

Supplementary Information

Table S1. Percent identity matrix of the catalytic D1 domain of Mef2 and the characterized members of the GH107 family

	MfFcna	FFA1	Fhf1	FFA2	FWf1	FWf3	P5AFcnA	P19DFcnA	Mef2	Fda1	Fda2	SVI_0379
MfFcna/34-418*	100	83	72	63	53	38	16	17	14	23	23	26
FFA1/31-415*	83	100	72	62	54	37	16	17	14	23	23	25
Fhf1/29-447*	72	72	100	68	54	38	17	17	16	25	24	25
FFA2/41-433*	63	62	68	100	52	39	17	17	16	23	22	25
FWf1/15-439*	53	54	54	52	100	40	17	16	13	24	25	23
FWf3/213-589*	38	37	38	39	40	100	15	18	15	23	24	22
P5AFcnA/36-393*	16	16	17	17	17	17	100	72	39	22	23	22
P19DFcnA/31-393*	17	17	17	17	16	18	72	100	40	23	24	22
Mef2 /22-383*	14	14	16	16	13	15	39	40	100	21	23	20
Fda1/23-372*	23	23	25	23	24	23	22	23	21	100	72	44
Fda2/84-439*	23	23	24	22	25	24	23	24	23	72	100	40
SVI_0379/26-367*	26	25	25	25	23	22	22	22	20	44	40	100

* Indicate the amino acid sequence numbers used for the analysis

Table S2. Thermostability by DLS of Mef2 with Ca²⁺ and without Ca²⁺

Mef2 Stability	Tm (°C)
Mef2 - Ca ²⁺	37.9 ± 0.05
Mef2 + Ca ²⁺	44.4 ± 0.03

Table S3. Monosaccharide composition of fucoidan fraction 4 (FeF4) purified from enzymatic extracts of *F. evanescence*

FeF4		
Neutral monosaccharides (mol%)	Fucose	88.1 ± 0.0
	Rhamnose	0.8 ± 0.0
	Galactose	7.3 ± 0.3
	Glucose	0.7 ± 0.1
	Xylose	1.1 ± 0.1
	Mannose	0.2 ± 0.0
Uronic acids (%)	Guluronic acid	0.1 ± 0.1
	Glucuronic acid	0.5 ± 0.2
	Mannuronic acid	1.1 ± 0.5
Sulfate (%)	38.1 ± 1.2	

The data are given in %mol (relative level) of total carbohydrates analyzed in the fucoidan fractions

Table S4. Monosaccharide composition of fucoidan fractions purified from enzymatic extracts of *S. latissima* from Ocean Rainforest

		SIF1	SIF2	SIF3	SIF4
Neutral monosaccharides (mol%)	Fucose	31.7 ^c ± 2.2	69.0 ^a ± 0.8	58.6 ^b ± 0.3	63.1 ^b ± 0.5
	Rhamnose	0.4 ^c ± 0.1	1.0 ^b ± 0.0	0.8 ^{b,c} ± 0.0	2.0 ^a ± 0.1
	Galactose	0.5 ^d ± 0.1	17.4 ^c ± 0.2	34.8 ^a ± 0.4	22.1 ^b ± 0.0
	Glucose	0.3 ^d ± 0.0	0.4 ^c ± 0.0	0.5 ^b ± 0.0	0.9 ^a ± 0.0
	Xylose	2.4 ^c ± 0.3	5.1 ^b ± 0.2	2.7 ^c ± 0.1	7.3 ^a ± 0.3
Uronic acids (%)	Mannose	0.6 ^d ± 0.1	2.1 ^a ± 0.1	1.0 ^c ± 0.0	1.8 ^b ± 0.0
	Guluronic acid	2.5 ^a ± 0.1	0.2 ^b ± 0.1	0.1 ^b ± 0.0	0.2 ^b ± 0.0
	Glucuronic acid	1.3 ^{b,c} ± 0.3	3.7 ^a ± 0.4	1.1 ^c ± 0.0	2.3 ^b ± 0.0
	Mannuronic acid	60.2 ^a ± 3.2	1.2 ^b ± 0.1	0.4 ^b ± 0.3	0.5 ^b ± 0.1
Sulfate (%)		11.3 ^c ± 1.0	28.4 ^b ± 2.1	35.6 ^a ± 0.4	32.1 ^a ± 3.1

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Different superscript letters a,b,c indicate statistically different values ($p < 0.05$) between the values in the fucoidan fractions

Table S5. Monosaccharide composition of *S. latissima* MMP after Mef2 hydrolysis

		MMP
Neutral monosaccharides (mol%)	Fucose	48.1 ± 0.0
	Rhamnose	1.0 ± 0.6
	Galactose	44.0 ± 3.7
	Glucose	0.3 ± 0.2
	Xylose	2.3 ± 0.3
Uronic acids (%)	Mannose	1.7 ± 1.9
	Guluronic acid	1.6 ± 1.2
	Glucuronic acid	0.7 ± 0.1
Sulfate (%)	Mannuronic acid	0.3 ± 0.5
		34.2 ± 1.8

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Table S6. Monosaccharide composition and sulfate content of fractionated *S. latissima* MMP

Fractions	Monosaccharide composition								Sulfate, %									
	Fuc:Gal:Rha:Glu:Xyl:Man:GuluA:GluA:ManA (mol:mol)																	
MF1	1	:	0.29	:	0.07	:	0.02	:	0.14	:	0.02	:	0.00	:	0.02	:	0.02	52.1 ± 0.8
MF2	1	:	0.42	:	0.06	:	0.02	:	0.12	:	0.02	:	0.00	:	0.01	:	0.02	48.2 ± 1.9
MF3	1	:	0.56	:	0.04	:	0.02	:	0.07	:	0.01	:	0.00	:	0.01	:	0.01	52.1 ± 0.8
MF4	1	:	0.52	:	0.03	:	0.02	:	0.06	:	0.01	:	0.00	:	0.00	:	0.01	54.8 ± 2.9
MF5	1	:	0.73	:	0.03	:	0.02	:	0.07	:	0.01	:	0.00	:	0.00	:	0.01	27.8 ± 1.6
MF6	1	:	0.65	:	0.03	:	0.02	:	0.06	:	0.01	:	0.00	:	0.00	:	0.02	28.7 ± 3.3

Table S7. Monosaccharide composition of fucoidan fraction 3 from different brown seaweed species

