

# Supplementary Materials: Laccase Gene Family in *Cerrena* sp. HYB07: Sequences, Heterologous Expression and Transcriptional Analysis

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**Table S1.** Primers used to clone laccase genes from *Cerrena* sp. HYB07.

Gene	Primer Sequence	Purpose
Laccase L1-L4 fragment	L-1F: CAYTGGCAYGGNTTYTTYCA	Degenerate PCR [1]
	L-4R: TGVHARTCDATRTGRCARTG	
	R = A/G, Y = C/T, M = A/C, K = G/T, S = G/C, W = A/T, H = A/T/C, D = G/A/T, B = G/T/C, V = G/A/C, N = A/T/G/C.	
<i>Lac2</i>	Lac2-SP1: AATGTAGTTAGGGTCGCAGGAGATAGAGA	TAIL-PCR amplification of 5'-flanking sequence
	Lac2-SP2: GTCGTAGAGGTGCTTGTGTGGATCGTTAGG	
	Lac2-SP3: AAGAGTTTCCAGTGACAATAGGGCAT	TAIL-PCR amplification of 3'-flanking sequence
	Lac2-SP4: CATCCCTTCCATTTGCACGGTGTAAGTCC	
	Lac2-SP5: ATCTTACCTCGTTTCTTACTCACCATGCC	Amplification of cDNA
	Lac2-SP6: TTCAATGACGCTATCCTCCGA	
	Lac2-RT-1: ATGCCCTCTAACTTCCTTTCATTGAC	
	Lac2-RT-2: TTGGTTTAGATGGCGGTACCCTTC	
<i>Lac3</i>	Lac3-SP1: CCAGTCAAGCAAGGGTAATAACCGTG	TAIL-PCR amplification of 5'-flanking sequence
	Lac3-SP2: TCGGAGAACCATCGCAATACTGA	
	Lac3-SP3: AAGAGTTTCCAGTTGCGATTG	TAIL-PCR amplification of 3'-flanking sequence
	Lac3-SP4: TTCCTCCTATCGTCCCTGTTCTCCTCCAAA	
	Lac3-SP5: TCCTCCCATCCGGCAGCGTCTTCTCATT	Amplification of cDNA
	Lac3-SP6: GCTCCGACACCTACAACCTACGCCAACC	
	Lac3-RT-1: GCGGATGTTAACTTTAATTCTTTGCTC	
	Lac3-RT-2: CTTGTCAGAGTCAGCGAGGGC	
	Lac3E-1: GAATTCAGCAATCGGTCCTGTCACTGA ( <i>EcoRI</i> )	Construction of expression vector
	Lac3E-2: <u>CTAGATTACTTGT</u> CAGAGTCAGCGAGGGC ( <i>XbaI</i> )	
<i>Lac4</i>	Lac4-SP1: TCACACCCGAAACCTACCATCATCAACATC	TAIL-PCR amplification of 5'-flanking sequence
	Lac4-SP2: ATCATAGACGACAAAGGCTCCCCGAAG	
	Lac4-SP3: AGACCATCGCAGTATTGAGTAGACA	TAIL-PCR amplification of 3'-flanking sequence
	Lac4-SP4: GCTTCCTCACACCTCCCACAGTCCCG	
	Lac4-SP5: TTGGAGCAGAATAAGGTGGTGGAGAT	Amplification of cDNA
	Lac4-SP6: ATGAATGCTCCTATTCGTGATGTTGTTA	
	Lac4-RT-1: TAAACCCACCTGAGAGCGATAACGATGT	
	Lac4-RT-2: TATTATGTATCTCCTGGGCTCAAG	
<i>Lac5</i>	Lac5-SP1: CCATTGATAAGAGTCGAGTCCGGTGTCTCTG	TAIL-PCR amplification of 5'-flanking sequence
	Lac5-SP2: GAGGGTCTTCCGGGTCATACACGA	
	Lac5-SP3: AGTATTGGGTAGACAGGTGGCT	TAIL-PCR amplification of 3'-flanking sequence
	Lac5-SP4: CATCCTTTCCATCTCCACGGTGTGTCAGTCAT	
	Lac5-SP5: ATTCTTACAGCAACTTCTGGGTCTGT	Amplification of cDNA
	Lac5-SP6: CTATCCGTTTCGTGGTATGACTTCC	
	Lac5-RT-1: CTCTCCAAGCGATGGTGTCAAA	
	Lac5-RT-2: CCGCTTAATTGGTCTGACTGTTGTTG	

Table S1. Cont.

