

**Title:** Comparative genomics of *Lactobacillus kefiranofaciens* ZW3 and related members of *Lactobacillus*. spp reveal adaptations to dairy and gut environments

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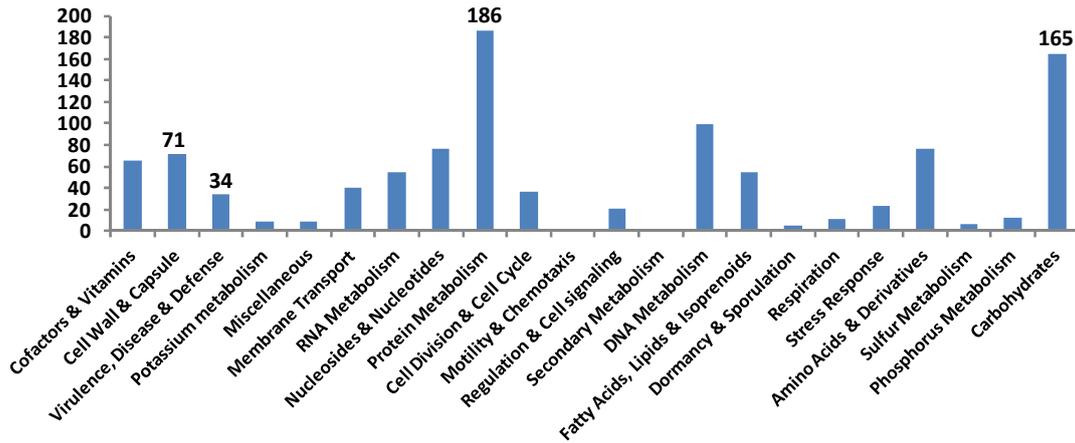


Fig. S1 Categorical distribution of the *Lactobacillus kefiranofaciens* ZW3 genome.

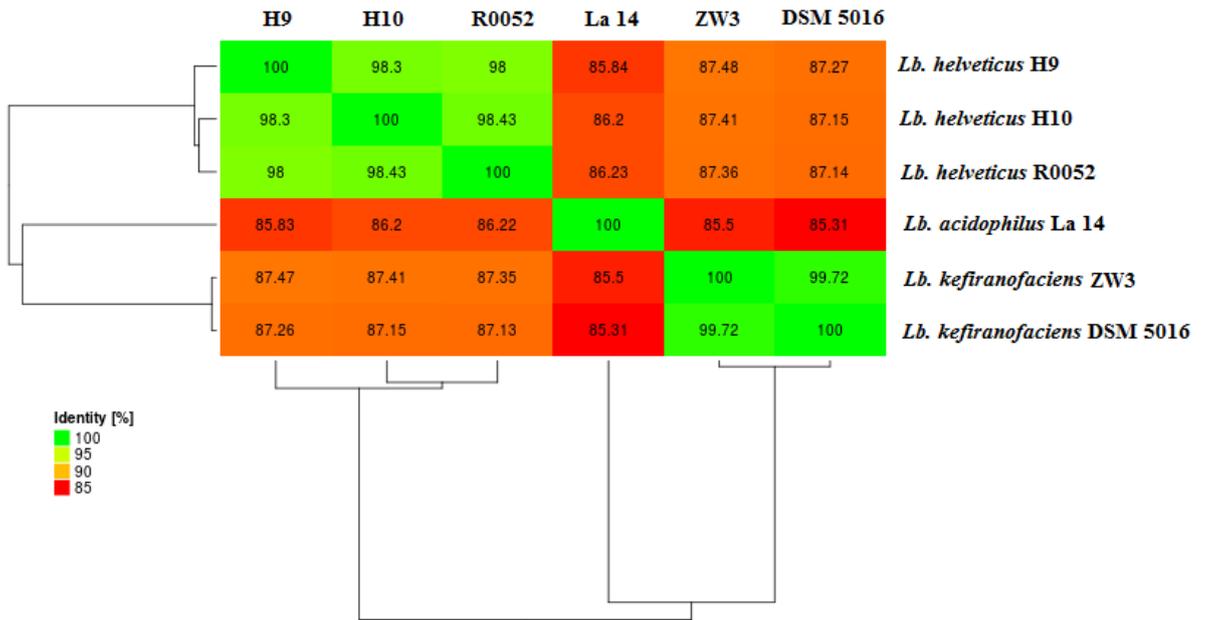


Fig. S3 Genomic heatmap based on AAI. The green colour represents a higher degree of similarity, and the red colour represents lower similarity.

