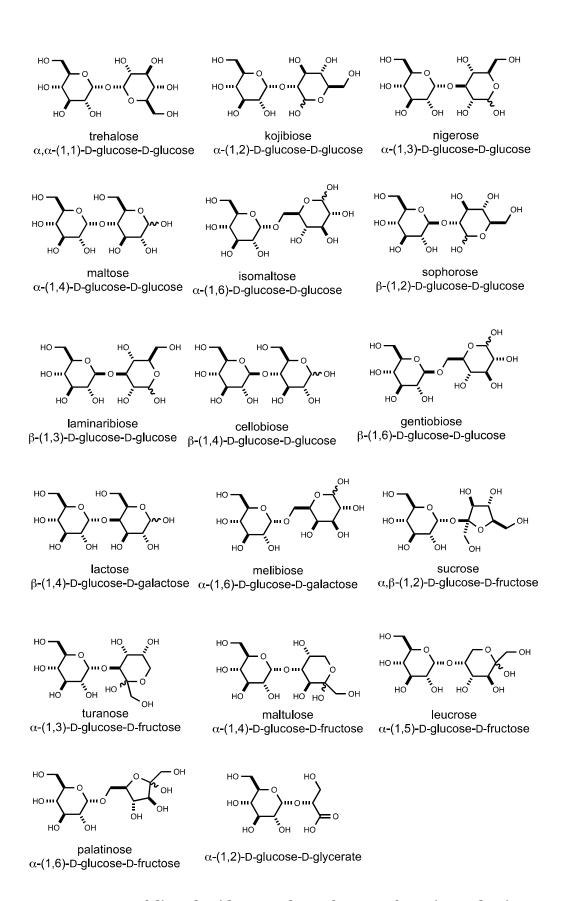
Supplementary Information

Discovery of a Kojibiose Phosphorylase in Escherichia coli K-12

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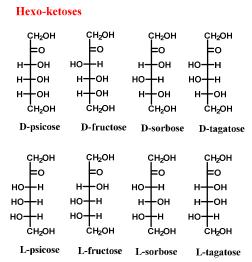
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Scheme S1: Structures of disaccharides tested as substrates for YcjM and YcjT.

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D-lyxose

L-ribose

L-arabinose L-xylose

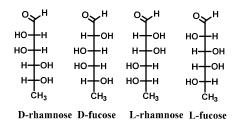
L-lyxose

Scheme S2: Structure of aldohexoses, aldopentoses, and ketohexoses tested as substrates for YcjM and YcjT.

D-arabinose D-xylose

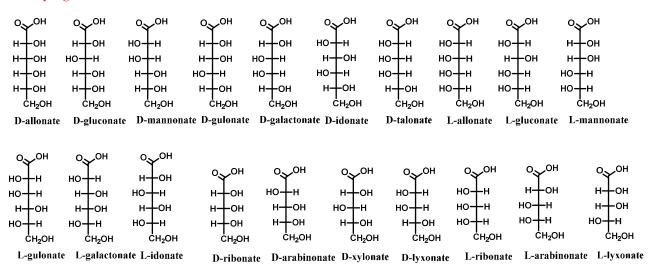
D-ribose

6-deoxy hexoses

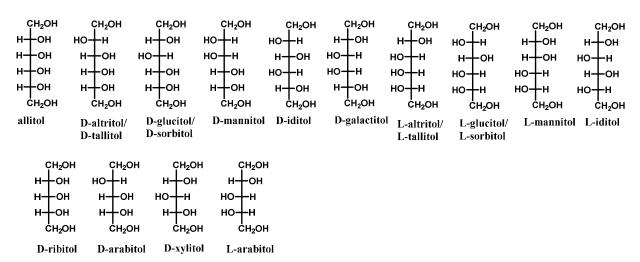


Pento-ketoses

Carboxy sugars



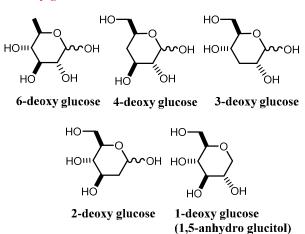
Sugar alcohols



Scheme S3: Structures of 6-deoxyaldoses, ketopentoses, sugar carboxylates and sugar alcohols tested as substrates for YcjM and YcjT.

