Driving protein conformational changes with light: Photoinduced structural rearrangement in a heterobimetallic oxidase

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Lane	Sample
Α	Protein Ladder (Spectra Multicolor Low Range, ThermoFisher Scientific)
В	Cell lysate
С	Column load flow through
D	Wash 1 with 25 mM HEPES, 40 mM imidazole, 300 mM NaCl, and 0.5 mM
	EDTA at pH 7.0
E	Wash 2 with 25 mM HEPES, 40 mM imidazole, and 300 mM NaCl at pH 7.0
F	Elution with 25 mM HEPES, 250 mM imidazole, and 300 mM NaCl at pH 7.0

Figure S1. Representative SDS-PAGE indicating R2lox expression and purification. Lanes are labeled as given in table.



Figure S2. Representative spectra of photoconversion efficiency measurements for (A) Fe/Fe and (B) Mn/Fe R2lox showing spectral changes as a function of photolysis time from 0 min (red trace) – 30 min (brown trace).

Sample equations explaining how the quantum yield was calculated in this work.^{1,2}

$$I = \frac{A_{510}v_2v_3}{\varepsilon_{510}\Phi_{402}v_1dt}$$

I = photon flux (einsteins/sec)

A = absorbance of $Fe^{II}(phen)_3^{2+}$ at 510 nm

 v_2 = volume of ferrioxalate solution irradiated (L)

 v_3 = volume of total solution after adding ferrioxalate (mL)

 ε = molar extinction coefficient of Fe^{II}(phen)₃²⁺ at 510 nm (1.1 x 10⁴ M⁻¹cm⁻¹)

 Φ = quantum yield of ferrioxalate Fe^{III} to Fe^{II} conversion (1.07 at 402 nm)

 v_1 = volume of 1,10-phenanthroline solution added (mL)

d = path length of cuvette (1 cm)

t = time that ferrioxalate is irradiated (sec)

$$\Phi_{protein} = \frac{1}{f_m I} \frac{d[photoproduct]}{dt}$$

$$f_m = \frac{(1 - 10^{-A_{402,i}}) + (1 - 10^{-A_{402,f}})}{2}$$

 f_m = fraction of molecules that absorb light

A402,i = absorbance at 402 nm of intial spectrum

 $A_{402,f}$ = absorbance at 402 nm of final spectrum

State	dark state	photoconverted
Beamline	X06DA/SLS	X06DA/SLS
Wavelength (Å)	1.00	1.00
Resolution range (Å)	50.00-1.70 (1.81-1.70)	50.00-2.00 (2.13-2.00)
Space group	1222	1222
Unit cell dimensions a, b, c (Å)	55.67,96.62, 128.40	55.63, 97.31, 127.98
Unique reflections	38162 (6063)	23693 (3747)
Multiplicity	6.6	6.6
Completeness (%)	99.8 (99.0)	99.8 (98.9)
l/σ(l)	12.00 (0.55)	11.37 (0.77)
R _{merge} (%)	11.3 (307.7)	13.7 (232.5)
R _{meas} (%)	12.3 (335.3)	14.9 (252.0)
CC _{1/2} §	99.9 (12.1)	99.9 (32.3)

 Table S1. Crystallographic statistics for dark and photoconverted Fe/Fe R2lox.

Values in parentheses are for the highest resolution shell. Friedel pairs were merged. [§]Percentage of correlation between intensities from random half-datasets.³ The correlation is significant at the 0.1% level in all resolution shells in all datasets. **Table S2**. Refinement statistics for crystal structures of dark and photoconverted Fe/Fe R2lox.

State	dark state	photoconverted
PDB ID	50MK	50MJ
Resolution range (Å)	48.31-1.70	48.66-2.01
Reflections used	38157	23651
$R_{ m work}/R_{ m free}$ (%) [†]	17.8/20.9	20.2/26.4
Coordinate error (Å)	0.28	0.43
Non-H atoms	2486	2430
Protein residues [‡]	285 (2-286)	285 (2-286)
Water molecules	101	52
Ligand molecules	1	1
Metal ions	2	2
rmsd bonds (Å) [¶]	0.013	0.017
rmsd angles (°) [¶]	1.075	1.187
Ramachandran	98.2/1.4/0.4	94.6/5.4/0.0
favored/allowed/ outliers (%)		
Clashscore ^{ll}	2.07	5.94
Wilson <i>B</i> factor (Å ²)	34.1	43.9
Average <i>B</i> factors (Å ²) ^{&}		
all atoms	46.4	61.5
protein main and side chains	46.4	61.7
site 1 Fe ion	30.0	40.0
site 2 Fe ion	30.6	43.0
ligand	49.3	59.7
water	44.8	45.3