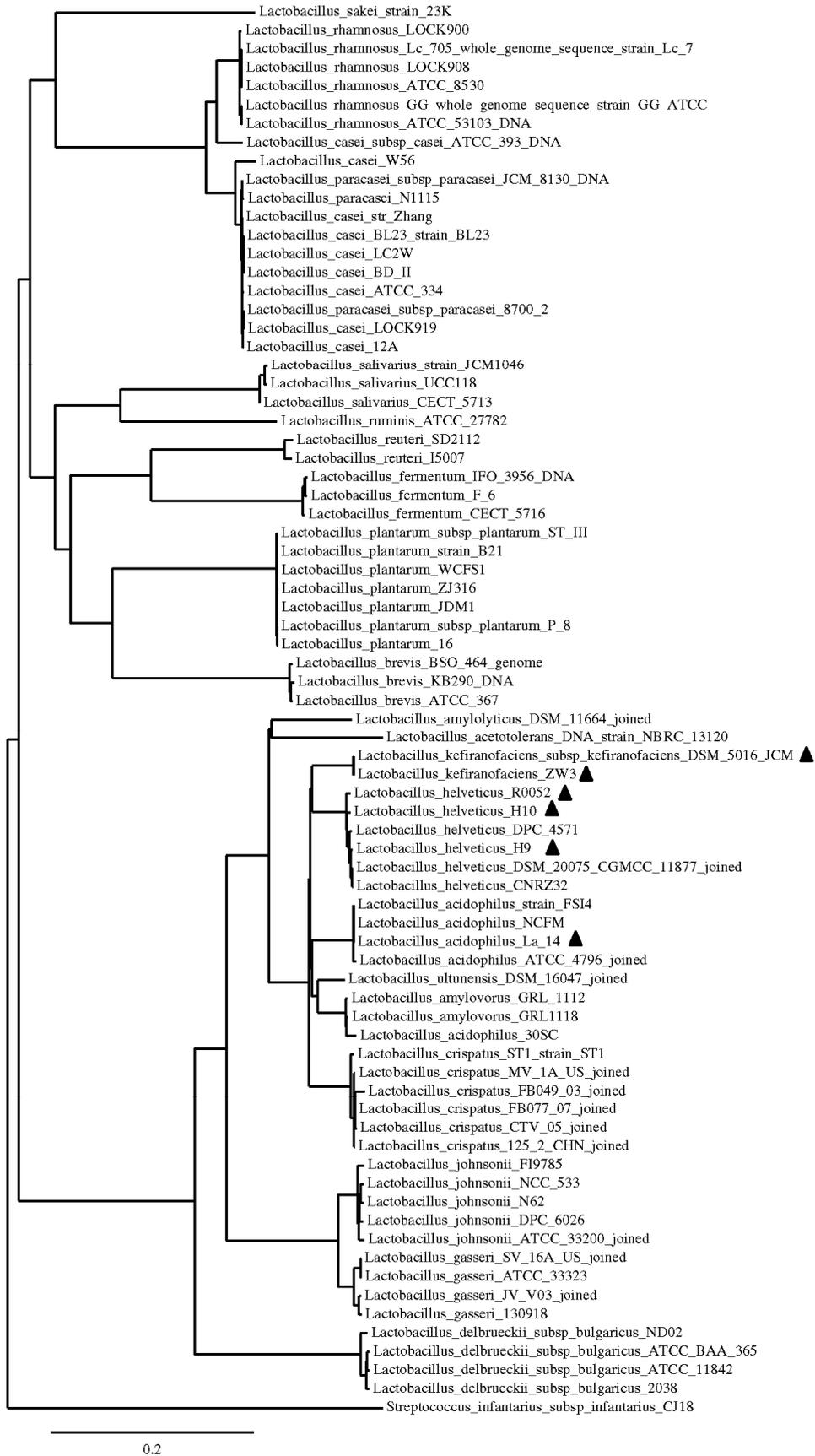


Fig. S2 Construction of a phylogenetic tree.