Inositols

Deoxy-glucose substrates



Scheme S4: Structures of deoxy-D-glucose variants and inositols tested as substrates for YcjM and YcjT.

Scheme S5: Reactions catalyzed by YcjU.

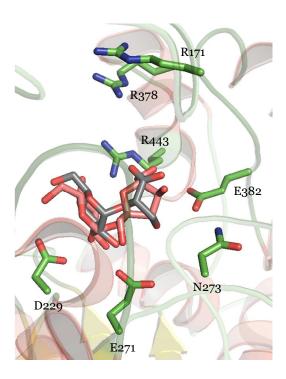


Figure S1: Homology model for active site of YcjM built using Phyre2. The α -(1,2)-D-glucose-D-glycerate was docked in the active site using AutoDock Vina. The YcjM model is superimposed with sucrose phosphorylase structure from *B. adolescentis* (PDB id: 2GDU). The bound sucrose is shown in red. In the YcjM model, α -(1,2)-D-glucose-D-glycerate is shown in grey and the active site residues of YcjM are shown in green.

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YcjT
        1 -----MTRPVTLSEPHFSQHTLNKYASLMAQGNGYLGLRASHEEDYTRQTRGMYLAGLYHRAGKGEIN 63
PhKP
        1 ------MRFQFGFSKEDEQVLGTILTLGNGQLGVRGEFEL--ERSPYGTIVSGVYDYT-PYFYR 55
CsKP
        1 -----MKLSEREWLIEQDKL--EASGKFETCFALTNGYIGIRGINEEVFCEETPGTYIAGVFDKS-TAQVT 63
TbKP
        1 MVKHMFLEDVNNLISDDKWLIFQNEYNTEVNPRYETLFTLTNGYMGVRGTFEEGSEGERSGNFIAGIFDKS-DAQVR 76
       64 ELVNLPDVVGMEIAINGEVFSLSH---EAWQRELDFASGELRRNVVWRTSNGSGYTIASRRFVSADQLPLIALEITI 137
YciT
PhKP
      56 ELVNGPRTIGMIIIIDGELINPSSQKVKEFQRELDIEKGLLRTHLEIETKNGNKILYKSTRIVHMKRKNLILLDFEL 132
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CsKP
       77 EIVNAONWLRIKLYVEGEELSLDKCQLIEFKRILDMKKGILFRSMLIKDSKDRITRIEGYRFISRSDLHRSAIKLFV 153
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      133 KASK-GGIAVVVNPIEFNTANPGFIDEIMIKHYRVDSIKET-EEGVYARVKTLDNKYTLEIASSLVPSEYTSR---- 203
     141 VCENYSAVLNVESFIDATTVNSKDVPNDRVKHYEIDKKKDF-ADGIYLGITTKDKKYKVGIASSTKVLLN-----NQ 211
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      204 -STFR-TDNEIG----EIYIVKLKPGKTYKFTKYVTV-----SKGAALEELKDVKRLGFEKLYEEHINSW 262
Cskp 212 RCYFNRFTKDLGYIITENFEVEAKQGERYEIEKLTVLVS--SREKNVGDVFETCTNKLKEFETKSAEKLLFEHIEEY 286
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CsKP
TOKP 533 KYPEHYHAISNKKCLTNEEMEKWKEVEEKIYIPYDKDKKLIEQFEGYFDKKDYVIDKFDEN--NMPIWPEGVDITKL 607
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Figure S2: Multiple sequence alignment of YcjT, and kojibiose phosphorylases from *Pyrococcus horikoshii* (PsKP), *Caldicellulosiruptor saccharolyticus* (CsKP), and *Thermoanaerobacter brockii* (TbKP) created using Clustal omega. The residues interacting with kojibiose, as observed in the CsKP structure (2IWW), are conserved in YcjT. These residues are indicated in pink. YcjT has Ser409 in place of a conserved threonine residues as indicated in blue. The catalytic glutamate residue is shown in green.