

Table S1. List of sources and biochemical characteristics of purified microbial type I pullulanases.

Source	TE	MM (kDa)	T _{opt} (°C)	pH _{opt}	Reaction product ^a						Ref.
					Pullulan	Starch	Amylopectin	Glycogen	β-limit dextrin	Amylose	
Type I pullulanase											
<i>Anaerobranca gottschalkii</i> DSM 13577 ^T	R	96	70	8.0	G3	ND	G1–G _o	ND	G5–G _o	-	[1]
<i>Anoxybacillus</i> sp. AR-29	R	85	55	6.0	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[2]
<i>Anoxybacillus</i> sp. LM14-2 ^b	R	82	70	6.0	RD	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[3]
<i>Anoxybacillus</i> sp. LM18-11 ^c	R	82	60	6.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	-	[4]
<i>Anoxybacillus</i> sp. SK3-4	R	80	60	6.0	G3	-	-	-	G3, G4, G5	-	[5]
<i>Aureobasidium pullulans</i>	N	73	ND	ND	G3	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	ND	-	[6]
<i>Bacillus acidopullulyticus</i> ^c	R	101	60	5.0	G3, G4	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[7,8]
<i>Bacillus acidopullulyticus</i>	N	115	60–65	5.0	G3, G4	RD	RD	RD	RD	-	[9]
<i>Bacillus acidopullulyticus</i>	N	116	60–65	5.0	G3, G4	RD	RD	RD	RD	-	[9]
<i>Bacillus amyloliquefaciens</i> HxP-21	N	51	55	4.5	RD	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[10]
<i>Bacillus cereus</i> Nws-bc5	R	80	40	6.0	G3	G2, G3	RD	ND	ND	-	[11]
<i>Bacillus cereus</i>	N	110	50	6.0–6.5	G3	ND	RD	ND	G2, G3, G4	ND	[12]
<i>Bacillus deramificans</i>	R	101	55	4.5	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[13]
<i>Bacillus flavocaldarius</i> KP 1228	R	55	83–85	ND	RD	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[14]
<i>Bacillus flavocaldarius</i> KP 1228	N	55	75–80	6.3	G3	RD	RD	ND	RD	-	[15]

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Type I pullulanase											
<i>Bacillus megaterium</i> WW1210	R	112	55	6.5	G3	ND	G3–G7	ND	ND	ND	[16]
<i>Bacillus methanolicus</i> PB1	R	66	50	5.5	G3	RD	RD	ND	ND	-	[17]
<i>Bacillus naganoensis</i> ATCC 53909 ^T	R	101	60	4.5	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[18]
<i>Bacillus subtilis</i> 168 ^c	R	81	40	6.0	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[19]
<i>Bacillus subtilis</i> BK07	R	90	40	8.0	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[20]
<i>Bacillus subtilis</i> PY22	R	90	40	6.0	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[20]
<i>Bacillus subtilis</i> WY-34	R	76.2	40	6.0	RD	RD	ND	ND	ND	-	[21]
<i>Bacillus pseudofirmus</i> 703	R	87	45	7.0–8.0	G3	RD	RD	ND	ND	ND	[22]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. AN-7	N	106	90	6.0	G2, G3	G2	G2	ND	ND	-	[23]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. CICIM 263	R	101	70	6.5	G3	G2, G3, G4	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	-	[24]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. KSM-1876	N	120	50	10.0–10.5	G3	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[25]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. S-1	N	180	60	9.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	RD	-	[26]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. S-1	N	140	60	9.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	RD	-	[26]
<i>Clostridium thermosulfurogenes</i> SV2	N	80	75	6.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[27]

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<i>Exiguobacterium acetylicum</i> YH5	R	100	50	6.0	G3	G2, G3, G _o	G2, G3, G _o	G2, G3, G _o	G2, G3, G _o	-	[28]
<i>Exiguobacterium</i> sp. SH3	R	108	45	8.5	G3	RD	RD	ND	ND	-	[29]
<i>Fervidobacterium nodosum</i> Rt17-B1	R	95	80	5.0	G3	G2–G6	G2–G6	ND	ND	ND	[30]
<i>Fervidobacterium pennavorans</i> Ven5	R	93	80	6.0	G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	-	[31]
<i>Fervidobacterium pennavorans</i> Ven5	N	240 ^d	85	6.0	G3, G _o	ND	ND	ND	ND	-	[32]
<i>Geobacillus kaustophilus</i> DSM 7263 [†]	R	80	65	6.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[33]
<i>Geobacillus thermopakistaniensis</i>	R	80	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[34]
<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i> TRS128	N	83	65	6.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[35]
<i>Geobacillus thermoleovorans</i> US105	R	160 ^d	70	6.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	-	[36]
<i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> ^c	R	145	30–37	5.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	RD	-	[37- 39]
<i>Klebsiella variicola</i> SHN-1	R	118	55	5.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[40]
<i>Laceyella sacchari</i> No. 15	N	79	70	7.0	G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	ND	[41]

