

Engineered *Pseudomonas putida* monoculture system for green synthesis of 7-methylxanthine

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1.1 Production of 7-MX from green tea hydrothermal dissolution (HD) samples

Green tea HD sample obtained from Thermoquatica Inc. (Carbondale, IL, USA) was filter sterilized, pH adjusted to neutral, and stored at 4 °C. Sample of 9 mL green tea was added to 250 mL shake flasks separately to obtain 90% (v/v) HD cultures, and the 2XM9 media was supplemented with 40 mM glycerol and antibiotics (10 mL total volume). Overnight cultures were prepared as described in 2.4, and OHD test cultures were inoculated for an initial OD₆₀₀ of 1.0.

1.2 Sample preparation for RNA-seq

Shake flask cultures were prepared in 250 mL flasks (culture volume 25 mL) supplemented with 40 mM glycerol and 2 g/L glucose separately (n=6). 10 mM of caffeine was added to three glycerol-containing flasks and three glucose-containing flasks (n=3). LJB500 culture was inoculated to all flasks at an initial OD₆₀₀ of 0.1, and the cultures were grown at 30 °C, shaking at 225 rpm for 3 h. Growth was measured (OD₆₀₀), and cultures were centrifuged at 4500 rpm for 10 min (4 °C). Cell pellets were then washed twice with 10 mL of 2XM9, and the cell pellets were transferred to 1.5 mL Eppendorf tubes, labeled, and frozen by immersing in liquid N₂ for 2 min. All samples were stored in dry ice and shipped to the RNAseq facility ¹.

1.3 Microscopic observation of cells expressing GFP.

Microscopic images were obtained using a Leica DM4000B fluorescent microscope (Leica Microsystems, USA) equipped with a QIClick digital CCD camera (QImaging). LJB693 was grown in M9 media containing 40 mM glycerol, 10 mM caffeine, and 2 g/L glucose- 10 mM caffeine separately in 5 mL volume (in 15 mL culture tubes) for 3 h (30 °C, shaking at 225 rpm). 1 mL culture samples were then centrifuged, cells were added onto glass slides, and specimens were prepared for imaging. The acquired images were assembled, color-balanced, and analyzed with Velocity® software (Velocity Software Inc., CA, USA).

1.4 Measurement of the percentage of cells expressing GFP using flow cytometry.

Separate cultures were prepared in 5 mL volumes (in 15 mL tubes) of strain LJB693 for 3 h (30 °C, shaking at 225 rpm) in M9 glycerol (40 mM) media and glucose (2 g/L) media with and without caffeine (10 mM) (n=2). One milliliter of sample from each treatment was then diluted 10X before injecting into the FACSymphony™ A1 Cell Analyzer (BD Biosciences, USA). The instrument parameters were adjusted for GFP and captured 1X10⁷ events.

1.5 Determination of Ki value

The inhibition constant, K_i, represents the equilibrium dissociation constant for the binding of an inhibitor to the enzyme-substrate complex. Based on experimental data, uncompetitive inhibition was proposed for the N-demethylase NdmB in the presence of 7-MX. As per the following equation, K_i was determined from K_m or V_{max}.

$$K_i = \frac{[I]}{\left(\frac{V_{max}}{V_{max,app}} - 1\right)} = \frac{[I]}{\left(\frac{K_m}{K_{m,app}} - 1\right)} \quad (\text{Eq1})$$

Where $[I]$ is the inhibitor concentration, V_{\max} and K_m as the true kinetic parameters without inhibitor, and $V_{\max, \text{app}}$ and $K_{m, \text{app}}$ represent the apparent kinetic parameters in the presence of 7-MX. The K_i values determined through both kinetic parameters are given in **Table S7**.

1.6 Quantification of endotoxin content in extracted 7-MX powder.

Endotoxin and lipopolysaccharides (LPS) detection and quantification were done using Genscript ToxinSensor™ Chromogenic LAL Endotoxin Assay Kit, detected at a concentration of < 20 EU/mg (Genscript Biotech Corp., Piscataway, NJ, USA) designed to quantify an In Vitro end-point endotoxin test for human and animal parenteral drugs, biological products, and medical devices according to manufacturer's instructions. In brief, nearly 1 mg of extracted 7-MX powder was dissolved in 1 mL of LAL reagent water, in endotoxin-free vials in triplicates. Calibration standards, blank and test samples were processed as instructed by the vendor and the absorbance at 545 nm was measured in Tecan Infinite M PLEX microplate reader (Tecan Trading AG, Switzerland). The endotoxin concentrations were then calculated using the calibration curve and expressed in EU/mL (R^2 0.9898, Fig. S9).

1.7 Removal of lipopolysaccharides (LPS) from the extracted 7-MX.

Removal of LPS was carried out using GenScript ToxinEraser™ (Genscript Biotech Corp., Piscataway, NJ, USA), according to manufacturer instructions. ToxinEraser™ is a high-efficiency endotoxin removal resin based on the affinity matrix of modified polymyxin B, which allows highly efficient endotoxin removal. In brief, 10 mg of extracted 7-MX powder was first dissolved in 5 mL of DMSO and then volume up to 50 mL with water with vigorous vortexing. The ToxinEraser™ eraser column was prepared and equilibrated using the reagents provided in the kit. 7-MX solution was then passed through the column at a rate of 10 drops per minute. Once 50 mL was completely filtered, the column was again regenerated and equilibrated using the regenerating reagent and equilibrating reagent provided. The sample was filtered through the column for the second time at the same rate, and the filtered solution (collected in pre-weighed Falcon tubes) was evaporated in a vacuum evaporator (LABCONCO, Centrivap Concentrator, Marshall Scientific) at 60 °C for 8 h.

2.0 Supplemental tables

Table S1: Plasmid construction details.

Plasmid Constructed	Forward Primer	Reverse Primer	Gene/vector	Remarks
pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmA-ndmB-ndmD</i>	GAGGAATCTTACTACAT GGAACAGGCAATCATTA ATGATGAAC	TTCTAAACCAAAATT ATATGTAGCTCCTATC GCTTTCAATGACT	<i>ndmA</i> from <i>P. putida</i> CBB5	<i>ndmCD</i> was amplified together and later <i>ndmC</i> was removed by mutagenesis. Used to express <i>N</i> -demethylase enzymes.
	TTCAGCTTATCTAACCAG ACATCTCAAATACGCG T	AGCTACATATAATTT TGGTTTAGAACAATA AGACCAGCAATCC	<i>ndmB</i> from <i>P. putida</i> CBB5	
	CCTGAATGATATCATCTC TTCAAATGTAGCACCTG AAGTCAG	GAGATGTCTGGTTA GATAAGCTGAAAGG CCAGAGGGGATTAT AATGT	<i>ndmCD</i> from <i>P. putida</i> CBB5	
	ATTTGAAGAGATGATATC ATTCAGGACGAGCCTCA GAC	CCTGTTCCATGTAGT AAGATTCCTCCTCTA GAGTGTGAAATTG	pBTL-2 vector fragment with <i>tac</i> promoter	
pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}</i> - <i>fmdEFGH-fdhA</i>	GAGGAGGAATCTTACAT GCCTGATGAATTGCTCC	ATTTTTATCTAGACC AACGCCTCCC	<i>fmdEFGH</i> fragment from <i>P. putida</i> EM42	Used to overexpress <i>fdhA</i> and <i>fmdEFGH</i>
	GAGGAGGAATCTTACAT AAAAATCAAGCGAGGTA AGAGC	GGTCTAGATAAAAAT CAAGCGAGGTAAGAG G	<i>fdhA</i> fragment from <i>P. putida</i> EM42	
	GATATCATTCAGGACGA GCC	GTAAGATTCCTCCTC TAGAGTGT	pBTL-2 vector fragment with <i>tac</i> promoter	
pK18sB- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmABD</i>	GAGCCTCAGGATATCAT TCAGGACGAGCC	CTCTAGAGTGTGTAA GATTCCTCCTCTAGA GTGTG	pK18sB vector	Used to genome integrate <i>ndmABD</i> genes in <i>vanAB</i> locus of <i>P. putida</i> EM42
	GGAATCTTACACACTCTA GAGGAGGAATCTTAC	GAATGATATCCTGAG GCTCGTCCTGAA	<i>ndmABD</i> fragment from pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmABD</i> plasmid	

	ACGAATTCGAGCTCGGT ACCCGGGGATCCTAAGC CGAATGTCGATGATAT	GGCTTTTGA CT TGA GAAAAAACCGCACC TGG	Homologous arm 1 (up arm)	
	TGTTCCGCGGCCACCCA TGGATGCCTGAAAGG	CGGCCAGTGCCAAG CTTGCATGCCTGCA GGGCCCCTCTGGAG AATCG	Homologous arm 2 (down arm)	
pK18sB- <i>glpR</i> Δ	XhoI	Sall	pK18sB vector was enzyme digested	Used to delete <i>glpR</i> repressor from <i>P.</i> <i>putida</i> EM42 genome
	CGAATTCGAGCTCGGTA CCCCGCTGGTCTTCATTC TGC	TGTCCGGCAGCTCG AGACTAGTGTGAC CATGCCGCCAGACT TTTG	Upper homologous arm to <i>glpR</i> locus	
	TAGTCTCGAGCTGCCG GACAAATTCTGC	CAAGCTTGCATGCC TGCAGGTTCAACAT CCACAGCCTG	Down homologous arm to <i>glpR</i> locus	
pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i>	GCCTCAGGAGGAGGAA TCTTACATAAAAATCAAG	GTCCTGAATGATATC TTACGCCGCACCCC	PCR amplify pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> vector	To overexpress <i>fdhA</i> gene
	GATATCATT CAGGACGA GCC	GTAAGATTCCTCCTC TAGAGTGT	<i>fdhA</i> gene from <i>P. putida</i> EM42	
pK18sB- <i>glpR</i> Δ- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i> - <i>P51</i>	XbaI	SmaI	pK18sB- <i>glpR</i> Δ vector	To genome integrate <i>fdhA</i> gene in <i>glpR</i> locus of <i>P. putida</i> EM42
	AATTTGTCCGGCAGCGC CAGCCGGTGGCCGCG	GTCCTGAATGATATC TTACGCCGCACCCC	<i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i> fragment from pBTL-2- <i>tac</i> - <i>fdhA</i>	
	TTTACAACGTCGTGACC GGTAGCAAATGGGG	CGATCCTCATCCTGT GATTCAATCCTTATT CAGCTTGC	To add <i>P51</i> promoter amplified from <i>P. putida</i> EM42	
pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmB</i>	ATTTTGGTTT AGAACAAT AAGAC	TGTAGTAAGATTCCT CCTC	<i>ndmA</i> was removed from pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmA</i> - <i>ndmB</i> - <i>ndmD</i> by mutagenesis	

pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmAD</i>	AGAGTCCGCCAAGTG	ATTATATGTAGCTCCT ATCGC	<i>ndmB</i> was removed from pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmA-ndmB-ndmD</i> by mutagenesis.	
pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}</i> - <i>fmdEFGH</i>	GAGGAGGAATCTTACAT GCCTGATGAATTGCTCC	GTCCTGAATGATATC CTAGACCAACGCCT CCC	PCR amplify <i>fmdEFGH</i> fragment from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome	To overexpress <i>fmdEFGH</i> genes
	GATATCATTGAGGACGA GCC	GTAAGATTCCTCCTC TAGAGTGT	PCR amplify vector from pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}</i> -GFP plasmid	
pK18sB- <i>P₅₁</i> - <i>PP_18750Δ</i>	Sall	Xbal	pK18sB- <i>P₅₁</i> vector was enzyme digested	
	GTACCCGGGGATCCTTA CGCCAGCAGCCG	TACCTTGGTCAGCG CCCTGGTTGACTG	Upstream homologous arm was PCR amplified from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome	
	GCGCTGACCAAGGTATC GATGGCAACCAT	TTGCATGCCTGCAG GGGCCTCAGTAGCC GGC	Downstream homologous arm was PCR amplified from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome	
pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>PP_RS18750</i>	GCGGCTTTTTACCCGGT AAGATTCCTCCTCTAGA GTG	GAGGAGGAATCTTA CCGGGTAAAAAGCC GCG	pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> vector was PCR amplified	Used to overexpress <i>PP_RS18750</i> gene
	ATCTTACTACATGGAACA GGCCTTGATGAGGACT GCC	ATGATATCATCTCTTC AAATGTCAACCAGG GCGCTGATC	<i>PP_RS18750</i> gene was PCR amplified from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome	

pK18sB- <i>PP_5043</i> -P _{tac} ⁻ <i>fmdEFGH</i> -P ₅₁	AAAAACGCCTCACACAG GAAACAGCTATGACATG ATTACGCGGAACAGCCC GTGCT	CCGACCGGAGGCTT TTGACTTCGCCACA GAATCGAGCG	Upstream homologous arm was PCR amplified from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome	Used to genome integrate P _{tac} ⁻ <i>fmdEFGH</i> in <i>PP_5043</i> locus
	CCTTGTGGCGCTTTAGT TTTGGCATGAAGCACTG AACCCACC	TGTAAAACGACGGC CAGTGCCAAGCTTG CATGCCTGCAGGTG ACCTCACAGACCTG GTCG	Downstream homologous arm was PCR amplified from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome	
	GACATGATTACGAATTC GAGCTCGGTACCCATGG GTTTTGAACAAGTAGCT	CAGGCAGGGTCCGT GTCAAGTCAAAAGC CTCCGG	<i>fmdEFGH</i> gene cluster was PCR amplified from pBTL-2-P _{tac} ⁻ <i>fmdEFGH</i>	
	XbaI	SaII		
pBTL-2-P _{tac} ⁻ <i>PP_RS18750</i> - GFP	CTTGCTCATCCAAGGTAT CGATGG	TACAAGTAGTCAGC GCCCTGGTTG	pBTL-2-P _{tac} ⁻ <i>PP_RS18750</i> vector was PCR amplified	Used to express DMT family transporter (<i>PP_RS18750</i>) with GFP with a flexible linker
	AGCTCCTCGCCCTTGCT CATAGAACCTCCTCCACC TCCGTTTTCTTGCGCCTT CAC	TGAGGGCGGATCCC CCTCAACACCCAG GCTTGACAATTAATC	GFP gene fragment was amplified with Glycine (X4) and serine (X1) linker	
pBTL-2-P _{tac} ⁻ <i>cafP</i>	CACTCTAGAGATTGTTTT TCTCTCTTAGACGGAAT	CTTATTAGTTTAGGT GCTTCTCATGCA	PCR amplify <i>cafP</i> from <i>P. putida</i> CBB5	Used for heterologous expression of <i>cafP</i> gene
	GTAAGTGGACTGAAAAC AACTAAAG	GACCTCCATAGCAG AAAG	PCR amplify pBTL-2-P _{tac} ⁻ vector from pBTL-2-P _{tac} ⁻ -GFP plasmid	

Table S2: Sequencing primers used in sequencing of constructed plasmids.

