

Supplementary Information

TABLE S1 Primers used in this study.

| Primer Name | Description | Primer Sequence |
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| KA1061 | 5'-pUC19 <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> for | CGGTACCCGGGGATCCCTCCTTAGGCTATTC |
| KA1062 | pUC19 <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> rev-3' | CCATGATTACGCCAAGCTTCATTATATTAAGG |
| KA1063 | 5'-pUC19 <i>EfTX1342lit2</i> for | CGGTACCCGGGGATCCCGCTAGTGGGAACATC |
| KA1064 | pUC19 <i>EfTX1342lit2</i> rev-3' | CCATGATTACGCCAAGCTTCTCTCAAAGTCATTCC |
| KA1065 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> upstream | GACGGCCAGTGAATTCATGTCCGTGCCCTTTATG |
| KA1066 | <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> upstream-3' | TAATAGAAATAGCATGC |
| KA1067 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> downstream | GCATGCTATTTCTATTAACCTTTGACAACAATTCATCAT |
| KA1068 | <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> downstream-3' | TGATTACGCCAAGCTGGACATTCTACTTGAGA |
| KA1155 | 5'-P _{xyI} | CAAGGAGGTGAATGTACAATGAAAAAAGCATGC |
| KA1156 | P _{xyI} -3' | CGGCCGGTACCGGATCCCTCCTTAGGCTATTC |
| TM1172 | 5'-pKFC ori QC for | GTGTATTAGCACCGTTATTATATCATG |
| TM1173 | pKFC ori QC rev-3' | CTTTTTTCATCCTACCTTCTGTATCAG |
| TM1174 | 5'-pKFC plas for | GTAGGATGAAAAAAGAGCATTATCATATTC |
| TM1175 | pKFC plas rev-3' | ACGGTGCTAATACACTTAACAAAATTTAG |
| KA1511 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> qPCR | GTCTCAGATCGCGGTATAAA |
| KA1512 | <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> qPCR- 3' | GCTACTCGTAGAAAGAAGCA |
| KA1515 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANcopA</i> qPCR | TCTTTGCCGAACAACACTACC |
| KA1516 | <i>LmCFSANcopA</i> qPCR-3' | TGCCATCACCAACGAATG |
| TM1554 | <i>EfTX1342lit2</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGACAATCGTTGTTAGTG |
| TM1555 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342lit2</i> T7 | GTCTTTGCTTTGTCGCTTGC |
| TM1556 | <i>EfTX1342copB2</i> T7- 3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAAGCATGTGCCACCAG |
| TM1557 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342copB2</i> T7 | CCAATGTCAATTTGGCTACAG |

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| TXM1560 | <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAGTCAAAGTAGAAACAC |
| TXM1561 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> T7 | CAAACCTGGAGTAGATCTCAAG |
| TM1564 | <i>EfTX1342lit1</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAAAATAAAGGACACTAGG |
| TM1565 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342lit1</i> T7 | GCGTTTAAGGGAAACACTTGGAC |
| KA1566 | <i>LmCFSANlgt2</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGACAATTTCTCCATAGG |
| KA1567 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlgt2</i> T7 | GCTAATAGAAGAGCAAAGCGTG |
| TM1568 | <i>EfTX1342copA</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAGTCGCATGTGTCATTGG |
| TM1569 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342copA</i> T7 | CTGTGAACCAATTATCTGGTGTTTC |
| KA1576 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342gyrA</i> qPCR | TTCCAACAGGCGGTTTAG |
| KA1577 | <i>EfTX1342gyrA</i> qPCR-3' | TCCATTCGGCATTTCAGTC |
| TM1594 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342lit2</i> qPCR | GTCGCTTGCAATTTCAAGTTAC |
| TM1595 | <i>EfTX1342lit2</i> qPCR- 3' | GGATTGTTCAAGTAGTTCATC |
| TM1596 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342lit1</i> qPCR | GGCTTTAAGTATCACGATCAC |
| TM1597 | <i>EfTX1342lit1</i> qPCR- 3' | AATCAAGGTCACACGATCAAC |
| TM1598 | 5'- <i>EfTX1342copA</i> qPCR | ACGATTGAAAAAGCTGTGAAC |
| TM1599 | <i>EfTX1342copA</i> qPCR-3' | ATAACCTGCATCCGTAAGT |
| KA1604 | <i>LmCFSANcopY</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGACATTGAATTCCTCCG |
| KA1605 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANcopY</i> T7 | CAGGTATCGAATTCAGAG |
| KA1628 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlgt1</i> T7 | GCGCTAATTGGTGACG |
| KA1629 | <i>LmCFSANlgt1</i> T7-3' | GTTTATAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGACTTCCAAATGAATACC |
| TM1786 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> P _{Gram+} | TAGAAGTAGTGGATCAACGACGGCCAGTGAATTGACAAA AATTGGTATATATGATATAATATAATCAAGGAGTGATCTA |
| TM1787 | <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> P _{Gram+} - 3' | AGGGAACAAAAGCTGACCATCCCTCCTTAGG |
| TM1800 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> P _{pen} | AACAGCGCGTGTATTAGGAGTGATCTAATAT |
| TM1801 | <i>LmCFSANlit2</i> P _{pen} - 3' | ACGGCCAGTGAATTAAGCTAATTCCGGTGG |
| TM1841 | 5'- <i>LmCFSANcopY</i> qPCR | CAGGTATCGAATTCAGAGTTAGATG |
| TM1842 | <i>LmCFSANcopY</i> qPCR-3' | CCAACCTATTACGCTCTTGATTC |