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Type I pullulanase											
<i>Lactococcus lactis</i> IBB 500	N	73	45	4.5	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	-	[42]
<i>Lactobacillus acidophilus</i> NCFM	R	129	50	5.5	G3	G2, G3, G4	ND	ND	RD	ND	[43]
<i>Micrococcus</i> sp. 207	N	120	50	8.0	G3, G4	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[44]
Metagenome sample (Pul _M)	R	80	40	6.0–7.0	RD	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	[45]
Metagenome sample (PersiPul1)	R	71	60	7.0	RD	RD	RD	ND	ND	-	[46]
Mixed culture bacterium (AmyA1)	R	81.7	60	6.0	G3	RD	ND	RD	ND	ND	[47]
<i>Paenibacillus</i> <i>barengoltzii</i> CAU904	R	75	50	5.5	G3	RD	RD	ND	ND	-	[48]
<i>Paenibacillus</i> <i>lautus</i> DSM 3035 ^T	R	87.9	40	7.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	ND	-	[49]
<i>Paenibacillus</i> <i>polymyxa</i> Nws-pp2	R	99	35	6.0	G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	[50]
<i>Thermotoga maritima</i> MSB8	N	89	90	5.9	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[51]

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Type I pullulanase											
<i>Thermotoga neapolitana</i> KCCM 41025	R	93	80–85	6.5	G3	G2, G3, G _o	G2, G3, G _o	G2, G3, G _o	ND	-	[52]
<i>Thermus aquaticus</i> YT-1	N	83	85	6.5	G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	[53]
<i>Thermus caldophilus</i> GK-24	N	65	75	5.5	G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	RD	RD	ND	[54]
<i>Thermus thermophilus</i> HB8	R	80	70	5.5–6.5	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[55]
<i>Shewanella arctica</i> 40-3	R	155	35	6.0–7.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[56]
<i>Shewanella arctica</i> 40-3	N	150	45	7.0	G3	RD	RD	ND	ND	-	[57]

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Table S2: List of sources and biochemical characteristics of purified microbial type II pullulanases.

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					Pullulan	Starch	Amylopectin	Glycogen	β-limit dextrin	Amylose		
Type II pullulanase (amylopullulanase)												
<i>Alkalilimnicola</i> sp. NM-DCM-1	R	80	55	9.5	G3	G2, G3, G4	ND	ND	ND	G4, G5	[58]	
<i>Anoxybacillus</i> sp. SK3-4	N	225	60	7.5	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	[59]	
<i>Anoxybacillus</i> sp. WB42	R	83	55–65	5.8	G3	G2–G5	G2–G5	ND	ND	G2–G5	[60]	
<i>Bacillus cereus</i> H1.5	N	93	55	6.0	G3	RD	RD	ND	ND	RD	[61]	
<i>Bacillus circulans</i> F-2	N	220	50	7.0	G3	G3–G _o	ND	ND	ND	ND	[62]	
<i>Bacillus megaterium</i> Y103	R	110	45	6.5	G3	G1–G4	G1–G4	-	-	G1–G4	[63]	
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. DSM 405	N	126	70	6.0	G3	G2, G3, G4	G2, G3, G4	G2, G3, G4	ND	G2, G3, G4	[64]	
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. XAL601	R	224	70	9.0	G3	G2, G3, G4	ND	ND	ND	G2, G3, G4	[65]	
<i>Caldisericum exile</i>	R	139	75	5.5, 8.5	G3	G1–G6	G1–G6	ND	ND	G1–G6	[66]	
<i>Cohnella</i> sp. A01	R	127	70	8.0	G3	G2, G3, G4	ND	ND	ND	ND	[67]	
<i>Cohnella</i> sp. A01	R	70	60	6.0	G3	G2, G3, G4	ND	ND	ND	ND	[67]	