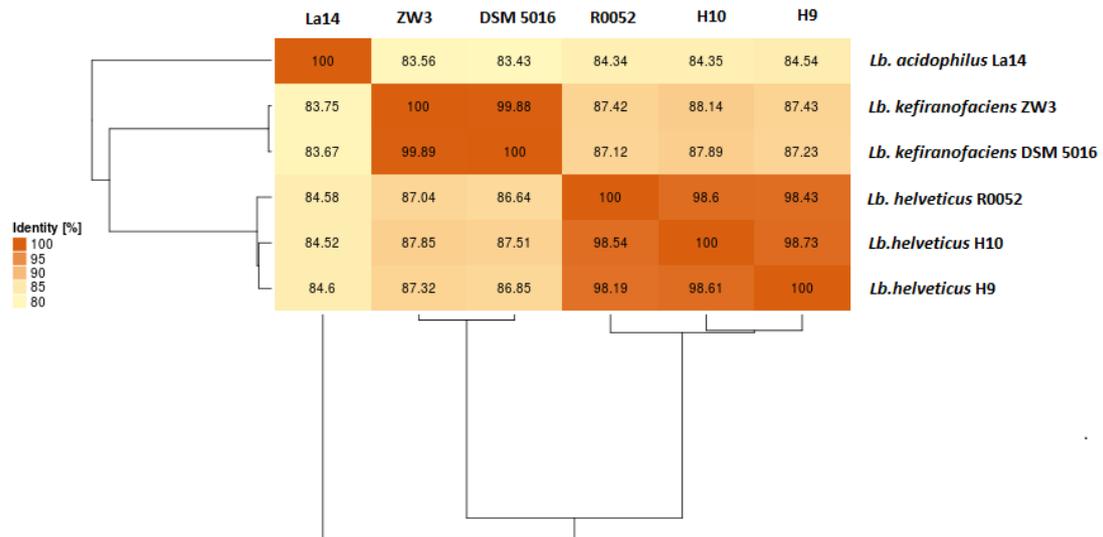


Fig. S4 Genomic heatmap based on ANI. The dark brown color represents a higher degree of similarity, and the light brown color represents lower similarity.