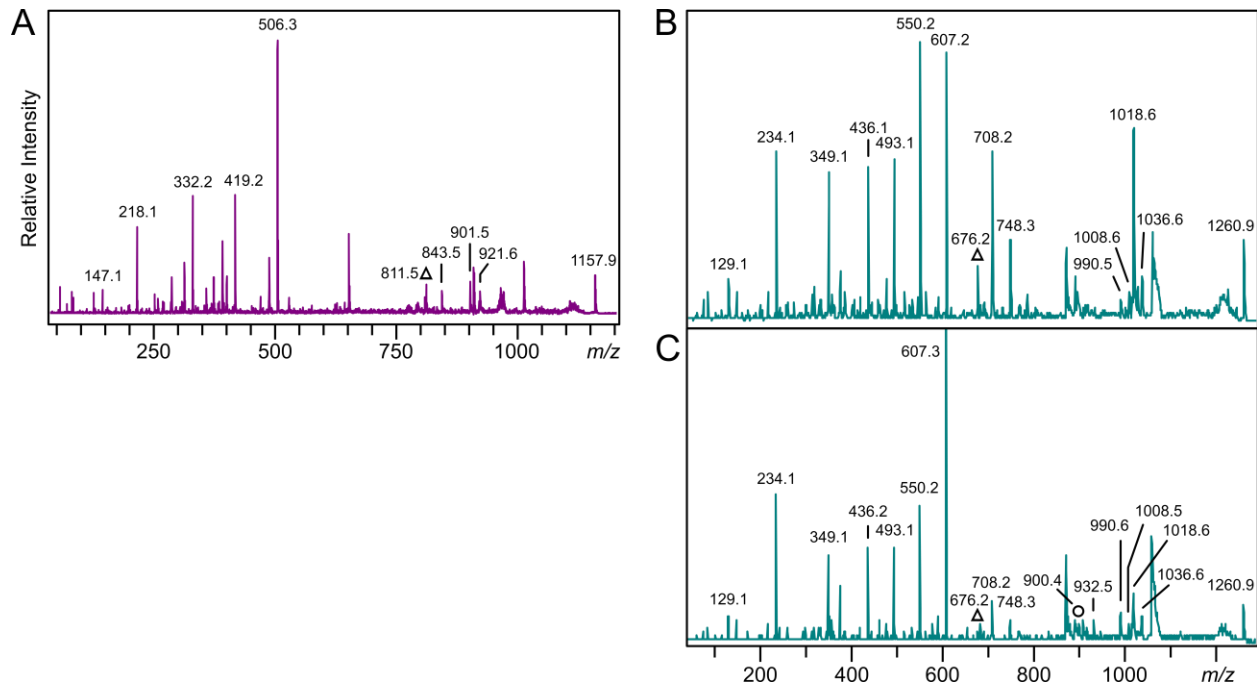


FIG S1 MALDI-TOF MS/MS spectrum of the protonated parent ions m/z 1157.9 and 1260.9. (A) MS/MS spectrum of the protonated parent ion m/z 1157.9 of Lpp purified from strain KA811 expressing *E. faecalis* TX1342 *lit2*. MS/MS spectra of the protonated parent ion m/z 1260.9 of the *L. monocytogenes* lipoprotein KO07_11695 from strain KA847 (ATCC 19115) (B), and KA849 (ATCC 19115 + $pP_{xyI}Lmlit2$) plus 2% xylose (C). The diagnostic dehydroalanyl ions for the diacylglycerol-modified (triangle) and the lyso (circle) lipopeptide are indicated.