Gene	Primer Sequence	Purpose	
<i>Lac6</i>	Lac6-SP1: CCGTTAATCAAGGTAGAGTCAGGTGTA	TAIL-PCR amplification of 5'-flanking sequence	
	Lac6-SP2: AGCAGCACTTACTATCGTCTATGTCGT		
	Lac6-SP3: CAGTATTGTGTGCGTGAGTGAC	TAIL-PCR amplification of 3'-flanking sequence	
	Lac6-SP4: GACCTCGTTATTCCTCCCCTCAAGAT		
	Lac6-SP5: TACACCCATTCTGACCGCTATTC	Amplification of cDNA	
	Lac6-SP6: TTCTGGGTCATTCAAAGTGC		
	Lac6-RT-1: ATGGTGCCCGCGCTATCCC		
	Lac6-RT-2: TCGGATTCGCTAAACCAAGACTA		
<i>Lac6E</i>	Lac6E-1: GCAGGAATTCATTACCACAGAGCCGCTTTC ( <i>EcoRI</i> )	Construction of expression vector	
	Lac6E-2: CGGCCCTCTAGACTATGGAACCTAAGTTGTCGT ( <i>XbaI</i> )		
<i>Lac7</i>	Lac7E-1: TTACTCGAGAAAAGAGAGTGAAGCTGCGCC	Construction of expression vector	
	GTTGGTCCTGTAC ( <i>XhoI</i> )		
	Lac7E-2: GGGCGGTCTAGATTACTTGTACCATCAGCA ( <i>XbaI</i> )		
<i>Lac8</i>	Lac8-SP1: CGCCTCGTAGACCGTCGCA	TAIL-PCR amplification of 5'-flanking sequence	
	Lac8-SP2: GGGATAGGGCACTGGTTCACGA		
	Lac8-SP3: AAGAAGCCATGCCAGTGAA	TAIL-PCR amplification of 3'-flanking sequence	
	Lac8-SP4: CGATTTCTGGACATACTCTTGGTTTCT		
	Lac8-SP5: CTCTATCTAACGCAGCCTCACTAAAG	Amplification of cDNA	
	Lac8-SP6: ACTGTAGCATAACTTCCACG		
	Lac8-RT-1: GATGCTTTTTCGCGCTGCA		
	Lac8-RT-2: TTTGTCGCCTTCGGGCAGA		
	<i>Lac8E</i>	Lac8E-1: GAATTCAGCCATTGGCCCCGTCGC ( <i>EcoRI</i> )	Construction of expression vector
		Lac8E-2: GCGGCCGCTAGAGATTTTTGTCGCCTT ( <i>NotI</i> )	

Arbitrary degenerate primers for TAIL-PCR used were same as previously described [2].

**Table S2.** qPCR primers used in this study.

<b>Primer</b>	<b>Sequence</b>
Lac1-F	CTTGGTTCCTCCACTGTCATATC
Lac1-R	GTTATCCAGGACTCAGGAACAG
Lac2-F	GGCCAAACTGGTTACAATTCA
Lac2-R	GAACCAAGGTCCAGGGTTATC
Lac3-F	CACATCGACTGGCATTGGA
Lac3-R	GTCAGCAGGGATGTTAGTGTTAG
Lac4-F	CGGGCAAACCACATACTA
Lac4-R	CCGGGATTATCGGTCACAAATC
Lac5-F	ACATTGACTGGCACTTGGA
Lac5-R	CAGTCCTTAGGTGTTGGGTTAG
Lac6-F	CGTTAGGGACGTGGTGAATATC
Lac6-R	CGATATGGCAGTGGAGGAAC
Lac7-F	CTGGTCAAACACTACTCCCACTAC
Lac7-R	GGTGGTGAAACGGATGGTAA
Lac8-F	CAGGAGAGACCACCTACAATTATG
Lac8-R	GTTGTCAGTAGTGAAGCGGATAG
18S rRNA-F	AGACGGAAGTTTGAGGCAATAA
18S rRNA-R	CTCCCGCCAAGGTGAATAA
ATP6-F	CAAGAGCTAATGGAGTACCTGAA
ATP6-R	CACTATATGGACGGCTGTTACT
Cyt-c-F	CTGATATGGCCTTCCCTAGATTG
Cyt-c-R	CATCCTGTACCAGCTCCATTT
EF1-F	CTACCAACGTGACCACTGAA
EF1-R	GACGTTCTTGACGTTGAAACC
$\beta$ -tubulin-F	TTAGGTCGCCACTATCTTCCG
$\beta$ -tubulin-R	AACTGGTCGCTGACACGCT
GAPDH-F	CCGAGTACTTGGAGTCGTATTG
GAPDH-R	TGCCAAGAAGGTCATCATCTC
RPB2-F	GTATGGTTTGTCTGCTGAAAC
RPB2-R	GAGAACGAACCGACGGAAATA