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Type II pullulanase (amylopullulanase)												
<i>Caldivirga maquilingsensis</i> IC-167 ^T	R	62.7	100	5.0	RD	G6–G _o	G6–G _o	ND	ND	G6–G _o	[68]	
<i>Clostridium thermosulfurigenes</i> EM1	N	100	60–65	5.5–6.0	G3	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3, G4	[69]	
<i>Clostridium thermosulfurigenes</i> SVM17	N	97	70	5.5–6.0	G3	G1, G2	ND	ND	ND	ND	[70]	
<i>Desulfurococcus mucosus</i> DSM 2162 ^T	R	110 ^d	85	5.0	G3	G1, G2, G3	RD	-	ND	G1, G2, G3	[71]	
<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i> ATCC 12980 ^T	R	184	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[72]	
<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i> G-82	N	56	60	7.0	G1, G2, G3	ND	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	G1, G2, G3	[73]	
<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i> TS-23	R	220	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[74]	
<i>Geobacillus thermoleovorans</i> NP1	N	112	50	6.0	G1, G2, G3, G _o	G2, G3, G _o	ND	ND	ND	ND	[75]	
<i>Geobacillus thermoleovorans</i> NP33	R	182	60	7.0	G3	G2, G3, G4	G2, G3, G4	G2, G3, G4	ND	G2, G3, G4	[76]	

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<i>Geobacillus thermoleovorans</i> NP33	N	48	80	ND	RD	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	[77]
<i>Geobacillus thermoleovorans</i> NP33	N	105	80	7.0	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	[78]
<i>Geobacillus</i> sp. L14	N	100	65	5.5	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2	ND	ND	ND	ND	[79]
<i>Halorubrum</i> sp. Ha25	N	140	50	7.5	G1	G1	ND	ND	ND	ND	[80]
<i>Lactobacillus amylophilus</i> GV6	N	90	37	6.5	G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	[81]
Metagenome sample (PulSS4)	R	164	40	9.0	G3	G1–G4	G1–G4	G1–G4	ND	G1–G4	[82]
<i>Paenibacillus puldeungensis</i> LK18	R	76	45	6.0	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[83]
<i>Pyrococcus furiosus</i> DSM 3638 ^T	R	90	105	6.0	G3, G4	G1–G6	RD	RD	ND	RD	[84]
<i>Pyrobaculum calidifontis</i> VA1	R	111	90	5.6	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[85]
<i>Pyrococcus furiosus</i> DSM 3638 ^T	N	119	100	5.5	G3	G1–G6	ND	G1–G6	ND	G1–G6	[86]
<i>Pyrococcus woesei</i> DSM 3773 ^T	R	90	100	6.0	G3	G1–G6	ND	G1–G5	ND	G1–G4	[87]
<i>Pyrococcus yayanosii</i> CH1	R	125	95	6.6	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	G5-G _o	[88]

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<i>Staphylothermus marinus</i> DSM 3639 ^T	R	75.3	105	5.0	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[89]	
<i>Streptomyces erumpens</i> MTCC 7317	N	45	ND	ND	RD	G1, G2	ND	ND	ND	ND	[90]	
<i>Sulfolobus acidocaldarius</i> DSM 639 ^T	R	100 ^d	100	3.0	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	G1, G2, G3	[91]	
<i>Thermoanaerobacter pseudethanolicus</i> ATCC 33233 ^T	R	140	90	5.5	G3	RD	RD	RD	RD	ND	[92-94]	
<i>Thermoanaerobacter thermohydrosulfuricus</i> E101	R	165	80	ND	G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[95]	
<i>Thermoanaerobacter</i> sp. B6A	N	450 ^d	75	5.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	RD	G2, G3, G4	[96]	
<i>Thermoanaerobium brockii</i>	R	105	70	5.0	G3	G3–G _o	ND	ND	RD	ND	[97]	
<i>Thermoanaerobacterium saccharolyticum</i> B6A-RI ^T	R	140	70–75	5.5–6.0	G3	RD	RD	RD	ND	RD	[98]	