		<i>S. polycystum</i>	<i>S. oligocystum</i>	<i>S. serratum</i>	<i>T. ornata</i>	<i>H. cuneiformis</i>	<i>S. mcclurei</i>
Neutral monosaccharides (%mol)	Fucose	46.7 ^d ± 4.5	66.4 ^c ± 3.4	81.5 ^{a,b} ± 0.8	85.6 ^a ± 0.3	72.7 ^{b,c} ± 0.0	78.5 ^{a,b} ± 1.7
	Rhamnose	0.5 ^a ± 0.4	0.8 ^a ± 0.6	0.2 ^a ± 0.0	0.0 ± 0.0	0.3 ^a ± 0.4	0.3 ^a ± 0.0
	Galactose	26.1 ^a ± 4.9	24.3 ^{a,b} ± 2.3	9.7 ^c ± 0.4	9.9 ^c ± 0.5	20.2 ^{a,b} ± 0.4	15.4 ^{b,c} ± 0.5
	Glucose	1.3 ^a ± 0.0	0.7 ^b ± 0.3	0.2 ^{b,c} ± 0.0	0.2 ^{b,c} ± 0.0	0.2 ^c ± 0.1	0.1 ^c ± 0.1
	Xylose	18.3 ^a ± 2.6	3.8 ^b ± 0.1	3.7 ^b ± 0.2	0.8 ^b ± 0.0	2.6 ^b ± 0.1	2.8 ^b ± 0.3
Uronic acids (%mol)	Guluronic acid	0.7 ^a ± 0.2	0.1 ^a ± 0.0	0.1 ^a ± 0.0	0.2 ^a ± 0.0	0.4 ^a ± 0.2	0.1 ^a ± 0.1
	Glucuronic acid	0.6 ^a ± 0.1	1.0 ^a ± 0.1	0.5 ^a ± 0.0	0.5 ^a ± 0.2	1.0 ^a ± 0.4	0.5 ^a ± 0.2
	Mannuronic acid	5.2 ^a ± 0.5	1.8 ^a ± 0.0	3.4 ^a ± 0.1	2.5 ^a ± 0.0	2.4 ^a ± 0.3	2.0 ^a ± 2.1
Sulfate (%)		24.6 ^c ± 0.8	27.7 ^c ± 1.8	38.1 ^a ± 4.0		29.4 ^{b,c} ± 2.3	31.4 ^b ± 2.6

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FWf3/213-589	ALGERAVNLRGWTW-----SEI-----LVDLLDDRIKNLKTLNRLGVGSFTN	41
Fp273/234-617	AAGERAVGLRGTVW-----GGV-----GD---LESIKHFKTLTTMGASFSS	38
FFA2/41-433	DLGLRADWMRGSGLLWLPENNYNGNIEGV-----SIEDFLTQIQHLKTVDFVQVGLAS	54
Fhf2/31-439	DLGLRADWMRGSGLLWLPENNHNGNIEGV-----SIEAFLTQIQHLKTVDFIqvGLAS	54
Fhf1/29-447	NQGLRANWMRGSWAALWLPENNYNGHIEGV-----SIEPFIEQIKELETIDYIQIGLTN	54
FWf4/37-421	EQGLRANWMRGAFLWLPERNYNGNIEGV-----EIDEFISQVKDLRTIDYVQLPLTS	54
MfFcna/34-418	NQGLRAEWMRGAGLWLWLPERTFNGNIEGI-----RIDDFLTQIKDIRTVDYVQLPLTS	54
FFA1/31-415	DQGLRAEWMRGSYGMWLPERNFNGNIEGI-----RIDEFITQIKDIRTVDYVQLPLTS	54
FWf2/243-679	ALGERADWLRLGTWGVWTTPSNYQNGNVEDV-----SIDDFLNQISEVKTISYIQVKLGS	54
Fp279/40-449	KITTRADWLRSWGLNWKPDTLNWNGAGEAL-----TIDLFLEQISHLKTIDYVQVHLNE	54
FWf1/15-439	NQGLRAHWLRLGTWG1NWKPVNLYNGHEGL-----SIEPFLNQISHIKTIDYIQVHLGE	54
Fp277/26-435	-VESRGDWLRNSWGINWKPVDVYNGKSES-----EIDIFLDQISHLKTIDYIQSHLGE	53
SVI_0379/26-367	-TESKAVWMEGKVGVGFRINADR----KD-NIENY-DVDTLVNQIKTIDGISYVIFNLSD	53
Fda1/23-372	--ETKADWMQGNWGISYRIPGGDINYSGS-HVAEY-NVRAAVEQISAIPGLKWLQVNLSN	56
Fda2/84-439	PEDIRASWMQGNWGISFRISGGDISQNES-HVNEY-QVAPAVEQIAAIPGLKWLQVNLSN	58
Mef2/22-383	----DDSWELEGSGITFPVFGGARLDAEV--AGGLDPVSGAQEIIVDELSEVGHVITNLSY	54
P5A_Fcna/36-393	GIEYNASWMAGTWGITQRVDGGYKLDNSA--DSSNWNQAGAEIIVTNIPAAEYVITSFTH	57
P19D_Fcna/31-393	DSEYTANWAGAWGITQRVDGGYKL-DASVETGKYDWWAGAEIIVENIPSAGYVITSFTH	59
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FWf3/213-589	GAVLSAEHKVPHKLFDRLSG-----GDVVAPSWGDL--NSDTPDNDNMADI	86
Fp273/234-617	GASASAQHNAPHKFLETTIALKGV--NGNGPAIDYVVPWSWGLD--SLDEPESDPFLDNI	93
FFA2/41-433	PYIYSPVHTAPHPPLLERLWEGDL--GPDGKPI-NLVVPRASA-----PDPFLGWL	101
Fhf2/31-439	PYIYSPVHTAPHPPLERLWEGDL--GPDGKPI-NLVVPRASA-----PDPFLSWL	101
Fhf1/29-447	PNIYSPVHTAPHPPIIESLWQGDV--DPDGPNPL-NLVVPRASA-----PDPFLSWL	101
FWf4/37-421	PNIYSPVHTAPHPPIIESLWQGDV--DSNGDPI-NLVVPRESV-----DDPLLSWL	101
MfFcna/34-418	MfFcna/34-418-----PNIYSPVHTAPHPPIIESLWQGDV--DANGDPI-NLVAPRESV-----DDPLLSWL	101
FFA1/31-415	MfFcna/31-415-----PNIYSPVHTAPHPPIIESLWQGDV--DANGDPI-NLVAPRESV-----DDPLLSWL	101
FWf2/243-679	MfFcna/243-679-----PNIYSPVFAAPHQVLESFWYNDGVDRDGNGEPVQNLVVPRWNG--TI--AENDPFLDWI	110
Fp279/40-449	MfFcna/40-449-----PNIYSPVFAAPHQVLESFWYNDGVDRDGNGEPVQNLVVPRWNG--TI--AENDPFLDWI	110
FWf1/15-439	MfFcna/15-439-----SYINSPSPHLGTHBLLLESFWWQGDV--SPLGTPM-NLVVPRAST-----GVDPFLEMI	102
Fp277/26-435	MfFcna/26-435-----SSIKSSVHMGPHSLLESFWWEGDT--DANGDPI-NLVVPRASY-----GEDPFLEIV	102
SVI_0379/26-367	MfFcna/36-367-----SSIKSSVHIAPIHELLESFWWQGDV--DATGNPV-NLVVPRASA-----NVDPFLKIL	101
Fda1/23-372	MfFcna/23-372-----AAH-GDAYLAPHSIL-----TTLNPDSTPNAD-----RDLFGEILA	87
Fda2/84-439	MfFcna/84-439-----GAS-GDRFIVPVTEV-----EAINPLSAPNSINDLYDPTLPGRDLFEQLA	100
Mef2/22-383	MfFcna/22-383-----GAF-GDRFIVPVPEV-----EAINPNSAPNSSADLFDPALPGDDLFQEIA	102
P5A_Fcna/36-393	MfFcna/36-393-----FAH-SHYFTLSQNYYINIR-----NEIHPDVVP-----SAANDDIIFDVL	93
P19D_Fcna/31-393	MfFcna/31-393-----PAH-GHLFTLRTNNNVDV-----SAIHPDMDV-----TLENEKIILDVI	95
	PAH-GFLYTLRDNENVDV-----AAIHPDMDV-----SLENEKIIFDVI	97
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FWf3/213-589	LKIKAAGFNVKAYTNSENFGT-----	108
Fp273/234-617	LAIKAAGFKIKAYLNSENFLGS-----	115
FFA2/41-433	KAIAKGLKTEVYVNSANLLQWEAF-----G-----	127
Fhf2/31-439	KAIAKGLKTEVYVNSANLLQWEAF-----N-----	127
Fhf1/29-447	KAIAKGLKTEVYVNSYNLLARVP-----D-----	126
FWf4/37-421	KALKAEGLRVEIYVNSYNLLARNP-----E-----	126
MfFcna/34-418	KALRAAGLRTEIYVNSYNLLARIP-----E-----	126
FFA1/31-415	KALRAAGLKAEIYVNSYNLLARIP-----E-----	126
FWf2/243-679	TKIKAAGLKVQVYVNSSNMLQRYSDSYEDGRI-----	142
Fp279/40-449	KKSQKAGLKVQVYVNSSNLLTRG-A-----TF-----	128
FWf1/15-439	KAIKAGLKVQVYVNSSNMLSRGP-----GG-----	129
Fp277/26-435	KKVKAAGMKNQVYVNSSNMLQNES-----T-----	126
SVI_0379/26-367	KAFHAAGIKVIAYAATQGPAML-----KHGAAYAFDGQD-----	122
Fda1/23-372	LAFKAKGIRVVAAYATQGPAML-----KHGAENSMDDEDSIT-----DCKSSKPLVTDL	149
Fda2/84-439	LGLQAKGIKVVAYATQGPAML-----KHGAERSMDFDDSIVDSEDSACKSSRPVVSDF	157
Mef2/22-383	DIFKNSDKKIILYISQTQYFAR-----ADEDN-----	119
P5A_Fcna/36-393	NIYRAAGKKVILYLNAGPSMA-----EERGD-----	122
P19D_Fcna/31-393	NVYKSAGKKVLLYLNAGPSMA-----EERGD-----	124
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FWf3/213-589	-NADYLQPFVDSWKEYCDTDPEVQAFINSQPYHTGIWNRTTEQYEDATATYPNRKYMFCY	167
Fp273/234-617	-NQDHLOEFVDRWKEYCDNDAVVQAFINSQPFHTSVWDTEQTVDATETYPNRKYMFCY	174
FFA2/41-433	TPISEFPDFSERWKAYCDTDPTMQAFIESQPYHKDGVN-----DERRPYMFCY	175
Fhf2/31-439	GAPSEFPDFSNRWKAYCDTDPTVQAFINSEAYHKDGVN-----DERRPYMFAY	175
Fhf1/29-447	GIPAGYPDLSERWEYCNNTNATAQAFIKNNPFISED-D-----PERRKYMFCY	173
FWf4/37-421	DTQTEYPDVSDRMEWCNTNAEAQAFALNTQTYHN--G-----SGRRYYMFCY	171

