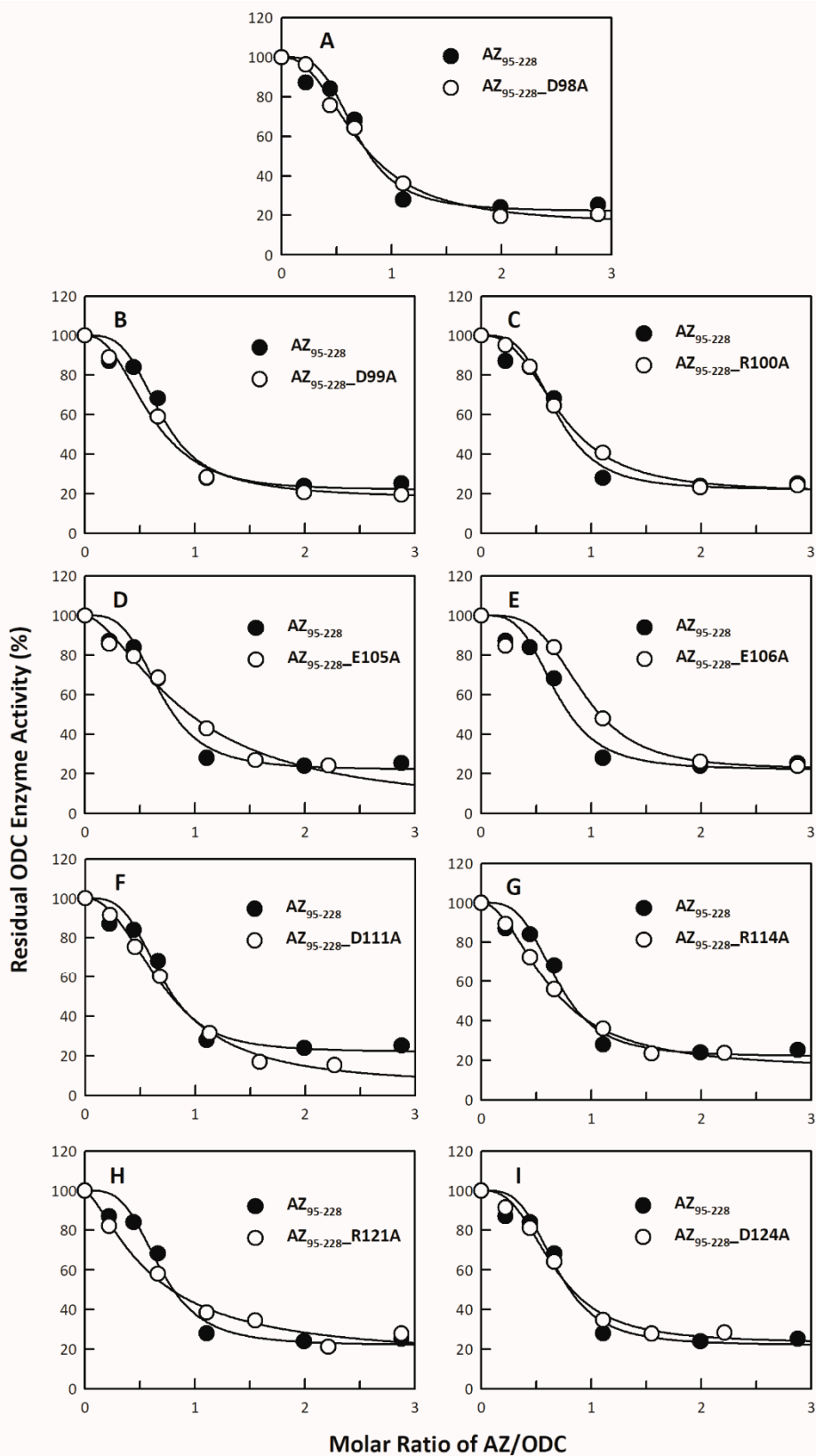


## **Supplementary Data**

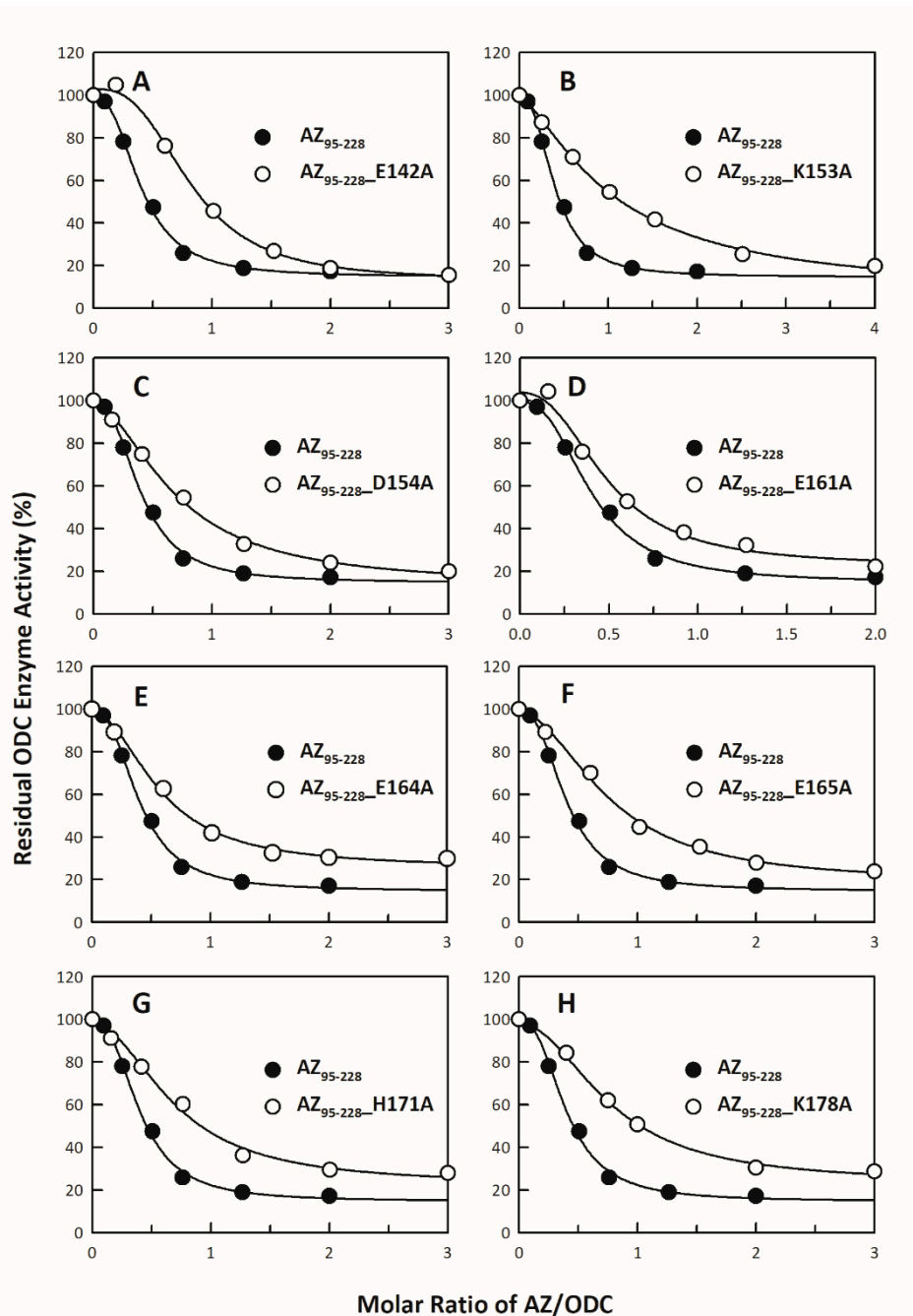
### **Critical factors in human antizymes that determine the differential binding, inhibition, and degradation of human ornithine decarboxylase**