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<i>Thermoanaerobacterium saccharolyticum</i> NTOU1	R	100	70	5.0	G2, G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	[99]	
<i>Thermoanaerobacterium thermosaccharolyticum</i> DSM 571 ^T	N	150	65	5.0–5.5	G3, G _o	RD	RD	RD	ND	RD	[100]	
<i>Thermoanaerobacterium thermosulfurigenes</i> EM1	R	205	60	5.5	G3	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	ND	G2, G3	[101- 103]	
<i>Thermoanaerobium</i> sp. Tok6-B1	N	120	80	5.5	G3	G2, G3, G4	G2, G3	ND	ND	G2, G3, G4	[104]	
<i>Thermococcus hydrothermalis</i>	R	105	105	5.75	G3	G1–G7	ND	ND	ND	G1–G7	[105]	
<i>Thermococcus hydrothermalis</i> AL662	N	128	95	5.5	G3	G4–G7	ND	G4–G7	ND	ND	[106]	
<i>Thermococcus kodakarensis</i> KOD1 ^T	R	86	100	5.5	G3	G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	[107]	
<i>Thermococcus kodakarensis</i> KOD1 ^T	R	120	105	5.5	RD	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	[108]	
<i>Thermococcus litoralis</i> DSM 5473 ^T	N	110	100	5.5	G3	G1–G6	ND	G1–G6	ND	G1–G6	[86]	
<i>Thermococcus siculi</i> HJ21	R	148.6	95	6.0	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[109]	

G1: glucose; G2: maltose; G3: maltotriose; G4: maltotetraose; G5: maltopentaose; G6: maltohexaose; G7: maltoheptaose; G_o: oligosaccharides (≥ G8); TE: type of enzyme; MM: molecular mass; T_{opt}: optimum temperature; pH_{opt}: optimum pH; R: recombinant; N: native; ND: not determined; RD: substrate was reduced as inferred from enzymatic assay; -: no product detected; T: type strain; a: reaction products were determined using high-performance liquid chromatography or thin-layer chromatography in the respective reference; b: the enzyme was characterized from crude; c: the crystal structures were solved and the data were available in RCSB Protein Data Bank (PDB) database; d: consists of several subunits.

Table S2. Continued.

Source	TE	MM (kDa)	T _{opt} (°C)	pH _{opt}	Reaction product ^a						Ref.
					Pullulan	Starch	Amylopectin	Glycogen	β-limit dextrin	Amylose	
Type II pullulanase (amylopullulanase)											
<i>Thermofilum pendens</i> Hrk 5	R	65.5	95–100	3.5	RD	ND	G6–G _o	ND	ND	ND	[110]
<i>Thermus thermophilus</i> HB27	R	52	70	6.5	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	G1–G4	ND	ND	G1, G2, G3	[111]
Uncultured bacterium (Env Npu193A)	R	66	75	7.0	G3	G2–G _o	ND	ND	ND	ND	[112]
Type II pullulanase (α-amylase-pullulanase)											
<i>Alkalibacterium</i> sp. SL3	R	226	50	9.0	G3	G1–G4	G1–G4	ND	ND	ND	[113]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. KSM-1378	N	210	50	9.5	G3, G _o	G1–G6	G1–G6	G1–G6	ND	G1–G6	[114]
<i>Bifidobacterium breve</i> UCC2003	R	182.3	ND	ND	G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	G2, G3	ND	ND	[115]
<i>Bifidobacterium adolescentis</i> P2P3	R	180	55	5.0	G3	G3	RD	RD	ND	RD	[116]
<i>Lactobacillus plantarum</i> L137	R	211	40	4.0	G3	G1–G4	ND	ND	ND	G4–G _o	[117]
<i>Streptococcus suis</i> P1/7	R	230	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[118]

G1: glucose; G2: maltose; G3: maltotriose; G4: maltotetraose; G5: maltopentaose; G6: maltohexaose; G7: maltoheptaose; G_o: oligosaccharides (≥ G8); TE: type of enzyme; MM: molecular mass; T_{opt}: optimum temperature; pH_{opt}: optimum pH; R: recombinant; N: native; ND: not determined; RD: substrate was reduced as inferred from enzymatic assay; -: no product detected; T: type strain; a: reaction products were determined using high-performance liquid chromatography or thin-layer chromatography in the respective reference; b: the enzyme was characterized from crude; c: the crystal structures were solved and the data were available in RCSB Protein Data Bank (PDB) database; d: consists of several subunits.

Table S3. List of sources and biochemical characteristics of purified microbial pullulan hydrolases.

