

TABLE S1.

Complete list of *E. coli* K-12 mutants tested in this study and their impact on HS-SPME/GC-MS propanol signal.

Mutants with no or strongly impaired¹ 1-propanol HS-SPME/GC-MS signal
<i>adhE, tdcB, crp, cyaA, fnr, tdcC, tdcE</i>
Mutants with partial² 1-propanol HS-SPME/GC-MS signal
<i>rng, nadB</i>
Mutants with wild-type³ 1-propanol HS-SPME/GC-MS signal
<i>eutG, fucO, yqhD, yiaY, glpQ, ackA, atoA, atoD, ilvI, ilvB, tynA, ilvA, leuA, mhpE, gldA, gcl, yfdU, poxB, tdh, ydjG, pta, tdcD, pflB, thrB, rcsB, pspF, phoP, slyA, evgA, lexA, rpoS, hns, arcA, soxR, cpxR, oxyR, aspC, luxS, relA, recA, fruR, ltaE, kbl, fis</i>

In bold: mutants with severe biofilm formation defect preventing meaningful comparison with wild-type 1-propanol production in biofilm conditions.

¹ <30% of WT HS-SPME/GC-MS signal

² 30-80% of WT HS-SPME/GC-MS signal

³ ≥85% of WT HS-SPME/GC-MS signal