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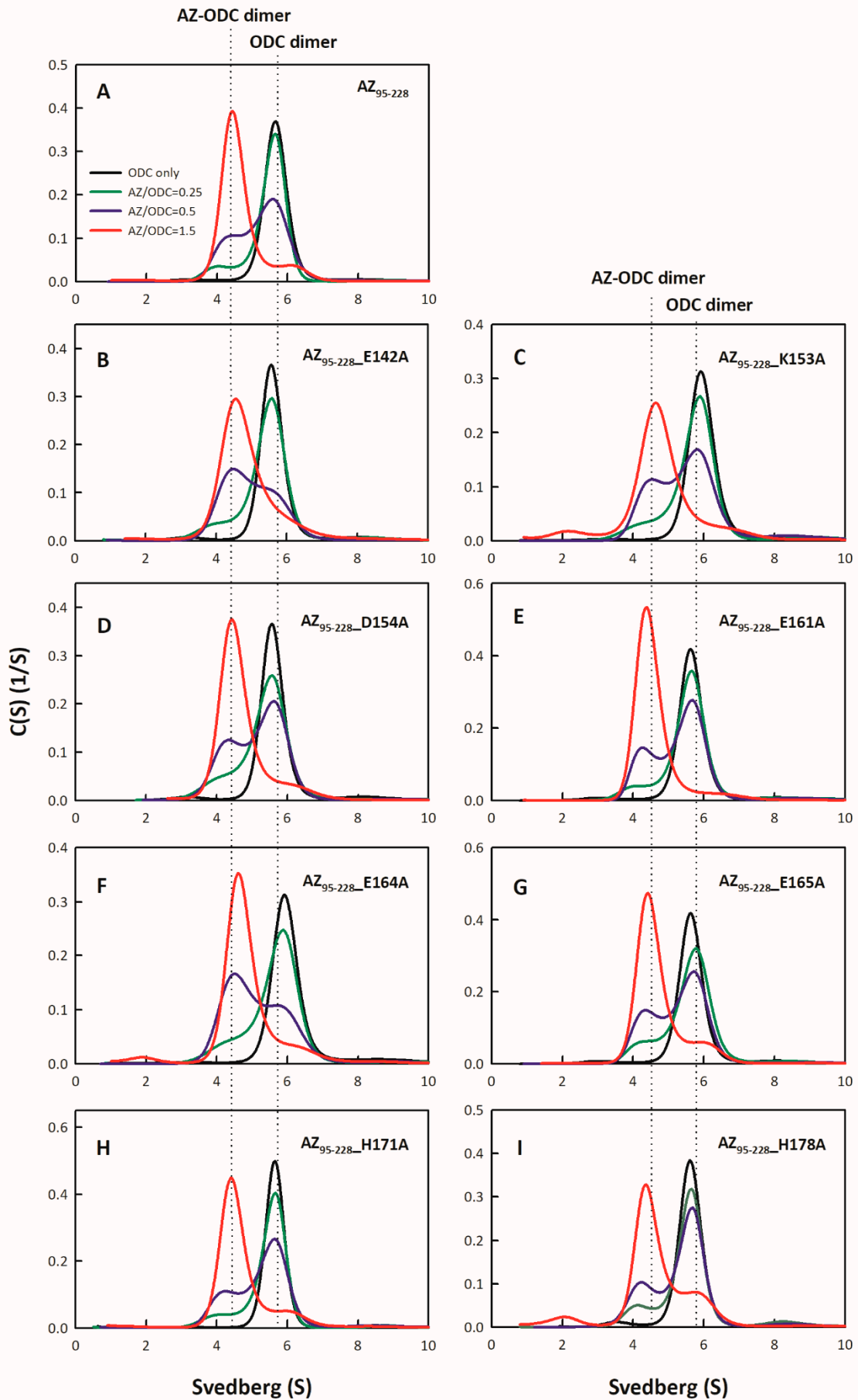
**Figure S1: Inhibition plots of the ODC enzyme with single mutants of AZ<sub>95-228</sub> within the  $\beta$ 1- $\beta$ 3 region and their connecting loops.**

The enzyme activity of ODC was inhibited by various single mutants of AZ<sub>95-228</sub>. The IC<sub>50</sub> value of each single mutant of AZ<sub>95-228</sub> presented in Table S1 was derived by curve-fitting the inhibition plots. The molar ratio refers to AZ<sub>95-228</sub> versus the ODC monomer. (A) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_D98A, (B) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_D99A, (C) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_R100A, (D) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_E105A, (E) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_E106A, (F) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_D111A, (G) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_R114A, (H) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_R121A and (I) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_D124A.



