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Supplemental Information

**Structure and Ligand-Binding Properties
of the O Antigen ABC Transporter
Carbohydrate-Binding Domain**

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Figure S1, related to Figures 1 and 2

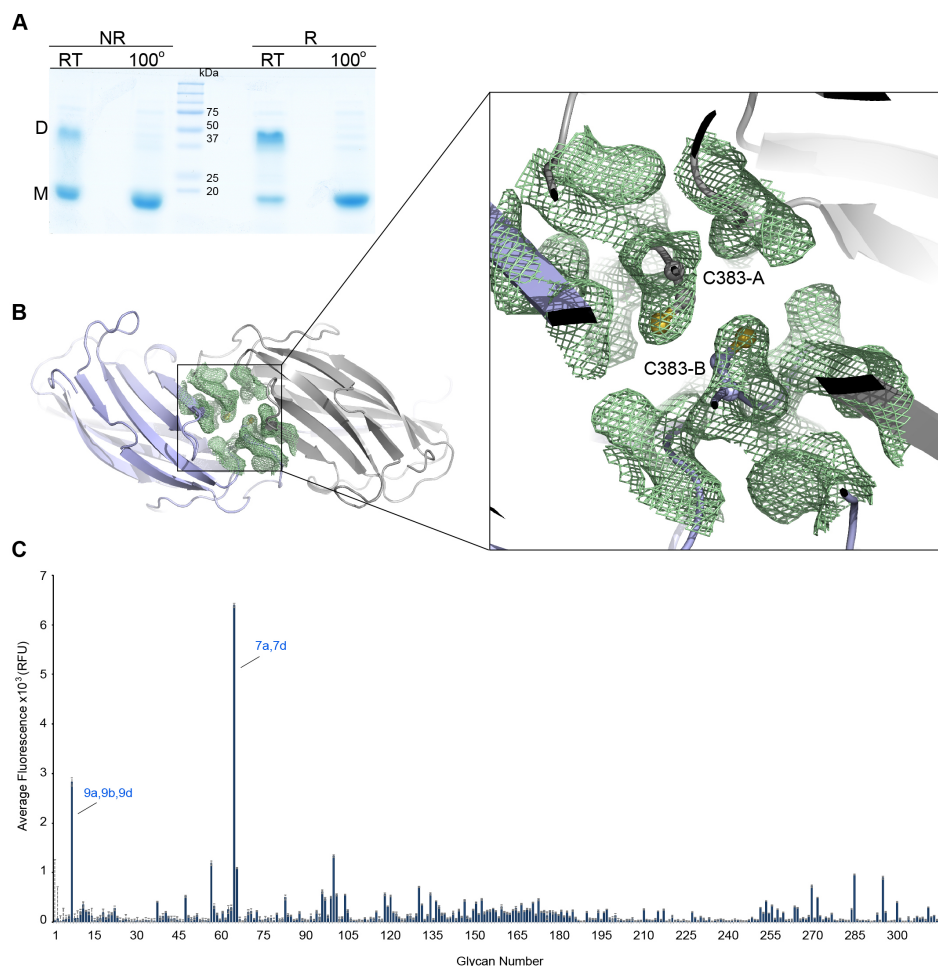


Figure S1: The *Aquifex aeolicus* Wzt carbohydrate-binding domain forms a stable dimer. (A) SDS-PAGE analysis of purified AaCBD. The protein was analyzed under non-reducing (NR) and reducing (R) conditions. Prior to electrophoresis, the sample was incubated either at room temperature or 100°C for 10 min. CBD monomers (M) and dimers (D) are indicated. (B) Cysteine 383 at the CBD dimer interface is not oxidized. Shown is the SigmaA-weighted 2FoFc electron density contoured at 1.2 σ for residues at the dimer interface. The density does not suggest disulfide bond formation between Cys383 in chains A and B. We cannot exclude that an existing disulfide bond was reduced during data collection. (C) Microbial Glycan Array binding assay. The data shown were obtained under identical conditions to those presented in Figure 2 but at a lower AaCBD concentration of 5 μ g/mL.

Table S1, related to STAR Methods

	Wzt-CBD long (235-395)	Wzt-CBD short (245-395)
Data collection		
Space group	P4 ₁ 2 ₁ 2	P6 ₃
Cell dimensions		
<i>a</i> , <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> (Å)	107.50, 107.50, 327.33	128.35, 128.35, 45.16
α , β , γ (°)	90, 90, 90	90, 90, 120
Resolution (Å)	24.86-3.55 (3.80-3.55)*	28.64-2.65 (2.78-2.65)*
<i>R</i> _{merge}	0.43(2.27)	0.20(1.14)
<i>R</i> _{pim}	0.12(0.72)	0.06(0.36)
CC _{1/2} [^]	0.989(0.632)	0.988(0.731)
Mean <i>I</i> / <i>sI</i>	7.3(1.5)	6.9(1.5)
Completeness (%)	99.7(100.0)	99.8 (100.0)
Redundancy	14.5(10.3)	9.2 (9.5)
Refinement		
Resolution (Å)		28.64-2.65
No. reflections		
Total		12535
<i>R</i> _{free}		614
<i>R</i> _{work} / <i>R</i> _{free} (%)		18.0/23.9
No. atoms		
Chain A		1202
Chain B		1170
Glycerol		28
<i>B</i> -factors (Å ²)		
Chain A		67.6
Chain B		77.1
Glycerol		89
R.m.s deviations		
Bond lengths (Å)		0.009
Bond angles (°)		1.07

* Values in parentheses refer to the highest-resolution shell.

[^] Correlation between intensities from random half-data sets (Karplus and Diederichs, 2012).