Source	TE	MM (kDa)	T _{opt} (°C)	pH _{opt}	Reaction product ^a						Ref.
					Pullulan	Starch	Amylopectin	Glycogen	β-limit dextrin	Amylose	
Pullulan hydrolase type I (neopullulanase)											
<i>Anoxybacillus flavithermus</i>	R	72.8	60	5.5–6.5	P	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	[119]
<i>Alicyclobacillus acidocaldarius</i> ATCC 27009 ^T	R	66	55	5.5	P	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[120]
<i>Bacillus polymyxa</i> CECT 155 ^b	R	58	50	6.0	P	RD	RD	ND	ND	RD	[121,122]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. KSM-1876	R	68	40	7.5	P	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[123]
<i>Bacteroides thetaiotaomicron</i> 95-1	R	70	ND	ND	P	ND	ND	ND	ND	RD	[124]
<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i> TRS40	R	62	60–65	6.0	G1, G2, P	G1, G2	G2	ND	ND	G1, G2	[125,126]
<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i> IMA6503	R	140 ^d	55	6.0	P	G1, G2	ND	ND	ND	ND	[127]
<i>Laceyella sacchari</i>	R	69.1	ND	5.5–6.5	P	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	[119]
<i>Lactobacillus mucosae</i> LM1	R	67	37	6.0	P	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[128]
<i>Micrococcus halobius</i> OR-1	N	53	50	8.0	P	G2, G3	G3, P	ND	ND	G2	[129]
<i>Paenibacillus</i> sp. KCTC 8848P	R	58	ND	ND	P	RD	ND	ND	ND	ND	[130]

G1: glucose; G2: maltose; G3: maltotriose; G4: maltotetraose; G5: maltopentaose; G6: maltohexaose; G7: maltoheptaose; G_o: oligosaccharides (≥ G8); P: panose; I: isopanose; TE: type of enzyme; MM: molecular mass; T_{opt}: optimum temperature; pH_{opt}: optimum pH; R: recombinant; N: native; ND: not determined; RD: substrate was reduced as inferred from enzymatic assay; -: no product detected; T: type strain; a: reaction products were determined using high-performance liquid chromatography or thin-layer chromatography in the respective reference; b: the enzyme was characterized from crude; c: the crystal structures were solved and the data were available in RCSB Protein Data Bank (PDB) database; d: consists of several subunits.

Table S3. Continued.

Source	TE	MM (kDa)	T _{opt} (°C)	pH _{opt}	Reaction product ^a						Ref.
					Pullulan	Starch	Amylopectin	Glycogen	β-limit dextrin	Amylose	
Pullulan hydrolase type I (neopullulanase)											
<i>Thermoactinomyces vulgaris</i> R-47 ^c	R	74	70	5.0	P	G1, G2	ND	ND	ND	RD	[131,132]
<i>Thermoactinomyces vulgaris</i> R-47 ^c	R	67	40	5.5	P	G1, G2	ND	ND	ND	ND	[133]
Uncultured bacterium (Amy 132)	R	69	55	5.5–6.5	P	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	ND	ND	[119]
Pullulan hydrolase type II (isopullulanase)											
<i>Aspergillus brasiliensis</i> ATCC 9642 ^T ^c	R	90	40–45	3.5	I	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[134,135]
<i>Aspergillus brasiliensis</i> ATCC 9642 ^T	N	71	45	3.5	I	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[136]
<i>Aspergillus brasiliensis</i> ATCC 9642 ^T	N	69	40	3.5	I	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	[136]
<i>Bacillus</i> sp. US149	N	200 ^d	60	5.0	I	-	-	-	ND	ND	[137]
Pullulan hydrolase type III											
Thermococcus aggregans DSM 10597	R	80	95	6.5	G1, G2, G3, P	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	ND	G1, G2, G3	[138]
Thermococcus kodakarensis KOD1 ^T	R	80	95–100	3.5	G1, G2, G3, P	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	G1, G2, G3	ND	G2	[139]

G1: glucose; G2: maltose; G3: maltotriose; G4: maltotetraose; G5: maltopentaose; G6: maltohexaose; G7: maltoheptaose; G_n: oligosaccharides (≥ G8); P: panose; I: isopanose; TE: type of enzyme; MM: molecular mass; T_{opt}: optimum temperature; pH_{opt}: optimum pH; R: recombinant; N: native; ND: not determined; RD: substrate was reduced as inferred from enzymatic assay; -: no product detected; T: type strain; a: reaction products were determined using high-performance liquid chromatography or thin-layer chromatography in the respective reference; b: the enzyme was characterized from crude; c: the crystal structures were solved and the data were available in RCSB Protein Data Bank (PDB) database; d: consists of several subunits.

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