>cel3A</i> CONF (5')	GAT TTA CCA GGGTGTTT	This study
Δ <i>cel3A</i> CONF (3')	TTCGCTATTTGAAAGGTA	This study

<i>cel3A</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTGGATCCCTGCCGATACTGT	This study
<i>cel3A</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGAGCCAATAAAGTGCT	This study
Δ <i>cel3B</i> CONF (5')	TGATCATAGTGGCCAT	This study
Δ <i>cel3B</i> CONF (3')	TACTCATAGCAGCCG	This study
<i>cel3B</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTGGATCCATGGATGAGAGCGA	This study
<i>cel3B</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGACAGTCAACAAATAAC	This study
Δ <i>cel3C</i> CONF (5')	CAGTCGCCCTTATGT	This study
Δ <i>cel3C</i> CONF (3')	ATTCACAATTCCTGGTGT	This study
<i>cel3C</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCCTGAAACATCCGGC	This study
<i>cel3C</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGAGTTTAGCCGTGGCA	This study
Δ <i>cel3D</i> CONF (5')	TGGGTAATACATTGCTTG	This study
Δ <i>cel3D</i> CONF (3')	TGCCAGGTATGTGGA	This study
<i>cel3D</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCGCTGACTGAGGTAT	This study
<i>cel3D</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGACAACAACAGCAACA	This study
<i>cel3A</i> EXP (5')	GCGCGCCATATGTGTGATTCCC GCGCTC CC	This study
<i>cel3A</i> EXP (3')	GCGCGGAGCTCGGGGCAGGCGACGTC TTT	This study
<i>cel3B</i> EXP (5')	GCGCGCCATATGCTGTGGCCAAAAGTCA CC	This study
<i>cel3B</i> EXP (3')	GCGCGGAGCTCACCAACAACACCAAT GT	This study
Δ <i>adg97B</i> CONF (5')	ATGATGGTGGCATTG	This study
Δ <i>adg97B</i> CONF (3')	TAATCCTTGACCGCAT	This study
<i>adg97B</i> UP (5')	ACAGCTATGACATGATTACGTCCGAAGT TTTATTAAGCAGC	This study
<i>adg97B</i> UP (3')	ATTGGCAATTACATCATATTCCCCTGACA TATCTCGGT	This study
<i>adg97B</i> DOWN (5')	GAATATGATGTAATTGCCAATACCCAAGC CGTTG	This study
<i>adg97B</i> DOWN (3')	TGCATGCCTGCAGGTCGACTCTGTAATC CTTGACCGCATAG	This study
<i>adg97B</i> INT (5')	TAT GCG TCT ATG ACA CTG	This study
<i>adg97B</i> INT (3')	TCA ATT CGC TTG GCT TTG	This study
<i>aga27A</i> KO (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCACATCCGGTATGAA	This study
<i>aga27A</i> KO (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGATGTTTGGTCGAGGATG	This study
<i>aga27A</i> CONF (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCGTACCCAACATCACC	This study
<i>aga27A</i> CONF (3')	GTGGTTCTAGATAAAAAAACGCCGC	This study
Δ <i>amy13D</i> CONF (5')	TCAAATGGCCGCTGA	This study
Δ <i>amy13D</i> CONF (3')	TGACAGTCAGGAATGC	This study
<i>amy13D</i> UP (5')	GCTATGACATGATTACGAATTCTTCAAAT GGCCGCTGACCAA	This study
<i>amy13D</i> UP (3')	AGCCTTGACATCAAATCCCCCATTGTTGA CCGTTTTG	This study
<i>amy13D</i> DOWN (5')	GATTTGATCTGAAGGCTTTGGTATTGATG ACTGAAC	This study
<i>amy13D</i> DOWN (3')	GCCTGCAGGTCGACTCTAGACCCCTTTG ACAGTCACGAATGC	This study
<i>amy13D</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTGGATCCGATCTTGCGACCGATC	This study