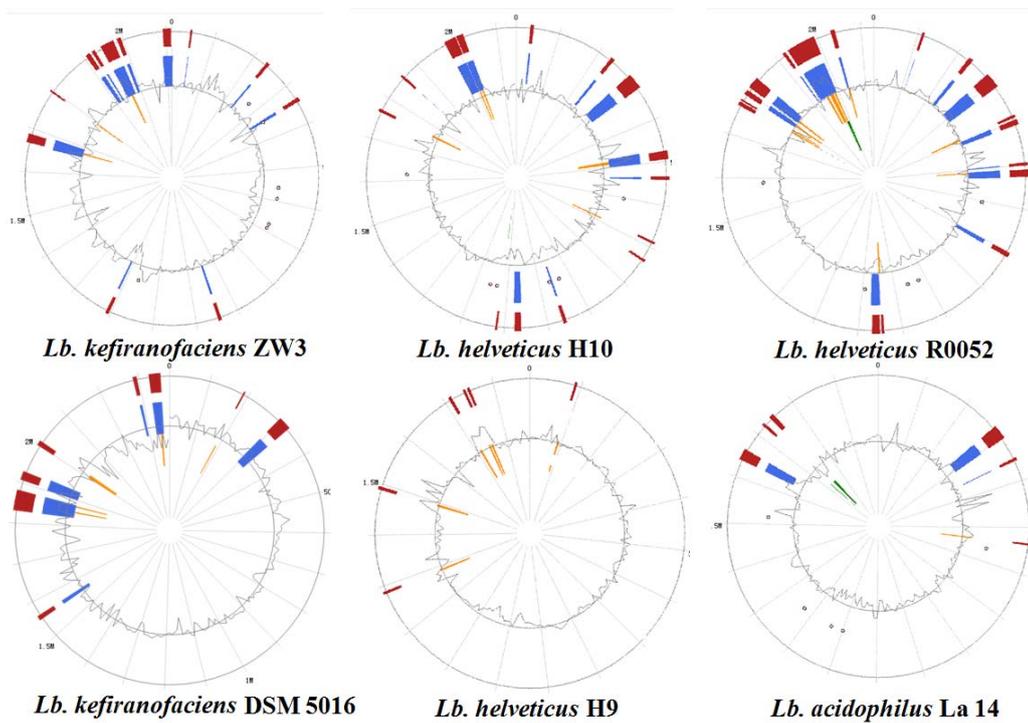


Fig. S5 GI analysis results.

(1. Predicted by at least one method (red); 2. predicted by IslandPath-DIMOB (blue); predicted by SIGI-HMM (yellow); predicted by IslandPick (green)).

Table S1 Comparison of old and new information on genes involved in sialic acid and extracellular polysaccharide synthesis

| Function  | Re-annotation  | Previous ID                            | Previous annotation  |
|---|--|--|--|
| EPS production  | glycerol-3-phosphate cytidyltransferase  | WANG_1283                              | glycerol-3-phosphate cytidyltransferase                      |
|   | <i>epsIM</i> putative glycosyltransferase lipopolysaccharide                           | WANG_1284                              | <i>EpsIM</i> , possible glycosyltransferase                  |
|   | cholinephosphotransferase  | WANG_1285                              | LPS biosynthesis protein                                     |
|   | <i>LicD1</i>   |  |  |
|   | membrane protein involved in the export of O-antigen, teichoic acid lipoteichoic acids | WANG_1286                              | <i>EpsN</i>  |
|   | beta-1,3-glycosyltransferase   | WANG_1287                              | possible glycosyltransferase<br><i>WchA</i>                  |
|   | hypothetical protein   | WANG_1288                              | hypothetical protein   |
|   | hypothetical protein   | WANG_1289                              | hypothetical protein   |
|   | maltose O-acetyltransferase  | WANG_1290                              | hypothetical protein   |
|   | 2,3,4,5-tetrahydropyridine-2,6-dicarboxylate N-acetyltransferase                       | WANG_1291                              | hypothetical protein   |
|   | glycosyltransferase  | WANG_1292                              | possible glycosyltransferase protein                         |
|   | glycosyl transferase <i>CpsG</i>   | WANG_1293                              | Glycosyl transferase family protein                          |
|   | UDP-N-acetylglucosamine:LPS N-acetylglucosamine transferase                            | WANG_1294                              | UDP-N-acetylglucosamine:LP S N-acetylglucosamine transferase |
|   | undecaprenyl-phosphate galactosephosphotransferase                                     | WANG_1295                              | possible sugar-transferase                                   |
|   | manganese-dependent protein-tyrosine phosphatase                                       | WANG_1296                              | exopolysaccharide biosynthesis protein                       |
|   | tyrosine-protein kinase <i>EpsD</i>  | WANG_1297                              | capsular polysaccharide biosynthesis protein                 |
| tyrosine-protein kinase transmembrane modulator <i>EpsC</i> | WANG_1298  | exopolysaccharide biosynthesis protein |  |