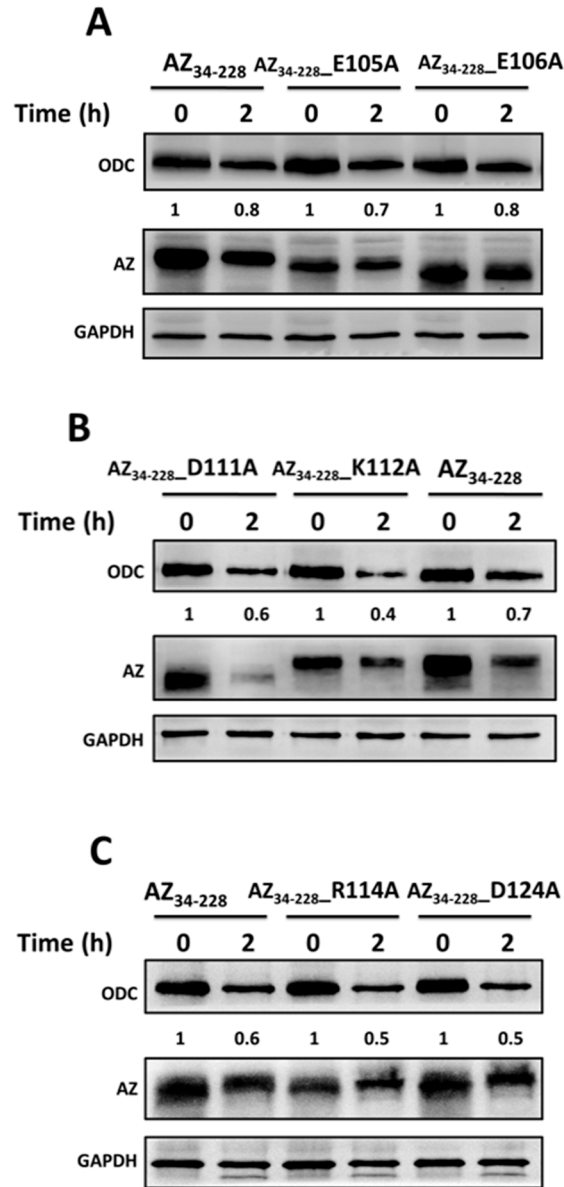
**Figure S2: Inhibition plots of the ODC enzyme with single mutants within the region after  $\beta 4$  strand of AZ<sub>95-228</sub>.**

The enzyme activity of ODC was inhibited by various single mutants of AZ<sub>95-228</sub>. The IC<sub>50</sub> values of single mutants of AZ<sub>95-228</sub> presented in Table 1 were derived by curve-fitting the inhibition plots. The molar ratio refers to AZ<sub>95-228</sub> versus the ODC monomer. (A) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_E142A, (B) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_K153A, (C) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_D154A, (D) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_E161A, (E) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_E164A, (F) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_D165A, (G) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_H171A, and (H) AZ<sub>95-228</sub>\_K178A.



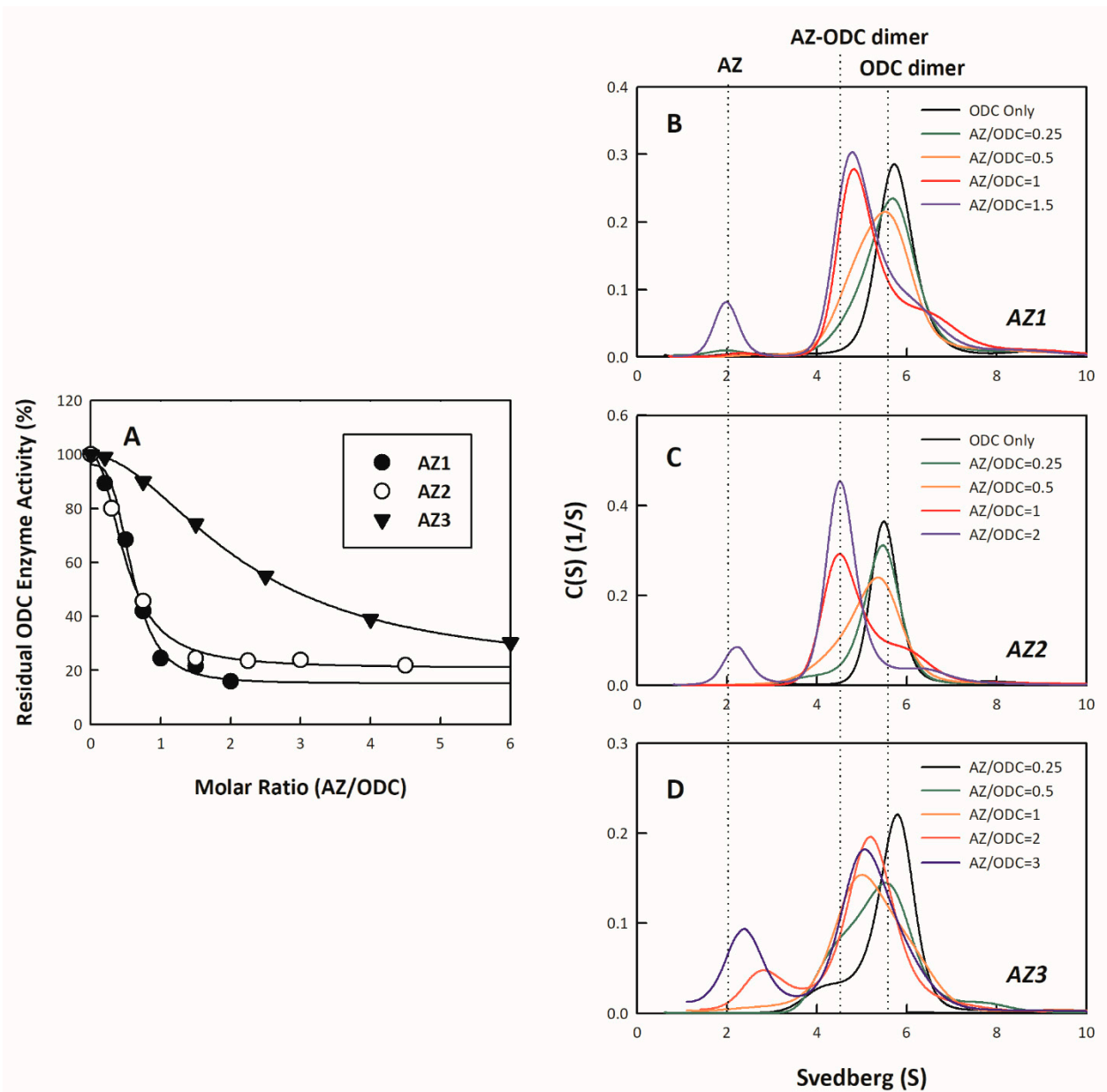
**Figure S3: Plots of continuous sedimentation coefficient distributions of the single mutants of  $AZ_{95-228}$ -ODC.**

