

Supplementary Figure 1 Pof8 and Lsm3 bind to non-telomeric sites.

(a-d) Quantitative real-time PCR ChIP analysis to monitor association of Trt1, Pof8 and Lsm3 in indicated genetic backgrounds at (a) *ars2004*, (b) *non-ARS*, (c) $ade6^+$ and (d) $his1^+$. (See **Supplementary Table 4** for primers used in PCR.) Plots show mean values plus/minus SEM from at least 5 independent experiments. Raw data and statistical analysis are available in **Supplementary Dataset**.

S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	MFVPRQLNVRKIKAFTGKENNSIADGNNNK KDEHYKHNEASKEPSHSIS-GGLMLNQQDRQLIPFNPPF MFVPRQVNVRNLTRRPSISNKTPVDQEHKSINGSTSTSSTRLARSAFKNINDUKPPF MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPTDKENENT-SSS MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPTDKENENT-SSS MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPDKENENT-SSS MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPQKTEKNDUKPPF MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPDKENENT-SSS MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPDKENENT-SSS MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPQKTEKNDUKPF MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTPQKTEKNDUSQVF MFVPRQVNIRNKPAK-THISKHTP	70 58 57 73 71 68 38 70 53
S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	71 59 58 74 72 69 39 71 54	I SAVDSILLETYFHR	127 115 114 132 138 139 112 139 130
S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	128 116 115 133 139 140 113 140 131	HF DNSSHMVIRNENIVL PLDTPLYDRITYVEPVPATLSNKSLL TAGKJEKY TF DESSISTIRMEYK DPNLDLERIVYVEPVPATLSNKSFM TAGLIREC TF DEGSHFIIKNENK-F DFNLDLFERIVYVEPVPATLSNKEFM TAGLIREC SF DENTHVRNBAFPS PRTASMDRIVYVEPVPATLSNKEFL TAGLIREC EI SADGHVRQRELPFN PLIGTDEMTYVEPVPAKLTDDALD VAVARKE QI SQDGHTRLSST PRIPIESST PRIPIESST QI SQDGHTRLSST PRIPIESST PRIPIESTYPESVSNATTRTPC QI SQDGHTRLSST PRIPIESTYPESVSNATTRTPC PRIPIESTYPESVSNATTRTPC QI SVDKYYTRRCEYLASSRSPAGHPKCSEDSTYTEPHVTCITL NPGSARSLESS ARFMINTLPPPSSQS EVRILFTEPSQGDWNDPDAQMESEQGEDAGGYETRRKTWHSIKD AHPLWGTAWEGTTYVESIPARSLESS ARFMINTLPPPSPSQS EVRILVSEPSSSAWSGKR DTARDIGAMEVRRETQA-RP-SRTYSRQDWEDRTYVESIPVQYRSIEATMHTLPPPSPSQS La-Motif? RRM1	178 165 164 183 189 187 168 228 212
S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	179 166 165 184 190 188 169 229 213		227 214 213 232 241 240 221 318 294
S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	228 215 214 233 242 241 222 319 295	NR BEKMFENQ HLUKASSSDVSN-SSIS-FPENRYPKLTKVEKQMTKSVSKTSQTDKDEDNLD TKNILTRIKNIH KREKMYM YQADTMKSSSSAFFTEIIITM S-FRTMPDRASSSSVKYPESSERQFEPLEDDCKKSQTKHSESKRSP KOLLTRI KREMYM YQNNS KYPKTYFT-VESLQK QNQAVLSSPTNQEHHKHPLEALEDSSESKSKIPKNEGEFPRGHITRINLH KREMYM ICIIGSKRATQRLQQ-SQARRN GALVRNSNLSPSPDPTKSPHHENPSLDSNYPKGHITRICNLH RDVEYQRLIQSDYDALRRRRVSPERRRE GRLTPPREVGRLTPPPLPSLPPKSRPASTSTPTPYEKGLTHUSHL KRDAMMK KRHEALQARLA-SHHVREMANAPPIIPKHTFEFGLTVHITNIH KRDEYQHLRCRRPSPARITSPARITASVQQMWSDLPIFPTVPVDPASVREGDQKMNADYESGIVYTUTNIH KRDEYLLSYRELLAEINAFQDATERPVP-TLPVPNPKAETAITN-HAAPAPLEPPRLDNTSPYFFNSLIFVRNIH RRM1-C Y330 R343	301 301 295 305 320 290 298 387 368
S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	302 302 296 306 321 291 299 388 369	PLTNKSTT HSM SYVESROTONIACEPM TDYRKDETEAL RWKTELHAETC NAFRTOERKONSHDDT PLTNKSTT OSLLRYVESROTP	370 370 364 373 410 371 378 452 437
		390 [∆390-402]	
S.pombe S.cryophilus S.octsporus S.japonicus Saitoella Pyronema Tuber Botryobasidium Termitomyces	371 371 365 374 411 372 379 453 438	RAHRKKGSSRPFLIAELITGEBEKNYWRMIKK RAHRKHNKTGPFISAELVEGSEBESYWNLIYGKVKI RAHRKHNKTGPFISAELIEGFEBESYWNQIORKLKK VGIRTA-SED VDAELIAGSEBASYWCIPPKRR KGTSVGENS-ERKYVGNVLEGERBRIYWEM EDAKTKGKRKRK-AGDQDRSRAVESVGEVQQLVVNKAKGTHMKFD KGKKEKDGYVGCRLEGCPBRIYWEM EDAKTKGKRKRK-AGDQDRSRAVESVGEVQQLVVNKAKGTHMKFD KGKKVTNDSGRDNWKATNVEGNEBRIYWEM EEVMGWGKGGAGQGVKALSAGLATVNLRGTVKRPRTGTGSSPDCLGKKGKFEEMLA KGKKVTNDSGRDNWKATNVEGNEBRIYWE GRVASGDERPIIAELVVGKREJYWERVPEKVRRESVLKARIGAGGHDAGGAGNEPEGGSGPRKRRRKRG TGKPSDGTSPPULMELVPGKREQLYWEKVPEKVRRQAVQAKALASVQDASALNVGNGRGDEDGCEGEGDTRKRKRRRR XRRM2	402 406 400 405 485 455 407 523 514

Supplementary Figure 2 Sequence alignment of fungal Pof8-like proteins.