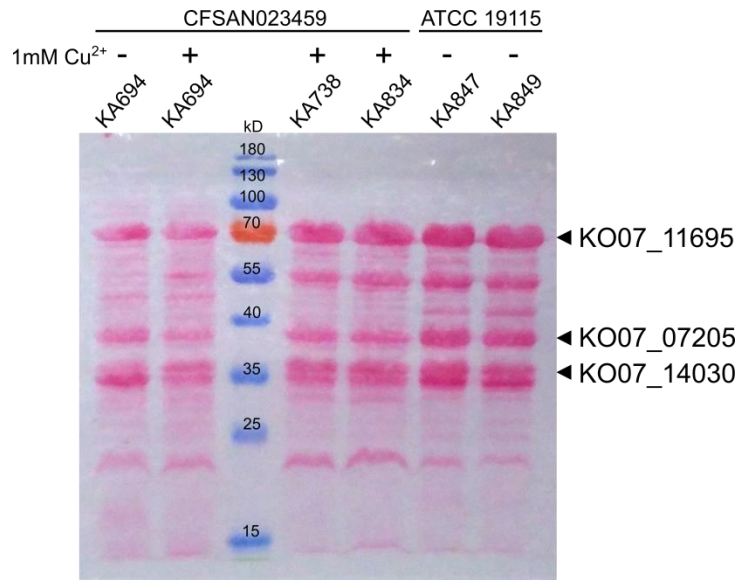


FIG S2 Lipoprotein profiles from *Listeria monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 and ATCC 19115. Using the Triton X-114 phase partitioning method, lipoproteins were enriched from the following *L. monocytogenes* strains grown in HTM+ with the indicated amount of CuCl_2 : KA694 (CFSAN023459) without and with 1 mM CuCl_2 , KA738 (CFSAN023459 $\Delta lit2$) with 1 mM CuCl_2 , KA834 (CFSAN023459 $\Delta lit2 + plit2$) with 1 mM CuCl_2 plus 2% xylose, KA847 (ATCC 19115) in HTM+only, and KA849 (ATCC 19115 + *pxyllit2*) in HTM+ plus 2% xylose. The Triton X-114 phases were separated by SDS-PAGE, transferred to nitrocellulose membrane, and visualized by Ponceau S staining. The lipoproteins chosen for analysis by MALDI-TOF are indicated.