(A)  $AZ_{95-228}$ -ODC, (B)  $AZ_{95-228\_E142A}$ -ODC, (C)  $AZ_{95-228\_K153A}$ -ODC, (D)  $AZ_{95-228\_D154A}$ -ODC, (E)  $AZ_{95-228\_E161A}$ -ODC, (F)  $AZ_{95-228\_E164A}$ -ODC, (G)  $AZ_{95-228\_D165A}$ -ODC, (H)  $AZ_{95-228\_H171A}$ -ODC, and (I)  $AZ_{95-228\_K178A}$ -ODC. The sedimentation velocity data for each figure were globally fitted with the SEDPHAT program to acquire  $K_d$  values for the  $AZ_{95-228}$ -ODC heterodimers shown in Table 2.



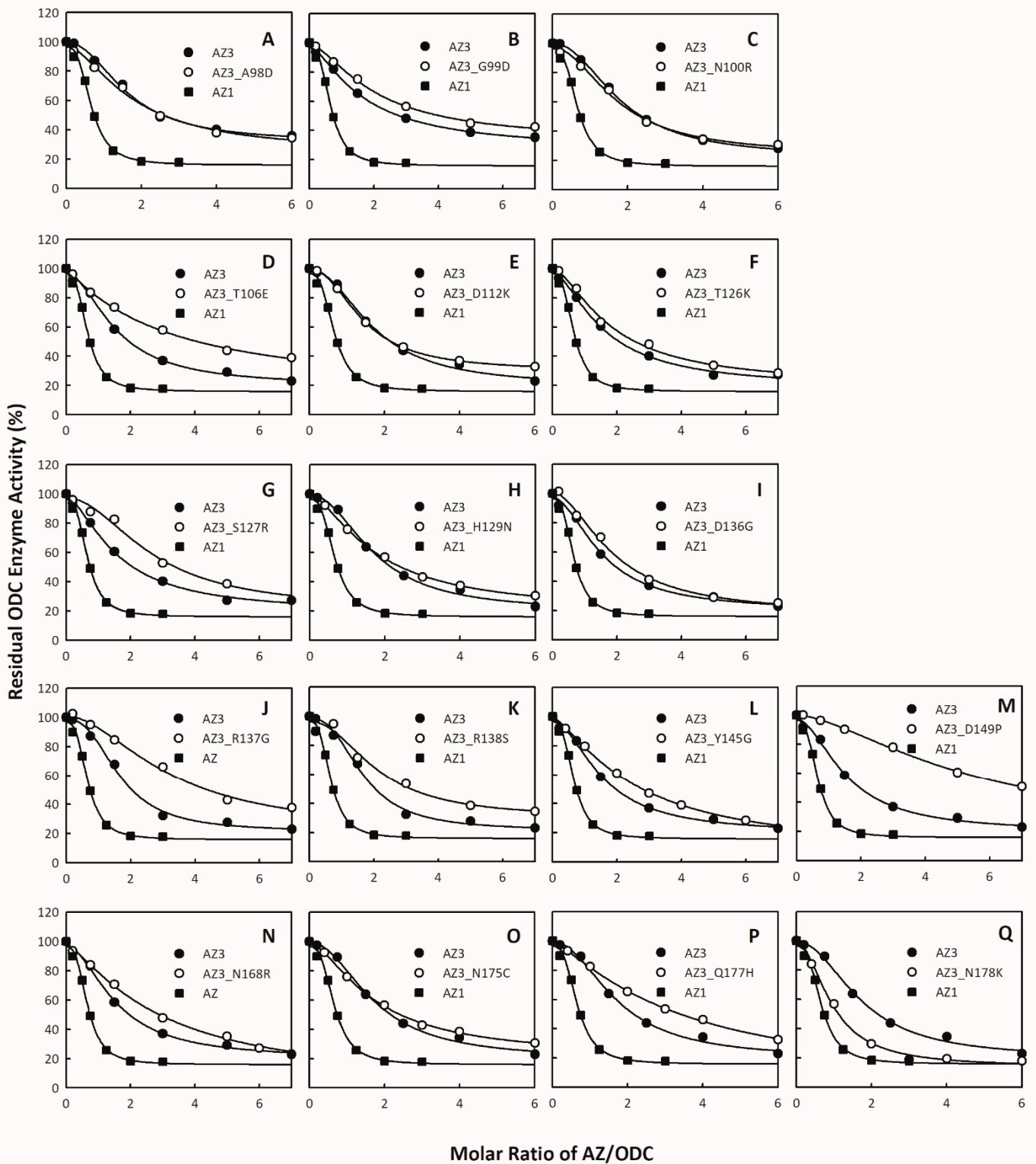
**Figure S4: AZ-mediated ODC in vitro degradation with AZ<sub>34-228</sub> mutant peptides in the rabbit reticulocyte lysate.**

ODC degradation by AZ mutants was detected by anti-ODC antibody (n=3). (A) ODC degradation with AZ<sub>34-228</sub>, AZ<sub>34-228</sub>\_E105A and AZ<sub>34-228</sub>\_E106A, (B) ODC degradation with AZ<sub>34-228</sub>, AZ<sub>34-228</sub>\_D111A and AZ<sub>34-228</sub>\_K112A, (C) ODC degradation with AZ<sub>34-228</sub>, AZ<sub>34-228</sub>\_R114A and AZ<sub>34-228</sub>\_D124A. A residual amount of ODC protein at a different time was indicated under the ODC blotting gel in each figure.