MfFcnaA/34-418	DTQADYPDV SARWMEWC DTNTEAQAFINSQTYHE---G-----	NGRRKYMFCY	171
FFA1/31-415	DTQEDYPDV SERWMEWC DTNPEAQAFIASQDFHE---G-----	DGRRKYMFCY	171
FWf2/243-679	PSPNELPDV TNRWKAYCDANY--TTFINSQPYHTGIYNSATGNVN SEAEPERKYVFCF	200	
Fp279/40-449	SNPASFPDITDRWEW VDTNPEAQAFIHSQPYHTGIWDAESETV DASETYPERKYMFA Y	188	
FWf1/15-439	SNPDYIPNITERWKEW CDTNAEAQAFIASQPYHTGVWDETSKYINSETEFPERKYMFA Y	189	
Fp277/26-435	PNPDYIPNITERWKA WVDGS AEAQAFIASQPYHTGTWDADTQS YV DATATYPERKYMFA Y	186	
SVI_0379/26-367	ANGHWSSKS MTNWA KWNTNKYGSASDDN-----YKKAY	155	
Fda1/23-372	DTQVYCSANMNRWRD YVLEQYPSTSLYR-----SFELA	182	
Fda2/84-439	DTQVYCSANMNRWRD YVLLQQYPSTSLHH-----SFQLG	190	
Mef2/22-383	-----IDI KTNWDQFVTQYP-----SQNDA	139	
P5A_FcnaA/36-393	-----TDIQA AWDEYYINEWDG-----DEAAA	144	
P19D_FcnaA/31-393	-----PEIQDAWDDYVNTNWNG-----DHGAA	146	
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FWf3/213-589	AEYFLKD YAL RYGEHFD SWIF DGATM--EQNGDNATSGVVEQORIYQAYANAVHAGNP D	225	
Fp273/234-617	AEFVLKD YAL RYAKYIDS WIF DG GTM--VENGDNATSGLVEQORIYQAYANAVHAGNP E	232	
FFA2/41-433	AEFVLKEYAM RYGD LIDAWCF DAAHVNM-GAAGDDY STG D IDTQRV FQAFADACHAGNPD	234	
Fhf2/31-439	AEFILKD YAM RYGD LIDAWCF DAAHVNM-ASAGDDY STG NIDTQRV YQAFADACHAGNPN	234	
Fhf1/29-447	AEFILKEYSE RYGD LIDAWCF D SADNIM-GACGDE PQS D DVNH QRIYQAFADACHAGNPN	232	
FWf4/37-421	AEFILKEYAI RYGD LIDAWCF D SADNIM E DEC GDNP DSEN VEDQ RIYQAFANAVHAGNPN	231	
MfFcnaA/34-418	AEFILKEYAQ RYGD LIDAWCF D SADNIM E DEC GDNP DASED VNDQ RIYQAFADACHAGNPN	231	
FFA1/31-415	AEFILKEYAN RYGD LIDAWCF D SADNIM E GE C G DDPAS D D DQ RIYQAF A EAC HSGNPK	231	
FWf2/243-679	AEYILKEYAT RYGD LIDAWCF D SG E FM-VSNGD SE S G I L E Q R LYEA FANAVHAGNEN	258	
Fp279/40-449	AEFVLKEYAV RYGNL IDGWL F DSG F M-KKNGDNATGVKAEQ QIYKAFADACHAGNPM	246	
FWf1/15-439	AEFILKEYAI RYGD LIDAWCF DSG SWM-GMNGDS QT NGI YEDQ M IFN AFKA AC HAGNPD	247	
Fp277/26-435	AEFVLKVYSE RYGD LIDGWL F DSG SFM-Y SNGD SAT NGV KEDQ SLYG AFKA AAQAGNPN	244	
SVI_0379/26-367	AEVIIA EY QA Q RYGS L IDGWWF D HSSCA-----NIPL LH KITKA ANPA	197	
Fda1/23-372	MVNIVETLSL RYGST IDGWWF D HSGFG-----DSELLHAA ALAGNN D	224	
Fda2/84-439	L VNIVETLSL RYGT L IDGWWF D HS YIG-----DYNLLP DAARAGNSN	232	
Mef2/22-383	Y VELL RGF V E V LKD YADG YWL DTVTA-----NVEDIVDMIREVDPT	180	
P5A_FcnaA/36-393	WRNLARGY V E FDGL D GY WL D NSRN LP-----G-EVSDFV AMLRSV DPE	188	
P19D_FcnaA/31-393	WRNLVEGYAK R FKGL VDGF WL D NSKN MA-----GGQKEIPEFV AMLRDIDPS	193	
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FWf3/213-589	IAIAF NNGR STVN-----Y-----KD-Y PFAH AVRF EDFTFG H A	258	
Fp273/234-617	IPIAF NNGR STTA-----Y-----AS-T PFAH AVRF EDFTFG H A	265	
FFA2/41-433	AAITF NNGI GDR DS-----D-----PF-V P VTPS L FEDY K F G H P	268	
Fhf2/31-439	AAITF NNGI GDR DS-----D-----PF-L P VTPS L FEDY K F G H P	268	
Fhf1/29-447	AAISF NNSVG DREL-----N-----PF-----STATYFDDYTF G H P	263	
FWf4/37-421	AAVAF NNSVG DR VE-----N-----PF-----STATLFDDYTF G H P	262	
MfFcnaA/34-418	AAIAF NNSVG DREG-----N-----PF-----TSATLFDDYTF G H P	262	
FFA1/31-415	AAISF NNSVG DREG-----N-----PF-----TTATYFDDYTF G H P	262	
FWf2/243-679	AAVAF NNGP NRHEA AN AANG-----TV-T PYS HATHF DDFM F G H P	296	
Fp279/40-449	AAISF NNSP NRV T-----E-----SL-NPFSEATHY DDYMF G H P	279	
FWf1/15-439	AALS F QNS PER DT-----E-----EL-NPFSEAVHADD F M F G H P	280	
Fp277/26-435	APVS F QNS PER DT-----E-----EL-NPFSEATHY DDYMF G H P	277	
SVI_0379/26-367	VILA F NK GQ KV PLI-----NNNPGYEDYTSG H P	225	
Fda1/23-372	AAVAF N EGD KV PLV-----NNPETLDDYTF G H P	252	
Fda2/84-439	AAVSL NLEG DIF L S-----NNPEVMEDFTGG H P	260	
Mef2/22-383	AVVTT NKG K DY IRL D DGT KAVV ASNG V SIT GET SPK V G Y NI I RHT LD V AST T QDFT NG H V	240	
P5A_FcnaA/36-393	LTI A V NYD QHYFT DDN G EY LY V DSD GL DDE DE---SDY KIV KH V--TNE YM DFT NG H V	242	
P19D_FcnaA/31-393	FAIG V NY E THY FEDED G NY L KV AS D SIDD N D D---REY KII KH V--TNE YM DFT NG H V	247	
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FWf3/213-589	FGGNNN HAEKI-----N--GNQF NLN YRH IT RMT E TNG LVH AG-----	294	
Fp273/234-617	FGGNNN HAEKE-----N--GNQF NN YRH VTR M T E TNG V H AG-----	301	
FFA2/41-433	FGGAG NM V E PR-----DPL YTVN FG IC EYMR D TNG H PY TN-----	303	
Fhf2/31-439	FGGAG NM V E PR-----DPL YTVN FG IC EYMR D TNG H PY TN-----	303	
Fhf1/29-447	FGGAG NM V E PR-----DPL YTYN H VIE WMSD YNG SAFL VES VN KEI STD G N KILI	314	
FWf4/37-421	FGGAG NM V EN-----ETLY TYN H VIE WMSD YNG SAFL D-----	296	
MfFcnaA/34-418	FGGAG NM V VP-----EAL YTYN HDL VV FM QTN GY AF RD-----	296	
FFA1/31-415	FGGAG NM V EN-----ETLY YN FG VIE WMD YNG SAFL D-----	296	
FWf2/243-679	YNGG KSI GKD KAD YY DTG AY PT NY GR NY AHML W M Q GT GG NV HYL R-D-----SSNP V	347	
Fp279/40-449	YNGG TF I GNHD-----N--TNYD RNY RHI Q KV S ET NGN I HSG SL D-----AGT DS	322	
FWf1/15-439	YNGG RD G GS HT-----I GTP SLY SR NY AHIE KM KET NGY AHR-----GSD P	321	
Fp277/26-435	YNGG RV I GN HE-----N--GLY ER NY AHI Q KI T AT NGN V HSG SVA-----AGT DA	320	
SVI_0379/26-367	TPL RST V-ND-----NLP---M VES I EASS NGY V-----	252	
Fda1/23-372	TPI GSEV S S DDK-----NLP---MLT SIE AT LD G IL-----	280	
Fda2/84-439	TPI ARV V S S DDT-----NLP---MLTA I EAD P N G I F-----	288	
Mef2/22-383	TSII-KAP TDS W-----G YEE FT VG D MIE E PY TE-----	268	
P5A_FcnaA/36-393	TPLGRG APP NS W-----A YEE Y TIP D MIE VP WET-----	271	