Primer number	Primer sequence	Genes sequenced	Plasmid
oLJ710	CACCCCTGAGCGCCT	<i>fdhA</i> and <i>fmdEFGH</i> gene cluster	Used to sequence confirm pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}-fdhA-fmdEFGH</i> plasmid
oLJ711	CGTGGTGTGCAACGC		
oLJ712	CAGTGGCCGCCCGCT		
oLJ713	ACCAGCATCCCCAAAC		
oLJ714	TGGTCGACTCGCCGC		
oLJ715	AGGACATCGCCCAGAG		
oLJ716	GCCTGGAGATCCACCC		
oLJ717	GCCCGGTCGGCCTGGC		
oLJ641	TTTTTCTGAGGGCGG	<i>ndmABD</i> gene cluster	Used to sequence varify pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}-ndmABD</i> plasmid
oLJ642	TGACTGCACTGAAATTC		
oLJ643	GAAGCTCATAAAGAAGGTTTC		
oLJ644	AATCCCGACATGCAG		
oLJ647	AGAGGATTGCGGTTG		
oLJ648	AGCATTACAGATATCAGC		

Table S3: Description of the strains developed/used in the study.

Strain ID	Plasmid used for integration/deletion	Genotype of the strain	Strain description
LJB110		<i>P. putida</i> KT2440:: pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABCDE</i> _(kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> , <i>ndmC</i> , <i>ndmD</i> , and <i>ndmE</i> genes along with <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator. Kanamycin resistant
LJB113		<i>P. putida</i> KT2440:: pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> _(kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> and <i>ndmD</i> genes along with <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator. Kanamycin resistant
LJB115		<i>P. putida</i> KT2440:: pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> _(kan) + pBTL-2 _(chl)	<i>P. putida</i> KT2440 containing pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> , <i>ndmD</i> , and pBTL-2 plasmid with chloramphenicol resistance
LJB116		<i>P. putida</i> KT2440:: pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>cafP</i> _(chl)	<i>P. putida</i> KT2440 containing pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> , <i>ndmD</i> and pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>cafP</i> gene driven under <i>tac</i> promoter.
LJB120		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i>	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> and <i>ndmD</i> genes along with <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator. Kanamycin resistant
LJB121		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2 _(chl)	pBTL-2 plasmid with Chloramphenicol resistance added in LJB120
LJB220	pK18sB- <i>glpRΔ</i>	<i>P. putida</i> EM42::Δ <i>glpR</i>	<i>glpR</i> gene was deleted from <i>P. putida</i> EM42 genome
LJB221	pK18sB- <i>glpRΔ</i>	<i>P. putida</i> KT2440::Δ <i>glpR</i> pBTL-2- P_{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> _(kan)	<i>glpR</i> gene was deleted from <i>P. putida</i> KT2440 genome and pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> and <i>ndmD</i> genes along with <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator. Kanamycin resistant.
LJB222		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ</i> + pBTL-2 _(Kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistant added

LJB223		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> - pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmABD</i> _(kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> , and <i>ndmD</i> genes along with <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator. Kanamycin resistant
LJB224		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> -pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2 _(chl)	pBTL-2 plasmid with chloramphenicol resistant added to LJB223
LJB230		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> - pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i> - <i>fmdEFGH</i> _(chl)	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>fdhA</i> and <i>fmdEFGH</i> genes along with <i>lac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator added into LJB223. Kanamycin and chloramphenicol resistant
LJB231		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i>	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>fdhA</i> gene added along with <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator. Chloramphenicol resistant
LJB260		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> - pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmBD</i> + pBTL-2-2- <i>P_{lac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i> - <i>fmdEFGH</i>	pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>ndmBD</i> plasmid and pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i> - <i>fmdEFGH</i> added to LJB 220
LJB500	pK18sB::P _{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i>	<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :P _{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i>	Genome integrated <i>ndmA</i> , <i>ndmB</i> , and <i>ndmD</i> with a <i>tac</i> promoter in <i>vanAB</i> intergenic locus
LJB501		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :P _{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2 _(Kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistant added to the strain LJB500
LJB502		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :P _{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2	Two pBTL-2 plasmids with kanamycin and chloramphenicol resistance added to the LJB 500
LJB503		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :P _{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> - <i>fdhA</i> + pBTL-2 _(Kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>fdhA</i> gene and empty pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistance added to the strain LJB500
LJB504		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :P _{tac} - <i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2 _(chl)	Two pBTL-2 plasmid with chloramphenicol resistance added to LJB500
LJB550		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRA</i> :P _{tac}	pBTL-2 plasmid with <i>fdhA</i> and <i>fmdEFGH</i> genes along with <i>lac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i>

		<i>ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}-fdhA-fmdEFGH</i>	terminator added into LJB 500. Chloramphenicol resistant
LJB551		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}-fdhA-fmdEFGH</i> + pBTL-2 (Kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistant added to LJB 550
LJB552		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}-fdhA-fmdEFGH</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}-ndmAD</i>	An additional copy of <i>ndmA</i> and <i>ndmD</i> added in a pBTL-2 plasmid (<i>tac</i> promoter and <i>tonB</i> terminator) with kanamycin resistance to LJB550
LJB553		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD</i> + pBTL-2 (Chl)- <i>P_{lac}-fmdEFGH</i> + pBTL-2 (Kan)	pBTL-2- <i>P_{lac}-fmdEFGH</i> added with chloramphenicol resistance and pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistance added
LJB600	pK18sB- <i>P₅₁::glpRΔ-P_{tac}-fdhA</i>	<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD::P_{tac}-fdhA</i>	<i>fdhA</i> genome integrated with a <i>tac</i> promoter at <i>glpR</i> locus
LJB601		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD::P_{tac}-fdhA</i> + pBTL-2 (Kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistance added
LJB602		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD::P_{tac}-fdhA</i> + pBTL-2 (Kanl) + pBTL-2 (Chl)	Two pBTL-2 plasmids with kanamycin and chloramphenicol resistance added
LJB603		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD::P_{tac}-fdhA</i> + pBTL-2 (Chl)- <i>P_{lac}-fdhA</i>	pBTL-2 plasmid with lac driven <i>fdhA</i> gene added. Chloramphenicol resistance.
LJB604		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpRΔ:P_{tac} ndmABD::P_{tac}-fdhA</i> + pBTL-2 (Chl)	pBTL-2 plasmid with chloramphenicol resistance added

LJB606		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpR</i> Δ: <i>P_{tac}</i> <i>ndmABD</i> :: <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>fdhA</i> + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>ndmBD</i> _(Kan)	pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>ndmBD</i> _(Kan) added to LJB600
LKB690	pK18sB- <i>P₅₁</i> :: <i>PP_RS1875</i> 0Δ	<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpR</i> Δ: <i>P_{tac}</i> <i>ndmABD</i> :: <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>fdhA</i> : <i>PP_RS18750</i> Δ	<i>PP_RS18750</i> gene deleted in LJB600
LJB691		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpR</i> Δ: <i>P_{tac}</i> <i>ndmABD</i> :: <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>fdhA</i> : <i>PP_RS18750</i> Δ + pBTL-2 _(kan)	pBTL-2 plasmid with kanamycin resistance added to LJB690
LJB692		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpR</i> Δ: <i>P_{tac}</i> <i>ndmABD</i> :: <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>fdhA</i> : <i>PP_RS18750</i> Δ + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>PP_RS18750</i> _(kan)	pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>PP_RS18750</i> _(kan) added to LJB690
LJB693		<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpR</i> Δ: <i>P_{tac}</i> <i>ndmABD</i> :: <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>fdhA</i> : <i>PP_RS18750</i> Δ + pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>PP_RS18750</i> - <i>GFP</i> _(kan)	pBTL-2- <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>PP_RS18750</i> - <i>GFP</i> _(kan) added to LJB690
LJB700	pK18sB- <i>P₅₁</i> :: <i>PP_5043</i> - <i>P_{lac}</i> - <i>fmdEFGH</i>	<i>P. putida</i> EM42:: <i>glpR</i> Δ: <i>P_{tac}</i> <i>ndmABD</i> :: <i>P_{tac}</i> ⁻ <i>fdhA</i> :: <i>P_{lac}</i> <i>fmdEFGH</i>	<i>lac</i> promotor driven <i>fmdEFGH</i> cluster genome integrated at <i>PP_5043</i> locus.

Table S4: Primers used in confirming genome integration/deletion of genes.

Primer number	Primer sequence	Added or deleted genes/gene cassette	Integrated/deleted locus
oLJ599	GATCAAGGTGCATACGCGGTAG	<i>P_{tac}-ndmABD</i>	<i>fpva</i> locus
oLJ602	CCAGCAATACGCCACGGT		
oLJ812	AAGCGGTCCAGATACGG	<i>P_{tac}-fdhA</i>	<i>glpR</i>
oLJ813	GAAGGTTACGTCACCG		
oLJ266	GGTACTGTCGGCGGGGT	<i>P_{tac}-fmdEFGH</i>	<i>PP_5043</i>
oLJ267	GCTGGCTCTTGCTTTGGAGC		
oLJ1202	GGAAAGGCCCATCAAAATACT	<i>PP_RS18750</i>	<i>PP_RS18750</i>
oLJ1203	ACCTCGCGCTGACCT		

Table S5: qRT-PCR primers used in the study.

Primer number	Primer sequence	Gene
oLJ1000	GCAAGGTCGAAGTACAGAAGAT	<i>fdhA</i>
oLJ1001	TCAGAACCGCAGATGTTGG	<i>fdhA</i>
oLJ1002	CCTGCGCCCTGTTTACTG	<i>fmdE</i>
oLJ1003	GGCAACCGTTGACCAAGT	<i>fmdE</i>
oLJ1188	GAGGACTGCCATGTTTCAGTAA	<i>PP_RS18750</i>
oLJ1189	ACCAATCCACAACCACCAA	<i>PP_RS18750</i>

Table S6: Enzymatic parameters for NdmB and NdmD under multiple concentrations of 7-MX

	0mM 7-MX	0.1mM 7-MX	0.25mM 7-MX	0.5mM 7-MX
K_m (μ M)	15.36	14.10	10.90	8.27
V_{max} (mM/min)	0.00890	0.00752	0.00617	0.00436

Table S7: Inhibition constant for NdmB and NdmDP1 under Multiple concentrations of 7-MX

[7-MX] (mM)	K_i from V_{max} (μ M)	K_i from K_m (μ M)
0.1	545 ± 30	1119 ± 19
0.25	565 ± 21	611 ± 96
0.5	480 ± 76	583 ± 49

Table S8: Breakdown of estimated capital costs incurred in setting up the 7-MX production facility.

Capital Costs			
	Quantity	Unit cost	Total cost
Preculture reactor (3000 L)	2	\$150,000	\$300,000
6 Bioreactors (100000 L)	6	\$5,000,000	\$30,000,000
Centrifuge	6	\$50,000	\$300,000
Drying	6	\$150,000	\$900,000
Column Separation	4	\$200,000	\$800,000
Resin Regeneration	1	\$500,000	\$500,000
Solvent Extraction	1	\$1,800,000	\$1,800,000
Capital Equipment Subtotal			\$34,600,000
ISBL			\$164,004,000.00
OSBL			\$65,601,600.00
Total Capital Expenses			\$229,605,600
Per ton of product			\$114.80

Table S9: Estimated cost breakdown for bioreactor production and purification, including fixed costs and operational costs (energy and personnel costs).