**Table S3.** Alignment of the signature sequences (L1-L4) of *Cerrena* sp. HYB07 laccases.

Protein	L1	L2	L3	L4
Lac1	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPA <sup>•</sup> SVNQCPV	GTFWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEIG <sup>•</sup> FAMVF
Lac2	HWHGFFQKGTAWADGPAFV <sup>•</sup> TQCPI	GTFWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEAGI <sup>•</sup> AVVF
Lac3	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPA <sup>•</sup> MVNQCPI	GTFWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> FALIF
Lac4	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPAFV <sup>•</sup> TQCPI	GTFWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> BAVVL
Lac5	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPAFV <sup>•</sup> TQCPI	GTFWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEAGI <sup>•</sup> AVVF
Lac6	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPAFV <sup>•</sup> TQCPI	GTFWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEAGI <sup>•</sup> AVVF
Lac7	HWHGFFQKGS <sup>•</sup> SWADGADSV <sup>•</sup> TQCPI	GTFWYHSHSR <sup>•</sup> TQYCDGLRGAM	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLDAG <sup>•</sup> LAIVF
Lac8	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPAFV <sup>•</sup> NQCPI	GTYWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> BAVVF
Lac8	HWHGFFQKGTNWADGPA <sup>•</sup> SFVNQCPI	GTYWYHSHLSTQYCDGLRGA <sup>•</sup> F	HPFHLHGH	GPWFLHCHIDWHLEGG <sup>•</sup> LAVVF

Amino acids (Ser, Glu and Phe) with proposed roles in determining the redox potential are indicated by dark dots underneath.

**Table S4.** Alignment of the potential substrate-binding loops of *Cerrena* sp. HYB07 laccases.

Protein	Loop I B1-B2	B4-B5	Loop II B7-B8	Loop III C1-C2	Loop IV C4-C5	C7-C8
Lac1	TLARKLKGPV <sup>•</sup> PD	ISCDPNY	ANPNAG-MKGF <sup>•</sup> DGGIN	FGFANG-----HFI	LAATRKA <sup>•</sup> VGGP	HIDWHLEIG <sup>•</sup> F
Lac2	VLARTVVG <sup>•</sup> VATPD	ISCDPNY	AKPNIG <sup>•</sup> TDTTTNGMN	LSFAAG-----RFS	IPAG--V <sup>•</sup> VGGP	HIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> L
Lac3	TLARLGAA <sup>•</sup> FPTPD	LSCDPNF	ANPNLG-TTGF <sup>•</sup> ANGIN	FAFNGSAL-----QFI	MPGG--V <sup>•</sup> VGGG	HIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> F
Lac4	ALAQT <sup>•</sup> VVGPAVSD	ISCDPNF	AKPNIG-NTTEL <sup>•</sup> GGLN	FGFSNG-----RFI	IPAAG-A <sup>•</sup> VGGP	HIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> F
Lac5	VLAPT <sup>•</sup> VKFTATPD	IGCFPNY	AVPNLG-DKST <sup>•</sup> DKGIN	LSFSSN-----RFF	IPPR--A <sup>•</sup> HDGP	HIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> L
Lac6	TLSPN <sup>•</sup> MSGKPTPD	ISCDPNY	AKPNNARD <sup>•</sup> PSFNGGLN	LSFQNV <sup>•</sup> TDPTKEVAGKEM	IPPL--K <sup>•</sup> IGGP	HIDWHLDAG <sup>•</sup> L
Lac7	TLARQ <sup>•</sup> IVGVAIAD	ISCDPNY	ANPNLG-TTGF <sup>•</sup> TGGIN	LGFSAG-----KFI	LAAG--V <sup>•</sup> LGGP	HIDWHLEAG <sup>•</sup> F
Lac8	TLAHKN <sup>•</sup> VDPVAD	TSCEPNY	ANPNVG-TPGF <sup>•</sup> AGGIN	VGLTPNGL-----LYI	LAAD--V <sup>•</sup> IAGP	HIDWHLEGG <sup>•</sup> L