P19D_FcnA/31-393

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P19D_FcnA/31-393	GYMSADEMDIMIEINNRMTQAPKLDYEAYERP-----	363

Figure S1. Multiple alignment of the catalytic domain (D1) of the fucoidanases Mef2 with other GH107 family members. The conserved catalytic amino acid aspartate (red) and histidine (blue) are indicated. Conserved amino acids around the -1 subsite are indicated purple. Changes in conserved positions (orange and underlined) are indicated. Mef2 (GenBank: ON099398), Fhf1 (RefSeq: WP_066217780), Fhf2 (RefSeq: WP_066217784.1), Fhf3 (RefSeq: WP_066217796.1), FFA1 (RefSeq: WP_057784217.1), FFA2 (RefSeq: WP_057784219.1), Fda1 (GenBank: AAO00508.1), Fda2 (GenBank: AAO00509.1), MfFcna (GenBank: CAI47003.1), P5AFcnA (GenBank: AYF59291.1), P19DFcnA (GenBank: AYF59292.1), SVI_0379 (GenBank: BAJ00350.1), FWF1 (GenBank: ANW96097.1), FWF2 (GenBank: ANW96098.1), FWF3 (GenBank: ANW96115.1), FWF4 (GenBank: ANW96116.1), Fp273 (GenBank: AYC81238.1), Fp277 (GenBank: AYC81239.1), Fp279 (GenBank: AYC81240.1).

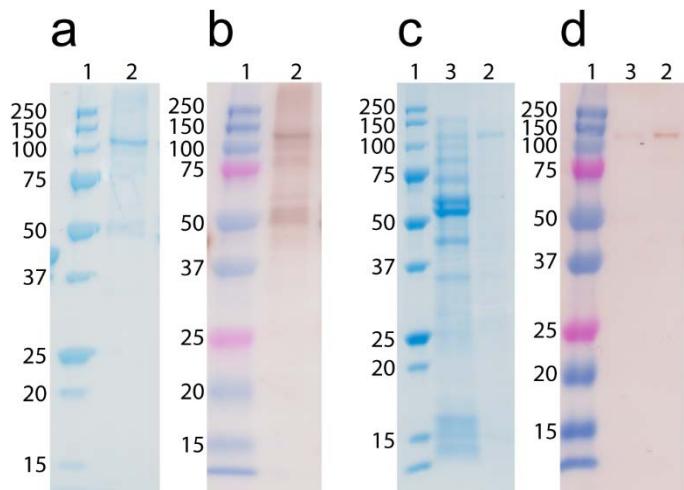


Figure S2. Recombinant expression and purification of the Mef2 fucoidanase. SDS-PAGE of a) purified Mef2 (2)(expression at 20 °C, O/N) and c) crude (3) and purified Mef2 (2)(expression at 37 °C, 4h). Western blot of b) purified Mef2 (2)(expression at 20 °C, O/N) and d) crude (3) and purified Mef2 (2)(expression at 37 °C, 4h). 1) Protein standards.