Table S1 Comparison of old and new information on genes involved in sialic acid and extracellular polysaccharide synthesis

| Function               | Re-annotation  | Previous ID | Previous annotation                                     |
|------------------------|--|-------------|---|
| EPS production         | transcriptional regulator                              | WANG_1299   | exopolysaccharide biosynthesis protein                  |
| sialic acid metabolism | PTS system, N-acetylglucosamine-specific IIA component | -           | -   |
|                        | PTS system, mannose-specific IIB component             | WANG_1202   | protein-N(Pi)-phosphohistidine-sugar phosphotransferase |
|                        | glucosamine-1-phosphate N-acetyltransferase            | WANG_1843   | bifunctional protein <i>glmU</i>                        |
|                        | glucosamine-6-phosphate deaminase                      | WANG_1498   | glucosamine-6-phosphate deaminase                       |
|                        | glucosamine--fructose-6-phosphate aminotransferase     | WANG_1196   | Glutamine-fructose-6-phosphate transaminase             |
|                        | UDP-N-acetylglucosamine 2-epimerase                    | WANG_1027   | UDP-N-acetylglucosamine 2-epimerase                     |
|                        | PTS system, N-acetylglucosamine-specific IIB component | WANG_1036   | PTS enzyme II, ABC component                            |
|                        | phosphoglucosamine mutase                              | WANG_0939   | phosphoglucosamine mutase                               |
|                        | PTS system, N-acetylglucosamine-specific IIC component | -           | -   |
|                        | N-acetylglucosamine-1-phosphate uridylyltransferase    | WANG_1843   | bifunctional protein <i>glmU</i>                        |
|                        | N-acetylglucosamine-6-phosphate deacetylase            | WANG_1700   | N-acetylglucosamine-6-P deacetylase                     |
|                        | sialic acid utilization regulator, <i>RpiR</i> family  | WANG_1549   | transcriptional regulator                               |

Table S2 Information for experimental bacterial strains

| Strains                          | Application      | Source           |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <i>L. kefiranofaciens</i> ZW3    | Subject          | Laboratory stock |
| <i>L. kefiranofaciens</i> XL10   | Control          | Laboratory stock |
| <i>L. bulgaricus</i> CGMCC1.2161 | Control          | Laboratory stock |
| <i>E. coli</i> 442               | Indicator strain | Laboratory stock |
| <i>E. aerogenes</i> 435          | Indicator strain | Laboratory stock |
| <i>M. luteus</i> 444             | Indicator strain | Laboratory stock |
| <i>B. subtilis</i> 438           | Indicator strain | Laboratory stock |
| <i>S. enteritidis</i> 440        | Indicator strain | Laboratory stock |
| <i>S. mutans</i> 377             | Indicator strain | Laboratory stock |

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| Strains                            | Source                           | Accession No. |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| <i>Lb. kefiranofaciens</i> ZW3     | Kefir grains                     | CP002764.1    |
| <i>Lb. helveticus</i> H9           | Kurut                            | CP002427.1    |
| <i>Lb. helveticus</i> H10          | Tibet traditional fermented milk | CP002429.1    |
| <i>Lb. helveticus</i> R0052        | Sweet acidophilus milk           | CP003799      |
| <i>Lb. kefiranofaciens</i> DSM5016 | Kefir grains                     | AZGG00000000  |
| <i>Lb. acidophilus</i> La14        | Human                            | CP005926.2    |

Table. S3 Gene names, primers and amplification characteristics of RT-qPCR

| Gene                | Function                         | Primer sequences forward-reverse<br>(5'-3')        | T <sub>m</sub><br>(°C) | Product<br>length<br>(bp) | Position in genome  |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| <i>pgi</i>          | glucose-6-phosphate<br>isomerase | F: CAATTGCTTGCACCATTAC<br>R: CCCTTACCAATACGCTGC    | 55                     | 115                       | CP002764.1<br>992875-994212   |
| <i>pgm</i>          | α-phosphoglucose<br>mutase       | F: TCAAGTGTTTCATTGCGAAGC<br>R: TTAAACCATTTGCCCGTG  | 55                     | 225                       | CP002764.1<br>1052405-1054129   |
| <i>ugp</i>          | UDP-glucose<br>pyrophosphorylase | F: ACGTCCAGGCTTTTGATTG<br>R: GTAATGCAAGTGCCCTCACG  | 55                     | 201                       | CP002764.1<br>1120436-1121335   |
| <i>uge</i>          | UDP-galactose<br>4-epimerase     | F: AAATGTGGGCGTCGATTAAG<br>R: GAAGAGTGCCCTTTCTGGTG | 55                     | 119                       | CP002764.1<br>302118-303110   |
| <i>mpi</i>          | Mannose-6-phosphate<br>isomerase | F: TAGTCAAGGCGTGAATGGTG<br>R: TATGCAAGCAGATCCAGGTG | 55                     | 170                       | CP002764.1<br>999858-1000823  |
| <i>16S<br/>rRNA</i> | 16S ribosomal RNA                | F: AAGCTGTCGCTAAAGGATG<br>R: GTCCCAATGTGGCCGATC    | 55                     | 111                       | CP002764.1<br>1350795-1352205;<br>125360-126770;<br>142503- 143913;<br>1818497- 1819907 |

