

Table S1. Identity and ADS activity levels of plaque bacterial strains [Huang et al., 2015].

| STUDY CODE | ACCESSION NUMBER | HOT NO.* | CLOSEST RELATIVE | SOURCE | ADS ACTIVITY (Mean ±SD) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------|---|------------|-------------------------|
| | | | <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> DL1 | Lab strain | 339.3±33.0 |
| | | | <i>arcA</i> -deficient strains of <i>S. gordonii</i> | Lab strain | 0 |
| <i>Streptococcus parasanguinis</i> A1 | KF733681.1 | 721 | <i>Streptococcus parasanguinis</i> ChDC B356 | CF | 688.0±57.1* |
| <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> A2 | KF733728.1 | 644 | <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> ChDC B589 | CF | 390.1±17.3* |
| <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> A3 | KF733728.1 | 644 | <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> ChDC B589 | CF | 476.9±43.8* |
| <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> A4 | KF733728.1 | 644 | <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> ChDC B589 | CF | 233.1±15.7 |
| <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> A5 | KF733728.1 | 644 | <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> ChDC B589 | CF | 252.85±61.79 |
| <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> A6 | KF733728.1 | 644 | <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> ChDC B589 | CF | 237.5±11.5 |
| <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> A7 | CP000725.1 | 622 | <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> str. Challis substr. CH1 [□] | CA | 283.3±5.2 |
| <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> A8 | NR_074516.1 | 622 | <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> str. Challis substr. CH1 | CF | 431.9±15.4* |
| <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> A9 | NR_115242.1 | 622 | <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> ATCC 10558 | CA | 244.8±10.7 |
| <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> A10 | NR_115242.1 | 622 | <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> ATCC 10558 | CA | 241.3±15.9 |
| <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> A11 | NR_115242.1 | 622 | <i>Streptococcus gordonii</i> ATCC 10558 | CF | 354.8±20.9* |
| <i>Streptococcus australis</i> A12 | NR_036936.1 | 073 | <i>Streptococcus australis</i> AI-1* | CF | 309.2±1.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus australis</i> A13 | NR_036936.1 | 073 | <i>Streptococcus australis</i> AI-1* | CF | 287.3±12.7 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A14 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 129.0±5.6 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A15 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 119.7±3.7 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A16 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 129.1±10.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A17 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 94.1±4.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A18 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 107.1±9.1 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A19 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 98.0±5.7 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A20 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 93.1±1.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A21 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 116.8±14.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A22 | CP000387.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK36 | CF | 88.9±10.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A23 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> SK1284_K2-1 | CA | 127.6±1.1 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A24 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 45.2±6.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A25 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 50.2±3.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A26 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 46.0±0.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A27 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 63.4±0.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A28 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 56.4±13.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A29 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 187.1±20.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A30 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 173.3±4.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A31 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 246.2±2.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A32 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 227.3±0.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A33 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 199.2±8.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A34 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 200.6±14.6 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A35 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 201.9±15.2 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A36 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 263.4±29.9 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A37 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 227.9±89.7 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A38 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 167.7±9.9 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A39 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 198.1±5.1 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A40 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 212.5±0.6 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A41 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 144.0±10.0 |

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| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A42 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 190.1±10.6 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A43 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 106.4±4.0 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A44 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CF | 104.3±4.1 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A45 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CA | 161.3±3.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A46 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CA | 169.8±6.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A47 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CA | 221.3±4.8 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A48 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CA | 136.9±4.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A49 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CA | 238.2±31.1 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A50 | NR_113260.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> JCM 5708 | CA | 182.0±39.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> A51 | KF733682.1 | 758 | <i>Streptococcus sanguinis</i> ChDC B357 | CF | 250.8±1.3 |
| <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> A52 | NR_115274.1 | 578 | <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> ATCC 51100 | CA | 187.5±41.4 |
| <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> A53 | NR_115274.1 | 578 | <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> ATCC 51100 | CA | 129.2±31.6 |
| <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> A54 | GU470899.1 | 578 | <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> F0329 | CA | 160.0±26.2 |
| <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> A55 | GU470899.1 | 578 | <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> F0329 | CA | 159.0±9.1 |
| <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> A56 | GU470899.1 | 578 | <i>Streptococcus cristatus</i> F0329 | CA | 185.9±41.8 |

The 56 ADS-positive strains identified had greater than 99% sequence similarity with their assigned bacterial taxa, as derived from their database accession numbers. HOT = Human oral taxon ID from the Human Oral Microbiome Database. ADS activity was expressed as nanomoles of citrulline generated per minute per milligram of protein. An asterisk (*) indicates that the bacterial strain expressed higher ADS activity than *S. gordonii* DL1. SD = Standard deviation.