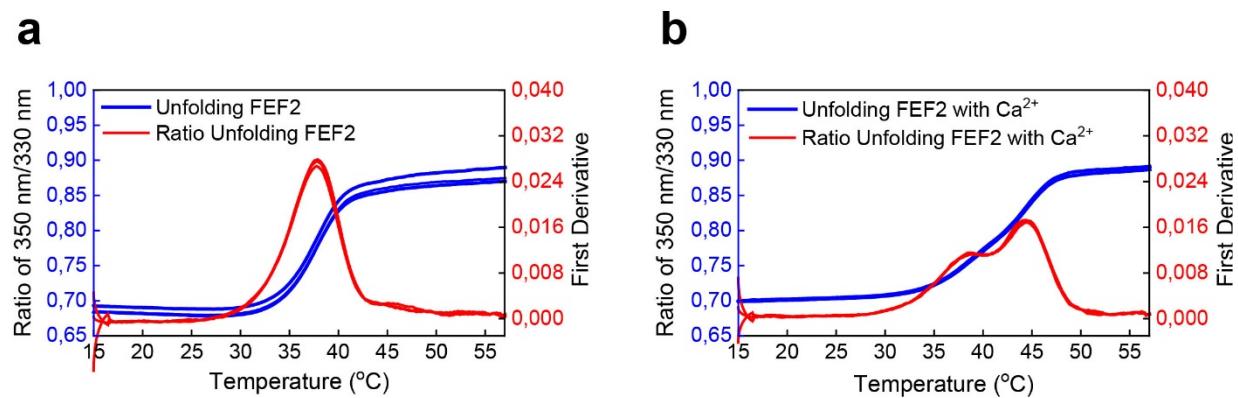


Figure S3. Thermostability assessments of Mef2 by DLS. a) Thermostability of Mef2 without Ca²⁺ and b) with Ca²⁺.

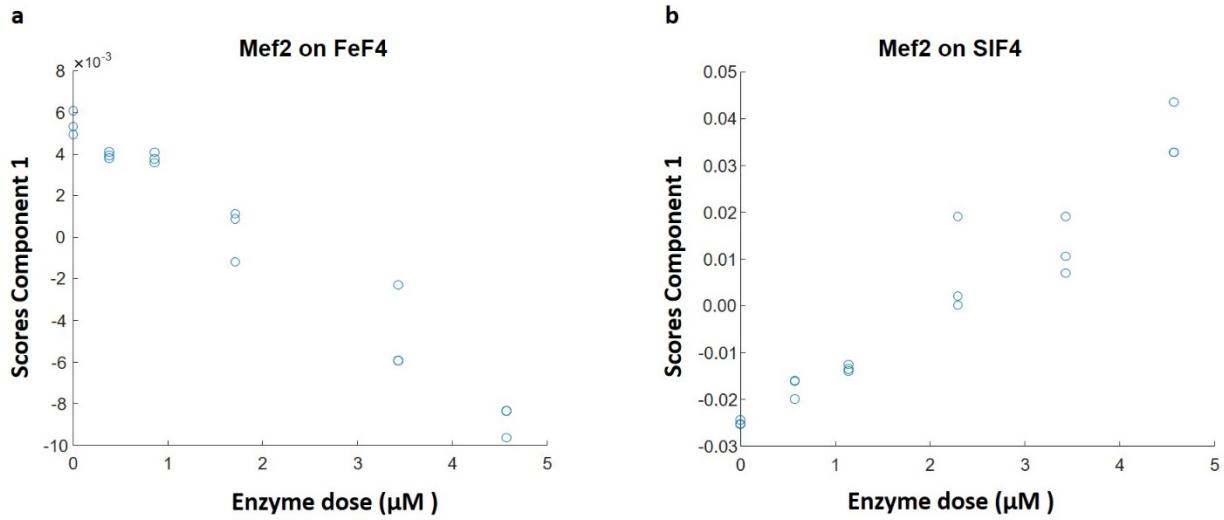


Figure S4. PARAFAC first component scores versus enzyme dosage were plotted to build calibrations. a) for Mef2 on *F. evanescens* FeF4 fucoidans with $R^2=0.97$, b) for Mef2 on *S. latissima* SIF4 fucoidans with $R^2=0.98$.

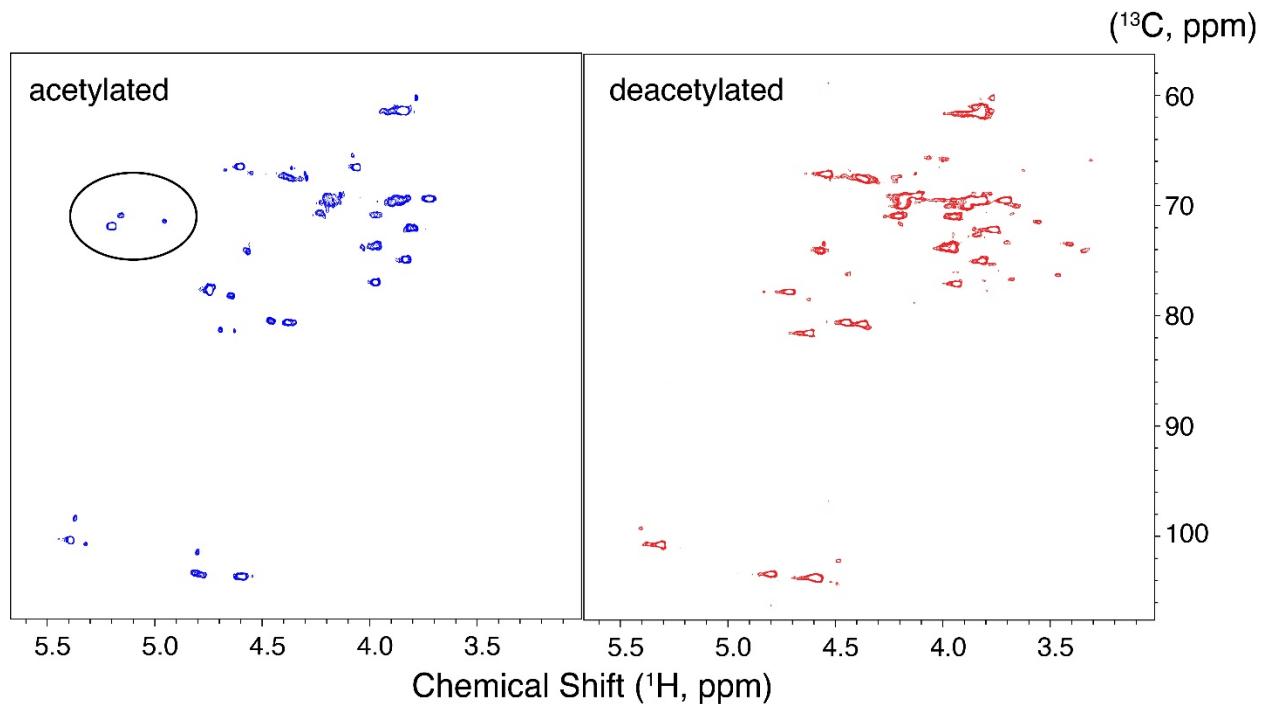


Figure S5. NMR analysis of deacetylation of *S. latissima* fucoidans. Circle indicates acetylations, which were gone after the deacetylation process.