Bioreactor	Price per Unit		Total amount needed per year		Costs per year
Caffeine	20	\$/kg	226.86	MT	\$4,537,205
Disodium phosphate	1.5	\$/kg	307.62	MT	\$461,434
Monopotassium phosphate	1.7	\$/kg	136.12	MT	\$231,397
Sodium chloride	60	\$/ton	22.69	MT	\$1,361
Ammonium chloride	1.3	\$/kg	45.37	MT	\$58,984
Iron sulfate	1	\$/kg	0.01	MT	\$0
Magnesium sulfate	1	\$/kg	0.02	MT	\$16
Calcium chloride	400	\$/ton	0.01	MT	\$4
Water	4	\$/ton	28130.67	MT	\$112,523
Glycerol	2	\$/kg	97.19	MT	\$194,374
Other Media Cost					\$1,060,089
Purification					
Sodium hydroxide	700	\$/ton	18.15	MT	\$12,704
Hydrochloric acid	300	\$/ton	3.16	MT	\$947
Silicone oil	10	\$/kg	2.72	MT	\$26,407

Ethanol	2.5	\$/kg	178.99	MT	\$447,482
Polymyxin B column consumable	2000	\$/L	1000.00	L	\$2,000,000
Ethyl acetate	1734	\$/ton	1634.48	MT	\$2,834,193
Purification costs					\$5,321,733
Materials cost					\$10,919,027
Energy			Per reactor		Cost per year
Preculture energy (heating, 30 °C for 18+3 hours)	0.1702	\$/kWh	87.17	kWh	\$742
Preculture stirring, 250 rpm	0.1702	\$/kWh	22.21	kWh	\$189
Bioreactor cooling energy (cooling, 30C, 140 hours)	0.1702	\$/kWh	17888.89	kWh	\$913,407
Bioreactor stirring and heating	0.1702	\$/kWh	1526.65	kWh	\$3,897,531
Centrifuge energy	0.1702	\$/kWh	3023.46	kWh	\$154,378
Column pumping energy	0.1702	\$/kWh	39300.00	kWh	\$334,443
Ethyl acetate distillation	0.1702	\$/kWh	14156.44	kWh	\$14,156
Total energy cost					\$5,314,846
Fixed Costs	Number of Staff			Salary	Cost per year
Operators	5			\$40,000	\$200,000
QC	2			\$60,000	\$120,000
Maintenance	2			\$60,000	\$120,000
Managers	2			\$100,000	\$200,000
Packaging	2			\$60,000	\$120,000
Compliance	1			\$80,000	\$80,000
Support	1			\$80,000	\$80,000
Personnel					\$920,000
Insurance, etc.					\$460,000
Maintenance					\$1,730,000
Overhead					\$2,021,500
Total Fixed Costs					\$5,131,500

Cost Breakdown		Cost per kg
Caffeine	\$4,537,205	\$45.37
Other Bioreactor Reagents	\$1,060,089	\$10.60

Purification consumables	\$5,321,733	\$53.22
Energy	\$5,314,846	\$53.15
Other Fixed Costs	\$5,131,500	\$51.32
Capital Costs per year, 20-year useful life	\$11,480,280	\$114.80
Cost per kg of 7-methylxanthine		\$328.46

Table S10: Environmental impacts of the production of 1 kg of 7-methylxanthine

Fine particulate matter formation	0.0548	kg PM 2.5 eq
Fossil resource scarcity	8.6427	kg oil eq
Freshwater ecotoxicity	1.3002	kg 1,4-DCB
Freshwater eutrophication	0.0160	kg P eq
Global warming	34.074	kg CO ₂ eq
Human carcinogenic toxicity	3.8767	kg 1,4-DCB
Human non-carcinogenic toxicity	21.705	kg 1,4-DCB
Ionizing radiation	6.7868	kBq Co-60 eq
Land use	6.2032	m ² a crop eq
Marine ecotoxicity	1.8889	kg 1,4-DCB
Marine eutrophication	0.0329	kg N eq
Mineral resource scarcity	0.1756	kg Cu eq
Ozone formation, Human health	0.0505	kg NO _x eq
Ozone formation, Terrestrial	0.0537	kg NO _x eq
Stratospheric ozone depletion	3.9E-05	kg CFC11 eq
Terrestrial acidification	0.1194	kg SO ₂ eq
Terrestrial ecotoxicity	38.323	kg 1,4-DCB
Water consumption	0.6907	m ³

Table S11: E-factor and The Process Mass Intensity (PMI) calculation and comparison with the recent study on the biocatalytic production of 7-MX (A), current study (B), and the chemical process (C).

The current study outperforms the *E. coli*-based biocatalytic production of 7-MX by nearly 63% when water is recovered and recycled. The chemical process parameters and inputs were extracted from a Chinese patent (patent no: CN118047777A) granted in 2024⁸.

A.

Input materials	Mass (g) per L of culture
Caffeine	11.65
LB powder	4.16
Arabinose (0.2%)	2.00
IPTG	0.0024
Tryptone	10
Water	1000
Yeast extract	5.00
Na ₂ HPO ₄	6.70
K ₂ HPO ₄	3.40
Na ₃ SO ₄	0.71
NH ₄ Cl	2.68
Glycerol	20.00
Trace elements	0.22
Glucose	2.00
Mg ₂ SO ₄	4.93
Cell dry weight	40.00
Ethyl acetate	16.34
Ethanol	0.79
Total mass input	1113.45
7-MX produced	8.37
cEF	135.58
sEF	13.55
Total PMI	134.7
PMI substrate, reagents, and solvents	15.2
PMI substrate and reagents	13.1
PMI Solvent	2.0
PMI water	119.5

B.

Input materials	Mass (g) per L of culture
LB powder	2.29
Caffeine	11.65
M9 salt mix	22.70
FeSO ₄	1.67E-06
MgSO ₄	0.0006
CaCl ₂	2.33E-06
Water	1000.00
Glycerol	3.57
10 N NaOH	2.20
HCl	0.19
Anti-foam	0.09
Cell dry weight	2.73
Ethyl acetate	16.34
Ethanol	0.79
Total mass input	1062.56
7-MX produced	9.21
cEF	115.37
sEF	4.93
Total PMI	115.4
PMI substrate, reagents, and solvents	6.8
PMI substrate and reagents	4.9
PMI Solvent	1.9
PMI water	108.6

C.

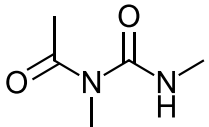
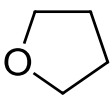
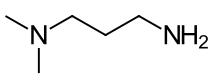
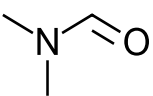
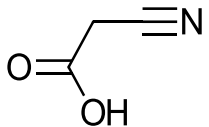
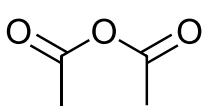
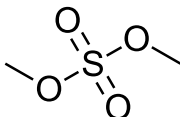
Input materials	Mass (g)
Guanosine	311.58
N, N- dimethylacetamide	562.20
Dimethyl sulfate	277.48
Water	2754.15
NaNO ₂ (30% solution)	151.77
Acetone	940.80
Total mass input	4998.00
7-MX produced	84.70
cEF	59.15
sEF	26.55
Total PMI	59.2
PMI substrate, reagents, and solvents	26.6
PMI substrate and reagents	15.4
PMI Solvent	11.1
PMI water	32.6

Note: In the E-factor calculation, cEF includes both solvent and water without recycling, while E-Factors, sEF exclude these components². The proposed process in this study aims to recycle the water and solvents.

For the E-factor and PMI calculations of the biological process, solvent extraction using ethyl acetate and ethanol was adopted as the final purification step.

Table S12: Toxicities of chemical synthesis relevant compounds as predicted by the EPA Toxicity Estimation Software.

Values are reported for numerical predictions. Developmental toxicants are highlighted in red, and the developmental non-toxicants are highlighted in green.

Chemical compound		Developmental toxicity	Oral rat LD50 (mg/kg)	Bioconcentration factor (log10)	Mutagenicity
	Acetyl-dimethyl urea	0.74	718.30	0.34	+
	Tetrahydrofuran	0.48	1259.03	2.67	-
	Dimethylaminopropylamine	0.46	1155.73	1.28	-
	N, N-dimethylformamide	0.94	3464.05	0.68	-
	Cyanoacetic acid	0.75	439.82	0.62	-
	Acetic anhydride	0.61	1778.38	N/A	-
	Dimethyl sulfate	0.92	259.23	N/A	+

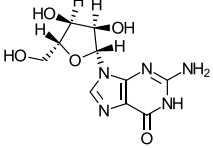
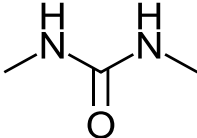
	Guanosine	0.57	N/A	N/A	-
	1, 3-dimethyl urea	0.83	N/A	0.35	-

Table S13: Toxicities of biological production relevant compounds as predicted by the EPA Toxicity Estimation Software.

Values are reported for numerical predictions. Developmental toxicants are highlighted in red, and the developmental non-toxicants are highlighted in green.

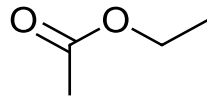
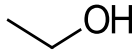
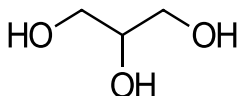
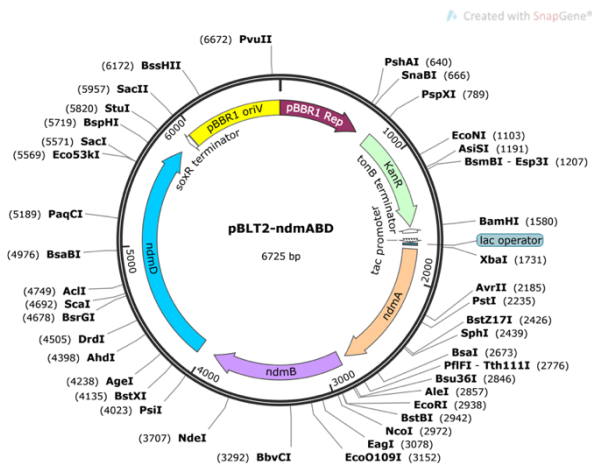
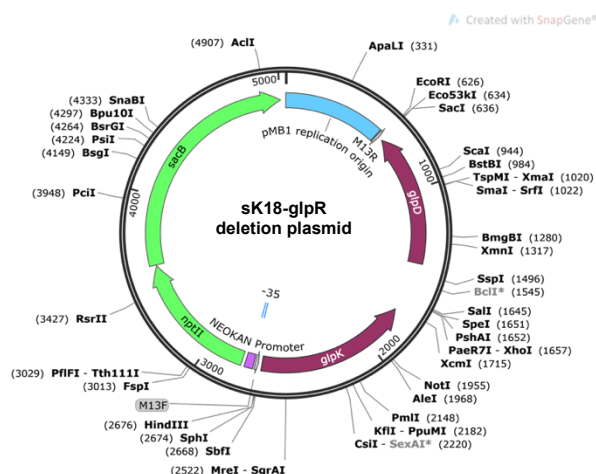
Chemical compound		Developmental toxicity	Oral rat LD50 (mg/kg)	Bioconcentration factor	Mutagenicity
	Ethyl acetate	0.59	5479.60	2.61	-
	Ethanol	0.46	7055.25	1.26	-
	Glycerol	0.47	10488.70	0.57	-

Table S14: Current market values of methylxanthines according to reported literature and chemical vendors.

Methylxanthine	Price per gram (USD)	Reference
1-methylxanthine	900 – 1100	^{3, 4} , chemicalbook.com, medchemexpress.com
3-methylxanthine	230 - 450	³ , sigmaldrich.com
7-methylxanthine	600 - 750	^{3, 5} , sigmaldrich.com
Paraxanthine	1450 - 1600	⁵ , Medchemexpress.com
Theophylline	0.2 – 6.5	⁴ , Thermofisher.com
Theobromine	0.6 – 1.1	Tcchemicals.com

3.0 Supplementary figures



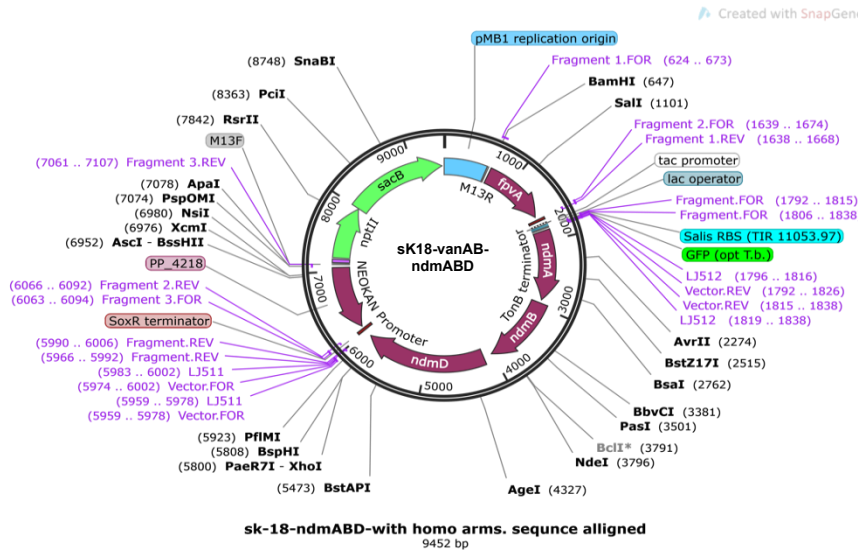


Supplementary Fig. S3: Plasmid map of sK18-*glpR*Δ

Plasmid constructed for the genome deletion of *glpR* (repressor gene of *glp* genes). The deleted region was substituted by a multiple cloning region with three restriction sites (XhoI, SalI, and SpeI). The homologous arms and the substituted gene sequence is provided.