Proteins that show homology to fission yeast Pof8 were initially identified by PSH-BLAST (Position-Specific Iterated BLAST) at NCBI (https://blast.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Blast.cgi) after 3rd iterations using *S. pombe* Pof8 sequence. (Accession numbers for fungal Pof8-like proteins used in alignment are listed in **Supplementary Table 5**.) Multiple sequence alignment was generated by Clustal Omega¹. Highly conserved residues within the xRRM domain that have been implicated in RNA recognition²⁻⁴ are highlighted with colored background. Amino acid residues that show at least 50% conservation among aligned sequences are highlighted in black (identical residues) or gray (similar residues, grouped as GAVLI, FYW, CM, ST, KRH, DENQ, and P). Regions corresponding to putative La-motif, RRM1 and xRRM2 are marked. In addition, the region previously suggested to correspond to F-box in *S. pombe* Pof8⁵ is indicated.



Supplementary Figure 3 Sequence alignment for the N-terminal region of Pof8 and LARP7 family proteins. (a) Sequence alignment of N-terminal regions that correspond to La-motif and RRM1 motif from Pof8 proteins from *Schizosacchromyces* species (*S. pombe, S. cryophilus, S. octsporus,* and *S. japonicus*), LARP7 proteins (*Drosophila, Xenopus,* mouse, and human), *Euplotes* p43, and *Tetrahymena* p65. Residues within the La-motif that are important for recognition of poly(U) sequence in human LARP7⁶ are indicated with red colored square with Asterisk (*) mark. Amino acid residues that show at least 50% conservation among aligned sequences are highlighted in black (identical residues) or gray. The secondary structures for the human LARP7⁶ La-motif and RRM1, and the putative F-box in *S. pombe* Pof8⁵ are also indicated. (b) Alignment for additional region of homology C-terminal to RMM1 (RRM-C) among fission yeast Pof8, fungal Pof8-like proteins, and LARP7 family proteins from indicated species. This region of mammalian LARP7 has previously been identified to show homology to the α 3 helix region of RRM1 in genuine La proteins⁶. The secondary structure of a genuine La protein for this region is also indicated.

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Supplementary Figure 4 TER1 RNA expression in $ccq1\Delta$, $trt1\Delta$, and $est1\Delta$ cells. TER1 RNA expression levels were normalized to $his1^+$ mRNA expression. Error bars correspond to SEM from at least 3 independent experiments, and raw data and statistical analysis are available in **Supplementary Dataset**.



Supplementary Figure 5 Effect of *pof8Δ* on ARRET/αARRET expression.

(a) A schematic diagram indicating various poly(A)-tailed IncRNA species expressed at fission yeast telomere/sub-telomere regions^{7,8}. Locations of primers used in RT reaction (oligo-dT) and subsequent quantitative PCR analysis (oF2 and oR2) to specifically monitor ARRET and α ARRET, but not poly(A)+TERRA are indicated, along with primers that potentially detect all three type of poly(A)-tailed IncRNAs (oF1 and oR1) (**Supplementary Table 4**). (b) Expression levels of ARRET/ α ARRET is not greatly affected by *pof8Δ* mutation. Expression levels of telomeic transcripts were normalized to *his1*⁺ mRNA. Error bars correspond to SEM from at least 5 independent experiments. Raw data and statistical analysis are available in **Supplementary Dataset**.

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Supplementary Figure 6: Uncropped western blot gels for indicated main figures. Areas of gels shown in main figures are marked with dashed boxes. Sizes of protein molecular weight markers (kDa) are also indicated.