<i>amy13D</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGACGGAAAGGATCAACAC	This study

<i>axe2A</i> KO (5')	GGTGGTAAGCTTTGGTCGGGATTGTTC	This study
<i>axe2A</i> KO (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGATGAAACCGCCTTTAA	This study
<i>axe2A</i> CONF (5')	GGTGGTAAGCTTATTGCGGATATGCAG	This study
<i>axe2A</i> CONF (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGACAAAAGGCCTGCAA	This study
Δ <i>bg135A</i> CONF (5')	CGTAGCAAGTACCTGAT	This study
Δ <i>bg135A</i> CONF (3')	GTACCACGGTTTTCCCTC	This study
<i>bg135A</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTTCTAGATTGCCACACCGATA	This study
<i>bg135A</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTGGATCCCAATGACGTTCAAAT	This study
<i>cel5C</i> KO (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCAGCGTGGCGTGAA	This study
<i>cel5C</i> KO (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGAGATATGCGCCCTT	This study
<i>cel5C</i> CONF (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCAGCGGCTGTTATC	This study
<i>cel5C</i> CONF (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGAGTTCCAGGCAATGC	This study
<i>cel9B</i> KO (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCGCAGGTTGTGGCA	This study
<i>cel9B</i> KO (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGAGTTGTAGTCACCCG	This study
<i>cel9B</i> CONF (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCGGGTCCGATAAG	This study
<i>cel9B</i> CONF (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGACATACCCTGCCGTA	This study
Δ <i>man26C</i> CONF (5')	GTGGCAAATACGCCCA	This study
Δ <i>man26C</i> CONF (3')	CAGCGACTTGTCCAG	This study
<i>man26C</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTTCTAGAACCAGTCGCCGTTAT	This study
<i>man26C</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTGGATCCCTCCCCTGATTGATAC	This study
Δ <i>xy131A</i> CONF (5')	TGTAGCTGAGCCATTG	This study
Δ <i>xy131A</i> CONF (3')	TACCAGCCCTACCTG	This study
<i>xy131A</i> INT (5')	GGTGGTGAATTCTGAGCTTCCGTGATG	This study
<i>xy131A</i> INT (3')	GGTGGTTCTAGAATTTCCGGTGGTAGCT	This study
P#4 (GENERAL KO PRIMER) (3')	CAGGCGCTCGTAGAC	(Gardner & Keating, 2010)
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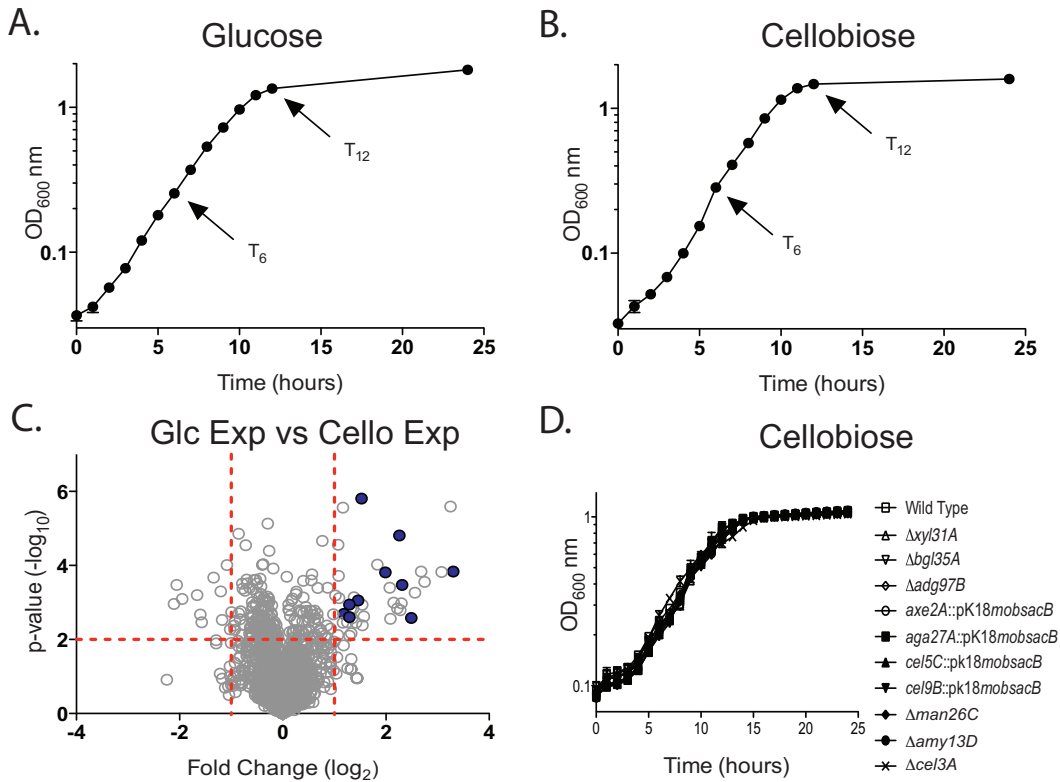
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Fig. S1. All β -glucosidase mutants can grow as wild type on glucose. Single (A), double (B), triple, and quadruple (C) deletions were grown with (0.25%) glucose as the sole carbon source. Experiments were performed in biological triplicate and error bars represent standard deviation. These growth experiments were performed simultaneously, but are separated into multiple panels for clarity. As a consequence, the control strains (wild type and Δgsp) are repeated in each panel.