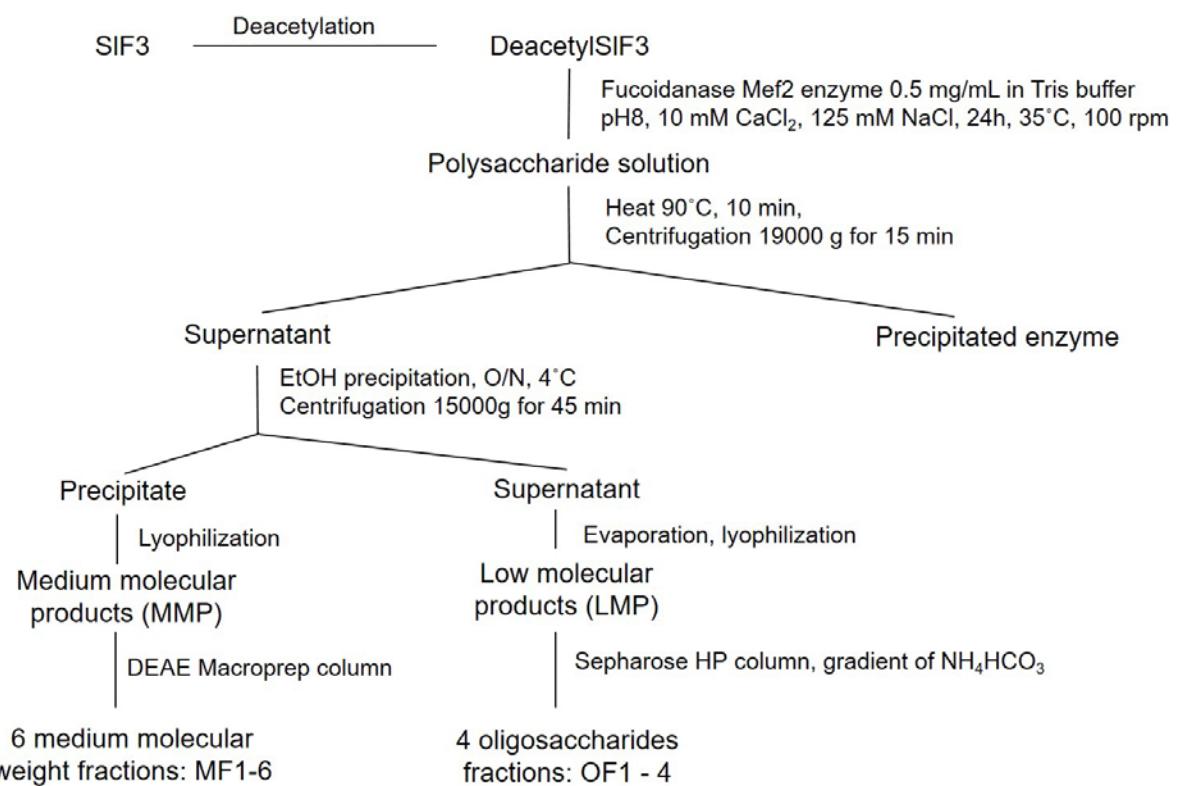


Figure S6. Flow-chart of enzymatic hydrolysis of fucoidans from *S. latissima* and further product separation

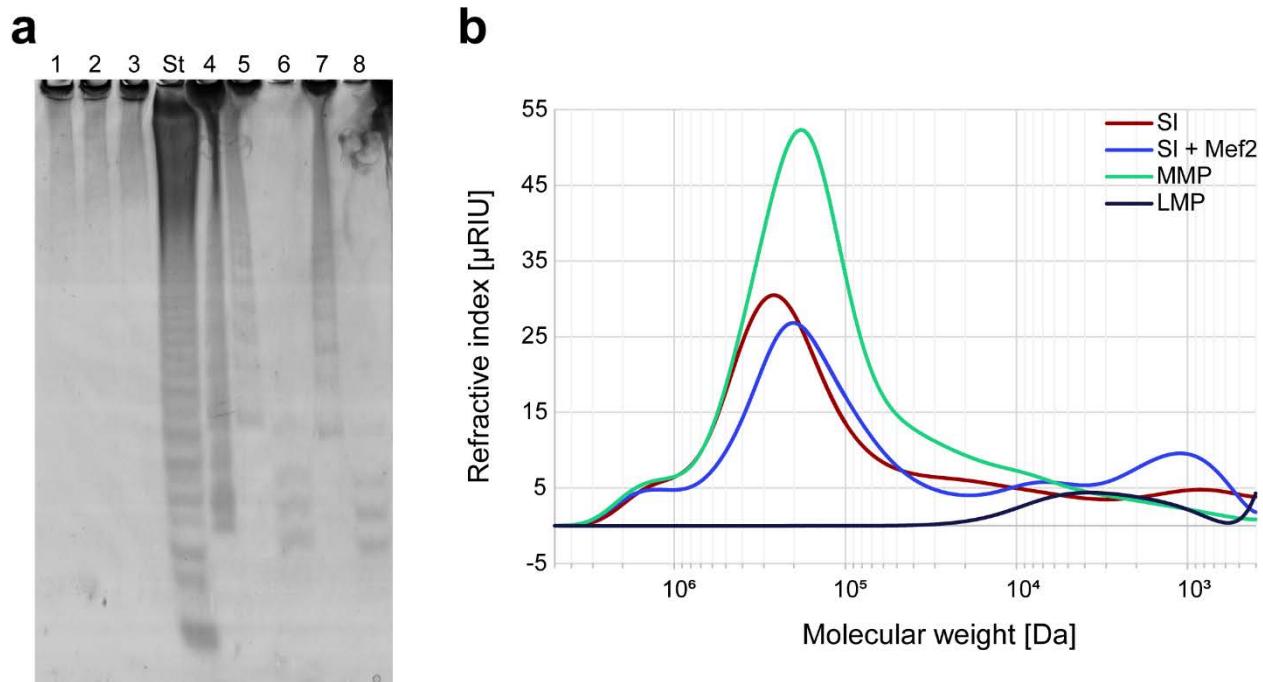


Figure S7. Medium and low molecular weight fucoidans after Mef2 hydrolysis of fucoidans from *S. latissima*. a) 1) DeSIF3; 2) DeSIF3 + heat 90 °C, 10 min; 3) DeSIF3 + heat 90 °C, 1 hour; 4) DeSIF3 + Mef2; 5) MMP from DeSIF3 + Mef2; 6) LMP from DeSIF3 + Mef2; 7) MMP (DeSIF3 + Mef2) + Mef2; 8) LMP (DeSIF3 + Mef2) + Mef2. The standard (St) is the product profile of FFA2 treatment of fucoidan from *F. evanescens*. b) HP-SEC chromatograms of MMP and LMP of Mef2 on fucoidan from *S. latissima*.

