

## Supplementary materials

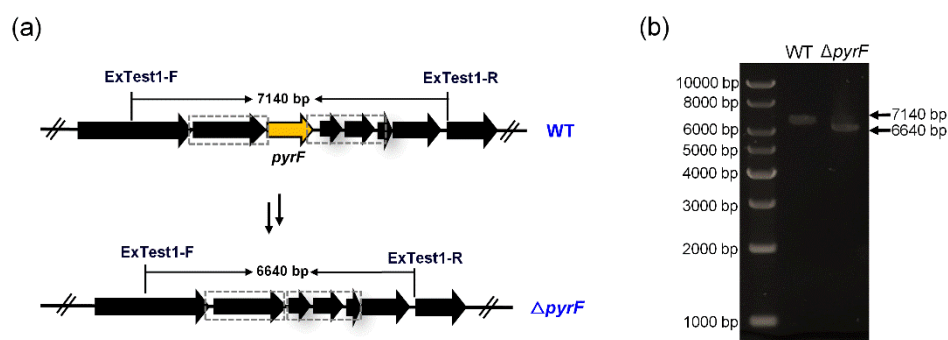
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# Development of a *pyrF*-based counterselectable system for targeted gene deletion in *Streptomyces rimosus*

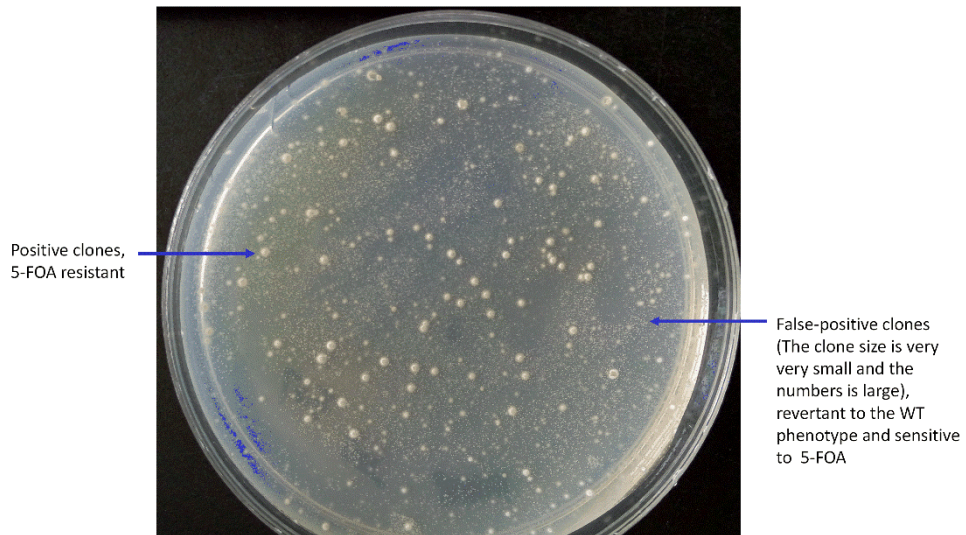
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**Table S1** Similarity and identity values of orotidine-5'-phosphate decarboxylase amino acid sequences among *Streptomyces* stains

Source	Amino acid residues	GenBank accession No.	Similarity	Identity
<i>S. rimosus</i>	286	ELQ81494.1	--	--
<i>S. avermitilis</i>	280	KUN53591.1	81.2%	77.7%
<i>S. coelicolor</i>	281	TYP05411.1	86.1%	90.4%
<i>S. venezuelae</i>	278	WP_150188059.1	81.8%	76.9%
<i>S. aureofaciens</i>	277	WP_030290267.1	82.1%	74.3%



**Fig. S1** The  $\Delta pyrF$  strain was identified by PCR amplification using external primers ExTest1-F/ExTest1-R (primers found only in the genome), the expected amplicon for WT strain is 7140 bp and that 6640 bp for the  $\Delta pyrF$  strain.



**Fig. S2 Characteristics and phenotype of the  $\Delta pyrF \Delta otcR$  strain screened on solid MM medium with 5-FOA (100  $\mu$ M) and uracil (300  $\mu$ M).**