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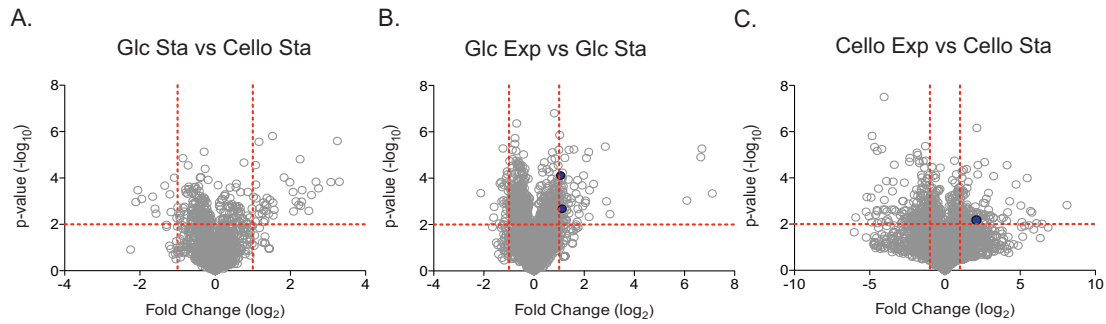
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Fig. S2. *C. japonicus* CAZyme genes identified as up-regulated during exponential growth on cellobiose when compared to growth on glucose displayed no growth defects on cellobiose when deleted individually. Samples for RNAseq were taken during growth on 0.5% glucose (A) and 0.25% cellobiose (B) during exponential growth (Exp) and stationary phase (Sta) as indicated by the arrows. Genes up-regulated during exponential growth on cellobiose compared to exponential growth on glucose were identified using a volcano plot (C). The fold change (log₂ scale) is plotted on the x-axis and the p-value (-log₁₀ scale) is plotted on the y-axis. The red dashed lines indicate the significance cut-off values. Each gray circle represents a gene, and the blue-filled circles represent an up-regulated CAZyme gene. Single mutants were made of each of the up-regulated CAZyme genes and growth analysis was performed on 0.5% cellobiose (D). These growth experiments were performed in biological triplicate and error bars represent standard deviation, but in most cases are too small to be observed.