¹ The closest relative strains to *S. gordonii* A7 are *Streptococcus* sp. JCM 5703 and *S. gordonii* strain Challis substrain CH1.

² The closest relative strains to *S. australis* A12 and A13 are *S. australis* AI-1, but also *Streptococcus rubneri* LMG 27207 (accession No.: NR_109720.1). Because A12 and A13 were collected from dental plaque and are ADS-positive, whereas the *S. rubneri* strain in the database is an ADS-negative throat isolate, A12 and A13 will be considered herein as strains of *S. australis*.

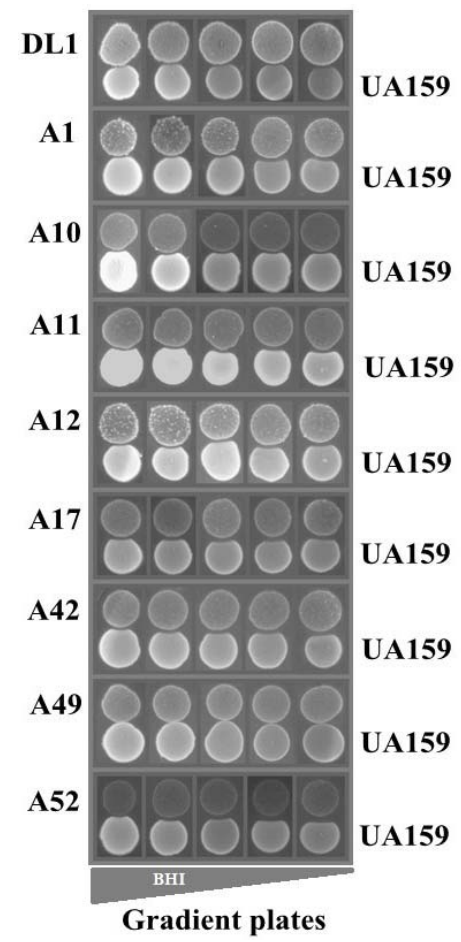


Figure S1. Growth inhibition of arginolytic strains on *S. mutans* UA159 using gradient BHI plates. Arginolytic strains were spotted first, and *S. mutans* was spotted 24 hr later.

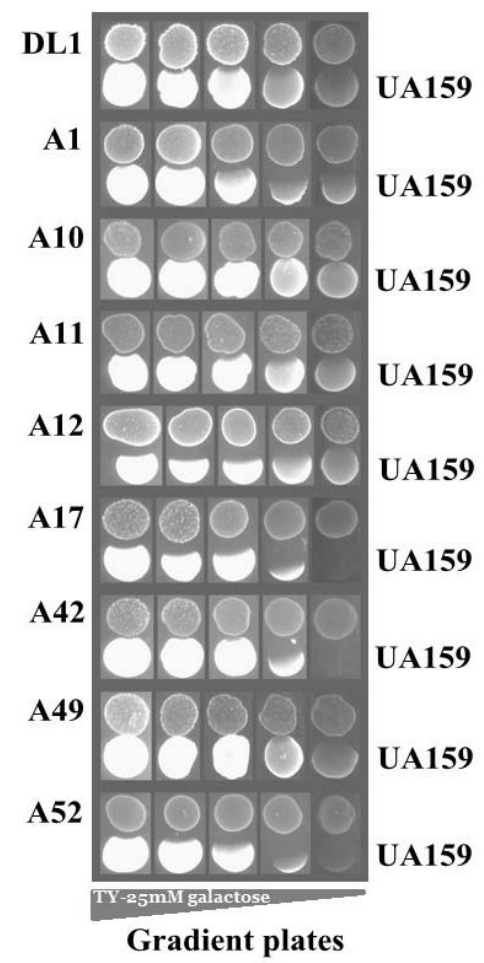


Figure S2. Growth inhibition of arginolytic strains on *S. mutans* UA159 using gradient TY-25mM galactose plates. Arginolytic strains were spotted first, and *S. mutans* was spotted 24 h later.