Supplementary Table 1: Fission yeast strains used in this study.			
Figure	Strain		Full Genotype
1a	TN2411	wt	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN12119	pof8∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX6
	AM17672	pof8 Δ trt1 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1-2::his3⁺ pof8∆::kanMX6
	TN17261	pof8∆ rad52∆*	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 rad52∆-D2::LEU2 pof8∆::kanMX6
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	IN12119		n+ ieu1-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 ροτδΔ::KanMX6
	AG14003	1272	11-16U1-32 Ura4-DTo au60-11/210 U1053-DT 1821-21014 b Jour 20 ura4-DTo bio2 DT 1521 2ura4-bio260/ukanMV6
	XTC0370	ρ018Δ 182 1Δ rap1 A	h = 1001-32 ura4-D10 1185-D1 taz 1-2ura4 polodkaliwi.vo
	AM17700	$rap 1\Delta$	h-leu1-32 ura4-D10 miso-D1 rap1ura4 h-leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 rap1:ura4* nof8A::kanMX6
	VTC8555	port A	h+ lau1-32 ura4-D18 bic3-D1 no 3 math/X6
	AM17701	pozia pof8A poziA	h-lau1-22 ura4-D18 his3-D1 po21natMX6 pof8A:kanMX6
	YTC8432	$rif1\Delta$	h leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 rif1 Δ ::ura4 ⁺
	AM17695	$pof 8\Delta$ rif 1 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 rif1A::ura4 ⁺ pof8A::kanMX6
	TN12119	pof8∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8Δ::kanMX6
	TNO444		h lood 00 mm 4 D40 hiro D4
10	TN2411	trt1" (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
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	TN10696	trt1-myc	h-leut-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ::G8-13myc-natMX6
	TN16187		n- leu 1-32 ura4-D 18 his3-D 1 trl 1 :::G8-13myc-natiwab por84:::RanMX6
	TN16188	trt1 mvc pof84	n- leu 1-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 tr(1 ::G8-13myc-natimλο pol8Δ::Kanimλο
	11N10189 AM17622	$trt1 - myc pol8\Delta$	n- leu 1-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 trt1 ::G8-T3myc-natimλο ροιδΔ::Kanimλο h , lou 1-32 ura4 D18 his2 D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8 12myc-kanMX6 tor1 λ[25 1125]::ura4 ⁺ tk
	AM17633	trt1-myc ter1 A	h + 1601-32 ura4-D10 1185-D1 111Go-1311yc-kanMX6 tei 1223-1133]0144-1K
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1d	TN2411	<i>est1</i> ⁺ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN17157	est1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6
	TN17158	est1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6
	TN17171	est1-myc pof8∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1⁺::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6
	TN17172	est1-myc pof8∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8Δ::kanMX6
	TN17380	est1-myc ter1 Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6_ter1-Δ[25-1135]::ura4 ⁺ -tk
	TN17381	est1-myc ter1 Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 $^+$::G8-13myc-kanMX6 ter1- Δ [25-1135]::ura4 $^+$ -tk
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	AN116931	poi8-myc	h+ leut-32 ura4-D18 hiss-D1 pol8 ::13myC-kaniwX8
	AIVI16932	pois-myc	
	AM17629		n+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 ter1-Δ[25-1135]::ura4 -τκ pot8 ::13myc-kaniMX6
	AM17630	pot8-myc ter14	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1-Δ[25-1135]::ura4 -tk pot8 ::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17036	$pors-myc ccq I \Delta$	n- leu 1-32 ura4-D 18 nis3-D 1 ccq12.::npnmX poi8 ::13myC-kaniXX6
	AIVI17037	$poi8$ -myc ccq i Δ	h+ lett -32 tirat-D18 hiss-D1 ccq12tpnimx poissingc-kanimxb
	AM17026		n- leu 1-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 tr(1Δ::nis3: pot8:::13myc-kanix)X6
	AM17027	$pot8-myc$ trt1 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 trt1Δ::his3' pot8 ::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17029	$pot8-myc est1\Delta$	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 est1Δ::kanMX6 por8 ::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17030	pore-myc est i Δ	n+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 nis3-D1 est12::kanMX6 por8 ::13myC-kanMX6
3a	TN2411	<i>pof8</i> ⁺ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN12132	pof8-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM16931	pof8-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8⁺::13mvc-kanMX6
	AM16932	pof8-mvc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8⁺∷13mvc-kanMX6
	AM17036	pof8-mvc cca1 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 cca1A::hphMX pof8*::13mvc-kanMX6
	AM17037	$pof8$ -mvc cca1 Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 cca1∆::hphMX pof8 ⁺ ::13mvc-kanMX6
	AM17026	pof8-mvc trt1 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt∆::his3⁺ pof8⁺::13mvc-kanMX6
	AM17027	$pof8-mvc$ trt1 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 trt1∆::his3⁺ pof8⁺::13mvc-kanMX6
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	AM17030	pof8-myc est1∆	h + leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 est1 Δ ::kanMX pof8 ⁺ ::13myc-kanMX6
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3b	TN2411	<i>trt1</i> ⁺ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN7706	trt1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1⁺::G8-13myc-kanMX6
	TN10695	trt1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1⁺::G8-13myc-natMX6
	TN10696	trt1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1⁺::G8-13myc-natMX6
	TN16187	trt1-myc pof8∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1⁺::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6
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	TN17598	trt1-myc pof8-Δ[289-402]	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8-[Δ289-402]::natMX6
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	TN17157	est1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6
	TN17158	est1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6
	TN17171	est1-mvc pof8Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1⁺::G8-13mvc-kanMX6_pof8∆::kanMX6
	TN17172	est1-myc pof8 Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8Δ::kanMX6
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	TN12119	pof8∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX6
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	AM17644	Ism3-mvc pof8A	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8A:kanMX lsm3+::13mvc-kanMX6
	AM17645	Ism3-myc pof8∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX6 lsm3⁺::13myc-kanMX6
4d	AM17755	lsm3-PK	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 lsm3 ⁺ ··12PK-natMX6
Ψu	AM17746	Ism3-PK pof8-mvc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8 ⁺ ::13mvc-kanMX6 lsm3 ⁺ ::12PK-natMX6
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			natMX6
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	TN17415	lsm3-myc trt1∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1∆::his3⁺ lsm3⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	TN17416	lsm3-myc trt1∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1∆::his3⁺ lsm3⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17641	lsm3-myc est1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 est1Δ::hphMX6 lsm3 ⁺ ::13myc-kanMX6
5a	TN17837	wt / No pld +B1	h- leu1-32 his3-D1
	TN17836	wt / No pld -B1	h- leu1-32 his3-D1
	TN17854	<i>pof8∆</i> / Empty pld +B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX //pREP42
	TN17856	<i>pof8∆</i> / Empty pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX //pREP42
	TN17858	pof8∆ / TER1 OE pld +B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX //pREP42-TER1
	TN17859	pof8∆ / TER1 OE pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX //pREP42-TER1
5b	TN17836	wt / No pld -B1	h- leu1-32 his3-D1
	AM17109	<i>ter1</i> ∆ / No pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1∆25-1135:ura4+:tk
	TN17848	ter1∆ / TER1 OE pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1∆25-1135:ura4+:tk //pREP41-TER1
	TN17856	pof8∆ / Empty pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX //pREP42
	TN17860	pof8∆ / TER1 OE pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX //pREP42
5c	TN17836	wt (no tag) / No pld -B1	h- leu1-32 his3-D1
	TN17892	trt1-myc / Empty pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6 //pREP2
	TN17916	<i>trt1-myc pof8∆</i> / Empty pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP2
	TN17908	trt1-myc pof8∆ / TER1 OE pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP42-TER1
5d	TN17837	wt (no tag) / No pld +B1	h- leu1-32 his3-D1
	TN17890	trt1-myc / Empty pld +B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1⁺::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP2
	TN17891	<i>trt1-myc</i> / Empty pld +B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1⁺::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP2
	TN17892	trt1-myc / Empty pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP2
	TN17893	<i>trt1-myc</i> / Empty pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP2