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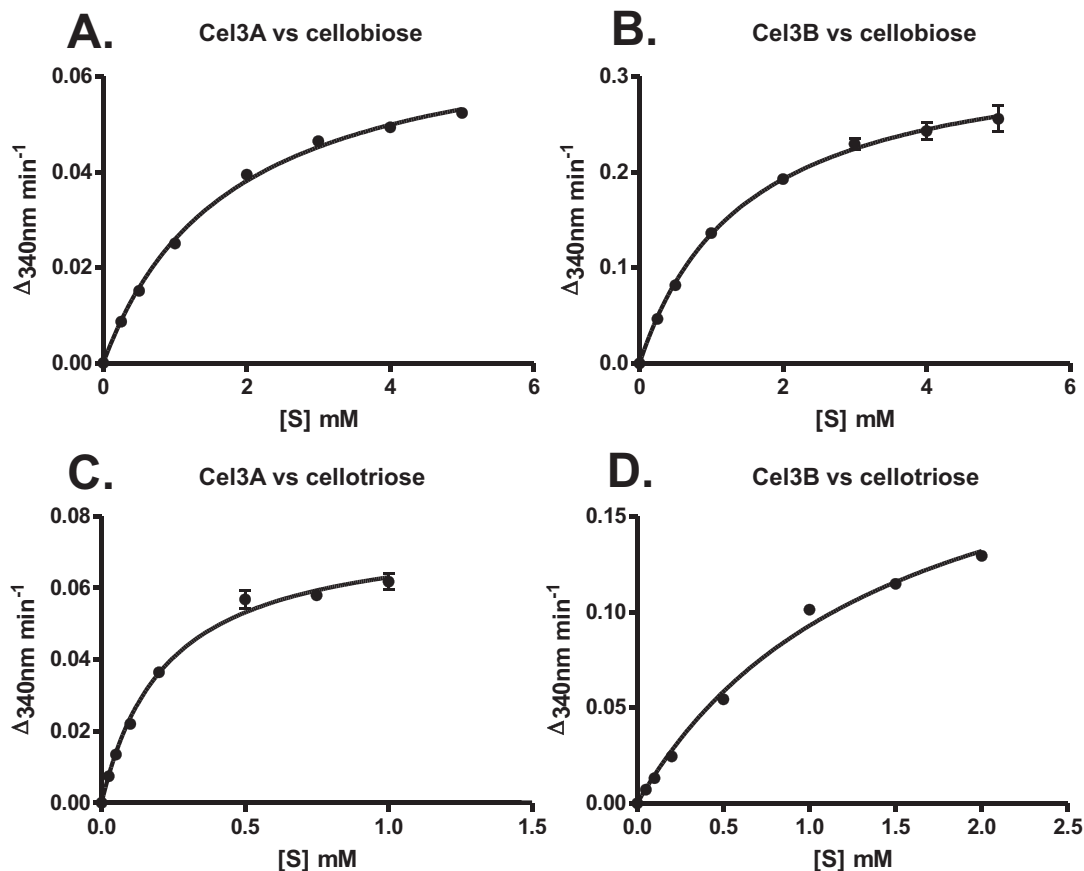
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Fig. S3. Control RNAseq experiments identify CAZyme genes regulated by growth phase. RNAseq expression data from growth during stationary phase (Sta) on (0.5%) glucose was compared to stationary phase on (0.25%) cellobiose (A). Expression data from exponential growth on (0.5%) glucose was compared to stationary phase on (0.5%) glucose. Both *amy13J* and *gly57A* genes were significantly up-regulated, and represented as blue closed circles (B). Expression data from exponential phase during growth on (0.25%) cellobiose was compared to stationary phase on (0.25%) cellobiose. The up-regulated CAZyme gene, as indicated by a blue circle, was *cel3B* (C). The fold change (log₂ scale) is plotted on the x-axis and the p-value (-log₁₀ scale) is plotted on the y-axis. The red dashed lines indicate the significance cut-off values. Each gray circle represents a single *C. japonicus* gene.



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Fig. S4. Example of kinetic graphs for Cel3A and Cel3B. The enzymes were produced in recombinant form from *E. coli* and purified by electrophoretic homogeneity by IMAC. The assays were carried out using the Megazyme International Glucose Detection Kit. Assays were carried in 20 mM sodium phosphate pH 7.5 at 37 °C. The concentrations of enzyme used in the assays were as follows: Cel3A was at 50 nM and 10 nM against cellobiose and cellotriose, respectively; Cel3B was at 5 nM and 50 nM against cellobiose and cellotriose, respectively. The y-axes report the mM concentration of glucose produced per min. The assays used three technical replicates. Error bars represent the standard error of the mean, though in some cases are too small to be seen on the graph. Additional details on the kinetic experiments can be found in Table 2.

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