Integrated gene sequence in *glpR* locus, 5'-3'

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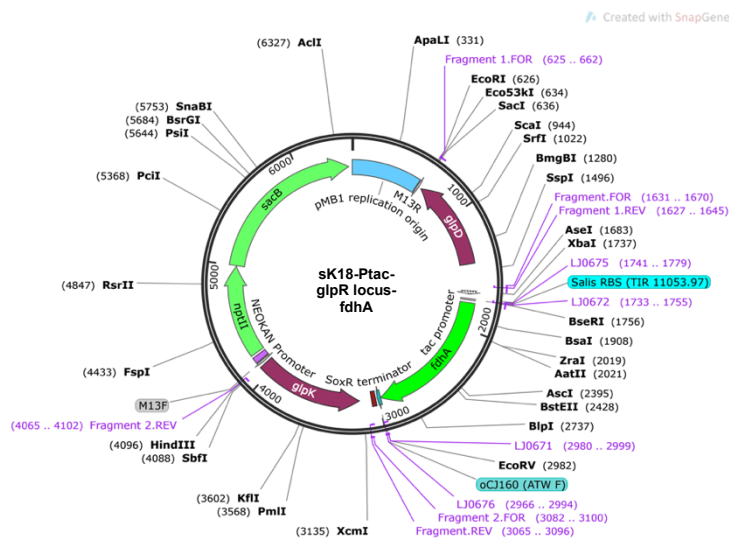


Supplementary Fig. S4: Plasmid map of sK18-*vanAB-ndmABD*.

Plasmid constructed for the genome integration of *ndmA*, *ndmB*, and *ndmD* genes in *vanAB* locus of *P. putida* EM42 genome. The homologous arms and the introduced gene sequence is provided. The genome-integrated region was PCR amplified and sequenced verified.

Integrated gene sequence in <i>fpva</i> locus, 5'-3'
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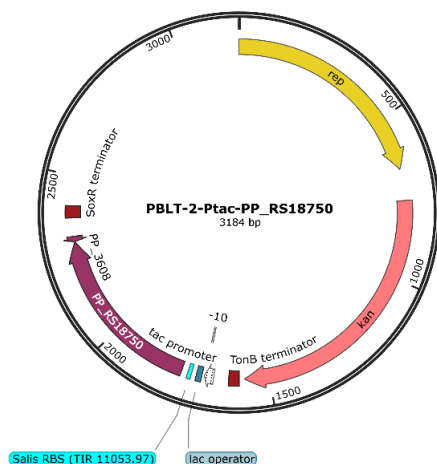


Supplementary Fig. S5: Plasmid map of sK18-*glpR*Δ-*P_{tac}*-*fdhA*.

Plasmid constructed for the genome integration of *P_{tac}* driven *fdhA* gene in *glpR* locus of *P. putida* EM42 genome. The homologous arms and the introduced gene sequence is provided below. The genome-integrated region was PCR amplified and sequenced verified.

Integrated sequence in <i>glpR</i> locus, 5'-3'
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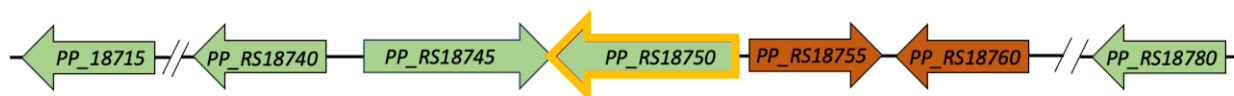
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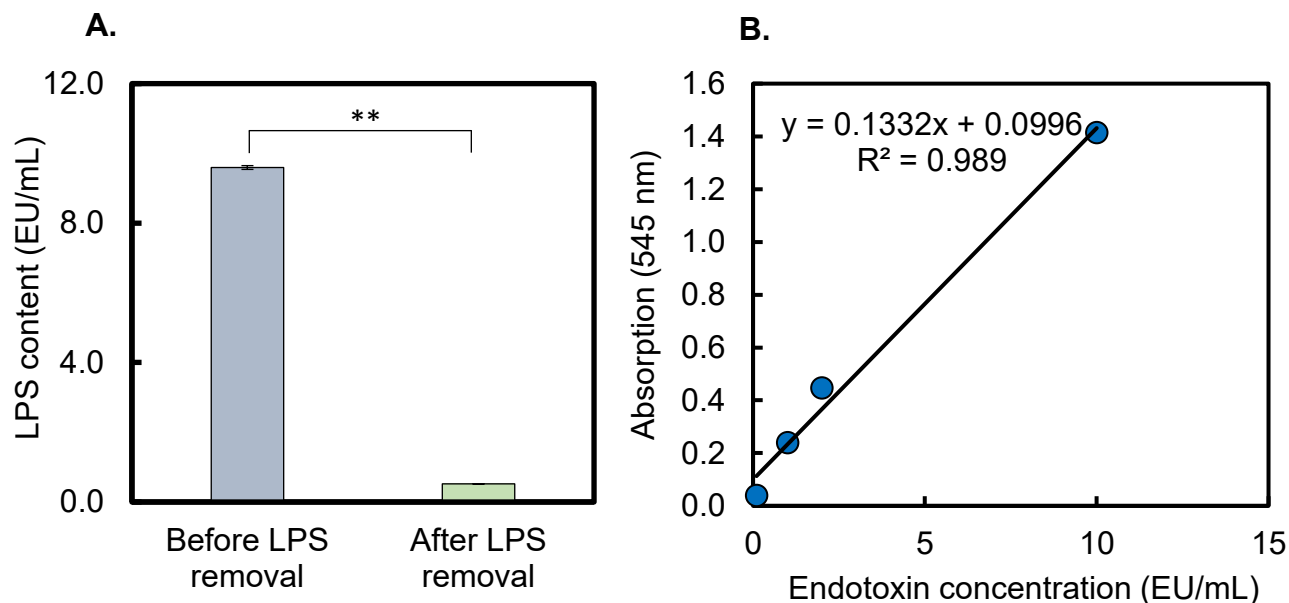
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Supplementary Fig. S6: Plasmid map of pBLT-2-*P_{tac}*-PP_RS18750 and gene map of genes significantly up/down-regulated in response to caffeine.

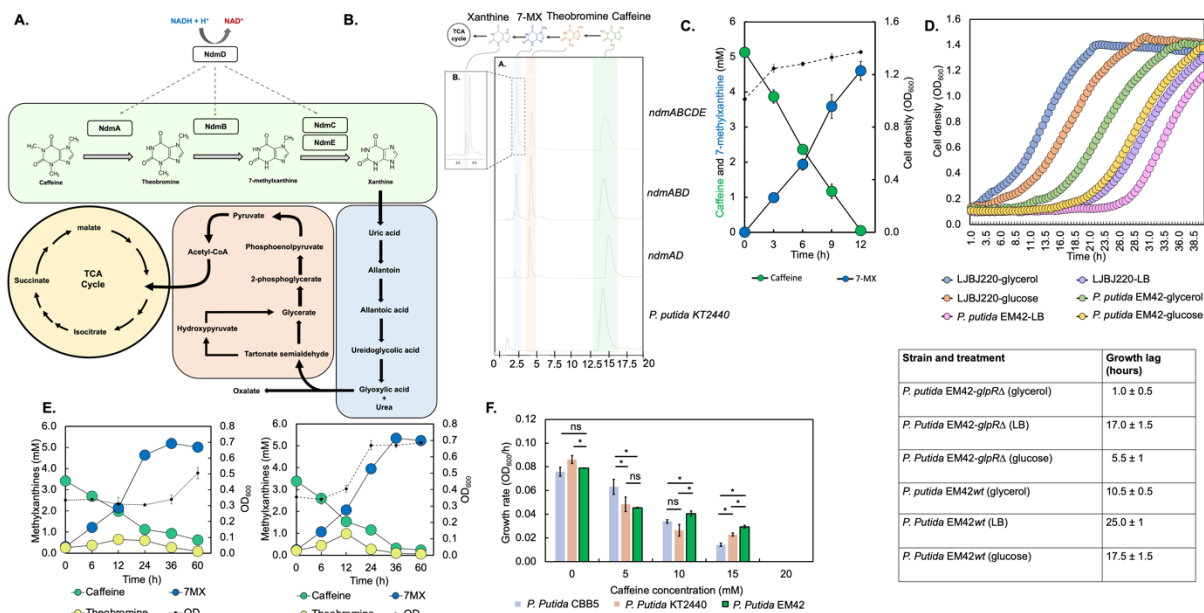
(A), Plasmid constructed for the overexpression of DMT family transporter (*PP_RS18750*) in LJB690 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}ndmABD*::*P_{tac}-fdhA*:*PP_RS18750Δ*), the nucleotide sequence of *PP_RS18750*, and (B), the graphical illustration of the orientation of genes in the proximity of *PP_RS18750* (Outlined in yellow). Positively upregulated genes in response to caffeine are in green and the down-regulated genes are in red. *PP_RS18750* was upregulated by 5.6 folds, *PP_RS18745* (LysR family transcriptional regulator) in 3.9 folds, *PP_RS18740* (YeeE/YedE family protein) in 1.97 folds, *PP_RS18715* (FadR family transcriptional regulator) in 1.24 folds, *PP_RS18780* (Hypothetical protein) in 1.22 folds. *PP_RS18755* (Hypothetical protein) and *PP_RS18760* (Hypothetical protein) were downregulated in 1.11 and 1.78 folds, respectively.

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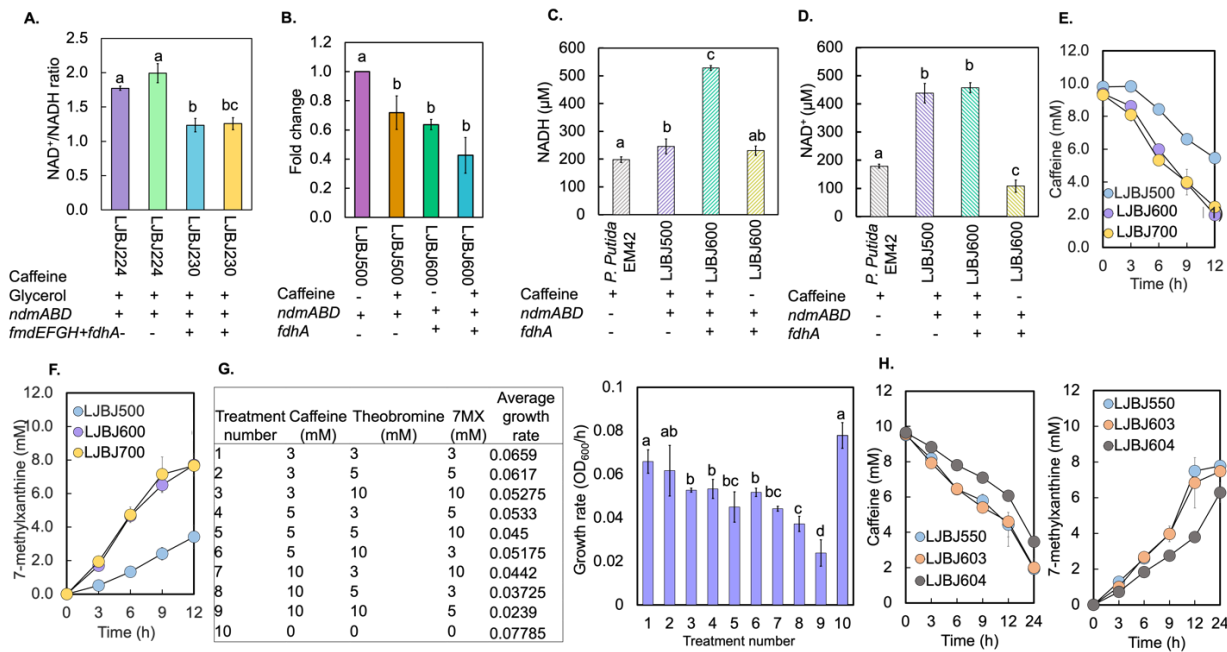
Supplementary Fig. S9: Quantifying lipopolysaccharides (LPS) in extracted 7-MX using Genscript ToxinSensor™ Chromogenic LAL Endotoxin Assay Kit.

(A), Initial 9.594 ± 0.054 EU/mL of LPS was reduced to 0.52 ± 0.003 (95% reduction) by LPS removal. **(B)**, The calibration curve was constructed to quantify LPS according to manufacturer's instructions using the standard LPS solutions provided.