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	TN17914	trt1-mvc.pof8//Empty.pld.+B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ··G8-13mvc-natMX6 pof8∆··kanMX6 //pRFP2
	TN17915	$trt1_m/c$ polo2/Empty pld (B1	h_{1} leu 1-32 ura 4-D18 his 3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ···G8-13mvc-natMX6 pof8A···kanMX6 //pREP2
	TN17515		$\frac{1}{100} = \frac{1}{100} = \frac{1}$
	TN17900		II- Ieu 1-32 ura4-D10 his3-D1 ur1G0-13hiy0-halmλ0 p0l0Δkanmλ0 //pREP42-1ER1
	TN17910	<i>trt1-myc pof8</i> ∆ / TER1 OE pld +B1	n- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pot8∆::kanMX6 //pREP42-1ER1
	TN17908	<i>trt1-myc pof8</i> ∆ / TER1 OE pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP42-TER1
	TN17912	<i>trt1-myc pof8∆</i> / TER1 OE pld -B1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6 //pREP42-TER1
6a	TN17580	pof8*	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 nof8 ⁺ ∵natMX6
ou	TN12110	pole pof8A	$h = \log_1 - 32 \log_2 - 128 \log_2 - 12 \log_2 - 120 \log_$
	TIN1/502	p010-1330A	11- leu 1-32 ula4-D16 llis3-D1 p0lo-1330Alaliwxo
	IN1/584	pot8-R343A	n- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pot8-H343A::natMX6
	IN1/58/	pof8-Δ[390-402]	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pot8-[Δ390-402]::natMX6
	TN17586	pof8-Δ[289-402]	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ289-402]::natMX6
6b	TN2411	<i>pof8+</i> (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN12132	nof8-mvc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 nof8*··13mvc-kanMX6
	AM16021	pole myo	h loui 22 urai Die daee m2 ie niee Di poleemye kaninge
	AM10931		
	AM16932	pot8-myc	n- leu I-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pot8 ::13myc-kaniMX6
	AM17098	pot8-Y330A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-Y330A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17616	pof8-R343A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-R343A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17123	pof8-Δ[390-402]-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ390-402]::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17618	pof8-Δ[289-402]-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ289-402] ::13mvc-kanMX6
6c	AM16931	pof8-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17098	pof8-Y330A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-Y330A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17616	pof8-R343A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-R343A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17123	pof8-∆[390-402]-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ390-402]::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17618	pof8-//289-4021-mvc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[//289-402] ::13mvc-kanMX6
	TN12118	pof8/	h-leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 nof8A:kanMX6
	TN12110	polod	h = leu 1 - 32 ura 4 - D 18 hie 2 - D 1 polo 2hamMV6
	11112113	polod	וויאו יאט איז
6d	TN2411	<i>pof8</i> ⁺ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	AM16931	pof8-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM16932	pof8-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17098	pof8-Y330A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-Y330A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17616	pof8-B343A-mvc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-B343A::13mvc-kanMX6
	ΔΜ17123	pof8_N[390_402]-mvc	h-leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 nof8-[A390-402]::13mvc-kanMX6
	AM17619	polo <u>1</u> 000 402] myo	h lou1 22 uro4 D10 his2 D1 pol0 [2000 402].:10myo kanMX6
	AM17010		h leut 22 urat Dio hiso Di tori Alle 1106 urat ti de catalitatione de la companya de la companya de la companya
	AM17629	poi8-myc ter 12	n+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4 -tk pol8 ::13thyc-kaniviX6
	AM17630	pot8-myc ter1Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter12[25-1135]::ura4"-tk pof8"::13myc-kanMX6
6e	TN2411	<i>trt1</i> [≁] (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN10695	trt1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6
	TN10696	trt1-mvc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13mvc-natMX6
	TN16187	trt1-mvc pof8A	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1*··G8-13mvc-natMX6 not8A··kanMX6
	TN16188	trt1-myc pof8A	h-leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1*::G8-13mvc-natMX6 pot8A::kanMX6
	TNICIOO		h lou1 22 ura4 D10 his2 D1 trt1 $^{+}$ uC0 12mua natMX6 polodkaliMX6
	11110189		II- Ieu I-52 ura4-DTo IIIS5-DT urtGo-TSITIy0-TlauMX0 p010∆kaniMX0
	TN17589	trt1-myc pof8-Y330A	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8-Y330A::natMX6
	TN17590	trt1-myc pof8-Y330A	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8-Y330A::natMX6
	TN17593	trt1-myc pof8-R343A	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8-R343A::natMX6
	TN17594	trt1-myc pof8-R343A	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8-R343A::natMX6
	TN17601	trt1-myc pof8-[Δ390-402]	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13myc-kanMX6 pof8-[Δ390-402]::natMX6
	TN17602	trt1-mvc pof8-[/\390-402]	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1+::G8-13mvc-kanMX6 pof8-[A390-402]::natMX6
	TN17507	trt1_myc_pof8_[/289_/02]	$h_{+} = h_{+} = 1$ $h_{+} = $
	TN17500	trt1 myc pof9 [A290 402]	h+ lou1 22 ura4 D10 his2 D1 trt1 :::G0 12mua kanMX6 pol0 [A200 402]::natMX6
	1117596	III 1-IIIyc polo-[Δ269-402]	п+ ieu1-52 uia4-016 mis5-01 in1+Go-15myc-канило рою-[0269-402]hauviло
7a	TN2411	$ccq1^+$ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	OR12046	ccq1-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1⁺::13myc-hphMX6
	OR12047	ccq1-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6
	AM16956	$ccq1$ -myc pof8 Δ	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13mvc-hphMX6 pof8∆::kanMX6
	AM16957	$cca1-mvc$ pof8 Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccg1⁺::13mvc-hphMX6 pof8Δ::kanMX6
	AM17683	cca1-mvc ter1	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 cca1+13mvc-kanMX6 ter1 1/25-11351ura4+.tk*
	AM17605		h louit 22 urat Die nice Die cout tonnye kantiko tert $\Lambda D = 100$ urat Λ^{+}
			17 1001-02 UIA4-DTO HISO-DTO CUTT. TOHIYO-KAHIVIAO LUT 14/20-TTODJUIA4 .IK
	TIN1//6/	ccq1-myc pol8-Y330A	
	IN1/768	ccq1-myc pot8-Y330A	п- ieu i-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 ccq1 ::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-Y330A::natMX6
	TN17771	ccq1-myc pof8-R343A	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-R343A::natMX6