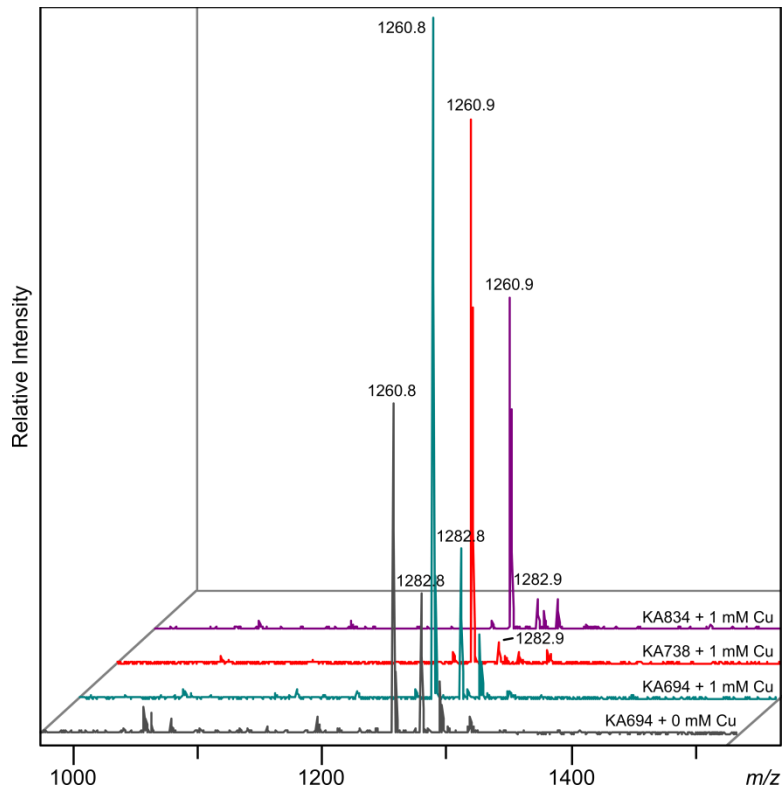


FIG S3 MALDI-TOF MS of KO07_11695, a predicted peptide ABC transporter substrate-binding lipoprotein. The stacked parent MS spectra of the m/z 1260 ion region corresponding to the N -terminal lipopeptide of KO07_11695 from *L. monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 are shown. The natural abundance of the sodium adduct m/z 1282 is also indicated. The lipoprotein was purified from KA694 (CFSAN023459) grown without and with 1 mM CuCl_2 , KA738 (CFSAN023459 $\Delta lit2$) grown with 1 mM CuCl_2 , and KA834 (CFSAN023459 $\Delta lit2 + pxyllit2$) grown with 1 mM CuCl_2 plus 2% xylose.