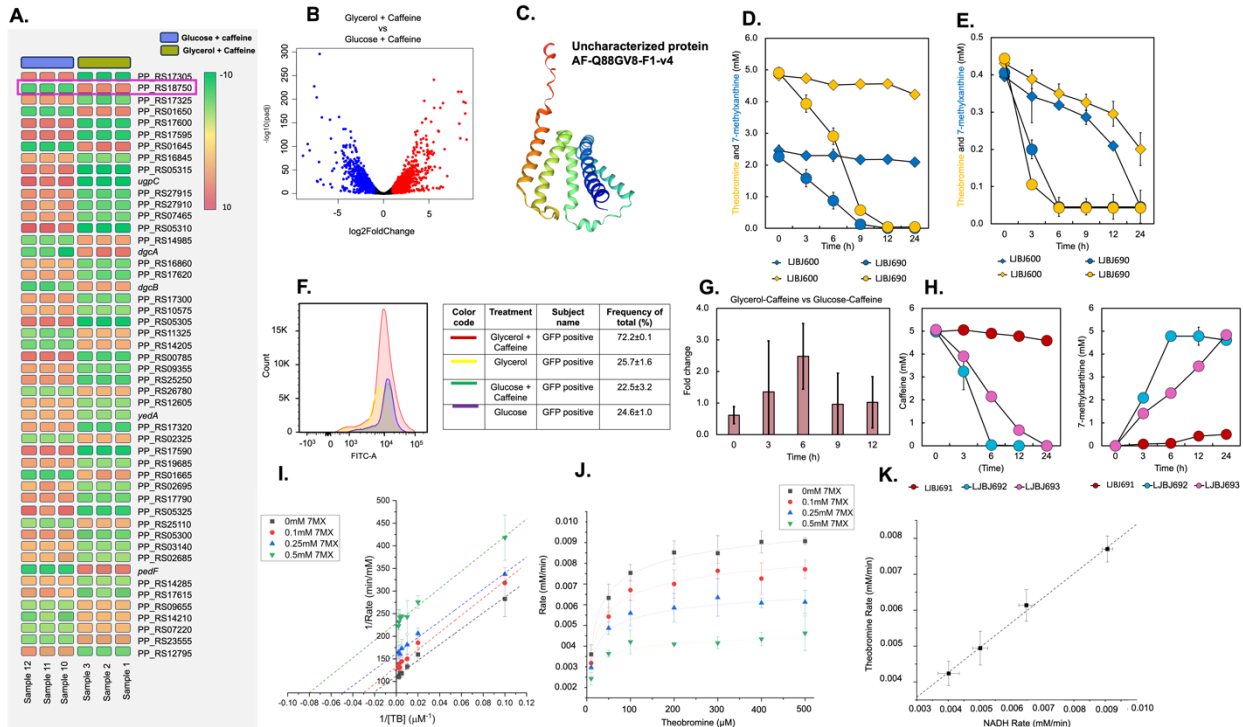
Supplementary Fig. S10: Heterologous expression of N-demethylase encoding genes from *P. putida* CBB5 in *P. putida* KT2440 and *P. putida* EM42.

(A), Schematic representation of the proposed pathway of caffeine metabolism in *P. putida* EM42 and *P. putida* KT2440 upon the heterologous expression of *ndmA*, *ndmB*, and *ndmD*. (B), Reconstruction of caffeine N-demethylation pathway of *P. putida* CBB5 in *P. putida* KT2440. Strain LJB110 (*P. putida* KT2440:: pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-ndmABCDE_(kan)*) could convert caffeine to xanthine. (C), Caffeine utilization and 7-MX production of LJB113 (*P. putida* KT2440::pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-ndmABD_(kan)*) in 40 mM of acetate. (D), Comparison of the growth lag of *P. putida* EM42 and LJB1220 (*P. putida* EM42::Δ*glpR*) with different pre-culture media. (E), Comparison of caffeine utilization, product formation, and growth of LJB1221 (*P. putida* KT2440::Δ*glpR*+pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-ndmABD_(kan)*) (left) and LJB1223 (*P. putida* EM42:: *glpR*Δ+ pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-ndmABD_(kan)*) (right) with 5 mM of caffeine in M9 minimal medium supplemented with 40 mM of glycerol. (F), Comparison of the growth rates of *P. putida* CBB5, *P. putida* KT2440, and *P. putida* EM42 at varying concentrations of caffeine. The results are expressed as means ± SEM (n=3). The level of statistical significance is indicated for differences between the two strains (**p* < 0.05). Bars labeled with different symbols (a, b, and c) indicate statistical significance in the differences (*p* < 0.05; one-way ANOVA followed by Tukey's post hoc honest significance difference test). Bars labeled with the same symbol indicate no statistically significant difference (*p* > 0.05). ANOVA: analysis of variance.



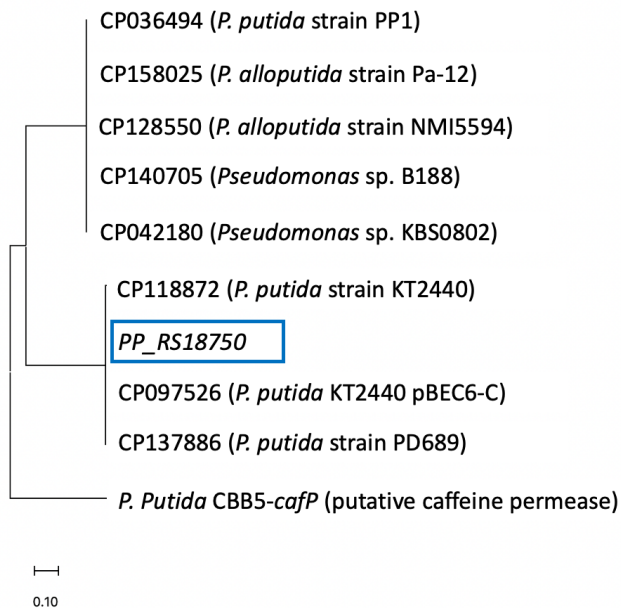
Supplementary Fig. S11: Establishment of redox co-factor regeneration system in LJB500

(A), Comparison of NAD⁺/NADH ratio in response to the addition of caffeine in the presence and absence of redox engineering. (B), qRT-PCR results of the fold change of *fmde* transcription in response to caffeine in the presence and absence of redox engineering. (C), NADH and (D), NAD⁺ in response to the addition of caffeine in the presence and absence of an additional copy of *fdhA*. (E,F), Comparison of genome integration of an additional copy of *tac* promoter driven (formate dehydrogenase) *fmdeFGH*, LJB700 strain (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}-ndmABD*::*P_{tac}-fdhA*::*P_{lac}-fmdeFGH*) with the LJB600 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}-ndmABD*::*P_{tac}-fdhA*) and the LJB500 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}-ndmABD*) strains. (G), Taguchi orthogonal array layout (left panel) and the comparison of growth rates in the mix of methylxanthines (right panel). (H), Comparison of caffeine utilization and 7-MX production of LJB603 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}-ndmABD*::*P_{tac}-fdhA*+pBLT-2-*P_{lac}-fdhA_{chl}*), LJB550 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}-ndmABD*+pBLT2-*P_{lac}-fdhA*-*fmdeFGH_{chl}*) and LJB604 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRA*:*P_{tac}-ndmABD*::*P_{tac}-fdhA* + pBTL-2 (*chl*)). The results are expressed as means ± SEM (n=3). The level of statistical significance is indicated for differences between the two strains (***p* < 0.05). Bars labeled with different symbols (a, b, and c) indicate statistical significance in the differences (*p* < 0.05; one-way ANOVA followed by Tukey's post hoc honest significance difference test). Bars labeled with the same symbol indicate no statistically significant difference (*p* > 0.05). ANOVA: analysis of variance.



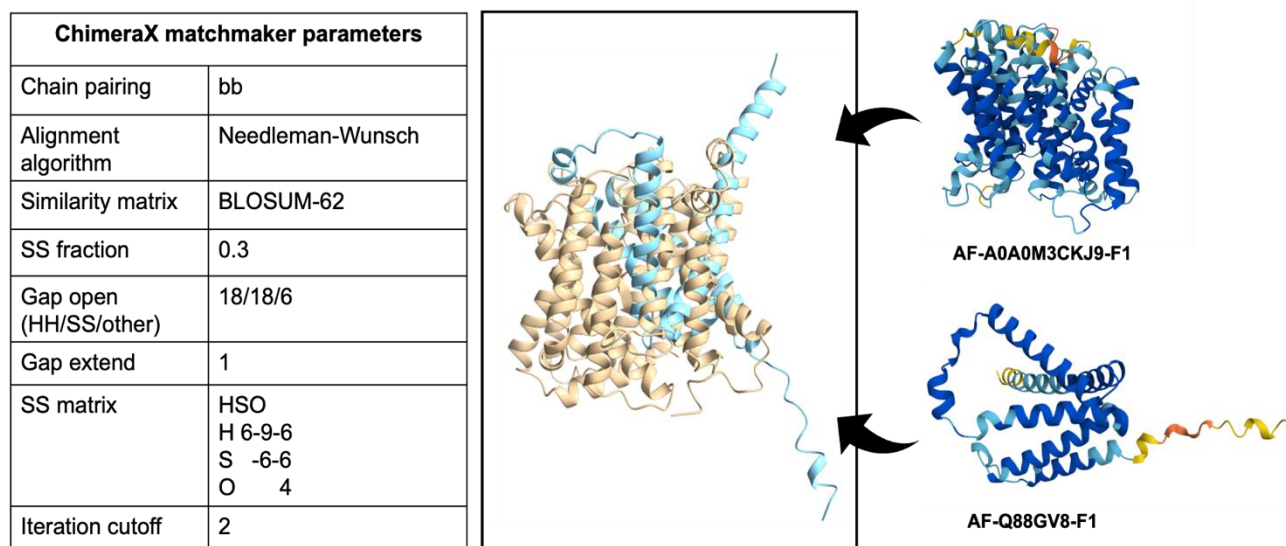
Supplementary Fig. S12: Identification of putative caffeine/methylxanthine transporter in *P. putida* EM42

(A), Heat map of highly upregulated and downregulated genes in glycerol + caffeine and glucose + caffeine condition. The putative caffeine transporter *PP_RS18750* is marked with a pink outline. (B), The volcano plot of glycerol + caffeine vs glucose + caffeine. (C), Structure predicted for *PP_RS18750* in alpha fold for the uncharacterized protein in source organism *P. putida* (strain ATCC 47054), Uniprot Q88GV8) and the catalytic activity is undefined. The theobromine and 7-MX intake at high concentration (D), and lower concentration (E), LJB600 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA*) and LJB690 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA:PP_RS18750Δ*) strains. (F), Expression of GFP in LJB693 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA:PP_RS18750Δ* + pBLT-2-*P_{tac}-PP_RS18750-GFP_(kan)*) grown in different carbon sources and presence/absence of caffeine (in 3 h) as determined by flow cytometry. (G), Fold change of expression of mRNA (*PP_RS18750*) in strain LJB692 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA:PP_RS18750Δ* + pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-PP_RS18750_(kan)*) in glycerol caffeine condition compared to glucose caffeine condition. No significant ($p > 0.05$) difference was observed when *PP_RS18750* was expressed under the constitutive *tac* promoter irrespective to the carbon source. (H), Comparison of caffeine utilization (left) and 7MX production (right) of LJB691 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA:PP_RS18750Δ* + pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-PP_RS18750_(kan)*), LJB692 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA:PP_RS18750Δ* + pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-PP_RS18750_(kan)*) and LJB693 (*P. putida* EM42::*glpRΔ:P_{tac}ndmABD::P_{tac}fdhA:PP_RS18750Δ* + pBTL-2-*P_{tac}-PP_RS18750-GFP_(kan)*). (I), The change of 7-MX concentration effects the relationship between N-demethylation reaction rates versus Theobromine (TB) concentration was employed to determine the type of inhibition. Total of 7 different TB concentrations were fed to the fixed amount of NdmB and NdmD to carry the N-demethylation reaction, and such test involved 4 different concentration of 7-MX, respectively. NADH consuming rates then plotted versus multiple TB concentration to find the trends of N-demethylation reaction rates under the presence of the 7-MX. (J), Lineweaver-Burk Plot was applied to the experiment 3A data by plotting the inverse NADH consuming rate with inverse concentration of TB. Michaelis constants (K_m) and maximum reaction velocities (V_{max}) for each reaction was determined and reported in **Supplementary Data Table S6** from the slope and interception of each plot. By observing parallel correlation among all four studies, uncompetitive inhibition was suggested for the N-demethylase NdmB with the presence of 7-MX. (K), The experimental data plot suggested a linear correlation between NADH consuming rate and the TB degradation rate in the same reaction, indicating that measuring the concentration change of NADH overtime is a valid parameter for such an enzymatic study. The results are expressed as means \pm SEM ($n=2$).



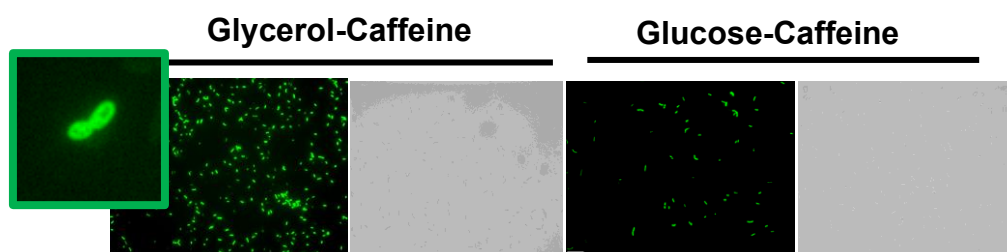
Supplementary Fig. S13: Maximum likelihood phylogenetic tree constructed based on the nucleotide sequence of *PP_RS18750*.

National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI) blast was used to retrieve sequences with E. value 0.00 and query cover 100% and aligned with MUSCLE (multiple sequence alignment tool) with DMT family transporter *PP_RS18750* (outlined in blue) along with putative caffeine permease sequence (*cafP*) from *P. putida* CBB5. An unrooted Maximum likelihood phylogenetic tree was generated by MEGA 11, with 1000 bootstraps.