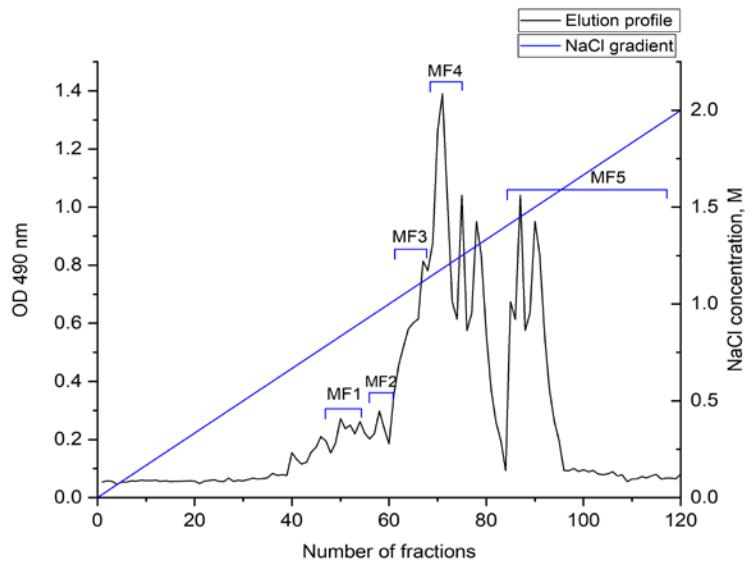


Figure S8. Separation of *S. latissima* MMP products on DEAE macroprep column. The total sugar content was detected by the phenol-sulfuric acid method.

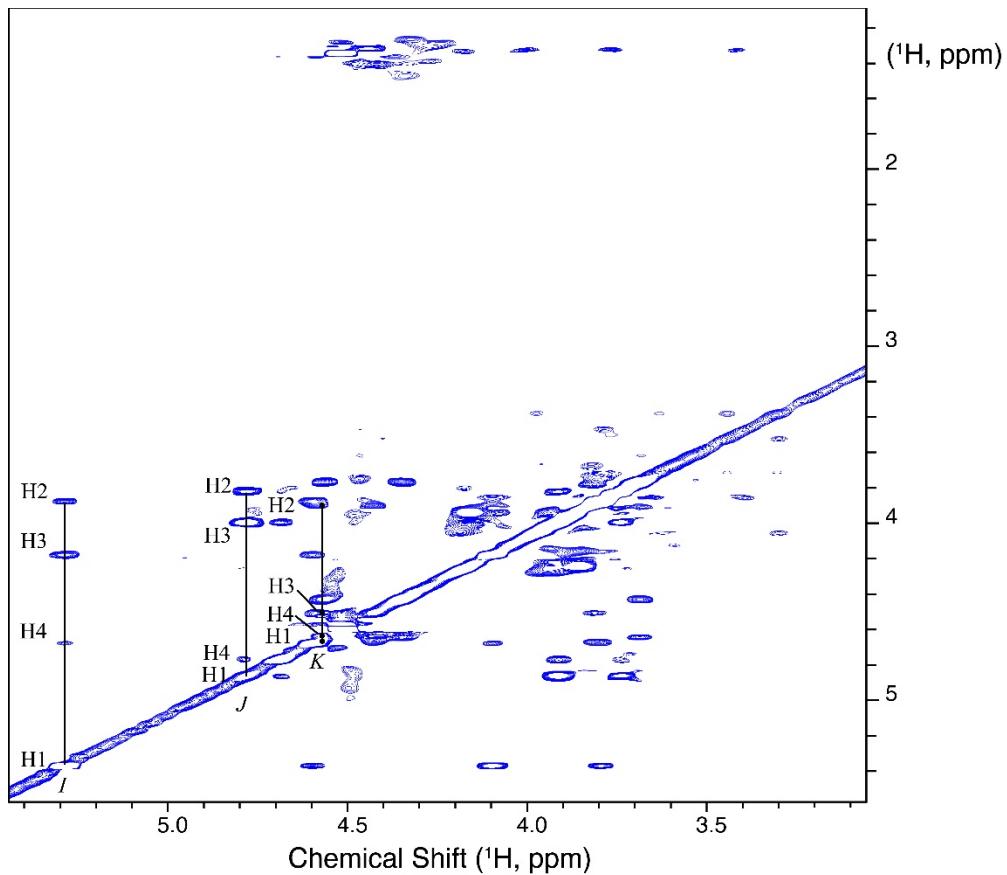


Figure S9. ^1H - ^1H TOCSY NMR spectrum for the deacetylated *S. latissima* MMP. The spectrum shows the correlations between H1, H2, H3 and H4 for the three spin systems I, J and K in the MMP described in Figure 7d and in Table 3.

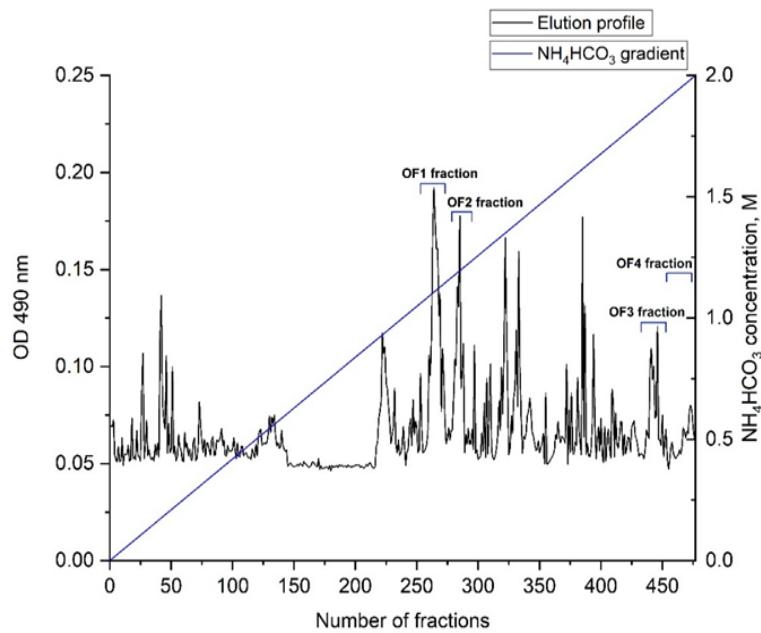


Figure S10. Separation of *S. latissima* LMP products on Q sepharose High Performance column. The total sugar content was detected by the phenol-sulfuric acid method.