**Figure S5: Binding and inhibition of AZ isoforms toward ODC.**

(A) Inhibition plots of AZ1 (closed circles), AZ2 (open circles) and AZ3 (closed triangles). (B), (C) and (D) Size distribution plots of AZ1, AZ2 and AZ3, respectively. The  $IC_{50}$  values of AZ1, AZ2 and AZ3 were  $0.23 \mu\text{M}$ ,  $0.19 \mu\text{M}$  and  $0.84 \mu\text{M}$ , and the  $K_{d,AZ-ODC}$  values were  $0.22 \mu\text{M}$ ,  $0.28 \mu\text{M}$  and  $0.59 \mu\text{M}$ , respectively.



**Figure S6: Inhibition plots of the ODC enzyme with single mutants of AZ3.**

The enzyme activity of ODC was inhibited by various single mutants of AZ3. The  $IC_{50}$  values of single mutants of AZ3 presented in Table 3 were derived by curve-fitting the inhibition plots. The molar ratio refers to AZ3 versus the ODC monomer. (A) AZ3\_A98D, (B) AZ3\_G99D, (C) AZ3\_N100R, (D) AZ3\_T106E, (E) AZ3\_D112K, (F) AZ3\_T126K, (G) AZ3\_S127R, (H) AZ3\_H129N, (I) AZ3\_D136G, (J) AZ3\_R137G, (K) AZ3\_R138S, (L) AZ3\_Y145G, (M) AZ3\_D149P, (N) AZ3\_N168R, (O) AZ3\_N175C, (P) AZ3\_Q177H, and (Q) AZ3\_N178K.