Table S4 Genes involved in the metabolism of different carbohydrates

| Carbohydrates                                | Genes  | R0052  | H10 | H9 | La 14 | DSM 5016 | ZW3 |
|--|--|--|-----|----|-------|----------|-----|
|  |  | Number   |     |    |       |          |     |
| Lactose and galactose                        | Beta-galactosidase   | 2  | 2   | 2  | 2     | 1        | 1   |
|  | Lactose and galactose permease, GPH translocator family                    | 6  | 6   | 5  | 1     | 2        | 3   |
|  | UDP-glucose 4-epimerase  | 1  | 1   | 1  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
|  | Galactokinase  | 1  | 1   | 1  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
|  | Aldose 1-epimerase   | 1  | 1   | 1  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
|  | Galactose operon repressor, GalR-LacI family of transcriptional regulators | 1  | 1   | 1  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
|  | Galactose-1-phosphate uridylyltransferase                                  | 3  | 4   | 3  | 3     | 3        | 3   |
|  | Alpha-galactosidase  | -  | 1   | 2  | 1     | 3        | 4   |
|  | Trehalose  | 1,4-alpha-glucan (glycogen) branching enzyme, GH-13-type | 1   | -  | -     | 1        | 1   |
| Trehalose phosphorylase                      |  | 1  | 1   | -  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
| PTS system, trehalose-specific IIC component |  | 1  | 1   | -  | 1     | -        | -   |
| Trehalose-6-phosphate hydrolase              |  | 1  | 2   | -  | 1     | -        | -   |
| Beta-phosphoglucomutase                      |  | 1  | 1   | -  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
| Maltose-6'-phosphate glucosidase             |  | 1  | 1   | -  | 1     | 1        | 1   |
| Trehalose operon transcriptional repressor   |  | 1  | 1   | -  | 1     | -        | -   |
| PTS system, trehalose-specific IIB component |  | 1  | 1   | -  | 1     | -        | -   |
| Glucoside                                    |  | PTS system, cellobiose-specific IIB component            | 1   | -  | -     |          |     |
|  | Outer surface protein of unknown function, cellobiose operon               | 1  | -   | -  | 3     | -        | -   |
|  | 6-phospho-beta-glucosidase   | 5  | -   | -  | 8     | -        | -   |
|  | PTS system, cellobiose-specific IIC component                              | 2  | -   | -  | 9     | -        | -   |