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	TN17772	ccq1-myc pof8-R343A	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-R343A::natMX6
	TN17775	ccq1-myc pof8-[∆390-402]	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-[Δ390-402]::natMX6
	TN17776	ccq1-myc pof8-[∆390-402]	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1⁺::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-[Δ390-402]::natMX6
	TN17779	ccq1-myc pof8-[Δ289-402]	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-[Δ289-402]::natMX6
	TN17780	ccq1-myc pof8-[Δ289-402]	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6 pof8-[Δ289-402]::natMX6
7b	TN2411	ura4	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	LK7299	ura4 ⁺	h- leu1-32 his3-D1
	CF53	telo::ura4⁺	h^{90} leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 otr1R(sphl):ade6 ⁺ (cen1) his3 ⁺ :tel(1L) ura4 ⁺ :tel(2L)
	CF17571	pof8∆ telo∷ura4 ⁺	h^{90} leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 pof8 Δ ::kanMX6 otr1R(sphI):ade6 ⁺ (cen1) his3 ⁺ :tel(1L) ura4 ⁺ :tel(2L)
	TN17822	pof8-[Δ 289-402] telo::ura4 $^{+}$	h ⁹⁰ leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ289-402]::13myc-kanMX6 otr1R(sphI):ade6+ (cen1) his3*:tel(1L) ura4*:tel(2L)
	TN17823	pof8-R343A telo::ura4 ⁺	h ⁹⁰ leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 pof8-R343A::13myc-kanMX6 otr1R(sphI):ade6⁺ (cen1) his3⁺:tel(1L) ura4⁺:tel(2L)
	TN17816	ccq1∆ telo∷ura4⁺	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1 Δ ::hphMX his3 $^{+}$:tel(1L) ura4 $^{+}$:tel(2L)
7d	TN2409	wt	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN2411	wt	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	AM17109	ter1∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk
	AM17307	ter1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk
	TN5345	rap1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 rap1∆∷ura4⁺
	TN5346	rap1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 rap1∆::ura4 $^{+}$
	LK8667	ccq1∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1∆::hphMX
	LK8668	ccq1∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1∆::hphMX
	TN12118	pof8∆	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX6
	TN12119	pof8∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8∆::kanMX6
	AM16931	pof8-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17098	pof8-Y330A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-Y330A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17616	pof8-R343A-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-R343A::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17123	pof8-Δ[390-402]-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ390-402]::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17618	pof8-Δ[289-402]-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8-[Δ289-402]::13myc-kanMX6
S1	TN2411	$trt1^+$ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	TN10695	trt1-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6
	AM16931	pof8-myc	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 pof8 ⁺ ::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17630	pof8-myc ter1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	AM17121	lsm3-myc	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 lsm3⁺::13myc-kanMX6
	TN17409	lsm3-myc ter1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4*-tk lsm3*::13myc-kanMX6
S4	TN2411	$trt1^+$ (no tag)	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	LK8667	ccq1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1∆::hphMX
	LK8668	ccq1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1 ccq1∆::hphMX
	TN10817	trt1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 trt1∆::his3'
	TN10818	trt1	h- leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 trt1Δ::his3'
	TN10728	est1Δ	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 est1 Δ ::hphMX
	TN10729	est1∆	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 ade6-M210 his3-D1 est1Δ::hphMX
S5	TN2409	wt	h+ leu1-32 ura4-D18 his3-D1
	1N2411		n- ieu i-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1
	AM17007		n- ieu i-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 ter 1Δ[25-1135]::ura4' -tk
	AM1/30/		n+ ieu i-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4'-tk
	TN12118	рот8 <u>Д</u>	n- ieu i-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 pot8∆::kanNiX6
	IN12119	ροτωΔ	n+ ieu i-32 ura4-D18 nis3-D1 ροτ8Δ::kanMX6

*Rad52 was previously known as Rad22 in *S. pombe*, but it has been officially renamed to be more consistent with the name used in other organisms for orthologs of this protein.