**Table S1: IC<sub>50</sub> values for AZ<sub>95-228</sub> and its mutants within the  $\beta$ 1- $\beta$ 3 region and their connecting loops.**

AZ Variants	Location	<sup>1</sup> IC <sub>50</sub> ( $\mu$ M)	<sup>2</sup> Fold Change (IC <sub>50,mutant</sub> /IC <sub>50,WT</sub> )
AZ <sub>95-228</sub>	C-terminal domain	0.16 $\pm$ 0.01	1
AZ <sub>95-228_D98A</sub>	$\beta$ 1	0.18 $\pm$ 0.02	1.13
AZ <sub>95-228_D99A</sub>	$\beta$ 1	0.17 $\pm$ 0.02	1.06
AZ <sub>95-228_R100A</sub>	$\beta$ 1	0.19 $\pm$ 0.01	1.19
AZ <sub>95-228_E105A</sub>	$\beta$ 2	0.19 $\pm$ 0.08	1.19
AZ <sub>95-228_E106A</sub>	$\beta$ 2	0.20 $\pm$ 0.06	1.3
AZ <sub>95-228_D111A</sub>	Loop between $\beta$ 2 and $\beta$ 3	0.19 $\pm$ 0.02	1.19
AZ <sub>95-228_R114A</sub>	$\beta$ 3	0.16 $\pm$ 0.02	1
AZ <sub>95-228_R121A</sub>	Loop between $\beta$ 3 and $\beta$ 4	0.16 $\pm$ 0.06	1
AZ <sub>95-228_D124A</sub>	Loop between $\beta$ 3 and $\beta$ 4	0.17 $\pm$ 0.02	1.06

<sup>1</sup>The IC<sub>50</sub> values were derived from fitting the inhibition curves of ODC shown in Figure S1.

<sup>2</sup>Fold change was the ratio of the IC<sub>50</sub> of the mutant versus IC<sub>50</sub> of WT.