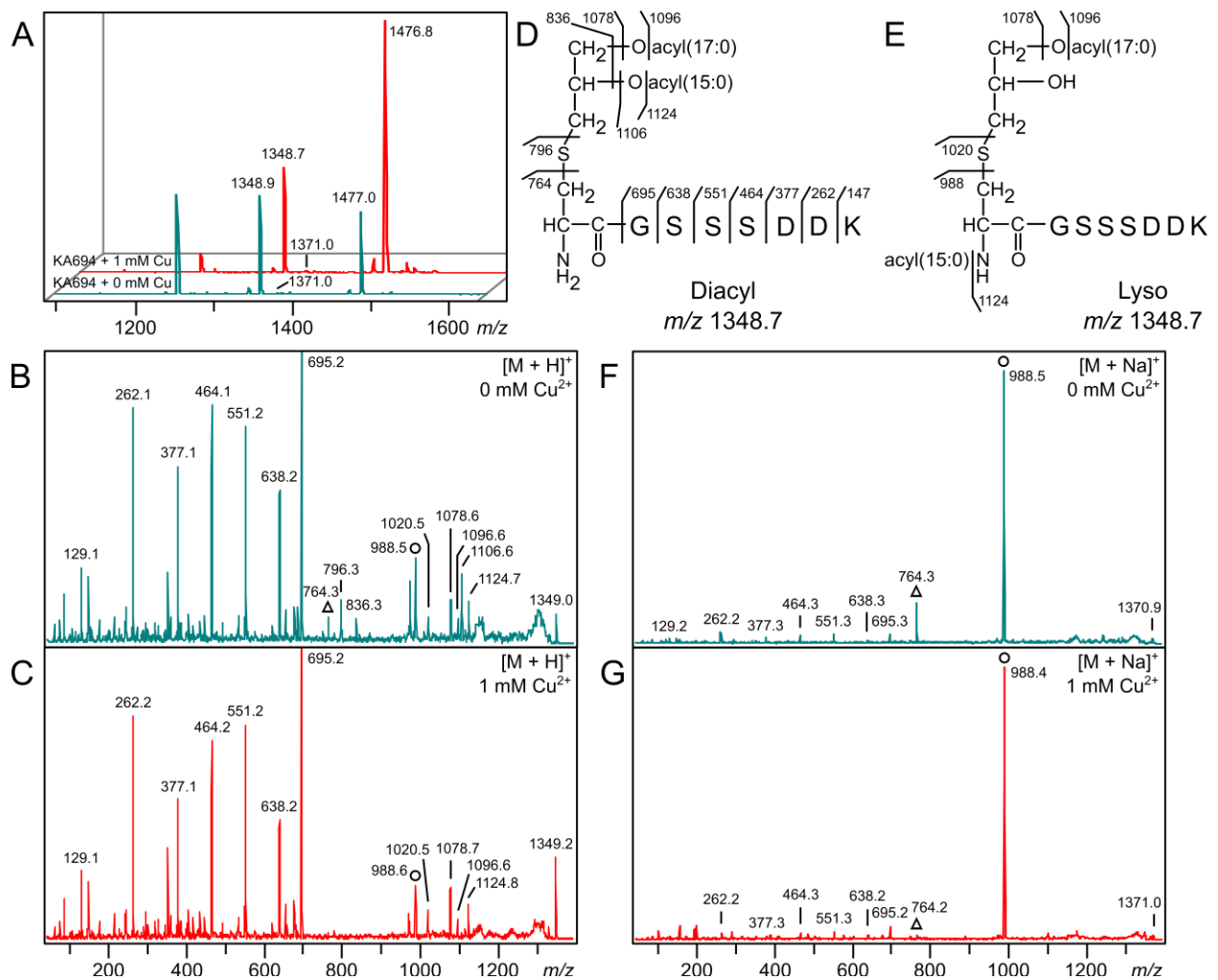


FIG S4 MALDI-TOF MS and MS/MS of KO07_07205, a predicted PnrA-like lipoprotein. (A) The stacked parent MS spectra of the m/z 1348 ion region corresponding to the N-terminal lipopeptide of KO07_07205 from *L. monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 (KA694) grown with (red traces) and without (turquoise traces) 1 mM CuCl $_2$ are shown. The natural abundance of the sodium adduct m/z 1370 is also indicated. (B, F) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1349.0 (B) and the sodiated m/z 1370.9 (F) parent ions reveal both diacylglycerol-modified and lyso-form lipopeptides when KA694 is grown without CuCl $_2$. (C, G) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1349.2 (C) and the sodiated m/z 1371.0 (G) parent ions reveal near-conversion to the lyso form when exogenous CuCl $_2$ is added to the growth media. (D, E) The elucidated structures of the diacylglycerol-modified (D) and the lyso-form (E) N-terminal lipopeptides are shown. The diagnostic dehydroalanyl ions for the diacylglycerol-modified (triangle) and the lyso (circle) lipopeptide are indicated.