Supplementary Table 2: Sources of various mutated and tagged alleles for fission yeast strains used in this study.

Previously published strains		
Mutated & epitope-tagged alleles	Source	
taz1∆::ura4⁺	[9]	
rap1∆::ura4⁺	[10]	
poz1Δ::natMX6	[11]	
rif1∆::ura4 ⁺	[10]	
trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6	[12]	
est1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-kanMX6	[12]	
ccq1 <i>∆::hphMX6</i>	[13]	
trt1Δ::his3⁺	[14]	
est1Δ::kanMX6	[15]	
otr1R(sphl):ade6 ⁺ (cen1) his3 ⁺ :tel(1L) ura4 ⁺ :tel(2L)	[16]	

New strains generated for this study

Mutated & epitope-tagged alleles	Comment
trt1 ⁺ ::G8-13myc-natMX6	Marker swap of <i>trt1⁺::G8-13myc:kanMX6</i> [12] by PCR-based method.
ccq1 ⁺ ::13myc-hphMX6	Marker swap of <i>ccq1⁺::13myc-kanMX6</i> [13] by PCR-based method.
ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk	Generated by two-step PCR-based method with plasmid 81 (Supplementary Table 3) and primers 1637, 1638, 1639, 1640 (Supplementary Table 4).
lsm3⁺::12PK-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [17] with plasmid 973 (Supplementary Table 3) and primers 1686, 1689, 1687, 1690 (Supplementary Table 4).
lsm3 ⁺ ∷13myc-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [17] with plasmid 7 (Supplementary Table 3) and primers 1686, 1689, 1687, 1690 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8∆::kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [17] with plasmid 7 (Supplementary Table 3) and primers 1383, 1390, 1386, and 1391 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8 ⁺ ::12PK-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [17] with plasmid 973 (Supplementary Table 3) and primers 1385, 1382, 1386, and 1391 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8⁺::13myc-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [17] with plasmid 7 (Supplementary Table 3) and primers 1385, 1382, 1386, and 1391 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-Y330A::13myc-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [18] with <i>pof8-myc</i> strain and primers 1699, 1655, 1656, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-R343A::13myc-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [18] with <i>pof8-myc</i> strain and primers 1699, 1658, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-[Δ390-402]::13myc-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [18] with <i>pof8-myc</i> strain and primers 1699, 1648, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-[Δ289-402]::13myc-kanMX6	Generated by two-step PCR-based method [18] with <i>pof8-myc</i> strain and primers 1699, 1647, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8 ⁺ ∷natMX6 (wt)	Removed epitope tag of <i>pof8-myc</i> strain via PCR-based method and primers 1699, 1724, 1285, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-Y330A::natMX6	Removed epitope tag of <i>pof8-Y330A-myc</i> strain via PCR-based method and primers 1699, 1724, 1285, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-R343A::natMX6	Removed epitope tag of <i>pof8-R343A-myc</i> strain via PCR-based method and primers 1699, 1724, 1285, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-[Δ390-402]::natMX6	Removed epitope tag of <i>pof8-[Δ390-402]-myc</i> strain via PCR-based method and primers 1699, 1726, 1285, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).
pof8-[Δ289-402]∷natMX6	Removed epitope tag of <i>pof8-[Δ289-402]-myc</i> strain via PCR-based method and primers 1699, 1725, 1285, 1386 (Supplementary Table 4).

Supplementary Table 3: Plasmids used in this study. Plasmids used in fission yeast strain construction. Stock # & plasmid name Genes Description 7 pFA6a-13myc-kanMX6 [17] Used as a PCR template to generate 13xmyc-tagged strains and kanMX6; ampR pof8∆::kanMX6 strain. 973 pFA6a-12PK-kanMX6 [19] kanMX6; ampR Used as a PCR template to generate 12xPK-tagged strains. Used as a PCR template to generate $ter1\Delta[25-1135]::ura4^+$ -tk strain 81 pNR228 [20] ura4⁺; adh1:tk with primers 1637, 1638, 1639, 1640 (Supplementary Table 4). Used as empty plasmid control. 29 pREP2 [21] ura4⁺; ampR pREP42 [21] ura4⁺; ampR Used as empty plasmid control and for cloning ter1⁺. 30 Primers 1826 and 1827 (Supplementary Table 4) were used to 1245 pREP42-TER1 ura4⁺; ampR; ter1⁺ amplify ter1⁺ from S. pombe genome and inserted into BamHI digested plasmid 30. Used to clone *ter1*⁺ gene. 27 pREP41 [21] LEU2; ampR Primers 1826 and 1827 (Supplementary Table 4) were used to 1241 pREP41-TER1 LEU2; ampR; ter1⁺ amplify ter1⁺ from S. pombe genome and inserted into BamHI digested plasmid 27. Additional fission yeast related plasmids. Stock # & plasmid name Description Genes Carries a telomeric repeat fragment (Apal-Sacl) used in generating a 254 pTELO [14] Fission yeast telomere fragment; ampR telomere probe for Southern blot analysis.

Supplementary Table 4: DNA primers used in this study.