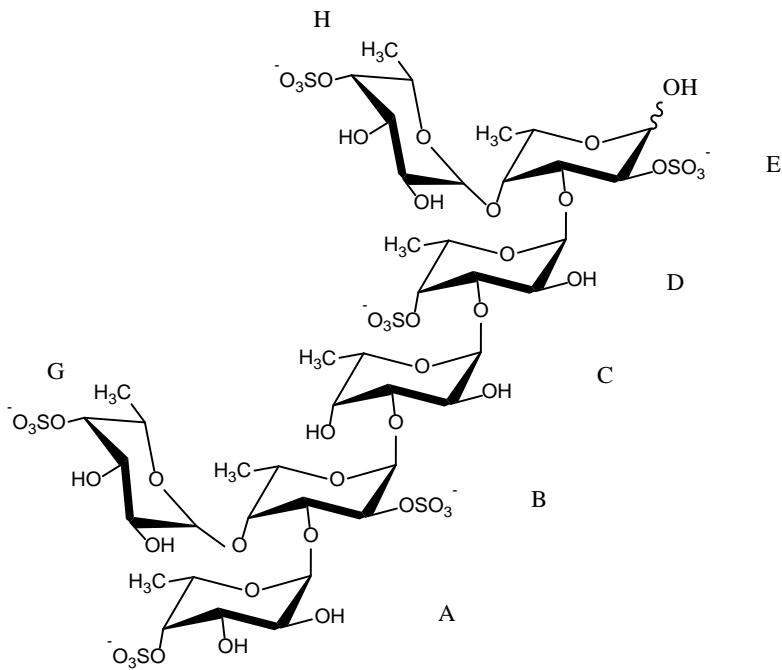


Figure S11. The proposed structure of the *S. latissima* OF2 fraction

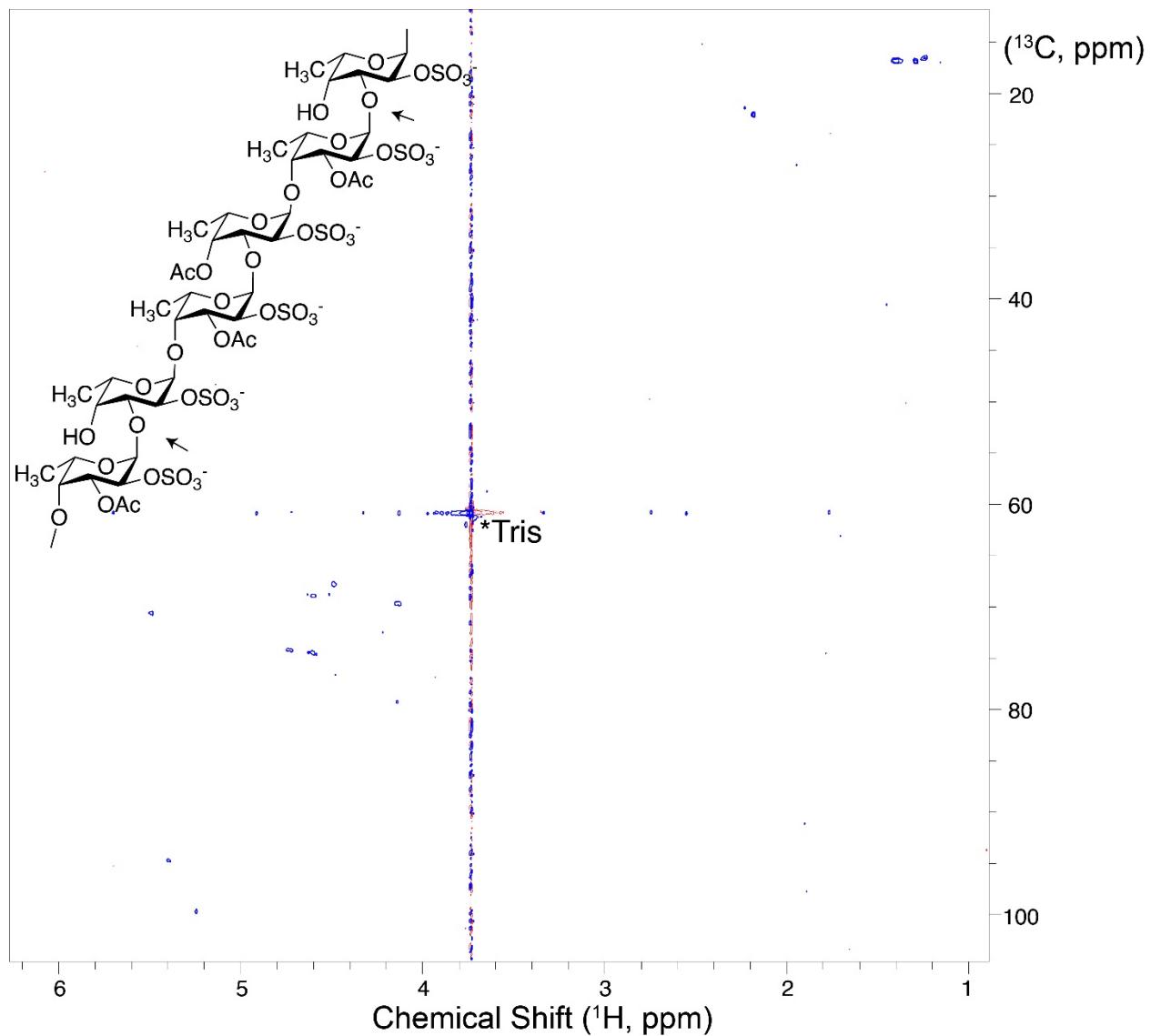


Figure S12. ^1H - ^{13}C NMR spectra of LMP from *F. evanescens* fucoidan after Mef2 hydrolysis. Upon cleavage of *F. evanescens* fucoidans, the reducing end is not visible due to limitations with regards to material and due to length of the product. Arrows indicate possible Mef2 cleavage sites.

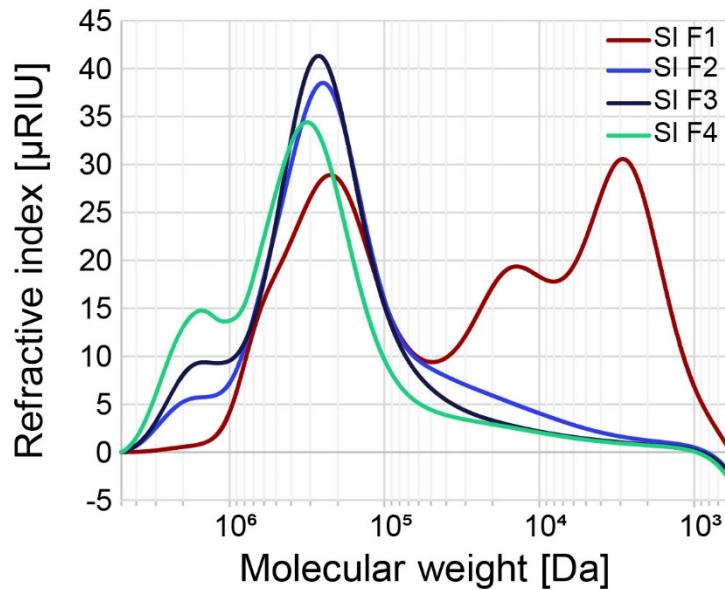


Figure S13. HP-SEC chromatogram of fucoidan fractions from *S. latissima* from Ocean Rainforest after IEX purification. The SIF1 fraction contains low molecular weight compounds (likely partially degraded alginates) of around 2 - 12 kDa and a proportion of HMP compounds between ~200–600 kDa. The SIF2 and SIF3 contain HMP fucoidan compounds ranging from ~250 kDa to over 800 kDa. The SIF4 contain more HMP compounds ranging from ~300 kDa to over 800 kDa. Pullulan was used as standard.