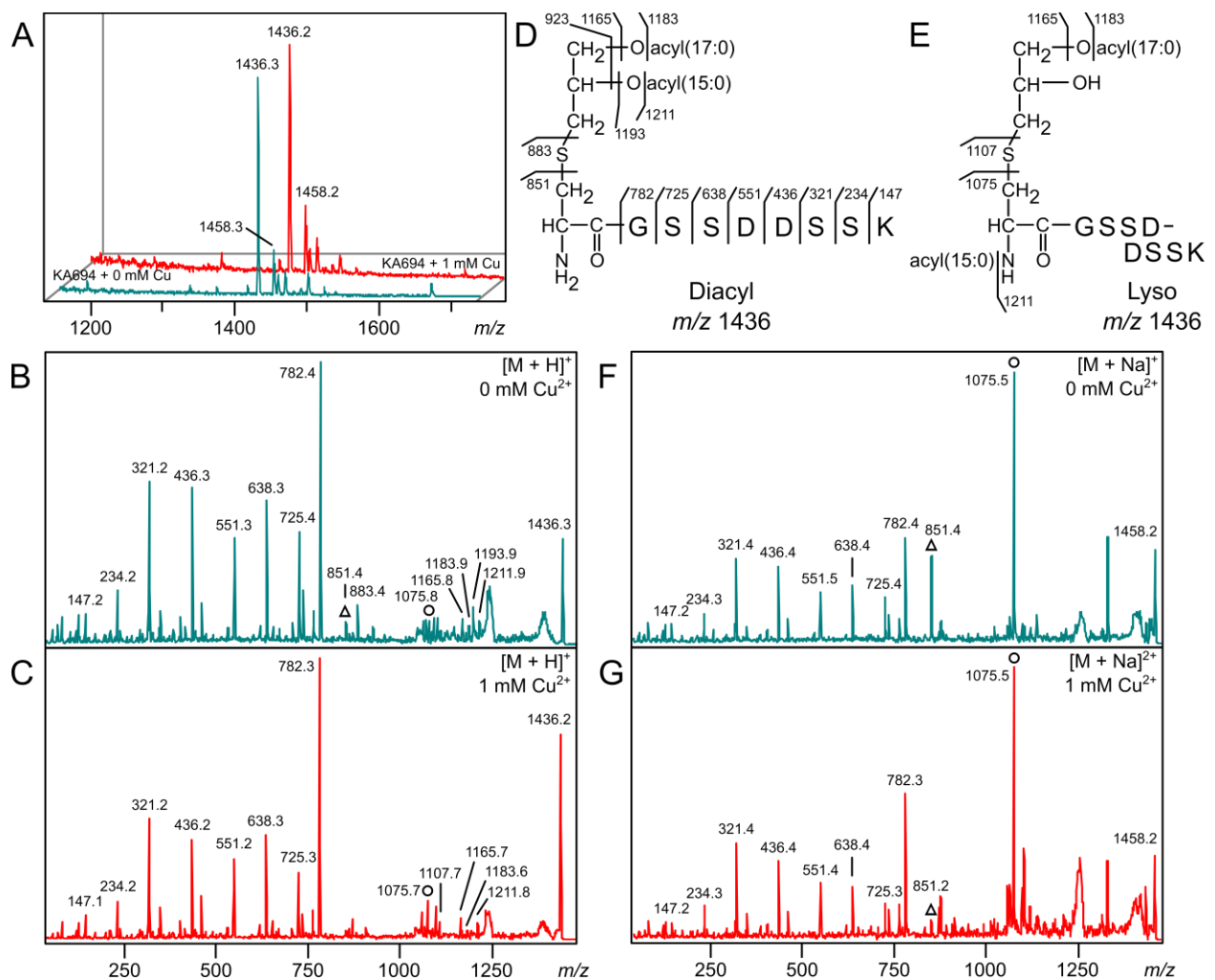


FIG S5 MALDI-TOF MS and MS/MS of KO07_14030, a predicted FMN-binding lipoprotein. (A) The stacked parent MS spectra of the m/z 1436 ion region corresponding to the N-terminal lipopeptide of KO07_14030 from *L. monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 (KA694) grown with and without 1 mM $CuCl_2$ are shown. The natural abundance of the sodium adduct m/z 1458 is also indicated. (B, F) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1436.3 (B) and the sodiated m/z 1458.2 (F) parent ions reveal both diacylglycerol-modified and lyso-form lipopeptides when KA694 is grown without copper. (C, G) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1436.2 (C) and the sodiated m/z 1458.2 (G) parent ions reveal near-conversion to the lyso form when exogenous $CuCl_2$ is added to the growth media. (D, E) The elucidated structures of the diacylglycerol-modified (D) and the lyso-form (E) N-terminal lipopeptides are shown. The diagnostic dehydroalanyl ions for the diacylglycerol-modified (triangle) and the lyso (circle) lipopeptide are indicated.

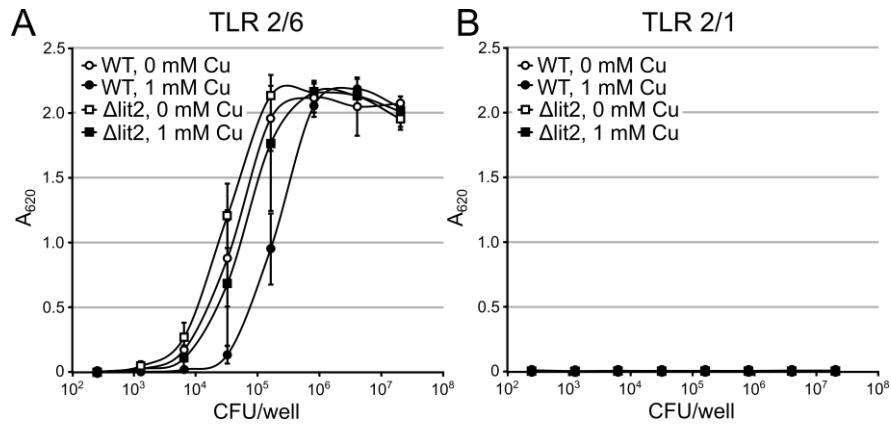


Fig S6 TLR2 response to whole bacteria. (A) HEK-Blue-TLR2/6 cells were exposed to 5-fold dilutions of heat-inactivated, whole bacteria cells of *L. monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 (WT) grown with or without 1 mM CuCl_2 , as well as the derivative $\Delta lit2$ cells grown with or without 1 mM CuCl_2 . (B) HEK-Blue-TLR2/1 cells were exposed to the same bacterial cell preparations as in panel A. The data are shown as the mean \pm the standard deviation of three biological replicates.