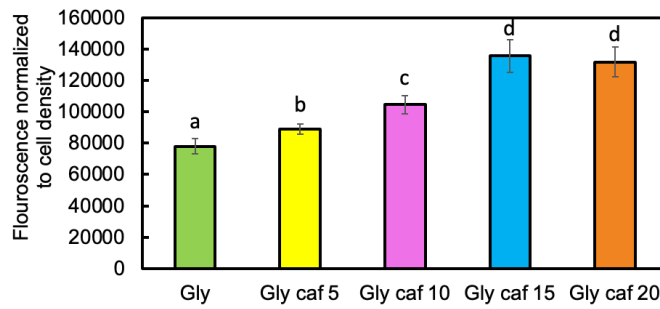


Supplementary Fig. S14: Comparison of the structure of putative methylxanthine permease, *cafP*, and putative methylxanthine transporter, *PP_RS18750*.

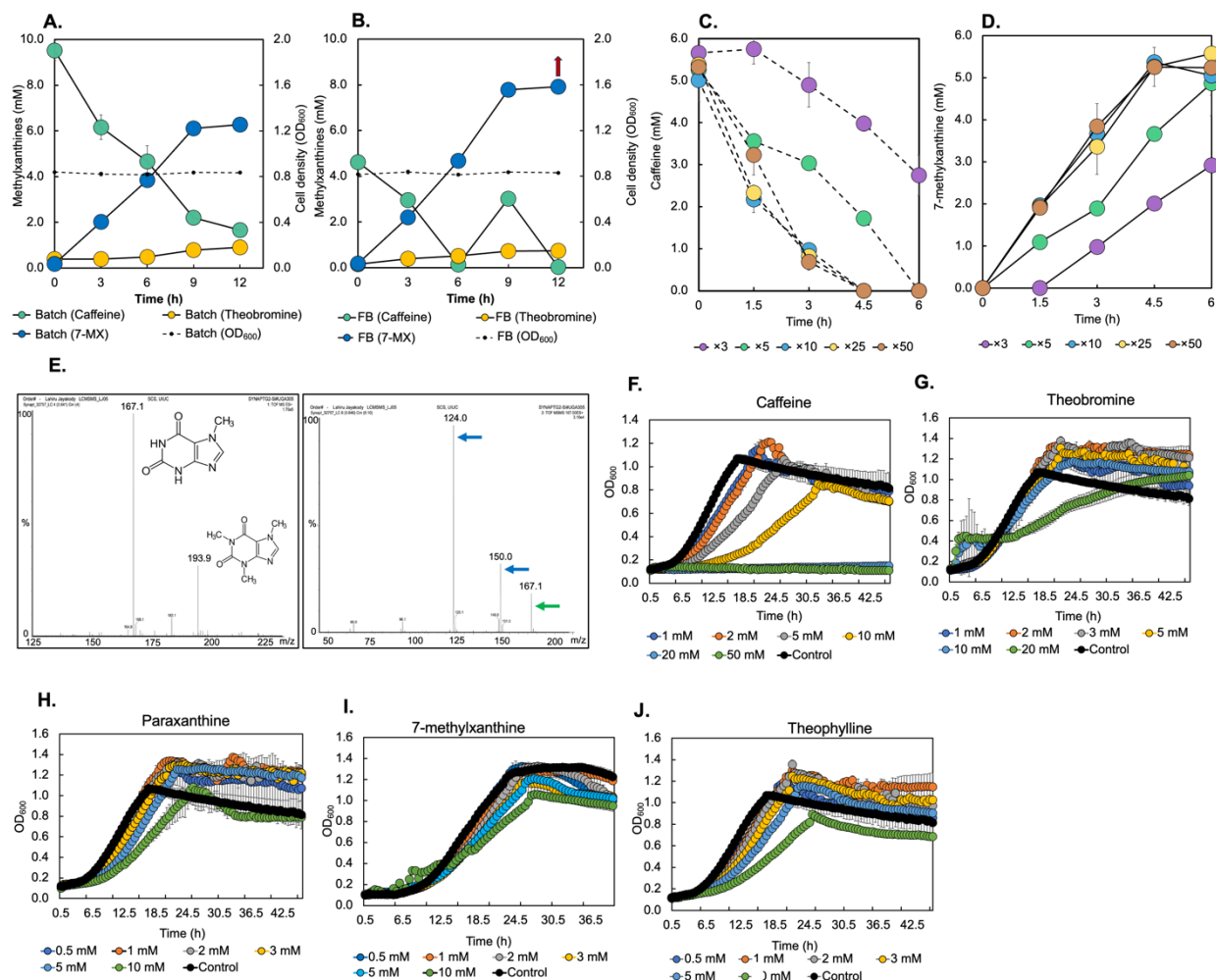
The AlphaFold protein structure database predicted protein structures were generated for *cafP* (AF-A0A0M3CKJ9-F1) and *PP_RS18750* (AF-Q88GV8-F1). The PDB files were then exported and aligned using ChimeraX 17.1, the matchmaker feature. The sequence alignment score was 161.6, RMSD between 10 pruned atom pairs is 1.440Å (across all 167 pairs: 24.593).



Supplementary Fig. S15: Microscopic images of GFP expression in glycerol and caffeine-containing media (Left) and glucose and caffeine-containing media (right).

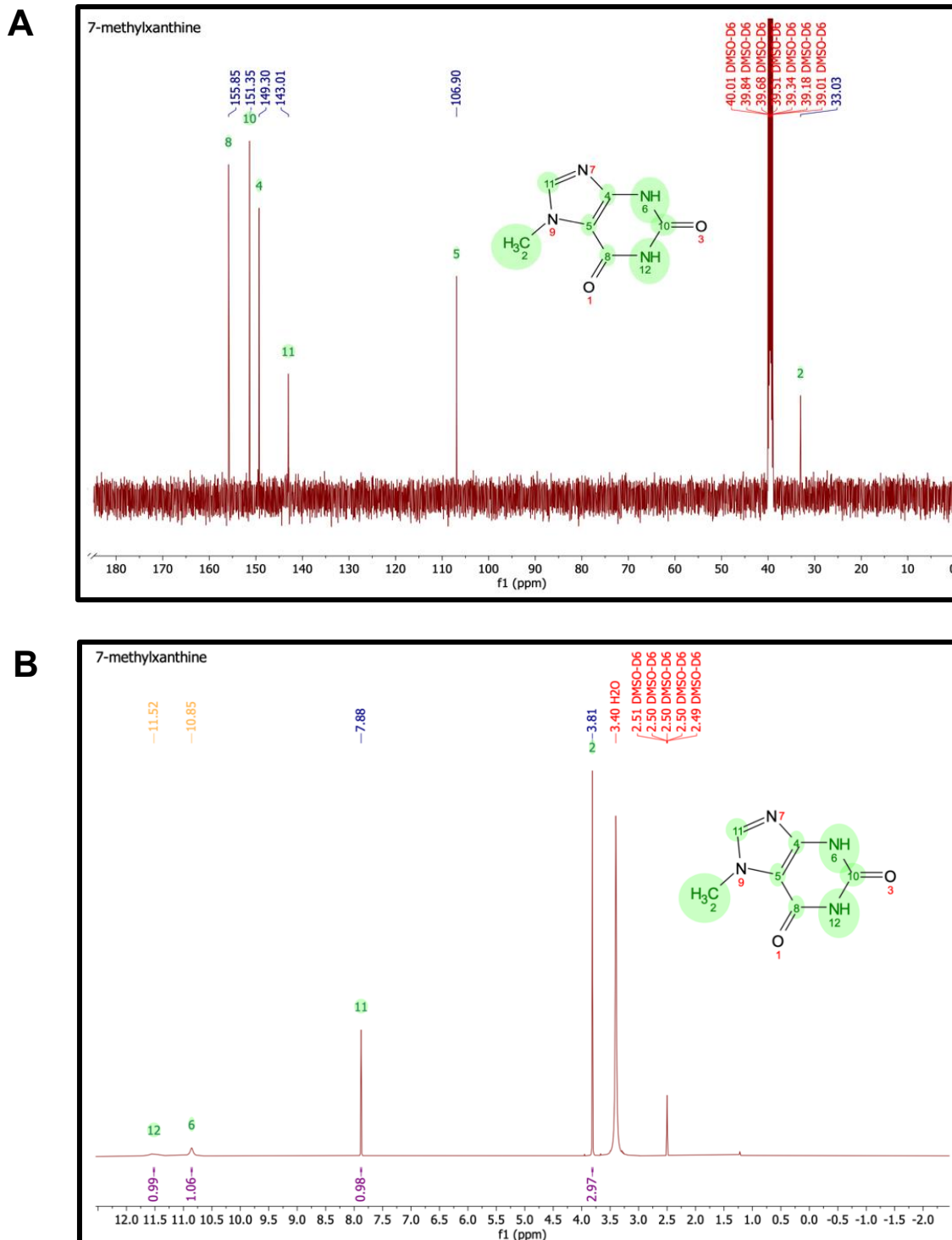


Supplementary Fig. S16: Statistical analysis of the cell density normalized fluorescence at 12 h with different concentrations of caffeine in glycerol-containing media. Different letters depict the significant differences between the treatments (ANOVA followed by Tukey's post hoc test $p < 0.05$). Error bars show the standard deviation of the replicates ($n=3$).



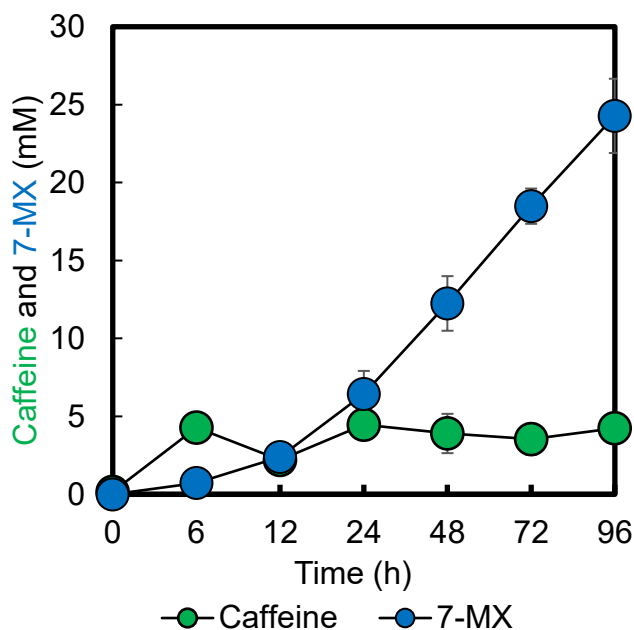
Supplementary Fig. S17: Culture optimization and toxicity tolerance of *P. putida* EM42 for different methylxanthines.

Comparison of batch (A), and fed batch (B), feeding at 10 mM total caffeine concentration. Complete conversion of 10 mM of caffeine to 7-MX was obtained during fed-batch feeding. (C), caffeine utilization and 7-MX production (D), at different flask volume/culture volumes. (E), Initial confirmation of the production of 7-MX in cultures using HPLC-TOF MS/MS. The precursor ion (Green arrow) and the fragment ions (Blue arrow) are shown in the right panel. The results are expressed as means \pm SEM (n=3). The level of statistical significance is indicated for differences between the two strains (** p < 0.05). Growth curves of *P. putida* EM42 in (F), caffeine (G), theobromine (H), paraxanthine (I), 7-MX, and (J), theophylline.



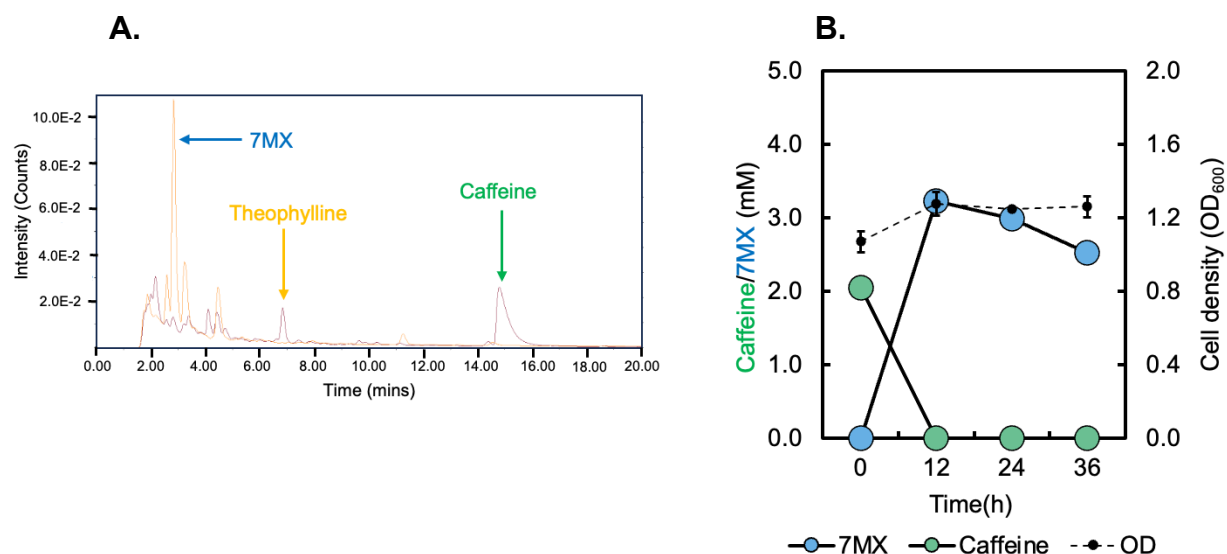
Supplementary Fig. S18: ^{13}C -NMR and ^1H -NMR spectrum of microbially synthesized and extracted 7MX powder.