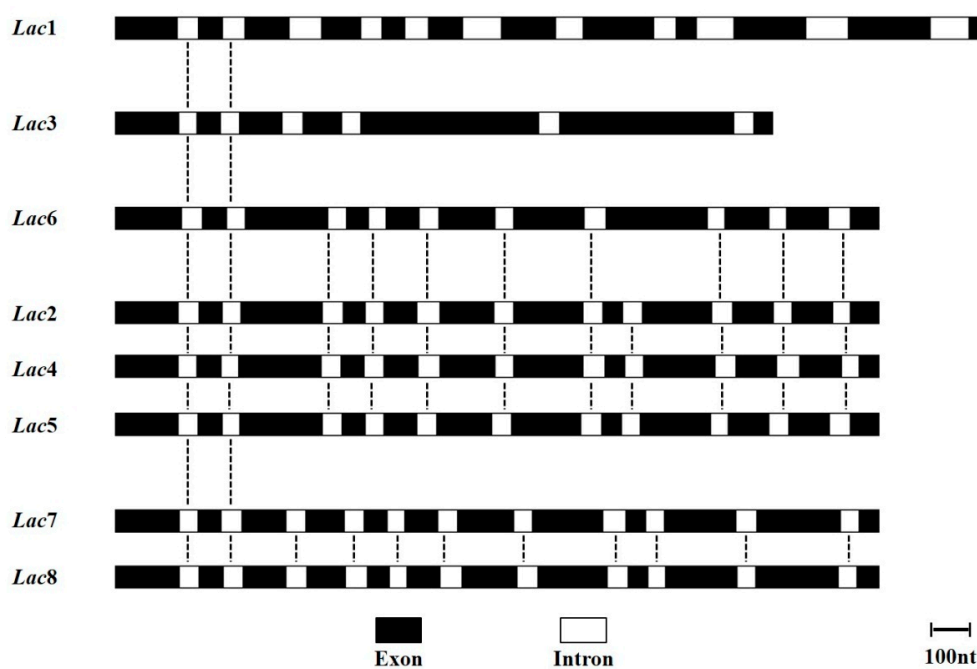
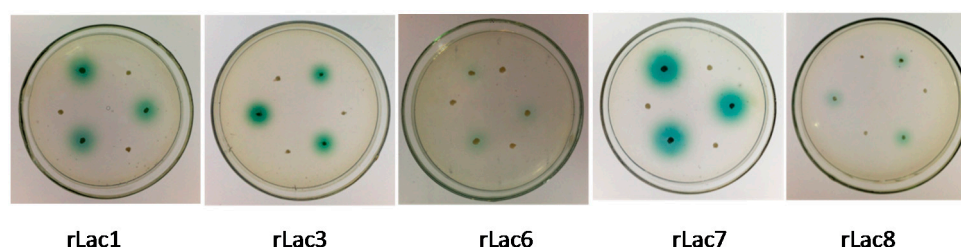
The potential substrate-binding loops were named according to nomenclature of Hakulinen et al. [3] for the two  $\beta$ -strands flanking the respective loop. Open circles underneath indicate the residues corresponding to amino acids in contact with the substrate 2,5-xylydine in LacIIIb of *T. versicolor* [4]. Closed circles underneath indicate the residues corresponding to amino acids in contact with the substrate 2,5-xylydine in Lac7 as proposed by molecular docking (Figure 1B).

**Table S5.** Predicted secondary structures of *Cerrena* sp. HYB07 laccases.

	$\alpha$ -Helix (%)	Extend Strand (%)	$\beta$ -Turn (%)	Random Coil (%)
Lac1	7.74	29.01	6.19	57.06
Lac2	11.22	30.23	5.32	53.23
Lac3	11.20	29.34	7.14	52.32
Lac4	10.66	28.68	6.59	54.07
Lac5	12.19	29.71	7.24	50.86
Lac6	7.93	29.52	5.54	57.01
Lac7	10.66	29.46	6.20	53.68
Lac8	11.95	29.48	6.55	52.02

**Table S6.** geNorm stability ranking (from most stable to least stable) of *Cerrena* sp. HYB07 housekeeping genes during submerged and solid state fermentation.

Rank	Submerged Fermentation	Solid State Fermentation
1	<i>18S rRNA</i>	<i><math>\beta</math>-tubulin</i>
	<i>Cyt-c</i>	<i>EF1-<math>\alpha</math></i>
3	<i>GAPDH</i>	<i>GAPDH</i>
4	<i>EF1-<math>\alpha</math></i>	<i>18S rRNA</i>
5	<i><math>\beta</math>-tubulin</i>	<i>ATP6</i>
6	<i>ATP6</i>	<i>RPB2</i>
7	<i>RPB2</i>	<i>Cyt-c</i>

**Figure S1.** Genetic organization of *Cerrena* sp. HYB07 laccases genes.**Figure S2.** Positive *Pichia* transformants on MM agar plates supplemented with 0.2 mM ABTS.

Colonies of *Pichia* transformants expressing recombinant laccases turned green while negative controls (transformed with pPICZ $\alpha$  C) did not.

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