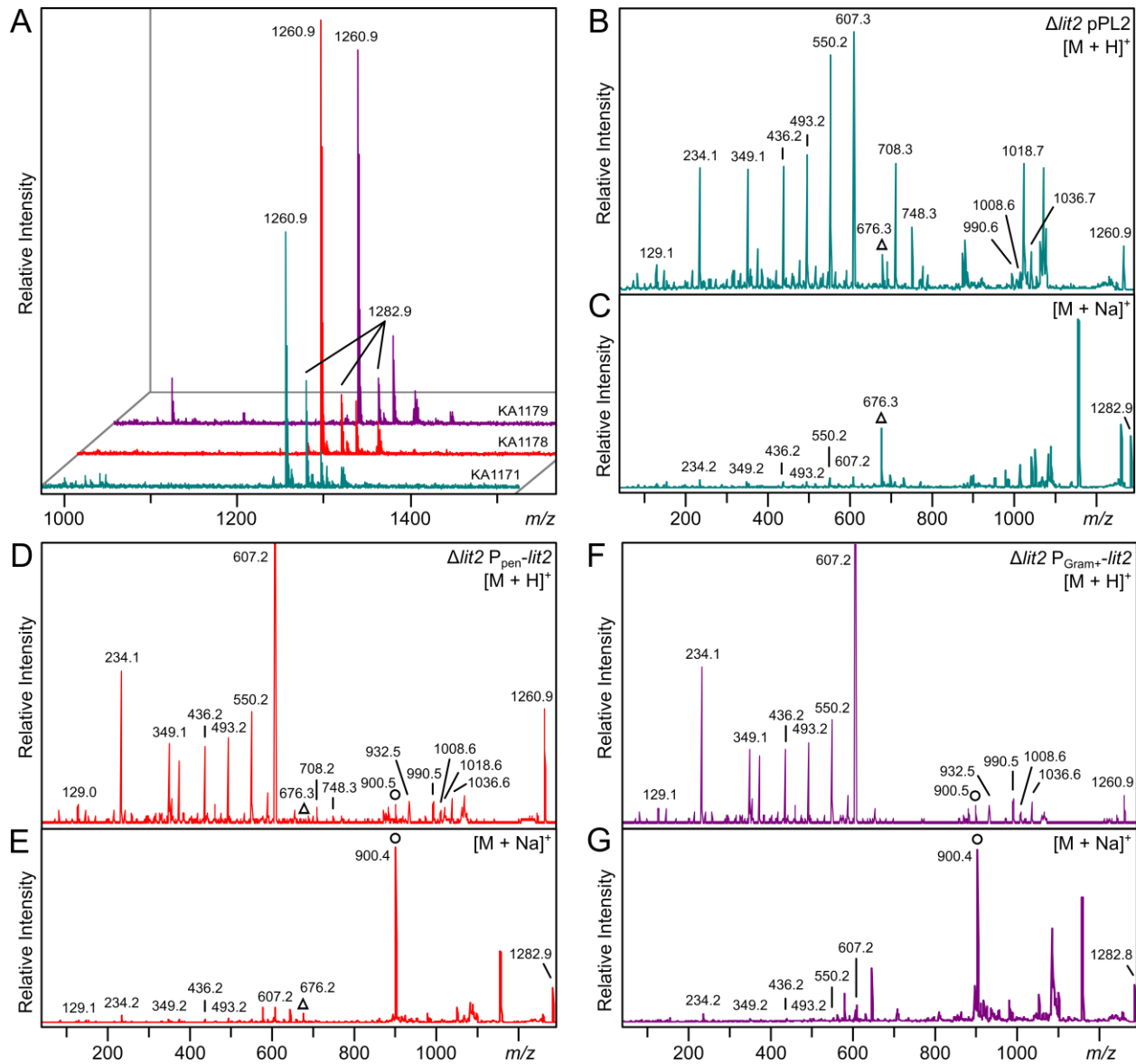


FIG S7 MALDI-TOF MS and MS/MS of KO07_11695 from strains KA1171, KA1178, and KA1179. (A) The stacked parent MS spectra of the m/z 1260 ion region corresponding to the N -terminal lipopeptide of KO07_11695 from *L. monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 are shown. The natural abundance of the sodium adduct m/z 1282 is also indicated. (B, C) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1260 (B) and sodiated m/z 1282 (C) parent ions of strain KA1171 ($\Delta lit2 attB::pPL2$). (D, E) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1260 (D) and sodiated m/z 1282 (E) parent ions of strain KA1178 ($\Delta lit2 attB::pPL2-P_{pen}-lit2$). (F, G) The MS/MS spectra of the protonated m/z 1260 (F) and sodiated m/z 1282 (G) parent ions of strain KA1179 ($\Delta lit2 attB::pPL2-P_{Gram+}-lit2$). The elucidated structures of the diacylglycerol-modified and the lyso-form N -terminal peptides are shown in Fig. 2 (E and G, respectively). The diagnostic dehydroalanyl ions for the diacylglycerol-modified (triangle) and the lyso (circle) lipopeptide are indicated.