(A), The NMR spectrum of extracted 7-MX recorded in $\text{DMSO-}d_6$ with a Bruker DRX 500 NMR spectrometer at 299 K, ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}D_6$) δ 155.85, 151.35, 149.30, 143.01, 106.90, 33.03. (B), ^1H -NMR spectrum of the extracted 7-MX, ^1H NMR (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}D_6$) δ 11.52 (δ , 1H), 10.85 (δ , 1H), 7.88 (δ , 1H), 3.81 (δ , 3H)



Supplementary Fig. S19: Synthesis of 7-MX with the addition of caffeine powder.

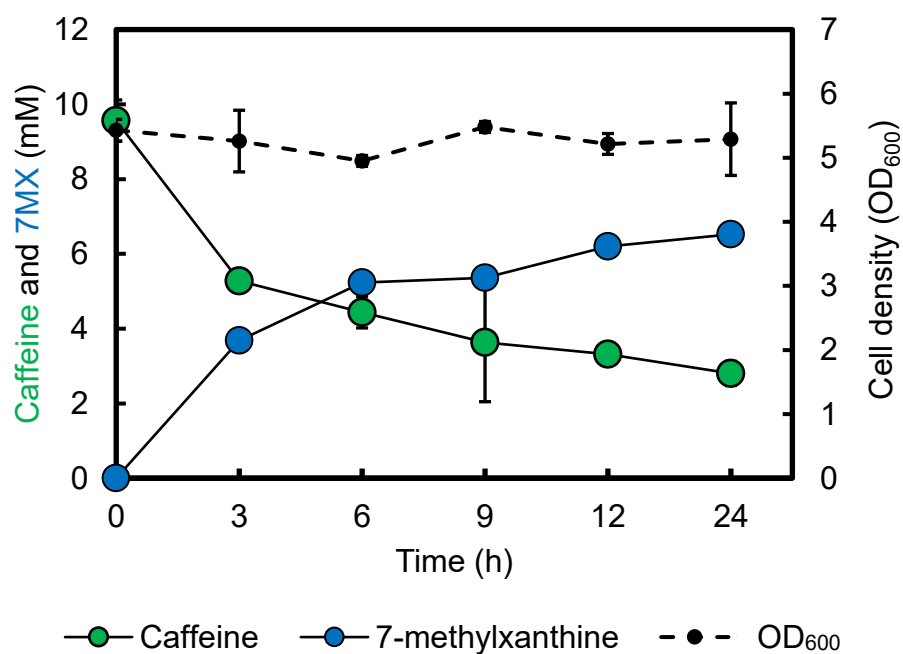
Caffeine was weighed and added to the culture in powdered form in increments for the biocatalytic conversion to 7-MX. Caffeine was added at 0 h, 6 h, 12 h, 24 h, and 72 h.



Supplementary Fig. S20: Synthesis of 7-MX by utilizing caffeine and theophylline in green tea hydrothermal dissolution (HD) samples.

(A), Chromatogram of hydrothermal dissolution samples (90% v/v) at 0 h and after 12 h of fermentation. HD samples were prepared with waste green tea samples using bench scale reactor at Thermoquatica Inc (Carbondale, IL, USA), following the methodology described in

PCT/US10/23886 ⁷. Caffeine and theophylline were seen at 0 h (Brown line) and caffeine and theophylline were completely converted to 7MX in 12 h (yellow line) by strain LBJ221 (*P. putida* KT2440::Δ*gIpR* pBTL-2-P_{tac}-*ndmABD*_(kan)) in 2X M9 minimal medium without externally added carbon source. **(B)**, A total of 3.21 ± 0.08 mM of 7MX was produced at the end of 12 h.

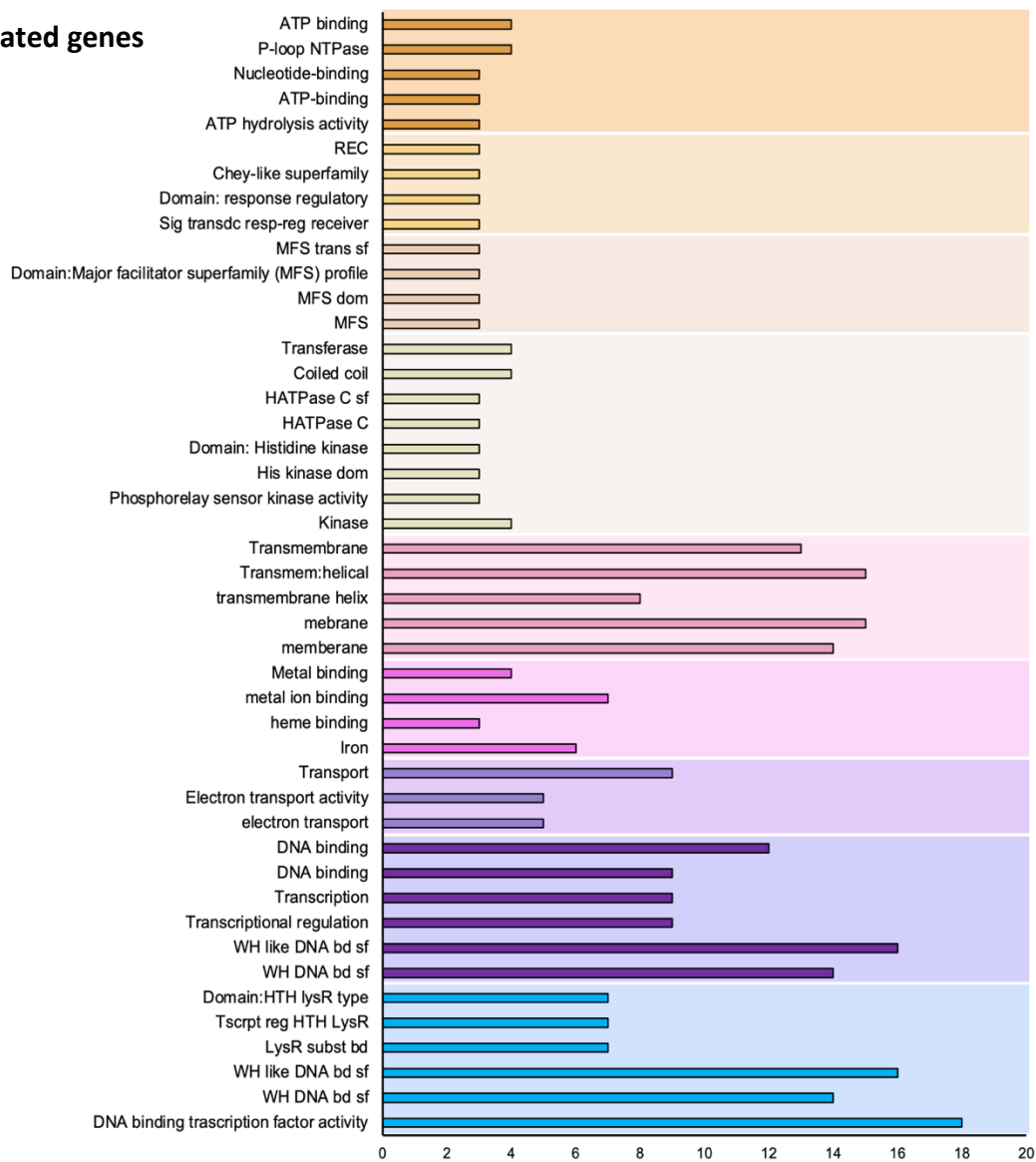


Supplementary Fig. S21: Caffeine utilization and 7-MX production of LBJ600 in 50 mM tris HCL media (initial cell density of OD₆₀₀: 5).

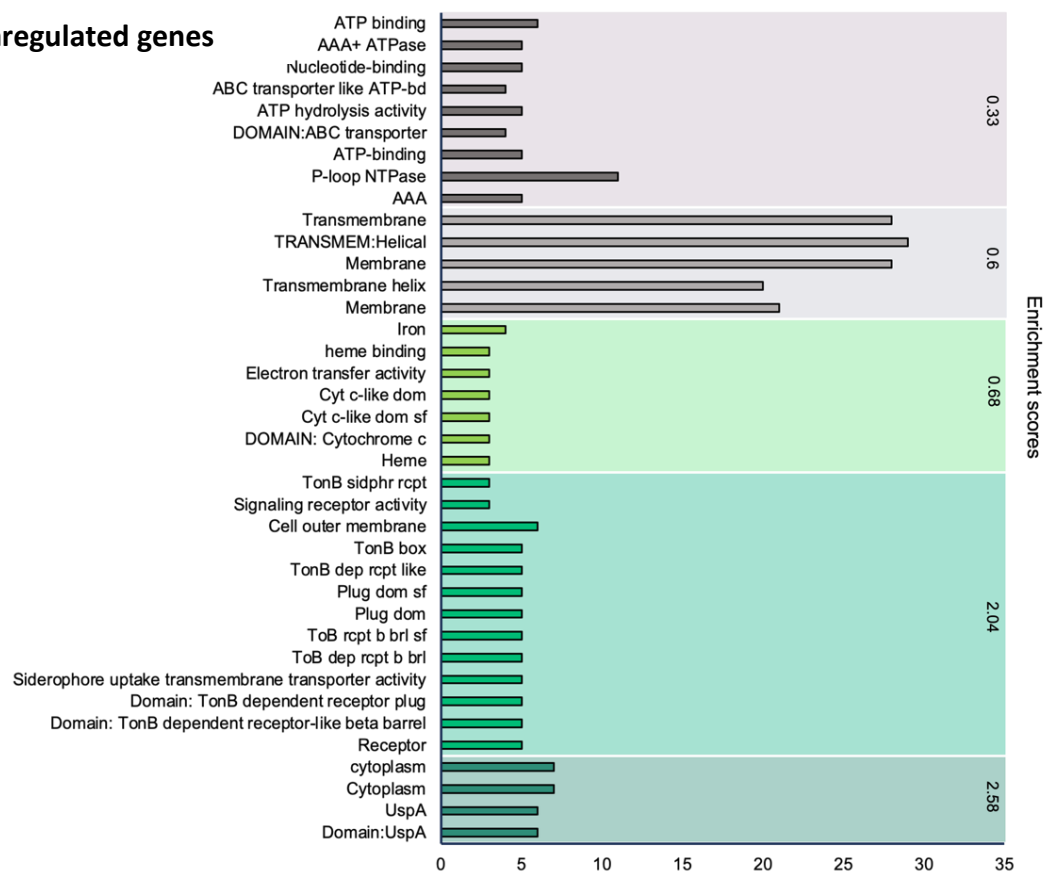
The efficiency of the conversion was highest during the first 3 h and the efficiency was drastically reduced after 3 h. Hence the complete conversion of 10 mM of caffeine was not observed.

4.0 Functional annotation clustering of upregulated and down regulated genes in Glycerol-Caffeine condition, compared to Glycerol condition (>2 Log₂Fold)