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|-----------------------------------|--|--------|-----|----|-------|-------------|-----|
|                                   |  | Number |     |    |       |             |     |
| Glucose                           | PTS system, beta-glucoside-specific IIB component                          | 1      | -   | -  | 5     | -           | -   |
|                                   | Beta-glucosidase   | 1      | -   | -  | 2     | -           | -   |
|                                   | PTS system, beta-glucoside-specific IIA component                          | -      | -   | -  | 4     | -           | -   |
|                                   | PTS system, cellobiose-specific IIA component                              | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |
|                                   | Cellobiose phosphotransferase system YdjC-like protein                     | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |
|                                   | Beta-glucoside bgl operon antiterminator, BglG family                      | -      | -   | -  | 3     | -           | -   |
| Sucrose                           | Sucrose phosphorylase  | 2      | -   | -  | 2     | 1           | 2   |
|                                   | Sucrose operon repressor ScrR, LacI family                                 | 1      | 1   | 2  | 1     | 1           | 1   |
|                                   | PTS system, sucrose-specific IIC component                                 | 2      | 3   | 2  | 2     | 2           | 3   |
|                                   | PTS system, sucrose-specific IIA component                                 | 1      | 1   | 1  | 1     | 1           | 1   |
|                                   | PTS system, sucrose-specific IIB component                                 | 2      | 3   | 2  | 2     | 2           | 3   |
|                                   | Fructokinase   | 1      | 1   | 1  | 1     | 1           | 1   |
|                                   | Sucrose-6-phosphate hydrolase  | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |
| Oligosaccharides<br>and raffinose | Raffinose operon transcriptional regulatory protein RafR                   | -      | -   | -  | 1     | 1           | 1   |
|                                   | Alpha-galactosidase  | -      | -   | -  | 1     | 3           | 4   |
|                                   | Sucrose phosphorylase  | -      | -   | -  | 2     | 1           | 2   |
|                                   | Multiple sugar ABC transporter, membrane-spanning permease<br>protein MsmG | -      | -   | -  | 2     | 1           | 2   |
|                                   | Glucan 1,6-alpha-glucosidase   | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |
|                                   | Beta-glucosidase   | -      | -   | -  | 2     | 1           | 1   |

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|--------------------------------|--|--------|-----|----|-------|------|-----|
|                                |  |        |     |    |       | 5016 |     |
|                                |  | Number |     |    |       |      |     |
| Oligosaccharides and raffinose | MSM (multiple sugar metabolism) operon regulatory protein                        | -      | -   | -  | 2     | 2    | 2   |
|                                | Sucrose-6-phosphate hydrolase  | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -    | -   |
|                                | Multiple sugar ABC transporter, ATP-binding protein                              | -      | -   | -  | 2     | 2    | 2   |
|                                | Multiple sugar ABC transporter, membrane-spanning permease protein MsmF          | -      | -   | -  | 2     | 1    | 1   |
| Maltose and maltodextrin       | Multiple sugar ABC transporter, substrate-binding protein                        | -      | -   | -  | -     | 1    | 2   |
|                                | Oligo-1,6-glucosidase  | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1    | 2   |
|                                | Maltose/maltodextrin ABC transporter, permease protein MalF                      | 1      | 1   | -  | -     | -    | 1   |
|                                | Maltose-6'-phosphate glucosidase   | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1    | 2   |
|                                | Neopullulanase   | 2      | 1   | -  | 2     | 2    | 3   |
|                                | Maltose/maltodextrin ABC transporter, substrate binding periplasmic protein MalE | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 2    | 2   |
|                                | Glycogen phosphorylase   | 1      | -   | -  | 1     | 1    | 1   |
|                                | Maltose phosphorylase  | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1    | 1   |
|                                | Maltose O-acetyltransferase  | 1      | 1   | -  |       | 1    | 1   |
|                                | Aldose 1-epimerase   | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1    | 1   |
|                                | Beta-phosphoglucomutase  | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1    | 1   |
|                                | Maltodextrin glucosidase   | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | -    | 1   |
|                                | Maltose operon transcriptional repressor MalR, LacI family                       | 1      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1    | 1   |
|                                | Multiple sugar ABC transporter, ATP-binding protein                              | 1      | 1   | -  | 2     | 2    | 2   |

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|-----------------------------|--|--------|-----|----|-------|-------------|-----|
|                             |  | Number |     |    |       |             |     |
| Maltose and<br>maltodextrin | Maltose/maltodextrin ABC transporter, permease protein MalG  | -      | 1   | -  | 1     | 1           | 1   |
|                             | Pullulanase  | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |
|                             | Maltose/maltodextrin transport ATP-binding protein MalK  | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |
|                             | Maltose/maltodextrin ABC transporter, permease protein MalF  | -      | -   | -  | 1     | 1           | -   |
|                             | Mlc, transcriptional repressor of MalT (the transcriptional activator<br>of maltose regulon) and the manXYZ operon | -      | -   | -  | 1     | -           | -   |