#	Primer Name	Primer Sequence (5' to 3')	Description
1383	Pof8-T2	GGAAAGACAAGGTCGTGGGTGCT	Anneals to <i>pof8</i> 5'UTR. Used to generate <i>pof8Δ::kanMX6</i> (sense).
1390	Pof8-KO(x)-B7	GGCAAGCTAAACAGATCTGGCGCTTTACTTCGCTCC TTAAAGTACGGTTTTC	Used to generate pof8ΔkanMX6 strain. Red letters anneal to kanMX6 on plasmid 7 (antisense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1386	Pof8-B5	GTGGTTCATGGTTTATTGGAATTTTTGCTG	Anneals to pof8 3' UTR. Used to generate <i>pof8Δ::kanMX6</i> (antisense)
1391	Pof8-KO/tag(y)-T8	GTCGATTCGATACTAACGCCGCCGTTTTCCTTTCTCT GGTAATACTAATTTG	Used to generate <i>pof8Δ::kanMX6</i> and 13Myc tagged <i>pof8</i> strains. Red letters anneal to pFA6a-13Myc-kanMX6 plasmid 7 (sense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1385	Pof8-T4	GCCCATGTATATAGACTATAGGAAGGACG	Anneals to <i>pof8</i> . Used to generate 13Myc tagged <i>pof8</i> strains (sense).
1382	Pof8-tag(x)-B1	GGGGATCCGTCGACCTGCAGCGTACGACTTTTTTAA CATACGCCAATAATTCTTTTCTT	Used to generate 13Myc tagged <i>pof8</i> strains. Red letters anneal to pFA6a-13Myc-kanMX6 plasmid 7 (antisense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1637	TER1ΔUTK-1F	CCACTCGGGACTTGCTTGTACTTTAACGG	Used to generate <i>ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk⁺</i> strain. Anneals upstream of <i>ter1</i> transcript (sense).
1638	TER1ΔUTK-1R	CGGGAGATGGGGGAGGCTAACTGACCTTCTAAGCA TGGGCGTTGCG	Used to generate <i>ter1Δ[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk⁺</i> strain. Red letters anneal to plasmid 81 (antisense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1639	TER1ΔUTK-2F	GGCATATCAGCAAAGACTTTCTCAGCATTAACCTCTT GAGCGCGTTTTAGGTTTTTTCAC	Used to generate <i>ter1∆[25-1135]::ura4⁺-tk</i> ⁺ strain. Red letters anneal to plasmid 81 (sense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1640	TER1ΔUTK-2R	GATTCATCACTTTCTCAAAATTTTGAAACCGG	Used to generate $ter1\Delta[25-1135]$:: $ura4^+$ - tk^+ strain (antisense).
1602	Leu1Ter1-F	CCTGCAGCCCGGGGGGATCCGTAAACGGAATATCCG CGATGAAA	Used to generate <i>leu1-32::[ter1+,leu1+]</i> strain. Red letters anneal to plasmid 37 (sense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1636	Leu1Ter1-R	GGCCGCTCTAGAACTAGTGGATCCACTTCATCTCTT CTAGTACGC	Used to generate <i>leu1-32::[ter1+,leu1+]</i> strain. Red letters anneal to plasmid 37 (antisense) (Supplementary Table 3).
1686	lsm3-T1	GATGATGAAGAGACCGATAAGGAC	Anneals to $lsm3^+$ (sense).
1689	lsm3-B1	GGATCCGTCGACCTGCAGCGTACGAATTACGAGGT GGAGCAATCAAAATAACC	Used to generate <i>Ism3⁺::13Myc-kanMX6</i> strain. Red letters anneal to pFA6a-13Myc-kanMX6 plasmid 7(antisense) (Supplementary Table 3)
1687	lsm3-T2	CTGTCGATTCGATACTAACGCCGCCAGGAACGAATA AAATTACTATACAAAGC	Used to generate <i>Ism3</i> [*] ::13Myc-kanMX6 strain. Red letters anneal to pFA6a-13Myc-kanMX6 plasmid 7 (sense) (Supplementary Table 3)
1690	lsm3-B2	CGTGAATGTTGGTTAACTTCG	Anneals to Ism3+ 3' UTR (antisense)
1655	pof8 Y330A-R	CGTCCTTCCTATAGTCTAT <mark>AGC</mark> CATGGGCTCACATG CAATATTC	Used to generate Y330A mutation (red letters) in <i>pof8</i> (antisense).
1656	pof8 Y330A-F	GAATATTGCATGTGAGCCCATG <mark>GCT</mark> ATAGACTATAG GAAGGACG	Used to generate Y330A mutation (red letters) in <i>pof8</i> (sense).
1657	pof8 R343A-R	GCATGAAGCGGTGTTTTCCA <mark>AGC</mark> TATTATCGCCTCT GTTTCGTCC	Used to generate R343A mutation (red letters) in <i>pof8</i> (antisense).
1648	pof8∆390-402-R	CCGGGGATCCGTCGACCTGCAGCGTACGAGGTAAT TAGCTCAGCAATCAGGAATGGACGGC	Used to generate <i>pof8-Δ[390-402]-myc</i> strain. Red letters anneal to pFA6a-kanMX6 plasmid.
1647	pof8∆289-402-R	CGGGGATCCGTCGACCTGCAGCGTACGAATCCAAA TTATCTTCATCTTTATCAGTTTG	Used to generate <i>pof8-Δ[289-402]-myc</i> strain. Red letters anneal to pFA6a-13Myc-kanMX6 plasmid 7 (Supplementary Table 3)
1285	Tpz1-T54	CGCGCCACTTCTAAATAAGCGAATTTCTT	Used to remove 13myc tag from <i>pof8-myc</i> strains.
1699	pof8-TC	CCTTTCCTGAAAATCGTTATCCC	Anneals to <i>pof8</i> (sense).
1724	pof8∆Myc	GAAATTCGCTTATTTAGAAGTGGCGCGTTACTTTTT AACATACGCCAATAATTCTTTTC	Used to remove 13myc tag from full length <i>pof8-myc</i> strains.
1725	pof8∆289Myc	GAAATTCGCTTATTTAGAAGTGGCGCGTTAATCCAAA TTATCTTCATCTTTATCAGTTTG	Used to remove 13myc tag from <i>pof8-Δ[289-402]-myc</i> strain.
1726	pof8∆390Myc	GAAATTCGCTTATTTAGAAGTGGCGCGTTAGGTAATT AGCTCAGCAATCAGGAATGGACG	Used to remove 13myc tag from <i>pof8-Δ</i> [390-402]-myc strain.