[†]Rfree is calculated from a randomly selected subset of ~2000 reflections (corresponding to \leq 5% of reflections) excluded from refinement. [‡]Residues out of the 302 residue full-length protein included in the final model are given in parentheses. [¶]Root-mean-square deviation from ideal geometry. [∥]Geometry statistics were calculated with MolProbity.⁴ [&]Average *B* factors were calculated with B_{average} in the CCP4 suite.⁵



Figure S3. Photoconversion control experiments showing (*top*) WT Fe/Fe and(*bottom*) Mn/Fe R2lox immediately following reconstitution (black) and after 30 days in the dark (grey).



Figure S4. (**A**) Resonance Raman spectra of photoconverted Fe/Fe (top) and Mn/Fe (bottom) R2lox (λ_{ex} = 457.9 nm, P_{ex} = 25 mW, T = 298 K) prepared in H₂O (blue) and D₂O (red) buffers. Black traces show the isotopic difference spectra (H₂O-D₂O). (**B**) Resonance Raman excitation profiles for key vibrational modes overlaid with the absorption spectra of photoconverted Fe/Fe (grey) and Mn/Fe (black) R2lox. The bands represented in the resonance Raman excitation profiles are tagged in the RR spectra with the respective symbols.

Table S3. Extinction coefficients of various purple acid phosphatases.

Species of origin	Metal centers	λ _{max} (nm)	Extinction coefficient (M ⁻¹ cm ⁻¹)
Sus scrofa (pig)	Fe ^{III} /Fe ^{III}	545 ⁶	3100 ⁶
<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> (red kidney bean)	Fe ^{III} /Zn ^{II}	560 ⁷	3360 ⁷
<i>Ipomoea batatas</i> (sweet potato)	Fe ^{III} /Mn ^{II}	560 ⁸	3207 ⁸



Figure S5. Resonance Raman spectra of photoconverted WT Fe/Fe R2lox prepared in natural abundance H₂¹⁶O buffer (grey) and exchanged into H₂¹⁸O buffer (black) prior to photolysis (RR λ_{ex} = 457.9 nm, P = 25 mW, T = 298 K).

	WT	V72A	V72L	V72I	Y175F	Y162F
Mn/Fe	3.1% ±	3.4% ±	3.6% ±	7.2% ±	1.5% ±	0%
	0.26%	1.3%	0.18%	0.94%	0.22%	
Fe/Fe	2.3% ±	2.9% ±	2.7% ±	3.1% ±	2.0% ±	0%
	0.09%	0.38%	0.21%	0.27%	0.22%	

Table S4. Quantum yields for photoconversion of R2lox mutants.



Figure S6. Absorption spectra of 20 μ M (A) Y162F and (B) Y175F R2lox variants prior to photolysis (grey) and after irradiation (black).



Figure S7. CW X–band EPR spectra (T = 5 K) of Y162F Mn/Fe R2lox prior to (grey) and following (black) irradiation.



Figure S8. The resonance Raman spectrum of Y162F Fe/Fe R2lox in buffer prepared with natural abundance ($H_2^{16}O$, grey) and $H_2^{18}O$ -enriched (black) water (λ_{ex} = 407 nm, P = 10 mW, T = 298 K).

Annotated MS2 spectrum of the AVIRAATVYNMIVE(-CO2)GTLAE peptide



Figure S9. Annotated MS2 fragmentation spectrum of the doubly charged precursor ion 989.0422 m/z and respective theoretical fragment ion table of the peptide AVIRAATVYNMIVE(-CO₂)GTLAE with the decarboxylated glutamate residue. The peptide was obtained by proteolytic digestion with Glu-C of irradiated R2lox protein. The experimental m/z values are in black, whereas the annotation and theoretical m/z values are shown in red. The mass error is typically less than 0.01 m/z, in accordance with the high resolution used (17,500). Among the fragment ions observed, the most important are a14, b14 and b15 which demonstrate the decarboxylated glutamate residue (E167).



Figure S10. Scheme for photoconversion of R2lox variants lacking Y162-V72 crosslink.

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