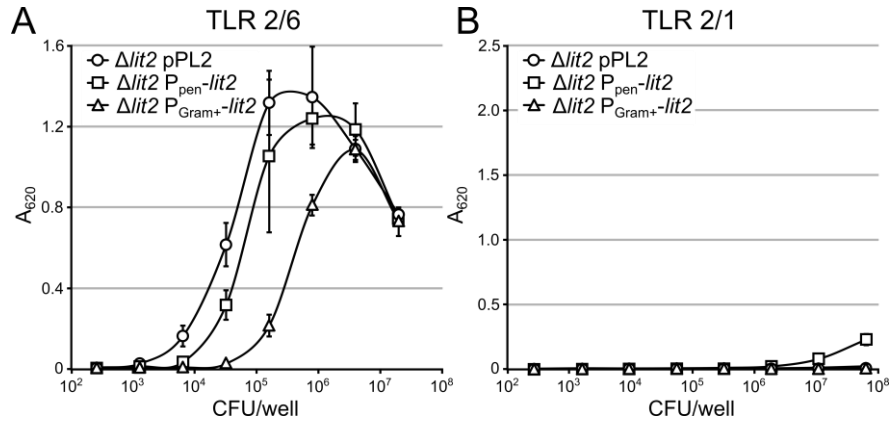


Fig S8 TLR2 response to whole bacteria. (A) HEK-Blue-TLR2/1 cells were exposed to 5-fold dilutions of heat-inactivated, whole bacteria cells of the *L. monocytogenes* CFSAN023459 $\Delta lit2$ derivative strains with the pPL2 empty vector, or *lit2* under the control of the P_{pen} or P_{Gram+} promoters, integrated into the chromosome. (B) HEK-Blue-TLR2/6 cells were exposed to the same bacterial cell preparations as in panel A. The data are shown as the mean \pm the standard deviation of three biological replicates.

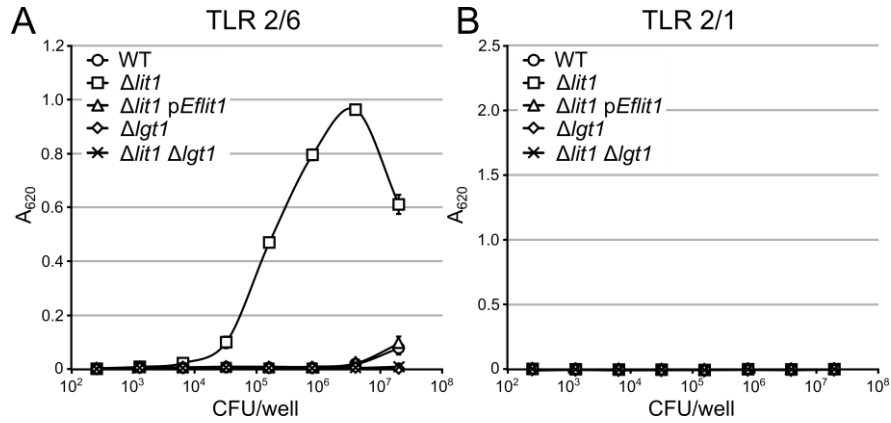


Fig S9 TLR2 response to whole bacteria. (A) HEK-Blue-TLR2/6 cells were exposed to 5-fold dilutions of heat-inactivated, whole bacteria cells of *Enterococcus faecalis* ATCC 19433 and the indicated derivatives. (B) HEK-Blue-TLR2/1 cells were exposed to the same bacterial cell preparations as in panel A. The data are shown as the mean \pm the standard deviation of three biological replicates.