1826	pREPter1F	CATATGTCGACTCTAGAGGATCCTTATACTCAACG CAACGCCC	Used to clone TER1 gene in pREP41 or pREP42 (Supplementary Table 3). Red sequence contains homology to plasmids 27, 29, or 30
1827	pREPter1R	CATTCCTTTTACCCGGGGGATCCACTTCATCTCTTCT AGTACGC	Used to clone TER1 gene in pREP41 or pREP42 (Supplementary Table 3). Red sequence contains homology to plasmids 27, 29, or 30
637	jk380 (TEL-#1)	TATTTCTTTATTCAACTTACCGCACTTC	Used in qPCR in telomere ChIP experiments [22].
638	jk381 (TEL-#2)	CAGTAGTGCAGTGTATTATGATAATTAAAATGG	Used in qPCR in telomere ChIP experiments [22].
935	ars2004-66-F	CGGATCCGTAATCCCAACAA	Used in qPCR in ars2004 ChIP experiments [23].
936	ars2004-66-R	TTTGCTTACATTTTCGGGAACTTA	Used in qPCR in ars2004 ChIP experiments [23].
941	non-ARS-70-F	TACGCGACGAACCTTGCATAT	Used in qPCR in <i>non-ARS</i> (~30 kb from <i>ars2004</i>) ChIP experiments [23].
942	non-ARS-70-R	TTATCAGACCATGGAGCCCATT	Used in qPCR in <i>non-ARS</i> (~30 kb from <i>ars2004</i>) ChIP experiments [23].
633	Ade6-3	TGATGGAGGACGTGAGCACATTGA	Used in qPCR in <i>ade6</i> ⁺ ChIP experiments.
634	Ade6-4	TTGAATGCATCGCAGAGTTGCAGG	Used in qPCR in <i>ade6</i> ⁺ ChIP experiments.
1779	his1.1	CGAAGACGTGCTTCAGCGA	Used in <i>his1</i> ⁺ ChIP experiments, and RT and qPCR for <i>his1</i> ⁺ expression studies [24]
1780	his1.2	TGTCCACCTCGGAATCACTG	Used in <i>his1</i> ⁺ ChIP experiments, and RT and qPCR for <i>his1</i> ⁺ overcasion studies [24].
1016	3'TER1-B1	GATCCATGGATCTCACGTAATG	Used in RT for TER1.
1015	5'TER1-T1	CAGTGTACGTGAGTCTTCTGCCTT	Used in qPCR for TER1.
1017	275-Ter1	CAAAAATTCGTTGTGATCTGACAAGC	Used in qPCR for TER1.
1678	BLoli1275	CGGAAACGGAATTCAGCATGT	Used in RT and qPCR for un-spliced TER1 [25].
1679	Bloli1020	CAAA CAATAATGAACGTCCTG	Used in qPCR for un-spliced TER1 [25].
1779	his1.1	CGAAGACGTGCTTCAGCGA	Used in RT and qPCR for $his1^+$ [24].
1780	his1.2	TGTCCACCTCGGAATCACTG	Used in qPCR for <i>his1</i> [≁] [24].
1772	odT	TTTTTTTTTTTTTTTTTT	Used in RT for polyA-TERRA/ARRET [8].
1773	oF1	GAAGTTCACTCAGTCATAATTAATTGGGTAACGGAG	Used in qPCR for polyA-TERRA/ARRET [8].
1775	oR1	GGGCCCAATAGTGGGGGGCATTGTATTTGTG	Used in qPCR for polyA-TERRA/ARRET [8].
1774	oF2	GGTTGAATTGAGCGTGGTAGG	Used in qPCR for polyA-ARRET [8].
1776	oR2	ACTTACTGCACCCTAACGCA	Used in qPCR for polyA-ARRET [8].

Protein Name	GenBank Acc. No.	Source
Pof8	BAB60688	Schizosaccharomyces pombe
Pof8	EPX72631	Schizosaccharomyces octosporus yFS286
Pof8	EPY52790	Schizosaccharomyces cryophilus OY26
Pof8	EEB09384.1	Schizosaccharomyces japonicus yFS275
LARP7	NP_524795	Drosophila melanogaster
LARP7	NP_001039168	Xenopus tropicalis
LARP7	AFE61891	Mus musculus
LARP7	AAH66945	Homo sapiens
p43*	AF307939	Euplotes aediculatus
p65	AY280524	Tetrahymena thermophila
hypothetical protein G7K_2053-t1	GAO47857	Saitoella complicata NRRL Y-17804
similar to Pof8	CCX33746	Pyronema omphalodes CBS 100304
hypothetical protein	XP_002836370	<i>Tuber melanosporum</i> Mel28 (black truffle mushroom)
hypothetical protein BOTBODRAFT 187311	KDQ15495	Botryobasidium botryosum FD-172 SS1
Pof8	KNZ72704	Termitomyces sp. J132 (mushroom)

Supplementary Table 5: Sources of sequences used in bioinformatic analysis.

***NOTE:** Final protein sequence surrounding open reading frameshift site was adjusted as originally proposed by Aigner *et al.* [26].

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