4.1 Upregulated genes

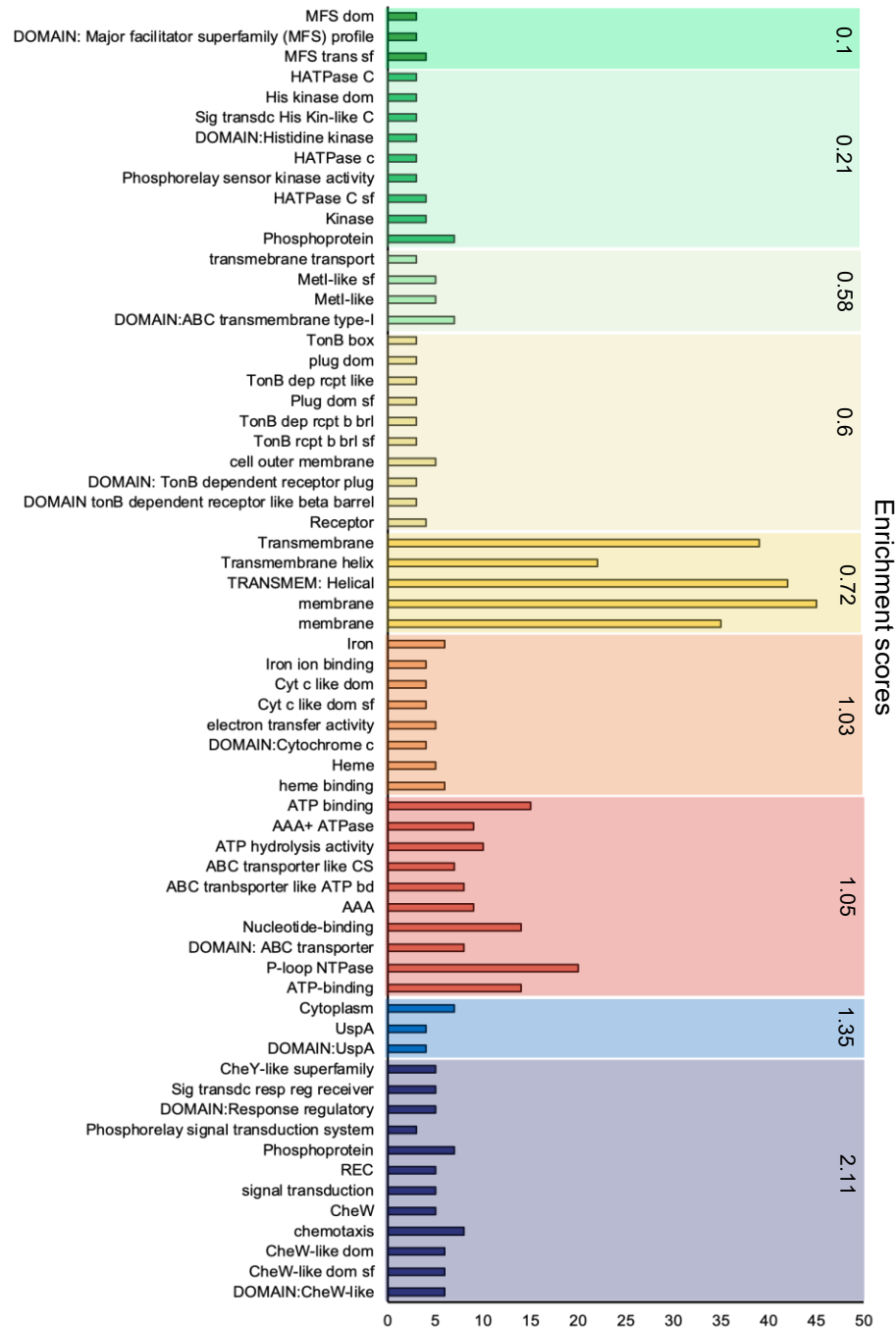


4.2 Downregulated genes

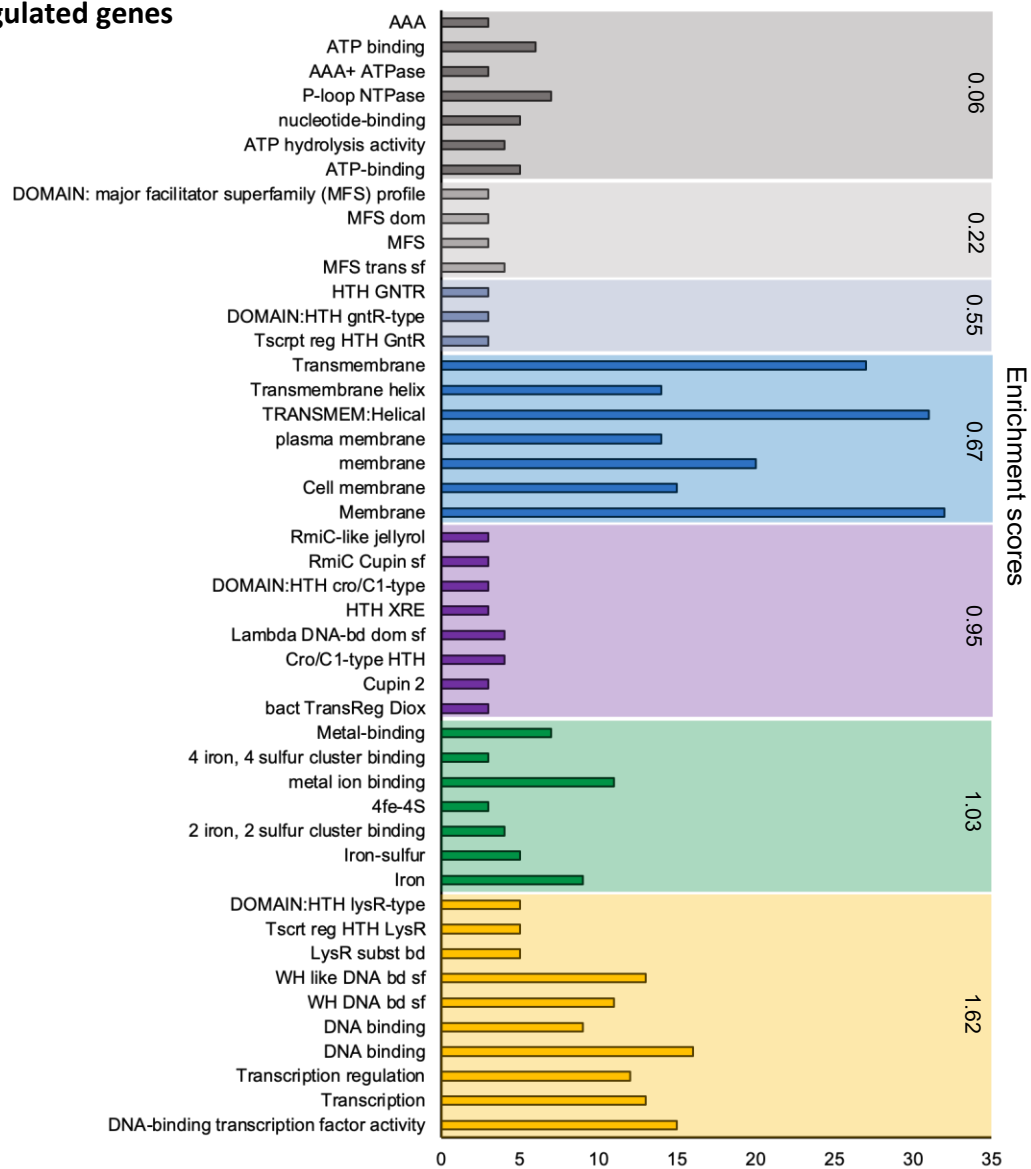


5.0 Functional annotation clustering of upregulated and down regulated genes in Glucose-Caffeine condition, compared to Glycerol-caffeine condition (>2 Log₂Fold)

5.1 Upregulated genes



5.2 Downregulated genes



6.0 The most highly upregulated and downregulated genes

6.1 Glycerol-caffeine vs glycerol

Gene	Description	log2FoldChange
gene-PP_RS13965	pyrroloquinoline quinone biosynthesis peptide chaperone PqqD	7.47
gene-PP_RS13930	pedF cytochrome c-550 PedF	7.44
gene-PP_RS13960	pqqA pyrroloquinoline quinone precursor peptide PqqA	7.29
gene-PP_RS15090	csiD carbon starvation induced protein CsiD	6.91
gene-PP_RS13870	hypothetical protein	6.79
gene-PP_RS01645	membrane dipeptidase	6.67
gene-PP_RS01650	hypothetical protein	6.64
gene-PP_RS13920	pentapeptide repeat-containing protein	6.53
gene-PP_RS13955	aldehyde dehydrogenase	6.45
gene-PP_RS13935	transporter substrate-binding domain-containing protein	6.42
gene-PP_RS17105	paaA 1,2-phenylacetyl-CoA epoxidase subunit A	6.41
gene-PP_RS13915	response regulator transcription factor	6.29
gene-PP_RS01655	dgcA dimethylglycine demethylation protein DgcA	6.28
gene-PP_RS13925	PQQ-dependent dehydrogenase, methanol/ethanol family	6.28
gene-PP_RS13940	quinoprotein dehydrogenase-associated SoxYZ-like carrier	6.15
gene-PP_RS17100	paaB 1,2-phenylacetyl-CoA epoxidase subunit B	6.04
gene-PP_RS13945	quinoprotein relay system zinc metallohydrolase 1	5.90
gene-PP_RS13905	ABC transporter substrate-binding protein	5.85
gene-PP_RS13885	PQQ-dependent catabolism-associated CXXCW motif protein	5.84
gene-PP_RS17095	paaC phenylacetate-CoA oxygenase subunit PaaC	5.83
gene-PP_RS13900	YVTN family beta-propeller repeat protein	5.78
gene-PP_RS13950	PQQ-dependent dehydrogenase, methanol/ethanol family	5.71
gene-PP_RS18750	DMT family transporter	5.61
gene-PP_RS13910	HAMP domain-containing sensor histidine kinase	5.59
gene-PP_RS13875	PAS domain-containing sensor histidine kinase	5.55
gene-PP_RS13895	ATP-binding cassette domain-containing protein	5.54
gene-PP_RS01660	dimethylglycine demethylation protein DgcB	5.47
gene-PP_RS24820	amino acid permease	5.42
gene-PP_RS01665	electron transfer flavoprotein subunit alpha/FixB family protein	5.22
gene-PP_RS23380	phenylalanine 4-monooxygenase	5.21
gene-PP_RS01725	sarcosine oxidase subunit delta	5.02
gene-PP_RS17090	phenylacetate-CoA oxygenase subunit PaaJ	4.96
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gene-PP_RS01720	sarcosine oxidase subunit beta family protein	4.86
gene-PP_RS21395	isocitrate lyase	4.69
gene-PP_RS13890	ABC transporter permease	4.66
gene-PP_RS01735	sarcosine oxidase subunit gamma family protein	4.65
gene-PP_RS01670	electron transfer flavoprotein subunit beta	4.65
gene-PP_RS17135	2,3-dehydroadipyl-CoA hydratase	4.64
gene-PP_RS27610	glutamine synthetase	4.46
gene-PP_RS01715	serine hydroxymethyltransferase	4.42
gene-PP_RS11325	formate dehydrogenase subunit gamma	4.35
gene-PP_RS17120	hydroxyphenylacetyl-CoA thioesterase PaaI	4.31
gene-PP_RS14985	catalase family peroxidase	4.17
gene-PP_RS18690	gamma-glutamyl-gamma-aminobutyrate hydrolase family protein	4.17
gene-PP_RS13880	response regulator transcription factor	4.16
gene-PP_RS17085	phenylacetate-CoA oxygenase/reductase subunit PaaK	4.15
gene-PP_RS26445	NirD/YgiW/YdeI family stress tolerance protein	4.15
gene-PP_RS28195	DeoR family transcriptional regulator	4.10

Gene	Description	log2FoldChange
gene-PP_RS17325	TonB-dependent siderophore receptor	-7.10
gene-PP_RS27915	GTP-binding protein	-7.01
gene-PP_RS17370	cytochrome c5 family protein	-6.89
gene-PP_RS17375	DUF2946 family protein	-6.85
gene-PP_RS17305	DUF4440 domain-containing protein	-6.83
gene-PP_RS27910	DUF1826 domain-containing protein	-6.75
gene-PP_RS16845	GNAT family N-acetyltransferase	-6.65
gene-PP_RS19505	glcF glycolate oxidase subunit GlcF	-6.63
gene-PP_RS25250	DUF2946 domain-containing protein	-6.33
gene-PP_RS19500	glcE glycolate oxidase subunit GlcE	-6.11
gene-PP_RS17385	LysR family transcriptional regulator	-6.04
gene-PP_RS19495	glcD glycolate oxidase subunit GlcD	-5.97
gene-PP_RS19510	hypothetical protein	-5.88
gene-PP_RS16860	Hsp20/alpha crystallin family protein	-5.76
gene-PP_RS17390	putative natural product biosynthesis protein	-5.63
gene-PP_RS22085	CcoQ/FixQ family Cbb3-type cytochrome c oxidase assembly chaperone	-5.61
gene-PP_RS14285	universal stress protein	-5.46
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gene-PP_RS25255	TonB-dependent copper receptor	-5.43
gene-PP_RS19685	chlorinating enzyme	-5.38
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gene-PP_RS13790	universal stress protein	-4.89
gene-PP_RS16840	erythromycin esterase family protein	-4.88
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6.2 Glucose-caffeine vs glycerol-caffeine

Gene	Description	log2FoldChange
gene-PP_RS05325	porin	9.15
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gene-PP_RS05310	sugar ABC transporter permease	9.00
gene-PP_RS05315	carbohydrate ABC transporter permease	8.81
gene-PP_RS17595	sugar kinase	8.57
gene-PP_RS17590	MFS transporter	8.46
gene-PP_RS05305	carbohydrate ABC transporter substrate-binding protein	8.35
gene-PP_RS17600	xylose isomerase	8.23
gene-PP_RS17305	DUF4440 domain-containing protein	7.21
gene-PP_RS17575	hypothetical protein	7.02
gene-PP_RS17585	D-glycerate dehydrogenase	6.73
gene-PP_RS27915	GTP-binding protein	6.55
gene-PP_RS03270	branched-chain amino acid ABC transporter permease	6.53
gene-PP_RS03275	branched-chain amino acid ABC transporter permease	6.31
gene-PP_RS27910	DUF1826 domain-containing protein	6.26
gene-PP_RS08960	cation acetate symporter	6.22
gene-PP_RS03260	ABC transporter ATP-binding protein	6.16
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gene-PP_RS08955	DUF485 domain-containing protein	5.64
gene-PP_RS07465	TonB-dependent receptor	5.58
gene-PP_RS17325	TonB-dependent siderophore receptor	5.55
gene-PP_RS17375	DUF2946 family protein	5.54
gene-PP_RS05300	AGE family epimerase/isomerase	5.51
gene-PP_RS12260	propionyl-CoA synthetase	5.46
gene-PP_RS25255	TonB-dependent copper receptor	5.43
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gene-PP_RS25260	PepSY domain-containing protein	4.92
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gene-PP_RS22080	cytochrome-c oxidase, cbb3-type subunit II	4.81
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gene-PP_RS13965	pyrroloquinoline quinone biosynthesis peptide chaperone PqqD	-4.06

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