**Table S2: Mutagenic primers for the site-directed mutagenesis of AZ protein**

<b>AZ1 Variants</b>	<b>Forward Primers</b>
AZ1_D98A	5'-CAGCTAACTTATTCTACTCC <b>GCG</b> GATCGGCTGAATGTAACAG-3'
AZ1_D99A	5'-GCTAACTTATTCTACTCCGAT <b>GCG</b> CGGCTGAATGTAACAGAGG-3'
AZ1_R100A	5'-CTAACTTATTCTACTCCGATGAT <b>GCG</b> CTGAATGTAACAGAGGAAC-3'
AZ1_E105A	5'-GATCGGCTGAATGTAACAG <b>GCG</b> GAACTAACGTCCAACGAC-3'
AZ1_E106A	5'-GGCTGAATGTAACAGAG <b>GCG</b> CTAACGTCCAACGACAAG-3'
AZ1_N110A	5'-GAGGAACTAACGTCC <b>GCG</b> GACAAGACGAGGATTC-3'
AZ1_D111A	5'-GAACTAACGTCCAAC <b>GCG</b> AAGACGAGGATTCTC-3'
AZ1_K112A	5'-CTAACGTCCAACGAC <b>GCG</b> ACGAGGATTCTCAACG-3'
AZ1_R114A	5'-CTAACGTCCAACGACAAGAC <b>GCG</b> ATTCTCAACGTCCAGTCCAGG-3'
AZ1_N117A	5'-CAAGACGAGGATTCTC <b>GCG</b> GTCCAGTCCAGGCTC-3'
AZ1_S120A	5'-GATTCTCAACGTCCAG <b>GCG</b> AGGCTCACAGACGCC-3'
AZ1_R121A	5'-AGGATTCTCAACGTCCAGTCC <b>GCG</b> CTCACAGACGCCAAACGCATT-3'
AZ1_D124A	5'-GCCTCTACATC <b>GCG</b> ATCCCGGGCGG-3'
AZ1_N129A	5'-CAGACGCCAAACGCATT <b>GCG</b> TGGCGAACAGTGCTG-3'
AZ1_R131A	5'-CAAACGCATTAACCTGG <b>GCG</b> ACAGTGCTGAGTGGC-3'
AZ1_G136A	5'-GCGAACAGTGCTGAGT <b>GCG</b> GGCAGCCTCTACATCG-3'
AZ1_G137A	5'-GAACAGTGCTGAGTGG <b>GCG</b> AGCCTCTACATCGAGATC-3'
AZ1_E142A	5'-GCCTCTACATC <b>GCG</b> ATCCCGGGCGG-3'
AZ1_G145A	5'-CTACATCGAGATCCCG <b>GCG</b> GGCGCGCTGCCCGAG-3'
AZ1_K153A	5'-GCCCGAGGGGAGC <b>GCG</b> GACAGCTTTGCAG-3'
AZ1_D154A	5'-GAGGGGAGCAAG <b>GCG</b> AGCTTTGCAGTTC-3'
AZ1_E161A	5'-GCAGTTCTCCTG <b>GCG</b> TTTCGCTGAGGAG-3'
AZ1_E164A	5'-CTGGAGTTCGCT <b>GCG</b> GAGCAGCTGCG-3'
AZ1_E165A	5'-GAGTTCGCTGAG <b>GCG</b> CAGCTGCGAGC-3'
AZ1_H171A	5'-CAGCTGCGAGCCGAC <b>GCG</b> GTCTTCATTTGCTTC-3'
AZ1_K178A	5'-CTTCATTTGCTTCCAC <b>GCG</b> AACCGCGAGGACA-3'
AZ3_A98D	5'-CTTAAAGAACTGTATTCCG <b>GAC</b> GGGAACTTGACGGTG-3'
AZ3_G99D	5'-CTTAAAGAACTGTATTCCGGCT <b>GAC</b> AACTTGACGGTGCTGGCTACT-3'
AZ3_N100R	5'-AAAGAACTGTATTCCGGCTGGG <b>CGT</b> TTGACGGTGCTGGCTACTGAC-3'
AZ3_T106E	5'-GACGGTGCTGGCT <b>GAA</b> GACCCCTGCTCCAC-3'
AZ3_D112K	5'-CTGACCCCTGCTCCACCAG <b>AAA</b> CCAGTACAGTTAGACTTTCAC-3'
AZ3_S124D	5'-CTTTCACCTTCCGCCTTACCG <b>GAC</b> CAGACCTCTGCCATTGGC-3'
AZ3_T126K	5'-CTTCCGCCTTACCTCCAG <b>AAA</b> TCTGCCATTGGCACGGCCTTTC-3'
AZ3_S127R	5'-CGCCTTACCTCCAGACC <b>CGT</b> GCCCATTGGCACGGCCTTTC-3'
AZ3_H129N	5'-CTCCAGACCTCTGCC <b>AACT</b> GGCACGGCCTTTC-3'
AZ3_D136G	5'-ATTGGCACGGCCTTCTCTGT <b>GGT</b> CGTCGACTCTTCTGGATAT-3'
AZ3_R137G	5'-GCACGGCCTTCTCTGTGAC <b>GGT</b> CGACTCTTCTGGATATCCC-3'
AZ3_R138S	5'-CACGGCCTTCTCTGTGACCGT <b>TCT</b> CTTCTTCTGGATATCCCATATC-3'

<b>AZ3_Y145G</b>	5'-GTTTGTGGAGATCCCG <u>GGT</u> GGTCTGCTGGCCGAT-3'
<b>AZ3_D149P</b>	5'-GATATCCCATATCAGGCCTTG <u>CCG</u> CAAGGCAACCGGAAAGTTG-3'
<b>AZ3_Q150E</b>	5'-CCCATATCAGGCCTTGAT <u>GAA</u> GGCAACCGGAAAGTTTGAC-3'
<b>AZ3_K166Q</b>	5'-CCTGGAGTACGTGGAAGAG <u>CAG</u> ACAAATGTGGACTCTGTGT-3'
<b>AZ3_N168R</b>	5'-GTACGTGGAAGAGAAGACA <u>CGT</u> GTGGACTCTGTGTTTGTGAAC-3'
<b>AZ3_S171H</b>	5'-GAGAAGACAAATGTGGAC <u>CAC</u> GTGTTTGTGAACTTCCAG-3'
<b>AZ3_N175C</b>	5'-GTGGACTCTGTGTTTGTG <u>TGC</u> TCCAGAATGATCGG-3'
<b>AZ3_Q177H</b>	5'-GTGTTTGTGAACTT <u>CAC</u> CAATGATCGGAACGACAG-3'
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